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Mrs. Woolley,
Montreal. P. Q.

Dear Mrs. Woolley,

With reference to your telephone conversation with me today on the subject of the two pictures by Miss Warren which hang in Moyse Hall, the Principal says that he does not believe Miss Warren has any legal claim on the Government of Canada, because, as he understood it, she painted them, and then thought she was going to sell them to the Government; she had no assurance from the Borden Government that they would take the pictures at the time she made them. She brought them over to Canada, exhibited them to the Directors of the Art Gallery, and at no time did she ever receive any encouragement from them. The Principal adds that he may be going too far in saying that she had no encouragement from the Government during the War; if they did encourage her to paint them it was not his province to know it. He is sorry, but to the best of his recollection this is all he can say about the matter.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary to the Principal