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Forgotten Books, 2017. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Excerpt from Abraham Lincoln and Wartime Governors: War Governors; Excerpts From Newspapers and Other Sources Levi Lincoln, Jr, oldest son of Levi, Sr., was the first one of the boys to reach a governor's chair, having been elected to that office by the State of Massachusetts in 1825, receiving of the votes cast. He was continuously reelected to the office for seven years and served until November, 1833, when he voluntarily withdrew from being a candidate. Although Massachusetts has had more than fifty governors since the state has been in the Union, not one of them has served a continuous term of office equal to the incumbency of Levi Lincoln, Jr. One of his last official acts was performed in 1864, when, as presidential elector, he cast his vote for his kinsman, Abraham Lincoln. Two years after Levi Lincoln, Jr., started on his long career as Governor of Massachusetts, his younger brother, Enoch, was elected Governor of the State of Maine. For three consecutive terms, beginning in 1826, he was elected Governor with the approbation of both political parties, and was...



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