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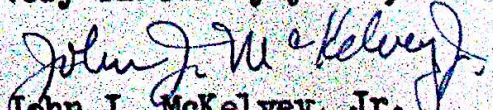
Dear Dr. Schlottfeldt:

Thank you for your letter of March 25 dealing with a number of matters concerning the Foundation's appropriation to the School of Agriculture (RF 56050).

In answer to your questions in paragraph 1, I can only say that we have the lists to which you refer but were under the impression that a number of the items you ordered through Mr. Kolb would duplicate those which you included on your original lists. As a consequence, as I advised you on October 2, we have held them pending word from you on what should be ordered. We note that you have attached to your letter a summary, based on the original lists sent to us, of the materials which you would like our purchasing department to buy for you. We will bring this to the attention of Mr. Heins immediately.

There is no set rule as to how much of the appropriation the Foundation would allocate for equipment and supplies for any one year, though it is assumed that of the \$150,000 set aside for this purpose, no more than \$50,000 would be available in any one of the three years. When ordering materials from abroad, you should, of course, allow approximately 20% of the cost for shipment and insurance charges, taxes, fees, etc. It would be perfectly in order for you to start preparing your lists for 1957.

Very sincerely yours,


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