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Pennsylvania General Assembly - 1778-9

Constitutionalist - 43; Republican - 26; Undetermined - 3 (as finally constituted)

County		Name	Party	County		Name	Party
Philadelphia	O	Knox, Robert	Const	Cumberland	O	Hoge, Jonathan	Const
Philadelphia	O	Lollar, Robert	Const	Cumberland	R	Duncan, Stephen	Rep
Philadelphia	O	Thompson, Archibald	Const	Cumberland	R	Dunlap, James	Rep
Philadelphia	O	Bayard, John	Const	Cumberland	O	Harris, John	Const
Philadelphia	R	Warner, Isaac	Rep	Cumberland	R	Maxwell, Patrick	Rep
Philadelphia	R	Heister, Daniel	Rep	Cumberland	R	Allison, John	Rep
Philadelphia City	R	Morris, Robert	Rep	Berks	R	Potts, Jonathan	Rep
Philadelphia City	O	Shubart, Michael @	Const	Berks	O	Hunter, Daniel	Const
Philadelphia City	R	Mifflin, Thomas	Rep	Berks	R	Biddle, Edward	Rep
Philadelphia City		Reed, Joseph #	Rep	Berks	R	Bird, Mark	Rep
Philadelphia City	O	Hollingshead, William #	Const	Berks	O	Heister, Gabriel	Const
Philadelphia City	R	Meredith, Samuel	Rep	Berks	O	Levan, Sebastian	Const
Philadelphia City	R	Clymer, George	Rep	Northampton	O	Rhoads, Peter	Const
Bucks	O	Wynkoop, Gerardus	Const	Northampton	X	McFarren, William	Const
Bucks	O	Kellar, John	Const	Northampton	RX	Waggoner, Christopher	Const
Bucks	O	Watts, Arthur	Const	Northampton	O	Dresbach, Simon	Const
Bucks	O	Smith, Samuel	Const	Northampton	O	Ralston, John	Const
Bucks	O	Lacey, John, Jr.	Const	Northampton	O	Van Campen, John	Const
Bucks	O	Scott, William	Const	Bedford	R	Rhoads, Henry	Rep
Chester	O	Anderson, Patrick *	Const	Bedford	R	Dougherty, Bernard	Rep
Chester	O	Culbertson, John *	Const	Bedford	R	Smith, Thomas	Rep
Chester	O	Cochran, Stephen *	Const	Bedford	R	Burd, John	Rep
Chester	O	Fulton, John	Const	Bedford	R	Woods, George	Rep
Chester	O	Gardner, Joseph *	Const	Bedford	R	Davidson, Hugh	Rep
Chester	O	Flemming, John *	Const	Northumberland	O	Dale, Samuel	Const
Lancaster	O	Gilchreest, John	Const	Northumberland	O	McKnight, James	Const
Lancaster		Grubb, Curtis ***		Northumberland	O	Martin, Robert	Const
Lancaster	O	Anderson, James	Const	Northumberland	O	Hemrod, Simon	Const
Lancaster	O	Brown, William	Const	Northumberland	O	Chambers, Stephen**	Const
Lancaster	O?	Lowrey, Alexander	Rep	Northumberland	O	White, John**	Const
Lancaster	O	Smiley, John	Const	Westmoreland	O	Shields, John	Const
York	R	Hartley, Thomas	Rep	Westmoreland	R	Pollack, James	Rep
York	R	Edie, Samuel	Rep	Westmoreland	O	Sloan, Samuel	Const
York	R	Lilly (Lilley), Thomas	Rep	Westmoreland	O	Hayes, Christopher	Const
York	O?	Schmyser, Michael	Rep	Westmoreland	O	McClelland, John	Const
York		Ross, William ***		Westmoreland		Taylor, Henry ***	
York		Slagle, Henry ***	Rep				

Joseph Reed resigned in December 1778 and never attended the Assembly. Reed had been a Republican but accepted election as President of the Council with Radical support. He was replaced on 3 February 1789 by William Hollingshead.

* Two vote tallys which conflicted on all but one winning candidate (Fulton) were returned from Chester County. The individuals listed here were approved by a formal vote of the General Assembly.

** Two conflicting vote tallys were returned from Northumberland County. The tally returning White and Chambers was validated by the General Assembly.

*** No recorded votes can be found for Curtis Grubb, Henry Taylor, William Ross, or Henry Slagle.

@ Brunhouse describes Shubart (*Counter-revolution*, p.20) as a Republican in 1776. However, voting patterns in 1778-9 show him as a consistent supporter of Constitutionalist positions.

O = Took oath of office. R = Took oath with reservations. X = Believed to be typesetting error in *Assembly Journal*. It is probable that both Waggoner and McFarren took the oath without reservations. ? = Schmyser and Lowrey were reported as having taken the oath without reservation but voted consistently with Republicans. Again this is probably a typesetter's error.