Understanding the Constitutional Convention

 Articles of Confederation:

 Designed to:

 Ended up being:

 Madison’s Constitutional Convention to design new government

 Plan

 **Virginia Plan** **New Jersey Plan**

 Both Plans Agreed on

Government with Representation Three Branches of Government Government with Representation

based on  *Legislative* to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ laws based on

 *Executive* to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ laws

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ *Judicial* to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ laws \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Supported by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ states Each could make sure the others Supported by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ states

 did not get too much power.

 **Federalists** **The Great Compromise Anti-federalists**

 Took from both plans and set up a government

Wanted: Three Branches with *Checks and Balances*  Wanted:

Legislative Branch made up of two houses

Believed: House of Representatives Believed:

 Representation like the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Plan

Senate

 Representation like the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Plan

**The Constitution**