

MAY 1990

ILLINOIS ORCHID SOCIETY

FOUNDED IN 1952

WHO: Illinois Orchid Society

WHAT: MONTHLY MEETING

WHEN: May 27, 1990
(4th Sunday)

WHERE: Chicago Botanic Garden
Lake-Cook Road, east of
Edens Hwy. in Glencoe IL

FORMAT: Workshop begins at 12:30 in the auditorium; followed by the auction and raffle. This is followed by a short business meeting and then the speaker.

We will have plant judging and IOS plant sales. Please have all plants registered by 12:30.

WORKSHOP: "Doc" Charles, the speaker of the day, has agreed to conduct a workshop on the cultural aspects of paphiopedilums. He will be happy to answer questions on the best conditions for growing and flowering this genus; if you have any problem plants that might benefit from being examined by an expert, bring them along to the meeting for his scrutiny.

PROGRAM: Sunday, May 27th (fourth Sunday, please note) is the big day when we will get to meet and hear that well known character, 'Doc' Emerson Charles. For those of you who don't know this gent, he got the name 'Doc' because he ran for coroner once.

He's been an AOS judge for over 30 years and is a past president of the Orchid Digest Corporation and,

most important, he's a premiere paph grower. The recently discovered Paph. emersonii was named for him. Doc's talk will be about "Paphiopedilums, Something Old, Something New." He's bringing plants to sell, including some species which are rapidly becoming rare, due to the new importation laws.

The President's Message

John Stubbings



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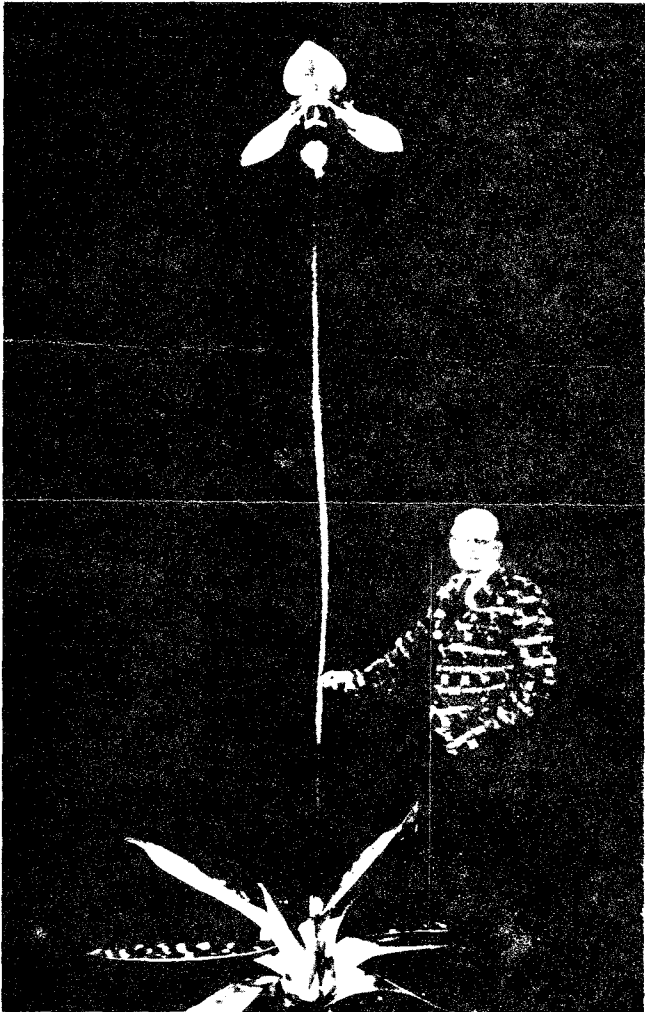
Many kudos to JOE KOSS!!! We now have approved an AOS Mid America Supplemental Judging Center in Glencoe. The first judging will take place at the Botanic Garden at 7 p.m. on Saturday, July 28. We all owe Joe a large and sincere thanks for his untireless efforts in getting this application written and approved by the St. Louis Regional Center and the AOS. We wish Joe and the other local judges success in this new venture. Please support their efforts by bringing your top quality plants each month. Again, many thanks to Joe on his successful effort that took over 5 years in the making!!

Two of our members have had much success in the last two spring shows. In Michigan, Otto Leupi received the AOS Show Trophy for his display which included many IOS plants. Sue Golan received an AM on her plant of *Tricopilia suavis* x *marginatta* at that show. At the Indianapolis show, Otto again won the show trophy for the display which included IOS members plants.

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He also received a CCM on his *Bulbophyllum wentworthianum*. Congratulations to Sue and Otto!!

Many thanks to Limrick Orchids for the donation of several plants at our spring show. Also thanks to Hoosier Orchids for the donation of several compots of plants. These will all be auctioned at the May meeting.



'DOC' CHARLES

BOARD MEETING

The next meeting of the Board of Directors will be held on Monday, June 4th at the home of John Stubblings, 2825 Weller Lane, Northbrook (708/480-1532). All Board members and Committee Chairmen are expected to attend, if you CANNOT attend, please call John.

It's Brunch time again, and this year we're going to the Tower Garden Restaurant in Skokie for our annual award giving get-together.

June 24th is the Sunday, 11:30 is the time, directions will follow.

It is at this yearly feast that we gather to say goodbye to our outgoing president and other officers, and to give awards to the growers with the highest point scores accumulated from shows and meetings during the previous year.

We don't have plant judging on this day, but we do have a speaker, and it happens to be one of our most frequent award winners, Otto Leupi. He's going to talk about species and their culture, and if you'd seen the *bulbophyllum* for which he received an 87 point CCM last month you would know that he knows what he's doing. It was his 11th AOS Award!

Otto has been growing orchids for 16 years; he specializes in the epidendrum alliance, but he can be found in Michigan each spring studying the native orchids growing there. He's going to share his "know-how" with us so that we can all be award winners. It's only \$20 for all this, so sign up now!

The restaurant is located at 9925 Gross Point Road. Coming from the south, take either Dempster (from 41) or Golf (from the tollway) and head east to Gross Point Road, then north to the restaurant.

Coming from the north, take Old Orchard Road (from 41) or Golf Road (from tollway) and head east to Gross Point Road. Take Old Orchard south or Golf north to the restaurant.

APRIL TOUR OF GROWING FACILITIES

From all reports, everyone enjoys visiting the various growing areas of members on the tour. Our thanks to them, and also to those who toured on that lovely Sunday. As usual, the weather was delightful, just as was ordered.

IOS POINT SCORE ACCUMULATIONS

Tom Kalina, Chairman - 708/420-0216

Here is the latest point score revision, effective May 1, 1990. Anyone winning ribbons or ADS Awards that are not part of this list should contact Tom Kalina with the information. Remember, the Awards Brunch is approaching, and we need to be up to date as soon as possible after the May meeting.

UNDER LIGHTS

| | |
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| M. Nichele | 448 |
| W. Rogerson | 397 |
| C. Bloome | 367 |
| J. Edwards | 233 |
| M. Schmidt | 182 |
| H. Frank | 177 |
| W. Kintop | 146 |
| G. Van Hooser | 112 |
| W. Losert | 109 |
| L. Schordje | 84 |
| R&H Youngdale | 78 |
| K. Langwell | 72 |
| J. Fiala | 31 |
| R. Anderson | 26 |
| C. High | 22 |
| M. Millman | 21 |
| D. Clausen | 16 |
| S. Maloney | 16 |
| L. Toman | 10 |
| L. Lipten | 10 |
| S. Swan | 7 |
| B. Glowacki | 6 |
| L. Cinert | 5 |
| C. Hunter | 2 |
| J. Badali | 2 |
| B. Junod | 2 |
| D. Nieter | 1 |
| P. Kralik | 1 |
| L. Beemster | 1 |
| J. Patrick | 1 |

GREENHOUSE

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| G. Leupi | 1165 |
| L. Sahagian | 901 |
| S. Golan | 626 |
| G. Freeman | 512 |
| J. Sikora | 489 |
| J. Mullen | 271 |
| M. Kuntz | 204 |
| J. Coutts | 139 |
| R. Desser | 135 |
| C. Hartman | 111 |
| J. Stubbings | 101 |
| H. Labinsky | 88 |
| J. Spatzek | 72 |
| P. Passine | 70 |
| F. Cogswell | 69 |
| G. Steuben | 52 |
| E. Gamson | 51 |
| W. Zielinski | 24 |
| J. Baier | 20 |
| T. Sarauskas | 20 |
| M. Weiss | 17 |
| K. Levin | 12 |
| J. Brittain | 7 |
| Thompson | 5 |
| N. Radcliffe | 2 |

COMMERCIAL GROWERS

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|-------------------------|------|
| Arnold J. Klehm, Grower | 1245 |
| Fox Valley Orchids | 1139 |
| Inverness Greenery | 120 |
| River Kwai Orchids | 87 |
| Cyps, Etc. | 71 |
| Summertime Gardens | 4 |

DATES TO REMEMBER

May 27, IOS Monthly Meeting at
the Botanic Garden, Glencoe

June 24, IOS Annual Awards Brunch
Location to be announced

Sept. 22-23, IOS Mini-Show

Oct. 17-21, ADS Trustees Meeting
Virginia Beach, Virginia

Oct. 26-28, Mid-America, St. Louis

Thomas J. Franczak
1501 Cedarwood
Wheeling IL 60090

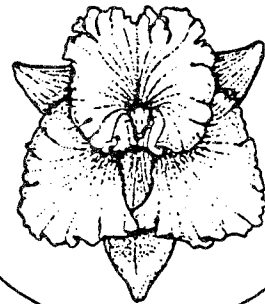
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NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

**** COMMUNICATIONS CENTRAL ****

The Nominating Committee, appointed by President John Stubbings, has compiled the following slate of officers for the period July 1, 1990 through June 30, 1991.

EXPERIENCED - Greenhouse construction, remodeling and repairs. Call Al Schnor at 708/362-5837.

- President.....SUE GOLAN
- 1st Vice President.....TOM KALINA
- 2nd Vice President.....HOWARD FRANK
- Secretary.....DALE CLAUSEN
- Asst. Secretary....HEDDI SCHELLBACH
- Treasurer.....LAURA LITTLECHILDS
- Asst. Treasurer.....JOHN COUTTS

JUDGING STUDY GROUP

BOARD MEMBERS

The Judging Study Group had only three people turn up for the April meeting. If anyone is interested in learning how to judge or how to evaluate the better plants or flowers when making purchases, please call John Stubbings. This study group will start in August if there are enough interested.

Term expiring in 1993
Harold Labinsky and Cathy Bloome

PAPH STUDY GROUP

There will be NO Paph Study Group in May. They will meet June 25th.

Term expiring in 1994
Leo Schordje and Linda Schubert

DONATION OF ORCHIDS

A donation of 13 Miltonia orchids was recently received by the IOS from Bill Kortz. We extend our sincere thanks to Bill for this generous gift to the IOS.

These nominations will be presented to the membership at the May meeting and voted upon. Nominations may also be made from the floor.

The Nominating Committee was chaired by Jim Spatzek, assisted by Jack Coutts and Howard Frank.