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**1841: Governor**

<b>Total votes cast:</b>	<b>47,942</b>	<b>Percent: 100</b>
<b>Necessary for election:</b>	<b>23,972</b>	<b>50 plus 1 vote</b>
<b>Charles Paine had:</b>	<b>23,353</b>	<b>48.7</b>
<b>Nathan Smilie had:</b>	<b>21,302</b>	<b>44.4</b>
<b>Titus Hutchinson had:</b>	<b>3,039</b>	<b>6.3</b>

**Comments:** Charles Paine fell 619 votes short of a majority in the General Election of 1841. The joint assembly convened on October 14 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. On what appears to be the first ballot, when the ballots were taken and counted, Charles Paine was elected.

**1841: Lieutenant Governor**

<b>Total votes cast:</b>	<b>47,974</b>	<b>Percent: 100</b>
<b>Necessary for election:</b>	<b>23,988</b>	<b>50 plus 1 vote</b>
<b>Waitsill Ranney had:</b>	<b>23,776</b>	<b>49.6</b>
<b>Edward Barber had:</b>	<b>21,331</b>	<b>44.5</b>
<b>Alvah Sabin had:</b>	<b>2,801</b>	<b>5.8</b>

**Comments:** Waitsill Ranney fell 212 votes short of a majority in the General Election of 1841. The joint assembly convened on October 14 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. On what appears to be the first ballot, when the ballots were taken and counted, Waitsill Ranney was elected.

**1841: Treasurer**

<b>Total votes cast:</b>	<b>48,027</b>	<b>Percent: 100</b>
<b>Necessary for election:</b>	<b>24,014</b>	<b>50 plus 1 vote</b>
<b>John Spaulding had:</b>	<b>23,942</b>	<b>49.9</b>
<b>Daniel Baldwin had:</b>	<b>21,345</b>	<b>44.4</b>
<b>Harry Hale had:</b>	<b>2,722</b>	<b>5.6</b>

**Comments: John Spaulding fell 72 votes short of a majority in the General Election of 1841. The joint assembly convened on October 14 to hear the report of the canvassing committee and, in the case of the office of the State Treasurer, to vote by joint ballot for the three candidates who received the greatest number of votes. On what appears to be the first ballot, when the ballots were taken and counted, John Spaulding was elected.**