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We won't mention that our speaker for this month has long been associated with Urmston, Armacost & Royston, B. O. Bracey & Company, as well as Dos Pueblos; nor will we say that he is an old-time member of this Society. Neither will we remind our members that this speaker is one YOU will not want to miss yourself, and one you WILL want prospective members to hear. All this blurb is subliminal. Here is the Bulletin's shortest introduction - "Joe Hampton on 'Cattleyas'."

REFRESHMENTS

H.M.S. PINAFORE, under the captaincy of Nel Howard, put on an excellent performance at the last meeting. Nel had a "right good crew" of the L. Morrisons, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. H. Davis and the Calhouns, and Admiral Murphy did an outstanding job in command of the coffee pot. The proverbial lime juice took the form of refreshing punch, and the sea biscuits and duff - cookies and doughnuts, were brought by Jean Fields.

PLANT FORUM

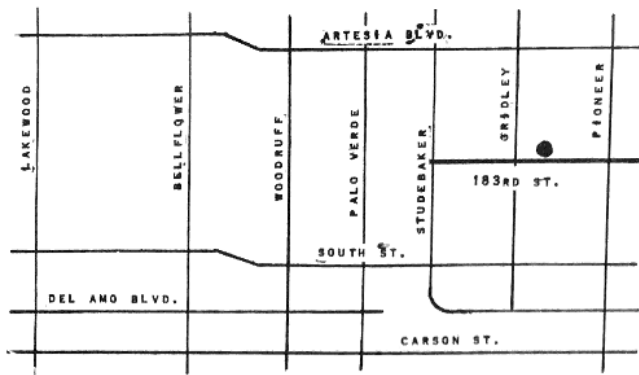
The variety, quality and quantity of plants at the forum would have done credit to a society twice the size of ours. It was a beautiful display. Harry Rapella made a most happy selection of commentators: our own Mrs. Crothers, ably assisted by the speaker, Dr. George Kennedy of UCLA, discussed the Botanicals; Glen Hamilton and Jim Thresh, the Cattleyas; and, Frank Fordyce, the Cyps and Cymbidiums. The Society did itself proud this time.

PLANT DRAWING

The plants for this month's drawing will be from Jeal's Orchids in Torrance. There will also be seedlings as a bonus with the purchase of \$2. or more of tickets. Last month, the plants and seedlings came from Toy's Orchids, half of the latter being donated by our ever-generous Louie. Some of the plants came also from Jeal's; in addition there were donations from Rheinfrank & Associates, Rapella Orchids, and Southern California Greenhouses. Many thanks to all these good people.

NOVICE CLASS

Between 50 and 60 people met in the patio of the Van Tilton's on June 7. Mrs. Vaughn and Mrs. Murphy were co-hostesses. Ice cream and coffee were served with pieces from a gaily decorated cake, dedicated to us orchid growers. One of the interesting items on display was a vase of yellow vanilla blossoms. There was considerable discussion on the merits of Hapu as a potting medium, the use of plastic pots and of polyethylene, both inside and outside the greenhouse. Mr. Tilton spoke of the books and pamphlets available in the library. He also invited members present to visit his auxiliary greenhouse in Signal Hill where there is an outstanding display of anthuriums. Many took advantage of this invitation. NOTE: Due to the fact that the next meeting would fall during the 4th of July week-end, it was voted to postpone our date until the second Sunday, July 12, when we shall meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Holmquist in Artesia.



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LIBRARY

This society is fortunate in having a very complete library of books and pamphlets on orchids and their culture. Mr. Van Tilton is our Librarian, and he is most accommodating in bringing to each meeting and to the Novice Class a selection of reading material. Furthermore, he is glad to bring any particular book or article any member may wish, and if it is not in our library, Mr. Tilton makes every effort to obtain it. His phone number is GA-5-8306.

BANQUET PHOTOS

Anyone interested in a photo taken at the Installation Banquet, please see Charlie Bowman right after the next meeting. This is your LAST CHANCE.

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

This is the last month for the Membership Drive, so get busy. It's strange how a man who will give his all for free for dear old Almy Mammy, must have an incentive afterwards, be it for bridge, golf or new members! We've about exhausted the range of our generous donor, Art Falk, so after this month, there will be no more plants given away. But keep on bringing in new members anyhow. What do you want for an incentive? Green Stamps, meebby?

LUAU

We hope you've all put a big ring around the date of August 24th on your calendars. That's when this Society lets down its hair (if it has any left) and goes in for a big time. Last month we mentioned Long Pig in our notice - in response to those of you who wrote in for recipes, we regret that the Bulletin does not have a Culinary Department, and we're not too sure how it's done, anyway. So let's concentrate on Lau Lau, Lomi, Moa Luana, a ME Wai Niu, Koele Palao, and, if you like, that pasty substance with the fascinatingly repulsive taste, Poi. This is so bad that people have to keep tasting it over and over to see if it is as bad as they first thought. It is.

NEW MEMBERS

The following are new members in our Society - Look them up at our next meeting.

Mr. & Mrs. R. A. Brown, 121 Bayshore, Long Beach, Calif.
Mr. & Mrs. Henri Compagnon, 2518 109th St., Inglewood, Calif.
Miss Zora Gridley, 1165 Locust Ave., Long Beach, Calif.
Mr. & Mrs. Henry G. O'Brien, 10967 Chanera Ave., Inglewood, Calif.
Mr. & Mrs. Fred C. Schultz, 11007 S. Chanera Ave., Inglewood, Calif.
Mrs. May Snyder, 3674 N. Faust Ave., Long Beach, Calif.
Dr. & Mrs. Robert Streeter, 2128 Via Pacheco, Palos Verdes, Calif.
Miss S. Margaretha Walls, 917 S. Holly St., Inglewood, Calif.

GUESTS

The following were guests at our MAY meeting. We sincerely hope they will make us a return visit real soon.

Mrs. Pauline Wilhelmus, 8313 E. 6th St., Downey, Calif.
Dr. Robert Streeter, 2128 Via Pacheco, Palos Verdes, Calif.
George E. Weller, 812 Oso Terrace, San Pedro, Calif.
Mr. & Mrs. Gerald Church, 1922 Hardwick St., Long Beach, Calif.
Mr. & Mrs. Henri Compagnon, 2518 - 108th St., Inglewood, Calif.
Mrs. Sid Beaty, 3304 Lees Ave., Long Beach, Calif.
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Sarah M. Walls, 917 S. Holly St., Inglewood, Calif.
Fred Schultz, 10963 Chanera Ave., Inglewood, Calif.
Mr. & Mrs. Bollin, 400 Delphine, Fullerton, Calif.
Cal Stockham, 336 Cherry Ave., Long Beach, Calif.
Bruce A. Hotchkiss, 343 E. Market St., Long Beach, Calif.

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

May 25, 1959

Judging Chairman: Glenn Hamilton
Judges Present: Arthur Falk, George Field,
Nel Howard, Rolan Howard
Associate Judges Present: Jean Field, Woodrow Wilson
Clerks Present: Edward Bauman, F. Eaton, John Vidulich
Official Photographer: A. T. McCarty

Of the eight plants submitted for judging, the following two received awards:

Award No.	Plant Name	Cert.	Points	Exhibited By
217	Den. Gatton Sunray "FCC/RHS"	H.C.C.	76.5	R. J. Chrisman
218	Vanda Nellie Morley "Nakagawa"	A.M.	81.4	Nakagawa Orchid Nurs Hilo, Hawaii

* This cross had not been named at the time of judging. A certificate of award will be presented upon proof of registration.

F.C.C.	First Class Certificate	(Gold Award)	90 to 100 Points
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H.C.C.	High Class Certificate	(Bronze Award)	75 to 79.9 Points

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