

Hartland 1887-1888

Maine State Yearbook and Legislative Manual
Annual Report of the Various Public Officers and Businesses for Maine

Nineteen miles east of Skowhegan on Sebasticook River. Terminus of Sebasticook & Moosehead Rail Road. Settled about 1802. Organized as a Plantation on October 11, 1811. Incorporated as 235th Town on February 7, 1820.

Population - 1850 @ 960; 1860 @ 1050; 1870 @ 1120; 1880 @ 1047

(Great Flood of May 1887)

Town Officers:

Postmaster - Albert W. Miller

Selectman - Prince W. Thompson, Greenville J. Shaw, John S. Page

Town Clerk - Dr. H. H. Turner

Treasurer - Calvin Blake, Jr

Tax Collector - Calvin Blake, Jr

Constable - Calvin Blake Jr, Allen Webber

School Committee - Charles Rowell II, Flora McCausland, David E. Thompson

Board of Health - Dr. Edwin A. Bean, Albert W. Miller, John Larrabee

Clergyman - Methodist, E. Skinner; Baptist, Charles Bean; Free Baptist, James Tibbetts

Physicians - Dr. C. W. Judkins, Dr. David R. Brown, Dr. Edwin A. Bean

Dentist - Dr. H. H. Turner

Lawyer - James O. Bradbury

Notary - (Unreported)

Justices - Quorum: Albert W. Miller; Trial: Laurence Williams, Amasa J. Moor, James O. Bradbury

Merchants:

George M. Lancey; dry goods and groceries (*Commercial Street, his father's former store*)

Charles F. Pratt; dry goods and groceries (*Academy Street*)

Charles H. Skinner; dry goods and groceries (*Commercial Street*)

D. W. & Charles P. Barnes; groceries

Albert W. Miller; apothecaries, books & stationery (*Main Street*)

Mrs. Ira W. Page (*Anna Folsom*); millinery (*Commercial Street*)

Miss A. A. Withee; millinery

E. S. Lock; clothing

J. G. Durgin; boots & shoes

F. Buker; harnesses

Freeman Daniels; jewelry

George W. Furber; jewelry (*Main Street*)

C. F. Knowles; groceries & confectioneries

A. Washburn; groceries & confectioneries

D. Hardy; groceries, confectioneries & restaurant

Robert E. Latty; hardware (*Main Street*)

Burgess & Ireland; hardware

Andrew H. Buck; stoves & tinware (*Main Street then moved to Commercial Street after flood*)

Mrs. John Ham; sewing machines & musical instruments

Manufacturers:

Archibald Linn; shawls & cassimeres (*Lower Dam, Main Street*)

Archibald Linn; gristmill (*Lower Dam, Main Street*)

Amasa J. Moor & Son (*Walter H. Moor*); lumber, doors, sash & blinds (*Upper Dam, Moore Street*)

James W. Moor; furniture, chairs & settees (*Upper Dam, Moore Street*)

James W. Moor; coffins & caskets (*Upper Dam, Moore Street*)

John Page & Son (*John S. Page*); upper leathers (*Main Street; building heavily damaged in flood*)

Greenville J. Shaw; sole leather (*Upper Dam, North Street*)

Lyman Cook & Company; spool timber

George L. Morrison; woolens

Darius B. Ham; granite works

Daniel Sawyer & Son; carriages (*Lower Dam, Main Street*)

Lamont Griffith; carriages

L. Judkins, Sylvester H. Wilkens, Lorenzo Burgess, W. W. White; blacksmiths

A. B. Parkman; blacksmith & machinist

Asa Washburn, Merrick & Robinson; painters

J. D. Newmarch; tailor

General:

Barber - A. Bowman

Insurance - George M. Lancey (Fire)

Livery Stables - Richmond L. Williams, James Fuller Jr, H. Q. Worthen

Schools - Hartland Academy, Principal, (Unreported)

Associations - Masons Corinthian No. 95; I. O. O. F.; I. O. G. T.

Hotels - Park House, Richmond L. Williams; Hartland House, H. Q. Worthen