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Preface

The late Mr. Kimihiko Ozaki graduated from the Faculty of Liberal Art and Education, Yokohama National University in 1965, and he was employed in the Geological Laboratory of the University. Since then, he had made paleobotanical studies. To our regret, he suddenly died of a traffic accident in Oct. 27th, 1989. Before this accident, he completed his study and left the manuscript of "Late Miocene and Pliocene floras in central Honshu, Japan". Now we publish his manuscript as special issue of the Bulletin of Kanagawa Prefectural Museum. Neogene floras of central Honshu have been less known compared with that of northeast Honshu and Hokkaido, but in the paper many descriptions were given for the fossil plant species of the district. Publishing his manuscript not only rewards his labors but is significant for the Japanese Paleobotany.

Many plant fossils which the late Mr. Ozaki had collected, were preserved in the Kanagawa Prefectural Museum. We express our thanks to his bereaved family and Prof. Yoshikazu Hasegawa and members of the Geological Laboratory of Yokohama National University.

For publishing his manuscript, We acknowledge our hearty thanks to Dr. Toshimasa Tanai, Prof. Emeritus of Hokkaido University, and Dr. Kazuhiko Uemura of National Science Museum of Tokyo, who read the early draft and wrote commentaries for a beginner.

Yoshihide Iwano, Director

序 文

故尾崎公彦氏は横浜国立大学学芸学部を昭和40年に卒業し、その後同大学地学教室助手として勤務し、古植物の研究をされました。しかし、平成元年10月27日、残念なことに交通事故にあい急逝されました。尾崎氏は亡くなる直前にそれまでの研究成果を「本州中部の後期中新世から鮮新世のフローラ(英文)」にまとめられておりました。この度当博物館研究報告特別号としてこの論文を印刷刊行することとなりました。北海道や東北地方に比べて、本州中部における新第三紀植物化石フローラはよく調べられていませんが、この論文には多くの化石植物が記載されています。故人の成果を世に出すことは、故人の労苦に報いるだけでなく、わが国の古植物学のためにも有意義なことと思います。

尾崎氏が生前に収集された植物化石は当博物館に寄贈されました。御遺族並びに横浜国立大学長谷川義和教授はじめ地学教室の方々に心から御礼申し上げます。

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