

chants and Traders of great respectability in this City, in January last, upon which our application was founded, and I am to add that the Weekly payment for Wages to Mechanics and Labourers in this City, and in the Coves and Ship Yards of this Port, during the Summer Months, Amounts to nearly £10,000, and great difficulty is found in making change from the want of a sufficient supply of Copper Coins.

I have the honour to be, sir,

Your Most Obed. Servt.,

(Signed), NOAH FREER,

Cashier.

No. 29.

Noah Freer, Esq., Cashier Quebec Bank.

SIR,

We, the undersigned, being put to very great trouble and loss, for the want of a sufficient amount of Copper coin for change, We would be greatly obliged to the Quebec Bank if they would import, say from one to two thousand pounds worth. Should the directors comply with our request, We agree to take and pay for the sums set against our respective names as soon as the coppers arrive.

Quebec, January 10, 1851.

McDonald & Logan.. . . .	Twenty-five pounds.
N. S. Henderson & Co.. . . .	Two hundred and fifty pounds.
L. & C. Tétu	Fifty pounds.
Alex. Robertson	Twenty-five pounds.
Sam. I. Shaw	One hundred pounds.
Robert Shaw	Twenty-five pounds.
E. Michon	Twenty-five pounds.
Tho. H. Oliver.. . . .	Fifty pounds.
Geo. Besset.. . . .	Fifty pounds.
M. G. Mountain	Twenty-five pounds.
E. & W. Poston	Fifty pounds.
W. Hossach.. . . .	Twenty-five pounds.
George Hall.. . . .	One hundred pounds.
Wood & Peters	One hundred pounds.
Pemberton Brothers.	One hundred pounds.
Geo. W. Osborne.. . . .	Fifty pounds.
R. Roberts & Co.	Fifty pounds.
D. Burnet	Fifty pounds.
Geo. Binns, Synns & Co.. . . .	Fifty pounds.
Allan, Gilmour & Co.	Two hundred pounds.
Anderson & Paradis (W. P.).. . .	Fifty pounds.

No. 30.

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Noah Freer, Esq., Cashier Quebec Bank, Quebec.

TORONTO, 28 March, '51.

SIR,

With reference to your letter of the 21 inst., urging the reconsideration of the application of the Quebec Bank for permission to import Copper coins on the ground that the whole of the importation which the Upper Canada Bank