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On Wednesday, 24 September 1969, we inspected and accepted the Central Supervisory System for this campus. This is a sophisticated electrical warning and alarm system which connects each building on campus to a supervisory panel board located in the power house on Fuller Road. This tie-in brings not only warnings of malfunctions in any of our operational systems to the attention of personnel on duty, but also keeps records and charts showing temperature, pressure and other critical data for the entire system. It is an extremely complicated but very useful supervisory system and represents the most modern approach to the control of the widespread campus which has been developed.

A partial acceptance had been taken earlier which included most of the Group One buildings. Then, as buildings were added, including Group Two, these had to be tied in to the same system. This accounts for the delay in completion and takeover.

Owing to the complexity of the system, there have been great difficulties in bringing it into operation as planned, but if we can keep it working, it will constitute a great aid for the Plant Department. The system was designed and built by Johnson Service.

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