

Mums Are Asset In Gardens

Annual chrysanthemums are an asset to any garden for their bloom profusely during summer and early fall, especially when and where the weather is not too hot.

Extremely easy to grow, they need only a sunny place and, preferably, a clay soil. Seeds of both single and double-flowered types are available and there also is a tetraploid variety with extra-large blooms.

Seeds of the double-flowered types will produce a high percentage of plants with fully double flowers, but there also will be some single-flowered plants. One of the interesting aspects of growing annual chrysanthemums is observing the variation in flowers, not only in form but also in color.

Most of the large flowers will be of a single color; white, yellow, orange, to brownish-red,

but some of them will have rings or zones of one or several colors in sharp contrast to the ground hue. It's for this reason that they often are called "painted daisies."

All of the color combinations blend with one another so that flowers from a seed mixture may be used together in an arrangement if desired. The blooms have excellent keeping quality and are entirely satisfactory in both garden and house.

Strains available include Rainbow and Merry, mixtures of single-flowered forms, Double Monarch and Coronarium Double, and the tetraploid variety, Polar Star, with white-centered yellow, each 4 to 5 inches in diameter, on stems 3 feet high.

Give Mother Well Planned Cedar Closet

Here's a gift from a handyman husband that will last a lifetime and cause untold satisfaction.

It comes in the form of redoing your wife's closet in red cedar closet lining. And while you're at it, plan it for the utmost in convenience and efficiency in use. She'll love it.

In advance, analyze what she stores in the closet—shoes, hats, handbags, dresses, coats, sweaters, luggage and what-have-you. Then design the most efficient way of housing it.

Be sure to provide shelving for luggage, sweaters and hats while installing rods to accommodate dresses and coats as well as skirts and jackets. This can be done by placing the rods at various levels.

The backs of the closet doors can be fitted with slanting racks with heel stops for shoes and hooks for handbags and other items. Or you might consider installing a full-length mirror.

For moth repellency, the entire inside of the closet should be faced with aromatic red cedar which eliminates the need to send furs out to commercial storage during summer months.

Rebuilding a closet is a job a semi-skilled handyman can accomplish over a weekend. Instructions for installing the cedar come in every package of cedar lining and the cedar panels themselves are tongue and grooved for fast, tight installation.

Cedar lining is available at lumber dealers everywhere.

Cedar-Lined Amoire Gives Protection

If you're lucky enough to have one of those marvelous combination closet-dresser pieces of furniture, that the French call an amoire, consider lining it with aromatic red cedar. This is the suggestion of one of New York's top interior designers.

Amoires make perfect places

HOW TO DEVELOP A GREEN THUMB

THESE 10 NEED TO TURN A GREEN THUMB INTO A GREEN THUMB. WITH A GREEN THUMB, YOU CAN HELP YOUR WIFE TO BLOOM!



1. A COMMON GARDENING ERROR IS PLANTING SEEDS TOO DEEP. WHICH SLOWS GERMINATION. SMALL SEEDS NEED TO BE PLANTED ONLY AS DEEP AS THE SEEDS. NEED ONLY TO BE COVERED BY A FINE LAYER OF SOIL. 2. OVERCROWDING OF PLANTS CAN BE PREVENTED AT THE PLANTING STAGE. LEARN HOW: TALL AND WIDE EACH OTHER. WALL GROWN AND SEED ACCORDINGLY. PLANTS SHOULD BE THINNING OUT JUST AFTER SEEDLINGS HAVE SPROUTED. 3. DON'T MAKE THE ERROR OF USING THE WRONG FERTILIZER FOR THE ONE THAT MAKES THE GRASS. PLANTS. FLOWERS AND VEGETABLES. USE BEANS, SQUASH AND TOMATOES. BEST WITH A FOSKALIN WATER-SOLUBLE PHOSPHORUS-WEAK GLOVES WHEN YOU APPLY IT. 4. TOO MUCH FERTILIZER IS WORSE THAN TOO LITTLE, BECAUSE IT KILLS PLANTS BY DEPRIVING THEM OF PLANTS. THE HIGHER THE PERCENTAGE OF NITROGEN, THE LESS YOU HAVE TO APPLY. TWO POUNDS OF NITROGEN PER 1000 SQUARE FEET IS A GOOD RULE-OF-THUMB. 5. WHILE YOU'RE LEARNING TO DEVELOP A GREEN THUMB, YOU CAN ACTUALLY REAP THE BENEFITS OF A GREEN THUMB. GIVE YOUR WIFE A GREEN THUMB. GIVE YOUR WIFE A GREEN THUMB. GIVE YOUR WIFE A GREEN THUMB. 6. YOU'LL GET MAXIMUM ENJOYMENT FROM YOUR FRUITS, FLOWERS AND VEGETABLES IF YOU DON'T ALLOW THEM TO SOAK OUT. FLOWERS KEEP LONGER. FLOWERS AS THEY'RE COMING TO BLOOM, WHILE MOST VEGETABLES MUST BE HARVESTED IMMEDIATELY AFTER THEY'RE READY FOR MAXIMUM FLAVOR.

New Petunias Resist Weather Conditions

Remember what a mass of Petunias used to look like after a chilly night or a rainy day? Just a sodden heap. Well, that's no longer the case; for plant breeders have added a newplus to petunias—weather resistance.

The following are varieties new for 1968 with that resistance literally "built-in."

Blue Jay: a double multiflora selected for its color from the popular Bonanza mixture. 10-12 inch tall plants, covered with blooms.

Cherry Blossom: a relative of Apple Blossom and Peach Blossom, this is the brightest colored of the group. White in the center, shading outward to cherry red. Three inch diameter blooms of grandiflora type with slightly ruffled petals.

Happiness: large-flowered, rose-pink grandiflora, free-blooming and resistant to botry-

tis, a common plant disease.

Star Satin: a bi-colored, bright rose and white grandiflora, maintaining its pattern and color reliably. Resistant to both cold and wet weather.

Ticked Pink: the first true-pink grandiflora with early and profuse bloom. Flowers are open facing, each one accented by a white throat. Plants grow 12 inches high.

Consider growing these varieties from seeds started indoors about eight weeks before the date of last killing frost in your area. Then you'll be certain to obtain for your garden that special quality of weather resistance.

Seeds may be planted in a flower pot, a left-over aluminum cake or pie pan or a similar container, but holes in the bottom are essential for drainage.

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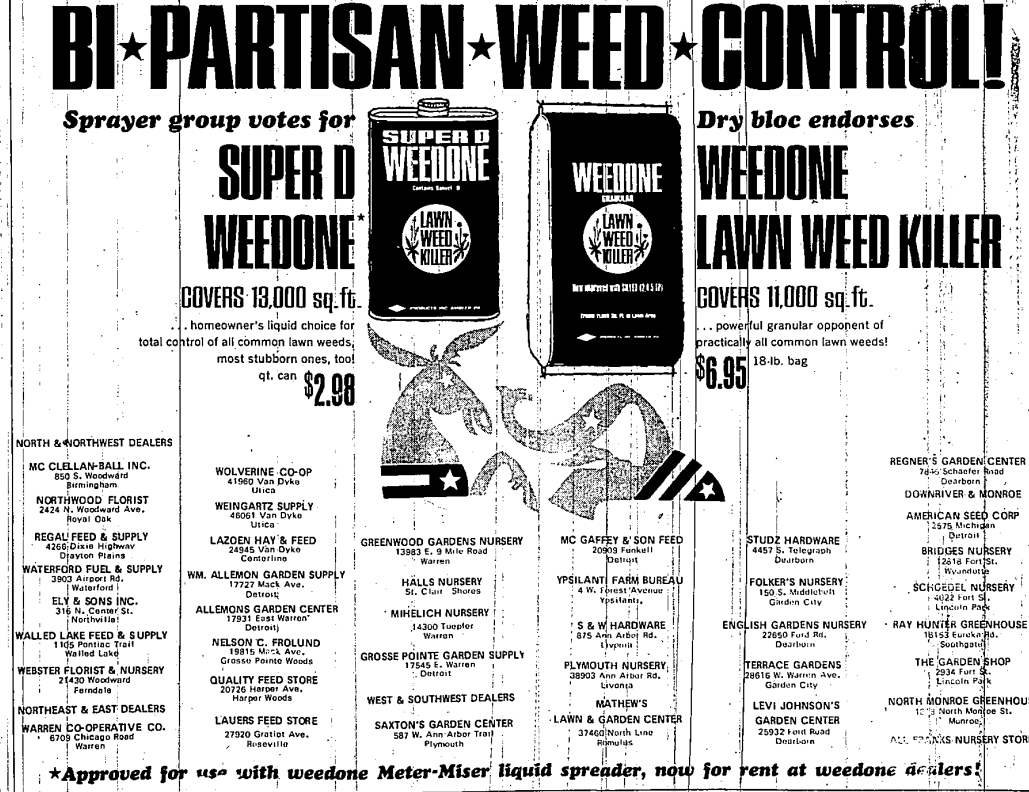
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