Mr. Watkins from the Committee on Streets, submitted the following report, which was read, and laid on the table.

The Joint Committee on Streets, to whom was referred a resolution of the First Branch of the City Council, requesting them to enquire into the expediency of tunnelling that portion of Chatsworth Run, immediately in the rear of Mr. Perine's Pottery, have examined the subject, and consider that the said Run ought to be tunnelled, as the said Run passes through a Public Alley, and prevents the free use of the same by the Public; they therefore ask permission to submit the following resolution:

S. Wesley Watkins, R. S. Crold, Saml. S. Legrand, } Committee of the First Branch.

F. Lucas, Jr. M. Klinefetter, Walter Ball, } Committee of the Second Branch.

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the City Commissioners be, and they are hereby authorized and directed, to have Chatsworth Run tunnelled, from Pine-Street Eighty-five feet west, along an Alley situated One hundred and Twenty-five feet north of Lexington Street, and that they draw on the Register, with the approbation of the Mayor, for the sum of Four hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary to complete the same, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Mr. Gittings presented a petition from John Glen, praying a reduction in the assessment of certain property therein described, which was read and referred to the Joint Committee of Ways and Means.

The Branch then adjourned until to-morrow afternoon, at half past 3 o'clock.

By Order,

S. H. Moore, Clerk.

Friday, March 30th. 1838.

First Branch.

The Branch met pursuant to adjournment — Present John B. Leidenstricker, Esq. President, and all the Members except Messrs. Crold and Fenspieth.

The resolution relative to piling and logging from Pine Street in front of Lock and Block Streets, &c. was read the second time, concurred in, and sent to the Second Branch.

The resolution for the purchase of a lot of ground for the extension of the Lexington Market, was read the second time, concurred in, and sent to the Second Branch.

The revised Bill from the Second Branch entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the several Markets, in the City of Baltimore", was called up for further consideration. Mr. Smith moved to reconsider the 26th. section, and to amend the same as follows, strike out in the 5th. line the words "of the said", which was concurred in, — the amendments of the Second Branch to the 29th., 38th., 45th., 46th., and 60th. sections, were respectively concurred in, and the Bill as amended passed, and returned.

A report and resolution relative to filling up the gulleys in Market Street, F. P. was received from the Second Branch, read, and laid on the table.

A revised Bill entitled "An Ordinance for the admission and regulation of Brokers", was received from the Second Branch.

A revised Bill entitled "An Ordinance to preserve the health of the City of Baltimore", was received from the Second Branch, read a first time, and laid on the table.

A revised Bill entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the extent of Wharves in the Harbour of Baltimore, and to establish a pot warden line," was received from the Second Branch, read, and laid on the table.

The resolution for tunnelling Chatsworth Run, from Pine Street, &c. was read the second time, concurred in, and sent to the Second Branch.

Mr. Brooks from the Committee, submitted the following report, which was read a first, and by special order the second time, concurred in and sent to the Second Branch.

The Joint Committee on Health, to whom was referred the (petition)