

County, sixty-six votes; for Charles Parker, one hundred and thirteen votes; for Jacob H. Sturgis, for Wreck Master, one hundred and eight votes; for Wesley Pennerville, ninety votes; for Surveyor—John W. Powell, senr., seventy-four votes, and for William Shockley, one hundred and four votes.

DANIEL P. RUSSELL,
LEVIN CAUSEY,
THOMAS J. LATCHEN.

Test:

JNO. R. HILL,
G. THOS. LECOMPTE.

STATE OF MARYLAND, *Worcester County*, to-wit:

I hereby certify, that the within and foregoing is a true copy of the original return, made by the Judges of election in District No. 2 of Worcester County, now on file in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Worcester County, aforesaid.

In testimony whereof, I hereunto subscribe my name and affix the seal of the said Circuit Court, this eleventh day of January, Anno Domini, eighteen hundred and [SEAL.] sixty-six.

GEO. H. RICHARDSON, *Clerk.*

To His Excellency, the Governor of Maryland:

We the subscribers, Judges at the close of an election held on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, (being the seventh day in said month,) in the Election Districts of Dorchester County, distinguished by number one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen and fourteen, for the purpose of choosing a Judge for the Twelfth Judicial Circuit of Maryland, having this day assembled at the usual place of the sitting of the Circuit Court of said County, with the books of the polls, on which are endorsed the several certificates, agreeably to laws, and having cast up the whole number of votes given in the said districts, according to the respective certificates made out by the Judges, do return, that Thomas A. Spence had six hundred and thirty-two votes, and John R. Franklin had four hundred and sixty-one votes.