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My dear Fitzgerald

The Convocation of
the University of London
have passed a resolution
in favour of rescinding the
regulations by which Candidates
for Honours in the B. Sc. Ex-
am are required to exhibit their
note books of laboratory work.
It is contended - not that

he really has worked badly
but that it is contrary
to the spirit of the University
in so far as it gives the
examiner information other
than that which he can
obtain in the examination
room.

The question is to be discussed
at a meeting of a Committee
of the Senate (of which
I am a member) on Wednesday

& I should be much obliged
if you could let me have a
line by return expressing your
opinion of the "note book
system".

Have you or an examiner
found it advantageous to
have the note book placed at
your disposal? If so in
what does the advantage
lie? Do you believe the
system could in any way
be unfair to candidates?

With all good wishes for 1896

Yours very truly
Arthur W. Piecker

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