

250 The Bill entitled "A further additional supplement to the Ordinance to regulate the Gauging of Casks and inspection of Spiritous liquors in the City of Baltimore" was on motion read a second time and will not pass.

On motion a Message was sent to the Second Branch proposing with their concurrence that when the City Council adjourn this evening it adjourn sine die - which proposal was agreed to by Second Branch & Message. Whereon motion therefor the Branch adjourned accordingly.

By Order

Thos Bailey Clk.

251 Monday June 16th 1817.

The Branch convened in consequence of a special summons from the Mayor, present William Patterson Esquire President, and all the other members, except Messrs. Beary, McCulloch, Jamison, Rose, Woodgear and Mezick. There not being a sufficient number of Members attending to form a quorum, the Branch adjourned until tomorrow afternoon 3 O'clock.

By Order Thos Bailey Clk.

Tuesday June 17th 1817.

The Branch met agreeably to adjournment, present William Patterson Esquire President and all the other Members except Messrs Woodgear and Jamison.

The following communication was received from the Mayor - "Gentlemen of the City Council"

In consequence of Mr. George Stevenson's declining to serve as one of the Commissioners to lay out the new addition to the City into Election districts, it becomes necessary that you make some other appointments that will serve, to prevent the necessity of your being further troubled on this head, the other four Gentlemen have given their assent to serve. I have this morning received a Letter from the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, on the subject of the bursting of boilers in Steam Boats, which I with pleasure lay before you, and doubt not but you will find it worthy your attention.

Yours Gentlemen

Your Able Servt.

George Shiley

16th June 1817