


GARDEN TIME

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I have just received a copy of the N. C. Fair catalog which reminds me that many community and county fairs will be held during the next six weeks.

Every gardener should take an interest in the local fair and also the State Fair. If you have anything worth exhibiting you should take pride in showing it. How many times have you stood in front of a prize winning flower, vegetable or fruit at a fair and said, either to those with you or to yourself: "I've got a better one than that at home in the garden right now." And you may be absolutely right, but to have it win a blue ribbon on the show table and have it in the garden are two entirely different things. The point is to get it from the garden to the show table and still have it good enough to win over the other entries.

Before you enter an exhibit, read the instructions in the catalog carefully. Be sure to enter the exhibit in the proper class, and have it properly labeled. If the class calls for a plate of 12 specimens, be sure that you have 12—no more and no less.

In vegetable exhibits, specimens should be of best marketable size except where the catalog calls for the "largest" as in the case of pumpkins. Where the class calls for a plate, tray, peck or bushel, the individual specimens should be as nearly alike in size, shape and color as possible and should have the true characteristics of that particular variety. Potatoes need not be washed unless it will improve their appearance. However, if not washed, they should be brushed with a soft brush or cloth.

Flower exhibits call for perfection. Good stems, good healthy foliage, and a perfect bloom are essential. It is important to have flowers in good condition at the time of judging. A rose bloom should be from one-half to three-fourths open — a tight bud will not be considered by the judges. Fruits, such as apples and pears, should have true varietal characteristics, be well colored, and not over ripe. They should be free from disease and insect damage. Stems must not be removed from apples and pears. All specimens in a plate or tray should be uniform in size, shape and color.

WEEKLY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Comedienne

Here's the Answer



HORIZONTAL

- 1,5 Dejected comedienne
- 10 Promigate
- 12 Prayer
- 14 In a line
- 15 Rowing implement
- 17 Persian fairy
- 18 Swine
- 19 Deep hole
- 20 Make a lace edging
- 21 Daybreak (comb. form)
- 23 Preposition
- 24 Hammer head
- 26 Depend
- 29 Indistinct mulberry
- 30 On the ocean
- 31 Small island
- 34 Measure of cloth
- 35 Conduct
- 36 Weary
- 38 From
- 39 Within
- 40 Crimson
- 42 Fish
- 45 Twitching
- 48 Greek god of war
- 50 Unit of weight
- 51 Go by plane
- 52 Freebooster
- 54 Meal
- 56 Compound ether
- 57 Youths

VERTICAL

- 1 Nothing
- 2 Culmination
- 3 Seed
- 4 Abraham's home (Bib.)

5 Harbor
6 Symbol for iridium
7 Point
8 African flies
9 Rail bird
10 College cheer
11 Spinning toy
13 Louse egg
16 Sloth
22 She often is — the radio
23 Brazilian macaw
24 Bucket
25 Otherwise
27 Sidelong look
28 College
32 Devices for scaling
33 City in The Netherlands
36 Palm lily
37 Mean
40 Knock
41 Iroquoian Indian
42 Passage of the brain
43 Accomplish
44 Terminus
46 Angers
47 Heart
49 Perched
51 Collection of sayings
53 Symbol for tellurium
55 Symbol for titanium

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
PRELIMINARY CERTIFICATE
OF DISSOLUTION

To All to Whom These Presents May Come — Greeting:

WHEREAS, It appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that the KINGS MOUNTAIN TEXTILE CORPORATION, a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated at No. _____ Street, in the City of Kings Mountain, County of Cleveland, State of North Carolina (George Houser being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon process may be served), has complied with the requirement of Chapter 55, General Statutes, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution:

NOW THEREFORE, I THAD EURE, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 23rd day of August, 1955, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my official seal at Raleigh, this 23rd day of August, A. D., 1955.

THAD EURE
Secretary of State
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Negro Woman Flim-Flammed

A Kings Mountain Negro woman was finagled out of \$127 recently by three men working the flim-flam pocketbook racket.

Edith Jamerson, the victim, Chief of Police Hugh A. Logan, Jr., said, told police a Negro man struck up a conversation with her last Saturday on Mountain street. While the conversation ensued, she reported, a white man passed, dropping a billfold which was picked up by a second Negro man walking behind. The Negro man was stopped by the conversation, and was told he had witnessed the incident. Chief Logan said the Negro further stated. During the course of the discussion, she further stated, the second Negro man said he would divide between the two a hundred dollar bill found in the billfold if she would give him what money she had on her person to hold until he changed the money at the bank. The Negro man left but never returned, the Negro woman was reported as stating. The first Negro man, after waiting a few minutes, soon left saying he had decided not to take part in the transaction.

EXECUTORS NOTICE

Having qualified as executor for the estate of the late A. E. Cline, deceased, before the Clerk Superior Court for Cleveland County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to file same with the undersigned on or before the 1st day of September, 1956 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This the 30th day of August, 1955.

J. R. Davis, Executor for the Last Will and Testament of A. E. Cline
9:1—22

STATE COLLEGE ANSWERS
TIMELY FARM QUESTIONS

QUESTION: If I hire several members of one family to work on my farm, do I have to keep social security records on each person.

ANSWER: If you pay only the head of the family, you keep records only on him. If you pay the workers individually, you are responsible for records and reporting on each individual. A valuable booklet, "How Social Security Covers Farmers," will soon be available from your county agent according to W. L. Turner, public affairs specialist for the Extension Service. Turner reports that 25,000 copies of the booklet have been obtained for distribution to farmers through their county agents.

QUESTION: Will it hurt my tobacco to dip the heads of bundles in water?

ANSWER: Yes, when tobacco with dipped heads is found on the warehouse floor it may be rejected or sold at a very low price.

QUESTION: What are the chances of successfully starting chicks in the autumn?

ANSWER: Three years of research work at the N. C. Experiment Station shows autumn hatched chicks can be economically brooded and developed in all sections of the state.



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