"That the board of health be, and is hereby authorised and directed to select from time to time, such place or places as they may judge suitable for the deposite of night manure, providing permission shall first be obtained from the owner or occupier of the premises, and objection is not made by the owners or occupiers of the ground within 600 feet of the place upon which it is intended to deposite said night manure; and providing further, that such place or places shall first be deemed by the board of health not prejudicial to the health of the surrounding inhabitants.

Sec. 2. Be it enacted and ordained, that no night manure shall be deposited at any place within the city limits, except such as shall be selected by the board of health as hereinbefore provided for, and any person or persons offending against the first section of this ordinance, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding twenty dollars, which may be recovered as other fines and penalties are now recovered for violations of city ordinances.

Sec. 3. Be it enacted and ordained, that if such depositary shall prove prejudicial to the health of the adjacent neighborhood, complaint shall be made by the aggrieved parties to the Board of health, who, with the approbation of the Mayor, shall order said deposites to be forthwith suspended.

Sec. 4. Be it enacted and ordained, that all ordinances, or parts of ordinances, inconsistent with this one, be, and the same are hereby repealed."

The amendment to the amendment was adopted.

Mr Rogers moved to amend the 2d section, by inserting after the word "dollars", the words "for the first offense, and the same for every day it shall remain thereafter".

The amendment was rejected.

The ordinance, as amended, was passed.

Mr Peters, chairman of the joint committee on fire companies, presented the following report and resolution, which were read:

The joint committee on fire companies, to whom was referred the petition of the New Market Fire company, asking a special appropriation for the purpose of replacing eight hundred feet of new hose, destroyed by some disorderly persons whilst in the discharge of their duties, and as the want of such hose materially interferes with their general efficiency, therefore beg

leave to offer the following resolution:

Wm Peters, F H B Boyd, Saul Lepson, } First Branch. Jas S Suter, C S Griffith, } Second Branch.

Resolved by the Mayor and city council of Baltimore, that the Register be, and he is hereby directed to pay to the President of the New Market Fire Company, six hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purchase of eight hundred feet of good and efficient hose.

On motion of Mr Norwood, the resolution was read a second time, by special order, and adopted.

Mr Peters, chairman of the joint committee on fire companies, presented the following report and an accompanying ordinance, which were read and laid on the table:

The joint committee on fire companies, to whom was referred the petition of Samuel Russell, asking the privilege to erect a charcoal mill at the corner of Fremont and Pratt streets; also, the petition of property holders adjoining and in the vicinity, against the erection of said mill, have carefully examined the subject, and are of the opinion that the erection of said mill would be very injurious to the adjoining property, and also, to Public School No. 8, and therefore offer the accompanying ordinance.

Wm Peters, F H B Boyd, Saul Lepson, } First Branch. Jas S Suter, C S Griffith, } Second Branch.

Mr Peters, chairman of the joint committee on fire companies, presented the following report and resolution, which were read and laid on the table:

The joint committee on fire companies, to whom was referred the resolution in favor of the Washington hose company, have had the subject under consideration, and are of opinion that the annual appropriation is sufficient to cover all repairs and replace all losses the company has sustained, and therefore offer the following resolution:

Wm Peters, F H B Boyd, Saul Lepson, } First Branch. Jas S Suter, C S Griffith, } Second Branch.

Resolved, that the committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.