

REPORT
OF THE
COMMISSIONER OF CROWN LANDS
OF CANADA,

FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDING ON THE 30TH JUNE, 1864.

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*To His Excellency The Right Honorable CHARLES STANLEY, Viscount
MONCK, Baron Monck of Ballytrammon, in the County of Wexford,
Governor General of British North America, &c., &c., &c.*

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

The alteration in the financial year, made by the Public Accounts Audit Act of last Session of the Legislature, 27-28 Vic., Cap. 6, renders it necessary that I should submit to Your Excellency a half-yearly report of the proceedings, transactions and affairs of the Department of Crown Lands, to be laid before the Legislature, in conformity with the provisions of the Public Lands Act.

STATISTICAL DETAILS.

LOWER CANADA.

CROWN LANDS.

During the half-year, 203,459 acres were sold, and 2,314 acres located as free grants on the Colonization Roads. The purchase money of the lands sold amounted to \$101,715.15, the collections to \$60,004.18.

There were 6,003,946 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres disposable on the 1st of January last, to which 156,134 acres were added by surveys during the half-year, making a total of 6,160,080 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres, from which deducting the sales and free grants, 205,773 acres, a balance of 5,954,307 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres remains for future disposal.

CLERGY LANDS.

The sales of the half-year amounted to 18,584 acres, for \$9,711.05. The gross amount received, for instalments, rent, &c., was \$13,459.63, from which taking the amount paid as refunds and commission, \$2,740.53, there remains a net revenue of \$10,719.10 on account of the "Lower Canada Municipalities' Fund."

Deducting the number of acres sold, 18,584, from the amount on hand at the commencement of the year, 311,394⁵/₈ acres, leaves a balance of 292,810 acres disposable.

JESUITS' ESTATES.

The gross collections on account of these Estates for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864, amount to the sum of \$20,873.56, of which \$11,929.02—capitals of sales, &c.—are funded, on account of the "Lower Canada Superior Education Investment Fund," and \$8,944.54—revenue—belongs to the "Lower Canada Superior Education Income Fund," as directed *per* Act 19 Victoria, Chapter 54, (Consolidated Statutes of Lower Canada, Chapter 15).

The total expenses, comprising agents' salaries, commission and disbursements, including cost of Deeds for judicial proceedings, come to \$1,936.74, leaving the net receipts at \$18,936.82.

The purchasers of the former *Banal* Mills of the Seignioriy of Batiscan, who had bought these properties from the Government, in 1854, at capital sums, remaining *à constituer*, representing the annual rents then derived from the Mills, having run into arrear, and being unable to meet their engagements, in consequence of the depreciation in value of this description of property, owing to the abolition of the *droit de banalité*, which had induced the erection of competing Mills, it was thought to be equitable and judicious to make a compromise with the parties. A reduction was therefore offered, with the sanction of Council, conditional upon the payment of the reduced purchase price by instalments. Two have accepted and carried out this offer, and the third proposes to do so likewise. It is true that the original purchases had been made without any *droit de banalité*, but in one of the sales, the Crown had bound itself not to allow the erection of any other mill within a certain distance; and as in all the cases it was considered that the purchasers could not foresee the result of the operation of the Seigniorial Act, it would have been, to say the least, very exacting on the part of the Government to have insisted on the original price, and entailed the ruin of honest and industrious men, who had had the misfortune to invest in property, the value of which had been afterwards so sensibly diminished by legislative enactment. By making the new purchase price payable by instalments, in lieu of allowing it to remain *à constituer*, an advantage has been gained for the Estates, in so far as the capitals can be funded, and will produce a clear revenue without future expense or risk of further reduction or loss. The reduction allowed came to about a third of the original price, but a little more was granted in one of the cases, where the first price had been originally much too high. This reduction is less than the actual depreciation in value of the properties; but, as part of the injury done to the Mills arose from some of the competing ones deriving their support in whole or in part outside of the Seignioriy of Batiscan, it was not thought proper to extend the indulgence beyond.

The debtors referred to in the Report of this Office for 1863, who had shown a dispo-

sition, in the early part of 1864, to pay, in consequence of the action taken by the Department have again relapsed into their former neglect and refusal to settle with the Crown, in consequence of which some accounts have been sent to the Crown Law Office for Lower Canada for suit, and the Department will await the result of the proceedings to be adopted there, and which are required to serve as an example to bring the debtors to a settlement. The total arrears are supposed to amount to about \$160,000.00.

For Receipts and Expenses, in detail, see Appendix No. 14.

CROWN DOMAIN.

The sum of \$3,567.07 has been received from the Domain, in Lower Canada, during the half-year expired 30th June, 1864, of which \$1,548.75 is *Lods et Ventes*, &c., from the *Censives* of Quebec and Three Rivers, \$83.75 from the sale of lots in the Township of St. Maurice, and \$1,934.57, on beach and deep water lots in the Ports of Quebec and Montreal.

The expenses amount to \$852.10, and are composed of Agents' salaries, commission and disbursements, including cost of copies of deeds.

Of the receipts the sum of \$757.52, received by the Government in December, 1861, in the case of the Quebec Building Society *vs.* Jones, being capital and arrears of rent of a deep-water lot, river St. Charles, Quebec, and belonging to the Quebec Harbor Commissioners, under the Act 22 Victoria, chapter 32, (1858), was paid over to that body in February.

See Appendix No. 16 (a) for a detailed statement of the receipts, &c.

SEIGNIORY OF LAUZON.

The gross receipts from this Seignior for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864, reach the sum of \$5,110.12.

The expenses, being proportion of Agents' salary and disbursements, are \$307.44.

In the expenses is included the sum of \$189.01 for cost of purchase of a lot on which the Department had a claim, acquired by the Agent at Sheriff's sale, to prevent the Government from incurring loss by the same being sold for less than its value, and not sufficient to pay the costs and Crown dues. In such cases these lots are afterwards disposed of by the Department, and usually at a profit more than sufficient to cover all the debt and expenses.

The net revenue for above period stands at \$4,502.68.

For a statement of receipts and expenses, in detail, see Appendix No. 15 (a).

LATE SIR JOHN CALDWELL'S ESTATE.

The sum of \$8,186.65, being the amount in the hands of Mr. Félix Fortier, Curator to this Estate, referred to in the report of this Department for 1863, was deposited in bank to the credit of this Office by the Prothonotary of the Court of Queen's Bench, in February, 1864, out of which a sum was paid to Messrs. Casault, Langlois & Angers, Advocates, for balance of costs, and the remainder transferred to Government account.

Mr. Fortier is continuing to regulate the business appertaining to this estate, and is enforcing a settlement on the part of the debtors thereto in the Seignior of Lauzon, giving his attention at first more especially to cases where it is feared that prescription of the debts might be evoked, if any longer delay were allowed to elapse.

For amounts received and expended, see Appendix No. 15 (b).

GOLD MINES, CANADA EAST.

On the 22nd April, 1864, the regulations adopted in Council on the 16th of the same month, and copy of which will be found in Appendix No. 24, were promulgated, and Mr. Judah, the Officer in charge of the Crown Domain Branch of the Department, was instructed to proceed to the Chaudière Gold Mining Division, to report on the prospects for the coming season's operations. For copies of the instructions he received and of his report, see Appendix No. 25.

These regulations were suspended in May, and Parliament being then in session, a Gold Mining Act was introduced into the Legislative Council, and, having passed both branches of the Legislature, became law on the 30th June. See 27-28 Victoria, chapter 9.

In the Bill, as submitted to the Legislature, there was a clause providing that all unsold Crown Lands in the Gold Mining Divisions to be erected under the Act should be withheld from sale, except on proof that they were unfit for gold mining purposes; and providing that in case gold was afterwards discovered on such lands, the Commissioner of Crown Lands should have the right of resuming the same, on re-imbursing the price paid and paying the value of the improvements. Parliament having struck out this clause, and thus evinced its desire that the lands should be sold, it has become necessary to re-open the sale of such as had previously been temporarily stayed.

Proceedings under the Act, as well as the full season's operations and reports of the inspectors, will appear in next year's report of this Department. It may, however, be stated that in the Chaudière Division, up to 30th June, operations were said to have been carried on, principally on the river Gilbert, in the seigniory of Rigaud-Vaudreuil, with remunerative returns, fully equalling those of last year, and that prospecting had been proceeded with elsewhere at several places, the whole giving a fair promise of favorable results.

In the St. Francis Division little had been done, except in the way of prospecting.

The Inspector for the Chaudière Division issued, under the regulations of April, only two licenses. The St. Francis Inspector did not grant any.

The expenses consist of Inspectors' salary, for amount of which, as well as receipts, see Appendix No. 16 (b).

U P P E R C A N A D A .

CROWN LANDS.

There were 3,023,787½ acres of surveyed Crown lands disposable at the commencement of 1864; in addition thereto 175,805 acres were subdivided during the half-year, making a total of 3,200,592½ acres, of which 79,145½ acres were sold, and 9,833 acres located as free grants on the colonization roads, leaving a balance of 3,111,614 acres on hand. The purchase money of the lands sold amounted to \$84,113.94, the receipts to \$16,155.93.

CLERGY LANDS.

Twenty-two thousand two hundred and sixty-five and a quarter acres were sold during the half-year, leaving 60,660½ acres still disposable. The purchase money of the land-

sold amounts to \$37,123.35, the gross receipts to \$103,934.56, from which deducting the refunds and commissions, \$21,494.56, a net balance of \$82,440.15 remains for appropriation under the provisions of the Clergy Reserves Act, Consolidated Statutes of Canada, chapter 25.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL LANDS.

The quantity remaining on hand at the commencement of the year 1864 was 50,134 acres. Only 924½ acres were sold, for \$1,610.50, leaving 49,210½ acres on hand. Deducting from the gross amount of collections, \$5,516.88, the commissions and refunds, \$1,103.38, there remains a net receipt of \$4,413.50.

COMMON SCHOOL LANDS.

During the half-year 3,640 acres of these lands were sold, and 25,765 acres resumed for the non-fulfilment of the conditions of sale, and re-sold. The purchase money of both amounted to \$49,094.75. The gross receipts were \$98,216.54, the disbursements for commissions and refunds \$20,461.74, leaving a net income for the half-year of \$77,754.80.

The total net amount realized from these lands up to the 30th of June last is \$1,088,250.73.

MINERAL LANDS.

On the north shores of Lakes Huron and Superior, 3,300 acres were sold under the regulations of the 3rd of March, 1864, at \$1 an acre, cash, and \$1,100 were received on account of previous sales.

For copy of the above-mentioned regulations, see Appendix No. 26.

CANADA.

ORDNANCE LANDS.

In the month of April, sales were made at Kingston, Penetanguishene, Lyon's Creek, and Chippewa to the amount of \$6,255, of which one instalment was paid. The receipts for the half-year were \$14,434.43; the disbursements for salaries, refunds, surveys and contingencies were \$6,240.94, including \$1,585.96 for the last quarter of 1863. The receipts for the corresponding six months of 1863 amounted \$4,890.80, shewing an improvement this year of \$7,776.65 to the 30th June, which has continued proportionably to the present time.

WOODS AND FORESTS.

The amount of Revenue collected during the half-year ending 30th June, 1864, from Timber Dues and Ground Rents was \$35,354.76, and from Slide Dues \$2,849.52, making the total \$38,204.28, in addition to which the sum of \$434.31 was collected for other services, viz:—Clergy, School and Indian; and \$8,183.71, value of Settlers' Timber. Total, \$46,822.30.

The charges of management for collecting Timber Dues, Ground Rents and Slide Dues are \$13,512.26. These charges do not include the salaries of the Woods and Forests

Branch at head-quarters, nor the following sums: \$1,838.93 refunds, &c., and \$316.95 transferred.

INDIAN AFFAIRS.

The receipts for lands and timber for the half-year commencing 1st January and ending 30th June, 1864, were \$33,997.78; interest and investments for the same period, \$43,734.57; annuities and grants, \$17,310.00; making a total of \$95,042.35.

The payments, comprehending annuity and interest money, made to Indians, and including salaries, surveys, and incidental expenses, amounted, for the same period, to \$63,006.35. At the commencement of the year 1864 the total sum, as represented in the books of this Department, at the credit of the various Indian bands was \$1,530,343.31. at the termination of the half-year ending 30th June, 1864, from payment of instalments on lands, from new sales, timber, &c., the amount, after defraying salaries and all other charges, was \$1,562,530.19—shewing an increase of \$32,186.88.

During the period referred to, no additional lands of consequence were brought into market.

FISHERIES.

The spring fishing being carried on chiefly at distant places, whence no returns could be had so early in the season as the 30th of June, the summer fishing also being in many localities now at its height, and in some parts only just commenced, details under this head cannot be given in the present half-year.

Generally speaking, the commercial fishings are less productive than usual.

Certain improvements in the fisheries' service, begun under my predecessor, render it already more efficient, and, at the same time, reduce its expensiveness.

Down to the present date, the expenditure for this half-year has been, in Lower Canada, \$15,565.55, which sum includes \$9,769.50 paid as Fishing Bounties for 1863, and \$1,045.50 in payment of accounts and claims deferred since 1862 and 1863. In Upper Canada, a total sum of \$410.96 was expended to 30th June, 1864, including payments to the amount of \$177.50 for accounts belonging to the previous year. The apparent expenditure in the books of the Department at the close of this half-year exceeds the legislative appropriation. This discrepancy is owing to various sums advanced early in the season, as disbursements to Fishery Overseers residing at remote parts of the coast, and which are accounted for, on the whole season's operations, to 31st December. Claims for fishing bounties in abeyance and others, not notified at the time of estimating for such expenditure, make the sum actually paid \$769.50 in excess of amount voted. Bounties, however, being payable in part out of rents on fisheries leased, and there being at that time a larger sum collected, the authority of an Order in Council was deemed sufficient for the payment of such excess. Also, in consequence of outfitting and provisioning the Government schooner *La Canadienne* for the whole season, advances require to be made to the crew before leaving, and funds to pay current wages are advanced before the vessel sails. Hence considerable sums entered before the close of the half-year in the office books as expenditure, apply in fact and chiefly to the period of the season after the 30th of June.

A comparison of the sums collected, as rents and fees, is correspondingly favorable. Although license dues and instalments on leases of fishery stations do not become due in

this half-year, collections were made by the Department, to 30th of June, of \$4,157.05 in Lower Canada, and \$482.62 in Upper Canada. These collections consist principally of advance payments on new licenses and leases, and arrears due on former issues.

The undersigned strongly recommends early legislation to simplify and amend the Fishery Laws. It is believed that, with such statutory enactments as experience suggests, a system can be devised and carried out that would prove acceptable to the fishermen, while, at the same time, satisfactory, inexpensive and beneficial to the public.

UPPER CANADA SURVEYS.

The surveys completed and audited during the half-year ending the 30th of June, consist of the subdivision of the townships of Mattawan and Wiley; the residues of the townships of Cardiff and Moumouth; Thorah Island in Lake Simcoe (Indian Lands), and Navy Island in the Niagara River (Ordnance Lands); also, the re-posting of some free grant lots on the Opeongo Road.

The following surveys have been also completed in the field, but the surveyors' complete returns have not been received in the Department: Township of Monck, and the subdivision into town and park-lots of the town-plot of Muskokaville, situated near the Great Falls on the Muskoka River; township of Jones; residues of the townships of Wollaston and Dungannon; re-survey of the township of Burleigh; and the surveys of the Indian lands on the Great Manitoulin Island, consisting of the townships of Howland, Bidwell, Sheguiandah and Assignack.

Instructions were issued during the half-year for the re-surveys of the townships of Harvey and Burleigh; for the subdivision of Navy Island, in the Niagara River (Ordnance Lands); and of Point aux Pins, at the Rondeau, in the township of Harwich; for the survey of a base line for townships on the east coast of the Georgian Bay, and of a road line from Arnprior to the village of Springtown, &c., on the Madawaska River; easterly boundary line of the town-plot of Bronte, in Trafalgar (Indian); gore lot D, in the township of Sophiasburg; and for the re-planting of posts on a portion of the Hastings Road free grant lots.

LOWER CANADA SURVEYS.

The surveys performed under instructions from the Department, during the half-year—consisting of the outlines of townships—establishing the boundaries between seigniories and adjacent townships—verifications of former surveys—the subdivision of the arable parts of townships into farm lots, and of explorations for tracing and making certain road-lines for colonization purposes—as exhibited in the official returns, are dispersed over ten counties of Lower Canada. The area of 156,134 acres, laid out by actual measurement into farm-lots, covers part of seven townships, situate in the after-mentioned counties, as follows:

CHICOUTIMI.

The Township of Parent is situate on the north-western shore of Lake St. John, between the Rivers Ashuapmouchuan and Mistassini. Thirty thousand one hundred and eighteen acres, comprising about half the area of the township, were laid out into farm-lots of one hundred acres each, more or less; the larger proportion whereof is reported to be good and arable land, and well adapted for agricultural purposes, and specially fertile

where it is irrigated by the River Ticonabé, a considerable tributary of the River Mistassini. The opening of this township for disposal, in extension of the rapidly settling townships on the eastern and western borders of Lake St. John, cannot fail to induce a rapid colonization of the public lands in this section of the county.

The tract of land known as the Island of Alma, formed by the *grande décharge* of the River Saguenay on the north, and the *petite décharge* on south channel, and comprised within the external limits of the Township Delisle, situate in the same county, has also been subdivided into farm-lots, containing in the aggregate nine thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven acres of land. The superior quality of the soil and generally level surface of the land in this island, joined to the large water-powers of both channels of the Saguenay, render it a desirable location, as well for actual settlement as for manufacturing purposes.

L'ISLET.

The Township of Leverrier and the residue of the adjacent Township Talon, both situate along the Province line, and containing together 79,202 acres of land, were laid out into farm-lots for actual settlement. These surveys almost complete the subdivision of all that section of country, lying between the seigniories and the Province line, within this and the Counties of Dorchester, Bellechasse and Montmagny towards the south-west, and the County of Kamouraska to the north-east, recommended in the annual report of the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the year 1856-57, as much required in the interest of colonization.

Part of the back projected ranges of the Township of Ashford, adjoining the Elgin road, was subdivided into farm-lots to the extent of nine thousand six hundred and sixty acres of land; a considerable portion of which area is well adapted for cultivation, especially the alluvial tracts along the River Ouelle, on which river some extensive saw-mills are already erected within the newly-surveyed tract.

BERTHIER.

The first three ranges of the Townships of Brassard and Provost, situate on the opposite banks of the River Matawan, a large stream rising in the County of Montcalm and flowing across the Counties of Joliette, Berthier, Maskinongé and St. Maurice, and discharging into the River St. Maurice, about fifty miles above Three Rivers, were surveyed into one hundred acres lots, containing together about 24,000 acres of land.

These townships, in a direct distance along the district line, lie about thirty miles back from the surveyed Townships of Peterborough and Brandon, and geographically form part of the Great Valley or Basin of the St. Maurice; and notwithstanding their remote situation, the generally favorable character of the soil and surface of the land for some considerable distance back from the bank of the river, as reported by surveyors and parties who have explored that section of the country, expressly for colonization purposes, will doubtless induce a rapid settlement of these and other townships which may hereafter be laid out in the same locality, especially when the road, now in course of construction by the Department of Public Works, from the nearest settlements in the Parish of St. Gabriel de Brandon, to the discharge of Lake Kiakamak into the Matawan, in the Township Provost, shall, as a summer communication, be effectually carried out.

ARGENTEUIL.

In this county the first five ranges in the Township of Wolfe, containing nine thousand and seventy-one acres, were subdivided into farm-lots, with a view of thereby extending the field for settlement westward from the Township of Beresford, situate in the adjoining County of Terrebonne, in which the surveyed lands are being rapidly disposed of and occupied.

BELLECHASSE.

The broken tract of land lying in rear of the ranges fronting on the Taché road, in the Township of Buckland, containing three thousand one hundred and fifty-six acres, was subdivided as an additional range of lots for actual settlement, which completes the survey of the north-east part of this township.

TEMISCOUATA.

A line of road for colonization purposes was traced and marked in the field, branching off from the St. Alexander Government road at the head of Lake Pohenigamook, in the Township of Pohenigamook, thence traversing the projected Township of Estcourt to the fork of Blue river with the River St. Francis, a total distance of ten miles and a half. This line intersects, near its southern terminus, another line of road traced from the Grand Détour settlement in the Parish of Notre Dame du Lac, in the Seignior of the Lake Temiscouata, and thence crossing the projected Township of Cabano south of the River Cabano to the outlet of Long Lake, and then to its intersection with the Pohenigamook road first mentioned, a total distance of nineteen miles, whereof five and a half miles lie in the Seignior of Temiscouata, and the remainder in the vacant Crown lands. The land on the above line of road is reported generally favorable for the construction of a good road, presenting, with few exceptions, a tolerably level surface, whilst the general quality of the soil appears well adapted for cultivation and settlement. It is, in consequence, contemplated to lay off ranges of lots along both lines respectively in the Townships of Estcourt and Cabano.

CHARLEVOIX AND CHICOUTIMI.

A line for a colonization road, called the *Chemin des Marais*, was traced and marked in the field from a point on the public road near the Ruisseau Menin, on the left or easterly bank of the River Malbaie, in the Seignior of Mount Murray and County of Charlevoix, and thence following the valley of the brook to the rear line of the seignior, thence in an easterly direction in the valley of the *Ruisseau des Marais* to the forty-eighth parallel of latitude or southern limit of the County of Chicoutimi, in the eighteenth mile from the seigniorial boundary of Mount Murray, thence north-westerly to its intersection, in the thirty-first mile, with the line of road traced from Anse St. Jean, on the Saguenay.

The general character of the country the above described road line traverses, although rugged and mountainous, nevertheless presents, here and there, tracts or patches of good land for settlement—the general range whereof appears to have been carefully explored in locating the present line. Its chief advantage, however, lies in its offering a practicable communication between the settlements of l'Anse St. Jean, as well as those of Grande Baie, by the St. Agnes Road, with the populous parishes in the Seignior of Malbaie, on the St. Lawrence

COLONIZATION ROADS—UPPER CANADA.

During the half-year a survey was made for a continuation of the Mississippi Road from the Addington to the Hastings Road, about forty miles, and an estimate of the cost thereof prepared; also, a survey and estimate of the Monck Road line from Lake Couchiching to the Bobcaygeon Road, about fifty miles.

The following works, which had been previously let by contract, were continued, viz.: The construction of ten miles of the Pembroke and Mattawan Road, and twenty miles each of the Burleigh and Parry Sound Road, and a bridge over the river Petewawa.

Repairs performed by labourers, under the superintendence of active and skilful overseers, were commenced on the Addington, Frontenac, Hastings, Mississippi, and Muskoka Roads; also, the opening of twelve miles of new line on the Hastings Road.

As none of these works were complete on the 30th of June last, the details of the operations and expenditure will be given in the report for the financial year ending on the 30th of June next.

PROGRESS OF SETTLEMENT ON THE UPPER CANADA COLONIZATION ROADS.

ADDINGTON ROAD.—There were no new locations, and only three lots, which had been abandoned, were re-located.

On the BOBCAYGEON, FRONTENAC and HASTINGS Roads, no lots were taken up.

On the BURLEIGH Road, the agent reported forty-three new locations.

On the MUSKOKA, two new locations and thirteen re-locations.

On the OPEONGO Road, five new locations and three re-locations.

On the PETERSON Road, fifty new locations and twelve re-locations.

PROGRESS OF SETTLEMENT ON THE LOWER CANADA COLONIZATION ROADS.

There were no locations on the ELGIN Road.

On the ETCHEMIN Road, there were three locations;

On the MAILLOUX Road, two

On the MATAPEDIA Road, four;

On the TACHÉ Road, one;

And on the TÉMISCOUATA Road, sixteen locations.

The statistical details of the improvements and produce of the year 1863 were given in last year's report. There has been no inspection since.

As I assumed the charge of the Department only a few weeks before the close of the half-year, and had, during the greater part of that short period, to attend to the duties of legislation, I had but little opportunity of acquiring a knowledge of the Crown Lands affairs, and do not venture to offer any "general observations" with reference thereto.

Respectfully submitted,

A. CAMPBELL,
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Québec, December, 1864.

APPENDIX

TO THE

Report of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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APPENDIX No. 1 (a).

LIST of OFFICERS and CLERKS in the Department of Crown Lands, for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864, arranged according to Branches.

Branches.	Names.	Designation.
	Hon. A. Campbell	Commissioner.
	Andrew Russell.....	Assistant-Commissioner.
Lower Canada Surveys and Patents.....	J. Bouchette.....	Deputy Surveyor General.
	E. T. Fletcher.....	Senior Surveyor & Draughtsman, and Inspector of Surveys.
	G. G. Dunlevie.....	Surveyor and Draughtsman.
	J. F. Bouchette.....	Draughtsman.
	E. E. Taché.....	Surveyor and Draughtsman.
	W. Baron Von Koerber.....	Extra Draughtsman.
	F. Chassé.....	Clerk.
Upper Canada Surveys.....	T. Morkill.....	Clerk.
	Thomas Devine.....	Head of Surveys, U.C.
	E. Fox.....	Surveyor and Draughtsman.
	H. F. Hayward.....	Draughtsman.
	D. A. Grant.....	Clerk and Book-keeper of Branch.
Colonization Roads and Ordnance Lands, Canada West.....	A. J. Scott.....	Extra Clerk.
	J. W. Bridgland.....	Senior Surveyor and Inspector of Surveys, in charge.
	A. L. Russell.....	Extra Draughtsman and Clerk.
Patents.....	M. S. Foley.....	Extra Clerk.
	H. J. Jones.....	Senior Patent Clerk.
	J. J. Prendergast.....	Clerk.
Accounts.....	J. Innes.....	Clerk.
	William Ford.....	Accountant and Cashier.
	J. V. Gale.....	Book-keeper of Department.
	D. G. B. Ross.....	Extra Clerk.
	H. B. Dufort.....	Extra Clerk.
	W. Ebbs.....	Extra Clerk.
Upper Canada Land Claims, and Mining Lands—also Crown Sales in Old Townships	J. H. Montgomery.....	Extra Clerk.
	Thomas Hector.....	Chief Clerk in charge.
	F. A. Hall.....	Clerk.
	T. Hammond.....	Clerk.
	G. Lindsay.....	Extra Clerk.
Land Sales, U.C.....	J. S. Thomson.....	Extra Clerk.
	J. C. Tarbutt.....	Chief Clerk in charge.
	A. Kirkwood.....	Clerk.
	A. T. Taylor.....	Clerk.
Land Returns, U.C.....	J. M. Grant.....	Extra Clerk.
	Jeremiah Alley.....	Senior Clerk Agents' Returns, U.C.
	J. Tolmie.....	Clerk.
Lower Canada Land Sales, Western Section.	F. Norton.....	Extra Clerk.
	R. Nettle.....	Extra Clerk.
	W. F. Collins.....	Chief Clerk in charge.
	F. D. Dugal.....	Clerk.
Lower Canada Land Sales, Eastern Section, and Colonization Roads, C.E.....	W. E. Collins.....	Clerk.
	L. Berthelot.....	Extra Clerk.
	E. A. Gagné.....	Chief Clerk in charge.
Jesuits' Estates, Seignior of Lauzon, and Crown Domain.....	V. E. Tessier.....	Clerk.
	L. D. Lemoine.....	Clerk.
	F. T. Judah.....	Chief Clerk in charge.
	D. C. Mackenzie.....	Extra Clerk.
	R. H. Browne.....	Extra Clerk.

APPENDIX No. 1 (a).—*Continued.*

LIST of OFFICERS and CLERKS in the Department of Crown Lands, for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864, arranged according to Branches.

Branches.	Names.	Designation.
Woods and Forests.....	{ P. M. Partridge.....	Superintendent.
	{ L. A. Robitaille.....	Clerk.
	{ G. B. Cowper.....	Book-keeper of Branch.
	{ G. Vanfelson.....	Extra Clerk.
	{ J. Nickinson.....	Extra Clerk.
	{ J. Murphy.....	Extra Clerk.
Fisheries	{ W. F. Whiteher.....	Chief Clerk in charge.
	{ S. P. Bauset.....	Clerk and Draughtsman.
Registrar	{ J. Morphy.....	Registrar.
	{ R. Temple.....	Extra Clerk.
Office Keeper.....	John Bradshaw.....	
Messengers.....	{ George Fisher.....	
	{ P. Cahill.....	
	{ P. Potvin.....	
	{ C. Dumontier.....	

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DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 2.

LIST OF CROWN LAND AGENTS FOR LOWER CANADA, dates of their Appointments, and Commission allowed to each on Collections made during the half-year ended 30th June, 1864.

EASTERN SECTION.

Names.	COUNTIES.	Dates of Appointments.	Commission.	Remarks.
Bochet, A.	Portneuf and Champlain.	1843, June 30.	\$ 1 34	
Bourgeois, J.	Berthier and Joliette.	1858, December 23.	13 87	
Boulliane, R.	Saguenay.	1858, September 10.	1 10	
Daly, A.	Part of Leinster.	1844, June 12.	17 95	
Déry, I. P.	Part of Portneuf.	1851, July 12.	11 20	
Deguisse, F.	Part of Kamouraska.	1850, May 25.	5 40	
Drapeau, S.	Elgin and Taché Road, Free Grant Agent.	1858, January 29.	8 10	and \$4 p diem.
Dubord, L. A.	Maskinongé and St. Maurice.	1859, May 26.	39 43	
Eden, J.	Gaspé.	1851, May 24.	68 59	
Farwell, W.	Compton.	1861, September 20.	301 09	and \$600 p annum.
Gauvreau, L. N.	Part of Rimouski.	1848, July 22.	38 22	
Labrecque, L.	Beauce.	1861, April 26.	159 19	
Lamontagne, F.	Part of Bellechasse.	1862, October 30.	9 81	
Laporte, J.	Part of Peterboro.	1860, September 1.	1 47	
Lavallée, A. B.	Part of Two Mountains and Terrebonne.	1843, August 12.	19 26	
LeBel, J. T.	Part of Sherbrooke and Wolfe.	1852, May 31.	136 55	
LeBel, J. A.	Bonaventure.	1858, March 25.	25 97	
Larue, S. V.	Part of Bellechasse.	1852, October 11.	6 78	
Lepage, J. B.	Part of Rimouski, and Matapedia Road.	1855, September 12.	10 49	and \$2 per diem.
Martin, V.	Chicoutimi.	1858, September 10.	25 17	
Rowseau, F.	Dorchester.	1862, June 6.	20 17	
Roy, C. F.	Parts of Rimouski and Gaspé.	1862, August 6.	5 76	and \$2 per diem.
Ross, Andrew	Part of Megantic, Dorchester, and Bellechasse.	1843, June 20.	118 82	
rt, McL.	Quebec.	1845, September 27.	1 00	
Téti, F.	Parts of L'Islet and Bellechasse.	1850, May 25.	64 12	
Vergé, J. N.	Baie des Chaleurs.	1861, May 27.	10 59	

EMOLUMENTS.
5 p cent. Commission on the first.....\$ 2000.
2½ p cent. Commission on the next..... 28000.
1½ p cent. Commission on any sum exceeding 30000.

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DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 2.

LIST OF CROWN LAND AGENTS FOR LOWER CANADA, dates of their Appointments, and Commission allowed to each on Collections made during the half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

WESTERN SECTION.

Names.	COUNTIES.	Dates of Appointments.	Commission.	Remarks.
			\$ cts.	
Barron, T.....	Part of Two Mountains.....	1864 May 28.....	1 45	<div> EMOLUMENTS. </div> <div> 5 3 cent. Commission on the first...\$ 2000. 24 3 cent. Commission on the next... 28000. 14 3 cent. Commission on any sum exceeding..... 30000. </div>
Bastien, P. X.....	Part of Ottawa.....	1845, August 4.....	97 37	
Bourgeois, G. A.....	Part of Drummond.....	1850, March 23.....	46 05	
Cameron, G. W.....	Part of Ottawa.....	1859, December 12.....	103 90	
Felton, J.....	Part of Sherbrooke, Stanstead, Drummond.....	1843, January 30.....	219 17	
Farley, R.....	Part of Ottawa.....	1859, August 27.....	236 98	
Gagnon, A.....	Arthabaska.....	1860, January 12.....	41 08	
Hume, J.....	Part of Megantic.....	1852, January 21.....	85 06	
Judgeon, G. M.....	Part of Pentiac.....	1858, February 27.....	290 42	
Kemp, O. J.....	Stanstead, Missisquoi, Shefford.....	1848, April 15.....	87 55	
McBean, M.....	Part of Ottawa.....	1859, November 11.....	128 55	
McMillan, D.....	Part of Two Mountains.....	1860, August 4.....	12 21	
Smith, T.....	Part of Ottawa.....	1860, June 20.....	155 16	
Sheppard, Hon. W.....	Part of Drummond.....	1862, May 1.....	85 07	

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Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 3.

LIST OF CROWN LAND AGENTS FOR UPPER CANADA, Dates of their Appointments, and Commission allowed to each on Collections made during the half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

Names.	COUNTIES.	Dates of Appointment.	Commission.	Remarks.
Alexander, J.....	Simcoe	1843, April 18.....	\$ cts. 646 49	Locating Agent of Free Grants.
Boswell, G. G.....	Part of Victoria and Peterboro', and Bobcaygeon Road...	1861, December 4.....		
Carroll, John.....	Burleigh Road, Townships Amstruther, Chandos, Cardiff...	1863, October 27.....	122 53	Locating Agent.
Geddes, A.....	Wellington	1845, June 8.....	923 12	Locating Agent.
Hayes, M. P.....	Part of Hastings, and Hastings Road.....	1856, July 3.....	103 68	
Harris, W.....	Part of Renfrew, Ottawa and Opeongo Road.....	1851, June	150 01	Locating Agent.
Huber, H. S.....	Waterloo.....	1863, November.....	228 32	
Jackson, W.....	Grey.....	1854, November 3.....	1,138 22	Locating Agent.
Macpherson, J.....	Lennox, parts Frontenac and Addington, Frontenac Road	1860, February 21.....	411 65	
Moffat, J. P.....	North part of Renfrew.....	1858, November 26.....	66 05	Locating Agent.
McNabb, A.....	Bruce.....	1851, April 29.....	988 19	
Oliver, R. J.....	Muskoka Road, Townships Morrison, Monck, Muskoka, Draper, Macaulay, McLean, Brunel.....	1859, July 22	72 31	Locating Agent.
Perry, E.....	Parts of Frontenac and Addington, and Addington Road	1856, March 27	144 28	Locating Agent.
Roche, G. M.....	Victoria.....	1858, October 22.....	207 62	Locating Agent.
Sharman, J.....	Perth.....	1853, April 27	808 26	
Widder, C.....	Huron.....	1857, January 15.....	779 85	Locating Agent.
Wilson, J.....	Part of Algoma District	1845, July 25.....	21 60	

EXHIBITS.

5 3 cent. Commission on the first...\$2000 00
24 3 cent. Commission on the next...28000 00
14 3 cent. Commission on any sum
exceeding.....30000 00

The Locating Agents receive from each set-
tler the sum of \$5.00, two-fifths of which
is retained by them and the remainder
transmitted to the Department.

WILLIAM FORD,
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ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 4.

LIST OF CROWN TIMBER AGENTS (in Upper and Lower Canada), their Assistants, Names of Territories, Residences, Dates of Appointment, and Salary allowed to each for their services, during the half-year ending on the 30th of June, 1864.

Names of Territories.	Names of Agents and Assistants.	Residences.	Dates of Appointment.	Salary per ann.	Salary paid during the six months.	Remarks.
				\$ cts.	\$ cts.	
Upper Ottawa	A. J. Russell, Agent and Inspector of Crown Timber Agencies, Canada.....	Ottawa City	June, 1846	1840 00	920 00	Salary to 23rd June, 1864, \$1,100. Died May, 1864. Office of Collector now consolidated with that of Crown Timber Agent. Employed as Temporary Clerk previous to 23rd June, 1864, at \$1.50 per diem. Appointed permanently at that date at \$700 per annum. Employed temporarily previous to 23rd June, 1864, at \$2.00 per diem. Appointed permanently at that date at \$600 per annum.
	C. S. McNutt, Assistant.....	do	15th April, 1858	1200 00	552 19	
	E. Smith, as Collector of Slide Dues (do as Assistant in Crown Timber Office	do	23rd May, 1860	1000 00	500 00	
	J. Ritchie, Clerk.....	do	23rd June, 1861	400 00	200 00	
					276 34	
	D. Russell, Draughtsman.....	do	23rd June, 1861		302 00	
	E. T. Smith, employed from time to time.....	do	23rd June, 1864		9 00	At \$1.50 per diem when employed.
	Richard Quinn, Messenger.....	do	1st April, 1858	160 00	80 00	
Lower Ottawa.....	Charles E. Belle, Agent.....	Montreal	6th May, 1854	1200 00	600 00	
	J. C. Coursolles, Clerk	do	1st May, 1858	500 00	250 00	
Ontario and Huron, Superior and Peninsula of Canada West	Joseph F. Way, Agent.....	Belleville	6th May, 1854	1440 00	720 00	
	J. A. Macinnes, Clerk.....	do	26th February, 1859	600 00	300 00	
	E. W. Stayner, in charge of the Office at Windsor.....	Windsor		500 00	250 00	
Huron, Superior and Peninsula of Canada West reorganized	John R. Nash, Agent	Toronto.....	23rd June, 1864	1000 00	8 34	
St. Maurice.....	A. Dubord, Agent.....	Three Rivers	26th May, 1859	1200 00	600 00	
	William Lamb, Clerk.....	do	2nd September, 1861	400 00	200 00	

St. Francis.....	Gerrard J. Nagle, Agent.....	St. Hyacinthe.....	30th May, 1854.....	1200 00	600 00	
Saguenay	Geo. Duberger, do	Chicoutimi.....	30th May, 1854.....	1200 00	600 00	
Chaudière and Madawaska	Charles Dawson, do	Fraserville, Rivière du Loup	15th September, 1857	1000 00	500 00	
Lower St. Lawrence.....	Charles T. Dubé, do	Trois-Pistoles	15th March, 1855	700 00	350 00	
Baie des Chaleurs , ,	Jos. N. Vergé, do	Carleton, Bonaventure..	29th March, 1855	600 00	300 00	
Collector at Quebec	McLean Stewart, Collector.....	Quebec	27th September, 1845	1800 00	900 00	
	J. M. O'Leary, Assistant.....	do	1st May, 1853.....	950 00	332 28	Paid to 6th May, and dismissed 17th May, 1864.
	William O'Kane, do	do	1st June, 1861.....	950 00	194 31	Salary as Clerk, \$500, to 17th May, '64.
	John Mackay, Clerk	do	27th May, 1864.....	500 00	48 52	

The duties of the Crown Timber Agents are to grant licenses to cut timber, collect the Crown dues, protect the public domain from trespass, as regards the Woods and Forests within their respective Agencies, and general administration of Timber Regulations, etc.

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner.

P. M. PARTRIDGE,
Superintendent of Woods and Forests.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS, Woods and Forests,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 5.
LIST of AGENTS, &c., Jesuits' Estates, Crown Domain, Seignior of Lauzon, and Gold Mines Canada East, for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

Name of Agent.	Nature of Agency.	Appointment.	Remuneration received during ½ year	Remarks.
Félix Fortier.....	Collecting and Commuting Agent, Seigniors of Lauzon, and Superintendent of Beach and Deep Water Lots, Lower Canada, save those under direction and management of, and belonging to, Harbor Commissioners of Quebec and Montreal.	Appointed Collecting Agent for Lauzon, and Beach and Deep Water Lot Superintendent for Port of Quebec, Sept. 1855; duties as latter extended to L. Canada, 12th June, 1860.	\$ cts. 700 00	This is for Salary as Collecting Agent for Lauzon, and Beach and Deep Water Lot Superintendent. \$150 per annum is also allowed for Office Rent. As Commuting Agent he is to receive \$6 for each commutation; but there were none in the half-year to 30th June, 1864.
Joseph Laurin.....	Agent of Crown Domain, and Commuting Agent, <i>Censier</i> of Quebec.	Appointed September, 1855.	364 71	The whole of this amount (\$250 being Salary, and the balance, \$114.71, Commission) received as Crown Domain Agent. As Commuting Agent he is paid by applicants \$6 in each case; there were none in the half-year '64.
Valère Guillet.....	Communing Agent, <i>Censier</i> of Three Rivers.	Appointed June, 1854.		Is paid by applicants \$6 on each Commutation; none in half-year of 1864.
Jean Baptiste Vatin.....	Collecting and Commuting Agent, Jesuits' Estates, District of Montreal.	Appointed by late Commissioner, Jesuits' Estates.	823 62	This amount received for Commission as Collecting Agent; received also \$24 allowance for Office for half-year. No remuneration received in half-year as Commuting Agent.
Honorable Louis Panet.....	Collecting and Commuting Agent, Jesuits' Estates, District of Quebec.	Appointed do do	675 63	Paid to him as Commission on Collections. Difference between this amount and \$450, limit of Commission for half-year, to be refunded. No Commutations in half-year 1864.
Valère Guillet & Flavien Lottinville.....	Collecting and Commuting Agent, Cap de la Magdeleine, and Jesuits' Estates, City of Three Rivers.	Appointed June, 1855.	105 65	Received for Commission as Collecting Agent. No Commutations in half-year to 30th June, 1864.
Louis Guillet, junr.....	Collecting and Commuting Agent, Seignior of Batiscan.	Appointed June, 1848.	124 53	do \$15 over-charged during 1863, refunded in the early part of this half-year. No Commutations in half-year to date.
Charles Lefebvre de Bellefeuille.....	Gold Mining Inspector, Chaudière Division.	Appointed 22nd April, 1864.	350 00	Pay at the rate of \$5 per diem, to include all travelling and office expenses.
James Kompt Gilman.....	do St. Francis Division.	Appointed 29th April, '64, in lieu of Daniel W. Mack, appointed 22nd April, '64, and resigned.	315 00	do do

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Jesuits' Estates and Crown Domain Branch,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

F. T. JUDAH,
Clerk, Jesuits' Estates, &c.

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner.

APPENDIX No. 6.

STATEMENT of the number of Acres sold, amount of Sales, and amounts Collected in Upper and Lower Canada, for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

	Acres Sold.	Amount of Sales.	Amount of Collections.
		\$ cts.	\$ cts.
Clergy Lands, Upper Canada.....	22,265½	37,123 35	163,934 56
do Lower Canada.....	18,584	9,711 05	13,459 63
Crown Lands, Upper Canada.....	79,135½	81,113 94	126,155 93
do Lower Canada.....	232,459	101,715 15	60,004 18
Common School Lands.....	29,405	49,094 75	98,216 54
Grammar School Lands.....	924½	1,610 50	5,516 88
	553,783½	280,238 74	407,287 72

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DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

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APPENDIX No. 7.

STATEMENT of the Receipts by the Department of Crown Lands, for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864, which are considered as Revenue.

	\$ cts.
Crown Lands, Upper Canada.....	125,520 11
do Lower Canada.....	59,915 77
Mines, Upper Canada.....	4,480 00
Gain on Compensation Land Scrip.....	4 50
Gain on New Bolton and Magog Scrip.....	3,703 89
Estate of late Sir John Caldwell.....	8,141 35
Seigniori of Lauzon.....	4,502 68
Crown Domain.....	1,957 45
Surveyors' Fee Fund, Upper Canada.....	75 56
do Lower Canada.....	40 00
Ottawa Slides.....	2,166 88
St. Maurice Slides.....	15 64
Woods and Forests.....	19,688 62
Fisheries, Upper Canada.....	118 66
Location Fees, Lower Canada.....	9 00
do Upper Canada.....	66 00
P. tent Fees, Lower Canada.....	284 00
Timber Commission.....	80 98
Casual Fees, Lower Canada.....	3 00
do Upper Canada.....	613 97
Huron Land Claims.....	300 00
	\$231,683 97

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DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 8.

STATEMENT of Disbursements of Crown Lands Department, for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864, on account of Expenses of Management.

	\$	cts.
William Farwell.....	300	00
Bobcaygeon Road	56	00
Elgin and Tacté Road.....	728	00
Matapedia Road.....	728	00
Hastings Road.....	208	00
Muskoka Road.....	88	00
Addington Road.....	96	00
Ottawa and Opeongo Road	128	00
Board of Examiners, Land Surveyors, Lower Canada.....	116	50
do do Upper Canada	180	00
Crown Inspections, Lower Canada.....	385	00
do Upper Canada.....	833	70
Commission Agents, Lower Canada.....	2869	53
do Upper Canada.....	7083	18
Crown Advertising, Lower Canada.....	1002	59
do Upper Canada	2994	82
Crown Surveys, Lower Canada	17325	57
do Upper Canada.....	12782	56
Postage of Agencies, Lower Canada	89	00
do Upper Canada	206	58
Fisheries, Lower Canada	1642	30
Special Services.....	1246	30
Departmental Contingencies.....	2396	41
Fishery Bounties	9769	50
Colonization Roads, Upper Canada	3798	82
Gold Mines, Lower Canada	655	00
	\$67712	36
DEDUCT—Commission, School and Clergy Services	44192	19
	\$23520	17

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DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 9.

STATEMENT—Department of Crown Lands—Collections for the half-year ending
30th June, 1864.

	\$	cts.
Crown Lands, Upper Canada	126155	93
do Lower Canada	60004	18
Clergy Lands, Upper Canada	103934	56
do Lower Canada	13459	63
Grammar School Lands	5516	88
Common School Lands	98216	51
Crown Domain	3567	07
Seignior of Lauzon	5110	12
Jesuits' Estates	20873	56
Gold Mines, Lower Canada	10	00
Sir John Caldwell, Estate of	8186	68
Indian Lands	32805	92
Indian Timber	330	95
Ordnance Lands	14471	03
Surveyors' Fee Fund, Upper Canada	75	56
do do Lower Canada	40	00
Ottawa Slides	2833	88
St. Maurice Slides	15	64
Woods and Forests	35354	76
Fisheries, Upper Canada	482	62
do Lower Canada	4157	05
Location Fees, Lower Canada	12	00
do Upper Canada	66	00
Patent Fees, Lower Canada	284	00
Timber Commission	80	98
Casual Fees, Lower Canada	3	00
do Upper Canada	622	22
Huron Land Claims	300	00
Mines, Upper Canada	4480	00
Gain on Scrip	3708	20
	\$545159	03

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DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 10.

RETURN of Receipts and Disbursements on account of Clergy Reserves, Upper Canada, for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

LANDS SOLD.			RECEIPTS.						PAYMENTS.						
Half-year ending 30th June.	Aeres.	Amount.	Principal, 18 Vic., c. 2.	Interest, 18 Vic., c. 2.	Inspection, 18 Vic., c. 2.	Rents on Lots not Leased.	Clergy Timber Duties.	Clergy Licenses, Settlers' Lands.	Principal, 18 Vic., c. 2.	Interest, 18 Vic., c. 2.	Inspection, 18 Vic., c. 2.	Rents on Lots not Leased.	Clergy Timber Duties.	Clergy Licenses, Settlers' Lands.	Disbursements.
1864.	22265½	\$ cts. 37123 35	\$ cts. 73457 38	\$ cts. 30000 31	\$ cts. 50 00	\$ cts. 245 30	\$ cts. 103 51	\$ cts. 78 00	\$ cts. 53147 03	\$ cts. 24000 28	\$ cts. 40 00	\$ cts. 193 24	\$ cts. 12 20	\$ cts. 44 40	\$ cts. 21494 41

RECAPITULATION.

RECEIPTS.	Amount.	PAYMENTS.	Amount.
Principal, 18 Vic., cap. 2.....	\$ cts. 73457 38	Principal, 18 Vic., cap. 2.....	\$ cts. 53147 03
Interest, do do	30000 31	Interest, do do	24000 28
Inspection, do do	50 00	Inspection, do do	40 00
Rents on Lots not Leased.....	245 30	Rents on Lots not Leased.....	193 24
Clergy Timber Duties.....	103 51	Clergy Timber Duties.....	12 20
Clergy Licenses, Settlers' Lands.....	78 00	Clergy Licenses, Settlers' Lands.....	44 40
		Disbursements.....	21494 41
	103934 56		103934 56

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DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 11.

RETURN of Receipts and Disbursements on account of Clergy Reserves, Lower Canada, for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

LANDS SOLD.			RECEIPTS.						PAYMENTS.						
Half-year ending 30th June,	Acres.	Amount.	Principal. 18 Vic., c. 2.	Interest. 18 Vic., c.	Rent. 18 Vic., c. 2.	Inspection. 18 Vic., c. 2.	Clergy Licenses Settlers' Lands.	Instalments. Lower Canada.	Principal. 18 Vic., c. 2.	Interest. 18 Vic., c. 2.	Rent. 18 Vic., c. 2.	Inspection. 18 Vic., c. 2.	Clergy Licenses Settlers' Lands.	Clergy Instalments. Lower Canada.	Disbursements.
1864.	18584	\$ cts. 9711 05	\$ cts. 11523 17	\$ cts. 1755 35	\$ cts. 8 00	\$ cts. 15 00	\$ cts. 4 60	\$ cts. 154 11	\$ cts. 9169 93	\$ cts. 1404 28	\$ cts. 6 40	\$ cts. 12 00	\$ cts. 3 20	\$ cts. 123 29	\$ cts. 2740 53

RECAPITULATION.

RECEIPTS.		Amount.	PAYMENTS.		Amount.
		\$ cts.			\$ cts.
Principal, 18 Vic., cap. 2.		11523 17	Principal, 18 Vic., cap. 2.		9169 93
Interest, do do		1755 35	Interest, do do		1404 28
Rent, do do		8 00	Rent, do do		6 40
Inspection, do do		15 00	Inspection, do do		12 00
Licenses, Settlers' Lands		4 60	Licenses, Settlers' Lands		3 20
Instalments, Lower Canada.		154 11	Instalments, Lower Canada.		123 29
			Disbursements.		2740 53
		13459 63			13459 63

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Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 12.

RETURN of the Number of Acres sold, and the amount received on Sales of Common School Lands, under 12 Vic., cap. 200, for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

LANDS SOLD.			RECEIPTS.						PAYMENTS.									
Date.	Acres.	Price per Acre.	Principal (12 Victoria, cap. 200).	Interest (12 Victoria, cap. 200).	Inspection.	Extra 25 cts. per Acre.	Licenses, Settlers' Lands.	Principal.	Interest.	Inspection.	Extra 25 cts. per Acre.	Licenses, Settlers' Lands.	Commission, Principal.	Commission, Interest.	Commission, Inspection.	Commission, extra 25 cts. per Acre.	Commission, Licenses, Settlers' Lands.	Disbursements.
Half-year ending 30th June, 1864.....	29405	\$ cts. 2 00	\$ cts. 69163 68	\$ cts. 28919 71	\$ cts. 12 50	\$ cts. 12 65	\$ cts. 108 00	\$ cts. 54555 51	\$ cts. 23135 77	\$ cts. 10 00	\$ cts. 10 12	\$ cts. 43 40	\$ cts. 13832 73	\$ cts. 5783 94	\$ cts. 2 50	\$ cts. 2 53	\$ cts. 21 60	\$ cts. 818 44

RECAPITULATION.

RECEIPTS.		PAYMENTS.	
	Amount.		Amount.
Principal	\$69163 68	Principal, amount transferred to Government	\$54555 51
Interest.....	28919 71	Interest, do do	23135 77
Inspection	12 50	Inspection, do do	10 00
Extra 25 cts. per Acre.....	12 65	Extra 25 cts. per Acre, do do	10 12
Licenses, Settlers' Lands	108 00	Licenses, Settlers' Lands, do do	43 40
		Amount paid Commission, Principal	13832 73
		do do Interest	5783 94
		do do Inspection.....	2 50
		do do Extra 25 cts. per Acre	2 53
		do do Settlers' Licenses.....	21 60
		Disbursements.....	818 44
	\$98216 54		\$98216 54

WILLIAM FORD,
Accountant and Cashier.
DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner.

APPENDIX No. 13.

RETURN of the number of Acres Sold and the Amount received on Sales of Grammar School Lands, for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

Half-year ending 30th June, 1864.		RECEIPTS.					PAYMENTS.									
Acres.	Price per Acre.	Rent.	Interest.	Principal.	Timber Dues.	Licenses Settlers' Lands.	Rent.	Interest.	Principal.	Timber Dues.	Licenses Settlers' Lands.	Commis- sion, Rent.	Commis- sion, Interest.	Commis- sion, Prin- cipal.	Commis- sion, Tim- ber Dues.	Commis- sion, Set- tlers' Li- censes.
924½	\$ cts. 2 00	\$ cts. 8 40	\$ cts. 1553 44	\$ cts. 3828 07	\$ cts. 118 97	\$ cts. 8 00	\$ cts. 6 72	\$ cts. 1242 75	\$ cts. 3062 45	\$ cts. 95 18	\$ cts. 6 40	\$ cts. 1 68	\$ cts. 310 69	\$ cts. 765 62	\$ cts. 23 79	\$ cts. 1 60

RECAPITULATION.

RECEIPTS.		Amount.	PAYMENTS.		Amount.
	\$ cts.			\$ cts.	
Rent.....	8 40		Rent.....	6 72	
Interest.....	1553 44		Interest.....	1242 75	
Principal.....	3828 07		Principal.....	3062 45	
Timber Dues.....	118 97		Timber Dues.....	95 18	
Licenses, Settlers' Lands.....	8 00		Licenses, Settlers' Lands.....	6 40	
			Commission, Rent.....	1 68	
			do Interest.....	310 69	
			do Principal.....	765 62	
			do Timber Dues.....	23 79	
			do Settlers' Licenses.....	1 60	
		\$5516 88			\$5516 88

WILLIAM FORD,
Accountant and Cashier.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner.

APPENDIX No. 14.

STATEMENT shewing RECEIPTS and EXPENSES in the JESUITS' ESTATES, for the six months ending 30th June, 1864.

LOCALITY.	GROSS RECEIPTS.										EXPENSES.	NET REVENUE.
	<i>Lods et Ventes.</i>	<i>Cens et Rentes.</i>	<i>Capitals of Cens et Rentes.</i>	<i>Commutation Money.</i>	<i>Rentes Foncières, etc.</i>	<i>Moneys received on Reconnaissances.</i>	<i>Mills and Farms, and cost of Deeds and Survey re-imbursed.</i>	<i>Timber Dues and Ground Rent.</i>	<i>Total Receipts from each locality.</i>	<i>Total Gross Receipts.</i>		
	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
Sillery.....	25 00	142 10	53 49	3,212 00	822 26	4,254 85	20,873 56	1,936 74	18,936 82
St. Gabriel.....	42 00	596 34	.....	33 25	.....	189 19	.....	.....	860 78
Notre Dame des Anges.....	.....	65 71	.....	144 07	890 14	290 89	180 00	.....	1,570 81
Belair.....	3 12	205 81	.....	.....	.....	57 52	.....	.....	266 45
Estates in Quebec.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	784 64	95 04	1,169 99	.....	2,049 67
Estates in Lauzon.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Batiscan.....	102 29	685 38	32 72	18 53	.....	130 50	639 78	.....	1,609 20	
Cap de la Magdeleine.....	.....	727 62	.....	.....	.....	145 51	521 38	.....	1,394 51
Laprairie.....	3 12	2,066 82	.....	25 03	.....	5,510 46	1,261 86	.....	8,867 29
	175 53	4,489 78	32 72	274 37	4,886 78	7,241 37	3,773 01	20,873 56			

\$11,929.02 are on account of the "Lower Canada Superior Education Investment Fund," and \$8,944.54 on account of the "Lower Canada Superior Education Income Fund," in accordance to the Act 19 Vic: ch: 54, (Con: Stat: of Lower Canada. ch: 15).

Part of the expenses is for copies of Deeds, which is received back by the Crown.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Jesuits' Estates and Crown Domain Branch,
Quebec. 30th June. 1864.

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner.

APPENDIX No. 15 (a).

STATEMENT of Receipts and Expenses in the Seigniori of Lauzon, for the six months ending 30th June, 1864.

GROSS RECEIPTS.							EXPENSES.	NET REVENUE.
<i>Lods et Ventés.</i>	<i>Cens et Rentes.</i>	<i>Capitals of Cens et Rentes.</i>	<i>Sales of Mills and Lots and of Emplacements in Aubigny.</i>	<i>Commutation Money, Interest on Sales, Rents of Mills, Wharves, &c.</i>	<i>Timber, Survey, and cost of Deeds reimbursed.</i>	<i>Total.</i>		
\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
249 46	1,317 52	380 20	1,745 50	1,407 38	10 06	5,110 12	607 44	4,502 68

The Expenses consist of proportion of salary of Agent, who is also Superintendent of Beech and Deep-Water Lots, Lower Canada, and disbursements of same.

In the Disbursements is comprised a sum of \$189.01 expended for purchase, at Sheriff's Sale, of a lot of land on which the Crown had a claim.

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Jesuits' Estates and Crown Domain Branch,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

F. T. JUDAH,
Clerk, Crown Domain, &c.

APPENDIX No. 15 (b).

STATEMENT shewing amounts received and expended on account of the Estate of the late Sir John Caldwell, for the six months ended 30th June, 1864.

DATE.	DETAILS OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES.	GROSS AMOUNT RECEIVED.	EXPENSES.	NET AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO GOVERNMENT.
1864.		\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
February 13	Paid by Prothonotary, Queen's Bench, Quebec, Collocation of Her Majesty in re: Regina and Fortier <i>ex. qua</i>	\$,186 65		
" 17	Paid to Casault, Langlois & Angers, balance of law costs in above.....		46 30	
				8,141 35

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Jesuits' Estates and Crown Domain Branch,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

F. T. JUDAH,
Clerk, Crown Domain, &c.

APPENDIX No. 16 (a).

STATEMENT of Receipts and Expenses in the Crown Domain, for the six months ending 30th June, 1864.

GROSS RECEIPTS.														EXPENSES.	NET REVENUE.
LOCALITY.	Lods et Ventes.	Cens et Rentes.	Capital of Commutation Money.	Interest on Commutation.	Law Costs, Copies of Deeds and Survey reimbursed.	Quint.	St. Maurice Township Lands.	Installments on Beach and Deep Water Lots.	Interest on Sales of Beach and Deep Water Lots.	Capitals of Rents of Beach and Deep Water Lots.	Rents of Beach and Deep Water Lots.	Patent Fees.	Total.		
	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
Censive of Quebec...	1010 65	31 93		485 69	19 15								1547 42	} 464 60	1084 15
Censive of Three Rivers		1 33											1 33		
District of Three Rivers							83 75						83 75		83 75
Port of Montreal.....								460 00				60 00	520 00	} 887 50	1547 07
Port of Quebec.....								935 27	204 21		100 34	174 75	1414 57		
													3567 07	852 10	2714 97

Of the Receipts, \$757.52, received in 1861, were paid over to the Quebec Harbor Commissioners. (See Report.)
The Expenses include a sum for cost of deeds, which will hereafter be collected in judicial cases.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Jesuits' Estates and Crown Domain Branch,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner.

F. L' JUDAH,
Clerk, Crown Domain, &c.

APPENDIX No. 16 (b).

STATEMENT shewing amounts received and expended on account of Gold Mines,
Canada East, for the six months ended 30th June, 1864.

DIVISIONS.	RECEIPTS.	EXPENSES.
	License Fees under Regulations of 22nd April, 1864.	—
	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
Chaudière.....	10 00	350 00
St. Francis.....	.....	315 00

The Expenses consist of Inspectors' salaries only.

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Jesuits' Estates and Crown Domain Branch,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

F. T. JUDAH,
Clerk, Crown Domain, &c.

APPENDIX No. 17.

STATEMENT of Receipts and Expenditure on account of Ordnance Lands, for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

1864.	<i>Receipts.</i>	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
June 30.....	Amount of Collections for half-year ending 30th June, 1864		14434 43
	<i>Expenditure.</i>		
Mar. 31.....	Disbursements for quarter ending 31st December, 1863.....	1585 96	
	Selling Lands at Prescott, &c.....	118 27	
	Printing and Advertising	59 75	
June 30	Advertising Ordnance Lands.....	151 55	
	Disbursements for quarter ending 31st March, 1864	1569 25	
	do do 30th June, do	1564 29	
	Commission, Postage, &c.	4 45	
	J. S. Dennis Survey, Navy Island	171 17	
	Survey at Amherstburgh.....£54 95		
	Less—Amount repaid..... 36 60		
		18 35	
		\$5243 24	
	Refunds, &c., during same period	997 70	
			6240 49
			\$8193 49

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner.

WILLIAM FORD,
Accountant and Cashier.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 18.

LOWER CANADA.—RETURN OF SURVEYS, from the 1st January to 30th June, 1864.

No.	SURVEYOR.	SURVEYS.	Cost of Survey.	No. of acres Surveyed.	Outlines. Miles.	Colonization Roads. Miles.	COUNTY.	REMARKS.
1	Urgel Dorval	Townships of Brassard and Provost.....	\$ 1933 63	24000	.....	.....	Joliette.....	Situate on the River Matawan.
2	Godf. Lavolette.....	Township of Wolfe, part of, 6 ranges	723 63	9071	.....	.....	Argenteuil	Arable part.
3	François Tétu.....	do Leverier, and part of Talon.....	2578 42	70202	.....	.....	L'Islet.....	Situate on the Province line.
4	C. F. Fournier.....	do Ashford, part of.....	617 34	9660	4	.....	do	Rear part, adjoining Elgin Road.
5	J. P. Fournier.....	do Buckland, Range A	342 11	3156	.....	.....	Bellechasse	Residue, adjoining Standon.
6	P. A. Tremblay.....	do Parant, part of.....	1513 65	30118	.....	.....	Chicoutimi	Situate on River Ashuapmouchouan.
7	E. A. Duberger.	do Belisle, Island of Alma.....	496 35	9927	.....	.....	do	Between Grande and Petite Décharge, Saguenay.
8	Andrew Ross.....	Re-survey of the lots on the River La Famine, and re-posting part of the 4th, 5th and 6th Ranges of Watford.....	9205 13	156134	4	.....	.....	.....
9	James McArthur.....	Verification of two Ranges in Denholm.....	489 51	46354	.....	.....	Dorchester.....	.....
10	John Bignell	do the N. E. outline of Shenley.....	757 51	6208	.....	.....	Ottawa	Fronting on the River Gatineau.
11	do	Survey of the N. E. outline of Shenley.....	419 80	.....	.....	.....	Beauce.....	.....
12	E. Casgrain	Escourt, part of the outlines, road line, and sealing River Blue.....	97 20	.....	.....	.....	do	One half paid by the Seigneur. [explorations.
13	F. W. Blaiklock.....	Line bet'n Seignior of Perthuis and C. Lands	1283 90	.....	19½	16½	Temiscouata	27 miles sealing and about 20 miles of
14	F. A. Tétu	Cubano road line	417 47	.....	.....	.....	Portneuf.....	Balance, viz., one-half, p'd by Seigniors.
15	J. C. Demeulles.....	Charlevoix, or Des Marais road line.....	926 72	.....	.....	38½	Temiscouata	From Grand Détour, Lake Temiscouata, to the River St. Francis.
16	Duncan Sinclair.....	Inspection of timber limits in several Tps. in the Counties of Ottawa and Pontiac.....	825 25	.....	.....	37	Chicoutimi	And 3¼ miles of lake survey.
			\$16039 85	208696	23½	92		

156,134 acres subdivided into farm lots, at 5¼ cents per acre.

The foregoing quantities and amounts exhibit the Surveys completed and paid up to date, apart from the Surveys in progress, on most of which advances have been made.

JOSEPH BOUCHETTE,
Deputy Surveyor General.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS, Surveying Branch, East,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner.

APPENDIX No. 19 (a).
UPPER CANADA.—Statement of Municipal Surveys for which Instructions have issued during the half-year ending
 30th June, 1864.

No.	Surveyor.	No. and Date of Instructions.	SURVEY.	Remarks.
1...	Jas. McIntosh.....	202 31st March.....	Part of the 2nd Concession Line of West Flamboro', lying opposite Lots 15, 16, 17 and 18, in 1st Concession.....	Confirmed 16th May, 1864.
2...	John Shier.....	203 5th April.....	Line in front of Lot No. 5 in the 7th Concession of Pickering.....	
3...	John Shier.....	204 do.....	Line in front of Lot No. 17 in the 3rd Concession of Uxbridge.....	
4...	S. W. Hallen.....	205 27th May.....	8th Concession Line of East Gwillimbury, from Lot 16 to Northern Limits.....	
5...	John Shier.....	206 15th June.....	Lot No. 1 in 2nd Concession, and Lots Nos. 7 and 8 in 9th Concession of E. Whitby.....	

THOMAS DEVINE,
Head of Surveys, U. C.
 DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
 Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner.

APPENDIX No. 19 (b).
UPPER CANADA.—Statement of Municipal Surveys confirmed during the half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

No.	Surveyor.	No. and Date of Instructions.	SURVEY.	When Confirmed.
1...	R. C. P. Brown.....	No. 132 23rd May, 1860..	7th Concession Line of Haldimand.....	21st January, 1864.
2...	T. C. Prosser.....	162 19th Dec., 1861..	Base Line between the Townships of Albion and Gore of Toronto.....	4th February, do
3...	Wm. Rath.....	183 29th Jany., 1863..	Thames Road Line between Lot 38 and River Thames, in Fullarton.....	7th January, do
4...	E. C. Caddy.....	197 17th Aug., 1863..	2nd Concession Line of Haldimand.....	18th March, do
5...	John Shier.....	200 24th Sept., 1863..	Line in front of Lots 15 and 16 in 3rd Concession of Uxbridge.....	7th March, do
6...	C. G. Hanning.....	201 18th Nov., 1863..	Part of 7th Concession Burlington, in front of Lots 6-10 and 24-27 inclusive.....	12th January, do
7...	John Shier.....	204 5th April, 1864..	Line in front of Lot 17 in 3rd Concession of Uxbridge.....	16th May, do

THOMAS DEVINE,
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 DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
 Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner.

UPPER CANADA.—Statement of Surveys Completed and Audited, for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

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NOTE.—As this is the total amount of the accounts for Surveys completed and audited for the half-year on which advances were previously made, it does not correspond with the Accountants' Return of Monies paid for Surveys, which includes advances on Surveys in progress, amounting to \$6,948.75, which, with the sums paid on the foregoing Surveys since 31st December last, amounting to \$5,833.81, makes the total amount paid for Surveys for the half-year \$12,782.56.

RECAPITULATION.

171,805 Acres subdivided into farm lots of 100 each	(a) 6 78 cents per acre.
1,383 " Islands " " "	(a) 33½ cents "
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173,188 Acres.	

THOMAS DEVINE,
Head of Surveys, U. C.
DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner.

APPENDIX No. 20 (a).

WOODS AND FORESTS.

STATEMENT of Revenue collected during half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

	\$	cts.	\$	cts.
Amount of Upper Ottawa Territory Collections, by A. J. Russell.....	9126	01		
do do do per McLean Stewart.....	1724	13		
			10850	14
Amount of Ontario Territory Collections, by Joseph F. Way.....	16992	12		
do do do per McLean Stewart.....	360	66		
			11352	78
Amount of Lower Ottawa Territory Collections, by Charles E. Belle.....	1002	42		
do do do per McLean Stewart.....	734	05		
			1736	47
Amount of St. Maurice Territory Collections, by A. Dubord.....	551	82		
do do do per McLean Stewart.....	88	72		
			640	54
Amount of Huron and Superior and Peninsula of Canada West Collections, by J. R. Nash.....	4687	19		
do do do per McLean Stewart.....	1274	17		
			5961	36
Amount of St. Francis Territory Collections, by G. J. Nagle.....	3898	39		
do do do per McLean Stewart.....	4	61		
			3898	00
Amount of Saguenay Territory Collections, by George Duberger.....			320	20
do Chaudière and Madawaska Territory Collections, by Charles Dawson.....			239	84
do Lower St. Lawrence do by Charles T. Dubé.....			6	02
do Baie des Chaleurs do by Joseph N. Verge.....			349	91
Total Ground Rent and Timber dues.....			33354	76
Amount from Ottawa Slides.....	2833	88		
do St. Maurice Slides.....	15	64		
			2849	52
Total.....			38204	28

NOTE.—In addition to the above, the sum of \$434.31 was collected for other services, viz.: Clergy, School and Indian; and \$8183.71, value of Settlers' Timber, applicable (less deduction for charges) in payment of Land. Total collected for the half-year, \$46822.39.

ANDREW RUSSELL,

Assistant Commissioner.

P. M. PARTRIDGE,

Superintendent of Woods and Forests.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS, Woods and Forests,

Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 20 (b).

WOODS AND FORESTS.

Dr. STATEMENT of Account of the Supervisor of Cullers, Quebec, for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864. *Cr.*

1864.		\$	cts.	\$	cts.	1864.		\$	cts.	\$	cts.
Jan. 2...	To Balance at date.			41	00	June 30..	By amount deposited in Bank of Montreal.				
June 30..	To Gross Receipts for Measuring, Culling,						during half-year ending at				
	&c., during the half-year to date.....	17780	54				date, to the credit of Depart-				
	LESS—Outstanding of half-year's transac-						ment of Crown Lands.....			15134	77
	tions.....	5731	91				" paid Cullers.....			11103	92
				12048	63		" paid Salaries of Clerks.....			4716	58
	To amount received from previous transac-						" paid for Contingencies.....			1126	71
	tions.....			534	76		" paid Deputy Supervisor, Mont-				
	" for Cullers' Licenses.....			10	00		real, to meet expenses of Office.....			2631	00
	" for Duplicate Specifications.....			0	75		By Balance.....			215	16
	" received from Deputy at Mont-										
	real.....			2199	63						
	" received from Department of										
	Crown Lands.....			19793	37						
				\$34928	14					\$34928	14
June 30..	To Balance.....			\$215	16						

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner.

P. M. PARTRIDGE,
Superintendent of Woods and Forests.
DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS, Woods and Forests,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 20 (c).

WOODS AND FORESTS.—STATEMENT of Lumber Measured, Culled and Counted at the Port of Quebec, through the Office of the Supervisor of Cullers, during the six months ending 30th June, 1864.

Pieces.	Description of Lumber.	Measured, Culled or Counted.	Tons, Standards, &c.	Rate.	Office Fees.	Cullers' Fees.	Total Amount.
2027.....	White Pine, Wany	Measured off.	4322 12	cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
3.....	Elm, do	do ..	3 22				
119.....	Birch, do	do ..	59 22				
8.....	Walnut, do	do ..	15 38				
			4431 14	@ 7	110 79	199 41	310 20
70897.....	White Pine	do ..	113984 07				
161.....	Basswood	do ..	215 37				
45.....	Butternut	do ..	54 26				
			114254 30	@ 4 7-12	1606 22	3570 40	5236 68
16509.....	Red Pine	do ..	16938 21				
12558.....	Oak	do ..	18735 25				
16536.....	Elm	do ..	15584 16				
2387.....	Ash	do ..	2710 36				
991.....	Birch	do ..	563 11				
12524.....	Tamarac	do ..	8869 08				
30.....	Maple	do ..	40 03				
4.....	Beech	do ..	4 09				
911.....	Hickory	do ..	1051 21				
10.....	Cherry	do ..	11 05				
4.....	Spruce.....	do ..	3 13				
2.....	Poplar.....	do ..	1 11				
2.....	White Wood	do ..	3 03				
1.....	Hemlock	do ..	0 36				
			64517 18	@ 6½	1344 11	2688 23	4032 34
10233.....	Birch.....	Culled	4958 08	@ 11½	123 96	464 83	588 79
12.....	Masts, White Pine	Measured, &c	12 @ 19 inches	@ 43½	1 20	4 00	5 20
110.....	do do	do ..	19 " 24 do	@ 65	16 50	55 00	71 50
			Carried over.....		\$ 3262 78	6921 93	10244 71

APPENDIX No. 20 (c).—Continued.

WOODS AND FORESTS.—STATEMENT of Lumber Measured, Culled and Counted at the Port of Quebec, through the Office of the Supervisor of Cullers, during the six months ending 30th June, 1864.

Pieces.	Description of Lumber.	Measured, Culled or Counted.	Tons, Standards, &c.	Rate.	Office Fees.	Cullers' Fees.	Total Amount.
				\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
			<i>Brought forward</i>		3262 78	6981 93	10244 71
148.....	Masts, White Pine.....	Measured, &c.	24 inches and upwards	@ 76½	22 20	91 27	113 47
1287.....	Spars, Red Pine.....	do	12 @ 19 inches	@ 43½	128 70	429 00	557 70
34.....	do do	do	19 " 24 do	@ 65	5 10	17 00	22 10
52.....	do Spruce	do	12 " 19 do	@ 43½	5 20	17 33	22 53
1.....	do do	do	19 " 24 do	@ 65	0 15	0 50	0 65
148740.....	Deals, Pine	Culled	167802 48	@ 56½	111 87	829 01	950 88
278432.....	do Spruce	do	272395 04	@ 56½	181 60	1361 98	1543 58
262387.....	do Pine	Counted	318769 15	@ 11½	159 38	212 52	371 90
82079.....	do Spruce	do	80464 17	@ 11½	40 23	53 65	93 88
18360.....	Plank, Pine	Culled	per 100 pieces	@ 40	9 18	64 26	73 44
23506.....	do Spruce	do	do	@ 40	11 76	82 27	94 03
28745.....	do do	Counted	do	@ 33½	14 38	81 45	95 83
418076.....	Staves, Standard	Culled	M. 425 4c. 2qrs. 8 pieces	@ 2 90	170 19	1063 64	1233 83
1409309.....	do West India	do	M. 1174 4c. 0qr. 29 do	@ 1 26½	176 16	1311 44	1487 60
1151.....	do Barrel	do	M. 0 9c. 2qrs. 11 do	@ 90	0 10	0 77	0 87
2616½.....	Lathwood, Cords	Culled, &c.	per cord	@ 33½	130 83	741 34	872 17
	ADD—For fractions				0 40	0 97	1 37
					\$4430 21	13350 33	17780 54

Total amount accrued during the half-year..... \$17780 54
Amount out-standing last year, \$3146 87, of which has been collected, up to 30th June, \$534 76, and cancelled, \$304 87..... 839 63

\$18620 17
Less—Amount outstanding of half-year..... 5731 91
\$12888 26

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DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS, Woods and Forests,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 20 (d).

WOODS AND FORESTS.—STATEMENT shewing Gross Earnings of Cutters, with Amounts paid and Balances due them for work performed in their respective Departments, for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

Department.	Cutter's Name, &c.	Amount.	Total.
		\$ cts.	\$ cts.
Masts, Bowsprits, Spars, Oars, and Handspikes and Square Timber. {	Frs. Dalaire.....	524 47	
	Alexis Dorval.....	316 12	
	Philip Dorval.....	159 14	
	Of which remains unpaid.....	999 73 362 77	636 96
Square Timber.....	Wm. Bee.....	174 35	
	F. X. Béland.....	222 10	
	Jean Bornais.....	123 11	
	Jas. Burns.....	266 25	
	Joseph Bergeron.....	114 36	
	Michael Cass.....	168 96	
	John Clark.....	361 01	
	Louis Doiron.....	183 29	
	Denis Duggan.....	104 35	
	Wm. Duggan.....	118 06	
	George Donaghue.....	64 90	
	J. B. A. Dorval.....	174 03	
	Geo. Dorval.....	133 68	
	W. J. French.....	23 53	
	Ant. Frederick.....	169 77	
	Olivier Gauvreau.....	299 53	
	Peter Gilgan.....	226 84	
	Thos. Gilchan.....	217 26	
	John Galna.....	112 82	
	P. Jenuest.....	192 23	
	Luo Jobin.....	258 04	
	John Jordan.....	341 36	
	Michael Kelly.....	172 90	
	Jas. Lynch.....	121 93	
	Joseph Larose.....	154 54	
	A. H. Lockquell.....	178 66	
	Stephen Lambert.....	319 35	
	Salem Lecompte.....	129 19	
	George Miller.....	167 50	
	Carried over.....	5,293 90	636 96

APPENDIX No. 20 (d).—Continued.

WOODS AND FORESTS.—STATEMENT shewing the Gross Earnings of Cullers, with Amounts paid and Balances due them for work performed in their respective Departments, for the half-year ended 30th June, 1864.

Department.	Culler's Name, &c.	Amount.	Total.
	<i>Brought forward</i>	\$ cts. 5,293 90	\$ cts. 636 96
Square Timber.....	John Miller.....	72 11	
	Alfred Miller.....	128 84	
	P. McNeil.....	138 85	
	D. McKendry.....	62 58	
	J. O'Sullivan.....	114 00	
	George Philbert.....	151 17	
	J. B. Vachon.....	126 08	
	Edeuand Verrault.....	203 90	
	N. Valin.....	132 68	
	J. S. Waterson.....	113 67	
	Of which remains unpaid.....	6,537 78 1,367 78	5,170 00
Deals, Planks, Boards and Lathwood	James Byrne.....	204 47	
	Chas. Couture.....	160 31	
	J. B. Charlton.....	87 81	
	Thos. Clark.....	448 53	
	Peter Golley.....	122 22	
	A. F. Hamel.....	278 83	
	Michel Hamel.....	292 45	
	Benjamin Lockquell.....	182 45	
	M. Murphy.....	107 63	
	Patrick Malone.....	298 13	
	Thos. Malone.....	53 98	
	Jeffy Malone.....	95 18	
	Jas. Myler.....	344 48	
	Wm. McKitchoon.....	11 99	
	Michael Power.....	292 44	
	F. X. Thompson.....	5 27	
	Thos. Wilson.....	450 67	
	Of which remains unpaid.....	3,436 84 40 65	3,396 19

Staves.....	J. Bédard.....	97 55	
	N. Beaupré.....	226 86	
	John Curtin.....	51 37	
	Joseph Frederick.....	262 65	
	M. Gibbons.....	295 81	
	C. Giroux.....	160 54	
	Joseph Langlois.....	162 09	
	Louis Myrand.....	163 59	
	Jno. Murphy.....	290 62	
	Miles O'Brien.....	259 30	
	Martin O'Brien.....	14 90	
	J. B. Philbert.....	235 94	
	Jac. Villeneuve.....	154 76	
	Of which remains unpaid	2,375 98	1,900 77
And—Balances due.....		475 21	11,103 92
Total.....			2,246 41
			\$13,350 33

N.B.—The amount paid to Cutlers, as per detailed Statement, is the gross amount of their respective earnings, out of which they have to pay, agreeably to the 27th Section of the Act, their attendants and assistants, and all other charges inseparable from the execution of their duties.

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DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS, Woods and Forests,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 20 (c).

WOODS AND FORESTS.—STATEMENT shewing the Staff of the Office of the Supervisor of Cullers, Quebec, the designation of Office, term of employment, the rate of Salary, and the Amount paid to each, for the half-year ended 30th June, 1864; shewing, also, the Extra Clerks employed, and the sums paid to them, during the same period.

Names.	Designation of Office.	Term of Employment.	Salary.	Amount paid for half-year.	Total.	
			\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	
Wm. Quinn	Supervisor of Cullers	Annual	2000 00	1000 00		
Matthew Harbeson.....	Deputy do	do	1440 00	720 00		
Alexander Fraser.....	Book-keeper	do	1200 00	600 00		
T. J. Walsh	Cashier	do	800 00	416 62		\$16 62c. for difference in pay as Acting Cashier in 1863, four months, from 1st Sept. to 31st Dec.
John Y. Cooke.....	Specification Clerk	From 1st May to 20th November	725 00	223 06		
John O'Kane.....	do	do to 31st December	800 00	200 00		
James Prendergast ..	do	do to 15th November	600 00	184 62		
Pierre Miller	do	do to 31st December	775 00	193 74		
Francis Quinn.....	do	From 1st Jan. to do	779 16	366 66		\$229 16c. from 1st Jany. to 30th April, \$550 from 1st May to 31st Dec.
Wolfred Launière.....	do	From 1st May to do	500 00	125 00		
Lorenzo Hearne	do	do to 30th November	400 00	114 28		
Edward Duggan.....	do	do to do	400 00	125 00		
J. E. Belland.	do	do to 1st November	400 00	133 32		
Eugène Blondeau.....	do	do to 1st December	400 00	114 28		
Patrick Jordan.....	Office-keeper	Annual	400 00	200 00		
					4716 58	
<i>Extra Clerks.</i>						
O'Connor & Co.....				40 94		
Ferguson & Co.....				37 72		
Fortin & Co.....				27 55		
Stacy & Co.....				21 86		

Jeffery & Co.....			21 76	
Powell & Co.....			21 73	
E. J. O'Connor			14 59	
E. Larue.....	Employed as required from	time to time.....	10 33	
Hammond & Co.....			5 61	
James Arnold			8 68	
Lorenzo Hearne			38 10	
Pierre Miller.....			18 00	
Henry Edwards			3 10	
Fahey & Co.....			3 04	
McCarty & Co.....			2 02	
				275 03
				\$4991 61

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DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS, Woods and Forests,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 20 (f).

WOODS AND FORESTS.—An Abstract of the Number of Pieces and Cubic Feet of each description of Timber Measured and Culled under the superintendence of the Supervisor of Cullers, at the Port of Quebec, during the six months from 1st January to 30th June, 1864, inclusive, with the section of the Province where the same was produced.

SECTION OF PROVINCE.	Wany White Pine		Square White Pine		Red Pine.		Oak.		Elm.		Ash.		Basswood.		Butter-nut.	
	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.
1. Quebec and Montreal.....			4847	282116	29	1105			3	152						
2. St. Lawrence, from Montreal to head of Lake Ontario.....	1772	150848	7253	742231	4112	232236	1753	80687	5311	205195	49	2704	3	164	3	140
3. Grand River and Lake Erie.....	207	10396	1786	172382	681	38435	9343	635106	3864	182616	28	1849			1	82
4. Ottawa River, and tributaries below Ottawa City...	1	67	19567	1066279	48	2035	271	8037	3273	103594	740	33402	16	995	34	1572
5. Gatineau.....			1661	97360	18	753					3	153				
6. Rideau.....			47	2909					474	16045	18	1012				
7. Ottawa River, and tributaries above Ottawa City...	47	2581	35694	2194111	11618	402977	1184	25336	2425	73768	1456	63369	142	7478	7	392
8. United States.....			39	1976			8	259	1186	42128	90	3838				
Totals.....	2027	172892	70897	4559367	16509	677541	12555	749425	16539	623528	2387	108436	161	8637	45	2186

An Abstract of the Number of Pieces, &c.—Continued.

SECTION OF PROVINCE.	Tamarac.		Birch.		Maple.		Beech.		Hemlock.		Spruce.		Walnut.		Hickory.		Cherry.		Whitewood.		Poplar.	
	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.
1. Quebec and Montreal.....	3618	93753	11213	219488	1	6																
2. St. Lawrence, from Montreal to head of Lake Ontario.....	729	25989	4	128											447	18390			1	51		
3. Grand River and Lake Erie.....	62	1887											8	638	463	23637	2	123	9	394		
4. Ottawa River, and tributaries below Ottawa City...	4738	135399	90	3706	19	866	3	120	1	36	2	29			1	34					2	51
5. Gatineau.....	2	69																				
6. Rideau.....	19	799																				
7. Ottawa River, and tributaries above Ottawa City...	2379	71769	23	703	7	419					2	104										
8. United States.....	977	27112	43	414	3	312	1	49														
Totals.....	12524	334768	11343	224141	30	1603	4	169	1	86	4	133	8	638	911	42061	2	123	10	445	2	51

OTTAWA RIVER and its tributaries above Ottawa City, subdivided.

SECTION OF PROVINCE,	Wany White Pine.		Square White Pine.		Red Pine.		Oak.		Elm.		Ash.		Bassw'd.		Butter- nut.		Tamarac.		Birch.		Maple.		Spruce.	
	Pieces.	Feet.	Pieces.	Feet.	Pieces.	Feet.	Pieces.	Feet.	Pieces.	Feet.	Pieces.	Feet.	Pieces.	Feet.	Pieces.	Feet.	Pieces.	Feet.	Pieces.	Feet.	Pieces.	Feet.	Pieces.	Feet.
Carp and Quio Rivers.....			1935	136698	11	590	323	7489	130	3969	41	2006	17	795			298	8964						
Duchêne and Chats Lakes.....			2792	140805	14	500	184	3446	700	21254	664	30009	28	1299			911	28912	23	705	1	60	1	63
Mississippi River.....			3188	134883	15	404	566	11629	433	10882	406	18562	15	702	1	26	336	9325					1	41
Madawaska.....			1130	87843	132	3328																		
Bonnechère.....			1511	90553	232	9215	1	47			2	80												
Calumet Island and Fort Cou- longe River and Lake.....			2946	172991	754	18282	36	1054	1	28	1	31					87	2842						
Black River.....			2471	116735	6	183	41	910	1159	37593	341	14655	82	4682	6	366	626	18732			6	359		
Westmeath, Les Allumettes Island and Lake Culbute.....			1158	82974	1	67																		
Indian, Muskrat and Snake Rivers.....																								
Petewawa River.....	37	2033	4428	314885	3021	123057	24	561	1	17	1	26					88	2163						
Chalk River.....			1349	97678	2629	86624			1	25														
Deep River, Deux Joachims Rapids and upwards.....	10	548	12786	818069	4800	166747	8	200									33	831						
Totals.....	47	2581	35694	2194114	11618	402977	1183	25336	2425	73768	1456	65369	142	7478	7	392	2379	71769	23	705	7	419	2	104

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DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS, Woods and Forests,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 20 (g).

WOODS AND FORESTS.—An abstract of the number of Pieces of all Lumber (Square Timber excepted) Measured, Culled and Counted off, under the Superintendence of the Supervisor of Cullers, during the six months ending 30th June, 1864, with the Section of Province wherefrom.

Number.	SECTION OF PROVINCE.	Masts and Bowsprits. — Pieces.	Spars. — Pieces.	Oars.		Handspikes. — Pieces.	Lathwood. — Cords.
				Culled.	Counted.		
1	Quebec to Montreal.....		53				2616½
2	St. Lawrence, from Montreal upwards.....	70	152				
3	Ottawa and its Tributaries.....	200	1169				
4	United States.....						
	Total	270	1374				2616½

SECTION OF PROVINCE.	Pine Deals and Pine Plank.				Spruce Deals and Spruce Plank.				Pine and Spruce Deals.	
	Pine Deals.		Pine Plank.		Spruce Deals.		Spruce Plank.		Counted off only.	
	Pieces.	Standard.	Culled.	Counted.	Pieces.	Standard.	Culled.	Counted.	Pieces.	Standard.
1 District below Quebec.....	5612	6113 50½	1008		36564	36787 09½	13			
2 Quebec District.....	31759	33800 53½	4829							
3 Quebec to Montreal.....	106012	121422 01½	11687		187398	183838 01½	10168	28745	124749	132643 30½
4 St. Lawrence, from Montreal upwards.....										
5 Ottawa and its Tributaries.....	5357	6465 54½	836		54480	52769 49½	13325		219717	266590 02½
Total.....	148740	167802 48½	18360		278432	272395 04½	23606	28745	344466	399233 32½

APPENDIX No. 20 (g).—Continued.

SECTION OF PROVINCE.	Standard Staves.					West India Staves.				Barrel Staves.			
	Pieces.	M.	C.	qrs.	pcs.	M	C	qrs.	pcs.	M.	C.	qrs.	pcs.
1... Quebec to Montreal.....													
2... Montreal to Kingston.....													
3... Kingston to Head of Lake Ontario.....	5458	5	1	1	23	131	7	1	2				
4... Grand River, Lake Erie, St. Clair	412618	420	3		15	1042	6	3	27		9	2	11
5... Huron, including River Thames.....													
Total.....	418076	425	4	2	8	1174	4		29		9	2	11

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APPENDIX No. 20 (h).

WOODS AND FORESTS.—STATEMENT of Timber Measured, Culled and Counted at Montreal, Lachine and Sorel, through the Office of the Deputy Supervisor of Cullers, Montreal, during the half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

Description of Timber, &c.	Pieccs.	Tons.	Feet.	Rate.	Amount.
White Pine.....	29498	35595	32	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
Basswood	86	96	34		
Butternut	3	1	36		
	29587	35691	22	0 4 $\frac{7}{12}$	1636 00
Ash	999	950	61		
Beech	16	14	05		
Birch	158	124	03		
Elm	1134	843	23		
Hemlock	537	675	31		
Balsam of Gilead.....	4	4	17		
Maple.....	82	65	30		
Oak	408	314	14		
Red Pine.....	24	23	06		
Spruce.....	31	35	31		
Tamarac.....	3406	2254	03		
Mixed Timber.....	563	230	24		
	7162	5540	33	0 6 $\frac{1}{2}$	346 38
Flatted and Round Timber.....	27146	678839ft.		{ @ 0 80 per M. feet. }	543 09
West India Staves	30009	M. C. qr. pes. 25 0 0 09		@ 1 26 $\frac{1}{2}$	31 68
Fractions					1 32
Less—Outstanding.....					2558 47 58 84
					\$2409 63

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APPENDIX No. 20 (i).

WOODS AND FORESTS.—STATEMENT of Timber Measured and Culled at the Ports of Montreal, Lachine and Sorel, through the Office of the Deputy Supervisor of Cullers, during the half-year ending 30th June, 1864; and Section of Province where produced.

SECTION OF PROVINCE.	White Pine.		Ash.		Basswood.		Beech.		Birch.		Butternut		Cedars.		Elm.		Hemlock.		Balsam of Gilead.	
TERRITORY.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.
1 Lower Ottawa.....	33105	1473549	852	33086	71	3364	15	541	153	5265	.....	.....	6436	225684	992	33454	540	27105	4	177
2 Upper Ottawa.....	3336	154432	376	11861	26	874	1	24	29	529	3	76	.....	.....	731	20245	5	159	.....	...
3 Belleville Agency.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals.....	36441	1627981	1228	44947	97	4238	16	565	182	5794	3	76	6436	225684	1723	53699	545	27264	4	177

SECTION OF PROVINCE.	Maple.		Oak.		Red Pine.		Spars.		Spruce.		Tamarac.		Mixed Timber.		Saw Logs.		Staves (West India).	
TERRITORY.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	Feet.	Pieces	M.
1 Lower Ottawa.....	35	1526	153	4567	297	7185	43	1852	35	1602	4106	131434	363	9224	10045	120540	.....	.....
2 Upper Ottawa.....	47	1104	588	16974	14	614	30	1428	.....	.....	1554	39779	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3 Belleville Agency.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30009	250009
Totals.....	82	2630	741	21541	221	7799	73	3280	35	1602	5660	171213	363	9224	10045	120540	30009	250009

Measured at Sorel and included in the above Statement..... 20129 pieces of Square and Flatted Timber.....941,995 feet.

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DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS, Woods and Forests,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 20 (j).

WOODS AND FORESTS:

STATEMENT of Account of Deputy Supervisor of Cullers, Montreal, for half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

Dr.		\$	cts.	Cr.		\$	cts.
1864.				1864.			
June 30..	To gross receipts for measuring, &c., during half-year to date.....	\$2558	47	June 30..	By amount remitted to Supervisor during half-year to date...	2499	63
	LESS—Amount outstanding.....	58	84		By amount paid Cullers	1747	66
			2499 63		By amount paid Clerks.....	220	25
	To amount received from the Supervisor of Cullers, Quebec, to meet expenses of office, &c.	2631	00		By salary for half-year.....	150	00
	Total	\$5130	63		By amount paid for disbursements.....	59	45
					By Balance	453	64
					Total	\$5130	63
June 30..	To Balance	\$453	64				

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DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS, Woods and Forests,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 21 (a).

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS.

STATEMENT of Letters Registered in the half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

WESTERN BRANCHES.						EASTERN BRANCHES.					PROVINCE AT LARGE.							ORDERS IN COUNCIL.						
Correspondence— Mr. Tarbutt.	Late Surveyor General's— Mr. Hector.	Surveyor's—Mr. Devine.	Upper Canada Roads— Mr. Bridgland.	Accountant's—Mr. Ford.	Total.	Correspondence—Messrs. Collins & Gagnéux.	Crown Domain & Jesuits' Estates—Mr. Judah.	Surveyor's—Mr. Bouchette.	Accountant's—Mr. Ford.	Total.	Woods and Forests— Mr. Partridge.	Fisheries—Mr. Whiteher.	Ordnance Lands— Mr. Bridgland.	Indian Affairs— Mr. Spragge.	Commissioners on Miscel- laneous Matters.	Transferred to other De- partments.	Total.	Grand Total.	Names Indexed.	Enclosures.	East.	West.	Miscellaneous.	Total.
2168	1169	366	175	1614	5492	923	466	235	517	2141	1076	494	280	113	28	15	2006	9639	12640	19000	11	15	6	32

Letters received during the half-year, to June 30, 1864.....	9639	Letters received through Provincial Secretary, for the half-year to June 30, 1861.....	134
To corresponding period in 1863.....	8161	Letters received through Postmaster General, for the half-year to June 30, 1861, not called for.....	14
Increase in 1864.....	1178		

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Assistant Commissioner.

JOHN MORPHY,
Registrar.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 21 (b).

STATEMENT OF OFFICE WORK for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

No. of Plans compiled and copied.....	6
do Instructions for Surveyors prepared.....	
do Plans, Field-notes, Diarie, Reports, Accounts and Pay-Lists of Surveyors of Public Lands and Roads audited and examined.....	4
do Plans and Field-notes, Reports of Private Surveys examined, and areas calculated...	1
do Plans, Field-notes and Reports of Municipal Surveys examined.....	
do Descriptions for the erection of Parishes, Townships and Villages in Lower Canada prepared.....	
do Statements for the Legislature and Blue-Book prepared.....	
do References for Letters Patent prepared, and Fiats entered.....	23
do Descriptions for Letters Patent prepared.....	6
do Letters Patent engrossed, examined, and entered in the several books of record.....	21
do Letters written.....	64
do Fishing Bounty Claims examined and paid.....	
do Adjudications.....	3
do Folio pages of Reports, Land Rolls, Letters and Assignments entered.....	175
do Folio pages of Field-notes, Reports, Letters, etc., copied.....	15
do Location Tickets issued.....	
do Assignments examined and registered.....	10
do Circulars issued.....	50
do Specifications of Lots in Towns and Townships for sale, prepared.....	
do Accounts examined and paid by Check or Certificate.....	7
do Accounts Current prepared.....	2
do Agents' Returns examined and entered.....	10
do Returns of Lands sold for Registrars and Secretary-Treasurers.....	
do Folio pages of these Returns.....	7
do Reports.....	3
do Miscellaneous Statements.....	25
do Pages of Translations.....	2
do Special Sales and Cases disposed of after investigation of claims on the spot.....	3
do Cases of Land Arrears examined, decided and certified.....	
do Entries of Letters Patent in Doomsday, Register, Issue Book and Plans.....	101
do Appropriations of Money received by Letter, etc.....	9
do Entries posted in Sales Books.....	75
do Monthly Statements of Lands paid in full for Woods and Forests' Branch.....	
do Free Grants and Indian Fiats entered and indexed.....	1
do Towns and Townships entered in Doomsday and Register.....	
do Requisitions for Stationery, etc.....	2
do Heir and Devisee Commission Certificates issued.....	
do Certificates, value of Settlers' Timber.....	5
do Timber Adjudications.....	
do Pay-Lists and Time-Sheets of Road Works examined and audited.....	3
do Fishery Licenses issued and entered.....	
do Fishery Leases issued and entered.....	

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DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 22.

STATEMENT of Receipts and Expenditure on account of Fisheries, Upper and Lower Canada, for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

UPPER CANADA.

	\$	cts.	cts.
Amount of Receipts for the half-year.....			482 62 *
<i>Expenditure.</i>			
John McCuaig, Disbursements for half-year ending 31st December, 1863.....	177	50	
do Salary, 1st January to 11th February, 1864.....	138	46	
E. R. Jones, Overseer, on account of salary and expenses for 1864.....	50	00	
W. H. Shipman, Salary and expenses for 1864	45	00	
			410 96

LOWER CANADA.

	\$	cts.	\$	cts.
Amount of Receipts for the half-year.....				4157 05
<i>Expenditure.</i>				
R. Nettle, Salary from 1st January to 11th February, 1864.....	138	46		
P. Fortin, Salary for half-year to 30th June.....	600	00		
do Disbursements on account of schooner "La Canadienne".....	3479	91		
W. F. Whiteher, Special services in 1861 and 1862.....	655	00		
Overseers, Salaries on account.....	365	00		
do Disbursements on account....	560	98		
		925 98		5709 35

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner.

WILLIAM FORD,
Accountant and Cashier.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Quebec, 30th June, 1864.

APPENDIX No. 23.
STATEMENT of Payments made as Fishing Bounties for the year 1863,
under Order in Council dated 18th February, 1864.

Claimants.	Vessels.	Amounts.	Dates of Payment.
		\$ cts.	
R. Delaney.....	Two Brothers	168 00	24th February, 1864.
John Ross	Britannia	268 00	do do
William Baker	Lord Douglas	232 00	do do
O. Richard.....	Dolphin	208 00	do do
D. Terrieau	Temperance	164 00	do do
Abel Arseneau.....	Mary Ann.....	160 00	do do
L. Jonphe	Archangel.....	200 00	do do
H. Boudreault	Sarah	92 00	do do
Gilbert Cormier	Lydia	192 00	do do
P. Turbide.....	Jenny Lind	156 00	do do
William Terrieau	Annie.....	180 00	do do
S. Sire.....	Breeze.....	112 00	do do
Z. Arseneau.....	Adelina.....	184 00	do do
H. Richard	Zélie.....	144 00	do do
D. Richard.....	Onésime	180 00	do do
V. Cormier.....	Zélie	120 00	do do
F. & M. Lespérance.....	Eugénie.....	184 00	do do
do	Mary	140 00	do do
John Davis	Rambler	178 50	do do
John Howell.....	Undaunted	176 00	do do
Henry Suddard.....	Violet	120 00	do do
John Asch	Highland Jane	224 00	do do
Joseph Tripp.....	Admiration	138 00	do do
P. Sire	Alphonsine	92 00	do do
P. Doyle.....	Venelio	132 00	do do
James Muldoon	Lady	228 00	do do
Paul Côté	Marie-Joseph	84 00	do do
Eng. Hammond.....	Victoria	117 00	do do
Ed. Gaumont.....	Emédine.....	144 00	do do
V. Vigneault.....	Wide-Awake	168 00	do do
F. Arseneau	Mary.....	160 00	do do
D. Chiasson	Espérance.....	228 00	do do
X. Cormier	Amelia	168 00	do do
A. Vigneault.....	Eugénie	204 00	do do
George Miller	Ranger	164 00	do do
Elie Angers.....	Marie-Victoire	320 00	26th do
G. Cormier	Victoria	184 00	do do
J. Boudreault	Constantina	168 00	do do
J. F. Poitras	Theodora.....	196 00	27th do
P. Cummings.....	Ailsa	164 00	do do
Louis Boudreault	Flora.....	160 00	1st March, 1864
A. Deveau	Loup-Marin.....	152 00	do do
F. Kennedy	Temperance	224 00	11th do
Robert Pye	Flying-Fish	144 00	6th April do
Charles Stewart	John Stewart.....	228 00	do do
P. Mulrooney	Village Belle	160 00	do do
P. Mabe	Pilot.....	192 00	8th do
L. & Z. Gagnon.....	Pearl.....	216 00	27th do
G. Dionne	Marie-Louise.....	212 00	28th do
William Harbour	Breeze.....	135 00	do do
E. Bugeold	Emma.....	88 00	9th May do
X. Boily.....	Mathilde.....	128 00	11th do
A. Rivier	Renard	88 00	12th do
A. Cormier	Triton	105 00	11th June do
R. & B. Gagnon	Seven Brothers.....	112 00	28th do
Thomas Legros.....	Marie-Primrose.....	292 00	do do
Thomas Savage.....	do	292 00	Paid 16th Jan., '64, being claim for 1862.
		\$9769 50	

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS, Fisheries' Branch,
 Quebec, 20th June, 1864.

W. F. WHITCHER.

APPENDIX No. 24.

GOLD MINING REGULATIONS.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Crown Domain Branch,
 Quebec, 22nd April, 1864.

The following Gold Mining Regulations have been approved of by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL in Council, viz. :—

1. Gold Mining shall be held to mean any mode of obtaining or collecting Gold from the natural deposits or rocks of the country.
2. No person shall be allowed to work any Gold mine without a license.
3. The rights of the Crown in respect to Gold shall be transferred by temporary licenses.
4. No Royalty shall be exacted.
5. Gold mining licenses shall be issued to the proprietor of any land, such license to convey the right to work for the Gold on the lot; to be issued for lots of one hundred acres, or arpents, or less, as defined by the existing surveys, and to remain in force for three months, subject to renewal, by new application and license (except in cases of change in ownership of land), on the same terms and at the same rate; conditional on future orders of His Excellency the Governor General in Council, or Legislative enactments as respects Gold Mines.
6. Applicants for a tract in unsurveyed territory must furnish a plan of survey and description of the land required, by a Provincial Land Surveyor, such tract not to comprise more than four hundred acres, and to be of the dimensions or proportion of forty chains by one hundred chains, bounded by lines running due North and South, and East and West, or as near to these proportions as the configuration of the locality will admit. A separate license to be taken for each 100 acres.
7. The number of persons authorized to be employed in mining for Gold shall be not less than five *per* license, including all employed, either directly or indirectly, on the work; and the licenses shall be issued on the payment of one dollar for each person so employed, subject to a further payment of one dollar for each additional person employed.
8. Monthly returns under oath must be made to the Inspector of Mines for the Division, of the persons employed, the amount of Gold extracted *per* day, and any further information which His Excellency the Governor General in Council may direct.
9. Any increase in the number of persons to be employed under the license must be notified to the Inspector of Mines for the Division within ten days of such employment, accompanied by payment of the additional fee.
10. In cases where a lot borders on a stream, not included therein, the license will go to the middle thereof; where a stream crosses a lot, the same will be comprised in the license, subject in all cases to the public rights in navigable or floatable waters.
11. Parties holding licenses shall have the right of transfer, provided such transfer be notified in writing to the Inspector of Mines for the Division, and on payment of a fee of one dollar. Such transfer and payment shall be endorsed on the license.
12. Purchasers, or their assignees, of Crown Lands sold and only partially paid for will be required to pay up in full before obtaining a license, and applicants for license on vacant Crown Lands will be required to purchase and pay up in full before receiving a license.
13. Applications for license must be made in writing to the Inspector of Mines for the Division, detailing title, proof of which must be furnished to such Inspector.
14. Error or misrepresentation by applicant as to his right to, or ownership of, the land, or failure to comply with all or any the present Regulations or future orders of His Excellency the Governor General in Council, or Legislative enactments having reference to Gold Mines, to which the licensee will be subject, shall entail immediate forfeiture of the license.

These Regulations shall not apply to the Seignior of Rigaud-Vaudreuil.

It has also pleased His Excellency the Governor General to appoint the two following

gentlemen to be Gold Mining Inspectors for the Divisions, on the South Shore of the St. Lawrence, below mentioned, viz.:—CHARLES LEFEBURE DE BELLEFEUILLE, Esquire, for the Division to be called the *Chaudière Division*, to comprise the territory lying to the North-East of the line dividing the Counties of Nicolet, Arthabaska, Wolfe, and Compton, from the Counties of Lotbinière, Megantic and Beauce (save the Townships of Spaulding, Ditchfield, Clinton and Woburn, to be attached to the St. Francis Division, hereinafter mentioned), whose office will be at St. François de la Beauce;—and DANIEL W. MACK, Esquire, for the Division to be called the *St. Francis Division*, to comprise the territory lying to the South-West of the same line, with the four Townships above mentioned; whose office will be at Stanstead until further orders, to whom all mining applications (as *per* printed form in their possession, and which they will supply to intending applicants) are to be made.

The unsold Crown Lands in the following Townships are for the present hereby set apart for sale for Gold mining purposes, under the above Regulations, and will be disposed of to the first applicant, at two dollars *per* acre, payable cash in one sum, without settlement duties, viz.:—

CHAUDIERE DIVISION.

Jersey, Marlow, Risborough, Linière, Watford, Craibourne, Frampton, S.W. parts of Buckland and Standon and Augmentation and Metgermette, in the agency of Andrew Ross, Esquire—office at Frampton.

Ware and Langevin, in the agency of F. Rouleau, Esquire—office at Ste. Claire.

Dauquin and Mailloux, in the agency of S. V. Larée, Esquire—office at S. Charles, Rivière Boyer.

Belechasse, Roux and N. E. part of Buckland, in the agency of F. Lamontagne, Esquire—office at St. Gervais.

Thetford, Broughton, Leeds, Inverness, Ireland, Halifax, Somerset and Nelson, in the agency of John Hume, Esquire—office at Leeds.

Price, Colabine, Adstock, Tring, Lambton, Ferryth, Aylmer, Gayhurst and Shenley, in the agency of Louis Labrecque, Esquire—office at Lambton.

ST. FRANCIS DIVISION.

Winslow, Whitten, Hampden, Ditton, Woburn, Chesham, Marston, Clinton, Spaulding and Ditchfield, in the agency of William Farwell, Esquire—office at Robinson.

Stanstead, Barnston, Barford, Hereford and Gore, Auckland, Clifton, Compton, Hatley, Magog formerly Hatley, Oford, Ascott, Eaton, Newport, Westbury, Stoke, Brompton, Melbourne, Shipton, Cleveland, Windsor, Dudswell and Weedon, in the agency of John Felton, Esquire—office at Sherbrooke.

Potton, Sutton, Dunham, Stanbridge, Farnham, Granby, Shefford, Stukely, Ely, Roxton, Milton, Bolton, Brome and Magog formerly Bolton, in the agency of A. J. Kemp, Esquire—office at Waterloo.

Acton, Durham, Kingsey, Simpson, Wickham and part of Upton, in the agency of the Honorable William Sheppard—office at Wendover.

Wotton, Ham, South Ham, Wolfestown, Garthby and Stratford, in the agency of J. T. LeBel, Esquire—office at Wotton.

Warwick, Chester, Tingwick and Horton, in the agency of Antoine Gagnon, Esquire—office at St. Christophe d'Arthabaska.

Arthabaska, Bulstrode and Stanfold, for which there is at present no agent; and applications to purchase in these townships must be made to this Department.

Applications made for purchase of lots since the sale in certain of the above townships was stayed, to be taken according to priority of date, at the above price, provided the same be renewed to the respective Crown Land Agents, on or before the 20th day of May next; after said date, in cases of simultaneous applications, lots will be disposed of by the said Agents to the highest bidder over the upset price of two dollars *per* acre. Not more than 400 acres will be sold to any one person. All applications to be addressed to the Agents,

those for unsurveyed tracts to be accompanied with required plan of survey and description, connecting the land surveyed with some known point of a previous Government survey.

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner of Crown Lands.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Crown Domain Branch,
Quebec, 29th April, 1864.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL has been pleased to appoint JAMES KEMPT GILMAN, of Stanstead, Esquire, Gold Mining Inspector for the St. Francis Division, in the room and place of Daniel W. Mack, Esquire, resigned.

Mr. Gilman's office will, until further orders, be at Stanstead.

APPENDIX No. 25.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Quebec, 8th April, 1864.

The regulations of 1st inst. are to be submitted for re-consideration, and Mr. Judah will delay visit till further notice. SIR,—Preliminary to advertising the New Gold Mining Regulations, adopted by His Excellency the Governor General in Council on the 1st instant, it is desirable that you should, at once, again visit the Mining District and report to the Department the actual state of matters there now, and the preparations making for the coming season.

As the spring is now far advanced, and it is desirable to obtain your report at an early day, you will, for the present at least, visit only the Chaudière Section, information respecting that locality being that now most pressingly required.

It will be for you to ascertain and supply all information as to the work which has taken place since your last examination, with that, if any, now in progress or reported to be in contemplation; in fact, all details which you can, by a hasty visit, procure.

You will leave at once, and endeavor to be back at the Department by the end of next week.

I remain, &c., &c.,

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner of Crown Lands.

F. T. Judah, Esq.,
Clerk, Crown Domain, &c.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Quebec, 22d April, 1864.

SIR,—New Gold Mining Regulations having been adopted, by Order in Council of the 16th instant, in lieu of those embodied in the Order of the 1st, you will now proceed to make the visit and report required by the instructions contained in the departmental letter of the 8th instant, and which were stayed in consequence of the intention of making the alterations which have since taken place.

As a part of the duty to be performed by you, you will communicate the New Regulations to all interested parties whom you may meet in the localities you will visit.

I have the honor to be

Your obedient servant,

ANDREW RUSSELL,
Assistant Commissioner of Crown Lands.

F. T. Judah, Esq.,
Clerk, Crown Domain, &c.,
&c., &c., &c.,
Quebec.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,
Jesuits' Estates and Crown Domain Branch,
 Quebec, 30th April, 1864.

SIR,—As required by the instructions contained in the letters of this Department of the 8th and 22nd instant, I have the honor to report—

That on Saturday, the 23rd, I left for the Chaudière Gold Fields, but in consequence of the bad state of the roads between St. Henry and St. Isidore, could proceed no further than St. Marie (30 miles) on that day. On my way there I met one or two parties of miners, of some half dozen men each, from Kamouraska and Glengary, returning, on foot, from the mines, having, as they stated, arrived too soon and intending to come back later in the season.

I started from St. Marie early the next morning, intending, if possible, to reach the extreme end of my journey that day, and to call at the rivers falling into the Chaudière, and wherever I could learn that any operations were going on, upon my return. I again met several parties returning home; none of these expressed any positive dissatisfaction, some even stated that they had obtained sufficient indications to induce them to return hereafter. One party had been working on the Chaudière above the falls, and had found some fine gold; another had worked on the River Gilbert, in the Seignior of Rigaud-Vaudreuil, and had prospected on the Crown Lands in rear. Among the last was a returned Californian. The reason given by these people for coming back was, that there was still too much snow in the woods, in some places, and the waters too high for satisfactory exploring or mining operations. Passing by St. Joseph, I arrived at noon at St. François. I took occasion to call at Abraham Poulin's, one of the successful miners referred to in my report of last year, and learned that neither he nor his brother, nor Rodrigue, had as yet undertaken anything this year. I was told here that gold was found in the *Plantes* last fall about a league from its mouth. The operations carried on by Dr. Douglas in this river, in a previous year, referred to in my above-mentioned report, took place much lower down than this. I also learned that indications had presented themselves on two small streams (one called the "Bertrand") above the *Plantes*, and opposite St. François Church, on both of which further search will shortly be made. Early in the afternoon I passed Jersey Point, at the confluence of the Chaudière and Du Loup, and proceeded on to the River Metgermette, 77 miles from Quebec. Here I found a party engaged in exploring in the vicinity, but they complained that the owners of the land were asking exorbitant prices to allow them to work. These miners, one of whom was a practical man, who had worked in British Columbia, had specimens which they supposed to contain iron and silver. The Metgermette, a branch of the Du Loup, apparently the largest and finest of all the tributaries of the Chaudière, was explored many years ago by Mr. Cunningham, Geologist, and more recently by a gentleman from Quebec, Mr. Glover, both of whom, it appears, have found "color." The latter, I was told, has bonded most of the land at the mouth of the Metgermette, and owns a large tract on the opposite side, in the township of Jersey. I could not learn that there was any immediate prospect of his instituting active operations. The land of the St. Lawrence Mining Company, referred to by me last year, adjoins that of Mr. Glover, on the Metgermette, above. No Americans had yet come in by the way of the boundary, but numbers are expected.

Leaving the Metgermette the same evening, I returned to Jersey Point and passed the night there. It seems that here the frontage of some and the whole of a number of other lots were acquired from private parties by Dr. Reid and Mr. Desbarats, of Quebec, at the falls on the Chaudière, in the Seignior of Aubert-Gallion and the township of Jersey; these, with certain other lands in Watford on the *Famine*, have since passed into the hands of an American company, called the Chaudière Gold Mining Company, which has been formed with a capital of some \$500,000. It is intended to dam and sluice the river at the falls. Dr. Reid, who is a shareholder and acts as agent for this company, has been making preparations for the coming spring, by sending up stores and provisions, tools, &c., to Jersey, and some few men are now engaged blasting the rock. For the Jersey lots, prices amounting to about \$1,000 *per acre* front were given. Lands in Shenley, on the Chaudière, have also been bought by Dr. Reid; and another company, the Stafford Gold Mining

Company, has been formed. Mr. Rankin and others have bonded lands on the Du Loup Mr. Rankin's operations will be carried on by another company (the Kennebec Gold Mining Company). Capital \$500,000, in \$1 shares.

On Monday, the 25th, I left Jersey Point and arrived at the River Gilbert, in the Seigniori of Rigaud-Vaudreuil, at 9 in the morning. On my way I learned that indications of gold had been found in a small stream near the line dividing the parishes of St. George and St. François, and that a party had purchased a piece of land there and intended working. On the *Gilbert* I found that some slight operations had already commenced; three or four pits had been dug, but very little gold had yet been got out. The operations were going in the same desultory way as last year, and all on the half lot belonging to Rodrigue (the south half of 19 in De Léry concession), spoken of in my previous report. Rodrigue it appears, who at first asked \$800 for the whole of his lot, has since been laying it out into claims for which he gets as much as five cents *per* square foot. Rumor has it that he has already sold for over \$2,000. One lot of 100 feet square (10,000 superficial) was bought a few days ago for \$300, half cash, and the balance on credit. In the sales he makes he does not part with the soil, but only whatever mining rights he may have for five years, without guarantee. There does not appear to have been any order or rule in the laying out and disposal of these lots, but he has reserved the use of the water frontage for the general utility, so that those having claims in the rear may have whatever benefit can be derived from such reserve. On one of the claims, which was being worked while I was there, and upon which three men had been engaged since three days, small gold to the value of about a couple of dollars merely had been got out, but the miners had only reached the pay dirt that day. The pit was filled with water, which they bailed out with buckets, instead of making use of a pump which they had constructed. The water of the river, being now high, is advantageous for the erection of water-wheels, by which the water and earth could be hoisted by means of a windlass. The stream was then about 15 feet across, and the water filling the pits came from it and the melted snow which still saturates the earth. If proper and systematic means for bailing were adopted, the water would not impose any very formidable barrier to active operations; but, without these means, and for exploring, it presents difficulties which retard the less experienced. One or two shanties have been constructed on the river side, and a shop is building within a few acres in the lower concession. Several lots, both above and below Rodrigue's, have been sold to Mr. Rankin, and those disposed of by Viellieux and Grondin, last year, to Mr. Reid, have already, it is said, passed into other hands, at a profit to the vendor. About 100 miners altogether had been up the river this year. Some of these it was who had purchased land and built the shanties which I saw, having now left to procure tools, &c. The owners of the land intend to refuse to allow the De Léry patentees or their assignees to work on their lands. At the foot and head of the *route*, leading from the main road to the Gilbert, a number of new houses have been erected for shops. Some are even now open with supplies of provisions and tools, for the miners. The rents got for these places are remarkably reasonable. I left the Gilbert at noon and proceeded to the village. It appears that the lease for 15 years, made last year by the De Léry Seigniors of their mining rights, under the Patent of September, 1846, to Messrs. Hagans & Co., did not convey to the latter any right of transfer, and that an American company, represented by a Mr. Coman of New York, having conditionally acquired the Hagans' right, is in treaty with Mr. De Léry for his consent to a transfer, with a continuance by De Léry of the lease for another 15 years. It is reported that an arrangement has been concluded, though not yet fully carried out, by which the company pay Mr. De Léry \$124,000 for his consent and further rights; including his mining pretensions over certain lands he owns on the *Famine*, outside of the seigniori and not comprised in the above-mentioned patent.

I next proceeded to St. Joseph, where I arrived in the evening. Before reaching that place I called, on my way through the lower end of St. François, at Pierre Poulin's (one of the brothers Poulin), and was informed that gold had been found on the river called *Rivière du Moulin* near there; also that there were indications of copper in the vicinity.

The next morning—Tuesday, the 26th—I left St. Joseph, intending to return home by Frampton. Near the entrance to the parish of St. Marie, there is a mill stream upon which indications of gold have been discovered. I arrived at St. Marie about noon, and

proceeded on to Frampton, to the residence of Mr. Ross, the Crown Lands Agent. Mr. Ross was absent, but returned in the evening, and from him I learned that, besides the Watford lands before referred to in the hands of the Chaudière Gold Mining Company, a number of others had been disposed of on the Gilbert, in Cranbourne, to Dr. Reid and Mr. Desbarats, or persons in their interest and others, nominally for purposes of settlement, but virtually, I have no doubt, for mining. Mr. Ross informed me that the settlement duties were being performed on these lots, and that about \$5,000 had already been expended there; also, that since the sale had been stopped in the two townships of Cranbourne and Watford, about 5,000 acres had been applied for. Gold, in alluvial, is said to have been found in Cranbourne. Some of the quartz from the Jersey or Shenley, or Watford or Cranbourne lands, sold to Dr. Reid and party, was sent to Boston last winter to be tested, with what result I could not learn.

On Wednesday, the 26th, I left Frampton and arrived back at the office the following day—Thursday, the 27th—having been absent six days and travelled about 176 miles.

In Frampton and the vicinity, and on the road towards Quebec, the country abounds in quartz, and copper is said to have been discovered. I heard of several sales of land for high prices.

I communicated the new regulations to all interested parties that I met with, leaving also a copy at each of the hotels and public places on my way up and down. The owners of land, outside of the Seignior of Rigaud-Vaudreuil, expressed themselves satisfied with the regulations; but all the miners whom I saw and conversed with from other countries (and I met with many), disapprove of offering for sale the remaining undisposed of Crown Lands, preferring the Australian and British Columbian systems, by which the individual miners would be licensed and have the right to work everywhere on the unsold Crown Lands, subject to the staking out and recording of claims, the land not being sold except for settlement purposes. Some even spoke of calling a meeting to petition Government in the matter. Though I took pains to explain to them how they could obtain land and work under the present regulations, it may be questionable how far their views may not be correct, and I would respectfully call your attention and that of the Government to the advisability of re-considering the regulations in this particular; and if they are to be altered, early action would appear desirable, before too much land is purchased by private individuals, when the remedy may have passed out of the hands of Government. Another objection which has been urged against the present regulations, in so far as they apply to the unsold Crown Domain, is that a good deal of the land may fall into the hands of strangers, who will acquire it merely and solely for mining purposes, and afterwards abandon it to remain an obstacle to settlement. I do not think that there is much force in this objection; for the remedy for this would be found in the power which is conferred on the municipalities to sell for taxes. The main objection, if any, would certainly appear to be that the country may be overrun with miners, who may neither have the means nor the inclination to buy the lands, and finding large tracts in the hands of speculators and the remainder available only by purchase, will endeavor to work at all hazards, thereby causing trouble and possibly bloodshed. If the principle laid down by the regulations was continued to be applied to private lands now held, and the Australian system put in force for the unsold Crown Lands, such men would direct their attention exclusively to the latter, and leave the private lands to be worked by companies, or portioned out by the owners, as the case might be. If a new system is adopted for the Crown Domain, by which the miner will not have to buy the land, the license fees ought to be increased for such places, to indemnify the Government for the loss on sale of lands, and I have no doubt the Crown would suffer no pecuniary disadvantage by the change. It is worthy of remark that the circumstances of this country are different from those of nearly all other gold-bearing countries, most of the lands being already in private hands, and that the regulations as they are may, after all, be found suitable; but the danger is that if they prove objectionable in the way stated, after nearly all the Crown Lands have been sold, the matter will then be beyond the reach of remedy.

All the way from St. Marie to the Metgermette, signs of activity, in preparing for the coming season, are apparent. Hotels and shops have sprung up since last fall, and new houses have been built by some, while others are enlarging their premises, and more are preparing to build. Notwithstanding the preparations making, it is more than likely that

the accommodation will not be too extensive, if the rumor as to the immense number who will likely visit the region this season is at all well founded.

Great inconvenience will arise if the miners who may wish to purchase have to proceed to Frampton, St. François being nearer and easier of access; it is, therefore, worthy of consideration whether, if any trouble should result from this cause, in the event of the present regulations not being altered as respects unsold Crown Lands, it would not be better for the Crown Lands' Agent, Mr. Ross, to remove to St. François, at least for a time.

Another matter to which I would wish to refer is the postal accommodation. There is now a daily mail to St. François only, and a tri-weekly one above there to Jersey Point, and weekly beyond that, up the Kennebec Road to Marlow. All along the *route* the Post-offices are on the east side of the Chaudière and Du Loup, except at St. François, where the Office is on the opposite (the west) side of the river, while the Registry-Office and principal Hotels are on the east side, on which is the main road used for all parties going to and returning from the mines. In my opinion the mail should be made a daily one all the way up to the boundary line with the United States, and a Post-Office established at St. François, on the east bank of the river, leaving the westerly one as a main or branch-office, or abolishing it altogether, as may be found advisable by the post-office authorities. This should be done, at all events, for the summer months; otherwise great inconvenience will arise if the Inspector for the Chaudière Division, who must necessarily reside on the east side, has to cross and re-cross twice a day, for his letters and papers by the up and down mails. The same inconvenience will naturally result to the public in receiving or despatching letters from thence. A money-order branch ought also to be at once attached to the Post-Offices of, at least, one or two of the most important places, say St. François and Jersey Point.

As intimated to me by the returning miners, and confirmed by my own observation on the *Gilbert*, the season is not sufficiently advanced for anything like successful operations or explorations, *except to the experienced, who have been accustomed to such labor*, and it is to be deplored that so many have been obliged to return, as this only tends to create a want of confidence in the successful future of our gold fields, without giving them the benefit of a fair trial. The waters of the Chaudière are now remarkably low for the season, owing to the small quantity of snow and rain which has fallen during the preceding winter. Yet they are sufficiently high to cause trouble, and the ground is still wet. There is also a little snow in some places in the woods. The waters have not yet risen, nor will they until the warm weather has melted the remainder of the snow and the spring rains have fallen; then matters will become, for a time, worse than ever for the miners, and it is not likely that much can be done till the waters fall, which will probably be at the end of May or beginning of June. All will depend on the rains we are to have. It might be well that publicity should be given to this fact, to prevent disappointment to those, from our own country especially, who may wish to visit the locality, and could the more easily delay for a while.

About 300 or 400 have already been up to the mines, and part of these—probably nearly one half or a third—have come back, most of them, however, to return. Quite a number of those I met with came from the county of Glengary, but I saw some from other parts of the province and several Australian, Californian, British Columbian, and Nova Scotian miners, nearly all of whom expressed their intention of staying.

No active operations having yet been undertaken anywhere, it is as impossible as yet to predict the probable result of the gold excitement as it was last year; but one thing, I fear, will assist in retarding the early development of our gold fields, and that is the facility with which miners, who may not be at once successful, will be enabled to leave, situate as the region is in the midst of a well-settled country, with every facility for travel. In most all other gold countries fortune-seekers once there could not always so easily leave, and the result has been a most hearty and energetic search for the hidden treasure. Here the case may be different; for, with but a few shillings left in his pocket, the unsuccessful miner may reach home, or, at least, the settled parts, where he can obtain other employ or assistance. Yet it is to be hoped that this disadvantage may be, in some measure, counteracted by the good which will be derived from the presence here of practical miners, who have acquired

experience elsewhere, so many of whom are already in the field, and by the employment of capital by some, if not all, of the companies which have been formed, and which will supplement individual enterprise.

The information which I gleaned as to past works, present indications, and future intending operations was obtained from hearsay; but as I took much trouble to obtain confirmation everywhere I went, I have no doubt it will be found substantially correct.

Here follows the *route* and table of distances to the mines :—

		Miles.
By Land, <i>per</i> Kennebec Road.	By Ferry—From Quebec to Lévis (town)	1
	St. Henry (village)	10½
	St. Isidore "	9
	St. Marie "	10
	St. Joseph "	12
	Plantes (river)	5
	St. François (village)	6½
	Touffe des Pins (<i>Gilbert</i>) (river)	3½
	Famine "	4½
	St. George (village)	1½
	Jersey (post-office)	2½
	Metgermette (river)	11
	Portage "	5
	Marlow (post-office)	1
	Boundary Line	9

I have the honor to be

Your obedient servant,

F. T. JUDAH,

Clerk, Crown Domain, &c.

The Honorable

The Commissioner of Crown Lands,
&c., &c., &c.,
Quebec.

APPENDIX No. 26.

MINERAL LANDS.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS,

Quebec, 3rd March, 1864.

REGULATIONS for the sale of Mineral Lands, approved by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL in Council :

1. That the tracts shall comprise not more than four hundred acres.
2. That the dimensions of the tracts in unsurveyed territory be forty chains in front by one hundred chains in depth, and bounded by lines running due North and South, and East and West, or as near to these dimensions as the configuration of the locality will admit.
3. The applicant for a tract in unsurveyed territory must furnish a plan and description thereof by a Provincial Land Surveyor.
4. The price shall be one dollar an acre, payable on the sale.
5. That a tax or duty of one dollar per ton be charged on all ores extracted from the tract, payable on removal from the mine.

This condition applies to all Mining Lands sold since the 1st day of April, 1862, and is in lieu of the Royalty of two and a half per cent. chargeable on the ores from these lands.

6. That in surveyed townships, lots presenting indications of minerals be sold on the above conditions, but at not less than one dollar per acre in any township, and at the same price as the other lands in the township when it is more than one dollar per acre.

7. That not more than one tract of four hundred acres be sold to one person.

8. The above regulations do not apply to mines of Gold and Silver.

9. All previous regulations inconsistent with the above are cancelled.

WILLIAM McDOUGALL,
Commissioner.

~~Now~~ All locations of Mineral Lands on the North Shores of Lakes Huron and Superior, and on the adjacent islands, which, on the 15th March, 1861, were liable to forfeiture for non-performance of conditions of sale and location, and which have remained liable to forfeiture to the present time, are forfeited.

The locatees, and their assignees, provided the assignments were made before the date hereof, are allowed to apply the payments they may have made on any location, over and above the deposit, or first instalment, towards the purchase of the same, or any other location which shall be open for sale at the date of their application to have the same so applied; but such application shall be regarded as a new purchase, subject to existing regulations, and must be filed in the Department of Crown Lands on or before the *first day of November, A.D. 1864.*

APPENDIX No. 27.

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.

INDIAN DEPARTMENT,
Quebec, 14th January, 1865.

SIR,—I have the honor now to submit a brief report concerning the affairs of this Department, for the period (in order to harmonize with the altered Financial year), embraced between the 1st January, and 30th June, 1864.

The statistical information in tabular form, contained in the accompanying returns, has been compiled upon the same principle as was adopted in the preparation of those for the year 1863.

It will be observed, with some satisfaction by many, in addition to those who profess to take a deep interest in the Indian race, that the introduction of civilization among them, so far from threatening their gradual extinction as a people, is producing results of an opposite description. This is assignable to various causes, one of the most perceptible of which, is the increased comforts, tending to a more general exemption from sickness and disease, which are secured to them by their location upon farms, where, in substantial habitations, and with diet in sufficient quantity, and usually of good quality, they escape from the privations incident to their condition, when attempting to live mainly by the chase after the inroads of civilization had impaired the value of their hunting-grounds.

Another reason assignable for an increase, instead of diminution in their numbers, is the provision made for medical attendance upon them, and thus avoiding the sacrifice of life consequent upon contagious and other diseases, induced by the proximity of their abode to the white settlements.

It will be observed on reference to the tabular statement L, appended to this Report, that upon weighing the aggregate of decrease against that of increase, the latter greatly preponderates. I have no hesitation, however, in saying, that the apparent increase which this comparison exhibits, is to be relied on to a limited extent only. Among the tribes and bands, where the census returns have for some time past been annually or semi-annually, according as facilities for it exist, systematically filled up and sent in, there is, with

one or two exceptions, a marked improvement in numbers. And the doubt as to the reliability of the returns, relates to those bands where the difference between those recently obtained and those on previous occasions is so extraordinary, as to convey the impression that the former returns must have been very imperfect.

Another subject of very considerable interest is the education of the Indian people. To this subject the Department is continually giving its attention. One of the new schools brought into existence during the past year is that established for the benefit of the Micmacs, settled in the Township of Maria, to the southward of the Restigouche. The new school is under the supervision of Ralph Dimock, Esq., the superintendent of Public Schools in the adjacent settlements. Upon the Ristigouche, at Mission Point, is another school attended by the children of Micmac Indians, and likewise assisted from funds managed by this Department. It is believed to be very efficiently conducted, under the supervision of the Rev. Mr. Saucier.

In Western Canada, among the Indian schools lately established, is a second school among the Mississaguas of the New Credit Settlement, and another at Little Current on the Great Manitoulin Island conducted by Mr. Burkitt, and supported by one of the Church Societies, unaided by Indian funds. Upon the Grand River, the New England Society which has done so much in the cause of education among the Six Nation Indians, has extended its Institution, established in the vicinity of Brantford.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

The receipts from Land and Timber during the first six months of the year 1864, differ in no very considerable degree from the average of the former year. And there having been no augmented demand for lands, leads to the conclusion that the country has not yet entirely recovered from the effects of the extraordinary purchases made altogether in excess of the actual requirements for settlement, in the years especially of 1856-57 and '58. And the large amounts of overdue instalments, upon sales then made, come but slowly in, altho' circulars have been addressed to the defaulters. It may become imperative to cancel such sales with respect to which the unpaid instalments have been sometime overdue, as the non receipt of the capital, the realization of which in prospects induced the Indians to surrender their lands for sale, occasions them to complain that their interest money, divisible semi-annually, does not increase to the degree they were led to anticipate. The proportion of money arising from Timber, received during the first six months of the past year, was \$4699 87. Accordingly the payments upon land—when separately computed,—were not so considerable, taking into account the amounts actually due as might have been expected.

The expenditure under the ordinary heads, differs in no essential degree, from that for the year 1863.

In the statement of special payments, &c., included in Schedule C, the item of Surveys is unusually large, owing to the cost of Surveys carried on upon the Great Manitoulin Island. But as shewn in statement marked H, the surveyed Indian lands unsold, now amount to 549,362 acres, being as compared with the statement for 1863, similarly marked an increase of 118,253 acres. Another special payment is the 2nd moiety of \$625 towards the North Saugeen Peninsula Road.

The condition of the account between the Government and the Indian Department is indicated in statement. C. and F., shewing as taken from the books of this Department a

sum on the 30th June, 1864, of \$1,562,324.40 at interest, against the sum of \$1,530,288.40 on the 31st December, 1863.

Since the publication of the last Report, the Province has relieved the Imperial Government of the duty of supplying a limited number of aged and needy Indian men and women with the annual donation of a blanket for each such person. The blankets were purchased by this Department, and were issued as usual in the autumn so that in consequence of the present accounts being brought to the 30th June, 1864 only; no particulars thereof, will appear on this occasion.

The Home Government continues to pay the pensions to Messrs. Chiesley, Anderson and others, amounting for the half-year to £425 1s. 7d. sterling, out of Imperial funds, and likewise to issue through the Commissariat Department, a ration allowance commuted by a money payment, to certain Lower Canada Indians, amounting for the half-year to 30th June last to \$106.82. With the exception of the retention of these two obligations, it may be considered that the connection of the British Government with the Indians of Canada, has been relinquished. And that upon the Province has devolved the duty of promoting the well-being of those people, and advancing their condition, by every practical means.

The officers of the Department, and myself among the number, in Official visits to the Indian settlements, inculcate a greater attention to Agriculture. The occupation to which circumstanced as they are, (with sufficient Reserves including, especially in Western Canada, lands adapted to tillage, set apart for their benefit) they might with very great advantage, if resolved to be industrious, profitably apply themselves. I find, however, that there a bad system prevails, permitted in times past to grow into existence, which must be uprooted before I can hope for the desired success. We have seen among the white population people too lazy to work their farms themselves, and when they did farm their lands themselves, cultivate them so unskillfully as often to have but half-crops. The naturally indolent character of too many men of Indian blood disposes them to accept offers to farm on shares, which fostering their disinclination for constant labor admits of their subsisting, although miserably, while leading a life of idleness. This engenders habits opposed to temperate and virtuous living, and conduces to that demoralization in a greater or less degree which the absence of occupation occasions to people of whatsoever race and blood they may be. To effect improvement we must then break up the noxious system out of which so much evil grows. No true civilization can prevail apart from labor, either physical or mental, and with the former must some at least of the latter be combined, in order that with labor, skill may go hand in hand. And, as regards our present subject, that Agriculture may be practised as a science, it is important that the Indian people shall be educated for it, that it be encouraged in every possible way, and that the policy to be pursued be such as to dissuade the Indians from its neglect. The Act 13th and 14th Victoria, chap. 74, by section 10, prohibits any persons other than Indians or intermarried with Indians from settling upon, or occupying Indian lands. Under this law, the officers of the Department do remove intruders. And, with a view to terminate the enervating and pernicious practice of associating white settlers on the occupancy of their lands, and giving over the cultivation of the farms to them in shares, the law may effectually be invoked. Giving, however, beforehand, due notice to those concerned, that the existing arrangements must be terminated. At a first view, this may be regarded as a harsh proceeding. But when it is considered that the system shuts out the younger members of an Indian family from useful employment, and enforces upon them idleness with its tendency to dissipation, the necessity for insisting upon the abolition of farming on shares, becomes obvious.

In some recent instances, the Department has, when aiding the Indians in Lower Canada, supplied them with implements of husbandry, and with seed grain. And it is hoped that with each succeeding year progress is being made in improving the condition of the Indian people in nearly every section of the Province.

In concluding this Report it will be advisable to draw attention to the expectation, that the sales of Indian lands will, during the current year, very considerably improve. The construction of a road running northerly between the townships of Keppel and

Amabel, up the Saugeen Peninsula, has been aided from Indian funds to the extent of \$1,250, and its extension has been projected. This work will unquestionably afford improved access to the unsold lands; and promote the settlement of those already disposed of. It is to be remarked that the early great sales in the Saugeen Peninsula were made subject to no conditions relative to occupation and improvement, and blocked up by the lands of non residents, as in consequence of those unconditional sales, the Townships comprising the Peninsula have been, and the demand being no longer on speculation, but for settlements, recent sales could not be otherwise than limited in amount. The Department, in justice to those who, for the most part, of late desired to purchase for actual settlement, has declined to allow any sales excepting upon that condition. And it is believed that this policy, is consistent with the true interests of the Indians, as well as of the Province, and will ensure ultimately a sale at a fair price of every lot susceptible of cultivation.

All which is respectfully submitted,

W. SPRAGGE,
D. S. I. A.



A.

RETURN of Officers and Employees of the Indian Department, for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

Designation.	Name.	Salary per annum.	When appointed.	By whom appointed.	Date of first appointment to Provincial Service.	Remarks.
Superintendent General...	Hon. Wm. McDougall.....	Nil.	24th May, 1862.....	Governor General.....		
do do ...	Hon. Alexander Campbell.	Nil.	30th March, 1864 ...	do		
Deputy Superintendent.....	William Spragge	\$2000 00	17th March, 1862 ...	Governor in Council	Appointed to Surveyor General's Dep., 1st Jan., 1829.	
Chief Clerk.....	Michael Turnor.....	\$1400 00	1st April, 1851	Governor General, and O. C., 17th March, 1862	Appointed to Governor's Secretary's Office, 14th Oct., '42	
Accountant	Charles T. Walcot	\$1400 00	1st Dec., 1859	Governor General, and O. C., 17th March, 1862	Appointed to Crown Lands Department, Oct., 1854.	
Corresponding Clerk	Lawrence Vankoughnet ...	\$730 00	13th Feb., 1861.....	Governor General, and O. C., 17th March, 1862		
Temporary Clerk	J. P. M. Lecourt.....	\$2 per diem	10th April, 1862	Superintendent General ...		
Messenger	Robert Jessop	\$240 00	1st Oct., 1859.....	Superintendent General ...		
Housekeeper	Ellen Jessop	\$10 per mensem.....	1st May, 1862	Superintendent General ...		

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B.

**SCHEDULE of Salaries paid and allowances and payments made to Individuals of
at the Outposts**

Local Superintendency or Division.	Names of Recipients of Payments.	Nature of Office or Service.	Amount paid.	For what period paid.
			\$ cts.	
Western Superintend'cy.	Fräume Talfourd	Visiting Superintendent and Commissioner.	700 00	1st Oct., 1863, to 31st March, 1864.
do	Rev. R. Flood.....	Missionary	200 00	do
do	Rev. A. Jamieson.....	do	200 00	do
do	Charlotte Adams.....	School Teacher.....	125 00	do
do	Henry Bourne.....	do	25 00	do
do	A. W. Cathcart.....	do	25 00	1st Jan., 1864, to 31st March, 1864.
do	D. J. Croghan.....	do	100 00	1st Oct., 1863, to 31st March, 1864.
do	Thomas King	do	100 00	do
do	Dr. W. Lambert.....	Medical Attendant.....	40 00	do
do	D. B. Wawanosh.....	Chief and Interpreter.....	200 00	do
do	Joshua Wawanosh	Chief	125 00	do
do	Peter Salt.....	do	50 00	do
do	John Henry	Interpreter.....	50 00	do
Central and Eastern Su- perintendency of U. Canada.	W. R. Bartlett.....	Visiting Superintendent and Commissioner.	700 00	1st Oct., 1863, to 31st March, 1864.
do	Alfred McDougall	Clerk	122 50	8th Oct., to 3rd Dec., 1863.....
do	Horace McDougall.....	do	65 57	22nd Feb., to 9th April, 1864
do	Thomas Dalton.....	do	117 50	11th April, to 3rd June, 1864.....
do	Rev. G. A. Anderson.....	Missionary.....	230 77	1st Oct., 1863, to 31st March, 1864.
do	William Law.....	School Teacher.....	25 00	do
do	Rev. Robt. Brooking ...	do	25 00	do
do	Glenholm Garrett.....	do	100 00	do
do	Simpson Bigsail.....	Chief	12 50	do
do	Widow of Wm. Yellow- head.	do	14 15	1st Oct., 1863, to 12th Jan., 1864...
do	Thos. Naningishkung....	do	12 50	1st Oct., 1863, to 31st March, 1864.
do	George Young.....	do	12 50	do
do	John Aissance.....	do	25 00	do
do	James Aissance.....	do	25 00	do
do	George Pandaush.....	do	50 00	do
do	Widow of John Crow....	do	4 20	1st Oct., to 2nd Dec., 1863.....
do	Joseph Whetung.....	do	12 50	1st Oct., 1863, to 31st March, 1864.
do	John Johnson.....	do	25 00	do
do	John Sunday.....	do	56 00	do
do	John Simpson.....	do	12 00	do
do	John Kadahgegwon.....	do	50 00	do
do	Henry H. Madwayosh....	do	50 00	do
do	Peter J. Kegedonce	do	50 00	do
do	Joseph Jones	do	37 50	do
do	Geo. A. Tobegwon	do	25 00	do
do	Joseph Skunk	Councillor	6 00	do
do	Thomas Fraser.....	do	6 00	do
do	James Indian	do	6 00	do
do	Dr. James McCrae.....	Surgeon.....	50 00	do
do	John Sunday, jnr.....	Secretary..	7 50	do
do	Mezang G. Pandansh....	Writer.....	7 50	do

the Indian Department, during the Half-year ending 30th June, 1864—for services and Stations.

Out of what Fund paid.	Authorities for Appointment.	Date of Appointment.	Remarks.
Indian Land Management of Fund.	Governor General...	1st Jan., 1855.	Stationed at Sarnia.
do	do ...	15th Dec., 1834.	Stationed at Carradoc.
do	do ...	5th June, 1845.	Stationed at Walpole Island.
Chippewas of Sarnia	Nominated by the band and approved by the Department.		
Chippewas of Walpole.....	do ...		
do	do ...		In place of Henry Bourne.
Moravians of the Thames..	do ...		
Wyandotts of Anderdon ...	do ...		
do	do ...		
Chippewas of Sarnia.....	do ...		
do	do ...		
do	do ...		Dead. Paid to widow.
Chippewas of the Thames..	do ...		
Indian Land Management of Fund.	Governor General...	1st July, 1858.	Stationed at Toronto.
do	Superin't General...		Resigned.
do	do ...		Resigned.
do	do ...		Resigned.
Mohawks of Bay of Quinté	Governor General...		
Chippewas of Lakes Huron and Simcoe.	Nominated by the band and approved by the Department.		
do	do ...		
Mohawks of Bay of Quinté	do ...		
Chippewas of Lakes Huron and Simcoe.	do ...		
do	do ...		Chief, died 12th January, 1864.
do	do ...		
do	do ...		
do	do ...		
do	do ...		
Mississaguas of Rice and Mud Lakes.	do ...		
do	do ...		Chief, died 2nd December, 1862.
do	do ...		
Mississaguas of Skugog ...	do ...		
Mississaguas of Alnwick...	do ...		
do	do ...		
Chippewas of Saugeen.....	do ...		
do	do ...		
Chippewas of Nawash.....	do ...		
do	do ...		
do	do ...		
Mississaguas of Alnwick...	do ...		
do	do ...		
do	do ...		
do	do ...		
do	do ...		
Mississaguas of Rice and Mud Lakes.	do ...		

B.—SCHEDULE of Salaries paid and allowances and payments made to Individuals

Local Superintendency or Division.	Names of Recipients of Payments.	Nature of Office of Service.	Amount paid.	For what period paid.
Central and Eastern Superintendency of U. Canada.	Rev. Alan Salt	Writer and Interpreter.....	12 50	1st Oct., 1863, to 31st March, 1864.
do	J. B. Naningishkung.....	Interpreter	12 50	do
do	Moses B. Madwayosh ...	do	50 00	do
do	Joseph Jones.....	do	50 00	do
do	Robert Pandaush	Messenger	5 00	do
do	Jacob Jacobs.....	do	5 00	do
Grand River Superintendency.	Jasper T. Gilkison	Visiting Superintendent and Commissioner.	700 00	do
do	Henry Andrews	Clerk	400 00	do
do	Alfred Digby, M.D.	Medical Attendant	380 00	do
do	R. H. Dee, M.D.	do	500 00	do
do	H. Whicher, M.D.	do	140 00	do
do	David Sawyer.....	Chief and Agent.....	100 00	do
do	George King.....	Interpreter	25 00	do
do	G. H. M. Johnson.....	do	200 00	do
do	James McLean.....	Forest Warden	25 00	1st Jan., to 31st March, 1864.....
do	James Cheekhoc.....	Messenger	25 00	1st Oct., 1863, to 31st March, 1864.
Northern Superintendency.	Charles T. Dupont.....	Visiting Superintendent and Commissioner.	500 00	do
do	McGregor Ironside.....	Clerk and Interpreter.....	366 00	do
do	David Layton, M.D.....	Surgeon	365 00	do
do	Joseph Jenneaux.....	School Master.....	121 68	do
Lower Canada.....	Rev. F. Boucher.....	R. C. Missionary	112 98	do
do	Rev. F. X. Marcoux.....	do	101 66	do
do	Rev. Jos. Maurault	do	112 98	do

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Quebec, 14th January, 1865.

of the Indian Department, during the Half-year ending 30th June, 1864.—*Contin'd*

Out of what Fund paid.	Authorities for Appointment.	Dates of Appointment.	Remarks.
Chippewas of Lakes Huron and Simcoe.	Nominated by the band and approved by the Department.		
do	do ...		
Chippewas of Saugeen.....	do ...		
do	do ...		
Mississaguas of Rice and Mud Lakes.	do ...		
do	do ...		
Six Nations of the Grand River.	Superin't General...	1st May, 1862.	Stationed at Bradford.
do	Governor General...	1st Jan., 1855.	do do
do	do ...		
do	do ...		
do	do ...		
Mississaguas of the Credit.			
do			
Six Nations of the Grand River.			
do			
Mississaguas of the Credit.			
Indian Land Management Fund.	Superin't General...	4th Sept., 1863.	Stationed at Manitowaning, Manitoulin Island.
do	do ...	5th Aug., 1863.	do do
do	Governor General...	22nd Oct., 1849.	do do
do	do ...	25th Oct., 1850.	
Lower Canada Indian Fund.	do ...	" 1844	Resident at Indian Lorette.
do	do ...	" 1832.	do St. Regis.
do	do ...	" 1847.	do St. Francis.

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C.

STATEMENT of Special Payments, Contingent and Incidental Expenditure by the Indian Department, during the half-year ending 30th June, 1864, out of Upper Canada Indian Funds.

Station, Superintendency or Division.	Character of Disbursements.	Amount paid.	Out of what fund payable.	Remarks.
Head Quarters	Stationery, books, binding, printing, &c.....	\$ cts. 225 95	Indian Land Management Fund.	
do	Office disbursements	193 45	do do	
do	Salary of Solicitor.....	200 00	do do	
do	Relief to a sick Indian woman	36 00	do do	
do	Advertising	67 96	do do	
do	Surveys, Manitoulin Island.....	5300 00	do do	To be refunded by the Manitoulin Indians when lands are sold.
do	Postage.....	3 02	do do	
do	Travelling expenses of Mr. S. Colquhoun visiting lands in Dundee, &c.....	27 00	do do	
do	Travelling expenses of Mr. E. J. Chesley visiting lands in Dundee, &c.....	59 25	do do	
Western Superintendency.....	Froome Talfourd's office disbursements.....	51 61	do do	Disbursements for 1863, but not paid until 1864.
do	Postage.....	1 20	Chippawas of Sarnia	
do	Distribution.....	2067 17	do do	
do	Allowance to chapel steward and messenger.....	35 00	do do	
do	Percentage on timber receipts.....	65 09	do do	
do	Registrar's fees.....	3 10	do do	
do	Freight of blankets	1 14	do do	
do	Supplies	34 82	do do	
do	Medicines and attendance	43 40	do do	
do	Coffins.....	8 00	do do	
do	Stationery	8 53	do do	
do	Melodeon	90 00	do do	
do	Postage.....	1 55	Chippawas of Walpole	
do	Telegrams	1 62	do do	
do	Distribution.....	677 36	do do	
do	Postage.....	6 45	Chippawas of the Thames..	
do	Lumber.....	100 00	do do	
do	Distribution.....	1071 90	do do	
do	Percentage on timber receipts.....	220 57	do do	
do	Log-house for Chief Yanbanse	80 00	do do	

do	Expenses in distribution of timber money	3 50	Munsees of the Thames	...
do	Postage	9 02	Moravians of the Thames	..
do	Distribution	1350 51	do	do
do	Proome Talfourd's contingencies	11 50	do	do
do	Refund	16 70	do	do
do	Improvements	119 00	do	do
do	Advertising	44 06	Wyandotts of Anderdon	...
do	Postage	5 05	do	do
do	Telegrams, &c.	7 40	do	do
do	Distribution	988 33	do	do
do	Percentage on timber receipts	117 57	do	do
do	Travelling expenses	8 50	do	do
Central and Eastern Superintendency of Upper Canada	W. R. Bartlett's contingent expenses	128 06	Ind. Land Manag. Fund	...
do	Assistance in office to Mr. Bartlett	117 50	do	do
do	Percentage	171 75	Mohawks of Bay of Quinte	Paid to F. McAnnany for lands sold and monies received by him.
do	Insurance	39 40	do	do
do	Distribution	1851 73	do	do
do	Survey	129 30	Chippawas of Lakes Huron and Simcoe	...
do	Distribution	2529 55	do	do
do	Medical services	50 00	Mississaguas of Rice and Mud Lakes	...
do	Distribution	1054 90	do	do
do	do	244 61	Mississaguas of Skugog	...
do	do	1945 40	Mississaguas of Alnwick	...
do	Advertising	1 70	Chippewas of Saugeen	...
do	Grant for road	312 50	do	do
do	Distribution	3131 34	do	do
do	Travelling expenses	24 75	do	do
do	Advertising	1 70	Chippewas of Nawash	...
do	Grant for road	312 50	do	do
do	Distribution	3373 64	do	do
do	Improvements	85 00	do	do
do	Travelling expenses	24 75	do	do
Grand River Superintendency	J. T. Gilkison's contingencies	150 65	Six Nations of the Grand River	...
do	Chief's board-bills attending councils	500 75	do	do
do	Fire losses	150 00	do	do
do	Advertising	64 19	do	do
do	Pensioners	175 00	do	do
do	Surveys	93 00	do	do
do	Distribution	17507 29	do	do
do	Maintenance of a lunatic	52 00	do	do
do	Travelling expenses	178 03	do	do
do	School-house	491 16	Mississaguas of the Credit	...
do	Distribution	2064 94	do	do

C.—STATEMENT of Special Payments, Contingent and Incidental Expenditure by the Indian Department, &c.—*Continued.*

Station, Superintendency, or Division.	Character of Disbursements.	Amount paid.	Out of what Fund payable.	Remarks.
Northern Superintendency.....	Repairs to Superintend's and Medical Officer's quarters..	\$ 400 00	Ind. Land Manag. Fund...	Shawanega band.
do	Distribution	203 20	Ojibewas of Lake Huron...	
do	Oxen and seed.....	100 00	Ojibewas of Garden River..	
Cornwall Superintendency.....	Distribution	920 88	Iroquois of St. Régis.....	Shawanega band.
do	do	283 00	do	
Lower Canada Division, Jno. White, Agent	Distribution	165 56	River Desert Indians.....	
Lower Canada Division.....	Interest on commutation	17 50	Durham Indians....	

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D.

STATEMENT of Sums paid out of the Lower Canada Indian Fund during the half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

Station, Superintendency, or Division.	Character of Disbursement.	Amount paid.	Out of what Fund payable,	To whom Paid.
		\$ cts.		
Lower Canada.....	Roman Catholic Mis- sions	100 00	L. C. Indian Fund.....	Montagnais Indians.
do	Travelling Expenses...	101 18	do	Sundry Tribes.
do	Agriculture, Promotion of	150 00	do	Micmacs of Maria.
do	Agriculture, Promotion of	200 00	do	Micmacs of Restigouche
do	School	100 00	do	do
do	Relief	400 00	do	Montagnais Indians of Upper Saguenay.
do	do	50 00	do	Family of late Huron Chief, Vincent.
do	Travelling Expenses...	64 27	do	Ed. N. DeLorimier, vis- iting sundry Tribes.
do	do	9 00	do	J. N. Verge, visit'g Mic- macs of Restigouche.
do	Seed-Grain, &c.....	150 00	do	Abenakis of Becancour.
do	Distribution	300 00	do	Betsimits Indians.
do	Vaccination	35 00	do	Abenakis of St. Francis.
do	Sundry Roman Catho- lic Missionaries.....	327 62	do	Rev. F. Boucher at Lo- rette; Rev. F. Mar- coux at St. Regis; Rev. J. Maurault at St. Francis.
		\$1,987 07		

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E.

STATEMENT of the Receipts and Expenditure Account of the several Indian Tribes and Funds during the half-year ended 30th June, 1864. Shewing also balances of the several accounts at the commencement and close of the half-year.

TRIBE OR FUND.	RECEIPTS.			DISBURSE- MENTS.	CREDIT BALANCES.		REMARKS.
	Land and Timber, &c., &c.	Interest on Investments.	Annuities and Grants.		1st January, 1864	30th June, 1864	
	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	
General Fund. Provisional Account.....	150 00			98 00	448 00	140 00	There was a transfer during the half-year, of \$360 to the Batchewana Indians account. 1st Jan., '64 Dr. bal. \$4.09—30th June, '64 Dr. bal. \$4.09.
Accountable Warrant							
Albert Anthony		15 06		39 48	606 48	582 06	
Chippewas of the Thames.....	1259 60	511 77	1200 00	1654 87	18803 80	18276 67	There was a transfer during the half-year of \$1843 53 to the Munsees of the Thames.
Mohawks of the Bay of Quinté....	1188 98	1477 57	900 00	2512 54	50956 35	52010 36	A sum of \$1843 53 was transferred during the half-year from the Chippewas of the Thames.
Munsees of the Thames.....		17 71		3 50		1857 74	A sum of \$360 was transferred during the half-year from the General Fund Provisional account.
Batchewana Indians.....	435 50	4 50		47 30		752 70	
Indian Land Management Fund.....	112 85	4942 89		7061 35	183952 82	181947 21	
Chippewas of Sarnia.....	1050 15	1317 06	1500 00	2962 46	44338 44	45243 19	
Ojibewas of Lake Huron.....				303 20	101 50		30th June, '64, \$201.70 Dr. balance.
Six Nations of the Grand River.....	12998 91	21982 10		22664 67	750484 54	762801 88	
J. B. Clench.....		7 68			614 40	622 08	
Mississaguas of Rice and Mud Lakes.....			1284 05	1189 10		44 13	1st Jan., '64 \$50.82 Dr. balance.
Chief Tetomenais of Gros Cap.....		27 52			928 20	955 72	
Lake of Two Mountains Indians.....		11 79			405 54	417 33	
River Desert Indians.....	278 25	164 51		193 38	5995 88	6245 26	
Abenakis of St. Francis.....		0 47			16 84	17 31	
Industrial School Fund.....		1033 82		233 85	37169 22	37969 19	
Chippewas of Walpole.....		84 66	700 00	730 53	3062 57	3116 70	
Chippewas of Saugeen.....	4473 45	3648 44	2500 00	4367 46	172286 17	88660 94	There was a transfer during the half-year of \$89,889.66 to the Chippewas of Nawash

Lake Huron Indians on Mississaga River.....	2 20			88 09	90 29	
Lake St. John Indians.....	15 14			606 26	621 40	
Chippewas of Rama.....	0 68			54 00	54 68	
Wyandotts of Anderdon.....	2849 79	804 35	1561 73	30462 58	32554 99	
Moravians of the Thames.....	6035 21	1211 88	300 00	2210 24	45560 71	50897 56
Lower Canada Indians.....		813 12	4000 00	1922 80	32459 69	35350 61
Chippewas of Nawash.....	2252 68	1502 28		3943 56	11395 02	101096 08
Chippewas of Lakes Huron and Simcoe...	302 45	605 05	2400 00	2865 74	20497 59	20939 35
Mississaguas of Alnwick.....	106 00	640 72	1285 00	2091 50	21417 83	21358 05
Iroquois of St. Regis.....	423 00	901 08		1217 88	30037 62	30143 82
Iroquois of Caughnawaga.....		33 82			1153 36	1187 18
Mississaguas of Skugog.....		48 51	195 95	269 61	1934 59	1909 44
Durham Indians.....		13 63		17 50	490 88	487 01
Mississaguas of the Credit.....	80 06	1894 56	1045 00	2854 10	64014 34	64179 86
	33997 78	43734 57	17310 00	63006 35	1530343 31	1562530 19

There was a transfer during the half-year of \$89,889.66 from the Chippewas of Saugeen to this band upon a division of the funds taking place.

Receipts.
\$33997 78
43734 57
17310 00
\$95042 35

See Govt. acct. cr't.

Deduct, Dr. Balance at commencement of year.	\$4 09	\$1,530,343 31
	50 82	54 91
Amount at debit of Government 1st Jan., 1864, as per Department Books and Account Current herewith		\$1,530,288 40
		\$1,562,530 19
Deduct Dr. Balance on 30th June, 1864	\$4 09	
	201 70	\$205 79
Amount at debit of Government, 30th June, 1864, as per Department Books and Account Current herewith.....		\$1,562,324 40

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Dr.		F.		Cr.		
GOVERNMENT in Account Current with the INDIAN DEPARTMENT.						
1864.		\$	c.	1864.	\$	c.
January 1.....	To amount of balance	1530288	40	June 30.....	By amount of payments between 1st January and 30th June, 1864	63006 35
June 30.....	To amount of receipts between 1st January and 30th June, 1864.....	95042	35	" "	By amount of balance.....	1562324 40
		\$	1625330 75			\$
July 1.....	To amount of balance.....	1562324	40			1625330 75
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G.			
STATEMENT shewing the Number of Acres of Indian Lands sold during the half-year ended 30th June, 1864.			
No. of Acres.	TO WHAT TRIBES BELONGING.	Amount of Principal.	Average rate per acre.
952	Chippewas of Saugeen and Owen Sound.....	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
50	Mohawks of Bay of Quinté	2611 95	2 74
243½	Chippewas of Nawash.....	160 00	3 20
1118	Batchewauning Bay Indians.....	920 75	3 00
9	Six Nations of the Grand River	1118 00	1 00
90	" " "	72 00	8 00
2462½		630 00	7 00
		5512 70	
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H.

STATEMENT shewing the quantity of Surveyed Surrendered Indian Lands remaining unsold, with their computed average value.

Townships.	Where situated.	Estimated No. of Acres.	Average value per acre.
Amabel	Saugeen Peninsula.....	8,940	\$ 0.
Keppel	do	19,920½	2 50
Albemarle	do	28,031	2 50
Sarawak	do	384½	2 50
Half-mile Strip	do	600	2 50
Indian Reserve, Cape Croker	do	15,586	1 00
Eastnor	do	57,099	1 00
Lindsay	do	69,084	1 00
St. Edmund	do	66,720	1 00
Macdonald	Lake Huron, North Shore.....	19,104	0 50
Awerec	do do	21,544	0 50
Fenwick	do do	17,330	0 50
Kars	do do	11,283	0 50
Pennefather	do do	18,278	0 50
Dennis	do do	3,537	0 50
Neebing	Lake Superior.....	20,660	0 50
Pai-Poonge	do	43,846	0 50
Tyendenaga	Bay of Quinté.....	7,250	2 50
Orford	County of Kent.....	215	4 68
Thorah Island	Lake Simcoe	1,001	} May be computed at 4s. per acre.
Bidwell	Manitoulin Island, Lake Huron	26,734	
Howland	do do	29,968	
Sheguiandah	do do	29,350	
Billings	do do	17,996	
Assickinack	do do	14,901	
		549,362	

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I.

MEMORANDUM relative to Blankets furnished to Aged and Infirm Indians.

No issue can appear in this return, as the delivery of blankets to the Indians takes place during the autumn of each year. The expense of supplying them now devolves, by arrangement with the Imperial Government, upon the Provincial authorities. A sum of \$1100 was included in bill of supply for this year.

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J.

STATEMENT of Indian Pensions and Retired Allowances paid by the Imperial Government, for the half-year ending 30th June, 1864.

Name of officer or other person entitled to pension.	Rank, &c.	Amount paid. Sterling.
		£ s. d.
Chesley, S. Y.....	Retired Accountant and Superintendent.....	195 8 3
Anderson, T. G.....	Retired Superintendent	110 15 9
O'Meara, Rev. F.....	Retired Chaplain	48 12 11
Elliott, Mrs. S.....	Widow of Colonel Elliott.....	37 3 0
Macomber, G.....	Late Interpreter	18 0 0
Necajua, Pierre.....	Wounded Warrior.....	7 10 10
Assichinack, J. B.....	Late Interpreter	7 10 10
		425 1 7

Amounting to four hundred and twenty-five pounds, one shilling and seven pence, Sterling.

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K.

PROVISION RETURN for the half-year ended 30th June, 1864, for Indians of Lower Canada, in lieu of which a money commutation is received from the Imperial Government, through the Commissariat Department in Canada.

Tribes.	Denominations.	Numbers of		Amount.	
		Persons.	Rations.		
For the quarter ended 31st March, 1864.				\$ cts.	
St. Régis	Men. Half rations	1	451	6 25	
Lake of Two Mountains	Women. Half rations	2	91	12 46	
St. Francis	Men. Full rations	1	91.	} 37 81	
do	Women. Half rations	4	182		
For the quarter ended 30th June, 1864.					
Lake of Two Mountains	Women. Half rations	2	91	12 46	The St. Régis In- dian died at the close of March quarter.
St. Francis	Men. Full rations	1	91	} 37 81	
do	Women. Half rations	1	182		
				106 82	

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L.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the population of the different Indian Bands throughout Canada, between the years 1863 and 1864.

Name of Tribe or Band.	Population in 1863.	Population in 1864.	Increase.	Decrease.	Remarks.
Iroquois of St. Louis.....	1,352	1,510	158		
do St. Régis.....	662	772	110		
Nipissings, Algonquins, and Iroquois of Lake or Two Mountains.....		730			
River Forest Indians.....	215				
Ancakias of St. Francis.....	387				
do of Becancour.....	51	62	1		
Hurons of Lorette.....	300	317	17		
Amalacitas of Vigor.....	179				
Amenacas of Westbourne.....	232	262	10		
Montagnais of Point Blue and of Chicoutimi.....	200				
Montagnais of the Moisie.....	35	75	20		
Indian at Grand Cascapédia.....	unknown	75			
do River Godbout.....	60				
Naska of Lower St. Lawrence.....	(in 1858) 2,560	(in 1861) 2,860	360		No census since 1861.
Oncidas of the Thames.....	529	529	71		
Chippewas and Munsees of the Thames.....	558	594	36		
Moravians of the Thames.....	249	255	6		
Wyandotts of Anderdon.....	67	71	4		
Chippewas of Point au Pelee.....	48	70	22		
Chippewas and Pottawatamies of Walpole Is- land.....	700	671		29	
Chippewas, Pottawatamies, and Ottawas of Sarnia.....	497	485		12	
Chippewas of Snake Island.....					} Formerly known as Chippewas of Lakes Huron and Simcoe.
do Rama.....	259	263	4		
do Christian Island.....	175	183	8		
Ojibwas and Pottawatamies of Christian Is- land.....	96	91		5	
Mississaugas of Rice, Mud and Scugog Lakes.....	302	284		18	
Michewas of Bay of Quinté.....	626	631	5		
Mississaugas of Alowick.....	225	231	6		
Ojibways of Sandy Island.....	157	162	5		
Chippewas of Saugeen.....	259	258		1	} Commonly called Chippewas of Sau- geen and Owen Sound.
do Cape Croker.....	343	341		2	
Christian Island Band on Manitoulin Island.....	63	67	4		
Six Nations Indians.....	2,718	2,741	23		} Settled on the Grand River.
Mississaugas of the Credit.....	191	198	7		
Chippewas of Lake Superior.....	1,070	1,242	172		
do Lake Huron.....					} No Census Return since 1858.
Manitoulin Island Indians.....					

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M.

STATEMENT of the condition of the various Indian Schools throughout the Province.

Name of Indian Reserve and Band.	Name of the Teacher.	Salary per annum.	From what Funds paid.	No. of Boys.	No. of Girls.	Total No. of Pupils.	Remarks.
Moravians of the Thames.....	David J. Crogan.....	\$ 200 00	Funds of Tribe	28	12	40	
Wyandotts of Anderdon.....	Thomas King.....	200 00	do	7	8	15	
Chippewas of Sarnia.....	Charlotte Adams.....	250 00	do	40	20	60	
Chippewas and Pottawatonicas of Walpole Island.....	Wm. A. Cathcart	100 00	do	32	9	41	
Ojibwas of the Thames.....	Francis G. H. Wilson	160 00	Wesleyan Missionary Society	Not known		20	
Chippewas of Saugeen.....	Wm. S. Jones	200 00	do	13	15	28	School at the Indian Village.
do	John Scott.....	225 00	\$260 from Funds of Tribe and \$25 from Society of Friends	21	18	39	School at French Bay.
Chippewas of Saugeen Sunday School.....	Rev. Mr. Cooley, Miss'y		Wesleyan Missionary Society	14	21	35	School at French Bay.
Mississaguas of Lake Seaug.....	(The school here has been closed for a number of years, there being only 8 or 10 children of an age to go to School.)						
Mississaguas of Mud Lake.....	Mr. and Mrs. Schofield.....	Not known	New England Society	14	11	25	Partly a day and partly a boarding-school: there is also a small farm worked by the boys.
Mississaguas of Alnwick.....	Thomas. E. Madden	200 00	do	26	19	45	6 of these are white children.
Mississaguas of Rice Lake.....							No Return for 1864.
Chippewas of Cape Croker.....	John Jacobs.....	200 00	Ch. of England Missionary Society.....	Not known		30	
Chippewas of Christian Island	Charlotte Adams.....			29		53	
Chippewas of Rama.....	Oliver Goldie.....	200 00	\$50 by Indians and \$150 by Wesleyan Missionary Society	Not known		30	
Chippewas of Snake Island.....							do do
Mohawks of Bay of Quinte.....	Elizabeth Garrett.....	200 00	Funds of the Tribe.....				do do
Mississaguas of New Credit.....	Thomas Connell.....	250 00	Funds of Tribe and Ws. Miss. Soc.	Not known			Teacher of the Mission School. } On G'd
Mississaguas of New Credit.....	Elizabeth McDougall.....	250 00	Funds of Tribe.....	do	do		do new school at Townline. } River.
Manitowin Island Indians of Wewemilong.....	Jos. Jeunesseaux	240 00	Indian Land Management Fund.....	90	69	159	
Manitowin Island Indians of Manitowaning	Rev. J. B. Sims.....	Not known	Ch. of England Missionary Society.....	Not known			No Report from this school for 1864.
Manitowin Island Indians of Little Canada.....	Rev. Mr. Burkett.....	do	do do do do	do	do		do do do

M.—STATEMENT of the the Condition of the various Indian Schools throught the Province.—*Continued.*

Name of Indian Reserve and Band.	Name of the Teacher.	Salary per annum.	From what Funds paid.	No. of Boys.	No. of Girls.	Total No. of Pupils.	Remarks.
Six Nations of the Grand River..	No. 1—Thos. Griffiths	\$ 259 45	do do New England Society	do	do	83	
do do do	Miss Gillan	\$ 72 45	do do	do	do	22	
do do do	No. 2—Isaac Barefoot.....	\$ 200 00	do do	do	do	21	
do do do	No. 3—Geo. Moses.....	200 00	do do	do	do	33	
do do do	No. 4—Miss Hartley.....	160 00	do do	do	do	59	
do do do	No. 5—J. S. Kingston.....	200 00	do do	do	do	16	
do do do	No. 6—Mrs. Beaver.....	160 00	do do	do	do	23	
do do do	No. 7—Miss Martin.....	160 00	do do	do	do	.....
do do do	No. 8—Not known	Not known	Wesleyan Missionary Society	do	do	.....
Micmacs of Restigouche	Joseph Dorais	200 00	L. C. Indian Parliam. Grant, Dept. of Education. and subscription ...	33	31	64	
Micmacs of Maria	Ed. Bacon.....	220 00	\$200 L. C. Indian Parliam. Grant and \$20 School Commissioners ...	12	9	21	

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EXTRACT FROM CORRESPONDENCE RELATING TO SCHOOLS AMONG THE INDIANS:
THEIR CONDITION AND PROSPECTS, ETC.

Statement received from Superintendent Bartlett, with letter of 11th Jan., 1865.

SAUGEEN.

There are two Indian Schools here. One in the village kept by Henry S. Jones, an educated Indian, since the 1st of October last. His salary of \$200 a year is paid by the Wesleyan Society.

The average daily attendance has been 10 out of 27, 11 of these children have been away with their parents hunting.

13 boys, of whom 4 read 1st, 2nd, and 3rd books. 9 spell.

15 girls, of whom 4 read 1st, 2nd, and 3rd books. 10 spell.

4 boys and 4 girls write and study arithmetic. 1 geography and maps.

The second school is taught at French Bay, 5 miles from the Indian village school, where there is a large settlement of Indians living on their respective farm lots.

This school is taught by Mr. John Scott, a white man, who was appointed by the Wesleyan Society, but whose salary is paid from Indian Funds at the rate of \$200 a year. On the strength of this sum being voted by the Indians, the above society duplicate that amount for the salary of Henry Jones, the teacher of the other school. The Society of Friends also contribute \$25 a year to this school.

I had a personal interview and conversation with Mr. Scott in regard to this school. He is well fitted for his duty, and takes great interest in the Indian children.

I must certainly say, from personal observation, as far as the Indian schools in this superintendency are concerned, that the Wesleyan Society use great caution in the choice and appointments of the Teachers for Indian schools,—good moral character combined with proper qualifications, being specially regarded. The return for this school is number of pupils on roll: boys 21, girls 18. Total 39.

Average weekly attendance,	70
“ daily “	14
Total in 7 months,	1986
Number spelling (cannot read).	16
“ in reading.....	17
“ arithmetic.	13
“ geography.....	7
“ writing	13

The missionary at this station, the Revd. Mr. Cooley, states that their Society has a Sabbath School which has given great satisfaction the past year.

The following are its statistics:—

No. on the roll: 14 boys, 21 girls,	35
Average attendance	20
No. in Bible Class	12
Library, No. of Volumes.....	150
Sunday School Advocates (newspaper) taken	12

I regret to say from Mr. Cooley's Report that mortality in this band seems to be on the increase. He has buried 4 in 3 weeks.

CAPE CROKER.

The school at this station is taught by John Jacobs, an Indian, and brother of the late Revd. Peter Jacobs, Church of England Missionary at Manitoulin Island.

Mr. Jacobs salary is \$200 a year paid by the Church of England Missionary Society.

No. of children in attendance 20 to 30.

Read and spell in 1st book, 10; 2nd book, 10; 3rd book, 2.

Number that write, 10.

Most of them cipher in the four first rules of arithmetic.

The Indians expressed to me their entire satisfaction with the progress the children had made under Mr. Jacobs, who says in a letter to me, most of the children began from the alphabet, and that for the 18 months he has taught them he has seen a great improvement.

After each lesson they read he explains the meaning to them in Indian, and asks them questions in both languages. They can now understand and speak a good many words in English.

CHRISTIAN ISLAND.

The teacher to the Indian School on this Island is a white woman—Miss Charlotte Adams, who is appointed by the Wesleyan Society. Her salary of \$100 a year is paid from Indian funds, and it is intended to add another \$100 by the Society.

Miss Adams has been a good deal amongst the Indians, and knows a little of the language; she is well adapted and well qualified for a teacher, and a better selection for the Indian children could not have been made.

No. of pupils on register, boys, 29; girls, 29. Total, 58.

No. of pupils now in attendance, boys, 15; girls, 15. Total, 30.

Average attendance, boys, 7½; girls, 6. Total, 13½.

Lowest average monthly attendance is 11½.

Highest " " 16½.

Books used are National Series.

No. in Alphabet, 14.

No. in 1st book, 21; 2nd book, 16; 3rd book, 8.

Arithmetic is taught simultaneously to the whole school on the black board with illustrations.

Geography, as above from the maps.

All the children write on their slates till they learn the forms of the letters.

SKUGOG ISLAND.

There is no school here, nor has there been any for many years. The band is very small, there being not more than 8 or 10 children of an age to go to school.

MUD LAKE.

The school here is supported by the New England Society.

Teacher, James Schofield for the boys; Mrs. Schofield for the girls.

Boys at school.....	14
Girls "	11—25
Average daily attendance	18
Number who spell	12
" who read.....	20
" study arithmetic.....	12
" geography.....	3
" writing	16

A small farm is attached to this school upon which the boys are required to work an hour each day.

ALNWICK.

The only Report received from this school is for the quarter to 30th Sept. 1864, viz

No. of boys, 20; girls, 19. Total, 45.

White children at the school, 6.

The teacher is a very competent young man, son of the Rev. Mr. Madden, the Wesleyan Missionary at this station.

Mr. Thos. E. Madden's salary is \$200 a year paid by the above society. He holds a second class certificate as a Teacher.

EXTRACT from Superintendent Gilkison's letter accompanying his Report on the Grand River Indian Schools.

The number of Schools among the Six Nations are eight, and the Mississaguas have two, or ten in all. The first seven schools are under the superintendence of the Rev. Mr. Nelles, who kindly furnished the information regarding them, and in his letter states:—"Four of the teachers are Indians, who were educated at the Mohawk Institution (school No. 1), where the children are boarded, clothed, and educated, thus securing regular attendance, and consequently the improvement of the children is very satisfactory.

"In addition to the ordinary branches of an English education, the boys are instructed in agriculture, and the girls in sewing, spinning, knitting, &c.

"The other six are Day Schools, at which the attendance of the children is very irregular, and on this account their progress is slow and unsatisfactory."

The 8th school is under the charge of the Rev. Mr. Germaine, Wesleyan Missionary; and the 9th School under the care of the Rev. Mr. Lawson, of the same Mission. The 10th is a new school, lately established, and has a Board of Trustees from the New Credit Band. Some children from the white settlers, in the Township of Walpole, attend this school, paying the teacher 25 cents each, per week.

A substantial addition has been made to the Mohawk Institute, which now affords accommodation for *one hundred children*.

The New England Society is thus conferring immense benefits upon the Indian people, who will, no doubt, appreciate them.

It may be observed that the capacity of Indian children for learning is quite as good as that of the whites.

(Signed)

J. T. GILKISON,
Superintendent and Commissioner.

INDIAN OFFICE,
Brantford, 17th January, 1865

EXTRACT from letter of W. Livingston, Indian Commissioner, dated at Delaware, 2nd January, 1865.

"I find, by reliable information furnished by the Rev. Abraham Sickles and William Duxtater, that the present population of the Oneida Band is, in round numbers, six hundred, and they are gradually increasing. As Christians, they are divided into two denominations—Church of England and Methodists. The Rev. R. Flood had the Church people under his care for some years, Mr. Potts having been sent thither under the auspices of the Colonial Church and School Society, as schoolmaster and catechist. Mr. Potts eventually took orders, and was their Missionary till within a few months back, when he was incapacitated by an illness which terminated in his death, about three weeks ago. William Duxtater, a good Indian, has acted, and still acts, as a sort of catechist; but, he tells me, they have had no school since Mr. Potts was ordained, a circumstance his people much regret, as the children of the professing members of the Church are numerous. The Methodists, on the other hand, have an efficient organization under the Rev. A. Sickles, and have also a teacher in their school named Francis G. H. Wilson, whose salary (\$160.00 per annum) is paid by the Wesleyan Missionary Board Fund. The present attendance of children is neither large nor regular. In warmer weather, from 20 to 30 children attend. The branches taught are the common series of school books, with which, however, the school is rather inadequately furnished."

CORNWALL,
12th December, 1864.

SIR,—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant, requesting me to forward to the Indian Department a statistical statement of the school at the village of St. Regis.

I have to inform you that the school at St. Regis has been closed for this year past, as

Mr. McDonell, the late teacher, left and was to return soon, but has not done so, for the reason that his salary was kept back by the Board of Education for Lower Canada, to whom the school reports have been sent for the last few years, and not through me to the Indian Department, as formerly had been done.

(Signed)

I have, &c.,

S. COLQUHOUN,
Indian Agent.

William Spragge, Esq.,
D. S. I. A.,
Quebec.

MISSION OF RESTIGOUCHE,
22nd December, 1861.

SIR,—I have the pleasure of answering your letter of the 3rd instant, requesting me to furnish the Department with a statistical statement as to the number of males and females attending the school at Restigouche, &c.

The number of children that have attended this school this year is:—Males, 33; females, 31; total, 64.

English and French are the two languages taught in the school. The children are learning the reading, writing, and spelling, by heart, and learning, by heart some pieces of their books, translating, table of multiplication, arithmetic, and geographical map.

The study of the globe would be a great benefit to the children. This study would give them a great knowledge of the different parts of the world, but until now, the school had no means sufficient to get one. These are the several branches taught in the school at Restigouche. The name of the teacher is Joseph Dorais, a young man from the district of Montreal.

His salary is £50 a year. He receives payment from three sources—from the Department of Education, from the Indian Department and from the people of his mission; but the Indians being so poor that I can raise but a few dollars from them.

This is the information which I have the pleasure of transmitting to the department.

(Signed)

P. J. SAUCIER, Ped.

Secretary and Treasurer to School Commissioners.

Wm. Spragge, Esq.,
D. S. I. A.

