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Article Riddles

Directions: Read each riddle about the Articles of Confederation. Write the correct answer on the line. Use what you know about the weaknesses and reforms that followed.

1. I am the meeting where leaders gathered in 1787 to fix the problems of the Articles. Who am I?

2. Under me, each state kept most of its power, leaving the national government too weak. What am I?

3. I am the event where angry farmers protested debts and taxes, showing the government could not keep order. Who am I?

4. I am the part of government that could make treaties but could not enforce them. What am I?

5. I am the rule that required every state to agree before the Articles could be changed. What am I?

6. I am the document created after the Articles to form a stronger government. What am I?

7. I am the group that collected taxes and controlled trade-but only after the new Constitution. Who am I?

8. I am the phrase describing how the states were connected: a "firm league of friendship." What am I?
