grocers stores which was read and referred to the committee on Markets

Mr Mullen presented the petition of the Washington American Club asking permission to erect a flag pole at the corner of William and Hamburg sts which was read and referred to the committee on Police & Sail

Mr Boyd from the committee on Claims submitted the following report and resolution which was read and laid on the table

The Joint Committee on claims to whom was referred the petition of Maria Dunn asking compensation for damages to a three story brick House on the N E Corner of Bond & Abbott sts caused by regradeing Bond street beg leave to offer the following resolution

F H B Boyd
Aug M Price
J H Hynes
1st Branch
E C Thomas
John Hilbert
Second Branch

Resolved by the Mayor & City Council that the city Commissioner be and he is hereby directed to have all of the damages repaired to the best of his judgement which have been caused by the regradeing of Bond st to a house belonging to Maria Dunn situated on the cor of Bond and Abbott sts and draw on the Register for five Hundred dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary to be taken out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated

Mr Boyd called up bill No 9 which was read & passed.

Mr Thomas called up bill No 8 which was read

On motion of Mr Mullen the bill was laid on the table

The 2d Branch returned the resolution in favour of Dr E C Baldwin endorsed adopted with proposed amendment

Amendment proposed
Strike out the words "any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated" and insert the words "appropriation for watering and lighting the city for 1856."

On motion of Mr Mullen the amendment was "non-concurred in".

On motion of Mr Mullen a message was sent to the 2d Branch asking them to recede from their amendment

The following message was received from the 2d Branch read and concurred in

In Second Branch
Baltimore March 11th 1856
Gentlemen of the First Branch
We respectfully ask a return to this Branch of the Resolution to number & rent the fish stalls in the Lexington market
By order
Allen E Forrester clerk

The Report & Resolution from the committee of conference on the case of R M Hill was received from the second Branch read a first & by special order a second time and concurred in

Mr Boyd called up the Preamble and resolution from the 2d Branch in relation to the purchase of the Exchange building by the U. S. which were read and rejected by the following vote the Yeas & nays being required by Mr Jewell