

Activity Two: the extended republic and the Constitution

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Twin cures to the dangers of majority faction

Teacher directions: Print the following constituency cards, name tags, and list of possible bills to be introduced during the activity. Make sure that you have one set of cards for each student.

H.R. Bill #1. A bill to levy a tax on all tobacco and alfalfa imported into Pennsylvania from North Carolina. This bill would:

- 1. Benefit Virginia tobacco and alfalfa farmers, who will corner the Pennsylvania market and eventually raise prices
- 2. Benefit commercial shippers in New York who transport tobacco and alfalfa from Virginia to Pennsylvania
- 3. Harm North Carolina tobacco and alfalfa farmers by cutting them out of the Pennsylvania market
- 4. Harm consumers and retailers in Pennsylvania (Central counties) by raising the price of imported tobacco and alfalfa
- 5. Harm consumers and retailers in Massachusetts (Western counties) and New Jersey (Northern counties) who will likely also pay higher prices for tobacco and alfalfa imported from Virginia

H.R. #2. A bill to levy a tax on all raw lumber imported into Virginia and Pennsylvania, or exported from Pennsylvania. This bill would:

- 1. Benefit New York (Northern counties) and Connecticut commercial shippers who buy boats from Massachusetts
- 2. Benefit businesses in Massachusetts (Eastern counties) that make and sell boats for commercial shipping to Virginia, Delaware and Maryland, and by allowing them to corner the market in their own state on fishing boats (cutting out Pennsylvania)
- 3. Benefit retailers in Massachusetts (Western counties) who purchase and sell wood furniture made in New Jersey
- 4. Harm fishing boat and commercial ship builders in Pennsylvania (Eastern counties)
- 5. Harm Virginia (Western counties) businesses that make boats for commercial shippers
- 6. Harm commercial shippers in North Carolina, Pennsylvania (Eastern counties), Delaware and Maryland who buy their boats from Virginia (prices for boats from Massachusetts will eventually go up)
- 7. Harm fishermen in Rhode Island and Connecticut who buy fishing boats from Pennsylvania
- 8. Harm business in New Jersey (Southern counties), New Hampshire, Connecticut and North Carolina who import raw lumber from Pennsylvania to make furniture
- 9. Harm consumers and retailers in Georgia who buy and sell wood furniture made in Connecticut

H.R. Bill #3. A bill to levy a tax on corn, potatoes, beef and pork imported into Virginia, South Carolina and Georgia from Massachusetts and New York. This bill would:

- 1. Benefit farmers in Pennsylvania (Western and Central counties) who sell most of their corn, potatoes, beef and pork to South Carolina, Virginia and Georgia
- 2. Harm Massachusetts (Western counties) and New York (Western and Southern counties) corn and potato farmers who export most of their crops to South Carolina and Georgia
- 3. Harm New York (Western counties) cattle and hog farmers, who export most of their beef and pork to Virginia
- 4. Harm consumers and grocers in Virginia, South Carolina and Georgia, who import more than half their corn, potatoes, beef and pork from Massachusetts and New York
- 5. Harm commercial businesses in South Carolina and Georgia that transport potatoes and corn from New York to Georgia and South Carolina
- H.R. #4. A bill to levy a tax on all raw cotton imported into New York from Georgia. This bill would:
 - 1. Benefit cotton clothing manufacturers in Massachusetts (Western counties) who import cotton from Georgia (prices will go down)
 - 2. Benefit South Carolina cotton farmers, who export cotton to clothing manufacturers in New York
 - 3. Benefit manufacturers of wool clothing in Pennsylvania (Central counties), Delaware and New Jersey (Northern counties) who can sell more product as a substitute for cotton clothing
 - 4. Harm cotton clothing manufacturers in New York (Northern counties) who import cotton from Georgia (prices will go up)
 - 5. Harm cotton farmers in Georgia
 - 6. Harm consumers and retailers in New Hampshire who buy and sell cotton clothing made in New York

Senate Bill #1. A bill to issue more paper money, effectively doubling the amount of paper money currently in circulation. This bill would significantly deflate the value of paper money, which would:

- 1. Benefit farmers, who can charge more for their produce and goods; farmers can also repay their loans to banks at a lower dollar value.
- 2. Harm banks, who will not get the fair return on principle and interests from their loans from farmers
- 3. Harm all manufacturing, commercial and retail businesses, who will have to pay higher interest rates on loans so the banks can make up for their losses on loans to farmers

Senate Bill #2. A bill to establish a ban in Connecticut and New Hampshire on the sale of all wood furniture manufactured in and imported from North Carolina. This bill would:

- 1. Benefit furniture manufacturers in New York (Western Counties), New Hampshire and Connecticut, who could sell more furniture in Connecticut and New Hampshire
- 2. Benefit consumers and retailers in New Jersey (Northern counties) who buy and sell wood furniture made in New York
- 3. Harm manufacturing businesses in North Carolina that make and ship wooden furniture to Connecticut and New Hampshire
- 4. Harm consumers and retailers in Pennsylvania (Central counties) who buy and sell wood furniture made in North Carolina (prices will go up)

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES	U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
John Gilmer	Gerald Ellerby
Virginia (Western counties)	Virginia (Eastern counties)
U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES	U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
 Name: John Gilmer State: Virginia (Western counties) Your constituents: 75% are farmers who grow tobacco and alfalfa, mostly exported to New York and Massachusetts 15% work in commercial businesses that transport farm goods and produce (mostly corn) from Pennsylvania and New York farmers and sell to local grocers in your state 10% work for small businesses that purchase lumber from New Hampshire, New York and Pennsylvania to make boats for commercial shipping; the boats are sold to commercial entrepreneurs in Delaware and Maryland 	 Name: Gerald Ellerby State: Virginia (Eastern counties) Your constituents: 25% work for banks that loan money to commercial and manufacturing businesses in your state, as well as to some farmers 25% are dairy farmers who sell milk products to local grocers 25% work in commercial businesses that transport metal farm tools from manufacturers in Pennsylvania and New York which are sold to farmers in your own state; boats are purchased from Virginia 25% work in retail stores that sell metal farming equipment made in New York and Pennsylvania

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William Thomas	Roger Johnson
Massachusetts (Eastern counties)	Massachusetts (Western counties)
U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES	U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Name: William Thomas State: Massachusetts (Eastern counties)	Name: Roger Johnson State: Massachusetts (Western counties)
Your constituents:	Your constituents:
50% are cod and whale fisherman in the Atlantic; boats are purchased from Pennsylvania	50% are farmers who grow corn, beans and potatoes, mostly exported to South Carolina and Georgia
20% work for small businesses that purchase lumber from New Hampshire, New York and Pennsylvania to make boats for commercial shipping; the boats are sold to commercial	20 % are dairy farmers who sell milk products to local grocers
entrepreneurs in Delaware, Virginia and Maryland 20% work in commercial businesses that transport tobacco from Virginia and North Carolina, which is shipped to Europe; boats are purchased from	20% work in retail stores that sell tobacco products from Virginia, wood furniture made in New Jersey, and farm goods and produce grown in your own state
Virginia. 10% work for banks that loan money to commercial and manufacturing businesses in your state, as well as to some farmers	10% work for large manufacturers that purchase cotton from South Carolina or Georgia and make clothing products

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Hamilton Yates New York (Western counties)	David Paterson New York (Northern counties)
U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES	U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Name: Hamilton Yates State: New York (Western counties)	Name: David Paterson State: New York (Northern counties)
Your constituents:	Your constituents:
50% are farmers who grow corn, beans and potatoes, mostly exported to South Carolina and Georgia	50% are farmers who grow wheat, mostly exported to North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia
20% are dairy farmers who sell milk products to local grocers	25% work for large manufacturers that purchase cotton from South Carolina or Georgia and make clothing products
20% are cattle and hog farmers, who export beef and pork to Virginia, Maryland and Delaware	25% work in commercial businesses that transport tobacco and alfalfa from Virginia and North
10% work for small businesses that purchase raw lumber from Pennsylvania and make wood furniture	Carolina, which is shipped to Pennsylvania and Europe; boats are purchased from Massachusetts.

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Martin Williams New York (Southern counties)	Daniel Martin Pennsylvania (Eastern counties)
U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES	U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
 Name: Martin Williams State: New York (Southern counties) Your constituents: 25% work for large manufacturers that purchase iron from Germany and make tools for American farmers; most of the tools are shipped to tobacco farmers in Virginia 25% work for banks that loan money to commercial and manufacturing businesses in your state, as well as to some farmers 25% are farmers who grow corn, beans and potatoes, mostly exported to South Carolina and Georgia 25% work in retail stores that sell farm goods and produce grown in your own state 	 Name: Daniel Martin State: Pennsylvania (Eastern counties) Your constituents: 30% work in retail stores that sell farm goods and produce (mostly corn, beans and potatoes) grown in your own state 20% work for banks that loan money to commercial and manufacturing businesses in your state, as well as to some farmers 20% work in commercial businesses that transport tobacco and alfalfa from Virginia and North Carolina, which is shipped to Europe; boats are purchased from Virginia 20% work for large manufacturers that purchase iron from Germany and make tools for American farmers; most of the tools are shipped to tobacco farmers in Virginia or sold to corn farmers in Pennsylvania 10% work for small businesses that purchase lumber from Canada to make fishing boats; the

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Charles Pinson Pennsylvania (Western counties)	Hugh Williamson Pennsylvania (Central counties)
U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES	U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
 Name: Charles Pinson State: Pennsylvania (Western counties) Your constituents: 50% are farmers who grow corn, beans and potatoes, mostly exported to South Carolina and Georgia 20% are dairy farmers who sell milk products to local grocers 20% are cattle and hog farmers, who export beef and pork to Virginia, Maryland and Delaware 10% work in retail stores that sell metal farming equipment made in your state 	 Name: Hugh Williamson State: Pennsylvania (Central counties) Your constituents: 40% are farmers who grow wheat, mostly exported to North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia 40% are farmers who grow corn, beans and potatoes, mostly exported to South Carolina and Georgia 10% work for large manufacturers that purchase wool from Great Britain and make clothing products 10% work in retail stores that sell tobacco products from Virginia and North Carolina, and wood furniture made in Massachusetts and North Carolina

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Daniel Mercer New Jersey (Northern counties)	Robert Jacobs New Jersey (Southern counties)
U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES	U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Name: Daniel Mercer State: New Jersey (Northern counties)	Name: Robert Jacobs State: New Jersey (Southern counties)
Your constituents:	Your constituents:
30% work for large manufacturers that purchase wool from Great Britain and make clothing products	40% are farmers who grow corn, beans and potatoes, mostly sold to local grocers
30% are cattle and hog farmers who sell mostly to local grocers	30% are dairy farmers who sell milk products to local grocers
20% work for banks that loan money to commercial and manufacturing businesses in your state, as well as to some farmers	20% work in retail stores that sell farm goods and produce (mostly corn, beans and potatoes) grown in your own state
20% work in retail stores that sell tobacco products from North Carolina, and wood furniture made in New York	10% work for small businesses that purchase raw lumber from Pennsylvania and make wood furniture

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Thomas Wilson	Peter Lunsford
Maryland	North Carolina

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES	U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Name: Thomas Wilson State: Maryland	Name: Peter Lunsford State: North Carolina
Your constituents:	Your constituents:
50% are farmers who grow cotton and tobacco, mostly exported to Great Britain and Canada	60% are farmers who grow tobacco and alfalfa, mostly exported to New Jersey and Pennsylvania
30% are farmers who grow beans and potatoes, mostly sold to local grocers	20% are dairy farmers who sell milk products to local grocers
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	lumber from Pennsylvania and make wood furniture

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Randall King	Jonathan Davis
Connecticut	Rhode Island

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES	U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Name: Randall King State: Connecticut	Name: Jonathan Davis State: Rhode Island
Your constituents:	Your constituents:
 30% are cod and whale fisherman in the Atlantic; boats are purchased from Rhode Island 30% are farmers who grow corn, beans and potatoes, mostly sold to local grocers 20% work for small businesses that purchase raw lumber from Pennsylvania and make wood furniture 20% work in commercial businesses that transport tobacco from Virginia and North Carolina to Europe; boats are purchased from Massachusetts 	 30% are cod and whale fisherman in the Atlantic 30% are farmers who grow corn, beans and potatoes, mostly sold to local grocers 20% work for small businesses that purchase lumber from Canada to make fishing boats; the fishing boats are sold to fishermen in Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut 20% work in retail stores that sell wool clothing imported from Delaware and cotton clothing imported from Massachusetts

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Oliver Sherman New Hampshire

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Name: Oliver Sherman State: New Hampshire Your constituents: 40% are farmers who grow corn, beans and potatoes, mostly sold to local grocers 30% are dairy farmers who sell milk products to local grocers 20% work for small businesses that purchase raw lumber from Pennsylvania and make wood furniture 10% work in retail stores that sell wool clothing imported from Pennsylvania and cotton clothing imported from New York	Name: John Yates State: Georgia Your constituents: 70% are farmers who grow cotton, mostly exported to Massachusetts, New York and Pennsylvania 20% work in commercial businesses that transport farm goods and produce (mostly potatoes and corn) from Pennsylvania and New York farmers and sell to local grocers in your state 10% work in retail stores that sell wood furniture made in Connecticut

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Jonathan Houston	Martin Richards
Delaware	South Carolina
U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES	U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Name: Jonathan Houston	Name: Martin Richards
State: Delaware	State: South Carolina
Your constituents:	Your constituents:
50% are farmers who grow corn, beans and	70% are farmers who grow cotton, mostly
potatoes, mostly sold to local grocers	exported to Massachusetts, New York and
40% are dairy farmers who sell milk products to	Pennsylvania
local grocers	30% work in commercial businesses that transport
10% work for large manufacturers that purchase	farm goods and produce (mostly potatoes and
wool from Great Britain and make clothing	corn) from Pennsylvania and New York farmers
products	and sell to local grocers in your state

U.S. SENATE		U.S. SENATE
Byron James		William Hughes
New Hampshire		Massachusetts
U.S. SENATE	U.S. SENATE	
Name : Byron James	Name: William Hughes	
State: New Hampshire	State: Massachusetts	
Your constituents:	Your constituents:	

Name : Byron James State: New Hampshire	Name: William Hughes State: Massachusetts
Your constituents:	Your constituents:
50% are farmers who grow corn, beans and potatoes, mostly sold to local grocers	40% are farmers who grow corn, beans and potatoes, mostly exported to South Carolina and Georgia
30% are dairy farmers who sell milk products to local grocers	10% are dairy farmers who sell milk products to local grocers
10% work for small businesses that purchase raw lumber from Pennsylvania and make wood furniture	10% are cod and whale fisherman in the Atlantic; boats are purchased from Pennsylvania
10% work in retail stores that sell wool clothing imported from Pennsylvania and cotton clothing imported from New York	10% work in commercial businesses that transport tobacco from Virginia and North Carolina, which is shipped to Europe; boats are purchased from Virginia.
	10% work for small businesses that purchase lumber from New Hampshire, New York and Pennsylvania to make boats for commercial shipping; the boats are sold to commercial entrepreneurs in Delaware, Virginia and Maryland
	10% work for banks that loan money to commercial and manufacturing businesses in your state, as well as to some farmers
	10% work in retail stores that sell tobacco products from Virginia, and wood furniture made in New Jersey,
	10% work for large manufacturers that purchase cotton from South Carolina or Georgia and make clothing products

U.S. SENATE

George Morris Connecticut

U.S. SENATE

Luther Mercer New York

U.S. SENATE	U.S. SENATE
Name: George Morris State: Connecticut	Name: Luther Mercer State: New York
Your constituents:	20% are farmers who grow corn, beans and potatoes, mostly exported to South Carolina and Georgia
30% are cod and whale fisherman in the Atlantic; boats are purchased from Rhode Island	15% are farmers who grow wheat, mostly exported to North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia
30% are farmers who grow corn, beans and potatoes, mostly sold to local grocers	10% are dairy farmers who sell milk products to local grocers
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	10% work in retail stores that sell farm goods and produce grown in your own state
	5% work for banks that loan money to commercial and manufacturing businesses in your state, as well as to some farmers

The Federalist defense of "extending the sphere"		
U.S. SENATE	U.S. SENATE	
James Mercer Rhode Island	John King New Jersey	
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Name: James Mercer State: Rhode Island	Name: John King State: New Jersey	
Your constituents:	Your constituents:	
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U.S. SENATE

James Smith Pennsylvania

U.S. SENATE

Jonathan Hillsdale Delaware

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Name: James Smith State: Pennsylvania	Name: Jonathan Hillsdale State: Delaware
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5% work for banks that loan money to farms and businesses	

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Charles Parsons	Wilson Morrison
Maryland	Virginia

U.S. SENATE	U.S. SENATE
Name: Charles Parsons State: Maryland	Name: Wilson Morrison State: Virginia
Your constituents:	Your constituents:
50% are farmers who grow cotton and tobacco, mostly exported to Great Britain and Canada	60% are farmers who grow tobacco and alfalfa, mostly exported to New York and Massachusetts
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	and manufacturing businesses in your state, as well as to some farmers

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Theophilus Miller North Carolina	Robert Prichard South Carolina
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 Name: Theophilus Miller State: North Carolina Your constituents: 50% are farmers who grow tobacco and alfalfa, mostly exported to New Jersey and Pennsylvania 20% are dairy farmers who sell milk products to local grocers 15% work in commercial businesses that transport farm goods and produce (mostly potatoes) from Pennsylvania and New York farmers and sell to local grocers in your state 15% work for small businesses that purchase raw lumber from Pennsylvania and make wood furniture 	Name: Robert Prichard State: South Carolina Your constituents: 70% are farmers who grow cotton, mostly exported to Massachusetts, New York and Pennsylvania 30% work in commercial businesses that import farm goods and produce (mostly potatoes and corn) from Pennsylvania and New York farmers and sell to local grocers in your state

U.S. SENATE

Thomas Pinckney Georgia

U.S. SENATE

Name: Thomas Pinckney State: Georgia

Your constituents:

70% are farmers who grow cotton, mostly exported to Massachusetts, New York and Pennsylvania

20% work in commercial businesses that transport farm goods and produce (mostly potatoes and corn) from Pennsylvania and New York farmers and sell to local grocers in your state

10% work in retail stores that sell wood furniture made in Connecticut