for a time in avenue violating it were winker at by the officials, or quietly encourage

Further, the hotel-keepers were quietly given to understand that no prosecutions would take place; and, in short, the Scott Act was used for electioncering purposes by the Grits, to its fullest extent; so that in Victoria county less than four per cent, of the hotel influence was found actively supporting the Liberal-

Conservative party. More, the hotel-keepers have since practically been given to know that flioted. And Mr. Mointyre, as the month-piece of the Ontario government, distinctly onunciated the above policy at

say the hotels are not, by the action and enforce the law, i. e., the Ontario governwould the Ontario government be justified

could have been successfully enforced beintention to enforce it, and not only the public, but the better class of hotel-keepers, will be found standing loyally to

Indeed, in this town, Mr. Benson, when the law came in force, closed his bar, and got the Inspector of Inland Revenue to lock up the liquors for weeks. But finding every one cles selling openly, with the tacit permission of the Ontario government, he also re-opened. So Mr. Voitch closed his bar also, to re-open

under similar circumstances.

How can a public be expected to observe a law that never was popular; when the fountain, the enforcing body, the Ontario government, condones offences

OAKWOOD HIGH STHOOL

In order that the electors of Mariposa may have a clear understanding of the Oak wood high school question we submit the following :--

The trustees of Oakwood high school made a requisition according to law, on Mariposa council, for \$4,000, to erect a new high school.

For the by-law, Lownsbrough and paration to raise the motor.
Yours truly,

The vote of the council on the final

Against the by-law, Broad, Bowes and

Several weeks had clapsed between the first and the final reading. During that time roove Broad, for the council, and Mr. Silverwood for the high school, obtained legal advice from Measure. Adam Hudspoth, Q. C.; D. J. McIntyre, Req.; Scoretary Marling; and the Minister of Education. Both Mr. Marling's and the Minister of Education. Both Mr. Marling's and the Minister's coincide entirely with Mr. Hudspoth's. Mr. Marling's, as representing his own and also Hon. G. W. Ross's views, has already appeared in The Warden; but it is again submitted. first and the final reading. During that time roeve Broad, for the council, and THE WARDEN; but it is again submitted. Mr. Ross has also written again, another letter re-affirming his first decision as expressed through Mr. Marling.

And on Wednes ay last Hon. Mr. Ross himself, instructed the editor of THE WARDER, that there was no doubt among the people. Those towns and at all in his mind concerning the law. The two trustees carried the by-law over greatest amount of health, wealth and The two trustees carried the by-law over the three, that being the poculiarity of that section of the school law.

Hence the by-law being already carried by the two, Mr. Broad could do nothing

Mr. MeIntyre's opinion is submitted horewith, and will possibly explain itself. Acting on the legal and official opinions other construction of the law: Mr. Broad as roove or executive head of the council, though voting against the passage of the by law by the council, his plan being to submit it to vote of the electors, yet was That is, two of a council of five, in that one particular instance, can carry a by-

October 8th, 1887.

DEAR SIE.—You ask my opinion upon the following facts: The School Board made a demand upon the township o unoif for \$1,000. demand upon the township a most for \$1,000, for the building, and equipping of a high school building. A by law was introduced and given a first reading by the council, when 3 voted for it and 2 sgrinst it—the council being composed of 5 members. Nothing forther has been done, Section 35 of the High School Act, Chapter 50, Ontario Statutes, 1885, provides, "In case where the High School Board may require the municipal council to raise or borrow a sum of money for the purchase of a son of site, or the erection ment, half justified in selling liquor! And, or purchase of any school house or addition after all the dickering for liquor support, thereto, or for the purchase or erection of a tencher's residence, such musicipal conucil may refuse to reise or horrow any such sum, when it is so resolved by a two-thirds vote of the members present at the meeting of the emach for considering any by law in that be-

2. When the municipal connell by a twoproposed, then such question shall be submitted by the municipal council, if requested by the fligh School Board, to the vote of the

has been made to do duty, not as a law, but as a political lever. Let the government give fair and honest notice of the manufacture of the retenavers, etc., pass a by law for

Two things are necessary to authorize the council to enhant the by-law to the rare-payers: Ist—The two thirds vote of the council against the by-law, 2nd—The rare quest of the School Board.

The council has not refused to raise the money by a two-thirds vote, and has virtually passed the by-law. In the case of the Board of Education of Napines vs. The Corporative of Napanes, a similar case to yours, and reported in 29 Grant's Chancery Reports, at page 396, it was held by Mr. Justice Proudfoof, upon an application for a mendam us to compel the corporation for a mendam us to compel the corporation for a mendam us to compel the corporation for a mendam us to continue in accepting or rejecting the requisition of school trustees to funds for a school site, except by a two thirds vote. An adverse vote by a smaller majority is a virtual acceptance, and the requisition must therefore be complied with. He says at page 396: "In this instance the municipality have not provided the money, and they have not provided the money, and they have not he for he mantive by less than two-thirds is in fact an illimative vote, but the money is not for he ming; the trustees have not hear placed in a part ion to ask the eping is not for he matter tion of the Staints, and upon the authority of the case cited, I am of the court for a meadam us to come of the court for a meadam to come of the court for a m

PROM HON, G. W. ROSS, MINISTER OF EDU-CATION, THROUGH SECRETARY MARLING.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

It is understood that the Canadian and placed on a serviceable footing. No nation can prosper that does not foster a patriotic, a military spirit, blended with a knowledge of constitutional govern-

Lindsay should adopt the plan of numbering the streets instead of following the

Mr. Eprron,—Ruowing that the people of Marip sa do not thoroughly understand all about the \$4,000 00 by-law, I have felt it my duty to write a short letter on this questiar.

The school law says as follows:—'The annual Legislative grants to High Schools and Collegists lostitutes shall be distributed on the following basis, so far as the appropriation made by the Logislature will admit thereof,

Grant on total amount in vested in equipment, viz.
10 per cent. of expenditure on the following basis, the maximum recognized expenditure on each being as follows:-Library of reference....\$275 00 Scientific apparatus, physical and Chemical

4 Charts, maps and globes, 10: 00 Grant on condition and suitability of school preply, school grands, and external appearance of school building, max. ... 2 Class rooms, halls, wait-

Gymussium and equip

This year the Board received \$400.00 from the government and an equal sum from the gusters, etc., pass a by law for mate, \$200.00 extra is received from the G.v.

90 00

Council for a cent of money, but for their credit for a term of years.

Trusting that I have added a little light to this question. I sm, yours truly,

Don's forget the auction sale of farm stock and Implements, atc., etc., on Wednesday, 29th inst. There will be offered for sale one span brood meres in foal to 0 iver Twist; I entire out two yes, old, weighing 1650 lbs.; also 9 head of well bred outs and hernes; 18 head of well bred cattle and sheep. Farming Implements nearly all new. Parties wanting anything in this line should not fail, but attend, as everything is in splendid condition and sold without reserve. Why Wyles, Proprietor, 12th con., 14th lot.—5 1,

VICTORIA CORNERS

Special to The Worder.

If n Jan. Knox who had leased the farm of John Parrish has moved to the old homesteed with his father instead.

School —Our school is much crowded now;

improving from a stack of something the nature of a paralytic streke.

RE ENGAGED.—Mr. B Maybre and Miss.

A. Gillis have been re engaged for next year,

le targets in our sabest.

this vicinity.

An explanation is r quired now, as the bill from the tex collector is in general, larger than formerty. Some have said the school hence addition is the cause but we would ask some of the efficie to hindly experie.

Ententainment, as was amounted in The Wanden a few weeks ago, in our school was held. It was a grand suce as, everything being rendered in first class style. Mr. War. Cultis as et as chairmen. Much credit is due to Mr. Naybes and Miss Gillis for the marror in which the chi dren were trained and general progress they have made in the school. Progress they have made in the school.

on our new enterprise, and that the balance of our Grocery stock is about sold out.

Our determination to give our

TEAS

COFFEES

has already met with a success far exceeding our most sanguine ex-

When our new Teas arrived they excited much wonder and astonishment, and considerable comment was indulged in as to where we were going to find room

We are pleased to say, however, that our success in disposing of them has been so great that we have now room for a

DUPLICATE

Order of Japans

part of which has just arrived,

AND

BLACK TEA,

which we expect will arrive this

While we have already disposed of large quantities of Tea, there are many of our old customers at a distance whom we have not yet seen. We can assure them that the quality of the Teas and the reputation they are already win ning will be maintained.

ORDERS BY MAIL

OR OTHERWISE

may be sent with the fullest confidence that they will receive our best attention, and in no case will we find fault at taking goods back and refunding money if not entirely satisfactory.

WE WILL PAY

Highest Prices in cash for Alsike, Red Clover and Timothy Seed; Butter, Eggs, Pork and Potatoes.

AND

Christmas comes but once a year, And when it comes it brings good cheer.

MY STOCK OF GOODS

Christmas and Holiday Season

is now complete, and I am offering

TEAS of a superior quality, in Japans, Hysons, Congous and Ceylons.

FRUITS in extra selected Valencias, Choice Valencias, and Finest Sultanas.

Vostizza, Patras, and Provincial Currents. Lemon, Orange and Citron Peels.

DESSERT FRUITS in very choice Dehesa, Superior Black Basket and London Layers. FIGS in 1 lb. 14 lb, and 17 lb. boxes. Dates, Oranges, Lemons, Soft Shell Almonds, Brazil Nuts, Walnuts, Filherts, Pecan Nuts.

Pure Spices, Essences, Cocoa Nut, Chocalate.

CANNED GOODS in Peaches, Pears, Plums, Apples, Strawberries, Tomatoes-all of the best known brands and packers.

Lindsay, December 14, 1887

A. CAMPBELL

WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCER

Has just received choice lots of

NEW HYSON Teas, Sugars, Coffees, Spices, Raisins, and General Groceries

Coal Oil and Syrup-Cans, Latest Styles.

ARCH. CAMPBELL,

Wholesale and Retail Grocer, Kent St., Ludsay.



DROPPED TO THE BOTTOM.

For the remainder of this month we will offer our large stock of Tweeds, Overcoatings, Pantings, Suitings, etc., at a small advance on cost in order to clear them out, as we intend to renovate our Tailoring Department and must get rid of them in order to make room to do so. This is not sham or paper talk, but a real genuine sale, for we invite all to call and inspect this Department and prove for themselves the truth of the

Before you buy elsewhere see our 10 00 all wool Tweed Suits. Before you be. .. Isewhere see our \$9.00 all wool Tweed Overcoats.

B-fore you buy elsewhere see our \$2.00 all wool Tweed Pants Our Mr. W. A. Turner is prepared to make up for you a Suit, Overcoat or Pants, etc., and quarantee you as good or better fitting article as you ever had on. Everyone requiring anything in Ordered Clothing should avail themselves of this opportunity of getting an A1 article at a small price.

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