Resolved, that the High Constable be requested to inform this Branch why the supplementary ordinance No. 20, passed at Extra session of 1854, has not been enforced as directed by resolution of March 20th, 1855, emanating from the committee on Highways, found on page 411, of First Branch journal.

Mr. Cox called up the resolution to place a gas lamp on Calvert street, between Lombard and Pratt streets, which was read and concurred in.

An ordinance to repeal the ordinance to widen North Eutaw street; from the joint committee of conference on that subject; was received from the Second Branch, read and laid on the table.

The Second Branch returned the ordinance to open and condemn Hanover street endorsed "passed," also the resolution in favor of Aaron Wright, endorsed "concurred in".

Mr. Harker called up bill No. 77, an ordinance to name McKim street, from Neighbor street to Madison street, which was read.

On motion of Mr. F. Ch. B. Boyd, the blank in the 17th line was filled with the words "three thousand five hundred dollars".

On motion of Mr. F. Ch. B. Boyd, the bill was amended by adding to the end thereof, the following: "to be taken out of the levy for the year 1856."

The bill, as amended, was then passed.

Mr. Wright called up the resolution to adjourn the Council sine die on the 15th instant, which was read:

The question pending, being on the amendment to strike out the words "sine die," and insert the words "third day of September next,"

Mr. Kraft moved to amend the amendment, by striking out the words "third day of September," and inserting the words "eighteenth day of June," which was adopted.

Mr. Mullen, moved further to amend the resolution by striking out the words "fifteenth of May," and inserting the words "twenty-fifth of May," which was determined in the

affirmative by the following vote, the yeas and nays being required by Mr. Cox:

Yeas — Messrs. France, Mullen, J. Ch. Boyd, F. Ch. B. Boyd, Crawford, Thompson, Regester, White, Pyle, Lepson — 10.

Nays — Messrs. Suter, Harker, Cox, Kraft, Wright, Lusil, Counselman, Woods, Nicholls — 9.

Mr. Kraft moved further to amend the resolution, by striking out the words "until the eighteenth day of June next," and inserting the words "sine die".

Mr. France offered the following substitute for the resolution:

"Resolved by both Branches of the City Council of Baltimore that when the Councils adjourn on the 25th day of May, they stand adjourned sine die."

Mr. J. Ch. Boyd moved that the substitute be laid on the table, which was agreed to by the following vote, the yeas and nays being required by Mr. Kraft:

Yeas — Messrs. J. Ch. Boyd, Suter, F. Ch. B. Boyd, Crawford, Harker, Cox, Thompson, Regester, White, Pyle, Lepson, Woods — 12.

Nays — Messrs. France, Mullen, Kraft, Wright, Lusil, Counselman, Nicholls — 7.

The further consideration of the subject was then dispensed with.

On motion of Mr. F. Ch. B. Boyd, the Branch adjourned until to-morrow afternoon, at 5 o'clock.

By order,

Cornelius Spicer, Clerk.

Friday, May 11th, 1855.

The Branch met pursuant to adjournment.

Present — All the members, except Mr. Spicer, President.

On motion of Mr. Suter, Mr. James Mullen, of Ward, was appointed President pro tempore.