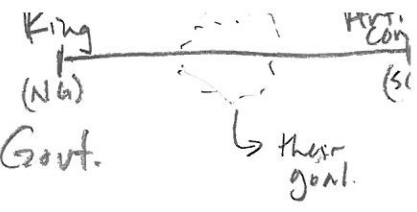


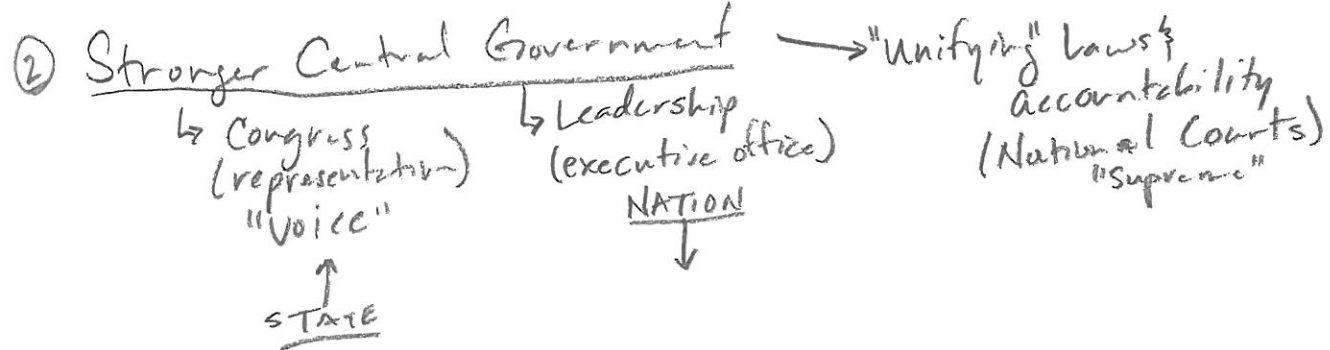
Biggest fear for the Colonies: a govt. too powerful or a govt. that doesn't work (poor)

### Constitutional Convention

- Continental Congress
- Creating a new & BETTER Govt.



- ① Federalists = stronger national govt. / more control (Democrats) (Washington)  
 vs  
Anti-Federalists = weaker national govt. / more state control (Republicans) (Jefferson)



- ③ Great Compromise (Congress)
- Virginia Plan: representation in Congress should be based on size (population) of each state. → Bigger state deserve more control (They have more invested)
  - New Jersey Plan: representation in Congress should be equal regardless of size of each state → Smaller states deserve equal "voice"
  - Compromise is to create (unification) use both = VA Plan → House of Reps NJ Plan → Senate

- ④ 3/5 Compromise (representation/population)
- Determine if slaves should be counted as population?
- South → slaves should be counted as people = ↑ pop. = ↑ rep. = ↑ govt. power
  - North → slaves are property, therefore can't be represented in govt.
  - Compromise = For every 5 slaves, 3 count as representation.

- ⑤ Electoral College (Executive Office)
- 3 Presidents? Lifetime? > Decide 1 President w/ Limited Terms.  
 1 President? Limited?
- How do we elect? → By representation ⇒ Electorates who will vote based on each state's population's vote.
- Why? Easier: too difficult to count all votes of the pop.  
"Safety Net": protection against the people to ensure best person is elected.

- ⑥ Bill of Rights → National Control vs. Individual Rights  
 → Protection for the PEOPLE against the Government.