



GARDEN TIME
M. E. Gardner
N. C. State College

The home grounds are an integral part of family life. It is here that the family can live and play together and their friends can enjoy the great out-of-doors. The development of plans and arrangements are reflections of individual tastes and family compromises. It lends itself to family projects, nature study, outdoor cooking, hobbies, recreation, fruit and vegetable production and relaxation. How it develops is determined by the occupants and their desires. Whatever the goal, a plan is necessary.

The purpose of the plan is to determine individual preferences, an estimate of costs, establishing priorities for immediate needs; essentials that can wait and avoiding costly errors.

Many mistakes are made in the beginning unless due consideration is given to site selection such as drainage, views and exposures. Errors in the selection of suitable plant materials may be disappointing and costly in time and labor. Planting trees too close together, tall growing shrubs under picture windows and poorly located walks and drives. These are just a few of the more common errors.

The objectives of the plan are: attractiveness; convenience; to be useful and interesting. These objectives may overlap as they are accomplished.

Public attractiveness of the home and home grounds is an outward expression of the people who live there. When the residents of a home, or a community, exhibit orderliness, neatness, and harmony, it never fails to attract attention and favorable comments because it reflects a spirit of community pride and neighborly relationships. School children can be taught to respect beautiful surroundings.

From a material standpoint the attractiveness of a home and its surroundings will enhance property values. The successful farmer prefers having an attractive and well arranged farmstead. It is

good for business. The plan should be interesting. Subdivisions with many houses of similar architecture can be made interesting with well kept lawns, appropriate trees and shrub selections. The use of different plans for foundation plantings, and allocations of space for service, recreation and relaxation are important considerations.

Focal points also add interest—a bird bath, a summer seat with climbing roses, a garden, or a lake or mountain view from a picture window.

To be useful a plan must meet the needs of the family—a recreation area for children, a picnic area, adequate shade for rest, a vegetable and fruit garden. A rustic setting for entertainment is an asset if space is available.

APPLICANTS SOUGHT FOR COAST GUARD OFFICER CANDIDATE SCHOOL

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 3 — The Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard has announced that applications are now being accepted for the Coast Guard Officer Candidate School which will convene at Yorktown, Virginia on February 11, 1963. A subsequent class for Officer Candidates will convene in September 1963.

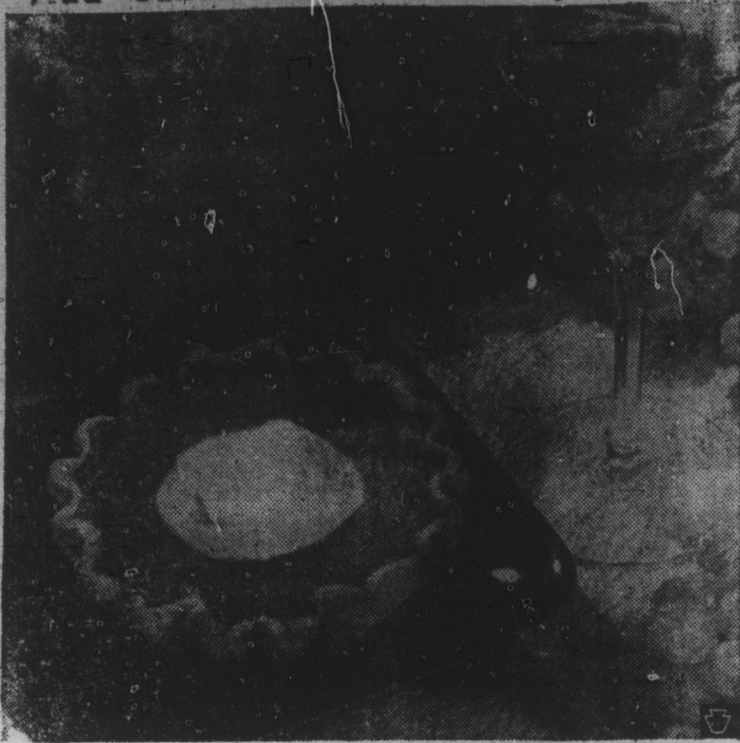
Applicants must be between the ages of 21 and 26 and hold a baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university at the time of selection for this school.

Upon completion of 17 weeks indoctrination at the Officer Candidate School, graduates are commissioned Ensign in the U. S. Coast Guard Reserve and required to serve on active duty for three years.

For further information write Commandant (PTP-2), U. S. Coast Guard, Washington 25, D. C.



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This autumn's pumpkin pie is likely to have a wonderfully subtle flavor in addition to its usual spicy goodness. You couldn't guess if you didn't know—it's Sherry. The rich and mellow flavor of California Sherry seems to enhance the taste of all ingredients. Individual tarts have a party air, but this same mixture can be put into one large baked pie shell, if desired. Whipped cream mixed with a little Sherry and a dusting of nutmeg is a good topping. To sip along with the pie, pour small glasses of a medium or sweet Sherry, or a light, sweet Sauterne.

SHERRIED PUMPKIN TARTS
(Serves 12)

- 2 cups canned pumpkin
- 3/4 cup brown sugar
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/2 teaspoon ginger
- 1/4 teaspoon cloves
- 3 eggs, slightly beaten
- 1 cup milk
- 1/2 cup light cream
- 1/2 cup California Sherry
- 1/2 unbaked tart shells

Mix pumpkin, sugar, salt, and spices; add eggs, milk, cream and Sherry; beat with a rotary beater until well blended. Pour mixture into unbaked tart shells. Bake in a hot oven (425 degrees F.) for 20 minutes; reduce heat to moderate (350 degrees F.) and bake about 20 minutes longer, or until a knife inserted in the center comes out clean. Cool. Serve topped with Sherry-Nutmeg Cream (below).

Sherry-Nutmeg Cream: Whip 1 1/2 cups heavy cream just until thick and shiny; gently stir in 2 tablespoons confectioners' sugar, 1 to 2 tablespoons California Sherry and 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

NORTH CAROLINA
YANCEY COUNTY

Having qualified as Executor of the Estate of Edd Sparks, deceased, late of Yancey County, this is to notify all persons having claims against the Decedent to exhibit the same to the undersigned Executor at his home at Rt. 2, Burnsville, N. C., on or before the 11th day of April, 1963, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

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Plaintiff

vs.

James Nelson King, Defendant
TO JAMES NELSON KING:

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You are required to make defense to such pleading not later than the 24th day of Nov. 1962, and upon your failure to do so, the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief sought. This September 28, 1962.

Low Thomas, Clerk Superior Court. Oct. 4, 11, 18, 25

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE
NORTH CAROLINA
YANCEY COUNTY

Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of J. R. Shepherd, deceased, late of Yancey County, this is to notify all persons having claims against the Decedent to exhibit the same to the undersigned Administrator at his home at Burnsville, N. C. RFD 8, on or before the 18th day of April, 1963 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

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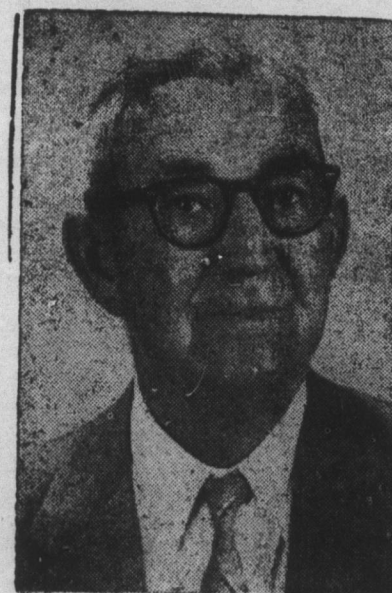
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