

Neal,  
Rutledge,  
Boyle,  
Vandiver,

Loane,  
Chaisty,  
Harig,

Gordy,  
Barnard,  
Browning—46.

So the motion for the previous question was not sustained.

The question then recurring upon the adoption of the order,

Mr. Donaldson submitted the following amendment :

Ordered, That the Comptroller of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, requested to furnish this House, within ten days, a detailed statement of the sum of \$95,443.72 under the title "special appropriations," and the authority under which it was expended.

Which was adopted.

The order, as amended, was then adopted,

The Secretary of the Senate delivered the following Message :

BY THE SENATE,

January 6, 1876.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates :*

We have received your Message proposing to open the returns of the election for Governor of Maryland in the hall of the House of Delegates to-day, at two o'clock, in the presence of both Houses, in conformity with the requirements of the Constitution of the State, and concur therein.

By order,

AUGUSTUS GASSAWAY,  
Secretary.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Gill, Waters, of Carroll, and Whitelock, a Committee to wait upon the Senate and escort them to the House.

At two o'clock P. M., the Senate of Maryland escorted, by Messrs. Gill, Waters, of Carroll, and Whitelock, the Committee appointed by the House, entered the hall of the House of Delegates, when the returns for the election of Governor were opened by the Speaker of the House of Delegates, in the presence of both Houses, in conformity with the provisions of the Constitution, Article 2, Section 3, and read by the Clerk.

It was found that the Hon. John Lee Carroll had received eighty-five thousand four hundred and fifty-four votes, and that the Hon. J. Morrison Harris had received seventy-two thousand five hundred and thirty votes.