Wednesday, Nov. 19th 1851.

The members elect of the Second Branch of the City Council assembled in their Chamber, at five o'clock this afternoon in pursuance of a summons from the Mayor.

The roll was called and the following gentlemen appeared at the desk of the Clerk and were duly qualified, before Justice Wm. H. Maynard, in accordance with the requisitions of the Constitution of the State of Maryland:

Edward Horney	First and Second Wards.
George W. Henry	Third and Fourth Wards.
Samuel Kirk	Fifth and Sixth Wards.
John B. Seidenstricker	Seventh and Eighth Wards.
Dr F. E. B. Kreitzer	Ninth and Tenth Wards.
Alexander B. Gordon	Eleventh and Twelfth Wards.
John R. Helps	Thirteenth and Fourteenth Wards.
Joseph Simms	Fifteenth and Sixteenth Wards.
Samuel Bierbower	Seventeenth and Eighteenth Wards.
Robert Sullivan	Nineteenth and Twentieth Wards.

On motion of John R. Helps, John B. Seidenstricker Esq. was called to the chair.

The Chairman announced that the first business to engage the attention of the Branch would be the election of a President, whereupon

Mr. Kreitzer nominated John B. Seidenstricker Esq.

Mr. Kirk moved that Mr. Helps be requested to cast the vote of the Branch for President, which was determined in the affirmative.

The vote of the Branch was cast, and Mr. Seidenstricker was declared to be unanimously elected.

Mr. Henry moved that the per diem of the Clerk be fixed at $6 which was determined in the affirmative.

The President announced the election of a Clerk to be the next business in order, whereupon

Mr. Henry nominated Allen E. Forrester.

Mr. Henry moved that Mr. Kirk be requested to cast the vote of the Branch for Clerk, which was determined in the affirmative.

The vote of the Branch being cast, Allen E. Forrester was declared to be unanimously elected.

Mr. Kirk moved that the per diem of the Doorkeeper be fixed at $2 which was determined in the affirmative.

The next business being the election of Doorkeeper.

Mr Kirk nominated John Kitts.