The Joint Committee on pilots to whom was referred the resolution requiring them to enquire into the expediency of passing an ordinance to increase the price of licenses for ten feet alleys from fifty to one hundred and fifty dollars per annum have given that subject their attention & believe that such alteration should not be made & therefore ask leave to offer the following resolution.

W H Cole J. A. R. Blakeney C. W. Grunfeld R. B. Lee
Saml Boyd W Kenny 2 n

Mr Kenny asked and obtained leave to introduce a bill entitled an ordinance authorizing the Mayor to receive deeds for streets lanes & alleys in the City of Baltimore which was read & concurred in a first time. Mr Hoen offered the following resolution which was read & concurred in

Resolved that the City Commissioner be requested to estimate the cost of grading and paving the bed of Harford run from West to East streets, the walls to 2 feet above the bed of the run and report to this branch as early as practicable

Mr Hoen from the Joint Committee on streets submitted the following report and resolution which were read a first and by special order a second time and concurred in.



The Joint committee on streets to whom was referred the communication of the city commissioner relative to the nuisance at the corner of Monument and canal streets have had the same under consideration and find that the obstruction is occasioned by the track of the Susquehanna railroad. They therefore beg leave to offer the following resolution.

J Hoen W Lindley J Stockbridge 1st Branch
W J Wright J Morris 2 n

Resolved by the Mayor and city Council of Baltimore that the city commissioner be and they are hereby authorized to call on the President of the Susquehanna railroad company and request him to have the obstruction at the corner of Monument and canal streets removed or so altered as to admit of a free passage for the water.

Mr Landenberger from the Joint Committee on ways and means submitted the following report and resolution which were read a first time.

The Joint Committee on ways and means to whom were referred the communications from the President of the Franklin Bank, and also the proceedings of the company convention in relation to the depositors of stock orders with said bank have had the same under consideration and believing it would be unfair to pay to one portion of the community interest on the stock orders so deposited while a large number of persons would be deprived of receiving interest on the amounts held by them have induced the Committee to offer the following resolution. All respectfully submitted

G. K. Landenberger W. Stark S. Tuyst 1st Branch
J. S. Gittings S. Jones J. W. Wright 2 n

Resolved that the Committee be discharged from the further consideration of this subject

Mr Hoen called for the resolution attached to the report of the Joint Committee on streets on the petition of Somers Cowan and others. The substitute offered by Mr J W Kenny being withdrawn. Mr Cole offered the following as a substitute.

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore that the sum of five hundred eighty eight dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary be and is hereby appropriated for the purpose of building a new open board fence around the public pump in market street & to repair the wells and pumps and