

# FOURTEENTH CONGRESS

MARCH 4, 1815, TO MARCH 3, 1817

FIRST SESSION—December 4, 1815, to April 30, 1816

SECOND SESSION—December 2, 1816, to March 3, 1817

VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES<sup>1</sup>

PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE—JOHN GAILLARD, of South Carolina

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE—CHARLES CUTTS, of New Hampshire

SERGEANT AT ARMS OF THE SENATE—MOUNTJOY BAYLY, of Maryland

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES—HENRY CLAY,<sup>2</sup> of Kentucky

CLERK OF THE HOUSE—THOMAS DOUGHERTY,<sup>3</sup> of Kentucky

SERGEANT AT ARMS OF THE HOUSE—THOMAS DUNN, of Maryland

DOORKEEPER OF THE HOUSE—THOMAS CLAXTON

## CONNECTICUT

SENATORS

Samuel W. Dana, *Middlesex*

David Daggett, *New Haven*

REPRESENTATIVES AT LARGE

Epaphroditus Champion, *East Haddam*

John Davenport, *Stamford*

Lyman Law, *New London*

Jonathan O. Moseley, *East Haddam*

Timothy Pitkin, *Farmington*

Lewis B. Sturges, *Fairfield*

Benjamin Tallmadge, *Litchfield*

## DELAWARE

SENATORS

Outerbridge Horsey, *Wilmington*

William H. Wells, *Dagsborough*

REPRESENTATIVES AT LARGE

Thomas Clayton, *Dover*

Thomas Cooper, *Georgetown*

## GEORGIA

SENATORS

Charles Tait, *Elbert*

William W. Bibb, <sup>4</sup> *Petersburg*

George M. Troup, <sup>5</sup> *Dublin*

REPRESENTATIVES AT LARGE

Alfred Cuthbert, <sup>6</sup> *Eatonton*

Zadock Cook, <sup>7</sup> *Watkinsville*

John Forsyth, *Augusta*

Bolling Hall, *Milledgeville*

Wilson Lumpkin, *Lexington*

Thomas Telfair, *Savannah*

Richard Henry Wilde, *Augusta*

## INDIANA<sup>8</sup>

SENATORS

James Noble, <sup>9</sup> *Brookville*

Waller Taylor, <sup>10</sup> *Vincennes*

REPRESENTATIVE AT LARGE

William Hendricks, <sup>11</sup> *Madison*

## KENTUCKY

SENATORS

William T. Barry, <sup>12</sup> *Lexington*

Martin D. Hardin, <sup>13</sup> *Frankfort*

Isham Talbot, *Frankfort*

REPRESENTATIVES

James Clark, <sup>14</sup> *Winchester*

Thomas Fletcher, <sup>15</sup> *Owingsville*

Henry Clay, *Lexington*

Joseph Desha, *Mays Lick*

Benjamin Hardin, *Bardstown*

Richard M. Johnson, *Great Crossings*

Alney McLean, *Greenville*

Samuel McKee, *Lancaster*

Stephen Ormsby, *Louisville*

Solomon P. Sharp, *Bowling Green*

Micah Taul, *Monticello*

## LOUISIANA

SENATORS

James Brown, *New Orleans*

Eligius Fromentin, *New Orleans*

REPRESENTATIVE AT LARGE

Thomas B. Robertson, *New Orleans*

## MARYLAND

SENATORS

Robert H. Goldsborough, *Easton*

Robert G. Harper, <sup>16</sup> *Baltimore*

Alexander C. Hanson, <sup>17</sup> *Rockville*

REPRESENTATIVES

Stevenson Archer, *Bel Air*

George Baer, *Frederick*

Charles Goldsborough, *Cambridge*

John C. Herbert, *Vannsville*

<sup>1</sup> Vice President Elbridge Gerry died in preceding Congress; Vice Presidency remained vacant until March 4, 1817.

<sup>2</sup> Elected December 4, 1815.

<sup>3</sup> Re-elected December 4, 1815.

<sup>4</sup> Resigned November 9, 1816.

<sup>5</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of William W. Bibb, and took his seat December 12, 1816.

<sup>6</sup> Resigned November 9, 1816.

<sup>7</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Alfred Cuthbert, and took his seat January 23, 1817.

<sup>8</sup> Admitted as a State into the Union December 11, 1816.

<sup>9</sup> Took his seat December 12, 1816; term to expire, as determined by lot, March 3, 1821.

<sup>10</sup> Took his seat December 12, 1816; term to expire, as determined by lot, March 3, 1819.

<sup>11</sup> Took his seat December 11, 1816.

<sup>12</sup> Resigned May 1, 1816.

<sup>13</sup> Appointed to fill vacancy caused by resignation of William T. Barry, and took his seat December 5, 1816; subsequently elected.

<sup>14</sup> Resigned in 1816.

<sup>15</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of James Clark, and took his seat December 2, 1816.

<sup>16</sup> Elected to serve "from January 29, 1816, to March 3, 1821," and took his seat February 5, 1816; resigned December 6, 1816; vacancy in this class from March 4, 1815, to January 28, 1816, caused by failure of legislature to elect.

<sup>17</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Robert G. Harper, and took his seat January 2, 1817.

William Pinkney,<sup>18</sup> *Baltimore*  
 Peter Little,<sup>19</sup> *Baltimore*  
 Alexander C. Hanson,<sup>20</sup> *Rockville*  
 George Peter,<sup>21</sup> *Darnestown*  
 Nicholas R. Moore,<sup>22</sup> *Ruxton*  
 Samuel Smith,<sup>23</sup> *Baltimore*  
 Philip Stuart, *Port Tobacco*  
 Robert Wright, *Queenstown*

**MASSACHUSETTS**

## SENATORS

Joseph B. Varnum, *Dracut*  
 Christopher Gore,<sup>24</sup> *Boston*  
 Eli P. Ashmun,<sup>25</sup> *Northampton*

## REPRESENTATIVES

William Baylies, *Bridgewater*  
 George Bradbury, *Portland*  
 Elijah Brigham,<sup>26</sup> *Westboro*  
 Benjamin Adams,<sup>27</sup> *Uxbridge*  
 Benjamin Brown, *Waldoborough*  
 James Carr, *Bangor*  
 Samuel S. Connor, *Waterville*  
 John W. Hulbert, *Pittsfield*  
 Cyrus King, *Saco*  
 Elijah H. Mills, *Northampton*  
 Jeremiah Nelson, *Newburyport*  
 Albion K. Parris, *Paris*  
 Timothy Pickering, *Wendham*  
 John Reed, *Yarmouth*  
 Thomas Rice, *Augusta*  
 Nathaniel Ruggles, *Boston*  
 Asahel Stearns, *Charlestown*  
 Solomon Strong, *Westminster*  
 Samuel Taggart, *Colerain*  
 Artemas Ward, Jr., *Boston*  
 Laban Wheaton, *Easton*

**NEW HAMPSHIRE**

## SENATORS

Jeremiah Mason, *Portsmouth*  
 Thomas W. Thompson, *Concord*

## REPRESENTATIVES AT LARGE

Charles H. Atherton, *Amhurst*  
 Bradbury Cilley, *Nottingham*  
 William Hale, *Dover*  
 Roger Vose, *Walpole*  
 Daniel Webster, *Portsmouth*  
 Jeduthun Wilcox, *Orford*

**NEW JERSEY**

## SENATORS

John Condit, *Orange*

James J. Wilson, *Trenton*  
 REPRESENTATIVES AT LARGE

Ezra Baker, *Tuckerton*  
 Ephraim Bateman, *Cedarsville*  
 Benjamin Bennet, *Middletown*  
 Lewis Condict, *Morristown*  
 Henry Southard, *Baskingridge*  
 Thomas Ward, *Newark*

**NEW YORK**

## SENATORS

Rufus King, *New York City*  
 Nathan Sanford, *New York City*

## REPRESENTATIVES

Asa Adgate,<sup>28</sup> *Chesterfield*  
 Enos T. Throop,<sup>29</sup> *Auburn*  
 Daniel Avery,<sup>30</sup> *Aurora*  
 Samuel R. Betts, *Newburgh*  
 James Birdsall, *Norwich*  
 Victory Birdseye, *Pompey*  
 Micah Brooks, *East Bloomfield*  
 Jonathan Fisk,<sup>31</sup> *Newburgh*  
 James W. Wilkin,<sup>32</sup> *Goshen*  
 Daniel Cady, *Johnston*  
 Oliver C. Comstock, *Trumansburg*  
 Henry Crocheron, *Castletown*  
 Thomas R. Gold, *Whitestown*  
 Thomas P. Grosvenor, *Hudson*  
 Jabez D. Hammond, *Cherry Valley*  
 William Irving, *New York City*  
 Moss Kent, *Leraysville*  
 John Lovett, *Albany*  
 Hosea Moffitt, *Nassau*  
 Peter B. Porter,<sup>33</sup> *Buffalo*  
 Archibald S. Clarke,<sup>34</sup> *Clarence*  
 John Adams,<sup>35</sup> *Catskill*  
 Erastus Root,<sup>36</sup> *Dehli*  
 John Savage, *Salem*  
 Abraham H. Schenck, *Fishkill Landing*  
 John W. Taylor, *Ballston Spa*  
 George Townsend, *Oyster Bay*  
 Jonathan Ward, *New Rochelle*  
 Peter H. Wendover, *New York City*  
 Westel Willoughby, Jr.,<sup>37</sup> *Herkimer*  
 John B. Yates, *Utica*

**NORTH CAROLINA**

## SENATORS

James Turner,<sup>38</sup> *Warrenton*  
 Montfort Stokes,<sup>39</sup> *Wilkesboro*  
 Francis Locke,<sup>40</sup> *Salisbury*  
 Nathaniel Macon,<sup>41</sup> *Warrenton*

## REPRESENTATIVES

Joseph H. Bryan, *Windsor*

James W. Clark, *Tarboro*  
 John Culpepper, *Allenton*  
 Daniel M. Forney, *Lincolnton*  
 William Gaston, *New Bern*  
 William R. King,<sup>42</sup> *Wilmington*  
 Charles Hooks,<sup>43</sup> *Dublin*  
 William C. Love, *Salisbury*  
 Nathaniel Macon,<sup>44</sup> *Warrenton*  
 Weldon N. Edwards,<sup>45</sup> *Warrenton*  
 William H. Murfree, *Murfreesburg*  
 Israel Pickens, *Morgantown*  
 Richard Stanford,<sup>46</sup> *Hawfields*  
 Samuel Dickens,<sup>47</sup> *Mount Tirzah*  
 Lewis Williams, *Panther Creek*  
 Bartlett Yancy, *Caswell*

**OHIO**

## SENATORS

Jeremiah Morrow, *Montgomery*  
 Benjamin Ruggles, *St. Clairsville*

## REPRESENTATIVES

John Alexander, *Xenia*  
 James Caldwell, *St. Clairsville*  
 David Clendenin, *Youngtown*  
 William Creighton, Jr., *Chillicothe*  
 James Kilbourne, *Worthington*  
 John McLean,<sup>48</sup> *Lebanon*  
 William Henry Harrison,<sup>49</sup> *Cincinnati*

**PENNSYLVANIA**

## SENATORS

Abner Lacock, *Beavertown*  
 Jonathan Roberts, *Norristown*

## REPRESENTATIVES

David Bard,<sup>50</sup> *Frankstown*  
 Thomas Burnside,<sup>51</sup> *Bellefonte*  
 William P. Maclay,<sup>52</sup> *Lewistown*  
 William Crawford, *Gettysburg*  
 William Darlington, *West Chester*  
 William Findley, *Youngstown*  
 Hugh Glasgow, *York*  
 Isaac Griffin, *New Geneva*  
 John Hahn, *Pottsgrove*  
 Joseph Hiester, *Reading*  
 Joseph Hopkinson, *Philadelphia*  
 Samuel D. Ingham, *New Hope*  
 Jared Irwin, *Sunbury*  
 William Maclay, *Fannetsburg*  
 William Milnor, *Philadelphia*  
 William Piper, *Bloodyrun*  
 John Ross, *Easton*

<sup>18</sup> Resigned April 18, 1816, having been appointed minister to Russia.

<sup>19</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of William Pinkney, and took his seat December 2, 1816.

<sup>20</sup> Resigned in 1816.

<sup>21</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Alexander C. Hanson, and took his seat December 2, 1816.

<sup>22</sup> Resigned in 1815, before Congress assembled.

<sup>23</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Nicholas R. Moore, and took his seat February 4, 1816.

<sup>24</sup> Resigned May 30, 1816.

<sup>25</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Christopher Gore, and took his seat December 2, 1816.

<sup>26</sup> Died February 22, 1816.

<sup>27</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Elijah Brigham, and took his seat December 2, 1816.

<sup>28</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Representative-elect Benjamin Pond (October 6, 1814, before the beginning of the congressional term), and took his seat December 7, 1815.

<sup>29</sup> Resigned June 4, 1816.

<sup>30</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Enos T. Throop, and took his seat December 3, 1816.

<sup>31</sup> Resigned in March 1815, before Congress assembled.

<sup>32</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Jonathan Fisk, and took his seat December 4, 1815.

<sup>33</sup> Resigned January 23, 1816.

<sup>34</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Peter B. Porter, and took his seat December 2, 1816.

<sup>35</sup> Served until December 26, 1815; succeeded by Erastus Root, who contested his election.

<sup>36</sup> Successfully contested the election of John Adams, and took his seat December 26, 1815.

<sup>37</sup> Successfully contested the election of William S. Smith, and took his seat December 13, 1815. (Mr. Smith did not appear or claim the seat, although credentials had been presented.)

<sup>38</sup> Resigned November 21, 1816.

<sup>39</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of James Turner, and took his seat December 16, 1816.

<sup>40</sup> Resigned December 5, 1815, never having qualified.

<sup>41</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Francis Locke, and took his seat December 13, 1815.

<sup>42</sup> Resigned November 4, 1816.

<sup>43</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of William R. King, and took his seat December 2, 1816.

<sup>44</sup> Resigned December 13, 1815, having been elected Senator.

<sup>45</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Nathaniel Macon, and took his seat February 7, 1816.

<sup>46</sup> Died April 9, 1816.

<sup>47</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Richard Stanford, and took his seat December 2, 1816.

<sup>48</sup> Resigned in 1816.

<sup>49</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of John McLean, and took his seat December 2, 1816.

<sup>50</sup> Died March 12, 1815.

<sup>51</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of David Bard, and took his seat December 11, 1815; resigned in April, 1816.

<sup>52</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Thomas Burnside, and took his seat December 3, 1816.

**PENNSYLVANIA—Continued**

## REPRESENTATIVES—Continued

Thomas Smith, *Darby*  
 Amos Ellmaker, <sup>53</sup> *Harrisburg*  
 James M. Wallace, <sup>54</sup> *Hummelstown*  
 John Whiteside, *Lancaster*  
 Jonathan Williams, <sup>55</sup> *Philadelphia*  
 John Sergeant, <sup>56</sup> *Philadelphia*  
 Thomas Wilson, *Erie*  
 William Wilson, *Williamsport*  
 Aaron Lyle, *West Middletown*  
 John Woods, <sup>57</sup> *Pittsburgh*

**RHODE ISLAND**

## SENATORS

Jeremiah B. Howell, *Providence*  
 William Hunter, *Newport*

## REPRESENTATIVES AT LARGE

John L. Boss, Jr., *Newport*  
 James B. Mason, *Providence*

**SOUTH CAROLINA**

## SENATORS

John Gaillard, *Charleston*  
 John Taylor, <sup>58</sup> *Columbia*  
 William Smith, <sup>59</sup> *Yorkville*

## REPRESENTATIVES

John J. Chappell, *Columbia*  
 Benjamin Huger, *Georgetown*  
 William Lowndes, *Jacksonboro*  
 William Mayrant, <sup>60</sup> *Stateburg*  
 Stephen D. Miller, <sup>61</sup> *Stateburg*  
 John C. Calhoun, *Willington*  
 Henry Middleton, *Charleston*  
 Thomas Moore, *Prices Store*  
 John Taylor, *Pendleton*  
 William Woodward, *Monticello*

**TENNESSEE**

## SENATORS

Jesse Wharton, *Nashville*  
 John Williams, <sup>62</sup> *Knoxville*  
 George W. Campbell, <sup>63</sup> *Nashville*

## REPRESENTATIVES

Newton Cannon, *Harpeth*  
 Bennett H. Henderson, *Hendersonville*  
 Samuel Powell, *Rogersville*  
 James B. Reynolds, *Clarksville*  
 John Sevier, <sup>64</sup> *Knoxville*  
 William G. Blount, <sup>65</sup> *Knoxville*  
 Isaac Thomas, *Sparta*

**VERMONT**

## SENATORS

Dudley Chase, *Randolph*  
 Isaac Tichenor, *Bennington*

## REPRESENTATIVES AT LARGE

Daniel Chipman, <sup>66</sup> *Middleburg*  
 Luther Jewett, *St. Johnsbury*  
 Chauncey Langdon, *Castleton*  
 Asa Lyon, *Grand Isle*  
 Charles Marsh, *Woodstock*  
 John Noyes, *Brattleboro*

**VIRGINIA**

## SENATORS

James Barbour, *Barboursville*  
 Armistead T. Mason, <sup>67</sup> *Rasburg Plain*

## REPRESENTATIVES

Philip P. Barbour, *Orange*  
 Burwell Bassett, *Williamsburg*  
 James Breckinridge, *Fincastle*  
 William A. Burwell, *Rocky Mount*  
 Matthew Clay, <sup>68</sup> *Halifax*  
 John Kerr, <sup>69</sup> *Mountpleasant*  
 John Clopton, <sup>70</sup> *Tunstall*  
 John Tyler, <sup>71</sup> *Charles City*  
 Peterson Goodwyn, *Petersburg*

Aylett Hawes, *Woodville*  
 John P. Hungerford, *Leedstown*  
 John G. Jackson, *Clarksburg*  
 James Johnson, *Suffolk*  
 Joseph Lewis, Jr., *Upperville*  
 William McCoy, <sup>72</sup> *Franklin*  
 Hugh Nelson, *Milton*  
 Thomas Gholson, Jr., <sup>73</sup> *Brunswick*  
 Thomas M. Nelson, <sup>74</sup> *Mecklenburg*  
 Thomas Newton, Jr., *Norfolk*  
 James Pleasants, *Goochland*  
 John Randolph, *Charlotte*  
 William H. Roane, *Dunkirk*  
 Daniel Sheffey, *Wythe*  
 Ballard Smith, *Lewisburg*  
 Magnus Tate, *Martinsburg*  
 Henry St. George Tucker, *Winchester*

**ILLINOIS TERRITORY**

## DELEGATE

Benjamin Stephenson, <sup>75</sup> *Edwardsville*  
 Nathaniel Pope, <sup>76</sup> *Kaskaskia*

**INDIANA TERRITORY** <sup>77</sup>

## DELEGATE

Jonathan Jennings, <sup>78</sup> *Charlestown*

**MISSISSIPPI TERRITORY**

## DELEGATE

William Lattimore, *Liberty*

**TERRITORY OF MISSOURI**

## DELEGATE

Rufus Easton, <sup>79</sup> *St. Louis*  
 John Scott, <sup>80</sup> *Ste. Genevieve*

<sup>53</sup> Resigned July 3, 1815, without qualifying, having been appointed judge.

<sup>54</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Amos Ellmaker, and took his seat December 4, 1815.

<sup>55</sup> Died May 16, 1815, before Congress assembled.

<sup>56</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Jonathan Williams, and took his seat December 6, 1815.

<sup>57</sup> Never qualified owing to illness.

<sup>58</sup> Resigned in November 1816.

<sup>59</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of John Taylor, and took his seat January 10, 1817.

<sup>60</sup> Resigned October 21, 1816.

<sup>61</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of William Mayrant, and took his seat January 2, 1817.

<sup>62</sup> Elected to fill vacancy in term ending March 3, 1817, caused by resignation of George W. Campbell from this class in the preceding Congress (Jesse Wharton having

served by appointment from March 17, 1814, to October 10, 1815), and took his seat December 4, 1815.

<sup>63</sup> Elected for the term commencing March 4, 1815, and took his seat December 4, 1815; vacancy from March 4, 1815, to October 10, 1815.

<sup>64</sup> Died September 24, 1815, before Congress assembled.

<sup>65</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of John Sevier, and took his seat January 8, 1816.

<sup>66</sup> Resigned May 5, 1816; seat remained vacant.

<sup>67</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of William B. Giles in preceding Congress, and took his seat January 22, 1816.

<sup>68</sup> Died May 27, 1815, before Congress assembled.

<sup>69</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Matthew Clay, and took his seat December 5, 1815.

<sup>70</sup> Died September 11, 1816.

<sup>71</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of John Clopton, and took his seat December 17, 1816.

<sup>72</sup> Election unsuccessfully contested by Robert Porter -field.

<sup>73</sup> Died July 4, 1816.

<sup>74</sup> Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Thomas Gholson, Jr., and took his seat December 4, 1816.

<sup>75</sup> Served during the first session.

<sup>76</sup> Presented credentials and took his seat December 2, 1816.

<sup>77</sup> Granted statehood December 11, 1816.

<sup>78</sup> Served until December 11, 1816, when Indiana Territory was granted statehood.

<sup>79</sup> Served during first session; unsuccessfully contested the election of John Scott in the second session.

<sup>80</sup> Presented credentials and took his seat December 2, 1816; Rufus Easton contested, and on January 13, 1817, the election was declared illegal and the seat vacant.