Mr Dryden offered the following resolution which was read and adopted,

Resolved by the First Branch of the City Council, That Mary and Rebecca Yundt have the privilege of withdrawing their petition from the files of this Branch, - reported on by the committee on claims March 26.

Mr Staylor offered the following resolution which was read

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the City Commissioner be and he is hereby authorized and directed to have Harford avenue repaired at and near its intersection with Aisquith street, and that the cost thereof be taken out of the appropriation for repairing paved streets for 1858.

On motion of Mr Staylor, the resolution was referred to the joint standing committee on highways,

Mr Harvey called up the ordinance entitled "An ordinance to condemn and open a thirty feet street running from Ostend to West street north, between Light and William streets, to be called McCabe street,

Mr Cunningham moved to amend the first section of the ordinance by inserting after the word "running" in the sixth line the words "from Ostend to West street north", which was determined in the affirmative,

Mr Addison moved to further amend the section by striking out the words "east" and "west" in the eighth line and inserting in lieu thereof the words "west" and "east" which was determined in the affirmative,

The ordinance as amended was passed.

Mr Addison called up the resolution relative to authorizing and directing the Register to pay to the managers of the House of Refuge the sum of twelve thousand dollars, to be provided for in the levy for 1859, and authorizing him to give the notes of the City for the same at twelve months after date if in his judgment, the interests of the corporation will be served thereby, which was read.

Mr Glanville moved to amend the resolution by striking out the words "twelve", in the third line, and inserting the word "ten",

Mr Dukehart called for a division of the question,

The question occurring on the motion to strike out, it was determined in the affirmative,



The question being taken on the motion to insert, it was determined in the affirmative,

The resolution, as amended, was adopted.

Mr Bandel called up the resolution relative to authorizing Mr F Murdoch, agent for the Philadelphia guano company, to erect a shed or sheds on the property leased by them, running from Philpot street to Block street, for the storage of guano, said shed or sheds to have fire proof roofs, and both ends lined with brick, which shed or sheds are to be removed when so ordered by the Mayor, which was read and concurred in.

Mr Dukehart called up the resolution relative to authorizing and directing the Register to pay to the board of Managers or other duly authorized officers of the Aged Women's Home the sum of five hundred dollars, which was read and adopted,

Mr Harvey called up the resolution relative to authorizing and directing the City Commissioner to advertise for proposals for repaving West Falls avenue, from Pratt street to the water line, which was read and adopted,

On motion of Mr Dukehart a message was sent to the Second Branch proposing with their concurrence, the appointment of three delegates from each Branch, to attend the Quarantine and Sanitary Convention to assemble in this City on the 29th inst, and that the President of each Branch be added to the delegation,

The President appointed Messrs Dukehart, Dunnock and Clark the delegates on the part of this Branch.

Mr Bandel called up the resolution relative to allowing James Hodges and others to remove the pump standing at the north east corner of Howard and Monument streets, which was read and concurred in by the following vote, the yeas and nays being required by Mr Cunningham,

Yeas Messrs President, Hynes, Bandel, Dukehart, Beale, Staylor, Dryden, Glanville, Addison, Harvey and Clark 11

Nays Messrs Maddox, Cunningham, Hampson, Hamilton, Dunnock, Wood and McComas - 7

Mr Dukehart called up revised ordinance No 31, entitled "An ordinance to provide for the keeping of the court house, record office and adjacent public apartments