"each", which was determined in the affirmative.
Mr Suter moved to insert after the word "houses" in 2nd line of sec 2, the words "not less than twenty feet front each", which was determined in the affirmative.
The Ordinance being on its passage will pass.
The First Branch returned the ~~resolution~~ explanatory of ordinance No 8, 1850, endorsed "concurred".
A resolution to have the slaughter house of Charles Lowry removed; and the resolution to refit the City Collectors office, were received from the First Branch, respectively read a first & second time & concurred in.
A resolution to make annual appropriations to the Fire Companies of the city, was rec'd from the First Branch, read & lain on the table.
On motion of Mr Falls, the Branch adjourned until to-morrow afternoon at 5 o'clk.

By order John Griffith Clk

Friday May 20, 1853

The Branch met pursuant to adjournment.
Present John B. Seidenstricker Esq. Pres. & all the members.
On motion of Mr Parlow, the resolution to make annual appropriations to the several Fire Companies was taken up & read.
Mr Parlow moved to insert the word "Fire Companies" after the word "Washington" in 9th line, which was determined in the affirmative.
Mr Vickers moved to strike out the word "Hook & Ladder" and add at the end of the resolution the following: "and in consideration of the amount appropriated for the purpose of building a house for the protection of the apparatus of the Hook & Ladder Company, being insufficient to complete said work, that the Regulator be and he is hereby directed to pay to the President of said Company, for this year, the sum of eight hundred dollars, to be taken out of any money in the treasury". which was determined in the affirmative.
Mr Vickers moved to strike out the word "fourteen thousand four hundred" & insert "thirteen thousand six hundred", which was determined in the affirmative.
The resolution was concurred in with proposed amendments.
A message was rec'd from the First Branch proposing that when the Council adjourns this evening it stand adj. till Monday afternoon next at 5 o'clk which was rec'd & concurred in.
An ordinance to open Hamburg street to Cross street; an ordinance to open Regnart from Lexington to Saratoga; and ordinance to open West Baltimore street to the city limits; a resolution in favor of C. T. Driver, and a resolution to place flag & stepping stones at sundry places were received from the First Branch, read & lain on the table.
A resolution in favor of Mr Dealey, was rec'd from the First Branch read first & second time & concurred in.

On motion of Mr Vickers, the resolution to have certain ordinances of the City, bound was taken up, read & adopted.
On motion of Mr Stewart, the resolution in favor of Dr Albright was taken up & reconsidered.
The question being on the substitute offered on the 17th inst, the resolution was concurred in with proposed substitute.
On motion of Mr Webster, the resolution in favor of Mr Sahley & Archer Rogers, was taken up & read.
On leave, Mr Stewart withdrew his amendment offered on the 17th inst.
On leave Mr Vickers withdrew his amendment offered on the 17th inst.
Mr Stewart moved to strike out the word "three hundred" in 13th line, and insert "one hundred & fifty" which was determined in the negative by the following vote - Yeas 4, Nays 6.
Mr Parlow moved to strike out the word "three" in 13th line & insert "two", which was determined in the negative by the following vote - Yeas 5, Nays 5.
Mr Stewart called for a division of the question, and the vote being taken on so much of the resolution as applies to Mr Sahley, it was concurred in; and so much as applies to Archer Rogers, was concurred in by the following vote - Yeas 6, Nays 5.
On motion of Mr Falls the Branch adjourned. By order

John Griffith Clk

Monday May 23, 1853

The Branch met pursuant to adjournment.
Present - John B. Seidenstricker Esq. Pres. & all the members.
On motion of Mr Stewart, the vote on so much of the resolution in favor of Mr Sahley & Archer Rogers, as applies to Archer Rogers was reconsidered.
Mr Stewart moved to strike out the word "three hundred" & insert "two hundred" which was determined in the affirmative.
The resolution was concurred in with proposed amendment.
An ordinance to improve the wharf on West Falls avenue; a resolution in favor of Samuel Brady, and a resolution to repair a culvert on the Washington road, were rec'd from the First Branch, read & lain on the table.
A resolution in favor of James Lovegrove, was rec'd from the First Branch read a first & second time & concurred in.
The First Branch returned the ordinance in relation to Union Square endorsed "will pass with proposed amendments".
Amendment proposed - In the 6th line, strike out the word "seven" & insert "fourteen".
On motion of Mr Parlow, a message was sent to the First Branch requesting the concurrence of the amendment.
Mr Gill presented a petition from G. W. Stewart, relative to the opening of West Baltimore street, which was rec'd & referred to the joint committee of ways.
On motion of Mr Parlow, the ordinance to open Regnart street, from Lexington to Saratoga street, and the ordinance to open Hamburg street to Cross street were respectively taken up, read & will pass.
Mr Falls, chairman of the joint committee on the harbor, reported an ordinance granting permission to R. W. Cliff & the New Creek Coal Iron Co to extend their wharf at Locust Point, which was rec'd & lain on the table.