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### VANCOUVER BEAUTIFICATION

DAILY EDITION

Vancouver is starting a beautification scheme which is then some of the plants are likea good thing that may or may not be successful. If we may ly to suffer. suggest something, it is that beautification has to come from the citizens and is a matter of civic pride, love of beauty and order, and is brought about by education and ses all rules. Not only is the soil inspiration. That is how Prince Rupert is working it out. unprepared but the shape and Individual citizens are doing their part, each in his own location are said to be all wrong. One expert says a rock garden way, to bring about a better condition. And in doing this should be away from the house they enjoy the work.

### FREEDOM OF THOUGHT

Canadians are free to think for themselves and in this also a lot of instruction in every Mrs. William Rutherford they differ from the people of some of the European book on how the rocks should be Nelson, one of the most delightful countries. It is a great thing to be able to think as one are just the way they should not and a regular contributor to wishes. We are not forced into any groove of thought or be placed. Having started wrong "Canadian Horticulture," died repunished because we do not think like some other person. in the wrong place under adverse cently. Her contributions on "The Naturally, if we start out to campaign for what we think conditions and having adopted Spirit of the Garden" will be and try to get others to think like ourselves, we must be style of placing rocks, it will be magazine and I am sure her gar prepared for the opposition which always comes in such rather interesting to note what den near Nelson will miss her cases. Still Canadians generally are broadminded and al- the results will be. Evidently, ac- tender care. She put her personlow a great deal of freedom of expression. It is a great cording to all rules, the result ality into her writings and that thing to live in such a country.

#### ABERHARTISM

"Alberta seems to be having a difficult time with its So- MUSIC CLUB cial Credit business," says the Victoria Times. "An SOS call has gone out to Major Douglas, described as the 'father of Social Credit,' to cross the Atlantic and come to the aid of Premier Aberhart.

"What Alberta does, of course, is Alberta's own business. But what is the idea of a thriving province seeking a financial system which, apparently, nobody understands?

"Major Douglas addressed a dinner meeting held in his Ladies' Music Club yesterday and closed with "God Save the honor by the provincial government in Victoria a year or afternoon proved unusually suc- King." Delicious refreshments so ago. Newspapermen, of course, know nothing about cessful. Mrs. W. H. Kergin was were served at the close by the finance; but newspapermen present at that affair had the hostess and the event was members of the executive of the the satisfaction of knowing that at the conclusion of held in the Kergin home on club. There were a large number Major Douglas' remarks they know as much chart Social Major Douglas' remarks they knew as much about Social ford Darton, president of the Credit as those trained in the art of political and financial club, in charge. The program was VANCOUVER-WINNIPEG WHEAT thought.

"What the ordinary individual, the individual who has Cecil Burleigh), Miss Nellie the capacity to think, cannot grasp is how the ordinary Lawrence. Albertan thinks he or she is going to benefit by the new- Vocal solo "Someone Brought The closing price for May wheat at fangled Aberhartistic financial system.

"Mr. Aberhart is not a financial wizard who is able to Mrs. Jarvis McLeod. touch a magic wand to start the flow of good Canadian Lincke), Mrs. W. E. Drake and currency from the heavens. All the Social Credit divi- Mrs. J. C. Gilker. dends he has promised to distribute must be provided by Vocal solo "A Fairy Went a Consolidated Mining, Smelting & and horned toads are just as bad. the citizens of Alberta.

"If we may be permitted the vulgarism—the people of Alberta, when they elected the Social Credit government, pin), Mrs. H. O. Johnsen. merely 'kidded' themselves."

To those who are novices at One rule that does not seem to gardening, we suggest that it is have been generally promulgated to do this. I am gradually devel- rather like it. oping toward rock gardening. It has become necessary to adapt this preference to the conditions under which we live.

in front of our cottage which is or two. I decided to do the same

#### Prince Rupert Needs Color



Any flower that adds to the brightness of the garden is well worth growing.

mostly planted to rock plants. Some of them we have not yet! 1.00 seen in bloom while others are .02 old favorites. This bed is cultiv-25 ated in the crudest way possible, the long grass being just turned under. At one end the soil seems. to have come from beneath the house and is stone and gravel mixed with a small amount of good soil. At the end near the! Thursday, April 22, 1937 i path it is almost wholly coal ashes. The result is in the lap of the gods. It will need cultivation and fertilization and even

#### Breaks all Rules

As a rock garden it transgresand there should be no straight lines in evidence. It should be more or less hidden so that coming on it is a surprise. There is

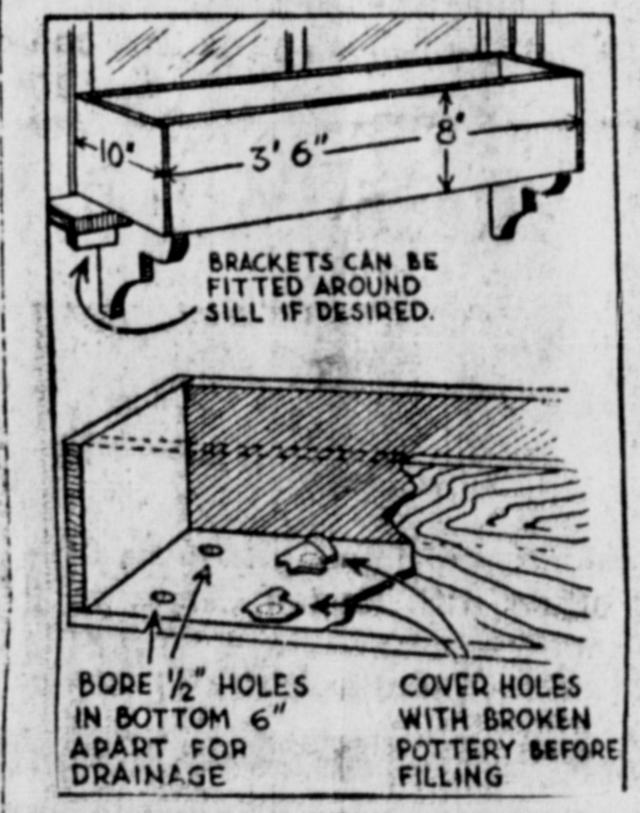
a great thing to specialize on is to make the best you know how some particular flower. That does under conoditions that present had a bad attack of rheumatism, not mean that you should neglect themselves. Use what you have and was advised to take Kruschen. all others but that your favorite and make the best of it. If you He did so, and describes his exshould predominate. Charles Bal- can't have what the experts say, periences in the following words:agno, for instance, specializes in have something and make it as "About two years ago I develop-Coltness dahlias and he will grow pleasing as possible. That is the ed a severe attack of rheumatism thousands of them this year. It rule I am trying to follow. It may in my left shoulder blade. I tried all lends added interest to the garden not be pleasing to others, but I

#### Planting Now

James Boyd told me the other night that he had planted his A good many people have taken dahlias. I thought it early but, considerable interest in the plot after thinking about it for a day Glads are due to go in the ground now and movinf of perrennials, if not already done, should not longer be delayed. Some people are sowing nasturtiums and other seeds out of doors. Others have greenhouses or cold frames and have most of their sowing done At the C. N. R. gardens many of the seedlings are ready for trans planting, possibly a little early but in another week or so should be all right. Spring frosts have of late years been light but there is always the danger of having delicate plants badly injured by too early planting.

> Why Not Something New? Why not try something new in the garden this year? Some people never have anything very good in

# The Window Box



Above diagrams may prove useful to the novice.

their gardens because they are al- midnight whenever he gets to bed ways changing but others seldom that early. try anything new and they lose interest. The medium method A writer in the United States seems to be the best. Try some discusses what is wrong with the thing new each year but stick to Republican party. He says what a lot of tried varieties and feat- they need is more funerals. ure the ones you like best.

#### Spirit of the Garden

should be an inartistic hodge- made them always so interesting.

Large Number Present at Annual Event With Mrs. W H Kergin as Hostess

me Daffodils" (Hayden Wood) Winnipeg yesterday was \$1.363/4.

heart), Mrs. S. D. Johnston.

Come" (Zalerie White), Mrs. H. N. Brocklesby. Piano duet "Columbine" (L.L. Delahaye), Mrs. E. J. Smith and

Mrs. W. L. Stamford. Vocal solo "Until" (Coleridge Taylor), Mrs. R. G. Large. Piano solo "Hungarian Dance Number 5" (Brahms), Miss M

McCaffery. The program opened as usual

VANCOUVER, April 22: (CP)-Wheat was trading at \$1.313/4 on

superintendent of the Granby but skippers, pollywogs, water-dogs Marketing" (Arthur M. Good Power Co. at Anyox, who has I once knew a woman who raised been in this district for the past nine boys and lived. Guess it is a Piano solo "Muzurka)) (Cho- week on mining business, sails by knack! the Princess Norah this afternoon Vocal solo "The Spring has on his return to Vancouver.

### His Rheumatism Left Him

Sufferer Follows Good Advice-And Takes Kruschen

The writer of the following letter

sorts of remedies, but with no re sults, until one day my brother-inlaw, on hearing of my suffering, exclaimed, "There is only one thing for rheumatism! That is-Kruschen Salts!" I decided to purchase a bottle, and for the first week took a teaspoonful in a glass of hot water each morning. The pain gradually disappeared and has now gone entirely. I am still taking my early morning dose, as I feel convinced that it is helping to keep me fit."-J.G.B.

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### Man in the Moon

The editor of the Rotary bulletin this week stole a few jokes. One was about a man who de clared the world was neither flat nor round, but crooked.

Of course, everyone knows your world is as you see it. To me it looks rather mottled with lots of brightness showing through.

It is now the innings of the electioneering orators who will delight appreciative audiences by declaring that all politicians are just a bunch of crooks.

They say it takes a crook to find

Jake says he's going to mount a soap box one of these days and tell the world what he thinks of political orators and their ilk. He's polishing up his vocabulary in the meantime by swearing at cats that disturb his sleep around

In Canada what we need is a little more calm thought and less wild talk about how bad, crooked, imbecile and impish the men in the other party are.

# Bernice Palmer says . . .

Nature is prolific. Starting off H. F. P. with two rabbits as pets, we have now raised the ante to twenty-five and a profitable little business to boot! The last doe presented us with a litter of 18 squealing little mites and with great nonchalance, looked her brood over and discarded all but nine-the rest I am raising on an eye dropper. My house is like a quick lunch counter now with meals at all hours. Little did I think, as I pounded the keys at the Dominion Fisheries Oftice some twelve years ago up there, I would come to this-wet nurse to a litter of rabbits! But it is fun and competition is keen between Mrs. Longears and yours truly.

Our menagerie, besides all the rabbits, now consists of a guinea pig (whose eyes do not drop out when lifted by the tail, as Alice in Wonderland believed), one pup and a blind hen.

Angelo Patri, child educator. says childdren need pets to round! out their development-but when my young son brought home two water-dogs in his thermos flask, I rebelled. He has passed the snail, W. R. Lindsay, former general potato-bug and caterpillar stages

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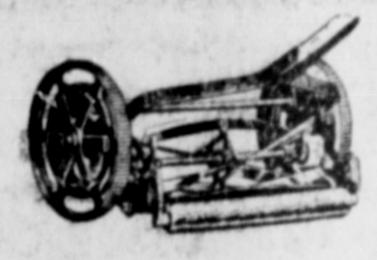
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