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1819 Maine Constitutional Election Returns: Hope

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AT a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the *Town of Hope*
in the county of *Lincoln* qualified to vote for Senators, holden on
the first Monday of December, being the sixth day of said month, A. D. one thousand
eight hundred and nineteen, for the purpose of giving in their votes in writing, expressing
their approbation or disapprobation of the Constitution prepared by the Convention of
Delegates, assembled at Portland, on the second Monday of October last, pursuant to
An Act, entitled, "An Act relating to the Separation of the District of Maine from
Massachusetts proper, and forming the same into a separate and independent State."

The whole number of votes given in, in said *Town* were sorted and counted
in the open meeting of the *Said Town* by the Selectmen who presided at said
meeting, and were *fifty two* of which

were in favor of the Constitution prepared by the Convention as aforesaid, and

were opposed to said Constitution. *None*

The foregoing is a true copy of the record, as entered in open meeting in the books
of the *Town* --- Attest,

Fergus McLean
Thaddeus Hartung
Micah Hobbs

} Selectmen of
} *Said Town*

Matthew Beveridge Town Clerk.

NOTE. The foregoing return must be transmitted and delivered to the Committee appointed by
the Convention to receive returns, on or before the first day of January next.