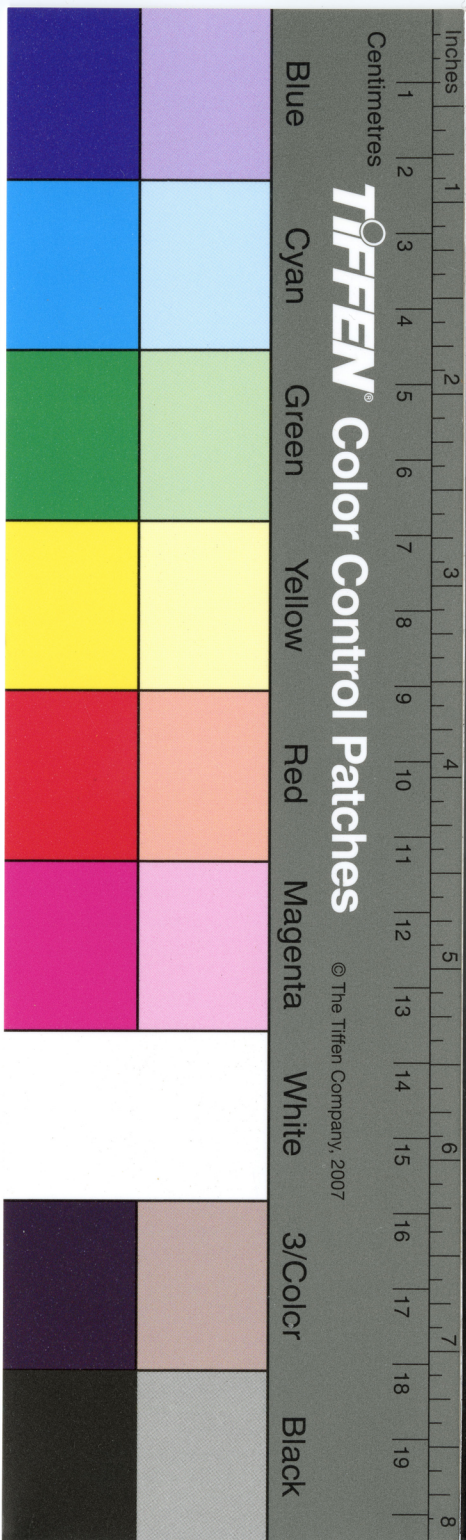


Doylestown
May 13th 1865

Lloyd P. Smith Esq.

Dear Sir

Your letter of
the 13th has been rec^d. deserving
information about the Logansville
tax. I have collected it all
for this year with the exception
of about \$49^{few} which I expect
to receive in a days. I think
I shall be able to ^{send} you this
years remittance about the
middle of next week. - I
have paid some taxes, which
can be deducted in our settle-
ment. I would be very much
pleased to act as counsel for
you. Thanking you for the favor
I remain Yours Truly
J. E. L. Davis



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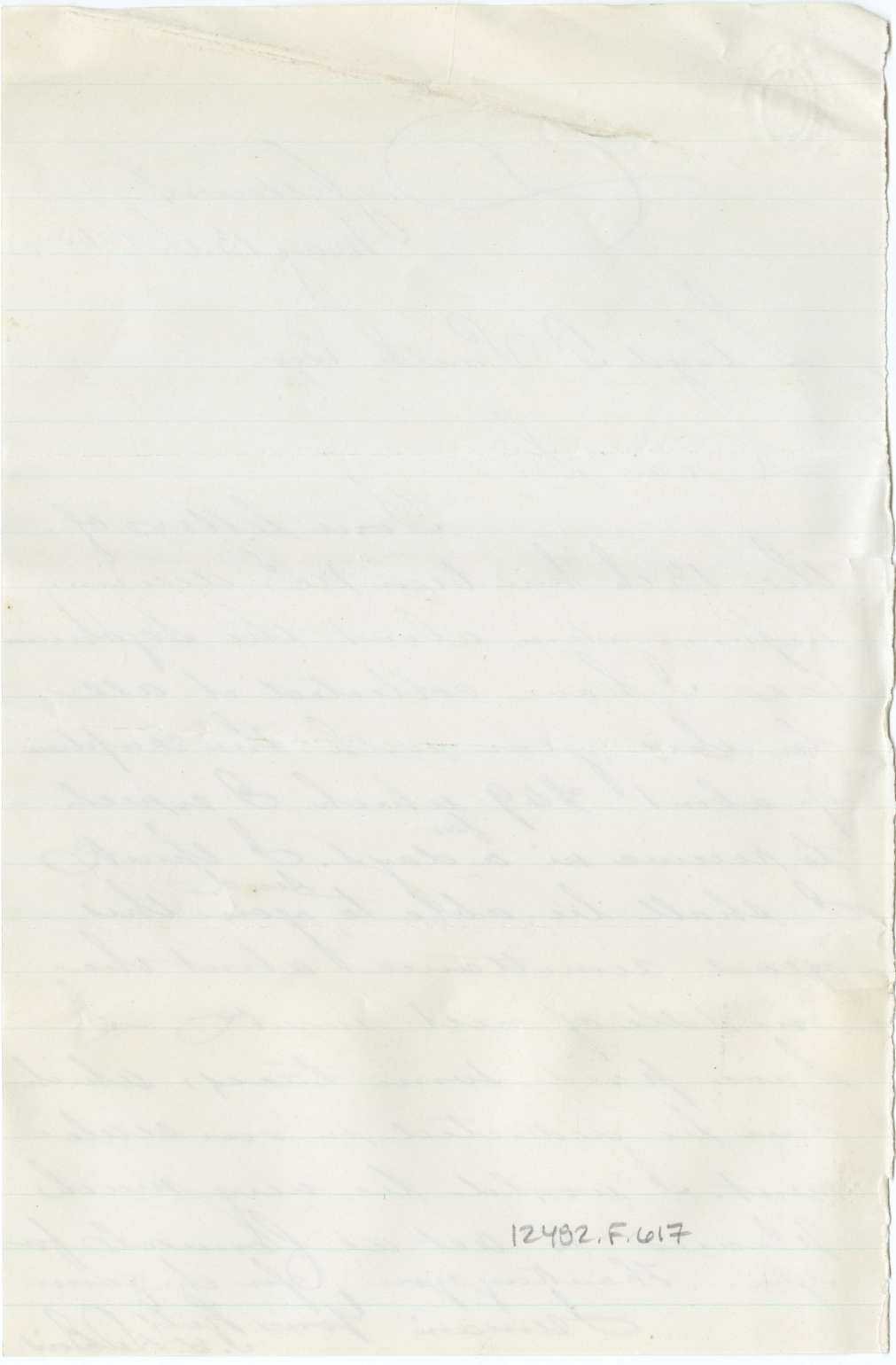
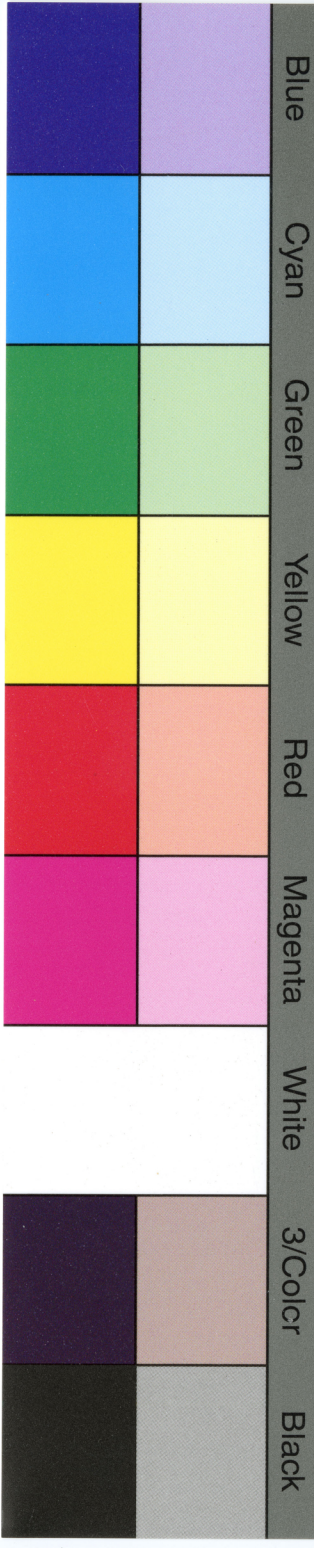
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Doylestown

May 25th 1865.

Lloyd P. Smith Esq.
Dr Sir.

Your letter has been rec^d. acknowledging receipt of Loganian rents for this year. I find by looking at the assessor's book, that the owners of the land are assessed at about one half, & the Loganian library the other half. You are assessed as follows. — in the triennial assessment made last fall.

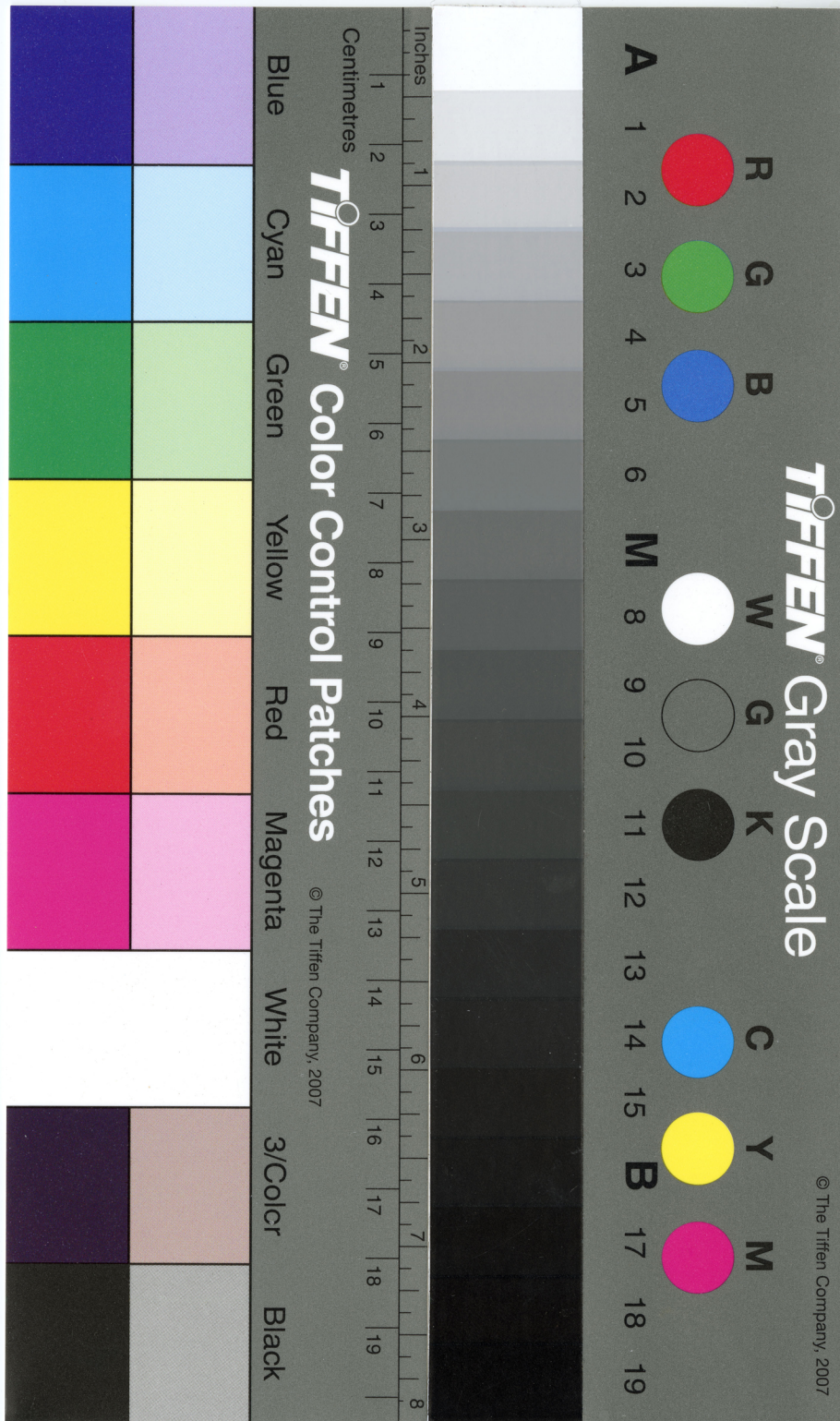
Dean Tract. \$4500.

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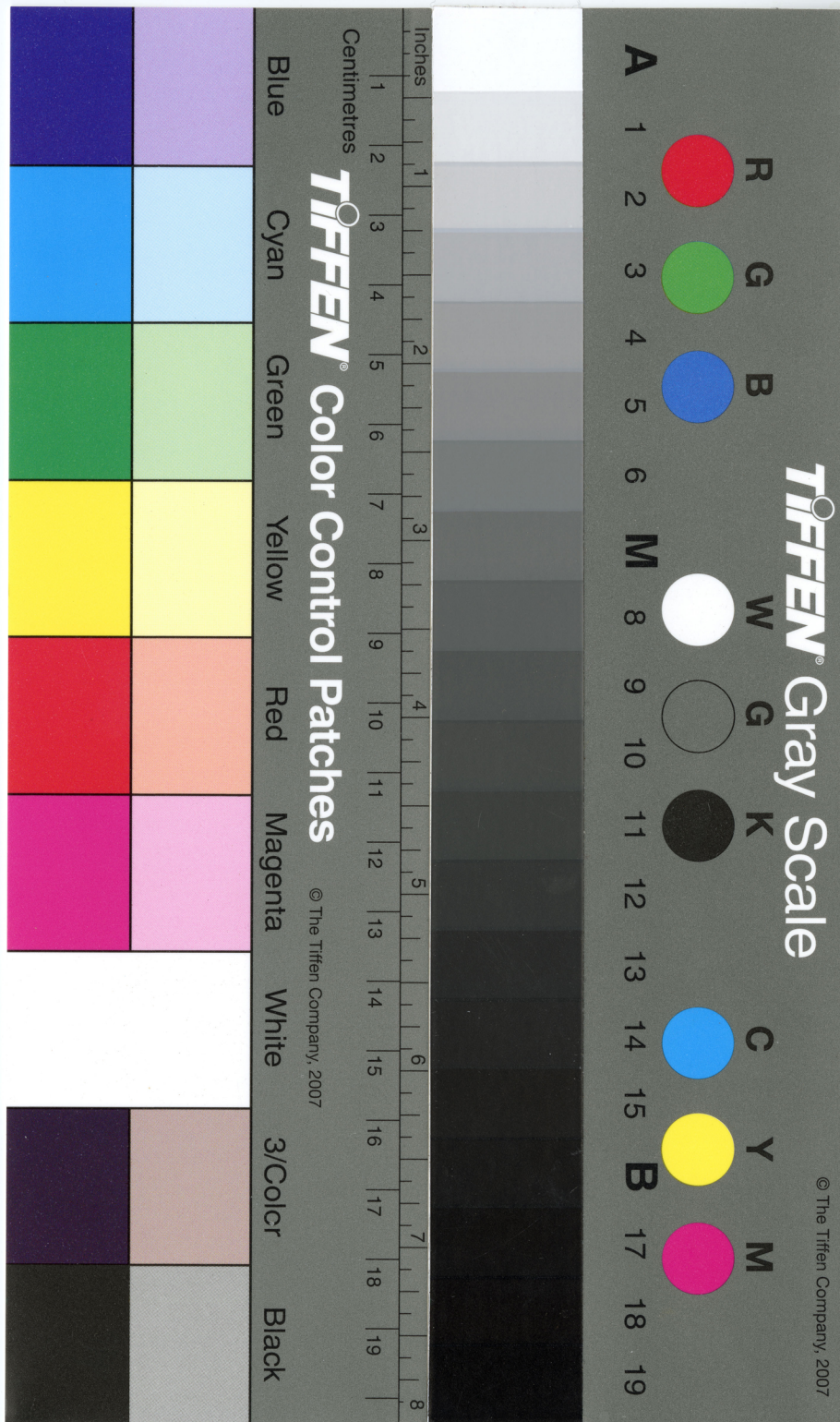
My understanding of the matter is, that you agreed to pay half the taxes, & I think there is a decision of the Supreme Court, which



makes you liable for one half of the taxes.
 What makes the taxes so high is this-
 we have to pay \$2.00 on the hundred
 \$1.60 County bounty & .40 for County
 purposes, whereas the County tax used
 to be about 30 cts to the \$100; and
 now you have to pay a local (township)
 bounty also. After this your taxes
 will be at the old rates, as the War
 is now closed. The state, road & School
 taxes are about the same as heretofore.
 the state tax has been increasing ^{some} owing
 to its indebtedness. If I am wrong
 in my understanding of the matter,
 please let me know & I will investi-
 gate the subject further.

Yours Truly,
John L. Durbois

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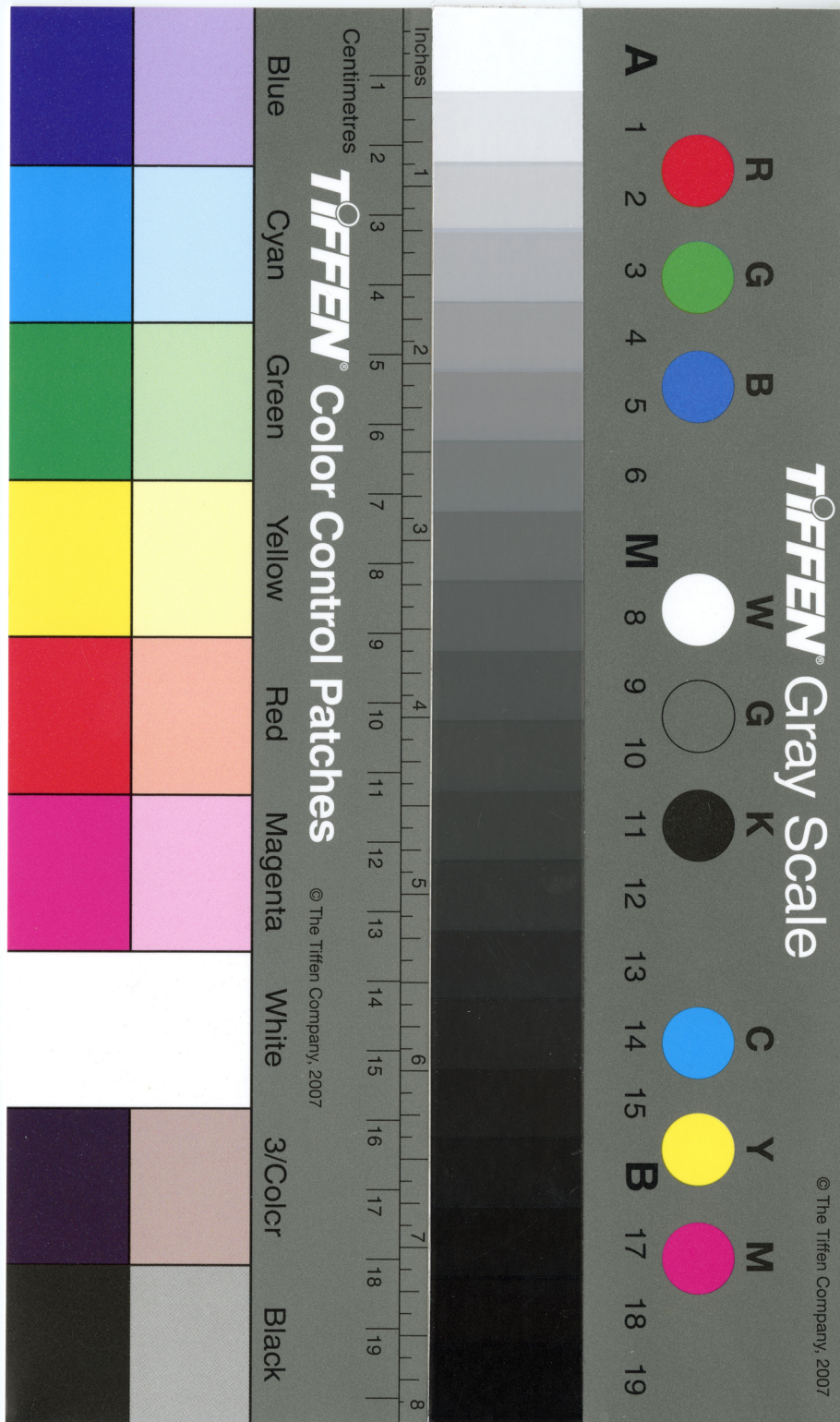
73 cts, Jas. C. Weedens rent I have not
rec^d. He has lately died. The rent-payers
have been very slow in making their
payments this spring - After this I will
make ^{them} pay by the 1st of March, or not
later than the 1st of April.
Loyalestown Apr. 27. 1866.

L. P. Smith Esqr.

Dr Sir.

I here send you my check for
\$390.16 - the balance coming to
the Loganian Library Co from lands
in Solebury Township Bucks Co for
1866 after paying taxes, fee &c.

The heavy taxes reduce your
income very much, but they
may be considerably decreased
this year - at any rate the County
tax. I paid \$112.35 road tax
for 1865 - this was owing to a new
road they have been making -
this year - 73 cts of the hundred dollars
I suppose the tax will
be \$53.87 ^{for this year} the same as heretofore.
There is no state tax on real est
now as you are aware. Please
receipt. (See statement, over) Yrs Truly
J. L. DuBois



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Statement of the accounts of S. L. H.
Library Co.
April 27th 1866 Dr.
Amount of rent received
from Loganian lands, Bucks Co. \$1023.44

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J. L. DuBois Atty. for Loganian
Rev.

Estimated Taxes for 1865 and taxes paid
to wit:

Est. State	\$116.17	paid \$46.17
County	233.93	292.41
road	53.87	112.35
School	61.56	61.56
County	58.48	58.48
	<u>464.01</u>	<u>590.99</u>
		454.01
		<u>\$ 116.96</u>

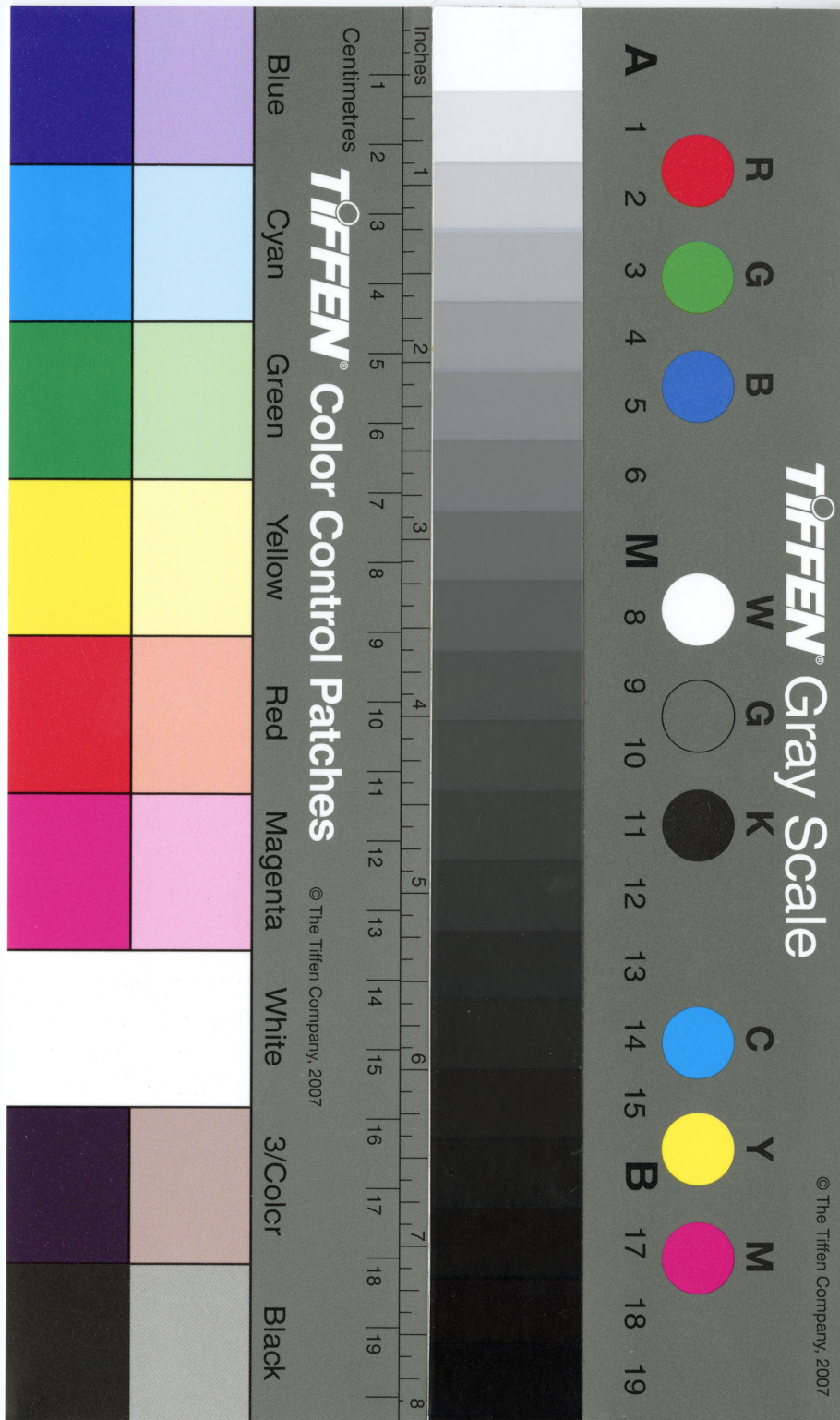
Or therefore for amt. of taxes \$116.96

" Estimated taxes for 1866.

County	292.41	
Road	53.87	
School	61.56	
County	58.48	
	<u>\$466.32</u>	466.32

Counsel fee 50

	633.28
Balance in hand	390.16
	<u>\$ 1023.44</u>



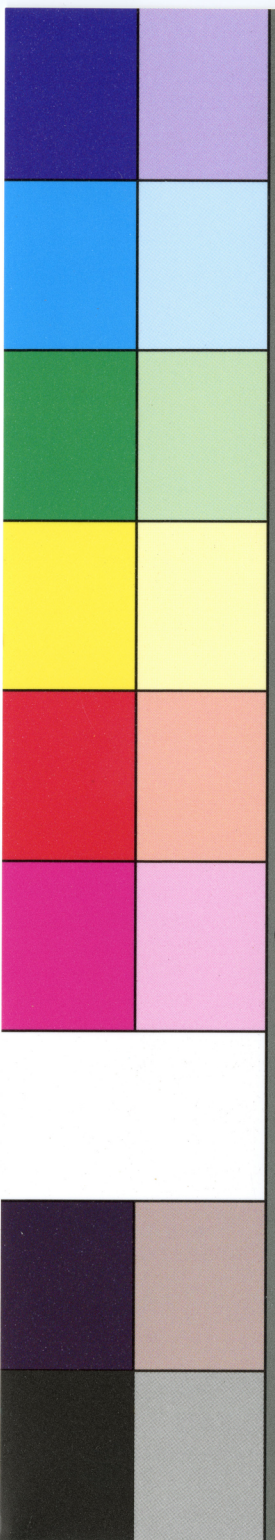
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Doylestown Feby. 20th 1867.

L. P. Smith Esq.
Dear Sir.

You must excuse
my not sending the Logansburg assess-
ment sooner. you did not state in
your letter, that you desired it
at once. I find in the Assessor's book
for 1866, Solebury Township the following
The assessment for '67 will be made in April
(the Spring. It will, remain the same until the next
assessment for 1866. triannual assessment)

Logansburg Library Co

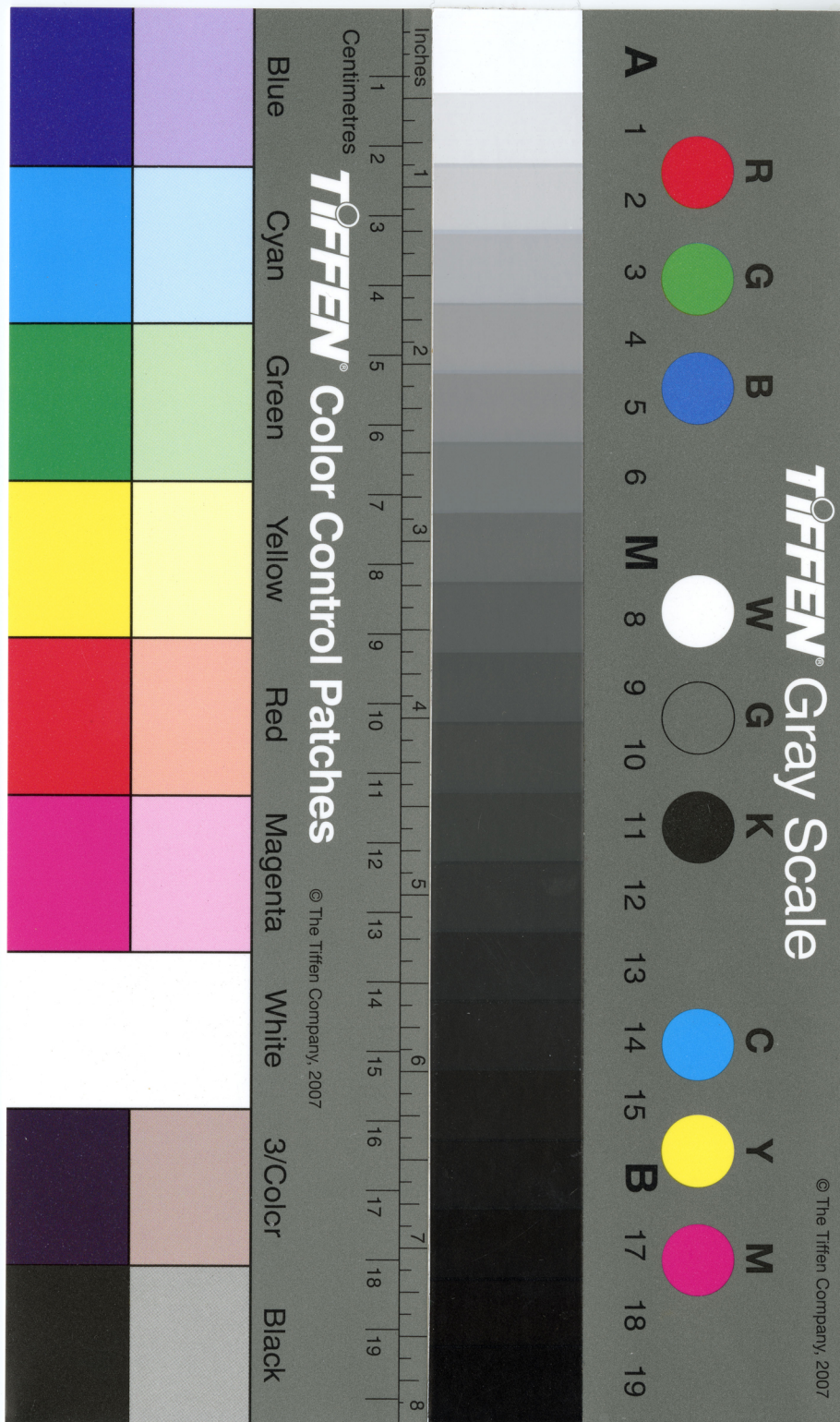
Deaw tract assessed at \$ 4500.

Ingham tract 8580.

Elz. 2310.

\$ 15,390
92 340

You are assessed at this sum.
and the whole tract is assessed at
\$ 17.50 per A, and a certain part of the





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property is assessed to the Library C? For 1866 you paid a tax of 2 pr ct on \$15.390 less abatement of 5 pr ct on tax. They think the tax for 1867 will be 1/4 less.

I find the property assessed to the land owners as follows.

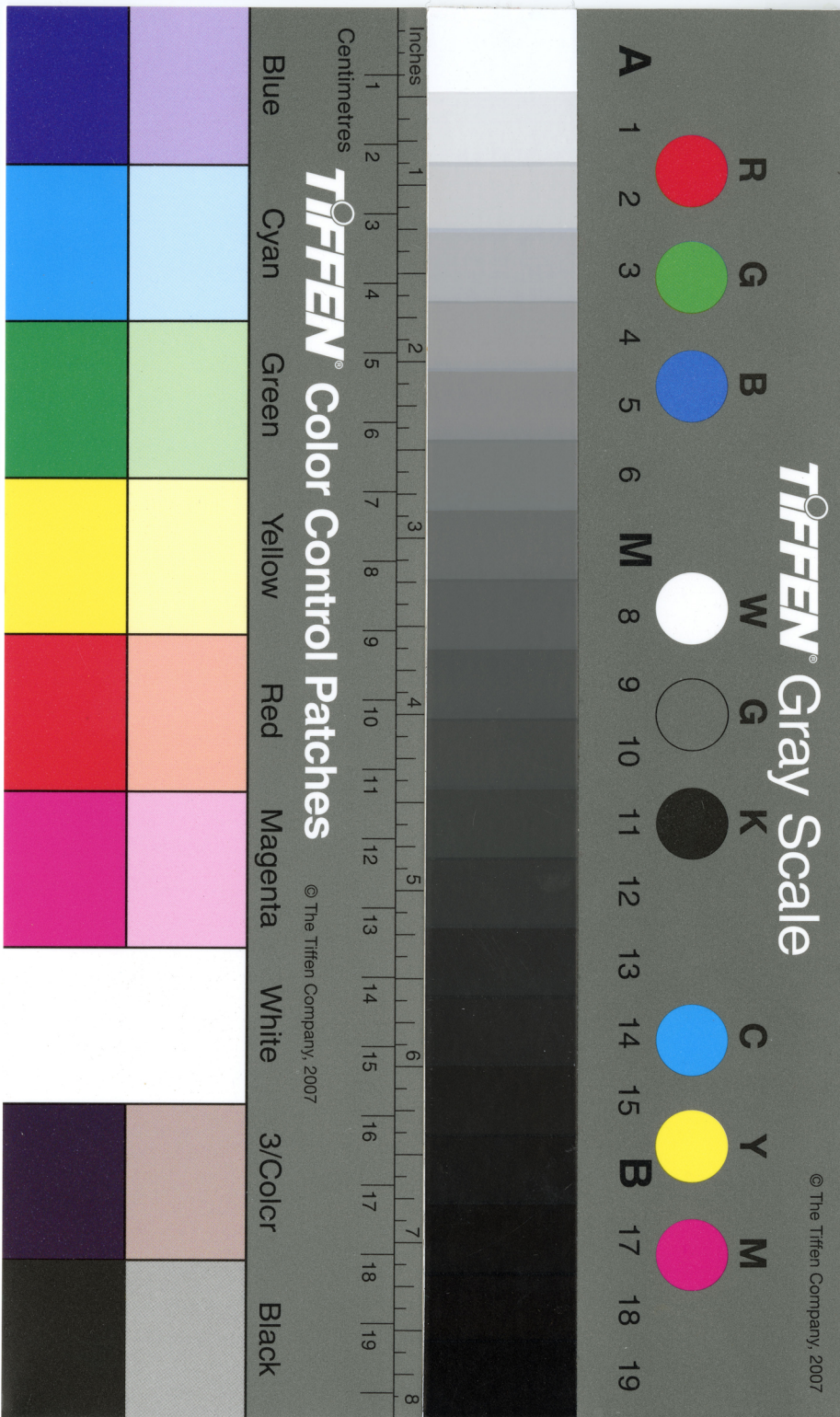
James Aca. 1 lot.	assessed at \$	200	
A. Beaumont 312 A.		5460	
J. Simpson Belts. 16 a.		200	
J. Coates 144 a.		1880	
Chs. Coates 12 a.		170	
M. Gibbs 16 "		200	
J. Hendricks 20 "		520	
L. B. Wickner 58.		745	
J. Peaker 2.		250	
E. Reeder		25	
Ths. Thornton		450.	
M. Patton 32.		240.	
W. Allen		155	
B. Franklin		225	
		10720	

I remember about a year ago,
writing to you on this subject. I saw
the Commissioners at that time &
they said the assessment was right.
They informed me, you had the
whole thing fixed & agreed upon.
Please refer to my letter.
If you want any further informa-
tion, please write, and I will
attend to it without delay. I paid
the road tax the other day for
1866 - it was \$60.02. For 1865 it
was \$113.35.

I will try & have the tax collected
by the 10th of April. Perhaps
I will get some of it before
that time.

Yrs Truly

W. D. Davis



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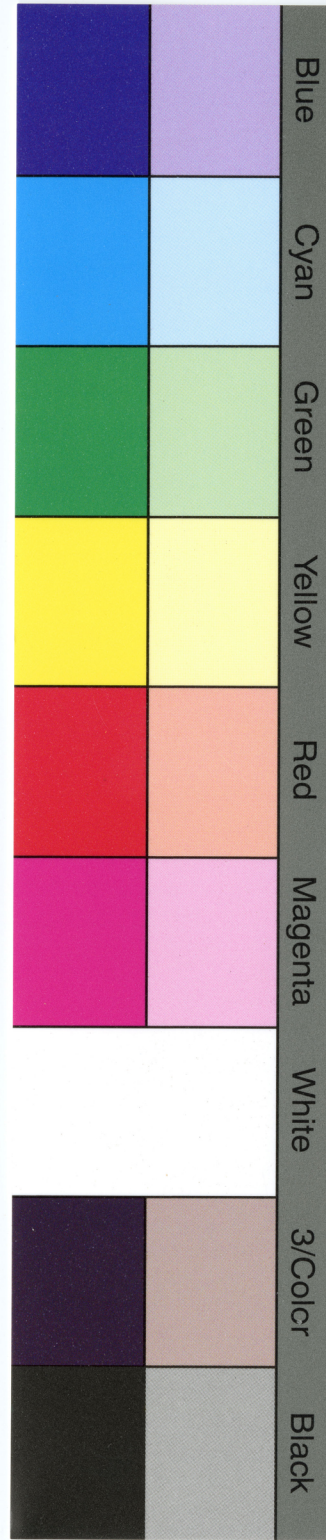


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