

Annual Report of American Pomological Society for 1962

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Membership

	1961	1962
Life	95	78
Annual	353	403
Industrial	16	16
Society	17	19
	<u>481</u>	<u>516</u>

Financial Statement

Receipts:

Annual members, dues	\$1106.00
Life members, assessments . . .	178.00
Industrial & Soc. members, dues	332.00
Dividends and interest	320.86
Advertising in F.V.H.D.	485.50
Subscriptions and back-issues of F.V.H.D.	391.78
	<u>2814.14</u>
Balance on hand, Dec. 12, '62	1902.83
Total	\$4716.97

Expenditures:

F.V.H.D., printing, engraving	\$1601.12
Printing of stationary, etc. . . .	150.45
Amer. Hort. Council, Internat. Soc. Hort. Sci., membership	18.00
Amer. Fruit Grower, subscript.	220.00
Secretarial, auditing, misc	192.00
Honorarium to Sec. and travel	703.96
Postage for F.V.H.D., correspond.	199.99
Paul Howe Shepard Awards	26.39
Wilder medals for '61 and '62	106.23
	<u>3218.29</u>
Balance on hand Nov. 21, '62	1498.68
Total	\$4716.97

Fruit Varieties & Horticultural Digest

Subscribers:

Individual, U. S.	44
Individual, outside U. S.	45
Libraries, U. S.	73
Libraries, outside U. S.	27
Total	189

Advertisers: 13

Reprints: 1050

Cost per issue:

Printing	\$376.00
Postage	24.00
Engravings	15.00
Envelopes	16.00

Total \$431.00

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Cost per printed copy (1000): 0.39



Stone Fruit Varieties for Arizona

Stone fruit varieties are being tested at the Mesa Experiment Station of the University of Arizona.

Peaches: Springtime is the earliest white-fleshed variety, and Blazing Gold is the earliest yellow-fleshed variety being tested. The latter shows a tendency to split pits, according to Leland Burkhart, Head of Horticulture. Some of the better varieties include Robin, Meadow Lark, Starking Delicious, Red Wing, and Early Elberta.

Plums: Beauty is good. Hollywood is excellent for the garden, having purple-bronze leaves, pink blossoms and blood red fruit. Other fine varieties are Mariposa, Santa Rosa, Climax, Duarte, Kelsey.