

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, NOVEMBER SESSION, 1809.

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votes, Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, sixteen votes, Levin Winder five votes, Benjamin Stoddert two votes, and John Edgar Howard one vote.

Whereupon it is declared in the senate, that Edward Lloyd is duly elected Governor of Maryland. The clerk of the house of delegates delivers the following message:

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, November 13, 1809.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

THE honourable Edward Lloyd, Esquire, having been elected Governor of the state of Maryland, we have appointed Mr. Stevens and Mr. Chapman, jointly with such gentlemen as may be named by your house, to wait upon the governor elect and request his attendance in the senate room to qualify according to the constitution and form of government.

Which was read.

By order,

J. BREWER, clk.

The following message was read, agreed to, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

By the SENATE, November 13, 1809.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

WE have appointed Mr. Thomas B. Dorsey and Mr. Gibson, to join the members appointed by you, to wait upon the governor elect, and request his attendance in the senate chamber to qualify agreeably to the constitution and form of government.

By order,

T. ROGERS, clk.

Edward Lloyd, the governor elect, attending in the senate room, ORDERED, That Mr. Partridge and Mr. Bowie inform the house of delegates that Edward Lloyd, the governor elect, is attending in the senate room to qualify as governor of the state of Maryland, and request their attendance.

The Speaker, attended by the members of the house of delegates, appeared in the senate room, and Edward Lloyd qualified as governor before the president of the senate, in the presence of both houses, by taking the oaths directed by the constitution and form of government, the oath of office prescribed by law, and by taking an oath to support the constitution of the United States, and also by subscribing a declaration of his belief in the Christian religion.

The senate adjourns until to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

T U E S D A Y, November 14, 1809.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Glenn appeared in the senate.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers the following message:

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, November 14, 1809.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

WE propose to proceed immediately to the election of a council to the governor. Reverdy Ghiselin, George E. Mitchell, James Butcher, Lewis Duvall and Thomas W. Hall, are put in nomination by this house. We have appointed Mr. Archer and Mr. Stuart to join any gentlemen named by your house to examine the ballots and report thereon.

Which was read.

By order,

J. BREWER, clk.

The following message was read, agreed to, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

By the SENATE, November 14, 1809.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

WE agree to proceed immediately to the election of a council to the governor, and have appointed Mr. Williams and Mr. M'Elerry, to join the gentlemen named by your house in the examination of the ballots. No person is named by the senate in addition to those mentioned in your message.

By order,

T. ROGERS, clk.

The senate, having previously qualified agreeably to the constitution and form of government, proceeded to the election of a council to the governor; the ballot box being prepared, the ballots were deposited therein, sealed up, and delivered to the committee of the senate appointed to meet the committee of the house of delegates, who retired to the conference room, and after sometime returned and reported, that James Butcher had sixty-four votes, George E. Mitchell fifty-seven votes, Thomas W. Hall fifty-seven votes, Reverdy Ghiselin fifty-seven votes, Lewis Duvall fifty-six votes, Arthur Shaaff twenty-six votes, Alexander C. Magruder, eighteen votes, Thomas Buchanan twelve votes, John L. Kerr ten votes, Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, eight votes, Thomas G. Addison eight votes, Thomas H. Bowie eight votes, John Purviance five votes, Thomas Johnson four votes, John E. Howard three votes, Littleton Dennis three votes, John Gibson three votes, William B. Martin three votes, Roger B. Taney three votes, Josiah Bayly three votes, Benjamin Stoddert two votes, John Pherson two votes, Nicholas Hammond two votes, Horatio Ridout two votes, John Buchanan two votes, Peter Dorsey two votes, Edward Coale one vote, Thomas C. Bowie one vote, Levin Winder one vote, John Thomas one vote, and John T. Shaaff one vote.