

## CORRECTIONS SUBMITTED

In: Pagels, J. F. 1991. A High Elevation Record for the Least Shrew, *Cryptotis parva* (Say). Virginia Journal of Science, Vol 42, No. 3. pp 361-362.

The reported "occasional" occurrence of Fraser fir (*Abies fraseri*) on Whitetop Mountain resulted from an error in the transcription of field data. *Abies fraseri* was not encountered. Sentence two of paragraph three should read "...red spruce (*Picea rubens*, 90.8% of trees counted per ha), and widely scattered hardwoods, that included black locust (*Robinia pseudo-acacia*, 2.8%), American beech (*Fagus grandifolia*, 2.8%), yellow birch (*Betula lutea*, 2.2%), and black birch (*B. lenta*, 1.4%)."

**Note from Virginia M. Dalton**

-- to those owning or reading a copy of

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I noticed an error in Recommendation 8 on p.576 concerning the acceptance of gates by *Plecotus*. I think it is major enough that I decided I should do something about it. Many people all over the country are involved in putting gates on bat caves. They might become very confused if they see the mistake in the Proceedings.

Correct the error by changing "intolerant" to "tolerant" in line 42 and deleting "also" in line 44.

The sentences should read:

Nursery colonies of *Plecotus townsendii* are tolerant of full gates (White and Seginak, 1987; C. W. Stihler, pers. comm.). Gray bat nursery colonies require partial gates (Tuttle, 1986).