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First: A record of original simple Arabic notation numbering baskets and shelves in Men's Gym. annex.

Second, and following: Revised numbering on a decimal basis, effected and applied to use with semester opening September, 1942.

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Original:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42
43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63
64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84
85	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103	104	105
106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123	124	125	126
127	128	129	130	131	132	133	134	135	136	137	138	139	140	141	142	143	144	145	146	147
148	149	150	151	152	153	154	155	156	157	158	159	160	161	162	163	164	165	166	167	168
169	170	171	172	173	174	175	176	177	178	179	180	181	182	183	184	185	186	187	188	189
190	191	192	193	194	195	196	197	198	199	200	201	202	203	204	205	206	207	208	209	210

Revised:

1	11	21	31	41	51	61	71	81	91	101	111	121	131	141	151	161	171	181	191	201
2	12	22	32	42	52	62	72	82	92	102	112	122	132	142	152	162	172	182	192	202
3	13	23	33	43	53	63	73	83	93	103	113	123	133	143	153	163	173	183	193	203
4	14	24	34	44	54	64	74	84	94	104	114	124	134	144	154	164	174	184	194	204
5	15	25	35	45	55	65	75	85	95	105	115	125	135	145	155	165	175	185	195	205
6	16	26	36	46	56	66	76	86	96	106	116	126	136	146	156	166	176	186	196	206
7	17	27	37	47	57	67	77	87	97	107	117	127	137	147	157	167	177	187	197	207
8	18	28	38	48	58	68	78	88	98	108	118	128	138	148	158	168	178	188	198	208
9	19	29	39	49	59	69	79	89	99	109	119	129	139	149	159	169	179	189	199	209
10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120	130	140	150	160	170	180	190	200	210

While both systems include exactly the same numbers, each beginning with "1" and ending with "210" an improvement seems obvious. A distinct attainment is the correlated groupings reducing number disparity within definite range, in the original, as 1 to 190, or 11 to 200 in contrast with 1 to 10, or 191 to 200 in the revised. Also, while in the original system each unit digit appears two or three times on every shelf elevation, in the revised each unit digit recurs always on the same shelf elevation which holds throughout the entire eight banks of basket shelves.

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