

CHAPTER 186.

AN ACT to amend and change the boundary lines of the ninth, eleventh, twelfth and twentieth wards of the city of Baltimore as now defined by an ordinance of the mayor and city council of Baltimore, number thirty-six, approved April sixth, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, and passed in conformity with the requirements of an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, chapter two, approved February sixth, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, entitled an act to provide for the re-division of the city of Baltimore into election precincts, wards and legislative districts, and also to provide for the sub-division of said ninth, eleventh, twelfth and twentieth wards into election precincts.

WHEREAS, in consequence of the large and unequal increase in population in various voting precincts in the northwestern section of the city of Baltimore, and in order to extend greater convenience to the qualified voters therein and to equalize the election precincts thereof as nearly as may be, it is deemed desirable to change certain parts of ward lines and precincts as hereinafter mentioned; therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the boundary lines of the ninth, eleventh, twelfth and twentieth wards of the city of Baltimore as now described and defined in an ordinance of the mayor and city council of Baltimore, number thirty-six, approved April sixth, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, and passed in conformity with the requirements and terms of an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, entitled an act to provide for the re-division of the city of Baltimore into election precincts, wards and legislative districts, chapter two, approved February sixth, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, be and the said boundary lines of the said ninth, eleventh, twelfth and twentieth wards of the city of Baltimore are hereby amended and changed so as to read respectively as follows:

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the boundary lines of the ninth ward in said city of Baltimore be and the same are hereby changed so as to read as follows: ninth ward—beginning for the same at the city dock and running thence northerly along the west side of Jones' Falls to Eager street; thence westerly along Eager street to Cathedral street; thence southerly along Cathedral street to Richmond street; thence northwesterly along Richmond street to Park street; thence southerly along Park street to Fayette street; thence west on Fayette street to Eutaw street; thence south on Eutaw street to Pratt street; thence easterly on Pratt street to Howard street; thence southerly on