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CIVIL GOVERNMENT

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

FOR THE

POLITICAL YEAR 1848.

 JOHN W. DANA, Governor.

COUNCIL.

ELIAS M. CARTER,
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SAMUEL CONY, *Land Agent.*

SENATE.

CALEB R. AYER, *President.*

1st Senatorial District,	THOMAS DYER, 3d,		
	IRA T. DREW,		
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3d	“	“	JOSEPH MERRILL, HIRAM CHAPMAN, IDDO K. KIMBALL, ISAAC POOL.
4th	“	“	JOHN T. P. DUMONT, OLIVER BEAN, OLIVER PRESCOTT.
5th	“	“	JAMES H. HAINES, ADAMS TREAT, JOAB HARRIMAN.
6th	“	“	JACOB DODGE.
7th	“	“	NEHEMIAH ALLEN.
8th	“	“	ROBINSON PALMER.
9th	“	“	MANLEY B. TOWNSEND.
10th	“	“	BENJAMIN B. THOMAS, HENRY RICHARDSON, GILMAN M. BURLEIGH.
11th	“	“	DANIEL CHASE.
12th	“	“	WILLIAM R. FLINT, JACOB HALE.
13th	“	“	WILLIAM TRIPP.
14th	“	“	CALEB R. AYER, PHILO CLARK, JAMES H. FARNUM.



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 THOMAS J. HOBBS, *Assistant Secretary.*
 BENJAMIN F. CUTTER, *Messenger.*
 JOHN W. WEBSTER, *Assistant Messenger.*
 REV. JOHN H. INGRAHAM, *Chaplain.*

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

HUGH D. McLELLAN, *Speaker.*

COUNTY OF YORK.

Acton,	Hezekiah B. Trafton.
Alfred,	Nathan D. Appleton.
Berwick,	Alexander Junkins.
Biddeford,	Moses Bradbury.
Buxton,	John Millikin.
Elliott,	Oliver Clark.
Hollis,	Jacob McDaniel, Jr.
Kennebunkport,	John L. Perkins.
Kittery,	Benning Wilson.
Limerick,	Robert Cole.
Lyman,	Magness J. Smith.
Parsonsfeld,	John P. Bennett.
Saco,	Daniel Smith, Jr.
Sanford,	Nathaniel Hobbs.
Wells,	Nathaniel Hilton.
York,	George M. Freeman.

COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND.

Brunswick,	William Curtis.
Cape Elizabeth,	Dennis M. Skillin.
Cumberland,	Moses Leighton.
Danville,	Edward T. Little.
Freeport,	Samuel Thing.
Gorham,	Hugh D. McLellan.
Harpswell,	William Randall.
Harrison,	Marquis D. Caswell.
Minot,	Richard H. Ford.
Naples,	Jefferson Bray.
North Yarmouth,	Samuel Sweetser.
Otisfield,	Wilkinson Edes.
Poland,	David Dunn.
Portland,	{ Phineas Barnes,
	{ William Goodenow,
	{ William Kimball.
Pownal,	Joseph Small.
Standish,	William H. Lowell.
Westbrook,	Leander Valentine.
Windham,	Asa Legrow.

COUNTY OF LINCOLN.

Alna,	Charles C. Laiten.
Bath,	George W. Duncan.
Bowdoin,	James Elliot.

COUNTY OF LINCOLN, (*Continued.*)

Bowdoinham,	Josiah Merrow.
Boothbay,	Caleb Hodgdon.
Bristol,	Samuel T. Hinds.
Dresden,	David Goodwin.
Edgecomb,	Thomas W. Chadbourne.
Friendship,	Zebulon Davis.
Lisbon,	John Whittemore.
Nobleborough,	David Hall.
Phipsburg,	William Wildes.
St. George,	Barnabas Fountain.
Thomaston,	{ John C. Cochran,
	{ Asa Coombs,
Waldoborough,	William S. Cochran.
Washington,	William Witt.
Whitefield,	Jeremiah Wheeler.
Wiscasset,	William Beals.

COUNTY OF HANCOCK.

Bucksport,	Nathan White.
Deer Isle,	Solomon Haskell.
Eastbrook,	William Smith.
Ellsworth,	Thomas Robinson.
Greenfield,	Sylvanus Twitchell.
Mt. Desert,	William W. Thom.
Penobscot,	Pelatiah Leach.
Sedgwick,	Hezekiah Means.
Surry,	Donald Lord.

COUNTY OF WASHINGTON.

Calais,	Samuel Furlong.
Cherryfield,	Joseph Adams.
Cutler,	Jacob Huntley, Jr.
Eastport,	Thomas G. Jones.
East Machias,	Micah J. Talbot.
Harrington,	Samuel F. Adams.
Jonesborough,	Nathaniel C. Farnsworth.
Medybemps,	Warren Gilman.
Waite plantation,	John Dudley.

COUNTY OF KENNEBEC.

Albion,	David Hanscom.
Augusta,	Reuel Williams.
China,	Ebenezer Meigs.
Gardiner,	Isaac N. Tucker.
Greene,	Martin Leonard.
Hallowell,	Samuel K. Gilman.

COUNTY OF KENNEBEC, (*Continued.*)

Mt. Vernon,	William H. Hartwell.
Pittston,	John Coss.
Readfield,	Thomas Pierce.
Sebasticook,	Japheth Winn.
Sidney,	Silas L. Waite.
Vassalborough,	Joseph E. Wing.
Wales,	Daniel Larrabee.
Waterville,	Stephen Stark.
Wayne,	Caleb Fuller.
Winslow,	William Getchell.

COUNTY OF OXFORD.

Canton,	Caleb P. Holland.
Denmark,	William Pingree.
Franklin plantation,	William B. Walton.
Greenwood,	Cyprian Cole.
Hiram,	Allen Hubbard.
Livermore,	James Chase.
Lovell,	James Walker.
Newry,	Albert H. Small.
Oxford,	Benjamin Richards.
Paris,	Ziba Thayer.
Rumford,	David Knapp.
Turner,	Luther Bailey.

COUNTY OF SOMERSET.

Athens,	James S. Tobey.
Bingham,	Nathan Baker.
Bloomfield,	Charles Chase.
Lexington,	Evander W. Leonard.
Madison,	Stephen Weston.
North Anson,	Dennis Moore.
Palmyra,	William M. Palmer.
Skowhegan,	James T. Leavitt.
Starks,	Arnold Hardy.
St. Albans,	Eleazer Crocker.

COUNTY OF PENOBSCOT.

Bangor,	{ William Paine,
	{ Elijah L. Hamlin.
Brewer,	Russel Hart.
Corinth,	John Thissell.
Dexter,	Jonathan Wetherbee.
Dixmont,	Increase S. Johnson.
Eddington,	Lawson Woodbury.
Garland,	Stephen D. Jennings.

COUNTY OF PISCATAQUIS, (*Continued.*)

Hampden,	Amos Pickard.
Hermon,	James Patten, Jr.
Lincoln,	John Tobin.
Lowell,	Joseph Stickney.
Newport,	Hiram Rose.
Oldtown,	George P. Sewall.

COUNTY OF WALDO.

Appleton,	William Meservey.
Belfast,	Nathaniel M. Lowney.
Burnham,	William Millikin.
Camden,	William Merriam.
Frankfort,	George R. Sullivan.
Hope,	Nathaniel Alford.
Islesborough,	Joseph Boardman.
Jackson,	Moses Greene.
Montville,	Ebenezer Knowlton.
Northport,	James Lankester.
Prospect,	John Odom.
Swanville,	Reuben S. Smart.
Waldo,	Willard P. Harriman.

COUNTY OF FRANKLIN.

Dallas plantation,	Isaac S. Smith.
Jay,	John Rowell.
New Sharon,	Henry E. Dyer.
Strong,	Enoch Morrill.
Temple,	John Dunsmore.
Wilton,	Thomas Hender.

COUNTY OF PISCATAQUIS.

Eliotsville,	John F. Thombs.
Foxcroft,	Charles P. Chandler.
Sangerville,	Asa Jackson.
Williamsburg,	John A. Dunning.

COUNTY OF AROOSTOOK.

Hodgdon,	George W. Haskell.
Houlton,	Shepard Cary.
No. 11,	John S. Gilman.



SAMUEL BELCHER, *Clerk.*
 SAMUEL TRIPP, *Assistant Clerk.*
 PHILIP PHILLIPS, *Messenger.*

WILLIAM SANBORN,
WILLIAM O. GRANT, JR. } *Assistant Messengers.*
GEORGE C. HARRIMAN, *Page.*
REV. AMARIAH KALLOCH, *Chaplain.*

NOTE.—The legislature of Maine convened on the tenth day of May,
and adjourned on the eleventh day of August, A. D. 1848.