On motion of Mr France the amendments were non concurred in

On motion of Mr France a message was sent to the 2d Branch proposing that they recede from their amendments.

Mr Kirk called up bill No 6 which was read & passed

Mr Thomas called up bill No 8 which was read

Mr Thomas moved to strike out the word "Mayor" in the 5th line and insert "City Council in Convention" which was determined in the affirmative

The ordinance was then rejected by the following vote the yeas & nays being demanded by Mr Simms

Yeas Mr Thomas.—1.

Nays Messrs President France Mullen Boyd Kirk Wright Tidy Carroll Pennington Price Simms Sner Delanty Hynes Garrison Sewell—16.

On motion of Mr Boyd a message was sent to the 2d Branch inviting them into convention

Messrs Boyd & Garrison were appointed to invite the 2d Branch who returned accompanied by the President and Members of the 2d Branch after spending some time therein the 2d Branch returned to their Chamber,

The President called the Branch to order

Mr Sner from the committee on Water submitted the following report & resolution which were read,

The Joint standing committee on water to whom was referred the petition of J P Shannon in reference of the overflow of water at the Calvert st spring beg leave to offer the following resolution

Jesse Sner
Chas J Pennington
First Branch

Wm E Veale
Wm T Shoemaker
2d Branch

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council that the City Commissioner be and he is hereby directed to have Calvert st spring repaired and draw on the Register for any money not otherwise appropriated

On motion of Mr Sner the resolution was read a second time by special order and adopted

The President presented the Memorial of the Board of Managers of the House of Refuge asking for an appropriation of $15000 which was read and referred to the committee on the House of Refuge

Mr Sewell presented the petition of John Harris and others asking for the opening of Park st which was read and referred to the committee on Highways

Mr Boyd moved that the clerk of this Branch transmit a copy of the Preamble & resolution in the matter relating to the murder of John Miss signed by the Presidents & clerks of both Branches which was determined in the affirmative

On motion of Mr France the Branch adjourned

By order
Edward Clayton clerk