Telegraph System to agree to vacate and remove its wires from any portion of said conduits which may at any time hereafter be needed by the city to accommodate any extension of its said Police and Fire-Alarm System within one month from the time of receiving notice so to do.

Right of all desiring to rent space in conduits.

SEC. 10. And be it further enacted and ordained, That all corporations or persons desiring to rent space in the conduits of the Police and Fire-Alarm Telegraph System shall have the right to rent any available space at the time of their application upon the same terms and conditions imposed upon corporations or persons renting other unoccupied space in the conduits of the said system; provided, however, that the Mayor shall not be required to grant the application of any person or corporation for the use of space in said conduits unless such person or corporation has a bona fide intention and a reasonable expectation of actually using the same and does not intend to secure control of said space for the mere purpose of excluding others therefrom.

Proviso.

When pay for rental of space is to commence.

SEC. 11. And be it further enacted and ordained, That any corporation or person whose application for space in the conduits of the Police and Fire-Alarm Telegraph System is granted, in accordance with the terms and conditions of this ordinance, shall pay for said space from the day and date on which he or it shall receive notice of the acceptance of said application.

SEC. 12. And be it further enacted and ordained, That unless the corporation or

person applying for space in the conduits of the Police and Fire-Alarm Telegraph System shall place his or its cable in the ducts which he or it proposes to occupy within three months from the date the application is granted, then said corporation or person so applying for space in the said conduits shall forfeit all rights and privileges to the use of said space.

Relating to forfeiture of rights and privileges to use of space.

SEC. 13. And be it further enacted and ordained, That all ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same are hereby repealed in so far as the same are inconsistent herewith.

SEC. 14. And be it further enacted and ordained, That this ordinance shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved July 1, 1896.

ALCAEUS HOOPER, *Mayor.*

No. 111.

An Ordinance to open the bed of Somerset street.

Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore City, That permission be granted to the Redemptorist Fathers of St. James' Church that the same be granted permission to open the bed of Somerset street from a point commencing two hundred feet south of Eager street, and running north on Somerset street a distance of three hundred and eight feet, for the purpose of draining the cellar and property