



South Coast ORCHID Society, Inc.

LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA

Meets on the 4th Monday of each Month at Silverado Park Club House, 31st Street and Santa Fe Ave.

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THE AERIDES TRIBE - ESPECIALLY PHALAEOPSIS

We are very fortunate in obtaining for our speaker at this meeting, Mr. Glenn Hiatt, at present affiliated with the Los Angeles County Arboretum as Orchidist. For some years Mr. Hiatt was manager of Orchid Research Co., who were responsible for many of the Phalaenopsis crosses which have contributed immeasurably to today's finest hybrids.

Mr. Hiatt has been closely associated with the propagation of orchids for many years and some outstanding crosses can be credited to him. Some of these are: Phal. LaCanada, Winged Victory, Altadena, San Marino, Ethel Dupont, Dr. Henry Eversole, and Ronnie Wilson.

He will show colored slides in conjunction with his talk.

The speaker will start promptly at 8:15 P.M.

REFRESHMENTS

Our thanks to Mrs. Louie Toy and her committee for serving refreshments last month, and for the beautiful floral centerpiece which adorned the table. For this month's meeting Mrs. Van Tilton and her committee will serve refreshments during the social hour.

PLANT FORUM

Joe Hampton, chairman of the Plant Forum, is really doing a "bang-up" job in this important part of our program. At last month's meeting well over a hundred plants were on display, literally encircling the room with beautiful blooms. "Doc" Charles, Mrs. Crothers, Clark Day, Ernie Hetherington and Harry Rapella presented the various groupings with most interesting commentaries.

Don't forget - bring in your blooming plants for all to enjoy. And, you know, there is a special plant drawing for contributors to the Forum.

PLANT DRAWING

This month's plant drawing will contain some very, fine orchids purchased from Ozzella's orchid range.

In addition to the plants purchased last month from Rapella Orchids of Hawthorne, we wish to express our appreciation for donations received from Rheinfrank and Associates, Southern California Greenhouse Co., and Toy's Orchids. We also wish to thank Harry Rapella for his donation of orchid plants for the Plant Forum drawing.

DUES

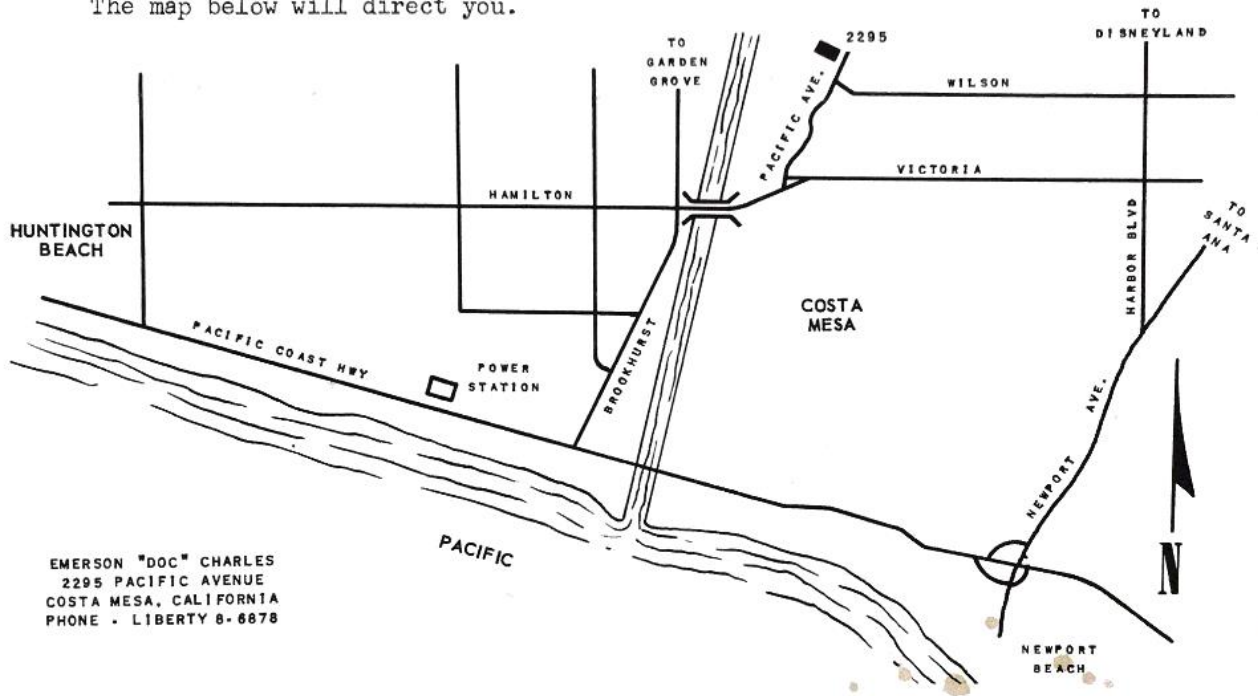
Society dues for the remaining half of 1958 are \$2.00. Dues, including subscription to the Orchid Digest, are \$6.00. Remit your dues to the Membership Secretary, Woodrow C. Wilson, 2453 Flower St., Huntington Park, or contact him at the meeting.

NOVICE CLASS

Fifty six members and guests attended the last Novice Class which met in the delightful surroundings of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Fields home, coffee and doughnuts were served for refreshments. Our sincere thanks to the Fields' for their hospitality to the group.

Jim Tresh, chairman, conducted the discussion period which started with Insecticides and pest control with many good opinions being expressed, and then phased into Fertilizers, where again some very interesting information was disseminated. With the Treasury again bulging with money, it was decided to consider seedling distribution to eligible members, and a report on this will be made by Clede Lincoln at the next meeting. We would also, at this time, like to congratulate Jim Tresh for his able conducting of the class - and the continued large attendance will attest to it. The next meeting will be held on the first Sunday of August (August 3) at the range of Emerson "Doc" Charles. The address is 2295 Pacific Ave., Costa Mesa. Phone Liberty 8-6878. This should be a most interesting meeting, as "Doc" has an outstanding collection of botanicals and has the know-how to go with it.

The map below will direct you.



LIBRARY

Back issues of THE ORCHID DIGEST are desired to build up our library, and any donations will be appreciated. Contact Van D. Tilton, 3854 Clark Ave., Long Beach 8, phone GA 5-8306.



Make plans to attend our big LUAU to be held in Silverado Park the 4th Monday of August (25 August). A special treat for all will include a color movie, through the courtesy of United Airlines, entitled "A Holiday in Hawaii". It has been suggested that dishes such as spare ribs, ham, chicken, and cold salads be brought. Special table arrangement will be made by Mrs. Calvin Worthen in keeping with Luau. And, the much appreciated ice cream, donated by Southern California Greenhouse Company, will be served following the meeting.

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

At last months meeting, all new members who joined the Society during the Drive, and their sponsors, were presented with their orchid plants. These plants were graciously donated by Art Falk from his exceptionally fine collection, and the Society extends him a vote of thanks and appreciation for his unselfish generosity.

ADVERTISING

For information relative to advertising space and rates in the Bulletin, contact Lee N. Bentzen, Bulletin Editor. His address is 4607 Blackthorne Avenue, Long Beach 8, California and telephone HARRISON 5-1576. Deadline for each month's issue is the second Friday of each month.

NEW MEMBERS

We wish to welcome the following new members into our Society, and suggest you look them up at the next meeting:

Arthur Freed - 5731 So. Bonsall Drive, Malibu, California, GL 7-2639

Mr. & Mrs. George Lucien - 2429 W. Del Amo, Torrance, FA 8-4594

Please enter their names in your Membership Directory for future reference.

GUESTS

The following were guests at our June meeting. We sincerely hope they enjoyed their visit and will pay us a return visit.

Mr. & Mrs. Albert Hesketh - 736 York Ave., Hawthorne

Mr. & Mrs. J. Tamblyn - 316 So. Mayo, Compton

Miss Claire Crothers - 740 Mesa Ave., Vista, Calif.

Mrs. Mary Hall - 3951 De Ora Way, Long Beach

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Browne - 817 Novelda Road, Alhambra

Mr. J. N. Giridlian - 345 West Colorado Blvd., Arcadia

Mr. Jimmy Calhoun - 21138 Hobart, Torrance

Mr. Hugo Freed - 5731 So. Bonsall Dr., Malibu

JUDGING

South Coast Orchid Society and Orchid Digest Corporation judging commences at 7:00 P.M. Plants not in the Judging Room by that time cannot be judged. Fill out your entry form completely and legibly, as all information requested is required for the records. Have a varietal name selected for your plant and enter it on the judging form.

SOUTH COAST AND ORCHID DIGEST REGIONAL JUDGING

June 23, 1958

Judging Chairman: George D. Field
 Judges Present: Howard Anderson, George Field, Ernest Hetherington, Rolan Howard,
 Nell Howard
 Assoc. Judges Present: Jean Field, Clede Lincoln, Woodrow Wilson
 Clerks Present: Earl Monson
 Official Photographer: George Reed

Of the plants submitted for judging, the following six received awards.

Award No. 164 C. Marmarie "Surprise", A.M., 80.0 points. Shown by Farrington Chase.

165 Lc. Eugene Casey "Questover", H.C.C., 77.7 points. Shown by Mr. & Mrs. Rolan Howard.

166 Phal. Clara Knight "Malibu", H.C.C., 78.0 points. Shown by Arthur Freed.

167 Phal. Arcadia "Regal", A.M., 80.3 points. Shown by Fred L. Browne.

168 Platyclinus Filiforme, a specie, received an award of botanical merit.
 Shown by N. H. Powell.

169 Rhynchostylus Retusa, a specie, received an award of botanical merit.
 Shown by N. H. Powell.

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| F.C.C. | First Class Certificate | (Gold Award) | 90 to 100 Points |
| A.M. | Award of Merit | (Silver Award) | 80 to 89.9 Points |
| H.C.C. | High Class Certificate | (Bronze Award) | 75 to 79.9 Points |

FROM THE RARE TOMATOE RED SOPHROLAELIA PSYCHE,
3 CROSSES TO INTRIGUE YOUR IMAGINATION:

- #317 *Sl. Psyche X B. Digbyana*. The combination is known as a Lowiara. Colors will be mostly shades of orange, flame, yellow and allied colors. Should be some excellent breeding material here.
- #316 *C. Henrietta Japhet X Sl. Psyche*. Sophrolaelias of the orange section have proven to be color dominant when crossed with whites. A most interesting and promising cross. Seedlings grow remarkably well.
- #312 *C. Porcia, 'Canizarro' X Sl. Psyche*. The most famous of the bifoliate cluster Cattleyas by a red Sophrolaelia. We frankly don't feel we can predict the growth habit here. As with other Sophrolaelia crosses this parent will have say as to color.

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