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*Henry*  
Dr. Joseph L. Schuster  
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Dear Joe:

Attached is a plan for a fire lab. Notice that the burning room is separated from the rest of the lab. The reason for this is that both xylene and acetone are highly flammable.

If we can get the room, I would like to see enough money set aside to build the walls, tables and shelves; and to bring in adequate power as well as some gas and water. I think \$10,000.00 should be adequate, but everything seems to cost more than expected.

Four hoods will need to be installed in this lab and hopefully money can be made available for this on next year's budget. We already have some of the indicated items of equipment for the lab and plans to buy more equipment this year. Within the next two years, I hope to have enough money to furnish the lab completely from my budget.

In addition to money for the Fire Lab, I would like to see \$200.00 put into the bitterweed project for travel. As you may recall, this budget was cut to the bone last fall with the assurance that we could have additional money if you got some of the \$25,000.00 back. Rodney has already expended \$140.00 of his travel budget, and he will have many more trips to make to Mertzon.

Your help will be appreciated.

Sincerely,

*Henry A. Wright*

Henry A. Wright  
Associate Professor  
Range Management

HAW/ps  
Enclosure

*Thanks for the info. I can forward my  
Request to Bertrod. Also think I'd want  
be in order - unless you can switch as  
well the 1600 + saved on switch to 1/2 time.*

*JE*