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Ottawa, December 18, 1914.

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I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th ultimo enclosing the September quarter return of the St. Joseph's Boarding School at Cross Lake, as well as applications for the admission of eight children to that school.

The quarterly return received contains the names of the children who were in attendance at the Roman Catholic boarding school at Norway House and the Department would like to be advised if this school has been transferred to the new boarding school Cross Lake.

Regarding these applications for admission I beg to say that the Rev. E. Lecoq, Principal of the Norway House (R.C.) Boarding School, was informed that the Department would only allow a grant for seven children at Norway House and \$5.00 a month for an orphan child three years of age and that as soon as the Cross Lake school was completed no further grant would be allowed for the maintenance of any pupils at the Norway House (R.C.) Boarding School. The Department, therefore, cannot sanction the admission of the eight children whose applications you forward and the grant is not being allowed for them for the period they are shown to

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