

THE GARDEN CITY

A NOBLE EFFORT TO TRAIN BOYS AND GIRLS TO BECOME USEFUL CITIZENS.

(Boston Globe.) In an effort to teach the boys and girls of the "Island district" of Worcester—of whom there are 20,000, representing twenty-two nationalities—how to become useful citizens...

He has established a city within the city and his municipality is engaged in the work of reclaiming a waste section of Worcester. At the same time, it is keeping the boys out of mischief, teaching them to respect the rights of others and living their training on lines that may be of benefit to them in later life.

The city council was inaugurated a few weeks ago with exercises which attracted a bigger crowd than ever attended the inaugural program of the real city. In the latter case, it has been the custom for a few hundred men and women to fill the Municipal hall.

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Water for the gardens was provided by making a connection with a neighboring house for barrels set around the gardens, each child getting his supply from these barrels and taking it to his own garden. The crows have prospered better than many of the grown-up gardens around the city this year, because the children saw that their gardens were watered daily, something it was impossible for the grown-up to do with their big plots of ground during the drought.

Vegetables have already been harvested from some of his gardens, and Mayor Logan has a special prize on their bill of fare ordered from the children. Many of the families of the island district are enjoying for the first time in their lives vegetables fresh from a garden, and many of the children have made a few cents by selling some of the garden truck.

Some of the girls have come in for flowers more than for vegetables, and there are 240 flowering plants in the section, most of them in Graton square, which is named after Mrs. Henry C. Graton, who has proved herself a friend of the underlings in several ways.

Prizes are to be given at the end of the season for the best garden—50 of them—and all the children are planning to make displays in the horticultural society's exhibits in August and September. Every child exhibitor will be given a certificate, whether he wins one of the special prizes or not, and these certificates will give each child a return of 5 cents on his original investment of 5 cents early in the year.

KEEPS THE BOYS OFF OF "THE GANG" But the financial reward is nothing compared to the lessons the children are learning. First of all the movement keeps the boys off the streets out of the "gangs" and out of crime. Last year the police received complaints of twenty teams being driven away by the boys of the district. This year there has been a team driven away by a boy in the district. Last year, the night before the Fourth, Willie Dunn was caught at the head of a "gang" pulling into a dump a wagon of a poor junk dealer as fuel for a bonfire the boys were to have. He was talked to by Rev. Mr. Floody like the "Dutch uncle," and this year "Mayor" Willie Dunn and his gang sat up all the night before the Fourth to guard their Garden city from a raid by boys from another section of the city.

They have been taught the value of property and the meanness of stealing. They have been taught thrift and how to make use of waste places. They are given a start on practical lines of card-making, and are given an idea of business methods by seeing what a return they get

THE FRUITS OF THE EARTH

Seem To Be Nature's Provision For Keeping Man Healthy and Warding Off Disease.

Cereals, vegetables and meat supply the elements needed for man's nourishment. Yet fruit—though it has very little food value—has proved to be absolutely necessary for perfect health.

General investigation has shown that all the common fruits act on the liver, kidneys, bowels and skin. These are the organs that rid the body of dead tissue and waste products, and the fruit juices stir them up to more vigorous action. Thus keeping the whole body clean and healthy.

But few people eat enough fruit. Realizing this, after several years of experimenting, a prominent Canadian physician succeeded in combining the juices of apples, oranges, figs and grapes in such a way that the medicinal action is many times multiplied. There has added to these fruits and made the combination into a health-giving "Fruit-Acids" tablet.

Some of the little gardeners had a very vague idea of what they were expected to do at the start, and their knowledge of seeds and planting was amusing. One child wanted seeds to raise eggs, another wanted rosy seals because he thought he could raise puppies from them, and another he would get a harvest of spinach seeds.

When the gardens were ready for planting in the spring, Rev. Mr. Floody distributed 2,900 packages of seeds among the children, most of the seeds being given by Congressman Charles G. Washburn, Walter D. Ross, Theodore A. Small, and Adin A. Hixon, secretary of the Worcester horticultural society. The tools for working the gardens, including hoes, rakes, wheelbarrows, etc., were contributed by David A. Scott, Dr. Melvin G. Overstock, Charles McLean and Duncan & Goodell.

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"Count your blessings," was the quick response. "And what would you like to sing?" said the teacher. "Our hymn," said the boys. "What hymn?" "The one we sing every day," said the boys. "What hymn?" "The one we sing every day," said the boys.

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Oh, the man was raving madly, "Twas the only hat he had— But he didn't dare to swear, He could only sit and stare— "Think of that!" Gentle reader. "Think of that!"

When the angry man came back, With a visage thunder-black, Maiden's hat he never smiled again! Covered o'er with feathers sweet, Rested on the poor man's seat— "Think of that!" Gentle reader. "Think of that!"

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