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## ORCHID SOCIETY, INC.

LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA

MEETS ON THE 4TH MONDAY OF EACH MONTH AT BIXBY PARK CLUB HOUSE 130CHERRY AVENUE ORCHIDS ARE GRACIOUS LIVING- WEAR THEM:

PROGRAM: November 25th 1968......Presents For Christmas .

Again we are presenting our Annual Trade Fair. This gives our Commercial Friend the opportunity to display his wares to advantage and to tell us of his hopes and offerings for the coming year. Invitations have been extended to 20 growers to exhibit, and judging by the response this should be the finest Fair we have held. Thanks to these good folk our meeting place becomes a veritable Fairyland for one evening, in fact I have considered it a miniature Southland Show in our very own back yard. Bring a friend and let he or she see and enjoy a wonderfull cross section of what the Southland has to offer. Be they beginner or expert.

PLANT PROCUREMENT: Insofar as the above mentioned have been invited to donate to our table we can be assured of a very fine one, in fact there should be offerings to capture anyones attention.

PROGRAM PAST: On his second visit to us this year Dr. Jack Fowlie maintained his marvelous postion of "audience capturer". With his tremendous knowledge born from experience he is virtually able to take you there. Thank you Dr. for a job very well done and again I will say please come back and visit us again.

## NOMINATIONS: 1969 OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

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GOOFS: Yes we had them. Mine was in anticipating the tremendous table we had, but I will not shoulder the entire blame. Due to a crossup in phone conversations the 1st V. P., 2nd V. P., and Editor really set a precedent. In all my years of attending flower meetings I cannot remember any of them starting without a plant procurement table. Thank you Mr. Joe Hagin for stepping in at the last minute, and I do mean the last minute, and with every plant in bloom no less. How is that for a Commercial "Friend". Let us hope that this kind of Goof does not occur again, or we will have to make 'Excedrin' part of our travel kit. I evidently Goofed another way too. Sent out invitations for refreshment donations to everyone who was out of town. Mrs. Sonia Clark had to make a mad dash out to supplement this part of our program. See how "Lucky" you were Mr. President to be sick for the October meeting.

REFRESHMENTS: Invitations have been extended to the following to donate the Lip smacking goodies for the November meeting. Mrs. & Miss Powell, Mr. Reed, Mr. Rich, Mrs. & Mrs. Rowland, Mr. Ed. Rucker and Mr. & Mrs. Rybaczyk.

FINANCIAL NOTE:

Our October Meeting Income(Plant Table)
October Expense(Rent, Bulletin, Postage,

\$ 78.00 195.70

Speaker Exp., Plants, Judging Room & Orchid Digest Color Fund)

Loss

\$117.70

## AWARDS: A.O.S. PACIFIC SOUTH SUPPLEMENTAL JUDGING: October 28th, 1968

Judges present: P.I. Brecht, H. A. Anderson, E. W. Charles, Mrs. E. W. Charles, I.O. Gleason, J. W. Hanes, Mrs. J. W. Hanes, J. N. Vidulich, J. L. Wallar, W. C. Wilson Prob. Judge: Dr. C. J. Aucreman Student Judges: Mrs. V. T. Scoggins, H. Whittaker. Clerks: S. L. Bance(sec.) J. L. Brebes, H. Compagnon, V. T. Scoggins

Award #37 BLC. Mem. Crispin Rosales Var. 'El Bekal' HCC. 76.2 A.M. Thompson

RIBBON AWARDS: Judges: John Brebes, Ed Volker and Ernie Campuzano

3 Points C. Bow Best Andy Yamamoto
2 " IC. Amber Glow x Nelly Roberts Ed Wise
1 " Epi Mariae x Intermediette H. Compagnon
Cult. BLC. Mem. Crispin Rosales Andy Yamamoto

BANQUET: Planning for this Annual Event is well on the way and in this first report I am able to announce that Dr. Wendell B. Sell has accepted our invitation to be our guest speaker in January. He is the Executive Vice President of the American Orchid Society and will no doubt have things to tell us of the aims and hopes of the very fine Society. Dr. Sell was as most of you know Chairman of the Working Committee for the 5th World Orchid Conference here in Long Beach. A tremendous performance that speaks very highly of his abilities. A speaker I am sure you all want to hear, so mark January 27th 1969. on that calender with a big big circle.

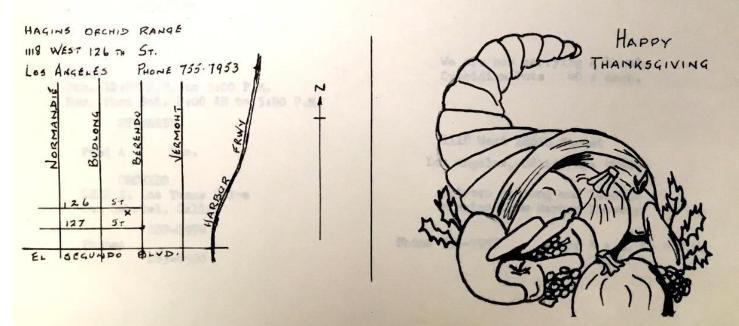
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NOVICE CLASS: A real good group enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. & Mrs. Crary in November. Clyde showed us how he handles dividing, potting, etc. of Dendrobiums and Vandas. Thanks for a job well done. Our next meeting will be a 'Certificate' one at the Hagins Orchid Range. 1118 West 126th St., Los Angeles (Phone 213 755-7953) Bring a chair and meet us there at 10:00 A.M. December 1st. DO NOT BRING PLANTS. for the table.



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