RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, In consideration of the public service that was anticipated from its construction, a most liberal charter was granted by the State, exempting the company and all its property from paying any taxation for the support of the government of either the State or city, and has enjoyed that exemption for seventy-five years, which has been worth in that time many million dollars; and

Whereas, The City of Baltimore is now threatened with such a scarcity of fuel as may embarrass its trade and its industries, close the public schools and cause great sickness and mortality among the people because of a lack of coal to warm their houses; now therefore

Be it resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company be urgently requested to come to the rescue of the people by using every facility at their command to transport coal from the mines to the city, giving preference, if need be, to the carriage of coal over other kinds of freight until the urgent needs of the people of this city are supplied.

Resolved, That a Joint Committee of two members of the Second Branch and three members of the First Branch be appointed by the respective presiding officers of the two Branches to present a copy of these resolutions to the President of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company and to confer with him as to the best method of getting coal to the city.

Resolved further, That the said Joint Committee be instructed to consider the whole question of the fuel supply for the city, and report to the Council such suggestions for action by the Council in the premises as they may deem proper for the public good.

Approved October 15, 1902.

THOMAS G. HAYES, Mayor.

No. 29.

Resolution to provide for the removal of a drinking fountain.

SECTION 1. Be it resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That Resolution No. 210, approved June 4, 1880, be and the same is hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. Be it further resolved, That the Engineer of the Water Department be and he is hereby directed to remove the drinking fountain from the southeast corner of Stockholm street and Peach alley.

Approved October 28, 1902.

THOMAS G. HAYES, Mayor.

No. 30.

Resolution granting permission to Samuel & McKay to erect a frame structure for kindling wood mill.

Resolved by the Mayor and City Council, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Samuel & McKay to erect on the premises, 512 West Falls avenue, a frame structure about 25 feet by 60 feet and about 25 feet high. All to be used for steam sawing of kindling wood and the upper part to be used for storage of kindling wood. All to be done under the supervision of the Inspector of Buildings and to be subject to the payment of the usual charges.

Approved October 28, 1902.

THOMAS G. HAYES, Mayor.

No. 31.

Resolution of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore granting permis sion to the Hammond Ice Company to erect a one-story building.

Be it resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the Hammond Ice Company to erect a one-