Committee may report to either branch,

The report and resolution were read and laid on the table.

Mr. Bartlett from the Joint Standing Committee on Ways and Means, presented the following report and resolution, which were read a first and by special order a second time and adopted:-

The Joint Standing Committee on Ways and Means, to whom was referred the petition of P. D. Laventenett asking of the Council to purchase, "a number of copies of the new map of the city," published by himself do not think it advisable to make such a purchase as each department of the city has a contingent fund, out of which such purchase, could be made if necessary respectfully report the following resolution:-

Wm. E. Bartlett Jr.,
E. C. Thomas,
John Wilbert,
Jacob Y. Grove,

Second Branch
First Branch

Resolved that the Committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Mr. Bartlett from the Joint Standing Committee on Ways and Means, presented the following report and resolution, which were read a first, and by special order a second time and adopted:-

The Joint Standing Committee on Ways and Means, to whom was referred the petition of Benjamin Elliott keeper of the market, under the Maryland Institute asking for an increase of salary on account of the hours of keeping the market open later - respectfully report the following resolution:-

Wm. E. Bartlett Jr.,
E. C. Thomas,
John Wilbert,
Jacob C. Grove,

Second Branch
First Branch.

Resolved that the committee be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Mr. Crowley called up ordinance No. 31. of the Second Ordinances entitled "an ordinance for the appointment of a high constable Deputy High Constable and Police Officers" and prescribing their duties" which was read,

Mr. Crowley moved to strike out the fifteenth section which

was determined in the affirmative,

Mr. Hinkle moved to strike out the remaining section which was determined in the affirmative,

Mr. Thomas moved to amend the twenty first section by striking out the words "keep such a horse as will enable him to," in the third and fourth lines.

Mr. Crowley moved as a substitute to strike out the words "such," in the third line, and to strike out the words "as will," in the fourth line, and insert the word "to," which was determined in the affirmative.

The substitute for the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Beale moved to amend the ordinance by adding thereto the following additional section, which was determined in the affirmative:-

Section 29 Be it enacted and ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore that immediately after the passage of this ordinance and annually thereafter as the officers of the city are appointed the Mayor shall select four of the Vaccine Physicians and Health Wardens most contiguous to the different wards and police stations whose duty it shall be in addition to the duties now imposed upon them by the ordinance to preserve the Health of the City of Baltimore, to attend all cases occurring at the different police stations of the city, either among the officers or prisoners, which may require medical or surgical services, and also to attend coroners inquests, when the Coroner shall confess himself incompetent, to give an opinion, and investigate and decide the causes of demise.

Section 30. Be it enacted and ordained, that each Physician so selected and appointed, shall, in addition to the $50 to be paid a Vaccine Physician and $50 as Health Wardens, receives the addition sum of $50. per annum, in quarterly payment provided the Mayor be satisfied that all and singular, the various duties imposed by this ordinance and the ordinance to regulate the health of the city, have been faithfully discharged.

Sec. 31 Be it enacted and ordained that from and after this passage of this ordinance it shall be the duty of the City Physician when requested by either of the above named Vaccine Physicians or Health Wardens, to give his advice and assistance in any of the above cases enumerated.

Sec. 32. Be it enacted and ordained that from and after