

## Weisburger on cancer

Early in April, American cancer researcher Dr. John H. Weisburger will speak about cancer causing agents in the environment at the University of Alberta.

He is the 1976 lecturer for the Canadian Cancer Society's sixth annual lectureship to be given at the university.

Dr. Weisburger will deliver his lecture at 4 p.m. on Monday, April 5 in room 227 of the Medical Sciences Building.

In his lecture, Dr. Weisburger will concern himself with the causes of human cancer in our environ-

ment. He is expected to give his thoughts and information on a variety of cancer-related topics of current interest, including the controversy surrounding the banning by the United States Food and Drug Authority of the commonly used food coloring, Red Dye 2.

All interested persons are invited to attend the free lecture.

Dr. Weisburger was born in Stuttgart, Germany and became a naturalized United States citizen in 1944. He has attended schools throughout the world.

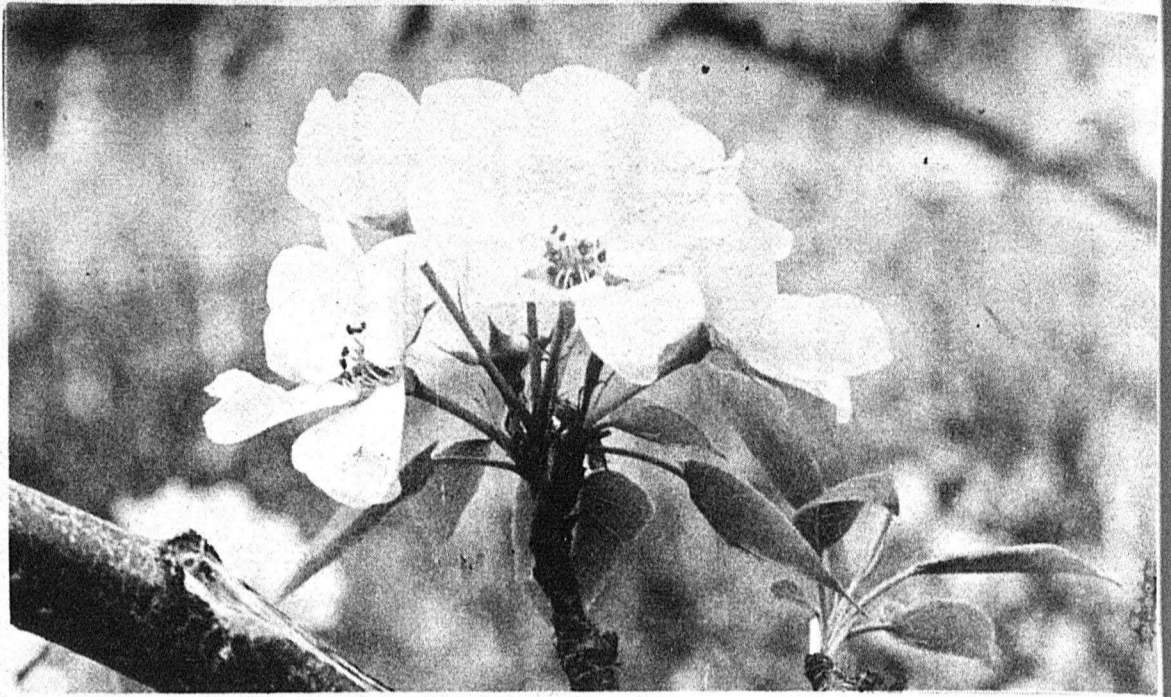


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## Devon blooms in summer season

The association between the public and the University of Alberta Devonian Botanic Garden is about to bloom.

By expanding the garden and introducing many more visual pleasures, garden personnel intend to enhance the 80-acre garden as a cultural asset for public enjoyment.

In keeping with that plan, the garden will be open to the public from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. on weekends and holidays May to September as usual. From June through August, it will be open from 4 p.m. to one hour before sunset on weekends.

The garden, located six miles west of Edmonton on Highway 16 and nine miles south of Highway 60, will undergo change this spring. Equipped with a \$375,000 donation from the Devonian Foundation, a matching grant from the department of advanced education and manpower, and a finely detailed improvement schedule, the gar-

den's administrators are poised to act.

Since portions of the land have been flooded in each of the last two years, a major earth moving job is in order. Following the preparation of sites for planting, an alpine garden, a native peoples garden, an Alberta plants garden and an herb garden will be completed.

Plant species from all alpine regions of the world will be contained in the two-acre alpine garden.

The native peoples garden will cover one-third of an acre and will include plants suggested by the native peoples. Balsam, yarrow, sage, honeysuckle, wild asters, juniper, wild rhubarb and other plants used for culinary and herbal purposes will be grown.

Plants from the prairie, woodland and mountain regions of Alberta will be grown over two acres in the third garden.

The herb garden, to be

planted on one-third of an acre, will feature culinary and pharmaceutical plants.

The contents of each garden will increase the range of plants that can be grown in Alberta and provide visitors with the opportunity to see many which are unique to the province.

While much of their effort is centered on the imminent expansion of the garden, administrators are also eyeing future expansion. Part of the \$750,000 will be used to purchase 106 acres directly south of the garden and the two men easily envision a major botanic garden for Western Canada.

In previous years the principal visitors to the garden were high school biology students, senior citizens and garden club members. However, with the planting of the new gardens and the installation of parking and picnic facilities, an influx of people from many more segments of society is expected.

The garden's expansion will necessitate a permanent staff of 10 and a temporary staff of 40. Four people now make up the garden's permanent staff.

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pressures, and that they are the only ones experiencing problems.

An individual's verbal report of stress is not always an accurate description of its source, he added. Several behavioral indices of undue stress were identified by the panelist, including suicide, depression, university withdrawal rates, and drug use.

Pat Perry, nursing supervisor, said that stress is common in society as a whole and that it "can be a positive thing." Stress becomes a problem "only when there are no alternatives to turn to."

A report was submitted to the General Faculties Council (GFC) in 1973 which looked at sources of undue stress in the administrative and academic structure of the university.

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