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Note on *Leaflets in Malacology*

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Leaflets in Malacology was privately published by the late S. S. Berry, with 26 numbers issued between 1946 and 1969 (see HERTZ, 1984, *The Festivus* 15(Suppl.):1-42).

Among Berry's papers have been found copies of *Leaflets* No. 13, with an accompanying note in Berry's handwriting stating that "these are the suppressed first printing but can be used as work copies & rough reprints." This "suppressed" printing is dated 7 July 1956. The printing that received distribution is dated 9 July 1956.

The 7 July number, as printed, contained numerous errors and Berry evidently, and rightfully, felt that it should be reprinted. Comparison of the page proof of the first printing shows that the printer corrected most, but not all, of the errors.

Several dozen copies of this 7 July printing exist, most with corrections made thereon by Berry. Considering the state of Berry's effects during the last few years of his life, it is possible that copies of the 7 July printing were inadvertently distributed. Since we have it in Berry's own hand that the 7 July printing was suppressed, *Leaflets* No. 13 cannot be considered to have been published, in the sense of the *International Code of Zoological Nomenclature*, on 7 July, and the actual publication date is 9 July as shown on the revised printing.

Berry's note, the page proof, and all copies of the 7 July printing that have been located are now in the Santa Barbara Museum of Natural History.

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