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The Committee to whom was referred the petition of Samuel Davis, relative to the employment of his machine by the Port Wardens submitted a report favourable to the prayer of the petitioner; and also a Resolution to the same effect, which having been read was ordered to lie on the table.

On motion therefor, the Branch adjourned until tomorrow 9 o'clock in the afternoon

By order
M. Bailey Clk.

Wednesday February 28th 1816.

The Branch met agreeably to adjournment present William Patterson Esquire and all the other members.

The Bill entitled "A Supplement to the Ordinance entitled An Ordinance for the regulation of the several Markets within the City of Baltimore" was ordered a second reading, and on motion therefor recommitted to the same Committee for further consideration and amendment.

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of Charles Diefenderffer and others, submitted the following report. Viz: "Your Committee on the petition of Charles Diefenderffer & others, have examined that part of Frederick Street from or near the bend, to Gay Street, which is 300 feet in length, and twenty feet six inches between the kerb stones makes 6150 feet, at 5 cents makes \$307.50 for repaving and as the kerb stones are much broken it may

be necessary to put in some new stones, say \$92.50, making \$400 for the whole work; And beg leave to report by resolution.

William Warner
Jos. Jamison:

"Resolved by both Branches of the City Council that a sum not exceeding four hundred dollars, be paid out of any unappropriated money in the Treasury, for the purpose of taking up the North end of North Frederick Street and repaving the same, and for repairing the kerb stones as far as the street is taken up: the money to be expended under the direction of the City Commissioners, with the approbation of the Mayor".

Which Report and Resolution having been read was ordered to lie on the table.

The Committee appointed to report on the petition of Ephraim Smith brought in & submitted the following

"The Committee appointed on the Memorial of Ephraim Smith beg leave to report, that they have had the same under consideration and from every information they can obtain are of the opinion that the prayer of the Memorialist is just and ought to be granted, therefore recommend the following Resolution".

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Wm. Rofs. Wm. Dyer.

"Resolved by both Branches of the City Council that the sum of one hundred three dollars and thirty three cents be included in the appropriation Bill for the purpose of repaying to Ephraim Smith that sum, recovered of him by William Powers in Baltimore County Court".

Which Report and Resolution being read the first they special order a second time sent to the 2^d Br. for their concurrence.

A petition from W. W. Webster and others, owners of property on York Street, head of the Basin, "praying that three Lamps may be put up in said street" was presented read and referred to the Lamp Committee.