

Ibid. s. 26.
Mayor to report
annually to cor-
poration.

26. He shall see that the ordinances are duly and faithfully executed, and shall report annually to the corporation during the first five days of their session, the general state of the city, with an accurate account of the money received and expended.

Ibid. s. 27.
Appointment
of police.

27. The mayor and city council, shall by ordinance appoint the local constable of the second election district of Howard county, and the first election district of Baltimore county, as the police of said city, and that they shall have the further power to appoint such other independent police as they shall deem proper, not exceeding three, and all the said policemen so appointed shall have all the powers of constables within the limits of said corporation, and shall be compensated for their services as the mayor and city council may determine by ordinance.

Ibid s. 28.
Swine.

28. The mayor and common council may pass all ordinances necessary to regulate or prevent swine going at large, to tax, regulate, restrain, or prevent the going at large of dogs, and to provide for killing the same in default of payment of such tax.

Dogs.

Ibid. s. 29.
Fines and pen-
alties.

29. They may pass all ordinances necessary for the good government and police of the city, and enforce the observance of such ordinances by fines and penalties not exceeding twenty dollars.

Ibid s. 30.
Tie vote in
council.

30. In case of a tie vote in the common council upon any question whatever, the mayor shall have the right to vote, and shall decide the question in dispute.

Ibid. s. 31.
Justices to
issue process
for fines, &c.

31. Any justice of the peace resident within the corporate limits of said city, upon complaint made before him of the violation of any ordinance of said corporation, shall issue process in the name of the mayor and common council, to recover the fine or penalty imposed for the violation of such ordinances, against the party so offending, and may hear and determine the matter as in any case arising under the laws of the state, and shall receive the same fees therefor.