Events[edit]

January-March[edit]

- March 2 President Andrew Jackson signs the Force Bill, which authorizes him to use troops to enforce Federal law in South Carolina.
- March 4 Andrew Jackson is sworn in for his second term as President of the United States.

April-June[edit]

- May 11 French-American farmhand Antoine le Blanc murders family of three.
- June 6 President Andrew Jackson becomes the first President to ride a train.

July-September[edit]

- 1 July 29 Old State Bank erected in Decatur, Alabama.
- 2 August 12 The city of Chicago is established at the estuary of the Chicago River by 350 settlers.
- 3 August 20 Future United States President Benjamin Harrison is born in Ohio. From this date until the death of former U.S. President James Madison on June 28, 1836, there are a total of 19 living Presidents of the United States (3 former, 1 current, and 15 known future); more than any other time period in U.S. history.
- 4 September 2 Oberlin College is founded in Ohio by John Shipherd and Philo P. Stewart.

October-December[edit]

- November 12–13 Stars Fell on Alabama: A spectacular occurrence of the Leonid meteor shower is observed in Alabama.
- November 24 Psi Upsilon is founded at Union College, becoming the fifth fraternity in the United States
- December Oberlin College in Oberlin, Ohio

Ongoing[edit]

Nullification Crisis (1832–1833)