

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

LUFKIN HEMEROCALLIS SOCIETY

ARTICLE I. NAME

Section 1. The name of this organization shall be the LUFKIN HEMEROCALLIS SOCIETY.

ARTICLE II. OBJECT (PURPOSE)

Section 1. Object or purpose. The purpose of this society shall be to grow hemerocallis, promote interest, study and make research in their breeding and culture.

ARTICLE III. MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. The membership shall consist of active, associate, and any honorary members the society may desire to honor.

Section 2. Anyone desiring membership in this society shall submit an informal application by a member at any regular meeting to the membership committee who shall announce same. If no objection has been received by the committee during the following month, the name of the applicant is announced as a member at the next regular meeting. In case an objection has been received a secret ballot shall be held and three dissenting votes will withhold membership.

Section 3. Any one joining this society during the year of 1963 shall be a charter member.

Section 4. Dues. The annual dues of this society shall be two dollars or three dollars for husband and wife, payable on or before the January meeting, with one dollar for associate members with no voting privilege. The society year shall be the calendar year as used by the American Hemerocallis Society.

Section 5. Each national member may sponsor one non-national member.

ARTICLE IV. MEETINGS

Section 1. Quorum. A quorum for a business meeting shall be one third of the active membership. a quorum for an executive board meeting shall be four.

*This is the front of station
at Robert Scott Station
1964*

July 11 - 1963
**Flower Society
Enrolls Members
At Recent Meet**

Two new members—Mrs. Foster W. King and Mrs. J. R. Hanna—joined the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society at a recent monthly meeting in the assembly room of TP&L Co.

Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn, president, called the meeting to order. All committees reported, and Mrs. Robert Scott read the last meeting's minutes.

Mrs. Jack Kennedy presented an informative program on insects and insecticides.

Refreshments of cake, cookies, coffee, and Coke were served to the following: Mmes. R. T. Roebuck, Jack Scott, Jessie Johnson, T. C. Largent, C. M. Millican, Jack Kennedy, Ben Vaughn, D. O. Wallis, Otha Largent, Jessie O'Quinn, Robert Scott, J. T. Longbotham, A. B. Allen, and H. D. Johnson.



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September 30, 1963

To those of you that I have made angry or hurt your feelings while I was president, please accept my humble apology. For it was never my intention to do so.

And I want you to know that my decision to resign was made long before the action was taken. And I want no one to feel that they were the cause of it.

My reason for resigning is that I do not have the time that it requires to make a success of the society.

Sincerely

Mary Fay O'Quinn

Pines Topic For Hemerocallis Club

Robert Bloom of the Texas Forest Service spoke at the recent meeting of the Hemerocallis Society.

His discussion was of pine trees. He emphasized the time and work spent on planting and caring for the small trees, showing a movie illustrating the growth of a pine.

The door prize plant, brought by Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn, was won by Mrs. Jack Kennedy.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Jake Ross and Mrs. Robert Scott. Others attending were Mmes. Jack Scott, R. W. Riley, Herbert Trevathan, R. L. Ivie, Buford Maddus, R. T. Roebuck, Truman Largent, A. G. Colburn Sr. and Jack Kennedy. **MARCH 1963**

Picture Slides Shown To Hemerocallis Society

Picture slides taken by Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn of new and favorite hemerocallis in various gardens were shown to the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society at a recent meeting in the assembly room of the Texas Power and Light Company.

Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn, president, was in charge of the meeting.

during which all committees reported.

Mrs. G. B. Connell urged all members to mail votes for their choice of favorite hemerocallis to the national society.

One new member, Mrs. H. L. Dyer, joined the society.

Refreshments of cake, Coke, and coffee were served to the following: Mmes H. D. Johnson, Jessie O'Quinn, Robert Scott, Jack Scott, C. M. Milligan, T. C. Largent, R. T. Roebuck, Jake Ross, Jack Kennedy, Archie Mathews, H. L. Dyer, D. O. Wallis and G. B. Connell.

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March 1964

Hemerocallis Society Has Slide Show At Meeting In TP&L Assembly Room

A slide show of the best reasonable priced lilies in this region was shown to members of the Hemerocallis Society at their recent meeting in the TP&L Assembly Room, with Mrs. J. R. Jackson and Mrs. H. D. Johnson as hostesses.

The pictures were taken in Waco in Miss Edna Lankart's garden.

Mrs. D. O. Wallis, president, presided over the meeting.

A new member, Mrs. G. Stone, was received into the club.

A rummage sale was dis-

cussed and planned for March 14.

The door prize, a beautiful lily plant, was won by Mrs. J. R. Jackson.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses to Mmes. A. E. Allen, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, J. T. Longbotham, Archie Mathews, C. H. Milligan, Jake Ross, R. T. Roebuck, D. O. Wallis, Otha Largent, Robert Scott, Jack Scott, and two guests, Mrs. Walter Still and Mrs. Betty Longbotham.

Society Meets

Mrs. R. W. Riley gave the program entitled "Summer Care of Daylilies" at the recent meeting of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society in the TP&L Assembly Room.

The organization will hold a rummage sale Friday and Saturday, August 16-17, on Highway 94 beginning at 1 p.m. Friday. The public is invited to attend.

Mmes. Hub Trevathan, Sam Bennett, J. T. Salagaj were the hostesses at the meeting.

Those attending were members Mmes. Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Jessie O'Quinn, T. Roebuck, Robert Scott, Jack Scott, Garland, R. W. Riley, Lee Gipson, visitor, Mr. Melvin.

Lufkin Hemerocallis Society
being reminded of a picnic to be
held Thursday at 7 p.m. at
Chambers Park . . . District

Feb. 1964

Hemerocallis Society F Meeting In TP&L Room

Feb 1964

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society met recently in the TP&L Assembly Room with 12 members and three guests present.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. D. O. Wallis, president.

The highlight of the program was the showing of slides by Mrs. R. T. Roebuck. She showed beautiful daylilies from the garden of Miss Edna Lankart of Waco, vice president of Region 6, American Hemerocallis Society.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Wallis and Mrs. J. E. Johnson to Mmes. G. B. Connell, J. E. Johnson, H. D. Johnson, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, J. T. Longbottom, Archie Mathews, C. M. Milligan, R. T. Roebuck, Jack Scott, Robert Scott, D. O. Wallis and three guests, Mmes. C.

Group Meets In Largent Home

The Hemerocallis Society met recently at the home of Mrs. Truman Largent with 12 members attending and Mrs. Largent presiding.

Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn presented a slide program on Japan and Hodges Gardens.

The plant brought by Mrs. O'Quinn was won by Mrs. Homer Duncan.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. O'Quinn and Mrs. Herbert Trevathan to Mmes. Jack Kennedy, Homer Duncan, R. L. Ivie, Buford Maddux, Truman

Largent, R. T. Roebuck, Jack Scott, Robert Scott and C. M. Ross, A. G. Colburn Sr., Jack Milligan.

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May Tour Discussed, June Trip Is Planned By Hemerocallis Society

Members of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society discussed the yard tours they made May 28, and planned a trip to the Simon Nursery in Lafayette, Louisiana at a recent meeting held in the TP&L Assembly Room.

The group hopes to see many varieties of beautiful daylilies as well as some new introduction to old favorites on the tour, to be conducted June 9.

The following members were present at the meeting: Mmes. J. R. Jackson, J. E. Johnson, H. D. Johnson, Jack Kennedy,

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Day Lilies Are Planted By Hemerocallis Society As Project For Meeting

Members of the Hemerocallis Society brought day lilies and planted them at R. B. Scott's filling station as the project for their recent meeting.

The business portion of the meeting was held in the TP&L Assembly Room, with Mrs. D. O. Wallis, president, presiding. Two visitors from Trinity were present at the meeting.

Plans were made to hold a rummage sale April 19 at Big

Chief. Hostesses were Mrs. A. B. Allen and Mrs. I. R. Hannah.

Members present were Mrs. A. B. Allen, J. R. Jackson, I. R. Hannah, J. E. Johnson, J. R. Johnson, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Otha Largent, C. M. Milligan, Jake Ross, R. T. Roebuck, Robert Scott, Jack Scott, D. O. Wallis, G. Stone, C. F. Lord and new member, Mrs. C. R. Lineberry.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 7

9:30 a.m.—Ladies of Leisure will meet in the fellowship hall of the First Christian Church.

2:00 p.m.—Lufkin Hemerocallis Society will meet in the TP&L Assembly Room. Hostess will be Mrs. Lucille Williamson.

... Mrs. James Jackson announcing the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society rummage sale to be held tomorrow on the corner across the street from the Big Chief Grocery Store ...

Maria ... the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society donating daylilies to the Texas State Highway Department; the committee for the project was composed of Mrs. H. D. Johnson, Mrs. Truman (Cotton) Largent and Mrs. R. T. Roebuck.

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Hemerocallis Society Meets With Mmes. Ross, Roebuck As Hostesses

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society held its April meeting in the Texas Power and Light assembly room with Mrs. R. T. Roebuck and Mrs. Jake Ross acting as hostesses.

The meeting was opened with a devotional given by Mrs. Jack Kennedy.

The show committee discussed plans for a flower show to be held June 4. The show will include six gardens and will be open for tours.

Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn received the door prize given by Mrs. Jack Ross.

It was reported that the day-lilies donated by the club for landscaping at the Holiday Inn were growing well.

Mrs. O'Quinn reported on the Lufkin Area Council of Garden Clubs meeting. Mrs. H. D. Johnson gave a report on the City Federation meeting.

Mrs. A. B. Allen gave hints on companion plants to be used with day-lilies. She suggested dwarf cannas and copper plants as a background, marigolds and summer phlox among the day-lilies, and for an unusual border, carrots, purple lettuce and broccoli.

Following the meeting, refreshments were served to Mmes. A. B. Allen, I. R. Hanna, James Jackson, M. G. Kinard, Robert Scott, C. M. Milligan, Jessie O'Quinn, Jake Ross and R. T. Roebuck.

Lufkin Society Visits Gardens

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society met at the Coffman Gardens in Nederland for a monthly meeting recently and also visited the Curtis Gardens.

Members brought several hemerocallis plants.

Each member carried sandwiches, and Mrs. Coffman served coffee, Coke, and cake to the following: Mmes. R. T. Roebuck, D. O. Wallis, Jack Scott, Otha Largent, Robert Scott, Jessie Johnson, Jack Kennedy, H. D. Johnson, C. M. Milligan, and T. C. Largent.

THURSDAY, MARCH 4

2:00 p.m.—Lufkin Hemerocallis Society meets in TP&L Assembly Room with Mrs. Truman Largent and Mrs. Otha Largent as hostesses.

Day Lily Program Given At Hemerocallis Society Meeting At TP&L Room

Mrs. Robert Scott informed members on the moving and dividing of clumps and the planting of day lilies at a recent meeting of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society held in the TP&L Assembly Room.

The meeting was called to order by the president Mrs. D. O. Wallis.

A picnic was scheduled for September 10, and a door prize of a day lily was brought by Mrs. J. R. Johnson and won by Mrs. Archie Mathews.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Robert Scott and Mrs. C. M. Milligan, to the following 16 members: Mmes. A. B. Allen, I. R. Hannah, J. R. Jackson, H. D. Johnson, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Otha Largent, C. R. Lineberry, Archie Mathews, C. M. Milligan,

Jake Ross, J. T. Roebuck, Robert Scott, Jack Scott, D. O. Wallis, and Garland Stone.

Hemerocallis Society Has Round Table Discussion

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society met recently at 2 p.m. at the TP&L Assembly Room.

Mrs. D. O. Wallis, president, presided over the meeting which was a round table discussion of insects and insecticides.

The members are expecting Mrs. Coffman of Beaumont to be the speaker for the August Jack Scott, G. Stone and D. O. meeting. Mrs. Coffman will also Wallis.

Members present were Mmes. J. R. Jackson, J. E. Johnson, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Archie Mathews, C. M. Milligan, Robert Scott, Otha Largent, C. R. Lineberry, Archie Mathews, C. M. Milligan,



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(Lufkin News Photo)

Oct. 3, 1964

Day Lily Slides Viewed By Hemerocallis Society

Slides of day lilies were viewed by members of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society at a recent meeting held in the TP&L Assembly Room. The club has set a rummage sale for October 17 at the Big Chief Grocery.

The meeting was called to order by the vice president, Mrs. H. D. Johnson, in the absence of the president, Mrs. D. O. Wallis.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. A. B. Allen and Mrs. Jack Kennedy to Mmes. T. R. Hannah, J. R. Jackson, H. D. Johnson, Foster King, Truman Largent, Otha Largent, Archie Mathew, C. M. Mulligan, Jake Ross, R. T. Roebuck, Robert Scott, Jack Scott, and Garland Stone.

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society Has Yule Party

Dec. 1964

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society held its Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Truman Largent.

Dues were paid at the meeting, and officers were installed. The highlight of the evening was the exchanging of gifts.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Largent, and Mmes. Jack Kennedy, Otha Largent, and H. D. Johnson.

Present at the meeting were Mmes. J. R. Jackson, H. D. Johnson, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Otha Largent, Archie Mathews, C. M. Milligan, Jake Ross, R. T. Roebuck, Robert Scott, Jack Scott, C. R. Lineberry and Garland Stone.

Three new members, Mrs. Homer Duncan, Mrs. Jessie Quinn and Mrs. M. C. Kenard and one guest, Mrs. A. B. Allen were also in attendance.

Hemerocallis Society Meets

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The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society met recently at the Texas Power and Light Co.

Mrs. H. D. Johnson, president opened the meeting with the report of the other officers.

Mrs. Lucille Williamson, from Roganville, was in charge of the program. She gave a talk on new and better day lilies, and gave a slide show on "Landscaping and Companion Plants with Your Daylilies."

Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. H. D. Johnson, Truman Largent, C. M. Milligan, Robert Scott, Jack Kennedy, Otha Largent, Garland Stone, R. T. Roebuck, A. B. Allen, Jack Scott, J. R. Jackson, Jake Ross, Archie Mathews, C. R. Lineberry, Jessie O'Quinn, D. O. Wallis, Homer Duncan, M. G. Kinard, I. R. Hanna. Also, Ina Berry and Helen Vaughn, who were visitors.

Hemerocallis Society Has Meeting In Ross Home

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society met recently in the home of Mrs. Jake Ross for their Christmas party with 13 regular members and two new members.

The president, Mrs. R. T. Roebuck, called the meeting to order.

Plans for the daylily garden tours to be made next year were discussed.

After the gifts were exchanged and refreshments were served, the new officers for next year were installed.

Those present were Mmes. G. B. Conell, R. B. Atkins, Truman Largent, Archie Mathews, C. G. Milligan, Jake Ross, R. T. Roebuck, Robert Scott, Jack Scott, D. O. Wallis, Jack Kennedy, I. R. Hanna, Homer Johnson, and

the new members, Mrs. J. R. Jackson and Mrs. Lee Prall.

Daylilies Planted At Nursing Home By Club Members

Mrs. R. S. Roebuck and Mrs. Jack Kennedy were hostesses for the April meeting of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Club.

Mrs. Truman Largent, president, called the meeting to order, and Mrs. J. R. Jackson read the club prayer.

A report on daylilies donated and planted by club members at the Pine Haven Nursing Home was given by Mrs. A. B. Allen. This is the second year of a five-year project.

Mrs. H. D. Johnson said that clothes and money had been given to the Lufkin State School girl adopted by the club.

The door prize plant, donated by Mrs. Roebuck, was won by Mrs. Johnson.

"Pointers on Growing Hemerocallis" was the program topic presented by Mrs. Garland Stone. She stated that a well-prepared bed produces good blooms.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. A. B. Allen, J. R. Jackson, H. D. Johnson, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, C. M. Milligan, R. T. Roebuck and Garland Stone.

Garden Slides Viewed By Hemerocallis Society At Its Regular Meeting

Mrs. Jake Ross recently hosted members of the Hemerocallis Society for a slide tour of the gardens of Miss Edna Lanhart of Waco at their regular meeting at the TP&L Assembly Room.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. D. O. Wallis.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Wallis to

the following members: J. R. Jackson, J. E. Johnson, H. D. Johnson; Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Archie Mathews, C. M. Milligan, Jake Ross, R. T. Roebuck, Robert Scott, Jack Scott, D. O. Wallis and C. R. Lineberry.

Guests present were Ricky Schultz, Mrs. O. O. Thornton and Mrs. F. L. Dotson of Trinity, Mrs. Sossalt of Vidor and Mrs. Ruby Culbertson.

Beautifying Work Begins

The Angelina County Home Demonstration Clubs and the Hemerocallis Society have begun their community beautification project by landscaping a portion of the Civic Club Park on Timberland Drive. Members of the Hardworkers Home Demonstration Club and the Hemerocallis Society met this week at the park to begin the work.

They set out native flowering trees and plants in a portion of the park and outlined a bed of daylilies.

Those working were Mrs. Mary Thompson, Mrs. Audrey Hall, Mrs. Glen Smith, A. B. Allen, Mrs. Truman Largent and Mrs. Jane Stone.

Further landscaping has been outlined.

The plants are being donated by the club members.

The project was adopted by the Angelina County Home Demonstration Council as a result demonstration for 1966.



WORK FOR A DAY—Members of the Hemerocallis Society of Lufkin made their planting of Day Lillies at the Post Office Monday as part of their beautification program for that building. Mrs. Robert Scott (left), Hemerocallis president, and Truman Largent, the society's plant chairman, worked with the rest of the members adding color to the local scene. (Lufkin News Photo by Bob Thompson)

Hemerocallis Society Sees Slides Of Lily Varieties 1969

A slide show of day lily varieties and yard scenes was presented by Mrs. R. T. Roebuck and Mrs. J. B. O'Quinn at the recent meeting of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society in the TP&L Assembly Room.

Pictures of members' yards at the peak of the bloom season and of a tour in Louisiana were included in the slide program.

President Mrs. Jack Kennedy presided at the business session, during which a nominating committee was chosen.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Sam Bennett, A. G. Colburn, Lee Gibson, I. R. Hannah, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, J. B. O'Quinn, R. W. Riley, H. T. Roebuck, Jack Scott, Robert Scott, R. G. Scott, Garland Stone and Hub Trevathan.

Visitors were Mmes. Ben Varnhagen, Everett Griffith Jr. and Ruby Berry.



FLOWER SHOW — Lufkin Hemerocallis Society members made flower arrangements to show what can be done with daylilies at the flower show and held Thursday. Mrs. R. T. Roebuck is shown with two of the arrangements. (Lufkin News Photo)

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Mrs. Williams Speaks To Hemerocallis Society

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society held its first meeting for 1967 with a luncheon at the Chestnut Village cafeteria recently and went to the Texas Power and Light Co. assembly room for their program.

Mrs. Robert Scott, president, called the meeting to order.

The speaker, Mrs. W. G. Williams, was introduced by Mrs. Jack Kennedy. Mrs. Williams is from Roganville and is a hybridizer and grower of day lilies. She showed some slides of a new variety of lilies and how to grow them.

The club is working on the 1968 Region of Texas, Arizona and New Mexico meeting which will be held in May, 1968 in Lufkin.

The door prize, a plant, was brought by Mrs. Truman Largent.

gent and won by Mrs. Garland Stone.

New members joining the club were Mmes. J. T. Salagaj, R. G. Scott, Willie G. Williamson and W. G. Williamson.

Those attending the meeting were Mmes. Jack Kennedy, Buford Smith, R. T. Roebuck, Truman Largent, Robert Scott, Garland Stone, C. M. Milligan, Jack Scott, H. D. Johnson, Jessie B. O'Quinn, C. R. Lineberry, Jake Ross, R. W. Riley and I. R. Hannah and two visitors, Mrs. Ben Vaughn and J. B. O'Quinn.

Hemerocallis Club Has Slide Program

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society met recently in the T P & L Room with Mrs. Buford Smith and Mrs. C. M. Milligan as the hostesses.

Mrs. Robert Scott, president, called the meeting to order. Mrs. R. W. Riley gave the devotional. Mrs. Truman Largent gave a report on the City Federation. Mrs. H. D. Johnson gave the progress report on the region meeting which will be held in May, 1968.

The guest speaker was Mrs. Syble Gregory, a commercial grower, from Nacogdoches. She presented slides with her talk about daylilies.

Members present were Mmes. Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Buford Smith, H. D. Johnson, C. M. Milligan, Jake Ross, Garland Stone, R. T. Roebuck, Robert Scott, R. W. Riley, Jessie B. O'Quinn, Jack Scott and J. T. Salagaj.

The five visitors present were Mrs. D. Brookshire, Nacogdoches; Mrs. W. L. Gipson, Groveton; Dorothy Mari French, Houston; Mrs. Sybal Gregory, Nacogdoches; and Mrs. Hub Trevathan, Lufkin.



LUFKIN HEMEROCALLIS SOCIETY planted 200 day lilies around South Meadows Nursing Home in Diboll last Thursday. Members of the club donated their time and bulbs to help beautify the grounds of the recently constructed home. Diboll Nursery & Florist donated fertilizer to the

club. Working on the project were Mrs. Jack Scott, Mrs. Truman Largent, Mrs. I. R. Hannah, Mrs. Robert Scott, president of the Hemerocallis Society, Mrs. Buford Smith and Mrs. Jake Ross. Looking on is Arwine Simpson, South Meadows Nursing Home Administrator. (Free Press Photo)

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WOMEN'S SECTION

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The Free Press, Diboll, Texas, Thursday, May 25, 1967



LUFKIN HEMEROCALLIS SOCIETY officers for this year are Mrs. Robert Scott, president; Mrs. Jack Kennedy, vice president; Mrs. Jack Scott, second vice president; Mrs. R. T. Roebuck,

treasurer; Mrs. Jess O'Quinn, secretary; and Mrs. Truman Largent, Regional 6 chairman.

(Free Press Photo)

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Lufkin Hemerocallis Society

Busy Promoting Varied Works

Tues.
May 25,
1967

The daylily is only now coming into its own in the gardens of the world, yet it was cultivated many centuries ago. Some of the earliest known Chinese writings recommend the eating of daylily petals to kill pain. A Roman naturalist, Pliny, wrote about daylilies as early as 70 A.D. A Greek herbalist, referred to in his "Materia Medica" to a form now called the Lemon Daylily. This is still popular in gardens and prized for its fragrant, long-lasting light yellow blooms in early spring.

The first books on garden plants printed in Europe mention the daylily. Pena and Lobel in 1570 described the Lemon Daylily, and records show that it was growing in France and Belgium at this date. In 1576 Lobel published a woodcut which clearly illustrated an entire flowering plant with flesh roots. At this time he also described the second daylily known at this period, the summer-blooming H. Fulva, the familiar Tawny Daylily. This fulvous daylily was a mahogany-red color.

The daylily received its accepted generic name, Hemerocallis, in 1753. This name, derived from the Greek and meaning "beautiful for a day", is somewhat misleading. Although individual flowers last only a single day, new buds open daily, and flowering stalks are beautiful for several weeks. The lemon was listed as variety Flavus, and the Tawny as Fulvus. Flava came from Siberia, China, Japan and other parts of the temperate Asia. The native habitat of Fulva is uncertain, but might have been Japan or Central China. Both species spread by means of rhizomes.

Between 1860 and 1864 double-flowered fulvous daylilies, one with pure green and the other with striped foliage, came into culture in Europe, arriving apparently from Japan. It is believed they had long been under cultivation in China and Japan. They had been seen earlier by Kaempfer (1712) and Thunberg (1784). Their origin is a mystery, but they were probably mutations which attracted attention and were preserved by cultivation.

H. Citrina, the citron daylily, arrived at Sprenger-Mueller nursery in Italy from Shensi Province, China about 1897. Its night blooming habits caused it to be

much used by Daylily Breeders. It is strong grower, with large, fragrant, pale lemon-yellow blooms, but has narrow petals and sepals. It is an early summer bloomer.

Although there is some confusion as to what constitutes a true species in Hemerocallis, about eight so-called species were in cultivation in Europe and America at the turn of the century. The interest in daylilies, however, was gradually accelerating. Existing stocks were quickly exchanged between botanical gardens, nurseries, and private gardens where they were being grown.

A floriferous orange-flowered daylily, H. Multiflora, was found in Honan, China, and named in 1929 at the New York Botanical Gardens. This small-flowered species is very late blooming. While only a fair garden form it has been wonderful gene source for extending the blooming period of new hybrids. In addition to numerous flowers per scape, it has excellent branching.

Some unusual specimens bearing flowers of bright pink and red shades were also sent to the New York Botanical Gardens by Steward from China. The type definitely resembled Fulva, and was named H. Fulva var Rosea in 1939. It is still regarded as an excellent garden variety primarily because of its color. Rosea has also been important in the production of many red and pink seedlings.

Apparently little or no intentional hybridizing was done with daylilies in their native lands. It is largely through the efforts of hybridizers in the United States and England that great improvements have taken place during the last 75 years.

Selective breeding has brought us daylilies ranging from near white through yellow, orange, pink, red crimson, brown, plum, pastel shades, etc. Flower form and size have been diversified, entirely new color patterns originated, and the flowering period greatly extended. These and other improvements, both floral and vegetative, have decidedly increased the garden value of the daylily. In 1930 there were less than 200 daylily hybrids. At present (1967), 12,597 clones have been named and introduced.

Some of the pioneer hybridizers were A. Herrington (New Jersey), Luther Burbank (Cali-

fornia), the late Dr. A. B. Stout, Mrs. Nesmith and many more.

During the last several decades an increasing number of enthusiastic hybridizers, both amateur and professional, have shared in the rapid progress made in daylily improvement. Today, almost any color can be found in the Hemerocallis except a pure white and blue, and that will come in the future, so the Hemerocallis is a promising and worthwhile hobby, to look beautiful in gardens and to the Hybridizer a realization of some of his dreams for he is always looking for that white or blue one, that tiny bloom or some other goal he has his heart set on. And one of these days some of those dreams do come true for some people.

The American Hemerocallis Society includes the whole of the United States, with 15 regions. Texas being region Six, with about 500 members in region Six.

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society was organized March 7, 1963 in the home of Mrs. G. B. Connell. This Society is affiliated with the American Hemerocallis Society, Region 6 Hemerocallis Society and The City Federation of Women's Clubs. The Society meets the first Thursday in each month at 2 p.m.

Officers are: Mrs. Robert Scott, president; Mrs. Jack Kennedy, vice president; Mrs. Jack Scott, second vice president; Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn, secretary; Mr. R. T. Roebuck, treasurer; Mrs. Homer Duncan, parliamentarian; Mrs. Roland Scott, librarian; Mrs. Truman Largent, reporter.

Being a horticulture Society, the purpose is to grow Hemerocallis, promote interest, study and make research in their breeding and culture, promote public interest. The Society has display beds at the State Highway Department office building, Holiday Inn and the Post Office.

In May each year members of this Society open their yards to the public. Members make two out of town pilgrimages each year to see other gardens. This year members will go to Lake Jackson to the Region 6 meeting. While there they will attend an Accredited Flower Show and an Exhibition Judges Clinic.

Read The Want Ads!

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Ladies Discuss Favorite Lillies

The Hermorocallis Society met recently at the T.P.&L. Assembly room with Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn and Mrs. R. W. Riley as hostesses.

The meeting was called to order by the president Mrs. Robert Scott and Mrs. Truman Largent gave the club prayer.

Following the minutes of the last meeting, read by Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn, the members heard a report by Mrs. Largent on the regional meeting to be here in 1968. She also reported on the display beds at the post office and at the Holiday Inn, designated headquarters for the regional meeting.

Mrs. Jack Kennedy was in charge of the program. She called on several members to report on their favorite lillies and give pointers on growing them.

Eight members of the local society recently attended the Athens meeting and gave reports to the other members. All members were urged to attend the Region 6 meeting in Lake Jackson on May 26 and 27.

Attending the meeting were Mmes. Jack Kennedy, Jack Scott, Truman Largent, Homer Duncan, Robert Scott, C. Milligan and Jessie O'Quinn.

Also, Mmes. Jake Ross, R. T. Roebuck, R. G. Scott, G. Stone, R. W. Riley, W. son, Hub Trevathan, rah and one vi Squires.

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OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM

by

C. E. NISBET

Mayor of Lufkin

GREETINGS:

The garden clubs of Lufkin have made outstanding beautification contributions to the progress of our city.

In addition to the varied programs devoted to gardening within the clubs, our local garden clubs cooperate to the fullest degree on our yearly Chamber of Commerce "CLEAN-UP AND BEAUTIFICATION CAMPAIGN" conducted through-out Angelina County each spring. This year the emphasis being.....declaring WAR ON LITTER.

It is appropriate that a time be set aside each year in recognition of the value of all endeavors and accomplishments of our local clubs for the work they are doing to enhance the beauty of our city and county and to the furtherance of worth-while programs.

Therefore, I, as Mayor of Lufkin, Texas, do hereby designate the third week of March 1968 as

GARDEN CLUB WEEK

in Lufkin and Angelina County

In official recognition whereof, I hereby
affix my signature this 6th day of March, 1968.

Carl Nisbet

Mayor of Lufkin

1968

REGION SIX

THE AMERICAN HEMEROCALLIS SOCIETY

PRESENTS

SPRING PARADE

AT

ANGELINA HOTEL

LUFKIN, TEXAS

FRIDAY, MAY 24, 1968

2:00 to 5:00 P. M.

OPEN TO PUBLIC
NO CHARGE

General Show Chairman	Mrs. R. T. Roebuck
Co-Chairman	Mrs. W. G. Williamson
Schedule	Mrs. A. B. Allen
Publicity	Mrs. Buford Smith
Staging and Properties	Mrs. Jake Ross
Entries	Mrs. Jack Kennedy
Classification	Mrs. Robert Scott
Placement	Mrs. Lee Gibson
Judges	Mrs. Truman Largent
Awards	Mrs. R. T. Roebuck
Hospitality	Mrs. Jack Scott
Cleanup	Mrs. Jessie O'quinn

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S C H E D U L E

DIVISION I - ARTISTIC ARRANGEMENTS

No artificial material allowed.

CLASS A - "A LOOK AT SPRING" - Using our favorite Hemerocallis.

CLASS B - "IT MIGHT AS WELL BE SPRING" - A line arrangement of yellow and gold Hemerocallis.

CLASS C - "PICNIC AMONG THE PINES" - Using gold Hemerocallis with pine and cones. Using copper or brass container.

CLASS D - "DAYLILY SUPREME" - Using your favorite Hemerocallis.

CLASS E - "BEAUTY AND THE BIRDS" - Using pink Hemerocallis and bird figurines.

CLASS F - "CURVED LINE OF BEAUTY" - Using red Hemerocallis.

CLASS G - "YOU ALONE" - Corsage in a clear bag. Accessories may be used.

MABEL YASTE TRICOLOR TROPHY - Tricolor winner in Artistic Division, if a member of the American Hemerocallis Society, is eligible to compete for the rotating Mabel Yaste Tricolor Trophy. Fresh cut plant material must predominate, Hemerocallis being dominant in arrangement. Winner must be prepared to have arrangement photographed as soon as possible after judging is completed. An 8" x 10" glossy black and white photograph must be mailed within two weeks after show date by Show Chairman to Exhibition Chairman and also to Editor of the Hemerocallis Journal. For details, see a HS Handbook for Judges, 1964 Edition.

DIVISION II - HORTICULTURE

SECTION 1. - REGISTERED, INTRODUCED VARIETIES. Each variety constitutes a class. Best scape in each color or type class to receive a purple ribbon. Best purple ribbon winner to receive the American Hemerocallis Society. Special Award Rosette. Scapes not to exceed 36".

CLASS A - Yellow (Light, lemon, golden, etc.)

CLASS B - Orange (Light, medium, and dark)

CLASS C - Pink (Rose, baby ribbon, orchid, salmon)

CLASS D - Red (Light, orange red, deep cardinal)

CLASS E - Purple (Light, Lavendar mauve, dark)

CLASS F - Melon (Light, deep)

CLASS G - Polychrome (blends)

CLASS H - Bicolor

CLASS I - (Eyed, Banded)

CLASS J - (Spider)

CLASS K - (Double)

CLASS L - Tetraploid

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DIVISION II - HORTICULTURE (CONTINUED)

- SECTION 2. - REGISTERED, INTRODUCED SMALL FLOWER VARIETIES. (Not less than 3", but not more than 4 1/2" diameter.) Scapes not to exceed 36". Classes the same as in Section 1. Best purple ribbon award winner to receive the American Hemerocallis Society Special Award Rosette.
- SECTION 3. - REGISTERED, INTRODUCED MINATURE VARIETIES. (Not more than 3" dia.) Scapes not to exceed 36". Classes the same as in Section 1. Best purple ribbon winner to receive the American Hemerocallis Society Special Award Rosette.
- SECTION 4. - REGISTERED, UNINTRODUCED VARIETIES. Scapes not to exceed 36". Classes the same as in Section 1. Best purple ribbon winner to receive American Hemerocallis Society Special Award Rosette.
- SECTION 5. - SEEDLINGS. Numbered, but not named. MUST BE SHOWN ON SCAPES SEVERED AT BASE, with lighter area of crown showing. Classes the same as in Section 1. Best purple ribbon winner to receive American Hemerocallis Society Special Award Rosette.
- SECTION 6. - TOP WINNER IN AMERICAN HEMEROCALLIS SOCIETY 1966 POPULARITY POLL, REGION SIX - "JAKE RUSSELL." Single scape not to exceed 36". Best scape awarded American Hemerocallis Society Special Award Rosette.
- SECTION 7. - THE AMERICAN HEMEROCALLIS SOCIETY ACHIEVEMENT MEDAL. Three scapes of one variety at least three years old, severed at base with lighter area of crown showing. Must be unintroducted; should be named variety. If unnamed variety is chosen, Show Chairman and hybridizer have obligation to register within six weeks after date of show. May be entered by originator or other entrant. Positively no names or symbols shown on entry card. Entries Committee will give each entry a number, this to be the only number visible to the judges. A score of 90 or better, arrived at independently by each judge, is necessary for this award. Decision of judges will be final.
- SECTION 8. - AMERICAN HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY BRONZE MEDAL. COLLECTION OF 12 culti-
vars (registered and introduced varieties), one stem each, one stem
to a container. Score of 90 or better required, arrived at independ-
ently by each of three judges, for each specimen in collecting.
Scapes not to exceed 36".
- SECTION 9. - COLLECTION OF SCAPES, NAMES VARIETIES. Name required; add hybridizer if known. For display only; not judged.
CLASS A - Three scapes, one variety.
CLASS B - Three scapes, each of a different variety.
- SECTION 10 - HYBRIDIZER'S COLLECTION OF SCAPES, SEEDLINGS. Entered by hybridizer only. For display only; not judged.
CLASS A - Three scapes, one variety.
CLASS B - Three scapes, each a different variety.

DIVISION II - HORTICULTURE (CONTINUED)

SECTION 11. - COLLECTION OF INDIVIDUAL FLOWERS, NAMES VARIETIES, severed from scape. Name required; add hybridizer, if known. For display only; not judged. Display on 12" x 18" green styrofoam, each bloom in suitable vial.

SECTION 12. - HYBRIDIZER'S COLLECTION OF INDIVIDUAL FLOWERS OF SEEDLINGS, severed from scape. Entered by hybridizer only. For display only; not judged. Display on 12" x 18" green styrofoam, each bloom in suitable vial.

G E N E R A L R U L E S

1. Who may exhibit: Members Region Six, American Hemerocallis Society.
2. Registration time: Will be between 8:00 and 10:30 A. M. Judging from 10:30 to 2:00 P. M. Entries will not be received after 10:15 A. M.
3. Removal of entries: Entries must remain until 5:30 P. M. It is the responsibility of the exhibitors to remove entries and help with cleanup after the show.
4. Entries: Should be recorded on card properly filled out, showing classification number, division, theme, name of flower, and exhibitor's name. Card should be filled out before arrival at show location, if possible, to prevent congestion and confusion.
5. Awards: Ribbons will be awarded as follows: A sweepstakes ribbon will be awarded in the horticulture section; a tricolor ribbon will be awarded in the artistic division. See also special awards described elsewhere.
6. Scoring: Ribbons will be awarded as follows:

Points of 90 or more.....1st place.....blue ribbon .
 85 thru 89.....2nd place.....red ribbon
 75 thru 84.....3rd place.....yellow ribbon

Point scoring to be used by judges in Horticulture Division:

<u>Named Varieties</u>		<u>Seedlings</u>	
<u>Flower</u>		<u>Flower</u>	1
<u>Color</u>	10	<u>Color</u>	10
<u>Form</u>	10	<u>Pattern and form</u>	10
<u>Texture</u>	10	<u>Texture</u>	10
<u>Substance</u>	10	<u>Substance</u>	10 40
<u>Size</u>	10 50	<u>Condition and grooming,</u>	
<u>Condition and grooming,</u>		<u>flower and scape</u>	5
<u>flower and scape</u>	15	<u>Scape</u>	
<u>Scape</u>		<u>Height and strength</u>	15
<u>Height and strength</u>	15	<u>Buds and branching</u>	15
<u>Number of buds</u>	10	<u>Distinction</u>	25
<u>Branching</u>	10 35		
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Decision of judges if final. Judges may withhold awards from exhibits not meeting show standards.

NO ONE IS ALLOWED IN THE SHOWROOM DURING THE JUDGING except flower show chairmen, clerks and judges.

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GENERAL RULES

(Continued)

REGARDING ARTISTIC DIVISION

7. Exhibitors may obtain flowers from any source in making arrangements. No plant materials from the Conservation List of District IV of Texas Garden Clubs may be used as cut plant material. These plants are: Dogwood, American holly, bluebell, fringe tree, bluebonnet, India Paintbrush, bird-foot violet, cardinal flower (*lobelia cardinalis*), wild azalea.
8. In arrangement and composition classes, an exhibitor may make only one entry in each class. Use all fresh plant material. Accessories permitted where indicated in schedule. Show committee will not be responsible for containers and other property. Containers should have owner's name on underside.

REGARDING HORTICULTURE DIVISION

9. All horticultural exhibits must be grown by the exhibitor. No limit on number of entries. Containers will be furnished for the horticulture classes.
10. Naming, where indicated, is required in horticultural classes. Points will be deducted if name is not given. As a point of courtesy, hybridizer's name should also be given. Seedlings are only exception to naming requirement. They should show hybridizer's name and seedling number on portion of label to be revealed after judging is completed.

JUDGES'
SIGNATURES



PROCLAMATION

Whereas;

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society, being a Horticulture Society, whose purpose is to grow and promote interest in Hemerocallis, and,

Whereas;

This Society has helped to beautify our city by planting display beds of Hemerocallis for public veiwing.

I, Earl Nesbit, Mayor of the City of Lufkin, do hereby proclaim May 20th through May 25th, 1968 to be Hemerocallis Week in Lufkin.

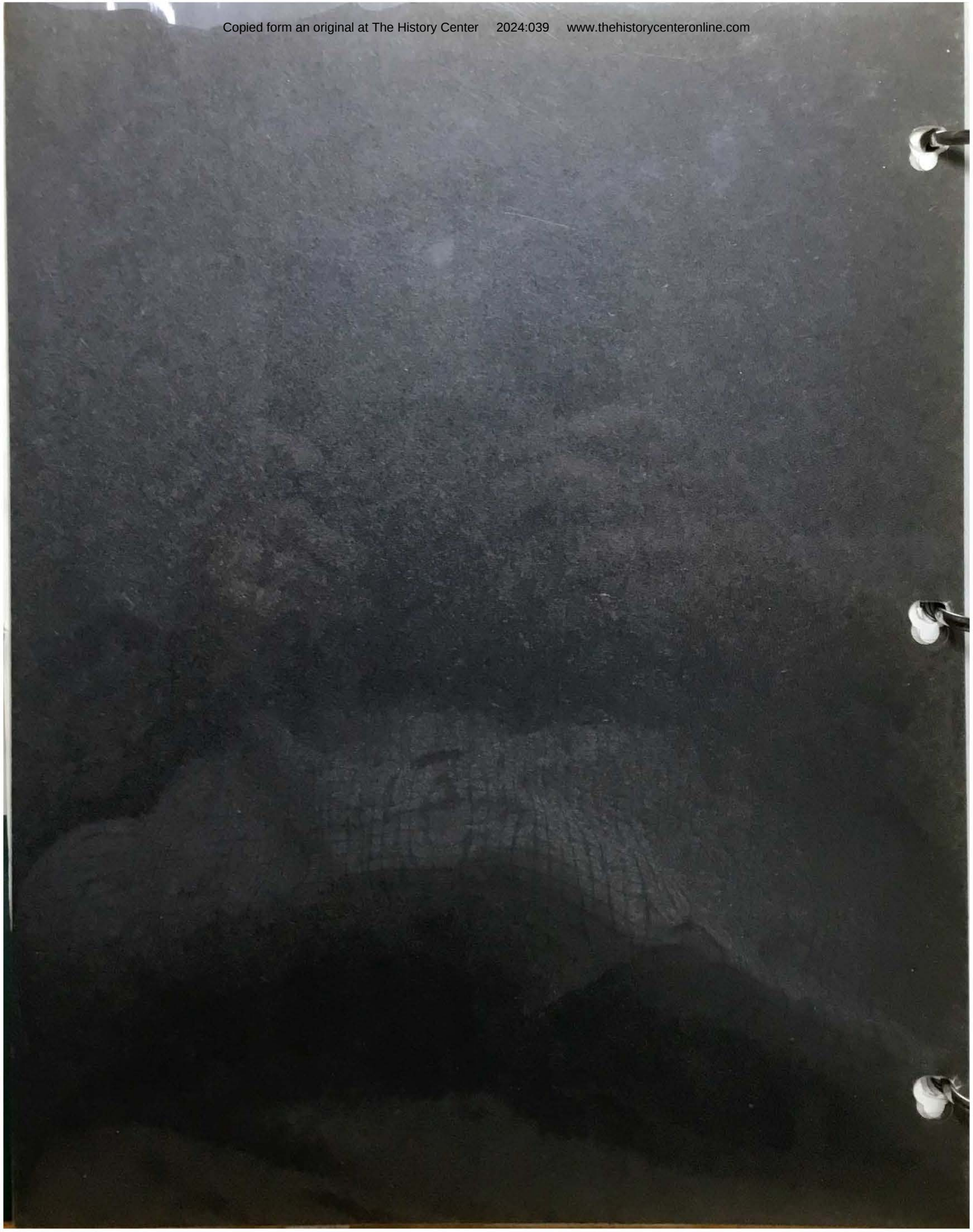
Signed,

Mayor of the City of Lufkin,

Earl Nesbit

Earl Nesbit





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Hemerocallis Week Set Here By Mayor Nisbet

This is Hemerocallis Week in Lufkin.

For those who might be unfamiliar with the name, the Hemerocallis is a flower and a very pretty one at that.

In fact a number of citizens with eyes both for beauty and civic pride form an attractive society in promoting the flower and beautifying Lufkin.

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society is a horticulture Society whose purpose is to grow and promote interest in Hemerocallis.

They have also helped beautify Lufkin by planting display beds of Hemerocallis for public viewing.

In recognition of this, Mayor Earl Nisbet has signed a proclamation declaring this week in Lufkin as Hemerocallis Week.

The observance is officially designated as May 20 through May 25.



HEMEROCALLIS WEEK — Mayor Earl Nisbet officially declares Hemerocallis Week in Lufkin. The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society is a horticulture group which grows and promotes interest in Hemerocallis. Shown with Mayor Earl Nisbet are, seated from left are Mrs. Robert Scott, president of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society and Mrs. Truman Largent, Region 6 Chairman. Standing from left are Mrs. Jack Scott, Yard on Tour second vice president; Mrs. Jack Kennedy, Yard on Tour vice president; Mrs. R. T. Roebuck, Yard on Tour chairman of show; and Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn, Yard on Tour secretary.

(Lufkin News Photo)

Transplanting Hemerocallis Topic

Mrs. Jack Scott gave a program on fall transplanting of daylilies at the recent meeting of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society.

She said that it is best to spade, fertilize and water a bed a week or more before resetting the plants. She told the members that the best time to transplant is after the fall rains start and the weather cools.

"A good fall fertilizer is one low in nitrogen with plenty of compost, oak sawdust, sand and peatmoss for soil conditioners.

"The old adage that daylilies thrive on neglect is true, but they also appreciate a good feeding and will reward you handsomely for your work of love," she said.

Mrs. Jack Kennedy presided at the business session during which the nominating committee reported on proposed officers for the new year. They are to be elected at the next meeting.

The club will hold its annual fall rummage sale Oct. 17-18 at the corner of Abney and Douglas.

Door prize was won by Mrs. Robert Scott.

Hostesses Mrs. A. G. Colburn and Mrs. Truman Largent served refreshments to Mes. Sam Bennett, Lee Gibson, I. R. Hannah, Jack Kennedy, C. M. Milligan, J. B. O'Quinn, R. W. Riley, R. T. Roebuck, Jack Scott, Robert Scott, Garland Stone, Hub Trevathan and one guest.

On this date in 1492, Christopher Columbus discover America.

1968



HEMEROCALLIS GARDENS TOURED — Tuesday marked "Hemerocallis Day-Lilly Day" in Lufkin and the local chapter of the Hemerocallis Society held garden tours and a show of arrangements throughout the city. Here, 1968 Region 6 chairman Mrs. Truman Largent (right) discusses the success of a special garden of day lilies being grown especially for next year's convention here, with Mrs. Jack Scott, who has charge of the garden at her home.
(Lufkin News Photo by Bob Thompson)

HEMEROCALLIS SOCIETY

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society met recently in the TP&L Assembly Room with Mrs. R. T. Roebuck presiding.

The program, "With Daylilies," was given by Mrs. Truman Largent. She told members that it is time to check shrub's and fertilize them and set out annuals, including day-lilies.

She advised members to include them in combination plantings and all landscape plans.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Jack Scott and Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn to Mmes. A. G. Colburn Sr., Homer Duncan, Lee Gipson, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, R. W. Riley, R. T. Roebuck, Jake Ross, J. S. Salagaj and Hub Trevathan.

Hemerocallis Society Has 1969 Officers Elected

Lufkin Hemerocallis Society voted on the officers for 1969 and announced they would be installed at the Dec. 5 meeting.

Officers for 1969 are president, Mrs. Jack Kennedy; vice president, Mrs. W. R. Riley; second vice president, Mrs. Garland Stone; secretary, Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn; treasurer, Mrs. R. T. Roebuck; parliamentarian, Mrs. Lee Gipson; librarian, Mrs. A. G. Colburn Sr. and reporter, Mrs. Ted Collins.

The program on choosing breeding stock with daylilies was presented by Mrs. Jack Kennedy.

The delegates for the City Federation of Women's Club are Mrs. Truman Largent and Mrs. Jack Scott. Alternate is Mrs. Sam Bennett.

Members present were Mmes. Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, C. M. Milligan, Jessie O'Quinn, Jake Ross, R. T. Roebuck, Robert Scott, Sam Bennett, Hub Trevathan, Jack Scott, Ted Collins, J. T. Salagaj and I. R. Hannah, and hostesses Mrs. Garland Stone and Mrs. R. W. Riley.

For Hemerocallis Society

Mrs. Duncan Is Party Hostess

The Christmas party for the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society was held recently in the home of Mrs. Homer Duncan.

Following a brief business session the members exchanged gifts. Donations were also made for a box being prepared for students at the Lufkin State School.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Duncan, Mrs. Garland Stone, Mrs. C. M. Milligan and Mrs. W. R. Riley to Mmes. A. B. Allen, I. R. Hannah, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Jake Ross, R. T. Roebuck, Robert Scott, Jack Scott, Buford Smith, Lee Gipson, Sam Bennett, A. G. Colburn, J. T. Salagaj, Hub Trevathan, W. G. Williamson and Willie G. Williamson.

1968 Region meeting



Hemerocallis Club Studies Day Lillies

March 1968

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society met recently in the TP&L Assembly room, Mrs. Robert Scott, president, called the meeting to order, and Mrs. J. R. Salagaj gave the club prayer.

Mrs. Truman Largent, plant chairman, gave a report on the 450 plants put out at the post office. She also reported on the display beds at the Holiday Inn.

Mrs. H. D. Johnson gave a report on the region meeting to be held in May, 1968.

The main speaker was Mr. Martin McMillian, Region 6 Vice President from Dallas. He spoke on the growing and beauty of day lillies. He presented slides with his talk.

Two new members, Mrs. Hub Trevathan and Mrs. W. L. Gipson, were welcomed.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin McMillian of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Stover of Jacksonville were guests.

Members present were Mmes. Robert Scott, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, R. T. Roebuck, H. D. Johnson, Jack Scott, Jessie B. O'Quinn, R. W. Williamson, J. T. Salagaj, Homer Dunkin, Willie G. Williamson, C. M. Milligan, and Stone, R. W. Riley and Ike Ross.

Club Sets Plans For Region Meet

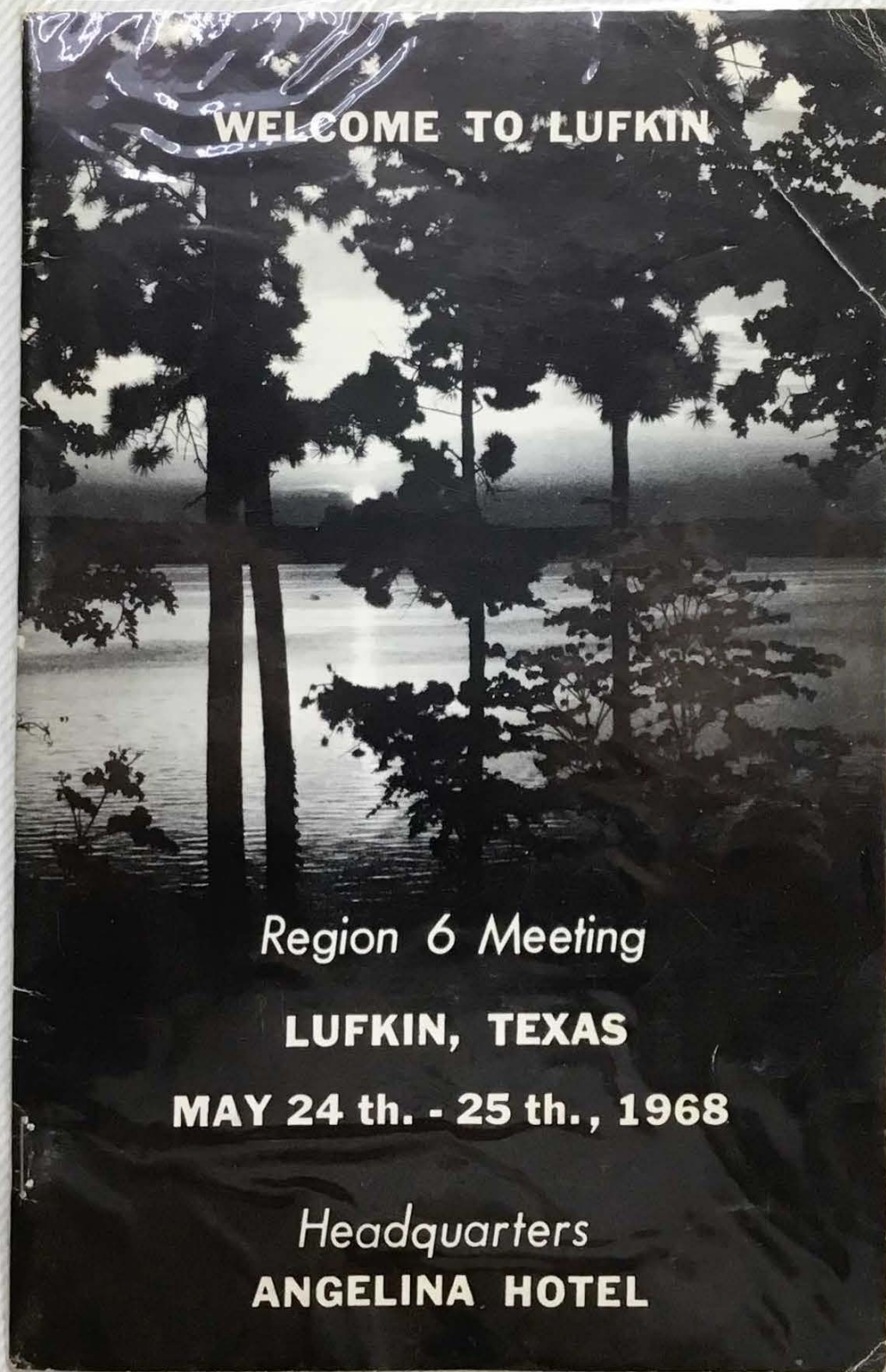
The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society met recently in the TP&L Assembly Room.

Mrs. Truman Largent discussed the Region 6 meeting which will be held in Lufkin in 1968. She also selected a committee to assist her in preparing for the meeting.

Reports were given on this year's region meeting by some of the members who attended.

Those present were Mmes. Sam Bennett, A. G. Colburn, C. R. Lenberry, C. M. Milligan, Truman Largent, Jessie B. O'Quinn, Jake Ross, R. T. Roebuck, Jack Scott and Garland Stone.

Also, Buford Smith, R. W. Riley, J. T. Salagaj, Rollan G. Scott, W. L. Gipson and Hub Trevathan.



WELCOME TO LUFKIN

Region 6 Meeting

LUFKIN, TEXAS

MAY 24 th. - 25 th., 1968

Headquarters

ANGELINA HOTEL

Big Vision Scott 1968

Hemerocallis Society Luncheon, Business

Following a luncheon at the Village Cafeteria, the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society met recently at the TP&L Assembly Room for its business session.

Mrs. Robert Scott, president, called the meeting to order and asked for a report from each officer.

The minutes were read by Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn.

Mrs. R. T. Roebuck gave the devotional and the meeting was then turned over to Mrs. Jack Kennedy, program chairman.

The program, "Getting Ready for Spring", advised the members that now is the time to clean out their bird boxes and repair lawn furniture.

Lawns and berried shrubs should also be fertilized.

The 1968 region meeting was discussed and plans made to host members of the Texas Hemerocallis Society on May 24-25 at Hotel Angelina.

Highlights of the state meet will be a flower show and exhibition judge clinic under the direction of Mrs. Royal A. Farris of Dallas.

An honors and awards clinic will be directed by Mrs. Hough Pernell of Dallas.

The hostesses were Mrs. C. M. Milligan and Mrs. Buford Smith.

Present at the meeting were Mmes. A. B. Allan, Homer Duncan, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, C. M. Milligan, Jessie O'Quinn, Jake Ross, R. T. Roebuck, Robert Scott, Jack Scott,



Mrs. Scott Directs Hemerocallis Member-Participation Program

Mrs. R. G. Scott directed a member participation program in which reasons for becoming interested in day lilies were discussed at the recent meeting of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society at the TP&L Assembly Room.

Mrs. J. T. Salagal reminded the members that the Lufkin State School student sponsored by the club would have a birthday soon and that a party should be planned for her in connection with the October meeting.

Mrs. Truman Largent reported on the Region 6 meeting planned for Lufkin in 1968. She stated that the gift plan are coming in well. There will be five yards with different varieties of lilies for tours during

Mrs. Garland Stone won the door prize brought by Mrs. Robert Scott.

Those attending were Mmes. A. B. Allen, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Robert Scott, C. M. Milligan, Jessie B. O'Quinn, Jack Scott, Buford Smith, J. T. Salagal, R. W. Riley, R. T. Roebuck, Garland Stone, A. C. Calburn, Sam Bennett, Ruland G. Scott, W. G. Williamson and one visitor.

Woman

First Bed

To Be Held Here

Hemerocallis Society Sets Plans For State Convention May 24-25

Plans for the Region 6 meeting of the state Hemerocallis Society were discussed by the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society at their recent meeting in the TP&L Assembly Room.

The meeting, set for May 24-25, is the group's state convention.

Five yards will be open to the public for tours on Saturday. They include those of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kennedy on Lotus Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott on Henderson, Mrs. R. T. Roebuck at 925 Sayers, Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn at 605 Traylor and Mr. and Mrs. Truman Largent at 2010 Pershing.

A Friday afternoon tour will

include the yards of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Allen at 203 Forest Park and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Milligan on Ellis Ave.

A tea and flower show will be held at Hotel Angelina Friday afternoon, May 24, from 1 to 5 p.m. The public is to be invited.

Those attending the meeting, for which Mrs. A. B. Allen and Mrs. Jack Kennedy were hostesses, included Mmes. Truman Largent, R. T. Roebuck, Robert Scott, I. R. Hannah, Homer Duncan, C. M. Milligan, R. W. Riley and Jessie O'Quinn.

Door prize, brought by Mrs. R. T. Roebuck, was won by Mrs. Jack Kennedy.



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Hemerocallis Society

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Mrs. T. C. Largent Gives Talk On Border Plants

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society heard the program on border plants by Mrs. T. C. Largent at a meeting recently held in the TP&L assembly room.

Mrs. C. M. Milligan gave the devotional.

Mrs. Jack Scott and Mrs. Ro-

burt Scott served refreshments to Mmes. Jack Kennedy, Lee Gibson, R. T. Roebuck, Hub Trevathan and Sam Bennett.

Also, Jack Scott, Robert Scott, T. C. Largent, Homer Duncan, C. M. Milligan, I. R. Hannah, Garland Stone, and A. G. Col-

burn Sr.

1968 Slides Viewed By Hemerocallis

Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn and Mrs. R. T. Roebuck presented a slide show of some of their day lilies and of a recent trip to Lake Jackson for the regional meeting at the recent meeting of the Hemerocallis Society in the TP&L Assembly Room.

Officers reports were given and Mrs. Jake Ross gave a report on the club's recent rummage sale.

Mrs. Ross also stated that a bazaar is scheduled for December and asked all members to prepare the items they planned to submit for the sale.

Mrs. J. T. Salagaj reported on a birthday party for the girl the club sponsors at the Lufkin State School.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. A. B. Allen, Mrs. Cheryl Gipson and Mrs. Truman Went.

door prize was brought
79c r. Jessie O'Quinn and won
Robert Scott.

Mrs. Roebuck Is Speaker For Hemerocallis Society

Mrs. R. T. Roebuck spoke at the recent meeting of the Hemerocallis Society in the TP&L Assembly Room on the best re-bloomers of the day lily family.

She reported on those in her yard and their performance.

Mrs. Robert Scott presided at the meeting. Mrs. Hub Trevathan gave the devotional.

Reports were given on plans for the Region Six meeting to be held here May 24-25.

Mrs. R. W. Riley reported that she has completed the attendance prizes. Mrs. Jack Kennedy stated that the gift plants she is growing in her garden

are to be given in a drawing at a banquet.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Homer Duncan, to Mmes. Truman Largent, Jack Kennedy, Jessie O'Quinn, R. T. Roebuck, Jack Scott, R. W. Riley, R. G. Scott, C. M. Milligan, Jake Ross, Robert Scott, Garland Stone, Lee Gipson, Hub Trevathan, W. G. Williamson, Willie J. Williamson.



Winnie yard 1968



Winnie E. Bell Smith

While on the subject of beautification, there is a constant effort on the part of many groups and individuals to beautify Lufkin.

Chamber Manager Herman Brown sent the following letter to one of those groups:

"Mrs. Robert Scott Sr., Mrs. Truman Largent, Lufkin Hemerocallis Society: The Civic Improvement Committee, Mr. Carl Lively chairman, takes this opportunity to express appreciation to your group for the fine work done on beautification at the Lufkin Post Office. The landscape work done and the flowers and day lillies are beautiful and greatly enhances the attractiveness of the Post Office. These flowers are viewed by many people.

"You have done a great work in our effort to beautify our community and please express our appreciation and gratitude to all of your members. I was pleased to note that the Post Office Department also recognized your club by presenting an appreciation award." Signed, Herman Brown, Chamber manager.

Beautification work must continue in Lufkin. Much remains to be done. There are still unsightly weeds growing in downtown Lufkin and in the residential areas and this mars the beauty, plus other eyesores.

I understand Lively's Civic Improvement Committee plans to sponsor "Yard Beautiful" again this year. It is being started late because the heavy spring rains delayed much planting and yard work.

A yard will be selected each week for its beauty, and a placard will be placed in the yard so noting that it is Yard Beautiful of the week. It is an excellent project.

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By Hemerocallis Society

Christmas Party,

Installation Held

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society held its Christmas party in the home of Mrs. I. R. Hannah of Diboll during which time the new officers were installed.

Mrs. Truman Largent, installing officer, used as her theme a wheel, with each officer representing one of the spokes.

She emphasized that each member must perform her duties to form the wheel.

After the installation, gifts were exchanged with Mrs. Jake Ross acting as Santa Claus.

Refreshments were then served to Mmes. A. G. Colburn Sr., Ted Collins, Homer Duncan, Lee Gibson, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent and C. M. Milligan.

Also, Jesse O'Quinn, R. W. Riley, R. T. Roebuck, Jake Ross, J. S. Salagaj, Jack Scott, Robert Scott, R. G. Scott, Garland Stone and hostess, Mrs. I. R. Hannah.

Hemerocallis Society

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society met Oct. 6 in the home of Mrs. Truman Largent. Mrs. Jack Kennedy presented the program.

Attending were Mmes. Homer Duncan, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Jackey Pigg, Jake Ross, Robert Scott, Herbert Trevathan, Charles Weeks, C. King, and Ms. Omah Dell Thigpen.

The next meeting will be Nov.

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Of Hemerocallis Society

Plant Report Given At Meeting

Mrs. Truman Largent, plant chairman for the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society, gave a report at the recent meeting on the work done by the club at the South Meadow Nursing Home in Diboll.

She stated that there were 200 day lily bulbs put out to help beautify the grounds and that the Diboll Florist and Nursery donated the fertilizer for the beds.

Club members agreed to send a memorial contribution to a fund in memory of Robert W. Schlurap of Houston, a leading Texas grower who died recently. The fund is for the placement of a piece of statuary in his yard. Mrs. R. W. Riley directed the

program entitled, "The Day Know is Growing Day Lilies."

Mrs. Jake Ross reported there will be a bazaar on Dec. 1-2 in the old Perry Building for the sale of Christmas items. The public is invited.

The Christmas party will be held at the home of Mrs. Garland Stone. Each member is to buy a gift to be taken to the Lufkin State School.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. R. T. Roebuck and Mrs. Jack Kennedy to Mmes. I. R. Hannah, Truman Largent, C. M. Milligan, Jessie B. O'Quinn, Jake Ross, Robert Scott, Garland Stone, R. W. Riley, T. Salagaj, R. G. Scott, Hub Trevathan and L. Gipson.



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HEMEROCALLIS WEEK PROCLAIMED — Mayor Earl Nisbet signs a proclamation setting the week of May 22-27 as Hemerocallis Week in Lufkin. Looking on are members of the local Hemerocallis Society who will participate in yard shows during the week. Left to right are Mrs. Truman Largent, Region Six, 1968 Chairman; Mrs. Jack Kennedy, vice president and show committee chairman; and Mrs. Robert Scott, society president.

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Yard Tours Will Highlight Hemerocallis Week Here

May 22-27 has been set as Hemerocallis Week in Lufkin by a proclamation by Mayor Earl Nisbet.

The word hemerocallis is a Greek word meaning "beauty for a day" and thus the goal of the society — to promote interest in growing day lilies and in beautification — was established.

In observance of the week, the club will sponsor public showings of five yards.

Homes which will have displays include those of Mrs. Jack Kennedy, Lotus Lane and John Redditt Drive; Mrs. Truman Largent, 2010 Pershing at Largent; Mrs. Jack Scott, 1421 Henderson; Mrs. R. T. Roebuck, 925 Sayers; and Mrs. Jessie B. O'Quinn, 605 Trayler.

The tour will begin at 9:30 a.m. May 23 at the home of Mrs. Kennedy with a flower show and plant sale.

The club also extends an invitation for the public to view their display.

At the recent meeting of the Hemerocallis Society, Mrs. Jack Kennedy presented a program on arranging day lilies. She stated that by adding fresh lilies each day the arrangement will keep longer. She also gave suggestions on types of containers.

The club is now making plans for the 1968 region meeting which will be held in Lufkin. Twelve members will attend this year's meeting at Lake Jackson on May 26.

Mrs. R. T. Roebuck brought the door prize, which was won by Mrs. Garland Stone.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Truman Largent and Mrs. J. B. Smith, to Mes. Homer Duncan, C. R. Linsberry, C. M. Milligan,

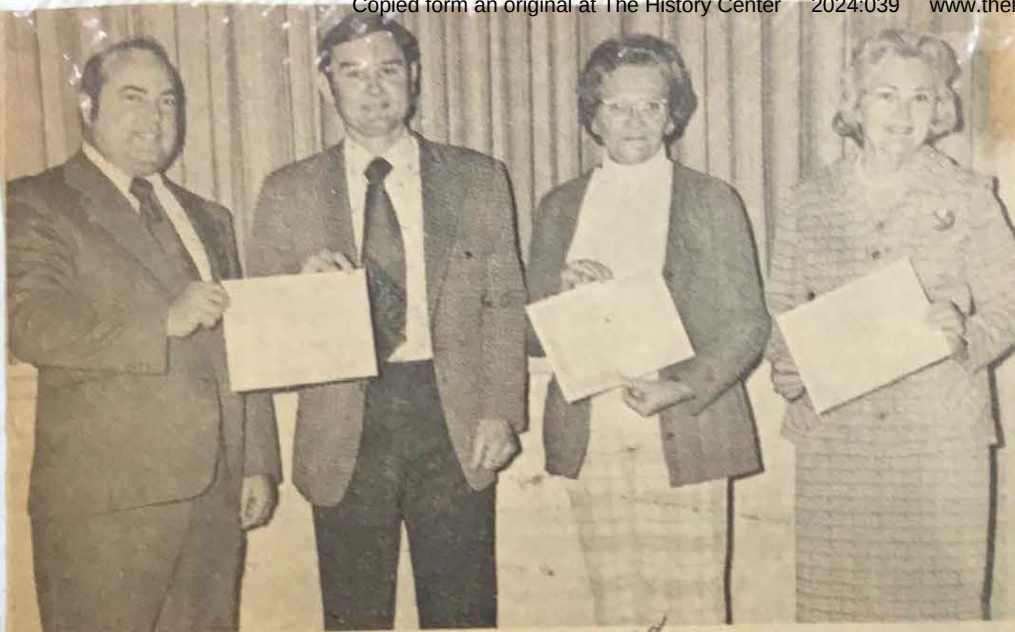
Jessie O'Quinn, Pauline Ross, R. T. Roebuck, Robert Scott, Jack Scott, R. W. Riley, J. T. Salagaj, W. G. Williamson, R. W. Scott, Hub Trevathan, W. Gibson, and one visitor, Pam



SHOWING OFF FLOWERS — Mrs. Jack Scott points out a favorite lily to guests touring her yard during last week's Region Six Hemerocallis meeting in Lufkin. Mrs. Scott's was one of five yards open to the public.
(Lufkin News Photo)



'THIS IS NICE' — Mrs. Jack Kennedy, left, shows one of her many varieties of day lilies to Mrs. Buford Smith during the recent yard tours of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society.
(Lufkin News Photo)



BEAUTIFICATION AWARDS ¹⁹⁶⁸

AWARDS were presented by the City of Lufkin Tuesday to the three clubs who have had outstanding projects in the Beautify Lufkin Council. Accepting the first place to Lufkin Evening Lions were Pete Mence and Bobby Morgan. Accepting second place to the Hemerocallis Society was Mrs. Truman

Largent, and taking third place for the Flower Garden Club of Lufkin was Mrs. Eldridge Ryman. Sixteen local civic and service clubs sponsored various beautification projects, with the Evening Lions Club's mini-park downtown taking top honors.

(Free Press Photo)

Hemerocallis Society Sets ¹⁹⁶⁸ June 6 Trip To Louisiana

Plans for a trip to Olla, La., to view new varieties of day lilies were discussed at the recent meeting of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society in the TP&L Assembly Room.

The members will make the trip on June 6 by chartered bus.

Final plans were also made for the Region 6 meeting to be held at Hotel Angellina on May 24-25.

All members were urged to have their arrangements at the hotel by 10 a.m. May 24.

The public is to be invited to the flower show from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. on May 24.

The dates May 20-25, inclusive, will be designated as Hemerocallis Week and six yards will be open to the public during the week.

The yards are those of Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn, 605 Traylor; Mrs. R. T. Roebuck, 925 Say-
s; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott, Henderson; Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy, Lotus Lane at Redditt Drive; Mr. and Truman Largent, 2010
and Mrs. A. B.

O'Quinn and Mrs. R. G. Scott to Mmes. Homer Duncan, I. R. Hannah, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, C. M. Milligan, R. T. Roebuck, Robert Scott, Jack Scott, Garland Stone, R. W. Riley, Lee Gibson, Sam Bennett, J. T. Salagaj and Hub Trevathan.

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Local Society Hosts

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Lily Hybridizers Here For Meeting

1968 Reg Meeting

More than 200 Hemerocallis enthusiasts were in Lufkin last weekend for the annual Region Six meeting at Hotel Angelina with the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society as hostesses.

The opening event of the meeting was a flower show on Friday afternoon. Mrs. R. T. Roebuck took the tri-color ribbon for an arrangement of day lilies and tall greenery.

In addition to many lily arrangements, the show featured horticulture specimens by hybridizers.

The Angelina County Chamber of Commerce Goodwill Committee's "Green Greeters", local businessmen who wear forest green coats and give out packets of information to help acquaint visitors with Lufkin, were on hand to welcome the out-of-town visitors.

In conjunction with the flower show, the City Federation of Women's Clubs, of which the Hemerocallis Society is a member, were hostesses for a tea.

Mrs. R. C. Musslewhite, outgoing president of the City Federation, arranged a centerpiece of lilies for the tea table.

In addition to this arrangement, Mrs. Musslewhite, who is a national flower show judge, did an arrangement of lilies, furnished by Hemerocallis Society members, to be placed in the Post Office during Hemerocallis Week, of which the meeting was the climax.

Mrs. Milton Smith was in charge of plans for the tea.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. E. W. Leach. Serving in the houseparty for the appointed hours were Mmes. Smith, Leach, J. T. Maroney Jr., Glenn Perry, Lee Schwartz, Lloyd Moore, and Joe Mack Welch.

At a banquet Friday night R. V. Welch Jr., Lufkin postmaster, presented a plaque to Mrs. Robert Scott, president of the local society, for outstanding service in beautification.

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of Post Office grounds, especially in recognition of a day lily bed planted at the parking lot entrance.

Martin McMillan of Dallas was reelected regional vice president. Mrs. Robert Scott of Lufkin was chairman of the nominating committee and presented the nomination.

Other participants of the banquet program were Lufkin Mayor Earl Nisbet and Chamber of Commerce Manager Herman Brown.

The region covers an area including all of Texas and New Mexico, with 15 active societies and more than 600 members.

Slides of hybrid lilies grown by various members of region's societies were shown at the banquet.

On Saturday, the group of visitors boarded buses to tour five yards of members of the local society.

Included on the tour were the yards of Mrs. Truman Largent, Mrs. Jack Scott, Mrs. Jack Kennedy, Mrs. R. T. Roebuck and Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn.

Mrs. Truman was in charge of over all arrangements for the meeting.

Suggestions For Hemerocallis Club Programs

- 1- Answer roll call at each meeting with (1) My all time favorite daylily. (2) The best garden performer the past year. (2) The next daylily you plant to buy. (3) The number 1 daylily on your "wish" list". Ect.
- 2- If you have anyone that will donate a nice plant, it helps to have a door prize at each meeting. We let all who are present sign on small slip of paper and have drawing.
- 3- Besides our regular program, we have a round table discussion following each program. We usually have these topics listed in our year book, along with the name of a member who will act as leader or moderator. This is to keep the discussion going and let everyone have their say. On some programs we have had these topics " Lets discuss miniatures & dwarf's." First let leader define each" (Miniatures may be any height but the bloom must be 2 1/2" or under.) (Dwarfs must be low growers, under 2' but the blooms can be either large or small). On our program I typed up the enclosed list and presented each member with a list. (2) "Early, late & repeat bloomers" Leader usually has short speech about importance of continuous bloom for our section the repeat bloomers bloom much later than those listed as only late bloomers. I am enclosing a short list of the very early bloomers and also some of the best repeat bloomers. (3) " General daylily Culture"-have your best horticulturist on as leader so she may answer any questions or direct question to anyone who might want to volunteer a growing tip she has found through experience. One I would suggest is adding a little sand and perlite to soil that will be directly under the crown, to give better drainage and prevent rot. Also never water during the heat of the day and when you water try to do so at night (during extreme summer heat) and when you water do it well so will go deep down. If watered just enough to saturate top of soil, roots will come up there for water and be more subject to loss from heat of freezing. Deep water less often and encourage roots to go down for water. (4) One discussion may be on your best performers and let each member bring, their list of 5 best performers to meeting. Have them tabulated and read results at next meeting. (5) You might want to discuss some daylilies that were poor performers. Members may wish to mention names of varieties that do not bloom well those that have weak scapes, those more subject to rot, those that burn in the sun, ect. There are many topics you can have at your roundtable discussion periods.

Suggestions for programs

- 1- Companion plants that do well with daylilies. I have some lovely slides of companion plants in my own garden which,

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Hemerocallis Society Sets New Slate Of Officers

New officers for the year 1970 were elected by the Hemerocallis Society and will be installed at the December meeting.

Mrs. R. T. Roebuck was named president; Mrs. R. W. Riley, first vice president; Mrs. Hub Trevathan, second vice president; Mrs. J. B. O'Quinn, secretary; Mrs. Jack Kennedy, treasurer; Mrs. Robert Scott, parliamentarian; Mrs. A. G. Colburn, librarian; Mrs. Truman Largent, reporter.

Mrs. Jack Kennedy presided over the business meeting, with 11 members present. One new member, Mrs. Roy C. Hopson, was welcomed into the club.

Mrs. Lee Gibson gave a program on the use of other plants among daylilies. Some plants she suggested for early bloom are iris, gladioli, shasta dai-

sies and coleus for color. Then the later blooming varieties she mentioned were plants that will reseed themselves such as periwinkle, bachelor buttons, phlox and marigolds.

She also said that marigolds can be used as a plant to help fight insects and soil borers, nematodes. She also said that onions and garlic planted among hemerocallis and other plants will help with the bug problem.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Jack Scott and Mrs. R. T. Roebuck to Mes. Sam Bennett, A. G. Colburn, Lee Gibson, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, J. B. O'Quinn, R. W. Riley, R. T. Roebuck, Jack Scott, Robert Scott, Hub Trevathan, R. C. Hopson.



GARDEN CLUB WEEK PROCLAIMED—On hand when Lufkin Mayor Earl Nisbet signed a proclamation designating March 17-23 as Garden Club Week in Lufkin were representatives of the various Lufkin Garden Clubs. Left to right, they are Mrs. Milton Hickman, representing the Flower Garden Club and Beautification Committee of the Angelina County Chamber of Commerce; Mrs. Truman Largent of the Hemerocallis Society and chairman of

Region 6; Mrs. Eldridge Ryman, incoming president of the Flower Garden Club; Mrs. E. W. Leach, president of the Lufkin Garden Club; Mrs. C. E. Nisbet, president of the Grape Myrtle Garden Club; Mrs. C. G. Armet, president of the Flower Garden Club; Mrs. Edgar Casper, representing the Piney Woods Garden Club; and Mrs. Joe M. Welch, president of the Sprig and Twig Garden Club.

(Lufkin News Photo)

Hemerocallis Society Meets

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society held its September meeting at the TP&L Assembly room with Mrs. Robert Scott, president, calling the meeting to order.

Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn gave the program on "What are Tetrophoids."

A nominating committee was elected to secure officers for the new year.

Mrs. Bill Gipson, Mrs. Truman Largent and Mrs. R. W.

Riley were chosen to serve on the committee.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Garland Stone to Mes. Homer Duncan, Jack Kennedy, C. M. Milligan, Hub Trevathan, A. G. Calburn, Jessie O'Quinn, Jake Ross, R. T. Roebuck, Robert Scott, Jack Scott, R. W. Riley and Lee Gipson.

A thought for the day—British Author H.G. Wells said:

"Human history becomes more and more a race between education and catastrophe."

Mrs. Bill Gipson Discusses Flower-Wood Arranging

Mrs. Bill Gipson presented a program on flower arrangements using driftwood at the recent meeting of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society held in the TP&L Assembly Room. Mrs. Hub Trevathan and Mrs. Rollen G. Scott were cohostesses.

During the business session, Mrs. Truman Largent reported on the region meeting she attended.

The club also voted to send a check to the Federation of Women's Clubs in memory of

Mrs. Gertrude Roberson. Those present at the meeting were Mes. Jack Kennedy; Jack Scott, Garland Stone, Robert Scott, R. W. Riley, W. L. Gipson, A. G. Colburn, and C. M. Milligan.

Hemerocallis Society Sees Sides Of Houston Meet

Mrs. Truman Largent gave the family of a member. a slide show on the 1969 Region Six meeting in Houston at the recent meeting of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society in the TP&L Assembly Room.

Also included in the program were slides of a trip taken by the club to Louisiana and also slides of the members' yards. During the business session, Homer Duncan, Lee Gipson, R. C. Hopson, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Jessie O'Quinn, R. T. Roebuck, Jake Ross, J. T. Salagaj, Jack Scott, Hub Trevathan and Robert Scott.

Members agreed to send a plant in the event of death in

The door prize was brought by Mrs. R. T. Roebuck and won by Mrs. Robert Scott.

Hostesses Mrs. A. G. Colburn Sr. and Mrs. W. R. Riley served refreshments to new member Mrs. W. J. Davis and other members Mmes. Sam Bennett, Homer Duncan, Lee Gipson, R. C. Hopson, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Jessie O'Quinn, R. T. Roebuck, Jake Ross, J. T. Salagaj, Jack Scott, Hub Trevathan and Robert Scott.

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HEMEROCALLIS SOCIETY

Mrs. Homer Duncan gave the program on spring planting at the recent meeting of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society in TP&L Assembly Room.

The club discussed new display beds now being worked up.

Mrs. Jack Kennedy reported on the club finances, including a memorial fund honoring Mrs. Garland Stone.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. R. C. Hopson to one guest, Mrs. Jewell Hudgins and members, Mmes. Sam Bennett, A. G. Colburn Sr., Homer Duncan, Lee Gipson, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Jessie O'Quinn, R. T. Roebuck, J. T. Salagaj, Jack Scott, Robert Scott, R. C. Scott, Hub Trevathan and Buford Maddux.

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HEMEROCALLIS SOCIETY

Mrs. Jack Kennedy spoke on getting ready for spring gardening at the recent meeting of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society in the TP&L Assembly Room.

She said that now is the time to get flower beds ready and to fertilize them so that they will be ready for annuals when warm enough.

She suggested that seed should be planted in flats or pans so they will be ready by outside planting time.

Mrs. A. G. Colburn reported that a birthday gift had been taken to the girl the club sponsors at Lufkin State School.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Truman Largent and Mrs. R. T. Roebuck.

Refreshments were served to new member Mrs. Buford Maddux and Mmes. Sam Bennett, A. G. Colburn, Homer Duncan, Lee Gipson, R. C. Hopson, R. Lee Gipson, R. C. Hopson, R. W. Riley, J. T. Salagaj, Jack Scott and Robert Scott.

ALL BEDS — Members of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society recently in display beds at Angelina Mall. Standing from left are Mrs. Homer Duncan, Mary Fay O'Quinn, Winnie Kennedy, Marie Roebuck. Kneeling from left are Mmes. Pauline Ross and (Lufkin News Photo)

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Has Been Around For Several C

man Largent, reporter.

Being a horticulture society, the purpose is to grow Hemerocallis, promote interest, study and make research in their

breeding and culture, promote public interest. The society has display beds at the Highway Department Office building, Post Office, Angelina Mall, Lufkin

Zoo.

In May each year members of this society open their yards to the public. Members make two out of town pilgrimages each



LUFKIN HEMEROCALLIS SOCIETY — Officers of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society are, from left, First Vice President Mrs. R. W. Riley, Reporter Mrs. Truman Largent, Librarian Mrs. A. G. Colburn Sr., Treasurer Mrs.

Jack Kennedy, President Mrs. Jess O'Quinn, Second Vice President Mrs. Treathan.

HEMEROCALLIS SOCIETY

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society met recently in the TP&L assembly room with Mrs. J. S. Salagai and Mrs. Jake Ross as hostesses.

Mrs. R. T. Roebuck, president, called the meeting to order and Mrs. Jack Kennedy gave the devotion.

Mrs. Truman Largent gave a report on the club's pilgrimage to Louisiana to see a new and better variety of day lily. The members looked at six gardens while on the two-day trip.

Members who made the pilgrimage were: Mrs. Ben Vaughn, Mrs. Truman Largent, Mrs. Homer Duncan, Mrs. A. G. Colburn Sr. and Mrs. Jack Kennedy.

Mrs. O'Quinn presented a program on hybridizing and explained how to cross the day lily. She also explained how the seed pods are made, how to choose the parents for the seed and how to plant the seed.

The door prize was brought by Mrs. R. W. Riley and won by Mrs. Greta Trevathan.

Mrs. J. S. Salagai and Mrs. Jake Ross served refreshments to Mrs. A. G. Colburn Sr., Mrs. Homer Duncan, Mrs. Jack Kennedy, Mrs. Truman Largent, Mrs. R. W. Riley, Mrs. R. T. Roebuck, Mrs. Hub Tr

Hemerocallis Society Has Meeting In TP&L Room

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society 14 members present. met recently in the Assembly Room of the TP&L Company with

Mrs. R. T. Roebuck, president, called the meeting to order.

A report was given by Mrs. T. C. Largent on the hemerocallis display that members planted at the Texas Highway Department.

Each member brought a plant, which was planted at Woodland Heights Hospital following the meeting.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. G. B. Connell, Mrs. I. R. Hannah, H. D. Johnson, Forest King, Jack Kennedy, T. C. Largent, J. T. Longbotham, Archie Mathews, C. W. Milligan, R. T. Roebuck, Jack Ross, Jack Scott, Robert Scott and D. O. Wallis.

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IN HORTICULTURE DIVISION — Mrs. R. T. Roebuck, left, and Mrs. Truman Largent display some of the entries in the Horticulture Division of the flower show held by the Grape Myrtle Garden Club. Both won 19 first awards and Mrs. Truman Largent received the Sweepstakes Award.



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DAY LILIES AT PEAK IN SUMMER GARDEN
... Mrs. Jack Kennedy's is one of five gardens being

May 27 '72
**Daylily Society
Has Mall Show**

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society recently held its annual daylily show at the Angelina Mall.

There were 16 arrangements of variously colored daylilies including arrangements in the 2crescent, triangle, hogarth curve, circle, spiral and large center styles. Individual blooms were displayed in orchid vials on styrofoam.

The daylily is open only one day but blooms may be changed as needed to keep the arrangement as long as the greenery or background material is still attractive.

The club sold daylilies of the varieties used in arrangements in the show.

At the last meeting of the Hemerocallis Society there was a discussion of the recent tours made to several Louisiana gardens where a number of new daylily varieties were viewed. Some of these newer varieties may be seen in local gardens next year.

Tours were also made to Tyler and Roganville. Newer daylilies are found in shades of such colors as red, purple, pink, melon, near white and

Lilies Are Featured

Lufkin Hemerocallis Society is sponsoring open yards featuring new varieties of lillies through June 4.

Yards open to the public include Mrs. Truman Largent, 2210 Pershing; Mrs. Jack Kennedy, John Redditt and Lotus Lane; Mrs. R. L. Ivie, 4 miles from Loop 287 on Hwy. 94; Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn, 605 Traylor St.; and Mrs. R. T. Roebuck, 925 Sayers.

The group is also sponsoring a flower show and plant sale at Angelina Mall on May 30 from 10 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Club Meets

Lufkin Hemerocallis Society met recently at Texas Power & Light Assembly Room.

Highlights of the meeting included Mrs. Truman Largent's and Mrs. Jack Kennedy's discussion of the Regional Meeting at Lake Jackson.

Present were Mrs. R. W. Riley, Mrs. Herbert Trevathan, Mrs. W. T. Thomas, Mrs. Andrew Smigla, Mrs. R. L. Ivie, Mrs. R. T. Roebuck, Mr. A. G. Colburn, Mrs. J. T. Salagaj, Mrs. C. M. Milligan and Mrs. Buford Maddox.

Hemerocallis Group Meeting Is Held

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society met recently in the home of Mrs. Jack Kennedy for a program on annuals in fall plantings by Mrs. Herbert Trevathan.

Work in day lily beds at the post office and members' visits to Louisiana lily gardens were discussed.

Co-hostess was Mrs. Robert Scott. Others present were Mmes. Jesse O'Quinn, A. G. Colburn, R. T. Roebuck, C. M. Milligan, R. W. Riley, R. L. Ivie, W. T. Thomas, Buford Maddux, Jake Ross, Homer Duncan and Truman Largent.



Post Office Beautification

Members of the Hemerocallis Society work in the flower beds at the Post Office in conjunction with the city beautification program. All clubs are to have their work done by Dec. 1. The society is also maintaining the flowers at the Angelina Mall.

(Lufkin News Photo)



Beautification Winners 1974.

Beautify Lufkin Council project winners were announced at City Commission meeting yesterday. First place went to the Evening Lions Club's mini-park. From left are Pete Mence, and [unclear] Morgan of the Evening Lions Club, Mrs. Truman Largent

of the Hemerocallis Society, which was second, and Mrs. Eldridge Ryman of the Flower Garden Club, which placed third. (Lufkin News Photo) - 1974

5908 Dunbury Drive
Austin, Texas 78723
August 17, 1969

Mrs. Mary O'Quinn (Mrs. J. B.)
605 Taylor Street
Lufkin, Texas 75901

Dear Mrs. O'Quinn:

Thank you for sending me a copy of the Lufkin Yearbook. I am always interested in the type of programs that the other groups use at their meetings. Last year Mrs. Lanier suggested that we ask each member to write down his/her selections for programs. Amazingly enough we received enough suggestions for the entire years programs, and we were sure that there would be interest in the programs for the entire year. Although some aren't even close to daylilys there was enough interest to warrant this type program.

We had to make major changes in the yearbook and show schedules this year due to the increased printing costs. We had to pay for the yearbook but I cut the stencils and another member has access to a ~~memograph~~ memograph machine so we were able to save on the show schedules.

I ~~plan~~ plan to get copies off to all the societies in the region but there just aren't enough hours in the day to get all of my intentions and ideas accomplished.

We still enjoy our slides and memories of the Lufkin meeting. I made several slides at your yard in the guest beds, and didn't find out until I was back on the bus that you were selling leather leaf fern. One of these days I will get back and this time I will be ready to add leather ~~leaf~~ leaf to our collection. We started a collection of ferns last winter when we were in the woods collecting specimen trees for my wife's Bonsi collection.

With Best Regards to you and the Lufkin Group,

Bill

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By BETTY STANLEY
Woman's Editor

Several Lufkin women who are opening their gardens for the next two weeks for visitors to view day lilies at their peak blooming period think day lilies are about the easiest flowers for the home-gardener to grow.

"They're hardy and disease resistant," said Mrs. R. L. Ivie who's only been growing the lilies about three years, but already has more than 100 varieties.

She added that she enjoys the lily as a hobby because of the many colors, its long bloom period and its resistance to insects.

Mrs. Ivie, whose garden is on Hwy. 94 four miles past Loop 287, added that newer hybrids in the day lily family may range from an inch and a half to nine inches across.

She said that one may buy the new hybrids and while initial investment may run as much as \$25 for a clump, the plants multiply rapidly, doubling or tripling the first year.

Mrs. Truman Largent, who is president of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society made up of about 15 day lily enthusiasts, has been working with lilies about 15 years and numbers the varieties in her garden at 2210 Pershing at about 2,000, some 150 of which are the result of her own hybridizing.

She also listed plant hardiness as a reason for growing

day lilies. However, her chief enjoyment comes from the hybridizing. "You never know what you're going to come up with," she said. "The new variety often does not resemble the parent plants but rather reverts back to grandparent plants."

Mrs. Largent discussed the long bloom period of the lilies. "We can have them blooming in our gardens for six to eight months out of the year. I had some blooming Christmas day."

Mrs. Largent's yard has a great deal of shade, proving that day lilies take well to shade and are not just sun plants. "I've learned that some plants burn easily in hot sun all day but mine are in the sun all day but most do get some sun."

The club president added that plants for the members' gardens come from trading as well as purchase of new plants. In addition the club buys at least one clump of a new lily variety each year and divides the plants among the members.

Mrs. Jack Kennedy, whose day lilies can be seen at the corner of Loop 287 and Lotus Lane, says it takes a lot of time and a lot of love to grow beautiful plants.

She advised that lilies should not be planted too deeply and should receive a light application of 0-20-20 and super phosphate in the fall and in February.

She also keeps the soil stir-

red in her beds and keeps the beds free of weeds.

Mrs. Kennedy discussed the color variations now found in day lilies, which were once most common in orange and yellow shades. "I have them ranging from light pink to deep red, in all shades of yellows and even a light green.

Mrs. Kennedy is also an avid hybridizer and explained the procedure as one of sprinkling the pollen of one parent plant upon the other, the plant with the lower-growing foliage receiving the pollen.

"It's fascinating to see what happens. Once I crossed two large red lilies and came up with a beautiful yellow," she said.

She added that there are always failure in hybridizing. "You're always having to cull some plants because you don't like the results."

Mrs. Jessie O'Quinn of 605 Traylor has been hybridizing and growing plants from seed for about 12 years. She said she enjoys working with day lilies because she likes per-

ennials, not having to replant each year. "With almost any plant, you have failures, but with lilies you seldom have a failure," she added.

Mrs. O'Quinn has begun work with tetraploid varieties which have 44 chromosomes as opposed to the di-

ploid varieties which have only 22 chromosomes.

She said that clumps of plants should be divided when they reach eight or 10 plants.

"Single plants do not produce as good a showing as those that have several in the clump," she added.

Discussing the daily life of the bloom, Mrs. C. said, "There's nothing pressing about it. When one bloom is gone, you know there may be two more just like it the next morning."

Mrs. O'Quinn also explained a use other than beauty of the day lily. "In Japan they are eaten. The buds are either battered and fried and they can be used as seasonings in other dishes."

Also included is the garden of Mrs. R. T. Roebuck, 925 Sayers.

The gardens will be open through June 4 and Mrs. Largent said visitors are invited at any time to view the lilies.

A flower show and plant sale will be held May 30 from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Angelina Mall.

Tour Features Lily Gardens



LUFKIN HEMEROCALLIS SOCIETY members spent a morning working at the Westwood Convalescent Center on Ellis. The program involved therapy for some patients of the center. Members and patients participating in the project are (from left) Mrs. R.L. Ivie Jr., Herman Campbell,

Mrs. Buford Maddux, Green Woods, William Walker, Mrs. Truman Largent, Mrs. R.W. Riley - president of the club, and Robin Rudy. Not pictured are Mrs. Earl Summey and Mrs. Grady Clayton.

March 1975 Hemerocallis Society

Members of Lufkin Hemerocallis Society made plans to apply fertilizer to the grounds of the post office and Angelina Mall at the meeting conducted in the home of Mrs. Earl Summey.

Mrs. Truman Largent furnished the door prize, a plant, won by Mrs. W.T. Thomas.

Mrs. R.W. Riley presided.

Mrs. Sandra Risinger was guest speaker and discussed the preparation of soil for spring planting. She explained how to make compost heaps and their use to the soil. Mrs. Risinger added that mulch conserves moisture in the soil and acts as a weed control.

Those attending included Mmes. Pat Blundell, Grady Clayton, A.G. Colburn Jr., Homer Duncan, R.L. Ivie, Jack Kennedy, Buford Maddux, C.M. Milligan, R.W. Riley, R.T. Roebuck, Jake Ross, Robert Scott, Lewis Sealander, Earl Summey, W.T. Thomas, A.B. Trevathan and Herbert Trevathan.

Club members tour gardens

July 6, 75

Members of Lufkin Hemerocallis Society toured the gardens of Mrs. Truman Largent and Mrs. R.W. Riley during the June 3 meeting.

During the business meeting, Mrs. Largent reported on the club members' visit to the Edgar Brown garden in Orange and the garden of Mrs. W.K. Wheeler in Houston.

After the garden tours, the women ate lunch at the home of Mrs. R.L. Ivie then toured her gardens.

Those attending were Mmes. Pat Blundell, Grady Clayton, Homer Duncan, J.L. Ford, R.L. Ivie, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Jessie O'Quinn, R.W. Riley, R.S. Roebuck, Jake Ross, Lewis Sealander, Earl Summey and Addie Williams.

Hemerocallis Society

Lufkin Hemerocallis Society held their meeting Oct. 1, in the home of Mrs. Truman Largent.

The members viewed slides of day lily gardens visited in the past year.

Those attending were Mrs. R.L. Ivie, Robert Scott, Buford Maddux, Herbert Trevathan, Jack Kennedy, R.W. Riley, Jesse L. Ford, Truman Largent, R.T. Roebuck, W.F. Thomas, C.M. Milligan, Grady Clayton, and guests, Mrs. Sam Bennett, Mrs. Gerald Post, Mrs. Dora Stewart and Mrs. W.E. Summy.

Garden Club Council

The Lufkin Area Council of Garden Clubs met last week in the Lufkin Federal Savings and Loan Harvest Room with Mrs. Hub Trevathan presiding.

Mrs. Tucker Weems, chairman of the Lufkin Area Flower Show, discussed plans for the spring show scheduled for April 25, 1975. Mrs. Belvin Stewart is schedule chairman and Mrs. Truman Largent is chairman of horticulture.

Those attending were Mmes. Hub Trevathan, Truman Largent, C.W. Plunk, D.D. Hemphill, Robert Killion, Brian Thompson, Edgar Burton, C.G. Brewster Jr., E.R. Wagner, J.L. Snyder, Tucker Weems, C.L. Beck and Joe M. Welch.

Hemerocallis Society

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society met Oct. 7 in the home of Mrs. Truman Largent. After regular business, the club's plant chairman reported members planted 7 hollies and 55 daylily clumps at the Westwood Convalescent Center. The group was also asked to begin pot plants to be sold at the Angelina Mall Nov. 8.

The program was a slide presentation of club members' tours. New officers for the upcoming year are: Mrs. W.T. Thomas, president; Mrs. Robert Scott, 1st vice-president; Mrs. J.L. Ford, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Earl Summey, secretary; Mrs. Truman Largent, treasurer; Mrs. R.W. Riley, parliamentarian; Mrs. Grady Clayton, librarian; and Mrs. Jack Kennedy, reporter.

Members present were Mmes., J.L. Ford, R.L. Ivie, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Buford Maddux, R.W. Riley, R.T. Roebuck, Robert Scott, Lewis Sealander, W.T. Thomas and J.E. Williams.

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Club efforts.

Lufkin Hemerocallis Society 1975

The Hemerocallis Society is a horticulture club formed for the purpose of growing hemerocallis and promoting interest, study and research in breeding and hybridizing the plant.

The American Hemerocallis Society includes all of the U.S. with 15 regions. Texas is in Region 6 which includes part of New Mexico.

Lufkin Hemerocallis Society was organized March 7, 1963 to promote interest in the daylily. Twelve members founded the club. The group now consists of 24 active members. Eight of that number being charter members and one an associate member.

The group is affiliated with the American Hemerocallis Society, City Federation of Womens Clubs and the City Beautification program. The group's project for the beautification program is the Post Office and Angelina Mall.

Some of the members are hybridizers and their plants appear in front of the post office and the mall.

Other club projects include sponsoring a resident from Lufkin State School. According to a club spokesman, the members give the resident an allowance each month and present gifts to her on Christmas and her birthday.

Members planted daylilies at Angelina Courthouse, Pine Haven Nursing Home and Texas Highway Department.

Each year during May members invite the public to tour their lawns and homes. That week will also include a plant sale and flower show.

Also in May of each year, members tour two out of town gardens to see other hybridizers at work. For 1975 Hemerocallis Society members will tour one garden in Louisiana and one in Houston.

Lufkin Hemerocallis Society:

Lufkin Hemerocallis Society was organized March 7, 1963 in the home of Mrs. G.B. Connell. It is affiliated with the American National Hemerocallis Society and with Region 6 Society.

Being a horticultural society, the club's purpose is to grow hemerocallis and to promote interest through study, research, breeding and culture of day-lilies.

Members have a display bed at the Lufkin Post Office, Angelina Mall, and at the Lufkin Opportunity Workshop. They have become involved with therapy at Westwood Convalescent Center, and are affiliated with the city beautification project.

In May of each year, members open their yards to the public, and also have a flower show at Angelina Mall. They also sponsor a girl at Lufkin State School.

The club has 20 members and See Women, Page 11.

one associate member, including eight charter members.

Hemerocallis Society

Mrs. Jack Kennedy discussed preparing daylily beds for spring during the Feb. 4 meeting of Lufkin Hemerocallis Society at the home of Mrs. Pat Blundell.

Mrs. Kennedy said that daylily beds should be cleaned and fertilized the last of this month using cotton seed meal.

Mrs. R.W. Riley presided during the business meeting. During the meeting Mrs. Bessie Walters installed new officers. Club members voted to continue the beautification work at the post office and the mall, and to add low evergreen shrubs at the post office.

Those attending were Mmes. A.G. Colburn, J.L. Ford, R.L. Ivie, Truman Largent, Buford Maddux, C.M. Milligan, Jessie O'Quinn, R.T. Roebuck, Jake Ross, Robert Scott, Lewis Selander, Earl Summy, W.T. Thomas, Herbert Trevathan, and Pearl Davis.

Hemerocallis Society

All members of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society will have their yards open to the public all week beginning Monday ending with a plant sale and flower show on Friday in Angelina Mall from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Hanging baskets was the program topic of the recent meeting of the Hemerocallis Society. They discussed the care and feeding of plants.

Members present were Mmes. Grady Clayton, A.G. Colburn, J.L. Ford, R.L. Ivie, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Buford Maddux, R.W. Riley, R.T. Roebuck, Robert Scott, Lewis Selander, W.T. Thomas, Herbert Trevathan, Easel Williams and guest Boley Thomas.

The members also attended a tour of daylily gardens in Louisiana May 13.

Lufkin Hemerocallis Society

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society met Dec. 2 in the home of Mrs. Jake Ross for their Christmas party.

Devotion was by Mrs. W.T. Thomas. Mrs. R.T. Roebuck discussed a Christmas gift for the club's girl at the State School. Mrs. D.L. Hemphill installed new officers for next year.

Christmas gifts were new daylilies brought by members for the woman whose name each drew at the previous meeting.

Present were Mmes. Pat Blundell, Grady Clayton, Homer Duncan, J.L. Ford, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Buford

Maddux, C.M. Milligan, Jessie O'Quinn, R.W. Riley, R.T. Roebuck, Jake Ross, Robert Scott, Lewis Selander, Earl Summy, W.T. Thomas, Herbert Trevathan, R.L. Ivie and guest Mrs. D.L. Hemphill.



GARDEN DISPLAY

Mrs. Truman Largent's yard is only one of several yards which will be open to the public Monday through Friday. Members displaying daylilies are from (left to right) kneeling Mrs. Robert Scott, show chairman; standing Mmes. Jack Kennedy, reporter; W.T. Thomas, president; and Truman Largent, pilgrimage chairman.

Lufkin Hemerocallis Society

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society met Jan. 6 at the Holiday Inn for a luncheon to begin the new year. After the lunch, the group went to the home of Mrs. R. L. Ivie for the business portion and the program of the meeting. Mrs. W.T. Thomas presided.

The Sunshine chairman of the club announced they had purchased a watch as a Christmas present for "their girl" at the Lufkin State School. The group also discussed a birthday gift for that occasion coming up in January.

"Preparing Beds for Spring," was the title of the program presented by Mrs. R. L. Ivie. She informed the group that now was the time to add fertilizer and humus to new beds. She also discussed various other items for working in the flower beds.

Those present were Mmes. Grady Clayton, A.G. Colburn, Homer Duncan, J.L. Ford, R.L. Ivie, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, R.W. Riley, R.T. Roebuck, Robert Scott, Andrew Smigala, Earl Summy, W.T. Thomas and Easel Williams.

Hemerocallis Society

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society met March 2 in the home of Mrs. Jack Kennedy, with Mrs. W.T. Thomas presiding.

Club members voted to rent the minibus from Doug Williamson for a trip to Daylily gardens in Louisiana the last week in May.

A slide program of Hodges Gardens was presented by Mrs. Jack Kennedy and Mrs. W.T. Thomas. A plant brought by Mrs. Jake Ross was won by Mrs. Grady Clayton.

Those present were Mmes. Grady Clayton, A.G. Colburn, Homer Duncan, J.L. Ford, R.L. Ivie, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Buford Maddux, R.W. Riley, R.T. Roebuck, Jake Ross, Earl Summy, W.T. Thomas and Easel Williams.

Hemerocallis Society

"Preparing Plants for Winter" was the program topic presented by Mrs. Robert Scott to members of the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society at their Sept. 7 meeting.

If you do not have a greenhouse, select a room with a lot of windows and not too much heat Mrs. Scott said.

Drawing plant was won by Mrs. A.G. Colburn. Mrs. Jake Ross served as hostess.

Those attending were Mmes. Grady Clayton, A.G. Col-

burn, Homer Duncan, J.L. Ford, R.L. Ivie, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Buford Maddux, C.M. Milligan, R.W. Riley, R.T. Roebuck, Jake Ross, Robert Scott, Lewis Sealander, Earl Summy, W.T. Thomas, Herbert Trevathan and new member Mrs. A.B. Allen.

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Hemerocallis Society

Begonias and ferns were the subject of Mrs. W.T. Thomas's program presented to the Lufkin Hemerocallis Society Aug. 3.

She told the group the soil for begonias was very important. Mrs. Thomas uses three parts soil, one part sand, one part leaf mold and a little bit of charcoal and bone meal.

Hosting the meeting in her home was Mrs. Buford Maddux.

Attending were Mmes. A.G. Colburn, Homer Duncan, J.L. Ford, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Buford Maddux, Jessie O'Quinn, R.W. Riley, R.T. Roebuck, Jake Ross, Robert Scott, Earl Summy, W.T. Thomas, Easel Williams and guest Mrs. A.B. Allen.

Lufkin Hemerocallis Society

The Lufkin Hemerocallis Society met Nov. 4th in the home of Mrs. Herbert Trevathan.

Mrs. J.L. Ford brought the plant that was won by Mrs. Earl Summy.

The plant chairman reported that club members planted 100 daffodils at the post office and 50 more clumps of daylilies at the Westwood Convalescent Center. The club also donated 100 daylilies to the Diboll Garden Club for a civic project.

As the program for the club, the members toured the workshop of Mrs. Joyce Bradshaw.

Those attending the meeting were: Mmes. Grady Clayton, A.G. Colburn, J.L. Ford, R.L. Ivie, Jack Kennedy, Truman Largent, Buford Maddux, C.M. Milligan, R.W. Riley, R.T. Roebuck, Jake Ross, Lewis Sealander, Earl Summy, W.T. Thomas, A.B. Trevathan, Herbert Trevathan, J.E. Williams and guest Mrs. D.L. Hemphill.

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COUNTRY STORE ATMO



An old, old time country store was the atmosphere at Angelina Mall Saturday where 21 booths from area churches and clubs displayed hand-made wares. Mrs. Norma Moody, mall manager, said this was the main fund-

raising effort for most of the organizations with all the money earned going to each organization. Mrs. Truman Largent, in left photo, is shown selling items for Lufkin Hemerocallis Society. Center, Suzanne Jasper dressed as

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CONCERNING EXPANSION IN REGION 6

One need not be a member of the American Hemerocallis Society to be eligible for membership in a local Daylily society. Last year, with only two AHS members in the area, Abilene organized with a Charter Membership of 27!

Where local societies exist they have been found desirable for many reasons, not the least of which is that in the growing and cultivation of Hemerocallis there is a close community of interests with other like-minded folk. Through participation in the activities of a local club, its members meet people from all over the Region, make new friends and have an opportunity to exchange ideas and experiences not possible in any other way.

Participants in the affairs of a local society do not face the future alone. The friendships developed over the years with other Hemerocallis gardeners is one of our most prized possessions. Such friendships are priceless - they have no substitute.

Local societies are encouraged to hold and are assisted in staging shows or exhibits by both the Regional and National organizations. The exhilaration of horticultural competition on the show bench is deeply satisfying and the participants are encouraged to greater efforts in growing award winning specimen, to merit public acclaim.

A local society supplies its members with programs covering all facets of Hemerocallis culture; often specialists in some particular phase of gardening from outside the society can be brought in to supplement the programs of local personnel. Thus a member of a local club is able to keep abreast of all the new developments in all the fields relating to the growing of Daylilies - new introductions, varietal performance, new insecticides and herbicides, garden tools, and on and on.

In addition, a local society facilitates the work of arranging garden tours and pilgrimages..Visiting other gardens and observing the performance of varieties one may have on his "want" list often prevents waste of money on temperamental plants. For this reason alone, the nominal dues usual for membership in a local society is a good investment. Close observation to details when touring gardens often opens the door to better garden practices.

Is it any wonder, then, that members of local societies are usually better informed about all phases of gardening in addition to the culture of their favorite flower. They usually exhibit more attractive gardens and take pride in growing more of the new and better varieties of garden subjects, in addition to Hemerocallis, than the gardener who goes it alone?

And what fun is there, anyway, in being a loner? For what purpose does one build a beautiful garden and, like an ostrich, bury his head in the sand!

Even though you are the only AHS member for miles around, you can organize a local society. If you do not know how to go about it, write your RVP a letter and state your problem. We're ready and willing to help. And there is no better time to begin planning to get a local group together than this very instant. We urge a NOW beginning!

HAVE YOU - OR HAVEN'T YOU

When Mollie Wheeler sent your Editor the address labels for the this Newsletter, one roll of labels carried the notation, "Unpaid as of March 18th".

With the new Hemerocallis HANDBOOK to be given as a bonus for renewals as well as to new memberships, it is surprising that every member in Region 6 has not hurried to remit his or her check for 1968.

It is now too late for listing in the Year Book, deadline was March 15th, but it is not too late to get one's name in the pot for the HANDBOOK.

This HANDBOOK, being published in cooperation with the American Horticulture Society, consisting of about 200 pages, divided into 19 chapters, covers every facet of Daylily lore. It is profusely illustrated in color. It is the type of Text Book for which one would ordinarily expect to pay \$5.00, the cost of a membership in AHS, yet for this same \$5.00 both the HANDBOOK and membership in AHS, with all its benefits, can be yours!

Right now, if everyone in Region 6 were paid up, it would enjoy a membership of 587! and before year's end, based on past experience, membership would exceed 600. So right now, while you're in the mood, please send Mollie that \$5.00 check even if you must borrow, panhandle or snatch it!

By your loyalty to an excitingly beautiful flower you can make the year 1968 long remembered. Just address your letter to Box 458, Crown Point, Indiana 46307.

DEMAND GROWS FOR PROGRAMS FROM NATIONAL SLIDE CUSTODIAN

With Mr. Forrest Hall of Lake Jackson, now directing the Slide Program of AHS, it is to be expected Region 6 will be generous in its support. The success of the program depends to a large extent on available slides of garden scenes and new registrations and introductions.

A plea for slides of new and interesting things has been sent out. Hopefully, many slides will be donated for the programs - or perhaps loaned. If the Region's shutter-bugs find it inconvenient to give or loan, they can still help by sending Mr. Hall a list of their slides, letting him select those he can use for which he will pay for having duplicates made. Some of the old slides now being used by the Custodian need replacing. The need is urgent.

Mr. Hall points out that we now have a grand chance to show what we are talking about when we mention Daylilies, and for this reason many garden clubs and other groups are using the slides as well as our own people.

"I have sent them to Vocational and Landscape schools; for college lectures and home garden clubs, none of which are members of the AHS," said Mr. Hall. "For this reason I think it is worth our time to push the slide program."

Those desiring more information about the slide programs or how to help to keep the slides for the programs in good shape and up to date, write Mr. Hall at 109 N. Shady Oak Drive, Lake Jackson, Texas, 77566.

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FEASTING AND FASTING

Region 6 continues on the move! Five of its members have already this year received national recognition. Miss Edna Lankart, Tyler, has been nominated to fill a seat on the National Board; Mr. Tom Hughes, Mansfield, has been elected President of the Grower's Association; Miss Joanna Lewis, Murchison, is one of six young women of the National 4-H Clubs chosen to represent the USA in an exchange program with Peru, S.A.; Mr. John Buettner, Lake Jackson, was appointed to the Scientific Committee of AHS; and Miss Karen Metzger, granddaughter of Mrs. Elmore Klenk, Dallas, has been selected to head up the first National Robin for Junior AHS members.

Records of past performances continue to be broken. Five accredited shows and two exhibitions have been reported. More pilgrimages and garden tours were enjoyed. One-tenth of our membership made its presence felt at the St. Louis convention, 41 of these making the trip by chartered bus - another first for the Region - thanks to Mrs. Hugh Purnell.

(Attendance at the Regional Meeting at Lufkin was the largest of any meeting in the Region's history, some 250 attending all, or at least part, of the festivities, and right now, in many homes, plans are being laid for attending both the forthcoming Meeting in Houston and the '69 Convention at Albert Lea. Another chartered bus is in the works.

More of our members have begun to enjoy the thrills that come from daubing pollen and we saw more new and exciting new seedlings in the Region than in any previous year in our experience, a cold fact some of our Awards and Honors Judges apparently ignore, for only in lack of recognition of the outstanding job our hybridizers are doing does

Martin McMillan
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yards

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L. Cook

P.S. Just must tell you your K. 14 and
K. 17 both got many votes & if they had
not been divided ^{between the two} you'd probably have gotten
an award too.
you hard working gals can truly
be happy over your success. Come to see us.
Love,
Ida Mae

COMING EVENTS

Plant Sale, September 28-29, 1968, 2926 Maple Springs, Dallas, (Funds to be used to facilitate securing a chartered bus to 1969 Convention at Albert Lea, Minn. National Convention, Albert Lea, Minn.....1969 Region 6 Meeting, Houston, Texas,.....May 23 and 24

WE WONDER - WAS IT A BOY OR A GIRL

I'm sure people thought there must have been a wreck or an early morning garage sale if they saw the piles of luggage and groups of people gathered at 5500 Northwest Highway in the barely daylight hour of 7:30, July 3rd. Actually, it was a gang of dedicated "Hem nuts" waiting for the Golden Eagle Bus to take it to St. Louis. When it arrived from Lula Mae's (Purnell), it seemed already loaded, and how we boarded with the food and other paraphernalia and settled ourselves is still a mystery.

Lula Mae had planned to eat on the bus, but circumstances changed our minds and our driver took us to a beautiful park in Muskogee where we unloaded enough food to feed a hundred people instead of the 42. The food was delicious and me thinks we all ate too much. Oh, those calories!

Our next stop was Sarcosie where we settled in our rooms briefly and then were taken to Wild's gardens. If you have never been there you are inclined to wonder if you are actually seeing what you think you are. It was thrilling, yet confusing. A return trip the next morning was on the agenda and this was when some of us went a little "wild" and loaded up on you-know-whats.

Then on to St. Louis! About mid-morning I heard some one say, "Hold it! Hold it! OOps! She didn't!" (That's all right, it will wash off.) Willing Wilma (Mrs. Morley) from Oklahoma City was so helpful passing the food and drinks up and down our bucking Gold Eagle. But we must not forget she had a lot of help from Coppin (F. D.) of Waco who was "tops" in choosing eats to pass up and down the bus, too. And he did not fail to take generous samplings of his offerings as forty other people can testify.

Mrs. Stephen Testa, Dallas, held No. 38 which won her DIAMOND HEAD, a new Wild introduction. Sing-songs and jokes and shifting of seats went on until we reached the Colony Motel in St. Louis. Mr. and Mrs. Meagher were our special song leaders and we enjoyed the singing (?) from a list of songs they had prepared.

Return trip! How could I have brought so much stuff? I should have saved space for daylilies. Oh, well, maybe Ken Miller, our driver, can find room. He did. So some of us used the space for our lilies bought at Lenington's.

Friendly, kind, talkative Hem-nuts, a good driver, "gobs" of food, coffee and cold drinks made for a happy, happy trip with new friendships as it ended back at 5500 Northwest Highway, July 8th, at one-thirty in the morning! Know why the hurry to get back to Dallas? The driver's wife was expecting!

Thanks to Lula Mae for a splendidly organized bus tour. Everyone had a marvelous time. Let's do it again next year. - Gertrude Lanham, Dallas.

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