Mr Talbott offered the following substitute for the resolution:
Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the sum of one hundred dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended for shade trees upon Broadway, between Baltimore and Gay streets, to be taken out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.
Mr Cunningham moved to lay the substitute on the table, which was determined in the negative by the following vote, the yeas and nays being required by Mr Talbott.
Yeas. Messrs, Cunningham, Hampson, Dryden, Word, Glanville, Addison, McComas, Harvey and Clark — 9.
Nays Messrs President, Hynes, Bandel, Maddox, Beacham, Duttehart, Talbott, Beale, Staylor and Hamilton — 10
The question recurring on the adoption of the substitute, it was determined in the negative by the following vote, the yeas and nays being required by Mr Hynes:
Yeas. Messrs President, Hynes, Maddox, Beacham, Talbott, Beale, Hampson, Hamilton and Addison — 9.
Nays. Messrs Bandel, Duttehart, Staylor, Cunningham, Dryden, Word, Glanville, McComas, Harvey and Clark — 10
The question recurring, on the adoption of the original resolution, it was determined in the affirmative by the following vote, the yeas nays being required by Mr Beale,
Yeas, Messrs Hynes, Bandel, Dickerson, Talbott, Beale, Staylor, Cunningham, Dryden, Word, Glanville, Addison McComas Harvey and Clark — 14.
Nays Messrs President, Maddox, Beacham, Hampson and Hamilton — 5
Mr Beale moved to reconsider the vote taken on the adoption of the resolution and to lay the resolution on the table, which was determined in the affirmative by the following vote the yeas and nays being required by Mr Beale.
Yeas, Messrs President, Hynes, Maddox, Beacham, Duttehart, Talbott, Beale, Staylor, Hampson, Hamilton, Dryden, Word, Glanville, Addison, McComas and Harvey — 16 —
Nays, Messrs Bandel, Cunningham and Clark — 3
Mr Beacham from the joint standing committee on the harbor, submitted the following report and resolution which were read
The joint standing committee on the harbor to whom was referred the petition of Henry Creagh and James Gardner, asking permission to use temporarily a portion of the bed of Lancaster Street, for the purpose of putting together the timbers &c of a small vessel, have considered the same, and



respectfully submit the following resolution.

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| Leonard H Bandel | First Branch | Edw Horney | Second Branch |
| Silas Beacham | | Joseph Simms | |
| | | H. C. B. Hintze | |

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That Henry Creagh and James Gardner, are hereby permitted to use a portion of the bed of the east end of Lancaster street, for the purpose of putting together the timbers of a small vessel; the said street not to be used for that purpose for a longer period than six months.
The President laid upon the Branch the following communication from the City Commissioner.

City Commissioner's Office
Baltimore March 22. 1858

To the President and Members
of the First Branch City Council.

Gentlemen,
In answer to your resolution of inquiry, requesting me to inform your Branch the cause that has prevented the carrying out the resolution No 72, approved April 2. 1856, and resolution No 150, approved May 29. 1856 I beg to reply that I am unable to say what kind of an improvement was contemplated by the resolutions referred to. I have examined the condition of the sewers, and do not find that they require any attention, as they appear to be in good condition at this time.
It may be that the former Commissioner intended to place a patent trap in the sewers referred to in the resolutions named above, but I do not know that such was the case. I can only say if it is the desire of your honorable body to have them changed or improved in any manner, I am prepared to carry out your determination

Respectfully submitted
W. S. Bay by City Commissioner

On motion of Mr Beacham, the Branch adjourned until tomorrow afternoon at 5 o clock.

By order
Richard R Butler Clerk

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| To March 22 . . . . . | 56. 521.57 |
| House for Centre market | 150.00 |
| Iron bridge over Jones Falls at Lombard Street | 4.500.00 |
| Whitewashing trees at Eastern spring | 15.00 |
| Total to March 29 . . . . . | $ 61.186.57 |