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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

LAND AGENT

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

NOVEMBER 30, 1870.

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REPORT.

To the Governor and Council of Maine:

In compliance with the provisions of law, the Land Agent has the honor to submit this, his Annual Report, for the year ending November 30, 1870.

SALES OF LAND DURING THE YEAR.

By reference to the schedules marked A, B, C, D and E, it will be seen that there have been conveyed of the public lands, during the past year, under legislative acts and resolves, 1,250.65 acres; on the surrender of outstanding Land Certificates, 7,701.23 acres; under the Treaty of Washington, 4,246.14 acres, amounting in all to 13,198.02 acres, which have been conveyed by deed. There have also been contracted to settlers by Land Certificates, for road labor notes, amounting to \$5,405.88, 10,811.76 acres; and 3,400 acres have been contracted to be conveyed to Swedish immigrants, under the provisions of chapter 173 of the public laws of 1870.

In pursuance of the provisions of a resolve, entitled "resolve in favor of Maine Wesleyan Seminary and Female College," approved March 22, 1864, and a resolve entitled "resolve for the purpose of carrying into effect chapter three hundred and thirty of the resolves of one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, in in favor of the Maine Wesleyan Seminary and Female College," approved Feb. 5, 1870, and order of Council of April 8, 1870, notice has been published agreeably to the requirements of said resolve, that sealed proposals will be received at the Land Office until the twenty-sixth day of December next, for the purchase in eighth sections of the "timber and lumber" for the term of ten years from the twenty-first day of October, 1870, growing upon the north-west and south-east quarters of township number eight in the fourth range, west from the east line of the State, in

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the county of Aroostook. The south half of township number two, range four, west of Bingham's Kennebec Purchase, in the County of Franklin, has also been advertised to be sold at auction, at the Land Office in Bangor, on the twenty-eighth day of December, 1870, in pursuance of a resolve entitled "resolve making appropriation in aid of the Milford and Princeton Turnpike," approved February 15, 1866, and order of Council of August 31, 1870.

Pursuant to the provisions of a resolve authorizing and directing the Land Agent to sell for cash, "all lands, the fee of which remains in the State, lying in township number three range one, north of Bingham's Kennebec Purchase, in the county of Somerset," notice has been given that sealed proposals will be received, until the twenty-ninth day of December next, for the purchase of lot number one hundred and thirty-three, containing five hundred and eighty-two acres, being the only land in said township owned by the State.

SURVEYS OF THE PUBLIC LANDS DURING THE YEAR.

For the purpose of ascertaining the quantity and quality of the lands to be advertised and sold in compliance with the "resolve making appropriation in aid of the construction of the Milford and Princeton Turnpike," approved February 15, 1866, and order of Council of August 31, 1870, Charles V. Barker, Surveyor, was employed to run the exterior lines of township number three, range five, and the south half of township number two, range four, west of Bingham's Kennebec Purchase, in the county of Franklin; and for the purpose of carrying into effect, chapter 103 of the resolves of 1870, in favor of the Maine Wesleyan Seminary and Female College, the same surveyor was further employed to divide into eighth sections, the northwest and southeast quarters of township number eight, range four, west from the east line of the State, in the county of Aroostook, the field notes and plans of which have been duly returned to the Land Office.

The remainder of township number eighteen, range five, now comprising parts of the towns of Dickeyville and Madawaska, the fee of which is in the State, has, during the past summer, been surveyed into lots for settlement by Albert A. Burleigh, Esq., Surveyor. This tract, containing about ten thousand acres, was nearly all occupied by French settlers, which rendered the work

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of running the lines between their possessions, in such a manner as to preserve the rights of all, very laborious and perplexing. Mr. Burleigh was also employed to run and establish the new line between said towns of Dickeyville and Madawaska, and to locate roads in townships number five, range three, and eleven, range one, for the accommodation of settlers.

In order to protect the lands of the State, lying in the town of Mount Chase, in the county of Penobscot, from the depredations of trespassers, it was found necessary to renew such of the lot lines as had become obliterated, and for this purpose, Ivory B. Gerry, Esq., of Sherman, was employed as surveyor, to run and re-establish the lines and corner bounds of such lots as were thus exposed.

And to Hon. Noah Barker, as surveyor, was committed the work of laying out lots of one hundred acres each, for settlement, in townships number fourteen and fifteen, range three, west from the east line of the State, in the County of Aroostook, the last named township being known as "New Sweden," and the locating of such roads as should be found necessary to aid in carrying into effect an act, entitled "an act to promote immigration and to facilitate the settlement of the public lands," approved March 23, 1870.

LOCAL AGENTS.

Agreeably to section twenty-eight, chapter five, of the Revised statutes, the following persons, residing in the vicinity of lands set apart and designated for settlement, were appointed to "superintend the location of settlers, the payment of their road labor, and the performance of their several duties":

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Names.	Township.	Corporate Name.	P. O. Address.
George W. Haskell	11. R. 1	No. 11, R. 1 pl	Hodgdon.
Joel Valley			Alva.
			Easton.
Jonathan Honkinson.	D. R. 1	Fort Fairfield	Fort Fairfield.
		Fort Fairfield	Fort Fairfield.
William Small		Limestone & F. R. 1	Fort Fairfield.
		Presque Isle & Chapman pls.	
Joel Bean	G. R. 2.	Maysville	Maysville.
America Bartlett	I. R. 2	Part of Lyndon	Caribou.
Silas D. Reynolds	Eaton grant	Part of Lyndon	Caribou.
		Cyr pl & Van Buren pl	Van Buren.
		Glenwood pl	Glenwood.
Albert A. Burleigh	5. R. 3	Oakfield pl	North Linneus
		Mapleton pl	Presque Isle.
		Washburn	Washburn.
		Woodland pl	Caribou.
Jesse Craig	4. R. 4	Island Falls pl	Island Falls.
Franklin Ham	S. W. # 6. R. 4	Merrill pl	Smyrna Mills.
Allen M. Dudley	12. R. 4	Castle Hill pl	Presque Isle.
Enoch Reed	14. R. 4	Perham pl	Caribou.
		Silver Ridge	Sherman Mills
		Sherman	Sherman Mills
James Cunningham	4. R. 5	Crystal pl	
Ezekiel F. Bradford	6. R. 5	Moro pl.	Moro.
Rufus G. Kalloch	11. R. 5	Dalton	Aroostook.
Samuel L. Kimball	5. R. 6	Mount Chase	Patten.
E. H. Havden	9, R. 6	Ox-bow pl	Masardis.
Nathaniel Blake	13, R. 6	Portage Lake pl	Portage Lake.
Lindley H. Folsom	4 & 5, R. 13		Greenville.

Local Agents of Lands for Settlement.

EXPENDITURES ON ROADS AND BRIDGES.

The following expenditures have been made, during the past year, on roads and bridges, under resolves of the Legislature:

The sum of \$300, appropriated by the Legislature at its last session, to aid in building a bridge across the Meduxnekeag stream, in plantation number eleven, range one, and the sum of \$200, to aid in building a bridge over Beaver Dam brook, in Island Falls plantation, in the county of Aroostook, have been paid over, respectively, to the assessors of said plantations—said bridges having been built in a substantial manner, agreeably to the terms of said resolves.

The sum of \$200, appropriated by resolve, approved March 1, 1870, to aid in opening a road through parts of Island Falls and Crystal plantations to Sherman, has been expended under the superintendence of William Irish, Esq., of Sherman.

Upon the Castle Hill road, leading from Presque Isle to Dalton, in the County of Aroostook, the sum of \$489.86 has been expended under the superintendence of Allen M. Dudley, Esq. The whole amount appropriated by resolve of March 1, 1870, was \$500, thus leaving a balance of \$10.14 to be expended the ensuing year.

Charles T. Bussell, Esq., of Oakfield plantation, was appointed to superintend the expenditure of \$1,500, appropriated by resolve approved March 9, 1870, for constructing the State road leading through the southerly part of township number five, range three, west from the east line of the State. Under his superintendence, nearly all of this road has been turnpiked and completed in a most thorough and substantial manner.

By resolve, approved March 1, 1870, the sum of \$300 dollars was appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Land Agent, to aid in building a bridge over Fish stream, in Island Falls plantation, to be paid when said bridge is completed. This bridge is now in process of construction under the superintendence of Daniel Randall, Esq., of Island Falls plantation, and will probably be completed before the first day of January next.

The sum of \$600, appropriated by resolve approved March 10, 1870, to aid in opening a road from the north line of Limestone, through townships letters F, and G, range one, west from the east line of the State, as also the sum of \$22.20, the unexpended balance of last year, have been expended in opening said road, under the direction of Hon. William Small of Fort Fairfield.

By resolve approved March 10, 1869, the sum of \$1,200 was appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Land Agent, in building a bridge over Molunkus stream and repairing the Military road through township number two, range three, in the county of Aroostook, but on examination, it was found that the sum appropriated was insufficent for building a suitable bridge. A small portion of the appropriation was, therefore, expended in repairing the road and making some slight repairs on the old bridge, in order to make it safe for public travel until the meeting of the Legislature. The Legislature at its last session made an additional appropriation of \$600, but by an oversight the sum of \$1,200 appropriated the preceding year was not re-appropriated, and, in consequence of this omission, the bridge has not yet been built. On examining the old bridge in April last, it was found to be so much decayed as to be utterly unsafe for public Joseph Libbey, Esq., of Molunkus, was, therefore, travel. directed to expend upon it such a sum only as would be sufficient to make it safe until the necessary appropriation could be made for the construction of a new bridge. In making the repairs

necessary for this purpose, the sum of eighty dollars and fifty cents was expended.

By a resolve entitled "Resolve in aid of building a bridge over Aroostook river at Fort Fairfield," approved Feb. 23, 1866, the sum of \$2,500 was appropriated in aid of building a "good and substantial covered bridge, with substantial abutments sufficient to sustain a superstructure that shall compare favorably with the bridge erected at Maysville over the same river, provided, that before the money shall be drawn, the inhabitants of Fort Fairfield and vicinity shall have said bridge completed in all its parts to the acceptance of the Land Agent;" and, by a subsequent resolve, approved February 18, 1867, this resolve was so far modified as to allow the Land Agent to pay the sum of \$1,500 when all necessary abutments and piers required in the erection of said bridge, shall have been completed, and \$1,000 more upon the completion of the bridge; and said resolve was also further amended, so far as to allow the bridge to be built without requiring the same to be "covered" as specified in said resolve. The abutments and piers of this bridge were completed in a substantial and workmanlike manner in the year 1868; but owing to an omission to insert in the "general appropriation bill" the sum appropriated by the original resolve, the sum of \$1,500 was not paid until August, 1869. Since that time a good, substantial, covered bridge has been erected, under the superintendence of Hon. Isaac Hacker, and is a permanent structure-much better than the one erected across the same river at Maysville, and referred to in the resolve.

In addition to the \$2,500 appropriated by the State, about \$5,500 were expended in the construction of this bridge by the town of Fort Fairfield, making the entire cost of the bridge about \$8,000.

The bridge over the Aroostook river at the picturesque and thriving village of Caribou, in the town of Lyndon, has been completed; and although it is not a covered bridge, it is one of the most thoroughly built and nicely finished structures which span that river. The cost of this bridge is about \$6,400,-\$3,000 of which have been paid by the State. The want of this bridge has been much felt by the citizens of Lyndon, and those having occasion to travel from Caribou village and vicinity, to Tobique on the St. John river.

The appropriation made by resolve, approved February 23, 1869, to repair the bridge over the Aroostook river at Maysville, was expended in the latter part of that year, under the direction of Hon. Joel Bean, but his return of expenditures, was not received in season to be included in last year's account.

A good substantial bridge having been built the past season over Fish river, at the mills near its mouth, by the town of Fort Kent, the sum of \$300 appropriated by resolve approved March 3, 1868, and \$700 appropriated by resolve approved March 9, 1869, for the purpose of building said bridge, have been paid over to the selectmen of said town, pursuant to the provision of said resolve.

The appropriation of \$800, for the repair of the road leading across Indian township in the County of Washington, has been expended under the superintendence of Hon. Putnam Rolf, whose accounts have been settled. The public travel over this road, from Princeton to Lincoln, has very much increased since the completion of the European and North American Railway from Bangor to the latter place, and it is thought that an annual appropriation will be necessary to keep this road in suitable repair.

Of the sum of \$300, appropriated by resolve approved March 17, 1870, to be expended in repairing the bridge over the Mattawamkeag river, in the town of Mattawamkeag, the sum of \$148.12 has been expended, under the direction of Hon. Asa Smith, in repairing the small bridge, and graveling the approach at the easterly end of the main bridge. New stringers, resting on firm granite abutments, and new planking, and a good and substantial railing, have been furnished for the small bridge, and the work has been done in a faithful and satisfactory manner.

By resolve approved March 14, 1870, the sum of \$4,000 was appropriated, to be expended in repairing the road known as the "Canada road," from the north line of Moscow to the boundary line, a distance of about sixty miles. After an examination of this road, made by Hon. Thomas S. Lang, under instructions from this department, it was deemed advisable, owing to the great length of the road, to divide it into three sections, in order that the work of repairing, on different portions of the road, might be done at the same time, and in proper season, and while progressing, be properly inspected. On the first section, extending from the north line of Moscow to "The Forks," was apportioned the sum of \$2,000, which was expended under the direction of Omah Clark, Esq., of Carratunk. On the second section, extending from "The Forks" to the north line of Bingham's Purchase, the

sum of \$1,200 was apportioned, which was expended under the direction of Jonas H. Colby, Esq.; and on the third section, extending from the North line of Bingham's Purchase to the Canada line, the sum of \$800 was expended, under the superintendence of Otis Holden, Esq., of Moose River. From reliable information received at this office, it is believed that the appropriation has been faithfully and judiciously expended.

The Legislature, at its last session, appropriated \$500 in aid of repairing the county road through the town of Moscow, in the county of Somerset, to be expended under the direction of the Land Agent, provided said town should expend a like sum on said road; and satisfactory evidence having been furnished that said sum had been faithfully expended on said road, agreeably to the terms of said resolve, the sum appropriated as aforesaid, was subsequently expended, under the direction of John Carney, Esq., of Moscow.

It is believed that the appropriations made by the last Legislature, for the building and repairing of roads and bridges, have been faithfully expended. The work was generally done early in the season. The summer was unusually dry, and the roads, upon which repairs have been made, have been improved much more than they would have been in a less favorable season.

LANDS RESERVED FOR PUBLIC USES.

By resolve approved March 5, 1870, the Land Agent was authorized to exchange public lots number eighty-one and eightythree, in township number six, range five, Aroostook county, "for other lands of equal value in said township, allowing said public lots to revert to the State for settling purposes." Upon an examination of the lands in said township, it was found that there were only two vacant lots the fee of which was in the State, with the exception of three lots number fifty-seven, sixty and sixtyone, which had been designated and set apart under the provisions of a resolve entitled "resolve directing the Land Agent to designate and set apart certain lots of land in aid of mills in Moro plantation, in the county of Aroostook," approved February 26, 1870, and that those two lots were not of sufficient value to be exchanged for the lots named in the resolve. It was, therefore, found to be impracticable to make the exchange contemplated by the resolve.

Under the authority of a resolve entitled "resolve authorizing the Land Agent to change the location of public lots in plantation

number eleven, range one, Aroostook county, approved February 26, 1870, lots number eleven, A twelve, twelve, and twenty-five, Burleigh's survey, have been exchanged for public lots number twenty-three and twenty-four, in said plantation.

The necessary legal steps have been taken to have the reserved lands in the following described townships located, agreeably to the provisions of chapter five of the Revised statutes, viz: township numbered eighteen, in the third range, now town of Grant Isle; that part of townships number eighteen in the fourth and fifth ranges, now town of Madawaska; that part of townships number eighteen, in the fourth, fifth and sixth ranges, which now constitute the town of Dickeyville; township number eighteen, range seven, and part of township number eighteen, range six, now town of Fort Kent; township number seventeen, range eight, now St. John plantation; and township number seventeen, range nine, now St. Francis plantation. All of said towns are in ranges west from the east line of the State, in the county of Aroostook.

LANDS HELD IN COMMON WITH OTHERS.

Under "resolve authorizing the Land Agent to obtain proposals for the purchase of certain lands, or cause partition thereof," passed March 17, 1870, the Land Agent is happy to report that the European and North American Railway Company have honorably proposed to relinquish any claim which they may have to the settlers' lots in township number thirteen, in range four, being one of the towns specified in said resolve, so that the settlers may be quieted in their possessions. This being done, there is nothing in the way of the State giving the settlers in question, a good title to their lots, according to the terms of their certificates.

In respect to townships number seventeen and eighteen, in range seven, specified in said resolve, being unable to obtain satisfactory proposals from the co-tenants for the conveyance of their portion of the lands held in common, proceedings have been instituted in the name of the State for partition of the lands, in accordance with the directions of the resolve. The case is still pending in the Supreme Judicial Court for the county of Aroostook.

SCANDINAVIAN IMMIGRATION.

In accordance with the "Act to promote immigration, and to facilitate the settlement of the public lands," approved March 23, 1870, township number fifteen, in the third range, in the county of Aroostook, was assigned for the location of the expected Colony, by the Board of Immigration, and with the concurrence of the Governor and Council. As soon as favorable information was received respecting the success of the enterprise, Hon. Noah Barker was selected as surveyor, to run out and locate lots and roads on the township, for the expected settlers, and his return was duly made to the Land Office. The township was an unbroken forest, with not an inhabitant or road upon it, but of rich soil, and being well watered, seemed to be peculiarly proper for the purpose to which it was appropriated. In order in some degree to make ready for the immigrants, the trees on five acres of each lot. to the number of twenty-six lots in all, were felled, and a comfortable log house erected on each, and furnished with a cook-stove and some other small articles, all under the supervision of the Land Agent, but by the authority of the Governor and Council.

The Colony arrived by way of Halifax and St. John, on the twenty-third day of July last, consisting of fifty individuals. Subsequent arrivals have increased the number to one hundred and two, who have gone to work with a will to clear their lands, and make other improvements upon them. The name of "New Sweden" has been adopted for the township, and certificates have been issued to the several immigrants, under the hand and seal of the Land Agent, but in the name of the State, assuring each a good title to his lot, in accordance with the terms of the act.

As the Board of Immigration have been particularly charged with the work of superintending the enterprise, a particular reference is here made to their Report.

Assistants in the Land Office.

Hon. Noah Barker was employed as assistant, from the commencement of the year until the thirteenth day of June, when he left for the purpose of making surveys in townships numbers fourteen and fifteen, range three; and Edwin C. Burleigh, Esq., was employed as an assistant from the fourth day of May to the close of the year.

The Land Agent was absent from the office, from the thirteenth day of June to the twelfth day of August, and from the ninth day of September to the first day of October, inclusive, attending to duties connected with the Maine Swedish Colony, under general instructions from the Governor and Council. These duties, in con-

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nection with the persevering and very successful efforts of the Commissioner of Immigration, deemed absolutely necessary to the success of the Colony, have thrown much additional care, responsibility and labor upon the office during the past year.

FINANCIAL.

The amount of cash paid into the treasury during the past year, is fourteen thousand three hundred ten dollars and twenty-seven cents, as follows:

On per	manent school f	und	-	-	-	\$12,801.34
" ger	neral account	-	-	-	-	1,508.93
	-					\$14,310.27

A large proportion of the logs cut the past season on the Penobscot and Mattawamkeag waters, could not be driven to market for want of water, so very severe was the drought; and as the stumpage of a large proportion of the timber cut on the public lands of the State, is not payable until the timber is brought to the booms, the amount paid into the treasury is something less than was anticipated.

The receipts and disbursements of cash may be seen by reference to the accounts and trial balance annexed to this Report.

PARKER P. BURLEIGH, Land Agent.

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DR. STATE OF MAINE in account current with PARKER P. BURLEIGH, Land Agent, for the year ending November 30, 1870.

To cash paid on account of incidental expenses-schedule	APEE 11	
No. 1	\$755 41	
cash paid on account of lands opened for settlement-	010.00	
schedule No. 2	849 83	
cash paid for office rent-schedule No. 3	300 00	
cash paid for postage-schedule No. 4	$123 \ 32$	
cash paid for protecting the public lands and surveying		
logs and timber-schedule No. 5	1,958 06	
5		\$3,986 62
To cash expended in the construction of bridges and repair-		
ing roads and bridges in the counties of Aroostook,	•	
Penobscot, Washington, Somerset and Piscataquis:	1	
Bridge over Meduxnekeag stream in township No. 11,		
R. 1	300 00	
Bridge over Beaver Dam brook in Islaud Falls pl	200 00	
Bridge over Molunkus stream	85 50	
Bridge over Mattawamkeag river	148 12	
Road through parts of Crystal and Island Falls planta-	110 12	
tion to Sherman	200 00	
Road from Presque Isle to Ashland	489 86	
	1,580 54	
Road through township No. 5, R. 3	800 00	
Road across Indian township	622 20	
Road through townships F and G, R. 1	100 00	
Road from Monson to Greenville (in Shirley)		
Road through town of Moscow	500 00	
Canada road	4,000 00	
Roads in township No. 11, R. 1	38 15	
Bridge over Fish river	1,000 00	
Bridge over Aroostook river at Maysville	300 00	
Bridge over Aroostook river at Caribou Village-sched-		
ule No. 6	1,500 00	
		11,864 37
To cash paid for miscellaneous services and items for roads		
and bridges-schedule No. 7	160 87	
cash paid for surveying lands-schedule No. 8	3,944 49	
cash paid on account of reserved lots-schedule No. 9	154 14	
cash paid on account of timber claims-schedule No. 10.	127 98	
		4,387 48
To cash paid into State Treasury as follows, viz. for		.,
Permanent School Fund	12,801 34	
General account—schedule No. 11	1,508 93	
	2,000 00	14,310 27

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To sundry balances, viz:		-
L. B. Ricker	\$230 00	
I. R. Clark	500 06	
State of Massachusetts	2,370 24	
E. Woodbury.	122 51	
	45 00	
S. Robinson R. S. Locke	34 62	
	50 00	
I. Wilder		
Romeo Michaud	25 00	
F. Penett	150 00	
M. L. Durgin	$198 \ 17$	
L. Gowen	186 33	
Edward W. Hinds	285 53	
		\$4,197 40
To securities, funds, &c.:		
Executions	1,377 12	
Road Fund, No. 2, O. I. P	189 19	
Bonds	18.056 86	
Road Fund, Masardis	142 00	
Unavailable Debts	14,553 36	
Demands with Attorneys	4,252 50	
Road Labor Fund.	12,554 82	
Accounts for review	1,234 01	
Springfield Road Fund	70 00	
Road Labor Fund, Sherman	$298 \ 76$	
		52,728 62
To cash securities, viz:		
Notes	8,339 52	
School Fund	4,141 00	
Cash balance	472 07	
		12,951 59
•		¢104 497 25
		\$104,427 35

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By securities in the Land Office, December 1, 1869, viz:		
Executions	\$1.377 12	
Road Fund, No. 2, O. I. P	189 19	
Bonds		
Road Fund, Masardis		
Unavailable Debts	14,553 36	
Demands with Attorneys		
Road Labor Fund	12,554 82	
Accounts for review		
Springfield Road Fund		
Road Labor Fund, Sherman	88 11	
,		\$52,517 97
By sundry balances, viz:		*,
L. B. Ricker	230 00	
I. R. Clark		
State of Massachusetts		
E. Woodbury		
S. Robinson	45 00	
Luther Gowen	186 33	
R. S. Locke	34 62	
Isaac Wilder		
Romeo Michaud	25 00	
M. L. Durgin		
Francis Penett.	150 00	
Edward W. Hinds	285 52	
	200 0,2	4,197 4(

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CR. STATE OF MAINE, in account with PARKER P. BURLEIGH, (Con.)

By cash securities, viz: Notes School Fund.	\$11,016 86 15,560 82	26,577 68
By cash received during the year, from miscellaneous sources, viz: At the State Treasury for Warrants Interest on Notes Stumpage of logs and other lumber Cash balance	8,500 00 2,242 13 9,691 91 700 26	20,011 00
		21,134 30
		\$104,427 35

Receipts of Cash from all sources during the year ending November 30, 1870.

By Cash received for the Permanent School Fund	\$16,085 58	
Cash received Interest on Permanent School Fund	1.381 52	
Cash received on Bills Receivable	2,677 34	
Cash received Interest on Bills Receivable	860 61	
Cash received for Timber Stumpage	9,691 91	
Cash received at the State Treasury on appropriations		
for Roads and Bridges	8,500 00	
-		\$39,196 96
Cash balance		700 26
		\$39,897 22

Disbursements of Cash during the year ending November 30, 1870.

To Cash balance from last year	\$472 07	
Cash paid for Postage	123 32	
Cash paid for Office Rent	300 00	
	849 83	
Cash paid on account of Settling Lands		
Cash paid for Surveying Lands	3,944 49	
Cash paid for Incidental Charges	755 41	
Cash paid for Protecting Public Lands, and Surveying	1 050 04	
Logs and Timber	1,958 06	
Cash paid on account of Reserved Lots	154 14	
Cash paid on account of Timber Claims	127 98	
Cash expended on Bridge over Meduxnekeag Stream, in		
Township No. 11, R. 1	300 00	
Cash expended on Bridge over Beaver Dam Brook, in		
Island Falls Plantation	200 00	
Cash expended on Bridge over Molunkus Stream	85 50	
Cash expended on Bridge over Mattawamkeag River	148 12	
Cash expended on Road through parts of Crystal and	·	
Island Falls Plantation to Sherman	200 00	
Cash expended on Road from Presque Isle to Ashland	489 86	
Cash expended on Road through Township 5, R. 3	1,580 54	
Cash expended on Road across Indian Township	800 00	
Cash expended on Roads through Townships F. and G, R,1	622 20	
Cash expended on Road through Monson and Greenville,	100 00	
Cash expended on Road through town of Moscow	500 00	
Cash expended on Canada Road	4,000 00	
Cash expended on Road in Township No. 11, R. 1	38 15	
Cash expended on Bridge over Fish River	1,000 00	
Cash expended on Bridge over Aroostook River at Mays-	1,000 00	
ville	300 00	
Cash expended on Bridge over Aroostook River at Caribou	1,500 00	
Cash expended for miscellaneous services on Roads and	1,000 00	
	160 87	
Bridges Cash paid Sherman Road Fund	210 65	
Cash transferred to School Fund		
Cash transferred to Bonoor Fund	4,665 76	
To Cash paid into the State Treasury on falls-		\$25,586 95
To Cash paid into the State Treasury, as follows: Permanent School Fund	10 001 04	
	12,801 34	
General Account	1,508 93	14 010 05
		14,310 27
	ŀ	\$39,897 22

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Folio.	Accounts.	Debit Footings.	Credit Footings.	Debit Balances.	Credit Balances	
	Expositions	@1 977 19		@1 975 10		
	Executions	\$1,377 12		\$1,377 12		
	Road Fund, No. 2, O. I. P	189 19		189 19		
	Bonds I. R. Clark	18,056 86		18,056 86		
	State of Massachusetts	500 00		500 00		
		2,370 24		2,370 24		
00	Road Fund, Masardis			142 00		
1.95	Fish River bridge Roads and bridges in township No.	1,000 00	••••	1,000 00		
3.	11, R. 1	338 15		338 15		
197	S. Robinson.	45 00		45 00		
154	Unavailable debts			14,553 36		
	R. S. Locke	34 62		34 62		
	Timber claims	12798		127 98		
	Bridge over Beaver Dam brook			200 00		
	County road through town of Moscow.			500 00		
	Demands with attorneys			4,252 50		
	Road Labor Fund	12,554 82		12,554 82		
	Accounts for review			1,234 01		
	Aroostook bridge at Maysville			300 00		
	Isaac Wilder			50 00		
	Road from Crystal to Island Falls			200 00		
	Road through township No. 5, R. 3.			1,580 54		
	Road through Indian township			800 00		
	Road through Letters F and G, R. 1.	600 00		600 00		
	Springfield road fund		••••	70 00		
	Reserved lands		••••	154 14		
	Romeo Michaud		••••	154 14 25 00		
	Bridge over Molunkus stream	85 50		$\frac{25}{85}$ 50		
	M. L. Durgin			198 17		
	Mattawamkeag bridge	148 12	••••	130 11 148 12		
	Appropriations				\$8,500	00
	Road from Monson to Greenville (in	•••••	\$0,500 00	••••	φ0,000	00
401	Shirley)	100 00		100 00		
235	Postage	123 32		123 32		
	Balance		83,293 05		82,820	98
	Road labor fund, Sherman			$298 \ 76$	02,020	00
249	Canada road			4,000 00		
251	Road from Limestone to Violette	.,.				
	brook	22 20		22 20		
262	Roads and bridges			160 87		
264	L. B. Ricker	230 00		230 00		
264	Francis Penett			150 00		
	Luther Gowen	186 33		186 33		
266	State Treasury	14,310 27	<i>.</i>	14,310 27		
	Office rent	300 00		300 00		
268	Bridge over Aroostook river at Cari-					
	bou village	1,500 00		1,500 00	-	
	Charges	763 41		763 41		
	Timber lands			2,462 48		
	School Fund	33,027 92	28,886 92	4,141 00		
2 76	Road from Presque Isle, via Ball's					
	Mills, to Ashland			489 86		
282	Edward W. Hinds			285 53		
	Eben Woodbury	122 51		$122\ 51$		
286	Notes	11,016 86		8,339 52		
287	Timber	288 81		· • • • • • • • • • •	9,403	10
288	Settling lands			838 83		
	Surveys of land			3,154 26		
	Cash	39,196 96			700	
2 96	Interest				2,242	13
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		175,188 57	175,188 57	103,666 47	103,666	47
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Trial Balance November 30, 1870.

Schedule	А.
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Lands conveyed under Acts and Resolves of the Legislature for the year ending November 30, 1870.

Date.	Grantees.	Residence.	No. of Lot.	Township.	Acres.	~	Rem	arks.		
Mar. 22, " 23, " 24, Apr. 13, Aug. 22, " 25, " " Sept. 7,	Henry E. Prentiss, Same, Bachelor H. Huston,	Lyndon, Washburn, Eagle Lake pl., Washburn, Eau Claire, Wis. Limestone, Bangor, do Mount Chase, Sherman,	62, 27, 13, 63, 19, E. part 57, 12, 46, 60, 114,	I, R. 2, 13, R. 3, 16, R. 7, 13, R. 3, C, R. 1, E, R. 1, 3, Ind. Pur. do 5, R. 6, 3, R. 5,	$131.44 \\ 154.18 \\ 94.00 \\ 110.79 \\ 124.63 \\ 39.61 \\ 200.00 \\ 200.00 \\ 100.00 \\ 96.00 \\ 1,250.65 \\$	do do do do do do do do do do	6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6	Feb. Feb. Feb. Mar. Mar. Mar.	5, 28, 28, 23, 5, 16, 16, 26,	1869. 1868. 1870. 1870. 1866. 1861. 1836. 1836. 1870. 1870.

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Date	э.	Grantees.	Residence.	No. of Lot.	Township.	Acres.		Remarks.
1870).		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·					
Feb.		William H. Besse,	Albion,	98,	11, R. 5,	126.90	U. D.	Assignee A. T. Kalloch
May			Oakfield pl.,	13,	5, R. 3,	185.81		" Jas. Timoney
"	"	Albert G. Bussell,	do	91,	do	150.15	do	v
"	"		do	80,	do	164.69	do	
"		Alonzo E. Ricker,	do	81,	do	157.22	do	As'nee S. K. Burleigh
""	"	Isaac Chambers,	do	82,	do	101.10	do	Part of lot.
"	"	william U. Heisey,	do	66,	do	194.58	do	
"	"	John S. Briggs,	do	18,	do	182.32	do	
"	"	Hartley Grant,	do	143,	do	171.33	do	
"			Lincoln,	5,	do	165.14	do	As'nee, Jas. Anderson.
"	9,	Henry C. Taylor,	Oakfield pl.,	E. ¹ / ₃ of 135,	do	71.80	do	"Swamp lot."
"	"	John McGarry,	do	35,	do	132.32	do	-
"	"	Orlando B. Fox,	do	116,	do	-117.35	do	
"	"	Thomas Burley,	do	139,	do	151.00	do	Devisee of Benj. Burley
June	10,	Ezra McLaughlin,	Mapleton pl.,	77,	12, R. 3,	160.00	do	•
Aug.	29	A. and N. Bartlett,	Lyndon,	14,	I, R. 2,	170.23	do	"Swamp lot."
Sept.	2	Dennis D. D. Fairbanks	Mapleton pl.,	$N_{1} = \frac{1}{2} \sec 95$,	12, R. 3,	200.00	do	
u T		Robert Whitaker,	Presque Isle,	sec. 96, M. Div.	F. R. 2,	157.40	do	
"	"	Philip Klippel,	Fort Fairfield,		E. ¹ / ₂ Pl'th Gt	158.57	do	As'nee R. C. Johnson.
"	5,	John Russell, Jr.,	do	58,	_ do	156.20	do	As'nee George Clark.
"			Sherman,	8, 9 and 10,	3, R. 5,	308.65	do	J. T. Berry et. als.
Oct.			Crystal pl.,	sec. 17, SW. 4,		164.50		Austin Poor.

Schedule B.		
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Lands conveyed by Deed, on the surrender of outstanding Certificates, during the year ending November 30, 1870.

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Date	e. Grantees.	Residence.	No. of Lot.	Township.	Acres.		Remarks.
187	0					_	-
Oct.	6, Edward Duplesse,	Cyr pl.,	21, 'old survey,'	L, R. 2,	91.97	U. D.	
"	11, Charles B. Irish,	Sherman,	E. $\frac{1}{2}$ 83.	3, R. 5,	96.50		As'gnee Benj. King, Jr.
"	14, Elias H. Hayden,	Oxbow pl.,	12,	9, R. 6,	140.10		
44	17, Hiram Hines,	Mapleton pl.,	54,	12, R. 3,	150.00		As'gnee Wm. J. Wilcox.
66	18, William Sprague,	Oakfield pl.,	121,	5, R. 3,	120.20		" Thos. Burleigh.
"	19, Joseph O. Hall,	Mount Chase,	81,	5, R. 6,	156.00		" Harrison Hall.
66	19, James D. Russell,	do	45,	do	160.00		
**	20, George W. Patten,	Limestone,	153,	E, R. 1,	175.48		As'gnee D.O. Edgecomb.
"	25, John C. Whittier,	Lyndon,	32,	H, R. 2,	158.00		
"	31, James Maddocks,	Glenwood pl.,		S. $\frac{1}{2}$ 2, R. 3,	99.50		
Nov.	2, Milton Shorey,	Limestone,	W. ½ 116,	Ĕ, R. 1,	81.68	1	
44	2, Josiah Ward,	do	110,	do	163.64		
"	5, James Sullivan,	Oakfield pl.,	134,	5, R. 3,	214.57		
"	9, Lindley H. Folsom,		section 8, No. 2,		113.23		
"	11, William Gerrish,	Oakfield pl.,	E. $\frac{1}{2}$ of 122,	5, R. 3,	60.07		
**	12, Samuel J. Barnes,	Fort Fairfield,	9,	E. ¹ / ₂ Pl'th Gt	143.51		
"	12, Samuel Barnes,	do	17,	do	157.54		
"	12, Malry Kearney,	do	2,	do	143.60	1	
"		Island Falls pl.,		4, R. 4,	80.00		"Swamp lot."
"	14, Levi H. May,	do	18,	do	124.00		As'gnee E. T. Robinson.
"	16, Francis Burnyea,	Letter F, R. 1,	38,	F, R. 1,	62.14		5
"	17, Joseph E. Spear,	Limestone,	138,	E, R. 1,	157.04		
"		Crystal pl.,	W. $\frac{1}{2}$ 32,	4, R. 5,	81.56	•	

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Nov.	25, Hiram Hayden,	Island Falls pl.,	37,	4, R. 4,	160.00	do.	As'gnee Alfred Moore.
"	26, Phineas Brown,	Maysville,	5, sec. 33, 4, s. 34	G, R. 2,	173.11	do	" Aaron M. York.
"	26, Charles H. Bean,	Mapleton pl.,	62,	12, R. 3,	160.00	do	" Chas. H. Tarr.
"	26, Henry W. Braley,	do	106,	do	145.22	do	
" "	28, John T. Pomroy,	Maysville,	8, sec. 24, and				
			10, sec. 18,	G, R. 2,	109.16	do	
"	28, Veranus Chandler,	do ·	8, section 6,	do	190.45	do	
"	29, George McLaughlin,	Limestone,	129,	E, R. 1,	122.07	do	
" "	30, Hosea Webster,	do	124,	do	163.63	do	
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		Lands conveyed u	inder	the Tree	uty of Washington, fo	r the year ending 1	Vovember 3	0, 1870.
Date.		Grantee	s.	${f Township}.$		No. of Lot.	Acres.	Remarks.
187 Feb. "	2, 5, 8, 11, 15,	Samuel W. Collins, Henry Rolf, Israel West, Thomas W. Rafford, Octave Cormier, Moses Thibodeau,			H, R. 2, G, R. 2, 11, R. 5, do G, R. 1, do	3, 4, section 21, E. part 61, W. part 61, 339, River L, 344,	$\begin{array}{c c} & 157.67 \\ (164.00) \\ 96.00 \\ 114.48 \\ 63.58 \\ 96.18 \end{array}$	Gardiner's survey, Q. D. do U. D.
<pre> </pre>	16, 16, 16, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10	Oliver Lepointe, Isaac Michaud, Julien Levasseur, Jeremiah Dubé, Abraham Dubé, Francis X. St. Germ Joseph Lizotte, Vital Morin,	- - - ain, -		do do do do M, R. 2, L and M, R. 2, do	do 350, do 352, do 353, do 354, do 355, Rear L, 1, do 5, do 5,	$\begin{array}{ c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c$	do U. D., N. W. pt. do do S. half. do do do S. E. half. do N. W. half.
4. Apr. 	4, 4, 4, 5,	Remi Dumond, Francis Madore, Xavier Ouillette, Anna Sterling et al., Silas Ireland, Jr., Job Churchill, David Collins, Charles Munn,		-	do L, R. 2, do F, R. 2, do 12, R. 3, I, R. 2, 12, R. 3,	$\begin{array}{cccccccc} do & 7, \\ do & 9, \\ do & 12, \\ 54, \\ 50, \\ 16, \\ 77, \\ 11, \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c c} 100.37\\ 40.18\\ 65.58\\ 158.62\\ 159.46\\ 164.65\\ 123.25\\ 161.76\\ \end{array}$	

SCHEDULE C. Lands conveyed under the Treaty of Washington, for the year ending November 30, 1870.

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Apr.	5, Peter Haynes,	-	-	do	13,	158.12	do
â	"Joshua Christie,	-	-	do	14.	157.36	Q. D.
"	" Peter D. Bull,	-	-	do	18 and part 17,)		do Part Island.
"	" Chipman Bull,	-	-	do	Part of 17,	225.87	do
* "	" William Bull.	-	-	do	N. $\frac{1}{2}$ 29,	79.50	U. D.
- "	" John S. Beckwith,	-	-	do	S. ¹ / ₂ 29,	79.50	do
"	12, Robert Boody,	-	-	8, R. 5,	32 and 34		D., pt. sec. 10, 16.
"	" Levi L. Powers,	-	-	9, R. 5,	His homestead,		do
"	" John McDougal,	-	-	do	do		do
"	" Thomas McGlaughlin		-	do	ďo		do
"	" James McCormick,	-	-	12, R. 6,	$S, \frac{1}{2}, 1, 3$		do
"	" George Pisheon,	-	· _	do	$\begin{array}{c} S. \frac{1}{2} 1, \\ N. \frac{1}{2} 1, \end{array}$	168 54	đo
"	" Roswell Knowlen,	_	-	do	2, 2, 3		do
"	" John Madden,	-	_	do	-, 3,		do
"	" J. G. Mosher,	-	-	do	<i>4</i> ,		do
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Dat	æ.	Purchasers.	Residence.	No. of Lot.	Township.	Acres.	Amount.	Rema	rks.
187	0.								
		John Wilson,	Washburn,	61,	13, R. 3,	135.90	\$67 95	L. C.	
"		Richard McDonald,	do	6, section 2,	do	160.95		do	
May	4.	Joseph W. Gross,	Orland,	9, R. 1,	E. 1 2, R. 3,	175.49	87 75	do	
"	5,	John Bell,	Oakfield pl.,	109,	5, R. 3,	92.31	46 16	do	
"		George W. Crandall,	do	53,	do	106.60		do	
"		Samuel White,	do	45,	do	127.45	$63 \ 72$	do	
"		George Reinard,	do	46,	do	134.37	$67 \ 18$	do	
"		Wesley G. Daggett,	do	141,	do	160.96	$80 \ 49$	do	
"	7.	Edward W. Adams,	do	W. ½ 135,	do	71.80		do	
"	"	John Woodworth,	do	136,	do	187.94	$93 \ 97$	do	
		William Gerrish,	do	E. 122,	do	60.07	30 03	do	
"		Henry C. Taylor,	do	E. 🖥 135,	do	71.80	35 91	do	Res.
"		George Crosby,	do	20,	do ,	164.86	82 44	do	
"	"	William B. Foss,	do	55,	do	151.13	75 57	do	
"	9.	Thomas Burton,	Linneus,	52,	do	124.67	$62\ \ 34$	do	
٠.		Orlando B. Fox,	Oakfield pl.,	116,	do	117.35	58 68	do	
"	31,	W. H. Higgins,	Mapleton pl.,	3,	11, R. 3,	173.97	87 00	do	`
"	"	Edwin A. Smith,	do	11,	do	158.58	$79 \ 29$	\mathbf{do}	
"	"		Milo,	12,	do	154.35	77 16	do	
"			Presque Isle,	112,	do	182.87	91 44	do	
"		Sylvanus S. Rich'dson,		120,	do	185.01	$92 \ 49$	do	
"			do	128,	do	185.35	$92 \ 67$	do	

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Schedule D.	
Lands contracted for Settlement and Road Labor, for the year ending November 30, 1870.	

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Mav	31, Cyrus S. Fields,	Maysville,	96,	do	178.38	89 19	do
June	9, Bude Mikkelsen,	Norway, Europe		4, R. 4,	240.00	120 00	do
" "	"Jan Andersen,	do	59,	do	170.00	85 00	do
" "	" Jacob H. Manwell,	Island Falls pl.,		do	80.00	40 00	do
**	" John D. Perkins,	do	127,	do	160.00	80 00	do
Aug.	20, Jesse Murphy,	Chesuncook,	2, section 4,	4, R. 13,	112.65	56 31	do
"	27, Herbert S. Blaisdell,	Fort Fairfield,	46,	$E_{\frac{1}{2}}$ Pl'th, $\hat{R}_{\frac{1}{2}}$ 1		. 87 00	do
" "	"Joseph Lizotte,	Lyndon,	69,	I, R. 2,	165.17	82 59	do
·	" Joseph Nadeau,	do	71,	do	145.43	$72 \ 72$	do
"	" Louis Violette,	do	72,	do	167.22	83 61	do
"	" Alexander Walton,	do	89,	do	162.05	81 03	do
"	" William H. Hamilton,	do	93,	do	175.40	87 69	do
" "	" William W. Walton,	do	95,	do	139.49	69 75	do
"	" John Sands,	do	109,	do	160.53	$80 \ 26$	do
Sept.	2, Oliver Smith,	Presque Isle,	section 99, M. D.	F, R. 2,	171.00	85 50	do
"	" Albert H. Cary,	đo	section 99, N. D,	do	-• 171.00	85 50	do
"	" Samuel W. Watt,	do	section 96, S. D,	do	157.40	78 69	do
"	" Joseph B. Condon,	Chapman pl.,	110,	12, R. 3,	148.00	74 01	do
"	" Henry Goodhue,	Mapleton pl.,	32,	do	112.50	$56 \ 25$	do
	3, Thomas A. Brewer,	do	9,	11, R. 3,	130.00	65 00	do
• • •	5, Warren Brawn,	Glenwood pl.,	9,	S. ¹ / ₂ 2, R. 3,	99.60	49 80	do
"	" George H. Brawn,	do	10,	do	99.50	49 75	do
"	" Henry Mathews,	Silver Ridge pl.	1, R. 1.	E. <u>1</u> 2, R. 5,	176.81	88 41	do
" .	" James Cochrane,	Lyndon,	22,	14, R. 3,	158.84	79 42	do
"	" George H. Akerley,	Maysville,	sec. 27, part 1,	G, R. 2,	71.00	35 50	do
"	6, Asa B. Edgerley,	Silver Ridge pl.	4, R. 2,	E. ¹ / ₂ 2, R. 5,	172.00	86 00	do
"	6, Aaron W. Edgerley,	Kenduskeag,	5, R. 2,	do	177.91	88 95	do
"	8, Otho Welts,	Castle Hill pl.	25,	12, R. 4,	148.07	74 04	do
Oct.	6, Bart B. Potter,	Crystal pl.,	sec. 39, N. E. ¹ / ₄ ,	4, R. 5,	166.37	83 18	do

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Date.	Purchasers.	Residence.	No. of Lot.	Township.	Acres.	Amount.	Remarks.
1870.							
Oct. 6,	James T. Daggett,	Crystal pl.,	sec. 36, S. W. 1,	4, R. 5,	167.74		L. C.
" 11,	George Chamberlain,	Sherman,	103,	3, R. 5,	155.00		do
" 15,	Xavier Ouillette,	Cyr pl.,	86,	L, R. 2,	123.23		do
	Alexander Pelletier,	Van Buren pl.,	66,	M, R. 2,	157.10		do
	Hosea Webster,	Limestone,	W. ½ 109,	E, R. 1,	82.00	41 00	do Res.
	William H. Holmes,	Wade pl.,	1,	11, R, 3,	137.05		do
	Holmes Condon,	Chapman pl.,	7,	do	197.43	98 71	do
	John Tucker,	Moro pl.,	43,	6, R. 5,	172.80		do
	David Brawn,	do	16,	do	170.34	85 17	do
	Reuben B. Chase,	Limestone,	W. $\frac{1}{2}$ 80,	E, R. 1,	75.58		do Res.
	Charles Stetson,	do	E. 1/2 80,	do	75.58	37 80	do Res.
	Martin Emerson,	Island Falls pl.,	W. 1 97,	4, R. 4,	80.00		do Res.
** **	W. D. Warren,	do	E. ½ 97,	do	80.00		do Res.
" "	Charles Morgridge,	do	E. $\frac{1}{2}$ 54,	do	80.00		do Res.
" 16,	John Lebrec,	Letter F, R. 1,	6 8,	F, R. 1,	75.87	37 92	do
<i>u u</i>	Cyril Berabe,	do	124,	do	140.38	$70 \ 19$	do
" "	Joseph Lavois,	do	126,	do	156.40	78 21	do
	Peter Ouillette,	do	123,	do	113.90	$56 \ 94$	do
	John Durett,	do	36,	do	81.82		do
	Victor Berabe,	do ·	41,	do	74.67	$37 \ 32$	do
	Henry Theriault,	do	23,	do	64.19	$32 \ 10$	do
	Sylvester Ouillette,	Limestone,	122,	E, R. 1,	167.85	83 91	do
	Zadoc Forbes,	Lyndon,	133,	do	161.23		do

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Nov. 23, Barnabas C. Perry, Island Falls pl.,	113,	4, R. 4,	160.00	80 00	do
" 30, Stephen Wing, Stetson,	10, R. 1,	E. 1/2 2, R. 5,	172.30	86 15	do
" " James Roaix, No. 11, R. 1, pl.	Å 11,	11, R. 1,	100.10	50 05	do
" " Henry W. Lyons, do	A 38,	do	115.10	57 55	
			10,811.76	\$5,405 88	

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SCHEDULE E.

Lands contracted to the first Colony of Swedish Immigrants under the provisions of an act entitled "An Act to promote Immigration and to facilitate the Settlement of the Public Lands," approved March 23, 1870.

Date.	Contractors.	Township.	No. of Lot.	Acres.	Remarks.	
1870.						
July 23,	Wilhelm Hard	No. 15, R. 3	95,	100.00	N. Barker's	s survey.
"	Pehr J. Jacobsson	do	96,	100.00	do	do
"	Eric Ericsson		$96\frac{1}{2}$,	100.00	do	do
"	Nils P. Jansson	do	97,	100.00	do	do
<i>" "</i>	John Borgeson	do	99,	100.00	do	do
"	Carl Voss	do	$111\frac{1}{2}$,	100.00	do	do
44	Pehr O. Julen	do	113,	100.00	do	do
" "	Gottlieb T. Pilts.	do	114,	100.00	do	do
" "	Oscar G. W. Lindberg	do	$114\frac{1}{2}$,	100.00	do	do
"	Nils Olsson	do	115,	100.00	do	do
"	Jons Persson	do	116,	100.00	do	do
"	Sven Svensson	do	117,	100.00	do	do
"	Karl G. Harleman	do	118,	100.00	do	do
"	Anders Malmqvist		121,	100.00	do	do
"	Janne L. Laurell.	do	$121\frac{1}{2}$,	100.00	do	do
"	Truls Persson	do	133,	100.00	do	do
"	Nils Persson	do	134,	100.00	do	do
"	Nickolaus P. Clasé	do	135,	100.00	do	do
"	Olof C. Morell	do	$135\frac{1}{2}$,	100.00	do	do
"	John P. Johnson	do	136,	100.00	do	do
"	Anders Johansson	do	137,	100.00	do	do

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"	Anders Svenson do	138,	100.00	· do	do
"	Olof Olsson do	$138\frac{1}{2}$,	100.00	do	do
"	Pehr Pettersson	Α,	100.00	do	do
"	Soloman Johansson do	В,	100.00	do	do
"	Jonas Bodin do	C,	100.00	do	do
"	Jonas Bodin, Jr do	D,	100.00	do	ďo
"	Frans R. W. Planck do	Ε,	100.00	do	do
"	Jacob Johansson do	F,	100.00	do	do
"	Anders Westergren do	32,	100.00	do	do
"	Laurentius Stenström	99]	100.00	do	do
"	Pehr Persson do	112,	100.00	do	do
**	Mans Mansson do	130,	100.00	do	do
<i>" "</i>	Anders F. Johansson do	131,	100.00	do	do
			3,400.00		

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