

~~REPORT OF A COMMITTEE~~

To the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Chicago, in Common Council As embled :

Your Committee on Schools
to whom was referred on the 27th of June
last an ordinance entitled "an ordinance
in relation to public schools"

having had the same under advisement, beg leave to report that the
General Assembly of the State have by
Sec 16 Chapter 13 of the revised charter
approved Feb 13th 1863, made it the
duty of the Common Council & Board
of Education to provide ~~in~~ ^{in or near} schools
for the instruction of ~~colored~~ ^{colored} & ~~colored~~ ^{colored} children - They would therefore recom-
mend the passage of the following order
as a substitute for said proposed ordi-
nance -

Ordered

That the Board of Education be au-
thorized, and directed to hire a suitable
building ^{or rooms} in the South Division, and provide
 requisite teachers and conveniences, for
 a school for the instruction of colored
 children, in accordance with, and to be
 conducted in conformity to the provisions
 of the amended charter of 1863, and that
 the Mayor & Comptroller be and they are
 hereby authorized to draw their warrant
 on the Treasurer, ^{for} ^{the payment of} such expenditures as
 may be incurred in connection with said
 school, when duly certified by the Board of
 Education, payable out of the School House
 Fund -

John G. Hart } Committee

W. Sheffield } School

Report Concurred in and order passed