
R E P O R T

OF THE

COMMISSIONER OF CROWN LANDS

OF CANADA, FOR 1862.

To His Excellency The Right Honorable CHARLES STANLEY, Viscount MONCK, Baron Monck of Ballytrammon, in the County of Wexford, Governor General of British North America, etc., etc., etc.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

In conformity with the provisions of the Act respecting the sale and management of the Public Lands, I have the honor of submitting to Your Excellency the following report of the proceedings, transactions and affairs of the Department of Crown Lands during the year ending on the 31st December, 1862.

Following the order observed in former reports, I shall commence with statistical details and conclude with general observations.

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232,186 acres were sold during the year, for \$106,197.65, and 31,228 acres located as free grants on the colonization roads.

Deducting the number of acres sold and located as free grants from the quantity disposable at the commencement of the year, 5,593,833 acres, and adding the amount surveyed during the year, 578,138 acres, gives a balance of 5,908,557 acres on hand at its close. The gross amount received was \$55,584.94.