

July 16, 1957

The regular meeting of the Upper Keys Garden Club was held at Redlands Fruit and Spice Park, after a guided tour through the grounds, where we were introduced to many varieties of tropical fruit trees from many parts of the world, and were given samples of same, both to eat and to raise from seed.

After a picnic lunch on the grounds, the meeting was called to order by President Carolyn Cohen.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer's Report was read and accepted — \$100.05 in the Book Fund, and \$120.17 in the General Fund, making a total of \$220.22.

Dues were paid by new member Ardinelle Duncan.

Carolyn Cohen and Lotte Uhe gave a report on the planting of more trees at Coral Shores School. They said that other planting had been done there by a non-member of the Garden Club, and that they went to Principal Charles Albury to complain. The planting of the school is supposed to be a project and responsibility of the Garden Club, and miscellaneous plantings would of course spoil the effect. Professor Albury said he would indeed take care of the situation. Most of our plants were thriving. A few had not had the proper care. This was also brought to Albury's attention.

The Secretary reported that she had written a letter of thanks to Harold Albury, who had contributed a tree.

Due to the hot weather, and the fact that so many would be on vacation in the summer months, a motion was made, seconded and passed to omit August and September meetings.

We discussed a pandanus weaving class to be held Tuesday mornings at the Spice Park. We agreed to enroll as many as possible into the class, so that we could learn pandanus weaving and make articles for the Christmas sale of plants. Registration

was made after the meeting, and we were introduced to our instructor, Mrs. Simone.

President Carolyn Cohen read us a fascintaing article on Water Hyacinths, published in Coronet magazine.

Meeting Adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Alida Tjader, Sec.