

TO THE HONORABLE THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE PROVINCE
OF CANADA, IN PARLIAMENT ASSEMBLED.

*The Memorial of the undersigned Merchants and Manufacturers extensively engaged in the
Timber Trade of Canada,*

HUMBLY SHEWETH:

That Your Memorialists have been much surprised to learn, that the Cullers have this Session of Parliament, renewed their attempts to induce the Legislature to make an alteration in the present "Lumber Act," whereby the interests of those engaged in the Trade, buyers as well as sellers, will be seriously affected and materially injured; and that a Bill, embodying the proposed alteration, has been introduced into Your Honorable House by Mr. Laurin.

That this alteration has not been asked for, and is not desired by those interested in the Trade, either manufacturers, or buyers, or sellers, and that it is sought for by the Cullers alone, who have no interest whatever in the matter, and whose object appears to be to force their services on those who do not want them.

Wherefore, Your Memorialists humbly pray that Your Honorable House will not pass the Bill.

And Your Memorialists, as in duty bound, will ever pray.

Quebec, 14th June, 1850.

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William Hunt,
Elisha Lane.

Quebec 14 June 1851
The above Petition was prepared against the Bill of last Session - the
Bill introduced this Session by Mr. Laurin has precisely the same
and object in view - we earnestly entreat your Honorable Association will
Hamilton Brothers
Alfred Brown & Co.

Mr. Knapp

West End, N. B.

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