

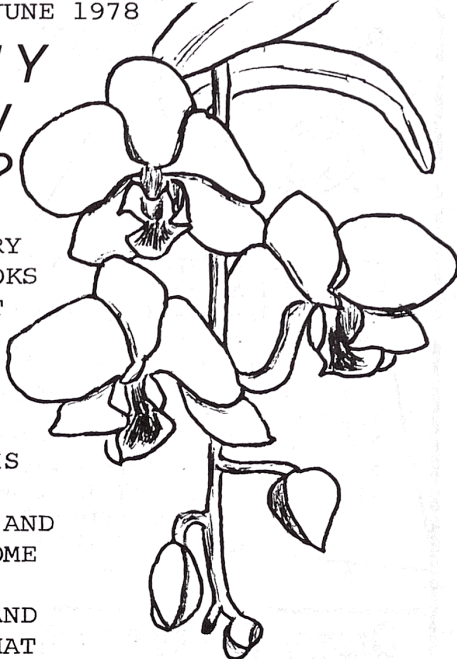
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WARDLOW PARK CLUBHOUSE
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LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA
MONDAY, JUNE 26, 1978



ORCHID SOCIETY, INC.

LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA
JUNE 1978

WHY GROW *phalaenopsis*?



OR, WHY BOTHER TO GROW PHALAENOPSIS????? EVERY TIME I GET ONE OF THOSE LITTLE DEVILS THAT LOOKS SO ENITCING AT THE GROWER'S, I GET IT HOME, IT TAKES ONE LOOK AT ME AND CRUMPS IMMEDIATELY!! NEVERTHELESS, I HAVE IT ON EXPERT AUTHORITY THAT NONE OTHER THAN HERB HAGER (formerly of Herb Hager Orchids which is now Gro-Tek Intl.) IS GOING TO TRY TO MAKE A CONVERT OF ME AT THIS MONTH'S MEETING. AFTER ALL, HERB HAS BEEN IN ORCHIDS SINCE 1927 (with Armacost & Royston), AND HAS BEEN GROWING HIS OWN BEAUTIES FOR QUITE SOME TIME. SANDER'S HYBRID LISTS SHOW HIM AS THE ORIGINATOR OF MANY OF TODAY'S BEST PHALIES - AND IN OTHER GENERA, WHICH ONLY GOES TO SHOW YA THAT THERE'S MORE TO LIFE THAN TENNIS.....DON'T MISS OUT ON THIS MEETING - BRING YOUR FRIENDS - AND ENJOY THE HERB HAGER HYBRIDS THAT WILL APPEAR ON THE JUNE OPPERTUNITY TABLE!!!

SPEAKING OF THE OPPERTUNITY TABLE, I'D LIKE TO REMIND YOU OF THE NEW DEAL FOR MEMBER CONTRIBUTIONS: FOR EVERY CONTRIBUTION TO THE TABLE, YOU WILL RECEIVE A FREE OPPERTUNITY TICKET (LIMIT - 4). NOW THAT'S ALMOST AS GOOD AS AN EVEN EXCHANGE!! AND AS FOR THE MEMBERSHIP DRAWING, MR.&MRS. W.R. POWELL DIDN'T GO HOME \$50 RICHER, SO SOME LUCKY MEMBER MIGHT GO HOME \$75 RICHER IN JUNE! NOW, IF YOU HATE PHALIES, THAT'S ENOUGH REASON TO SHOW UP IN JUNE - AT LEAST FOR ME!!!!!!

AND BY THE WAY, CHARLIE BOWMAN WANTS ME TO TELL YOU TO TELL YOUR PLANTS TO BE SURE TO BLOOM BY JULY 14 SO YOU CAN SHOW 'EM OFF AT THE ORANGE COUNTY FAIR! MORE SHOW NEWS ON THAT INFAMOUS LAST PAGE..... AND DO YOU KNOW WHAT AN ORCHID DIGEST IS (I always thought it was something it ate....)???? ASK CHARLIE FOR YOUR FREE COPY!

LAST, BUT NOT LEAST, THE PAUSE THAT REFRESHES: Dr.&Mrs. Ben Glass, the Robert Greens, the Robert Greenlees, Dr.&Mrs. Norito Hasegawa, Robert Hess, the Ernie Hetheringtons, Larry Heuer, Craig Hightower, Amber Hollingsworth and the Rolphs (HUH??) ARE THANKED IN ADVANCE FOR HELPING OUT WITH THE JUNE REFRESHMENTS. HOUSE CHAIRWOMAN BETZY MURRAY WOULD LIKE TO REMIND YOU THAT YOUR NAME DOESN'T HAVE TO BE CALLED IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO DONATE REFRESHMENTS THIS MONTH, OR ANY MONTH. ANY EFFORT, EITHER HOME-MADE OR BAKERY-FRESH, IS ALWAYS APPRECIATED!!!!!!

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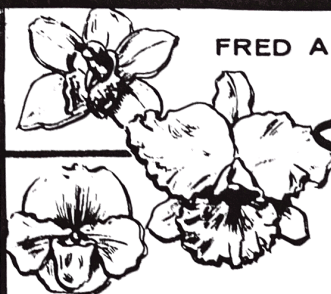
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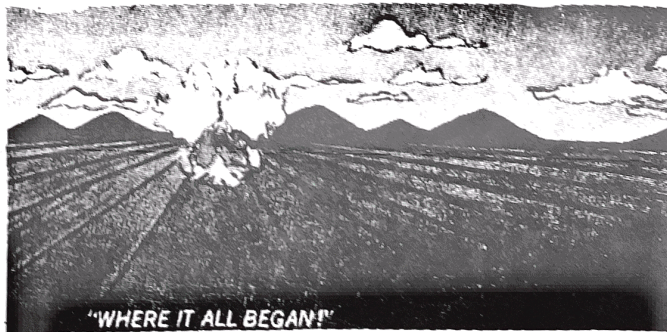
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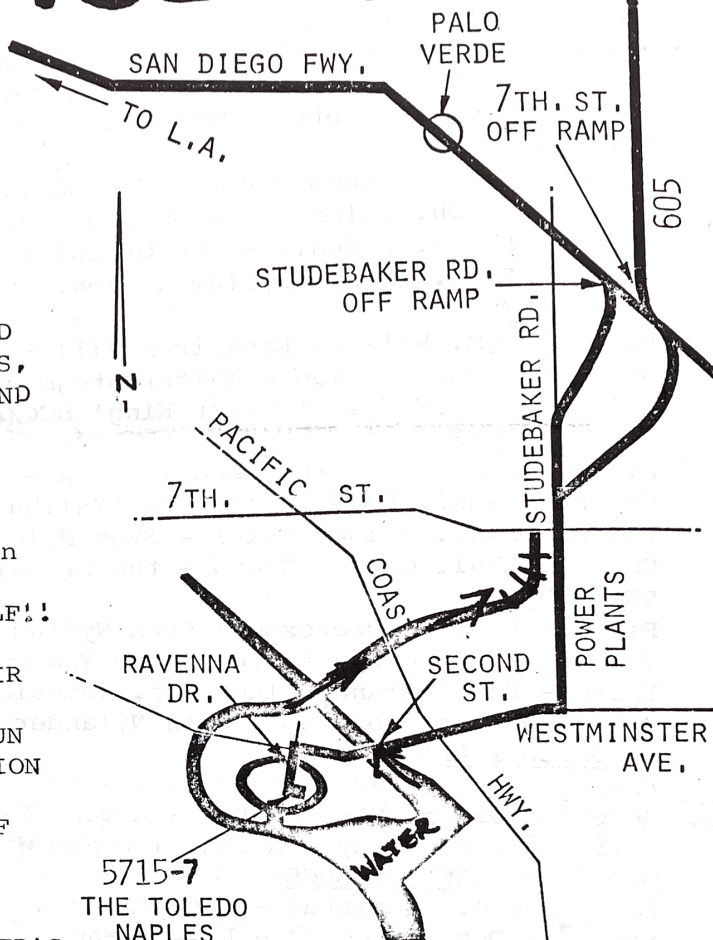
NOVICE NEWS

THE JULY MEETING OF THE NOVICE GROUP WILL BE HELD AT THE HOME OF HELEN & GARY COON. THEY HAVE GRACIOUSLY PROVIDED THE MAP AT RIGHT, AND IF YOU NEED MORE DETAILED DIRECTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT THE COONS, (213) 438-1860, OR CHAIRWOMAN PAT ROWLAND, (714) 893-9991. HELEN & GARY HAVE A FINE COLLECTION FROM AROUND THE WORLD AND AN UNUSUAL WAY OF GROWING ORCHIDS, SO IF YOU'RE NOT TAKING A LONG WEEKEND DROP IN AND SEE WHAT'S COOKING - ESPECIALLY IF YOU'VE NEVER BEEN TO A MEETING!

SUNDAY, JULY 2 10:00AM - 12 Noon

BRING A FRIEND - AN ORCHID - YOURSELF!!

WE THANK ED AND DONNA WISE FOR THEIR SUPER HOSPITALITY LAST MONTH. THE CERTIFICATE MEETING WAS ALMOST AS FUN AS SEEING THE WISE'S ORCHID COLLECTION AND LABORATORY! IT'S ALWAYS FUN TO LEARN A NEW TRICK OR TWO FROM ONE OF THE MEMBERS WHO IS HARDLY A NOVICE AT GROWING - JUST ASK HIM ABOUT HIS A.O.S. AWARDS AND THOSE BEAUTIFUL CATESETUM SPECIES HE BRINGS TO GROWER'S NIGHT EVERY YEAR. SEE WHAT YOU'RE MISSING BY NOT COMING???? NOVICE IS NOT FOR NOVICES ONLY!!!!!! - Pat



OPPOSITE FOUNTAIN - CORNER RAVENNA DRIVE AND THE TOLEDO. PHONE 438-1860

SOUTH COAST REGIONAL JUDGING

LONG BEACH, CA.

MAY 22, 1978

THE JUDGES WERE PICKY, PICKY PICKY!!! WHEN ALL WAS SAID AND DONE, 6 PLANTS SURVIVED OUT OF THE 31 ENTERED, 20 SCREENED, AND 5 SCORED LOW:

Paph. Bengal Lancers 'Indian Durbar'
Paph. _____ 'Mountain Spring'
Phal. _____ 'Cookie Bo'
Ascda. _____ 'Shride'
Odontioda Minel 'Burnham'
Paph. Bernice 'Rejoyce'

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HCC, 78.33, Anita B. Smith
HCC, 77.33, Jesse Shride
HCC, 77.0, Featherhill Exotic Plants
HCC, 75.0, Norito Hasegawa

Ribbons

CATTELEYA ALLIANCE

- First - Blc. Andy Yamamoto - Andy Yamamoto
 Second - Pot. Red Lava - Robert Mackay
 Third - Blc. Xanthette 'Chartreuse' - Ed Wise

PAPHIOPEDILUMS

- First - Paph. Alinum - Betty Schnobrich
 Second - Paph. delenatii - Norito Hasegawa
 Third - Phrag. sedenii - the Greenlees
 Cult. - Paph. glaucophyllum x Paph. appletonianum - Kurt Barlet

CYMBIDIUMS

- First - Cym. Vale of Kashmir x Jill - Andy Yamamoto
 Second - Cym. Fan Tan - Walter Stegman
 Cult. - Cym. Madrid 'Forest King' HCC/AOS - the Greenlees

PHALAEENOPSIS

- First - Phal. Barbara Freed Salzman - the Greenlees
 Second - Phal. Rhoda Fredricks 'Malibu' x Phal. Zada 'Bonsall' - Kurt Barlet
 Third - Phal. Golden Chief - Sven Nylander
 Cult. - Phal. Golden Cloud - the Greenlees

DENDROBIUMS

- First - Den. chrysotoxum - Sven Nylander
 Second - Den. chrysotoxum - Andy Yamamoto
 Third - Den. infundibulum (syn. jamesianum) - Robert Mackay
 Cult. - D. chrysotoxum - Sven Nylander

VANDACEOUS ALLIANCE

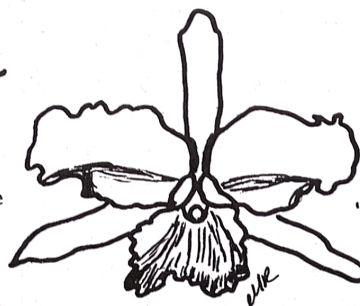
- First - Ren. Mauachica - Sven Nylander
 Second - Ascda. Stephen Sug x Ascda. Yip Sum Wah - Andy Yamamoto
 Third - V. Blue Boy x Ascda. Yip Sum Wah - Eugene Antommarchi

ODONTOGLOSSUM ALLIANCE

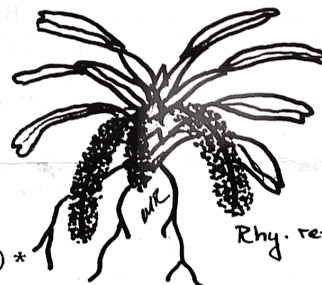
- First - Onc. ampliatus - Ron Allenegui
 Second - Onc. sarcones - Ron Allenegui
 Third - Odm. laeve - Robert Mackay
 Cult. - Onc. fimbriatum - Robert Mackay

ALL OTHER GENERA

- First - Rhy. retusa - Dana Friend (Vandaceous)*
 Second - Bletia patula - Robert Mackay
 Third - Lycaste brevispata - Gary Coon
 Cult. - Encyclia osmantha - Robert Mackay (Cattleya)*



Blc.
Xanthette
'Chartreuse'



Rhy. retusa

The efforts of our May judges are sincerely appreciated - especially for making do without the usual judging sheets: Kurt Barlet, Robert Sachau, Larry Lewis and Uncle Want Stegman, chairman. New, streamlined judging sheets will be available in June - be the first to get yours at 7:30!!

NOTICE: PLEASE BE CERTAIN TO READ THE MAY BULLETIN FOR THE RULES GOVERNING ELIGIBILITY FOR RIBBON JUDGING AWARDS!!!!!!

*will receive ribbon even though it was awarded out of category - Dr. Stegman

COS NOVICE GROUP

HAVE YOU EVER REALIZED THAT THE NOVICE GROUP IS JUST NOT FOR NOVICES? MATTER OF FACT, 'NOVICE' IS REALLY A MISNOMER - MANY OF OUR MEMBERS ARE FAR FROM NOVICE GROWERS, AND HAVE HAD MANY YEARS OF EXPERIANCE GROWING ALL KINDS OF ORCHIDS IN ALL KINDS OF CONDITIONS. OUR GROUP IS MORE OF A GROWER'S FORUM - TRADING 'SECRETS', LEARNING ABOUT PROPER CULTURE TECHNIQUES, FINDING OUT ABOUT HOW TO CURE THE PERSISTANTLY SICK PLANT, AND EVEN HOW TO PHOTOGRAPH YOUR PRIDE AND JOY WHEN IT FINALLY BLOOMS! IT'S ALSO A GOOD WAY TO ADD TO YOUR COLLECTION, BECAUSE WE OFTEN EXCHANGE PLANTS, AND THE CERTIFICATE PROGRAM ALLOWS YOU TO BUY A PLANT FOR JUST THE PRICE OF YOUR ATTENDANCE!

SOUND DIFFERENT THAN YOU ALWAYS THOUGHT OF THE NOVICE GROUP? THERE'S EVEN MORE THAN ALL OF THE ABOVE! ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS EITHER ATTEND THE JULY MEETING OR TALK TO PAT ROWLAND NEXT MONDAY NIGHT AND BECOME A 'NOVICE' !!!!!

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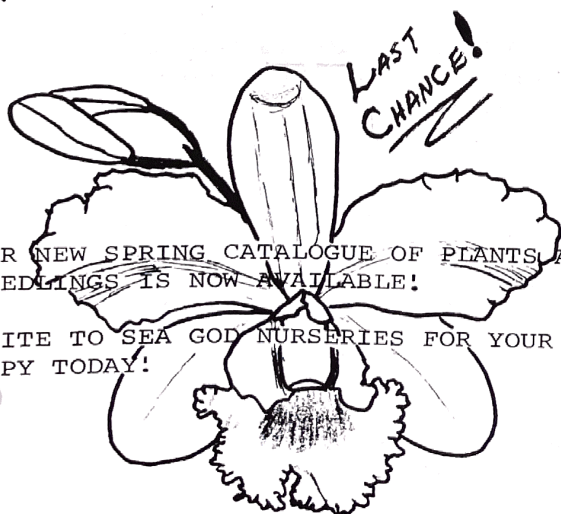
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members' column

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John & Mary Rolley
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Thanks for joining the best society in southern California!! And if you're reading this and you're not a member yet, see Mary Borders at the reception table next Monday!!!

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USE OF THIS SPACE IS FREE TO MEMBERS IN GOOD STANDING. USE IT!!!

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- *Greenhouse Accessories

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AND NOW.....IT'S THE DREADED.....LAST.....PAGE!!!!!!.....

MAY MEETING: I HONESTLY DON'T KNOW WHICH I ENJOYED MORE - ANDY EASTON'S TALK OR HIS DELIGHTFUL AUSSIE ACCENT!! ANDY TALKED ABOUT TRENDS OF THE FUTURE ASPECTS OF CYMBIDIUM HYBRIDIZING, AND THE FUTURE LOOKS BRIGHT INDEED! MOST OF HIS COMMENTS WERE DIRECTED TOWARD THE FUTURE OF THE TRUE MINIATURE CYMBIDIUM, I.E. THE ONE THAT DOESN'T TAKE "TWO MEN AND A DOG" TO DIVIDE (at my house, it's one woman and two dogs). ALSO, I FOUND OUT THAT THOSE OF YOU WHO HAVE POTENTIAL AWARD WINNERS, BUT THEY'RE TOO CUPPED-SHAPE FOR OUR JUDGES, SHOULD TAKE YOUR CYMBIDIUMS TO AUSTRALIA - THAT'S WHAT THEY AWARD IN THE LAND DOWN UNDER. BETWEEN DIPLOIDS, TETRAPLOIDS, AND THE PRICE OF CYMBIDIUMS IN NEW ZEALAND, IT WAS A THOROUGHLY ENJOYABLE EVENING. THANK YOU, ANDY, FOR YOUR TIME AND KNOWLEDGE!!

CONTRIBUTIONS: FIRST, WE THANK ANDY EASTON, OUR GUEST SPEAKER, FOR ALL THE EXOTICA FROM FEATHERHILL - INCLUDING SOME AWARDED CYMBIDIUMS! AND THANKS TO ALL THE OTHER MEMBERS WHO CONTRIBUTED PLANTS, A.O.S. BULLETINS, ETC. IF YOU DON'T FIND A LIST TO SIGN AT THE OPPORTUNITY TABLE, PUT YOUR NAME AND WHAT YOU BROUGHT IN THE EDITOR'S NOTEBOOK AT THE RECEPTION TABLE. AND REMEMBER - IT'S A FREE OPPORTUNITY TICKET (up to 4 each) FOR EVERY CONTRIBUTION TO THE TABLE. COME AND GET 'EM!!! CLEAN OUT YOUR GREENHOUSE!

SHOW NEWS: FIRST, A WRAP-UP OF THE NORTHRIDGE SHOW. CHARLIE BOWMAN WANTS TO THANK THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS FOR THEIR PARTICIPATION IN OUR DISPLAY: the Gesslers, miltonias; the Greenlees, 30 plants; Armacost & Royston, 6 cattleyas; Jim Miller & his mother; Jane & Paul Brecht, props; Ann & Woody Wilson, plants and help in general; the Rowland family, plants and corsages; Ernie Campuzano; Charles Stockham; SEARS, mannikin; Art (alias Chas.) McCann. SPECIAL RECOGNITION TO MICKI SONNEBORN, DELLA MURPHY, EMMA GREEN, AND IVA (Pat Rowland's neighbor) FOR MAKING AND SELLING 79 CORSAGES TO NET S.C.O.S. \$158.75. NOW, IF THAT ISN'T MEMBERSHIP PARTICIPATION.....!P.S. ALL THE DISPLAYS WERE OUTSTANDING, BUT WE HAD MORE FLOWERING PLANTS THAN ANYONE ELSE!!! NOW, IF YOU THOUGHT THE SOUTHLAND SHOW WAS FUN, AND YOU MISSED THE DEL MAR SHOW (substituted for the L.A. Home Show), JUNE 21 - July 4, TELL YOURSELF AND YOUR PLANTS THAT YOU WILL BE READY FOR THE ORANGE COUNTY FAIR! THIS IS THE ONE SHOW THAT IS CLOSE TO HOME AND IT'S NOT DURING A HOLIDAY - JULY 14 - 23. NO EXCUSES THIS TIME!!! WE NEED JUST AS MANY PLANTS AS WE HAD AT NORTHRIDGE, AND JUST AS MUCH HELP. AND WHAT DO YOU HAVE IN EARLY FALL BLOOMERS?? WE'RE CONSIDERING GOING TO THE POMONA FAIR THIS YEAR, TOO!!! LET'S MAKE THIS ONE THE BEST S.C.O.S. HAS ON RECORD - DON'T BE AFRAID TO PARTICIPATE!! NO MATTER HOW LARGE OR SMALL, EVERY EFFORT IS NEEDED AND APPRECIATED. CALL CHARLIE BOWMAN, (213)597-5074, (what you call him is up to you) AND TELL HIM WHAT YOU CAN DO FOR HIM AND YOUR SOCIETY!!!!!!

WELL, I'M EXHAUSTED FOR ANOTHER MONTH, SO HAVE A SUPER SUMMER VACATION, BUT DON'T FORGET US. WE MEET AT THE SAME TIME AND PLACE, AS USUAL. BESIDES, THERE'S A LUAU IN AUGUST, AND DR. NORITO HASEGAWA IS GOING TO GIVE THE JULY MEETING ON VANDAS AND ALLIED GENERA, SO S.C.O.S. HAS A PRETTY GOOD SUMMER LINE-UP, TOO!! AND WE DON'T SHOW RE-RUNS (just of the officers)!!!!!!

Have a good summer whatever you do,

Michelle (and Jim) Rolph