Mr Mullen presented the following resolution which was read and laid on the table

Resolved by the First & Second Branches of the City Council that a committee of three from each Branch be appointed to inquire into and ascertain if the old Water Co will not take back & release the city from all obligations incurred by said purchase and indemnify the city for all improvements in the extension of the main pipes &c

On motion of Mr Boyd the vote was reconsidered in relation to a committee of conference on Bradenbaugh alley

On motion of Mr Boyd a message was sent to the 2d Branch respectfully requesting them to recede from their amendments to the ordinance relative to Bradenbaugh Alley.

Mr Boyd from the Committee on claims submitted the following report and resolution which was read a first & by special order a second time & adopted

The Joint Committee on claims to whom was referred the petition of Dr E C Baldwin asking compensation for services at Middle district watch house beg leave to report the following resolution

F H B Boyd
Ary M Price
1st Branch

E C Thomas
John Hilbert
2d Branch

Resolved by the Mayor & city Council that the Register be and he is hereby directed to pay Dr E C Baldwin

Thirteen Dollars for services rendered at Middle district watch house out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated

Mr Boyd presented the petition of R Gibson asking payment of his bill which was read and referred to the Committee on claims,

Mr Boyd called up Revised ordinance No 1 which was read and adopted

Mr Boyd called up Revised ordinance No 2 which was read and sec 1 adopted

On motion of Mr Simms the following amendment was inserted in sec 2 line 7 add in 2 or more newspapers published in the city of Baltimore,

On motion of Mr Boyd the ordinance was laid on the table

On motion of Mr Boyd the clerk was directed to have the amendments printed on seperate slips

Mr Harris from the Committee on Health submitted the following report and resolution which was read a first and by special order the 2d time and adopted

The Joint Committee on Health to whom was referred the petition of Geo Hilladay asking permission to manufacture soap & candles on his premises beg leave to submit the following resolution

Wm S Harris
Wm Delaney
Thos Sewell Jr
1st Branch

E C Thomas
Wm S Crowley
2d Branch