the first Monday of April immediately following their respective appointments.

Relating to vacancies.

Section 47. Whenever the City Council is not in session, any new appointment by the Mayor, or any vacancy which may occur by death, resignation or otherwise, shall hold office only until the next succeeding session of the City Council, when said City Council shall proceed to fill the same for the unexpired term in the manner provided by Section 45 of this article.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this ordinance shall take effect from the date of its passage.

IN FIRST BRANCH, March 9, 1896.

Reconsidered—This engrossed bill, being put upon its passage, was passed notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor, by the following vote: Yeas, 15; nays, 4—19.

By order:

WM. C. HARDEN, *Clerk.*

IN SECOND BRANCH, March 9, 1896.

Reconsidered—This engrossed bill, being put upon its passage, was passed notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor by the following vote: Yeas, 7; nays, 2—9.

By order:

ROBT. M. WELCH, *Clerk.*

No. 14.

An Ordinance to repeal Sections 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 22, 24, 25, 26, 28, 29, 31, 32 and 33A of Article 46, Baltimore City Code of 1893, title "Squares, Springs and Monuments," sub-title "Commissioners and Keepers of Squares and Springs"—Ashland Square, Baker Circle and Fulton Avenue Squares, Broadway Squares, Eastern City Spring, Eutaw Squares, Harlem Park, Jackson Square, Squares around Washington Monument, Park Place, Perkins Spring Square, Public Walk on Oliver Street, Taney Place, Collington Square and Mount Royal Avenue Square—and also Section 20 of Article 37, as the same was enacted by an ordinance of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, approved April 20, 1893, and to re-enact certain of the same with amendments.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That Sections 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 22, 24, 25, 26, 28, 29, 31, 32 and 33A of Article 46, Baltimore City Code of 1893, title "Squares, Springs and Monuments," and also Section 20 of Article 37, as the same was enacted by an ordinance of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, approved April 20, 1893, be and certain of the same are hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments so as to read as follows:

Power to appoint Commissioners.

3. A joint convention of both Branches of the City Council shall have power to appoint at their discretion, and remove at their pleasure, three commissioners for each public square of the city, unless otherwise hereinafter specially provided, to be selected from among the residents in the vicinity of the respective squares, and to serve without compensation. The said commissioners shall have general supervision of the squares for which they are