9. alder (Prof. Geo. Blumer)

Oxford

July 10th, 1903.

Dear Blumer:-

The extra postage on wedding invitations and pamphlets became such a nuisance that our man was ordered to refuse them all. It was very stupid of him to have had yours sent back. It is extraordinary how common it is. We have had to pay up to as much as five shillings extra postage on one American mail.

What a remarkable thing that dear old Dr. Ely should have gone off so quickly:

" I was delighted to hear that George Blumer was going to Yale. I have written to him. I hope, perhaps, to see you in Toronto.

With kind regards,

Sincerely yours,

W Osler

Note attached by Prof. Blumer:

Dr. Ely, a venerable practitioner of Providence, who was fêted about the time of Osler's visit to this city, and who died within a few days of the banquet at which he had made merry.

G.A.B.