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EVER SINCE.



Virginia—I suppose you and Harry have been thrown together a good deal lately?

Grace—Yes; ever since he got his new automobile.

The Test of Time.

Benjamin Haggood Burt and U. S. Epperson of Kansas City were motoring in Long Island the other day and stopped at Evan's hotel in Douglaston. They ordered large quantities of raw oysters, some of which were thrown aside by the oyster opener.

"How do you determine when an oyster is bad?" asked Epperson.

"You wait a short time and if you have ptomaine poisoning the oysters were bad," said Mr. Burt. "If you are not ill they were good. That's the only safe way to tell good oysters from bad ones."

Women have been known to shake hands for the purpose of trying to shake secrets out of each other.

There is no help for a man who is too lazy to work his friends.

An Attractive Food Post Toasties

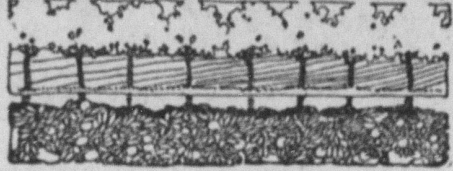
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HORTICULTURE



KILLING BLACK PEACH APHIS

Tobacco Applied Liberally in Ground or in Liquid Form is Best and Safest Remedy.

Black peach aphid is often found in small numbers on nursery trees, especially those grown on light soils. Proper fumigation will kill these lice, but growers generally object to fumigated trees and nurserymen will not as a rule fumigate unless they must. When such infested trees are set out in light land the lice multiply and feed on the small rootlets near the trunk, working outward later as they increase in number. Little trouble is noted during a first season as a rule, but during the early part of the second year the insects become plentiful enough to attract attention. They become noticeable on the leaves of the



Aphis on Roots.

plants in June and are sometimes plentiful enough at that time to cause quite a bunching and crippling of terminal shoots.

Except in this position they are rarely seen by the fruit grower, who will not ordinarily suspect root insects when the trees begin to turn yellow and look sickly about midsummer.

In dealing with these insects prevention is better than cure. No trees should be set without being carefully examined for root lice and, if any are noticed, the roots should be dipped into a strong tobacco decoction and thoroughly wet. Or they may be dipped into clean water so as to wet thoroughly, then dipped into a pall of tobacco dust so as to powder them thoroughly, and a handful of the dust or ground tobacco should be thrown around the roots before the soil is drawn upon them and pressed down. Nothing is better and safer than tobacco for this purpose, and if this practice is carried out there will be few plant lice left to make trouble.

If this precaution has not been taken and injury develops, the tree should be stimulated by appropriate fertilizers, and there should be, in addition, a liberal application of tobacco dust or ground tobacco in a basin around the trunk of the tree, the dust to be covered over with soil to prevent its being blown away or otherwise disturbed. A decoction may be used instead of the dust, but there should be at least a gallon to a tree if older than two years, and the basin should be deep enough to reach the surface roots.

As the insects do not usually get very far away from the trunk on young trees, the outer circle of the basin need not be much over 18 inches in diameter. The tobacco is in itself a fertilizer and worth almost as much as it costs, as such, so its use secures a double effect. When a tree is once fully established and has reached the bearing age it rarely suffers if it is reasonably well fed and otherwise cared for.

If a tree is killed by these insects, another one should not be set into its place without having a liberal amount of ground tobacco mixed with the soil packed around it.

GUARD AGAINST LATE FROSTS

Strips of Cheesecloth Will Afford Ample Protection to Late Blooming Strawberry Vines.

If your strawberry patch is planted in rows, as is the case in most small gardens, here is a worthy suggestion for protecting the blossoming vines from late frosts:

Take strips of cheesecloth about a foot wide and the length of the rows; if the vines spread to a width, in the row, of more than a foot, increase the width of the strips. Hem across the ends, and at each corner secure pegs about a foot in length, pointed at one end. On evenings when frost seems imminent, cover the rows with these strips; drive or push the pegs into the ground at the end of the rows, until the cheesecloth is about four or five inches above the plants; then unroll the strips, stretching them to the opposite ends of the rows and fasten them down with the other pegs. In this way the plants are sheltered, the covering does not come in contact with them, one does not have to bother with newspapers that have to be weighted down, and the strips are readily rolled up and put out of the way when not needed.

GROW BULBS IN WATER BOWL

Chinese Sacred Lily, Hyacinth or Narcissus May Be Had, and Are Inexpensive.

Have you ever tried growing flowers in a bowl of water? If not, you should try a few this winter. Procure some good bulbs of the Chinese Sacred Lily, Hyacinth or Narcissus and plant them in bowls or deep dishes with sand or pebbles to hold the bulbs in position.

Then pour in clear water until the bulbs are half under water and place in a south window if convenient, or



Bulbs for Winter.

where they will have the benefit of the sunlight. Add water as needed and protect from cold the same as other winter blooming flowers.

All of the above named bulbs and a number of others may be had at any time during the winter and are nearly all of them inexpensive.

Several Hyacinths or Narcissus may be placed in one bowl; from six to ten will give a good result. Only one or two of the Chinese Lily bulbs should be planted in a bowl.

The Chinese Lily is the queen of plants for growing in water. The blossoms are pure white with yellow cup shaped centers measuring one and a half inches in diameter. The last for several weeks and are exceedingly fragrant.

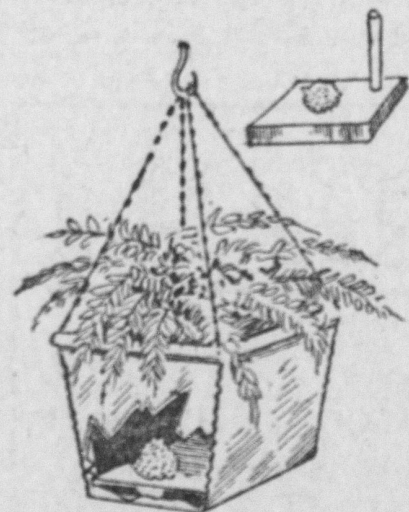
The buds shown in the illustration carry the germs for blossoms for next spring. They are the bulbs for winter indoors blooming. From left to right the bulbs are Jonquil, Chinese Lily, Tulip.

MOISTURE IN FLOWER POTS

Ingenuous Arrangement for Supplying Water to Plants Without Trouble of Leakage.

A flower-loving genius has invented a box for supplying moisture to plants in window-boxes, stationary stands or other receptacles by which water may be supplied once a week or even at longer intervals.

The illustration shows that the water is poured into the bottom of the box or pot through a tube in the corner which extends down to the reservoir. This reservoir is from one to two inches deep and on top of it is placed a false bottom which supports the soil. Inserted in the holes to the false bottom are sponges which touch the extreme bottom of the box and ex-



Self-Watering Hanging Basket.

tend upward into the soil in which the flowers are planted. The water is drawn upward through these sponges in sufficient quantities to maintain a uniform moisture in the soil and at the same time sufficient air is supplied with the water to insure giving the plants a thrifty and healthy growth.

This is a perfect application of the principle of sub-irrigation and does away with a great deal of trouble in regard to frequent watering and leaking which the old style pots and wooden boxes entailed.

HORTICULTURAL NOTES

Plants with large leaves should be washed.

Learn to prune, spray and cultivate your trees skillfully.

Fruit growing is a great business when followed properly.

The large chrysanthemum blossom is becoming generally popular.

The cow peas add humus to the soil, which enhances its water holding capacity.

Aside from enriching the soil in nitrogen the cow pea improves its general condition, rendering it more porous.

No flower collects insects more rapidly than ivy, for which reason ivy should be kept out of the collection of rare plants.

During the past 15 years the Catalpa Speciosa has come rapidly to the front on account of its immense value along commercial lines.

It will pay any one interested in fruit growing to study the catalogues of different reliable nurseries and post up on different varieties.

If, after taking the flowers into the house, you discover the troublesome meal bugs, aphids, green flies and tiny red spiders, begin at once to kill them.

The currant worm can be effectively destroyed by gathering the leaves containing the young larvae, which may usually be found on the under side of the leaves.

WOULD BE OF MORE VALUE

Father O'Leary's Facetious Rejoinder to John Philpot Curran an Example of Real Wit.

One day the famous John Philpot Curran, who was also very partial to the said corned mutton, did me the honor to meet him. To enjoy the society of such men was an intellectual treat. They were great friends and seemed to have a mutual respect for each other's talent, and, as it may easily be imagined, O'Leary versus Curran was no bad match.

One day after dinner Curran said to him: "Reverend father, I wish you were St. Peter."

"And why, counselor, would you wish that I were St. Peter?" asked O'Leary.

"Because, reverend father, in that case," said Curran, "you would have the keys of heaven, and you could let me in."

"By my honor and conscience, counselor," replied the divine, "it would be better for you that I had the keys of the other place, then I could let you out."

Curran enjoyed the joke, which he admitted had a good deal of justice in it.—From Kelly's Reminiscences.

A Condition, Not a Theory.

A sociologist, in conversation with a practical person from the middle west concerning the labor problem in her part of the country thereby learned the lesson of the situation.

"Are there many men out of work?" he asked.

The lady admitted that there were quite a number.

"What," said he then, "do the unemployed do?"

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A conventional man is one whose action you can predict ahead of time.

WOMAN'S ILLS

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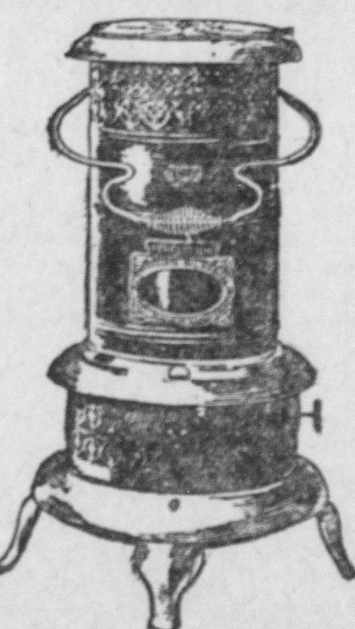
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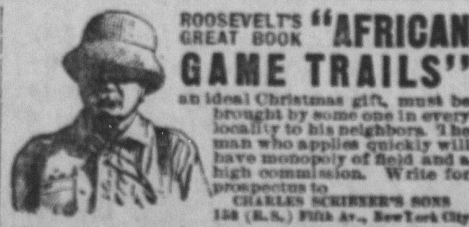
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