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The Marshall Pinckney Wilder Medal was awarded to Dr. A. P. French for his outstanding contribution since 1925, first as a member, and then as the head of the True-to-Name Nursery Inspection Project.

The Chairman of the *True-to-Name Nursery Inspection Program Committee* was instructed to appoint a sub-committee to study the possibilities for setting up a program for true-to-name fruit rootstock inspection in the nursery.

Treasurer's Report

Receipts

Annual members, dues (\$3.00)	\$ 736.00
Life members, assessment (\$2.00)	210.00
Industrial members, dues (\$10.00)	150.00
Society members, dues (\$10.00)	115.00
Advertising	728.00
Dividends	339.50
Back issues, F.V.H.D., Proceedings, reprints, etc.	177.54
Subscriptions, F.V.H.D.	211.38
 Total receipts	 2,667.82
Balance on hand from previous year	 2,286.77
	 4,954.59

Expenses

Printing of F.V.H.D.	\$1,207.80
Office expenses and postage	398.86
American Fruit Grower subscrip- tions for members	170.50
Honorarium and travel expenses to Secretary	699.98
American Hort. Council, dues	10.00
Wilder Certificate	25.00
Exhibit, W. Virginia growers meet	14.61
 Total expenses	 2526.75
Balance on hand	2427.84



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Bladisloe N. Z. Apple

The new "Bladisloe N. Z." apple is being recommended for trial in England to extend the Cox's Orange season. It is believed to be a sport of Cox and was introduced from New Zealand in 1954. Bladisloe N. Z. fruit is similar in shape to Cox, but is three weeks earlier. It is firm and juicy and keeps well into December in common storage. Skin shows a deep red flush on the exposed cheek and red stripes on the underside.