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Berlin, Ont.,

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Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:

I am writing you at the above address hoping this letter will be forwarded to you.

I wrote a letter to Mr. Aoland at the proposal of Harvey Sims respecting an error which was made by me in reporting to you the amount of the balance in the bank. I am very sorry that Mr. Aoland forwarded this letter to you. I have just received a letter from him telling me that he has done so. I did not intend such to be done. I had purposed only to let him know of the facts set out in my letter, so that he could attend to them, if he were authorised by you to attend to such matters, and in case he were not it was my purpose to straighten the matter out myself in the meantime by simply depositing enough to meet all cheques. I did not so state it in my letter to Mr. Aoland, but I think the error has arisen through my depending on the partial statement prepared by Mr. Gidon and my adding to his partial payment, cheques which I sent out subsequent to his statement. You will remember it was on a Sunday when I telephoned you my estimate of the account; and I was unable to verify my statement by the account at the bank. I think the miscalculation was through the \$250.00 for which I gave you cheques personally. These of course do not appear in Mr. Gidon's statement. You need not give the matter any further thought during your absence, as I have arranged it here by depositing the necessary amount, and I hope this letter will arrive in time to prevent annoyance on your part, through my letter which was sent to Mr. Aoland and which he says he forwarded to you.

Yours sincerely,

(Sgd) W. M. GRAM

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