

That Saint Andrews has an open winter Harbour, peculiarly and advantageously situated for shipments to, and from, all your Majesty's Possessions.

That the expense of constructing such Railroad would be too great to induce individuals to undertake it, without the patronage and encouragement of your Majesty's Government.

Wherefore, your Petitioners humbly pray that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your Royal consideration, and direct the construction of a Railroad between the Ports before-named, or extend to your Petitioners such protection and aid, as shall seem to your Majesty, in your wisdom, meet; and your Petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray.

JAMES ALLANSHAW, *Member of the Legislative Council of New-Brunswick*, CHAIRMAN.

THOMAS WYER, *M. P. P.*, DEPUTY CHAIRMAN.

H. HATCH,	}	COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT.
J. WILSON,		
J. RAIT,		
S. FRYE,		
J. McMASTER,		

WARD CHIPMAN, <i>Chief Justice of New-Brunswick</i> ,	}	STANDING COMMITTEE.
WILLIAM BOTSFORD, <i>Judge of Supreme Court</i> ,		
WILLIAM F. ODELL, <i>Secretary of the Province</i> ,		
THOMAS BAILLIE, <i>Member of Executive and Legislative Councils,</i> <i>and Commissioner of Crown Lands</i> ,		
G. F. STREET, <i>Solicitor General, and Member of Executive Council</i> ,		
GEORGE SHORE, <i>Member of Legislative Council</i> ,		
C. J. PETERS, <i>Attorney General, and Member of Legislative Council</i> ,		
JOSEPH CUNARD, <i>Member of Legislative Council</i> ,		
CHAS. SIMONDS, <i>Speaker of House of Assembly of New-Brunswick</i> .		