

College to qualify for museum positions except in rare cases and, without living material, instruction becomes as dead as the animals used in giving it.

(e) A primary teaching need, therefore, is the gradual equipment of our experimental laboratory, where courses in this aspect of the work and provision for student projects and theses can be made available. At present the little equipment, mostly "home-made", that we have secured ourselves or have been able to borrow from others is being used to its fullest capacity.

(f) We are quite willing, however, to leave in abeyance demands for much needed equipment, At the same time it is only fair to point out that the possession of such equipment is an important factor in attracting the type of students we desire to secure. We believe that graduate students' fees are already sufficient to meet the cost of supplies purchased over and above ordinary needs, and to pay the interest on equipment purchased solely for their use. In making economies on this item, the possibility of having to face diminishing returns thereby, is worthy of consideration.

#### 7. RESEARCH-

As already indicated, we have found it necessary to devote all our energies and all available funds to provide for teaching requirements. Hence, our investigational activities have been confined to projects that did not require funds - though they are not by any means the projects that we would have chosen in all cases had such funds been available.

Since the provision of greenhouse space and our basement laboratory, our advanced students have been able to undertake a