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February 10, 1787: William Few Appointed to the Constitutional Convention  
Vocabulary

<u>Word</u>	<u>Part of Speech</u>	<u>Definition</u>
Patriot	Noun	a proud supporter or defender of his or her country and its way of life
Legislature	Noun	an official body, usually chosen by election, with the power to make, change, and repeal laws
Constitutional Convention	Noun	A meeting to discuss the creation of a constitution
Continental Congress	Noun	the congress of delegates from the American colonies held before, during, and after the American Revolution. It issued the Declaration of Independence (1776) and drafted the Articles of Confederation (1777).
Revising	Verb	to change a previous estimate in order to make it more accurate or realistic
Articles of Confederation	Noun	Governing document of the United States before the creation of the Constitution
Charter	Noun	a formal written statement describing the rights and responsibilities of a state and its citizens
Federal	Adjective	relating to a political unit established on a federal basis, especially its central government
Appointed	Verb	Given a job, duty, or office