Elias Ware, Jr.,
John Green Jr.,
H. R. Louderman,
Second Branch.

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

The joint committee on claims to whom was referred the petition of Dr. Thomas M Bush, asking pay for professional services rendered at the Eastern Watch House, respectfully report that it has never been customary to pay for services of this kind, and they therefore recommend the following resolution discharging the committee

Wm. A. Hack,
N. Hickman,
Felix McCurley,
First Branch.
William Baker,
B. H. Richardson,
John Green, Jr.,
Second Branch.

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

Mr. Hooper on leave offered the following bill which was read and laid on the table.

A supplement to an ordinance entitled an ordinance to provide for the encouragement of trade in the city of Baltimore, passed on the 19th day of april, 1845.

Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the articles enumerated in the second section of the ordinance to which this is a supplement, – which shall have been transported on any of the Rail Roads coming into the city, may henceforth be shipped by individuals or companies, from any of the city wharves, free from any charge of wharfage or dockage, except the port tonnage established by the law of congress.

Mr. Walsh from committee of conference, reported verbally, that he had been instructed to propose a message to the Second Branch proposing that when the Council adjourns this evening it adjourn until Tuesday afternoon next – the message was sent.

The Second Branch by message assented.

A resolution to adjourn "sine die," on the 24th instant, was

was received from the Second Branch, read a first and by a special order the second time.

Mr. Watkins moved to lay the resolution on the table and make it the special order of the day for Friday the 17th inst. which was determined in the affirmative by the following vote, the yeas and nays being called for by Mr. O'Leary:

Yeas – Messrs. Walsh, Hickman, Bishop, Turner, Watkins, Buchanan, Davis, Hooper, Brown, McCurley, Hack – 11.

Nays – Messrs. Colton, O'Leary, Soran, Collins – 4

The Second Branch returned bill No 75. entitled. "An ordinance approving and assenting to an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, entitled a supplement to an act entitled an act to authorise the Baltimore and Susquehanna Rail Road Company to construct a lateral rail road to Westminster, and for other purposes", endorsed "will pass".

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

The joint committee on health to whom was referred the resolution relative to the appointing a clerk with a small salary, have had the subject under consideration and believe it would greatly facilitate the business of the board of health, and at all times leave a responsible person in the office to whom application can be made by persons calling in the absence of the members of the board, offer the following resolution.

James Buchanan,
J. J. Turner
First Branch.
John Keene,
Elias Ware, Jr.,
Hugh Bolton.
Second Branch

Resolved by the Mayor and city Council of Baltimore, That the board of health be, and they are authorised to employ a clerk in this office at a salary to be paid monthly of $500 per annum, and that the Register of the city of Baltimore, be and he is hereby authorised and requested to pay the same out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Mr. Soran moved to adjourn, which was determined in the affirmative by the following vote, the yeas and