

with new equipment purchased, was approximately \$85,000. A considerable amount of equipment was presented or loaned indefinitely.

(d) Mechanical Engineering Laboratories.

During the war and the subsequent lean years, the equipment of these laboratories became seriously run down. The thirty-year old boilers, for instance, were only capable of working at a pressure so low as to be practically useless, and the internal combustion equipment was hopelessly out of date. The removal of the foundry and smithy gave room for a new Internal Combustion Laboratory. The units installed are on a somewhat small scale, but they are efficient for their purpose. A new boiler has been installed with a working pressure of 385 lbs. These improvements have added greatly to the teaching efficiency. The cost was approximately \$20,000.

(e) Mining Laboratories.

These laboratories have been re-arranged and many minor additions have been made to the equipment. The cost of this work has been met for the most part by the regular annual appropriations.