

IX. DATES OF PUBLICATION AND BIBLIOGRAPHICAL NOTES  
(contd from p.-1149)

The 150th Anniversary Volume of the Royal Botanic Garden Calcutta. Parts I-II. Edited by Dr. K. B i s w a s. Bengal Government Press, Alipore, Bengal.

The title page of this book is without date. The anniversary took place in 1938.

In a letter (dated Febr. 16, 1965) from Prof. H. Santapau to the Director of the Rijksherbarium at Leiden (Dr. C.G.G.J. van Steenis) it is stated that the reprints were received from the printer in July 1942; distribution within India took place from August 1942. In August 1944 the first copy was sent to England.

B e n t h a m, G. & J. D. H o o k e r, Genera plantarum.

Add (to Fl. Mal. I, 4, 1954, p. CLXX): W.T. Stearn, Introduction and annotations to Bentham & Hooker's Genera plantarum (in Reprint 1965, p. vi-viii, xiii-xv).

B r e d a, J. G. S. v a n, Genera et species Orchidacearum.  
1827-29.

Cf. Fl. Mal. Bull. no 6 (March 1950) 165-167.

In addition it may be mentioned that Mr. J. Vuyk, draughtsman at Amsterdam University Herbarium, who is interested in Orchidaceae, found a 4th fascicle of this work in the library of "Het Koninklijk Instituut voor de Tropen" in Amsterdam. It comprises 5 plates. Evidently it was printed but never issued and distributed. It was probably bought at Haarlem (cf. Bull. Kol. Mus. Haarlem 34, 1906, p. 203), possibly from van Breda's inheritance.

If no other copies of this fascicle are elsewhere, it cannot be regarded as published according to the Rules.

C a n d o l l e, A. P. d e, Histoire des plantes grasses (on some wrappers the title is given in Latin too, viz: "Plantarum succulentarum historia"). 1799-1829.

Cf. G.D. Rowley, Cactus and Succulent Journ. Great Britain 18 (1956) 91-93, and 19 (1957) 30-32, 54-57, 89-93, and reprint; A. Lawalrée, Natura Mosana 15 (1962) 53-60.

As this book is hardly of importance for the Flora Malesiana I will refrain from giving extensive information here, but summarize the more important data.

The work was published by Garnery in Paris in two editions, viz large and small folio; both existing with title pages dated 1799 or 1837. It appeared in parts, in general comprising six plants each represented by one plate and one page of text. Between Jan. 1799 (or even Dec. 1798) and 1805, 28 parts (each in wrapper) appeared, comprising 159 plants, i.e.

159 plates and 159 pages text. After a long interval it was continued in 1829, parts 29-31 were published and then the work was discontinued. Parts 29-30 are rare and 31 even very rare. Of the last part the text was issued between 1832-37. Kew has 5 more plates, of which one is identical to plate 88, and one a combination of two different plants.

Plates 160, 161, 164, 166, 168, and 170-177 have descriptions by J.A.Guillemain instead of De Candolle.

Although the work was sold in volumes (1 and 2) by Garnery from 1837 onwards, this was exclusively done in order to sell his stock. It certainly was not the original intention. Probably some missing plates were reprinted judging from a different quality of the paper.

In total at least three indices were published, viz of parts 1-20, 1-24, and 1-30.

The wrappers are confusing, sometimes placing Redouté first instead of De Candolle, on some mentioning a different publisher, etc. Most copies are incomplete.

### Linnaea.

Add (to Fl.Mal. I, 4, 1954, p.CXCVIII-CXCIX; Fl.Mal.Bull. no 17, 1962, 907, and ibid. no 19, 1964, 1143): cf. H.E.Moore Jr & C.E.Wood Jr, J.Arn.Arb. 46 (1965) p.68-73.

The latter authors had the opportunity to consult the original covers of the volumes 20-28 and 32-34 of the set in the library of the Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh. Supplementing or differing data are given below:

Volume	Part	Pages	Dates
21 (1848)	1	1-128	Febr. 1848
	2	129-256	April 1848
	3	257-384	July 1848
	4	385-512	Aug. 1848
	5	513-640	Oct. 1848
	6	641-780	Jan. 1849
22 (1849)	1	1-128	March 1849
	2	129-256	June 1849
	3	257-384	July 1849
	4	385-512	Aug. 1849
	5	513-640	Sept. 1849
	6	641-768	Dec. 1849
	7	769-898	not dated, but possibly Dec. 1849
23 (1850)	1	1-128	Febr. 1850
	2	129-256	May 1850
	3	257-384	July 1850
	4	385-512	Aug. 1850
	5	513-640	Oct. 1850
	6	641-770	Jan. 1851

Volume	Part	Pages	Dates
24 (1851)	1	1-128	May 1851
	2	129-256	July 1851
	3	257-384	Sept. 1851
	4	385-512	Nov. 1851
	5	513-640	Jan. 1852
	6	641-804	June 1852
27 (1854)	5	513-640	April 1856
	6	641-799	Aug. 1856
32 (1863)	1	1-128	March 1863
	2	129-256	June 1863
	3	257-384	Sept. 1863
	4	385-640	Jan. 1864
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6	641-784	Febr. 1864	
33 (1864-65)	1	1-128	May 1864
	2	129-256	Aug. 1864
	3	257-512	Dec. 1864
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	5	513-640	March 1865
6	641-770	June 1865	
34 (1865-66)	1	1-128	March 1865
	2	129-256	July 1865
	3	257-384	Sept. 1865
	4	385-512	Dec. 1865
	5	513-640	Febr. 1866
	6	641-752	Dec. 1866
35 (1867-68)	1	1-128	April 1867
	2	129-256	July 1867
	3	257-384	Dec. 1867
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	5	385-512	March 1868
	6	513-637	Nov. 1868
36 (1869-70)	1	1-128	May 1869
	2	129-256	Sept. 1869
	3	257-384	Jan. 1870
	5	513-650	Sept. 1870
	6	641-790	Dec. 1870
	37 (1871-73)	1	1-128
2		129-256	April 1872
3		257-416	July 1872
4		417-544	Oct. 1872
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6		545-663	Sept. 1873
38 (1874)	1	1-128	Dec. 1873
	2	129-256	Jan. 1874
	5	513-640	Aug. 1874
	6	641-753	Dec. 1874

Volume	Part	Pages	Dates
39 (1875)	1	1-128	Febr. 1875
	2{	129-256	June 1875
	3{		
	4	257-324	July 1875
	5	325-448	Aug. 1875
	6	449-526	Oct. 1875
40 (1876)	1	1-96	Jan. 1876
	2{	97-192	April 1876
	3{		
	4	193-288	May 1876
	5	289-384	Aug. 1876
	6	385-468	Dec. 1876
41 (1877)	1	1-112	Dec. 1876
	2	113-192	Febr. 1877
	3	193-288	April 1877
	4	289-384	Aug. 1877
	5{	385-576	Oct. 1877
	6{		
7	577-655	Febr. 1878	
42 (1878-79)	1	1-112	Febr. 1878
	2	113-192	March 1878
	3	193-288	April 1879
	4	289-384	June 1879
	5	385-480	July 1879
	6{	481-667	Oct. 1879
7{			
43 (1880-82)	1	1-66	July 1880
	2	67-138	Jan. 1881
	3{	139-252	July 1881
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	5{	253-486	Febr. 1882
	6{		
	7	487-554	May 1882
		i-xxiii	

N o t e. The cited paper by Moore & Wood includes data on the plates which occasionally appeared with a later Heft.

S i m, T. R., The Forests and Forest Flora of the Colony of the Cape of Good Hope. 1907.

Cf. L.E.Codd, *Bothalia* 8 (1964) 174.

From several sources it is indicated that the book was available by the middle of May 1907.

T r a t t i n n i c k, L., Thesaurus botanicus. Viennae, 1805. 1819.

Cf. H.B.Rycroft, *J.S.Afr.Bot.* 31 (1965) 89-93, pl.17.

In 1805 the first (incomplete) edition was published, containing 20 plates with diagrams of the species and descript-

ions. It seems to be exceedingly rare, as even in Vienna only a fragmentary piece was traced. References to this 1st edition are found in literature.

The second edition, printed and published in 1819 (although prepared in 1805) contains 80 plates, and it was found that t.12, a Protea, was identical in both editions, although Trattinnick erroneously changed its specific name and description.

G r i s e b a c h, H. R. A., Flora of the British West Indian Islands.

Add (to Fl.Mal. I, 4, 1954, p.CLXXXV): W.T.Stearn, J.Arn. Arb. 46 (1965) 263-264.

The more precise dates are:

Part	Pages	Dates
1	1-96	Dec. 1859
2	97-192	June 1860
3	193-315 (ending with Loranthaceae)	late 1860
4	315-410	late 1861
5	411-506	1862 (prob. May)
6 } 7 }	507-602 } 603-789, } i-xvi }	Oct. 1864

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The study of modern botanical nomenclature takes longer than that of the plants themselves.

G.-L.L.de Buffon (1707-1788).

Really, botany seems to change face as soon as one leaves our temperate countries in order to enter the torrid zone: they are still plants, but they are so singular in their form, they have such new attributes, that they elude most of our systems, the limits of which scarcely lie beyond the plants of our climates.

Michel Adanson (1727-1806).