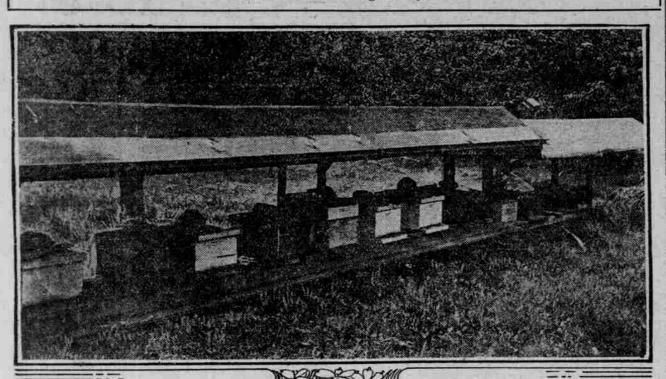
### BEEKEEPING IN SMALL WAY OFFERS BIG OPPORTUNITY TO REDUCE COST OF LIVING

Well-Cared For Colony in Berry Bushes or Flower Gardens Will Go Long Way Toward Sweetening Daily Bread of Home-owning Family.



SUCCESSFUL BEE COLONY IN AN ORCHARD,

the effort to reduce the cost of living, especially for the small home owner in the city, much has been written recently concerning gardening and fruit growing in the back

hollyhocks in the flower garden will sweeten the daily bread for a good- for sized family the year round and at

the whole season to mature.

In the words of the nursery rhyme: "Mary, Mary, quite contrary, how does your garden grow?" So today

we will consider just how this long-season garden should grow through the heat and drought of summer and

until it is ready for harvesting in

the fall.
Raising a garden is really, you see, an endless "continued story." There

little tragedies and many unexpected climaxes. Mother Nature is very wise and very old. We cannot work along with her without learning

many things—some of them not con-nected with gardening per se, but secrets that the wise old mother gives

to those who become intimate with

a constant procession of events.

BY SHEBA CHILDS HARGREAVES, ence of bees until fall, when he began the correct exposure, providing, of ARTICLE No. I. thinking of honey. In exceptionally course, there is an easy record to the thinking of honey. In exceptionally good years there might be a few pounds, but in most cases there was no honey at all. Thus neglected, the colony soon dwindled through excessive swarming, or fell before the onslaught of the bee moth and the various diseases to the horse the correct exposure, providing, of the correct exposure, providing, of the correct exposure, providing, of the correct exposure, providing, or fell without inconvenience. In some cities the roofs of office buildings support and the correct exposure, providing, or

If bees are to be kept they must be from reliable dealers and ever after exercise care in keeping out disease, for prevention is a simple matter when compared to cure in the aplary.

Aside from the horses of nectar from which honey is made.

Wet Springs Discouraging.

Cultivating Dry Beans.

must also have constant cultivation.

but, like all beans, it must be shal-

Chats With Home Gardeners

So today

yard. Poultry and rabbits are also various diseases to which bees are are rangers, gathering honey over a territory five or six miles square.

Proper Care Essential.

Aside from the lavish quantities of flowers and fruit blossoms in the resthe labor involved has been overlooked. I refer to beckeeping in a
small way.

One or two thrifty, well-cared-for
colonies of bees in the shade of the
berry bushes or beside a clump of

sized family the year round and at the same time prove an absorbingly interesting outdoor sport for the tired business man or the housewife who needs to spend more time in the open air. There is no hard work connected with beekeeping. It is mainly a matter of cleanliness and timely attention to minute detail.

The would-be beekeeper up to a few years ago simply set himself up in business by buying a hive of beekeeping has over other back-yard industries is that little space is regions. After placing it in position in his back yard he ignored the exist-

all be matured by August 10. It may be gathered as soon as the heads are large enough for eating or after it is fully mature, but all the heads should it on clean granite or tin plates and

then come up after a good rain, so do paper bag is secure, but it should be not give them up too soon. Be sure examined often and if the least sign your soil is well cultivated for your of insects is seen, heat it hot in the Dry beans are easily grown, but not give them up too soon. Be sure they must have plenty of water; failing of this, the little plants start winter carrots, as dry or weedy soil

producing pods when only a few is fatal to them. inches high—nature's effort to reproduce before death. The Care of Summer Cauliflower. By giving them much water they grow to be large, thrifty plants and bear a large crop of bean seed. They eral, but it is harder to grow successfully and requires more water. The leaves should be brought over

Through the whole season the cultivation of all varieties of beans should be frequent enough to present weeds getting a footing or a crust forming, but when possible, it is well to weed beans by hand, especially near the plants.

Beans should never be cultivated or disturbed in any way way (even by and bitter after they open and sente of the heads and tied around them to I will leave the discussion of the summer cultivation of other vegetables until next week and spend what little time we have left in talking about the drying of fruit, as some of the first they open and sente of the discussion of the summer cultivation of other vegetables until next week and spend what little time we have left in talking about the drying of fruit, as some of the first they open and sente of the court of the search sentences. secrets that the writes of rock are the total received total received the received total received the received total received total received to receive the received to the r

planted it, and later we will take up the summer care of our permanent beds—globe artichoke. asparagus, roubarb and garden herbs—then will discuss briefly the summer culture required by the summer culture could be a specially and the summer culture required by the summer culture

the cold water run on and sink into
the hot soil, which warms it up before it reaches the plant roots.

Up to the time of blossoming beans
should have frequent shallow cultivation, but when they begin to blossom great care must be exercised, as
any mutilation of the roots by culti-

leached wood ashes are both good for it, as is nitrate of soda to start the growth. In watering the crop great care must be taken to see that water is applied at the right times and in the proper amount, both of which are governed by the kind of soil you have. The plants must never lack moisture. and yet, as said above, they must never stand in water-logged soil. Thorough waterings must be given at longer intervals rather than shallow ones at frequent intervals and the soil must be wet down to the bottom of

each day.
Well rotted stable manure and un

Level cultivation must be used with celery and no dirt thrown up against the plants. Incessant cultivation must be kept up all through the growing season. A tendency of the plants to go to seed is caused by some sort of

eck in their growth, so avoid this Also be very sure the plants are not disturbed when they are wet or the ground damp, as to do so is liable

o cause injury to them from rust, as s the case also with beans. It is better to set your celery in a square and quite close together. In this way it shades the ground and helps blanch itself. The best varieties o use are White Plume (white self-blanching), and Golden Yellow, also self-blanching, so called.

Sweet Corn in Summer

The roots of the corn, like those of beans, grow very near the surface, so it cannot stand drought as well as deep-rooted plants. For this reason t must be cultivated more than most vegetables to keep up the dust mulch which prevents the ground drying For the same reason, however our cultivation must be exceedingly shallow that we do not cut into the roots in hoeing and also that we do not dig down into the damp subsoll and open it up so it will dry out.

The time to pick corn is when it has the most sugar, which is when the kernel is fully developed but is still "in the dough" or milky state. You can pull back the husk and examine it without picking the ear if you are careful. Corn does not keep long in prime conditions, so eat or can

or dry it as soon after it is ready as possible. Also if you pick the first ears as soon as they are set the second setting will be much better. Some people eat very small immature ears, cob and all, just as we do string beans. Did you ever try it that way?
If you find worms in the end of the ears after they show the silk, open the ends and dust three times, at in-tervals, with arsenate of lead powder and it will end this trouble. How to Dry Corn.

Many people are very fond of dried corn and prefer to put it up for win-ter this way, but recipes for drying are not so easy to find as those for

the kernels from the cob with a sharp knife, being careful not to cut off any of the cob, and then scraping the cob

DEAR FRIENDS: We have sown, vation after the plants have come into bloom is likely to cause the blossom and harvested our early garden; we have fought our insect enemies—"to a finish," I hope; we have prepared our ground again and have prepared our ground again and have prepared our ground again and bear ingredient still and those which grow and are through bearing and then start in first and those which grow and are through bearing and then start in first and those which grow and are concern seems to belong to those vegetables which will mature.

Like the whole season to mature.

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Locarots need the best of surface them into bear and the plates. Stir it occasionally so as to have it all dry evenly, and you can soon turn plate the plates. Stir it occasionally so as to have the plates. Stir it occasionally so as to have

To cook dried corn let it soak 24 hours or longer and stew it slowly in the water it soaked in for a long time. so that it may slowly absorb back the water which was dried out of it. It is altogether different, cooked this way, than when boiled rapidly.

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