a certain sum, for paying into the Treasury, certain taxes collected by him, are of opinion that he is entitled to the allowance prayed for. They subjoin a resolution in conformity with this opinion.

Robert Purviance
Wm. P. Leonard
Richard Marley
First Branch

W. J. Wight
B. W. Richardson
Samuel Barnes
Second Branch

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the Register be, and he is hereby authorised to pay to Aaron B. Severing, Collector, eighty nine dollars and thirty cents, being for a discount allowed him in paying into the Treasury, certain taxes.

Mr Purviance, from the committee, submitted the following report, which was read a first and by special order the second time and laid on the table.

The joint committee of claims, to whom was referred the petition of James H. McKnight, asking to be paid for services rendered in rescuing two orphan children, are of opinion that the petitioner has no claim upon the city for these services, and report a resolution, asking to be discharged from any further of the subject.

Robert Purviance
Wm. P. Leonard
Rich'd Marley
Committee of the First Branch.
W. J. Wight
B. W. Richardson
Samuel Barnes
Committee of the Second Branch.

Resolved, That the committee be discharged from any further consideration of the petition.

The President, from the committee, submitted the following report, accompanied with a bill entitled "An ordinance to provide

vide for the establishment of a market for the sale of cows and other neat cattle", which was read and laid on the table:

The joint committee on police, to whom was re-committed the the bill to provide for the establishment of a market for the sale of cows, and other neat cattle, and to whom was referred the petition of James McDonald and others, have had the same under consideration, and conceive that the measure proposed, should be adopted.

And as much of the evil hitherto complained of, in relation to the matter, appears to have resulted from the practice of confining calves in an improper manner, your committee think that a corrective should be applied. We recommend, therefore, the passage of the accompanying bill:

Samuel Harker
Joseph Breck
James Fields,
Committee of the First Branch.
James Essender
William Baker
Committee of the Second Branch.

Mr Brown called for the second reading of the amendments proposed by the Second Branch, to the resolution attached to the report of the joint committee on bridges, relative to the purchase of oak timber.

Mr Brown, moved that we "non-concur"; which was determined in the affirmative.

The Second Branch returned the resolution relative to having dams placed in Harford Run, endorsed, "Substitute proposed and adopted, and the resolution as amended concurred in".

Substitute proposed. – Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the City Commissioner be and they are hereby authorised and directed, to cause to be erected in Harford Run, one dam at or near the Bridge at East Baltimore Street, and one dam at or near the bridge at Somerset Street, and draw on the Register, with the approbation of the Mayor, for one hundred and forty dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be taken out of any unappropriated money in the treasury."

Mr Haynes, moved that we "non concur", which was determined