said Fire Commissioners, in the same manner as other employees are appointed, six practical telegraphers, whose duty shall be to operate the machinery of the police and fire alarm telegraph under the direction of the superintendent; each of whom shall receive a salary of $1,000 per annum.

Telegraphers and their duties.

Salary.

Sec. 39. There shall be appointed by the Board of Fire Commissioners, as other employes are now appointed, one competent person to be called the Chief Lineman, whose duties shall be defined by said Board of Commissioners, with a salary of $1,200 per annum; four competent persons to be called assistant linemen, and one competent person to be called a battery man; each of whom shall receive a salary of $1,000 per annum, payable monthly.

Linemen.

Ass't Linemen Salaries.

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

Approved December 29, 1899.

THOMAS G. HAYES, *Mayor*.

No. 29½.

An ordinance entitled "The Ordinance of Estimates for the Year 1900."

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the following amounts be and they are hereby appropriated for the operation of the several departments of the city government for the year 1900.

List No. 1—"Departmental Estimates."

Inspector of Buildings.

Salaries		$ 11,200 00
Repairs of school houses	Cons'dated.	120,000 00
Repairs to city property	Cons'dated.	
Sanitary and other improvements	Cons'dated.	
Emptying cesspools		600 00
Incidentals		500 00
Livery and transportation		500 00
Building Grammar School No 7		2,425 25
Baltimore City College		2,400 00

Street Cleaning Department.

Salaries	$ 15,999 00
Garbage carts and men	163,800 00
Sweepers and scrapers	83,200 00
Street carts and men	84,240 00
Contingent fund	500 00
Printing reports	100 00
Sweeping machines, sprinklers, etc	23,500 00
Removal of garbage	4,900 00
Tools, repairs, etc	2,500 00
Two new sprinklers	700 00

General Superintendent of Lamps.

Salaries (office)	$ 3,000 00
Salaries (lamplighters)	67,834 00
Gas	146,295 53
Electric lights	180,760 75
Gasoline	18,405 00
Incidentals	500 00