

MARYLAND'S FOREMOST EDUCATOR.

**PRINCIPAL MASON A. HAWKINS.**

Principal Mason A. Hawkins entered the Baltimore Public School System as teacher of Latin and other subjects, with the first colored faculty of the local high school, under Principal Hugh M. Browne, September, 1901. He obtained his early education in the elementary schools of Baltimore, and subsequently completed the preparatory course and the freshman year at Morgan College, Baltimore. After four years of study at Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass., he graduated from that institution, in 1901, with the Degree of A. B., and received the Master's Degree from Columbia University, October, 1910. Mr. Hawkins has held the position of Head of Department of Foreign Languages for many years, and for a time was Vice-Principal of the school. Since November, 1909, he has been Principal of our local High School.