

SEC. 9. That said bank shall have a lien upon the stock for debts due it by the holder of said stock, and upon all deposits, for debts and liabilities to said bank from the maker of such deposits, in preference to all other creditors, but no stockholder shall be individually responsible to this corporation or its creditors in any other or greater amount than the stock subscribed and actually paid in by him for any debt, or obligation that may be due or made by this corporation.

Bank to have prior lien on stock and deposits for debts due from owners and depositors.

Stockholders' liability.

SEC. 10. That this act shall be in force and effect from and after its ratification.

In the General Assembly read three times, and ratified this the 29th day of January, A. D. 1901.

#### CHAPTER 28.

#### AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE EAGLE HOSE COMPANY, NUMBER SEVEN, OF THE CITY OF GREENSBORO, N. C.

*The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:*

SECTION 1. That H. J. Elam, J. L. Thacker, R. C. Whittington, F. N. Taylor, J. J. Smith, L. A. Wyrick, W. L. Cranford, Wm. Smathers, Harry Poezolt, J. R. McClamroch, J. G. Fowler, H. C. Curtis, W. L. Watson, C. B. Bogart, J. R. Wilson, E. L. Clarke, D. E. Sergeant, C. C. Shaw, and any such other persons as they may associate with them and their successors, be and they are hereby constituted a body corporate under the name and style of the "Eagle Hose Company, Number Seven," of the city of Greensboro, N. C.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

SEC. 2. That said body corporate shall have power to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded by their corporate name, to use a common seal, to purchase and hold real estate and personal property, and adopt such by-laws and regulations as may be necessary for the good government of the same.

Corporate powers.

SEC. 3. Be it further enacted: That all officers and members of the said "Eagle Hose Company, Number Seven," of the city of Greensboro, N. C., be and the same are hereby exempt from all liability to serve as jurors in any Court of justice, or upon any jury of inquest, or grand jury, and from all liability to serve in the militia.

Officers and members of company exempt from jury and militia duty.

SEC. 4. That none of the members of the said corporation shall be individually liable for its debts, contracts or torts.

Liability of members.

SEC. 5. That the tax required by section 5, chapter 318, Public Laws '93, shall not apply to this act.

Section 5, Chapter 318, Public Laws 1893, not to apply to this act.

SEC. 6. This act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

In the General Assembly read three times, and ratified this the 29th day of January, A. D. 1901.