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| GENERAL<br>ELECTION<br>STRAFFORD<br>COUNTY<br>November 2, 1976 | Sheriff   |             | Attorney     |              |           | Treasurer  |            |             |
|--|-----------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-----------|------------|------------|-------------|
|  | Knight, r | Flanagan, d | Krans, Jr. r | Krans, Jr. d | Scattered | Cormier, r | Cormier, d | Erickson, l |
| Barrington .....   | 790       | 515         | 651          | 529          | —         | 638        | 519        | 39          |
| Dover—Ward 1 ..  | 672       | 886         | —            | 1409         | —         | —          | 1351       | 2           |
| Dover—Ward 2 ..  | 415       | 894         | —            | 1169         | —         | 1127       | —          | 2           |
| Dover—Ward 3 ..  | 504       | 991         | 523          | 861          | —         | 514        | 818        | —           |
| Dover—Ward 4 ..  | 672       | 911         | 654          | 801          | 2         | 625        | 768        | 33          |
| Dover—Ward 5 ..  | 731       | 900         | 734          | 763          | —         | 702        | 727        | 41          |
| Dover—Ward 6 ..  | 482       | 661         | 962          | —            | —         | 1023       | —          | 26          |
| Durham .....   | 1629      | 1075        | —            | 2376         | 3         | —          | 2258       | 138         |
| Farmington .....   | 794       | 528         | 755          | 497          | —         | 754        | 496        | 10          |
| Lee .....  | 516       | 289         | 692          | —            | —         | 670        | —          | 28          |
| Madbury .....  | 228       | 131         | 182          | 148          | —         | 180        | 141        | 12          |
| Middleton .....  | 78        | 90          | 72           | 91           | —         | 69         | 91         | —           |
| Milton .....   | 483       | 307         | 437          | 303          | —         | 433        | 310        | 5           |
| New Durham .....   | 278       | 115         | 264          | 96           | —         | 264        | 86         | —           |
| Rochester  |           |             |              |              |           |            |            |             |
| Ward 1 .....   | 740       | 601         | 641          | 630          | 1         | 658        | 653        | 9           |
| Ward 2 .....   | 860       | 716         | 733          | 684          | 1         | 883        | 634        | 13          |
| Ward 3 .....   | 685       | 675         | 515          | 747          | —         | 553        | 760        | 5           |
| Ward 4 .....   | 688       | 1014        | 589          | 973          | —         | 738        | 1063       | 9           |
| Ward 5 .....   | 839       | 602         | 709          | 630          | —         | 755        | 665        | 7           |
| Rollinsford .....  | 391       | 475         | 289          | 511          | —         | 275        | 498        | 16          |
| Somersworth  |           |             |              |              |           |            |            |             |
| Ward 1 .....   | 320       | 470         | 745          | —            | —         | 769        | —          | 9           |
| Ward 2 .....   | 256       | 440         | 645          | —            | —         | 646        | —          | 9           |
| Ward 3 .....   | 195       | 448         | —            | 598          | —         | —          | 595        | 5           |
| Ward 4 .....   | 307       | 576         | 217          | 611          | —         | 209        | 607        | 11          |
| Ward 5 .....   | 196       | 422         | 539          | —            | —         | 536        | —          | 5           |
| Strafford .....  | 395       | 143         | 376          | 124          | —         | 376        | 135        | 4           |
| Totals .....   | 14144     | 14875       | 11924        | 14551        | 7         | 13397      | 13175      | 438         |

| GENERAL<br>ELECTION<br><br>STRAFFORD<br>COUNTY<br><br>November 2, 1976 | Register<br>of<br>Deeds |          | Register<br>of<br>Probate |          |           |
|--|-------------------------|----------|---------------------------|----------|-----------|
|  | Young, r                | Carey, d | Ogden, r                  | Ogden, d | Scattered |
| Barrington .....   | 656                     | 559      | 635                       | 535      | —         |
| Dover—Ward 1 ..  | 658                     | 816      | —                         | 1393     | —         |
| Dover—Ward 2 ..  | 418                     | 821      | —                         | 1157     | —         |
| Dover—Ward 3 ..  | 552                     | 860      | 528                       | 834      | —         |
| Dover—Ward 4 ..  | 657                     | 860      | 666                       | 804      | —         |
| Dover—Ward 5 ..  | 707                     | 853      | 742                       | 755      | —         |
| Dover—Ward 6 ..  | 557                     | 555      | 1062                      | —        | —         |
| Durham .....   | 1078                    | 1279     | —                         | 2360     | 2         |
| Farmington .....   | 730                     | 541      | 750                       | 515      | —         |
| Lee .....  | 389                     | 316      | 688                       | —        | —         |
| Madbury .....  | 169                     | 169      | 181                       | 149      | —         |
| Middleton .....  | 69                      | 89       | 72                        | 92       | —         |
| Milton .....   | 432                     | 315      | 424                       | 313      | —         |
| New Durham .....   | 264                     | 104      | 264                       | 95       | —         |
| Rochester  |                         |          |                           |          |           |
| Ward 1 .....   | 634                     | 633      | 661                       | 596      | 1         |
| Ward 2 .....   | 815                     | 707      | 664                       | 806      | —         |
| Ward 3 .....   | 560                     | 754      | 753                       | 526      | —         |
| Ward 4 .....   | 597                     | 993      | 685                       | 979      | —         |
| Ward 5 .....   | 736                     | 649      | 715                       | 635      | —         |
| Rollinsford .....  | 315                     | 513      | 281                       | 513      | —         |
| Somersworth  |                         |          |                           |          |           |
| Ward 1 .....   | 305                     | 446      | 644                       | —        | —         |
| Ward 2 .....   | 223                     | 424      | 652                       | —        | —         |
| Ward 3 .....   | 211                     | 399      | —                         | 601      | —         |
| Ward 4 .....   | 292                     | 545      | 219                       | 599      | —         |
| Ward 5 .....   | 159                     | 425      | 575                       | —        | —         |
| Strafford .....  | 371                     | 141      | 373                       | 132      | —         |
| Totals .....   | 12554                   | 14766    | 12234                     | 14389    | 3         |

| GENERAL<br>ELECTION<br>STRAFFORD<br>COUNTY<br>November 2, 1976 | COUNTY COMMISSIONERS |          |             |             |           |             |            |
|--|----------------------|----------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|------------|
|  | Sherwood, r          | Young, r | Flanagan, r | Courteau, d | Dumont, d | Flanagan, d | O'Brien, l |
| Barrington .....   | 564                  | 690      | 596         | 532         | 620       | 465         | 55         |
| Dover—Ward 1 ..  | 720                  | 645      | —           | 885         | 719       | 1215        | —          |
| Dover—Ward 2 ..  | 534                  | 382      | 1058        | 850         | 723       | —           | 38         |
| Dover—Ward 3 ..  | 638                  | 508      | 482         | 909         | 762       | 788         | —          |
| Dover—Ward 4 ..  | 799                  | 625      | 598         | 843         | 697       | 706         | 55         |
| Dover—Ward 5 ..  | 890                  | 688      | 601         | 830         | 699       | 620         | 65         |
| Dover—Ward 6 ..  | 598                  | 481      | 918         | 644         | 508       | —           | 42         |
| Durham .....   | 1108                 | 1078     | —           | 1125        | 1199      | 2158        | 158        |
| Farmington .....   | 674                  | 809      | 718         | 462         | 576       | 435         | 18         |
| Lee .....  | 359                  | 381      | 654         | 314         | 323       | —           | 32         |
| Madbury .....  | 183                  | 183      | 168         | 151         | 135       | 126         | 16         |
| Middleton .....  | 67                   | 74       | 67          | 84          | 90        | 82          | —          |
| Milton .....   | 370                  | 483      | 393         | 291         | 383       | 260         | 12         |
| New Durham .....   | 235                  | 264      | 250         | 84          | 125       | 87          | —          |
| Rochester  |                      |          |             |             |           |             |            |
| Ward 1 .....   | 481                  | 815      | 565         | 583         | 734       | 464         | —          |
| Ward 2 .....   | 572                  | 1029     | 712         | 657         | 1008      | 480         | 12         |
| Ward 3 .....   | 379                  | 768      | 454         | 762         | 992       | 532         | 6          |
| Ward 4 .....   | 439                  | 762      | 366         | 958         | 1038      | 787         | 2          |
| Ward 5 .....   | 583                  | 949      | 641         | 657         | 839       | 481         | 8          |
| Rollinsford .....  | 315                  | 292      | 272         | 550         | 468       | 453         | 21         |
| Somersworth  |                      |          |             |             |           |             |            |
| Ward 1 .....   | 242                  | 351      | 619         | 451         | 485       | 1           | 10         |
| Ward 2 .....   | 176                  | 268      | 570         | 471         | 471       | —           | 14         |
| Ward 3 .....   | 155                  | 218      | —           | 423         | 428       | 538         | 8          |
| Ward 4 .....   | 217                  | 342      | 236         | 556         | 618       | 497         | 19         |
| Ward 5 .....   | 115                  | 173      | 485         | 440         | 456       | —           | 9          |
| Strafford .....  | 331                  | 398      | 341         | 131         | 156       | 111         | 6          |
| Totals .....   | 11744                | 13656    | 11764       | 14643       | 15272     | 11286       | 606        |

| GENERAL<br>ELECTION<br><br>SULLIVAN<br>COUNTY<br><br>November 2, 1976 | Sheriff     |                | Attorney      |                | Treasurer |            |
|---|-------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|-----------|------------|
|   | McCusker, r | Johnson, Jr. d | Tenney, II, r | Elliott, Jr. d | Lovely, r | Garneau, d |
| Acworth .....   | 160         | 75             | 173           | 53             | 153       | 61         |
| Charlestown .....   | 822         | 695            | 962           | 434            | 694       | 684        |
| Claremont   |             |                |               |                |           |            |
| Ward 1 .....  | 599         | 611            | 685           | 462            | 340       | 754        |
| Ward 2 .....  | 1340        | 1170           | 1604          | 714            | 820       | 1445       |
| Ward 3 .....  | 578         | 874            | 788           | 601            | 321       | 1024       |
| Cornish .....   | 306         | 245            | 355           | 184            | 281       | 238        |
| Croydon .....   | 116         | 65             | 110           | 70             | 139       | 35         |
| Goshen .....  | 135         | 103            | 104           | 131            | 169       | 68         |
| Grantham .....  | 134         | 89             | 129           | 92             | 158       | 57         |
| Langdon .....   | 101         | 62             | 110           | 46             | 101       | 48         |
| Lempster .....  | 168         | 91             | 175           | 83             | 192       | 58         |
| Newport .....   | 1387        | 976            | 1155          | 1192           | 1802      | 526        |
| Plainfield .....  | 319         | 297            | 331           | 255            | 315       | 260        |
| Springfield .....   | 141         | 65             | 140           | 60             | 156       | 45         |
| Sunapee .....   | 751         | 377            | 738           | 351            | 932       | 169        |
| Unity .....   | 1399        | 108            | 142           | 99             | 121       | 109        |
| Washington .....  | 134         | 64             | 139           | 49             | 153       | 41         |
| Totals .....  | 7330        | 5967           | 7840          | 4876           | 6847      | 5622       |

Scattered:

Sheriff — Plainfield — 2

| GENERAL<br>ELECTION | Register of<br>Deeds |            | Register of<br>Probate |                |           |
|---------------------|----------------------|------------|------------------------|----------------|-----------|
|                     | LaForge, r           | LaForge, d | MacWilliams, r         | MacWilliams, d | Scattered |
| SULLIVAN<br>COUNTY  |                      |            |                        |                |           |
| November 2, 1976    |                      |            |                        |                |           |
| Acworth .....       | 193                  | 40         | 193                    | 40             | —         |
| Charlestown .....   | 757                  | 666        | 746                    | 671            | —         |
| Claremont           |                      |            |                        |                |           |
| Ward 1 .....        | 460                  | 636        | 457                    | 651            | —         |
| Ward 2 .....        | 1175                 | 1089       | 1171                   | 1102           | —         |
| Ward 3 .....        | 1325                 | —          | 1345                   | —              | —         |
| Cornish .....       | 318                  | 212        | 322                    | 211            | —         |
| Croydon .....       | 119                  | 64         | 118                    | 60             | —         |
| Goshen .....        | 121                  | 111        | 121                    | 109            | 4         |
| Grantham .....      | 150                  | 69         | 150                    | 70             | —         |
| Langdon .....       | 113                  | 46         | 113                    | 46             | —         |
| Lempster .....      | 155                  | 86         | 165                    | 83             | —         |
| Newport .....       | 1282                 | 1026       | 1252                   | 1034           | —         |
| Plainfield .....    | 333                  | 269        | 330                    | 270            | —         |
| Springfield .....   | 203                  | —          | 203                    | —              | —         |
| Sunapee .....       | 806                  | 279        | 827                    | 277            | —         |
| Unity .....         | 116                  | 113        | 114                    | 118            | —         |
| Washington .....    | 155                  | 43         | 150                    | 43             | —         |
| Totals .....        | 7781                 | 4749       | 7777                   | 4785           | 4         |

| GENERAL<br>ELECTION                    | COUNTY COMMISSIONERS |           |              |             |              |          |
|--|----------------------|-----------|--------------|-------------|--------------|----------|
|  | 1st District         |           | 2nd District |             | 3rd District |          |
|  | Nahil, r             | Palmer, d | Woodhull, r  | Woodhull, d | Olden, r     | Sears, d |
| SULLIVAN<br>COUNTY<br>November 2, 1976 |                      |           |              |             |              |          |
| Acworth .....                          | 144                  | 62        | 189          | 32          | 167          | 53       |
| Charlestown .....                      | 715                  | 699       | 724          | 650         | 1031         | 370      |
| Claremont                              |                      |           |              |             |              |          |
| Ward 1 .....                           | 454                  | 640       | 447          | 619         | 400          | 641      |
| Ward 2 .....                           | 885                  | 762       | 819          | 729         | 757          | 808      |
| Ward 3 .....                           | 499                  | 913       | 2303         | —           | 407          | 884      |
| Cornish .....                          | 303                  | 228       | 306          | 215         | 290          | 224      |
| Croydon .....                          | 89                   | 78        | 109          | 69          | 86           | 78       |
| Goshen .....                           | 107                  | 111       | 117          | 110         | 95           | 120      |
| Grantham .....                         | 129                  | 85        | 145          | 74          | 127          | 78       |
| Langdon .....                          | 96                   | 57        | 108          | 44          | 110          | 42       |
| Lempster .....                         | 149                  | 96        | 125          | 93          | 119          | 100      |
| Newport .....                          | 1031                 | 1132      | 1208         | 1069        | 996          | 1130     |
| Plainfield .....                       | 295                  | 285       | 303          | 270         | 305          | 269      |
| Springfield .....                      | 131                  | 57        | 190          | —           | 132          | 53       |
| Sunapee .....                          | 587                  | 349       | 775          | 292         | 683          | 340      |
| Unity .....                            | 107                  | 118       | 108          | 114         | 114          | 130      |
| Washington .....                       | 138                  | 50        | 149          | 38          | 119          | 55       |
| Totals .....                           | 5959                 | 5722      | 7125         | 4418        | 5938         | 5375     |

**CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS**

Questions submitted to the qualified voters of New Hampshire, November 2, 1976, together with the votes on each question:

**(Question Relating to Constitutional Amendment  
Proposed by the 1975 General Court)**

1. Are you in favor of amending the Constitution to remove the requirements that pensions be granted for not more than one year at a time?

Yes 180,944

No 103,444

**(Questions proposed by the 1974 Constitutional Convention)**

2. Are you in favor of amending the Constitution to provide that the public's right of access to governmental proceedings and records shall not be unreasonably restricted?

Yes 207,722

No 50,155

3. Are you in favor of amending the Constitution to provide for annual sessions of the legislature and to allow mileage payments for actual attendance for a maximum of ninety legislative days per biennium?

Yes 188,567

No 95,632

4. Are you in favor of amending the Constitution to provide that the minimum amount in controversy for the right to a jury trial in a civil case be increased from over five hundred dollars to over three thousand dollars?

Yes 152,541

No 124,879

5. Are you in favor of amending the Constitution to provide that a town, ward, or unincorporated place may be divided into two or more representative districts if requested by a referendum in such town, ward, or place?

Yes 179,515

No 93,219

6. Are you in favor of amending the Constitution to provide that should a senator cease to be an inhabitant of the district for which he was chosen, he shall be disqualified to hold such position and a vacancy shall be declared?

Yes 231,239

No 52,634

7. Are you in favor of amending the Constitution by removing certain obsolete words and phrases as follows:

(a) Striking out the provisions of Articles 48, 53, 54 and 55 of Part 2 regarding the organization of the state militia and the appointment and removal of its officers which do not conform to actual practice or federal laws governing the National Guard;



(b) Striking out in Article 28 of Part 2 the restriction against voting by paupers and the prohibition against voting by persons excused from paying taxes at their own request to conform to a previous amendment to Article 11 of Part 1 of the Constitution; and further amending the Constitution by:

(c) Striking out in Article 46 of Part 2 the reference to the appointment of coroners by the governor and council?

Yes 192,189 No 64,339

8. Are you in favor of amending the Constitution to make the following changes relating to elections:

(a) to reduce the minimum age of voters to eighteen;

(b) to make domicile rather than being an inhabitant a prerequisite for the voting privilege;

(c) to repeal certain provisions relative to voting in unincorporated places;

(d) to specify that the receipt and counting of ballots and notification of winners in biennial election contests will be handled by the secretary of state; and

(e) to provide the right to vote by absentee ballot in biennial or state elections, or in the primary elections therefor, or in city elections or town elections by official ballot?

Yes 187,127 No 89,226

| GENERAL<br>ELECTION<br>SUMMARY BY<br>COUNTIES<br><br>November 2, 1976 | CONSTITUTIONAL |        |                |       |                |       |
|---|----------------|--------|----------------|-------|----------------|-------|
|   | Question No. 1 |        | Question No. 2 |       | Question No. 3 |       |
|   | Yes            | No     | Yes            | No    | Yes            | No    |
| Belknap .....   | 9394           | 4963   | 12246          | 2263  | 10059          | 4304  |
| Carroll .....   | 6749           | 4046   | 8662           | 1665  | 7071           | 3291  |
| Cheshire .....  | 13457          | 6950   | 17555          | 3366  | 15037          | 5464  |
| Coos .....  | 7143           | 4547   | 9146           | 2243  | 7315           | 4118  |
| Grafton .....   | 12949          | 7157   | 17821          | 3140  | 14435          | 6193  |
| Hillsborough .....  | 50991          | 28534  | 33907          | 16662 | 49632          | 29068 |
| Merrimack .....   | 22350          | 10814  | 28332          | 5046  | 23023          | 10652 |
| Rockingham .....  | 34276          | 23389  | 49417          | 9471  | 36655          | 20996 |
| Strafford .....   | 16058          | 9232   | 20830          | 4326  | 17166          | 8098  |
| Sullivan .....  | 7577           | 3812   | 9806           | 1973  | 8174           | 3478  |
| Totals .....  | 180944         | 103444 | 207722         | 50155 | 188567         | 95632 |

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| Question No. 4 |        | Question No. 5 |       | Question No. 6 |       | Question No. 7 |       | Question No. 8 |       |
|----------------|--------|----------------|-------|----------------|-------|----------------|-------|----------------|-------|
| Yes            | No     | Yes            | No    | Yes            | No    | Yes            | No    | Yes            | No    |
| 7989           | 5968   | 9316           | 4383  | 11909          | 2430  | 10131          | 2820  | 9790           | 4249  |
| 6033           | 4251   | 6577           | 3728  | 8726           | 1675  | 7503           | 2034  | 7075           | 3387  |
| 11167          | 9019   | 13708          | 5888  | 17598          | 3018  | 14937          | 3801  | 14528          | 5608  |
| 5291           | 5722   | 6551           | 4181  | 8987           | 2193  | 7313           | 2882  | 7428           | 3821  |
| 10786          | 9072   | 12886          | 6375  | 17147          | 3413  | 14491          | 3927  | 14192          | 5911  |
| 44356          | 32963  | 50206          | 25738 | 62579          | 16727 | 49204          | 21499 | 47858          | 26910 |
| 18590          | 13766  | 21371          | 10244 | 27137          | 5520  | 23838          | 6505  | 22938          | 9462  |
| 29220          | 27180  | 35532          | 20921 | 47007          | 10855 | 39063          | 12991 | 37970          | 18989 |
| 13056          | 11663  | 15977          | 8101  | 20362          | 4912  | 17559          | 5488  | 17255          | 7589  |
| 6053           | 5275   | 7391           | 3660  | 9787           | 1891  | 8150           | 2392  | 8093           | 3300  |
| 152541         | 124879 | 179515         | 93219 | 231239         | 52634 | 192189         | 64339 | 187127         | 89226 |

| GENERAL<br>ELECTION<br><br>BELKNAP<br>COUNTY<br><br>November 2, 1976 | CONSTITUTIONAL |      |                |      |                |      |
|--|----------------|------|----------------|------|----------------|------|
|  | Question No. 1 |      | Question No. 2 |      | Question No. 3 |      |
|  | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   |
| Alton .....  | 631            | 417  | 887            | 184  | 665            | 392  |
| Barnstead .....  | 390            | 304  | 561            | 155  | 391            | 308  |
| Belmont .....  | 603            | 402  | 836            | 184  | 664            | 351  |
| Center Harbor .....  | 193            | 65   | 244            | 25   | 191            | 63   |
| Gilford .....  | 1310           | 654  | 1715           | 291  | 1458           | 531  |
| Gilmanton .....  | 395            | 230  | 532            | 115  | 395            | 246  |
| Laconia—Ward 1 .....   | 518            | 247  | 686            | 104  | 587            | 194  |
| Laconia—Ward 2 .....   | 545            | 280  | 679            | 136  | 593            | 213  |
| Laconia—Ward 3 .....   | 736            | 293  | 868            | 153  | 774            | 253  |
| Laconia—Ward 4 .....   | 451            | 269  | 592            | 118  | 497            | 211  |
| Laconia—Ward 5 .....   | 440            | 282  | 581            | 134  | 494            | 229  |
| Laconia—Ward 6 .....   | 753            | 378  | 959            | 169  | 778            | 331  |
| Meredith .....   | 1144           | 517  | 1413           | 227  | 1176           | 433  |
| New Hampton .....  | 308            | 125  | 393            | 54   | 306            | 132  |
| Sanbornton .....   | 385            | 178  | 502            | 84   | 435            | 148  |
| Tilton .....   | 592            | 322  | 798            | 130  | 655            | 269  |
| Totals .....   | 9394           | 4963 | 12246          | 2263 | 10059          | 4304 |

| GENERAL<br>ELECTION<br><br>CARROLL<br>COUNTY<br><br>November 2, 1976 | CONSTITUTIONAL |      |                |      |                |      |
|--|----------------|------|----------------|------|----------------|------|
|  | Question No. 1 |      | Question No. 2 |      | Question No. 3 |      |
|  | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   |
| Albany .....   | 75             | 44   | 108            | 16   | 78             | 41   |
| Bartlett .....   | 384            | 214  | 547            | 86   | 401            | 230  |
| Brookfield .....   | 136            | 70   | 173            | 35   | 136            | 72   |
| Chatham .....  | 35             | 14   | 48             | 2    | 37             | 14   |
| Conway .....   | 1297           | 826  | 1853           | 327  | 1412           | 710  |
| Eaton .....  | 89             | 39   | 113            | 17   | 92             | 34   |
| Efingham .....   | 121            | 82   | 178            | 33   | 141            | 63   |
| Freedom .....  | 170            | 111  | 238            | 49   | 183            | 97   |
| Hart's Location .....  | 8              | 3    | 10             | 3    | 10             | 3    |
| Hale's Location .....  | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| Jackson .....  | 164            | 92   | 233            | 34   | 187            | 69   |
| Madison .....  | 243            | 145  | 225            | 93   | 194            | 114  |
| Moultonborough .....   | 651            | 418  | 920            | 166  | 720            | 295  |
| Ossipee .....  | 445            | 284  | 596            | 155  | 463            | 266  |
| Sandwich .....   | 373            | 120  | 448            | 64   | 369            | 123  |
| Tamworth .....   | 373            | 511  | 207            | 91   | 397            | 197  |
| Tuftonboro .....   | 497            | 186  | 610            | 86   | 494            | 186  |
| Wakefield .....  | 462            | 365  | 638            | 169  | 448            | 359  |
| Wolfeboro .....  | 1226           | 522  | 1517           | 239  | 1309           | 418  |
| Totals .....   | 6749           | 4046 | 8662           | 1665 | 7071           | 3291 |

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| Question No. 4 |      | Question No. 5 |      | Question No. 6 |      | Question No. 7 |      | Question No. 8 |      |
|----------------|------|----------------|------|----------------|------|----------------|------|----------------|------|
| Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   |
| 569            | 464  | 627            | 393  | 849            | 205  | 694            | 250  | 677            | 356  |
| 317            | 369  | 390            | 279  | 564            | 144  | 431            | 194  | 415            | 282  |
| 474            | 517  | 587            | 362  | 811            | 193  | 647            | 241  | 643            | 331  |
| 179            | 75   | 187            | 71   | 228            | 38   | 205            | 35   | 194            | 64   |
| 1179           | 747  | 1297           | 585  | 1675           | 319  | 1416           | 339  | 1376           | 550  |
| 320            | 308  | 392            | 230  | 522            | 126  | 418            | 164  | 395            | 231  |
| 457            | 306  | 538            | 199  | 664            | 114  | 593            | 127  | 550            | 202  |
| 455            | 322  | 535            | 223  | 675            | 130  | 558            | 161  | 592            | 204  |
| 637            | 360  | 731            | 248  | 862            | 148  | 797            | 142  | 759            | 243  |
| 350            | 317  | 463            | 248  | 574            | 133  | 501            | 141  | 469            | 229  |
| 364            | 326  | 445            | 222  | 587            | 130  | 471            | 152  | 485            | 221  |
| 617            | 485  | 765            | 303  | 925            | 190  | 795            | 238  | 763            | 336  |
| 957            | 604  | 1080           | 448  | 1353           | 239  | 1189           | 269  | 1134           | 445  |
| 251            | 168  | 275            | 146  | 364            | 74   | 315            | 80   | 304            | 116  |
| 354            | 220  | 402            | 149  | 512            | 76   | 449            | 82   | 410            | 157  |
| 509            | 380  | 602            | 277  | 744            | 171  | 652            | 185  | 624            | 282  |
| 7989           | 5968 | 9316           | 4383 | 11909          | 2430 | 10131          | 2820 | 9790           | 4249 |

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| Question No. 4 |      | Question No. 5 |      | Question No. 6 |      | Question No. 7 |      | Question No. 8 |      |
|----------------|------|----------------|------|----------------|------|----------------|------|----------------|------|
| Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   |
| 63             | 55   | 75             | 37   | 106            | 14   | 73             | 32   | 80             | 41   |
| 333            | 272  | 375            | 232  | 518            | 104  | 447            | 108  | 385            | 222  |
| 103            | 94   | 108            | 84   | 168            | 38   | 145            | 38   | 121            | 113  |
| 27             | 20   | 24             | 16   | 50             | 3    | 40             | 3    | 37             | 14   |
| 1191           | 903  | 1326           | 720  | 1805           | 368  | 1495           | 474  | 1417           | 706  |
| 76             | 47   | 84             | 40   | 105            | 21   | 94             | 20   | 87             | 33   |
| 98             | 99   | 114            | 79   | 176            | 27   | 128            | 51   | 129            | 72   |
| 144            | 144  | 170            | 106  | 250            | 36   | 206            | 58   | 189            | 88   |
| 12             | 1    | 10             | 3    | 13             | —    | 8              | 3    | 10             | 4    |
| —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| 168            | 88   | 175            | 74   | 223            | 38   | 210            | 28   | 182            | 79   |
| 226            | 151  | 247            | 122  | 322            | 70   | 271            | 85   | 252            | 132  |
| 564            | 495  | 661            | 374  | 917            | 179  | 755            | 225  | 699            | 357  |
| 395            | 313  | 436            | 260  | 581            | 140  | 502            | 145  | 478            | 251  |
| 328            | 159  | 347            | 129  | 451            | 59   | 385            | 77   | 378            | 126  |
| 357            | 209  | 387            | 378  | 286            | 100  | 422            | 114  | 419            | 185  |
| 448            | 223  | 499            | 160  | 600            | 85   | 506            | 117  | 471            | 198  |
| 393            | 387  | 373            | 416  | 649            | 153  | 516            | 185  | 472            | 324  |
| 1107           | 591  | 1166           | 498  | 1506           | 240  | 1300           | 271  | 1269           | 442  |
| 6033           | 4251 | 6577           | 3728 | 8726           | 1675 | 7503           | 2034 | 7075           | 3387 |

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|---|----------------|------|----------------|------|----------------|------|
|   | Question No. 1 |      | Question No. 2 |      | Question No. 3 |      |
|   | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   |
| Alstead .....   | 311            | 147  | 412            | 68   | 356            | 105  |
| Chesterfield .....  | 530            | 303  | 744            | 132  | 630            | 220  |
| Dublin .....  | 357            | 152  | 495            | 58   | 405            | 116  |
| Fitzwilliam .....   | 348            | 225  | 484            | 99   | 408            | 171  |
| Gilsum .....  | 135            | 75   | 173            | 35   | 163            | 44   |
| Harrisville .....   | 185            | 103  | 261            | 40   | 225            | 70   |
| Hinsdale .....  | 537            | 465  | 807            | 198  | 650            | 349  |
| Jaffrey .....   | 877            | 675  | 1273           | 311  | 981            | 577  |
| Keene—Ward 1 .....  | 848            | 328  | 1016           | 170  | 909            | 253  |
| Keene—Ward 2 .....  | 856            | 341  | 1023           | 191  | 915            | 260  |
| Keene—Ward 3 .....  | 766            | 465  | 987            | 175  | 933            | 266  |
| Keene—Ward 4 .....  | 1654           | 622  | 1955           | 334  | 1736           | 532  |
| Keene—Ward 5 .....  | 1072           | 446  | 1363           | 196  | 1200           | 342  |
| Marlborough .....   | 498            | 180  | 569            | 109  | 534            | 147  |
| Marlow .....  | 108            | 61   | 148            | 26   | 128            | 44   |
| Nelson .....  | 133            | 56   | 167            | 30   | 150            | 53   |
| Richmond .....  | 121            | 55   | 154            | 35   | 139            | 46   |
| Rindge .....  | 456            | 322  | 670            | 141  | 506            | 293  |
| Roxbury .....   | 47             | 21   | 50             | 17   | 53             | 15   |
| Stoddard .....  | 145            | 74   | 183            | 41   | 155            | 67   |
| Sullivan .....  | 116            | 69   | 158            | 36   | 126            | 66   |
| Surry .....   | 150            | 70   | 175            | 54   | 169            | 66   |
| Swansey .....   | 1142           | 558  | 1553           | 281  | 1293           | 431  |
| Troy .....  | 359            | 208  | 528            | 118  | 475            | 161  |
| Walpole .....   | 840            | 415  | 1088           | 215  | 854            | 353  |
| Westmoreland .....  | 310            | 157  | 416            | 58   | 358            | 109  |
| Winchester .....  | 556            | 357  | 703            | 198  | 586            | 308  |
| Totals .....  | 13457          | 6950 | 17555          | 3366 | 15037          | 5464 |

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| Question No. 4 |      | Question No. 5 |      | Question No. 6 |      | Question No. 7 |      | Question No. 8 |      |
|----------------|------|----------------|------|----------------|------|----------------|------|----------------|------|
| Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   |
| 260            | 188  | 313            | 135  | 415            | 50   | 337            | 90   | 347            | 116  |
| 486            | 342  | 574            | 238  | 757            | 105  | 609            | 155  | 599            | 237  |
| 310            | 198  | 353            | 144  | 451            | 69   | 409            | 64   | 374            | 135  |
| 300            | 260  | 356            | 180  | 504            | 82   | 390            | 131  | 377            | 197  |
| 90             | 107  | 129            | 66   | 172            | 32   | 135            | 42   | 139            | 58   |
| 158            | 129  | 202            | 79   | 247            | 46   | 217            | 60   | 220            | 23   |
| 452            | 529  | 581            | 379  | 786            | 206  | 634            | 267  | 671            | 334  |
| 784            | 756  | 904            | 565  | 1241           | 323  | 1015           | 386  | 984            | 551  |
| 715            | 429  | 837            | 295  | 1020           | 140  | 912            | 174  | 870            | 269  |
| 661            | 500  | 846            | 278  | 1013           | 156  | 921            | 174  | 877            | 289  |
| 706            | 614  | 887            | 318  | 1115           | 149  | 959            | 198  | 907            | 306  |
| 1313           | 895  | 1653           | 504  | 2014           | 277  | 1746           | 345  | 1693           | 522  |
| 889            | 605  | 1082           | 370  | 1356           | 194  | 1195           | 208  | 1161           | 348  |
| 386            | 276  | 463            | 171  | 599            | 91   | 496            | 107  | 486            | 158  |
| 82             | 82   | 108            | 51   | 145            | 27   | 117            | 35   | 121            | 45   |
| 101            | 86   | 127            | 60   | 177            | 25   | 148            | 32   | 138            | 51   |
| 74             | 122  | 122            | 57   | 163            | 18   | 144            | 31   | 123            | 52   |
| 377            | 400  | 468            | 295  | 622            | 175  | 526            | 197  | 519            | 262  |
| 37             | 32   | 39             | 28   | 53             | 12   | 43             | 17   | 50             | 15   |
| 117            | 99   | 124            | 88   | 192            | 30   | 145            | 54   | 139            | 85   |
| 84             | 101  | 116            | 69   | 154            | 39   | 123            | 52   | 125            | 64   |
| 126            | 90   | 145            | 66   | 188            | 32   | 156            | 42   | 162            | 62   |
| 949            | 712  | 1165           | 448  | 1476           | 234  | 1265           | 283  | 1197           | 473  |
| 332            | 278  | 401            | 204  | 526            | 75   | 437            | 134  | 440            | 169  |
| 704            | 531  | 877            | 346  | 1106           | 185  | 935            | 234  | 918            | 348  |
| 253            | 195  | 324            | 125  | 410            | 59   | 356            | 67   | 337            | 125  |
| 421            | 463  | 512            | 329  | 696            | 187  | 567            | 222  | 554            | 314  |
| 11167          | 9019 | 13708          | 5888 | 17598          | 3018 | 14937          | 3801 | 14528          | 5608 |

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|   | Question No. 1 |      | Question No. 2 |      | Question No. 3 |      |
|   | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   |
| Atkinson and Gil. Ac. Gt. ...                                     | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| Bean's Grant .....  | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| Bean's Purchase .....   | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| Berlin—Ward 1 .....   | 790            | 406  | 912            | 229  | 768            | 383  |
| Berlin—Ward 2 .....   | 895            | 430  | 1045           | 213  | 886            | 386  |
| Berlin—Ward 3 .....   | 910            | 480  | 1072           | 260  | 886            | 443  |
| Berlin—Ward 4 .....   | 677            | 395  | 769            | 209  | 623            | 384  |
| Cambridge .....   | —              | 2    | 2              | —    | 2              | —    |
| Carroll .....   | 132            | 92   | 185            | 43   | 135            | 92   |
| Chandler's Purchase .....   | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| Clarksville .....   | 30             | 28   | 51             | 12   | 34             | 32   |
| Colebrook .....   | 326            | 258  | 484            | 104  | 387            | 200  |
| Columbia .....  | 56             | 68   | 86             | 32   | 72             | 55   |
| Crawford's Purchase .....   | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| Cutt's Grant .....  | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| Dalton .....  | 89             | 80   | 131            | 42   | 110            | 56   |
| Dix's Grant .....   | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| Dixville .....  | 12             | 8    | 17             | 5    | 13             | 8    |
| Dummer .....  | 63             | 22   | 64             | 18   | 59             | 25   |
| Errol .....   | 51             | 40   | 79             | 19   | 57             | 33   |
| Erving's Grant or Loc. ....                                       | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| Gorham .....  | 693            | 422  | 878            | 202  | 750            | 341  |
| Green's Grant .....   | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| Hadley's Purchase .....   | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| Jefferson .....   | 140            | 130  | 219            | 64   | 175            | 105  |
| Kilkenny .....  | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| Lancaster .....   | 682            | 449  | 958            | 190  | 718            | 427  |
| Low and Burbank's Grant ...                                       | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| Martin's Location .....   | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| Milan .....   | 178            | 135  | 249            | 58   | 197            | 116  |
| Millsfield .....  | 6              | 2    | 8              | —    | 6              | 1    |
| Northumberland .....  | 424            | 400  | 584            | 212  | 423            | 368  |
| Odell .....   | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| Pinkham's Grant .....   | 5              | 1    | 9              | —    | 5              | 3    |
| Pittsburg .....   | 148            | 120  | 187            | 79   | 160            | 106  |
| Randolph .....  | 104            | 35   | 113            | 19   | 108            | 30   |
| Sargent's Purchase .....  | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| Second College Grant .....  | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| Shelburne .....   | 83             | 32   | 106            | 18   | 90             | 30   |
| Stark .....   | 58             | 57   | 95             | 22   | 73             | 43   |
| Stewartstown .....  | 122            | 111  | 164            | 54   | 111            | 112  |
| Stratford .....   | 108            | 111  | 176            | 43   | 120            | 97   |
| Success .....   | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| Thompson and Mes's Pur. ...                                       | —              | 1    | 1              | —    | —              | 1    |
| Wentworth's Location .....  | 13             | 1    | 13             | 2    | 5              | 10   |
| Whitefield .....  | 348            | 231  | 489            | 94   | 342            | 231  |
| Totals .....  | 7143           | 4547 | 9146           | 2243 | 7315           | 4118 |

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| Question No. 4 |      | Question No. 5 |      | Question No. 6 |      | Question No. 7 |      | Question No. 8 |      |
|----------------|------|----------------|------|----------------|------|----------------|------|----------------|------|
| Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   |
| —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| 495            | 586  | 660            | 373  | 836            | 240  | 767            | 248  | 746            | 339  |
| 633            | 578  | 783            | 374  | 1005           | 219  | 842            | 275  | 873            | 363  |
| 687            | 623  | 808            | 447  | 1022           | 272  | 876            | 319  | 902            | 400  |
| 471            | 512  | 574            | 382  | 750            | 236  | 629            | 260  | 675            | 323  |
| —              | 2    | 1              | 1    | 2              | —    | 2              | —    | 2              | —    |
| 103            | 117  | 121            | 93   | 183            | 44   | 140            | 61   | 136            | 90   |
| —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| 25             | 37   | 29             | 26   | 47             | 15   | 32             | 17   | 33             | 40   |
| 261            | 308  | 307            | 229  | 505            | 84   | 360            | 133  | 352            | 320  |
| 51             | 71   | 65             | 52   | 93             | 37   | 69             | 35   | 70             | 47   |
| —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| 81             | 87   | 84             | 79   | 141            | 25   | 93             | 52   | 104            | 65   |
| —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| 10             | 11   | 10             | 9    | 16             | 5    | 17             | 2    | 14             | 7    |
| 38             | 45   | 55             | 30   | 73             | 14   | 53             | 26   | 51             | 31   |
| 30             | 58   | 41             | 41   | 76             | 15   | 52             | 28   | 55             | 37   |
| —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| 531            | 514  | 700            | 340  | 852            | 209  | 727            | 242  | 739            | 318  |
| —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| 136            | 136  | 140            | 122  | 237            | 47   | 159            | 87   | 162            | 104  |
| 543            | 501  | 680            | 429  | 966            | 165  | 796            | 246  | 769            | 333  |
| —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| 150            | 152  | 177            | 119  | 249            | 61   | 196            | 79   | 207            | 94   |
| 1              | 6    | 4              | 4    | 7              | —    | 5              | 2    | 7              | 1    |
| 306            | 468  | 402            | 357  | 597            | 191  | 459            | 356  | 495            | 307  |
| —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| 3              | 5    | 5              | 2    | 7              | 1    | 6              | —    | 7              | 1    |
| 113            | 142  | 123            | 123  | 205            | 51   | 133            | 90   | 127            | 120  |
| 71             | 69   | 83             | 47   | 115            | 21   | 102            | 20   | 92             | 43   |
| —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| 66             | 52   | 77             | 40   | 101            | 15   | 87             | 17   | 89             | 27   |
| 53             | 55   | 60             | 45   | 69             | 31   | 62             | 27   | 80             | 41   |
| 82             | 143  | 115            | 88   | 167            | 53   | 107            | 78   | 130            | 84   |
| 87             | 122  | 124            | 89   | 175            | 41   | 137            | 57   | 150            | 66   |
| —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| 1              | 1    | —              | 1    | 2              | —    | —              | 1    | 1              | —    |
| 3              | 11   | 5              | 9    | 9              | 5    | 7              | 6    | 8              | 7    |
| 260            | 310  | 318            | 230  | 480            | 96   | 398            | 118  | 352            | 213  |
| 5291           | 5722 | 6551           | 4181 | 8987           | 2193 | 7313           | 2882 | 7428           | 3821 |



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|  | Question No. 1 |      | Question No. 2 |      | Question No. 3 |      |
|  | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   | Yes            | No   |
| Alexandria .....   | 130            | 83   | 195            | 33   | 148            | 79   |
| Ashland .....  | 263            | 230  | 482            | 117  | 385            | 217  |
| Bath .....   | 135            | 99   | 193            | 49   | 159            | 82   |
| Benton .....   | 22             | 30   | 38             | 22   | 28             | 29   |
| Bethlehem .....  | 368            | 209  | 513            | 80   | 402            | 187  |
| Bridgewater .....  | 127            | 89   | 176            | 46   | 159            | 64   |
| Bristol .....  | 526            | 268  | 660            | 126  | 531            | 262  |
| Campton .....  | 299            | 211  | 439            | 100  | 355            | 166  |
| Canaan .....   | 390            | 261  | 571            | 92   | 445            | 199  |
| Dorchester .....   | 60             | 19   | 76             | 12   | 55             | 31   |
| Easton .....   | 47             | 31   | 76             | 3    | 61             | 19   |
| Ellsworth .....  | 10             | 10   | 15             | 7    | 9              | 12   |
| Enfield .....  | 497            | 329  | 730            | 136  | 598            | 282  |
| Franconia .....  | 237            | 107  | 325            | 39   | 240            | 104  |
| Grafton .....  | 99             | 86   | 162            | 35   | 114            | 82   |
| Groton .....   | 41             | 22   | 47             | 17   | 45             | 23   |
| Hanover .....  | 2095           | 625  | 2769           | 199  | 2450           | 442  |
| Haverhill .....  | 704            | 355  | 881            | 183  | 671            | 388  |
| Hebron .....   | 116            | 39   | 133            | 23   | 122            | 31   |
| Holderness .....   | 295            | 185  | 412            | 91   | 333            | 158  |
| Landaff .....  | 60             | 40   | 78             | 25   | 60             | 45   |
| Lebanon—Ward 1 .....   | 776            | 442  | 1142           | 141  | 919            | 311  |
| Lebanon—Ward 2 .....   | 541            | 290  | 739            | 104  | 610            | 221  |
| Lebanon—Ward 3 .....   | 742            | 379  | 1000           | 137  | 845            | 294  |
| Lincoln .....  | 221            | 155  | 300            | 74   | 207            | 163  |
| Lisbon .....   | 256            | 158  | 343            | 75   | 260            | 155  |
| Livermore .....  | —              | —    | —              | —    | —              | —    |
| Littleton .....  | 1186           | 735  | 1559           | 328  | 1254           | 639  |
| Lyman .....  | 54             | 31   | 71             | 13   | 53             | 34   |
| Lyme .....   | 372            | 147  | 464            | 76   | 398            | 135  |
| Monroe .....   | 133            | 126  | 180            | 74   | 141            | 114  |
| Orange .....   | 43             | 40   | 75             | 12   | 59             | 22   |
| Orford .....   | 190            | 156  | 295            | 78   | 221            | 130  |
| Piermont .....   | 125            | 96   | 181            | 40   | 141            | 79   |
| Plymouth .....   | 805            | 417  | 1105           | 241  | 871            | 398  |
| Rumney .....   | 215            | 179  | 316            | 88   | 234            | 153  |
| Sugar Hill .....   | 155            | 81   | 216            | 30   | 166            | 73   |
| Thornton .....   | 164            | 120  | 239            | 53   | 189            | 100  |
| Warren .....   | 109            | 80   | 147            | 46   | 111            | 82   |
| Waterville Valley .....  | 70             | 23   | 92             | 7    | 72             | 25   |
| Wentworth .....  | 109            | 73   | 161            | 34   | 113            | 77   |
| Woodstock .....  | 162            | 101  | 225            | 54   | 201            | 86   |
| Totals .....   | 12949          | 7157 | 17821          | 3140 | 14435          | 6193 |