

NEW VOTE DEVICE TESTED

Machines Tried Out in Nassau Print Election Totals

Special to The New York Times.

EAST MEADOW, L. I., Nov. 3
—Five new voting machines, each capable of producing four carbon copies of printed totals, were secretly tested here yesterday for the first time under actual voting conditions.

The Nassau Board of Elections reported that the machines worked perfectly, printing copies of the ballots cast at the Bowling Green School. They were developed by the Automatic Voting Machine Company of Jamestown, N. Y.

Company technicians brought the machines to Nassau secretly for the test. Voters were not aware of the experiment because the fronts are the same as on conventional machines.

The dials in the back have raised type rather than flat printed numbers. Once the machine is closed, a crank is turned and the carbon copies come out of the back like a cash register slip.

Advantages include the elimination of errors in transmitting the recording figures and the saving of time in collecting the totals.