

Quebec 2nd January 1786

The charitable contribution of a few dollars towards the support thro' the winter of Francois Cambray, a poor industrious unfortunate miner, with a wife and small children, whose hand was shivered in springing a mine the 20th ult^o and has since been obliged to suffer amputation, is humbly requested of the humane and generous encouragers of honest industry.

In Feb^{ry} 1772 the Honb^{le} Charles James Fox quarrelled with Lord North and is said to have sent his Lordship the following laconic epistle:

“My Lord, you have grossly insulted me and I will resent it. I am just going to St James's to resign my place to the King.”

However, in December the same year he reconciled himself to the minister and accepted a seat at the Treasury Board.

Sir,

My Lord, yours is before me and it will soon be behind me

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