

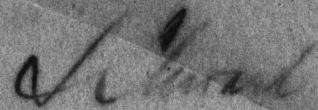
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that, as Miss Peregrin had not been engaged by the Department, it would be well that you should inform her that her services would not be required. The Department can assume no responsibility for the engagement of Miss Peregrin as it had not authorized her appointment.

You were told that the Department required specific information as to Miss Peregrin's qualifications, age and condition, without this information, which has yet been furnished, it could not pass upon her fitness for the position, and until it does so she should not have been engaged. There can be no question of the Department's right to appoint teachers to schools which are wholly maintained by it and the correspondence shows most clearly its intention to exercise this right in regard to the Morley School.

As you have already been informed Mr. Niddrie is being retained at Morley and there is no vacancy for Miss Peregrin and she must not be sent there, as her services are not required.

Your obedient servant,



Asst. Secretary.

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