

**RNDr. ĽUDOVÍT DOSTÁL (22. 9. 1936 Košice - 1. 6. 1996 Prešov) in
memoriam**

On June 1, 1996 Dr. Ľudovít Dostál died after a long and serious illness at the age of almost sixty. Dr. Dostál was a well known east Slovakian botanist and expert in northeastern Slovak flora. He was an enthusiastic and untiring natural scientist, who studied purposefully a number of localities in northeastern Slovakia and a great number of interesting plant species.

Dr. Dostál's life and work was focused on honest and extensive research in Slovak flora. He concentrated his efforts on mapping of previously unrecognized and unstudied flora in eastern Slovakia. Northeastern Slovakia is a region that is relatively less physicogeographically divided and thus its flora is more pure and less differentiated than in other areas in Slovakia. For this reason, the territory had remained outside traditional areas of research untill Dr. Dostál mapped it, first of all the areas of the Nízke Beskydy Mts., the Čergov Mts. and the Šariš Highlands.

He published the results of his work in *Natura Carpatica*, *Biologia* and other journals. A list of his works published up to the year 1992 can be found in the journal *Thaiszia* (*Thaiszia* 1[1991], p. 154-162, 1992). A list of Dostál's papers is published here in order to complete his bibliography. In addition to his scientific and popular works Dr. Dostál left us a herbarium (its destiny is unfortunately uncertain) and number of nature reserves which would not have been established without his tireless effort.

Further analysis and detailed evaluation must be carried to interpret Dostál's published floristic data. However, Dostál's published papers, herbarium and analysis of NE Slovak flora present the seminal research in this field. It will be the task of future natural historians and historians of science, to evaluate and analyse the contribution of Dr. Dostál to botany. Yet, one of the most important botanists in Slovakia and the best expert in the flora of Eastern Slovakia left us. Dr. Dostál's heritage of botanical work will be surely contribute to another development of botanical science in Slovakia and continue thus his all life effort.

A complement to the bibliography of E. DOSTÁL

- 1964 Ďalšie lokality jašterice múrovej stredoeurópskej (*Lacerta muralis muralis* (LAUR.)) v Slanskom pohorí [Further localities of lizard *Lacerta muralis muralis* in the Slanské Mts.] – Zborn. Východoslov. Múz. Košice, ser. A, 4(1963): 115.
- 1966 Chránené územia - okres Prešov [Protected areas - the district of Prešov]. – Prešov [ed. Krajské stredisko štátnej pamiatkovej starostlivosti a ochrany prírody], 35pp.
- 1969 Nevšedné krásy Slanských hôr (Unusual beauties of the Slanské Mts.). – In: Zlatá Baňa, p. 17-26, Prešov [ed. Slovenský ústav pamiatkovej starostlivosti a ochrany prírody v Bratislave - stredisko v Prešove].
- 1992 Poznámky k rozšíreniu slezu nebadaného (*Malva neglecta*) a slezu nizučkého (*Malva pusilla*) na východnom Slovensku. [Notes to the distribution of mallow (*Malva neglecta* and *M. pusilla*) in Eastern Slovakia.] – Zborn. Východoslov. Múz. Košice - Prír. Vedy, Košice, 32-33: 161-164.
- 1993 Botanicko-ochranárske postrehy z Levočských vrchov [Botanical and conservationist observations from the Levočské vrchy Mts.] – Chrán. Územ. Slov. 20: 37-38.
- Ľubickí havrani [Ravens in the village of Ľubica]. – Chrán. Územ. Slov. 20: 49.
- Zastávka pri novoľubovnianskych vejmutovkách [A stop by white pines in Nová Ľubovňa]. – Chrán. Územ. Slov. 21: 7.
- 1994 Tisovec dvojradový aj v Prešove [Bald cypress also in Prešov]. – Chrán. Územ. Slov. 22: 13.
- 1995 *Ceratophyllum demersum* L. pri Marhani (Nízke Beskydy). [*Ceratophyllum demersum* L. near the village of Marhaň (Nízke Beskydy Mts.)]. – Zborn. Východoslov. Múz. Košice - Prír. Vedy, Košice, 35(1994): 171-172.
- Nálezisko bublinatky obyčajnej (*Utricularia vulgaris* L.) pri Veľkom Šariši [Locality of *Utricularia vulgaris* L. near the town of Veľký Šariš]. – Zborn. Východoslov. Múz. Košice - Prír. Vedy, Košice, 35(1994): 173-176.
- Ďatelina hnedá (*Trifolium badium* SCHREBER in STURM) pri Osturni rastie [*Trifolium badium* SCHREBER in STURM grows near the village of Osturňa]. – Natura Carp. 36(1996): 153-155.
- DOSTÁL E. & SITAŠOVÁ E.: Prvosienka bezbyľová (*Primula vulgaris* HUDS.) v Slánskych vrchoch na východnom Slovensku [Primrose (*Primula vulgaris* HUDS.) in the Slanské vrchy Mts. in Eastern Slovakia]. – Zborn. Východoslov. Múz. Košice - Prír. Vedy, Košice, 35(1994): 169-170.
- 1996 Vyhynuté, endemické, vzácne a ohrozené druhy rastlín v okrese Bardejov. [Extinct, endemic, rare and threatened plant species in the district of Bardejov]. – Zborn. Odborn. Výsledk. XIV. Vsl. TOP. – ENVIRO, Martin.
- 1997 Iskerník karpatský (*Ranunculus carpaticus* HERB.), bleduľa jarná (*Leucojum vernalis* L.), lýrovka prostredná (*Lapsana intermedia* M. BIEB.). – In: Červená kniha ohrozených a vzácných druhov rastlín a živočíchov SR a ČR, 5.diel (in press).

V. MIKOLÁŠ and E. GOJDIČOVÁ