and shall also pay the expenses of the city poor, and the several respective officers and persons who may be entitled to receive the same.

Approved June 11, 1847.

JACOB G. DAVIES, Mayor.

No. 57.

A Supplement to an Ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance relating to the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road Company, approved April 4th, 1831."

B. & O. R. Road Co., released from obligation to lay stone tracks.

Timber may be used.

Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the Baltimore and Ohio rail road company be, and it is hereby released from the obligation in the first section of the ordinance of April 4th, 1831, to continue the use of stone in the repairs or re-construction of the company's tracks, within the city,—and permission is hereby given to use timber in the repairs or re-construction of said tracks,—provided that the said tracks be graded according to resolution No. 122, approved April 22d, 1846, entitled a "Resolution relative to the rail road tracks within the city."

Approved June 11, 1847.

JACOB G. DAVIES, Mayor.

No 58.

An Ordinance in favor of Emily Tarring.

Favor of Emily Tarring.

Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That Emily Tarring be, and she hereby is authorised to complete a building commenced by her on south Eutaw street, near Lee street,—composed partly of brick, and partly of wood; anything in any ordinance to the contrary, notwithstanding,—said building to be subject to removal at any time, by the Mayor and City Council.

Approved June 14, 1847.

JACOB G. DAVIES, Mayor.

No. 59.

A Supplement to an Ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance to prevent the introduction of contagious or infectious diseases within the city of Baltimore."

Preamble.

Whereas, The preservation of the public health is a matter of the highest interest and importance, and may be sustained while at the same time we are doing our duty to those afflicted with disease,—therefore,

Passengers with infectious or contagious diseases not to be carried from shipboard, through the streets.

Penalty of 20 dollars.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore*, That from and after the passage of this ordinance, it shall be unlawful to carry from shipboard, through any street, lane or alley within the limits of the city, any person or persons afflicted with a contagious or infectious disease,—and any person or persons violating this provision, shall, for each case thereunder, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars,—to be recovered as other fines under the ordinances of the corporation are recoverable.

Duty of board of health, relative to Small Pox hospital and quarantine.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted and ordained*, That it shall be the duty of the board of health, under the direction of the Mayor of the city of Baltimore, to have prepared at once, sufficient houses on the ground belonging to the city, on the south side of the Patapsco river, for the reception of all persons laboring under such diseases, aforesaid, as shall arrive from abroad,—all of whom shall remain at quarantine, until taken into said houses,—and it shall be the duty of the board of health to see that said persons have all the necessary attentions.

To be removed from the infirmary.

SEC. 3. *Be it further enacted and ordained*, That as soon as the said houses shall be prepared for the reception of patients, all persons laboring under such diseases, who may have been before the passage of this ordinance, taken from shipboard and carried to the infirmary or other public institutions within the city, shall be removed therefrom, and taken to the said houses, where they shall have all the attention necessary for their several cases.

5,000 dollars appropriated.

SEC. 4. *Be it further enacted and ordained*, That the sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, which shall be expended under the direction of the Mayor, for the purpose of carrying into effect the several provisions of this ordinance.

Approved June 14, 1847.

JACOB G. DAVIES, Mayor.