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SCIENCE NOTES

George Magrane, Iowa educational consultant and curriculum specialist, will speak on "Teaching Responsible Science in Small-town Iowa." Responders will be Madeline Nash, Chicago-based senior science and technology correspondent for *Time* magazine, and Brian Glenister, professor of geology at the University of Iowa and an advocate of evolution education.

Michael Ruse, professor of philosophy at the University of Guelph (Canada) and well-known speaker and writer on the philosophy of science, will address the issue of "Science: Its Nature and Social Responsibilities" with Paul Johnson, state representative from Decatur, responding.

Registration is \$5 (free to paid Iowa Committee of Correspondence members), and advance registration is recommended. Make checks payable to the Iowa Committee of Correspondence and send to Dr. Donald Huffman, Biology Department, Central College, Pella, IA 50219.

--Ruth W. Swenson

University of Iowa 1989-90 Museum Programs

The University of Iowa's Museum of Natural History is continuing its series of programs for students and teachers. "Field Trips" and "Animal Tales: Stories for Children" are ongoing programs open to the public.

The "Field Trips" series continues with a look at "History from Headstones" on April 15. The trip will be led by Mary Whelan, professor of anthropology. Ken Jensen, a researcher in botany, will lead a group in "Know Your Leaves: Tree Identification" on June 17 and an "Adult Nature Weekend" is planned for August at the Lakeside Lab on Lake Okoboji. The date is to be announced.

The "Animal Tales" series, led by Deanne Wortman and Tom Nothnagle, concludes with a session on April 5 at 2:30 p.m. in the Museum of Natural History's Bird Hall.

For more information about the University of Iowa's 1989-90 Museum Programs, contact Karole Fuller, Program Coordinator, Museum of Natural History, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA 52242, ph. (319) 335-0482.

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