annum; provided, the said contractor shall have kept the work done by him in proper condition and repair during said five (5) years.

IN FIRST BRANCH, July 20, 1896.

This engrossed bill, being put upon its passage, was passed notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor by the following vote: Yeas, 18; nays, 3—21.

By order:

WM. C. HARDEN, *Clerk.*

IN SECOND BRANCH, July 20, 1896.

This engrossed bill, being put upon its passage, was passed notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor by the following vote: Yeas, 9; nays, 1—10.

By order:

ROBT. M. WELCH, *Clerk.*

No. 131.

An Ordinance entitled "An ordinance to close all that part of Fourth street (or Fourth lane) south of Fort avenue not heretofore closed in the opening of Covington street and of Randall street.

Preamble.

Whereas, Application has heretofore been made to the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to close all that part of Fourth street (or Fourth lane) south of Fort avenue not heretofore closed in the opening of Covington street and of Randall street, the precise length and width of said street to be closed are given, according to law, in the notice heretofore published in two daily newspapers published in the City of Baltimore for more than six weeks prior to the passage of this ordinance, and which

are also shown in a plat filed in the office of the City Commissioner, according to law; now, therefore,

SECTION 1. Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the Commissioners for Opening Streets in the City of Baltimore be and they are hereby authorized and directed to close all that part of Fourth street (or Fourth lane) south of Fort avenue not heretofore closed in the opening of Covington street and of Randall street in accordance with the plat filed in the office of the City Commissioner.

To close.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted and ordained, That any person or persons, or body corporate, who may be dissatisfied with the assessments of damages or benefits which shall be made by the said Commissioners for Opening Streets, may appeal therefrom to the Baltimore City Court at the time, in the manner, and after like notice by the City Register, as provided for in Article 47 of the Baltimore City Code; and the Collector and Register of the City shall also perform such duties in relation to the streets as are required of them by the provisions of said Article 48.

Right of appeal.

Approved August 17, 1896.

ALCAEUS HOOPER *Mayor.*