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### STATE OF MAINE.

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SECRETARY OF STATE'S OFFICE, }  
AUGUSTA, FEB. 16, 1836. }

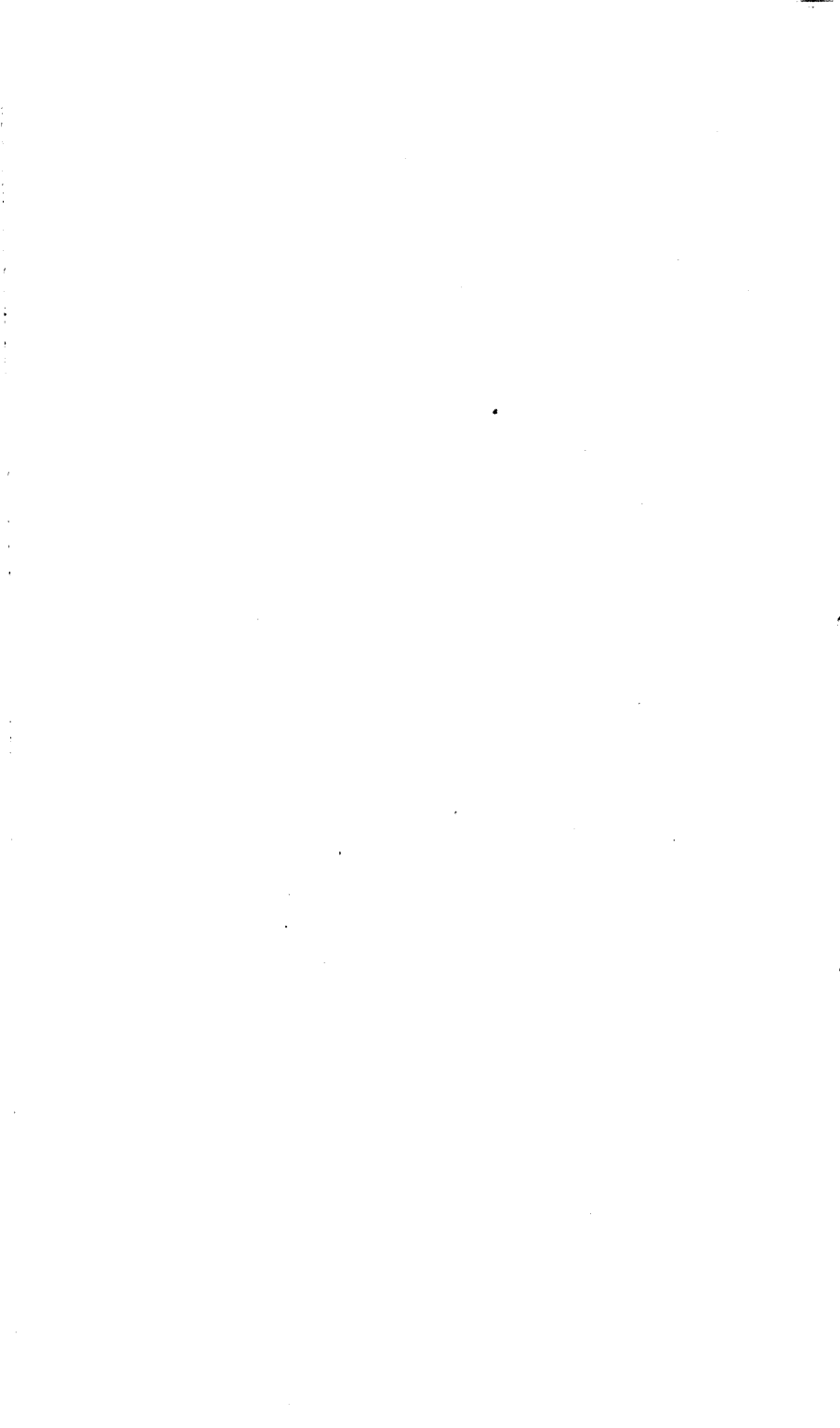
**To the Senate and House of Representatives:**

In compliance with an order of the Legislature, passed the first instant, I have the honor to lay before the two branches thereof, "A list of all the incorporated Colleges, Academies, Seminaries and High Schools in this State, with the amount of donations they have received from the Legislature of this State; and also from the State of Massachusetts, before the separation, designating the amount in money, and the amount in land—the date of each donation, the date of the incorporation of each College, &c. and the state of the funds of each by the last returns," so far as the required information could be obtained from documents in this Office.

I have also diligently sought for and obtained information from other sources in relation thereto, as far as the circumstances of the case would admit.

All information of transactions "before the separation," relative to such Colleges and other Literary Institutions, was obtained from documents other than those in the possession of this office.

**A. R. NICHOLS,** Secretary of State.



# STATE OF MAINE

**A list of all the incorporated Colleges, Academies, Seminaries and High Schools in this State, with the amount of Donations in money and land, before the separation, designating the amount in money, and the amount in land, the date of each donation, the date of the incorporation, and the date of the act of the Legislature, passed February 1, 1836.**

NAME AND PLACE OF THE INSTITUTION.	Date of the Incorporation.	Donation in Land. No. of Acres.	Estimated value.	Date of Resolve making the Donation.	By what State granted.	Donations by individuals.	By whom made.	Value of Buildings, including land &c.
*Bowdoin College,	June 24, 1794.	o 181,968		o	Mass.	o		
*Waterville College,	Feb. 27, 1813.	23,040		Feb. 15, 1835.				
Berwick—South Berwick,	Mar. 11, 1791.	23,040	† 4,416 00	Feb. 9, 1792.	Mass.	700	B. Chadbourn.	700 00
Hallowell—Hallowell,	Mar. 5, 1791.	23,040 } 5,760 }		June 1, 1791.	Mass.	1,000 } 800 }	Mrs. Bowdoin, Inh. of Hallowell. }	
Fryeburg—Fryeburg,	Feb. 9, 1792.	a 12,000 } 3,000 }	† 9,437 50	Feb. 9, 1792. } Mar. 27, 1793. }				3,000 00
Washington—Machias,	Mar. 7, 1792.	23,040	† 17,090 93	Mar. 7, 1792.	Mass.	4,500 } 200 }	Inh. of Machias, John E. Jones. }	4,500 00
Portland—Portland,	Feb. 24, 1794.	11,520		Jan. 19, 1799.	Mass.	5,000 } 1,000 }	Inh. of Portland, Subscription. }	3,000 00
*Lincoln—New Castle,	Feb. 23, 1801.	11,520		Feb. 23, 1801.	Mass.			
Gorham—Gorham,	Mar. 5, 1803.	11,520	† 10,000 00	June 20, 1803.	Mass.	2,500	Inh. of Gorham and vicinity. }	2,500 00
Hampden—Hampden,	Mar. 7, 1803.	11,520	2,500 00	June 18, 1803.	Mass.			1,500 00
Bluehill—Bluehill,	Mar. 8, 1803.	11,520	† 6,252 00	June 18, 1803.	Mass.	300	N. Jones, Esq.	c 1,000 00
Hebron—Hebron,	Feb. 10, 1804.	11,520	† 4,600 00	Feb. 24, 1807.	Mass.	3,406	Individuals.	3,550 00
Bath—Bath,	Mar. 16, 1805.	11,520	† 8,050 00	Mar. 16, 1805.	Mass.			1,000 00
Farmington—Farmington,	Feb. 13, 1807.	11,520	† 2,760 00	f Feb. 17, 1812.	Mass.	g	Subscription.	1,000 00
Bloomfield—Bloomfield,	Feb. 13, 1807.	11,520	† 3,000 00		Mass.	500	Individuals.	500 00
*Warren—Warren,	Feb. 25, 1808.	11,520		Feb. 25, 1808,	Mass.			
Belfast—Belfast,	Feb. 29, 1808.	11,520	5,022 00	Feb. 29, 1808.	Mass.			h 2,701 00
Bridgton—Bridgton,	Mar. 8, 1808.	11,520		i Mar. 8, 1808.	Mass.			1,000 00
Bath Female—Bath,	Mar. 11, 1808.	a 11,520						
Limerick—Limerick,	Nov. 17, 1808.	11,520	j 1,531 00	Nov. 17, 1808.	Mass.	20 } 3,500 }	Tobias Lord, } Individuals. }	2,500 00
Monmouth—Monmouth,	June 19, 1808.	10,020 } 800 }		Jan. 29, 1810. } Feb. 17, 1812. }	Mass.	1,743 92	Individuals.	3,438 00
Thornton—Saco,	Feb. 16, 1811.	a 11,520	† 2,500 00	Feb. 16, 1811.	Mass.	4,680	Individuals.	1,000 00
North Yarmouth—N. Yarmouth,	Feb. 4, 1811.	11,520	† 8,690 20	Feb. 28, 1826.	Maine.			3,014 00
*Bangor Theol. Sem.—Bangor,	Feb. 25, 1814.							
*Young Ladies'—Bangor,	Jan. 27, 1818.	a 11,520						



NAME AND PLACE OF THE INSTITUTION.	Date of the Incorporation.	Donation in Land. No. of Acres.	Estimated value.	Date of Resolve making the Donation.	By what State granted.	Donations by individuals.	By whom made.	Value of things, included &c.
Cony Female—Augusta,	Feb. 10, 1818.	11,520	† 6,00000	Feb. 22, 1826.	Maine.	k5,250 } 400 }	D. Cony, Esq. } B. Bussey, Esq. }	k
China—China,	June 12, 1818.	11,520	† 3,00000	Feb. 23, 1825.	Maine.	1,700	l Individuals.	2,78
Me. Wes. Sem.—Readfield,	Feb. 28, 1821.					l 1,000		
*Med. Soc. of Me.—Brunswick,	Mar. 8, 1821.							
*Gardiner Lyceum—Gardiner,	Jan. 30, 1822.							
Foxcroft—Foxcroft,	Jan. 31, 1823.	11,520		Feb. 5, 1825.	Maine.	1,500	Individuals.	1,20 70
Brunswick—Brunswick,	Jan. 23, 1823.							
Anson—Anson,	Feb. 8, 1823.							
*Oxford Female—Paris,	Feb. 7, 1827.							
Dearborn—Buxton,	Feb. 23, 1828.					1,776 37	Individuals.	1,05
*Cherryfield,	Feb. 19, 1829.							
Alfred—Alfred,	Mar. 23, 1829.							1,00
*Westbrook Sem.—Westbrook,	Mar. 4, 1831.							
n Titcomb Belgrade—Belgrade,	Mar. 30, 1831.							
Eastport—Eastport,	Jan. 31, 1832.							4,00
St. Albans—St. Albans,	Feb. 11, 1832.					1,600	Subscription.	1,00
Lea Meadows Academy and } Benvenue Female High Sch'l, }	Feb. 13, 1833.							
*Parsonsfield Sem.—Parsonsfield,	Feb. 6, 1833.					l 1,000	Subscription.	
Union—Kennebunk,	Jan. 21, 1834.					250	Samuel Veazie.	4,50
Falmouth,	Jan. 31, 1834.							
*Titcomb Belgrade—Belgrade,	Feb. 5, 1834.							2,00
*Sanford,	Feb. 12, 1834.							
*Lewiston Falls,	Feb. 25, 1834.							
*Howland—Howland,	Feb. 26, 1835.							
*Vassalboro'—Vassalboro',	Feb. 28, 1835.							
Wiscasset Academy,	Mar. 12, 1808.					Bell.	A. Wood.	4,40
Augusta High School,	Feb. 19, 1835.					p6,000	Subscription.	6,00
Brunswick High School,	Mar. 24, 1835.							
Waterville Liberal Institute,	Feb. 28, 1835.							

a Taken from Greenleaf's Statistical Survey of Maine.

b Computed from the amount of annual income by their returns.

c New brick house built in 1832, value not named.

d \$1,275 in real estate.

e \$750 in real estate.

f Located by this State in 1821.

g An indefinite amount.

h \$1,000 deducted from the original cost.

i Taken from the last turns.

j Return does not state whether this is the whole amount received.

k This Institution has good building, together with a valuable three story brick boarding house. The academy building and lot, together with the site on which the boarding house stands; part of a valuable library and apparatus now owned by the Institution, are the result of Judge Cony's donations;

the other part of the library and apparatus was of the Institution.

l The donation of \$1,000 made by this State that as much more should be raised by individuals. Two hundred dollars to be paid in 1836.

m This act of incorporation was granted by the Legislature. An act of the same name was granted February

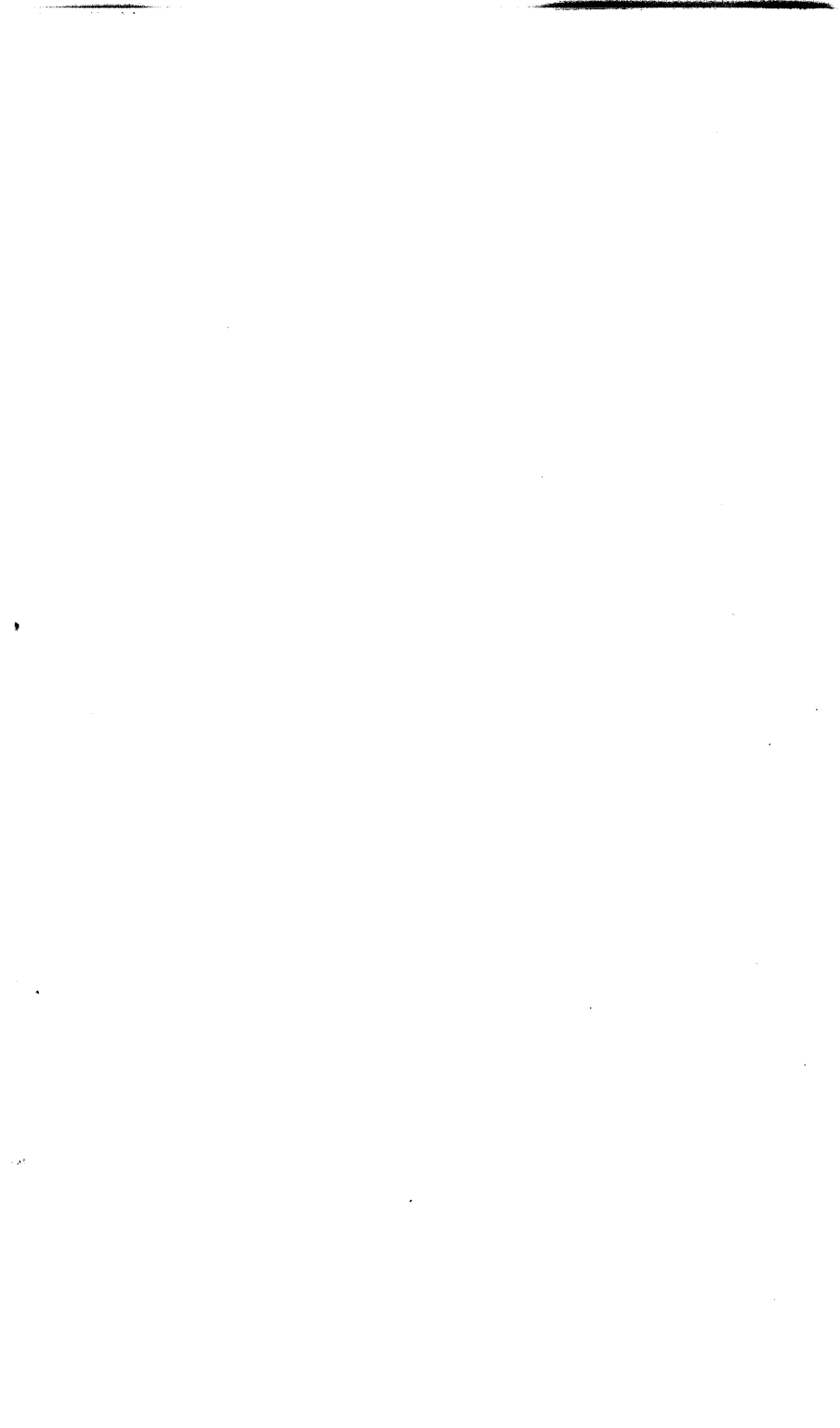
		DONATIONS IN MONEY, PAID FROM THE PUBLIC TREASURY OF THE STATE OF MAINE.																	
Year made.	Value of Buildings, including lot, &c.	Personal property, including library and apparatus.	1820.	1821.	1822.	1823.	1824.	1825.	1826.	1827.	1828.	1829.	1830.	1831.	1832.	1833.	1834.	1835.	Total.
Esq. } y, Esq. }	k 2,783 00	5,650 00 2,000 00																	
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he library and apparatus was given by individuals, friends  
 f \$1,000 made by this State in 1835, was on condition  
 re should be raised by individual subscription.  
 dollars to be paid in 1836.  
 incorporation was granted on certain conditions; ano-  
 name was granted February 5, 1834.

o Of this amount five townships, containing 112,848 acres were granted in  
 1794. One other township of 23,040 acres was granted March 11, 1806.  
 Two others of 23,040 acres each, were granted March 3, 1808, all of  
 which were subject to the usual reservations for public uses, making a de-  
 duction in the whole, of 7,680 acres. There was also granted March 8,  
 1804, a quantity of land in the town of Sullivan, the number of acres un-  
 known, which sold for \$2,000. Donations have also been made in land

and money by individuals, but the particular amounts not known.  
 p Given by individuals in Augusta.  
 \* Those bearing this mark have never made returns to the Secretary of  
 State's Office.  
 † Those bearing this mark have been disposed of.  
 NOTE. All the incorporated Colleges, Academies, Seminaries, and High  
 Schools in this State, except the five last incorporated, have received one  
 of Greenleaf's Maps and Statistical Survey of Maine.





STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, Feb. 16, 1836.

Read, and ordered that 700 copies of the list herewith submitted, be printed, under the direction of the Secretary of State, for the use of the Legislature.

[Extract from the Journal.]

Attest,

WILLIAM TRAFTON, *Secretary.*