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# The HOME BEAUTIFUL

## Flowers and Shrubbery—Their Care and Cultivation

No Flower Is Better Known or More Generally Admired Than Roses.

### CARE OF THE FLOWERS

By HELEN WATTS M'VEY.

Burn all ripened weed seeds.

Remove all roses before the petals fall.

Keep all seed pods off of plants intended for bloom.

Tree-peonies are gross feeders and require deep, rich soil.

Encourage sturdy growth and pinch off all straggling branches.

Too rich soil encourages growth at the expense of bloom.

Rambler roses should be trimmed moderately as soon as done flowering.

If dry weather sets in, do not neglect to stir the soil and mulch.

This is important.

Half the plants which refuse to grow for amateurs are starved to death, or killed by kindness.

Adjust the knives of the lawnmower to cut within two inches of the roots of the grass.

When watering plants, do not force the water against the plant; let it fall in the form of a shower.

Do not neglect to mark the wild flowers NOW which you wish to transplant later in the border.

Stir in about the roots of the tea roses a little finely powdered bonemeal.

Pick the blossoms of pansies, nasturtiums and sweet peas every day. If allowed to seed they cease to bloom.

For gross feeders, such as cannas, caladiums, etc., a thick mulch of strawy barnyard manure and plenty of water insures success.

Pinch back the tops of the scarlet-runner; see that all climbers have support, and watch for insect pests.

Stake the tube roses, gladioli, dahlias and other plants likely to be blown down by the wind or broken by storms.

Lily and other bulbs are apt to split up into small bulbs if the drainage is clogged, or the soil kept too wet.

Keep the chrysanthemums in a shady place during the summer, water regularly, pinch into shape, prune and train. Keep the plant free from insect pests.

To root an ivy geranium, make a hole under the leaves of the large plant, set the slip about three inches deep, allowing three joints to be under the soil, and they are almost sure to root.

Give liquid manure only when the ground is moist; the roots cannot absorb the fertilizer when in want of water; hence, the giving of fertilizers during drought often results in the death of the plant.

In time of drought, if water enough to soak the ground is not to be had regularly, it is better to give none to most plants, as in that case plants will adjust themselves to prevailing conditions.

If surface waterings are given during dry weather, the surface roots will start to receive it, and when it is withheld these roots will die and the plants suffer thereby.

If you wish to allow some especially fine flower to produce seed tie a string around the stem so you will know which one it is and remove all other flowers as they fade.

In trying to save seeds of many plants, tie a little cheesecloth bag over the seed pod just before it ripens, so the pod, when opening, cannot scatter the seeds. Many plants, however, do not "come true" to seed.

When the leaves of tea roses begin to turn brown, cut the branches well back, and remove all leaves; healthy new shoots will come out and the plant will take on new life.

Do not allow the roots of plants plunged in the border to strike through the drainage hole into the earth. Lift the pot occasionally and turn around. See that they have sufficient moisture and conditions suitable to their best growth.

Cut away any old wood from the roses and stimulate the roots. Cultivate the soil and enrich with woodsoot, old rotted cow manure and mulch with litter and lawn clippings. Give plenty of soapsuds about the roots, but not on the foliage.

Do not neglect to sow seeds of perennials now; the sooner the better. They should have gone into the ground in June. Seeds of perennials germinate more slowly than those of annuals, and should be given time.

For the window-box and veranda there is no plant better than German or parlor ivy. It will keep its dense foliage until hard freezing weather sets in. It is practically drought proof, a rapid and satisfactory grower, with beautiful foliage.

Keep down the green fly, caterpillars, bugs, worms by the liberal use of insecticides, plenty of hand work and untiring diligence. Today's victory may only precede tomorrow's defeat if you lay down your arms.

If you have no chrysanthemum plants, go to the florist and get half a dozen. Set them in pots, keep shaded for a few days, then plunge the pots in the earth in some out-of-the-way place, leaving an inch of the pot out of the soil in order to water the plant; turn the pots every day or two to prevent the roots striking through into the earth through the drainage hole.

A layer of coal ashes under the pots will prevent this, and also prevent worms getting into the pot. Give the plants a weekly dose of liquid manure, applying only when the soil is well wet; water freely and keep clean of insects.

Effective Planting of Rhododendrons. Showing the Effect of Good Pruning.

## Siren and Schemer

By Augustus Goodrich Sherwin

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Plain, honest John Edgerly drove the plow steadily and cheerily. It was not much of a farm that his parents had left him, but it brought him in a living.

More than once he had been tempted to sell out and invest in some small business in the brisk, promising city. He had become cured of that, however, during the last month. Several venturesome young fellows like himself had tried metropolitan ambition and had returned home seedy, disconsolate and sick of an experience that had turned out hollow and unfriendly.

Then, too, just that bright, lovely morning John had made up his mind to something. He had been keeping company with Vera Brooke for some time back. Vera was modest and humble as himself, but he believed she liked him.

"I'll settle down," ruminated John contentedly—"yes, that's the best way."

It looked so to him. Vera would make an ideal wife. Her folks were poor, she would appreciate a good home. Small as the little homestead was, it was comfortable and fairly furnished. Love would beautify it. They would work together and save, and some day they might own a better place in the town, like Judge Grinnell and his haughty empress of a daughter, Ivy.

"I'll ask Vera this very evening," resolved John, and was happy in the thought.

"Whoa!"

John, just finishing a furrow, looked up to discover a buggy halted just beyond the fence. In it sat the very object of his recent thoughts—the judge and his daughter. The former leaped from the vehicle as if John was his greatest friend in the world. Miss Grinnell smiled at him—a thing she had never done before.

"Hello!" muttered John, "what's up?"

The judge hurried through the fence rails. He looked excited, the bearer of great news. He grasped John's hand and shook it feverishly.

"John," he said, "I'm going to startle you."

"About what?" inquired the young farmer.

"You had an uncle, Josiah Whitby, in the city?"

"My mother's brother, yes," nodded John.

"He's dead, and he has left you a fortune of twenty thousand dollars in money, or as good as money."

"Why," observed John, quite calmly and thoughtfully, "what about his son, Randal?"

"Dead two years ago."

"And Randal's family?"

"They don't count," asserted the judge. "You are the heir. The executor has just written me, asking me to see you and advise with you. As your lawyer I inform you that there is no doubt of the legacy. All you have got to do is to come to the city with us—"

"Us?" repeated John.

"Yes, I was going to the city anyway," explained Miss Grinnell sweetly, "so papa dear says I had better go at this opportunity."

"If I've got twenty thousand dollars coming to me," remarked John, "why don't they send it to me?"

"Formalities, my boy," announced the Judge effusively. "There's some legal proceedings to go through. We had better leave at once, John. And, by the way, as your lawyer I request that you keep this a secret until your return."

John rubbed his chin reflectively. He was quite stunned with the good fortune announced. Still, he was conservative, and, in a measure, suspicious.

"Judge," he said finally, "this may be all right, and again it may not. Mind, I don't doubt your word, but it will cost me something to visit the city. I'll have to get a new suit. I'll need some cash to live there, even for a few days. I have only a little money saved up. I hate to risk it."

"Risk it? Risk it?" shouted his visitor. "Why, I'm so sure of my statement that I will loan you a hundred or two, and if the expectation fails you need never pay me back.

Overheard the Judge and His Daughter Conversing.

"That's fair," said John, in his blunt, practical way.

It was settled that John was to get ready at once. The judge never let him out of his sight. John arranged to have a neighbor attend to the little farm during his absence. He longed to see Vera and tell her the good news. The judge, however, stuck to him like a brother. Two hours later, quite a reconstructed John, the young farmer was aboard a train, seated beside the judge's daughter, bound for the city.

John was quite flattered by the attention of Miss Grinnell. In fact, she somewhat attracted him. They all went to the same hotel. For two days the judge left the young folks a good deal of themselves. He claimed to be closing up the estate in the probate court.

John said some foolish things to his fair companion. In fact, she flirted quite outrageously with him. The judge rallied him on the circumstance.

"Go in and win her, boy," he whispered in John's ear one day. "She's worth it," and he chuckled and poked John jocularly in the ribs.

Evenings they went to the theater. It was a new and rare experience for John. Then, as the days dragged by and his self-appointed attorney still professed to be settling up the case, John began to get impatient.

One evening he overheard the judge and his daughter conversing. He learned that the former was bent on entrapping him as a rich son-in-law.

John thought of Vera at home. He was ashamed of having ever thought of any love but hers. He made a sudden resolve. The next morning he went away on a still, personal hunt for the executor of his uncle's estate.

He was gone for several hours. The judge scanned him closely when he returned.

"Something to say to you, John," he observed in a confidential way. "My poor girl, Ivy."

"Why, what about her?" inquired John wonderingly.

"I see she is mourning for fear you may desert her. Why don't you speak out and get the engagement ring at once?"

"You think she would have me?" asked John, with a peculiar expression in his eye.

"I do," assured the lawyer.

"Perhaps not, when I tell you what I have done," spoke John coolly. "I've been to see the executor of my uncle's estate. Why, his son left a widow with three little children unprovided for."

"What's that to us?" demanded the judge.

"Everything to me. It seems that my cousin Randal was estranged from his father through a mistake. I have learned that on his death bed my uncle wished to change his will, for he had learned of the wrong he had done his son."

"Well, he didn't change it," remarked the judge.

"No, but I have. You think I'd rob those dear little children of their rights! No, sir! I've seen them. I've made over all my claim to the estate. I say, judge, how about marrying Ivy yourself now?"

"Bah!" shouted the infuriated judge, and strode from the room baffled. Miss Grinnell passed by John with a contemptuous sneer an hour later.

John did the right thing. He hastened back to Vera and told her everything. She called him a noble man for his great unselfish sacrifice, and blushingly but gladly said "Yes" to a certain very imperative question.

And their reward came. The day they were married, the executor of his uncle's estate appeared at the little farm. The will found of John's cousin had insisted on dividing the twenty thousand dollars with the happy newlywedded couple.

**Scares Himself Well.**

Roscoe Wilson, a merchant of Netcong, N. J., began to hiccough several days ago. The hiccough followed an attack of jaundice.

Unable to sleep, Wilson began wasting away. Three physicians were called to treat him. They gave him medicine, told him funny stories to make him laugh and sad stories to make him bring tears. Nothing brought relief.

Wilson, utterly worn out, managed to get to sleep, and as he slept the bed shook under him as he was racked with hiccoughs. The bed shook so violently that Wilson was frightened and leaped out. He no longer hiccoughed. Apparently fright had acted as a cure.

**Carpets on Pavements.**

Aniline dyes have not added to the reputation of the carpets of Persia. At one time the only dyes used in the Persian carpet industry came from indigo, madder, and vine leaves. From these were evolved many delicate shades impervious to the action of sunlight. With aniline dyes the colors fade much more rapidly. In Persia you may see new rugs spread on the floors of bazaars, so that many feet may tread on them. By such hard wear—provided the colors are fast—the genuine article improves in appearance, acquiring an attractive gloss. A Persian carpet of the best kind has a marvelous number of stitches, and a beathrue of pure silk may cost hundreds of dollars.

**The First Tumblers.**

The glasses we now know as tumblers differ widely from the drinking vessel to which the name was first applied. These appear to have been of metal or wood, and from their peculiar shape seem to have served as perpetual reminders to pass the bottle.

One authority says they were called "tumblers" because they could not be set down except on the side when empty; and another derives their name from their original shape, rounded at the bottom so that they tumbled over unless they were carefully set down.

**Acrobatic Feat.**

Fashion certainly does go from one extreme to the other with the most astonishing celerity, and we learn from an authoritative source that the girls are even now engaged in leaping from their present meager surroundings into tight dress petticoats apiece.—Ohio State Journal.


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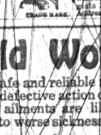
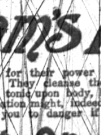


Good for Hurling.

"Here's somebody says the belligerents are getting short of ammunition."

"Then why don't they load their guns and cannon with some of the names they have over there?"



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