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Dean W.W.Whitehouse,  
College of Liberal Arts,  
Wayne University.

Dear Dr. Whitehouse,

Some time ago you asked me to submit to you a small list of apparatus which we regarded as urgently needed in the psychology laboratory. These are each and every one "replacement" pieces, excepting the fifth.

First. Marietta Chronoscope, made by the Marietta Apparatus Co., Marietta, Ohio. Cost \$45.00.  
( This is a cheap chronoscope which measures in 0.01 second. A good chronoscope, as the Dunlap synchronous motor, costs \$270.)

Second. A standard typewriter for the department. Cost ( to Board of Education) \$ 60.00.  
This is to replace my old machine which has worn out in the service of the department.

Third. A recording kymograph, made by Phipps and Bird. Cost \$56.00.

Fourth. An electric color motor rotator, number 12611, made by C.H.Stoelting Co., Chicago, Ill. Cost \$ 29.50.

Fifth. One set of tuning forks, number 14021, cost <sup>\$40.<sup>00</sup></sup>, made by C.H.Stoelting Co., Chicago, Ill.  
(This last alone is not a replacement, but a badly needed addition to the laboratory.)

As I stated to you before, we have been going "backward" the past five or six years, not only not replacing worn out instruments of precision, but failing to acquire new and important precision instruments which every psychology laboratory of any standing possesses. Right now I could use five thousand dollars ( \$5, 000) which would give us an up-to-date laboratory but, of course, such can only be a "dream" at present.

(Copy sent to Mr.Thomas,  
Finance Department.)

Very truly yours,  
*E.B. Skaggs.*

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