

Irrigation Most Important Phase

Lay the Water on Generously When You Plant The 1943 Victory Garden Is Good Advice

By MARGARET LAMB

Another interesting article which should be carefully read by the amateur dirt gardener planning to put dollars and cents into a Victory garden this year, has been prepared for our pages by Mrs. Ernest D. Lamb, president of the Oregon State Federation of Garden Clubs. This one has to do with irrigation and should be well digested by the gardener who lets his garden suffer as he keeps too close watch on the water meter. Plenty of water, if you're going to garden at all, is the watchword.

"Irrigation differs from rainfall because it is definitely in the control of the gardener. Vegetables need and appreciate moisture and lacking rain they must have irrigation.

"The various means of irrigating are personal problems and must be worked out by each gardener to suit his own soil and topography. Some of the commercial growers use an overhead sprinkler type, using it rather infrequently, but when they do irrigate they do it thoroughly. They water for two hours or more in the evening or morning when evaporation is less. This type of watering is satisfactory for city and suburban gardens, but the soil must be watched while the watering is going on to see what is happening to it, even if it might be necessary to get out in the mud and see if the water is sinking in and how far. It must not be allowed to run off and wash away the soil with it. Irrigation in furrows is very good because it puts the water just where it is needed, right at the roots.

"It is no use to try to irrigate by flicking the hose around a little in the evening and hitting a few high spots. This hardly settles the dust and is just a waste of water.

"Breaking up the crust formed by watering has to be determined by the soil. At any rate the water must be allowed to get down to the roots and the surface should be well dried before the crust is broken up. If a handful of soil is picked up and it breaks to pieces easily, then it is ready to work over to form a mulch. It must not be worked too deep or roots will be injured. Some sandy light soils do not need to be worked for they form their own mulch as they dry out. But heavy silt soils or those of clay form a hard crust which must be broken up after the water has been allowed to seep down through to the roots. If sub-irrigation is possible it is fine but it is seldom found. A porous hose is good for distributing the water evenly and it leaves very little crust afterwards. If there is a summer rain it is a fine time to make some second plantings, but if there is irrigation then these plantings can be done at the convenience of the gardener. Extra fertilizer will have to be added if double cropping is to be done. A water soluble commercial fertilizer should be used.

"Professor Bouquet's new Bulletin No. 612 covers the topic completely, and every Victory gardener should have one. It seems that many people think that fertilizer cannot be added after a garden is established but it can if it is properly done. The fertilizer should be added about three inches from the plants and a pound to each side of about every one hundred feet is about right. This should be lightly stirred into the soil and then watered in too. If double cropping is to be done it is wise to stir in the fertilizer about a week before the new planting is to be done. The ground should be thoroughly irrigated before planting and then allowed to become workable before planting.

"Preparing the soil, fertilizing, irrigating and cultivating with discretion would seem to be the greater part of producing the Victory garden but on every hand are enemies waiting to pounce upon the new shoots as they come out of the ground. Some of these pests cannot even wait till the seeds get out of the ground to begin their destruction. Next time we will tell you how Professor Bouquet keeps them under control."

CUB SCOUTS ENTERTAIN AT DINNER
Members of Cub Scouts, Den No. 4, entertained their fathers at a Dads' night supper in the cafeteria of Fremont school at half past six o'clock Friday night and the affair was most successful.

In charge of the dinner were mothers including Mrs. Jack Schulze, Mrs. Frank Peyton, Mrs. R. H. Lamott, Mrs. Wilbur Shannon, the latter substituting for Mrs. C. S. Elliot, the Den Mother.

Betrothal Announced

Iola Haley to Wed Air Corps Lieutenant After the War.

MALIN—Mr. and Mrs. J. Perry Haley this week announced the engagement of their eldest daughter, Iola Louise, to Lieutenant Robert Bruce McConnell of Portland. The lieutenant, now on duty in the South Pacific, is the son of Mrs. Louise McConnell, also of that city.

The bride-elect, following her graduation from Oregon State college in 1941, was affiliated for a year with the Massachusetts General hospital in Boston, as dietician. Returning west, she is at present with the University of California hospital in the same capacity. During her years at Oregon State she was a member of Alpha Xi Delta sorority.

Lieutenant McConnell, also a graduate of Oregon State, was a Lambda Chi Alpha, majoring in forestry. His basic training as a navigator in the army air corps was received at Kelley field, Texas, and Alamogordo, New Mexico. He left the United States in February.

The wedding will not take place until the end of the war.

NEIGHBORS HAVE POTLUCK SUPPER

The Neighbors of Woodcraft met in the KC hall Monday evening, March the first, at eight o'clock. One new member, Frances Gilchrist, was initiated at this meeting. Following the business meeting and initiation, a potluck supper was served.

The next meeting, March the fifteenth, will be initiation and test night for incoming officers, also practice for the installation to be held April the fifth. Stella Persell is the installing officer and the installing committee consists of Dicksey Weed, Alta Clark, Wilbur Floetke, Ellen Ely and Stella Persell. This meeting on April the fifth will be a public installation.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Holloway of Crescent avenue are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wasson and their three children of Mankato, Minnesota for several days. Mr. Wasson is a nephew of Mrs. Holloway. The Wassons are en route to Marshfield where they plan to make their home.



LITTLE THEATRE PLAYERS

"The Diabolical Circle," presented Saturday afternoon before AAUW, and Monday for the pleasure of Library club members, features, left to right, Martin Butz, George Brown, and Bruce Wirth. B. B. Blomquist is the director. —Picture by Alvin Davis.

CONTRACT CLUB ENTERTAINED DURING WEEK

The Thursday Contract club was entertained by Bertha Hewitt, 2225 Darrow avenue, on the afternoon of March the fourth. Dessert was served at two o'clock to Fannie Thompson, Idoline Schupp, Willa Bark, Clara McPherrin, Pearl Yorke, Helen Anderson, Stella Dryden and the hostess. The afternoon was spent at contract, high score being held by Stella Dryden, second by Willa Bark and the travelling prize went to Fannie Thompson.

The club's next meeting, March the eighteenth, will be at the home of Fannie Thompson, 1334 Owens street.

Delta Gamma chapter of Delphian will meet at a quarter to ten o'clock at the home of Mrs. Wilbur A. Jones on High street Tuesday morning, March the ninth. The leader will be Mrs. Don J. Zumwalt and the topic, "The Meaning of Style in Architecture."

Executive board of BPW with Edna Albrecht, 1976 Huron street, 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, March 9 Master Masons night at OES, Masonic hall. Potluck dinner at 6:30 p. m. WCTU to meet with Mrs. Ellen Rogers, 325 North Sixth street.

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Wednesday, March 17 St. Patrick's dance at armory sponsored by Veterans of Foreign Wars. Music by Baldy Evans band.

Monday, March 22 Edith Cuninghame club of BPW, with Suzanne Hamilton.

Monday, April 5 Regular meeting of the Klamath League of Women Voters in the small clubroom, city library, 2 p. m. Foreign policy group, Mrs. E. A. Geary, leader, in charge.

Social Calendar

Sunday, March 7 Open house for Rev. and Mrs. Wissenbach at St. Paul's parish house from 3 to 5 p. m. Degree of Honor drill team practice at 2 p. m. KC hall.

Monday, March 8 Woman's Library club to meet in Little Theatre off Mon Claire for regular March program, 2 p. m.

Regular meeting, Degree of Honor, KC hall, 8 p. m. Oregon Mothers club, 10 a. m. to 1 p. m., at Red Cross headquarters, luncheon at Pelican lake. Hostesses, Mrs. L. E. Kirkpatrick and Mrs. James Burness.

The Catholic Daughters of America will hold a business meeting in the parish hall at 8 p. m.

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FAREWELL PARTY FOR BEN KERNS

Ben Kerns, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Kerns of the Keno highway, was honored prior to his departure for service with the United States army when Darlene McDaniel and Martha Ray entertained last Saturday evening with a party. Mr. and Mrs. Kerns and Mrs. Ruth Ray were patrons. Dancing was followed by refreshments.

Guests included Charlene Cain, Pat Maston, June O'Brien, Shirley Katzmeyer, Ann Otey, Gwen Meade, Genevieve Heup, Bernice Foster, Helen Suty, Rosie Suty, Lavaine Bridge, Jim Cox, Foney Parrish, Pete Zupan, Talbert Seahorn, Alvin Davis, Don Bridge, Bob Burgess, John Fletcher, Wilbur Kesterson, Don Crawford, Cliff Stemmler, Bob Barr and Leonard Barke. Young Kerns leaves March seventh.

—Kennell-Ellis.

Recital Scheduled

Academy Students Plan Program for Thursday Evening

The music department of Sacred Heart academy will present a program, "Music, Past and Present," in a recital scheduled for the evening of Thursday, March the eleventh, in the school auditorium. Following is the program:

Early Classic Period
"Minuet in G Major" ... Bach
Charlotte Heup
"Smoker's Reflection" ... Bach
Robert Paul
"Minuet" ... Bach
Betty Nelson
Late Classic Period
Sonatina, Op. 36,
No. 1 ... Clementi
Spiritoso
Andante
Vivace
Harriet Lavenik
Sonatina, Op. 36,
No. 2 ... Clementi
Allegretto
Allegretto
Allegro
Rosemary Williams
Romantic Period
"Melody" ... Schumann
Gwendolyn Beckley
"Prelude" ... Chopin
Marilyn Olson
"Serenade" ... Schubert
Patricia McMillan
"Solveig's Song" (Peer Gynt Suite) ... Grieg
Rosemary Williams, first piano.
Harriet Lavenik, second piano.

Modernistic Period
"Song of the Deep" ... Wagner
Cathryn James
"Flying on the Clipper Ship" ... Hastings
June Plunkett
"La Cucaracha," adapted by John Thompson.
Gwendolyn Beckley
"Caprice of the Gnomes" ... Eckstein
Robert Paul
"Dance of the Dwarf" ... Aaron
Betty Nelson
"Gramercy Square" ... Grant
Patricia McMillan

FRIENDSHIP CLUB MEETS FRIDAY
Mrs. Bruce Hull and Mrs. A. W. Pollard were hostesses to the Friendship club at Mrs. Hull's home, 4628 Cannon street, on Friday afternoon, February the twenty-sixth. Dessert luncheon was served at half past one o'clock to the following guests, Mrs. C. O. Dryden, Mrs. Eugene Love, Mrs. Sydney Evans, Mrs. Lee Kennedy, Mrs. C. W. Stanley, Mrs. H. O. Lohr, Mrs. E. B. Bjorkland, Mrs. Joe Russell, Mrs. Arnold Molschenbacher, Mrs. W. A. Bishop. After a brief business meeting, auction bridge was played, with Mrs. Stanley holding high score. Mrs. Evans second and the door prize going to Mrs. Molschenbacher.

The club's next meeting will be on Friday, March the twenty-sixth and will be held at the home of Mrs. Eugene Love, with Mrs. Lohr assisting.

On Saturday evening, February the twenty-seventh, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Anderson of 2526 White avenue entertained in honor of the birthday of Robert Lewis. Other guests were Mrs. Robert Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Putnam, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Crowson, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Myers and a very special guest, little Miss Patricia Murphy.

After the entertainment was concluded games were played. The next meeting will be Thursday, March the eighteenth, at half past seven o'clock. Following the business meeting there will be entertainment. All officers are asked to wear formal.

THEATRE PARTY ON BIRTHDAY

Billy Pickett's ninth birthday was observed Saturday afternoon when his mother, Mrs. S. V. Pickett entertained for a group of young friends who attended the theatre and later returned to the family residence for birthday cake and ice cream. The patriotic theme was stressed with a red and white cake lighted with blue candles in the shape of a "V." Mrs. Angus Newton assisted. Guests were Marilyn Wheeler, Marilyn Miller, Beverly Kohn, Sally Greenleaf, Marilyn and Margaret Gover, Dale Peyton, Bobby Deverl and Gene Peyton.

BETTY M'VEY HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

MERRILL—Elizabeth Maxine "Betty" McVey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl McVey was eight years old February twenty-sixth and in celebration of the big day she invited in a number of small friends for dinner and a slumber party.

The attractive dinner table was centered with a yellow and white birthday cake and other appointments were in keeping with the same color motif.

Those who came for the fun were Elaine LaClair, Patricia Smith, Kathleen Wilson, Joan Drager and Barbara Saylor.

BIRTHDAY
Billy Pickett observed his ninth anniversary Saturday afternoon of last week with a theatre party. He is the young son of Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Pickett.
—Kennell-Ellis.



JUDITH

Little Judy Lulu Jones is the one year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. Jones of 318 Laguna street. Her birthday occurred February the second.

AUXILIARY GUEST AT LUNCHEON

Auxiliary Nina M. Keeney, recruiting officer for the WAAC's, and Mrs. Clara Jester, in charge of the local voluntary recruiting service, were guests at the Soroptimist luncheon Thursday, held in the Pelican party room. They were introduced to the club by Mrs. Annabelle Newton.

Relieving men for combat duty is the main purpose of the WAAC's, according to Mrs. Keeney. Each WAAC is given a basic training of four weeks, which is followed by field and special training. The chief qualification looked for in recruits is alertness. Mrs. Keeney stated that the recruits can specify whether they wish foreign service and that so far eighty per cent chose overseas duty.

One unusual feature of the meeting was the Red Cross school conducted by Mrs. Ruth Bathiany and assisted by Mrs. Isabelle Brixner, Mrs. Doris Peyton, Mrs. Edna Albrecht and Mrs. Lena Robbins.

An interesting report on the present state legislative session and various impending bills was given the club by Mrs. Jean Young.

Mrs. Yetta Margulis announced that club members had purchased \$120.70 of war stamps at the January and February luncheons.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Wattenburg motored to Medford Saturday of last week on a business trip and were accompanied by Mrs. J. F. Goeller who visited her sister, Dr. Bertha Sawyer of Ashland, and Mrs. Wilbur Jones who enjoyed a visit with her sister, Mrs. Charles Hemstreet and her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Newbury, all of Medford.

Barriers Discussed

League of Women Voters Meet Monday In Club Rooms

Interstate trade barriers were discussed before the Klamath League of Women Voters Monday afternoon by Mrs. W. H. McMillan of Midland. Mrs. McMillan told how these barriers were hampering the war effort, and based her talk upon the following points:

1. Reasons for great increase in the number of trade barrier lines in the last decade. 2. Examples of these laws and their methods of enforcement. 3. Their serious effect on national economy, particularly in time of war. 4. What is being done by state and federal governments in combined effort to re-establish a free trade area throughout the United States.

Mrs. McMillan will allot a portion of the program period to general discussion and questions.

The National League of Women Voters takes a stand opposing interstate trade barriers.

Dr. H. S. Stone of the Toastmasters club spoke to the league in behalf of the Red Cross drive to begin Monday, March the eighth.

A report was presented by Mrs. H. P. Bosworth, radio and legislative chairman. She asked members to write Lowell Stockman, United States representative from this district, urging that no damaging amendments to the lend-lease bill be passed by the congress, and that the plan be retained in its present form.

Mrs. Everett R. Dennis, president, presided, and announced that the next meeting would be held Monday, April the fifth. The foreign policy group of the league, under the leadership of Mrs. E. A. Geary, will present the program.

STUDY CLUB MEMBERS MEET AT SMITH'S

The Independent Study club met on Thursday, March the fourth at the home of Mrs. J. N. Smith on Pacific Terrace. Luncheon was served at one o'clock to the following members and guests: Pearl Marin, Lizzie Little, Nona Hall, Agnace Lowe, Ipha Brown, Fannie Goddard, Arthur Stone and Mrs. McDonald and the hostess, Estelle Smith. The business meeting was unusually long, and no sewing was done during the afternoon.

This club meets on alternate Thursdays, and on March the eighteenth they will go to the Red Cross room at Mills school at noon to make surgical dressings. The next social meeting, April the first, will be at the home of Pearl Marin.

Helen Cox of Klamath Falls was elected sergeant-at-arms of Kappa Delta sorority at Pacific university, Forest Grove, according to word received here.

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WED IN CHURCH RITES

Sergeant and Mrs. Richard Morris were married St. Valentine's day February fourteenth, in the First Methodist church. The bride is the former Norma Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wilson of this city.

—Kennell-Ellis.