the bonds authorized to be issued by Ordinance No. 98, approved September 26th, 1888, providing for the issue of five million dollars of bonds for permanent public improvements.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted and ordained, That the City Commissioner shall be required to contract for the material only, and that the work shall be done under the direction of the said City Commissioner.

Approved April 29th, 1892.

FERDINAND C. LATROBE, Mayor.

No. 65.

An Ordinance appropriating a sum of money to the Maryland Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, to aid in the erection of a monument to the memory of the Maryland Patriots of the Revolutionary War.

Preamble.

Whereas, Other States of the thirteen original colonies have, through subscriptions made by the National Government, States, cities, towns and individuals, erected memorials to the memory of the Patriots of the American Revolution; and

Preamble.

Whereas, The State of Maryland, the leading colony in opposition to the mother country, and whose troops, over 20,000 in number, were noted for their gallantry in

all the battlefields of the Revolution, and the large majority, to whom rest in unknown and unmarked graves, has taken no action to commemorate by the erection of a monument or statute, the wisdom of her patriots in council, and the great deeds performed in battle by these heroes, and as such action ought not to be longer delayed; and

Preamble.

Whereas, The Maryland Society of the Sons of the American Revolution has undertaken the erection of such a monument in the City of Baltimore, which is to be the property of the City when fully completed, and the Mayor and City Council, deeming it right and proper that the City shall aid therein; therefore

Consent to the erection of a monument.

Section 1. Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That consent is hereby given to the erection of a monument in memory of the Maryland Patriots of the American Revolution, to be constructed in "Frick's Triangle," in the City of Baltimore, under the direction of the Maryland Society of the Sons of the American Revolution; provided, however, that the plans therefor shall be approved by the Park Commission before the same shall be erected, and the sum of five thousand dollars be, and is hereby, appropriated towards the erection of the said monument, to be paid to the proper officers of the said Society by the Register upon the warrant of the Comptroller, the said amount to be provided as follows: twenty-five hundred dollars in the levy for 1893 and balance in the levy for 1894.

$2,500 appropriated.