Robert B. Cranston (R.I.) II

Category 4

party affiliation (Whig) March 3, 1843
(Law and Order Whig) March 4, 1847

Occupation between terms: member R.I. state house of reps 1843-1847
speaker of State house
state senate

prior occupation: internal revenue collector 1812-1815
sheriff Newport County 1818-1827

education: public schools

Joseph Hemphill (Pa.)

Category: 4

political affiliation: (Federalist) March 3, 1803
(Again March 4, 1819 – 1826)
(Jackson Demo) March 4, 1829

occupation between terms: member state house of reps 1805; ~~judge~~ first president Judge of district court of Phila.

prior occupation: lawyer
member state house of reps 1797-1800

education: preparatory studies
1791 graduated – Univ of Penn.

William G. Angel (N.Y.)

Category: 4

Party affiliation: (J. Q. Adams Demo.) March 3, 1827
(Jackson Demo.) March 4, 1829

Occupation between terms: ?

Prior occupation: lawyer

Education: common schools

William Cabell Rives (Va.)

Category: 4

pol. affiliation: (Dem.) March 3, 1839 ~~resigned~~
(Whig) January 18, 1841

occupation between terms: ~~Minister to France 1829–32~~ ?

prior occupation: member state house of delegates
1817–20; 1822 and 1823
U.S. House of Reps. 1823–29
Minister to France 1829–32
U.S. Senator (to fill vacancy) 1832 – 1834, resigned
U.S. Senator (to fill vacancy) 1836–39

education: attended Hampden-Sidney College
1809 graduated – William and Mary College

John Dickerson (N.J.)

Category 1

Party affiliation: (Whig) March 3, 1855
(Republican) March 4, 1855

Occupation between terms: NA

Prior occupation: presidential elector on Whig ticket by Harrison + Tyler in 1840
businessman.

Education: Common schools

James Duane Doty (Wis.)

Category: 1

party affiliation: (Demo) March 3, 1851
(Freesoiler) March 4, 1851

Occupation between terms:

prior occupation: member of legislative council 1834-35
laid out capital of Wis. after helping
bring about the division of Michigan
Territory into Michigan, Wis & Iowa

Education: common schools

Henry Bennett (N.Y.) #1

Category: 1

party affiliation: (Whig) March 3, 1851
(Rep.) March 4, 1851 (unsuccessful for renomination in 1858)

previous occupations: town clerk

education: public schools.

Stephen Arnold Douglas (Ill.)

category 1

political affiliation: (Democrat) March 3, 1847-53
(Popular Sovereignty Dems) March 4, 1847-53

occupation between terms:

prior occupation: teacher
lawyer
member state house of reps 1836-37
unsuccessful Dems candidate in 1838.

education: Brandon Academy

* Appointed to fill vacancy caused by resignation subsequently elected and re-elected a Democrat

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Dixon Hall Lewis (Ala)

category 1

political affiliation: (States Rights Demo) April 22, 1844 — resigned after being appointed senator.*
(Democrat) April 22, 1844

occupation between terms: NA.

prior occupation: member state house of reps 1825-2.

education: graduated 1822 - Mt. Zion Academy and from South Carolina College

Thomas Walker Gilmer (Va.)

Category: I

pole affiliation: (Whig) March 3, 1843
Demo.) March 4, 1843 resigned

occupation between terms: NA

prior occupation: member state house of delegates 1829-36 and again in 1839 and 1840; governor of Va. 1840-41.

education: common schools.

John Chamberlain Clark (N.Y.)

Category: 1

party affiliation: (Demo.) March 3, 1839
(Whig) March 4, 1939

previous occupation: district attorney. 1823-27

education: preparatory studies
1811 graduated Williams College (Williamstown, Mass.)

Edward Darlington (Pa.) H

category 1

party affiliation (Whig) March 3, 1837
(Anti-Mason) March 4, 1837

occupation between terms: NA.

prior occupation: school teacher
lawyer
deputy attorney gen 1824-30

education common schools
graduated - West Chester Academy

James Harper (Pa.)

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Category: 1

political affiliation (Clay Dems.) March 3, 1835
(Whig) March 4, 1835.

occupation between terms: NA

prior occupation: manufacturer

education: public schools

Harmar Denny (Pa.) +

category 1

party affiliation: (Anti-Mason) March 3, 1835
(Whig) March 4, 1835. not candidate for re-election

occupation between terms: NA.

prior occupation: member state house of reps 1824-29

education: 1813 graduated - Dickinson College

& elected to fill vacancy due to death

Nehemiah Rice Knight (R.I.) S

category 1

political affiliation: (Anti-Federalist)* January 3, 1829
(Democrat) January 3, 1829

occupation between terms: NA

prior occupation: member state house of reps 1802
Governor of R.I. 1817-21
president Wm Rogers Bank 1817-54

education common schools

John Augustus Griswold (N.Y.)

Category: I

pols affiliation: (Demo.) March 3, 1865
(Repub.) March 4, 1865

occupation between terms: NA

prior occupation: Mayor of Troy, N.Y. 1858
president RR companies
manufacturer + mercantilist

education: academic training

James Alfred Pearce (Md.)

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category 1

political affiliation: (Whig) March 3, 1861
~~unsuccessful in re-election 1838~~

(Demo) March 4, 1861

occupation between terms: NA.

prior occupation: state house of delegates 1831
U.S. Congressman 1835-1839; unsuccessful for re-election in 1838

education: 1822 graduated — Princeton College

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Judah Philip Benjamin (La.)

category: 1

party affiliation: (Whig) March 9, 1859
(Demo.) March 4, 1859

previous occupations: lawyer, teacher

education: common schools
Yale College

Thomas Lelbourne Anderson (Mo.)

Category: 1

Party affiliation: (American Party) March 3, 1857
(Ind. Dems.) March 4, 1859

Occupation between terms: NA

Prior occupation: lawyer

education: rural schools.

Anson Burlingame (Mass.) 17

category: 1

party affiliation: (American Party) March 3, 1859
(Republican) March 4, 1859
(unsuccessful candidate for re-election in 1860)

Previous occupation: State senate in ~~[illegible]~~ Mass 1852;
member Mass Constitutional Convention 1853;

Education: private schools
University of Michigan
1846 graduated law dept Harvard Univ.

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Matthias H. Nichols (Ohio) 7H

Category: 1

party affiliation: (Whig) March 3, 1857
unsuccessful for re-election in 1858
(Republican) March 4, 1857

occupation between terms: NA.

prior occupation: lawyer; Allen Co. prosecuting attorney 1851

education: common schools

Galusha Aaron Grow (Pa.)

category: 1

political affiliation: (Free-Soil Dem.) March 3, 1857
(Republican) March 4, 1857

occupation between terms: NA.

prior occupation: lawyer

education: common schools, Franklin Academy
1844 graduated - Amherst College (Mass.)

Timothy Davis (Mass.) 11

category: 1

party affiliation: (American Party) March 3, 1857
(Republican) March 4, 1857

occ. between terms: NA.

prior occupation: member state house of reps 1870-7

education: public schools

Sidney Dean (Conn) II

category 1

party affiliation (American Party) March 3, 1857
(Republican) March 4, 1857
declined renomination

occupation between terms: NA.

prior occupation: methodist minister
member State house of reps 1854-55

education: common schools
Wilbraham + Suffield Academies

Solomon Foot (Vt.)

Category 1

political affiliation: (Whig) March 3, 1857
(Republican) March 4, 1857

occupation between terms: NA.

prior occupation: lawyer
member state house of reps 1833, 1836-38
delegate to state constitutional convention
1836; prosecuting attorney 1836-42

education: Classical studies
1826 graduated - Middlebury College (Vt.)

Linus Bacon Comins (COMINS) (Mass.) H

category: 1

party affiliation: (American Party) March 3, 1857
(Republican) March 4, 1857

occupation between terms: NA.

prior occupation: City council member (Roxbury)
Mayor (Roxbury

education: Common schools
graduated - Worcester County Manual
Training High Sch.

John Covode (Pa.) H

Category 1

party affiliation: (Anti-Masonic Whig) March 3, 1857
(Republican) March 4, 1857

prior occupation: agriculture
manufacturing
coal trade

education: public schools

Aaron Harrison Cragin (N.H.)

category: 1 ||

party affiliation: (American Party) March 3, 1857
(Republican) March 4, 1857

occupation between terms: NA

prior occupation: member N.H. house of reps.
1852 - 1855

education: preparatory studies

Samuel Carruthers (Mo.) #

category: 1

party affiliation: (Whig) March 3, 1857
(Demo) March 4, 1857

previous occupation: law
local political offices.

education: Cumberland Univ. (Lebanon, Tx)

Charles Sumner (Mass.)

Category: 1

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pols affiliation: (Free-Soil Demo.) March 3, 1857
(Republican) March 4, 1857

occupation between terms: N.A.

prior occupation: lecturer at Harvard Law Sch. 1835-37
lawyer
one of founders of Free-Soil Party

education: attended Boston Latin School
1830 graduated – Harvard University
1833 " Harvard Law School

Note: declined (Whig) nomination for Congress in 1846
unsuccessful candidate for Free-Soil ticket in 1848

* owing to irregularities in legislature proceedings, the seat was declared vacant on 1-12-1857; Harlan re-elected as a Repub to fill the same seat.

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James Harlan (Iowa) S

Category: 1

political affiliation: (Whig) Jan. 12, 1857*
(Republican) Jan. 12, 1857

occupation between terms: N/A

prior occupation: law
superintendent of public instruction
declined Whig nomination for Gov.
in 1850
president of Wesleyan Univ. 1853-55

education: rural schools
1845 graduated - Indiana Asbury (now
De Pauw University (Ind.)

Chauncey Longden Knapp (Mass.)

Category: 1

political affiliation: (American Party) March 3, 1857
(Republican) March 4, 1857

Occupation between terms: NA

prior occupation: editor of newspaper
secretary of state (Vt.) 1836-49
secretary of state senate (Mass) 1851

education: completed preparatory studies
studied printing

* elected to fill vacancy caused by failure of legislature to elect

Benjamin Franklin Wade (Ohio)

category: I

political affiliation: (Whig)* March 3, 1851
(Republican) March 4, 1851
unsuccessful candidate for renomination in 1868

occupation between terms: NA.

prior occupation: lawyer, teacher.
member state senate in 1837-38
president judge of 3rd judicial court of Ohio 1847-51

education: studied medicine 1823-25