an ordinance entitled an ordinance fixing the compensation of certain officers.

Mr Watkins moved to strike out in the fourth line, the word "three" – which was determined in the affirmative.

Mr Watkins moved to strike out in the sixth line the word "three" which was determined in the negative.

Mr Davis moved to strike out the words "and ten" in the seventh line, which was determined in the negative.

The Bill being on its passage was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays being called for by Mr Davis.

Yeas. – Messrs President, Colton, Dutton, O'Leary, Walsh, Hickman, Soran, Watkins, Buchanan, Harper, Starr, Brown, Hack and Gross 14.

Nays. – Messrs Turner and Davis.

The President this day handed the Mayor for his approval "An ordinance to provide for the acceptance of a certain act of Assembly therein mentioned".

"Resolution relative to Hollins street Market".

"Preamble and resolution relative to Public School Lot No 2.

On motion of Mr Colton, the Branch adjourned until tomorrow afternoon at half past 3 O'Clock.

By order
Geo P. Woodward Clerk.

Tuesday March 10. 1846.

The Branch met pursuant to adjournment.

Present all the members except J. J. Cohen Jr Esq President and Mr Neilson.

On motion of Mr Hickman, Mr Brown was called to the chair.

Mr William Bishop member elect from the Sixth Ward appeared, was qualified and took his seat.

Mr Colton moved that the Branch proceed to elect a President pro tem – and that the ballot be dispensed with – which was determined in the affirmative.

Mr Starr – nominated Mr Brown.

Mr Brown was unanimously elected.

Mr Walsh on leave offered the following resolution which was read the first and by special order the second time and adopted.

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the Register

Register pay unto the parties entitled to receive it, the sum of fifteen dollars or such amount thereof as has been necessary, for the expenses of the election held on the 9th inst, in the Sixth Ward and the amount to be paid out of the treasury, with the approbation of the Mayor.

A resolution to change the hour of the meetings of the Council; and a resolution relative to the Gay Street lot, were received from the Second Branch, read and laid on the table.

A message was received from the Second Branch proposing to refer bill No 15. entitled "An ordinance relating to the salaries of the teachers of public schools" – and the proposed amendments, to a joint committee of conference – and naming Messrs Myers, Richardson and Green, as the committee on their part.

This Branch assented, and appointed Messrs Watkins, Davis and Starr, as the committee.

The Second Branch returned the report and resolution from the joint committee on water relative to the lots Spring on Calvert Street, endorsed "concurred in with a proposed Substitute"

Substitute proposed.

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the City Commissioners be and they are hereby authorised to remove forthwith the privy within the enclosure of the Calvert Street Spring and to have said grounds, cleared up and put in proper order; and give notice to the keeper of the said spring, that the house now occupied as a dwelling, must be fitted up for and used hereafter as an office alone, from and after the first of March 1847. And the commissioners are hereby authorised to draw on the Register for 50 dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary to effect said improvements.

Mr Turner from the committee submitted the following report and resolution, which were read the first, and by special order the second time and adopted

The joint committee on fire companies to whom was referred the application of James Kirby asking permission to remove a frame building now standing on Elizabeth Lane, to the rear of his own lot, adjoining said lane, beg leave to report, that they visited the premises and are of opinion, that the privilege should be granted the petitioner in making the change he desires. The committee offer the following resolution

J J Turner
Wm M Starr
Felix McCarlin
Committee of the First Branch

Hugh Bolton
Elias Wave Jr
John Green Jr
Committee of the Second Branch

Resolved