April 7, 1914. CUS 417/13.7

Dear Sir William.

I have received your letter of yesterday's date. The resignation would have to be accepted by the College (see enclosed Bye-Law). The next College is on Thursday 30th; agenda list is made out about ten days previously.

But I do most sincerely hope, and I am sure everybody

else will, that you will withdraw the resignation before then.

I remain.

Sincerely yours,

A. A. ORMEROD. Bye-LawCLXXXI. That no Fellow, Member, or Licentiate be permitted to resign his Fellowship, Membership, or Licence, as the case may be, unless he has signified to the Registrar in writing his desire so to do, and unless such resignation has been accepted by the college court.

Dr. Riddle and R.C.P. 1914.

Much correspondence must have followed. On April 8 W.O. replies to the President of the College:-

Oxford, April 8, 1914.