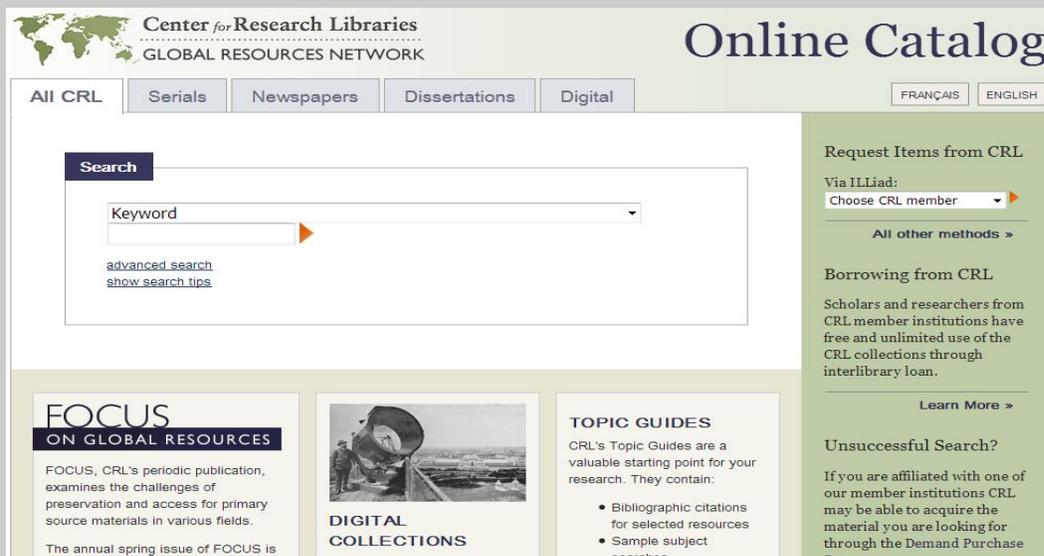


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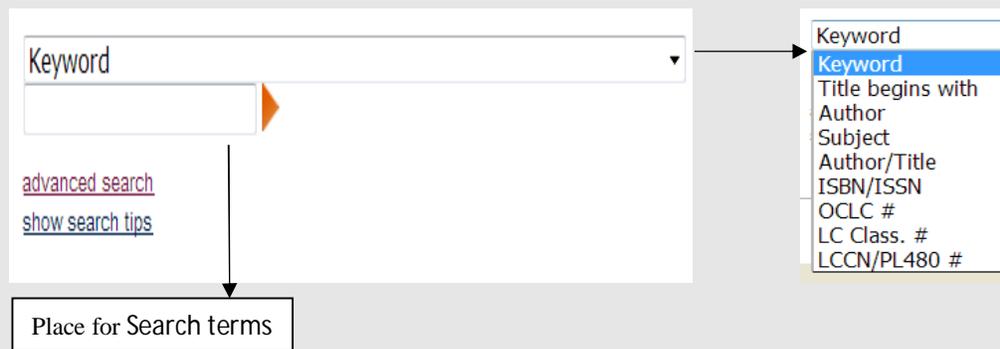
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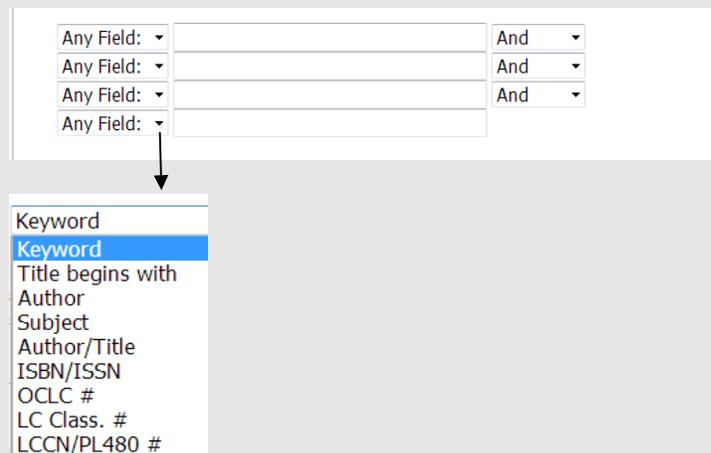
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**Author** [Märklin, Georg Friedrich](#)

**Title** [Betrachtungen über die Urformen der niedern Organismen \[microform\] / von Georg Friedrich Märklin](#)

**Imprint** Heidelberg, J.F. Winter, 1823

**Series** [Plant taxonomic literature microfiche collection ; FICHE 3749C7-3750C6](#)  
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**Physical description** xii, 83 p

**Reproduction** Microfiche. Westport, Conn. : Meckler/Chadwyck-Healey Publishing, [1987?]. 2 microfiches. (Plant taxonomic literature microfiche collection ; FICHE 3749C7-3750C6)

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