

## News Notes

Four Northwestern Regional Publications of unusual interest to readers of WEEDS have been published by the Rhode Island Agricultural Experiment Station, Kingston, Rhode Island, under the general title "Life History Studies as Related to Weed Control in the Northeast", as follows:

- "1. Nutgrass." R. S. Bell, W. H. Lachman, E. M. Rahn, and R. D. Sweet.
- "2. Yellow Foxtail and Giant Foxtail." R. A. Peters, J. A. Meade, and P. W. Santelmann.
- "3. Horse Nettle." R. D. Ilnicki, T. F. Tisdell, S. N. Fertig, and A. H. Furrer, Jr.
- "4. Quackgrass." S. M. Raleigh, T. R. Flanagan, and Collins Veach.

Dr. Earl C. Spurrier, St. Louis, has been appointed to the newly created position of manager of crop technology in Monsanto Company's Agricultural Division, after serving as a product supervisor in the division.

The balloting on the proposed amendment to the WSA Constitution was reported to the executive committee of WSA on March 19 at Albuquerque, New Mexico. The proposed amendment was defeated by a large majority. With these results, the WSA will continue to plan for annual meetings after 1966.

The next meetings of the WSA are at the Sheraton-Jefferson Hotel in St. Louis, Feb. 6-11, 1966 and at Washington, D. C. in Feb. 1967.

### Correction

Dr. H. Fred Arle writes with reference to Table 6 in Weeds 13:59, January 1965: "Any value in columns 5 and 6 of Table 6 that is numerically equal to the corresponding sensitivity level in column 4 of that table should have a *less than* symbol preceding it."