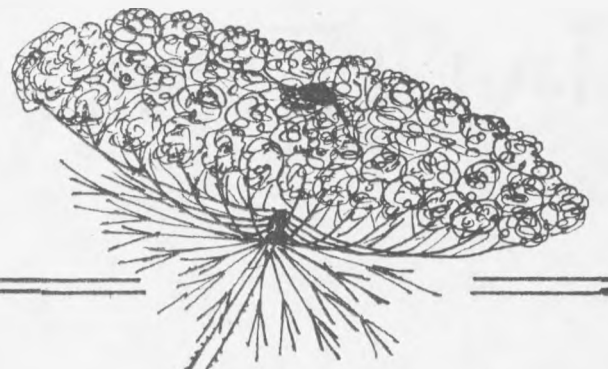


# Wildflowers

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## NO MEETING IN AUGUST

There is no monthly meeting in August. Our next meeting will be Monday, September 12, with a very, very special program.



## ROBERT LITTLE STUDIO

When I was down at Touchstone Center For Crafts in Farmington, PA, I noticed that one of the buildings was designated as the "Robert Little Studio".

Bob Little, renowned for his Nature Printing, died in 1991. He had been a member of the Botanical Society for more than 30 years.



## MORE BOTANICAL BOOKSELLERS

Here are some additions for your list of sellers of botanical books -

Raymond M. Sutton, Jr.  
P. O. Box 330, 430 Main St.  
Williamsburg, KY 40769

Patricia Ledlie Bookseller, Inc.  
One Bean Road, PO Box 90  
Buckfield, Maine 04220

Alan C. Hood & Company, Inc.  
28 Birge Street  
Brattleboro, VT 03501

Landscape Architecture Bookstore  
4401 Connecticut Avenue, NW  
Fifth Floor  
Washington, DC 20008

Edward R. Hamilton, Bookseller  
Falls Village, CT 06031-5000

## DAUCUS CAROTA

The sketch of Queen Anne's Lace, also known as Wild Carrot, was drawn by Anne Bahl.



## FIELD TRIP SCHEDULE

August 6, 1994--Hutchie Valley, Westmoreland Co.  
Starting Time: 1 P.M.

Leader: Mary Jane Seipler

Directions: From the Irwin exit of the Turnpike, turn west onto Rt. 30, and drive to the Norwin Hills Shopping Center. Turn left, drive past the shopping center and turn right beyond the movie theatres onto Barnes Lake Road. Continue until the T intersection. Turn left onto Clay Pike. Proceed 3 miles. Turn right after the 'Zenith' sign onto West Newton Rd. Drive .3 miles to the Dairy Queen and go through the intersection past the fenced stadium. Meet in the next parking lot.

Expectations: We are revisiting this site along the Little Sewickley Creek to see Tall Larkspur (*Delphinium exaltatum*) in bloom and to track down a summer blooming coralroot in the woods. The timing is excellent for viewing the field flowers in the vast open areas.

August 13, 1991--S.B.Elliott St. Pk., Clearfield Co.  
Starting Time: 1 P.M.

Leader: Jeanne Poremski

Directions: Travel I-80 east of DuBois to exit #18, Rt. 153. Follow signs to the park where we will meet in the office parking lot.

Expectations: We will have the opportunity to explore an old lake bed where the heath environment is home to the Yellow Fringed Orchis (*Platanthera ciliaris*). Be prepared for wet feet.

August 27, 1994--Virgin Forest: Heart's Content, Warren Co.

Leader: Dr. Ted Grisez

Directions: From Pgh., take I-79N to I-80E to Barkeyville. Exit to Rt. 8N to Franklin, where you pick up Rt. 62 through Oil City and Tionesta. Just before you come to the bridge at Tidioute, turn right (SR 30057) and travel 7 miles or more to a T intersection. Turn right and travel about 3 miles to Heart's Content. Meet at the pavilion on the left side of the road.

Expectations: Since we never see anything but second or third growth forest, it is a shock to realize what an untimbered forest is. This mixed growth forest is both awe inspiring and serene. Our leader is a forester who can help us gain an understanding of timbering practices and the effect of the burgeoning deer population.



## AROUND THE WORLD IN 34 DAYS

Our vice-president, Tim Manka, left on July 14 for a 34-day trip around the world. He will hardly be back when he will be off on a 39-day September trip to East and South Africa. But wait! That is not all. In November, he will take a 42-day trip to Australia and New Zealand, and when he returns from that, he will spend 8 months driving the perimeter of the 48 states, visiting science museums and natural areas.

Tim, as you may surmise, is on sabbatical for the coming school year. The last time he was on sabbatical -- in 1986 and 1987 - he went to 42 countries and 38 states.

We think his name should be *Tim Manka Polo*.



## NEW MEMBERS

We welcome these new members to the Botanical Society of W. Pa. -

Monica Miller, Bethel Park, PA  
Frances K. Williams, Summerville, PA