

Explains Effective Planting of Bulbs for Spring Blooms

By Rosa Rugosa

The work attached to careful planning of the planting of small bulbs in your garden will be doubly rewarded when you find the blossoms raising their heads in the early spring sunshine.

One does not need to be a connoisseur of bulbs or flowers of any kind as a matter of fact, in order to have an effective and colorful early spring garden. All that is necessary is a little thought in grouping bulbs. First, be sure to keep the dwarf or low growing ones in the foreground and secondly concentrate on grouping the rich dark colors with the lighter tones of the same shade thereby creating a color scheme, which will be a delight to the eye.

Blue and yellow Crocus make lovely path borders, the white Crocus and the Snow-drop can be planted haphazardly over a lawn area. Either the blue or yellows are best in mass effects, if planted in a formal garden.

For a rock garden there is nothing better than the Heavenly Blue Grape Hyacinths. Their dainty little bells greatly resemble the Lily of the Valley.

Havoc has been played with the Narcissus owing to the recent quarantine, but many of the most desirable can still be obtained. These should be planted in clusters, along a garden path, around a pool or grouped among evergreens.

The little star-like Scilla Squills are fine for cutting and the Campanulata varieties will grow well in shady places. It is well to plant these in solid masses.

One of the early blooming little flowers is the Chinodoxa or Glory of the Snow. The intense bright blue of a mass of these flowers, when viewed from a distance will give the effect of water. Should you happen to have a low spot or hollow try planting Glory of the Snow bulbs in it and you will be amazed with the translucent effect you will have from this mass of early blooms.

Rev. Roy Thompson Takes North Shore Pastorate

The Rev. Roy Thompson, assistant editor of the Chicago Bladet, accepted last week the call as pastor of the First Scandinavian Evangelical church of Winnetka. He preached his first sermon as pastor of the church last Sunday.

The new pastor was formerly active in young people's conference work and was editor of the Young People's Messenger, before being made assistant editor of the Bladet.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson have been making their home in Chicago, but will move soon to Winnetka.

RECENT BENEFIT A SUCCESS

The proceeds of the bunco party given by Miss Florence Faber at her home, 911 Seward street, in Evanston on Thursday afternoon of last week amounted to \$200, according to the report of Miss Faber, who is president of the Mallinckrodt High school alumnae. The money was donated to the building fund of the Catholic school, which is to erect a new school building soon.

RETURNS FOR BIRTHDAY

Miss Alice Leppel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Leppel of 854 Walden road, returned from Grafton hall, Fond du Lac, Wis., where she is attending school, to spend the week-end with her parents, in celebration of her sixteenth birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Leppel surprised her with a dinner dance at the Edgewater Beach hotel, where twenty-two of her friends were present.

John Ridgely Marshall Returns to Hollywood

John Ridgely Marshall, who for several months maintained a photographic studio in Spanish Court in "No Man's Land" has gone to California. Mr. Marshall, before coming to the north shore, was a member of the camera staff of the Fox Film studio in Hollywood and is returning to the Coast movie colony to resume "shooting" on location. He is making the trip to California by motor.

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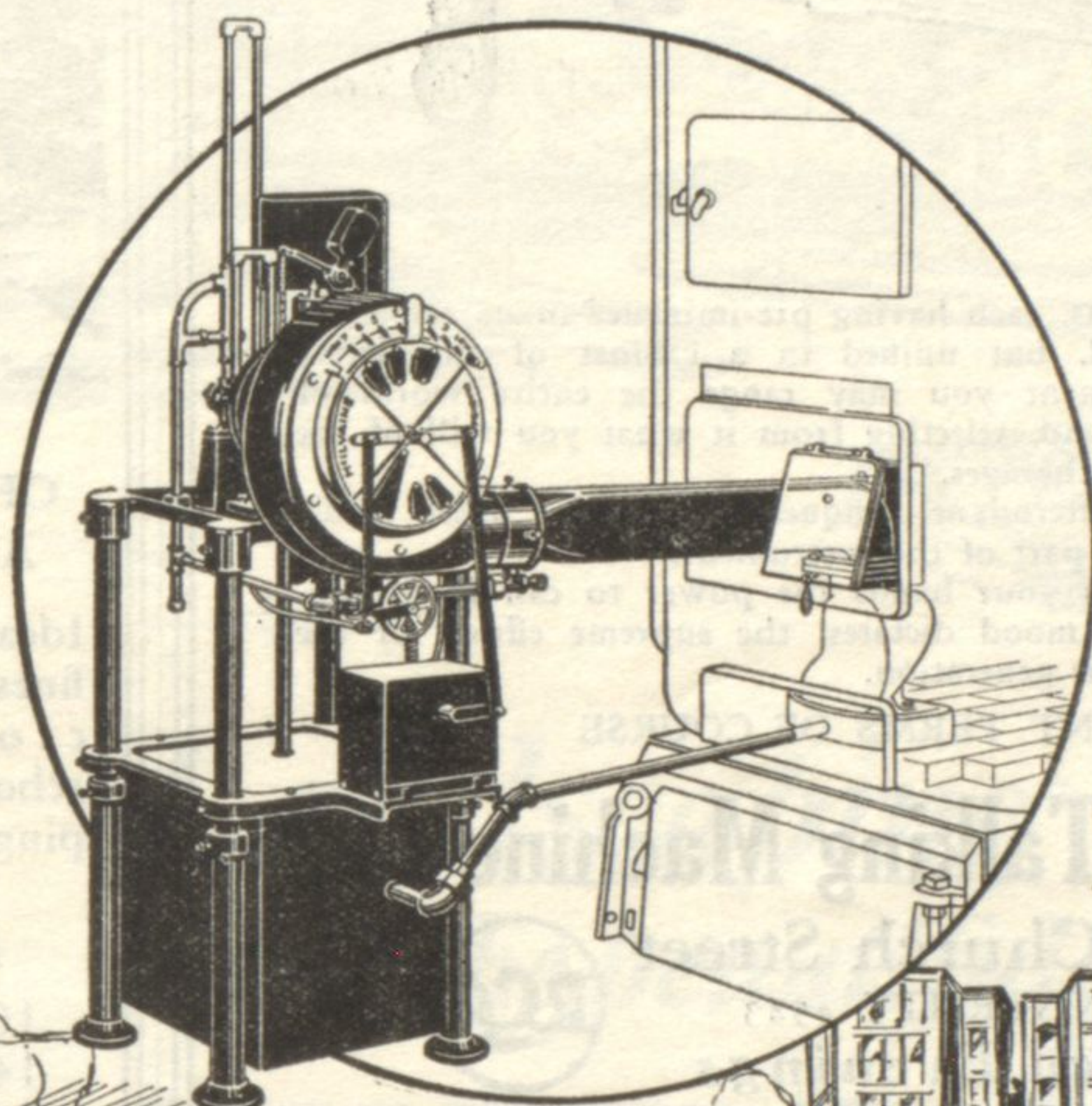
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