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Ottawa, January 17, 1919.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your telegram of the 13th instant, which reads as follows,- "Dr. George M.O. reports a case of smallpox in the school today provincial health department referred matter to Federal authorities. Dr. George placed us under quarantine isolated the boy at the school and is making arrangements to have all vaccinated. We await your further instructions."

In reply I beg to confirm the following night lettergram, which was sent you on the 14th instant,- "You should obey quarantine regulations and may incur any legitimate extra expenditure needed."

Your obedient servant,

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Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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