

Book Explains Roses in Daily Life

The spirit of having Birmingham known as a flowering crab town carries on with the Girl Scouts and Troop No. 375 from Quanton School. They purchased an Almy Crab with their cookie sale money and planted it on the North side of the Dam, near the Rouge River, off Maple Avenue. This will always be a focal point, especially for the girls, as the years go hurrying along, and they pass our very attractive dam site.

Mr. Gale helped the Scouts with their selection, which will have large blossoms of red petals, with white markings at the base of each petal. The fruits of the Almy crab are scarlet for eye appreciation in the fall, and bird banquets.

THE HARD back book, "American Rose Annual 1957", is now available for those who belong to the American Rose Society, a group open to all lovers of this flower.

It is a generous book filled with many colored plates of the outstanding roses of the year, plus many articles on the latest tested care of them.

In this book, I like one article in particular: "Roses in Daily Life." It gives many good recipes for using roses (see to you).

During the War the British used them as a source of Vitamin C. Attar of roses comes from Bulgaria and is used industrially. Due to the economic situation in Bul-

garia, a company has planted 30,000 roses in Texas for the production of rose oil for use in perfume.

The article goes on to say that rose roots provide a choice wood for inlay work in the construction of fine wood pieces of furniture. Mul-tiflora roses are used in landscaping along super highways for public safety. They are used as



Mrs. Burlingame

City Planners Consider New Multiple Zone

City planners are considering setting up a new multiple dwelling zoning classification in Adams Village subdivision to enable the W. E. Reid Development company to go ahead with plans for construction of approximately 38 dwelling units on property near Adams road and Bowers.

Tentative basis for talks is a requirement of 1500 square feet of lot area for a one-bedroom unit of 600 square feet. Existing multiple dwelling zone classification requires a minimum of 2500 square feet of lot area and a 900 square foot minimum floor area.

W. E. REID predicted a continuing demand for "smaller, easier-to-keep-up quarters" as more offices open here, as well as for elderly people.

We can't afford to put up a 2600-sq-ft unit on 2500 square feet of land," Reid said.

City plan board has set June 5 as hearing date on John M. Rosso's request to change present single family zoning of a 30-foot lot on Frae between Pierce and Henrietta streets to income bungalow, to permit construction of a two-family dwelling there.

IF YOU WANT to see some of the finest shade trees in this area, be sure and see the three copper beeches at 737 Arlington. You will be possessed until you have one growing on your property. They have a low dense growth. Do plan on them having a 35 foot diameter, and height of 75 feet. Copper Beech plays an important role in English tree beauty.

You see after one knows or thinks he has grounds for a suit—as the lawyers call it, a cause of action—he can't postpone suing indefinitely. This rule is simply based on our principles of fair play. One can't hold threat of suit over the head of another (like the sword of Damocles) forever.

If suit could be brought at any time, plaintiffs could wait until the witnesses for the other side were dead or moved away and even the defendant may have forgotten the whole thing.

In Michigan all actions on contracts or ordinary business obligations must be commenced within 6 years after the cause arose. However, suits to recover for injuries to persons or property and actions for trespass upon lands must be started within 3 years.

CERTAIN actions against sheriffs for neglect or misconduct in office or malpractice cases against physicians, surgeons or dentists must be started within two years. And actions for libel and slander must be brought within one year.

Even if a person has already gone to court and won a judgment, he can't hold it indefinitely. He must sue to enforce collection within ten years.

Also, court action on written promises in deeds or mortgages must be started within a ten year period.

You see, you can't hang your hat on the six year rule and besides you may hurt your case by stalling. If you think you should be suing somebody, seek legal advice on how to proceed. Don't lose your case by sleeping on your rights.

Artillery Graduate
Army 2nd Lt. Merle K. Sackman, whose wife, Joan, lives at 2976 Highland Drive, Birmingham, recently graduated from the field artillery officers basic course at the artillery school missile center, Fort Sill, Okla.

WHY?



Do Brides Wear Something Borrowed—Something Blue?

Early man had supreme faith in sympathetic magic. When ill, he had medicine men sprinkle powdered elephant tusk over him, for elephants were strong and long lived. Or powerful warriors blew breath into his mouth to transfer strength to him. So early bride hoped something borrowed from another, happily married, would magically transfer such good fortune to her.

Something blue was "borrowed" from Israeli brides who sewed blue fringes, borders and ribbons on wedding garments because it was color of purity, love, fidelity—"true blue." (Copyright 1957, John Emery Ent.)

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By Mary Jane Palmer

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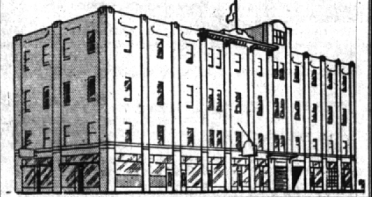
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