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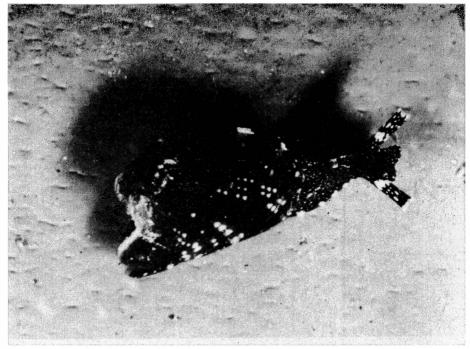


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RECENT PACIFIC BIBLIOGRAPHIES. During the past two years a number of bibliographies pertaining to the Pacific region have appeared, and others are about to appear. These total a number of pages and make available numerous references heretofore not widely known. Copies of all the printed ones have been deposited in the Pacific Collection of the Micronesian Area Research Center at the University of Guam.

A broad Pacific series was begun in 1969 by N. L. H. Krauss of Honolulu. These are privately printed and available only from the author, who has mailed copies to a number of libraries and individuals. The actual number

printed was limited. The completed ones are, chronologically:

1969. Johnston Island (Central Pacific Ocean)
Bibliography. 8 p.

Wake Island (Western Pacific) Bibliography. 13 p.

1969. Bibliography of the Santa Cruz Islands, Western Pacific. 8 p.

1969. Bibliography of Ocean Island (Banaba), Western Pacific. 7 p.

1969. Bibliography of the Tokelau or Union Islands, Central Pacific. 11 p.

1969. Bibliography of the Ellice Islands, Western Pacific. 13 p.

1970. Bibliography of Nauru, Western Pacific. 14 p.

1970. Bibliography of the Line Islands, Central Pacific. 18 p.

1970. Bibliography of Niue, South Pacific. 16 p.

1970. Bibliography of the Phoenix Islands, Central Pacific. 13 p.

1970. Bibliography of Swains Island, American Samoa. 7 p.

1971. Bibliography of the Torres Islands,

Southwest Pacific. 4 p.

Each of these publications begins with an introduction about the specific geographic area, including a few notes on history of the area, census figures, land mass, elevation, and so forth. In all but the first two each entry is given an identification number which is used as a cross-reference in the Classification (index). The Classification categories are all similar—agriculture, anthropology, birds, census, fish, and the like.

Although there appear to be some reference omissions, these compact bibliographies are probably the most complete listing for each of the island groups covered.

Another broad Pacific series, Supplement of Island Bibliographies, is in part, a continuation of the earlier Sachet and Fosberg Island Bibliographies (NAS-NRC, Publ. No. 335, 1955). The new volume, to be published by the National Academy of Science includes:

Supplement to Annotated Bibliography of Micronesian Botany

Supplement to Bibliography of the Land Ecology and Environment of Coral Atolls Supplement to Selected Bibliography of Vegetation of the Tropical Pacific Islands Supplement to Botanical Bibliography of the Pacific Islands

Authors for the Supplements are M. H. Sachet and F. R. Fosberg, assisted by Bryce G. Decker and Judith G. Colburn. The indexing is by B. G. Decker. The original author for the last-mentioned botanical bibliography was E. D. Merrill.

The following bibliographies are specifically Micronesian.

Land in Micronesia and its Resources: An Annotated Bibliography (1970) was compiled by E. H. Bryan, Jr, and staff of the Pacific Scientific Information Center. In addition to 69 pages of annotations, this publication includes some historical information, a review of the U.S. Commercial Company's 1946 economic survey of Micronesia, notes on the geography of Micronesia—with island size, area, and population—and a four-page listing of these pertaining to land in Micronesia. This work was carried out for the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.

A companion volume, Guide to Place Names

in the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, also by E. H. Bryan, Jr. is to be published soon. The preliminary edition will have more than 30,000 names, including German, Spanish, Japanese, English, local, and military entries.

The three following publications resulted from a U.S. Federal grant to the Library Services, Department of Education, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands. All were published in 1969.

Pathways to Micronesia: An Annotated Bibliography of Selected Works was compiled by A. S. Daeufer. It lists general works, availability being one of the major criteria for selection. Items are not listed in this reference when they are included in the two below.

Pathways to Science in Micronesia, compiled by E. Craddock, is divided into twelve sections: agriculture, bibliographies and directories, biology, botany, fishing and fisheries, geology, health, insects, marine life, oceanography, sea shells, and zoology. There are both author and title indices. Each entry is annotated, and the same entry may appear several times, depending on the section. All books annotated can be found on Saipan among seven different libraries.

A Bibliography of Reports, Surveys, and Studies Prepared by, for, or about the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands was compiled by G. Wright. This 182-pages particularly valuable listing covers reports, surveys, studies, speeches and interviews, and annual reports prepared over the past twenty-five years (1944 to mid-1969) which treat more than strictly one district. All entries are arranged chronologically, beginning with the most recent, and are annotated, primarily with quotes taken directly from the original studies. Bookauthor index and title index are present.

A specialty listing, Bibliography Pertinent to Rota, by L. G. Eldredge was prepared for the "Biological Results of an Expedition to Rota, Mariana Islands," edited by R. T. Tsuda of the University of Guam, 1969. This is a mimeographed report of the University of Guam Division of Biosciences and Marine Studies with some annotations listing sixtysix titles covering botanical, zoological, and geological references.

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