

ing elections for Senators in Congress," and will attend at the hour indicated.

By order,

AUGUSTUS GASSAWAY,
Secretary.

Which was read.

Mr. Staylor (the rules being suspended) presented the petition of James Sheldon, soldier of the war of 1812, asking for a pension.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Pensions.

On motion of Mr. Henkle, (the rules being suspended),

Leave was granted to the Committee on Corporations to report a bill, to enact a supplement to an Act incorporating the Washington Medical College of Baltimore.

JOINT ASSEMBLY.

The hour of 12 o'clock, noon, having arrived, in accordance with the message sent to the Senate, the Senators of Maryland appeared in the Hall of the House of Delegates, and the two Houses in Joint Convention, in conformity with the provisions of the Act of Congress, 1866, chapter 245, entitled "An Act to regulate the times and manner of holding elections for Senators in Congress," proceeded to hold an election for Senator, to succeed the Hon. George Vickers, as Senator from the State of Maryland in the Congress of the United States.

The Secretary of the Senate then proceeded to read, from the Journal of the Senate the proceedings had upon that subject in the Senate of Maryland on yesterday.

After which,

The Clerk of the House of Delegates read from the Journal of the House the proceedings had in that Body upon the same subject on the same day.

Whereupon, it appearing that no person had received a majority of all the votes cast in both Houses for Senator in Congress,

The Speaker of the House of Delegates, as Chairman of the Joint Convention, declared that no person had been elected Senator from Maryland to the Congress of the United States.

The roll of Senators was then called by the Secretary of the Senate, and the roll of the House of Delegates by the Clerk of the House, when it appeared by a *viva voce* vote of