The resolution referring the petition of Chas F. Mayer to the City Auditor, was received from the Second Branch, read and laid on the table.

The resolution adverse to erecting an iron railing around Union Square, was received from the Second Branch, read a first, and on motion of Mr Lepson, by special order, a second time, and concurred in.

Mr Weathers offered the following resolution, which was read a first and second time, and adopted:

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, that the City Commissioner be, and he is hereby directed to examine the pump and well of water at the south-east corner of Bond and Gough streets, to ascertain, if possible, the cause of its deterioration, and to have the same renovated and repaired so as if possible to restore the water to its original purity, the expense to be taken from the annual appropriation for wells and pumps.

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

Resolved by the First Branch of the City Council, that the high constable be, and he is hereby requested to furnish this branch, as soon as possible, with a correct list of the fire plugs in the city, stating with accuracy at what points said fire plugs are placed, how many there are in each ward, and how many in the entire city.

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

Resolved by this branch, that the committee on education, be requested to enquire into the necessity of adding an additional story on the recitation rooms of Female Grammar School No. 2, for the purpose of giving additional recitation rooms to No. 2 Male Grammar School.

Bill No. 22, an ordinance providing for the sale of Charles Street city spring lot — the unfinished business of Friday — was taken up.

On motion of Mr Simms, the 2d section was amended by striking out in the 4th and 5th lines, the words "of the largest circulation in the city".

Mr Simms moved to further amend the 2d section, by striking out all from the word "and", in the 6th line, to the second word "the", in the 13th line, which was determined in the affirmative.

Mr Simms moved to amend the 3d section, by striking all out from the word "commissioners", in the 6th line, and inserting the words:

"Paid over to the city Register for the special purpose, or as much of the same as may be required to rebuild the Hanover market house, and grading the lot occupied by said market house with the grades of the four streets immediately adjacent thereto; and the balance, if any, to go into the general treasury".

The amendment was adopted.

Mr Rogers moved to further amend the 3d section, by striking out all after the second word "be", in the 3d line, and inserting the words "paid into the city treasury".

The amendment was rejected.

The question recurring on the ordinance, as amended, it was passed.

On motion of Mr Simms, the title was amended by striking out the 3d line, and inserting the words, "the rebuilding of the Hanover market house".

Mr Atwood called up bill No. 17, a supplement to revised ordinance No. 28, approved April 18th, 1850, which was read.

Mr Atwood moved to lay the ordinance on the table, and make it the order of the day for to-morrow.

Mr Boulden moved, as an amendment, to make it the order of the day for Friday next, which was determined in the affirmative.

Mr Zimmerman called up the resolution in favor of Geo. Kipper, which was read and adopted.

Mr Hunt called up the resolution of instruction to the city Directors in the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road Company, which was read.

Mr Rogers moved to amend the resolution by striking out all after the word "Baltimore", in the 2d line, and inserting the words:

"That the Directors on the part of the city in the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road Company, be and they are, whenever the question in relation to a payment of dividends by said company shall be brought before the Board of Directors, hereby requested to so act in the premises as in their best judgment and discretion may be most for the profit and advantage of the city".