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NEWSLETTER

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## IN MEMORIAM

Dr. Emanuel D. Rudolph, Professor Emeritus of Plant Biology, Ohio State University

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The botanical community was saddened to learn of Emanuel Rudolph's sudden death. It was especially poignant for those CBHL members who had so recently experienced Rudi's generous hospitality during the annual meeting and had enjoyed talking with him in the midst of his remarkable book collection. A memorial service was held on 7 July at Ohio State University, where CBHL was represented by Connie Wolf, from the Missouri Botanical Garden. Contributions may be made to the Rudolph fund, c/o Anne Kochman, Dean's Office, College of Biological Sciences, 484 W. 12th Ave., Columbus, OH 43210.

## MINUTES OF THE 24TH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL ON BOTANICAL AND HORTICULTURAL LIBRARIES COLUMBUS, OHIO, MAY 21 THROUGH MAY 23, 1992

Host Institution: Ohio State University. Arrangements: Dr. Emanuel Rudolph and Bruce Leach. Registration and reception Wednesday, May 20.

The CBHL business meeting was held in two afternoon sessions: Thursday, May 21, and Friday, May 22, in the Conference Theater, Ohio Union. President Anita Karg welcomed everyone present, introduced members of the Board of Directors, and invited all first-time attendees to stand and identify themselves and their organizations. Approximately 12 persons did so.

President Karg asked for additions or corrections to the minutes of the 1991 meeting (which were published in the August 1991 CBHL Newsletter (Number 52)). Secretary Jane Gates read a correction received via FAX from John Flanagan, who pointed out that Page 3, Paragraph 4, should state "that the meeting was to be held in London (not at Kew) and arranged by Christine Ellwood from the Botany Library at the Natural History Museum (NHM)". The minutes were approved as corrected by voice vote. Treasurer John Reed handed out the Annual Treasurer's Report, which was accepted.

2nd Vice-President Gerard McKiernan gave the Membership Report. There are 84 institutional members, 166 individual members. Gerry introduced the draft of the new membership brochure, and asked for comments and suggestions from the members. John Reed asked for comments and corrections to the Membership Directory. It was suggested that a supplement be issued in order to save the costs of completely reprinting. The suggestion met with approval.

Newsletter Editor Bernadette Callery reported that two Newsletters were published during the past year. She welcomes assistance from those persons who volunteered last year to help in its publication. Solange Gignac, Chair of the Charles Robert Long Award Committee, reported that the Committee had made a decision, and that an announcement would be forthcoming at the banquet on Thursday night. Virginia Gardner, Chair of the Founders Fund Travel Fellowship, reported that there was not yet enough money in the Fund to allow the award of the Fellowship. A proposed application form was presented, and will be sent to members in a future mailing. President Karg reported that she had spoken to Walter Punch by phone, about the Plant Bibliography Series. Walter said that the Series was currently "on hold" but he is "considering several things" and will "send something out" as soon as he can.

Future annual meetings were then discussed. Two dates were considered for the meeting in Seattle in 1993: Jane Cole moved, John Reed seconded the motion, to accept the invitation to Seattle for May 13-15, 1993. A discussion of possible themes was inspired by Laura Lipton who suggested: urban horticulture and plant exploration, horticulture publications, or volunteer programs. Solange Gignac suggested a discussion on "how libraries can raise money". Brenda Weisman urged that urban horticulture be the theme since that "was the Center's specialty". Sylvia Fitzgerald asked if a package tour was a possibility, and was told that it was. Discussion then followed about possible Pre-Conference workshops and/or tours. Laura requested input from members as to their preferences. The 1994 meeting will be held in "lilac season", May 23-25, at the Royal Botanical Garden, Ontario, Canada. The program will have a "Canadian focus" according to host Ina Vrugtman. Members then voted to accept the invitation of Virginia Gardner, who had offered last year to host the 1995 meeting at Santa Barbara, California. 1996 and 1997 are still open; Washington, D.C. and the National Agricultural Library were suggested.

Jane Gates responded to a query as to the fate of the proposed trip to England by reading from John Flanagan's letter: "...I have tried hard over the past year to find ways of holding the conference at the NHM which is located in a district with many good hotels and has good conference facilities. Although I have received sympathetic consideration I have not been able to gain support. I have also tried to organize this as a joint meeting with the Society for the History of Natural History (SHNH) of which I am a Council Member but there are problems over just who has the responsibility and I feel I have pushed this as far as I can! Therefore I think it is advisable to withdraw for 1995 with much regret on my part. I feel this is realistic and will allow for a meeting to proceed smoothly at another venue."

Virginia Gardner suggested South Africa or Australia as appropriate meeting locales. President Karg asked Connie Wolfe to read the letter from Yao Bi-jun, inviting CBHL to come to China. Sylvia Fitzgerald suggested a "study visit" overseas, "like when we went to the U.K."

Jane Gates reported that 67 proxies had been received as well as 66 votes; Jane Cole, Desert Botanical Garden, was unanimously elected to the Board of Directors as Second Vice President.

Under old business, discussion followed about the Oberly Award. John Reed reported that this is the "only major international award for bibliography that includes the plant sciences" but the award is agriculturally focused and may also include awards for pig research, etc. Several members spoke against the idea of giving more money to the Oberly.

The meeting was continued until Friday.

New Business was the first order of business on Friday afternoon. Connie Wolfe responded to a request with a discussion of SIRSI. At the end of the discussion it was suggested that Connie publish an article on the subject in the Newsletter.

John Reed reported that as of next month, NYBG's holdings of published materials will be completely reported to OCLC. The same level of cataloging needs to be done on its unpublished collections and a suggestion was made that the Kellogg Foundation be approached, emphasizing the educational aspect of NYBG.

Bernadette Callery reported on *Garden Literature: An Index to Periodical Articles and Book Reviews*, that is being compiled by Sally Williams and published by Garden Literature Press, in Boston. Bernadette had received proof sheets. The Index will be in English only, with subscriptions at \$50 individual, \$75 institutional; it will index book reviews as well as a number of journals, popular ones as well as selected professional ones. [Ed. note. Vol. 1, no. 1, January - March 1992, has been published and is available on subscription from Garden Literature Press, 398 Columbus Avenue, Ste. 181, Boston, MA 02116-6008.]

Gerry McKiernan pointed out that PRISM and EPIC will be covered during the tour of OCLC, and those subjects were deleted from the agenda.

President Karg stated that the Board had discussed a suggestion that CBHL consider doing facsimiles, but that there were experts in the field capable of doing so. Members might identify titles that should be reprinted and contact appropriate persons. It was mentioned that copyright can be a problem.

After some discussion, it was moved by Jane Cole and seconded by Gerry McKiernan that a committee should be appointed to review the bylaws; volunteers were called for, and President Karg appointed Charlotte Tancin, Joanna Bristol, Virginia Henrichs, Bill Burke, David Lane and Rebecca Perry. They are charged with reporting to the membership at the 1993 annual meeting.

Dr. Emanuel Rudolph moved that enough money be transferred from the Operating Fund to the Travel Fund to bring the Fund balance up to \$5000. Laura Lipton seconded the motion. Treasurer John Reed suggested that a sufficient amount be transferred to bring the total to \$7500, which would generate enough money to make the Award, with the understanding that the Board would have the discretion to transfer monies back should that prove to be necessary for operations. The motion was amended, and passed by the membership.

A suggestion was made by Solange Gignac that CBHL assist in the production of the "List of Seeds & Sources" currently being updated by Richard Isaacson. Discussion was hampered by lack of information as to specific needs. No action was taken, but the discussion highlighted the need for all members to review the bylaws to clarify the organization's support of members' projects. Copies of the bylaws will be distributed to the membership.

The suggestion was made that New Business be on the first day's agenda, so that more time would be available for its consideration.

Connie Wolfe reported that the Library of Congress has had major theft(s) of botanical materials, particularly plates. Keith Crotz suggested that a list be compiled and circulated to dealers. Harry Lubrecht reported that booksellers have a tracking list; notarized notice of ownership is required. Susan Chapman announced availability of a "New List of Contributions of the National Arboretum". Charlotte Tancin announced *B-P-H/S* was published in the last 4 months; \$90; this is the update of 1st volume published by the Hunt Institute in 1968.

Geraldine Kaye requested information about existing environmental libraries; asked who is going to SLA (Ruth Schallert, Joan DeFato, Arlene Howard, Jane Cole). Susan Chapman announced that the contact person for the Global Change Initiative at the National Agricultural Library is Janice Kemp.

Sylvia Fitzgerald announced that this is the Centennial Year of the Kew Guild and asked that any lapsed members contact them to join in the celebration. Suggestion was made that the invitation be placed in the AABGA Newsletter.

Stanley Johnston invited members to stop by the Holden Arboretum; and that there are some copies of the Holden Annual Report available. Judith Warnement announced that the Arnold Arboretum, Jamaica Plains, would be closing for about 1 year; Cambridge will be open; the Gray Index should be available online by fall.

Gerry McKiernan reminded members to please respond to the new brochure with suggestions, comments. Members were also reminded to complete and hand in the survey.

President Karg thanked hosts Dr. Emanuel Rudolph and Bruce Leach, and said that a present would be coming in the mail for the University as an expression of CBHL appreciation. President Karg then thanked the members and turned the presidency over to Pamela MacKenzie, 1st Vice-President and now President. The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted, Jane Gates, Secretary, CBHL

#### NATIVE PLANTS AND WILD FLOWER BOOKS

Continuing the useful presentation of recent reference books made during the New York annual meeting, the following works on the general theme of native plants were discussed during the Columbus meeting:

*Royal Horticultural Society's Dictionary of gardening.* London, Macmillan; New York, Stockton, 1992.

Boon, William and H. Groe. *Nature's heartland: native plant communities of the Great Plains,* Ames, Iowa State University, 1990.

Connelly, K. *A gardener's guide to California wild flowers,* Sun Valley, CA, T. Payne Foundation for Wildflowers and Native Plants, 1991.

Deno, Norman C. *Seed germination, theory and practice,* State College, PA, author (139 Lenor Drive, State College, PA 16801), 1991.

Elliot, W. Roger and David L. Jones. *Encyclopedia of Australian plants suitable for cultivation,* Melbourne, Lothian Publishing Co., 1980.

Emery, Dara E. *Seed propagation of native California plants,* Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara Botanical Garden, 1988.

Felger, Richard S. and Mary B. Moser. *People of the desert and sea: ethnobotany of the Seri Indians,* Tucson, University of Arizona Press, 1985.

Gelderen, D.M. van. *Conifers,* 2nd ed., Portland, OR, Timber Press, 1989.

Hightshoe, Gary L. *Native trees, shrubs and vines for urban and rural America: a planting design manual for environmental designers,* New York, Van Nostrand Reinhold, 1988.

Hubbard, Juliet A. *A walk in the wild: native plants and their habitats at the New York Botanical Garden*, Bronx, NY, NYBG, 1991.

Isaacson, Richard T. *Andersen Horticultural Library's source list of plants and seeds: a completely revised listing of 1988-1989 catalogs*, Chanhassen, MN, Andersen Horticultural Library, University of Minnesota Libraries, Minnesota Landscape Arboretum, 1989.

Jones, Samuel B. and L.E. Foote. *Gardening with native wild flowers*, Portland, OR, Timber Press, 1990.

Keator, Glenn. *Complete garden guide to the native perennials of California*, San Francisco, Chronicle Books, 1990.

Knopf, Jim. *The xeriscape flower gardener: a waterwise guide for the Rocky Mountain Region*, Boulder, CO, Johnson Books, 1991.

Krüssmann, Gerd. *Manual of cultivated conifers*, Portland, OR, Timber Press, 1985.

McKelvey, Susan D. *Botanical exploration of the Trans-Mississippi West 1790-1850*, Corvallis, OR, Oregon State University Press, 1991. Reprint of the 1956 edition.

Munz, Philip A. *California desert wildflowers*, Berkeley, University of California Press, 1962; *California mountain wildflowers*, Berkeley University of California Press, 1963; *California spring wildflowers*, Berkeley, University of California Press, 1961; *Shore wildflowers of California, Oregon and Washington*, Berkeley, University of California Press, 1964.

Pesman, M.W. *Meet the natives: an easy way to recognize wildflowers, trees and shrubs of the central Rocky Mountain region*, Denver, Denver Botanical Garden, 1975. (later ed??)

Phillips, Harry R. *Growing and propagating wild flowers*, Chapel Hill, NC, University of North Carolina, 1985.

Snyder, Leon C. *Flowers for northern gardens*, Minneapolis, University of Minnesota Press, 1983; *Trees and shrubs for northern gardens*, Minneapolis, University of Minnesota Press, 1980.

#### FORTHCOMING MEETINGS AND EXHIBITS

CBHL 1993 Annual meeting: Save the dates of May 13-15, 1993 for the CBHL meeting in Seattle, WA, hosted by the Center for Urban horticulture, University of Washington. See enclosed notice or call Laura Lipton and Valerie Easton with suggestions. 206-543-0415.

The Brooklyn Botanic Garden will sponsor an exhibition of indoor bonsai from January 30 through February 7, 1993 in the Garden's Steinhardt Conservatory. Indoor bonsai specimens will be selected and displayed by tri-state mid-Atlantic area Bonsai societies, with particular emphasis on creating bonsai from tropical and subtropical plant species. For further information, call 718-622-4433.

#### 1992 CBHL MEETING SURVEY

Results of the survey taken at the 1992 Annual Meeting in Columbus, Ohio, have been tabulated by CBHL Secretary Jane Gates. Twenty-eight members submitted surveys. As was true last year, members were enthusiastic, one person calling CBHL "the best group I know". Several

substantive suggestions were made on how to make meetings even better, and the suggestions have been passed on to those scheduled to be hosts in the future.

Members who wish copies of the tabulation should contact Jane Gates at the National Agricultural Library, Room 111, 10301 Baltimore Blvd., Beltsville MD 20705-2351 (please note that her telephone number has been changed: (301) 504-6559, FAX (301) 504-5472).

### CBHL CONSORTIUM COMMITTEE

A CBHL Consortium Committee has been formed by the CBHL Board of Directors. The purpose of the committee is to conduct a pilot project to make the combined records of consortium participants electronically available for the purpose of sharing resources. An initial activity is to identify and evaluate potential software packages.

We also want to make the entire membership aware of this project so that they may contribute by sending their ideas and suggestions to the committee. In addition, if any individual CBHL member is also planning to computerize, the committee members will be happy to share what they have learned. The consortium committee hopes that eventually many more CBHL member libraries will become a part of the consortium.

CBHL Consortium Committee members are at present: Nadia Aufderheide, The Holden Arboretum, Joanna Bristol (co-chairman), Garden Center of Greater Cleveland, Jane Cole, Desert Botanical Garden, Janet Evans, Pennsylvania Horticultural Society, Virginia Henrichs, Chicago Botanic Garden Library, Connie Wolf (co-chairman), Missouri Botanical Garden. Thanks in advance for any assistance or participation you are willing to give. We look forward to hearing from you.

### DUMBARTON OAKS LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE FELLOWSHIPS

Studies in Landscape architecture. Dumbarton Oaks offers residential fellowships for the academic year 1993-1994 to scholars who are completing, or have already completed, terminal degrees in a wide range of disciplines. Applications are eligible which concern any aspect of the study of landscape architecture (*e.g.*, architectural, art historical, botanical, horticultural, cultural, economic, social, agrarian). Grant assistance in studies in landscape architecture is also available for scholarly projects not associated with a degree or library research. Before applying, prospective applications should request a brochure detailing the application procedure from : Studies in Landscape Architecture, Dumbarton Oaks, 1703 32nd St. NW, Washington, DC 20007 or call 202-342-3280. APPLICATION DEADLINE is November 15, 1992.

### HORTICULTURAL CD-ROM

The National Agricultural Library, in cooperation with the University of Florida Institute for Food and Agricultural Sciences (IFAS) and Michigan State University Cooperative Extension Service, is producing a multimedia CD-ROM on home horticulture, called *Plant It!*. This produce is designed to help home owners throughout the United States select the best plants for their site. For further information on the product, write Pamela Mason (National Agricultural Library, Information Systems Division, 10301 Baltimore Blvd, Beltsville, MD 20705-2351), project manager, following the evaluation phase which runs into this fall.

## PLANT SELECTION DATABASE

Hortis Opis, a plant selection database designed for the landscape designer and home gardener in mind has recently been released. Combining information from major reference tools with 15 years of practical gardening experience, entries for over 2,000 trees, shrubs, vines, grasses and bamboos have been included in Volume I. Once installed on your local PC, you may select any of these plants on the basis of numerous criteria, including USDA hardiness zone, height and width, flowering time, flower color, light requirements, landscape use, fragrance. If you're not sure of the terms on which to search, a handy list pops up, assuring authority control and increasing your chances of finding matches in the database. Once you've identified the plants that match your needs, you can then request information on suppliers. Plants may also be searched by their Latin name, common name or cultivar name. A particularly attractive feature is the ability to add your own notes on the plants included in the database. Lists of plants selected may be printed, if you have one of the supported printers, and plant name may be exported to a file for later use, although this is a clumsy process, as you must add one plant name at a time to the file. On the whole, the user interface is welcoming and presents a wealth of information about the plants selected.

Volume 1 is available for \$250.00. Order from J.Mendoza Gardens, 18 East 16th St., New York, NY 10003. A demonstration disk is available for \$19.95 + \$2.50 shipping. The software requires the following minimum configuration: IBM PC or compatible (at least a 286), 640K RAM, DOS 3.0 or higher, hard disk with at least 6 MB free. The projected new release is said to require substantially less memory.

## ORNAMENTAL HORTICULTURE DATABASE UNDER DEVELOPMENT

The Institut québécois du développement de l'horticulture ornementale (3230, rue Sicotte, Office D-111, Saint-Hyacinthe, Quebec J2S 2M2, Canada) is collecting information for a database dealing with many aspects of ornamental horticulture. They are interested in identifying people with specializations in particular fields of ornamental horticulture as well as those who produce publications dealing with ornamental plant production or have slides, photos or videos, or already have a database dealing with any aspect of ornamental horticulture. For further information or if you are interested in contributing to this database, please write Stéphane Burgoyne at the above address or call 514-772-2181 or FAX 514-771-6890.

## REQUEST FOR LIBRARY MATERIALS

The National Library of Science and Technology of the Academy of Sciences of Cuba, which celebrated its fourth anniversary in July, would appreciate gifts of books in the sciences but also library and information sciences, marketing and management. Please send your gifts to Biblioteca Nacional de Ciencia y Tecnología, Capitolio Nacional, Apdo. 2023 Cod., 10200, Ciudad de La Habana, Cuba, ATTN: Alfredo Cabrera Miranda, Acquisition Librarian.

## REQUEST FOR INDEX SEMINA

The recently formed Regional Plant Resource Centre (Nayapalli, Bhubaneswar, 751 015 Orissa, India) requests Index Seminum or other lists of plants available in your botanical gardens, in exchange for a list of plant species in their collection. Please contact the director, P. Das.

## INTERMEDIATE TECHNOLOGY GROUP

The Intermediate Technology Development Group (Myson House, Railway Terrace, Rugby CV21 3HT, United Kingdom), is a non-profit organization helping people in the Third World to use technologies and techniques that are appropriate to their needs, skills and resources. Since its foundation in 1966, Intermediate Technology has worked in many developing countries. It currently runs field programs in nine countries in Africa, Asia and Latin America. Technical areas include agriculture and fisheries, processing of agricultural products, renewable energies, rural transport, textiles, building materials and shelter. Of particular interest to CBHL is their work maintaining genetic diversity of seeds and plants on which the populations of developing countries depend for their food. Please write for further information on the organization and their past conference, "The gene traders: security of profit in food production."

#### URBAN AND COMMUNITY FORESTRY PROGRAM DIRECTORY

The National Tree Trust has released an Urban and Community Forestry Program National Resource Directory. The directory lists addresses, phone numbers, and the contact people for federal forestry agencies, forestry associations, cooperative extension offices, civic organizations, environmental organizations, and trade and professional associations. A limited number of the directories are available. For more information, contact the National Tree Trust, 1455 Pennsylvania Avenue N.W., Suite 250, Washington, DC 20004.

#### NEW JOURNALS

*Journal of citriculture*, scheduled for publication in late 1993, will be published under the new Food Products Press imprint of The Haworth Press, Inc. and will be under the editorship of Dr. Robert J. McNeil, Professor of Fruit Science in the Crop Science Department of California Polytechnic State University. For further information and complimentary copies of the charter issue, request write The Haworth Press, Inc, FFP, Journal Sample Copy Department – Box Comp., 10 Alice St., Binghamton, New York 13904-1580.

*Journal of aquatic food product technology*, an international journal devoted to foods from marine and inland waters of the world, edited by George M. Pigott, Director of the Institute for Food Science and Technology, School of Fisheries, College of Ocean and Fishery Sciences, University of Washington, is now available from Food Products Press, Haworth Press, 10 Alice St., Binghamton, NY 13904-1580. Subscriptions rates are \$24 for individuals, \$36 for institutions and \$48 for libraries. Write for further information of a complimentary subscription for those wishing to index or abstract the journal.

#### BOOKS NOTED

Ball, G. Victor, ed. *The Ball RedBook*, 15th ed., Geneva, NY, Ball Publishing, 1991. ISBN 0-9626796-2-3. \$55.

Berkeley, Edmund and Dorothy Smith Berkeley, eds. *The correspondence of John Bartram, 1734-1777*, Miami, University Press of Florida, 1992. ISBN 0-8130-1123-X

Dudley, Elizabeth D., ed. *The unity of evolutionary biology*, the proceedings of the fourth International Congress of Systematic and Evolutionary Biology. 1991. 2 vols. \$125.00. Available from Dioscorides Press, Timber Press, 9999 S.W. Wilshire, Portland, OR 97225.



Harlan, Jack R. *Crops & man*, 2nd ed., Madison, WI, Crop Science Society of American and American Society of Agronomy (677 South Segoe Rd., Madison, WI 53711-1086), 1992. ISBN 0-89118-107-5. \$34.00.

Johnson, Cathy. *One square mile: an artist's journal of America's heartland*, New York, Walker and Co., 1993. ISBN 0-8027-7393-1. \$17.95. This work, which deals with Missouri, is the first of a series of proposed works in the America in Microcosm series. Others proposed include, *One square mile in the American West: an artist's journal of California* by R. Richard Gayton, *One square mile in New England: an artist's journal of Massachusetts*, by Clare Walker Leslie and *One square mile on the Atlantic Coast: an artist's journal of the New Jersey Shore* by John R. Quinn. For further information contact Mary Kennan Herbert, Walker and Company, 720 Fifth Ave., NY 10019.

Johnston, Stanley H., comp. *The Cleveland herbal, botanical, and horticultural collections: a descriptive bibliography of pre-1830 works from the libraries of the Holden Arboretum, the Cleveland Medical Library Association, and the Garden Center of Greater Cleveland*. Kent, OH, Kent State University Press, 1992. ISBN 0-87338-433-4. \$85.00. Major bibliography of these rich collections, with detailed notes on the authors, illustrations, bindings and circumstances of publication, with particular attention to variants in these often bibliographically complex works. Useful indexes of printers, publishers and booksellers, as well as illustrators and portraits.

Kelly, M.A., *A child's book of wildflowers*, illustrated by Joyce Powzyk. New York, Macmillan Children's Book Group, Four Winds Press, 1992. ISBN 0-02-750142-6. \$15.95.

Lucas, Suzanne. *In praise of toadstools*, Mere, 1992. Includes 140 color plates of toadstools, with comments by the author-illustrator on how and where each one was discovered and painted, with introduction by Dr. Roy Watling. Write for descriptive illustrated brochure to see the quality of these illustrations. (Order from Lucas Art, Ladymead, Manor Road, Mere, Wiltshire BA12 6HQ, United Kingdom). Standard edition £48; Collectors limited edition of 50 copies (specially bound, slipcased and signed and numbered by the author), £280.

Onis, Juan de. *The green cathedral: sustainable development of Amazonia*. New York, Oxford University Press, 1992. \$24.95.

*Plant illustration before 1850*, a facsimile edition of the catalog of an exhibition held at the Grolier Club, NY, March 31, 1941. \$11.00. Order from Carol Barnett, Books, 3562 NE Liberty, Portland, OR 97211-7248.

Powell, Charles C. and Rosemarie Rossetti. *The healthy indoor plant: a guide to successful indoor gardening*. Columbus, OH, Rosewell, 1992. ISBN 0-9631767-0-6. \$27.00. Order from Rosewell Publishing, Inc., Dept PC, P.O. Box 2920, Columbus, OH 43216. Considerable attention paid to the holistic environment of the plant, with detailed information on plant diseases and pests. Overall concern for correct maintenance practices, including fertilizing. Alphabetical listing of common indoor plants with information on light and water requirements and well as pruning and grooming and other management tips.

Punch, Walter, ed. *Keeping Eden: a history of gardening in America*. Boston, Little, Brown, and Co., 1992. ISBN 0-821218182 \$50.00.

Rosengarten, Frederic. *Wilson Popenoe: agricultural explorer, educator and friend of Latin America*, 1992. ISBN 0-935868-53-4. \$25.95 prepaid. Orders to Wilson Popenoe Book, P.O. Box 1897, Lawrence, KS 66044-8897.

Rouleau, Ernest and Gisèle Lamoureux. *Atlas of the vascular plants of the island of Newfoundland and of the islands of Saint-Pierre-et-Miquelon*. Québec, Fleurbec (Saint-Henri-de-Lévis, Québec, Canada GOR 3 EO), 1992. ISBN 2-920174-12-6. \$125.00. Includes a bibliography of the flora of the territory and a bio-bibliography of Ernest Rouleau.

For a listing of booklets and pamphlets published by the Terrarium Association, write to the Association at P.O. Box 276, Newfane, VT 05335.

#### CBHL MEMBERS – OLD AND NEW

Dale Johnson is now at Timber Press, 9999 S.W. Wilshire, Portland, OR 97225

Pamela MacKenzie's (Civic Garden Centre) phone number is 416-397-1340 and her FAX number is 416-397-1354.

The following have joined CBHL since March 1992:

Averman, Elaine, Garden Center of Greater Cleveland, Cleveland, OH 11030

Currie, Lawrence W., Strybing Arboretum Library, 9th Ave. at Lincoln Way, San Francisco, CA 93122

Damude, Noreen, National Wildflower Research Center, 2600 FM 973 North, Austin, TX 78725-4201

Fallon, Ellen, Eastern New Mexico University, Golden Library, Portlake, NM 88130

Goforth, Diana, Quail Botanical Gardens, P.O. Box 230005, Encinitas, CA 92023-0005

Herring, Eileen, 2740B E. Manoa Rd., Honolulu, HI 07922

Jensen, Kirk, Oxford University Press, 200 Madison Ave., New York, NY 10016

Lamoureux, Gisele, Fleurbec, 198, Chemin de la Grande-Grill, St. Henri-de-Levis, Quebec Canada GOR 3EO

Leurs, Druscilla, Quail Botanical Gardens, P.O. Box 230005, Encinitas, CA 92023-0005

Mottram, Roy, Whitestone Gardens, Sutton, Thirsk, North Yorkshire, YO7 2PZ England

Nozkowski, Joyce, 70 Hester St., New York, NY 10002

Oberliesen, Janet M., (Ohio State University, Chadwick Arboretum), 546 Haymore Ave., Worthington, OH 43085

Oestry, Linda, Missouri Botanical Garden Library, P.O. Box 299, St. Louis, MO 63166-0299

Oxley, Flo, National Wildflower Research Center, 2600 FM 973 North, Austin, TX 78725-4201

Sales, D., University of Cape Town, J.W. Jagger Library, Rondebosch 7700, Cape Town, South Africa

Stommel, Barbara O., 35-H Ridge Rd., Greenbelt, MD 20770

Venne, Louise, Fleurbec, 198, Chemin de la Grande-Grill, St. Henri de Levis, Quebec Canada  
GOR 3E0

Wasserman, Barbara, Oxford University Press, 200 Madison Ave., New York, NY 100016

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Madison, WI 53716

### LIBRARY AUTOMATION QUESTIONNAIRE

The questionnaire below was passed around during an informal meeting during the 1992 CBHL annual meeting in Columbus, Ohio. Those attending that meeting have since received a summary listing and need not respond to this questionnaire unless there were corrections or changes. Please respond by December 15 for inclusion in a summary listing which will appear in the next CBHL Newsletter. If you are interested in receiving the summary listing from the Columbus meeting, please write to Bernadette Callery, New York Botanical Garden Library.

INSTITUTION NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ OCLC symbol: \_\_\_\_\_  
MACHINE-READABLE RECORDS (what % of your records are in machine-readable form?)  
Current: \_\_\_\_\_

Future plans: \_\_\_\_\_

OPAC INSTALLED: (If already automated, what system are you using?)

Is it a stand-alone system, or part of a larger institutional computing facility? Note hardware if known:

INTERNET address: \_\_\_\_\_ BITNET: \_\_\_\_\_

ACCESS TO OTHER NETWORKS: (including institution's local area network)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Respondent: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### LIBRARY AUTOMATION PRIMER

Watch the Newsletter for a forthcoming series of short articles on library automation basics. Coming soon: The MARC record.

**MEMBERS' INFORMATION QUESTIONNAIRE**

We're anxious to share information about our members! Please complete and return this questionnaire to Judith Warnement, Harvard University Botany Libraries, 22 Divinity Ave., Cambridge, MA 02138, by mid-November for inclusion in the next CBHL newsletter. These queries are intended to start you thinking, so please feel free to copy this form or continue onto additional pages.

**Institution Name**

**General Announcements Of Interest To CBHL Membership:**

**Library Milestones:**

**Meetings, Conferences, Exhibitions (Include date and contacts for further information):**

**New Horticultural Or Botanical Research Projects At Your Institution:**

**Friends' Group Activities:**

**Publications Available For Sale Or Exchange:**

**Notable Visitors:**

**Internships Or Other Positions Available:**

**Papers Published Or Presented, Awards Or Honors:**

**Additional Notes:**

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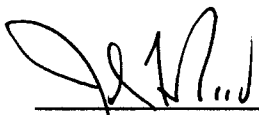
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Financial Statement  
Calendar Year 1991

	<u>Checkbook</u>	<u>Money Market</u>	<u>Long Fund (Money Market)</u>	<u>Travel (Money Market)</u>	<u>Total</u>
Balance - January 1, 1991	\$1,070.69	\$8,241.42	\$5,880.97	\$ -0-	\$15,193.08
<u>Income</u>					
Membership					
Personal (1991)	1,010.00	2,090.00	-	-	3,100.00
Advance (1992)	180.00	-	-	-	180.00
Institutional (1991)	1,500.00	1,725.00	-	-	3,225.00
Advance (1992)	700.00	100.00	-	-	800.00
Publication Sales	105.42	369.07	-	-	474.49
Mailing List Sales	-	150.00	-	-	150.00
Contributions	-	300.00*	-	2,500.00	2,800.00
Interest	-	393.12	308.58	70.37	771.97
Transfer	1,000.00	-	-	-	1,000.00
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>	<b>\$4,495.42</b>	<b>\$5,127.19</b>	<b>\$ 308.48</b>	<b>\$2,570.37</b>	<b>\$12,501.46</b>
<u>Expenses</u>					
Printing	\$1,093.00	\$5,027.30	-	-	\$ 6,120.30
Postage	-	1,234.92	-	-	1,234.92
Labels & Other Supplies	-	135.33	-	-	135.33
Office Support	-	639.76	-	-	639.76
Bank Charges	66.50	-	-	-	66.50
Conference Advance	1,882.78	-	-	-	1,882.78
Oberly Award	-	1,000.00	-	-	1,000.00
Transfer	-	1,000.00	-	-	1,000.00
Board Travel	466.35	1,133.15	-	-	1,599.50
<b>TOTAL EXPENSE</b>	<b>\$3,508.63</b>	<b>\$10,170.46</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>\$13,679.09</b>
Closing Balance - December 31, 1992	\$2,057.48	\$3,198.15	\$6,189.45	\$2,570.37	\$14,015.45

Respectfully submitted

  
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John F. Reed, Treasurer  
May 15, 1992

\*To 1991 Annual Meeting