

# A COUNTRY GARDEN

## LATE AUTUMN

Now while a haze veils Autumn's russet hills. Though trees grown bare stand valiantly and tall. Beneath the rapid onslaught of the rain. The little things are bravest in the fall. Like dreams that last beyond the years of youth. They glow so gently near us where we pass: The blood-red polished berries in a hedge. Or late gold flowers, like sunlight on the grass.

Golden flowers were gathered today from the garden and how precious they are. The chrysanthemums have never been so lovely in the garden; and the colors are golden, wine bronze and white in several different sizes and forms. The soil was rich and they grew into huge bushes, covered with flowers. The mild season has made the gardener glad because there has been time to gather in the tender plants without too much of a struggle. Fragrant stocks in rose and white can be gathered for the house at the same time we are gathering in the geraniums. South-wood is another fragrant flower for bouquets at this time, but it is the Thyme growing by the steps leading to the lower garden that is more fragrant with dark green leaves. Every time I walk near it the fragrance is lovely and cheers us on our way. The variety which grows here is evergreen and single plants will make a mound fifteen to eighteen inches in diameter. The plants grown in the garden were grown from seed and "next year" more seed will be sown.

The weather has been kind to the gardeners who have much gathering in of the tender plants and bulbs and soon all will be safe from the storm. It is a wonderful feeling to know that they are in the cellar ready for the spring planting. A few geraniums still bloom in the window boxes and in the corner of the veranda, and in the shelter of the house a few hardy dahlias are making a bit of color these fall days.

There is a satisfaction and beauty to the different borders as they are cleaned up and made ready for the bulb planting. Every sunny day it is possible to work at something in the garden...all stalks of old perennials cut down and made into humus if necessary. In large country gardens this is not necessary as many kinds of soils and humus are near and this time of year it is wise to see that the different borders have all they need to make good growth. Buckets of sand, good garden loam, and well rotted manure should be gathered together for use in the winter months for repotting house plants and starting slips of different plants.

**A GOOD BASEMENT**  
A good basement in the home is something to be thankful for at this season of the year when all these things are crowded in. If you are blessed with windows and some heat, then the basement becomes another workshop for the gardener. Indeed, it is possible to grow many house plants...African violets and Gloxinias and other types of plants with overhead lighting.

It is good to see the pots and small bowls filled with various bulbs for winter beauty; they make the weeks pass pleasantly when we are anticipating the color and fragrance they will bring. The other evening when visiting a good gardener she told me that all her dishes were filled with bulbs and these will be given to the folk who need them the most, the shut-ins and older people who cannot garden now as they once loved to do. Not a dish is destroyed in this home, a hole in the side or a chip off a spout means nothing to a lovely flower and some of these small bowls are of the loveliest blue color and soft rose. If it is not possible to buy as many bulbs as you need, a few little ferns from the woods with their own soil will make an attractive bit of green for the winter months, and they do not require much sun. Gather

up the cracked and perhaps broken dishes in good color and you will be surprised with the good effect they will make filled with some small green fern or trailing plant. It is possible to obtain small brackets and colorful flower pots at small cost and so when they are placed near the windows of the home they look lovely without blocking all the light and sun from the home. It is better to use small plants in small containers in the rooms that are used every day, the larger pots can be stored away in the cellar or in cool rooms not used as much in the spring from days when they are again ready to add their beauty to the outdoor garden. Many slips can be made to fill large spaces from some of these huge geraniums, coleus and other plants. Wallflower has been planted in a large bed from seed sown in the spring from plants grown in the garden.

**COMPANION PLANTS**  
Many, many plants were obtained and if they are as good as last year they will scent the garden spring yards around in the early spring months and they are splendid companion plants for tulips. In the catalogs they are listed as Wallflower Chieranthus, well-known half-hardy perennials of delicious fragrance, with lovely flowers in various colors. In the garden I have found them to winter well and make large bushes covered with orange and lemon colored flowers sending up stalks of bloom all summer and even now it is possible to pick a fragrant bouquet of wall flower. The reason they winter so well is due to the splendid drainage in this hillside garden, and no winter covering is needed for them or any other plants because of this drainage and the snow which lies thick along the evergreen hedge.

I can see in my mind the lovely orange flowers and enjoy the delicious scent of these plants out in the old orchard in early spring. Iberis is another perennial which was grown from seed saved from the plants in the rock garden. There has never been enough of these good evergreen, hardy plants with the attractive foliage and long-lasting flowers and now dozens of Iberis or perennial candytuft have been planted in a new part of the garden on a sunny bank. This is a wonderful way to grow a large number of plants as the seed saved from your own plants is fresh and will germinate readily. Iceland poppies, columbine, sweet william, violas and many other varieties are ready in nursery rows for transplanting. If time permits and the weather is mild they will be moved to their permanent border drainage and take care in finishing in the seedlings there is no danger of them not growing but this work done now will help in the busy spring season.

Gardeners are continually thinking of their gardens and planning for a more beautiful garden "next year", and the better the gardener the more planting he will do at this season of the year.....

**THE GARDENER**  
Oh take the sturdy weapons of your craft. The spade, the fork, the trowel and the hoe. Join patient battle with the stubborn earth. With bitter winds and with the frost and snow. Blow on the fire of beauty in your heart. See in its light the promise of your toil. Working triumphant to its destined end. Loveliness growing from the barren soil. So may the humblest man with simple tools Share divine power and sometime find Beauty created where no beauty was. By the inspired vision of his mind. Gibb.

I have received through the kindness of a friend, several newspapers describing the eighteenth Annual Rose festival of Texas which was attended by folk who are interested in roses and rose-growing all over America. Beautiful illustrations show the Queen of the Rose Festival and her attendant, the wonderful parade with thousands taking part and the beautiful floats made of roses and other flowers.

# WOMEN

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JERSEY OVERBLOUSE

The overblouse has established itself as a major fashion in every category and for every type and occasion. Designed by Dorothy Korby with an eye to the young career woman and the college

## Four Dead In Murder, Suicide

SPRINGFIELD, Miss., (AP)—Manufacturing executive Allison R. Sanger, his wife and their two young sons were found shot and stabbed to death Sunday in their home.

Police called their deaths murder and suicide. Police said Sanger, 47, killed his wife, Winifred, and the two boys, Allison Jr., 14, and Russell, 9, and then shot himself.

art at the entrance to the garden filled with yellow roses. Gifts of roses and rose bushes were made to each guest.

Thousands of roses bloomed at the big rose show held in the garden centre building and it was a striking rose show with beautiful specimen roses and arrangements in competition.

We have all heard the song "The Yellow Rose of Texas" and now we have some idea of the meaning of the theme song when we read about roses in Texas.

The three day festival closed with a vesper service on Sunday evening when all the ministers, Rabi Harvey Wessel, and the Very Rev. Monsignor E. V. McCullough took part in the closing event of the Rose Festival of the year nineteen hundred and fifty-five.

## SEE NEW STRIDES

WASHINGTON (AP) — A new technique may allow ultra-short-wave broadcasts up to 1,000 miles — perhaps paving the way for intercontinental television — a government official and an industry radio expert suggested Monday.



## Why your child needs your help when pimples strike

by MARGELLA HOLMES NOTED BEAUTY AUTHORITY (former Beauty Editor of "Glamour" magazine)

Of all the mail that reaches a beauty editor's desk, there is none so urgent as letters from adolescent girls with pimples. That's why I want to alert mothers to the double dangers of this problem. Specialists warn that pimples undermine poise and self-confidence, can cause permanent damage to a child's personality. And every one knows that acne-type pimples, if neglected, can leave permanent scars on the skin.

Is there a way you can help your child? Yes, thanks to CLEARASIL, a modern, scientific medicated formulation especially for pimples. In actual clinical tests, CLEARASIL brought positive relief in a high percentage of cases. Greaseless, fast-drying, anti-septic... CLEARASIL dries pimples surprisingly fast. Ends embarrassment immediately because CLEARASIL is skin-colored to hide pimples as it works. Must work for you as it did in clinical tests or money back. Only 69¢ and \$1.19 at all drugstores.



## ELEANOR ROSS

### Let Everyone Help Keep Bathroom Tidy

Of course you like the whole house clean. The living room and bedrooms colorful, cosy and dust-free; the kitchen redolent of spices, arranged for efficiency and clean as a chemistry lab; the bathroom, spotless.

However, with the bathroom, it sometimes seems like a losing battle—especially if there's only one for a family of children and adults.

**DO THEIR SHARE**  
The family must be taught to pitch in and do their share in keeping the bathroom as tidy as possible. Men are particularly careless and are prone to leave the bathroom very messy. So whether a woman is the gentle or aggressive type of homemaker, sooner or later she has to be relentless in teaching her family good bath manners and getting their cooperation in keeping the home tidy. Besides setting the rules and giving instructions for keeping the bathroom in order, keep cleaning equipment handy and in good supply. Stock the bath, not only with

fresh towels and soap as needed, but make sure that scouring powder and a cleaning cloth or sponge as well as brushes, are within reach—but out of sight. Every member of the family past the age of four can learn to rinse the bubbles and soil from the soap after washing muddie hands; to wipe out the soap dish with a handy cloth or sponge so that it doesn't get caked; to wipe the basins with a soapy cloth to remove splatters from the porcelain; and to hang up or put away towels, washcloths, toothbrush and dentifrice.

The snickest bathers and scrubbers won't do the most efficient job, but get them started early anyway, praise them for effort and they'll gradually grow into real helpers.

**OWN TUB**  
You have to be a bit older than four to wield a bathtub brush effectively, but all others must be responsible for cleaning out their own tub. Those who shower can easily rinse soap splashes from shower

## MORNING SMILE

Buyer—Didn't you claim when you sold me this car that you would replace anything that broke or was missing?  
Car Dealer—Yes, sir. What is it?  
Buyer—Well, I want four front teeth and a collar bone.

## Do FALSE TEETH Rock, Slide or Slip?

FASTTEETH, an improved powder to be sprinkled on upper or lower plates, holds false teeth more firmly in place. Do not slide, slip or rock. No gummy, rosey, pasty taste or feeling. FASTTEETH is alkaline (non-acid). Does not sour. Checks "plate odor" (denture breath). Get FASTTEETH at your drug counter.

To stop a headache use **ASPIRIN**

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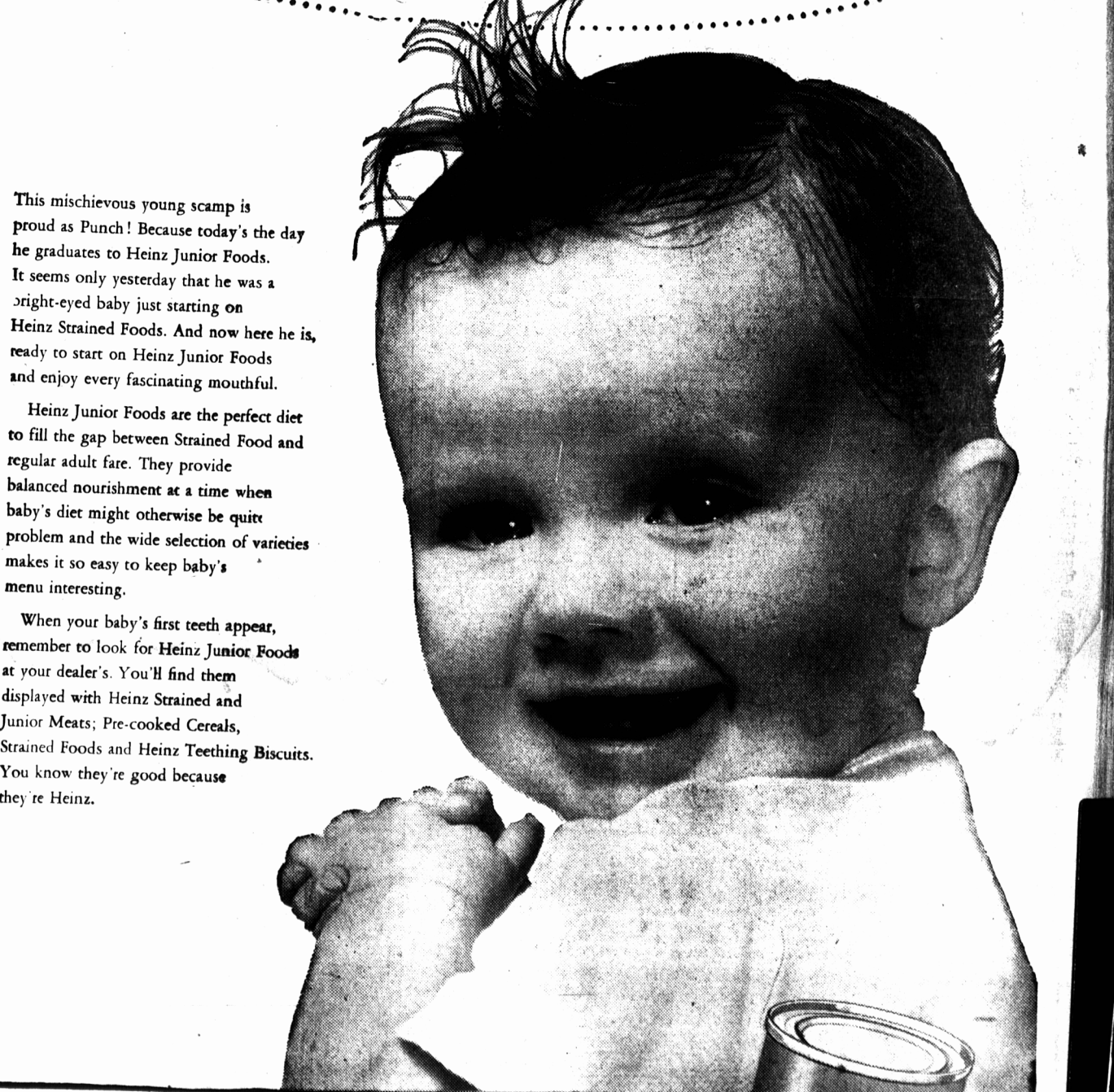
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12 tablets ..... 19¢  
24 tablets ..... 29¢  
100 tablets ..... 79¢

ASPIRIN MEANS FAST RELIEF!

IT'S READY TO GO TO WORK IN TWO SECONDS!

# I'm growing up on Heinz



This mischievous young scamp is proud as Punch! Because today's the day he graduates to Heinz Junior Foods. It seems only yesterday that he was a bright-eyed baby just starting on Heinz Strained Foods. And now here he is, ready to start on Heinz Junior Foods and enjoy every fascinating mouthful.

Heinz Junior Foods are the perfect diet to fill the gap between Strained Food and regular adult fare. They provide balanced nourishment at a time when baby's diet might otherwise be quite problem and the wide selection of varieties makes it so easy to keep baby's menu interesting.

When your baby's first teeth appear, remember to look for Heinz Junior Foods at your dealer's. You'll find them displayed with Heinz Strained and Junior Meats; Pre-cooked Cereals, Strained Foods and Heinz Teething Biscuits. You know they're good because they're Heinz.

## HEINZ Junior Foods

**JUNIOR MEATS**

- \*Beef
- \*Beef Liver
- \*Beef Heart
- \*Liver & Bacon
- \*Veal

**JUNIOR DINNERS**

- \*Chicken & Vegetable Soup
- \*Chicken Noodle Dinner
- \*Chicken Vegetable Dinner
- \*Rice and Cheese
- \*Peas, Vegetables and Bacon
- \*Split Pea and Ham Dinner
- \*Vegetable Bacon Dinner

**JUNIOR VEGETABLES**

- Carrots
- \*Sweet Potatoes
- Mixed Vegetables
- Canned, Diced Vegetables

**FRUIT AND PUDDINGS**

- \*Apple Sauce
- \*Apple Fig & Date Dessert
- \*Apricots and Apple Sauce
- \*Fruit Dessert
- \*Peaches
- \*Pears
- \*Pineapple and Pears
- \*Apple Tapioca Pudding
- \*Banana Tapioca Pudding
- \*Chocolate Pudding
- \*Orange Rice Pudding
- \*Pineapple Rice Pudding
- \*Orange Juice

Recommended varieties for baby to receive first

## ANNE ADAMS PATTERNS

**8-0-0 SLIMMING!**  
Especially for the shorter, fuller figure — this step-in style with a lovely long-waisted look to make you taller, slimmer! Graceful 8-gore skirt below, collar and cuffs in contrasting fabric. Easy sew—proportioned for perfect fit!

Patron 4655: Half Sizes 14 1/2, 16 1/2, 18 1/2, 20 1/2, 22 1/2, 24 1/2. Size 16 1/2 takes 4 3/8 yards 35-inch fabric; 1/2 yard contrast.

This pattern easy to use, simple to sew, is tested for fit. Has complete illustrated instructions.

Send THIRTY FIVE CENTS (35¢) in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this pattern. Print plainly SIZE, NAME, ADDRESS, STYLE NUMBER.

Send order to ANNE ADAMS, care of Charlottesville Guardian Pattern Dept., 60 Front St. West, Toronto, Ont.



Wife Preservers  
When you are ironing colored clothes that are not color-fast, use an extra cloth over the ironing board to avoid staining the cover.