Resolved by the second Branch of the city Council of Baltimore, that the door keeper of this Branch, have the Clock placed in thorough repair

A resolution relative to instructing the directors on the part of the city in the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road Company to vote against the admission of the gentleman recently commissioned by the President of the Commissioners of Public Works, was received from the First Branch, read a first, and by special order, a second time, and concurred in.

On motion of Mr McComas, the Branch adjourned until to Morrow afternoon at 5 O.Clock

By order

Isaac Coriell Clerk

Wednesday November 17. 1858

The Branch met pursuant to adjournment.

Present, William McPhail, Esq. President, and all the members.

A report from the joint special committee on the communication of the Mayor, with a resolution, was received from the First Branch, read and concurred in.

A resolution authorizing the Register to pay to the widow of the late police officer Rigdon, the sum of Five Hundred and Twenty Dollars ($520) was received from the first Branch, and read;

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

Mr Sewall presented the following resolution which was read.

Resolved by the First and Second Branches of the city Council of Baltimore, That a joint select committee, consisting of three members from each Branch, be appointed to examine into the accounts of the city Auditors office.

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

The President appointed Messrs Sewall, Cook and Ellicott as the committee, on the part of this Branch.

The following message was received from the First Branch

In First Branch

Baltimore Nov 16. 1858

Gentlemen of the Second Branch

We respectfully propose, with your concurrence, to refer the accompanying communication from the Mayor,

to a joint special committee, and name on the part of this Branch Messrs. Beale, Addison and Mace.

By order Richard R Patter, Clerk

On motion of Mr Ellicott the proposition contained in the message was concurred in.

The President appointed Messrs. Ellicott Musselman and Cathcart, as said committee on the part of this Branch

On motion of Mr Sewall the Branch adjourned until to morrow afternoon at 5 O.Clock.

By order

Isaac Coriell. Clerk

Thursday November 18. 1858

The Branch met pursuant to adjournment.

Present, William McPhail. Esq. President, and all the members.

Mr. Colton submitted a preamble and resolution relative to the appointment of a joint special committee on that part of the Mayor's message which refers to the establishment of a Mayor's Court, which was read and laid on the table.

On motion of Mr Ellicott the Branch adjourned until to morrow afternoon at 5 O.Clock

By order

Isaac Coriell, Clerk

Friday November 19. 1858

The Branch met pursuant to adjournment.

Present, William McPhail Esq. President, and all the members.

Mr Colton moved that a message be sent the First Branch proposing, with their concurrence, that when the Council adjourns this evening, it stand adjourned until Monday afternoon at 5 O.Clock, which was determined in the affirmative

The First Branch returned the resolution relative to authorizing the City Commissioner to advertise for plans and specifications for a new Alms House and Work Shops, indorsed "concurred in with proposed amendment"

Amendment proposed;

Strike out "Two Hundred", and insert in lieu thereof "Three Hundred."

On motion of Mr McComas, the amendment was concurred in

Mr Colton presented the bill of Louis Podgener, for Seven Dollars for work done on the yawl "Thomas Swann", for the use of