Ottawa, December 11, 1916.

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I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 7th instant and other letter in reference to settlement of Cote School contract, and in reply to inform you that the pepartment has not yet obtained possession of the building, but will do so within a few days, after which it is hoped settlement will be

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Sir,-

made.

s the delay in making payment is the result of your action in the matter, I cannot see why you should be disappointed.

355 Brooklyn St., St. James,

Winnipeg, ' Man,

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



Alfred Olson, Esq.,