

# THE HOME GARDEN

What is Home without a Garden?  
(Articles in this series are furnished by the National Garden Bureau)

**That Magic Lawn Fertilizer.**  
Much interest lately has been shown regarding the magical effect of sulfate of ammonia in making soils acid and in this way promoting the growth of lawn grass. Unfortunately, the facts which originally came from the Rhode Island state college under the caption "A Method of Reducing or Eliminating Weeds From Lawns," have been wrongly interpreted by many.  
The soils of Rhode Island are for the most part acid, and the lawn grasses, which persist on very acid soils have been found

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**DALLAS AWARDS PAVING CONTRACTS**  
Astoria Firm Given Work of Building 20 Blocks of Streets  
DALLAS, Or., May 4.—(Special to the Statesman.)—At a meeting of the Dallas City Council Monday evening a contract for paving some 20 blocks of streets was awarded to Field & House of Astoria at a price of \$2.74 per square yard. (And to the measure of materials the council decided at a recent meeting not to harden the entire street but to put an 18-foot strip of pavement down the center and macadamize the balance of the street.)  
Quite a little discussion has been going on in the council chamber for the past several meetings as to the type of pavement to be laid, and on the promise of a representative of the cement association that a bid of \$2.50 (which was the estimate made by the city engineer) would be made if the city took concrete pavement. When the bids were revealed, however, the lowest bid was 11 cents per yard higher than the price promised but notwithstanding this fact all of the councilmen but two voted for the concrete pavement.  
The bond of the contractors was fixed at the Monday night meeting at \$32,000 and the time limit for the improvement to be finished was fixed as September 20.

**A Triple Crop Flower Bed.**  
Tulip beds which often give us trouble to keep them attractive all season may be made to yield three distinct and handsome crops of flowers with little difficulty. Sprinkle the beds early with seeds of the double annual or opium poppies.  
As soon as the weather permits, plant verbenas in some convenient bed.  
When the tulips have finished blooming, cut off the seed pods and thin the little poppies, which will be up thickly all over the bed, to about a foot apart or not closer than eight inches. It is a good plan to mix the seed, which is fine, with three or four times its bulk of sand before sowing, in order to get more even distribution and not have the poppies coming up in streaks and thick patches.  
These poppies make a gorgeous display while they last but their season of bloom is short.  
The verbenas will need to be transplanted from their seed bed in order to give them a chance to get a good start. Pull up the poppies when they are done blooming and replace them with verbenas, at least a foot apart and 18 inches wouldn't be any too far, as the verbenas run over the ground and grow rapidly. In a short time the tulip bed will have disappeared, the yellowed tulip stalks can be pulled up and the verbenas will make a solid mat of foliage covered thickly with bloom that will last until a killing frost ends their activity.

**FISHERMEN WILL PUT GEAR AWAY**  
Gillnetters Refuse to Return To Work Unless Increased Offer Made to Them  
ASTORIA, Or., May 5.—The strike of the fishermen on the lower Columbia river is to continue. That was decided at a mass meeting attended by over 1000 gillnetters today when 9 cents a pound for Chinooks, offered by the packers, was unanimously rejected and the fishermen voted to place their gear in the warehouses and leave it there until the packers should agree to pay 10 cents a pound.  
The fishermen decided to organize a union and the committee of two men from each cannery recently appointed to confer with the packers was authorized to formulate plans for the proposed organization.  
Delegations from Skamokawa, Cathlamet and Puget Island notified the meeting that the fishermen at those points met this morning and decided to fish as independent buyers are paying 11 cents a pound.

**Vancouver Jails Eight For Liquor Violations**  
VANCOUVER, Wash., May 5.—Eight men were in jail here today under \$1000 bail each, following a series of raids conducted by Sheriff Thompson and his deputies, for alleged violations of the prohibition law.

**Body of Erwin Jensen Recovered From River**  
EUGENE, Or., May 5.—The body of Erwin Jensen, 18, who was electrocuted on the Oregon Electric bridge near Parrisburg Tuesday, falling off the bridge into the Willamette river afterward, was recovered this afternoon about 4 o'clock by a party of searchers from Junction City.

**POLICE NOT OPPOSED**  
OPPELN, Upper Silesia, May 5.—The inter-allied commission has informed Germany's representatives here that it will not oppose the organization of civilian police, made up of Upper Silesian Germans, to the number of 3000 with which to augment the entire force which gradually are being forced back by Korfanty's insurgents.

**Woodmen Raising \$1000 For Relief Movement**  
An effort to secure subscriptions amounting to \$1000 for the Near East and China Famine relief is being made by the members of the Woodmen of the World lodge, both resident and non-resident to help in raising the amount, were issued this week by the committee in charge of raising the fund. The committee is composed of George Deacon, C. D. Ross and F. T. Smith.

**ANTON LANG WRITES**  
CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., May 5.—A personal letter from Anton Lang, the Christus of the Passion play, received here, states that the play will be given in 1922.

**BIG POLICY WRITTEN**  
CLEVELAND, May 5.—An insurance policy for \$1,000,000 against loss caused by strikes or other damage to buildings being erected by its members, was taken out with a local insurance agency today by the Cleveland Building Trades Employers' association.

**WELCH WINS**  
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 5.—Eddie Welch of South Bend, Ind., won from Eddie Hughes, Pacific coast welterweight, in three rounds in a boxing show here tonight. Two other matches were on the program. Receipts, minus the fighters' share, were donated to the Irish republic fund.

**FIGHT STOPPED**  
FORT WORTH, Tex., May 5.—The Young Fitzsimmons - Johnny Clemens bout scheduled here tonight was called off by Sheriff Carl Smith of Tarrant county. Smith alleged that the promoters are violating the anti-prizefighting laws in Texas.

**WHITMAN WINS**  
MOSCOW, IDAHO, May 5.—Score: R. H. E. Whitman college . . . 9 5 2 Idaho . . . 5 10 11

the police were fired on. They replied and then pursued the fugitives half a mile, killing two.  
Prohibition against public meetings in the martial law areas will be removed for the election period from May 13 to 23 in the districts where parliamentary contests are to occur, says an official announcement tonight.

**Four Lives Lost in Scranton Explosion**  
SCRANTON, Pa., May 5.—Four lives were lost today in an explosion and fire which destroyed the plant of the Diamond Oil & Paint Company. Damage to the property and stock of the establishment was estimated at \$25,000. The cause of the blast is believed to have been the lighting of a plumber's torch in the elevator shaft of the structure. The shaft was filled with illuminating gas from a broken pipe.

**Mrs. Emma Bergdoll Will Be Sentenced on May 17**  
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 5.—Mrs. Emma Bergdoll and four others found guilty of aiding Governor and Erwin Bergdoll to desert from the army will be sentenced May 17.  
They were due to be sentenced tomorrow by Judge Dickinson, who ordered a postponement today on account of the illness of United States Attorney McAvoy.

**Rush Building Business Experienced in Portland**  
PORTLAND, May 5.—More residence permits have been issued here from January 1 to date of the present year than during the entire year of 1920, according to figures compiled by A. E. Morgan of the bureau of buildings. These show 981 permits for dwellings, aggregating \$3,385,935 were granted during the past four months, as against 924 issued in 1920 at a cost estimated at \$2,000,000.

**SMITH SENTENCED**  
ST. LOUIS, May 5.—Arthur Bennett Smith, who confessed to stealing liberty bonds valued at approximately \$35,000 from the American Railway Express, was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary in federal court here today. He was arrested in Ione, Wash., last October.

**DEFENSE FOR WEAK**  
VICTORIA, B. C., May 5.—British dominions on the Pacific must strengthen their means of naval defense, Premier W. F. Massey of New Zealand declared upon his arrival here today. The premier is enroute to London to attend the imperial conference.

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Men's Athletic Uniform Suits..... 98c	Ladies' Hose, Big Assortment, all colors, at..... 39c
Men's White Handkerchiefs..... 5c	Ladies' Shoes, sizes to fit all, \$3.58
Men's Dress Shirts, worth twice as much, for only..... \$1.25	Men's Oxfords, tan only, regular \$8.00..... \$3.45
Men's Leather Work Gloves..... 35c	Children's Suits..... \$2.00
Men's Khaki Pants, an exceptional good value..... \$1.48	Children's Sandals..... \$1.65
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**HARMONY LACKS ON NAVAL BILL**  
House Urged to Fight Bigger Appropriation Proposed in Senate  
WASHINGTON, May 5.—Disagreement on the naval appropriations bill between the senate and the house was indicated today when Representative Stevenson, Democrat, South Carolina, speaking in the house, urged members to show "backbone" and refuse

to agree to increases proposed by the senate. Republican leaders in the senate, he said, plan to support the action of their naval committee, in adding \$100,000,000 to the bill, which, as approved by the house, carried approximately \$386,000,000.  
Stressing the necessity for economy, he said that the tendency of congress is to blame department heads for running riot with expenditures while paying too little attention to curbing extravagance itself.  
The bill carrying \$496,500,000 was presented in the senate today by Senator Poindexter, Republican, Washington.  
Senator King, Democrat, Utah, reserved the right to file a minority report.

**BUDGET BILL PASSES**  
WASHINGTON, May 5.—The budget bill was passed today by the house, but with some changes as adopted by the senate it now goes to the conference.  
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The Feverish Activities of a Wall Street Brokers' Office During a Time of Panic  
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