

three votes, and John R. Franklin had seven hundred and sixty-seven votes.

Given under our hands this tenth day of November, eighteen hundred and sixty-five.

JAMES GILLISS,
GEO. L. H. WOOLFORD,
B. R. DASHIELL,
C. H. HYLAND,
L. R. POLK,
HENRY T. TULL,
LEVIN M. DASHIELL,
JOHN L. LANKFORD,
GEORGE WALLER,
WM. E. JONES,
JOSIAH W. PENNEL,
HAYNIE X. BRADSHAW,
GILLISS T. TAYLOR,
HARVEY F. JOHNSON,
THOMAS BRADSHAW.

STATE OF MARYLAND, *Somerset County*, sct :

I hereby certify that the foregoing is truly copied from the original on file in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court for Somerset County, Maryland.

In testimony whereof, I hereunto subscribe my name and affix the seal of the said Circuit Court this 28th day
[SEAL.] of December, Anno Domini, 1865.

LEVIN WOOLFORD, *Clerk.*

To the Honorable John M. Frazier, Presiding Officer of the House of Delegates, Maryland :

The undersigned, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for Somerset County, most respectfully certifies to the Honorable Body over which you preside, that in pursuance of the notice herewith transmitted, at the time and place therein appointed, at the town of Princess Anne in Somerset County, on Tuesday, the 26th day of December, 1865, he proceeded to examine on oath, administered by the undersigned, and to take the depositions of the witnesses brought before him by the Honorable