A report from the joint standing committee on claims, with a resolution relative to discharging the committee from the further consideration of the petition of Dr. C. T. D. Cunningham, were received from the First Branch and read.

On motion of Mr. Harney, the resolution was read a second time, by special order, and concurred in.

A report from the joint standing committee on claims with a resolution relative to authorizing the Register to pay to Bull & Tuttle the sum of one hundred and sixty one dollars and twenty cents, were received from the First Branch and read.

On motion of Mr. Kirk, the resolution was read a second time, by special order, and concurred in.

A report from the joint standing committee on claims with a resolution relative to discharging the committee from the further consideration of the petition of Dr. Yeates, were received from the First Branch and read.

On motion of Mr. Keller, the resolution was read a second time, by special order and concurred in.

A report from the joint standing committee on claims, with a resolution relative to authorizing the Register to pay to Charles Myers the sum of two hundred and thirteen dollars and ninety-two cents, being excess of benefits paids by him in the condemnation, opening and grading of Northern avenue, were received from the First Branch and read.

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

Mr. Buibower moved to lay the resolution on the table, which was determined in the affirmative.

A report from the joint standing committee on claims, with a resolution relative to discharging the committee from the further consideration of the petition of the commissioners of Baltimore county, were received from the First Branch and read.

On motion of Mr. Heintze, the resolution was read a second time, by special order, and concurred in.

Mr. Kirk in the chair.

Mr. Sudsnatcher submitted the following resolution, which was read.

Resolved by the Second Branch of the City Council of Baltimore, That the marshal of police be and he is hereby requested to publish in the several newspapers once a week, for six weeks, the ordinance in relative to goats going at large, No. 56, revised ordinances of 1850, and see that the said ordinance is duly executed.

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

Mr. Henning moved that the consideration of the preamble and resolution relative to requesting the representatives from the city of Baltimore in the General Assembly of Maryland to advocate the enactment of a law authorizing the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to issue stock to the amount of three hundred and fifty thousand dollars for the purpose of paying the indebtedness of and completing the new jail, be made the special order of the day for Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Kirk moved as a substitute that the preamble and resolution be made the special order of the day for Thursday afternoon, which was accepted by the following vote, the yeas and nays, being required by Mr. Kirk.

Yeas — Messrs. President, Harney, Kirk, Heintze, Boden and Keller — 6.

Nays — Messrs. Henning, Simms, Buibower and Sullivan — 4.

The motion as amended was adopted.

Mr. Kirk called up ordinance No 5. of the revised ordinances, entitled "An ordinance fixing the compensation of certain officers," which was read.

On motion of Mr. Kirk, the ordinance was read a second time, by special order.

Mr. Buibower moved to amend the first section by striking out the words "one hundred and fifty" in the twenty and twenty-first lines, and inserting the words "two hundred" which was determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Simms moved to amend the second section, by inserting after the word "dollar", in the third line, the words "and twenty-five cents;" which was determined in the affirmative by the following vote, the yeas and nays being required by Mr. Heintze.