

On the second Monday in December and thirteenth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and nineteen the General Assembly proceeded to the choice of a Governor when the Honourable Samuel Sprigg was elected.

On the Tuesday following, and fourteenth day of the same month the General Assembly made choice of the following Gentlemen as Council to the Governor to wit. James Stubb, James Butler, Grafton Duwall, John Stephen and Thomas H. Wilkinson Esquires

On Monday the twentieth day of December the Honourable Samuel Sprigg who was on the thirteenth Instant elected Governor of Maryland appeared in the Senate Chamber and qualified in the presence of the members of both houses of the Legislature by taking the several oaths required by the Constitution and Form of Government and laws of this State and making and subscribing a declaration of his belief in the Christian religion as also by taking an oath to support the Constitution of the United States.

On Tuesday the twenty first day of December the Honourable James Stubb, Grafton Duwall, and John Stephen appeared in the Council Room and qualified before James Hunter 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 as also by making and subscribing a declaration of their belief in the Christian religion as also by taking an oath to support the Constitution of the United States.

Tuesday December 21st 1819
The Council met Present His Excellency the Governor and the Hon^{ble} James Stubb, Grafton Duwall and John Stephen