



Scale Activity- Maine Maps

Name: _____

Part 1: Use maps made after 1859 to match up the counties with their county seats (head cities):

<u>Counties</u>		
Portland	York County	Wiscasset
Alfred	Cumberland County	Dover-Foxcroft
Auburn	Lincoln County	Farmington
Houlton (Norridgewock)	Hancock County	Belfast
Skowhegan	Washington County	Rockland
Ellsworth	Kennebec County	Bath
Bangor	Oxford County	Augusta
Machias	Somerset County	Paris
	Penobscot County	
	Waldo County	
	Franklin County	
	Piscataquis County	
	Aroostook County	
	Androscoggin County	
	Sagadahoc County	
	Knox County	

Part 2: Use the ruler at the top of the page and the scale on the maps (assume NORTH is at the top of the maps) to answer the following questions. Circle the correct answer for each question.

- Starting at Houlton, a hiker went 30 miles **north**. Which mountain did he end up near?
 A. Mars Hill
 B. Bald Mountain
 C. Mount Bigelow
 D. Mount Katahdin
- Dr. Haskell lives 35 miles **east** of Sebago Lake. Which city does Dr. Haskell live near?
 A. Auburn
 B. Ellsworth
 C. Bangor
 D. Bath
- Uncle Mert lives 30 miles **northwest** from the state capital. What city does he live in?
 A. Alfred
 B. Farmington
 C. Bangor
 D. Portland
- Marcus goes to school in York. He has to travel 18 miles **southwest** to get to school. Which town does he live near?
 A. Waterboro
 B. Auburn
 C. Kennebunkport
 D. Fort Kent
- Elizabeth traveled 25 miles **southeast** to Ellsworth. Where did her journey start?
 A. Bangor
 B. Paris
 C. Machias
 D. Farmington
- BONUS:** Ms. Linn lives at **44° North** and **71° West**. What town does she live near?
 A. Fryeburg
 B. Portland
 C. Caribou
 D. Machias