Gentlemen

In answer to the order adopted by your branch February 25th relative to the walling of Harford run from Hurst street to the city dock of sufficient height to admit of grading the adjoining streets. The city commissioners report the following estimate viz

For cost of walling Harford run (an average height of 9 feet) from Hurst street southerly to the city dock $3,938 00

Respectfully

Your obedt servts

Richard C. Murray
A. R. Blakeney
Talbot Gosnell
City Commissioners

The communication was read and

On motion of Mr Longerman referred to the joint committee on the harbor

The following communication was received

City Commissioners Office
Baltimore March 11. 1845

To the President and members of the
Second Branch of the City Council

Gentlemen

In answer to the resolution of your branch "requesting the city commissioners to examine the fence at Charles street spring and report the amount that would be required to repair the same" the city commissioners respectfully report the following estimate viz

For repairing the fence at Charles street spring including the repairs of the gates brick walls and paving $125.00
For painting the Charles street spring three coats 100.00
225.00

Respectfully

Your obedt servts

Richard C. Murray
A. R. Blakeney
Talbot Gosnell
City Commissioners

The communication was read and on Motion of Mr Boyd referred to the joint committee on Water

On motion of Mr Coughy the branch adjourned until tomorrow afternoon at half past 3 o'clock

By order
N. W. Pennington Clerk

Wednesday March 12. 1845

The branch met pursuant to adjournment
Present Robert Howard Esq. President and all the members
Mr Wright from the joint committee submitted the following report and resolution.

The joint committee on claims to whom was referred the petition of Chauncy Brooks and others, asking the Mayor and city Council of Baltimore to appropriate fifty a sixty five dollars, to pay a portion of the expences of repairing Monument Street in 1840, have had the same under consideration, and are of the opinion that the request is reasonable and ought to be granted — therefore, we offered the following resolution

Respy. W. W. Wright
Jamie Barnes
B. H. Richardson
Committee of Second Branch
Robert Perrewanie
Wm T. Howard
Robt Bartley
Committee First Branch

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore That the Register be and he is hereby directed to pay Chauncy Brooks, the sum of Forty dollars, for the repairs of Monument Street, out of the appropriation for highways & Bridges.

The report and resolution were read.

Mr Wright from the joint committee submitted the following report and resolution

The joint committee on claims to whom was referred the petition of George W. Riggs asking the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to refund him the amount of thirty nine dollars and forty cents taxes paid by him on Baltimore & Ohio Rail Road Stock for the year 1844, have had the same under consideration and