

Princeton 7th Dec. 1860
To the Honorable
The Governor & Council
of the State of Maine.

Agreeable with the "Resolve
in favor of the Passamaquoddy Indians," passed
in the Legislature on the 17th March 1860. with
accompanying instructions; acting for the Sup-
school Committee of Princeton I hereby, respect-
fully Report—

That I have attended to that duty, and
herewith enclose the teachers bill for services,
also his register, giving Statistics & his remarks—
I consider his opinion mainly correct, but the
cause of the deficiency of interest I think may
be found in a great measure, in a want of
a proper room for the school — the same causes
exist as were set forth in our report of 28th Dec,
1858, and the same necessity now exist for a
small appropriation of say One hundred & fifty
dollars. (\$150) for the purpose of erecting a school-house
at the Pierre Dana's Point —

I send herewith our account current of incidental
expenses &c. shewing a balance of \$15.31 to the Credit
of the State in new acct. — The cold weather came
on early and it was evident that the remaining
balance would be better expended next summer
than this fall, as the school room was so open
as to be most uncomfortable.

D. O.

Report of
Sup. School Committee
of Princeton,

The school was kept $3\frac{5}{12}$ months at \$30 per mo.
amounting to \$96.81. Mr James Spencer was
teacher - number of scholars - twenty -
on visiting the school, we found a want of
general interest, but not so little as to discourage
efforts for ultimate success. the teacher was
patient and persevering and the school
appeared to have made an advance in
order and learning.

I would advise a further appropriation
of one hundred and twenty five dollars, for
the schooling for the ensuing year of this part
of said tribe of Indians; believing that a con-
tinuance of such aid will be a substantial
good to them.

All which is respectfully submitted

In Senate Jan. 17. 61
Res. to Com on Indian
Affairs - Ed. H. C.
James M. Livingston
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Leonard Blodgett } Sup. School Com
acting for } of town of
Princeton

State of Maine,

1860		To Rolfe & Peabody, (Princeton) Dr.		
June	11	To 6 Primmers	18	1 08
"	"	" 6, 1 st Readers	25	1 50
"	"	" 2, 2 ^d Readers	40	80
"	"	" 4. Speller	25	1 00
"	"	" 6 Writing Books 6 ^{ts}		37
"	"	" 25 Pencils		20
"	"	" 25 Pencil holders		85
"	"	" 6 Slates	25	1 50
"	"	" 1 Qt Bottle Ink		50
"	"	" 1 Pail 25 ^{ts} 1 dipper 10		35
"	"	" 1 Broom 30 ^{ts} 3 rd Nails 65		45
"	"	" 78 feet Boards for Benches		1 56
"	"	" 1 st freight Bar to the Point		25
"	"	" 1 st passage back to school	1 00	11 41
"	15	" 4 Progressiv Primmers 18		72
"	"	" 1 Broom		30
"	"	" 1 Slate		25
"	"	" 1 st 1 st Soreby making Benches		50
"	"	" 2 Writing Books	12	189
"	18	" 3 Arithmetics @ 1 ⁶	5	50
"	20	" 2 Arithmetics @ 40		80
"	26	" 1 Writing Book		06
July	23	" 1 Arithmetic 63 ^{ts} pencil 6 ^{ts}		69
Aug	9	" 1 Writing Book 6 ^{ts} 2 Bottle Ink 12		18
Sept	17	" 1 st Room rent		1 50
"	"	" 1 st Mr Spener teacher's bill		96 81
Dec	7	" our services visiting &c	118 84	5 00
"	"	" Cr. in new acct to bal		15 31
				\$134.15

1859		Contra		Dr
Dec	28	By Bal of acct	32	10
June	15	" 3 spellers @ 1 ⁶ 2 1 st 2 ^d 3 ^d Readers not used	2	05
"	19	" Chk on Calais Bank	100	00
				\$134.15

Settled as above

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Rolfe & Peabody

1860		New acct.		Dr
Dec.	7	By Bal of acct		15.31

State of Maine to Jas. Spencer Dr
For Teaching school at Peter
Dana's Point Nove & $\frac{5}{7}$ months at
thirty Dollars pr month \$96,81

Recd Payt of L. Peabody
James Spencer
Princeton Sept 17, 1860.

SCHOOL REGISTER, FOR 1860-1861.

By a law of the State, the following blank, "properly filled up, completed and signed," must be deposited with the School Committee, or some one designated by the Committee to receive it, before the teacher shall be entitled to receive pay for his services.

1. Name of the Town,	<i>Indian Township</i>
2. Number of the District,	<i>No one</i>
3. Name of the Agent,	<i>Samuel Peabody</i>
4. Name of the Teacher,	<i>James Spencer</i>
5. When the School commenced,	<i>June 17, 1860</i>
6. When the School closed,	<i>Sept. 14th</i>
7. Length of the School in days, 5 1-2 days in a week,	<i>Seventy one</i>
8. Whole number of Scholars in the District,	<i>Twenty</i>
9. Whole number attending School,	<i>Twenty</i>
10. Average number,	<i>Nine</i>
11. How many in Winter School did not attend in Summer,	
12. Wages of Teacher, including board,	<i>Thirty Dollars per month</i>
13. Wages of Teacher in addition to board,	<i>Twenty two Dollars per month</i>
14. List of books used in School: <i>Wood & Holbrook's Primer & First Reader</i>	
Arithmetic, <i>B. Greenleaf's</i> Grammar, _____ Geography, _____	
Reading, _____ Dictionary, _____ U. S. History, _____	
Other books, _____	
15. Please name difficulties, if any, experienced in the instruction of the School,	<i>Deficiency of interest on the part of children and parents.</i>

REMARKS.

The teacher will learn from the agent the exact number of scholars having their legal residence in the district, whether at home at the time or not.

To find the average attendance, add the column of "days present," and divide the sum by the whole number of days in the session.

The teacher will find it necessary to note the attendance and absence of pupils *in half days*, in a memorandum from which he will fill up his Register at the close of his school, reducing the half days to whole days.

CHARACTER. *P. D. I.*—PUNCTUALITY, DEPORTMENT, IMPROVEMENT. It is recommended only, not required, that teachers keep a careful account of the punctuality, deportment, and improvement of each pupil, for the information of the Committee, using such descriptive terms or numbers as they may please, or the Committee direct, to indicate the character of the pupils in the several respects named.

Male teachers reckon their wages by the month, female teachers by the week.

REGISTER.

NAMES OF SCHOLARS.	Ages.	Entered.	Left.	Days Absent.	Days Present.	CHARACTER.		
						P.	D.	I.
Swason Dana	24	June 11	June 20	0	2			
Gabriel Joseph	17	" "	Sept 14	40	27			
Peter Newell	11	" "	" "	10	61			
Francis Newell	17	" "	" "	31	40			
Walis Newell	9	" "	Aug 12	26	17			
Mitchel Lewy	10	" "	" "	44	37			
Peter Joseph	10	" "	June 16		4			
Francis Gabriel	15	" "	July 3	28	43			
Peter Gabriel	14	" "	" "	28	43			
Newell Lewy	17	" "	" "	41	30			
Labeliel Lewy	10	" "	" "	26	45			
Hannah Lewy	15	" "	" "	39	32			
Francis Newell	10	" "	" "	27	44			
Annie Newell	8	" "	" "	43	28			
Molly Linsan	15	" "	" "	6	10			
Molly Linsip	12	" "	" "	17	54			
Mary Gabriel	12	" "	" "	16	53			
Sarah Lewy	8	" "	" "	50	21			
Sally	10	" "	Aug 12	24	18			
Sarah Newell	8	" "	" 8	30	20			

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						P.	D.	I.

School Register

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