

### Along Azalea Row

By B. Miller

On such a day as Tuesday, I would, as Joshua, stretch out my hand and bid the sun stand still! Perfect gardening weather I do wish to prolong! So much can be accomplished these golden-brown October days. It is a busy time among the flowers.

Wait, however, to plant your bulbs, and purchase them at the bulb sale which Azalea Garden club is holding October 19, at the regular meeting. Choicest bulbs of all kinds at reasonable prices.

Working and weeding, I thought of some of the individuals living in the Pacific northwest, whose love of flowers has brought them national recognition.

There is the man who wanted to own a mountain! An Iowa farmer who came west about 25 years ago in search of health. He wanted to own a mountain, and he does! He purchased about two hundred acres at the junction of the Wenatchee and Co-

lumbia Rivers near Wenatchee, Washington. He started a little rock garden at the base of his mountain, thriving and spreading out, more beautiful all the while until now it is renowned, and horticulturists come from everywhere to visit Mr. Ohme's Rock Gardens near Wenatchee, Wash.

"They are finest in the United States, and there is nothing like them in Europe," says John G. Bacher, himself a noted horticulturist of the northwest, and a winner of the Johnny Appleseed Award.

What is the Johnny Appleseed award? Well, every school child knows who Johnny Appleseed was. His simple, benevolent act has brought him lasting fame. But the Johnny Appleseed award is issued annually by the Men's Garden Clubs of America, a national organization, and Oregon men have been honored thus more than those of other states. Three Oregon men hold this national honor, John G. Bacher, who received the award in 1945, Fred Edmunds, 1947 recipient,

and Dr. E. J. Kraus, winner for the current year.

A woman who has gained national recognition, Mrs. Harry O. Smith of Cave Junction, will be guest speaker at the Oct. 19 meeting of Azalea Garden Club. She is the horticulture chairman for the American Federation of Garden Clubs. Effie Smith comes here, as a well-loved friend of many local women, and brings sides to show of her recent Peurto Rican trip, as well as a discussion of garden club subjects.

Azalea Singers, directed by Mrs. Curzon MacKenzie, will give a program of songs. This, in itself, will make the meeting a gala occasion. Mrs. Charles Grayshel plans a fall flower show different from those of preceding years.

We complain about taxes. But we frequently fail to take advantage of what is free for the asking. A penny postcard — it still is a penny, a bargain in itself—addressed to the Oregon Board of Forestry, OSC, Corvallis, and ask for Extension Bul-

letin No. 697 will bring a little book entitled "Trees to Know in Oregon." Get one, it is really good.

Mrs. B. E. Kerns, president of Azalea Garden Club, has this little verse pinned to the lamp shade in her living room. It is so true!

*A door may open anywhere;  
Upon a wood or path or lawn  
Ore crowded street or road, or there  
Where none pass by from dawn to dawn;  
But, if you'd have a mind at peace,  
A heart that cannot harden,  
Go find a door that opens wide  
Upon a little garden.—E. M. Boulton.*

### NOTICE

As the dedication of the VFW hall will deprive Bethel Temple Sunday of its place of worship, Bill Ward, pastor, announces the worship for this Sunday only, will be held at the I. O. O. F. hall.

### LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Ida Hubbell returned to her home here the latter part of the week after visiting relatives at Berkeley and Santa Rosa for a month.

Mrs. Will Tolman is visiting her sister, Mrs. Vivian Hudson, and Mr. Tolman's relatives at Santa Rosa for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bush are at Parker, Ariz., for the winter, after having spent the summer at their Chetco river home.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Kinney left Sunday morning for Coos county where they plan to make their future home.

Dr. Otto Westlund left last week for Coquille where he will make his future home. He has lived in the Baxter Auto Court for the past two years, coming here from Klamath Falls.

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