

ished by Feeny, Cousins, Leblanc, Wilson, and Thompson ; he was implicated in the capture of the steamboat.

Wattier dit Lanoie is fully identified by Feeny, Leblanc, Wilson, Thompson, and Lebœuf ; he appears to have held some degree of authority, but was not particularly conspicuous for activity.

De Lorimier is positively sworn to by Feeny, Thompson, Parker, and Leblanc, who are supported by Cousins and Lebœuf, and by one or two witnesses on the Defence ; Mahen also saw him at Baker's camp. We cannot conscientiously pass from the name of this man, without dwelling, for a moment, upon the circumstances of strong criminality which mark his case. He appears, from the evidence, to be a resident in this city. We find him at Beauharnois, on the fourth and following days of November, without ostensible business, but, as he himself declares, "accidentally"—his person is partially disguised, he sedulously declares (as he has been universally careful to prove before the Court) that he took no part in the disturbances, and yet we find, from the evidence of Feeny, that he was much consulted by the rebels at Prevost's, and appeared to hold a command among them—from Thompson and Parker, that he attended and took down the names of the steamboat prisoners—from the latter, also, that he searched his chest for papers, and that he declared that the whole country was in the possession of the insurgents, and that Government was deliberating about the propriety of relinquishing Canada—from Lebœuf, that he had recently returned from the United States, and appears to have been aware of the unprincipled schemes and designs originated and ripened there—and from Mahen, that he read, three times, at Baker's camp, a letter, which he said was from Cote, demanding reinforcements for Odelltown. This is an array of testimony which cannot be broken down, or shaken, by any declarations of the prisoner.—Such declarations, in the face of such testimony, must be regarded as insincere and hypocritical,—his acts, in the apt expression of one of the witnesses, belied his words. We would avoid, with anxious soli-