on motion of Mr Grove a message was sent to the 2d Branch inviteing them into convention

The President appointed Messrs Grove & Mullen to invite the 2d Branch into convention who returned accompanied by the President & members of the 2d Branch — after spending some time therein the 2d Branch returned to their chamber.

On motion of Mr Greer the Board adjourned

By order
Edward Clayton clerk

Appropriations

To Feby 29th 1856	$3.242. 53
Coopers & Butlers	15. 00
Revisors of the Ordinances	800. 00
John Miller	76. 00
	$4. 133. 53

Monday March 10th 1856

The Board met pursuant to adjournment

Present John F McCollister Esqr Presd and all the members except Messrs Pennington & Hynes

Mr Tidy presented the petition of J C Kroft asking permission to remove his slaughter house which was read and referred to the committee on Health

Mr Thomas presented the petition of Jas Buchanan asking the return of taxes paid in error which was read and referred to the committee on Claims

Mr Simms presented the petition of Hayward Bartlett & Co asking for a fire plug cor Pratt & Scott sts

which was read and referred to the committee on Water

Mr Simms presented the petition of Mrs Stewart and others asking for an increase of pay for the Carters and sexpers of the 4th district which was read and referred to the committee of Ways & Means

Mr Delany presented the petition of F Cook asking the payment of his bill which was read and referred to the committee on claims

Mr Boyd presented the petition of Lt Owen asking the return of taxes paid in error which was read and referred to the committee on claims.

Mr Greer from the committee on water submitted the following report and resolution which was read a first and by special order a second time and adopted.

The standing Committee on water to whom was referred the application of Thos Shanley and others for a fire plug at the N W Cor of Conway & Howard sts have had the same under consideration and beg leave to report the following resolution

Saml Greer
Jacob F Eyon
A S Ridgely
1st Branch

Wm E Bartlett Jr
Wm E Beale
Wm G Shoemaker
2d Branch

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council that the Water Commissioners heard they are hereby directed to have a fire plug put on the N W Cor of Conway & Howard sts if practicable