Thursday January 30th 1834

The Branch met pursuant to adjournment, present P. Moore Esqr. President and all the members except Mr Carroll

A Report & Resolution from the Committee of conference on the Resolution relative to the propositions of Geo. M. Miller was received from the First Branch which was read a first and by special order the second time, concurred in and returned to the First Branch —

A Report & Resolution authorising the City Commissioners to change the grade of Holling Street &c was received from the First Branch which was read and on Motion referred to the Committee on Streets —

Mr Savage submitted the following Resolution which was read a first and by special order the second time, concurred in and sent to the first branch —

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorised to cause the materials of any buildings which it may necessary to pull down in widening Water Street near Jones's Falls, to be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash and the proceeds of said sale to be paid over to the Registrar — and that the purchaser of said materials be required to give bonds with approved security, under such penalty as the Mayor may deem proper, to cause the materials so sold to be removed from the premises within a certain number of days, to be named by the Mayor —

Mr Hulburd from the Committee submitted the following Report and a Bill entitled an Ordinance relative to altering the grade of Holling Street, which was read and on Motion laid on the Table —

The committee on streets to whom was referred the petition of Anna Boyd; also the resolutions of the first branch of the City Council relative to altering the grade of Holling Street between Amity Alley & Schroeder Street, take leave to report the accompanying Ordinance —

Wm Hulburd
Isaac Smith
F. Sneads Jr
} Committee on Streets

On motion the Branch then adjourned until tomorrow afternoon at half past three o'clock

By order T. W. Bale Clerk —

Friday January 31st 1834

The Branch met pursuant to adjournment, present P. Moore Esqr. President and all the members except Mr Carroll —

Mr Moore from the Committee submitted the following Report and Resolution with a Memorial accompanying the same to the Houses. the Senate and House of Representatives in Congress, which was read a first and by special order the second time, concurred in and sent to the First Branch —

The Committee on the Harbour to whom was referred so much of the Mayors annual communication as relates to memorialising Congress for an appropriation to assist in deepening and preserving the Harbour beg leave to Report —

That they have attentively considered the subject, and do not hesitate in giving it as their opinion, that such an application ought again to be made to Congress at the present session, and if successful, that it should be renewed at each succeeding session, until the reasonable and just claims of the City are complied with — they have accordingly prepared a Memorial, for which they ask your favourable consideration and also the adoption of the accompanying Resolution —

Saml. Moore
Wm. Hulburd
Samuel Thomas
} Committee —

Balto. Janr. 31st 1834 —

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the Memorial to the Congress of the United States herewith presented by the Committee on the Harbour, be authenticated as the act of this corporation, and that two copies be made out, one to be forwarded to the Honorable Joseph Kent and Ezekiel