FRUIT AND FLOWERS

FLOWERS UNDER GLASS.

Timely Notes on Handling Plants For Easter and Early Spring Bloom.

January is a good time to make another sowing of sweet peas for indoor blooming. Start them in four inch pots, sowing about a half dozen seeds in a pot, and when they are three inches high plant them out on a bench or a bed, the latter preferred. Rich, heavy soil is necessary in which to grow them. Plant them in rows across the bed, leaving a space of two feet between the rows, and support the vines with chicken wire. Plenty of head room is necessary, for they will grow fully five or six feet high. They can stand abundance of feeding in the shape of liquid manure after they are once fairly started and require frequent syringing to keep red spider in check.

The Bougain villaeas which are now in a semidormant state in a cool house can be placed in a few degrees higher temperature to bring them into flower for Easter. A temperature of 60 degrees is about right. Extreme forcing is not advisable, for the shoots are liable to grow blind. Give them plenty of syringing and water more freely as growth commences. The Bougain villaea is valuable when in flower not only as a decorative plant, for its beautiful bracts hang for many weeks in a living room, but also as cut sprays.

Small plants of fuchsias propagated in November should be shifted along into larger pots. Use plenty of old hotbed manure in the soil, for they fairly revel in it. Half manure, if well rotted, is not too much. Give them plenty of room in a light place, moderately warm, so as not to draw the plants up. They will not require shade for six weeks more. Top the plants a week or two after shifting, growing from three to five branches to the plant.

Acacias and ericus can be had in flower at any time now by applying a little more heat for a few weeks. Those for Easter had better be kept in a cool house for another six weeks, for late in the season they can be forced into flower in a short time by raising the temperature to 55 degrees.—Gardening.

THE YOUNG GRAPEVINE.

Its Early Pruning and Training—Cutting Back In Fall or Winter.

The support for the young grapevine at first may be temporary, a mere stake or pole, sufficiently strong to bear its weight and tall enough to train it in an upright position for one or two seasons. During this time the vine should be trained as a single shoot, from which all lateral or side branches are pinched off as soon as they are formed. These laterals or side branches will start at a point above each leaf and will be very easily broken off if attended to early.

At the end of the first year's growth of the young vine treated as thus directed it may be expected to resemble that in the illustration (Fig. 1). A well cultivated vine of the Concord or some equally strong growing variety should then be from five to ten feet in length.

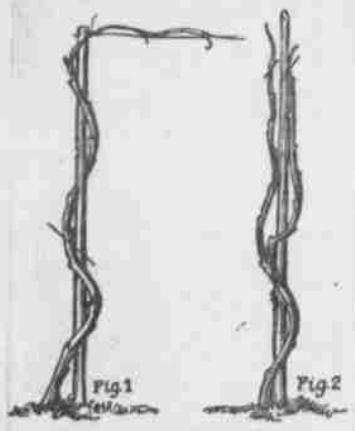

Fig. 1—First year in vineyard; mark showing where to cut back. Fig. 2—Second year in vineyard; marks showing where to cut back.

The treatment the following or second year will depend somewhat upon the training intended. In any event, the vine should be cut back in the fall or winter of the first year to within about two feet of the ground. The proper place is indicated by the cross line in Fig. 1.

Only the two upper buds should be allowed to grow for the second season, and they should be treated as the single shoot of the previous year was—that is, by training them to single shoots. If the vine, now in its third year's growth from layer or cutting, is a strong one it may be allowed to bear a cluster of fruit on each of the two shoots of wood of this year's growth.

In the fall or early winter each of these two shoots (now called canes) should be cut back to about two feet in length. The vine will then have its stem and two branches or canes cut back to an even length, as they are intended for the permanent horizontal arms of the vine that is to be. The vine will now appear something as shown in Fig. 2.—W. H. Ragan.

The Irises For Forcing.

None of the irises will bear severe forcing, but they will do well in any greenhouse from which frost is excluded, and their delicate coloring makes them very useful. Iris alata is in pale violet with golden blotches on its petals of shining satin; there are also a white variety and one in a deeper blue tint.

HUMOR OF THE HOUR

Plain English.

His wife came into the room where he was sitting. She was twisting herself around in the effort to look at the back of her new blouse. By the tense lines and bulging aspect about her lips he knew that her mouth was full of pins. He knew it anyway without looking for those symptoms.

"Umph-gof-wuff-wuff-sh-th-bf-fayf-f," she said.

"Yes, it looks all right," he answered, resuming his paper.

"Owf-wuff-gs-pf-suf-up-up-w-r-r-r-eoghsth," she mumbled.

"Of course it does," he assured her, glancing over the top of the paper "It fits like the paper on the wall."

"Sw-ash-uzzuz-woll-gph-m-m-m-sh-p-s-s," she said, stamping her foot.

"Didn't I tell you it was all right?" asked the man, lowering his paper "Maybe it needs a little taking up in the shoulders, but nobody could notice it."

Hastily letting the pins fall from her mouth to her hand, she cried: "I've asked you three times to raise the window blind so that I could get more light. It's a pity you can't understand plain English!"—London Tit-Bits.

INCREDIBLE BRUTALITY.

It would have been incredible brutality if Chas. F. Lemberger, of Syracuse, N. Y., had not done the best he could for his suffering son. "My boy," he says, "cut a fearful gash over his eye, so I applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve which quickly healed it and saved his eye. Good for burns and ulcer too. Only 25c at Benson's Pharmacy.

Vengeful.

Harris—I suppose Foster was pretty well wrought up when he found that somebody had stolen his gold watch?

Barlow—I should say he was! He was wild with rage. He said the watch was five minutes slow, and he hoped it would make the thief lose a train or be too late for an appointment, or some such vexatious thing as that.—Boston Transcript.

Something for Your Eastern Friends.

The 1905 issue of the publication "Oregon Washington and Idaho and Their Resources," issued by the Passenger Department of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company, is now ready for distribution. If you have friends in the East who are interested in the Pacific Northwest, a copy of this publication would be a welcome visitor to their homes. This publication will be mailed to any given address upon receipt of four cents in stamps to pay postage.

Poor Clarence!

Maud—So that's a photograph of you and your handsome cousin Clarence, is it? You seem to be sitting pretty close together. Where's his left arm?

Mabel (blushing furiously)—He hasn't any left arm. He lost it in the war with Spain. I told him everybody would misunderstand that picture!—Chicago Tribune.

PLEASANT AND HARMLESS.

Don't drug the stomach to cure a cough. One Minute Cough Cure cuts the mucus, draws the inflamation out of the throat, lungs and bronical tubes, heals, sooths and cures. A quick cure for Croup and Whooping Cough. One Minute Cough Cure relieves a cough in one minute because it acts first on the mucus membrane right where the cough troubles—in the throat or deep-seated on the lungs. Sold by The Modern Pharmacy.

Effect of Rush Work.

Professor Thomas Oliver, addressing the industrial hygiene section of the sanitary congress in Glasgow, said the system of "rushing" work introduced into Britain from America not only caused unwholesome fatigue and many accidents, but "predisposed the individual to ill health and created a taste for stimulants, unhealthful recreation and love of excitement such as was offered by theaters and music halls."

CHAMPION LINIMENT FOR RHEUMATISM.

Chas. Drake, a mail carrier at Chapinville, Conn., says; "Chamberlain's Pain Balm is the champion of all liniments. The past year I was troubled a great deal with rheumatism in my shoulder. After trying several cures the storekeeper here recommended this remedy and it completely cured me." There is no use of anyone suffering from that painful ailment when this liniment can be obtained for a small sum. One application gives prompt relief and its continued use for a short time will produce a permanent cure. For sale by The Modern Pharmacy.

Some people put it off till tomorrow, while a drop of oil put on the door hinge would stop that creaking that you have been kicking about for a month.

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When your ship of health strikes the hidden rocks of Consumption, Pneumonia, etc., you are lost, if you don't get help from Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption. J. W. McLinnon, of Talladega Springs, Ala., writes: "I had been very ill with Pneumonia, under the care of two doctors, but was getting no better and when I began to take Dr. King's New Discovery. The first dose gave relief, one bottle cured me." Sure cure for sore throat, bronchitis, coughs and colds. Guaranteed at Benson's Pharmacy. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

A LONG LOST CITY.

Tanagra, the Site of the Modern Town of Gremada, In Greece.

Gremada is the name of the modern city in Boeotia, Greece, which occupies the site of the ancient city of Tanagra. The old town was a rich and luxurious place, greatly renowned for the cockfights that were given there. It had the honor of being the birthplace of Corinna, the great poetess of the fifth century before Christ, and perpetuated her memory by a majestic tomb, on which she was represented five times crowned in remembrance of the five victories which she had gained in the lyrical contests with Pindar. Despite this comparative celebrity it appeared destined to the eternal sleep of forgetfulness when after more than twenty-two centuries of silence chance drew to it the attention of archaeologists.

In 1870 the inhabitants of the neighboring villages while digging in their fields exposed to view some tombs which the French have assigned to the nineteenth century before the Christian era. The discovery of these first sepulchers was the cause of excavations, during which a quantity of other tombs were discovered, all situated along the roads which led from the walls of Tanagra in the direction of Thebes, Chaicis, Harnia and Platae.

Among this mass of tombs belonging to several centuries the most interest attaches to those of the fourth century before the Christian era on account of their contents. It was in these particularly that the statuettes known today under the name of "Tanagra figurines" were for the most part discovered.

STARTLING BUT TRUE.

People the world over were horrified on learning of the burning of a Chicago theater in which nearly six hundred people lost their lives, yet more than five times this number or over 3,000 people died from pneumonia in Chicago during the same year, with scarcely a passing notice. Every one of these cases of pneumonia resulted from a cold and could have been prevented by the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. A great many who had every reason to fear pneumonia have warded it off by the prompt use of this remedy. The following is an instance of this sort: "Too much cannot be said in favor of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and especially for colds and influenza. I know that it cured my daughter, Laura, of a severe cold, and I believe saved her life when she was threatened with pneumonia." W. D. Wilcox, Logan, New York. Sold by The Modern Pharmacy.

Perennial Blossom, This.

Papa — Your mother tells me you haven't been a very good boy today, Johnny.

Johnny — Between us, pa, I think she's a little prejudiced against me. It was only the other day she told Aunt Kate I was just like you.—Boston Transcript.

CURED CONSUMPTION.

Mrs. B. W. Evans, Clearwater, Kan., writes, my husband lay sick for three monts. The doctors said he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, and it cured him. That was six years ago and since then we have always kept a bottle in the house. We cannot do without it. For coughs and colds it has no equal. 25c, 50c and $1.00 Sold by The Modern Pharmacy.

Confused, but Sagacious.

"All that is expected of us in this war," said the Chinese mandarin, "is that we shall be neutral."

"And what is neutrality?"

"Neutrality, as I understand it, is the art of not committing yourself to anything until you are dead sure which side is going to win."—Washington Star.

A SAFE COUGH MEDICINE FOR CHILDREN.

In buying a cough medicine for children never be afraid to buy Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. There is no danger from it and relief is always sure to follow. It is especially valuable for colds, croup and whooping cough. For sale by The Modern Pharmacy.

Threshing has commenced in the wheat section of Oregon. The stockmen are theshing their wheat hay that was cut last year for feed. It will average from 10 to 15 bushels to the ton.

A DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

To draw out the fire of a burn, or heal a cut without leaving a scar, use DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. A specific for piles. Get the genuine. J. L. Tucker, editor of the Harmonizer, Centre, Ala., writes: "I have used DeWitt's Which Hazel Salve in my family for piles, cuts and burns. It is the best salve on the market. Every family should keep it on hand." Sold by The Modern Pharmacy

The Bridegroom's Song.

I'm sick of the song of the bride and her bloom;
Just hearken to me for awhile; I'm the groom.
I know I've no rights in the case; but, alas—
That's right—all I get in the case is a lass!
I know I'm supposed to be silent and meek;
But, hang it, I'm bound to get reckless and speak!

They're bursting about what the bride is to wear;
They're buzzing about how she'll fix up her hair;
They're quarreling over the bridal bouquet;
I listen in silence to all that they say.
They treat me as though I was chained to my doom;
Alack, what am I? I am only the groom.

The best I can don is some black and some white;
A horse collar vest and a bad case of fright;
My hair will be combed as it's combed every day;
I'd surely get mobbed if I flagged a bouquet.
I've got to be meek and try bravely to smile;
The meekness will stand me in hand after while.

Sing on of the beautiful bride and her bloom,
But don't mention me; I'm only the groom.
Just say, "He was dressed in conventional black;"
Then kindly forget me and hasten right back
To rave o'er the bride till you're black in the face;
I'm only the groom, and I'm learning my place.

—Baltimore American.

A CHICAGO ALDERMAN OWES HIS ELECTION TO CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY.

"I can heartily and conscientiously recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for affections of the throat and lung," says Hon. John Shenick, 229 So. Peoria St., Chicago. "Two years ago during a political campaign, I caught cold after being overheated, which irritated my throat and I was finally compelled to stop, as I could not speak aloud. In my extremity a friend advised me to use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I took two doses that afternoon and could not believe my senses when I found the next morning the inflammation had largely subsided. I took several doses that day, kept right on talking through the campaign, and I thank this medicine that I won my seat in the Council." This remedy is for sale by The Modern Pharmacy.

Never Touched Him.

Markley—Say, suppose you pay me back that $10 you owe me now.

Borroughs—Really, old man, I can't do that.

Markley—But you've got it to spare today.

Borroughs—I know, but there's no telling when I may need it.—Philadelphia Press.

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Administrators Sale of Real Property.

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