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Just Folks.

By EDGAR GUEST.

GROWING.

Shoulders are broadening out a bit.
Speech a little wiser too.
Clothes that never seem to fit.
Needing now a stronger shoe.
Head erect and eyes ablaze—
These are signs which plainly show
He has done with baby ways.
Now the man begins to grow.

Underneath that youthful brow
Miracles are taking place.
Seriously he questions now.
There's a new light in his face.
He is busy finding out.
Many truths he wants to know—
Wondering what life's all about.
Now the man begins to grow.

Self-reliant, clear of eye,
Choosing now 'twixt right and wrong.
Judging all his pleasures by
Every standard of the throng.
Now he reasons—and 'tis strange
To us both who love him so,
Thus to see our baby change.
As a man begins to grow.

Such a little lad he seemed
Only just the other day.
Then the man of which we dreamed
Of we said was far away—
But we catch it in his talk.
Read it in those eyes aglow.
And we see it in his walk.
Now the man begins to grow.

100 Blooms on One Plant

75,000 CHRYSANTHEMUMS AT NATIONAL SHOW.

No one who has toiled in chrysanthemum culture this cloudy year expected such a feast of colour as was seen in the Royal Horticultural Hall, Vincent-square, S.W., on the opening day of the National Chrysanthemum Show. It was estimated that there were at least 75,000 blooms in the hall. Nearly 400 blooms are borne by 4 pot plants exhibited by Mrs. Douglas Joy, of Bentley, Hants, and grown from cuttings taken last December. One carries more than 100 blooms, each of 5 in. to 6 in. diameter. The exhibits of the specialist growers are wonderfully fine. Mr. H. J. Jones, of Lewisham, who has gained a gold medal and the Clay Cup for the best exhibit, has a bank of blooms more than 50 feet in length. Notable Novelties.

First-class certificates have been awarded to many novelties. One is an enormous, perfectly shaped Japanese variety raised by Mr. Pickett, the leading Australian grower (who is visiting England) and shown by Keith Luskford, of Harlow, Essex. Its hue is silvery mauve, and its name Thomas W. Pickett. Mr. Luskford has won honours also with a new primrose Japanese named J. Symonds. Another notable novelty is Annette, a large single about 8 inches in diameter, its colour deep gold, shaded with reddish bronze, Craig, Harrison, and Craig, of Hounslow, are the raisers. Singles are the fashionable chrysanthemums to-day.

Sunburst, a decorative Japanese variety, is of fawn suffused with salmon-pink—a very choice bloom for which H. Shoemith of Guildford, has won the certificate.—Daily Mail.

Mystery of the Moon

By chemical analysis of lavas of the Hawaiian volcanoes, Dr. Henry S. Washington, the famous expert on the chemistry of the earth's crust, hopes to find some clue to the mystery, that lie beneath the Pacific Ocean. For example, there is the theory that the moon was once part of the earth, and was pulled out of it millions of years ago, leaving the hole that became the bed of the Pacific. Another theory is that the continents really float on a semi-liquid layer, and that they slowly drift about, so that the earth's appearance a million years from now will be vastly different from the earth as we know it to-day. The lava, it is believed, holds the clue to these mysteries.

Boots and Rubbers! Evangeline for \$5.00, at SMALLWOOD'S.—nov15.11

Part of Colony for Sale

AMAZING ACTION BY OUR SOCIALISTS.

By order of the late Socialist Government, Germans are to be given an opportunity of buying back by auction a large part of the Cameroons—one of their old African colonies conquered at the cost of many British lives during the war. This amazing sale took place at Winchester House, Old Broad-street, E.C.4, on Nov. 24 and 25, when Messrs. Hampton & Sons—who, in setting forth the conditions of the sale, are, of course, only carrying out the orders of the late Government—will offer altogether over 50,000 acres of valuable plantations in the Cameroons, without reserve.

It is expressly stated in the catalogue that by direction of the Custodian of Enemy Properties for the British Government there will be no restrictions as to the nationality of purchasers.

The property will be offered in 56 lots, the largest being 35,000 acres in extent. They are mostly all in cultivation, having been administered since 1922 by an official of the Nigerian Government and are suitable for the growing of rubber, coffee, oil palms, cocoa, tobacco, bananas, coconuts, and sugar. In addition there are valuable fisheries, such as Mahogany and ebony, to be obtained. Before the war these plantations were in German occupation, this being one of Germany's richest colonies. Combined military and naval operations were begun against the colony in September 1914, and the conquest was completed at the expense of much British life and money in February, 1916.

In 1920 Great Britain was made the mandatory Power over the territory concerned, and in 1922 the estates were offered for sale with a reserve, and with the exclusion of ex-enemy buyers. Money was scarce then and few sales were offered. Now they are again offered and Germans are invited to buy.

When Mr. Thomas, the late Socialist Colonial Secretary, was asked the reason for this, he said that it was because of the Government's desire to get as much money as possible for the properties, in the interests of British nationals. The money will go towards the payment to British subjects of debts owed to them by Germans.

Another reason for the unrestricted sale suggested at the Colonial Office was that by the terms of the mandate given to Great Britain by the League of Nations we were not allowed to give British subjects special advantages, but the answer to this is that there has been no change in the conditions since 1922, when ex-enemy subjects were precluded from bidding.

So Germans are to be allowed again to acquire vast estates in a British colony, with all the future possibilities of secretly importing arms and



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equipping submarine bases.—Daily Mail.

Fads and Fashions.

We welcome fresh touches of lingerie at the neck and sleeves of dark tailored models. Flounces, in the form of wide spiral

bands, are used on the skirt of a beltless crepe frock.

Over a dress of beige crepe remain in worn a coat of black satin lined with beige kasha.

gowns have lengthened shoulder lines suggestive of cap sleeves.

An ensemble suit of light gray kasha cloth is embroidered in silver and banded with gray fox.

—By Bud Fisher

MUTT AND JEFF

ONE OF THE SEVERAL LANDSLIDES YOU'LL SEE TO-DAY.

