AMERICAN DAFFODIL SOCIETY
1958 CONVENTION
339 BEVERLY ROAD, N.E.
ATLANTA 9, GEORGIA

PROGRAM
THIRD ANNUAL MEETING
American Daffodil Society
March 27, 28, 29, 1958

ATLANTA MILTMORE HOTEL
ATLANTA, GEORGIA
D'AFFODILS FROM SOUTH
FRIDAY, MARCH 28
8:00 A.M. TO 12:00 NOON
Registration Hotel Lobby
Meeting of Board of Directors, Room # 6 Mezzanine Floor
Informal Meeting—Pompeian Room, Thurston Hatcher, Portrait Photography, Bring YOUR slides.

12:00 P.M. TO 12:30 P.M.
Registration Hotel Lobby
Morning session, Pompeian Room, Dr. Ray Allen V. Pres. A.D.S. presiding
Welcome to Atlanta, Mrs. G. Bonner Spearman, President
Georgia Daffodil Society
Welcome to Southeast Region, E. Fay Pearce, Vice Pres. S.E. Region
Daffodils in Atlanta, Joel Chandler Harris, Jr.
Growing Daffodils in Georgia Red Clay Soil, Miller Thompson,
Stone Mountain, Georgia

10:00 A.M. TO 10:30 A.M.
My Experience Growing Seedlings, Mrs. Ben Robertson,
Taylors, S.C.

10:30 A.M. TO 11:00 A.M.
Business Session, Geo. S. Lee, Jr. President A.D.S.

11:15 A.M.
Bussees leave for Grant Park
The Cyclorama (Battle of Atlanta)

12:30 P.M. TO 1:15 P.M.
Barbecue Lunch, Pavilion Grant Park

1:15 P.M. TO 5:00 P.M.
Garden Tour by bus to the Gardens of:
Mr. & Mrs. E. T. Tolleson, 441 Langhorn St., S.W.
Mr. & Mrs. Frank Spratlin, 2843 Habersham Rd., N.W.
Mr. & Mrs. Joel C. Harris, 2973 Habersham Rd., N.W.
Biltmore Garden, Atlanta Biltmore Hotel

Dinner—Pompeian Room, Judge Carey Quinn Presiding
Presidents Report—Geo. S. Lee, Jr., President A.D.S.
Address—"Daffodils I Have Known," Dr. John C. Wister,
Director Arthur Hoyt Scott Foundation, Swarthmore College,
Swarthmore, Penn.

7:00 P.M.

SATURDAY, MARCH 29
8:06 A.M. TO 9:00 A.M.
Meeting New Board of Directors Room # 6 Mezzanine Floor
Morning Session, Willis Wheeler, Vice Pres. A.D.S. presiding
"Daffodils In Grandmother's Garden," Mrs. Willie Rice Hurst,
Marshallville, Ga.

9:00 A.M. TO 11:15 A.M.
"Daffodil Diseases," Dr. D.L. Gill, Pathologist,
Ornamentals Section U.S.D.A., Georgia Coastal Plain
Experiment Station, Tifton, Ga.

"New Varieties from Holland"
Mr. Wm. Van Leeuwen, Warnaar & Co., N.V.
Sassenheim, Holland.

10:00 A.M. TO 10:30 A.M.
Panel on Daffodils - Have you Questions ready.

10:30 A.M. TO 11:15 A.M.
Free Time: Arrangements and Daffodil Blooms Display
Room # 10 Mez. Floor.

11:15 A.M. TO 12:30 P.M.
Lunch Pompeian Room, Joel C. Harris presiding
Address—Mr. Leo Aiken, Asst. to Editor The Atlanta Constitution

12:30 P.M. TO 1:30 P.M.
Garden Tour by bus to the gardens of:
Mr. & Mrs. Alton Costley, 3639 Tuxedo Road, N.W.
Mr. & Mrs. Frank Owings, 350 Blackland Road, N.W.
Mr. & Mrs. J.R. Dunn, 1460 W. Wesley Rd., N.W.
Mr. & Mrs. Perry Crawford, 1140 Peachtree Battle Ave., N.W.

Biltmore Gardens, Atlanta Biltmore Hotel

2:00 P.M. TO 5:30 P.M.
Social Hour, Pompeian Room
Banquet Pompeian Room
Mr. Geo. S. Lee, Jr. Pres. A.D.S. presiding
Presentation of Awards.
Address—"Plant Exploration by Prof. Ira S. Nelson,
Horticulturist Southwestern Louisiana Ins., Lafayette, La.
1959 Convention Plans
Report of Resolution Committee

6:30 P.M. TO 7:30 P.M.

7:30 P.M.

SUNDAY, MARCH 30th
10:00 A.M. TO 4:00 P.M.
Daffodil Judging School—Course No. 1. Room # 14,
Mezzanine Floor

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DAFFODIL STUDY AND SHOW SCHOOL
COURSE #1

Sponsored by the Southeast Region
AMERICAN DAFFODIL SOCIETY

Registration Fee: $3.00

A Daffodil Study and show school consisting of three courses, one to be given each year for three years has been designed to teach the exhibitor as well as the potential judge how to grow, evaluate and properly exhibit his blooms. This is valuable information for all daffodil growers, whether or not they intend to become judges. Course # 1 is the first in a series of three to be held in the southeast region.

Sunday, March 30, 1958

10:00 A.M. Study of the divisions and sub-divisions of the daffodil as classified by the Royal Horticultural society — 1950

11:00 A.M. Elementary Culture of the daffodil. General characteristics of the daffodil; to include color, stem, form, pose, foliage, substance and texture, size and condition.

12:00 A.M. Lunch period — On your own

1:00 P.M. Identification of daffodils with point scoring, class participation.

2:00 P.M. Written examination and judging a small daffodil show.

’Tis we who be of simple mind
And work in gardens, always find
While bending o’er the lowly sod
The gifts and handiwork of God.

Grant E. Mitsch