December 5th, 1923 Professor H. A. Smith, Vice-Dean, Faculty of Law. McGill University. Dear Mr. Vice-Dean:-I beg to acknowledge your letter of December 5th in which you propose that you should resign from the office of Vice-Dean as from the 1st of March, 1924. I do not feel that it would be quite right to make a change of this nature in the middle of the year, and I do not think, therefore, that it is possible for me to accept your resignation as at that date. I have, however, no objection to accepting it as of the end of the present year, June 30th. Yours faithfully. Principal.