public schools. Your committee recommend the adoption of the subjoined resolution:

Stephen Collins,
John F. Connolly,
First Branch.
James C. Nimde,
Wm. Lincberger,
John McPherson,
Second Branch.

Resolved, that the committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject, and that it be referred to the commissioners of public schools.

Mr. Reynolds gave notice that on Monday next he would offer a counter report to the report of the joint committee on education.

Mr. Spedden offered the following resolution, which was read and laid on the table:

Whereas, the present suffering condition of the people of Ireland, appeals directly to the humanity of ever generous bosom, and more particularly to the American people for succor and relief, – And whereas, doubts are entertained of the powers of the Councils to vote money for other than municipal purposes; and as the members of this branch are sincerely desirous of manifesting their deep sympathy for the suffering and oppressed condition of the generous and warm hearted people of the "Emerald Isle", therefore unanimously resolved, that the Register of the City of Baltimore be and he is hereby directed to deduct ten dollars from the amount of the per diem of each member of this branch, and place the same to the credit of the fund for the relief of the suffering people of Ireland.

On motion of Mr. Davis, the communication from the city commissioners relative to the springs on Franklin square was referred to the joint committee on water.

Mr. Colton called up the resolution from the joint committee on markets relative to paving the square between Canton Avenue and Alicanna street, with brick.

Mr. Colton moved to amend the resolution by inserting after the word "brick" in the fourth line, the words "and the curb stones renewed," – which was adopted.

Mr. Colton moved further to amend the resolution by in-

inserting in the twelfth line after the word "do" the following: "And provided further, that in no event shall the said city commissioners commence such improvement, unless the same can be finished in a substantial manner for the amount of money appropriated

The amendment was adopted.

The resolution, as amended, was adopted.

Mr. Soran gave notice that on to-morrow he would ask leave to introduce a bill providing to vest permanently in the several owners, the property of their stalls in the several market houses.

Mr. Wells called up the resolution attached to the report of the joint committee on the accounts of the city commissioners and port wardens.

Mr. Davis offered the following as a substitute:

Resolved, that the City Commissioners have not complied with the ordinances of the corporation, and deserve the censure of the Council.

On motion of Mr. Spurrier, the subject was laid on the table.

The Second Branch returned the resolution attached to the report of the joint committee on health on the petition of Wm. H. Kimberly, endorsed dissented from.

Mr. Hack was excused from serving on the joint select committee on the communication from the manual labor school, and Mr. Reynolds appointed.

Mr. Spurrier moved to reconsider the vote had on the concurrence of the amendments to bill No. 7, entitled "A supplement to an ordinance entitled an ordinance to provide for the appointment of watchmen."

Mr. Spurrier moved that we non-concur which was determined in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Spurrier, a message was sent to the Second Branch proposing to refer bill No. 7, to a joint committee of conference and naming Messrs. Spurrier, Connolly and Hack as the committee.

The Second Branch by message, assented thereto and appointed Messrs. Taylor, Page and Green as the committee on their part.

Mr. Soran in the chair.

Mr. Davis called up the resolution attached to the