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Minutes of the 20th Annual Meeting of the
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Host institution: Hunt Institute for Botanical Documentation, Carnegie Mellon University. Arrangements: Charlotte Tancin, James White and Anita Karg.

Interspersed with an interesting two-day program, which focused on the activities of the Hunt Institute and on current library technology applications, were two CBHL annual business meetings. As is customary, our president, Meryl Miasek, opened with introductions of the officers and the first-time attendees.

Old Business and Committee Reports

It was VOTED to accept the Secretary's minutes of the 19th Annual Meeting as reported in the Newsletter. The Treasurer's report for calendar year 1987, which reported a balance as of 12/31/87 of \$8,088.66, was distributed (see copy attached). John Reed added explanations of some items. He noted that last year there were two Oberly AWARD recipients, and one of CBHL's award checks remains uncashed. NYBG's expenses on the Council's behalf are billed in the following year. John then provided an informal interim report covering January 1 to May 10, 1988, which showed our current balance from all accounts to be \$9,774.17. It was VOTED to accept both of the Treasurer's reports.

Virginia Henrichs gave the Membership report. Our numbers stand at 131 individual members and 53 institutional. A notice in *The American Botanist* catalog gave us a publicity boost. Also, Virginia has mailed our brochure to a number of botanical libraries and has written to garden writers. She checked the Gardening by Mail listing and found 57 libraries who are not our members and who will receive a mailing.

Bernadette Callery, Newsletter editor, reported that there were two issues published this last year, and that she is hoping to get out three next year. That will depend on cooperation from contributors, whose news and announcements she appreciates and encourages.

At last year's annual meeting a CBHL award was established in memory of Charles Robert Long, to be given "from time to time as merited", as reported in the Newsletter. Richard Isaacson, who chaired the committee, described the award, its history and the criteria by which candidates are judged. Meryl Miasek had the honor of presenting the award and her remarks follow.

"As President of CBHL this year, I have the opportunity and great pleasure to present the Council's first Charles Robert Long Award of Merit to someone who has demonstrated the highest qualities in her profession and contributions to our organization. This is a woman:

– who, because of her expertise and knowledge of the two worlds of books and horticulture which as matured and continued now for some 30 years, has been called, and I quote, 'the doyenne of book dealers' and 'America's First Lady of Garden Books';

– who, as a charter member of CBHL, was a major force in founding the organization and has contributed again and again ideas and energy on behalf of furthering the goals and projects of the Council and its membership;

– and who, we, the members, new and old, of CBHL are fortunate to be able to call friend and colleague, now honor, with pleasure and with pride, the recipient of the Charles Robert Long Award of Merit:
ELISABETH WOODBURN"

Future annual meeting plans

1989 - Missouri Botanical Garden library, Connie Wolf hosts. There was considerable discussion about the best dates, ranging from April 12 to May 17. (Subsequent to the meeting, the dates have been set for May 3 - 5, 1989.) The favored suggested theme was collection development, including selection, acquisition and gifts, and members are invited to bring along collection policies of their libraries.

1990 - Desert Botanical Garden library, Jane Cole hosts. Jane presented a letter of invitation from Director Robert G. Brunig, and noted that May would be the best time to see the desert at its most colorful.

1991 - New York Botanical Garden library and Brooklyn Botanic Garden library, joint hosts. A June date would be preferable when dormitory rooms, rather than expensive N.Y. hotel rooms, might be available.

1992 - Emanuel Rudolph of Ohio State University offered to host, along with the university libraries, the 1992 meeting, in April or May. This would be a rare opportunity since Columbus, Ohio, will be the site of the first international flower show to be held in the U.S., "AmeriFlora '92", in celebration of the 500th anniversary of Christopher Columbus' discovery of America. The invitation was tabled until the second business meeting, since there had been previous discussion of holding a joint meeting with AABGA that year.

1993 or 1994 - Laura Lipton, librarian of the Center for Urban Horticulture, University of Washington, offered to host a meeting in Seattle in one of those years.

Publications

Plant Bibliography Series. Meryl Miasek, in her role as editor of the series, reported that five of the six that have been published are still in print and available for purchase: Vegetable Cookery, Edible Wild Plants, Botanical Crafts, Dye from Plants, and Endangered Plants Species of the World and their Endangered Habitats.

Bernadette Callery is coordinating the actual layout and printing of new bibliographies in the series at NYBG, in consultation with their graphic arts department. Those that are in process include: Cooking with Vegetables, Flowers and Fruits, by Eileen Schofield - due out by the end of 1988; Children and Gardens, by Heather Miller - nearing completion; Plant Exploration: an annotated bibliography includes about 1000 citations in rough format, and is in need of someone to update and finish it; Medicinal and Food Plants of the North American Indians, by Susan Fraser - in machine readable form, with completion expected by next year. Bea Beck's bibliography on drought-tolerant plants is on-going at Rancho Santa Ana library.

Meryl had been investigating various software possibilities for production of the bibliographies from machine-readable disks, but, in consultation with the executive committee at the mid-winter meeting, decided instead to require that candidate bibliographies be received as camera-ready copy. She is at work on a style manual and guide to assist bibliographers and to establish consistency of citation formats. Members are encouraged to submit their bibliographies for this series.

John Reed announced that 44 copies of the various titles have been sold during the past year. They should be better publicized. Among suggestions from the floor were listing in book dealers' catalogs, announcements to garden club organizations and the Association of Scientific and Technical Bibliographers, and listing in NAL's Agricultural Libraries Information Notes (ALIN). Brooklyn Botanic Garden could list them in the year-end issue of Plants and Gardens. A press release must be prepared for each one issued which lists previous titles.

Elisabeth Woodburn mentioned that the reprinting of Hedrick's History of Horticulture in America, with her bibliographic addendum is to appear this fall. In it she tried to stress regional publications, which she believes should also receive more attention from local libraries.

Election results: Gerry Kaye, as nominating chairman, gave the results of the recent election. Jayne Maclean, who is retiring as CBHL Secretary, was elected Second Vice President. Jane Gates was elected Secretary which like Treasurer is a continuing position in our organization.

Gerry continued with a report on the CBHL-Europe meeting during the International Botanical Congress in Germany, August 1987. After discussion of various possibilities, it was concluded that the time is not yet right for a separate CBHL branch in Europe. However, a number of attendees have since become members. The British proposed a meeting in Britain, but so far lack organizational support to host one. An alternative suggestion is for a more informal group of CBHLers to visit/tour/meet, covering Kew, BMNH, Linnean Library, Royal Horticultural Society and other botanical libraries and gardens. A trip

organizing person would be needed. Virginia Henrich recommended a Chicago Botanical Garden member who is eager to lead such a tour, but the consensus was for leading it ourselves. Meryl appointed the following committee to pursue possibilities for the proposed tour: Gerry Kaye, Bernadette Callery, Janet Evans, Virginia Gardner, Ruth Schallert and Jane Cole. [Gerry Kaye reports that those who responded to her straw poll would prefer a fall 1989 study tour of the United Kingdom libraries. Please contact her directly for further details and developments.]

The meeting was adjourned until Friday afternoon. [Reports to be continued in the next Newsletter.]

1988 CBHL MEETING

The 1989 annual meeting will be held at the Missouri Botanical Garden from May 3-5, with an optional group activity on Saturday, May 6. The theme of the program will be acquisitions. Suggestions from members concerning the program or any other aspect of the meeting are welcome and should be sent to Connie Wolf. (Phone: 314-577-5156). While there will be scheduled tours of the Garden, Library and Herbarium during the meeting, additional or advance tours can also be arranged for May 2 or 3. Special airfares will be available for meeting participants flying TWA who make their reservations through Maritz Travel Company; a 5% discount on lowest applicable excursion fares and a 40% discount on current coach fares. Information on how to obtain these special fares will be sent prior to the meeting.

OTHER CONFERENCES

"Perennials for the landscape and garden center industries" will be presented on October 25, 1988 at the Lang Museum Building at Swarthmore College. Fee is \$30.00 which includes lunch. For registration information, write the Pennsylvania Horticultural Society, 325 Walnut St., Philadelphia, PA 19106 or call (215) 625-8299. Speakers will include Penelope Hobhouse.

Online Audiovisual Catalogers Conference, November 2-4, 1988, Culver City, California. The theme will be "Decision-making for AV catalogers". For registration information, contact Bo-Gay Tong, 1711 Glendon Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90024 (213) 825-7557.

AABGA members have been invited to attend the first annual Landscape Magic Seminar at Walt Disney World in Buena Vista, Florida on January 29 through February 1, 1989. Workshop sessions and on-site tours will showcase the Disney World gardens and their staff and discuss their techniques for maintaining the gardens, particularly the challenge of instant landscaping and landscape business management. Fee is \$685.00 plus accommodations. For registration information, write Walt Disney World Co., Attn: Seminar Productions, P.O. Box 10,000, Lake Buena Vista, FL 32830-1000 or call 407-828-1330.

EXHIBITIONS

The Art of Botany, an exhibition of nearly 100 original paintings and illustrations from the collection of the Library of the New York Botanical Garden, will be touring libraries and museums through fall of 1990. Organized by the New York Botanical Garden Library and the Smithsonian Institution Traveling Exhibition Services (SITES), the exhibition is largely a selection of the art work done to accompany scientific publications, many by the Garden's staff. Locations include Cantor Art Gallery, Worcester, MA from October 1-30, Fullerton Museum, Fullerton, CA, January 7 to February 5, 1989 and the Chicago Botanic Garden from February 25 to March 25, 1989.

Begonias from the collection formed by Edward and Mildred Thompson, authors of The Thompson Begonia Guide and Begonias: the complete reference guide are on display at the New York Botanical Garden's Enid A. Haupt Conservatory. Material from the collection of over 1,000 plants is available for study upon application to Leonard Marino.

CLEVELAND HERBALS PROJECT

Those of us who have heard from Stanley Johnston in the course of his work on the Cleveland Herbals Project will be pleased to know that within this year the Descriptive bibliography of the pre-1830 books at the Holden Arboretum, the Cleveland Medical Library Association and the Garden Center of Greater Cleveland will be published by Kent State University Press. The bibliography will include title-page and colophon transcriptions, collations, and local and historical notes for over 960 titles, most of which do not appear in the published catalogue of the Hunt Botanical Library, a comparable collection catalogue. An illustrated companion volume for the general reader is also planned. For further information on the project and specific bibliographic queries, please contact Stanley Johnston, Cleveland Medical Library Association, 11000 Euclid Ave., Cleveland, OH 44106.

NEWS

The updating of the Flora of Missouri, published by Julian Steyermark in 1963 is underway with the assistance of George Yatskiyevych, a Missouri Department of Conservation botanist who is now working at the Missouri Botanical Garden. Both organizations hope to complete the project by 1993.

We have received the following information on the NAL seed catalog project from Judith Ho, Curator of Rare Books and Manuscripts there. "Creation of a database of pre-1870 American Seed Trade Catalogs is nearing completion at the National Agricultural Library. Data elements include the proprietor's name, catalog title, year covered, publisher, place and date of publication in addition to noting institutions that have reported to NAL that they own a copy in either original edition or otherwise as noted. The last batch of entries is now being input and edited. The database is searchable and is indexed by author, title and key works using ProCite/ProSearch software. In a joint venture between the National Agricultural Library, Chadwyck-Healey Inc. and Meckler Publications, all the catalogs recorded in the pre-1970 American Seed Trade Catalogs database have now been filmed on microfiche by Chadwyck-Healey Inc. A hardcopy list of pre-1970 American seed trade catalogs is now being prepared by NAL staff for publication by Meckler Publications. The tentative publication date for the list and fiche is January 1989."

Elizabeth Scholtz, now Director Emeritus of the Brooklyn Botanic Garden was honored by the Brooklyn Botanic Garden in June, by having a major part of the new Education Building named for her and with a new rose, the 'Elizabeth Scholtz' rose, a gold and orange-red grandiflora.

The Missouri Botanical Garden and the New York Botanical Garden have received General Operating Support awards for 1988-1989 from the Institute of Museum Services (IMS).

JOB OPENING

The Holden Arboretum Library, a specialized library of approximately 6,000 volumes, is seeking a head librarian with an interest in horticulture and botany, although formal study in those fields is not required. Other training required is a degree in Library Science from an accredited college program with preference given to a graduate school degree. Applicant must be able to work alone, be flexible with regard to duties and hours and able to train and supervise volunteers. Please send requests for detailed requirements, resume, salary history and references to Mr. C.W. Eliot Paine, Executive Director, The Holden Arboretum, 9500 Sperry Road, Mentor, OH 44060.

FAX NUMBERS

As more libraries have access through their institutions to FAX machines, we would be happy to list their FAX numbers for those wishing to use them. The FAX number for the New York Botanical Garden, including Scientific Publications is 212-220-6504. That of the Missouri Botanical Garden is 314-577-9521.

MODERN WARDIAN CASE?

For a color brochure describing the "Phototron II" a "laboratory grade growth chamber for personal use", write to Pyraonic Industries, Inc., 500 N. Mannheim, Suite 5, The Science Research Complex, Hillside, IL 60162. It is a closed chamber with its own light source which allows control of light, temperature and relative humidity. For information concerning sales to students at reduced cost, contact Jeffery Julian De Marco or Paul D. Clarizio at 312-544-6352.

COMPUTERS IN THE GARDEN

An article in Summer 1988 Sunset Magazine which discusses using computers as a gardening tool concludes with a review of six software packages, all under \$70.00, which provide information on garden design or selection of vegetables and landscape plants.

We have received a catalog of Plant Databases from Taxonomic Computer Research, P.O. Box 5747, Raleigh, NC 27659-5747. The Plant Databases Library is an encyclopedia of ornamental garden plants in a machine-readable database. Various plant groups are treated in their own, individually priced, modules. To run this, you need an IBM PC or compatible and PC-FILE or dBASE III. You can use the information supplied as is, or add your own material.

REFERENCE QUERY

Information is sought on the life and work of Eloise Butler (1851-1933), a botanist who founded the bird sanctuary now named for her in Minneapolis. She had taken some courses at Woods Hole and Harvard sometime prior to 1910 and studied with Charles Bessey and J.C.Arthur. She was born in Appleton,

Maine and wintered in Malden, MA with her sister, Cora Pease. She was associated with Josephine Tilden, who wrote on the algae of the Pacific, on whom information is also requested. Butler collected algae specimens in the late 1800's in several trips to Jamaica (1891 and 1894 at least) and perhaps at other times with her sister. Please send any information or prospects to Martha E. Hellander, Butler Research Project, 2214 Mt. View Ave. So., Minneapolis, MN 55405.

PUBLICATIONS ANNOUNCED

Chase, A.C. Compendium of ornamental foliage plant diseases, American Phytopathological Society, 1988. \$20.00. Order from APS, 3340 Pilot Knob Road, St. Paul, MN 55121. Descriptions of plant diseases arranged by causal agents, with color photographs for identification.

Special issue of Canadian Horticultural history/Histoire de l'Horticulture au Canada. The third issue of this journal is devoted to Miss Isabella Preston (1881-1961), one of Canada's foremost ornamental plant breeders. The issue includes a biography entitled "The horticultural odyssey of Isabella Preston" by Edwinna von Baeyer, author of Rhetoric and roses, a history of Canadian gardening. This single issue of the journal can be obtained from the Center for Historical Horticultural Studies at Royal Botanical Garden, Hamilton, Box 399, Hamilton, Ontario Canada L8N 3H8, for \$14.00/vol for individuals and \$16.00/volume for institutions in Canada.

For your copy of the latest issue (Volume 1, number 3, Winter 1988) of the Catalog of Landscape Records in the United States Newsletter, write to the Catalog, American Garden and Landscape History Program, Wave Hill, 675 West 252nd St., Bronx, NY 10471. Includes news of research material brought to the attention of the catalogers.

Haley, Jacquetta M., ed. Pleasure grounds: Andrew Jackson Downing and Montgomery Place. Tarrytown, 1988. ISBN: 0-912882-65-4. \$19.95. Reproduces watercolor sketches by Alexander Jackson Davis, architect and Downing's collaborator. Order from Sleepy Hollow Press, 150 White Plains Road, Tarrytown, NY 10581.

Versatile Berkeley botanist: plant taxonomy and university governance, an extensive oral history memoir of Lincoln Constance. Bound, indexed copies are available for \$67.00 for deposit in libraries. For further information, contact the Regional Oral History Office, 486 Library, University of California, Berkeley, CA 94720.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED

Harriman, Neil A., comp. A combined index to volumes 1-7 of the folio and quarto editions of the Nova genera et species plantarum of Humboldt, Bonpland and Kunth 1816-1825 is available on request from N. Harriman, Biology Department, University of Wisconsin-Oskosh, Oskosh, WI 54901. An index to the microfiche of the HBK herbarium is included. The index is also available in machine-readable form.

Hetrich, William. The Huntington Botanical Gardens 1905-1949: personal recollections of William Hetrich, San Marino, Huntington Library Publications, 1988. ISBN: 0-87328-096-2. \$12.95. Reprint of 1949 unofficial history of the Huntington by the curator of the botanical gardens. Good stories and well illustrated with contemporary photographs illustrating the garden and its collections.

Marranca, Bonnie, comp. American garden writing: gleanings from garden lives then and now, New York, PAJ Publications, 1988. ISBN: 1-55554-029-5. \$23.95. A ramble through the literary gardens tended by writers of the 17th through the 20th centuries including George Washington to J.I. Rodale and Edith Wharton. Each selection has a brief tailpiece which opens the door to further reading by that author.

Plumeria Society of America. Register of Plumeria cultivars, Houston, Board of Registration, 1988. Apparently available on request from the Plumeria Society of America, Board of Registration, P.O. Box 22791, Houston, TX 77227-2791, this 10 page work is "a continued effort of the Plumeria Society of America to identify and classify cultivars of the genus Plumeria..." Those interested in expanding this work by registering new cultivars should contact the society.

Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew. Library and Archives. Bibliography no. 10, Kew and Australia: a selective bibliography on the links between the Royal Botanic Gardens Kew and the growth of Australian botany, 1988. Available on request from the Library, Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew Richmond, Surrey TW9 3AE England.

Stiff, Ruth L.A., ed. Flowers from the Royal Gardens of Kew, with essays by R.C.G.Desmond and Christopher Grey-Wilson. Hanover, NH, University Press of New England, 1988. ISBN: 0-87451-464-9

\$15.95. Exhibition catalogue accompanying travelling exhibition of original watercolors used for Curtis's Botanical Magazine. Valuable for both the quality of the color reproductions and the informative essays – and a preliminary note from Wilfrid Blunt. Includes biographical information on the illustrators as well as basic information on the introduction of the plant illustrated.

Whittle, Tyler, The plant hunters, New York, PAJ Publications, 1988. ISBN: 1-55554-037-6. \$13.95 (paper). First edition in paperback of work published in 1970. Reprint, including illustrations, of chatty collection of tales concerned with plant collecting.

Wright, Richardson. The Gardener's bed-book, New York, 1988. ISBN: 1-55554-028-7. \$20.95. Available from PAJ Publications, 325 Spring St., Suite 318, New York, NY 10013. Distributed to the trade by Farrar, Straus and Giroux. Republication of a collection of graceful essays and periodical articles by this notable garden writer, first published in 1929.

PUBLICATIONS ANNOUNCED

Bourne, H. , Flores poetici, the florist's manual, 1988. Facsimile reprint of Boston, New York edition of 1833, including reproductions of 73 colored engravings. ISBN: 0-940983-19-2 \$49.95.

Breck, Joseph. The flower-garden or Breck's book of flowers, 1988. Facsimile reprint of Boston, 1851 edition. ISBN: 0-940983-18-4 \$24.95.

Order these two above items and save \$14.95 plus 5% for pre-payment plus shipping and receive a reprint of Joseph Breck's Boston, 1833 The Young florist, available separately for \$13.95, free. For a list of other reprints and additional order information, write Opus Publications Inc., 669 Post Road, Box 269, Guilford, CT 06437.

Wampler, Fred with illustrations by Maryrose Wampler. Wildflowers of Indiana, Indiana University Press, 1988. \$39.95, \$45.00 after 31 December 1988. Over 80 paintings specially created for this book by watercolorist Maryrose Wampler depicting over 300 species of plants. For interviews or appearances of the work's creators, please contact them at 4780 East State Rd. 45, Bloomington, IN 47401.

Zycherman, Lynda A. and J. Richard Schrock, A guide to Museum Pest Control. Published by the Foundation of the American Institute for Conservation of Historic and Artistic Works and the Association of Systematics Collections, 1988. \$36.00. Order from Association of Systematics Collections, 730 11th St., NW, 2nd floor, Washington, DC 20001. This is a completely revised edition of Pest control in museums by Edwards, Bell and King, published in 1980. Major topics include policy, law and liability, pests and pest identification and pesticides.

Plant Safety Guide, a single sheet illustrated guide to common poisonous house and yard plants is available from Lorna Macdonald, Plant Safety Guides, 620 S. Orcas St., P.O. Box 80223, Seattle, WA 98108 for approximately \$2.00 each. Write for further information.

We have received notification of the availability of a number of works by David L. Hamilton on the general subject of interior landscaping. These include Hamilton's commercial indoor plants \$34.50, How to sell more indoor plants \$55.00, The art of high-tech watering \$14.95, Interior designer's handbook on plants \$28.75. Please order from Hamilton's, P.O. Box 1233, Carlsbad, CA 92008.

RECENT PUBLICATION FROM THE NEW YORK BOTANICAL GARDEN

Balick, Michael J. The Palm – tree of life: Biology, utilization and conservation, New York, 1988. (Advances in Economic Botany, vol. 6). ISBN: 0-89327-326-0. U.S. orders \$57.40; Non U.S. orders \$58.95. Scientific Publications Department, New York Botanical Garden, Bronx, NY 10458.

Denevan, William M. and Christine Padoch, Swidden-fallow agroforestry in the Peruvian Amazon, New York, 1988. (Advances in Economic botany, vol. 5). ISBN: 0-89327-325-2. \$25.00. The use of swidden-fallows in the tropics is an ecologically and economically viable means of both reducing the destruction of mature forests and providing a source of useful products and income to small farmers. The traditional agro-forestry system of the Bora Indians in the village of Brillo Nuevo and other Peruvian communities is described.

RECENT PUBLICATIONS FROM THE HUNT INSTITUTE

The following works have been received from the Hunt Institute for Botanical Documentation, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA 15213 and may be ordered directly from them.

Bridson, Gavin D. and Donald E. Wendel. Printmaking in the service of botany, Pittsburgh, 1986. ISBN: 0-913196-49-5 \$20.00. Heavily illustrated, including closeups of details of prints made using various techniques to aid in identification.

Brindle, John V. and James J. White. Flora portrayed: classics of botanical art from the Hunt Institute Collection, Pittsburgh, 1985. ISBN: 0-913196-43-6. \$18.00. Magnificent color reproductions, with biographical bibliographical and biographical commentary.

Stieber, Michael T. et al. Catalogue of portraits of naturalists, mostly botanists, in the collections of the Hunt Institute, the Linnean Society of London and the Conservatoire et Jardin Botaniques de la Ville de Geneve. Part 1, Group portraits. Pittsburgh, 1987. ISBN: 0-913196-50-9. \$6.00.

_____. Part 2, Portraits of individuals, A-D. Pittsburgh, 1988. ISBN: 0-913196-50-9. \$15.00. Guide to these major collections. Subjects identified, their specialities noted. Specific poses described in the case of multiple portraits to better enable selection.

Stieber, Michael T. and Anita L. Karg. Guide to the Botanical records and papers in the archives of the Hunt Institute, Pittsburgh, 1984. ISBN: 0-913196-30-4. \$13.00. Part 1 of the Guide was published in 1981, both independently and in Huntia 4(1). Introductory matter for the entire work may be found there. Covers Arturo Caballero Segares to August Emanuel Fumrohr.

White, James J. with Elizabeth R. Smith. Catalogue of the Botanical Art Collection at the Hunt Institute. Part 1, Plant portraits, Artists A-D. Pittsburgh, 1985. ISBN: 0-913196-42-8. \$9.00.

_____. Part 2, Plant portraits, Artists E-G. Pittsburgh, 1987. ISBN: 0-913196-42-8. \$6.00. Artists and subjects identified, citation given to where item published, medium noted.

White, James J. and Donald W. Wendel. 6th International Exhibition of botanical art and illustration. Pittsburgh, 1988. ISBN: 0-913196-52-5. \$15.00 Reproduces 97 works by 93 artists, includes biographical and bibliographical information. Major source for information on contemporary botanical artists.

OTHER PUBLICATION NOTICES

Publication announced: A new edition of the Royal Horticultural Society Dictionary of Gardening to be published by Stockton Press in 1992. It is estimated that the 4 volume work will include some 3,000 line drawings.

The Society of Physics and Natural History of Geneva opens a competition for the best unpublished monograph of a genera or family of plants submitted on or before July 31, 1989. The manuscript may be written in Latin, French, German, English, Italian or Spanish and submitted before December 31, 1989 to Society de Physique et d'Histoire naturelle, Prix Augustin-Pyramus de Candolle, Museum de Geneve, C.P.434, CH-1211 Geneve. For further information, including a copy of the announcement, please contact the President of the Society, Gerald Goy.

OTHER MATERIALS NOTED

The printmaker Henry Evans announces the availability of a print of the fern Polypodium scolieri, unframed \$25.00, framed \$80.00. For further information write him at P.O. Box 640, St. Helena, CA 94574 or call (707) 963-2126.

A number of videos (VHS) on natural subjects are available from Nature Episodes, 1218 Auburn Rd., Locke, NY 13092 (607-533-4275), including one of plant succession in the northeastern states. All are under \$20.00 and average 20 minutes long.

We have recently received the Catalog of professional books, video tapes and audio cassettes from American Nurseryman (111 N. Canal St., Suite 545, Chicago, IL 60606-7203). The videos include introduction to landscape design, working with pesticides and plant propagation.

Brooklyn Botanic Garden offers its illustrated 1989 datebook with over 50 color photographs of the Garden's collections. Single copies are available for \$9.95 (\$7.95 for Garden members), with lower prices for quantity. For further information and orders, write Brooklyn Botanic Garden Datebook 1989, Order Department, 1000 Washington Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11225.

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 Chace, Laura L., Cincinnati Historical Society, Eden Park, Cincinnati, OH 45224
 Chandler, Jody A., 390 M.L.B.M., Brigham Young University, Provo, UT 64602
 Close, Leslie, Catalog of Landscape Records in the United States, Wave Hill, 675 West 252 St., Bronx, NY 10471.
 Coffman, Eugene W., 3195 St. Catherine Rd., Bellevue, IA 52031
 Ekeberg, Keistein, Goteborg Botanic Garden, Carl Skottsbergs Gata 22, S-413 19, Goteborg, Sweden
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 Fryxell, Paul A., 210 Redmond Drive, College Station, TX 77840
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 Hartmann, A., Botanisk Centralbibliotek, Solvgade 83, OPG.5, DK-1307 Kobenhavn
 Hill, Penny, Librarian, Department of Agriculture and Fisheries, P.O. Box HM 834, Hamilton,
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 De Investigaciones Sobre Recursos Bioticos)
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 Nesty, Phil, Brooks Books, P.O. Box 21473, Concord, CA 94521-0473
 Paulson, Annie, 2600 FM 973 North, Austin, TX 78725 (National Wildflower Research Center)
 Rambusch, Catha Grace, Catalog of Landscape Records in the United States, Wave Hill, 675 West 252 St.,
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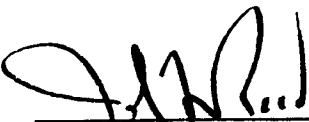
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Calendar Year
1987

	<u>Checkbook</u>	<u>Savings</u>	<u>Money Market</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Balance</u> - January 1, 1987	\$4,763.27	\$191.99	\$3,886.26	\$8,841.52
<u>Income</u>				
<u>Membership</u>				
Personal (1987)	360.00	-	1,960.00	2,320.00
Institutional (1987)	300.00	-	1,930.00	2,250.00
Personal (1988)	100.00	-	-	100.00
Institutional (1988)	350.00	-	-	350.00
Publications	107.00	-	57.50	164.50
Mailing List Sales	60.00	-	-	60.00
Contributions--Long Fund	-	-	275.00	275.00
Interest	-	-	319.46	319.46
 TOTAL Income	 <u>\$1,277.00</u>		 <u>\$4,541.96</u>	 <u>\$5,818.96</u>
<u>Expense</u>				
Printing	\$1,127.90	-	\$ -	\$1,127.90
Postage	865.00	-	-	865.00
Telephone	145.22	-	-	145.22
Labels & other supplies	284.00	-	-	284.00
1986-Mid-Winter (Jan '87)				
Secretariat Meeting	657.70	-	-	657.70
1987-Mid-Winter (Dec '87)				
Secretariat Meeting	1,266.64	-	-	1,266.64
Oberly Award	100.00*	-	-	100.00*
CBHL Europe	443.44	-	1,601.75	2,045.19
Check Book	-	-	74.17	74.17
Bank Charges	5.00	-	1.00	6.00
 TOTAL Expenses	 <u>\$4,894.90</u>	 -	 <u>\$1,676.92</u>	 <u>\$6,571.82</u>
 Account Transfers	 <u>98.25</u>	 <u>(191.99)</u>	 <u>93.74</u>	
 Balance Forward (12/31/87)	 <u>\$1,163.62</u>	 <u>\$ -0-</u>	 <u>\$6,925.04</u>	 <u>\$8,088.66</u>



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