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to a Hose Company in the purchase of a house and lot or piece of ground for an Engine House for the use of said Company; ~~which is to be laid out under the direction of the President and Directors of said Company~~ provided that the deed to be executed to the said Company conveying the said lot contain a covenant on their part that the property shall be used for the purpose of an engine house, ~~and that and which property shall be bound by lien to the~~ and that in case the same should not be used for that purpose, or in case ~~the City that it shall be used for that purpose and in case~~ the said Fire Company should wish to dispose of it, that then the said sum ~~said property shall be sold then said sum with interest~~ of $400 with the rent shall be returned by said Company to the corporation ~~to be returned to their Corporation~~.

This Branch then adjourned until tomorrow afternoon 3 O'Clock.

By order, Thos. Rogers Clk

In 2d Branch March 13. 1816

Branch met agreeably to adjournment. Present Henry Payson Esq. Pres. and all the members.

A Message was received from the first branch, informing that they had concurred in the amendment proposed by this branch to the Resolution augmenting the salary of the City Register:

A Bill, entitled, An ordinance for licensing Shuffle Boards in the City of Baltimore, was received from the first branch, was read the ~~second~~ first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The following Resolution was received from the first branch for the concurrence of this, was read the first and by special order a second time, amended to and returned to that Branch.

Resolved by both branches of the City Council that Samuel Young be and he is hereby requested to prepare for publication the ordinances of the present Session on a similar paper and

in the same form with the compilation of the ordinances heretofore completed by him, with marginal notes and with an index; and that the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to cause the same to be bound up with the ordinances above mentioned. And be it further resolved that there be paid to Samuel Young as a full compensation for his services in preparing the new edition of the City Ordinances under a former Resolution of the City Council, the sum of four hundred dollars, and the sum of one hundred dollars on the completion for publication of the ordinances of the present Session; and that there be paid to Thomas Rogers the sum of one hundred dollars, and to John Hargrove the sum of one hundred dollars for the services rendered by them in the preparation of the compilation aforesaid.

The following resolution was received from the first branch for the concurrence of this, was read the first and by special order a second time amended to with the proposed amendments, and returned to that branch.

Resolved by both branches of the City Council that the Mayor be and he is hereby authorised and requested to appoint three persons competent to the purpose whose duty it shall be to survey the Eastern part of the City between Market Street in the eighth ward and Harris' Creek and report to the Mayor the best plans for conducting the water in such manner as shall be least injurious to the navigation, and the expense of completing the plan they may report as most advisable: and the Mayor is requested on receipt of said report to call the City Council together for the purpose of adopting such measures as they may judge most advisable for the protection of the navigation and