Colored High School to be separate and distinct.

SECTION. 1. Be it enacted and ordained, That the Colored High School of this city is hereby recognized and constituted as an institution separate and distinct from Grammar School No. 1, and that the Principal and his high school assistants are now formally constituted as its faculty.

Duty of Board of School Commissioners.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted and ordained, That the Board of School Commissioners in executing the details of this ordinance will see to it that the Colored High School is treated in every respect, without discrimination, as are the other high schools, and that it receives the same generous consideration that has made the other high schools so successful in their work.

SEC. 3. And be it further enacted and ordained, That this ordinance shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved July 3, 1896.

ALCAEUS HOOPER, *Mayor*.

No. 114.

An Ordinance to appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty-two thousand four hundred and forty-eight dollars and eighty-one cents ($152,448.81) to pay the city's portion of benefits assessed for condemning and widening Gay street between Exeter street and Jones' Falls.

$152,448.81 appropriated.

Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the sum of one hundred and fifty-two thousand four hundred and forty-eight dollars and eighty-one cents ($152,448.81) be and the same is hereby appropriated towards paying the city's portion of benefits assessed for condemning and widening Gay street between Exeter street and Jones' Falls; said amount to be taken out of the three hundred thousand dollars of bonds set apart for the paying of benefits assessed to the city for opening and widening such streets as the Mayor and City Council shall specially provide for, by ordinance in the ordinance authorizing the issue of six million dollars of bonds for payment of public improvements approved October 7, 1892; and the Commissioners of Finance are hereby authorized to sell from time to time bonds for this purpose and pay the proceeds to the City Register, to be applied on the warrant of the City Comptroller to the above-named purpose and to no other purpose whatever.

Approved July 6, 1896.

ALCAEUS HOOPER, *Mayor*.

No. 115.

An Ordinance to authorize the Central Railway Company to lay its tracks on East Lexington street and other streets in the City of Baltimore.

Authority to lay tracks.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the Central Railway Company be and it is hereby authorized to lay its double tracks from the corner of Caroline and Lexington streets, and running thence westwardly on Lexington street to Gay street, and also from the terminus of its present line at Broadway and Shakespeare street, along Broadway to Aliceanna street