



Mr. C. R. KNIGHT.

T. A. Stewart Memorial Award, 1967

Mr. Clifford R. Knight, of the National Rose Society of New South Wales, was awarded this high honour for 1967, which is the highest honour that can be bestowed upon a rosarian in Australasia.

Mr. Knight, who is more popularly known as Bill Knight, has been a member of the National Rose Society of New South Wales since 1927, during which time he has been most helpful to members with his general advice on growing roses.

For many years he has been a leading judge both at the Society's and the Royal Easter Shows and is at present the chairman of the judging panel which has the responsibility of training probationer judges. Mr. Knight's advice is most valuable in this sphere. He is a well respected nurseryman and is interested in hybridizing roses and his best known registered seedlings include Nigger Boy, Peter Pan and Mother's Day. In 1955 he introduced on behalf of Dr. Darval the lovely rose Madge Elliott.

Mr. Knight has given great encouragement to rose growers by practical demonstrations of pruning and preparation of blooms for rose shows and general advice on all aspects of growing better roses.
