

From R. H. STEPHENS, Esq.,

Manager of the London Assurance Corporation.

MONTREAL, 26th Jan., 1877.

S. J. LYMAN, Esq.

DEAR SIR,—During the last seven or eight years I have had occasion, as agent and manager of the London Assurance Corporation, to require your services in the appraisal of values of a great variety of merchandise, and the adjustment of fire losses in various towns and cities of Canada. I am happy to certify to your general accuracy and correct judgment in all these cases.

I remain,

Yours truly,

ROMEO H. STEPHENS.

From DR. J. BAKER EDWARDS.

Analytical Chemist, Prof. of Chemistry, Lecturer on Botany, &c., F.G.S. and F.C.S.

BEAVER HALL HILL, MONTREAL, 27th Jan., 1877.

Having been personally acquainted with Mr. S. J. Lyman for some years, and knowing his intimate knowledge and long experience in the drug trade, I consider him eminently qualified to discharge the duties of Appraiser of Customs, rendered vacant by the demise of the late Mr. McKay.

J. BAKER EDWARDS, Public Analyst, &c.

From JAMES JACK & Co.,

Wholesale Grocers and Tea Merchants.

MONTREAL, 26th January, 1877.

S. J. LYMAN, Esq.

DEAR SIR,—We learn that you intend making application for the position of Appraiser in the Customs at this port, rendered vacant by the death of the late David McKay, and this will serve to say that we believe you are well qualified to fill that position.

We are, dear Sir,

Yours very truly,

JAMES JACK & Co.