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TOLLARD ROYAL RECTORY,
SALISBURY.

Dear General Denis!

We are in trouble
as regards the Farneham
School - It seems to me
that to satisfy the Inspector
of course "my Lords" the
whole building must be
re-constructed - If the
alterations are not carried
out we are threatened
with a "Board School"
which will increase
our rates very much.

I enclose Mr. Lee's
letter. - The ^{of Holland alterations.} plans which
I submitted to my Lord
are "mirabile dictu"
approved of. - Adams
will carry out the
alterations & additions
in August. I did not
trouble you & you said
that "I was as good a
judge of these things as you
The cost will be about

25 £ - which, if you like, we can
pay
yrs truly
Geo H Waterfall

11029

Farnham
Monday

My dear Waterfall

Your troubles connected with school matters are not heavy like mine, as you have no expense to suffer, I suppose

We have just had a letter from Govt saying we must deduct the expense of an cloak room from the Balance sheet, which makes a difference of £16 odd and we have too much reason to fear a demand for the immediate erection of a class room, which would probably cost £100?

Under such circumstances we

I must look around as for help
in order to avoid the direful
necessity of a school board
& a board school.

Will you act therefore as a
manager of this school, come
forward kindly to help as

I do some of your work and
have had no salary for a long time
and I feel you are indebted
to me for such assistance
& above all in this matter of
the school which so many of your
parishioners attend. & of which
you are a responsible official

I am in the deepest per-
plexity as to supplying it with
a suitable teacher. This man

Bate

having his tests been most vexatious
& unhelpful, never attending
either school or church: & putting
down to me the wrong done to the
school, on the score of a smoke-
cottage, where the former teacher lived
& which I did not know was 'unfit
for human habitation' as he says it is.

We are now fitting the cottage
near the school for habitation,
but his term closes in May & we
have not yet got a successor in

There are expenses also to be met
in digging the school garden and
putting up out buildings.

In the hope that you will
allow my claim upon you

I remain Yours truly
J H Lee