

Sept. 11th, 1924.

My dear Professor :-

Your letter of the 5th instant addressed to the Principal, was this day forwarded to me, with a request that I "would deal with the question raised in the attached letter from Professor Smith".

I now proceed to do so as fully as I can with the information at my disposal. I called at the College this morning, and would have very much preferred to have discussed this matter with you in person. However, I had not the good fortune to meet you.

It would have been of some assistance to me to know with more detail the nature of the "enquiries concerning the provision for common law teaching". I have already had the occasion to express the opinion, that the wording of the extract from the report presented to Corporation, and which you quote, is unfortunate. The same is true of the expression found in the "Announcement of the Faculty of Law", and which you quote and characterized as "the most explicit