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1834: Governor

Total votes cast:	37,759	Percent: 100
Necessary for election:	18,880	50 plus 1 vote
William Palmer had:	17,131	45.3
William Bradley had:	10,385	27.5
Horatio Seymour had:	10,159	26.9

Comments: William Palmer fell 1,749 votes short of a majority in the General Election of 1834. The joint assembly convened on October 10 to hear the report of the canvassing committee and, in the case of the office of Governor, to vote by joint ballot for the three candidates who received the greatest number of votes. Palmer was elected on the first ballot, receiving 126 of 168 ballots cast (74.5%). Seymour withdrew his name prior to balloting.

1834: Lieutenant Governor

Total votes cast:	37,579	Percent: 100
Necessary for election:	18,700	50 plus 1 vote
Lebbeus Egerton had:	17,069	45.4%
Truman Chittenden had:	10,408	27.7%
Samuel Clark had:	9,978	26.6%

Comments: Lebbeus Egerton fell 1,631 votes short of a majority in the General Election of 1834. The joint assembly convened on October 10 to hear the report of the canvassing committee and, in the case of the office of Lieutenant Governor, to vote by joint ballot for the three candidates who received the greatest number of votes. Egerton was elected on the first ballot, receiving 1124 of 214 ballots cast (53.3%). Chittenden received 28 (13%) and Clark 69 (32.2%).

1834: Treasurer

Total votes cast:	37,458	Percent: 100
Necessary for election:	18,730	50 plus 1 vote
Augustine Clark had:	17,063	45.6%
Charles Cleaves had:	10,337	27.6%
John Spaulding had:	9,903	26.4%

Comments: Augustine Clark fell 1,667 votes short of a majority in the General Election of 1834. The joint assembly convened on October 10 to hear the report of the canvassing committee and, in the case of the office of State Treasurer, to vote by joint ballot for the three candidates who received the greatest number of votes. Clark was elected on the first ballot, receiving 111 of 207 ballots cast (53.6%). Cleaves received 19 (9.2%), and Spaulding 76 (36.7%).