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CANADA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

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THIRTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF ACTIVITIES UNDER THE MARITIME MARSHLAND REHABILITATION ACT 1961-62

INTRODUCTION

The maritime marshlands cover an estimated 100,000 acres, principally around the Bay of Fundy.

Although the majority of farms consist largely of upland holdings, and farms consisting entirely of fertile marshlands are in the minority, the marshlands have long been considered important to the economy of the region. Some areas were protected for agricultural use 320 years ago.

Federal assistance for the preservation and extension of this resource was arranged after a combination of factors had seriously handicapped the owners.

The Maritime Marshland Rehabilitation Act was passed in 1948. Under the Act, federal responsibility is to provide the main protective works, while that of the provinces is to assure proper land utilization.

The Act is administered by the Federal Department of Agriculture, through the Maritime Marshland Rehabilitation Administration.

ADMINISTRATION AND ORGANIZATION

The Maritime Marshland Rehabilitation Administration headquarters was established at Amherst, Nova Scotia, in 1949. All operations are controlled from this headquarters by a Director responsible to the Deputy Minister of Agriculture.

The establishment comprises:

1. Administration and Accounting Branch.

2. Engineering Branch -

- (a) Surveys and Design.
- (b) Construction Services.
- (c) Workshop and Equipment.

Construction divisions operate from Amherst and Windsor, Nova Scotia. Temporary additional offices are established from time to time as required.

The Maritime Marshland Rehabilitation Advisory Committee was established as required under Section 8 of the Act. The Act states "No work shall be undertaken in any Province ... unless (a) the work has been recommended by an Advisory Committee ...".

The Advisory Committee did not meet during the year as there were no outstanding project requests from the provinces and no other developments requiring consideration.

SUMMARY OF PROGRESS TO DATE

Projects and Acreages Protected

All projects which have been approved by the Minister of Agriculture for Canada and which have not been incorporated into larger projects are designated as active. The number of active projects in each province on March 31, 1962, and the acreages protected are as follows:

	No. of Active	Acreage
Province	Projects	Protected
Nova Scotia	84	44,054
New Brunswick	38	36,936
Prince Edward Island	1	275
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The active projects in each province, and the acreages protected are listed in Appendix 1.

Construction of Works

The marshlands are protected from the tides by dykes. At major stream crossings where fresh water runoff is to be discharged these include structures known locally as aboiteaux. River bank control and foreshore protective works are installed where required.

The construction trend, directed by economic feasibility studies, has been towards protecting areas in groups, using a single large aboiteau, or dam, instead of miles of dyke and large numbers of small aboiteaux. It is probable that this trend will in time render obsolete some of the protective works constructed during the current program.

A graph showing the annual progress from 1949 to 1962 appears in Appendix IV.

THE CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM FOR THE YEAR INVOLVED:

1. The Annapolis River Dam, Annapolis County, Nova Scotia

This dam also serves as the Provincial highway river crossing. Construction was undertaken as a joint project with the Province of Nova Scotia Department of Highways. Under agreement, Canada and Nova Scotia share the cost in the ratio of 1.75 to 1.00. Construction commenced in March, 1958.

During the year, construction was practically completed.

This dam is the largest single structure constructed under the Act.

2. Tantramar River Dam, Westmorland County, New Brunswick.

This dam also serves as the Trans-Canada Highway river crossing. Construction was undertaken as a joint project with the Province of New Brunswick Department of Public Works. **Under the agreement Canada and New** Brunswick shared the cost in the ratio of 7.75 to 2.25.

Construction commenced in May, 1958, and was completed during the

3. Standard Projects

Construction was initiated on and protection provided for four projects in Nova Scotia and one project in New Brunswick.

Works previously constructed were improved and extended on several projects.

It has been found advantageous to quarry, haul and place required protective rock for most projects during the winter months. This program was successfully continued last winter.

Maintenance work was undertaken on project structures as required.

Details of expenditures to date on all projects are recorded in Appendix

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4. Special Projects

The existence of several multipurpose structures, serving as aboiteaux and highway or railway culverts, prompted the careful investigation of possible combined undertakings early in the rehabilitation program. Such investigations have been continued and details of expenditures on projects which became joint projects appear in Appendix III.

5. Outstanding Projects

Although construction has been initiated and practically completed on all projects approved, there are serveral projects which have been favourably considered by the Advisory Committee and on which for various reasons the provinces concerned have postponed requesting action. These are as follows:

Nova Scotia Region

N.S. 102, Chebogue Marsh, Yarmouth County

N.S. 114, Great Village Marsh, Colchester County

New Brunswick Region

N.B. 37, Sackville-Ram Pasture, Westmorland County (an extension of the presently completed Sackville project).

6. Special Investigations

The Maritime Marshland Rehabilitation Administration has attempted to bridge the gap between the early dyke building and present-day engineering construction. Various design principles and construction techniques of value in related fields of construction have been developed in the process.

The Administration has had complete design and construction responsibilities on all joint projects and has frequently advised provincial government agencies, municipalities, private groups and individuals on construction matters related to Administration experience.

APPENDIX I. MARITIME MARSHLAND REHABILITATION PROJECTS

Active Projects

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Note: Acreages are based on information available on March 31, 1962, and include dyke rights-of-way, roads and creeks.

Proje	ect	Character 4		Acreage
No		Name of Marsh	County	Protected Marsh
			NOVA SCOTIA	
N.S.	2	Windsor Forks	Hants	465
N.S.	3	Falmouth Great Dyke	Hants	975
N.S.	4	Queen Anne	Annapolis	477
N.S.	5	Dugau	Annapolis	172
N.S.	6	Saulnierville	Digby	73
N.S.	8	Grand Pre (inc. Wickwire)	Kings	3013
N.S.	11	Truro Dykeland Park	Colchester	878
N.S.	12	Victoria Diamond Jubilee	Colchester	527
N.S.	13	Dentiballis	Annapolis	348
N.S.	14	Elderkin	Hants	203
N.S.	15	Isgonish	Colchester	491
N.S.	16	Castle Frederick	Hants	145
NS	17	Falmouth Village	Hants	97
N S	18	Rverson	Annapolis	86
N S	2.0	Advocate	Cumberland	489
N.S.	2.3	Masstown	Colchester	986
N.S	2.4	Noel Shore	Hants	309
N.S.	2.7	Newport Town	Hants	338
N.S	30	Allan River	Annapolis	122
NS	38	St Croix	Hants	248
N S	39	Bound	Colchester	86
N S	40	Fort Belcher	Colchester	181
N.S.	41	Habitant	Kings	677
N S	42	Amberst Point	Cumberland	2252
N.S	44	Converse	Cumberland	838
N S	45	Barronsfield	Cumberland	237
N S	46	River Hebert	Cumberland	1052
N S	47	Selmah	Hants	188
N S	48	Centre Burlington	Hants	158
N S	40	Scotch Village	Hants	89
N S	50	Herbert River	Hants	74
N S	52	St Maryla Bay	Dicher	602
N S	53	St. Mary's Day	Cumborland	092
N S	54	Minudia	Cumberland	2711
N S	55	Seaman	Cumberland	441
N S	56	Wallington	Vinge	3105
N S	57	Now Minas	Kings	304
N S	59	Rew Minas	Kings Vormouth	204
N C	61	Brown Salt Pond	Iarmouth	140
N S	63	Maggar	Gumbanland	200
N C	64	Maccan	Cumberland	200
N S	65	Richan Backwith	Vince	604
N C	66	Flowming	Coloberter	277
V.S.	67	Onclow North Diver	Colchester	406
V.D.	60	Tragothia	Uorchester	574
N.D.	60	Martack	Hants	270
N.D.	09	Martock	Hants	1478
N.D.	70	Cnegoggin Casas Bass	Yarmouth	425
N.D.	(1	Goose Bay	Yarmouth	269
N. D.	12	Horton	Kings	309

Project	Name of Marsh	County	Acreage Protected Marsh
		county	Trotected Maron
N.S. 75	Armstrong	Hants	53
N.S. 76	Farnham Dyke	Kings	192
N.S. 77	Princeport	Colchester	49
N.S. 78	Athol	Cumberland	131
N.S. 79	Chambers	Hants	61
N.S. 80	Starr's Point	Kings	303
N.S. 81	Lower Truro	Colchester	399
N.S. 82	Kentville	Kings	71
N.S. 85	Mantua Poplar Grove	Hants	362
N.S. 86	Central Onslow	Colchester	291
N.S. 87	Chignecto	Cumberland	544
N.S. 88	Burlington	Hants	106
N.S. 90	Old Barns	Colchester	181
N.S. 91	Belcher Street	Kings	346
N.S. 92	Avonport	Kings	255
N.S. 93	Greenhill	Hants	53
N.S. 95	Fort Lawrence-Amherst	Cumberland	3400
N.S. 97	Highland Village	Colchester	212
N.S. 98	Stewiacke	Colchester	146
N.S. 100	Wentworth	Hants	150
N.S. 101	Pereaux	Kings	113
N.S. 103	Annapolis River Dam	Annapolis	4300
N.S. 104	Sunny Slope	Hants	17
N.S. 105	Belmont	Hants	72
N.S. 106	Fort Ellis	Colchester	203
N.S. 108	Argyle	Yarmouth	45
N.S. 109	Nappan River Dam	Cumberland	1074
N.S. 111	Burntcoat	Hants	37
N.S. 112	Rhynds Creek	Hants	187
N.S. 113	Southside	Colchester	134
N.S. 115	Nappan-Maccan	Cumberland	388
N.S. 116	Shubenacadie	Hants	111
N.S. 117	Tufts	Colchester	87
N.S. 119	Upper Maccan	Cumberland	169
N.S. 121	Green's Creek	Colchester	75
		Total	44,054

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NEW BRUNSWICK

N.B.	4	Allison	Westmorland	197	
N.B.	5	Westcock	Westmorland	800	
N.B.	6	Taylor Village	Westmorland	444	
N.B.	8	Coyle Landry	Westmorland	305	
N.B.	11	Belliveau Village	Westmorland	191	
N.B.	12	Pre d'en Haut	Westmorland	113	
N.B.	13	Dorchester	Westmorland	1758	
N.B.	14	Lower Coverdale	Albert	149	
N.B.	15	Middle Coverdale	Albert	31	
N.B.	16	Dixon Island	Westmorland	330	
N.B.	17	New Horton	Albert	799	
N.B.	18	Fox Creek	Westmorland	96	
N.B.	19	Beaumont	Westmorland	207	
N.B.	20	Gautreau Village	Westmorland	209	
N.B.	21	Memramcook West	Westmorland	1105	
N.B.	24	Aulac	Westmorland	2050	

Proje No.	ct	Name of Marsh	County	Acreage Protected Marsh
N.B.	25	Dock	Westmorland	42
N.B.	26	Dover	Westmorland	43
N.B.	27	College Bridge	Westmorland	873
N.B.	28	Upper Coverdale	Albert	45
N.B.	30	Calkins	Albert	227
N.B.	33	West Coverdale	Albert	260
N.B.	36	Boundary Creek	Westmorland	51
N.B.	37	Sackville	Westmorland	473
N.B.	.40	Woodpoint	Westmorland	43
N.B.	41	Turtle Creek	Albert	125
N.B.	43	Creek's	Albert	93
N.B.	45	Chartersville	Westmorland	348
N.B.	46	Wilson	Westmorland	157
N.B.	47	Hillsboro	Albert	967
N.B.	50	Black River	Saint John	41
N.B.	51	Shepody River Dam	Albert	5552
N.B.	54	Jones Creek	Westmorland	51
N.B.	55	Missaguash	Westmorland	333
N.B.	56	Tantramar River Dam	Westmorland	17988
N. B.	57	Redbank	Westmorland	41
N.B.	58	Memramcook	Westmorland	215
N. B.	60	Petitcodiac River Survey	Westmorland	
		,	and Albert	
N.B.	62	St. Martins	Saint John	184
			Total	36,936

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APPENDIX II EXPENDITURES UNDER THE MARITIME MARSHLAND REHABILITATION ACT

	1949-1961	1961-1962
Administration	\$ 521,756.10	\$ 35,526.28
Surveys and Engineering	1,789,425.08	106,737.09
Workshop and Construction Supervision	3,204,392.18	303,440.84
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Construction and Maintenance of Projects		
and Special Surveys:		
NOVA SC	OTIA	
NOVA SC		
Advocate Marsh	124, 534, 33	945.49
Allan River Marsh	50,447,80	24.21
Amherst Point Marsh	165, 318, 12	1, 328, 13
Annapolis Royal Town Marsh	27.624.41	-,
Annapolis River Survey	27.049.60	
Annapolis River Dam	1. 511. 236. 94	80,455,18
Armstrong Marsh	17 699 48	122 77
Argule Marsh	15 068 32	86.83
Athol Marsh	20 531 02	3 22
Augment March	103 264 36	3 271 01
Remonational March	02 255 70	3, 271.01
Barronsheld Marsh	2 644 17	404.24
Dartiett's Beach Marsh	2,044.17	220 54
Belcher Street Marsh	110,975.75	329.54
Belmont Marsh	25, 658. 19	244.47
Bishop Beckwith Marsh	176,063.44	2,838.58
Brown Salt Pond Marsh	23,647.96	1,026.34
Burlington Marsh	46, 128.70	199.34
Burntcoat Marsh	14,920.96	25.96
Castle Frederick Marsh	54,760.43	232.52
Central Onslow Marsh	46,808.07	2,347.74
Centre Burlington Marsh	36,809.22	38.93
Chambers Marsh	15,760.42	
Chegoggin Marsh	32,740.08	83.25
Chignecto Marsh	46,216.88	649.46
Comeau Marsh	38,268.06	
Converse Marsh	146,460.51	2,086.46
Dentiballis Marsh	102,954.42	3,238.98
Dugau Marsh	29,893.87	11, 328.83
Elderkin Marsh	69,888.00	425.17
Falmouth Great Dyke Marsh	136, 473. 45	51,832.06
Falmouth Village Marsh	42,055.48	229.25
Farnham Dyke Marsh	33,063.90	12.30
Fleming Marsh	47, 127.51	442.84
Fort Belcher Marsh	58,070.06	3,389.36
Fort Ellis Marsh	34,855.00	13, 539.35
Fox Bow Marsh	20,242.73	
Fort-Lawrence-Amherst Marsh	84,978.53	387.53
Glenholme Marsh	64,468.18	305.03
Goose Bay Marsh	29,002.59	157.78
Grand Pre Marsh	567,896.24	11,059.17
Granville Centre Marsh	27, 213.80	
Greenhill Marsh	28,646.27	2,248.57

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Construction and Maintenance of and Special Surveys (Cont'd)	of Projects	
NOVA	SCOTIA 1949-1961	1961-1962
Green's Creek Marsh		29,094.93
Habitant Marsh	21, 502.47	
Herbert River Marsh	26, 477. 85	341.98
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Herbert River Marsh	26,477.85	341.98
Highland Village Marsh	64,657.29	4,142.10
Horton Marsh	102,667.56	1,691.92
Isgonish Marsh	175, 574.13	588.26
John Lusby Marsh	140,983.82	632.32
Kennetcook Marsh	49,942.62	119.86
Kentville Marsh	16,277.98	94.09
Lower Truro Marsh	58,426.94	3,508.71
Maccan Marsh	39,668.61	207.35
Mantua Poplar Grove Marsh	81,685,65	2,139.26
Martock Marsh	166,831,09	923.71
Masstown Marsh	188,433.16	9,995,46
McKav Marsh	17, 165.94	
Messenger Marsh	3,457,06	
Mill Marsh	7,321,94	
Minudie Marsh	145,206,36	496.19
Morse Marsh	4,616,95	_,,
Morse Bishop Marsh	3, 173, 26	
Moschelle Marsh	28, 719, 68	
Mount Anne Marsh	60, 302, 71	
Nappan-Maccan Marsh	17, 725, 35	672.31
Nappan River Dam	172, 349, 82	3, 467, 79
New Minas Marsh	96, 149, 44	329.39
Newport Town Marsh	74,648,15	259.32
Noel Shore Marsh	187.300.88	1. 334. 87
Old Barns Marsh	43, 929, 77	8,840,36
Onslow North River Marsh	75. 372. 09	1, 564, 83
Pre Rond Marsh	9,014,96	1,001100
Pereaux Marsh	21, 292, 61	50.00
Princeport Marsh	15, 841, 92	1,458,53
Queen Anne Marsh	167, 889, 52	3,019,99
Rhynds Creek Marsh	45, 996, 97	2, 911, 41
Ricketson Marsh	2, 519 54	.,
Biver Hebert Marsh	244, 469, 64	8,462,32
Rosette Marsh	2,977 37	0,102.02
Round Marsh	37, 569, 82	98 00
Rverson Marsh	55 359 89	/0.00
Saulnierville Marsh	7 139 88	54 00
Scotch Village Marsh	20 474 36	8 958 26
Seaman Marsh	44 838 68	235 15
Selmah Marsh	27 348 46	39 73
Shipley Marsh	4 609 00	57.15
Shubenacadie Marsh	23 657 87	337 51
Southside Marsh	26 577 38	196 80
Starr's Point March	110 458 86	8 143 84
St. Croix Marsh	94 848 05	1 958 52
St. Mary's Bay Marsh	77 60	95 071 78
Stewiacke Marsh	37 408 80	1 980 13
Suppy Slope Marsh	10 133 78	59 21
Tregothic Marsh	52, 850 46	806 48
Truro Dykeland Park Marsh	119,981 35	2,433,02
Tufts Marsh	··/, /01.33	19 409 56
Tupperville Marsh	18,608 25	1, 1, 50
Unper Belleisle Marsh	32,091 75	

Construction and Maintenance of Projects		
NOVA SCOTIA	1949-1961	1961-1962
Haner Narrah March	54 929 55	
Upper Naccan March	51, /2/. 55	26 577 03
Upper Maccan Marsh	00 107 05	20, 577. 95
Victoria Diamond Jubilee Marsh	88, 197.85	2,059.19
Walker Marsh	5, 210.13	
Wellington Marsh	99,018.94	2,444.36
Wentworth Marsh	18, 271. 29	99.21
Windermere Marsh	49,026.18	
Windsor Forks Marsh	75,861.57	2,465.83
Woodworth Marsh	23, 487.11	Mathematical Josepheric Josepheric Schultz
Subtotal for Nova Scotia projects	8,064,330.91	455, 795.66
NEW BRUNSWICK	1949-1961	1961-1962
Allison Marsh	28, 125. 78	243.29
Aulac Marsh	291, 829, 38	2, 239, 19
Baje Verte Marsh	923.03	_, , ,
Beaumont Marsh	70 516 08	1 201 07
Belliveau Village Marsh	25 519 39	211 04
Black Diver Merch	14 027 51	70 77
Black River Marsh	14,037.01	10.11
Boundary Creek Marsh	4,430.00	200.05
Calkins Marsh	107, 971.05	389.05
Chartersville Marsh	62,710.21	442.14
Cole [®] s Island Marsh	52,094.47	
College Bridge Marsh	120,081.87	2,164.64
Coverdale Marsh	19.31	
Coyle Landry Marsh	49,331.31	65.00
Creeks Marsh	10,435.96	114.30
Dixon Island Marsh	73,014,43	403.25
Dock Marsh	18.018.28	78.34
Dorchester Marsh	281 064 15	7 921 47
Douce March	15 121 73	214 71
Dover Marsh	24 126 05	1,150,25
Fox Creek Marsh	54,150.85	1, 109.20
Gautreau Village Marsh	106, 998. 79	324.37
Great Marsh	6,828.22	
Germantown Marsh	11,909.61	
Hillsboro Marsh	161,006.70	1,597.79
Hopewell Hill Marsh	72,406.13	~
Jones Marsh	4,803.31	
Jones Creek Marsh	7,797.15	
Log Lake Marsh	52,004.10	
Lower Coverdale Marsh	61,500.71	849.83
Memramcook Marsh	48,567.87	4, 989.93
Memramcook West Marsh	183, 646, 60	2, 702, 58
Middle Coverdale Marsh	19 072 61	60.30
Middle Goverdate Marsh	11 523 59	11 05
New Herter Marsh	11, 525.50	600 04
Dre di En Haut Marsh	73,070.30	402 21
Pre d'En Haut Marsh	42,403.80	482.21
Red Bank Marsh	4,656.23	177.10
Sackville Marsh	60,209.08	2,261.77
Shepody River Dam	1,548,597.50	16,933.03
Shepody River Survey	26,334.47	
St. Martins Marsh		33, 122. 29
Tantramar River Dam	744,960.61	14,855.90
Tantramar River Survey	23, 201.48	

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Construction and Maintenance of Projects and Special Surveys (Cont'd):		
NEW BRUNSWICK	1949-1961	1961-1962
Tantramar West Marsh	45,616.39	
Taylor Village Marsh	100,175.74	1,353.13
Turtle Creek Marsh	27,021.07	
Upper Coverdale Marsh	19, 135. 92	
Upper Dyke Marsh	11, 149.33	
Westcock Marsh	161, 726.58	1,573.52
West Coverdale Marsh	76,553.35	4,481.19
Wilson Marsh	28,930.12	
Woodpoint Marsh	2,432.65	
Subtotal for New Brunswick projects	5,027,248.85	103, 250.36
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Johnston River Marsh	20,146.40	4.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURE FOR CONSTRUCT AND MAINTENANCE OF PROJECTS AND	ION	
SPECIAL SURVEYS	13, 111, 726.16	559,050.02
TOTAL EXPENDITURE FOR ADMINISTRATION, ENGINEERING		
AND SUPERVISION	5, 515, 573.36	445, 704.21
TOTAL	18,627,299.52	1,004,754.23

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	Particular Project	Gross Expenditure		Amount Contri-
Project	Structure Contributed Towards	on Project to date	Contributing Agency	buted to Date
NOVA SCOTIA				
Annapolis Royal Dam	Aboiteau & Highway Causeway	\$2,501,367.06	Province of N.S.	909,674.94
Isgonish River Dam	Aboiteau & Highway Causeway	222, 907.81	Province of N.S.	103, 566. 52
Nappan River Dam	Aboiteau & Highway Causeway	191,850.08	Province of N.S.	23, 536.43
Bishop Beckwith Marsh	Aboiteau & Sewer Outlet	180,782.37	Town of Wolfville	1,880.85
Burntcoat Marsh	Aboiteau & Highway Causeway	28, 425.68	Province of N.S.	14,957.53
River Hebert Marsh	Sewer Outlet for School	253,270.41	Province of N.S. (entire cost) 338.45
Kentville Marsh	Crib Bank Protection	18,786.73	Town of Kentville	2,414.66
Scotch Village Marsh	Aboiteau & Highway Crossing	33,672.10	Province of N.S.	4,239.48
St. Mary's Bay Marsh	Aboiteau & Highway Crossing	104,693.01	Province of N.S.	9,543.63
Tufts Marsh	Aboiteau & Highway Crossing	21,644.31	Province of N.S.	2,234.75
			\$ 1,072,387.24	
NEW BRUNSWICK				
Tantramar River Dam	Aboiteau & Highway Causeway	893,450.26	Province of N.B.	200,948.06
College Bridge Marsh	llege Bridge Marsh Aboiteau & Highway & Railroad 219, 552.34		C.N.R. and Province of N.B. 96, 815.33	
Coles Island Marsh	Aboiteau & Railroad Structure	86,002.47	C.N.R.	36, 229. 22
Black River Marsh	Aboiteau & Highway Causeway	21,174.32	Province of N.B.	7,900.00
Taylor Village Marsh	Dyke Protecting Bridge Approach	. 107, 459.13	Province of N.B.	5,930.26
Belliveau Village Marsh	Placing Rock on Highway	26, 128.88	Province of N.B. (entire cost) 470.45	
Sackville Marsh	Aboiteau & Highway Causeway	77,470.85	Province of N.B.	15,000.00

APPENDIX III SPECIAL PROJECTS - FINANCIAL SHARING OF CAPITAL EXPENDITURES TO MARCH 31, 1962

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CANADA DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE M.M.R.A. GRAPH SHOWING AREA INCORPORATED - AREA PROTECTED YEAR 1949-50 TO 1961-62. NOVA SCOTIA - NEW BRUNSWICK - P.E.I 100000 90000 80000 Ш 70000 REAGI 60000 AC 50000 M ARS H 40000 30000 20000 10000 1958 1949 1950 1953 1954 1955 1956 1957 1959 1952 FISCAL 1951 1960 1961 -52 -53 -54 - 55 -56 -57 -58 -59 -60 - 61 -62 YEAR -50 -51 - ACREAGE INCORPORATED . - ACREAGE PROTECTED BY ALL CLASSES OF PROTECTIVE WORKS INCLUDING MINIMUM MAINTENANCE OF EXISTING STRUCTURES. - ACREAGE PROTECTED BY MAJOR TIDAL DAMS (SHEPODY, TANTRAMAR, NAPPAN, ANNAPOLIS RIVER DAM)

AND STANDARD M.M.R.A PROTECTIVE WORKS.

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Figure 1 – Annapolis River Dam, Annapolis County, N.S. – A view from downstream of the completed control structure. Fresh water is discharging through the open fishway in the area between the two piers on the right.

(Photo 103 - 734) - 1961



Figure 2 – Annapolis River Dam – Looking downstream across the rockfill causeway toward the old Granville Ferry bridge. This main highway crossing replaces the old bridge which failed just prior to completion of the causeway.

(Photo 103 - 731) - 1961



Figure 3 – Upper Maccan Marsh, Cumberland County, N.S. – Assembling a small prefabricated sluice. Note the staked brush on the left bank of the excavation, necessary to bind together the marsh mud which will be used as fill material. (Photo 119 - 001) - 1961



Figure 4 – St. Mary's Bay Marsh, Digby County, N.S. – A two-barrel, 5' x 5' sluice, one of the largest prefabricated wooden sluices used.

(Photo 52 - 003) - 1961



Figure 5 – Shubenacadie Marsh, Hants County, N.S. – This structure was originally a large timber highway culvert. It was modified by threading a pipe through it, pouring a concrete headwall at the downstream end, and installing a steel gate over the opening. (Photo 116 - 021) - 1961



Figure 6 – St. Martins Marsh, St. John County, N.B. – Fill material being pushed across a triple barrel 5¹ x 5¹ sluice, the only aboiteau installed on this marsh.

(Photo 62 - 046) - 1961



Figure 7 – River Hebert Marsh, Cumberland County, N.S. – An example of bank erosion caused by high river flows. (Photo 46 - 053) - 1961



Figure 8 – River Hebert Marsh – Aerial view of the area shown in the above photo. Heavy rock has been placed on the slope of the bank to divert the river current and halt cutting. Note, from the form of the silt bar, how the river channel has been directed away from the area.

(Photo 46 - 106) - 1961



Figure 9 – Aulac Marsh, Westmorland County, N.B. – Tide against protecting dyke. Heavy rock, placed on the dyke during the winter months, protects the dyke from wave erosion. (Photo 24 - 018) - 1961



Figure 10 – Aulac Marsh – Another common method of protecting exposed dyke from wave erosion during high tides. (Photo 24 - 020) - 1961