

Spring and Your Garden

(When is Spring?)

When Meadowlark and Robin again begin;
To flutter and flitter, twitter and sing,
When the pussy-willows again joy us bring,
And Bahr starts writing Ads,
You know it's Spring.

Even to the Pessimist there can't be more convincing Proof, that the country is not going to the dogs, or all the money is being spent at the Roadhouses, than the fact, that many thousands of new Homes are going up all over the country. The "Own your own Home Spirit" makes for sane thought, for higher Ideals in life, to do better and accomplish more for real worth-while Citizenship and so, makes each Star in the Flag shine brighter, mean and stand for more.

But whether you just have built, or are going to build a Home, bear in mind "It's Not a Home Till It's Planted" If you are among those, fortunate enough to live here, plant trees, shrubs and flowers this Spring, making for that ideal Home and Grounds you have been dreaming about, plan and plant, thereby enjoying your Garden the things those in the Apartment houses in the City are deprived of.

A few dollars spent each Spring and Fall on shrubs and hardy flower-

ing plants will not only make your Home more valuable, but will repay you many times over, in developing it into a thing of Beauty, become interested in Gardening, an occupation, for which no Man is too high or too low, and which after a few days' grind in the Office, affords more recreation and pleasure than almost anything else.

If's planting time right now, maybe you would like to have us assist you, we consider this a privilege, even if you wish to buy elsewhere. For over thirty years we have planned and planted for the good folks along the North Shore.

Mighty Elms have grown out of little trees we planted years ago.— Beautiful Grounds have developed, many hundreds of them where the outlook appeared almost hopeless before And, we are still at it. Busier than ever, yet much pleased to tell you all we know over Telephone 85 on what and how to plant, so as to obtain the best results.

Why not plant more Fruit Trees?
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Bahr

FOR FLOWERS

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Come over Sunday and pay the Greenhouses a visit, see the Roses growing, The stately Easter Lilies, the Gorgeous Hydrangeas, the Azaleas and the Bougainvillias, see the thousands of little plants coming along for Spring planting, there are so many interesting things for you to look at.

Will there be a Lily in your Home this Easter? Let's set one aside, only 50 cts., per blossom—We deliver anywhere.—Telephone—85.

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FREAK EVENTS IN NORTHWEST NOTED

MANY NOVELTIES APPEAR

"Kick" in Atmosphere is Blamed For Bizarre Happenings and Unique Natural Phenomena Seen

There seems to be a kick in the atmosphere of the northwestern corner of this country, a kick of much more than 1-2 of 1 per cent, that goes to dame nature's head, or heels, and causes the dear old lady to execute didoes that she seldom or never perpetuates elsewhere, says the New York Sun and Globe.

Indians, caterpillars, robin red breasts and chipmunks play curious and various parts in a budget of items from the vigilant correspondent in Seattle who keeps an eagle eye open for the quirks of animal, vegetable and human life in that region.

Another Park
To preserve the figure of Abraham Lincoln on top of a 30 foot totem pole, the President has been asked by Gov. Scott C. Boone of Alaska to declare Tongass island a national park. The statue was carved by an Indian more than 50 years ago. The native cut the figure from yellow cedar with hand made knives and chisels, using a photograph of the martyred president a soldier gave him for copy.

The face of Lincoln is nearly heroic size, the shoulders shading off into the wings of a large bird. Tongass island is a small area, just off the mainland of southeastern Alaska. Surrounding this remarkable totem are carved poles bearing the historic legends of many extinct clans, some well preserved with white man's paint. Governor Boone fears these totems may be coveted by tourists for eastern cities.

Robins Halt Caterpillars
The advance of the caterpillar army, devastating northwest agricultural sections, was effectively halted and destroyed by the unexpected arrival of multitudes of robins, scientifically known to peneers as *impingus migratorius*. Nests of the impending feast of yellow haired worms spread among the robin habitations of the northwest faster than radio wavelets. From nowhere, apparently, yet from everywhere, came red breasts, first clearing the steel rails of the Albany-Newport railroad, along beset and blockaded by the yellow hordes.

Next the voracious robins feasted on the caterpillars thrown off the rails by the revolving brushes fas-

tened in front of the locomotives. The right of way denuded by the pest, flock after flock of robins visited the orchards, lawns, and wooded districts infested by the tent caterpillars.

The caterpillar menace removed, orchardists now fear the vast flocks of young and old robins may stay around their orchards and spoil ripening fruit.

Chipmunks in Hotel Piano
When Paradise Inn in Mount Rainier National park was officially opened for the season it was found the grand piano in the dancing foyer would not respond to the keys. Throwing back the massive cover Manager Martin discovered the case filled with English walnuts, pecans, peanuts, filberts and other delicacies from the hotel kitchen. In one corner of the box was a cute little nest of brown and brunette hairs inside of which were curled seven half-inch baby chipmunks. The little nest and occupants were taken outside and the piano cleaned up for the season's initial ball.

It is fortunate that the prospect of a tax cut has been broken gently to the taxpayer, as he might have been overcome by the unexpected shock.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE NO. 79

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested that the City County, Illinois, have ordered the grading, draining, paving with Portland Cement concrete and otherwise improving land Cement and otherwise improving Evolution Avenue from the south line of Highwood Avenue south to the north line of Prairie Avenue, in the City of Highwood, County of Lake and State of Illinois. The ordinance for the same being on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, and having applied to the County Court of Lake County for an assessment for the cost of said improvement according to benefits, the final hearing thereon will be had on the 21st day of April, A. D., 1924, at 10 o'clock A. M. or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will permit.

Said assessment is payable in ten (10) installments, with interest at the rate of six per centum, pursuant to law, from and after the date of issue of first voucher. All persons desiring may file objections in said Court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

Harry Olander
Officer appointed to make said assessment.
Dated at Highwood, Illinois,
April 3rd, A. D., 1924.

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