

Buds AND Blossoms

By MAMIE MILLER



"The light of the body is the eye; if therefore thine eye be single, thy whole body shall be full of light. But if thine eye be evil, thy whole body shall be full of darkness. If therefore the light that is in thee be darkness, how great that darkness!" —Matthew 6:22-23.

Even though it may be a little late to experiment on dried flowers, there is a new product on the market now that is very satisfactory. This product has been tried by local people, and they have had good results.

It is an admixture of blue and white, fine, sand-like particles. When it is saturated with moisture, silica gel turns white. This can be reactivated by oven baking until the blueness returns.

Flower-Dri is available at department stores, garden centers and florists. A half pound package is \$2.95, and a five pound package is \$6.95. The flowers are as nearly real as any method you may use for preserving. If you can't locate this, order from Department 122, Plantabbs Corp., Baltimore 1, Md.

Caladiums should be dug for winter protection. Keep them around 60 degrees. Most bulbs will keep in just dry sand indoors. Always fungicide gladiolus before packing for the winter.

Alyssum, saxatile, bleeding hearts, Oriental poppy, primroses and stock, as well as fever few, should be planted now to assure you of a color-

ful garden next spring. If your phlox have a mildew, start when it first begins and leaf spray with sulphur.

Lavender is important in your garden for the gray so necessary to blend colors.

Emily Dickinson is a beloved poet, and we have selected "The Snake" from her writings for our Buds and Blossoms poem this week.

A narrow fellow, in the grass Occasionally rides; You may have met him, did you not, His malice sudden is.

The grass divides as with a comb, A spotted shaft is seen; And then it closes at your feet And opens further on.

He likes a boggy acre, A floor too cool for corn, Yet when a child, and barefoot, I more than once, at morn,

Have passed, I thought, a whip-lash Unbraiding in the sun— When, stooping to secure it, It wrinkled, and was gone.

Several of Nature's people I know, and they know me; I feel for them a transport Of cordiality.

But never met this fellow, Attended or alone, Without a tighter breathing, And zero at the bone.

GLEANINGS -

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Mr. D. N. Kilburn returned from a visit to Massachusetts on Friday night.

Mr. W. M. Parker carried the first bale of new cotton to Kinston yesterday. It sold for 12c per pound. Mr. Parker generally carries in the 1st blossom and the 1st bale. We believe Sheriff Davis beat him on the blossom this year.

NOTICE: Farm to let in good state of cultivation, 1/2 mile from New Bern, between Neuse & Trent roads, stock, carts, &c on the place. J. A. Meadows.

Mr. John Dunn, Administrator of estate of E. H. Windley, deceased, Sept. 1, 1882,

The Steamer Tiger Lily will go into Bay River on Fridays until the completion of the New Bern and Pamlico Company. Messrs. S. H. Fowler, Bayboro, C. H. Fowler, Stonewall, Dr. D. H. Abbott, Vandemere are agents of the Tiger Lily in Bay River.

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Vacation notes by L. C. Vass, Danville, Va., August 31, 1882. Editorials by K. R. Jones and A. B. Farquhar. (Copied from old newspaper collection of Mr. and Mrs. Tull Richardson, Bellair, Craven county, N. C.)



TOT TALK

When we consider the primary teeth, there are several factors which come in mind.

First of these is the age of the child patient. Naturally, for the younger patient the primary teeth will serve to chew the food for a longer period of time than for a child ready to shed his primary teeth. Then, the younger child will need the primary teeth to save space for the permanent teeth which will come in later.

When the primary teeth are lost early, we find that when the permanent teeth erupt they are crowded due to movement of the remaining teeth.

Even when space maintainers are constructed to keep space in a particular area, it has been noticed many times that there is a mal-occlusion among the erupting permanent teeth. This, in spite of the fact that every resource available to the dentist has been used to cope with this problem.

A third factor which must be considered and which in many cases is a very vital one is the esthetic or psychologic factor. Often times when children lose their primary anterior teeth too soon they develop a feeling of inadequacy because they don't have teeth while their playmates do.

Especially among girls who get a feeling that they don't look right and develop a complex which is difficult to handle. If a child loses some anterior teeth as they are learning to talk, they may develop a speech handicap which may be carried on into adult life.

When we consider that most of the dental problems in adults can be traced directly to defects which started in the primary teeth, with all the discomfort, pain and expense associated with them, we can begin to see just how important these "baby teeth" really are.

Mirror Mirth

Ike London tells the story of the bishop who had preached a fine sermon on married life and its beauties.

Two old Irishwomen coming out of church were heard commenting on the sermon. "Tis a fine sermon his Riverence would be after giving us," said one to the other.

"It is, indade," was the quick reply, "and I wish I knew as little about the matter as he does."

One thing Adam and Eve couldn't complain about was how much better things were in the good old days.

Some people never take advantage of their friends because they never have any.

Advertising is the art of making people think they've always wanted something they've never heard of before.

The man who enters a bar very optimistically often comes out very misty optically.

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