the west side of Bond Street, near to, and west of Gough Street so as to bring the front of the said house in a line with a house adjoining the same, and the further permission is granted hereby, to alter the roof of said building from a shed to a double or peaked roof, any thing in Ordinance No. 21 approved May 22nd 1838, to the contrary notwithstanding, provided she first file with the City Commissioners a Copy of her petition, with the written assent attached thereto, of the property holders adjoining said Lot.

A Bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the name of Bottle Alley, in the City of Baltimore" was received from the Second Branch, read and laid on the table.

Mr. Landeman presented the following message, which was read:

In First Branch Feb 14th 1840.

Gentlemen of the Second Branch.

We propose, with your concurrence, to adjourn the Councils sine die, on the 10th March next.

Mr. Hooper moved to amend the said message by striking out "10th March", and inserting the "28th February". Mr. Joseph Brown moved to amend as follows: Strike out "sine die" and insert after the word "10th March" to adjourn over to the first Monday after the Legislature closes its session". On motion of Mr. Snyder, the whole subject was laid on the table.

Mr. Monmonier moved an adjournment, which was disagreed from by the following vote:

Yeas — Messrs. Monmonier, Yeates, Dallam, Lucas, Snyder, Jno. F. Brown, Snyder, Bender — 8.

Nays — Messrs. President, Landeman, Stansbury, Hooper, Smith, Powel, Hanson, Meyer, Donovan, Byrne, Keyser, Joseph Brown, — 12.

The bill entitled "a supplement to an Ordinance entitled an Ordinance for the inspection of white oak staves" was read the second time, and on motion of Mr. Joseph Brown, referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. O'Neill offered the following resolution, which was read and concurred in.

Resolved, That the Joint Committee on Police be, and they are hereby requested, to examine the Ordinance, defining the duty of the City Counsellor, and if on such examination it should be their opinion that the said Counsellor, is not required by said

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Ordinance to perform such memorials as may be required by order of the Councils, that said Committee be and they are hereby requested to report a bill or resolution requiring of the said Counsellor the performance of said duty.

A message was received from the Second Branch, proposing a Committee of Conference to be appointed on the resolution on the petition of James B. Bosley, and naming on their part Messrs. Gill, Howard and Keeney. This Branch assented by message, and appointed Messrs. Snyder, Dryden, and Hooper.

The Second Branch returned the bill supplementary to the Ordinance fixing the compensation of certain Officers, endorsed "bill not pass".

The Mayor communicated an Act of Assembly entitled "An additional supplement to an Act to authorise the repairing the Court house of Baltimore County, and for other purposes passed December Session 1834 ch 158" which was read, and referred to the Committee on Claims.

A report and Memorial to the Legislature of Maryland relative to the Baltimore and Susquehanna Rail Road Company, was received from the Second Branch read a first, and by special order the second time concurred in, and returned.

The Branch then adjourned until Monday afternoon at half past 3 o'clock.

By Order

S. H. Moale Clerk.