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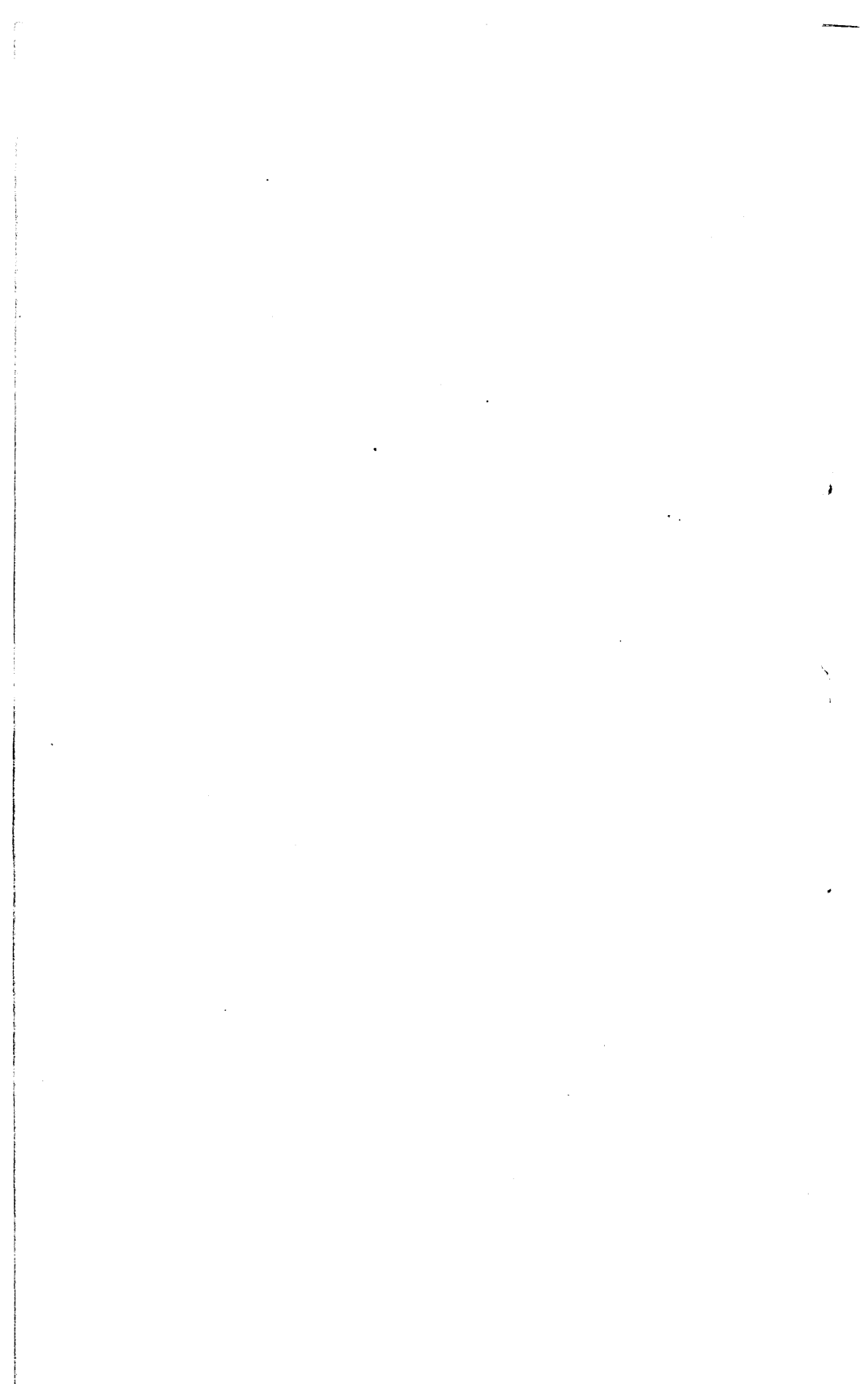
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EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT, }
Augusta, Feb. 10, 1879. }

To Governor ALONZO GARCELON,

and the Honorable Executive Council:

GENTLEMEN:—In submitting the following report on the Schools of Maine for the year 1878, at this late day, and to you instead of your predecessors, some explanation may be deemed necessary.

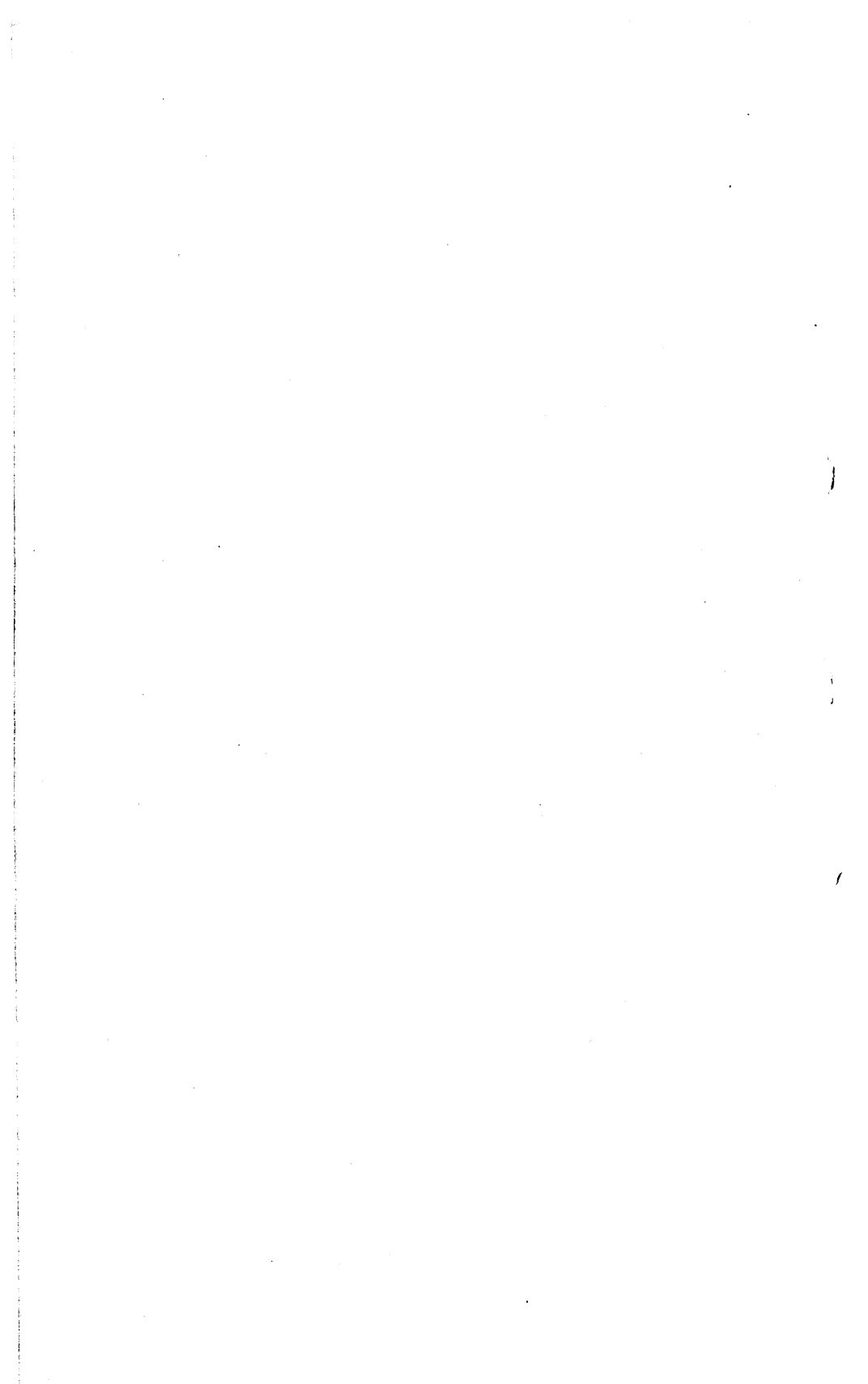
When I entered upon the discharge of my present official duties, on the 31st of December last, the Appendix hereunto annexed was found prepared and printed; but no part of the Report proper had been written. In preparing it I have had at my disposal only fragments of time left from other and more immediately pressing duties. Hence the delay in preparation, and hence any crudities that may be evident in the work.

I am, gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

N. A. LUCE,

State Sup't of Schools.



REPORT.

COMMON SCHOOLS.

I. THE YEAR'S PROGRESS.

The careful business man is accustomed, at stated periods, to bring all his transactions under review. In the annual "balance sheet" he so tabulates the results of his various business ventures, and so focuses them in "Profit and Loss," that a single glance reveals whether prosperity or adversity has attended him. If loss has accrued, in whole or in part, the fact there stands revealed; and he can trace that loss back to its one or many sources. And so of gain, if gain there has been. He is thus enabled to take counsel of experience, and, by lopping off here and engrafting on there, to reduce his losses and increase his future gains.

The State, through the common schools, is engaged in the great business of fitting for the general duties of citizenship, the thousands of youth within her borders. The general oversight of this great interest is intrusted to the Superintendent of Schools; its special care to the school officers of the several towns. Twelve to fifteen hundred school committee men and supervisors, exercising a more or less watchful care over the schools, gather up and report to him all the facts bearing upon and indicating the well or ill doing of seven thousand teachers, in fifteen thousand terms of school, wherein one hundred and fifty thousand children are being every year moulded into self-respecting, law-abiding, wealth-producing men and women. To him, also, annually, from the municipal officers of five hundred towns and plantations, come detailed statements of the expenditure of nearly one million dollars, under the direction of five thousand school

agents, from which statements he is to determine whether this immense sum has been legally and faithfully used for its intended purposes, or whether directed to other and illegal uses. The numerous facts, so collected from these two sources, arranged and tabulated by towns and counties, as in the appendix to this report, form what may be considered the accounts current of this immense business. Finally aggregated and summarized in one single statement, they form the balance sheet from which the year's gains and losses may be read. Such a balance sheet is the following :

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

ITEMS.	1878.	1877.	Increase.
Whole number of scholars between four and twenty-one.....	214,797	217,417	dec. 2,620
Number registered in summer schools.....	127,087	125,455	1,632
Average attendance.....	102,805	100,982	1,823
Number registered in winter schools.....	132,692	132,865	dec. 173
Average attendance.....	108,940	107,653	1,287
Percentage of average attendance to whole number of scholars.....	.52	.51	.01
Percentage of average attendance to number registered in summer schools.....	.81	.80	.01
Percentage of average attendance to number registered in winter schools.....	.82	.81	.01
Percentage of average attendance to number registered during the year.....	.82	.80	.02
Whole number of different scholars registered in schools during year.....	155,150	155,428	dec. 378
Average length of summer schools in weeks and days, $5\frac{1}{2}$ days per week.....	10w. 2d.	10w. 2d.	-
Average length of winter schools.....	11w.	11w.	-
Average length of schools for year.....	21w. 2d.	21w. 2d.	-
Number of districts in State.....	4,005	4,039	dec. 34
Number of parts of districts.....	344	354	dec. 10
Number of school-houses.....	4,215	4,222	dec. 7
Number reported in good condition.....	2,943	3,014	dec. 71
Number built during year.....	82	86	dec. 4
Cost of same.....	\$92,746	\$62,766	\$29,980
Estimated value of all school property.....	3,063,418	3,022,722	40,696
Number of male teachers employed in summer.....	274	228	46
Number employed in winter.....	2,280	2,253	27
Number of female teachers employed in summer.....	4,540	4,543	dec. 3
Number employed in winter.....	2,389	2,361	28
Number of teachers graduates of normal schools.....	334	314	20
Average wages of male teachers per month, excluding board.....	\$32 63	\$32 76	dec. 0.13
Average wages of female teachers per week, excluding board.....	3 98	4 14	dec. 0.16
Average cost per week of teachers' board....	2 20	2 27	dec. 0.07
Amount of money voted by towns for common schools.....	595,173	648,584	dec. \$53,411
Excess above amount required by law.....	105,194	152,195	dec. 47,001
Average amount per scholar.....	2 58	2 53	0.05

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT—CONCLUDED.

ITEMS.	1878.	1877.	Increase.
Amount available from town treasuries for year ending April 1.....	\$660,086	\$671,157	dec. \$11,071
Amount available from State treasury.....	337,202	347,475	dec. 10,273
Amount derived from local funds.....	19,872	24,358	dec. 4,486
Amount expended for common schools.....	936,648	951,877	dec. 15,229
Balance unexpended.....	90,205	94,198	dec. 3,993
Amount expended for repairs, insurance, fuel, &c.....	96,994	125,211	dec. 28,217
Amount contributed to prolong schools in money, fuel, &c.....	8,964	7,402	1,562
Amount paid for school supervision.....	30,339	30,814	dec. 475

The above figures show a healthy growth in the effectiveness of our common schools. Both increases and decreases indicate progress. Rightly interpreted they all show either positive or relative gains; for they evidence more and better work done, and at reduced cost, and point to healthy tendencies in educational work, which are in the nature of gains. The more important items of gain made are:

1. *In attendance.* While the number of persons of school age in the State has decreased, the attendance, both registered and average, has increased. These same conditions have marked the last ten years; but the increase in attendance this year, and decrease in the number of scholars, have both exceeded the average for those ten years. This is shown in the following comparisons:

Average yearly increase in mean registered attendance	
for ten years.....	1,334
Same for this year.....	1,459
Average yearly increase in mean average attendance	
for ten years.....	1,427
Same for this year.....	1,555
Average annual decrease in number of scholars for ten	
years.....	1,040
Decrease in same for this year.....	2,620

The causes which have produced these gains during the decade and the year, are not far to seek. They are more effective supervision resulting in better teaching, and a more intelligent public interest. During the last five years, also,

the Free High Schools have exerted an influence in this direction. In the towns maintaining them, they have served as incentives to pupils in the common schools, setting before such pupils a goal to be won by earnest work in preparing to enter them. So potent has been their influence that those towns in which they have been had during the present year, at a cost of one thousand dollars and less each, show a gain in average attendance during the last five years of one per cent. more than the average gain throughout the State.

2. *In better teaching.* This is indicated, first, in the facts shown regarding attendance; second, in that the schools have not increased in length; and third, in the very slight decrease in teachers' wages.

Two forces influence attendance—parental interest, and skillful teaching. The one puts the child into the school, and manifests itself in the registered attendance; the other, by arousing in him an interest in school work, creating a thirst for knowledge, exciting an ambition to excel, and throwing around him every influence that native tact and acquired experience knows, to hold him steadily to his work, shows itself in the record of average attendance. Hence any marked increase in average, over that in registered attendance, is indicative of better teaching.

In the same direction point the three correlated facts, that the schools have not increased in length, nor the wages of teachers, nor the amount expended, materially decreased. The prevailing hard times must have multiplied the number of seekers for schools by throwing out of other employments many who had formerly taught, and who would naturally seek to teach again. From the same cause many new teachers, or seekers for the position of teacher, must have been thrown upon the market. It was to have been expected, therefore, that owing to the largely increased supply, with no corresponding increase in the demand, the wages of teachers would have decreased very considerably, and, in consequence, either the schools would have as considerably

increased in length, or the expenditures for them have decreased. That nothing of the sort is shown, can be accounted for only on the assumption that those having the charge of them, have sought to improve the quality rather than to increase the quantity of work done.

3. *In an increased and more intelligent popular interest.* Under forms of government, and a consequent social organization, like ours, the relations between the public schools and public opinion are very different from those in monarchial countries. The Prussian schools, for instance, which have long been noted for their excellence in organization and in results, are outgrowths, not so much of popular intelligence, as of the intelligence of the few. They form and mould popular opinion instead of themselves being formed and moulded by it. They are mainly the direct outgrowth of the best thought and intelligence of professional educators, under whose arbitrary control they are. They are for the people, rather than of them. With us, on the contrary, they are both of and for the people. Of the people, under their immediate control in many respects, and but little removed from it in any respect, they reflect rather the average educational intelligence of the many, than that of the few professional educators. Hence their improvement, labor as educators may in their behalf, must measure, and be measured by, popular progress in educational intelligence and interest. And so it comes to pass that any direct evidence of improvement in the public schools, proves an antecedent improvement in popular interest and intelligence; and any evidence of growth in popular interest and intelligence, foreshadows a consequent improvement in the schools. Any gain, therefore, whether in quantity or quality of work done, such as is shown in the above statement and analysis, points to a corresponding gain in intelligent public interest, and augurs continued progress.

The other items in the above statement indicate, likewise, the healthy condition of the schools, and of public interest in

them. And it is safe to conclude that they are doing well the important work set for them to do. But they are evidently yet far from what they ought to be, and can be made; and this brings us to consider,

II. THEIR PRESENT NEEDS.

1. *Reduction in number of schools.* From the undue multiplication of school districts we are annually compelled to a greatly wasteful expenditure of school money and educational forces. In the Summer schools 127,087 pupils have been taught by 4,814 teachers, giving an average of twenty-six to each teacher; and in the Winter schools 132,692 pupils by 4,669 teachers, giving an average of twenty-eight to each. Since in these are included all the large schools of the cities and large villages, it is evident that the thousands of rural schools must show far smaller averages than the above,—that there must be very many districts whose schools, both summer and winter, will average each less than a dozen pupils in attendance. And this evil, for it is a serious evil, is constantly growing. While the number of persons of school age in the State, during the past ten years, has decreased 10,403, the number of teachers in Summer schools has increased 384, and in Winter schools, 842.

This condition of things is a two-fold evil. It results in short, poorly taught, and ineffective schools. These weak and small districts, receiving school funds in proportion to the number of scholars in their limits, are compelled to employ cheap and poorly qualified teachers, or to have schools too short to be of any value. Then, too, there must be wanting that interest in school work, that spirit of emulation which comes from the strife to excel, created by large classes. Hence "small and backward" has become a commonly applied expression descriptive of such schools.

A second evil resulting from the condition of things now under consideration, is the multiplication of poor and ill-furnished school-houses. Of the 4,215 school-houses in the State only 2,972 are reported in good condition, and, hence,

1,243, or more than one in every four, are in poor condition. While during the ten years past there has been a marked improvement in this direction, there is still large room for further improvement. But such further improvement, under the present conditions, must be a slow and difficult process. What with the already heavy burdens of State, county and municipal taxation, the additional weight of school district taxes for the thorough renovation of these poor school buildings, coming, as it naturally must in most cases, upon the poorer classes in the towns, who are comprised in these poorer districts, would be a very grievous and oppressive burden.

The third evil is the unnecessary expense entailed. I am fully of the opinion that—leaving out of the account the cost of building—the expense of keeping in ordinary repair and of warming unnecessary school-houses, and the sums paid for the board and wages of teachers who could be dispensed with if every town in the State could be properly redistricted, amount to at least one-fourth of our annual school expenditure.

A judicious re-arrangement of the school districts then, or, better still, their entire abolition, is a thing much to be desired. It would give us larger and longer, more interesting and more profitable schools. It would put those schools under the charge of better teachers, in better school-houses better furnished with the appliances for better work, and all at very much less expense than is entailed by the present unfortunate condition of things.

2. *Better Teachers.* The schools are to fit for the active duties of life. They are to impart such knowledge and give such training as will prepare those receiving their benefits for the activities that wait them when their school days are past. As those activities vary from generation to generation, the methods and the work of the schools must change. Very different are the conditions of life to-day from those of the generation past, and from those of the generation to come.

Hence the education, the knowledge, the training that fitted our fathers for the work awaiting them, will not best fit the present generation of children for the wider and more varied activities that wait them in the life for which they are receiving preparation. The schools of to-day, then, must give a wider range of knowledge than those of the past. And while giving more extensive knowledge, they must give more skillful training to all the mental powers. Capacity to think rapidly and logically, to form correct decisions at short notice, to see the main chance at a glance and take that chance, is more and more demanded in all the activities of modern life. And he who would keep abreast of his fellows in the sharp contest for place or profit, who would not be a laggard in the race, must enter active life with powers developed and strengthened by systematic training.

Nor is it knowledge, and discipline of the mental powers alone, that the schools should give. In the feverish bustle and hurry and push of our modern life, temptations to diverge from the straight line of integrity are met with at every step. To resist these temptations always, and under whatever guise they present themselves, calls for steadfast integrity that can come only from educated moral perceptions, from a conscience quickened into ceaseless activity, and from a love of the right, grown with the growth, and strengthened with the strength of childhood and youth, into the perfection of moral character. The times demand, then, that the schools shall be, more than ever before, nurseries of purity, morality and uprightness of thought and action.

But the work outlined above is to be done under conditions different from, and less favorable than in the past. Owing to certain social conditions, not necessary to analyze, which have obtained for the last twenty years at least, the average time during which pupils continue in the schools, has diminished from four to five years. Previous to twenty years ago it was the almost universal practice, in the country districts at least, for young men and women to attend school till

their majority ; now they are rarely found in them after they are sixteen or seventeen years of age.

Of this changed condition of things the following figures give conclusive evidence :

Average yearly number of scholars in State for five years, including and following 1850	228,297
Average number of same for last five years	219,275
Decrease	9,022
Average yearly number registered in Summer schools for first period	122,394
Same for last period	123,861
Increase	1,467
Average yearly number registered in Winter schools for first period	147,158
Same for last period.....	131,627
Decrease	15,531

That is, with 9,022 less scholars in the State each year of the last period than of the first, there were in attendance upon the Summer schools 1,467 more pupils ; but upon the Winter schools, in which chiefly would be found those between the ages of sixteen and twenty-one, 15,531 less attended.

The problem is, then, to make the common schools impart more knowledge, and give a more systematic mental and moral training, in at least four years less time than formerly. And the solution of this problem is rendered still more difficult, by the fact that these four years are taken from that portion of the pupil's school life, during which he is best fitted to do the work of the school—when his powers have become matured by age.

We need, then, better teachers. We need to do the important work of the schools—work vital to the well-being of the individual and society—men and women in the full maturity of their powers. They should be possessed of wide and thorough knowledge of the things to be taught, trained to facility in imparting that knowledge to others, versed in the

laws of mental and moral growth, and endowed with power, both natural and acquired, to bring every possible force to bear upon their work. They should be, too, men and women of the purest character, who realize the full importance of their calling, and all the high responsibilities it devolves upon them. Such are not, however, the majority of the teachers in the schools to-day. To secure them we need,

3. *Better Supervision.* Supervision is a broader term than inspection. It selects the teacher, examines into his fitness, supplies him with the appliances for his work, directs him in it, and carefully watches that he does it well and brings forth desired results. In our system these several specific duties, which are so related to each other that, in order to obtain the best results, they should be performed by the same man or board, are unfortunately divided between the district agents and the school committee, or supervisor. The responsibility for the selection of fit teachers, and for the best attainable results in the schools, thus divided, is so weakened as, in most cases, to be of little force. The committees, not held accountable for the employment of the teachers, naturally feel less responsible for their fitness, examine less carefully into their qualifications, and watch less vigilantly over their work. The result is that the teacher's desk is filled far too often by personified incompetency, far too often by men—and women sometimes—whose personal habits and moral character would better suit the bar-room or the brothel.

In order to have fit teachers, then, we need a revolution in our system of employing, examining and certifying them. They should be employed by the town committees or supervisors, who should be held by an intelligent public opinion to the strictest accountability for the results, and should, therefore, have the power to decide upon their special fitness for special schools and special work. Their general fitness as to extent of knowledge, professional skill, and moral character, should be determined by some agency as far as possible removed from any tendency to personal favoritism, and whose

decisions, from the very character of that agency, would carry with them an authority recognized throughout the State. Such an agency could be found in county or State boards of examiners, either appointed by the Governor and Council, or elected by and from the various town boards in each county.

In the mean time, till public opinion shall have become educated to the point of demanding the better system of supervision suggested above, or some other system still more effective, school agents and school committees should be awake to a conscientious performance of their duties. In the selection, the examination and certification of teachers, the sole object should be to "get the best." Favoritism, nepotism and self-interest in any form, should have no influence here. Especially should committees set their faces like flints against granting a certificate to teach to any person—no matter whose son or daughter, nephew or niece, or wife's relation he or she may be—who is not thoroughly qualified in knowledge, and in character and reputation, for the post of teacher. They should make no compromise with incompetence or immorality. Especially, also, should they be critically and jealously watchful over the work of the schools under their charge; be helpful in suggestion and advice when needed, but be satisfied with nothing less than the most thorough and conscientious work.

4. *Increased facilities for preparing teachers.* The requisite preparation for teaching is two-fold in character—preparation in knowledge, and preparation in professional skill. Any school system which fails to make provisions for such preparation, is radically defective. For this work, in our system, we have our Free High and Normal Schools. The former, theoretically, are to give knowledge; the latter, professional training. But, from the necessities of the case, each must trench somewhat upon the province of the other.

The Normal Schools, worked to their utmost capacity, can not fill the schools, and keep them filled, with thoroughly trained teachers. The Free High Schools do not, as they

might and ought, extend their privileges of a culture such as is essential to the teacher, and can not be had in the common schools, to all who will enter upon the teacher's work. The former must, therefore, fill up the gaps in the imperfect literary acquirements of those seeking professional training in them; the latter should give something of professional preparation, if in no other way, by affording in their own work models of the best methods in organization and instruction.

For the instruction of the Free High Schools, then, the very best of teaching talent should be secured. Teachers who, to professional training in the Normal Schools, can bring to their work the added preparation of successful experience, should be especially sought. And all friends of the common schools, all desiring for them better teachers, should labor to multiply the work of the High Schools, by extending the sphere of their usefulness more widely through the State. Nor should any effort be spared to keep the Normal Schools filled with the best prospective teaching talent in the various sections of the State within reach of them.

To the Normal and Free High Schools should be added the third instrumentality for securing skilled and enthusiastic teachers—that of the teachers' institute. A thousand dollars annually, judiciously expended in this way, would pay large profits in the increased efficiency of the schools. No body of persons engaged in the same vocation, coming together even for a day and discussing their work, can fail to get added inspiration and zeal for future effort. Then, too, the mutual interchange of views upon methods of work, the comparisons of actual experiences, the pithy, practical suggestions, and the formal discussions of doubtful, and exposition of approved forms of procedure, must give to all participating, knowledge attainable in no other way. Indeed, no agency for infusing life, enthusiasm and skill into the work of the schools, has ever been found more potent, considering the cost, than institute work of the kind indicated above.

III. EXPENDITURES AND TAXATION.

1. *Can we reduce?* In view of the present condition and tendencies of the times, it becomes pertinent to inquire whether or not, and how, our expenditures and consequent taxation for common school purposes, can be reduced, and whether any legislation in this direction is advisable. Leaving out of the account the reduction that could be made by reducing the number of schools through the consolidation or abolition of school districts, the answer to this inquiry must depend on present conditions and future contingencies. If it can be demonstrated that our schools are too long, or that we are extravagant in expenditures, or that under the existing laws our school resources are to suffer no diminution, it will be evident that we can and must reduce our rate of taxation for schools. How stands the case?

First. As to length of schools: During the last two years the average length of the school year has been twenty-one weeks and two days. The statistics for the past year,—which do not appear in the appendix to this report, but which have been collected from every town in the State—show that the graded schools of the cities and larger villages, have averaged thirty-two, and the ungraded schools in the country districts, sixteen and four-fifth weeks nearly. In view of the work which the schools have to do, and the conditions under which that work must be done, this average would seem none too large—not large enough rather—and a comparison of ours with other States, supports this view. In the last report of the National Bureau of Education, Maine ranks as the twenty-first State in length of schools. Our sister Provinces of the Dominion are far ahead of us too, New Brunswick and Ontario giving their children thirty-seven weeks schooling per year; Nova Scotia, thirty-three; and Quebec, thirty-one.

Second. As to expenditures: Are we extravagant in any respect, and if so, in what? Do we pay too high wages to teachers? Twenty-four other States pay higher for male, and thirty-two for female teachers. Indeed, the wages paid

in Maine are so low that our best teachers are constantly leaving us to better their condition. Do we pay too much for their board? On two dollars and twenty cents per week, on the average, they cannot "fare sumptuously every day." Are we wasting money in repairs and furnishing of school-houses? The fact that one in every three is reported in poor condition, and that not one in twenty is supplied with map, chart, globe or any other school appliance of the sort, would seem a sufficient answer. In short, that we are not making extravagant expenditures for common school education, is proved by all the facts and comparisons attainable.

Third. As to future revenues under existing laws: Our school revenues are of two classes—municipal and State. The municipal appropriations—exclusive of the income of local funds in a part of the towns, aggregating some \$20,000—amount for the current school year to \$595,173, which is \$105,194 in excess of the requirements of law. The same appropriations for the preceding year were \$648,584, and for the year preceding that, \$657,705, showing a decrease in three years of \$62,532. With this tendency toward reduction in municipal appropriations, and the considerable margin still left therefor, it is fair to assume still further reductions.

The State school revenues are made up from three sources—the mill tax, a moiety of the tax on deposits in savings banks, and the income of the permanent school fund.

The mill tax is based on the decennial State valuation, which is to be readjusted during the current year. The present valuation, based on the inflated values of ten years ago, is probably in excess of what the next will be. Hence, a decrease in the amount of the mill tax is to be expected in and after 1880.

The school revenue from the second source has fallen off, during the last five years, from \$131,296 in 1873, to \$116,059 for the current year, with the probabilities that for the coming year it will not exceed \$95,000. This diminution has been owing to several causes, among which the most potent have

been doubts of the solvency of these institutions, and the force of the hard times, both operating to prevent further deposits, and to compel the withdrawal of those already made. And now another force acting in the same direction is beginning to make itself felt. The new four per cent. U. S. bonds of small denominations, offering, with other advantages, an absolutely safe investment, are absorbing not only present surplus earnings, but those already hoarded in the savings banks. The revival of business, moreover, will naturally make still further drains upon these hoards, calling them out and directing them into the channels of trade, and into various productive industries. The indications, then, are that these school revenues must still continue to decrease.

The permanent school fund will hereafter receive no material increase, unless further provisions are made therefor. The public lands of the State, from the sales of certain portions of which this fund has been growing up, are now completely disposed of. Hence the revenue from this source will continue what it is at present—about \$25,000 per annum.

With schools none too long, then, with wages of teachers averaging so low that we cannot even retain in the State the services of our best talent, with no wasting of funds in repairs and furnishing of school buildings, and with a probable considerable diminution of school revenues in three out of four sources thereof, as at present provided for, it should be a very pressing public necessity that should compel any reduction in school taxation. Still, in view of the fact that such reduction is mooted, and very strongly urged in various quarters, it seems fitting to inquire,

2. *In what direction shall we reduce?* The taxes directly imposed by existing laws upon towns for the support of common schools, are of two kinds, viz :

1. The local, town, or *per capita* tax, so called, amounting in each town and organized plantation to a sum not less than eighty cents to each inhabitant thereof, according to the census by which representatives to the legislature were last apportioned. It is assessed, like other town taxes, upon the

polls and estates therein. It varies in rate in different towns and sections of the State as the ratio between valuation and population varies. For example, Portland is required to raise a tax of this kind amounting to eighty-five cents on every thousand dollars of its State valuation, and Oakfield plantation in Aroostook county, one of nineteen dollars and forty-two cents. If it be a correct principle that, so as practicable, all taxes for public purposes shall bear equally upon all sections, this *per capita* tax must be considered inequitable in the highest degree.

2. The Mill Tax, assessed annually in the State Tax upon all towns, plantations and wild lands, in proportion to their State valuation, and by towns and plantations included in the taxes by them annually assessed upon the polls and property therein. For the current school year it has amounted to \$224,481. Of this amount towns have contributed \$218,288, plantations, \$1,193, and wild lands, \$5,000. It is apportioned by the State Treasurer to towns and plantations annually, according to the number of persons therein between the ages of four and twenty-one years, as existing on the 1st day of April, and by the superintending school committees thereof returned to the State Superintendent of Common Schools. For the current year the sum of \$218,513 has been apportioned to towns, and \$5,968 to plantations. Of the 424 towns in the State, 92 have paid into the State Treasury on account of this tax, larger sums than they have received from it on the same account. Its abolition, therefore, would somewhat lighten the burdens of taxation in such towns; burdens which, however, so far as imposed by law for school purposes, now average considerably less than in the other 332 towns. But, on the other hand, in these other towns it would either materially diminish school privileges without lightening their burdens, or impose upon them burdens still heavier. In short, the abolition or diminution of this tax would lighten burdens where they are now lightest, by imposing still heavier upon those towns now most heavily weighted.

The following table exhibits in detail the differences in rate of taxation for school purposes under existing laws :

COUNTY OF ANDROSCOGGIN.

TOWNS.	Population, census 1870.	State valuation, 1870.	State tax on account of mill tax.	Received from State treasury for mill tax.	Local tax im- posed by law for common school purposes.	Rate of local tax per \$1,000 of State valuation.	Rate of local and mill tax combined per \$1,000.
Auburn.....	6,166	\$2,918,101	\$2,918	\$2,835	\$4,933	\$1.35	\$2.35
Durham.....	1,351	482,861	483	423	1,081	2.24	3.24
East Livermore....	1,004	388,680	389	309	803	2.07	3.07
Greene.....	1,094	439,629	440	347	875	1.99	2.99
Leeds.....	1,288	456,348	456	429	1,030	2.04	3.04
Lewiston.....	13,602	8,813,629	8,814	5,270	10,881	1.23	2.23
Lisbon.....	2,015	741,092	741	901	1,612	2.18	3.18
Livermore.....	1,467	524,267	524	425	1,174	2.24	3.24
Minot.....	1,570	610,511	611	599	1,256	2.06	3.06
Poland.....	2,440	765,960	765	951	1,952	2.55	3.55
Turner.....	2,380	815,648	816	727	1,904	2.33	3.33
Wales.....	558	229,359	229	174	446	1.94	2.94
Webster.....	941	406,434	406	303	753	1.85	2.85
Average.....						2.01	3.01

COUNTY OF AROOSTOOK.

Amity.....	332	44,675	45	156	258	5.77	6.77
Ashland.....	445	98,531	99	238	356	3.61	4.61
Benedicta.....	413	41,741	42	327	330	7.91	8.91
Blaine.....	496	45,000	45	130	397	8.82	9.82
Bridgewater.....	605	83,263	83	289	484	5.81	6.81
Caribou.....	1,411	155,702	156	991	1,129	7.25	8.25
Baston.....	523	69,879	70	320	418	5.98	6.98
Fort Fairfield.....	1,894	276,800	277	1,032	1,515	5.47	6.47
Fort Kent.....	1,034	65,357	65	640	*350	5.35	6.35
Frenchville.....	1,851	80,600	81	1,083	*375	4.65	5.65
Grand Isle.....	689	40,865	41	387	*250	6.12	7.12
Haynesville.....	212	32,278	32	73	170	5.27	6.27
Hersey.....	105	24,493	24	42	84	3.43	4.43
Hodgdon.....	990	197,852	198	384	792	4.00	5.00
Houlton.....	2,851	681,646	682	990	2,281	3.20	4.20
Island Falls.....	182	37,904	38	90	146	3.85	4.85
Limestone.....	262	27,657	28	204	210	7.59	8.59
Linneus.....	1,008	117,917	118	404	806	6.84	7.84
Littleton.....	700	94,257	94	366	560	5.94	6.94
Ludlow.....	397	57,888	58	198	318	5.49	6.49
Madawaska.....	1,041	65,155	65	531	*325	4.99	5.99
Mars Hill.....	400	45,811	46	312	320	6.99	7.99
Masardis.....	169	39,479	39	87	135	3.42	4.42
Maysville.....	751	140,057	140	415	601	4.29	5.29
Monticello.....	760	138,585	139	379	608	4.47	5.47
New Limerick.....	368	43,450	43	241	246	5.66	6.66
Orient.....	219	35,000	35	103	175	5.00	6.00
Presque Isle.....	968	180,783	187	472	774	4.28	5.28
Sherman.....	703	109,240	109	306	562	5.14	6.14
Smyrna.....	159	35,698	36	77	127	3.56	4.56
Washburn.....	451	63,021	63	292	361	5.73	6.73
Weston.....	394	49,846	50	155	315	6.30	7.30
Average.....						5.38	6.38

*Special act of 1873.

COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND.

TOWNS.	Population, census 1870.	State valuation, 1870.	State tax on account of mill tax.	Received from State treasury for mill tax.	Local tax im- posed by law for common school purposes.	Rate of local tax per \$1,000 of State valuation.	Rate of local and mill tax combined per \$1,000.
Baldwin	1,101	\$256,225	\$256	\$386	\$881	\$3.44	\$4.44
Bridgton	2,685	855,197	855	943	2,148	2.51	3.51
Brunswick	4,727	2,305,806	2,306	1,712	3,782	1.61	2.64
Cape Elizabeth	5,113	1,784,831	1,785	1,922	4,090	2.29	3.29
Casco	998	241,486	241	371	798	3.30	4.30
Cumberland	1,626	511,920	512	611	1,301	2.54	3.54
* Deering	-	2,194,096	2,194	1,309	-	-	-
Falmouth	1,728	688,527	689	519	1,382	2.01	3.04
Freeport	2,460	912,053	912	740	1,968	2.16	3.16
Gorham	3,386	1,445,968	1,446	1,023	2,709	1.87	2.87
Gray	1,739	480,780	481	641	1,391	2.89	3.89
Harpswell	1,749	454,601	455	608	1,399	3.08	4.08
Harrison	1,222	304,635	305	342	978	3.21	4.21
Naples	1,058	268,645	269	357	846	3.15	4.15
New Gloucester ...	1,496	848,905	849	462	1,197	1.41	2.41
North Yarmouth..	943	523,086	523	248	754	1.44	2.44
Otisfield	1,100	298,582	299	321	880	2.95	3.95
Portland	31,408	29,439,257	29,439	10,016	25,120	.85	1.85
Pownal	979	378,355	378	286	783	2.07	3.07
Raymond	1,122	229,121	229	481	898	3.92	4.92
Scarboro'	1,691	705,728	706	629	1,353	1.92	2.92
Sebago	803	175,550	176	279	642	3.66	4.66
Standish	2,095	492,709	493	639	1,676	3.40	4.40
† Westbrook	-	1,097,047	1,097	1,099	-	-	-
Windham	2,426	1,014,877	1,015	799	1,941	1.91	2.91
Yarmouth	1,872	1,034,336	1,034	637	1,498	1.45	2.45
Average						2.46	3.46

* Set off from Westbrook.

† Divided since 1870.

COUNTY OF FRANKLIN.

Avon	610	149,693	150	202	488	3.26	4.26
Carthage	486	96,070	96	175	389	4.05	5.05
Chesterville	1,011	288,353	288	322	809	2.81	3.81
Eustis	342	57,558	58	124	274	4.76	5.76
Farmington	3,252	1,448,735	1,449	1,052	2,602	1.78	2.78
Freeman	608	146,090	146	201	486	3.33	4.33
Industry	726	203,319	209	286	581	2.77	3.77
Jay	1,490	497,029	497	477	1,192	2.35	3.39
Kingfield	560	110,910	111	198	448	4.04	5.04
Madrid	400	55,764	56	137	320	5.74	6.74
New Sharon	1,452	481,434	481	412	1,162	2.41	3.41
New Vineyard	755	228,812	229	312	604	2.64	3.64
Phillips	1,374	375,576	376	475	1,099	2.90	3.90
Rangely	311	75,239	75	184	249	3.31	4.31
Salem	307	64,432	64	111	246	3.82	4.82
Strong	634	220,794	221	185	507	2.29	3.29
Temple	640	161,981	162	206	512	3.22	4.22
Weld	1,129	245,260	245	364	903	3.61	4.61
Wilton	1,907	595,260	595	572	1,526	2.51	3.51
Average						3.24	4.24

COUNTY OF HANCOCK.

TOWNS.	Population, census 1870.	State valuation, 1870.	State tax on account of mill tax.	Received from State treasury for mill tax.	Local tax im- posed by law for common school purposes.	Rate of local tax per \$1,000 of State valuation.	Rate of local and mill tax combined per \$1,000.
Amherst	350	\$57,276	\$57	\$184	\$280	\$4.89	\$5.89
Aurora.....	212	32,052	32	94	170	5.30	6.30
Bluchill	1,718	397,620	398	678	1,374	3.05	4.05
Brooklin	966	186,899	187	360	773	4.13	5.13
Brooksville.....	1,276	238,987	239	551	1,021	4.27	5.27
Bucksport	3,433	1,219,881	1,220	1,081	2,746	2.25	3.25
Castine	1,304	461,343	461	449	1,043	2.26	3.26
Cranberry Isles....	351	61,514	62	143	281	4.55	5.55
* Deer Isle	3,417	386,855	387	1,452	-	-	-
Dedham	452	102,752	103	174	362	3.52	4.52
Eastbrook	187	39,288	39	93	150	3.82	4.82
Eden	1,195	196,499	196	478	956	4.86	5.86
Ellsworth.....	5,260	1,233,199	1,233	1,940	4,208	3.41	4.41
Franklin	1,042	168,348	268	438	834	4.95	5.95
Gouldsboro'	1,709	225,410	225	701	1,367	6.06	7.06
Hancock	975	163,904	164	397	780	4.76	5.76
† Isle au Haut.....	-	30,356	30	102	-	-	-
Lamoine	612	142,449	142	274	490	3.44	4.44
Mariaville	369	65,742	66	137	295	4.49	5.49
Mt. Desert	918	158,069	158	383	734	4.64	5.64
Orland	1,701	374,390	374	578	1,361	3.64	4.64
Otis	246	26,407	26	129	197	7.46	8.46
Penobscot	1,418	227,356	227	543	1,134	4.99	5.99
Sedgwick	1,117	197,707	198	391	894	4.52	5.52
Sullivan	796	141,954	142	339	637	4.49	5.49
Surry	1,212	209,137	209	431	970	4.63	5.63
Tremont	1,822	262,353	262	806	1,458	5.56	6.56
Trenton	678	118,280	118	216	542	4.58	5.58
Verona	352	51,675	51	140	282	5.52	6.52
Waltham.....	366	57,727	58	125	293	5.08	6.08
Average						4.47	5.47

* Divided since 1870.

† Formerly part of Deer Isle.

COUNTY OF KENNEBEC.

Albion.....	1,330	376,791	377	407	1,085	2.88	3.88
Augusta	7,815	4,881,135	4,881	2,386	6,252	1.28	2.28
Belgrade	1,485	461,468	461	475	1,188	2.57	3.57
Benton	1,180	248,123	248	410	944	3.80	4.80
Chelsea	783	184,980	185	313	627	3.39	4.39
China	2,120	650,588	651	604	1,696	2.61	3.61
Clinton	1,769	433,340	433	581	1,414	3.26	4.26
Farmingdale	859	387,428	387	218	687	1.72	2.72
Fayette	900	282,697	283	283	720	2.55	3.55
Gardiner	4,496	2,179,243	2,179	1,326	3,597	1.65	2.65
Hallowell.....	3,008	1,222,295	1,222	896	2,406	1.91	2.91
Litchfield	1,506	496,908	497	462	1,205	2.42	3.42
Manchester.....	732	316,219	316	206	586	1.85	2.85
Monmouth	1,744	592,068	592	467	1,395	2.36	3.36
Mt. Vernon	1,252	397,034	397	374	1,002	2.50	3.50
Pittston	2,352	648,353	648	830	1,882	2.91	3.91
Readfield	1,457	589,171	589	372	1,176	1.99	2.99
Rome	725	149,731	150	241	580	3.90	4.90
Sidney	1,472	649,582	650	488	1,178	1.81	2.81

COUNTY OF KENNEBEC—(CONCLUDED.)

TOWNS.	Population, census 1870.	State valuation, 1870.	State tax on account of mill tax.	Received from State treasury for mill tax.	Local tax im- posed by law for common school purposes.	Rate of local tax per \$1,000 of State valuation.	Rate of local and mill tax combined per \$1,000.
Vassalboro'.....	2,923	\$1,230,348	\$1,130	\$874	\$2,338	\$2.07	\$3.07
Vienna.....	740	200,015	200	239	592	2.95	3.95
* Waterville.....	-	1,332,812	1,333	1,610	-	-	-
Wayne.....	938	344,692	345	321	750	2.17	3.17
West Gardiner.....	1,043	359,029	359	224	834	2.32	3.32
† West Waterville..	-	571,205	571	572	-	-	-
Windsor.....	1,266	262,212	262	398	1,013	3.85	4.85
Winslow.....	1,437	470,002	470	469	1,150	2.45	3.45
Winthrop.....	2,229	1,126,839	1,127	645	1,783	1.58	2.58
Average.....						2.49	3.49

* Divided since 1870.

† Formerly part of Waterville.

COUNTY OF KNOX.

Appleton.....	1,486	284,276	284	510	1,189	4.18	5.18
Camden.....	4,515	1,497,631	1,498	1,522	2,012	1.34	2.34
Cushing.....	702	132,839	133	284	562	4.23	5.23
Friendship.....	894	140,260	140	370	715	5.09	6.09
Hope.....	965	251,650	252	264	724	2.84	3.84
Hurricane Isle.....	-	-	-	72	-	-	-
North Haven.....	806	152,594	153	259	645	4.22	5.22
Rockland.....	7,073	3,419,355	3,419	2,242	5,688	1.65	2.65
South Thomaston..	1,693	408,145	408	707	1,354	3.32	4.32
St. George.....	2,321	403,342	403	1,037	1,857	4.60	5.60
Thomaston.....	3,094	1,894,110	1,894	900	2,475	1.34	2.34
Union.....	1,702	533,660	534	544	1,302	2.55	3.55
Vinalhaven.....	1,851	294,960	265	1,023	1,481	5.59	6.59
Warren.....	1,975	834,610	835	687	1,380	1.80	2.80
Washington.....	1,276	289,857	290	391	1,021	3.52	4.52
Average.....						3.31	4.31

COUNTY OF LINCOLN.

Alna.....	747	233,610	234	260	598	2.56	3.56
Boothbay.....	3,200	642,819	643	1,199	2,510	3.98	4.98
Bremen.....	796	162,437	162	349	637	3.92	4.92
Bristol.....	2,924	488,125	488	1,088	2,339	4.79	5.79
Damariscotta.....	1,334	669,719	670	385	1,067	2.59	3.59
Dresden.....	988	316,717	317	288	790	2.49	3.49
Edgecomb.....	1,059	202,428	202	362	847	4.18	5.18
Jefferson.....	1,824	420,003	420	566	1,459	3.48	4.48
Newcastle.....	1,729	697,981	698	543	1,383	1.98	2.98
Nobleboro'.....	1,153	287,867	288	391	922	3.55	4.55
Somerville.....	506	86,685	87	199	405	4.68	5.68
Southport.....	684	149,200	149	285	547	3.90	4.90
Wald-boro'.....	4,178	1,164,382	1,164	1,289	3,342	2.87	3.87
Westport.....	697	180,392	180	212	558	3.09	4.09
Whitefield.....	1,702	441,346	441	532	1,362	3.08	4.08
Wiscasset.....	1,978	689,534	690	648	1,582	2.29	3.29
Average.....						3.28	4.28

COUNTY OF OXFORD.

TOWNS.	Population, census 1870.	State valuation, 1870.	State tax on account of mill tax.	Received from State treasury for mill tax.	Local tax im- posed by law for common school purposes.	Rate of local tax per \$1,000 of State valuation.	Rate of local and mill tax combined per \$1,000.
Albany	651	\$167,592	\$168	\$266	\$521	\$3.11	\$4.11
Andover	765	114,712	115	260	612	5.34	6.34
Bethel	2,282	712,871	713	699	1,826	2.56	3.56
Brownfield	1,324	249,166	249	435	1,059	4.25	5.25
Buckfield	1,494	554,673	555	468	1,195	2.14	3.14
Byron	245	42,195	42	76	196	4.64	5.64
Canton	984	395,993	396	304	787	1.99	2.99
Denmark	1,070	380,316	280	340	856	3.05	4.05
Dixfield	1,049	273,352	273	302	839	3.07	4.07
Fryeburg	1,508	670,383	670	520	1,276	1.80	2.80
Gilead	329	74,940	75	110	263	3.51	4.51
Grafton	94	26,675	27	55	75	2.81	3.81
Greenwood	846	163,974	164	323	677	4.13	5.13
Hanover	180	58,280	58	65	150	2.58	3.58
Hartford	996	319,624	320	285	797	2.15	3.15
Hebron	743	222,180	222	222	594	2.67	3.67
Hiram	1,394	300,170	300	526	1,115	3.70	4.70
Lovell	1,018	305,764	306	385	814	2.66	3.66
Mason	118	30,004	30	33	94	3.13	4.13
Mexico	458	92,539	93	155	366	3.95	4.95
Newry	416	116,894	117	121	333	2.88	3.85
Norway	1,955	641,644	642	791	1,564	2.44	3.44
Oxford	1,633	514,049	514	556	1,306	2.54	3.54
Paris	2,766	977,975	978	980	2,213	2.26	3.26
Peru	932	272,864	273	316	746	2.73	3.73
Porter	1,105	275,469	275	441	884	3.21	4.21
Roxbury	162	48,856	49	41	130	2.66	3.66
Runford	1,212	380,854	381	396	970	2.55	3.55
Stow	427	104,018	104	156	342	3.28	4.29
Stoneham	425	70,250	70	192	340	4.84	5.84
Sumner	1,189	381,463	382	407	951	2.49	3.49
Sweden	549	176,952	177	145	439	2.48	3.48
Upton	185	36,278	36	89	148	4.08	5.08
Waterford	1,288	403,651	404	419	1,030	2.55	3.55
Woodstock	995	218,351	218	379	796	3.65	4.65
Average						3.08	4.08

COUNTY OF PENOBSCOT.

Alton	508	116,362	116	175	406	3.49	4.49
Argyle	307	51,502	52	111	246	4.78	5.78
Bangor	18,289	10,636,561	10,037	5,591	14,631	1.46	2.46
Bradford	1,487	233,734	234	556	1,190	5.09	6.09
Bradley	867	158,166	158	355	694	4.39	5.39
Brewer	3,214	669,867	670	1,069	2,571	3.84	4.84
Burlington	553	91,507	92	231	442	4.83	5.83
Carnel	1,350	260,118	260	437	1,080	4.15	5.15
Carroll	630	103,498	103	271	506	4.90	5.90
Charleston	1,186	270,279	290	430	949	3.26	4.26
Chester	350	47,103	47	167	280	5.94	6.94
Clifton	348	58,752	59	151	278	4.73	5.73
Corinna	1,513	391,711	392	513	1,210	3.09	4.09
Corinth	1,462	432,970	433	470	1,170	2.70	3.70
Dexter	2,875	1,006,966	1,007	806	2,300	2.28	3.28
Dixmont	1,310	266,028	266	409	1,048	3.94	4.94

COUNTY OF PENOBSCOT—(CONCLUDED.)

TOWNS.	Population, census 1870.	State valuation, 1870.	State tax on account of mill tax.	Received from State treasury for mill tax.	Local tax im- posed by law for common school purposes.	Rate of local tax per \$1,000 of State valuation.	Rate of local and mill tax combined per \$1,000.
Eddington	778	\$165,235	\$165	\$269	\$622	\$3.77	\$4.77
Edinburg	55	19,436	19	25	44	2.26	3.26
Enfield	417	90,204	90	221	334	3.59	4.59
Etna	844	154,359	154	360	675	4.37	5.37
Exeter	1,423	377,007	377	434	1,138	3.02	4.02
Garland	1,306	312,263	312	398	1,045	3.34	4.34
Glenburn	720	143,313	143	184	576	4.02	5.02
Greenbush	622	129,718	130	278	497	3.83	4.83
Greenfield	319	52,500	53	141	255	4.86	5.86
Hampden	3,068	739,339	739	996	2,454	3.32	4.32
Hermion	1,492	294,189	294	527	1,194	4.06	5.06
Holden	761	193,561	194	265	609	3.14	4.14
Howland	176	40,665	41	50	141	3.47	4.47
Hudson	739	101,497	101	266	591	5.82	6.82
Kenduskeag	770	171,230	171	235	616	3.59	4.59
Kingman	185	30,677	31	169	148	4.82	5.82
Lagrange	622	154,425	154	242	498	3.23	4.23
Lee	960	139,343	139	395	768	5.51	6.51
Levant	1,159	277,449	277	434	927	3.34	4.34
Lincoln	1,530	343,177	343	670	1,224	3.54	4.54
Lowell	448	72,126	72	159	358	4.96	5.96
Mattawamkeag	356	76,799	77	167	285	3.71	4.71
Maxfield	116	20,673	21	71	93	4.50	5.50
Medway	321	35,808	36	196	257	7.17	8.17
Milford	834	178,614	179	211	667	3.73	4.73
Mt. Chase	262	22,025	22	125	210	9.53	10.53
Newburg	1,118	237,964	238	376	894	3.76	4.76
Newport	1,559	540,927	541	487	1,247	2.31	3.31
Oldtown	4,072	684,308	684	1,166	3,258	4.76	5.76
Orono	2,889	523,888	524	778	2,311	4.41	5.41
Orrington	1,768	400,839	401	548	1,414	3.53	4.53
Passadumkeag	243	30,738	31	86	194	6.31	7.31
Patten	704	191,342	191	250	563	2.94	3.94
Plymouth	941	188,350	188	291	753	4.00	5.00
Prentiss	387	54,385	54	175	310	5.70	6.70
Springfield	879	122,230	122	345	703	5.75	6.75
Stetson	937	262,735	263	320	750	2.82	3.82
Veazie	810	168,432	168	240	648	3.84	4.84
Winn	714	95,708	96	289	571	5.97	6.97
Average						4.17	5.17

COUNTY OF PISCATAQUIS

Atkinson	712	234,271	234	340	632	2.70	3.70
Abbot	790	155,197	155	261	570	3.67	4.67
Blanchard	165	33,142	33	70	132	3.98	4.98
Brownville	865	157,626	158	257	692	4.39	5.39
Dover	1,983	675,000	675	596	1,586	2.35	3.35
Foxcroft	180	400,109	400	417	944	2.36	3.36
Guilford	818	213,091	213	292	654	3.07	4.07
Greenville	369	66,707	67	186	295	4.33	5.33
Kingsbury	178	27,327	27	65	142	5.19	6.19
Medford	294	60,321	60	147	235	3.89	4.89
Monson	610	134,520	135	259	488	3.63	4.63
Milo	938	161,855	161	363	750	4.69	5.69

COUNTY OF PISCATAQUIS—(CONCLUDED.)

TOWNS.	Population, census 1870.	State valuation, 1870.	State tax on account of mill tax.	Received from State treasury for mill tax.	Local tax im- posed by law for common school purposes.	Rate of local tax per \$1,000 of State valuation.	Rate of local and mill tax combined per \$1,000.
Orneville	575	\$80,062	\$80	\$295	\$460	\$5.74	\$6.74
Parkman	1,105	259,304	259	394	884	3.41	4.41
Sangerville	1,140	316,590	317	369	912	2.89	3.89
Sebec	954	190,407	190	315	763	4.02	5.02
Shirley	206	56,220	56	96	165	2.90	3.90
Wellington	681	119,269	119	260	545	4.59	5.59
Williamsburg	176	29,909	30	83	141	4.72	5.72
Average						3.82	4.82

COUNTY OF SAGADAHOC.

Arrowsic	253	102,951	103	77	202	1.96	2.96
Bath	7,380	6,393,876	6,394	3,322	5,904	.92	1.92
Bowdoinham	1,802	645,531	646	598	1,442	2.23	3.23
Bowdoin	1,350	405,990	406	437	1,080	2.66	3.66
Georgetown	1,135	183,500	184	423	908	4.94	5.94
Perkins	71	36,711	37	21	57	1.55	2.55
Phippsburg	1,344	426,714	427	536	1,075	2.52	3.52
Richmond	2,442	1,240,327	1,240	815	1,954	1.58	2.58
Topsnam	1,561	879,051	879	401	1,261	1.37	2.37
West Bath	374	129,833	130	100	299	2.30	3.30
Woolwich	1,155	596,826	597	410	821	1.38	2.38
Average						2.13	3.13

COUNTY OF SOMERSET.

Anson	1,746	554,407	554	547	1,397	2.52	3.52
Athens	1,340	428,069	428	531	1,232	2.88	3.88
Bingham	820	201,017	201	297	661	3.28	4.28
Brighton	628	91,727	92	273	502	5.47	6.47
Cambridge	472	109,182	109	185	378	3.46	4.46
Canaan	1,472	346,395	351	469	1,178	3.40	4.40
Concord	456	91,594	92	160	300	3.93	4.93
Cornville	959	378,749	379	309	767	2.03	3.03
Detroit	690	141,731	142	227	552	3.90	4.90
Emden	803	207,793	208	282	642	3.09	4.09
Fairfield	2,999	1,188,383	1,188	1,145	2,399	2.02	3.02
Harmony	978	190,606	191	350	782	4.19	5.19
Hartland	1,120	264,180	264	321	896	3.40	4.40
Lexington	402	77,897	78	123	322	4.13	5.13
Madison	1,408	510,437	510	426	1,126	2.21	3.21
Mayfield	96	9,309	9	35	77	8.27	9.27
Mercer	852	300,670	301	296	682	2.27	3.27
Moscow	528	91,836	92	202	422	4.60	5.60
New Portland	1,460	400,590	401	497	1,168	2.91	3.91
Norridgewock	1,763	641,982	642	493	1,410	2.20	3.20
Palmyra	1,322	347,097	347	428	1,058	3.05	4.05
Pittsfield	1,813	518,515	519	663	1,450	2.80	3.80
Ripley	584	116,705	117	215	467	4.00	5.00
St. Albans	1,675	430,233	430	532	1,340	3.35	4.35
Solon	1,156	331,919	332	386	925	2.78	3.78
Skowhegan	3,993	1,581,610	1,582	1,364	3,194	2.02	3.02
Smithfield	700	168,599	169	197	565	3.29	4.29
Starks	1,084	281,614	282	362	867	3.08	4.08
Average						3.37	4.37

COUNTY OF WALDO.

TOWNS.	Population, census 1870.	State valuation, 1870.	State tax on account of mill tax.	Received from State treasury for mill tax.	Local tax im- posed by law for common school purposes.	Rate of local tax per \$1,000 of State valuation.	Rate of local and mill tax combined per \$1,000.
Belfast	5,278	\$2,660,879	\$2,661	\$1,873	\$4,222	\$1.59	\$2.59
Belmont	629	101,708	102	197	503	4.94	5.94
Brooks	869	200,176	200	309	695	3.47	4.47
* Burnham	-	192,577	193	443	-	-	-
Frankfort	1,152	220,646	221	544	922	4.18	5.18
Freedom	717	191,505	192	250	574	2.99	3.99
Islesboro'	1,232	153,707	154	485	986	6.41	7.41
Jackson	707	176,604	177	240	566	3.21	4.21
Knox	890	218,392	218	330	712	3.26	4.26
Liberty	907	203,819	204	330	726	3.56	4.56
Lincolnville	1,900	436,956	437	684	1,520	3.48	4.48
Monroe	1,375	326,835	327	449	1,100	3.37	4.37
Montville	1,468	379,945	380	516	1,174	3.09	4.09
Morrill	523	133,099	133	192	418	3.14	4.14
Northport	902	180,726	181	295	722	4.00	5.00
Palermo	1,224	241,433	241	430	979	4.06	5.06
Prospect	886	184,492	184	275	709	3.79	4.79
Searsmont	1,418	300,418	300	560	1,134	3.77	4.77
Searsport	2,289	1,036,823	1,037	773	1,851	1.78	2.78
Swanville	770	140,050	140	283	610	4.32	5.32
Stockton	2,089	800,220	800	558	1,671	2.09	3.09
Thorndike	730	264,801	265	257	584	2.25	3.25
Troy	1,201	233,361	233	406	961	4.12	5.12
Unity	1,201	384,465	384	417	961	2.49	3.49
Waldo	648	144,218	144	287	518	3.59	4.59
Winterport	2,744	600,300	600	1,059	2,195	3.65	4.65
Average						3.46	4.46

* Town limits changed since 1870.

COUNTY OF WASHINGTON.

Addison	1,202	263,457	263	457	962	3.69	4.69
Alexander	455	73,997	74	231	364	4.92	5.92
Baileyville	377	53,641	54	180	302	5.63	6.63
Baring	365	96,169	96	105	292	3.04	4.04
Beddington	134	32,034	32	59	107	3.34	4.34
Calais	5,945	1,523,452	1,523	2,624	4,756	3.12	4.12
Centerville	145	42,091	42	54	116	1.76	3.76
Charlotte	468	66,938	67	220	374	5.59	6.59
Cherryfield	1,764	434,483	434	672	1,411	3.25	4.25
Columbia	671	127,899	128	270	537	4.20	5.20
Columbia Falls	608	176,802	177	275	486	2.75	3.75
Cooper	363	34,809	35	153	290	8.33	9.33
Crawford	210	30,350	30	101	168	5.53	6.53
Cutler	928	110,189	110	383	742	6.74	7.74
Danforth	313	50,696	51	255	250	4.93	5.93
Deblois	139	18,010	15	55	111	6.16	7.16
Dennysville	488	199,319	199	259	390	1.96	2.96
East Machias	2,020	581,547	582	789	1,616	2.08	3.08
Eastport	3,738	901,686	902	1,234	2,990	3.32	4.32
Eaton	71	40,000	40	116	57	1.42	2.42
Edmunds	449	86,418	86	178	359	4.15	5.15
Harrington	1,143	349,203	249	486	914	3.67	4.67
Jonesboro'	524	86,990	87	211	419	4.82	5.82
Jonesport	1,345	156,388	156	685	1,076	6.24	7.24
Kossuth	158	26,645	27	63	126	4.73	5.73
Lubec	2,136	309,406	309	840	1,709	5.86	6.86

COUNTY OF WASHINGTON—(CONCLUDED.)

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Machias	2,530	\$978,135	\$978	\$931	\$2,024	\$2.07	\$3.07
Machiasport	1,533	197,221	197	663	1,226	6.22	7.22
Marion	133	29,976	30	82	106	3.54	4.54
Marshfield	351	71,356	71	146	281	3.94	4.94
Meddybemps	200	24,080	24	69	160	6.64	7.64
Milbridge	1,555	299,747	300	678	1,244	4.15	5.15
Northfield	190	52,947	53	82	152	2.68	3.68
Penbroke	2,552	388,233	388	1,045	2,042	5.26	6.26
Perry	1,149	205,592	206	447	919	4.47	5.47
Princeton	1,076	180,507	181	454	861	4.77	5.77
Robbinston	926	127,030	127	371	741	5.83	6.83
Steuben	1,062	186,528	187	404	850	4.55	5.55
Talmadge	80	29,512	30	49	64	2.17	3.17
Topsfield	464	82,828	83	201	371	4.48	5.48
Trescott	606	42,980	43	282	485	11.28	12.28
Vanceboro'	330	40,000	40	148	263	6.57	7.57
Waite	122	28,700	29	73	98	3.42	4.42
Wesley	296	63,829	64	126	237	3.71	4.71
Whiting	416	74,629	75	172	333	4.46	5.46
Whitneyville	570	111,264	111	208	456	4.09	5.09
Average						4.49	5.49

COUNTY OF YORK.

Acton	1,007	327,189	327	351	806	2.43	3.43
Alfred	1,224	427,140	427	303	979	2.32	3.32
Berwick	2,291	606,102	606	934	1,833	3.04	4.04
Biddeford	10,285	5,682,402	5,682	3,624	8,228	1.47	2.47
Buxton	2,536	829,899	830	783	2,029	2.45	3.45
Cornish	1,101	310,678	311	369	881	2.83	3.83
Dayton	612	242,043	242	203	490	2.02	3.02
Elliot	1,769	535,982	536	576	1,415	2.64	3.64
Hollis	1,541	444,428	444	493	1,233	2.79	3.79
Kennebunk	2,605	1,577,504	1,578	981	2,084	1.32	2.32
Kennebunkport	2,364	901,431	901	821	1,891	2.09	3.09
Kittery	3,337	622,523	623	1,064	2,670	4.29	5.29
Lebanon	1,954	524,575	525	552	1,563	2.98	3.98
Limerick	1,426	438,061	438	428	1,141	2.60	3.60
Limington	1,630	522,384	522	516	1,304	2.49	3.49
Lyman	1,053	345,346	345	292	842	2.41	3.41
Newfield	1,193	298,895	299	296	954	3.19	4.19
North Berwick	1,620	608,154	608	662	1,296	2.13	3.13
Parsonsfeld	1,897	632,097	632	567	1,518	2.40	3.40
Saco	5,757	3,116,374	3,116	2,011	4,606	1.47	2.47
Shapleigh	1,088	251,118	251	395	870	3.46	4.46
Sanford	2,402	560,542	361	926	1,922	3.45	4.45
South Berwick	2,516	818,022	818	893	2,013	2.46	3.46
Waterboro'	1,548	364,270	364	481	1,238	3.37	4.37
Wells	2,773	683,940	684	936	2,218	3.23	4.23
York	2,654	771,776	772	875	2,123	2.75	3.75
Average						2.62	3.62

From the foregoing exhibit it would seem that, if any reduction must be made in the amounts to be raised annually for the support of our common schools, such reduction should affect the *per capita* rather than the mill tax. And this, first, because such reduction would lighten burdens where they now rest heaviest; second, because it would relieve the larger number of tax-payers; third, because it would still more nearly equalize taxation for school purposes; and, fourth, because it would not so much injure the schools, since the *per capita* tax fixes only the minimum to be raised, and leaves it for the people to raise more, if they see fit to do so.

FREE HIGH SCHOOLS.

The second general grade in our public school system, is the Free High School. Its purpose is to supplement the work of the common school, by giving a fuller training, and a wider range of instruction, than the latter can give; and to link it, on the one hand with the Normal School, and on the other with the seminaries and college preparatory schools. It is essentially and emphatically democratic in its tendencies and results, affording, as it does, to every community that will adopt it, the means for counteracting the tendency of the wealthy to become the ruling class through the force of the higher culture which wealth can easily secure, but from which poverty unaided is shut out. In it the son of the laborer and the son of the bond-holder meet on the same level. It gives to the former, in fitting him to enter upon the work of teaching, or other avocations calling for more knowledge than the common schools can impart, a lever by which he can if he will, clear from the path of his future progress every obstacle, and keep pace with his fellows more fortunate in birth and station.

It was to have been anticipated that, owing to the hard times which have marked the past year, the number of Free High Schools in the State, and the amount expended for their instruction, would have shown a marked decrease. The

annexed statistics, and comparative summary thereof, show that such anticipations were not well founded. And the fact that there has been no material decrease, either in the number of such schools, in the pupils attending them, or in the amounts expended for them, is conclusive evidence of their popularity, and that they are doing a work which the people will not willingly have left undone.

There is, however, an evident purpose to attack these schools, and, if possible, to eliminate them from our system. The success of such a purpose would be most unfortunate for the educational interests of the State. It would act to the serious detriment of both the common and the Normal Schools, as indicated on a preceding page; and it would prove a disadvantage to the higher seminaries under denominational control. Better than to abolish these schools would it be to take the amounts necessary for their support from the State funds now devoted solely to the support of the common schools.

For further information regarding these schools, attention is called to the following statistics :

FREE HIGH SCHOOL STATISTICS.

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TOWNS.	Total amount expended for instruction in Free High Schools.	Amount provided by towns or districts for support of same, by taxation, donation or bequest.	Amount unexpended from last year's appropriation.	Amount received from tuition.	Am't paid from State Treasury.	Number of terms of High School.	Length of High School in weeks.	Wages paid teachers, including board, per month.	Whole number of pupils registered.	Average attendance.
Alfred	\$600 00	\$300 00	-	-	\$300 00	3	29	\$83 33	79	42
Anson, District No. 1	900 00	638 00	-	\$175 00	362 50	3	50	120 00	122	65
Ashland	193 00	198 84	-	\$1 75	90 62	2	16	48 25	71	59
Atkinson, District No. 5	105 00	105 00	-	-	50 00	1	10	40 00	37	28
Auburn	3,300 00	3,300 00	-	-	500 00	3	33	-	128	120
Augusta, District No. 2	107 00	53 50	-	-	53 50	1	10	42 80	26	17
Bath	3,600 00	4,000 00	-	-	500 00	2	39	-	246	175
Bangor	3,000 00	3,800 00	-	72 20	500 00	3	37	-	179	149
Bluehill	141 75	500 00	-	-	70 87	1	12	-	32	22
Belfast, Central District	1,900 00	1,000 00	-	26 25	500 00	4	37	-	99	62
Belgrade, District No. 7	95 00	120 00	-	-	47 50	1	10	38 00	30	27
Berwick, Sullivan District	350 00	350 00	-	18 00	166 00	2	16	87 50	49	34
Boothbay	614 75	400 00	-	-	322 37	4	42	62 00	205	149
Bowdoin	140 00	80 00	-	-	70 00	1	10	56 00	24	20
Bowdoinham	623 50	700 00	\$47 00	-	311 75	3	34	75 57	71	64
Bradford	150 00	30 00	17 00	28 00	61 00	1	10	60 00	51	39
Bremen	135 00	135 00	-	15 00	60 00	1	10	54 00	35	30
Brewer	759 00	900 00	-	-	379 50	3	37	82 00	38	32

Bridgton, Union District No. 1	1,392 66	500 00	-	407 18	492 74	3	36	168 95	205	188
Bristol	327 50	-	325 87	11 61	157 94	2	20	65 50	102	79
Brooks	253 00	125 00	-	5 00	125 00	2	20	51 00	120	85
Brownville	165 00	100 00	9 03	-	82 50	1	11	60 00	63	50
Biddeford	2,500 00	1,000 00	-	-	500 00	4	40	-	79	77
Bucksport, District No. 1	476 00	500 00	-	-	238 00	3	40	-	42	30
Burnham, District No. 5	117 50	58 75	-	-	58 75	1	10	47 00	40	28
Burnham, District No. 10	150 00	75 00	-	-	75 00	1	10	60 00	49	33
Calais	1,450 00	1,170 00	-	53 00	500 00	3	38	152 63	90	75
Canton, District No. 2	225 00	225 00	-	-	112 50	1	10	90 00	75	65
Cape Elizabeth	1,212 50	900 00	-	12 00	500 00	3	35	138 33	100	80
Caribou	150 00	75 00	-	-	75 00	1	10	60 00	43	37
Carmel, District No. 11	75 00	75 00	-	-	37 50	1	10	30 00	7	5
Castine	1,000 00	500 00	-	-	500 00	3	35	114 28	53	37
Cherryfield	1,304 39	1,009 03	407 97	-	500 00	3	38	-	71	48
Clinton	541 40	300 00	-	18 00	261 70	3	26	83 00	168	141
Cumberland	1,264 66	1,200 00	-	180 00	500 00	3	33	153 29	196	157
Deering	1,241 00	1,000 00	-	-	500 00	3	34	133 32	255	120
Dixmont, District No. 5	80 00	40 00	-	-	40 00	1	10	32 00	29	23
Dennysville	574 50	693 10	25 00	-	287 25	3	33	69 63	61	54
Dexter	1,075 00	500 00	-	30 00	500 00	3	30	150 00	88	58
Easton, District No. 2	120 00	60 00	-	-	60 00	1	10	48 00	33	23
Easton, District No. 5	164 00	84 00	-	-	84 00	1	10	65 60	46	38
Eastport	1,500 00	1,000 00	-	-	500 00	4	40	150 00	146	101
East Machias	442 50	250 00	225 00	-	221 25	3	39	-	57	35
Eden	345 25	150 00	65 25	2 35	171 45	3	26	53 11	129	113
Ellsworth	1,052 00	1,000 00	243 26	-	500 00	3	36	115 77	60	41
Farmington, District No. 4	1,010 00	300 00	-	27	491 50	3	32	126 25	39	36
Fayette, District No. 3	166 50	166 50	-	-	83 25	2	18	37 00	30	22
Fort Fairfield	250 00	250 00	28 00	-	125 00	1	10	100 00	63	48
Foxcroft	510 79	500 00	-	-	255 39	4	40	51 08	110	85
Freeport	1,420 00	1,000 00	-	50 00	500 00	3	37	-	99	95
Frenchville	656 00	250 00	104 00	-	437 33	2	45	58 31	67	40
Gardiner	1,900 00	2,000 00	117 00	232 92	500 00	3	36	-	88	81
Georgetown	152 50	-	87 04	-	76 25	1	10	61 00	31	29
Gorham	480 00	475 00	71 90	-	240 00	2	24	80 00	102	73
Greene	112 00	56 00	-	-	56 00	1	10	44 80	28	25
Greenbush, District No. 3	117 50	80 00	-	-	58 75	1	10	47 00	41	33
Greenville	135 00	100 00	27 69	-	67 50	1	10	54 00	37	29

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Hallowell	\$1,200 00	\$1,000 00	-	-	\$500 00	3	39	-	49	40
Hampden, District No. 3	450 00	265 00	-	-	225 00	2	22	\$81 82	43	39
Hancock	252 50	150 00	-	\$8 00	122 25	2	20	50 50	57	47
Harmony	150 00	150 00	-	-	75 00	1	10	60 00	56	42
Harrison, District No. 10	70 00	70 00	-	1 40	34 30	1	10	28 00	23	19
Harpwell, Districts No. 4 and 5	283 99	130 00	\$133 24	21 50	131 25	2	18	63 10	62	46
Hiram	612 00	700 00	294 75	41 30	297 85	4	39	-	68	56
Industry	82 50	82 50	-	-	41 25	1	10	33 00	22	16
Island Falls, District No. 2	100 00	100 00	-	-	50 00	1	13	30 00	22	20
Islesboro'	231 25	123 00	-	-	115 62	1	10	92 50	51	49
Jackson	110 00	55 00	-	-	55 00	1	11	40 00	17	15
Kenduskeag	155 00	-	150 00	-	77 50	1	10	62 00	48	38
Kennebunk, District No. 5	966 33	750 00	-	24 00	357 55	3	36	107 37	100	87
Kennebunk, District No. 9	400 00	200 00	-	24 20	142 45	3	31	51 61	31	24
Kittery	1,000 00	500 00	-	-	500 00	3	42	95 24	61	54
Lamoine, District No. 2	155 00	100 00	-	12 00	71 50	1	10	62 00	32	28
Leeds	217 50	217 50	-	-	108 75	2	20	43 50	49	45
Lewiston	3,910 00	3,900 00	-	-	500 00	2	37	-	185	169
Limerick	744 12	500 00	-	67 50	338 31	2	22	135 30	124	96
Limington, District No. 18	135 00	100 00	-	20 00	57 50	1	10	54 00	26	22
Lincolnton	300 00	300 00	-	13 00	143 50	2	20	60 00	125	100
Linneus, District No. 2	127 50	69 00	-	-	63 75	1	10	51 00	34	30
Lisbon	1,010 00	500 00	-	-	500 00	3	29	-	195	180
Livermore	97 50	48 75	-	-	48 75	1	10	39 00	27	22
Machias	1,155 00	600 00	-	7 00	500 00	3	34	-	142	125
Mars Hill, District No. 2	100 00	50 00	-	-	50 00	1	10	40 00	23	19
Maysville	294 75	125 00	75 00	-	147 37	2	20	58 95	39	25

Meddybemps, District No. 1.....	290 00	100 00	-	-	100 00	1	10	80 00	26	21
Mexico, District No. 3.....	90 00	45 00	-	-	45 00	1	10	36 00	19	16
Milbridge.....	208 50	200 00	21 85	-	104 25	1	10	83 40	42	37
Milo.....	202 50	100 00	-	2 50	100 00	1	10	81 00	91	78
Monson.....	700 00	400 00	33 34	-	350 00	3	28	100 00	52	40
Mt. Chase.....	100 50	100 00	-	-	50 25	1	15	26 80	42	35
Naples.....	243 81	300 00	-	-	121 90	2	20	48 76	105	71
Naples, District No. 4.....	132 00	132 00	-	-	66 00	1	8	66 00	45	40
Newry, District No. 6.....	425 00	212 50	-	-	212 50	2	20	85 00	44	38
Newburg.....	250 00	-	206 50	-	125 00	2	20	50 00	76	53
New Gloucester.....	299 50	300 00	95 00	4 00	147 75	2	17	70 47	48	42
Newport.....	68 00	-	74 25	-	34 00	1	4	68 00	50	45
North Berwick.....	660 00	500 00	138 24	-	330 00	3	30	88 00	49	35
Norridgewoock.....	381 00	381 00	-	-	190 50	1	13	117 24	56	50
Norway.....	1,133 00	650 00	-	-	500 00	4	43	-	360	318
Oldtown, District No. 2.....	1,296 99	500 00	-	32 00	500 00	3	37	-	89	76
Orland.....	225 00	250 00	-	-	112 50	1	12	75 00	45	43
Orono.....	1,230 00	500 00	394 11	-	500 00	3	30	-	80	45
Orrington.....	125 00	-	95 24	-	62 50	1	10	50 00	57	46
Paris, District No. 2.....	400 00	200 00	-	40 00	180 00	1	10	160 00	95	82
Parsonsfield, District No. 12.....	200 00	100 00	-	-	100 00	1	10	80 00	35	30
Parsonsfield, District No. 7.....	125 00	62 50	-	-	62 50	1	10	50 00	29	25
Patten.....	400 00	200 00	-	-	200 00	3	30	53 33	75	40
Pembroke.....	1,317 00	500 00	-	3 00	500 00	3	34	-	98	90
Peru, District No. 5.....	75 00	37 50	-	-	37 50	1	10	30 00	24	20
Portland.....	9,500 00	9,500 00	-	-	500 00	2	40	-	452	345
Presque Isle.....	432 00	325 00	-	-	216 00	2	21	82 38	101	80
Princeton.....	504 00	100 00	24 06	-	252 00	3	32	63 00	49	28
Prospect.....	151 20	76 35	-	-	75 60	1	10	60 48	45	35
Raymond.....	150 00	150 00	-	-	75 00	1	10	60 00	28	24
Richmond.....	1,056 00	500 00	-	-	500 00	3	32	132 00	78	42
Rockland.....	1,821 50	1,500 00	-	10 00	500 00	3	34	-	92	82
Saco.....	1,895 48	1,800 00	-	15 00	500 00	3	38	-	84	76
Scarboro'.....	500 00	600 00	-	12 00	250 00	3	27	90 00	125	62
Searsmont, North District.....	100 00	45 00	-	10 00	45 00	1	10	40 00	23	19
Searsport.....	1,012 50	500 00	85 00	12 50	500 00	3	30	135 00	173	150
Shapleigh.....	517 50	350 00	-	3 00	257 25	2	22	94 09	48	44
Sherman.....	180 00	200 00	-	-	90 00	1	12	60 00	63	54
Skowhegan.....	2,668 00	500 00	-	120 00	500 00	3	36	-	205	167

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TOWNS.	Total amount expended for instruction in Free High Schools.	Amount provided by towns or districts for support of same, by taxation, donation or bequest.	Amount expended from last year's appropriation.	Amount received from tuition.	Am't paid from State Treasury.	Number of terms of High School.	Length of High School in weeks.	Wages paid teachers, including board, per month.	Whole number of pupils registered.	Average attendance.
Smithfield	\$120 00	\$60 00	-	-	\$60 00	1	10	\$48 00	23	23
South Thomaston	305 00	300 00	-	\$5 00	150 00	2	19	62 50	39	27
Springfield	192 00	100 00	-	-	96 00	1	12	64 00	44	38
Starks, District No. 1	92 00	92 00	-	22 50	34 75	1	10	37 00	23	19
Starks, District No. 4	100 00	100 00	-	-	50 00	1	10	40 00	27	22
Stetson	133 00	60 00	-	-	66 50	1	10	50 00	50	42
Steuben, District No. 1	180 00	90 00	-	-	90 00	1	10	72 00	38	32
Strong, Village District	190 30	95 15	-	-	95 15	1	10	76 12	51	48
Thomaston	1,276 22	1,000 00	-	5 00	500 00	3	34	-	65	50
Topsham	985 00	1,000 00	\$325 00	8 00	488 40	3	33	119 39	110	-
Troy	150 00	75 00	-	-	75 00	1	10	60 00	43	31
Turner	172 00	172 00	-	-	86 00	2	16	43 00	56	52
Union	300 00	300 00	-	-	150 00	2	20	60 00	78	51
Unity	175 00	175 00	-	-	87 50	1	10	70 80	45	41
Vassalboro', District No. 7	135 00	65 00	-	5 00	65 00	1	10	54 00	42	35
Vinalhaven	224 00	224 00	-	-	112 00	1	10	89 60	53	52
Waldo, District No. 5	150 00	75 00	-	-	75 00	1	10	60 00	45	40
West Waterville, District No. 1	633 50	300 00	-	-	316 75	3	29	87 36	72	36
Waldoboro', District No. 6	750 00	600 00	-	27 80	361 10	3	34	88 24	59	38
Warren	984 00	1,162 50	175 00	3 00	490 50	3	38	104 00	43	37
Waterford	370 50	400 00	-	9 00	180 75	2	21	51 52	110	93
Waterville	1,700 00	1,000 00	247 50	12 00	500 00	4	40	170 00	78	54
Wayne, District No. 1	125 00	62 50	-	-	62 50	1	10	50 00	31	28
Wells, District No. 16	140 00	150 00	-	-	70 00	1	10	56 00	32	28
Westbrook	1,263 32	500 00	-	-	500 00	4	44	105 75	113	92
Wells	905 50	1,000 00	-	-	452 50	3	36	100 60	182	161
West Gardiner, District No. 5	225 00	115 00	-	-	112 50	1	11	81 81	51	46

Whitefield, District No. 2	157 50	80 00	-	-	78 75	2	20	31 50	40	23
Windsor, District No. 1	105 00	52 50	-	-	52 50	1	10	42 00	22	14
Wiscasset, District No. 1	1,689 76	1,000 00	-	28 98	500 00	3	34	179 33	228	187
Woolwich	165 00	82 50	-	-	82 50	1	10	66 00	50	47
Yarmouth	1,500 00	1,000 00	-	-	500 00	3	36	166 66	100	70
Dover, District No. 9	70 00	35 00	-	-	35 00	1	8	35 00	20	17
Fairfield	453 00	300 00	268 33	-	226 50	3	30	60 00	108	102
	106,557 67	78,903 47	4,246 42	1,978 71	35,827 86	314	3,417	8,727 32	11,849	9,304

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TOWNS.	No. of pupils in Third Reader.	No. of pupils in Fourth Reader.	No. of pupils in Arithmetic.	No. of pupils in English Grammar.	No. of pupils in Geography.	No. of pupils in U. S. History.	No. of pupils in Ancient Languages.	No. of pupils in Modern Languages.	No. of pupils in Natural Sciences.	No. of pupils in Higher Mathematics.	No. of pupils in Book-keeping.	No. of pupils who have taught or intend to teach within a year.
Alfred	-	-	50	60	25	30	28	-	18	30	10	5
Anson, District No. 1	-	30	30	40	15	20	30	12	30	42	11	20
Ashland	-	66	53	50	36	11	-	2	14	34	2	5
Atkinson, District No. 5	-	37	26	30	12	20	2	1	17	21	8	-
Auburn	-	-	-	-	12	-	111	41	51	84	-	-
Augusta, District No. 2	-	26	25	10	9	-	-	-	-	4	5	-
Bath	-	-	32	137	-	5	108	82	140	153	28	-
Bangor	-	58	-	-	3	31	119	31	98	81	-	-
Bluehill	-	32	32	30	30	19	2	-	2	-	-	3
Belfast, Central District	-	43	23	35	58	-	46	12	35	71	13	6
Belgrade, District No. 7	1	29	29	24	6	-	-	-	5	9	-	5
Berwick, Sullivan District	-	41	25	25	32	-	8	-	8	28	39	12
Boothbay	32	173	147	106	85	33	11	-	33	12	11	6
Bowdoin	-	24	20	21	-	5	7	-	1	15	7	7

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Bowdoinham	-	71	39	54	18	8	23	-	9	39	7	15
Bradford	-	51	48	46	40	2	3	48	10	25	6	12
Bremen	-	35	35	34	10	-	6	-	4	15	11	-
Brewer	-	38	7	-	-	-	32	6	24	18	-	-
Bridgton, Union District No. 1	-	44	83	32	37	15	135	34	103	33	25	38
Bristol	-	67	50	35	34	8	8	-	8	19	7	7
Brooks	20	100	90	50	75	-	-	-	12	20	-	10
Brownville	-	56	55	46	17	10	10	-	9	16	6	10
Biddeford	-	34	-	-	34	-	45	10	75	75	16	-
Bucksport, District No. 1	-	-	4	-	-	-	36	19	33	35	1	6
Burnham, District No. 5	8	32	32	28	11	-	-	-	-	15	13	-
Burnham, District No. 10	12	30	30	30	15	25	3	-	2	14	4	10
Calais	-	90	26	40	38	-	80	20	65	40	14	16
Canton, District No. 2	30	45	25	20	17	15	8	-	10	20	-	14
Cape Elizabeth	-	33	33	33	33	28	48	15	83	56	42	-
Caribou	11	32	40	30	24	9	-	9	18	12	-	5
Carmel, District No. 11	-	7	7	7	1	6	3	-	-	5	2	4
Castine	-	18	22	23	-	21	25	11	21	18	2	6
Cherryfield	-	25	23	24	24	8	13	10	14	10	-	10
Clinton	-	138	144	113	81	46	6	-	6	74	15	20
Cumberland	-	33	37	25	12	5	17	3	10	21	19	12
Deering	-	199	123	99	75	26	95	23	97	127	-	3
Dixmont, District No. 5	-	26	28	21	15	5	-	-	1	10	-	3
Dennysville	-	61	42	33	32	18	10	5	23	17	10	-
Dexter	-	70	35	16	6	15	17	9	5	18	17	10
Easton, District No. 2	-	33	28	30	31	-	6	-	10	14	17	-
Easton, District No. 5	-	46	40	40	46	16	2	-	5	18	-	7

Eastport.....	-	72	72	72	72	72	43	15	53	41	-	-
East Machias.....	-	57	50	35	-	-	18	5	50	42	40	-
Eden.....	-	129	126	111	67	-	-	-	19	37	25	-
Ellsworth.....	-	-	10	32	14	31	55	7	12	49	6	1
Farmington, District No. 4.....	-	24	26	20	10	-	5	-	3	10	-	6
Fayette, District No. 3.....	-	30	27	20	5	-	-	-	4	10	5	2
Fort Fairfield.....	-	50	60	60	62	8	4	-	12	12	10	5
Foxcroft.....	-	110	90	70	40	50	20	2	20	40	23	25
Freeport.....	-	93	96	78	22	27	58	7	50	16	30	5
Frenchville.....	41	26	67	67	67	-	-	-	-	-	26	22
Gardiner.....	-	-	32	32	15	31	56	6	34	29	-	-
Georgetown.....	-	31	25	30	7	-	4	-	12	24	-	6
Gorham.....	-	102	101	71	49	2	4	-	15	37	4	8
Greene.....	12	16	14	17	8	9	5	-	-	16	14	6
Greenbush, District No. 3.....	20	21	36	13	12	-	-	-	3	7	-	-
Greenville.....	-	36	33	32	18	9	-	1	7	12	2	2
Hallowell.....	-	4	12	8	-	-	28	15	12	29	5	1
Hampden, District No. 3.....	-	21	32	39	12	5	11	4	7	28	14	16
Hancock.....	-	53	41	50	31	-	-	-	9	16	5	-
Harmony.....	-	56	37	25	16	-	8	6	-	13	-	10
Harrison, District No. 10.....	2	21	22	8	13	-	-	-	4	7	3	-
Harpwell, Districts Nos. 4 and 5.....	15	47	59	24	17	1	5	3	2	12	5	5
Hiram.....	-	68	49	59	20	5	14	3	9	35	10	7
Industry.....	5	16	21	10	4	3	-	-	4	5	3	3
Island Falls, District No. 2.....	7	12	15	8	13	8	-	-	1	2	2	1
Islesboro'.....	6	45	44	43	24	12	-	-	16	15	23	10
Jackson.....	3	14	17	10	4	-	-	-	2	5	4	1
Kenduskeag.....	-	48	34	48	24	8	17	-	-	21	-	20
Kennebunk, District No. 5.....	-	100	88	58	31	8	63	-	32	12	-	-
Kennebunk, District No. 9.....	-	30	30	25	30	15	7	-	-	5	-	1
Kittery.....	-	61	59	60	20	1	15	-	18	40	12	5
Lamoine, District No. 2.....	-	32	31	32	23	-	5	-	6	6	-	4
Leeds.....	-	30	25	30	13	-	13	6	7	22	7	6
Lewiston.....	-	185	38	23	23	-	90	53	102	71	-	-
Limerick.....	-	124	58	68	4	-	63	19	87	83	-	-
Limington, District No. 18.....	-	24	18	16	1	12	6	3	9	16	-	6
Lincolnton.....	-	125	121	99	25	25	9	-	24	32	4	6
Linneus, District No. 2.....	-	34	28	25	18	10	7	-	3	17	3	6
Lisbon.....	-	78	65	64	14	18	14	13	19	24	-	7

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Livermore	-	27	20	15	9	15	-	-	12	15	7	3
Machias	-	-	30	12	-	11	1	18	17	31	7	15
Mars Hill, District No. 2	-	22	21	22	10	5	2	-	16	5	12	4
Maysville	-	39	28	24	15	-	6	1	4	15	4	7
Meddybemps, District No. 1	13	13	24	10	22	-	-	-	4	4	3	-
Mexico, District No. 3	9	10	14	10	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Milbridge	-	42	36	42	22	6	-	-	8	20	14	7
Milo	11	70	75	47	34	13	7	-	6	30	7	8
Monson	7	45	42	43	28	9	5	-	15	12	7	6
Mt. Chase	10	12	29	25	16	8	-	9	-	-	16	1
Naples	24	81	67	47	30	10	13	-	5	30	8	9
Naples, District No. 4	5	40	37	20	15	-	7	-	-	15	-	-
Newry, District No. 6	-	-	34	31	17	-	17	-	2	13	4	-
Newburg	18	58	63	39	47	15	-	39	14	13	5	6
New Gloucester	-	45	42	28	14	-	8	-	7	16	12	7
Newport	-	46	50	40	20	10	2	2	4	32	18	4
North Berwick	-	49	32	31	-	14	14	22	7	18	19	3
Norridgewock	-	56	50	45	25	18	6	13	22	25	8	17
Norway	10	114	93	81	78	-	37	11	20	56	10	22
Oldtown, District No. 2	-	51	41	32	21	12	18	18	22	21	18	-
Orland	-	45	41	39	12	-	6	-	12	25	5	3
Orono	-	39	74	77	16	19	3	10	69	42	-	5
Orrington	-	57	50	57	4	9	3	10	-	29	7	4
Paris, District No. 2	-	56	70	52	64	-	15	2	18	10	-	8
Parsonsfield, District No. 12	-	15	12	16	5	-	11	-	7	10	-	15
Parsonsfield, District No. 7	-	20	15	18	10	8	-	-	11	13	-	5
Patten	5	75	65	60	30	6	10	-	12	10	6	12

Pembroke.....	-	63	90	65	62	24	10	5	26	42	-	10
Peru, District No. 5.....	7	17	18	7	9	1	-	-	2	3	1	2
Portland.....	-	452	7	452	452	452	125	427	400	400	-	16
Presque Isle.....	-	64	59	69	34	-	13	14	28	45	14	-
Princeton.....	-	21	30	28	23	2	8	2	3	10	13	2
Prospect.....	-	42	39	23	31	9	3	-	6	13	-	2
Raymond.....	4	24	18	20	-	10	10	-	8	15	-	9
Richmond.....	-	40	60	41	32	11	26	7	23	34	5	3
Rockland.....	-	92	36	36	-	-	42	4	92	50	-	-
Saco.....	-	84	19	20	-	-	50	33	84	54	-	2
Scarboro'.....	-	125	125	125	125	125	15	4	50	60	20	10
Searsmont, North District.....	5	16	22	12	12	-	-	-	4	4	-	1
Searsport.....	-	173	153	133	82	26	-	-	13	12	20	6
Shapleigh.....	10	35	39	38	12	2	7	-	19	20	3	5
Sherman.....	-	43	57	60	19	17	3	-	-	24	19	11
Skowhegan.....	-	205	97	89	37	40	54	10	84	50	40	10
Smithfield.....	-	16	23	24	6	-	-	-	4	15	16	8
South Thomaston.....	-	39	26	19	13	11	11	12	3	15	11	2
Springfield.....	-	10	34	31	32	22	8	-	10	29	-	24
Starks, District No. 1.....	-	23	23	12	17	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
Starks, District No. 4.....	4	23	23	16	7	-	-	-	2	10	6	5
Stetson.....	-	50	36	24	30	17	7	-	7	19	4	5
Steuben, District No. 1.....	-	38	38	27	18	-	-	-	-	17	16	-
Strong, Village District.....	3	44	43	28	19	2	-	-	6	22	11	6
Thomaston.....	-	-	24	24	-	24	22	9	18	23	4	1
Topsham.....	-	41	22	20	3	15	14	16	20	16	-	4
Troy.....	-	43	35	20	8	16	-	-	-	10	-	4
Turner.....	5	47	47	46	7	-	14	1	9	37	5	-
Union.....	-	78	58	77	58	6	2	-	11	35	16	15
Unity.....	-	36	44	40	24	36	-	-	8	21	7	10
Vassalboro', District No. 7.....	7	35	34	29	31	-	-	-	5	4	2	-
Vinalhaven.....	-	53	53	29	40	25	-	-	-	16	15	10
Waldo, District No. 5.....	13	38	33	17	14	3	-	-	6	8	1	5
West Waterville, District No. 1.....	-	72	50	45	16	3	32	7	23	34	22	5
Waldoboro', District No. 6.....	-	59	32	33	-	21	32	-	7	25	-	-
Warren.....	-	42	32	42	10	18	-	-	42	13	-	3
Waterford.....	-	99	68	65	47	14	8	-	30	39	18	12
Waterville.....	-	-	12	12	12	30	24	16	12	60	8	2
Wayne, District No. 1.....	-	31	31	31	7	2	4	-	5	7	5	-

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Wells, District No. 16.....	6	22	10	15	8	-	5	7	4	9	4	-
Westbrook.....	-	83	71	57	35	20	32	12	22	45	18	10
Wells.....	-	170	135	103	60	8	26	-	26	36	4	12
West Gardiner, District No. 5.....	6	24	25	15	15	4	6	-	-	7	4	4
Whitefield, District No. 2.....	9	31	30	18	7	16	-	-	5	16	3	9
Windsor, District No. 1.....	1	20	20	18	12	-	-	-	5	15	11	7
Wiscasset, District No. 1.....	132	96	142	51	106	-	30	-	22	19	-	4
Woolwich.....	-	50	46	47	45	-	-	-	-	13	14	1
Yarmouth.....	-	-	25	30	15	15	25	10	18	16	12	5
Dover, District No. 9.....	-	17	20	12	10	5	-	4	-	10	-	4
Fairfield.....	-	108	108	108	50	25	20	-	50	22	-	8
	550	7,263	6,906	6,435	3,282	2,095	2,699	1,330	3,312	3,795	1,125	933

COMPARATIVE SUMMARY.

ITEMS.	1878.	1877.	Increase or Decrease.
Number of towns in which Free High Schools have been had.....	150	151	dec. 1
Total amount expended for instruction in Free High schools.....	\$106,557 67	\$111,911 26	dec \$5,353 69
Amount provided by town or district for support of same by taxation, donation or bequest.....	78,903 47	79,739 95	dec. 836 48
Amount unexpended from last year's appropriation.....	4,246 42	5,062 26	dec. 815 84
Amount received from tuition.....	1,978 71	2,028 26	dec. 49 55
Amount paid from State Treasury.....	35,827 86	36,568 01	dec. 740 15
Number of terms of High School.....	314	319	5
Length of High School in weeks.....	3,417	3,457	dec. 40
Average wages paid teachers, including board, per month.....	\$66 12	\$75 81	dec. \$9 69
Whole number of pupils registered.....	11,849	11,839	10
Average attendance.....	9,304	9,613	dec. 309
Number of pupils in Third Reader.....	550	577	dec. 27
Number of pupils in Fourth Reader and Higher.....	7,263	8,691	dec. 1,428
Number of pupils in Arithmetic.....	6,906	7,530	dec. 624
Number of pupils in English Grammar.....	6,435	6,423	12
Number of pupils in Geography.....	3,282	4,190	dec. 908
Number of pupils in U. S. History.....	2,095	-	-
Number of pupils in Ancient Languages...	2,699	2,795	dec. 96
Number of pupils in Modern Languages...	1,330	992	338
Number of pupils in Natural Sciences.....	3,312	3,369	dec. 57
Number of pupils in Higher Mathematics...	3,795	-	-
Number of pupils in Book-keeping.....	1,125	-	-
Number of pupils who have taught or intend to teach within a year.....	933	-	-

NORMAL SCHOOLS.

The Normal Schools have been attended with their usual success during the year. From each of the two older schools have gone out fine classes of trained teachers,—live, enthusiastic, cultivated young men and women, whose services to society, through their work in the schools, no money value can measure. And besides those graduating, larger numbers of under-graduates have gone out from them, for longer or shorter terms of service in the schools before returning to finish the work of preparation. Such have carried into their work as teachers, a better knowledge and deeper sense of their responsibilities, and a greater skill in the details of school work, which richly compensate, in good to the State, for all the cost of their tuition.

It is a mistaken idea which measures the value of these schools by the number of graduates from them, or even by the number of those who have been connected with them as pupils. The great mass of our younger and less experienced teachers, build up their methods after the models of those who made upon them as pupils the latest forcible impressions. Every good teacher thus multiplies himself, to greater or less extent, in every pupil who passes from under his immediate influence and training to the teacher's desk. And so the influence of the Normal Schools has made itself felt, in greater or less degree, since their establishment, in nearly every school-room in the State. Many a teacher to-day, who has never seen a Normal School, nor even a graduate from one, owes his success and reputation to normal methods of work, so general has been the influence of these institutions.

The annexed reports of the Secretary of the Board of Trustees, and of the principals of these schools, give full details of their condition, work and wants. In most, if not all the views therein expressed, I heartily concur. Especially do I concur in the suggestion that their courses of study be so modified that pupils having the proper literary qualifications, may graduate from them at the end of one year. In order to do this there should be two courses, each complete in itself, and yet so related that the longer shall be the supplement of the shorter.

This or some similar modification is rendered necessary by the opening of the new school at Gorham with a one year's course, and the consequent liability of that school to trespass on the ground now occupied by the other two. Whether the modified courses shall be general to the three schools, or shall affect only the two older ones, time and experience will show.

Since the annexed report of the Secretary was made, the Gorham school has begun its work under auspices more flattering than even its most hopeful friends anticipated for it. At this writing about eighty pupils are in attendance, with

prospects that the full number for the present term, will reach nearly or quite a full hundred. Started on the two-term plan, so that, when fully established, two classes shall enter and two graduate each year, the number thus entering this first term indicates for the school a career of usefulness that shall fully prove the wisdom of its establishment. And to such a career every circumstance of situation and organization is favorable. It is easy of access, and in a community whose zeal for its success is indicated in the magnificent endowment which it has bestowed upon it; is in the very heart of the most populous and wealthy section of the State; is thoroughly equipped for its work; has connected with it a large and commodious boarding-house, so managed as to furnish board at much less than the average rates; and is under the charge of a principal whose reputation for culture, and as an educator, is more than State wide, and who has under him a carefully selected corps of assistants of proved fitness, and of experience in their several departments.

Besides the schools for professional training here reported, another of far more modest pretensions, but destined to do a very important work, has been inaugurated and is now in successful operation. By an act approved February 21, 1878, the Legislature provided for establishing a training school for teachers in the Madawaska territory, so called, and further provided that, for its support, the sum of \$1,000 should be deducted and set aside as a fund in the State Treasury, from the school funds appropriated to the several municipalities included in that territory, and enumerated in the act. The reasons for establishing and maintaining, for a time at least, such a school are to be found in the peculiar character of the people of this section. They are almost wholly French and French speaking. To Americanize them, to bring them out of their isolation in character, modes of life and of thinking, and make them, as far as possible, homogeneous with the population surrounding them, has been the purpose of various educational experiments since 1857. To teach these people, with other necessary things, to speak and read English, and

thus break down the barriers between them and the "outside," has been found a difficult thing to do. Such work requires teachers versed in the ordinary branches to be taught, and also able to speak and read both languages. To secure such teachers in sufficient number, who could afford to work for the small pay made necessary by the comparative poverty of the section, has hitherto been practically impossible. Hence the educational progress of the section, while, perhaps, as great as could have been expected under the circumstances, has not been commensurate with the expenditures made. In view of all the circumstances of the case, and after a somewhat careful personal examination of the schools in most of the towns and plantations comprised in the section, the one thing needed seemed to be some special agency for training up a special body of teachers from the native population. Hence the Madawaska training school.

The school was opened September 30, at Fort Kent, under the charge of Mr. Vetal Cyr, assisted by Miss Mae B. Morrill. Mr. Cyr is a native of that section, was educated at Houlton Academy and the State College, and has had a successful experience as teacher in some of the best schools of Aroostook county. Miss Morrill is a graduate of the Farmington Normal School. Both teachers are well fitted for their work. During the first term, ending December 20, forty-six pupils were in attendance, and so thoroughly interested in their work that the daily attendance for the term reached the very high average of forty-four. All pursued the common school studies named in the statutes, with the exception of Physiology and Book-keeping, using English text-books; and special attention was given to training them to speak and think in good English. After the close of the present term of twelve weeks, the school will be transferred to Van Buren, where two similar terms will be had under the same teachers. It is doing so promising a work that I most strongly advise its continuance for at least two consecutive years longer, and after that on alternate years. I would further advise that, as

a matter of equity, it be placed, as to the funds for its support, on the same basis as the other Normal schools.

For further information attention is called to the following reports of the Secretary of the Board of Trustees, and of the principals of the several schools :

FARMINGTON, Dec. 1, 1878.

TO HON. W. J. CORTHELL,

State Superintendent of Common Schools :

The annual report of the condition of the State Normal Schools is herewith respectfully submitted by the Secretary of the Board of Trustees :

The attendance during the school year has been as follows :

Western Normal School—Fall Term, 106; Spring, 148.

Eastern Normal School—Fall Term, 85; Winter, 59; Spring, 137.

After a careful inspection of the building at Castine by a competent architect, the safety of pupils and teachers, as well as the preservation of the building itself, demanded extensive repairs, which have been completed during the year. The building is now in good order, and it is hoped no further repairs will be found necessary for several years.

The school building at Farmington is in good order. The present season a new fence has been built on two sides of the ground, and all the rooms and halls have been newly varnished.

In each school additions have been made to library and apparatus, and both are in good condition in these respects.

In accordance with the act passed by the last legislature, establishing "an additional normal school," the Trustees early last spring met at Portland, and thence proceeded to Gorham. After a careful inspection of land and buildings belonging to the Gorham Seminary Trustees, and listening to the proposals made by the Gorham people, it was voted "to locate the new normal school in Gorham, on the McLellan lot." A committee, consisting of Governor Connor, Supt. Corthell and S. T. Pullen, was created to represent the Board of Trustees in all matters connected with location and construction. The new building is now nearly completed and ready for occupancy, and early in the new year the Gorham Normal School will be put in operation, with a first-class corps of teachers. In justice to the Gorham people, it should be stated that they have from the outset shown a desire to follow strictly the wishes of the Trustees, in all matters pertaining to the location and erection of the new building, and, also, in the repairing of the old seminary building. Their munificent gift, whereby the State receives for educational purposes buildings and grounds valued at no less than *forty thousand dollars*, has established and richly endowed an institution which we believe will be no less the pride of Gorham in the future than the old academy and seminary have been in the past. This school, located in a town noted alike

for its culture and hospitality, in the wealthiest and most populous section of the State, is destined to become in our educational system all that its benefactors and friends have anticipated.

By the liberality of the people of Gorham a magnificent edifice has been erected for school purposes, and a large boarding-house fitted up for the use of young ladies attending the school. The two lots of land on which the buildings are situated, contain eight acres. The town of Gorham raised by vote for the school the sum of \$15,000; private individuals residing in town contributed \$8,000; the Trustees of the seminary gave their fund, amounting to \$5,000, also the real estate and other property belonging to the Gorham Seminary, valued at \$12,000,—making in all a total of \$40,600, which in due time will be formally conveyed to the State.

RECEIPTS.

Annual appropriations for 1878,	-	-	-	\$22,500 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Teachers' salaries—Farmington and Castine,	-	-	-	\$13,283 93
Fuel,	-	-	-	388 17
Repairs,	-	-	-	618 10
Books, apparatus and furniture,	-	-	-	6,607 08
Trustees and incidentals	-	-	-	363 02
Balance unexpended,	-	-	-	1,239 70
				<u>\$22,500 00</u>

For list of text-books and other valuable information and suggestions regarding the Normal Schools, reference is made to the reports of the principals, which are herewith submitted.

D. H. KNOWLTON, *Secretary.*

STATE NORMAL SCHOOL, }
Farmington, Me., Nov. 1, 1878. }

TO MR. D. H. KNOWLTON,

Secretary of Board of Trustees of Normal Schools:

I herewith submit the annual report of this school for the school year 1877-8.

The number of pupils for the fall term was 106; for the spring term, 148.

The following text-books were used during the year: Walter Smith's Drawing Books, Hillard's and Sargent's Readers, Hutchinson's Physiology, Harper's Geography, Maury's Physical Geography, Dana P. Colburn's Common School Arithmetic, Greenleaf's Elementary Algebra, Evans's Geometry, Bryant and Stratton's Book-keeping, Whitney's Essentials of English Grammar, Eliot's United States History, Gray's Botany, (How Plants Grow,) Norton's Physics, Steele's Physics, Hooker's Chemistry, Jardine's Psychology, Wickersham's School Economy, Herbert Spencer on Education, Currie's Infant School Education, Currie's Common School Education.

The apparatus is in good condition. Some additions have been made by purchase, and some most useful pieces of apparatus have this year been made at home. Some further very desirable additions will be made this term.

Our library has been increased to a small extent. Although it contains only about one thousand volumes, these are so carefully selected that it proves invaluable, not only in the daily work of the school, but as a means of cultivating the taste of the pupils and giving them that practical acquaintance with books and with authors which will enable them in after life to choose and to read wisely. It would be greatly to the advantage of the school to require each term the payment of a small library fee, to be devoted to the purchase of new books. The library would then be in constant growth, and would thus, better than in any other way, be adapted to the developing wants of the school.

The school-house is in good condition. It has this term—fall term, 1878—been re-varnished throughout.

In several successive annual reports I have recommended the addition of an optional advanced course of one year. A portion of our pupils desire this very much, and, quoting from my report of last year, "I can only renew the repeated expressions of former years that such a course is greatly needed as a relief to our present crowded course of study, as a means of training some of our pupils to a higher degree of culture and efficiency, and also as a means of furnishing to all our pupils additional facilities for distinctive professional training."

The Board of Trustees, at their annual meeting last July, ordered that the Model and Training School be re-established in the building of the Normal School and under its control. It was very difficult to find a suitable teacher, and the school did not open till the Normal School had been in session several weeks. Arrangements were finally made with Miss Olive Hambly, a graduate of the Normal School of Washington, D. C., and a teacher in the public schools of that city, to take the position. The public school authorities of Washington declined to accept Miss Hambly's resignation, but gave her leave of absence for one year on condition that we send a first-class teacher to take her place. The Training School is now in highly successful operation under Miss Hambly's instruction, and our pupils are once more gaining a practical acquaintance with the best methods of teaching a primary school. I take pleasure in stating that Miss Hambly's former position in Washington is now successfully filled by Miss Clara M. Woodward, a member of the last class graduating from this school.

We have been fortunate throughout the year in the general good health of teachers and pupils, and in the earnest and successful work of the school.

Respectfully submitted.

CHARLES C. ROUNDS.

STATE NORMAL SCHOOL. }
 Farmington, Me., Dec., 1878. }

TO HON. W. J. CORTHELL,

State Superintendent of Common Schools :

I herewith present my annual report of the Western Normal School, in accordance with the requirements of law.

For most statements in regard to the condition of the school, I would refer to my report to the Secretary of the Board of Trustees.

The numbers in attendance during the past year were, in the Fall Term, 106; in the Spring Term, 148. At the close of the Fall Term a class of 12 was graduated from the school, and at the close of the Spring Term a class of 27. Nearly all pupils come to the Normal School with the well defined purpose of fitting themselves for teaching, and for some years such has been the regularity of attendance that nearly all are present at the opening of the term and but few leave before its close.

Our school year consists of thirty-eight weeks, divided into two terms. The entire course is two years. Most of our pupils come from the common schools of the State, and their previous educational advantages vary widely. Many of them, upon the completion of their course, exceedingly desire the privilege of further study for one year in the Normal School. To the young men this is a matter of vital importance, as without this further study very few of them can teach high school, and only by teaching these schools for a part of the year can they in any proper sense of the word devote themselves to teaching. Those graduating from the Normal School, prepared to teach high schools, usually obtain employment for at least three terms in the year, and thus make teaching a business; those not thus prepared can teach only winter schools, and soon leave teaching, of necessity, for some other calling. I believe it would be greatly to the advantage of the Normal School and of the State to establish an optional advanced course of one year, to enable us to meet the demand made upon us by the passage of the Free High School bill.

In the establishment of the Normal School the State declares special preparation for the duties of the teacher to be necessary. In consequence of the failure to take next the logically inevitable step that the teacher shall *in some way* obtain special preparation for his work, the cause of education in this State suffers grievous wrong. It is not to the credit of the State that the diploma of a Maine normal school is to-day worth more to one of its graduates in California than in Maine; that for want of any system of examination for admission to the business of teaching, there is now in our State no standard of qualification for teachers, and that those most carefully trained are so often lost in a mob of incapables who attempt to teach because they are fit for nothing else, and who find employment because they underbid all others.

There is urgent need of an entirely different mode of certifying teachers, and no great improvement in the condition of the common school seems possible till it is adopted. But this subject I consider quite fully in my last year's report, and need not repeat in this. A wise

economy, an enlightened self-interest, will certainly dictate that some means should speedily be taken to give the profession such recognition and remuneration at home as will stop the exodus of our best teachers to other States.

Respectfully submitted.

CHARLES C. ROUNDS.

STATE NORMAL SCHOOL. }
Castine, Me., November 1st, 1878. }

DAVID H. KNOWLTON Esq.,

Secretary of Board of Trustees :

DEAR SIR:—I submit my report of the school year ending June 12th. The number of pupils attending the fall term was eighty-five; winter term, fifty-nine; spring term, one hundred and thirty-seven. Three terms comprise the school year: From third Tuesday of August, 14 weeks; from second Tuesday of December, 10 weeks; from last Tuesday of February, 14 weeks. Students are graduated at the close of any term when their work is finished.

In order that the Normal Schools may be of the highest value to the State, it is necessary that pupils be induced to take a full course, through the influence of a prospect of remunerative employment in the public schools after graduation. A more thorough system of examination of teachers will tend to produce this result.

As it is very desirable that pupils be connected with the Normal School at least one year, I suggest to the Board for consideration the desirability of a short course of one year, including the branches taught in common schools, with a thorough drill in the theory and practice of teaching. Advantages: Many pupils who now take but one or two terms will complete a year; many who complete the short course with high rank will take the full course. More pupils will enter the Normal School and more good teachers will go from it.

The school has an excellent library for general and professional reading, and many of the text-books used in the school are loaned to the pupils. The philosophical apparatus is in good condition. The chemical laboratory has a large table covered with lead, furnished with tanks, drawers, water, pipes and chemicals. After the students have received some instruction in theoretical chemistry, they are given practical work at the table in experimenting. As improvements are constantly being made in school apparatus, and valuable books are published from time to time, a small yearly appropriation for books and apparatus is more to be desired than larger appropriations made at long intervals of time. The supply of maps and charts is ample.

The building has been most thoroughly repaired and strengthened. The slate was taken from the roof, which leaked badly, and first quality shingles put on. The walls have been painted. The house now is very substantial and further expenditure will not be required for many years. The steam-heating apparatus has been kept in good condition, and by the

constant care of an efficient janitor, the building can generally be kept comfortable; but the boiler has very little capacity for surplus steam, and much extra coal and care are required to keep up the requisite pressure in cold weather. A wrought iron tubular boiler can be obtained at a small cost, and the saving in coal and care would pay the expense in a few years. The attention of the Board is called to this subject.

The following text-books have been used: French's and Hagar's Arithmetics, Robinson's and Greenleaf's Algebras, Brooks' Geometry, Kerl's and Whitney's Grammars, Quackenbos' Rhetoric, Collier's English Literature, Franklin Sixth Reader, Harper's Common School Geography, Guyot's Physical Geography, Tenny's Geology, Dalton's Physiology, Norton's Physics and Chemistry, Gray's Botany, Lockyer's Astronomy, Andrews' Science of Government, Porter's Mental Science, Wickersham's School Economy and Methods of Instruction, Page's Theory and Practice of Teaching, Jewel's School Government, History of Education, Barnes' History of the United States, Swinton's General History, Smith's Free-hand Drawing, Bryant's Book Keeping.

Respectfully submitted.

G. T. FLETCHER.

STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.
Castine, December 1, 1878. }

HON. W. J. CORTHELL.

State Superintendent of Common Schools:

I submit my annual report; details with regard to the school will be found in my report to the Secretary of the Board of Trustees. The total attendance during the year has been larger than was expected, considering the "hard times," and the low wages paid to teachers.

In order to secure a larger attendance of earnest able young men for a full normal course, there must be a higher standard of qualifications demanded of teachers. The fruits of wise training can be secured only by the employment of those who have acquired knowledge and skill through such training.

Better preparation of pupils to enter our Normal Schools, and inducements to retain them there for a full course of study, are results much to be desired, but which can be obtained only through an improvement of our common school system. The Normal course of study is admirably adapted to the end for which it was designed—the preparation of teachers for their work in and out of the school room. Though the merits of a school are to be determined by the success of its graduates, the amount of teaching secured by the State as the result of normal training in this institution is not indicated by the service of graduates alone. About one thousand pupils have taught in the schools of the State after taking a partial course. The best results cannot be expected from this class of teachers, but much valuable work has been performed by them. As it is possible that a course of one year might prove of advantage to pupils

and State, your attention is called to the report made to the Secretary of the Board.

The pressing need of the time, especially in our State, is a strong public sentiment which shall appreciate and demand better school instruction. The best governments of the world are being driven, by the force of events, to the conclusion that neither in material resources nor in powerful armies is there safety and security for life and property. The only hope of the nations is through right education, that which will render the people intelligent and virtuous.

No material changes have been made in the course of study, though the number of branches taken during the two years might be profitably reduced.

It is the aim of the teachers to combine professional with academic work throughout the course. Each recitation is conducted with special reference to the best methods of teaching the subject considered. General exercises in school economy are given several times per week, and the pupils are required to teach normal classes and to spend considerable time in observation or practice teaching in the Model School. This school has been re-graded and much improved during the past year. The studies pursued and the method of teaching afford an example in classification and work which is of value to the Normal student. The advantages of the school could be better utilized were the pupils in the Normal School building.

Two teachers were employed at the beginning of the fall term, to fill the vacancies made by the resignation of Miss Lufkin and Mr. Philbrook, Mr. Potter, a graduate of Brown University, recently a teacher in Vermont Academy, and Mr. Frost, a graduate of this school, a teacher of successful experience, have very acceptably filled the positions.

Miss Lufkin was connected with the school seven years, and by her ability, earnestness and faithfulness won the high regard of her associate teachers and the pupils. Mr. Philbrook was connected with the school two years, manifesting good abilities in his class work.

Now that Normal Schools have become established facts, and are coming to be recognized as a necessary part of our common school system, it is of vital importance that they be generously supported by the Legislature and patronized by the people. The good results of professional training for teachers will be so manifest during the next decade of years, if the schools are well supported and the pupils generally employed to teach our schools, that any present doubts of their efficiency and opposition to their work will entirely disappear. The schools and the people must become more intimately acquainted.

Respectfully.

G. T. FLETCHER.

OAK GROVE SEMINARY,
Vassalboro', Dec. 23, 1878. }

Hon. W. J. CORTHELL,

State Superintendent of Common Schools :

DEAR SIR :—I herewith submit the annual report of the Normal Department of Oak Grove Seminary for the school year beginning November 13, 1877, and ending November 1st, 1878. This department has been in successful operation thirty-three weeks.

The following is the list of students in attendance, with age, date of entering, and weeks present :

NAMES.	Age.	Date of entering.	Date of leaving.	Weeks present.
J. Frank Hammond †	21	Aug. 20, 1878,	—	11
Milton E. Chadwick	18	do	—	11
Eddie S. Crane †	19	do	—	11
Frank H. Rollins	16	Nov. 13, 1877,	April 26, 1878,	22
Merton A. Rollins †	18	Feb. 25, 1878,	do	9
Harford H. Weed †	23	Feb. 12, 1878,	do	11
J. Albert Jones †	21	Aug. 20, 1878,	—	11
Horace M. Drummond †	20	Feb. 25, 1878,	April 26, 1878,	9
Arthur T. Drummond *	21	Aug. 20, 1878,	Oct. 11, 1878,	8
William A. Clark †	19	Feb. 25, 1878,	April 26, 1878,	9
Frank A. Appleton *	18	Nov. 13, 1877,	Nov. 1, 1878,	33
Julian G. Corson	19	do	do	33
Josiah Colson	20	Feb. 12, 1878,	April 26, 1878,	11
John M. Cates *	19	March 11, 1878,	do	7
Everett H. Ewer	18	Aug. 20, 1878,	Nov. 1, 1878,	11
William J. Hawes	17	Feb. 12, 1878,	April 26, 1878,	11
J. Harvey Mosher	18	Nov. 13, 1877,	Nov. 1, 1878,	33
Luther E. Pierce †	23	March 11, 1878,	April 12, 1878,	5
Wellington C. Wheeler *	20	Nov. 13, 1877,	Feb. 1, 1878,	11
Orion J. Dutton	18	do	Nov. 1, 1878,	33
Charles F. Ayer	17	do	Sept. 6, 1878,	26
Elmer W. Chadwick	17	Aug. 20, 1878,	Nov. 1, 1878,	11
Alton R. Crane	18	do	do	11
Orrett J. Hussey	19	do	do	11
Eugene W. Jewett	15	do	do	11
Rufus M. Jones	16	do	do	11
Anna M. Graves †	18	Feb. 18, 1878,	April 26, 1878,	10
Jessie F. Banton †	20	do	do	10
Mary F. Ewer †	22	Aug. 20, 1878,	Nov. 1, 1878,	9
Ida C. Day †	18	Nov. 13, 1877,	Sept. 21, 1878,	27
Sadie C. Starkey †	15	Feb. 25, 1878,	Nov. 1, 1878,	20
Ella F. Graves	17	Feb. 12, 1878,	April 26, 1878,	11
Ella F. Colby *	17	Nov. 13, 1877,	do	22
Carrie E. Cates †	17	Aug. 20, 1878,	Nov. 1, 1878,	11
Marcia S. Wakefield †	19	Feb. 12, 1878,	April 26, 1878,	11
Estella Barton †	18	Nov. 13, 1877,	do	22
Ellen M. Pierce *	16	Feb. 12, 1878,	do	11
Hattie Barton †	19	do	do	11
Hattie Gray †	19	Aug. 20, 1878,	Nov. 1, 1878,	11
Maria W. Taber	15	Feb. 12, 1878,	Sept. 25, 1878,	16
Edith Weeks *	17	Nov. 13, 1877,	Nov. 1, 1878,	33
Mary Ames †	18	do	April 26, 1878,	22
Agnes M. Goff *	17	do	do	22
Lizzie M. Robinson †	17	do	Nov. 1, 1878,	30
Mary C. Alley †	19	do	do	33

Names marked (*) have taught one term or are engaged in teaching.

Names marked † have taught more than one term.

NAMES.	Age.	Date of entering.	Date of leaving.	Weeks present.
Lilla B. Barrows *.....	18	Feb. 12, 1878,	April 26, 1878,	11
Carrie E. Lamson *.....	16	Feb. 18, 1878,	do	10
Lida C. Mosher.....	17	Feb. 12, 1878,	do	11
Nettie H. Nash *.....	15	Nov. 13, 1877,	do	22
Cora B. Pierce *.....	16	Feb. 18, 1878,	do	10
Sophia A. Robbins.....	18	Nov. 13, 1877,	Feb. 1, 1878,	11
Emma L. Woodbury.....	17	do	do	11
Abbie E. Weed †.....	20	Feb. 12, 1878,	April 26, 1878,	11
Frank D. Barr *.....	20	Nov. 13, 1877,	Nov. 1, 1878,	31
Elmer C. Butterfield.....	16	Aug. 20, 1878,	do	11
Chase H. Taber.....	16	do	do	11
Olive N. Atwood.....	16	Nov. 13, 1878,	do	30
Rachie G. Ayer.....	15	do	do	33
Alma Smiley.....	15	Aug. 20, 1878,	do	11
Anna W. Bean *.....	17	Aug. 27, 1878,	Sept. 27, 1878,	5
John E. Dinsmore.....	16	Aug. 20, 1878,	Nov. 1, 1878,	11
Alice R. Taber †.....	18	Nov. 13, 1878,	Feb. 1, 1878,	11

Names marked (*) have taught one term or are engaged in teaching.

Names marked (†) have taught more than one term.

TEXT-BOOKS. Arithmetic—Greenleaf's Practical; Algebra—Greenleaf; Geometry—Greenleaf; Grammar—Harvey's; Geography—Monteith; History, U. S.—Barnes; History, General—Anderson; History, Natural—Hooker; Physiology, Natural Philosophy and Astronomy—Steele; Mental Philosophy—Haven; Rhetoric—Hart; Science of Government—Alden; Readers—Monroe; Spellers—Worcester; Dictionaries—Webster and Worcester; Book-keeping—Bryant and Stratton.

Respectfully,

E. H. COOK, *Principal*.

MAINE CENTRAL INSTITUTE, }
Pittsfield, Nov. 1, 1878. }

HON. W. J. CORTHELL,

State Superintendent of Common Schools:

Herewith I submit the annual report of the Normal Department of Maine Central Institute.

The school year consists of four terms of ten weeks each. The winter term began November 5, 1877, and the fall term closed October 25, 1878.

The number of pupils in attendance during the winter term was 10; during the spring term, 27; during the summer term, 14; and during the fall term, 31; making a total of 82 for the four terms, consisting of 53 different pupils. In addition to the regular classes, a teachers' class of more than fifty, outside of the Normal classes, was sustained, by the Normal teachers, in the fall term.

When any pupil under sixteen years of age is received, it is with the understanding that two years shall be spent on the first year's course.

The following is a list of text-books used during the year: Webster's and Worcester's Dictionaries, Franklin Sixth Reader, Martin's Civil Gov-

ernment, Lockyer's Astronomy, Thalheimer's General History, Barnes' and Higginson's U. S. Histories, Dana's Geological Story, Hopkins' Outline Study of Man, Underwood's American Authors. Shaw's English Literature, Greenleaf's Practical Arithmetic and Elementary Algebra, Loomis' Geometry, Whitney's Essentials of English Grammar, Norton's Physics, Youman's Chemistry, Wood's Botany, Hart's Rhetoric, Hutchinson's Physiology, Smith's Free-hand Drawing, Meservey's Book-keeping, Wickersham, Hart, Johonnot and others in Didactics: Many other books for reference are kept on the tables of the teachers.

Respectfully submitted.

CYRUS JORDAN,

Principal of the Normal Department.

STUDENTS.

NAME.	Age.	Date of entering.	Date of leaving.	Days present.
George M. Atwood.....	22	Aug. 19, 1878,	Sept. 27, 1878,	23
Rana S. Bailey.....	18	March 4, 1878,	April 5, 1878,	25
Winnie A. Bean.....	17	Jan. 28, 1878,	do	46
Horace A. Bennett.....	17	Nov. 5, 1877,	Jan. 11, 1878,	48
Abbie S. Bowker.....	14	Aug. 19, 1878,	Oct. 25, 1878,	50
John F. Boynton.....	21	Jan. 28, 1878,	March 1, 1878,	24
Ada W. Brown.....	16	March 4, 1878,	April 5, 1878,	25
Edward L. Brown.....	22	do	Sept. 27, 1878,	99
Edson A. Buker.....	20	April 5, 1878,	May 17, 1878,	24
Stevie J. Buzzell.....	20	March 4, 1878,	Oct. 25, 1878,	75
Florence A. Cilley.....	20	Jan. 28, 1878,	do	100
Nettie M. Connor.....	16	Aug. 19, 1878,	do	26
Anson B. Davis.....	20	Jan. 28, 1878,	Oct. 8, 1878,	87
Lucy J. Dillingham.....	20	do	April 5, 1878,	49
Thomas Denning.....	19	March 4, 1878,	do	25
Albert D. Dodge.....	19	Aug. 26, 1878,	Oct. 4, 1878,	27
Inez Drake.....	15	Nov. 5, 1877,	Oct. 25, 1878,	198
Ella F. Dudley.....	19	Jan. 28, 1878,	April 5, 1878,	47
Edith V. Farnham.....	14	Aug. 24, 1878,	Oct. 25, 1878,	47
Freda C. Files.....	15	Aug. 19, 1878,	do	50
Etta M. Getchell.....	17	Nov. 5, 1877,	June 20, 1878,	105
H. Ada Gifford.....	23	do	Oct. 23, 1878,	117
Hattie F. Gifford.....	17	April 15, 1878,	May 17, 1878,	25
Lottie E. Gifford.....	19	Aug. 19, 1878,	Oct. 25, 1878,	50
Susie A. Hall.....	22	Jan. 28, 1878,	March 1, 1878,	24
Ida C. Hersey.....	14	Aug. 19, 1878,	Oct. 25, 1878,	50
James W. Higgins.....	20	do	do	50
Annie E. Lancey.....	15	do	do	48
Inez M. Leathers.....	17	Nov. 5, 1877,	Jan. 11, 1878,	49
Lizzie E. Littlefield.....	16	do	Oct. 25, 1878,	174
Josey E. Mahoney.....	17	April 15, 1878,	do	75
Benjamin S. Matthews.....	20	Jan. 28, 1878,	do	146
Minnie E. Mitchell.....	14	Aug. 19, 1878,	Oct. 25, 1878,	50
James H. Mitchell.....	20	Jan. 11, 1878,	Oct. 24, 1878,	134
Alfred B. Morrill.....	20	March 4, 1878,	May 17, 1878,	50
Frank A. Morse.....	20	Aug. 19, 1878,	Oct. 25, 1878,	48
Flo S. Newcomb.....	20	Jan. 28, 1878,	April 5, 1878,	48
Charles M. Nye.....	20	Aug. 19, 1878,	Oct. 25, 1878,	50
Frank E. Parlin.....	18	Jan. 28, 1878,	April 4, 1878,	49
Horace G. Parkman.....	20	Nov. 5, 1877,	Jan. 11, 1878,	49
Laban M. Rand.....	20	Aug. 19, 1878,	Oct. 25, 1878,	50
Azilla Randolph.....	16	do	do	50

STUDENTS—*Concluded.*

NAME.	Age.	Date of entering.	Date of entering.	Days present.
Charles M. Richardson.....	17	March 4, 1878,	June 20, 1878,	74
Jennie E. Sanborn.....	18	do	Oct. 25, 1878,	75
Nettie Sanborn.....	21	do	do	70
Lettice J. Small.....	19	Aug. 19, 1878,	do	50
Lillian W. Smith.....	18	Nov. 13, 1877,	do	174
Lizzie B. Stevens.....	18	Jan. 28, 1878,	April 5, 1878,	50
Carrie L. Tasker.....	18	Aug. 19, 1878,	Oct. 25, 1878,	50
L. Emma Tibbetts.....	21	Nov. 5, 1877,	June 20, 1878,	140
Edward H. Tolman.....	20	do	Dec. 28, 1877,	35
Vernon V. Walker.....	18	Jan. 28, 1878,	April 5, 1878,	50
Edda Whitehouse.....	15	Aug. 19, 1878,	Oct. 25, 1878,	48

CONCLUSION.

As a summary of the conclusions reached in the foregoing pages, I would make the following

SUGGESTIONS :

1. *General.* First, That school officers, teachers, parents, and all interested, labor earnestly to increase the quantity of common school work, by increasing the general and average attendance.

Second, That like efforts be used by parents and school officers, to better its quality by demanding better teaching, using every means to secure for the schools only those teachers who are thoroughly qualified in knowledge, in professional skill, and in moral character.

Third, That to these ends renewed efforts shall be put forth to enlarge the sphere and quality of Free High School work; and to push into the Normal Schools, from every section of the State, young men and women who manifest peculiar aptness for the work of teaching.

Fourth, That to the same ends the work of the Normal Schools be so modified as to admit of graduation after a course of one year, in order to multiply the number of trained teachers in the common schools.

Fifth, That the friends of common schools, in the interests of economy in expenditure and reform in the system, shall

persistently agitate the abolition, or reorganization of the district system in every town, with a view to better and longer schools at less cost.

2. *Special and Legislative.* First, That the public school system of the State as at present organized, shall, for this year at least, be severely let alone so far as concerns the abolition or material modification of any of its departments or features, and especially as regards the system of taxation for its support.

Second, That if any change must be made in the laws regarding taxation for common school purposes, such change shall be a reduction in the amounts towns are required to raise by local taxation.

APPENDIX.

COMMON SCHOOL STATISTICS,

Compiled from Annual Returns of S. S. Committees and Fiscal Returns of Municipal Officers, for the year ending April 1, 1878.

ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY.

TOWNS.	No. of children be- ing in town between the ages of 4 and 21 years.	Number registered in Summer Schools.	Average number attend- ing Summer Schools.	Number registered in Winter Schools.	Average number attend- ing Winter Schools.	Number of different pupils registered.	Per centage of average attendance.	Average length of Summer Schools of $\frac{5}{8}$ days per week.		Average length of Winter Schools of $\frac{5}{8}$ days per week.		Number of districts in town.	Number of parts of districts.	Number of school houses in town.	Number in good condi- tion.	Number of school houses built last year.	Cost of the same.	Estimated value of all school property in town.	Number of Male Teach- ers employed in Summer.	Number of Male Teach- ers employed in Winter.
								w.	d.	w.	d.									
Auburn	2,711	1,375	1,179	1,469	1,260	1,490	.45	15	15	1	-	28	28	1	\$18,000	\$75,000	-	2	2	
Durham	400	230	192	244	212	285	.50	10	11	12	2	12	5	-	-	3,250	-	-	2	
East Livermore	290	157	127	220	183	229	.52	9	5	4	3	7	7	-	-	4,500	-	1	5	
Greene	333	231	197	235	191	256	.58	10	9	11	2	10	7	1	500	2,325	-	-	7	
Lewiston	5,054	2,734	2,163	3,013	2,211	3,301	.43	15	23	1	-	30	29	1	2,500	171,200	-	3	4	
Lisbon	864	464	400	452	396	472	.46	8	10	1	-	11	10	-	-	10,000	-	2	8	
Leeds	411	276	215	290	218	351	.53	8	5	11	2	12	10	-	-	6,500	-	-	11	
Livermore	408	295	235	332	306	332	.66	9	10	3	17	2	17	9	-	4,000	-	-	12	
Minot	574	355	312	338	275	489	.51	8	4	8	3	9	9	-	-	11,000	-	1	3	
Poland	912	418	341	601	492	762	.46	8	8	3	19	5	22	19	-	15,700	-	-	20	
Turner	697	405	385	515	479	525	.62	10	10	1	2	18	16	1	1,700	9,000	-	-	10	
Wales	167	107	83	122	104	146	.56	8	11	8	-	8	8	-	-	2,400	-	-	5	
Webster	291	162	139	179	153	194	.50	7	3	11	2	11	3	-	-	2,650	-	-	6	
	13,132	7,213	5,976	8,010	6,480	8,830	.52	9	5	11	4	106	21	195	160	4	22,700	317,525	9	102

COMMON SCHOOLS.

ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY—CONCLUDED.

TOWNS.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Summer.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.	No. of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.	Average wages of Male Teachers per month, excluding board.	Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.	Average cost of Teachers' board per week.	Amount of school money voted in 1878.	Not less than 80 cts. for each inhabitant.			Amount raised per scholar.	Amount available from Town Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount available from State Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount derived from local funds.	Total amount actually expended for public schools from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Balance unexpended April 1, 1878.	Amount of money expended for repairs, fuel, insurance, &c.	Amount raised to prolong public schools, in money, fuel, board, &c.	Amount paid for school supervision.
	Excess above am't required by law.	Less than the am't required by law.	Amount raised per scholar.																
Auburn	44	44	-	133 00	\$8 50	3 25	\$12,800	\$7,867	-	-	4 71	\$10,000	\$4,298	-	\$15,542	-	\$2,058	-	\$500
Durham	14	3	3	\$26 00	3 40	2 00	1,200	119	-	-	2 95	1,251	673	-	1,683	\$21	220	\$130	95
East Livermore	7	3	-	24 83	3 65	2 00	803	-	-	-	2 74	No	Fiscal Returns.	Re	-	100	-	50	
Greene	11	4	-	24 00	3 88	1 71	875	-	-	-	2 63	1,150	573	-	1,586	137	115	85	42
Lewiston	66	66	7	184 20	8 83	3 50	21,000	10,119	-	-	4 13	22,000	10,267	\$112	35,284	1,465	-	1,800	
Lisbon	14	10	-	24 00	4 34	2 50	1,800	188	-	-	2 09	2,289	1,385	20	3,740	531	35	206	
Leeds	11	1	-	24 94	3 65	1 48	1,200	170	-	-	2 92	1,292	680	-	1,815	157	175	65	
Livermore	15	5	3	27 50	2 50	2 00	1,175	-	-	-	2 88	1,175	718	108	1,650	351	250	100	63
Minot	11	9	-	46 72	4 88	2 26	1,256	-	-	-	2 19	1,342	969	-	2,265	46	137	-	75
Poland	26	5	-	26 50	3 00	2 50	2,000	48	-	-	2 19	No	Fiscal Returns.	Re	-	500	200	80	
Turner	20	10	-	28 20	4 92	2 25	2,000	96	-	-	2 87	2,124	1,181	157	3,069	393	500	-	162
Wales	8	3	-	22 20	3 19	1 59	500	-	54	-	3 00	597	275	-	814	58	72	134	42
Webster	8	5	-	18 60	3 75	2 31	753	-	-	-	2 59	1,024	491	-	1,249	266	-	200	52
	255	168	13	46 98	4 50	2 26	47 362	18,661	-	-	2 91	44,344	21,510	397	68,697	1,429	6,123	884	3,232

AROOSTOOK COUNTY.

TOWNS.	No. of children belonging in town between the ages of 4 and 21 years.	Number registered in Summer Schools.	Average number attending Summer Schools.	Number registered in Winter Schools.	Average number attending Winter Schools.	Number of different pupils registered.	Per centage of average attendance.	Average length of Summer Schools		Average length of Winter Schools of		Number of districts in town.	Number of parts of districts.	Number of school houses in town.	Number in good condition.	Number of school houses built last year.	Cost of the same.	Estimated value of all school property in town.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Summer.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Winter.
								w.	d.	w.	d.									
Amity.....	150	80	56	144	89	130	.49	12	3	10	3	3	-	3	2	-	-	\$1,200	-	3
Ashland.....	228	156	99	118	94	174	.42	14	1	9	4	5	-	5	3	-	-	2,000	-	2
Benedicta.....	125	67	41	87	64	87	.42	13	2	16	4	2	-	2	2	-	-	1,000	-	-
Blaine.....	277	166	110	121	82	217	.35	11	14	14	5	2	-	4	4	-	-	-	1	4
Bridgewater.....	314	181	144	199	180	200	.52	12	2	10	1	5	-	5	4	-	-	1,270	1	4
Caribou.....	950	565	443	704	539	800	.52	10	10	10	5	16	-	16	12	1	\$200	9,000	-	8
Easton.....	307	176	136	192	183	221	.52	9	2	8	3	10	-	6	3	1	525	2,500	-	4
Fort Fairfield.....	990	560	409	550	425	750	.42	10	11	11	2	22	-	19	6	1	500	3,500	1	6
Fort Kent.....	614	303	192	-	-	303	-	33	-	-	-	11	1	4	3	-	-	500	1	2
Frenchville.....	1,039	501	327	-	-	501	-	22	5	-	-	24	1	10	5	1	80	-	1	-
Grand Isle.....	371	171	75	134	78	305	.21	17	19	19	-	7	-	5	5	-	-	800	3	1
Haynesville.....	70	55	39	36	20	58	.43	13	2	6	3	3	-	2	2	2	1,500	1,500	1	-
Hersey.....	40	23	18	25	14	30	.40	13	10	1	1	2	1	1	1	-	-	600	-	-
Hodgdon.....	368	205	129	177	136	220	.36	14	4	14	1	9	-	9	6	-	-	5,500	-	5
Houlton.....	949	319	235	378	258	502	.26	12	13	2	9	5	-	9	8	-	-	8,000	-	7
Island Falls.....	86	75	58	69	60	76	.69	8	1	10	3	3	-	3	3	-	-	2,000	1	1
Limestone.....	196	123	95	131	102	159	.50	8	8	8	1	1	-	5	5	-	-	2,000	-	-
Linneus.....	387	210	159	190	156	258	.41	11	5	13	4	9	1	8	6	1	240	3,070	1	5
Littleton.....	351	203	134	164	116	259	.36	11	4	11	2	8	-	7	7	-	-	2,000	-	4
Ludlow.....	190	122	93	185	131	145	.59	9	12	2	-	14	2	4	3	1	50	1,800	-	4
Madawaska.....	509	262	163	-	-	262	-	26	3	3	-	4	-	4	3	1	60	-	-	-
Mars Hill.....	299	151	112	195	153	230	.44	9	1	9	2	8	-	7	2	1	400	1,850	1	4
Masardis.....	83	45	40	50	45	50	.50	12	9	9	-	2	-	1	1	-	-	650	2	2
Maysville.....	398	219	174	200	165	249	.43	10	9	9	-	11	-	7	7	-	-	5,000	1	7
Monticello.....	363	196	145	184	146	115	.40	13	14	14	8	8	-	7	-	-	-	1,500	2	2

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New Limerick	231	148	108	86	66	175	.38	11	4	11	5	2	5	3	-	-	851	-	1
Orient	99	70	50	25	20	70	.35	11	11	3	3	-	3	1	-	-	800	-	1
Presque Isle	453	287	223	288	219	295	.49	10	11	3	8	-	9	6	-	-	3,175	1	6
Sherman	293	176	143	177	146	243	.49	10	11	3	6	-	6	3	-	-	1,500	1	3
Smyrna	No	return.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Washburn	280	147	114	113	86	203	.35	10	3	12	8	-	6	-	1	-	-	-	1
Weston	149	113	88	37	26	124	.40	10	11	4	5	1	4	4	1	350	750	1	3
Bancroft pl	88	57	40	59	45	65	.50	21	7	3	3	-	3	3	-	-	1,000	-	1
Castle Hill pl	135	79	58	57	42	79	.37	10	13	3	6	-	6	6	-	-	2,500	1	2
Crystal pl	94	50	39	35	27	73	.35	15	13	3	6	-	1	1	-	-	200	-	-
Chapman pl	54	38	23	33	29	36	.50	9	4	9	2	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Connor pl	No	return.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cyr pl	231	113	62	37	23	114	.19	23	16	2	4	-	2	2	-	-	100	-	-
Eagle Lake pl	80	47	40	-	-	47	-	16	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Glenwood pl	62	40	25	-	-	40	-	13	2	-	3	-	3	1	-	-	300	-	2
Hamlin pl	270	140	70	79	42	140	.21	23	3	14	6	-	5	4	-	-	500	2	1
Macwahoc pl	No	return.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mapleton pl	185	100	68	105	78	116	.40	7	11	3	9	1	8	4	-	-	1,500	-	1
Merrill pl	67	4	3	35	31	39	.25	10	11	3	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moro pl	70	53	18	28	21	52	.29	12	10	3	3	-	2	-	-	-	500	1	1
New Sweden pl	150	40	35	123	100	123	.42	7	10	5	5	-	1	1	1	250	325	-	1
No. 11, R. 1 pl	153	105	84	75	63	113	.48	12	2	9	4	5	5	2	-	-	1,000	1	2
Oakfield pl	275	159	124	150	103	172	.41	9	1	10	3	6	4	6	4	-	1,700	-	3
Oxbow pl	60	53	44	-	-	53	-	12	-	-	2	-	1	1	-	-	100	-	-
Perham pl	104	49	30	23	18	67	.19	13	3	10	4	-	2	-	-	-	600	-	1
Pleasant Ridge pl	80	81	35	30	17	51	.32	16	4	12	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Portage Lake pl	54	31	22	24	19	31	.39	12	8	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Reed pl	45	20	15	14	12	20	.31	12	10	4	4	-	1	1	-	-	150	-	1
Silver Ridge pl	97	82	51	92	51	92	.53	10	2	9	4	3	3	3	1	100	300	1	-
Sheridan pl	No	return.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Francis pl	143	95	65	-	-	95	-	20	-	-	2	-	1	1	1	200	225	-	-
St. John pl	89	31	15	-	-	31	-	30	-	-	2	-	1	1	-	-	100	-	-
Van Buren pl	469	280	196	93	62	272	.28	18	9	10	10	-	7	3	1	100	1,300	3	1
Wade pl	45	32	27	25	19	35	.50	12	10	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	200	-	1
Wallagrass pl	180	90	40	-	-	90	-	24	4	-	3	-	3	3	-	-	300	1	-
Westfield pl	45	30	19	24	19	33	.42	12	12	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	400	-	1
Woodland pl	215	105	83	93	74	140	.37	7	1	9	1	5	2	5	3	-	700	-	2
	14,699	8,079	5,783	6,193	4,694	9,630	.41	13	4	11	342	26	261	163	16	4,555	78,315	33	112

AROOSTOOK COUNTY—CONCLUDED.

TOWNS.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Summer.		No. of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.	Average wages of Male Teachers per month, excluding board.	Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.	Average cost of Teachers' board per week.	Amount of school money voted in 1878.	Not less than 80 cts. for each inhabitant.		Amount raised per scholar.	Amount available from Town Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount available from State Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount derived from local funds.	Total amount actually expended for public schools from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Balance unexpended April 1, 1878.	Amount of money expended for repairs, fuel, insurance, &c.	Amount raised to prolong public schools, in money, fuel, board, &c.	Amount paid for school supervision.
	No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.	No. of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.						Excess above am't required by law.	Less than the am't required by law.									
Amity	3	1	-	\$27 00	\$4 37	1 87	\$260	\$2	-	1 73	\$394	\$223	\$132	\$753	-	-	-	\$18
Ashland	6	2	-	32 50	3 75	2 33	400	44	-	1 75	845	293	-	1,969	\$69	105	-	28
Benedicta	2	2	2	-	4 75	2 25	250	17	-	2 00	360	300	-	495	165	47	-	-
Blaine	4	1	-	23 00	2 35	1 67	397	-	-	1 43	563	462	-	800	225	145	-	14
Bridgwater	4	1	-	24 25	3 58	1 71	484	-	-	1 54	1,056	498	36	1,120	470	126	-	15
Caribou	16	6	1	25 00	4 50	2 00	1,229	100	-	1 29	1,373	1,492	-	2,591	274	322	\$50	63
Easton	8	4	-	22 00	3 25	1 50	420	2	-	1 37	522	491	59	1,026	46	80	-	34
Fort Fairfield	21	13	-	23 66	4 88	2 05	1,515	-	-	1 53	2,833	1,502	-	3,716	619	300	20	66
Fort Kent	9	-	-	22 50	3 40	1 50	350	-	-	57	2,053	1,008	-	1,936	1,125	216	-	40
Frenchville	23	-	-	28 00	2 16	' 89	375	-	-	3 6	667	1,704	-	1,906	465	158	-	13
Grand Isle	4	5	-	19 75	3 35	1 32	250	-	-	68	431	1,025	-	1,314	142	168	-	14
Haynesville	2	2	-	10 00	3 50	2 00	170	-	-	2 43	218	120	-	334	4	20	-	-
Hersey	1	1	-	-	3 25	1 75	100	16	-	2 50	90	72	-	165	-	19	-	4
Hodgdon	9	4	-	26 00	4 23	1 75	800	8	-	2 18	1,129	621	34	1,471	313	122	-	36
Houlton	9	3	1	30 00	5 08	2 39	2,282	-	-	2 40	3,121	1,509	-	3,910	720	119	-	45
Island Falls	4	5	-	22 00	2 86	1 53	200	54	-	2 33	200	142	63	375	30	41	-	13
Limestone	6	5	1	-	3 35	1 50	212	-	2	1 08	212	263	35	523	-	38	-	12
Linneus	7	3	-	27 08	3 78	1 86	806	-	-	2 08	1,090	613	157	1,790	160	182	-	36
Littleton	8	3	-	23 00	3 36	1 70	560	-	-	1 59	621	593	-	1,186	27	114	-	42
Ludlow	7	1	-	25 00	3 85	1 86	318	-	-	1 67	453	305	87	742	103	64	-	19
Madawaska	14	-	-	-	2 10	1 00	320	-	-	64	No	fiscal re	turns.	-	-	80	15	15
Mars Hill	4	4	-	19 40	3 97	1 76	320	-	-	1 07	429	426	64	753	166	54	40	23
Masardis	-	1	-	20 00	-	2 50	135	-	-	1 63	244	135	38	361	56	20	-	3
Maysville	11	5	-	20 00	3 50	2 00	700	-	-	1 79	806	673	-	1,401	78	186	-	67
Monticello	6	4	-	23 75	3 47	1 81	608	99	-	1 67	917	521	90	1,332	196	162	-	29

New Limerick	7	2	-	35 00	3 44 1 39	246	-	-	1 06	304	353	46	701	2	54	-	17
Orient	2	4	-	25 00	4 62 2 25	200	25	-	2 02	200	152	117	594	-	35	-	14
Presque Isle	8	4	-	27 57	4 96 1 80	800	26	-	1 77	1,174	791	65	2,049	-	100	-	84
Sherman	5	3	-	25 00	4 97 1 93	700	38	-	2 39	1,015	488	-	1,193	310	97	-	54
Smyrna	No	return	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	195	119	-	288	26	-	-	-
Washburn	6	2	-	18 00	3 60 1 67	359	-	-	2 1 27	643	491	91	781	444	131	-	40
Weston	8	-	-	26 00	3 80 1 76	315	-	-	2 11	521	288	10	799	20	-	-	12
Bancroft pl	3	2	-	22 00	4 00 2 00	200	58	-	2 27	200	140	225	565	-	50	-	-
Castle Hill pl	4	-	-	18 00	3 19 1 52	259	69	-	1 91	255	236	-	461	30	40	-	27
Crystal pl	5	2	-	-	3 25 1 61	200	-	-	2 13	363	192	-	522	33	51	-	12
Chapman pl	2	2	-	-	2 50 2 25	35	3	-	65	81	83	-	88	76	11	-	6
Connor pl	No	return	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	No	fiscal re turns.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cyr pl	4	2	-	-	2 28 1 33	75	-	-	32	576	353	-	467	462	14	30	9
Eagle Lake pl	2	-	-	-	3 50 2 50	60	-	-	75	No	fiscal re turns.	-	-	-	12	-	-
Glenwood pl	-	-	-	-	2 75 2 08	178	30	-	2 87	133	102	-	228	6	16	-	6
Hamlin pl	3	2	-	13 60	3 20 1 40	150	-	-	55	425	455	-	796	84	42	-	12
Macwahoc pl	No	return	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	120	-	209	11	-	-	-
Mapleton pl	6	6	-	18 00	3 14 1 32	331	-	-	24 1 74	387	655	25	836	231	-	-	31
Merrill pl	1	3	-	-	2 00 1 37	108	-	-	1 61	151	110	-	166	95	-	-	-
Moro pl	2	-	-	16 00	4 00 2 50	136	39	-	1 94	171	121	-	268	24	25	-	8
New Sweden pl	3	4	-	25 00	4 00 2 00	150	-	-	1 00	118	230	-	316	32	31	-	13
No. 11, R. 1 pl	4	1	1	26 00	4 00 2 00	293	76	-	1 92	730	261	-	772	219	50	-	5
Oakfield pl	7	3	-	26 00	4 25 1 73	450	3	-	1 64	748	455	59	970	292	77	-	18
Oxbow pl	2	-	-	-	2 00 2 00	100	8	-	1 67	100	87	-	100	87	11	-	-
Perham pl	3	-	-	20 00	3 00 1 87	80	17	-	77	125	128	10	203	60	20	20	5
Pleasant Ridge pl	1	-	-	-	2 25 1 25	176	122	-	2 20	No	fiscal re turns.	-	-	5	-	-	2
Portage Lake pl	1	1	-	-	4 00 3 00	100	-	-	1 85	148	90	-	196	42	40	-	-
Reed pl	2	-	-	-	3 00 1 75	120	-	-	2 67	30	131	-	165	-	5	-	-
Silver Ridge pl	2	3	-	10 00	2 62 1 70	147	-	-	1 52	307	148	12	323	144	65	-	9
Sheridan pl	No	return	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	No	fiscal re turns.	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Francis pl	3	-	-	-	2 50 2 00	100	-	-	70	393	255	-	623	25	20	-	5
St. John pl	1	-	-	-	4 00 1 25	75	10	-	84	230	58	116	278	126	21	-	5
Van Buren pl	8	3	1	22 00	2 25 1 60	250	-	-	53	700	758	-	1,335	423	132	-	15
Wade pl	1	-	-	12 00	3 00 1 48	79	18	-	1 76	165	70	-	111	124	13	-	-
Wallagrass pl	2	-	-	12 00	3 00 1 50	100	-	-	55	No	fiscal re turns.	-	-	-	50	-	12
Westfield pl	1	-	-	30 00	3 00 2 15	76	15	-	1 69	143	77	-	186	34	8	-	6
Woodland pl	6	4	-	19 25	3 42 1 70	150	11	-	70	160	488	-	608	40	50	17	22
302	123	7	22	63	3 44 1 81	20,259	912	26	1 52	31,618	23,476	1,571	48,176	8,955	4,214	192	1,098

CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

TOWNS.	No. of children belonging in town between the ages of 4 and 21 years.		Number registered in Summer Schools.		Average number attending Summer Schools.		Number registered in Winter Schools.		Average number attending Winter Schools.		Number of different pupils registered.		Per centage of average attendance.		Average length of Summer Schools of 5 1/2 days per week.		Average length of Winter Schools of 5 1/2 days per week.		Number of districts in town.		Number of parts of districts.		Number of school houses in town.		Number in good condition.		Number of school houses built last year.		Cost of the same.		Estimated value of all school property in town.		Number of Male Teachers employed in Summer.		Number of Male Teachers employed in Winter.	
	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.		
Baldwin	370	215	167	204	153	280	.43	9	13	3	12	12	18	-	-	12	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	7
Bridgton	904	583	576	573	567	607	.63	10	12	-	18	18	-	-	-	20	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	
Brunswick	1,642	660	530	753	618	901	.35	10	3	12	19	25	18	-	-	25	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	8		
Cape Elizabeth	1,843	1,183	998	1,153	979	1,265	.54	17	2	11	4	14	-	-	-	15	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	9			
Casco	366	194	163	230	193	212	.50	10	13	2	8	13	2	-	-	8	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5		
Cumberland	586	292	221	305	256	375	.41	12	11	1	11	11	1	-	-	9	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3		
Deering	1,255	603	506	685	635	685	.45	9	4	11	3	1	-	-	-	13	10	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2		
Falmouth	498	351	277	350	301	410	.63	8	1	12	12	12	9	-	-	12	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8		
Freeport	710	350	290	410	346	450	.45	8	12	12	17	1	19	18	2	18	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	6		
Gorham	981	919	718	553	464	715	.60	11	11	19	-	19	9	1	-	19	9	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	12		
Gray	615	318	256	357	281	460	.44	9	2	10	4	12	12	10	-	12	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7		
Harpwell	583	443	370	326	267	443	.55	8	3	10	3	19	-	-	-	15	11	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10		
Harrison	328	191	159	240	204	260	.55	9	2	9	3	9	1	9	-	9	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4		
Naples	342	215	165	256	210	274	.56	8	2	11	5	11	-	-	-	11	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	8			
New Gloucester	443	210	182	259	216	308	.45	11	3	10	2	1	-	-	-	11	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5		
North Yarmouth	238	181	161	125	101	204	.51	6	4	11	4	7	2	7	-	7	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4		
Otisfield	308	178	150	225	185	251	.55	8	2	10	3	12	1	12	8	12	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3		
Portland	9,605	5,530	4,591	5,605	4,559	6,151	.48	15	21	4	1	1	13	11	-	13	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	12	
Pownal	274	145	125	252	214	256	.62	8	11	9	2	10	9	-	-	10	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	
Raymond	461	284	239	312	252	348	.58	11	2	11	-	11	-	-	-	11	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7		
Scarborough	603	367	273	387	281	515	.46	10	4	13	10	1	10	10	-	10	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	
Sebago	268	188	145	202	156	239	.56	8	4	10	2	9	9	6	-	9	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5		
Standish	613	355	292	382	305	370	.49	12	1	11	2	13	13	11	-	13	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	
Westbrook	1,054	553	446	515	435	553	.42	18	18	1	-	1	-	-	-	7	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2		

Windham	768	477	358	500	419	530	.5111	211	4	19	-	19	16	-	-	8,200	-	6
Yarmouth	611	308	252	322	269	390	.4310	411	4	9	3	10	4	-	-	4,000	-	3
	26,259	15,293	12,610	15,481	12,866	17,452	.5010	512	1	284	15	325	248	7	13,675	632,215	30	165

CUMBERLAND COUNTY—CONTINUED.

TOWNS.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Summer.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.	No. of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.	Average wages of Male Teachers per month, excluding board.	Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.	Average cost of Teachers' board per week.	Amount of school money voted in 1878.	Not less than 80 cts. for each inhabitant.		Amount raised per scholar.	Amount available from Town Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount available from State Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount derived from local funds.	Total amount actually expended for public schools from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Balance unexpended April 1, 1878.	Amount of money expended for repairs, fuel, insurance, &c.	Amount raised to prolong public schools, in money, fuel, board, &c.	Amount paid for school supervision.
								Excess above amt't required by law.	Less than the amt't required by law.									
Baldwin	12	4	-	\$27 00	\$3 40	2 07	\$1,000	\$119	-	2 70	\$1,281	\$634	\$71	\$1,748	\$238	\$152	\$25	\$38
Bridgton	24	16	6	50 83	6 75	3 00	3,500	1,352	-	3 87	3,535	1,521	92	4,983	135	432	-	150
Brunswick	29	18	3	45 62	4 95	2 50	5,000	1,218	-	3 05	5,396	2,904	-	8,110	190	1,110	36	285
Cape Elizabeth	14	12	1	47 00	5 38	3 60	4,100	10	-	2 22	6,505	3,060	521	8,290	1,796	1,425	648	163
Casco	8	3	-	28 16	4 36	1 51	798	-	-	2 24	1,038	764	126	1,695	233	50	20	35
Cumberland	9	7	-	32 67	5 55	2 65	1,301	-	-	2 22	1,550	951	103	2,294	310	322	-	68
Deering	15	14	2	63 00	8 94	3 75	5,000	-	-	3 98	3,724	2,057	-	5,342	439	-	-	165
Falmouth	14	4	-	34 25	5 35	2 60	2,000	618	-	4 02	2,290	829	42	3,076	85	358	-	75
Freeport	18	11	3	40 00	7 00	2 50	2,000	32	-	2 82	3,000	1,126	22	4,198	-	300	-	160
Gorham	22	5	-	45 94	6 88	3 00	3,300	581	-	3 36	3,696	1,649	-	4,983	362	653	24	100
Gray	13	6	1	29 00	5 14	2 36	1,400	9	-	2 28	1,707	931	77	2,503	212	196	-	40
Harpwell	21	3	-	33 00	3 60	3 00	1,400	-	-	2 40	1,948	919	-	2,289	578	175	-	115
Harrison	9	5	-	41 75	3 70	2 00	1,000	22	-	3 05	1,048	536	44	1,583	43	154	-	54
Naples	8	3	-	24 00	4 25	2 00	1,000	154	-	2 90	1,179	624	-	1,698	105	350	-	45
New Gloucester	11	8	7	30 75	4 60	2 40	1,400	203	-	3 16	1,534	783	252	2,496	73	229	-	70
North Yarmouth	5	5	-	20 00	4 00	2 53	800	44	-	3 36	880	460	293	1,552	81	184	-	47
Otisfield	12	7	-	24 30	3 72	1 62	880	-	-	2 86	920	524	142	1,568	18	101	29	46

CUMBERLAND COUNTY—CONCLUDED.

TOWNS.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Summer.		No. of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.	Average wages of Male Teachers per month, excluding board.		Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.		Amount of school money voted in 1878.	Excess above am't required by law.		Not less than 80 cts. for each inhabitant.		Amount raised per scholar.	Amount available from Town Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount available from State Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount derived from local funds.	Total amount actually expended for public schools from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Balance unexpended April 1, 1878.	Amount of money expended for repairs, fuel, insurance, &c.	Amount raised to prolong public schools, in money, fuel, board, &c.	Amount paid for school supervision.
	No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.	No. of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.		Average wages of Male Teachers per month, excluding board.	Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.	Excess above am't required by law.	Less than the am't required by law.														
Portland.....	101	100	6	110 00	\$6 00	4 50	\$57,464	32,338	-	-	6 34	\$57,464	\$18,976	-	\$2	\$75,789	\$653	-	-	\$2,250	
Pownal.....	7	7	1	33 50	4 00	2 18	785	-	\$2	-	8 87	785	453	-	-	1,216	22	\$137	-	41	
Raymond.....	11	2	2	33 75	4 00	2 50	898	-	-	-	1 95	1,236	766	118	-	2,028	92	144	-	40	
Scarborough.....	13	3	-	31 72	4 25	2 50	1,400	47	-	-	2 32	2,024	1,003	-	-	2,534	492	453	10	75	
Sebago.....	9	4	1	22 60	3 31	1 63	643	-	-	-	2 40	701	459	-	-	1,103	53	81	-	23	
Standish.....	13	1	2	37 00	4 95	2 25	2,100	424	-	-	3 43	3,750	1,103	94	-	2,965	1,882	256	-	110	
Westbrook.....	8	7	2	27 00	6 00	3 12	2,500	-	-	-	2 37	2,651	1,662	107	-	4,585	-	917	75	150	
Windham.....	23	13	1	33 28	4 56	2 12	2,500	559	-	-	3 26	2,616	1,352	206	-	3,851	323	307	9	110	
Yarmouth.....	9	7	1	40 00	6 25	2 50	1,500	2	-	-	2 45	2,208	1,016	-	-	2,945	279	327	-	114	
	438	278	39	40 00	5 05	2 53	105,669	37,744	-	-	2 99	114,666	47,062	2,282	-	155,430	8,694	3,813	922	4,569	

FRANKLIN COUNTY.

TOWNS.	No. of children belonging in town between the ages of 4 and 21 years.		Number registered in Summer Schools.		Average number attending Summer Schools.		Number registered in Winter Schools.		Average number attending Winter Schools.		Number of different pupils registered.		Per centage of average attendance.		Average length of Summer Schools of 5 1/2 days per week.		Average length of Winter Schools of 5 1/2 days per week.		Number of districts in town.		Number of parts of districts.		Number of school houses in town.		Number in good condition.		Number of school houses built last year.		Cost of the same.		Estimated value of all school property in town.		Number of Male Teachers employed in Summer.		Number of Male Teachers employed in Winter.		
	W.	D.	W.	D.	W.	D.	W.	D.	W.	D.	W.	D.	W.	D.	W.	D.	W.	D.	W.	D.	W.	D.	W.	D.	W.	D.	W.	D.	W.	D.	W.	D.	W.	D.			
Avon	194	129	113	148	130	160	.62	9	2	9	3	11	-	-	-	9	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Carthage	168	107	92	135	116	155	.62	8	1	11	3	7	-	-	-	6	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Chesterville	309	183	160	226	195	269	.57	9	1	11	3	13	3	12	9	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9
Eustis	119	86	66	87	65	107	.55	9	1	12	2	4	4	4	2	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Farmington	1,009	606	467	609	497	816	.48	8	5	11	2	21	8	22	12	12	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Freeman	193	158	132	171	139	171	.70	9	4	11	2	8	2	10	8	2	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
Industry	274	165	141	187	149	223	.53	7	5	10	1	10	1	10	6	14	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
Jay	457	293	237	376	310	408	.60	9	1	10	3	16	5	16	14	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	
Kingfield	190	99	89	112	97	140	.49	8	2	15	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	
Madrid	131	132	118	117	85	117	.77	8	1	10	9	9	2	7	3	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	
New Sharon	398	216	172	265	221	292	.49	8	3	11	1	16	2	16	6	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	
New Vineyard	209	148	122	295	220	249	.57	7	2	8	2	13	7	10	6	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
Phillips	455	270	224	477	416	425	.70	8	9	9	2	16	7	15	13	13	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	
Rangely	176	205	180	117	90	145	.76	9	3	10	4	4	-	4	4	4	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	
Salem	106	42	31	77	67	92	.46	9	1	10	4	3	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	
Strong	177	86	64	92	79	151	.41	12	1	11	12	12	2	7	5	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	
Temple	198	142	132	184	170	184	.76	6	5	8	10	10	1	9	7	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	
Weld	349	193	148	236	196	279	.49	9	4	11	11	11	1	11	8	8	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	
Wilton	549	612	517	406	320	507	.76	7	2	10	3	12	4	14	10	10	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	
Coplin pl	41	29	22	26	22	33	.51	8	1	17	3	3	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Dallas pl	71	23	16	40	28	13	.31	9	8	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Greenvale pl	13	12	10	-	-	12	-	-	11	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Lang pl	No	return.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Letter E pl	13	9	8	10	9	10	.61	5	10	8	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

FRANKLIN COUNTY—CONTINUED.

TOWNS.	No. children belonging in town between the ages of 4 and 21 years.	Number registered in Summer Schools.	Average number attending Summer Schools.	Number registered in Winter Schools.	Average number attending Winter Schools.	Number of different pupils registered.	Per centage of average attendance.	Average length of Summer Schools of 5½ days per week.		Average length of Winter Schools of 5½ days per week.		Number of districts in town.	Number of parts of districts.	Number of school houses in town.	Number in good condition.	Number of school houses built last year.	Cost of the same.	Estimated value of all school property in town.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Summer.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Winter.
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Perkins pl	63	43	36	44	29	53	.50	6	4	11	2	3	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-
Rangely pl.....	30	16	10	16	13	19	.40	8	3	12	4	1	1	1	-	-	-	\$800	-	-
	5,952	4,004	3,257	4,453	3,603	5,080	.57	8	3	10	4	209	38	198	128	1	1,500	67,950	8	120

FRANKLIN COUNTY—CONCLUDED.

TOWNS.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Summer.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.	No of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.	Average wages of Teachers per month, excluding board.	Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.	Average cost of Teachers' board per week.	Amount of school money voted in 1878.	Excess above am't required by law.		Less than the am't required by law.		Amount raised per scholar.	Amount available from Town Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount available from State Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount derived from local funds.	Total amount actually expended for public schools from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Balance unexpended April 1, 1878.	Amount of money expended for repairs, fuel, insurance, &c.	Amount raised to prolong public schools, in money, fuel, board, &c.	Amount paid for school supervision.
								Excess above am't required by law.	Less than the am't required by law.											
Avon	13	9	-	\$18 50	\$2 66	1 30	\$500	-	\$12	2	58	\$649	\$291	\$13	\$914	\$44	\$76	-	\$34	
Carthage	6	2	-	21 40	2 83	1 83	389	-	-	2	32	614	259	30	752	151	50	-	33	
Chesterville	10	5	-	27 22	3 10	1 73	850	41	-	2	75	900	516	37	1,520	-	112	-	38	

Eustis	4	2	1	23 00	4 54	1 65	276	2	-	2 32	482	228	14	602	122	46	-	18
Farmington	23	17	16	32 53	3 93	1 95	2,610	8	-	2 59	3,280	1,724	112	5,348	-	550	100	143
Freeman	10	-	-	22 47	2 33	1 42	550	64	-	2 85	No	fiscal re	turns.	-	-	74	-	29
Industry	10	4	1	26 00	3 35	1 53	580	-	-	2 12	707	433	-	972	168	121	-	31
Jay	18	4	3	26 00	2 72	1 67	1,209	8	-	2 63	1,710	797	78	2,225	360	250	225	50
Kingfield	3	1	1	30 00	4 00	2 00	450	2	-	2 37	704	341	49	891	253	145	-	21
Madrid	7	7	-	20 00	2 75	1 33	340	20	-	2 60	481	241	31	603	150	35	-	26
New Sharon	13	7	1	25 00	3 30	2 50	1,162	-	-	2 92	1,276	685	50	1,986	155	158	-	73
New Vineyard	7	8	-	30 67	3 25	1 75	610	6	-	2 04	654	492	-	1,106	40	-	-	32
Phillips	15	9	2	27 47	3 03	1 75	1,170	71	-	2 57	1,521	841	8	2,182	188	160	62	87
Rangely	6	-	1	22 00	4 00	2 00	255	7	-	1 45	477	278	68	800	23	50	-	10
Salem	2	-	1	21 50	2 75	1 39	246	-	-	2 32	291	175	-	422	44	-	3	6
Strong	4	-	-	25 00	3 00	1 75	508	-	-	2 87	531	300	77	859	49	150	65	25
Temple	10	7	2	25 00	3 75	1 75	512	-	-	2 59	882	354	-	924	312	-	-	26
Weld	12	2	-	22 00	2 95	1 50	1,000	97	-	2 86	No	fiscal re	turns.	-	-	250	100	67
Wilton	12	7	2	26 00	3 77	2 08	1,530	4	-	2 79	1,724	893	129	2,651	95	238	78	78
Coplin pl	1	2	-	-	3 75	1 50	80	5	-	1 98	75	73	-	148	-	12	-	2
Dallas pl	1	-	1	22 00	3 00	2 37	134	7	-	1 90	No	fiscal re	turns.	-	-	2	-	2
Greenville pl	1	-	-	-	3 00	1 50	50	-	-	3 84	No	fiscal re	turns.	-	-	-	-	1
Lang pl	No	re	turn	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	No	fiscal re	turns.	-	-	-	-	-
Letter E pl	1	1	-	-	2 50	1 10	40	8	-	3 08	40	19	-	51	3	4	-	2
Perkins pl	1	1	-	19 00	2 17	1 38	119	-	-	1 90	180	108	-	275	13	21	-	5
Rangely pl	1	1	-	-	3 00	1 20	55	19	-	1 83	125	43	-	106	62	10	-	-
	193	96	32	24 44	3 14	1 68	15,216	381	-	2 48	17,303	9,091	701	25,337	2,203	2,414	633	839

APPENDIX.

HANCOCK COUNTY.

TOWNS.	No. of children belonging in town between the ages of 4 and 21 years.		Number registered in Summer Schools.		Average number attending Summer Schools.		Number registered in Winter Schools.		Average number attending Winter Schools.		Number of different pupils registered.		Per centage of average attendance.		Average length of Summer Schools of 5 1/2 days per week.		Average length of Winter Schools of 5 1/2 days per week.		Number of districts in town.		Number of parts of districts.		Number of school houses in town.		Number in good condition.		Number of school houses built last year.		Cost of the same.		Estimated value of all school property in town.		Number of Male Teachers employed in Summer.		Number of Male Teachers employed in Winter.			
	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.				
Amherst	176	112	76	132	102	142	.50	10	10	4	4	2	1	2	2	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Aurora	90	79	62	65	51	79	.62	13	4	10	19	19	16	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Bluehill	650	477	312	384	312	540	.48	9	10	10	19	19	16	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Brooklin	345	221	193	274	226	325	.61	7	8	1	9	9	9	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Brooksville	528	287	240	291	239	322	.45	12	11	2	9	9	7	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Bucksport	1,037	579	501	568	488	621	.48	11	3	12	4	18	19	13	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Castine	431	273	233	405	360	282	.68	12	2	14	3	4	6	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Cranberry Isles	137	96	82	120	113	132	.70	11	4	9	2	5	4	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Deer Isle	1,392	691	554	834	677	968	.48	11	3	10	2	20	10	20	16	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Dedham	167	139	116	147	121	144	.71	8	9	9	6	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Eastbrook	89	76	70	74	69	76	.79	7	8	4	4	4	4	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Eden	458	283	226	284	243	325	.51	7	4	8	4	14	23	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Ellsworth	1,860	1,127	937	998	855	1,168	.48	13	3	12	1	21	2	22	20	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Franklin	420	264	214	333	265	350	.57	8	3	8	1	10	9	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Gouldsborough	672	387	334	435	375	554	.53	8	9	1	13	1	12	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Hancock	381	203	169	226	188	226	.47	10	10	5	6	2	6	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Isle au Haut	98	29	24	64	58	69	.42	9	7	3	2	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Lamoine	263	154	135	164	144	165	.53	12	11	1	5	1	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Mariaville	131	92	76	77	66	109	.55	8	10	5	1	4	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Mount Desert	367	233	214	273	227	302	.60	8	9	9	5	1	9	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Orland	554	372	297	428	372	442	.60	9	5	10	4	14	2	15	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Otis	124	71	57	81	80	88	.51	9	8	4	3	3	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Penobscot	521	274	235	359	315	359	.50	9	3	9	2	12	4	12	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Sedgwick	375	202	164	256	213	281	.50	10	2	10	1	10	10	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Sullivan	325	185	149	199	171	223	.49	10	3	11	1	6	6	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

Surry	413	251	208	286	246	307	.55	9	110	4	9	-	-	9	8	-	-	3,600	-	5
Tremont	773	415	347	486	401	550	.48	9	59	5	15	-	-	13	12	-	-	8,000	-	10
Trenton	207	129	110	139	124	160	.57	10	39	1	7	-	-	7	7	-	-	3,100	-	3
Waltham	120	65	52	102	86	90	.55	10	7	4	4	-	1	4	3	-	-	1,500	1	4
Verona	134	53	42	98	85	98	.47	10	12	-	4	-	-	4	4	-	-	2,400	-	-
Long Island pl.	68	46	38	40	34	54	.53	8	12	-	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	500	-	1
Swan's Island pl.	228	86	71	145	126	170	.43	9	19	1	5	-	-	5	4	-	-	1,500	-	5
No. 7 pl	21	21	20	-	-	21	-	12	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	240	-	-
No. 21 pl	25	18	17	-	-	18	-	12	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	4,400	-	-
No. 33 pl	51	38	30	-	-	38	-	20	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	800	-	-
	13,611	8,028	6,605	8,767	7,423	9,798	.54	10	210	279	23	271	197	5	1,760	162,110	12	155		

HANCOCK COUNTY—CONTINUED.

TOWNS.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Summer.		No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.		No. of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.		Average wages of Teachers per month, excluding board.		Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.		Average cost of Teachers' board per week.		Amount of school money voted in 1878.		Not less than 80 cts. for each inhabitant.		Amount raised per scholar.	Amount available from Town Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.		Amount available from State Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.		Amount derived from local funds.		Total amount actually expended for public schools from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.		Balance unexpended April 1, 1878.		Amount of money expended for repairs, fuel, insurance, &c.		Amount raised to provide for long public schools, in money, fuel, board, &c.		Amount paid for school supervision.	
	No.	1	No.	1	No.	1	Per month	Per month	Per week	Per week	Per week	Per week	Excess above am't required by law.	Less than the am't required by law.	Amount	Amount		Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	
Amherst	3	1	1	1	\$28	37	\$3	87	2	31	\$280	-	-	1	59	\$332	\$246	\$84	\$628	\$34	\$67	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$12	-	7
Aurora	1	1	-	1	25	73	4	52	2	25	170	-	-	1	89	438	174	60	505	167	64	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	103	
Bluehill	18	16	-	-	30	00	4	00	2	12	1,500	\$126	-	2	31	1,817	1,059	125	2,813	188	207	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	
Brooklin	9	4	1	1	40	00	5	00	2	25	800	27	-	2	32	801	563	37	1,397	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	
Brooksville	11	2	-	-	30	56	4	45	2	03	1,025	4	-	1	94	No	fiscal re	turns.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37	
Bucksport	20	19	2	2	53	61	4	38	2	21	2,750	4	-	2	65	3,134	1,795	136	3,597	468	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	135	
Castine	7	5	3	3	64	14	6	16	2	75	1,250	207	-	2	90	1,346	709	278	2,059	224	611	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41	
Cranberry Isles	7	2	-	-	32	58	3	01	2	01	281	-	-	2	05	427	231	6	641	23	73	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	
Deer Isle	21	14	2	2	36	55	4	86	2	54	2,500	-	-	1	80	3,010	2,371	-	4,619	762	619	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	110	
Dedham	7	4	-	-	42	50	3	45	1	75	375	13	-	2	25	703	268	134	854	251	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	
Eastbrook	4	3	-	-	26	00	3	00	1	62	175	25	-	1	97	335	148	-	340	143	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
Eden	10	6	-	-	35	75	3	46	2	15	956	-	-	2	09	1,179	746	101	1,826	200	215	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	77

HANCOCK COUNTY—CONCLUDED.

TOWNS.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Summer.		No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.		No. of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.		Average wages of Male Teachers per month, excluding board.		Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.		Average cost of Teachers' board per week.		Amount of school money voted in 1878.		Not less than 80 cts. for each inhabitant.		Amount raised per scholar.	Amount available from Town Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount available from State Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount derived from local funds.	Total amount actually expended for public schools from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Balance unexpended April 1, 1878.	Amount of money expended for repairs, fuel, insurance, &c.	Amount raised to prolong public schools, in money, fuel, board, &c.	Amount paid for school supervision.
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Excess above am't required by law.	Less than the am't required by law.											
Ellsworth	28	14	5	5	\$36 00	\$4 50	2 43	\$4 210	2 66	2 26	2 14	\$5,439	\$3,436	\$5	\$6,944	\$1,936	\$454	\$250							
Franklin	9	1	-	-	29 70	3 30	2 62	900	- 66	2 14	2 03	1,732	694	-	1,532	894	120	50							
Gouldsborough	13	8	2	2	38 11	3 85	2 22	1,367	-	2 03	2 03	1,587	1,122	31	2,381	359	315	40							
Hancock	6	-	-	-	36 67	5 00	2 25	781	- 1	2 05	2 05	785	621	-	1,386	20	100	47							
Isle au Haut	1	2	-	-	45 00	3 25	2 35	184	-	1 88	1 88	221	148	-	341	28	18	-							
Lamoine	3	1	-	-	36 00	3 94	2 19	500	10	1 90	1 90	550	433	-	937	46	95	21							
Mariaville	4	2	-	-	25 33	3 00	1 66	350	55	2 67	2 67	No	returns.	-	-	15	17								
Mount Desert	9	1	1	1	33 00	4 30	1 95	734	-	2 00	2 00	914	596	333	1,792	53	180	70							
Orland	21	8	-	-	34 25	3 80	2 25	1,400	39	2 53	2 53	1,715	943	135	2,522	271	115	50							
Otis	3	-	2	2	28 67	3 17	1 78	200	3	1 61	1 61	220	190	33	406	37	22	19							
Penobscot	9	4	1	1	36 00	4 45	1 84	1,134	-	2 18	2 18	1,252	857	43	2,016	136	-	58							
Sedgwick	10	3	4	3	38 14	4 63	1 98	1,000	106	2 67	2 67	1,265	670	54	1,898	91	110	61							
Sullivan	7	2	2	2	33 00	4 75	2 75	700	63	2 15	2 15	834	541	-	1,173	202	69	21							
Surry	10	5	-	-	35 90	3 88	2 15	994	24	2 41	2 41	1,146	644	-	1,759	31	-	54							
Tremont	13	4	3	3	33 58	4 05	2 48	1,458	-	1 88	1 88	1,762	1,257	-	2,506	513	128	55							
Trenton	7	2	-	-	33 00	4 50	1 82	550	8	2 66	2 66	611	401	-	980	32	82	20							
Waltham	3	1	-	-	26 60	2 87	1 41	300	7	2 50	2 50	388	223	80	501	190	8	17							
Verona	2	5	-	-	-	5 90	2 50	281	-	2 10	2 10	317	228	1	502	44	81	14							
Long Island pl.	1	1	-	-	20 00	2 50	3 50	125	15	1 87	1 87	140	115	-	218	37	18	-							
Swan's Island pl.	4	-	-	-	37 00	2 81	2 29	400	39	1 76	1 76	556	368	-	796	128	70	23							
No. 7 pl.	1	-	-	-	-	4 00	2 00	57	2	2 71	2 71	80	33	15	129	-	-	-							
No. 21 pl.	1	-	-	-	-	2 75	1 50	65	20	2 60	2 60	60	38	-	62	-	2	-							
No. 33 pl.	2	-	-	-	-	3 00	2 50	51	-	\$31 00	1 00	150	73	-	128	-	10	-							
	287	141	30	34	89	3 95	2 19	29,803	866	31	2 09	35,246	21,941	1,693	51,428	7,548	3,979	105	1,491						

KENNEBEC COUNTY.

TOWNS.	No. of children belonging in town between the ages of 4 and 21 years.	Number registered in Summer Schools.	Average number attending Summer Schools.	Number registered in Winter Schools.	Average number attending Winter Schools.	Number of different pupils registered.	Per centage of average attendance.	Average length of Summer Schools of 5 1/2 days per week.		Average length of Winter Schools of 5 1/2 days per week.		Number of districts in town.	Number of parts of districts.	Number of school houses in town.	Number in good condition.	Number of school houses built last year.	Cost of the same.	Estimated value of all school property in town.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Summer.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Winter.
								W.	A.	W.	A.									
Albion.....	390	229	192	309	261	332	.588	5	12	1	12	1	12	-	1	\$570	\$3,500	-	4	
Augusta.....	2,288	1,168	971	1,217	994	1,217	.4411	1	16	28	-	28	28	-	-	-	65,000	- 2	10	
Belgrade.....	456	300	242	374	322	409	.628	5	10	5	18	-	18	15	1	250	3,575	- 2	12	
Benton.....	393	232	198	254	209	299	.529	10	10	1	10	1	10	5	-	-	2,000	-	5	
Chelsea.....	300	218	168	288	258	227	.7112	9	8	1	9	1	9	6	-	-	3,250	-	3	
China.....	579	318	262	412	341	462	.528	5	10	5	21	1	21	10	-	-	3,000	- 1	17	
Clinton.....	557	357	298	421	368	412	.609	4	11	1	13	-	13	12	-	-	6,600	- 1	9	
Farmingdale.....	209	132	100	123	95	136	.4716	10	3	1	4	1	4	4	-	-	6,800	-	2	
Fayette.....	271	134	117	190	167	209	.527	4	11	2	9	4	9	7	-	-	2,500	-	3	
Gardiner.....	1,272	749	640	732	637	762	.5018	16	1	-	14	1	14	9	1	6,300	33,000	- 1	3	
Hallowell.....	869	543	497	492	453	714	.5516	17	1	-	9	1	9	8	-	-	15,000	-	10	
Litchfield.....	443	290	245	309	271	334	.588	3	9	4	14	1	15	7	-	-	5,800	-	3	
Manchester.....	198	111	91	151	114	157	.529	4	10	3	7	-	7	4	-	-	3,100	-	3	
Monmouth.....	448	232	203	304	249	353	.5111	2	11	12	1	13	8	-	-	-	5,500	-	7	
Mt. Vernon.....	359	185	143	253	212	301	.488	5	10	3	13	-	13	9	1	900	7,000	-	10	
Pittston.....	796	526	448	482	370	545	.517	4	10	5	17	-	17	11	-	-	7,500	- 1	7	
Readfield.....	357	257	207	221	168	212	.538	2	10	4	10	-	11	4	-	-	3,800	-	4	
Rome.....	231	141	109	183	147	192	.558	4	10	5	8	1	7	5	-	-	1,000	- 2	6	
Sidney.....	468	230	179	376	294	390	.517	1	11	2	19	-	19	11	-	-	4,750	-	8	
Vassalborough.....	838	436	373	490	425	557	.489	2	10	3	22	-	22	10	1	500	10,600	-	8	
Vienna.....	229	121	101	100	85	142	.417	1	9	1	10	-	10	7	-	-	1,200	- 1	1	
Waterville.....	1,544	598	487	540	449	853	.3016	4	16	1	1	-	9	7	-	-	20,000	- 1	3	
Wayne.....	308	157	124	261	201	275	.539	8	10	9	2	9	6	-	-	-	5,500	- 1	6	
West Gardiner.....	308	195	161	250	214	263	.618	2	10	1	9	-	9	5	-	-	3,000	-	7	
West Waterville.....	549	370	279	292	243	415	.5714	3	10	1	8	3	11	6	-	-	6,500	- 3	7	

KENNEBEC COUNTY—CONTINUED.

TOWNS.	No. of children belonging in town between the ages of 4 and 21 years.		Number registered in Summer Schools.	Average number attending Summer Schools.	Number registered in Winter Schools.	Average number attending Winter Schools.	Number of different pupils registered.	Per centage of average attendance.		Average length of Summer Schools 5½ days per week.		Average length of Winter Schools of 5½ days per week.		Number of districts in town.	Number of parts of districts.	Number of school houses in town.	Number in good condition.	Number of school houses built last year.	Cost of the same.	Estimated value of all school property in town.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Summer.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Winter.
	W.	S.						W.	S.	W.	S.											
Windsor	382	232	194	259	214	282	.53	8	10	15	17	10	10	-	13	10	-	-	\$3,250	-	9	
Winslow	450	248	226	275	228	311	.50	11	12	17	11	11	11	-	15	11	-	-	3,500	-	7	
Winthrop	619	364	310	368	319	410	.51	9	12	10	9	9	9	-	10	9	-	-	16,000	-	3	
Unity pl	25	17	14	19	17	20	.62	9	7	1	1	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	120	-	1	
	16,126	9,090	7,579	9,945	8,325	11,191	.53	10	2	11	2	326	17	357	235	5	8,520	257,345	17	175		

KENNEBEC COUNTY—CONCLUDED.

TOWNS.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Summer.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.	No. of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.	Average wages of Male Teachers per month, excluding board.	Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.	Average cost of Teachers' board per week.	Amount of school money voted in 1878.	Not less than 80 cts. for each inhabitant.		Amount raised per scholar.	Amount available from Town Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount available from State Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount derived from local funds.	Total amount actually expended for public schools from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Balance unexpended April 1, 1878.	Amount of money expended for repairs, fuel, insurance, &c.	Amount raised to prolong public schools, in money, fuel, board, &c.	Amount paid for school supervision.
								Excess above am't required by law.	Less than the am't required by law.									
Albion	12	9	1	\$18 00	\$3 60	1 74	\$1,085	-	2 78	\$1,214	\$ 649	-	\$1,782	\$81	\$ 231	-	\$69	
Augusta	41	23	-	-	-	-	6,250	-	2 29	24,668	3,800	-	24,094	4,415	2,298	-	550	
Belgrade	12	6	2	26 75	3 37	1 86	1,600	\$412	3 51	1,650	791	\$41	2,298	143	206	-	105	

Benton	10	5	-	28 00	4 13	1 90	1,000	-	56	-	2 54	1,362	673	-	1,827	208	148	-	41	
Chelsea	14	3	-	25 00	3 50	2 20	650	23	-	-	2 17	889	471	165	1,315	210	56	-	35	
China	16	8	-	24 25	3 39	2 20	1,696	-	-	-	2 93	1,720	981	-	2,598	103	-	-	95	
Clinton	12	4	-	35 12	4 56	2 40	1,505	91	-	-	2 70	No	fiscal returns.	-	-	-	270	-	125	
Farmingdale	5	2	-	35 00	4 50	2 00	750	73	-	-	3 59	1,059	382	2	1,379	64	290	-	45	
Fayette	8	9	1	27 50	3 83	1 87	800	80	-	-	2 95	877	491	-	1,266	102	172	\$15	48	
Gardiner	19	17	-	48 00	5 63	3 00	5,800	2,203	-	-	4 56	3,500	2,213	437	6,150	-	-	-	225	
Hallowell	11	11	-	-	6 00	2 50	3,500	1,094	-	-	4 07	3,000	1,515	51	4,504	62	682	-	150	
Litchfield	15	4	-	26 00	3 75	2 50	1,205	-	-	-	2 72	1,371	779	76	2,060	166	216	-	55	
Manchester	6	4	-	29 40	4 03	1 99	800	214	-	-	4 04	1,050	356	-	1,166	240	158	-	29	
Monmouth	12	5	-	29 00	4 00	2 03	1,395	-	-	-	3 11	2,046	749	-	2,435	360	327	30	95	
Mt. Vernon	11	3	1	24 00	3 25	1 88	1,005	3	-	-	2 80	1,487	587	-	1,436	638	141	-	45	
Pittston	19	15	-	28 00	4 25	2 15	1,900	18	-	-	2 38	2,336	1,310	-	3,132	514	442	-	100	
Readfield	11	7	-	25 37	4 62	1 86	1,200	24	-	-	3 36	1,353	610	-	1,774	189	197	-	50	
Rome	5	3	-	25 00	2 70	1 58	580	-	-	-	2 51	616	373	71	1,003	57	64	15	14	
Sidney	15	11	1	21 10	3 28	1 72	1,178	-	-	-	2 52	1,271	731	-	1,941	61	224	71	93	
Vassalborough	19	12	-	31 75	3 70	2 00	2,500	162	-	-	2 98	2,800	1,399	-	4,013	186	573	35	110	
Vienna	10	6	-	18 00	3 15	1 60	592	-	-	-	2 59	659	356	-	952	63	-	-	42	
Waterville	14	11	-	32 86	5 50	3 25	2,700	-	-	-	1 75	7,087	2,426	-	5,878	3,635	640	-	375	
Wayne	8	4	2	23 25	3 50	2 64	751	-	-	-	2 44	829	483	-	1,202	110	165	43	50	
West Gardiner	9	2	1	30 00	4 06	1 93	834	-	-	-	2 71	1,004	585	-	1,540	49	200	-	43	
West Waterville	11	6	1	34 15	4 30	2 30	1,300	-	-	-	2 37	1,915	1,009	-	2,739	185	441	-	110	
Windsor	14	3	-	25 00	3 65	1 85	1,012	-	-	-	2 65	1,546	626	-	1,857	315	-	24	59	
Winslow	16	6	-	22 75	3 30	2 00	1,200	50	-	-	2 67	1,774	798	-	2,382	190	225	-	67	
Winthrop	13	10	-	35 00	5 00	3 50	1,630	-	-	-	\$153	2 63	2,088	1,101	170	2,944	415	350	-	79
Unity pl	1	-	-	18 00	2 00	1 22	50	-	-	-	4 2 00	81	38	-	77	42	1	-	5	
	369	209	10	27 64	3 95	2 13	46,428	4,703	-	-	157	2 84	71,252	26,282	1,013	85,744	12,803	8,717	233	2,909

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TOWNS.	No. children belonging in town between the ages of 4 and 21 years.	Number registered in Summer Schools.	Average number attending Summer Schools.	Number registered in Winter Schools.	Average number attending Winter Schools.	Number of different pupils registered.	Per centage of average attendance.		Average length of Summer Schools of 5 1/2 days per week.		Average length of Winter Schools of 5 1/2 days per week.		Number of districts in town.	Number of parts of districts.	Number of school houses in town.	Number in good condition.	Number of school houses built last year.	Cost of the same.	Estimated value of all school property in town.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Summer.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Winter.
							%. A.	%. D.	%. A.	%. D.											
Appleton	489	294	254	330	266	396	.53	11	12	11	1	11	6	-	-	-	-	\$5,500	1	10	
Camden	1,460	902	812	942	839	1,152	.56	9	3 10	16	1	16	9	-	-	-	-	16,000	1	14	
Cushing	272	170	136	176	145	208	.51	11	2 9	6	1	6	5	-	-	-	-	2,200	-	4	
Friendship	355	206	170	250	214	275	.54	9	2 10	7	2	7	6	-	-	-	-	2,000	-	7	
Hope	253	157	134	200	164	211	.59	9	4 11	4	4	7	6	-	-	-	-	3,500	-	1	
Hurricane Isle	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	3,300	-	-	
North Haven	248	143	124	188	164	188	.58	8	3 9	2	6	6	4	-	-	-	-	2,500	-	6	
Rockland	2,150	1,424	1,181	1,348	1,198	1,523	.55	22	10	1	1	11	5	1	1	1	\$11,000	50,000	3	4	
South Thomaston	678	376	305	460	369	479	.50	11	1 9	1	12	14	9	1	1	1	250	6,300	-	8	
St. George	994	838	647	597	473	817	.56	8	5 9	4	18	3	17	15	-	-	-	6,500	3	15	
Thomaston	863	558	521	589	548	528	.62	9	11	3	11	11	11	-	-	-	-	18,900	3	3	
Union	522	338	283	373	307	400	.58	11	11 3	14	1	14	11	-	-	-	-	10,850	-	10	
Vinalhaven	981	789	694	586	473	833	.59	11	3 10	3	11	1	12	12	-	-	-	7,000	-	6	
Warren	659	394	316	375	310	467	.47	12	11 4	19	1	19	14	1	1	1	400	9,100	1	6	
Washington	375	240	210	324	301	324	.68	10	9 3	13	2	12	10	-	-	-	-	3,000	-	10	
Matineus pl	87	31	25	67	54	67	.45	12	12	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	500	-	1	
Muscle Ridge pl	62	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10,517	6,860	5,412	6,805	5,825	7,868	.55	11	1 10	3	145	12	166	125	3	3	11,650	147,150	12	105	

KNOX COUNTY—CONCLUDED.

TOWNS.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Summer.		No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.		No. of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.		Average wages of Male Teachers per month, excluding board.		Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.		Average cost of Teachers' board per week.		Amount of school money voted in 1878.		Excess above amt't required by law.		Less than the amt't required by law.		Amount raised per scholar.		Amount available from Town Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.		Amount available from State Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.		Amount derived from local funds.		Total amount actually expended for public schools from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.		Balance unexpended April 1, 1878.		Amount of money expended for repairs, fuel, insurance, &c.		Amount raised to prolong public schools, in money, fuel, board, &c.		Amount paid for school supervision.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
Appleton	11	3	-	-	\$32	50	\$3	08	1	93	\$1,189	-	-	2	43	\$1,616	\$870	-	-	2	43	\$1,616	\$870	-	-	\$1,736	\$750	\$228	-	-	-	-	\$51			
Camden	22	10	-	-	40	00	3	50	2	75	4,000	\$1,988	-	-	2	74	4,854	2,415	\$90	-	2	74	4,854	2,415	6,278	1,081	-	-	-	-	-	-	128			
Cushing	6	2	-	-	31	00	4	16	2	10	565	-	3	-	2	08	651	451	-	-	2	08	651	451	1,004	98	93	-	-	-	-	-	22			
Friendship	7	1	-	-	31	25	4	00	2	75	712	-	-	-	2	01	752	553	-	-	2	01	752	553	1,305	-	109	-	-	-	-	-	17			
Hope	7	6	-	-	43	00	4	67	1	75	726	-	2	-	2	08	1,043	426	-	-	2	08	1,043	426	1,251	228	120	\$17	-	-	-	-	24			
Hurricane Isle	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	650	-	-	-	9	42	-	-	-	-	-	9	42	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
North Haven	6	-	1	-	43	33	3	00	2	81	650	5	-	-	2	62	792	421	9	-	2	62	792	421	1,219	3	149	-	-	-	-	-	18			
Rockland	26	27	4	-	100	00	5	50	3	50	5,700	42	-	-	2	65	7,100	3,887	14	-	2	65	7,100	3,887	12,544	2,194	-	-	-	-	-	-	550			
South Thomaston	11	6	5	-	32	37	4	25	3	00	1,354	-	-	-	2	00	1,607	1,129	-	-	2	00	1,607	1,129	2,186	550	197	-	-	-	-	-	42			
St. George	18	3	-	-	31	81	3	15	2	69	1,857	-	-	-	1	87	2,410	1,712	-	-	1	87	2,410	1,712	3,828	294	446	-	75	-	-	-	50			
Thomaston	10	10	-	-	104	66	8	50	4	50	2,474	-	-	-	2	87	3,185	1,524	-	-	2	87	3,185	1,524	3,227	1,482	4,717	-	-	-	-	-	-	170		
Union	14	4	1	-	31	25	4	11	2	00	1,362	-	-	-	2	61	1,637	924	-	-	2	61	1,637	924	2,368	193	370	-	-	-	-	-	68			
Vinalhaven	16	6	5	-	53	00	4	50	2	70	2,315	834	-	-	2	36	2,244	1,768	-	-	2	36	2,244	1,768	4,035	-	235	368	-	-	-	-	89			
Warren	17	14	-	-	30	00	4	00	2	50	1,580	-	-	-	2	40	No	turns.	-	-	2	40	No	turns.	-	-	352	-	-	-	-	-	75			
Washington	13	3	-	-	25	00	3	00	1	50	1,020	-	-	-	2	72	1,020	616	-	-	2	72	1,020	616	1,676	-	125	-	-	-	-	-	65			
Matineus pl	-	1	1	-	40	00	4	00	3	00	200	-	-	-	2	41	428	146	28	-	2	41	428	146	335	267	61	-	28	-	-	-	2			
Muscle Ridge pl	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
	185	96	22	44	61	4	56	2	63	26,354	2,874	3	2	83	29,339	16,742	151	42,992	4,946	9,396	488	1,371														

APPENDIX.

LINCOLN COUNTY.

TOWNS.*	No. of children belonging in town between the ages of 4 and 21 years.		Average number attending Summer Schools.		Average number attending Winter Schools.		Number of different pupils registered.		Per centage of average attendance.		Average length of Summer Schools of 5½ days per week.			Average length of Winter Schools of 5½ days per week.			Number of districts in town.		Number of parts of districts.		Number of school houses in town.		Number in good condition.		Number of school houses built last year.		Cost of the same.		Estimated value of all school property in town.		Number of Male Teachers employed in Summer.		Number of Male Teachers employed in Winter.	
	No. of children belonging in town between the ages of 4 and 21 years.	Number registered in Summer Schools.	Average number attending Summer Schools.	Number registered in Winter Schools.	Average number attending Winter Schools.	Number of different pupils registered.	Per centage of average attendance.	w.	d.	w.	d.	Number of districts in town.	Number of parts of districts.	Number of school houses in town.	Number in good condition.	Number of school houses built last year.	Cost of the same.	Estimated value of all school property in town.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Summer.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Winter.														
Alna.....	249	177	148	235	193	238	.68	10	5	10	3	6	-	6	3	-	-	\$3,100	-	6														
Boothbay.....	1,150	681	556	786	657	978	.53	10	2	10	4	15	-	16	15	1	\$3,100	20,000	-	9														
Bremen.....	335	240	196	255	225	298	.63	10	8	9	4	9	1	9	4	1	1,000	3,000	1	8														
Bristol.....	1,043	604	587	684	564	697	.55	9	5	10	1	21	-	20	2	-	-	10,800	1	16														
Damariscotta.....	369	219	188	219	201	260	.53	8	2	9	3	6	-	7	4	-	-	4,000	1	4														
Dresden.....	276	145	129	196	152	203	.51	8	3	10	3	9	1	9	7	-	-	4,000	-	3														
Edgecomb.....	347	185	140	220	181	318	.46	13	1	2	4	7	-	7	4	-	-	4,000	-	4														
Jefferson.....	543	460	317	490	412	462	.67	11	11	11	1	15	-	14	10	1	500	6,000	-	14														
Newcastle.....	521	240	211	305	256	365	.45	9	3	10	1	14	-	14	12	1	800	5,200	-	8														
Nobleborough.....	375	231	205	279	229	315	.58	10	12	12	-	12	-	9	1	900	6,000	-	9															
Somerville.....	191	142	108	151	121	180	.60	9	1	10	5	8	-	5	4	-	-	1,000	-	3														
Southport.....	273	198	129	179	157	201	.52	8	3	8	-	5	-	5	5	-	-	1,800	-	3														
Waldoborough.....	1,236	748	618	887	741	954	.55	10	2	10	2	31	2	31	22	-	-	14,000	3	20														
Westport.....	203	113	81	122	102	140	.45	10	10	3	4	4	-	4	3	-	-	1,500	-	4														
Whitefield.....	510	307	261	361	299	391	.55	9	11	16	-	16	-	16	12	-	-	5,000	-	10														
Wiscasset.....	687	412	331	435	348	459	.49	8	4	10	3	6	-	7	4	-	-	4,000	1	6														
Monhegan pl.....	41	25	18	29	23	29	.50	7	1	10	5	1	-	1	1	-	-	500	-	1														
	8,349	5,127	4,223	5,833	4,861	6,488	.54	9	1	10	3	185	6	183	128	5	6,300	93,900	7	128														

LINCOLN COUNTY—CONCLUDED.

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Alna.....	6	-	-	\$33 50	\$4 91 2 75		\$650	\$52	-	2 61		\$691	\$412	-	\$1,044	\$59	\$150	-	\$28
Boothbay.....	18	10	-	49 00	5 72 3 20		3,200	640	-	2 78		3,804	2,018	\$100	5,489	433	604	-	130
Bremen.....	9	1	-	32 00	3 90 2 50		640	3	-	1 91		906	305	192	1,304	99	83	-	21
Bristol.....	20	4	3	39 50	4 22 3 60		2,400	61	-	2 30		2,806	1,743	-	4,045	504	30	\$225	75
Damariscotta.....	7	4	4	33 00	5 25 2 50		1,067	-	-	2 89		1,200	668	-	1,719	149	120	-	60
Dresden.....	9	6	1	23 00	4 72 2 00		800	10	-	2 90		865	446	-	1,306	5	-	-	30
Edgecomb.....	7	3	1	28 40	4 22 2 75		800	53	-	2 31		1,217	605	-	1,701	121	511	-	25
Jefferson.....	15	6	1	30 00	4 00 2 25		1,821	362	-	3 36		2,347	899	-	2,548	698	350	-	66
Newcastle.....	12	6	1	30 44	5 00 2 44		1,383	-	-	2 65		1,590	896	-	2,408	78	228	-	93
Nobleborough.....	11	3	1	30 00	3 50 2 25		920	-	-	2 46		No	fiscal re	turns.	-	-	163	30	50
Somerville.....	6	6	-	24 00	3 25 2 00		406	1	-	2 13		569	294	-	759	104	-	-	40
Southport.....	5	2	-	41 00	5 08 2 87		600	53	-	2 20		629	440	21	1,046	44	80	25	34
Waldoborough.....	26	11	-	31 60	3 78 2 00		3,350	8	-	2 79		3,523	2,103	-	5,398	233	215	-	175
Westport.....	4	-	-	42 00	4 62 3 19		560	2	-	2 75		841	383	-	1,081	143	106	-	20
Whitefield.....	17	8	-	28 00	3 62 1 75		1,400	38	-	2 75		1,814	844	-	2,502	156	270	-	99
Wisasset.....	9	4	-	45 00	4 00 2 00		1,600	18	-	2 33		1,675	1,147	25	2,918	-	694	-	70
Monhegan pl.....	1	-	-	30 00	4 00 3 00		80	-	-	3 6 1 95		115	67	-	206	-	29	-	-
	181	68	8	33 44	4 34 2 53		21,677	1,299		38 2 53		24,597	13,270	338	35,484	2,626	3,633	280	1,016

OXFORD COUNTY.

TOWNS.	No. of children belonging in town between the ages of 4 and 21 years.	Number registered in Summer Schools.	Average number attending Summer Schools.	Number registered in Winter Schools.	Average number attending Winter Schools.	Number of different pupils registered.	Per centage of average attendance.		Average length of Summer Schools of 5½ days per week.		Average length of Winter Schools of 5½ days per week.		Number of districts in town.	Number of paris of districts.	Number of school houses in town.	Number in good condition.	Number of school houses built last year.	Cost of the same.	Estimated value of all school property in town.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Summer.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Winter.
							W.	D.	W.	D.											
Albany	255	101	77	169	142	251	.43	10	2	8	10	10	-	10	5	-	-	\$2,500	-	5	
Andover	249	131	103	167	138	181	.48	11	2	13	3	6	-	6	5	-	-	6,000	-	4	
Bethel	670	379	323	509	425	572	.56	8	3	10	2	27	4	26	20	-	-	7,100	-	11	
Brownfield	417	194	182	253	204	253	.46	8	2	10	15	15	-	15	8	1	\$300	5,000	-	4	
Buckfield	449	288	223	334	281	345	.56	9	3	10	13	3	12	5	5	-	-	6,000	-	9	
Byron	73	22	20	70	64	70	.58	8	3	9	6	3	-	3	-	-	-	500	-	2	
Canton	292	143	120	209	174	239	.51	7	4	9	2	9	1	9	7	-	-	4,150	-	7	
Denmark	364	211	176	236	186	317	.50	8	2	11	3	12	2	13	8	-	-	3,500	-	5	
Dixfield	290	166	125	211	170	229	.51	9	8	8	9	1	8	7	7	-	-	-	-	8	
Fryeburg	499	327	305	324	230	397	.54	9	3	12	17	1	16	12	1	1	525	5,000	1	8	
Gilead	106	65	52	60	54	80	.59	6	4	7	2	6	-	6	3	-	-	1,200	1	2	
Grafton	53	27	22	36	22	39	.42	8	8	3	3	-	-	1	1	-	-	100	-	1	
Greenwood	310	162	129	202	162	219	.47	10	1	11	1	12	-	12	3	-	-	1,000	-	5	
Hanover	62	21	20	65	58	59	.58	10	9	1	3	1	3	1	1	-	-	1,700	-	2	
Hartford	273	162	135	208	170	238	.56	8	3	10	1	14	3	14	11	-	-	5,000	-	12	
Hebron	213	130	106	159	121	173	.53	9	3	11	2	7	2	7	5	-	-	2,200	-	4	
Hiram	504	371	302	386	326	420	.62	8	9	15	15	-	-	14	5	-	-	4,750	1	9	
Lovell	369	198	163	219	189	249	.48	9	1	12	12	-	-	12	8	-	-	5,000	-	9	
Mason	32	29	20	30	27	30	.73	10	14	1	7	-	-	1	1	-	-	500	-	1	
Mexleo	149	102	75	115	84	144	.53	9	10	10	7	-	-	6	2	-	-	1,200	-	4	
Newry	116	95	77	103	87	94	.71	8	4	10	6	1	6	4	4	-	-	2,200	-	5	
Norway	759	426	336	477	412	512	.49	12	14	14	15	1	17	15	-	-	-	2,500	1	6	
Oxford	533	287	229	460	347	476	.63	8	3	9	5	11	1	11	9	-	-	6,700	-	5	
Paris	940	483	401	575	482	575	.47	10	10	10	20	-	-	20	16	-	-	10,000	2	13	
Peru	303	165	128	229	192	235	.53	8	5	11	3	10	-	10	8	-	-	4,500	1	8	

Porter	423	258	193	261	202	287	.479	5	11	5	13	2	13	6	-	-	2,650	2	10
Roxbury	49	6	6	45	34	45	.418		8		4	1	3	2	-	-	500	-	3
Lumford	380	190	160	193	161	215	.429		10	2	13	-	13	10	-	-	2,500	-	10
Stow	150	112	89	100	77	124	.558		10	3	7	1	7	-	-	-	-	-	1
Stoneham	No	return.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sumner	390	254	203	298	249	337	.589	1	10	3	16	1	16	11	-	-	4,800	-	11
Sweden	139	95	85	116	97	116	.659		11	1	7	-	7	7	-	-	5,000	-	-
Upton	85	48	39	45	41	54	.4711	3	10	3	5	-	3	3	-	-	700	-	2
Waterford	402	217	175	244	186	296	.459	5	11	4	14	2	14	13	-	-	10,000	-	5
Woodstock	399	194	129	276	217	375	.448		10		12	1	11	1	-	-	2,000	-	10
Franklin pl	60	31	25	29	25	31	.428		10	3	3	-	3	1	-	-	400	-	2
Lincoln pl	10	11	9	12	10	12	- 10		10		1	-	1	1	-	-	250	-	-
Milton pl	No	return.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	10,767	6,101	4,962	7,223	6,046	7,989	.529	1	10	2	361	29	349	224	2	825	117,100	14	203

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Albany	7	5	1	\$19 50	\$3 07 1 25	\$600	\$79	-	2 35	\$533	\$425	\$38	\$984	\$12	\$63	\$37	\$34		
Andover	7	3	-	29 00	3 52 2 44	700	-	88	2 81	740	400	21	1,121	40	138	-	25		
Bethel	20	13	1	25 46	3 46 1 87	1,826	-	-	2 73	1,970	1,176	36	2,989	193	-	-	106		
Brownfield	15	10	-	20 50	3 52 1 81	1,942	883	-	4 66	1,248	619	30	1,817	80	550	56	62		
Buckfield	12	6	-	28 00	3 65 2 10	1,196	-	1	2 67	1,271	758	126	2,080	75	-	-	75		
Byron	2	4	-	23 50	3 16 1 62	194	-	-	\$2 2 66	261	98	27	386	-	50	13			
Canton	10	13	1	21 00	3 19 1 96	787	-	-	2 70	961	491	63	1,330	185	180	25	45		
Denmark	11	9	-	30 00	3 40 1 16	1,100	244	-	3 02	No	fiscal re	turns.	-	-	68	-	70		
Dixfield	8	1	-	30 00	3 00 2 00	798	-	-	4 1 2 75	1,334	501	-	1,573	62	-	-	40		
Fryeburg	15	6	-	23 00	4 12 1 75	1,300	94	-	2 60	1,403	908	10	2,256	145	175	-	75		
Gilead	5	4	-	20 00	3 45 1 29	263	-	-	2 48	263	177	15	455	-	50	70	19		
Grafton	2	1	-	18 00	3 00 1 00	85	10	-	1 60	107	64	-	156	15	-	5	-		
Greenwood	10	5	-	31 00	3 05 1 74	700	23	-	2 26	844	591	25	1,389	71	128	104	44		
Hanover	1	1	-	20 00	3 50 2 50	200	50	-	3 23	156	123	18	294	3	11	97	8		
Hartford	15	3	-	20 00	2 86 1 63	797	-	-	2 92	837	505	24	1,347	19	120	335	65		
Hebron	6	2	-	22 00	3 03 1 40	595	1	-	2 80	658	378	-	967	69	109	18	30		
Hiram	15	6	-	29 36	4 55 2 12	1,500	385	-	2 98	1,620	847	-	2,149	318	116	-	72		
Lovell	11	3	1	22 50	3 40 1 50	800	-	14	2 17	1,337	624	196	1,900	257	120	-	50		
Mason	1	-	-	26 00	3 50 1 50	102	8	-	3 19	101	65	-	166	10	-	-	-		
Mexico	7	3	-	23 00	2 86 1 66	366	-	-	2 46	426	261	-	671	16	45	-	23		
Newry	6	1	-	20 00	3 11 1 30	333	-	-	2 87	357	213	50	591	29	46	-	15		
Norway	18	14	3	42 20	3 65 2 00	2,000	436	-	2 55	No	fiscal re	turns.	-	-	-	35	130		
Oxford	12	13	-	26 06	4 45 1 82	1,350	-	44	2 53	1,806	916	-	2,263	459	300	75	75		
Paris	18	10	1	22 50	4 00 2 00	2,213	-	-	2 35	2,414	1,599	200	3,913	300	-	-	135		
Peru	9	2	-	22 80	2 57 1 75	746	-	-	2 46	805	523	34	1,295	67	106	-	31		

Porter	11	-	-	25 52	2 89	1 83	888	4	-	2 10	1,310	851	100	2,009	252	190	-	48
Roxbury	1	2	1	16 00	2 00	1 60	150	20	-	3 06	152	83	-	199	36	10	-	3
Rumford	12	2	1	26 00	3 50	1 54	1,000	30	-	2 63	1,070	582	170	1,754	68	-	-	49
Stow	7	4	-	27 50	4 00	1 50	400	58	-	2 67	461	240	-	642	59	75	55	15
Stoneham	No	re	turn	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	No	fiscal re	turns.	-	-	-	-	-
Sumner	16	4	-	24 09	2 59	1 56	936	-	25	2 40	1,073	666	78	1,723	94	134	260	63
Sweden	7	7	1	-	4 72	1 39	550	111	-	3 95	640	240	100	936	44	70	-	45
Upton	5	1	-	19 00	3 03	1 45	150	2	-	1 76	150	136	135	421	-	21	46	7
Waterford	13	5	3	34 00	4 65	2 00	1,200	170	-	2 98	1,654	684	60	2,068	330	273	-	95
Woodstock	11	-	-	26 00	2 80	2 25	800	4	-	2 01	820	710	-	1,434	96	175	-	30
Franklin pl	3	-	-	20 50	2 12	1 22	143	1	-	2 38	154	101	3	240	18	9	-	5
Lincoln pl	1	1	-	-	3 00	1 50	22	-	2	2 20	202	20	30	130	112	32	-	1
Milton pl	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	202	166	-	362	6	-	-	-
	329	154	14	23 94	3 32	1 69	28,730	2,746	74	2 67	29,340	16,741	1,589	44,010	3,630	3,374	1,218	1,603

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	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.			
Alton.....	168	84	67	102	78	136	.43	12	2	13	4	5	5	1	4	4	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	
Argyle.....	106	81	72	79	70	74	.67	11	13	13	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	
Bangor.....	5,362	3,229	2,707	3,099	2,624	3,489	.50	13	24	24	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Bradford.....	533	279	242	356	297	464	.51	8	3	11	5	15	15	15	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	
Bradley.....	340	215	183	124	85	246	.40	15	3	11	3	3	3	3	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	
Brewer.....	1,025	544	456	536	446	550	.44	10	4	11	3	7	11	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Burlington.....	222	159	120	144	114	210	.53	12	13	13	7	7	7	7	6	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	
Carmel.....	419	220	180	244	210	251	.47	8	3	10	3	11	11	11	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
Carroll.....	260	141	119	154	192	175	.46	11	4	10	2	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	
Charleston.....	412	239	184	275	235	317	.51	9	5	12	3	10	10	10	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	
Chester.....	160	119	94	94	71	151	.52	7	3	10	3	6	6	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Clifton.....	145	89	77	98	79	114	.54	12	2	12	1	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	
Corinna.....	492	277	217	364	305	395	.53	9	10	5	14	3	16	13	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Corinth.....	451	267	202	375	312	405	.57	9	2	10	3	13	2	14	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	
Dexter.....	773	476	411	489	423	516	.54	10	19	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Dixmont.....	392	227	192	276	237	330	.54	8	3	10	3	14	13	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
Eddington.....	258	145	124	164	140	194	.51	9	3	10	3	7	7	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	
Edinburg.....	24	20	17	-	-	20	-	24	-	2	-	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Enfield.....	212	131	95	69	49	151	.34	16	14	7	-	7	7	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Etna.....	345	202	153	222	171	228	.47	10	5	12	8	8	8	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Exeter.....	416	252	210	314	264	350	.56	9	3	9	3	13	1	13	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
Garland.....	382	206	166	242	209	305	.49	9	1	11	2	10	3	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Glenburn.....	276	150	95	142	103	160	.36	9	10	3	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	
Greenbush.....	267	183	151	170	143	236	.55	9	3	8	1	8	6	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	
Greenfield.....	135	73	50	50	42	87	.34	12	2	8	1	5	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4

Hampden	955	710	565	540	416	644	.5112	3	10	2	18	1	18	9	-	-	12,000	2	13
Hermon	505	285	215	347	284	372	.499	11	13	-	13	9	9	-	-	-	2,500	-	10
Holden	254	161	134	188	150	218	.568	3	12	8	8	7	-	-	-	-	3,500	-	3
Howland	48	30	25	20	16	32	.4317	2	5	1	5	1	-	-	-	-	200	-	-
Hudson	255	149	115	142	110	167	.4410	10	10	7	6	6	-	-	-	-	1,700	-	3
Kenduskeag	225	122	89	116	88	138	.4010	10	1	-	4	2	-	-	-	-	3,000	-	1
Kingman	162	73	48	75	53	78	.3112	9	5	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	1,200	1	1
Lagrange	232	137	109	137	102	177	.4513	12	4	4	4	3	-	-	-	-	2,000	1	4
Lee	379	251	209	289	238	329	.5910	1	10	5	8	1	8	2	1	500	1,550	-	6
Levant	416	226	188	272	217	334	.498	1	10	1	10	2	11	7	1	455	3,000	-	7
Lincoln	643	530	347	453	330	564	.538	9	3	10	1	9	6	-	-	-	4,000	-	3
Lowell	152	114	91	97	63	110	.519	11	8	-	8	3	-	-	-	-	500	-	-
Mattawamkeag	156	81	65	67	46	106	.3612	9	5	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1,000	-	1
Maxfield	68	45	39	14	13	50	.398	8	4	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	200	-	-
Medway	188	111	83	57	33	168	.3110	7	7	-	5	5	-	-	-	-	2,000	-	1
Milford	202	140	123	157	129	161	.6217	10	4	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	4,000	-	3
Mt. Chase	120	110	108	40	40	110	.6212	10	6	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	1,000	-	-
Newburg	361	198	167	270	218	302	.5310	2	11	2	10	1	11	8	1	300	2,800	-	9
Newport	467	277	231	309	269	394	.5410	5	9	3	10	1	10	7	-	-	10,000	-	5
Oldtown	1,118	581	453	576	446	784	.409	11	2	9	12	6	-	-	-	-	6,000	-	2
Orono	746	394	326	393	349	523	.4522	12	1	-	11	10	-	-	-	-	38,172	1	5
Orrington	526	414	361	402	336	505	.667	4	10	2	11	13	12	-	-	-	5,300	2	7
Passadumkeag	82	47	36	65	49	66	.527	4	12	5	4	2	-	-	-	-	500	-	-
Patten	240	111	89	130	105	142	.409	1	12	6	-	6	3	-	-	-	1,200	-	3
Plymouth	279	197	162	205	175	237	.609	3	11	8	1	9	7	-	-	-	3,600	-	4
Prentiss	168	101	87	115	102	115	.5612	13	5	1	4	4	-	-	-	-	2,000	1	5
Springfield	331	216	168	203	169	246	.5110	4	10	8	2	8	4	-	-	-	5,000	1	3
Stetson	307	174	139	201	163	217	.4911	1	13	7	7	7	-	-	-	-	4,500	-	4
Veazie	230	134	116	165	134	163	.5417	2	12	4	1	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	1
Winn	277	162	127	133	103	249	.428	4	10	3	4	3	4	3	-	-	2,900	-	1
Drew pl.	41	38	35	39	36	39	.859	13	3	-	2	2	1	-	-	146	500	1	1
Lakeville pl.	63	36	25	33	21	60	.378	3	12	4	2	1	2	2	-	-	750	-	1
No. 1, North Division pl.	No	return.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
No. 2, Grand Falls pl.	34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	100	-	-
Staceyville pl.	No	return.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Webster	46	41	38	-	-	41	-	12	-	-	4	-	1	1	-	-	100	-	2
Woodville	69	53	39	25	20	57	.4319	4	13	4	-	2	1	-	-	-	300	-	-
	23,910	14,457	11,736	14,447	12,052	17,452	.4911	2	11	3	408	32	453	338	10	4,571	377,372	27	223

PENOBSCOT COUNTY—CONCLUDED.

TOWNS.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Summer.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.	No. of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.	Average wages of Male Teachers per month, excluding board.	Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.	Average cost of Teachers' board per week.	Amount of school money voted in 1878.	Not less than 80 cts. for each inhabitant.		Amount raised per scholar.	Amount available from Town Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount available from State Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount derived from local funds.	Total amount actually expended for public schools from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Balance unexpended April 1, 1878.	Amount of money expended for repairs, fuel, insurance, &c.	Amount raised to prolong public schools, in money, fuel, board, &c.	Amount paid for school supervision.
								Excess above am't required by law.	Less than the am't required by law.									
Alton.....	7	3	-	\$23 00	\$3 15 2 25	\$439	\$33	-	2 61	\$707	\$301	\$33	\$835	\$206	\$116	-	\$30	
Argyle.....	4	-	-	18 00	2 50 2 75	300	300	54	2 83	687	117	-	509	295	31	-	15	
Bangor.....	66	67	4	93 00	10 50 3 50	21,000	6,369	-	3 91	No	fiscal re	turns.	-	8,000	-	-	785	
Bradford.....	12	5	-	29 30	3 19 2 13	4,200	10	-	2 25	1,576	851	86	2,238	275	93	-	116	
Bradley.....	5	1	-	45 00	3 00 2 00	743	49	-	2 19	883	490	-	1,324	49	87	-	56	
Brewer.....	14	10	2	57 00	7 39 2 00	2,600	29	-	2 53	3,437	1,765	52	4,642	612	700	-	142	
Burlington.....	7	3	-	27 00	3 50 2 00	442	-	-	1 99	567	503	273	1,272	71	142	-	26	
Carmel.....	10	6	1	30 00	4 28 1 89	1,100	20	-	2 63	1,454	746	96	2,996	300	112	-	68	
Carroll.....	7	1	-	23 18	3 56 1 49	506	-	-	1 95	617	457	72	1,098	48	104	\$25	32	
Charleston.....	10	2	3	25 87	3 58 1 96	1,000	51	-	2 43	1,067	693	119	1,827	52	203	-	55	
Chester.....	5	3	-	20 00	3 05 1 92	280	-	-	1 75	280	301	21	571	31	30	-	26	
Clifton.....	5	3	-	29 29	3 82 1 80	280	2	-	1 93	371	250	155	765	11	54	-	14	
Corinna.....	13	9	-	29 88	3 31 1 59	1,271	61	-	2 58	1,401	849	-	2,019	231	57	144	77	
Corinth.....	13	5	-	35 33	3 18 1 77	1,170	-	-	2 59	1,373	763	63	1,924	275	169	71	60	
Dexter.....	11	11	2	80 00	6 00 2 50	2,400	100	-	3 10	2,476	1,407	159	4,227	-	1,277	40	135	
Dixmont.....	14	8	2	26 00	3 15 1 80	1,050	2	-	2 68	1,189	669	156	1,879	135	300	-	50	
Eddington.....	6	2	-	29 60	2 95 1 90	625	3	-	2 42	813	401	-	1,088	126	110	-	27	
Edinburg.....	2	-	-	-	3 00 2 00	60	16	-	2 50	75	33	34	132	10	12	-	2	
Enfield.....	8	-	-	29 16	3 06 1 92	450	116	-	2 12	647	231	175	903	150	108	-	17	
Etna.....	8	3	-	28 00	2 43 1 70	680	5	-	1 97	860	549	50	1,383	76	325	-	35	
Exeter.....	11	4	-	27 17	2 97 1 92	1,200	62	-	2 89	1,596	743	156	2,359	136	385	-	45	
Garland.....	10	5	2	35 00	3 25 2 13	1,045	-	-	2 73	1,306	648	92	1,775	271	72	-	54	
Glenburn.....	7	2	-	25 00	4 00 2 50	576	-	-	2 09	600	421	185	1,157	49	-	-	29	
Greenbush.....	7	6	3	33 87	6 40 2 40	497	-	-	1 86	548	433	30	979	32	80	-	25	
Greenfield.....	4	1	-	27 00	3 25 2 00	260	5	-	1 93	No	fiscal re	turns.	-	-	47	-	10	

Hampden	18	6	-	35 00	4 25	2 28	2,500	46	-	2 62	3,103	1,755	-	4,335	523	-	-	-	135
Herron	12	3	-	24 40	3 62	1 77	1,200	6	-	2 38	1,298	836	-	1,984	150	204	-	-	72
Holden	10	4	1	32 67	3 90	1 72	609	-	-	2 40	1,233	336	20	1,283	306	129	19	-	42
Howland	5	2	-	-	2 46	1 52	200	59	-	4 17	521	78	-	413	186	28	-	-	7
Hudson	7	3	-	27 00	3 31	1 73	600	9	-	2 35	1,042	431	111	1,200	384	144	-	-	30
Kenduskeag	3	2	1	68 00	4 33	2 50	620	4	-	2 75	955	382	58	1,287	108	100	-	-	15
Kingman	1	1	-	34 00	3 50	2 75	300	152	-	1 85	390	256	-	520	126	35	-	-	15
Lagrange	3	-	-	28 62	4 06	2 25	500	2	-	2 16	628	380	54	1,072	-	109	-	-	19
Lee	9	3	1	24 25	3 62	1 89	768	-	-	2 03	1,012	561	57	1,609	21	245	-	-	50
Levant	10	4	-	37 00	3 68	1 80	1,000	73	-	2 40	1,343	724	85	1,919	233	203	-	-	51
Lincoln	18	8	1	28 00	3 75	2 75	1,250	26	-	1 94	1,644	1,132	193	2,460	509	250	-	-	125
Lowell	8	6	-	-	2 83	2 02	358	-	-	2 36	415	226	70	700	11	36	-	-	15
Mattawamkeag	7	2	-	35 00	3 95	2 47	285	-	-	1 83	356	276	56	683	3	20	-	-	6
Maxfield	2	1	-	-	2 75	1 31	200	107	-	2 94	211	105	-	218	98	10	-	-	8
Medway	7	-	-	20 00	5 00	2 50	384	127	-	2 04	913	313	60	703	473	57	-	-	10
Milford	5	2	-	28 33	4 00	3 00	675	8	-	3 34	2,494	333	180	1,147	1,860	111	-	-	59
Mt. Chase	6	1	-	-	3 20	1 75	230	20	-	1 92	234	196	26	454	2	40	-	-	8
Newburg	10	2	-	25 75	2 80	2 38	1,000	106	-	2 77	1,404	570	-	1,593	381	205	-	-	47
Newport	12	7	2	28 86	3 54	2 33	1,250	3	-	2 68	2,131	827	154	2,594	518	-	-	-	82
Oldtown	15	11	-	33 53	3 80	3 13	3,256	-	-	2 91	3,755	2,000	-	5,360	395	875	-	-	150
Orono	12	5	1	-	-	3 00	2,312	1	-	3 10	2,312	1,360	-	3,278	394	365	-	-	75
Orrington	14	6	-	34 40	4 56	2 59	1,425	11	-	2 71	1,802	922	69	2,605	188	311	-	-	70
Passadumkeag	4	4	-	-	3 78	1 43	300	106	-	3 66	400	145	-	529	16	69	-	-	13
Patten	6	3	1	23 33	3 62	1 65	664	101	-	2 77	728	418	70	1,032	184	64	-	-	45
Plymouth	9	5	2	29 75	2 96	1 68	753	-	-	2 70	886	463	-	1,298	51	195	-	-	30
Prentiss	4	-	-	22 00	3 00	2 00	325	15	-	1 93	589	293	118	895	105	78	50	-	15
Springfield	7	4	-	29 25	2 95	2 09	712	9	-	2 15	908	451	75	1,281	153	214	-	-	45
Stetson	7	4	1	35 00	2 97	1 89	750	-	-	2 44	1,072	511	162	1,352	393	164	-	-	42
Vezie	3	2	-	65 00	5 60	3 00	650	2	-	2 83	1,093	418	-	1,315	196	193	-	-	40
Winn	8	3	-	21 00	3 61	2 05	721	-	-	2 60	1,081	446	50	1,231	346	194	-	-	51
Drew pl.	1	1	-	20 50	3 25	1 75	150	82	-	3 66	323	73	26	301	121	23	-	-	-
Lakeville pl.	2	1	-	13 00	3 01	1 87	109	23	-	1 73	155	98	-	249	4	13	-	-	7
No. 1, North Division pl.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
No. 2, Grand Falls pl.	-	-	-	-	-	-	52	-	28	1 53	No	fiscal returns.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Staceyville pl.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Webster	2	-	-	22 00	2 06	2 37	100	78	-	2 17	186	93	-	231	48	26	-	-	5
Woodville	3	1	-	-	4 50	1 87	200	-	-	2 89	561	120	-	539	142	66	-	-	12
	516	267	30	33 03	3 80	2 10	67,522	8,163	30	2 48	61,508	31,149	3,701	85,563	12,069	17,380	349	3,328	

PISCATAQUIS COUNTY.

TOWNS.	No. of children belonging in town between the ages of 4 and 21 years.		Number registered in Summer Schools.		Average number attending Summer Schools.		Number registered in Winter Schools.		Average number attending Winter Schools.		Number of different pupils registered.		Per centage of average attendance.		Average length of Summer Schools of 5½ days per week.		Average length of Winter Schools of 5½ days per week.		Number of districts in town.	Number of parts of districts.	Number of school houses in town.	Number in good condition.	Number of school houses built last year.	Cost of the same.	Estimated value of all school property in town.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Summer.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Winter.
	W.	P.	W.	P.	W.	P.	W.	P.	W.	P.	W.	P.	W.	P.	W.	P.	W.	P.									
Abbot	250	176	139	184	152	217	.58	8	10	8	3	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	8	7	-	-	\$3,000	-	4	
Atkinson	326	206	168	260	196	306	.56	9	2	11	10	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	10	9	-	-	5,000	-	4	
Blanchard	67	24	18	31	24	41	.31	15	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	800	-	1	
Brownville	342	239	170	238	184	280	.52	10	2	10	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	7	4	-	-	4,000	-	1	
Dover	572	288	256	436	367	492	.54	10	3	11	1	16	2	16	15	-	-	-	2	16	15	-	-	6,000	1	10	
Foxcroft	400	250	200	280	220	300	.52	10	-	11	-	8	-	8	6	-	-	-	-	8	8	-	-	5,000	-	1	
Guilford	280	215	190	245	228	245	.57	9	-	10	-	8	-	8	5	2	-	-	-	8	5	2	\$525	1,500	-	3	
Greenville	178	89	58	62	58	121	.33	11	-	12	-	4	-	4	1	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	2,000	1	2	
Kingsbury	No return.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Medford	141	110	86	92	73	121	.56	8	1	10	1	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	5	4	-	-	500	-	3	
Monson	248	182	136	130	107	186	.49	9	-	11	-	7	1	7	4	1	-	-	7	7	4	1	350	2,500	-	1	
Milo	348	216	165	235	200	262	.52	9	4	9	7	9	-	9	6	-	-	-	9	9	6	-	-	2,300	1	4	
Orneville	245	75	53	142	110	170	.33	9	-	3	11	8	2	7	1	-	-	-	2	7	1	-	-	1,000	-	3	
Parkman	378	241	175	269	226	343	.53	8	3	10	3	14	-	15	12	-	-	-	8	15	12	-	-	4,500	-	3	
Sangerville	354	207	173	219	164	249	.48	9	4	9	9	9	2	9	8	1	-	-	2	9	8	1	512	3,500	-	5	
Sebec	302	125	150	214	171	250	.53	10	-	12	2	9	-	9	9	-	-	-	-	9	9	-	-	5,000	-	5	
Shirley	92	63	42	73	61	78	.56	10	4	11	3	3	-	3	2	-	-	-	3	3	2	-	-	1,200	-	1	
Wellington	249	180	140	200	148	225	.54	7	-	10	-	10	1	8	4	1	-	-	1	8	4	1	260	2,000	-	6	
Williamsburg	80	55	43	61	44	67	.54	7	3	14	-	3	-	3	2	-	-	-	-	3	2	-	-	250	-	2	
	4,852	2,941	2,362	3,371	2,733	3,953	.50	9	3	11	1	130	-	11	137	100	5	-	1,647	50,050	3	-	-	59			

PISCATAQUIS COUNTY—CONCLUDED.

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TOWNS.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Summer.		No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.		No. of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.	Average wages of Male Teachers per month, excluding board.	Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.	Average cost of Teachers' board per week.	Amount of school money voted in 1878.	Not less than 80 cts. for each inhabitant.		Amount raised per scholar.	Amount available from Town Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount available from State Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount derived from local funds.	Total amount actually expended for public schools from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Balance unexpended April 1, 1878.	Amount of money expended for repairs, fuel, insurance, &c.	Amount raised to prolong public schools, in money, fuel, board, &c.	Amount paid for school supervision.
	Excess above am't required by law.	Less than the am't required by law.																		
Abbot	7	4	2	2	\$25 75	\$3 75	1 87	\$570	-	-	2 28	\$605	\$438	\$60	\$1,039	\$64	\$110	-	\$43	
Atkinson	10	6	2	2	20 75	3 17	1 63	650	\$18	-	1 99	651	513	115	1,236	43	118	-	40	
Blanchard	1	-	-	-	30 00	3 00	2 25	132	-	-	1 97	153	108	36	271	26	25	-	-	
Brownville	10	8	1	1	50 00	4 25	2 11	700	-	8	2 28	954	556	60	1,597	-	56	-	58	
Dover	15	8	-	-	28 00	3 35	1 86	1,600	14	-	2 80	1,707	1,045	84	2,676	160	350	-	78	
Foxcroft	10	9	-	-	60 00	4 75	2 12	1,150	206	-	2 87	1,232	658	72	1,900	62	25	-	61	
Guilford	8	5	2	2	30 00	3 00	2 50	655	1	-	2 34	849	448	-	1,269	28	-	-	15	
Greenville	4	-	-	-	22 00	3 10	2 18	300	5	-	1 69	316	316	53	663	22	87	-	6	
Kingsbury	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	150	113	-	244	19	-	-	-	
Medford	6	1	-	-	21 66	2 69	1 40	250	15	-	1 77	344	231	5	555	25	62	-	18	
Monson	9	6	-	-	26 00	3 60	1 86	488	-	-	1 97	717	436	51	1,185	19	166	-	28	
Milo	9	6	-	-	30 00	2 80	1 75	751	1	-	2 16	1,004	586	82	1,479	193	30	-	52	
Orneville	4	4	-	-	18 00	3 25	1 65	460	-	-	1 84	467	416	40	877	46	-	-	20	
Parkman	14	11	-	-	27 77	3 57	1 52	884	-	-	2 34	1,072	641	-	1,658	55	-	-	56	
Sangerville	8	4	-	-	26 40	3 50	1 78	912	-	-	2 58	1,177	584	54	1,501	314	173	-	34	
Sebec	9	5	-	-	36 25	4 08	1 88	775	12	-	2 57	1,127	504	100	1,690	41	185	-	48	
Shirley	3	2	-	-	25 00	3 00	2 50	164	-	-	1 78	164	157	129	450	-	45	-	9	
Wellington	10	3	-	-	22 00	3 00	2 00	550	5	-	2 21	679	423	-	1,028	74	20	-	30	
Williamsburg	2	-	-	-	30 00	3 25	2 50	200	59	-	2 50	263	128	-	389	2	19	-	12	
	139	82	7	29	42	3 40	1 96	11,141	344	-	2 22	13,631	8,301	941	21,707	1,193	1,471	25	608	

APPENDIX.

SAGADAHOC COUNTY.

TOWNS.	No. of children belonging in town between the ages of 4 and 21 years.		Number registered in Summer Schools.		Average number attending Summer Schools.		Number registered in Winter Schools.		Average number attending Winter Schools.		Number of different pupils registered.		Per centage of average attendance.		Average length of Summer Schools of 5 ½ days per week.		Average length of Winter Schools of 5 ½ days per week.		Number of districts in town.		Number of parts of districts.		Number of school houses in town.		Number in good condition.		Number of school houses built last year.		Cost of the same.		Estimated value of all school property in town.		Number of Male Teachers employed in Summer.		Number of Male Teachers employed in Winter.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
	74	43	34	52	42	50	.51	8	3	11	2	-	2	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-		
Arrowsic.....	74	43	34	52	42	50	.51	8	3	11	2	-	2	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-		
Bath.....	3,186	1,797	1,599	1,990	1,645	2,078	.51	12	25	1	-	-	14	14	-	1	14	14	-	1	14	14	-	1	14	14	-	1	14	14	-	1	14	14	-	1
Bowdoinham.....	573	294	244	355	296	382	.47	9	3	9	15	-	15	7	-	15	7	-	-	15	7	-	-	15	7	-	-	15	7	-	-	15	7	-	-	
Bowdoin.....	419	282	238	284	238	325	.57	9	10	15	-	15	8	-	1	17	8	-	1	17	8	-	1	17	8	-	1	17	8	-	1	17	8	-	1	
Georgetown.....	406	202	172	263	225	290	.49	8	3	10	2	10	4	-	1	8	4	-	-	8	4	-	-	8	4	-	-	8	4	-	-	8	4	-	-	
Perkins.....	20	-	-	17	13	17	-	-	9	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	
Phippsburg.....	514	293	227	351	252	427	.46	11	5	12	3	14	5	-	-	14	5	-	-	14	5	-	-	14	5	-	-	14	5	-	-	14	5	-	-	
Richmond.....	782	484	409	502	428	613	.54	8	10	11	-	-	14	11	-	14	11	-	-	14	11	-	-	14	11	-	-	14	11	-	-	14	11	-	-	
Topsham.....	385	226	193	222	189	278	.50	9	10	10	1	-	10	10	-	10	10	-	-	10	10	-	-	10	10	-	-	10	10	-	-	10	10	-	-	
West Bath.....	96	48	40	54	42	61	.44	7	10	4	4	-	4	4	-	4	4	-	1	4	4	-	1	4	4	-	1	4	4	-	1	4	4	-	1	
Woolwich.....	393	219	185	265	215	309	.51	8	9	3	8	-	7	6	-	7	6	-	-	7	6	-	-	7	6	-	-	7	6	-	-	7	6	-	-	
	6,848	3,888	3,341	4,355	3,585	4,830	.50	9	11	3	82	2	166	72	3	4,038	100,200		10	65																

SAGADAHOC COUNTY—CONCLUDED.

TOWNS.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Summer.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.	No. of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.	Average wages of Male Teachers per month, excluding board.	Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.	Average cost of Teachers' board per week.	Amount of school money voted in 1878.	Not less than 80 cts for each inhabitant.		Amount raised per scholar.	Amount available from Town Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount available from State Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount derived from local funds.	Total amount actually expended for public schools from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Balance unexpended April 1, 1878.	Amount of money expended for repairs, fuel, insurance, &c.	Amount raised to prolong public schools, in money, fuel, board, &c.	Amount paid for school supervision.	
	Excess above am't required by law.	Less than the am't required by law.																	
Arrowsic.....	2	2	1	\$4 25	2 50		\$205	Excess above am't required by law.	\$3	2 77	\$212	\$116	-	\$322	\$6	\$36	-	\$11	
Bath.....	34	33	4	26 62	8 00	5 00	15,500	Less than the am't required by law.	-	4 86	16,500	5,479	\$88	22,420	-	-	-	600	
Bowdoinham.....	19	4	-	3 94	2 32		1,600		158	2 80	1,691	972	124	2,705	82	280	\$16	75	
Bowdoin.....	11	7	1	25 00	3 28	2 50	1,080		-	2 58	1,167	676	-	1,767	76	234	160	60	
Georgetown.....	8	6	3	38 00	4 50	3 50	925		17	2 28	1,270	649	-	1,531	388	74	15	50	
Perkins.....	-	-	1	25 00	3 00		57		-	2 85	58	32	-	90	-	16	-	-	
Phippsburg.....	13	3	-	32 00	4 00	3 00	1,100		25	2 14	1,157	857	-	1,984	30	135	200	43	
Richmond.....	16	10	-	38 55	4 43	2 17	2,000		46	2 56	2,249	1,403	-	3,304	247	369	-	144	
Topsham.....	12	8	-	26 60	4 27	3 07	1,300		99	3 38	1,546	688	-	2,066	208	367	-	152	
West Bath.....	4	3	-	28 00	3 25	2 59	350		51	3 65	447	179	-	483	143	131	-	9	
Woolwich.....	8	1	3	35 50	5 15	2 85	950		126	2 42	1,056	636	-	1,545	147	-	-	55	
	127	77	12	36 53	4 51	2 95	25,067		10,121	-	2 94	27,353	11,687	252	38,217	1,327	1,642	391	1,199

SOMERSET COUNTY.

TOWNS.	No. of children belonging in town between the ages of 4 and 21 years.		Number registered in Summer Schools.		Average number attending Summer Schools.		Number registered in Winter Schools.		Average number attending Winter Schools.		Number of different pupils registered.		Per centage of average attendance.		Average length of Summer Schools of 5 1/2 days per week.		Average length of Winter Schools of 5 1/2 days per week.		Number of districts in town.		Number of parts of districts.		Number of school houses in town.		Number in good condition.		Number of school houses built last year.		Cost of the same.		Estimated value of all school property in town.		Number of Male Teachers employed in Summer.		Number of Male Teachers employed in Winter.	
	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.	w.	d.		
Anson	525	310	255	417	336	437	.56	7	8	3	17	2	21	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	8		
Athens	509	312	262	371	294	440	.55	8	5	9	4	13	3	14	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7	7			
Bingham	285	137	111	201	143	234	.45	10	2	12	11	-	-	9	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	5			
Brighton	262	155	131	186	149	232	.53	7	3	10	1	2	8	5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3			
Cambridge	177	123	102	153	122	146	.63	10	1	12	1	5	5	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3			
Canaan	450	240	185	288	241	326	.47	8	2	9	4	12	1	12	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	4			
Concord	153	82	62	92	73	132	.44	9	9	1	11	1	8	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1			
Cornville	296	152	112	206	170	240	.48	9	11	4	12	2	12	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3				
Detroit	218	159	131	152	123	220	.58	8	3	11	6	-	-	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	2	2				
Embsden	270	134	110	186	144	215	.47	7	1	12	1	12	2	11	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	5	5				
Fairfield	1,098	871	812	897	830	961	.75	10	10	10	16	2	17	15	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8	8			
Harmony	336	225	202	273	234	283	.65	8	3	11	2	11	1	11	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	4			
Hartland	308	163	134	205	172	192	.50	10	11	3	10	3	11	3	11	3	11	3	11	3	11	3	11	3	11	3	11	3	11	3	11	5	5			
Lexington	118	66	50	135	128	102	.75	6	2	9	4	8	7	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1			
Madison	409	319	231	324	255	379	.59	8	2	11	19	17	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	2	2				
Mayfield	No return.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Mercer	284	176	141	209	159	267	.53	7	3	12	3	11	-	11	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3			
Moscow	206	130	108	140	114	189	.54	8	10	10	9	-	-	8	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3			
New Portland	477	241	211	264	230	396	.46	7	2	11	17	1	15	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	8			
Norridgewock	473	257	205	261	225	329	.45	10	11	11	17	6	16	15	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	5			
Palmvra	410	239	194	305	246	361	.54	8	2	11	4	13	4	13	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	11	11			
Pittsfield	636	372	315	399	310	518	.49	11	4	10	4	11	4	11	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	8			
Ripley	206	120	96	148	125	149	.54	10	10	10	5	-	-	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3			
St. Albans	510	291	248	368	308	390	.54	9	1	12	3	16	-	3	16	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	9	9			
Solon	370	252	208	271	231	340	.59	8	2	10	3	13	-	13	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	7			

Skowhegan.....	1,308	761	667	783	699	940	.529	110	5	18	1	25	20	-	-	28,950	1	6
Smithfield.....	189	120	93	145	122	170	.577	11	3	7	-	7	4	-	-	2,100	-	7
Starks.....	347	200	138	291	245	262	.558	10	5	14	3	13	6	-	-	3,000	-	6
Carratunk pl.....	68	53	47	41	32	64	.585	27	1	4	5	3	3	-	-	900	-	-
Carrying Place pl.....	27	23	19	-	-	23	-	6	-	2	-	1	1	-	-	100	-	-
Dead River pl.....	37	27	24	31	25	31	.666	39	-	2	-	2	2	-	-	600	-	-
Dennistown pl.....	34	20	12	-	-	20	-	12	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	500	-	-
Flagstaff pl.....	21	32	30	29	25	21	-	10	10	1	-	1	1	1	450	450	1	1
Highland pl.....	40	34	27	24	19	35	.578	26	4	3	1	3	3	-	-	300	-	-
Jackmantown pl.....	37	17	11	26	19	26	.416	11	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	300	1	1
Moose River pl.....	43	27	18	35	32	39	.5818	9	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	800	1	1
No. 1, R. 2, W. K. R. pl.	54	39	37	49	36	49	.665	11	3	1	3	3	3	-	-	700	-	-
The Forks.....	62	58	56	-	-	58	-	10	3	4	-	3	3	2	490	800	-	-
West Forks pl.....	31	24	20	16	12	26	.5010	8	-	2	-	1	1	-	-	500	-	-
	11,294	6,959	5,805	7,921	6,628	9,232	.558	510	2	346	45	342	213	9	3,655	114,738	9	144

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	No.	No.	No.	No.	Average	Average	Average	Excess	Less	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	
Anson.....	19	13	1	26	36	\$3	49	1	80	\$1,400	\$3	-	2	67	No	fiscal	turns.	-	-	\$80	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$80
Athens.....	15	17	-	25	00	3	81	1	58	1,234	-	2	-	42	\$1,341	\$976	\$79	-	-	70	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70		
Bingham.....	9	5	2	23	20	3	23	1	52	661	-	-	-	32	812	466	60	1,258	80	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24		
Brighton.....	7	5	-	25	33	3	78	2	00	550	-	48	-	10	599	431	6	916	120	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25		
Cambridge.....	5	2	-	37	50	3	57	1	73	378	-	-	-	14	570	280	30	740	140	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17		
Canaan.....	12	5	-	25	62	2	55	1	87	1,220	42	-	-	71	1,333	764	-	2,050	135	61	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	61		
Concord.....	7	7	1	22	00	3	12	1	15	362	2	-	-	36	420	285	-	701	4	49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49		

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	No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.	No. returned.						Excess above amount required by law.	Less than amount required by law.									
Cornville	11	8	-	\$25 00	\$3 30	1 70	\$780	\$13	-	2 64	\$934	\$465	\$125	\$1,385	\$139	\$58	\$31	\$84
Detroit	7	5	1	22 00	2 75	2 50	552	-	-	2 53	663	400	50	1,046	67	-	-	40
Embsden	9	6	-	22 30	3 16	1 25	642	-	-	2 38	781	506	-	1,179	108	80	-	14
Fairfield	17	8	-	28 00	3 87	2 62	2,500	101	-	2 27	4,865	1,739	97	5,643	558	425	-	162
Harmony	11	7	-	28 55	4 38	1 55	882	100	-	2 59	989	534	100	1,380	243	400	-	63
Hartland	10	5	1	24 30	2 82	2 00	900	-	4	2 95	1,300	549	-	1,451	398	176	-	76
Lexington	4	7	-	15 00	3 18	1 32	322	-	-	2 73	389	231	-	570	50	113	12	8
Madison	17	14	2	30 50	4 21	1 73	1,126	-	-	2 75	1,312	651	70	1,866	167	157	75	67
Mayfield	No	retu	rn.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mercer	10	6	-	30 50	3 19	1 46	680	-	-	\$2 2 39	832	533	28	1,223	170	96	-	25
Moscow	5	5	1	19 00	3 22	1 28	425	3	-	2 06	479	353	26	727	131	42	39	16
New Portland	18	8	3	28 55	3 15	1 55	1,200	32	-	2 52	1,540	789	45	2,130	244	241	27	58
Norridgewock	12	11	1	31 88	2 85	1 60	1,410	-	-	2 98	1,559	873	-	2,122	310	146	114	87
Palmyra	13	4	-	24 18	3 04	1 66	1,058	-	-	2 58	1,177	768	56	1,937	64	197	-	64
Pittsfield	15	6	-	29 40	4 79	2 17	1,460	10	-	2 30	2,075	1,109	-	2,803	381	332	-	107
Ripley	5	2	-	27 00	4 00	1 40	467	-	-	2 27	509	321	32	796	66	95	-	16
St. Albans	16	8	7	23 77	3 18	1 57	1,340	-	-	2 63	1,471	876	71	2,351	67	26	66	70
Solon	12	5	-	28 28	3 33	1 50	941	16	-	2 54	1,090	615	100	1,629	176	137	-	10
Skowhegan	23	20	3	29 10	4 00	2 25	3,700	506	-	2 83	4,254	2,193	-	5,747	800	500	100	115
Smithfield	6	-	-	25 64	3 30	1 55	600	35	-	3 17	602	318	22	924	18	72	-	23
Starks	11	8	3	21 67	4 06	1 65	867	-	-	2 21	921	620	-	1,395	146	113	125	56
Carratunk pl.	6	7	-	-	2 50	1 50	175	4	-	2 59	35	101	213	349	-	6	-	-
Carrying Place pl.	3	-	1	-	2 25	2 50	25	-	-	3 93	40	35	1	41	35	109	-	-
Dead River pl.	2	-	-	-	4 00	2 00	125	64	-	3 38	135	62	-	205	-	16	-	-
Dennistown pl.	1	-	-	-	3 00	2 00	40	10	-	1 18	30	27	3	60	-	-	-	3

Flagstaff pl.....	-	-	-	22 00	-	2 12	56	-	-	34 2 66	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Highland pl.....	3	4	-	-	3 00	1 15	102	-	-	2 55	125	66	-	191	-	10	-	-	5
Jackmantown pl.....	-	-	-	16 00	-	2 25	52	-	-	1 41	50	65	-	115	-	9	-	-	-
Moose River pl.....	-	-	-	18 00	-	2 00	100	17	-	2 33	50	81	40	171	-	28	-	-	-
No. 1, R. 2, W. K. R. pl.	3	3	-	-	3 75	1 25	102	6	-	1 89	110	83	-	193	-	-	-	-	-
The Forks pl.....	4	1	1	-	3 00	2 50	130	2	-	2 10	132	108	-	144	96	150	64	-	-
West Forks pl.....	2	2	-	-	5 00	2 00	58	-	-	1 87	80	153	-	184	49	12	-	-	-
	330	215	28	23 85	3 42	1 77	28,622	1,020		36 2 37	33,140	18,416	1,342	47,883	5,039	4,630	663	1,495	

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								w.	d.	w.	d.									
Belfast	1,700	1,003	822	969	839	1,092	.49	15	13	15	1	18	14	-	-	-	\$11,000	3	15	
Belmont	189	118	82	164	123	160	.54	10	3	12	5	5	5	5	-	-	2,800	-	4	
Brooks	296	165	150	256	226	256	.64	9	10	7	-	7	5	5	-	-	2,100	-	6	
Burnham	425	222	163	277	207	404	.44	10	3	11	4	10	9	10	-	-	3,000	-	8	
Frankfort.....	522	242	226	374	324	387	.52	7	3	9	4	7	2	8	-	-	3,500	-	4	
Freedom	240	234	220	232	219	236	.91	7	11	9	1	9	5	6	-	-	3,000	-	9	
Islesborough	465	240	183	313	244	347	.46	10	3	9	2	8	-	8	-	-	3,000	-	8	
Jackson	230	157	135	238	202	211	.73	7	5	9	2	9	1	9	6	-	1,200	-	2	
Knox	316	219	165	244	215	232	.60	9	3	9	4	9	2	9	6	-	2,475	-	10	
Liberty	316	175	150	300	275	300	.67	10	2	12	9	4	9	7	-	-	1,500	-	8	
Lincolnton.....	656	389	301	452	401	602	.54	9	5	10	4	17	17	14	2	\$1,900	8,700	-	14	
Monroe	431	288	242	333	273	362	.60	8	5	9	1	13	3	13	-	-	8,061	-	5	

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	No. of children belonging in town between the ages of 4 and 21 years.	Number registered in Summer Schools.					w.	p.	w.	p.											
Montville	495	261	216	334	277	421	.50	10	1	10	3	15	2	15	11	-	-	\$4,200	-	7	
Morrill	184	114	82	103	84	150	.45	8	3	9	3	5	-	5	4	-	-	2,000	-	3	
Northport	283	144	118	198	154	223	.48	10	-	10	9	9	-	9	7	-	-	3,000	-	3	
Palermo	412	216	200	294	270	350	.57	9	4	10	13	2	13	6	6	-	-	3,500	-	11	
Prospect	264	160	137	176	157	247	.55	8	2	9	2	7	1	7	4	-	-	4,500	-	5	
Searsmont	537	288	223	365	296	420	.48	9	2	11	12	3	12	8	8	-	-	4,100	-	3	
Searsport	741	483	419	468	399	565	.55	16	2	10	1	11	2	11	8	-	-	15,450	1	7	
Stockton	535	271	254	349	311	446	.53	13	1	13	9	2	9	8	8	-	-	5,000	-	7	
Swanville	272	124	99	147	120	160	.40	8	1	12	1	6	1	6	4	-	-	2,492	-	3	
Thorndike	246	125	98	169	137	183	.48	10	3	11	4	10	-	8	6	-	-	2,000	-	7	
Troy	389	207	165	242	203	334	.47	11	-	11	2	12	3	11	8	-	-	2,600	-	9	
Unity	400	215	162	320	272	353	.54	8	-	12	-	12	-	12	10	-	-	4,000	-	10	
Waldo	275	142	108	165	137	178	.44	9	5	10	5	7	-	7	6	-	-	2,000	-	5	
Winterport	1,016	716	538	442	357	740	.44	9	1	10	-	16	-	16	12	-	-	10,000	-	9	
	11,835	6,918	5,658	8,024	6,718	9,359	.53	9	5	10	4	262	29	263	192	2	1,900	115,178	4	194	

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TOWNS.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Summer.		No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.		No of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.		Average wages of Male Teachers per month, excluding board.		Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.		Average cost of Teachers' board per week.		Amount of school money voted in 1878.		Not less than 80 cts. for each inhabitant.		Amount raised per scholar.	Amount available from Town Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.		Amount available from State Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.		Amount derived from local funds.		Total amount actually expended for public schools from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.		Balance unexpended April 1, 1878.		Amount of money expended for repairs, fuel, insurance, &c.		Amount raised to prolong public schools, in money, fuel, board, &c.		Amount paid for school supervision.				
	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	Excess above am't required by law.	Less than the am't required by law.	No.	Amount		No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount			
Belfast	26	10	12	\$48 00	\$5 00	3 25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2 66	No	fiscal re	turns.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Belmont	3	1	-	24 00	2 70	2 00	\$502	-	-	-	-	-	-	2 37	\$506	\$326	468	1,136	90	69	93	137	155	122	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Brooks	7	1	-	35 00	3 00	2 25	700	\$5	-	-	-	-	-	2 12	758	468	1,136	90	69	93	137	155	122	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Burnham	9	1	-	31 37	3 17	2 04	900	-	-	-	-	-	-	2 35	1,031	709	1,696	44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Frankfort	9	5	-	43 33	2 75	2 15	1,000	78	-	-	-	-	-	1 91	1,139	688	1,631	231	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Freedom	9	1	1	28 00	2 50	1 25	574	-	-	-	-	-	-	2 35	833	383	1,158	95	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Islesborough	9	1	2	37 50	3 05	2 21	986	-	-	-	-	-	-	2 12	1,039	759	1,755	43	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jackson	10	8	-	28 50	2 92	1 64	266	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 16	568	390	911	47	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Knox	9	1	2	27 22	2 78	1 47	712	-	-	-	-	-	-	2 25	780	577	1,224	123	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberty	7	1	-	30 00	2 75	2 00	762	36	-	-	-	-	-	2 41	936	531	1,418	49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lincolnton	15	3	-	28 00	3 30	2 06	1,520	-	-	-	-	-	-	2 32	1,660	1,195	2,814	41	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Monroe	13	8	-	24 00	3 66	1 73	1,100	-	-	-	-	-	-	2 55	1,404	469	1,877	295	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montville	15	8	2	29 43	2 80	1 54	1,174	40	-	-	-	-	-	2 37	1,317	821	2,026	112	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Morrill	5	1	-	28 00	3 25	1 85	418	-	-	-	-	-	-	2 27	497	308	723	82	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northport	6	1	-	26 75	2 65	1 92	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	2 55	738	497	1,229	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Palermo	13	1	-	25 00	3 00	1 70	979	-	-	-	-	-	-	2 38	1,050	669	1,669	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Prospect	7	2	-	32 25	3 64	2 19	709	-	-	-	-	-	-	2 68	No	fiscal re	turns.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Searsmont	12	4	1	32 00	3 11	1 91	1,136	2	-	-	-	-	-	2 12	1,419	854	2,075	198	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Searsport	14	8	6	46 75	5 00	2 65	2,000	49	-	-	-	-	-	2 70	2,925	1,329	3,861	393	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stockton	12	4	3	46 28	4 14	2 36	1,671	-	-	-	-	-	-	3 12	1,727	928	2,519	136	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Swanville	6	1	1	26 08	3 33	1 83	616	-	-	-	-	-	-	2 26	744	480	1,045	179	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thorndike	7	2	-	22 40	2 81	1 63	614	30	-	-	-	-	-	2 50	857	390	1,082	165	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Troy	10	2	-	27 50	2 96	1 62	1,000	39	-	-	-	-	-	2 57	1,335	649	1,920	94	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unity	11	2	-	25 02	3 21	1 77	961	-	-	-	-	-	-	2 40	1,391	666	1,878	179	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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TOWNS.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Summer.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.	No. of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.	Average wages of Male Teachers per month, excluding board.	Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.	Average cost of Teachers' board per week.	Amount of school money voted in 1878.	Excess above amt required by law.	Less than the amt required by law.	Amount raised per scholar.	Amount available from Town Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount available from State Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount derived from local funds.	Total amount actually expended for public schools from Apr. 1, '74, to Apr. 1, '78.	Balance unexpended April 1, 1878.	Amount of money expended for repairs, fuel, insurance, &c.	Amount raised to prolong public schools, in money, fuel, board, &c.	Amount paid for school supervision.
	Waldo	Winterport																
	6	7	-	\$25 40	\$3 03	1 55	\$520	\$2	-	1 89	\$599	\$461	-	\$995	\$65	\$101	-	\$20
	15	5	-	30 50	3 65	2 25	2,200	5	-	2 16	2,305	1,790	\$440	4,324	211	268	-	118
	267	80	32	31 09	3 24	1 95	23,742	286	-	12 33	27,558	16,327	860	41,802	2,943	3,924	1,730	1,263

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	Addison	Alexander	Baileyville					w.	d.	w.	d.									
	438	272	223	293	250	357	.54	9	5	9	4	12	-	12	9	-	\$450	\$3,920	-	7
	222	153	96	135	89	191	.42	12	15	15	4	3	3	5	4	-	-	1,500	-	5
	173	112	90	90	80	155	.55	10	4	10	2	5	1	5	3	-	-	2,000	-	2

Baring	101	50	43	77	65	80	.53	8	14	1	1	2	1	-	-	3,000	-	1
Beddington	57	57	42	43	41	57	.73	8	3	10	1	2	2	-	-	1,150	-	-
Calais	2,516	1,852	1,271	1,874	1,235	1,895	.50	22	16	1	-	16	6	1	1,000	50,000	5	7
Centerville	52	35	32	-	-	35	-	18	-	1	1	2	1	-	-	1,000	1	-
Charlotte	211	150	114	199	162	157	.65	9	2	5	-	5	3	-	-	2,000	1	4
Cherryfield	644	406	370	372	308	459	.53	9	5	11	1	8	9	6	1	6,000	-	1
Columbia	259	219	179	184	160	243	.66	9	1	11	6	2	7	3	-	1,800	-	5
Columbia Falls	264	156	156	174	154	180	.59	10	10	3	-	4	2	-	-	3,200	4	3
Cooper	147	95	65	101	76	122	.48	7	1	11	2	5	5	2	-	1,800	-	5
Crawford	97	60	50	67	55	72	.54	10	11	2	-	2	2	-	-	1,200	-	2
Outler	367	355	290	237	186	285	.65	11	3	11	2	8	1	8	6	3,800	1	7
Danforth	245	157	128	166	134	175	.53	13	3	3	5	-	4	3	-	1,000	-	1
Deblois	53	43	37	35	30	44	.63	16	8	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1
Dennysville	248	148	127	160	141	172	.54	17	18	1	-	2	2	-	-	3,500	1	1
East Machias	757	791	647	328	288	498	.62	12	12	7	-	9	9	-	-	6,000	-	3
Eastport	1,183	740	470	748	465	748	.40	20	20	2	-	6	6	-	-	12,000	2	3
Eaton	111	84	70	-	-	84	-	16	-	-	-	4	3	2	-	1,200	-	-
Edmunds	171	239	153	80	74	150	.66	9	4	8	-	4	-	-	-	1,000	-	4
Harrington	466	293	252	312	271	340	.56	8	4	10	2	10	9	4	-	3,300	-	4
Jonesborough	212	147	126	66	55	149	.43	10	15	5	-	2	5	4	-	2,500	-	2
Jonesport	657	386	315	386	331	518	.49	10	4	9	2	15	8	6	-	5,950	1	3
Kossuth	60	34	30	53	40	48	.58	12	9	3	2	1	2	1	-	1,000	-	2
Lubeck	806	430	346	479	371	560	.44	9	13	14	-	14	9	-	-	4,000	1	10
Machias	893	565	480	579	495	620	.55	10	11	1	-	9	7	-	-	20,000	3	3
Machiasport	636	364	277	326	262	580	.42	11	10	10	-	8	6	-	-	7,000	2	8
Marion	79	43	36	41	36	52	.46	9	5	10	3	4	-	-	-	425	-	1
Marshfield	140	93	83	142	133	101	.77	8	8	2	-	2	2	2	-	400	-	3
Meddybemps	66	48	42	26	19	48	.46	10	9	2	-	2	2	-	-	1,000	-	1
Milbridge	650	381	321	359	315	604	.49	19	9	10	2	9	5	-	-	5,000	-	6
Northfield	79	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	3	1	600	-	2
Pembroke	1,002	591	505	403	340	627	.42	21	11	1	1	13	13	-	-	16,800	5	5
Perry	429	269	187	220	156	352	.40	10	3	12	2	11	11	4	-	-	-	2
Princeton	435	273	212	262	202	333	.48	10	4	13	3	4	-	5	5	3,300	-	4
Robbinston	356	185	145	202	146	231	.41	10	3	16	4	6	6	5	-	2,500	-	4
Stenben	383	242	214	234	188	294	.52	8	2	9	2	12	1	11	6	2,900	-	6
Talmadge	47	35	32	22	21	35	.56	12	8	2	-	2	1	-	-	800	-	1
Topsfield	193	128	94	112	88	145	.47	8	3	14	3	4	-	4	2	900	1	3
Trescott	270	125	102	111	94	124	.36	9	4	10	-	9	-	6	-	1,600	-	6
Vanceboro'	142	90	71	83	71	107	.50	20	20	2	-	1	1	-	-	300	-	-

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							W.	S.	W.	S.	W.	S.									
Waite	70	34	23	36	30	40	.41	12	12	1	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	\$2,000	-	1	
Wesley	121	69	61	103	89	103	.62	9	3	8	3	4	-	4	4	-	-	3,500	-	3	
Whiting	165	103	86	93	77	122	.50	9	2	9	1	6	-	5	1	-	-	1,200	1	3	
Whitneyville.....	199	120	103	137	116	167	.55	18	14	1	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	2,000	-	1	
Codyville pl.....	20	14	9	-	-	14	-	15	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	650	-	-	
Jackson Brook pl.....	90	52	40	58	40	66	.44	12	8	2	2	2	-	2	1	-	-	2,000	-	2	
No. 14 pl	71	40	30	37	29	47	.42	8	2	8	3	3	-	3	2	-	-	350	1	1	
No. 18 pl	23	20	11	-	-	20	-	12	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	
No. 21 pl	67	41	32	-	-	41	-	9	3	-	-	2	-	2	2	-	-	300	-	-	
	17,147	11,408	8,923	10,245	7,710	12,647	.52	11	4	11	3	236	17	267	177	3	2,050	200,345	46	147	

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	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$		\$	\$	\$	\$		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$		
Addison	9	5	-	-	2	28	56	\$2	97	1	99	\$965	-	3	20	\$983	\$767	-	\$1,750	-	\$176	\$61	\$42	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Alexander	5	-	-	2	-	27	60	3	38	2	02	364	-	-	1	60	600	363	-	1,031	\$64	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Baileyville	5	1	-	-	-	22	00	3	40	2	05	303	-	1	75	558	296	-	641	213	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Baring	1	1	-	-	1	55	00	6	50	2	75	300	-	8	-	2	97	300	191	83	570	4	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Beddington	2	2	-	-	-	4	87	2	00	105	-	105	-	-	2	84	160	95	72	280	47	11	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Calais	25	25	-	5	-	60	00	5	00	3	00	7,000	2,244	-	2	74	7,225	4,235	-	12,685	-	450	200	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Centerville	1	-	-	-	-	40	00	3	00	2	50	120	-	4	-	2	31	125	75	62	260	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Charlotte	5	1	-	1	-	30	87	4	07	2	00	374	-	-	1	77	636	306	50	833	159	140	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Cherryfield	11	10	-	-	-	34	00	5	16	3	00	1,410	-	-	2	19	1,626	1,099	39	2,623	141	325	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Columbia	4	4	3	-	-	28	25	3	00	1	90	610	-	73	-	2	39	705	476	6	1,144	43	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Columbia Falls	4	-	-	-	-	32	00	5	50	3	00	500	-	14	-	1	89	658	450	60	976	192	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cooper	4	-	-	-	-	21	20	3	13	1	85	325	-	35	-	2	21	368	241	30	581	58	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Crawford	2	-	-	-	-	22	00	5	00	1	90	200	-	32	-	2	06	200	157	23	372	8	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cutler	8	2	-	2	-	26	09	3	63	2	10	832	-	90	-	2	24	1,251	595	-	1,624	222	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Danforth	5	4	-	-	-	25	00	4	13	1	84	300	-	50	-	1	22	525	396	-	774	137	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deblois	-	-	-	1	-	25	00	-	-	2	08	115	-	4	-	2	17	151	92	5	229	19	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dennysville	2	2	-	-	-	61	00	6	00	3	50	515	-	125	-	2	08	583	420	-	713	290	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
East Machias	10	4	3	-	-	47	00	5	25	3	00	1,700	-	84	-	2	25	2,381	1,435	-	3,145	671	107	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eastport	12	11	-	-	-	83	00	6	75	3	00	4,000	1,010	-	3	38	5,003	2,542	39	6,340	1,244	1,332	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eaton	3	-	2	-	-	-	-	4	50	2	25	194	-	137	-	1	75	189	178	8	355	20	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Edmunds	2	-	-	-	-	26	50	5	25	2	40	359	-	-	-	2	10	663	293	133	1,060	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harrington	10	7	-	-	-	36	00	4	39	2	12	925	-	11	-	1	99	1,205	753	-	1,594	364	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jonesborough	7	-	-	1	-	26	00	4	25	2	25	420	-	1	-	1	98	762	359	-	1,009	112	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jonesport	13	9	3	-	-	32	25	5	69	2	59	1,200	-	-	-	1	83	1,442	1,076	-	2,444	74	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

WASHINGTON COUNTY—CONCLUDED.

TOWNS.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Summer.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.	No. of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.	Average wages of Male Teachers per month, excluding board.	Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.	Average cost of Teachers' board per week.	Amount of school money voted in 1878.	Excess above am't required by law.	Less than the am't required by law.	Amount raised per scholar.	Amount available from Town Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount available from State Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount derived from local funds.	Total amount actually expended for public schools from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Balance unexpended April 1, 1878.	Amount of money expended for repairs, fuel, insurance, &c.	Amount raised to prolong public schools, in money, fuel, board, &c.	Amount paid for school supervision.
	Kossuth	3	-	-	\$24 50	\$3 00	1 82	\$197	\$71	-	3 28	\$198	\$104	-	\$299	\$3	\$12	-	$10
Lubec	14	3	-	30 00	4 00	3 00	2,000	291	-	2 48	2,056	-	-	3,328	77	200	-	25
Machias	9	10	2	50 00	7 00	3 50	2,025	1	-	2 27	2,025	1,559	-	2,992	592	518	-	260
Machiasport	6	1	-	44 00	3 00	2 75	1,250	24	-	1 96	1,747	1,061	-	2,619	189	100	-	66
Marion	4	1	-	40 00	3 37	1 87	250	144	-	3 16	419	133	\$21	448	125	43	-	14
Marshfield	2	-	-	41 50	3 00	4 12	281	-	-	2 01	282	245	-	528	-	29	-	11
Meddybemps	-	-	-	30 00	3	00	160	-	-	2 42	210	117	-	270	57	8	-	9
Milbridge	14	4	2	44 00	3 75	2 50	1,252	8	-	1 93	1,477	1,152	-	2,630	-	229	-	77
Northfield	1	-	-	-	-	-	175	23	-	2 22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pembroke	12	5	3	43 20	4 38	2 25	2,542	500	-	2 53	2,042	2,117	63	4,159	63	752	-	100
Perry	11	5	-	30 00	4 25	2 00	920	1	-	2 14	988	744	71	1,814	-	207	-	57
Princeton	6	1	2	34 14	4 25	2 79	860	-	\$1	1 98	1,446	778	-	1,500	724	212	-	29
Robbinston	6	2	1	31 00	5 00	2 61	740	-	12	2 08	1,063	590	160	1,583	230	155	-	20
Steuben	12	10	-	28 16	3 71	1 80	850	-	-	2 20	925	680	42	1,617	30	150	-	40
Talmadge	2	-	-	15 00	4 00	2 12	123	61	-	2 66	112	75	59	221	25	16	-	1
Topsfield	3	1	-	29 50	3 25	2 33	400	19	-	2 07	467	380	142	850	19	63	-	33
Trescott	6	1	-	26 00	3 29	2 27	485	-	-	1 80	662	483	-	1,076	69	92	-	17
Vanceboro'	3	3	-	-	4 83	3 00	500	237	-	3 52	615	210	209	836	198	89	-	12
Waite	1	-	-	30 00	4 00	2 25	150	52	-	2 14	165	116	-	244	37	21	-	-
Wesley	2	1	-	31 00	2 16	1 65	270	33	-	2 23	425	206	78	581	129	51	-	7
Whiting	4	2	-	28 50	3 83	1 85	400	67	-	2 42	567	190	146	748	155	31	-	11
Whitneyville	3	1	-	50 00	5 50	3 50	456	-	-	2 29	957	351	-	897	413	86	-	31
Codyville pl.	1	-	-	-	3 25	1 25	100	50	-	5 00	107	38	-	77	68	5	-	4
Jackson Brook pl.	2	-	-	22 00	3 25	2 50	250	85	-	2 78	332	203	-	304	231	22	-	-
No. 14 pl.	3	1	-	25 00	3 25	2 25	150	71	-	2 11	192	166	-	263	94	17	-	6

No. 18 pl	1	-	-	-	2 00	2 00	-	-	34	-	10	49	-	42	17	1	-	-
No. 21 pl	2	-	-	-	2 68	1 94	150	16	2 24	198	118	18	248	86	68	-	-	5
	283	139	34	34 93	4 14	2 50	40,074	5,804	38 2 30	47,988	30,104	1,731	73,217	7,844	6,628	70	1,617	

YORK COUNTY.

TOWNS.	No. of children belonging in town between the ages of 4 and 21 years.	Number registered in Summer Schools.	Average number attending Summer Schools.	Number registered in Winter Schools.	Average number attending Winter Schools.	Number of different pupils registered.	Per centage of average attendance.		Average length of Summer Schools of 5 1/2 days per week.		Average length of Winter Schools of 5 1/2 days per week.		Number of districts in town.	Number of parts of districts.	Number of school houses in town.	Number in good condition.	Number of school houses built last year.	Cost of the same.	Estimated value of all school property in town.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Summer.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Winter.
							%. d.	%. d.	%. d.	%. d.											
Acton.....	337	191	161	181	141	230	.45	7	4	11	2	14	-	-	14	7	-	-	\$4,000	-	2
Alfred.....	291	276	233	294	256	251	.84	15	3	11	1	7	-	-	7	6	-	-	5,000	2	3
Berwick.....	896	420	358	448	361	563	.40	14	1	12	14	14	-	-	16	15	-	-	16,800	1	7
Biddeford.....	3,475	1,497	1,105	1,578	1,190	2,021	.33	9	11	12	2	21	2	21	20	-	-	-	9,000	4	13
Buxton.....	751	469	388	580	472	608	.57	10	5	11	1	16	1	17	14	-	-	-	5,000	2	13
Cornish.....	354	195	158	229	178	276	.47	7	4	13	5	7	2	9	4	-	-	-	2,000	-	4
Dayton.....	195	122	97	183	151	189	.64	7	4	10	3	4	2	4	1	-	-	-	2,000	-	4
Elliot.....	552	327	271	355	280	406	.50	13	12	4	8	8	-	-	8	6	-	-	6,000	1	8
Hollis.....	473	304	241	328	289	328	.56	9	10	1	14	14	2	14	12	-	-	-	8,000	1	7
Kennebunk.....	941	522	419	560	459	582	.47	9	2	10	11	11	-	-	14	8	-	-	8,500	3	6
Kennebunkport.....	787	449	351	580	485	580	.53	11	15	2	12	12	1	12	11	-	-	-	5,200	1	6
Kittery.....	1,020	567	434	579	545	650	.44	11	13	10	10	11	-	-	9	-	-	-	17,000	2	11
Lebanon.....	529	335	285	318	259	352	.51	6	4	11	5	19	2	19	15	-	-	-	5,700	-	6
Limerick.....	410	198	171	279	219	307	.48	8	5	10	11	11	-	-	11	7	-	-	4,000	-	7
Limington.....	495	298	239	359	276	428	.51	8	3	9	5	16	-	-	17	5	-	-	2,500	1	12
Lyman.....	280	160	134	207	155	232	.52	7	19	1	10	10	1	10	9	-	-	-	4,525	-	5
Newfield.....	284	154	128	218	183	249	.55	9	1	12	8	8	1	8	6	1	1	\$900	3,700	-	5

YORK COUNTY—CONTINUED.

TOWNS.	No. children belonging in town between the ages of 4 and 21 years.	Number registered in Summer Schools.	Average number attending Summer Schools.	Number registered in Winter Schools.	Average number attending Winter Schools.	Number of different pupils registered.	Per centage of average attendance.		Average length of Summer Schools of 5½ days per week.		Average length of Winter Schools of 5½ days per week.		Number of districts in town.	Number of parts of districts.	Number of school houses in town.	Number in good condition.	Number of school houses built last year.	Cost of the same.	Estimated value of all school property in town.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Summer.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Winter.
							W.	P.	W.	P.	W.	P.									
North Berwick	635	472	357	296	231	452	.46	15	5	9	1	1	-	15	6	-	-	\$6,000	2	1	
Parsonsfield	544	275	213	308	286	329	.55	9	3	10	2	18	3	18	4	-	-	2,000	2	9	
Saco	1,929	1,150	900	1,113	918	1,322	.47	12	5	12	2	9	-	16	14	-	-	35,000	4	9	
Shapleigh	379	228	185	207	165	272	.46	11	9	1	12	2	3	9	9	1	\$2,500	6,000	-	6	
Sanford	888	443	401	470	430	587	.47	9	3	13	3	15	2	15	15	-	-	12,000	2	5	
South Berwick	856	502	393	576	360	641	.45	15	12	12	1	14	-	13	8	-	-	6,000	4	3	
Waterborough	461	210	197	357	276	370	.51	8	3	10	8	13	-	12	9	-	-	10,000	1	12	
Wells	898	474	391	539	443	590	.46	8	2	10	4	17	-	18	9	-	-	10,000	-	8	
York	839	483	363	477	373	536	.44	12	2	14	3	14	-	14	14	-	-	5,000	-	11	
	19,499	10,721	8,573	11,619	9,391	13,351	.50	10	2	11	3	304	-	22	342	243	2	3,400	231,925	33	183

YORK COUNTY—CONTINUED.

TOWNS.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Summer.		No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.		No. of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.		Average wages of Male Teachers per month, excluding board.		Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.		Average cost of Teachers' board per week.		Amount of school money voted in 1878.		Not less than 80 cts. for each inhabitant.		Amount raised per scholar.	Amount available from Town Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount available from State Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Amount derived from local funds.	Total amount actually expended for public schools from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.	Balance unexpended April 1, 1878.	Amount of money expended for repairs, fuel, insurance, &c.	Amount raised to prolong public schools, in money, fuel, board, &c.	Amount paid for school supervision.
	No. of Female Teachers employed in Summer.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.	No. of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.	Average wages of Male Teachers per month, excluding board.	Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.	Average cost of Teachers' board per week.	Amount of school money voted in 1878.	Excess above amt't required by law.	Less than the amt't required by law.																
Acton.....	11	7	1	\$39 00	\$4 25	1 83	\$806	-	2 39	\$914	\$551	-	\$1,351	\$414	\$75	-	\$92								
Alfred.....	5	5	2	47 01	5 32	2 78	1,000	\$21	3 44	No	fiscal re turns.	-	-	-	170	-	70								
Berwick.....	15	8	-	29 43	4 70	2 48	2,500	667	2 78	2,602	1,442	-	4,032	102	383	30									
Biddeford.....	34	25	1	-	-	-	11,500	3,272	3 31	12,605	5,537	\$153	16,838	1,457	3,067	650									
Buxton.....	14	4	-	32 63	4 72	2 36	2,190	81	2 80	3,350	736	496	4,280	302	280	36									
Cornish.....	8	4	1	31 33	5 25	2 33	1,101	220	3 11	905	603	13	1,546	-	105	65									
Cornish.....	4	-	-	38 16	5 26	2 50	600	110	3 08	564	313	-	817	60	51	14									
Dayton.....	8	1	-	46 87	5 04	2 50	1,800	285	3 26	1,978	964	-	2,763	179	195	75									
Elliot.....	12	7	1	\$1 00	3 52	2 50	1,250	17	2 64	1,754	833	-	2,323	264	-	5									
Hollis.....	12	14	-	55 00	4 84	3 12	2,400	316	2 55	No	fiscal re turns.	-	-	-	638	80									
Kennebunk.....	14	11	-	37 28	4 62	-	2,000	109	2 54	No	fiscal re turns.	-	-	-	650	80									
Kennebunkport.....	13	8	-	40 00	6 25	3 00	2,700	30	2 64	3,909	1,709	-	5,008	610	759	153									
Kittery.....	19	7	-	30 00	4 00	2 50	1,566	3	2 96	1,658	919	55	2,496	136	173	97									
Lebanon.....	10	4	-	21 00	4 26	1 98	1,141	-	2 78	1,338	711	-	1,812	237	173	62									
Limerick.....	15	1	-	29 00	3 34	1 93	1,305	1	2 64	1,895	843	-	2,263	475	197	-									
Limington.....	8	5	1	31 80	4 25	2 10	880	38	3 14	895	475	-	1,381	-	71	39									
Lyman.....	8	3	-	33 20	5 00	2 50	954	-	3 36	983	1,238	-	1,400	821	129	49									
Newfield.....	14	8	2	22 00	4 91	2 55	2,500	1,204	3 94	2,000	1,041	101	3,169	-	280	101									
North Berwick.....	15	6	3	31 50	3 95	2 00	1,520	2	2 80	No	fiscal re turns.	-	-	-	171	116									
Parsonsfield.....	25	15	2	42 30	5 75	3 60	7,300	2,694	3 73	No	fiscal re turns.	-	-	2,190	300										
Saco.....	11	3	-	32 00	4 62	2 23	870	-	2 30	1,472	649	53	2,127	47	225	60									
Shapleigh.....	14	16	-	40 50	4 55	2 30	2,000	78	2 25	2,801	1,277	-	3,882	196	227	95									
Sanford.....	15	16	-	44 00	6 25	1 75	2,125	112	2 48	2,790	1,435	-	3,994	291	104	75									
South Berwick.....	12	3	-	25 00	3 60	2 10	1,238	-	2 69	1,886	853	303	2,055	987	219	50									
Waterborough.....																									

YORK COUNTY—CONCLUDED.

TOWNS,	No. of Female Teachers employed in Summer.		No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.		No of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.		Average wages of Male Teachers per month, excluding board.		Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.		Average cost of Teachers' board per week.		Amount of school money voted in 1878.		Excess above amt't required by law.		Not less than 80 cts. for each inhabitant.		Amount raised per scholar.		Amount available from Town Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.		Amount available from State Treasury from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.		Amount derived from local funds.		Total amount actually expended for public schools from Apr. 1, '77, to Apr. 1, '78.		Balance unexpended April 1, 1878.		Amount of money expended for repairs, fuel, insurance, &c.		Amount raised to prolong public schools, in money, fuel, board, &c.		Amount paid for school supervision.	
	Wells	York	18	10	1	\$33	60	\$7	22	8	08	\$2,218	2,133	1	10	2	47	\$2,245	2,405	\$1,560	1,414	\$136	\$3,867	3,615	\$74	204	\$406	368	1	1	\$129	120				
		339	194	16	34	61	4	86	2	48	57,507	9,270	-	2	83	51,039	25,103	1,310	70,959	6,956	10,656	781	2,701													

SUMMARY.

COUNTIES.	No. of children belonging in county between the ages of 4 and 21 yrs.	Number registered in Summer Schools.	Average number attending Summer Schools.	Number registered in Winter Schools.	Average number attending Winter Schools.	Number of different pupils registered.	Per centage of average attendance to whole number.	Average length of Summer Schools of 5 ½ days per week.		Average length of Winter Schools of 5 ½ days per week.		Number of districts in county.	Number of parts of districts.	Number of school-houses in county.	Number in good condition.
								w.	d.	w.	d.				
Androscoggin	13,132	7,213	5,976	8,010	6,480	8,830	.52	9	5	11	4	106	21	195	160
Aroostook	14,699	8,079	5,783	6,193	4,694	9,630	.41	13	4	11		342	25	261	163
Cumberland	26,259	15,293	12,610	15,481	12,866	17,452	.50	10	5	12	1	284	15	325	248
Franklin	5,952	4,004	3,257	4,453	3,603	5,080	.57	8	3	10	4	209	38	198	128
Hancock	13,611	8,028	6,605	8,767	7,423	9,798	.54	10	2	10		279	23	271	197
Kennebec	16,126	9,090	7,579	9,945	8,325	11,191	.53	10	2	11	2	326	17	357	235
Knox	10,517	6,860	5,412	6,805	5,825	7,868	.55	11	1	10	3	145	12	166	125
Lincoln	8,349	5,127	4,223	5,833	4,861	6,488	.54	9	1	10	3	185	6	183	128
Oxford	10,767	6,101	4,962	7,223	6,046	7,989	.52	9	1	10	2	361	29	349	224
Penobscot	23,910	14,457	11,736	14,447	12,052	17,452	.49	11	2	11	3	408	32	453	338
Piscataquis	4,852	2,941	2,362	3,371	2,733	3,953	.50	9	3	11	1	130	11	137	100
Sagadahoc	6,848	3,888	3,341	4,355	3,585	4,830	.50	9	1	11	3	82	2	106	72
Somerset	11,294	6,959	5,805	7,921	6,628	9,232	.55	8	5	10	2	346	45	342	213
Waldo	11,835	6,918	5,658	8,024	6,718	9,359	.53	9	5	10	4	262	29	263	192
Washington	17,147	11,408	8,923	10,245	7,710	12,647	.52	11	4	11	3	236	17	267	177
York	19,499	10,721	8,573	11,619	9,391	13,351	.50	10	2	11	3	304	22	342	243
	214,797	127,087	102,805	132,692	108,940	155,150	.52	10	2	11		4,005	344	4,215	2,943

SUMMARY—CONTINUED.

COUNTIES.	Number of school houses built last year.	Cost of the same.	Estimated value of all school property in county.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Summer.	Number of Male Teachers employed in Winter.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Summer.	No. of Female Teachers employed in Winter.	Number of Teachers, graduates of Normal Schools.	Average wages of Male Teachers per month, excluding board.	Average wages of Female Teachers per week, excluding board.	Average cost of Teachers' board per week.	Amount of school money voted in 1878.	Not less than 80 cents for each inhabitant.	
													Excess above am't required by law.	Less than the am't required by law.
Androscoggin	4	\$22,700	\$317,525	9	102	255	168	13	\$46 98	\$4 50	\$2 26	\$47,362	\$18,661	-
Aroostook.....	16	4,555	78,315	33	112	302	123	7	22 63	3 44	1 81	20,259	912	\$26
Cumberland.....	7	13,675	632,215	30	165	438	278	39	40 00	5 05	2 53	105,669	37,744	-
Franklin.....	1	1,500	67,950	8	120	193	96	32	24 44	3 14	1 68	15,216	381	-
Hancock.....	5	1,760	162,110	12	155	287	141	30	34 89	3 95	2 19	29,803	866	31
Kennebec.....	5	8,520	257,345	16	175	369	209	10	27 64	3 95	2 13	46,428	4,703	157
Knox.....	3	11,650	147,150	12	105	185	96	22	44 61	4 56	2 63	26,354	2,874	3
Lincoln.....	5	6,300	93,900	7	128	181	68	8	33 44	4 34	2 53	21,677	1,299	38
Oxford.....	2	825	117,100	14	203	329	154	14	23 94	3 32	1 69	28,730	2,746	74
Penobscot.....	10	4,571	377,372	27	223	516	267	30	33 05	3 80	2 10	67,522	8,163	30
Piscataquis.....	5	1,647	50,050	3	59	139	82	7	29 42	3 40	1 96	11,141	344	-
Sagadahoc.....	3	4,038	100,200	10	65	127	77	12	36 53	4 51	2 95	25,067	10,121	-
Somerset.....	9	3,655	114,738	9	144	330	215	28	23 85	3 42	1 77	28,622	1,020	36
Waldo.....	2	1,900	115,178	4	194	267	80	32	31 09	3 24	1 95	23,742	286	1
Washington.....	3	2,050	200,345	46	147	283	139	34	34 93	4 14	2 50	40,074	5,804	38
York.....	2	3,400	231,925	33	183	339	194	16	34 61	4 86	2 48	57,507	9,270	-
	82	92,746	3,063,418	274	2,280	4,540	2,389	334	32 63	3 98	2 20	595,173	105,194	434

SUMMARY—CONCLUDED.

COUNTIES.	Amount raised per scholar.	Amount available from Town Treasuries from April 1, 1877, to April 1, 1878.	Amount available from State Treasury from April 1, 1877, to April 1, 1878.	Amount derived from local funds.	Total amount actually expended for public schools, from April 1, 1877, to April 1, 1878.	Balance unexpended April 1, 1878.	Amount of money expended for repairs, fuel, insurance, &c.	Amount raised to prolong public schools, in money, fuel, board, &c.	Amount paid for school supervision.
Androscoggin	\$2 91	\$44,344	\$21,510	\$397	\$68,697	\$1,429	\$6,123	\$884	\$3,232
Aroostook	1 52	31,618	23,476	1,571	48,176	8,955	4,214	192	1,098
Cumberland	2 99	114,666	47,062	2,282	155,430	8,694	8,813	922	4,569
Franklin	2 48	17,303	9,091	701	25,337	2,203	2,414	633	839
Hancock	2 09	35,246	21,941	1,693	51,428	7,548	3,979	105	1,491
Kennebec	2 84	71,252	26,282	1,013	85,744	12,803	8,717	233	2,909
Knox	2 83	29,339	16,742	151	42,992	4,946	9,396	488	1,371
Lincoln	2 53	24,597	13,270	338	35,484	2,626	3,633	280	1,016
Oxford	2 67	29,340	16,741	1,589	44,010	3,630	3,374	1,218	1,603
Penobscot	2 48	61,508	31,149	3,701	85,565	12,069	17,380	349	3,328
Piscataquis	2 22	13,631	8,301	941	21,707	1,193	1,471	25	608
Sagadahoc	2 94	27,353	11,687	252	38,217	1,327	1,642	391	1,199
Somerset	2 37	33,104	18,416	1,342	47,883	5,039	4,630	663	1,495
Waldo	2 38	27,558	16,327	860	41,802	2,943	3,924	1,730	1,263
Washington	2 30	47,988	30,104	1,731	73,217	7,844	6,628	70	1,617
York	2 83	51,039	25,103	1,310	70,959	6,956	10,656	781	2,701
	2 58	660,086	337,202	19,872	936,648	90,205	96,994	8,964	30,339

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT—I.

ITEMS.	1878.	1877.	Increase.
Whole number of scholars between four and twenty-one	214,797	217,417	dec. 2,620
Number registered in summer schools	127,087	125,455	1,632
Average attendance	102,805	100,982	1,823
Number registered in winter schools	132,692	132,865	dec. 173
Average attendance	108,940	107,653	1,287
Percentage of average attendance to whole number of scholars .....	.52	.51	.01
Percentage of average attendance to number registered in summer schools .....	.81	.80	.01
Percentage of average attendance to number registered in winter schools .....	.82	.81	.01
Percentage of average attendance to number registered during year .....	.82	.80	.02
Whole number of different scholars registered in schools during year	155,150	155,428	dec. 378
Average length of summer schools in weeks and days, 5½ days per week	10w. 2d.	10w. 2d.	-
Average length of winter schools	11w.	11w.	-
Average length of schools for year	21w. 2d.	21w. 2d.	-
Number of districts in State	4,005	4,039	dec. 34
Number of parts of districts	344	354	dec. 10
Number of school-houses	4,215	4,222	dec. 7
Number reported in good condition	2,943	3,014	dec. 71
Number built during year	82	86	dec. 4
Cost of same	\$92,746	\$62,766	\$29,980
Estimated value of all school property	3,063,418	3,022,722	40,696
Number of male teachers employed in summer	274	228	46
Number employed in winter	2,280	2,253	27
Number of female teachers employed in summer	4,540	4,543	dec. 3
Number employed in winter	2,389	2,361	28
Number of teachers graduates of normal schools	334	314	20
Average wages of male teachers per month, excluding board	\$32 63	\$32 76	dec. 0.13
Average wages of female teachers per week, excluding board	3 98	4 14	dec. 0.16
Average cost per week of teachers' board	2 20	2 27	dec. 0.07
Amount of money voted by towns for common schools	595,173	648,584	dec. \$53,411
Excess above amount required by law	105,194	152,195	dec. 47,001
Average amount per scholar	2 58	2 53	0.05
Amount available from town treasuries for year ending April 1	660,086	671,157	dec. 11,071
Amount available from State treasury	337,202	347,475	dec. 10,273
Amount derived from local funds	19,872	24,358	dec. 4,486
Amount expended for common schools	936,648	951,877	dec. 15,229
Balance unexpended	90,205	94,198	dec. 3,993
Amount expended for repairs, insurance, fuel, &c	96,994	125,211	dec. 28,217
Amount contributed to prolong schools in money, fuel, &c	8,964	7,402	1,562
Amount paid for school supervision	30,339	30,814	dec. 475

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT—II.

ITEMS.	1878.	1868.	Increase.
Number of scholars between four and twenty-one	214,797	225,200	dec. 10,403
Number registered in summer schools	127,087	111,542	15,535
Average attendance	102,805	85,407	17,398
Number registered in winter schools.....	132,692	124,655	8,037
Average attendance	108,940	97,790	11,150
Percentage of average attendance to whole number of scholars .....	.52	.42	.10
Average length of summer schools.....	10w. 2d.	9w. 2d.	1w. 4d.
Average length of winter schools.....	11w.	9w. 1d.	1w. 4d.
Average length of schools for year	21w. 2d.	18w. 3d.	2w. 4d.
Number of school districts in State	4,005	3,632	373
Number of parts of districts	344	282	62
Number of school-houses in State	4,215	3,719	494
Number reported in good condition	2,943	1,973	966
Number built last year	82	93	dec. 11
Cost of same	\$92,746	\$272,774	dec. 180,023
Estimated value of all school property.....	3,063,418	2,163,409	900,000
Number of male teachers employed in summer	274	70	204
Number employed in winter	2,280	1,815	465
Number of female teachers employed in summer	4,540	4,360	180
Number employed in winter	2,389	2,012	377
Wages of male teachers per month, excluding board.....	\$32 63	\$29 50	\$3 13
Wages of female teachers per week, excluding board.....	3 98	2 94	1 04
Amount of school money raised by taxation.	819,753	598,094	221,659
Excess above amount required by law	105,194	-	-
Average amount raised per scholar.....	3 86	2 65	1 21
Income of permanent school fund apportioned to common schools.....	25,954	17,719	8,235
Bank tax apportioned to same	116,059	-	-
Amount derived from local funds for support of same	19,872	12,013	7,859
Amount contributed to prolong same	8,964	14,640	dec. 5,676
Amount paid for repairs, fuel, &c	69,994	73,478	dec. 3,484
Amount paid for school supervision	30,339	18,351	11,988

STATEMENT

Showing amount of School Money apportioned by State Treasurer to the several Towns and Plantations in the State, and available for school purposes for the school year ending April 1, 1879.

COUNTY OF ANDROSCOGGIN.

TOWNS.	No. of Scholars.	School Fund.	Mill Tax.	Total
Auburn	2,719	\$1,508 88	\$2,835 26	\$4,344 14
Durham	406	225 30	423 36	648 66
East Livermore	296	164 25	308 66	472 91
Greene	333	184 79	347 24	532 03
Leeds	411	228 07	428 57	656 64
Lewiston	5,054	2,804 67	5,270 12	8,074 79
Lisbon	864	479 47	900 95	1,380 42
Livermore	408	226 45	425 44	651 89
Minot	574	318 53	598 54	917 07
Poland	912	506 11	951 02	1,457 13
Turner	697	386 78	726 81	1,113 59
Wales	167	92 70	174 15	266 85
Webster	291	161 47	303 44	464 91

COUNTY OF AROOSTOOK.

Amity	150	83 24	156 42	239 66
Ashland	228	126 52	237 75	364 27
Bridgewater	314	174 25	327 43	501 68
Benedicta	125	69 36	130 35	199 71
Blaine	277	153 70	288 84	442 54
Caribou	950	527 20	990 63	1,507 83
Easton	307	170 36	320 13	490 49
Fort Fairfield	990	549 39	1,032 34	1,581 73
Fort Kent	614	190 42	640 26	830 68
Frenchville	1,039	332 23	1,083 42	1,405 65
Grand Isle	371	115 05	386 86	501 91
Haynesville	70	38 84	72 99	111 83
Hersey	40	22 20	41 71	63 91
Hodgdon	368	204 22	383 74	587 96
Houlton	949	526 64	989 58	1,516 22
Island Falls	86	47 73	89 68	137 41
Limestone	196	108 76	204 39	313 15
Linneus	387	214 76	403 55	618 31
Littleton	351	194 88	366 01	560 79
Ludlow	190	105 43	198 13	303 56
Madawaska	509	157 78	530 76	688 64
Mars Hill	299	165 91	311 78	477 69
Masardis	83	46 06	86 55	132 61
Maysville	398	220 86	415 02	635 88
Monticello	363	201 44	378 53	579 97
New Limerick	231	128 18	240 87	369 05

COUNTY OF AROOSTOOK—(CONCLUDED.)

TOWNS.	No. of Scholars.	School Fund.	Mill Tax.	Total.
Orient	99	\$54 93	\$103 23	\$158 16
Presque Isle.....	453	251 38	472 37	723 75
Sherman	293	162 58	305 53	468 11
Smyrna	64	35 52	76 74	102 26
Washburn.....	280	155 38	291 97	447 35
Weston	149	82 68	155 37	238 05
Bancroft plantation.....	88	48 84	91 76	140 60
Castle Hill “	135	74 91	140 77	215 68
Chapman “	54	29 97	56 31	86 28
Connor “	98	30 39	102 19	132 58
Crystal “	94	52 16	98 02	150 18
Cyr “	231	71 63	240 87	312 50
Eagle Lake “	80	24 82	83 42	108 24
Glenwood “	62	34 41	64 66	99 07
Hamlin “	270	83 72	281 54	365 26
Macwahoc “	65	36 07	67 78	103 85
Mapleton “	185	102 66	192 91	295 57
Merrill “	67	37 18	69 87	107 05
Moro “	70	38 84	72 99	111 83
New Sweden “	150	83 83	156 42	240 25
No. 11, R. 1 “	153	84 90	159 55	244 44
Oakfield “	275	152 59	286 75	439 34
Oxbow “	60	33 30	62 57	95 87
Perham “	104	57 71	108 45	166 16
Pleasant Ridge pl	80	44 40	83 42	127 82
Portage Lake “	49	27 19	51 09	78 28
Reed “	45	24 97	46 92	71 89
Sheridan “	50	27 75	52 14	79 89
Silver Ridge “	97	53 82	101 85	155 67
St. Francis “	135	41 87	140 77	182 64
St. John “	89	27 60	92 80	120 40
Van Buren “	469	145 39	489 05	634 44
Wade “	45	24 97	46 92	71 89
Wallagrass “	180	55 83	187 74	243 57
Westfield “	45	24 97	46 92	71 89
Woodland “	215	119 30	224 19	343 49

COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND.

Baldwin	370	205 32	385 82	591 14
Bridgton	904	501 67	942 66	1,444 33
Brunswick	1,642	911 21	1,712 22	2,623 43
Cape Elizabeth	1,843	1,022 75	1,921 81	2,944 56
Casco	356	197 60	371 23	568 83
Cumberland	586	325 20	611 06	936 26
Deering	1,255	696 44	1,308 66	2,005 10
Falmouth	498	276 35	519 29	795 64
Freeport	710	394 01	740 36	1,134 37
Gorham	981	544 40	1,022 95	1,567 35
Gray	615	341 28	641 30	982 58
Harpswell.....	583	323 53	607 93	931 46
Harrison	328	182 02	342 03	524 05
Naples	342	189 79	356 63	546 42
New Gloucester.....	443	245 83	461 94	707 77
North Yarmouth.....	238	132 07	248 17	380 24
Otisfield	308	170 92	321 17	492 09
Portland	9,605	5,330 19	10,015 74	15,345 93
Pownal	274	152 05	285 71	437 76
Raymond	461	255 82	480 71	736 53
Scarboro’	603	334 62	628 79	963 41
Sebago	268	148 72	279 46	428 18
Standish	613	340 17	639 22	979 39

COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND—(CONCLUDED.)

TOWNS.	No. of Scholars.	School Fund.	Mill Tax.	Total.
Westbrook	1,054	\$584 91	\$1,099 07	\$1,683 98
Windham	766	425 09	798 76	1,223 85
Yarmouth	611	339 10	637 13	976 23

COUNTY OF FRANKLIN.

Avon	194	107 65	202 30	309 95
Carthage	168	93 23	175 19	268 42
Chesterville	309	171 47	322 20	493 67
Eustis	119	66 03	124 09	190 12
Farmington	1,009	559 93	1,052 14	1,612 07
Freeman	193	107 09	201 26	308 35
Industry	274	152 04	285 70	437 74
Jay	457	253 60	476 54	730 14
Kingfield	190	105 43	198 13	303 56
Madrid	131	72 69	136 60	209 29
New Sharon	395	219 19	411 89	631 08
New Vineyard	299	165 91	311 78	477 69
Phillips	455	252 49	474 45	726 94
Rangely	176	97 66	183 53	281 19
Salem	106	58 82	110 54	169 36
Strong	177	98 31	184 57	282 88
Temple	198	109 87	206 47	316 34
Weld	349	193 67	363 92	557 59
Wilton	549	304 66	572 47	877 13
Coplin plantation	41	22 75	42 75	65 50
Dallas "	71	39 39	74 03	113 42
Greenvale "	12	6 66	12 52	19 18
Lang "	10	5 55	10 43	15 98
Letter E "	13	7 28	13 56	20 84
Perkins "	63	34 96	65 70	100 66
Rangely "	30	16 65	31 28	47 93

COUNTY OF HANCOCK.

Amherst	176	97 66	183 53	281 19
Aurora	90	49 94	93 85	143 79
Bluehill	650	360 71	677 80	1,038 51
Brooklin	345	191 45	359 75	551 20
Brooksville	528	293 01	550 58	843 59
Bucksport	1,037	575 47	1,081 34	1,656 81
Castine	431	239 17	449 42	688 59
Cranberry Isles	137	76 02	142 85	218 87
Deer Isle	1,392	772 47	1,451 53	2,224 00
Dedham	167	92 67	174 15	266 82
Eastbrook	89	49 39	92 80	142 19
Eden	458	254 16	477 58	731 74
Ellsworth	1,860	1,032 19	1,939 54	2,971 73
Franklin	420	233 07	437 95	671 02
Gouldsboro'	672	372 91	700 74	1,073 65
Hancock	381	211 43	397 29	608 72
Isle au Haut	98	54 38	102 19	156 57
Lamoine	263	145 94	274 25	420 19
Mariaville	131	72 69	136 60	209 29
Mt. Desert	367	203 70	382 70	586 40
Orland	554	307 44	577 69	885 13
Otis	124	68 81	129 30	108 11
Penobscot	521	289 12	543 28	832 40
Sedgwick	375	208 09	391 03	599 12
Sullivan	325	180 35	338 90	519 25

COUNTY OF HANCOCK—(CONCLUDED.)

TOWNS.	No. of Scholars.	School Fund.	Mill Tax.	Total.
Surry	413	\$229 18	\$430 65	\$659 83
Tremont	773	428 96	806 05	1,235 01
Trenton	207	114 86	215 85	330 71
Verona	134	74 36	139 73	214 09
Waltham	120	66 59	125 14	191 73
Long Island plantation	68	27 74	70 90	108 64
Swan's Island "	228	126 52	237 75	364 27
No. 7 "	21	11 70	21 90	33 60
No. 21 "	25	13 87	26 07	39 94
No. 33 "	51	28 35	53 18	81 53

COUNTY OF KENNEBEC.

Albion	390	216 42	406 68	623 10
Augusta	2,288	1,269 70	2,385 83	3,655 53
Belgrade	456	253 05	475 50	728 55
Benton	393	218 08	409 81	627 89
Chelsea	300	166 48	312 83	479 31
China	579	320 30	603 75	924 05
Clinton	557	310 21	580 82	891 03
Farmingdale	209	115 97	217 93	333 90
Fayette	271	150 37	282 58	432 95
Gardiner	1,272	705 87	1,326 39	2,032 26
Hallowell	859	476 69	895 73	1,372 42
Litchfield	443	245 83	461 94	707 77
Manchester	198	109 87	206 47	316 34
Monmouth	448	248 61	467 15	715 76
Mt. Vernon	359	199 22	374 35	573 57
Pittston	796	441 73	830 04	1,271 77
Readfield	357	198 11	372 27	570 38
Rome	231	128 18	240 87	369 05
Sidney	468	259 71	488 04	747 75
Vassalboro'	838	465 04	873 83	1,338 87
Vienna	229	127 07	238 79	315 86
Waterville	1,544	856 83	1,610 02	2,466 85
Wayne	308	170 92	321 17	492 09
West Gardiner	308	170 98	221 17	492 13
West Waterville	549	304 66	572 47	877 13
Windsor	382	211 99	398 34	610 33
Winslow	450	249 72	469 24	718 96
Winthrop	619	343 50	645 47	988 97
Unity plantation	25	13 87	26 07	39 94

COUNTY OF KNOX.

Appleton	489	271 36	509 90	781 26
Camden	1,460	810 21	1,522 43	2,332 64
Cushing	272	150 93	283 56	434 49
Friendship	355	197 00	370 18	567 18
Hope	253	140 40	263 82	404 22
Hurricane Isle	69	38 30	71 95	110 25
North Haven	248	137 62	258 60	396 22
Rockland	2,150	1,193 12	2,241 94	3,435 06
South Thomaston	678	376 24	707 00	1,083 24
St. George	994	551 61	1,036 51	1,588 12
Thomaston	863	478 91	899 94	1,378 85
Union	522	289 68	544 33	834 01
Vinalhaven	981	544 40	1,022 95	1,567 35
Warren	659	365 70	687 18	1,052 88
Washington	375	208 09	391 03	599 12
Matineus Isle	87	48 28	90 72	139 00
Muscle Ridge	62	34 45	64 66	99 11

COUNTY OF LINCOLN.

TOWNS.	No. of Scholars.	School Fund.	Mill Tax.	Total.
Alna	249	\$138 17	\$259 64	\$397 81
Boothbay.....	1,150	638 18	1,199 18	1,837 36
Bremen.....	335	185 90	349 32	535 22
Bristol.....	1,043	578 82	1,087 60	1,666 42
Damariscotta.....	369	204 77	384 78	589 55
Dresden.....	276	153 15	287 80	440 95
Edgecomb.....	347	192 56	361 84	554 40
Jefferson.....	543	301 33	566 22	867 55
Newcastle.....	521	289 22	543 28	832 50
Nobleboro'.....	375	208 09	391 03	599 12
Somerville.....	191	105 98	199 17	305 15
Southport.....	273	151 48	284 67	436 15
Waldoboro'.....	1,236	685 90	1,288 85	1,974 75
Westport.....	203	112 64	211 68	324 32
Whitefield.....	510	283 02	531 80	814 82
Wiscasset.....	621	344 61	647 56	992 17
Monhegan Isle.....	37	20 53	38 58	59 11

COUNTY OF OXFORD.

Albany.....	255	141 50	265 90	407 40
Andover.....	249	138 17	259 64	397 81
Bethel.....	670	371 80	698 65	1,070 45
Brownfield.....	417	231 40	434 80	666 20
Buckfield.....	449	249 16	468 19	717 35
Byron.....	73	40 50	76 12	116 62
Canton.....	292	162 03	304 49	466 52
Denmark.....	326	180 91	339 95	520 86
Dixfield.....	290	160 92	302 40	463 32
Eryeburg.....	499	276 92	520 33	797 25
Gilead.....	106	58 85	110 54	169 39
Grafton.....	53	29 41	55 27	84 68
Greenwood.....	310	172 03	323 26	495 29
Hanover.....	62	34 41	64 66	99 07
Hartford.....	273	151 48	284 67	436 15
Hebron.....	213	118 18	222 10	340 28
Hiram.....	504	279 69	525 55	805 24
Lovell.....	369	204 77	384 78	589 55
Mason.....	32	17 76	33 37	51 13
Mexico.....	149	82 68	155 37	238 05
Newry.....	116	64 40	120 97	185 37
Norway.....	759	421 20	791 45	1,212 65
Oxford.....	533	295 78	555 79	851 57
Paris.....	940	521 65	980 20	1,501 85
Peru.....	303	168 14	315 96	484 10
Porter.....	423	234 73	441 09	675 82
Roxbury.....	49	27 19	41 09	78 28
Rumford.....	380	210 88	396 25	607 13
Stow.....	150	83 24	156 40	239 64
Stoneham.....	184	102 09	191 87	293 96
Sumner.....	390	216 42	406 68	623 10
Sweden.....	139	77 13	144 94	222 07
Upton.....	85	47 20	88 62	138 82
Waterford.....	402	223 08	419 19	642 27
Woodstock.....	363	201 44	378 53	579 97
Franklin plantation.....	60	33 35	62 57	95 92
Lincoln ".....	10	5 55	10 43	15 98
Milton ".....	86	47 80	89 68	137 48

COUNTY OF PENOBSCOT.

TOWNS.	No. of Scholars.	School Fund.	Mill Tax.	Total.
Alton	168	\$93 23	\$175 19	\$268 42
Argyle	106	58 82	110 54	169 36
Bangor.....	5,362	2,975 59	5,591 30	8,566 89
Bradford	533	295 78	555 79	851 57
Bradley	340	188 68	354 54	543 22
Brewer	1,025	568 81	1,068 83	1,637 64
Burlington	222	123 19	231 50	354 69
Carmel.....	419	232 51	436 91	669 42
Carroll.....	260	144 28	271 12	415 40
Charleston.....	412	228 63	429 62	658 25
Chester.....	160	88 79	166 85	255 64
Clifton.....	145	80 46	151 20	231 66
Corinth.....	451	250 27	470 28	720 55
Corinna.....	492	273 02	513 04	786 06
Dexter.....	773	428 96	806 05	1,235 01
Dixmont.....	392	217 53	408 77	626 30
Eddington.....	258	143 27	269 03	412 30
Edinburg.....	24	13 32	25 03	38 35
Enfield.....	212	117 64	221 07	338 71
Etna.....	345	191 45	359 75	551 20
Exeter.....	416	230 85	433 79	664 64
Garland.....	382	211 99	398 30	610 29
Glenburn.....	176	97 66	183 53	281 19
Greenbush.....	267	148 16	278 42	426 58
Greenfield.....	135	74 91	140 77	215 68
Hampden.....	955	529 97	995 84	1,525 81
Hermion.....	505	280 24	526 59	806 83
Holden.....	254	140 95	264 86	405 81
Howland.....	48	26 64	50 05	76 69
Hudson.....	255	141 50	265 90	407 40
Kenduskeag.....	225	124 85	234 62	359 47
Kingman.....	162	89 90	168 94	258 84
Lagrange.....	232	128 74	241 92	370 66
Lee.....	379	210 33	395 20	605 53
Levant.....	416	230 85	433 79	664 64
Lincoln.....	643	356 82	670 50	1,027 32
Lowell.....	152	84 35	158 51	242 86
Mattawamkeag.....	156	86 57	162 68	249 25
Maxfield.....	68	37 74	70 91	108 65
Medway.....	188	104 33	196 04	300 37
Milford.....	202	112 09	210 64	322 73
Mt. Chase.....	120	66 59	125 14	191 73
Newburg.....	361	200 33	376 44	576 77
Newport.....	467	259 15	486 97	746 12
Oldtown.....	1,118	620 42	1,165 81	1,786 23
Orono.....	746	413 99	777 90	1,191 89
Orrington.....	526	291 90	548 50	840 40
Passadumkeag.....	82	45 51	85 51	131 02
Patten.....	240	133 28	250 26	383 54
Plymouth.....	279	154 81	290 92	445 73
Prentiss.....	168	93 23	175 19	268 42
Springfield.....	331	183 68	345 15	528 83
Stetson.....	307	170 36	320 13	490 49
Veazie.....	230	127 63	239 83	367 46
Winn.....	277	153 70	288 84	442 54
Drew plantation.....	41	22 75	42 75	65 50
Lakeville plantation.....	63	34 76	65 70	100 66
No. 2, Grand Falls plantation.....	34	18 84	35 45	54 29
Stacyville plantation.....	51	28 30	53 08	81 38
Webster.....	46	25 53	47 97	73 50
Woodville.....	69	38 29	71 95	110 24

COUNTY OF PISCATAQUIS.

TOWNS.	No. of Scholars.	School Fund.	Mill Tax.	Total.
Abbot	250	\$138 73	\$260 69	\$399 42
Atkinson	326	180 91	339 95	520 86
Blanchard	67	37 18	69 87	107 05
Brownville	342	189 79	356 63	546 42
Dover	572	317 42	596 46	913 88
Foxcroft	400	221 97	417 10	639 07
Greenville	178	98 77	185 60	284 37
Guilford	280	155 32	291 97	447 29
Kingsbury	62	34 41	64 66	99 07
Medford	141	78 24	147 03	225 27
Milo	348	193 24	362 88	556 12
Monson	248	137 62	258 60	396 22
Orneville	245	135 95	295 47	391 42
Parkman	378	209 76	394 16	603 92
Sangerville	354	196 45	369 14	565 59
Sebec	302	167 59	314 92	482 51
Shirley	92	51 05	95 94	146 99
Wellington	249	138 17	259 64	397 81
Williamsburg	80	44 40	83 42	127 82

COUNTY OF SAGADAHOC.

Arrowsic	74	41 06	77 16	118 22
Bath	3,186	1,768 04	3,322 25	509 02
Bowdoinham	573	318 00	597 50	915 50
Bowdoin	419	232 51	436 91	669 42
Georgetown	406	225 30	423 36	648 66
Perkins	20	11 10	20 86	31 96
Phippsburg	514	285 23	535 98	821 21
Richmond	782	433 97	815 44	1,249 41
Topsham	385	213 65	401 46	615 11
West Bath	96	53 27	100 10	153 37
Woolwich	393	218 10	409 80	627 90

COUNTY OF SOMERSET.

Anson	525	291 34	547 45	838 79
Athens	509	282 46	530 76	813 22
Bingham	285	158 15	297 18	455 33
Brighton	262	145 38	273 20	418 58
Cambridge	177	98 25	184 57	282 82
Canaan	450	249 72	469 24	718 96
Concord	153	84 90	159 55	244 45
Cornville	296	164 25	308 66	472 91
Detroit	218	120 97	227 32	348 29
Emden	270	149 82	281 54	431 36
Fairfield	1,098	609 32	1,144 95	1,754 27
Harmony	336	186 46	350 37	536 83
Hartland	308	170 92	321 17	492 09
Lexington	118	65 48	123 05	188 53
Madison	409	226 96	426 48	653 44
Mayfield	34	18 87	35 45	54 32
Mercer	284	157 60	296 14	453 74
Moscow	194	107 65	202 30	309 95
New Portland	477	264 69	497 39	762 08
Norridgewock	473	262 47	493 22	755 69
Palmira	410	227 52	427 53	655 05
Pittsfield	636	352 94	663 20	1,016 14
Ripley	206	114 35	214 80	329 15
St. Albans	510	283 02	531 80	814 82
Solon	370	205 32	385 82	591 14
Skowhegan	1,308	125 86	1,363 93	2,080 79

COUNTY OF SOMERSET—(CONCLUDED.)

TOWNS.	No. of Scholars.	School Fund.	Mill Tax.	Total.
Smithfield.....	189	\$104 88	\$197 08	\$301 96
Starks	347	192 58	361 84	554 42
Carratunk plantation.....	68	37 74	70 91	108 65
Carrying Place ".....	27	14 98	28 16	43 14
Dead River ".....	37	20 53	38 58	59 11
Dennistown ".....	34	18 87	35 45	54 32
Flagstaff ".....	21	11 65	21 90	33 55
Jackmantown ".....	37	20 53	38 58	59 11
Moose River ".....	43	23 90	44 84	68 74
No. 1, R. 2, W.K.R ".....	54	29 97	56 31	86 28
The Forks ".....	62	34 45	64 66	99 11
West Forks ".....	31	17 20	32 32	49 52
Highland ".....	40	22 29	41 70	63 90

COUNTY OF WALDO.

Belfast	1,700	943 40	1,872 69	2,716 09
Belmont	189	104 88	197 08	301 96
Brooks.....	296	164 25	308 66	472 91
Burnham	425	235 84	443 17	679 01
Frankfort	522	289 68	544 33	834 01
Freedom	240	133 18	250 26	383 44
Islesboro'	465	258 04	484 88	742 92
Jackson.....	230	127 63	239 83	367 46
Knox	316	175 36	329 52	504 88
Liberty	316	175 36	329 52	504 88
Lincolnton	656	364 04	684 06	1,048 10
Monroe	431	239 17	449 42	688 59
Montville	495	274 68	516 16	790 84
Morrill	184	102 21	191 87	294 08
Northport.....	283	157 04	295 17	452 21
Palermo	412	228 63	429 62	658 25
Prospect	264	146 50	275 29	421 79
Searsmont.....	537	298 00	559 96	857 96
Searsport.....	741	411 24	772 68	1,183 92
Stockton	535	296 89	557 87	854 76
Swanville	271	150 37	282 58	432 95
Thorndike.....	246	136 51	256 52	393 03
Troy	389	215 87	405 63	621 50
Unity	400	221 97	417 04	639 01
Winterport.....	1,016	563 82	1,059 45	1,623 27
Waldo	275	152 59	286 75	439 34

COUNTY OF WASHINGTON.

Addison	438	243 06	456 72	699 78
Alexander	222	123 19	231 49	354 68
Baileyville	173	95 99	180 40	276 39
Baring	101	56 04	105 32	161 36
Beddington	57	31 63	59 44	91 07
Calais	2,516	1,396 23	2,623 59	4,019 82
Centerville	52	28 86	54 22	83 08
Charlotte	211	117 08	220 02	337 10
Cherryfield	644	357 38	671 54	1,028 92
Columbia	259	143 72	270 07	413 79
Columbia Falls	264	146 50	275 29	421 79
Cooper	147	81 57	153 29	234 86
Crawford	97	53 82	101 15	154 97
Cutler	367	203 66	382 70	586 36
Danforth	245	135 95	255 47	391 42
Deblois	53	29 42	55 27	84 69
Dennysville	248	137 62	258 60	396 22
East Machias	757	420 09	789 37	1,209 46

COUNTY OF WASHINGTON—(CONCLUDED.)

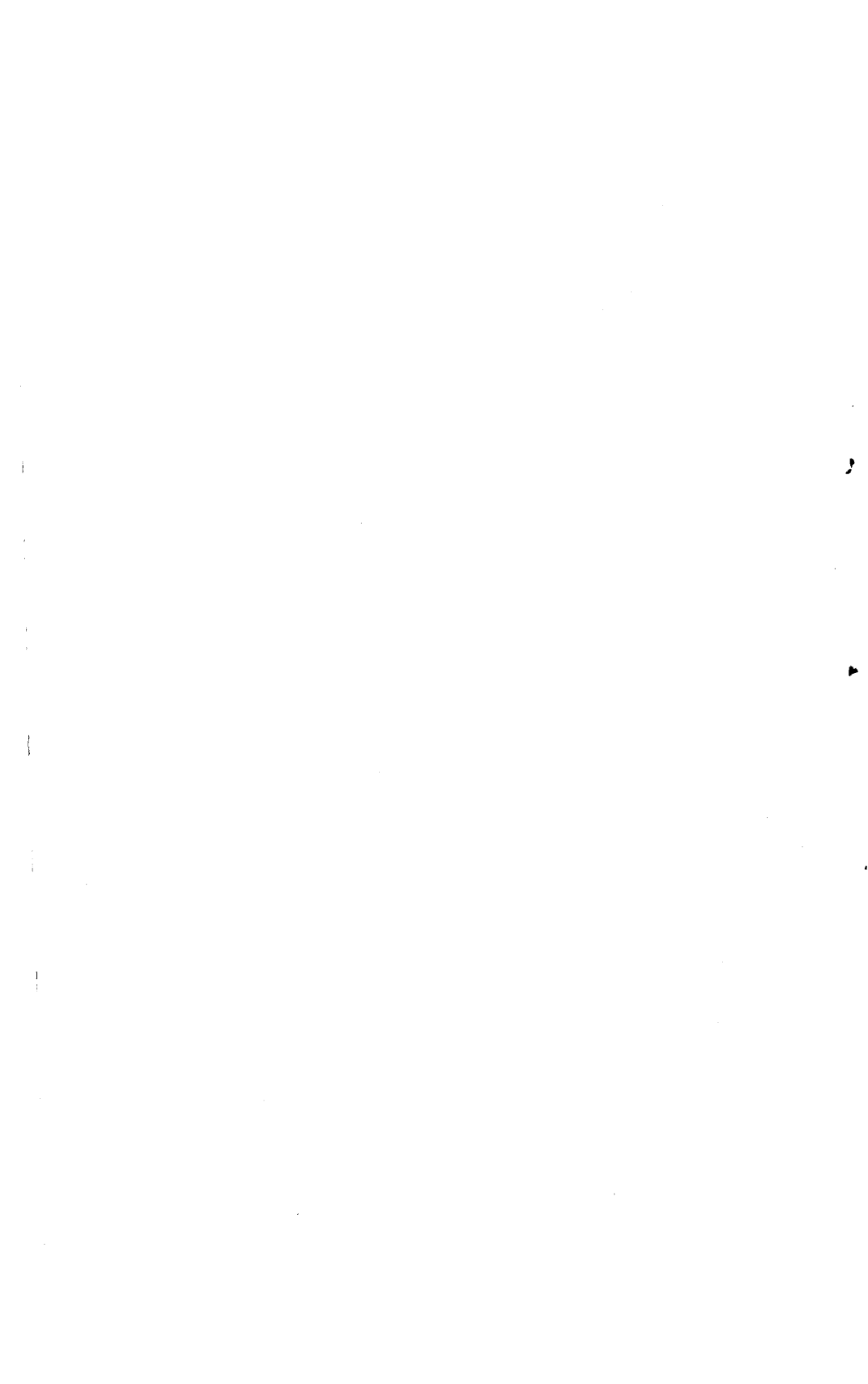
TOWNS.	No. of Scholars.	School Fund.	Mill Tax.	Total.
Eastport.....	1,183	\$656 49	\$1,233 59	\$1,890 08
Eaton.....	111	61 59	115 75	177 44
Edmunds.....	171	94 88	178 31	273 19
Harrington.....	466	258 60	485 93	743 53
Jonesboro'.....	212	117 64	211 06	338 70
Jonesport.....	657	364 59	685 10	1,049 69
Kassuth.....	60	33 30	62 57	95 87
Lubec.....	806	447 28	840 47	1,287 74
Machias.....	893	495 55	931 19	1,426 74
Machiasport.....	636	352 94	663 20	1,016 14
Marion.....	79	43 83	82 37	126 20
Marshfield.....	140	77 69	145 99	223 68
Meddybemps.....	66	36 63	68 83	105 46
Milbridge.....	650	360 71	177 80	1,038 51
Northfield.....	79	43 83	82 37	126 20
Pembroke.....	1,002	556 05	1,044 84	1,600 89
Perry.....	429	238 06	447 34	685 40
Princeton.....	435	241 39	453 59	694 98
Robbinston.....	356	197 56	371 23	568 79
Steuben.....	387	214 76	403 55	618 31
Talmadge.....	47	26 08	49 01	75 09
Topsfield.....	193	107 09	201 26	308 35
Trescott.....	270	149 82	281 54	431 36
Vanceboro'.....	142	78 80	148 07	226 87
Waite.....	70	38 84	72 99	111 83
Wesley.....	121	67 14	126 18	193 32
Whiting.....	165	91 56	172 06	263 62
Whitneyville.....	199	110 42	207 51	317 93
Codyville plantation.....	20	11 20	20 86	32 06
Jackson Brook plantation.....	90	49 94	93 85	143 79
No. 14.....	71	39 39	74 03	113 42
No. 18.....	23	12 76	23 99	36 75
No. 21.....	67	37 48	69 87	107 35

COUNTY OF YORK.

Acton.....	337	187 11	351 41	538 52
Alfred.....	291	161 47	303 44	464 91
Berwick.....	896	497 22	934 32	1,431 54
Biddeford.....	3,475	1,928 40	3,623 59	5,551 99
Buxton.....	751	416 76	783 11	1,199 87
Cornish.....	354	196 45	369 14	565 59
Dayton.....	195	108 20	203 34	311 54
Elliot.....	552	306 33	575 60	881 93
Hollis.....	473	362 47	493 22	755 69
Kennebunk.....	841	522 20	981 24	1,503 44
Kennebunkport.....	787	436 74	820 65	1,257 39
Kittery.....	1,020	566 04	1,063 62	1,629 66
Lebanon.....	529	293 56	551 62	845 18
Limerick.....	410	227 52	427 53	655 05
Limington.....	495	274 68	516 16	790 84
Lyman.....	280	155 38	291 97	447 35
Newfield.....	284	157 61	296 14	453 75
North Berwick.....	635	352 38	662 15	1,014 53
Parsonsfield.....	544	301 89	567 26	869 15
Saco.....	1,929	1,070 48	2,011 49	3,081 97
Sanford.....	888	492 79	925 97	1,418 76
Shapleigh.....	379	210 32	395 20	605 52
South Berwick.....	856	475 03	892 60	1,367 63
Waterboro'.....	461	255 82	480 70	736 52
Wells.....	898	498 33	936 44	1,434 77
York.....	839	465 59	874 87	1,340 46

RECAPITULATION.

COUNTIES.	Number of Scholars.	School Fund.	Mill Tax.	Total.
Androscoggin.....	13,132	\$7,287 47	\$13,693 56	\$20,981 03
Aroostook	14,963	7,303 87	15,603 57	22,907 44
Cumberland.....	26,257	14,571 06	27,379 82	41,950 88
Franklin.....	5,988	3,322 98	6,244 04	9,567 02
Hancock	13,631	7,564 38	13,213 86	21,778 24
Kennebec.....	16,126	8,948 06	16,815 55	25,764 51
Knox	10,517	5,836 30	10,966 70	16,803 00
Lincoln	8,279	4,594 35	8,633 00	13,227 35
Oxford.....	10,963	6,083 84	11,431 75	17,515 59
Penobscot	23,871	13,246 12	24,891 70	38,138 82
Piscataquis.....	4,914	2,726 97	5,124 13	7,851 10
Sagadahoc.....	6,848	3,800 23	7,140 82	10,941 05
Somerset	11,306	6,274 15	11,789 40	18,063 55
Waldo	11,834	6,567 15	12,340 01	18,907 16
Washington	17,147	9,515 70	17,880 25	27,395 95
York	19,499	10,820 77	20,332 78	31,153 55
	215,275	\$118,465 30	\$224,480 94	\$342,946 24



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