

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FORTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 90.

LAND OFFICE, }
Augusta, March 8, 1869. }

HON. JOSIAH H. DRUMMOND,

Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR:—In compliance with an order of the House of Representatives of the 5th ult., I have the honor to transmit the following Schedule of the twenty-four half townships selected, set apart and reserved in the year 1856, in pursuance of the provisions of a resolve of April 9, 1856, entitled “Resolve for carrying into effect a resolve for a Permanent School Fund, approved August 24, 1850,” showing the number and range of the townships, the areas of each, the quantity which has been sold, with the price of the same, the date of sale, the date when the several amounts were received and when the same were paid into the treasury.

The provisions of the resolve approved April 13, 1857, requiring twenty per cent. of all moneys thereafter accruing from the sale of the public lands, to be paid over to the Treasurer of State, and the proceeds to be appropriated to a permanent school fund for the benefit of common schools, and the interest thereof to be paid over annually for their use, in the same manner as the interest on the school fund was then paid, appears by the records in this office never to have been complied with.

In addition to the amount received by the State from the sales of land belonging to the school fund, as shown by the following Schedule, a considerable amount has been received, from time to time, in payment of stumpage taken therefrom, which seems to have been paid into the treasury, partly on “general account,” and partly on account of the school fund; but having furnished the information called for by the order, I am unable at present, from want of time, to make a further investigation of that subject.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

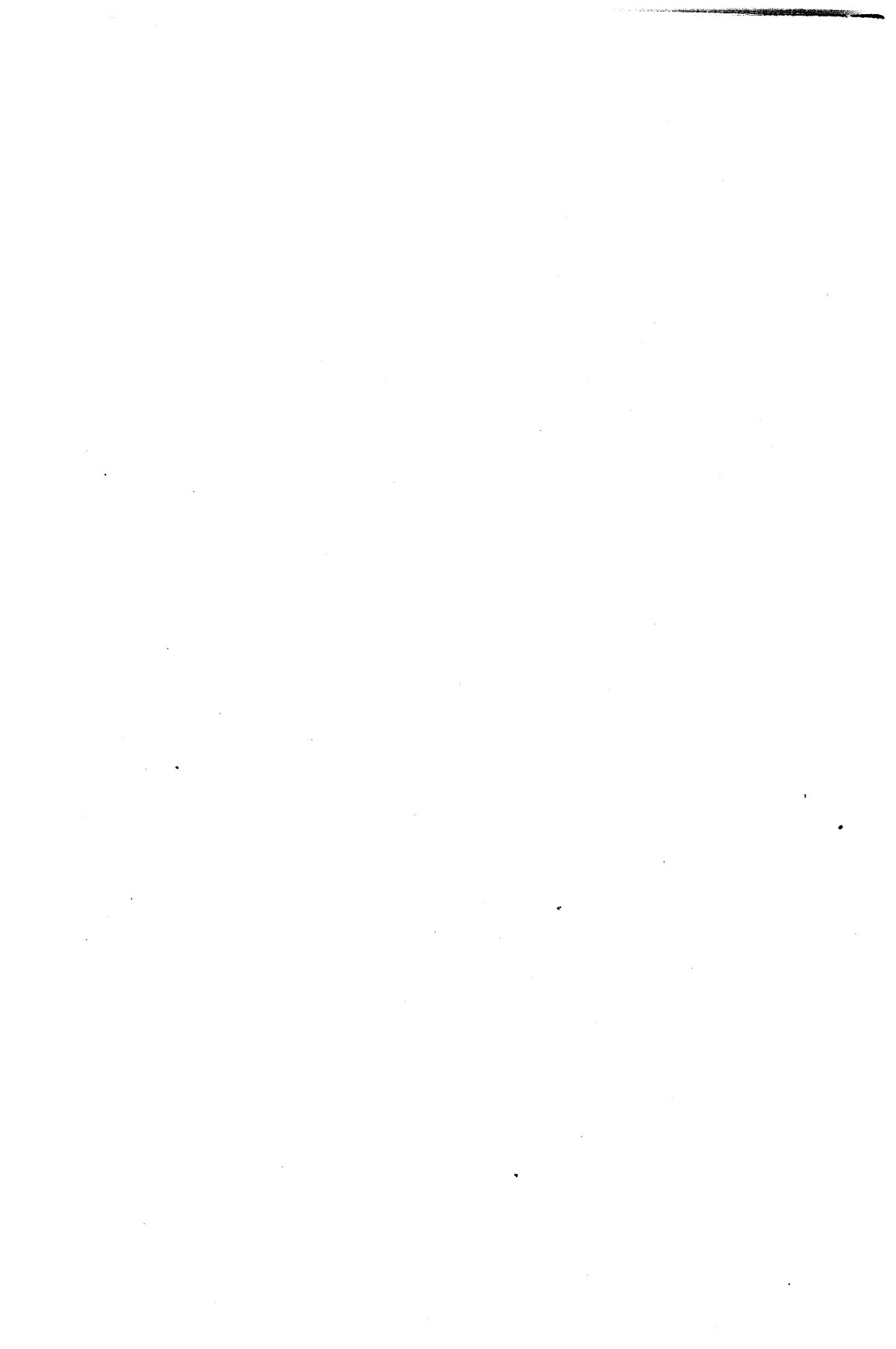
PARKER P. BURLEIGH, *Land Agent.*



SCHEDULE.

Township.	No. of Townships	County.	Area.	Purchaser.	Date of Deed.	Consideration.	Amount received.	Date of payments.	Date and amount of notes.	When payable.	Remarks.
C, R. 2, w. E. L. S.,	2	Aroostook,	21,290 67-100	Joseph E. Eaton and al.,	Sept. 1, '66,	\$21,922 48	\$21,922 48	Sept. 18, '66,	-	-	Paid into treasury on school fund, Sept. 18, 1866. This township was substituted for township No 14, R. 3, agreeably to resolve approved April 4, 1859, and was designated for settlement by resolve approved March 24, 1863. 3766.52 acres in the S. E. part, and 2233.48 acres in the N. W. part of this township, making 6,000 acres in all, were conveyed to George W. Smith under resolve approved March 20, 1858. This township was designated and set apart for settlement in the year _____
L, R. 2, do.	1	do	12,013	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
12, R. 10, do.	2	do	23,632	E. G. Dunn & G. K. Jewett,	Nov. 7, '67,	5,908 00	1,969 33 1,519 20	Nov 6, '67,	Sept. 2, '67,	\$1,312 89	Paid into the State treasury November 30, 1867 \$236.31, interest included in this payment. Paid into State treasury Sept 9, 1868.
13, R. 10, do.	2	do	22,924	E. G. Dunn & G. K. Jewett,	Nov. 7, '67,	7,128 14		2,376 04	Sept. 7, '68,	" "	
11, R. 16, do.	2	do	23,142	-	-	-	1,870 15	Nov. 6, '67,	" "	1,584 03	\$285.12, interest included in this payment. Paid into State on school fund, Sept. 9, 1868.
9, R. 17, do.	2	do	23,296	Joseph E Eaton and al.,	Nov. 27, '67,	9,318 40	3,106 12	Sept. 7, '67,	Sept. 7, '67,	2,070 76	Paid into treasury on school fund, Sept. 3, 1867. \$372 72, interest included in this payment. Paid into treasury on school fund, Sept. 9, 1868.
11, R. 17, do.	2	do	29,940	-	-	-	2,443 48	Sept. 7, '68,	" "	2,070 76	
1, R. 6, w. E. K. P.,	1	Franklin,	10,040	Ira D. Sturgis,	Oct. 31, '66,	4,016 00	1,338 66	Nov. 8, '66,	Oct. 31, '66,	1,338 67	A portion of this township, equal to a tract six miles square, was conveyed January 8, 1864, to Monson, Monmouth, Limington, and Corinna Union Academy, under resolve approved February 23, 1861. The remainder of said township, being the westerly part thereof, and containing 6,900 acres, remains unsold. This sum of \$1,338.66 was paid into the treasury Nov. 30, 1866, on "general account." This tract is the north half of the township.
1, R. 7, do.	2	do	20,200	D. R. Stockwell,	Jan. 4, '64,	2,880 00	980 00	Nov. 30, '64,	" "	1,338 67	
4, R. 6, do.	2	Oxford,	22,185	-	-	-	677 37	Sept. 28, '65,	-	-	\$37.37, interest included in this payment, paid into treasury Nov. 30, 1866, on "general account."
3, R. 9, w. E. L. S.,	2	Piscataquis,	28,040	-	-	-	1,498 66	Nov. 8, '66,	-	-	\$218 66, interest included in this payment, paid into treasury Nov. 30, 1866.
4, R. 9, N. W. P.,	2	do	5,510	Henry E. Prentiss,	Sept 2, '63,	619 88	619 88	Sept. 2, '63,	-	-	This township remains unsold.
4, R. 9, do.		do	4,132 50-100	Charles Stetson,	Sept. 2, '63,	826 50	275 50	Sept. 2, '63,	-	-	This township remains unsold.
4, R. 9, do.		do	12,397 50-100	George and Isa Stetson,	Sept. 2, '63,	2,479 50	183 66	Sept. 22, '63,	-	-	S. E. quarter; paid into treasury Sept. 18, 1863, on "general account."
8, R. 18, w. E. L. S.	2	Somerset,	23,883	-	-	-	183 67	April 4, '64,	-	-	Interest remitted; paid into treasury Oct. 29, 1863, on "general account."
							183 67	April 12, '64,	-	-	" " " " May 3, 1863, " "
							826 75	Sept 22, '63,	-	-	" " " " " " " " " "
							574 05	May 14, '64,	-	-	\$23.13 of this was for interest. Paid into treasury May 14, 1864, on "general account."
							603 35	April 3, '65,	-	-	\$52.43 " " " " Sept. 8, 1865, " "
							650 09	Sept. 15, '66,	-	-	\$99.17 " " " " Nov. 30, 1866, " "
Total,	24					\$55,098 90	\$43,832 11			\$12,612 70	This township remains unsold.





STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
March, 9, 1869. }

On motion of Mr. DICKEY, ordered to be printed.

S. J. CHADBOURNE, *Clerk.*