and president of the senate, to the honourable Daniel Martin, of Talbot county, informing him of his election, and concur therein.

By order,

L. Gassaway, Clk.

The senate adjourned until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

TUESDAY, January 4th, 1831.

The senate met. Present the same members as on yester-day, except Mr. Heath. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

On motion of Mr. Whiteley, the report of the committee appointed to report rules for the government of the senate, at its present session, was read the third time and concurred in.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivered a resolution requiring the treasurer of the western shore to pay to the members of the present general assembly, and the officers thereof, the sums of money now due, and that may from time to time become due to them; which was read the first time and referred to the committee on ways and means.

Also the following messages; which were severally read:

By the House of Delegates.

January 4, 1831.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We have received your message, proposing an interchange of services between the Reverend Mr. Blanchard and the Reverend gentleman appointed chaplain to this house, and concur therein.

By order,

G. G. Brewer, Clk. By the House of Delegates, Jan. 4th, 1831.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We propose, with your concurrence, to proceed this day at 12 o'clock to the election of a council to the governor. Messrs. Thomas C. Worthington, of Frederick county, Henry Page, of Dorchester county, George oward, of Anne-Arundel county, Samuel Turner, of Calvert county, and William Potter of Caroline county, are put in nomination by this house, and we have appointed Messrs. Gantt and Hardcastle, in conjunction with the gentlemen who may be named by your honourable body, to count the ballots and report thereon. By order,

G. G. Brewer, Clk.

Mr. Kennedy asked and obtained leave to bring in a bill to be entitled, An act to abolish imprisonment for debt on any judgment rendered by a justice of the peace. Ordered, That Messrs. Kennedy, Sewell and Whiteley, be a committee to prepare and report the same.