Wm S. Crowley,
Wm. Houlton, } Second Branch
Edward C. Thomas
Charles L. Krafft, } First Branch
John S. Wright,

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, that the Register be and he is hereby authorized and directed to pay out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Ludwig Haneman, the sum of thirty dollars compensation for the destruction of his property.

Mr Crowley from the committe on claims, presented the following report, which was read a first, and by special order a second time, and adopted:

The joint standing committe on claims, to whom was referred the bill of Gabriel D. Clarke, for a clock for the Superior Court room, respectfully offer the following resolution

Wm S. Crowley,
Wm Houlton, } Second Branch
Edward C. Thomas
Chas. L. Krafft, } First Branch
John S. Wright,

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, that the Register be and he is hereby authorized and directed to pay to Gabriel D. Clarke, the sum of twenty dollars, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated:

Mr Hintze from the committe on health, presented the following report, and an accompanying ordinance, which were read and laid on the table:

The joint standing committe on health, to whom was referred an ordinance entitled a supplement to an ordinance entitled an ordinance to enforce useful regulations, have carefully examined the same, and are of opinion that such an enactment is much needed. During the past summer, a fatal epidemic occurred in the south eastern section of the city; the source of which was attributed to the accumulation of filth, on the bed and in the gutters of streets, so obstructed by lumber and other materials, as to render such street and gutters inaccessible to the city scavengers, and other persons employed by the city authorities, to remove the offensive matter. The small penalty imposed under existing ordinances, render the law ineffective; and the offenders finding it cheaper to pay the fine, than to remove the obstruction, hence, at the last annual session of the Council, a similar ordinance was unanimously passed by the First Branch of the City Council, (at the solicitation of the commissioners of health and high

constable) but in consequence of the close of the session, was not passed by the Second Branch.

It will be seen by the construction of this ordinance, that it is merely intended to apply the case of sudden emergency. They respectfully submitt the accompanying supplementary ordinance.

W. E. B. Hintze,
Wm. S. Crowley, } Second Branch
Edward C. Thomas
Wm J. Steele,
Orlando G. White } First Branch
John. Grance

Mr Bartlett called up bill No. 27, an ordinance for the support and encouragement of volunteer corps of the city of Baltimore.

On motion of Mr Bartlett, the section of the bill was transposed.

Mr Thomas moved to amend the first section, by striking out the word "two", in the thirteenth line, and inserting the word "one", which was adopted.

Mr Beale moved to strike out the first section of the bill, which was determined in the negative by the following vote, the yeas and nays being required by Mr Crowley:

Yeas - Messrs Houlton, Beale, Hintze, Zimmerman - 4.

Nays - Messrs President, Crowley, Shoemaker, Welsh, Bartlett, Thomas - 6.

Mr Crowley moved to further amend the first section by striking out the word "two", in the twenty eighth line, and inserting the word "one", which was adopted.

The question being taken on the passage of the bill, it was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays being required by Mr Hintze:

Yeas - Messrs, President, Shoemaker, Crowley, Beale, Welsh, Bartlett, Thomas, Zimmerman - 8.

Nays - Messrs. Houlton, Hintze - 2.

Mr Crowley moved to amend the title of the bill by striking out the words, "to repeal an ordinance entitled an ordinance", which was adopted.

On motion of Mr Crowley, the vote by which Benaiman & Bro. and others, was referred to the committe on commerce, was reconsidered and the petition referred to the committe on the harbor.

Mr Welsh called up the report on commissioners of finance accounts, which was read and concurred in.