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Ottawa, July 12, 1916.

Sir,

The sub-contractor for carpentry and plastering work at Côté school has wired the Department that unless the amount of their order given by you for work done and to be done on account of his sub-contract was guaranteed by the Department in full that he would stop the work.

Mr. Olson has been telegraphed as follows:-

"Cannot guarantee any amount over contract and deposit security. Amount available appears sufficient to pay orders given on valid accounts. Agent will be notified to freight balances of material required and Holver Construction Company notified to complete work or will be finished by Department."

As the building must be completed and ready for occupation not later than August 15th next it will be necessary for you to at once make other arrangements for the completion of the work providing Olson refuses to proceed, with the intension of completing fully by the time stated (August 15, 1916), and providing the work does not proceed at once and continuously to completion the Department will be compelled to complete the work themselves under the terms of the contract.

Yr.

The Holver Construction Company,

Smith St.,

Winnipeg, Man.

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