



Varied Events In Calendar

THE MIAMI HERALD

Monday, October 8, 1945

Coral Gables Garden club, Gables Woman's clubhouse, 3 p. m.
Wanda, mother, son, home married

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Sunday, Oct. 7, 1945

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The Miami Herald

Coral Gables Garden club, tea, Coral Gables Woman's clubhouse, 3 p. m.
Miami chapter, business and profits.

MIAMI DAILY NEWS,

Sunday, October 21, 1945

Coral Gables Garden Club Plans Meeting

The Coral Gables Garden club will hold the first regular meeting of the season at 3 p. m. tomorrow at the Coral Gables Woman's club.

Edwin Messinger of Stuart, known as "The Flowering Tree Man," will talk on "Trees."

Mrs. W. Whipstrecht and Mrs. Margaret Austin will be in charge of the flower arrangements and Mrs. Evan Roser will conduct the nomenclature.

All future meetings of the Coral Gables Garden club will be held at the Gables Woman's club.



MRS. FREDERICK GRINHAM

Garden Club President

Curwig Pines Picnic Locale

Curwig Pines, Hardee rd. home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wigman, has been chosen by the Coral Gables Garden club as the spot for its annual picnic, scheduled today at 1 p. m. Newly elected officers will be installed during the first hour.

Mrs. Fred Grinham is the new president, Mrs. George Corrigan,

vice-president; Mrs. M. B. Garris, second vice-president; Mrs. William Cox, recording secretary; Mrs. Herman Felch, treasurer; Mrs. Ann McGregor, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. B. D. Sheffield, auditor.

Beginning Wednesday, the club will sponsor a class in flower arrangement to be taught by Mrs. Paul Ochiltree. The classes will meet every Wednesday through June 27 in the Coral Gables Woman's club and will be open to anyone interested.

MONDAY, OCT. 22

Coral Gables Garden club, tea, Coral Gables Woman's clubhouse, 1 p. m.

Gardeners Set Tea In Gables

The new year will open for Coral Gables Garden club members Monday, when they meet for tea in the Coral Gables Woman's clubhouse.

Members also will hear a talk on trees by Edwin Messinger, Stuart, and have a nomenclature drill led by Mrs. Evan Roser. Business will begin at 1 p. m.

THE MIAMI HERALD

Sunday, Oct. 21, 1945

Mrs. Grinham Calls Board

A "calling all board members" signal has been dispatched by Mrs. Fred Grinham, president of Coral Gables Garden club, for the 3 p. m. Monday meeting in the Gables Woman's clubhouse.

Committee chairmen include: Mrs. K. H. Goodrich, registration; Mrs. Warren Hodgdon and Mrs. Bradbury Barnes, reception; Mrs. Pierre Jones, hospitality; Mrs. Harry Trafford, program; Mrs. Richard Giersch, press and scrapbook; Mrs. R. M. Sheetz, finance; Mrs. E. L. Rees, research.

Mrs. Evan Roser is nomenclature chairman; Mrs. L. C. Olsen, library; Mrs. George Corrigan, decoration; Mrs. L. M. Gale, membership; Mrs. James Harrison, landscape; Mrs. Worth St. Clair, Fairchild Tropical gardens; and Mrs. George Dacy, printing.





CORAL GABLES RIVIERA

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1945

GABLES WOMEN'S CLUBS TO JOIN FOR ONE LARGE DECEMBER TEA, PROGRAM

Three organizations whose members are exclusively women will join in a Christmas program this year. They are the Coral Gables Woman's Club, the Coral Gables Music Club and the Coral Gables Garden Club.

The tea and program will be given at the Woman's clubhouse, the members of that club being responsible for the club and refreshments. The garden club will provide the decorations and the music club the program.

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Mrs. James Ammen, Mrs. Whitney Bliss and Mrs. William H. Bridges were hostesses for the tea hour.

Mrs. W. Wipprechet, chairman of flower arrangements, announced prizes would be given for the best "Holiday table decoration"; contestants to display at the November meeting.

THE MIAMI HERALD

Sunday, Nov. 25, 1945

Mrs. Deville Talks To Club

Use of tropical materials in items for the home—such as luncheon table mats—will be the gist of Mrs. A. E. Deville's informative Monday talk. She will be guest speaker for Coral Gables Garden club members at 2:30 p. m. in their clubhouse.

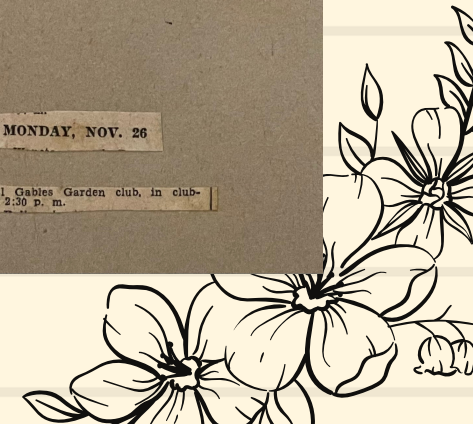
Mrs. Evan Roser will conduct the nomenclature. Members' holiday table centerpieces will be judged and a prize awarded for the best. Mrs. Margaret Austin and Mrs. Kenneth Goodrich are in charge of the floral arrangements.

During the tea hour, Mrs. Pierre Jones, hospitality chairman, will preside.

Christmas project this year will be flowering potted plants for the patients at the AAF Regional and Convalescent hospital, according to Mrs. Fred Grinham. She also announces that the board meeting will convene at 1:30 p. m. Monday, preceding open session.

MONDAY, NOV. 26

Coral Gables Garden club, in clubhouse, 2:30 p. m.



CORAL GABLES RIVIERA

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1945

GARDEN CLUB WILL MEET NEXT MONDAY

The Coral Gables Garden Club will study the use of tropical material in the home when they meet at 2:30 p.m. Monday at the Coral Gables Woman's Club for program and tea.

Mrs. A. E. Deville, an authority on the making of mats from tropical material will give the demonstrations.

Mrs. Evan D. Roser will give the nomenclature. Mrs. Margaret Pentland Austin and Mrs. Kenneth Goodrich, committee on flower arrangements will judge the holiday center pieces which members will bring for prize winning contest.

Mrs. Pierre Jones and her committee will preside during the hour. Mrs. Fred Grinham, president, who will preside at the board meeting at 1:30 p.m., announces that the club's Christmas project this year is flower-

ing potted plants for the convalescent soldiers at the Biltmore Army hospital.

CORAL GABLES RIVIERA

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1945

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Three Woman's Clubs to Join in Christmas Party

GARDEN AND MUSIC CLUBS JOIN WITH WOMAN'S CLUB PRESENTING GALA PARTY

For the first time in their history three important clubs of Coral Gables will join in one Christmas party and tea, on Monday, Dec. 17. The Coral Gables Woman's club will be hosts, providing the place and refreshments for the gala occasion. The Garden club members will decorate the club and members of the Music club will provide the program.

Mrs. William T. Hilles, president of the Woman's club will open the program, giving greetings to members of the three clubs and their guests, together with Mrs. Frederick Grinham, president of the Garden club, and Mrs. C. F. McCreedy, president of the Music club.

Mrs. O. P. Rogers, chairman for the Woman's club, has arranged the program which will start promptly at 2:30 p.m. Edward Clarke will give the Christmas story.

The Music club will present the Madrigal singers, who will sing the traditional Christmas carols and Mozart's "Motet." Henry Grager of the University Music faculty will play selections from Handel and Bach. John Cornwell, baritone, will sing the "Aria" from the Christmas Oratorio by Bach and "Glory to God in Nature" by Beethoven.

The Madrigal singers are composed of the following talented soloists: Sopranos, Lucy Jordan, Vella Kelleher, Marion McCreedy, Neville Vaughn and Fern Zimmerman; second sopranos: Ruth Higgins, Martha Penn McNutt, Cora Joslin and Helene Mizer; altos: Evelyn Percelle, Ruby Neill, Maude Henderson, Marcia Pawley and Charlotte Holdercraft.

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1946

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Mrs. Evan D. Roser will present the nomenclature lesson and brief talks will be given by Mrs. Harry Trafford, Mrs. O. P. Rogers, Mrs. John S. Lambie Jr. and Mrs. E. L. Rees.

After the meeting there will be a round table discussion on garden practices. Tea will be served by Mrs. Pierre Jones and her committee and a door prize will be given. The board meeting of the group is at 1:30 p.m.

THE MIAMI HERALD

Sunday, March 24, 1946

Use Flowers

To Create Hats

For Fashion Show

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Fresh flower hats, original creations, will be worn and modeled by members for a prize and guest speaker, Mrs. Freda Hughes will talk on "Mexico."

Preceding the meeting and tea, the board will convene at 1:30 p. m.

Mrs. Kenneth Jones will be in charge of the guest book. Mrs. P. E. Jones, refreshments, and greeting guests will be Mrs. Worth St. Clair and Mrs. M. B. Garriss.

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Garden Club Plans Benefit For Gables Youth Center

Members Will Give Bridge Dessert
Next Friday at Woman's Club;
To Raise Funds for Landscaping

In order to beautify the grounds at the Coral Gables Youth Center, a project, the Coral Gables Garden Club has undertaken this year, members of the club will stage a benefit dessert bridge party at the Woman's Club house next Friday (March 15).

Mrs. William H. Merriam, is general chairman of the party to take place at 1 p.m. Mrs. James Ammen and Mrs. Horace Cordes have charge of door and table surprises.

Mrs. Frederick Grinham, president of the club promises some real valuable "surprises" in the prizes.

The Garden club members have already begun their landscaping program at the Youth Center but much more is planned to make the grounds really beautiful. The club has beautified the grounds at the Elementary and Ponce de Leon High school, the Woman's Club and library (community house) buildings in former years.

Assisting the committees and taking reservations for the party are the following club members:

Mrs. Frances Arnold Alexander, I. S. Adkins, Percy Ainsworth, Anford Anderson, Margaret Austin, Bradbury Barnes, E. N. Belcher, Whitney Bliss, Henry Bird, William H. Bridges, John Broomey, E. E. Cady, Frank Cady, D. D. Carpenter, Chas. E. Casey, O. P. Chatfield, H. W. Cook, A. E. Cook, George Corrigan, Florence Canby, William Cox.

George H. Dacy, A. J. DeLaney, Homer Davis, John DeNoon,

J. F. Dish, I. W. England, Jack Enosman, Henry Erickson, Edward Farland, W. A. Feltzberger, Herman Feick, Thornton Fincher, J. W. Flaney, C. W. Francis, George Frederick, Charles F. Fuchs, Donald Fuller, L. M. Gale, M. B. Garriss, Richard Giersch, David Giffen, S. E. Giffen, Frederick Glass, Nelson H. Greene, Hugh Groven, H. H. Goodrich, Josephine Grossman, J. B. Hardin, Walter Harris, James Harrison, C. H. Hewes, D. B. Henry, W. T. Hilles, C. F. Jackson, R. R. Jones, Pierre Jones, A. J. Koswell, W. G. Knoeller.

John S. Lambie, Thomas Lee, T. G. Lietch, L. D. Llewellyn, H. J. Littledale, J. R. Meiners, J. Darryl McCall, Charles McVey, Charles F. Miller, Rodney Miller, W. T. Mixson, Fred Mixer, R. E. Norcross, John E. Norman, M. F. Olson, L. C. Olson, Carl J. Oaks, William Parry, Robert Pentland Sr., Harry Provin, Fitzlee Putney, Albin Pearson, Harry Rath, James Ray, E. L. Rees, O. P. Rogers, Evan D. Roser, Edith D. Rowe, Estella Richards.

W. B. Schleid, R. M. Sheets, B. D. Sheffield, George C. Simpson, Mary Isabel, Smith, Worth Sinclair, F. R. Steward, C. H. Stief Jr., Cresswell Stedman, Howard W. Sullivan, S. W. Kirk Sullivan, Wade Livingston Street, F. O. Strekevald, Arthur G. Stohn, Otis Spicer, Ralph K. Smith, Harry Trafford, T. Trencastin, W. J. Towne, Arthur Viccellis, J. C. Voges, J. A. Walkup, Ida Stone Walker, Charles F. (Continued on Page Eight)

Garden Club

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Weber, E. B. Wharton, George C. Williams, G. R. E. Williams, Lucy Williams, W. Wiprecht, George Wood, Alice Woodward, Walter Wigman, Warren Zimmerman and the Misses Madison Blue, Mildred Jordan, Anne R. McGregor, Janette G. McGregor and Helen Warner.



CORAL GABLES RIVIERA

FRIDAY, APRIL 26, 1946

Garden Club Members Plan Attendance at State Meet May 2-3

Coral Gables Garden Club members will join in the state federation convention which opens for a two-day session at 9:30 a.m. May 2nd at the Floridian Hotel, Miami Beach.

The Miami Beach Garden Club is the hostess club with Mrs. W. O. McCreery general chairman in charge of arrangements. She will be assisted by Mesdames J. P. Simmons, J. A. Malloy, LeRoy Brewster, S. B. Rohrer, Robert A. Taylor, Paul H. Ochiltree, August Geiger, Edith Renwick, Helen Cullen, Forest Haines, and Miss Lillie Eaton.

The hostess club is planning sightseeing and boat trips and shopping on Lincoln Road for delegates' entertainment.

The formal banquet will take place at 8 p.m. Thursday and the speaker will be Dr. James Shelby Thomas; his subject, "What do you grow in your garden?"

Mrs. G. Burke Lowry will be the speaker at the luncheon at 1 p.m. May 3rd, her subject,

"The Romance of the Rose." Mrs. Lowry is a vice president of the Winter Park Garden Club. She has taken 12 years to complete her research on the rose tracing its history through the ages. Closing sessions will take place at 2:30 p.m. Friday.

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Monday, April 22, 1946

Club Programs Show Diversity

CORAL GABLES WOMAN'S clubhouse will be the scene of the 2:30 meeting today of Coral Gables Garden club, following the 1:30 p.m. board session. In charge of hospitality will be Mrs. P. E. Jones. Mrs. Kenneth Goodrich will direct the registration. ★ ★ ★





—Herald Staff Photo
RESPONSIBILITIES OF OFFICE obviously hold no terrors for Mrs. George M. Corrigan (right) and her first vice-president, Mrs. M. B. Garris. Mrs. Corrigan heads the new slate of officers for Coral Gables Garden club, installed Monday at an outdoor assembly in Kerwig Pines, home of the Walter Wigmans.

THE MIAMI HERALD

Monday, May 27, 1946

Gardeners Hold Picnic Today

New officers of Coral Gables Garden club will be installed in an outdoor setting today, for the ceremony is scheduled during the club's annual picnic at Kerwig's Pines, the country home of Mrs. Walter Wigman.

Members and guests will assemble at noon, to enjoy a swim in the pool on this lovely estate. A buffet luncheon will be served under the direction of Mrs. E. Pierre Jones, hospitality chairman.

NAME DIRECTORS

Assuming office will be Mrs. George M. Corrigan, president; Mrs. M. B. Garris, first vice-president; Mrs. E. L. Rees, second vice-president; Mrs. Charles Miller, recording secretary; Mrs. James Ammen, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Horace Cordes, treasurer, and Mrs. Herman Seick, auditor.

Named as directors were Mesdames Fred Grinham, Fred Mizer, Charles Fuchs, Evan Roser, Howard Sullivan, Worth St. Clair, A. M. Cox, E. E. Cady, Harold Little, Ray Meiners, John Norman, Robert O. Pentlands sr., J. C. Voges and Clifford White.

Beginning Publicity
Mrs. George M. Corrigan's
Term of Office -
Virginia D. Graham Pub. Chair.

FRIDAY, MAY 31, 1946

CORAL GABLES RIVIERA

PICNIC- HIGHLIGHT OF CORAL GABLES GARDEN CLUB INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS TAKES PLACE AT 'CURWIG PINES'

May club breakfasts are wonderful, but in the place of a formal party with orchids and speeches, the Coral Gables Garden club celebrated their annual farewell to old and induction to new officers with a picnic.

This "close to nature" (as befitting a garden club) party was held Monday at the country estate "Curwig Pines" of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wigman, Hardee Drive, South Miami. About 70 members and their guests attended the alfresco affair. Swimming in the Wigman pool was a feature and installation of the new officers took place in the Rumpus Room on the estate.

Mrs. George Corrigan was installed as president; Mrs. M. B. Garris and Mrs. E. L. Rees, first and second vice presidents; Mrs. Charles Miller and Mrs. James N. Ammen, recording and corresponding secretaries; Mrs. Horace Cordes, treasurer; Mrs. Herman Feick, auditor; Mrs. Fred Mizer was installing officer. Mrs. Frederick Grinham, retiring president, was presented with a silver shell tray.

Mrs. Corrigan announced her executive board chairmen: Mrs. Dan D. Roser, program; Mrs. William Richey, reception; Mrs. William Hilles, registration; Mrs. Irene Jones, hospitality; Mrs. Howard Sullivan, research; Mrs. Francis Graham, publicity; Mrs. Walter Wipprecht, nomenclature; George Dacy, co-chairman;

Kenneth Goodrich, flower arrangement; Mrs. L. C. Olson, secretary; Mrs. George Simpson, membership; Mrs. I. W. England, secretary; Mrs. M. B. Garris, decorations; Mrs. Charles Fuchs, child garden; Mrs. Worth Blair, telephone, and Mrs. E. Es, year book.

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MIAMI DAILY NEWS, Sunday, June 2, 1946



MRS. GEORGE M. CORRIGAN, president of the Coral Gables Garden club was installed recently at a luncheon held at the Kerwig Pines. She is chairman of decorations for the Royal Poinciana Festival queens ball Friday at Coral Gables Country club.

—Park Madison Studio

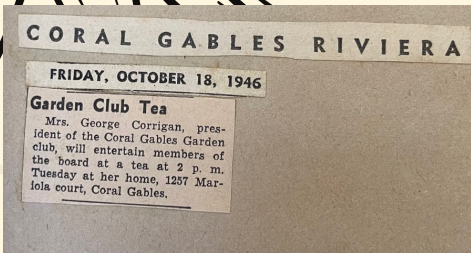
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Coral Gables Garden Club Holds Party

Coral Gables Garden club met for a swim party and buffet luncheon today at the country home of Mrs. Walter Wigman, Kerwig Pines. Mrs. P. E. Jones, hospitality chairman, directed the serving.

Officers who were installed at this afternoon's meeting were: Mrs. George M. Corrigan, president; Mrs. M. B. Garris, vice president; Mrs. E. L. Rees, second vice president; Mrs. Charles Miller, recording secretary.

Also, Mrs. James Ammen, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Horace Cordes, treasurer; Mrs. Herman Seick, auditor. Directors are Mrs. Frederick Grinham, Mrs. Frederick Mizer, Mrs. Charles Fuchs, Mrs. Evan Roser, Mrs. Howard Sullivan, Mrs. Worth St. Clair, Mrs. E. E. Cady, Mrs. Harold Little, Mrs. Ray Meiners, Mrs. John Norman, Mrs. Robert O. Pentland, sr., Mrs. J. C. Voges and Mrs. Clifford White.



Mrs. George Corrigan new president of the Coral Gables Garden Club will preside at the opening meeting and tea of the club's fall program at 2:30 p. m. Monday in the Coral Gables Woman's Club building.

Mrs. Evan D. Roser, program chairman will present Mrs. Paul Ochiltree, past president of the Miami Beach Garden Club and noted as creator of fresh flower hats. Her topic will be "Designing a Garden." Nomenclature schedule as outlined and planned will be under the direction of Mrs. Walter Wipprecht and co-chairman Mrs. George Daegy.

Mrs. Roser will also present the schedule as outlined and planned (Please Turn to Page 13)





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Miniature Gardens Are Club Project

Miniature gardens will be displayed by members of the Coral Gables Garden club tomorrow at the season's opening meeting,



MRS. GEORGE McK. CORRIGAN

2:30 p. m. at the Coral Gables Woman's club. Mrs. George Corrigan, new president, will be honored during the tea hour at the close of the program.

Mrs. Paul H. Ochiltree, guest lecturer, will speak on "Designing a Garden." Mrs. Kenneth H. Goodrich, chairman of flower arrangement, has charge of the garden display.

There will be nomenclature identification of plants, as conducted by Mrs. Walter Wipprecht and Mrs. George Dacey.

Coral Gables Garden club, has undertaken beautification of the grounds for the Gables Youth Center (Mrs. James D. Harrison, chairman), has announced a flower show, scheduled for March,

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Sunday, Nov. 24, 1946

Native Plants Program Topic

Thanksgiving arrangements of fruit and foliage will bedeck the Coral Gables Woman's club building Monday when Coral Gables Garden club convenes at 2:30 p. m.

Native plants will provide the theme for the program. Mrs. Evan D. Roser, program chairman, will lead Mesdames William T. Hilles, Clifford White, Ida Stone Walker, and W. W. Wipprecht in a discussion of the subject.

Mrs. Pierre Jones, hospitality chairman, will supervise the tea hour at the close of the session.

GARDEN CLUB PROGRAM IS MONDAY

"Native Plants" will be discussed at the regular program meeting of the Coral Gables Garden club at 2:30 p.m. Monday at the Woman's Club. Mrs. Evan D. Roser is program chairman.

Mrs. George M. Corrigan will preside and four members: Mrs. William T. Hilles, Mrs. Clifford White, Mrs. Ida Stone Walker, and Mrs. W. W. Wipprecht will participate in the discussion.

At the tea hour following, Mrs. Pierre Jones and her committee will preside.

A board meeting will precede the regular session.

Members are requested to bring Thanksgiving flower and fruit arrangements to this meeting.

Sunday, Oct. 27, 1946

THE MIAMI HERALD

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Gables Garden Club To Sponsor First Flower Show In March

FIRST flower show ever given in Coral Gables will be sponsored in March by Coral Gables Garden club, according to Mrs. George M. Corrigan, club president. The show will be a starred item on the club program this year.

Opening meeting of the group, set at 2:30 p. m. Monday in the Coral Gables Woman's clubhouse, follows an advance gathering of the executive board in Mrs. Corrigan's home. Mrs. Paul Ochiltree, guest speaker, will discuss garden designing. Members will bring miniature gardens for display.

Nomenclature identification specimens will be presented by the chairman, Mrs. Walter Wipprecht, and her co-chairman, Mrs. George Dacey. Mrs. Pierre Jones, hospitality chairman, is in charge of a tea honoring Mrs. Corrigan that will follow the meeting.

At the advance meeting Mrs. Evan D. Roser, program chairman, outlined the club's plans for the year.



MRS. GEORGE M. CORRIGAN
... Garden club head

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Fruits, Foliage Arrangements For Garden Club

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"Native Plants" will be the subject of the panel discussion by four club members: Mrs. William T. Hilles, Mrs. Clifford White, Mrs. Ida Stone Walker and Mrs. W. W. Wipprecht.



Fairchild Garden Supper Attracts More Than 300 Members and Visitors

FIRST SOCIAL EVENT of the season for members of Fairchild Tropical Garden—a buffet supper party this week, on the grounds—turned out more than 300 Garden affiliates and their guests.

Greeting the group, which included many returning vacationers, were Dr. and Mrs. David Fairchild, Col. and Mrs. Robert H. Montgomery. The occasion offered many winter residents their first opportunity to compare summer holiday notes.

MEET OLD FRIENDS

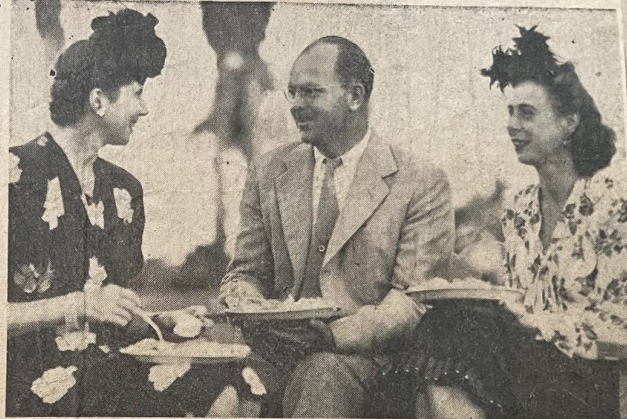
An anointing ceremony, with insect repellent, accompanied the hosts welcome, incidentally, for sand flies and mosquitos were among the "uninvited" guests.

Among those renewing old

acquaintanceships was Mrs. Sarepta B. Terletzky, who will be remembered here as the former WAVE commandant for the Seventh Naval District. Later assigned to take charge of the Women's Naval Reservists in the Eighth Naval District, with headquarters in New Orleans, she is a civilian once more.

Her recent vacation trip took her to Guatemala, where she "just missed" seeing the Fairchilds, and to California.

Also exchanging greetings with friends she had not seen for some time was Mrs. W. A.



MISS CAMILLA FINNIGAN, BALTIMORE, MD.; DR. AND MRS. GEORGE CURTIS AUSTIN, MIAMI
... attend buffet supper officially opening Fairchild Garden season

Willingham, noted Florida painter who was hostess to a party of six. Mrs. Alfred J. Beck also entertained six guests.

ALSO ENJOY EVENT

Others enjoying the informal get-together were Gen. and Mrs. Ernest D. Scott, Gen. and Mrs. John T. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lloyd Williams, the Worth St. Clairs, the T. B. McClellands.

The affair attracted Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Knowles, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Plowaty, the F. L. Pierces, too. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hambley, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Dean, Dr. and Mrs. Murray Cox, the J. N. Ammens, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hyzer, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Walter, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Maxwell also mingled with the crowd, inspecting the tropical exhibits and joining the buffet supper line.



AUTHORS KENDAL AND JULIA MORTON JOIN SUPPER GUESTS
... couple here writing book on tropical fruits of Florida





Christmas Festival To Be Held Tomorrow

THREE GABLES CLUBS SPONSOR EVENT



CHRISTMAS MUSICAL—Three-fold program, planned by the garden, woman's and music clubs of Coral Gables, will take place tomorrow at the Coral Gables Woman's clubhouse. Pictured above are three who have made arrangements for the Christmas musicale: Left to right, Mrs. M. B. Garris, decorations chairman (Garden club); Mrs. Coleman Jones, hospitality (Woman's club), and Mrs. C. H. Neill, program (Music club).

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Ham B. Garris of the Garden club. Mrs. J. Coleman Jones of the Woman's club is chairman of hospitality.

Annual Christmas festival sponsored by three clubs of Coral Gables takes place tomorrow, 2:30 p. m., at the Coral Gables Woman's clubhouse. Program for the musicale has been arranged by the vice president of the Coral Gables Music club, Mrs. C. H. Neill.

Christmas poems, with a musical background provided by Mrs. Florence Dunlap, will be read by Edward Clarke. Mrs. Wade Livingston Street will sing a group of Christmas songs.

Living pictures of Murillo's "The Adoration of the Shepherds" and "The Holy Family" will be one of the features of the afternoon. Mrs. O. H. Hoffman will give a sketch of the works of the artist.

A chorus of madrigal singers, accompanied by Mrs. Alice De Noon, will lead the entire assembly in carol singing.

Decorations for the musicale will be arranged by Mrs. Wil-

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1946

Music,

Garden,

Woman's Clubs

Join Forces

CORAL GABLES RIVIERA

To Present Christmas Program Monday At Woman's Clubhouse

Joining forces for the second year, members of three outstanding Coral Gables Women's clubs will present their Christmas program on the afternoon of December 16th at the Woman's clubhouse. They are Music, the Garden and the Woman's Club. Included also will be the Junior Department of the Woman's club.

Edward Clarke will open the program at 2:30 o'clock with the reading of Christmas poems with a background of music by Mrs. Florence Dunlap. Mrs. Dunlap will also accompany Mrs. Wade Livingston Street in a group of Christmas songs.

A feature of the afternoon will be the presentation of two living picture tableaux. "The Adoration of the Shepherds" and "The Holy Family" by Murillo. A background of harp music will be heard, and Mrs. O. W. Hoffman will give a brief sketch on the works of Murillo.

The chorus of "Madrigal" singers, many of whom belong to the three clubs, will sing Christmas

carols accompanied by Alice De Noon. They will also lead the entire group in the singing of carols.

The program is under the direction of Mrs. C. H. Neill, vice president and program chairman for the Music club; Mrs. Milton B. Garris in charge of decorations for the Garden club and Mrs. J. Coleman Jones chairman of hospitality for the Woman's club.

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Unite For Yule Festival

CORAL GABLES WOMAN'S clubhouses will be the scene at 2:30 p. m. Monday for the annual Christmas festival attended jointly by the Coral Gables Woman's club, Garden club and Music club.

Piano music by Mrs. Florence Dunlap will provide an appropriate background when Edward Clarke reads Christmas poems. Mrs. Dunlap also will accompany Mrs. Wade Livingston Street when she presents a number of selections carrying out the holiday theme.

Mrs. O. H. Hoffman will give a brief sketch of the works of the artist Murillo to be climaxed by two living pictures, "The Adoration of the Shepherds" and "The Holy Family" with harp music in the background.

The Madrigal Chorus will pre-

sent a number of carols, accompanied by Mrs. Alice De Noon, and will lead the entire assembly in singing other Christmas favorites.

Mrs. C. H. Neill, vice-president of the Music club, is in charge of the program; Mrs. Milton B. Garris of the Garden club is taking care of decorations and Mrs. J. Coleman Jones of the Woman's club is hospitality chairman.



FRIDAY, JANUARY 24, 1947

GARDEN CLUB SPEAKERS
MONDAY WILL BE MEMBERS

Tropical American plants that had their origin in the West Indies, Central America, Brazil and Mexico will be the subject for discussion at the January meeting of the Coral Gables Garden Club at 2:30 p.m. Monday.

Mrs. George Corrigan, president, will preside at the board meeting, which precedes the regular session in the Woman's Club.

The speakers for the international theme include Mrs. Roy Gilmour Pavy, Mrs. Fred Grinham and Mrs. William Merriam, all garden club members.

Following the meeting the social hour under the direction of Mrs.

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Coral Gables
Garden Group
Plans Program

Continuing the international theme, Coral Gables Garden club has chosen "Tropical American Plants" as the program topic for Monday's 2:30 p. m. meeting in the Woman's clubhouse.

Three members will tell of plants which originated in the West Indies, Central America, Brazil and Mexico. Mrs. Roy G. Pavy, Mrs. Fred Grinham and Mrs. William Merriam are the speakers.

Mrs. Pierre Jones, chairman, will have charge of the social hour, following the program. A board meeting, to precede the regular session, is announced by Mrs. George Corrigan, president.

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MIAMI DAILY NEWS, Sunday, Feb. 23, 1947

Flowers And
Vines Are
Study Topics

Again using the international theme—this time the Oriental—Coral Gables Garden club will have Mrs. Leslie H. Coombes as guest speaker at 2:30 tomorrow at the Coral Gables Woman's club.

Eastern china and pewter from the collection of Mrs. George B. Arnold will be displayed, and club members will model a number of Chinese mandarin robes. Arrangements of flowers in Chinese containers are to be submitted by members to be judged.

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Garden Group
Studies Orient

Coral Gables Garden club members will walk into a "choice cut of the Orient" at their 2:30 p. m. Monday meeting in the Woman's club building. The program—the club's third one based on the international theme—will reveal a definite Chinese and Indian influence.

A decorative touch will be added by flower arrangements, preferably in Chinese containers, contributed by members. A prize will be awarded by Mrs. Kenneth H. Goodrich, flower arrangement chairman, for the outstanding display.

"Plants From the Orient" is the subject to receive comment from Mrs. Leslie H. Coombes. She will be introduced by Mrs. Evan D. Roser, program chairman.

Club members will model for their own "fashion show" when they don Chinese mandarin robes, owned by Mrs. George B. Arnold. Mrs. Arnold also will exhibit many unusual pieces of china and pewter, collected during her sojourn in the Far East prior to the war.

The oriental theme also will prevail in the tea hour, supervised by Mrs. Pierre E. Jones and her hospitality committee.

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MIAMI DAILY NEWS, Sunday, Jan. 26, 1947

Garden Group
Meets Tomorrow

Continuing an international theme, tomorrow's program for Coral Gables Garden club will be displaying corsages and other flower accessories—during the two-day Flower Show the group is sponsoring in the Gables Woman's Club building.

The show will be open Monday from 5 to 10 p. m. and Tuesday from 10:30 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Formal attire will be worn by the models for their 8 p. m. Monday day appearance, while Tuesday afternoon they'll don informal wear and model fresh flower hats.

Among those who will act as models are: Mrs. George Arnold, Mrs. Horace F. Cordes, Mrs. George Dacy, Mrs. Kenneth H. Goodrich, Mrs. Milton B. Garris, Mrs. S. M. Greene, Mrs. Philip Hembold, Mrs. Thomas H. Hecobin, Mrs. William Merriam.

Others are Mesdames Royce Powell, William Richie, Evan D. Roser, Cresswell E. Stedman, Worth St. Clair, Leland Terry, George C. Williams, William Wiprecht, Warren Zinsmaster and L. B. Stephens.

The Old Mill Flower Shop will give complimentary corsages and furnish the greenery background.

CORAL GABLES RIVIERA

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1947

MRS. LESLIE COOMBES
TO BE GUEST SPEAKER
FOR GARDEN CLUB MONDAY

Mrs. Leslie H. Coombes, well-known authority on horticulture subjects, will be the guest speaker at the February meeting of the Coral Gables Garden Club which will take place at 2:30 p. m. Monday in the woman's clubhouse. Her subject will be "Plants from the Orient." This is the third program for the year, using the international theme. A board meeting will be held at 1 p. m. sharp preceding the meeting.

Mrs. George B. Arnold will display a number of choice unusual pieces from her collection of china and pewter as well as a number of beautiful Chinese mandarin robes which will be modeled by club members. Mrs. Arnold spent a prior to the war.

The Chinese influence will also dominate the flower arrangements contest and Mrs. Kenneth H. Goodrich, flower arrangement chairman has asked members to submit their arrangements in Chinese containers. A prize will be given for the best one.

Mrs. Pierre E. Jones and her hospitality committee will be in charge of the tea hour which also will feature oriental theme.

CORAL GABLES RIVIERA

FRIDAY, MARCH 7, 1947

Garden Club
Asks Clearing
Of Properties

The Coral Gables Garden Club this week called upon the city to launch an immediate campaign to force the clearing of vacant lots in the community.

Calling the condition insanitary and pointing to the skeleton fence recently on a vacant lot, the letter sent by the club asked that immediate action be taken.

City Manager William T. McIlwain pointed out that an over-all lot clearing program would be very difficult because of the rapid re-growth of the tropical foliage and also said that clearing might cause a dust and erosion condition.

THE MIAMI HERALD Sunday, March 23, 1947

Model Flowers
At Gables Show

Members of Coral Gables Garden club will act as models displaying corsages and other flower accessories—during the two-day Flower Show the group is sponsoring in the Gables Woman's Club building.

The show will be open Monday from 5 to 10 p. m. and Tuesday from 10:30 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Formal attire will be worn by the models for their 8 p. m. Monday day appearance, while Tuesday afternoon they'll don informal wear and model fresh flower hats.

Among those who will act as models are: Mrs. George Arnold, Mrs. Horace F. Cordes, Mrs. George Dacy, Mrs. Kenneth H. Goodrich, Mrs. Milton B. Garris, Mrs. S. M. Greene, Mrs. Philip Hembold, Mrs. Thomas H. Hecobin, Mrs. William Merriam.

Others are Mesdames Royce Powell, William Richie, Evan D. Roser, Cresswell E. Stedman, Worth St. Clair, Leland Terry, George C. Williams, William Wiprecht, Warren Zinsmaster and L. B. Stephens.

The Old Mill Flower Shop will give complimentary corsages and furnish the greenery background.

Sunday, March 16, 1947 THE MIAMI HERALD

Flower Show
Date Selected

All entries will be judged and ribbons awarded at the annual flower show of the Coral Gables Garden club. Plans are nearing completion for the affair, which will last from 5 to 10 p. m. March 24 and from 10:30 a. m. to 5 p. m. March 25, in the clubhouse. Mrs. Howard Sullivan is general chairman.

Others in charge include Mrs. E. L. Roser, exhibits; Mrs. Harry Trafford, miniatures; Mrs. Evan D. Roser, classification; Mrs. E. Forrest Diehl and Mrs. George Elliott, Patterson, orchids; Mesdames Kenneth H. Goodrich, J. C. Voges, Frederick Grinham and William Merriam, flower arrangements.

Still other chairmen are Mrs. Charles H. Fuchs, tropical fruits; Mrs. George B. Arnold, oriental arrangements; Mrs. J. N. Ammen, ribbons; Mrs. M. B. Garris, decorations; Mrs. E. Pierre Jones, hospitality; Mrs. George Dacy, secretary for the show; and Mrs. Francis S. Graham, publicity.

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CORAL GABLES FLOWER SHOW—Mrs. L. B. Stephens, left, will be one of the models at the flower show of the Coral Gables Garden club, which opens at 5 p. m. Monday in the Coral Gables Woman's club. Pictured with her is Mrs. George Dacy, club president. The exhibit will be open all day Tuesday. Mrs. Stephens was hostess at a tea today.

MIAMI DAILY NEWS, Sunday, March 23, 1947

Flower Use
To Be Shown
By Models

Special feature of the Coral Gables Garden club flower show will be the use of flowers as corsages and accessories as displayed by models. The flowers for this feature have been contributed by the Old Mill Flower shop. Formal attire will be shown Monday evening at 8 p. m. and afternoon wear will be modeled Tuesday, with fresh flower hats.

The show will be staged in the Coral Gables Woman's club and will be opened to the public at 5 p. m. Monday following the judging. The exhibit will continue Tuesday from 10:30 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Members of the club who will act as models are Mrs. George Arnold, Mrs. Horace F. Cordes, Mrs. George Dacy, Mrs. Kenneth H. Goodrich, Mrs. Milton B. Garris, Mrs. Philip Hembold, Mrs. Thomas H. Hecobin, Mrs. William Merriam, Mrs. Royce Powell, Mrs. William Richie, Mrs. Evan D. Roser, Mrs. Cresswell E. Stedman, Mrs. Worth St. Clair, Mrs. Leland Terry, Mrs. William Wiprecht, Mrs. George C. Williams and Mrs. Warren Zinsmaster.

MIAMI DAILY NEWS, Sunday, March 16, 1947

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Gables Garden
Show Planned

Plans are nearing completion for the first Flower Show of the Coral Gables Garden club, which will open March 24 at 5 p. m. in the Coral Gables Woman's club. The show will continue from 10:30 a. m. to 5 p. m. March 25.

Mrs. Howard Sullivan, general chairman, announces the following committees: Exhibits, Mrs. E. L. Roser; Miniatures, Mrs. Harry Trafford; Classification, Mrs. Evan D. Roser; Flower arrangements, Mrs. Kenneth H. Goodrich; Grinham and Mrs. Frederick Grinham; Tropical fruits, Mrs. Charles H. Fuchs; Oriental arrangements, Mrs. George B. Arnold; Orchids, Mrs. E. Forrest Diehl; and Mrs. George Elliott Patterson.

Ribbons, Mrs. J. N. Ammen; Decorations, Mrs. M. B. Garris; Hospitality, Mrs. Francis S. Graham. Secretary for the show is Mrs. George Dacy. All entries will be judged and ribbons awarded.

FRIDAY, MARCH 21, 1947

CORAL GABLES RIVIERA

GARDEN CLUB MEMBERS
TO MODEL "FLORALS"
AT FIRST ANNUAL SHOW

When the Coral Gables Garden Club members give their first annual garden show Monday and Tuesday at the club house an entirely new feature will be revealed. Members will model fresh flower hats corsages and other flower accessories for midday's outfit.

Those modeling include: Mesdames George Arnold, Horace F. Cordes, George Dacy, Kenneth H. Goodrich, Milton B. Garris, Fred Goodrich, Thomas Hecobin, Wilhembold, Thomas Hecobin, William H. Merriam, Royce Powell, William E. Richie, Evan D. Roser, Cresswell Stedman, Worth St.

Clair, Leland Terry, William Wiprecht, George C. Williams, Warren Zinsmaster.

Mrs. Howard Sullivan, general chairman and Mrs. George M. Corrigan president announce that flower arrangements to be modeled and palm background decorated in the Tuesday show from 10:30 a. m. to 5 p. m. day time wear and flowers will be shown.

Judging—Ribbons and awards will be made on all entries.

Garden Club Plans First Annual Flower Show

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THE CORAL GABLES GARDEN CLUB

Section A

Flower Arrangements

- Class 1 In Pottery container
- Class 2 In glass container
- Class 3 Of Hibiscus
- Class 4 Of dried material
- Class 5 In oriental style, any oriental container
- Class 6 Still Life Pictures (non-competitive)

Section B

Table Arrangements

- Class 1 For luncheon table
- Class 2 For buffet table
- Class 3 For coffee table
- Class 4 For console table

Section C

Special Occasion Arrangements

- Class 1 For Easter dinner table
- Class 2 For Patriotic (red, white and blue) dinner table
- Class 3 Fruit or Vegetable for dinner table. This may be fruit or vegetable or in combination.
- Class 4 Church or Altar

Section D

Miniatures

- Class 1 Not to exceed 3 inches.
 - Class 2 Not to exceed 6 inches.
 - Class 3 Still Life Pictures (non-competitive).
- Accessories are optional in all exhibits.

Section E

Orchids

Section F

Display of Tropical Material

Section G

Flower Fashions

- Class 1 Flower Hat
- Class 2 Corsages - Non-competitive

Flower Fashion—will be modeled on Monday evening, March 24, at 8 o'clock; on Tuesday afternoon, March 25 at 3 o'clock.

JUDGING SCHEDULE	
Distinction and originality	20
Balance and proportion	25
Color harmony	25
Relation to container	10
Suitability to occasion	5
Suitability to combination	5
Condition of material	10
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Show and Ribbon Awarding Takes Place March 24-25

Enthusiasm mounts as the time draws near for the first annual flower show of the Coral Gables Garden Club. Planning a two-days show, the club will open on Monday, March 24th from 5 to 10 p.m. and on the 25th from 10-30 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Coral Gables Woman's Club.

Mrs. Howard Sullivan is general chairman. Mrs. George Corrigan is president. Chairmen of the various committees are as follows: Exhibits, Mrs. E. L. Ross; miniatures, Mrs. Harry Trafford; classifications, Mrs. Evan D. Roser; flower arrangements, Mrs. Kenneth H. Goodrich; Mrs. J. C. Vogan; Mrs. Frederick Grisham and Mrs. William Merriam.

Tropical fruits, Mrs. Charles H. Fuchs; oriental arrangements, Mrs. George B. Arnold; ribbons, Mrs. James N. Ammon; decorations, Mrs. M. B. Harris; hospitality, Mrs. E. Pierre Jones; secretary for the show, Mrs. George Dacy; publicity, Mrs. Francis S. Graham; orchids, Mrs. E. Forest Ditch and Mrs. George Elliott Patterson. All entries will be judged and ribbons awarded.

Flower Arrangements Capture Hearts, Prizes in First Garden Club Show

By IRENE ERICKSON

The fragrance of orange blossoms, jonquils, and gardenias predominating over the more delicate scented blossoms would have intoxicated even the gods at the First Annual Flower Show of the Coral Gables Garden Club. Attractive flower arrangements were not alone in gracing the Coral Gables Women's Club. On Monday night the formal wear of flowers was modeled by members of the club. Mrs. George Arnold's creation taken at first for a French model won first prize in the flower hat contest. Mrs. M. B. Harris, model of pink fringed pe-

tunias won second prize. A pill box covered with pink baby chrysanthemums worn by Mrs. James Ammen was awarded the third (Please Turn to Page Twelve)

Flower Arrangements Capture Hearts, Prizes in First Garden Club Show

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prize.

The usual could be seen in Mrs. Herman Feick's hat of draped coconut fibre brightened with a sprig of orange sedum.

Miniature entries ranged from coconut roses to a scene in an oriental garden with a Japanese maid as accessory. An Everglades miniature shadow box scene won first prize in this class for Mrs. Howard Sullivan, general chairman of the Flower Show. Mrs. Herman Feick won first place for her miniature dry arrangement. Mrs. E. L. Ross' winner in the 3-inch miniature was a small blossom in an urn with an accessory of an old-fashioned lamp made from a shell all placed on a hand-woven mat.

A red tulip arrangement in a cream pottery container won first place in its class for Mrs. Harry Trafford.

Blue ribbon winner in the orchid group was Mrs. George Elliott Patterson's artistic arrangement of a phalaenopsis spray.

Mrs. Walter Whipprecht's winning entry in the dried material class was a cypress knee with red berries adding a touch of color.

Small branches of Dade county pine with flowers attached to form a bloom in an ivory urn for church or altar earned a blue ribbon for Mrs. Roy Gilmour Pavy.

Another winner in the special occasion section was Mrs. Walter Whipprecht's arrangement of red roses, blue delphinium and white candy tuft for the patriotic dinner table.

The striking console table piece in which the foliage and blossoms of the elephant's ear were combined with colorful croton earned first prize for Mrs. Charles Fuchs. She also won the sweepstakes prize.

Brilliant hibiscus in a white china compote with a delicate flowing vine earned a blue ribbon for Mrs. Howard Sullivan.

Mrs. J. C. Hewes' luncheon table arrangement of gerber daisies in different shades won first prize in its class.

A round orange container holding begonia, gerber daisies, and Hibiscus was Mrs. William Merriam's winning entry.

Judges for the flower arrangements were the madame Lillburn Bailey, Elizabeth Holloway, A. E.

DeVillie, George H. Newsome, S. B. Rohrer, Oscar Garrard. Judging the orchids was Mrs. A. C. Splinter, while flower hat judges were the madames George Williams, George Snow, Jeannette Tolleson, and Harry Provin.

The judges' announcement of first prize winners was as follows: Section A, Flower Arrangements: Class 1 in pottery container, Mrs. Harry Trafford; Class 2 in glass container, Mrs. William Merriam; Class 3 of hibiscus, Mrs. Howard Sullivan; Class 4 of dried material, and Class 5 in oriental style, any oriental container, Mrs. Walter Whipprecht.

Section B, Table Arrangements: Class 1 for luncheon table, Mrs. J. C. Hewes; Class 2 for buffet table, Mrs. Howard Sullivan; Class 3 for coffee table, Mrs. George Arnold; Class 4 for console table, Mrs. Charles Fuchs.

Section C, Special Occasion Arrangements: Class 1 for Easter dinner table, Mrs. Charles Fuchs; Class 2 for patriotic dinner table, Mrs. Walter Whipprecht; Class 4 for church or altar, Mrs. Roy Gilmour Pavy.

Section D, Miniatures: Class 1 not to exceed 3 inches, Mrs. E. L. Ross; Class 2 not to exceed 6 inches, Mrs. Herman Feick and Mrs. Harry Trafford; Class 3 still life pictures (non-competitive), Mrs. Howard Sullivan.

Section E, Orchids: Mrs. George Elliott Patterson and Mrs. Leslie Coomes.

Section F, Display of Tropical Material: Mrs. Charles Fuchs.

At the formal showing Monday night Mrs. George Corrigan, president of the Garden Club wore a hair-do of blue iris with her grey dress. The following members of the Garden Club also modeled:

Mrs. Helen Baum wore a corsage of tallman roses and delphinium with an off-white dress. A spray of three hybrid orchids accentuated the ice blue dress worn by Mrs. Evan D. Roser.

With her dress of chartreuse and gold Mrs. William H. Merriam wore an appellation of shattered yellow carnations.

Mrs. Lem B. Stephens' white dress was highlighted by a wristlet of red glanilla.

Mrs. Royce Powell wore large red camillias at the neckline with

her black dress.

With her gold dress Mrs. Thomas Horobin wore gerber daisies at the neckline.

A wristlet of golden yellow tulips with a royal blue bow were modeled by Mrs. Kenneth Goodrich who wore a royal blue velvet gown.

Mrs. Horace Cordes modeled a corsage of yellow iris with her sage green dress.

A gardenia corsage was worn by Mrs. Leland Terry with her black dress which had a pink and fuchsia flower design.

The pink camellia waistline corsage worn by Mrs. William E. Richey complemented the pink beaded neckline of her black dress.

Mrs. Milton B. Garis wore shattered pink charm carnations with royal blue ribbon at the bustle line with her royal blue dress.

RIVIERA

FRIDAY, MARCH 28, 1947

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HOME GROWN HATS ARE EXTOLLED BY CLUBWOMEN



Mrs. Garria

Mrs. Feick

Mrs. Arnold

Mrs. Jones

Mrs. Ammen

Mrs. Corrigan



The Time. Tuesday afternoon.
The Place. Coral Gables Garden Club Flower Show.

The Interrogator: Audrey Gelb.
The Photographer: Jim Oliver.

The Question: Do you think that the "Home Garden Grown" type of chapeau as exhibited at the Garden Club Flower show will permanently replace the creations of designers such as Lily Dache?

MRS. M. B. GARRIS, 1822 Country Club Prado: "Yes, they will to a certain extent, because we women always like to wear flowers in our hats, and especially on special occasions. No artificial flower can reproduce the color and odor of fresh flowers."

MRS. HERMAN FEICK, 1223 Genoa: "The only objection is that most fresh flowers don't last very long. This

Complete story on Flower Show on Society Pages

flower in my hat, however, called Seden, will last for a week without water, but it is an exception. If we could get the

flowers to last they would certainly be my preference."

MRS. GEORGE B. ARNOLD, 3319 Anderson Road: "The only trouble with fresh flower chapeau is that most of us don't have enough spare time to spend on making them. It took me about three or four hours to put this hat together, and I certainly couldn't spare that much time for every hat that I need."

MRS. PEIRRE JONES, 318 Avenue Mendoza: "I really think it would be grand to make a fresh flower hat for every occasion, and certainly less expensive than Lily Dache! A fresh flower hat made by hand shows more individualism and reflects your own personality more so than does one you buy."

MRS. JAMES AMMEN, 1251 Coral Way: "While these fresh flower hats were fun to make, it takes much less time and effort to buy one in the store. I spent three hours on mine and enjoyed making it, but I wouldn't have enough time to make all my own hats."

MRS. GEORGE M. CORRIGAN, 1257 Mariola Court: "Although I don't believe that fresh flower hats will replace the creations of our chapeau designers such as Lily Dache, I do think they will be a strong contender. For special occasions there is nothing lovelier than a fresh flower hat."

IVIERA-TIMES FRIDAY, APRIL 25, 1947

ARDEN CLUB TO ELECT OFFICERS AT MONDAY MEET

Election of officers will highlight business session of the Coral Gables Garden Club meeting at 8 p. m. Monday at the clubhouse.

Mrs. Young C. Lott, guest speaker, has chosen as her subject "Naturalist in Central America." Mrs. Lott will be presented by Mrs. Evan D. Roser, program chairman and the lecture will be concluding program of the International theme as prepared by Roser.

Nomenclature chairman, W. Wipprecht, will present plant material from the continent. A social hour following will follow the chairmanship of Mrs. Jones and her committee. Meeting precedes. Members asked to bring flower arrangements.

MIAMI DAILY NEWS, Sunday, April 27, 1947

Gables Garden Club To Meet

"A Naturalist in Central America" is the title of Mrs. Young C. Lott's address to be given at the meeting of the Coral Gables Garden club Monday at 8:30 p. m. in the Coral Gables Woman's club. Officers will be elected at this meeting.

Plant material from the African continent will be presented by the nomenclature chairman, Mrs. W. Wipprecht, Jr. The program is the last in the international series planned by Mrs. Evan D. Roser this year. Mrs. Pierre Jones has planned the social hour which follows. There will be a board meeting preceding the general meeting.

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International Programs End

Concluding a series of international programs, Coral Gables Garden club will assemble Monday to hear Mrs. Young C. Lott discuss "A Naturalist in Central America." The 2:30 p. m. event in the Woman's club building winds up the series presented this year by Mrs. Evan D. Roser, program chairman.

Further carrying out this theme, the nomenclature chairman, Mrs. W. Wipprecht, Jr., will present plant material from the African continent.

Mrs. Pierre Jones, hospitality chairman, has made arrangements for a social hour following adjournment of the business session which will include election of officers.

Members will bring flower arrangements to the monthly meeting, which will be preceded by a board session.

CORAL GABLES GARDEN CLUB

1. The first annual Flower Show of the Coral Gables Garden Club will be held in the Coral Gables Woman's Club on Monday, March 24th, 1947, from 7:00 to 10:00 P.M. and on Tuesday, March 25th, from 10:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

Admission: Free to members; 50¢ to guests and visitors.

2. There is no limit to number of exhibits per member. Only members may exhibit and compete for ribbons, except in Orchid section. Friends of members are invited to display orchids.

3. All exhibits must be at the Clubhouse at 1:00 P.M., Monday.

4. Red, white, and blue ribbons will be awarded.

5. Accessories are optional.

6. There will be a Sweepstakes award for best exhibit to be decided by popular vote.

7. On Monday evening, Flower Accessories will be modeled and on Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 P.M., Flower Hats will be modeled. Refreshments.

8. Each member should have at least one entry to make the Show a success. Study the schedule and notify Exhibits Chairman, Mrs. E. L. Rees, 1217 Coral Way, by postcard, before March 19th in which Section and Class member will exhibit. Card will be used for filing.

General Chairman - Mrs. Howard W. Sullivan
Co-Chairman - Mrs. Chas. Fuchs

Flower Show
Chairman

Registration - Mrs. Geo. H. Dacy
Schedule - Mrs. Evan D. Roser
Ribbons - Mrs. H. C. Cordes
Judges - Mrs. Howard W. Sullivan
Exhibits - Mrs. E. L. Rees

Exhibits
Vice
Chairman

Miniatures - Mrs. Harry Trafford
Flower Arrangements - Mrs. Kenneth Goodrich
Special Occasion Arr. - Mrs. J. C. Voges
Flower Fashions - Mrs. Wm. H. Merriam
Tropical Fruit Display - Mrs. Fred Graham
Table Arrangements - Mrs. Chas. Fuchs

Hospitality Committee

Reception - Mrs. Geo. M. Corrigan, Pres.
Publicity - Mrs. Francis Graham

Guest Book - Mrs. Worth St. Clair
Refreshments - Mrs. Pierre Jones

SCHEDULE

Section A Flower Arrangements

- Class 1 - In pottery container ✓
- Class 2 - In glass container
- Class 3 - Of Hibiscus
- Class 4 - Of dried material
- Class 5 - In Oriental style, any oriental container

Section B Table Arrangements

- Class 1 - For luncheon table
- Class 2 - For buffet table ✓
- Class 3 - For coffee table
- Class 4 - For Console table ✓

Section C Special Occasion Arrangements

- Class 1 - For Easter dinner table
- Class 2 - Patriotic (red, white & blue) dinner table
- Class 3 - Fruit & vegetables for dinner table
- Class 4 - For church or altar

Section D Miniatures

- Class 1 - Not to exceed 3 inches ✓
- Class 2 - Not to exceed 6 inches

Section E

Orchids

Section F

Display of tropical fruits & plants

Section G Flower Fashions

- Class 1 - Flower Accessories
- Class 2 - Flower Hats



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Garden Club May Party Will Have Alfresco Setting

MEMBERS WILL SWIM, PICNIC AT WIGMAN COUNTRY ESTATE

Members of the Coral Gables Garden Club will hold their annual meeting and installation of new officers at 12 noon Monday at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wigman, Hardee Drive, South Miami.

Mrs. Wigman, club member, has graciously given her home, "Curwig Pines," as she did last year for the festive. Swimming in the Wigman pool will be followed by a picnic luncheon of fried chicken and other favorite picnic foods served in the attractive rumpus room on the estate. Guests are asked to bring their own table place silver.

Installation of officers will follow the luncheon.

12-E THE MIAMI HERALD Sunday, May 25, 1947

Picnic To End Club's Season

An old-fashioned picnic—with heaping platters of fried chicken as the "main course"—will wind up Coral Gables Garden club activities this season.

Mrs. Walter Wigman will entertain the group and guests for this event at 12 noon Monday, at her country estate, "Curwig Pines," South Miami.

The pool will serve as the "old swimmer's hole" on this occasion so members are being urged to take along their bathing suits. The picnic lunch is to be served in the rumpus room.

All the fun will be followed by a bit of serious business—installation of new officers.



6-D MIAMI DAILY NEWS, Sunday, May 25, 1947

Gables Gardeners Plan Picnic Monday

Instead of the usual May breakfast for the installation of their officers, members of the Coral Gables Garden club will have a picnic luncheon Monday at the South Miami estate of Mrs. Walter Wigman, "Curwig Pines."

Club members are instructed to bring their suits for a dip in the old swimming hole, which in this case is the Wigman pool; when they arrive at noon, luncheon of fried chicken and typical picnic food will be served in the rumpus room.



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Mrs. Corrigan Assumes Post

At ceremonies held Monday in the home of Mrs. Walter Wigman and attended by 75 members, Mrs. George M. Corrigan was installed as president of the Coral Gables Garden club. Mrs. Evan D. Roser officiated.

Others placed into office were Mrs. O. A. Sandquist, first vice president; Mrs. Walter Wigman, Jr., second vice president; Mrs. Charles F. Miller, recording secretary; Mrs. James N. Ammen, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Horace F. Cordes, treasurer; and Mrs. Herman Peick, auditor.

MIAMI DAILY NEWS, Thursday, May 29, 1947

Officers Installed At Garden Club

Officers of the Coral Gables Garden club who were installed recently by Mrs. Evan D. Roser are: Mrs. George M. Corrigan, president; Mrs. O. A. Sandquist, first vice president; Mrs. Walter Wigman, Jr., second vice president; Mrs. Charles F. Miller, recording secretary; Mrs. James N. Ammen, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Horace F. Cordes, treasurer; and Mrs. Herman Peick, auditor.

The installation took place during a picnic which 75 members attended at the home of Mrs. Walter Wigman in South Miami.

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YOUTH CENTER RECEIVES TREE

The Youth Center grounds have been beautified by the addition of a lush Sea Grape Tree the gift of a member of the Coral Gables Garden Club. The garden club members are rejoicing over the gift but remembering the old adage—that it is "an ill wind that blows no one any good", for the tree was blown over in the recent hurricane and suffered the same fate in the 1945 storm.

Contacting the president of the Garden Club, Mrs. George M. Corrigan, whose project is the beautifying the Center grounds, removal of the tree was placed in the hands of Mrs. William Merriam, chairman of landscaping for the club. She contacted Lowell E. Southern of the Mangus Nurseries, and civic minded Mr. Southern donated the necessary equipment to move the beautiful full grown tree to the Youth Center Grounds. It has been placed in the west end of the block close to the new addition to the Center now under construction.



MRS. GEORGE W. CORRIGAN ... begins second year

Club To Fete Mrs. Corrigan

A reception to honor Mrs. George M. Corrigan, who begins her second year as president of the Coral Gables Garden club, will be held Monday following a 2 p.m. business session in the Coral Gables Woman's club.

During the business meeting, Fred DeLimer will discuss "Roses—How To Plant Them and How To Care For Them." Mrs. Guy Fitts will present a program of music.

Arrangements for the tea are being handled by Mrs. William T. Hillis, chairman of the reception committee; Mrs. Douglas H. Reynolds, hospitality chairman; and Mrs. O. A. Sandquist, first vicepresident and program chairman.

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Mrs. George Corrigan Heads Coral Gables Garden Club, Installation Follows Picnic

Mrs. George M. Corrigan was installed president of the Coral Gables Garden Club for a second year, in ceremonies following the May picnic and annual meeting held Monday at Curwig Pines, country home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wigman.

Other officers installed include Mrs. O. A. Sandquist, 1st vice president; Mrs. Walter Wigman, Jr., 2nd vice president; Mrs. Charles F. Miller, recording secretary; Mrs. James Ammen, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Horace F. Cordes, treasurer and Mrs. Herman Peick, auditor.

Mrs. Evan D. Roser, a past garden club president, was the installing officer. As each officer was

member wore flowers in there were no hats.

A custom of the after annual meeting, the after had its beginning some ago when the group began at Melbourn's Ham study trees. During the w too far to drive to the H Monday's picnic — and meeting was the fourth Mr. and Mrs. Wigman's h

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Hurricane-Wise Residents Take Blow in Their Stride

Alcohol lamps and stereo stoves served as temporary "heats" for hurricane-wise Gables families who clustered around bub coffee pots and soup kettles to "sit out" Wednesday's blow solid comfort.

Only minor damage was reported by residents emerging boarded-up homes yesterday. Some householders who had to elaborate precautions against a real howler went so far as to exp chagrin that the storm did not live up to its advance billing: a Big Bad Blow.

The George M. Corrigan had a bad moment when it head-of-the-house was forced to venture out at the height of it hurricane to slash a porch awning.

"It was billowing like a parachute and we thought we were going to take off any time," declared Mrs. Corrigan.

Trees and shrubbery surrounding the home at 1227 Mari Court showed proper respect for Mrs. Corrigan's position as president of the Coral Gables Garden Club.

"Nary a bush went down—not even the two crepe myrtle had just planted," she said.

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ON GARDEN PATHS

LaGorce To Offer Lessons

ROSES ALSO will be studied by the Coral Gables Garden club resuming activity Monday. Fred will take place at the Coral Gables Woman's clubhouse at 2 p.m. Mrs. George M. Corrigan, president, will be honored at a reception.



Garden Club Opens Season With Program and Tea

Monday's Party Will Honor President Mrs. George Corrigan

Mrs. George M. Corrigan will be honored as president of the Coral Gables Garden Club Monday afternoon at the reception and program of the group meeting at 2 p.m. in the women's club house.

Mrs. William T. Hilles, chairman of the reception committee and Mrs. Douglas R. Reynolds, chairman of hospitality, assisted by Mrs. Cresswell M. Stedman, will have charge of tea and reception following the program.

Roses being uppermost in the minds of Florida gardeners, at this time of year, Fred Detmer, an authority on rose culture will be the speaker. Mona Finn will be soloist. Mrs. O. A. Sandquist is program chairman.

Officers Named

In addition to Mrs. Corrigan, who begins her second year as president of this important Coral Gables club, other officers are Mrs. O. A. Sandquist, 1st vice president; Mrs. Walter Wipprecht Jr., 2nd vice president; Mrs. Charles Miller, recording secretary; Mrs. James N. Ammen, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Horace P. Cordes, treasurer and Mrs. Herman Feick, auditor.

Directors

Directors include Mesdames: Fred Grinham, Fred Miller, Charles Fuchs, Evan D. Rosen, Howard Sullivan, Clifford White, Worth St. Clair, R. J. Meiners, John Norman, Robert Penland, Sr., Edwin N. Belcher, William Merriam, William Cox, M. B. Garris and George C. Williams.



MRS. CORRIGAN
—Pilkington Photo

Mary Davies to Be Soloist At Garden Club Meeting

Songs dear to the hearts of flower lovers will be sung by Mary Davies, Coral Gables soprano, when she appears as guest soloist at the 2 p.m. meeting Monday of the Coral Gables Garden Club.

The meeting will be held at the Woman's Club building and will be preceded by a board meeting at 10 p.m. with Mrs. George Corrigan, president in charge.

Mrs. Fieda Hughes will be the speaker and her subject "Flowering Bulbs." Mrs. Davies will include in her group of songs, "In My Garden" by Isabel Firestone; "Iris" by David Wolf and "If Flowers Could Speak" by Mana-Zucca. Members are urged to bring fruit and foliage arrangements.

The clubhouse and tea table will carry out the Thanksgiving theme, with fruit and foliage arrangements.

Mrs. Douglas Reynolds and Mrs. Cresswell Stedman will have charge of the tea hour.

New members recently admitted to the club include Mrs. E. J. Paxton, Mrs. Carl F. Lambert, Mrs. Albert Gleason, Mrs. Fred A. White, Mrs. Lyle D. Holcomb, Mrs. M. G. Flannery, Mrs. Frank Steiner, Mrs. Oren Phelps, Mrs. Roy Page, Mrs. O. C. Corbin, Mrs. Earl V. Wilson, Mrs. George A. Chatfield, Mrs. Herbert O. Vance and Mrs. Zillah Holmes.



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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3

Mrs. Corrigan Names Garden Club Leaders

Mrs. George M. Corrigan, president of the Coral Gables Garden Club, today announced committee heads who will assist officers and directors of the organization during the 1947-48 club year.

Mrs. O. A. Sandquist is chairman of program; Mrs. Douglas H. Reynolds and Mrs. Cresswell E. Stedman, hospitality; Mrs. Kenneth H. Goodrich and Mrs. J. C. Hilles and Mrs. George C. Williams, flower arrangements; Mrs. Walter Wipprecht and Mrs. George Dacy, nomenclature; Mrs. George C. Simpson, membership; Mrs. I. W. England, finance; Mrs. M. B. Garris and Mrs. Royce Powell, decoration; Mrs. William Merriam, landscaping; Mrs. Francis S. Graham, publicity; Mrs. Evan D. Rosen, library; Mrs. William T. Hilles and Mrs. George C. Williams, registration; Mrs. Howard Sullivan and Mrs. Charles Fuchs, flower show; Mrs. Worth St. Clair and Mrs. George B. Arnold, telephone; Mrs. J. H. Finney, notification and Mrs. R. J. Meiners and Mrs. Leonard C. Olson, Simpson Garden Center Hostesses.

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Fieda Hughes Talks On Bulbs

Coral Gables Garden club is conducting Coral Gables Woman's clubhouse with fruit and foliage in keeping with the Thanksgiving theme for its Monday meeting.

Guest speaker, Fieda Hughes, will talk on flowering bulbs during the 2 p.m. program. She will also select the song "If Flowers Could Speak" by Mana-Zucca.

Mrs. Douglas H. Reynolds and Mrs. Cresswell E. Stedman are in charge of the tea hour which will follow.

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Along Garden Paths

TO PLAN HOLIDAY SETTINGS

At least two luncheons and a tea are planned by garden clubs this week. Thanksgiving theme predominating.

Coral Gables garden club is concentrating upon arrangements of fruit and foliage for its program and tea tomorrow in the Coral Gables Woman's clubhouse, 2 p.m.

Mrs. Fieda Hughes will speak on flowering bulbs. A musical program, featuring garden songs, will be given by Mary Davies.



MARY DAVIES

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Silent Night, Holy Night --- All Is Calm, All Is Bright



—Riviera-Times photo by Blum

It's not all holding song books and wearing white robes that makes the "Madrigals" popular as a group of singers. It's mostly hard work, rehearsals once a week, a real talent and a love for the work that puts them in demand.

Given their unusual name by Henry Gregor, their director for three years, the Madrigal Singers are a federated group under the wing of the Coral Gables Music Club. They are on call for club and civic group meetings. During the war they sang frequently at hospitals and USO centers. The chorus was founded in 1940 by Arturo d'Filippi, director of the Miami Opera Guild, and has been raising its voice in song ever since.

The picture shown above was taken as the Madrigal Singers presented a program of Christmas carols and hymns at a joint Yuletide program of the Coral Gables Woman's, Garden and Music Clubs.

Pictured in the front row are director Adelaide Gillette, accompanist Eleanor Clark Linton and songsters Marion McCready, Neville Vaughn, Anne Grinham, Flo Stoberg, Ruth Higgins, Virginia Logan and Rose Hoffman.

Standing just behind them are Martha Penn McNutt, Catherine Chaffer, Lucy Jordan, Marie Pawley, Mona Finn, Zithor O'Steen, Charlotte Holdcraft and Ruby Neill.

2-E THE MIAMI HERALD Sunday, Dec. 14, 1947

Three Gables Clubs Join In Giving Christmas Tea

THREE Coral Gables groups—the woman's club, the music club and garden club—will join for a Christmas tea Monday at 2:30 p.m. in the woman's clubhouse. Hostess will be Mrs. G. W. Weller as hospitality chairman, assisted by her committee.

Presiding at the tea table will be the three club presidents, Mrs. William Cox, Mrs. Fred Grinham and Mrs. George M. Corrigan, assisted by Mrs. Howard M. Sullivan.

Speaking will be Mrs. Frances Z. Micali, director of home service for Dade County chapter, American Red Cross. She will discuss "Red Cross Experiences In Australia."

Group singing will be led by Mrs. Adelaide Gillette. Edward Clarke will talk on Christmas songs. Others participating will be Mrs. Mary Davies and Harry Graham, vocalists; Miss Alberta

Hoelstein, cellist; Miss Mary Ellison, pianist, and the Madrigal Singers.

The international relations department of Coral Gables Woman's club, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Clifford White, will hold a session Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. J. C. Bowler, 1023 Almeria ave.

Speaker will be Mrs. Frances Z. Micali, director of home service for Dade County chapter, American Red Cross. She will discuss "Red Cross Experiences In Australia."

Following will be a quiz on the Marshall Plan, conducted by the hostess.

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Three Clubs In Gables Plan Fete

Three clubs in Coral Gables will join forces for an annual Christmas tea on Monday. The Garden club will provide the decorations; the Music club, the program; and the hostess group—the Coral Gables Woman's club—will provide the hospitality. The club's brand new Baldwin grand piano will be initiated.

Edward Clarke is the featured speaker.

Under the direction of Miss Adelaide Gillette, the Madrigal Singers will present a group of five songs, accompanied by Eleanor Clark Linton. Miss Alberta Hoelstein, cellist, will play. Miss Mary Davies will sing a solo and will be heard in a duet with Mary Graham. Miss Mary Ellison of the University of Miami will play piano solos.

Mrs. William Cox, hostess president, Mrs. George M. Corrigan, Garden club president, and Mrs. Frederick Grinham, Music club host, will preside at the three tea tables at the conclusion of the program.

Gables Women's Groups Plan Joint Xmas Party

Music, Garden and Woman's Organizations Combine Talents In Tri-Club Yule Program

Coral Gables' three most distinguished women's organizations will combine hospitality and talents Monday afternoon to present a festive tri-club Christmas party at headquarters of the Coral Gables Woman's Club.

For the third successive year, members of the Coral Gables Senior Club will join the Coral Gables Music Club and the Coral Gables Garden Club in celebrating the advent of the Yuletide season. And each of the groups will assume a share in the festivities scheduled to start at 2:30 p.m.

With the Woman's Club as host group for the day, the Garden Club will assume responsibility for decoration of meeting hall and tea tables in keeping with the Christmas theme, while Music Club members provide a program of appropriate vocal and instrumental music.

Receiving members and guests will be the three presidents—Mrs. William Cox, Mrs. George Corrigan and Mrs. Fred Crinkham.

Mrs. C. H. Neill, program chairman for the Music Club, will introduce Mary Davies, soprano, and Harry Graham, baritone. They will join voices in the duet "Cantique Noel" by Adam, with cello obligato by Miss Holstein, Miss Holstein, a member of the University Symphony Orchestra, will play Schubert's "Ave Maria" as her solo.

Mrs. Davies, accompanied by Eleanor Clark Linton, will also sing the popular "I Wonder as I Wander," an Appalachian Christmas Carol by Niles.

Two piano numbers, "Gesu Joy of Man's Desiring" and "Rondo in E Flat" by Hummel, will be the musical contribution of talented Mary Ellison.

The Madrigal Singers, a chorus of the voices of some 20 Music Club members, will sing a group of Christmas carols under the direction of Adelaide Rittenhouse, and will lead the combined clubs and their guests in singing the old familiar Yuletide hymns and carols.

Edward Clarke, regular guest lecturer for the music group, will give the "Christmas Story."

The program will be followed by a tea and social hour.

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Garden Groups Join In

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Yule Party



"Won't you have a cup of tea?" Mrs. Fred Crinkham asks Mrs. William Cox (center) and Mrs. George M. Corrigan at their tri-club musicale party yesterday.

They are presidents respectively of the Music, Woman's and Garden Clubs.

Presidents of Three Clubs Greet Guests as Carols Peel Out Christmas Message

By Helen Reynolds

Don't let any one ever tell you a great group of women can't sing together. They sweetly sang "Joy to the World" yesterday as an opener at the combined meetings of the Coral Gables Woman's Garden and Music clubs. And at the close of the program they took up "Silent Night" in the modulated voices of women.

The occasion marked the fourth year of the combined club Christmas party. By two thirty o'clock there wasn't a seat to be had, and before the program got underway, all available chairs from the nearby library had been pressed into service and standing room was at a premium.

Two large silvered trees at the entrance to the clubrooms contrasted with two large green Christmas trees at either end of the platform. Poinsettias decorated the tea tables, placed at right angles to the platform, and around the room hung long leaf pine branches tied with paper candy striped canes and gilded tinsel.

Mrs. Curtis Haggard, president of the Junior Department read the Woman's Club collect. Mrs. William Cox, president of the Woman's club presided as president. (Please Turn to Page 8)

Three Clubs Join for Xmas Program

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dent of the hostess club. Mrs. George Corrigan, president of the Garden Club brought greetings and Mrs. Fred Crinkham spoke a welcome for the Music club.

Dr. Edward Clark read a "Christmas Carol" with background music played by Eleanor Clark Linton at the piano. In preface his part of the program, Mr. Clark declared:

"I sort of belong to this club, but I feel a little out of place today. I am not like the stove in the kitchen. They can put that out, but they can't very well put me out."

Mrs. Clyde Neill, program chairman presented among other numbers the Madrigal Singers in several new Christmas numbers. Solo parts were taken by Marion McCreedy and Ruth Higgins. The chorus was directed by Adelaide Rittenhouse and accompanied by Eleanor Clark Linton.

Mary Davies sang the hauntingly beautiful "I Wonder as I Wander" as a solo.

Past presidents of the three clubs presided at the tea and coffee services for the social hour following the program.

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 27, 1948

Mrs. Hillis Named Program Director

The coffee bean will wrap the tea leaf as source of refreshment February 23rd, when the Coral Gables Garden Club, in a departure from traditional afternoon sessions, meets for a morning program.

Mrs. George M. Corrigan, president of the club, announced that Mrs. Liburn Bailey, noted authority on flower arrangements, will be guest speaker at the combined meeting and coffee, to be held at the Woman's Club auditorium.

In a brief business convocation yesterday, Mrs. Corrigan announced the appointment of Mrs. William T. Hillis as program chairman to serve for Mrs. A. O. Sandquist who moved Sunday to Washington, D. C.

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Horticulturist Tells Surprises (And Shocks) That Accompany Tropical Plant Experimentation

The adventures—and the headaches—that arise from experimenting with exotic plants garnered from the far corners of the earth were described before members of the Coral Gables Garden Club yesterday by A. C. Jordahn.

"Experiment with different shrubs and trees in your own gardens by all means," the "Soen" experiment, Mr. Jordahn admitted, brought results that amazed even the experts who call tropic flora by their awesome Latin names—like the vine which took root cooperatively, but

luxuriant foliage and then made sure of its welcome by putting forth beautiful red blooms.

"We congratulated ourselves on introducing a new vine to ornament homes—until I happened to break a branch," he related. "Piff! What a terrible smell!"

One imported species of jasmine was so anxious to become a permanent resident it started to take over all the land around it.

"Our problem then was to get the rid of it, not grow it," the speaker said. Still another plant sent out a dense network of underground roots that would have defied extermination had it not been discovered in time. Most of the experimental imports provide pleasant surprises in return for the care lavished upon them, and the horticulturist brought samples along

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Gables Garden Club to Hear Fairchild Expert

A. C. Jordahn, Fairchild Gardens Superintendent, will tell members of the Coral Gables Garden Club Monday how "jourists" of the tropical seed and plant world are brought here, given a place in the sun, and persuaded to send down roots as "permanent residents."

The noted horticulturist, who came to South Florida twenty-five years ago from his native Denmark, will be introduced by Mrs. O. A. Sandquist, program chairman for the meeting that will get under way at two o'clock at the Woman's Club building.

Title of his talk will be "Introduction of New Seeds and Plants in the Tropical Gardens."

Mrs. George M. Corrigan, Garden Club president, will conduct the meeting and preside at an Executive Board session scheduled for one o'clock.

Soloist for the afternoon will be Charlotte Hicks, soprano, who will sing a group of songs.

Hostesses for the day will be Mrs. George C. Williams, Mrs. William E. Richey, Mrs. Edwin D. Belcher, and Mrs. Robert Pentland.

Mrs. Douglas Reynolds will be in charge of the tea and social hour that will follow the program.

MIAMI DAILY NEWS, Sunday, Jan. 25, 1948

CORAL GABLES GARDEN CLUB—Meeting, program and tea at Coral Gables Woman's clubhouse, 2 p. m.

Introduction of new plants and seeds to Fairchild Tropical Gardens will be discussed for Coral Gables Garden Club this week by A. C. Jordahn, Gardens superintendent. The horticulturist will be introduced by Mrs. O. A. Sandquist, program chairman, 2 p. m. Monday at the Coral Gables Woman's clubhouse. A board meeting, headed by Mrs.

George M. Corrigan, will be held at 1 p. m. There will be a musical program, with a tea following the program. The reception committee includes Mrs. George C. Williams, Mrs. William E. Richey, Mrs. Edwin D. Belcher, Mrs. Robert Pentland. Mrs. Douglas Reynolds heads the tea hour arrangements.

Interested questions greeted the display of a new variety of the cambium vine bearing swatches of vivid red blooms; and branches from the Tabebuia Tree, a Mexican import, with clusters of delicate lavender-to-purple blossoms tipping each branch. Members listened intently as the speaker told of work with the "still temperamental" tree of the Baya tree at Fairchild Gardens which recently exploded into a mass of yellow flowers; and of other varieties of the Jacaranda and palm.

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Gardeners Hear A. C. Jordahn

A. C. Jordahn, superintendent of Fairchild Tropical gardens, will address Coral Gables Garden Club at 2 p. m. Monday in the Coral Gables Woman's club building. President Mrs. George M. Corrigan is in charge. Mr. Jordahn will be presented by Mrs. O. A. Sandquist, program chairman. He will speak on new plants and seeds in the tropical garden. A native of Denmark, Mr. Jordahn has lived in Miami for the past 25 years and is an authority on Florida horticulture. Mrs. Charlotte Hicks, soprano, will sing. On the reception committee are Mesdames George C. Williams, William E. Richey, Edwin D. Belcher and Robert Pentland. Mrs. Douglas Reynolds is in charge of the tea hour.



THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1948

GARDEN CLUBBERS TO WEAR HOMESPUN CORSAGE AT MEET

Two innovations mark the monthly meeting of the Coral Gables Garden Club scheduled for Monday at the Woman's club house. The members will gather at high noon for coffee and each is requested to wear a fresh flower or corsage of her own making.

Following the coffee Mrs. Lilburn Ralley, past president of the Council of Garden Club presidents, and an accredited judge will give an illustrated talk on "flower arrangement."

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1948

FROM A RIVIERA NOTEBOOK

By Mary Helm Clarke

SHE ORGANIZED THE GARDEN CLUB

The Coral Gables Garden Club was organized by Mrs. E. B. Douglas of Miami, whose civic interests overflowed the boundary lines of any one community. From her garden at N.E. 52nd Street she saw the possibilities for a Garden Club in the new suburb called Coral Gables, and when Mrs. Douglas saw a need she set out to fill that need.

The Riviera Notebook records the story of Mrs. Douglas' scheme to finance the YWCA when its future was jeopardized. It is a story that should live in the hearts of all south Dade citizens.

During Boom Days the Young Women's Christian Association shouldered the responsibility of housing hundreds of young women who came to find employment in the city. The small building, bookkeepers, waitresses, etc. The small building, located at S.E. First Avenue and First Street, which was the residence of the YWCA, soon overflowed, and the board of directors, headed by Mrs. Douglas, was obliged to lease another hotel as a dormitory.

When the financial structure crashed, the girls went home to their families, the YWCA residence was only half filled, and the annex was empty. It was necessary to close the Y for the summer because of a lack of funds.

Two women of the community came to the rescue. Mrs. Arthur Curtis James, winter resident of Coconut Grove and a member of the national board of directors, offered to pay the salary of the YWCA director and reinforced the bank account. Mrs. Douglas had no surplus funds. She and her husband lost practically everything in the crash, and with what they could salvage, Mr. Douglas continued to pay off creditors. As a source for ready cash Mrs. Douglas saw that a 10-cent movie magazine was having a subscription contest.

She persuaded her friends to subscribe. Church women, club women, "men of distinction," city officials, all subscribed to the Movie magazine. Letters written to out-of-town, even out-of-state friends and acquaintances brought subscriptions by the hundreds, and when the final score was tallied, Mrs. Douglas had won four prizes. The entire amount, thousands of dollars, she made over to the YWCA.

This is the same Mrs. Douglas who inspired the Coral Gables women to organize a Garden Club, and when they caught the spirit of their civic-minded sponsor, the Gables Club set to work to beautify the City Beautiful. One of the first projects was the annual plant and flower show at the Venetian Pool Casino. Then there were garden tours during Progress Week, and in 1928 they beautified the University patio at Segovia and University Drive. Always they emphasized the beauty of lawns and parkways.

Mrs. Douglas must be very proud of the Garden Club she organized a quarter of a century ago.

Garden Club Serves Coffee

Departing from its usual custom of meeting at 2 p. m., Coral Gables Garden Club will gather for a coffee at 12 noon Monday in the Woman's club building. Following coffee, Mrs. Lilburn Ralley, past president of the Council of Garden Club Presidents and of an accredited judge, will give an illustrated talk on flower arrangement. Each member is asked to wear a corsage she has made, or to pin a flower on her gown.

Mrs. F. J. Rounton, president of the Miami Orchid circle, will discuss amateur growing of orchids in South Florida, stressing the cultivation of the plants in the living room, porch, yard and greenhouse. Freddie Lou Wilcox, soprano, will be soloist. A board meeting is called for 11:30 a. m.

Mrs. J. F. Rounton, president of the Orchid Society of Miami, will speak on "Tropical Trees and Fruits" at the Coral Gables club coffee tomorrow in the Gables Woman's building, following a meeting at 11:30 a. m. An illustrated talk on "Tropical Trees and Fruits" will be given by Mrs. Lilburn Ralley, president of the Council of Garden Club Presidents.

Tropical Trees Will Be Subject Of Garden Club

Coral Gables Garden Club will meet at 2 p. m. Monday in the Woman's club building. Dr. Frank J. Rimoldi will speak on "Tropical Trees and Fruits." Irene Patti, accompanied by Litza Gania, will present a musical program. Plans will be discussed for a flower show to be held next month. Nominating committee also will report.

Garden Club Members Model

The second annual flower show of the Coral Gables Garden Club, scheduled for April 26 and 27 in the Coral Gables Woman's club, will include members modeling corsages and floral arrangements for the hair.

The attraction will be presented during the Monday evening show. Opening at 3:30 p. m. Monday, hours for the show on Tuesday are 1 to 5 p. m.

Mrs. George Corrigan, president, is general chairman, and will be assisted by Mrs. Charles Fuchs as co-chairman. Committee members include Mrs. Royce Powell, schedule; Mrs. Milton B. Garis, staging; Mrs. Kenneth Goodrich and Mrs. O. C. Corbin, entries; Mrs. Walter Wipprecht, judging; Mrs. Douglas Reynolds, hospitality; Mrs. Francis S. Graham, publicity; and Mrs. James N. Ammen, awards.

Cut flowers and potted plants will be under the supervision of Mrs. E. M. Greene; Mrs. William F. Hillis will be in charge of the guest book, and Mrs. George C. Williams, Mrs. Edwin Belcher and Mrs. William Richey comprise the reception committee. Mrs. M. B. Garis will head the clerks.

Coral Gables Garden Club Hold

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Annual Elections

Sunday, March 28, 1948

THE MIAMI HERALD

Mrs. George Simpson Named President of Horticulturists; Installation Breakfast Set

Mrs. George Simpson was elected president of the Coral Gables Garden Club yesterday at the annual meeting held at the Woman's clubhouse. The slate was unanimously elected as presented.

Mrs. Walter Wipprecht was named first vice president of the group; Mrs. John Norman, second vice president; Mrs. Francis Graham, recording secretary; Mrs. Leonard C. Olson, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Horace Cordes, treasurer, and Mrs. William Hillis, auditor.

Installation of the officers and board of directors will take place at the May breakfast. Mrs. George M. Corrigan, retiring president, heads the board of directors composed of the following members:

Mrs. Fred Grimham, Mrs. Fred Mizer, Mrs. Charles Fuchs, Mrs. Evan D. Roser, Mrs. Howard Sullivan, Mrs. Worth St. Clair, Mrs. Robert Pentland Sr., Mrs. Edwin N. Belcher, Mrs. William Merriam, Mrs. M. B. Garis, Mrs. Charles F. Miller, Mrs. James Ammen, Mrs. George C. Williams, and Mrs. Herman Feick.

The president announced that due to the presentation of the club's second annual garden show on April 26th and 27th, there would be no late April meeting of the club. Dr. Frank J. Rimoldi, guest speaker, gave a talk on trees and presented the names of twelve trees, selected from sixty, suitable for planting in this semi-tropical climate.

They are: Bucida, Ficus, Cajuput, Royal Poinciana, Citrus, Mango, Avocado, Mahogany, Pongam, Sapodilla, Tamarind, and Live Oak.

Irene Patti, soprano songster and pupil of Dr. Arturo di Filippi, sang a group of songs including "Thou Art So Like a Flower" by Schuman, "Trees" by Oscar Rasbach, and "A Spirit Flower" by Campbell-Tipton.



Mrs. Simpson

Tropical Trees Garden Topic

Guest speaker Monday at the meeting of Coral Gables Garden club will be Dr. Frank J. Rimoldi, who will discuss "Tropical Trees and Fruits." The session, to be held in the Coral Gables Woman's clubhouse, is at 2 p. m.

Also on the program will be Miss Irene Patti, soloist, accompanied by Miss Litza Gania. Business of the meeting will include a discussion of plans for the group's flower show in April and a report of the nominating committee.

Garden Club Plans Show Next Week

Second annual flower show to be staged by the Coral Gables Garden Club will take place April 26-27 at the Coral Gables Woman's clubhouse. Rules regarding entries, those generally observed by federated garden club exhibits, Ribbons will be awarded in many competitive classes.

The show will open on Monday at 5:30 p. m., free to club members. There will be a small admission charge to the public. On Monday evening there will be a special feature, the modeling of corsages and flower arrangements for the hair. Tuesday's show will remain open for the afternoon only, 1 to 5 p. m.

Mrs. George Corrigan, club president, is general chairman. Co-chairman is Mrs. Charles Fuchs.

Committee chairmen include Mrs. Royce Powell, schedule; Mrs. Milton B. Garis, staging; Mrs. Kenneth Goodrich, Mrs. O. C. Corbin, entries; Mrs. Walter Wipprecht, judging; Mrs. Douglas Reynolds, hospitality; Mrs. Francis S. Graham, publicity; Mrs. James N. Ammen, awards.

Members of the club who are serving on the show committee include Mrs. S. M. Greene, chairman; Mrs. William F. Hillis, guest book; Mrs. George C. Williams, Mrs. Edwin Belcher, Mrs. William Richey, reception committee; Mrs. Garis, clerk.



WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14, 1948

RIVIERA-TIMES

Garden Club Members Plan Annual Flower Show

Mrs. G. M. Corrigan Directs Flower Display Opening Monday at Woman's Club

Entries! Classes! Schedules! These are the concerns filling most of the daytime hours of Coral Gables Garden Club members as they complete arrangements for their second annual two-day show to be held at the Coral Gables Woman's Club.

Mrs. George Corrigan, garden club president, is general flower show chairman. She is being assisted by her co-chairman, Mrs. Charles Fuchs.

The competitive displays will take place from three-thirty o'clock Monday afternoon, the first day, to nine-thirty o'clock in the evening. On the second day, Tuesday, the show hours are from one o'clock in the afternoon to five.

This is the second year the local garden clubbers have staged their own show. Rules regarding entries follow those generally observed in federated garden exhibits and blue, red and white prize ribbons will be awarded in the many competitive classes.

Committee chairmen include Mrs. Royce Powell, schedule; Mrs. Milton B. Garris, staging; Mrs. Kenneth Goodrich, Mrs. O. C. Corbin, entries; Mrs. Walter Wipprecht, Jr., judging; Mrs. Douglas Reynolds, hospitality; Mrs. Francis Graham, publicity; Mrs. James N. Ammen, awards.

Cut-flowers and potted plants will be under the supervision of Mrs. S. M. Greene. Mrs. William T. Hilles will have charge of the guest book and Mrs. M. B. Garris Jr., the clerks. Mrs. George C. Williams, Mrs. Edwin N. Belcher, Mrs. William E. Richey form the reception committee.

THURSDAY, APRIL 15, 1948

Is Our Face Red!

Through error the Riviera-Times yesterday announced the opening of the Coral Gables Garden Club's annual flower show for Monday.

The display will be opened to the public on a Monday—but on Monday, April 26th, instead of this coming week. The two-day exhibit of arrangements and plants will continue through Tuesday, April 27th.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21, 1948

RIVIERA-TIMES

Gables Men to Vie in Devising Decoration They'd Deem Appropriate for 'Stag' Dinner

Rare tropical plants, carefully nurtured hothouse posies—and a sense of humor in full bloom—will be in evidence Monday and Tuesday when the Coral Gables Garden Club presents its second annual flower show at the Woman's Clubhouse.

Gables menfolk will have a chance to let their artistic talents run rampant in arranging the floral centerpieces they'd consider appropriate for a stag dinner.

The competitive class, limited to men contestants only, is under the direction of Kenneth Goodrich. Whether Sweet Williams will take a major role in the "stag" arrangements, or bachelor buttons, surrounded by the sere brown leaves of Corona-Coronas, was a deep dark secret.

But it is public knowledge that Mr. Goodrich captured a Bachelor show award for his "Bachelor's" exhibit featuring four roses tucked in a whiskey bottle (copy of the same name, and surrounded by leaved branches

The ladies will have their innings in concoction of Spring bouquets from fresh garden flow-ers and under the aegis of Mrs. William Merriam, will model their millinery masterpieces at three o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Royce Powell is consultant in the display, which will feature arrangements suggesting the title of a song or the name of a perfume.

The flower show, which will turn the clubhouse into a bower of bloom, will open to the public at three-thirty Monday afternoon and continue through nine-thirty that evening. On Tuesday the doors will be open from one until five o'clock in the afternoon, Mrs. George M. Corrigan, general chairman, announced.

Hostesses will find a plethora of suggestions for party decorations in the many table-arrangement divisions. Displays, and the consultants for each, will be: arrangements for luncheon for six

Gables Menfolk To Compete in Flower Show

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Corbin; bridge foursome, Mrs. L. W. Llewellyn; buffet or patio (fruit and/or foliage), Mrs. Rodney Miller.

A separate section will highlight artistic arrangements with Mrs. Robert Montgomery as consultant for the dried material class; Mrs. George B. Arnold, oriental displays; Mrs. Thomas Horobin, coffee, console or occasional table decoration; and Mrs. Kenneth Goodrich, shell or coral container.

Mrs. Norman Hendry will be in charge of the class featuring brides' tables while Mrs. Corrigan will be consultant on arrangements for niches.

Miniature displays will be under the authority of Mrs. George Dacy, while the orchid competition, open to members and non-members, will be directed by Mrs. J. Forrest Diehl.

Horticultural displays will encompass tropical material, Mrs. Charles Fuchs; cut flower specimens, Mrs. S. M. Greene; flowering vines, trees and shrubs, Mrs. George Nichols; and potted



Members Ponder New Flower Shapes and Forms For Garden Club Show

Flower hair do's and cute flower chapeaux will be modeled by members of the Coral Gables Garden Club when they stage their two day show Monday and Tuesday at the clubhouse.

Mrs. Henry G. Simmonite will model white flowers in her dark tresses as a complement to the black ballerina dress she will wear during the show.

All flowers worn by the models will be from the Coral Gables Flower Shop.

Mrs. Douglas Reynolds wearing a white off the shoulder evening dress will wear in her hair a flower arranged to complement her outfit.

Mrs. John Wynn, always smartly gowned, will model a gold cloth bustle style dress with the flowers-in-the-bustle.

Mrs. Van Gale Rowland is another member-model who will show flowers arranged to complement an off the shoulder style of dress.

Mrs. Kenneth Goodrich and Mrs. Francis Graham, two handsome member-models will wear blue beaded crepe and black lace respectively to show off the proper flowers to wear with each outfit.

Among new members representing the junior matrons who will model will be Mrs. William Caul-

ey and Mrs. James Llewellyn. Mrs. Cauley will wear green organdie and Mrs. Llewellyn, a royal blue strapless crepe evening frock. Also Mrs. Leland Terry and Mrs. John Leyden.

MIAMI DAILY NEWS, Tuesday, April 27, 1948

Distinction And Originality Evident

GABLES GARDEN CLUB STAGES SHOW

By CONNIE GEE
Miami Daily News Club Editor

Distinction and originality mark the Coral Gables Garden club flower show which opened yesterday afternoon at the Woman's clubhouse on E. Ponce de Leon blvd. Under the chairmanship of Mrs. George M. Corrigan, president, and Mrs. Charles Fuchs, co-

chairman, a hard-working committee arranged the two-day program which closes today.

Flower arrangements suggesting the name of a song, and another class named for perfumes, attracted singular attention. Mrs. Walter Wipprecht, Jr. won first place for her "Day Dreams" which featured a whimsical little porce-

lain dog in a miniature garden where a tiny bird perched on a treetop.

Red ribbon in this class went to Mrs. John Boehrner for "South of the Border," a Class 2, first, Mrs. R. D. Rustiny flower vendor in a South American flower market. Mrs. Royce Powell won third prize.

"Miniatures," always intriguing to garden club members, were done in three classes, with awards as follows: Section C, class 5 (not exceeding three inches over all), first, Mrs. George Arnold; second, Mrs. Wipprecht; third, Mrs. George Patterson. Class 6 (not over six inches), first, Mrs. Kenneth Goodrich; second, Mrs. Arnold; third, Mrs. Boehrner and Mrs. G. W. Dacy. Miniature garden scenes, class 7, were awarded prizes as follows: First, Mrs. Arnold; second, Mrs. Boehrner; third, Mrs. Wipprecht.

Mrs. M. B. Garris, Jr. and Mrs. Corrigan won first and second place respectively in section C, class 2 (niches). Each featured a large white vase of flower arrangements.

Among other prize winners were: Section A (table arrangements), class 1 (luncheon for six), first, Mrs. L. D. Llewellyn; second, Mrs. Gloria Llewellyn; third, Mrs. Corrigan. Class 2 (dinner for eight), first, Mrs. Powell; second, Mrs. Douglas Reynolds; third, Mrs. Virginia Graham.

Section A, class 4 (stag dinner), first, Mrs. Robert Arnold; second, Mrs. Goodrich; third, Mrs. Robert A. Taylor. Class 5 (for buffet or patio), first, Mrs. Wipprecht; second, Mrs. Sheets; third, Mrs. A. V. Harrison.

Section B (artistic arrangements), class 1, first, Mrs. Wipprecht; second, Mrs. Arnold; third, Mrs. Goodrich.



—Miami Daily News Photo by Mills
ROXY HELMBOLD ADMIRES MRS. MILLER'S PRIZE-WINNER

sell; second, Mrs. Goodrich; third, Mrs. Arnold.

Class 3 in the same section featured arrangements for the coffee table; console or occasional table: First, Mrs. Sue Hastings; second, Mrs. Boehrner; third, Mrs. Gloria Llewellyn; Class 4, first, Mrs. Hastings; second, Mrs. Boehrner; third, Mrs. Graham.

Class 5 (console), first, Mrs. Rodney Miller and Mrs. Harrison; second, Mrs. Corrigan; third, Mrs. Hastings. Class 6, first, Mrs. Wipprecht and Mrs. C. O. Corbin; second, Mrs. Boehrner and Mrs. Corrigan; third, Mrs. Corrigan and Mrs. J. C. Voges.

Class 7 in this section (shell containers), first, Mrs. Graham; second, Mrs. Goodrich; third, Mrs. Patterson.

rs. A. V. Harrison's Bonnets Capture honor in Garden Club 'Derby' Derby



Model-entrants in the Coral Gables Garden Club's fresh flower hat competition included Mrs. Sue Hastings and Mrs. Orvis Yingling (standing); and Mrs. J. L. Llewellyn, Mrs. Charles T. Fuchs and Mrs. A. V. Harrison.

Mrs. Albert V. Harrison walked off with the two top prizes in the fresh flower hat competition of the Coral Gables Garden Club's annual flower show.

Mrs. Harrison won first in the dress and tailored hat divisions. Models and prize winners in the "fresh flower hat" division were Mrs. James Llewellyn and Mrs. Orvis Yingling.

Mrs. George M. Corrigan was flower show chairman and Mrs. Fuchs co-chairman for the second annual two-day display. Mrs. Merriam was chairman of the flower hat show and parade of the models which highlighted the second and final day.

Models displaying the original fresh flower hats were Mrs. Charles Fuchs (hat made by Mrs. Sue Hastings), Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. Hastings, Mrs. William T. Mixson, Mrs. Chivers, Mrs. George Simpson, Mrs. Thomas Hoosbin, Mrs. William Richey (hat made by Rae Keating), Mrs. William Mer-

Sunday, May 2, 1948

THE MIAMI HERALD



HEADPIECE of flowers was modeled by Mrs. Douglas H. Reynolds at the Coral Gables Garden club show this week.



FLOWERS FOR MADAM, displayed in novel arrangements—and places, were the main feature of the second annual flower show this week of the Coral Gables Garden club. Shown at left is a rose corsage for the mid-waist as modeled by club member, Mrs. J. L. Llewellyn, while an orchid bustle is the unique attachment to Mrs. John C. Wyn's gown. Among flower show visitors were George Corrigan, husband of the club's president, shown with Mrs. Wyn.



—Herald Staff Photos



DELPHINIUM BLUE—Mrs. H. E. Keating, modeling a natural flower hat for the Coral Gables Garden club's recent flower show, admires "miniatures" displayed at the Women's clubhouse.

MIAMI DAILY NEWS, Sunday, May 2, 1948



PICTURE FRAME — Mrs. Walter Wipprecht, Jr., chairman of judging for the Coral Gables Garden club flower show this past week, observes Mrs. M. B. Garris, Jr., first prize flower arrangement. The floral display was a two-day program.

RIVIERA-TIMES TUESDAY, MA

Retiring Presidents Gables Club Aides at

Members of the Coral Gables Garden Club executive board will be honor guests at a tea Mrs. George M. Corrigan will give from three to five o'clock Thursday afternoon at her home, 1237 Mariola Court. Sharing honors will be those who assisted at the club's flower show. Mrs. Corrigan is retiring Garden Club president.

Mrs. William T. Hilles and Mrs. Francis S. Graham will greet guests at the door. Mrs. M. B. Garris, Mrs. W. E. Richey, Mrs. William Merriam, Mrs. Royce Powell and Mrs. Kenneth Goodrich will assist.

THE MIAMI HERALD Thursday, May 13, 1948

Mrs. Corrigan Honors Workers

Board members of the Coral Gables Garden club and members who assisted at the recent flower show will be honored by the president, Mrs. George M. Corrigan, at a tea today from 3 to 5 o'clock. The affair is to be held in Mrs. Corrigan's home, 1237 Mariola ct., Coral Gables.

MIAMI DAILY NEWS, Monday, May 10, 1948

Mrs. George M. Corrigan, retiring president of the Coral Gables Garden club, will entertain at tea on Thursday for members of the board of directors and all club members who aided in plans for the club's recent successful flower show. Mrs. Corrigan resides at 1237 Mariola ct. The party is scheduled for 3-5 p. m.

Mrs. William T. Hilles and Mrs. Frances Graham will receive guests at the door. Officiating in the dining room will be Mrs. M. B. Garris, Mrs. William Merriam, Mrs. William E. Richey, and Mrs. Royce Powell.



Flower bonnets of their own contriving were modeled by these members of the Coral Gables Garden Club at the club's show recently. Pictured wearing their original creations are (seated) Mrs. William H. Merriam, Mrs.

W. T. Mixson; and (standing) Mrs. T. H. Hoshin, Mrs. George C. Simpson, Mrs. R. E. Chivers, Mrs. Herbert Vance and Mrs. W. E. Richey.

Beach Party to Feature

Final Garden Club Session

AMI DAILY NEWS, Sunday, May 23, 1948

Fried Chicken Picnic Planned By Garden Club

All home cooked food with fried chicken and all the trimmings will feature the Coral Gables Garden Club installation picnic luncheon at 11:30 a. m. Monday in the shelter of Matheson Hammock. Mrs. George Corrigan, retiring president, will install the new officers.

In charge of arrangements are Mrs. Francis S. Graham and Mrs. Douglas Reynolds, assisted by Mrs. James Ammen, Mrs. George Arnold, Mrs. A. B. Carter, Mrs. James Llewellyn, Mrs. Philip Helmbold, Mrs. William Merriam, Mrs. Lowell Southern, Mrs. Evan D. Roser, Mrs. Thomas Horobin, Mrs. John Wynn, Mrs. Cresswell Stedman, Mrs. George Simpson, Mrs. George Williams, Mrs. Orvis Yinging.

Garden Club Will Picnic On Monday

A PICNIC instead of a formal May breakfast will mark the Coral Gables Garden Club's final meeting of the year. Group will gather at 10:30 a. m. Monday at the shelter in Matheson Hammock.

Mrs. Francis S. Graham, with Mrs. Douglas Reynolds, is in charge of arrangements. Their committee is composed of Mesdames James Ammen, George Arnold, A. B. Carter, James Llewellyn, Philip Helmbold, William Merriam, Lowell Southern, Evan Roser, Thomas Horobin, John Wynn, Cresswell Stedman, George Simpson, George Williams and Orvis Yinging.

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Retiring president, Mrs. George Corrigan, will install the new slate: Mrs. George Simpson, president; Mrs. Walter Wipprecht, Jr., first vice-president; Mrs. John Norman, second vice-president; Mrs. Francis S. Graham, recording secretary; Mrs. Lenard Olson, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Horace Cordes, treasurer, and Mrs. William T. Hilles, auditor.

Directors for the coming year are Mesdames Corrigan, Fred Grinham, Fred Miner, Charles Fuchs, Evan D. Roser, Howard Sullivan, Worth St. Clair, Robert Penland, Jr., Edwin N. Belcher, William Merriam, M. B. Garris, Charles Miller, James Ammen, George Williams, Herman Feick.

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Garden Club Banishes Formality at Installation Picnic

Fried Chicken, Potato Salad Is Menu for Beach Party Presented by Horticulturists

By HELEN REYNOLDS

Coral Gables Garden Club members gave "May Breakfast" precedence the AIR yesterday as they gathered sans hats and gloves at Matheson Hammock shelter for their annual picnic and installation of new officers.

Food fit for the gods graced the sturdily built white ash picnic tables. Served buffet style, there were yards and yards of golden fried chicken piled on a huge round tray; all kinds of potato salad from German to Irish; hot baked beans in gleaming silver casseroles; all topped by delicious hot coffee, ice cream and homemade devil's food or fresh coconut cake.

Mrs. Francis S. Graham, chairman of arrangements, confessed to the one hundred and fifty some club women present that she called Lem. B. Stephens, whose wife is a garden club member, and said "I don't know the first thing about building a charcoal fire or how to cook coffee for one hundred people."

Mrs. Stephens, executive head of the Hill Brothers wholesale, not only donated the coffee but sent a crew headed by his own son Bill Stephens out to make and serve the steaming brew.

Installation follows. After luncheon, new and retiring officers gathered at the south end of the shelter and at an improvised "head" table, proceeded with the business of installation.

In giving her report retiring president Mrs. George Corrigan stressed the point that, for the first time in the history of the club, music had been added to complement the monthly programs. She also reported completion of the Youth Center planting, undertaken two years ago by the club and that negotiations were now in progress to install a sprinkling system for the grass and shrubs. She announced the club had a membership of two hundred with sixteen on the waiting list.

As she installed new officers, Mrs. Corrigan pinned to the right shoulder of each a beautiful double-blossomed corsage of Belmont gardenias. Mrs. Corrigan was presented in turn with one of the corsages and a set of sterling silver and glass coasters. Taking office of officers were Mrs. William T. Hilles, auditor; Mrs. Horace Cordes, treasurer; Mrs. Lenard C. Olson, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Francis S. Graham, recording secretary; Mrs. John Norman, second vice president; Mrs. W. W. Wipprecht, Jr., first vice president and Mrs. George Simpson, president.

Mrs. Simpson accepted the Garden Club gavel and graciously made her response in rhyme.

She also announced a meeting of the executive board at ten thirty o'clock on the morning of June 9th at the home of Mrs. Roy Page.

Then the president sounded her new gavel and said, as was befitting the close of such an alfresco setting.

"Let's go swimming!"

Gables Garden Group Installs Leaders At Annual May Picnic

By RUTH STUART ALLEN

TRUE to its philosophy, the Coral Gables Garden club took to the open spaces for its annual May day installation service. In the shelter house at Matheson Hammock, with quail

background, Mrs. George Simpson was inducted as president. The picnic affair, which brought out "growing boards" of fried chicken and all the trimmings, plus cool, cotton frocks, marked the club's 22nd year of activities.

From the day when Mrs. William McKibben became its first president in 1925, the group's contributions of flowering shrubs to the parkways and other nooks of Coral Gables has enhanced the little city's eye appeal.

NEARS COMPLETION

In Mrs. George M. Corrigan's accounting for the past year, she reported the major unfinished business as the sprinkling system at the Youth Center. The job is expected to be completed in the near future, which will

mark more than three years of effort for the center by the club. More than 125 members lounged comfortably as Mrs. Corrigan installed the new year's slate, which will guide the organization's 200 members.

At least 10 prospective members are hiding their time to become affiliated with the already budget full club.

Mrs. Francis S. Graham was general chairman of the picnic. Everything which makes for a well ordered event of this kind was accounted for—except the ants.

Regular meetings for the summer are suspended but the class of flower arrangements will continue.

Next meeting is scheduled for the home of Mrs. Roy Page, 820 S. Ponce de Leon ave., June 8.

Mrs. O. C. (Jack) Corbin will have the flower arrangements chairmanship; Mrs. Walter Wipprecht, Jr., flower show; Mrs. Douglas Reynolds, hospitality; Mrs. William Merriam, landscaping; and Mrs. Evan D. Roser, library.

Mrs. Simpson also announced that co-chairmen and committee members for each department were in the process of being appointed.

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Also, Mrs. George Williams, reception; Mrs. Worth St. Clair, registration; Mrs. R. J. Meiners, Simpson Garden Center hostess; Mrs. Charles Fuchs, Simpson Garden Center program; Mrs. Walter L. Harris, telephone; Mrs. James N. Ammen, year book; Mrs. Royce Powell, decorations; Mrs. George Corrigan, Fairchild Garden.

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 26, 1948

RIVIERA-TIMES

Pen Women, Garden Club—and Gables Monopolize Enthusiasm of Mrs. J. E. Norman

Coral Gables' own Mrs. John E. (Lela B.) Norman whose designation as Florida president for the National League of American Pen Women was made official at the biennial meeting recently in Washington, D. C., returned home just in time to be installed as second vice president of the Coral Gables Garden Club. Her election as state Pen Women president occurred last March.

In giving a brief summary of her memorable trip Mrs. Norman said, "Being elected state president of the Pen Women automatically puts me back on the National Board, and I enjoyed my first board meeting before leaving Washington under the leadership of the avel new president, Mrs. Margaret Hayes Seebree, an attorney."

"The program meetings were enjoyable with editors of foremost national magazines as speakers. The time was interspersed with visits to the Senate where I heard Mr. Taft of Ohio; Mr. Wherry of Nebraska and Mr. Reed of Kansas."

"However wonderful, the Washington trees and buildings were ever since the first days of Coral Gables. A charter member of the Coral Gables Garden Club, she has fought, for 23 years, along with



Mrs. Norman

me Florida with its blue skies and balmy breezes for spring and early summer!"

Trees have been of considerable importance to Lela B. Norman in her plans for keeping Coral Gables the way its founder, the late George Merrick planned it to be.

Gables Enriched By Women's Clubs

By ROSE MALLORY

(Miami Daily News Staff Writer)

The women's clubs of Coral Gables have enriched their community for many years in terms of libraries, beautification, welfare and culture.

The Coral Gables library is a project of Coral Gables Woman's Club. Coco Plum library of Coco Plum Woman's Club. Trees, shrubs and landscaping at the Youth center and the old University of Miami grounds are the work of the Garden club.

Coral Gables Garden club date back to 1925. Mrs. William M. Kibben was its first president and Mrs. George Simpson is the present president. They have left a permanent memory with the community through planting of trees as landmarks, landscaping Coral Gables elementary school, the Youth center and the old University of Miami grounds.



Mrs. Simpson

RIVIERA-TIMES

TUESDAY, JUNE 8, 1948

Garden Board Maps Revisions

Revision of by-laws was discussed at the first executive board meeting of the Coral Gables Garden Club meeting yesterday at the home of the president, Mrs. George Simpson. Mrs. Evan D. Roser is chairman of the by-laws committee.

The ten-thirty business session was followed by a buffet luncheon served by the hostess.



RIVIERA-TIMES

THURSDAY, MAY 27, 1948



Garden Club officers pose informally for the camera at the club's annual installation picnic. Pictured are (upper row) Mrs. L. C. Olson, Mrs. Francis S. Graham, Mrs. John Norman and Mrs. George C. Simpson, the new president. Seated on the grass are Mrs. Horace Cordes, Mrs. William T. Hillis and Mrs. Walter Wiprecht Jr.

RIVIERA-TIMES

TUESDAY, JUNE 8, 1948



Mmm, Mmm, Good! That was the unanimous opinion of these members of the Coral Gables Garden Club as they enjoyed a picnic lunch at Matheson Hammock recently. Shown above are Mrs. Carl Lambert, Mrs. George M. Corbin, retiring president; Mrs. S. Earle Ciffen and Mrs. Ralph L. Engle.

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RIVIERA-TIMES

THURSDAY, JULY 22, 1948

CORAL GABLES GARDEN CLUB MEMBERS TRY HAND AT ANCIENT CHINESE 'MING TREE' ART



wood and tree stumps, which they had collected in the woods around Snapper Creek, some tiny pieces of wire, a few fresh flowers of different varieties, and a small amount of plaster of paris, the Gables matrons set to work making the miniature trees which now adorn their homes. Unusual but graceful objects were the results of their efforts.

Small buds from an airplane were wired, by Mrs. Walter Wiprecht Jr., onto the tallest ming tree pictured above.

Perhaps the most colorful of the entire lot of trees made by the group was the work of Mrs. O. C. Corbin. Pictured on the right above, Mrs. Corbin's ornamental ming consists not only of purple and white statuettes wired on the branches, but also a dash of colorful green moss splashed across its base.

Pretty light green albizia buds were used by Mrs. George H. Dacy to complete the tri-pointed ming shown in the middle above.

Just for variety, one of the flower arranging "students" used a banana stalk in place of driftwood for the branches of her tree.

Again for variety, a monkey post wooden dish was used to hold one of the mings which boasts marmoset buds with balsam entwined.

Looking very much like miniature wangs nests, melaena post were fastened to one of the tree the base of which was a cork rock. Plaster of paris was used to hold this particular ming the rock.

There were several other the Chinese ornaments; each original, and all pretty good evidence that this was the first time for the group to undertake such a project.

Although the idea for the corvative trees originally came from China, where the dwarf of plants and animals was coursed during the ming dynasty, Mrs. McWethy, who has experience in teaching flower arrangements at the Cincinnati Museum of Fine Arts, confessed she got the idea from an article entitled "Sticks and Stones" which appeared in a national women's magazine.

Her garden club students week included Mrs. George rigan, past president of the

Mrs. Corbin, Mrs. Roy Page, George B. Arnold, Mrs. Mrs. Kenneth Goddard, John C. Wynn, Mrs. Wip Jr. and Mrs. George E. Pat

"Enthusiastic" is putting mildly in describing the way flower fans went to work on project for this week. One is sure; sticks and stone break some folks' bones but were the materials for a of attractive ornaments of Garden Clubbers.

By Chuck Wiley

With a bit of ingenuity, the old Chinese artistry of making ming trees was revived recently by a group of Coral Gables Garden Clubbers. Meeting at the home of their instructor, Mrs. Charles McWethy of 624 Avenue Fluvia, the flower arrangement group of the Garden Club decided to undertake the making of ming trees for their project this week.

Armed with hunks of drift-



MIAMI DAILY NEWS, Monday, September 12, 1948

Mrs. Norman, 57, Clubwoman, Dies

Mrs. Lela Bondley Norman, prominent Coral Gables clubwoman, died yesterday at Battle Creek, Mich., where she had gone with her husband, John E. Norman, for her health. Her death was attributed to a heart attack.

The Normans came here from Huntington, W. Va., in 1929 and lived at 4620 Santa Maria st. She attended Ohio Northern university, Ohio State university and Marshall college, where she later taught.

At the time of her death, Mrs. Norman was state president of the National League of American Penwomen, of which she had served 10 years as publicity chairman, six years as program chairman of the "Artists' Break," and was vice president of the Coral Gables Garden club.

For many years she had been active in these organizations, also the South Florida Gutter club, of which she was president, the Coral Gables Garden club, the women's committee of the Fairchild Tropical Gardens, the Miami Music club, Historical Association of South Florida, the Association for the Blind, the Baby Milk Fund of Miami, the National Council of Women of the U. S., and the former Committee of 49 and president at the time of her death of the John H. Kellor Battle Creek Health club.

Before coming here she was president of the Huntington Women's club, of which she was a life member.

Plans for the funeral today were incomplete but it was thought services and burial would be in Huntington.

W. Virginia Rites Set for Mrs. Norman

(Continued From Page One)

Prominently identified with the National League of Pen Women, she had served the Miami Branch as president, and also as publicity chairman for ten years. She had acted as program chairman for the Miami Branch's important Artists' Breakfasts for six years.

State President
At the time of her death, Mrs. Norman was president of the Florida State Branch of Pen Women, and prior to that had served four years on the National Council of the literary organization in the capacity of fourth and second vice president.

Gardening shared her interest with literary pursuits and she was elected first vice president of the Coral Gables Garden Club, of which she was a charter member, last spring. Her other club affiliations included the South Florida Garden Club, Fairchild Tropical Gardens, the Miami Music Club, the Historical Association of South Florida, the Association for the Blind, and she was president of the John H. Kellor Battle Creek

CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA, MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1948



Mrs. John E. Norman

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Prominent Gableite Dies Suddenly In Sanitarium

Funeral services for Mrs. Lela Bowman Norman, prominent Coral Gables clubwoman who passed away in her sleep early Sunday morning at the Battle Creek Sanitarium in Michigan, will be held Wednesday at the First Presbyterian Church in Huntington, West Virginia.

John E. Norman told the Riviera-Times that his wife's body will be placed in the Huntington Mausoleum pending arrangements for final interment in this area where she served for 22 years as a club leader and civic worker.

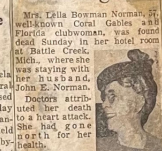
Mrs. Norman died of coronary thrombosis at the sanitarium where she had gone for a few days rest and relaxation. Her death was discovered when her husband, calling from his home near Battle Creek, was unable to get a response from Mrs. Norman's room. She was in her 57th year.

The Normans came to Coral Gables from Huntington in 1929 and since 1927 made their home at Battle Creek.

Health Club here at the time of her death.

One of five members of the executive board of the Baby Milk Fund of Greater Miami, Mrs. Norman was to a large degree responsible for the success of the Milk Fund Charity Balls which she directed for five consecutive years at the Biltmore Hotel before its conversion to a government hospital. She also served the Biltmore as assistant convention chairman when the skyscraper was South Florida's most important social and tourist center.

Gables Club Leader Dies In Michigan



Mrs. Lela Bowman Norman, well-known Coral Gables clubwoman, was found dead Sunday in her hotel room at Battle Creek, Mich.

Mrs. Norman came here with her husband, in 1929 and served as president of the Florida branch and was vice president of the Coral Gables Garden club before the Miami Biltmore hotel, now Park View, was taken over by the Army Air Force.

At the time of her death, Mrs. Norman was state president of the National League of American Penwomen. She had been active in the league for 15 years and also was a member of several garden clubs and historical, philanthropic and social groups.

Her husband is her only life insurance survivor.

Services and burial probably will be in Huntington.

Garden Center Reveals Program

SEED planting and transplanting is a program of particular interest to Miami gardeners, scheduled to be held at the Simpson Memorial Garden Center Sept. 14. This is one of a number of special events announced by Center officials for the coming season.

The date, seed planting and transplanting demonstration will be given by Mrs. D. Ben Kori of the Highland Park Garden club. Mrs. Kori is president. The program is progressing for the month of September. The program committee includes Mrs. H. L. Williams, Mrs. Kori and Mrs. M. C. Macdonald. A program will conduct the Sept. 14 program in annuals and Wayne Dean will discuss soil for the Sept. 14 program.

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New Garden Programs Are Set Up

Planting horticultural ideas where it will do the most good, the Simpson Memorial Garden Center is setting up a new weekly program of lectures and open forum discussions on gardening to which the general public and garden club members are invited. The programs to take place at 2 o'clock on Wednesdays in the clubhouse at 55 SW 17th rd. will include demonstrations and exhibits.

Highland Park Garden club is the hostess group for September. The president, Mrs. Henry E. Freeman, has on her program committee Mrs. H. L. Williams, Mrs. D. Ben Kori, and Mrs. M. C. Macdonald.

Starting Wednesday the first program will be on annuals. E. J. Allen, lecturer, Mrs. Ben Kori will demonstrate flats, seed planting and transplanting on the following week. Wayne Dean is scheduled to speak on soil on Sept. 14. Wednesday's meeting in September.

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EASY TO MAKE—Mrs. W. A. Boren concocted this attractive arrangement of *Euphorbia splendens*, (crown of thorns), with two double red hibiscus adding a splash of color blending with the tiny red

flowers of the *Euphorbia*. Placed in a low transparent bowl, this selection is suitable for almost any spot in the house. It is simple to make.

Miami Daily News photo by Elmore



Along Garden Paths

FRUIT RESEARCH IS TOPIC

Tropical fruit pures, lovely to behold and to taste, may be as common to Floridians some day as is orange juice. How this may come about will be revealed to the South Florida Garden club at its first fall meeting, 10:30 a. m. Wednesday at the South Campus of the University of Miami.

The speaker, Dr. Arthur L. Stahl, will serve fruit pures, made under his direction. "Utilization of Tropical Fruits" is his topic.

Head of the tropical plant and food research department on the South Campus of the University, Dr. Stahl will describe the work of his research staff on preserving fruit by freezing, dehydrating, brining and concentrating.

How to make the lesser known tropical fruits commercially profitable; how to improve cultivation, packaging and marketing—of both product and by-product—will be discussed.

Mrs. O. C. Corbin, program chairman, will introduce the club's new year books.

"Plants for Shady Places" is the subject to be presented at the public garden clinic at 2 p. m. Wednesday in Simpson.

Memorial Garden center. Robert Gardner Wilson, a member of the South Florida Orchid society and also one of the staff of the Dade County Plant nursery force, will speak. Mr. Wilson has acquired a "green thumb" reputation, having grown many wonderful plants.

RIVIERA-TIMES

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1948

Coral Gables Garden Club Members to Hear Talk On Roses at First Session

Flamingo hibiscus will decorate the Coral Gables Woman's Club Building Monday afternoon when Mrs. George C. Simpson calls the first fall meeting of the Coral Gables Garden Club to order at two thirty o'clock.

Presented by Mrs. William T. Hillis, program chairman, E. J. Allen will be the guest speaker of the afternoon. Using

as his topic, "Roses" Mr. Allen will tell the garden clubbers how to control pests that attack roses, how to prepare the soil for the growing of these plants, and what types of roses will grow best in South Florida.

Hospitality chairman for the afternoon will be Mrs. D. H. Reynolds who will have as her co-chairman, Mrs. Cressa Stedman. With Mrs. Evan D. Roser in charge of pouring, a tea hour will follow the meeting. Mrs. Worth St. Clair will preside over the punch bowl.

In charge of the decorations will be Mrs. O. C. Corbin.

Prior to the regular meeting, a board meeting will take place at one thirty o'clock.



Mrs. Simpson

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Along Garden Paths

Flower Show, Fall Plantings Among Clubs' Opening Topics



MIAMI DAILY NEWS photo by Elmore
CONTEMPORARY ARRANGEMENT—Simple to make and ever so attractive is this arrangement of *Billbergia* (a form of air plant) with *Sanseveria* (bow string hemp) forming the sturdy background. In front are three begonia leaves with a tiny flower. Since the *Billbergia* is in bloom just now, Mrs. E. Peterson created the arrangement this week at Simpson Memorial Garden center. She used a low bowl and reed-point frog. It is suitable for the living room, sideboard or any table not too high.

Garden clubs in the area are stepping up their pace after a summer of inactivity. Miami Garden club is scheduled to meet at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Theodore C. Buhler, 1320 Venetian Way, San Marco Island. The hostess will speak on "What to Plant for the Flower Show."

With a big flower show in the making for April 1, 2, 3 in Bayfront park auditorium as forecast by The Miami Daily News on Sept. 3, Miami Garden club is aiding its members in planning to plant flowers that will bloom in time for exhibit in the show.

"Flower Arrangement" will be the subject for discussion when Highland Park Garden club meets also on Wednesday at 1:30 p. m. with Mrs. W. F. Koriey, 1204 NW 11th st. rd.

First fall meeting of Sheddosh Garden club will be held at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday in the home of Mrs. William A. Brown, 3561 SW First ave. Following the regular business session, Wayne Dean, an authority on plant foods, will address the group on "Brightening up the Garden for the Winter."

Club project for the year is the growing of the club flower, the frangipani, from seeds and cuttings.

New officers are Mrs. R. G. Wilson, president; Mrs. Harvey Gardner, Mrs. Edward J. Allen, vice presidents; Mrs. Clyde Atkins, recording secretary; Mrs. Harry S. Conklin, corresponding secretary.

October program at Simpson Memorial Garden center, sponsored by the City of Miami and the Allied Garden clubs of Greater Miami, promises to be a busy one. Coral Gables Garden club is in charge this month.

On Oct. 6, at 2 p. m. W. C. Van Lan will speak on "Roses." Mrs. Walter Wiprecht, Jr., is in charge of the Oct. 13 program, the subject to be announced later. "Fall Pruning" will be discussed Oct. 20 and "Bulbs" on Oct. 27, by a speaker from the state bulb convention.

Mrs. Charles T. Fuchs is general chairman for these meetings. Assisting will be Mrs. M. B. Garlis, Mrs. Wiprecht, Jr., and Mrs. Whitney Bliss. Mrs. R. J. Meiners and Mrs. J. M. Harrison are taking care of reservations. The general public and members of all garden clubs are invited.

Mrs. Kenneth Goodrich has been elected second vice president of the Coral Gables Garden club, filling a vacancy left by the death of Mrs. John G. Norman. The new publicity chairman of the club, chosen at the same board meeting at which Mrs. Goodrich's election took place, is Mrs. John C. Wynn.



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Along Garden Paths

MEETINGS, GARDEN FETE AND BARBECUE SCHEDULED



LAVENDER POMPONS—About a dozen pompons are needed to make this rich-looking corsage. It is very easy to make if you wire the stems, form and then with parafilm (waxed cellophane) give it that professional look.



FOOTBALL CORSAGE—Here Mrs. J. C. Koutnik, member of the North Miami Garden club, and club flower arrangement chairman, makes an effective corsage of deep velvety red dahlias and ties them with matching ribbon.

Varied programs have been planned by greater Miami garden clubs scheduled to meet this week. First meeting of the week is the Coral Gables Garden club at 2:30 p. m. Monday in the Woman's club building following a board session at 1:30 p. m.

Mrs. William T. Hilles, program chairman, will present the guest speaker of the day, E. J. Allen, who has chosen as his topic, "Roses." Flamingo hibiscus will be used in decorations arranged by Mrs. O. C. Corbin.

Tea hour will follow the program with Mrs. D. H. Reynolds as hospitality chairman assisted by Mrs. Cress Stedman. Mrs. Evan D. Roser will preside and Mrs. Worth St. Clair will serve at the punch bowl.

RIVIERA-TIMES

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1948

How and When to Plant To Be Told Garden Club

How and when to plant fruits, vegetables, flowers, and trees, and what to do about those aggravating pests that attack them will be discussed by Wayne Dean, agriculturist, during the Monday afternoon meeting of the Coral Gables Garden Club.

With Mrs. George Simpson, president, presiding, the meeting will get under way at the Woman's Club building at two thirty o'clock.

Mrs. William T. Hilles, program chairman, will present Mr. Dean whose topic will be "Garden Pests and Animals." Also included on the program will be a talk on "Nomenclature" which will be made by Mrs. Kenneth Goodrich.

All members are urged to bring Thankgiving flower arrangements for the monthly arrangement contest.

Tea will be served after the meeting, with Mrs. Cress Stedman, hospitality chairman, serving as hostess for the day.

Prior to the regular meeting, a board meeting will be held at one thirty o'clock.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1948

Garden Pests To Be Studied

Wayne Dean will speak on "Garden Pests and Animals" when Coral Gables Garden club meets at 2:30 p. m. Monday in Coral Gables Woman's club-house.

Mrs. William T. Hilles is program chairman. Mrs. Kenneth Goodrich will conduct the name drill. Members will bring Thankgiving flower arrangements for the monthly contest.

Board meeting at 1:30 p. m. will precede the general session.



LAYMEN GARDENERS TO BE RECOGNIZED

This Flower Show's For Amateurs

When the Metropolitan Miami flower show opens in Rayfronts auditorium for three days, April 2, it promises to be the largest and most comprehensive amateur show of tropical plants and foliage in the state.

Every effort has been directed to recognize the layman grower of flowers. The committee, composed of members of the Allied Garden Clubs of Greater Miami, feels that more attention should be given to the housewife and the business man who spend their spare time among their favorite

flowers, without monetary inducement. Along with the amateur exhibits will be a number of unusual, noncompetitive displays. Fairchild Tropical gardens will sponsor one of their famous showings of tropical fruits and foliage, while the Orchid societies not only will show rare blossoms, but will present a demonstration of orchid culture.

DEMONSTRATE BEGONIAS
The Begonia group will demonstrate the use of the many-faceted plant, a native of the Western Hemisphere, but which

made its debut on the turn of the century. A display, in honor of the 100th anniversary of the department of horticulture, will be a number of begonias.

It will consist of a pool of water, rounded by from the department houses. Winding be a number of

Staging such unusual plants of the background of vast water construction. Shadow boxes, classes of "Edu" Calendar Month.

In charge of planning are J. and Mrs. G. R. ing on the over park materials vary, are Milton and H.

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Mrs. Leslie C. Judging committee selected seven three to a group show. First awards are 1 class.

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Teachers are urged to attend on X Doors open.

President J. Buller has no chairman. Men, ten, coordinat commercial.

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Also, Mrs. Horne, hostesses; Medaides, Gertrude, Patermy entry; R. G. Wilson, chaffeur; G. J. Jones, signs and labels; M. E. Freeman, post-show and E. K. Augustine and C. M. Terrell, telephone.

Consultants are Mrs. Kenneth Burnett, Mrs. Freeman and Mrs. E. J. Allen.

MIAMI DAILY NEWS, Sunday, March 27, 1949

Mr. McConnell Will Speak On Hibiscus

Coral Gables Garden club will meet at 2:30 p. m. Monday in the Coral Gables Woman's clubhouse following a board session at 1:30 p. m. Mrs. William T. Hilles, program chairman, will preside.

L. S. McConnell, who will speak on "Pruning, Budding and Grafting of Hibiscus." He will illustrate his talk with a hibiscus exhibit.

Mrs. Roy Page will display a collection of rare and unusual hibiscus from her estate in South Miami. Mrs. K. H. Goodrich will conduct the nomenclature class. Others assisting will be Mrs. D. H. Reynolds, Mrs. C. E. Stedman, Mrs. Cyril D. Arnold, Mrs. Dexter S. French.

THE MIAMI HERALD Sunday, March 27, 1949

Garden Club Studies Roses

E. J. Allen will discuss roses at Coral Gables Garden club's first meeting of the season, Monday at 2:30 p. m. in the Woman's club building.

Flamingo hibiscus will decorate the meeting room, and tea will be served after the program, with Mrs. Evan W. Roser presiding. Mrs. Worth St. Clair will be at the punch bowl. Mrs. O. C. Corbin is chairman of decorations.

Mrs. William T. Hilles is program chairman. Acting as hospitality chairman is Mrs. D. H. Reynolds, assisted by Mrs. Cress Stedman. A board meeting at 1:30 p. m. will precede the program.

MRS. GEORGE SIMPSON

Private life of the beautiful hibiscus will be discussed pro and con when the Coral Gables Garden Club meets Monday afternoon at the Coral Gables Woman's clubhouse.

Mrs. George Simpson, president, will preside at the board session which will convene at one thirty o'clock. The program will begin at two thirty o'clock.

Mrs. William T. Hilles, program chairman, will present L. S. McConnell, who will speak on pruning, budding and grafting of hibiscus.

Nurseryman McConnell is a recognized authority on hibiscus. He will have a show of hibiscus plants, and members are asked to bring specimens of the beautiful blooms.

Mrs. Roy Page will also have an exhibit of rare and unusual hibiscus gathered from her estate, "Just in Case," South Ponce de Leon Boulevard.

Mrs. D. H. Reynolds and Mrs. Cress E. Stedman, hospitality chairmen, will preside during the social hour following the meeting. Mrs. Cyril S. Arnold and Mrs. Dexter S. French will pour.



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MIAMI DAILY NEWS, Tuesday, May 24, 1949

Gables Club Plans Picnic

Coral Gables Garden club will hold its annual May picnic at noon Thursday in the patio of the Coral Gables Country club. New officers will be installed by a past president, Mrs. George Corrigan.

MRS. SIMPSON RE-INSTALLED PRESIDENT OF GARDEN CLUB

By CONNIE GEE
(Miami Daily News Club Editor)

Sunshine and flowers contributed a suitable garden atmosphere for the buffet luncheon and installation of Coral Gables Garden club officers yesterday in the patio of the Coral Gables Country club.

Mrs. George Simpson was installed for another term of office. Mrs. George Corrigan, installing officer, and a past president, officiated at the ceremony which also placed the following at the head of the club: first vice president, Mrs. Walter Wipprecht; second vice president, Mrs. Kenneth Goodrich; secretary, Mrs. Frances Graham; treasurer, Mrs. O. C. Corbin.

The head table and guest tables had "Bambi" flower holders as souvenirs at each place. Mrs. Royce M. Powell was decorations chairman. Mrs. Wipprecht and Mrs. Graham served as co-chairmen of the party.

During the president's report it was pointed out that the club had increased its membership dues to Fairchild Tropical Gardens from \$25 to \$100. Mrs. Simpson commended the group for its participation in the recent Metropolitan Flower show. Four members won first prizes, she said; ten won second; two, third; and five, honorable mention. Membership took an active part in staging, publicity, program, club entries.

To Simpson Memorial Garden center the club contributed a gift of \$25, as well as

aiding in the Wednesday programs for the public garden clinics. The Coral Gables Garden club has grown by 35 members this year and six associates, and has a waiting list of 13, Mrs. Simpson said.

Three new committees have been appointed during the past year. One is for plant exchange; one provides fresh flowers for the chapel each Sunday at Pratt Hospital; and there is a committee to send flowers for the monthly birthday parties for veterans at the hospital.

Four prizes were awarded to members who took part in a point system contest: Mrs. Corrigan, first; Mrs. A. B. Harrison, second; Mrs. Aaron Richer, third; and Mrs. Wipprecht, fourth.

Mrs. Simpson announced the following committee chairmen for the coming year: decorations, Mrs. Powell; Fairchild

Garden, Mrs. Corrigan; flower arrangements, Mrs. William Schmitt; hospitality, Mrs. Cress Stedman; flower show, Mrs. Wipprecht; landscaping, Mrs. M. B. Garris, Jr.; library, Mrs. H. W. Cook; membership, Mrs. George Dacy; monthly flower arrangement contest, Mrs. Sue Hastings; nomenclature, Mrs. Talmadge Coffey; parliamentarian, Mrs. Clifford Wale; program, Mrs. Goodrich; plant exchange, Mrs. William Merriam; publicity, Mrs. John C. Wynn.

Also Pratt hospital chapel decorations, Mrs. Charles E. McWehly; Pratt birthday party decorations, Mrs. C. M. Ballard; May picnic, Mrs. Wipprecht; reception, Mrs. George Williams; registration, Mrs. Worth St. Clair Simpson; garden center hostesses, Mrs. Ray J. Keisers; garden center program, Mrs. J. M. Ammen; telephone, Mrs. W. L. Hardesty; year book, Mrs. Goodrich.

MIAMI SUNDAY NEWS, October 23, 1949

To See Trophy At Silver Tea

Coral Gables Garden Club will celebrate its 25th anniversary with a silver tea at the Gables Woman's club at 2:30 this afternoon. A board meeting will be held at 1:30 p.m.

One of the highlights will be display of the Fieda Hughes trophy, to be presented to the garden club which earns the most points in connection with the Metropolitan Flower Show next March. A silver tea service, the award will be offered yearly and must be won three consecutive times to remain permanently in one club. Trophy is being given by Dave Hughes, son of Mrs. Hughes.

Mrs. Talmadge E. Coffey, program chairman, will present "What To Do In October In the Garden." Regular flower arrangement contest is scheduled, and members bringing flowers and materials. Bulbs also will be exchanged.

At the tea hour Mrs. George E. Merrick and Mrs. Cyril D. Arnold will pour. Hospitality chairman is Mrs. Cresswell Stedman.

THE MIAMI HERALD Monday, October 24, 1949



THE TROPHY which will be given to the club working with the Metropolitan Flower Show committee that totals the most points, is being officially turned over to members of the group by the donor, Dave Hughes. Mrs. Walter Wipprecht, flower show chairman for the Coral Gables Garden Club, and Milton Link, chairman of awards committee for the March show, accept the award and will display it for the first time at the garden club meeting today.

PRESS conference invitation has been received by Mrs. John C. Wynn, publicity chairman for Coral Gables Garden Club. Hundreds of other clubwomen have been invited, too.



Gables Garden Club Heralds 1950 Season

First meeting and program aiding the fall session of the Gables Garden club will take Monday at the Coral Gables man's club house. A board meeting at 1:30 p. m. will precede 2:30 program and tea.

Mrs. George C. Simpson, president, will preside.

Milton Link, of Miami Me will be the guest speaker. A member of the Metropolitan Flower board, Mr. Link will give a "pop" talk concerning the March gigantic show.

Mrs. Talmadge E. Coffey, chairman of nomenclature, will speak on "What to do in the October garden." Monthly flower arrangements will be resumed and plant exchange will be bulbs.

During the social hour following, Mrs. George E. Merrick and Mrs. Cyril Arnold will preside at the tea service. Mrs. Cresswell Stedman is hospitality chairman.

AMI SUNDAY NEWS, October 23, 1949

Gables Club To Mark Anniversary

Coral Gables Garden club will celebrate its silver anniversary at a meeting and tea tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. in the Woman's club. The board will convene at 1:30 p.m.

Mrs. Talmadge E. Coffey, chairman of nomenclature and horticulture, will speak on "What To Do In October With Your Garden."

Members will take flower arrangements for judging and bulbs for the plant exchange. Presiding at the tea table will be Mrs. George E. Merrick and Mrs. Cyril E. Arnold. Mrs. Cresswell Stedman is hospitality chairman.

25th Anniversary

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Riviera Times

Coral Gables Garden Club To Hear Miss Mustard

Miss Margaret Mustard will be the speaker Monday afternoon, when the members of the Coral Gables Garden Club meet at 2:30 p. m. at the Coral Gables Woman's clubhouse.

Miss Mustard, who is in charge of Tropical Fruit and Food Research department, at Richmond Field, a department of the University of Miami, will talk on the "Future of Tropical and Sub-Tropical Fruits."

Mrs. George C. Simpson, president, will preside.

Mrs. T. E. Coffey, horticulture department chairman, will give a talk on crotone.

Many members will participate in the annual Fairchild Garden Bazaar to be held on Dec. 6 and 7. Mrs. Cresswell Steadman, hospitality chairman, and her committee, will preside during the tea hour following the meeting. A loud session will precede the program at 1:30 o'clock.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1949



GARDEN CLUB President Mrs. George C. Simpson is shown having tea with Mrs. George E. Merrick center and Mrs. John C. Wynn at the reception following the opening program of the club season. Mrs. Merrick is one of the founders of the Garden Club and was its president in 1929. She is the widow of the founder of Coral Gables.

Just Call Them Judge News - 1/19/49

You can add the title judge to the names of 13 Miami women now, and you'll be entirely correct. Furthermore, you'll make them mighty happy, I expect, if you do call them judge, for they've worked long and hard to earn this title.

These women — Mrs. Claude Allen, Mrs. Oscar Garrard, Mrs. LeRoy Brewster, Mrs. George Newsome, Mrs. S. B. Robey, Mrs. Sue Hastings, Mrs. H. G. Horne, Mrs. Edgar Allen, Mrs. C. L. Prie, Mrs. Leslie Coombes, Miss Elizabeth Holloway, Mrs. Lilburn Bailey and Mrs. W. Wipprecht, Jr., have just received certificates indicating that they have finished a five year course in flower arranging and now are accredited judges in this subject. Mrs. Paul Ochiltree, not only is an accredited judge, but is the only person in the state of Florida to receive a certificate from the National Garden Federation entitling her to instruct at judging schools.

Plant Exchange Meeting Feature

Coral Gables Garden club will meet at the Woman's club Monday. Board meeting is called for 1:30 p.m. and the membership will convene at 2:30.

"Planting for Fragrance and Color in Gardens Using Native Materials," by Dr. Taylor R. Alexander, will be reviewed. Dr. Alexander is chairman of the botany department, University of Miami.

Members are asked to bring plants or cuttings for the plant exchange. Tea will be served following the session.

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For Fragrance

Dr. Taylor R. Alexander, chairman of the botany department at the University of Miami, will address the Coral Gables Garden club on Monday, 2:30 p.m. "Planting for Fragrance and Color in Gardens Using Native Materials" is his subject.

Club members will take plant cuttings to the meeting for ex-

MIAMI DAILY NEWS, Wednesday, January 25, 1950



GREENERY—Many shades of green were used by artist Edward Clarence Dean for this painting of a "slat" house interior. The picture, of particular interest to orchid growers, hangs in the Nell Montgomery Garden House at Fairchild Tropical Garden, gift from the Coral Gables Garden club.

3 Projects Undertaken By Club

By CONNIE GEE

MIAMI DAILY NEWS, Saturday, January 21, 1950

Three projects of interest to the public have been undertaken by the Coral Gables Garden club, which is headed by Mrs. George C. Simpson.

The first is the presentation of a large canvas to be hung over the fireplace in the "barn-boo" or garden room of the Nell Montgomery Garden house at Fairchild Tropical Garden.

The second is further beautification of the grounds of the Coral Gables Woman's club. Taking over one of the three patios planned for the new Coral Gables High school is the third project.

Preview of a two-man fine arts show in the Nell Montgomery Garden House 8 p.m. today revealed to Fairchild Tropical Garden members the work of both Edward Clarence Dean, painter, and Ralph Hamilton Humes, sculptor.

Mr. Dean's painting of the interior of an orchid "slat" house is the Coral Gables Garden club gift. Ferns, bromeliads, orchids and other plants familiar to a slat house are to be seen in the picture, along with the homely, down-to-earth garden tools that orchid fanciers use. Sunlight filters through the slat walls. The picture is framed in bamboo.

Mrs. George M. Corrigan, Fairchild Garden chairman for her club, ordered the purchase of the painting.

Coral Gables Garden club is one of several that hold membership in Fairchild Tropical Garden. The garden will have a special day for garden clubs Feb. 1. Over 500 persons are expected to attend the program and hear Dr. and Mrs. David Fairchild tell how Fairchild Tropical Garden aids the garden club.

Coral Gables Garden club will meet Monday, 2:30 p.m. at the Coral Gables Woman's clubhouse, following a 1:30 p.m. board meeting. The guest speaker will be Mrs. Roscoe M. Moore, who will describe corsage-making. Members will flower arrangements, stressing roses.

There also will be a talk on flowering vines by Mrs. T. E. Coffey, horticulture chairman. A tea hour will conclude the afternoon.

Coral Gables Garden club, which has a closed active membership of 200 women, is celebrating its 25th anniversary this year. Its February program will be devoted to "miniatures," which are tiny flower arrangements for miniature flower containers. In March there will be a day devoted to garden tours including the gardens of Dr. and Mrs. Fairchild, Mr. and Mrs. C. Corbin and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Coombes.



Will Discuss Corsage Making

Mrs. Roscoe M. Moore will speak on "Corsages" for Coral Gables Garden Club, at 1:30 p. m. Monday, in Coral Gables Woman's Club.

Flowering vines will be discussed by Horticulture Chairman Mrs. T. E. Coffey. Members will bring roses for arrangements. The club will present a painting to the Nell Montgomery Garden House at Fairchild Tropical Garden.

Coral Gables Garden Club, meeting at Coral Gables Woman's club, 2:30 p. m.

Date Nears For Display Of Flowers

PLANS for one of Greater Miami's outstanding spring events, the Metropolitan Miami Flower Show, scheduled for Dinner Key Auditorium March 17-20, are nearing completion.

Competitive entries, flower and plant arrangements and landscaping exhibits will be featured at the four-day show, which will be sponsored by more than one dozen Dade County garden clubs, cooperating with Coral Gables, Miami, Miami Beach and Dade County parks departments.

HELP WITH PROBLEMS

An information center, where plants and flowers can be identified, will be an innovation. President Mrs. Theodore C. Buhler said that the booth will be established to help visitors with individual problems about plants and flowers.

She pointed out that exhibits in the horticultural category must be of superior quality and grown by the exhibitor for at least three months prior to the show. Entries in the artistic arrangements classification must be the work of the individual exhibitor. However, in most cases flowers need not have been grown by the exhibitor.

Rules and regulations for entries in the show and a list of classifications, which are open, can be obtained from the Flower Show office at Simpson Memorial Garden Center, 55 SW 17th rd.

Members of the board are assisting Mrs. Buhler in administrative activities. They are Mrs. E. W. Youngblood, Mrs. Royce Powell, Mrs. Frederick Sharp and Mrs. H. G. Horne.

ASSIST WITH DETAILS

Adding in co-ordinating plans for the exhibition are the show's directors, who include Mrs. J. H. Pace, Mrs. Helen Cullen, Mrs. Claude S. Allen, Milton Link, Miami Beach superintendent of parks, Knox Edredge, Miami director of public welfare; Henry E. Freeman, Dade County parks department; and Jonathan G. Seymour, Coral Gables parks director.

In addition to competitive entries, exhibits by commercial growers, municipal and county parks departments and junior garden clubs also will be featured. Educational exhibits and participation by scouting and school groups also will be spotlighted. Entries will be accepted until March 15.

Gables Garden Club Slates Monday Meeting

The Coral Gables Garden club will meet tomorrow at 2:30 p. m. at the Coral Gables Woman's club. A board meeting will be held at 1:30 p. m. preceding the business session.

Mrs. Calvin P. Bentley, figurine collector, will talk on miniatures. She will make and display flower arrangements in unusual figures that she has collected throughout the world. Among various items in her collection are a whale vertebrae, tree fungus and birch bark.

Mrs. T. O. Coffey, horticulture chairman, will discuss flowering shrubs.

Following the meeting, tea will be served.

Gardeners Gather Props For Annual Flower Show

PLANTS native to Florida will be displayed by members of Dade County garden clubs set the Metropolitan Miami Flower Show.

Second annual event opens Friday evening at Dinner Key auditorium where the clubs are busy adding final touches to displays.

A novel exhibit, to be sponsored by the Hialeah garden group, will feature a race track theme in a 10 x 20-foot garden of cacti.

Miami Springs club has chosen native ferns as its horticultural theme—because Florida has more tropical ferns than any other state.

DISPLAY CROTONS

African violets and crotons will be utilized by the Coral Gables club, while displays also will be submitted in sophisticated pillow vases in the arrangements category.

In the arrangements class the Hialeah club will enter a display featuring gardens in bamboo containers. Antique glass containers will be used for the Shandandah Garden Club's flower arrangements.

Another exhibit will be the 16 x 40-foot garden entered by the Miami Beach Garden Club.

Shade loving plants will be featured. The Beach club also is entering two tables of floral arrangements in containers from the seaboard, including conch shells, driftwood and seaweed.

All Varieties Entered Flower Show To Begin At Dinner Key Tonight

Dinner Key Auditorium has taken on the appearance of a gigantic greenhouse for tonight's opening of the second annual Metropolitan Miami Flower Show, scheduled to get underway at 7 p. m.

Almost every variety of Florida flower and plant will be on display at the auditorium, with entries and displays running the horticultural gamut from anthurium to zanted.

A corps of judges will swing into action at 1 p. m. today in order to rate the competitive and award prizes in time for tonight's formal opening.

Opening ceremonies will see Col. Robert H. Montgomery, originator and a director of Fairchild Tropical Gardens, cut through a floral blanket covering the entrance to the auditorium. County and municipal officials, members of the Miami club, and leading horticultural figures will be on hand.

Co-operating in sponsoring the show are Dade county and municipal parks departments and 14 Greater Miami garden clubs.

With its theme "Paths under the Florida Palms," the show will accent such native Florida and tropical flowers and plants as ferns, crotons, begonia, caladiums and dieffenbachia.

Typical of this state's varied plant specimens will be displays of ferns, ranging from miniature specimens less than one inch high to ferns which are almost as tall as a man.

Prizes for horticultural and

arrangements entries, in 20 classes, will be displayed on the prize-winning plants throughout the four-day show.

Various collectors' items also will be featured at the exhibition with arrangements by partitioning garden clubs utilizing such "props" as kitchen utensils, bamboo containers, driftwood and antique glass containers.

Schedule of the four-day event will see the auditorium open from 7 to 10 tonight, 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. Saturday and Monday; and 1 p. m. to 10 p. m. on Sunday.

Co-operating in sponsoring the show are Dade county and municipal parks departments and 14 Greater Miami garden clubs.

Annual Area Flower Show Opens Doors

By NIXON SMILEY Herald Staff Editor

The second annual Metropolitan Miami Flower Show, described as one of the most outstanding events of its kind ever held here, opened Friday night.

The Dinner Key auditorium was brightened with colorful flowering plants, against a background of handsome shrubs and full-grown trees.

In beauty, the displays rivaled the recent International Orchid Show and, in size, surpassed the orchid show three times.

Exhibits were as varied as the imaginations of the florists, nurserymen, garden clubs, and individuals who set them up.

Some 15 garden clubs, which joined to put on the show with the help of Greater Miami park departments, had displays in the show.

The Dade County parks department set up a complete park, bringing in rubber trees, shrubs, picnic tables and even a fence made of maleuca trees.

Milton Link, head of the Miami Beach parks department, said more than 150 full-grown trees and palms had been set up in the auditorium. Some 1,200 cubic yards of soil was used to build up gardens, complete with grass, flowers, shrubs, trees and stone walls.

Tropical fruits and fruit trees displayed by the Babcock Tropical Experiment Station at Homestead showed visitors the things they can produce in their backyards.

A display staged by the Fairchild Tropical Garden showed the flowers and colorful fruits produced by the tropical flowering trees and palms at the garden.

Future Farmers exhibited the fruits and vegetables produced at their school farms.

Another outstanding exhibit is that of Pan American Airways, which includes colorful anthuriums from Hawaii and other tropical flowers from Mexico, South America and India.

Col. Robert H. Montgomery, director of the Fairchild Tropical Garden, described the show as one of the best he had seen anywhere, including New York.

The show will run from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. today and Monday, and from 1 p. m. to 10 p. m. Sunday. It will close Monday night.

Coral Gables Garden club will meet at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow at Coral Gables Woman's club, following a board session at 1:30 p. m. Mrs. Calvin P. Bentley will speak on "Miniatures" and will display flower arrangements in unusual figures which she has collected from all over the world. Mrs. T. E. Coffey will discuss "Flowering Shrubs."

Flowers From TRINIDAD



Flowers to arrive for the "flowers from the world exhibit" at the second annual Metropolitan Miami Flower Show at Dinner Key tonight are from Peru, Spain, and the coral-colored anthurium are being delivered to members of the committee by PAA representatives by PAA representative Norman C. Brandt. Left right are Mrs. Royce Powell, Mrs. John K. Chevis, Seymour W. Youngblood, and Mrs. Thomas H. Youngblood. The show opens tonight and continues through



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Meeting, Mrs. T. E. Coffey,
speaker. Tour of gardens at
Coral Gables Woman's club, 1:30
p. m.

Coral Gables Garden Club

PEACE ROSE GIVEN PRIZE IN GARDEN CENTER SHOW

By CONNIE GEE
Miami Daily News Club Editor

Buzzing like bees around a honeysuckle vine, Miamians viewed the annual rose show sponsored yesterday by the Greater Miami Council of Garden Club presidents.

In spite of the fact that the weather of last week was not favorable to roses for this week's show the exhibit at Simpson Memorial Garden center, 55 SW 17th rd., turned out to be a little gem.

Under the skillful hands of members of the West End Garden club the show blossomed into two main groups specializing in arrangements and horticultural entries. Blue, red, and white ribbons were awarded, with gold added for the best in each section. There also was a Green Thumb ribbon as a special award.

Finest rose in the horticulture section was given by Mrs. Thelma Peters. It was named "Peace" and won for her a blue and gold award. This is a pale yellow rose with tints of pink that increase as the petals widen into full bloom.

Finest arrangement in the show—also blue and gold—was exhibited by Mrs. F. S. Simmons of the West End club.

Special award for a home grown rose, "Mirandy," went to Mrs. Lucile DePew, 1605 NW 53rd st., who received the Green Thumb award. Mrs. DePew also received a blue ribbon for her horticulture specimen, "Peace."

Green Thumb ribbon for the largest rose in the show was presented to Mrs. Simmons. The rose, called "Doctor," measured over five inches across.

Show chairman, Mrs. C. M. Ballard, missed out on a gold ribbon by a small margin but won a blue ribbon for her "Chinese influence" arrangement featuring a new variety of floribunda called "Fashion." Mrs. Ballard also received a third place ribbon for another arrangement, featuring



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FINEST ARRANGEMENT—Mrs. F. S. Simmons won the blue and gold awards for this duct of roses, at the Allied Garden club's annual Rose Show Wednesday, at Simpson Memorial Garden center. Here was judged the best arrangement in the show.

ing the "Peace" rose. (Most of the flowers used in the arrangements were bought from growers).

To Mrs. Henry Freeman was given the blue ribbon for her arrangement (for tall niches) featuring red roses in a yellow pitcher. The receptacle was placed on an aqua background (made by draping the folds of an evening dress in the niche). Within the soft recesses of the material was tucked a small, though empty bowl. Mrs. Freeman called the composition "Better Times."

Because the show was open to non-club members it was good to see a Green Thumb ribbon given to Dr. James H. Mendel, jr., of Coral Gables for four beautiful bouquets of exquisite roses that he had raised.

Judging was made by two sets of accredited judges and decisions were based on the point system required by the National Council of Garden clubs.

There could easily have been questions in the minds of the audience as to why some of the arrangements, for instance, were not prize win-



PINK AND WHITE—Attractive arrangement by Mrs. George Corrigan featured pink roses in white container.

New Sprinkling System Is Gift Of Garden Club

A club's civic beautification program launched more than two years ago in Coral Gables has just now crystallized. Voted in the administration of one president, it has simmered and fumed from time to time because of material shortages.

Today it is an actuality. Project is a sprinkling system for the Coral Gables Youth center lawn and represents efforts of the Gables Garden club.

BRIGHT FOLIAGE DROOPED
Mrs. George M. Corrigan, president two years ago, spearheaded the program of augmenting the city's planting of the grounds. When the bright foliage began to droop from lack of moisture during that year's drought, the group determined to "protect its investment" by installing underground sprinklers.

Then came the long wait for equipment—and finally—last week, the installation.

Guided to completion by Mrs. George Simpson, current president, Mrs. M. Lewis Hall, center president, and Mrs. Simpson turned on the faucets for water to flow through the recently laid pipes.

LANDSCAPE GROUNDS
Nor has this been the only endeavor of the garden club this summer. For a long time the group, with members of the Coral Gables Woman's club, has felt the need for more landscaping around the latter's club-house.

Last week, too, Mrs. William Merriam, landscape chairman, adding the club's flowering shrubs to those furnished by the city, conscripted municipal trucks and personnel for the planting job.

Already the grounds show a difference in personality, and another season will find a galaxy of colorful shrubs in bloom around the clubhouse.



MESDAIRES GEORGE SIMPSON, M. L. HALL, G. M. CORRIGAN
... Gables Youth center is interested in sprinklers installed by Garden club

Tour Gardens After Meeting

Fibrous, cane type and rose begonia will be displayed and discussed by Mrs. T. E. Coffey, horticulture chairman, at the meeting of Coral Gables Garden Club, Monday at 2:30 p. m. in Coral Gables Woman's Club. Members are asked to bring plants.

After the meeting members will tour four gardens of well-known estates. They include those of Dr. and Mrs. David Fairchild, "The Kompoz," 4015 Douglas rd.; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Page, 840 Ponce de Leon blvd.; Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Corbin, 8121 Ponce de Leon blvd.; and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Combes, 1224 Country Club Prado.

Board meeting is scheduled to 1:30 p. m.



CHRISTMAS RED—Clerodendron, or bleeding heart, matches the red lips of this white Madonna, which Mrs. Charles F. McVieby of Coral Gables will use in her "Madonnas" program for the Tropical Garden club Monday morning. Silver palm and white gladioli form the background for the figure which stands in a white container with turquoise lining. A touch of gilded foliage matches the gold trimming of the Madonna's robe.



MRS. ROYCE POWELL, MRS. THEODORE C. BUHLER AND MRS. GERTRUDE PETERSON
... President Mrs. Buhler already is gathering her committee

Mrs. Buhler Is Chairman For Miami Flower Show

The Metropolitan Miami Flower Show, one of the community's outstanding spring events, is scheduled for March 17-20, at Dinner Key Auditorium. Staged for the first time last year, the organization was chartered to include the allied garden clubs, cooperating with municipal and county park departments.

Mrs. Theodore C. Buhler is chairman of the coming show. A list of horticultural classifications and other details may be obtained from Mrs. Gertrude Peterson at the show headquarters, Simpson Garden Center.

PLAN TWO CATEGORIES
Two competitive categories will be open to gardening enthusiasts, according to Mrs. Buhler. Judging will be for horticultural and display awards.

Those entering the horticultural phase of the show must have plants or flowers growing in their possession for at least three months before March 17. Entries in the arrangements classification may be either grown personally or obtained from commercial sources. Judging in this division will emphasize artistic designs of displays rather than horticultural achievement.

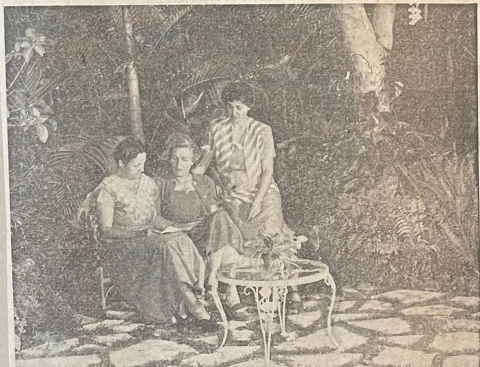
Along with the competitive entries, exhibits by commercial growers, municipal and county park departments and junior garden clubs will be featured in the spring event. Educational exhibits and participation by Scouts and school groups will also be highlighted.



PICTURE WINDOW—Left to right, in front of the picture window at the Nell Montgomery Garden House, Fairchild Tropical Garden: President Charles H. Crandon, Mrs. Robert H. Montgomery, Mrs. Crandon, Col. Montgomery, and Mrs. Douglas D. Felix, (life member) were photographed at the recent reception to charter members. Mrs. Montgomery presented gardenias to each of 50 charter members who were in attendance.

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GARDEN HAVEN — After days and nights of work and planning for show these three directors relax in Miami Beach Garden Club exhibit: Left to right, Mrs. S. W. Youngbans, 1st vice president; Mrs. Royce Powell, 2nd vice president, and Mrs. T. C. Buhler, president.



CHARTER MEMBERS—Left to right, the new treasurer, O. C. Corbin of Fairchild Tropical Garden and Mrs. Corbin examine display of tropical mats and baskets as charter members, Mrs. Roy Page and Mrs. F. E. Knowles join them during a tour of the Nell Montgomery Garden House inspection and reception, recently held.

Table Decorations Easily Made

MING TREES MIAMI-MADE

By CONNIE GEE
(Daily News Club Editor)

One need not bring in a secret society—like the Chinese—in order to produce a Ming tree. The modern type is simple to make, with sticks and stones. No jealously guarded formula is necessary, like the secret that was perfected in China, during the Ming dynasty, to dwarf trees, from which came the name Ming trees.

Mrs. Charles McWithey, a member of two garden clubs in Greater Miami, knows where one can buy Ming trees ready made. She also knows how to make them and is generous in handing on her ideas to others.

She believes that women should learn how to do things like this. Constructing table ornaments and flower arrangements can be a fascinating hobby, she says.

To make a Ming tree select a small, gnarled, interesting looking dead tree branch. It must have "rhythm" in its few "branches." Then start accumulating foliage—any sort of dried mass of material that will hold up for an indefinite period of time. Straw flowers are good, Mrs. McWithey says, and so is "rice-cushion" moss. This is to be found "where the short pine grows", or may be bought.

For the base, on which the tree will stand, use a piece of coral, rock or natural bark.

There must be a crevice in which to insert the tree and enough plaster of Paris to hold the trunk firm and also to weight down the entire ornament.

In designing the Ming tree follow the simple rules of design used in flower arrangements. The focal point should be near the center of the "picture".

The glasier should be mixed in a small quantity, just enough to fill the aperture around the end of the trunk. Do NOT use a good container, Mrs. McWithey warns, for heat from the mixture might crack it. A cardboard box and a piece of waxed paper keep the working space neat.

"When the hole in the end of the tree should be held firmly in place until the plaster 'sets' (about five minutes)."

Copper wire, which may be bought in small quantities, is excellent for fastening the "leaves" in place. To remove shavings from the wire dip it in vinegar before using. In most cases, however, the moss can be inserted upon the twigs without fastening.

Mrs. McWithey, a comparative newcomer in this area, is a member of the West End Garden club and of the Coral Gables Garden club. For many years she belonged to the Ohio Association of Garden clubs, the Cincinnati Federal and the Norwood Gem of the Highlands at Cincinnati. She lectured as

Flower arrangements in the home for two years at the art museum there.

For information where to buy moss for use in making Ming trees call the Miami Daily News Shipping Service, 1-1001 ext. 820.



MRS. MCWITHEY AND MING TREE



PLANS ARE BOUNDING INTO SHAPE for the Metropolitan Flower show to be staged in Bayfront auditorium April 2, 3 and 4. Event is the first of its kind to be presented by the Garden clubs of Miami for nearly 20 years. The show is designed to appeal to the layman flower lover. Left to right are Mrs. I. C. Knecht, chairman of the commercial exhibits, Mrs. Boyce Powell, staging committee, and Mrs. Claude Allen, non-commercial exhibits. (Harold Smith Photo.)

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MRS. PENTLAND, SR.

Today Mrs. Pentland is a member of the Coral Gables Women's club and Coral Gables Garden club, and is an honorary member of the University of Miami Women's club. She has membership also in the Omega and Women's Patriotic Association.

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Flower Show Joins Tropical Garden BECOMES \$500 LIFE MEMBER

Metropolitan Miami Flower Show, Inc., has presented a check for \$500 to Fairchild Tropical Garden for a life membership in the garden. Decision was made at a recent board meeting.

Board of directors includes the president, Mrs. T. C. Babin; Mrs. Seymour W. Young, first vice president; Mrs. Rayne Powell, second vice president; Mrs. Frederick Murphy, treasurer; Mrs. E. C. Horne, secretary; and Mrs. Claude B. Allen, Mrs. Helen

Cullen, Mrs. Johnnie F. Parr, Mrs. Gertrude Peterson, Kate Edwidge, Henry E. Freeman, E. Milton Lint, Jonathan

Serrano. Final meeting of the season for the Miami Beach Garden club will be held at 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Paul R. Gableman, 222

Palmer Dr. Miami Beach. Luncheon will be served and luncheon with Mrs. S. Lee

Powell or Mrs. James T. Wilson (close hotel).

Mrs. Sandow Granting will

be installed as president, M. Forrest L. Moore, Mrs. J. Carpenter, Mrs. Helen Cuth

vice president, Mrs. E. K. Bailey, treasurer, Mrs. L. Jones, recording secretary, Mrs. Edgar E. Perry, a

responding secretary.

Coral Gables Garden of

will meet at 2:30 p.m. Next

at the Gables Women's club

Members will help in the re-

location of the 25th anniversary

of Coral Gables by ordering

a tree as the grounds of a

club. Presidents of Coral

Gables Garden club will

attend.

Mrs. George E. Moore, a

donor of the Shadler of the

Gables, will speak. Mrs. J.

Burner will inspire Dr. Ben

Pentland's "The World City

"Round My Door." Mrs. C.

Coffey will give a talk on pre-

sentations. The board will

meet at 1:30 p.m.

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EXPERT IN ARRANGEMENTS... Flower arrangements come easy for Mrs. Walter W. Wiggenschmidt, Jr., Coral Gables Garden club chairman for the Metropolitan Flower Show. Mrs. Wiggenschmidt, who is first vice-president of the local club, has carried many important chairmanships in this club, now celebrating its silver anniversary. (Staff photo by G. T. Davis)

CORAL GABLES
SILVER ANNIVERSARY
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Garden Club Of Gables Dates Back To 1925

Sunday, April 23, 1950 THE MIAMI HERALD

Gardeners Invite Mrs. Merrick

In connection with the 25th anniversary celebration of Coral Gables, the Coral Gables Garden Club has invited Mrs. George E. Merrick, wife of the city's founder, to speak at 2:30 p.m. Monday in the Coral Gables Woman's Club. Join in celebration, a tree will be planted and designed on the clubhouse grounds. Presidents of the Greater Miami garden clubs will be guests.

Color features of the program will include a review of Dr. David Fairchild's book, "The World Grows Around My Door," by Mrs. H. G. Horse, and also on presentation by Mrs. T. E. Coffey, horticulture chairman.

Garden Club To Observe Anniversary

Coral Gables Garden club will help celebrate the 25th Anniversary of Coral Gables at the regular club meeting Monday afternoon, by having Mrs. George Merrick, the wife of the founder of Coral Gables, as their guest.

The meeting will convene at 2:30 p.m. and Mrs. Merrick will give a short talk. She will also dedicate a tree the club is planting on the Women's clubhouse grounds.

Mrs. H. G. Horse will be the guest speaker. She will review Dr. David Fairchild's book, "The World Grows Around My Door."

Mrs. T. E. Coffey, chairman of horticulture, will discuss tree-planting.

Presidents of the Greater Miami Garden Clubs have been invited to attend.

By MRS. GEORGE C. HENSHAW
The Coral Gables Garden Club was organized in 1925. The first president was Mrs. William McElroy, the second president, Mrs. George E. Merrick.

Object of the organization is "to help those who love gardens, to make them more beautiful; to stimulate interest in cooperative gardening; to study, in all its aspects, the fine art of gardening; to aid in the protection of wild flowers and birds."

In early years the club met in the lounge of the Congregational Church, later in the home of members, and now in the Coral Gables Woman's Club.

In 1927 the club erected a memorial in the form of a small park with a bench and bronze plaque, to Mr. J. Lawrence Young. This plot is at the Canale Plaza at Granada Road. Mr. Young was known as "the father of tropical beauty in foliage" in Coral Gables.

The club planted a patio at the elementary school where it was built and in 1927 planted a patio at the maternity when planted vines and shrubs at Ponce de Leon High school. It has aided in planting other

patios and parkways in Coral Gables. In 1949 it gave pipe used in the sprinkler system at Youth Center.

For years the club has been a member of Fairchild Tropical Garden and the Audubon Society. This year it presented Fairchild Garden with a painting by Mr. Edward Clarence Dean. This painting hangs in the new Hall Montgomery Garden House.

For the past two years the club has done planting on the grounds of the Women's club building. It has furnished flowers for the chapel at Veterans Administration hospital for Sunday services.

and also for the monthly service parties.

A recent club is working on at present is the planting of a patio at the new Coral Gables High school.

Present officers are: President, Mrs. George C. Henshaw; first vice-president, Mrs. Walter R. Wiggens; second vice-president, Mrs. Kenneth E. Gaudin; S. Crockett, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Frank Cary; Mrs. Fred Graham; treasurer, Mrs. G. C. Coffey; action, Mrs. William Miles.

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MONDAY
Coral Gables Garden club, Mrs. George E. Merrick, speaker; Mrs. H. G. Horse, book review, at Coral Gables Woman's club, 2:30 p.m.

Monday, April 24

CLUBS
CORAL GABLES GARDEN CLUB
Meeting to observe anniversary, 2:30 p.m.

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MRS. EARL V. WILSON

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Riviera Times

SUNDAY, MAY 21, 1950

May Picnic Is Garden Club Choice Tomorrow

Mrs. Kenneth H. Goodrich will be installed as president of the Coral Gables Garden club, when the group meets for its annual May picnic at Matheson's Hammock tomorrow.

The luncheon and informal party will take place at 11 o'clock



MRS. KENNETH GOODRICH

— Alberto Steinhilber

in the morning with the luncheon being served in the large commodious shelter.

Mrs. George Simpson, retiring president, will install the officers. They include Mrs. Francis S. Graham, first vice-president; Mrs. Horace F. Corder, second vice-president; Mrs. Laurence Fridley, recording secretary; Mrs. Royce Powell, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Phil J. Lawrence, treasurer; and Mrs. William T. Miller, auditor.

Directors are Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. George Corviga, Mrs. Fred Grisham, Mrs. Fred Mier, Mrs. Howard Sullivan, Mrs. Evan D. Bower, Mrs. Ray J. Motters, Mrs. Worth St. Clair, Mrs. George H. Dery, Mrs. E. E. Cady, Mrs. William Cox, Mrs. John Dabson, Mrs. William E. Richey, Mrs. Herbert Vance and Mrs. Harry Trafford.

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Planting Tree

MEMORIAL—Mrs. William T. Miller, left, auditor of Coral Gables Garden club, and Mrs. Kenneth H. Goodrich, right, president, admire the new memorial tree recently planted by these club on the grounds of the Coral Gables Woman's club. Installation of officers will take place Monday 11 a.m. at a picnic at Matheson Hammock.

Gardeners End Year At Picnics

Annual picnic of Coral Gables Garden Club is planned for 11 a.m. Tuesday at Matheson Hammock. Focus will be on installation services with Mrs. Kenneth H. Goodrich being seated as president.

Others include Mrs. Francis S. Graham, first vice-president; Mrs. Horace F. Corder, second vice-president; Mrs. Laurence Fridley, recording secretary; Mrs. Royce Powell, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Phil J. Lawrence, treasurer; and Mrs. William T. Miller, auditor.

THE MIAMI HERALD Tuesday, May 23, 1950

Gables Gardeners Picnic At Hibiscus Framed Lake

By RUTH STUART ALLEN

Staff Writer

Members of Coral Gables Garden Club took their annual trip to Matheson Hammock Tuesday and picnicked by the side of a quiet little lake surrounded by tall palms and flaming hibiscus.

It marked their yearly installation of officers and they heard Mrs. George Simpson, retiring president, report a progressive year of community service. Leader for the past two years, she turned over the gavel to Mrs. Kenneth Goodrich. Mrs. Fred Grisham officiated.

Flowers were brought for modest display to co-workers. Especially interesting were Mrs. Edward Powell's yellow frangipani and Mrs. M. M. Swan's unbedded magnolia.

Prizes for intracub flower arrangements went to Mrs. John J. Boshner, Mrs. George Corviga, and Mrs. Walter Wipprecht.

Some of the year's service projects included: pipe for the sprinkling system installed at

the War Memorial Youth Center; planting a memorial tree on the Gables Woman's Club grounds; a floral painting presented to the new Neil Montgomery garden house; and child garden, \$25 donated to war library for garden books; floral decorations for hospitalized veterans.

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MRS. KENNETH GOODRICH

... leads Gables gardeners

