these could have tempted me to write as I have done in defence of interests that are dear to me and of names that I revere. It would be a grievous loss to our Church in Canada if it were to lose touch of the religious and intellectual guides of the older world. We have inherited its religious past, we share in its continued worship, we dare not, in the interests of the Church, lose its intellectual freedom.

I beg to remain, my Lord, with all due respect,

Your humble servant,

JAMES POUNDER WHITNEY.