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To the Honorable, Governor and Council:

Gentlemen:

I would respectfully ask attention and authority of the Council to the following; at your present session, being matters where the Land Agent is subject to direction of your honorable body.

To execute a permit to Seth Spaulding for cutting lumber on the reserved land in Reed Plantation in the County of Aroostook for such term of time as may be determined shall be for the best interest of the Plantation.

To sell the State's interest in what is known as "Sam Brackett" Island Penobscot Bay, said to be of small value, containing no valuable soil, wanted for fishing improvements: reserving in the deed ~~to~~ re-investment, if Government or State shall ever require its use for Coast purposes.

To have what is termed "Sheep", and latterly "Wade's" Island, situated in the town of Mount Desert, containing some 5 or 6 acres examined and facts reported, to enable the Land Agent to sell the interest of the State

in the same with reservations for Coast Sur-
poses.

To make an exploration or obtain necessary
information in some more economical form
to determine whether Townships 15 R 5;
16 R 6 and a portion of 17 R 4 all situated
in proximity to Settlements, in the County
of Aroostook; contain lands adapted for
settlement by character of soil, growth and
situation; as to make it advisable for the
Governor, State Treasurer and Land Agent
to notify the European and North American
Railway Company to cause either or all
of the tracts named to be surveyed and offered
for sale agreeably to the requirement in
the Conveying the lands of the State to said
Company.

Very Respectfully,

J. R. Clark,
Land Agent

May 23^d 1879.

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S. R. Board

Very Respectfully,

Sam. Johnson