

## NOTES FROM THE EDITOR

Please, if you want future issues of EBBA news to contain any information other than that supplied by the Editor, submit some manuscript for publication!

Unless there is loud wailing and gnashing of teeth and an official cease and desist from the officers and/or council, the Editor plans to issue EBBA NEWS bimonthly rather than monthly. We still plan to have ten pages of material in each bimonthly issue which compares not too unfavorably with the twelve pages which would appear on a monthly basis. Furthermore, from time to time, we plan to include additional pages in each bimonthly issue. This may well be pure heresy to so determine policy in connection with EBBA NEWS, for the Editor has not consulted with the officers, but since his time is very much limited by professional responsibilities, he sees no other alternative to going on a semimonthly basis. The Editor is very much gratified by the many expressions of appreciation which he receives from the members, but at the same time he would like to remind members of EBBA that EBBA NEWS is their publication and that its success or failure depends almost entirely upon the quality of the material with which he has to work, and that the Editor plays a relatively unimportant role in the production of EBBA NEWS.

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## MEMORY IN A CATBIRD

The following note from Dr. Edward E. Wildman is from one who, upon retirement from formal employment (in the Philadelphia School System) seems to be even busier than ever before. He writes, "Work on type plant specimens at the Academy of Natural Sciences for the years since my retirement, and now preparing the letters of John Bartram for publication by the American Philosophical Society (somebody else does the typing) and revising my little Nature Calendar-THIS WERE OUT OF DOORS-ready for its 4th printing, and having daily work in Nature Study for guests and cottagers at Pocono Manor for the past twenty summers, I've been rather busy!" And now, the Catbird note:

"Mr. George Smith, a guest at Pocono Manor Inn, a good putter