

of admitting of a new Settlement. According to the accounts of travellers, there are twenty four miles of Road which require to be opened to reach the first settlements on the River *St. John*, inhabited by Canadians, emigrated mostly from the southern coast, and who are very anxious to see that Road opened, so as to afford a communication with the *St. Lawrence*. The witnesses who have given these informations to Your Committee are of opinion, that with an appropriation of £1000 that a Road might be opened so as to afford a free communication.

The Commissioners were obliged to apply to the Grand Voyer to lay down the Road in the Wilderness and to provide to its future maintenance, The Grand Voyer obliged the Commissioners to open that part of the Road, so that they should want a sum of £95 4s. 11d. No. 34,  
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Your Committee humbly recommend that appropriation.

The Witnesses who appeared before Your Committee, have acquainted them, that it becomes necessary that this Road should communicate with the *St. Lawrence* for the advantage of the public. This Road offers some difficulties, and would, according to their estimation cost £450. Your Committee, considering the utility of this Road, think that a sum of £500 ought to be granted for the opening of this Road and for improving the part thereof already opened. No. 35, £500.

Your Committee then examined the Report of the Commissioners for the Road of *L'Islet*, by which it appears that that Road has been opened on a length of 175 acres by 24 feet in width, passable for wheel carriages, for which £440 7s. 6d. have been expended besides £9 for cost of management, to which sums must be added the charges of the Grand Voyer whom the Commissioners intend to call upon to provide for the keeping of the said Road.

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