FIFTY-SIXTH CONGRESS

MARCH 4, 1899, TO MARCH 3, 1901

FIRST SESSION—December 4, 1899, to June 7, 1900
SECOND SESSION—December 3, 1900, to March 3, 1901

VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES—GARRET A. HOBART, 1 of New Jersey
PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE—WILLIAM P. FRYE, of Maine
SECRETARY OF THE SENATE—WILLIAM R. COX, of North Carolina; CHARLES G. BENNETT, 2 of New York
SERGEANT AT ARMS OF THE SENATE—RICHARD J. BRIGHT, of Indiana; DANIEL M. RANSDELL, 3 of Indiana

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES—DAVID B. HENDERSON, 4 of Iowa
CLERK OF THE HOUSE—ALEXANDER MCDOWELL, 5 of Pennsylvania
SERGEANT AT ARMS OF THE HOUSE—BENJAMIN F. RUSSELL, of Missouri; HENRY CASSON, 6 of Wisconsin
DOORKEEPER OF THE HOUSE—WILLIAM J. GLENN, of New York
POSTMASTER OF THE HOUSE—J. C. McELROY

ALABAMA

SENATORS
John T. Morgan, Selma
Edmund W. Pettus, Selma

REPRESENTATIVES
George W. Taylor, Demopolis
Jesse F. Stallings, Greeneville
Henry D. Clayton, Eufaula
Gaston A. Robbins, Selma
William F. Aldrich, 8 Aldrich
Willis Brewer, Hayneville
John H. Bankhead, Fayette
John L. Burnett, Gadsden
Joseph Wheeler, 9 Wheeler
William Richardson, 10 Huntsville
O. W. Underwood, Birmingham

ARKANSAS

SENATORS
James K. Jones, Washington
James H. Berry, Bentonville

REPRESENTATIVES
Philip D. McCulloch, Marianna
John S. Little, Greenwood

CALIFORNIA

SENATORS
George C. Perkins, Oakland
Thomas R. Bard, 11 Hueneeme

REPRESENTATIVES
John A. Barham, Santa Rosa
Marion De Vries, 12 Stockton
Samuel D. Woods, 13 Stockton
Victor H. Metcalf, Oakland
Julius Kahn, San Francisco
Eugene F. Loud, San Francisco
Russell J. Waters, Los Angeles
James C. Needham, Modesto

COLORADO

SENATORS
Henry M. Teller, Central City
Edward O. Wolcott, Denver

REPRESENTATIVES
John F. Shafroth, Denver

CONNECTICUT

SENATORS
Orville H. Platt, Meriden
Joseph R. Hawley, Hartford

REPRESENTATIVES
E. Stevens Henry, Rockville
Nehemiah D. Sperry, New Haven
Charles A. Russell, Killingly
Ebenizer J. Hill, Norwalk

DELAWARE

SENATORS
Richard R. Kenney, Dover
Vacant, 14 Dover

REPRESENTATIVE AT LARGE
Vacant, 14 Smyrna
Walter O. Hoffecker, 16 Smyrna

FLORIDA

SENATORS
Samuel Pasco, 17 Monticello
James P. Taliaferro, 18 Jacksonville

1 Died November 21, 1899; Vice Presidency remained vacant until March 4, 1903.
2 Elected January 29, 1900.
3 Elected January 29, 1900.
4 Elected December 4, 1899.
5 Resigned April 20, 1900.
6 Resigned August 20, 1900.
7 Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Marion De Vries, and took his seat December 3, 1900.
8 Reappointed to fill vacancy in the term beginning March 4, 1899, to serve until the next meeting of the legislature.
9 Elected in this class from March 4, 1899, to March 3, 1901, because of failure of legislature to elect.
10 Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of John H. Hoffecker, and took his seat December 3, 1900.
FLORIDA—Continued

SENATORS—Continued

Stephen R. Mallory, Pensacola

REPRESENTATIVES

Stephenson M. Sparkman, Tampa

Robert W. Davis, Palatka

GEORGIA

SENATORS

Augustus O. Bacon, Macon

Alexander S. Clay, Marietta

REPRESENTATIVES

Rufus E. Lester, Savannah

James M. Griggs, Dawson

E. B. Lewis, Montezuma

W. C. Adamson, Carrollton

Leonidas F. Livingston, Kings

Charles L. Bartlett, Macon

John W. Maddox, Rome

W. M. Howard, Lexington

Farish C. Tate, Jasper

Wm. H. Fleming, Augusta

W. G. Brantley, Brunswick

IDAHO

SENATORS

George L. Shoup, Boise

Henry Heitfeld, Lewiston

REPRESENTATIVE AT LARGE

Edgar Wilson, Boise

ILLINOIS

SENATORS

Shelby M. Cullom, Springfield

William E. Mason, Chicago

REPRESENTATIVES

James R. Mann, Chicago

William Lorimer, Chicago

George P. Foster, Chicago

Thomas Cusack, Chicago

Edward T. Noonan, Chicago

Henry S. Boutell, Chicago

George E. Foss, Chicago

Albert J. Hopkins, Aurora

Robert R. Hitt, Mount Morris

George W. Prince, Galesburg

Walter Reeves, Streator

Joseph G. Cannon, Danville

Vespasian Warner, Clinton

Joseph V. Graf, Peoria

Benjamin F. Marsh, Warsaw

Wm. E. Williams, Hillsfield

Ben F. Caldwell, Chatham

Thomas M. Jett, Hillsboro

Joseph B. Crowley, Robinson

James R. Williams, Carmi

W. A. Rodenberg, East St. Louis

George W. Smith, Murphysboro

INDIANA

SENATORS

Charles W. Fairbanks, Indianapolis

Albert J. Beveridge, Indianapolis

REPRESENTATIVES

James A. Hemenway, Boonville

Robert W. Miers, Bloomington

William T. Zenor, Corydon

Francis M. Griffith, Vevay

George W. Faris, Terre Haute

James E. Watson, Rushville

Jesse Overstreet, Indianapolis

George W. Cromer, Muncie

Charles B. Landis, Delphi

Edgar D. Crumpacker, Valparaiso

George W. Steele, Marion

James M. Robinson, Fort Wayne

Abraham L. Brick, South Bend

IOWA

SENATORS

William B. Allison, Dubuque

John H. Gear, Burlington

Jonathan P. Dilliver, Fort Dodge

REPRESENTATIVES

Thomas Hedges, Burlington

Joe R. Lane, Davenport

David B. Henderson, Dubuque

Gilbert N. Haugen, Northwood

Robert G. Cousins, Tipton

John F. Lacey, Oskaloosa

John A. T. Hull, Des Moines

William P. Hepburn, Clarinda

Smith McPherson, Red Oak

Walter I. Smith, Council Bluffs

J. P. Dilliver, Fort Dodge

James P. Conner, Denison

Lot Thomas, Storm Lake

KANSAS

SENATORS

Lucien Baker, Leavenworth

William A. Harris, Linwood

REPRESENTATIVES

Charles Curtis, Topeka

Justin D. Bowersock, Lawrence

Edward R. Riggs, Pittsburg

J. M. Miller, Council Grove

W. A. Calderhead, Marysville

W. A. Reeder, Logan

Chester I. Long, Medicine Lodge

At Large—W. J. Bailey, Baileyville

KENTUCKY

SENATORS

William Lindsay, Frankfort

William J. Deboe, Marion

REPRESENTATIVES

Charles K. Wheeler, Paducah

Henry D. Allen, Morganfield

John S. Rhea, Russellville

D. H. Smith, Hodgenville

Oscar Turner, Louisville

Albert S. Berry, Newport

Evan E. Settle, Owensboro

June W. Gayle, Owensboro

G. G. Gilbert, Shelbyville

Samuel J. Pugh, Vanceburg

Thos. Y. Fitzpatrick, Prestonburg

Vincent Boreing, London

LOUISIANA

SENATORS

Donelson Caffery, Franklin

Samuel D. McEnery, New Orleans

REPRESENTATIVES

Adolph Meyer, New Orleans

Robert C. Davey, New Orleans

Robert F. Broussard, New Iberia

Phanor Breazeale, Natchitoches

Saml. T. Baird, Bastrop

Joseph E. Ransdell, Lake Providence

Saml. M. Robertson, Baton Rouge

MAINE

SENATORS

Eugene Hale, Ellsworth

William P. Frye, Lewiston

REPRESENTATIVES

Thomas B. Reed, Portland

Amos L. Allen, Alfred

Charles E. Littlefield, Rockland

Edwin C. Burrleigh, Augusta

Charles A. Boutelle, Bangor

MARYLAND

SENATORS

George L. Wellington, Cumberland

Louis E. McComas, Williamsport

REPRESENTATIVES

John W. Smith, Snow Hill

Josiah L. Kerr, Cambridge

William B. Baker, Aberdeen

Frank C. Wachter, Baltimore

James W. Denny, Baltimore

Sydney E. Mudd, Plata

George A. Pearre, Cumberland

MASSACHUSETTS

SENATORS

George F. Hoar, Worcester

19 Died July 14, 1900; had been reelected for the term beginning March 4, 1891.

20 Appointed to fill vacancy caused by death of John H. Gear, and took his seat December 4, 1900.

21 Resigned June 6, 1900.

22 Resigned August 22, 1900, having been appointed Senator.

23 Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of J. P. Dilliver, and took his seat December 4, 1900.

24 Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Evan E. Settle, and took his seat December 4, 1899.

25 Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Saml. T. Baird, and took his seat December 4, 1899.

26 Resigned March 2, 1901, before the commencement of the Fifty-seventh Congress, to which he had been re-elected.

27 Resigned January 12, 1900.

28 Resigned to fill vacancy caused by death of Samuel J. Pugh, Vanceburg, Tennessee.
Henry Cabot Lodge, Nahant
Representatives
George P. Lawrence, North Adams
Frederick H. Gillett, Springfield
John B. Thayer, Worcester
George W. Weymouth, Fitchburg
William S. Knox, Lawrence
William H. Moody, Haverhill
Ernest W. Roberts, Chelsea
Samuel W. McCull, Winchester
John F. Fitzgerald, Boston
Henry N. Naphen, Boston
Charles F. Sprague, Brookline
Wm. C. Lovering, Taunton
William S. Greene, Fall River

Missouri
Senators
Francis M. Cockrell, Warrensburg
George G. Vest, Sweet Springs
Representatives
James T. Lloyd, Shelbyville
William W. Rucker, Keytesville
John Dougherty, Liberty
Charles F. Cochran, St. Joseph
William S. Cowherd, Kansas City
D. A. De Armond, Butler
James Cooney, Marshall
Richard P. Bland, Lebanon
D. W. Shackleford, Jefferson City
Champ Clark, Bowling Green
Richard Barthold, St. Louis
Charles F. Joy, St. Louis
Charles E. Pearce, St. Louis
Edward Robb, Perryville
W. D. Vandiver, Cape Girardeau
M. E. Benton, Neosho

Montana
Senators
Thomas H. Carter, Helena
William A. Clark, Butte
Representative at Large
A. J. Campbell, Butte

 Nebraska
Senators
John M. Thurston, Omaha
Monroe L. Hayward, Nebraska City
William V. Allen, Madison
Representatives
E. J. Burkett, Lincoln
David H. Mercer, Omaha
John S. Robinson, Madison
William L. Stark, Aurora
R. D. Sutherland, Nelson
William L. Greene, Kearney
William Neville, North Platte

Nevada
Senators
John P. Jones, Gold Hill
William M. Stewart, Carson City
Representative at Large
Francis G. Newlands, Reno

New Hampshire
Senators
William E. Chandler, Concord
Jacob H. Gallinger, Concord
Representatives
Cyrus A. Sulloway, Manchester
Frank G. Clarke, Peterboro

New Jersey
Senators
William J. Sewell, Camden
John Kean, Ursino
Representatives
H. C. Loudenslager, Paulsboro
John J. Gardner, Atlantic City
Benjamin F. Howell, New Brunswick
Joshua S. Salmon, Boonton
James E. Stewart, Paterson
Richard W. Parker, Newark
William D. Daly, Hoboken
Allan L. McDermott, Jersey City
Charles N. Fowler, Elizabeth

New York
Senators
Thomas C. Platt, Ouego
Chauncey M. Depew, Peekskill
Representatives
Townsend Scudder, Oyster Bay
John J. Fitzgerald, Brooklyn
Edmund H. Driggs, Brooklyn
Bertram T. Clayton, Brooklyn
Frank E. Wilson, Brooklyn
Mitchell May, Brooklyn
Nicholas Muller, New Brighton
Daniel J. Riordan, New York City
Thomas J. Bradley, New York City
Amos J. Cummings, New York City
William Sulzer, New York City
G. B. McCollan, New York City
Jefferson M. Levy, New York City
Wm. Astor Chanler, New York City
Jacob Ruppert, Jr., New York City
John Q. Underhill, New Rochelle
Arthur S. Tompkins, Nyack
John H. Ketcham, Dover Plains
A. V. S. Cochrane, Hudson
Martin H. Glynn, Albany
John K. Stewart, Amsterdam
Lucius N. Littauer, Gloversville
Louis W. Emerson, Warrensburg
C. A. Chickering, Copenhagen
Albert D. Shaw, Watertown
James S. Sherman, Utica
Geo. W. Ray, Norwich

51 Died November 27, 1900.
52 Appointed to fill vacancy caused by death of Cushman
K. Davis, and took his seat December 10, 1900.
53 Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Cushman
K. Davis, and took his seat January 28, 1901.
54 Died June 15, 1899, before Congress assembled.
49 Appointed to fill vacancy caused by death of Richard
P. Bland, and took his seat December 4, 1899.
45 Protests and a memorial of certain citizens of Montana
against the validity of the election were presented
and referred December 4, 1899; while resolution declaring
his election void was pending, tendered his resignation
effective May 15, 1900; appointed by the lieutenant gov-
ernor, as acting governor, to fill the vacancy caused by
his own resignation, but did not qualify. Martin Magniss
also presented credentials of appointment, signed by the
 governor, but was not permitted to qualify. Seat remained
vacant throughout the remainder of the Congress.
46 Elected March 8, 1899, to fill vacancy caused by failure
of legislature to act in the term beginning March
4, 1899, but died December 5, 1899, before qualifying.
47 Appointed to fill vacancy caused by death of Richard
P. Bland, and took his seat December 4, 1899.
48 Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of William
L. Greene, and took his seat December 4, 1899.
49 Died January 9, 1901.
50 Died July 31, 1900.
51 Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of William
D. Daly, and took his seat December 3, 1900.
52 Died February 13, 1900.
53 Died February 13, 1900.
54 Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of C. A.
Chickering, and took his seat December 3, 1900; died Feb-
ruary 10, 1901, before the commencement of the Fifty-
seventh Congress, to which he had been reelected.
NEW YORK—Continued
REPRESENTATIVES—Continued
Michael E. Driscoll, Syracuse
Sereno E. Payne, Auburn
Charles W. Gillet, Addison
J. W. Wadsworth, Genesee
Jas. M. E. O'Grady, Rochester
William H. Ryan, Buffalo
De A. S. Alexander, Buffalo
Edward B. Vreeland, 52 Salamanca

NORTH CAROLINA
SENATORS
Marion Butler, Elliot
Jeter C. Pritchard, Marshall
REPRESENTATIVES
John H. Small, Washington
George H. White, Tarboro
Charles R. Thomas, New Bern
John W. Atwater, Raleigh
William W. Kitchin, Roxboro
John D. Bellamy, Wilmington
Theodore F. Knotts, Salisbury
Romulus Z. Linney, Taylorsville
W. T. Crawford, 53 Waynesville
Richmond Pearson, 54 Asheville

NORTH DAKOTA
SENATORS
Henry C. Hansbrough, Devils Lake
Porter J. McCumber, Wahpeton
REPRESENTATIVE AT LARGE
Burleigh F. Spalding, Fargo

OHIO
SENATORS
Joseph B. Foraker, Cincinnati
Marcus A. Hanna, Cleveland
REPRESENTATIVES
William B. Shattuc, Madisonville
Jacob H. Bromwell, Cincinnati
John L. Brenner, Dayton
Robert B. Gordon, St. Marys
David Meekison, Napoleon
Seth W. Brown, Lebanon
Walter L. Weaver, Springfield
Archibald Lybrand, Delaware
James H. Southard, Toledo
Stephen Morgan, Oak Hill
Chas. H. Grovenor, Athens
John J. Lentz, Columbus
James A. Norton, Tiffin
Winfield S. Kerr, Mansfield
H. C. Van Voorhis, Zanesville
Lorenzo Danford, 55 St. Clairsville
Joseph J. Gill, 56 Steubenville
John A. McDowell, Millersburg
Robert W. Tayler, Lisbon
Charles Dick, Akron
Fremont O. Phillips, Medina
Theo. E. Burton, Cleveland

OREGON
SENATORS
George W. McBride, St. Helens
Joseph Simon, Portland
REPRESENTATIVES
Thomas H. Tongue, Hillsboro
Malcolm A. Moody, The Dalles

PENNSYLVANIA
SENATORS
Boies Penrose, Philadelphia
Matthew S. Quay, 57 Beaver
REPRESENTATIVES
Henry H. Bingham, Philadelphia
Robert Adams, Jr., Philadelphia
William McAleer, Philadelphia
James R. Young, Philadelphia
Alfred C. Harmer, 58 Philadelphia
Edward Morrell, 59 Torresdale
Thomas S. Butler, West Chester
Irvig P. Wanger, Norristown
Laird H. Barber, Mauch Chunk
Dan'l Ermentrout, 60 Reading
Henry D. Green, 61 Reading
Marriott Brosius, Lancaster
William Connell, Scranton
S. W. Davenport, Plymouth
James W. Ryan, Pottsville
Marlin E. Olmsted, Harrisburg
Charles F. Wright, Susquehanna
Horace B. Packer, Wellsboro
Rufus K. Polk, Danville
Thad. M. Mahon, Chambersburg
Edward D. Ziegler, York
Joseph E. Thropp, Everett
Summers M. Jack, Indiana
John Dalzell, Pittsburgh
Wm. H. Graham, Allegheny
Ernest F. Acheson, Washington
Jos. B. Showalter, Butler
Athalston Gaston, Meadville
Joseph C. Sibley, Franklin
James K. P. Hall, Ridgway
At Large—Gallusha A. Grow,
Glenwood
At Large—Samuel A. Davenport,
Erie

RHODE ISLAND
SENATORS
Nelson W. Aldrich, Providence
George P. Wetmore, Newport
REPRESENTATIVES
Melville Bull, Middletown

SOUTH CAROLINA
SENATORS
Benjamin R. Tillman, Trenton
John L. McLaurin, Bennettsville
REPRESENTATIVES
William Elliott, Beaufort
W. Jasper Talbert, Parkville
Asbury C. Latimer, Belton
Stanyarne Wilson, Spartanburg
David E. Finley, Yorkville
James Norton, Mullins
J. Wm. Stokes, Orangeburg

SOUTH DAKOTA
SENATORS
Richard F. Pettigrew, Sioux Falls
James H. Kyle, Aberdeen
REPRESENTATIVES AT LARGE
Robert J. Gamble, Yorkton
Charles H. Burke, Pierre

TENNESSEE
SENATORS
William B. Bate, Nashville
Thomas B. Turley, Memphis
REPRESENTATIVES
W. P. Brownlow, Jonesboro
Henry R. Gibson, Knoxville
John A. Moon, Chattanooga
Charles E. Snodgrass, Crossville
J. D. Richardson, Murfreesboro
John W. Gaines, Nashville
N. N. Cox, Franklin
T. W. Sims, Linden
Rice A. Pierce, Union City
E. W. Carmack, Memphis

TEXAS
SENATORS
Horace Chilton, Tyler
Charles A. Culberson, Dallas
REPRESENTATIVES
Thomas H. Ball, Huntsville
Sam Bronson Cooper, Beaumont
R. C. De Graffenreid, Longview
John L. Sheppard, Texarkana
Joseph W. Bailey, Gainesville
R. E. Burke, Dallas
R. L. Henry, Waco
S. W. T. Lanham, Weatherford
Albert S. Burleson, Austin
R. B. Hawley, Galveston
Rudolph Kleberg, Cuero
J. L. Slayden, San Antonio
John H. Stephens, Vernon

UTAH
SENATORS
Joseph L. Rawlins, Salt Lake City

53Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Representative-elect Warren B. Hooker in preceding Congress, and took his seat December 4, 1899.
54Served until May 10, 1900; succeeded by Richmond Pearson who contested his election.
55Successfully contested the election of W. T. Crawford, and took his seat May 10, 1900.
56Died June 19, 1899, before Congress assembled.
57Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Dan'l Ermentrout, and took his seat January 17, 1901; vacancy in this class from March 4, 1899, to January 15, 1901.
58Died March 6, 1900.
59Elected to fill vacancy caused by the death of Alfred C. Harmer, and took his seat December 3, 1900.
60Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Dan'l Ermentrout, and took his seat December 4, 1899.
Thomas Kearns, Salt Lake City
William H. King, Salt Lake City

VERMONT

Senators
Redfield Proctor, Proctor
Jonathan Ross, St. Johnsbury
William P. Dillingham, Waterbury

Representatives
H. Henry Powers, Morrisville
William W. Grout, Barton

VIRGINIA

Senators
John W. Daniel, Lynchburg
Thomas S. Martin, Scottsville

Representatives
William A. Jones, Warsaw
Wm. A. Young, Norfolk
Richard A. Wise, Williamsburg
John Lamb, Richmond
Sydney P. Epes, Blackstone
Francis R. Lassiter, Petersburg
Clausius A. Swanson, Chatham
Peter J. Otey, Lynchburg
James Hay, Madison
John F. Rixey, Brandy
William F. Rhea, Bristol

WASHINGTON

Senators
George Turner, Spokane
Addison G. Foster, Tacoma

Representatives at Large
W. L. Jones, North Yakima
F. W. Cushman, Tacoma

WEST VIRGINIA

Senators
Stephen B. Elkins, Elkins
Nathan B. Scott, Wheeling

Representatives
B. B. Dovener, Wheeling
Alston G. Dayton, Philippi
David E. Johnston, Bluefield
R. H. Freer, Harrisville

WISCONSIN

Senators
John C. Spooner, Madison
Joseph V. Quarles, Milwaukee

Representatives
Henry A. Cooper, Racine
Herman B. Dahle, Mount Horeb
Joseph W. Babcock, Necedah
Theobald Otjen, Milwaukee
Samuel S. Barney, West Bend

James H. Davidson, Oshkosh
John J. Esch, La Crosse
Edward S. Minor, Sturgeon Bay
Alexander Stewart, Wausau
John J. Jenkins, Chippewa Falls

WYOMING

Senators
Clarence D. Clark, Evanston
Francis E. Warren, Cheyenne

Representative at Large
Frank W. Mondell, Newcastle

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA

Delegate
John F. Wilson, Prescott

TERRITORY OF HAWAII

Delegate
Robert W. Wilcox, Honolulu

TERRITORY OF NEW MEXICO

Delegate
Pedro Perea, Bernalillo

TERRITORY OF OKLAHOMA

Delegate
Dennis T. Flynn, Guthrie

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62 Elected to fill vacancy in the term beginning March 1, 1899, caused by failure of legislature to elect, and took his seat February 4, 1901; vacancy in this class from March 4, 1899, to January 22, 1901.

63 Brigham H. Roberts presented credentials as a Member-elect December 5, 1899, but was not sworn owing to protests against his eligibility; the House, on January 5, 1900, adopted a resolution declaring he ''ought not to have or hold a seat, and the seat to which he was elected is hereby declared vacant.'' Mr. King was elected to fill vacancy caused by action of the House, and took his seat April 25, 1900.

64 Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Justin S. Morrill in preceding Congress, and took his seat December 3, 1900.

65 Served until March 12, 1900; succeeded by Richard A. Wise who contested his election.

66 Successfully contested the election of William A. Young, and took his seat March 12, 1900; died December 21, 1900.

67 Died March 3, 1900.

68 Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Sydney P. Epes, and took his seat April 28, 1900.

69 In the preceding Congress memorials were filed remonstrating against the seating of Mr. Scott; December 5, 1899, appeared, qualified, and took his seat without objection; subsequently other memorials were filed and a resolution was introduced declaring him not entitled to a seat; the Committee on Privileges and Elections was directed to investigate the election, and reported, March 20, 1900, with a resolution declaring Mr. Scott duly elected and entitled to retain the seat; this resolution was agreed to April 27, 1900, by a vote of 52 to 3.

70 Formed from the territory of the Republic of Hawaii, annexed to the United States by act of July 7, 1898, and granted a Delegate in Congress by act of April 30, 1900.

71 Took his seat December 15, 1900, after the investigation of charges preferred against him as to eligibility.