

When to take effect. Section 2. And be it enacted and ordained, that this act shall take effect from and after the date of its passage.

Approved September 10th, 1860.

THO: SWANN, *Mayor*.

No. 79.

An ordinance to Correct the Division of the Wards of the City of Baltimore.

Division of the wards.

Whereas, by the third section of the fourth article of the Public Local Laws of the State of Maryland, the city of Baltimore is divided into twenty wards, according to their present bounds and limits, and it is by the said section of said article, the duty of the corporation to correct the divisions thereof, from time to time, so as to preserve as accurately as may be, an equal number of inhabitants in each ward; therefore,

Preliminary.

Section 1. Be it enacted and ordained, by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That from and after the passage of this ordinance and its approval by the Mayor, the limits of the several wards of the city of Baltimore shall be as follows:

First ward.

First Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Monument and Wolf streets; thence east on south side of Monument street to city limits; thence south along city limits to Lazaretto; thence around water line of Northwest Branch to Fell street; thence along Fell street, east side, to Wolf street; thence north on east side of Wolf street to place of beginning.

Second ward.

Second Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Bank and Wolf streets; thence south on west side of Wolf street to Fell street; thence southeast on southwest side of Fell street to water line; thence along the water line of Northwest Branch and Jones' Falls to Eastern avenue; thence east on south side of Eastern avenue to Central avenue; thence north on east side of Central avenue to Bank street; thence east on south side of Bank street to place of beginning.

Third ward.

Third Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Central avenue and Baltimore street; thence south on east side of Central avenue to Bank street; thence

east on north side of Bank street to Wolf street; thence north on west side of Wolf street to Baltimore street; thence west on south side of Baltimore street to place of beginning.

Fourth Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Fourth ward. Central avenue and Fayette street; thence south on the west side of Central avenue to Eastern avenue; thence west on north side of Eastern avenue around to Jones' Falls; thence north along the line of Jones' Falls to Fayette street; thence east on south side of Fayette street to place of beginning.

Fifth Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Fifth ward Fayette street and Central avenue; thence westward on north side of Fayette street to Jones' Falls; thence north along the line of Jones' Falls to Hillen street; thence northeastwardly on the southeasterly side of Hillen street to Monument street; thence east on south side of Monument street to Central avenue; thence south on west side of Central avenue to place of beginning.

Sixth Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Sixth ward Monument street and Central avenue; thence east on the south side of Monument street to Wolf street; thence south on west side of Wolf street to Baltimore street; thence west on north side of Baltimore street to Central avenue; thence north on east side of Central avenue to place of beginning.

Seventh Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Seventh ward Monument and Ensor streets; thence north on east side of Ensor street to Harford avenue; thence north on east side of Harford avenue to city limits; thence east and south along city limits to Monument street; thence west on north side of Monument street to place of beginning.

Eighth Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Eighth ward Hillen street and Jones' Falls; thence northeast on northwest side of Hillen street to Ensor street; thence north on west side of Ensor street to Harford avenue; thence north on west side of Harford avenue to city limits; thence west along city limits to Jones' Falls; thence southwardly along Jones' Falls to place of beginning.

Ninth Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Ninth ward Charles and Pratt streets; thence east on north side

of Pratt street and around the Basin to Jones' Falls; thence north along line of said Falls to Franklin street; thence west on south side of Franklin street to Charles street; thence south on east side of Charles street to place of beginning.

Tenth ward. Tenth Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Franklin and Paca streets; thence east on south side of Franklin street to Charles street; thence south on west side of Charles street to Pratt street; thence west on north side of Pratt street to Paca street; thence north on east side of Paca street to place of beginning.

Eleventh ward. Eleventh Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Franklin and Paca streets; thence north on the east side of Paca street to Ross street; thence northwestwardly on the northeast side of Ross street to Biddle street; thence northeast and east on the southeast and south side of Biddle street to Jones' Falls; thence south along line of Jones' Falls to Franklin street; thence west on north side of Franklin street to place of beginning.

Twelfth ward. Twelfth Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Ross and Biddle streets; thence northeast and east on the northwest and north side of Biddle street to Jones' Falls; thence northwardly along line of Jones' Falls to city limits; thence west along city limits to Ross street; thence southeast on northeast side of Ross street to place of beginning.

Thirteenth ward. Thirteenth Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Lexington and Paca streets; thence west on the north side of Lexington street to Poppleton street; thence north on east side of Poppleton street to Franklin street; thence east on south side of Franklin street to Paca street; thence south on west side of Paca street to place of beginning.

Fourteenth ward. Fourteenth Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Pratt and Paca streets; thence west on the north side of Pratt street to Poppleton street; thence north on the east side of Poppleton street to Lexington street; thence east on the south side of Lexington street to Paca street; and thence south on west side of Paca street to place of beginning.

Fifteenth ward. Fifteenth Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Howard and Pratt streets; thence south on east side

of Howard street to Henrietta street; thence east on north side of Henrietta and Warren streets to water line of Basin; thence along water line of Basin to Pratt street; thence west on south side of Pratt street to place of beginning.

Sixteenth Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Sixteenth Pratt and Howard streets; thence south on the west side of Howard street to Hamburg street; thence northwest on northwest side of Hamburg and Cross streets to Poppleton street; thence north on east side of Poppleton street to Pratt street; thence east on south side of Pratt street to place of beginning.

Seventeenth Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Seventeenth Henrietta and Hanover streets; thence east on south side of Henrietta and Warren streets to water line; thence along water line to Clement street; thence east on south side of Clement street to Hanover street; thence north on east side of Hanover street to place of beginning.

Eighteenth Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Eighteenth Baltimore and Poppleton streets; thence south on west side of Poppleton street to Cross street; thence southeast on southwest side of Cross street and Hamburg street to Howard street; thence north on east side of Howard street to Henrietta street; thence east on south side of Henrietta street to Hanover street; thence south on west side of Hanover street to Clement street; thence west on north side of Clement street to water line of Middle Branch; thence along water line of Middle Branch and Gwynn's Falls to the city limits; thence north along line of city limits to Baltimore street; thence east on south side of Baltimore street to place of beginning.

Nineteenth Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Nineteenth Baltimore and Poppleton streets; thence north on west side of Poppleton street to Franklin street; thence east on north side of Franklin street to Fremont street; thence northeast on northwest side of Fremont street and Pennsylvania avenue to city limits; thence west and south along city limits to Baltimore street; thence east on north side of Baltimore street to place of beginning.

Twentieth Ward—Beginning at the intersection of Twentieth Fremont and Franklin streets; thence northwest

on northeast side of Fremont street and Pennsylvania avenue to the city limits; thence east along the city limits to Ross street; thence southeast on southwest side of Ross street to Paca street; thence south on west side of Paca street to Franklin street; thence west on north side of Franklin street to place of beginning.

Publication. Section 2. And be it further enacted and ordained, That it shall be the duty of the Mayor to cause the said ordinance to be published in the several daily newspapers of the city, twice a week, until the second Wednesday in October next.

Approved September 18, 1860.

THO: SWANN, *Mayor*.

No. 80.

An ordinance to close Etting alley, between Mosher and McMechen streets, and to open an alley of similar width forty-one feet northeasterly therefrom.

Etting alley. Be it enacted and ordained, by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the owners of the square of ground situate between Mosher and McMechen streets, and Ross and Division streets, be and they are hereby empowered to close that part of Etting alley which runs through said square of ground, provided, that before they shall proceed to close said Etting alley, they give to the Mayor and City Council a good and sufficient deed, to be approved by the City Counsellor, of a strip of ground twenty feet wide and situate forty-one feet northeasterly from the present line of Etting alley, and extending from Mosher to McMechen street, to be used as a public highway; and that the Mayor and City Council shall be at no expense for said conveyance.

Proviso.

Approved September 18, 1860.

THO: SWANN, *Mayor*.

No. 81.

An ordinance to change the grade of Hampstead street, between Chester street and Choptank street.

Be it enacted and ordained, by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the City Commissioner ^{Hampstead street.} be and he is hereby authorized and directed to change the grade of Hampstead street, between Chester street and Choptank street, provided that the consent in writing of the owners of two-thirds of the feet of ground, binding and fronting on said part of Hampstead street, be first deposited in the office of the City Commissioner, and that the city of Baltimore shall be at no expense in the said change of grade.

Approved Sept. 18, 1860.

THO: SWANN, *Mayor*.

No. 82.

An ordinance to open and condemn Warner street, from Little Camden street (formerly Elbow lane,) to Columbia street.

Whereas, application has been made for the con- ^{Warner-st.} demnation and opening of Warner street, from Little Camden street (formerly Elbow lane,) to Columbia street, and notice having been given of said application, as required by the Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, No. 226, passed December session, 1838, entitled "An act to vest certain powers in the corporation of the city of Baltimore in relation to streets," and believing that the public convenience requires that the same should be done, therefore,

Section 1. Be it enacted and ordained, by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the Commissioners for opening streets in the city of Baltimore, ^{Commissioners to condemn.} be and they are hereby authorized and required to condemn and open Warner street, from Little Camden street, (formerly Elbow lane,) northerly to Columbia street, to commence at the easternmost line of ^{Limits.} Jones' house, and running eastwardly, bounding on Columbia street, thirty-eight feet to Numsen's house; thence running south to Little Camden street (formerly Elbow Lane,) thence bounding on Little Camden street, (formerly Elbow lane,) to Jones' line.