

SOME FLOWER PRESERVATIONS

Following are some timely suggestions to flower lovers on how to keep them fresh after they have been gathered and brought into the house to be used for decorative purposes.

Flowers should always have a slanting cut and if possible soaked over night in a deep container, in a cool room free from drafts. Stems should be stripped of foliage for at least four inches from the base. Crush and pound stems of all wood shrubs and plants such as rhododendrons, etc.

For restoring fresh flowers which have wilted, place in cold water, to which has been added 1/2 cup vinegar to a quart of water. If the foliage has been removed from the stems immersed in the water, it is not necessary to disturb the arrangement by changing the water. Simply add water to take the place of what has evaporated and spray flowers and foliage with a fine spray daily.

APPLE BLOSSOMS—

Should be cut in bud, crush or pound stems, plunge into deep water, containing five drops of hydrochloric acid to one gallon of water.

ASTERS—

(And all members of the Aster family.) Soak stems in water containing one teaspoon of sugar per quart. This will make the flower heads stand upright.

AZALEAS—

Burn the tip of the stem over gas flame. Soak in water containing one tablespoon of alcohol per gallon.

CALLA LILIES and LEAVES—

One half a cup of vinegar to one quart of water.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS—

Crush or burn stems. Soak in water containing eight drops of oil of peppermint to two quarts of water.

DAFFODILS—

Never place in deep water. They enjoy arrangement best in low containers.

DAHLIAS—

Burn ends, place in water containing one-half cup of vinegar per gallon.

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DAISIES—

(Any variety). Place in water which contains eight drops of oil of peppermint per quart.

FORGET-ME-NOTS—

Plunge the tips of stems in boiling water, then into cold water.

GARDINIAS—

After being cut from the mother plant, they absorb water only thru the petals and leaves. For best results, simply spray with water.

GLADIOLUS—

Place in water containing a tablespoon of alcohol per quart.

GRAPE HYACINTHS—

See forget-me-nots.

HYACINTHS—

Squeeze slippery substance out of stem, since it hardens and prevents water entering it. Plunge immediately into cold water.

HYDRANGEAS—

Crush stems or clean well. Place in water containing one-half cup vinegar per gallon.

IRIS—

Burn the tip of the stem, then plunge into cold water.

LILACS—

Fresh water. Always leave the leaves nearest to the blossoms on the stems, as the flower obtains its water thru these leaves.

LILY OF THE VALLEY—

See forget-me-nots.

MARIGOLDS—

Same as daisies.

PEONIES—

Crush stems four inches up and place deeply in cold water, to which nothing has been added. Cut in bud where possible.

POINSETTIAS—

Burn ends (tip). Rub burned end in table salt and plunge into cold water.

POPPIES—

Same as poinsettias.

ROSES—

Make a clean cut. Burn tip of stem. Plunge into cold water to which alum has been added. One tablespoon powdered alum to a quart of water.

SWEET PEAS—

Place in water containing one tablespoon alcohol per quart of water.

TULIPS—

Place in cold water up to flower heads.

WATER LILIES—

Pump stems full of water. Place a drop of paraffin in the center of the flower to keep it from closing.

WISTERIA—

Cut in evening. Slit stems. Place in water to which has been added one-quarter cup of alcohol per quart.

LADIES AUXILIARY ASKING FOR NEW MEMBERSHIPS

Revitalizing America's spirit of patriotism will be one of the important undertakings of the American Legion Auxiliary during the coming year, Marie White, president of Glenn Morrison Unit of the auxiliary, announced today. Enrollment of the largest membership in the history of the organization is being sought to help accomplish this task, she said.

"Amid defense which we are building will not make America secure unless there is behind them a nation strong in patriotic spirit," Mrs. White stated. "A united nation in which everyone is willing to serve and sacrifice for the common good is essential for the survival of our country as we know it in the world of today. There must be no subversion or self-seeking at home while our men are training in the field. The institutions which they are training to defend must not be allowed to decay behind their backs."

"Women have a very important part to play in keeping the nation internally strong. They are the tenders of the fires of patriotism in the home. They are the ones who must instill American ideals in the young. Through their individual and organization activities they can contribute immeasurably to the defeat of the forces seeking to undermine American democracy behind the lines of armed defenses."

"The auxiliary is giving energetic service in all fields where the patriotic work of women can be effective. We need greater strength than ever before this year because of the greater need for the work we are in position to do. We are seeking eligible women of the Illinois valley to come into our auxiliary unit now and help us carry forward our great program of service."

The Glenn Morrison unit will hold its meeting at the hall on the first and third Wednesdays when applications for membership will be received and new members welcomed into the organization.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Gates and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Renfro transacted business in Medford the first of the week.

COMMUNITY CHURCH NOTES

Attendance at Sunday school last Sunday was especially fine there being 61 present including 12 visitors. Collection was \$2.75. Mrs. Floyd White of Long Beach gave an illustrated story, much enjoyed by all and concluded with a duet sung by herself and daughter Marie, "Teach Me to Pray." In the absence of the superintendent, Mrs. George Hicks acted in that capacity.

All were delighted when the Inman family came into the service and were present for Sunday School and church. The "Busy Bees" were glad to have Muriel and Merle again with them. Other visitors were Mrs. Clyde Phelps and daughter Lois and Barbara Stine of Klamath Falls, and in the Junior class two new members, Neil and Loyal Freitas. In the church service Mrs. White and Mrs. Phelps sang a helpful duet, "Pause for a moment of Prayer."

It is good to have Miss V. E. White with us in the services. A recent letter from Eldon and Opal Johnson was read saying that Eldon is much improved and they have been given an appointment, but their address remains the same, Casilla 86, Cochabamba, Bolivia, South America. Postage 3c, same as here, and they would appreciate some letters from friends.

A gracious unknown donor left a fine load of wood at the rear of the church last week for which he has cordial thanks.

The missionary society at Mrs. W. Miller's on the 25th was largely attended, with a number of new friends, 18 ladies and five children. Those present included Mesdames Hicks, Hill, Brown, Hines, Nicholson, Iverson, Pauline Sherier, G. C. Sherier, Larson, Barnes, Cross, Wagstaff, Gray, Tucker, Admire, Gray, Mordecai and Miller. Mrs. Peters read a chapter from the study book, "The Kneeling Christian." Mrs. Gray thanked the ladies for the recent generous apron shower, and Ruth Hill asked for 10 lb. sugar sacks to be used in the work, the next meeting to be October 9th, with Mrs. Luther Sherier. Some very pretty quilts are being made and one woolen pieced quilt is finished and ready

for sale. On next Sunday morning at the church service the Holy Communion will be observed. This is Universal Communion Day in all denominations and lands, millions partaking at same time, and is open to all believing Christians, a hearty welcome being extended to all in the valley.

It Makes Sense

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Others feel that a League of Nations and a World Court supported

by an international police force are better than actual federation. Still others would make the firm of international federation even more tenuous. It is my own feeling, however, (whatever form world federation shall take) that America and the various countries comprising the British Commonwealth of Nations should be so closely bound together by legal, economic and moral ties, that their joint action should assure to the nations of the world a definite choice as to their form of government and freedom from ruthless aggression.

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Blood and Sand

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uated and it was found that they substantiated his claims, he was again assigned to direct Tyrone Power in this colorful film.

Heading the supporting cast of "Blood and Sand," which was produced in Technicolor are Linda Darnell and Rita Hayworth. Linda portrays Tyrone's forgiving young wife, while the role of the siren was awarded to Rita Hayworth when extensive tests revealed that she, more than any other star, was the perfect "siren" type. In addition, one of the most outstanding supporting casts ever assembled included Nazimova, Anthony Quinn, J. Carrol Naish, John Carradine, Lynn Bari, Laird Cregar and Vincente Gomez.

With the cast gathered and the roles rehearsed, plans were made for the extended location trip to Mexico City where, among others, the realistic and breathtaking bullfight scenes of the film were to be shot.

W. H. Barton of Barton Lumber company, was in the valley today looking over his saw mills.

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