

Planting Suggestions for GARDEN LOVERS

All the family can join in the delight of growing a garden... and certainly all the family will profit by its completion, and revel in its beauty.



New Flower Creations

Gardeners should deeply appreciate the splendid work of the All-American Awards committee. This committee conducts trials of the new plants which are propagated by seeds and thus does a great service to the gardening public.

The grounds are distributed over the nation so as to be truly representative of a wide range of conditions. The 1935 awards have aroused enthusiasm, probably greater than the 1933 and 1934 awards, since the work of the committee is becoming better known, and its recommendations are found to be meritorious.

Hints To Gardeners

by Harold Coulter, Vegetable Expert, Ferry Seed Institute



Starting Seeds Indoors

GARDENERS usually obtain more satisfactory results in growing certain vegetables such as tomato, cabbage, broccoli, egg plant and pepper if the plants are started early indoors from seed.

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Vegetables Grow Cheaply In Backyard

Do you believe inflation is coming? Is the cost of living going to soar while salaries and wages lag far behind, bringing difficult times for the manager of the family budget?

If so, why not "hedge" or take insurance against inflation effects, just as wealthy investors are said to be doing? James H. Burdett, director of the National Garden Bureau, says that every family which has as much as 200 square feet of soil at its disposal for a garden this spring can become largely immune from the effects of inflation on the food bill by growing its own vegetables.

"Inflation may increase greatly the cost of fresh vegetables in the market," said Mr. Burdett, "but it will not increase the cost of growing them in your own garden. There are two ways of figuring this cost. You may count the time you put in spading and cultivating, as so much labor, to be charged against the crop, or you may look upon gardening as exercise and recreation, a healthful and enjoyable way to spend leisure hours, and the crop as so much clear gain.

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"It is generally agreed that the first effect of inflation is upon the cost of living. Prices rise on consumption goods—the food we must have every day, the clothes we wear out and must replace, the items, in short, upon which most of the average income is expended.

"A rise of twenty-five per cent in food prices will place a heavy burden upon most families, if the money income does not rise in the same degree; and economists say there is always a lag here; prices rise faster than wages and salaries.

"The home garden can easily grow 25 per cent of the food which a family needs; and this will balance the budget, even if inflation does its worst.

Superior Sweet Peas

A very representative group of eight established summer flowering (late) Spencer sweet pea sorts for home garden decoration, are as follows:

- 1. Gigantic—a new, gold medal, white, prized for the fragrance of its densely frilled and duplexed blooms.
2. Magnet—a gold medal, bright and rich pink. The flower is superb, of the largest size and yet refined. It produces an abundance of four and five-bloom sprays on sturdy stems.
3. Amethyst—the best mid-blue to date. A vigorous, clear, bright amethyst blue with exceptionally large waxy blooms.
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5. Flamingo—a silver medal sweet pea. One of the strongest growers, bearing seldom less than four flowers. An absolutely sun-proof and reliable orange-scarlet, heavily shaded series.
6. Youth—the flower is huge, yet refined, and strongly perfumed. It is a white ground picotee, but with slightly more color on the edge than other varieties.
7. Glencoe—a most beautiful shade of lavender with just the faintest suggestion of blue. The flowers are exceptionally large, frilled, and waved to an extraordinary degree; long stems carrying sprays of four and five flowers are freely produced.
8. Mrs. A. Searles—a gold medal sweet pea. A remarkable and glorious color, absolutely distinct from any other color. Described as a rich pink merging into a soft orient red self, with a subtle undercurrent of golden orange.

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Gardens Reflect Better Times In View Of Official

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JOSEPHINE YOUNG DEMOCRATS GIRL

Howard Barrett was elected president of the Young Democratic club of Josephine county at a reorganization meeting held Friday night in the courthouse in Grants Pass.

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