

THE YEAR IS 1954

NO PHOTOGRAPHIC RECORD OF THE FLORAL CARPET DISCOVERED

OFFICE BEARERS elected at AGM September 1953 to serve until AGM September 1954

Patron	Mr J H Skerman
President	Mr A Lockwood
Vice President	Mrs W Bergann
Secretary	Mr R C Burnett
Treasurer	Mr A Webster

February 12th Nambour Chronical records

CWA Meeting: "They will also assist the Horticultural Society to prepare for the Floral show in March".

February 19th The Society had put an article in the Nambour Chronical & North Coast Advertiser confirming "there were 64 present at the February meeting of the Maleny and District Horticultural Society, held at the residence of Mr and Mrs Bergann, Witta. A very interesting lecture was given by Mr A V Perrott of Brisbane on the cultivation of sweet peas."

Arrangements were made to hold a Dahlia Show on March 26th. **One of the main attractions will be a floral carpet to consist solely of Dahlias.**

The Nambour Chronical follows up the Dahlia Show in a report dated **April 9th**.

Dahlia Carpet at Flower Show Maleny Horticultural Society.

Sponsored by the Maleny Horticultural Society. And assisted by the CWA and Auxiliary members, the dahlia show and fete on Friday last was most successful.

Highlight of the show was the dahlia carpet in the centre of the hall. All entries were a credit to exhibitors. Nett proceeds £95/15/-

1954 is the first year that any photographic records exist within the Society. They take the form of several photographs and show a group of Society members together. Other photos are of a picnic.

The photos were from the album kept by the Society and noted a donation courtesy of Daisy Armstrong. Daisy Armstrong lived at Pattermore House from 1969 until 1995, It is thought that the photos were originally from an album created by Phil Prentis.



A Group of Society Members

*From left to right:
Rixon Burnett, Aubrey Bergann,
Phil Prentis, Alan Lockwood.*

*Thought to have been taken in
Aubrey Bergann's garden
because of the rose bush behind.*