

with the exception of those for the years 1822, 1827, and 1828, which could not be found in the office.

On examining the rolls for 1820, 1821, and 1823, a new difficulty presented itself in the fact, that for these years the number of acres assessed is entered, but the lot and concession to which they belong is not designated. This difficulty was in part removed by having the names of the occupants. We have therefore presumed that

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| Lots No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 12, in the 1st Con., containing | | 1150 acres. |
| Also, No. 1, | " 2nd " | 200 |
| " 2, 3, and 12, in the Broken Front, | " | 500 |
| " a, b, c, and d, Gores, | " | 838 |
| " a, for 1820 and 1821 | " | 70 |
| Total | | 2758 |

Were entered for these years on the roll, by the Assessor, because for these years, they are not entered as having paid absentee tax to the Treasurer, and as the number of acres returned by the rolls for these years is as follows, namely :

In 1820, 2725 acres.
In 1821, 2651 acres.
In 1823, 3202 acres.

Nearly corresponding with the number of acres in the above lots. The number of acres for 1823 is greater than for 1820 or 1821; but as Mr. Springer in 1823 was assessed for 1400 acres, and in 1820 only for 500, we suppose that part of the 1400 acres were in an adjoining Township, as the rolls for these years, in some instances, include lands in adjoining Townships; so that the number of acres assessed by the rolls, and the quantity of acres in these lots, nearly correspond; and as the assessment rolls for the years 1822, 1827, and 1828, could not be found, we have also presumed, the same lots, and also number 15, in the first Concession, were entered on the roll by the Assessor for these years, because they were assessed in the years 1824, 1825, or 1826 preceding, and some of them in 1829, the year following; and as they are not entered as having paid absentee tax for these years, with the exception of number 12, in the first Concession, which appears to have paid tax on 100 acres in the years 1827 and 1828. We have accordingly entered all these lands for these years, as assessed, in the accompanying *Schedule C* and in the accompanying *Schedule D*, the summary abstract of the Township, such lands are not entered in figures in the column headed, assessed, but there is a line drawn across the column for these years, in blue ink, to show that they are not charged as in arrear. After examining all the assessment rolls, from the Clerk of the Peace's Office, and reducing their contents to regular order, in lots and concessions, it became comparatively less difficult to ascertain what lands had been assessed, with the exception of certain lots in the broken front and first