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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
LAND AGENT
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

NOVEMBER 30, 1865.

Published agreeably to a Resolve approved February 23, 1865.

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REPORT.

LAND OFFICE, December 1, 1865.

To the Governor and Council of Maine:

I have the honor herewith to submit the Annual Report of the operations of this department, which with the schedules annexed, exhibits the operations of the Land Office for the current year.

Under resolves of the last Legislature appropriations were made for repairing roads and bridges as follows, viz:

Repairing roads, rebuilding and repairing bridges and abutments in the county of Aroostook,	\$4200 00
Making repairs on the Canada road,	500 00
Making repairs on the Houlton and Baring road,	50 00
Repairing road through Indian township,	300 00
And for reimbursement for money expended upon the road near Molunkus Bridge,	150 00
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	\$5,200 .00

There have been expended, in pursuance of the several resolves, four thousand seven hundred thirty-five dollars and seventy-five cents, as follows:

Repairs made upon the Canada road,	\$500 00
Repairing road through Indian township in the county of Washington,	259 58
Repairing the military road through the south half township number 2, range 3,	300 00
Rebuilding bridges at Wytapitlock and repairing the military road at that point,	375 00
Completing repairs upon the road at Molunkus Bridge,	258 59
Repairing bridge at Haynesville,	15 00
Repairing the Mattawankeag bridge,	82 70
Rebuilding bridge over the Little Madawaska river,	675 00
Repairing Fish river road,	1453 44

Repairing road through Limestone plantation,	226 25
Repairing road through township 8, range 5,	114 75
Repairing road from Ashland to Presque Isle,	225 44
Rebuilding and repairing bridges in Alva plantation,	250 00
	\$4,735 75

Specific contracts were made with Mr. Harvey Collins for rebuilding the Little Madawaska bridge, which has been constructed by the plan of the original structure, with some additions, and the work thoroughly done; and with Mr. Hugh Reed for rebuilding the main bridge over the Wytapitlock, and small bridges on its tributaries, and waste ways on the military road; the work has been faithfully done and no further repairs will be required for many years.

The bridges in Alva plantation were intrusted to the supervision of Joel Valley, Esq., and with his knowledge of the wants of the citizens, the money has been expended as best to subserve their interest.

The Aroostook road, (of which the Fish river road is a continuation,) was located in 1831 by the Land Agents of Maine and Massachusetts, and the location completed the year following to the south bank of the Aroostook river.

During the years 1833 and 1834 this distance was made passable as a winter road; in 1836-7-8 the road was finished a distance of thirty miles, and considerable repairs made upon the unfinished part of the road, in order to keep open communication with the valley of Aroostook and protect the timber from pillage; in 1841 the Aroostook road from the military road to Masardis, a distance of sixty-four miles, was completed.

The Fish river road was commenced in June, 1844, on the north bank of the Aroostook river, partially turnpiked to Portage Lake, from thence to Fish river, a distance of thirty-seven miles, stumps, roots and stones removed from the travelled path, and all necessary bridges and causeways made in a substantial manner.

Occasional appropriations have been made and money expended upon the road by the State, the last being made in 1860; and with the exception of slight repairs made by proprietors and settlers since the latter period nothing has been done by the State until the present year.

Following out the suggestions made in the last Annual Report, I

employed Mr. M. L. Durgin of Sebec to go upon the road with team and men, and have the satisfaction of saying that with the sum of \$356.97, paid by proprietors, and work performed by settlers, added to the expenditure made by the State, the road has been placed in good condition as a carriage road nearly the entire length; and with the exception of the bridges, being very defective, moderate annual appropriations only will be required to keep the road in good condition. An additional appropriation will be required to rebuild in part these bridges which have become dangerous from long neglect.

The road from Presque Isle settlement to Little Machias, now Ashland, was opened in 1839, passing over State land in townships 12, range 3, and 12, range 4, has become one of the leading thoroughfares in the county, and parts of it had become dangerous, and the constant use rendered repairs onerous for the settlers to bear; two hundred twenty-five dollars forty-four cents has been expended greatly to the comfort of the traveler.

The road beginning at the Aroostook river, extending through Plymouth township and Limestone plantation, leading towards the river St. John, is in part impassable; and for the purpose of giving an impulse to enlist further efforts from the inhabitants, it was deemed essential to make a moderate expenditure upon the road leading through Limestone Plantation, with a view to opening a road through township F, Range one to the French settlements, and when that shall be accomplished, the benefits of the outlay will be realized by additional gains to the settlements all the way through from the Aroostook river to Van Buren settlement.

I may add in connexion with the suggestion made that the services of Mr. Durgin have been efficient and the expenditures have been made by him in the several localities, with great care and fidelity.

Substantial repairs have been made upon the road through Indian township by Mr. John Sawtelle, leaving \$40.42 of the appropriation unexpended. Three hundred dollars have been expended upon the Military road by Mr. Josiah Gellison, and five hundred dollars by Mr. Joseph Clark, Jr., upon the Canada road in such manner as his judgment indicated to be most advantageous to the public.

The sums paid into the State Treasury derived from miscellaneous sources, with \$1,647.36, omitted in last annual settlement, amount to twenty thousand dollars fifty cents, (\$20,000.50.)

There have been conveyed of the public lands, 60,598 acres under resolves; 15,909 acres upon performance of settling duties and surrender of Land Certificates; 3,976 acres for cash and cash securities; 10,876 acres contracted for the performance of settling duties; 3,500 acres of land reserved for public uses; and for a description in detail, reference is made to schedules marked A, B, C, D, and E.

In obedience to an act of the Legislature, entitled "An Act for the establishment of Normal Schools," approved March 25, 1863, and report of Council made August 15, 1864, there was advertised on September 13, 1864, to be offered for sale March 14, 1865, all the right, title and interest which the State owned in townships numbered sixteen, ranges eleven and twelve, being one undivided half, at a minimum price of thirty-one cents per acre, or \$6,740.64 for both undivided half townships; and at the time advertised proposals to purchase were invited in conformity with the terms of the Act, but no sale was effected; and the matter is respectfully submitted for such a change in the mode of sale as will facilitate the objects contemplated in the Act.

Also in accordance with the terms of a "Resolve appropriating the 'timber and lumber' in a township of land, for Educational purposes," approved March 23, 1864, and direction of the Governor and Council, by their order of February 23, 1865, I advertised, agreeably with the requirements of the Resolve, on February 28, 1865, that a sale would be made at the Land Office on the first day of September, A. D., 1865, for the term of ten years, of the "timber and lumber" in part in townships No. 9, R. 4 and 11, R. 3, W. E. L. S., at the minimum price of eleven thousand dollars, being the sum required for the objects contemplated in the Resolve, but no proposals were received for that amount, and it is suggested that the terms of the Resolve be so modified as to allow the sums that may be received for stumpages from the tracts advertised to be paid into the State Treasury for the term of ten years or until the amount required shall be reached for the several objects embraced in the resolve.

In pursuance of law contained in chapter 5, section 32, Revised Statutes, selections of tracts and parcels of the public lands were made and advertised under the direction of the Governor and Council in February last, to be offered for sale in accordance with the provisions of the Act; no sale however was attempted for reasons growing out of the apparent indifference to purchase at

prices remunerative to the State, and the sale was deferred for the current year.

In pursuance of the provisions of the "Act in relation to the sale of timber on the public lands" permits have been granted for cutting timber and other lumber upon townships 11, R. 3; 4, R. 13; E, R. 1; M and L, R. 2; 17, R. 9, W. E. L. S; 4, R. 3; and 4 R. 4, N. B. K. P.; 11, R. 1; N. W. $\frac{1}{4}$ 4, R. 7; and N. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ 5, R. 7, W. E. L. S. Other applications have also been made, and a reasonable sum may be relied upon from stumpages the coming year.

The conditions of "Resolve in favor of Maine Wesleyan Seminary and Female College," approved March 22, 1864; have been complied with, in the purchase by Mr. Stephen Allen, Agent for the Seminary, of the "timber and lumber" upon the N. W. and S. E. quarters of township No. 8, R. 4, W. E. L. S, and accepted under the sale made April 19, 1865, in accordance with the terms of the Resolve.

Serious inconvenience has been felt in some localities where the State, and proprietors of wild lands have a common interest in keeping roads in repair, and should it be found upon examination that the present law bears onerously upon the owners of lands lying remote from the traveled way, but within the limits of a township through which such road passes, the suggestion is made whether there may not be some additional legislation to equalize and enforce a more prompt compliance with the provisions of law.

In every township opened for settlement may be found lands unsuitable for settling purposes, requiring much care and considerable expense to protect the lumber, without any advantage to the State; and it is well known that the Pioneer must encounter many hardships, with a dependent family, before he can count upon returns sufficient to enable him to provide the means required to educate his children; it becomes therefore a matter of grave inquiry whether it may not be considered sound policy to set aside a reasonable sum annually from the proceeds to be derived from such lands to be used as a special fund for educational purposes in the township.

Some action of the kind would not only awaken renewed interest, fostering immigration, and hold the settlements more firmly by the encouragement extended for the benefit of these dependent little ones in their new homes; but would also help to inaugurate such a policy as cannot fail of receiving the moral support of the

better part of every population occupying new lands by placing before them encouragement for the exercise of every honorable motive to watch, protect and save from pillage, the means to be relied upon for the objects named.

It may seem, as doubtless would be, out of place in a brief report of this kind to attempt to elaborate upon matters pertaining to other interests than those under the immediate supervision of this office, yet it may be well to venture the assertion that it is no longer a question of dependence but an established fact of primary importance with the Aroostook region, that a commanding position has been attained by means of Railway communication to the sea; and the necessity of reclaiming what has been diverted, can but impress our citizens with the importance of measures now in progress for an early undertaking and completion of a Railway towards, and ultimately into the County of Aroostook.

ISAAC R. CLARK, *Land Agent.*

APPENDIX.

DR. STATE OF MAINE, *in account current with* ISAAC R. CLARK,
Land Agent for the year ending November 30, 1865.

To cash paid postage—schedule No. 1,	\$102 89	
cash paid services on account of settling land—schedule No. 2,	721 44	
cash paid office rent—schedule No. 3,	200 00	
cash paid incidental expenses—schedule No. 4,	520 47	
cash paid services protecting timber lands, explorations, estimates and scaling lumber—schedule No. 5,	3,889 07	
cash paid for surveys in township 18, R. 3—schedule No. 6,	\$1,429 37	
cash paid miscellaneous surveys—schedules No. 7 and 8,	229 11	
	1,648 48	
		\$7,083 35 .
To cash expended on the Canada road—schedule No. 9,	500 00	
cash expended on the road through Indian township, in the county of Washington—schedule No. 10,	259 58	
	759 58	
To cash expended on the Military road in south half township No. 2, R. 3,	300 00	
cash expended on Wytapitlock bridges, and repairs on road at that place,	375 00	
cash expended on Military road at Molunkus bridge,	258 59	
cash expended on bridge at Haynesville—schedule No. 11,	15 00	
	948 59	
To cash expended repairing Mattawamkeag bridge—schedule No. 12,	82 70	
		1,790 87
cash expended on roads and bridges in upper Aroostook, viz: Rebuilding bridge over the Little Madawaska river on the road leading from Caribou to Van Buren,	675 00	
Repairing the Fish river road,	1,453 44	
Repairing the road through Limestone plantation,	226 25	
Repairing Aroostook road in township 8, R. 5,	114 75	
Repairing road, Ashland to Presque Isle,	225 44	
Rebuilding and repairing bridge in Alva plantation—schedule No. 13,	250 00	
		2,944 88
To cash paid into the State Treasury derived from miscellaneous sources on general account,	5,246 20	
cash on account sales timber and grass in 1863 and 1864,	\$1,647 36	
Same, for 1864 and 1865,	2,368 00	
	4,015 36	
To cash on account of the Permanent School Fund,	7,738 94	
cash on account of the Normal School—schedule No. 14,	3,000 00	
		20,000 50

DR. STATE OF MAINE, *in account with ISAAC R. CLARK, (Continued.)*

To sundry balances, viz:			
Eben Woodbury,		\$122 51	
S. Robinson,		45 00	
L. Gowen,		100 00	
R. S. Locke,		34 62	
Isaac Wilder,		50 00	
Lot Chapman,		10 00	
Romeo Michaud,		25 00	
P. P. Burleigh,		392 00	
John C. Carpenter,		75 00	
I. R. Clark,		500 00	
State of Massachusetts,		2,370 24	
			3,724 37
To Securities, Funds, &c., viz:			
Executions,		1,377 12	
Road Fund, No. 2, O. I. P.,		189 19	
Bonds,		18,056 86	
Road Fund, No. 10, R. 5,		142 00	
Demands with Attorneys,		4,252 50	
Road Labor Fund,		12,554 82	
Accounts for review,		1,334 01	
Springfield Road Fund,		70 00	
			37,876 50
To Cash Securities, viz:			
Notes,		29,416 59	
Permanent School Fund,		12,392 75	
Cash balance,		2,238 55	
			44,047 89
			<u>117,468 36</u>

CR. STATE OF MAINE, *in account current with ISAAC R. CLARK, Land Agent, for the year ending November 30, 1865.*

By Securities in the Land Office, December 1, 1864, viz:			
Executions,		\$2,396 62	
Road Fund, No. 2, O. I. P.,		189 19	
Bonds,		18,056 86	
Road Fund, No. 10, R. 5,		142 00	
Road Labor Fund,		12,564 82	
			\$33,349 49
By Demands with Attorneys,		-	4,252 50
Sundry balances, viz:			
I. R. Clark,		500 00	
State of Massachusetts,		2,370 24	
Eben Woodbury,		122 51	
P. P. Burleigh,		230 00	
R. S. Locke,		34 62	
Accounts for review,		1,234 01	
Charles E. Dole,		139 04	
Rufus Mansur,		92 70	
Isaac Wilder,		50 00	
Lot Chapman,		10 00	
Henry Clark,		281 74	
Springfield Road Fund,		70 00	
Romeo Michaud,		25 00	
Waterville College,		153 84	
M. L. Durgin,		16 00	
S. Robinson,		45 00	
			\$5,374 70

CR. STATE OF MAINE, *in account with ISAAC R. CLARK, (Continued.)*

By Notes,	\$36,392 07	
Permanent School Fund,	17,172 00	\$53,564 07
By Cash balance,	—	1,661 19
received during the current year from miscellaneous sources, viz:		
cash received from reverted or forfeited lands,	3,160 00	
cash received for sale of land,	162 50	
cash received for interest on notes	2,143 03	
cash on account of sales of timber and grass on lands reserved for public uses, current year of 1863,	\$1,647 36	
cash for timber and grass during 1865,	1,860 00	
	3,507 36	
By cash received at the State Treasury, on warrants drawn for appropriations for Canada and Houlton and Baring roads,	850 00	
cash received for timber and logs cut on the public lands,	9,410 52	
cash received for lands in Sherman,	33 00	
		19,266 41
		\$117,468 36

Receipts of Cash from all sources for the year ending Nov. 30, 1865.

By balance on hand November 30, 1864,		\$1,661 19
By cash received from miscellaneous sources, viz:		
timber and grass from reserved lands	\$3,507 36	
sale of lands,	29 50	
collections on notes,	7,108 48	
interest " "	2,143 03	
on account permanent school fund,	4,779 25	
timber cut on public lands,	9,410 52	
payment on executions,	1,019 50	
I. M. Bragg towards repairing and rebuilding Wyta-pitlock bridge,	100 00	
on account forfeited land,	3,160 00	
at State Treasury for appropriations,	850 00	
		32,107 64
By Mattawamkeag bridge,	3 00	
M. L. Durgin, refunded on settlement,	1,233 71	
P. P. Burleigh " "	517 00	
Charles E. Dole, for account,	139 04	
B. H. Chesley refunded on settlement,	25 00	
John C Carpenter " "	50 00	
Rufus Mansur for account,	92 70	
Henry Clark refunded on settlement,	775 80	
Daniel Barker " "	25 00	
A. P. Files " "	30 00	
N. B. K. Lowell " "	25 00	
John T. Goss " "	50 00	
Josiah Gellerson " "	300 00	
B. W. Mallett " "	25 00	
Waterville College for account,	153 84	
		3,445 09
By road labor fund,	43 00	
settling land,	15 61	
timber land account,	30 00	
incidental " "	11 98	
		100 59
		\$37,314 51

Disbursements of Cash during the year ending November 30, 1865.

To cash paid for surveying land,	\$1,150 94	
cash paid incidental expenses,	536 45	
cash paid office rent,	200 00	
cash paid for protecting timber lands, exploring land and scaling timber and logs,	3,521 73	
cash paid for services on settling lands,	737 05	
cash paid postage,	102 89	
cash paid on account surveys in 18, R. 3,	488 24	
		\$6,737 30
To cash paid for rebuilding and repairing bridge and repair- ing roads, viz:		
Mattawamkeag bridge,	41 85	
Military road,	599 44	
bridge at Haynesville,	15 00	
Canada road,	500 00	
bridge and road at Wytapitlock,	475 00	
road through Indian township,	259 58	
bridge over Little Madawaska,	675 00	
bridge in Alva Plantation,	250 00	
Fish river road,	1,453 44	
road Ashland to Presque Isle,	225 44	
Aroostook road through 8, R. 5,	114 75	
road through Limestone Plantation,	226 25	
		4,835 75
To cash advanced on account services, viz:		
B. H. Chesley,	25 00	
L. Gowen,	100 00	
Henry Clark,	494 06	
John C. Carpenter,	125 00	
Josiah Gellerson,	300 00	
A. P. Files,	30 00	
N. B. K. Lowell,	25 00	
John T. Goss,	50 00	
M. L. Durgin,	1,217 71	
Daniel Barker,	25 00	
B. W. Mallett,	25 00	
P. P. Burleigh,	679 00	
		3,095 77
To cash paid surveyors in township 1, R. 6, W. B. K. P.,	120 95	
To cash paid surveyors in township 11, R. 6, and 10, R. 17, W. E. L. S.	81 37	
		202 32
To cash paid on account of school fund lands,		204 32
cash paid into State Treasury from miscellaneous sources.	12,261 56	
cash paid into State Treasury on account of the Perma- nent school fund,	7,738 94	
		20,000 50
		35,075 96
Cash balance,		2,238 55
		\$37,314 51

Trial Balance November 30, 1865.

Folio.	Accounts.	Debit Footings.	Credit Footings.	Debit Balances.	Credit Balances.
6	Executions,	\$2,396 62	\$1,019 50	\$1,377 12	
7	Road Fund No. 2, O. I. P.,	189 19		189 19	
24	Bonds,	18,056 86		18,056 86	
41	I. R. Clark,	500 00		500 00	
51	Military Road,	599 44		599 44	
55	Fish River Road,	1,453 44		1,453 44	
62	State of Massachusetts,	2,370 24		2,370 24	
63	Road Fund, 10, R. 3,	142 00		142 00	
73	Road from Ashland to Presque Isle,	225 44		225 44	
88	Canada Road,	500 00		500 00	
89	Road through Township 8, R. 5,	114 75		114 75	
100	Incidental Expenses,	23 75		23 75	
112	Lands Reverted,		3,160 00		\$3,160 00
125	Eben Woodbury,	122 51		122 51	
127	S. Robinson,	45 00		45 00	
160	Sales of Land,		162 50		162 50
170	Interest,		2,143 03		2,143 03
145	L. Gowen,	100 00		100 00	
180	R. S. Locke,	34 62		34 62	
188	Demands with Attorneys,	4,252 50		4,252 50	
189	Road Labor Fund,	12,564 82	10 00	12,554 82	
190	Accounts for Review,	1,234 01		1,234 01	
195	State Treasury,	20,020 50	20 00	20,000 50	
199	State of Maine,		98,144 45		98,144 45
200	Isaac Wilder,	50 00		50 00	
204	Lot Chapman,	10 00		10 00	
207	Bridge at Mattawamkeag Forks,	15 00		15 00	
207	Road through Indian Township,	259 58		259 58	
211	Surveys of Land,	209 81	193 02	16 79	
213	W. H. Cary,		57 50		57 50
214	Surveys of Land, 11 R. 16, and 10 R. 17,	81 37		81 37	
216	Springfield Road Fund,	70 00		70 00	
217	Notes,	36,525 07	7,108 48	29,416 59	
218	Reserved Lands,		3,507 36		3,507 36
219	Romeo Michaud,	25 00		25 00	
223	Cash,	37,314 51	35,075 96	2,238 55	
225	Office Rent,	200 00		200 00	
225	Surveys of Land, 18, R. 3,	1,429 37		1,429 37	
227	Mattawamkeag Bridge,	41 85	3 00	38 85	
228	School Fund,	25,135 26	12,742 51	12,392 75	
229	Appropriations,		850 00		850 00
230	P. P. Burleigh,	437 00	45 00	392 00	
231	John C. Carpenter,	75 00		75 00	
232	Timber,	50 00	9,460 52		9,410 52
233	Timber Land,	3,919 07	30 00	3,889 07	
235	Postage,	102 89		102 89	
236	Road Fund, Sherman,		33 00		33 00
237	Bridges at Wytapitlock,	475 00	100 00	375 00	
238	Surveys of Land, 1 R. 6, W. B. K. P.,	120 95		120 95	
238	Bridges in Alva Plantation,	250 00		250 00	
239	Bridge over Madawaska River,	675 00		675 00	
239	Road in Limestone Plantation,	226 25		226 25	
240	Settling Land,	737 05	15 61	721 44	
241	Charges,	512 70	11 98	500 72	
		173,893 42	173,893 42	117,468 36	117,468 36

SCHEDULE A.

Lands conveyed under Resolves and Acts of the Legislature during the year ending November 30, 1865.

Date.	Purchaser.	Residence.	No. of Lot.	Township.	Acres.	Remarks
1865.						
Jan. 9,	President and Trustees of Bates College,	Lewiston,	- - -	8, R. 17, W.E.L.S.,	23,361	U. D.
" 17,	- - -	-	Part	10, R. 17, "	27,596	"
Feb. 29,	George W. Smith,	Van Buren,	"	L, R. 2, "	6,000	"
Mar. 11,	Hazen Hill,	Presque Isle,	5, section 25,	G, R. 2,	146	"
" 11,	Martha J. Field,	Mapleton,	75,	12, R. 3,	97	"
" 11,	Abba A. Rose,	Presque Isle,	56,	F, R. 2,	159.60	"
" 11,	Julius C. Chandler,	Mapleton,	115,	12, R. 3,	155.22	"
" 13,	Louisa S. F. Mower,	-	S. half 42,	Eaton Grant,	118	"
" 13,	William E. Morse,	-	91,	14, R. 4,	160.20	"
" 15,	Henry Warren,	New York,	36,	No. 3, Indian,	200	"
	Abby W. Day,	-	43,	Eaton Grant,	184.10	"
May 10,	Paulina C. Varney,	-	94,	12, R. 14,	164.59	"
" 19,	Mrs. K. Mitchell,	-	114,	"	158.72	"
June 29,	Isaac Wilder,	Washburn,	1,	13, R. 3,	146.07	"
" 29,	Mary McGuier,	"	40,	"	152.71	"
July 6,	Henry E. Prentiss,	Bangor,	17,	No. 3, Indian,	200	"
" 6,	Same,	"	60,	"	200	"
" 8,	Cyrus and R. C. Barker,	Island Falls,	115,	4, R. 4,	160	"
Oct. 9,	Daniel Randall,	"	3,	"	160	"
" 9,	David A. Sewall, Simon Curtis and Oliver S. Dow,	"	Section 141; also part 142,	"	320 00	"

Oct. 9,	David A. Sewall,	Island Falls,	Lot 15 and pt. section 142,	4, R. 4,	320	U. D.
Nov. 9,	Hazen Keech,	Lyndon,	85,	1, R. 2,	118.56	"
" 17,	Daniel Randall,	Island Falls,	2,	4, R. 4,	160	"
" 23,	Rebecca L. Dunham,	"	26,	"	160	"
					60,598.67	

SCHEDULE B.

Lands conveyed for Road Securities by Deed for the year ending November 30, 1865.

Date.	Purchaser.	Residence.	No. of Lot.	Township.	Acres.	Remarks
1864.						
Dec. 19,	Thomas G. Davis,	Exeter,	88,	C, R. 1,	149.72	U. D.
" 24,	William F. Robie,	Readfield,	2, section 2 and 4, section 8,	Washburn,	153.77	"
" 24,	Mary McDonald,	Limestone,	156,	E, R. 1,	123.10	"
" 29,	Jessie F. Heath,	Sherman,	145,	Sherman,	100	"
	Jesse J. Morgan,	"	148,	"	98	"
	Lot Chapman,	-	76,	"	104	"
1865.						
Jan. 7,	Joseph Hall,	Van Buren,	63,	L, R. 2,	103.45	"
" 16,	Joseph T. Silsby,	Aurora,	126,	C, R. 1,	151.38	"
" 24,	John Thorn and Charles Morgridge,	Island Falls,	42,	4, R. 4,	160	"
" 24,	Alfred Cushman, Jr.	Sherman,	L,	Sherman,	105	"

APPENDIX.

SCHEDULE B, (Continued.)

Date.	Purchaser.	Residence.	No. of Lot.	Township.	Acres.	Remarks
1865.						
Jan. 25,	Edward Corey,	Alva,	72,	B, R. 1,	137.61	U. D.
" 25,	Louis Calwell and Joseph R. Valley,	Alva,	20,	"	154.60	"
" 25,	George W. Collins,	Bridgewater,	33,	"	159.16	"
" 25,	George W. Collins,	"	47,	"	157.27	"
" 25,	W. F. Robinson,	"	45,	"	160	"
" 25,	George H. Downing,	-	112,	5, R. 3,	157.08	"
Feb. 14,	Sarah E. Boston,	Gardiner,	72,	12, R. 3,	157.08	"
" 16,	John Beam,	Alva,	48,	B, R. 1,	131.90	"
" 20,	George Monroe,	"	S. half 37,	"	98.64	"
" 20,	James Clark,	"	N. half 65,	"	86.75	"
" 20,	John Whittaker,	Presque Isle,	M. D. Bl'k 94,	Presque Isle,	157.07	"
Feb. 20,	James R. Cleaves,	-	N. third Block 92,	"	157	"
" 20,	Samuel B. Cleaves,	Presque Isle,	N. third Block 93,	"	157	"
" 20,	Columbus S. French,	"	S. D. Block 93,	"	157	"
" 20,	Benjamin B. Creasy,	Mapleton,	73,	12, R. 3,	157	"
" 20,	A. A. Bryant,	Sherman,	126,	Sherman,	90	"
" 20,	Daniel Glidden,	"	115,	"	97	"
" 20,	William B. Young,	"	110,	"	122.64	"
" 20,	Frederick Wren,	"	100,	"	87	"
" 20,	John T. Hilton,	"	84,	"	127.50	"
" 21,	Moses P. Libby,	-	61,	11, R. 1,	106.40	"
" 21,	George S. Herrick,	-	A, 61,	"	106.40	"

Feb.	21,	Mary E. Pride,	Gray,	N. half	74,	Sherman,	144	U. D.
"	24,	Alfred Marshall,	Fort Fairfield,		22,	Fort Fairfield,	138	"
"	24,	Allen S. Marshall,	"		35,	"	149.28	"
"	24,	David Marshall,	"		23,	"	121.20	"
"	24,	Dennis A. Foster,	Presque Isle,		25,	Presque Isle,	155.32	"
"	25,	Daniel Whitney,	Fort Fairfield,		25,	Fort Fairfield,	141.50	"
3	"	25,	John W. Haynes,		111,	"	156	"
Mar.	15,	Charles B. Irish,	Sherman,		105,	Sherman,	117	"
Apr.	24,	Joseph Parker,	Bangor,		17,	6, R. 5,	172.78	"
"	26,	George W. Whitney,	Farmington,		88,	12, R. 3,	157	"
May	1,	Levi K. May,	Island Falls,		20,	4, R. 4,	83.50	"
"	3,	Charles P. Ferguson,	-	10, section	34,	Maysville,	174.47	"
"	3,	Mahitable B Bean,	Maysville,	1, section	11,	"	110	"
"	6,	Francis St. Germain,	Van Buren,		17,	L, R. 2,	92.73	"
"	6,	Joseph Lepierre,	"		18,	"	111.62	"
"	6,	George W. Smith,	"		60,	"	125.59	"
"	6,	Beloni Martin,	"	69 and 68,		"	138.52	"
"	6,	Andrew Neddan and Aaron King,	"		20,	"	111.67	"
May	8,	William Chandler,	Castle Hill,		40,	12, R. 4,	153.50	"
"	8,	Senaah W. Tabor,	"		66,	"	152.45	"
"	10,	John Esty,	"		21,	"	144	"
"	11,	Leland Dennett,	Conway,	13, R. 3,		E. half 2, R. 5,	170.33	"
"	12,	Thomas McDonald,	Washburn,	1, section	8,	Washburn,	165	"
"	12,	John Welts,	Castle Hill,		26,	12, R. 4,	145.30	"
"	12,	Ansel G. Taylor,	"		41,	Washburn,	152.59	"
"	12,	Robert W. Wilder,	Washburn,		89,	"	158.04	"
"	16,	Amanuel Wright,	Mapleton,		7,	12, R. 3,	145.62	"
"	16,	B. H. Chandler,	"		99,	"	157	"

SCHEDULE B, (Continued.)

Date.	Purchaser.	Residence.	No. of Lot.	Township.	Acres.	Remarks
1865.						
May 16,	Beria Clough,	Mapleton,	48,	12, R. 3,	100	U. D.
" 23,	Cyrus Daggett,	Camden,	58,	3, R. 5,	203	"
" 24,	William Trewin,	Fort Fairfield,	51,	Fort Fairfield,	158	"
June 6,	Jesse L. Smith,	Conway,	12, R. 3,	E. half 2, R. 5,	169.06	"
" 17,	W. C. Hammond,	Van Buren,	34,	L, R. 2,	118.34	"
" 18,	Hiram J. Smith,	Umcolcus,	23,	9, R. 6,	138.18	"
" 18,	Phillip Painter,	Ox Bow,	N. W. fourth section 32,	"	155	"
" 19,	James H. Hayden,	"	S. W. fourth section 26,	"	177.66	"
" 27,	Eben Bolstridge,	Ashland,	45,	Ashland,	113.56	"
" 27,	Lyman Everett,	Washburn,	2,	13, R. 3,	149.37	"
" 27,	Charles H Willey,	"	4,	"	150.27	"
" 27,	William H Rowe,	Masardis,	63,	10, R. 5,	138	"
July 3,	Louis J Pollard,	Maysville,	6, section 18,	Maysville,	218.07	"
" 5,	Hannah F. Croukhite,	Chapman,	64,	11, R. 3,	180.35	"
" 21,	James D. Bailey,	Mapleton,	76,	12, R. 3,	97.62	"
Aug. 18,	Abraham D. Harris,	Castle Hill,	E. half 31,	12, R. 4,	79.73	"
" 18,	John Eddy,	Woodland,	94,	14, R. 3,	164.16	"
" 19,	Anna Dam,	"	105,	C, R. 1,	176.27	"
" 19,	Elizabeth Sinclair,	Bluehill,	W. half 80,	3, R. 5,	99.75	"
" 19,	James Brayzen,	C, R. 1,	108,	C, R. 1,	201.19	"
" 19,	William P. Warney,	"	S. W. quarter block 154,	Fort Fairfield,	160	"
" 21,	John Burnham,	Sherman,	78,	3, R. 5,	190	"
" 21,	Joseph Wilson,	Washburn,	29,	Washburn,	155.74	"

Aug. 31,	Alfred C Bugbee,	Washburn,	1, section 13,	Washburn,	108.00	U. D.
Sept. 6,	Henry Tilley,	-	58,	12, R. 4,	182.69	"
Sept. 6,	Joseph Pollard,	Masardis,	75,	Masardis,	125	"
" 9,	Thomas Whittaker,	Presque Isle,	S. Division, section 95,	Presque Isle,	157	"
" 9,	Finly Ross,	"	M. Division, section 93,	F, R. 2,	157	"
" 9,	Martin Marsh,	"	S. Division, section 94,	"	157.07	"
" 9,	T. B. Rose,	"	N. Division section 80,	"	165.60	"
" 12,	Pembroke S. Dinsmore,	Island Falls,	21,	4, R. 4,	160	"
" 17,	David Vance,	Lyndon,	26,	Lyndon,	167.98	"
Oct. 9,	Jeremiah T. Ladd,	"	39,	14, R. 3,	155.93	"
Nov. 3,	William Clark,	Washburn,	6, section 5,	Washburn,	51	"
" 2,	Lizza H. Pierce,	"	140,	Sherman,	103	"
" 4,	Elijah Roax,	"	M. Division, Section 80,	F, R. 2,	165.60	"
" 6,	Martin L. Main,	Umcolcus,	24,	9, R. 6,	147.43	"
" 6,	Hastings, Philo and W. H. Strickland,	Bangor,	A,	5, R. 13,	154.38	"
" 6,	Hastings, Philo and W. H. Strickland,	Bangor,	B,	5, R. 13,	151	"
" 9,	W. C. Hammond,	Van Buren,	34,	M, R. 2,	78.50	"
" 8,	Michael Thibodeux,	"	33,	L, R. 2,	101.85	"
" 8,	W. C. Hammond, Jr.,	"	33,	M, R. 2,	65.45	"
" 10,	W. H. J. Moulton,	-	46,	S. half 2, R. 3,	100	"
" 10,	Peter Moulton,	Haynesville,	47,	"	107	"
" 11,	David Eastman,	"	5,	11, R. 6,	162	"
" 13,	H. B. Woodbridge,	"	N. half 77,	Sherman,	98	"
" 13,	Moses Seroie,	Van Buren,	349,	G, R. 1,	65.78	"
" 13,	Joseph Trueworthy,	Sherman,	72,	3, R. 5,	104.46	"
" 17,	Sarah R. Cambell,	Limestone,	69,	E, R. 1,	109.78	"
	David B. Pike,	-	8,	Presque Isle,	157	"

SCHEDULE B, (Continued.)

Date.	Purchaser.	Residence.	No. of Lot.	Township.	Acres.	Remarks
1864.						U. D.
Nov. 25,	Edward W. Adams,	-	114,	5, R. 3,	181.95	"
" 25,	Richard F. Adams,	-	118,	" "	119.54	"
" 25,	Thomas Shields,	-	120,	" "	119.70	"
" 25,	Aaron D. Plummer.	-	89,	" "	114.34	"
Sept. 29,	William Gilchrist,	Sherman,	A,	3, R. 5,	197.64	"
	William Gilchrist,	"	29,	" "	110	"
					15,909	

SCHEDULE C.

Lands conveyed for Cash and Cash Securities for the year ending November 30, 1865.

Date.	Purchaser.	Residence.	No. Lot.	Township.	Acres.	Amount.	Remarks
1864.							
Dec. 26,	Wm. Fitzgerald,	Masardis,	Small Island in Aroos-	10, R. 5,	2	5 00	U. D.
1865.			[took R.,				
Apr. 21,	F. D. Hodgkins and		[Thumb Cap,				
	Wm. Coggins,	Trenton,	Small Island called	-	1	10 00	"
June 16,	Isaac S. Burton,	Lincoln,	55,	Lincoln,	180	30 00	"
" 21,	Joseph Pollard,	Masardis,	76,	10, R. 3,	156	40 00	"
July 14,	David Page,	Fort Kent,	Isl. in St. John River,	18, R. 7,	5	50 00	"

Sept. 27,	Isaac S. Burton,	Lincoln,	Section 2, R. 4,	Lincoln,	122	30 00	U. D.
Oct. 7,	Ira Fish,	Patten,	North'y pt. W. $\frac{1}{2}$ sec. 52,	4, R. 5,	120	60 00	"
Nov. 13,	Joseph L. Young and Elnathan Mayberry,	Sherman,	57,	3, R. 5,	266	133 00	C. D.
" 25,	Nathan Weston, conveyed under resolve, Ap. Jan. 31, 1865,	Augusta,	S. W. quarter	8, R. 7, w.e.l.s.,	3,124	1,019 50	U. D.
					3,976	1,377 50	

SCHEDULE D.

Lands contracted for Settlement and Road Labor for the year ending November 30, 1865.

Date.	Purchaser.	Residence.	No. of Lot.	Township.	Acres.	Amount.	Remarks
1864.							
Dec. 24, 1865.	Winchel Woodard,	Island Falls,	124	4, R. 4,	160.	\$80 00	L. C.
Jan. 3,	Jacob O. Pollard,	Limestone,	2, sec. 16,	E, R. 1,	159.10	79 55	do
" 11,	James Hall,	Rockabema,	78	6, R. 5,	125.	62 50	do
" 24,	Chas. W. Moore,	Island Falls,	70	4, R. 4,	142.	71 00	do
" 24,	Oliver Graffam,	"	128	"	160.	80 00	do
" 24,	Joshua P. Dinsmore,	"	69	"	80.	40 00	do
Mar. 11,	Mayo Grotton,	Linneus,	99	5, R. 3,	122.18	61 09	do
" 11,	Caleb Sherman,	"	11	"	172.23	86 16	do
" 11,	Wm. G. Hersey,	"	66	"	194.58	97 29	do
" 14,	Thomas Whittaker,	Presque Isle,	S. Div., sec. 95,	F, R. 2,	157.	78 50	do
" 24,	James Langley,	Forestville,	78	I, R. 2,	101.	50 50	do

SCHEDULE D, (Continued.)

Date.	Purchaser.	Residence.	No. of Lot.	Township.	Acres.	Amount.	Remarks
1865.							
Apr. 22,	Huldah A. Corless,	Fremont,	7	C, R, 1,	124.50	\$62 25	L. C.
" 24,	James Maddocks,	Jackson,	59	S. half 2, R. 3,	99.50	49 75	do
Feb. 20,	Robert G. Curtis,	Sherman,	56	3, R. 5,	158.	79 00	do
" 20,	H. L. Morgan,	"	114	Sherman,	96.	48 00	do
May 6,	Edward Cyr and Fran- cis King,	Van Buren,	8	M, R. 2,	198.13	99 50	do
" 6,	Zellisford Dumond	"	21	L, R. 2,	165.84	82 92	do
" 8,	Firman Cyr,	"	1	M, R. 2,	167.31	83 65	do
" 8,	Paul Page,	"	36	"	44.98	22 49	do
" 8,	Celestine Violette,	"	9	"	158.36	79 18	do
" 8,	Gabril Ouillette and Vital Violette,	"	14	"	164.17	82 08	do
" 8,	Francis Parent,	"	N. 1-2 15,	"	84.11	42 06	do
" 8,	Frederick Soucie,	"	64	"	163.32	81 66	do
" 8,	Antoine Violette,	"	65	"	65.36	32 68	do
" 8,	Herbert Thibodeau,	"	69	"	82.94	41 47	do
" 8,	W. C. Hammond, Jr.,	"	33	"	65.45	32 72	do
" 8,	Charles F. Hilton,	Castle Hill,	92	12, R, 4,	163.11	81 56	do
" 8,	Edward L. Lacain,	"	127	"	159.79	79 80	do
" 8,	Edward Morse,	"	138	"	145.93	72 96	do
" 8,	Lewis Sawyer,	"	140	"	142.24	71 12	do
" 10,	John Orr,	"	72	"	164.55	82 37	do
" 10,	Henry W. Wotton,	"	126	"	160.68	80 34	dn

"	10,	Eli Hume,	Castle Hill,	77	12, R. 4,	155.86	\$77 93	L. C.
"	10,	William S. Ross,	"	78	"	153.85	76 93	do
"	10,	George W. Hilton,	"	79	"	155.38	77 69	do
"	11,	John P. Holt,	Sarsfield,	24	Plymouth,	157.	78 50	do
"	11,	Samuel Barnes,	"	17	"	157.54	78 77	do
"	12,	James W. Bickford,	Washburn,	72	Washburn,	153.58	76 77	do
"	25,	William J. Plummer,	Monroe,	60	S. half 2, R. 3,	101.87	50 94	do
June	16,	Robert Boody,	Aroostook,	18	8, R. 5,	142.06	71 00	do
"	16,	John S. Beckwith,	Mapleton,	29	12, R. 3,	159.	79 50	do
"	20,	Lysander P. Hayden,	Ox Bow,		N.W. qr. of sec. No. 26, 9, R. 6,	177.66	88 83	do
"	20,	Robert Purvis,	"	W. 1-2 32,	9, R. 6,	119.35	51 67	do
"	20,	John Knowlen,	"	19	"	144.31	72 15	do
"	20,	E. H. Hayden,	"	12	"	149.10	74 50	do
"	20,	Elias W. Hayden,	"	E. 1-2 32,	"	119.35	59 68	do
July	26,	Miles K. Hilton,	Castle Hill,	80	12, R. 4,	157.16	78 58	do
Sept.	5,	Daniel Cummings,	Haynesville,	113	S. half 2, R. 3,	100.	50 00	do
"	5,	Francis R. Dinsmore,	Island Falls,	34	4, R. 4,	160.	80 00	do
"	12,	Dennis D. Fairbanks,	Presque Isle,	N. 1-2 sec. 95,	12, R. 3,	200.	100 00	do
Oct.	2,	Lemuel Hatch,	Maysville,	5, sec. 28,	Maysville,	141.80	70 90	do
"	7,	John E. Cochran,	Easton,	116	C, R. 1,	181.03	90 53	do
"	10,	Justus & John Adams,	Linneus,	138	5, R. 3,	186.54	93 27	do
"	13,	James Kearney,	Plymouth,	23	Plymouth,	148.44	75 22	do
"	31,	Matthew Waddell,	Mapleton,	55	12, R. 3,	150.	75 00	do
Nov.	3,	Louis Billings,	Linneus,	8	5, R. 3,	135.45	52 70	do
"	3,	Isaac Chambers,	"	82	"	103.74	81 87	do
"	3,	Daniel Allen,	"	62	"	158.94	79 57	do
		Maxim Violette & Michael Parent,	Van Buren,	72	M, R. 2,	143.39	71 69	do

SCHEDULE D, (Continued.)

Date.	Purchaser.	Residence.	No. of Lot.	Township.	Acres.	Amount.	Remarks
1865.							
Nov. 8,	Laurent Albert,	Van Buren,	67	M, R. 2,	160.92	\$80 33	L. C.
" 9,	Desire Violette,	"	71	"	161.84	80 92	do
" 9,	America & Nathaniel Bartlett,	Forestville,	14	I, R. 2,	170.23	85 12	do
" 9,	Eluase Violette,	Van Buren,	74	M, R. 2,	202.92	101 46	do
" 9,	Louis Sharett,	"	57	"	163.28	81 64	do
" 9,	Charles G. Whittier,	Forestville,	92	I, R. 2,	159.72	79 86	do
" 25,	Albert H. Burleigh,	Linneus,	108	5, R. 3,	188.12	94 12	do
" 25,	William Parker,	Plymouth,	33	Plymouth,	162.28	81 14	do
" 25,	James Eastler,	Washburn,	93	Washburn,	158.40	79 20	do
" 25,	William T Lee,	Lineus,	64	5, R. 3,	171.34	85 67	do
" 25,	Charles D. Brown	"	35	"	114.99	57 99	do
" 25,	Charles W. Thompson,	"	79	"	196.65	98 32	do
" 25,	Theodore Gerrish,	"	92	"	118.	59 00	do
" 25,	Calvin H. Clark,	"	65	"	189.16	96 58	do
" 25,	Cyrus R. Bowers,	"	51	"	116.46	58 23	do
" 25,	James N. Craine,	"	70	"	178.17	89 08	do
					10,876.24		

SCHEDULE E.

Sales of Timber and Grass, and Collections for the year ending November 30, 1865.

Date.	Purchasers.	Parts.	Township.	Acres.	Amount.
1865.					
Feb. 28,	Charles Stetson, George and Isaiah Stetson, Charles Stetson, George and Isaiah Stetson,	1-4 3-4 1-4 3-4	N. $\frac{1}{2}$ 3, R. 4, W. B., K. P., N. $\frac{1}{2}$ and S. W. $\frac{1}{4}$ 6, R. 16, and W. $\frac{1}{2}$ 5, R. 16, W. E. L. S.,	500 1,500	\$400 00 400 00
	Charles Stetson, George and Isaiah Stetson, Charles Stetson, George and Isaiah Stetson, Charles Stetson, George and Isaiah Stetson,	1-4 3-4 1-4 3-4 1-4 3-4	N. $\frac{1}{2}$ and S. W. $\frac{1}{4}$ 4, R. 9, N. W. P., N. W. $\frac{1}{4}$ 10, R. 14, W. E. L. S., W. $\frac{1}{2}$ 3, R. 8, W. E. L. S., and W. $\frac{1}{2}$ and N. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ 6, R. 6,	750 250 1,250	90 00 220 00 200 00
May 4,	Joseph Bradstreet,	-	Somerset county, miscellaneous funds derived from sale of land in Farmingdale,		350 00
June 26,	Drew & Mansur, George W. Smith,	- -	4, R. 17, and N. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ 5, R. 16, W. E. L. S., Collection stumpage, L, R. 2,	1,250 -	150 00 50 00
				3,500	\$1,860 00