tary the following as section – which was determined in the affirmative.

Sec – And be it enacted and ordained, That it shall not be lawful for any band or number of musicians who are under twenty one years of age, who may be styled fishing clubs, who shall parade on street, lane or alley, or any other club shall first obtain a permit, in writing from the Mayor, each and every person constituting said processions, shall forfeit and pay for each and every offence the sum of twenty dollars, one half to the informer, the other to be paid into the city treasury.

Mr. Whitty moved to amend the third section by striking out all after the word "discharge", in the second line, and inserting the words, "any cannon, swivel, gun, pistol, revolver, rocket, Roman candle, fire arms, fire works, bombs &c., or other explosive combustible matter, at or before the assembling, during the movement or of halting of any political or other procession, gathering or meeting, or upon any festive occasion or holiday, or at any other time whatever, in any of the streets, lanes or alleys, or any other place or spot within the corporate limits of the city of Baltimore," each and every such person, or persons, for each and every such offence, shall upon conviction, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding twenty dollars, one half of the amount of the penalty so imposed, to be paid to the informer and the balance to the officer or officers making arrests of the offender or offenders." which was determined in the affirmative.

The ordinance, as amended, was passed.

On motion of Mr. Welsh, the Branch adjourned until to morrow afternoon at 5 o'clock,

By order,

Allen E. Forrester Cl.

Tuesday, June 24th. 1856.

The branch met pursuant to adjournment,

Present – James Armitage Esq President and all the members, except Mr. Hutton.

A report from the Joint Standing Committee on Highways, and a resolution appropriating $450 for repairs at Patterson's Pack, Franklin Square and at the Point Spring, was received from the First Branch, read a first, and by special order, a second time and concurred in.

The first branch returned the resolution in favor of the Pioneer Hook and Ladder Company endorsed "concurred in".

The first branch returned the ordinance for repairing the wharves of the Back Basin, &c, endorsed "will pass with proposed amendment",

Amendments proposed:–

Strike out in the first section the words "deepened so as to admit vessels of eight feet draft water, and to put the wharves thereof", in the fourth and fifth lines, and insert the word "put".

Insert after the word "the", in the third line of section first, the words "wharves of the".

Strike out the words "six thousand" in the second line of section two, and insert the words, "two thousand five hundred".

Strike out the words "1857", in the last line of section two, and insert the words, "1856".

Strike out all after the word "four", in the first line of the title, and add the word "repairing the wharves of the Back Basin".

On motion of Mr. Welsh the proposed amendments were concurred in.

The following message was received from the first branch and read:–

In First Branch,
Baltimore, June 9th, 1856,

Gentlemen of the Second Branch:

We respectfully request the appointment of a Joint Committee of Conference in the resolution in favor of Noah Walker, and name as said committee on the part of this branch, Messrs Beale Willett and Thomas,

By order,
J. M. Pearson, Clerk,

On motion of Mr. Beale the message was concurred in, and the President appointed, as the committee on the part of this branch, Messrs Beale, Willett, and Thomas,

The following message was received from the first Branch and read:–