

BIOGRAPHICAL INDEX II

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ABSTRACT

Between January 1976 and October 1980, the Tennessee Academy of Science published biographical data on 20 Tennessee scientists. Biographies are indexed.

INTRODUCTION

This journal recently published an index to biographical data in serial publications issued by the Tennessee Academy of Science between 1912 and 1975 (Corgan and Tanner, 1979). The index identified 147 biographical articles that dealt with 113 scientists, most of whom were leaders in the development of science in Tennessee. The published index had two objectives: to facilitate studies of the history of science in Tennessee and to prevent the loss of information, since brief biographical notes tend to be overlooked in the scores of pages the Academy publishes each year.

In the years since 1975, the Academy has continued to publish an abundance of biographical material. The present study supplements the earlier index by providing a summary of the Academy's biographical publications that were issued between January 1976 and October 1980, the close of Volume 55 of the *Journal*.

BIOGRAPHIES

This biographical index follows the format used by Corgan and Tanner (1979). Each scientist treated biographically in the *Journal of the Tennessee Academy of Science* between 1976 and 1980 is listed below in alphabetic order. Each person is identified with at least one academic discipline and data are provided on fields of employment and roles in Academy affairs.

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SUMMARY

This article is a supplement to an earlier index by Corgan and Tanner (1979). Together, the two indices cite 158 biographical reports that are contained in serial publications of the Tennessee Academy of Science. In total, 133 people have been the subjects of biographical study. Most of the 133 played significant roles in the development of the scientific community in Tennessee.

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