

# THE FAMILY FRIEND.

This part of the MAGAZINE, for the future, will be devoted to instructive domestic reading for the *Home Circle*, such as SHORT PLEASING STORIES, DRAWING, MUSIC, BOTANY, NATURAL HISTORY, POPULAR GAMES, and amusements for boys and girls, NEEDLE WORK, AMATEUR MECHANICAL PURSUITS, and all the elements of a *practical domestic education*; also GARDENING and AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

## FLORAL CULTURE.



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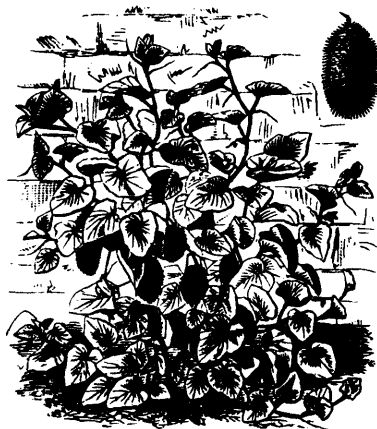
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LIANTHUS DAMPIERII (GLORY PEA).



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CENTAUREA CYANUS.