

It being six o'clock in the afternoon, the Commissioner adjourns the *enquête* until to-morrow, Thursday, the tenth of April instant, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

C. A. LEBLANC,
Commissioner.

(Attested,)

PETER L. MACDONELL,
Secretary.

THURSDAY, the tenth April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

PRESENT :

CHARLES A. LEBLANC, Q. C.,

Commissioner.

Two o'clock, P. M.

EDOUARD MACHGEELS, now of the City of Montreal, Commercial Traveller, aged twenty-six years, being duly sworn, upon the Holy Evangelists, doth depose and say:—I am from the City of Anvers in Belgium, and I have been living for three years in Montreal. I saw the Pelzers only once. I also know Depleschin from having seen him three or four times. The visit to Pelzers took place about the month of February. I found at Pelzers, himself, his wife and Depleschin. A few minutes later, perhaps ten minutes, Messrs. Boncorps and Perrot came in. I already knew these last named gentlemen by sight. I swear positively that I did not upon this, more than upon any other occasion, offer any sum of money to Depleschin or any other person whomsoever, and I swear that the Pelzers and Depleschin, in so stating under oath, have committed perjury. During the time of my visit, there was no question of money whatever, not a word was said upon the subject. I am convinced they swore falsely in this circumstance. I certainly would not believe either the Pelzers or Depleschin under oath.