Mr Brown called up bill No 28. entitled "An ordinance to provide for the payment of sundry expenses of the City Court of Baltimore, and for the city poor in the Alms house of Baltimore City and County".

Mr Soran moved to strike out in the third section, all from the word "Baltimore" in the fourth line, to the word "the" in the seventh line, which was determined in the negative.

The bill being on its passage was passed.

Mr Brown called up bill No 29. entitled "An ordinance to lay and collect a direct tax for the year 1846".

The bill being on its passage was passed.

Mr Watkins, from the committee, submitted the following report and resolution which were read.

The joint committee on streets, to whom was referred a resolution of the First Branch of the City Council, directing the Mayor to accept a deed for the bed of Chase Street, from Aisquith Street to Eden Street, report that they have examined the same and ask permission to submit the following resolution.

S Wesley Watkins
Geo. A. Davis
Wm Colton
First Branch.

Henry Myers
Isaac M. Denson
John Green Jr
Second Branch.

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That Chase Street, from the East side of Aisquith Street to the East side of Eden Street, be, and the same is hereby condemned as a public street and highway, and subject to all the ordinances and regulations of the corporation of Baltimore; provided, nevertheless, that the proprietor and owner of the bed of Chase street, from the East side of Aisquith to the East side of Eden Street, shall execute a good and sufficient deed and conveyance, in fee simple, of the same to the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, to be approved of by the Counsellor of the city, and filed in the Register's office; and that it be the duty of the City Commissioners to have said street laid down on the plat of the city; provided that in no event shall the city be liable for any expense for the same.

Mr Walsh in the chair.

Mr Bishop offered the following resolution which was read and referred to the City Commissioners.

Resolved That the City Commissioners be, and they are hereby directed to have flag stones placed across Douglass Street at its intersection with East Street.

The President resumed his seat.

Mr Brown called for the second reading of the resolution authorising the sale of cave stalls in Cross Street Market.

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The resolution was concurred in.

Mr Walsh called up the special order of the day being the resolution attached to the report of the joint select committee, relative to the purchase of a lot near the Eastern Fountain.

The question being on the adoption of the substitute proposed for the substitute proposed by Mr Walsh.

Mr Collins called for a division of the question.

Mr Walsh moved to amend the first resolution by adding to the end thereof the words "and that the said Commissioners and Register have authority to sell the same either at public or private sale" which was adopted.

The first resolution was adopted.

Mr Watkins moved to amend the second section, by striking out the word "fifteen" and inserting the word "twelve" which was determined in the ~~x x~~ negative by the following vote, the yeas and nays being called for by Mr Walsh:

Yeas — Messrs President, Collins, Watkins, Buchanan, Davis, Hooper, McCurley and Hack — 8.

Nays. — Messrs Colton, Dutton, O'Leary, Walsh, Hickman, Bishop, Turner, Soran, Starr, Brown and Gross — 11.

The second resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays being called for by Mr Collins.

Yeas. — Messrs Colton, Dutton, O'Leary, Walsh, Hickman, Bishop, Turner, Soran, Starr, Brown, McCurley and Gross — 12.

Nays. — Messrs President, Collins, Watkins, Buchanan, Davis, Hooper and Hack — 7.

The third resolution was adopted.

A message was received from the Second Branch, proposing that when the Council adjourns this evening, it stand adjourned until Monday afternoon next.

This Branch assented, and informed the Second Branch thereof by message.

A message was received from the Second Branch, asking this Branch to return the bill entitled "A supplement to an ordinance in relation to public Schools".

This Branch assented, and returned the bill.

The resolution authorising the Commissioners of Finance to rent a part of Pratt Street Wharf, was received from the Second Branch read and laid on the table.

The Second Branch returned the preamble and resolutions relative to fire insurance companies and insurance against fire by the City