No. 28.

AN ORDINANCE to authorise the Mayor to accept a deed for the bed of Poppleton street, from Ramsay to Columbia streets.

Mayor to accept deed for bed of Poppleton street.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore*, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorised to receive and accept a deed of surrender from the owners and proprietors of the property, to form the bed of Poppleton street, to be a continuation of Poppleton street, from Ramsay to Columbia-st.—provided, that all the parties interested in the bed of said street unite in the surrender of the same to the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore; and provided also, that the said street shall be continued on a straight line, as laid down on Poppleton's plat, and of the same width as Poppleton street, as laid down in said plat.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted and ordained*, That immediately from and after the execution of said deed, the said street shall henceforth and forever be deemed and taken as a public highway, and shall be subject to all the laws and ordinances relating to streets, lanes and alleys in the city of Baltimore.

Approved April 10, 1844. JAS. O. LAW, *Mayor.*

No. 29.

AN ORDINANCE to authorise John B. Seidenstricker to close certain pump, paving and re-paving Taxes.

J. B. Seidenstricker to collect arrears of pump & paving tax.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore*, That John B. Seidenstricker, collector of the taxes for the years 1841, 1842 and 1843, be and he is hereby authorised and empowered to collect the arrears of pump, paving and re-paving taxes, and for that purpese he shall have all the power vested in the collector of taxes of the city of Baltimore—provided that all commissions arising from the said taxes as provided for in the ordinances of the city, shall be paid into the city treasury.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted and ordained*, That all ordinances conflicting with this, so far forth as they do so conflict with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Approved April 10, 1844. JAS. O. LAW, *Mayor.*

No. 30.

AN ORDINANCE in relation to a passage over Lerew's alley between Centre and Monument streets.

Academy of the Visitation permitted to build over Lerews alley.

Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That permission be and is hereby given to the Baltimore Academy of the Visitation, to make, build or erect, over and across any of that portion of Lerew's alley between Centre and Monument streets, which is embraced by or passes between the lots on Centre street, belonging to said academy, any arch, bridge, porch or other convenient passage, not to exceed fifteen feet in width, which may be necessary or useful for free passage from the one lot or enclosure of said academy to the other—provided always, that said arch, bridge, porch, or other passage be so put up or erected as in no wise to obstruct, impede, or in any way injuriously affect the convenient use of said alley as a public throughfare.

Approved April 10, 1844. JAS. O. LAW, *Mayor.*

No. 31.

AN ORDINANCE limiting the time for opening Marshall and Clement streets.

Limiting the time for opening Marshall and Clement streets.

WHEREAS, the owners of property in the city of Baltimore through which Marshall street, between Ostend and Fort street and also the owners of the property through which Clement street, between Charles and William street, as located by the commissioners under the act of 1817, have given the notice required by an act of the general assembly of Maryland, passed 23d March, 1839, of their intention to apply to the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to close up said streets within the limits before mentioned—therefore,

Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That if application shall not be made to the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, agreeably to the provisions of the act of assembly, passed at December session, 1834, chapter 217, before the first day of March, 1845, for the opening of Marshall street, between Ostend and Fort streets and also for the opening of Clement street, between Charles and William street, as laid down on Poppleton's plat, then the said streets, within the limits mentioned, shall be shut up and closed, and the owner or owners of the ground through which the streets pass shall have the right to erect buildings or make any other improvements which they had a right to do previous to the act of assembly, December session, 1816, ch. 218, and December session, 1817, ch. 148.

Approved April 10, 1844. JAS. O. LAW, *Mayor.*