The Other Florida

The Southern Garden History Society

Goodwood
Tallahassee, Florida
March 21-23, 1997
Southern Garden History Society
15th Annual Meeting

The Program

Friday, March 21

8:00 - 12:00  Registration: Courtyard by Marriott Lobby (Hourly buses from: Marriott & Quality Inn)
8:30 - 12:00  Capitol Complex—Independent Tour
12:00 - 1:00  Lunch on your own
1:00 - 3:00  Opening Session - R. A. Gray Building (directly behind Capital Building)

Welcome
Larry Paarlberg, Director,
Margaret E. Wilson Foundation (Goodwood), Tallahassee

Early-Gardening in “The Other Florida”
Kay Williams, Landscape Architecture,
University of Florida, Gainesville

History and Restoration of Goodwood
Larry Paarlberg

3:00  Buses depart for Goodwood
3:15 - 4:30  Tour of Goodwood
4:30  Buses depart for the Tallahassee Museum of History and Natural Science
5:00 - 6:30  Reception
6:30  Buses return to hotels
Evening on your own

Saturday, March 22

8:00  Buses depart hotels for R. A. Gray Building
8:30  Continental breakfast at the Gray Building
9:00 - 10:45  Vernacular Gardens of Rural Florida
Riley Blitch, President, Garden Gate Nursery, Gainesville
The Red Hills Region: A Unique Landscape
Kevin McGorty, Director, Red Hills Conservation Program for Tall Timbers
Research Station, Tallahassee

10:45  Buses depart for lunch at J.B.’s BBQ

12:00 - 5:00  Garden Tours

   Box Hail, Thomasville, Georgia
   Millpond, Thomasville
   Horseshoe, Tallahassee

   Alfred B. Maclay State Gardens, Tallahassee

5:15 - 6:15  Buses return to the hotels - free time

6:15  Buses depart for Goodwood

6:30 - 7:30  Cocktails - Business meeting

7:30 - 9:30  Buffet dinner in the Goodwood Garden
   Speaker: Bailey White, author and National Public Radio commentator

9:30  Buses return to hotels

Sunday, March 23

8:00  Buses depart hotels for R. A. Gray Building

8:30  Continental breakfast at the Gray Building

9:00 - 10:50  Essence and Intent of a Garden Design: Keeping the Faith
   David Price, Director of Horticulture.
   Bok Tower Gardens, Lake Wales

   A Public Garden and the Community Outreach
   Robert Bowden, Director
   Harry P. Leu Gardens, Orlando

11:00  Buses depart R. A. Gray Building

11:30 - 12:00  Weluane Plantation

12:15  Buses depart for Wakulla Springs State Park

1:00 - 2:30  Picnic lunch followed by a boat ride on the Wakulla River

3:00  Buses depart Wakulla Springs and return to hotels by 3:30