yeas and nays being called for by Mr O'Leary.
Yeas – Messrs Hickman, Bishop, Turner, Foran, Buchanan, Hooper, Brown and Hack – 8.
Nays. – Messrs President, Colton, Dutton, O'Leary, Watkins, Davis, Starr & Gross – 8.

Mr Watkins moved to reconsider the vote had on the passage of the bill, which was determined in the affirmative.

The bill being on its passage was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays being called for by Mr O'Leary.
Yeas. – Messrs Hickman, Bishop, Turner, Foran, Watkins, and Buchanan, Hooper, Brown and Hack – 9.
Nays. – Messrs President, Colton, Dutton, O'Leary, Davis, Starr and Gross – 7.

A resolution authorising the Register to make arrangements &c. was received from the Second Branch, read a first and by special order the second time.

Mr Brown moved to amend the resolution by adding to the end thereof, the following.
"To apply all appropriations made by the extra session of the Council in 1846, in relation to the repairs of streets, culverts, tunnels &c, and also the sum of twenty five hundred dollars to Barnes and Samuel Canby, as per ordinance No 32. approved April 13, 1846."

The amendment was adopted.

The resolution as amended was adopted.

Mr Colton from the committee, submitted the following report and resolution, which were read a first and by special order the second time, adopted and sent to the Second Branch, who returned the same endorsed "concurred in"

The joint committee on streets, to whom was referred the communication of George Gellach and others, relative to the city's accepting a deed from the property holders, to ten feet on each side of Castle Alley, between East Lombard and Gough Streets, beg leave to report they have considered the same, and are of opinion, that the widening of said Alley to the dimensions of a street, would be an advantage to the property holders, and affording a convenience to the neighborhood, at their individual expense, without injury to any one, they therefore beg leave to submit the following resolution.

J Wesley Watkins — Henry Myers
William Colton — Isaac M. Denson
Geo. A Davis — John Green Jr
First Branch — Second Branch

Resolved

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That for the purpose of widening Castle Alley, ten feet on each side thereof, between East Lombard and Gough Streets, 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 all the proprietors and owners of the bed of said ten feet on each side of Castle Alley, between East Lombard and Gough Streets, 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 Registers Office; and that it be the duty of the City Commissioners, to have said alteration laid down on the plat of the city; provided, that in no event shall the city be liable for any expense of the same.

Mr Starr from the committee submitted the following report and resolution, which were read a first and by special order the second time, adopted and sent to the Second Branch, who returned the same endorsed "concurred in"

The joint committee on fire companies, to whom was referred the memorial of the Washington Hose Company, asking for a fire plug in front of their new engine house in Conway Street, near Eutaw Street, beg leave to report, that in their opinion the request should be granted. – and they therefore submit the following resolution.

J S Turner — Elias Ware
William M Starr — John Green Jr
First Branch — Second Branch

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the City Commissioners be and they are hereby directed, to have the fire plug at the corner of Conway Street and Sharp Lane, removed to the front of the Washington Engine house in Conway Street, near Eutaw Street, and the sum of one hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to carry into effect this resolution.

Mr Watkins from the committee submitted the following report and resolution, which were read a first and by special order the second time, adopted and sent to the Second Branch, who returned the same, endorsed "concurred in"

The joint committee on streets, to whom was referred the petition of William Toney and others, report that they have considered the same, and are of opinion it would be inexpedient to grant the request of the petitioners at the present session. They would recommend the passage of the following resolution

J Wesley