

DEPARTMENT OF PLANT PATHOLOGY.

Summarized Statement on Appropriations

1. The present departmental appropriation includes only funds required to maintain and carry on the teaching activities of the Department.
2. The total appropriation has been reduced each year for the past three years. The total reduction is slightly more than 18% of the high in 1929-30.
3. No new equipment, even though some items are badly needed, is asked for at this time. Last year's new equipment appropriation was \$187.50.
4. It is proposed to cut further operating expenses (materials and supplies, etc.) by \$125.
5. This makes a total reduction of \$312.50. This may seem to be a small amount, but out of a small appropriation that has been really inadequate to provide for all the needs of the Department, this amount is felt to be all that can be saved without serious impairment to the essential activity of the Department, namely teaching.
6. If a larger amount than this has to be saved in the departmental appropriations, then we favour the adoption of a uniform cut in salaries and wages.