No. 108.

Resolution congratulating A. S. Abell, Esq.

Whereas, it is an eminent and appropriate duty for the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, assembled as the representatives of the people of said city, to ever give prompt and full measure of praise and commendation to enterprises which have contributed to the advancement, growth, and benefit of said city, and the comfort, instruction, and pleasure of its inhabitants; and whereas, there is approaching an anniversary remarkable alike in municipal and journalistic history, viz., the semi-centennial of the *Baltimore Morning Sun;* and whereas, the very exceptional character of said event is discovered in the fact that the said paper, founded by Mr. Arunah S. Abell fifty years ago on the coming 17th of May, and has remained uninterruptedly under his ownership and management, thus making him, as we believe, the oldest in age, as well as the oldest in service, of any living journalist in either hemisphere; and whereas, in his long life Mr. Abell has proved himself a citizen of enterprise, usefulness, and uprightness, investing largely of his means in a manner that has benefited the community, and substantially promoted the growth and importance of the city, and has also by generous gifts contributed to the relief of the poor and indigent, and in aid of special projects of public interest; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, in regular session assembled, That they recognize in the coming anniversary of *The Sun* a source of much credit and honor to Mr. Abell, and that they greet him with congratulations that he has been spared to witness the marvelous success of an enterprise to which he devoted his early years, his matured manhood, and his venerable age.

Resolved, That these proceedings be engrossed in proper form and presented to Mr. Abell by a committee of the Council, of which the Mayor shall be chairman, and that they also be entered upon the minutes of the respective Branches.

Approved May 14, 1887.

JAMES HODGES, *Mayor.*

No. 109.

Resolution granting permission to the Locust Point Union Church to erect a tabernacle.

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the Locust Point Union Church Association to erect a temporary frame building on Hull street near Clement street; said building to be 40x70 feet, and to be used as a tabernacle for public worship; the work to be done at their own expense and under the supervision of the Inspector of Buildings.

Approved May 16, 1887.

JAMES HODGES, *Mayor.*

No. 110.

Resolution in favor of Herman L. Walkemeyer.

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the Comptroller of the City be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant on