Mode of proceedings.

SEC. 2. *And be it further ordained,* That the proceedings of said Commissioners for Opening Streets, with reference to the condemnation and opening of said Little Greene street, and the proceedings and rights of all parties interested or affected thereby, shall be regulated by and be in accordance with all such provisions of Article 4 of the Public Local Laws of Maryland, as enacted by Chapter 123 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of the year 1898 (commonly known as the New Charter of Baltimore City) as may be applicable thereto, as well as all amendments thereof, and also any other Acts of the said General Assembly of Maryland which may be applicable thereto; and also in accordance with any and all ordinances of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore now in force and applicable thereto.

Approved November 22, 1911.

JAMES H. PRESTON, *Mayor.*

No. 28.

An ordinance providing for the creation of certain zones or areas to be known as "Hospital Zones," within which any one causing or producing unnecessary noises shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and subject to a penalty.

Hospital zones.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore,* That the Health Commissioner be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed, for the protection of the sick, to declare certain areas surrounding legalized hospitals, lying-in asylums, sanatoriums and other institutions reserved for the sick, to be "Hospital

Zones," and he shall make a platted record of each of such zones to be kept on file in the office of said commissioner, subject to public inspection. In describing and declaring said zones, the commissioner shall specifically state every street or the exact part of every street included in each and every distinctive "Hospital Zone."

Described by Health Commissioner.

SEC. 2. *And be it further ordained,* That whenever the Health Commissioner describes any designated area as a "Hospital Zone," he shall forthwith forward to the Superintendent of Lamps and Lighting an exact copy of the plat of said zone, setting forth the portions of any and every public highway included in said zone.

Signs.

SEC. 3. *And be it further ordained,* That the Superintendent of Lamps and Lighting is authorized and directed, whenever notified of the creation and designation of any such "Hospital Zone," to conspicuously place, at the outer limits of said zone, a sign of ample dimensions to be easily read and containing the words: "Hospital Zone—Unnecessary Noises Prohibited."

Prohibitions.

SEC. 4. *And be it further ordained,* That within said zone is shall be unlawful for any pedestrian, resident, vendor, driver, chauffeur, motorman or any other person, by himself or by the operation of the instrument, agency or vehicle, which he may have in hand or which he may be drawing or controlling, to make any unnecessary or unseemly noises, to the disturbance of any patient or person within said zone, which noises could, by the exercise of reasonable care and forethought, be avoided.