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# 1819 Maine Constitutional Election Returns: North Portland

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AT a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the *Town* of *New Portland*  
in the county of *Somerset* 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 *Town* by the Selectmen who presided at said  
meeting, and were *Twentyfour* <sup>votes</sup> in the whole of which

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

were opposed to said Constitution. *Fifteen* Votes

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

*Sam<sup>l</sup> Gout* }  
*Henry Norton* } Selectmen of  
*New Portland*

*Henry Norton* 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.