

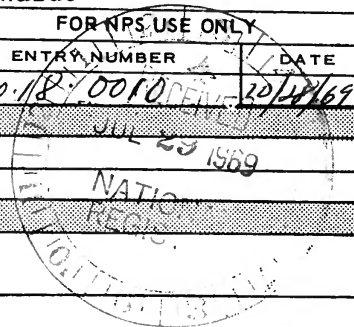


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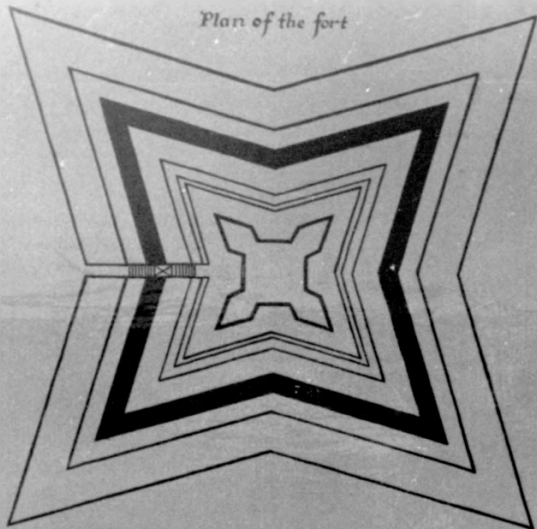
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Remains of Fort Pownall - note walls of the most in the background			

Plan of the fort



The fort was 90 feet long on each side. The breastwork was 10 feet high. This was surrounded by a moat or ditch 15 feet wide and 8 feet in depth. Each exterior side of the ditch was 240 feet.

In the middle of the ditch were palisades quite around the fort except at the portecullis where a drawbridg crossed the ditch.

Within the walls was a square blockhouse 44 feet on a side, with flankers at each corner, of diamond form, 33 feet on a side. The whole was constructed of squared timbers dovetailed at the corners and tree-nailed.

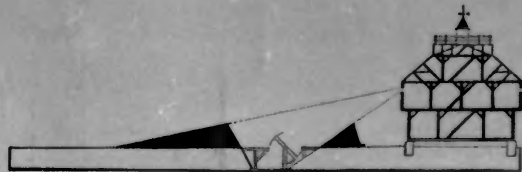
The height of the blockhouse was about 22 feet, in two stories. The roof was square or hipped and had a sentry-box.

DETAILS of FORT POWNALL

These drawing were made from an old plan of Fort Pownall now in the Library of Congress.

The descriptions were taken in part from Williamson's History of Maine.

The research on the history of the fort was by George Carey.



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