Yeas Messrs President, Frazier, Boyd, Howard, Raney, Ross, Harden, Barnet, Jones, Hook, 10.

Nays. Mr Wright — 1.

Concurred in and sent to the first branch.

A message was sent to the first branch stating that this branch had placed Messrs Howard, Jones and Harden on the above committee.

The resolution relative to the dwelling of the keeper of the public walk was read the second time concurred in and returned to the first branch.

The branch then adjourned until to morrow afternoon at half past 3 o'clock.

By order

J. H. Belt Clerk



Tuesday. Feb 11. 1840

Second Branch

The branch met pursuant to adjournment — present J. Lowcas Esq. President and all the members except Mr Barnet.

Mr Hook presented a petition from S. George and others for flag stones in Saratoga Street which was read on his motion referred to the city commissioners.

A message was received from the first branch covering a resolution for the appointment of a joint select committee to make certain enquiries relative to recaptured Africans &c and manning on this port. Messrs Walsh, Dallam and Dryden. The above resolution was read the first and by special order the second time concurred in Messrs Howard, Hook and Frieves placed on the committee and returned to the first branch.

A report and resolution relative to equalizing the districts of the superintendents of chimney sweeps was received from the first branch which was read the first and by special order the second time concurred in and returned to the first branch.

A message was received from the first branch covering the resignation of Mr A Gould as Commissioner of public schools and proposing to refer the same to the two branches in convention. This branch informed them that they had assented.

The resolution relative to opening Monument Street was read the second time.

A report and resolution relative to Market scales was received from the first branch which was read and laid on the table.

The resolution requiring notice to be given relative to acts respecting Monument Street was read the second time and concurred in.

Mr Harden moved an adjournment the yeas and nays being called on motion of Mr Raney resulted as follows.