

REPORT

OF THE

GOOD ROADS CONVENTION

FOR THE PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

HELD AT SAINT JOHN, N. B.
SEPTEMBER 21ST AND 22ND, 1897.

THE CONVENTION called by the Good Roads Association for the City and County of Saint John met in Amusement Hall, on the Exhibition Grounds, on Tuesday, 21st September, at 10 a.m.

On the platform were HON. H. R. EMMERSON, Chief Commissioner of Public Works; HON. L. J. TWEEDIE, Provincial Secretary; HON. A. T. DUNN, Surveyor General; HON. C. H. LABILLOIS, Commissioner for Agriculture; PROFESSOR A. W. CAMPBELL, Provincial Instructor in Road Making for the Province of Ontario, and MR. W. F. BURDITT.

Among those present were HON. GEORGE F. HILL, M.P.P.; T. B. WINSLOW, Secretary of Public Works; Deputy Mayor ROBINSON; Alderman CHRISTIE, Chairman of the Board of Public Works; Street Superintendent MARTIN, W. A. TRUEMAN, JOSEPH HORN BROOK, T. S. PETERS, and others.

In the absence of the President of the Saint John City and County Good Roads Association, DR. BERRYMAN, the chair was taken by MR. W. F. BURDITT, who spoke as follows :

I may explain that a short time ago a number of people in Saint John, who felt interested in the improvement of our highways, got together and formed a local association called the Saint John City and County Good Roads Association. It was suggested at that meeting by a number present, and especially by the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Public Works, that a Good Roads Association for the Province should be organized; but we felt at that meeting, being only a local