convenient times, to give information of the state of the health of the city to the city physician and assist and aid him with his counsel and advice, in all matters that relate to the preservation of the health of the inhabitants and the prevention of contagious diseases.

Sec. 15. Be it enacted and ordained, that no person shall communicate the infection of small pox by inocculation within the city of Baltimore, under a penalty of twenty dollars for each and every such offence.

Sec. 16. Be it enacted and ordained, That the board of health, with the approbation of the Mayor, may cause all districts where malignant or yellow fever may have become fixed and confirmed beyond their control, to be fenced in and guarded by sentinels.

Sec. 17. Be it enacted and ordained, That the Mayor may, upon the city physician reporting that he has good reason to believe that a contagious or malignant disease prevails in the city, immediately convene the City Council, in order to communicate to them all the information he may have received respecting the same, that they may take such measures as may seem proper for the occasion.

Sec. 18. Be it enacted and ordained, That it shall be the duty of the commissioner of health to inspect, at least once in every two weeks between the first day of March and the first day of November in every year, and at such other periods as the Mayor may direct, all the streets, lanes, alleys, wharves, warehouses, cellars, yards, lumber yards, lots and docks of the city, and all other places he may deem necessary, and make a written report to the board of health of the general state of the city, and to enforce all laws and ordinances having any relation to health, and to remove or cause to be removed all nuisances.

Sec. 19. Be it enacted and ordained, That it shall be the duty of the aforesaid commissioner carefully to inspect all lots, grounds suspected cellars or possessions, and all streets, lanes or alleys within the city, and whenever he shall be of opinion that any cellar, lots, ground