

FIRST REPORT.

31st March, 1857.

The Special Committee appointed to inquire concerning the working of the "Municipal and Road Act of 1855" in Lower Canada, have the honor to report as follows:

Your Committee are of opinion that it would be a measure of great practical utility that the answers and other documents already received, and to be hereafter received from individuals to whom certain questions have been addressed, relative to the working of the "Municipal and Road Act of 1855," should be printed for the use of the Members of your Honorable House; accordingly your Committee recommend the printing of the said answers and documents.

The whole, nevertheless, humbly submitted.

R. B. SOMERVILLE,
Chairman.

(CIRCULAR.)

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY,
COMMITTEE ROOM, No. 13,
TORONTO, 17th March, 1857.

SIR,—I have been instructed by the Committee appointed to inquire into the working of the "Municipal and Road Act of 1855," to submit the accompanying queries to you, and to request that you will be so good as to send me your answers to them, at as early a date as possible, together with any suggestions you may desire to offer on the subject.

I have the honor to be, sir,

Your most obedient servant,

J. P. LEPROHON,
Clerk of Committee