British Bryological Society

President Mrs. Joan Appleyard

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Annual Meeting and Field Excursion

TAVISTOCK, DEVON 30 March to 6 April

Headquarters BEDFORD HOTEL, TAVISTOCK

Local Secretary - Dr. M.C.F. PROCTOR

FIELD DAYS arranged by Mrs. J.A. Paton for CORNWALL and Dr. M.C.F. Proctor for DEVON.

The Annual General Meeting will be held on Saturday 2nd April at 8.30 p.m.

## AGENDA

- 1. Minutes of the last Annual General Meeting.
- 2. Matters arising.
- 3. Reports from Secretary, Treasurer, Editor and other Officers.
- 4. To elect two additional members of the Council.
- 5. To select place and dates of the Annual General Meeting in 1967.
- 6. Other meetings in 1967.
- 7. Any other business.

Members proposing to attend this meeting should inform the local Secretary, Dr. Proctor, at the Hatherly Laboratories, Prince of Wales Road, Exeter. He would like to know in good time, and also if members have spare seats in their cars, and of members requiring a seat.

Maps required: - 0-S. 1 inch 175, 186 and 187.

Excursions are proposed for the WEST OKEMENT valley and BLACK TOR COPSE, YES TOR, if not in military use, South West Dartmoor, and limestone areas towards Plymouth, also, Tors near TAVISTOCK, woods in the DART valley, DENDLES WOOD and HIGHER PILES COPSE. It is hoped to visit LYDFORD GORGE. Two days will be spent in East Cornwall to work under-recorded areas. These will include wooded slopes on western bank of the Tamar, and the Cheesewring - Kilmar Tor area of Bodmin Moor.

A detailed notice will be available to members informing Dr. Proctor that they are attending the meeting.

Summer Meeting in Ireland, 20th August to 3rd September, 1966.

A Field Meeting will be held at CLONMEL, Co. TIPPERARY.

## HOTELS IN CLONMEL (1965 tariffs)

HEARN'S, PARNELL STREET, 273/- per week (recommended as headquarters)

ORMONDE, 15-16 GLADST ONE STREET. 273/- per week

210/- per week COUNTY, 4, UPPER GLADSTONE STREET, ...

315/- per week MINELLA

CLONMEL is within easy reach of the COMERACH, KNOCKMEALDOWN and GALTEE Mountains, and of the BLACKWATER and SUIR river valleys. WATERFORD coast is not too far away.

Members intending to take a car to Ireland should book transport very early. Sailing tickets are usually necessary in August, from Fishguard or Holyhead. For these using public transport from DUBLIN the best procedure is to take the train to THURLES, thence by bus to CLONMEL. From Rosslare by train to WATERFORD, thence by bus. BORD FAILTE EIREANN, BAGGOT STREET, DUBLIN, 2, can supply information on travel facilities.

There will be a paper reading meeting at the University, MANCHESTER, October 22nd and 23rd. Members wishing to read a paper, or show slides, should enquire of Dr. J.H. DICKSON, BOTANY SCHOOL, CAMBRIDGE.

Will members please remember that Mr. R.D. FITZGERALD, IDYLWILD, ST. GEORGES ROAD, HEXHAM is now Treasurer, and lighten his work by sending subscriptions promptly, and ask for a Bankers Order form.

Our member, Mr. E.R.B. LITTLE, 9, TRAFFORD CLOSE, GREAT MISSENDEN, BUCKS, is working on the distribution of bryophytes in V.C.24, and would be glad of any records from the county of Bucks or help with field work.

Our member, Mrs. J. SEIB, HATFIELD COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY, HATFIELD, HERTS, is working on Experimental Taxonomy of SPHAGNA, and would be grateful for living material from the western parts of Britain.

The Secretary is leading a field day on 12th March for the LONDON NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY at BURNHAM BEECHES. B.B.S. members in the London area are welcome to come. Meeting SLOUGH STATION 10.50 a.r.:

## Additions to the LIST OF MEMBERS

ALKER, E., B.Sc., M.I.Biol. 9, GREYSTONES AVENUE, WARD GREEN,

BARNSLEY, YORKS.
COCKING, Mrs. K.M., B.Sc., 4, ASHWOOD CRESCENT, MARPLE STOCKPORT, CHESHIE DENNIS, Rev.N., S.J., F.L.S., 8, PORTSMOUTH STREET, MANCHESTER, 13. DUDA, Dr. J., OPAVA, ZUKALOVA, 3, CZECHO-SLOVAKIA.

PACEY, Miss J.M., B.Sc., 96, ROTTON PARK ROAD, EDGBASTON, BIRMINGHAM, 16. READING UNIVERSITY LIBRARY, WHITEKNIGHTS PARK, READING, BERKS.
ROUGHAN, J.A., FLAT 2, 49, LUTON ROAD, HARPENDEN, HERTS.
SOUTHURN, Miss A.L.D., B.Sc., BOTANY DEPT., ROYAL HOLLOWAY COLLEGE,

ENGLEFIELD GREEN, EGHAM, SURREY.

## CHANGES OF ADDRESS.

P.J. GOODMAN, Ph.D. to 22, PENYGRAIG, ABERYSTWYTH.

J. MILES to THE NATURE CONSERVANCY, 12, HOPE TERRACE, EDINBURGH, 9.

G.A. YARRANTON, Ph.D. to 26, UNDERHILL DRIVE, APT. 1006, DON MILLS, ONTARIO, CANADA.

22nd Jan. 1966.

E.C. WAILACE (Hon. Secretary)