

CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT, 1874.

CANADA,
 PROVINCE OF QUEBEC,
 DISTRICT OF IBERVILLE. }

Superior Court.

Wednesday, the 6th day of September, 1882.

Present:

HON. MR. JUSTICE CHAGNON.

No. 148.

In re

SIXTE COUPAL dit LARINE, Farmer, of the Village of *Napierville*, in the Parish of *St. Cyprien*, in the Electoral District of *Napierville*, otherwise called County of *Napierville*, in the Judicial District of *Iberville*, in the Province of *Quebec*, in the Dominion of *Canada*.

Petitioner.

vs.

MÉDÉRIC CATUDAL, Gentleman, of the Parish of *St. Cyprien*, in the Electoral District of *Napierville*.

Respondent.

After having heard the parties, by their Counsel, on the merits of the said Election Petition, and after having examined and heard the evidence adduced and on the whole duly deliberated,

I, the undersigned, one of the Judges of the Superior Court in the Province of *Quebec*, before whom the trial of the said Election Petition was had, in virtue of the powers on me conferred by the Act respecting Dominion Controverted Elections, of this Dominion of *Canada*, and sitting in and for the District of *Iberville*, within the limits whereof is situated the Electoral District of *Napierville*;

Whereas, the Petitioner hath furnished no proof whatsoever of any of the allegations of his petition;

Dismiss the said Election Petition with costs against the Petitioner, and in consequence confirm the election already made of the Respondent as a Member of the House of Commons of *Canada*, to represent and representing the said Electoral District of *Napierville*, and declare that the said Respondent, *Médéric Catudal*, whose election was controverted by the said Election Petition, was duly elected.

H. W. CHAGNON,
J. S. C.

(A true copy.)

H. MARCHAND,
P. S. C.

(*Translation.*)

TERREBONNE CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

STE. SCHOLASTIQUE, 2nd January, 1883.

To JOHN GEORGE BOURNOT, Esq.,
 Clerk of the House of Commons.

SIR,—In view of the vacancy in the office of Speaker, I have to report to you in the matter of the Terrebonne Election, *Séraphin Ouimet*, Petitioner, vs. Hon. *Joseph Adolphe Chapleau*.