LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Patrick Jaekel

Our son-in-law's grandfather died of blackwater fever in the later 1920's, whilst working with the Nigeria Railway, and Patrick Jaekel went to immense trouble to secure current photographs of his grave and wrote what amounted to a short essay on the routes he would have covered as a driver, the potentates he would have met from the Prince of Wales and below, which was immensely appreciated, not only by Anthony but his own father too, who was very young when his father died.

- 81st West African Division Club Circular Newsletter 76 (July 2003), added to Patrick Jaekel's obituary by the Secretary (K.H. [Bunny] Nash)

Corrections to article by Joyce Lowe

In the article "Some climbing plants of southern Nigeria" by Joyce Lowe in Vol.68 part 1, a line was omitted near the foot of page 33. After "CLIMBING BY TWINING STEMS", it should read: "Herbaceous: *Aristolochia*, *Cissampelos*, Leguminosae, Convolvulaceae, Asclepiadaceae, *Dioscorea*."

Missing addresses

Journals for the following members have come back to me marked "gone away". If anyone has news of them, please let me know.

P. Alexander-Marrack, Heerenveen, The Netherlands.

J. Riley, Great Moulton, Norwich.

F.L. Ringland, Bangor, Northern Ireland.

Mrs J.S. Whiteman, Banchory, Scotland.

- Joyce Lowe, 464a Bradgate Road, Newtown Linford, Leics. LE6 OHA

BACK NUMBERS OF THE NIGERIAN FIELD

Mr. Tasio Leventis, a keen member of the Nigerian Field Society, has been most generous in his support of the Journal. He provided a room, free of charge, at Leventis premises in Moniya on the outskirts of Ibadan for temporary storage of back numbers of the Journal. He also continues to defray part of the cost of despatching Journals to England by courier for onward transmission to subscribers all over the world. The chairman and members of the Editorial Board are most grateful to him for his sustained interest in the Journal.

Since the back numbers of *The Nigerian Field* constitute a major asset of The Nigerian Field Society, Council appointed a sub-committee to take stock. The Editorial Board also received an offer of a permanent home for the Journals at the Dominican Institute, Samonda, Ibadan. I am pleased to report that the back numbers of the Journal have now been installed in chronological order in their new home, thanks to the combined efforts of

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the members of the sub-committee, students of the Department of Library Studies of the University of Ibadan and the Secretary of our Society.

At its meeting held on Dec. 6th 2003, Council revised the price of back numbers of the Journal as follows:

1930-1959	₩5,000.	£25.00	each copy
1960-1979	N2,500.	£15.00	each copy
1980-1999	N1,000.	£10.00	each copy
2000-date	N500.	£7.50	each copy

The Society is not selling issues of which there are 5 or less copies. Issues of which there are 6-10 copies will only be sold to those wishing to buy a set of all issues of the Journal available.

Applications from Nigeria to purchase back numbers should be made to the Editor or the Business Manager. Applications from abroad should be made to Dr. Joyce Lowe and payment made in sterling only.

The following back numbers of *The Nigerian Field* are available for sale:

1984 to the present: All numbers (2 issues a year) are available. Yet June 1985 and April 1991 can only be sold for sets.

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1981Sep (#3)	1962 Jul, Apr
1980 Jul (#2-3) only for sets	1961 Oct, Jul, Apr, Jan
1979 Dec (#3-4), Sep (Monograph 1)	1960 Apr, Jan
1977 Sep (#3)	1959 Jul
1976 Dec (#4) Sep (#3)	1959 Apr only for sets
1975 Dec only for sets	1959 Jan
1975 Sep, Jun, Mar 33	1958 Oct
1974 Dec	1958 Jul only for sets
1973 Sep	1958 Apr
1970 Jan	1957 Oct
1969 Oct, Jul, Apr, Jan	1955 Oct, Jul, Apr
1968 Oct, Jul, Apr, Jan	1953 Jul, Apr
1967 Oct, Jul	1952 Oct only for sets
1964 Oct only for sets	1949 Oct
1964 Jul	1947 Oct