

No. 21.

Quebec, 21st January, 1833.

SIR,

I have the honor to enclose for the information of His Excellency the Governor in Chief, an estimate of the probable amount required to complete and put into operation the Steam Dredging machine, which I have just received from Montreal.

I have, &c. &c. &c.

(Signed,) G. MOFFATT,
Chairman of Harbour Commissioners.

Lieut. Col. Craig,
Civil Secretary. }

An Estimate of the probable amount of completing and putting in operation, the Steam Dredging machinery.

Sums appropriated by the Legislature.	£4500	0	0
Received in account and disbursed as per account rendered.	4281	18	0
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	£ 218	2	0
Probable cost of the hull of the Boat.	£1600	0	0
Expence of setting up machinery.	500	0	0
Outfit of the boat.	100	0	0
Cost of 12 barges or scows for receiving soil, including anchors and cables.	350	0	0
Occasional repairs of machinery and other contingencies.	250	0	0
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	£2600	0	0

Memorandum.—The balance on the former appropriation of £218 2 0 will be required to defray the expences of taking care of the machinery and defraying the wages of the Engineer.

The expences incidental to working the boat are not mentioned as the Commissioners propose that the parties having the use of the boat should defray the expenses of working it.

Montreal, 16th January, 1833.
(Signed,) G. MOFFATT, Quebec, 21st January, 1833.
JULES QUESNEL,
N. C. RADIGER, Secretary.

(A true Copy.)

H. CRAIG,
Secretary.