

We have appointed Messrs. Goldsborough and Hambleton to join the gentlemen named by your honorable body, to count the ballots and report the result.

By order,

Joseph H. Nicholas, clerk.

By the Senate,

January 1st, 1838.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We have received your message proposing to appoint a joint committee on the Library, and have appointed on the part of the senate, Messrs. Cottman, Brown and Ricaud, to act with the gentlemen appointed by your honorable body.

By order,

Joseph H. Nicholson, clerk.

Which were read.

Also, a report from the clerk of Worcester county court, relative to the attendance of the judges, endorsed, "referred to the consideration of the House of Delegates,"

Which was read and referred to the committee on grievances and courts of justice.

The hour having arrived for proceeding to the election of Governor, On motion of Mr. Merrick,

The house was called, and the doorkeeper sent for the absent members.

On motion of Mr. Hopewell,

The house resolved to proceed with the ordinary business of the session during the absence of the doorkeeper.

Mr. Hopewell, chairman of the committee on elections and privileges, delivered the following

REPORT:

The Committee on Elections and Privileges report, that they have inspected the return of the judges of elections for the several counties, and for the city of Baltimore, and of the Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Annapolis, and find by the said returns the following persons are elected, declared and duly returned as members of the House of Delegates—to wit:

For St. Mary's county—James R. Hopewell, John M. S. Causin, William Ford, and George Crane, Esqs.

For Kent county—John McDaniel, John Usilton, Ebenezer Welch, and James H. Gale, Esqs.

For Anne Arundel county—McLane Brown, Leonard Iglehart, Richard W. Higgins and Cephas Simmons, Esqs.

For Calvert county—Augustus R. Sollers, John Parran, Nathaniel Duke and Daniel Kent, Esqs.

For Charles county—Samuel H. Beall, John Hughes, William D. Merrick, and James D. Carpenter, Esqs.