The first branch returned the resolution relative to fire works at Franklin Square, endorsed concurred in," "with proposed amendment,"

Amendment proposed;

Insert after the word "Square" the words and in the vicinity of Holland and Douglas streets;

On motion of Mr. Beale, the proposed amendment was non-concurred in.

Mr. Beale moved that a message be sent to the first branch, proposing the appointment of a committee of conference on the resolution relative to fire works in various places, which was determined in the affirmative, and the President appointed Messrs Beale, Thomas and Hilbert, as the committee on the part of this branch.

The following message was received from the First Branch, read and laid on the table:-

In First Branch,
Baltimore [illegible] 1858,

Gentlemen of the Second Branch:

We respectfully inform you that we concur in your proposition to appoint a Joint committee of conference on the resolution relative to fire works at Franklin Square and name as said committee, on the part of this branch, Messrs. Gore, Hynes and Keitz,

By order,

Jno. M. Pegory, Clerk.

A resolution directing the Register to transfer $45,000 to pay the interest due on the endorsed bonds of the Baltimore & Western Virginia Railroad Company was received from the first branch read and laid on the table.

Mr. Hintze offered the following preamble and resolution which were read and laid on the table.

Whereas notice has been given by Thomas Swann President of the Northwestern Virginia Railroad Company to the Mayor, that provision must be made by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore for the payment of interest due on bonds of said Company guaranteed by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, by ordinance No. 40, approved June 5th, 1852: therefore be it

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore that in the event of non-payment of interest by the Northwestern Virginia Railroad Company on the bonds

of said company guaranteed by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, the Counsellor of the city be and he is hereby instructed to foreclose the mortgage held by the Mayor and City Council for the payment of said interest, forthwith for the purpose of securing the city against loss.

A report from the Joint Committee of Conference on the resolution relative to the removal of pump on West Lombard street, was received from the first branch read a first and by special order a second time and concurred in.

A report from the Joint Committee on fire Companies with a resolution granting permission to Macullar Perrine & Sons to change the location of their pitch kilns and work shops on West Baltimore street, was received from the first branch, read a first, and by special order a second time,

Mr. Thomas moved to amend the resolution by striking out the words, "by the Mayor giving three months notice thereof," and inserting the words, "at any time by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore after three months notice shall have been given by the Mayor," which was determined in the affirmative by the following vote, the yeas and nays being required by Mr. Hintze:

Yeas — Messrs. President, Shoemaker, Bartlett, Thomas — 4.

Nays — Messrs, Beale, Hintze, Hilbert — 3.

The resolution as amended, was concurred in.

Mr. Beale from the Joint Committee of conference on the resolution relative to fire works, presented the following report and resolution, which was read a first and by special order a second time and adopted.

The Committee of Conference to whom was referred the matter of fireworks at Franklin Square, on the 4th of July respectfully recommend the following resolution,

Wm. E. Beale,
John Hilbert,
E. C. Thomas, } Second Branch

Jacob Y. Gore,
J. H. Hynes,
Samuel Keitz } First Branch.

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore that permission be granted to the Residents of