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NOMINATIONS FOR 1964 OFFICERS

The Nominating Committee (D. C. Ferguson, Chairman; R. L. Langston, J. B. Ziegler) presents the following nominees for new terms beginning January 1964:

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The President and Vice Presidents serve one-year terms; the Secretary and Council members serve three-year terms. Ballots will be mailed with dues notices in November.

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Paul R. Ehrlich has resigned as Secretary due to the press of other duties.

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SEASON'S SUMMARY

Please refer to last issue of the NEWS. Report form accompanies present issue. The greater the participation by members in this Society project, the more significance may

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be attached to the data. Although space will not permit publication of reports separately and completely, good, full reports permit the coordinators to provide sound summaries and the details remain available for future reference by those especially interested in the respective zones. Please make every effort to contribute, even if summary conclusions only.

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The Society has for sale separates of the fine paper by H. E. Hammond on preservation of larvae by inflation and heat-drying (Especially for Field Collectors section, Journal, Vol. 14: No. 1). Send 25¢ in coin or stamps to S. A. Hessel, Nettleton Hollow, Washington, Conn. for copy.

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YALE UNIVERSITY DEVELOPMENTS

Douglas C. Ferguson has accepted a full-time staff appointment as Entomologist in the Peabody Museum of Natural History at Yale University. He will curate the collections of insects, particularly Lepidoptera, and is continuing his research on the systematics of North American Lepidoptera, especially the Geometrinae, Dysstroma, and Semiothisa, and his faunal studies of the Lepidoptera of Newfoundland and Nova Scotia.

The Entomology Section has just had a large expansion of its quarters, in the Museum and in an adjoining building, made available due to completion of the first of the laboratories in the new Kline science complex at Yale. In addition to Dr. C. L. Remington as curator and Mr. Ferguson as entomologist, S. A. Hessel and D. B. Stallings are research associates of the Section. At present six graduate students in various stages of work toward the Ph. D. at Yale are making use of the entomological collections.

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Research Notice: Several thousand living Callosamia promethea cocoons needed for massive release-recapture experiments during summer of 1964. Please send notice of how many you can supply, price, and date available. Dr. L. P. Brower, c/o Genetics Lab., University Museum, Oxford, ENGLAND.

Research Notice: The Nebraska members of the Society, Kurt Johnson, O. D. Spencer, and E. A. Froemel, are embarking on a project to prepare a modern annotated list of the Butterflies of Nebraska. We hope that the records and notes of Society members can be an important source of material for this project. Please send all records to: Kurt Johnson, 932 Chadron Avenue, Chadron, Nebraska, U.S.A.

Yosemite Butterflies, by John Garth and J. W. Tilden, is available from The Lepidopterists' Foundation, 1140 W. Orange Grove Ave., Arcadia, California, U.S.A. at \$2.00 U.S.A., postpaid. It includes four colored plates, four black and white plates, other illustrations, and appendices of food plant associations, records of capture and description of localities. This ninety-six page booklet supersedes the older Butterflies of Yosemite, by John Garth, and includes the Yosemite Region from the western foothills to Mono Lake, in addition to Yosemite National Park.

Julian Donohue has generously donated to the Society Library a number of books on Indian butterflies, including Wynter-Blyth's Butterflies of the Indian Region. We thank Mr. Donohue, and hope that others will follow his action.

G. P. Watson, Rochester, N.Y., suggests that collectors write to Doubleday and Co., Inc., Garden City, N.Y., requesting that Holland's Moth Book be reprinted. As members have noted, requests for this book are frequent. It is about the only thing of its kind, even though it is back date in many respects. Better yet would be to try to bring it up to date before issuing it again. A revised edition should sell well for a book of this type. Of course, the cost might be considerable. Members might express themselves. A reprinting might be a possibility if enough lepidopterists were to show interest.

NOTICES

Lepidopterists' Society members may use this section free of charge to advertise their offerings and needs in Lepidoptera. The Editors reserve the right to rewrite notices for clarity or to refuse unsuitable notices. We cannot guarantee any notices, but all are expected to be bona fide.

WANTED: TO BUY COPY OF HOLLAND'S MOTH BOOK. Joe Robinowitz, 903 Hillcrest Drive, Richmond, Texas, U. S. A.

FOR SALE: SPECIAL I-A QUALITY MATERIAL in papers: Argema mittrei, \$12.00 per pair; Agrias sardanapalus, \$4.00 each; Expanded, I-A quality, Brahmaea wallichii, \$5.00 each; ready in November - Apantesis virgo, phalerata and arge, living pupae, mixed, \$3.00 per doz.; also other butterflies, moths, living pupae, eggs and equipment. List 25¢ on request. Butterfly Farm and Museum, East Durham, N. Y., U. S. A.

FOR SALE: ACTIAS SELENE PUPAE, 75¢ each; A. luna pupae, 35¢ each, 3 for \$1.00, \$27.50 per 100. Material guaranteed. Will exchange for Atlas or Hercules pupae. J. G. McKeithan, 2323 Metts Ave., Wilmington, N. C., U. S. A.

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FOR EXCHANGE: Local species of butterflies from Central California, for living ova or pupae of any Passiflora-feeding Heliconius. Carl Braun, 25435 W. Fremont, Los Altos Hills, Calif., U. S. A.

WANTED: LIVING PUPAE OF CECROPIA, POLYPHEMUS, AND CYNTHIA silkmths. Wish to purchase large numbers of these species, as well as other American and exotic Saturniidae. Please write to Dr. D. G. Shappirio, Zoology Department, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich., U.S.A

FOR SALE: NEW GUINEA SPECIES - Papilio weskei, \$1.45; Coscinocera hercules, \$7.75 per pair; Ornithoptera priamus, \$5.00 per pair; BURMA SPECIES: Armandia lidderdali, \$4.95; Teinopalpus imperialis, \$1.95; Ornithoptera cerberus, \$1.00. Thousands of good specimens available

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Membership in the Lepidopterists' Society is open to all persons interested in any aspect of Lepidopterology. Prospective members should send the Treasurer the full dues for the current year (\$6.00 U.S.A.) together with their full address and special lepidopterological interests. Remittances in dollars (U.S.A.) should be made payable to the Lepidopterists' Society.



All members in good standing receive 5 of the Lepidopterists' Society, which is issued eight times a year and which includes the biennial Membership List, and the JOURNAL of the Lepidopterists' Society, which is issued quarterly.

Manuscripts for formal publication in the JOURNAL of the Lepidopterists' Society should be sent to the Editor of the JOURNAL, Dr. C. L. Remington, Dept. of Biology, Yale University, New Haven, Conn., U. S. A.

Information on membership in the Society may be obtained from the Treasurer, George Ehle, 314 Atkins Avenue, Lancaster, Pa., U.S.A. Changes in address should be sent to the Treasurer only. Information on missed issues of the JOURNAL or NEWS may be obtained from the Treasurer. Requests for membership, changes of address, and requests for information on missed issues should not be sent to the Editors of the JOURNAL or the NEWS.

Items for inclusion in the NEWS should be sent directly to the Editor of the NEWS, Dr. J. W. Tilden, 125 Cedar Lane, San Jose 27, Calif., U.S.A.

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