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MT. WILLIAM RESERVE - 17th March 1979

J. Beaver

This trip which had been well organised by Jean King consisted of a walk of about 3 miles across farmland with sweeping views of Franklin County and the Hauraki plains and even much further in all directions. The weather though it remained fine until we had had our lunch did not permit views as good as we would have wished.

The last part of the walk was about a mile through bush which proved interesting as we had decided to list all we could for reference at a later date. Rain in the late afternoon stopped us making a short walk into an adjoining piece of bush where we think we would have found kauri and beech which were not listed by our recorders.

Plants noted were as follows;

FERNS (J. King & J. Mackinder)

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|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Anarthropteris lanceolata | Dicksonia squarrosa                 |
| Asplenium bulbiferum      | Histiopteris incisa                 |
| A. falcatum               | Mecodium demissum                   |
| A. flaccidum              | M. flabellatum (& others)           |
| A. lamprophyllum          | Paesia scaberula                    |
| A. lucidum                | Phymatodes diversifolium            |
| Blechnum capense          | P. scandens                         |
| B. discolor               | Pteridium aquilinum var. esculentum |
| B. filiforme              | Pteris macilentia                   |
| B. fraseri                | P. tremula                          |
| B. lanceolatum            | Pyrrosia serpens                    |
| B. membranaceum           | Rumohra hispida                     |
| Ctenitis glabella         | Thelypteris pennigera               |
| C. velutina               | (Cyclosorus pennigerus)             |
| Cyathea medullaris        | Todea hymenophylloides              |
| C. dealbata               |                                     |

- Notes: 1. Tmesipteris present but not identified as to species.  
 2. Lycopodium billardieri was seen.  
 3. Selaginella kraussiana an exotic was not seen.

GYMNOSPERMS (J. Beaver & J. Mackinder)

|                         |                |
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| Dacrydium cupressinum   | P. ferrugineus |
| Podocarpus dacrydioides | P. totara      |

MONOCOTYLEDONS (J.B. & J.M.)

Astelia solandri  
Collospermum hastatum  
Earina mucronata  
Freycinetia banksii

Oplismenus imbecillis  
Rhopalostylis sapida  
Ripogonum scandens

DICOTYLEDONS (J.B. & J.M.)

Alectryon excelsus  
Beilschmiedia tarairi  
B. tawa  
Brachyglottis repanda  
Carpodetus serratus  
Clematis sp.  
C. australis  
C. rotundifolia  
C. spathulata  
Corynocarpus laevigatus  
Cyathodes fasciculata  
C. juniperina  
Dysoxylum spectabile  
Elatostema rugosum  
Fuchsia excorticata  
Geniostoma ligustrifolium  
Gnaphalium (luteo-album)  
Haloragis erecta  
Hedycarya arborea  
Knightia excelsa  
Laurelia novae-zelandiae  
Leptospermum ericoides

L. scoparium  
Macropiper excelsum  
Melicytus ramiflorus  
Metrosideros diffusa  
M. fulgens (flowering)  
M. perforata  
M. robusta  
Myrsine australis  
Nertera sp.  
Nestegis lanceolata  
Olearia rani  
Paratrophis microphylla  
Parsonsia heterophylla  
Pennantia corymbosa  
Peperomia urvilleana  
Pittosporum cornifolium  
P. eugenioides  
Pseudopanax crassifolius  
Schefflera digitata  
Solanum aviculare  
Wahlenbergia gracilis  
Vitex lucens

ADVENTIVE DICOTYLEDONS (J.M.)

Anagallis arvensis  
Cardamine hirsuta  
Cerastium glomeratum  
Cirsium vulgare  
Digitalis purpurea  
Erigeron floribundus  
Eupatorium adenophorum  
Leycesteria formosa  
Lotus sp.  
Physalis peruviana  
Plantago lanceolata  
Prunella vulgaris  
Ranunculus repens  
Senecio bipinnatisectus  
S. jacobaea  
Solanum nigrum  
Ulex europaeus  
Veronica plebeja

scarlet pimpernel  
bitter cress  
annual mouse-ear chickweed  
Scotch thistle  
foxglove  
fleabane  
Mexican devil  
Himalaya honeysuckle  
  
cape gooseberry  
narrow-leaved plantain  
selfheal  
creeping buttercup  
Australian fireweed  
ragwort  
black nightshade  
gorse  
Australian speedwell

ADVENTIVE FUNGI

Favolaschia calocera