

# *Twin City Iris Society*

## NEWS & VIEWS

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This is the only News & Views to be published this summer so we have a lot to cover — Show Report — Auction — Test Garden — So Read carefully so you will know all the activities going on this summer.

The show — considering the adverse weather conditions — was a success and while the quantity of blooms fell down, the quality was very good — never have we had a better Court of Honor. Urban Ipsen, show chairman, deserves a big thanks from the whole society for all his efforts and thanks, too, to all those who worked, who brought specimens, and to the judges — for without all these no show could ever be held.

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The auction will be held Thursday, August 9, 1962, 7:30 P.M., at Apache Plaza. Apache Plaza is a shopping center in Columbia Heights and is at Silver Lake Road and 37th Ave. N.E. This is always a most exciting occasion and is the time when you can get those iris you want at greatly reduced prices. Those of you who won ribbons at the show have certificates to be used as cash for rhizomes at the auction. All of you will find this is a wonderful chance to get your "wants". We always have a good supply of rhizomes with many of the newer and better varieties.

Let's publicize our auction and make it a great success. This year especially we need to make this one money-making project of the year a success — tell all your friends & neighbors — better yet — bring them !!!

We would appreciate donations of your excess rhizomes and other plant material. Last year we could have sold many more collections if we had had enough of the lower priced varieties, so please donate those you don't need. Be sure you know the name and label carefully.

Those who have rhizomes to donate but cannot attend the auction may bring or send the rhizomes to Mr. Gable at 2543 38th Ave. S., Minneapolis, anytime prior to the auction. If you bring rhizomes direct to the auction, please label with the name of variety and retail price and color, if possible.

Coffee and refreshments will be served — so come, bring yourselves, your money, your friends and your excess rhizomes !!!!

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All of those who knew her so well were greatly saddened by the death of Mrs. J. S. Taylor of St. Paul after a short illness. She was one of our charter members and was always so warm and friendly, so willing to do anything asked to help the Society. She was a wonderful person, loyal, friendly and helpful in every way — we will miss her greatly. Our deepest sympathy goes to Mr. Taylor and Pat.

### PRESIDENT'S LETTER

My letter for this month will deal with the practical side of progress, and with two announcements that appear elsewhere in this issue. Our society has enjoyed a year of great activity. We brought in Mr. Fay for our memorable February meeting. We acquired the nucleus of material for both our library and our slide collection. We made a substantial contribution to the Minnesota Landscape Arboretum. We put on another highly successful show in spite of weather conditions that hampered many of our exhibitors. Now comes the announcement of our latest activity, our test garden.

President's Letter, cont'd

Your officers and directors believe that this project marks a major step forward for the society. For the first time, it will bring together in one place the best fruits of our individual and collective hybridizing efforts so that they can be viewed and evaluated without the necessity of driving many miles and visiting numerous gardens. We hope that all members will take full advantage of the opportunities it offers.

However, progress always has a price tag attached to it, and this leads me to another announcement appearing in this issue — that of our forthcoming auction. This is our principal source of income. Our dues have always been held to a minimum so that nobody will be excluded from the society for financial reasons. As a result the dues fall far short of our expenses, and we have to depend on the auction to make up the deficit. Our auction chairman assures me that we will have plenty of good rhizomes to sell, so the only remaining requirement is a good supply of customers. In addition to the fun of bidding, there are always many good bargains available at these events, and we have no objections whatever to sharing these benefits with outsiders. Here is where every member can help the society in a very material way. Won't you please start spreading the word around now, and then plan to attend the auction and bring your friends?

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TEST GARDEN — Another step upward!! Our Iris Society has decided that a Test Garden where all members could bring their seedlings to be evaluated and tested was in logical sequence to the interest in hybridizing. Carol Lankow tells you about it. To be a success, this must have the cooperation of the whole membership!!

The Twin City Iris Society Test Garden is officially in business! Thanks to Mr. & Mrs. Rudser, who are providing the ground and keeping the records, the members of the society may now display their "iris children" for all the world to see. Bring several dozen, if you are fortunate enough to have that many.

You are asked to submit two rhizomes of each variety to be tried. Naturally, the seedlings remain the sole property of their owners. Planting time this year is between July 15 and August 15 and you are asked to call the Rudseres to let them know when you are coming. The number is LI.5-5330.

The garden represents a lot of work on the part of Mrs. Bakke and her cohorts over the past months and is an accomplishment of which they can be very proud. With the concern and support of all the members, it will surely be a source of great satisfaction to us all.

... Carol Lankow  
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MEMBERSHIP NOTES

We wish to thank each Hostess who helped at the Iris Show. You were so wonderful.

We are happy to welcome so many new members into the Society. We do hope to see each of you at the Iris Auction to be held at Apache Plaza, Aug. 9. Come, take advantage of the extremely low prices to start your collections.

Alice Bakke is a one-member "Whirl Wind" at recruiting new members...Thirteen to date, and I'm sure she isn't stopping yet.

We wish to welcome each of these individually; some are new - some are renewing old memberships:

Mrs. Ernest Mutterer  
801 Rhode Island Ave.No.  
Minneapolis 27, Minn.

Gertrude Drohan  
4704 Golf Terrace  
Minneapolis 24, Minn.

Mrs. Martin (Betty) Blume  
3153 Kentucky Ave.  
St.Louis Park, Minn.

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Mrs. Paul Farka Route 3 West Concord, Minn.	Arthur E. O'Neil 5000 Fremont Ave. No. Minneapolis 12, Minn.	Mrs. Ilamae Jacobson, Richard, Terry, 316A Trenton Lane, Jay & Dawn. Minneapolis 27, Minn.
Mr. Joe Meyer 309 Grove Place Hopkins, Minn.	Shirley E. Reilly 1405 Como Ave. S.E. Minneapolis 14, Minn.	Mr. & Mrs. C.C. Klapotz Route 1 Wayzata, Minn.
James R. Ketchum 16211 Tonka Lane Wayzata, Minn.	Mr. & Mrs. Gilman Storlie 27 Hanley Road Minneapolis 26, Minn.	Mrs. Marvin Gisvold & Judy 1005 Quebec Ave. No. Minneapolis 27, Minn.
Mr. & Mrs. W.S. Sink 4021 Perry Ave. No. Robbinsdale, Minn.	Mr. E. C. Wilkins Battle Lake, Minnesota	Mrs. H. Popken 4614 Queen Ave. No. Minneapolis 12, Minn.
Mr. Raymond Peterson 1842 N. McKnight Rd. North St. Paul, Minn.	Elmer Cipera 5800 Olinger Rd. Mpls. 24, Minn.	G. A. Lundquist 2009 Polk St. NE Mpls. 18, Minn.
		Mrs. K. W. Fisher 2208 Wentworth South St. Paul, Minn.

### OFFICIAL SHOW REPORT

1962

Queen of the Show: Best Specimen Stalk — Celestial Snow — Ben Haeg

Princess: Blue Sapphire — W. G. Sindt

Princess: Garden Gold — C. Sacco

### COURT OF HONOR

White:	Celestial Snow	Ben Haeg
Blue:	Melissa	Ben Haeg
Plicata:	Pink Accent	G. B. Gable
Violet:	Violet Ruffles	Ben Haeg
Red:	Bang	G. B. Gable
Blend:	Inca Chief	Donald Barck
Yellow:	Garden Gold	C. Sacco
Bicolor:	Queen's Taste	Klapotz Gardens
Pink:	Lynn Hall	E. Cipera
Oncobred:	Darlene Waters	G. F. Hanson
Champion Seedling: 60-1		
	Chivalry & Blue Rythm	Bakke and Messer
Champion Arrangement:		Charlotte E. Sindt

### Section I - Open Class

101.	1st	Celestial Snow	Ben Haeg	105.	1st	Black Mischief	Gable Iris Gdns.
	2nd	Wedding Bouquet	Klapotz Gardens		2nd	Deys Black	Ben Haeg
	3rd	Snow Goddess	Gable Iris Gardens		3rd	Black Hills	Klapotz Gardens
102.	1st	Pink Accent	Gable Iris Gardens	106.	1st	Queen's Taste	Klapotz Gardens
	2nd	Bazaar	Gable Iris Gardens		2nd	Queen's Taste	Gable Iris Gdns.
	3rd	Unicorn	Klapotz Gardens		3rd	Maytime	Klapotz Gardens
103.	No entries			107.	1st	Mission Rose	Gable Iris Gdns.
104.	1st	Violet Ruffles	Ben Haeg		2nd	Cordolon	"
	2nd	Helen McCaughey	Foss Iris Gardens	108.	1st	Eleanor's Pride	Ben Haeg
	3rd	First Violet	Klapotz Gardens		2nd	Celestial Blue	Foss Iris Gdns.
					3rd	Eleanor's Pride	Klapotz Gardens

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109.	1st	Melissa	Ben Haeg	121.	1st	Azurite	Klapotz Gardens
	2nd	Chivalry	Gable Iris Gardens		2nd	--	
	3rd	Harbor Blue	Klapotz Gardens		3rd	--	
110.	1st	Bellerive	Foss Iris Gardens	122.	1st	Lake of the Isles-	Foss Iris Garder
	2nd	Sunray	Gable Iris Gardens		2nd	--	
	3rd	Desert Song	Gable Iris Gardens		3rd	--	
111.	1st	Solid Gold	Klapotz Gardens	123.	1st	3 varieties white -	Gable Iris Gardens
	2nd	none			2nd	--	
	3rd	none			3rd	--	
112.	1st	--		124.	1st	3 varieties violet -	Gable Iris Gardens
	2nd	Fire Dance	Gable Iris Gardens		2nd	--	
	3rd	--			3rd	--	
113.	1st	Starshine	Klapotz Gardens	125.	1st	3 varieties blue -	Gable Iris Gardens
	2nd	Mystic Melody	Klapotz Gardens		2nd	--	
	3rd	Golden Garland	Gable Iris Gardens		3rd	--	
114.	1st	none		126.	1st	3 varieties yellow-	Gable Iris Gardens
	2nd	Accent	Klapotz Gardens		2nd	--	
	3rd	none			3rd	--	
115.	1st	none		127.	1st	3 varieties pink -	Gable Iris Gardens
	2.	Chamois	Gable Iris Gardens		2nd	--	
	3.	Charmaize	Klapotz Gardens		3rd	--	
116.	1st	--		128.	No entries		
	2nd	Thotmes III	Klapotz Gardens	129.	1st	Plicatas	Gable Iris Gardens
	3rd	Sunset Blaze	Gable Iris Gardens		2nd	--	
117.	1st	Lynn Hall	Stover Gardens		3rd	--	
	2nd	Lynn Hall	Gable Iris Gardens	130.	No entries		
	3rd	Cathedral Bells	Klapotz Gardens	131.	1st	Blends	Gable Iris Gardens
118.	1st	Rose Garland	Gable Iris Gardens		2nd	"	Gable Iris Gardens
	2nd	--		132.	1st	Oncobreds	Gable Iris Gardens
	3rd	--			2nd	"	Gable Iris Gardens
119.	1st	Bang	Gable Iris Gardens	133.	Collection of 25 varieties		
	2nd	Caldron	Gable Iris Gardens		1st	Stover Gardens	
	3rd	Caldron	Klapotz Gardens		2nd	Foss Iris Gardens	
120.	1st	Elmohr	Gable Iris Gardens				
	2nd	--					
	3rd	--					

Section II - Advanced Amateur

201.	1st	Late Snow	W. G. Sindt	204.	1st	Violet Symphony	Urban Ipsen
	2nd	Cliffs of Dover	Urban Ipsen		2nd	May Magic	G. F. Hanson
	3rd	Tranquility	G. F. Hanson		3rd	Violet Harmony	C. L. Anderson
202.	1st	Rosy Veil	Urban Ipsen	205.	1st	Black Diamond	Mrs. D. C. Messer
	2nd	Patrice	G. F. Hanson		2nd	Sable Night	M. E. Dale
	3rd	Blue Shimmer	Urban Ipsen		3rd	Sable Night	C. L. Anderson
203.	1st	Pinnacle	G. F. Hanson	206.	1st	Majorette	Urban Ipsen
	2nd	Pinnacle	Urban Ipsen		2nd	Majorette	Mrs. O. A. Bakke
	3rd	Wabash	Mr/Mrs H. Van Buskirk		3rd	Majorette	M. E. Dale



207. 1st None  
2nd Tea Rose C. L. Anderson  
3rd Lullaby G. F. Hanson
208. 1st Blue Sapphire W. G. Sindt  
2nd Blue Sapphire G. F. Hanson  
3rd Jane Phillips Elmer Cipera
209. 1st Black Hills Mrs. O.A. Bakke  
2nd Janice Urban Ipsen  
3rd Chivalry G.A. Lundquist
210. 1st Bellerive Urban Ipsen  
2nd Bellerive C. L. Anderson  
3rd Spun Gold C. L. Anderson
211. 1st Solid Gold W. G. Sindt  
2nd Golden Sunshine-G.F. Hanson  
3rd " " Mrs.K.W.Fisher
212. 1st Fire Dance G. A. Lundquist  
2nd Royal Scot Jack Kupka  
3rd Tiffany Mrs.O.A.Bakke
213. 1st None  
2nd Leading Lady Urban Ipsen  
3rd Lady Louise G. F. Hanson
214. 1st Viveza G. F. Hanson  
2nd & 3rd - None
215. 1st Inca Chief Donald Barck  
2nd Inca Chief G. F. Hanson  
3rd Inca Chief Mrs.O.A.Bakke
216. 1st None  
2nd Midcontinent G. A. Lundquist  
3rd --
217. 1st Lynn Hall Elmer Cipera  
2nd May Hall G. F. Hanson  
3rd Happy Birthday - Jack Kupka
218. None
219. 1st Pacemaker M.E.Dale  
2nd Pacemaker Urban Ipsen  
3rd --
220. 1st Darlene Waters-G.F.Hanson  
2nd Mohrloff Urban Ipsen  
3rd Mohrloff Pat Wysocky

221. 1st Aquatennial Queen - Urban Ipsen  
2nd Cibola W. G. Sindt  
3rd --
222. 1st Aquatennial Queen - Urban Ipsen  
2nd Aquatennial Queen - Mrs.D.C.Messer  
3rd Bogatelle Pat Wysocky
223. 1st 3 whites Mrs.O.A.Bakke  
2nd " Urban Ipsen
224. No entries
225. 1st Blues Mrs.O.A.Bakke
226. 1st Yellows W. G. Sindt  
2nd " Mrs.O.A.Bakke
227. 1st Pinks Mrs.O.A.Bakke
228. 1st Reds G. F. Hanson  
2nd " Jack Kupka
229. 1st Plicatas Urban Ipsen  
2nd " W. G. Sindt  
3rd " Jack Kupka
230. Bicolors - None
231. Blends - None
232. 1st Oncobreds W. G. Sindt  
2nd " W. G. Sindt
233. 1st Eight Varieties W. G. Sindt  
2nd " " Urban Ipsen

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Section III - Novice Amateur

305. 1st Lynn Hall Lou Ann Cipera  
2nd Cloud Cap C. Sacco  
3rd Top Flight Lou Ann Cipera
306. 1st None  
2nd Old Maghouey J.P.Withrow  
3rd none

301. 1st Celestial Snow Lou Ann Cipera  
2nd Celestial Snow C. Sacco  
3rd Cliffs of Dover C. Schoene
302. 1st Inspiration J.P.Withrow  
2nd Vice Regal Lou Ann Cipera  
3rd Sable Gene H. Olivia
303. 1st Chivalry J.P.Withrow  
2nd Jane Phillips Lou Ann Cipera  
3rd Blue Valley Mrs.Slonine
304. 1st Garden Gold C.Sacco  
2nd Solid Gold Lou Ann Cipera  
3rd Orange Gem Mary Haertzen
307. 1st Lela Dixon Lou Ann Cipera  
2nd Blue Shimmer Gene H. Olivia  
3rd Blue Shimmer Walter Carlock
308. 1st Queen's Taste Lou Ann Cipera  
2nd Pinnacle Lou Ann Cipera  
3rd Wabash J.P.Withrow

309.	1st	Inca Chief	Lou Ann Cipera
	2nd	Cordolon	C. Sacco
	3rd	Christabel	Mrs. Walter Johnson
310.	1st	Lady Mohr	J. P. Withrow
	2nd	Lady Mohr	Gene H. Olivia
	3rd	Oromohr	Walter Carlock
311.	1st	Collection	J. P. Withrow

#### Section IV - Juniors

401.	1st	Dreamy	Carol Wright
	2nd	White City	Charles Rudser
	3rd	Winter Carnival	- Donald Rudser
402.	1st	Sable	Andrea Lankow
	2nd		Gloria Ann Dale
	3rd	Black Forest	Terry Jacobson
403.	1st	Blue Sapphire	Ricky Anderson
404.	1st	Bellerive	Ricky Anderson
	2nd	Cloth of Gold	Lisa Wysocky
	3rd	Mattie Gates	Donald Rudser
405.	1st	None	
	2nd	Pink Sensation	Terry Jacobson
	3rd	Pikes Peak Pink	- Ricky Anderson
406.	1st	None	
	2nd	None	
	3rd	Display	Ricky Anderson
407.	1st	Minnie Colquitt	- Andrea Lankow
	2nd	Blue Shimmer	Ricky Anderson
	3rd	Tiffany	M. E. Dale, Jr.
408.	1st	Lady Mohr	Terry Jacobson
	2nd	None	
	3rd	None	
409.	1st	---	
	2nd		Lisa Wysocky
	3rd		Ricky Anderson
410.	1st	Felicia	
411.	1st	Ricky Anderson	

#### Section V

501A	No entries
501B	Seedlings
1st	Chivalry x Blue Rhythm— Mrs. O. A. Bakke & Mrs. D. C. Messer
2nd	Truly Yours x Carmela - Maybelle Wright
3rd	Fluta x Lynn Hall - Maybelle Wright
4th	? Buff blend K. W. Fisher

502A	- Siberians
1st	Snowy Egret G. B. Gable
2nd	unnamed Pat Wysocky
502B	- Others
1st	Oncocyclus W. G. Sindt

#### Artistic Class

Class I	- Under the Sea
1st	Mrs. K. W. Fisher - Reserve Champion
2nd	Mrs. Steve Bogata
3rd	David B. Sindt
II.	By the Sea
1st	Mrs. K. W. Fisher
2nd	David B. Sindt
III.	Beneath the Ground
1st	Mrs. K. W. Fisher
2nd	Charlotte E. Sindt
IV.	On the Earth
1st	Mrs. K. W. Fisher
2nd	Terry Jacobson
3rd	Charlotte E. Sindt
V.	In the Air
1st	Mrs. K. W. Fisher
2nd	--
3rd	Mrs. H. D. Van Buskirk
VI.	The Stars Above
1st	Charlotte E. Sindt - <u>Champion</u>
1st	Mrs. K. W. Fisher
VII.	On the Moon
1st	David B. Sindt
2nd	--
3rd	Mrs. H. D. Van Buskirk
VIII.	Out in Space
1st	David B. Sindt
2nd	Mrs. K. W. Fisher
3rd	Alice L. Berry