Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the City Commissioners be, and they are hereby directed to remove the fences enclosing the squares in Broadway, Fells Point, and sell them, and return the proceeds of sale to the Register of the City.

Resolved, That the City Commissioners be, and they are hereby directed to grade and gravel said squares, so as to conform to the residue of said street, and that they draw on the Register, with the approbation of the Mayor, for the sum of three hundred and eighty nine dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Resolved, That before the commissioners aforesaid proceed to execute either of the foregoing resolutions, the owners of property opposite said squares, on each side thereof, shall pave, or cause to be paved, at their own expense, the parts of said Broadway binding on said squares in the same manner the residue of said Broadway is paved.

The two branches met in convention, and after sitting a short time therein adjourned.

Mr Leonard called for the second reading of the resolution attached to the report of the joint committee on health, on the petition of William Sendergast and others.

On motion of Mr Purviance, it was laid on the table.

Mr Brown offered the following resolution which was read and adopted.

Resolved, that the committee on education be directed to enquire into the necessity and expediency of erecting an additional school house in the southern part of the city.

On motion of Mr Hall, this branch adjourned until tomorrow afternoon, at half past 3 O'Clock.

By order
Gw Brooward, Clerk.

Thursday February 27. 1845.

The Branch met pursuant to adjournment.

Present Samuel Harker Esq President and all the members except Messrs Dallam and Hall.

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

The joint committee of claims, to whom was referred the petition of Abner Webb, asking to be refunded taxes paid by him on the Stock of the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road Company, report that the petitioner ought to have the same refunded.

They subjoin a resolution in his favour.

Robert Purviance
Wm J. Leonard
Rich'd Marley
Committee of the First Branch
N Wright
B W Richardson
Committee of the Second Branch

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the Register be, and he is hereby authorised to pay to Abner Webb, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, six dollars and fifty seven cents, being for taxes paid by him, in his own wrong on the Stock of the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road Company.

Mr Harker, 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 police, to whom was referred the memorial of Bernard Brannan and others, complaining of the conduct of some of the officers of the corporation, in contracting debts under the promise of paying the amount out of their compensation as officers when received, and then petitioning for the benefit of the insolvent laws, thereby defrauding their creditors, have had the subject under consideration, but as those laws have been passed for the relief of the unfortunate who are unable to meet their obligations, and as it is impossible to pass an ordinance under which a discrimination can be made between those who take the benefit of those laws