

Minutes of Regular Meeting held July 21st at the residence of Coriene Grant.

Roll Call : 13 members - 2 guest(Mrs.Frances Tracy).

Minutes were read & accepted.

Treasurer's Report: \$51.46 *1 new member*

Bills: None.

Business: The proposed library was discussed relative to the acquiring & pricing of subject books, Mrs. Shope offering to attempt to purchase wholesale. Two excellent books were agreed upon as a nucleus - Tropical Planting & Gardening (H.F. MacMillan) 400 Trees of South Florida (Dr. Lebin).

Correspondence: A thank you letter to Mr. Allen for ~~the~~ gift of his autographed book The Flamebird. /

A get well card was sent to Mrs. Cliff Carpenter, who has been ill.

Old Business: None.

Talk Subject: Guavas was the subject of a talk by Mrs. Scheffel. The 4 basic types (Apple, Pear, Lemon & Catley) may be grown in this climate - preferably in light sandy soil, Planted in the late spring ahead of the heavy rains. The small trees or shrubs produce their best fruit about late July. This fruit is used mostly in the mfg. of fruit preserves & jams, jellies and recently, ice cream novelties. No special cultivation or care is necessary and perhaps the largest crops grow wild.

Ajournment at 3.14 and refreshments were served.

The Next Meeting: At the residence of Mrs. Margaret Bond at Sunset Point and Mrs. Lett will talk on papaya ~~*****~~

Helen Cunningham, Sec.