Mr. Beale moved that after each ballot the person having the least number of votes be dropped from the list of candidates, adopted.

A ballot was had the same tellers acting, with the following result. Henry Tiffany received 12 votes.
Nathan T. Dushane " 9 "
Dr. O'Neill " 7 "

Neither candidate having received a majority of the votes cast, the President declared there was no election and a semi ballot was ordered, (Dr. O'Neill being the lowest candidate was dropped from the list.) with the following result.

Henry Tiffany received 14 votes
Nathan T. Dushane " 14 "

Neither candidate having received a majority of the votes cast the Chair declared there was no election and a third ballot was ordered with the following result.

Henry Tiffany 12 votes
Nathan T. Dushane 16 "

Mr. Dushane having received a majority of the votes cast was declared duly elected Commissioner for the 20th Ward.
On Motion of Mr. Shaffer the Convention adjourned.

By Order
Thos. A. Moore
Clk.

The following is a copy of the letter to the Mayor informing him of the action of the Convention

(Over)

In Convention City Hall
Wednesday November 27 1867

To
John H. T. Ferris Esq.
Mayor of the City of Baltimore
Sir

I have the honor to inform you that the two Branches of the City Council in Convention assembled this day elected William O. Carpenter Commissioner of Public Schools for the Fifteenth Ward, in place of Geo. D. Tewksbury resigned; and Nathan T. Dushane Commissioner of Public Schools for the Twentieth Ward, in place of Charles Towson resigned.—

I am respectfully
Your Obt Servt
Hugh Bolton
President of the Convention

Attest Wm. A. Stewart
Clk of First Branch
Thos. A. Moore
Clk of Second Branch