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Minutes of the 17th Annual Meeting of The Council On Botanical and Horticultural Libraries, June 1985

President Jane Gates, librarian of the Helen Crocker Russell Library at the Strybing Arboretum, San Francisco, opened the meeting with greetings. A welcome was extended particularly to the three first-time attendees. We paused to remember British Museum (Natural History) librarian, Phyllis Edwards, who died this past year. Joan DeFato read a letter from Phyllis expressing appreciation for our having made her an honorary member of CBHL, and telling of the manuscript she hoped to be able to finish about the Mathew Flinders voyage. Jane Gates congratulated other CBHL members for their publishing successes: Charles van Ravenswaay for his recent Drawn from Nature and Richard Isaacson for past and continuing publication projects.

The Secretary's minutes were approved as published in the Newsletter. John Reed presented and distributed copies of the Treasurer's report, both for the fiscal year 1984 and for the period of 1 January to 10 June 1985. The current balance is \$5,086.41. The report was approved, with appreciation to the Treasurer for his work on our behalf (copy attached).

The first item of old business was a progress report on CBHL Europe from Judith Diment. She has proposed a CBHL symposium at the 14th International Botanical Congress in Berlin in 1987. A letter from the Organizing Secretary, Dr. Greuter, said that all their symposium sessions were filled, but that they would like to have us provide a workshop on botanical information, concentrating on EDP procedures and information storage and retrieval. There is going to be a major exhibition on EDP in biology at the Congress with on-line demonstrations of existing or projected programs. More will be forthcoming soon after Dr. Greuter meets with his committee.

Other organizing activities for CBHL Europe have been hampered by Judith's staff shortages although informal enthusiasm has been expressed. She believes that participation in the Botanical Congress would do much to further awareness of CBHL participation in Europe and that a workshop planning committee should be established. She offered to act as organizing secretary. Jane opened discussion by suggesting that the current President of CBHL should be a member of the committee, and by accepting Judith's offer to chair.

Discussion followed on whether CBHL could effectively mount an all-day workshop on EDP aspects of botanical information retrieval, when so few of our members have expertise in

this area. Many thought that the focus of the workshop should be broadened to include various kinds of secondary retrieval tools, including online databases, but also special indexes and even things like the Nursery and Seed Catalog Collections Directory. It was thought that a full-day workshop would be a major undertaking for our first step into international meeting involvement. It was the sense of the meeting that our incoming President should pursue the possibilities further with Judith Diment. Further suggestion was made that those members whose libraries are involved with automated information and data bases might very well make contributions. Jayne MacLean mentioned that it might be possible to interest the National Agricultural Library in sending someone to the Congress to man a booth to demonstrate AGRICOLA and also to participate in some sort of a workshop.

To further the formation of a CBHL European group, Jane has written to Judith to ask that she announce the formation in publications such as Kew Bulletin and the upcoming ASLIB Conference Bulletin. Also suggested were Taxon the AABGA Bulletin, and the ISHS Newsletter. Elizabeth Woodburn offered to spread the word at various international conferences she attends. It was proposed that more CBHL members from this country would attend the International Congress if post-conference tours to various libraries in the area could be arranged, sponsored by CBHL. Ina Vrugtman and Richard Isaacson were asked to look into this possibility.

Doug Ritchie gave the membership report; we now total 66 institutional members, an increase of four over last year, and 154 personal members, an increase of 20 over last year.

June Rogier began the report of the Nursery and Seed Catalog Committee by thanking her committee and all CBHL members who had cooperated in the survey during the seven-year effort. June considers Nursery and Seed Catalogs: A Directory of Collections which she distributed, to be a preliminary publication in a limited edition. She asked for all corrections or additions to be sent to John Reed at the New York Botanical Garden by 1 October 1985, following which the NYBG will publish the final form. It will be treated like the CBHL Bibliographies and will be available for sale through NYBG. June remarked that she has had many inquiries about the Directory from people who have read about the survey in NAL's Agricultural Libraries Information Notes.

Jane MacLean gave a report on the several catalog projects in which NAL is engaged. The principal effort is the serial cataloging of the collection of currently received nursery and seed catalogs on the OCLC shared-cataloging system. In order to enter a complete or extended record for each of the 500 firms from which NAL receives catalogs, individual titles from each firm were traced back 10 years, and in some cases 30 years, resulting in a total about 3,000 separate entries. About half of this work has been accomplished by the NAL staff. The balance is now being done by a contractor, who is expected to complete cataloging and inputting the bibliographic records by 1 January 1986, at a cost of \$15,000. Automated check-in of each individual issue is being investigated, with special attention to union listing possibilities to allow other libraries to contribute records and create a joint listing.

A spin-off from the OCLC recording of nursery and seed catalogs is a pilot project that has been undertaken with Cuadra Associates, USDA's Plant Variety Protection Office and NAL. An in-house data base is being developed by down-loading bibliographic records from OCLC to an Alpha Micro computer and enhancing the records with additional information such as product specialty and type of operation -- wholesale or retail. The software being tested in this project is Cuadra's STAR and another conversion program, both of which will be marketed to other libraries after final evaluation; an IBM-PC-compatible version is also being planned.

Libraries with historical nursery catalog collections have already been contacted about the Meckler/NAL project to microfiche the pre-1870 catalogs. The published fiche set will contain the full texts of these early catalogs. An accompanying paper copy index will give the bibliographic list of the fiche catalogs, plus others of which it was not possible to make copies.

Another CBHL/NAL cooperative project was proposed at the February meeting and will soon be set in motion. CBHL members who have been active in the regional survey will be receiving letters from NAL asking their assistance with expanding the NAL catalog collection to make it as complete as possible. They will be asked to contact any new nurseries in their areas who publish catalogs, and any who do not presently mail catalogs to NAL, to request that they do so. Drafts of the request letters were circulated.

The National Agricultural Library has evidenced its interest in these ephemeral but important materials by a major commitment of money and staff resources. To bring the project to its full potential by carrying it back to cover the catalogs from old nurseries and seed houses, and to begin serial check-ins of the current materials, NAL will need an infusion of grant money. We hope that CBHL will use its good offices to help secure such funding in this effort that should result in benefits to all botanical and horticultural libraries.

A general discussion followed about various means of controlling nursery and seed catalogs, both as being done in various member libraries and as contemplated in a union list using a standardized input record with agreed-upon essential elements of information. Ruth Schallert explained the Smithsonian Libraries system in which nursery and seed catalogs are recorded on their in-house computer as part of the listing of all trade catalogs. She offered to share the inputting workform that is used. Richard Isaacson described his online records using a small computer. It was agreed that, despite whatever inadequacies they have, LC subject headings should be used. Jayne MacLean was asked to get a copy of the standard workform screen used for the Cuadra STAR test file showing all the standard cataloging elements, to share with all those who wanted a guide.

At the February meeting at NAL to which CBHL representatives came, it was proposed that CBHL members who cared to participate could help NAL improve its catalog collection by soliciting trade catalogs from their local firms, particularly new companies or those newly issuing catalogs. NAL intends to write to CBHL members asking for their assistance in this respect and will enclose a form letter that might be used in writing to the nurseries asking for continuing mailing list status for NAL. A brochure describing the library will also be included. This solicitation project may have to wait until NAL is able to provide participants with a list of companies from whom they do get catalogs, in order to avoid duplicate effort. It was made clear that NAL is not looking to receive boxes of unwanted catalogs from other libraries. If, when the list of current holdings is distributed, you see that NAL does not have some you would like to give them, you should then contact Henry Gilbert. Elizabeth Woodburn reminded us that the interest in older illustrated catalogs from advertising agents and book illustrators is intense; they pay liberally for the catalogs and then cut them up to use the illustrations, thus destroying their value.

Returning to the matter of a standardized inputting form for catalogs, John Reed suggested that the most complete form available be decided upon, and then the information field filled in by each institution, as little or as much as is possible. It was agreed that copies of the forms used by the NAL and the Smithsonian would be enclosed in the CBHL Newsletter. [Ed. note: These forms and further information on the entry of nursery and seed catalogs will be issued in a later mailing.] CBHL members with catalog collections should make their preferences known to the Nursery and Seed Catalog Committee.

Following the presentation of two interesting and informative papers by Dr. P. M. Catling and Freek Vrugtman, and the lunch break, the business meeting reconvened. Returning for a moment to the nursery and seed catalog issue, Bernadette Callery suggested the following statement to be transmitted to the National Agricultural Library: CBHL appreciates NAL's initiative in entering nursery and seed catalogs into the OCLC database and thereby proposing a standardized format for cataloging these difficult items.

New business: After a brief discussion, it was voted to increase CBHL's contribution to the biennial Oberly Award to \$200 this year. The award will be given this year to James E. Simon, Alena F. Chadwick and Lyle E. Craker for their Herbs, an indexed bibliography, 1971-1980.

Doug Ritchie led a discussion on themes for future meetings. The Secretariat have concluded that their role should include giving guidance to meeting planners on topics that would attract and interest attendees, in order to continue our tradition of offering professional level seminars relating to library science, and botany or horticulture. Among the topics suggested from the floor were tutorials on beginning automation of small libraries, funding sources for libraries and integrated library systems. Other recommendations for future meetings would be welcomed from the membership.

Beatrice Beck, Librarian at the Rancho Santa Ana Botanic Garden, Claremont, California, delivered a gracious invitation for the Council to meet in Southern California in 1986 from 4 to 6 June. The meeting will be co-hosted by Joan DeFato, of the Los Angeles State and Country Arboretum library. The invitation was enthusiastically accepted.

Other projected meeting locations are Pittsburgh, PA in 1988, hosted by the Hunt Institute for Botanical Documentation and perhaps a pre-meeting or post-meeting involvement with the Berlin conference of IBC in 1987. The actual host for the 1987 meeting has yet to be settled.

Sylvia Fitzgerald, Librarian of the Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew, England, gave a brief presentation on plans to celebrate the bicentenary of Curtis's Botanical Magazine, recently renamed the Kew Magazine. Kew will be mounting a traveling exhibit. There will be another exhibit in North America, arrangements for which are being handled by Mrs. Ruth Stiff of Dartmouth College, whom Sylvia introduced. All those whose libraries might be interested in hosting this traveling exhibit should contact Mrs. Ruth Stiff, The Gage House, Main Street, Queechee, Vermont 05059. Sylvia asked that any additional handouts that host libraries produce to accompany the exhibit be sent to her for the Kew archives. Responding to comments concerning the difficulties of obtaining Kew publications, Sylvia suggested that subscribers to Kew publications renew their subscriptions via HMSO, ignoring such false information as Kew Record being out of print.

Richard Isaacson presented a progress report on his several bibliographic efforts:

The Cleveland Medical Library Association, The Holden Arboretum and The Garden Center of Greater Cleveland are currently co-sponsoring a joint bibliographic project to compile a descriptive bibliographic study of the pre-1830 titles in botany and horticulture that are found in the collections of the three co-sponsoring institution's libraries. Over \$100,000 has been privately raised to support this three-year project. The study will result in a published descriptive catalog and also with records being entered on a national bibliographic computer data base. It is estimated over 1,000 titles will be listed. Dr. Stanley Johnson has been hired to compile this bibliography. Dr. Johnson has an A.B. from Columbia, a M.A. and Ph.D. from the University of Western Ontario in English and a library science degree from Case Western Reserve University.

The "Flowering Plant Index of Illustration and Information" sponsored by The Garden Center of Greater Cleveland is continuing and is currently being computerized. A large data base is being compiled to support this project. About 75,000 entries have been entered to date which translates to about 25 megabites of information. About one-third to one-fourth of this data base has yet to be put online. Because of computerization, additional information is being included for each entry including family, naming authorities, cultivar, variety and subspecies information and hybrids. This project will enable future publication of "The Flowering Plant Index," but also perhaps could be used by others as a large computerized data base on the flowering plants of the world.

After two years of work, Garland Publishing of New York will publish Richard's 200 page bibliography in the fall at \$20. The title of this bibliography is Gardening: A Guide to the Literature. This annotated bibliography lists approximately 500 books, 50 periodicals, 100 plant society publications, 200 seed and nursery catalogs and more. The bibliography is focused toward public librarians wishing to build collections in the gardening area, and for serious gardeners.

Jane Gates announced that, for reasons of health, Bob Long will be unable to advance from First Vice-President to President for 1985-86. Therefore, Douglas Ritchie, the present Second Vice-President will move up to assume the presidential duties for the coming year. This leaves us with not one but two vacancies to fill on the Secretariat. It was moved, seconded and voted that Geraldine Kaye, winner of the recent election to fill the junior position, be elected First Vice-President and that runner-up Meryl Miasek be elected Second Vice-President. Jane Gates will write to Bob Long to give him our good wishes and let him know how much we appreciate his past contributions in various leadership roles in CBHL.

In response to the suggestion from a member, it was decided that future ballots contain brief biographies of the candidates for the benefit of those members who are unable to attend meetings and, therefore, do not know the candidates.

Retiring president Jane Gates then turned the meeting over to Doug Ritchie, who thanked her for all her efforts during her successful term of office. Although Doug had expected to have an additional year of apprenticeship before graduating to the presidency, he mentioned that he would have the advantage of being able to tap Bob Long's experience and advice, because of being in the same library at the New York Botanical Garden. Doug then adjourned the business meeting.

Respectfully submitted,
Jayne MacLean, Secretary

Meetings

Society for the History of Natural History

The Smithsonian Institution Libraries and the Society for the History of Natural History will co-sponsor the 7th Ramsbottom Lecture, "A Study of Personality: American Naturalists of the Andes & Amazon" by Joseph Ewan on Thursday, 24 November 1985. The day's activities will include a business meeting of the society, the Ramsbottom Lecture and reception, the symposium "Exploration as Knowing and the reception for the "United States Exploring Expedition" exhibit. For further information, please contact Ellen B. Wells, Smithsonian Institution Libraries, MAH 5016, Washington, D.C. 20560.

The Society for the History of Natural History has announced its Jubilee Symposium to be held at the British Museum (Natural History) from 16-21 March 1986 on the theme "Nature Surveyed: Natural History—Past, Present and Future." Registration is \$45 for members of the Society and \$60 for non-members. For further information and detailed program, contact Mr. P. Davis, Conference Secretary, Hancock Museum, Newcastle upon Tyne NE2 4PT, England.

Brooklyn Botanic Garden

Brooklyn Botanic Garden's 75th Anniversary Symposium, entitled "Growing in America: New Horizons in Horticulture", will be held on 27-28 September 1985. Speakers include John L. Creech on plant hunters and their garden contributions, Janet M. Poor on plants that merit attention and Allen Paterson on what makes a great garden. Registration is \$30. For registration and full account of the program, write to the Brooklyn Botanic Garden, 1000 Washington Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11225.

AHS Tours

The American Horticultural Society is offering the following tours (arranged by Flora and Travel, Wayfarer Group Travel, Inc.) to its members. For further information, contact the Society (Box 0105, Mt. Vernon, VA 22121). Tours include 1-25 November 1985, The Exotic Orient, Japan, Singapore, Bali, Hong Kong and 11-26 September 1985, Autumn England.

Herbal Lectures

Guy Cooper, Consultant to the Herb Society, will be presenting another lecture series in the U.S. during January and February 1986. Programs offered will be "English Herb Gardens" and "Herbs and Geoffrey Chaucer." Mr. Cooper was approached by Weidenfeld & Nicholson to write the book English Herb Gardens as part of their series begun with English Cottages written by Candida L. Green. Rosemary Verey will write the foreword to Mr. Cooper's work which will be published simultaneously by Weidenfeld & Nicholson and Rizzoli in April 1986. The presentation on herb gardens will include slides of 80 of the gardens considered for this work. Fees for the lectures are \$300 plus \$100 contribution to travelling expenses unless the distance to a particular venue is exceptional. For further information and bookings, contact Guy Cooper, Cooper King & Taylor, 75 St. Georges Square, London SW1 2QW.

Carla Lange Retires

Carla Lange retired from the Missouri Botanical Garden Library 8 July 1985. Carla is remembered for her active participation in CBHL, as well as her keen ability to locate the most obscure botanical references and her facility for reading many languages. Carla continues to contribute to the quality of the Garden Library through her generous contribution of volunteer time. We all thank Carla for her many years of dedicated service to botanical libraries and wish her good fortune.

Edgar T. Wherry Archives

Members of the Delaware Valley Chapter of the American Rock Garden Society intend to locate and catalog letters and other archival material, slides, photographs and memorabilia relating to the life and work of Dr. Edgar T. Wherry. Arrangements have been made to house and service the Wherry Collection in the Library of the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia. If you have material that you think should be noted in this collection, please contact Milton Laden, 334 Wellesley Road, Philadelphia, PA 19119.

Royal Botanic Garden, Kew Bibliographies

The following bibliographies are free for the asking from Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew, Richmond, Surrey TW9 3AE, England.

No. 2. Poisonous plants, selected references. February 1985.

No. 7. Botanical illustration, selected references to commentaries, reproductions and indexes. March 1985.

No. 3. Selected references on the history of the Royal Botanic Garden, Kew. April 1985.

No. 4. Plant collections: a selective bibliography on the functions and administration of herbaria, botanic gardens and botanical museums. June, 1985.

Publications Announced

The following recently published items are available from the New England Wild Flower Society Library (Garden in the Woods, Hemenway Road, Framingham, MA 01701) for \$1.00 each.

Walker, Mary M., comp. "A comprehensive bibliography of publications about gardening with native plants." March 1985.

Walker, Mary M., comp. "Botanical clubs and native plant societies--United States" December 1984.

University of North Carolina Press

Phillips, Harry R. Growing and propagating wild flowers. \$14.95 (paper); \$24.95 (cloth). Order from the Order Department, University of North Carolina Press, P.O. Box 2288, Chapel Hill, NC 27514.

British Museum (Natural History)

Annual bibliography of the history of natural history. Vol. 1, relating to the literature of 1982 is now available for £10 from Publications Sales, British Museum (Natural History), Cromwell Road, London SW7 5BD. It is expected that vol. 2 for 1983 will be published during August 1985 and vol. 3 for 1984 will appear during the winter of 1985/86. Thereafter, it is hoped that volumes will appear about 6-8 months after the end of the year to which they refer. Volume 1 includes, in addition to the references themselves, a subject index, an index of biographies, an index of institutions and a list of the journals cited.

Arion Press

A few copies of the Arion Press' edition of The Temple of Flora with 28 drypoint engravings by Jim Dine, with botanical notes compiled and poetry selected by Glenn Todd and Nancy Dine are still available. The edition is limited to 150 numbered and signed copies for sale, each 136 page book contained in a cloth box with a relief sculpture by Jim Dine on the lid, representing Flora's temple gate. An extra print from the copper plate of the floral frontispiece, signed by the artist, is included. The price is \$2,000. For a prospectus, please contact the Arion Press, 566 Commercial Street, San Francisco, CA 94111, telephone (415) 981-8974.

Guild of Book Workers

The Guild of Book Workers have recently published a Supply List which includes information on over 220 suppliers of materials for bookbinding, conservation and calligraphy. Suppliers listed in the 86 page booklet are located principally in the United States and Canada although a number of European and Asian suppliers are listed as well. Addresses and telephone numbers, lists of supplies and services, minimum order requirements, shipping restrictions, availability of catalog and sample books are given for each supplier. Where appropriate, cross-references from personal to corporate names are given. In addition, an index by individual supply is provided, as is a geographical index of suppliers, arranged by country, state and city.

Copies of the Supply List are available from Jean Gunner, Supply Chairperson, Guild of Book Workers, 118 Carnegie Place, Pittsburgh, PA 15208 for \$12.50, prepaid. If an invoice is required, there will be an additional charge of \$1.00. Please make checks payable to the Guild of Book Workers, Inc.

Dumbarton Oaks Fellowships

The studies in landscape architecture program at Dumbarton Oaks in Washington, D.C. offers research fellowships for students working on dissertations or other final projects for their degrees. In addition, fellowships are available for scholars who have completed their degrees and are doing advanced research. Subject areas include history of gardens and landscape architecture, garden ornament and sculpture, literature and gardens, and history of botanical illustration and horticulture. Application for fellowships are due on or before 15 November 1985. For further information, write to the Assistant Director, Dumbarton Oaks, 1703 32nd St., NW, Washington, D.C. 20007.

Public Services Librarian

The Missouri Botanical Garden Library, housing one of the world's finest botanical research collections, seeks a librarian to provide references services and assist with collection development, as well as oversee interlibrary loan and be involved with other library service functions. A master's degree in library science preferred, with a degree in botany or biology. Reading knowledge of one foreign language is required. Five years professional experience necessary, including three years reference or botanical bibliographic experience. To apply, send resume to: Personnel Director, Missouri Botanical Garden, P.O. Box 299, St. Louis, MO 63166.

Grant for Carnegie Museum of National History Library

The Library of the Carnegie Museum of Natural History has received notification of an award of \$9,750 to enter holdings for 3,000 periodical titles currently unrecorded in the Pennsylvania Union List of Serials (PaULS) by use of the OCLC Online Computer Library system.

The Pennsylvania Union List of Serials (PaULS) is a computer-based listing of the holdings of individual libraries in the state. Participation in the project will permit the Museum Library to make its collection better known and available to the local, regional and national research community. Funds for the project are provided by the Library Services and Construction Act (LSCA), Title III (Interlibrary Cooperation), a federal program.

The project is a joint project with the Library of the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia and will begin 1 October 1985. Museum Librarian, Gerard McKiernan, is the Project Director.

Longwood and Seed Catalogs

Longwood Gardens Library has decided to save nursery and seed catalogs from only the mid-Atlantic Region (NY, PA, DE, NJ, MD, VA,). Librarians, if you would like to have those from your region, please contact Enola J. Teeter, Librarian, Longwood Gardens, P.O. Box 501, Kennett Square, PA 19348-0501. Otherwise, they will be sent to the National Agricultural Library after the first of the year, 1986.

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Please send all news items to Bernadette Callery by 25 November 1985 for inclusion in the December Newsletter.

MEMBERSHIP

Membership in the Council on Botanical and Horticultural Libraries is open to botanical and horticultural libraries of both public and private institutions. Individual memberships are available to anyone interested, particularly librarians and persons from the horticultural and botanical professions. Institutional membership is encouraged and is open on a world-wide basis to botanical and horticultural libraries of any size.

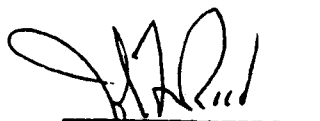
Annual dues are \$50.00 for institutional members and \$20.00 for individual members.

Applications for membership should be directed to John F. Reed, Treasurer. Checks should be made payable to: The Council on Botanical and Horticultural Libraries, Inc.

THE COUNCIL ON BOTANICAL AND HORTICULTURAL LIBRARIES, INC

Financial Statement
Calendar Year
1984

| | <u>Checkbook</u> | <u>Savings</u> | <u>Money Market</u> | <u>Total</u> |
|---------------------------------------|------------------|-------------------|---------------------|--------------|
| Balance - January 1, 1984 | \$1,951.02 | \$3,262.39 | \$5,186.50 | \$10,399.91 |
| <u>Transfers</u> | | | | |
| 2/4/84 | 2,100.00 | (2,100.00) | | |
| 6/16/84 | <u>1,000.00</u> | <u>(1,100.00)</u> | <u>100.00</u> | |
| Total Transfers | 3,100.00 | (3,200.00) | 100.00 | 0.00 |
| <u>Income</u> | | | | |
| Membership | | | | |
| -Personal (1984) | 1,200.00 | | | 1,200.00 |
| -Institutional (1984) | 1,375.00 | | | 1,375.00 |
| Publication Sales | 391.95 | | | 391.95 |
| Interest | | 39.60 | 324.94 | 364.54 |
| 1984 Conference | <u>65.00</u> | | | <u>65.00</u> |
| Total Income | 3,031.95 | 39.60 | 324.94 | 3,396.49 |
| <u>Expense</u> | | | | |
| 1982 Printing* | 941.32 | | | 941.32 |
| " Postage* | 1,753.44 | | | 1,753.44 |
| " Supplies* | 270.00 | | | 270.00 |
| " Mailing labels, telephone, etc.* | 296.48 | | | 296.48 |
| 1983 Printing | 2,685.05 | | 505.51 | 3,190.56 |
| " Postage | 112.36 | | 1,842.09 | 1,954.45 |
| " Supplies | | | 144.00 | 144.00 |
| " Mailing labels, telephone, etc. | 10.00 | | 434.40 | 444.40 |
| 1984 Conference | 65.00 | | | 65.00 |
| Bank Charges | <u>66.50</u> | | | <u>66.50</u> |
| Total Expense | 6,200.15 | 0.00 | 2,926.00 | 9,126.15 |
| Balance - December 31, 1984 | \$1,909.63 | \$ 101.99 | \$ 2,685.44 | \$ 4,697.06 |

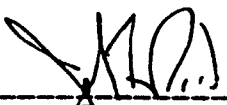

John F. Reed
Treasurer
June 4, 1985

*Billing from NYBG for 1982 reimbursement
for services delayed, paid in 1984 rather
in 1983.

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Financial Statement
January 1--June 10
1985

| | <u>Checkbook</u> | <u>Savings</u> | <u>Money Market</u> | <u>Total</u> |
|--|------------------|----------------|---------------------|---------------|
| Balance - January 1, 1985 | \$1,909.63 | \$ 101.99 | \$2,685.44 | \$ 4,697.06 |
| <u>Income</u> | | | | |
| Membership | | | | |
| -Personal (1984) | 50.00 | | | 50.00 |
| -Institutional (1984) | 200.00 | | | 200.00 |
| -Personal (1985) | 2,120.00 | | | 2,120.00 |
| -Institutional (1985) | 2,375.00 | | | 2,375.00 |
| Publication Sales | 139.49 | | | 139.49 |
| Interest | | | 85.92 | 85.92 |
| Other | <u>.60</u> | <u>-----</u> | <u>-----</u> | <u>.60</u> |
| Total Income | 4,885.09 | 0.00 | 85.02 | 4,971.01 |
| <u>Expense</u> | | | | |
| CBHL Europe | 400.00 | | | 400.00 |
| Recording Equipment | 90.43 | | | 90.43 |
| <u>Obligated Expenses</u> (NYBG billing for 1984) | | | | |
| Printing | 1,673.11 | | | 1,673.11 |
| Postage | 1,959.12 | | | 1,959.12 |
| Supplies | 96.00 | | | 96.00 |
| Other | <u>373.00</u> | <u>-----</u> | <u>-----</u> | <u>373.00</u> |
| Total Expense | 4,591.66 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 4,591.66 |
| Balance - June 10, 1985 | \$2,203.06 | \$ 101.99 | \$ 2,771.36 | \$ 5,076.41 |



John F. Reed
Treasurer
June 10, 1985