

I heard the parties on the merits of the preliminary objections made by the Defendant to the Election Petition of the said Petitioner, and the said Petitioner having admitted that the said preliminary objections were well founded, I maintained them and dismissed the Election Petition with costs.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

M. MATHIEU,
J. S. C.

CANADA,
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC,
DISTRICT OF TERREBONNE. }

Superior Court.

STE. SCHOLASTIQUE, 22nd December, 1882.

PRESENT:

The Hon. MICHEL MATHIEU, J. S. C.

Dominion Controverted Elections Act, 1874.

Election of a Member of the House of Commons of *Canada*, for the Electoral District of *Terrebonne*, in the Judicial District of *Terrebonne*, held on the 16th day of August, 1882, for the nomination, and on the 23rd day of August, 1882, for the voting.

No. 6.

SÉRAPHIN OUMET, Merchant, of the Village of *Ste. Thérèse de Blainville*, in the Electoral District of *Terrebonne*,

Petitioner.

vs.

The Hon. JOS. ADOLPHE CHAPLEAU, Q.C., of the City of *Montreal*, in the District of *Montreal*,

Respondent.

The Court, after having heard the parties, namely the said Petitioner and the said Defendant, by their respective Counsel and Attorneys, on the merits of the preliminary objections filed in this case on the 1st December, 1882, by the said Respondent, against the Election Petition of the said Petitioner; examined the said preliminary objections, the said Election Petition, and all the record in the case;

Whereas, the said Petitioner hath admitted that the said preliminary objections are well founded:

Has maintained and maintains the said preliminary objections, has dismissed and dismisses the said Election Petition of the said Petitioner, *Séraphin Oumet*, and has condemned and condemns the said Petitioner, *Séraphin Oumet*, to costs *distracts* to Messrs. *Lacoste, Globensky, Bissailon* and *Brosseau*, Counsel for Respondent.

M. MATHIEU,
J. S. C.

(A true copy.)

ALPHONSE RABY,
Dep. P. S. C.