

Clectors, which was by the Secretary done in form fol-  
lowing: to wit:

- State of Maryland,  
Electoral College  
Certificate and Return.

Senate Chamber, Annapolis, Md Jan 11<sup>th</sup> 1909.

Be it remembered and it is hereby certified that we the undersigned, James Enos Ray, Jr., James W. Denny, Edwin H. Brown, Jr., John F. Williams, Sampson H. Bidler, John Charles Linthicum, John A. Robinson and Albert S. Powers, who have been duly appointed Electors of President and Vice President of the United States of America for the next ensuing term of the respective offices thereof beginning from and after the third day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine, being Electors duly appointed by the State of Maryland, in the manner directed by the Legislature of said State as will appear by the certificate of the Honorable Austin L. Brothers, the Governor of Maryland under the Great Seal of the State hereto annexed, did meet on the second Monday being the eleventh day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine, at the hour of noon, in the State House in the City of Annapolis, in said State, being the time and place prescribed for such meeting by the laws of the United States and of the State of Maryland, and that we did then proceed to qualify ourselves for our office of Elector by taking the oath prescribed by the Constitution and Laws of our State in the manner required by law, and to organize our Electoral College:

That William Jennings Bryan of the State of Nebraska was put in nomination for President of the United States of America for four years from and after the third day of March next ensuing; and that William H. Taft of the State of Ohio, was also put in nomination for President of the United States of America for four years from and after the third day of March next ensuing;

That we then and there proceeded to vote by ballot in pursuance of the Constitution and Laws of the United States for President of the United States and on counting the ballots it was ascertained that William Jennings Bryan of the State of Nebraska had received six votes for President of the United States, and William H. Taft