



# The Drawing Room

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## Stay in the shade

Here's an image which will test your shading skills. I suggest you concentrate on a small area of the image before tackling the full image. It will be time consuming but the finished result will be well worth the effort. Once you have mastered the tonal ranges try scaling up to an A3 size for maximum effect.



A plant with the most beautifully sculptured leaves.

*Boophone haemanthoides* is a summer-flowering geophyte growing up to 500 mm tall. It looks very much like a primitive plant with at least two thirds of its massive scaly bulb visible above ground. Some of the largest bulbs can be more than a hundred years old!



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