

subtus petiolisque ramulisque inflorescentiisque parce puberulis.

This form differs from the typical form of the species in having its lower leaf-surfaces, petioles, branchlets, and inflorescences merely finely puberulous.

The type of the form was collected by Hubert Winkler (no. 2433) -- in whose honor it is named -- in southeastern Borneo on June 13, 1908, and is sheet no. 25401 in the Herbarium Bogorensis at Buitenzorg.

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#### DR. GLEASON RETIRES

It is with deep regret that we announce the retirement of Dr. Henry A. Gleason as co-editor of PHYTOLOGIA. It was Dr. Gleason who, in the autumn of 1933, when all the leading botanical journals of the country were not only many months, but in some cases several years behind in the publication of papers accepted by their editorial committees, conceived the idea of a new journal to expedite botanical publication. With the assistance of the present writer, Dr. Gleason made all the necessary preliminary arrangements with Edwards Brothers, in Ann Arbor, Michigan, for the publication of a journal by the then quite new photo-offset process. The present writer suggested the name, PHYTOLOGIA, to indicate that the pages of the journal would be open to papers on all phases of plant science, and the first number was issued on December 4 of that year. This number consisted of botanical contributions by N. L. Britton, H. A. Gleason, E. P. Killip, C. V. Morton, A. C. Smith, and the present writer.

From that time on, and up to May, 1951, Dr. Gleason remained the very efficient co-editor and co-publisher of our journal, actively publicizing its advantages to botanists, aiding in increasing the subscription list, giving copious advice and help in editorial matters, and contributing frequent scientific papers.

We are extremely sorry that because of his retirement from the staff of the New York Botanical Garden, where he served so long and well, Dr. Gleason has felt it necessary to resign from so many of his other official positions and activities as well. We wish for him still many years of a rich, full life, and we look forward to many botanical contributions to our pages from him in the years to come.

H. N. Moldenke



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