
 IN THE SUPREME COURT OF CANADA.

 JAMES SOMERVILLE, *et al.*,

Appellants.

AND

The Honorable RODOLPHE LAFLAMME,

Respondent.

 Judgment of the Supreme Court of Canada in the above Appeal.

Certified to the Honorable The Speaker of the House of Commons of Canada, pursuant to Section 48 of the Supreme and Exchequer Court Act, by the Registrar of the Court.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF CANADA.

Monday, the fifteenth day of April, A.D. 1878.

PRESENT:

The Honorable	The CHIEF JUSTICE,
"	" MR. JUSTICE STRONG,
"	" MR. JUSTICE TASCHEREAU,
"	" MR. JUSTICE FOURNIER,
"	" MR. JUSTICE HENRY.

JAMES SOMERVILLE, LOUIS PARÉ, JOSEPH LARCHE, LOUIS BARRÉ, JEAN BAPTISTE PICARD, LUDGER TASSE, LOUIS COUSINEAU, ARISTIDE ROCHON, FRANÇOIS XAVIER LECAVALIER AND HYACINTHE CHARLEBOIS (Petitioners),

Appellants.

AND

The Hon. RODOLPHE LAFLAMME (Defendant),

Respondent.

The Appeal of the above named Appellants from the Judgment of the Superior Court for the Province of *Quebec*, rendered by the Honorable Mr. Justice *Dorion*, on the Seventh day of July, A. D. 1877, by which it was adjudged, ordered and declared that the Election Petition of the said Appellants complaining of the illegality of the Election of the said Respondent as a Member of the House of Commons of *Canada* for the Electoral District of *Jacques Cartier*, should be, and the same was dismissed with costs, and the said Respondent, the Honorable *Rodolphe Laflamme* was declared duly elected, having come on to be heard before this Court on the twenty-first, twenty-second, twenty-third, twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth days of January, A.D. 1878, in presence of Counsel, as well for the Appellants as the Respondent, whereupon and upon hearing what was alleged by Counsel aforesaid, this Court was pleased to direct that the said Appeal should stand over for judgment, and the same having come on this day for judgment this Court did order and adjudge that the said Appeal should be, and the same was dismissed, and that the said judgment of the said Superior Court for the Province of *Quebec* should be, and the same was affirmed, and this Court did further order, adjudge and determine as follows:—

1. That the said the Honorable *Rodolphe Laflamme* was duly elected and returned for the said Electoral District of *Jacques Cartier* to serve as a member in the House