A unit in which the good features of the "Photronic" and "Quick-clix" were combined would be a truly automatic recording device for the magnifications for which these units are designed.

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## PERSONALIA

The death of Society member S. LEMARCHAND, of Paris, in November 1953, at the age of 77 years, has been reported by P. E. L. VIETTE. M. LEMARCHAND was a disciple of JOANNIS (see Lepid. News 3: p. 77) and specialized on the Microlepid-optera of the French fauna. He described several new species of Lithocolletis, Scythris, and Stigmella (= Nepticula) and took a large part in the Lhomme Catalogue des Lépidoptères de France et de Belgique. The collection was given by his family to the Paris Museum; it contains large series of French Microlepidoptera, with 13 LeMarchand types and 1 Meyrick type.

On 7 February 1953, MASAMI WATARI, a lifelong amateur lepidopterist, and a member of The Lepidopterists' Society, died in Tokyo, Japan. He was born there on 5 September 1897. Having finished the law course at the Tokyo Imperial University, he was commissioned to various government posts. Everywhere he was stationed he collected butterflies enthusiastically and named many forms, mostly aberrations.

At least one Hairstreak, from Formosa, was named after him: Strymonidia watarii (MATSUMURA), 1927.

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