

of America, proposed by congress to the legislatures of the several states.

By order.

T. ROGERS, Ck.

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

BY THE SENATE, Nov. 7, 1811.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,*

The senate are prepared to proceed to a joint ballot in pursuance of your message of yesterday, to ascertain the person to be employed to print the laws and to perform the other duties to which your message alludes. Jehu Chandler is put in nomination by the senate. We have appointed Messrs. W. Hollingsworth and Brown to join such gentlemen as may be nominated by your house to count the ballots.

By order,

T. ROGERS, Ck.

The clerk of the house of delegates returns the resolution relative to the transmission of an act of the general assembly of Maryland, passed at November session 1810, ratifying an amendment to the constitution of the United States, assented to by that house, November 6, 1811; also delivers the following message:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, Nov. 6, 1811.

*Gentlemen of the Senate,*

We are ready to proceed to the ascertainment of the person to be employed to print the laws and perform the other duties to which your first message alludes. Mr. Jonas Green is put in nomination by the house of delegates in addition to the person nominated by the senate. We have appointed Messrs. Donaldson and Stone-street to join the gentlemen nominated by your house to count the ballots.

By order,  
Which was read.

JOHN BREWER, Ck.

The senate proceeded to the ascertainment of a printer to be employed by the state; 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 some time returned and reported, that Jehu Chandler had forty-four votes, and Jonas Green had twenty-three votes.

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

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, Nov. 6, 1811.

*Resolved,* That Jehu Chandler print the laws and votes and proceedings of the general assembly, and perform such other services as have been usually performed by the printer employed by