

absence of a few days prevented me from giving an earlier reply, that he sees no reason for the protestant school commissioners not to comply with the desire of the public, and deliver an account of the manner in which they have expended the Funds that were placed at their disposal. The law makes it obligatory for all the other municipalities, and a corporate body is everywhere bound to account to those whom they represent for the administration of their affairs.

I have the honour to be,

&c., &c.,

LOUIS GIARD,
Secretary.