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Dear John -

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Now: The Fly room

Thank you, John, for your sharp recall about the Scheuerborn job. That's very helpful. It's hard to find anyone at Columbia who remembers (or cares about) such history.

May I trouble you some more?

I'm checking to see what comments remain there is about The Fly Room. (I'm giving a "Morgan - Sturtevant Lecture" at Woods Hole later this month.)

Several books cite 613 Scheuerborn as the location. Is that right for you?

Can you confirm? sketch that in relation to the "histology lab" (was that 601 Scheuerborn?)

The only pieces of paper I have that refer to room numbers are enclosed.

Do you know what the fly room was used for ca. 1941?

I'm just trying to recreate the area of my first arrival at Columbia in Sept. 41.

Ever so many thanks,

John

If I spend a day browsing through the Dept. records up there, I can probably dig it all out; but perhaps you can just fetch it out of memory.

Room Assignments

October, 1941

Schermerhorn Extension

Room

801 Mouse room

802 Dr. Schoenheimer

803 Miss Taylor

804 Dr. Dunn

805 Genetic Office -
Miss Terzian

806 Conference room

807 Mr. Bryson and Mr. Hinton

808) Prof. Dobzhansky

809) Mr. Spassky

810) Miss Holz

811)

812 Dr. Crouse

813 Mr. Bodenstein

814 Genetics Laboratory

814a Mr. Lefevre

817 Preparation room

901 Dr. Spieth; Wilson Collection
(Mrs. Troeasson)

chart room

una room

Room

905 Cytology Laboratory

906 Dr. Calkins; Dr. Summers

907 Dr. Schrader

908 Dr. S. Hughes-Schpader

909) Dr. Pollister (on leave)

910)

911 Dr. Neel

912 Cytology and Histogenesis

913 Stock room)
Mr. and Mrs. Schrag

914 Supply room)

1001) Mr. Godrich

1002)

1003 Miss Jaeger; Mr. Spiegelman

1004 Mr. Gabriel; Mr. Bridges

1005 General Graduate Laboratory
Miss Moog, Mrs. Moore
Mr. Perkins, Mr. Wallace

1006) Dr. Pease

1007)

1008) Dr. Steinbach

1009)

1010 Cold room

Room

1014 Dr. Barth (on leave)

1015 Balance room

1017 Chemical laboratory

1018 Work Shop

Schermerhorn Hall

609 Dr. McGregor

604 Mr. Ris and Mr. Williams

610) Dept. Office - Dr. Dunn

611) Mrs. Schrag; Miss Terzian

In the 41-42, 42-43
catalogs:

613 - Zoo 101-102 lab !

618 - Spieth - Biol. of Insects

601 - Zoo 110 Comp. Anat.
was that a lecture room or
lab?

601 - Zoo 111R - Evolution of the

I think Steinbach gave me a lab desk in
613. Was the "fly room" large enough for
Zoo 101-102?