the Corporation on reasonable terms. They therefore look forward with pleasure to the period when the stock will belong to the Corporation, provided effectual measures are adopted to reimburse those who hold more than their proportion as citizens.

And as the fixing of fire plugs at suitable distances in the streets will greatly tend to the security of property from fire, & the water company have offered to erect & support them at the rate of ten dollars per annum each, a sum your Committee think reasonable, They therefore respectfully submit the following resolutions to the consideration of the Council.

Resolved by the Mayor & City Council of Baltimore that application be made to the General aſsembly for a Supplement to our Charter of Incorporation, or an act of Aſsembly, to authorize the mayor & city Council to purchase the whole or any part of the stock in the Water Company from time to time, as they may find convenient, to borrow money if neceſsary for that purpose, & to appropriate the funds of the City, or impose a tax on the Aſseſsable

property thereof, for the payment of the principal, or interest of the sums so borrowed, or vested in said stock.

Resolved that the Corporation will engage to take from the water Company   fire plugs to be fixed at such places as may be deemed most ſuitable for which they will pay annually ten dollars each. Commencing as may be hereafter agreed on with the said Company

Novr. 13th 1805

Jas. Calhoun
Henry Payson
Thorndick Chase
Geo. P. Keeports
Wm. Lorman
Geo. Decker

The Committe on the Subject of a Remonstrance & petition to the State Legislature reported the following memorials which were read & agreed to

To the Honorable the General Aſsembly of Maryland

The Memorial of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore respectfully sheweth.—