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INTRODUCTION

The Lotus Newsletter consists of informal reports which are presented to further the exchange of ideas and information. These may be opinions or suggestions rather than established facts. Before quoting any statement in a publication the author involved should be requested to give his or her consent.

ICSEB-II, Vancouver and XIII International Congress of Botany, Australia

Only a few individuals indicated that they would be attending the Second International Congress of Systematic and Evolutionary Biology, 17-24 July, University of Vancouver, British Columbia. It was considered that there were too few to form a complete session on Lotus. However, Dr. Scudder stated that papers on Lotus would be grouped in a single session as far as possible in order for Lotologists to meet.

Perhaps one of our Australian Lotologists might consider forming a session on Lotus at the XIII International Botanical Congress, Sydney, Australia, 21-28 August, 1981.

Opening Paper

We are pleased to have the fine contribution to start off this issue of the Newsletter by Dr. Krystyna Urbanska-Worytkiewicz. Your Editor would be interested in receiving a short article for the opening paper for the next issue of the Newsletter on Lotus which might be of general interest to Lotus Newsletter. Please write to the Editor if you wish to contribute a lead article.

Cost of the Newsletter

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Contributions

Now is the time to send information for the next issue - recent published papers, news items, seed requests, techniques, research news, etc. For your convenience a form has been enclosed for miscellaneous items.