

THE DAHLIA AS A SHOW FLOWER.

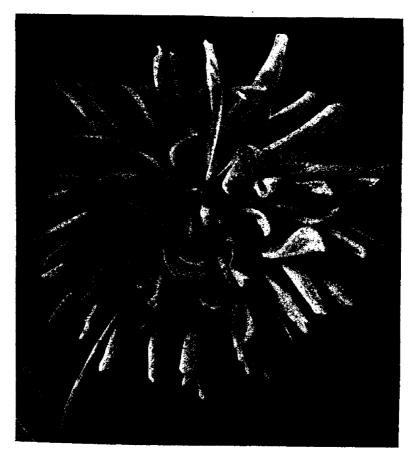


Fig. 1366.-A WHITE CACTUS DAHLIA.

R. FRANK BRUNTON, of Boston, Mass, writes us an excellent paper on the above subject. We much regret that space will not permit of the whole appearing in this month's issue, and we

have therefore selected from that portion most adapted for the present month. The balance which gives the history of the dahlia, and a description of varieties, is reserved for a future number.

"The great improvement which has