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At a Job Meeting on the Indian Quadrangle this morning, it was reported that a considerable number of building trades had struck, including the glaziers, tinsmiths, painters and masons, with others possibly to join in the next few days. These events have thrown the previous forecast dates of completion for A and B, C and D, and E and F to the winds and, of course, until it is known how long the trade unions will be out, it is futile to attempt any projections about when these regions might be completed.

Bad though the picture is, it is a fact that buildings A and B, and to a certain extent, C and D are quite far along, and if the trades get back and get going again, it should not take more than two weeks to finish A and B, in my opinion, and maybe three or four weeks to finish C and D. So that, we cannot positively say the buildings can't be ready in time for occupancy this Fall, and we may narrowly avert this catastrophe in the end. Furniture is in readiness, as is carpet and draperies, so that we are prepared to move at a moment's notice to ready these four halls, if we get any break at all.

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