Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That Michael Groff be, and he is hereby authorized to make an addition to a frame building on his lot, situated between Madison and Roe streets, near Biddle Street, provided that the frame building to be erected, shall be removed when the Mayor of the city shall so direct.

Mr Brack, called for the second reading of the report and resolution of the joint committee on streets, relative to repealing the ordinance providing for the payment of one third of the expenses of repaving streets, which was read and adopted.

Mr Brack, called for the second reading of the report and resolution of the joint committee on streets, relative to a communication from the Register, to the amount of monies paid out of the city treasury, for paving and repaving streets from 1841 to 1844 inclusive. The resolution was adopted.

Mr Gault moved that the branch do now adjourn which was lost.

Mr Staylor from the committee submitted the following report, which was read a first and by special order the second time and adopted:

The joint committee on bridges to whom was referred the communication of the City Commissioners, on the subject of purchasing oak plank, approve of the suggestion of the City Commissioners, and offer the following resolution:

Henry Staylor
John Green Jr
Cyrus Gault
Committee of the First Branch
Samuel Boyd
William J. Wright
John T. Rear
Committee of the Second Branch

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the City Commissioners be, and they are hereby authorised and directed to purchase a quantity of oak joint, which shall be piled up under cover to season, to be used for bridge flooring, and other purposes, when required, and draw on the Register for the sum of one thousand

thousand dollars, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Mr Hall, called for the second reading of the resolution attached to the report of the joint committee on bridges, relative to a bridge over Harford run, in Point Market Street.

The Resolution was adopted.

Mr Walsh, called for the second reading of the resolution attached to the report of the joint committee of conference, on the resolutions relative to the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal.

The resolution was adopted, and returned to the Second Branch.

Mr Cooper from the committee, submitted the following report, which was read and laid on the table.

The joint committee on Education, to whom referred the subject of memorialising the General Assembly of Maryland, with reference to granting collegiate powers to the public high School of Baltimore, having had the subject under consideration, ask leave to report, that they deem the subject important to the public School interests, and believe that it will have a tendency to elevate the character of the public Schools of Baltimore. They therefore recommend the adoption of the following resolution.

Hugh A. Cooper
John Green Jr
Wm. J. Page
First Branch
Stephen Collins
Henry R. Lauderman
Wm. Baker
Second Branch

Resolved, that the resolution from the First Branch, in relation to memorializing the General Assembly to grant a charter, conferring collegiate powers on the Public High School of Baltimore, be referred to the board of School Commissioners, to act on the same according to their judgement. — provided that if they conclude to memorialize the Assembly on the subject, the charter of incorporation shall contain that in no manner or degree alters or modifies the