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One acre of land situated in Eliot laying on the side of a hill canting south west. — Soil, hard gravel, with a number of large rocks on the same. The land was broke up in April A.D. 1846 and hauled on, ten load of manure, two third of which was fresh muck and the remainder yard dressing well mixed, and spread broad cast; harrowed once and planted with corn in May 8th. Crop good.

In May 1847 ploughed once, hauled on, ten forty bushel cart loads of manure composed one third part of fresh muck, and the remainder winter dung ^{mixed} spread, harrowed once and furrowed, planted with corn on the 14th in rows four feet apart and two feet between hills hoed twice and harvested in October 22^d 47³ and measured One hundred and forty bushels merchantable corn and eight bushels of small corn in ears heaping measure. The seed was Dutton's and Peerce's mixed.

Eliot Nov^r 10th 1847.

Moses Paul.

This Land measured by James Goodwin Jr

Corn measured by William H. Peters

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