

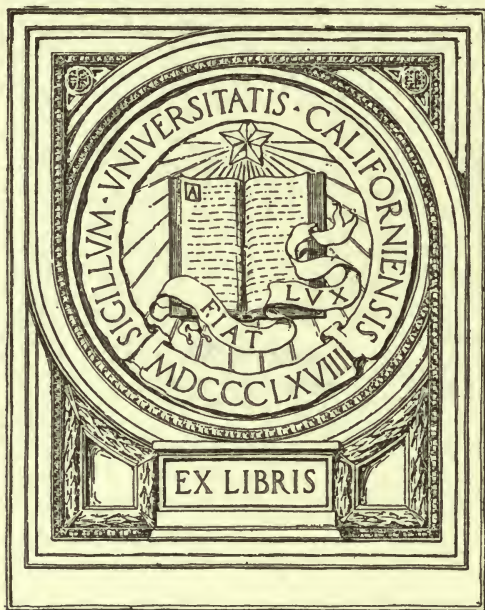
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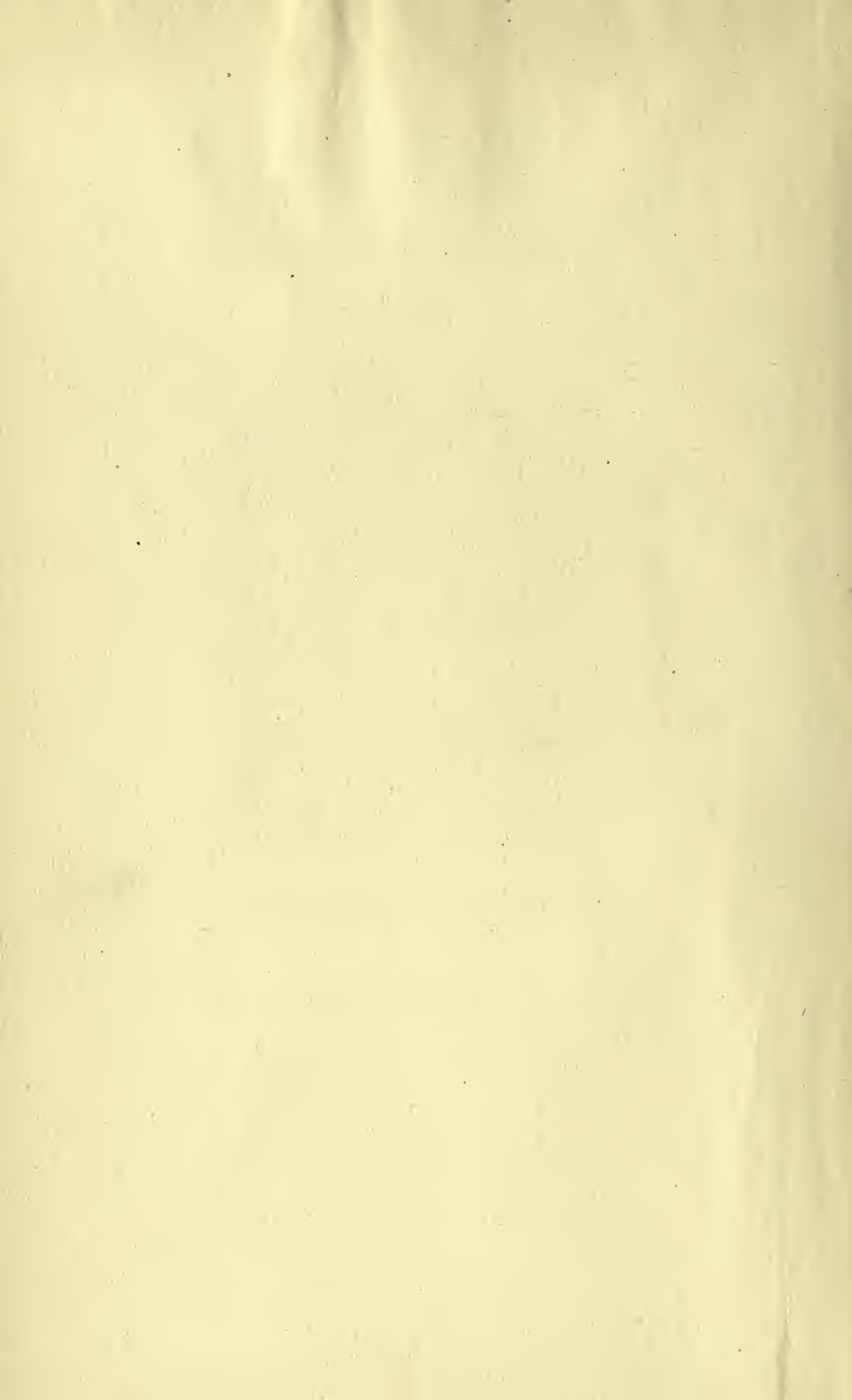
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Jonathan
Trumbull
 ~ Lebanon ~

"BROTHER JONATHAN"
 FRIEND AND ADVISER
 OF GENERAL WASHINGTON
 Governor
 1769 - 1784

Born in Lebanon Oct. 12, 1710
 Died August 17, 1785

Jon. Trumbull

William Alfred
Buckingham
 ~ Norwich ~

FRIEND AND ADVISER
 OF PRESIDENT LINCOLN
 Governor - 1858 - 1866

Born in Lebanon May 29, 1804
 Died February 5, 1875



W. A. Buckingham

Marcus Hensley
Holcomb
 ~ Southington ~

Our Present
 War Governor
 of
 International
 Distinction

Born in New Hart-
 ford, Nov. 28, 1844



Marcus H. Holcomb



THE THREE GREAT WAR GOVERNORS
 OF THE
STATE OF CONNECTICUT

State of Connecticut

THE ONE HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY

OF THE FIRST MEETING OF THE GENERAL
ASSEMBLY, UNDER THE PRESENT CONSTI-
TUTION AND THE SECOND GENERAL
LEGISLATIVE REUNION



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Secretary of the Centennial Committee

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PREFACE.

This volume is published by the State of Connecticut, in accordance with Senate Joint Resolution No. 47, passed May 6, 1919. Thirty-five hundred copies were authorized by the Board of Control. The introduction was kindly written, at my request, by George S. Godard, State Librarian. The plain facts are given in the report, no attempt being made to elaborate.

The Registration Cards show that 1,387 state officers and members of the General Assembly and 465 other officials and invited guests; a total of 1,852 were present at the Centennial. A majority of the 803 additional members, who had signified their intention of being present, owing to the inclemency of the weather did not come.

Two thousand one hundred and ninety state officers and members of the General Assembly acknowledged the receipt of the invitation sent out by the committee.

The heartiest thanks of the Centennial Committee are extended to all who assisted in making the Centennial such a decided success. It is hoped this volume will prove of increasing interest and value.

Wm. K. Taylor
Secretary

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The assemblage having been called to order by Senator Albert H. House, Chairman of the Centennial Committee, and prayer having been offered by Senate Chaplain Rev. Charles H. Puffer, the address of welcome by Governor Marcus H. Holcomb, the historical address by Ex-Governor and Ex-Chief Justice Hon. Simeon E. Baldwin, the poem upon "The Spirit of Connecticut The Constitution State" by Herbert Randall, the address by Hon. Charles Hopkins Clark, Editor of the "HARTFORD COURANT," upon the Capitals and State Houses of Connecticut, and the addresses of Lieutenant-Governor Clifford B. Wilson, representing the Senate, and Speaker James F. Walsh, representing the House, all contributed to make the occasion a memorable one, as was evidenced by the hearty rendering of "America" which closed the program.

At the State Library a special exhibit was made of all those items relating to the development of the Connecticut Constitution. In the exhibit was shown the old charter and the Constitution of 1818, both housed in an artistic fire-proof vault just under Stuart's portrait of Washington in Memorial Hall. In adjoining cases was a collection of the several revisions of Connecticut Law from the first one, together with the original manuscript journal of the Constitutional Convention of 1818. The mural decoration by Albert Herter of New York, which occupies the panel back of the Judges Bench in the Supreme Court Room, commemorates the assembling of the citizens of Windsor, Hartford and Wethersfield at the moment they are about to adjourn, having completed the formulating of "THE ELEVEN FUNDAMENTAL ORDERS" now recognized to be the first written constitution in the modern sense. Thomas Hooker, occupying the central part of the scene, is shown in the act of making his famous declaration "In matters of greater consequence which concern the common good a General Council chosen by all to transact businesses which concern all I conceive under favor most suitable to rule and most safe for relief of the whole." This great declaration has been fittingly inscribed on a tablet inserted in the center of the tile floor in Memorial Hall at the State Library, which tile also shows the evolution of the seals of Connecticut.

Probably for the first time the contents of the Connecticut Constitution Tablet, erected on the northwest wall, near the battle flags, by the Daughters of the American Revolution, came to be appreciated. This epitome of Connecticut's unique place in modern political history, was for use at the Connecticut State Building at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis, 1904, by Mrs. John M. Holcombe of Hartford, a member of the National Board of Lady Managers. The frame which

was executed by Albert Entress of Hartford, except the inside moulding, which was made from an oaken beam taken from the most ancient of the Gold Street houses bordering the ancient cemetery in which the settlers of Hartford are buried, is of charter oak contributed by Mrs. Samuel Colt, Miss Alice Elliott Trumbull and Mrs. Holcombe.

The four dates carved upon this frame, namely, 1639, the Constitution born in Connecticut; 1662, charter secured by John Winthrop and an infant republic protected; 1687, charter hidden in the oak and the Republic preserved; 1789, adoption of the United States Constitution on Connecticut Model, are pivotal dates in the history of Connecticut, whose position in political history is unique, as evidenced by the following quotations from leading historians, all of which have been so beautifully illuminated by Mr. Charles L. N. Camp of New Haven upon this our Connecticut Constitution Tablet:

CONNECTICUT, THE CONSTITUTION STATE

“The eleven fundamental orders of Connecticut, with their preamble, present the first example in history of a written constitution.”
Green: “Short History of the English People.”

“The birthplace of American democracy is Hartford! Government of the people, by the people, and for the people first took shape in Connecticut. The American form of commonwealth originated in Connecticut and not in Massachusetts, Virginia, or any other colony. The Connecticut Constitution of 1639 was the first written constitution in the history of nations.”
Alexander Johnston.

“It was the first written constitution known to history, that created a government.”
John Fiske.

“Alone of the thirteen colonies, Connecticut entered into the War of the Revolution with her governor and council at her head under the constitution of her Royal Charter.”
Leonard Woolsey Bacon.

“It is on the banks of the Connecticut, under the mighty preaching of Thomas Hooker, and in the constitution to which he gave life, if not form, that we draw the first breath of that atmosphere which is now so familiar to us.”

Johnston: “Connecticut” (American Commonwealths.)

“Thomas Hooker, the man who first made possible our American democracy.”
Elliott: “History of New England.”

“The Connecticut Constitution of 1639 is the foundation of the republican institutions of the colony and state. It may claim on higher considerations the attention of students of politics, science, and general history.”
J. Hammond Trumbull.

“The first constitution written out as a complete frame of civil order in the new world embodies all the essential features of the constitutions of our states, and of the republic itself as they exist at the present day.”
Horace Bushnell.

Those who were permitted to witness and join in these anniversary exercises commemorating our first one hundred years under our present constitution, were impressed with the great work which had been accomplished by those citizens of Connecticut who have "gone on before" and of responsibilities which rest upon those now living to see to it that those liberties, those opportunities, and those responsibilities which are ours shall be handed on inviolate, to those who shall assume the conduct of affairs in the days to come. All returned to their homes understanding as never before the real meanings of those declarations made upon the Connecticut Constitution Tablet now keeping company with those sacred flags which represent another side and another victory in the life of Connecticut.

Geo. S. Godard.

State Librarian.

CLERK'S REPORT.

SOUTHINGTON, CONN., May 12, 1919.

General Assembly Centennial Committee,
Wm. H. Taylor, Secretary,
Hartford, Conn.

My dear Taylor:—

As per your request of the 7th inst., I herewith enclose my report, in brief, as clerk of the Centennial Committee:

March 12, 1919—At State Library. The meeting of the Committee for the One Hundredth Anniversary of the first legislative meeting of the General Assembly under the present Constitution for the purpose of organization, was held at the State Library on March 12th, 1919. Present: Senators House, Hemenway and Bissell, and Representatives Eaton, Davis, Barnes, Wright, Geary and Alvord. Senator House was appointed Chairman and Mr. Barnes was appointed Clerk.

VOTED That this Committee recommend that a Centennial Celebration be held on the 7th of May, 1919.

Senators Hemenway and Messrs. Geary and Davis were appointed to prepare a program and proper bill to present to the legislature.

VOTED That the exercises be confined to a literary and musical program.

VOTED That a committee be appointed to wait on the Governor and learn his wishes regarding the details of the Centennial exercises.

The Chairman appointed Senator Hemenway and Messrs. Eaton and Davis to wait on the Governor in accord with the above vote.

VOTED That an appropriation not to exceed \$5,000 be asked for.

VOTED To adjourn subject to the call of the Chairman.

March 27, 1919—At State Library. The second meeting of the Committee was held on March 27th and was called to order at 2:30 P. M. by the Chairman, Senator House. William Harrison Taylor and State Librarian Godard met with the Committee.

Senator House reported that the report of the Preliminary Committee advising the appropriation of five thousand dollars for this

purpose had been passed by the General Assembly and the Preliminary Committee had been appointed a permanent committee to take in charge the arrangements for the centennial exercises.

Senator Albert H. House of the 7th District was elected permanent Chairman. Representative Frank H. Barnes, Southington, Clerk, and William Harrison Taylor, Secretary.

Robert O. Eaton, North Haven; William H. Hall, Willington, and Senator Charles C. Hemenway, Hartford, were elected Committee on Speakers.

Senator House, State Librarian Godard and Mr. Taylor were appointed a Sub-committee on Printing and Badges and asked to report at the next meeting of the Committee, to be held Tuesday afternoon, April 1st, immediately after adjournment of the General Assembly.

April 1, 1919—At Capitol. The third meeting of the Centennial Committee was held in the afternoon of April 1st, at the Capitol. House Chairman Davis presided.

It was voted that the Secretary be directed to send circular letters, with attached blank for names, to the several members of the General Assembly, as per proof submitted.

It was voted that three thousand badges be purchased from the Whitehead & Hoag Co., as per sample submitted, at a cost of 25½c each, total \$765.

It was voted that the contract for five thousand copper plate invitations be granted to the Gustave Fischer Co., for \$435.00, Mr. Fischer to submit form of same for approval before printing.

It was voted that the Secretary be instructed to send out these invitations at the earliest date possible.

It was voted that the Secretary be instructed to communicate with the bandmaster of the Governor's Foot Guard Band, and report at the next meeting of the Committee.

April 3, 1919—At State Library. The fourth meeting of the Centennial Committee was held on Thursday afternoon, April 3rd, at the State Library, Senator House presided. It was voted that the Secretary be instructed to engage the Governor's Foot Guard Band of thirty-five pieces, in accordance with terms submitted in a letter to him by Wm. M. Redfield, bandmaster.

The following persons were appointed as members of the Reception Committee of the Centennial:

To receive ex-State Officials: Hon. Marcus H. Holcomb, Governor; Hon. Clifford B. Wilson, Lieut.-Governor; Hon. Frederick L.

Perry, Secretary; Hon. G. Harold Gilpatric, Treasurer; Hon. Morris C. Webster, Comptroller; Hon. Frank E. Healy, Attorney-General.

To receive ex-Senators: The members of the Senate.

To receive ex-Speakers: Hon. James F. Walsh, Speaker.

To receive ex-Chaplains: Rev. Charles H. Puffer, Chaplain of the Senate; Rev. Homer W. Hildreth, Chaplain of the House.

To receive ex-Clerks: Edward J. Kenealy, Clerk of the Senate; Leo J. Noonan, Ass't Clerk of the Senate; W. Arthur Countryman, Jr., Clerk of the House; J. Frederick Baker, Ass't Clerk of the House.

To receive ex-Representatives: Mr. Stevens of Berlin, Mr. Green of Hartford, Mr. Beckwith of West Hartford, Mr. Turney of Windsor, Mr. Ney of Farmington, Mr. Brewer of East Hartford, *Hartford County*; Mr. Osborn of Branford, Mr. Walter of Cheshire, Mr. Healey of Waterbury, Mr. Gaillard of New Haven, Mr. Loucks of Wallingford, Mr. Pope of Oxford, *New Haven County*; Rev. Mr. Phillips of Huntington, Mr. Shaw of Redding, Mr. Huxford of Stamford, Mr. Morris of Newtown, Mr. Kenealy of Stamford, Mr. Bailey of Danbury, *Fairfield County*; Mr. Vincent of Kent, Mr. Jones of New Hartford, Mr. Rudd of Salisbury, Mr. Strong of Winchester, Mr. Curtiss of Woodbury, Mr. Green of New Milford, *Litchfield County*; Mr. Williams of Norwich, Mr. Smith of Groton, Mr. Allyn of Ledyard, Mr. McNicol of Griswold, Mr. Graham of Lisbon, Mr. Reynolds of Lyme, *New London County*; Mr. King of Windham, Mr. Franklin of Brooklyn, Mr. Dorrance of Plainfield, Mr. Haines of Pomfret, Mr. Kent of Putnam, Mr. Baker of Ashford, *Windham County*; Mr. Emily of East Haddam, Mr. Wilcox of Middletown, Mr. Gates of Old Saybrook, Mr. Moore of Saybrook, Mr. Chittenden of Killingworth, Mr. Asman of Durham, *Middlesex County*; Mr. Talcott of Vernon, Mr. Higgins of Coventry, Mr. Cook of Andover, Mr. O'Halloran of Stafford, Mr. Fuller of Somers, Mr. Reed of Union, *Tolland County*.

Resident Committee: Mayor Richard J. Kinsella, Chairman; Hon. Morgan G. Bulkeley, Hon. Frank A. Hagarty, Hon. Edward L. Smith, Hon. Charles Hopkins Clark, Hon. Newton C. Brainard.

May 1, 1919 — At Capitol. The fifth meeting of the Committee was held on Thursday afternoon, May 1st, at the Capitol, Senator House presided. The Secretary reported that an excellent box lunch would be furnished by the Waldorf System (Baldwin Division) for 40c per box, including hot coffee. It was voted that his report be approved and that 2,500 boxes be ordered. It was voted to accept with heartiest thanks the kind offer of Representative Charles G. Morris, of Newtown, president of the New Haven Dairy Company,

to furnish 2,500 boxes of ice cream for the lunch with the compliments of the company.

May 6, 1919 — At Capitol. At the sixth meeting of the Committee on Tuesday, May 6th, it was voted — That the Secretary be empowered by the Committee to purchase tokens, at a price not to exceed \$20.00 each to be presented to the oldest member in point of years and that the oldest member in point of service and that the Speaker of the House be invited to present the tokens.

May 7, 1919 — At Capitol. On May 7th the Committee held a meeting in the forenoon for the purpose of completing arrangements for the day.

May 8, 1919 — At Capitol. The last meeting of the Committee was held late in the afternoon of May 8th, at the Capitol, when the following votes were past:

- VOTED That William H. Taylor be, and hereby is instructed to compile the records and statistics of the Centennial Celebration of the General Assembly held at the State Capitol on May 7th, 1919.
- VOTED That William H. Taylor be allowed for his services as Secretary of the Centennial Committee and for compiling records of the Centennial Celebration, the balance of the appropriation (namely \$1,513.26), after all bills have been paid, and any further sum the Board of Control may deem proper.
- VOTED That Secretary Taylor be instructed to extend a hearty vote of thanks from the Committee to George S. Godard, state librarian; Morris C. Webster, comptroller; George A. Parker, superintendent of parks; Garrett J. Farrell, chief of police; all those who took part in the literary exercises; Charles Bartlett, the Y. M. C. A. song leader; Wm. M. Redfield, bandmaster of the Governor's Foot Guard Band; Robert H. Morrison, manager of the Waldorf System (Baldwin Division); Representative Charles G. Morris, president of the New Haven Dairy Company, and all others who contributed to the success of the Centennial Celebration.

Attest.

Frank T. Barnes

Clerk

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS.

March 19, 1919,	State appropriation	\$5,000.00
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EXPENDITURES.

April 2,	The Case, Lockwood & Brainard Co.:	
	Stationery	31.50
April 5,	Clark & Smith:	
	Stationery	22.05
April 7,	Clark & Smith:	
	Stationery	6.75
	Ætna Stamp Works:	
	Rubber stamps	1.65
April 8,	David A. Wilson, Postmaster:	
	Postage stamps	255.60
April 22,	Clark & Smith:	
	Stationery	19.30
April 23,	The A. Pindar Corp.:	
	Engraving	3.25
April 25,	Whitehead & Hoag Co.:	
	3,000 badges	765.00
April 28,	The Gustave Fischer Co.:	
	5,000 sets copper engraved invitations	435.00
May 1,	American Railway Express Co.:	
	Express	3.47
May 6,	Bill Brothers:	
	Cartage	4.80
May 6,	O. J. Hatfield:	
	Placards	24.50
May 6,	Daniel McAuliffe:	
	Services	3.50
May 7,	I. O. O. F.:	
	Use of coffee cups	10.00
	Wm. M. Redfield, Manager:	
	Governor's Foot Guard Band	156.00

	Robert H. Morrison, Manager Waldorf System (Baldwin Division):		
	2,500 lunches	1,000.00	
	E. Habenstein:		
	Catering	375.00	
	Lux, Bond & Lux, Inc.:		
	Two loving cups and engraving	40.00	
	John Coombs:		
	Flowers	70.75	
	The Case, Lockwood & Brainard Co.:		
	5,000 programs	86.65	
May	8,	Mrs. S. B. Greene:	
		Services	45.00
		Glenna A. Libby:	
		Services	99.00
		Young Men's Christian Association:	
		Expenses of Song Leaders C. O. Pardo and Charles Bartlett (serv- ices free)	27.97
		William Harrison Taylor:	
		Services, etc.	1,513.26
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			\$5,000.00

(Attest)

Wm. H. Taylor
Secretary.

RESOLUTIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

The following actions were taken by the General Assembly in regard to the Centennial Celebration, as recorded in the Journals of the Senate and House.

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 47. By Senator Hemenway of the Second District, a resolution concerning a celebration in commemoration of the One Hundredth Anniversary of the First Meeting of the Connecticut General Assembly, and calling for a committee of three Senators and six Representatives.

On motion of Senator Hemenway of the Second District, the resolution was passed, under a suspension of the rules and transmitted to the House.

The following is the resolution:

Resolved by this Assembly:

That a joint special committee consisting of three Senators to be appointed by the President of the Senate and six Representatives to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives is hereby raised for the purpose of preparing such legislation as it may believe to be necessary or suitable, and to introduce the same within thirty days from the passage hereof, relating to a legislative or public celebration to be held on the seventh day of May, 1919, in commemoration of the one hundredth anniversary of the first meeting of the Connecticut General Assembly.

Passed January 30.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 47. (See House Journal, January 30th.) A resolution concerning a Celebration in Commemoration of the One Hundredth Anniversary of the First Meeting of the Connecticut General Assembly, was received from the House, the resolution having been amended by Schedule "A" and passed.

The Senate had previously passed the resolution.

On motion of Senator Klett of the Sixth District, the Senate reconsidered its former action.

The amendment was then adopted.

The resolution was then passed as amended by Schedule "A."

The following is the amendment:

Schedule "A"

At the end of line two, strike out the word "six," and insert in lieu thereof the word "eight."

Passed February 5.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 47. (See Senate Journal, January 30th.) A resolution concerning a Celebration in Commemoration of the One Hundredth Anniversary of the First Meeting of the Connecticut General Assembly, and calling for a committee of three Senators and six Representatives.

The President announced the following appointments to said committee: Senators House of the Seventh District, Bissell of the Twenty-fourth District and Hemenway of the Second District. (Re-appointed as Senate Committee to make arrangements for a public celebration).

Passed February 13.

Senate Bill No. 553. The report of the Special Committee on the One Hundredth Anniversary Celebration, on a bill entitled "An Act concerning a Celebration of the One Hundredth Anniversary of the First Meeting of the Connecticut General Assembly," recommending the reference of the bill to the Committee on Appropriations, was received from the House, the bill having been referred, and the report of the committee accepted.

The bill was so referred, and the report of the committee accepted, in concurrence.

Passed March 13.

Senate Bill No. 553. (See Senate Journal, March 13th.) The report of the committee on Appropriations, on a bill entitled "An Act concerning a Celebration in Commemoration of the One Hundredth Anniversary of the First Meeting of the General Assembly," was taken from the table on motion of Senator Mead of the Twenty-seventh District, recommending the passage of the bill, was received.

Under a suspension of the rules, the bill was read the third time, and explained by Senator Mead of the Twenty-seventh District, chairman of the committee on the part of the Senate.

The bill was then passed and the report of the committee accepted.

The following is the bill:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

Section 1. A special committee consisting of three senators to be appointed by the President of the Senate and eight representatives to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives is raised for the purpose of making such arrangements as may be suitable for the conduct of a public celebration to be held on the seventh day of May, 1919, in commemoration of the one hundredth anniversary of the first meeting of the Connecticut General Assembly under the constitution adopted A. D. 1818, and to carry out the purposes of this act the sum of Five Thousand Dollars is appropriated, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to defray the expenses which may be incurred by said committee, and the comptroller is directed to draw his order on the treasurer for such expenses upon vouchers approved by a majority of the members of said committee.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect from its passage.

Passed March 18.

The following resolution was introduced by Senator House of the Seventh District:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 85. Resolution authorizing the Publication of Report of the Committee on the General Assembly Centennial.

Under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was read the third time, and explained by Senator House of the Seventh District.

The resolution was then passed.

The following is the resolution.

Resolved by this Assembly:

That the comptroller shall cause to be printed, at the expense of the state, such number of copies of the report of the committee on the general assembly centennial as the board of control shall determine, not exceeding thirty-five hundred copies.

Passed May 6.

JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE.

The following resolution was received from the Senate, having been passed and transmitted under a suspension of the rules:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 47. Resolution concerning a Celebration in Commemoration of the First Meeting of the Connecticut General Assembly.

On motion of Mr. King of Windham, the resolution was tabled.

Passed January 30.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 47. Resolution concerning a Celebration in Commemoration of the One Hundredth Anniversary of the First Meeting of the Connecticut General Assembly.

On motion of Mr. King of Windham, the resolution was taken from the table.

The resolution was then amended.

The resolution was then passed as amended, under a suspension of the rules.

The resolution is as follows:

Resolved by this Assembly:

That a joint special committee consisting of three senators to be appointed by the president of the Senate and six representatives to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives is hereby raised for the purpose of preparing such legislation as it may believe to be necessary or suitable, and to introduce the same within thirty days from the passage hereof, relating to a legislative or public celebration to be held on the Seventh Day of May, 1919, in commemoration of the One Hundredth Anniversary of the first meeting of the Connecticut General Assembly:

The amendment is as follows:

Schedule "A"

"At the end of line two, strike out the word 'six,' and insert in lieu thereof the word 'eight'."

Passed January 31.

The Speaker announced the following appointments to special committee:

Committee raised by Senate Joint Resolution No. 47, concerning a celebration in commemoration of the One Hundredth Anniversary of the First Meeting of the Connecticut General Assembly:

Messrs. Davis of Danbury,
Hall of Willington,
Eaton of North Haven,
Wright of Pomfret,
Barnes of Southington,
Alvord of Torrington,
Geary of Waterford,
Caine of Naugatuck.

(Re-appointed as House Committee to make arrangements for a public celebration.)

Passed February 20.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 47. (See House Journal, January 31st.) The report of the Joint Special Committee on a resolution concerning a celebration in commemoration of the one hundredth anniversary of the first meeting of the Connecticut General Assembly, recommending the rejection of the resolution and the passage of a substitute bill therefor and the reference of the substitute bill to the committee on Appropriations, was received from the Senate, the substitute bill having been so referred, and the report of the committee accepted.

The House concurred in the action of the Senate.

Passed March 13.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 47. (See House Journal, March 13th.) The report of the committee on Appropriations, on a resolution concerning a Celebration in Commemoration of the One Hundredth Anniversary of the First Meeting of the Connecticut General Assembly, recommending the rejection of the resolution and the passage of a substitute bill therefor (Senate Bill No. 553, entitled "An Act authorizing a Celebration in Commemoration of the One Hundredth Anniversary of the First Meeting of the Connecticut General Assembly"), was received from the Senate, the bill having been passed, under a suspension of the rules, and the report of the committee accepted.

Under a suspension of the rules, the substitute bill was read the third time, and explained by Mr. Davis of Danbury.

The substitute bill was then passed, and the report of the committee accepted, in concurrence.

The following is the bill:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

Section 1. A special committee consisting of three senators to be appointed by the President of the Senate and eight representatives to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives is raised for the purpose of making such arrangements as may be suitable for

the conduct of a public celebration to be held on the seventh day of May, 1919, in commemoration of the one hundredth anniversary of the first meeting of the Connecticut General Assembly under the constitution adopted A. D. 1818, and to carry out the purposes of this act and the sum of Five Thousand Dollars is appropriated, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to defray the expenses which may be incurred by said committee, and the comptroller is directed to draw this order on the treasurer for such expenses upon vouchers approved by a majority of the members of said committee.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect from its passage.

Passed March 19.

The following resolution was received from the Senate, and passed, under a suspension of the rules, in concurrence:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 85. Resolution authorizing the Publication of Report of the committee on the General Assembly Centennial.

The following is the resolution:

Resolved by this Assembly:

That the comptroller shall cause to be printed, at the expense of the State, such number of copies of the report of the committee on the General Assembly Centennial as the Board of Control shall determine, not exceeding thirty-five hundred copies.

Passed May 6.

PRELIMINARY WORK.

Special notices in regard to the General Assembly Centennial were printed in the "Legislative Bulletin" throughout the session. The first notice appeared January 23rd and was as follows:

"It is proposed that the members of the General Assembly meet in the House at an early date for the purpose of considering the advisability of appointing a special committee on Centennial of the General Assembly, under the present Constitution, Wednesday, May 7, 1919, and to take such action as is deemed proper. All members in favor of the proposed Centennial will please see William H. Taylor, Compiler of the Pocket Manual, for further particulars."

The first meeting of the Centennial Committee, which was later appointed, was held at the State Library March 12th, and the call for adjourned meetings appeared regularly in the Bulletin.

In order to ascertain the names and residences of all the surviving state officers, senators and representatives, a circular-letter was sent by the Secretary, for the Committee, to all the members of the 1919 Legislature, as follows:

"In order that the necessary arrangements for the celebration of the One Hundredth Anniversary of the General Assembly of Connecticut, under our present Constitution, May 7, 1919, may be made, your special committee appointed to arrange for the same, ask your immediate assistance in compiling a list of all those now living who have at any time served either as State Officials, or as members or officials of the General Assembly.

In order that such a list may be available for the use of the committee at an early date, each member of the General Assembly is urged to write upon the accompanying sheet, the name, and if possible the address, of all such State Officials and members and officials of the General Assembly now or heretofore residing in his town. These lists should be handed to the Clerks of the Senate or House, or mailed as soon as possible to the Secretary of the Committee, P. O. Box 1242, Hartford.

It is hoped that this, our Second Legislative General Reunion, may surpass the first one, held in 1886, when of the four thousand seven hundred and eighty-two reported as then living, two thousand four hundred and ninety-one were present, as shown by the official register in the State Library.

Connecticut expects every man to do his duty."

The accompanying sheet was headed:

State of Connecticut
The One Hundredth Anniversary
of the
First Meeting of the General Assembly
under the present Constitution
will be observed at the Capitol, Hartford
Wednesday, May 7-1919
commencing at eleven o'clock
The Nineteen-Nineteen General Assembly
requests the honor of your presence

Senators

Albert H. House, Senate Chairman
Harvey P. Bissell, Charles C. Hemenway

Representatives

Samuel A. Davis, House Chairman
Frank H. Barnes, Clerk
William H. Hall, Robert O. Eaton, Fayette L. Wright
Charles H. Alford, John C. Geary, Martin L. Caine
Committee on Centennial

The favor of a reply is requested to
William Harrison Taylor, Secretary
P. O. Box 1242, Hartford

Reproduction of the Invitation to the Centennial

CENTENNIAL CONNECTICUT GENERAL ASSEMBLY
 CAPITOL, HARTFORD, WEDNESDAY, MAY 7, 1919

Town of

Member Reporting

Names of living State Officers, and Members or Officials of the Connecticut General Assembly residing now or heretofore in this town:

NAME	State Officer Senator or Representative	POST OFFICE ADDRESS
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At the bottom of the sheet was printed:

Return to WILLIAM HARRISON TAYLOR, Secretary, P. O. Box 1242,
 Hartford

This circular-letter was generously printed in many newspapers throughout the state and with the invaluable aid given by the members of the Legislature, after careful inquiry, very accurate lists of ex-legislators were furnished the secretary. A list was received from every town in the state, and to every person on the lists was mailed an official invitation to the Centennial.

The invitation is printed elsewhere in this report. Accompanying each invitation was a return postal, stamped and addressed on one side and on the other side was printed the following:

NAME	TOWN
P. O. ADDRESS	AGE
DO YOU EXPECT TO BE PRESENT AT ANNIVERSARY?	

I have served as follows:—

STATE OFFICER	NAME OF OFFICE	
	WHEN?	
SENATOR	FROM DISTRICT NO.	
	WHEN?	
REPRESENTATIVE	FROM TOWN OF	
	WHEN?	

REMARKS:

Please return promptly.

The registration cards used on May 7th were the same, except the word "occupation" was used in place of the third line and "Please exchange this card for official badge at Room 7, first floor" was substituted at the bottom of the card.

On May 28, 1919, the following letter was sent to each of the forty-two state officers, living 1919:

As provided for by the General Assembly of 1919, the State Board of Control yesterday authorized the immediate publication of the Proceedings of the Centennial Exercises held at the Capitol on May 7th.

It is planned to include in this volume of Connecticut History, not only the several addresses made on that occasion, but also group engravings of the State Officers. Thus, there will be a group of living Governors, Secretaries, Treasurers, etc., with brief sketches.

In order that you, your town, and your office may be properly represented in the volume, will you not send me at once one of your latest photographs, or advise me where one may be secured, and a brief biographical sketch, or tell me where one may be found.

Thanking you for your early attention and asking that you will advise me how many copies of the volume you would like to receive, if available, I remain,

Very respectfully,

WM. H. TAYLOR,
Secretary.

Other minor notices were sent out to many officers and members of the General Assembly and to the press of the state.



Program



State of Connecticut

The One Hundredth Anniversary

of the

First Meeting of the General Assembly,

under the present Constitution

and the

Second General Legislative Reunion

at

The Capitol, Hartford,

Wednesday, May 7, 1919



Reduced Reproduction of the Official Program of the Centennial

COMMITTEE ON CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

Senate Chairman, ALBERT H. HOUSE, OF THE 7TH DISTRICT.

House Chairman, SAMUEL A. DAVIS, OF DANBURY.

Clerk, FRANK H. BARNES, OF SOUTHINGTON.

Senators, HARVEY P. BISSELL, OF THE 24TH DISTRICT.

CHARLES C. HEMENWAY, OF THE 2ND DISTRICT.

Representatives.

WILLIAM H. HALL, of Willington.

ROBERT O. EATON, of North Haven.

FAYETTE L. WRIGHT, of Pomfret.

Representatives.

CHARLES H. ALVORD, of Torrington.

JOHN C. GEARY, of Waterford.

MARTIN L. CAINE, of Naugatuck.

WILLIAM HARRISON TAYLOR, P. O. BOX 1242, HARTFORD, Secretary.



RECEPTION COMMITTEE

To receive ex-State officials—Hon. Marcus H. Holcomb; Governor; Hon. Clifford B. Wilson, Lieutenant-Governor; Hon. Frederick L. Perry, Secretary; Hon. G. Harold Gilpatrick, Treasurer; Hon. Morris C. Webster, Comptroller; Hon. Frank E. Healy, Attorney-General.

To receive ex-Senators—The members of the Senate

To receive ex-Speakers—Hon. James F. Walsh, Speaker

To receive ex-Chaplains—Rev. Charles H. Puffer, Chaplain of the Senate; Rev. Homer W. Hildreth, Chaplain of the House.

To receive ex-Clerks—Edward J. Kenealy, Clerk of the Senate; Leo J. Noonan, Assistant Clerk of the Senate; W. Arthur Countryman, Jr., Clerk of the House; J. Frederick Baker, Assistant Clerk of the House

To receive ex-Representatives—

Hartford County Messrs Stevens of Berlin; Green of Hartford, Beckwith of West Hartford, Turney of Windsor, Ney of Farmington, Brewer of East Hartford

New Haven County Messrs Osborn of Branford, Walter of Cheshire, Healey of Waterbury, Gaillard of New Haven, Loucks of Wallingford, Pope of Oxford

Fairfield County Rev Mr Phillips of Huntington, Mess

Shaw of Redding, Huxford of Stamford, Morris of Newtown, Kenealy of Stamford, Bailey of Danbury.

Litchfield County: Messrs. Vincent of Kent, Jones of New Hartford, Rudd of Salisbury, Strong of Winchester, Curtiss of Woodbury, Green of New Milford.

New London County: Messrs. Williams of Norwich, Smith of Groton, Allyn of Ledyard, McNicol of Griewald, Graham of Lisbon, Reynolds of Lyme.

Windham County: Messrs. King of Windham, Franklin of Brooklyn, Dorrance of Plainfield, Haines of Pomfret, Kent of Putnam, Baker of Ashford.

Middlesex County: Messrs. Emily of East Haddam, Wilcox of Middletown, Gates of Old Saybrook, Moore of Saybrook, Chittenden of Killingworth, Asman of Durham.

Tolland County: Messrs. Talcott of Vernon, Higgins of Coventry, Cook of Andover, O'Halloran of Stafford, Fuller of Somers, Reed of Union.

RESIDENT COMMITTEE

Resident Committee—Mayor Richard J. Kinsella, Chairman, Hon. Morgan G. Bulkeley, Hon. Frank A. Hagarty, Hon. Edward L. Smith, Hon. Charles Hopkins Clark, Hon. Newton C. Brainard

PROGRAM OF THE DAY

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| <p>11.00 A. M. General Reception of former State Officials, Senators, Representatives and others at the Capitol.</p> <p>11.30 A. M. County Reunions in regular County Meeting Rooms as follows:</p> <table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 20%;">Hartford County</td> <td style="width: 15%;">Room 52</td> <td style="width: 15%;">3rd Floor, West</td> </tr> <tr> <td>New Haven County</td> <td>Room 21</td> <td>2nd Floor, East</td> </tr> <tr> <td>New London County</td> <td>Room 68</td> <td>4th Floor, East</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Fairfield County</td> <td>Room 61</td> <td>4th Floor, East</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Windham County</td> <td>Room 62</td> <td>4th Floor, East</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Litchfield County</td> <td>Room 65</td> <td>4th Floor, East</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Middlesex County</td> <td>Room 72</td> <td>4th Floor, West</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Tolland County</td> <td>Room 79</td> <td>4th Floor, West</td> </tr> </table> | Hartford County | Room 52 | 3rd Floor, West | New Haven County | Room 21 | 2nd Floor, East | New London County | Room 68 | 4th Floor, East | Fairfield County | Room 61 | 4th Floor, East | Windham County | Room 62 | 4th Floor, East | Litchfield County | Room 65 | 4th Floor, East | Middlesex County | Room 72 | 4th Floor, West | Tolland County | Room 79 | 4th Floor, West | <p>12.00 Noon Legislative Reunions:
State Officers in their respective offices.
Senators and Senate Officers in the Senate Chamber.</p> <p>Members and Officers of the House of Representatives in the assigned Committee Rooms.</p> <p>11.00 A. M. to 1.00 P. M. Concert by the Governor's Foot Guard Band and Orchestra. Other Musical Exercises during the day.</p> <p>12.30 to 1.30 P. M. Collation in South Corridor of Capitol.</p> |
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LITERARY EXERCISES

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| On Capitol Grounds, weather permitting.—Otherwise in the Hall of the House. | | 4. Poem "The Spirit of Connecticut, 'The Constitution State.'" | Herbert Randall
of Hartford. |
| 1.30 P. M. Assemblage called to order | Senator Albert H. House,
Chairman of the Centennial Committee | 5. Address "Capitals and State Houses of Connecticut." | Hon. Charles Hopkins Clark
of Hartford. |
| 1. Prayer | Rev Charles H. Puffer of Stafford,
Chaplain of the Senate. | 6. Address "The Senate." | Hon. Clifford B. Wilson
Lieutenant-Governor of Connecticut. |
| 2. Address of Welcome | Hon. Marcus H. Holcomb
Governor of Connecticut | 7. Address "The House." | Hon James F. Walsh
Speaker of the House. |
| 3. Historical Address | Hon. Simeon E. Baldwin
Ex-Governor and Ex-Chief Justice of Connecticut | 8. Addresses and Letters from Senior State Officers, Senators, Representatives and others. | |
| | | 9. Singing "America." | |

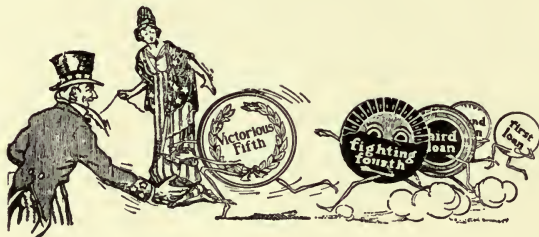
MEETING ROOMS AND YEARS OF REUNIONS

State Officers	In Their Respective Rooms	Legislature of 1901	In Room 48, 3rd Floor, East Side
Senators	In Senate Chamber	1903	In Room 79, 4th Floor, West Side
Speakers	In Speakers' Room	1905	In Room 52, 3rd Floor, East Side
Clerks and Chaplains	In Room 33, 2nd Floor, West Side	1907	In Room 66, 4th Floor, East Side
County Meetings	In County Rooms	1909	In Room 65, 4th Floor, East Side
Official Badges	In Room 7, 1st Floor, East Side	1911	In Room 62, 4th Floor, East Side
Constitutional Convention		1913	In Room 61, 4th Floor, East Side
	1902 In Room 23, 2nd Floor, East Side	1915	In Room 70, 4th Floor, East Side
Legislatures to 1899	In Room 21, 2nd Floor, East Side	1917	In Room 72, 4th Floor West Side
Legislature of 1899	In Room 74, 4th Floor, West Side	1919	In Hall of House

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

Cards to be filled out by each State Officer, member, and others attending the celebration will be found in each County Meeting Room and are to be exchanged at Room 7, first floor, East side, for the Official Badge.

It is important that EVERY one concerned attend to this matter, as the names, and records of all those attending are to be compiled and preserved in the State Library.



Make it a Winner

What have you done to ensure the success of the "Victory" Liberty Loan? This is, you know, the finishing week of the last popular Government war loan.

Did you Subscribe? Or complacently shirk your patriotic duty and let the credit for the Loan's success go to others who now proudly wear the Button?

Show your Patriotism NOW if ever
Aid the Final Call and
BUY and BUY and BUY

GENERAL LEGISLATIVE AND COUNTY REUNIONS.

The General Legislative Reunion held at the Capitol, Hartford, May 7, 1919, was the second general reunion of ex-state officers, Senators and Representatives in the history of Connecticut. The first general reunion was held at the Capitol May 5, 1886, and was a very enjoyable social occasion. Ex-Governor Hobart B. Bigelow of New Haven, was chairman of the executive committee and George D. Curtis, of Hartford, was secretary. The morning of May 7th, 1919, the day of the second general reunion, was rainy, and the rain fell heavily during the day. The program of the day was, however, successfully carried out. The general reception and the county reunions were held as announced in the official program, printed elsewhere in this book. According to the report of the secretaries of the eight county meetings, and from other sources, the following are the names of the oldest and youngest members present, from their respective counties and the years they served in the General Assembly:

Hartford County — Oldest members, John E. Tryon, Glastonbury (1863 and 1864) and William Bulkeley, Berlin (1865 and 1909), both 90 years old; youngest, Allen A. Hall, Marlborough, (1919) 22 years old.

New Haven County — Oldest member, Silas E. Jeralds, Cheshire (1895), 89 years old; youngest, Charles P. Pope, Oxford (1919) and Patrick J. Healey, Waterbury (1917 and 1919), both 31 years old.

New London County — Oldest member, Ezra Briggs, Voluntown (1872 and 1899), 88 years old; youngest, William M. McNicol, Griswold (1919) 23 years old.

Fairfield County — Oldest member, Julius W. Knowlton, Stratford (1870), 80 years old; youngest, Paul R. Connery, Redding (1919), 23 years old.

Windham County — Oldest member, William G. Anthony, Scotland (1873), 83 years old; youngest, Raymond O. Baker, Ashford, 23 years old.

Litchfield County — Oldest member, Albert L. Hodge, Roxbury (1853, 1864, 1865 and 1875), 96 years old; youngest, Lee H. Kellogg, Canaan (1917), and Fred S. Curtiss, Woodbury (1919), both 29 years old.

Middlesex County — Oldest member, Charles S. Munger, Essex (1889), 83 years old; youngest, Lester O. Schriver, Middlefield (1919), 28 years old.

Tolland County — Oldest member, Stephen I. Johnson, Ellington (1911), 92 years old; youngest, Samuel R. Woodward, Bolton (1917), 35 years old.

In order that the county delegations might preserve their ranks and in order that they might be kept together, marshals were appointed at the county reunions. They also acted as ushers during the literary exercises in the House.

The program of the day provided for a recess for dinner, from 12:30 to 1:30 P. M. During this time, His Excellency, Governor Marcus H. Holcomb and the other state officers entertained the ex-state officers in the old senate chamber, on the second floor of the Capitol. An excellent collation was served; all others who attended the Centennial being served a bountiful collation in the south corridor of the capitol. The following extracts from the complete reports given by the Hartford daily papers, give additional details in regard to the centennial and the reunion:

“ For the first time in the history of the Capitol, if not the state, six men who have served as governor of Connecticut, occupied the executive chambers yesterday. For eighteen years, the government of the state was headed by Thomas M. Waller of New London, Morgan G. Bulkeley of Hartford, Simeon E. Baldwin and Rollin S. Woodruff of New Haven, Frank B. Weeks of Middletown and Marcus H. Holcomb of Southington, who met yesterday on the occasion of the centennial celebration of the Connecticut General Assembly. They found that their combined ages totaled 442 years.

Perhaps it was due to the old-fashioned hospitality of Governor Holcomb, the incumbent, that the five ex-governors seemed quite at home in their old office as they told reminiscences, as did nearly 2,000 legislators and former legislators in the lobbies, brought together for the 100th anniversary of the General Assembly under the existing Constitution. They were “ Tom ” and “ Rol ” and “ Frank ” and “ Morgan ” to each other, and “ Marcus ” turned the place over to them completely. Only four other former governors of Connecticut are living, Phineas C. Lounsbury of Ridgefield, O. Vincent Coffin of Middletown, United States Senator George P. McLean of Simsbury and Henry Roberts of Hartford.

Men who have had a part in Connecticut lawmaking since 1853 met in the lobbies and talked over old times; men who stood back of Governor Buckingham in his vigorous Civil War policy congratulated

men who supported Governor Holcomb in his forceful administration during recent war; a man who voted for the first republican candidate for President gave fatherly advice to men who are prominent in the party today and some who used to ride to sessions in the old State House on horseback were whisked up to the door of the Capitol that is new to them in limousines. Fathers were accompanied by sons who represented the same towns that they did in later times. Some of them were complete strangers in the present Capitol.

Several ex-chaplains and clerks of the General Assembly were present.

At the noon hour the girls from the offices were present in the lower corridors and their voices helped in no little way in the community sing which was led by Charles Bartlett of the Industrial department of the International Committee of the Y. M. C. A. of New York. The girls also danced to the popular airs while other enjoyed watching them. Mr. Bartlett got upon a ladder and sang a verse showing how the song should be sung and it was surprising how quickly the crowd got onto the correct expression and imitated him. Some of the members said they could sing better if the band played "In the Shade of the Old Apple Tree." They never were very keen on this new fangled "K-K-K-Katy" business. The concert opened with the singing of "America" and was followed by "Governor Holcomb's March;" Overture from "William Tell;" "Ballet Egyptian;" selections from "Maytime;" popular and patriotic selections; "Swanee River;" "Old Black Joe;" "Madelon;" and many others. The concert closed with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner."

In the main lobby on the first floor a concert was given by the Governor's Foot Guard Band and Orchestra from 11 to 1 p. m. William M. Redfield, musical director, played for the second time his latest composition, "Governor Holcomb's March." It is a march that bids fair to have a greater reputation.

The lobby was crowded with the representatives who could steal time off from their regular meetings to hear the band. The older men had front seats, and when the old favorites as "Swanee River" and "Old Black Joe" were played one could see their heads and feet keeping time and they joined in the singing.

"Welcome" was the word of the Centennial—it was everywhere. Throughout the Capitol the secretary had placed large red, white and blue placards announcing a welcome. Over the chair of Lieutenant Governor Clifford B. Wilson burgeoned a giant red, white and blue placard, proclaiming:—

"Welcome, Mr. Senator! We're glad to see you here."

Two cards appeared above the speaker's platform. They read:—

"Welcome, Mr. Representative! We're glad to see you here." and
"Welcome! Mr. Representative. Hope you're well and happy."

In the dim, academic light over the shadowy door of the speaker's room he placed a mammoth legend reading:—

"Welcome, Mr. Speaker. All of the members extend to You their heartiest best wishes. Hope you will enjoy yourself galore."

There was a card for each of the eight counties telling where each county had its headquarters. There were also the following:—

"Welcome! Laugh and have a joyous time. We're tickled you're here."

"Welcome! How do you do? Feeling fine, we hope."

"Welcome! Ain't you glad you're here?"

"Welcome! Everybody have a good time."

"Welcome! Everybody have a good time. That means you."

"Welcome! Three cheers for the members of the days of 'Auld Lang Syne.'"

"Welcome! Remember it will be your fault if you don't have a good time. Now laugh."

"Welcome! Don't wait another hundred years for a good time. Have it now. See?"

"Welcome! Hurrah! for the days of 'Auld Lang Syne.' Hurrah!"

"Welcome! 'Should auld acquaintance be forgot?' NO!"

"Welcome! That's right. Keep smiling; glad you're here."

But the secretary's masterpiece salutatory is:—

"Welcome! 'Tis a long time before the next centennial. So have a good time now."—Hartford Courant.

"Most of the men who have made laws for the state of Connecticut in years gone by and at the present session of the General Assembly will bathe sore wrists in liniment when they arrive home tonight. Never in the history of the state were so many hands shaken as at the Capitol to-day, when former legislators and state officers gathered with the present incumbents to celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of the first meeting of the General Assembly under the present constitution.

Several hundred ex-members of the house and senate and a number of former state officers came from all parts of the state for the reunion. They spent several hours in the morning shaking hands promiscuously with one another and telling one another that it was too bad that it rained so that the afternoon exercises would have to be held inside, instead of on the capitol grounds as planned. Then they shook hands again.

During the afternoon they crowded the hall of the house for the "literary exercises." Between times they listened to music by the Governor's Foot Guard band, shook hands again, sang army songs to the exhortation of an athletic, arm-waving Y. M. C. A. secretary, shook hands again, ate sandwiches and salad and drank coffee for lunch at

long tables in the capitol corridor and shook hands again. Then they shook hands and remarked about the weather.

At 11 o'clock, when the exercises began with a "general reception" of former members of the General Assembly and of state officials, the corridors of the capitol were crowded.

The band played songs familiar in army camps and Charles Bartlett of the Y. M. C. A., from the heights of a step ladder, exhorted everyone present, including most of the girls who work in capitol offices, to sing. They did. They made as much noise as a platoon of doughboys just back from a ten-mile hike. Grizzled legislators with white beards and young legislators without mustaches sang, or tried to sing. The epidemic of hand-shaking interfered somewhat with the program, however.

County reunions were held at 11:30 and brought forth many reminiscences. At noon the state officers acted as hosts to those who had formerly held the offices and the senators to former senators and senate officers. To these reunions, at high noon, were added those of former members and officers of the house, members from each session meeting together.

There was reference to "Days of Auld Lang Syne" on the bulletins posted by the doors and the spirit of pleasant recollection was reflected in the greetings and flow of reminiscent talk inside. No sooner would a representative of former days make his way to the desk long enough to register his name and age, and years of service, than he would be swept into one of the quickly changing groups and begin with "When I was in the house back in the days when you first came;" then they all were in the conversation at once."—*Hartford Times*.

"Never in the history of the state of Connecticut has there been joined together such a gathering of legislators and politicians as those who met in the Capitol today to assist in celebrating the 100th anniversary of the General Assembly, under the present constitution. There were men there who represented their towns and districts fifty years ago, and also men who have directed the destinies of their parties for the past thirty or forty years. Men from every town in the state were on hand to greet their colleagues of days gone by, and the meetings in the corridors and county rooms were sincere and enthusiastic. Men who battled throughout days and weeks of legislatures of bygone days clasped hands today and enjoyed many a laugh over incidents which occurred while they were legislators.

Many a bitter fight was, good naturedly, fought all over again, and memories of days long since dead, but not forgotten, were revived once more. In every corridor in every room, and in every conceivable nook

in the Capitol, men could be seen going over, in many cases for the last time, the times they went through in those good old days.

All the old legislators had their stories to tell. And mingling among them were present day legislators listening with open ears and dilated eyes, wondering if all was true. It was a glorious celebration in many ways, and in the north corridor one old man at least 90 years of age, who, in his prime, was considered one of the best law makers the state had produced, demonstrated his ability as a jazz dancer. The crowd howled with delight, and he kept it up. Others sang and danced and hollered and whistled and made all sorts of noises. It was the day of days at the Capitol, and everyone enjoyed it.

Everybody of any political consequence in the state was at the celebration. There were governors, and makers of governors. There were secretaries of state, comptrollers, senators, attorney-generals, representatives, state central committeemen, town committeemen, ward leaders, ward heelers, just common voters, soldiers, sailors, marines, yeomanettes, departmental clerks, and representatives of practically every walk in life. It was a big day. A gala day.—*Hartford Post*.

LITERARY EXERCISES IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The literary exercises in the hall of the House of Representatives began soon after 1:30 p. m. Practically all the seats in the hall were taken by ex-representatives and ex-senators more than 70 years old. In order that the older members of sessions of bygone days might have seats to hear the addresses, marshals were stationed at two of the doors to act as ushers, the other two doors being locked. In a reserved section in front sat the former governors of the state, former state officials and justices of the supreme court of Connecticut and the superior court of this state. After the older members had been seated, the four doors were opened and many who wished to hear the addresses entered. The hall of the House was taxed to capacity, with all the aisles lined with former legislators, while the gallery was also crowded. Governor Marcus H. Holcomb, Ex-Governor Simeon E. Baldwin and the other speakers entered the hall at 1:45 o'clock and were received with enthusiastic applause, all present standing. There was also long applause when the three former Governors entered and took places reserved for them. They were Governors Morgan G. Bulkeley, Rollin S. Woodruff and Frank B. Weeks. Two large baskets of flowers formed the decorations on the speakers' platform.

Interspersed between the addresses was singing of the following numbers: "Keep the Home Fires Burning," "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," and "Old Black Joe." The singing was led by Charles Bartlett, a prominent Y. M. C. A. song leader. The Governor's Foot Guard orchestra furnished the music.

Through the Speaker the Hon. James F. Walsh, loving cups were presented, by the state, to Chester R. Woodford of Avon, 104 years old, the oldest living member of the General Assembly and Albert L. Hodge of Roxbury, 96 years old, the oldest living member in point of service. Mr. Woodford, however, was not able to attend the centennial, and Mr. Hodge, although present at the Litchfield county reunion, did not attend the exercises in the hall of the house. The loving cups after being suitably inscribed, were given to them later.

The following are the exercises, in the order they were given: Assemblage called to order by Senator Albert H. House, Chairman of the Centennial Committee.

PRAYER.

REV. CHARLES H. PUFFER, OF STAFFORD,
CHAPLAIN OF THE SENATE.

Our Father, who art in Heaven, we thank Thee for the struggles, the sacrifices and the successes of an hundred years. We realize that Thou has been wisdom and strength unto the land we love. In these days of momentous changes may Thy guidance be continued unto all our leaders of state and nation. Day by day wilt Thou renew Thy blessings unto the Governor of this commonwealth, that in all his undertakings he may work Thy will. May Thine approval and the respect of the people be unto him a crown of joy. Impart unto the people themselves we pray Thee, knowledge and power, that they may continue to grow in culture and character. In the name of the Lord. Amen.

ADDRESS OF CHAIRMAN.

HON. ALBERT H. HOUSE, OF WINDSOR,
SENATOR FROM THE SEVENTH DISTRICT.

Gentlemen of this assembly, the state of Connecticut, through its Centennial Committee welcomes you here today; and when you hear those words "the state of Connecticut welcomes you" every man here is proud that he lives in Connecticut, the grandest state in the Union. Not in square miles, but by producing an abundance of patriotism, great inventors and wise legislators. The State wishes to thank you, also congratulate the members who have availed themselves of this opportunity to celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of our legislature. I wish to thank you for the privilege, pleasure and honor of presiding over this unprecedented gathering. Unprecedented in the fact that 85 per cent. of this assembly are over seventy years of age; many four score and more.

Several of you legislators are sitting in the same seats assigned you when you represented your respective districts. For some of us, this may be our last visit to the Capitol, but may God spare you for many years so that you can counsel and advise with the younger men who are assuming the burdens of legislative work. We trust that members of future anniversaries may look back with the same degree of satisfaction that you gentlemen are enjoying today. Once more we thank you for your presence and the duties that you have performed for this grand old state. The first speaker needs no introduction. Suffice it to say that he is the greatest governor of the greatest state in the Union. His Excellency, the Governor, Honorable Marcus H. Holcomb.



Worcester H. Woodmont.

Southington
Governor of Connecticut

ADDRESS OF WELCOME.

HIS EXCELLENCY, MARCUS H. HOLCOMB, OF SOUTHTON,
GOVERNOR OF CONNECTICUT.

“I am not going to make an address, but I am simply going to extend a welcome to you — the members of the House and Senate, and the ex-state officials who are assembled here today. I regret that the weather is such that all cannot be present. I understand that these seats are filled by men 60 years old or over. There are several times as many ex-senators and ex-representatives who fill these seats who could not obtain entrance. I extend a glad and hearty welcome to every one of you. We are here to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the General Assembly of the state.

“When we commenced this century we had a population of 275,000 in the state. Now it is five times that number, and in accordance with the estimate of the national government about eight times that number. We have had, during the last 100 years, forty governors; we now have ten living governors and ex-governors, six of whom are present. We have had forty-six lieutenant governors, of whom nine are living; we have had forty secretaries of the state, of whom ten are living; we have had forty-two treasurers, of whom nine are living; we have had thirty-nine comptrollers, of whom four are living — which indicates that that office is a more dangerous one. I think that if we go on as has the present Legislature with expenditures there will be no need for that office. We have had seventy speakers, of whom eleven are living, and six attorney generals, all of whom are living.

“Connecticut has been a safe, sane and conservative state. We have been known as the land of steady habits, and I have thought of late years that that title was being challenged. I hope that Connecticut will always remain the land of steady habits. I congratulate you all: it is not my intention to detain you by making any extended address.

“I hope you will enjoy this occasion and as many of you as possible will be able to enjoy the next centennial.”

HISTORICAL ADDRESS.

HON. SIMEON E. BALDWIN, OF NEW HAVEN,
EX-GOVERNOR AND EX-CHIEF JUSTICE OF CONNECTICUT.

Every citizen of Connecticut is proud to belong to the first commonwealth known in the history of mankind to have been founded on a social compact expressed in the form of a written Constitution.

Here, in her original capital in 1639, that great charter of liberty was presented and deliberately accepted in a free assembly of those whom it was thereafter to govern. Two hundred and eighty years have passed since the freemen of Connecticut took this great step of formally constituting themselves a public corporation for the purpose of self-government. For that, they solemnly declared, we "do therefore associate and conjoin ourselves to be as one Public State or Commonwealth."

What right had they to assume to exercise a power so great?

Every advance in the law changes the law. It makes something unlawful that before was lawful, or something lawful that before was unlawful. The "Fundamental Orders" of 1639 purported to create an independent government in and for Connecticut. She needed something better than she had to guard her liberties, and under existing circumstances she was forced, herself, to supply the want. For ten long years there had been no power of Parliament by which such a government could have been created. The eleven years from 1629 to 1640 are known in the history of England as the Tyranny. During the whole period no parliaments were called. The King could have granted no charter which would have been likely to satisfy the wants of an English colony. What was needed was, in the phrase of our times, the setting up of a "self-governing dominion."

Connecticut created, for herself, that which, if events were propitious, might stand alone and unaided. If the fast-coming civil war went against the King, it might find a sanction in Parliament. If the monarchy weathered the storm, the new King might recognize and confirm it.

The men from whom the "Fundamental Orders" came were of the class of Englishmen of which John Pym was the great leader. It was he who originated what Green, in his "Short History of the



Stuart's portrait of Washington and Special Vault for exhibiting and protecting Charter of 1662 and Constitution of 1818 in Memorial Hall, State Library, Hartford

English People," calls the doctrine of "Constitutional proportion." To him the main organ of political power was the House of Commons. The House of Lords could not be suffered to claim an equal right in legislation. The King could not be permitted to override its will. The house of legislation composed of representatives of the people, must have the power of the people; and the people had all power.

Under the influence of such theories of government the "Fundamental Orders" were framed and adopted.

They provided that "the supreme power of the Commonwealth" should be in the General Assembly, which might pass laws touching any matter that concerned the good of the Commonwealth, except election of magistrates, which was to be done by the whole body of Freemen.

For a hundred and eighty years this continued to be the policy of Connecticut. She wished, and she had, a Governor with little power; a legislature of immense power. The courts were creations of the legislature, and by the legislature their judgments could be set aside.

We did indeed possess, from as early a date as 1650 our *Magna Charta*. It is placed at the beginning of the Ludlow code, adopted in that year, and was long one of the foundation stones of our legislative structure.

As originally drawn, this guaranty of the rights of the individual against the State was thus expressed:

"Forasmuch as the free fruition of such Libertties, Immunities, Privileges, as Humanity, Civillity and Christianity, call for, as due to euery man in his place and proportion, without Impeachment^t and infringement, hath euer beene and euer will bee the Tranquillity and Stabillity of Churches and Commonwealths, and the denyall or deprivall thereof, the disturbance if not ruine of both:—

It is therefore ordered by this Courte and Authority thereof, that no mans life shall bee taken away, no mans honor or good name shall bee stained, no mans person shall be arrested, restrained, banished, dismembered nor any way punnished; no man shall bee deprived of his wife or children, no mans goods or estate shall bee taken away from him, nor any wayes indamaged, vnder colour of Law or countenance of Authority, vnless it bee by the vertue or equity of some express Law of the Country warranting the same, established by a Generall Courte, and sufficiently published, or in case of the defect of a Law in any perticular case, by the word of God."*

These stately and sonorous declarations, fulfilling the office of a Bill of Rights, were substantially copied from the laws of Massachusetts, known as the Body of Libertties. They came at the beginning of their first code, adopted nine years before. Nathaniel Ward of that Colony was their author, a minister who had been bred originally to the law.

*Colonial Records of Connecticut, 1636-1665, p. 509.

But the authority which set up these guaranties could alter or repeal them. Without any formal repeal, it could practically disregard them. It repeatedly did. How far it could go in such directions was a matter resting in its own discretion.

Chief Justice Swift published in 1795 a general statement of the laws of Connecticut. He regarded the Fundamental Orders of 1639 as occupying, when originally adopted, the position of a Constitution, and as being confirmed in substance by the colonial charter obtained in 1662 from Charles II. But he considered questions as to the conformity with it of laws passed by the General Assembly as to be answered in all ordinary cases only by the General Assembly itself.

"The legislature," he remarked, "must be considered as the supreme branch of the government. Previously to their passing any act, they must consider and determine whether it be compatible with the Constitution. Being the supreme power, and bound to judge with respect to the question, in the first instance, their decision must be final and conclusive. It involves the most manifest absurdity, and is degrading to the legislature, to admit the idea, that the judiciary may rejudge the same question which they have decided; and if they are of a different opinion, reverse the law, and pronounce it to be a nullity. It is an elevation of the judiciary over the heads of the legislature; it vests them with supreme power, and enables them to repeal all the laws, and defeat all the measures of the government."

"The legislature are not under the controul or superintendence of the judiciary—if they pass laws which are unconstitutional, they are responsible to the people—who may in the course of elections dismiss them from office, and appoint such persons as will repeal such unconstitutional acts. On this power of the people over the legislature, depends their security against all encroachments, and not on the vigilance of the judiciary department."*

These positions were not sustained by public opinion. The judiciary asserted, and finally maintained, its right to determine the constitutionality of any statute which might be attacked before it.

Ten years before, indeed, the Supreme Court of Errors had ruled against the validity of a grant by the General Assembly of land which the Assembly had granted before to other parties. It was held void so far as it purported to disturb vested rights.**

Before 1818, much, if not most, of the more important business belonging naturally to the Courts was brought before the General Assembly. It heard appeals from the Superior Court. It heard claims which would not be remediable by judicial authority. It heard chancery cases if they involved large amounts in value.

In 1698 a law was passed dividing the General Assembly into two houses. This was followed, after a while, by vesting power to hear appeals on points of law in the upper house alone. For the disposition of causes within their original jurisdiction, both houses sat together for a joint hearing, and the principal part of their sessions was thus employed during a long period of years.***

* Swift, *System of the Laws of Connecticut*, I, 52, 53.

** The *Symsbury Case* (1785), Kirby, Rep., 444, 447, 452.

*** Gen. Stat., Rev. of 1821, 150.

The Constitution of 1818 was adopted mainly for the purpose of setting up a line of demarcation between the legislative and judicial departments of the State government.

It was proposed in the constitutional convention, in a report by its principal committee, that the powers of government should be divided into three distinct departments, none of which should exercise (Section 2) any power properly belonging to either of the others, except as should be otherwise expressly directed or permitted.

This section was struck out, without a division, a plain indication of a general feeling that these departments should not be kept absolutely distinct. After the Constitution had been adopted, this feeling was not without an effect on the practice under it. It was claimed by many that there was still a reserved power in the General Assembly, and that there was no entire separation between the legislative and judicial departments. The courts for a time took this view. In 1831, the Supreme Court of Errors stated the matter thus:

“From the settlement of the State there have been certain fundamental rules, by which power has been exercised. These rules were embodied in an instrument, called, by some, a constitution,—by others, a charter. All agree, that it was the first constitution ever made in Connecticut, and made too, by the people themselves. It gave very extensive powers to the legislature, and left too much (for it left every thing almost) to their will. The constitution of 1818 professed to, and in fact did, limit that will. It adopted certain general principles, by a preamble, called a declaration of rights; provided for the election and appointment of certain organs of the government, such as the legislative, executive and judicial departments; and imposed upon them certain restraints. It found the State sovereign and independent, with a legislative power capable of making all laws necessary for the good of the people, not forbidden by the constitution of the United States, nor opposed to the sound maxims of legislation; and it left them in the same condition, except so far as limitations were provided.”*

This deliverance was reaffirmed on full consideration in the case of Wheeler's Appeal, in 1877,** but twenty years later that decision was formally overruled.***

Since 1897, then, it may be regarded as definitely settled that the Constitution of 1818 greatly diminished the powers previously vested in the General Assembly.

Half a century later another great constitutional change diminished them still more. In 1868 the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States came into effect. It provided that no State should “deprive any person of life, liberty, or property, without due process of law, nor deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws.”

*Starr v. Pease, 8 Conn. Rep., 547, 548.

**45 Conn. Rep., 306, 315.

***Norwalk Street Railway Co.'s Appeal, 69 Conn. Rep., 576, 584, 603.

In construing this last prohibition, the Supreme Court of the United States holds that "the equal protection of the laws" is "a pledge of the protection of equal laws."*

The General Assembly, then, which celebrates this centennial, is a less powerful body than the General Assembly of 1639, when it was originally constituted; or of 1662, when Connecticut received her charter; or of 1776, when she declared her independence; or of 1789, when the Constitution of the United States went into effect; or of 1868, when the scope of that Constitution was so greatly extended at the cost of the State legislatures.

The men to whom it owes its origin gave it what their successors have deemed a disproportionate share of public authority. For a few years in the era of the Revolution, from 1776 to 1789, it was subject to no constitutional restraints. From 1789 to 1818 it was subject to few. From 1818 to 1918 it was subject to many.

Thirty-six times in that century we have amended our Constitution; and nearly half of all the changes thus wrought have trenched in some way on the powers of the General Assembly.

The Romans had a saying that the times change and we are changed with them. It is so with governments. Change is the expression of vitality. By frequent change the General Assembly of Connecticut has been kept abreast of the general world movement towards higher ideals of legal right and social good. We have examined many propositions put forward as calculated to advance them, which after close scrutiny have been finally rejected.

One of these it is especially fitting to remember on this occasion. It is that respecting the initiative and the referendum.

Connecticut invented the referendum** but she has confined it to the consideration of changes in her Constitution. She has not adopted the initiative, and it is because she has preferred to abide by the original form of Anglo-Saxon government,—that in which the people speak by their chosen representatives, meeting face to face for discussion and deliberation.

Connecticut is a State which has, from the first, made haste slowly. She is rightly called the Land of Steady Habits. Her legislation has often been tentative. She has experimented before coming to a final decision. In the words of one of her foremost historians, "seldom has any advance been made until the experience of a temporary Act had explored the way and found it safe."***

* *Yick Wo v. Hopkins*, 118 U. S. Rep., 356, 369.

** *Thayer, Cases on Constitutional Law*, I, 220, 221.

*** *Preface to Vol. I, Conn. Rep.*, xxvi.

Things are not always what they seem. Epictetus, in his discourse on combating semblances, says:

"Be not hurried away by excitement, but say, 'Semblance, wait for me a little. Let me see what you are and what you represent. Let me try you.'"

Such, as a rule, has been the philosophy of Connecticut legislation.

Rousseau, in his *Du Contrat Social*, says that "the legislative power is the heart of the State." If he had known, when writing that treatise, that more than a hundred years before, on the banks of the Connecticut, a new commonwealth had been in fact set up by a social contract, he would have been glad to find his theories supported in the New World. The freemen of Connecticut had indeed made their legislature the heart of their government.

They considered an election to it to be so great an honor that no one should publicly offer himself as a candidate. It was to be presumed, they thought, that the best men would be chosen because they were the best. Until the close of the eighteenth century a nomination to either house of the General Assembly was never sought. Chief Justice Swift, writing in 1795, alludes thus to this ancient custom:

"In this State, no instance has ever been known where a person has appeared as a public candidate, and solicited the suffrages of the freemen, for a place in the legislature. Should any person have the effrontery or folly to make such an attempt, he may be assured of meeting with the general contempt, an indignation of the people, and of throwing an insuperable bar in the way of attaining the object of his pursuit."*

Public opinion no longer supports any such rule of political conduct. It could only be suitable for a small and homogeneous State, in which men of any special prominence were personally known to a large proportion of the inhabitants, and re-elections were usual.

From the first they had been usual in Connecticut. Only three men held the place of recording officer of the State and of the General Assembly from 1713 to 1800. They were father, son and grandson, each annually re-elected; and the term of the last was only ended by his resignation, when he turned it over to one who held the place for a full quarter of a century. Of the General Assembly itself, one man,—William Hillhouse.—was a member for over fifty years.**

The preamble of our Constitution states that the people of Connecticut have ordained it "in order more effectually to define, secure, and perpetuate the liberties, rights and privileges which they have derived from their ancestors." The Constitutional Convention of 1902 proposed to substitute for this declaration of purpose these words: "desiring to perpetuate the liberties, rights and privileges which they have derived from their ancestors." The heavy majority*** by which

* System of the Laws of the State of Connecticut, I, 68.

** Dwight, Travels in New England, I, 291.

*** 21,234, out of a total of 31,611.

its proposed Constitution was voted down indicates for one thing that the people were not anxious for new definitions or new securities. They were content with the old ones. They were willing to let the General Assembly go on in its ancient course, with all its amplitude of scope. They knew the perils of close definitions of what is or may be law. They wanted no securities against unwise legislation except such as their courts had always been found adequate to supply.

The landmarks in the history of the General Assembly of Connecticut are its division into two separate houses in 1698; the change from semi-annual to annual sessions and the stricter limitation of its powers, by the adoption of the Constitution a hundred and twenty years later; their further reduction, after forty years, by the XIVth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States; the substitution in 1828 of an upper house elected by senatorial districts for one elected by the people at large; and the change from annual to biennial sessions in 1884.

During its long life, few governments in the world have changed so little as that of Connecticut. It is because she had, from the first, a plan of political organization, suited to the character of her people and her institutions. This gathering contains many who in the past have shared in the active life and work of the General Assembly from year to year. May the century of its existence which this celebration opens find her legislators always true to the fundamental principles of the century which it succeeds; for they are the solid pillars of constitutional liberty.

POEM.

“THE SPIRIT OF CONNECTICUT, ‘THE CONSTITUTION STATE.’”

HERBERT RANDALL, OF HARTFORD.

The mystic silence will not yield,
Its adamantine crypts are sealed,
Yet, as 'twere dipped in opal gleam,
My pencil fires with magic dream.
Before my eyes I seem to see
File past a goodly company;
Noiseless and swift as moonbeams flow
The stately phantoms come and go.
A potent presence leads the van,
In height and breadth of scope a man
Whom superstition could not down,
Nor legend, tomahawk, nor crown;
Whose horoscopic vision held,
Like prophets wise, in days of eld,
The everlasting years in range,
And all the cycles born of change,—
The man whose sentiments we share,—
'Tis Thomas Hooker standing there!

But who are these in powdered wig?
In pumps and buckles, chaise and gig?
Strong souls of action, living yet,
With Washington and Lafayette,
Far-seeing men who steered their ship
By psalm-book and a tallow dip.
They come as comes Atlantic's tide,
From mart and home-spun countryside,
The potentates of vale and hill,
Whose sceptres were a royal will;
Rough-handed men who did not lag,
Who welded spangles on a flag,
Like Putnam, Hale, and Ichabod,
With pitchfork for a driving-rod;
Monarchs of masonry, not creed,
With Trumbull, Ellsworth in the lead,
Like sentinels of church and state,
Like flakes of fire, in high debate.
Whose minds like pennons caught the gale,
Whose honor was a coat of mail;
Who figured with a golden rule,
And traded jungle for a school;
Who drove a bolt by steady blows,
Who planted nutmegs, grew a rose.
Swung back the gates for what has been,
That peace and thrift might enter in.

These are the men whose grit and dare
Wrought Hartford's skyline in the air,
Built yonder spire and yonder dome,
Where Genius reigns for love and home.
Unconquered hosts of God they stand,
Unshaken by Time's shifting sand,
Stand as The Oak shall ever stand,
For Liberty and Native Land.
Like granite boulders, self-possessed,
The storm-gods beating at the breast,
They towered to heights which all men saw,
Inscribed a governmental law
With quills like bayonets of gold,
So did a galaxy behold
The principles of higher truth,
Which eddied on from youth to youth,
Who leaped to chaos from the height
Of Lincoln's battlements of Right;
Who helped to dig Oppression's grave,
And wrench the shackles from the slave;
Who spiked the cannon, drank its breath,
Who seized the reins and rode to death;
And these the men who 'graved the name
Of Freedom on our Halls of Fame.

And now the warriors who died
But yesterday—the glorified—
Who died for you, and died for me,
E'en as a martyr on a tree,
Who spanned the nations as the sun
And made us brothers, every one.
The men who sleep in unknown graves,
Where halcyon-calm forever laves
Their sacred dust with deep content,
While rainbows arch the way they went;
The men who grappled with despair,
Defied the hounds of sea and air,
And more! From peaks where winds unfurled,
They flung The Colors 'round the world!

But hush! in grassy ambushade
My ghosts of phantasy now fade,
Hither and thither, to and fro,
My soundless dream-waves ebb and flow,
And some are lost in trailing night,
And some are lost in Flanders' light.

Three hundred years by magnets led,
Two hundred years, and what is said?
A century, and what are we?
As children at our mother's knee,
Atoms of thought, forged from the plate
From which a people forged a state;
But each a 'scutcheon on the shield
Which blazons life's old battle-field,
The dust still crumbling, as it will,
The mills of Progress grinding still,
We plough, we sow, we reap, and then—
"God rest ye, merry gentlemen!"



FIRST STATE HOUSE AT HARTFORD
 COMMENCED IN 1719; OCCUPIED IN 1720
 FRAME BUILDING
 30 X 70 FEET
 24 FEET IN
 HEIGHT

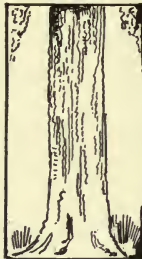
FIRST STATE HOUSE AT NEW-HAVEN
 COMMENCED IN 1763; OCCUPIED IN 1764
 BRICK



THIRD STATE HOUSE AT HARTFORD
 COMMENCED IN 1874; OCCUPIED IN 1878; LENGTH 296 FEET.
 WIDTH, 190 FEET; HEIGHT TO TOP OF ROOF 93 FEET AND TO TOP
 OF CROWNING FIGURE ON THE DOME 257 FEET.



SECOND STATE HOUSE AT NEW HAVEN
 COMMENCED IN 1827; OCCUPIED IN 1830;



SECOND STATE HOUSE AT HARTFORD
 COMMENCED IN 1792; OCCUPIED IN 1796;

State Houses of Connecticut

ADDRESS

“CAPITALS AND STATE HOUSES OF CONNECTICUT.”

HON CHARLES HOPKINS CLARK,

EDITOR OF THE HARTFORD COURANT.

Your Excellency, Governor Holcomb, members of the past, present and future General Assemblies, and others:—

My subject is the Capitals and Statehouses of Connecticut. Many of the states of the Union have shifted the seat of government. New York City was the capital of its state when it was also the capital of the nation at the time of Washington's inauguration as our first President. In 1797 Albany became the capital. So Pennsylvania, after an agitation that lasted from 1783 to 1812, shifted from Philadelphia to Harrisburg. Georgia began with Savannah and ran the circuit from there to Louisville and Milledgeville and finally Atlanta. Ohio had had three or four capitals by the time she decided on Columbus. And a dozen other states have similar stories, but only Connecticut and Rhode Island, so far as I can ascertain, had two capitals at the same time. Rhode Island came down to one in 1900.

Our Connecticut experience begins with Hartford for sixty-two years the sole capital. Then for 175 years Hartford and New Haven were both capitals, and in 1873 a long struggle ended in making Hartford again the only capital. The Fundamental Orders, which Governor Baldwin has so fully described, were adopted in the meeting-house of Thomas Hooker, and there also the General Assembly held its sessions, so that this primitive structure was the first state-house in Connecticut.

New Haven was established about the same time as Connecticut, but under a theocratic rather than democratic form of government. Both seem to have felt that neither had direct authority from England. These were settlements rather than colonies. New Haven sent a delegate to Charles I. in 1645 to ask for a charter, but he was shipwrecked and lost and the attempt was not repeated. In 1661 Connecticut sent its governor, John Winthrop of New London, to Charles II, who had just come to the throne in the joyous reaction from

repressive Puritanism, and whom Macaulay describes as having at his ascension the most enviable opportunity of any man in the world. Before he had gone very far in his downward career, Charles was induced by Winthrop to sign the famous charter in 1662. It is printed annually in the "State Register," but I question how many read it carefully enough to realize what the object was of this devout and prayerful king whose name is a byword for corruption, profligacy and dishonor. Look it up and you will see that by a single stroke of his royal pen he gave away this great territory, with all its magnificent future, in order to

"win and invite the natives of the country to the knowledge and obedience of the only true God and Savior of mankind, and the Christian faith, which in our royal intention is the only and principal end of this plantation."

This charter was carefully worded to protect the independence that the Fundamental Orders prescribed. Winthrop was educated abroad, tactful and socially successful, and took with him a considerable sum of money which he never had to account for. Every-day modern language, addicted to expressive phrase, would call Winthrop a "smooth article," for he not only got the charter, with all the rights preserved that were desired, but by it turned over all the territory of New Haven to Connecticut, though he had assured New Haven that, if there were to be any merger, it should be voluntary on New Haven's part. William Leete of Guilford, governor of New Haven, had secretly advised Winthrop to include New Haven in the charter, but, when New Haven developed great indignation, he, too, was among the indignant. This is not the place to elaborate the long quarrel between the two colonies. In 1665, after thinking seriously of joining New York, New Haven voted to join Connecticut, if Connecticut insisted, and Connecticut did insist, and at the same time the General Assembly of Connecticut entered on its public records this forgiving statement:

"This court doth hereby declare that all former actings that have passed by the former power at New Haven, so far as they have concerned this colony whilst they stood as a distinct colony, though they in their own nature have seemed uncomfortable to us, yet they are hereby buried in perpetual oblivion never to be called to account."

Although the union took place in 1665, the General Assembly did not meet in New Haven until 1701. Meanwhile a few of the especially dissatisfied, led by Robert Treat, removed to Newark, N. J., where a fine hotel today preserves his name for posterity. But he returned to

Connecticut in 1676 and became governor of the colony. Ill feeling seems to have faded away long before 1701, for Leete became an assistant or senator as soon as the union was effected, was elected lieutenant governor in 1669, and in 1676 was elected governor, and he held the office until his death in 1683. In these days of bone-dry war measures and of national prohibition, it may be of passing interest to notice that at the first session of the General Assembly held in New Haven it was voted to grant five special licenses "to sell rum but only during the session of this court." On the same subject it may be mentioned that a few years later, in 1721, it was voted that "what shall be gained on the impost for rum for two years shall be provided for a rector's house for Yale College."

Hartford and New Haven now, both being seats of government, became twin capitals and so remained until the amendment of 1873 went into effect. It was immediately after the union that the county system was established, with Hartford, New Haven, New London and Fairfield counties.

The legislative body that governs Connecticut is described in the Fundamental Orders of 1639, also in the charter of 1662, and also in the Constitution of 1818 as the General Assembly. That has always been its comprehensive title. As already mentioned, its first sessions were held in the Hartford meeting-house, which stood at the east end of the green, long called "Statehouse Square," and of later years "Post Office Square." The Hartford green then covered a large territory that has since been taken up for business purposes, suggestive, it has been said, of the thrifty disposition that has helped to make this community prosperous. All the buildings on the present State street north of the Post Office cover what was once the Green, also those on Central Row, and a considerable distance down Main street. Both the Hartford Times and the Hartford Courant are published on what is said to have been the Green. New Haven has guarded hers much more faithfully.

The first statehouse was built in Hartford in 1719 or 1720, and its construction marked the first step taken to dissociate the two capitals. A sum was voted by the General Assembly to Hartford for a statehouse, and another sum to New Haven for the Collegiate School that was to make the place famous. The Collegiate School, named Yale College after receiving the gift from Elihu Yale, had many stirring experiences in its early days. It was maintained in Killingworth and also in Saybrook, and some students were instructed at Wethersfield. In the general conflict for a definite location, the

Hartford trustees, with the characteristic Yankee willingness of a Connecticut community to take what it can get, put in a bid to the General Assembly for its location here, and so much contention was developed that peace was effected by these two appropriations — one to fix Yale at New Haven, and one for a statehouse at Hartford. The Hartford statehouse thus built was of wood. It stood on Main street directly in front of where the building now stands that followed it. In April, 1783, when peace after the Revolution was being celebrated, the cupola took fire but the main building was saved, though never fully reconstructed. On May 19, 1780, at the time of the Dark Day, Abraham Davenport was in this statehouse as a senator from Stamford, an office he held from 1766 to 1784, and his remarkable declaration has gone down in history as evidence of real Connecticut grit and character:

“I am against an adjournment. The day of judgment is either approaching, or it is not. If it is not, there is no cause for adjournment; if it is, I choose to be found doing my duty. I wish therefore that candles may be brought.”

On January 9, 1788, in this building a convention, presided over by Matthew Griswold of Lyme, ratified the national Constitution of 1787, Connecticut thus being the fifth state in the line of ratifiers. Eventually the wooden statehouse was removed.

The General Assembly, when it met in New Haven, held its sessions for about fifty years in the court house, which was on the Green near the corner of Elm and College streets. However, in 1763, a state house was erected on Temple street also on the Green. This was used until May, 1830, when the last statehouse in that town was put up by Ithiel Town, a distinguished Connecticut architect, who designed and built the marble structure that for so long stood about half way between the Center Church and the west line of the Green, covering, and in construction uncovering, much of the ancient burying ground. In this building Lafayette, Kossuth, President Polk and many others were formally received by the citizens. A pound for stray cattle was maintained under the front steps so long as cattle wandered through the center of the town. A lock-up was in the cellar. Town meetings were held on the ground floor. Yale students used to start from the statehouse steps their famous processions for the burial of Euclid, a ceremonial now abandoned. Town also designed the old city hall in Hartford, which stood where the police headquarters are now, and where Abraham Lincoln spoke in 1860. The last legislative session in the New Haven statehouse was held in 1874 when Charles R. Ingersoll was governor. Later the building was taken over by various

local organizations, but in 1889 it was torn down after two temporary injunctions, prayed out by leading citizens, had been dissolved by the courts.

The statehouse in Hartford that was opened in 1796, was designed by Charles Bulfinch, designer of the Boston state house and the Capitol at Washington. It had a hard time coming into its own. The state ran short of the money needed to finish it and in 1793 decided to start a lottery to raise the funds. There were to be 22,627 tickets at \$5 each, with prizes ranging from \$10 to \$8,000, the state to have 12½ per cent. of the gross receipts. The subscriptions dragged a long time, and, though prizes were awarded, there was nothing left for the state. The lottery spirit, once so active, seems to have run its course by that time, but not so the spirit of adventure, for, in 1795, Jeremiah Halsey of Preston and Andrew Ward of Guilford, ancestor of Henry Ward Beecher who bore his name, offered to finish the building, if the state would deed to them its interest in the Gore Lands, so called, a narrow strip 220 miles long and 2½ wide, lying between New York and Pennsylvania. When the agreement was made, Lemuel Hopkins wrote to Governor Wolcott "on the whole I think that if wild lands, with a dubious title, at a vast distance and covered with Indians, will erect our public buildings, school our children, and expound our Bible, we are a most favored people." The volunteers did as agreed, and, though they did not quite complete the house, they made it habitable. Ward sold out to Halsey and the latter organized the Connecticut Gore Lands Co. and the shares became very valuable. It is said that \$300,000 worth were sold. Then came a contention over the title, and, though Connecticut was never defeated in court in a long succession of trials, still one day the General Assembly voted to surrender all title to the Gore Lands in order to preserve its territorial control of the great Western Reserve of over 3,000,000 acres, now covering a rich part of Ohio. Out of this latter land came our school fund, but the Gore Land Company was ruined, as were many who were interested in it. Later the Connecticut General Assembly voted \$10,000 a year, 1805-8, for four years to help out those who had made the venture. A full account of the Gore Land transaction has been written by Albert C. Bates of the Connecticut Historical Society.

Under a public-spirited movement, started by the Society of Colonial Dames, a fund was raised to reconstruct and preserve the building to stand as a reminder of its interesting history. There the General Assembly met from 1796 through 1878. General LaFayette was ceremoniously received there in 1824, and, according to story,

that tactful gentleman, as each person was presented, asked, "Are you married?" If the answer was "Yes," he was profuse with his congratulations, and, if the answer was "No," he more concisely remarked "Lucky Dog," and everybody went away pleased with his sympathy and good judgment. In the building was held the Hartford Convention, which suffered probably beyond its liberal deserts by the air of mystery spread over the proceedings at the time and its disregard of the now world-wide policy of open covenants openly entered into. Here, too, was held the constitutional convention of 1818, whose work we memorialize today. Five presidents were ceremoniously received in the building. It was when Mark Twain was welcoming Grant, in July, 1870, that he assured the general that the old wooden bridge across the Connecticut, which preceded the splendid stone structure of today, was made entirely of Charter Oak. The superior court met in the building, the county having contributed to the construction, and many interesting trials were held there. Perhaps the most famous was that of a murderer named Done. After Done's conviction, Parson Nathan Strong of the Center Church preached his funeral sermon with the soon-to-be-deceased seated beside him in the court room. The parson had the misfortune to lose out in a distillery that he conducted, and for a time could only go out, free from service by the sheriff, when he went to his church on Sunday to preach. He seems to have had a day off on this occasion. After the sermon a procession headed by two companies of the militia marched with the man to Gallows Hill, out by where Trinity College stands, and he was executed in the presence of a vast assembly, and thus ended a pleasant day in the quiet life of Hartford.

The first efforts to prevent the establishment of a single capital took the form of bills to appropriate for new statehouses at both New Haven and Hartford, but these did not pass. Hartford at various times essayed amendments to fix the capital here, but for a long time these failed to get the required two-thirds of each branch at the second session, twice by a single vote in the Senate. So far as I can find New Haven never pushed to secure the single position, but its influence was always strong for the two new buildings. In 1869, Orville H. Pratt, later to become one of the great men of the country, who was a member of the House from Meriden, offered an amendment to fix the sole capital at Meriden, but that thoughtful compromise did not work. At the legislative session of 1872, the Senate gave only a majority of one vote, 11 to 10, for the usual amendment, but the House started another on its way and the next May the Senate by 21 to 5 and the House by 186 to 52 adopted the amendment. It was submitted to the people at

the little town elections in October and carried by more than 6,000 votes in a total of about 67,500. According to the State Register, the town of Wolcott did not vote. In sixteen towns the vote was unanimous, 11 for and 5 against the change. Hartford bought the buildings and grounds of Trinity College for \$600,000 and gave that acquisition and \$500,000 in cash to the state. Connecticut appropriated \$2,000,000, and as a result we have this superb structure, all paid for within the appropriation. It was designed by R. M. Upjohn of New York. The first plan carried a Gothic tower up where is now the dome. This change is said to be an architectural impropriety, but its development into a brilliant landmark has caused the architectural points to be forgotten except, perhaps, by experts.

The present statehouse, which might much better be so called than the Capitol, was first formally occupied by the General Assembly in 1879. It is everywhere deemed worthy of the state it serves. It stands on the brow overlooking Bushnell Park. South of it is the unique and beautiful State Library, where Librarian Godard is accumulating invaluable treasures for the future historians. Across the river on the west the massive granite state armory stands guard. On the east are several of our fine insurance buildings, and more will soon be erected in that neighborhood. Out on the southeast corner of the grounds stands that fierce-looking mortar, known as the "Petersburg Express," used by the First Connecticut Heavy Artillery at the siege of that Virginia town. Can you find a more complete and welcome evidence of the reunion of the states that goes with the story of the great gun. The president of one of our insurance companies, whose office faces the statehouse and looks out directly on the mortar, lived as a boy in Petersburg at the time of the siege, and he remembers being taken down cellar there to escape the shells it was firing towards his home. Today the gun is a quiet ornament and a peaceful curiosity, and the boy whose life it imperiled goes past it every day as if it were as harmless as any one of the trees within the grounds. Inside the building are the battle flags of the past and present, too. There, also, is the Charter Oak chair.

On the southeast will soon be the Horace Bushnell Memorial Hall, for which the General Assembly has given a charter, further emphasizing, through the public spirit and generosity of his daughter, Mrs. Hillyer, the name of the great man to whom we all owe so much.

Among the noteworthy events in the history of this building are the famous deadlock session of 1891, when Governor Bulkeley bravely retained possession of it and his office amid the possibilities of serious trouble, the splendid reception of Senator Orville H. Platt on his re-

election to the Senate, the funeral ceremonies of his long-time colleague and friend, General Joseph R. Hawley, the long and apparently futile session of the Constitutional Convention of 1902, whose work, I venture, as a humble member of that body, to say was rejected through a misapprehension of its nature.

Thus have I attempted to outline the progress of Connecticut from the humble meetinghouse on the Hartford Green to this magnificent home on the park, central alike to the city and the state. It is safe to say that all the old jealousies between the former twin capitals have died away. Hartford takes pride in Yale College and sends her sons there as soon as they can get in, and New Haven takes a corresponding pride in the development of Hartford, which is no longer a single town, but is the capital and in a sense the property of the whole state, and which always extends a cordial welcome to every Connecticut citizen and rejoices greatly in such a representative gathering as we have here today.



Samuel L. Adams 2nd District
 Charles E. Williamson 2nd District
 John Henry 3rd District
 Albert H. House 7th District
 Herman B. Supplementum 3rd District
 Charles C. Houghton 3rd District
 Daniel M. Clynas 11th District
 George F. Chubbuck 3rd District
 Arthur W. Marvin 17th District
 Frederick A. Bartlett 1st District
 Harry A. Leonard 1st District
 Henry A. Leonard 1st District
 Robert Blampy 1st District
 Clifford E. Hough G. 1st District
 Eugene P. Golden 11th District
 Daniel J. Bailey 10th District
 David J. Waterman 9th District
 Charles C. Houghton 3rd District
 William H. Hoard 1st District
 William H. Hoard 1st District
 Clifford B. Wilson 1st District
 James C. Brown 1st District
 George B. Clark 1st District
 Francis S. Woodruff 1st District
 William H. Hoard 1st District
 Clifford B. Wilson 1st District
 James C. Brown 1st District
 George W. Klatt 4th District
 Edward W. Ham 4th District
 James R. Wood 4th District
 James R. Wood 4th District
 William B. Wilson 4th District
 Edward J. Kennedy 4th District
 Arthur E. Boyers 4th District
 John N. Brooks 4th District
 Charles A. Tompkins 14th District
 Heywood T. French 19th District
 William C. Fox 19th District
 Charles H. Puffer 19th District
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SENATE OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT
 Session of 1919

ADDRESS

“THE SENATE.”

HON. CLIFFORD B. WILSON,
LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF CONNECTICUT.

The institution of the Senate and House of Representatives as we now understand them, originated in the constitution adopted in 1818. By the provisions of this constitution the electors of each town, in April annually, after the election of the representatives to the General Assembly, brought in written ballots for senators. At this time these were elected at large. The twelve receiving the largest number of votes were declared elected. The presiding officer of each town meeting at which elections were held, counted and declared the votes for senators in open meeting. He then prepared a list, gave one to the Town Clerk and the other to the Secretary of State or Sheriff within ten days of the election. If the list were given to the Sheriff, he in turn had to file the same, within fifteen days of such meeting, with the Secretary of State. The State Treasurer, Secretary and Comptroller thereupon canvassed the votes publicly. In the event of a tie, the House elected between those receiving an equal number of votes. The return of votes and canvass had to be submitted on the first day of the session of the General Assembly.

By an amendment adopted in November, 1828, it was provided that the Senate should consist of not less than eighteen nor more than twenty-four members. This amendment further provided that the General Assembly to be held on the first Wednesday of May, 1829, should divide the state into senatorial districts, not less than eight nor more than twenty-four in number. They were to comprise contiguous territory, and no town was to be divided as between two districts. The county lines were to remain intact, and population was to govern in the formation of the senatorial districts. It was further provided that alterations of the districts made thereafter should be based upon the next United States census taken after the adoption of this amendment.

It is, therefore, clear that it has been the intention from the time of the establishment of the senatorial districts, that the districts should be as nearly equal numerically, rather than territorially, as possible. The senators were to be elected from the districts as above outlined. The election of senators in accordance with the districts, was held in the same manner as originally provided, with the exception that the canvass included the towns located within each senatorial district.

In an amendment adopted in November, 1836, it was provided that the election of senators should be made at the same time as the election of Governor and other state officers.

Heretofore the meeting places of the General Assembly (which met yearly) had alternated between Hartford and New Haven, and the meetings were held on the first Wednesday of May, but by the amendment to the constitution adopted in October, 1874, Hartford was selected as the only regular meeting place for the General Assembly. Of course, the Governor, should he deem the circumstances sufficient to warrant, may convene the General Assembly to meet in any town in the state.

The amendment adopted in October, 1875 provided for the election of state officers and senators on the first Monday of November, 1876, and annually thereafter. By this amendment the term of office of the state senators was made two years and was arrived at as follows: At the election held on the first Monday in November, 1876, the senators from the districts having even numbers were to hold office for two years, and the senators from the districts having odd numbers were to hold office for one year, from the Wednesday following the first Monday of January, 1877. It was further provided by this amendment that the sessions of the General Assembly should commence on the first Monday of January, 1877, and annually thereafter.

By an amendment adopted in October, 1884, it was provided that the state officers and members of the General Assembly should be elected on the Tuesday after the first Monday of November, 1886, and biennially thereafter. It was further provided that the senators elected on the Tuesday after the first Monday of November, 1885, should hold their offices only until the Wednesday after the first Monday of January, 1887.

By an amendment adopted in October, 1901, the senate was increased in number so as to be composed of not less than twenty-four nor more than thirty-six senators. It was further provided that the General Assembly of 1903 should divide the state into districts, in number not less than twenty-four nor more than thirty-six, and only

one senator was to be elected from each district. The division into districts was to be made according to population, but no town was to be divided as between two districts, county lines were to remain intact, and each county must have at least one senator.

The lines as laid out by the General Assembly in 1903 are to stand until the census taken by the United States shows the necessity of changing the line so as to keep the district as nearly equal numerically as possible.

All legislation must be passed by both branches of the General Assembly, whereupon it is then submitted to the Governor in due course for his approval or disapproval.

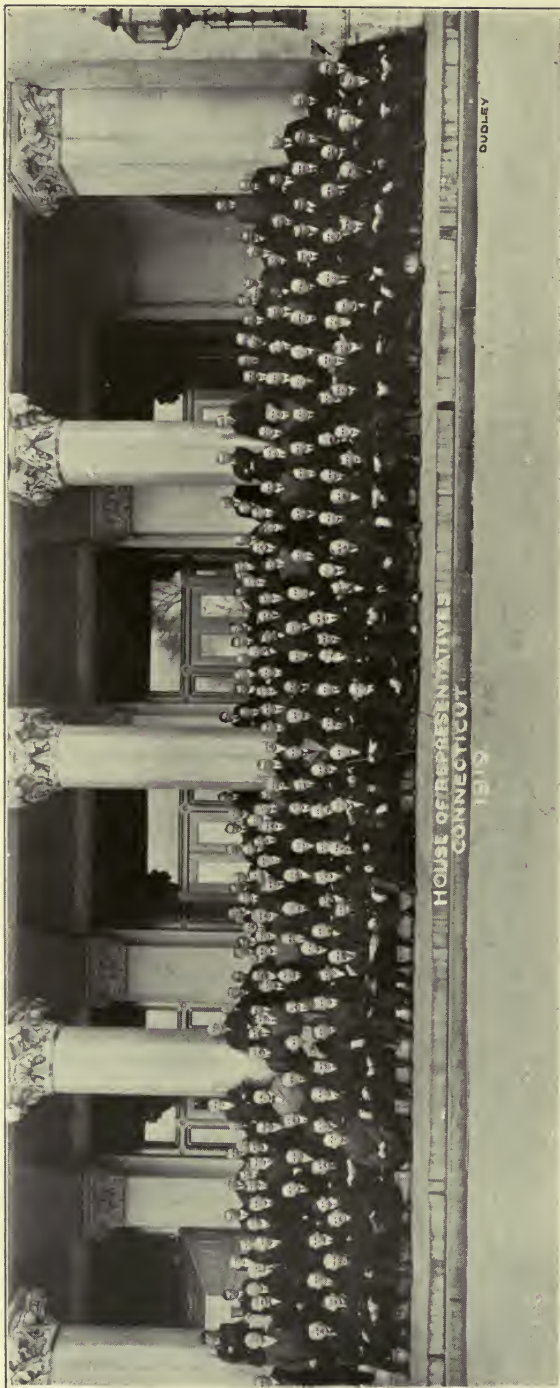
It is interesting to note the changing attitude of the General Assembly. Many bills looking toward the aid, assistance and comfort of the individuals of the state are now passed with hardly any discussion, whereas a few years ago such would provoke almost endless debate and would meet with invariable defeat. To my mind this is a most salutary state of affairs.

“One hundred and forty-two years, the duration of our present national government, is not a long time in the age of a nation. All who have come here from other shores were of necessity engaged in one great thing, and that was the eking out of a livelihood. We have intensified our business and commercial abilities. This war through which we have just passed triumphantly, through the splendid deeds of heroism and splendid accomplishment of millions of true Americans on land and sea, has aged this country more than all the years of its prior existence.

“We must, therefore, legislate so that the country may be brought in every particular to the place where the results of the war have brought it. The enactment of the workmen’s compensation act, mother’s pension bill, and the act limiting the hours of employment for women, were among the first steps in this direction. We must follow this up with similar legislation in order that our citizenry may be made happier and more contented in their environment. No Bolshevism can possibly find root or encouragement in a happy and contented community.

“Inasmuch as our government is founded upon the principle that it derives its just powers from the consent of the governed, we must legislate to the end that the mutual obligations between the state and the citizen, may be made more real, and the individual become an object of greater solicitation on the part of the state. Legislation based upon this principle is bound to result in a finer Americanism, a greater national unity and the elevation of the ideals of true American citizenship.

“The days immediately ahead of us are days of wonderful opportunity of service in the halls of legislation as well as in our daily walks of life. Let us, therefore, dedicate ourselves anew to the traditions and ideals and the institutions which the men who have just returned and those who are still on the other side, have so dearly and heroically preserved for us. Then, indeed, will we have rendered our full service to our community, our state, and our nation — the most glorious nation on the face of the earth.”



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
CONNECTICUT
1910

DUDLEY

ADDRESS

“THE HOUSE.”

HON. JAMES F. WALSH, OF GREENWICH,
SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE.

I have been asked to speak upon the topic “The House” — The House of Representatives of the State of Connecticut. To speak concerning the lower *half* of that great legislative body, which had its origin in the Fundamental Orders adopted by the freemen of Windsor, Hartford and Wethersfield when they came together here in Hartford in January 1638-39 and formulated those Eleven Fundamental Orders, that document now known as the first written constitution and which acknowledged no authority over the freemen, save that of God.

A representation of the scene, which attended the adoption and signing of this fundmaental document has been prepared for us in the mural painting back of the Judge’s bench in our Supreme Court Room in the monumental building across the lawn.

This, our first Constitution, provided for a General Court and also that each of the three towns—Windsor, Hartford and Wethersfield should send four of their freemen as their deputies to every General Court. It was also provided that whatever other towns should be thereafter added to the jurisdiction, they should send so many deputies as the Court should judge meet: “a reasonable proportion to the number of freemen that are in the said towns being to be attended therein.”

It was not until the Charter of 1662 was secured from King Charles II, however, that the towns of Connecticut had any real royal sanction for the government they had created and the liberty they had been enjoying for twenty-four years.

In this document of Charter Oak fame, now safely cared for with other archives in our State Library, the principles found in our first written constitution were incorporated and other valuable provisions added. In it our General Assembly first received its name.

It may be interesting, right here, to note that while the Charter regulated the number of representatives by fixing it at “not exceeding two persons from each place, town or city,” new towns when they

were excused from paying taxes to the Colony treasury, during the trying days of their first beginnings, we are told, sent no deputies to the General Assembly. As taxation without representation has been considered wrong, our fathers thought representation without taxation equally unjust. Thus Litchfield, settled about 1720, sent no representative until 1740. So, too, in my section, when the East Parish of Greenwich was in 1720 exempted from public taxes, for four years, it was provided that the town should, during that period, send but one deputy at public charge.

The three River Towns — Hartford, Windsor and Wethersfield — have been increased to 168, and the twelve deputies of 1638 are now superseded by 35 Senators and 258 Representatives, an increase of 57 members of the House over the membership of that body one hundred years ago.

But the spirit of the first settlers which inspired them to “associate and conjoin” themselves to be as “one Public State or Commonwealth” and “To be guided and governed according to such Laws, Rules, Orders, and Decrees as shall be made, ordered, and decreed” by their accredited representatives still persists.

While one by one the early landmarks of our fathers have been superseded, there are a few buildings throughout our land which have escaped and have become the pride of their centers and a sort of shrine to the World. Thus Boston has her Faneuil Hall, and Philadelphia her Independence Hall. It is a pleasure to here acknowledge the patriotic work being done by the citizens of Hartford in fireproofing and restoring their old City Hall — our old Capitol in which the General Assembly of Connecticut met one hundred years ago. These buildings are not only beautiful in their architecture, but they are beautiful in their history. Centered around them and in them have been events which have influenced the world. These buildings therefore, and occasions like this, do not nor cannot belong to any one locality, nor any one generation. They are hallowed buildings and hallowed occasions on hallowed ground.

What has been done by “The House” during all the years of its ancient and honorable existence? Many and various are the things which it has done. And many and various are the propositions it has prevented from being done. Its record has been an enviable one. Measures have been enacted into law or prevented from becoming so enacted, as the best spirit of each decade seemed to require. The House has endeavored to be true to its trust, and I believe has represented the good sense and sound judgment of its members who have been men of ability and integrity.

I think we do not need to be reminded that Connecticut is no longer a New England State living to herself. She is rather a State *in* New England and a part of a great national civilization. It is a thoroughly modern state, teeming with modern life and up-to-date social and industrial activities.

In these days of easy and quick communication and transportation the interests and welfare of our several states are fast being unified. It is therefore very desirable that so far as possible the laws of the several states along well defined interstate topics should be uniform. The activities of the legislature of no state can be disregarded. Each locality and each generation have always enacted or tried to enact laws, based to be sure upon the same facts, but interpreted from its own point of view and in the light of its own civilization.

Moreover, our busy life has so drawn us to the once distant parts of the earth so frequently that we have unconsciously absorbed something of the spirit, life, and civilization of these distant lands which is being unconsciously more and more incorporated and mirrored in the life and laws of our own state. To determine what part, if any, and in what form, the life, spirit and civilization of these distant regions shall be incorporated into our life and our government, has been no small part of the duties and trust placed upon and in the Members of our General Assembly of which the House forms a part.

On the other hand, we must not forget that while we are being influenced by the life and customs of those coming into our midst, the sons and daughters of Connecticut—imbued with the life and principles of a New England ancestry and a Christian home—have carried their influence wherever they have gone.

States are but individuals, and like individuals, differ in occupation and wealth—if not in social and political preferment. Like individuals, then they must conduct their several households and fashion their several establishments, being governed largely by their business and social requirements and their financial abilities.

Dr. Horace Bushnell, that patron saint of Connecticut, in whose honor the beautiful park north of our Capitol was named, and to whose memory there is soon to be erected on yonder corner opposite these Capitol Grounds, a beautiful and commodious auditorium, as a gift to the citizens of the city and the state which he loved, when he gave his Historical Estimate of Connecticut, before our Legislature and other invited guests in 1851 said:

“There is no outburst of splendor in her (Connecticut’s) history, no glaring or obtrusive prominence to attract the applause of the multitude. Her

true merit and position are discovered only by search; she is seen only through the sacred veil of modesty—great only, in the silent energy of worth and beneficence. But when she is brought forth out of her retirement, instead of the little, declining, undistinguished, scarcely distinguishable state of Connecticut, you behold, rising to view, a history of practical greatness and true honor; illustrious in its beginning; serious and faithful in its progress; dispensing intelligence, without the rewards of fame; heroic for the right, instigated by no hope of applause; independent, as not knowing how to be otherwise; adorned with names of wisdom and greatness fit to be revered, as long as true excellence may have a place in the reverence of mankind.”

It is to be regretted so few of those who have had a part in the Assemblies of former years can be with us. Many have of necessity, long since passed on to their reward; others are detained at home by reason of age or health, but there are a large number who have gone forth to other and distant fields of activity and can be with us only in spirit.

Time prevents me from mentioning but a very few of those whose services in the House were such as almost to demand recognition and special mention on an occasion like this. I cannot, however, refrain from mentioning the following, all of whom have served as Speakers of the House during the century we are celebrating.

David Plant of Stratford who served as Speaker 1819 and 1820, and later as Lieutenant Governor and Representative in Congress.

Samuel A. Foot of Cheshire and *Henry W. Edwards* of New Haven, both of whom served Connecticut as its Governor, Representative in Congress, and United States Senator.

LaFayette S. Foster of Norwich, Judge of the Supreme Court, United States Senator and Acting Vice-President of the United States.

Orville H. Platt of Meriden, Secretary of State, and a leader for many years in the United States Senate.

William L. Storrs of Middletown and *Origen S. Seymour* of Litchfield, both of whom served Connecticut as Chief Justice and Representative in Congress.

William W. Eaton of Hartford, Representative in Congress and United States Senator.

Chauncey F. Cleveland of Hampton, Governor and Representative in Congress.

Oliver H. Perry, of Fairfield, Secretary of State.

Henry B. Harrison of New Haven, Governor.

Also :

Ralph I. Ingersoll of New Haven,
Ebenezer Young of Killingly,
Samuel Ingham of Saybrook,
William W. Boardman of New Haven,
Augustus Brandegee of New London,
Henry C. Deming of Hartford,
John T. Wait of Norwich,
William E. Simonds of Canton,
John Q. Tilson of New Haven,

all of whom served as Representatives in Congress.

Many of you treasure your acquaintance with —

Lynde Harrison of New Haven,
John A. Tibbitts of New London,
Heusted W. R. Hoyt of Greenwich,
Allan W. Paige of Huntington,
John H. Perry and Elmore S. Banks of Fairfield,
Isaac W. Brooks of Torrington,
Samuel Fessenden of Stamford,
Joseph L. Barbour of Hartford,
John H. Light of Norwalk,
Michael Kenealy of Stamford, and
Charles H. Briscoe of Enfield.

I have already wearied you with names, but we must not go away from these Centennial exercises believing or even thinking that all good men and patriots are dead, and that all those not mentioned were not good. To do my subject justice would require hours and days, not minutes.

But we cannot omit saluting our veteran member, Hon. Chester R. Woodford of Avon, now in his 105th year, nor greeting our oldest living Ex-Governor, Hon. Thomas M. Waller of New London, who has served as Secretary of State; Ex-Governor and Ex-United States Senator Hon. Morgan G. Bulkeley, still hale and active, and United States Senators Brandegee and McLean, and their Associates in Congress, and Hon. Marcus H. Holcomb of Southington, Ex-Speaker of the House, Ex-Attorney General and now serving his third consecutive term as Governor of his native state.

The program closed with the singing of "America."

Then the legislators — past and present — many of the older ones leaning on the arms of friends, and every one smiling a smile of satisfaction at the end of a perfect day, left the hall in which they had enacted important measures for the state of Connecticut, said farewells in the corridors, and departed for their homes, some of them never to meet again.

CONNECTICUT "THE CONSTITUTION STATE."

State Librarian George S. Godard in his report for the two years ended September 30, 1910, emphasizes Connecticut's unique position as the mother of Constitutions as follows:

"The unique position which Connecticut holds in the constitutional history of our country, having formulated and adopted the "Fundamental Orders"—the first written constitution—Jan. 14, 1638-39, entitles it to be called "The Constitution State." In recognition of this fundamental instrument and important action of our fathers in Windsor, Hartford and Wethersfield, the central section of the tile floor of Memorial Hall is occupied by a historical tablet showing the evolution of the seal of Connecticut from the early British seal first used by our fathers to the seal now used, and bearing Thomas Hooker's statement concerning constitutional government which reads as follows:

"In matters of greater consequence which concern the common good a General Council chosen by all to transact businesses which concern all I conceive under favor most suitable to rule and most safe for relief of the whole."

A photograph of this historical tablet is made a part of this report.



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Historical tablet in Memorial Hall showing the evolution of the Public Seal of Connecticut, and Thomas Hooker's statement advocating a representative government.

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| 1. British Seal. | 3. Second Connecticut Colonial Seal. |
| 2. First Connecticut Colonial Seal. | 4. Present State Seal. |

STATE FLAG.

So many inquiries have been received asking concerning the Connecticut State Flag, State Seal and State Coat of Arms, that it has seemed desirable to answer these several questions again in this report. I have accordingly had a fairly good representation of the State Flag made in colors and showing the official Coat of Arms upon the same. This is made the frontispiece of this report. It appears that it was not until 1897 that our General Assembly formally adopted a State Flag. The following is the description as incorporated in Section 4889 of the General Statutes, Revision of 1902.

§ 4889. Description. The following-described flag is the official flag of the state. The dimensions of the flag shall be five feet and six inches in length; four feet four inches in width. The flag shall be of azure blue silk, charged with a shield of rococo design of argent white silk, having embroidered in the center three grape vines, supported and bearing fruit in natural colors. The bordure to the shield shall be embroidered in two colors, gold and silver. Below the shield shall be a white streamer, cleft at each end, bordered by gold and browns in fine lines, and upon the streamer shall be embroidered in dark blue letters the motto "*Qui Transtulit Sustinet*"; the whole design being the arms of the state.

PUBLIC SEAL OF CONNECTICUT.

For the information of those interested in the history and meaning of the Seal of our State, it has seemed advisable to reprint here the article upon this topic, which appeared in the Connecticut Register & Manual for 1899, written by the late Charles J. Hoadly, LL.D., State Librarian of Connecticut 1855 to 1900.

"THE PUBLIC SEAL OF CONNECTICUT.

"In a paper hitherto unprinted, written in 1759 by Roger Wolcott, sometime Governor, he tells us that his step-father, Daniel Clark, informed him that the seal was given to the Colony by George Fenwick. Mr. Clark was likely to be well informed on the subject, for he was born about 1623, and was Secretary of the Colony for several years between 1658 and 1666. Mr. Fenwick was agent for the proprietors of Connecticut under the Warwick patent of 1631. Perhaps he gave the seal when the Colony bought of him Saybrook Fort, etc., in 1644, and it may be that the seal was used by the said proprietors. There is in the State Library a pretty fair impression of this seal on wax, affixed to the commission¹ of John Winthrop as magistrate at Nameock [New London], dated October 27, 1647.

"This seal represents a vineyard of fifteen vines, supported and bearing fruit. Above the vines a hand issuing from clouds holds a label with the motto SVSTINET QVI TRANSTVLIT. The seal is slightly oval in form and has a beaded border. There remain, besides the one above mentioned, but three impressions of it among the State archives; all are on wax and all poor.

"After the receipt of the charter, the first General Assembly held under it, October, 1662, ordered that the seal that formerly was used by the General Court should still remain and be used as the seal of this Colony until the court saw cause to the contrary; and the Secretary was to keep it and use it on necessary occasions for the Colony.

"In October, 1662, the General Assembly laid claim to Westchester as being within the chartered limits of Connecticut, and sent down a copy of their vote certified under the colony seal, which is thus curiously described by Mr. Richard Mills, who had the document in his custody: "The signal of the seal above is come to the inhabitants of Westchester, absolute, made in red wax; the motto I suppose to be the arborated craggy wilderness and the flying cloudes."

"The first printed revision of the statutes of Connecticut, Cambridge, 1673, had, by order of the General Court, an impression of the colony seal upon the title page. All other editions of the statutes during our colonial period had the royal arms instead.

"When Sir Edmund Andros took the government of the Colony in October, 1687, the public seal disappeared. Gershom Bulkeley, in his book *Will and Doom*, says that "The Secretary [John Allyn], who was well acquainted with all the transactions of the General Court, and very well understood their meaning and intent in all, delivered their common seal to Sir Edmund Andros." Whether the seal was broken or what became of it we know not: certain it is

¹A photograph of this document was published in my report as State Librarian for 1905-1906.

that the seal used after the resumption of the charter government in 1689 differs considerably from the first one:—it was not so well cut, is a trifle larger, the hand bends downward and the motto reads, SVSTINET QVI TRANSTVLIT. I am inclined to doubt whether the new seal had been procured in 1690, for of five or six impressions on commissions which I have seen, made in that year, all are so very bad that it would seem as though some temporary substitute, made of wood, perhaps, had been used.

"No further change was made until 1711, when, at a meeting of the Governor and Council, October 25th, it was agreed, ordered and resolved, that a new stamp should be made and cut of the seal of this Colony, suitable for sealing upon wafers, and that a press be provided, with the necessary appurtenances for that purpose, as soon as may be, at the cost and charge of the Colony, to be kept in the Secretary's office.

"This seal was considerably larger than its predecessors, measuring $2\frac{1}{8}$ inches in length and $1\frac{3}{4}$ in breadth. Instead of fifteen vines there are but three, and there is a hand, about midway on the dexter side, pointing to them. The motto, which is on a label below the vines, is QVI TRANSTVLIT SVSTINET, and around the circumference is the legend, SIGILLVM COLONLÆ CONNECTICENSIS.

"In October, 1747 the General Assembly voted, that the public seal of the Colony be altered and changed from the form of an oval to that of a circle, and that the same should have cut and engraved upon it the same inscription, motto, and device, that are on the present seal, with a correction of such mistakes as happened in the spelling and letters in the inscription of the present seal, and the Secretary was to procure such alterations. Nothing seems to have been done.

"The press, becoming worn through age, was replaced by a more powerful one in the Secretary's office, and after doing duty for some time in the Treasurer's office, was relegated to the cellar, where it was probably left when the State abandoned the old State House in 1879.

"Wax seems to have been generally used until within about a century. The few impressions upon wafer preserved among the colonial documents are all poor.

"In May, 1784, the General Assembly passed the following resolution:

"Whereas the circumscription of the seal of this state is improper and inapplicable to our present constitution, Resolved by this Assembly, that the Secretary be and he is hereby empowered and directed to get the same altered from the words as they now stand to the following inscription namely SIGILL REIP. CONNECTICUTENSIS."

"The inscription was, however, cut without abbreviation, though in its shortened form it appears in engravings of that period. At the October session in 1784, the new seal was approved and ordered to be lodged with the Secretary to be used as the seal of this State as the law directs. The size of this seal was $2\frac{3}{8}$ inches in length by $1\frac{7}{8}$ in breadth. It was engraved on a silver plate soldered to a brass shoe or base. The silver plate was given to Yale College after a new seal was procured, and the brass base² is at this moment serving the writer as a paper weight.

"Article fourth, section eighteenth, of the constitution adopted in 1818, declares that the seal of the State shall not be altered; but it is singular that neither in that instrument nor in any law or resolution is the seal ascertained or described. In 1840, it was resolved, "That the Secretary of State, be instructed to ascertain the proper seal and bearings of this State, and report to the next General Assembly; and also, whether any legislature enactment is required for a proper description of said seal. Mr. Hinman was at that time Secretary, but, as the subject would have required considerable investigation, he made, as he informed the writer, no report at all.

"At present there are two state seals in use: one for sealing with wax or wafer, which was procured in accordance with a resolution passed October, 1842, which directed that it should be similar to the one then in use. The resolution as originally drawn up provided that the new seal might be of smaller dimensions and circular instead of oval; but these provisions were

² This base is still in possession of the State Library.

struck out in the House of Representatives, probably upon constitutional grounds, and the seal was made of similar form and size with the preceding one, except that it is a trifle broader; the workmanship also is better; there are three clusters of grapes on each vine, whereas the old one had four on each of the upper and five on the lower one. It is engraved on brass. The hand had been omitted from the seal of 1784. The other seal is used for making an impression upon paper without the use of wax or other tenacious substance, which mode was declared, by an act passed in 1851, to be a sufficient sealing. This seal is supposed to have been procured in 1882, under authority of a resolve passed in 1864.⁸

"The armorial bearings of Connecticut in heraldic language would be blazoned thus: Argent, three vines supported and fructed proper: that is, the field is white or silver, and the vines of their natural colors. The blazon of the first seal would be: A field argent serné with vines supported and fructed proper. In chief a hand issuing from clouds, proper, holding a label inscribed with the motto. The number of vines on the old seal was doubtless arbitrary; that on the present seal has no special significance, but is the more usual number when a charge is repeated.

"The first issue of bills of credit was made by Connecticut in 1709. The General Assembly ordered that they should be stamped with such stamps as the Governor and Council should direct, and the latter body at a meeting June 14, 1709, directed that they should be all stamped with the arms of the Colony, or such a figure as was drawn in the council book representing three vines. On the small bills issued in 1777 the seal represented has but one vine, and a seal having but one vine has been used in the Secretary's office for sealing letters.

"The vines symbolize the Colony brought over and planted here in the wilderness. We read in the 80th Psalm: "Thou hast brought a vine out of Egypt; Thou hast cast out the heathen and planted it:—in Latin, *Vineam de Ægypto transtulisti, Ejicisti gentes et plantasti eam*; and the motto expresses our belief that He who brought over the vine continues to take care of it—*Qui transtulit sustinet*."

FUNDAMENTAL ORDERS, 1638-39.

"The constitutional history of Connecticut properly begins with the adoption, on the fourteenth of January, 1638-39, of the 'Fundamental Orders,' by which 'the inhabitants and residents of Windsor, Hartford, and Wethersfield' became 'associated and conjoined to be as one Public State or Commonwealth,' for the establishment of 'an orderly and decent government, according to God, to order and dispose of the affairs of the people at all seasons as occasion shall require.'" (Dr. Trumbull's Historical Notes on the Constitutions.)

⁸The copper plates of this seal having been mutilated by a pin which became imbedded in it was placed in the corner-stone of our new State Library and Supreme Court Building by me, May 25, 1909, with the consent of the Secretary of the State, a new plate having been made sometime before."

CHARTER OF 1662

State Librarian C. J. Hoadly in his report in August 1900, said:

"On the 14th of March, 1661, the General Court of Connecticut voted to petition the king for the continuance and confirmation of such privileges and liberties as were necessary for the comfortable and peaceable settlement of the Colony.

Governor Winthrop was requested to act as the agent for the Colony. He sailed from New York in July, 1661. The letter of credit for £500 sterling, which he took with him, may be seen in the State Library. The amount was paid in wheat and pease. He succeeded in procuring a very liberal charter, which bears date April 23d, 1662.

The charter was made in duplicate and sent in different ships. The duplicate probably arrived first, and was received in Connecticut in September, 1662. There are some trifling verbal differences between them, not, however, affecting the sense.

In 1687 it became evident that the Colony was likely to be deprived of the charter, and measures were taken accordingly. There is a very curious entry on the Colonial Records in June 1687, of the production of the (original) charter in court, and of its being left on the table with the key in the box at the adjournment of the Court, with no one responsible for its safety, the committee which had been appointed to keep it being discharged by their surrendry of it to the Court. Perhaps it was at this time that the charter was quietly taken by Nathaniel Stanly and John Talcott, and concealed in the famous oak.

On the 31st of October, 1687, Sir Edmund Andros came to Hartford to receive the surrender of the charter. The Assembly met and sat late at night. The duplicate charter was brought forth and placed on the table. Suddenly the lights were extinguished, and Captain Joseph Wadsworth carried off and concealed the duplicate, which he retained until 1715, when the Assembly made him a grant for his good service in the matter. The one more highly ornamented than the other, now hangs in the Secretary's office. What remains of the second copy may be seen in the rooms of the Connecticut Historical Society at Hartford. How it was saved from being cut up to make the foundation of a bonnet is told in a note in Vol. 4 of the Colonial Records.

The charter continued to be the basis of our government until it was superseded by the constitution of 1818."

The original charter, engrossed on parchment and enclosed in a frame made in part from the wood of the tree which concealed it, now hangs in a fire-proof vault in Memorial Hall, State Library.

The charter oak, ever an object of affectionate veneration, was blown down in the gale of August 21, 1856. It measured twenty-one feet in circumference seven feet above the ground, and thirty-three feet at the base. A computation made by Prof. John Brocklesby, from the prostrate trunk, fixed its age at nearly a thousand years, showing that it must have been a lusty tree when the Normans conquered England. The name has been borrowed by many public and private enterprises. The handsome Charter Oak Chair in the Senate Chamber attracts universal attention and admiration.

THE CONSTITUTION OF CONNECTICUT.

For the convenience of the delegates to the Constitutional Convention of 1902, and all interested in the study of the present Constitution, Comptroller Abiram Chamberlain had printed, in December, 1901, the following compilation, with this introduction:

“Originally prepared by the Hon. Lewis Sperry, of Hartford, at the request of Ex-Governor Morgan G. Bulkeley, it is now reprinted from his last edition by his permission.”

“So much of the original Constitution and amendments as has become obsolete, either by subsequent amendment or by limitation, has been stricken out. The amendments still in force have been written into the Constitution, in their proper places, and the original language of the Constitution, including even capitals and punctuation, has been preserved as far as possible; so that the draft herewith presented is the Constitution of Connecticut not only in legal effect but in its exact form as it now exists.”

PREAMBLE.

THE people of Connecticut acknowledging with gratitude, the good providence of God, in having permitted them to enjoy a free government, do, in order more effectually to define, secure, and perpetuate the liberties, rights and privileges which they have derived from their ancestors, hereby, after a careful consideration and revision, ordain and establish the following Constitution, and form of civil government.

ARTICLE FIRST.

DECLARATION OF RIGHTS.

That the great and essential principles of liberty and free government may be recognized and established,

WE DECLARE,

SECT. 1. That all men when they form a social compact, are equal in rights; and that no man or set of men are entitled to exclusive public emoluments or privileges from the community.

SECT. 2. That all political power is inherent in the people, and all free governments are founded on their authority and instituted for their benefit; and that they have at all times an undeniable and indefeasible right to alter their form of government in such a manner as they may think expedient.

SECT. 3. The exercise and enjoyment of religious profession and worship, without discrimination, shall forever be free to all persons in this State, provided that the right hereby declared and established, shall not be so construed as to excuse acts of licentiousness, or to justify practices inconsistent with the peace and safety of the State.

SECT. 4. No preference shall be given by law to any Christian sect or mode of worship.

SECT. 5. Every citizen may freely speak, write and publish his sentiments on all subjects, being responsible for the abuse of that liberty.

SECT. 6. No law shall ever be passed to curtail or restrain the liberty of speech or of the press.

SECT. 7. In all prosecutions or indictments for libels, the truth may be given in evidence, and the jury shall have the right to determine the law and the facts, under the direction of the court.

SECT. 8. The people shall be secure in their persons, houses, papers and possessions from unreasonable searches or seizures; and no warrant to search any place, or to seize any person or things, shall issue without describing them as nearly as may be, nor without probable cause supported by oath or affirmation.

SECT. 9. In all criminal prosecutions, the accused shall have the right to be heard by himself and by counsel; to demand the nature and cause of the accusation; to be confronted by the witnesses against him; to have compulsory process to obtain witnesses in his favour; and in all prosecutions by indictment or information, a speedy public trial by an impartial jury. He shall not be compelled to give evidence against himself, nor be deprived of life, liberty, or property, but by due process of law. And no person shall be holden to answer for any crime, the punishment of which may be death or imprisonment for life, unless on a presentment or indictment of a grand jury; except in the land or naval forces, or in the militia when in actual service in time of war, or public danger.

SECT. 10. No person shall be arrested, detained or punished, except in cases clearly warranted by law.

SECT. 11. The property of no person shall be taken for public use, without just compensation therefor.

SECT. 12. All courts shall be open, and every person, for any injury done to him in his person, property or reputation, shall have remedy by due course of law, and right and justice administered without sale, denial or delay.

SECT. 13. Excessive bail shall not be required, nor excessive fines imposed.

SECT. 14. All prisoners shall, before conviction, be bailable by sufficient sureties, except for capital offenses, where the proof is evident, or the presumption great; and the privileges of the writ of *habeas corpus* shall not be suspended, unless when in case of rebellion or invasion, the public safety may require it; nor in any case, but by the legislature.

SECT. 15. No person shall be attainted of treason or felony, by the legislature.

SECT. 16. The citizens have a right, in a peaceable manner, to assemble for their common good, and to apply to those invested with the powers of government, for redress of grievances, or other proper purposes, by petition, address or remonstrance.

SECT. 17. Every citizen has a right to bear arms in defense of himself and the State.

SECT. 18. The military shall, in all cases, and at all times, be in strict subordination to the civil power.

SECT. 19. No soldier shall, in time of peace, be quartered in any house, without the consent of the owner; nor in time of war, but in a manner to be prescribed by law.

SECT. 20. No hereditary emoluments, privileges, or honors, shall ever be granted, or conferred, in this State.

SECT. 21. The right of trial by jury shall remain inviolate.

ARTICLE SECOND.

OF THE DISTRIBUTION OF POWERS.

The powers of government shall be divided into three distinct departments, and each of them confided to a separate magistracy, to wit, those which are legislative, to one; those which are executive, to another; and those which are judicial, to another.

ARTICLE THIRD.

OF THE LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

SECT. 1. The legislative power of this State shall be vested in two distinct houses or branches; the one to be styled THE SENATE, the other THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, and both together THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. The style of their laws shall be, *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened.*

SECT. 2. There shall be a stated session of the General Assembly to be holden at Hartford biennially on the Wednesday following the first Monday of the January next succeeding the election of its members as now provided by law, and at such other times as the General Assembly shall judge necessary; but the person administering the office of Governor, may, on special emergencies, convene the General Assembly at said place at any other time. And in case of danger from the prevalence of contagious diseases, in said place, or other circumstances, the person administering the office of Governor may, by proclamation, convene said Assembly at any other place in this State.

SECT. 3. The House of Representatives shall consist of electors residing in towns from which they are elected. Every town which now contains, or hereafter shall contain a population of five thousand, shall be entitled to send two representatives, and every other one shall be entitled to its present representation in the General Assembly. The population of each town shall be determined by the enumeration made under the authority of the census of the United States, next before the election of representatives is held. In case a new town shall hereafter

be incorporated, such new town shall not be entitled to a Representative in the General Assembly unless it has at least twenty-five hundred inhabitants, and unless the town from which the major portion of its territory is taken has also at least twenty-five hundred inhabitants; but until such towns shall each have at least twenty-five hundred inhabitants, such new town shall, for the purpose of representation in the General Assembly, be attached to, and be deemed to be a part of, the town from which the major portion of its territory is taken, and it shall be an election district of such town for the purpose of representation in the House of Representatives.

[The Senate of this State shall consist of not less than eighteen nor more than twenty-four members, and be chosen by districts. The General Assembly (of 1829) shall divide the State into districts for the choice of Senators, and shall determine what number shall be elected in each, which districts shall not be less than eight, nor more than twenty-four in number, and in forming them regard shall be had to the population in said apportionment in such manner that no county shall have less than two Senators.] *

SECT. 4. From and after the Wednesday after the first Monday of January, 1905, the senate shall be composed of not less than twenty-four and not more than thirty-six members, who shall be elected at the electors' meeting held biennially on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November.

SECT. 5. The general assembly which shall be held on the Wednesday after the first Monday of January, 1903, shall divide the state into senatorial districts, as hereinafter provided; the number of such districts shall not be less than twenty-four nor more than thirty-six, and each district shall elect only one senator. The districts shall always be composed of contiguous territory, and in forming them regard shall be had to population in the several districts, that the same may be as nearly equal as possible under the limitations of this section. Neither the whole or a part of one county shall be joined to the whole or a part of another county to form a district, and no town shall be divided, unless for the purpose of forming more than one district wholly within such town, and each county shall have at least one senator. The districts, when established as hereinafter provided, shall continue the same until the session of the general assembly next after the completion of the next census of the United States, which general assembly shall have power to alter the same, if found necessary to preserve a proper equality of population in each district, but only in accordance with the principles above recited; after which said districts

* The Constitutional provision relating to Senators and Senatorial districts appears in the amendment of 1828. The remaining portions of that amendment authorize the Legislature to redistrict the State from time to time on the basis of population, and provide the manner in which districts shall be formed. The Legislature has acted several times under that amendment, the last time in 1881, Revised Statutes of 1888, Section 197, when the limit of twenty-four Senators allowed by the amendment of 1828 was reached, and the next Senate will be elected under that statute. The amendment adopted in 1901, which becomes operative in 1903, is largely copied from the amendment of 1828 in respect to the time and manner in which the State may be redistricted by the Legislature, and the manner in which districts may be formed. Those provisions appear in this compilation of the Constitution in the second succeeding section [Sec. 5], but have not been inserted here because they will apply to only one more election in the districts as already formed, and because to insert those provisions here would simply be repetition.

shall not be altered, nor the number of senators altered, except at a session of the general assembly next after the completion of a census of the United States, and then only in accordance with the principles hereinbefore provided. The persons voted for for Senators shall, at the time of such vote, belong to and reside in the respective districts in which they are so voted for.

SECT. 6. The Treasurer, Secretary, and Comptroller, for the time being, shall canvass the votes publicly. The person in each district having the greatest number of votes for senator shall be declared to be elected for such district; but in cases where no choice is made by the electors in consequence of an equality of votes, the House of Representatives shall designate, by ballot, which of the candidates having such equal number of votes, shall be declared to be elected. The return of votes, and the result of the canvass, shall be submitted to the House of Representatives, and also to the Senate, on the first day of the session of the General Assembly; and each house shall be the final judge of the election returns and qualifications of its own members.

SEC. 7. A general election for Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Comptroller, and members of the General Assembly shall be held on the Tuesday after the first Monday of November, biennially, as now provided by law, and for such other officers as are herein and may be hereafter prescribed. The General Assembly shall have power to enact laws regulating and prescribing the order and manner of voting for said officers, and also providing for the election of representatives at some time subsequent to the Tuesday after the first Monday of November in all cases when it shall so happen that the electors in any town shall fail on that day to elect the representative or representatives to which such town shall be by law entitled.

SEC. 8. At the general election for State officers and members of the General Assembly the presiding officers shall receive the votes of the electors, which shall be by ballot, either written or printed, and count and declare them in open meeting. The presiding officers shall also make duplicate lists of the persons voted for, and of the number of votes for each, which shall be certified by the presiding officers; one of which lists shall be delivered to the town clerk, and the other within ten days after said meeting, shall be delivered under seal, either to the secretary, or to the sheriff of the county in which said town is situated; which list shall be directed to the Secretary, with a superscription expressing the purport of the contents thereof: and each sheriff, who shall receive such votes, shall, within fifteen days after said meeting, deliver, or cause them to be delivered to the Secretary.

SECT. 9. The members of the General Assembly shall hold their offices for two years from the Wednesday following the first Monday of the January next succeeding their election, and until their successors are duly qualified.

SECT. 10. The House of Representatives, when assembled, shall choose a speaker, clerk, and other officers. The Senate shall choose its clerk, and other officers, except the President. A majority of each

house shall constitute a quorum to do business; but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and compel the attendance of absent members in such manner, and under such penalties, as each house may prescribe.

SECT. 11. Each house shall determine the rules of its own proceedings, punish members for disorderly conduct, and, with the consent of two thirds, expel a member, but not a second time for the same cause; and shall have all other powers necessary for a branch of the legislature of a free and independent State.

SECT. 12. Each house shall keep a journal of its proceedings, and publish the same, when required by one-fifth of its members, except such parts as, in the judgment of a majority require secrecy. The yeas and nays of the members of either house shall, at the desire of one-fifth of those present, be entered on the journals.

SECT. 13. The senators and representatives shall, in all cases of civil process, be privileged from arrest, during the session of the general assembly, and for four days before the commencement, and after the termination of any session thereof. And for any speech or debate in either house, they shall not be questioned in any other place.

SECT. 14. The debates of each house shall be public, except on such occasions as, in the opinion of the house, may require secrecy.

SECT. 15. The compensation of members of the General Assembly shall not exceed three hundred dollars for the term for which they are elected, and one mileage each way for the regular session at the rate of twenty-five cents per mile; they shall also receive one mileage at the same rate for attending any extra session called by the Governor.

SECT. 16. Neither the General Assembly, nor any County, City, Borough, Town, or School District, shall have power to pay or grant any extra compensation to any public officer, employe, agent, or servant, or increase the compensation of any public officer or employe, to take effect during the continuance in office of any person whose salary might be increased thereby, or increase the pay or compensation of any public contractor above the amount specified in the contract.

ARTICLE FOURTH.

OF THE EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SECT. 1. The Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, and Comptroller shall hold their respective offices for two years from the Wednesday following the first Monday of the January next succeeding their election, and until their successors are duly qualified.

SECT. 2. At the meetings of the electors in the respective towns held biennially as herein provided for the election of State officers, members of the General Assembly, and for such other officers as are and may be hereafter prescribed, the presiding officers shall receive the ballots and shall count and declare the same in the presence of the electors. When such ballots shall have been so received and counted, duplicate lists of the persons voted for, and of the number of votes given for each, shall be made and certified by the presiding

officer, one of which lists shall be deposited in the office of the town clerk within three days, and the other, within ten days after said election, shall be transmitted to the Secretary, or to the sheriff of the county, in which such election shall have been held. The sheriff receiving said votes shall deliver, or cause them to be delivered to the Secretary, within fifteen days next after said election. The votes so returned shall be counted, canvassed and declared by the Treasurer, Secretary, and Comptroller, within the month of November. The vote for Treasurer shall be counted, canvassed and declared by the Secretary and Comptroller only; the vote for Secretary shall be counted canvassed and declared by the Treasurer and Comptroller only; and the vote for Comptroller shall be counted, canvassed and declared by the Treasurer and Secretary only. A fair list of the persons and number of votes given for each, together with the returns of the presiding officers, shall be, by the Treasurer, Secretary, and Comptroller, made and laid before the General Assembly, then next to be holden, on the first day of the session thereof. In the election for governor, lieutenant-governor, secretary, treasurer, comptroller, and attorney-general, the person found by the general assembly, in the manner herein provided, to have received the greatest number of votes for each of said offices respectively, shall be declared by said assembly to be elected. But if two or more persons shall be found to have an equal and the greatest number of votes for any of said offices, then the general assembly, on the second day of its session, by joint ballot of both houses, shall proceed without debate to choose said officer from a list of the names of the persons found to have an equal and greatest number of votes for said office. The General Assembly shall by law prescribe the manner in which all questions concerning the election of the above named officers shall be determined.

SECT. 3. The supreme executive power of the State shall be vested in the Governor. No person, who is not an elector of this State, and who has not arrived at the age of thirty years, shall be eligible.

SECT. 4. The Lieutenant Governor shall possess the same qualifications as are herein prescribed for the Governor.

SECT. 5. The Compensations of the Governor and Lieutenant Governor shall be established by law, and shall not be varied so as to take effect until after an election, which shall next succeed the passage of the law establishing said compensations.

SECT. 6. The Governor shall be Captain General of the militia of the State, except when called into the service of the United States.

SECT. 7. He may require information in writing from the officers in the executive department, on any subject relating to the duties of their respective offices.

SECT. 8. The Governor, in case of a disagreement between the two houses of the General Assembly, respecting the time of adjournment, may adjourn them to such time as he shall think proper, not beyond the day of the next stated session.

SECT. 9. He shall, from time to time, give to the General Assembly, information of the state of the government, and recommend

to their consideration such measures as he shall deem expedient.

SECT. 10. He shall take care that the laws be faithfully executed.

SECT. 11. The Governor shall have power to grant reprieves after conviction, in all cases except those of impeachment, until the end of the next session of the General Assembly, and no longer.

SECT. 12. All commissions shall be in the name and by authority of the State of Connecticut; shall be sealed with the State seal, signed by the Governor, and attested by the Secretary.

SECT. 13. Every bill which shall have passed both houses of the General Assembly, shall be presented to the Governor. If he approves, he shall sign and transmit it to the Secretary, but if not, he shall return it to the house in which it originated, with his objections, which shall be entered on the journals of the house; who shall proceed to reconsider the bill. If after such reconsideration, that house shall again pass it, it shall be sent, with the objections, to the other house, which shall also reconsider it. If approved, it shall become a law. But in such cases the votes of both houses shall be determined by yeas and nays; and the names of the members voting for and against the bill, shall be entered on the journals of each house respectively. If the bill shall not be returned by the Governor within three days, Sundays excepted, after it shall have been presented to him, the same shall be a law, in like manner as if he had signed it; unless the General Assembly, by their adjournment, prevents its return, in which case it shall not be a law.

SECT. 14. The Lieutenant Governor shall, by virtue of his office, be President of the Senate, and have, when in committee of the whole, a right to debate, and when the Senate is equally divided, to give the casting vote.

SECT. 15. In case of the death, resignation, refusal to serve, or removal from office of the Governor, or of his impeachment, or absence from the State, the Lieutenant Governor shall exercise the powers and authority appertaining to the office of Governor, until another be chosen at the next periodical election for Governor, and be duly qualified; or until the Governor impeached or absent, shall be acquitted or return.

SECT. 16. When the government shall be administered by the Lieutenant Governor, or he shall be unable to attend as President of the Senate, the Senate shall elect one of their members as President *pro tempore*. And if during the vacancy of the office of Governor, the Lieutenant Governor shall die, resign, refuse to serve, or be removed from office, or if he shall be impeached, or absent from the State, the President of the Senate *pro tempore*, shall, in like manner, administer the government, until he be superseded by a Governor or Lieutenant Governor.

SECT. 17. If the Lieutenant Governor shall be required to administer the government, and shall, while in such administration, die or resign during the recess of the General Assembly, it shall be the duty of the Secretary, for the time being, to convene the Senate for the purpose of choosing a President *pro tempore*.

SECT. 18. The Treasurer shall receive all monies belonging to

the State, and disburse the same only as he may be directed by law. He shall pay no warrant or order for the disbursement of public money, until the same has been registered in the office of the Comptroller.

SECT. 19. The Secretary shall have the safe keeping and custody of the public records and documents, and particularly of the Acts, Resolutions and Orders of the General Assembly, and record the same; and perform all such duties as shall be prescribed by law. He shall be the keeper of the seal of the State, which shall not be altered.

SECT. 20. The Comptroller shall adjust and settle all public accounts and demands, except grants and orders of the General Assembly. He shall prescribe the mode of keeping and rendering all public accounts. He shall *ex officio* be one of the auditors of the accounts of the Treasurer. The General Assembly may assign to him other duties in relation to his office, and to that of the Treasurer, and shall prescribe the manner in which his duties shall be performed.

SECT. 21. Sheriffs shall be elected in the several counties quadrennially on the Tuesday after the first Monday of November, as now provided by law, and shall hold office for the term of four years from the first day of June following their election. They shall become bound, with sufficient sureties to the Treasurer of the State for the faithful discharge of the duties of their office, in such manner as shall be prescribed by law. They shall be removable by the General Assembly. In case the sheriff of any county shall die, resign, or shall be removed from office by the General Assembly, the Governor may fill the vacancy occasioned thereby, until the same shall be filled by the next quadrennial election.

SECT. 22. A statement of all receipts, payments, funds, and debts of the State, shall be published from time to time in such manner and at such periods as shall be prescribed by law.

ARTICLE FIFTH.

OF THE JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

SECT. 1. The judicial power of the State shall be vested in a Supreme Court of Errors, a Superior Court, and such inferior courts as the General Assembly shall, from time to time, ordain and establish: the powers and jurisdiction of which courts shall be defined by law.

SECT. 2. The justices of the peace for the several towns in this State shall be appointed by the electors in such towns; and the time and manner of their election, the number for each town, and the period for which they shall hold their offices, shall be prescribed by law. They shall have such jurisdiction in civil and criminal cases as the General Assembly may prescribe.

SECT. 3. The judges of the Supreme Court of Errors and of the Superior Court shall, upon nomination of the Governor, be appointed by the General Assembly in such manner as shall by law be prescribed. They shall hold their offices for the term of eight years, but may be removed by impeachment; and the Governor shall also remove them on the address of two-thirds of each house of the General

Assembly. No judge or justice of the peace shall be capable of holding office after he shall arrive at the age of seventy years.

SECT. 4. Judges of the Courts of Common Pleas, and of the District Courts, shall be appointed for terms of four years. Judges of the City Courts and Police Courts shall be appointed for terms of two years.

SECT. 5. Judges of Probate shall be elected by the electors residing in their respective districts at the general election biennially. They shall hold their offices for two years from the Wednesday after the first Monday of the January next succeeding their election.

ARTICLE SIXTH.

OF THE QUALIFICATIONS OF ELECTORS.

SECT. 1. All persons who have been, or shall hereafter, previous to the ratification of this Constitution, be admitted freemen, according to the existing laws of this State, shall be electors.

SECT. 2. Every male citizen of the United States who shall have attained the age of twenty-one years, who shall have resided in this State for a term of one year next preceding, and in the town in which he may offer himself to be admitted to the privileges of an elector, at least six months next preceding the time he may so offer himself, and shall be able to read in the English language any article of the Constitution of any section of the Statutes of this State, and shall sustain a good moral character, shall, on his taking such oath as may be prescribed by law, be an elector.

SECT. 3. The privileges of an elector shall be forfeited by a conviction of bribery, forgery, perjury, duelling, fraudulent bankruptcy, theft, or other offense for which an infamous punishment is inflicted. But the General Assembly shall have power, by vote of two-thirds of the members of both branches, to restore the privileges of an elector to those who may have forfeited the same by a conviction of crime.

SECT. 4. Every elector shall be eligible to any office in this State, except in cases provided for in this Constitution.

SECT. 5. The selectmen and town clerk of the several towns shall decide on the qualifications of electors, at such times and in such manner as may be prescribed by law.

SECT. 6. Laws shall be made to support the privilege of free suffrage, prescribing the manner of regulating and conducting meetings of the electors, and prohibiting, under adequate penalties, all undue influence therein, from power, bribery, tumult and other improper conduct.

SECT. 7. In all elections of officers of the State, or members of the General Assembly, the votes of the electors shall be by ballot.

SECT. 8. At all elections of officers of the State, or members of the General Assembly, the electors shall be privileged from arrest, during their attendance upon, and going to and returning from the same, on any civil process.

ARTICLE SEVENTH.
OF RELIGION.

SECT. 1. It being the duty of all men to worship the Supreme Being, the Great Creator and Preserver of the Universe, and their right to render that worship, in the mode most consistent with the dictates of their consciences; no person shall by law be compelled to join or support, nor be classed with, or associated to, any congregation, church or religious association. But every person now belonging to such congregation, church, or religious association shall remain a member thereof until he shall have separated himself therefrom, in the manner hereinafter provided. And each and every society or denomination of Christians in this State, shall have and enjoy the same and equal powers, rights and privileges; and shall have power and authority to support and maintain the ministers or teachers of their respective denominations, and to build and repair houses for public worship, by a tax on the members of any such society only, to be laid by a major vote of the legal voters assembled at any society meeting, warned and held according to law, or in any other manner.

SECT. 2. If any person shall choose to separate himself from the society or denomination of Christians to which he may belong, and shall leave a written notice thereof with the clerk of such society, he shall thereupon be no longer liable for any future expenses which may be incurred by said society.

ARTICLE EIGHTH.
OF EDUCATION.

SECT. 1. The charter of Yale College, as modified by agreement with the corporation thereof, in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly, passed in May, 1792, is hereby confirmed.

SECT. 2. The fund, called the SCHOOL FUND, shall remain a perpetual fund, the interest of which shall be inviolably appropriated to the support and encouragement of the public, or common schools throughout the state, and for the equal benefit of all the people thereof. The value and amount of said fund shall, as soon as practicable, be ascertained in such manner as the General Assembly may prescribe, published, and recorded in the Comptroller's office; and no law shall ever be made, authorizing said fund to be diverted to any other use than the encouragement and support of public, or common schools, among the several school societies, as justice and equity shall require.

ARTICLE NINTH.
OF IMPEACHMENTS.

SECT. 1. The House of Representatives shall have the sole power of impeaching.

SECT. 2. All impeachments shall be tried by the Senate. When sitting for that purpose, they shall be on oath or affirmation. No person shall be convicted without the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present. When the Governor is impeached, the Chief Justice shall preside.

SECT. 3. The Governor, and all other executive and judicial officers, shall be liable to impeachment; but judgments in such cases shall not extend further than to removal from office and disqualification to hold any office of honor, trust or profit under this State. The party convicted, shall, nevertheless, be liable and subject to indictment, trial and punishment according to law.

SECT. 4. Treason against the State shall consist only in levying war against it, or adhering to its enemies, giving them aid and comfort. No person shall be convicted of treason, unless on the testimony of two witnesses to the same overt act, or on confession in open court. No conviction of treason, or attainder, shall work corruption of blood or forfeiture.

ARTICLE TENTH.

GENERAL PROVISIONS.

SECT. 1. Members of the General Assembly, and all officers, executive and judicial, shall, before they enter on the duties of their respective offices, take the following oath or affirmation, to wit:

You do solemnly swear, or affirm, (as the case may be,) that you will support the Constitution of the United States, and the Constitution of the State of Connecticut, so long as you continue a citizen thereof; and that you will faithfully discharge, according to law, the duties of the office of to the best of your abilities. So help you God.

SECT. 2. Each town shall annually elect selectmen, and such officers of local police, as the laws may prescribe.

SECT. 3. No County, City, Town, Borough, or other municipality, shall ever subscribe to the capital stock of any railroad corporation or become a purchaser of the bonds, or make donation to, or loan its credit, directly or indirectly, in aid of any such corporation; but nothing herein contained shall affect the validity of any bonds or debts incurred under existing laws, nor be construed to prohibit the General Assembly from authorizing any Town or City to protect by additional appropriations of money or credit any railroad debt contracted prior to the amendment to the Constitution, adopted October, 1877.

SECT. 4. *The rights and duties of all corporations shall remain as if this Constitution had not been adopted; with the exception of such regulations and restrictions as are contained in this Constitution. All judicial and civil officers now in office, shall continue to hold their offices until their terms of office shall expire, or until they shall resign, or be removed from office according to law. All military officers shall continue to hold and exercise their respective offices, until their terms of office shall expire or until they shall resign, or be removed according to law. All laws not contrary to, or inconsistent with, the provisions of this Constitution, shall remain in force, until they shall expire by their own limitation, or shall be altered or repealed by the General Assembly, in pursuance of this Constitution. The validity of all bonds, debts, contracts, as well of individuals as of bodies corporate, or the State, or all suits, actions, or rights of action, both in law and equity, shall continue as if no change had taken place.

SECT. 5. No judge of the Superior Court, or of the Supreme Court of Errors; no member of Congress; no person holding any office under the authority of the United States; no person holding the office of Treasurer, Secretary, or Comptroller; no sheriff or sheriff's deputy, shall be a member of the General Assembly.

ARTICLE ELEVENTH.

OF AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION.

Whenever a majority of the House of Representatives shall deem it necessary to alter, or amend this Constitution, they may propose such alteration and amendments; which proposed amendments shall be continued to the next General Assembly, and be published with the laws which may have been passed at the same session; and if two-thirds of each house, at the next session of said Assembly, shall approve the amendments proposed, by yeas and nays, said amendments shall, by the Secretary, be transmitted to the town clerk in each town in the State; whose duty it shall be to present the same to the inhabitants thereof, for their consideration, at a town meeting, legally warned and held for that purpose; and if it shall appear in a manner to be provided by law, that a majority of the electors present at such meetings, shall have approved such amendments, the same shall be valid, to all intents and purposes, as a part of this Constitution.

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED SINCE 1902.

The amendments to the Constitution since the above was compiled are as follows:

ARTICLE XXXII.

Each town shall, annually, or biennially, as the electors of the town may determine, elect selectmen and such officers of local police as the laws may prescribe.

ARTICLE XXXIII.

Voting machines or other mechanical devices for voting may be used in all elections in this state, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law; provided, however, that the right of secret voting shall be preserved.

ARTICLE XXXIV.

In case of the death, resignation, refusal to serve, inability to perform the powers and duties of his office, or removal from office of the Governor, or of his impeachment or absence from the state, the Lieutenant-Governor shall exercise the powers and authority appertaining to the office of Governor, until another be chosen at the next periodical election for Governor, and be duly qualified; or until the disability be removed, or until the Governor, impeached or absent, shall be acquitted or return.

ARTICLE XXXV.

The General Assembly shall adjourn *sine die* not later than the first Wednesday after the first Monday in June following its organization.

ARTICLE XXXVI.

That portion of section three of article twenty-seven of the amendments to the constitution which relates to mileage of members of the general assembly is hereby amended to read as follows: and in addition to such compensation, the general assembly may provide by law for the transportation of each member by public conveyance by the most convenient route between his home station and the place of meeting during the session or sessions of the general assembly to which he was elected.

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- Art. 32. *Adopted October, 1905.*
 - Art. 33. *Adopted October, 1905.*
 - Art. 34. *Adopted 1911-1912.*
 - Art. 35. *Adopted 1911-1912.*
 - Art. 36. *Adopted 1915-1916.*

FIRST GOVERNOR OF CONNECTICUT UNDER THE PRESENT CONSTITUTION.

OLIVER WOLCOTT.

Governor, 1817-1827.

Hon. Oliver Wolcott was the first governor of Connecticut under the present Constitution, and the third member of that famous family to occupy the office. He was born in Litchfield on January 11, 1760, and was a son of Governor Oliver and Loraine (Collins) Wolcott. He entered Yale Collège in 1774, but two years later he volunteered in the militia and left his studies, but later returned to college and graduated. During the summer he was with his father, as aide-de-camp, who was then commanding on the western borders of the town. After accompanying his father to the coast he accepted a quartermaster's position. This was a period of great privation for his family at Litchfield. The elder Wolcott was absent in Congress, and on his son's shoulders fell the responsibility of obtaining fuel and provisions for the family. He was also obliged to keep open the roads for the necessary transportation of army stores under his charge. In 1781 Wolcott left his home in Litchfield with three dollars in his pocket, and went to Hartford, where he soon afterward accepted a clerkship in the office of the commissioner of the pay table, at a salary of fifty cents per day specie value. Owing to his great diligence in discharging the duties of the office, the General Assembly in 1782, appointed him one of the commissioners of the pay table. Although he was the junior member of the commission, he was in May, 1784, appointed commissioner to adjust claims for Connecticut against the United States. During the early part of 1788 the Board of Pay Table was abolished, and in its place was created the office of Comptroller of Public Accounts, a position he held until September, 1789. In 1789, he was appointed auditor of the United States Treasury Department, and comptroller of the treasury in the spring of 1791. Alexander Hamilton resigned as secretary of the treasury in 1795 and in February, Wolcott succeeded him. He held the office through the remainder of Washington's administration and was continued in office by President



Oliver Wolcott

Litchfield

First Governor of Connecticut under the Present Constitution
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Memorial Hall, State Library, Hartford

Adams; resigning November 8, 1800. He was then appointed, by President Adams, Judge of the Second Circuit of the United States and served until the judiciary act was repealed in 1802. He then removed to New York City, where he became a merchant. He was very successful, gathered a fortune in a short time, and was first president of the bank of North America. Soon after the close of the second war with Great Britain, he returned to his former home in Litchfield, where he, in company with a brother, founded large woolen factories in Wolcottville in the town of Torrington. In 1817, he took his seat as governor of Connecticut, and his administration was destined to be one of great reform. The most important question to demand the attention of the General Assembly was that of calling a state convention to frame a new constitution. This had been the bone of contention between the two political parties for the last twenty years. The convention was called and Governor Wolcott was chosen president. He presided over the sessions of the convention with dignity and ability, and the original draft of the constitution is said to have been his work. The new constitution was framed and adopted. For ten years Governor Wolcott was continued in office with no decided opposition. His career as governor sustained his great reputation for executive ability which he had gained as a member of Washington's Cabinet. After retiring from the office of governor, he returned to New York City, where he lived with his children for the remainder of his life. Governor Wolcott devoted his fortune to fostering agricultural pursuits, and developing the great factories he had founded. He also paid considerable attention to letters, and he received the degree of Doctor of Laws from the corporations of Brown University, the College of New Jersey, and Yale College. He died at his home in New York, June 1, 1833, and the death of no public man of the period was mourned more than Governor Wolcott. Being the last survivor of Washington's Cabinet and a conspicuous figure that represented the principles of the founders of the republic, Wolcott's death was looked upon as a national loss.

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCHES
of the
STATE OFFICERS OF CONNECTICUT
Living, 1919

GOVERNORS

THOMAS M. WALLER

Governor 1883-1885

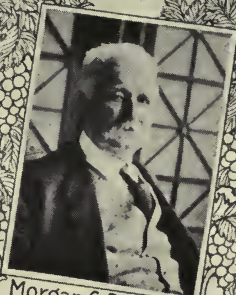
Hon. Thomas M. Waller, of New London, Secretary of State in 1870-71 and Governor from 1883 to 1885, was born in New York City in 1839. He is the son of Thomas C. and Mary Armstrong. His parents died when he was nine years old and soon afterwards was adopted by the late Robert K. Waller of New London, whose name he assumed. His early education was received in the public schools of New London, graduating from the Bartlett High School with honors. He then studied law and was admitted to the New London County bar in 1861. Soon after, however, he enlisted as a private in the Second Regiment, Connecticut Volunteers, and was appointed fourth sergeant in Company E. After going to the front with his regiment, he was compelled to resign because of an eye difficulty. Returned to New London, he entered the practice of his profession and has since met with flattering success. He is a Democrat and was elected a representative from New London to the General Assembly in 1867, 1868, 1872 and 1876, the latter session being Speaker of the House. He has been Mayor of New London and was State's Attorney for New London County from 1875 to 1883. Soon after retiring from the Governor's chair in 1885, President Cleveland appointed him as United States Consul-General at London, England. He held this position until 1889, when he returned to New London and resumed the practice of his profession. He was one of the two vice-presidents of the Constitutional Convention of 1902. Governor Waller has taken a prominent part in many conventions and public meetings.



Thomas M. Waller
New London 1883-1885



Phineas C. Lounsbury
Ridgefield, 1887-1889



Morgan G. Bulkeley
Hartford, 1889-1893



O. Vincent Coffin
Middletown 1895-1897



Governors of Connecticut



George P. McLean
Simsbury 1901-1903



Henry Roberts
Hartford 1905-1907



Rollin S. Woodruff
New Haven 1907-1909



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Frank B. Weeks
Middletown, 1909-1911



Simeon E. Baldwin
New Haven 1911-1915



Marcus H. Holcomb
Southington, 1915-

PHINEAS C. LOUNSBURY

Governor, 1887-1889

Hon. Phineas C. Lounsbury, of Ridgefield, Governor from 1887 to 1889, was born in Ridgefield, January 10, 1841. He is the son of Nathan and Delia Scofield Lounsbury, and brother of ex-Governor George E. Lounsbury. As a boy he helped his father on the farm and obtained a good education. Leaving home he went to New York City and secured employment as a clerk in a shoe store. He soon was promoted to confidential clerk to the proprietor of the store and afterwards became a traveling salesman for the concern and intimately acquainted with every department of the business. At the early age of twenty-one he formed a partnership with his brother, under firm name of Lounsbury Brothers, and began the manufacture of boots and shoes in New Haven. Later the concern removed to South Norwalk, where the business has been successfully carried on for several years, under the firm name of Lounsbury, Mathewson & Company. When the Civil War commenced, Governor Lounsbury enlisted as a private in the Seventeenth Connecticut Volunteers, and soon after reaching the front was taken sick with typhoid fever; and after being in service four months, he was honorably discharged. In 1874 he was a Republican member of the General Assembly and in 1880 he was a presidential elector. He has held no political office since the expiration of his term as Governor (1889) but has devoted his time to his many business enterprises. He has been president of the Merchants Exchange National Bank of New York since 1885 and is vice-president of the Preferred Accident Insurance Company of New York; president of the Remington Typewriter Company; trustee of the American Bank Note Company; director of the First National Bank (Ridgefield), trustee Wesleyan University and is officially connected with other concerns. Governor Lounsbury makes his home in Ridgefield. He has an office on Broadway, New York.

MORGAN G. BULKELEY

Governor, 1889-1893

Hon. Morgan Gardner Bulkeley, of Hartford, Governor from 1889 to 1893, was born in East Haddam, December 26, 1837. His father, Eliphalet A. Bulkeley, was a founder of the Republican party in Connecticut and the first president of the Ætna Life Insurance Company, of which he was one of the organizers. His mother was

Lydia Smith Morgan of Colchester. When he was nine years old the family located in Hartford, where he attended the public schools until he was fourteen years old. Then, in 1851, he entered the employ of the Ætna Life Insurance Company as office sweeper, with wages of one dollar a week. After a short experience at this humble occupation he went to Brooklyn, N. Y., where he acted as bundle boy in a mercantile house, known as H. P. Morgan & Company, in which he became a partner several years later. In 1861, in answer to the call for volunteers young Bulkeley enlisted in the Thirteenth Regiment, New York Volunteer Infantry, and served with credit during the Peninsular Campaign. After the war he took a keen interest in politics and was a member of the Republican General Committee of Kings County. After the death of his father, he came to Hartford, which has ever since been his home. Soon after his return to Hartford, he organized the United States Bank of that city and was its first president, holding that office from 1872 to 1879. In 1879, upon the retirement of Thomas O. Enders, Mr. Bulkeley became president of the Ætna Life Insurance Company, which was destined to become under his great organizing skill, firm principles and rare managerial genius an institution surpassed by none of its kind for progress, success and sound standing. Although the Ætna has been his chief business interest, he has had other strong business ties, having been a director of the Ætna National Bank, the Ætna Fire Insurance Company, the United States Bank, all of Hartford and in the Willimantic Linen Company. A political career equally long and strong has been achieved by Mr. Bulkeley. He was a councilman in 1875; alderman in 1876 and from 1880 to 1888 was mayor of the city of Hartford. In 1888 he was nominated by acclamation for the office of governor and in 1889 entered on a notable administration. In 1890, there arose under the new ballot law the trying deadlock situation, when the question of succession to the office of governor could not be settled and it was Governor Bulkeley's duty to remain in office though legislation was in abeyance. In this difficult situation he acquitted himself with great tact and judgment. When the legislature failed to make needed appropriations, he and the Ætna Life Insurance Company advanced funds necessary for the maintenance of state institutions until proper provision was made. After his term as Governor expired in 1893 he was nominated for United States Senator, but then, and two years later, he withdrew in favor of General Hawley. Meanwhile other honors were his for he was a delegate to the Republican National Convention in

1888 and 1896 and in 1889 he was granted the honorary degree of Master of Arts by Yale University. In January, 1905, he was elected United States Senator to succeed General Hawley and served until 1911. Since 1897, he has been president of the board of Commissioners of the Connecticut River Bridge and Highway District, and it was through his untiring efforts the world unrivalled bridge that now spans the Connecticut between Hartford and East Hartford, was built and dedicated in October, 1908. On December 3, 1908, in Parsons' Theatre, Hartford, he was presented a magnificent silver service of one hundred and fifty-six pieces, as a token of appreciation for this great service to his fellowmen. In the spring of 1911, he was given a beautiful silver loving cup to mark the appreciation due him for further successful achievements in improving landings on the Connecticut River. Mr. Bulkeley has been president of the following patriotic organizations: The Connecticut Sons of the Revolution, the Society of Foreign Wars and the Society of the War of 1812. He is also a member of the Mayflower Society, the Society of Colonial Wars, the Grand Army of the Republic and the Massachusetts Commandery of the Loyal Legion. He is a hereditary member of the Society of the Cincinnati, a Congregationalist, a Free Mason and is a member of various local social clubs. On February 11, 1885, Mr. Bulkeley married Fannie Briggs Houghton, daughter of James and Caroline A. Houghton of San Francisco, California.

O. VINCENT COFFIN

Governor, 1895-1897

Hon. Owen Vincent Coffin, thirty-eighth governor of Connecticut (1895-97), was born at Union Vale, Dutchess Co., N. Y., June 20, 1836, son of Alexander Hamilton and Jane (Vincent) Coffin. His first American ancestor on the paternal side was Tristram Coffin, a native of England, who came to the colonies in 1642 and settled at Salisbury, Mass., removing to Nantucket in 1660. On his mother's side he is a descendant of Capt. Israel Vail of the revolutionary army. Governor Coffin was educated in the public schools of Dutchess County, the Cortland Academy, Homer, N. Y., and the Charlotteville (N. Y.) Seminary. He began his business career in New York city in 1853 in the employ of his uncle, J. W. Vincent, who was engaged in a wholesale mercantile business. During 1855-61 he was the New York agent of a prominent Connecticut manufacturing company. In 1864, he removed to Middletown, and was made secretary and

treasurer of the Farmers and Mechanics Savings Bank of that place. After fourteen years of efficient service ill health from overwork forced him to withdraw for a time from active business. In 1884 he was elected president of the Middlesex Mutual Assurance Co. of Middletown and continued in active service until 1918. He has been director and vice-president of the First National Bank of Middletown; secretary, treasurer and director of the New Haven, Middletown & Willimantic Railroad Co., and a director of the Boston and New York Air Line Co. In politics Mr. Coffin has always been a Republican. He served as mayor of Middletown two years (1872-73); state senator for the twenty-second district in 1887-88 and again in 1889-90. He was among the pioneers in encouraging and establishing Young Men's Christian Associations, especially in Brooklyn, N. Y., and Middletown, being president of both those associations, and for years was prominent among their most efficient advocates. He took great interest in agricultural matters, and in 1875 was elected President of the Middlesex County Agricultural Society. He was first assistant moderator of the Triennial International Congregational Council in Portland, Ore., in 1898; superintendent of Sunday-schools in Brooklyn, N. Y., and Middletown, for many years; moderator of the Congregational Council of Connecticut, and president of the Middletown Choral Society, and many other public or semi-public organizations. In 1896 he received the honorary degree of LL.D. from Wesleyan University, and although not a college man he is an honorary member of the college fraternity Delta Kappa Epsilon. He was for years president of the Middletown Rifle Association, and also served as vice-president of the Connecticut Rifle Association. He was married June 24, 1858, at Middletown, to Ellen Elizabeth, daughter of Linus Coe. Mrs. Coffin died July 23, 1912. He has one son, Seward V. Coffin, who is General Agent of the Provident Life & Trust Co. of Philadelphia, with headquarters in Albany, N. Y.

GEORGE P. McLEAN

Governor, 1901-1903

The following biographical sketch of Hon. George P. McLean, Governor from 1901 to 1903 is taken from the Official Congressional Directory: "GEORGE PAYNE McLEAN, Republican, of Simsbury, was born in Simsbury October 7, 1857; graduated from Hartford High School; admitted to the bar in 1881 and practiced in Hartford; member of the Connecticut House of Representatives in

1883-84; member of the commission to revise the Connecticut statutes in 1885; member of the Connecticut Senate in 1886; was United States district attorney for Connecticut from 1892 to 1896; governor of Connecticut 1901-03; received the degree of A. M. from Yale University in 1904; was nominated in Republican caucus by a vote of 113 to 64 for opposing candidates, and elected by the general assembly by a vote of 158 to 96 for Homer S. Cummings, Democrat, and 1 for Morgan G. Bulkeley, Republican. Was reelected to the United States Senate, November 7, 1916, and his term of service will expire March 3, 1923."

HENRY ROBERTS

Governor, 1905-1907

Hon. Henry Roberts, of Hartford, Lieutenant-Governor from 1903 to 1905 and Governor from 1905 to 1907, was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., January 22, 1853. His father, George Roberts, was a prominent Connecticut manufacturer, who at the time his son was born was in business in Brooklyn. The same year he returned to his native state to retire to a farm in South Windsor. His mother was Elvira (Evans) Roberts, a descendant of John Taylor, and of Thomas Taylor, to whom the people of Deerfield, Mass., have erected a monument in grateful commemoration of his bravery in the French and Indian Wars. Governor Roberts spent the early years of his life on his father's farm in South Windsor. His first school training was received at the public schools of Hartford. He then attended the High School and after his graduation in 1873 he entered Yale College, from which he was graduated with the class of 1877. Having decided to adopt the legal profession he attended the Columbia Law School for one year and then the Yale Law School for the same length of time.

In 1879 Governor Roberts began his active business career by entering the service of the Hartford Woven Wire Company of which his father was the president. He had intended to practice law but the death of his father compelled him to remain in business to care for the large interests of his family. Having inherited the executive ability and commercial acumen of his father he quickly took his place among the leading manufacturers and business men of the State. By creating industries which give useful employment to his fellow citizens, his success has brought prosperity to many others. He was president of the Hartford Woven Wire Mattress Company for several years and is now a director in a large number of corporations.

Among others may be mentioned the Phoenix National Bank, The Hartford Trust Company, the State Savings Bank of Hartford, The Hartford Electric Light Company, the Farmington River Power Company, the States School, Winston, N. C., and the Y. M. C. A. School, Springfield, Mass.

The Governor's career in politics might be recited under the title "From Alderman to Governor in seven years;" for within that short period of time he rose from a minor position in his city to the highest office in the State. Like his father he has always been a staunch Republican. In 1897 he was elected an alderman in Hartford. In this position he served his fellow citizens so well that they sent him in 1899 to represent the city in the Legislature. He remained a member of the lower house until in 1901 he was elected to the Senate from the First District. Governor Roberts is a member of the Connecticut Society of Colonial Wars; the Sons of the American Revolution; the Country Club at Farmington; the Hartford Club and other organizations of a similar character.

ROLLIN S. WOODRUFF

Governor, 1907-1909

Hon. Rollin Simmons Woodruff, of New Haven, Lieutenant-Governor from 1905 to 1907 and Governor from 1907 to 1909, was born in Rochester, N. Y., July 14, 1854. He traces his ancestry back to Matthew Woodruff, who came from England to America in 1636. His parents were Jeremiah Woodruff, a Presbyterian clergyman, and Clarisse (Thompson) Woodruff. When he was fifteen years of age the family moved to New Haven, where he obtained the first position in life as errand boy in a hardware store. His education was limited to that of the public schools of his native town and a brief period of schooling in Lansing, Iowa, but his success in all he undertook was as complete and as rapid as that of any college man. He engaged in various financial and mercantile enterprises in New Haven and after a number of years became interested in the firm of C. S. Mersick & Company, one of the most extensive iron and steel wholesale dealers in New England. He has, for many years, been president of the firm and a controlling power of its large plant at New Haven. He is also a director in a number of other large corporations. Governor Woodruff is a Republican and has held many public offices. He has been president of the Chamber of Commerce of New Haven and in 1903 was a member of the State Senate, being president pro tem of the Senate. Governor Woodruff is a member of several prominent clubs.

FRANK B. WEEKS

Governor, 1909-1911

Hon. Frank Bentley Weeks, of Middletown, in the fall of 1908 was elected Lieutenant-Governor of the State on the Republican ticket by a plurality of 40,487, and served for three months and a half. On April 21, 1909 Governor George L. Lilley of Waterbury died in office and the next day Lieutenant-Governor Weeks became Governor and served until 1911. Governor Weeks is a direct descendant of Thomas Weeks who came from England in 1637, and from John Archer who came from Warwickshire, England in 1646 and was granted by James the Second 1250 acres of land in America, and was made Lord of the Manor of Fordham, New York. On the maternal side Governor Weeks is a direct descendant of Lion Gardiner who came from England and constructed and commanded the Fort at Saybrook in 1636 and 1637, and of his son, David, born in Saybrook Fort in 1636, and who was the first white child born in Connecticut. Governor Weeks is the son of Daniel L. and Frances M. (Edwards) Weeks, and was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., January 20, 1854. At the age of thirteen he removed with his parents to Middletown. He was educated in public, private and military schools. He was also graduated from Eastman Business College in 1872. His first task was in connection with buildings and finance of the Connecticut Hospital for the Insane of Middletown. At the solicitation of the Superintendent he was elected to assist him in business and building problems in connection with the institution — an institution in which Governor Weeks' service as a trustee and chairman of its board for many years have proved invaluable to the State. In 1880 he associated himself with George A. Coles of Middletown, and they took over the large grain and milling business of the corporation known as Union Mills, which they conducted for fifteen years under the firm name of Coles & Weeks. Governor Weeks retired from the milling business in 1895 in order to give his full attention to his personal affairs and many other duties. He is president of The Middletown Savings Bank; president of the Walter Hubbard Realty Co. of Meriden; chairman of the board of trustees of the Connecticut State Hospital of Middletown; director of the Middlesex Mutual Assurance Co. of Middletown; was president of the Connecticut Commission to the Atlantic Exposition in 1895; and Republican Presidential Elector in 1904; was a delegate to the Republican National Convention both in 1912 and 1916. He is also trustee of the Wesleyan University, Middletown, and in 1909 the University honored him with the degree of LL.D. Governor Weeks was the first president of the Middletown Board of Trade, and has been a member

of the Court of Common Council in the city. He is a member of the University Club of Middletown, and a charter member of the Middlesex County Historical Society; of the Republican Club of New York and New England Society of New York, and also of the Society of Colonial Wars.

SIMEON E. BALDWIN

Governor, 1911-1915

Hon. Simeon Eben Baldwin, of New Haven, Governor of Connecticut from 1911 to 1915, was born at New Haven, February 5, 1840, the youngest son of Roger Sherman Baldwin, Governor of Connecticut and United States Senator, who was a son of Simeon Baldwin, Representative in Congress and Associate Judge of the Supreme Court of Errors, and a grandson of Roger Sherman, Signer of the Declaration of Independence, and a leader in the Convention of 1787 which framed the Constitution of the United States.

On his mother's side he is a descendant of Governors Haynes, Wyllys, and Pitkin, of Connecticut. He was educated at the Hopkins Grammar School of New Haven, Yale College, the Yale and Harvard Law Schools, and was admitted to the bar at New Haven in 1863, where he practiced his profession before both the State and United States courts for thirty years. He occasionally appeared also in the argument of important causes in Massachusetts, Rhode Island, and New York, as well as in the Supreme Court of the United States.

In 1869 he was appointed an instructor in the Yale Law School and in 1872 a Professor. At the latter date he withdrew from practice in the inferior courts, and until his election as Governor, gave one or two days a week through the year to the duties of his professorship. The main subjects which he taught were Constitutional Law, Railroad Law, and Private International Law. He has also delivered the Southworth lectures in Andover Theological Seminary, a course of lectures in Private International Law in the University of Maryland, a course of lectures on Wills in Howard University, and another on American Law in Vassar College. In 1919 he resigned his professorship at Yale, and was appointed Professor of Laws *Emeritus*.

In 1872 he was appointed by the General Assembly one of a commission to revise the education laws of Connecticut, and in 1873 one of a similar body for the revision of all the public laws. The general statutes had been arranged in all prior revisions alphabetically by topics. He advocated and carried through an arrangement of the various heads in their natural order, which has ever since been followed.

In 1875 he brought forward in Yale University a plan for giving advanced instruction in the Law Department to those who had already received a degree of bachelor of laws. A course of graduate study was suggested, leading to the degrees of Master of Laws and Doctor of Civil Law. This measure received the approval of the University, and was put into effect in 1876. Graduate courses of a similar nature, patterned after those of Yale University, have since been introduced into a number of the American law schools.

In 1877 he obtained the approval by the State Bar Association of a proposition brought forward by him to abolish the distinction between law and equity as applicable to the form of civil actions. This resulted in his appointment on a legislative commission to accomplish this change, and he had a large share in preparing the Practice Act by which it was effected, and the Rules of Court under it. In 1885 he was appointed on a commission to report to the General Assembly on methods of taxation, and was influential in thus securing the adoption of several measures which added largely to the revenues of the State.

In 1878 he was one of a few citizens who initiated the movement which led to the establishment of an extensive system of parks in New Haven, and was elected one of the three life members of the city Park Commission.

In the same year he suggested to the State Bar Association of Connecticut that it should take the initiative in endeavoring to secure the foundation of a national bar association. He was appointed one of a committee raised for that purpose, and conducted the preliminary correspondence, which was necessarily extensive. The result was the organization in 1878, of the American Bar Association, of which he has been called the founder, and which has had an important and growing influence throughout the Union.

In 1893 he was appointed an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Errors, and in 1907 Chief Justice, serving until retired under the age limit.

He has been president of the New Haven Colony Historical Society, the American Historical Association, the American Bar Association, the Association of American Law Schools, the International Law Association, the American Social Science Association, the American Political Science Association, and the American Society for the Judicial Settlement of International Disputes, and is now president of the Connecticut Academy of Arts and Sciences, the Trustees of the Hopkins Grammar School, and the Connecticut

Society of the Archæological Institute of America, and Director of the Bureau of Comparative Law of the American Bar Association. He is a member of the American Antiquarian Society, the American Philosophical Society, and the National Institute of Arts and Letters, a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, and a corresponding member of the Massachusetts Historical Society, the Colonial Society of Massachusetts, and the *Institut de Droit Comparé* of Brussels. He received the honorary degree of LL.D. from Harvard in 1891, and later from Columbia, Wesleyan and Yale.

He has published a Digest of the Connecticut Law Reports, "Modern Political Institutions," "American Railroad Law," "Illustrative Cases on Railroad Law," "The American Judiciary," "Education and Citizenship," and "The Young Man and the Law." He was also one of the authors of "Two Centuries Growth of American Law," and has contributed numerous articles to magazines and transactions of societies in the United States, Great Britain, France, Germany, Belgium, and Switzerland. He prepared the definitions of terms of jurisprudence given in the "Dictionary of Philosophy," printed at Oxford in 1902, and the article on United States Law in the Encyclopedia Britannica.

In 1900 he was, under appointment from the Department of State, a delegate from the United States to the *Congrès International Pénitentiare* at Brussels, and in 1905 to that at Budapest. In 1904 he was vice-president for the United States of the Universal Congress of Jurists and Lawyers, at St. Louis, Missouri.

He has been moderator of the State Conference of Congregational Churches of Connecticut, and president of the New Haven Congregational Club, and is a director in the Missionary Society of Connecticut, and a corporate member of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions.

Before going on the bench, he had been an active member of the Democratic party, and when appointed was president of the State Democratic Club, and of the Monticello Club in New Haven, which then occupied a club house on Temple street. He retired from the bench in 1910, on reaching the age of seventy, under the constitutional provision to that effect, and was elected Governor on the Democratic ticket in the fall of that year.

At the Democratic State Convention held at Bridgeport, on May 2, 1912, resolutions were unanimously passed instructing the Connecticut delegates to the Democratic National Convention to be held at Baltimore, June 25, 1912, to place in nomination, vote for, and

support Governor Baldwin as candidate for President of the United States. He received the votes of two States in the Convention. In 1914, he was the candidate of the Democratic party for United States Senate, but was defeated at the election by Senator Brandegee.

MARCUS H. HOLCOMB

Governor, 1915 —

Hon. Marcus Hensley Holcomb of Southington, Governor of Connecticut since 1915, was born at New Hartford, November 28, 1844. He is the son of Carlos and Adah (Bushnell) Holcomb, and traces his New England ancestry to Thomas Holcomb, born in Wales in 1601, who came to Massachusetts in 1629, settling at Dorchester, and in 1634 located at Windsor. He represented Windsor and Hartford at the framing of the Constitution of Connecticut Colony in 1639, and it is fitting that now, over two and three quarter centuries later, Governor Holcomb, a lineal descendant, should be charged with the enforcement of the provisions of the constitution of the State born of the Colonial constitution Thomas Holcomb helped to frame. Governor Holcomb's boyhood and youth were spent in attendance at public school and on his father's farm. He then for a number of years taught school and studied law, under the direction of Judge Jared B. Foster, an eminent member of the Connecticut bar. On November 15, 1871, he was admitted to the bar at Litchfield, and has practiced at Southington, since 1872. In 1876 he was elected probate judge for the Southington district, and was also judge of the Southington town court from the time the court was instituted until his election as Attorney-General. He was Attorney-General from January, 1907 to September 10, 1910, when he resigned to become a judge of the Superior Court. In 1893 he was elected treasurer of the County of Hartford, serving until 1908. He was a member of the Senate in 1893, a delegate to the Constitutional Convention in 1902, Speaker of the House of Representatives in 1905, Member of the Republican State Central Committee several years, and has served on many State Commissions at different times. In 1914, having reached the age limit of seventy years, fixed by law, he was retired as judge of the Superior Court and in November of the same year was elected Governor of the State, and now has the great honor of serving his third term. No other Governor has served so long as Governor Holcomb, the past one hundred years, except William A. Buckingham of Norwich, the "war governor" who served from 1858 to 1866. Governor Holcomb holds numerous positions of honor and

trust being president of the Southington Savings Bank, a director of the Southington National Bank, The Peck, Stow & Wilcox Co., The Ætna Nut Co., The Southington Cutlery Co., and National Fire Insurance Company. He is a thirty-second degree Mason, also a member of the Orders of Knights of Pythias, Elks, Red Men, Foresters, Mechanics and of the Grange.

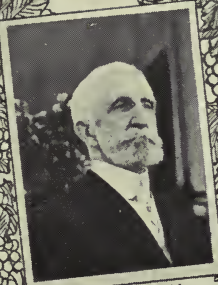
He is a member of the First Baptist Church of Southington, chairman of its Board of Trustees and for thirty years was superintendent of its Sunday School. He was married to Sarah Carpenter Bennett on October 16, 1872, who died December 3, 1901. Governor Holcomb has proved to be a distinguished "war governor" and by his faithfulness and wonderful executive ability has inspired the commonwealth to a patriotism that has become historical record.

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNORS

LYMAN A. MILLS

Lieutenant-Governor, 1899-1901

Hon. Lyman Allen Mills, of Middlefield, Lieutenant-Governor from 1899 to 1901, was born in Middlefield (then a part of Middletown) February 25, 1841. He is the son of Rev. Charles Lewis and Elizabeth Coe (Lyman) Mills, and through his father is descended from John and Priscilla Alden, of the *Mayflower* Pilgrims (1620) and through his mother is a descendant of Thomas Welles, fourth Governor of the Colony of Connecticut (1655 and 1658). He was educated in the academies of Durham, Conn., and North Bridgewater, Mass. He has successfully devoted himself chiefly to manufacturing and to the care and management of various properties and estates. He is president of the Lyman Gun Sight Corporation; director of the American Wringer Company; president of The Levi E. Coe Library Association; trustee of the Middletown Savings Bank and holds other positions of trust and responsibility. Mr. Mills has been for many years a breeder of choice Jersey cattle, and has advanced the interests of dairy farming in America through the well-known herds of Jerseys raised upon his farm. Jerseys bred by him have become famous prize-winners, including the cow Figgis, champion and grand champion at the great exhibition of Jerseys at the World's Fair at St. Louis in 1904. On June 6, 1866, Mr. Mills married Jane Louisa, daughter of Deacon Alfred Andrews of New Britain. Mr. Mills is a Republican and represented his town in the General Assembly of 1895. He is a member of the Connecticut Society of the Sons of the American Revolution.



Lyman A. Mills
Middlefield, 1899-1901



Edwin O. Keeler
Norwalk, 1901-1903



Henry Roberts
Hartford, 1903-1905

Lieutenant- Governors of Connecticut



Rollin S. Woodruff
New Haven, 1905-1907



Everett J. Lake
Hartford, 1907-1909



Frank B. Weeks
Middletown, 1909

Living 1919



Dennis A. Blakeslee
New Haven, 1911-1913



Lyman T. Tingier
Rockville, 1913-1915



Clifford B. Wilson
Bridgeport, 1915-

EDWIN O. KEELER

Lieutenant-Governor, 1901-1903

Hon. Edwin O. Keeler, of Norwalk, Lieutenant-Governor from 1901 to 1903, was born in Ridgefield, January 12, 1846. He was educated in the schools of his native town. When fifteen years of age he went to Norwalk to live and in 1867 he became interested in the grocery business and was successfully engaged in this line, being a member of the wholesale grocery firm of Holmes, Keeler & Selleck Co. for many years. In 1894 he had the honor of being elected first Mayor of the city of Norwalk. A year previous to this he was chosen President of the Fairfield County National Bank, succeeding the late United States Treasurer Hyatt, also Director in the Norwalk Hospital. He is an ex-President of the Norwalk Club, as well as a director in many other companies. He is one of the prominent Knights Templar and is also a member of the I. O. O. F., and B. P. O. Elks. He has had the honor of serving five consecutive terms in the Legislature. In 1893 and 1895 he was a member of the House; 1897 and 1899, a member of the Senate and in 1901, as Lieutenant-Governor, was President of the Senate. He was a delegate to the National Republican Convention, at St. Louis, in 1896.

HENRY ROBERTS

Lieutenant-Governor, 1903-1905

(See Governors for biographical sketch.)

ROLLIN S. WOODRUFF

Lieutenant-Governor, 1905-1907

(See Governors for biographical sketch.)

EVERETT J. LAKE

Lieutenant-Governor, 1907-1909

Hon. Everett John Lake, of Hartford, Lieutenant-Governor from 1907 to 1909, is the son of Thomas A. and Martha A. (Cockings) Lake, and was born in Woodstock, February 8, 1871. He was educated in the High School at Stromburg, Neb., in the class of 1887, and in 1890 was graduated from the Worcester Polytechnic Institute,

and in 1892 was graduated from Harvard College. Mr. Lake, on September 4, 1895, married Eva Louise Sykes, daughter of George Sykes, a prominent manufacturer of Rockville. Mr. Lake has been a member of the Board of School Visitors of Hartford. He is a director of the Hartford National Bank, and the Riverside Trust Co. He is also a member of the major's staff of the First Company, Governor's Foot Guard, and president and treasurer of the Hartford Lumber Company. Mr. Lake is a Republican and was a member of the House of Representatives in 1903 and of the Senate in 1905. He is a member of several prominent clubs and societies.

FRANK B. WEEKS

Lieutenant-Governor, 1909

(See Governors for biographical sketch).

DENNIS A. BLAKESLEE

Lieutenant-Governor, 1911-1913

Hon. Dennis A. Blakeslee, of New Haven, Lieutenant-Governor from 1911 to 1913, was born in New Haven, March 11, 1856 and is the son of Charles W. and Martha J. (Waters) Blakeslee. He was educated in the public schools of New Haven and on December 4, 1878 married Lizzie F. Law, daughter of Wyllis A. and Harriett A. Law. He is a Republican and was Councilman in 1881 and 1882, Fire Commissioner from 1887 to 1893, and a member of the Senate two consecutive sessions, 1907 and 1909. He served twenty-five years with the 2nd Company of Governor's Horse Guards and was in command eight years. He is also a member of the Society's Committee of the Dwight Place Congregational Church, a director in Mechanics Bank and the Security Insurance Company, secretary and treasurer of Seymour Water Company, president of Connecticut Hassam Pavement Company, president New Haven Mercantile Safe Deposit Company, and secretary and treasurer of the New Haven Street Sprinkling Company. He was a member of the Committee in charge of erecting the new county Court House in New Haven, and president of the Saybrook and Lyme Connecticut River Bridge Commission. Mr. Blakeslee is a prominent contractor, being a member of the firm of C. W. Blakeslee & Sons.

LYMAN T. TINGIER

Lieutenant-Governor, 1913-1915

Hon. Lyman Twining Tingier, of Rockville, town of Vernon, Lieutenant-Governor from 1913 to 1915, was born in Webster, Mass., June 9, 1862. He is the son of Seymour Allen and Sarah (Twining) Tingier. His early training was received in the public schools of Webster and at Nichols Academy, Dudley, Mass. He studied law at Yale University and was graduated from the Yale Law School with the class of 1888, in which year he was admitted to the bar. In 1889 he located in Rockville, where he has since successfully practiced his profession. He has held several public offices including: judge of probate for the District of Ellington (Vernon and Ellington) from 1890 to 1895; judge of the City Court of Rockville from 1899 to 1903; Mayor of the city of Rockville, 1912-1914 and has been clerk of the Superior Court for Tolland County since 1893. Judge Tingier was a delegate to the Democratic National Convention, at Chicago, in 1896; was the Democratic candidate for Governor in 1914 and was a member of the General Assembly two sessions, 1909 and 1911. He is a director of the Savings Bank of Rockville, and also served as chairman of the Rockville High School Committee. In local fraternal circles he is affiliated with the Masons, Knights of Pythias and Foresters.

CLIFFORD B. WILSON

Lieutenant-Governor, 1915 —

Hon. Clifford Brittin Wilson, of Bridgeport, Lieutenant-Governor since 1915, was born December 2, 1879, at Bridgeport, and has lived there all his life. He obtained his preliminary education in the public schools of his native city, later attending the High School, from which he was graduated in 1898. He possessed a strong taste for the law in early youth, and upon the completion of his studies he devoted his attention to that subject in the office of Edward P. Nobbs, a prominent attorney of Bridgeport. In 1899, while he was yet a student of law, he was appointed assistant clerk of the Probate District of Bridgeport. He was admitted to the bar in January, 1902, and at once began the active practice of his profession. Two years later he entered into partnership with Henry C. Stevenson, an association which continued until the year 1915. In 1907, Mr. Wilson was elected alderman from the fifth district, serving in that capacity until 1909, in which year he was appointed coroner for Fairfield County,

which office he resigned on January 1, 1912. In 1909 he also became president of the common council and served as acting mayor of Bridgeport. In November, 1911, he received the election of Mayor of Bridgeport, the term of service being for two years. He was re-elected mayor in November, 1913, 1915, 1917 and 1919. Mr. Wilson has been active in many departments of the public life of his native city, and particularly so in the militia of his State. He held various offices in the Third Regiment, which afterwards became the Fourth Company, Coast Artillery, and he is now on the State retired list as captain of militia.

He has been a member of the Masonic order for many years and is particularly active therein. He is a member of all the bodies connected with that order, including the Pyramid Temple, Ancient Arabic Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, and has taken his Knight Templar and thirty-second degrees in Masonry. He is also a member of and past grand of Pequonnock Lodge No. 4, Independent Order of Odd Fellows; past chief patriarch of Stratfield Encampment, No. 23, of the same order, a member of Bridgeport Lodge, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, and Franklin Bartlett Camp, No. 11, Sons of Veterans.

Mr. Wilson was united in marriage, November 10, 1914, to Anastasia C., daughter of Patrick and Mary E. (Cahill) Dorsey, of Middletown. He was appointed Colonel of the Fourth Military District in 1917.

SECRETARIES

THOMAS M. WALLER

Secretary, 1870-1871

(See Governors for biographical sketch.)

CHARLES E. SEARLS

Secretary, 1881-1883

Hon. Charles Edwin Searls, of Thompson, Secretary of State from 1881 to 1883, was born in Pomfret, March 25, 1846 and has resided in Thompson since he was eleven years of age. He was graduated from Thompson Academy in 1864, and entered Yale University the same year, graduating in the class of 1868. He then entered the law office of Hon. Gilbert W. Phillips, of Putnam, and in 1870 was admitted to the bar. He at once opened an office in Putnam



Thomas M. Waller
New London 1870-1871



Charles E. Searls
Thompson 1881-1883



John J. Phelan
Bridgeport 1893-1895



Charles Phelps
Rockville 1897-1899

Secretaries of Connecticut



Charles G. R. Vinal
Middletown 1901-1905



Theodore Bodenwein
New London 1905-1909



Matthew H. Rogers
Bridgeport 1909-1913

Living 1919



Albert Phillips
Stamford 1913-1915



Charles D. Burnes
Greenwich 1915-1917



Frederick L. Perry
New Haven 1917-

where he has since successfully continued in the practice of his profession, being now senior member of the law firm of Searls, Russell and Bradford. He has held the office of State's Attorney for Windham County since 1893, has twice represented Thompson in the General Assembly, in 1871 and 1886; and in 1909 was leader of the Senate, being chairman of the Judiciary Committee. In 1896, he was a delegate from this State to the Republican National Convention at St. Louis. He is a member of the American Bar Association, and has been president of the Connecticut State Bar Association since January, 1918. He is also a member of the National Council of the National Economic League, and has been active in various patriotic enterprises. He has served his town as Town Clerk, Justice of the Peace and School Visitor; is a trustee of the Day-Kimball Hospital and has been a director of the Thompson National Bank and other institutions. Mr. Searls is a member of Psi Upsilon and Wolf's Head Societies, both of Yale. On October 8, 1902, he married Miss Sarah Alice Fell of Boston, Mass.

JOHN J. PHELAN

Secretary, 1893-1895

Hon. John Joseph Phelan, of Bridgeport, Secretary of State, 1893-1895, was born at Wexford, Ireland, June 24th, 1851; son of Michael and Catherine (White) Phelan; graduate of Christian Brothers School, Wexford, 1865; worked for father in granite business 1865-70; came to United States and settled at Bridgeport, in 1870; granite and marble cutter, 1870-74; in granite and marble business, 1874-78; LL.B., University of City of New York, 1878; married December 25, 1879, Annie E. Fitzgerald. Engaged in practice of law at Bridgeport since 1878; alderman 1880-84; township attorney, 1884-85; member of the House of Representatives, 1885-87 (Democratic nominee for speaker 1886); City Attorney, Bridgeport, 1889-90; elected Secretary of State of Connecticut, 1890, but did not serve owing to contest of election of Governor Morris; reelected, 1892, serving 1893-95. Member of American Bar Association; Chairman of Connecticut delegation to Catholic Congress, Chicago Exposition, 1893; president Irish Land League, Bridgeport, 1881-82; Supreme Knight, Knights of Columbus, 1886-97; a member of the Board of Apportionment of Bridgeport from 1909-1912; President of Board of Apportionment, 1911-12; appointed by the Judges of Supreme and Superior Courts Coroner of Fairfield County in 1912, the present term ending in June, 1921.

CHARLES PHELPS

Secretary, 1897-1899

Hon. Charles Phelps, of Vernon (Rockville), Secretary of State from 1897 to 1899, was nominated by the Republicans for the office of Attorney-General in 1898; was elected and served the State in that position from 1899 to 1903. The office was a new one and Mr. Phelps was the first official to hold it. Mr. Phelps was born in East Hartford, August 10, 1852. His father was the Rev. B. C. Phelps, a retired Methodist clergyman, who lived in Vernon. Mr. Phelps was educated at the East Greenwich Academy, and at Wesleyan University from which last mentioned institution he was graduated in 1875. He then began to study law in the office of Hon. B. H. Bill, of Rockville, and was admitted to the bar in 1877. He began the practice of the law in Tolland, but subsequently returned to Rockville, where he has since successfully practiced. Mr. Phelps was the first coroner of Tolland County, and served from 1883 until his appointment as State's Attorney in 1904 a position he creditably filled for many years. He represented the town of Vernon in the General Assembly of 1885. In 1892 he was chosen Senator from the twenty-third district and was one of the leaders of the republican side in the session of 1893. It was an exceptional session, in that there were but two republican lawyers, Messrs. Phelps and Holcomb, in an evenly divided Senate. Mr. Phelps was a delegate to the Constitutional Convention in 1902. When Rockville became a city, Senator Phelps was appointed city attorney and prosecuting attorney, which offices he held for several years.

CHARLES G. R. VINAL

Secretary, 1901-1905

Hon. Charles Green Rich Vinal, of Middletown, Secretary of State from 1901 to 1905, was born January 14, 1840, at Monroe, Maine. He is seventh in descent from John Vinal and Elizabeth, daughter of Rev. Nicholas Baker who settled in Scituate, Mass., in 1636. He was graduated from Wesleyan University in 1861. In 1862 he served as First Lieutenant in the Twenty-fourth Regiment of Connecticut Volunteers. Mr. Vinal has been Mayor of Middletown, town Treasurer, Judge of Probate, and for the past fifty-two years Clerk of the Superior Court for Middlesex County. He retired from the office of Clerk, July 11, 1919. Mr. Vinal was married in 1865 to M. Amelia Hotchkiss, daughter of the Ex-Lieutenant-Governor,

Julius Hotchkiss and member of the Fortieth Congress. He is a member of St. John's Lodge, No. 2, F. and A. M., and Mansfield Post, No. 53, G. A. R. Mr. Vinal was a member of the Senate two consecutive sessions, 1897 and 1899.

THEODORE BODENWEIN

Secretary, 1905-1909

The career of Hon. Theodore Bodenwein, Secretary of State from 1905 to 1909, and proprietor of the *New London Day*, is a striking example of the possibilities of American citizenship. Born in Dusseldorf, Prussia, January 25, 1864, he came to this country at the age of five, the child of German parents in humble circumstances. He attained his education in a country school in Groton. At an early age he showed an aptitude for the printer's trade and in 1881 he became an apprentice in the office of the *New London Day*. He passed through the different branches of the business and from close application and observation obtained a practical knowledge of the newspaper business, besides becoming a ready and forceful writer. In 1885 he was one of the founders of the *Morning Telegraph*, which succeeded the old *Evening Telegram*. He remained with the *Telegraph* in various capacities for five years, when he disposed of his interests. In September, 1891, he purchased the *New London Day*, paying what was considered an enormous price, nearly \$26,000. The *Day* had been leading a checkered career for ten years and was heavily encumbered with debt, but in a remarkably short time, Mr. Bodenwein brought order out of chaos, and, since then has conducted one of the most prosperous and finely equipped newspaper plants in Connecticut. Mr. Bodenwein is a Republican and has served as an Alderman and as Sewer Commissioner of the city of New London. He is a member of numerous clubs and societies.

MATTHEW H. ROGERS

Secretary, 1909-1913

Hon. Matthew H. Rogers, Secretary of State from 1909 to 1913, was born in Cornwall, January 19, 1861 and is the son of the late Francis and Susan Rogers. He received his early education in the public schools of Cornwall, which was supplemented by a course in business college, before attaining his majority he had laid the foundation for a successful business career. He is Treasurer and General

Manager of the Fairchild & Shelton Co., Director of the Commercial Bank & Trust Co. and is the sole owner of a large Iron & Steel Industry of Bridgeport. Mr. Rogers has been a resident of Bridgeport since 1880. In 1893 and 1894 he served as a member of the Board of Alderman and in 1895 and 1896 was a member of the Board of Relief, in 1897 was elected to the General Assembly. In 1901 and 1902 served as aide-de-camp on Governor George P. McLean's staff and 1903 and 1904 was paymaster on Governor Abiram Chamberlain's staff. He was a member of the Yellow Mill Bridge Commission and for six years served as chairman of the Paving and Sewer Commission which had the supervision of all sewers and permanent paving of his city. Mr. Rogers was married on January 10, 1883 to Miss Nellie Forestelle of Warren. He is a member of the Seaside Club, the Algonquin Club, the Seaside Outing Club, the Bridgeport Yacht Club and the Calumet Club.

ALBERT PHILLIPS

Secretary, 1913-1915

Hon. Albert Phillips, of Stamford, Secretary of State from 1913 to 1915, is a native of New Britain and is thirty-one years of age. He was one of the youngest members of the House of Representatives the session of 1911. He is a prominent lawyer and Democrat and has held the position of prosecuting attorney in Stamford.

CHARLES D. BURNES

Secretary, 1915-1917

Hon. Charles D. Burnes, of Greenwich, Secretary of State from 1915 to 1917, was born in Berlin, August 4, 1871, and is the son of Harvey E. and Grace L. (Andrew) Burnes. He attended Wesleyan University two years in the class of 1892, was graduated from Yale Law School in the class of 1893 and was admitted to the bar the same year and immediately began to practice at South Norwalk. Mr. Burnes came to Greenwich in July, 1894, where he continued to practice law. He is a Republican and the year he came to Greenwich was elected Deputy Registrar of Voters and Clerk of the Borough Court and in 1897 was elected Judge of the Borough Court. He has also been chairman of the High School Committee and Clerk of the School District. Mr. Burnes was a member of the House of Representatives in 1907 and 1909. He is now a resident of Springfield, Mass.



E. Stevens Henry
Rockville, 1889-1893



Charles W. Grosvenor
Pomfret, 1897-1899



Henry H. Gallup
Norwich, 1901-1905

Treasurers of Connecticut



James F. Walsh
Greenwich, 1905-1907



Freeman F. Patten
Stafford Springs, 1907-1911



Costello Lippitt
Norwich, 1911-1913

Living 1919



Edward S. Roberts
Canaan
1913-1915



Fred'rk S. Chamberlain
New Britain, 1915-1919



G. Harold Gilpatric
Putnam 1919 -

FREDERICK L. PERRY

Secretary, 1917 —

Hon. Frederick L. Perry, of New Haven, Secretary of State since 1917, was born at Manchester, March 14, 1871. Was educated in the public schools and in Beacon Academy, at Colchester. Was admitted to the Bar in 1897 after having graduated from Yale Law School. He is a Republican and was president of the Board of Aldermen for two terms, 1910 to 1914. Represented New Haven in General Assembly of 1915. Elected Secretary of State in 1916 and re-elected in 1918. Secretary of the Board of Selectmen of New Haven which passed out of existence at the time of the consolidation of town and city governments in 1897. Was also Secretary of Shell-Fish Commission for a number of years previous to becoming Secretary of State.

TREASURERS

E. STEVENS HENRY

Treasurer, 1889-1893

Hon. Edward Stevens Henry, of Vernon (Rockville), State Treasurer from 1889 to 1893, was born in Gill, Mass., February 10, 1836. He is the oldest son of Edward F. and Eliza A. (Stevens) Henry. At the age of twelve he removed with his parents to Rockville, where he was educated in the public schools of that town. At the age of nineteen he entered the dry goods business and soon became actively interested in the organization and management of the leading financial institutions of Rockville. In this work, in public service, and the care of his large estate and as a breeder of thoroughbred stock he has spent his life. He was an organizer and has, for many years been treasurer of the People's Savings Bank of Rockville. The public positions which Mr. Henry has held have been many and important. For fifteen years he was active trial justice at Rockville; in 1883 he was a member of the Connecticut House of Representatives; in 1887 was a State Senator; in 1894 he was Mayor of Rockville and in the same year was elected a member of Congress. He served as a member of the fifty-fourth to the sixty-second Congresses (1895 to 1913), and his long term of office justly gained for him the title of "Veteran Congressman." In 1888, Mr. Henry was delegate-at-large to the Republican National Convention at Chicago. He is a member of the Sons of the American Revolution, the American Jersey Cattle Club, the Connecticut Historical Club and the fraternal order of Masons. On February 11, 1860, Mr. Henry married Lucina E. Dewey of Lebanon.

CHARLES W. GROSVENOR

Treasurer, 1897-1899

Hon. Charles W. Grosvenor, of Pomfret, State Treasurer from 1897 and 1899, was born in Pomfret, May 11, 1839. He is the eldest son of John W. and Phebe G. (Spaulding) Grosvenor. He and his brother Benjamin have been largely the means of making Pomfret one of the leading summer resorts of New England. Mr. Grosvenor during the rebellion served as sergeant of Co. D., 18th Conn. Vol. He is past Commander of the A. G. Warner Post, G. A. R., of Putnam. He was a member of the House of Representatives in 1881 and 1885 and a member of the Senate in 1886. He has been president of the Windham County Agricultural Society; first vice-president of the Woodstock Agricultural Society and president of the Eighteenth Connecticut Volunteers' Association.

HENRY H. GALLUP

Treasurer, 1901-1905

Hon. Henry Haskell Gallup, of Norwich, State Treasurer from 1901 to 1905, was born in the town of Preston, June 2, 1846. He is the son of Isaac and Maria Theresa (Davis) Gallup. He traces his ancestry through many generations to John Gallup, a native of Dorsetshire, England, who came to this country in 1630. After receiving his education in the public and private schools, he was engaged in teaching for four winters. At the age of twenty-two he went to Norwich and began work as a clerk in a store. On March 1, 1871, he became partner in a firm engaged in the leather and finding trade. In 1873, with others, he formed the Norwich Belt Manufacturing Company, with which he has been associated ever since, and from December, 1892 to Jan. 1, 1902, he was the sole proprietor. The company was then incorporated and he has since been Treasurer, President and now Chairman of Board of Directors and General Manager. From 1888 to 1909 he was a director in the Thames National Bank and has been president of the Norwich Industrial Building Company since its organization. He was also president of the "Norwich Bulletin" Company, is a vice-president of the Chelsea Savings Bank, was president of the Crescent Fire Arms Company for twenty-six years and is president of the Smith Granite Company, of Westerly, R. I.

JAMES F. WALSH

Treasurer, 1905-1907

Hon. James F. Walsh, of Greenwich, State Treasurer from 1905 to 1907, was born in Lewisboro, N. Y., March 15, 1864, and is a son of James F. and Annie E. Walsh. He was educated in the public schools of his native town, and at the age of eighteen removed to Greenwich where he entered the law office of his brother, Hon. R. J. Walsh, as student. On January 20, 1888, he was admitted to the Fairfield County Bar, continuing to practice in partnership with his brother until January, 1890, when he opened an office of his own. He has met with signal success, having built up an unusually large and lucrative practice. He was prosecuting attorney of the Borough Court from its organization in 1888 until June, 1905, when he resigned upon being appointed by Governor Roberts, Judge of the Criminal Court of Common Pleas of Fairfield County. Judge Walsh is a strong Republican, a highly respected member of the Episcopal Church, I. O. O. F., and Indian Harbor Yacht Club. He married April 11, 1893, Emily Gene Tweedale, the daughter of Joseph Tweedale of Portchester, N. Y. Judge Walsh has been a member of the House of Representatives two sessions, 1901 and 1919, being Speaker of the House the present session. In 1907, as Senate Chairman of the Judiciary Committee, he was the leader of the Senate.

FREEMAN F. PATTEN

Treasurer, 1907-1911

Hon. Freeman F. Patten, of Stafford (Stafford Springs), State Treasurer from 1907 to 1911, was born in that town, November 3, 1856. After receiving a common school education in his home town and three years of more advanced training at the Wesleyan Academy at Wilbraham, Mass., he, at the age of nineteen, became clerk in the savings bank at Stafford Springs. Two years later he started his successful career as a woolen manufacturer. In 1900, Mr. Patten retired after an experience of a quarter of a century in the woolen business. Since then he has given his time to the management of his extensive real estate holdings and to the filling of various public positions. He has served as treasurer and later warden of the Borough of Stafford Springs; treasurer of the school district; director of the local Savings Bank; governor of the Country Club and president of Stafford Springs Cemetery Association. He is a Republican in politics, a Methodist in creed and a Shriner in fraternal affiliations. He represented Stafford in the General Assembly of 1905.

COSTELLO LIPPITT

Treasurer, 1911-1913

Hon. Costello Lippitt, of Norwich, State Treasurer from 1911 to 1913, was born in East Killingly, December 12, 1842, and when ten years old removed with his parents to Norwich. His education was acquired in the district schools of his native town, the public schools and Free Academy of Norwich and Wesleyan University, where he was graduated with the degree of A.B. In 1867, the degree of M.A. was conferred upon him. Upon leaving college Mr. Lippitt entered the Thames National Bank, but in 1865 accepted a clerkship in the Norwich Savings Society, and since 1881 has been secretary and treasurer of this bank, which ranks as second largest savings bank in the State. He is also president of the Merchants National Bank. Mr. Lippitt is a Republican and thirty-third degree Mason. He has been prominent in local politics and has served his city as Mayor.

EDWARD S. ROBERTS

Treasurer, 1913-1915

Hon. Edward Spellman Roberts, of North Canaan, State Treasurer from 1913 to 1915, is a native of Goshen and was born April 15, 1842. He is the son of Frederick and Hannah (Spellman) Roberts and on September 4, 1867 married Lois Jane Briggs of East Canaan. In July, 1862, he enlisted in Co. F., 2nd Regiment, Connecticut Volunteers, and served as 1st Sergeant until the close of the war. He taught school twelve years and for over twenty years has been secretary, treasurer and general manager of the East Canaan Co-operative Creamery Company and a director of the Norfolk Savings Bank. He has represented his town in the General Assembly two sessions, 1875 and 1889, and has been Chairman of the School Board of East Canaan and a Justice of the Peace for many years. He is a Royal Arch Mason; Past Master of the Blue Lodge; Past Commander Department of Connecticut G. A. R. and a member of the Patrons of Husbandry.

FREDERICK S. CHAMBERLAIN

Treasurer, 1915-1919

Hon. Frederick Stanley Chamberlain, of New Britain, State Treasurer from 1915 to 1919, was born in New Britain, August 19, 1872, the oldest child of Valentine B. and Anna (Smith) Chamber-

lain. He was educated in the public schools of New Britain and at the age of sixteen he obtained a position with the Mechanics National Bank as office boy, remaining with that bank until 1907, when, being assistant cashier, he resigned to take the position of cashier and director of the New Britain National Bank, the position which he now holds. He has always been a Republican and was for several years a representative of the third ward as councilman and alderman, resigning the office of alderman in 1908 after having been elected City Treasurer. Mr. Chamberlain has been elected to that office each election since, and for several years without any opposition, having had the uncontested support of both Republicans and Democrats. On November 18, 1919 he resigned the office of City Treasurer, to become a director of the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston. Mr. Chamberlain represented the city of New Britain in the State Legislature in 1909 and was House Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations. He has also been President of the Board of Finance and Taxation since its inception.

G. HAROLD GILPATRIC

Treasurer, 1919 —

Hon. G. Harold Gilpatric, of Putnam, the present State Treasurer, was born in Warren, R. I., July 8, 1881. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Gilpatric and removed with his parents to Putnam when he was but two years old. He was educated in the public schools of Putnam and graduated from the Putnam High School in the class of 1899. At the age of eighteen he began his successful business career by entering the First National Bank of Putnam. In January, 1908, he became cashier and still holds that important position. He has been an active member of the Republican State Central Committee for nine years. On October 19, 1905, Mr. Gilpatric married Miss Irene Wheelock, daughter of the late Hon. Eugene A. Wheelock, formerly head of the Putnam Woolen Company. They have three children, a daughter and two sons. Among the varied business interests with which Mr. Gilpatric is identified aside from cashier of the bank, is president of the Paris, Kentucky, Water Company; director of the Adrian, Michigan, Water Company; member of the board of water commissioners of the city of Putnam; treasurer of the Putnam Foundry & Machine Corporation, and a director of the Putnam Woolen Company.

Fraternally Mr. Gilpatric is a Mason and past master of the

Quinebaug Lodge of Putnam, a Shriner and Knight Templar; also member of the Odd Fellows and Elks, and president of the Putnam Country Club. Mr. Gilpatric was the first county chairman of the State Council of Defense and was local chairman of the Liberty Loan campaigns. In November, 1918 he was elected State Treasurer for the term of two years, 1919-1921.

COMPTROLLERS

FRANK D. SLOAT

Comptroller, 1883-1885

Gen. Frank D. Sloat, of New Haven (now of Washington, D. C.), State Comptroller from 1883 to 1885, was born at Fishkill, N. Y., September 28, 1835. When quite young he moved to Putnam County, N. Y., where he worked summers for his father and others at farm work and attended the district school winters. When he was nearly seventeen he became a clerk in a country store and later was a clerk in New York City. He then became a salesman for the New York Steam Heating Company and two years later, in 1859, he became manager of the company's manufactory, located at New Haven. He was occupying that position when the war of the Rebellion commenced. He became an active member of the New Haven Grays and in the early autumn of 1862 enlisted in a company then recruiting for the 14th Regiment C. V. Being too late to enter that regiment, his company was assigned to the 27th Regiment, C. V. He was elected Second Lieutenant and later appointed First Lieutenant and promoted to Captain of the company. He was engaged in the battles of Fredericksburg and Chancellorsville, and was among those of his company sent to Libby Prison. The term of service of the regiment having expired it returned to New Haven, where General Sloat accepted the position of bookkeeper and confidential secretary for Mr. C. S. Bushnell. Between 1867 and 1870, he had charge of a large iron interest in Wisconsin. He then became treasurer of the Victor Sewing Machine Company at Middletown and in 1873 was also elected president, which position he held for several years. General Sloat is a prominent Mason and member of the G. A. R. He is past-Commander of Admiral Foote Post, G. A. R. of New Haven. He served on Governor Andrew's staff as Paymaster-General and under Governor Bigelow as Quartermaster-General. Gen. Sloat for many years has held the important position of Financial Clerk in the Patent Office at Washington, D. C.

ASAHEL W. MITCHELL

Comptroller, 1905-1907

Hon. Asahel W. Mitchell, of Woodbury, State Comptroller from 1905 to 1907, is the son of Hon. Asahel W. and Harriet (Allen) Mitchell and was born in Woodbury, October 16, 1865. Mr. Mitchell was in 1883 with the Bradstreet commercial agency at New Haven, after which he was in the office of the American Ring Company at Waterbury. Owing to the failing health of his father he went home, in October, 1887, to take charge of his affairs and has resided in Woodbury ever since. His father died September 10, 1888. Mr. Mitchell has been superintendent of the Woodbury Water Company for many years. He has held the offices of town clerk, auditor and justice of the peace for several years. He was a member of the House in 1897 and the Senate in 1899.

DANIEL P. DUNN

Comptroller, 1913-1915

Hon. Daniel P. Dunn, of Windham (Willimantic), State Comptroller from 1913 to 1915, was born in that town September 14, 1859. He was married April 23, 1889, to Miss Julia A. Rice, of Hartford. He has been engaged in the newspaper, cigar and tobacco business since 1884. He is affiliated closely with several fraternal organizations, amongst them being San Jose Council, No. 14, K. of C.; Court Windham, No. 97, F. of A.; Willimantic Conclave, No. 751, I. O. H.; Division No. 1, A. O. H. and Norwich Lodge, No. 430, B. P. of Elks. He was one of the incorporators of the St. Joseph's Hospital; also an active member of the Putnam Phalanx, of Hartford. He has held several political offices, including Mayor and Registrar of Voters. He is a Democrat and was a member of the General Assembly four sessions, 1903, 1907, 1909 and 1911.

MORRIS C. WEBSTER

Comptroller, 1915 —

Hon. Morris Catlin Webster, of Harwinton, State Comptroller since 1915, was born at Harwinton, September 28, 1848, and is a lineal descendant of John Webster, who was one of Connecticut's Colonial Governors, serving two terms, 1656-57; three of his ancestors were Revolutionary soldiers and one earned distinction by carrying General Arnold, when wounded, from the battlefield at Saratoga.

Through his mother he is connected with the Catlin family, so many of whom have held prominent and responsible positions in the State. Mr. Webster was educated at Winchester Institute, then a flourishing military academy in charge of Col. Ira W. Pettibone, and began business in the employ of Hart, Merriam & Co., of Hartford, where he remained six years. From Hartford he went to Milwaukee, thence to New York, then engaged for himself in business at Terryville, and in 1878 accepted the position of secretary and superintendent of The Malleable Iron Works in New Britain, which he held until May 16, 1902. In New Britain Mr. Webster began his political career. He served three years in the Common Council; fifteen years on the School Board; was Representative in the Legislature of 1897, and has served two years as Mayor. He was Building and Loan Commissioner from March, 1891 to 1907 and a member of the General Assembly, from Harwinton, two consecutive sessions, 1911 and 1913, being Speaker of the House of Representatives the latter session.

ATTORNEYS-GENERAL

CHARLES PHELPS

Attorney-General, 1899-1903

(See Secretaries for biographical sketch.)

WILLIAM A. KING

Attorney-General, 1903-1907

Hon. William Albert King, of Windham (Willimantic), Attorney-General from 1903 to 1907, was born in Greenfield, Mass., July 22, 1855. He was educated at Monson Academy and Amherst College, graduating in the class of 1878. He was admitted to the Bar in 1880, locating at Stafford Springs. Since 1889, he has been successfully engaged in the practice of law at Willimantic. He was a member of the General Assembly from Stafford in 1882 and from Windham in 1899, 1901 and 1919. The last two sessions he was Republican leader of the House, being chairman of the Judiciary Committee. In 1901 he was a member of the Commission to revise the Statutes.

MARCUS H. HOLCOMB

Attorney-General, 1907-1910

(See Governors for biographical sketch).

**Comptrollers
of
Connecticut**

**Living
1919**

Frank D. Sloat
New Haven 1883-1885

Asahel W. Mitchell
Woodbury 1905-1907

Daniel P. Dunn
Willimantic 1915-1915

Morris C. Webster
Hartford 1915-

**Attorneys-General of
Connecticut**

**Living
1919**

Charles Phelps
Rockville 1899-1903

William A. King
Willimantic 1903-1907

Marcus H. Holcomb
Southington 1907-1910

**Attorneys-General of
Connecticut**

**Living
1919**

John H. Light
Norwalk 1910-1915

George E. Hinman
Willimantic 1915-1919

Frank E. Healy
Windsor Locks 1919

JOHN H. LIGHT

Attorney-General, 1910-1915

Hon. John H. Light, of Norwalk, Attorney-General, was appointed September 15, 1910, by Governor Weeks to fill the unexpired term of Marcus H. Holcomb and in November, 1910, was elected for the full term of four years commencing on the 4th day of January, 1911. He was born in Carmel, Putnam County, New York, on March 27, 1855, and graduated from the Chamberlain Institute, at Randolph, N. Y., with honors, in 1880. In 1883 he was admitted to the Fairfield County Bar and has since successfully continued in the practice of law in South Norwalk. In 1884, he was appointed attorney for the city, and filled that office continuously, under both Democratic and Republican administrations for twenty-four years. In February, 1896, Mr. Light was appointed Prosecuting Attorney of the Criminal Court of Common Pleas for Fairfield County, and held that office until November 5, 1900, when by Governor George E. Lounsbury, he was appointed Judge of the same Court, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Judge R. Jay Walsh, of Greenwich. By the next General Assembly, Mr. Light was appointed Judge of said Court for the unexpired portion of Judge Walsh's term, and was also appointed for the full term of four years, beginning July 1, 1901. Judge Light was a member of the General Assembly in 1899 and 1901, the latter session being Speaker of the House. He has held several other offices including: member of the Committee of the South Norwalk School District; member School Board of the Town of Norwalk; acting school visitor; president and director of the Public Library; director of the City National Bank of South Norwalk; one of the managers and Board of Directors of the South Norwalk Savings Bank and treasurer of Fairfield County.

GEORGE E. HINMAN

Attorney-General, 1915-1919

Hon. George E. Hinman, of Windham (Willimantic), Attorney-General from 1915 to 1919, was assistant clerk of the House of Representatives in 1899, clerk of the House in 1901, assistant clerk of the Constitutional Convention in 1902, clerk of the Senate, 1903, clerk of bills, 1905, 1907, and 1911, engrossing clerk in 1909. In January, 1919, he was appointed by Governor Holcomb a judge of

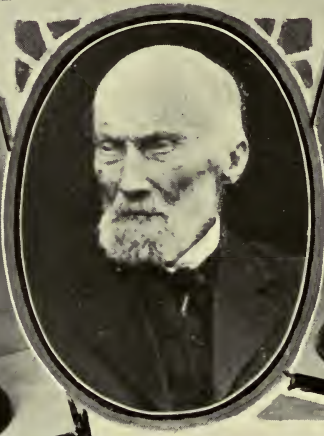
the superior court for the term of eight years from August 23, 1919. He was born in Alford, Mass., May 7, 1870, graduated from the Great Barrington (Mass.), high school in 1888, engaged in newspaper work, coming to Willimantic in 1901, and was for three years editor of the Willimantic Journal. Resigning this position in 1895, he studied law in the office of former Attorney-General Wm. A. King and at the Yale Law School, was admitted to the Bar in March, 1899, and has since practiced successfully in Willimantic. In addition to the above-mentioned state offices, he was county health officer from 1903 to 1914, secretary of the Republican State Central Committee 1902 to 1914, and has held several town and city offices. He married, September 26, 1899, Nettie P. Williams of Willimantic. They have two children, Russell W., born January 30, 1907, and Virginia G., born August 23, 1909.

FRANK E. HEALY

Attorney-General, 1919—

Hon. Frank E. Healy, of Windsor Locks, the present Attorney-General of the State, was born in Windsor Locks, November 8, 1869. He was graduated with honors from the Law School at Yale, in the class of '93, and during his course there took the Kent Club prize for oratory. In June, 1893, he was admitted to the Bar, and has since practiced law in Hartford. He was Assistant Clerk of the House of Representatives of '97, Clerk in '99, Clerk of the Senate in 1901, Clerk of the Constitutional Convention in 1902, Clerk of Bills in 1903, and Engrossing Clerk in 1905. He has had the honor of being a leading member of the General Assembly three consecutive sessions. In the session of 1913, he was the Republican Leader of the House, being chairman of the Judiciary Committee, and in the sessions of 1915 and 1917, he was Speaker of the House. He was Tax Commissioner from 1905 to 1907; has been an active member of the Republican State Central Committee for many years and was a member of the Commission to revise the Statutes in 1915. In November, 1918, he was elected Attorney-General for a term of four years, beginning in January, 1919.

State of Connecticut



Chester R. Woodford

LOVING CUPS Presented to
Chester R. Woodford
~ Avon ~

Oldest Living Member of the General Assembly
Born October 26 1814
House of Representatives 1858



Albert L. Hodge

~ Albert L. Hodge ~ Roxbury
Oldest Living Member In Point of Service
House of Representatives
Born October 15-1822
1853, 1864, 1865, 1875

OLDEST LIVING LEGISLATORS.

The two silver loving cups, presented by Speaker James F. Walsh, in behalf of the State, to Chester R. Woodford of Avon and Colonel Albert L. Hodge of Roxbury, in the House of Representatives on May 7th were, after they had been suitably engraved, personally presented to them early in June. Senator Albert H. House, chairman of the Centennial Committee motored to Avon and presented Mr. Woodford his loving cup in the following words:

Mr. Woodford, it is with great pleasure and honor that I present to you, as chairman of the 1919 Centennial Committee of the state of Connecticut, a loving cup. This cup is given to you as a token of friendship and esteem as being the oldest living member who has represented our state in the Legislature, and we congratulate you and your family for the many years of service that you have been able to render your town and state. We trust that this loving cup will be handed down by you to the future generations so that at the two hundredth anniversary in the year 2019 some member of your family will be able to attend and carry with them a message informing the assembly that this cup is now held by the family as a great treasure, it being presented to you by the State in 1919. Once more I can assure you that I deem it a great honor to be privileged to converse with you, the oldest legislator of this good old state, and I trust that in the future you may enjoy all the pleasures of living as you have in the past.

Secretary Taylor of the Committee supplemented Senator House's remarks with a few appropriate words. Mr. Woodford, his son and two daughters, who were present, extended their heartfelt thanks to the state and the committee for the loving cup which bears the following inscription:

Presented to
Chester R. Woodford, Esq.,
Avon,
Oldest Living Member.
Born October 26, 1814.
House of Representatives,
1858.

The loving cup for Colonel Hodge was presented to him by Rev. James O. Emerson, the member of the House of Representatives from Roxbury. His presentation speech was as follows:

Colonel Hodge: One hundred and one years ago the people of Connecticut registered the changes in their sentiments and customs by the adoption of a new constitution. The following year the General Assembly of the State met for the first time under its new constitution. It seemed desirable to the members of the General Assembly in its January session of 1919 that some suitable recognition should be made of this one-hundredth anniversary of the beginning of the work of this body under the present order. A program was accordingly arranged for the 7th day of May. It consisted in a reunion of those who had served the State either in the General Assembly or other offices at which speeches were made by the Governor and other State officials, also by other distinguished men who reviewed the history of the State's constitutional life and seats of government, and other appropriate exercises were enjoyed. On that occasion you were present. It was noted at that time, that your life, lacking some three years, had run parallel with that of the General Assembly as at present constituted. It was also noted that your first term as a member of the General Assembly antedates that of any other member now living. The committee in charge felt that such a circumstance deserved some consideration at their hands. They have therefore procured this beautiful loving cup, which they have had suitably engraved, and which they have sent to me, as a member of the present General Assembly from your town, with the request that, on behalf of the State, I present it to you, as a token of the esteem and honor in which you are held. With the congratulations and best wishes therefore of the committee, and of your fellow citizens of the State, I with the greatest pleasure, perform the task assigned me, and present you, on behalf of the State, this loving cup.

Colonel Hodge responded as follows:

Representative Emerson: I wish to thank you and through you, the Legislature of 1919, for the beautiful loving cup you have just handed me. Growing old may have its drawbacks, but it certainly has its happy moments. I have lived a long and happy life, and some of its most pleasant moments have been spent in the Legislature of our good old State.

This cup, this gift, this last token of remembrance seems to fill out — fill-me-up, and all I can say more, is I thank you.

The inscription on the cup for Colonel Hodge is:

Presented to
Albert L. Hodge, Esq.,
Roxbury,
Oldest Living Member in Point of
Service.

Born October 15, 1822.
House of Representatives
1853-1864-1865 and 1875.

On the reverse side of both the cups is the following inscriptions:

State of Connecticut.
The One Hundred Anniversary
of the
First Meeting of the General Assembly
Under the Present Constitution,
Capitol, Hartford.
Wednesday, May 7, 1919.

The Secretary also presented to Mr. Woodward a penny of 1814 and one of 1918, and to Colonel Hodge a penny of 1822 and one of 1918.

CHESTER R. WOODFORD.

Oldest Living Member.

Hon. Chester Randolph Woodford, of Avon, the oldest living member of the General Assembly, was born October 26, 1814, in that part of the town of Farmington called Northington, now known as Avon. He is the seventh generation in descent from Thomas Woodford, a native of England, who came to America at an early age, locating first at Cambridge, Mass. In 1633, Thomas Woodford came to Hartford with Rev. Thomas Hooker's company and during his residence there he took an active part in the affairs of the colony, serving as town crier and fence viewer among other offices. Joseph Woodford, the next in line of descent was born in Hartford, and in 1666 removed to Farmington, where he became an extensive land owner. Joseph Woodford, 2nd, was born in 1677 in Farmington and also owned a large tract of land, and was engaged in farming. The Woodford's owned nearly all the land in the "Society of Northington"—the part of the town where they located. Captain William Woodford, our subject's great-grandfather, was born in Northington, and became a leading citizen and prominent agriculturist of Farmington. During the Revolutionary War, he was captain of a company. Captain Dudley Woodford, the grandfather of our subject, was a large land owner, and spent his entire life on the old homestead. Like his father,

he was active during the Revolution and also was captain of a company. Chester Woodford, father of our subject, was born in 1782 on the old homestead and in 1811, he married Stella Bishop, who died in 1887, at the ripe old age of ninety-seven. They had five children of which Chester Randolph was the second. Mr. Woodford spent several years traveling as collector and salesman for a clock company and in 1838 went to Illinois, where he was engaged in the clock business and fur trade with his uncle, Joseph Bishop. In 1841 he returned to his native town, where he bought a hundred-acre tract known as the Webster farm; here he has since been engaged in the growing of tobacco and dairying. He was the first tobacco grower in the town of Avon, and dealt extensively in tobacco for several years as a member of the firm of Wheeler & Co. He built his present house in 1855. He was president of the Avon Creamery for several years. Mr. Woodford was the member of the General Assembly from Avon in 1858, and has for many years served his town as selectman, tax collector, assessor and justice of the peace. For eighty-five years he has been a member of the Congregational Church, with which his family had been identified from an early period. He cast his first vote for Martin Van Buren, and since the formation of the Republican party he has been a staunch supporter. In 1840 Mr. Woodford was married, in Avon, to Harriet, daughter of Ashbel and Esther (Bissell) Webster, who died in 1898. Six children were born to their union: Mary Estella, Anna Maria, Frederick Gustavus, Prescott Hamilton, Harriet Elizabeth and Carrie Annette. Prescott H., who was a member of the Legislature in 1913, now operates the home farm for his father.

ALBERT L. HODGE.

Oldest Living Member in Point of Service.

Hon. Albert Lafayette Hodge, of Roxbury, oldest member of the General Assembly in point of service, was born in Roxbury, October 15, 1822. He is the son of Chauncey and Ruth Ann (Bunnell) Hodge. His great-grandfather, Daniel Hodge, was killed, near Stamford, during the Revolutionary War. His grandfather, Philo Hodge, was at the battle of Bunker Hill and served throughout the war. His war record shows three enlistments. Albert L. Hodge, for fifteen years, worked on the farm in summer and taught school in winter. On May 16, 1845, he was chosen Colonel of the Twelfth Regiment Infantry, which position he held until the law was changed. In July,

1866, he entered the employ of the American Steel Company, and later was promoted to superintendent. In 1870, in connection with J. B. Leavenworth, he laid the foundation of his present successful coal, lumber and hardware business. The business has for several years been carried on under the firm name of A. L. Hodge & Son. Mr. Hodge has held several town offices including: selectman, constable, grand juror, justice of the peace, member of the Board of Relief and postmaster. He has had the honor to represent his town in the Legislature four sessions, 1853, 1864, 1865 and 1875. He is a prominent member of the Masonic fraternity, being past master of Rising Star Lodge, No. 27, A. F. & A. M. On October 25, 1846, he married Jane E. Wells of New Milford. Two children have been born to them: Elizabeth J. and Charles W., who was a member of the General Assembly in 1886; is vice-president of the First National Bank of New Milford, and now has charge of the business of A. L. Hodge & Son.

(Mr. Hodge died March 17, 1920.)

CONNECTICUT STATE GOVERNMENT.

1919.

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER.

Second floor, Capitol.

Marcus H. Holcomb, *Governor*, P. O. address, Southington.
John Buckley, *Executive Secretary*.
Frank D. Rood, *Chief Clerk*.

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Brigadier-General George M. Cole, *The Adjutant-General*.
Colonel Frank J. Regan, *Quartermaster-General*.
Colonel Phineas H. Ingalls, *Surgeon-General*.
Colonel William C. Cheney, *Commissary-General*.
Colonel Alton Farrel, *Paymaster-General*.
Colonel Arnon A. Alling, *Judge-Advocate-General*.
Rear Admiral William S. Cowles, *Naval Aide*.
Major Samuel Russell, Jr., *Aide-de-Camp*.
Major John N. Brooks, *Aide-de-Camp*.
Major John P. Elton, *Aide-de-Camp*.
Colonel Edward Schulze, *Assistant Adjutant-General*.
Colonel Charles E. Smith, *Assistant Quartermaster-General*.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Capitol.

Frederick L. Perry, *Secretary*. P. O. address, New Haven.
Richard J. Dwyer, *Deputy Secretary*.
Elmer H. Lounsbury, *Chief Clerk*.
James A. Morcaldi, *First Assistant Clerk*.

TREASURER'S OFFICE.

First floor, Capitol.

G. Harold Gilpatric, *Treasurer*, P. O. address, Putnam.
Charles F. Sumner, *Deputy Treasurer*.
Lewis W. Phelps, *Chief Clerk*.
Thomas H. Judd, *Assistant Clerk*.

BUREAU OF SCHOOL FUND.

First floor, Capitol.

Charles W. Skinner, *Clerk*.
William H. Pond, *Clerk*.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE.

First floor, Capitol.

Morris C. Webster, *Comptroller*, P. O. address, Torrington R. D.

F. Clarence Bissell, *Deputy Comptroller*.

John H. Belden, *Chief Clerk*.

John L. Wilson, *Superintendent of the Capitol*.

Frank W. Congdon, *Assistant Superintendent*.

John D. Kelly, *Master Mechanic*.

Matthew K. Cooney, *Guide*.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Capitol.

Frank E. Healy, *Attorney-General*, P. O. address, Windsor Locks.

STATE LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

The Governor, Marcus H. Holcomb (*ex-officio*).

The Secretary, Frederick L. Perry, and Hon. William Hamersley.

STATE LIBRARY.

State Library and Supreme Court Building.

George S. Godard, *librarian and superintendent*; Fanny I. Yale, *librarian's assistant*; Effie M. Prickett, *chief division archives*; Helen Coffin, *chief division legislative reference*; Aldina A. L. Galarneau, *supervisor probate files*; Louise M. Bailey, *chief cataloguer*; M. V. B. Barker, *supervisor periodicals*; Christian N. Due, *supervisor of reading room*; Kathryn C. Belden, *supervisor Memorial Hall*; Lucius B. Barbour, *examiner of public records*; Florence H. Herman, *supervisor receiving room*; Christian N. Due, *photostat operator*; Charles J. Fancher, *assistant superintendent of building*.

DEPARTMENT OF WAR RECORDS.

CONNECTICUT STATE MILITARY CENSUS.

George S. Godard, *director*.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

MILITARY EMERGENCY BOARD.

The Governor (*ex officio*).

Lucien F. Burpee, Benedict M. Holden, Hartford; J. Moss Ives, Danbury; George M. Cole, Hartford.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.

Brigadier-General George M. Cole, *Adjutant-General*,

Colonel Edward Schulze, *Assistant Adjutant-General*,

Lorenzo D. Converse, *Clerk*.

QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT.

Colonel Charles E. Smith, *Assistant Quartermaster-General*,

George E. Cole, *Clerk*.

UNITED STATES SENATORS AND REPRESENTATIVES FROM CONNECTICUT SINCE 1819, AND THEIR TERM OF SERVICE.

SENATORS.

[The names of those who are deceased are marked *.]

Name.	Residence.	Years of service.
* Samuel W. Dana.....	Middletown,	1810-21
* James Lanman	Norwich,	1819-25
* Elijah Boardman	New Milford,	1821-23
* Henry W. Edwards.....	New Haven,	1823-27
* Calvin Willey	Tolland,	1825-31
* Samuel A. Foot	Cheshire,	1827-33
* Gideon Tomlinson	Fairfield,	1831-37
* Nathan Smith	New Haven,	1833-35
* John M. Niles	Hartford,	1835-39, 43-49
* Perry Smith	New Milford,	1837-43
* Thaddeus Betts	Norwalk,	1839-40
* Jabez W. Huntington	Norwich,	1840-47
* Roger S. Baldwin	New Haven,	1847-51
* Truman Smith	Litchfield,	1849-54
* Isaac Toucey	Hartford,	1852-57
* Francis Gillett	Hartford,	1854-55
* LaFayette S. Foster	Norwich,	1855-67
* James Dixon	Hartford,	1857-69
* Orris S. Ferry	Norwalk,	1867-75
* William A. Buckingham	Norwich,	1869-75
* James E. English	New Haven,	1875-76
* William W. Eaton	Hartford,	1875-81
* William H. Barnum	Salisbury,	1876-79
* Orville H. Platt	Meriden,	1879-1905
* Joseph R. Hawley	Hartford,	1881-1905
Morgan G. Bulkeley	Hartford,	1905-1911
Frank B. Brandegee	New London,	1905-
George P. McLean	Simsbury,	1911-

REPRESENTATIVES.

[In instances where no districts are given the elections were at large.]

[The names of those who are deceased are marked *.]

Name.	Residence.	Dis- trict.	Con- gress.	Years of service.
* Arnold, Samuel	Haddam,	2	35	1857-59
* Baldwin, John	Windham,		19, 20	1825-29
* Barber, Noyes	Groton,		17-24	1821-35
* Barnum, William H.	Salisbury,	4	40-45	1867-77
* Belcher, Nathan	New London,	3	33	1853-55
* Bishop, Wm. D.	Bridgeport,	4	35	1857-59
* Boardman, Wm. W.	New Haven,	2	27	1841-43
* Booth, Walter	Meriden,	2	31	1849-51
* Brandegee, Augustus	New London,	3	38-39	1863-67
Brandegee, Frank B. ^a	New London,	3	57-59	1902-05

^a Elected to fill vacancy to March 4, 1903, and for the 58th and 59th sessions of Congress. Resigned in 1905 to become U. S. Senator, to fill vacancy caused by death of Senator Orville H. Platt.

Name.	Residence.	Dis- trict.	Con- gress.	Years of service.
* Brockway, John H.	Ellington,	6	26, 27	1839-43
* Buck, John R.	Hartford,	1	47, 49	{ 1881-83, 1885-87
* Burnham, A. A.	Windham,	3	36, 37	1859-63
* Burrows, Daniel	Groton,		17	1821-23
* Butler, Thomas B.	Norwalk,	4	31	1849-51
* Catlin, George S.	Windham,	3	28	1843-45
* Chapman, Charles	Hartford,	1	32	1851-53
* Clark, Ezra, Jr.	Hartford,	1	34, 35	1855-59
* Cleveland, Chauncey F.	Hampton,	3	31, 32	1849-53
* Dean, Sidney	Thompson,	3	34, 35	1855-59
* DeForest, Robert E.	Bridgeport,	4	52, 53	1891-95
* Deming, Henry C.	Hartford,	1	38, 39	1863-67
* Dixon, James	Hartford,	1	29, 30	1845-49
* Donovan, Jeremiah	Norwalk,	4	63	1913-1915
* Eaton, William W.	Hartford,	1	48	1883-85
* Edwards, Henry W.	New Haven,		16, 17	1819-23
* Ellsworth, William W. <i>a</i>	Hartford,		21-24	1829-33
* English, James E.	New Haven,	2	37, 38	1861-65
* Ferry, O. S.	Norwalk,	4	36	1859-61
* Foot, Samuel A.	Cheshire,		16, 18 } 23 }	1819-21, 23-25, 33-35
Freeman, Richard P.	New London,	2	64, 65	1915-
* French, Carlos	Seymour,	2	50	1887-89
Glynn, James P.	Winsted,	5	64, 65	1915-
* Granger, Miles T.	North Canaan,	4	50	1887-89
* Haley, Elisha	Groton,	3	24, 25	1835-39
* Hawley, Joseph R.	Hartford,	1	63, 65,	{ 1873-75, 1879-81
Henry, E. Stevens	Vernon,	1	54-62	1895-1913
Higgins, Edwin W. <i>b</i>	Norwich,	3	59-62	1905-1913
* Hill, Ebenezer J. <i>c</i>	Norwalk,	4	54-62 } 64, 65 }	{ 1895-1913 1915-1917
* Holt, Orrin	Willington,	6	25	1837-39
* Hotchkiss, Julius	Middletown,	2	40	1867-69
* Hubbard, John H.	Litchfield,	4	38, 39	1863-67
* Hubbard, Richard D.	Hartford,	1	40	1867-69
* Hubbard, Samuel D.	Middletown,	2	29, 30	1845-49
* Huntington, Jabez W.	Litchfield,		21-24	1829-35
* Ingersoll, Colin M.	New Haven,	2	32, 33	1851-55
* Ingersoll, Ralph I.	New Haven,		19-23	1825-33
* Ingham, Samuel	Saybrook,	2	24, 25	1835-39
* Jackson, Ebenezer, Jr. <i>d</i>	Middletown,		24	1834-35
* Judson, Andrew T.	Canterbury,		24	1835-37
* Kellogg, Stephen W.	Waterbury,	2	41-44	1869-75
* Kennedy, William	Naugatuck,	5	63	1913-15
* Landers, George M.	New Britain,	1	44, 45	1875-79
* Lilley, George L.	Waterbury,		58-60	1903-09
Lonergan, Augustine	Hartford,	1	63, 65, } 66 }	{ 1913-15 1917
* Loomis, Dwight,	Hartford,	1	36, 37	1859-63
Mahan, Bryan F.	New London,	2	63	1913-15
* Merwin, Orange	New Milford,		19, 20	1825-29
Merritt, Schuyler <i>d</i>	Stamford,	4	65, 66	1917-
* Miles, Frederick	Salisbury,	4	46, 47 } 51 }	{ 1879-83 1889-91
* Miner, Phineas <i>a</i>			24	1834-35

a Resigned in 1833. *b* Elected to fill vacancy to March 4, 1907, caused by election of Rep. Frank B. Brandegee to U. S. Senate. *c* Died during term.
d Elected to fill vacancy. *e* Died during term.
† District changed from Second to Third.

Name.	Residence.	Dis- trict.	Con- gress.	Years of service.
* Mitchell, Charles L	New Haven,	2	48, 49	1883-87
Oakey, P. Davis	Hartford,	1	64	1915-17
* Osborne, Thomas B.	Fairfield,	4	26, 27	1839-43
* Phelps, Elisha	Simsbury,		16, 19 20	{ 1819-21 1825-29
* Phelps, James	Essex,	2	44-48	1875-83
* Phelps, Launcelot	Colebrook,	5	24-25	1835-39
Pigott, James P.	New Haven,	2	53	1893-95
* Plant, David	Stratford,		20	1827-29
* Pratt, James T.	Rocky Hill,	1	33	1853-55
Reilly, Thomas L.	Meriden,	† 3	62-63	1911-15
* Rockwell, John A.	Norwich,	3	29, 30	1842-49
* Russ, John	Hartford,		16, 17	1819-23
* Russell, Charles A. e	Killingly,	3	50-57	1887-1902
* Seymour, Edward W.	Bridgeport,	4	48, 49	1883-87
* Seymour, Origen S.	Litchfield,	4	32, 33	1851-55
* Seymour, Thomas H.	Hartford,	1	28	1843-45
* Simonds, William E.	Canton,	1	51	1889-91
* Simons, Samuel	Colebrook,	4	28	1843-45
* Smith, Truman	Litchfield,	5	26, 27	{ 1839-43 1845-49
Sperry, Lewis	South Windsor,	1	29, 30 52, 53	1891-95
* Sperry, Nehemiah D.	New Haven,	2	54-61	1895-1911
* Starkweather, Henry H.	New London,	3	40-45	1867-77
* Sterling, Ansel	Sharon,		17, 18	1821-25
* Stevens, James	Stamford,		16	1819-21
* Stewart, John	Chatham,	2	28	1843-45
* Stoddard, Ebenezer	Woodstock,		17, 18	1821-25
* Storrs, William L.	Middletown,		21, 22	{ 1829-33 1839-41
* Strong, Julius L.	Hartford,	2	26	
Tilson, John Q.	New Haven	1	41, 42	1869-73
	(at large),	2	61-62,	1909-13
		3	64-65,	1015-
* Tomlinson, Gideon	Fairfield,		16-20	1819-27
* Toucey, Isaac	Hartford,	1	24, 25	1835-39
* Trumbull, Joseph a	Hartford,	1	26, 27	1839-43
* Tweedy, Samuel	Danbury,		23	1833-35
* Vance, Robert J.	New Britain,	1	50	1887-89
* Wait, John T.	Norwich,	3	45-50	1877-87
* Waldo, Loren P.	Tolland,	1	31	1849-51
* Warner, Levi	Norwalk,	4	45	1877-79
* Warner, Samuel L.	Middletown,	2	39	1865-67
* Welch, William W.	Norfolk,	4	34	1855-57
* Whitman, Lemuel	Farmington,		18	1823-25
* Whittlesey, Thomas T.	Danbury,	4	25	1837-39
* Wildman, Zalmon b	Danbury,		24	1835
* Willcox, Washington F.	Deep River,	2	51, 52	1889-93
* Williams, Thomas W.	New London,	3	26, 27	1839-43
* Woodruff, G. C.	Litchfield,	4	37	1861-63
* Woodruff, John	New Haven,	2	34, 36	{ 1855-57 1859-61
* Young, Ebenezer	Killingly,		21-24	1829-35

a Elected for unexpired portion of term in 1834.
b Died at Washington, Dec. 10, 1835.

STATE OFFICERS OF CONNECTICUT SINCE 1819 AND THEIR TERM OF OFFICE

GOVERNORS.

[The names of those who are deceased are marked *.]

Name	Residence. [Present P. O. Address, if living, in <i>Italics</i> .]	Term of Service.	Years of Service.
* Oliver Wolcott	Litchfield,	1817-27,	10 years.
* Gideon Tomlinson	Fairfield,	1827-31,	4 "
* John S. Peters	Hebron,	1831-33,	2 "
* Henry W. Edwards	New Haven,	1833-34,	1 year.
* Samuel A. Foot	Cheshire,	1834-35,	1 "
* Henry W. Edwards	New Haven,	1835-38,	3 years.
* William W. Ellsworth	Hartford,	1838-42,	4 "
* Chauncey F. Cleveland	Hampton,	1842-44,	2 "
* Roger S. Baldwin	New Haven,	1844-46,	2 "
* Isaac Toucey	Hartford,	1846-47,	1 year.
* Clark Bissell	Norwalk,	1847-49,	2 years.
* Joseph Trumbull	Hartford,	1849-50,	1 year.
* Thomas H. Seymour	Hartford,	1850-53,	3 yrs. 1 m.
* Charles H. Pond, <i>a</i>	Milford,	1853-54,	11 months.
* Henry Dutton	New Haven,	1854-55,	1 year.
* William T. Minor	Stamford,	1855-57,	2 years.
* Alexander H. Holley	Salisbury,	1857-58,	1 year.
* William A. Buckingham	Norwich,	1858-66,	8 years.
* Joseph R. Hawley	Hartford,	1866-67,	1 year.
* James E. English	New Haven,	1867-69,	2 years.
* Marshall Jewell	Hartford,	1869-70,	1 year.
* James E. English	New Haven,	1870-71,	1 "
* Marshall Jewell	Hartford,	1871-73,	2 years.
* Charles R. Ingersoll, <i>b</i>	New Haven,	1873-77,	3 yrs. 9 m.
* Richard D. Hubbard	Hartford,	1877-79,	2 years.
* Charles B. Andrews	Litchfield,	1879-81,	2 "
* Hobart B. Bigelow	New Haven,	1881-83,	2 "
Thomas M. Waller	<i>New London,</i>	1883-85,	2 "
* Henry B. Harrison	New Haven,	1885-87,	2 "
Phineas C. Lounsbury	<i>Ridgefield,</i>	1887-89,	2 "
Morgan G. Bulkeley	<i>Hartford,</i>	1889-93,	4 "
* Luzon B. Morris	New Haven,	1893-95,	2 "
O. Vincent Coffin	<i>Middletown,</i>	1895-97,	2 "
* Lorrin A. Cooke	Winsted,	1897-99,	2 "
* George E. Lounsbury	Ridgefield,	1899-1901,	2 "
George P. McLean	<i>Simsbury,</i>	1901-1903,	2 "
* Abiram Chamberlain	Meriden,	1903-1905,	2 "
Henry Roberts	<i>Hartford,</i>	1905-1907,	2 "
Rollin S. Woodruff	<i>New Haven,</i>	1907-1909,	2 "
* George L. Lilley, <i>c</i>	Waterbury,	1909,	3 m. 15 d.
Frank B. Weeks	<i>Middletown,</i>	1909-1911,	1 yr. 8 m. 15 d.
Simeon E. Baldwin	<i>New Haven,</i>	1911-1915,	4 years.
Marcus H. Holcomb	<i>Southington,</i>	1915-	

a Governor Pond was elected Lieutenant-Governor in April, 1853, and became Acting-Governor by resignation of Governor Seymour on October 13, 1853, when the latter was appointed Minister to Russia.

b By Constitutional Amendment of 1875, the term for 1876-7 was made to expire January, 1877.

c Died in office April 21, 1909, and Frank B. Weeks became governor.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNORS.

[The names of those who are deceased are marked *.]

Name	Residence. [Present P. O. Address, if living, in <i>Italics</i> .]	Term of Service.	Years of Service.
* Jonathan Ingersoll, <i>a</i>	New Haven,	1816-23,	6 yrs. 8 m.
* David Plant	Stratford,	1823-27,	4 years.
* John S. Peters	Hebron,	1827-31,	4 "
No Election		1831-32,	
* Thaddeus Betts	Norwalk,	1832-33,	1 year.
* Ebenezer Stoddard	Woodstock,	1833-34,	1 "
* Thaddeus Betts	Norwalk,	1834-35,	1 "
* Ebenezer Stoddard	Woodstock,	1835-38,	3 years.
* Charles Hawley	Stamford,	1838-42,	4 "
* William S. Holabird	Winsted,	1842-44,	2 "
* Reuben Booth	Danbury,	1844-46,	2 "
* Noyes Billings	New London,	1846-47,	1 year.
* Charles J. McCurdy	Lyme,	1847-49,	2 years.
* Thomas Backus	Killingly,	1849-50,	1 year.
* Charles H. Pond	Milford,	1850-51,	1 "
* Green Kendrick	Waterbury,	1851-52,	1 "
* Charles H. Pond	Milford,	1852-54,	2 years.
* Alexander H. Holley	Salisbury,	1854-55,	1 year.
* William Field	Pomfret,	1855-56,	1 "
* Albert Day	Hartford,	1856-57,	1 "
* Alfred A. Burnham	Windham,	1857-58,	1 "
* Julius Catlin	Hartford,	1858-61,	3 years.
* Benjamin Douglas	Middletown,	1861-62,	1 year.
* Roger Averill	Danbury,	1862-66,	4 years.
* Oliver F. Winchester	New Haven,	1866-67,	1 year.
* Ephraim H. Hyde	Stafford,	1867-69,	2 years.
* Francis Wayland	New Haven,	1869-70,	1 year.
* Julius Hotchkiss	Middletown,	1870-71,	1 "
* Morris Tyler	New Haven,	1871-73,	2 years.
* George G. Sill	Hartford,	1873-77,	4 "
* Francis B. Loomis	New London,	1877-79,	2 "
* David Gallup	Plainfield,	1879-81,	2 "
* William H. Bulkeley	Hartford,	1881-83,	2 "
* George G. Sumner	Hartford,	1883-85,	2 "
* Lorrin A. Cooke	Winsted,	1885-87,	2 "
* James L. Howard	Hartford,	1887-89,	2 "
* Samuel E. Merwin	New Haven,	1889-93,	4 "
* Ernest Cady	Hartford,	1893-95,	2 "
* Lorrin A. Cooke	Winsted,	1895-97,	2 "
* James D. Dewell	New Haven,	1897-99,	2 "
Lvman A. Mills	<i>Middlefield,</i>	1899-1901,	2 "
Edwin O. Keeler	<i>Norwalk,</i>	1901-1903,	2 "
Henry Roberts	<i>Hartford,</i>	1903-1905,	2 "
Rollin S. Woodruff	New Haven,	1905-1907,	2 "
Everett J. Lake	Hartford,	1907-1909,	2 "
Frank B. Weeks, <i>b</i>	<i>Middletown,</i>	1909,	3 m. 15 d.
Dennis A. Blakeslee	<i>New Haven,</i>	1911-1913,	2 years.
Lyman T. Tingier	<i>Rockville,</i>	1913-1915,	2 "
Clifford B. Wilson	<i>Bridgeport,</i>	1915-	

a Died January 12, 1823.

b Governor Weeks was elected Lieutenant-Governor and became Governor on the death of Governor Lilley, taking the oath of office April 22, 1909.

SECRETARIES.

[The names of those who are deceased are marked *.]

Name	Residence. [Present P. O. Address, if living, in <i>Italics</i> .]	Term of Service.	Years of Service.
* Thomas Day	Hartford,	1810-35,	25 years.
* Royal R. Hinman	Southbury,	1835-42,	7 "
* Noah A. Phelps	Hartford,	1842-44,	2 "
* Daniel P. Tyler	Pomfret,	1844-46,	2 "
* Charles W. Bradley	Hartford,	1846-47,	1 year.
* John B. Robertson	New Haven,	1847-49,	2 years.
* Roger H. Mills	New Hartford,	1849-50,	1 year.
* Hiram Weed †	Danbury,	1850,	1 month.
* John P. C. Mather	New London,	1850-54,	3 yrs. 11 m.
* Oliver H. Perry	Fairfield,	1854-55,	1 year.
* N. D. Sperry	New Haven,	1855-57,	2 years.
* Orville H. Platt	Meriden,	1857-58,	1 year.
* John Boyd	Winchester,	1858-61,	3 years.
* J. Hammond Trumbull	Hartford,	1861-66,	5 "
* Leverett E. Pease	Somers,	1866-69,	3 "
* Hiram Appleman	Groton,	1869-70,	1 year.
Thomas M. Waller	<i>New London,</i>	1870-71,	1 "
* Hiram Appleman †	Groton,	1871-73,	2 years.
* D. Webster Edgecomb	Fairfield,	1873,	12 days.
* Marvin H. Sanger	Canterbury,	1873-77,	4 years.
* Dwight Morris	Bridgeport,	1877-79,	2 "
* David Torrance	Derby,	1879-81,	2 "
Charles E. Searls	<i>Thompson,</i>	1881-83,	2 "
* D. Ward Northrop	Middletown,	1883-85,	2 "
* Charles A. Russell	Killingly,	1885-87,	2 "
* Leverett M. Hubbard	Wallingford,	1887-89,	2 "
* R. Jay Walsh	Greenwich,	1889-93,	4 "
John J. Phelan	<i>Bridgeport,</i>	1893-95,	2 "
* William C. Mowry	Norwich,	1895-97,	2 "
Charles Phelps	<i>Rockville,</i>	1897-99,	2 "
* Huber Clark	Willimantic,	1899-1901,	2 "
Charles G. R. Vinal	<i>Middletown,</i>	1901-1905,	4 "
Theodore Bodenwein	<i>New London,</i>	1905-1909,	4 "
Matthew H. Rogers	<i>Bridgeport,</i>	1909-1913,	4 "
Albert Phillips	<i>Stamford,</i>	1913-1915,	2 "
Charles D. Burnes	<i>Greenwich,</i>	1915-1917,	2 "
Frederick L. Perry	<i>New Haven,</i>	1917-	

† Died in office, June 7, 1850, and John P. C. Mather was appointed by the General Assembly, June 21, 1850, to fill the vacancy.

‡ Resigned April 25, 1873, and D. W. Edgecomb was appointed to the vacancy by Governor Jewell.

TREASURERS.

[The names of those who are deceased are marked *.]

Name	Residence. [Present P. O. Address, if living, in <i>Italics</i> .]	Term of Service.	Years of Service.
* Isaac Spencer	Haddam,	1818-35,	17 years.
* Jeremiah Brown	Hartford,	1835-38,	3 "
* Hiram Rider	Willington,	1838-42,	4 "
* Jabez L. White, Jr.	Bolton,	1842-44,	2 "
* Joseph B. Gilbert	Hartford,	1844-46,	2 "
* Alonzo W. Birge	Coventry,	1846-47,	1 year.
* Joseph B. Gilbeert	Hartford,	1847-49,	2 years.
* Henry D. Smith	Middletown,	1849-51,	2 "
* Thomas Clark	Coventry,	1851-52,	1 year.
* Edwin Stearns	Middletown,	1852-54,	2 years.
* Daniel W. Camp	Middletown,	1854-55,	1 year.
* Arthur B. Calef	Middletown,	1855-56,	1 "
* Frederick P. Coe	Killingly,	1856-57,	1 "
* Frederick S. Wildman	Danbury,	1857-58,	1 "
* Lucius J. Hendee	Hebron,	1858-61,	3 years.
* Ezra Dean	Woodstock,	1861-62,	1 year.
* Gabriel W. Coite	Middletown,	1862-66,	4 years.
* Henry G. Taintor	Hampton,	1866-67,	1 year.
* Edward S. Moseley	Hampton,	1867-69,	2 years.
* David P. Nichols	Danbury,	1869-70,	1 year.
* Charles M. Pond	Hartford,	1870-71,	1 "
* David P. Nichols	Danbury,	1871-73,	2 years.
* William E. Raymond	New Canaan,	1873-77,	4 "
* Edwin A. Buck	Willimantic,	1877-79,	2 "
* Talmadge Baker	So. Norwalk,	1879-81,	2 "
* David P. Nichols †	Danbury,	1881-82,	1 year.
* James D. Smith	Stamford,	1882-83,	1 "
* Alfred R. Goodrich	Vernon,	1883-85,	2 years.
* Valentine B. Chamberlain	New Britain,	1885-87,	2 "
* Alexander Warner	Pomfret,	1887-89,	2 "
E. Stevens Henry	Rockville,	1889-93,	4 "
* Marvin H. Sanger	Canterbury,	1893-95,	2 "
* George W. Hodge	Windsor,	1895-97,	2 "
Charles W. Grosvenor	Pomfret,	1897-99,	2 "
* Charles S. Mersick	New Haven,	1899-1901,	2 "
Henry H. Gallup	Norwich,	1901-1905,	4 "
James F. Walsh	Greenwich,	1905-1907,	2 "
Freeman F. Patten	Stafford Springs,	1907-1911,	4 "
Costello Lippitt	Norwich,	1911-1913,	2 "
Edward S. Roberts	Canaan,	1913-1915,	2 "
Freder'k S. Chamberlain	New Britain,	1915-19,	4 "
G. Harold Gilpatric	Putnam,	1919-	

† Died January 2, 1882, and James D. Smith was appointed by the Governor to fill the vacancy.

COMPTROLLERS.

[The names of those who are deceased are marked *.]

Name	Residence. [Present P. O. Address, if living, in <i>Italics</i> .]	Term of Service.	Years of Service.
* James Thomas	Hartford,	1819-30,	11 years.
* Elisha Phelps	Simsbury,	1830-34,	4 "
* Roger Huntington	Norwich,	1834-35,	1 year.
* Gideon Welles	Hartford,	1835-36,	1 "
* William Field	Pomfret,	1836-38,	2 years.
* Henry Kilbourn	Hartford,	1838-42,	4 "
* Gideon Welles	Hartford,	1842-44,	2 "
* Abijah Carrington	New Haven,	1844-46,	2 "
* Mason Cleveland	Hampton,	1846-47,	1 year.
* Abijah Catlin	Harwinton,	1847-50,	3 years.
* Rufus G. Pinney	Stafford,	1850-54,	4 "
* John Dunham	Norwich,	1854-55,	1 year.
* Alexander Merrell	New London,	1855-56,	1 "
* Edward Prentis	New London,	1856-57,	1 "
* Joseph G. Lamb	Norwich,	1857-58,	1 "
* William H. Buell	Clinton,	1858-61,	3 years.
* Lemah W. Cutler	Watertown,	1861-66,	5 "
* Robbins Battell	Norfolk,	1866-67,	1 year.
* Jesse Olney	Stratford,	1867-69,	2 years.
* James W. Manning	Putnam,	1869-70,	1 year.
* Seth S. Logan	Washington,	1870-71,	1 "
* James W. Manning	Putnam,	1871-73,	2 years.
* Alfred R. Goodrich	Vernon,	1873-77,	4 "
* Charles C. Hubbard	Middletown,	1877-79,	2 "
* Chauncey Hubbard	So. Coventry,	1879-81,	2 "
* Wheelock T. Batcheller	Winsted,	1881-83,	2 "
Frank D. Sloat	<i>Washington, D. C.</i>	1883-85,	2 "
* Luzerne I. Munson	Waterbury,	1885-87,	2 "
* Thomas Clark	No. Ston'ton,	1887-89,	2 "
* John B. Wright	Clinton,	1889-91,	2 "
* Nicholas Staub	New Milford,	1891-95,	4 "
* Benjamin P. Mead	New Canaan,	1895-99,	4 "
* Thompson S. Grant	Enfield,	1899-1901,	2 "
* Abiram Chamberlain	Meriden,	1901-1903,	2 "
* William E. Seeley	Bridgeport,	1903-1905,	2 "
Asahel W. Mitchell	<i>No. Woodbury,</i>	1905-1907,	2 "
* Thomas D. Bradstreet	Thomaston,	1907-1913,	6 "
Daniel P. Dunn	<i>Willimantic,</i>	1913-1915,	2 "
Morris C. Webster	<i>Torrington, R. D.</i>	1915-	

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Name	Residence. [Present P. O. Address, if living, in <i>Italics</i> .]	Term of Service.	Years of Service.
Charles Phelps	<i>Rockville,</i>	1899-1903,	4 years.
William A. King	<i>Willimantic,</i>	1903-1907,	4 "
Marcus H. Holcomb, a	<i>Southington,</i>	1907-1910,	3 yrs. 8 m. 9 d.
John H. Light, b	<i>Norwalk,</i>	1910-1915,	4 yrs. 3 m. 21 d.
George E. Hinman	<i>Willimantic,</i>	1915-1919,	4 years.
Frank E. Healy	<i>Windsor Locks,</i>	1919-	

a Resigned to become a judge of the Superior Court.

b Appointed September 15, 1910, by Governor Weeks to fill unexpired term of Marcus H. Holcomb. Elected for full term of 4 years in November, 1910.

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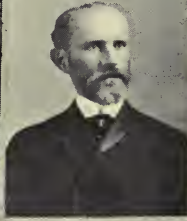
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Names.	Towns.	Present P. O. address.	Years of service.
* Plant, David,	Stratford,	1819, 20.
* Phelps, Elisha,	Simsbury,	.....	1821.
* Beers, Seth P.,	Litchfield,	.....	1822, 23.
* Ingersoll, Ralph I.,	New Haven,	.....	1824.
* Foot, Samuel A.,	Cheshire,	.....	1825, 26.
* Young, Ebenezer,	Killingly,	.....	1827, 28.
* Phelps, Elisha,	Simsbury,	.....	1829.
* Edwards, Henry W.,	New Haven,	.....	1830.
* Welles, Martin,	Wethersfield,	.....	1831, 32.
* Ingham, Samuel,	Saybrook,	.....	1833.
* Huntington, Roger, <i>a</i>	Norwich,	.....	1834.
* Storrs, William L.	Middletown,	.....	1834.
* Ingham, Samuel, <i>b</i>	Saybrook,	.....	1835.
* Cleveland, Chaun. F.	Hampton,	.....	1835, 36.
* Wightman, St'm'n K.,	Middletown,	.....	1837.
* Boardman, Wm. W.,	New Haven,	.....	1838, 39.
* McCurdy, Charles J.,	Lyme,	.....	1840, 41.
* Wightman, St'm'n K.,	Middletown,	.....	1842.
* Billings, Noyes,	New London,	.....	1843.
* McCurdy, Charles J.,	Lyme,	.....	1844.
* Boardman, Wm. W.,	New Haven,	.....	1845.
* Beardslee, Cyrus H.,	Monroe,	.....	1846.
* Foster, La Fayette S.,	Norwich,	.....	1847, 48.
* Lewis, John C.,	Plymouth,	.....	1849.
* Seymour, Origen S.,	Litchfield,	.....	1850.
* Ingham, Samuel,	Saybrook,	.....	1851.
* Phelps, Charles B.,	Woodbury,	.....	1852.
* Eaton, William W.,	Hartford,	.....	1853.
* Foster, La Fayette S., <i>c</i>	Norwich,	.....	1854.
* Kendrick, Green,	Waterbury,	.....	1854.
* Baldwin, Austin,	Middletown,	.....	1855.
* Kendrick, Green,	Waterbury,	.....	1856.
* Bulkeley, Eliph. A.,	Hartford,	.....	1857.
* Burnham, Alfred A.,	Windham,	.....	1858.
* Perry, Oliver H.,	Fairfield,	.....	1859, 60.
* Brandegee, Augustus, <i>d</i>	New London,	.....	1861.
* Deming, Henry C.,	Hartford,	.....	1861.
* Carter, Josiah M.,	Norwalk,	.....	1862.
* Cleveland, Chaun. F.,	Hampton,	.....	1863.
* Rice, John S.,	Farmington,	.....	1864.
* Foster, Eleazer K.,	New Haven,	.....	1865.
* Gallup, David,	Plainfield,	.....	1866.
* Wait, John T.,	Norwich,	.....	1867.
* Ives, Charles,	East Haven,	.....	1868.
* Platt, Orville H.,	Meriden,	.....	1869.



Thomas M. Waller
New London 1876



John H. Perry
Fairfield 1889



Frank B. Brandegee
New London 1899



John H. Light
Norwalk 1901

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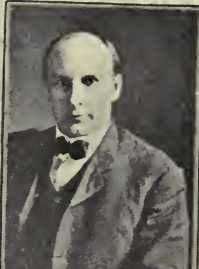
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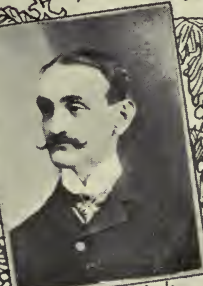
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Harwinton 1913



Frank E. Healy
Windsor Locks 1915-1917



James F. Walsh
Greenwich 1919

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* Foster, La Fayette S., <i>e</i>	Norwich,	1870.
* Burnham, Alfred A.,	Windham,	1870.
* Bugbee, Edwin H.,	Killingly,	1871.
* Treat, Amos S.,	Woodbridge,	.....	1872.
* Eaton, William W.,	Hartford,	.....	1873.
* Doolittle, Tilton F.,	New Haven,	.....	1874.
* Durand, Charles,	Derby,	.....	1875.
Waller, Thomas M.,	New London,	New London,	1876.
* Harrison, Lynde,	Guilford,	.....	1877.
* Briscoe, Charles H.,	Enfield,	.....	1878.
* Wright, Dexter R.,	New Haven,	.....	1879.
* Marcy, Dwight,	Vernon,	.....	1880.
* Case William C.,	Granby,	.....	1881.
* Hall, John M.,	Windham,	.....	1882.
* Pine, Charles H.,	Derby,	.....	1883.
* Harrison, Henry B.,	New Haven,	.....	1884.
* Simonds, Wm. Edgar,	Canton,	.....	1885.
* Tibbits, John A.,	New London,	.....	1886.
* Hoyt, Husted W. R.,	Greenwich,	.....	1887.
Perry, John H.,	Fairfield,	Southport,	1889.
* Paige, Allan W.,	Huntington,	.....	1891.
* Brooks, Isaac W.,	Torrington,	.....	1893.
* Fessenden, Samuel,	Stamford,	.....	1895.
* Barbour, Joseph L.,	Hartford,	.....	1897.
Brandeege, Frank B.,	New London,	New London,	1899.
Light, John H.,	Norwalk,	So. Norwalk,	1901.
* Kenealy, Michael,	Stamford,	.....	1903.
Holcomb, Marcus H.,	Southington,	Southington,	1905.
Tilson, John Q.,	New Haven,	New Haven,	1907.
Banks, Elmore S.,	Fairfield,	Fairfield,	1909.
Scott, Frederick A.,	Plymouth,	Terryville,	1911.
Webster, Morris C.,	Harwinton,	Torrin'g'n R.F.D.	1913.
Healy, Frank E.,	Windsor Locks,	Windsor L'ks,	1915, 17.
Walsh, James F.,	Greenwich,	.....	1919.

a Resigned May 24, 1834, having been appointed Comptroller, and William L. Storrs was appointed to fill the vacancy.

b Resigned May 15, 1835, and Chauncey F. Cleveland was chosen to fill the vacancy.

c Resigned June 8, 1854, having been elected U. S. Senator, and Green Kendrick was chosen to fill the vacancy.

d At a special session, held Oct. 9, 1861, the speaker, Mr. Brandeege, being detained from the House by illness, Mr. Deming was chosen speaker *pro tempore*.

e Resigned June 16, 1870, having been chosen Judge of the Supreme Court of Errors, and Alfred A. Burnham of Windham was chosen to fill the vacancy.

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Michael Olcott, Hartford Thomas S. Williams, Hartford Samuel Hart, Berlin Thomas Lee, Berlin Tracy Peck, Bristol Sylvester Norton, Burlington Thomas Bidwell, Canton Daniel Pitkin, East Hartford Joseph Pitkin, East Hartford Timothy Ellsworth, East Windsor Elihu Wolcott, East Windsor Henry Terry, Enfield William Dixon, Enfield Timothy Pitkin, Farmington John Mix, Farmington Samuel Wells, Glastenbury David E. Hubbard, Glastenbury Orrin Lee, Granby	Nahum Holcomb, Granby Asa Bushnell, Hartland Jared Newell, Hartland Joel Foote, Marlborough Roger Whittlesey, Southington Roswell Moore, Southington Horace King, Suffield Apollos Fuller, Suffield Asa Hoskins, Simsbury James Goodwin, Simsbury Ezekiel P. Belden, Wethersfield Levi Lusk, Wethersfield Joseph H. Russell, Windsor Oliver Filley, Windsor Ralph I. Ingersoll, New Haven Charles Bostwick, New Haven Eli Fowler, Branford Jonathan Rose, 2d, Branford
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* NOTE.—After the adoption of the Constitution in 1818 the name Senators was substituted for Assistants. The regular October Session was also dispensed with.

Silas Hitchcock, Cheshire
Samuel Peck, Cheshire
John Humphreys, Jr., Derby
Bela Farnham, East Haven
Nathaniel Griffing, Guilford
William Todd, Guilford
Roger Dorman, Hamden
William Yale, Meriden
Philo Bronson, Middlebury
Benjamin Bull, Milford
Samuel B. Gunn, Milford
Stephen Monson, North Haven
Abel Wheeler, Oxford
Curtiss Hinman, Southbury
Samuel Cook, Wallingford
Samuel Tuttle, Wallingford
Ward Peck, Waterbury
James M. L. Scovill, Waterbury
Justus Thomas, Woodbridge
Chauncey Tolles, Woodbridge
Luther Andrews, Wolcott
Lyman Law, New London
Jacob B. Gurlley, New London
Calvin Goddard, Norwich
Newcomb Kinney, Norwich
Perez Cheesborough, Bozrah
Samuel A. Peters, Colchester
John R. Watrous, Colchester
Ira Abel, Franklin
Thomas Avery, Groton
Stephen Billings, Groton
Elisha I. Abel, Griswold
Thomas Kinsman, Lisbon
Moses Warren, Lyme
Samuel B. Mather, Lyme
Mumford Dolbear, Montville
Samuel Chapman, No. Stonington
Daniel Packer, No. Stonington
James Cook, Preston
Jonathan Brewster, Preston
Samuel F. Denison, Stonington
Amos Williams, Stonington
Asa Wightman, Waterford
John Hull, Fairfield
Jeremiah Sturges, Fairfield
Friend Starr, Danbury
Zalmon Wildman, Danbury
Czar Starr, Brookfield
Enos Lockwood, Greenwich
Stephen Waring, Greenwich
Nathan G. Birdseye, Huntington
John Peck, Huntington
Samuel T. Barnum, New Fairfield
Isaac Richards, New Canaan
Joseph B. Wheeler, Newtown
Jeremiah Beers, Newtown
Benjamin Isaacs, Norwalk
Andrew Hanford, Norwalk
Billy Comstock, Reading
Hezekiah Read, Jr., Reading
Gamaliel Benedict, Ridgefield
Bradley Hull, Ridgefield
Thaddeus Bell, Stamford

Isaac Lockwood, Stamford
David Plant, Stratford
Reuben Tweedy, Stratford
Jedediah Graves, Sherman
Samuel Gregory, Trumbull
Oliver C. Sanford, Weston
Stephen Wheeler, Weston
Erastus Sturges, Wilton
Amos D. Allen, Windham
John Baldwin, Windham
Stephen Knowlton, Ashford
Jedediah Watkins, Ashford
Roger W. Williams, Brooklyn
Daniel Frost, Jr., Canterbury
Asa Butts, Canterbury
Elam Loomis, Columbia
Joseph Prentiss, Hampton
Luther Warren, Killingly
David Chase, Killingly
Charles Abel, Lebanon
Joshua Hall, Lebanon
Edmond Freeman, Mansfield
Artemas Gurlley, Mansfield
Erastus Lester, Plainfield
Vincent Hinkley, Plainfield
Joseph Scarborough, Pomfret
Lemuel Ingalls, Pomfret
Dixon Hall, Sterling
John Nichols, Jr., Thompson
John Jacobs, Jr., Thompson
Serry Kinney, Voluntown
Ebenezer Skinner, Woodstock
John McClellan, Woodstock
John Welch, Litchfield
Phinehas Lord, Litchfield
Zophar Case, Barkhemsted
Salmon Howd, Barkhemsted
Joseph H. Bellamy, Bethlem
Samuel Robbins, Canaan
Ovid Plumb, Canaan
Launcelot Phelps, Colebrook
Enos North, Colebrook
Oliver Burnham, Cornwall
John H. Pierce, Cornwall
Samuel Lyman, Goshen
William Stanley, Goshen
William C. Abernethy, Harwinton
Enos Frisbie, Harwinton
Lewis Mills, Kent
Aaron Austin, New Hartford
Asa Goodwin, New Hartford
Orange Merwin, New Milford
Eli Todd, New Milford
Augustus Pettibone, Norfolk
Nathaniel Stevens, Norfolk
Jacob Hemingway, Plymouth
Eli M. Smith, Roxbury
Daniel Johnson, Salisbury
Abijah C. Peet, Salisbury
Oliver Kellogg, Sharon
Ansel Sterling, Sharon
Elihu Cook, Torrington
John Gillet, Jr., Torrington

Samuel Leavitt, Washington
Joseph Whittlesey, Washington
Daniel Hecox, Watertown
Judah Eldred, Warren
James Beebe, Winchester
James Boyd, Winchester
Reuben Martin, Woodbury
Nathan Preston, Woodbury
John Alsop, Middletown
Elisha Coe, Middletown
Enoch Sage, Chatham
Benjamin Hurd, Chatham
Thomas Lyman, Durham
John Swathel, Durham
Cheves Brainard, East Haddam
Wm. Hungerford, East Haddam
John Brainard, 2d, Haddam
Stephen Tibballs, Haddam
Jared Elliott, Killingworth
Moses Wilcox, Killingworth

Clark Nott, Saybrook
Elisha Sill, Saybrook
William Eldridge, Tolland
Hezekiah Nye, Tolland
Ichabod M. Warner, Bolton
Cephus Brigham, Coventry
Jasper Fitch, Coventry
John Hall, Ellington
Thomas Wells, Hebron
Eleazer Sweetland, Hebron
Oliver Chapin, 2d, Somers
Joseph Abbott, Somers
Jasper Hyde, Stafford
Ephraim Dimock, Stafford
Ing'dsby W. Crawford, Union
Nathaniel Newell, Union
Phineas Talcott, Vernon
Jonathan Sibley, Jr., Willington
Daniel Glazier, Willington

DELEGATES AND OFFICERS TO THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT OF 1902

President — HON. CHARLES B. ANDREWS, OF LITCHFIELD.

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HON. THOMAS M. WALLER, OF NEW LONDON.

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REV. CHARLES H. SMITH, OF PLYMOUTH.

Clerk — FRANK E. HEALY, OF WINDSOR LOCKS.

Assistant Clerk — GEORGE E. HINMAN, OF WINDHAM.

HARTFORD COUNTY

Hartford	Charles Hopkins Clark	Hartland	George W. Miller
Avon	Robert J. Holmes	Manchester	Frank W. Cheney
Berlin	Charles M. Jarvis	Marlborough	Frederick Cooley
Bloomfield	William Martin Brown	New Britain	Robert J. Vance
Bristol	Noble E. Pierce	Newington	George E. Churchill
Burlington	E. Samuel Gillette	Plainville	Aquila H. Condell
Canton	Edward H. Sears	Rocky Hill	Owen R. Havens
East Granby	Julius G. Dickinson	Simsbury	Joseph L. Bartlett
East Hartford	Percy S. Bryant	Southington	Marcus H. Holcomb
East Windsor	Howard A. Middleton	South Windsor	Lewis Sperry
Enfield	Thompson S. Grant	Suffield	Charles C. Bissell
Farmington	Amasa A. Redfield	West Hartford	William H. Hall
Glastonbury	Henry E. Loomis	Wethersfield	Stephen F. Willard
Granby	William C. Case*	Windsor	D. Ellsworth Phelps
"	Theodore M. Maltbie†	Windsor Locks	Thomas L. Healy

NEW HAVEN COUNTY

New Haven	Norris G. Osborn	Middlebury	George W. Wallace
Waterbury	Francis P. Guilfoile	Milford	Dumond P. Merwin
Ansonia	Denis T. Walsh	Naugatuck	John H. Whittemore
Beacon Falls	Adna D. Warner	No. Branford	George L. Ford
Bethany	Samuel R. Woodward	North Haven	Marcus D. Marks
Branford	Louis A. Fisk	Orange	Samuel J. Bryant
Cheshire	Alonzo E. Smith	Oxford	William O. Davis
Derby	Daniel E. McMahon	Prospect	David B. Hotchkiss
East Haven	William K. Stevens	Seymour	William H. H. Wooster
Guilford	Edward Griswold	Southbury	Henry B. Russell
Hamden	James H. Webb	Wallingford	John B. Kendrick
Madison	John H. Meigs	Wolcott	Evelyn M. Upson
Meriden	H. Wales Lines	Woodbridge	G. Halsted Bishop

NEW LONDON COUNTY

New London	Thomas M. Waller	Lisbon	Calvin D. Bromley
Norwich	Frank T. Brown	Lyme	James L. Raymond
Bozrah	E. Judson Miner	Montville	Joseph F. Killeen
Colchester	Harley P. Buell	No. Stonington	James F. Brown
East Lyme	Edwin C. Chipman	Old Lyme	Joseph S. Huntington
Franklin	J. Henry King	Preston	George A. Frink
Griswold	Arthur M. Brown	Salem	Alvah Morgan
Groton	Henry L. Bailey	Sprague	William J. Riley
Lebanon	Isaac Gillette	Stonington	Frank H. Hinckley
Ledyard	William I. Allyn	Voluntown	E. Byron Gallup
	Waterford	Charles A. Gallup	

* Died December 23, 1901.

† Elected December 30, 1901.

FAIRFIELD COUNTY

Bridgeport	Daniel Davenport	New Fairfield	Homer L. Wanzer
Danbury	Eugene C. Dempsey	Newtown	Charles H. Northrop
Bethel	Howard H. Woodman	Norwalk	Asa B. Woodward
Brookfield	Elmer H. Northrop	Redding	Jonathan B. Sanford
Darien	Thaddeus Bell	Ridgefield	William O. Seymour
Easton	Edgar G. Jennings	Sherman	George A. Barnes
Fairfield	John H. Perry	Stamford	Schuyler Merritt
Greenwich	R. Jay Walsh	Stratford	Henry P. Stagg
Huntington	Sturges Whitlock	Trumbull	Ormel Hall
Monroe	Edwin C. Shelton	Weston	Frank Gorham
New Canaan	Benjamin P. Mead	Westport	Rufus Wakeman
	Wilton	H. E. Chichester	

WINDHAM COUNTY

Windham	Eugene S. Boss	Hampton	William H. Burnham
Putnam	Byron D. Bugbee	Killingly	Aurin P. Some
Ashford	Thomas K. Fitts	Plainfield	Edwin Milner
Brooklyn	Henry M. Evans	Pomfret	Thomas O. Elliott
Canterbury	Levi N. Clark	Scotland	Gerald Waldo
Chaplin	William J. Groesbeck	Sterling	Claramon Hunt
Eastford	Monroe F. Latham	Thompson	Randolph H. Chandler
	Woodstock	George Austin Bowen	

LITCHFIELD COUNTY

Litchfield	Charles B. Andrews	New Hartford	John Fox Smith
Winchester	Wellington B. Smith	Norfolk	William O'Connor
New Milford	Charles M. Beach	North Canaan	Charles W. Camp
Barkhamsted	Hubert B. Case	Plymouth	Charles H. Smith
Bethlehem	Abner P. Hayes	Roxbury	George R. Crofut
Bridgewater	Marcus B. Mallett	Salisbury	Donald T. Warner
Canaan	John H. Belden	Sharon	George S. Kirby
Colebrook	Julian H. Smith	Thomaston	Frank W. Etheridge
Cornwall	Philo M. Kellogg	Torrington	Orsamus R. Fyler
Goshen	Henry G. Wright	Warren	Noble B. Strong
Harwinton	Clarence M. Ely	Washington	John C. Brinsmade
Kent	Irwin J. Beardsley	Watertown	Augustus N. Woolson
Morris	Lyman W. Whittlesey	Woodbury	Horace D. Curtiss

MIDDLESEX COUNTY

Middletown	D. Ward Northrop	East Haddam	Albert E. Purple
Haddam	George M. Clark	Essex	George H. Blake
Chatham	William N. Markham	Killingworth	Lauren L. Nettleton
Chester	Wilbur A. Brothwell	Middlefield	Fred W. Terrill
Clinton	Charles A. Pelton	Old Saybrook	William H. Smith
Cromwell	Edward S. Coe	Portland	Asaph H. Hale
Durham	Frederic P. Hubbard	Saybrook	Frederick L'Hommediet
	Westbrook	Theodore D. Post	

TOLLAND COUNTY

Tolland	Loren Newcomb	Hebron	Marshall Porter
Andover	Elliot P. Skinner	Mansfield	Ralph W. Storrs
Bolton	J. White Sumner	Somers	George E. Keeney
Columbia	William A. Collins	Stafford	Edwin C. Pinney
Coventry	Alexander S. Hawkins	Union	Milton H. Kinney
Ellington	Francis M. Charter	Vernon	Charles Phelps
	Willington	William H. Hall	

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1919.



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MEMBERS AND OFFICERS
OF THE
SENATE OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT,
JANUARY SESSION, 1919.

LIEUT.-GOVERNOR CLIFFORD B. WILSON, *r.*, President.
THE HON. WILLIAM H. HEALD, *r.*, PRESIDENT *Pro tempore*.

<i>Dis.</i>	<i>Name.</i>	<i>Pol.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Birthplace.</i>	<i>Occupation.</i>	<i>Married or Single.</i>	<i>P. O. Address.</i>
1	EDWARD W. BRODER, ¹	<i>d</i>	37	Hartford.	Rockville,	lawyer,	single,	Hartford.
2	CHARLES C. HEMENWAY, ²	<i>d</i>	35	Hartford.	Springf'd, Vt.,	editor,	married,	Hartford.
3	HERMAN P. KOPPLEMANN, ³	<i>d</i>	38	Hartford.	Odesa, Russia,	pub. agt.,	married,	Hartford.
4	ARTHUR E. BOWERS, ⁴	<i>r</i>	63	Manchester.	Manchester,	mf'g., farming,	single,	Manchester.
5	RICHARD H. DEMING, ⁵	<i>r</i>	33	W. Hartford.	Hartford	lawyer,	married,	Hartford.
6	GEORGE W. KLETT, ⁶	<i>r</i>	44	New Britain.	New Britain,	lawyer,	married,	New Britain.
7	ALBERT H. HOUSE, ⁵	<i>r</i>	48	Windsor.	Windsor,	real est. & ins.	married,	Hartford.
8	G. HERBERT BISHOP	<i>d</i>	50	New Haven,	New Haven,	court mes grt,	married,	New Haven.
9	HARRY A. LEONARD, ²	<i>r</i>	48	New Haven,	Westville,	contractor,	married,	New Haven.
10	DANIEL I. BAILEY,	<i>d</i>	30	New Haven,	Plymouth,	lawyer,	single,	New Haven.
11	DENNIS M. CLYNE,	<i>d</i>	43	New Haven,	New Haven,	ins. agent,	single,	New Haven.
12	ARTHUR W. MARSDEN, ⁷	<i>r</i>	38	Madison,	Westville,	lawyer,	married,	New Haven.
13	EUGENE P. GOLDEN	<i>r</i>	66	Meriden,	Meriden,	retired,	single,	Madison.
14	WATSON S. WOODRUFF, ⁸	<i>r</i>	49	Orange,	Orange,	seedman,	married,	Meriden.
15	JOHN HURLEY, ⁹	<i>r</i>	47	Waterbury,	Sharon,	merchant,	married,	Orange.
16	CHARLES A. TEMPLETON,	<i>r</i>	56	Waterbury,	Ireland,	salesman,	married,	Waterbury.
17	RAYMOND T. FRENCH,	<i>d</i>	54	Seymour,	Seymour,	retired,	single,	Waterbury.
18	WILLIAM C. FOX, ¹⁰	<i>d</i>	36	New London,	New London,	sec. corp'n,	married,	Seymour.
19	ELISHA WATERMAN, ¹¹	<i>d</i>	60	Norwichtown,	Griswold,	farmer,	married,	New London.
20	FREDERIC A. BARTLETT, ¹²	<i>r</i>	44	Lebanon,	Lebanon,	farmer,	married,	Nor'cht'n, R.F.D. 8.
21	ALEXANDER L. DELANEY,	<i>r</i>	50	Bridgeport,	Bridgeport,	lawyer,	single,	Bozrahville.
22	GEORGE B. CLARK,	<i>r</i>	41	Bridgeport,	Bridgeport,	lawyer,	married,	Bridgeport.
23		<i>d</i>	54	Bridgeport,	Torrington,	real estate,	married,	Bridgeport.

* Died September 18, 1919.

MEMBERS AND OFFICERS OF THE SENATE.— Continued

Name.	Pol.	Age.	Birthplace.	Occupation.	Married or Single.	P. O. Address.
24 HARVEY P. BISSELL, ¹³	r	52	Ridgefield,	Morris,	married,	Ridgefield.
25 JOHN B. DILLON, ⁴	r	36	Shelton,	Shelton,	married,	Shelton.
26 CHAS. E. WILLIAMSON, ¹⁴	r	39	Darien,	Darien,	single,	Darien.
27 JAMES R. MEAD, ¹⁵	r	58	Greenwich,	Greenwich,	married,	Greenwich.
28 ARCHIBALD MACDONALD, ¹⁶	r	57	Putnam,	Halifax, N. S.,	married,	Putnam.
29 SESSIONS I. ADAMS, ¹⁷	r	64	Plainfield,	Canterbury,	single,	Central Village.
30 JOHN V. BOOKS, ¹⁸	r	48	Torington,	Goshen,	single,	Torington.
31 DWIGHT B. TIFFANY, ¹⁹	r	57	Winsted,	Parkhamsted,	married,	Winsted.
32 CLIFFORD E. HOUGH, ⁵	r	41	Washington,	Southington,	married,	Washington.
33 GEORGE F. CHAPIN, ¹⁰	r	54	Cromwell,	Columbville,	married,	Cromwell.
34 EDWARD W. HAZEN, ¹⁰	r	59	Haddam,	Middletown,	married,	Haddam.
35 WILLIAM H. HEALD, ⁴	r	47	Stafford Sp'gs,	Stafford Sp'gs,	single,	Stafford Springs.
¹ Senate, 1917.		² Senate, 1917.		⁴ House, 1915, 1917.	⁵ House, 1915, 1917.	^e Senate, 1915, 1917.
² House, 1909.		³ Senate, 1911.		⁶ House, 1907, 1909, 1913, 1915, 1917.	⁷ House, 1917.	^f House, 1909.
³ House, 1909; Senate 1911, 1915, 1917.		⁴ House, 1901.		⁸ House, 1901; Senate, 1915, 1917.	⁸ House, 1917.	^g House, 1903; Senate, 1915, 1917.
⁴ House, 1913, 1915; Senate, 1917.		⁵ House, 1889, 1915; Senate, 1917.		⁹ House, 1915; Senate, 1917.	⁹ House, 1893, 1911.	
				Total — Republicans, 24; Democrats, 11.		

OFFICERS OF THE SENATE.

CLERK.—†EDWARD J. KENEALY, r, Lawyer, Stamford.
 ASSISTANT TO CLERK.—LEO J. NOONAN, r, Lawyer, Hartford.
 CHAPLAIN.—REV. CHARLES H. PUFFER, r, Stafford.
 MESSENGERS.—JOHN TOMASZEWSKI, New Britain; E. IRVING STONE, Bethlehem.
 DOORKEEPERS.—FRED H. FITZ, Hampton; WALLACE T. HORSFALL, Milford; ALBERT A. GORHAM, Redding; CHARLES S. BRIGGS, Lebanon;
 HARRY R. SPATCHER, Middletown; STEPHEN I. JOHNSON, Ellington.
 MESSENGER OF SENATE COAT ROOM.—ISRAEL J. WIENER, New Britain.

† Died October 1, 1919.

MEMBERS AND OFFICERS
OF THE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
STATE OF CONNECTICUT,

JANUARY SESSION, 1919.

Speaker, THE HON. JAMES F. WALSH, r., Greenwich.

HARTFORD COUNTY.

<i>Town.</i>	<i>Name.</i>	<i>Pol.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Birthplace.</i>	<i>Occupation.</i>	<i>Married or Single.</i>	<i>P. O. Address.</i>
Avon,	FRANK S. HART,	r	62	Farmington,	farmer,	married,	Unionville.
Berlin,	CLAUDE W. STEVENS, ¹	r	41	Kensington,	farmer, salesm'n,	married,	Kensington.
Bloomfield,	CHARLES DWYER,	d	44	Simsbury,	farmer,	married,	Bloomfield.
Bristol,	WALLACE B. CRUMB,	d	60	Stonington,	merchant, mfr,	married,	Forestville.
	CHARLES H. CURTISS,	d	54	Bristol,	retired,	married,	Bristol.
Burlington,	JOHN OSCAR CEDER,	r	44	Pinland,	farmer,	married,	Unionville.
Canton,	J. B. FLINT,	r	74	Meriden,	dentist,	married,	Collinsville.
East Granby,	WILLIAM C. GRIFFIN,	r	41	East Granby,	probate judge,	married,	East Granby.
E. Hartford,	WILLIAM H. BREWSTER, ²	d	73	East Hartford,	farmer,	widower,	Silver Lane.
"	A. C. BURNHAM,	d	45	East Hartford,	farmer,	married,	East Hartford.
E. Windsor,	GEORGE W. CHRISTOPH,	r	55	Reading, Pa.,	manufacturer,	married,	Warehouse Pt.
"	GEORGE H. BARTLETT,	r	64	Broad Brook,	retired,	married,	Broad Brook.
Enfield,	WILLIAM H. LEETE, ²	r	49	Thompsonville,	attorney-at-law,	widower,	Thompsonville.
"	EDWARD C. ALLEN,	r	65	Scitico,	merchant,	married,	Hazardville.
Farmington,	HARRY C. NEY,	d	48	Hartford,	manufacturer,	married,	Farmington.
"	WILLIAM S. COWLES, ²	r	72	Farmington,	naval officer,	married,	Farmington.

HARTFORD COUNTY.—Continued

<i>Town.</i>	<i>Name.</i>	<i>Pol.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Birthplace.</i>	<i>Occupation.</i>	<i>Married or Single.</i>	<i>P. O. Address.</i>
Glastonbury,	ROBERT H. SAMSON,	d	43	Glastonbury,	barber,	single,	Glastonbury.
"	JOHN W. PURTILL, JR.,	d	30	Manchester,	paper mfr.,	married,	So. Glastonbury.
Granby,	CHARLES ALLSHOUSE,	r	52	Newbury, Ohio,	farmer,	married,	Granby.
"	CHESTER A. BURLEIGH,	d	44	Altamar, N. Y.,	farmer,	married,	Granby.
Hartford,	WILLIAM B. GREEN,	d	47	B'hamton, N. Y.,	adv. agent,	married,	Hartford.
"	THOMAS J. CUMMINGS,	d	58	Hartford,	agt. p't'rs union,	single,	Hartford.
"	WALDO W. MILLER,	r	47	Hartland,	farmer,	married,	Hartland.
Manchester,	ROBERT W. HAYES, ³	r	35	Hartland,	farmer,	married,	E. Hartland.
"	ROBERT J. SMITH,	r	30	Manchester,	real estate ins.,	married,	S. Manchester.
Marlborough,	WILLARD B. ROGERS, ²	r	22	Manchester,	reporter & ins.,	married,	S. Manchester.
"	ALLAN A. HALL,	d	22	Marlborough,	farmer,	single,	E. H'mpt'n R.D. 2.
New Britain,	EDWARD F. HALL, ²	d	38	Middletown,	accountant,	married,	New Britain.
"	RICHARD COVERT, ²	r	33	Branford,	head f'cty sys.,	married,	New Britain.
Newington,	JOHN H. FISH, ⁴	d	68	Bloomfield,	farmer,	single,	Newington Jct.
Plainville,	JOHN F. WADLE, JR.,	d	30	Jacks wille, Fla.,	superintendent,	married,	Plainville.
Rocky Hill,	FRANK H. ROBBINS,	r	39	Rocky Hill,	farmer,	single,	Rocky Hill.
Simsbury,	ANDREW J. WELCH,	d	49	Simsbury,	select. & g. m'g'r.,	widower,	Simsbury.
"	HARRY P. ENO,	r	39	East Granby,	farmer,	married,	Simsbury.
Southington,	FRANK H. BARNES, ²	r	52	Southington,	merchant,	married,	Southington.
So. Windsor,	CHARLES C. PERSIANI,	r	60	Staten Island,	manufacturer,	widower,	Plainville.
"	EDGAR A. FARNHAM,	r	70	East Hartford,	farmer,	widower,	E. Wind'r Hill.
Suffield,	JOHN B. CANNON, ⁵	r	62	Suffield,	farmer,	married,	Granby.
"	HOWARD A. HENSHAW,	r	55	Suffield,	farmer,	married,	Suffield.
W. Hartford,	OLIVER R. BECKWITH,	r	41	Canton,	lawyer,	married,	Hartford.
Wethersfield,	JAMES R. WOODRICH,	r	58	Hartford,	real estate,	married,	Hartford.
"	HENRY L. GELLES,	r	44	Wethersfield,	farmer,	married,	Wethersfield.
Windsor,	LESTER F. TURNEY, ²	r	41	Bridgport,	physician,	single,	Windsor.
"	ADELBERT DU BON,	r	41	Windsor,	farmer,	married,	Poquonock.
Windsor Locks,	MICHAEL J. KELLY, ²	d	43	Warehouse Pt.,	physician,	married,	Wind'r Locks.

¹House, 1911; Senate, 1913.

²House, 1913.

³House, 1913.

⁴House, 1897, 1909, 1917.

⁵House, 1891.

NEW HAVEN COUNTY.

Town.	Name.	Pol.	Age.	Birthplace.	Occupation.	Married or Single.	P. O. Address.
Ansonia,	WILLIAM A. BARNES, ¹	d	68	Roxbury, Mass.	carpenter cont'r,	married,	Ansonia.
Beacon Falls,	RICHARD J. HALL, ¹	d	47	Watert'n, Mass.	mason cont'r,	married,	Ansonia.
Bethany,	SHERMAN D. STÖCKER,	d	45	Wardsboro, Vt.,	farmer,	married,	Seymour, R. D.
Branford,	CHARLES C. ROOTH,	d	49	Watbury,	farmer,	married,	Westville, R. F. D. 2.
"	SIDNEY V. OSBORN, ²	r	62	Woodbury,	grain & coal mer.,	married,	Branford.
Cheshire,	J. EDWIN BRAINARD,	r	59	Meriden,	sales'n & farmer,	married,	Branford.
"	JACOB D. WALTER, ³	r	62	Hamden,	county com'r,	married,	Cheshire.
Derby,	HOWARD W. DURAND,	r	59	Branford,	printer,	widower,	Cheshire.
"	THOMAS F. MOLLOY, ¹	d	62	Newark, N. J.,	retired,	married,	Derby.
East Haven,	GEORGE M. TRACY, ¹	d	39	New Haven,	merchant,	married,	East Haven.
Guilford,	GEORGE N. CHIDSEY,	d	38	East Haven,	carpenter,	married,	Guilford, R.D. 2.
"	NATHAN C. DUDLEY,	r	37	Guilford,	farmer,	married,	Guilford.
"	EDMUND F. DUDLEY,	r	33	Guilford,	merchant,	single,	Highwood.
Hamden,	EDGAR W. MUNSON, ¹	r	43	Hamden,	market gardener,	married,	Highwood.
"	BENNETT J. DICKERMAN,	r	47	Hamden,	lumber business,	married,	Highwood.
Madison,	GEORGE B. CHITTENDEN,	r	69	Madison,	mining engin'r,	married,	Mt. Carmel.
Meriden,	H. CLAY MAYDWELL,	r	70	Baltimore, Md.,	printer,	married,	Meriden.
"	ELI C. BIRDSEY,	r	75	Meriden,	retired,	married,	Meriden.
Middlebury,	HARRY E. CLARK,	r	50	Wilbr'h'm, M's,	farm supt.,	married,	Meriden.
Milford,	WILLIAM F. PLATT, ¹	r	51	Milford,	fruitgrower,	married,	Middlebury.
"	FREDERICK M. SMITH,	r	43	Milford,	seedgrower,	married,	Milford.
Naugatuck,	THOMAS P. REILLY, ⁵	d	53	New Haven,	carpenter,	married,	Milford.
"	MARTIN L. CAINE, ⁶	d	34	England,	lawyer,	married,	Naugatuck.
New Haven,	JOHN S. MCCARTHY,	d	51	New Haven,	supt. Court Ho'se,	widower,	New Haven.
"	GEORGE T. BENNETT,	d	30	New Haven,	lawyer,	single,	New Haven.
No. Branford,	ROBERT H. BRONSON,	r	67	Watbury,	farmer,	married,	North Haven.
No. Haven,	ROBERT O. EATON, ⁷	r	61	North Haven,	farmer,	widower,	North Haven.
Orange,	ISAMUEL I. BRYANT, ⁸	r	67	W. Stob'et, M's,	lawyer,	married,	West Haven.
"	CHARLES R. TREAT, ¹	r	46	Orange,	farmer,	married,	West Haven.
Oxford,	CHARLES P. POPE,	d	31	Orange,	farmer,	married,	Orange.
Prospect,	CLIFFORD P. WALLACE,	r	39	Oxford,	merchant,	married,	Orange.
Seymour,	SETH N. BEECHER,	r	39	Prospect,	grocer & farmer,	married,	Seymour, R.F.D. 1.
Southbury,	ROBERT C. MITCHELL, ⁹	r	50	Southbury,	farmer,	married,	Waterbury, R.F.D. 2.
Wallingford,	CHARLES LOUCKS, ¹⁰	r	49	Southbury,	farmer, fire ins.,	married,	Southbury, R.F.D. 1.
"	ARCHIBALD G. PRISK, ¹	r	47	Sharon, N. Y.,	contractor,	married,	Wallingford.
Waterbury,	PETER FITZHENRY, ¹	d	37	Yalesville,	manufacturer,	married,	Yalesville.
"	PATRICK J. HEALEY, ¹	d	51	Bridgeport,	retired,	married,	Waterbury.
Wolcott,	WILFRED V. WARNEY, ¹¹	d	31	Waterbury,	lawyer,	married,	Waterbury.
Woodbridge,	EDWARD A. FINNEY,	r	52	Enfield,	farmer,	married,	Waterbury, R.D. 4.
"	EDWARD A. FINNEY,	r	47	Woodbridge,	farmer,	married,	Westville.

¹House, 1911, 1913, 1917.
²House, 1895, 1915, 1917.
³House, 1895.
⁴House, 1915.
⁵House, 1915, 1917.
⁶House, 1899.
⁷House, 1911.
⁸House, 1915, 1917.
⁹House, 1915.
¹⁰House, 1899.
¹¹House, 1911.

Republicans, 27; Democrats, 12.

* Died Dec. 11, 1918.

GOURDIN Y. GAILLARD, d., member of 1917 Session, seated.

† Died June 22, 1919.

NEW LONDON COUNTY.

Town.	Name.	Pol.	Age.	Birthplace.	Occupation.	Married or Single.	P. O. Address.
Bozrah,	JOHN J. SWERNEY, ¹	d	34	Lebanon,	carpenter,	married,	Fitchville.
Colchester,	SAMUEL GELLERT,	r	36	Suwalki, Russia,	merchant,	married,	Colchester.
	WILLIAM K. RAYMOND,	r	40	Colchester,	farmer,	married,	Colchester.
East Lyme,	CHARLES R. TUBBS,	r	34	Old Lyme,	elec. rail'y emp.,	married,	N. Frankin.
Franklin,	HERMAN A. GAGER,	r	59	Franklin,	farm., elec. eng'r,	married,	N. Frankin.
Griswold,	WILLIAM M. McNICOL,	d	22	Jewett City,	farmer,	married,	Jewett City.
Groton,	CHARLES H. SMITH, ²	r	67	Noank,	county com'r,	widower,	Noank.
	IRVIN E. CROUCH,	r	44	Groton,	farmer,	married,	Groton.
Lebanon,	KARL F. BISHOP,	r	43	Hartford,	farmer,	married,	Lebanon.
	EDWARD W. JONES,	r	41	New Haven,	farmer,	married,	Leonard Br'ge.
Ledyard,	WILLIAM I. ALLYN, ³	r	43	Ledyard,	farmer,	married,	Mystic, R. D. 1.
Lisbon,	JAMES GRAHAM, ¹	r	43	Ledyard,	farmer,	married,	Norwich, R. F. D. 4.
Lyme,	J. LAURENCE RAYMOND, ¹	r	53	Scotland,	market garden'r,	married,	Norwich.
"	HAYDEN L. REYNOLDS,	r	44	Lyme,	farmer,	married,	Hadlyme.
Montville,	EDWIN F. COMSTOCK,	r	59	Lyme,	farmer,	married,	Hamburg.
New London,	WILLIAM A. HOLT, ¹	d	50	Montville,	farmer,	married,	Uncasville.
"	GEORGE GOSS,	d	43	New London,	merchant,	married,	New London.
"	GEORGE H. STONE, ¹	d	65	New London,	barber, real est.,	married,	New London.
N. St. Onington,	MALCOM E. THOMPSON,	r	30	N. St. Onington,	merchant,	widower,	N. St. Onington.
"	PATRICK T. CONNELLY,	d	36	N. St. Onington,	lumber, farming,	single,	Westerly, R. I., R. D. 2.
"	JOSEPH F. WILLIAMS,	d	44	Norwich,	barber,	married,	Norwichtown.
Old Lyme,	ROBERT H. NOBLE,	d	43	Preston,	merchant,	single,	Lyme.
Preston,	JOHN P. HOLLOWELL, ¹	d	37	Old Lyme,	coal dealer,	married,	Norwich, R. F. D. 1.
"	BERIAH E. BURDICK,	d	32	Preston,	farmer,	single,	Norwich, R. F. D. 1.
Salem,	JAMES LANE,	d	27	Preston,	farmer,	married,	Colch'st'r, R. F. D. 3.
Sprague,	RAYMOND J. JODOIN, ⁴	d	44	New London,	carpenter,	married,	Baltic.
St. Onington,	NATHANIEL P. NOYES,	r	51	St. Damase, Can.	trav. salesman,	married,	St. Onington.
"	FREDERICK BOULTER,	r	72	St. Onington,	retired,	married,	Westerly, R. I.
Voluntown,	CONSTANT W. CHATFIELD, ¹	r	74	England,	mach. foreman,	widower,	Voluntown.
Waterford,	JOHN C. GEARY, ¹	d	69	Chester,	retired,	married,	Voluntown.
"			56	Waterford,	lawyer,	married,	New London.

¹House, 1891, 1895, 1909. ²House, 1905, 1907, 1911, 1917; Senate, 1909; Constitutional Convention, 1902.
³House, 1917.
⁴House, 1905, 1907, 1911, 1917; Senate, 1909; Constitutional Convention, 1902.
 Republicans, 19; Democrats, 11.

FAIRFIELD COUNTY.

Town.	Name.	Pol.	Age.	Birthplace.	Occupation.	Married or Single.	P. O. Address.
Bethel,	CHARLES K. BAILEY,	r	56	Bethel,	hatter,	married,	Bethel.
Bridgeport,	WILLIAM CHEW, ¹	r	53	England,	retired,	married,	Bridgeport.
Brookfield,	HENRY B. HAWLEY, ²	r	62	Terryville,	publisher,	married,	Bridgeport.
"	SAMUEL A. DAVIS,	r	44	Bk'fild Cen't,	real est. broker,	single,	Bk'fild Cent.
Danbury,	EDWARD H. BAILEY,	r	53	Danbury,	lawyer,	married,	Danbury.
Darien,	STEPHEN R. HOYT, ¹	r	48	Bethel,	probat'n officer,	married,	Danbury.
Easton,	CHARLES B. TAMMANY, ¹	r	65	New York City,	town clerk,	married,	Darien.
Fairfield,	FRANK E. MORGAN, ¹	r	72	N'wburg, N. Y.,	retired,	married,	Bridgep't, R.F.D. 1.
"	CHARLES C. LACEY, ²	r	69	Pownal, Vt.,	retired,	married,	Southport.
Greenwich,	JAMES F. WALSH, ³	r	44	Fairfield,	mechanic,	married,	Bridgep't, R.F.D. 1.
"	FRANK A. ROOKE,	r	54	Lewisb'o, N. Y.,	lawyer,	married,	Greenwich.
Huntington,	WATSON L. PHILLIPS,	r	68	New York City,	architect,	married,	Pt. Chester, N. Y.
"	JOHN H. HILL,	r	54	Derby, N. Y.,	clergyman,	widower,	Shelton.
Monroe,	SOLOM B. WALKS,	r	69	Beverly, Mass.,	tax collector,	widower,	Stepney.
New Canaan,	*JOHN H. BEHRE, ⁴	r	57	Brook'g, N. Y.,	wholesale fruit,	married,	New Canaan.
New Fairfield,	ISAAC S. KNAPP, ⁵	r	62	New Fairfield,	retired,	married,	Danbury, R.F.D. 6.
Newtown,	WILLIAM H. SANFORD,	d	57	New Fairfield,	farmer,	married,	Newtown.
"	CHARLES G. MORRIS,	d	47	Westville,	retired,	single,	New Haven.
Norwalk,	NEHEMIAH WATKINS, ¹	r	48	Easton,	lawyer,	married,	S. Norwalk.
"	SAMUEL J. SHAW, ²	r	67	West, Norwalk,	lawyer,	married,	S. Norwalk.
Redding,	PAUL K. CONNER, ³	r	52	Redding,	merchant,	widower,	Redding Ridge.
"	LESE L. BENEDICT, ¹	d	23	Redding,	lawyer,	married,	Georgetown.
Ridgefield,	WILLIAM C. BARKITE, ⁶	r	40	S. Salem, N. Y.,	merchant,	single,	Ridgefield.
Sherman,	IRWIN C. ATCHISON, ¹	r	63	Ridgefield,	retired,	married,	Ridgefield.
Stamford,	FREDERICK W. HUXFORD, ⁸	r	40	Ireland,	farmer,	married,	Gaylordsville.
"	MATTHEW H. KENEALY, ¹	r	44	Stamford,	lawyer,	single,	Stamford.
Stratford,	IRVAN L. MOREHOUSE, ²	r	30	Stamford,	attorney-at-law,	married,	Stamford.
Trumbull,	ELLIOTT W. PECK, ¹	r	34	Stratford,	attorney-at-law,	married,	Stratford.
Weston,	EMIL T. BERGER, ¹	r	49	Stratford,	banker,	married,	Stratford.
Westport,	ELI WAKEMAN, ¹	r	37	Bridgeport,	farmer,	married,	Bridgeport, R. 2.
Wilton,	HARRY R. SHERWOOD, ²	r	62	Fairfield,	town business,	married,	Westport.
"	CHARLES O. EAKLAND, ¹	d	45	Westport,	lawyer,	married,	Wilton.
"	² House, 1915, 1917.				contractor,	married,	
"	³ House, 1901; Senate, 1903, 1907.						⁴ House, 1891, 1893, 1909.
"	⁵ House, 1907.						⁶ House, 1909, 1911, 1915 and 1917.
"	⁷ House, 1907.						⁸ House, 1891, 1893, 1909.

Republicans, 29; Democrats, 5.

* Mr. Behre was chosen at a special election held April 22, 1919, succeeding Lewis Provost, who died March 17, 1919.

WINDHAM COUNTY.

Town.	Name.	Pol.	Age.	Birthplace.	Occupation.	Married or Single.	P. O. Address.
Ashford,	WALTER E. GREEN,	d	37	Great Britain,	sawyer,	married,	Ashford.
"	RAYMOND O. BAKER,	d	22	Warrenville,	farmer,	married,	Warrenville.
Brooklyn,	VINE R. FRANKLIN, ^o	r	75	Hampton,	farmer,	married,	Brooklyn.
Canterbury,	EDWARD BAKER, ¹	r	55	Canterbury,	farmer,	single,	Canterbury.
Chaplin,	ARTHUR C. BENNETT	r	32	Canterbury,	lumber, raw furs,	married,	Canterbury.
Eastford,	ELLSWORTH M. RUSSELL,	r	72	Haddam,	paper maker,	married,	N. o. Windham.
Hampton,	CHARLES W. CLARK,	r	39	Eastford,	farmer,	married,	Eastford.
Killingly,	WILLIAM W. JEWETT,	r	48	Hampton,	farmer,	married,	Damptton.
"	COSMER A. YOUNG,	r	67	Killingly,	merchant,	married,	Damptson.
"	N. LORNE GREIG,	r	36	N. Geo'to'n, Can.,	manufacturer,	married,	Killingly.
Plainfield,	LEON N. MERICIER,	d	37	Taftville,	dry goods,	married,	Plainfield.
"	HENRY DORRANCE,	d	48	Plainfield,	farmer,	married,	Plainfield.
Pomfret,	FAYETTE L. WRIGHT, ²	r	65	Foster, R. I.,	farmer,	married,	Pomfret Center.
"	FRANK K. HAINES,	r	42	New Lenox,	farmer,	married,	Pomfret Center.
Putnam,	ERNEST B. KENT, ³	r	57	Somers,	manufacturer,	married,	Putnam.
Scotland,	ALDEMAR A. BRODFEUR, ³	r	40	St. Cesaire, Can.,	salesman,	married,	Putnam.
Sterling,	EVERETT E. KIMBALL, ⁴	d	43	Colchester,	farmer,	married,	Hampton, R. D. 1.
Thompson,	AMORY J. KEBLER, ⁴	r	67	Needham, Mass.,	grain dealer,	married,	Sterling.
"	THOMAS RYAN,	r	60	Dudley, Mass.,	merchant,	widower,	Thompson.
Windham,	CLAUS A. HAGSTROM,	r	54	Sweden,	farmer,	married,	Putnam, R. D. 2.
"	WILLIAM A. KING, ⁶	r	63	Gr'field, Mass.,	lawyer,	widower,	Willimantic.
Woodstock,	ALPHONSE CHAGNON,	r	56	Vercheres, Can.,	retired,	married,	Willimantic.
"	ALBERT N. HAMMOND,	r	59	Eastford,	farmer,	married,	Woodstock.
"	CLARENCE H. CHILD,	r	63	Woodstock,	farmer,	married,	Woodstock.

¹House, 1909, 1913, 1915, 1917. ²House, 1899; Senate, 1901.

³House, 1917.

⁴House, 1911.

⁵House, 1882, 1899, 1901.

⁶House, 1887.

Republicans, 19; Democrats, 5.

LITCHFIELD COUNTY.

Town.	Pol.	Name.	Age.	Birthplace.	Occupation.	Married or Single.	P. O. Address.
Barkhamsted,	r	JOHN W. WRIGHT,	38	Barkhamsted,	tobacco grower,	married,	Barkhamsted.
"	r	EUGENE A. ROGERS, ¹	66	G. B'ing'n, M's,	manufacturer,	married,	N. Hartford.
Bethlehem,	d	ALBERT E. JOHNSON,	36	Bethlehem,	farmer,	married,	Bethlehem.
Bridgewater,	d	CHARLES A. NORTROP,	43	Bridgewater,	farmer,	married,	Brookfield Cen.
Canaan,	d	LEVI M. GANSER,	55	Canaan,	farmer,	married,	Falls Village.
Colebrook,	r	THEODORE PHILLIPS,	53	Hillsdale, N. Y.,	carpenter,	married,	Colebrook.
"	r	ARTHUR L. LEWIS,	42	Lynn, Mass.,	creamery m'gr,	married,	Riverton.
Cornwall,	d	EDWARD D. CARTWRIGHT,	31	East Canaan,	garage owner,	married,	W. Cornwall.
"	d	CHARLES J. BREEN,	30	Cornwall,	mechanic,	married,	Cornwall Bridge.
Goshen,	r	HARRISON H. IVES,	48	Goshen,	farmer,	married,	W. Goshen.
"	r	FRANK J. SEATON,	36	Goshen,	grocer,	married,	Goshen.
Harwinton,	r	WESLEY F. BUELL,	33	Plymouth,	farmer,	married,	Terryville.
"	r	JOHN A. MANSFIELD,	60	Harwinton,	farmer,	married,	Thomaston, R.F.D. 2.
Kent,	d	GILBERT A. VINCENT,	69	Kent,	farmer,	married,	Kent.
Litchfield,	d	GEORGE C. IVES,	63	Goshen,	retired,	married,	Litchfield.
"	d	WILLIS O. PERKINS,	40	Cornwall,	merchant,	married,	Pantam.
Morris,	d	RAYMOND PACK, ²	52	England,	farmer,	married,	Morris.
New Hartford,	r	FREDERIC B. JONES,	62	New Hartford,	manufacturer,	married,	N. Hartford.
"	r	CHARLES J. LYMAN,	38	New Hartford,	farmer,	married,	N. Hartford.
New Milford,	d	SHERMAN D. GREEN,	48	Kent,	tobacco dealer,	married,	New Milford.
"	d	WILLIAM J. CLARK, ^{2nd} ,	33	Roxbury,	farmer,	married,	New Milford.
"	d	JOSEPH R. CARROLL,	33	Norfolk,	merchant,	single,	Norfolk.
"	d	HERBERT E. BIANCHARD,	50	Bethert'n, M's,	building con.,	married,	Norfolk.
N. Canaan,	d	ROBERT D. PIERCE,	50	N. Canaan,	grain, coal d'r,	married,	N. Canaan.
Plymouth,	d	MAURICE E. MINOK, ²	38	Plymouth,	farmer,	married,	Plymouth.
"	d	AARON W. FENN, ²	45	Plymouth,	farmer,	single,	Terryville.
Roxbury,	r	JAMES O. EMERSON, ²	66	Barnst'd, N. H.,	clergyman,	married,	Terryville.
Salsbury,	r	MALCOLM D. RUDD, ²	35	Waterbury,	manufacturer,	married,	Roxbury.
"	r	I. KENT FULTON, ²	41	Lakeville,	farmer,	married,	Lakeville.
"	r	EDWARD O. BIERCE,	50	Sharon,	farmer,	married,	Salsbury.
Thomaston,	r	GEORGE D. OWEN,	52	Amenia, N. Y.,	merchant,	married,	Sharon.
Torrington,	r	FREDERICK L. BRAMAN,	35	N. B'ing'n, Pa.,	minister,	married,	Thomaston.
"	r	CHARLES H. ALVORD,	42	W. Sp'gh'd, M's,	manufacturer,	married,	Torrington.
Warren,	r	R. FRED ASHMAN,	56	Bolton,	manufacturer,	married,	Torrington.
Washington,	r	ELNATHAN MITCHELL,	33	Warren,	builder,	married,	Cornwall Bridge.
"	r	MICHAEL M. SHIRK,	56	Washington,	farmer,	married,	Washington.
Watertown,	r	MYRON WHEELER,	43	Ogle Co., Ill.,	ins. salesman,	married,	New Preston.
Winchester,	r	ORVILLE H. RIPLEY,	47	Watertown,	farmer,	married,	Watertown.
"	r	FREDERIC C. STRONG,	54	Barkhamsted,	merchant,	married,	Winsted.
Woodbury,	r	OSCAR S. FITZSIMONS,	44	Waterbury,	retired mfr.,	married,	Woodbury.
"	r	FRED S. CURTISS,	29	Woodbury,	farmer,	married,	Woodbury.

¹House, 1901.

²House, 1917.

Republicans, 29; Democrats, 13.

³House, 1907.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

Town.	Name.	Pol.	Age.	Birthplace.	Occupation.	Married or Single.	P. O. Address.
Chester.	CALVIN R. GLADDING,	r	44	Chester,	manufacturer,	married,	Chester.
Clinton,	JONATHAN E. BLISS, ¹	r	60	Amherst,	retail meat dealer,	married,	Clinton.
Cromwell,	ARTHUR H. FRAZER,	r	29	Cromwell,	fish dealer,	married,	Cromwell.
Durham,	DIONIGI ARRIGONI, ²	r	38	Mornico, Italy,	contractor,	married,	Durham Center.
E. Haddam,	HAROLD E. ASMAN,	r	32	Durham,	farmer,	married,	East Haddam.
E. Hampton,	MARSHALL EMMONS,	r	63	East Haddam,	asst. postmaster,	married,	Moody.
Essex,	CHARLES H. EMILY,	r	67	Marlborough,	manufacturer,	married,	East Hampton.
Haddam,	CHARLES E. TORKELOSON,	r	37	Portland,	merchant,	widower,	East Hampton.
Killingworth,	SAMUEL STEWART,	r	37	Ireland,	gardener,	married,	Essex.
Middlefield,	ARCHIE E. LORD,	r	53	Lyme,	farmer,	married,	Higganum.
Middletown,	MYRON G. SKINNER,	r	63	Higganum,	farmer,	single,	E. Hampton, R. D. 1.
Old Saybrook,	LEONARD I. SELDEN,	r	37	Haddam,	farmer,	single,	Clinton, R.F.D.
Portland,	CHARLES H. CHITTENDEN,	d	65	Hamden,	town clerk,	married,	Middlefield.
Saybrook,	CLEON L. PARMLEE, ¹	r	34	Deep River,	farmer,	married,	Middletown.
Westbrook,	LESTER O. SCHRIVER,	r	28	Bristol,	sec'y, Y.M.C.A.,	married,	Middletown.
	WILLIAM W. WILCOX,	r	56	Middletown,	manufacturer,	married,	Middletown.
	HAROLD M. MEECH,	r	36	Middletown,	grain dealer,	married,	Portland.
	CHARLES S. GATES, ¹	r	56	East Haddam,	judge of probate,	widower,	Deep River.
	LUTHER WILCOX,	r	63	Portland,	farmer,	married,	Westbrook.
	SIMON R. LA PLACE,	r	33	Saybrook,	merchant,	married,	
	HARRY A. MOORE,	d	33	Saybrook,	contractor,	married,	
	CHARLES C. CLARK,	r	39	Centerbrook,	merchant,	single,	

¹House, 1917.

²House, 1915.

Republicans, 20; Democrats, 2.

TOLLAND COUNTY.

Town.	Name.	Pol.	Age.	Birthplace.	Occupation.	Married or Single.	P. O. Address.
Andover,	EDWIN H. COOK,	d	60	Andover,	printer,	married,	Andover,
Bolton,	THEODORE REICHARD,	d	44	New York City,	farmer,	married,	Rockville, R.F.D. 1.
Columbia,	ABBOTT LITTLE,	r	55	Columbia,	farmer,	married,	Columbia,
Coventry,	WILLIAM L. HIGGINS, ¹	r	51	Chesterf'd, M's,	physician,	married,	So. Coventry,
Ellington,	JOHN E. KINGSBURY, ²	r	37	Coventry,	farmer,	married,	Rockville, R.D.
Hebron,	JOHN T. MCKNIGHT,	r	58	Ellington,	farmer, c. eng.,	married,	Ellington.
"	C. EARL PARK,	r	53	Hebron,	farmer,	single,	Amston.
Mansfield,	CLARENCE P. RATHBUN,	r	40	Hebron,	farmer,	married,	Andover, R. F. D.
"	HENRY E. KNOWLTON,	r	38	W. Ashford,	farmer,	married,	Mansfield.
"	ALBERT E. JAMES,	r	63	Tolland,	farmer,	married,	St'r Rt. William'c.
Somers,	W. SHERMAN THOMPSON,	r	39	Somers, Pa.,	farmer,	married,	Somers.
Stafford,	ERNEST S. FULLER, ³	r	52	Salona,	general ins.,	married,	Somers.
"	MICHAEL O'HALLORAN,	d	39	Stafford,	undertaker,	married,	Stafford Springs.
Tolland,	WILLIAM H. BUMSTEAD,	d	49	Monson, Mass.,	farmer,	married,	Stafford Springs.
"	NATHAN O. WARD,	d	43	Tolland,	manufacturer,	married,	W. Willingt'n, R.D. 2.
Union,	OSCAR A. LEONARD, ⁴	d	64	Stafford,	farmer,	married,	Rockville.
"	LEVI M. REED, ⁵	d	71	Sturbridge, M's,	farmer,	married,	Stafford Spgs, R.D. 2.
Vernon,	HOLCOMB K. HOWARD,	r	41	Stafford Sprgs.,	farmer,	married,	Stafford Springs.
"	C. DENISON T. TALCOTT, ⁶	r	38	Talcottville,	farmer,	married,	Stafford Springs.
Willington,	JOHN H. YOST, ⁷	r	51	So. Willington,	printer,	married,	Talcottville.
"	WILLIAM H. HALL, ⁸	r	51	So. Willington,	manufacturer,	married,	Rockville.
"	*ADOLPH PARIZEK,	r	25	New York City,	manufacturer,	married,	So. Willington, R. F. D. 1.

¹House, 1905, 1907, 1917; Senate, 1909.
²House, 1885, 1905.
³House, 1885, 1905.
⁴House, 1899, 1917; Senate, 1917; Constitutional Convention, 1902.
⁵House, 1913, 1917.
⁶House, 1915, 1917.
⁷House, 1913, 1917.
⁸House, 1885.

Total — Republicans, 189; Democrats, 69; — 258.

* Died March 2, 1919.

OFFICERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

CLERK.—W. ARTHUR COUNTRYMAN, Jr., *r*, Lawyer, Hartford.
 ASSISTANT CLERK.—J. FREDERICK BAKER, *r*, Lawyer, New Haven.
 CHAPLAIN.—REV. HOMER WESLEY HILDRETH, Cromwell.
 MESSENGERS.—WESLEY N. CLARK, Granby; JOHN J. YOUNG, Eastford; C. ALBERT HONOLD, Barkhamsted; ALLEN C. BIGELOW, New Fairfield; CHARLES E. LORD, Middletown (special).
 DOORKEEPERS.—WILLIS H. LANPHER, Branford; MATT A. TINKER, Montville; FRANK I. DATE, Franklin; CHAUNCEY F. REED, Willington; CHARLES H. PALMER, Columbia; GILMAN C. GATES, Old Saybrook.
 CLERK OF BILLS.—WILLIAM H. BLODGETT, Winchester (P. O. Winsted).
 ASSISTANT CLERK OF BILLS.—ALEXANDER W. CREEDON, Hartford.
 ENGROSING CLERK.—SABIN S. RUSSELL, Killingly (P. O. Danielson).
 COMPILER OF THE BULLETIN.—CLARENCE G. WILLARD, New Haven.
 COMPILER OF THE MANUAL AND ROLL.—WILLIAM HARRISON TAYLOR, Hartford.
 SUPT. OF CAPITOL.—JOHN L. WILSON, Suffield; Asst. Supt. FRANK W. CONGDON, Willimantic.
 ASSISTANTS TO SUPERINTENDENT (for session).—WILSON G. MERRILLS, East Haven; ALFRED E. BEVANS, Newtown; ROBERT SINCLAIR, Monroe; WILBUR S. MILLER, Hartland; EDWARD A. HOXIE, Lebanon; JOSEPH H. HENDERSON, Norwich; EUGENE F. HUTCHINSON, Columbia; WILLIAM H. TAYLOR, Hartford; GEORGE A. WILLIAMS, Killingly; FRANK ST. GEORGE, Meriden; FRANZ J. CARLSON, Hartford.
 COAT ROOM MESSENGERS.—Republican Side — ALBERT FIORILLO, Bristol; Democratic Side — PHILIP CASTELLANO, Norwalk.
 GOVERNOR'S MESSENGER.—BRANCH W. LEE, Hartford.

NAMES OF THOSE PRESENT
 at the
GENERAL ASSEMBLY CENTENNIAL
CAPITOL, HARTFORD, MAY 7, 1919.

The appended list of State Officers, Senators and Representatives, who attended the Centennial was compiled from the registration cards, signed on May 7th at the Capitol. Several persons, however, failed to sign a card as requested, which will account for their names not appearing in this list:

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| <p style="text-align: center;">1853</p> <p>Representative:
Albert L. Hodge, Roxbury.</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">1870</p> <p>State Officer:
Thomas M. Waller, New London,
Secretary.</p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;">1863</p> <p>Representatives:
Henry E. Hinman, Harwinton.
John E. Tryon, Glastonbury.</p> | <p>Representatives:
Joseph N. Cowles, Norfolk.
Almon Day, East Haddam.
Jasper A. Fitch, Andover.
Julius W. Knowlton, Stratford.
Horace J. Ward, Hartland.</p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;">1864</p> <p>Representatives:
Albert L. Hodge, Roxbury.
John E. Tryon, Glastonbury.</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">1871</p> <p>Representatives:
Julius W. Knowlton, Stratford.
Harvey L. Roberts, Winchester.
Charles E. Searls, Thompson.
Milo P. J. Walker, Union.</p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;">1865</p> <p>Representatives:
William Bulkeley, Berlin.
Albert L. Hodge, Roxbury.</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">1872</p> <p>Representatives:
Cyrus Avery, Groton.
Ezra Briggs, Voluntown.
Dwight S. Case, Barkhamsted.
Jaspar A. Fitch, Andover.
H. Wales Lines, Meriden.
William H. Pond, Milford.
Leroy A. Smith, Haddam.
Thomas M. Waller, New London.</p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;">1866</p> <p>Representative:
Peter Skiff, Kent.</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">1873</p> <p>Senator:
Harvey L. Roberts, Winchester.</p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;">1867</p> <p>Representative:
Thomas M. Waller, New London.</p> | <p>Representatives:
William G. Anthony, Scotland.
Alonzó W. Burns, Milford.
Samuel H. Case, Barkhamsted.
Almon Day, East Haddam.
George W. Hurlburt, Roxbury.
Frederick W. S. Ward, Bolton.</p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;">1868</p> <p>Representatives:
Edward B. Bennett, Hampton.
James N. Loomis, Granby.
Thomas M. Waller, New London.
Robert R. Wolcott, Wethersfield.</p> | |
| <p style="text-align: center;">1869</p> <p>Representative:
William H. Hill, Redding.</p> | |

1874

Representatives:

Richard W. Bacon, Bethlehem.
John D. Botelle, Cromwell.
Charles M. Joslyn, Tolland.
Charles Page, North Branford.

1875

Representatives:

John H. Beach, Trumbull.
Charles F. Brooker, Torrington.
Clarence H. Brown, Wallingford.
Albert L. Hodge, Roxbury.
William H. Kelsey, Clinton.
William H. Pond, Milford.
Albert E. Purple, East Haddam.
Edward S. Roberts, North Canaan.
Gideon M. Wakelee, Huntington.

1876

Representatives:

Samuel G. Davidson, Bethany.
E. Byron Gallup, Voluntown.
William H. Kelsey, Clinton.
John P. Lewis, Farmington.
John W. Norton, Guilford.
Thomas M. Waller, New London.

1877

Representatives:

Henry Atwater, Derby.
J. Cleveland Capen, Bloomfield.
Lucius J. Grant, South Windsor.
Charles E. Hart, New Britain.
John H. Perry, Fairfield.

1878

Representatives:

Eugene S. Belden, Rocky Hill.
Hartwell N. Brainard, Glastonbury.
Jason Bugbee, Jr., Willington.
James T. Coogan, Windsor Locks.
Henry Davis, Durham.
Silas W. Fowler, Durham.
William H. Hall, West Hartford.
Francis H. Parker, East Haddam.
John H. Perry, Fairfield.
John B. Smith, Sharon.
Horace A. Stannard, Norfolk.

1879

Representatives:

Lucius A. Barber, Hartford.
Samuel W. Bradley, Canaan.
E. Judson Miner, Bozrah.
Frank R. Post, Hebron.
Everett P. Russell, Somers.
Leroy A. Smith, Haddam.
Grove J. Tuttle, East Haven.

1880

Senators:

William A. Collins, Columbia.
H. Wales Lines, Meriden.

Representatives:

Selah G. Blakeman, Huntington.
Andrew J. Bowen, Eastford.
Barton Jacobs, Thompson.
Emerson A. Merriman, Meriden.
Joseph M. Mellow, Mansfield.
E. Judson Miner, Bozrah.
Frederick L. Nichols, Wolcott.
Francis H. Parker, East Haddam.
A. Heaton Robertson, New Haven.
Joseph B. Stetson, Brooklyn.

1881

State Officer:

Charles E. Searls, Thompson,
Secretary.

Senators:

William A. Collins, Columbia.
E. Buel Root, West Hartford.

Representatives:

Henry S. Beers, Brookfield.
F. Clarence Bissell, Hebron.
Percy S. Bryant, East Hartford.
Geo. F. Douglass, New Hartford.
Thomas O. Elliott, Pomfret.
Lucius H. Fuller, Putnam.
David H. Judd, Bethlehem.
James Lawton, Middletown.
Emerson A. Merriman, Meriden.
George F. Morris, Woodbury.
Amos Northrop, Bridgewater.
John H. Perry, Fairfield.
Theodore D. Pond, Brooklyn.
Sheldon B. Thorpe, North Haven.
Joseph S. Warner, Lebanon.
Gideon H. Welch, Torrington.
George C. F. Williams, Cheshire.

1882

State Officer:

Charles E. Searls, Thompson,
Secretary.

Representatives:

Samuel W. Bradley, Canaan.
George H. Clark, Hartland.
Thomas O. Elliott, Pomfret.
Lucius H. Fuller, Putnam.
John A. Haling, Marlborough.
James T. Hubbell, Wilton.
James Lawton, Middletown.
George W. Mellow, Mansfield.
Charles H. Owen, Manchester.
J. Frank Pratt, Southington.
A. Heaton Robertson, New Haven.
E. Buel Root, West Hartford.
Howard W. Taylor, Danbury.
Asahel J. Wright, Killingly.
William A. Wright, Branford.

1883

State Officer:

Thomas M. Waller, New London,
Governor.

Representatives:

Charles J. Abel, Lebanon.
Fredus M. Case, Windsor.
George G. Durant, Bethel.
James T. Hubbell, Wilton.
Daniel N. Morgan, Bridgeport.
John S. Perkins, Salisbury.
J. Frank Pratt, Southington.
George P. Savage, Cromwell.
N. Douglas Sevin, Norwich.
Henry G. Viets, Branby.
John T. Walsh, Middletown.
William A. Wright, Branford.

1884

State Officer:

Thomas M. Waller, New London,
Governor.

Representatives:

Thomas B. Atwater, Southington.
Anson W. Bristol, Canton.
Alfred U. Charter, Ellington.
John Coats, Windsor Locks.
Aquila H. Condell, Plainville.
Lorenzo D. Converse, Somers.
Henry Fields, Newington.
Judson E. Francis, Durham.
William H. Golden, Meriden.
George O. Higby, Meriden.
Samuel B. Horne, Winchester.
Clinton T. Inslee, East Windsor.
Albert G. Kneeland, Lebanon.
Oscar A. Leonard, Tolland.
Wesley A. Miller, Hartland.
John W. Norton, Guilford.
Orrin W. Oles, Colebrook.
Sherman Sanford, Farmington.
Albert N. Stillman, Hartland.
Frank H. Thomson, Bethlehem.
Irvin N. Tibbals, Chatham.
J. Herman Tubbs, Old Lyme.

1885

Senators:

William H. Golden, Meriden.
Daniel N. Morgan, Bridgeport.
A. Heaton Robertson, New Haven.

Representatives:

Samuel W. Bradley, Canaan.
Thomas P. Bristol, Brookfield.
Irving W. Charter, East Haddam.
Albert B. Dibble, Wetsbrook.
George W. Harris, Wethersfield.
Edward S. Hawley, Huntington.
Clinton T. Inslee, East Windsor.
Charles M. Joslyn, Hartford.
Charles N. Loomis, Bolton.
Charles Phelps, Vernon.

Mayo S. Purple, Chatham.
Levi M. Reed, Union.
Frederick H. Thomson, Bethlehem.
Robert C. Usher, Plainville.
Olin Wheeler, South Windsor.

1886

Senators:

William H. Golden, Meriden.
Daniel N. Morgan, Bridgeport.
A. Heaton Robertson, New Haven.

Representatives:

G. C. Beckwith, New Hartford.
Charles E. Blodgett, Portland.
Frederick J. Booth, Easton.
Hart E. Buell, Hebron.
Wheeler M. Case, Simsbury.
Sheldon L. Catlin, Harwinton.
Michael Connery, Redding.
Charles W. Hodge, Roxbury.
Thomas H. Kehoe, New Britain.
Charles F. Lincoln, Andover.
William J. Munson, Watertown.
Gilbert T. Nettleton, Durham.
George F. Pardee, Cheshire.
Edgar L. Pond, Plymouth.
Willis F. Robinson, Branford.
Henry B. Russell, Southbury.
Charles E. Searls, Thompson.
Arthur J. Silliman, East Haddam.
John H. Smart, East Windsor.
Grove J. Tuttle, East Haven.
Edgar G. Wallace, Prospect.
Hubert E. Warner, Hamden.
John L. Wilson, Suffield.

1887

Representatives:

John M. Allen, Woodstock.
Richard W. Bacon, Washington.
Edwin R. Brown, Cheshire.
Owen E. Case, Barkhamsted.
Wallace Case, Barkhamsted.
John Clarke, Lebanon.
William H. Cowles, Southington.
John A. Deming, Colebrook.
Martin V. B. Dunham, Fairfield.
Frank D. Fenton, Mansfield.
William Foulds, Manchester.
Vine R. Franklin, Brooklyn.
D. Lynsted Gates, East Lyme.
Henry Grant, South Windsor.
William Green, Bethel.
John C. Hawkins, Griswold.
Edward S. Hawley, Huntington.
Henry E. Hinman, Harwinton.
Hiram Hurlburt, West Hartford.
Clinton T. Inslee, East Windsor.
Thomas H. Kehoe, New Britain.
Dietrich E. Loewe, Danbury.
Alfred E. Phelps, Glastonbury.
Oliver A. Raymond, East Haddam.
John A. Reeve, Burlington.

Wilson C. Reynolds, East Haddam.
Edwin G. Smith, Chester.
Charles O. Thompson, Pomfret.
George W. Tingley, Stonington.
J. Eugene Tucker, Columbia.
Gideon H. Welch, Torrington.

1889

State Officer:

Morgan G. Bulkeley, Hartford,
Governor.

Senators:

Joseph N. Cowles, Norfolk.
Lucius H. Fuller, Putnam.
William B. Sprague, Andover.

Representatives:

Sessions L. Adams, Plainfield.
Arthur P. Atwood, Norfolk.
Wallace K. Bacon, Middletown.
Samuel J. Bryant, Orange.
Frank T. Buell, Clinton.
Eugene W. Chaffee, East Haddam.
J. Carl Converse, Stafford.
Daniel P. Cooley, Granby.
Willard A. Cowles, Torrington.
Theophilus Eaton, North Haven.
Wallace T. Fenn, Wethersfield.
Myron Heck, Union.
Albert E. Holcomb, Windsor.
Frederick W. Holden, Derby.
Herman W. Huke, Torrington.
Olin E. Hunt, Bolton.
Andrew F. Jones, New Canaan.
John N. Lewis, Voluntown.
Noble E. Lord, Hebron.
Frank C. Lummis, Chaplin.
Harry T. Miner, Vernon.
Charles S. Munger, Essex.
George B. Munger, Madison.
Thomas W. O'Keefe, Middletown.
Steven T. Palmer, Huntington.
William A. Parsons, Durham.
John H. Perry, Fairfield.
Frederick A. Pinney, Bloomfield.
Edwin M. Ripley, Farmington.
Edward S. Roberts, North Canaan.
Henry F. Tracy, Enfield.
Edson A. Welch, Windsor.
Samuel P. Willard, Colchester.
Isaac Wolf, New Haven.

1891

State Officer:

Morgan G. Bulkeley, Hartford,
Governor.

Senators:

Frederick W. Holden, Ansonia.
Noble E. Pierce, Bristol.

Representatives:

Wilbert N. Austin, Plymouth.
Heman O. Averill, Washington.
Thomas F. Bradley, Newtown.
William A. Braun, Danbury.
Wilbur A. Brothwell, Chester.
Frank T. Buell, Clinton.
George W. Buell, Marlborough.
Alonzo W. Burns, Milford.
John B. Cannon, Suffield.
Henry Clapp, Hampton.
Andrew T. J. Clarke, Canterbury.
Charles Coffey, Granby.
Edwin J. Crandall, Tolland.
William Crane, Ellington.
John A. Deming, Colebrook.
Theophilus Eaton, North Haven.
Thomas O. Elliott, Pomfret.
Walter Fitzmaurice, New London.
William A. Foster, East Granby.
Henry F. Gibson, Woodbury.
Andrew M. Grant, Mansfield.
William H. Hill, Redding.
Edmund A. Hoskins, Simsbury.
Edgar G. Jennings, Easton.
Andrew F. Jones, New Canaan.
Isaac S. Knapp, New Fairfield.
John N. Lewis, Voluntown.
E. Newton Loveland, Wethersfield.
David B. Mansfield, Harwinton.
Adrian J. Muzzy, Bristol.
John L. Saxe, Waterbury.
Charles H. Smith, Groton.
John N. Walbridge, Tolland.

1893

Senators:

Charles F. Brooker, Torrington.
Charles Coffey, Granby.
Marcus H. Holcomb, Southington.
Frederick W. Holden, Ansonia.
Daniel N. Morgan, Bridgeport.
Charles Phelps, Vernon.
Noble E. Pierce, Bristol.

Representatives:

Miles H. Aborn, Ellington.
Leslie E. Adams, Wethersfield.
William C. Barhite, Ridgefield.
J. Ely Beebe, Lyme.
Lucius W. Bigelow, Simsbury.
Charles S. Birge, Harwinton.
Minor Blackman, Prospect.
William A. Braun, Danbury.
John C. Brinsmade, Washington.
Wilbur A. Brothwell, Chester.
Lewis O. Catlin, Harwinton.
George F. Chapin, Enfield.
Chester H. Clark, Durham.
Luman C. Colt, Winchester.
E. Herbert Cortis, Thompson.
Sidney W. Crofut, Killingly.
Timothy M. Crowley, Meriden.
Thomas E. Duncan, Windsor.

Thomas O. Elliott, Pomfret.
 Walter Fitzmaurice, New London.
 Carl A. Green, Granby.
 William H. Hall, Willington.
 Owen R. Havens, Rocky Hill.
 Oliver A. Hiscox, Woodstock.
 Charles E. House, Manchester.
 Charles K. Hunt, Winchester.
 George L. James, Mansfield.
 Andrew F. Jones, New Canaan.
 Edwin O. Keeler, Norwalk.
 George Keeler, Cheshire.
 Isaac S. Knapp, New Fairfield.
 G. Philip Lecrenier, East Haddam.
 E. Newton Loveland, Wethersfield.
 George R. McKenna, Stonington.
 Joseph Pierpont, North Haven.
 William S. Randall, Huntington.
 Homer E. Remington, Windham.
 John L. Saxe, Waterbury.
 Henry A. Spafard, Hebron.
 Edw. P. Spencer, New Hartford.
 William B. Stoddard, Milford.
 Dwight B. Tiffany, Winchester.
 Frank H. Tillinghast, Plainfield.
 Grove J. Tuttle, East Haven.
 Horace J. Ward, Winchester.
 Frank L. Wilcox, Berlin.

1895

Senators :

Heman O. Averill, Washington.
 Charles Coffey, Granby.
 Johnson D. Dayton, Derby.
 Edward E. Fuller, Tolland.

Representatives :

Charles L. Backus, Andover.
 George O. Balch, Ashford.
 Andrew J. Bowen, Windham.
 Edward H. Brockett, Simsbury.
 Conrad Buckingham, Fairfield.
 H. Hopkins Catlin, Harwinton.
 William C. Cheney, Manchester.
 Andrew M. Clark, Cornwall.
 Charles H. Clark, Southington.
 J. Carl Converse, Stafford.
 E. Herbert Corttis, Thompson.
 Enock A. Douglas, Sterling.
 William F. Downer, Hamden.
 John A. DuBon, Windsor.
 Robert O. Eaton, North Haven.
 Charles F. Froidevaux, Avon.
 Merritt E. Gallup, Ashford.
 Charles C. Georgia, Farmington.
 Charles O. Gillette, Haddam.
 Elizur S. Goodrich, Wethersfield.
 Charles W. Granniss, East Haven.
 Charles A. Gray, Ledyard.
 George H. Hall, Bristol.
 William H. Hall, Willington.
 Edbert D. Hammond, Cromwell.
 Hiram E. Hodge, Marlborough.
 George C. Hopkins, Warren.
 Henry C. Hull, Clinton.

Silas E. Jeralds, Cheshire.
 George T. Johnson, Norfolk.
 Andrew F. Jones, New Canaan.
 Edwin O. Keeler, Norwalk.
 Charles Keller, Bridgeport.
 Samuel C. Kingman, Washington.
 Perkins L. Lathrop, Coventry.
 John P. Lewis, Farmington.
 Josiah J. Linsley, North Branford.
 Everett E. Lord, Killingworth.
 Appleton Main, Preston.
 Lyman A. Mills, Middlefield.
 David M. Mitchell, Southbury.
 William H. Newton, Wallingford.
 George W. Ogden, Wilton.
 Carlton E. Osborn, Hartland.
 Benjamin Page, Meriden.
 Francis H. Robbins, Wethersfield.
 Alberto T. Roraback, No. Canaan.
 Willard A. Roraback, Torrington.
 George W. Rouse, Voluntown.
 Jesse W. Ruick, Granby.
 Elford C. Russell, Orange.
 Gould A. Shelton, Huntington.
 Charles H. Smith, Groton.
 David L. Somers, Woodbury.
 George L. Talmadge, Prospect.
 Andrew Turnbull, New Britain.
 James P. Vaill, Goshen.
 Lawrence VanAlstyne, Sharon.
 Fred O. Vinton, Mansfield.
 Edgar M. Warner, Putnam.
 William J. Warner, Hebron.
 Charles J. Welch, Windsor.
 Francis H. Whiton, Manchester.
 Frederick W. Yutzler, Cornwall.

1897

State Officer :

Charles Phelps, Vernon, Secretary.

Senators :

J. Carl Converse, Stafford.
 Elizur S. Goodrich, Wethersfield.
 Edwin O. Keeler, Norwalk.
 John N. Lewis, Voluntown.
 Charles G. R. Vinal, Middletown.

Representatives :

Henry E. Baldwin, Woodbridge.
 Willard V. Barber, Torrington.
 John H. Barnes, Norwich.
 Ralph Beers, North Branford.
 Charles S. Bradley, Branford.
 D. Luther Briggs, Middletown.
 Edgar B. Case, Hartland.
 Anson B. Clinton, North Haven.
 John H. Fish, Newington.
 Charles B. Frisbie, Cromwell.
 William G. Gallagher, Meriden.
 Robert A. Griffing, Hartford.
 Robert S. Griswold, Wethersfield.
 George H. Hall, Bristol.
 William H. Hall, Willington.

Robert J. Holmes, Avon.
 Henry C. Hull, Clinton.
 Joseph G. Hyatt, Westport.
 Charles S. Hyde, Brooklyn.
 James H. Hyde, Franklin.
 Edson B. Lockwood, Watertown.
 Albert H. Lyman, Andover.
 David B. Mansfield, Harwinton.
 E. Judson Miner, Bozrah.
 Asahel W. Mitchell, Woodbury.
 Herbert J. Moss, Cheshire.
 Adrian J. Muzzy, Bristol.
 Charles J. Parker, New Britain.
 Alexander T. Pattison, Simsbury.
 Charles S. Peck, Danbury.
 Charles H. Ricketts, Somers.
 Alberto T. Roraback, Canaan.
 Henry T. Sellew, Chatham.
 Charles F. Shepard, Chatham.
 Leander H. Snow, Eastford.
 Lester C. Strong, Winchester.
 Stephen A. Talmadge, Prospect.
 Charles A. Thompson, Ellington.
 Charles O. Tryon, Glastonbury.
 Howard N. Wakeman, Fairfield.
 Charles D. Way, Hebron.
 Morris C. Webster, New Britain.
 Francis H. Whiton, Manchester.
 Walter L. Wilder, Canton.

1899

State Officers:

Lyman A. Mills, Middlefield, Lieutenant-Governor.
 Charles Phelps, Vernon, Attorney-General.

Senators:

John H. Barnes, Norwich.
 Elizur S. Goodrich, Wethersfield.
 William H. Hall, Willington.
 Edwin O. Keeler, Norwalk.
 Asahel W. Mitchell, Woodbury.
 Adrian J. Muzzy, Bristol.
 Charles G. R. Vinal, Middletown.
 Gideon H. Welch, Torrington.

Representatives:

Wilbert N. Austin, Plymouth.
 John H. Belden, Canaan.
 Charles S. Bradley, Branford.
 Ezra Briggs, Voluntown.
 Elliott B. Bronson, Winchester.
 George S. Carey, Scotland.
 William B. Carey, No. Stonington.
 Samuel H. Case, Barkhamsted.
 George E. Churchill, Newington.
 Charles H. Clark, Southington.
 Charles S. Curtiss, Woodbury.
 Homer P. Deming, Colebrook.
 John O. Enders, West Hartford.
 Alfred N. Filley, Bloomfield.
 James S. Forbes, East Hartford.

Harrison B. Freeman, Hartford.
 David N. Gaines, Hartland.
 Winslow B. Gallup, Chaplin.
 Charles C. Godfrey, Bridgeport.
 Andrew Gordon, Enfield.
 Albert A. Gorham, Redding.
 E. Morton Granger, East Windsor.
 Charles W. Grannis, East Haven.
 Robert W. Green, Brookfield.
 George A. Harmon, Suffield.
 Charles R. Hathaway, Manchester.
 Edwin W. Higgins, Norwich.
 Frederick A. Hunt, Columbia.
 Luther J. Leavitt, Woodstock.
 John H. Light, Norwalk.
 William E. Luke, Danbury.
 Edward H. McCall, Lebanon.
 Wilbur S. Miller, Hartland.
 Herbert J. Mills, Bristol.
 Robert C. Mitchell, Southbury.
 Dwight F. Newton, Granby.
 D. Walter Patten, North Haven.
 Almon B. Phelps, East Granby.
 Frank R. Post, Hebron.
 Gilbert S. Raymond, Preston.
 Fayette W. Rossiter, Guilford.
 Powell G. Seeley, Washington.
 Andrew Slater, Farmington.
 Llewellyn P. Smith, Lebanon.
 Charles S. Spaulding, Cheshire.
 Albert A. Stone, Watertown.
 Edwin O. Sumner, Eastford.
 Charles A. Thompson, Ellington.
 Fred H. Thompson, Bethlehem.
 Francis L. Upham, Union.
 Fred O. Vinton, Mansfield.
 J. Raymond Warren, Lyme.
 Z. Silas Wellman, Clinton.
 George A. Williams, Killingly.
 William R. Wood, South Windsor.
 James P. Woodruff, Litchfield.
 Fayette L. Wright, Pomfret.

1901

State Officers:

Henry H. Gallup, Norwich, Treasurer.
 Edwin O. Keeler, Norwalk, Lieutenant-Governor.
 Charles Phelps, Vernon, Attorney-General.
 Charles G. R. Vinal, Middletown, Secretary.

Senators:

Wilbur A. Brothwell, Chester.
 Elizur S. Goodrich, Wethersfield.
 Andrew Gordon, Enfield.
 Edgar L. Pond, Plymouth.
 Charles A. Thompson, Ellington.
 Fayette L. Wright, Pomfret.

Representatives :

Charles G. Allyn, Hebron.
 Charles W. Bates, East Granby.
 John H. Belden, Canaan.
 George E. Bicknell, Meriden.
 Harvey P. Bissell, Ridgefield.
 William J. Brew, Newtown.
 Charles R. Buell, Columbia.
 John P. Callahan, Branford.
 Levi N. Clark, Canterbury.
 Charles J. Conrad, Huntington.
 Charles C. Cook, West Hartford.
 Willis Covell, Pomfret.
 S. Hart Culver, Seymour.
 Henry H. Davenport, Pomfret.
 Charles H. Dawley, Colchester.
 John A. Foster, Stafford.
 Harrison B. Freeman, Hartford.
 Francis L. Griswold, Somers.
 William H. Hall, Simsbury.
 Edward P. Hazard, Sharon.
 William H. Hill, Redding.
 Floyd F. Hitchcock, Woodbury.
 Samuel V. Hubbard, Cromwell.
 Arthur E. Humphrey, Simsbury.
 Frederick G. Humphrey, Canton.
 Oliver C. Jennings, Fairfield.
 George C. Kellogg, New Hartford.
 Ned E. Kendall, Granby.
 Albert B. Landon, Salisbury.
 Henry Lee, Bridgeport.
 Charles N. LeGeyt, Barkhamsted.
 John H. Light, Norwalk.
 Howard A. Middleton, E. Windsor.
 Benjamin I. Miller, Avon.
 Frank W. Morey, Ashford.
 Alson G. Morris, Goshen.
 George F. Morris, Woodbury.
 William O'Connor, Norfolk.
 Charles Page, North Branford.
 Arthur E. Parmelee, Killingworth.
 Halsey B. Philbrick, Hartford.
 Azel R. Race, Franklin.
 Joel H. Reed, Stafford.
 Frank Roberts, East Hartford.
 William B. Roe, Brookfield.
 Eugene A. Rogers, Barkhamsted.
 T. Macdonough Russell, Middlet'n.
 Sherman Sanford, Farmington.
 Robert Scoville, Salisbury.
 Leslie C. Seymour, Windsor Locks.
 Andrew N. Shepard, Portland.
 Frederick A. Stoddard, Litchfield.
 E. Irving Stone, Bethlehem.
 William H. Taylor, Putnam.
 Henry E. Terrell, Cheshire.
 Rollin U. Tyler, Haddam.
 Edgar G. Wallace, Prospect.
 James F. Walsh, Greenwich.
 George N. Webster, Burlington.
 Stephen F. Willard, Wethersfield.
 Henry H. Willes, Vernon.
 Robert J. Woodruff, Orange.

1902

(Constitutional Convention.)

Officers :

John H. Perry, Fairfield, Vice-President.
 Thomas M. Waller, New London, Vice-President.

Delegates :

William I. Allyn, Ledyard.
 John H. Belden, Canaan.
 John C. Brinsmade, Washington.
 Wilbur A. Brothwell, Chester.
 Percy S. Bryant, East Hartford.
 Samuel J. Bryant, Orange.
 George E. Churchill, Newington.
 Levi N. Clark, Canterbury.
 Edward S. Coe, Cromwell.
 William A. Collins, Columbia.
 Thomas O. Elliott, Pomfret.
 Henry M. Evans, Brooklyn.
 E. Byron Gallup, Voluntown.
 William H. Hall, Willington.
 Wm. H. Hall, West Hartford.
 Marcus H. Holcomb, Southington.
 Robert J. Holmes, Avon.
 Mayro Keeney, Somers.
 George S. Kirby, Sharon.
 Freder'k L'Hommedieu, Saybrook.
 H. Wales Lines, Meriden.
 Howard A. Middleton, E. Windsor.
 Noble E. Pierce, Bristol.
 Henry B. Russell, Southbury.
 Jonathan B. Sanford, Redding.
 Gerald Waldo, Scotland.
 Howard H. Woodman, Bethel.

1903

State Officers :

Henry H. Gallup, Norwich, Treasurer.
 Charles G. R. Vinal, Middletown, Secretary.

Senators :

Nelson J. Ayling, Norwich.
 William P. Bailey, Bethel.
 Charles C. Cook, West Hartford.
 Thomas F. Noone, Vernon.
 Charles Page, North Branford.
 Alexander T. Pattison, Simsbury.
 James F. Walsh, Greenwich.
 Frank L. Wilcox, Berlin.
 Rollin S. Woodruff, New Haven.

Representatives :

Thomas P. Aitkin, Manchester.
 Alexander Arnott, Manchester.
 William C. Backus, Windham.
 Frank H. Baker, Stafford.
 Henry L. Beach, Bristol.
 Alfred S. Bennett, Cheshire.
 George E. Bicknell, Meriden.

Elliott L. Bidwell, Saybrook.
 Frank E. Blakeman, Stratford.
 George H. Bradford, Montville.
 John Bransfield, Portland.
 Charles S. Briggs, Lebanon.
 Theodore L. Bristol, Ansonia.
 Lee L. Brockway, Lyme.
 David A. Brown, Tolland.
 Elton W. Buell, Hebron.
 Edgar D. Bunnell, Hartland.
 Orville B. Burton, Trumbull.
 Owen E. Case, Barkhamsted.
 Minotte E. Chatfield, New Haven.
 J. Howell Conklin, Chatham.
 Wallace Dann, Norwalk.
 Frank Driggs, Barkhamsted.
 Fred B. Eaton, Mansfield.
 James H. Elliott, Harwinton.
 Joseph H. Elliott, Pomfret.
 Henry M. Evans, Brooklyn.
 Charles T. Gregory, Wilton.
 Charles C. Harris, Wethersfield.
 Floyd F. Hitchcock, Woodbury.
 William Hohbein, Burlington.
 Arthur W. Howard, Wethersfield.
 Edward L. Hutchinson, Andover.
 Charles S. Hyde, Canterbury.
 Fessenden L. Ives, Goshen.
 Stephen E. Jennings, Saybrook.
 Mayro Keeney, Somers.
 George S. Kirby, Sharon.
 Henry N. LeFebvre, Avon.
 Albert B. Landon, Salisbury.
 James N. Loomis, Granby.
 James R. Mead, Greenwich.
 Isaac F. Miles, New Britain.
 John B. Parker, Windsor.
 Lovel D. Parmelee, Killingworth.
 Edward H. Persons, Winchester.
 David N. Porter, Thompson.
 Henry J. Potter, Woodstock.
 Edward L. Reidy, Winchester.
 George H. Robertson, Coventry.
 Alva F. Sayles, Sterling.
 Geo. F. Scarborough, W. Hartford.
 Robert Scoville, Salisbury.
 Leslie C. Seymour, Windsor Locks.
 J. Arthur Sherwood, Easton.
 Edwin T. Smith, Hebron.
 George W. Smith, Milford.
 Irving N. Tibbals, East Haddam.
 William H. Wakelee, Southbury.
 J. Raymond Warren, Lyme.
 Albert B. Wells, Granby.
 E. Stanley Wells, Newington.
 Andrew G. Williams, Pomfret.
 James P. Woodruff, Litchfield.

Asahel W. Mitchell, Woodbury,
 Comptroller.
 James F. Walsh, Greenwich, Treas-
 urer.
 Rollin S. Woodruff, New Haven,
 Lieutenant-Governor.

Senators :

William P. Bailey, Bethel.
 Frank H. Baker, Stafford.
 George E. Bicknell, Meriden.
 Minotte E. Chatfield, New Haven.
 Patrick McGovern, Hartford.
 Alexander T. Pattison, Simsbury.
 Finton J. Phelan, Waterbury.
 John F. Shanley, New Haven.

Representatives :

Howard O. Allen, East Windsor.
 William I. Allyn, Ledyard.
 Arthur A. Bailey, Windsor.
 Alfred S. Bennett, Cheshire.
 Daniel D. Bidwell, East Hartford.
 Frank B. Bishop, Madison.
 William S. Bishop, Andover.
 Alfred L. Burdick, Westbrook.
 John A. Chappuis, Warren.
 Frank Cheney, Jr., Manchester.
 Charles H. Clark, Southington.
 Walter H. Clark, Hartford.
 Francis M. Coe, Litchfield.
 Elbert M. Cushman, Granby.
 Frank W. Dakin, Sharon.
 Frank O. Davis, Pomfret.
 Everard W. Day, Chatham.
 James H. Day, Old Saybrook.
 Jerome A. Downs, Bethany.
 Thomas O. Elliott, Pomfret.
 John O. Fox, Putnam.
 Charles F. Froidevaux, Avon.
 Frank W. Fuller, Marlborough.
 Olin E. Gibbs, Norfolk.
 Edward D. Gillette, Easton.
 E. Samuel Gillette, Burlington.
 Robert W. Green, Brookfield.
 Arthur H. Griswold, Wethersfield.
 Charles A. Griswold, W. Hartford.
 William H. Hall, Willington.
 Owen R. Havens, Rocky Hill.
 William L. Higgins, Coventry.
 William H. Hill, Redding.
 Marcus H. Holcomb, Southington.
 Ward G. Holman, Eastford.
 C. Albert Honold, Barkhamsted.
 Ernest T. Huke, Torrington.
 Arthur J. Hull, Monroe.
 Joseph G. Hyatt, Westport.
 Charles S. Hyde, Canterbury.
 Milton C. Isabel, Ansonia.
 Elmer Jackson, Wilton.
 Mayro Keeney, Somers.
 Frank J. Kilborn, Washington.
 Edward W. Kneen, Huntington.

1905

State Officers :

Theodore Bodenwein, New Lon-
 don, Secretary.

John M. Larned, Stafford.
 Henry Lee, Bridgeport.
 Mortimer M. Lee, Norwalk.
 Frederick L. Lehr, New Haven.
 Samuel D. Loper, Sharon.
 James Lowry, Brooklyn.
 William Marvin, Lyme.
 E. Allen Moore, New Britain.
 Angus Park, Sprague.
 Freeman F. Patten, Stafford.
 James A. Perry, Milford.
 Marvin Pierce, Harwinton.
 David N. Porter, Thompson.
 Hubert F. Potter, North Haven.
 Levi M. Reed, Union.
 Edward L. Reidy, Winchester.
 Albert C. Roberts, Salisbury.
 William C. Robinson, Columbia.
 George L. Rockwell, Ridgefield.
 Frederick H. Rolf, Guilford.
 Frederick A. Scott, Plymouth.
 C. C. Shannon, Bridgewater.
 George W. Smith, Milford.
 Calvin A. Snyder, No. Stonington.
 Royal K. Southwick, Cornwall.
 Correll A. Spencer, New Hartford.
 Adelbert H. Stevens, Killingworth.
 Lewellyn J. Storrs, Mansfield.
 Marvin H. Tanner, Winchester.
 Robert C. Usher, Plainville.
 Charles F. Wanger, Salisbury.
 Eugene Ward, Roxbury.
 C. Daniel Way, Hebron.
 William H. Webster, Berlin.

1907

State Officers:

Theodore Bodenwein, New London, Secretary.
 Marcus H. Holcomb, Southington, Attorney-General.
 Freeman F. Patten, Stafford, Treasurer.
 Rollin S. Woodruff, New Haven, Governor.

Senators:

Francis Atwater, Meriden.
 Dennis A. Blakeslee, New Haven.
 John M. Brady, New Britain.
 D. Luther Briggs, Middletown.
 Irving H. Chase, Waterbury.
 Ralph M. Grant, South Windsor.
 George H. Hall, Bristol.
 Mayro Keeney, Somers.
 Patrick McGovern, Hartford.
 Howard A. Middleton, E. Windsor.
 Henry J. Potter, Woodstock.
 John F. Shanley, New Haven.
 Andrew N. Shepard, Portland.
 James F. Walsh, Greenwich.

Representatives:

William I. Allen, Ledyard.
 Joseph W. Alsop, Avon.
 Miles W. Aspinwall, Washington.
 Irwin C. Atchison, Sherman.
 Arthur A. Bailey, Windsor.
 Carlton J. Bates, Chester.
 C. Edward Beach, W. Hartford.
 Frederick A. Beckwith, East Lyme.
 Arthur E. Bidwell, Glastonbury.
 Daniel D. Bidwell, East Hartford.
 Arthur J. Birdseye, Farmington.
 Stephen F. Boucher, Bridgeport.
 Benjamin B. Broadbent, Hamden.
 Frederick O. Brown, Lebanon.
 H. Beecher Brown, Plainfield.
 John Brown, Orange.
 Charles D. Burnes, Greenwich.
 Selah A. Burnham, Andover.
 Herbert Case, Barkhamsted.
 Eugene D. Caulkins, Old Lyme.
 Frank Cheney, Jr., Manchester.
 George H. Clark, East Granby.
 George T. Clark, Beacon Falls.
 Thomas Clark, Ansonia.
 Hewitt Coburn, Jr., Manchester.
 Herbert R. Coffin, Windsor Locks.
 Alvin F. Collins, East Hampton.
 Michael Connerly, Redding.
 Tyler Cruttenden, Norwich.
 S. Hart Culver, Seymour.
 Martin J. Cunningham, Danbury.
 Frank O. Davis, Pomfret.
 Chauncey Dickinson, Haddam.
 E. Hart Fenn, Wethersfield.
 Edward A. Fuller, Suffield.
 John W. Gallup, Killingly.
 Henry F. Gibson, Woodbury.
 Edward D. Gillette, Easton.
 Arthur G. Gordon, Enfield.
 George E. Green, Berlin.
 Arthur G. Griffin, East Haddam.
 William L. Higgins, Coventry.
 Charles M. Hotchkiss, Cheshire.
 Arthur J. Hull, Monroe.
 Frederick A. Jewell, N. Hartford.
 Raymond J. Jodoin, Sprague.
 Walter I. Kellogg, Canaan.
 Frank J. Kinney, Branford.
 Frederick P. Latimer, Groton.
 Frederick L. Lehr, New Haven.
 William J. Lord, Stonington.
 William A. Lyman, Columbia.
 Marcus D. Marks, North Haven.
 William Marvin, Lyme.
 William R. May, Pomfret.
 Edward H. Middlebrook, Sharon.
 Frank W. Morey, Ashford.
 Frederick Morton, Rocky Hill.
 Francis I. Nettleton, Huntington.
 Thomas F. Noone, Vernon.
 Frederick D. North, East Windsor.
 Lovel D. Parmelee, Killingworth.

James A. Perry, Milford.
 Samuel G. Redshaw, Ansonia.
 Charles H. Rogers, East Haddam.
 Elijah Rogers, Southington.
 Asa M. Ross, Thompson.
 B. Sturges Selleck, Ridgefield.
 Calvin A. Snyder, No. Stonington.
 Albert W. Stokes, Westbrook.
 Albert E. Sumner, Mansfield.
 Nathan A. Tuttle, Torrington.
 Charles W. Vibert, South Windsor.
 J. Raymond Warren, Lyme.
 Burton M. Welch, Chaplin.
 John T. Welles, Wethersfield.
 Lucius E. Whiton, New London.
 Arthur D. Williams, Middletown.
 James S. Williams, Glastonbury.
 John P. Winchell, Cornwall.
 William H. Wilson, Harwinton.
 Watson S. Woodruff, Orange.

1909.

State Officers:

Marcus H. Holcomb, Southington,
 Attorney-General
 Freeman F. Patten, Stafford,
 Treasurer
 Frank B. Weeks, Middletown,
 Lieutenant-Governor, and Govern-
 or

Senators:

Albert N. Abbe, New Britain.
 William I. Allyn, Ledyard.
 Joseph W. Alsop, Avon.
 Dennis A. Blakeslee, New Haven.
 George H. Bradford, Montville.
 Samuel S. Chamberlin, Hartford.
 Irving H. Chase, Waterbury.
 John H. Courtney, New Haven.
 James H. Day, Old Saybrook.
 E. Hart Fenn, Wethersfield.
 William L. Higgins, Coventry.
 Philip L. Holzer, Bridgeport.
 Frederick P. Latimer, Groton.
 Luzerne Ludington, New Haven.
 John F. Shanley, New Haven.
 Moses W. Manwaring, Bridgeport.
 Howard A. Middleton, E. Windsor.
 Charles S. Peck, Danbury.
 Charles E. Searls, Thompson.

Representatives:

Charles G. Agard, Torrington.
 Frank Arrigoni, Durham.
 George H. Atkins, Torrington.
 Edward Baker, Canterbury.
 Frederic A. Bartlett, Bridgeport.
 W. M. Beckwith, New Hartford.
 Elmer E. Bennett, Canterbury.
 Andrew S. Bidwell, E. Hartford.
 John H. Blakeslee, North Haven.
 William H. Bliss, Columbia.

Benjamin R. Briggs, Plainfield.
 John C. Brinsmade, Washington.
 Burton N. Bristol, Canton.
 William F. Broughton, Stonington.
 William Brownlee, Willington.
 John Buckley, Union.
 Leon L. Buell, Marlborough.
 William Bulkeley, Berlin.
 Edward T. Bunyan, Colchester.
 Harry M. Burke, Manchester.
 Charles D. Burnes, Greenwich.
 Charles E. Burnham, Hampton.
 Alexander F. Carey, Southington.
 Geo. M. Carrington, Winchester.
 Fred S. Chamberlain, New Britain.
 Fayette C. Clark, Bridgeport.
 Leon A. Coe, Barkhamsted.
 Herbert R. Coffin, Windsor Locks.
 Frederick M. Colton, Granby.
 Michael Connery, Redding.
 S. Hart Culver, Seymour.
 Hobart H. Curtis, Newtown.
 John A. Dady, Putnam.
 Carl F. Dean, Glastonbury.
 Charles J. Dewey, South Windsor.
 William H. Dewey, Granby.
 George A. Dickinson, Haddam.
 William H. Dougal, Washington.
 Augustine C. Feley, Hartland.
 John H. Fish, Newington.
 Edward A. Fuller, Suffield.
 Edward E. Fuller, Tolland.
 Edward E. Foote, Hebron.
 John A. Frink, Sterling.
 George H. Gabb, Bloomfield.
 Washington I. Gadbois, E. Lyme.
 William H. Goddard, Wallingford.
 William G. Griswold, Wethersfield.
 William S. Griswold, W. Hartford.
 John S. Hall, Lyme.
 William H. Hall, Willington.
 Walter S. Hastings, Windsor.
 C. Robert Hatheway, Windsor.
 Marcus E. Helmi, East Windsor.
 Richard T. Higgins, Winchester.
 Henry S. Hitchcock, Woodbury.
 Dan D. Home, Montville.
 Louis W. Howe, Glastonbury.
 Horace W. Hubbard, Cromwell.
 Walter D. Humphrey, Roxbury.
 Frederick W. Huxford, Stamford.
 Raymond J. Jodoin, Sprague.
 William C. Johnson, Newtown.
 Edwin H. Keach, Killingly.
 Edward A. Kelsey, Clinton.
 Edward E. King, East Hartford.
 Isaac S. Knapp, New Fairfield.
 Henry F. Kyle, Bethel.
 Urgele Lafrance, Plainfield.
 Isaac G. Larkin, Lebanon.
 Perkins L. Lathrop, Coventry.
 Frank V. A. Loucks, Cornwall.
 James Lowry, Brooklyn.
 Robert V. Magee, Watertown.

Joseph McKachnie, Putnam.
 Arthur W. Marsden, Madison.
 Joseph M. Metcalf, Tolland.
 Charles Mueller, New Britain.
 William A. Nelson, Ansonia.
 Lewis G. Northrup, Bridgewater.
 George W. Ogden, Wilton.
 Francis H. Parker, Hartford.
 Arthur E. Parmelee, Killingworth.
 Simeon Pease, Fairfield.
 Henry A. Post, Westbrook.
 John H. Reynolds, Coventry.
 Henry B. Russell, Southbury.
 Frederick A. Scott, Plymouth.
 Gould A. Shelton, Huntington.
 Robert Sinclair, Monroe.
 Alden C. T. Smith, Chester.
 Charles H. Smith, Groton.
 George F. Smith, Milford.
 John C. Smith, New Hartford.
 Adelbert H. Stevens, Killingworth.
 Frederick A. Stoddard, Litchfield.
 Charles O. Thompson, Pomfret.
 Frank M. Thompson, E. Windsor.
 Ransom B. Tift, Ashford.
 Frank A. Wallace, Wallingford.
 Wilfred V. Warner, Wolcott.
 Jesse H. Wheeler, Easton.
 Louis B. Whitcomb, Andover.
 Lucius E. Whiton, New London.
 Whiting J. Wilcox, Cornwall.

1911

State Officers:

Simeon E. Baldwin, New Haven,
 Governor.
 Dennis A. Blakeslee, New Haven,
 Lieutenant-Governor.
 John H. Light, Norwalk,
 Attorney-General.

Senators:

Joseph W. Alsop, Avon.
 Charles S. Avery, Norwich.
 Arthur A. Bailey, Windsor.
 Frederick A. Bartlett, Bridgeport.
 John C. Brinsmade, Washington.
 Thomas O. Elliott, Pomfret.
 E. Hart Fenn, Wethersfield.
 Charles B. Frisbie, Cromwell.
 Joseph M. Halloran, New Britain.
 Parley B. Leonard, Vernon.
 Arthur W. Marsden, Madison.
 Garry Paddock, Bridgeport.
 Angus Park, Sprague.
 Charles S. Peck, Danbury.
 John F. Shanley, New Haven.
 Frank C. Woodruff, Orange.

Representatives:

Myron R. Abell, Lebanon.
 Hestes W. Alford, Windsor.
 William I. Allyn, Ledyard.

Frank Arrigoni, Durham.
 Arthur P. Atwood, Norfolk.
 Arthur S. Bailey, East Hampton.
 Jacob Beisiegel, Woodbridge.
 Joshua Belden, Newington.
 Elmer E. Bennett, Canterbury.
 Andrew S. Bidwell, East Hartford.
 Arthur E. Bidwell, Glastonbury.
 Frank Blakeslee, Plymouth.
 John H. Blakeslee, North Haven.
 Edward S. Boyd, Woodbury.
 Walter W. Bronson, Washington.
 Eugene W. Bull, Kent.
 William H. Burr, Westport.
 Martin L. Caine, Naugatuck.
 William P. Camp, Durham.
 John H. Candee, Easton.
 Alexander F. Carey, Southington.
 Edmund E. Case, Bloomfield.
 Clifford E. Chapman, East Lyme.
 George S. Clark, Milford.
 Samuel A. Coe, Ridgefield.
 Willis Covell, Pomfret.
 John F. Craney, Norwich.
 Myron E. Crawford, New Canaan.
 William H. Crawford, Stratford.
 Eugene R. Day, Chatham.
 Emery W. Dolittle, Southington.
 Hector Duvert, Putnam.
 Marvin D. Edgerton, Bristol.
 Wallace T. Fenn, Wethersfield.
 Arthur J. Gallagher, Newtown.
 Edward B. Goddard, Granby.
 William H. Goddard, Wallingford.
 Lucius J. Grant, South Windsor.
 Charles N. Hall, New Milford.
 William H. Hall, Willington.
 Frank D. Hallett, Winchester.
 Frederick C. Hoskins, Simsbury.
 Frederick W. Huxford, Stamford.
 Charles S. Hyde, Canterbury.
 James H. Hyde, Franklin.
 William S. Hyde, Manchester.
 Fred C. Hydel, Avon.
 Milton C. Isbell, Ansonia.
 Charles J. Johnson, Thompson.
 Stephen I. Johnson, Ellington.
 William C. Johnson, Newtown.
 Edwin H. Keach, Killingly.
 Amory J. Kebler, Sterling.
 Matthew P. Kelly, Windsor Locks.
 Edward A. Kelsey, Clinton.
 Edward E. King, East Hartford.
 George S. Kirby, Sharon.
 William C. Knowles, Haddam.
 Urgele Lafrance, Plainfield.
 Arthur W. Lamb, Sharon.
 Perkins L. Lathrop, Coventry.
 Herman E. Learned, Lisbon.
 Charles Loucks, Wallingford.
 Frank A. Luhrsen, Tolland.
 Robert V. Magee, Watertown.
 Wilbur S. Miller, Hartland.
 Frederick W. Miner, New Britain.

Monroe E. Mitchell, Canton.
 Charles W. Murphy, Danbury.
 Michael D. O'Connell, Stafford.
 Clayton A. Parmelee, Saybrook.
 Friend J. Peck, Hamden.
 Albert Phillips, Stamford.
 Michael P. Rice, Branford.
 Harry W. Reynolds, East Haddam.
 Edward L. Roberts, North Canaan.
 Frederick A. Scott, Plymouth.
 A. V. W. Sherman, W. Hartford.
 Andrew Slater, Farmington.
 Edward L. Smith, Mansfield.
 J. Warren Stark, Lyme.
 Charles L. Spencer, Suffield.
 William E. Stetson, Andover.
 Claude W. Stevens, Berlin.
 Lewellyn J. Storrs, Mansfield.
 James H. Stuart, Sherman.
 John M. Tatem, Eastford.
 Henry E. Terrell, Cheshire.
 Charles O. Thompson, Pomfret.
 Dwight B. Tiffany, Winchester.
 Daniel F. Tucker, Columbia.
 Charles S. Turner, Chaplin.
 William P. Tyler, Middlebury.
 John N. Walbridge, Tolland.
 Wilfred V. Warner, Wolcott.
 Albert B. Webb, Brooklyn.
 Morris C. Webster, Harwinton.
 Frank M. White, Guilford.
 Lucius E. Whiton, New London.
 James M. Whittelsey, Morris.
 Howard N. Wilcox, Bristol.
 Ray C. Wildman, Brookfield.
 Harry Wood, Tolland

1913

State Officers:

Simeon E. Baldwin, New Haven,
 Governor.
 John H. Light, Norwalk,
 Attorney-General.
 Albert Phillips, Stamford,
 Secretary.
 Edward S. Roberts, North Canaan,
 Treasurer.

Senators:

Charles S. Avery, Norwich.
 William C. Cheney, Manchester.
 Frederick M. Colton, Granby.
 Edwin H. Keach, Killingly.
 Mayro Keeney, Somers.
 John H. Mountain, Middletown.
 Frederick L. Neebe, Meriden.
 John H. Perry, Fairfield.
 John L. Purcell, Hartford.
 Harry W. Reynolds, E. Haddam.
 John F. Shanley, New Haven.
 Claude W. Stevens, Berlin.
 Hanford S. Weed, New Canaan.

Representatives:

Christopher L. Avery, Groton.
 Edward Baker, Canterbury.
 Ransom L. Baldwin, Meriden.
 Walter H. Baldwin, Cheshire.
 Dwight M. Banks, Fairfield.
 Wilson A. Barber, East Windsor.
 Henry M. Betting, Preston.
 Arthur E. Bidwell, Glastonbury.
 Edward S. Boyd, Woodbury.
 Archibald H. Bradley, Burlington.
 William H. Breen, Cornwall.
 Patrick F. Bresnahan, Norfolk.
 Elbert L. Bunnell, Barkhamsted.
 Martin L. Caine, Naugatuck.
 Edward T. Carter, Plainville.
 Lyman P. Case, Winchester.
 Edward J. Carroll, East Hartford.
 George H. Champlin, Columbia.
 Frank W. Chappell, Chaplin.
 John Clancy, Farmington.
 John W. Collins, Washington.
 Clark Congdon, Sterling.
 Frank W. Congdon, Hampton.
 Charles F. Couger, Newtown.
 John F. Craney, Norwich.
 Peter Crona, New Britain.
 Bradford W. Danielson, Plainfield.
 Henry H. Davenport, Pomfret.
 Charles E. Davis, North Haven.
 Homer P. Deming, Colebrook.
 Samuel S. Denton, Ridgefield.
 Junius Z. Douglass, Bristol.
 Horace M. Dunbar, Sharon.
 Kirk W. Dyer, Cromwell.
 Richard B. Eno, Simsbury.
 Ernest L. French, Plainfield.
 Ernest S. Fuller, Somers.
 Merritt E. Gallup, Pomfret.
 Louis A. Gowdy, Somers.
 Fred. A. Griswold, Wethersfield.
 Charles N. Hall, New Milford.
 John S. Hall, Lyme.
 William H. Hall, Willington.
 Alfred W. Hanmer, Wethersfield.
 Robert W. Hayes, Hartland.
 Frank E. Healy, Windsor Locks.
 John J. Hemmeler, Willington.
 Charles W. Hodges, New Canaan.
 Heman J. Holdredge, Stonington.
 Edwin T. Hook, Newtown.
 Collins W. Hudson, East Windsor.
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 Carroll W. Hutchinson, Hebron.
 William S. Hyde, Manchester.
 Elmer Jackson, Wilton.
 Charles J. Johnson, Thompson.
 John Johnson, Tolland.
 D. Clark Joyce, Brookfield.
 Herman P. Kopplemann, Hartford.
 C. W. Leavenworth, Wallingford.
 Charles D. Lockwood, Stamford.
 Charles N. Loomis, Bolton.
 Charles L. Luce, Newington.

Henry H. Lyman, Middlefield.
 Archibald Macdonald, Putnam.
 Robert V. Magee, Watertown.
 Thurman P. Maine, N. Stonington.
 Arthur W. Marsden, Madison.
 Abram Martin, Salisbury.
 Henry C. Messenger, N. Hartford.
 Ariel Mitchelson, Simsbury.
 Cady R. Morse, Bethel.
 Charles Mueller, New Britain.
 Joseph H. North, Goshen.
 Frank K. Noyes, Lebanon.
 Alfred L. Ohmen, Warren.
 Clarence H. Perry, Scotland.
 Martin E. Pierson, Bristol.
 William J. Reel, North Canaan.
 Michael P. Rice, Branford.
 Thomas J. Ryle, Stamford.
 Emory P. Sanford, Redding.
 John W. Sanford, Jr., Hamden.
 James T. Shea, Lisbon.
 John L. Sherman, Orange.
 Frederick E. Silliman, Easton.
 Frederick J. Snyder, Coventry.
 Herbert L. Spear, Suffield.
 Charles L. Spencer, Suffield.
 Howard H. Spencer, N. Hartford.
 C. Parker Stearns, Andover.
 Samuel L. Stevens, Danbury.
 Carlos H. Storrs, Ansonia.
 Walter F. Storrs, Mansfield.
 Theodore Sturges, Cornwall.
 Abel P. Tanner, New London.
 Howard W. Taylor, Danbury.
 Arthur C. Titus, Washington.
 Dudley L. Vaill, Winchester.
 John Van Wie, Branford.
 Daniel Webster, Berlin.
 Morris C. Webster, Harwinton.
 Albert R. Wells, Southington.
 Truman E. Wheeler, Woodbury.
 Daniel T. Williams, Colchester.
 Prescott H. Woodford, Avon.

1915

State Officers:

Charles D. Burnes, Greenwich,
 Secretary.
 Fred. S. Chamberlain, New Britain,
 Treasurer.
 George E. Hinman, Windham,
 Attorney-General.
 Marcus H. Holcomb, Southington,
 Governor.
 Morris C. Webster, Harwinton,
 Comptroller.
 Clifford B. Wilson, Bridgeport,
 Lieutenant-Governor.

Senators:

John H. Barnes, Norwich.
 Frederic A. Bartlett, Bridgeport.
 Harvey P. Bissell, Ridgefield.
 Louis R. Cheney, Hartford.

Benjamin H. Hewett, Stonington.
 Edward E. King, East Hartford.
 Henry H. Lyman, Middlefield.
 Robert V. Magee, Watertown.
 James R. Mead, Greenwich.
 John M. O'Connell, Bridgeport.
 James A. Peasley, Waterbury.
 Martin E. Pierson, Bristol.
 John L. Purcell, Hartford.
 Frederick M. Salmon, Westport.
 John M. Tatem, Eastford.
 Charles O. Thompson, Pomfret.
 Wm. P. Tyler, Middlebury.
 Lucius E. Whiton, New London.

Representatives:

Sessions L. Adams, Plainfield.
 W. Burton Allen, Litchfield.
 Dionigi Arrigoni, Durham.
 John Ash, Pomfret.
 Bennett C. Atwood, Watertown.
 Bronson W. Atwood, Middlebury.
 Oscar F. Atwood, Brooklyn.
 Edmund S. Backus, Thompson.
 Albert J. Bailey, Norwich.
 Edward Baker, Canterbury.
 Alexander M. Bassett, Ashford.
 Thomas W. Beaumont, Cromwell.
 Edward W. Bennett, Cornwall.
 Frank E. Boardman, Middletown.
 Arthur E. Bowers, Manchester.
 Jervis D. Brown, Jr., Milford.
 John Brown, Orange.
 Edward T. Carter, Plainville.
 Lyman P. Case, Winchester.
 Charles H. Caul, Norfolk.
 Ernest P. Chesbro, Windham.
 George E. Churchill, Newington.
 Charles H. Clark, Southington.
 George T. Clark, Beacon Falls.
 Ernest L. Coles, Middlefield.
 Clark Congdon, Plainfield.
 Frank Q. Cronin, New London.
 Charles S. Curtiss, Woodbury.
 Marion R. Davis, East Lyme.
 Welcome Davis, Eastford.
 Richard H. Deming, W. Hartford.
 John B. Dillon, Shelton.
 Robert O. Eaton, North Haven.
 E. Hart Fenn, Wethersfield.
 Charles S. Fuller, Somers.
 Milan J. Gilman, Colebrook.
 Eugene E. Goddard, Granby.
 Arthur B. Goodrich, Glastonbury.
 Henry C. Goslee, Morris.
 Owen E. Goslee, East Granby.
 E. Clayton Goodwin, New Britain.
 Edward Hall, Plainfield.
 George B. Hall, East Haddam.
 John S. Hall, Lyme.
 William H. Hall, Willington.
 Edward Handel, East Hartford.
 William H. Heald, Stafford.
 Frank E. Healy, Windsor Locks.

Joseph H. Henderson, Norwich.
 Thomas Hewes, Farmington.
 John L. Hitchcock, Hartland.
 William Hohbein, Burlington.
 Clifford E. Hough, Washington.
 Albert H. House, Windsor.
 Warren C. Hubbell, Huntington.
 James H. Hutchins, Pomfret.
 Frederick W. Huxford, Stamford.
 William S. Hyde, Manchester.
 Fred C. Hydell, Avon.
 Milton C. Isbell, Ansonia.
 Edgar G. Jennings, Easton.
 Francis H. Johnson, Lisbon.
 Allen W. Jones, Westbrook.
 D. Clark Joyce, Brookfield.
 George B. Klebes, Sharon.
 Charles C. Lacey, Fairfield.
 C. Huntington Lathrop, Franklin.
 C. W. Leavenworth, Wallingford.
 James E. Loughlin, Enfield.
 Edgar R. LaPlace, Saybrook.
 Archibald Macdonald, Putnam.
 Geo. N. McKendry, New Canaan.
 Samuel G. McLean, Glastonbury.
 William C. Marble, Haddam.
 Arthur W. Marsden, Madison.
 Abram Martin, Salisbury.
 Chester E. May, Woodstock.
 George Mexcur, Bloomfield.
 William L. Meyer, Hartford.
 Edward L. Mitchell, Southbury.
 Ivan L. Morehouse, Stratford.
 Stanley D. Morgan, Waterford.
 Peter Morgansen, Tolland.
 Egbert A. Norton, Colebrook.
 Frank J. Pavelka, Killingworth.
 Frederick M. Peasley, Cheshire.
 S. Arnold Peckham, Windham.
 Echford G. Pendleton, Preston.
 Frederick L. Perry, New Haven.
 Jerome C. Potter, Guilford.
 John S. Pratt, Harwinton.
 Francis A. Randall, Vernon.
 John Reid, Bethel.
 Thomas P. Reilly, Naugatuck.
 John H. Reynolds, Coventry.
 Fernando C. Ross, Thompson.
 James E. Ryan, Ridgefield.
 John W. Sanford, Jr., Hamden.
 Edwin W. Schultz, New Britain.
 Samuel C. Shaw, Redding.
 Harry R. Sherwood, Westport.
 Daniel E. Smith, Chester.
 William F. Smith, Hamden.
 William F. Smithwick, Bristol.
 Herbert L. Spear, Suffield.
 Samuel R. Spencer, Suffield.
 Nelson L. Stark, Bozrah.
 Wilbur Sturges, Weston.
 E. Everett Swan, East Haddam.
 Stephen A. Talmadge, Prospect.
 Benjamin F. Taylor, Washington.
 Frederick N. Taylor, Lebanon.

Howard W. Taylor, Danbury.
 Herbert E. Thatcher, Somers.
 James A. Thomas, Lebanon.
 Matt A. Tinker, Montville.
 George M. Tracy, Derby.
 Charles F. Tristram, Norwalk.
 William B. Tuttle, Plymouth.
 Dudley L. Vaill, Winchester.
 Albert R. Wells, Southington.
 Dudley Wells, Wethersfield.
 John G. Wightman, Stafford.
 Elias F. Wilcox, Stonington.
 John H. Wiltshire, Bethlehem.
 John H. Yost, Vernon.

1917

State Officers:

Fred. S. Chamberlain, New Britain,
 Treasurer.
 George E. Hinman, Windham,
 Attorney-General.
 Marcus H. Holcomb, Southington,
 Governor.
 Frederick L. Perry, New Haven,
 Secretary.
 Morris C. Webster, Harwinton,
 Comptroller.
 Clifford B. Wilson, Bridgeport,
 Lieutenant-Governor.

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Sessions L. Adams, Plainfield.
 John H. Barnes, Norwich.
 Frederic A. Bartlett, Bridgeport.
 Harvey P. Bissell, Ridgefield.
 Edward S. Boyd, Woodbury.
 Edward W. Broder, Hartford.
 John E. Doughan, New Haven.
 William H. Hall, Willington.
 Charles C. Hemenway, Hartford.
 Frank H. Hinckley, Stonington.
 Herman P. Koppelman, Hartford.
 William J. Larkin, Waterbury.
 Harry A. Leonard, New Haven.
 Henry H. Lyman, Middlefield.
 Archibald Macdonald, Putnam.
 James R. Mead, Greenwich.
 Frederick L. Neebe, Meriden.
 John M. O'Connell, Bridgeport.
 Elijah Rogers, Southington.
 Frederick H. Rolf, Guilford.
 Charles L. Spencer, Suffield.
 Robbins B. Stoeckel, Norfolk.

Representatives:

Sidney E. Ackley, East Haddam.
 William I. Allyn, Ledyard.
 Oscar F. Atwood, Brooklyn.
 Heman O. Averill, Washington.
 Edmund S. Backus, Thompson.
 Albert J. Bailey, Norwich.
 Edward Baker, Canterbury.
 Frank H. Barnes, Southington.
 William A. Barnes, Ansonia.

Gustavus C. Beckwith, N. Hartford.
 Jesse L. Benedict, Ridgefield.
 Emil T. Berger, Trumbull.
 Enoch T. Birdsey, Middlefield.
 Jonathan E. Bliss, Clinton.
 Frank E. Boardman, Middletown.
 Arthur E. Bowers, Manchester.
 George H. Bradford, Montville.
 William H. Brewer, E. Hartford.
 Aldemar A. Brodeur, Putnam.
 Jervis D. Brown, Jr., Milford.
 Robert T. Buell, Marlborough.
 George P. Bugbee, Willington.
 William G. Bushnell, Westbrook.
 Martin L. Caine, Naugatuck.
 Nehemiah Candee, Norwalk.
 Lyman P. Case, Winchester.
 Theodore G. Case, Granby.
 Charles H. Caul, Norfolk.
 Augustus E. Chappuis, Warren.
 Constant W. Chatfield, Voluntown.
 William Chew, Bridgeport.
 Frank W. Churchill, Rocky Hill.
 Charles E. Clark, Woodbridge.
 George T. Clark, Beacon Falls.
 Wesley N. Clark, Granby.
 Edward S. Coe, Cromwell.
 Walter W. Collar, Norfolk.
 Charles J. Conrad, Shelton.
 George B. Cowles, Woodbury.
 William S. Cowles, Farmington.
 S. Hart Culver, Seymour.
 William T. Curry, Lebanon.
 Frank I. Date, Franklin.
 William J. Day, Barkhamsted.
 Asahel R. DeWolf, East Lyme.
 Leonard M. Dickinson, Hartland.
 John B. Dillon, Huntington.
 Junius Z. Douglass, Bristol.
 Charles O. Eakland, Wilton.
 Robert O. Eaton, North Haven.
 Richard B. Eno, Simsbury.
 William H. Eustice, Plymouth.
 Oliver D. Filley, Bloomfield.
 John H. Fish, Newington.
 Peter FitzHenry, Waterbury.
 Charles C. Ford, Washington.
 Ernest S. Fuller, Somers.
 I. Kent Fulton, Salisbury.
 Gourdin Y. Gaillard, New Haven.
 Howard S. Gilbert, Bethel.
 William H. Goddard, Wallingford.
 James Graham, Lisbon.
 Fremont M. Grannis, Litchfield.
 Byron H. Griswold, Glastonbury.
 Frederick D. Griswold, Goshen.
 Charles N. Hall, New Milford.
 Edward F. Hall, New Britain.
 Richard J. Hall, Ansonia.
 Ray L. Harding, Lyme.
 Samuel P. Hayes, Bethlehem.
 Walter Hayles, Hamden.
 William H. Heald, Stafford.
 Frank E. Healy, Windsor Locks.
 Patrick J. Healey, Waterbury.
 George R. Hempstead, Groton.
 Joseph H. Henderson, Norwich.
 Howard Hicock, Southbury.
 William L. Higgins, Coventry.
 Oliver A. Hiscox, Woodstock.
 Henry S. Hitchcock, Woodbury.
 John P. Hollowell, Preston.
 William A. Holt, New London.
 Edmund A. Hoskins, Simsbury.
 Edward A. Hoxie, Lebanon.
 Stephen R. Hoyt, Darien.
 Eugene F. Hutchinson, Columbia.
 Frederick W. Huxford, Stamford.
 Paul P. Ives, Guilford.
 H. Roger Jones, New Hartford.
 Lee H. Kellogg, Canaan.
 Sidney D. Kelsey, Killingworth.
 John E. Kingsbury, Coventry.
 Charles C. Lacey, Fairfield.
 August L. Lange, Meriden.
 Geo. W. P. Leavenworth, Roxbury.
 William H. Leete, Enfield.
 Hurvey M. Luther, East Haddam.
 Arthur W. Marsden, Madison.
 Frank E. Miller, Canterbury.
 John C. Miller, Ellington.
 Albert L. Mills, Hampton.
 Maurice E. Minor, Plymouth.
 Monroe E. Mitchell, Canton.
 Thomas F. Molloy, Derby.
 Ivan L. Morehouse, Stratford.
 Richard H. Morgan, Cheshire.
 Robert B. Morse, New Canaan.
 Edgar W. Munson, Hamden.
 Elwin N. Myers, East Windsor.
 Raymond Pack, Morris.
 Frederick H. Page, Durham.
 Fitz Henry Paine, Pomfret.
 Cleon L. Parmelee, Killingworth.
 George S. Parsons, Enfield.
 Frederick M. Peasley, Cheshire.
 William F. Platt, Milford.
 John S. Pratt, Harwinton.
 William A. Preston, Cornwall.
 Archibald G. Prisk, Wallingford.
 J. Laurence Raymond, Lyme.
 William J. Reel, North Canaan.
 Thomas P. Reilly, Naugatuck.
 Wilson W. Robotham, Farmington.
 Willard B. Rogers, Manchester.
 Franklin M. Rose, Essex.
 Malcolm D. Rudd, Salisbury.
 James E. Ryan, Ridgefield.
 Walter E. Savage, Meriden.
 Wilfred W. Savage, Wethersfield.
 Samuel C. Shaw, Redding.
 W. Franklin Sheldon, Plainfield.
 Harry R. Sherwood, Westport.
 William J. Simpson, Plainville.
 Howard B. Smith, Middlebury.
 Leonard Smith, Mansfield.
 Samuel R. Spencer, Suffield.
 Charles G. Stone, Durham.

Edward C. Stoughton, Thomaston.
John J. Sweeney, Bozrah.
Charles B. Tammany, Easton.
Edward E. Thompson, Glastonbury.
Howard W. Taylor, Danbury.
Otto H. Tiedeman, Sharon.
Charles R. Treat, Orange.
F. Romaine Tucker, Willington.

Dudley N. Vaill, Winchester.
Arthur M. Waitt, Sharon.
Wilfred V. Warner, Wolcott.
Duane J. Webster, Burlington.
John G. Wightman, Stafford.
Elias F. Wilcox, Stonington.
Samuel R. Woodward, Bolton.
John H. Yost, Vernon.

1919

The names of all the members of the General Assembly of 1919 are printed on another page of this book. Of the 293 members, 247 were present.

NAMES OF THOSE NOT PRESENT at the GENERAL ASSEMBLY CENTENNIAL

The following persons acknowledged the receipt of an invitation to the Celebration, but for various reasons were unable to attend:

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| <p style="text-align: center;">1858</p> <p>Representative:
Chester R. Woodford, Avon.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1862</p> <p>Representative:
Erastus S. Day, Colchester.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1863</p> <p>Representative:
George M. Woodruff, Litchfield.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1864</p> <p>Representative:
Erastus S. Day, Colchester.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1865</p> <p>Representatives:
Merrick A. Marcy, Union.
George M. Woodruff, Litchfield.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1866</p> <p>Representatives:
J. Warren Johnson, Enfield.
Merrick A. Marcy, Union.
Richard Wheeler, No. Stonington.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1869</p> <p>Representatives:
Horace Belden, Simsbury.
Tim. C. Coogan, Windsor Locks.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1870</p> <p>Representatives:
Jepthah G. Bill, Griswold.
L. Legrand Hopkins, N. Fairfield.
J. Warren Johnson, Enfield.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1871</p> <p>Representatives:
James W. Cheney, Manchester.
L. Legrand Hopkins, N. Fairfield.
Robert M. Jewett, Lyme.
William C. Russell, Orange.</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">1872</p> <p>Senator:
Lucius Brown, Preston.</p> <p>Representatives:
Marcius A. Cady, Stafford.
Nathaniel L. Knowlton, Ashford.
George M. Woodruff, Litchfield.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1873</p> <p>Senator:
Merrick A. Marcy, Union.</p> <p>Representatives:
Robert N. Cochrane, Cornwall.
Tim. C. Coogan, Windsor Locks.
Henry E. Dimock, Tolland.
Dwight J. Glazier, Stafford.
Virgil F. McNeil, Cornwall.
Henry B. Sisson, Lyme.
Alpheus W. Tyler, Haddam.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1874</p> <p>Senator:
Merrick A. Marcy, Union.</p> <p>Representatives:
J. Dwight Chaffee, Mansfield.
Edmund Day, Seymour.
Erastus S. Day, Colchester.
Monroe Hart, Barkhamsted.
Phineas C. Lounsbury, Ridgefield.
Avery A. Stanton, Sterling.
Alpheus W. Tyler, Haddam.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1875</p> <p>Senator:
Tim. C. Coogan, Windsor Locks.</p> <p>Representatives:
Ephraim Bridge, Enfield.
Frank A. Case, Barkhamsted.
Lucius H. Foote, Durham.
Jared A. Gallup, Voluntown.
Charles A. Hawkins, Tolland.
L. LeGrand Hopkins, N. Fairfield.
James B. Palmer, Lisbon.
William D. Ruby, Willington.
Charles F. Smith, Orange.
Jerome Tourtellotte, Putnam.
Smith C. Wheeler, Oxford.</p> |
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1876

Senator:

Tim. C. Coogan, Windsor Locks.

Representatives:

Marcus A. Cady, Stafford.
Lucius H. Foote, Durham.
George A. Hammond, Mansfield.
Daniel B. Mallory, Sherman.
James B. Palmer, Lisbon.
Francis Pinney, Ellington.
Henry B. Sisson, Lyme.
Charles F. Smith, Orange.
Everett S. Warner, Rocky Hill.

1877

Senators:

Daniel B. Mallory, Sherman.
Lucius Brown, Preston.

Representatives:

James G. Curtiss, Woodbury.
George W. Dains, Harwinton.
Salmon B. Giddings, Hartland.
Charles A. Hawkins, Tolland.
Orrin S. Thompson, N. Hartford.

1878

Senator:

Lucius Brown, Preston.

Representatives:

Irwin J. Beardsley, Kent.
John H. Fuller, Marlborough.
Joseph O. Goodwin, E. Hartford.
William P. Marcy, Union.
Samuel N. Morgan, Salem.
Job F. Seamans, Killingly.
Henry B. Sisson, Lyme.

1879

Representatives:

Edwin P. Augur, Middlefield.
Frank A. Case, Barkhamsted.
Allison N. Clark, Plainville.
George E. Cook, Harwinton.
Frederick H. Dunham, Chatham.
Martin W. Frisbie, Southington.
Thomas H. Fuller, Scotland.
James G. Gregory, Norwalk.
Merrick A. Marcy, Union.
Charles B. Northrop, Ridgefield.
William B. Perry, Salisbury.
William M. Smith, Chaplin.
Orrin S. Thompson, N. Hartford.
Henry Young, Tolland.

1880

Representatives:

Ezra B. Bailey, Franklin.
Henry M. Barbour, Canton.
John W. Edgerton, Tolland.
Martin W. Frisbie, Southington.
Henry P. Lane, Barkhamsted.
Merrick A. Marcy, Union.
John A. Moore, Colebrook.

Cyrus B. Newton, Stafford.
Frederic E. Rice, Granby.
Charles S. Smith, Kent.
Jerome Tourtellotte, Putnam.
John M. Wood, Coventry.

1881

Representatives:

Edwin S. Agard, Tolland.
Samuel M. Bailey, Wolcott.
Virgil R. Barker, Harwinton.
Richard G. Beebe, Stafford.
Charles F. Burt, Hebron.
Fitch L. Comstock, Waterford.
Stiles A. Crandall, Ledyard.
Charles W. Grosvenor, Pomfret.
Denzel B. Hoadley, Bethany.
L. Legrand Hopkins, N. Fairfield.
Edward H. Jacobs, Killingly.
John H. Selden, Chatham.
Jared H. Stearns, Mansfield.
Dwight W. Tuttle, East Haven.
William H. Vining, Colebrook.
Moses A. Wadhams, Goshen.

1882

Representatives:

George A. Allen, Torrington.
Samuel M. Bailey, Wolcott.
John W. Coogan, Windsor Locks.
Andrew W. Culver, Beacon Falls.
Alfred W. Hutchinson, Hebron.
J. Warren Johnson, Enfield.
Joseph C. Leffingwell, Bozrah.
Augustus F. Read, Lisbon.
Edward D. Robbins, Wethersfield.
Hubert S. Scovill, Goshen.
Lewis E. Smith, Ridgefield.
James H. Warner, Rocky Hill.
S. Brainard West, Columbia.

1883

Representatives:

Ezra B. Bailey, Windsor Locks.
Elihu Carlisle, Goshen.
Marvin P. Colman, Coventry.
Oliver P. Cowdery, Hartland.
William H. Doyle, Litchfield.
Arthur W. Eaton, East Hartford.
Herman Fleischer, New Britain.
Frank Gorham, Weston.
E. Stevens Henry, Vernon.
George P. McLean, Simsbury.
Timothy B. McNamara, Plymouth.
Leonard J. Nickerson, Cornwall.
Newton Osborn, Newington.
Henry A. Richmond, Preston.
Edward D. Robbins, Wethersfield.
George L. Rosebrooks, Mansfield.
Willis D. Rouse, Plainfield.
Guilford Smith, Windham.
Jabez Southworth, Saybrook.
Timothy C. Tiffany, Barkhamsted.
Orren C. West, Vernon.

1884

State Officer:

Frank D. Sloat, New Haven,
Comptroller.

Senator:

Edmund Day, Seymour.

Representatives:

Myron E. Cable, Washington.
Charles A. Clark, Marlborough.
John H. Fanton, Danbury.
David S. Gilmour, Norwich.
Frederick A. Granniss, Cheshire.
Phineas M. Griswold, Madison.
Albert Hall, Willington.
Lyman Hewitt, Wethersfield.
Gilbert H. Holcombe, Burlington.
George A. Hopson, Wallingford.
Hadlai A. Hull, Stonington.
Robert M. Jewett, Lyme.
Henry McKinney, Stafford.
George P. McLean, Simsbury.
Clark C. Palmer, Griswold.
Judson A. Potter, Willington.
Charles T. Preston, Killingly.
Franklin Y. Silliman, Chester.
Smith C. Wheeler, Oxford.

1885

Senators:

J. Dwight Chaffee, Mansfield.
Edmund Day, Seymour.

Representatives:

Curtiss C. Atwell, Durham.
Henry E. Bradley, Washington
J. Raymond Douglass, Salem.
David S. Gilmour, Norwich.
John S. Griffin, East Haddam.
Charles W. Grosvenor, Pomfret.
George A. Hammond, Putnam.
J. Henry King, Lebanon.
Charles R. Marvin, Saybrook.
Stephen D. Moore, Preston.
John J. Phelan, Bridgeport.
Charles A. Satterlee, Ledyard.
William M. Stark, New London.
Henry W. Trowbridge, Roxbury.
Alfred N. Wildman, Danbury.

1886

Senators:

J. Dwight Chaffee, Mansfield.
Charles W. Grosvenor, Pomfret.
George P. McLean, Simsbury.

Representatives:

Samuel Ashwell, Rocky Hill.
Oscar L. Beardsley, Huntington.
Fred H. Bevans, Bethel.
Benjamin L. Bronson, Wolcott.
Thomas S. Brown, Chatham.
Arthur H. Galpin, Wethersfield.
Jerome F. Gibbs, Kent.
William Hamersley, Hartford.
George A. Hammond, Putnam.

William H. Hammond, Hampton.
Nelson T. Hungerford, Sherman.
Thurston B. Lillibridge, Norwich.
William V. McNerney, Vernon.
Frederick A. Pierson, Ellington.
Harris Pendleton, Guilford.
John J. Phelan, Bridgeport.
William C. Sanford, Redding.
Job F. Seamans, Killingly.
Frank L. Stephens, Barkhamsted.

1887

State Officer:

Phineas C. Lounsbury, Ridgefield.
Governor.

Senators:

Ezra B. Bailey, Windsor Locks.
O. Vincent Coffin, Middletown.
Edgar J. Doolittle, Meriden.
E. Stevens Henry, Vernon.

Representatives:

Wellington M. Andrew, Orange.
Caleb Anthony, Scotland.
Emerson E. Barker, Branford.
John D. Bassett, Norfolk.
William W. Bolles, Marlborough.
William H. Brackett, Willington.
Simon C. Bradley, Fairfield.
Joseph W. Chesebro, Stonington.
Frederick F. Finney, Woodbridge.
Charles Griswold, Guilford.
Sidney E. Hawley, Brookfield.
L. Legrand Hopkins, Danbury.
Ezra M. Horton, Union.
William R. Hurd, Bristol.
John B. Kendrick, Wallingford.
Courtland Lamb, Ledyard.
Albert H. Lanphere, Waterford.
Thurston B. Lillibridge, Norwich.
Wm. W. B. Markham, Chatham.
George W. Mitchell, Southbury.
Newton Osborn, Newington.
Ransom F. Smith, Cornwall.
Frederick Stockman, Bethlehem.
Charles A. Wheaton, Eastford.
Benjamin C. Woodin, Hamden.

1889

State Officer:

E. Stevens Henry, Vernon,
Treasurer.

Senators:

O. Vincent Coffin, Middletown,
George E. Keeney, Somers.

Representatives:

Julius H. Barnard, Colebrook.
Trescott C. Barnes, New Hartford.
Edwin I. Bell, Portland.
Lodowick Bill, Lyme.
Fisk Brainard, Chatham.
Walter S. Carpenter, Putnam.
Henry T. Child, Woodstock.
Myron L. Cooley, Southbury.

George W. Dains, Harwinton.
 Edward W. Dewey, Granby.
 Alfred E. Hammer, Branford.
 George A. Haskell, Griswold.
 Sidney E. Hawley, Brookfield.
 Walter S. Hewitt, Hebron.
 George G. Hungerford, Sherman.
 John B. Kendrick, Wallingford.
 Frederick E. Knapp, New Fairfield.
 Joseph Peabody, Waterford.
 Arthur B. Porter, Coventry.
 Robert A. Potter, Plainville.
 Robert S. Purdy, Darien.
 David Russ, Ashford.
 William W. Sunderland, Danbury.
 Dwight W. Tuttle, East Haven.
 Jason R. Viets, East Granby.
 Thomas Walker, Southington.
 Silas B. Wheeler, Stonington.
 William H. Wright, Killingworth.

1891

State Officer:

E. Stevens Henry, Vernon,
 Treasurer.

Senators:

George W. Dains, Harwinton.
 Noble E. Pierce, Bristol.

Representatives:

Roscius Back, Union.
 Ira G. Bailey, Haddam.
 John G. Bromley, Lisbon.
 Frank S. Brown, Washington.
 Cassius S. Chase, Killingly.
 Frederick H. Dunham, Chatham.
 William L. Egleston, Norfolk.
 George E. Emmons, Morris.
 Frank W. Fitch, Preston.
 Charles F. Green, Goshen.
 Gardiner Greene, Norwich.
 Linus H. Hall, Wallingford.
 William B. Hawley, Sherman.
 Franklin P. Hayes, Bethlehem.
 John Keough, Bloomfield.
 Nathaniel L. Knowlton, Ashford.
 James P. Little, Columbia.
 William T. Marsh, Litchfield.
 William V. McNerney, Vernon.
 George W. Mitchell, Southbury.
 Alvah Morgan, Salem.
 Michael J. Moroney, Burlington.
 A. D. Parmelee, Killingworth.
 Arthur B. Porter, Coventry.
 Robert S. Purdy, Darien.
 George T. Sanger, Plainfield.
 Francis S. Skiff, Cornwall.
 Charles L. Spooner, Kent.
 Cyrus H. Stewart, N. Stonington.
 Robert M. Thompson, Lyme.
 Richard H. Tucker, Old Saybrook.
 Dwight W. Tuttle, East Haven.
 Frank L. Wellman, Durham.
 Silas B. Wheeler, Stonington.
 Henry M. White, Torrington.

1893

State Officer:

John J. Phelan, Bridgeport,
 Secretary.

Senator:

George E. Keeney, Somers.
 Noble E. Pierce, Bristol.

Representatives:

Ira G. Bailey, Haddam.
 William C. Blanchard, Lebanon.
 John G. Bromley, Lisbon.
 Arthur B. Calkins, East Lyme.
 Charles H. Calor, Plainville.
 Myron N. Clark, Norfolk.
 Herbert L. Culver, Colebrook.
 Stephen D. Curtis, Ashford.
 Erwin S. Fairchild, Trumbull.
 Willis W. Hall, Marlborough.
 William Hamersley, Hartford.
 Irving W. Hammond, Hampton.
 Edwin H. Harris, Salem.
 William B. Hawley, Sherman.
 Albert A. Hubbard, No. Canaan.
 Ardon L. Judd, Stratford.
 John D. Luby, Burlington.
 William N. Markham, Chatham.
 William T. Marsh, Litchfield.
 William V. McNerney, Vernon.
 John D. Moffitt, Scotland.
 Elisha G. Morton, East Windsor.
 N. L. Parmelee, Killingworth.
 Arthur B. Porter, Coventry.
 Fred Prentice, Hebron.
 Caleb F. Rose, East Haddam.
 George T. Sanger, Plainfield.
 Harvey Tucker, Simsbury.
 Curtis B. Warner, New Hartford.
 Arthur G. Wheeler, Stonington.
 Theodore F. Wheeler, Southbury.
 George J. Whipple, Colebrook.
 Frank B. Wood, Cornwall.

1895

State Officer:

O. Vincent Coffin, Middletown,
 Governor.

Senators:

Benjamin H. Lee, New London.
 James P. Little, Columbia.

Representatives:

Sereno Alderman, Burlington.
 Samuel J. Allen, East Windsor.
 Samuel M. Bailey, Wolcott.
 George E. Bidwell, East Granby.
 Francis H. Bird, Pomfret.
 John A. Carrier, Chatham.
 John S. Champlin, Coventry.
 Edwin H. Clark, Morris.
 John E. Fahey, Vernon.
 Charles E. Ford, Canaan.
 Arlan P. Francis, Newington.
 Dwight S. Fuller, Suffield.

Gardiner Greene, Norwich.
 George P. Hill, East Lyme.
 Elbert O. Hull, Monroe.
 Frank R. Jackson, Woodstock.
 Frederick A. Jacobs, Killingly.
 Gurden B. Marcy, Eastford.
 Ernest A. Markham, Durham.
 William T. Marsh, Litchfield.
 F. H. Mayberry, E. Hartford.
 Alvah Morgan, Salem.
 Lucius B. Morgan, Plainfield.
 Henry B. Noyes, Stonington.
 Benjamin F. Page, Harwinton.
 F. H. Parmelee, New London.
 N. S. Parmelee, Killingworth.
 John L. Roberts, Kent.
 Amasa P. Taber, Plainfield.
 George Wallace, Union.
 Edward R. Wooster, Bridgewater.

1897

State Officer:

Charles W. Grosvenor, Pomfret,
 Treasurer.

Senators:

Lucius Brown, Norwich.
 Samuel A. Herman, Winchester.
 Benjamin H. Lee, New London.
 Dwight W. Tuttle, East Haven.

Representatives:

Edwin S. Agard, Tolland.
 S. Langdon Alvord, Winchester.
 Harry E. Back, Union.
 Richard Baldwin, Plymouth.
 John H. Ball, Durham.
 Orren W. Bates, Sterling.
 Charles F. Boswell, Preston.
 Daniel E. Bradley, Berlin.
 Charles H. Brown, Putnam.
 Dale D. Butler, Middletown.
 Arthur B. Calkins, East Lyme.
 Robert N. Cochrane, Milford.
 Edward M. Day, Colchester.
 Iverson C. Fanton, Weston.
 E. Hart Geer, Lyme.
 Charles E. Graham, Orange.
 Addison J. Greenslit, Hampton.
 George Gregory, Darien.
 Marcus A. Griffin, Granby.
 Donald M. Gunn, Groton.
 Edwin L. Heath, Vernon.
 Samuel Hodgkinson, Wallingford.
 Edward H. Hotchkiss, Torrington.
 Dwight L. Humiston, Bethany.
 George F. Humphrey, Bloomfield.
 Frederick A. Jacobs, Killingly.
 Frederick C. Juul, Willington.
 Walter Kingsley, Plainfield.
 John M. Leach, Stafford.
 Clarence F. Loomis, N. Hartford.
 George A. Mills, Lebanon.
 Albert Morgan, Salem.
 Dan. A. Murphy, New Fairfield.

Herbert E. Parmelee, Guilford.
 Robert H. Perkins, Warren.
 Charles H. Rich, East Haddam.
 Matthew H. Rogers, Bridgeport.
 Edward W. Seeley, Roxbury.
 John O. Shares, Hamden.
 Edwin J. Sheldon, Suffield.
 John S. Usher, Tolland.
 A. R. Wadsworth, Farmington.
 J. Frank Welles, Wethersfield.
 Samuel G. Winchester, Burlington.
 William S. Wortman, Bethel.

1899

Senator:

Frank R. Jackson, Woodstock.

Representatives:

Richard J. Beebe, Stafford.
 Charles D. Bent, Enfield.
 Moses Chapman, Montville.
 Edgar A. Clarke, New Hartford.
 Henry I. Clark, Old Saybrook.
 William Conklin, Salisbury.
 John H. Davis, Hamden.
 Frank S. DeWolf, Salem.
 Iverson C. Fanton, Weston.
 Lucius W. Fox, Harwinton.
 Charles A. Gates, Windham.
 Frank H. Hinckley, Stonington.
 Samuel Hodgkinson, Wallingford.
 Ebenezer A. Hoyt, Ridgefield.
 Franklin V. Kibbe, Somers.
 Fred. E. Knapp, New Fairfield.
 Albert H. Lanphere, Waterford.
 James R. Lanyon, Cheshire.
 George H. Maxson, Stonington.
 John H. Metgs, Madison.
 Charles H. Moore, New Britain.
 Lawrence Mullaley, Windsor.
 Daniel M. Nichols, Trumbull.
 Patrick O'Donnell, Cornwall.
 Clarence F. Osborn, Norwalk.
 James B. Palmer, Lisbon.
 Frederick N. Porter, Bethel.
 Norris W. Rathbun, E. Haddam.
 Watson E. Rice, Stamford.
 Henry Roberts, Hartford.
 Melvin E. Snow, Norfolk.
 Hugh Stirling, Bridgeport.
 Addison C. Taintor, Colchester.
 Edwin S. Thomas, Orange.
 William H. Vining, Colebrook.
 A. R. Wadsworth, Farmington.
 Francis G. Waldo, Hebron.
 Andrew E. Warner, Chester.
 Robert E. Webster, Union.
 Clifton H. Wright, Ashford.
 Edwin O. Wright, Goshen.

1901

State Officer:

George P. McLean, Simsbury,
 Governor.

Senators :

Wallace S. Allis, Norwich.
Charles H. Brown, Putnam.
James R. Lanyon, Cheshire.
Henry Roberts, Hartford.
Andrew J. Sloper, New Britain.

Representatives :

Frank H. Abbe, Enfield.
William E. Attwood, New Britain.
Elmore S. Banks, Fairfield.
Joseph B. Banning, Saybrook.
Earle S. Baxter, Colebrook.
James E. Beebe, Lyme.
Henry W. Beecher, Southbury.
Charles D. Bent, Enfield.
Franklin P. Brainerd, Durham.
Arthur M. Brown, Griswold.
Arthur B. Calkins, East Lyme.
Edgar T. Clark, Milford.
Marcus A. Covell, Thompson.
Granville A. Durant, Bethel.
John E. Ellis, Hebron.
John E. Fahey, Vernon.
Charles A. Gates, Windham.
Frank Gorham, Weston.
Abner P. Hayes, Waterbury.
Frank H. Hinckley, Stonington.
Mills Hungerford, Sherman.
George W. Keeler, Cheshire.
Robert W. Keeler, Wilton.
John B. Kendrick, Wallingford.
Joseph F. Killeen, Montville.
James E. A. Knowlton, Ashford.
Albert H. Lanphere, Waterford.
Walter A. Main, Orange.
George H. Maxson, Stonington.
Alvah Morgan, Salem.
Maurice F. Mulville, Norfolk.
Frederick H. Perry, Chester.
Charles H. Post, Guilford.
Arthur M. Pratt, Cornwall.
Frank W. Rising, Suffield.
Bradley W. Sanford, Ridgefield.
J. Samuel Scranton, Madison.
George R. Smith, Cornwall.
Sheldon B. Smith, Roxbury.
William H. Smith, Old Saybrook.
Valette D. Stearns, Mansfield.
Clarence F. Stotts, Hartland.
J. White Sumner, Bolton.
Wm. W. Thompson, E. Windsor.
E. Austin Wadhams, Goshen.
A. R. Wadsworth, Farmington.
Frank J. Wales, Monroe.
James R. Warner, East Haddam.
F. Ernest Watkins, Manchester.
E. Frank White, No. Stonington.
Granville Whittlesey, Danbury.
Samuel H. Williams, Glastonbury.

1902

(Constitutional Convention)

Henry L. Bailey, Groton.

Irwin J. Beardsley, Kent.
Arthur M. Brown, Griswold.
Harley P. Buell, Colchester.
George A. Frink, Preston.
Frank Gorham, Weston.
Frank H. Hinckley, Stonington.
George E. Keeney, Somers.
John B. Kendrick, Wallingford.
J. Henry King, Franklin.
William N. Markham, Chatham.
John H. Meigs, Madison.
Schuyler Merritt, Stamford.
Alvah Morgan, Salem.
Noble E. Pierce, Bristol.
Edwin C. Shelton, Monroe.
William H. Smith, Old Saybrook.
J. White Sumner, Bolton.

1903

State Officers :

Henry Roberts, Hartford,
Lieutenant-Governor.
William A. King, Windham,
Attorney-General.

Senators :

Arthur M. Brown, Griswold.
Eddie S. Davis, Middletown.
Charles A. Gates, Windham.
Charles E. Graham, Orange.
Frederick A. Jacobs, Killingly.

Representatives :

Willard I. Alling, Berlin.
Elmore S. Banks, Fairfield.
Oscar L. Beardsley, Huntington.
Homer S. Beers, Westport.
Frank A. Benedict, Seymour.
Wareham W. Bentley, Bozrah.
Arthur C. Bradley, Weston.
Arthur M. Brainard, Glastonbury.
Edward L. Clark, Orange.
John M. Clark, Chaplin.
Samuel P. Clark, East Haddam.
Michael J. Connor, Enfield.
Marcus A. Covell, Thompson.
Andrew W. Culver, Beacon Falls.
Thomas F. D'Arsey, Enfield.
John H. Davis, Preston.
Frank H. Deming, Hampton.
Michael T. Downes, Wallingford.
Daniel P. Dunn, Windham.
Jacob Frey, East Windsor.
George A. Frink, Preston.
Roswell Grant, South Windsor.
Howard M. Guernsey, Thomaston.
David R. Hawley, Farmington.
Allerton C. Kibbe, Ellington.
William F. Kirchberger, Morris.
Louis J. Korper, Willington.
William E. LaBelle, Killingly.
Everett J. Lake, Hartford.
Albert H. Lanphere, Waterford.
James R. Lanyon, Cheshire.

Freeman A. Libby, Putnam.
Frank T. Maples, Norwich.
Carlos V. Mason, Bristol.
F. H. Mayberry, E. Hartford.
Homer N. Neil, Willington.
Henry F. Parker, Vernon.
William F. Quigg, Marlborough.
Watson E. Rice, Stamford.
Charles B. Searle, Windsor.
Edwin C. Shelton, Monroe.
J. Arthur Sherwood, Easton.
Herbert K. Smith, Hartford.
Hiram A. Smith, Colebrook.
Lucius K. Stevens, Clinton.
Frank L. Stiles, North Haven.
Henry C. Thresher, Stafford.
George Towne, Union.
David P. Walden, Scotland.
William H. Warner, Woodbridge.
E. Frank White, No. Stonington.

1905

State Officers:

Henry Roberts, Hartford,
Governor.
William A. King, Windham,
Attorney-General.

Senators:

William E. Attwood, New Britain.
D. Newton Barney, Farmington.
Reuben S. Bartlett, Norwich.
Austin I. Bush, East Lyme.
Alfred E. Hammer, Branford.
Everett J. Lake, Hartford.
Matthew Hogan, Hartford.
F. H. Mayberry, E. Hartford.

Representatives:

William A. Agard, Tolland.
Levi H. Apley, Goshen.
Amos H. Armington, Killingly.
Curtiss B. Atwood, Watertown.
Elmore S. Banks, Fairfield.
Orren W. Bates, Sterling.
Wareham W. Bentley, Bozrah.
Charles B. Carlson, Haddam.
Herman M. Chapin, N. Hartford.
Philo Cleveland, Harwinton.
Michael J. Connor, Enfield.
Andrew W. Culver, Beacon Falls.
John H. Davis, Preston.
Alton Farrel, Ansonia.
George T. Fowler, No. Branford.
William H. Geer, Lebanon.
George E. Goodman, Bloomfield.
Constant W. Gower, Hartland.
Howard M. Guernsey, Thomaston.
Edward C. Hammond, Waterford.
George A. Hammond, Putnam.
Charles H. Hamner, Wethersfield.
Luke W. Henderson, Wolcott.
George H. Hewitt, Lebanon.
Edward P. Hollowell, Preston.
Frank N. Hoskins, Simsbury.
Thomas Hoyt, Stamford.

Frederick L. Huntington, Meriden.
Charles S. Hurlbut, Tolland.
Frederick A. Ives, Cheshire.
George H. Johnson, Morris.
John B. Kibbe, Somers.
James D. Kimball, Woodbury.
Karl C. Kulle, Windsor Locks.
Frank T. Maples, Norwich.
Samuel J. Marsh, Waterbury.
Charles R. Marvin, Saybrook.
John J. Northrop, Newtown.
C. Henry Olmsted, East Hartford.
Henry C. Parker, East Haddam.
Richard H. Pascall, Portland.
Lewis H. Phelps, Wallingford.
William H. Phillips, Chaplin.
Frank H. Raymond, Hebron.
Marcus L. Reynolds, Bridgeport.
Howard A. Rix, Salem.
Ernest N. Robinson, Durham.
Emor A. Smith, Hartford.
Myron W. Sperry, Bolton.
Evelyn E. Stevens, Clinton.
Walter S. Vail, Franklin.
Charles F. Wanger, Salisbury.
William H. Warner, Woodbridge.

1907

State Officer:

Everett J. Lake, Hartford,
Lieutenant-Governor.

Senators:

Harley P. Buell, Colchester.
John M. Donnelly, Bridgeport.
Alton Farrel, Ansonia.
Charles A. Gates, Windham.
Samuel Hodgkinson, Wallingford.
Flavel S. Luther, Hartford.
Thomas J. Spellacy, Hartford.

Representatives:

William E. Albin, Westport.
Frank E. Allen, Scotland.
John W. Allen, New Britain.
Philip C. Arnold, Chatham.
Alfred H. Auger, Middlefield.
Telley E. Babcock, Plainfield.
Roscius Back, Union.
Oscar D. Baker, Ashford.
Elmore S. Banks, Fairfield.
Frank C. Barnes, Plymouth.
Webster E. Burbank, Suffield.
Alfred D. Cady, Plainville.
Charles B. Carlson, Haddam.
Roswell Chamberlain, Hebron.
Marshall E. Charter, Ellington.
Sherman Cogswell, Washington.
Michael J. Connor, Enfield.
George A. Cosgrove, Willington.
Fred. E. Dickerman, Winchester.
Albert P. Dossin, Meriden.
William H. Doyle, Litchfield.
Eli Gledhill, Stonington.
Carlos J. Gurley, Willington.

John W. Hale, Cromwell.
 James B. Hall, Hartland.
 Charles J. Heineman, Meriden.
 David H. Husband, Marlborough.
 Arthur M. Keith, Eastford.
 David D. Kyle, New Milford.
 Josiah B. Lougee, Canton.
 William M. Low, Norwalk.
 William J. Malone, Bristol.
 William T. Marsh, Litchfield.
 Samuel N. Morgan, Colchester.
 J. Edward Newton, Durham.
 Matthew O'Brien, Norfolk.
 William Oliver, Cornwall.
 William E. Page, Kent.
 Charles J. Parsons, E. Windsor.
 Charles H. Peck, Stratford.
 Charles A. Perkins, Lebanon.
 Sidney S. Platt, Southbury.
 David M. Plumb, Prospect.
 Henry A. Pratt, Essex.
 Frederick H. Quintard, Norwalk.
 Edward P. Rice, Granby.
 H. Richardson, N. Stonington.
 Albert F. Rockwell, Bristol.
 Michael F. Shea, Canterbury.
 Ernest W. Smith, Hartford.
 Frank C. Smith, Middletown.
 Albert L. Sperry, Woodbridge.
 John S. Sullivan, Bozrah.
 George W. Thayer, Union.
 Charles J. Thorp, Trumbull.
 Charles H. Tibbits, Wallingford.
 Ira D. Tucker, Simsbury.
 Charles H. Weber, Vernon.
 William C. Welton, Warren.
 William W. Welton, Bridgewater.
 Edgar M. Wheaton, Putnam.
 Joseph F. Wooster, Goshen.
 Nymphas M. Wright, Hartland.
 Luther K. Zabriskie, Preston.

1909.

State Officer:

Matthew H. Rogers, Norwalk,
 Secretary.

Senators:

Walter L. Goodwin, Hartford.
 Charles J. Heineman, Meriden.
 Flavel S. Luther, Hartford.
 Albert W. Phillips, Derby.
 Frank L. Stiles, North Haven.

Representatives:

Elmore S. Banks, Fairfield.
 Joseph Barr, Suffield.
 Frank H. Brown, No. Stonington.
 Thomas E. Burroughs, Saybrook.
 Charles P. Bushnell, Norwich.
 F. Olin Chaffee, Woodstock.
 Samuel R. Chidsey, East Haven.
 Charles E. Curtiss, Simsbury.
 Hiram Davis, Ridgefield.

H. S. Dormitzer, Woodbury.
 Salvator D'Esopo, Hartford.
 Cornelius R. Duffie, Morris.
 Daniel P. Dunn, Windham.
 Ambrose J. Fenn, Harwinton.
 Robert M. Fenn, Middlebury.
 John F. Fields, Bozrah.
 George Forster, Vernon.
 Arthur R. Gillette, Hebron.
 Arthur T. Grosvenor, Pomfret.
 John P. Grosvenor, Pomfret.
 Abner P. Hayes, Waterbury.
 Horace L. Hine, Cheshire.
 Calvin B. Humphrey, Colebrook.
 Aaron Johnson, Manchester.
 Herbert C. Keech, Killingly.
 David D. Kyle, New Milford.
 Benedict E. Lyons, Thomaston.
 Chester S. Maine, No. Stonington.
 William J. Malone, Bristol.
 Albert G. Martin, Stonington.
 Lewis McLaughlin, Stafford.
 Andrew G. Morse, Eastford.
 Harry H. North, Goshen.
 Charles B. Northrop, Ridgefield.
 Wilbur F. Parker, Meriden.
 John W. Payne, Griswold.
 David M. Plumb, Prospect.
 Robert L. Quinley, Stafford.
 Frederick H. Quintard, Norwalk.
 Melancthon Riddick, Woodstock.
 Albert F. Rockwell, Bristol.
 John H. Root, Norfolk.
 Clifton D. Rosh, Bethany.
 John W. Schumacher, Ansonia.
 Charles W. Scovill, Haddam.
 Gershom C. Simpson, E. Haddam.
 Frank C. Smith, Middletown.
 Guilford Smith, Windham.
 Edmund C. Spencer, Old Saybrook.
 Charles H. Strong, Chatham.
 J. White Sumner, Bolton.
 James F. Thurston, Preston.
 Lyman T. Tingier, Vernon.
 Wilbur F. Tomlinson, Danbury.
 Fred J. Vaill, Goshen.
 Charles E. Williamson, Darien.
 Roscoe H. Wright, Ashford.

1911

State Officers:

Costello Lippitt, Norwich,
 Treasurer.
 Matthew H. Rogers, Bridgeport,
 Secretary.

Senators:

George A. Hammond, Putnam.
 Peter Lawlor, Waterbury.
 Charles F. Mitchell, New Haven.
 Wilbur F. Parker, Meriden.
 William J. Pierce, Hartford.
 Thomas J. Spellacy, Hartford.

Representatives :

John S. Addis, New Milford.
 Elmore S. Banks, Fairfield.
 Joseph Barr, Suffield.
 Nathan P. Beardsley, Roxbury.
 D. Frank Bedient, Ridgefield.
 George E. Bidwell, East Granby.
 Asa Brainard, Colchester.
 Charles H. Calor, Plainville.
 Joseph W. Chesebro, Stonington.
 Samuel R. Chidsey, East Haven.
 Stiles M. Clarke, Monroe.
 Daniel P. Dunn, Windham.
 Frederick G. Eberle, Hartford.
 Joseph R. Ensign, Simsbury.
 Charles W. Evarts, Milford.
 John F. Fields, Bozrah.
 Christian F. Fox, Meriden.
 Edward A. Gaylord, Hartland.
 Milo C. Griffin, Granby.
 Chester Hart, Barkhamsted.
 Aaron Johnson, Manchester.
 George M. Keeler, Cheshire.
 Daniel J. Kelley, Saybrook.
 James E. Kelsey, Westbrook.
 Winfield S. Kenyon, Woodstock.
 Nathaniel L. Knowlton, Ashford.
 Houston Landon, Old Saybrook.
 Albert H. Lanphere, Waterford.
 Ernest L. Latimer, Norwich.
 Arthur R. McOrmond, Ansonia.
 Joshua Meltzer, Bridgeport.
 Sidney V. Osborn, Branford.
 Hollis H. Palmer, Preston.
 Charles H. Peck, Stratford.
 Charles M. Perrin, Woodstock.
 William H. Phillips, Hampton.
 Burton D. Potter, Hamden.
 Charles A. Proulx, Union.
 John H. Reid, Bethel.
 Frank S. Richmond, Thompson.
 Samuel Russell, Jr., Middletown.
 Thomas L. Shea, Woodbury.
 George Simpson, Enfield.
 Guilford Smith, Windham.
 Arthur L. Spicer, Willington.
 Andrew Steele, East Windsor.
 Frank L. Stephens, N. Hartford.
 John S. Sullivan, Bozrah.
 D. Welton Thompson, Bethlehem.
 William E. Thoms, Waterbury.
 Lyman. T. Tingier, Vernon.
 John M. Wadhams, Goshen.
 Eugene G. Walker, Union.
 Charles E. Williamson, Darien.
 K. Herman Wollmann, Burlington.
 J. M. Woodhouse, Wethersfield.

1913

State Officers :

Daniel P. Dunn, Windham,
 Comptroller.
 Lyman T. Tingier, Vernon,
 Lieutenant-Governor.

Senators :

Edward B. Gaylord, Winchester.
 George H. Johnson, Morris.
 George M. Landers, New Britain.
 Frederick M. McCarthy, Ansonia.
 John F. McDonough, Naugatuck.
 John F. McGrath, Waterbury.
 Michael J. Quinn, New Haven.
 John M. Wadhams, Goshen.
 Joseph H. Whitcomb, Bridgeport.

Representatives :

John S. Addis, New Milford.
 Amos H. Armington, Killingly.
 Conrad G. Bacon, Middletown.
 Walter M. Barnum, Kent.
 Marshall Beach, Monroe.
 D. Frank Bedient, Ridgefield.
 Homer V. Beebe, Mansfield.
 John M. Bessette, Brooklyn.
 Edward Bragg, East Hartford.
 William A. Bree, New Haven.
 Frank H. Brown, No. Stonington.
 Allen B. Burdick, Preston.
 William A. Carroll, Norfolk.
 Lyman P. Case, Winchester.
 Joseph W. Chesebro, Stonington.
 Charles O. Clark, Windsor.
 Thomas H. Collins, Farmington.
 George Cook, Goshen.
 Richard F. Cuddihy, Derby.
 William H. Dawley, Voluntown.
 William T. Delaney, Norwich.
 Edwin R. Dimock, Tolland.
 Charles W. Evarts, Milford.
 James E. Fagan, Bloomfield.
 Isaac G. Geer, Ledyard.
 Elmer E. Hall, Marlborough.
 Franklyn P. Hayes, Bethlehem.
 Thomas L. Haynes, Old Lyme.
 Bernard E. Higgins, Torrington.
 Thomas J. Hine, Ansonia.
 Frederick W. Hoxie, Franklin.
 Henry H. Hunt, Glastonbury.
 Frederick C. Jones, S. Windsor.
 Bernard A. Kelley, Ellington.
 Timothy Kennedy, Windsor.
 William F. Kirchberger, Morris.
 Houston Landon, Old Saybrook.
 Henry P. Lane, Barkhamsted.
 Albert H. Lanphere, Waterford.
 Lewis Latimer, Salem.
 William H. Lewis, Westbrook.
 James M. Lynch, Waterbury.
 William M. Maltbie, Granby.
 James R. May, New London.
 John H. McMurray, Bridgeport.
 Prentiss W. Morse, Woodstock.
 Charles F. Newton, Granby.
 Herbert C. Nickerson, E. Haven.
 Dennis O'Brien, Portland.
 Arthur B. O'Keefe, Orange.
 Charles W. Pierson, Lyme.
 Joseph Plessis, Putnam.

Louis J. Pons, Roxbury.
Burton D. Potter, Hamden.
Albert E. Rathbone, Hebron.
Allen W. Rathbun, Groton.
Frank S. Richmond, Thompson.
Harry Rider, South Norwalk.
Lucius C. Ryce, West Hartford.
Hiram A. Smith, Colebrook.
Julius C. Stremlau, Meriden.
Edward B. Sullivan, Guilford.
William E. Thoms, Waterbury.
John W. Treadwell, Trumbull.
Eugene G. Walker, Union.
Lewis C. Wilcox, Guilford.
Edward R. Wooster, Bridgewater.
Eugene A. Wyant, Oxford.

1915

Senators :

S. Landon Alvord, Winchester.
Hubert E. Bishop, Norwalk.
William A. Bree, New Haven.
William H. Comley, Jr., Bridgeport.
Charles W. Everts, Milford.
Charles J. Heineman, Meriden.
George W. Klett, New Britain.
William H. Lewis, Westbrook.
Thomas J. Molloy, Hartford.
Dwight W. Tuttle, East Haven.
John M. Wadhams, Goshen.

Representatives :

John S. Addis, New Milford.
Walter A. Allen, Willington.
William J. Atchison, Sherman.
Alfred B. Aubrey, Meriden.
Joseph D. Austin, Ledyard.
Harry E. Back, Killingly.
Oscar D. Baker, Ashford.
Earle A. Barker, Branford.
William J. Barker, Canterbury.
Harry R. Bartlett, Tolland.
John N. Brooks, Torrington.
Benjamin Brown, Norfolk.
Herbert A. Chittenden, Granby.
Edgar T. Clark, Milford.
John M. Claxton, Torrington.
Charles T. Crandall, Groton.
Harry N. Curtiss, Simsbury.
Tyler D. Davidson, Bethany.
William M. Foord, Stamford.
George B. French, Essex.
William J. Galvin, Hartford.
Joseph H. Glasson, Bristol.
Lyle C. Gray, No. Stonington.
Roger M. Griswold, Berlin.
Burton E. Hoskins, Barkhamsted.
George C. Hosford, Thomaston.
Ernest M. Howard, Bolton.
Jesse A. James, Newtown.
Charles H. Kenyon, Groton.
Frederick E. Knapp, N. Fairfield.
Fred H. Lawton, Canton.
Clayton A. Lord, Hebron.

Charles J. Martin, Orange.
William B. Mitchell, Preston.
Herbert C. Nickerson, E. Haven.
Dennis O'Brien, Portland.
Charles T. Osborn, Hartland.
Sidney V. Osborn, Branford.
William E. Page, Kent.
Clayton E. Peck, Cheshire.
Harley Perkins, Warren.
James H. Perry, Ridgefield.
Charles W. Pierson, Lyme.
William N. Pinney, Ellington.
Joseph Plessis, Putnam.
William F. Quigg, Chatham.
Frederick A. Rathbun, Hebron.
Lee F. Revere, North Branford.
Benjamin R. Ritch, Woodstock.
J. Frank Rogers, Salem.
Winfield S. Rogers, Litchfield.
Frederick P. Sherman, Monroe.
Francis S. Skiff, Canaan.
Edmund C. Spencer, Old Saybrook.
Edward J. Stanford, New Haven.
Andrew Steele, East Windsor.
John W. Treadwell, Trumbull.
Tressillian G. Tucker, Columbia.
Daniel W. Williams, Colchester.
Charles E. Williamson, Darien.
Ralph K. Woodward, Sharon.
Alfred H. Wright, Goshen.

1917

Senators :

John N. Brooks, Torrington.
John Y. Caldwell, Bridgeport.
Frank H. Hinckley, Stonington.
Henry H. Hunt, Glastonbury.
George W. Klett, New Britain.
James R. May, New London.
William F. Quigg, East Hampton.
Charles E. Williamson, Darien.

Representatives :

Harry E. Back, Killingly.
Earle A. Barker, Branford.
David L. Brockett, Suffield.
Edward O. Buck, Wethersfield.
John J. Burke, East Hartford.
Charles H. Camp, Brookfield.
John M. Claxton, Torrington.
Wallace S. Coker, East Haven.
Wilbur W. Cooper, Colebrook.
Frederic J. Corbett, Hartford.
Richard Covert, New Britain.
Henry P. Crawford, Greenwich.
Jesse Dearden, Tolland.
Fred. H. Dunham, E. Hampton.
Frank P. Fenton, Windham.
William M. Foord, Litchfield.
Walter L. Frazier, Barkhamsted.
Addison E. Frink, Andover.
Charles S. Gates, Old Saybrook.
Joseph H. Glasson, Bristol.
Frederick W. Goodrich, Portland.

Bert C. Hallock, Mansfield.
Edward W. Hazen, Haddam.
Thomas H. Holian, Newtown.
Arthur M. Keefe, Hebron.
R. Leland Keeney, Somers.
Frederick E. Knapp, N. Fairfield.
James E. A. Knowlton, Ashford.
Horace G. Lewis, No. Stonington.
John L. Mahoney, Oxford.
Wm. E. Markham, E. Hampton.
Patrick A. Marren, Derby.
Charles J. Martin, Orange.
Henry Martin, Tolland.
John O. Northway, Colebrook.
Sidney V. Osborn, Branford.
Ernest L. Palmer, East Granby.

Eli S. Roberts, Bridgewater.
Carl H. Rogers, Salem.
Charles B. Russ, Chaplin.
Frederick P. Sherman, Monroe.
George H. Stone, N. Stonington.
George A. Sullivan, Guilford.
Charles T. Swanson, Cornwall.
Carlyle C. Thomson, W. Hartford.
George R. Towne, Union.
Lester F. Turney, Windsor.
Eli Wakeman, Weston.
Thomas Walker, Southington.
George Weigold, Torrington.
Hiram B. West, Norwalk.
Charles H. Williams, Plainfield.
William M. Wooding, Bethany.

APPENDIX.

LENGTH OF SESSIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Since the operation of the amendment to the Constitution of 1884 providing for biennial sessions, the General Assembly has convened and adjourned as follows:

In 1887	Met	January	5th	Adjourned	May	19th.
1889	"	"	9th	"	June	22d.
1891	"	"	7th	Dead-lock	Session.	
1893	"	"	4th	Adjourned	June	30th.
1895	"	"	9th	"	July	9th.
1897	"	"	6th	"	June	12th.
1899	"	"	4th	"	June	20th.
1901	"	"	9th	"	June	17th.
1903	"	"	7th	"	June	18th.
1905	"	"	4th	"	July	19th.
1907	"	"	9th	"	August	1st.
1909	"	"	6th	"	August	24th.
1911	"	"	4th	"	September	26th.
1913	"	"	8th	"	June	4th.
1915	"	"	6th	"	May	18th.
1916	"	September	12th	(Special Session)		
				Adjourned	September	12th.
1917	"	January	3d	"	May	17th.
1918	"	March	19th	(Special Session)		
				Adjourned	March	20th, 1918.
1919	"	January	8th	"	May	8th, 1919.

Under the provisions of Article XXXV of the Constitution, adopted 1911-1912: "The General Assembly shall adjourn *sine die* not later than the first Wednesday after the first Monday in June following its organization."

LEGAL HOLIDAYS IN CONNECTICUT

New Year's Day,.....	January first
Lincoln Day,	February twelfth
Washington's Birthday,	February twenty-second
Memorial Day,	May thirtieth
Independence Day,	July fourth
Labor Day,	First Monday of September
Columbus Day,	October twelfth
Christmas Day,	December twenty-fifth

And the day designated by the Governor as a day of Fasting and Prayer, customarily Good Friday; and the day designated by the Governor as a day of Thanksgiving, customarily the last Thursday of November.

CONNECTICUT TOWNS IN THE ORDER OF THEIR ESTABLISHMENT SINCE 1819; WITH THE ORIGIN OF THEIR NAMES.

- Salem, named from Salem, Mass., and inc. as New Salem, from Colchester, Lyme and Montville, May, 1819.
- Darien, inc. from Stamford, May, 1820, and named from the Isthmus of Darien.
- Bridgeport, name descriptive, 1800; inc. from Fairfield and Stratford May, 1821.
- Chaplin, society, named 1809 from its deacon, Benj. Chaplin; inc. from Mansfield and Hampton, May, 1822.
- Orange, inc. from Milford and New Haven, May, 1822, and named from Wm. of Orange (III. of Eng.).
- Manchester, inc. from East Hartford, May, 1823, and named from Manchester, Eng. because of manufacturing.
- Monroe, inc. from Huntington May, 1823, and named from Pres. James Monroe.
- Madison, inc. from Guilford May, 1826, and named from Pres. James Madison.
- Prospect, inc. from Cheshire and Waterbury, May, 1827; named as fine lookout place.
- Avon, inc. from Farmington May, 1830, and named from Avon river at Stratford-on-Avon.
- North Branford, Named as society, 1768; inc. from Branford, May, 1831.
- Bethany, named as parish, 1762; Heb. = house of dates; inc. from Woodbridge May, 1832.
- Bloomfield, inc. from Windsor, Farmington and Simsbury, 1835; named from a Hartford family.
- Westport, inc. from Fairfield, Norwalk and Weston May, 1835; name descriptive.
- Chester, parish 1640; named from Chester in Cheshire; inc. from Saybrook May, 1836.
- Ledyard, inc. from Groton May, 1836; named from Col. Wm. Ledyard, commander at Fort Griswold, Groton, 1781.
- Clinton, inc. from Killingworth May, 1838, and named from Gov. Dewitt Clinton of N. Y.
- East Lyme, named 1816; inc. from Lyme and Waterford May, 1839.
- Westbrook, parish named 1810 as west parish of Saybrook; inc. from Saybrook, May, 1840.
- Portland, inc. from Chatham May, 1841, and named from Portland, Dorsetshire, famed for quarries.
- Rocky Hill, name given Stepney parish from a hill in it, 1826; inc. from Wethersfield May, 1843.
- Naugatuck, inc. from Bethany, Oxford and Waterbury May, 1844; Algonkin name = one tree.
- Easton, inc. from Weston May, 1845; named as east part of Weston.
- South Windsor, inc. and named from East Windsor, May, 1845.
- Eastford, named as east parish of Ashford, 1777; inc. from Ashford May, 1847.
- Andover, parish named 1747, perhaps from Andover, Mass.; inc. from Coventry & Hebron, May, 1848.
- New Britain, parish named 1754 from (Great) Britain; inc. from Berlin May, 1850.

Seymour, inc. from Derby May, 1850, and named from Gov. Thomas H. Seymour.

Cromwell, inc. from Middletown May, 1851, and named from Oliver Cromwell.

Old Saybrook, inc. from Saybrook May, 1852, and named at the same time.

Essex, parish named 1820; named from Essex, England; inc. from Old Saybrook, May, 1854.

West Hartford, named 1806; inc. from Hartford May, 1854.

Windsor Locks, named 1833 from canal locks there; inc. from Windsor, May, 1854.

Bethel, named 1759; Hebrew = house of God; inc. from Danbury May, 1855.

Old Lyme, inc. as South Lyme, from Lyme, 1855; named Old Lyme, 1857.

Putnam, inc. from Pomfret, Thompson & Killingly May, 1855; named from Israel Putnam.

Bridgewater, named 1803; name descriptive; inc. from New Milford May, 1856.

Scotland, parish named by first settler, Magoon, a Scot, 1706; inc. from Windham May, 1857.

East Granby, named 1822; inc. from Granby and Windsor Locks June, 1858.

North Canaan, named 1813; inc. from Canaan (whence its name) May, 1858.

Morris, inc. from Litchfield May, 1859, and named from James Morris, prominent resident.

Sprague, inc. from Lisbon and Franklin May, 1861, and named from W. Sprague, village founder.

Middlefield, named 1744 from rural part of Middletown; inc. from Middletown, May, 1866.

Plainville, named 1831 = earlier name "Great Plain;" inc. from Farmington May, 1869.

Beacon Falls, name descriptive, 1856; inc. from Bethany, Oxford, Naugatuck and Seymour May, 1871.

Newington, parish named 1718, from Newington in Surrey or Stoke-N., Middlesex (London), inc. from Wethersfield, July, 1871.

Thomaston, inc. from Plymouth May, 1875; named 1866 from Seth Thomas, clock mfr. there.

Ansonia, inc., from Derby, April, 1889; named from Anson G. Phelps, founder of mfg. village.

CITIES IN CONNECTICUT WITH DATE OF INCORPORATION.

New Haven,	New Haven County,	January session,	1784
New London,	New London	"	1784
Hartford,	Hartford	"	1784
Middletown,	Middlesex	"	1784
Norwich,	New London	"	1784
Bridgeport,	Fairfield	"	1836
Waterbury,	New Haven	"	1853
Meriden,	"	"	1867
New Britain,	Hartford	"	1870
Danbury,	Fairfield	"	1889
Rockville (Vernon),	Tolland	"	1889
Ansonia,	New Haven	"	1893
Derby,	"	"	1893
Norwalk,	Fairfield	"	1893
Stamford,	"	"	1893
Willimantic (Windham),	Windham	"	1893
Putnam,	"	"	1895
Bristol,	Hartford	"	1911
Shelton (Huntington),	Fairfield	"	1915
Winsted,	Litchfield County, named January session, 1917		

BOROUGHES IN CONNECTICUT WITH DATE OF INCORPORATION.

Stonington,	New London County,	May session,	1801
Guilford,	New Haven	"	1815
Newtown,	Fairfield	"	1824
Colchester,	New London	"	1846
Wallingford,	New Haven	"	1853
Danielson (Killingly),	Windham	"	1854
Greenwich,	Fairfield	"	1854
Fair Haven East (New Haven)	New Haven	"	1872
Stafford Springs (Stafford),	Tolland	"	1873
Litchfield,	Litchfield	"	1879
Torrington,	Litchfield	"	1887
New Canaan,	Fairfield	"	1889
Southington,	Hartford	"	1889
Branford,	New Haven	"	1893
Naugatuck,	New Haven	"	1893
Jewett City (Griswold),	New London	"	1895
Fenwick (Old Saybrook),	Middlesex	"	1899
Farmington,	Hartford	"	1901
Ridgefield,	Fairfield	"	1901
Groton,	New London	"	1903
Woodmont (Milford),	New Haven	"	1903
Bantam (Litchfield),	Litchfield	"	1915

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS

WITH POPULATION IN 1910.

- 1st. County of Hartford — 250,182.
 - 2d. Counties of Tolland, Windham, New London, and Middlesex — 211,710.
 - 3d. Towns of Cheshire, Meriden, Wallingford, Bethany, Hamden, North Haven, North Branford, Guilford, Madison, Woodbridge, Orange, Milford, New Haven, East Haven, and Branford — 217,139.
 - 4th. County of Fairfield — 245,322.
 - 5th. County of Litchfield and the towns of Southbury, Middlebury, Waterbury, Wolcott, Oxford, Naugatuck, Prospect, Beacon Falls, Seymour, Ansonia and Derby — 190,403.
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SENATORIAL DISTRICTS

WITH POPULATION IN 1910.

1. Hartford, wards 8, 9, and 10 — 31,309.
2. Hartford, wards 3, 4, 5, and 6 — 34,596.
3. Hartford, wards 1, 2 and 7 — 33,010.
4. East Hartford, Glastonbury, Manchester, Marlborough, Newington, South Windsor, Rocky Hill, and Wethersfield — 35,152.
5. Avon, Berlin, Bristol, Burlington, Farmington, Plainville, Southington, and West Hartford — 37,570.
6. New Britain — 43,916.
7. Bloomfield, Canton, East Granby, East Windsor, Enfield, Granby, Hartland, Simsbury, Suffield, Windsor, and Windsor Locks — 34,629.
8. New Haven, wards 8, 9, 12, and 14 — 38,914.
9. New Haven, wards 1, 2, 10, and 13 — 27,151.
10. New Haven, wards 3, 4, and 5 — 38,987.
11. New Haven, wards 6, 7, 11, and 15 — 28,553.
12. Branford, East Haven, Guilford, Hamden, Madison, North Branford, North Haven, and Wallingford — 32,469.
13. Meriden — 32,066.
14. Bethany, Cheshire, Milford, Naugatuck, Orange, Prospect, Woodbridge, and Wolcott — 32,823.
15. Waterbury, wards 1, 2, and 3 — 44,176.
16. Waterbury, wards 4 and 5 — 28,965.
17. Ansonia, Beacon Falls, Derby, Middlebury, Oxford, Seymour, and Southbury — 33,178.
18. Groton and New London — 26,154.
19. Ledyard, Norwich, and Preston — 31,215.
20. Bozrah, Colchester, East Lyme, Franklin, Griswold, Lyme, Lebanon, Lisbon, Montville, North Stonington, Old Lyme, Salem, Sprague, Stonington, Voluntown, and Waterford — 33,884.

21. Bridgeport, voting districts, 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5—37,411.
22. Bridgeport, voting districts, 6, 7, 8, and 11—29,376.
23. Bridgeport, voting districts, 9, 10, and 12—35,267.
24. Bethel, Brookfield, Danbury, New Fairfield, Redding, Ridgefield, and Sherman—34,250.
25. Easton, Fairfield, Huntington, Monroe, Newtown, Stratford, Trumbull, Weston, and Westport—30,189.
26. Darien, New Canaan, Wilton, and Norwalk—33,530.
27. Greenwich and Stamford—45,299.
28. Ashford, Eastford, Killingly, Putnam, Thompson, and Woodstock—21,678.
29. Brooklyn, Canterbury, Chaplin, Hampton, Plainfield, Pomfret, Scotland, Sterling, and Windham—26,683.
30. Goshen, Harwinton, Litchfield, New Hartford, and Torrington—24,104.
31. Barkhamsted, Canaan, Colebrook, Cornwall, Kent, Norfolk, North Canaan, Salisbury, Sharon, and Winchester—22,055.
32. Bethlehem, Bridgewater, Morris, New Milford, Plymouth, Roxbury, Thomaston, Warren, Washington, Watertown, and Woodbury—24,101.
33. Cromwell, Middlefield, and Middletown—23,973.
34. Chester, Clinton, Durham, East Haddam, East Hampton, Essex, Haddam, Killingworth, Old Saybrook, Portland, Saybrook, and Westbrook—21,664.
35. Andover, Bolton, Columbia, Coventry, Ellington, Hebron, Mansfield, Somers, Stafford, Tolland, Union, Vernon, and Willington—26,459.

REPRESENTATION IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

There are 168 towns in the state—90 send two representatives, and 78 one each, making 258 members of the House; these towns are divided into 35 Senatorial Districts; and the State into 5 Congressional Districts.

Hartford County has	7 Senators and 45 Representatives.
New Haven County has	10 Senators and 39 Representatives.
New London County has	3 Senators and 30 Representatives.
Fairfield County has	7 Senators and 34 Representatives.
Windham County has	2 Senators and 24 Representatives.
Litchfield County has	3 Senators and 42 Representatives.
Middlesex County has	2 Senators and 22 Representatives.
Tolland County has	1 Senator and 22 Representatives.

POPULATION OF CONNECTICUT BY COUNTIES, 1910.

Hartford,	250,182	Windham,	48,361
New Haven,	337,282	Litchfield,	70,260
New London,	91,253	Middlesex,	45,637
Fairfield,	245,322	Tolland,	26,459
Total for the State,	. . . . .	. . . . .	1,114,756

THE UNITED STATES AND TERRITORIES.

The Thirteen Original States.

STATES.	Ratified the Constitution.	STATES.	Ratified the Constitution.
Delaware	Dec. 7, 1787	South Carolina	May 23, 1788
Pennsylvania	Dec. 12, 1787	New Hampshire	June 21, 1788
New Jersey	Dec. 18, 1787	Virginia	June 25, 1788
Georgia	Jan. 2, 1788	New York	July 26, 1788
Connecticut	Jan. 9, 1788	North Carolina	Nov. 21, 1789
Massachusetts	Feb. 6, 1788	Rhode Island	May 29, 1790
Maryland	Apr. 28, 1788		

Organization of Territories and Admission of States into the Union.

STATES.	Territory organized.	State admitted.
Vermont	Out of New Hampshire and New York	Mar. 4, 1791
Kentucky	Out of Virginia	June 1, 1792
Tennessee	Out of North Carolina	June 1, 1796
Ohio	Ordinance, 1787	Nov. 29, 1802
Louisiana	March 3, 1805	April 30, 1812
Indiana	May 7, 1800	Dec. 11, 1816
Mississippi	April 7, 1798	Dec. 10, 1817
Illinois	February 3, 1809	Dec. 3, 1818
Alabama	March 3, 1817	Dec. 14, 1819
Maine	Out of Massachusetts	Mar. 15, 1820
Missouri	June 4, 1812	Aug. 10, 1821
Michigan	January 11, 1805	June 15, 1837
Arkansas	March 2, 1819	Jan. 26, 1836
Florida	March 30, 1822	Mar. 3, 1845
Texas	Annexed.	Dec. 29, 1845
Iowa	June 12, 1838	Dec. 28, 1846
Wisconsin	April 20, 1836	May 29, 1848
California	From Mexico	Sept. 9, 1850
Minnesota	March 3, 1849	May 11, 1858
Oregon	August 14, 1848	Feb. 14, 1859
Kansas	May 30, 1854	Jan. 29, 1861
West Virginia	Out of Virginia	June 10, 1863
Nevada	March 2, 1861	Oct. 31, 1864
Nebraska	May 30, 1854	Mar. 1, 1867
Colorado	February 28, 1861	Aug. 1, 1876
North Dakota	March 2, 1861	Nov. 3, 1889
South Dakota	March 2, 1861	Nov. 3, 1889
Montana	May 26, 1864	Nov. 8, 1889
Washington	March 2, 1853	Nov. 11, 1889
Idaho	March 3, 1863	July 3, 1890
Wyoming	July 25, 1868	July 11, 1890
Utah	September 9, 1850	Jan. 4, 1896
Oklahoma	May 2, 1890	Nov. 16, 1907
New Mexico	September 9, 1850	Jan. 6, 1912
Arizona	February 24, 1863	Feb. 14, 1912

TERRITORIES.	When organized.	TERRITORIES.	When organized.
District of Columbia*	July 16, 1790	Alaska	July 27, 1868
	Mar. 3, 1791	Hawaii	April 30, 1900

NEW POSSESSIONS: A government for Porto Rico was established by the Fifty-sixth Congress. The Philippines are under a provisional civil government, Guam, Tutulia and the Isthmian Canal Zone under governors, all appointed by the President.

* Reduced from 100 to 70 square miles by recession of part of Virginia in 1846.

PRESIDENTS OF THE UNITED STATES.

Year of qualification.

NAME.	WHERE FROM	TERM OF OFFICE.
1789	George Washington,.....	Virginia .....8 years.
1797	John Adams,.....	Massachusetts, ...4 years.
1801	Thomas Jefferson,.....	Virginia, .....8 years.
1809	James Madison,.....	Virginia, .....8 years.
1817	James Monroe,.....	Virginia, .....8 years.
1825	John Quincy Adams,.....	Massachusetts, ...4 years.
1829	Andrew Jackson,.....	Tennessee, .....8 years.
1837	Martin Van Buren,.....	New York, .....4 years.
1841	Wm. Henry Harrison,*.....	Ohio, .....1 month.
1841	John Tyler,.....	Virginia, .....3 years 11 months.
1845	James Knox Polk,.....	Tennessee, .....4 years.
1849	Zachary Taylor,†.....	Louisiana, .....1 year 4 mos. 5 days.
1850	Millard Fillmore,.....	New York, .....2 years, 7 mos. 26 days.
1853	Franklin Pierce,.....	New Hampshire, .4 years.
1857	James Buchanan,.....	Pennsylvania, ...4 years.
1861	Abraham Lincoln,‡.....	Illinois, .....4 years 1 mo. 10 days.
1865	Andrew Johnson,.....	Tennessee, .....3 years 10 mo. 20 days.
1869	Ulysses S. Grant,.....	Illinois, .....8 years.
1877	Rutherford B. Hayes,.....	Ohio, .....4 years.
1881	James A. Garfield,||.....	Ohio, .....6 mos. 15 days.
1881	Chester A. Arthur,.....	New York, .....3 years 5 mos. 15 days.
1885	Grover Cleveland,.....	New York, .....4 years.
1889	Benjamin Harrison,.....	Indiana, .....4 years.
1893	Grover Cleveland,.....	New York, .....4 years.
1897	William McKinley,¶.....	Ohio, .....4 years 6 mos. 9 days.
1901	Theodore Roosevelt,.....	New York, .....7 years 5 mos. 21 days.
1909	William H. Taft,.....	Ohio, .....4 years.
1913	Woodrow Wilson,.....	New Jersey, .....4 years.

* Died in office April 4, 1841, and was succeeded by Vice-President Tyler.

† Died in office July 9, 1850, and was succeeded by Vice-President Fillmore.

‡ Assassinated April 14, 1865, and was succeeded by Vice-President Johnson, April 15, 1865.

|| Died September 19, 1881, from wound by assassin, and was succeeded by Vice-President Arthur.

¶ Died September 14, 1901, from wound by assassin, and was succeeded by Vice-President Roosevelt.

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