

Colonization has made great progress in Sutton; this year some twenty families have come and established themselves, and a certain extent of land has been cleared.

Grain of all kinds is grown here, but wheat is most cultivated. Rev. Mr. Dufresne thinks that a sum of \$800 will be required to complete this road.

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## COUNTY OF BEAUHARNOIS.

### PORTAGE ROAD.

Conductor: B. NOBERT.

Amount appropriated.....	\$400 00
Amount paid.....	400 00

This road, three miles in length, begins at Lake St. Francis, passes near the Church of St. Stanislas, and then crosses Godmanchester as far as the place known as the Portage.

A mile has been completed. Mr. Nobert has been compelled to build a considerable extent of bridging over swampy land; it has also been necessary to blast two arpents of hill.

Two bridges have been built, and one rather considerable one remains to be erected over the River St. Louis

The soil through which the road passes is of superior quality. The most common woods are maple, ash, and elm.

This road will be very advantageous to the inhabitants of the Townships of Godmanchester, Durham, and Huntingdon, as it is the shortest route by which to reach the steamboats and the Grand Trunk Railway Station at Coteau du Lac.

It is estimated that a sum of \$260 will be sufficient to complete this road.

It is verbalized.

BOUCHER DE LA BRUERE,

*Acting Inspector of Agencies.*

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