

D. E. F. G.

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Building and  
Repairing Gun Houses

D  
George Perley  
Rect. 149<sup>00</sup>  
forbury P. M.  
in Gray.

Geo Perley  
Oct 1814.00

Recd of Isaac H. Benson Acting Quarter Master  
Genl of the State of Maine one hundred and forty  
nine dollars. which I promise to pay over imme-  
diately to George Perley for building a gun house  
in this town for the State of Maine.

May October 25<sup>th</sup> 1841

George Perley  
By Jonas H. Perley



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Description of the Gun House to be built in Gray.

30 feet long

20 feet wide

9 feet post between sills & plate

5 cross beams not less than 8 inches square

5 posts on each side not less than 8 inches square

four cross sills 8 inches square

all the sills, beams, posts, plates and ~~beams~~ to be of ~~good~~ sound white pine or hemlock timber free from sap - two good and sufficient braces to each post. eleven pair of rafters are to be put on the frame not less than 5 inches by six square at the lower end & four inches by five at the top end and not less than 13 feet long

The sleepers to be ~~not~~ <sup>not</sup> less than 3 feet distant from each other and less than 7 inches in diameter of good sound hemlock or pine.

The House to be raised one foot above the surface of the ground on ~~fourteen~~ <sup>fourteen</sup> stone posts sunk in the ground below the action of frost.

The whole building to be covered with sound boards not less than  $7/8$  inch thick & well seasoned.

One Door to swing in two parts seven feet high & nine feet wide, hung with large strap hinges riveted on, and fastened by a cross bar hasp & staples and a large stock lock.

Four windows of 12 lights each of glass each 8 by 10 with swing shutters fastened with ~~four~~ <sup>four</sup> hasps & staples.

The floor to be of good sound plank two inches thick or of good sound ~~board~~ pine boards one inch thick double laid and well jointed and nailed to the sills and sleepers.



The end of the building next to the road to be clapboarded with good clear ~~off~~ clapboard, and the roof two sides and the other end of same house to be shingled with No 1 pine shingles, well nailed.

The whole to be done in a faithful and workman like manner of good materials and painted with two coats of pure white lead, well laid on with good linseed oil. Excepting the roof which is not to be painted and the door and window shutters which are to be painted light slate color.

The cross sills are to be underpined or supported by stone pillars.

I hereby agree to build, erect and finish a gun house for the State on the lot of land this day deeded to the State by Joseph Webster, of the description before pointed out on this and the preceding page of this sheet to be built and completed on or before the tenth day of September next, for the consideration of one hundred and forty nine dollars to be paid when the building shall have been completed to the satisfaction of Isaac Hodsdon Acting Quarter Master Genl. Dated the thirtieth day of June 1848

Witness  
Charles Bancroft

George Perley

CD  
Gun House  
in Gray  
14900

Rec'd

I certify that the house above described has been built and completed according to the above agreement to my satisfaction  
Isaac Hodsdon Acting Qr.  
M Gen



James Dudley

Nov. 1822, 54

for ~~Ben~~ repairing  
Gun House in Reading



State of Maine To James Dudley D<sup>r</sup>

1841.

July 10 <sup>th</sup> To 75 lbs white lead, - - - -	6.50
" 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ Gallons Sarsaparilla -	6.41
" 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ days painting	5.25
" 9 hags and staples at 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ c	1.13
" Wharving up the entrance of the Gunhouse	2.00
" mending door of Gun House & Nails for floor	1.00
" putting on 4 hags - - - -	25
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Readfield August the 6<sup>th</sup> 1841 Rec<sup>d</sup> of Isaac Housdon  
Acting Quarter Master General twenty two dollars and fifty  
four cents in full for painting and other repairs upon the  
State Gun House in Readfield, as charged in the above  
bill.

James Dudley

Isaac Housdon



Samuel Noys's bill  
for expenditures on  
State Gun House in  
Monmouth.

91.00



State of Maine to Samuel Noyes D:  
August 13<sup>th</sup> 1841

To labor and material expended  
on the State Gun House in Monmouth,  
as per agreement with Isaac Holliston  
acting Quarter Master Gen: \$91.00  
Samuel Noyes

August 13 1841 Rec<sup>d</sup> of Isaac Holliston ninety  
one dollars in full of the above account.  
Samuel C Noyes



Gun House  
in Bangor  
G.



No 1.  
Francis Pickney  
Bills for Luben  
on Gen House at Bangor

105.00

John Smith  
Det. in B. D. D.

Received of  
John Smith

105.00



State of Maine To Francis Trickey, Dr  
Nov 19 1841 To carpenter and mason work, lumber  
nails lime and other materials ex-  
pended in repairing the States gun  
house in Bangor as per agreement } \$105.00

We the undersigned, a committee appointed to superintend  
the expenditure made by Francis Trickey under the direction  
of Isaac Hodsdon Acting Quarter Master General, upon the  
States gun house in Bangor, do hereby certify, that the  
work has been completed in a workmanlike manner  
of good materials, according to an agreement made by us  
with the said Trickey, and he is entitled to receive for the  
same one hundred and five dollars

Isaac Lambert } Committee  
E. W. Bennett }

Receipt of Isaac Hodsdon Acting Quarter Master Gen<sup>l</sup>  
One hundred and five dollars in full of the above  
account. Nov 30, 1841

Thomas Trickey



No 2  
Ebenezer Adams  
Gen House at Waver  
Bills 25,00

Adams  
Gen House



State of Maine Range Oct 31. 1841  
To Ebenezer Adams Dr

For building twelve peers per  
Contract at the gins home Thornton Hill  
so called 24.00

For prying up & leaving timber 1.00  
\$ 25.00

Re: Payment of Isaac Haddon  
acting Quarter Master Gen<sup>l</sup> twenty five dollars

in full  
attest Charles Hutton

Ebenezer Adams



No 3

D. S. Knight

30.00



State of Maine D. L. Knight & Co

Dec. <sup>the</sup> 20 To painting gun-house out Side

Received Payment \$30.00

Bangor Dec. the 20. 1841. Daniel L. Knight & Co

I hereby certify that the above bill is correct  
James Smith

Bangor Dec 20 1841 Received of  
Isaac Hodsdon acting Quarter Master Genl  
Thirty dollars in full payment of the above  
account.  
James Smith



L.  
William L. Embury

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For repairs on Gun House  
in Portland.

Portland Gun House



State of Maine by order of Genl.  
Isaac Hodsdon to W C Osborn Dr  
Portland 1844

July 14 To Repairs on the Gun House. viz  
To paid Mathews & Hogg's Bill Lumber \$6.87  
" Paid Peter Mudgett Labour 1.50  
" Paid Jos Backhouse Labour 3.12  
" 2 Windows & Lights 729 c 48 c 10 4.80  
" 148 Nails c 76 .98  
2 Slids with Screws & Nails for Scallops 50  
1 1/2 Bush Lime for Whitewash c 1.00  
2 pairs of Glass & setting the same in old windows 20  
Paid for Carting Lumber c 25 38  
\$19.35

Received of Genl Isaac Hodsdon Acting Quarter  
Master General military Stores for in full  
for the above account  
Portland Oct 26 1844 W C Osborn



No 1  
Gun house Waterman  
J Arnold  
Me. ~~Me.~~

3.25



The State of Maine

To <sup>St</sup> Jeremiah Arnold

1841

Aug 12	for 1 Pad Lock for Gun House	1 00
	Blacksmith work on do	1 00
	Nails $\frac{1}{6}$ for do	25
	My Service on Gun House	1 00
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		\$ 2.5

Rec<sup>d</sup> pay<sup>t</sup> of Gen<sup>l</sup> Hodgdon

Jeremiah Arnold



N.

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Bill

3/6

New House at Clinton



Dr State of Maine to Ascher Hinds  
 To repair of Gun house in Clinton on  
 24 feet pine plank — — .58  
 " 1/4 in. Shingles, 50 lbs, 3 lbs nails .21 — .71  
 " blacksmith bill to James  
 Bradford, hinges, hasps, staples & spikes } 1.22  
 " Paid Harison Waldron for work — 1.25  
 \$ 3.76

Oct. 20, 1841 Received payment of  
 Isaac Hodsdon Adjt. Gen.

Ascher Hinds

Gen. Hodsdon,

Agreeably to your request, on  
 my return from Boston I attended to the  
 repair of the Gun house. I had the shingles  
 repaired, a hinge put on the door, & the shutters  
 all secured — I had a place fitted on the  
 inside of the building & the harnesses hung  
 up, as you requested — above is my bill  
 receipted

Very Respectfully  
 Ascher Hinds



No 1  
Gun Horn Wisconsin  
Wm B Chickster

O. 6.00



State of Maine

To William B. Chick Jr.

1840. July 31. To putting window Blinds

On Gun House in wiscauset

\$ 6.  
00

Rec<sup>d</sup> Payment Wm B Chick



A W Holbrook.

Lincoln Is May 22. 1841 Personally appeared  
Wm Chick and made oath that the  
within Bill is true and that the same  
is unpaid — Before me

I hereby certify that the within named Wm Chick was directed by the  
to repair and make the blades of the Gun Horse as with date. B W Holbrook Secy

No 1. K  
Robert D Silver  
Receipt for. \$100.00

Rec July 28. 1841



\$100

Philad<sup>a</sup> July 23<sup>d</sup> 1841

Received of Gen<sup>l</sup> Hodsdon, Ad<sup>l</sup> General  
Maine Militia, One Hundred Dollars, in account  
of Bill of \$100. for Tickets furnished the State of  
Maine.

Wm<sup>l</sup> P. DeVelos

Philad<sup>a</sup> July 23<sup>d</sup> 1841

Dear Sir,

Herewith you have receipt for \$100  
being Amt<sup>y</sup> of Draft received this day in account of  
my Bill against the State for \$100.

Respectfully

Wm<sup>l</sup> P. DeVelos

my  
S<sup>r</sup>

Gen<sup>l</sup> Hodsdon.

Ad<sup>l</sup> Gen<sup>l</sup>

Maine Mil.