

1968 FALL COURSES OF THE ARNOLD ARBORETUM

Propagation of Woody Plants by Seeds Instructor: Alfred J. Fordham

A discussion of methods used to collect, clean, and pretreat seeds to prepare them for germination. Seeds to take home will be provided from the Arboretum collection. Suitable footgear should be worn, as part of the session will involve walking around the grounds.

Friday morning 10-12 o'clock.

September 27, 1968

Free—but open only to * Friends of the Arnold Arboretum. Meet at the Dana Greenhouse.

Plants in Autumn at the Case Estates Instructor: Dr. Paul D. Sorenson

A series of informal talks and discussions about cultivated and native plants. The Case Estates in Weston will serve as an outdoor laboratory as long as weather conditions permit. The purposes are to familiarize one with our many decorative plants, their names, how to identify them, their use, and their cultivation. While no single text will be used, students will be introduced to certain sources in botanical literature which deal with plant families in general and more specifically with individual plants studied.

Suitable footgear for walking is recommended. Parking is available near barn at 135 Wellesley Street. All classes will meet first in the Little Red Schoolhouse at 133 Wellesley Street.

5 sessions Wednesday afternoons 2-4 o'clock.

October 2 to 30

Registration fee for * Friends of the Arnold Arboretum \$2.50; others \$5.00

Fall Field Course in Ornamental Plants Instructor: Dr. Donald Wyman

Informal outdoor talks and field trips on the Arboretum grounds under the supervision of Dr. Wyman and the horticultural staff make up the Fall Field Class. Different plant groups are studied on each trip. The class sessions will consider the berried trees and shrubs, autumn color, the evergreens, and similar topics. Opportunities are afforded for questions and answers relating to the identification and culture of ornamental plants as seen in the Arboretum or as suitable for culture in New England. In case of rain or cold weather, meetings are held indoors.

4 sessions. Friday mornings 10-12 o'clock.

October 4 to 25

Registration fee for * Friends of the Arnold Arboretum \$2.50; others \$5.00

Meet the Staff — A series of talks by members of the staff of the Arnold Arboretum of Harvard University.

Tuesday evenings, 8 o'clock.

October 29 to December 3

The Red Schoolhouse, 133 Wellesley Street, Weston.

Watch for the listing of very interesting talks that will be given these evenings. The next *Arnoldia* will give full details.

* Information on how to become a "Friend of the Arnold Arboretum" can be obtained by writing or calling the Arnold Arboretum, Arborway, Jamaica Plain, Mass. 02130.