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# TRADE OFFER

OF

BEST OLD

AND

BEST NEW

# PLANTS, SEEDS AND BULBS.

NEW ROSES,

NEW PHLOX,

NEW CARNATIONS,

NEW CALADIMUS,

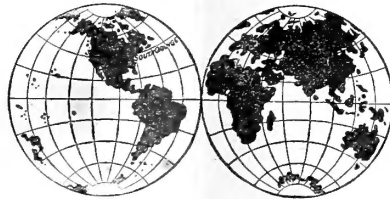
NEW CHRYSANTHEMUMS,

NEW CALLAS,

NEW CANNAS.

OFFERED, RAISED OR INTRODUCED BY

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THE UNIVERSAL HORTICULTURAL ESTABLISHMENT,

SOUTH ORANGE, N. J.

# NOVELTIES IN FLOWER SEEDS.

## MANDA'S IMPROVED GOLDEN-LEAVED SALVIA SEED.

**T**HIS is without doubt the finest introduction made amongst our popular plants for years past, for in this plant we have a contrast of color between the foliage and flowers which is simply marvelous, thus giving it a unique position as a foliage and flowering plant. It grows about one foot and a half high, and is far more dwarf and compact in its habits than *William Bedman*. Seeing it from a short distance, one would take it for the well-known *Golden Bedder Coleus*, except for the masses of brilliant scarlet-flowered spikes which loom up over the yellow foliage. The effect produced when this gem is planted *en masse* on a lawn is extremely fine. The **contrast** between the **golden yellow foliage, the scarlet flowers,** and the **green grass** gives to us the grandest combination of colors imaginable. The color of the leaves is **constant** and distinct at any stage of the plant inside or outside of doors.

This novelty comes **true** from seed and may bring out new types.

Price per trade packet, .15, .25, .50, \$1.00

### MANDA'S HYBRID CANNAS.

From the very finest varieties only, and sure to produce some extraordinary varieties. Per trade packet, 25 cents.

#### CALLIOPSIS LANCEOLATA GRANDIFLORA ("California Sunbeams").

Fine type of this well-known plant, flowers measuring nearly four inches in diameter;

Price, per trade packet, 25 cents.

#### NEW EARLY FLOWERING COSMOS "Dawn"

A beautiful dwarf compact growing variety, flowering from July until frost. The large white flowers are delicately tinged with pink. Price per trade packet, 15 cents.

#### COSMOS TINTS OF "Dawn."

The flowers have a white ground, finely flecked or flushed with a delicate pink. They are variously formed and very beautiful. Price per trade packet, 15 cents.

#### COSMOS NEW MARGUERITE.

The flowers, which are lacinated or fringed, resemble Marguerites, but are much more beautiful. They range in color from pure white to dark red. Price, per trade packet, 15 cents.

#### COSMOS IMPROVED YELLOW.

Flowers, a beautiful yellow, about three inches in diameter, blooming when very young.

Price per trade packet, 15 cents.

#### COSMOS SINGLE DAHLIA FLOWERED "Crimson."

Splendid flowers of the richest shades of crimson, very large and resemble Dahlias in shape.

Price, per trade packet, 25 cents.

### The Five New Cosmos, a packet of each for 60 cents.

#### CACTUS DAHLIA CONSTANCIA.

Flowers beautiful pure white, borne in great profusion, fine for cutting. Price per trade packet 25 cents.

#### NEW CACTUS DAHLIA MONARCH.

Immense flowers, with very broad folded petals: color, deep dark velvet red, with mossy yellow centre.

Price, per trade packet, 25 cents.

#### ESCHSCHOLTZIA (The Golden West).

Flowers mottled yellow, measuring two inches across. Especially adapted to the Eastern climate, owing to their early and long continued season of blooming. Price, per trade packet, 50 cents.

#### GAILLARDIA, JAMES KELWAY.

A beautiful giant flowering variety, with grand flowers five to six inches in diameter; bright scarlet with a gold margin and fringed edges. Hardy perennial. Price 25 cents per trade packet.

#### NEW FRINGED MAMMOTH HOLLYHOCK ("Allegheny".)

One of the grandest novelties sent out this year. The flowers, which measure five to seven inches across, are beautifully fringed, and are borne in great profusion. Price, per trade packet, 25 cents.

#### POPPIES (New Fayal).

The flowers are very beautiful, running in all shades of red, pink, maroon and white; double and single.

Price, per trade packet, 25 cents.

#### ZINNIA DOUBLE GIANT [Queen Victoria].

The flowers are pure white, very double, and measure nearly four inches across. Very fine.

Per trade packet, 25 cents.

# NEW HYBRID WICHURIANA ROSES,

## OR THE

### DOUBLE MEMORIAL ROSE.

IT gives me great pleasure to offer to the public the first **Hybrids** of *Rosa Wichuriana*, which are the **grandest novelty** of 1898. The habit of these new Roses is the same as the *Rose Wichuriana*, or *Memorial Rose*. The growth is creeping, and therefore can be used to cover the ground, stems of trees, pillars, posts, trellises, or any other purpose desired, including pot culture. They are the **hardiest Roses** I know of, and will stand any climate or exposure. They thrive well in the poorest soil or on a gravel bank. **The foliage** is finely cut, thick, of a leathery substance, bright green, shining as if varnished, not subject to mildew or any insect, but keeps its full beauty until almost Christmas. **The flowers** are produced in the greatest profusion, so that a two or three year old plant will produce several thousand exquisite blossoms, which are deliciously fragrant and last a long time in perfection.

#### MANDA'S TRIUMPH (Manda.)

This grand Rose is of free growth, luxuriant foliage, and produces large clusters of double pure white flowers, two inches in diameter, beautifully imbricated and well formed, very sweet scented.

#### UNIVERSAL FAVORITE (Manda).

This is the most vigorous plant of the set. The long branching shoots are covered with dense bright green foliage. The double flowers are over two inches in diameter, and of a beautiful rose color, similar to the Bridesmaid, and deliciously fragrant. A grand variety for any purpose.

#### SOUTH ORANGE PERFECTION (Manda).

This is a gem, growing freely close to the ground, and having multitudes of the most perfectly formed double flowers, about one and a half inches in diameter, soft plush pink at the tips, changing to white. It lasts a long time in perfection.

#### PINK ROAMER (Manda).

This is without question a Hybrid between the *Sweetbrier*, and carries these characteristics in bloom, while the growth, which is very rampant, and the luxuriant foliage, partake more of the *Wichuriana*. The single flowers, which are produced in closed heads, are nearly two inches in diameter, bright rich pink, with almost a white centre, which lightens up the orange-red stamens, producing an effect which, combined with fragrance, makes it one of the most valuable roses in cultivation.

Taking them together, the set of the four above varieties should be in every garden, and I am sure they will prove more valuable than the celebrated *Crimson Rambler*, as they are of a much more vigorous growth. Some shoots made last season were from fifteen to twenty feet in length, which is marvellous amongst roses.

These roses have proven everything that has been claimed for them last season, and are in great demand on account of their many qualities.

**Price, 2-inch pots, \$12 per hundred. Price, extra strong, 1-year field-grown plants, at \$35.00 per hundred. Few extra strong 2-year old specimens at \$1.75 each.**

Colored plate of these Roses, with Press comments, will be sent on application.

## TESTED NEW CANNAS OF 1897.

I am very pleased to offer such a grand lot of new varieties of this very popular plant for outdoor bedding; in fact, no garden should be without this collection of five sterling kinds.

### CANNA, MANDA'S IDEAL.—(Manda.)

To my mind the finest and most useful *Canna* in cultivation. Naturally it grows from two to three feet high, having small glaucous green leaves, and producing stout stems, which branch and throw up as many as a dozen large trusses of well formed flowers, which are of a rich scarlet vermilion color. A like effect is not produced by any other *Canna* in Cultivation Price, \$1.75 per dozen; \$14.00 per 100.

### CANNA, ROBERT CHRISTY.—(MANDA.)

A beautiful acquisition in its color, was raised by Mr. Robert Christy, of Newport, R. I., and has captivated everybody who has seen it. Grows about four feet high, with stout stem supporting large musa-like foliage and producing immense spikes of bright orange vermilion flowers, which is a shade unique amongst *Cannas*. Awarded **First-Class Certificate** by the *New York Florists' Club*. Price, 1.75 per dozen; \$14.00 per 100.

### CANNA, JOHN WHITE.—(White.)

This is a distinct novelty in the way of Cannas, growing about three feet in height, with reddish stems, light green foliage, beautifully striped with white, yellow and rose, edged with red, the combination of which produces a grand effect, and on account of which it will be valuable for subtropical borders and beds, and for other purposes where fine foliage plants are in demand. Price, 75 cents per dozen; \$6.00 per 100.

### CANNA, ITALIA.

One of the wonders of recent introduction, growing from six to nine feet high, with large musa-like foliage. The flower spikes produce a number of extraordinary large flowers of a beautiful scarlet color, edged with yellow. a plant that should be in every collection. Price, \$1.00 per dozen; \$8.00 per 100

### CANNA, AUSTRIA.

A companion to the above-named variety, having the same wonderful qualities of growth and flowers, with the exception that its wonderful large blooms are of a beautiful canary yellow, faintly spotted with purple. Price, 75 cents per dozen; \$6.00 per 100.

Collection of the Five New Cannas, one of each, for 50 cents only.

### RUDBECKIA LACINIATA FI. PL. ("Golden Glow").

Offered for the first time last year. A hardy perennial plant growing eight feet high, branching freely, and bearing by the hundreds, on long, graceful stems, exquisite double blossoms of the brightest golden color and as large as Cactus Dahlias. Strong plants. 75 cents per dozen; \$6.00 per 100.

### RAMBLER ROSES.

Every one knows the **Crimson Rambler**. Since its introduction other colors of this valuable rose have been imported, so that I can offer now the following: **The Crimson Rambler, The White Rambler, The Pink Rambler, The Yellow Rambler**. Strong flowering plants. \$1.75 per dozen; 14.00 per \$100.

### NEW PHLOX PANICULATA, "Tom Thumb."

This novelty is quite a distinct departure from this section, as it grows only six to ten inches in height, and on that account will be found very useful for bedding, for edging of beds, or borders. The white flowers are freely produced during the whole summer covering the plant like a mound of snow. The most desirable hardy novelty for 1898. Price of plants, \$1.25 per dozen; \$12.00 per 100.

### ABUTILON SAVITSI.

This is a grand novelty, and a very decided improvement on *Souv. de Bonn*. The leaves are heavily marked with a pure silvery white. The variegations are exceedingly beautiful, making it a fine decorative plant. There is no *Abutilon* that can compare with it for striking beauty. 20 cents each : \$2.00 per dozen.

## NEW CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

- ALICE F. CAREY.** Fine reflexed pink, good foliage and stem, excellent keeper. Price, 40 cents each; \$3.50 per dozen.
- WM. H. CHADWICK.** An immense incurved bloom, waxy white tinted pink, fine stem and foliage extra. Price, \$1.00 each; \$6.00 per dozen.
- ROB'T G. CAREY.** Incurved white of good form, good substance and excellent keeper. Price, 40 cents each; \$3.50 per dozen.
- CHEMPWEE.** Clear, bright yellow sport from Silver Cloud, large flower, fine stem and foliage. Price, 40 cents each; \$3.50 per dozen.
- DOLORES.** Large incurved deep yellow, with broad petals, fine stem and foliage. Price, 40 cents each; \$3.50 per dozen.
- FRANK HARDY.** Incurved Japanese white flower of extraordinary depth. Fine stem and foliage. Considered the best new Chrysanthemum for 1898. I have strong plants of this variety. Price, 50 cents each; 3.00 per dozen; \$20.00 per 100.
- MINNEWASKA.** Deep pink bold globular flower, straight and strap petals, stem and foliage good. Price, 40c. each; \$3.50 per dozen.
- MERRY CHRISTMAS.** Very late, a fine, white, well formed, full centre, good for Christmas cutting. Price 35 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen.
- MRS. C. H. PEIRCE.** Soft, deep yellow, large globular flower, with fine stem and heavy foliage. Price, 35 cts., each; \$3.50 per dozen.
- MADELEINE PRATT.** Fine, high, blooms very vigorous; pure white. Price, 35 cents each; \$5.00 per dozen
- PENNSYLVANIA.** Sport from Philadelphia. Beautiful primrose, yellow; one of the finest for commercial or exhibition purposes. Price, 50 cents each; \$5.00 per dozen.
- SPOTSWOOD.** Light yellow, deep, fine formed flower, on the style of Bonnaffon; excellent. Price, 40 cents each; \$3.50 dozen.
- SNOW QUEEN.** Large, nicely finished, rounded white flower, fine stem and foliage. Price, 50 cents each; \$5.00 per dozen.
- MISS GLADYS VANDERBILT.** Pearl white, with lemon shaded centre, a fine sort for commercial or exhibition purposes. Price, 50 cents each; \$3.50 per dozen.
- THE YELLOW FELLOW.** Rich bright yellow; fine robust grower; fine for exhibition as pot plant. Price, 50 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen.
- T. H. SPAULDING.** Beautiful and distinct variety, with large incurved flower of rich deep wine color. Price, 35 cents each; \$3.50 per dozen. One of each of the 16 varieties for \$7.50.
- All the leading Chrysanthemums at popular prices.

## NEW CARNATIONS.

- BON TON.** Bright warm scarlet; very robust habit; large flower, strong stem. Price, \$2.00 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.
- MRS. JAMES DEAN.** Clear, silvery pink; vigorous habit; large flower. Price \$2.00 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.
- GOLD NUGGET.** Clear, deep yellow, slightly marked with red; large flower; strong stems; vigorous. Price, \$2.00 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.
- NEW YORK.** Bright, cerise pink; strong, vigorous habit; large flower; constant bloomer. Price, \$2.00 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.
- CARNATION WHITE CLOUD.** Strong, vigorous grower, with large, fragrant white flowers, produced on long strong stems. Price, \$2.00 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.
- CARNATION WELLESLEY.** Beautiful bright red flower, the finest red to date. Price, \$2.00 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.
- CARNATION JOHN YOUNG.** Deeply fringed white flowers; strong grower, free bloomer. Price, \$2.00 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.
- EVELINA.** Flowers large, pure white. strong calyx, fragrant, free and healthy grower. Price, \$2.00 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.
- EMPRESS.** Bright, rich crimson base of petals, fiery scarlet, very large, fringed and fragrant. Price, \$2.00 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.
- JACK FROST.** Enormous white flowers of fine form, and fragrant, good habit and free growth. Price, \$2.00 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.

Dozen of each of the ten varieties for \$12.00.

All the leading sorts of Carnation supplied at popular prices.

# Selection of Flower Seeds.

This list contains the most popular varieties. For others see my **Pocket Garden Dictionary**.

## MANDA'S MIXTURES OF CHOICE FLORISTS' SEEDS.

These mixtures are carefully prepared from the choicest named varieties and strains, in proportions such as I know from experience are needed by the trade, and therefore should not be compared with the cheap and inferior mixtures or *sweepings* which are generally offered.

	Oz.		Oz.
Abutilon. Extra choice mixed .....	\$0.20	Oampanula ( <i>Canterbury Bells</i> ). Manda's Choice	
Acroclinium roseum. Beautiful everlasting flowers.	.20	Mixture .....	0.45
Ageratum Mexicanum, Imperial Dwarf. Fine Blue.	.25	Collection of 6 fine varieties for 25 cts.	
Althea rosea. Finest single mixed.....	.50	Gandytuft. ( <i>Iberis</i> ) Coronaria Empress. Pure white	.20
"    "    double " .....	1.25	Manda's Finest Mixture.....	.20
"    Manda's Finest Mixture. Choicest sorts only.	1.25	"    Collection 6 best varieties for 25 cents	
Collection of 5 double varieties for 40 cents		Carnation. Early Dwarf Vienna. Very fine.....	1.50
Alyssum saxatile. Yellow flowers perennial.....	.20	"    Margaret. Pure white.....	
"    compactum. Fine for edging.....	.20	"    "    Choice mixed, very fine.....	1.50
Amarantus caudatus ( <i>Love lies Bleeding</i> ). Fine red.	.10	Celosia cristata nana ( <i>Empress</i> ). Fine purple.....	
crudentus ( <i>Prince's Feather</i> ).....	.50	Pyramidalis plumosa ( <i>Thompsoni</i> ) .....	
"    tricolor ( <i>Joseph's Coat</i> ).....	.15	Centaurea argentea ver a ( <i>Candidissima ragusina</i> ).....	2.00
"    Manda's Choice Mixture of many varieties	.25	"    Babylonica. Very fine dark yellow.....	
Antirrhinum major ( <i>Snapdragon</i> ). Tall mixed.....	.20	"    Cyanus ( <i>Corn Flower</i> ).....	.15
"    Tom Thumb. Choice dwarf varieties..	.40	"    Cyanus fl. pl. Extra semi-double form...	.15
Aquilegia. Manda's Choice Mixture. Many varieties.....	.75	"    Suaveolens ( <i>Sweet Sultan</i> ). Yellow flowers.	.30
"    Collection of 6 varieties for 50 cents		Chrysanthemum carinatum ( <i>Tricolor</i> ) album. White	.10
"    "    12 "    "    \$1.00		"    coronarium fl. pl. Double yellow.....	.10
Asters, Dwarf Ohrysanthemum, Manda's Finest Mixed	2.00	"    indicum. Choicest varieties.....	
"    "    Collection 6 varieties, 50 cents		Cineraria maritima ( <i>Candidissima</i> ). White foliage..	
"    "    Victoria, Manda's Finest Mixed. Ex. choice.....	2.50	"    hybrida. Manda's Choice Strains.....	
"    "    Comet, Manda's Finest Mixed. Very fine	3.00	Cobaea scandens. A very fine climber.....	.40
"    Quilled German. Manda's Finest Mixed. Ex. Choice .....	2.00	Coleus hybrids. Grand mixture.....	
"    Quilled German. Collection of 6 varieties, 25 cents.		Convolvulus tricolor ( <i>Morning Glory</i> ). Choice mixed	.10
"    "    Mignon. Manda's Extra Choice Mixture...	3.00	Cyclamen Manda's Choice Strain. Extra fine.....	8.00
"    "    Victoria. "    "    "    "    "    "    "	2.50	Dahlia. Double large-flowered best quality mixed..	1.00
"    "    Collection of 6 best varieties, 50 cts.		"    Single varieties; splendid mixture .....	.50
"    Truffaut's Paeony-flowered Perfection. Manda's Fine Mixed.....	2.50	Dianthus barbatus, Manda's Choice Mixture .....	1.00
"    Truffaut's Paeony-flowered Perfection. Collection of 6 sorts for 50 cents.		"    Heddewigii ( <i>Mixed</i> ). Very fine annual...	.50
"    Betteridge's "Quilled." Manda's Choice Mixed.....	1.50	"    Imperialis fl. pl. ( <i>Double Imperial Pink</i> ).	
"    Tall Ohrysanthemum. Manda's Choice Mixed	2.50	"    Very fine.....	.75
"    "    Ohrysanthemum. Collection of 6 varieties, 50 cents.		"    Manda's Finest Mixed Choice sorts.....	.75
"    "    Manda's Mixture, containing all the types..	2.50	"    Collection 6 finest varieties for 50 cents...	
Balsams, Manda's Choice Mixture, Double sorts..	.75	Digitalis ( <i>Fox Glove</i> ) Manda's Choice Mixture.	
"    Collection of 6 double varieties for 50 cts.		"    Fine strains .....	.20
"    Double Spotted. Finest Mixture.....	.50	"    Collection 6 fine varieties for 25 cents.	
"    Imp. Camellia-flowered, Manda's Finest Mixed.....	.50	Eschscholtzia Californica. Extra fine yellow flowers.	.15
"    Carnation Striped. Extra choice mixed.	.50	Gaillardia Picta. Red and yellow, beautiful annual.	.20
Begonia. Single tuberous rooted; best strains .....		"    Lorenziana. Double fine for cutting	.20
"    Double tuberous rooted; best strains.....		Gloxinia grandiflora crassifolia. Fine choice mixed	
"    Semperflorens Vernon. Fine dwarf sort.		Golden Feather ( <i>Pyrethrum parthenifolium aureum</i> )...	.35
Bellis perennis fl. pl. Choice strains, mixed.....	3.50	Helianthus Annus. ( <i>Russian Giant</i> ). Extra fine single flowers.	.05
Calceolaria, Manda's Finest Mixed .....		Helianthus globosus fistulosus, fl. pl. Very large...	.15
"    Collection of 6 varieties for 25 cents.		Heliotropium. Extra choice mixed .....	
Calendula officinalis fl. pl. Meteor. Striped light orange .....	.10	Humulus Japonicus foliis variegatus. Beautiful climber.	
"    officinalis fl. pl. Prince of Orange. Fine.	.10	Ipomoea, Manda's Finest Mixture. All the best sorts.	10
"    Manda's Finest Mixed. Many varieties.	.15	"    Collection 6 best varieties for 25 cents.	
"    Collection 6 fine varieties for 25 cents		Lathyrus odoratus ( <i>Sweet Pea</i> ). Apple Blossom	L.B.
Calliopsis. ( <i>Corcopsis</i> ). Manda's Choice Mixture..	.25	"    "    Pink and blush .....	.25
"    Collection 6 fine varieties for 25 cents.		"    "    Blanche Ferry. Pink and White early.....	.25
Caenna. Choice hybrid varieties only.....	.25	"    "    Captain of the Blues. Bright purple and blue.....	.35
		"    "    Cardinal. Crimson scarlet.....	.25
		"    "    Emily Henderson. Very fine white.....	.35
		"    "    Indigo King. Rich blue black....	.25
		"    "    Orange Prince. Bright orange pink	.50



## Selection of Flower Seeds—Continued.

	LB.		Oz.
Lathyrus odoratus, Painted Lady. Beautiful rose and white.....	\$0.25	Phlox Drummondii grandiflora, Manda's Finest Mi'd	\$1.00
" " Primrose, Pale primrose yellow..	.50	" nana compacta nivea ( <i>Snowball</i> ), White..	2.50
" " Scarlet Invincible. Very effective red .....	.25	" " sanguinea ( <i>Fireball</i> ), Fine	3.00
" " Manda's Choice Mixed. All colors, per lb. \$1.00.....	.40	" Manda's Finest Mixed, Finest strains... Collection of the best 6 varieties for 50 cts.	2.50
" " Collection of 24 varieties for 85 cts.		" " 12 " \$1.00.	
Larkspur Giant Hyacinth-flowered. Choice mixed	.25	Portulaca grandiflora. All sorts choice mixed.....	
" Stock Flowered, Tall Branching. Choice mixed.....	.25	" " fl. pl. Finest double sorts..	
" Ranunculi-flowered.. Double choice mixed	.25	Primula ( <i>Primrose</i> ) chinensis fimbriata fringed, Manda's strain.....	
" Emperor. Very fine mixture.....	.25	" elatior ( <i>Veris</i> ) Extra large flowers, very fine	
" Manda's Choice Mixture. Many varieties.	.25	" vulgaris, The true yellow English Primrose	
Lobelia erinus, Crystal Palace ( <i>Speciosa</i> ). Dark blue.		Reseda odorata ( <i>Mignonette</i> ), Good variety.....	.10
" erecta, Crystal Palace ( <i>Compacta</i> ). Fine		" grandiflora. Large flowery type.....	.10
Lupinus Annual. Finest sorts mixed .....	.10	" " ( <i>Crimson Queen</i> ). Red flowered.....	.20
Mimulus tigrinus grandiflorus. Beautiful varieties..		" " Machet. Excellent for pots..	.40
Mirabilis Jalapa ( <i>Pour o'Clock</i> ). Very showy annual	.10	" " Spiralis ( <i>Miles Spiral</i> ) .....	.15
Myosotis ( <i>Forget-me-Not</i> ) alpestris. Beautiful blue...	.40	" " Manda's Choice Mixture.....	.40
" alpestris alba. A white form of the above.	.50	" " Collection of 6 varieties, 25 cts.	
Nasturtium ( <i>Tropaeolum</i> ) Lobbianum, Manda's Choice Mixture .....	.25	Ricinus Cambodgensis, Dark-leaved, extra fine.....	.15
" Majus, Manda's Choice Mixture per lb. \$1.50	.25	" Sanguineus ( <i>Obermanni</i> ).....	.10
" Tom Thumb, " " " \$1.75.	.25	Salpiglossis variabilis grandiflora. Showy annual..	.75
" Collection of the best 6 varieties for 25 cents.		" nana, Fine Mixed.....	.75
" " 12 " 50 "		Salvia splendens. Brilliant scarlet flowers.....	2.00
Nicotiana affinis. Beautiful white sweet-scented flowers.....		Scabiosa. Manda's Choice Mixture Extra.....	.25
Nigella damascena fl. pl. ( <i>Devil-in-a-Bush</i> ). Blue...	.10	" Collection of 6 best varieties, 25 cents.	
" Hispanica ( <i>Love in a Mist</i> ). Beautiful blue flowers .....	.15	Schizanthus, Manda's Choice Mixed, Fine varieties	.15
Oenothera biennis ( <i>Evening Primrose</i> ). Yellow blossoms	.15	" Collection of the 6 best varieties for 25 cts.	
Pansy, Manda's finest mixture Show Pansies. Best strain.....	6.00	Stocks, Cut and Come Again. Pure white.....	3.50
" Ordinary Mixture of standard varieties .....	1.00	" Large Flowering Dwarf, Ten week, Manda's Mixed.....	2.75
" Odier, Extra choice large blotched flowers..	3.00	" Perpetual Dwarf, Ten Week. Manda's Fine Mixed.....	3.00
" Cassier, A very large flowering strain.....	3.00	" Tree or Giant, Ten Week, Manda's Fine Mixed.....	2.50
" Bugnot's, Superb fine strain.....	6.00	" Giant Perfection, Ten Week, Manda's Fine Mixed.....	3.50
" Trimardeau or Giant Pansies. Enormous flowers .....	2.00	" Wallflower, Double Tall Branching, Manda's Fine Mixture .....	2.00
" King of the Blacks (Dr. Faust). Very dark variety.....	.80	" " Single, Manda's Fine Mixture.	.20
" Light Blue. Fine flowers of a sky-blue color	.80	" Manda's Mixture, Finest varieties only .....	3.50
" Yellow, Fine rich, showy color for bedding	.80	Tagetes, African Marigold, Manda's Choice Mixed.	.25
" Pure White, Fine clear white; good form..	.80	" " Collection of 6 best sorts 25 cts.	
" Gold Margined. Beautiful variety; fine edging.	1.00	" " French Marigold, Manda's Finest Mixed	.25
" Silver Edged ( <i>Atropurpurea albo-marginata</i> ). Fine .....	1.00	" " Collection of 6 best varieties, 25 cts.	
" Manda's Choice Mixture of Bedding Pansies	1.00	Thunbergia alata. Buff-colored ornamental climber	.50
Papaver, Danebrog. Brilliant Scarlet, glossy.....	.15	Torenia Fournieri ( <i>Edentula</i> ), Blue; fine for pots.....	
" Double Carnation-flowered, Finest mixed	.20	Verbena ciltriodora ( <i>Lemon Verbena</i> ). Very fragrant.	
" Double Paeony-flowered, Choice mixed..	.20	" hybrida, Manda's Choice Mixture .....	1.75
" Dwarf Ranunculi-flowered. Fine mixed..	.20	" Collection of the 6 best varieties for 50 cts.	
" Manda's finest mixture. Extra choice...	.25	Vinca rosa. Very fine market plant .....	.75
" Collection of 6 fine varieties for 25 cents		" alba. White flowers, with pink centre.....	.75
Petunia hybrida. Mixed, very fine quality .....	.75	Viola odorata semperflorens ( <i>Sweet Violet</i> ).....	.75
" " Manda's finest mixed Extra fine	1.50	Xeranthemum ( <i>Everlastings</i> ). Manda's finest mixed Colors.....	.25
" " alba. Pure white, very fine.....	.75	Zinnia elegans fl. pl. Tall. Manda's Finest Mixture	.30
" " Collection of 6 fine varieties, 15 cents,		" " Lilliput-Flowered, Choice mixed.	1.75
		" Dwarf, Double Finest Mixed.....	.40
		" Manda's Choice Mixture of the best varieties only.....	.50
		" Collection of the 6 best varieties for 25 cents.	
		" " 12 " 50 "	

For complete collection of flower seeds, see Pocket Garden Dictionary, pages 25 to 51  
Any Vegetable or other Seeds at Market Price.

## Bulbs for Spring Planting.

There is no class of plants with which for so small an outlay there can be made such a display as with bulbs, while they hardly require any care to grow them to perfection. Prices on application.

## Ornamental Trees, Shrubs and Roses.

My collection includes only the very best varieties, that should be extensively planted by every one that owns any land. I would be pleased to make selection for any purpose named.

## Chrysanthemums, Carnations and Cannas.

### The Most Popular Plants of the Day.

### Palm Seeds.

I am ready to book orders for **Palm Seeds** and deliver same as soon as received from the **collector**. It is of great importance that **Palm Seed** should be fresh, otherwise it will not germinate, and, on that account, I never keep any on hand.

	Per 100 Seeds.	Per 1000 Seeds.		Per 100 seeds.	Per 1000 seeds.
Areca Baueri.....	\$0.35	\$2.75	Kentia Canterburyana.....	\$2.50	\$20.00
“ lutescens. Expected shortly.....	.80	6.50	“ Forsteriana. Just received.....	.80	7.00
“ sapida.....	.45	3.50	“ Moorei.....	2.50	20.00
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Cocos Weddeliana. Just received.....	1.10	10.00	Seaforthia elegans.....	.35	2.75
Kentia Belmoreana. Just received.....	.80	7.00			

### Grass and Clover Seeds.

I make a specialty of furnishing the very best mixtures of **Lawn Grass**, especially prepared to suit any **soil** or **situation**.

**Manda's Universal Mixture** is as good as any, and better than many. In ordering, please state for what purpose you want the seed, so that I can make you a special mixture to give the best results.

	Bush.	Lb.
Manda's Universal Lawn Grass Mixture.....	\$3.50	\$0.12
Central Park Lawn Grass Mixture.....	2.50	.18
Kentucky Blue Grass. Extra choice.....		.20
Red Top. Extra choice, recleaned.....		
White Clover ( <i>Trifolium repens</i> ).....		

### Water and Bog Plants.

My collection comprises the very best of these beautiful plants. For List, see my Pocket Garden Dictionary, pages 59 and 60.

### Bedding and Garden Plants.

Fine stock in great variety always on hand for collection. See Pocket Garden Dictionary, pages 58 and 59

### Horticultural Implements and Garden Requisites.

Can furnish anything in this line, at lowest market prices. For List, see Pocket Garden Dictionary, pages 100 to 102.

### Horticultural Books and Periodicals.

Can furnish these at publishers' prices. For list, see Pocket Garden Dictionary, pages 102 and 103.

### Cycas Revoluta.

There is no plant which grows so quickly in value as the above. My importation will arrive early this spring, and I will be pleased to book your orders now for delivery on their arrival.

6 inch stems.....	\$0.50 each.	} PLEASE SEND IN YOUR ORDERS AT ONCE, SO THAT I CAN SHIP SAME IMMEDIATELY ON ARRIVAL. }
7 “ “.....	.75 “	
8 “ “.....	1.00 “	
9 “ “.....	1.25 “	

### Vegetable Seeds and Roots. Price on Application.

## Orchids.

These beautiful plants are just as easy to grow as Palms or Ferns, and are offered at about same prices. The following is a selection of the very best and finest kinds which bloom freely and are of easy culture. I would be pleased to make special collections at reduced prices, and select such kinds as would be best adapted for the purpose wanted.

Six Orchids in six best varieties, fine plants, for only.....\$3.50

Twelve Orchids in twelve best varieties, fine plants, for only..... 7.50

	Each.		Each.
<i>Barkeria Skinnerii</i> . Very floriferous species, producing spikes of beautiful crimson flowers.....	\$1.00	<i>Dendrobium formosum giganteum</i> . Large waxy white flowers, with yellow throat....	1.50
<i>Brassavola glauca</i> . Easy grown, flowers creamy white, produced in great abundance....	.50	" <i>Nobile</i> . A very free grower, producing white and pink flowers in great profusion.....	.75
<i>Broughtonia sanguinea</i> . Beautiful rose colored flowers, borne on long graceful spikes .	.75	" <i>Phalaenopsis Schroderae</i> . Beautiful variety, large rose colored flowers, borne on graceful spikes.....	1.00
<i>Calanthe Veitchii</i> . A winter flowering species with rich pink flowers on long stems.....	.75	" <i>Thyrsiflorum</i> . Produces bunches of white and yellow flowers, very showy.....	1.50
<i>Cattleya citrina</i> ( <i>Tulip Orchid</i> ). Flowers beautiful lemon yellow, of easy culture.....	.75	" <i>Wardianum</i> . Large white flowers, tipped with pink, yellow throat, with maroon blotch.....	1.50
" <i>intermedia</i> . Flowers rosy lilac, which are borne in great profusion ..	1.00	<i>Epidendrum vitellinum majus</i> . Very floriferous species, with spikes of rich orange-red flowers ..	.50
" <i>labiata</i> ( <i>vera</i> ). One of the finest autumn flowering orchids, rosy pink, crimson lip.....	1.75	<i>Laelia alba</i> . Flowers white, with lilac lip, borne on long spikes.....	.75
" <i>Mossiae</i> . Rose to crimson red, with yellow throat, flowers in May .....	1.50	" <i>anceps</i> . Very free grower; flowers produced on spikes of a rich rose color.....	.75
" <i>Percivaliana</i> . Fine winter blooming variety; flowers rich rose, with crimson lip .....	1.00	" <i>autumnalis</i> . Beautiful variety, with large rich rose colored flowers.....	1.00
" <i>Trianae</i> . The most popular and useful winter flowering orchid; lilac rose to crimson.....	1.00	" <i>purpurata</i> . Grand large white flowers, with crimson lip, very fine.....	1.50
<i>Chysis bractescens</i> . Flowering in the spring, and producing curious waxy white blossoms.....	.50	<i>Odontoglossum Bictonense</i> . Easily grown; flowers lilac and brown on long spikes.....	.75
<i>Coelogyne cristata</i> . Very free flowering useful variety; borne on sprays pure white....	.50	" <i>citrosimum</i> . Blooms in spring; flowers white and pink, borne on long drooping sprays.....	1.00
<i>Cypripedium Ashburtoniae</i> . Flowers reddish brown and white; vigorous grower....	1.00	" <i>crispum</i> . The finest of this class; white spotted flowers, borne on graceful spikes .....	.75
" <i>Barbatum</i> . Free flowering sort; the blooms are white and deep purple.	.50	" <i>Rossii majus</i> . Free grower, flowers produced in great profusion, white and brown.....	.50
" <i>Boxallii</i> . Flowers yellowish green shaded purple and brown; very fine.....	1.00	<i>Oncidium incurvum</i> . Flowers lilac and white, produced on long stems, of easy culture.....	.50
" <i>Calurum</i> . Large rosy crimson flowers, borne on long spikes.....	1.00	" <i>ornithorhynchium</i> . Sweet lilac flowers, which are borne on spikes in great profusion.....	.50
" <i>Cardinale</i> . A fine hybrid; flowers white and pink; remains in bloom a long time.....	2.50	" <i>tigrinum</i> . Long spikes of large yellow sweet scented flowers, easily grown.	1.50
" <i>Dauthieri</i> . Very free flowering variety; reddish purple, very pretty..	1.50	" <i>varicosum Rogersii</i> . Large pure yellow flowers, borne on arching spikes, extra fine.....	1.75
" <i>Dominianum</i> . Free growing and flowering sort; petals very long, soft, greenish yellow.....	.50	<i>Phaius grandifolius</i> . A terrestrial species having spikes of white and brown flowers...	1.00
" <i>Harrisianum</i> . Flowers several times during the year; rich reddish brown insigne. Very popular free growing variety; flowers yellowish green....	.50	<i>Vanda suavis</i> . Large lilac and crimson flowers, borne on large spikes.....	2.50
" <i>Sedenii</i> . Flowers produced in great profusion; rose colored.....	.50	" <i>tricolor</i> . Fine spikes of brown and purple flowers, blooms during the winter months.....	2.50
" <i>Spicerianum</i> . A lovely flower, with white dorsal sepal; one of the best.	1.00	<i>Zygopetalum Mackayii</i> . Free grower; large lilac flowers, with chocolate brown petals.	1.00
" <i>villosum</i> . Tawny yellow, with bright shining surface, as if varnished....	1.00		
<i>Dendrobium fimbriatum</i> . Vigorous grower producing fine spikes of yellow flowers...	1.50		

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## Hardy Perennial Plants.

These are the old-time favorites which should be in every garden. Once planted they thrive from year to year, and increase in size and beauty. With a good collection a succession of flowers can be had from April till November. I would be pleased to make special low priced collections for any situation desired.

**Collection of twelve choice kinds, one plant of each, for only.....\$1.00**

**Collection of twenty-five good plants in twenty-five varieties, for only..... 1.75**

	Each.		Each.
Achillea millefolia rubra. Produces very pretty trusses of rose-colored flowers. Feathery foliage.....	\$0.05	Iris Germanica ( <i>Fleur-de-Lis</i> ). Large, beautiful flowers, rivaling orchids in coloring...	\$0.06
“ serrata plena ( <i>The Pearl</i> ). Flowers pure white; very double; borne on long stems. Fine for cutting.....	.05	“ Kaempferii ( <i>Japan Iris</i> ). Another type of the above, in many colors and varieties....	.06
“ tomentosa. Very floriferous; fine for rock work. Yellow trusses.....	.06	Monarda didyma ( <i>Oswego Tea</i> ). Bright, red, showy flowers, while the foliage is fragrant...	.08
Armeria cephalotes ( <i>Sea Pink</i> ). Pretty rose-colored flowers; borne in great profusion.....	.06	Paeonies herbaceous, assorted. Very showy. In all pleasing shades, from pure white to dark red.....	.10
Artemisia pontica. Silvery white feathery foliage; fine for carpet bedding or planting in a dry situation.....	.05	Papaver orientale. The finest perennial poppy. Producing large gay-colored flowers...	.08
Coreopsis lanceolata. Bright golden-yellow flowers; excellent for cutting and massing.	.05	Pentstemon barbatus. Beautiful deep-scarlet flowers, produced on long spikes.....	.12
Delphinium hybrids ( <i>assorted varieties</i> ). Extra fine sorts in all shades, from light to dark blue.....	.06	Phlox amoena. A favorite border plant. Flowers early in the season.....	.06
Dianthus barbatus ( <i>Sweet William</i> ). Very fine flowers; many colors; lasts long in perfection.....	.05	“ Carolina. Very fine sort; growing about one foot high, with reddish purple flowers	.08
“ plumarius plenus, Double Garden Pink. Very fragrant. Fine for cutting.....	.06	“ stellaria. Beautiful white flowers, with pink eye; very floriferous.....	.08
Dicentra spectabilis ( <i>Bleeding Heart</i> ). Flowers heart-shaped; borne on long sprays...	.06	“ subulata ( <i>Moss Pink</i> ). Very dwarf. A regular mat of flowers in early spring.....	.05
Digitalis purpurea ( <i>Foxglove</i> ). Very ornamental. Flowers bright purple; produced on long spikes.....	.06	“ paniculata ( <i>assorted varieties</i> ). The very finest varieties in all shades.....	.06
Funkia undulata variegata ( <i>Day Lily</i> ). Valuable as a hardy foliage plant; beautifully variegated.....	.06	“ “ “The Pearl.” Flowers pure white; grows about eighteen inches high; the finest White Phlox.....	.06
Gaillardia grandiflora hybrida ( <i>Blanket Flower</i> ). Very showy; flowers all summer.....	.08	Polygonium cuspidatum crispulum. Fine, vigorous grower, producing feathery white flowers.....	.08
Gypsophila paniculata. Fine white flowers.....	.10	Pyrethrum roseum ( <i>assorted varieties</i> ). Extra fine for cutting, many forms resembling Asters.....	.09
Helianthus multiflorus plenus ( <i>Perennial Sunflower</i> ). Grows about four feet high; fine double flowers.....	.06	Rudbeckia speciosa ( <i>Cone Flower</i> ). Flowers yellow; dark purple disk; very floriferous.	.08
“ mollis grandiflorus. Chrome yellow; single flower; very effective.....	.08	“ submentosa. Fine for borders. A regular mass of yellow when in flower.....	.10
Hemerocallis flava ( <i>Day Lily</i> ). Produces long spikes, Golden-yellow sweet-scented flowers.....	.06	Spiraea astilboides. Flowers white; very graceful. Borne in great profusion.....	.08
“ Dumortierii. Flowers large orange-yellow; very free grower.....	.08	“ Japonica. Pure white flowers; one of the finest hardy plants.....	.06
Iberis sempervirens ( <i>Evergreen Candytuft</i> ). Beautiful white flowers; blooms in early spring.....	.06	“ grandiflora. Flowers larger and closer than the above.....	.08
		Statice latifolia. Beautiful blue flowers, borne on large panicles.....	.08
		Tunica saxifraga. A dwarf grass-like plant producing quantities of small pink flowers.	.06

For full collection, see my Pocket Garden Dictionary, pages 74 to 78.

Hundreds of other varieties in stock.

# Palms, Ferns and Decorative Plants.

*This short list contains great bargains in fine, strong, cool-grown plants, at very low prices, for immediate acceptance, and while the stock is unsold. Most of this stock has been grown in frames, and should not be compared with forced stock offered by many dealers. ORDER AT ONCE.*

## Palms.

Kentia Belmoreana.	Strong stock, in 4 inch; 1 to 1¼ feet high at.....	\$ .35
" "	Extra strong, in 4 inch; 1¼ to 1½ feet high, at.....	.50
" "	Strong plants, in 5 inch; 1¼ to 1½ feet high, at.....	.75
" "	Extra strong, in 5 inch: 1½ to 1¾ feet high, at.....	1.00
Kentia Canterburyana.	Strong plants, in 6 inch; 1¼ to 1½ feet high, at.....	.75
Areca lutescens.	Nice young stock, in 3 inch; 1 to 1¼ feet, at.....	.12
" "	Nice young stock, 3 plants in 3 inch; 1 to 1¼ feet, at.....	.18
" "	Strong plants, in 4 inch; 1¼ to 1½ feet, at.....	.15
" "	Fine bushy, 3 plants, in 4 inch; 1¼ to 1½ feet, at.....	.28
" "	Strong plants, 3 and 5 inch; 1½ to 1¾ feet, at.....	.45
" "	Extra strong, 3 plants in 5 or 6 inch; 1¾ to 2 feet high, at.....	.65
" "	Extra strong, 3 plants in 6 inch; 2 to 3 feet, at.....	1.25
Areca Baurei.	Extra strong and fine, 1¼ to 1½ feet, at.....	.35
Latania Borbonica.	Nice plants in 3 inch: 1 to 1¼ feet, at.....	.12
" "	Strong plants in 4 inch; 1¼ to 1½ feet, at.....	.25
" "	Extra strong plants, in 5 inch; 1½ to 2 feet, at.....	.35
" "	Large plants, in 7 inch; 2 to 2½ feet, at.....	1.75
" "	Extra large, in 7 or 8 inch: 2½ to 3 feet, at.....	2.75
Geonoma Schottiana.	In 5 inch; 1 to 1½ feet, at.....	.45
Rhapis humilis.	Extra fine and bushy; 2 feet high, at.....	2.50
" "	Very strong and bushy; 2½ feet high, at.....	3.75
Rhapis flabelliformis.	Nice plants; 2 feet high, at.....	2.50
" "	Extra strong and bushy; 2½ feet high, at.....	3.75
Cocos Weddelliana.	Fine healthy, in 2 inch; ¾ foot at.....	.10
" "	Strong in 3 inch; 1 to 1¼ feet, at.....	.25
" "	Extra bushy, 3 plants in 4 inch; 1 to 1½ feet, at.....	.45
" "	Very fine, in 5 inch; 1½ to 2 feet at.....	1.00

*Also many others in all sizes up to large specimens.*

*Look out for SPECIAL LIST OF BULBS, ORCHIDS, HARDY PLANTS, which will be mailed to you in a few days.*

## Ferns.

Assorted, my selection,	in 2 inch pots at.....	.05
" " " "	in 3 " " ".....	.08
" " " "	in 4 " " ".....	.18
" " " "	in 5 " " ".....	.35
" " " "	in 6 " " ".....	.50
Adiantum Farleyense.	Grand plants; 4 inch pots, at.....	.75
" "	Grand plants; 5 inch pots, at.....	1.00
" "	Extra fine plants; 6 inch pots, at.....	1.50
" "	Large specimens; 12 inch pans, at.....	3.75

## Foliage Decorative Plants.

Araucaria excelsa.	Good plants, in 4 inch; 1 to 1¼ feet, at.....	.75
" "	Extra fine and strong, in 6 or 7 inch; 2 feet high, at.....	2.00
Araucaria excelsa glauca.	Extra fine, in 6 or 7 inch; 2 feet high, at.....	3.50
Acorus gramineus variegatus.	2 inch; fine, at.....	.05
Pandanus utilis.	Young plants, in 2 inch; ½ foot high, at.....	.12
" "	Good plants, in 3 inch; 1 foot high, at.....	.18
" "	Strong plants, in 4 inch; 1¼ to 1½ feet high, at.....	.30
" "	Extra strong, in 5 inch; 1½ to 1¾ feet high, at.....	.45
" "	Very strong, in 6 inch: 2 feet high, at.....	.75
Pandanus Veitchii.	Nice plants, in 5 inch; 1¼ to 1½ feet high, at.....	1.25
" "	Strong plants, in 6 or 7 inch; 1½ to 2 feet high, at.....	2.75
" "	Extra specimens: 2 to 3 feet high, at.....	4.50
Crotons, in best varieties;	in 3 inch, at.....	.15
" "	in 4 " ".....	.35
" "	large plants.....each,	\$1.00 to 2.50
Marantas, in best varieties;	in 3 inch pots, at.....	.18
" "	in 4 " ".....	.28
Philodendron pertusum.	Large plants; 2 feet high, at.....	1.25
Ficus elastica.	Strong, in 5 or 6 inch; 1½ to 2 feet high, at.....	.45
" "	Extra strong, branching; 2 to 3 feet high, at.....	1.25
Dracaenas, in assorted varieties.	in 4 or 5 inch; fine, at.....	.45
Beautiful Assort. of Foliage Plants—my selection,	2 in at.....	.10
" " " "	" " " " 3 " ".....	.18
" " " "	" " " " 4 " ".....	.35
" " " "	" " " " 5 " ".....	.65
" " " "	" " " " 6 " ".....	1.00

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Plants and Bulbs, single,	33 " "
"    "    "    by dozen, 100 or in collections	25 " "
Trees, Shrubs and Vines, singly	25 " "
"    "    "    "    by dozen or collections,	15 " "
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