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same to be graded, and should require damages therefor, and if such property holder cannot agree with said commissioners as to the amount of damages which he, she or they ought to have, or there should be any legal disability on the part of these owning property on such street, lane or alley, then the corporation shall proceed to ascertain the damages in the same manner as is provided for the purchasing of property in the tenth section of an act of assembly relating to the city of Baltimore, passed at December session eighteen hundred and seventeen, chapter one hundred and forty-eight, for opening and widening Jones' Falls.

3. AND BE IT ENACTED, That when the damages so assessed or agreed upon, shall be paid by the corporation of Baltimore to the persons so assessed and legally entitled to receive the same, then the said corporation may proceed to re-grade and pave the said street, lane or alley. To pave.

4. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the various acts of assembly directing the manner of collecting the county assessments in the counties of this state, shall be extended to the city of Baltimore; and the mayor and city council, through their collector duly appointed, shall have the same power and authority for collecting the several taxes which they may from time to time levy on the real and personal property within said city, as is now exercised within the several counties of this state. Acts relating to county assessments applicable.

5. AND BE IT ENACTED, That there shall be annually appointed hereafter, seven trustees of the poor for Baltimore city and county, three of whom shall be appointed by the governor and council, and four by the mayor and city council, in the same manner as other officers of the corporation are appointed, who shall constitute a board of seven, a majority of whom shall be competent to do business; and the said board, when organized according to the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided, shall exercise all the rights and perform all the duties heretofore enjoined on the trustees of Baltimore county. Trustees of the poor.

6. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the mayor and city council of said city, shall have, and they are hereby given full and complete authority to provide for the registering of all the qualified voters in said city as often as they may think necessary; and that after such registry is made, no person whose name is not on such registry shall be entitled to vote at the election of the mayor of said city, or of either branch of the city council; *Provided always*, That the said registry shall not be conclusive proof to the judges of the elections aforesaid, that the persons whose names are thereon are entitled to vote at the elections aforesaid. Qualified voters may be registered.
 Proviso.

7. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the mayor and city council of the city aforesaid, shall have and they are hereby given authority to pass such ordinance or ordinances as may be necessary to effect the objects of the preceding sections. May pass ordinances.

8. AND BE IT ENACTED, That all laws inconsistent with, or repugnant to the provisions of this law, be and the same are hereby repealed. Repeal.