Mr McCormick moved to fill the blank with $300. Mr Cole 400 Mr Garrett 500 Mr Mowry 200 Mr Pendergast 100. Mr Naylor 350. Mr Roberts 600. the question was taken on 600. on 400 on 350 & lost then on 300 and carried Yeas 14 nays 12.

Mr McCormick moved to add at the end of the section the following which was agreed to. Provided that in no case whatever shall the city treasury be chargeable with any expense arising from this ordinance. Mr Coleman moved to lay the bill on the table which was decided from Yeas 9 nays 16. The bill as amended was then passed by the following vote Yeas 15 nays 10. Mr Brown offered the following resolution which was read. * Resolved that the Counsel of the city be directed to prosecute a written opinion and resolution to that portion of the charter of the Baltimore & Ohio Rail road company which it is alleged by the stockholders exempts the stock & paid company & stock thereof by the from taxation either for state or city purposes & that the collector conform to the views of said opinion in his collections.

Mr Dunbar moved to amend the resolution by inserting after the word resolved the words "by the mayor & City Council of Baltimore which was agreed to the resolution as amended was then decided from. The second branch returned bill no 41 and will not pass. Mr Tagart moved that a message be sent to the second branch preparing that when the Councils adjourn this evening they adjourn sine die. Mr Cole moved to amend by striking out "this evening" and insert tuesday evening the 5th inst which was agreed to. the motion as amended was then concurred in. The second branch adopted.

A Communication was received from the mayor transmitting a memorial of the convention of delegates from the several fire companies relative to an ordinance approved march 29 1842.

Mr Quinn called for bill no 43 which was read a second time & will pass

Bill no 38 was returned from the 2nd branch endorsed will pass.

Mr J Manning called for a resolution relative to the public schools which was read a second time.

Mr McCormick moved to amend the resolution by striking out the word south in the 5th line second thereof. Which was agreed to.

Mr Lauderman moved to amend the amendment by striking out the words between South street & Sharp the words sent of which was decided from. Mr McCormick's amendment was concurred in. Mr McCormick moved further to amend by inserting the following at the end of the resolution. Provided that bond by the school Commissioners on South Gay street be given & that no money be expended thereon which was agreed to Yeas 15 nays 10. The resolution as amended was then concurred in & sent to the 2nd branch.

Mr Cole having obtained leave offered the following resolution which was read & first & second time & concurred in. Resolved by the mayor & City Council of Baltimore that the sum of fifty dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended under the direction of the clerk of the Superintendent for the purpose of sending a messenger to the Harrisburg market.

Mr McCormick asked & obtained leave to offer a bill entitled "A further supplement to an ordinance entitled an ordinance for the appointment of a clerk to the City of Baltimore & prescribing his duties which was read a first time.

Mr Tagart called for the report & resolution of the joint committee of conference on the appropriation bill 1842 which was read a second time & concurred in.

A resolution making an appropriation for an additional clerk to the register was read a first & second time. Mr Lauderman moved to amend by striking out the words "and by the Ist & 2nd Branches of the city Council" and insert "by the mayor & City Council of Baltimore" which was concurred in. The resolution as amended was then concurred in.

The Second branch returned bill no 43 endorsed will pass with the proposed amendments which were concurred in by the branch. Amendments proposed strike out in the 8th line the word twenty insert ten & the word fifty insert twenty.

The second branch returned bill no 40 endorsed will pass with the proposed amendment which was to strike out three & insert two. The branch agreed to the amendment.

Mr McCormick called for the resolution authorizing the signature to be given to the Bank of Baltimore which was read a second time & concurred in.

A resolution directing the Joint Committee on Internal Improvements to confer with the President & Directors of