If any biology study is to enable the future scientist to discover facts of biology, it must aid in the use of many methods of discovery and research. Field work, laboratory research and instruction, and library research all must be employed for students to acquire the knowledge and skills necessary to investigate life and communicate findings to both the community and the scientist.

The future scientist should be prepared to act as a useful citizen of a community. The study of life should include the humanities, as well a pure analysis of life.

What is the appearance, then, of an effective college biology curriculum? It should include instruction in various methods of exploring life. Moreover, it should prepare the student to find biological principles and communicate them to the scientist and the community. But it must also enable the scientist to become a participating member of the broader community.

WELL SHARE Correspondence concerning these items should be addressed to the individual

RUSSELL WAGNER, University of Wisconsin - Platteville, Platteville, WS 53818, is conducting a road kill census. Information is available to any one who is not familiar with this project concerning what is trying to be learned and the progress after about a year and one-half of collecting data. Additional road kill cards are available for those who have been or wish to cooperate in a census of the effect of highway types on animal life mortality.

COVER POETRY

Rita Kohn, source of the thoughts on the cover page, is Public Relations Consultant, Corn Belt Library Systems, Bloomington, IL. She is editor of "Sum and Substance" and "Junior Opinions." The editor asked that she tell the members a little bit about herself - why she writes poetry and why nature is one of her chosen subjects.

I write poetry to preserve my sanity and there's no profit in that. (I am a writer and earn my keep as such.)

Why do I write of nature? Because it is here and speaks its piece, because a comment needs to be made and the setting of nature is the best one in which to make it, because I am a child of the mountains and miss them, so try to find companionship with other aspects of natural phenomena.

Midnight
is my mountain
in this place
of plains
that stretch beyond tomorrow.

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