

Highway Officials of Illinois

STATE DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS

Under the administrative code of 1917, the state highway organization was made a division of the Department of Public Works and Buildings. The three state highway commissioners of the 1913 law were abolished and a superintendent of highways substituted. The personnel of the division of highway, with headquarters at Springfield, follows:

FRANK I. BENNETT—Director, Department of Public Works and Buildings.

THOMAS G. VENNUM—Assistant Director, Department of Public Works and Buildings.

S. E. BRADT—Superintendent of Highways.

CLIFFORD S. OLDER—Chief Highway Engineer.

BUREAU CHIEFS—J. M. McCoy, chief clerk; H. F. Bilger, road engineer; Frank T. Sheets, bridge engineer; George F. Burch, asst. bridge engineer; F. L. Roman, testing engineer; B. H. Piepmeier, maintenance engineer.

DISTRICT No. 1—H. B. Bushnell, 138 Fox St., Aurora.

DISTRICT No. 2—H. E. Surman, Dixon, Illinois.

DISTRICT No. 3—A. H. Hunter, Peoria (Apollo Theatre Bldg.).

DISTRICT No. 4—Rodney L. Bell, Paris.

DISTRICT No. 5—Fred Tarrant, Springfield.

DISTRICT No. 6—C. M. Slaymaker, Metropolitan Bldg., E. St. Louis.

DISTRICT No. 7—J. E. Huber, (office at present, E. St. Louis).

ASSISTANT ENGINEERS—C. M. Hathaway, J. W. Harris, F. C. Feutz, O. F. Gocke, I. E. Scott, H. B. Sennott, F. L. Sperry.

JUNIOR ENGINEERS—L. M. Arms, Charles C. Brown, R. T. Cash, H. B. Emery, O. A. Fluegge, George E. Galusha, O. L. Gearhart, Wallace Harlan, M. H. Kinch, Thomas E. Lowery, W. K. Hazen, W. E. Hill, E. J. Meckenstock, J. H. Miller, R. E. Morris, M. W. Parrish, S. M. Rudder, E. C. Wenger, J. P. Murphy, G. F. Sallee, R. J. Soergel, F. R. Zahn.

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS OF HIGHWAYS

ADAMS County—LOUIS BOYER, Quincy.

ALEXANDER County—WILLIAM N. MOYERS, Cairo.

BOND County—R. O. YOUNG, Greenville.

BOONE County—THOMAS W. HUMPHREY, Belvidere.

BROWN County—W. O. GROVER, Mt. Sterling.

BUREAU County—JOHN JOHNSON, Princeton.

CALHOUN County—JOHN A. EARLEY, Hardin.

CARROLL County—S. C. CAMPBELL, Mt. Carroll.

CASS County—JOHN GOODELL, Virginia.

CHAMPAIGN County—GEORGE C. FAIRCLO, Urbana.

CHRISTIAN County—C. A. PENINGTON, Taylorville.

CLARK County—WILBUR MOORE, Marshall.

CLAY County—H. M. ANDERSON, Louisville.

CLINTON County—JOHN T. GOLDSMITH, Carlyle.

COLES County—HARRY E. SHINN, Charleston.

COOK County—B. D. BARKER, Chicago.

CRAWFORD County—JOHN P. LYONS, Robinson.

CUMBERLAND County—JOHN A. DECKER, Toledo.

DEKALB County—W. C. MILLER, Sycamore.

DEWITT County—MELVIN TUGGLE, Clinton.

DOUGLAS County—L. O. HACKETT, Tuscola.

DUPAGE County—E. L. GATES, Wheaton.

EDGAR County—GEO. H. HARKNESS, Paris.

EDWARDS County—C. C. RICE, Albion.

EFFINGHAM County—GEORGE T. AUSTIN, Effingham.

FAYETTE County—J. V. WADDELL, Vandalia.

FORD County—SAMUEL E. WELLS, Paxton.

FRANKLIN County—W. E. MOORE, Benton.

FULTON County—E. F. MOTSINGER, Lewistown.

GALLATIN County—VICTOR PEARCE, Shawneetown.

GREENE County—W. P. WITT, Carrollton.

GRUNDY County—F. W. STINE, Morris.

HAMILTON County—GREGG GARRISON, McLeansboro.

HANCOCK County—WM. BURGNER, Carthage.



FRANK I. BENNETT

Mr. Bennett was appointed director of the Illinois Department of Public Works and Buildings in 1918. He came to his position after an extended experience as Chairman of the Finance Committee of the City Council of Chicago and later as Commissioner of Public Works of the same city.

HARDIN County—W. M. BALL, Elizabethtown.

HENDERSON County—C. R. A. MARSHALL, Oquawka.

HENRY County—JAMES H. REED, Cambridge.