

Woman's Realm Social and Personal Fashions Literature

Plant Glads In June For Late Flower Crop

Gladiolus bulbs may be planted until June in our northern states with reasonable assurance of getting flowers before frost, and this assurance becomes a certainty when bulbs of the primulinus type are planted.

The primulinus varieties are not so large as others. They have slender stems, and the flowers are small, but they excel in daintiness and in exquisite coloring, especially in salmon shades. Some of the salmon pinks in which they abound are exquisite in the border, planted in small groups, with blue flowers as a foil. These



GLADIOLUS FOR CUT FLOWERS.

bulbs in mixture will always harmonize because all of them have a binding touch of yellow in them.

The first primulinus gladiolus to be sold in this country was distributed in 1908. It was a yellow. This color is rare among gladioli and it was discovered that when this variety was crossed with larger flowered varieties the seedlings resulting all had a touch of yellow. Extensive breeding experiments are being carried on to produce these desirable colors in larger flowering varieties, but the primulinus hybrid of the present is a very excellent flower.

All gladioli have a habit which makes them most desirable for cut flowers. Their blossoms are arranged on a tall stalk, sometimes twenty on a stalk. The lower one opens first, after which the others open in order, six or seven may be open at one time, but if faded flowers are picked off there will be fresh blossoms until the last bud opens.

The primulinus type seldom needs staking in the border, but the larger flowered varieties are likely to need support. Deep planting of the bulbs will sometimes obviate this, but deep planting is not advisable in very heavy soil. From four to six inches deep is the recommended practice, four inches in heavy soil.

The gladiolus needs the full sunlight and plenty of water if they are to develop their best flowers, and they should not be planted too closely. Eight inches apart is close enough.

Your Individual HOROSCOPE By Frances Drake

For Friday, June 20th

MARCH 21 to APRIL 20 (Aries)—Scarcely a cloud in your planetary horizon. Favorable period for finishing old matters and starting new ones, shopping, trading in real estate; social activities; advertising; industrial and government interests.

APRIL 21 to MAY 20 (Taurus)—Especially encouraging for the work and other interests to which you are specifically adapted and in which you are trained. Personal affairs will bring new happiness and opportunities.

MAY 21 to JUNE 21 (Gemini)—Vibrations favor private interests in business and industrial matters. Sound investments advantageous trades, manufacturing, newspaper interests, selling and buying among the many favored lines today.

JUNE 22 to JULY 23 (Cancer)—You should be cheerful and intensely cooperative in this benefic day. Clerk, mechanic, writer, builder, miner, executive. Work for larger production and achievement in Army, navy and other branches of our country's defense are highly favored.

JULY 24 to AUGUST 23 (Leo)—You should be able to transact your business with alacrity and efficiency. All indications point to favorable results from your good efforts and plans. New tries favored with familiar matters.

AUGUST 24 to SEPTEMBER 23 (Virgo)—Mental pursuits, artistic professions, research in the sciences and inventions equally favored with every-day mechanical and industrial interests. You should feel ambitious.

SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23 (Libra)—Pursue your fine capability and interests to the fullest. Favorable for employment, increasing earning capacity, real estate, farming, handling consumers' commodities, transportation, building, legal and judiciary interests.

OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 23 (Scorpio)—You'll be right in your element now. Very stimulating and generous rays especially beneficial for Scorpio's energetic brain and active body. You can tackle any-

thing worth while and make good at it. The more consistent your efforts the better your results.

NOVEMBER 24 to DECEMBER 23 (Sagittarius)—Refuse to permit worry, doubt or any other hindering agency to distract you from worth while plans and good intentions. Take advantage of the advantageous influences to gain ground.

DECEMBER 24 to JANUARY 23 (Capricorn)—Financial gains indicated and favored in your particular line of endeavor and in the needed and urgent matters paramount at this time. Wise expansion and improvement okayed.

JANUARY 24 to FEBRUARY 23 (Aquarius)—You may have to be more energetic than usual to get the results possible in industrial, manufacturing and financial lines today. However, you'll be rewarded if you do extend yourself. Your innate good judgment and financial ability very useful.

FEBRUARY 24 to MARCH 23 (Pisces)—Returns from past efforts likely now; sales should be good and trading or investing in real estate, land and produce also are under benefic rays. Travel and government interests favored.

A CHILD BORN ON THIS DAY: Alert, vivid, interesting, ambitious. A quick temper and a tendency to egotism must be sensibly controlled. Capable of rathern much knowledge and advantageously applying it. Must learn to be discriminating, conscientious in love affairs. Assistance through elders and religious training.

COCOANUT PALMS ON UNINHABITED ISLANDS

On many tiny uninhabited Pacific islands flourishing cocconut palms may be seen. How did they get there?

Many years before, on some larger island or on the mainland far away, ripe cocoanuts fell to the beach and were caught by the rising tide and carried afar, until eventually they were washed ashore on some lonely little island.

The nuts became partially buried by earth and sand washed over them, and then the seed began to sprout and the shoot made its way

MAGIC ALWAYS GIVES LIGHT, TENDER TEXTURE



THE COOK'S CORNER

FLANK STEAK FILLETS.
1 flank steak
2 cup bread crumbs
1 tsp. grated onion
1-2 tsp. salt
1-2 cup diced celery
2 tbsps. butter

Lit's sage or poultry seasoning. Wipe meat with dampened cloth and rub on both sides with salt and pepper. Make bread dressing by preparing crumbs. Sauté onion and celery in melted butter for five minutes. Stir into crumbs and add seasoning; moisten with boiling water or milk, and spread over steak. Roll as jelly roll, and put in skewers or tie in several places to hold in shape. Cut in slices, allowing 1 slice to each serving. These may be prepared on Saturday and the slices may be browned on both sides then, and left in pan to be cooked on Sunday. After broiling, add 1-2 cup water, cover and simmer slowly on top of stove or put into a moderate oven to cook for 1 hour or until tender.

MAPLE CHARLOTTE

1 cup milk
2 egg yolks
1 tsp. gelatin
2 tbsps. cold milk
1-4 tsp. salt
1-2 cup maple syrup
1-2 cup white sugar
1-2 cup chopped almonds or coconut
Scald milk over hot water; beat egg yolks, add hot milk slowly, stirring it in carefully, and return to double boiler; cook until mixture starts to congeal, then whip light. Beat egg whites stiff, fold in maple mixture and coconut. Add maple syrup and put to cool until mixture starts to congeal, then whip light. Beat egg whites stiff, fold in maple mixture and coconut or almonds. You may leave it plain if you prefer. Pipe into bowl or sherbet glasses and chill. When serving, top with crushed berries, or whipped cream.

out of one of the eye-spots. Gradually the plant took root, and eventually became a handsome fruit-bearing tree.

A pact signed by 17 American republics to protect nature and preserve wild-life in the Western Hemisphere will particularly benefit migratory birds.

A Morning Smile

STEALTH FOR WEALTH

Master: "Did you post my letter, Nora?"
Maid: "Yes, sir."
Master: "Then why have you brought back the money I gave you for the stamp?"
Maid: "I didn't have to use it. I just slipped the letter in the box while nobody was looking."

MUCH OBLIGED

The Irish car driver was stopped by the policeman for reckless driving, but refused to give his name.
Policeman: "You'll get yourself into more trouble if you refuse to give your name. What is it?"
Irish driver: "Find out."
The policeman, going round to the side of the car, discovered the name had been painted out. "Ah! he said, 'That means more trouble for your name is obliterated.'"
Irish driver: "You're wrong. It's O'Brien."

Dorothy Dix Says—

LOVE MORE DISASTROUS TO BOYS THAN IT IS TO GIRLS

Male Of The Species Throws All Caution And Reasoning To The Wind When First Attack Strikes Him

However it may be in later years, it appears that in youth love is far more disastrous in its effects upon boys than it is upon girls, and that, while girls can take the tender passion in their stride without its ever breaking their gait, it knocks the boys out for a time and puts them out of commission. This is contrary to tradition and theory, which has always pictured the female sex as having a practical monopoly on heart throbs and romance. It is a maiden whom poets and novelists have described as pining away with a green and yellow melancholy in cases of thwarted affections. It is girls who have been so blinded by the grand passion that they could not tell a go-getter from an I-wor or a drunkard from a prohibitionist. It is their little ewe lambs that mothers have tried to protect against the dangers of love and whom they have shepherded as best they could down Courtship Lane. Nobody has lifted a voice in warning to boys about the danger of falling in love or stretched out a hand to save them. No mother tries to chaperon her sons, yet, heaven knows, a lynx-eyed duenna more than their daughters do. Recently a scientific investigation has been made of the effects of falling in love on college students, and it was found that it slowed a boy's school work down much more than it does a girl's. "A girl," said the dean of admission of one of our big universities, "can get home from a date at 10 o'clock and then study for the rest of the evening, while a boy goes home and dreams about the girl and the date he has just had and doesn't even attempt to study. Love and education do not seem to mix, so when we find a boy getting low in his grades we begin looking for the coo who is responsible for it."

My own observation of the disastrous effect, I might almost say the fatal effect, that falling in love has on boys tallies with the findings of this commission. To this column come every year thousands upon thousands of letters from boys who are the victims of calf-love, which is eating their very souls out of them, which is paralyzing their energies, but which they lack the strength to resist and which will end by wrecking the lives of many of them.

The tale they tell me is almost a stereotyped one. A bright, intelligent, ambitious boy has prepared himself for some profession. Ever since boyhood he has dreamed of being a lawyer, or a doctor, or a preacher, or a highly trained business man, or a specialist in some field. Perhaps he is in his first or second year of college. All has gone well until he meets some little cutie with whom he falls desperately in love.

Then everything goes to the wind. Ambitious plans, all are forgotten. Often the boy has such a mad passion for love sickness that he goes about in an actual daze. He can think of nothing but how blue Susie's eyes are, or how the hair curls round Sally's face, and if they are parted he spends the time writing starchy love letters that he should put in on his studies.

Girls Turn On The Tears

At first these lads have enough sanity left to know that they should not think of marriage until after they have finished their education and got into some job that will make a living for a family. But the girls want to marry. They want to have the excitement of being given bridal showers and having a wedding, and they wheedle and weep and threaten the boys with not waiting for them until they drive the poor chaps half crazy.

"I am working my way through college. How can I support a wife when I can hardly support myself?" asks one. "There is a fine job waiting for me when I graduate," says another, "but if I throw up my chances by marrying now the most I could hope for would be a cheap clerkship or driving a truck. But I am so in love with Mammie that I can't stand being away from her, and she tortures me by telling me that she is afraid she will fall out of love with me if we are parted."

They take it so hard, these poor boys who know so little of life that they don't know that if they will just give themselves a little time for the disease to run its course they will recover from it without its leaving a scar, hardly a memory. The only fatal cases are those in which they take their calf-love seriously and marry the girl and are sorry ever afterward.

In all of his life a boy is never in such mortal peril as he is when he has his first love attack. And the pity is that nobody knows how to prevent it or what to do to cure it. If he is saved it is only by God's mercy.

DOROTHY DIX.

Living & Leisure - The Woman's Realm

Crude Errors at Table May Alienate Friends

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Outdoor Furniture Built For Comfort

Designers of chairs, tables and sofas obviously decided that the porch or garden is for sitting in the sun rather than for show, for there is a deep, rich look of comfort about the latest outdoor furniture.

Not that this year's outdoor furnishings aren't perfectly handsome. They are indeed. So much so that every family is bound to be encouraged to make plans for spending most of the summer months out of the house rather than in it.

But even small wicker chairs for the non-too-spacious porch are really comfortable. Even the smallest sofas have soft, thick pillows—covered with waterproof fabric to be sure. Medium-size chaise lounges in wicker or rattan and cane have none of the canvas beach chair look about them, yet are just as conducive to relaxation as any beach chair ever was.

A stunning bridge set for a permanent furniture group on the porch includes a square table and four chairs—all in cane and rattan with bright red waterproof cushions. The chairs are usable in other corners, of course.

FOXHUNTING

It is said that huntmen adopted red as the color of their uniforms because King Henry II declared foxhunting a royal sport, and red is the color of the royal livery.

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MADE IN CANADA - OF CANADIAN WHEAT

The Golden Sands Riddle

By Alexander Campbell

CHAPTER XIII HARE VERSUS ELEPHANT

Peter found Mr. Xosa patrolling the sunlit promenade in front of the hotel, his stick grasped in hands clasped behind his back, the wide brim of his soft white hat flapping in the sea breeze, his mild brown eyes speculative behind the large glasses. He turned to Peter with a smile that revealed strong white teeth.

"When the scent is high," Peter reminded the little Bantu. "But your note sounded promising. You seem to be a fast worker." He hesitated. It might be necessary to know. "Does Inspector Quayle have this information?"

Mr. Xosa shook his head. "It is locked in here." He solemnly tapped his black forehead.

"Right," Peter looked round. "There's my car." He was borrowing the idea from Quayle. "We can drive and talk at the same time. That ensures absolute privacy." You seem to be a fast worker. "Does Inspector Quayle have this information?"

Mr. Xosa nodded agreement. "Privacy," he said, "is essential. Certain persons would give much for the information."

They got into Peter's two-seater. Mr. Xosa folded his hands tranquilly over his plump stomach. His black face was olive-smooth. The brown eyes were soft and untroubled. He settled himself comfortably, leaning back against the cushions.

"An automobile! How I should like to own one." They drove through the town, past pavements thronged with bronzed holiday-makers in summer garb, the women's frocks making brilliant splashes of colour, past the main shopping centre, past the high school and the Presbyterian Church, and into quiet suburbs. Attractive villas sheltered discreetly behind green walls of hedge flaming with crimson blossoms. Peter dropped speed. "Now," he said.

Mr. Xosa watched the villas flow softly past. He sighed appreciation and his dark face glistened in the scarce sunshine.

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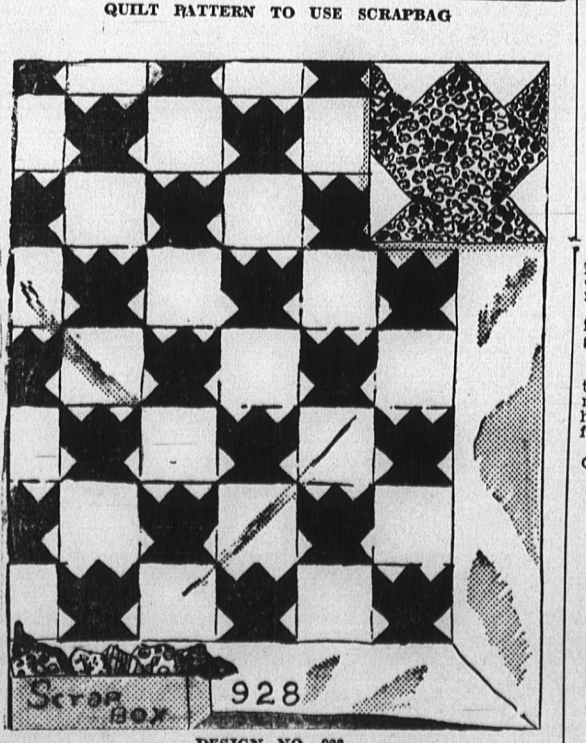
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