

OUTDOOR LIVING

Steady Work on Lawn Will Pay Big Dividends

A green lawn can be one of the great and lasting pleasures of life. Or it can be a pain in the neck. It can enrich, physically and mentally. Or it can cause irritation, frustration and a deep sense of guilt. Surprisingly, the difference does not seem to depend on time or money or effort so much as it does on a state of mind.

A lawn is a living thing, and its condition is largely dependent upon the treatment you give it. If you love it, then you will enjoy taking care of it and improving it. If you consider it as nothing but a chore you are likely to neglect it. Then it will deteriorate and you will find yourself fighting it.

If a lawn were nothing but a lifeless frame around your home you might as well have it made of concrete and paint it green. But it's more than that. It's refreshment for the mind as well as the eye. It's a refuge from the artificial. It's Nature's own tranquil-

izer. And it's meant to be enjoyed. If you love a lawn you won't consider mowing it a nuisance. You'll enjoy the mild, health-building (and slimming!) exercise it provides. You'll feed it regularly because you know that you can't continue to enjoy its loveliness any other way. And you won't battle with weeds. You'll control them with ease and complete confidence.

We get hundreds of letters from people who have stopped fighting their lawns and started loving them. Here's one that came in recently from a subscriber. He says: "My lawn has given me great enjoyment and satisfaction. It has enhanced the value of our property. It has provided a setting for many hours of relaxation and fellowship. Actually, it has given me the most enjoyable and beneficial recreation I have ever had. It has strengthened by physical and spiritual being."

Best way to stop fighting a lawn is to stop treating it by fits and starts. Follow a regular program. Feed monthly until your grass is really thick, not less than every-other-month thereafter.

Splattered Plaster
Remove patching plaster that has splattered on a painted surface by scraping the area lightly with steel wool. Follow this by sponging with lemon juice, cut with three parts of water, and finish by rinsing with a damp cloth immediately afterward.

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LAST DAY OF MAY

we remind you of a few things it would be wise to do or acquire or know about.

1. The time for applying PRE-EMERGENCE CRABGRASS CONTROLS is nearing the close of the best time—which is BEFORE any of the seeds germinate.

If you have fertilized—use 72% CHLORDANE.

If you have not fertilized—you may use PAX or CHLORDANE.

If you use either of these materials crabgrass will become a secondary problem.

2. A primary problem in lawns and garden is CHICKWEED. New materials which have been developed give promise of good control:—

a) Dupont's Chickweed Killer—a powder to be mixed with water and sprayed.

b) Vaughan's Chickweed Killer—a Dow product to be dusted on the plants.

c) Who knows? Let's try both!

3. Among the ROSE PLANTS we have are:—

a) Miniature tea roses (perfectly hardy)

b) Miniature TREE roses

c) A few everblooming teas and climbers.

4. ON THE 8TH OF MAY at 8:00 p.m. we invite you to a 30 minute moving picture on the subject of ROSES.

Experts on SPRAY MATERIALS and SPRAYERS will be present (along with refreshments) to answer your most complicated questions.

Do be OUR GUESTS on the 8th

5. A lawn needs NITROGEN as well as phosphate and potash. In fact it needs 6 lbs. of nitrogen per year per 1000 sq. ft. Don't UNDERFEED and OVERSEED your lawn.

6. The GARDEVATOR is a splendid new tool for loosening up the soil in small areas preparatory to seeding or just to let the air in. Some people know only how to let the air out and this doesn't do any good at all. \$4.95 each.

7. A beautiful 4 ft. cast aluminum pool for the yard is begging for a home. It is only \$320.00 in spite of the ancient "frog and turtle" motif.

8. To learn about ROSE culture come to our show Friday May 8th at 8:00 p.m. Movies, experts & coffee—what a mess!

9. Bulbs, tubers, corms and so forth are now awaiting your discriminating selection:—

MUMS, GLADS, LILIES, PEVUNIA DAFFODILS, REGONIAS, a few GLOXINIAS, CALLAS, CANNAS, DAHLIAS, CALADIUM, DAY LILIES, etc. etera.

10. Will the person who swiped the Field Glasses please call us between 8:00 & 9:00—MI 4-4133.

11. The LAWN BEAUTY SPREADERS which you have borrowed or tried to borrow are the best ones made. The most accurate and longest lasting. Why not own one and eliminate this business of making us both mad when we don't have one when you need it and when you are not through with yours when we come to get it. You must know that when we come to get it it is because we have promised to deliver it to someone as irascible as you.

12. The needle trees should be sprayed now with 50% CHLORDANE to control spruce gall and their midges.

13. No luck.

14. Good night!

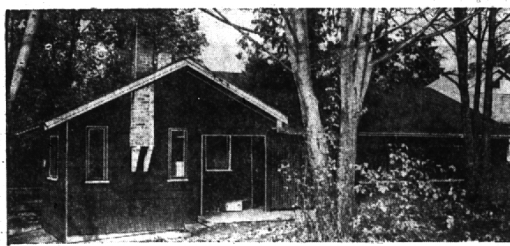
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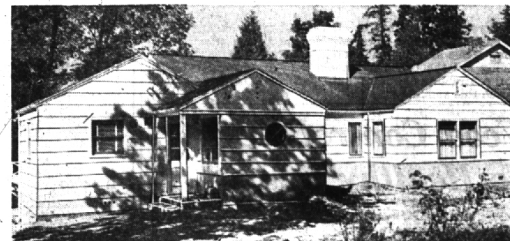
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Siding Makes Old House Look Younger



AS IT WAS: Before remodeling, the home pictured below looked like this. The expansion of the home to solve a space problem



AS IT IS NOW: After remodeling this home hardly resembles its original self. Two rooms were added, and new windows and chimney dress up the house. Finishing touch

became a complete "face lifting" operation as well.

New Booklet May Help Your Home Maintenance

The gas industry is offering air conditioning, appliances, caulking, photographs and drawings. "How to Keep Your New Home" is a handy reference book "New" which is filled with facts, prevention, floor, garage, house on any and all subjects pertaining to home maintenance. For your copy, contact your local gas company or write to the American Gas Association, 420 Lexington Ave., New York 17, N.Y. Copies cost 75 cents each from page book covers such subjects as: Illustrated throughout with A.G.A.

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were made throughout the United States and Europe over a wide range of conditions and climates. From a single plant, the strain flourished into acres of the new grass. This year a limited quantity of pure seed has been harvested for sale.

Tests show many advantages for the Newport Kentucky blue grass - C1 over ordinary blue grasses. It resists heat, cold, and drought. Also, it appears to offer high resistance to both Helminthosporium leaf spot and rust. Newport Kentucky blue grass is a richer, darker green than common blue grasses. It has a beautiful texture and it stays green with close mowing because of its deep, vigorous roots.

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