TWENTY-FOURTH CONGRESS
MARCH 4, 1835, TO MARCH 3, 1837

FIRST SESSION—December 7, 1835, to July 4, 1836
SECOND SESSION—December 5, 1836, to March 3, 1837

VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES—Martin Van Buren, of New York
PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE—William R. King, 1 of Alabama
SECRETARY OF THE SENATE—Walter Lowrie, 2 of Pennsylvania; Asbury Dickens, 3 of North Carolina
SERGEANT AT ARMS OF THE SENATE—John Shackford, of New Hampshire

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES—James K. Polk, 4 of Tennessee
CLERK OF THE HOUSE—Walter S. Franklin,

DOORKEEPER OF THE HOUSE—Overton Carr, of Maryland

ALABAMA

SENATORS
William R. King, Selma
Gabriel Moore, Huntsville

REPRESENTATIVES
Reuben Chapman, Somerville
Joshua L. Martin, Athens
Joab Lawler, Mardisville
Dixson H. Lewis, Loundesboro
Francis S. Lyon, Demopolis

ARKANSAS

SENATORS
William S. Fulton, Little Rock
Ambrose H. Sevier, Lake Port

ARCHIBALD YELL, Representative at Large

CONNECTICUT

SENATORS
Gideon Tomlinson, Fairfield

Nathan Smith, 11 New Haven
John M. Niles, 12 Hartford

REPRESENTATIVES AT LARGE
Elisha Haley, Mystic
Andrew T. Judson, 13 Canterbury
Orrin Holt, 14 Willington
Samuel Ingham, Saybrook

Lancelot Phelps, Hitchcockville
Isaac Toucey, Hartford
Zalmon Wildman, 15 Danbury
Thomas T. Whittlesey, 16 Danbury

DELAWARE

SENATORS
John M. Clayton, 17 Dover

Thomas Clayton, 18 New Castle
Arnold Naudain, 19 Wilmington
Richard H. Bayard, 20 Wilmington

REPRESENTATIVE AT LARGE
John J. Milligan, Wilmington

GEORGIA

SENATORS
John P. King, Augusta
Alfred Cuthbert, Monticello

REPRESENTATIVES AT LARGE
George W. B. Towns, 21 Talbotton
Julius C. Alford, 22 Lagrange
William Schley, 23 Augusta

Jesse F. Cleveland, 24 Decatur
John Coffee, 25 Jacksonville
William C. Dawson, 26 Greensboro
John W. A. Sanford, 27 Milledgeville

Thomas Glasscock, 28 Augusta
Seaton Grantland, Milledgeville
Charles E. Haynes, Sparta
James C. Terrell, 29 Carnesville

Hopkins Holsey, 30 Hamilton
Jabez Y. Jackson, 31 Clarkeville
George W. Owens, Savannah

ILLINOIS

SENATORS
Elias K. Kane, 32 Kaskaskia

1 Elected July 1, 1836; January 28, 1837.
2 Reelected December 15, 1835; resigned December 5, 1836.
3 Elected December 12, 1836; Lewis H. Machen, the principal clerk, was appointed on December 5, 1836, to act in the interim.
4 Elected December 7, 1835.
5 Reelected December 7, 1835.
6 Elected December 15, 1835.
7 Admitted as a State into the Union June 15, 1836.
8 Took his seat December 5, 1836; term to expire, as determined by lot, March 3, 1841.
9 Took his seat December 5, 1836; term to expire, as determined by lot, March 3, 1837.
10 Took his seat December 5, 1836.
11 Died December 6, 1835.
12 Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Nathan Smith, and took his seat December 21, 1835, subsequently elected.
13 Resigned July 4, 1836.
14 Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Andrew T. Judson, and took his seat December 5, 1836.
15 Died December 10, 1835.
16 Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Zalmon Wildman, and took his seat April 29, 1836.
17 Resigned December 26, 1836.
18 Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Zalmon Wildman, and took his seat June 20, 1836.
19 Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Arnold Naudain, and took his seat June 20, 1836.
20 Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of George W. B. Towns, and took his seat January 31, 1837.
21 Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of William Schley, and took his seat December 7, 1835.
22 Died September 25, 1835.
23 Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of William Schley, and took his seat December 26, 1836.
24 Resigned July 1, 1835.
25 Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of William Schley, and took his seat December 7, 1835.
26 Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of John W. A. Sanford, and took his seat December 7, 1835.
27 Died September 25, 1835.
28 Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of John W. A. Sanford, and took his seat December 7, 1835.
29 Resigned July 8, 1835.
30 Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of James C. Terrell, and took his seat December 7, 1835.
31 Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of James M. Wayne in preceding Congress, and took his seat December 7, 1835.
32 Died December 12, 1835.
ILLINOIS—Continued

SENATORS—Continued

William L. D. Ewing, 33 Vandalia
John M. Robinson, Carmi

REPRESENTATIVES

John Reynolds, Belleville
Zadoc Casey, Mount Vernon
William L. May, Springfield

INDIANA

SENATORS

William Hendricks, Madison
John Tipton, Logansport

REPRESENTATIVES

Ratliff Boon, Boonville
John Carr, Charlestown
John W. Davis, Carlisle
Amos Lane, Lawrenceburg
Johnathan McCarty, Fort Wayne
George L. Kinnard, 34 Indianapolis
William Herod, 35 Columbus
Edward A. Hannegan, Covington

KENTUCKY

SENATORS

Henry Clay, Lexington
John J. Crittenden, Frankfort

REPRESENTATIVES

Linn Boyd, New Design
Albert G. Hawes, Hawesville
Joseph R. Underwood, Bowling Green
Sherron Williams, Monticello
James Harlan, Harrodsburg
John Calhoun, Hardinsburg
Benjamin Hardin, Bardstown
William J. Graves, New Castle
John White, Richmond
Chilton Allan, Winchester
Richard French, Mount Sterling
John Chambers, Washington
Richard M. Johnson, Great Crossings

LOUISIANA

SENATORS

Alexander Porter, 36 Attakapas
Alexander Mouton, 37 Vermilionville
Robert C. Nicholas, 38 Donaldsonville

REPRESENTATIVES

Henry Johnson, Donaldsonville
Eleazer W. Ripley, Jackson
Rice Garland, Opelousas

MAINE

SENATORS

Ether Shepley, 39 Saco
Judah Dana, 40 Fryeburg
John Ruggles, Thomaston

REPRESENTATIVES

Jeremiah Bailey, Wiscasset
George Evans, Gardiner
John Fairfield, Saco
Joseph Hall, Camden
Leonard Jarvis, Ellsworth
Moses Mason, Jr., Bethel
Gorham Parks, Bangor
Francis O. J. Smith, Portland

MARYLAND

SENATORS

Robert H. Goldsborough, 41 Easton
John S. Spence, 42 Berlin
Joseph Kent, Bladensburg

REPRESENTATIVES

John N. Steele, Vienna
James A. Pearce, Chestertown
James Turner, Wiseburg
Benjamin C. Howard, Baltimore
Isaac McKim, Baltimore
George C. Washington, Rockville
Francis Thomas, Frederick
Daniel Jenifer, Harris Lot

MASSACHUSETTS

SENATORS

Daniel Webster, Boston
John Davis, Worcester

REPRESENTATIVES

Abbott Lawrence, Boston
Stephen C. Phillips, Salem
Caleb Cushing, Newburyport
Samuel Hoar, Concord
Levi Lincoln, Worcester
George Grennell, Jr., Greenfield
George N. Briggs, Lanesboro
William B. Calhoun, Springfield
William Jackson, Newton
Nathaniel B. Borden, Fall River
John Reed, Yarmouth
John Quincy Adams, Quincy

MICHIGAN 43

SENATORS

Lucius Lyon, 44 Bronson
John Norvell, 45 Detroit

REPRESENTATIVE AT LARGE

Isaac E. Crary, 46 Marshall

MISSISSIPPI

SENATORS

John Black, Monroe

REPRESENTATIVE AT LARGE

Robert J. Walker, Madisonville

NEW HAMPSHIRE

SENATORS

Samuel L. Southard, Trenton
Garret D. Wall, Burlington

REPRESENTATIVES AT LARGE

Philemon Dickerson, 49 Paterson
William Chetwood, 50 Elizabethtown
Samuel Fowler, Hamburg
Thomas Lee, Port Elizabeth
James Parker, Perth Amboy
Ferdinand S. Schenck, Six Mile Run
William N. Shinn, Mount Holly

NEW JERSEY

SENATORS

Silas Wright, Jr., Canton
Nathaniel P. Tallmadge, Poughkeepsie

REPRESENTATIVES

Abel Huntingdon, East Hampton
Samuel Barton, Richmond
Churchill C. Cambreleng, New York City
Campbell P. White, 53 New York City
Gideon Lee, 54 New York City
John McKeon, New York City
Ely Moore, New York City
Aaron Ward, Mount Pleasant
Abraham Bockee, Federal Store

NEW YORK

SENATORS

Robert J. Walker, Madisonville
John F. H. Claiborne, Madisonville
David Dickson, 47 Jackson
Samuel J. Gholson, 48 Athens

MISSOURI

SENATORS

Thomas H. Benton, St. Louis
Lewis F. Linn, Ste. Genevieve

REPRESENTATIVES AT LARGE

William H. Ashley, St. Louis
Albert G. Harrison, Fulton

ILLINOIS—Continued

RESIGNED 33 Died November 26, 1836.
34 Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Elias K. Kane, and took his seat January 25, 1836.
35 Died in 1836.
36 Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of William L. D. Ewing, and took his seat March 4, 1835, to January 13, 1836.
37 Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Daniel Webster, and took his seat December 5, 1836.
38 Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Nathaniel B. Borden, and took his seat January 11, 1837.
39 Resigned March 3, 1836.
40 Appointed to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Eleazer Ruggles, and took his seat December 23, 1836.
41 Died October 5, 1836.
42 Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Robert H. Goldsborough, and took his seat January 11, 1837.
43 Admitted as a State into the Union January 26, 1837.
44 Took his seat January 26, 1837; term to expire, as determined by lot, March 3, 1839.
45 Took his seat January 26, 1837; term to expire, as determined by lot, March 5, 1841.
46 Died in 1836.
47 Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of David Dickson, and took his seat January 7, 1837.
48 Resigned May 30, 1836, having been elected governor.
49 Appointed to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Isaac Hill, and took his seat June 13, 1836.
50 Resigned November 3, 1836.
51 Resigned after Congress assembled.
52 Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Philemon Dickerson and took his seat December 5, 1836.
53 Resigned before Congress assembled.
54 Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Campbell P. White, and took his seat December 7, 1835.
John W. Brown, Newburgh
Nicholas Sickles, Kingston
Valentine Efner, Jefferson
Aaron Vanderpoel, Kinderhook
Hiram P. Hunt, Troy
Gerrit Y. Lansing, Albany
John Cramer, Waterford
David A. Russell, Salem
Dudley Farlin, Warrensburg
Ranson H. Gillet, Ogdensburg
Matthias J. Bovee, Amsterdam
Abijah Mann, Jr., Fairfield
Samuel Beardsley, "Unadilla"
David Newlands contested the seat December 7, 1835; David Newlands contested the seat December 5, 1836.


Presented credentials as a Member-elect and took his seat December 16, 1835; elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Willie P. Mangum, and took his seat December 15, 1836.

Resigned March 29, 1836.

Resigned September 2, 1836.

Resigned March 29, 1836.

Resigned October 30, 1836.

Resigned in 1836.

Resigned February 26, 1836.

Resigned February 29, 1836.

Resigned September 2, 1836.

Resigned in 1836.

Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Richard B. Campbell, Brownsville

Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Representative-elect Warren R. Davis in preceding Congress, and took his seat December 19, 1836.

Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of James H. Hammond, and took his seat December 19, 1836.

Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Jesse Miller, and took his seat December 5, 1836.

Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Samuel Bunch, Rutledge

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Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of John K. Griffin, Milton

Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of John J. Pearson, Kittanning

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Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of John C. Calhoun, Fort Hill

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Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of James H. Hammond, and took his seat December 19, 1836.
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SENATORS—Continued

William C. Rives, 72 Lindseys Store
Benjamin W. Leigh, 73 Richmond
Richard E. Parker, 74 Snickersville

REPRESENTATIVES

James M. H. Beale, Mount Jackson
James W. Bouldin, Charlotte
Nathaniel H. Claiborne, Rocky Mount
Walter Coles, Robertson's Store
Robert Craig, Christiansburg
George C. Dromgoole, Gholsonville
James Garland, Lovingston
George W. Hopkins, Lebanon
Joseph Johnson, Bridgeport
John W. Jones, Petersburg

George Loyall, Norfolk
Edward Lucas, Charlestown
William McComas, Cabell
John Y. Mason, 75 Hicksford
Charles F. Mercer, Aldie
William S. Morgan, White Day
John M. Patton, Fredericksburg
John Roane, Rumford Academy
John Robertson, Richmond
John Taliaferro, Fredericksburg
Henry A. Wise, Accomac

ARKANSAS TERRITORY 76

DELEGATE

Ambrose H. Sevier, 77 Lake Port

TERRITORY OF FLORIDA

DELEGATE

Joseph M. White, Monticello

MICHIGAN TERRITORY 78

DELEGATE

George W. Jones, 79 Sinsinawa Mound

TERRITORY OF WISCONSIN 80

DELEGATE

George W. Jones, 79 Sinsinawa Mound

72 Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of John Tyler, and took his seat March 14, 1836.
73 Resigned July 4, 1836.
74 Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Benjamin W. Leigh, and took his seat December 15, 1836.
75 Resigned January 11, 1837.
76 Granted statehood June 15, 1836.
77 Served as a Delegate until June 15, 1836, when Arkansas Territory was granted statehood; subsequently elected Senator.
78 A portion of this Territory was granted statehood as the State of Michigan January 26, 1837.
79 Served as a Delegate from the Michigan Territory until December 5, 1836, when he became the Delegate from the new Territory of Wisconsin.
80 Formed from a portion of Michigan Territory and granted a Delegate in Congress by act of April 20, 1836.