The Editorial Committee wishes to express its regret at the delay in the publication of Volume XXXIV. This has been due to unprecedented difficulties which have had to be faced. First, our regular firm of printers closed down, and another press sufficiently capable of carrying on the work had to be found. Then there was a shortage of printing paper in the market, but the Committee was fortunate enough to obtain an adequate supply from the Government Paper Factory, through the kind assistance of the Paper Control Board. It will therefore be possible now to continue publishing our Journal and Bulletin.

The Editorial Committee hopes to bring out Volume XXXIV Part 2 in the very near future, and The Natural History Bulletin as well as The Thai Journal in due course.

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In On Funeral Customs in Thailand, J. T. R. S. Vol. XXXIII Pt. 2, Page 202, ll. 35 et seq., should read:

"Some believe that seven days after death, the deceased has to appear before the tribunal in the spirit world and the offering of prayers may therefore be of assistance to him."