the same to be taken out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, provided a receipt in full be given to the city therefor.

Approved July 7, 1875.

JOSHUA VANSANT, Mayor.

No. 395.

Resolution to purchase an Automatic Pressure Gas Register.

Resolved, That the sum of $150, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby, appropriated to enable the Inspector and Sealer of Gas Meters to purchase an Automatic Pressure Gas Register for his office; said amount to be taken out of the levy of 1875.

Approved July 7, 1875.

JOSHUA VANSANT, Mayor.

No. 396.

Resolution directing the City Commissioner to carry into immediate effect the provisions of Ordinance No. 31, approved February 27, 1875.

Whereas, by Ordinance No. 31, approved by the Mayor February 27, 1875, the City Commissioner was authorized and directed to have graded, paved and kerbed south Charles street, from a point 100 feet south of West street to the shores of the Patapsco; and whereas, the City Commissioner has suspended said work, acting under the advice of the City Solicitor, because of a legal question having arisen as to the right of the City to compel parties owning property on the line of a street to pay their proportion of the expenses attendant thereon; therefore be it

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That commending the prudence of the City Commissioner in the

premises, public necessity and the demands of the taxpayers of the vicinity require that south Charles street, to the shores of the Patapsco river, should be placed in a proper condition for business travel and for purposes of drainage, and that a further procrastination of the work of said improvement will materially injure the business and prospects of that section of the city, as well as interfere with public convenience.

Resolved, That the City Commissioner be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to proceed at once, notwithstanding the arising of the legal question above referred to, to prosecute to completion the grading, paving and kerbing of south Charles street, as required by Ordinance No. 31, of 1875, as though no such question had been raised.

Approved July 14, 1875.

JOSHUA VANSANT, Mayor.

No. 397.

Resolution to lay a drain pipe from Broadway to Hampstead street.

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the Church Home and Infirmary be allowed to lay a drain pipe from their premises on Broadway to Hampstead street; the expense to be borne by them, and to be done under the supervision of the City Commissioner.

Approved July 14, 1875.

JOSHUA VANSANT, Mayor.

No. 398.

Resolution to provide benches for Eastern City Spring.

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the sum of five hundred ($500) dollars be, and the same is