

Editorial Announcements

BOOK REVIEW EDITOR

After several years of dedicated and energetic activity as Book Review Editor, Dr John Hendry will be retiring from this post with effect from July 1990. It is often said that the review section of a journal is more widely read than the articles preceding it. On behalf of our readership, I should therefore like to take this opportunity to thank Dr Hendry for a truly substantial contribution and for the purposeful, responsive and discerning manner in which he has supported the work of two editors, Dr David Knight and myself.

We have been extremely fortunate in finding a successor who in deed as in name promises an excellent match. Dr John Henry of the Science Studies Unit at the University of Edinburgh will henceforward take responsibility for the Book Review section. A conspiracy to minimize the task of redirecting mail was no part of our deliberations and we welcome John to the editorial board in the hope that he will find his assignment both stimulating and rewarding.

SPECIAL ISSUE: ECOLOGY, NATURE AND SCIENCE

We would like to invite contributions and suggestions for a proposed special issue of the *Journal* dealing with environmental sciences, broadly defined, in historical perspective. Anyone wishing to present or propose articles or reviews is invited to contact Dr M. Shortland, Department of History and Philosophy of Science, University of Sydney, Sydney NSW 2006, Australia, from whom further information is available.