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Eighth Annual Connecticut Daffodil Show

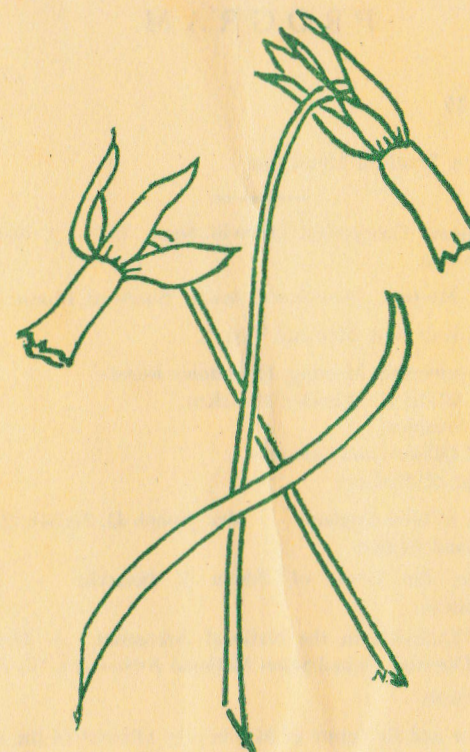
Co-Chairmen

Mrs. Harold G. Hencken

Mrs. Edmund P. Rogers, Jr.

DR. WILLIAM L. BROWN has grown daffodils for 20 years and has a special interest in polyploidy and its relationship to evolution in daffodils, both natural and under domestication. DR. FRANCIS de VOS is a graduate of the University of Massachusetts and Cornell University. He recently returned from an expedition to Nepal, collecting plants for the U. S. Arboretum and Longwood Gardens. ELIZABETH LAWRENCE—gardener, author, columnist and lecturer extraordinary—has not only a green thumb, but frequently a dirty one. A forthcoming book renews her epistolary association with the extensive woodland bulb plantings of Carl H. Krippendorf of Cincinnati. CARLTON LEES moved to Philadelphia in 1959 shortly after the ADS convention there. It must be more than a coincidence that he follows the ADS again by transferring to Boston on June 1 as Executive Secretary of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society and editor of *Horticulture*.

The Convention Committee gratefully acknowledges the generous services of the Men's Garden Club of New Haven in decorating the entry of the Stratford Motor Inn and the whole-hearted cooperation of the officers and members of the Greenwich Garden Club in presenting the Eighth Annual Connecticut Daffodil Show for the enjoyment of



EIGHTH ANNUAL MEETING

American Daffodil Society

Incorporated

April 25 - 28, 1963

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PROGRAM

Thursday — April 25

- 1:00 p.m. Registration, Stratford Motor Inn.
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- 2:00 p.m. Eighth Annual Connecticut Daffodil Show, Ekman Center, Tomac Avenue, Old Greenwich.
- 2:00 p.m. Directors' Meeting, Housatonic Room, Stratford Motor Inn.
- 6:00 p.m. Dinner on your own, Mermaid Tavern.
- 7:30 p.m. Annual Membership Meeting, Housatonic Room.
 Presiding: Willis H. Wheeler, President
 Report of President
 Election of Officers and Directors
 Amendment of By-Laws
- 8:00 p.m. "Welcome to New England" — Mrs. Joseph D. Nelson, Jr., Vice President, New England Region.
 "Skerryvore, the Estate of Edwin J. Beinecke" — Alfred Woodger, Superintendent.
 Address: "Daffodils in the National Arboretum" — Dr. Francis de Vos, Assistant Director, United States National Arboretum, Washington, D. C.
 Announcements.
- 9:45 p.m. Social Hour and Reception of Members by Officers of the American Daffodil Society

Friday — April 26

- 8:00 a.m. Registration, Stratford Motor Inn.
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- 9:00 a.m. Buses leave for Garden Tour to
- 10:00 a.m. 1. Eighth Annual Connecticut Daffodil Show, Ekman Center, Old Greenwich.
- 11:30 a.m. 2. Garden of Mr. and Mrs. Luke B. Lockwood, Indian Harbor, Greenwich.
- 12:30 p.m. 3. Basket Lunch at the Round Hill Community House.
- 1:30 p.m. 4. "Skerryvore," the Garden of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin J. Beinecke, Greenwich.
- 2:45 p.m. 5. Garden of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Weaver, Jr., Quaker Ridge, Greenwich.
- 3:45 p.m. 6. Garden of George S. Lee, Jr., New Canaan. Tea will be served.
- 7:00 p.m. Dinner, Guildhall, Stratford Motor Inn.
 Presiding: Dr. Tom D. Throckmorton
 Invocation: Willis H. Wheeler
 Address: "The Possibilities Offered the Daffodil by Current Plant Genetics."
 Dr. William Brown, Johnston, Iowa.
- 9:30 p.m. Informal showing of ADS slide collection by Prof. L. P. Mains, Chairman,

PROGRAM

Saturday — April 27

- 5:00 p.m. Guest Reservations for Social Hour and Banquet.
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- 8:00 a.m. Dutch Treat Breakfast for Regional Vice Presidents. Mermaid Tavern. Hostess: Mrs. Nelson. Guest: Miss Lawrence.
- 9:30 a.m. Choice of Three Group Meetings.
 1. Demonstration of Floral Photography and Startech Camera. Arthur P. Trimble. Moderator: Prof. L. P. Mains. Room A, Guildhall.
 2. Questions and Answers on Breeding. Dr. William Brown. Moderator: Mrs. George D. Watrous, Jr. Room B, Guildhall.
 3. "Decorative Uses of Daffodils Outdoors and in the House". Carlton B. Lees. Moderator: Mrs. H. Rowland Timms. Housatonic Room.
- 10:30 a.m. Choice of Three Group Meetings:
 Nos. 1 and 3 above will be repeated; No. 2 will continue to consider questions from the floor.
- 11:45 a.m. Leave in Members' Cars for Luncheon at Silvermine Tavern.
- 2:00 p.m. Membership meeting to consider and act upon certain proposals in regard to to miniature daffodils.
- 3:30 p.m. Demonstration of Judging Miniature Daffodils. Mrs. Goethe Link. Housatonic Room.
- 4:00 p.m. Meeting of New Board of Directors. Housatonic Room.
- 5:30 p.m. Social Hour. Housatonic Room.
- 6:30 p.m. Annual Banquet. Guildhall.
 Presiding: Willis H. Wheeler, President
 Invocation: Wells Knierim
 Awards
 Address: "Small Talk about Daffodils". Miss Elizabeth Lawrence, Charlotte, N.C.
 Announcements

Sunday — April 28

Daylight
 Saving Time

DAFFODIL STUDY and SHOW SCHOOL, COURSE III

- 9:30 a.m. Registration, Guildhall. Fee \$5.00. Examination open only to members of American Daffodil Society.
- 10:00 a.m. Selection of Material for Exhibiting in Shows. Miss Eleanor Hill.
- 11:00 a.m. Proper Staging of Cultural Specimens, Collections, and Displays. Miss Hill.
- 11:30 a.m. Judging Seedling Daffodils. Mrs. Goethe Link.
- 12:00 noon Complimentary Buffet Lunch.
- 1:00 p.m. Point Scoring of Specimen Blooms. Mrs. Link.
- 2:00 p.m. Written Examination and Identification of 50 Specimen Blooms as to Varietal Name and Division. One question of the examination will be taken from