wife of Seraphin Lajoie by sight, and I have slept their several times; I do not know the character of that woman; she looks like a decent woman, and I have never heard any harm said of her; when I come to Malbaie, I go sometimes to sleep at his house by accident.

This deposition being read to the witness, he persisteth therein, declaring that it contains the truth, and hath signed.

ZEPHIRIN SAVARD.

Taken and Sworn before me, in open Court, at Malbaie, this 13 September, 1876.

A. B. ROUTHIER, J. S. C.

Province of Quebec, District of Saguenay.

SUPERIOR COURT.

DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT, 1874.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons, for the Electoral District of Charlevoix, Malbaie, 13th September, 1876.

Present-The Hon. A. B. ROUTHIER, J. S. C.

No. 14.

BRASSARD et al., Petitioners,

VS.

Hon. H. L. LANGEVIN, Defendant

EVIDENCE OF THE PETITIONERS IN REBUTTAL.

Ensèbe Martel, aged 41 years, farmer, of the parish of St. Agnès, being duly sworn npon the 5300 Holy Evangelists, deposeth and saith :---

I know the parties in this cause; I am neither a relation, nor a connection, nor a servant, nor a domestic of any of them; I have no interest whatever in the result of this suit.

I know Seraphin Lajoie, of Malbaie, and his wife, well; I know the character which they bear, well; for my part, I have nothing to say against them.

From what I know of them, I should believe them under oath.