Kent News

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Look at the Date on your paper Is. it 1899? If not, then you owe for it. Please attend to this at once.

THE GARDENS OF ROSES!

Portland Known as the "Rose City"—How to Grow the Beauties in Kent County—Wild Flower Exhibit.

NO. 8.

No description of Portland is complete without allusion to the roses; for it is emphatically "The Rose City." They grow in every yard riotous in profusion, the most lovely buds and full blown roses of every conceivable shade and many of them as large as sunflowers. Roses five, six, seven and eight inches in diameter are common and they grow right out doors the year round—the choice varieties that have to be carefully nurtured in hot houses with us. What would you think of a long line hedge, separating two spacious lawns, composed of American beauty, or of La France, or of some other equally precious variety of rose bushes, completely covered with blossoms? But they have such hedges in Portland any quantity of them. And the roses are everywhere, not confined to the lawns of the rich, but adorning every nook and corner of the smaller yards and climbing over the porches and walls of the humbler cottages.

And how generous the people were with their fragrant flowers. During the stay of the National Editorial Association in the city, I don't know how many many wagon loads of gread big red, pink, yellow, cream, white and every other shade of roses were lavished upon the ladies of our party.

A rose show was in progress that week in a large tent pitched on a vacant lot near the hotel, an annual event in Portland, and a most attractive spot it was. "We greet you with flowers," was the motto over the door, artistically made of tremendously big red roses. Inside was a bower of beauty, in charge of Portland's most charming ladies, under the auspices of the blossom section of the State Horticultural Society. The rarest roses were arranged bank upon bank in lavish and bewildering profusion, perfect masses of the most dazzling colors. There were overflowing vases of celebrated varieties such as Caroline Testant, Horace Vernet, Captain Christie, La Frane, Baroness Rothschild, Jacqueminot, Marechal Niel, Paul Neyron, and a hundred more, all of a beauty and a perfection never seen in the East. People who have not seen Oregon roses at their best don't know what really perfect roses are. It is worth the whole trip just to see the roses.

I said to one lady at the flower show, Mrs. G. S. Pershin, formerly of Indiana, "How is it possible to raise such beautifull roses?" She thought the warm damp climate, 44 to 50 inches of annual rainfall with no cold weather to kill the most delegate plant, was the foundation of success, though a great deal is due to intelligent cultivation. People in Oregon have become interested in rose culture and have learned many thing about the plants. Mrs. Pershin thought that if she now lived in Maryland or Indiana, with the experience gained in Oregon, she could raise much finer roses than shecould raise in the east when she formerly lived there.

I asked her what to do to have success with roses in Maryland, and I copied her suggestions for the benefit of the lady readers of the NEWS.

She would send to G. R. Ganse, Richmond, Indiana, for rose slips, 25 for $1. Plant the slips in a large tub, the soil having been prepared first as follows: At the bottom of the tub first place layer of charcoal three or four inches deep. This serves to keep the water and soil sweet and prevents souring. Over the charcoal place balls of yellow clay. Make the clay into balls about as large as the fist. The enterstices between the balls of clay should be loosely filled with sand. The rose must have the yellow clay for nourishment. Take a quantity of fresh cow manure soak it three days in water. Pour one pint of the liquid into two quarts of water and use that much to wet the soil twice a week after the buds have started.

The wild flower exhibit containing several hundred examples of the wild flowers of Oregon, most of them from near the snow line of Mount Hood, was one of the most fascinating departments of the rose show. F. G. U.

The twenty-fourth annual meeting of the Women's Christian temperance Union of Maryland will be held in Havre de Grace, Harford county, Oct. 4, 5 and 6, in the Presbyterian Church. Every local union in the State is entitled to one delegate to the convention.

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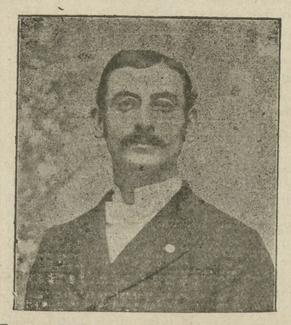

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