dained, That this ordinance shall take effect from and after the date of its passage.

Approved May 25, 1896.

ALCAEUS HOOPER, *Mayor.*

No. 98.

An Ordinance to provide for the purchase of a lot of ground and the building thereon known as No. 132 W. Hill street, near Sharp street, for the use of Colored School No. 3.

Authority to purchase lot.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the Mayor, the Comptroller, and the President of the Board of Commissioners of Public Schools be and they are hereby authorized to purchase the lot binding upon the west side of the lot now occupied by Colored School No. 3, on Hill street, near Sharp street, the price to be paid for the same to be not more than two thousand dollars ($2,000) in fee, and the purchase of said lot with the improvement thereon is hereby authorized; provided, such purchase be deemed advisable by the Mayor, the Comptroller, and the President of the Board of Commissioner of Public Schools.

$2,000 appropriated.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted and ordained, That the sum of two thousand dollars $(2,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated to pay for the purchase of said lot as provided for in Section 1 of this

ordinance, and the same is to be paid out of any money in the city treasury.

Approved May 25, 1896.

ALCAEUS HOOPER, *Mayor.*

No. 99.

An Ordinance to provide for the construction of a sewer in the bed of Beason street, with the necessary manholes and inlets, from Towson street to a point near David street, about two hundred and thirty feet southeast of Stuart street, there to connect with the wooden box drain running under the Baltimore & Ohio tracks, and discharging into the Northwest Branch of the Patapsco River, and to reconstruct the wooden box drain.

To construct a sewer.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the City Commissioner be and he is hereby authorized and directed to have constructed, according to plans on file in his office, a sewer in the bed of Beason street from Towson street to a point near David street, about two hundred and thirty feet southeast of Stuart street, there to connect with the wooden box drain running under the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad tracks and discharging into the Northwest Branch of the Patapsco River, and to reconstruct the said wooden box drain.

$5,000 appropriated.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted and ordained, That the unexpended balance left from the construction of the Fort-avenue sewer, Ordinance No. 72, approved April 6, 1893, and five thousand dollars ($5,000) from the unexpended balance of the Patapsco-street sewer extension, Ordinance No. 120, approved June 28, 1894, be