

J. B. IVEY MAKES GRAND OFFER TO DAHLIA GROWERS

Successful Grower Tells How to Plant and Care for Dahlias in County

Mr. J. B. Ivey, of Charlotte, who spends the summer in Haywood county, is recognized as one of the best authorities and largest growers of flowers in Western North Carolina. Mr. Ivey caters especially to the dahlia. He sent to this paper an article explaining some of the vital points as to how the dahlia can best be grown in this county.

"I am very anxious to build up the reputation of Haywood county for dahlias and would like to see every home have some of these beautiful flowers, which do so well there," Mr. Ivey said. He continued, "There have been far less exhibitors at the shows here than I would like to see, and I hope that the Woman's Club will be able to develop still further interest in this very attractive flower."

Mr. Ivey has made a liberal offer to the residents of this county. Without any obligation on their part other than promising to care for the flowers, he will give a \$10 bulb of the Kathleen Norris variety to the persons sending in their name to him immediately.

Mr. Ivey's article is as follows:

While the annual Dahlia Shows at Waynesville have been very successful I with others have been disappointed that only a comparatively few have made any entries. I would be glad to see fifty or more prepare to exhibit one or more baskets or vases for the show next fall. I have asked the President of the Woman's Club, who is sponsor of this Dahlia Show, if they would not arrange their premium list so as to induce the grower of only a few dahlias to show their civic spirit by joining in helping to make the 1932 Dahlia Show the largest and best we have ever had. The Woman's Club has also promised to print their premium list next spring before planting time so that you will know just what to work for.

The Dahlia seems to be at its best in the fine climate of Haywood county and if every home grew this beautiful flower, it would make Haywood county known as the Dahlia county, and would attract tourists who already know the reputation the county has as the "Home of the Dahlia."

Many say it is no use to enter the show as Shelton, Cleveland and Ivey will get all the prizes. Others can grow them as well as we, if they only will get good varieties and give them fair attention.

To get the soil in best condition, I would advise getting your proposed Dahlia Garden in good condition by broadcasting the plot with stable manure and then turning under the ground deep and leaving it rough for the winter's ice, snow and winds to work on the soil.

Then, next spring dig holes two feet deep, put in some manure in the bottom, fill up with good top soil and plant the tubers about six inches deep in this prepared spot. Allow only one main stalk and keep this one disbudded as to the ends of each branch and you should have no trouble in having fine flowers provided you have good varieties.

To show my practical interest in the show, I will give free to the first twenty-five residents of Haywood county, writing me one bulb of Kathleen Norris, which I consider about the finest Dahlia grown—a gorgeous, immense glowing pink. It holds up its head and lasts well after being cut. This variety sold last year for \$10.00 each and thousands were sold at that price. It is such a healthy vigorous grower that it has multiplied and is much cheaper this year. The only conditions to this offer are:

1. That you are a resident of Haywood county.
2. That you promise to make an exhibit at the Dahlia Show next fall.
3. That only one member of a family can get one of these Kathleen Norris bulbs.
4. That the first twenty-five letters I get making these promises will get one of these bulbs free.

If you have doubts as to my coming up to my promise, consult either one of the banks at Waynesville.

I have already engaged these bulbs and if by any unforeseen chance they fail me, I will send another variety that will rank with it, but I am sure that I can supply twenty-five of these fine bulbs.

In addition, I will offer as a prize at the Dahlia Show a Dahlia tuber worth \$5.00, one of the new varieties; this to be given to the best bloom grown from one of the bulbs furnished in this offer.

J. B. IVEY.

BETHEL-WOODROW

The Bethel Parent Teacher Association will hold its regular meeting Friday, December 11 at 2:30 p. m. in the school auditorium. The hospitality committee is to serve refreshments during the social hour, and all members are urged to be present.

On Friday, November 20, Bethel school closed for the third successful month of the school term. Perfect attendance for the month totaled 301 students on the honor roll. Since the grade of "B" is the grade eligible for honor roll and denotes above average, it is with pleasure the school makes known the record of Deanie Frazier, ninth grade and Laura Chambers, tenth grade, who made grades of "A" on all subjects which shows exceptional ability and efforts put forth in attaining this distinction.

HONOR ROLL

Primary Grades—Grade 1—Perfect Attendance 25. Honor Roll—Larry Humphries, Joe Hyatt, James Kinsland, James Sisk, Ruth Evelyn Cathey, Sue Cathey Kelly, Betty Joyce Morgan, Frances West.

Grade 2. Perfect Attendance 22. Honor Roll—Raymond Franklin, Wallace Gaddis, Edwin Long, Wayne Stamey, Berlyn Bumgarner, Clovis Pipes, Hazel Frady.

Grade 3. Perfect Attendance 25. Honor Roll—John Abel, Harry Burnette, Bradwin Hargrove, Edwin Sorrells, Sam Welch, Sibyl Blaylock, Bertha Cabe, Delphia Capps, Fannie May Farmer, Anna May Long, Martha Gray Moore, Joy May Osborne, Dorothy Pecnick, Geneva Reynolds, Irene West, Mozelle Wooten, Edith York.

GRAMMER GRADES

Grade 4. Perfect Attendance 36. Honor Roll—Lenoir York, Verdon Oliver Fulton Burnette, Frederic Hyatt, Billy Sheffield, Mary Hyatt, Hazel Burnette, Willa Mae Bright, Catherine Justice, Irene Rogers.

Grade 5. Perfect Attendance 22. Honor Roll—Ella Lee West, William Donaldson, Burton Cathey, Cathern Henson, Myrtle Murray, Mary Jane Michael, Mildred Hargrove.

Grade 6. Perfect Attendance 27. Honor Roll—Ruth Brown, Betty Sue Cathey, Mae Cook, Mabel Goodson, Elizabeth Hines, Berdine Rigdon, Mary Lou Powell, Hazel Pitts, David Edwards, Albert Garden, Joe Moore, Howard Rogers, Henry Terrell, Robert Welch, T. F. Wells, Hilliard Pless, James Pless, R. H. Mease.

Grade 7. Perfect Attendance 30. Honor Roll—Opal Franklin, Winifred Rigdon, Ruth Evans, J. L. Singleton, Bill Hyatt, Inez Cogburn, Laura Stamey, Irsula Welch.

Grade 8. Perfect Attendance 40. Honor Roll—Kathryn Haliburton; Mabel Wilson, Floyd Burnette, Edwin Hyatt.

Grade 9. Perfect Attendance 28. Honor Roll—Deanie Frazier, Harry Rogers, Thelma Greene, Virginia Osborne.

Grade 10. Perfect Attendance 23. Honor Roll—Margaret West, Wandarose Pipes, Laura Chambers, Mae Brown.

Grade 11. Perfect Attendance 23. Honor Roll—Frank Matheson, Ned Moody, Virginia Hines.

CLYDE

A very interesting basketball game was played here last Tuesday evening between Clyde and Canton, the score resulting in 40 to 13 in favor of Clyde. The Canton team was composed of Harrel Grogan, Hoss Smathers, Rip Collins, Mr. Rowe and Mr. Setzer. The Clyde players were Prof. Loper, Prof. Kitchens, Lawrence Morgan, Jerry Rogers, and J. Fulbright. Harry Sentelle was referee and Troy Crawford and Irvin Haynes were substitutes for Clyde. Last Friday evening the Canton Y. played basketball against the Clyde team resulting in a score of 42 to 9 in favor of the Y.

Rev. John G. Poole of Canton preached at the M. E. Church last Sunday morning, using the 25th Chapter of Matthew as a basis for his remarks.

Beginning next Sunday morning Rev. A. A. Johnson will preach a series of sermons on Life. His first installment will be on Some Aspects of Life.

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GRINS AND CHUCKLES

Wife—"Dear, tomorrow is our tenth wedding anniversary. Shall I kill the turkey?"
Hubby—"No, let him live. He didn't have anything to do with it."

There is no use trying to joke with woman. The other day Mr. Boone heard a pretty good conundrum and decided to try it on Mrs. Boone.

"Do you know why I am like a mule?" he asked her when he went home.

"No," she replied promptly. "I know your are, but I don't know why you are."

Maxine—"I've swallowed my liquor rouge by mistake. What shall I do?"

Mertrand—"Better eat a powder puff."

A wise individual has said that to his doctor a man confesses his fears; to his minister, his weakness; to his lawyer, his mistakes.

A mine superintendent had gone down into the lower levels to talk to a crew of men imprisoned by a cave-in.

"George," he shouted to one colored miner, through a narrow aperture, "are you married?"

"Nossuh," answered a lugubrious voice; "disam rewustest fix I evah been in yet."

A young lady, finding herself stranded in a small village a few weeks ago, asked one of the inhabitants where she might spend the night.

"There ain't no hotel here," replied the man, "but you can sleep with the station agent."

"Sir," exclaimed the flapper, "I'll have you to know that I'm a lady."

"That's all right," answered the man. "So is the station agent."

"All this talk about back-seat driving is bunk. I've driven a car for ten years and I've never had a word from behind."

"What sort of a car?"

"A hearse."

Proud father—"Well, son, now that you're a grad what are you going to do?"

Offspring—"I'm going to talk to you about the old days."

Midnight came and "wow, wow, wow" and another "wow" came from the baby. "Four bawls and I walk," groaned the baseball player daddy as he slid out of bed.

"What do women talk about when they are together?"

"Just what men talk about."

"Aren't they terrible?"

Music teacher—"Thomas, isn't your voice a little squeaky today?"

Thomas—"I've got a cold, ma'am. Maybe I'm only hitting on one tonsil."

Monahan—"There's a delicious sense of luxury when one is lying on one's bed and ringing one's bell for one's valet."

O'Routke—"Have yop a valet?"

Monahan—"No, but I have a bell."

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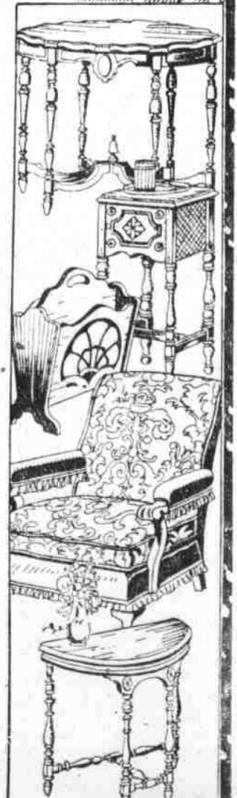
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