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Campus Progress Report No. 203
Project #01-290 - Improve Fume Hood Ventilation, Science Buildings

This morning a repeat acceptance inspection was conducted on this project. Mainly it involved the increases of air velocity throughout the fume hoods in the Chemistry building, but there were also some minor improvements accomplished in the Biology and Earth and Atmospheric Science buildings. Deficiencies noted at the prior inspection conducted the week before last have been corrected. These deficiencies consisted principally of an imbalance in the control system, which resulted in the wandering of the automatic controls. This system is now functioning in a completely satisfactory manner and is giving excellent results.

We anticipate that the old problem of inadequate ventilation in the fume hoods within these buildings is now entirely corrected, and feel that we can look forward to trouble-free operation in this respect. Our guarantee period will commence as of now, to last for one year. Complete responsibility for the maintenance and operation of the system can now be resumed by the Plant Department augmented, of course, by the using department.

The job was completed essentially on time, was done by Lev-Case of Schenectady, New York, and was accepted for \$120,000.

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