(OBVERSE)

FREE [appears to be stamp on angle]

Free [underlined]

[unknown writing running perpendicular to name and address information]

Mr J. S. Howard Burford

[in different handwriting in space to the left of 'Burford']

Etobicoke

16th March 1842

[red circular mark at bottom of page]

(REVERSE)

Milton Mills 15th March 1842

Mr. J. S. Howard

Burford

Dear Sir

I wrote on the 11th [unknown word] and have [unknown word] you, to reply to [dash] this present is to give you a quotation from our Montreal Agents advice received this day [unknown word] " [unknown word] now write

"to advise you of a decline of 8 [unknown symbol] quarter

I am Dear Sir

Yours Very faithfully [unknown name Gamble?] [unknown symbols/initials] [large flourish]

[&]quot;on wheat in the home market, this will

[&]quot;not make purchases safe with you at present

[&]quot;at any thing [sic] over 4/4 [unknown symbol] [unknown word] [dash] merely as a guide for you as to how you many proceed. I do place any [unknown word] on you but allow you to act in accordance with your own judgement.