

Buds AND Blossoms

By
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"And these signs shall follow them that believe; In my name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues." --Mark 16:17.

You may prune trees, with the exception of maples, birches and walnuts. Hedges may get their last hair cut for the season. Plant a background of your spring flowering shrubs and flowers.

Brace tall evergreens that might be damaged by snow or ice. Wait until deciduous are nearly dormant before moving them. Deciduous trees are usually preferred near the house.

For a beautiful perennial border, about 25 by 8 feet, you can depend on the following: Japanese anemone, delphinium, fall asters, peony, iris, sweet Williams, moss pinks and English primrose, bleeding heart, hollyhocks, evergreen candy-tuft and phlox.

Since you're reading this column, it is reasonable to assume that you are either an active gardener, or a prospective one. If you have friends who enjoy the same hobby, a book on flowers and their care would be an excellent gift. There are some very good ones on the market.

Because our woodlands in this section of North Carolina are composed chiefly of pines, the autumn foliage is never as var-

ied in color as the landscapes you see in the Piedmont and mountains. However, pine arrangements make beautiful Christmas decorations.

Since the very beginning green and red have been the colors associated with the Yuletide. Other colors are used, of course, but these will never approach the popularity of red and green.

This week's Buds and Blossoms poem, from the pen of Florence Bone, is titled "A Prayer For a Little Home."

God send us a little home,
To come back to, when we roam.

Low walls and fluted tiles,
Wide windows, a view for miles.

Red firelight and deep chairs,
Small white beds upstairs.

Great talk in little nooks,
Dim colors, rows of books.

One picture on each wall,
Not many things at all.

God send us a little ground,
Tall trees stand around.

Homely flowers in brown sod,
Overhead, thy stars, O God.

God bless thee, when winds blow,
Our home, and all we know.

Real Estate Transfers

J. Frank Efrd and wife, Margaret M. Efrd, to William Richard Rice and wife, Eugenia C. Rice. Property in Country Club Park.

Theodore Roundtree to Robert E. Martin. Property on Bern Street.

Arthur T. Trexler to Shirley S. Trexler. Property in Pinecrest.

Jerry H. Thomas and wife, Jane C. Thomas; Marvin J. Carraway and wife, Valeria P. Carraway, to Whitney Morgan and wife, Clara C. Morgan. Property on U. S. Highway 70.

Whitney Morgan and wife, Clara C. Morgan, to Herry H. Thomas and wife, Jane C. Thomas. Property in Pinecrest.

Robert A. Curtis and wife, Marcella D. Curtis, to Joseph Milton Nunn and wife, Mary D. Nunn. Property in Craven County.

First Federal Savings and Loan Association of New Bern to Tryon Realty Co., of New Bern, N.C. Property in Bridgeton.

B. Duguld Hardison to Ruth Thompson Hardison. Property in No. 9 township.

Trent Estates, Inc., to Gene Hamm and wife, Mary LaRue Hamm. Property on Shoreline Drive.

Lilly Anderson Morrister George E. Ball and wife, Joann M. Ball. Property in No. 1 township.

Frank P. Toler and wife, Lizzie W. Toler, to Noah V. Cayton, Jr., and wife, Patty W. Cayton. Property in No. 2 township.

Francis McCoy and wife, Viola P. McCoy, to Mrs. Feber Ree Morris. Property in No. 1 township.

B. O. Ketner and wife, Rosalyn M. Ketner, to Ralph C. Meredith and wife, Jean M. Meredith. Property in No. 6 township.

Lester Asa Willis and wife, Beatrice E. White Willis, to Jasper Jones and wife, Myrtle W. Jones. Property in Oakside.

Eddie Lee Dawson and wife, Carolyn J. Dawson, to Curtiss R. Dawson and wife, Floretta W. Dawson. Property in No. 1 township.

Hattie Brimmage and Daniel Brimmage, Jr., to Beatrice

Johnson. Property on Bryan Street.

John H. Potter and wife, Lucille B. Potter, to Robert Carney Rogers, Jr., and wife, Eva Benson Rogers. Property in Highland Park.

H. E. Beaman and wife, Betty E. Beaman; Norman B. Kelum, Jr., to Elijah Dawson and wife, Maybelle W. Dawson. Property in No. 8 township.

Earl F. Jenkins and wife, Margaret D. Jenkins, to Charles Robert King and wife, Kleko T. King. Property in Havelock.

L. G. Mathis and wife, Nannie L. Mathis, to Willard D. Varley and wife, Mabel M. Varley. Property in Cypress Shores.

Fred A. Peterson and wife, Estelle M. Peterson, to George F. Hedrick, Sr. Property in No. 7 township.

P. W. Davenport, Jr., and wife, Sue G. Davenport, to John E. Schmalfeld and wife, Ruby Lee Schmalfeld. Property in Country Club Hills.

J. Frank Efrd and wife, Margaret M. Efrd, to William Keith Pearson and wife, Geraldine H. Pearson. Property in North Hills.

Nathaniel M. Baxter and wife, Marguerite F. Baxter, to Joe G. Stevenson, Jr., and wife, Linda M. Stevenson. Property in Pinecrest.

Jasper Pugh and wife, Sarah Pugh, to O. E. Evans and Jasper Hayes. Property in No. 8 township.

James N. Blackerby and wife, Jane Ann Blackerby, to Phillip G. Parrott, Jr., and wife, Rebecca R. Parrott. Property on Tryon Road.

Carrie B. Belangia to George W. Rice and wife, C. Kathryn Rice. Property in No. 5 township.

Mike Kushman and wife, Mary D. Kushman, to Raymond Heath and wife, Lela B. Heath. Property in Oakland Gardens.

Elizabeth Clarke Babbitt to Maude King Gwaltney. Property in No. 2 township.

Guion E. Lee and wife, Dora Mae Lee, to William Thomas Humphries and wife, Judith E. Humphries. Property in North Hills.

James William Barotti and wife, Loraine Woodall Barotti, to Sara G. Laythe. Property in No. 6 township.

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Bern, Inc., to Alvin R. Dixon and wife, Ruth W. Dixon. Property in Southgate.

Williams and Crayton, Incorporated, to Arthur Edward Anderson. Property in Havelock.

Coy Lee Fulcher to Coy Lee Fulcher and wife, Linda P. Fulcher. Property in No. 2 township.

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