Williams, Drumm, Feaga, Loar, Stump, Jenkins, Fuss, Haines, Kain, Oursler, Gill, Pearre, Hearn, Messick, Harvey, Howard—74.

Mr. Roth (by request,) presented the following: RESOLUTION.

Whereas, There is a bill now pending before the Maryland Legislature having for its purpose the repeal of the Act of the General Assembly of the year 1902, commonly known as the "Foutz Law," relating to the annex taxes, and,

Whereas, The repeal of this law will work an extreme hardship upon many residents of the annex, whose business was destroyed by the recent calamity, by placing upon them the burden of increased taxation at a time when they are least able to bear it, and

Whereas, The city of Baltimore has never fulfilled its part of the contract made the annex upon its admission into the limits of the city,

Therefore, Be it resolved, That the West North Avenue Improvement Association of Baltimore city, does hereby place itself on record as being opposed under these conditions to the repeal of the said Foutz Law.

Resolved, That copies of these Resolutions be sent to our Representatives in the Maryland Legislature.

Which was read and referred to the Baltimore city delegation.

Mr. Hall, offered the following

## RESOLUTION.

At a special meeting of the Waverly Protective and Improvement Association, held February 29th, 1904, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Emergency Committee appointed by his Honor, Mayor McLane, to confer and advise with reference to the ways and means to be adopted with a view to the rehabilitation of our city from the devastation wrought by the recent disastrous conflagration, has recommended, among other things, that the Foutz