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The Salisbury Gardens and Greenhouses

AN ILLUSTRATED TALK BY JAMES A. WELU,

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THEATRE, TOWER HILL BOTANIC GARDEN

Standing on Highland Street, the 1772 Salisbury Mansion and the 1838 Salisbury House are surrounded today by a large asphalt parking lot. Of course, this was not always the case. Gardens and greenhouses once graced the grounds of the Salisbury House, which stood alone on this site until 1929, when the Salisbury Mansion was moved here from its original location at Lincoln Square. Period photographs, many taken by Frederick Coulson, the gardener's son, will bring to life late-19th century floriculture on the Salisbury estate – during its occupancy by Stephen Salisbury III.

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