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# Best Rooted, Budded Pecan Trees Grown, as Shown in Picture

A Good Root System Is The Life and Making of a Pecan Tree  
So Don't Buy Anything Else  
90 TO 100 PER CENT OF OUR TREES LIVE

Which Class of Trees Shown Below Do You Think Will Live and Grow Off Better?

The Trees on the Left, Shown in This Picture Were Grown by Us

We plant a special kind of seed nut that is especially adapted to growing the best rooted trees that are grown.

Our soil here is also especially adapted to producing this fine rooted pecan tree. A tree with good roots, like ours, can reach out in all directions and draw moisture and plant food with every root.

A well rooted tree will not only live better and grow better, but these roots will cause it to bear earlier and produce more nuts. Our well rooted pecan tree should be twice as large in five years time as a poorly rooted tree like shown on the right of the picture.

The kind of tree you buy is your foundation. Buy the best.



The Root System We Grow. The Kind of Roots usually grown.

**THE BEST IS THE CHEAPEST**

The Trees on the Right, Shown in This Picture, Were Grown by Other Nurseries.

90 per cent of the Pecan Nurseries grow a tree like is shown on the right of the picture.

A tree with this kind of a root system can not draw moisture or plant food from the soil except that which comes in contact with this one tap root and in some cases a very few lateral roots.

A tree with practically no lateral roots, as shown in this picture, in many cases, can not live and those that do live can not make satisfactory growth, as they can not draw a sufficient amount of moisture and plant food.

Don't fail to set out the right kind of trees as your future success depends on the kind of trees you put out.

## What a Few of Our Customers Say About Our Trees:

Texas Pecan Nursery, Arp, Texas.

Dear Sirs:—This is to certify that I have bought several lots of pecan trees from Texas Pecan Nursery, and it affords me pleasure to certify that I have had excellent success with them, not losing over two per cent. I attribute this success to the root system, which is the very best, and to the care used in digging and packing.

Mr. Alford is President of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Yours respectfully,

E. B. ALFORD, Henderson, Texas.

Texas Pecan Nursery, Arp, Texas.

Temple, Texas, April 15, 1920.

Dear Sirs:—I am glad to say that in my experiences and purchases of pecan trees from the Texas Pecan Nursery, they have the best root system with their pecan trees I have ever seen. I have had great success in planting and growing them.

I have always found you to be prompt in making shipments of such trees as I have ordered, and they have reached me in most excellent condition.

I believe that in planting pecan trees one of the most essential things is to get a splendid root system, and to buy them from a dependable nursery. If you can use this to any advantage, you are at liberty to do so.

Mr. Downs is Vice-President of the First State Bank, Temple, Texas, and also President of the Governing Board Texas Experiment Stations.

Yours, truly,

P. L. DOWNS.

**TEXAS PECAN NURSERY, ARP, TEXAS.**

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R. W. FAIR

W. V. HENSON

# Texas Pecan Nursery

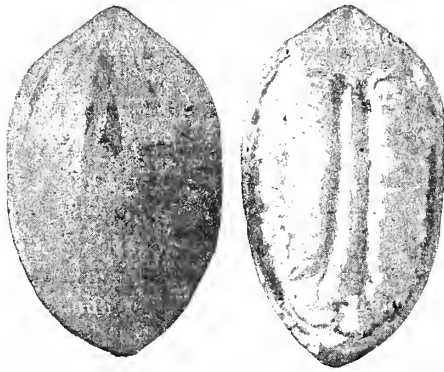
R. W. FAIR, Manager

**Budded Trees of the Best Variety**

The Largest Exclusive Pecan  
Nursery in Texas

If You Want to Make Money  
Set Out Pecan Trees

**ARP, TEXAS**



To Our Customers and Friends:

We take pleasure in advising you that the past season was a very profitable one for us, the demand for our high grade WELL ROOTED trees was extra good, regardless of tight money, and from present indications, with orders now on file for more than one half of the Pecan Trees we will have for the market this fall and winter, we will not have anything like sufficient trees to supply the demand this season.

On account of our business having grown so rapidly, I saw it was going to be impossible to continue to give my time to every detail, as I had heretofore done, so I began to search for the right man, he was found and I at once sold him an interest in the nurseries. This man was W. V. Henson, who has always succeeded in every thing he has undertaken, and especially in the banking business which he quit, after ten years service, to enter the Pecan business.

Enclosed you will find a clipping from The Troup Banner, published at Troup, (Smith county), Texas, which is our neighboring town, and it will give you some idea as to what our home people think of us and of what we are doing. Please read it.

We also own Fair's Peach Nursery, in which we have grown the best "blooded," and best rooted peach and plum trees that you can find, and they are all guaranteed to be true to name and absolutely free from any kind of disease. Write us for prices.

It is our aim and motto, to grow BETTER ROOTED PECAN TREES, and give our customers first class trees in every respect, and deal with them in a straight, square, honest way, making no statement that we cannot prove. We today, consider our old customers one of the best advertisements, and we wish to conduct our business so that at all times we will be glad to have a prospective customer ask a former customer about us, our trees, and our manner of dealing.

We are always glad to have a word from a customer about his trees, and take pleasure in giving advice to any one about how to cultivate, fertilize and care for them.

We thank you for the business you have given us, or for the good word you have spoken for us, and hope to be able to serve you at a later date. Write us for what you want.

Yours for more and better trees,

R. W. FAIR, Manager,

Texas Pecan Nursery,  
Fair's Peach Nursery.

400,000 TREES IN NURSERIES

THE PECAN NURSERY OF TEXAS