State of Missouri, to wit:

The General Assembly of this State on the seconds day of October one thousand eight hundred and twenty having in pursuance of the Constitution of the United States of America chosen David Barton a senator I Alexander McNair being Governor of the State of Missouri do hereby certify the same to the senate of the United States.

Given under my hands and private seal (there being no seal of State yet provided) this ninth day of October one thousand eight hundred and twenty

A McNair

By the Governor

Joshua Barton

Secretary of State.

Certificate of Election for David Barton, 1821, first Class 3 Senator from Missouri, 17th Congress; Records of the U.S. Senate, National Archives and Records Administration

State of Missouri, towit:

The General Assembly of this State on the second day of October One thousand eight hundred and twenty having in pursuance of the Constitution of the United States of America chosen Thomas H. Benton a Senator. I Alexander McNair being Governor of the State of Missouri do hereby certify the same to the Senate of the United States.

Given under my hand and private seal (there being no seal of State yet provided) this ninth day of October, One thousand eight hundred and twenty

A McNair

By the Governour

Joshua Barton

Secretary of State.

Certificate of Election for Thomas Hart Benton, 1820, first Class 1 Senator from Missouri, 17th Congress; Records of the U.S. Senate, National Archives and Records Administration