

The Vice-County Guide

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INTRODUCTION

This Guide is essentially a revised compilation of the following papers previously published by the Society: 'Local Organisation' (Anon 1967), 'A Guide for Local Flora Writers' (Perring 1964) and 'Local Floras currently available for sale' (Perring 1969). The contents are arranged in vice-county order and include within each the name of the Recorder and, when they are kept, the location of the card index and vouchers for that vice-county. Also included is the name of any Flora which can be bought, with the address to write to and the cost (*including* postage), and a note of any work known to be in progress towards the preparation of a Flora or Check-list. To avoid unnecessary repetition, if the most recent Flora for a county is however no longer available for sale other than second hand, it has been omitted. These may be found in 'A Guide for Local Flora Writers'.

Members of the Society are invited to offer help to any Flora writer whose county they may be interested in. In any case all records thought suitable for publication in Plant Records in *Watsonia* must be sent first to the Recorder. Those which meet the following criteria are likely to be accepted.

1. First vice-county records.
2. Second vice-county records, except for *Hieracium*, *Rubus* and *Taraxacum*.
3. First record in a vice-county since 1930.
4. First record, or the first since 1930, for the major islands in vice-counties 102-104 and 110-112.
5. Any record not included above which nevertheless extends the range of the species by over 50 km.

Records for species which are not native in a particular area will only be published if the plants have established themselves some distance from gardens and similar sources of origin.

When submitting records please check that all the data published in Plant Records are included.

Whenever possible, and when it does not conflict with the Society's *Code of Conduct*, voucher specimens should be sent to the Recorder to support records for publication. Any other records, particularly if they appear to be new to 10 km squares when compared to the *Atlas of the British Flora* (Perring & Walters 1962), should be sent, preferably on Record Cards, either to the Recorder, or to the Biological Records Centre, Monks Wood Experimental Station, Abbots Ripton, Huntingdon, from where supplies of cards can always be obtained.

The Recorders are always willing to answer queries from members about the flora of their areas, though this does not include supplying information about localities for rare plants. Many of them maintain a card index which is generally available to members for consultation.

The compiler accepts full responsibility for any inaccuracies in this Guide and wishes to thank all Recorders who have helped by supplying information about their counties, and Mr B. W. Ribbons, who compiled the data for Scotland, though he suspects that some Recorders are being modest about their achievements. As it is intended to republish the Guide periodically, additions or corrections will always be welcome.

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THE GUIDE

The addresses of the Recorders will be found in the *List of Members and Subscribers* published periodically by the Society. The following abbreviations refer to institutions which are mentioned more than twice in the text (herbaria in bold type).

- ABD** = Dept. of Botany, St Machar Drive, Aberdeen, AB9 2UD.
BEL = Ulster Museum, Stranmillis Road, Belfast, BT9 5AB.
BM = Dept. of Botany, British Museum (Natural History), Cromwell Road, London, S.W.7.
CGE = Botany School, Downing Street, Cambridge.
DBN = National Museum (Botany Dept.), Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin, Co. Dublin.
E = The Herbarium, Royal Botanic Garden, Inverleith Row, Edinburgh, 3.
NMW = Dept. of Botany, National Museum of Wales, Cardiff, CF1 3NP.
OXF = Botany School, South Parks Road, Oxford.
TCD = School of Botany, Trinity College, Dublin, 2.
UNPS = Periodicals Room, University Library, Queen Victoria Road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, NE1 7RU.

The names of the vice-counties (excluding Ireland) have been taken from J. E. Dandy's (1969) *Watsonian Vice-Counties of Great Britain*.

ENGLAND

- S, CHANNEL ISLES.** Jersey: Mrs F. Le Sueur. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: The Museum, Société Jersiaise, 9 Pier Road, Jersey.
 Other Islands: D. McClintock. *Index* (Guernsey): N. Jee, La Houquette, Castel, Guernsey. *Vouchers*: Guille-Allés Library, St Peter Port, Guernsey.
FLORAS: *A Check List of the Flowering Plants and Ferns Wild in Alderney and its Off-Islets*. F. Le Sueur & D. McClintock. 1964. £1.10. *Wild Flowers of Herm.* F. Le Sueur & D. McClintock. 1962. 10p. *A Check List of Flowering Plants and Ferns Wild on Sark and its Off-Islets*. F. Le Sueur & D. McClintock. 1963. 22½p. All obtainable from Guille-Allés Library, St Peter Port, Guernsey.
PRESENT WORK: Mrs Le Sueur and Mr McClintock are collecting data for a Flora on a 1 × 1 km basis.
- 1, WEST CORNWALL.** L. J. Margetts. *Index* and *Vouchers*: home.
FLORAS: *A Natural History of Porthleven*. H. B. Sargent. 1961. A revised and enlarged 2nd edition in typescript has been lodged with Truro Museum. *Wild Flowers in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly*. J. A. Paton. 1968. £1.35. D. Bradford Barton, Ltd, Truro Bookshop, 18 Frances Street, Truro. (Paperback, 65p).
PRESENT WORK: Dr D. E. Coombe and Dr L. C. Frost are mapping the distribution of the plants of the Lizard Peninsula on a 1 × 1 km basis.
- 1b, ISLES OF SCILLY.** J. E. Lousley. *Manuscript* and *Vouchers*: home.
FLORA: *Flowering Plants and Ferns in the Isles of Scilly*. J. E. Lousley. Reprinted with additions, 1970. 20p. The Museum, St Mary's, Isles of Scilly. See also under 1.
PRESENT WORK: Mr Lousley intends to publish a full Flora to replace the above Check-list by early 1972.

- 2, EAST CORNWALL. Mrs E. L. Almond. *Index* and *Vouchers*: home.
FLORA: see under 1.
- 3, SOUTH DEVON. &
- 4, NORTH DEVON. Miss M. A. Turner. *Index* (3 only): home. *Vouchers*: Dept. of Biological Sciences, Hatherly Laboratories, Exeter.
PRESENT WORK: a project has been initiated by the Botanical Section of the Devonshire Association and the Dept. of Biological Sciences to collect data for a new Flora on a tetrad basis.
- 5, SOUTH SOMERSET. A. D. Hallam. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: Somerset County Museum, Taunton Castle, Taunton.
- 6, NORTH SOMERSET. Capt. R. G. B. Roe. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: Somerset County Museum. An index of the flora of the Bristol region is maintained by Professor A. J. Willis at the Dept. of Botany, The University, Sheffield, S10 2TN.
PRESENT WORK: Capt. Roe is collecting data for a new Flora on a tetrad basis.
- 7, NORTH WILTS. L. F. Stearn. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: J. G. Grose.
PRESENT WORK: material is being assembled by Miss W. M. Stevenson for the publication of a supplement to the *Flora of Wiltshire* (J. G. Grose 1956). Wiltshire Plant Notes are published annually in the *Wiltshire Archaeological Magazine*.
- 8, SOUTH WILTS. Miss A. M. Hutchinson. *Index*: home.
PRESENT WORK: see under 7.
- 9, DORSET. Dr H. J. M. Bowen. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: Dorset County Museum, Dorchester.
FLORA: *A Geographical Handbook of the Dorset Flora*. R. d'O. Good. 1948. £1.50. Addenda: No. 1. 1955. 15p. No. 2. 1961. 10p. Dorset County Museum, Dorchester. Prof. Good's unpublished maps of the distribution of Dorset plants are kept by the Nature Conservancy at Furzebrook, Wareham.
- 10, ISLE OF WIGHT, 11, SOUTH HANTS. &
- 12, NORTH HANTS. Mrs I. S. Yule. *Index* and *Vouchers*: home.
PRESENT WORK: the collection of data for a new Flora on a tetrad basis has now been completed. The Flora will be published by Mrs Yule in collaboration with the Hampshire and Isle of Wight Naturalists' Trust.
- 13, WEST SUSSEX. O. Buckle. *Index*: I. M. Frenguelli and P. C. Hall, homes.
FLORA: A. H. Wolley-Dod. 1937. Reprint 1970. £5.25. John Roberts Bookshop, 43 Triangle West, Bristol, BS8 1ES.
PRESENT WORK: Mrs M. Briggs is secretary of a committee sponsored by the Sussex Naturalists' Trust which is collecting data for a new Flora on a tetrad basis.
- 14, EAST SUSSEX. P. C. Hall. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: BM.
FLORA and PRESENT WORK: see under 13.
- 15, EAST KENT &
- 16, WEST KENT. E. Philp, Maidstone Corporation Museum. *Index* and *Vouchers*: Maidstone Museum.
FLORA: (London area only) *A Handlist of the Plants of the London Area*. D. H. Kent & J. E. Lousley. 1951-7. 57½p. Mrs L. M. P. Small, 13 Woodfield Crescent, London, W.5.
PRESENT WORK: Dr F. Rose has completed the collection of data for a new Flora; Mr Philp, with the Kent Field Club, is organising the gathering of records for an Atlas of the distribution of Kent plants on a tetrad basis; the Botanical Section of the Thanet Natural History Society has prepared data for a Flora of the Isle of Thanet on a tetrad basis; the Botanical Section of the London Natural History Society is collecting data on a tetrad basis for that part of v.c. 16 which lies within 20 miles of St Paul's Cathedral.

- 17, SURREY. Dr D. P. Young. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: home and South London Botanical Institute, 323 Upper Norwood Road, London, S.E.24.
FLORA: (London area only) see under 16.
PRESENT WORK: collection of data for a new Flora on a tetrad basis has been completed by the Surrey Flora Committee of which the editor and recorder is Dr Young. The work should be published early in the 1970's.
- 18, SOUTH ESSEX &
- 19, NORTH ESSEX. S. T. Jermyn. *Index* and *Vouchers*: home.
FLORA: (London area only) see under 16.
PRESENT WORK: collection of data for a new Flora on a 10 × 10 km and parish basis has been completed by Mr Jermyn. The work should be published early in the 1970's.
- 20, HERTS. Dr J. G. Dony. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: Hitchin Museum & Art Gallery, Paynes Park, Hitchin.
FLORA: J. G. Dony, 1967. £2.10. Hitchin Museum.
PRESENT WORK: Dr Dony maintains an annotated copy of the *Flora* with amendments and additions. Yearly report in *Transactions of the Hertfordshire Natural History Society*.
- 21, MIDDLESEX. D. H. Kent. *Vouchers*: BM.
FLORA: (London area only) see under 16.
PRESENT WORK: Mr Kent has prepared an MS. which will be published by the Ray Society during 1971.
- 22, BERKS. Dr H. J. M. Bowen. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: Reading Museum, Blagrove Street, Reading and OXF.
FLORA: H. J. M. Bowen, 1968. £2.25. 20 Winchester Road, Oxford.
- 23, OXFORD. A. R. Perry. *Index* and *Vouchers*: OXF.
PRESENT WORK: a group including Mr A. R. Perry and Dr S. R. J. Woodell is collecting data for a new Flora on a tetrad basis.
- 24, BUCKS. P. R. Knipe. *Index*: home.
FLORA: (London area only) see under 16.
PRESENT WORK: Mr Knipe is co-ordinating the collection of data for a new Flora on a tetrad basis.
- 25, EAST SUFFOLK, &
- 26, WEST SUFFOLK. F. W. Simpson. *Index* and *Vouchers*: County Borough Museum, High Street, Ipswich.
PRESENT WORK: Mr Simpson, assisted by Mr W. E. Lewis, is preparing the MS. of a new Flora of the county. Mr P. J. O. Trist is chairman of a committee which is collecting data for a Flora of Breckland on a 1 × 1 km basis.
- 27, EAST NORFOLK. E. A. Ellis. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: home and Castle Museum, Norwich.
FLORA: *Flora of Norfolk*. C. P. Petch & E. L. Swann, 1968. £2.25. Jarrold & Sons Ltd, Norwich.
- 28, WEST NORFOLK. E. L. Swann. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: home and Castle Museum, Norwich.
FLORA: 'West Norfolk Plants Today'. C. P. Petch & E. L. Swann, 1962. *Supplement Proc. bot. Soc. Br. Isl.*, 4, 60p. E. W. Classey Ltd, 353 Hanworth Road, Hampton, Middlesex. See also under 27.
PRESENT WORK: Mr P. J. O. Trist is chairman of a committee which is collecting data for a Flora of Breckland on a 1 × 1 km basis.
- 29, CAMBRIDGE. Dr F. H. Perring. *Index*: home and CGE. *Vouchers*: CGE.
FLORA: F. H. Perring *et alia*, 1964. £1.87½. Cambridge University Press, 200 Euston Road, London, N.W.1.

- PRESENT WORK: a group led by Dr Perring and Dr S. M. Walters will begin collecting data on a tetrad basis in 1971. An annotated copy of the *Flora* is maintained by Mr P. D. Sell. Yearly report in *Nature in Cambridgeshire*.
- 30, BEDFORD. Dr J. G. Dony. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: Luton Museum, Wardown Park, Luton.
 FLORAS: J. G. Dony. 1953. £2.10. Luton Museum. Additional Notes on the Flora of Bedfordshire, *Proc. bot. Soc. Brit. Isl.*, 7: 523-535 (1969).
 PRESENT WORK: Dr Dony is co-ordinating the collection of data on a tetrad basis. Yearly report in *Bedfordshire Naturalist*.
- 31, HUNTS. T. C. E. Wells. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: Monks Wood Experimental Station, Abbots Ripton, Huntingdon.
 FLORAS: J. L. Gilbert. 1965. 37½p. Peterborough Museum.
Flora of Oundle (15 mile radius of Oundle). J. Rees. 1969. 57½ p. Biology Dept., Oundle School, Peterborough.
 PRESENT WORK: Mr Wells is collecting data for a new Flora on a tetrad basis.
- 32, NORTHAMPTON. Mrs G. M. Gent. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: Kettering Natural History Society's Clubrooms, 183a Rockingham Road, Kettering.
 FLORA: (15 mile radius of Oundle) see under 31.
 PRESENT WORK: Mrs Gent is collecting data for a new Flora on a 5 × 5 km basis. Mrs P. Rixon is collecting data for the Soke of Peterborough on a tetrad basis.
- 33, EAST GLOUCESTER. Mrs S. C. Holland. *Index* and *Vouchers*: North Gloucestershire Naturalists' Society.
 PRESENT WORK: Mrs S. C. Holland and the North Gloucestershire Naturalists' Society are collecting data on a tetrad basis.
- 34, WEST GLOUCESTER. West of R. Severn: Mrs S. C. Holland. *Index* and *Vouchers*: see under 33.
 East of R. Severn: Prof. A. J. Willis. *Index*: Dept. of Botany, The University, Sheffield, S10 2TN. *Vouchers*: Dept. of Botany, The University, Bristol, 8.
- 36, HEREFORD. Mrs L. E. Whitehead. *Index*: home.
 PRESENT WORK: Mrs Whitehead has completed the MS. for a new Flora.
- 37, WORCESTER. F. Fincher. *Index* and *Vouchers*: home.
 PRESENT WORK: Mr Fincher is collecting information for a new Check-list.
- 38, WARWICK. Dr S. M. Coles. *Index* and *Vouchers*: Dept. of Botany, The University, Birmingham, B15 2TT.
 FLORA: *Check lists of the Vascular Plants and Bryophytes of Warwickshire*. R. C. Readett, J. G. Hawkes, D. A. Cadbury. 1965. 75p. Birmingham Natural History Society, The Midland Institute, Birmingham, 1.
 PRESENT WORK: a new Flora, prepared by Mr Readett, Prof. Hawkes and Miss Cadbury will be published by Academic Press in 1971.
- 39, STAFFORD. E. S. Edees. *Index* and *Vouchers*: home.
 PRESENT WORK: since 1941 Mr Edees has been collecting data for a new Flora on a tetrad basis. A MS. has been completed which he hopes to publish early in the 1970's.
- 40, SALOP. C. A. Sinker. *Index*: Preston Montford Field Centre, Montford Bridge, Shrewsbury, SY4 1DX.
 FLORAS: *Handlist of the Shropshire Flora*. L. C. Lloyd and E. M. Rutter. 1957. 50p. *Transactions of the Caradoc and Severn Valley Field Club*, 16, 1961-67 (numerous additions). 50p. Both obtainable from Mr W. T. Lewis, Berries Mount, Hazler Road, Church Stretton.
- 53, SOUTH LINCOLN. &
- 54, NORTH LINCOLN. Miss E. J. Gibbons. *Index* and *Vouchers*: home.

- FLORA: *Checklist of Lincolnshire Plants*. Rev. E. A. Woodruffe-Peacock. 1909. With additional map showing Botanical Divisions. £1.00 Public Library, Lincoln.
PRESENT WORK: Miss Gibbons has been collecting data for a Flora which will be published early in the 1970's.
- 55, LEICESTER. Rev. A. L. Primavesi. *Index*: Ratcliffe College, Syston, Leicester. *Vouchers*: City Museum and Art Gallery, New Walk, Leicester.
PRESENT WORK: a Leicestershire Flora Committee has begun collecting data on a tetrad basis. The chairman is Mr I. M. Evans of the Museum, and the secretary is the Rev. A. L. Primavesi.
- 55b, RUTLAND. K. G. Messenger. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: Uppingham School.
FLORA: (15 mile radius of Oundle) see under 31.
PRESENT WORK: Mr J. H. Chandler and Mr Messenger have been collecting data since 1953 for a Flora on a tetrad basis which will be published by the City Museum and Art Gallery, New Walk, Leicester in 1971. £2.00.
- 56, NOTTS. R. C. L. Howitt.
FLORA: R. C. L. & B. Howitt. 1963. £1.50. R. C. L. Howitt, Farndon, Newark.
- 57, DERBY. Miss K. M. Hollick. *Index* and *Vouchers*: The Museum and Art Gallery, The Strand, Derby.
FLORAS: A. R. Clapham, ed. 1969. £2.25. The Museum and Art Gallery, Derby.
Natural History of Derbyshire (with a section on plants). 1971. 30p. The Museum and Art Gallery, Derby.
- 58, CHESTER. A. Newton. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: home or Grosvenor Museum, Chester.
FLORA: A. Newton. 1971. £2.95. The General Secretary, Cheshire Community Council, Watergate House, Watergate Street, Chester, CH1 2LW.
- 59, SOUTH LANCASTER. Miss V. Gordon. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: City of Liverpool Museums, William Brown Street, Liverpool, L3 8EN.
FLORA: *Travis's Flora of South Lancashire*. J. P. Savidge *et alia*. 1963. £1.65. Miss V. Gordon, 23 Alder Grove, Waterloo, Liverpool, 22.
- 60, WEST LANCASTER. E. F. Greenwood. *Index* and *Vouchers*: City of Liverpool Museums, William Brown Street, Liverpool, L3 8EN.
PRESENT WORK: Mr Greenwood is co-ordinating the collection of data for a new Flora on a tetrad basis.
- 61, SOUTH-EAST YORK. Miss F. E. Crackles. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: home and Dept. of Botany, The University, Hull.
PRESENT WORK: Miss Crackles is collecting data for a new Flora of the East Riding on a tetrad basis.
- 62, NORTH-EAST YORK. Miss C. M. Rob. *Index*: home.
- 63, SOUTH-WEST YORK. &
- 64, MID-WEST YORK. Dr W. A. Sledge. *Vouchers*: Dept. of Botany, The University, Leeds.
PRESENT WORK: Mr D. R. Grant and Mr T. Schofield are collecting data for a Check-list of the West Riding.
- 65, NORTH-WEST YORK. Miss C. M. Rob. *Index*: home.
- 66, DURHAM. Rev. G. G. Graham. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: home and, eventually, Museum and Art Gallery, Sunderland.
PRESENT WORK: Mr Graham is co-ordinating the collection of data for a new Flora on a random 1 × 1 km basis.
- 67, NORTHUMBERLAND SOUTH &
- 68, CHEVIOTLAND. Dr G. A. Swan. *Index* and *Vouchers*: home.

PRESENT WORK: Dr and Mrs Swan have made an exhaustive survey of the county and are preparing maps of some species on a 5 × 5 km basis.

- 69, WESTMORLAND (& N. LANCASHIRE). Mrs F. L. Woodman. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: Brathay Hall Field Study Centre, Ambleside, Westmorland.
- 70, CUMBERLAND. Miss C. W. Muirhead.
PRESENT WORK: Dr D. A. Ratcliffe is collecting data for a new Flora.
- 71, ISLE OF MAN. D. E. Allen. *Register*: home. *Vouchers*: The Manx Museum, Douglas.
FLORA: *The Flowering Plants and Ferns of the Isle of Man*. D. E. Allen. 1970. 30p. Manx Museum, Douglas.
PRESENT WORK: Mr Allen has a larger Flora of the island in an advanced state of preparation.

WALES

- 35, MONMOUTH. R. G. Ellis, National Museum of Wales, Cardiff. *Index* and *Vouchers*: NMW.
FLORA: A. E. Wade. Published by the National Museum in 1971. £2.40.
- 41, GLAMORGAN. R. G. Ellis, National Museum of Wales, Cardiff. *Index* and *Vouchers*: NMW.
PRESENT WORK: a Flora committee under Mr R. G. Ellis and Dr Q. O. N. Kay has begun collecting data on a 5 × 5 km basis for a new Flora under the auspices of the Cardiff Naturalists' Society.
- 42, BRECON. M. Porter. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: NMW.
PRESENT WORK: Mr Porter began collecting records on a 5 × 5 km basis for the County Naturalists' Trust in 1968, and intends to prepare a Flora.
- 43, RADNOR. Miss A. C. Powell. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: home and NMW.
PRESENT WORK: Dr J. P. Savidge intends to publish a Check-list in about 1972.
- 44, CARMARTHEN. Mrs H. R. H. Vaughan. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: NMW.
FLORA: *A list of the Flowering Plants and Ferns of Carmarthenshire*. R. F. May. 1968. 55p. West Wales Naturalists' Trust, 4 Victoria Place, Haverfordwest, Pembrokeshire.
- 45, PEMBROKE. T. A. W. Davis. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: NMW.
FLORA: *Plants of Pembrokeshire*. T. A. W. Davis. 1970. 55p. West Wales Naturalists' Trust, 4 Victoria Place, Haverfordwest.
PRESENT WORK: Mr Davis is collecting data for a full Flora on a 5 × 5 km basis.
- 46, CARDIGAN. Dr J. P. Savidge.
FLORA: *A Supplement to the Flowering Plants and Ferns of Cardiganshire*. A. E. Wade. 1952. 20p. University of Wales Press, Cathays Park, Cardiff.
PRESENT WORK: Dr Savidge intends to publish a Check-list in about 1972.
- 47, MONTGOMERY. Miss V. J. MacNair. *Index* and *Vouchers*: home.
PRESENT WORK: Dr J. P. Savidge intends to publish a Check-list in about 1972.
- 48, MERIONETH. P. M. Benoit. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: NMW.
PRESENT WORK: Mr Benoit hopes to produce a new Flora in due course.
- 49, CAERNARVON. M. Morris.
PRESENT WORK: the collection of data for a new Flora (with Anglesey) on a tetrad basis began in the early 1960's, at the Dept. of Botany, University College of N. Wales, Bangor.
- 50, DENBIGH. J. M. Brummitt. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: NMW.

- 51, FLINT. G. Wynne. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: Cartrefle College of Education, Wrexham, Denbighshire.
- 52, ANGLESEY. R. H. Roberts. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: NMW.
PRESENT WORK: see under 49.

SCOTLAND

- 72, DUMFRIES., 73, KIRKCUDBRIGHT. &
- 74, WIGTOWN. Dr H. Milne-Redhead. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: home and Dumfries Borough Museum, The Observatory, Corberry Hill, Dumfries, CGE and E.
- 75, AYR. R. Mackechnie.
FLORA: *The Flora of the Clyde Area*. J. R. Lee. 1933. 57½p. John Smith & Son (Glasgow) Ltd, 57-61 St Vincent Street, Glasgow, C.2.
- 76, RENFREW. R. Mackechnie.
FLORA: see under 75.
PRESENT WORK: Mr B. W. Ribbons has been co-ordinating the collection of data for a Check-list which should be published early in the 1970's.
- 77, LANARK. R. Mackechnie.
FLORA: see under 75.
- 78, PEEBLES. D. J. McCosh, 13 Cottesmore Gardens, London, W.8. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: E.
PRESENT WORK: Mr McCosh is collecting data on a 5 × 5 km basis and intends to publish a Check-list.
- 79, SELKIRK. &
- 80, ROXBURGH. Dr R. W. M. Corner, 36 Wordsworth Street, Penrith, Cumberland.
Index and *Vouchers*: home.
PRESENT WORK: Dr Corner has begun to collect data for a Flora.
- 81, BERWICK. A. G. Long. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: Hancock Museum, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, NE2 4PT.
PRESENT WORK: Mr Long is co-ordinating the collection of data for a Flora which will include Bryophytes.
- 82, HADDINGTON, 83, EDINBURGH. &
- 84, LINLITHGOW. Miss E. P. Beattie. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: E.
FLORA: *A Field Club Flora of the Lothians*. I. H. Martin. 1934. 25p. Miss N. Henderson, 11 St Fillans Terrace, Edinburgh, 10.
PRESENT WORK: Miss Beattie is collecting data for a new Flora of the Lothians on a 5 × 5 km basis.
- 85, FIFE. G. H. Ballantyne. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: E.
FLORA: *A List of the Flowering Plants and Ferns recorded from Fife and Kinross*. W. Young. 1936. 50p. A. D. Lilly, Charenton, Cliff Road, Hythe, Kent. *Checklist of Flowering Plants of Kirkcaldy and District*. G. H. Ballantyne. 1970. 42½p.
PRESENT WORK: Mr Ballantyne is collecting data for a new Flora on a 5 × 5 km basis.
- 86, STIRLING. B. W. Ribbons.
FLORA: *The Flora of the Clyde Area* (see under 75) covers a small part of the west of the county.
- 87, WEST PERTH., 88, MID PERTH. &
- 89, EAST PERTH. A. W. Robson. *Index* and *Vouchers*: City Art Gallery and Museum, Perth. (Enquiries through Mr Robson.)
PRESENT WORK: Mr Robson is co-ordinating the collection of data for a Flora on a 5 × 5 km basis.

- 90, FORFAR. Miss U. K. Duncan. *Index* and *Vouchers*: home.
PRESENT WORK: no decision has yet been made as to the preparation of a Flora based on an MS. produced many years ago by Mr and Mrs R. H. Corstorphine.
- 91, KINCARDINE. Mrs A. H. Sommerville. *Index* and *Vouchers*: ABD.
PRESENT WORK: Mrs Sommerville is collecting data with a view to publishing a Flora.
- 92, SOUTH ABERDEEN. &
- 93, NORTH ABERDEEN. Professor C. H. Gimingham. *Vouchers*: ABD.
- 94, BANFF. Miss M. McCallum Webster. *Vouchers*: ABD and E.
- 95, ELGIN. Miss M. McCallum Webster. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: ABD and E.
FLORA: *A Check List of the Flora of the Culbin State Forest*. M. McCallum Webster. 1968. 30p. Miss M. McCallum Webster, Rose Cottage, Dyke, By Forbes, Moray.
PRESENT WORK: Miss McCallum Webster is collecting data for a Flora (with Nairn).
- 96, EASTERNNESS. Position vacant. *Index*: Miss M. McCallum Webster, home. *Vouchers*: E.
PRESENT WORK: the Committee for the Study of the Scottish Flora is co-ordinating the collection of data for a Flora of Easternness and Westernness, excluding the portion in Argyllshire, on a 5 × 5 km basis. Miss McCallum Webster has already covered most of Easternness in detail.
- 96b NAIRN. Miss M. McCallum Webster. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: ABD and E.
PRESENT WORK: see under 95.
- 97, WESTERNNESS. A. A. Slack.
PRESENT WORK: see under 96 and 98.
- 98, MAIN ARGYLL. Mrs E. J. Montgomery.
PRESENT WORK: Prof. MacLeay has been collecting data with the intention of publishing a Flora of the whole of the political county of Argyllshire.
- 99, DUNBARTON. A. McG. Stirling. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: E.
FLORA: *Flora of Helensburgh*. R. R. Mill. 1967. 32½p. Macneur & Bryden Ltd, Helensburgh. See also under 75.
PRESENT WORK: Mr Stirling is collecting data for a Flora on a 5 × 5 km basis.
- 100, CLYDE ISLES. Mrs A. H. Sommerville. *Index* and *Vouchers*: ABD.
FLORA: see under 75.
PRESENT WORK: Mrs Sommerville is collecting data with a view to publishing a Flora.
- 101, KINTYRE. A. G. Kenneth. *Vouchers*: CGE and E.
FLORA: 'Flora of Danna'. A. G. Kenneth. 1964. In *Trans. Proc. bot. Soc. Edinb.*, 39 (5). £1.00. A. D. Lilly, Charenton, Cliff Road, Hythe, Kent.
PRESENT WORK: Mr Kenneth, in collaboration with Miss M. H. Cunningham, is preparing a Check-list. See also under 98.
- 102, SOUTH EBUDES. Miss C. W. Muirhead. *Index* and *Vouchers*: E.
FLORAS: 'Flora of Islay and Jura.' J. K. Morton. 1959. *Supplement Proc. bot. Soc. Br. Isl.*, 3. 35p. E. W. Classey Ltd, 353 Hanworth Road, Hampton, Middlesex. 'The Flora of Easdale and the Garvellochs.' C. W. Muirhead. 1962. In *Trans. Proc. bot. Soc. Edinb.*, 39 (3). £1. A. D. Lilly, Charenton, Cliff Road, Hythe, Kent.
PRESENT WORK: Miss Muirhead is preparing a Flora of Colonsay and Oronsay which will include Bryophytes and Marine Algae. See also under 98.
- 103, MID EBUDES. Mull and adjacent small islands: J. F. M. Cannon. *Index* and *Vouchers*: BM.
Coll and Tiree: Miss C. W. Muirhead. *Vouchers*: E.

- FLORAS: 'Flora of the Isles of Coll, Tiree and Gunna.' J. W. Heslop Harrison *et alia*. 1941. In *Proc. Univ. Durham Phil. Soc.*, **10** (4). 25p. UNPS.
- PRESENT WORK: the Dept. of Botany, British Museum (Natural History) is collecting data for a Flora of Mull which will include all groups of plants. See also under 98.
- 104, NORTH EBULES** (except Rhum): Mrs C. W. Murray. *Index* and *Vouchers*: home. Rhum: Dr W. J. Eggeling.
- FLORAS: 'List of the Plants of Rhum.' W. J. Eggeling. 1965. In *Trans. Proc. bot. Soc. Edinb.*, **40** (1). £1.00. A. D. Lilly, Charenton, Cliff Road, Hythe, Kent. 'The natural history of the Isle of Raasay and of the adjoining islands of South Rona, Scalpay, Fladday and Longay.' J. W. Heslop Harrison. 1937. In *Proc. Univ. Durham Phil. Soc.*, **9** (5). 25p. UNPS. 'The Flora of the Islands of Rhum, Eigg, Canna, Sanday, Muck, Eilean nan Each, Hyskeir, Soay and Pabbay.' J. W. Heslop Harrison. 1939. In *Proc. Univ. Durham Phil. Soc.*, **10** (2). 25p. UNPS.
- PRESENT WORK: Mrs Murray is collecting data for a Flora of Skye and Raasay on a 10 × 10 km basis.
- 105, WEST ROSS.** D. M. Henderson. *Vouchers*: E.
- FLORA: 'Observations on the flora around Reiff, Rhu More, Wester Ross, 1953.' D. Morgan. 1956. In *Proc. Univ. Durham Phil. Soc.*, **12** (13). 12½p. UNPS.
- 106, EAST ROSS.** Miss U. K. Duncan. *Index* and *Vouchers*: home and E.
- PRESENT WORK: Miss Duncan is collecting data on a 10 × 10 km basis and hopes to publish a Flora by the end of 1972.
- 107, EAST SUTHERLAND &**
- 108, WEST SUTHERLAND.** J. Anthony, 120 Trinity Road, Edinburgh, 5. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: E.
- PRESENT WORK: Mr Anthony has been collecting data for a Flora for over 10 years on a 10 × 10 km and parish basis. It should be published in 1971.
- 109, CAITHNESS.** J. M. Gunn.
- 110, OUTER HEBRIDES.** Miss M. S. Campbell. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: BM.
- FLORAS: *The Flora of Uig*. M. S. Campbell. 1945. 55p. T. Buncle & Co. Ltd, Market Place, Arbroath. The following from *Proc. Univ. Durham Phil. Soc.* are available at UNPS: 'Noteworthy plants from North Uist, Baleshare, Monach Islands, Harris, Taransay, Mingulay and Berneray.' W. A. Clark. 1939. **10** (2). 25p. 'Noteworthy plants from Great and Little Bernera (Lewis), Pabbay and Bernara (Harris), and the Uig District of Lewis.' W. A. Clark & J. Heslop Harrison. 1940. **10** (3). 25p. 'A preliminary Flora of the Outer Hebrides.' J. W. Heslop Harrison. 1941. **10** (4). 25p. 'The vascular plants of Stuley Island, the Isles of Grimsay and Ronay.' J. W. & J. Heslop Harrison. 1950. **10** (7). 25p. 'Observations on the Flora of the Isle of Lewis, Isle of Harris and the Shiant Isles in 1952.' J. W. Heslop Harrison. 1951. **11** (6). 12½p. 'Botanical investigations in the Isles of Lewis, Harris, Taransay, Coppay and Shillay in 1953.' J. W. Heslop Harrison. 1954. **11** (12). 12½p. 'Botanizing in the Outer Hebrides in 1955 and 1956.' J. W. Heslop Harrison. 1956. **12** (14). 12½p.
- PRESENT WORK: Miss Campbell is collecting data for a Flora.
- 111, ORKNEY.** Miss E. R. Bullard. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: E.
- FLORAS: a Check-list prepared by Miss Bullard is being published in parts as a Supplement to the Orkney Field Club Bulletin.
- PRESENT WORK: Miss Bullard is collecting data for an Ecological Flora.
- 112, ZETLAND.** W. Scott. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: home, OXF and Zetland County Museum, Lerwick.
- FLORA: *A Check-list of the Flowering Plants and Ferns of the Shetland Islands*. R. C. Palmer & W. Scott. 1969. 42p. W. Scott, Easterhoull, Scalloway.
- PRESENT WORK: Mr Palmer and Mr Scott are collecting data for a new Flora on a parish and 10 × 10 km basis which will be completed about 1975.

IRELAND

- H1**, SOUTH KERRY &
H2, NORTH KERRY. Prof. D. A. Webb.
PRESENT WORK: Mr B. Goggin and Mr M. Long are collecting data for a supplement to the *Flora*.
- H3**, WEST CORK, **H4**, MID CORK &
H5 EAST CORK. Miss M. P. S. Scannell. *Vouchers*: **DBN**.
- H6**, WATERFORD. Dr I. K. Ferguson. *Index*: Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew. *Vouchers*: **BM**, **DBN** or **TCD**.
FLORA: Notes on the Flora of Co. Waterford. I. K. Ferguson. 1968. *Irish Nat. J.*, **16**: 176-177. 5p. I. K. Ferguson, Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew.
- H7**, SOUTH TIPPERARY. Prof. D. A. Webb.
- H8**, LIMERICK. Prof. D. A. Webb.
- H9**, CLARE. Prof. D. A. Webb. *Vouchers*: **TCD**.
PRESENT WORK: see under **H16**.
- H10**, NORTH TIPPERARY. R. McMullen. *Index*: St Columba's College, Rathfarnham, Dublin, 14. *Vouchers*: **DBN**.
PRESENT WORK: Mr McMullen is collecting data for a Flora on a 10 x 10 km basis.
- H11**, KILKENNY. Prof. D. A. Webb.
- H12**, WEXFORD. Dr A. M. O'Sullivan. *Index* and *Vouchers*: Agricultural Institute, Johnstown Castle, Wexford.
PRESENT WORK: Dr O'Sullivan is collecting data on the botanical composition of the grasslands and heaths.
- H13**, CARLOW. Miss E. M. Booth. *Index*: home. *Vouchers*: **DBN**.
PRESENT WORK: Miss Booth has collected data which would be the basis for a Checklist of the flora. Dr A. M. O'Sullivan has carried out a survey of the grasslands, heaths and bogs, which is to be published.
- H14**, LEIX. Prof. D. A. Webb.
- H15**, SOUTH-EAST GALWAY. Dr M. E. Mitchell. *Vouchers*: Dept. of Botany, University College, Galway.
PRESENT WORK: see under **H16**.
- H16**, WEST GALWAY. Prof. D. A. Webb. *Index* and *Vouchers*: **TCD**.
PRESENT WORK: the whole of **H16**, parts of **H15** and **H17**, and the north of **H9** will be covered by a Flora of the Galway Region being prepared by Prof. Webb for publication about 1973.
- H17**, NORTH-EAST GALWAY. Dr M. E. Mitchell. *Vouchers*: Dept. of Botany, University College, Galway.
PRESENT WORK: see under **H16**.
- H18**, OFFALY. Dr J. G. D. Lamb. *Index*: The Agricultural Institute, Horticulture & Forestry Division, Kinsealy, Malahide Road, Dublin, 5.
- H19**, KILDARE. D. Doogue. *Index*: 12 Glasilawn Road, Dublin, 11. *Vouchers*: **DBN**.
- H20**, WICKLOW. H. J. Hudson.
FLORA: J. P. Brunker. 1951. £1.35. Enquires about purchase to H. J. Hudson.
- H21**, DUBLIN. H. J. Hudson.
FLORA: *A Supplement to Colgan's Flora of the County Dublin*. 1961. 37½p. Government Publications Sales Office, G.P.O. Arcade, Dublin.

- H22, MEATH.** D. Synnott. *Index and Vouchers: DBN.*
PRESENT WORK: Mr Synnott, in collaboration with the Dublin Naturalists' Field Club, is collecting data for a Flora which it is hoped will be published in the 1970s.
- H23, WEST MEATH &**
- H24, LONGFORD.** Prof. D. A. Webb.
- H25, ROSCOMMON.** Dr M. E. Mitchell. *Index and Vouchers:* Dept. of Botany, University College, Galway.
PRESENT WORK: Dr Mitchell is co-ordinating the collection of data for a Flora.
- H26, EAST MAYO &**
- H27, WEST MAYO.** Position vacant.
- H28, SLIGO &**
- H29, LEITRIM.** Prof. D. A. Webb.
- H30, CAVAN.** R. C. Faris.
- H31, LOUTH.** D. Synnott. *Index and Vouchers: DBN.*
FLORA: *Wild Flowers of County Louth.* D. Synnott. 1970. 10p. Clarks (Ireland) Ltd, Shoemakers, Dundalk.
- H32, MONAGHAN.** Fr J. J. Moore. *Index: DBN.*
PRESENT WORK: Miss M. P. H. Kertland and Mr D. Synnott have begun collecting data for a Flora.
- H33, FERMANAGH.** R. D. Meikle. *Index and Vouchers:* Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew.
PRESENT WORK: for over 20 years Mr Meikle has been collecting data for a Flora; a MS. has already been prepared.
- H34, EAST DONEGAL.** Miss M. N. Hamilton.
- H35, WEST DONEGAL.** Prof. D. A. Webb.
- H36, TYRONE.** Miss M. P. H. Kertland. *Vouchers: BEL.*
FLORA: a MS. of work started by the Tyrone Field Club about 1920 was added to and typed in 1956. It can be consulted at the Science Library, Queen's University, Belfast, 9.
- H37, ARMAGH.** Miss Dawson, The County Library, The Mall, Armagh. *Index:* Science Library, Queen's University, Belfast, 9. *Vouchers: BEL.*
FLORA: *A preliminary report on the survey of County Armagh Flora; 1965-1967.* 27½p. The Librarian, Science Library, Queen's University, Belfast, 9.
PRESENT WORK: the Botanical Section of the Belfast Naturalists' Field Club is organizing the collection of data for a Flora on a 5 × 5 km basis.
- H38, DOWN.** P. Hackney. *Index and Vouchers: BEL.*
FLORA: *A Flora of the North-east of Ireland.* Ed. 2. R. L. Praeger & W. R. Megaw. 1938. £1.10. The Hon. Secretary, Belfast Naturalists' Field Club, Old Museum, 7 College Square North, Belfast, 1.
PRESENT WORK: the Botanical Section of the Belfast Naturalists' Field Club is preparing a supplement to the *Flora* as a first step towards a new edition in 1988.
- H39, ANTRIM.** Miss G. E. Drennan. *Index:* home. *Vouchers: BEL.*
FLORA and PRESENT WORK: see under H38.
- H40, DERRY.** C. R. Nodder, Coastguard Cottage, Ballintoy, Ballycastle, Co. Antrim.
FLORA: *Preliminary Survey of the Magilligan Area.* Route Field Club. 1967. 50p. J. Donaldson, Black Rock Cottage, Runkerry, Bushmills, Co. Antrim. See also under H38.
PRESENT WORK: see under H38.

PRIORITIES FOR WORK ON LOCAL (COUNTY) FLORAS

Using the above Guide as a basis, an attempt has been made to place each vice-county into one of five arbitrary categories from the highest to the lowest priority for the publication of a new Flora or Supplement. The categories are as follows:

- I No Flora has ever been published.
- II The Flora published is either incomplete, lacking localities and/or some species, or was published before 1850.
- III The last Flora (or Supplement) was published between 1850 and 1900.
- IV The last Flora (or Supplement) was published between 1900 and 1950.
- V The last Flora (or Supplement) has been published since 1950.

A vice-county has been placed in a priority category one higher if its last Flora (or Supplement) was deficient in some other way. The numbers of vice-counties in which active work towards a Flora, Supplement or Check-list is in progress are shown in bold.

- I **42, 43, 47, 79, 86, 96, 96b, 97, 98, 101, 106, 107, 108, H6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 18, 19, 22, 23, 24, 30, 31, 32, 36**
- II **53, 54, 76, 77, 78, 80, 81, 90, 91, 92, 99, 100, 103, 104, 109, H8, 9, 15, 16, 17, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 33**
- III **15, 16, 18, 19, 21, 25, 26, 36, 39, 49, 50, 51, 52, 58, 66, 67, 68, 69b, 70, 72, 73, 74, 75, 87, 88, 89, 110, H3, 4, 5, 34, 35**
- IV **S, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 17, 23, 24, 31, 32, 33, 34, 37, 41, 55, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 69, 82, 83, 84, 85, 93, 94, 95, 102, 105, 111, H1, 2, 37, 38, 39, 40**
- V **1b, 7, 8, 20, 22, 27, 28, 29, 30, 35, 38, 40, 44, 45, 46, 48, 56, 57, 59, 71, 112, H20, 21**

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