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- 1. Baron, Dennis E. *A Better Pencil: Readers, Writers, and the Digital Revolution / Dennis Baron.* Oxford University Press, 2023, https://doi.org/10.1093/oso/9780195388442.001.0001. (Chapters on pre-QWERTY)
- 2. Dustin W. Edwards (2020) Digital Rhetoric on a Damaged Planet: Storying Digital Damage as Inventive Response to the Anthropocene, Rhetoric Review, 39:1, 59-72.
- 3. *The Secret History of Writing*, Ch 3. "Changing the Script". https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=f3seWGtZ3DQ (Documentary)
- 4. "Women's complicated relationship with the typewriter is not black-and-white", Molly Snyder, https://onmilwaukee.com/articles/women-typewriters
- 5. Indigenous Interfaces, Kristin Arola, https://wac.colostate.edu/books/social/chapter11.pdf
- 6. "How Milwaukee is Celebrating the Typewriter's Long, Local History", Jennifer Byrne https://www.atlasobscura.com/articles/typewriter-invented-in-milwaukee-qwerty-keyboard-history (Good introduction to Milwaukee, many hyperlinks, good for citation chasing?)

- 7. "Where My Continental Standard Spent the War", Mark Schrad https://slate.com/news-and-politics/2024/03/typewriter-collectors-community-nazi-german-machines-historys.html
- 8. "A Rant on Technology", Ursula LeGuin https://www.ursulakleguin.com/a-rant-about-technology
- 9. "The Original Typewriter Enterprise 1867-1873," Richard N. Current (Stakeholders? Connects the Typewriter to Milwaukee)