# FLEIING:S FIOWEREIELDS 

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FINE HARDY PERENNIALS


## 1959 SPRING TRADE LIST

We are again pleased to present our new trade list for your consideration. Many of the varieties listed are top notch newcomers which have received much publicity in garden publications and thus should be in great demand.

We are happy to be able to introduce a fine new white pompom mum GREGORY, from Mr. George Nadeau of Greenville, Michigan.

From our own hybridizing program we are introducing two new cushion mums RUBESCENT CUSHION, a ruby red carnation flowered mum, and SOME PUMPKINS !: a pumpkinorange cushion blooming in early September. During the three years they were on test here they were well received by our visitors.

The new University of Nebraska mum from Glenn Viehmeyer, AK-SAR-BEN, is the first of a fine series of unique garden mums, the spiders, rayonantes, quills etc. Glenn has many fine colors in this group and they are EARLY BLOOMERS. A royalty is paid on AK-SAR-BEN. Funds from this royalty money are used to help finance horiticultural hybridizing and testing programs at North Platte.

May we call your attention to our 35 mm Kodachrome slide service. We have revised our set of slides on perennials again this year and have added many new varieties to these sets. For details see reverse side of order blank.

Visitors are cordially welcome at our flower fields especially during the growing season.

## "MODERN MUMS FOR 1959 "

AK-SAR-BEN (Uni. of Nebr. - Glenn Viehmeyer) The first in a new and unique series of early blooming quill or "Spider" mums for the garden. The fully double stiff textured quilled flowers are $3 \frac{1}{2}$ to 5 inches across and are borne singly or in loose clusters on strong stiff stems. The color, as described by Mr. Viehmeyer, is a decorator color which goes well in arrangements with many colors, being a suntan shade overlaid with rose. Strong 3011 plants bear their blooms from late August until killing freezes. A truly hardy, early blooming "Rayonante" type mum has been much desired and thus this variety, the first in that category, is sure to be popular.

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\text { Strong rooted cuttings - - \$2.25 per } 10, \$ 20.00 \text { per } 100
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RUBESCENT CUSHION (Fleming's Flower Fields)
A new ruby red "carnation" flowered cushion which is destined to take its place among the leaders when it is seen. This is truly a cushion mum with dense compact plants $10-121$ inches high and up to 30 inches across. The foliage on this low mound is completely hidden by hundreds of double glowing ruby red flowers from October lst on. Petals are notched so flowers resemble carnation flowers. A fine companion for Copper ' $n$ ' Gold, Mound 'o' Snow, Tiny Rubies, and other extra low growing cushions.

Strong rooted cuttings. -- \$1. 75 per 10, \$15.00 per 100
SOME PUUMKINS:! (Fleming's Flower Fields) A distinctive newcomer in the cushion class. Sturdy, bushy plants 1,21 high and $30^{\prime \prime}$ across, with dark attractive foliage are topped with myriads of sparkling golden-pumpkin orange flowers. These bright hued 2-3" semi-double blooms have the interesting property of Incurving into a ball, thus resembling a "football" mum in miniature. Strong rooted cuttings - - - \$ $\$ .75$ per 10, $\$ 15.00$ per 100 。

GREGORY (George Nadeau) We are pleased to be able to offer for the first time nationally one of the new garden mums produced by Mr. George Nadeau. Strong upright plants 24 to 30 inches high, pranched nicely to provide an abundance of long stemmed white pompons for cutting. Fully double, stiff textured $2 \frac{1}{2}-311$ white pompons are borne in clusters. These show an attractive light pink-tan center upon opening but lose this color in a few days, turning to a pure white. The pure white hue is constant for the balance of the season, there being no "purpling" in late season with the coming of cool nights. Flowers are very frost tolerant and plants are extremely winter hardy, producing myriads of runners.

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## CUSHION MUNS

This type of mums continues to be very popular for use in landscaping, being ideally suited for foundation or border plantings. These are real traffic-stoppers in the fall - be sure to have plenty for sale at that time.

Rooted cuttings Per 10 Per 100
COPPER 'N' GOLD (Donaldson-Fleming) Attractive close knit
plants $10-12^{\prime \prime}$ high and up to $36 \prime$ across are covered with
hundreds of flowers which completely hide the follage from mid-Sept. on. The buds are a glowing orange-red which open to bright, golden flowers with darker centers. Flowers take on coppery hues with cool weather.
$\$ 1.00 \quad \$ 8.50$
EARLY GOLD (Lehman) Nicely shapéd mounds 15-18" high and up to $30^{11}$ across are loaded with fully double bright yellow flowers. Fine for early Sept. pot plant sales. $6.75 \quad 6.00$
FUCHSIA FAIRY (Herr) Cute 12-15" mounds are covered with I" blooms of a sparkling fuchsia shade. One of the most frost and freeze tolerant mums we know of. . 85
GOLD RIBBON (Uni. of Nebr.- Viehneyer, 1957) A splendid new cushion variety which derives its name from the appearance created when planted in a row along a driveway or border. Plants are 12-15" high and 20-24" across and are topped with very double deep gold to light orange flowers with darker centers. Mid-September
LIPSTICK (Dunham) A flat-topped mound of flowers $15-1811$ high and up to 24" across. Flowers are a bright crimson red. One of the best cushions.
LOVELY LASS (Fleming, 1957) Symmetrical 12-15" bushy plants covered with fully double orchid lavendar flowers. A lovely soft shade in the cushion group which blends well with the others. $\quad$ I. 20
MIMNPINK (Uni. of Minn., 1957) A welcome newcomer to the "King-size" cushion mum group. Perfectly symmetrical plants 15-1811 high and up to $36 \prime$ across. Hundreds of truly pink double flowers completely hide the foliage from mid-Sept. onward. Minnpink has been hailed by growers across the country as the best pink cushion to date.
$1.00 \quad 8.50$
MOUND O' SNOW (Fleming) Symmetrical mounds 121 high and up to $24^{\prime \prime}$ across are smothered with white flowers. One of the best carly season sorts.
$1.20 \quad 10.00$
NEW GOLD NUGGET (Fleming) Mounds $12-15$ "inches high and up to 30" across are covered with double bright lemon yellow flowers. Flowers resemble somewhat Japanese Anemones. Blooms from Det. Ist on - a very hardy variety.

Bushy 12-15" plants - up to 3 ft . across are covered with
large double blooms of rosey pink of an attractive "spoon" type.
A large commercial grower described it as "very exciting".
This is a variety which we feel sure will become very popular as it becomes known. Quantity is still relatively limitcd. order early.
TINY RUBIES (Fleming, 1957) Hundreds of stiff textured glowing ruby red tiny daisies with glistening gold centers completely blanket the globular plants (10-12's high and up to 3011 across). Flowers are reminiscent of Cinerarias in appearance. An excellent sort for potting or for edging. Mid-season.
WHTMSICAL CUSHION (Fleming) Perfectly formed 10-12n mounds are covered with most unusual flowers. The blooms are fully double with petals which are tubular in form with small spoon tips. The color is also very unusual, being a buff yellow overlaid with light rust red.

## GENERAL DECORATIVE MUMS


late Sept.
$.85 \quad 7.00$
EARLY KATHLEEN (Lehman) A fine earlier blooming version of Kathleen
Lehman. Double coppery bronze flowers on sturdy 20-24" plants.
Excellent mid-Sept. cut flower.
$.85 \quad 7.00$
GOLDEN FANTASI (Uni. of Minn., 1957) An exciting addition to the "Carnation-flowered" type of garden mum. Flowers are of a rich golden yellow, petals are tubular with pronged and forked edgés to make the flowers resemble a large (3i)
fully double Carnation. Attractive dark foliaged 15-18", plants are covered with blooms from late Sept. onward.
FURST (Kraus, 1957) Strong upright plants with an abundance.
of fully double bright glistening orange flowers for cutting.
A typical autumn colored mum. Mid-season.
$1.40 \quad 12.00$
KING'S RANSOM (Bristol, 1957) Strong columnar plants 28-32" high which branch at the base for an abundance of long-stemmed. cut flowers. These attractive hedge-like plants are topped with shining old gold incurving flowers $3-4 "$ in diameter.

## HARDY ASTERS

A splendid group of perennials which is becoming increasingly popular. For late summer and fall color in the garden they are irreplaceable. Our collection includes many of the finest new varieties.
BONNY BLUE (Breithaupt, 1957) A fine new Rooted cuttings Per 10 Per 100
medium shade of wisteria blue. The sturdy plants are 8-1011
high and $10-15^{\prime \prime}$ across and are covered with bloom from late August onward.
$\$ 1.40 \quad 12.00$
CLARITY - The finest hardy white Aster. Semi-double $2^{\prime \prime}$ blooms carried on 24-30" upright plants from early Sept.
EVENTIDE - This may be considered to be the best of the dark
bIue-violet hardy Asters. Heavy clusters of semi-double
flowers on upright $2 / 11$ to $30^{\prime \prime}$ plants. An excellent seller
when in bloom in the fall.
$.85 \quad 7.00$
MBLBOURNE EARLY RED (New) This newcomer from England is the best
of the hardy red Asters. The rich current red blooms are
larger than those of Winston Churchill and cover sturdy

15-181 plants with color during the early autumn season.
1.40
12.00

OREGON SNOWBANK - Compact plants $8-12^{\prime \prime}$ high aind $12-181$ across
covered with sparkling white blooms.
$.85 \quad 7.00$
PINK BOUQUET (Marx, 1956) Masses of soft pink flowers on compact bushy plants of fine habit.
$1.20 \quad 10.00$

TAPESTRY - Large semi-double flowers of a lovely pastel pink shade on upright $30^{\prime \prime}$ plants. One of the best of the recently
imported sorts from England.
$1.00 \quad 8.50$

SELECTED HARDY PERENNTATS

Rooted cuttings Per 10 Per 100DIANTHUS PINK PRINCESS - Myriads of deeply lacinated double blooms
of bright rose pink. Extremely vigorous grower andamazingly hardy.
1.00 ..... 8.50
DIANTHUS ROSE UNIQUE - Double carnation-like flowers of bright roseare borne profusely on attractive compact plants.8.50
HELENIUM COPPER SPRAY (Kupfersprudel) A new import from Europe.
Bushy upright $3-4 \mathrm{ft}$. plants covered with $l_{\frac{1}{2}}$ " daisy-likeflowers in red, bronze and copper hues from Ausust until1.00
killing frosts. The most showy of the Heleniums we haveIBERIS ALEXANDER'S EARLY - An Extra early blooming form of hardywhite candytuft which blooms 10 days before Snow Flake.Easily trimmed to form attractive evergreen dwarf hedge.85
IYTHRUM MORDENVS ROSE - New. Bright rich rose flower spires. Attractive upright plants blooming during most of thesummer.$.85 \quad 7.00$
LYMHRUM ROBERT - Compact bushy 181 plants with spikes ofbright fuchsia-rose red flowers.$.85 \quad 7.00$
MONARDA GRANITE PINK - A new semi-dwarf variety. Bright rose pink flowers. Color does not fade in bright sunlight. ..... 85 ..... 7.00
OENOTHERA ROSEA - Myriads of 2 " saucer-like soft pink flowers on $6-1011$stems arise from compact foliage rosettes. One of the inostattractive of the low growing summer flowering perennials.7.00
PENISTEMON FLATHEAD LAKE HYBRIDS A new race of hybrid Penstemons which
was produced from crosses between selected forms of P. barbatus,
P. glaber and related species. Long spikes of tubular bell-shapedflowers in varying shades of pink, rose, red, violet and purple.Blooms are produced from early June until fall.1.40
duced by us by crossing the popular varieties Rose EIf andGarnet. Upright plants with heavy spires of blooms similar inform to Garnet are in flower from June continually until latefall. The flowers are a rich purple-red shade midway betweenPansy violet and Hollyhock violet. This variety has a greatordegree of hardiness than Garnet but cannot be consider a to be
completely winter hardy in the northern states. Careful winterprotection is therefore suggested.
this one being the result of crosses involving the popular spec
P. grandiflorus with P. murrayanus. Mature plants grow 3 to 4
ft. high and will bear two dozen 18-24" spikes of flowers.Colors include whites, pinks, lavendars, reds and purples.
Blooming season begins in June and continues for several
weeks. Quantity very limited.
PHLOX SUBULATA INTENSITY (New - Bristol Nurseries) A striking newcomer.
Evergreen foliage mounds are loaded with oright cerise flowers during the early spring. 1.00 ..... 8.50
PHLOX SUBULATA WHITE PEREECTION (Alexander - New) A most unusual ..... $1.20 \quad 10.00$
VERONICA BLUE CHAMPION - Tall spikes of bright blue flowers during
VERONICA ICICLE - Pure white spikes of flowers on attractive 15-18"$.85 \quad 7.00$
plants. One of the nicest summer flowering perennials. ..... $.85 \quad 7.00$
VERONICA PINK SPIRE (Bristol Nur.) The best pink Veronica. Long
steeples of lovely pink blooms during the later summer months.Attractive silvery foliage. Quantity very limited.$1.80 \quad 15.00$
FIEID GROWN PERENNIALSField Clumps for Early Spring DeliveryCARYOPTERIS BLUE MIST - plants $15-184$ high ( 1 year)CELANDINE POPPY - (1 year old seedlings) Graceful bushy 18-2L"2.5022.00plants covered with airy sprays of bright golden yellow
semi-double 1" flowers - May \& June. ..... $1.50 \quad 12.50$
Fleming's Hardy HIBISCUS - Herbaceous shrubby plants for backgroundplanting, $4-6 \mathrm{ft}$. high. Flowers $6-811$ across range in color fromwhite through pink, rose and red shades. Mixed colors -large 1 year plants.1.6514.50
IYTHRUM
$2.25 \quad 20.00$
MORDEN ROSE - Strong one year blooming clumps
MORDEN ROSE - Strong one year blooming clumps ..... $1.85 \quad 17.00$
MONARDA GRANITE PINK - A new semi-dwarf variety. Bright rose$2.25 \quad 20.00$

## ORDER BLANK

## FIRM NAME <br> ADDRESS <br> CITY AND STATE

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Mum cuttings ready February 15 th to June Ist. Hardy Asters and other perennials ready March lst to June lst.

## 35 m.m. COLORED SLIDES

Nurserymen and florists are often asked by local Garden Clubs to provide programs. Such appearances are excellent sales and good will builders and should be made if at all possible. The most popular program is one which includes colored slides or movies. We have a number of sets of colored slides of Mums and other perennials which we have been loaning to garden clubs for several years. We now have enough sets so that we can offer them to fellow nurserymen for use at club meetings on a limited scale. The only cost to you is the postage. Please make requests well in advance of desired showing date in order to avoid disappointment.

## TERMS OF SALE

1. Cash with order please - unless credit arrangements are made prior to shipment. No C.O.D. orders, please.
2. Early Orders - Orders for cuttings accompanied by cash which allow us two months in which to make delivery are subject to a $10 \%$ discount. For example, if cuttings are required March 15 th and order reaches us by January 15 th, you may deduct $10 \%$ from amount. This does not apply to field plants.
3. Minimum quantity - 10 of a kind -25 take 100 rate.
4. Minimum order - $\$ 4.00$.
5. Shipments made by express F.O.B. Lincoln, Nebr., unless otherwise stipulated. We recommend parcel post, special handling for small orders because of high minimum express charge. Please make additional remittance for postage, any excess will be refunded immediately after shipment is made.
6. Our responsibility ends with delivery of plants in good condition to forwarding agency. In the event, however, of poor shipment, please notify us at once and file report with express agency.

SEDUNi MAXI IUI ATROPUFFUREUN A recent import from Enoland which has heer. very popular there. It will receive much publicity in garden magazines and will be advertised as "The whogany Flant". At ractive upright
2 -2 ft plants with plump lanceolate leaves of rich mahogany red over-
cast with bronze-purple. Larce heads of creamy rose flowers in late summer are a nice contrast for the stems which take on ebony hues at that tine. A good item for cutting and arrangements as the flowers last vell in water. The plants themselves will prove to be real "conversation pieces" in the garden or nursery during the growing season by providing effective acconts wherever used. Heavy rooted cuttin © 1.25 per $10,11.00$ per 100 .
VIOIET FRECMLEJ - A truly distinctive violet. A very free flowering sort with white flowers which are liberally splashed with blue "freakles". This variety has been extremely popular with visitors to our garie.is. CUAVIIF VEFY LIIIAD THIS YLiR - Available from larch loth on. Heavy rooted cuttines ...aU yer 10, 12.00 yer 100 .

## Four additional fine garden Chrysanthomums

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APRICD: GLOi (sristol) One of the best cusuion: Symmetrical I6"
plants covered with bri, ht apricot-oraise Elovers. Early. $40.35 \quad$ 7.00
IE: D.IFTED S.OW (Lehman, 1957) An outstanding early season white . Bushy 2011 plants with fully double $3^{\prime \prime}$ blooms. In effect it is a "King-sized" cushior, mum, Izd. Sept. I.00 8.50
NE: F.PYR WHIE (Iehman) A splendid improved version of "Paper White ${ }^{10}$ GIistening pure white flowers on 15-13" plants. Early Sept. bloomer. A good fot plant subject. 1.00 .5s
PRINGESS KAY (Iehman, 1958) Lovely fully double, heavy textured flowers of pure Alataster-whits with no yellow onnters. feavy cluster's of flowers on strong stems make it a fine cut flo:er sort. Iate Sept.

## BFWCIAL OEY SAVING COLLECTIONS

This section offers several money saving collections. Should you find them
to your liking, do take advantage of the savings they offer.
Collection No. 1 Your choice of 25 each of any four of the following varieties for 5.00 ( .7 .00 value), Adorable, Luncsard, Aprioct Glow, Delight, Evelyn Devaney, Lipstick and Fuchsia Fairy,
Collection ivo. 2 Your choice of 25 each of any four of the following sorts for 7.50 (value to 8.81 ). Golden Fantasy, Gold rioton, Wilnnpirk, Ancthystine, Blarne Litwiller, sronze Pat and iew Drifted Show.
Collection io. 3 Twenty five :ic cach of four cushion mums (our chrice of varteties with value up to 10,0 for $\$ 7.50$. Varietien Janelled.
Collection No. 4 Twonty five $1 C$ each of four upright (cut ilower tipe) mums with value up to $\{10.00$ - correctly labeled for 7.00 .
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