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[SENATE.

REPORTS OF SUB-COMMITTEES

ON

STATE REPRESENTATIVE APPORTIONMENT.

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### *Report of the Delegation of the County of Aroostook.*

That the county of AROOSTOOK shall choose three representatives, as follows, to wit :

Hodgdon, New Limerick, number five range three, number five range four, number five range five, and all towns, plantations and townships, south of the before mentioned towns and townships in the county, one ; Houlton, Belfast Academy grant, Smyrna, number six range four, number six range five, and all towns, townships and plantations, north to the south line of the following townships, to wit : D range one, G range two, number twelve range three, twelve range four, twelve range five, twelve range six, twelve range seven, one ; all towns, plantations, townships and territory north of the south line of number twelve range seven, number twelve range six, number twelve range five, number twelve range four, number twelve range three, G range two, D range one, to the north line of the county, one.

HUGH ALEXANDER, *Per Order.*

The county of CUMBERLAND shall choose twenty-one representatives, to be apportioned as follows :

City of Portland, three ; Brunswick, one ; Westbrook, one ; Gorham, one ; Auburn, one ; Bridgton, one ; Poland, one ; Freeport, one ; Minot and Danville, one ; New Gloucester and Raymond, one ; Gray and Otisfield, one ; Scarboro' and North Yarmouth, one ; Cape Elizabeth and Casco, one ; Standish and Naples, one ; Falmouth and Cumberland, one ; Windham and Sebago, one ; Harrison and Baldwin, one ; Durham one for the years 1853, 1855, 1857, 1858, 1860 and 1861 ; Pownal one for the years 1854, 1856, 1859 and 1862 ; Harpswell one for the years 1853, 1855, 1857 and 1861 ; Yarmouth one for the years 1854, 1856, 1858, 1859, 1860 and 1862.

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| <p>THOMAS LITTLEFIELD,<br/>JOSEPH WARREN,</p> | } | <p><i>Com. to apportion the<br/>county of Cumberland<br/>for Representatives.</i></p> |
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To the chairman of the joint special committee for apportioning the State for State representatives :

The undersigned, as sub-committee for the county of FRANKLIN, has attended to the duty assigned him, and report :

That agreeably to the census of 1850, said county is entitled to five representatives. Farmington, Temple and New Vineyard, shall choose one ; Chesterville, New Sharon and Industry, shall choose one ; Wilton, Jay, Carthage and No. 4, shall choose one ; Weld, Phillips, Avon, Madrid, letter E and No. 6, shall choose one ; Strong, Salem, Kingfield, Freeman, Jackson plantation and Rangely plantation, together with all the territory in Franklin county not included in any other district, shall choose one.

Respectfully,

CURTIS SMITH.

The county of HANCOCK shall choose nine representatives, to be apportioned as follows, to wit :

Ellsworth, one ; Bucksport and Wetmore Isle, one ; Orland, Castine and Brooksville, one ; Penobscot, Sedgwick and Brookline, one ; Bluehill, Surry and Dedham, one ; Mt. Desert, Eden, Tremont, Cranberry Isles and Seaville, one ; Deer Isle, Swan's Isle, Long Isle, and all the Islands in said county, not included in any other district, one ; Gouldsborough, Sullivan, Franklin, Eastbrook, Aurora, townships No. 7, 9, 10 and 21, one ; Trenton, Hancock, Waltham, Otis, Mariaville, Amherst, Greenfield, townships No. 8, 1, 2, 33 and all the plantations and territory in said county, not included in any other district, one.



The county of KENNEBEC shall choose sixteen representatives, to be elected as follows, viz :

The city of Augusta shall elect two ; Gardiner, one ; the town of Waterville, one ; Vassalboro' and Rome, one ; Albion, Albion Gore, Benton and Clinton Gore, one ; Clinton and Winslow, one ; Hallowell and Kennebec, one ; China one for the years 1853, 1855, 1857, 1859, 1860, 1862 ; Windsor for 1854, 1856, 1858 and 1861 ; Pittston for the years 1854, 1855, 1856, 1858, 1859, 1860, 1861 ; Chelsea for 1853, 1857 and 1862 ; Litchfield for the years 1854, 1855, 1857, 1858, 1860 and 1861 ; West Gardiner and Farmingdale for 1853, 1856, 1859 and 1862 ; Sidney for the years 1854, 1856, 1858, 1860 and 1862 ; Belgrade for 1853, 1855, 1857, 1859 and 1861 ; Winthrop for the years 1853, 1855, 1857, 1859 and 1861 ; Readfield for 1854, 1856, 1858, 1860 and 1862 ; Monmouth for the years 1854, 1855, 1857, 1859, 1861 and 1862 ; Wayne for 1853, 1856, 1858 and 1860 ; Leeds for the year 1854, 1856, 1858 and 1860 ; Green for 1853, 1855, 1859 and 1861 ; Wales for 1857 and 1862 ; Vienna, Mt. Vernon, Fayette and E. Livermore, one.

The county of LINCOLN shall choose nineteen representatives, to be apportioned as follows: Lewiston, one; Bath, one; Waldo-borough, one; Rockland, one; St. George and South Thomaston, one; Thomaston, Matinicus plantation and Muscle Ridge plantation, one; Warren, Cushing and Friendship, one; Union and Washington, one; New Castle and Alna, one; Wiscasset and Edgecomb, one; Nobleborough, Damariscotta and Bremen, one; Bristol, Monhegan, Muscongus and Harbor Island, one; Boothbay, Southport and Westport, one; Phippsburg, Georgetown, Arrowsick and West Bath, one; Topsham and Lisbon, one; Woolwich, one for the years 1854, 1856, 1858, 1860; Jefferson, one for the years 1853, 1855, 1857, 1859, 1861, 1862; Patricktown, one for the year 1855; Whitefield, one for the years 1854, 1856, 1858, 1859, 1860, 1861; Dresden and Perkins, one for the years 1853, 1855, 1857, 1861; Bowdoin, one for the years 1854, 1857, 1859, 1861; Richmond, one for the years 1853, 1855, 1856, 1858, 1860, 1862; Bowdoinham, one for the years 1854, 1856, 1858, 1859, 1860, 1862; Webster, one for the years 1853, 1857, 1862.

ELBRIDGE LERMOND,  
THOMAS O'BRIEN,  
WILLIAM RICE.

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The committee to whom was referred the apportionment of ten representatives among the several towns and plantations in the county of OXFORD, ask leave to report:

That the towns of Porter, Brownfield and Fryeburg compose one district, and be entitled to one representative; the towns of Hiram, Denmark, Lovell and Stowe, one; the towns of Sweden, Waterford, Albany, Stoneham, Mason, Fryeburg Academy Grant and Gilead, one; Hebron, Buckfield, Sumner, Milton plantation and Franklin plantation, one; Livermore, Canton, Dixfield and Mexico, one; Turner and Hartford, one; Oxford, Norway and Greenwood, one; Paris, Woodstock and Hamlin's Grant, one; Ando-

ver, Peru, Byron, Roxbury and Rumford, one; Bethel, Newry, Hanover, Letter A No. 1, Grafton, Letter B, Number five first range, Number five second range, and Andover North Surplus, one.

ROBERT A. CHAPMAN, }  
 TIMOTHY LUDDEN, } *Sub-committee.*  
 W. F. WATSON, }

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The undersigned, sub-committee on State representative apportionment for the county of PENOBSCOT, ask leave to submit the following report:

That the county of Penobscot shall choose seventeen representatives, to be apportioned as follows:

Bangor, two; Hampden, one; Oldtown, one; Brewer and Orrington, one; Dexter and Corinna, one; Exeter and Garland, one; Hermon, Carmel and Levant, one; Dixmont, Newburg and Etna, one; Newport, Stetson, and Plymouth, one; Kirkland, Corinth and Kenduskeag, one; Orono and Glenburn, one; Alton, Bradford, Charleston and Lagrange, one; Milford, Bradley, Eddington and Clifton, one; Passadumkeag, Lowell, Burlington, Enfield, Mattamiscotis, Howland, Edingburg, Maxfield, Argyle, Greenbush, one; Lee, Springfield, Carroll, Chester, No. 3, range 1, north of Bingham Purchase, No. 4, range 1, north of Bingham Purchase, No. 6, range 3, north of Bingham Purchase, No. 7, range 3, north of Bingham Purchase, No. 7, range 4, north of Bingham Purchase, one; Lincoln, Patten, together with all the remaining territory in the county of Penobscot, not included in any other district, one.

J. GOODELL, JR., } *Sub-committee*  
 L. WOODBURY, } *of Penobscot.*

The sub-committee appointed to district the county of PISCATAQUIS for representatives, have attended to their duty, and ask leave to report :

Sangerville, Parkman, Wellington and Kingsbery, one ; Guilford, Abbot, Greenville, Monson, Blanchard, Elliotsville, Shirley, plantation No. 8 and township No. 3 range 3, together with the townships north of Greenville and Elliotsville, one ; Dover, Foxcroft, Atkinson, Bowerbank, together with the range of townships north of Bowerbank, one ; Kilmarnock, Brownville, Barnard, Williamsburg, Milo, Sebec, Orville, township B in tenth range, together with all the townships north of Brownville, Barnard and Kilmarnock, one.

JAMES SAMPSON, *Committee.*

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The county of SOMERSET shall choose nine representatives to be apportioned as follows, viz :

Bloomfield and Fairfield, one ; Norridgewock, Mercer and Smithfield, one ; Anson, Starks and Madison, one ; North Anson, Embden, New Portland and Lexington, one ; Skowhegan, Canaan and Pittsfield, one ; Hartland, Palmyra and Detroit, one ; St. Albans, Ripley, Harmony and Cambridge, one ; Solon, Athens and Cornville, one ; Concord, Bingham, Moscow, Brighton, Mayfield and all the plantations and territory in said county, not included in any other district, one.

JAMES B. DASCOMB,  
DAVID WHITE,  
ASA MERRY, } *Sub committee for  
said county.*



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*Resolved*, That the county of WALDO shall choose twelve representatives, to be apportioned as follows :

Belfast, one ; Camden, one ; Frankfort, one ; Prospect and Searsport, one ; Northport and Lincolnville, one ; Brooks, Swanville, Waldo and Belmont, one ; Thorndike, Jackson and Monroe, one ; Unity, Burnham and Troy, one ; Freedom, Palermo and Knox, one ; Searsmont and Montville, one ; Hope, Appleton and Liberty, one ; Vinalhaven, Northhaven and Islesborough, one.

DAVID VINAL, *Chairman*.

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That the county of WASHINGTON shall choose ten representatives, to be apportioned as follows :

Calais, one ; Eastport, one ; Perry, Robinston, Charlotte, Medybensps and Baring, one ; Whiting, Marion, Edmonds, Dennysville, Pembroke and Townships numbered fourteen and eighteen, Eastern Division, one ; East Machias, Machiasport and Cutler, one ; Harrington, Columbia, Addison, Beddington, Centerville, Deblois and townships numbered eighteen, nineteen, twenty-four, twenty-five, twenty-nine and thirty, Middle Division, one ; Steuben, Cherryfield and Milbridge, one ; Jonesport, Jonesborough, Whitneyville, Machias, Marshfield and Northfield, one ; Lubec and Trescott, one ; Alexander, Baileyville, Crawford, Princeton, Cooper, Wesley, Topsfield, together with all the townships and plantations in the county of Washington, not included in any other district, one.

J. FOSTER, *Per order*.

The undersigned, member of the sub-committee on State representative apportionment, for the county of Washington, asks leave to submit the following minority report :

*Resolved*, That the county of WASHINGTON shall choose ten representatives to be apportioned as follows :

Calais, shall choose one ; Eastport shall choose one ; Steuben, Cherryfield, Milbridge, Deblois, Beddington, No. 29 and No. 30, E. D., shall choose one ; Columbia, Harrington, Addison, Jonesport, No. 18, No. 19, No. 24, No. 25, M. D., shall choose one ; Centerville, Jonesborough, Whitneyville, Machias, Marshfield, Northfield and Wesley and No. 31, E. D., shall choose one ; East Machias, Machiasport, Whiting, and No. 18, E. D., shall choose one ; Lubec and Cutler, shall choose one ; Perry, Robbinston, Charlotte and Medybemps, shall choose one ; Pembroke, Trescott, Marion, Edmunds, Dennysville and No. 14, E. D., shall choose one ; Baring, Baileyville, Alexander, Princeton, Topsfield, Crawford, Cooper, and all other townships not included in the foregoing, shall choose one.

Respectfully submitted,

D. W. DINSMORE.

The undersigned, sub-committee on State representative apportionment, for the county of YORK, have apportioned the sixteen representatives assigned to said county, as follows :

Biddeford, one ; Saco, one ; York, one ; Buxton, one ; Wells, one ; Kennebunkport, one ; Kittery and Isle of Shoals, one ; Limington and Cornish, one ; Parsonsfield and Newfield, one ; Limerick and Waterborough, one ; Shapleigh and Acton, one ; Sanford and Lebanon, one ; Hollis and Lyman, one ; Alfred and Kennebunk, one ; South Berwick and Elliott, one ; Berwick and North Berwick, one.

S. C. ADAMS, } Committee for  
JAMES W. JOY, } York county.



## STATE OF MAINE.

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IN SENATE, April 8, 1852.

ORDERED, That 350 copies of the foregoing Reports, be printed for the use of the Legislature.

ALBERT H. SMALL, *Secretary.*