

Essex	\$17,059 59
Kent	3,882 23
Prescott and Russell	42,475 06
Dundas, Stormont and Glengarry	5,989 59
Ottawa	108,235 52
Windsor	11,775 65
Blind River	3,837 45
Bonfield	813 64
Chelmsford	1,475 00
Cobalt	7,097 82
Haileybury	2,700 00
Hawkesbury	4,310 55
Rockland	4,508 75
Sandwich	2,065 10
Sturgeon Falls	3,542 15
Steeltown	3,389 00
Walkerville	684 94

\$226,942 07

On this showing, it would be for the \$15,000.00 granted by the Government to the separate schools, both English and French, in districts inhabited by French Canadians, that these latter would give up the teaching of their language in school. Apart from the fact that the withdrawal of their share of the school funds would merely tend to increase the school rate by about 25 cents per family, it is not for gold or silver that they will part with the treasure of their language, a treasure which they feel coursing in their veins, and vibrating in their souls.

It is not surprising, therefore, to find, in this connection, that Dr. Merchant should have found French taught everywhere, with about three excep-