

occasion he gave me a passport prohibiting all parties whomsoever from arresting me, unless for an offence committed subsequently. My personal liberty is therefore due to two men who were entire strangers to me. I have only seen Colonel Gury once since, but I have never seen the generous man who spoke to him in my favor.

St. Jean, 14th February, 1855.

(Signed,) LOUIS FRÉCHETTE.

In presence of T. R. JOBSON, and J. E. BURKE.

(*Translation.*)

CERTIFICATE OF DR. ALLARD.

It is with the deepest gratitude that I certify, that since I have had the honor to know Colonel Gury, I have completely changed the opinion which I had entertained of his political conduct.

I had thought that in 1837, that he would take pleasure in harrassing the Canadians, especially after he had exposed himself to the chances of war. But to my extreme surprise he has acted with the utmost gentleness, and has sought to extend, by all the means in his power, protection to the Canadians. For my own part, I can affirm that without his assistance I should have been imprisoned in 1837. I was incarcerated in 1838, and he exerted himself to procure my enlargement, and I am convinced that (owing to the efforts of some implacable enemies) I should, without the Colonel's help, have been long detained and perhaps tried for treason. In fact, in the adjoining parishes, people with one accord talk of Colonel Gury as a man who has rendered signal services to the Canadians. I am certain that, but for his interposition, the number of prisoners to the south of the St. Lawrence would, in 1838, have been great. Having further frequently conversed with him in 1838 and 1839, I always remarked that his conversations tended to the amelioration of the condition of the Canadians.

(Signed,) J. B. ALLARD, M.D.

Belœil, 20th October, 1840.