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General Radio Company
275 Massachusetts Ave
Cambridge 39, Mass.

Gentlemen:-

Enclosed please find my check for \$12.50 for one Type 200-B variac. I need this for an 8x10 Elwood enlarger equipped with their new Hi-Fidelity enclosed arc light. This highly actinic heatless light is wonderful. The bulb I have is set for 115 volts. The light current in Santa Fe varies considerably especially in the evening. What I need is an automatic adjuster which your instrument is, as I understand it. I wish to use my enlarger for color separations and printing where constant and accurate current. This arc bulb goes out if the current changes a few volts which is a great nuisance in black and white work. I have a volt adjuster, manufactured by the Standard Transformer Corp of Chicago, but it is necessary to adjust this by hand which is difficult in the dark room. It is all right in the studio.

I also have a regular enlarging bulb for this enlarger, No. 300. I do not know the wattage of either of these bulbs but I am sure you will know. If I need a volt meter will you please enclose it with this shipment and advise me of the cost.

I am sure that you will be familiar with my new equipment and will know just what I need for accurate regulation.

Very truly yours,

If sent by express please use street address
837 El Caminito