

EDITORIAL

HOMES—NOT HOUSES

Government and Hoover dam contractors alike are taking steps toward beautification of the streets and yards of Boulder City.

Residents are cooperating and results soon will commence showing on a large scale.

Every home owner in the community can help in a measure to make his community more attractive. Where a year ago "winds swept unbroken desert," a town has been builded. Trees and lawns cannot be created in a week—or a month.

The bureau of reclamation plans to spend years planting and nurturing trees on all the streets and in the park plots of the city.

Six Companies Inc., has graded and leveled the grounds around the company buildings.

And now the Boulder City company has offered \$25 in gold as prizes for each month to be awarded for the two best kept yards and houses, as regards exterior appearance.

Without this incentive, for the satisfaction alone of living in a neat-appearing home and neighborhood, many a family would look to the appearance of the home plot. With the added incentive of prizes yet more will be done.

It will not happen in a day—but it's interesting to watch Boulder City's transformation from a conglomeration of houses into a community of homes.