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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

FOR THE

POLITICAL YEAR 1851.

JOHN HUBBARD, Governor.

COUNCIL.

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ANSON P. MORRILL, *Land Agent.*

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1st Senatorial District,			SHELDON HOBBS, JOSEPH TITCOMB, SAMUEL C. ADAMS.
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5th	“	“	JAMES LANCASTER, WILLIAM MILLIKEN, DAVID VINAL.
6th	“	“	JOHN BRIDGES.
7th	“	“	GEORGE W. BROWN.
8th	“	“	JEREMIAH FOWLER.
9th	“	“	SHEPARD CARY.
10th	“	“	IRA FISH, CHARLES W. PIPER, GORHAM L. BOYNTON.
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12th	“	“	JAMES T. LEAVITT, HENRY S. TOBEY.
13th	“	“	DAVID MITCHELL.
14th	“	“	NOAH PRINCE, ROBERT A. CHAPMAN, JAMES WALKER.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

GEORGE P. SEWALL, SPEAKER.

COUNTY OF YORK.

Biddeford,	Richard M. Chapman.
Buxton,	Stephen Lane.
Kennebunk,	Samuel Mitchell.
Kennebunkport,	Edmund Carrier, jr.
Kittery,	Edward D. Safford.
Lebanon,	Oren B. Cheney.
Limerick,	James M. Buzzell.
Limington,	James W. Joy.
North Berwick,	Isaac M. Hobbs.
Parsonsfeld,	John Kezar.
Saco,	John Boothby.
Shapleigh,	Thomas Garvin.
South Berwick,	Isaac P. Yeaton.
Waterborough,	Samuel Roberts.
Wells,	Christopher Littlefield.
York,	Alexander Dennett.

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Auburn,	John Downing, jr.
Bridgton,	Thomas Cleaves.
Brunswick,	James Cox.
Durham,	Joseph Warren.
Falmouth,	Daniel Merrill.
Freeport,	Simeon Pratt.
Gray,	Daniel Hall.
Gorham,	Jonathan Hanson.
Naples,	Washington Bray.
New Gloucester,	Jonathan True.
Otisfield,	William E. F. Linnell.
Poland,	David Dunn.
Portland,	Henry Carter,
	Henry P. Dean,
	Rufus Horton.
Scarborough,	John Larrabee.
Standish,	Edmund Dresser.
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Windham,	Samuel Hunt.
Yarmouth,	Ammi Storer.

COUNTY OF LINCOLN.

Bath,	William Rice.
Bowdoin,	John Carr.
Bowdoinham,	John Raymond.

COUNTY OF LINCOLN, (*Continued.*)

Bristol,	Thomas Erskine.
Georgetown,	Alfred L. Berry.
Jefferson,	Alden Kennedy.
Lewiston,	James Lowell.
Newcastle,	E. Wilder Farley.
Nobleborough,	John A. Chapman.
Richmond,	James B. Beedle.
Rockland,	Jeremiah Tolman.
Southport,	Freeman Grover.
St. George,	Levi Smalley.
Thomaston,	Thomas O'Brien.
Union,	Joseph Irish.
Warren,	David Lermond.
Waldoborough,	John B. Wildes.
Whitefield,	Jason M. Carlton.
Wiscasset,	Alden Boynton.

COUNTY OF HANCOCK.

Bluehill,	William Hopkins.
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Bucksport,	Alonzo Colby.
Deer Isle,	Henry A. Noyes.
Ellsworth,	Nathaniel J. Miller, jr.
Franklin,	John West.
Matinicus,	Henry Young.
Mt. Desert,	John H. Parker.
Orland,	Nathan Emerson.

COUNTY OF WASHINGTON.

Alexander,	John K. Damon.
Calais,	Noah Smith, jr.
East Machias,	Jeremiah Foster.
Eastport,	Erastus Richardson.
Harrington,	Daniel W. Dinsmore.
Jonesport,	Clement Hopkins.
Lubec,	John C. Talbot, jr.
Perry,	Charles S. Davis.
Steuben,	Henry Stevens.

COUNTY OF KENNEBEC.

Augusta,	George W. Morton.
Belgrade,	Jacob Main.
China,	John L. Gray.
Clinton,	Samuel Weymouth.
Gardiner,	Charles Danforth.
Hallowell,	Samuel K. Gilman.
Leeds,	Peleg B. Caswell.

COUNTY OF KENNEBEC, (*Continued.*)

Monmouth,	Jonathan M. Heath.
Readfield,	Joshua Packard.
Sidney,	Lauriston Guild.
Vassalborough,	John Homans.
Vienna,	Thomas C. Norris.
Wales,	Joel Small.
Waterville,	Joseph Percival.
Windsor,	William S. Hatch.
Winthrop,	Ezekiel Holmes.

COUNTY OF OXFORD.

Andover,	Joseph L. Chapman.
Bethel,	Eliphaz C. Bean.
Buckfield,	Joshua Irish.
Canton,	Caleb P. Holland.
Fryeburg,	Henry D. E. Hutchins.
Hiram,	Walter F. Watson.
Livermore,	Nathaniel Norcross.
Norway,	Lee Mixer.
Rumford,	Timothy Walker.
Turner,	Timothy Ludden.
Waterford,	John C. Gerry.*
Woodstock,	Alden Chase.

COUNTY OF SOMERSET.

Athens,	George A. Kimball.
Bloomfield,	James B. Dascomb.
Embden,	Andrew McFadden.
Harmony,	Ozias Bartlett.
Mayfield,	Stephen Chamberlain.
New Portland,	Asa Merry.
Norridgewock,	John H. Webster.
Palmyra,	Robert B. Mills.
Starks,	Simon Piper.

COUNTY OF PENOBSCOT.

Bangor,	{ Lewis Hancock,
	{ Abraham Sanborn.
Corinna,	Campbell Bachelder.
Corinth,	Chauncey Cochran.
Dixmont,	Joseph Hoit.
Eddington,	Lawson Woodbury.
Exeter,	Samuel M. Woodman.
Hampden,	John Goodell, jr.
Hermon,	John Kimball.
Newport,	Abel W. Chabin.

* Resigned.

COUNTY OF PENOBSCOT, (*Continued.*)

Oldtown,	George P. Sewall.
Orrington,	Jesse H. Nickerson.
Passadumkeag,	James B. Cleaveland.
Springfield,	Francis A. Reed.

COUNTY OF WALDO.

Belfast,	Joseph S. Noyes.
Belmont,	John Carver.
Camden,	Christopher Young, jr.
Freedom,	Robert Elliot.
Frankfort,	Lathily Rich.
Islesborough,	Joseph Boardman.
Lincolnton,	Calvin H. Hale.
Monroe,	Tisdale D. Clements.
Palermo,	Robert F. Bradstreet.
Prospect,	Alexander Staples.
Searsmont,	Davis Woodman.
Troy,	Jesse Smart.
Unity,	Eli Vickery.

COUNTY OF FRANKLIN.

Chesterville,	Oliver Sewall.
Jay,	Stillman Noyes.
New Sharon,	Horace B. Prescott.
Phillips,	Curtis Smith.
Strong,	Benjamin Tarbox.
Temple,	William Nye.

COUNTY OF PISCATAQUIS.

Atkinson,	Peleg Hart.
Milo,	William Owen.
Monson,	Abner Brown.
Parkman,	James Sampson.

COUNTY OF AROOSTOOK.

Houlton,	Isaac W. Tabor.
Letter H,	Joseph W. Hines.
Linneus,	Hugh Alexander.

EDMUND W. FLAGG, *Clerk.*
 ALANSON B. FARWELL, *Assistant Clerk.*
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