

# THIRTY-NINTH CONGRESS

MARCH 4, 1865, TO MARCH 3, 1867

FIRST SESSION—*December 4, 1865, to July 28, 1866*

SECOND SESSION—*December 3, 1866, to March 3, 1867*

SPECIAL SESSION OF THE SENATE—*March 4, 1865, to March 11, 1865*

VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES—ANDREW JOHNSON,<sup>1</sup> of Tennessee

PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE—LAFAYETTE S. FOSTER,<sup>2</sup> of Connecticut; BENJAMIN F. WADE,<sup>3</sup> of Ohio

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE—JOHN W. FORNEY, of Pennsylvania

SERGEANT AT ARMS OF THE SENATE—GEORGE T. BROWN, of Illinois

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES—SCHUYLER COLFAX,<sup>4</sup> of Indiana

CLERK OF THE HOUSE—EDWARD MCPHERSON,<sup>5</sup> of Pennsylvania

SERGEANT AT ARMS OF THE HOUSE—NATHANIEL G. ORDWAY, of New Hampshire

DOORKEEPER OF THE HOUSE—IRA GOODNOW, of Vermont

POSTMASTER OF THE HOUSE—JOSIAH GIVEN

## ALABAMA

SENATORS

Vacant

REPRESENTATIVES<sup>6</sup>

Vacant

## ARKANSAS

SENATORS

Vacant

REPRESENTATIVES

Vacant

## CALIFORNIA

SENATORS

James A. McDougall, *San Francisco*

John Conness, *Sacramento*

REPRESENTATIVES

Donald C. McRuer, *San Francisco*

William Higby, *Calaveras*

John Bidwell, *Chico*

## CONNECTICUT

SENATORS

Lafayette S. Foster, *Norwich*

James Dixon, *Hartford*

REPRESENTATIVES

Henry C. Deming, *Hartford*

Samuel L. Warner, *Middletown*

Augustus Brandegee, *New London*

John H. Hubbard, *Litchfield*

## DELAWARE

SENATORS

Willard Saulsbury, *Georgetown*

George R. Riddle, *Wilmington*

REPRESENTATIVE AT LARGE

John A. Nicholson, *Dover*

## FLORIDA

SENATORS

Vacant<sup>7</sup>

Vacant<sup>8</sup>

REPRESENTATIVE AT LARGE

Vacant

## GEORGIA

SENATORS

Vacant

REPRESENTATIVES

Vacant

## ILLINOIS

SENATORS

Lyman Trumbull, *Chicago*

Richard Yates, *Jacksonville*

REPRESENTATIVES

John Wentworth, *Chicago*

John F. Farnsworth, *St. Charles*

Elihu B. Washburne, *Galena*

Abner C. Harding, *Monmouth*

Ebon C. Ingersoll, *Peoria*

Burton C. Cook, *Ottawa*

Henry P. H. Bromwell, *Charleston*

Shelby M. Cullom, *Springfield*

Lewis W. Ross, *Lewistown*

Anthony Thornton, *Shelbyville*

Samuel S. Marshall, *McLeansboro*

Jehu Baker, *Belleville*

Andrew J. Kuykendall, *Vienna*

At Large—Samuel W. Moulton,

*Shelbyville*

<sup>1</sup> Became President upon the death of Abraham Lincoln, April 15, 1865; Vice Presidency remained vacant until March 4, 1869.

<sup>2</sup> Elected March 7, 1865 (special session of the Senate), "to serve in the absence of the Vice President," and did serve until March 2, 1867.

<sup>3</sup> Elected March 2, 1867.

<sup>4</sup> Reelected December 4, 1865.

<sup>5</sup> Reelected December 4, 1865.

<sup>6</sup> Credentials of Thomas J. Foster as Member-elect were presented to the House January 10, 1867, but were not acted upon.

<sup>7</sup> On January 19, 1866, William Marvin presented credentials as a Senator-elect for the term ending March

3, 1867, which were ordered to lie on the table and no further action taken thereon.

<sup>8</sup> On June 6, 1866, Wilkinson Call presented credentials as a Senator-elect for the term ending March 3, 1869, which were ordered to lie on the table and no further action taken thereon.

**INDIANA**

## SENATORS

Henry S. Lane, *Crawfordsville*  
 Thomas A. Hendricks, *Indianapolis*

## REPRESENTATIVES

William E. Niblack, *Vincennes*  
 Michael C. Kerr, *New Albany*  
 Ralph Hill, *Columbus*  
 John H. Farquhar, *Brookville*  
 George W. Julian, *Centerville*  
 Ebenezer Dumont, *Indianapolis*  
 Daniel W. Voorhees,<sup>9</sup> *Terre Haute*  
 Henry D. Washburn,<sup>10</sup> *Clinton*  
 Godlove S. Orth, *La Fayette*  
 Schuyler Colfax, *South Bend*  
 Joseph H. Defrees, *Goshen*  
 Thomas N. Stillwell, *Anderson*

**IOWA**

## SENATORS

James Harlan,<sup>11</sup> *Mount Pleasant*  
 Samuel J. Kirkwood,<sup>12</sup> *Iowa City*  
 James W. Grimes, *Burlington*

## REPRESENTATIVES

James F. Wilson, *Fairfield*  
 Hiram Price, *Davenport*  
 William B. Allison, *Dubuque*  
 Josiah B. Grinnell, *Grinnell*  
 John A. Kasson, *Des Moines*  
 Asahel W. Hubbard, *Sioux City*

**KANSAS**

## SENATORS

Samuel C. Pomeroy, *Atchison*  
 James H. Lane,<sup>13</sup> *Lawrence*  
 Edmund G. Ross,<sup>14</sup> *Lawrence*

## REPRESENTATIVE AT LARGE

Sidney Clarke, *Lawrence*

**KENTUCKY**

## SENATORS

Garrett Davis, *Paris*  
 James Guthrie, *Louisville*

## REPRESENTATIVES

Lawrence S. Trimble, *Paducah*  
 Burwell C. Ritter, *Hopkinsville*  
 Henry Grider,<sup>15</sup> *Bowling Green*  
 Elijah Hise,<sup>16</sup> *Russellville*  
 Aaron Harding, *Greensburg*  
 Lovell H. Rousseau,<sup>17</sup> *Louisville*  
 Green Clay Smith,<sup>18</sup> *Covington*  
 Andrew H. Ward,<sup>19</sup> *Cynthiana*  
 George S. Shanklin, *Nicholasville*

William H. Randall, *London*  
 Samuel McKee, *Mount Sterling*

**LOUISIANA**

## SENATORS

Vacant

## REPRESENTATIVES

Vacant<sup>20</sup>

**MAINE**

## SENATORS

Lot M. Morrill, *Augusta*  
 William Pitt Fessenden, *Portland*

## REPRESENTATIVES

John Lynch, *Portland*  
 Sidney Perham, *Paris*  
 James G. Blaine, *Augusta*  
 John H. Rice, *Foxcroft*  
 Frederick A. Pike, *Calais*

**MARYLAND**

## SENATORS

Reverdy Johnson, *Baltimore*  
 John A. J. Creswell,<sup>21</sup> *Elkton*

## REPRESENTATIVES

Hiram McCullough, *Elkton*  
 Edwin H. Webster,<sup>22</sup> *Bel Air*  
 John L. Thomas, Jr.,<sup>23</sup> *Baltimore*  
 Charles E. Phelps, *Baltimore*  
 Francis Thomas, *Frankville*  
 Benjamin G. Harris, *Leonardtown*

**MASSACHUSETTS**

## SENATORS

Charles Sumner, *Boston*  
 Henry Wilson, *Natick*

## REPRESENTATIVES

Thomas D. Eliot, *New Bedford*  
 Oakes Ames, *North Easton*  
 Alexander H. Rice, *Boston*  
 Samuel Hooper, *Boston*  
 John B. Alley, *Lynn*  
 Daniel W. Gooch,<sup>24</sup> *Melrose*  
 Nathaniel P. Banks,<sup>25</sup> *Waltham*  
 George S. Boutwell, *Groton*  
 John D. Baldwin, *Worcester*  
 William B. Washburn, *Greenfield*  
 Henry L. Dawes, *Pittsfield*

**MICHIGAN**

## SENATORS

Zachariah Chandler, *Detroit*  
 Jacob M. Howard, *Detroit*

## REPRESENTATIVES

Fernando C. Beaman, *Adrian*

Charles Upson, *Coldwater*  
 John W. Longyear, *Lansing*  
 Thomas W. Ferry, *Grand Haven*  
 Rowland E. Trowbridge,<sup>26</sup>  
*Birmingham*

John F. Driggs, *East Saginaw*

**MINNESOTA**

## SENATORS

Alexander Ramsey, *St. Paul*  
 Daniel S. Norton, *Winona*

## REPRESENTATIVES

William Windom, *Winona*  
 Ignatius Donnelly, *Hastings*

**MISSISSIPPI**

## SENATORS

Vacant

## REPRESENTATIVES

Vacant

**MISSOURI**

## SENATORS

John B. Henderson, *Louisiana*  
 B. Gratz Brown, *St. Louis*

## REPRESENTATIVES

John Hogan, *St. Louis*  
 Henry T. Blow, *St. Louis*  
 Thomas E. Noell, *Perryville*  
 John R. Kelso,<sup>27</sup> *Springfield*  
 Joseph W. McClurg, *Linn Creek*  
 Robert T. Van Horn, *Kansas City*  
 Benjamin F. Loan, *St. Joseph*  
 John F. Benjamin, *Shelbyville*  
 George W. Anderson, *Louisiana*

**NEBRASKA**<sup>28</sup>

## SENATORS

John M. Thayer,<sup>29</sup> *Omaha*  
 Thomas W. Tipton,<sup>29</sup> *Brownville*

## REPRESENTATIVE AT LARGE

Turner M. Marquette,<sup>30</sup> *Plattsmouth*

**NEVADA**

## SENATORS

William M. Stewart, *Virginia City*  
 James W. Nye, *Carson City*

## REPRESENTATIVE AT LARGE

Delos R. Ashley, *Virginia City*

**NEW HAMPSHIRE**

## SENATORS

Daniel Clark,<sup>31</sup> *Manchester*

<sup>9</sup>Served until February 23, 1866; succeeded by Henry D. Washburn who contested his election.

<sup>10</sup>Successfully contested the election of Daniel W. Voorhees, and took his seat February 23, 1866.

<sup>11</sup>Resigned May 15, 1865, having been appointed Secretary of the Interior.

<sup>12</sup>Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of James Harlan, and took his seat January 24, 1866.

<sup>13</sup>Died July 11, 1866.

<sup>14</sup>Appointed to fill vacancy caused by death of James H. Lane, and took his seat July 25, 1866; subsequently elected.

<sup>15</sup>Died September 14, 1866.

<sup>16</sup>Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Henry Grider, and took his seat December 3, 1866.

<sup>17</sup>Resigned July 21, 1866; subsequently reelected, and took his seat December 3, 1866.

<sup>18</sup>Resigned in 1866.

<sup>19</sup>Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Green Clay Smith, and took his seat December 3, 1866.

<sup>20</sup>Credentials of Jacob Barker, Robert C. Wickliffe, Louis St. Martin, John E. King, and John Ray as Members-elect were presented and referred to the Committee on Reconstruction; no further action was taken.

<sup>21</sup>Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Thomas H. Hicks in preceding Congress, and took his seat December 4, 1865.

<sup>22</sup>Resigned in July, 1865, before Congress assembled, to become collector of the port of Baltimore.

<sup>23</sup>Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Edwin H. Webster, and took his seat December 4, 1865.

<sup>24</sup>Resigned September 1, 1865, before Congress assembled.

<sup>25</sup>Elected to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Daniel W. Gooch, and took his seat December 4, 1865.

<sup>26</sup>Election unsuccessfully contested by Augustus C. Baldwin.

<sup>27</sup>Election unsuccessfully contested by S. H. Boyd.

<sup>28</sup>Admitted as a State into the Union, March 1, 1867.

<sup>29</sup>Elected, but did not take his seat until March 4, 1867.

<sup>30</sup>Took his seat March 2, 1867.

<sup>31</sup>Resigned July 27, 1866.

**NEW HAMPSHIRE—Continued**

## SENATORS—Continued

George G. Fogg,<sup>32</sup> *Concord*  
Aaron H. Cragin, *Lebanon*

## REPRESENTATIVES

Gilman Marston, *Exeter*  
Edward H. Rollins, *Concord*  
James W. Patterson, *Hanover*

**NEW JERSEY**

## SENATORS

William Wright,<sup>33</sup> *Newark*  
Frederick T. Frelinghuysen,<sup>34</sup> *Newark*  
John P. Stockton,<sup>35</sup> *Trenton*  
Alexander G. Cattell,<sup>36</sup> *Camden*

## REPRESENTATIVES

John F. Starr, *Camden*  
William A. Newell, *Allentown*  
Charles Sitgreaves, *Phillipsburg*  
Andrew J. Rogers, *Newton*  
Edwin R. V. Wright, *Hudson City*

**NEW YORK**

## SENATORS

Ira Harris, *Albany*  
Edwin D. Morgan, *New York City*

## REPRESENTATIVES

Stephen Taber, *Roslyn*  
Teunis G. Bergen, *New Utrecht*  
James Humphrey,<sup>37</sup> *Brooklyn*  
John W. Hunter,<sup>38</sup> *Brooklyn*  
Morgan Jones, *New York City*  
Nelson Taylor, *New York City*  
Henry J. Raymond, *New York City*  
John W. Chanler, *New York City*  
James Brooks,<sup>39</sup> *New York City*  
William E. Dodge,<sup>40</sup> *New York City*  
William A. Darling, *New York City*  
William Radford, *Yonkers*  
Charles H. Winfield, *Goshen*  
John H. Ketcham, *Dover*  
Edwin N. Hubbell, *Coxsackie*  
Charles Goodyear, *Schoharie*  
John A. Griswold, *Troy*  
Orlando Kellogg,<sup>41</sup> *Elizabethtown*  
Robert S. Hale,<sup>42</sup> *Elizabethtown*  
Calvin T. Hulburt, *Brasher Falls*  
James M. Marvin, *Saratoga Springs*  
Demas Hubbard, Jr., *Smyrna*  
Addison H. Laflin, *Herkimer*  
Roscoe Conkling,<sup>43</sup> *Utica*  
Sidney T. Holmes, *Morrisville*

Thomas T. Davis, *Syracuse*  
Theodore M. Pomeroy, *Auburn*  
Daniel Morris, *Penn Yan*  
Giles W. Hotchkiss, *Binghamton*  
Hamilton Ward, *Belmont*  
Roswell Hart, *Rochester*  
Burt Van Horn, *Newfane*  
James M. Humphrey, *Buffalo*  
Henry Van Aernam, *Franklinville*

**NORTH CAROLINA**

## SENATORS

Vacant

REPRESENTATIVES<sup>44</sup>

Vacant

**OHIO**

## SENATORS

Benjamin F. Wade, *Jefferson*  
John Sherman, *Mansfield*

## REPRESENTATIVES

Benjamin Eggleston, *Cincinnati*  
Rutherford B. Hayes, *Cincinnati*  
Robert C. Schenck, *Dayton*  
William Lawrence, *Bellefontaine*  
Francis C. Le Blond, *Celina*  
Reader W. Clarke, *Batavia*  
Samuel Shellabarger, *Springfield*  
James R. Hubbell, *Delaware*  
Ralph P. Buckland, *Fremont*  
James M. Ashley, *Toledo*  
Hezekiah S. Bundy, *Reeds Mill*  
William E. Finck, *Somerset*  
Columbus Delano,<sup>45</sup> *Mount Vernon*  
Martin Welker, *Wooster*  
Tobias A. Plants, *Pomeroy*  
John A. Bingham, *Cadiz*  
Ephraim R. Eckley, *Carrolton*  
Rufus P. Spalding, *Cleveland*  
James A. Garfield, *Hiram*

**OREGON**

## SENATORS

James W. Nesmith, *Salem*  
George H. Williams, *Portland*

## REPRESENTATIVE AT LARGE

James H. D. Henderson, *Eugene City*

**PENNSYLVANIA**

## SENATORS

Edgar Cowan, *Greensburg*  
Charles R. Buckalew, *Bloomsburg*

## REPRESENTATIVES

Samuel J. Randall, *Philadelphia*

Charles O'Neill, *Philadelphia*  
Leonard Myers, *Philadelphia*  
William D. Kelley, *Philadelphia*  
M. Russell Thayer, *Chestnut Hill*  
Benjamin M. Boyer, *Norristown*  
John M. Broomall, *Media*  
Sydenham E. Ancona, *Reading*  
Thaddeus Stevens, *Lancaster*  
Myer Strouse, *Pottsville*  
Philip Johnson,<sup>46</sup> *Easton*  
Charles Denison, *Wilkes-Barre*  
Ulysses Mercur, *Towanda*  
George F. Miller, *Lewisburg*  
Adam J. Glossbrenner, *York*  
Alexander H. Coffroth,<sup>47</sup> *Somerset*  
William H. Koontz,<sup>48</sup> *Somerset*  
Abraham A. Barker, *Edenburg*  
Stephen F. Wilson, *Wellsboro*  
Glenni W. Scofield, *Warren*  
Charles V. Culver, *Franklin*  
John L. Dawson,<sup>49</sup> *Brownsville*  
James K. Moorhead, *Pittsburgh*  
Thomas Williams, *Pittsburgh*  
George V. Lawrence, *Monongahela City*

**RHODE ISLAND**

## SENATORS

Henry B. Anthony, *Providence*  
William Sprague, *Providence*

## REPRESENTATIVES

Thomas A. Jenckes, *Providence*  
Nathan F. Dixon, *Westerly*

**SOUTH CAROLINA**

## SENATORS

Vacant

## REPRESENTATIVES

Vacant

**TENNESSEE**<sup>50</sup>

## SENATORS

Joseph S. Fowler,<sup>51</sup> *Nashville*  
David T. Patterson,<sup>52</sup> *Greeneville*

## REPRESENTATIVES

Nathaniel G. Taylor,<sup>53</sup> *Happy Valley*  
Horace Maynard,<sup>53</sup> *Knoxville*  
William B. Stokes,<sup>53</sup> *Liberty*  
Edmund Cooper,<sup>54</sup> *Shelbyville*  
William B. Campbell,<sup>55</sup> *Lebanon*  
Samuel M. Arnell,<sup>56</sup> *Columbia*  
Isaac R. Hawkins,<sup>57</sup> *Huntingdon*

<sup>32</sup>Appointed to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Daniel Clark, and took his seat December 3, 1866.

<sup>33</sup>Died November 1, 1866.

<sup>34</sup>Appointed to fill vacancy caused by death of William Wright, and took his seat December 3, 1866; subsequently elected.

<sup>35</sup>Presented credentials and qualified December 4, 1865; protest of members of New Jersey Legislature against his admission filed the same day; served until March 27, 1866, when the seat was declared vacant.

<sup>36</sup>Elected to fill vacancy caused by the Senate declaring the seat of John P. Stockton vacant, and took his seat December 3, 1866.

<sup>37</sup>Died June 16, 1866.

<sup>38</sup>Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of James Humphrey, and took his seat December 4, 1866.

<sup>39</sup>Served until April 7, 1866; succeeded by William E. Dodge, who contested his election.

<sup>40</sup>Successfully contested the election of James Brooks, and took his seat April 7, 1866.

<sup>41</sup>Died August 24, 1865.

<sup>42</sup>Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Orlando Kellogg, and took his seat December 3, 1866.

<sup>43</sup>Reelected to the Fortieth Congress but resigned, effective March 4, 1867, having been elected Senator.

<sup>44</sup>Credentials of Alexander H. Jones and Lewis Hawes were presented and referred to the Select Committee on Reconstruction, but no further action was taken.

<sup>45</sup>Election unsuccessfully contested by Charles Follett.

<sup>46</sup>Died January 29, 1867.

<sup>47</sup>Alexander H. Coffroth and William H. Koontz both claimed the election, the governor having declined to issue a certificate to either; the House, on February 19, 1866, adopted a resolution that Mr. Coffroth had the prima facie right to and should be permitted to occupy the seat without prejudice to the right to contest; took his seat the

same day and served until July 18, 1866, when he was succeeded by William H. Koontz, who contested the election.

<sup>48</sup>Successfully contested the election of Alexander H. Coffroth, and took his seat July 18, 1866.

<sup>49</sup>Election unsuccessfully contested by Smith Fuller.

<sup>50</sup>Readmitted to representation by joint resolution of July 24, 1866.

<sup>51</sup>Took his seat July 25, 1866; term to expire March 3, 1871.

<sup>52</sup>Took his seat July 28, 1866; term to expire March 3, 1869.

<sup>53</sup>Took his seat July 24, 1866.

<sup>54</sup>Took his seat July 25, 1866.

<sup>55</sup>Took his seat December 3, 1866.

<sup>56</sup>Took his seat December 3, 1866; election unsuccessfully contested by Dorsey B. Thomas.

<sup>57</sup>Took his seat December 3, 1866.

John W. Leftwich,<sup>58</sup> *Memphis*

**TEXAS**  
SENATORS

Vacant

REPRESENTATIVES

Vacant

**VERMONT**  
SENATORS

Solomon Foot,<sup>59</sup> *Rutland*  
George F. Edmunds,<sup>60</sup> *Burlington*  
Jacob Collamer,<sup>61</sup> *Woodstock*  
Luke P. Poland,<sup>62</sup> *St. Johnsbury*

REPRESENTATIVES

Frederick E. Woodbridge, *Vergennes*  
Justin S. Morrill, *Strafford*  
Portus Baxter, *Derby Line*

**VIRGINIA**  
SENATORS

Vacant

REPRESENTATIVES

Vacant

**WEST VIRGINIA**  
SENATORS

Peter G. Van Winkle, *Parkersburg*

Waitman T. Willey, *Morgantown*  
REPRESENTATIVES

Chester D. Hubbard, *Wheeling*  
George R. Latham, *Grafton*  
Kellian V. Whaley, *Point Pleasant*

**WISCONSIN**  
SENATORS

James R. Doolittle, *Racine*  
Timothy O. Howe, *Green Bay*  
REPRESENTATIVES

Halbert E. Paine, *Milwaukee*  
Ithamar C. Sloan, *Janesville*  
Amasa Cobb, *Mineral Point*  
Charles A. Eldridge, *Fond du Lac*  
Philetus Sawyer, *Oshkosh*  
Walter D. McIndoe, *Wausau*

**TERRITORY OF ARIZONA**  
DELEGATE

John N. Goodwin, *Prescott*

**TERRITORY OF COLORADO**  
DELEGATE

Allen A. Bradford, *Denver*

**TERRITORY OF DAKOTA**  
DELEGATE

Walter A. Burleigh, *Yankton*

**TERRITORY OF IDAHO**

DELEGATE

E. D. Holbrook, *Idaho City*

**TERRITORY OF MONTANA**

DELEGATE

Samuel McLean, *Bannack*

**TERRITORY OF NEBRASKA**<sup>63</sup>

DELEGATE

Phineas W. Hitchcock,<sup>64</sup> *Omaha*

**TERRITORY OF NEW MEXICO**

DELEGATE

J. Francisco Chaves, *Santa Fe*

**TERRITORY OF UTAH**

DELEGATE

William H. Hooper, *Salt Lake City*

**TERRITORY OF WASHINGTON**

DELEGATE

Arthur A. Denny, *Seattle*

<sup>58</sup>Took his seat July 25, 1866.

<sup>59</sup>Died March 28, 1866.

<sup>60</sup>Appointed to fill vacancy caused by death of Solomon Foot, and took his seat April 5, 1866; subsequently elected.

<sup>61</sup>Died November 9, 1865.

<sup>62</sup>Appointed to fill vacancy caused by death of Jacob Collamer, and took his seat December 4, 1865; subsequently elected.

<sup>63</sup>Granted statehood March 1, 1867.

<sup>64</sup>Served until March 1, 1867, when the Territory of Nebraska was granted statehood.