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plies and tools, which the completion of the Railway from Portland to Island Pond will secure, that work will also be finished by the 1st of July next; the forces employed have lately been increased, the character of the work to do is light, and the material is of the most favourable kind for working. The Contractor has been made aware of the necessity there exists for the work being completed by the time here stated, and has given every assurance that he will not fail to do so. Mr. Wood's well-deserved reputation for ability and punctuality, and the great personal interest he has in the final completion of the entire road, irrespective of the claims upon him by the contract he has entered into, will cause him to use the utmost exertions to fulfil his engagements, and, I have every reason to believe, with success.

I beg to submit, for your information, the quantities of work done, and remaining to be done, on the section of the road between the Terminus at Longueuil and the Boundary, as well as on the division of the road between the Boundary Line and Island Pond:—

STATEMENT

Of work done, and remaining to be done on the Road from Longueuil to the Boundary Line:

Description of Work.	Tot'l quantity of work done on the Road.		Quantity of work done during the past year.		Quantities of work remaining to be done.	
Earth excavation hauled into em-						
bankment	5,218,174	C yds.	2,004,221	C yds.	437,989	C yds.
Rock excavation			132,749		19,676	do.
Masonry in Bridges		do.	7,834	do.	2,100	do.
Masonry in Box Culverts		do.	31,768	do.	500	do.
Masonry in Arched Culverts	8,937	do.	8,269	do.	500	do.
Superstructure of Bridges	3,118	do.	739	L. ft.	473	L. ft.
Timber & Plank in foundations	2,866,634	ft B. m.	898,868	ft Bm.		
Rip. Rap. Wall	74,859	yards.	49,222	yards.	1,250	yards.
Track laid including Sidings		miles.	30	miles.	28	miles.
Ballasting		C yds.	191,110	C yds.	326,000	C yds.
Iron	13,100	tons.		•		•

STATEMENT

Of work done, and remaining to be done on the Division of the road from the Boundary Line to Island Pond.

Description of Work.	Tot'l Quantities of work on the division.		Quantities of work remaining to be done.	
Earth excavation hauled into embankment Rock excavation	744,810 C yds. 53,000 do. 884 do.	10,634 do. 221 do.	549,375 C yds. 42,366 do. 663 do. 1,602 do.	
Masonry on Culverts Superstructure of Bridges Timber & Plank on Foundations Rip. Rap. Wall Iron Laying of Track	3,250 do. 180 L. ft. 82,206 ft B.m. 1,500 C yds.		180 L. ft. 40,171 ft B.m.	