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March of 1961 would be the tenth anniversary of Dr. S. L. Chien as President of this University. At the same time we are starting again to continue publication of this bulletin. We dedicate this issue, Number 7, to Dr. Chien on his tenth anniversary as president of this University.

This bulletin publishes scientific contributions of original research in all branches of botany from the staff and graduate students of our department, and we plan to continue to publish it year by year. Starting from this issue we are planning to publish one to four numbers per year, depending upon the number of papers received and our financial condition.

Yu-Feng Shen, Editor

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