

The Monday the nineteenth day of November in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ten the General Assembly of Maryland proceeded to the choice of a Governor for the ensuing year, when His Excellency Edward Lloyd was re-elected and immediately qualified in the Senate Room in the presence of the Members of both Houses of the Legislature by taking the several Oaths prescribed by the Constitution and Laws of this State, and by subscribing a Declaration of his belief in the Christian Religion and also by taking the oath to support the Constitution of the United States.

On the same day the General Assembly made choice of the following Gentlemen as Counsel to the Governor to wit John Stephen, James Butler, Reverdy G. Hise, John Thomas W. Hall and George E. Mitchell.

Friday November The 23-1810

The Honorable Reverdy G. Hise and Thomas W. Hall Counsellors elect appeared in the Council Room and qualified before Gideon White, Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace for Anne Arundel County, by taking the several Oaths required by the Constitution and Form of Government, and Laws of this State, and by making and subscribing a declaration of their belief in the Christian Religion, and also by taking an oath to support the Constitution of the United States. Certificate thereof filed.

Saturday November The 24-1810

The Honorable John Stephen a Counsellor elect appeared in the Council Room, and was qualified as such agreeably to the Constitution and Laws of this State before Nicholas Brewer Esquire Mayor of the City of Annapolis, by taking, repeating and subscribing the several Oaths and the declaration prescribed for that purpose, as also by taking the oath of support to the Constitution of the United States. The Council met. Present His Excellency The Governor and The Honorable John Stephen Reverdy G. Hise and Thomas W. Hall.

Amian Vintney was re-appointed Clerk of the Council and immediately qualified as such before Nicholas Brewer Esquire Mayor of the City of Annapolis by taking and subscribing the several Oaths and the declaration prescribed for that purpose, as also by taking an oath to support the Constitution of the United States. Certificate thereof filed.

Mr. J. B. Fowler was re-appointed the sponger of the Council.

Ordered, that the Proceedings of the Council shall be regularly entered on a Journal each day, and that on the succeeding day, previous to any other act, the same shall be read over by the Clerk, and signed by the Governor or the Member of the Council presiding before which any Member may move to reconsider any part thereof which may not have been carried into execution, and the same shall be considered as an object of attention to the Council.