

Letter from His Grace Archbishop Langevin

To the Author.

**Mother House of the Missionary Oblates of Mary
Immaculate, Rome.**

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To the Rev. Father Delaere, C. SS. R.,
of the Ruth. Rite, Superior, Yorkton, Sask.

My dear Father: —

I have read with lively interest, on my arrival in Rome, the interesting memorandum which you have drawn up on the history of the schism and heresy among our Ruthenians, and the appeal, so earnest and so well grounded, which you make to young clerics or seminarians in Canada. Would to God, that this appeal be heard since the salvation of thousands of souls is at stake.

I presume that you had not the intention to enumerate all that had been done for the Ruthenians before the arrival of the good Basilian Fathers in Winnipeg and Edmonton and of your Fathers in Brandon and Yorkton; for you would then have mentioned the zeal put forth among these people, on their very arrival in this country, by the