

Respecting the city of Peterboro—Mr. Bradburn.

Respecting the township of York—Mr. McCowan.

Respecting the town of Mount Forest—Mr. Craig.

To incorporate the village of Court-right.

#### Deportation of Immigrants.

The House went into supply on the supplementary estimates. Mr. Graham asked as to an item of \$1,000 for the deportation of immigrants. Mr. Hanna replied that the Dominion Government had been doing good work, and there had been co-operation in the matter of deportation with the Province. Every person deported might be said to relieve the Province of considerable expenditure in other directions. There had been some striking cases. Mr. Graham thought the Dominion Government should largely assume the expense of deportation. They should take the responsibility of not allowing undesirable immigrants to get into the country.

#### Twenty-foot Flags on Border.

Hon. Dr. Pyne, in reply to Mr. Auld as to the expenditure of \$5,000 for flags for public schools, said such flags would be raised at the discretion of the teacher. There were about 5,000 public schools in the Province, he said. The Premier stated that he did not care to see such professions of loyalty carried to the extent apparent in the United States. They did want the flag exposed on the inside walls of the schools where it could be explained by the teachers. Such legislation was not suggested in any jingo spirit, but out of respect for the institutions which the flag typified.

Mr. Auld stated that in Essex and on the border they purchased twenty-foot flags to show the Yankees that they were Canadians.

#### Queen's University.

"Hamilton is no second-class city," said Mr. Studholme. "This Government has done nothing for Hamilton, and nothing was so resented there as the removal of the Normal College from that city." The opinion was expressed in connection with items in the Department of Education providing for a grant of \$5,000 a year for three years for pedagogical instruction at Queen's University.

The Premier said the Government had started out on its career by stating in Kingston that Queen's University would be treated just the same whether or not a Government supporter were elected. The Government would not spend public money with a view to having any city return a supporter of the Government.

with respect to Queen's, he had stated when leader of the Opposition that it had become a part of the educational life of the country, and that, if returned to power, as soon as the claims of Toronto were disposed of Queen's would be taken into consideration. Since that time Queen's had to an extent gone back under the wing of the Church, and the position of affairs was greatly simplified. It was decided to go on and develop the Provincial University scheme at Toronto, and in the interests of that great public duty the School of Pedagogy was removed from Hamilton. The consequence was that it rendered it impossible for Queen's to get pedagogical instruction without going to a rival institution—the University of Toronto. The Government therefore decided to make some allowance to Queen's University to provide against the new condition of affairs created.

"This is a serious question for Queen's," said Mr. MacKay. "If the provision is not made it might mean that the institution would lose half its students to Toronto University." Mr. MacKay paid a high tribute to the professional training given at Queen's.

In answer to Mr. MacKay the Premier said the three years' grant was not a finality.