RHUBARD ONE OF **BEST PRODUCERS**

Early Spring Vegetable Responds to Liberal Supply of Best Soil Available

PLANT IN OUT-OF-WAY PLACE

Along Garden Fence Where Roots Will Not Be Injured in Cultivation of Rest of Garden Is Good Location.

Rhubarb, or "pleplant," as it is cometimes called, cannot be grown universally, but is limited to certain defifile sections, Information as to whether rhabarb will or will not grow in a given locality can be obtained from the local seedsmen or from neighhors who have had experience in grow-

Rhubarb is propagated by planting pieces of the roots secured by dividing older hills, and six to ten hills will sually supply plenty of rhubarh for the average family, states the United States Department of Agriculture.

Rhubarb should be planted exactly the same way as asparagus, that is, the roots or crowns should be covered four or five inches in deeply spaded



Rhubarb a Generous Producer,

and well enriched soil; there is little danger of having the soil too rich for rhubarb. The hills should be three and a half to four feet apart, if more than one row is planted.

This wonderful staple of the family garden can generally be planted along the fence where it will be out of the way of cultivation.

The thick leaf stems are the part used, and none should be pulled from the plants the first year after seeding. but a large supply will be available the second senson, and the hills will, as a rule, continue to produce satisfactory crops of stems for several years, after which they should be divided and reset.

Rhubarb should receive the same attention and treatment during winter as asparagus, and the plants should never be allowed to ripen and seed. The roots may be brought into the greenhouse, pit, coldframe, or cel-"lar during the winter and forced.

By placing a barrel over a rhubarb plant much longer and tender stalks may be grown.

This is one plant that does not thrive in warm climates. It is most popular, especially in the sections where it is grown, in the early part of the spring.

The use of rhubarb is principally for making pies and sauces, and many housewives can the stems for winter

CHICKEN FENCE WIRE HANDY

Small Gardeners Will Find the Woven Two-Inch Mesh Valuable-Takes Place of Stakes.

Many vegetable and flowering vines can be successfully grown on chicken fence wire. In the fall the wire can be taken down and used for succeeding years for similar purposes, It will enable the small gardener to raise more vegetables and flowers than if they were allowed to lie on the ground and spread out over valuable

Cucumbers, line and critibles string lienns, nasturtiums and hunerous other vegetables of spreading variety, as well as almost any vin flowering plants can be successfully trained on the wire trellis permitting of the use of the ground space ordinarily covered by vines being used for comething else, Give the vine plants plenty of air and simshine, and water when needed, and they will give an excellent accounting of themselves on the wire.

It's the persistent advertiser that

TO GROW EARLY CABBAGE

Cabbage is one of the most de sirable of our early green or leaf ops and should be included in every home garden. The seeds should be sown indoors and the plants set in the garden about the time that danger of frost is past, or a few plants can be purchased from the seed store. Cabbage requires a rich soil, and the plants of the smaller early softs should be set 18 inches apart in each direction for hand cultivation. It is a good plan to pour a little water around the roots of each plant as it is being set in Rosenson and the Company of the Comp

TOOLS THE BUSY **GARDENER NEEDS**

Hoe, Rake and Spade, the Combination Soil Tillers Find Absolutely Necessary.

WHEEL HOE IS LABOR SAVER

Little Implement Suitable for Small or Large Garden: Trowels Are Handy; Spraying Outfits Are Essential.

With the first warm days of spring sounding the earth call, there is a hasty scurrying around for the tools of the gardening cult. A gardener can get along fairly well with four, a spade or spading fork, a hoe, a rake, and a trowel. It is even possible to get along without the last, but who wants to?

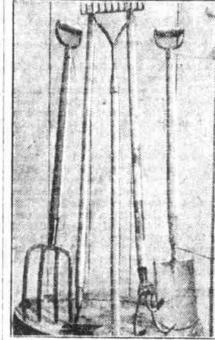
The art of gardening is reaching such a point of special development that there are tools for almost everything and the wise gardener by a careful selection will ease his work as much as possible by securing appropriate working implements.

The greatest labor saver for gardens of any extent is a little wheel hoe. This saves many a headache, does the work thoroughly, and has appliances for various purposes which are interchangeable from a little plow share to cultivators of various kinds. It can be used in the smallest garden.

There are numerous hoes of various types and designed for different purposes. The pointed hoe for making rows is a convenient tool. The line with rake teeth on the back of the blade is one of the very hundiest allaround garden tools for light work there is. It is particularly well adapted for women gurdeners. Three toothed cultivator hoes do a fine job of stirring the soil. Scuffle or shove hors as they are sometimes called that can be pushed instead of pulled, permit hocing rows which are too close to walk etween conveniently

Trowels of various shapes to suit various plants are now on the market. stiff, sharply angled small bladed trowels are ideal for splitting off pieces from perennials which have grown so large they need dividing for their best growth. They are fine to set under a recalcitrant carrot or parsnip whose leaves are so tender they part company from the root, leaving it in the

Long bladed trowels are especially adapted for digging holes for gladiolus or other bulbs in the spring and tu-



Necessary Garden Tools.

lips and fall buibs later in the season and equally vseful in digging them up. There are little hand rakes which are just the thing for hand cuitivation among plants which need special care

and the earth kept stirred. Sprinkling cans and sprays must be added to every well regulated garden outfit, especially a spray.

White looking over spraying outfits get in a supply of poison for the pests that devour and for the fungus that blights. The seedsman will tell you what to get. Bordeaux mixture for fungus pests, paris green or some other arsenical poison for those that eat the leaves, and a tobacco polson of some kind for plant lice are standard. Often they can be bought in combination.-National Garden Bureau.

FRESH VEGETABLES EVERY DAY

What is a back yard good for? It may by made to supply the average family with fresh vegetables through the growing season,

To prevent the spread of a smallpox epidemie, American Legion men by day wins. Keep your ad in The Gazetee all and night guarded all roads into Mans-the time and watch the results. field, Ark., to stop entrance or exit.

FUR FARMING SUPPLEMENTS NATURE'S EFFORTS IN FILLING THE WORLD'S DEMAND FOR PELTS



A LIKELY BUNCH OF SILVER BLACK FOX PUPS BORN AND RAISED IN CAPTIVITY

bearing animals and strict enforce- ing silver black foxes, but they Canadian farmers setting apart a ment of those laws, these animals guarded with great secrecy their section of their holdings for the would soon be exterminated. Even methods of handling and breeding raising of fur-bearing animals. with conservation of the best sort, the foxes and of marketing the Where wild animals are caught and wild animals cannot be protected pelts. In 1910 the industry experi- used for foundation stock, the cost from starvation in bad years, nor enced a wide development and of starting a fur ranch is very from the ravages inflicted by larger carnivora, so man has turn- breeding stock. Fox ranches are well on the outskirts of towns in ed to the domestic propagation of to be found all over Canada today, which garbage can be collected for The fox, breeding industry is, of to lead. In 1919 this province exclarity of raccoon fur makes the course, the biggest money producer. ported about 1,000 foxes of a value "coon ranch" a paying proposition.

the slogan of those interested in Prince Edward Island was the usual conditions demand it, they the fur industry of Canada. With- birthplace of this enterprise. In will thrive and multiply and yield out conservation, which means wise 1890 several breeders were en-the farmer rich returns. laws for the protection of fur- gaged there in the business of raisbut Prince Edward Island continues their feeding. The present popu-

But the fox does not monopolize the fur farmers' efforts. There are in Canada ranches for the propagation of muskrats, beaver, mink, raccoon, martin, fisher and skunks. If they are provided with sufficient land on which they can live as in their wild state, and are supplied Conservation and propagation are | The little maritime province of with food when the weather or un-

Each year sees more and more

TIRED OF BATHING, THEY KNIT FOR CHANGE AT PALM BEACH



Even at Palm Beach time sometimes hangs heavily. This photograph shows how a group of New York women and girls passed one afternoon on the beach at that Florida resort. From left to right are Miss Jean Lyttle, Mrs. Ed Friedman, Miss May Cohan and Miss Janet Crittenden busy at their knitting.

The insolent alarm clock that went off at the wrong time

For a little while it gave the call at 7 a.m., and was useful. When it began calling at midnight and 2 o'clock in the morning, it became a nuisance.

When tea or coffee stimulates the nerves at mealtime it seems pleasant, but when it gives the wake-up call at midnight and leaves nerves hungering for sleep at mid-afternoon, the pleasure is gone and serious harm is on the way. This often happens.

> Thousands of people have found it fully

as pleasant and far more safe, to get the comfort of a hot mealtime cup of Postum-and to know that there's not going to be any irritation to nerves afterward.

Postum is delicious and satisfying, and it contains no element that can harm nerves or digestion. Postum is a safe and delightful drink for every member of the family, at any meal.

Your grocer has both forms of Postum: Instant Postum (in tine) made instantly in the cup by the addition of boiling water. Postum Cereal (in packages of larger bulk, for those who prefet to make the drink while the mest la being prepared) made by boiling for 20 minutes.

Postum for Health

"There's a Reason"

Made by Postum Cercal Co., Inc., Buttle Creek, Mich.

STREET IMPROVEMENT

RESOLUTION. Be it resolved, and Ordained by the City Council of the City of Gastonia.: thereafter, the construction of reconstruc- provements. tion including grading of sidewalk or skiewalks; all of said work to be done un-der and in accordance with Chapter 56 the City Council of Gastonia on the 7th of the Public Laws of 1915 and amend- day of February, 1922, meats thereto.

And be it further resolved that all prop erty owners along said streets, are here by required, at their own costs, to make all sewer, water and gas connection along said street with their property, on or before the 20th day of March, 1922, in such manner as the City Manager shall direct, and if not done by that dute, the said City of Gastonia will make such connections, and the costs thereof will be assessed against such property where the connections are made, and same will be a lien thereon and collected as the cost of making the street improvements as here-And be it further resolved and or-

dained, that one-half of the total cost of such improvements as shall be made as above stated, exclusive of so much of the cost as is incurred at street intersections shall be specially assessed upon the tots and pareels of hand abutting directly on said street where such improvenexts are made according to the extent of their respective frontages thereon by an equal rate per foot of such frontage, such assessments being a lien on said property, and that the terms of payment for such work by the said property owners, shall be in each or ten equal annual installments, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum and shall be payable and collected at the same time that taxes are collected and each install- will be assessed against such property ment thereof shall become due at the same time that other taxes are due, the same will be a lien thereon and collected first installment becoming due next after as the cost of making the street improve the completion of said improvements.

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was passed and adopted by the City Council of Gastonia on the 7th day

of February, 1922. S. G. FRY, City Clerk.

STREET IMPROVEMENT RESOLUTION

City Council of the City of Gastonia. Avenue to the corporate limits be im- such work by the said property proved, said improvements to include owners, shall be in each or ten equal grading, widening, extending, or other installments, bearing interest at the wise aftering wherever necessary, the said rate of 6 per cent per annum and street, and the laying thereon an As- shall be payable and collected at the phalt Pavement with the necessary con- same time that taxes are collected and erete base, also the construction of curb, each installment thereof shall become gutters, drains and storm sewers, and if due at the same time that other taxes in the opinion of the Board it is are due, the first installment becoming deemed advisable, either contemporan- due next after the completion of said cousty or thereafter, the construction or improvements. reconstructon, including grading of side- I hereby certify that the foregoing walk or sidewalks; all of said work to resolution was passed and adopted by be done under and in accordance with the City Council of Gastonia on the 7th Chapter 56 of the Public Laws of 1915 day of February, 1922. and amendments thereto.

And be it further resolved that all property owners along said street, are hereby required, at their own costs, to make all sewer, water and gas connection along said street with their property, on or before the 20th day of March, City Council of the City of Gastonia; 1922, in such manner as the City Manager shall direct, and if not done by that date, the said City of Gastonia will make such connections, and the costs thereof will be assessed against such property altering wherever necessary, the said where the connections are made, and street, and the laying thereon an Asphalt same will be a lien thereon and collect. Pavement with the necessary concrete ed as the cost of making the street improvements as herein stated.

dained that one half of the total cost of cost as in incurred at street intersections shall be specially assessed upon the on said street where such improvements thereto. are made according to the extent of their respective frontages thereon by an equal tate per foot of such frontage, such asand that the terms of payment for such lected at the same time taxes are collected and each installment thereof shall besaid improvements.

I hereby certify that the foregoing resution was passed and adopted by the City Council of Gastonia on 7th day of February, 1922.

S. G. FRY, City Clerk.

STREET IMPROVEMENT RESOLUTION.

Be it resolved and ordained by the

City Council of the City of Gastonia: That Chestnut Street from Franklin Avenue to Third Avenue be improved: said improvements to include the grading, widening, extending or otherwise altering wherever necessary, the said street, and the laying thereon an Asphalt Pavement with the necessary concrete base, also the construction of curb, gutter and drains and storm sewers, and in the opinion of the Board it is deemed advisable, whether contemporaneously or thereafter, the construction or reconstruction including grading of sidewalk or sidewalks; all of mid work to be done under and in accordance with Chapter 56 of the Public Laws of 1915 and amendments thereto.

And be it further resolved, that all property owners along said street, are hereby required, at their own costs, to make all sewer, water and gas connection nlong said street with their property, on or before the 20th day of March, 1922, in such manner as the City Manager shall direct, and if not done by that date, the said City of Gastonia will make such connections, and the costs thereof will be assessed against such property where the the cost as is incurred at street interconnections are made, and same will be a lien thereon and collected as the cost of making the street improvements are here-

And he it further resolved, and or-dained, that one half of the total cost of such improvements as shall be made as above stated, exclusive of so much of the cost as is incurred at street intersections shall be specially assessed upon the lot and parcels of land abutting di-

rectly on said street where such provements are made according to the extent of their respective frontages thereon by an equal rate per foot of such City Council of the City of Gastonia.: frontage, such assessments being a lien.

That East Main Street from Broad on said property, and that the terms of Street East to Avon street be improved; payment for such work by the said propsaid improvements to include the grad- crty owners, shall be in cash or ten equal ing, widening, extending, or otherwise annual installments, bearing interest at aftering wherever necessary, the said the rate of six per cent per annum and annual installments, bearing interest at streets, and the laying thereon an as- shall be payable and collected at the phalt pavement with the necessary con- same time that taxes are collected and crete base, also the constructon of curb, each installment thereof shall become due gutters, drains, and storm sewers, and if at the same tme that other taxes are in the opinon of the Board it is deemed due, the first installment becoming due advisable, either contemporaneously or next after the completion of said im-

I hereby certify that the foregoing

STREET IMPROVEMENT RESOLUTION

Be it resolved and Ordnined by the

City Council of the City of Gastonia; That Fourth Street from Chester to York Streets be improved; said improvements to include the grading, widening, extending, or otherwise altering wherever necessary, the said street, and the laying thereon an Asphalt Pavement with the necessary Concrete Base, also the construction of curb, gutters, drains and storm sewers, and if in the opinion of the Board it is deemed advisable, either contemporaneously or thereafter, the construction or reconstruction, including grading, of sidewalk or sidewalks; all of said work to be done under and in accordance with Chapter 56 of the Public Laws of 1915 and amendments thereto.

And be it further resolved that all property owners along said street, are hereby required, at their own costs, to make all sewer, water and gas connection glong said street with their proper ty, on or before the 20th day of March, 1922, in such manner as the City Manager shall direct, and if not done by that date, the said City of Gastoria will make such connectious, and the costs thereof where the connections are made, and ments as herein stated.

And he it further resolved, and or-dained that one half of the total cost of such improvements as shall be inude as above stated, exclusive of so much of the cost as is incurred at street intersections shall be specially assessed upon the lots and parcels of land abutting directly on said street where such improvements are made according to the extent of their respective frontages thereon, by an equal Be it resolved and ordnined by the rate per foot of sch frontage, such assessments being p lien on said property, That Linwood Street from Franklin and that the terms of payment for

S. G. FRY, City Clerk.

STREET IMPROVEMENT RESOLUTION.

Be it Resolved and Ordained by th That South Columbia Street from East Franklin to Third Street be improved; said improvements to include the grad ing, widening, extending, or otherwise base, aso the construction of curb, gutters, drains and storm sewers, and if in the opinion of the Board it is deemed advisabe, either contemporaneousy or theresuch improvements as shall be made as after, the construction or reconstruction above stated, exclusive of so much of the including grading of sidewalk or sidewalks; all of said work to be done under and in accordance with Chapter 56 of the lot and parcels of land abutting directly Public Laws of 1915 and amendment

And be it further resolved that all property owners along said street, are hereby required, at their own costs, ta resements being a lien on said property, make all sewer, water and gas connection along said street with their property, on work by the said property owners, shall or before the 20th day of March, 1922, be in each or in ten equal installments, in such manner as the City Manager shall in such manner as the City Manager shall bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent direct, and if not done by that date, the per annum, and shall be payable and colsaid City of Gastonia will make such constant. nections, and the costs thereof will be assessed against such property where the ome due at the same time that other connections are made, and same will be taxes are due, the first installment be a lien thereon and colleced as the cost of coming due next after the completion of making the street improvements as herein stated

And be it further resolved and ordained that one-half of the total cost of such improvements as shall be made as above stated, exclusive of so much of the cost as is incurred at street intersections, shall be specially assessed upon the lots and parcel of land abutting directly on said street where such improvements are made according to the extent of their respective frontages thereon by an equal rate per foot of such frontage, such assessments being a lien on said property, and that the terms of payment for such work by the said property owners, shall be in eash or ten equal annual instalments, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum and shall be payable and collected at the same time that taxes are collected and each install-ment thereof shall become due at the same time that other taxes are due, the first installment becoming due next after

the completion of said improvements. I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was passed and adopted by the City Council of Gastonia, on the 7th day of February, 1922. S. G. FRY, City Clerk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned having duly qualified as administrator of the estate of Ressie E. Taylor, deceased, late of Gaston county, North Carolina, before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Gaston county, notice is hereby given that all claims against said estate must be exhibited and filed with me on or before

February 1, 1923

duly verified, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All parties indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

WALTER M. TAYLOR, Admr. of Ressie E. Taylor, Belmont,