

# Article on Seeds Discusses Buying

### Gardeners Should Peruse Seed Catalogues and List Packets for Spring Planting

The question has been asked over and over, "How many seeds shall I buy?" Some will go out and buy a pound where a package would be enough and some others will expect a package to plant an acre, so in this, the fifth of the series of articles that have been appearing on this page, we will try to give you some idea of what to buy and how to plant what you do buy.

Seedmen with their under staffed sales force are being driven to distraction by the questions the overworked clerks have to answer to sell a few packages of seed. So after listening to hundreds, yes thousands of questions, we have tried to compile a set of answers that will take care of the most of them.

It is surprising how far a packet of seeds will go, for instance a packet of bush beans which is about two and one-half ounces will plant a fifteen foot row, with the seeds placed two or three inches apart in the row and later thinned to six inches apart. Pole beans should be planted two or three to the hill and the hill should be a foot or so apart. A ten cent package will give the Victory gardener fifteen or twenty hills, and the amount of stringed beans twenty hills of well fed and well cultivated beans will produce is truly amazing.

A package of beets scattered one to two inches apart and later thinned for greens will give a fifteen foot row. Beets and turnips both have this valuable double feature of being usable for greens, and it is in the greens that the much needed vitamins are found. If you want to raise broccoli a package of seed should be sown in a flat and will give about one hundred young plants for the gardener to transplant later. Cabbage and brussels sprouts give about the same number of plants, and should be treated the same way. Don't sow too thick in the flat because they get too spindly and do not make healthy plants later. If one hundred plants is too much for one small garden, plan to divide with your neighbor or have a sale at your garden club.

Carrots are about like beets, a package makes about fifteen feet. You can't eat the tops but it is surprising how pretty they are used as greens with flowers.

Cauliflower is treated like cabbage and gives about the same number of plants. Sweet corn is placed about three or four kernels to the hill with the hills two feet apart. Incidentally corn pollenizes better if planted in a square or rectangle rather than in a row, and of course this makes it produce better.

Cucumbers should be planted six or eight to the hill and later thinned to about three. This will give about ten hills, and if they are kept fed with a little of the "gardener's tea" mentioned in a previous article ten hills will produce a lot of cucumbers.

Danish and summer squash will produce about eight hills to the packet using six or eight seeds to the hill and thinning to two good husky plants.

Kale makes good greens and a package makes one hundred to one hundred and fifty plants. This is a good one to divide with the neighbors because about six nice healthy plants will give more greens than the family is going to eat even if it is one of the valuable green vegetables and brimming over with vitamins.

Loose leaf lettuce should be planted about two or three seeds to the inch and then thinned. By using the outside leaves as they get big enough this kind of lettuce will keep on producing most of the summer. Head lettuce needs more room and should be planted about one seed to the inch. This should give a twenty foot row.

Onions and peas can be planted about the same distance apart, one or two to the inch and will make a twenty foot row.

However you plant your parsnips thin them out about one to every four inches when they get well up so they won't twist their roots around each other and form a mat that you cannot get out of the ground and can't peel after you do.

If you have room it is nice to have a few potatoes to come along about the time the new peas are ready to use. They should be cut up so there are two eyes to the piece and planted one piece to the hill. Pumpkins and the vining squash take too much room for the ordinary city garden but if there is room put a vine or two back some where so they can have plenty of space and give them a little "tea" now and then and you might have one to put in the chamber of commerce window sometime next Sep-

tember and then to bake with butter later on.

Such seeds as radishes are usually planted two many to the inch, one or two is enough.

Spinach can be planted one or two to the inch and then thinned and used as it grows. Tomatoes are probably the most popular of all the vegetables as well as being that much required red vegetable. They must be started in flats, one packet giving about seventy-five to one hundred plants. When they are set out they must have plenty of room and must have a sunny place, they should be staked and if pruned carefully all the plant strength can go to producing tomatoes instead of leaves and in this country they have a chance to ripen better. This is a list of the more common vegetables. There are others the Victory gardener may wish to try. Begin to plan now. By raising your own vegetables you are doing one little bit towards winning the war and you are helping yourself to health both by working in the garden and by eating the products of your labors. So here's good luck to all Victory gardeners.

Places were marked at table for Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Colwell, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Fruits, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kilpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McNeill, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Steele, Dr. and Mrs. Frank E. Trotman, Mrs. Robert Cannell, Gordon Fruits, the guest of honor, Mr. Dalton and the hostess.

## MRS. BARKER HOSTESS TO CIRCLE

Mrs. A. L. Barker was hostess to Circle 4 of the First Methodist church on Thursday, February the eleventh, at her home on Altamont drive. Dessert was served at one o'clock. Following the devotional service was the business meeting and the study period, the latter under the direction of Mrs. Sam Gaster. A chart of Allied flags was on display and the flags of several of the Latin-American countries were memorized while members of the circle worked on dish-towels which will be sold later.

Mrs. A. L. Barker is the chairman of the group, Mrs. C. A. Poole vice chairman, Mrs. C. G. Andrus, treasurer, and Mrs. Lem Lambert, secretary.

## VALENTINE PARTY ON BIRTHDAY

Rosemary Andersch, fifteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Andersch, 700 Doty street, observed her birthday anniversary on Monday evening at the family home with a Valentine Day party. Miss Andersch is a sophomore student at Sacred Heart academy.

Bidden to the affair were LaDean Gilliland, Patricia Fager, Lou Ann Kohler, Maxine Miller, Junie Miller, Melvin Dalton, Bert Rittner, Foster Thornton, Rhett Forstrom, Melvin Robinson and Don Tatum.



MISS ANDERSCH

Miss Rosemary Andersch was among the younger set celebrating birthday anniversaries this month. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Andersch.

—Kennell-Elia.



SEWING FOR THE LITTLE THEATRE

The Little Theatre off Mon Claire, has been the scene of busy sewing bees as members of the Parents and Patrons club have worked for the past two Tuesdays in making curtains and draperies for the theatre in Klamath Union high school. This picture was taken at the first meeting. Left to right, Mrs. Arnold L. Gralapp, Mrs. A. G. Proctor, Mrs. Loren Palmerton, Mrs. Godfrey C. Blohm and Mrs. Charles King. At the sewing machines, left, Mrs. Clyde Turner and Mrs. Harry Goeller.

—Kathleen Livingston.

## Parties At Merrill

### Mrs. Dalton Entertains; Legion Plans February Dinner

MERRILL—Mrs. Robert L. Dalton was hostess at a charmingly planned "ration party" in honor of Mr. Dalton's birthday Sunday evening, February fourteenth.

Centering the attractive four o'clock dinner table was a big red candle used for anniversaries and Christmas in the family for the last five years. Cards followed with ration honors in bridge going to Mrs. Warren Fruits and R. H. Anderson and in pinocchio to Mrs. Kenneth Colwell and Warren Fruits.

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MERRILL—The Merrill post, American Legion will be feted at a dinner by the auxiliary on the evening of February twenty-third, plans for the affair being worked out at a meeting of the auxiliary held Tuesday afternoon, February sixteenth at the home of Mrs. R. L. Dalton. The affair will be held in the Legion dining room in the community hall.

Members voted to ask a one dollar contribution toward finances for the coming year instead of trying to raise funds with public card parties, and distributed nine dresses for small girls to be made and sent to the child welfare unit of the Veterans' home at Roseburg.

Present for the afternoon were Mrs. Gene Hill, Mrs. Bertha McCollum, Mrs. Warren Fruits, Mrs. Thelma Stukel, Mrs. Paul Lewis, Mrs. Ernest Buck, Mrs. Gene Hammond, Mrs. Kenneth Colwell a guest and the hostess Mrs. Dalton.

## NEEDLE CLUB MEMBERS FOLD DRESSINGS

Members of the Oregon Needle club have joined other women of the city in making surgical dressings at Red Cross rooms on Main street and have planned to devote the first and third Tuesdays of each month on this work. Regular meetings of the club will be held Wednesday evenings and this next week Mrs. L. D. Metcalf of 727 Mt. Whitney street will entertain.

The club enjoyed a Valentine exchange recently at the home of Mrs. Walter Helfer, 1937 Melrose street. A potluck supper for members and their husbands will be held Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. Metcalf.

## THREE-YEAR-OLD HONORED ON ANNIVERSARY

A birthday party was given by Mrs. Gerald Zimmerman for her daughter, Elaine, on February eighteenth. The occasion was Elaine's third anniversary which occurred on that day.

Cake was served to Elaine, Roger Botens, Dorothy Darrell, Virginia Hayes, Thomas Darnell and Joan Gherkin.

Spending this weekend in Portland is Mrs. Rahlen C. Hastings of Lakeshore drive who is visiting her son, Ben, student at Reed college. She left by train Thursday evening and will return the early part of the coming week.

## Recital Planned For Wednesday

### "Little Men and Little Women" Program Depicts Revolutionary Days

Second of a series of seven recitals planned by the Sacred Heart academy faculty and students, will be presented at half past seven o'clock the evening of Wednesday, February the twenty-fourth, in the school auditorium. "Little Men and Little Women" is the title of the program.

Characters: Master John, Jimmy Johnston; Mistress Jane, Sandra Mazingo; Master Roger, Roger Ellis; Mistress Susan, Sue Ramsby; Master Donald, Donald Crane; Mistress Elizabeth, Molly Cashin; Master Darnell, Darnell Havens; Mistress Regina, Regina Hannon; Master Ronald, Ronald Hatfield; Mistress Prudence, Mickey O'Dell; Master Joseph, Joseph Gardner.

The curtain rises upon the stately drawing room of typical Revolutionary days, which is to be the scene of a meeting of friends from the surrounding countryside. The guests arrive and are greeted by their host and hostess. As the evening proceeds, each in turn entertains with musical selections to remind them of happier days and of their dear ones now absent with war troops. When the party draws to a close, all find themselves better prepared to face future days of trial after this brief interlude of music.

- My First Dancing Lesson..... Johnson
- Sue Ramsby
- The Treasure Hunt..... Bragdon
- Roger Ellis
- Watermelon Pickaninnies..... Gwynn
- Sandra Mazingo
- A Dance from Olden Times..... Wagness
- Regina Hannon
- Soldiers at Play..... Stairs
- Donald Crane
- The Elf and the Fairy..... Bentley
- Molly Cashin
- Little Elves from Fairyland..... Johnson
- Ronald Hatfield
- Swaying Silver Birch..... Leslie
- Mickey O'Dell
- The Long Trail..... Thompson
- Darnell Havens
- Ginger Snap Brigade..... Echstein
- Joseph Gardner
- To Whit, to Whoop!..... Stairs
- Jimmy Johnston

## OFFICERS NAMED BY DAUGHTERS

The regular business meeting of the Catholic Daughters of America was held on Monday evening, February the eighth, in the academy auditorium. Mildred Smith acted as chairman in the absence of Helen Egan, committee chairman for the month. She was assisted by Wilma Rutledge, Melissa Bernadau, and Katherine Brown.

Mrs. Winnifred Gillen discussed point rationing. Visitors during the evening were five sisters from the Sacred Heart Academy. The following officers were elected, financial secretary, Violet Pieser; treasurer, Theresa Dover; trustees, Rose O'Leary and Helen Dunbeck.

## MRS. MONTANYA HONOR GUEST AT DINNER

Mrs. Archie Montanya, who leaves this weekend for Dunsmuir to make her home, was honored at an informal no-hostess dinner given for her Friday evening at El Padre.

Guests bidding goodbye to Mrs. Montanya included Ina O'Keefe, Norma Karr, Arlene Thuback, Vera LeRoy, Marcela Kohler, Mary Shoaif, Blanche Marks, Thelma Gordon, Agnes DeChaneau, Kay Bellinger, Valeria Ostrom, Eva Parrish, Agnes Adams, Helen Cook, Ethel Harmon, Mildred Smith, Helen Johnson, Betty Christiansen, Viola Juveland and Virginia Morris.

Members of Alpha Past Matron club will meet Friday, February the twenty-sixth, at one o'clock, at the Masonic Temple, Klamath avenue, when hostesses will be Mrs. Wilbur A. Jones, Mrs. Glenn Kent, Mrs. George Hurn and Mrs. Jacob Heid.

The Degree of Honor drill team will practice Sunday afternoon at two o'clock in the KC hall.

## Matron Entertains

### Mrs. Willard Smith Hostess at Affairs in February

MERRILL—Mrs. Willard Smith has been hostess this month at two delightfully planned afternoons for bridge, the first party being February fifth. Motifs of pink and yellow heralded the coming of spring. High honors went to Mrs. Robert L. Dalton and low to Mrs. H. O. Cox. Mrs. J. R. Blatch assisted Mrs. Smith in serving.

Bidden to the affair were Mrs. Mary Robison, Mrs. N. H. Bogue, Mrs. W. C. Bailey, Mrs. Mammie Giacomini, Mrs. Frank Carey, Mrs. Warren Fruits, Mrs. R. L. Dalton, Mrs. H. O. Cox, Mrs. J. R. Blatch, Mrs. Denson, Mrs. Elmer Stukel, Mrs. Roy McNeill, Mrs. Ray Merrill.

Valentine motifs predominated at the second party on February thirteenth. Mrs. Terry Edwards took high honors and low went to Mrs. Clifford Shuck. Mrs. R. M. Smith assisted about the rooms. Invited were Mrs. Frank E. Trotman, Mrs. W. J. Grove, Mrs. Clifford Shuck, Mrs. J. R. Steele, Mrs. R. W. Steele, Mrs. O. T. McKendree, Mrs. Scott McKendree, Mrs. C. E. Sharp, Mrs. Levi McDonald, Mrs. Dan Barry, Mrs. Jerry Ahern, Mrs. Terry Edwards.

Mrs. Hugh O'Conner, Mrs. R. C. Burleigh, Mrs. Dan Cashman, Mrs. O. M. Castleman, Mrs. M. A. Bowman, all of Merrill and Mrs. E. W. Staunton and Mrs. R. M. Smith, Tulelake.

Mrs. Smith planned "war time" refreshment menus for both days, using no sugar, coffee or butter.

Eight members of the Independent Study club met on Thursday, February the eighth, at the cafeteria of Mills school where they had lunch, then spent the afternoon in the Red Cross rooms working on surgical dressings. The club's next meeting, March the fourth, is scheduled to be held at the home of Kate Crowson, 2243 Darrow avenue.

# Nurses Install on Thursday Evening

### OSNA Officers Named for Coming Year at Annual Banquet in Lutheran Church

The annual banquet of the Oregon State Nurses' association, district No. eight, was held Thursday evening, February eighteenth, at the Klamath Lutheran church at Cross and Crescent streets. The officers for the coming year were installed with Mrs. Earl Heuvel serving as president, Mrs. Ida Reinartz, vice president; Miss Anne Rood, treasurer, and Mrs. Nellie Gabbert, private duty chairman.

The retiring president, Mrs. Del Campbell, presided and introduced the new officers. Banquet tables were attractive with bowls of daffodils and yellow acacia and tall yellow candles. Following the banquet, served by the Klamath Lutheran Ladies' Aid, numbers were enjoyed by a trio including Mrs. George McIntyre, piano, and Mrs. Joseph C. O'Neill and Mrs. David Burgoyne, violins.

Present were Mrs. J. W. Caldwell, Mrs. Gertrude Whistler, Mrs. Howard Strode, Mrs. Del Campbell, Mrs. Nellie Gabbert, Mrs. Dale Smelcer, Mrs. Lillie Miller, Mrs. Margaret Everett, Mrs. Lora Brazee, Mrs. Inez Edwards, Mrs. Alice Solberg, Mrs. L. L. Low, Mrs. E. H. Lawrence, Mrs. Ruth Ferguson, Mrs. Ida Reinartz, Mrs. Rose Davis, Mrs. Elizabeth Holt, Mrs. Katherine Hiatt, Mrs. Phil Quisenberry, Mrs. Dean Osborn, Mrs. William Van Buskirk, Mrs. J. Martin Adams, Mrs. Adeline E. Towey, Mrs. Caroline Peterson, Mrs. Merit Smith, Mrs. Katherine Wilson, Mrs. Ginger Folk, Mrs. Mary Large, Mrs. Bessie Houts, Mrs. Jewel Ruger, Miss Margaret Colahan, Miss Anne Rood, Miss Julia James, Miss Nellie Akse, Miss Esther Kielsmeier, Miss Mildred Crawford and Miss Irma Lee.

PROGRAM OF INTEREST TO DAUGHTERS

Mrs. Z. W. Dixon, regent of Eulalona chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, has arranged for a series of radio broadcasts, as a contribution to the war effort. These programs will be broadcast over KJFI each Tuesday evening at 7:45 o'clock beginning February the twenty-third.

The topics will have to do with conservation in all its branches, and forestry will be the first subject. The radio class of KUHS will put on the sketches, under the direction of Mr. Woodhouse of the faculty. Each program will last fifteen minutes. Mrs. Dixon invites the listening public to tune in for these informative sketches.

The regular meeting of Eulalona chapter will be held Monday evening, March first, at the home of Mrs. D. V. Kuykendall, California avenue. Mrs. W. J. Owsley will talk on "America's Defense Program." Assisting hostesses will be Mrs. Robert E. Wattenburg and Miss Jean Whitney.

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# If You Are NOT a High School Graduate

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However, students enrolled before enactment of the bill would not be affected.

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