January Fifth 1921.

Hon. F. B. McCurdy, Minister of ublic Works, Ottawa.

Dear Mr. McCurdy:-

Mr. R.R. Osgoode of St. Thomas, Ont. is desirous of bringing to the notice of the Government some pictures which he painted while serving with the Canadian Corps in France.

I have seen one which was a most faithful portrayal of the scene it was supposed to represent. I am forwarding herewith certain letters received by Mr. Osgoode, which all go to show the high estimation in which his works are held. They also certify to the fact that he painted the scenes on the spot.

I' hope the Committee which advises your Department in matters of this kind will give all consideration to his request.

Ever yours faithfully,

Principal.