On motion of Mr Thomas, the resolution was read, by special order a second time, adopted, and sent to the Second Branch.

Mr Thomas called up the amendments proposed by the Second Branch, to the resolution authorising Ernest Seibert to erect a slaughter house on East Street.

On motion of Mr Thomas, the amendments were concurred in.

On motion of Mr Wilson, the Branch adjourned till Monday afternoon next, at four o'clock.

By order
J. M. Perego Clerk.

Were this day presented to the Mayor:

An additional supplement to an ordinance, entitled "an ordinance to restrain certain evil practices and to remove nuisances";

Resolution for rebuilding a portion of the wall of Jones' falls; and

Resolution in favor of Fred. Reitzenger.

Appropriations:

To April 16th,	$17,991,89
" the Maryland Institute,	10,000,00
" A. S. Abell & Co.,	49.45
" Removing dirt from Hughes' Street,	200,00
" Lazaretto,	500,00
" Marine Hospital,	100,00
	$28,841,34

Monday, April 26, 1852.

The Branch met pursuant to adjournment.

Present — John S Brown, Esq., President, and all the members except Mr Miles.

Mr Griffith presented the petition of Wm. H. Hiss and others, asking that the Hollins Street market may be extended, which was read and referred to the joint committee on markets.

Mr Beale presented the petition of Robert Francis and

others, asking that additional recitation rooms may be erected to public school house No. 11, which was read and referred to the joint committee on education.

Mr Blanford presented the petition of B. Plester, asking permission to improve a frame house on Bond, near Lancaster Street, which was read and referred to the joint committee on fire companies.

Mr Lucas presented the petition of Thomas Kelley and others, asking that a portion of the Washington road may be condemned as a public highway, which was read and referred to the joint committee on fire companies.

Mr Dushane presented the petition of Owen Hagan, asking extra compensation for cleaning ice and snow from District No 2, in 1851, which was read and referred to the joint committee on claims.

Mr Jenkins offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, that the City Counsellor be, and he is hereby requested to inform this Branch, whether under existing acts of assembly, the Mayor and City Council have the right and authority to pass an ordinance providing for the election of the several municipal officers (now appointed,) by popular vote.

Mr Lucas offered the following resolution, which was read a first, by special order a second time, and referred to the joint committee on highways and bridges:

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, that the City Commissioner be, and he is hereby directed, to place flag stones across Madison at its north western intersection with Dolphin Street, to be paid for out of the annual appropriation for flag and stepping stones.

Mr Shelley offered the following resolution, which was read and referred to the joint committee on highways and bridges:

Resolved, that the City Commissioner be, and he is hereby directed, to have flag stones placed across east Lombard Street, at its intersection with Dallas Street, — the expense thereof to be taken out of the annual appropriation for flag and stepping stones.

Mr Dukehart called up the resolution attached to the report of the joint committee on claims, authorising