

THE YEAR IS 1955

The theme of the floral carpet appears to be a benefit for flood victims.



The photo is provided courtesy of the collection of Mrs Daisy Armstrong/Mr Phil Prentis/Mrs Olga Webster.
*This is the first year that we have photographic records of the Floral carpets.
The photo was taken at the March Flower Show.*

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The Nambour Chronical reports on **11th March** under the heading of:

Dahlia Floral Carpet Exquisite Displays at Maleny

At the Dahlia Show in Maleny on Friday last, **the exhibit that commended admiration was the exquisite carpet which was exceedingly prominent in the floral display that captured the appreciation of a large number of patrons in the Soldiers Hall.** The hall was typical of a fairy bower with the numerous entries artistically set out. A floral carpet was composed entirely of dahlias of most captivating hues...a really magnificent piece of decoration combined with artistry in every particular. Stalls reflected high credit on all responsible for each section. Entries were donated for sale and the proceeds enormously augmented the funds.

There were 13 classes judged in Dahlias with the Patrons trophy (arrangement of dahlias, Champion dahlia in each variety of show) was won by Mrs A. Lockwood with Mrs W. Bergann being second. There were 9 classes for other flowers, including roses, with the Champion trophy awarded to Mrs A. Lockwood. Then there were the arrangements, 15 classes in total, troughs, miniature vases, wall vases, decorated saucers, float bowls, floral tray, floral wall, wall pictures, just to name some.

There were 7 classes in vegetables judged.