

Gardening Today

3-Year-Old Boy Tries Starting Family Car

To have daffodil blooms in the spring, you do things in the summer— including planting, if your varieties are run-of-the-mill.

But lack of bloom in established plantings is usually due to overcrowding or stacks of narcissus bulb fly.

When the foliage is yellowing and drying out, the plants are dormant. It is the time to dig the bulbs and look them over. This should be done between now and the first fall rains, usually in July and August. This year, being unpredictable, digging should be done probably just as soon as the foliage dies down.

After digging the bulbs, spread them out to dry for a few days before repackaging and cleaning. But do not space them in a hot sun. An airy, shady place is best.

After drying, the offsets can be pulled apart, and the outer husk slipped off. A bulb soft to the touch or with scanty roots, or any decayed portion at the base suggests infestation by bulb fly. If the cavity is large, the grub can be taken out by a knife. But if the cavity is small, too many gardeners pass the bulb as perfect, only to have trouble later. Inspection should be thorough. Commercial growers treat all their bulbs at least every two years, either by hot water or by gas treatment. Hot water is the simpler method for the amateur, but, as in the inspection, care must be taken to do it correctly.

Use a container large enough to be able to cover the bulbs with water. Place the bulbs, after they have been cleaned, in a loose mesh sack such as onion sack. Use a thermometer and keep the water at 110 degrees for three hours. Shift the bulbs about frequently to be sure that the water penetrates. This can be done by having a long string on the bag and moving it up and down. As soon as the bulbs are taken out of the hot water, slip and spread them out in the shade to drain and dry.

Plant the bulbs at once after they have dried and been divided.



Lilla Madsen

Ques.: T. D. K. When should camellia cuttings be taken?

Ans.: As soon as the new wood partly ripens. Protect the cuttings from drying out by placing an inverted glass jar over them if they are grown in pots. If in propagating bed or cutting flat, use a glass over them.

R. O. E. asks what makes fig tree drop fruit when about half grown. Tree looks healthy enough.

Ans.: Too dry weather in April or early May when the fruit is forming will often cause this. We seem to have had a lot of rain this year, but if you recall, our April and early May were short in moisture. Soaking the tree a couple of times during the fruit-forming period if the weather is on the dry side helps.

Mrs. A. R. N. sent some rhododendron leaves looking as if they were drying up. Wants to know what is wrong.

Ans.: Might be lack of water last summer, fall and early spring. Water must go to the roots, not just wet top soil. Also check for moles.

Paul Schrock Leaves For Wisconsin Home

HUBBARD — Mrs. Walter Schrock underwent a major operation at the Silverton hospital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schrock, who have been visiting his parents since his discharge, have gone east to Wisconsin.

STAYTON — Dickie Ferry, 3, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Ferry, route 1, Stayton, had an exciting ride one day last week. His father, busy with chores, noticed the family car skimming along the barn yard but thought some member of the family was using it. However, a second glance revealed no one at the wheel and it came to a stop at a fence and out jumped the small boy. It is believed the boy remembered seeing his father start the car and decided to do it for himself.

Lebanon Union High School Plans For Heating Plant

LEBANON—The board of the newly organized union high school district Tuesday night authorized a \$300,000 bond issue. This is for enlarging and improving the present high school building to provide additional class rooms.

Probably the first improvement undertaken will be enlarging of the heating system so basement rooms not now usable can be made ready for the fall opening. Other building will probably be undertaken as soon as building conditions improve.

Higher than famed Niagara are Mooney Falls in northern Arizona's Havasu Canyon.

THIS SUMMER PREPARE
for an exciting career in the lucrative field of BEAUTY CULTURE

With proper training you may start earning money 3 MONTHS AFTER OF THE CROWD!

There are more than 25 careers in beauty culture for which you may be eligible when you have your MARINELLO CERTIFICATE.

The Internationally Established
MARINELLO SYSTEM
OF BEAUTY CULTURE

Learn here on Easy Payment-Tuition Plan in thorough, complete and fun to learn. Enroll Now—before summer class quota is filled. Out-of-pocket may vary for reservations.

OREGON SCHOOL OF BEAUTY CULTURE

220 N. Liberty St. Phone 6890 - Salem, Oregon

"Holly" Says:

You know that stock and bond salesman we tell you about every once in awhile—the one that says we get in his hair because we tell everyone what a much better investment a diamond is than a bond? Well he bought a diamond from us last week. (Just as an investment in future security) so we agreed not to tell everyone what a good investment a diamond is. Just in fairness to him—you know how it is. So now our "line" is—

After you've invested in some good bonds why not let us sell you a diamond and you'll look prosperous, too.

Jackson Jewelers
225 No. Liberty—Opposite Paramount Market

DUBARRY BARE NECESSITIES

for Beautiful Bare Arms

Make the most of the new sleeveless fashions that will keep you bare from wrist to shoulder . . . from morning to night.

These Richard Hudnut "bare necessities" for summer grooming, smooth, soften and protect arms and elbows. Finally, if you wish, cover with a make-up film that won't come off.

Du Barry Special Cleansing Preparation . . .	1.00
Special Skin Cream . . .	1.50
Foundation Lotion . . .	1.25
Powder Lotion . . .	1.00
Beauty Make-Up Cake . . .	1.50

WILLET'S
CAPITAL DRUG STORE
Cor. State & Liberty Sts. Phone 3118

SEE! CHOOSE NOW!

Only \$1 Down holds your new winter coat selection now! We'll store it for you free of charge until while you complete the convenient weekly or monthly payments! That's the sensible way to buy your coat—it's the Ward way!

Ready Now!

WARDS ADVANCE

Winter Coat Collection

NEW STYLES! NEW COLORS!

NEW FASHION DETAILS!

24⁷⁵ TO 58⁰⁰

Yes! We've sent our buyers out early to bring you the very first—the very choicest new winter coats! And just look at the results! Right here at Wards . . . right now—you'll find the 1946 version of the tuxedo . . . you'll find waist-defining belted coats—with wonderful details that spell fashion news . . . far flung shoulders, deep-plunging armholes, even cuffed sleeves! What's more, you can choose it now, and take until October 5th to complete the convenient payments!

Montgomery Ward