Ward Managers of the Poor
John C. Minde in place of James Coyne. for 9 Ward
J. H. Lemmon. . . Matthew Clarke. 18 do

Very Respectfully
Hugh Bolton
President of the Convention

Attest Thos. H. Moore
Clk of 2d Branch
Wm A Stewart
Clk of 1st Branch

Monday March 24 1851

The two Branches of the City Council assembled in Convention this day. Present Hugh Bolton, Esqr President, and all the members except Messrs Davis, Weathers, Beale & Thomas.

The President laid before the Convention the following Communication from the Mayor. which was read.

Mayor's Office
Balto March 24 1851

To the Members of the Orphans Court Branches of the City Council, in Convention assembled

Gentlemen

I hereby respectfully nominate for your consideration and Approval.
Jas. T. Shea
for the office of Clerk to the Port Warden of the City of Balto.

Respectfully
Jno. N. I. Jerome, Mayor.

Mr. Sewstony moved that the ballot be dispensed with
Mr Blakeney moved to lay the nomination on the table, which was determined in the affirmative by the following vote the Yeas & nays being required by Mr Norris.

Yeas. Messrs President, Lovering, Page, Brown, Horney, Blanford, Blakeney, Connolly, Shipley, Keller, Sewstony, Dill, Goodsell, Wilson - 14.

Nays. Messrs Cooper, Shaffer, Minde, Cohen, Norris, Jones, Burns, Seitz, Cook, Ferguson, Zimmerman, Brooks, Davis. - 12.

On motion of Mr Ferguson the Convention adjourned.

By Order
Thos. H. Moore, Clerk.

Tuesday March 25 1851.

The two Branches of the City Council assembled this day in Convention, Present Hugh Bolton Esqr President and all the members except Mr Norris & Beale.

On motion of Mr Goodsell the nomination of Clerk of the Port Warden was taken up.

Mr Blanford moved to lay the nomination upon the table which was determined in the Negative.

A Ballot was then had with the following result, Messrs Lovering & Seitz, Tellers.

Yes. 14. No. 9. Blank. 4.

a Majority not having voted, and there being some doubt expressed.

On motion of Mr Davis a second ballot was had. with the following result.