take from each successful bidder a good and sufficient bond in the name of the Mayor and City Council, in double the amount of his bid, conditioned for the faithful performance of his contract.

How work is to be done.

Sec. 4. All work shall be done under the general supervision of said Commission, and of the architect to be selected by said Commission, and of such superintendent, if any, as the said Commission may employ.

$150,000 appropriated.

Sec. 5. The entire cost of said improvement shall in no event exceed the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($150,000), which sum or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the moneys set apart for that purpose in the ordinance authorizing the issuing of five millions of dollars of bonds for permanent public improvements, approved September 26th, 1888, and the Commissioners of Finance are hereby directed to sell from time to time so many of said bonds as may be required to supply the appropriation hereby made, and pay the proceeds thereof to the City Register, to be applied on the warrant of the Comptroller to the purposes above named and no other, and before drawing any warrant for the payment of any money hereunder, the Comptroller shall receive a certificate signed by said Commission, or a majority of them, that said money is legally and justly due and payable to the person therein named.

To provide for retention of 20 per cent. on contract.

Sec. 6. The said Commission in making the several contracts, shall provide for the retention of twenty per centum on each payment to be made thereunder, until the entire contract shall have been fully completed and the work approved of and accepted by said Commission; no interest to be paid by the City on said twenty per centum so retained.

How vacancies are to be filled.

Sec. 7. Any vacancy in said Commission occurring from any cause, shall be immediately filled by appointment by the Mayor, and should any of the Commissioners, or any architect or superintendent aypointed by them, receive or agree to receive any fee, commission or emolument, either directly or indirectly, present or prospective, from any of said contractors or their agents, he or they shall be immediately removed, the Commissioner so offending by the Mayor, and the architect or builder by the Commission.

Approved May 12th, 1890.

ROBERT C. DAVIDSON, Mayor.

No. 66.

An Ordinance to increase the salary of the Deputy Collector of Taxes.

Salary

Section 1. Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the salary of the Deputy Collector of