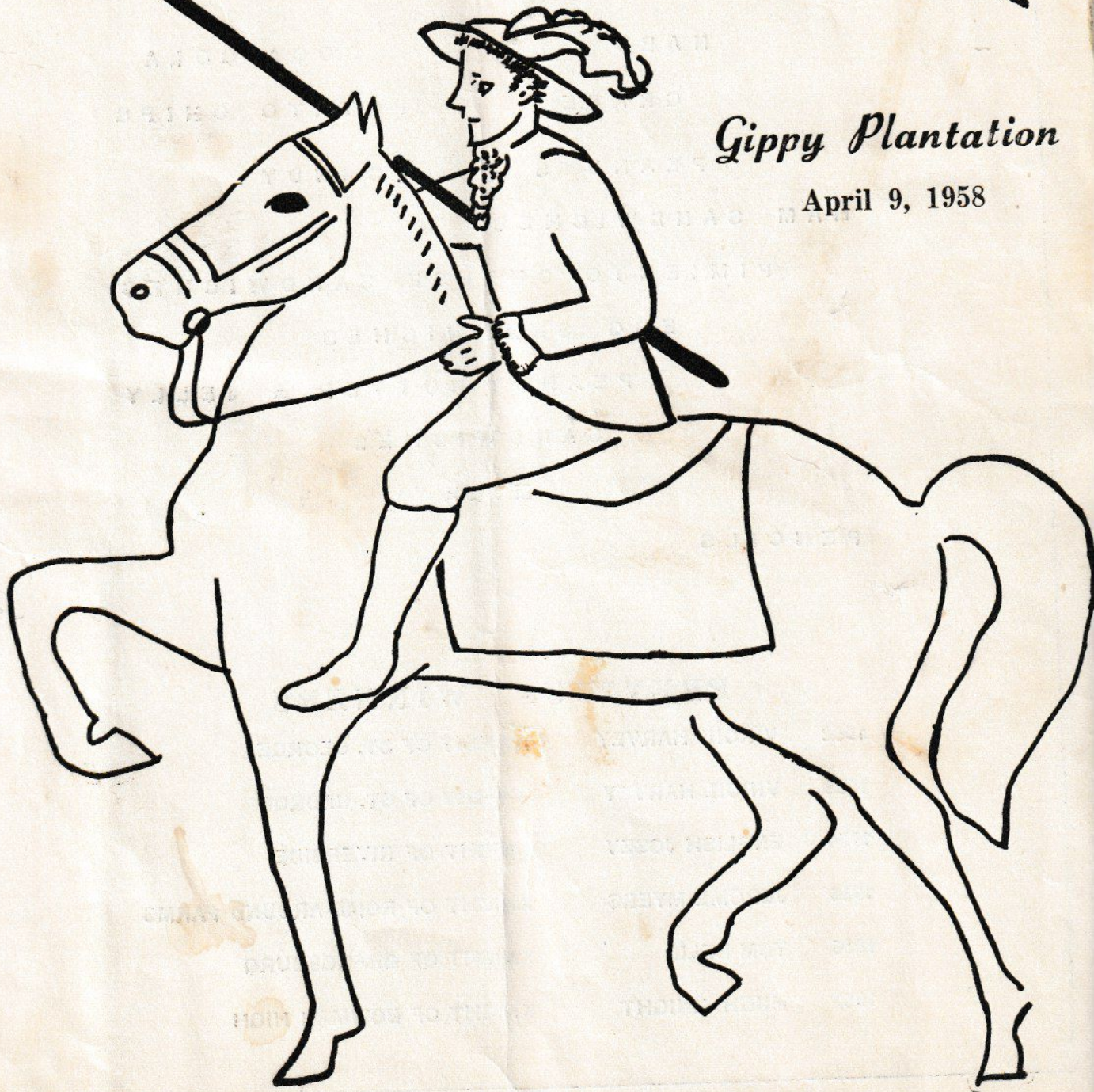


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# Lancing Tournament

*Gippy Plantation*

April 9, 1958





## REFRESHMENTS

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### CONCESSION STAND

CIGARETTES

ORANGE

NABS

COCA-COLA

GRAPE

POTATO CHIPS

PEANUTS

CANDY

HAM SANDWICHES

PIMIENTO CHEESE SANDWICHES

EGG SANDWICHES

PEANUT BUTTER & JELLY

SANDWICHES

MILK

PENCILS

### PREVIOUS WINNERS

1952	VIRGIL HARVEY	KNIGHT OF ST. GEORGE
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1954	ENGLISH JOSEY	KNIGHT OF RIVERSIDE
1955	JEROME MYERS	KNIGHT OF ROME-AROUND FARMS
1956	TOM BELL	KNIGHT OF ORANGEBURG
1957	HUGH KNIGHT	KNIGHT OF BOWMAN HIGH



## ORDER OF EVENTS

1. Drums and Buglers bring Knights on field, forming aisle for Ladies and Maids to Float.
  2. Flags
  3. Band Theme Song: ARE YOU FROM DIXIE?
  4. Yankee Doodle — Ken Fansher
  5. Gen. Frances Marion's Scout — Rembert Dennis Jr.
  6. Lord Berkeley — The Honorable Markley Dennis of Pinopolis.
  7. Gen. and Mrs. Marion — Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gaillard of Numertia Plantation
  8. Gen. and Mrs. Wm. Moultrie and Lady Berkeley — Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Lacey of Pinopolis (Dr. Lacey is the eighth great grandson of General Wm. Moultrie). Lady Berkeley — Mrs. Markley Dennis
  9. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Monck — Mr. and Mrs. Philip Morgan and John Morgan, Jr., Pinopolis
  10. Gov. and Mrs. Thomas Broughton — Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hoyt of Mulberry Plantation (Mulberry was home of Thomas Broughton)
  11. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Laurens — Dr. and Mrs. Robert Solomon
  12. Musical Interlude
  13. Charge to Knights — Lord Berkeley
  14. Lancing
  15. Musical Interlude and Musical Specialty by Berkeley High School Band under direction of Ervin S. Thompson
  16. Run-off of ties
  17. Musical Chairs
  18. Lord Berkeley escorting General Mark Clark to Queen's Float
  19. Crowning of Queen and Presentation of Prizes — General Clark
- MAIDS OF HONOR: Linda Murray, Linda Volf, Betty Jean Wiley, Dale Thomason, Kathy Keys, Zee Morgan, Suzanne Parker, Thomas Ann Harvey, Alice Cooper, Adah Dennis, Mary Jane Sally, Mike Watson, Joan Williams, Judy Young, Julie Rudloff, Betty Roach, Hope Franklin, Tootsie Dennis, Angela Williams, Sandra Henderson.
- ANNOUNCERS: Mr. J. P. Marvin and Mrs. John Harvey
- OFFICIAL TIMEKEEPERS: G. Simms McDowell and Ashton Boynton, Sr.
- RING HANGERS: Marion Peagler, Chm.
- PROGRAMS: Mrs. Gene Harper, Miss Camilla Bishop, Mrs. R. H. Sloan



## HISTORY OF PINOPOLIS

The village of Pinopolis was settled in 1832 as a place of summer residence for the plantation owners of this area.

Most of the plantations were either situated on the nearby Cooper River or on the rich low lands surrounding Pinopolis. It was soon found that during the hot summer months malaria was a scourge on these plantations, so the owners decided to build airy summer houses on the high, sandy pine ridge which was free of this malady.

The name Pinopolis, which means "little city in the pines", was given to this village as it has been famous for several hundred years for its virgin growth of beautiful long leaf pines.

Many of the original plantations are now under the waters of Lake Moultrie so that Pinopolis has now become a place of year-round homes. Many new houses have been built in the past few years for, besides its well-known salubrious climate, there has been added the pleasures and beauty of Lake Moultrie which surrounds it on three sides.

## HISTORY OF MONCK'S CORNER

Old Moncks Corner was situated at the point where the road from Stony Landing to the Congaree section crossed the road leading from Charleston across Biggin Swamp and Wadboo Creek to Strawberry Ferry on Cooper River and to Murray's Ferry on Santee River. Therefore it was located on two important thoroughfares and was quite a trading center for many years. The town was really the "port" for river traffic to Stony Landing, the head of navigation, and several Charleston merchants had stores at the "Corner."

Thomas Monck, an English gentleman, owned the plantation at the point where the two roads crossed; hence the name "Moncks Corner."

The name of the plantation owned by Thomas Monck was Mitton and was purchased by him on April 22nd, 1735, the deed calling for 1,000 acres.

According to the S. C. Gazette of Jan. 15th, 1732: Thomas Monck was married at Mulberry on Jan. 6th, 1732, to Johanna Broughton, a "daughter of Col. Thomas Broughton, President of his Majesty's Council for this province, a young lady of merit and fortune; at which ceremony were present, his Excellency the Governor, his lady and several other persons of distinction."

The coat of arms of Thomas Monck, engraved on a piece of silver in possession of the Dawson family of Charleston, shows him to have belonged to the Monck family of Caenby, England, these arms being the same as those shown by Burke's "English Peerage" as belonging to that family.

During the Colonial period there were frequent notices in the S. C. Gazette of the review of the "Berkeley County regiment of foot" at "Moncks Corner," one at least as early as 1751.

During the American Revolution there was an engagement at Moncks Corner April 12th, 1780; Another engagement at Moncks Corner, June 24th, 1781. Col. Postell and party of partisans raided British at Manigault's Ferry and Moncks Corner, capturing supplies.

Also in the records is the following statement: Capture of Fairlawn, Nov. 27th, 1781. Americans 380, under Colonels Shelby and Maham, captured garrison and valuable supplies.

The section of country within a radius of Moncks Corner is rich in historical interest and association; and was, from its early days, noted for its culture, refinement and hospitality.

The whole low-country for years exercised, politically and socially, an influence far out of proportion to its population.

There were in early days at Moncks Corner besides its store, three or four well kept taverns where planter after selling his crop would dine and if need be, spend the night before returning home to his plant



## IVANHOES RIDE AGAIN

The ancient sport of jousting has been revived by the Pinopolis Lancing Association which was organized in 1951 with Harold Harvey, Jr. as president. The Association Annual Tournament is held always on the first Wednesday after Easter at two-thirty o'clock at Gippy Plantation, the colonial home of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Roosevelt, Moncks Corner, Berkeley County.

The sport of Lancing in Berkeley County has a long tradition, for as early as 1851 there is a letter from the wife of one of the plantation owners to her father in Philadelphia describing in detail the pageantry, beautiful horses and fine riding that she had witnessed at a Lancing Tournament in Berkeley County. In addition to the Lancing there are several added attractions, among them a musical chair race on horseback.

The historic personages who are taking part in the parade and pageantry are as follows:

LORD BERKELEY (on horseback) who represents the original Lord Berkeley, one of the Eight Lords Proprietors to whom in 1662, Charles II of England presented the land known as Carolina.

MR. AND MRS. THOMAS MONCK: For whom the town of Moncks Corner was named in 1732.

GENERAL AND MRS. FRANCIS MARION: The famous "Swamp Fox"

GENERAL AND MRS. WILLIAM MOULTRIE — of Revolutionary fame

GOVERNOR AND MRS. BROUGHTON — who built nearby Mulberry Castle in 1714.

MR. AND MRS. HENRY LAURENS — Lived at Mepkin Plantation. Mr. Laurens was a most successful rice planter, merchant, and able statesman. Successively he was President of the Council of Safety of South Carolina and President of the First Provincial Congress. In 1779 he was appointed Commissioner to Holland to negotiate a loan for the United States. He was captured at sea by a British Ship and thrown into the Tower of London as a traitor. He remained a prisoner for two years. At the end of the war he was one of the peace commissioners at Paris. In 1784, he returned to Mepkin and lived there the remainder of his life. There he died, was cremated, and buried.

Gippy Plantation was originally a part of the Fairlawn Barony granted to Sir Peter Colleton by the Lords Proprietors in 1679. This tract comprised 16,000 acres and included all of the plantations now known as Stony Landing, Gippy, Lewisfield, Exeter, Oak Hill, Mulberry Castle, South Mulberry, Harry Hill and probably the present town of Moncks Corner.

The first house at Gippy was burned and the present house was built about 1852. This house was remodeled and added to in 1927 by the present owners, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Roosevelt.

The plantation house at Gippy is NOT open to the public at this time but refreshments can be had on the grounds and two miles distant at the town of Moncks Corner there are several excellent Motels and Restaurants with rest room facilities.

The proceeds from the gate admissions are used for the beautification of the village of Pinopolls, with ten percent of the profits going to the three village churches.



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