

within which it shall be lawful to erect steps, porticoes, bay windows or other structural ornaments to houses fronting on any of the streets, lanes or alleys of said City.

*Carriages.*—To license and regulate all carriages and other vehicles owned or used for the purpose of business or pleasure, and also all hackney coaches, carriages, carts, drays, omnibuses, wagons and other vehicles, kept for hire or hired in said City; and also to license and regulate the employment of all hackmen, draymen, wagoners, carters, porters and watermen, plying for hire within the limits, and to pass all necessary and proper regulations respecting the same; provided, however, that all revenue arising from said licenses shall be applied to the paving or repaving of the public highways of the City. Every carriage, coach, or other vehicle moved by horses or other animal power, which shall be used for the conveyance of persons within the City of Baltimore for hire or compensation, shall be deemed a hackney carriage. To regulate the breadth of the wheels of wagons, carts and drays to be used for hauling burdens on the streets of said City, but such regulations shall not affect persons hauling produce to said City.

*Chimneys.*—To license and regulate the sweeping of chimneys and fix the rates thereof, and to regulate the sweeping of any chimney by the neglect of which the City may be endangered, and to ascertain and regulate the width of those to be built in the City.

*Condemnation of Property.*—To acquire, by purchase or condemnation, any land or property, or any interest therein, which it may require for school-houses, engine-houses, courthouses, markets, streets, bridges and their approaches, the establishment or enlargement of parks, squares, gardens or other public places, or for any other public or municipal purpose, and may provide such methods of condemnation of any land or property, or interest therein, situated wholly or partly within the City of Baltimore, as it may deem proper; under such procedure as it may adopt, it shall provide for reasonable notice to the owner or owners, and for appeals to the Baltimore City Court, by any person interested, including the Mayor and City Council of