Deputy Collectors.

SEC. 13. *And be it enacted and ordained*, That any Collector who may be hereafter appointed by virtue of this Ordinance, shall have full power and authority to appoint and remove at his will and pleasure, as many assistants, not exceeding seven or less than six in number, and for whose acts the said Collector shall be responsible, and he is authorised to require from his assistants bond with condition for the faithful performance of the duties, with such penalty as he may deem proper, and the said Collector is hereby authorised and required to designate and appoint one of said Clerks as assistant Collector, who shall have power to act in all cases of the suspension, sickness or necessary absence of the Collector from the duties of his office.

Distress for taxes.

SEC. 14. *And be it enacted and ordained*, That in case any distress shall be hereafter ordered by virtue of this Ordinance, the same shall be made in the name of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, and ordered by the Collector and directed to such person as he may think proper, who shall have such fees as are now authorised by law in such cases; but no distress shall be ordered or levied until the account upon which the same shall be predicated, shall have been delivered at least thirty days.

Collector's Salary.

SEC. 15. *And be it enacted and ordained*, That any Collector or Collectors hereafter to be appointed by virtue of this Ordinance, shall have and receive and be paid by the Register, every three months, a salary at the rate of two thousand dollars per annum, and so pro rata for a less term for his services, in lieu of all fees, commissions and charges whatsoever.

Deputies Salary.

SEC. 16. *And be it enacted and ordained*, That each assistant who may be employed by the Collector, shall have and receive, and be paid by the Register, every three months, a salary at the rate of six hundred and fifty dollars per annum, except the one designated as assistant Collector, who shall have seven hundred and fifty dollars, and so pro rata for a less term, in lieu of all fees, commissions and charges whatsoever for his or their services.

Paving tax.

SEC. 17. *And be it enacted and ordained*, That it shall be the duty of the City Commissioners when assessing the owners of property binding on any street, lane or alley about to be paved, for the cost of such paving, to add to the said assessment three per cent. for collecting the same, which shall be collected by the Collector of the City, and by him paid to the Register of the City as other taxes; and the same rate per cent. shall be added by the Commissioners on the amount of assessment made by them on all new wells and pumps erected, and the same shall be collected and paid to the Register in like manner.

Collector to give notice to tax payers &c.

SEC. 18. *And be it enacted and ordained*, That it shall be the duty of the Collector, as soon as he has prepared his tax bills, to give notice in all such newspapers as are annually

employed by this Corporation, that he is prepared to receive payment at his office, stating the inducements for prompt payment, and the penalty that may be incurred for neglecting to pay, and also to have the same printed on the tax bills.

SEC. 19. *And be it enacted and ordained*, That it shall be the duty of the Collector to proceed to collect all paving and pump taxes, that may be put into his hands to collect, with as little delay as possible, and the same is hereby declared to be due and payable within sixty days from the date of the warrant of assessment: and if the same is not paid within the time aforementioned, the Collector is hereby authorised and required to proceed to collect the same by distress or otherwise, by giving not less than thirty days notice, and in case the Collector shall neglect to enforce the payment of the taxes as thus provided, he shall become personally liable for the same.

SEC. 20. *And be it enacted and ordained*, That anything contained in any of the Ordinances heretofore passed, which may come in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Approved, March 3, 1841. SAMUEL BRADY, *Mayor.*

No. 8.

AN ORDINANCE for opening part of Vine street, between Cove and Poppleton streets.

Part of Vine street opened.

WHEREAS, application has been made to the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, for the opening of part of Vine street, between Cove and Poppleton streets, as laid out and reserved in the division of the real estate of the late William Clemm, deceased, said ground being in fact uninclosed and unimproved at the time of said application, and one week's notice of said application having been given by advertisement in the newspapers of the City of Baltimore.

Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the division of the real estate of the late William Clemm, deceased, situated and lying in the City of Baltimore, made agreeably to law among his heirs under commission returned to Baltimore County Court, on the 12th of October, 1815, and recorded in liber W. G. No. 134, folio 325, whereby Vine street was laid off and reserved as a public highway, be and the same is hereby adopted and sanctioned; and that said Vine street, so far as reserved and recognised in said division, be and the same is hereby opened as a public highway, subject to the laws, regulations and Ordinances applicable to public streets, lanes and alleys, or part or parts thereof in the City of Baltimore; and it shall be the duty of the City Commissioners to have said street laid down on the plat of the City.

Approved, March 4, 1841. SAMUEL BRADY, *Mayor.*