



# 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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PROGRAM - OCTOBER 22, 1962 - 8:00 P.M.

## "QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS"

### Panel

There will be a panel of experts on hand to answer out questions and help us with our problems on all phases of orchid growing such as light and shade, feeding, potting, watering, greenhouse construction, insect control, plant procurement, etc.

Please have your questions written out and ready to turn in at the beginning of the meeting. This should prove to be a very educational session and it will give us a chance to get the answers to all our problems.

At the September meeting Vice-President and Program Chairman, Paul Brecht, showed slides of all plants which had received awards from the South Coast Orchid Society during the past three years. The outstanding award winning features of each plant were pointed out and explained. There was also a discussion of such factors as: qualities necessary for an awarded plant, values given to various features, background and breeding of each plant, and features which are considered a disadvantage. With his thorough knowledge and wide experience in orchid culture, Mr. Brecht was eminently qualified to give these evaluations. Many members gained much helpful and useful information from the comprehensive and thorough discussion.

### PLANT PROCUREMENT

A wide variety of fine cattleyas was furnished by Mr. Arthur E. Falk. We acknowledge and thank the following for their donations: Rheinfrank and Hudson, Southern California Greenhouse Manufacturers, and B. O. Bracey and Co.

### PLANT FORUM

There was a colorful and fine display of plants on the exhibit tables. Informative and interesting comments were capably given by Mrs. Rita Crothers, Spencer Murray, and Clark Day.

Two exhibits displayed by Fred A. Stewart, Inc. and Clark Day, Jr. were the center of much interest.

## NOVICE CLASS

On October 7, 1962 eighty members met in the lovely garden of Mr. & Mrs. Lee N. Bentzen. The group divided into two sections. The first group watched demonstrations and also made corsages using various types of orchids. Ann Vaughan and Cleda Lincoln were fine instructors. The second group, led by Chairman Fred Vaughan, discussed various problems in orchid culture. This question and answer type of discussion is proving very popular and most helpful.

The November meeting of the Novice Class on November 4, 1962 at 10 a.m. will be held at Armacost and Royston, Inc., 2005 Armacost Avenue, West Los Angeles. At that time certificates will be presented to eligible members.

## SOUTH COAST AND ORCHID DIGEST REGIONAL JUDGING

September 24, 1962

Judging Chairman: Arthur E. Falk  
Judges Present: Paul Brecht, G. Dean Field, John Hanes, Tommie Hanes,  
Neill Howard, Rolan Howard, W. C. Wilson  
Associate Judges: Jean Field, Roy Fields  
Clerks: Ed Bauman, Jane Brecht, Dr. Lloyd Wallar, Mrs. Lloyd  
Wallar, Horace Whittaker

### Awards:

#366	Lc. Nigrescent var. "Ethiopian Emperor" Owner: Mr. & Mrs. P. G. Barnett	H.C.C.	75.5 pts.
#367	Lc. Marie Ozzella var. "Burgundy Beauty" Owner: Mr. & Mrs. A. C. Schweer	H.C.C.	77.5 pts.

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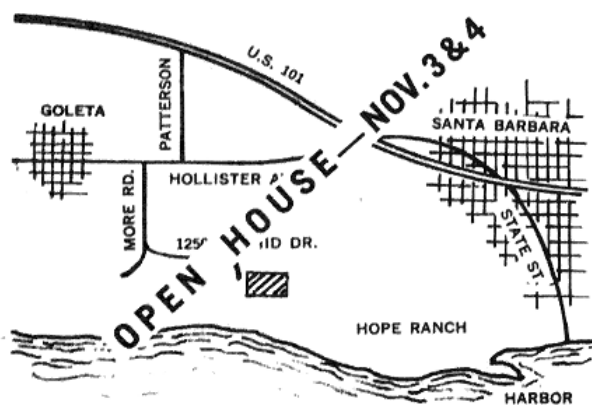
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