

II. OBITUARIES AND BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES  
(continued from p.1239)

A l l a n, H. H. B. (1882-1957)

Largely self-educated as a botanist, he eventually designed a new Flora of New Zealand which stands out as a model of its kind (see p.830).

Lucy B. Moore, Proc. Linn. Soc. Lond. 175 (1964) 190-191.

B a e h n i, Ch. (1906-1964)

F.A. Stafleu, Charles Baehni and the Great Tradition. Bois-siera 11 (1965) ix-xxxix, incl. 5 portr. and bibliogr. - Baehni's significance is sketched in connection with his eminent predecessors at Geneva (Delessert, De Candolle, Boissier, Hochreutiner). A scholarly biography with valuable notes on the great Geneva herbarium.

B a r t r a m, E. B. (1878-1964)

Howard Crum, A tribute to Edwin B. Bartram. The Bryologist 69 (1966) 124-134, 1 phot. -- Bibliography and biographical note. Bartram bequeathed his large moss herbarium, c. 75,000 specimens, to the Farlow Herbarium. On the death of Mrs. Bartram

the residue of the estate will go to the Farlow for the salary of a bryological curator.

**B e u m é e**, Johan Gotlieb Benjamin (1888-1966)  
Dr. Beumée died at Bennekom, Netherlands, 11 July 1966, aged 77.

**B u r r e t**, M. (1883-1964)  
Eva Potzta, Maximilian Burret, 1883-1964. Willdenowia 4/1 (1965) 23-31, 1 Abb. - Biography with portrait and bibliography of the late specialist in Tiliaceae and Palmae.

**C a m u s**, Aimée (1879-1965)  
J.Léandri, Adansonia 6 (1966) 3-21, portr., bibliogr.

**D a w s o n**, E. Y.  
Curator of the Division of Phanerogams, U.S. National Herbarium, drowned on 22 June 1966 while collecting algae in Egypt.

**E d w a r d s**, Joshua Price  
E.J.Shrebsall, Mal.For. 29 (1966) 3-5.

**F l o r i n**, R.  
C.A.Arnold, Plant Science Bull. 11 (3) (Dec.1965) 11-12.  
R.Lundblad, Taxon 15 (1966) 85-93, phot., selected bibliogr.

**G r o e n h a r t**, P. (1894-1965)  
It is with great regret that we have to announce his death on 3 Nov. at Oegstgeest, from where he regularly came to work in Malesian lichens at the Rijksherbarium. An obituary is published by R.A.Maas Geesteranus in Persoonia 4 (1966) 69-71 + portr., where also his 15 publications on cryptogams are listed.

**H a e n k e**, T. P. X. (1761-1817)  
Renée Gicklhorn, Unbekannte botanische und zoologische Forschungsergebnisse von Thaddäus Haenke. Verhandl.Zool.-Bot. Ges.Wien 103/104 (1964) 213-222, 2 Abb.

**H e r r e**, Albert W. C. T.  
Ira L.Wiggins, Madrono 16 (1961) 102-103, phot. - 16 Sept. 1961 he was 93 years old. Biographical; congratulations.

**I y e n g a r**, M. O. P. (1886-1963)  
K.R.Ramanathan, Phytos 3 (1964) 1-7, 1 phot.

**K o n i n g s b e r g e r**, V. J.  
Formerly Director of the Sugarcane Experiment Station at Pasuruan, Java, after which he became Professor of Plant Physiology at Utrecht University. Editor of a great Dutch textbook on General Botany, Chairman of the Royal Netherlands Institute of Tropical Studies. Influential organizer and promotor of natural science. He died on 28 Febr. 1966, at the age of 71, at Bilthoven, after a long illness.

M a h e s h w a r i, P.

The well-known Indian botanist, specialized in phytomorphology and editor of the journal of that name, died on 18 May 1966.

M i q u e l, F. A. W. (24.X.1811-23.I.1871)

F.A.Stafleu, F.A.W.Miquel, Netherlands botanist. Wentia 16 (1966) 1-95, portr. - The first major account on Miquel, who studied at Groningen with H.C.van Hall, became a physician and as such a lecturer at the Rotterdam local medical school, meanwhile developed himself from a floristic amateur to an allround monographer, became in 1846 a professor of botany at Amsterdam and in 1859 at Utrecht. His main interest was first in the flora of Suriname, later in that of Malesia. His cooperation was sought for DeCandolle's Prodrumus and for the Flora Brasiliensis. A liberal-minded man of broad international outlook, he quietly adopted the essence of the theory of evolution, and successfully carried out the re-organisation of what then became the Royal Dutch Academy of Sciences. On Blume's death in 1862 Miquel, while staying at Utrecht, succeeded him as director of the Rijksherbarium, which under Blume had become almost inaccessible. Miquel opened the Rijksherbarium up to science by permitting loans and establishing exchange relations. Suffering of a liver disease, he never travelled much himself, but acquired considerable collections which became the nucleus of the Utrecht Herbarium. Unfortunately, Miquel had almost no pupils, only R.H.C.C. Scheffer, who preceded Treub as director of the Bogor Botanic Gardens, is important. On such and other shortcomings, Stafleu is rather brief. Miquel's productivity was amazing; the carefully compiled bibliography counts 296 items, many of them books. The dates of issue of the Linnaea parts wherein Miquel published papers (volume 11-26) are given in an appendix.

N e a l, Marie C.

Too late to include in the former Bulletin, where the 2nd edition of her book on Gardens of Hawaii was reviewed (p.1290) we received the sad news that its author passed away on June 6, 1965. Dr. R.W.Force, director of the Bernice P.Bishop Museum communicated that she has fortunately seen the first copy of her book to come off the press, a work to which she had almost devoted her life.

N o r t h, Marianne

A.Lees-Milne, J.Roy.Hort.Soc. 89 (1964) 231-240. - An interesting account of the life and travels of the famous woman-painter who travelled all over the world for many years and whose works are exhibited in a special gallery at Kew. She was also at Bogor, in Sarawak, Ceylon, Malaya, etc. The genus *Northia* is named after her and she is remembered in various species epithets *northianum*.

**P a r o d i**, Lorenzo R.  
The well-known agrostologist died on 21 April 1966 at Buenos Aires.

**R ü m p h i u s**, G. E.  
A.D.J.Meeuse, Straddling two worlds: A biographical sketch of Georg Everhard Rumphius, Plinius Indicus. The Biologist 47 (1965) 42-54, 3 fig.

**S a n d w i t h**, N. Y. (1901-1965)  
J.P.M.Brenan, Taxon 15 (1966) 245-255, portr., bibliogr.

**S h e r f f**, E. E. (1886-1966)  
Born in Flint, Mich., May 18, 1886, died May 16, 1966, in Hastings, Mich. He was Instructor in Botany Chicago Teachers College, 1923, and Head of the Department of Science there, 1929-1951. Though never visiting the Hawaiian Islands, he revised a large number of genera.  
O. & I. Degener, Hawaiian Newsletter 5 (3) (1966) 32.

**S k o t t s b e r g**, C. J. F. (1880-1963)  
M.L.Sprague, Proc.Linn.Soc.Lond. 175 (1964) 189-190. -  
Skottsberg, one of the great authorities on the flora of the Pacific, was elected a Foreign member of the Linnean Society in 1943.

**S t a u f f e r**, H. U. (1929-1965)  
H.Hürlimann, Adansonia 6 (1966) 23-24.

**S w i n h o e**, R. (1836-1877)  
Y.Takahashi, Biography of Robert Swinhoe 1836-1877. Quart.J. Taiwan Mus. 18 (1965) 335-339, incl. portr. - Swinhoe was educated for the Foreign Service, stayed from 1854 to 1875 in E.China, Hainan, and mainly in Formosa, where he collected animals and plants. He published many zoological papers (not recorded).

**U g g l a**, A. H. (1883-1964)  
Devoted his life to the welfare of the Swedish Linnean Society and to researches on Linnaeus and his times.  
S.Savage, Proc.Linn.Soc.Lond. 175 (1964) 226-228.

**W a s s c h e r**, J.  
Well known for his thesis on "The genus Podocarpus in the Netherlands Indies" (1941). He later wrote up the Nyssaceae for the Flora Malesiana. He became interested in horticulture in which he got an important position in the flower centre of Aalsmeer, Netherlands.

**W i e r i n g a**, W. (1904-1965)  
C.G.G.J.van Steenis, Blumea 13 (1966) 175-176, 1 phot.

**W i l l d e n o w**, C. L.  
Th.Eckardt, Zum Gedenken an den 200. Geburtstag von Carl Ludwig Willdenow. Willdenowia 4/1 (1965) 1-21, 2 phot., biogr. + bibliogr. data.

W o o d s o n Jr, R. E. (1904-1963)

W.H.Lewis, Graduate students of Robert E. Woodson Jr. Ann.Mo. Bot.Gard. 52 (1965) 248-250.

M.E.Mathias, Ann.Mo.Bot.Gard. 52 (1965) 225-228, portr., 2 phot.

L.I.Nevling Jr, A catalogue of the published works of Robert E. Woodson Jr. Ann.Mo.Bot.Gard. 52 (1965) 229-233.