

CHAP. 96.

CHAPTER 96.

Passed Feb. 23, 1833

An act to Incorporate the South Baltimore Company.

Persons incorporated.

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Thomas H. Carroll, William P. Dunnington, Richard Caton, Evan T. Ellicott, William Krebs, and John Berry, and all and every other person or persons hereafter becoming members of "the South Baltimore Company," in the manner hereinafter mentioned, their successors and assigns, shall be, and they are hereby created and made a corporation and body politic, by the name and style of "The South Baltimore Company," and by that name shall and may have continuous succession, and be capable in law of purchasing, holding, improving, and disposing of property, real, personal or mixed, to the extent, in the manner, and for the purposes herein authorized; and may sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, answer and defend, be answered and defended in all courts of law and equity; and may receive and make all deeds, transfers, covenants, conveyances, grants, contracts, agreements, and bargains whatsoever, necessary for the said purposes, and may have and use a common seal, which they shall have power to alter or renew at pleasure; and generally may do every other act or thing necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act, and promote the objects and designs of said company as authorised by this act; *Provided*, that nothing herein contained shall authorise said company to hold more than one thousand acres of land at any one time; and the authority to hold land shall not be so construed as to authorise said company to hold or purchase lands in any other part of this State, except Baltimore City and County.

Style and title.

Corporate powers.

Commissioners to receive subscription.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the said Thomas H. Carroll, William P. Dunnington, Richard Caton, Evan T. Ellicott, William Krebs and John Berry, or a majority of them, may receive subscriptions from time to time to the capital stock of the said company, in shares of fifty dollars each, to any amount not exceeding ten thousand shares, and for the purpose of obtaining any such subscriptions, they shall give at least ten days public notice by advertisement in two or more newspapers in the city of Baltimore, of the time, place, number of shares, and terms of subscribing, and every person or corporation who shall become a holder, or entitled to one or more shares of the said stock, shall thereupon become a member of "The

Capital stock.

Shares.

Membership.