and re-establish the grade of Harrison street, between Fayette street and Gay street, and to regrade the same, to meet the western approach of the East Lexington Street bridge across Jones' falls.

To repave with cobblestones.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted and ordained, That the City Commissioner be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to repave with cobblestones, and to kerb and rekerb the said Harrison street with four and one-half (4½) inch kerb where necessary, to meet the western approach of the East Lexington Street bridge across Jones' falls.

How work is to be paid for.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted and ordained, That the sum needed to defray the cost thereof be taken from the amount set apart in the Five Million Loan, for the repaving of East Lexington street, under Ordinance No. 76, approved May 4th, 1892.

Approved April 1st, 1893.

FERDINAND C. LATROBE, Mayor.

No. 71.

An Ordinance to repeal and re-enact with amendments Ordinance No. 7, approved February 8th, 1881, entitled "An ordinance to carry into effect certain powers vested in the Mayor and City Council by an Act of the General Assembly, passed at the January Session, 1880, entitled 'An Act to encourage the development of manufactures and manufacturing industry in the City of Baltimore, &c.'"

Whereas, By Ordinance No. 7, approved February 8th, 1881, and entitled "An ordinance to carry into effect certain powers vested in the Mayor and City Council by an Act of the General Assembly, passed at the January Session, 1880, entitled 'An Act to encourage the development of manufactures and manufacturing industry in the City of Baltimore, &c.,'" the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, in the exercise of the power conferred upon them by the Act of Assembly of Maryland, Chapter 187, of the Acts of 1880, exempted from municipal taxation manufacturers' plant and machinery, for the purpose of encouraging manufactures in the City of Baltimore; and

Preamble.

Whereas, The exemptions granted by said ordinance have been greatly abused, and many classes of property which it was never intended to exempt from taxation have, by the construction placed upon the said ordinance, secured exemptions, such as newspapers, gas and electric light companies; and

Preamble.

Whereas, It is now desired to restrict and limit the exemption to the classes of manufacturers intended to be encouraged by the original ordinance and by the Act of Assembly, and to exempt them from municipal taxation only on such terms as are just to the general taxpayers; therefore,

Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That Ordinance No. 7, approved February 8th, 1881, be, and the same is hereby, repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows: The Judges of the Appeal Tax Court of Balti-