Publications Committee Report – January 2011

This has been an exceptionally busy year, and the recent issue of the Mighty Messenger had to go to 16 pages for the first time. And that was without including a registration form. The many activities the Fellowship has undertaken needed to be publicized to the readership, and as usual I included as many photographs as possible. The advance publicity for IC 11 will hopefully increase attendance at the event.

We have produced two Mighty Messengers and one Herald in the past year. Now articles and stories are needed for the Herald and the next Mighty Messenger. Please send notices of any events within your study groups or societies, along with pictures when possible, for inclusion in the spring issue of the MM; and consider writing articles for the Herald. I know many of you on the Council have never contributed a single article for our publications, while others have done so on many occasions. Don't be afraid. We are always happy to work with authors who are unsure about how to express their ideas.

As a result of the request for volunteers in last spring's MM, the committee has a new ad hoc (so far) member who has already started some editing for the Herald.

You will notice my proposed budget has been increased slightly, but the response we are getting from our readership seems to warrant the additional expense.

If you have any questions regarding our publications, please don't hesitate to ask me.

Thank you, Linda Buselli, Chair