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## Elliott Nursery Company

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## Dutch Bulbs

As a rule, we import bulbs to order only, but many of our customers neglect to send us their orders in time, and we are obliged to buy the stock in this country to fill these late orders, charge higher prices, and deliver inferior stock. We have imported a few varieties of the very choicest and nost desirable bulbs in excess of our orders and offer them at the siane prices as if imported to order. These fine things are described in this catalogue, but the prices quoted will be good only until the stock we have imported is exhausted. iVe cannot buy these bulbs in America and sell them at such low prices. Much of the stock described was personally selected this summer in Europe. We cannot furnish Spanish, Englísh or Dutch Iris, Chionodoxas, Ranunculi, Anemones, etc., because the importation of all bulbs except those offered in this catalogue is prohibited, although they are all similar and grown in the same soil under the same conditions.

## Narcissus Bicolor Empress

## The Queen of Daffodils

Very large flowers of pure white, with rich yellow trumpet, strikingly beautiful; fine for out-of-doors or for forcing. This is the flnest of all Daffodils and one of the most beautiful hardy flowers grown. It should be planted where it can remain permanently, It will increase in size and beauty year after year. It really gives me great pleasure to offer this grand Daffodil at the following low prices, and it can now be planted by the hundreds and thousands, as it deserves to be. A few years ago it was selling in Holland at $\$ 40$ per hundred, when I thought it one of the most beautiful hardy flowers in cultivation-an opinion. I still hold, after growing it in my garden ever since. It is an acquaintance that improves with age. The bulbs we offer are from one of the most famous growcrs in Holland, who has made a specialty of this Dafrodil simer its introduction. Monster bulbs, $\$ 1.25$ per $12 ; \$ 9.00$ per 100 ; $\$ 86$ per 1,000. Large, selected bulbs, 90c per 12; $\$ 6.50$ peqי 100; \$62 per 1,000.

Narcissus, Empress.

## Narcissus, Emperor

This is the largest and flnest deep yellow trumpet-flowered Daffodil in cultivation, and is really superb, both in foliage and flower. The trumpet is immense and the overlapping petals measure three to three and a half inches across. It is one of the finest for cutting as it has strong stems and foliage which add to its beauty. Very desirable for ledding and is unequalled for growing in pots. A few years ago it was selling at $\$ 25$ per hundred, but a contract made in Holland this year enables us to offer enormous bulbs, which often bring four and flve splendid flowers each, at the following prices: $\$ 1.25$ per 12; $\$ 9.00$ per 100; $\$ 85.00$ per 1,000. First-size, 90 c per 12; $\$ 6.50$ per 100; $\$ 60$ per 1,000 .

## Special Offer of Golden Spur Narcissi

This is one of the most valuable of the Trumpet Narcissi, with magniflcent deep yellow trumpet with brim expanding like Maximus, and large, spreading, full, deep yellow petals. It is free-flowering and splendid both for house culture and outdoors, and is one of the most desirable varieties for naturalizing. By contracting for 150,000 bulbs of this variety, we are enabled to offer them at the following prices, which are less than half the prices usually asked. Large, selected bulbs, 90c per $12 ; \$ 6.50$ per 100; $\$ 61$ per 1,000 .



## Narcissi

Narcissi. Golden spur

Barri Conspicuus. Broad primrose putals and elegantly expanded crown, heavily stained orange-scarlet; extra fine
Lucifer (Incomparabilis). Large, white perianth; cup intense, glowing orange-red; brilliant flower; distinct. 1.10
Incomparabilis, 「ir Watkin (The Welsh Gíant Daffodil Very large petals of a rich sulphur-yellow; large yellow rup, tinged with orange; immense flowers, some tim.s $51 / 2$ inches across. One of the very finest. Monster
Jonquils, Campernelle. Yellow; sweet scented
Jonquils, Campernelle rugulosus. Large; golden yellow larger and tiner than the oId Campernelles
Jonquíls, Double. Sweet-scented
Jonquils, Single. Sweet-scented
White Lady. (Leedsi). Exquisite flower, with broad white perianth and dainty cup of pale canary-color, prettily rembled
Poeticus (Pheasant's Eye). The well-known Poet's Nar rissus. To insure blooming must be planted in a dry and thoroughly drained soil
Poeticus ornatus. Improved Pocticus. Can be forced carlier, and blooms earlier outdoors
Sulphur or Silver Phœnix. Creamy white; beautiful flowEr; splendid. Now that this Iovely variety can be had at a low price, it should be ircely used
Von Sion (Double Yellow Daffodil). One of the best foreing sorts, extra-large, fne bulbs, and are not mixed with the inferior greenish flowered variety usually sold. Select bulbs
Von Sion. Double-nosed hulbs
$\$ 0.75 \quad \$ 5.50 \quad \$ 50.00$
$.65 \quad 4.50$
Per $12 \quad 100 \quad 1000$
7.50

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| ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 1.30 | 9.50 | 90.0 |
| .70 | 5.00 | 43.00 |
| .75 | 5.50 | 47.0 |
| .85 | 5.75 | 52.0 |
| .65 | 4.25 | 38.0 |
|  |  |  |
| 1.10 | 7.50 |  |
|  |  |  |
| .65 | 4.50 | 40.00 |
| .65 | 4.50 | 40.00 |

$.90 \quad 6.50$
1.0


Paper-White Narcissi.

## Single Named Tulips

Those varieties marked $F$ after the name are best for forcing in the house or greenhouse. The following are the very best varieties of Single rulips in cultivation, and all will be found extremely effective for bedding.

Per $12 \quad 100 \quad 1000$
Albion (White Hawk). The flnest pure white Tulip in cultivation .............\$0.75 $\$ 5.50$
Chrysolora. F. Large; golden yellow; best yellow for outdoors
.750 .50
49.50

Cottage Maid. White; edged with rose; extra flne; lovely; splendid for bedding ...

Couleur Cardinal. F. Cardinal-red; one of the best
1.158 .00

Cramoisi Brilliant. F. Bright vermilion; large flower; flne for forcing
$80 \quad 5.00$
Joost Van Vondel. Large; cherry-red and white, splendid
$.75 \quad 5.50$
50.00

Keizerkroon. F. R $\in d$ and gold; large and flne. A grand Tulip.....................
$.90 \quad 6.50$
ta Reine Maximus (Queen Victoria). F. Rosy white; one of the best
$85 \quad 6.00$
Queen of the Netherlands. F. Lovely delicate blush-pink; large, globe-shaped flowers; extra fne

Rose Gris-de-Lin. F. Beautiful pink; splendid sort

Yellow Prince. F. Golden-yellow; sweetscented. Not good for outdoors ...... . . 75 5.50
Extra Fine Mixed Single. Extra selected...
$.70 \quad 5.00$
$.75 \quad 5.50$
$.60 \quad 4.00$


Darwin Tulips.

The Federal Horticultural Board has decreed that this is the last year Narcissi may be imported. Whatever your opinion may be concerning the wisdom of this quarantine order, the decree is, nevertheless, the law, and consequently, it may not be evaded.

If yots desire to have Narcissi and propose to plant them, you must act IMMEDIATELY, since this is your LAST CHANCE.


Tulip,
Bronze Queen.

## Breeder Tulips

Breeders, formerly listed among the Cottage Tulips, really form a distinct class by themsedves, belng unbroken forms of the old-timu "Florists' Tulips." A lang time we thought there would be no room for this class of Tulips next to the Darwins, the colors of which are so much brighter; but we have been greatly mistaken, for, more and more, the peculiar dull-toned bronze colors of the Breeders are becoming popular. and last year there was a big demand for them.

It is these odd colors which form one of the chief characteristics of the Breeders, Outside of that, most of them produce flowers with great lasting qualitics and with a sweet, agreeable fragrance.

The kinds which we list, with a few exceptions, are large-flowering ones, surpassing in height and size even the largest Darwins.

Apricot. Dull, bronzy buff, shaded ruddy apricot above

base ................................................. $\$ 1.20$

$\$ 8.50$
Attraction. Light bluish violet, inside glowing purple,
white base
Eronze Queen. Soft buff, inside tinged golden bronze... $.75 \quad 5.50$
Cardinal Marnning. Dark rosy violet . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 85 . 00
Golden Bronze. Rich golden brown . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $1.15 \quad 8.00$
Lucifer. Bright terra-cotta orange. enormous flowers.
New . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2.85
Panorama. Deep orange-red, shaded mahogany; immense
flower . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1.00
18.00
All colors mixed . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $\$ 46$ per 1000.. . $70 \quad 5.00$
All colors mixed ....................... $\$ 46$ per 1000.. . $70 \quad 5.00$
7.00

## Parrot Tulips

Parrot Tulips sometimes do not lloom satisfactorily, owing to improper pianting. They like a light, sandy soll, shallow planting and a sunny location. Parrot Tulips do not receive the attention they derserve They belong to the late-cr Mayflowering Tulips and have immense, attractive flowers of singular and picturesque form, and brilliant varied colors. The petals are curiously fringed or cut, and the form of the flower, especially before it opens, resembles the neck of a parrot. They form extravagantly showy flower-beds, are of endless variety of form and color, and should be grown in every flower-garden in quantities. The Parrot Tulips we import are from the most famous grower of these in Holland, and very superior to those usually sent out.
Perfecta. Yellow and scarlet.
65c per 12; $\$ 4.50$ per 100.
Rubra Major. The flnest red of all. 65 c per 12; $\$ 4.50$ per 100. Lutea major. Yellow; very fine. 65 c per $12 ; \$ 4.50$ per 100.
Fine Mixed. 60c per 12; $\$ 4.00$ per 100; $\$ 37.00$ per 1000.

## Double Named Tulips

The varieties of Doulble Tulips described below are the most showry bedding Tulips that can le planted, and continue for an unusually long time in per fection.

Per $12 \quad 100 \quad 1000$
Imperator Rubrcrum. Brilliant scarlet; fine for forcing,
and one of the grandest for bedding .............\$1.15 $\$ 8.00$
La Candeur. Pure white; a splendid bedding kind.... $\quad .75 \quad 5.50 \quad 46.00$ Murillo. Light pink; very early; splendid for forcing: and bedding
Rubra maxima. Early; bright red; splendid bedder, tak-
ing the place of Rex Rubrorum
$\begin{array}{lll}.70 & 5.00 & 45.00\end{array}$
......... $50-8500$
Crown of cold. splendid yellow; fine for forcing. ....
Tournesol. Rod and yellow; a most showy, striking
flower .....................................

## Cottage or May-Flowering Tulips

## A Great Tulip, Gesneriana (Hortensis)

For bedding out in masses it deserves to be largely grown. Height 18 to 24 inches. Flowers of enormous size, on long, graceful stems. Color rich crimson-scarlet, with glittering blue-black center. The demand for this grand Tulip has been so great that it is very diffeult to get flowering bulbs. To be sure of getting bulbs that will bloom, we pay a premium in Hclland for guaranteed loulbs. This makes them higher priced, but insures that our bulbs will bloom satisfactorily. 65c per 12; $\$ 4.75$ per 100; $\$ 42.00$ per 1,000 .

## Late Tulip, Blushing Bride

This is one of the largest, showiest and most beautiful Tulips in cultivation, blooming in May at the same time as Gesneriana. Beautiful rose-pink, slightly shaded white; flnc form and extra large flower, held on stiff, strong stem, making it a feature in the garden. 65c per 12; $\$ 4.50$ per $100, \$ 43.00$ per 1,000.

## Late Tulip, Bouton d'Or

Very bright, deep, rich yellow flowers, carricd on tall stems. The best late yellow Tulip in cultivation, and fine for cutting. Good for planting in mass or in contrast with the darker varieties of Tulips. 65c per 12; \$4.50 per 100.


Tulip, Gesneriana

## First Size Named Hyacinths

The following Hyacinths are a selection of the best varieties for house culture. Bulbs of the best quality and size.

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\text { Each Per } 12
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Baroness Van Thuyll. Early; pure white. $\$ 0.25$ \$2.75 $\$ 20.00$
Cardinal Wiseman. Soft rose, carminestriped; very large truss
City of Haarlem. Pure yellow; grand spike.
General Vetter. Blush-white
General De Wet. (Pink sport of Grand Maitre). Lovely soft pink; very large truss well flled with fine bells. A splendid variety for forcing and bedding $\qquad$

| .25 | 2.75 | 20.00 |
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| .25 | 2.75 | 20.00 |
| .25 | 2.75 | 20.00 |

Gigantea. Blush; splendid truss
Grand Lilas. Azure-blue; perfect spike...
Ida. Citron-yellow; large spike; one of the fnest yellows in cultivation
King of the Blues. Finest very dark blue.
Lady Derby. Light pink; flne
La Grandesse. I'urest white: extra fine; best of all whites
La Victoire. Brilliant red; one of the earliest and by far the best of its color. A grand novelty

| . | .25 | 2.75 | 20.00 |
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Lord Derby. One of the very finest blues
Paix de l'Europe. Very flne snowwhite; very large truss

| .25 | 2.75 | 20.00 |
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| .25 | 2.75 | 20.00 |
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Perle Rrilliante. Light blue, very large spike; llne
Queen of the B'ues. Light blue with silvery appearance; extra fine ........
Rosea Maxima. Early: delicate rose; splendid
Willette. Peail-gray-lilac-a new color in Hyacinths; distinct and lovely..
. 25
2.75
20.00

## Single Small Hyacinths for Forcing

These Single Hyacinths, planted on arrival from Holland, may be had in flower early in January. The bulbs and flowers of these small liyacinths are about the same size as Romen Hyacinths, but much stronger, and the bells are larger, while they do not cost half the price of the Romans. Only those varieties which produre the fine flowers and force easily are selected for this purpose. They may he planted like Tulips in pots or boxes close together. Last season we sold large quantities. and our customers inform us inet they are a great acquisition to succeed the Roman ltyacintls, blooming from January to April.


## Single Mix $£ d$ Hyacinths

|  | Per 12 | 100 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Red and Dark Red | . $\$ 1.50$ | \$10.00 |
| Pink | 1.50 | 10.00 |
| Blush-White | 1.50 | 10.00 |
| Pure White | 1.50 | 10.00 |
| Dark Blue and Purple | 1.50 | 10.00 |
| Light Blue | 1.50 | 10.00 |
| Yellow | 1.50 | 10.00 |
| A'l Colors, Mixed | 1.50 | 10.00 |

## Petting Materials

## POTTING FIBER

Very light and clean. A satisfactory soil substitute for forc ing lulbs. Pk., 75c; $1 / 2$ bu., \$1.25; bu., \$2.25.

## SPHAGNUM MOSS

For transferring bulbs grown in soil to ornamental recepta cles. Pk., 25c; $1 / 2$ bu., 40c; bu., 75c.


Hyacinth, La Victoire.

## Select Named Crocuses

The crocus is one of the flrst flowers to bloom in the spring. and it is no unusual sight to see the ground covered with snow and the Crocus in bloom at the same time. Tney are entilely hardy, do not deteriorate, and may be left undisturbed for years. It is a good plan to plant tulip and hyacinth beds full of them. as they bloom and are out of the way before the other bulbflower. They are also fine for naturalizing in the grass, but thr tops of the Crocus must have time to ripen before the grass is cult.

Except Where Noted All Crocuses, 30c per 12.
Baron von Brunow Dark blue ............... 100 100n
Grand Lilas. Lilac; very early and fine......... 2.10 19.00
Large Yellow. Mammoth bulbs.....50c per doz... 2.75 25.00
Madame Mina. Light blue, striped; very early; ex-
tra fine . . . . . . .............................. $2.10 \quad 19.00$

Sir John Franklin. Large; dark purple . . . . . . . . . . $2.10 \quad 19.00$
Sir Walter Scott. Finest striped ............... 2.10 19.0n
All colors mixed . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $1.50 \quad 13.00$

## Lilium Candidum

Many people think that it is necessary to plant this lovely Easter or Ammunciation Lily early in September. This is not true. We have repeatedly planted them in November, and with complete success. In the Fall of 1918 we planted over 10,000 bulbs late in November. These bloomed splendidly the following June, and we sold flowers in the wholesolc cut-flower market for more than double the price of the bulbs. Owing to the demoralization of the transportation systems of the world, it is no longer possible to deliver Candidum Lilies by September 1 st, and pcople who insist on such early delivery are only depriving themselves of one of the loveliest of all garden Lílies. We have made arrangements for the earliest possible delívery, and, if these Lilies come in late, will not ship them to Northern points where it is actually too late to plant them.
Selected bulbs
35c each. . $\$ 3.50 \quad \$ 25.00$ Extra selected Our bulbs of this splendid white Lily are the flnest that come to America and are much larger than those usually sent out. We can supply bulbs from both southern and northern France.

## Special Offer of Superbum Lilies

We make an annual contract to have 25,000 bulbs of this grand Lily grown for us. This enables us to offer it at low príces, which makes it available for naturalízing in quantity. It is unquestionably one of the most satisfactory Lilies that can be planted either in the garden or in meadows, on the edge of woods or in any rough or wild parts of the grounds, where it will take care of itself without any attention whatever after planting. It will also thrive in wet or swampy places. It is a grand Lily, often growing over 8 feet high, and produces twenty to thirty beautiful orange-red flowers in July, when nowers are apt to be rather scarce.
Prices of extra seleated bulbs, $\$ 2.25$ per $12 ; \$ 4.00$ for $25 ; \$ 15$ per 100; \$35 per 250.


Lilium Candidum.

I.ilium Superbum.

## Japanese Lilies

Transportation between Japan and United States is not yet back to its pre-war schedule and consequently, Japanese Lílies may not arrive in time for Fall planting. in this event the bulbs will be carefully packed in. sand an I placed in safe storage until the proper planting time in the spring, when they will be distributed.

Each Per 12
100
Auratum (Gold-banded Lily of Japan)


Auratum Platyphylium. Undoubtedly the choicest of all Auratum varieties. Enormous white flowers richly spotted yellow. Extra selected bulbs
$.75 \quad 7.50$
Longiflorum. Ready in November. Has large, pure white, trumpet-shaped flowers like the Bermuda Easter Líly, but is perfectly hardy.
6 to 8 inches
.25 2.75 29.00
7 to 9 inches
.40
4.00
28.00

Speciosum Melpomene. Similar to
Roseum or Rubrum; more brilliant.
7 to 9 inche
$30-3.00$
9 to 11 inches
Speciosum album. White. 7 tc 9 in
9 to 11 inches
3.00
2.20:1
.50
Speciosum rubrum or roseum.


Monsters, 11 to 13 inches
55
The speciosum varieties are exceedingly beautícul and desirable and perfectly hardy and relíable.

# Native and American-Grown Lilies 

October and November Delivery
Canadense flavum. our dainty, beautiful native
Lily. Graceful and charining yellow fowers.... $\$ 2.25$
Canadense rubrum. Red nowers .............. 2.50

Canadense rubrum. Red flowers ............... 2.50
Canadense, mixed
2.00

Davuricum. This beautiful Lily comes from the nome of $L$. tenuifolium in Siberia. It resembles a native philadelphicum. It is of easy culture, grows 2 to 3 feet high, and blooms in umbels of three to five upright scarlet flowers, dotted black
2.00

Elegans, Fine Mixed. The Elegans Lilies bloom. in June, are of easy culture, and very desirable.
Elegans, Leonard Joerg. Rich apricot, spotted... 3.00
Hansoni. A handsome variety, flowering in June. Has lright rich yellow flowers. One of the best Lilies in cultivation. Bulbs sometimes remain dormant after planting, but will come up vigorously the next season..............75c each.
Henryi. A new Japanese Lily that has made a sensation in Europe. It has the same form and appearance as the Speciosum varieties, but the flowers are bright orange-yellow...75c each..
Philadelphicum. Native Lily. Orange-red, black spots
Tigrinum splendens (The well-known Single Tiger Lily). Of easiest culture and worthy of general planting on account of stately habit and flne effect in the landscape
12.00
2.50

100
$\$ 14.0$
15.0
12.00
15.00 12.00


Lily-of-the-Valley.

## Lily-of-the-Valley

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\text { Per } 25 \quad 100 \quad 1000
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Extra-selected Berlin pips. Ready in Decem ber . . . . . .............................. $\$ 1.60 \quad \$ 6.00 \quad \$ 55.00$
American pips. Ready in October. For outdoor planting only . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1.00
Large clumps. Ready in Dec. Each, 50c; 12, \$5.

## Freesia, Purity

This charming flower is one of the most satisfactory bulbs that can be forced. It is certain to nower either in the conservatory or the house. Per $12100 \quad 1000$ Selected bulbs . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $\$ 0.30 \quad \$ 2.25 ~ \$ 20.00 ~$ Mammoth bulbs. Extra . . . . . . . . . . . . 45 3.25 30.00
Rainbow, Fardel's Strain. A wonderfully improved stock of colored Freesia, comprising a large number of beautiful shades of yellow, blue, mauve, pink, lavender, etc. The flowers are as large as the best white type, and equally as fragrant. We offer them in mixed colors only. 12, 70c; 100, $\$ 5.00 ; 1000$, $\$ 45.00$.

## Scilla

Per 121001000
Sibirica. Finest sky-blue. One of the lovelicst Spring flowers; it has a colol almost as deep as the sky itself. It is quite llardy and flowers outdoors at the same time as Snowdrops, in front of which it has a charming effect. It is flne for planting in the grass

## Collections for the House

For the inexperienced we have made up collections of bulbs suitable for house culture. These collections contain the rery best varieties for forcing and can be bought with every confldence. These pollections are standard collections, and each collection is exactly like every other collection. If a different selfction is wanted, this selection must be made out by the customer. If a higher priced collection is needed (above $\$ 20.00$ ), we will be glad to extend our service, and in the making of the ccllectir, follow the suggestions made by the customer or, if entirely left to us, use our best judgment. All that is necessary for us fo know is the price limit.
Collection J. 70 Assorted bulbs of suitable varieties.
Collection K. 122 Assorted bulbs of suitable varieties.
Collection L. 204 Assorted bulbs of suitable varieties
Collection M. 260 Assorted bulbs of suitable varieties
20,00
In the more expensive collections, proportionately more of the more expensive bulbs are usea.


## EVERGREEN BITTERSWEET

## Euonymus radicans vegetus

We have known for several years of the great mesit of the vine, Euonymus radicans vegetus, so enthuiastically described by Professor Miler, and have been steadily getting up a large stock of it, and now have several thousand plants. It is a sport from Euonymus radicans, but absolutely distinct from that vine.

Planted in rows and kept sheared, this vine makes a splendid evergreen hedge. It is also a splendid groundcover plant for either sun or shade.

Perfectly hardy, but when planted in the Fall should be protected with a mulching or 3 inches of stable manure, being careful not to cover the evergreen foliage. Very slowgrowing at first, but when wenl established grows with great vigor.

Pot plants, 50c each; $\$ 5.00$ per 12; \$35.00 per 100.

## The Best Evergreen Vine For America

'Is the Ivy the best vine in the world? Doubtless every Englishman will cry 'Yes!' because the European or English Ivy (Hedera Helix) is the oldes evergreen vine in cultivation and has made the deepest impression in literature, art and history. But if your standard is merit, not association. there is another vine which seems to me inherently better, viz., the Climbing Euonymus, or as I now propose to call it, the 'Evergreen Bittersweet.' True, the form of its leaf is not unique like that of Ivy, but it has one overwhelming advantage in its gorgeous red berries, which are resplendent all Winter against a noble background of evergreen foliage. And in many ocher ways it has greater value than Ivy, even in regions where the Ivy is hardy.
"The accompanying picture gives but a faint hint of the fivefold glories of the Evergreen Bittersweet. In the first place, it is evergreen, and therefore has an obvious advantage over deciduous vines in being beautiful 365 days of the year, instead of two weeks or seven months.
"Secondly, it is very accomodating as to soils, climate, exposures; is easy to grow; and will trail over the ground or climb to the noble height of 30 feet.
"Thirdly, it has an immense advantage over ivy, in being much hardier, growing 20 feet high in New England where ivy can only be grown as a ground-cover.
"Fourthly, its superb red fruits, which closely resemble those of our common wild bittersweet, seem divinely appointed to redeem our American Winters from their bleak, ugly and cheerless moods.
"And, fifthly, it promises to develop a strong American character, becoming universal and dear to the American heart. If I had a million dollars to spare I should like to plant an Evergreen Bittereweet against every stone, brick and concrete wall in America. The effect would be electrical, for it would add 100 per cent to the beauty of America and it would only be anticipating by a hundred years what will surely happen, for it is hardly possible that the world holds any plant with a greater power to transform a house into a home. As in England every home and every church is enriched, dignified and ennobled by ivy, so every American home will come to be connected so closely with the Evergreen Bittersweet that it will be impossible to think of one without the other."-WILHELM MILLER, in the Garden Magazine.


Regel's Privet Hedge. Slightly Trimmed

## The Best Hedges

## Amoor River Privet

A more slender grower than the common Privet. Hardier than the Californis while the foliage is finer and of a lighter green, and rétains better color during the Winter. It makes a more satisfactory hedge than the California, and should be more extensively planted. We offer the true variety. The Privet generally sold in the South for Amoor River is Ligustum chmense, and is not hardy in the North. 2-3 feet, $\$ 4.00$ per 12; $\$ 25.00$ per 100.

## Regel's Privet

Regel's Privet, Ligustrum Regelianum, is not only the best Privet, but it is also one of the very best shrubs for many purposes that we know of. It is perfectly hardy, of most beautiful, pendulous habit and splendid foliage. It is of vigorous growth and will thrive in either sun or shade. In good soil it will attain a height of 8 to 10 feet, and spread almost as great. It is fine as a specimen or for planting in masses in shrubbery, but its greatest value is for hedging. As a hedge. plant it is unsurpassed. It can be kept closely trimmed or trimmed but little, when it will prêserve its natural drooping character which is most graceful and beautiful. A partially trimmed hedge of this Privet on the grounds of Mr. Clarence Byrnes. Sewickley. Pa.. we think one of the most handsome hedges we have ever seen. On account of its spreading habit this Privet makes a hedge solid to the ground whether it is sheared hard or not. We can not understand why people continue to plant California Privet, which is inferior in every respect and not reliably hardy. Regel's Privet is somewhat higher priced, but on
account of ite spreading habit it requires only half the quantity that it does of the California Privet to plant a hedge. For a hedge, plant Regel's Privet 18 inches apart in a single row. $\$ 4.50$ per $12 ; \$ 35.00$ per 100.

## Japanese Barberry

We are frequently asked to recommend the best shrub for hedge planting, and after many years experience, we are decidedly of the opinion that the Japanese Barberry, Berberis Thunbergi, is the best hedge plant in existence, and either as an ornamental, defensive, trimmed or untrimmed hedge, it is unsurpassed. As an ornamental hedge it is beautiful throughout the year, its abundant crop of bright red berries making it even more attractive in the Winter than in the Summer. Its compact growth and thorny branches make a defensive hedge that will turn cattle after five years growth. As an untrimmed hedge, it requires no attention except an occasional cutting of a few straggling branches. The nataral growth is so dense and even that it forms a perfect hedge without shearing, but if a formal hedge is desired. by shearing, it can be made as even as a stone wall. The Berberis is absolutely hardy. of the easiest culture, and will grow in any soil or situation. It will stand considerable shade and can be grown under trees if not planted too close to the trunks. It is of slow, compact growth. but will eventually attain a height of 5 or 6 feet. It is one oi the very best of shrubs for general planting. For a hedge, plant a single row, 18 inches apart in the row. We have a very large stock of fine plants. 18-24 inch plants, $\$ 4.50$ per $12 ; \$ 35.00$ per 100.


Salix Salamoni, From a Photograph Taken Ten Years after Planting.

## Salix Salamoni

This is a variety of the Weeping Witlow, but not nearly so pendulous as the common form, and we believe it to be the fastest-growing tree in the world, not excepting the eucalyptus, so much planted in California. We cut down one of these Willows in our nursery when it was seven years old, and it measured 13 inches
hrough the trunk. It makes a very goodlooking tree, as will be seen by the illustration above, and has the good qualities of leafing out very early in the Spring, and of holding its foliage until late in the Fall. This tree starts into growth quite early and should be planted as early as possible in the Spring.

One-year-old trees, 75c each; $\$ 8.00$ per 12; $\$ 55.00$ per 100. Two-year-old trees, $\$ 1.25$ each; $\$: 3.00$ per 12; $\$ 95.00$ per 100. Trees older than this are really too large to handle.

## Tall English Delphiniums

We are tempted to saly that the lunproved English Delphiniums are the incst beantilul hardy plants in cultivalion, but we are alsc tempted to say this of at so:e of other things, and, of course, it is impossible to say which is t!le mos: beatutitul of hardy plants, for they have such an immense variety of beaily that the wonder grows that people continue to plant, by the million, liedding plants which have little or no heauty, are an annual expense, and cost quite as much as hardy plants $v$ hose lirst cost is their only cost and Which increase in size, in beauty, and often in quantity, year after ycar. These Delphiniums may not be the most inautiful hardy plants, but they are among the mast beautiful, and nothing ran be more distinct and satisfactory. They are stately and picturesque, some varieties growing 8 feet high in rich soil: they rave immense spikes of most bcautiful lowers of every imaginable shade of blue, and their season is a long nole.

## Culture of Delphiniums.

The chlture of Delphininms is exceedingly simple, and the results out of all proportion to the slight amount of care necessary. They thrive in almost any position, and may be planted at any time of the years, provided that in Summer the plants are not too forward, and that they be well watceed if the weather be dry. The soil may be a rich, friable lGam, which suits them finely: lint any soil, even lot and sandy, if well watered and manured, will give excellent results. Dig deeply-trenching is better-add plenty of well-rotted manure, and plant about $21 / 2$ feet apart. Placed in lines, as a background to a border, or in groups of, say, three plants at intervals, the effect of the Delphinium is excecdingly flne. They look well in beds, also, arranged at the same distance apart each way. They are grand grown in masses of large grgups of separate colors, and may lie associated with shruls with great advantage, succceding well in shrubberies hecause of their robustness. A succession of flowers may be expected from Spring to early Autumn, especially if the spikes which have done flowering early be cut down to the ground; fresh growth will then be produced which will give blossom. Ccpious watering in Summer will be attended by increased size of spike and flower: in fact, in seasons of prolonged dronght, water is absolntely a necessity on many soils if the varieties are to exhibit themselves in their trie size and beanty of flower and spike. Top-dressing is greatly recommended on certain scils, instead of the bare surface of the gronnd being left exposed to the sun. Some of the neater dwalf alpine and other hardy plants may be utilized to plant between and aronnd Delphiniums. As we have intimated. any garden soil suits the Delphiniums: it is, however, necessary to secure sorts such as are olfered below in order to obtain an effect superior to that afforded by the old smaller-flowered varieties.

## Special Offer Improved English Delphiniums

I want everyone who receives this list to try these improved English Delphiniums, and to that end offer them at extremely low prices. I guarantee that they will give unqualifled satisfaction in every instance and will be a revelation of beauty to most people.


Phlox, Mrs. Jenkins.

## Hardy Perennial Phloxes

The beauty and usefulness of these grand border plants give them a deservedly first place among hardy plants. For cutting, their large trusses go a long way in floral decoration. In color they range from pure white to the richest crimson and purple, and from soft rose and salmon to bright coral-red. all having a delicate fragrance. Perennial Phloxes surreed in almost any soil enriched with manure, but are
much benefited by a mulching of decomposed manure in Spring, and in hot weather an occasional soaking of water. If the first spikes of bloom are removed as soon as over, and the plants given a good soaking of water, they will produce a second supply of flowers, thus continuing the the display until late in autumn. These later blooms are often finer than the first.

Field-grown plants, 25 c each; $\$ 2.50$ per 12; $\$ 15.00$ per 100 , except where noted.

Albion. Pure white, with a faint red eye.
Antonin Wercie. Light ground color, one-half of each petal suffused lilac.
Asia. One of the prettiest. Delicate shade of mauve, with crim-son-carmine eye.
B. Comte. Brilliant rich French purple.

Baron von Dedem. Intense scarlet or red; individual flowers and trusses are very large. One of the best varieties.
Duguesclin. Deєp rose; lilac shading on edge.
Eclaireur. Purple-carmine blooms with a white center.
Elizabeth Campbeil. A splendid variety for mass planting. Flowers are light salmon-pink with dark red eye. The best variety introduced in years, both in color of bloom and habit of plant. 35c each; \$3.50 per 12.
Europa. White with crimson eye. Extra large. Distinct and flne.
F. B. Waldeck. Splendid pure white.

Frau Antoine Buchner. Pure white, or slightly suffused with pink. Kossuth. Deep rose, maroon center.
Frau Buchner. One of the prettiest delicate shades of mauve with crimson eye.

Independence. Vigorous dwarf white.
Mrs. Jenkins. One of the earliest pure white varieties.
Miss Lingard. Early flowering; pure white blooms with a faint lilac eye. Splendid for mass planting, as it will bloom in June and again in September if the old flowers are cut. Not infested with red spider.
N. Smith. Dark crimson.

Obergartner Wittig. Light rose, center lighter, with carmine eye.
Prof. Schliemann. Lilac-rose with carmine eye.
Rhinelander. Salmon-pink; both flower and truss are immense il size, and the color is intensifled by a brilliant carmine eye.
RiJrstroom. Rose-pink; flowers and trusses extremely large; pos. sibly the finest Phlox of this color.
Riverton Jewel. Rose with brilliant carmine or red eye.
R. P. Struthers. Rose-carmine or salmon with crimson eye.

Sir Edwin Landseer. Carmine with crimson eye.
W. C. Egan. Extra-fine variety; delicate lilac with solferino eye; 7 to 8 inches across.
Widar. Reddish purple with large white center.
Mixed Varieties. Contains many of the preceding named varieties, but of course they are sent out unlabeled. 20c each; $\$ 2.00$ per 12; \$12.00 per 100.


## Peonies

Few flowers have become more popular in recent years than the Peonies. Even the common old-fashioned sorts possess unusual beauty and make excellent flowers for cutting because of their large blooms and vivid colors. The varieties which have been introduced in the past thirty years are much superior to those previously known. Some of them will attain a diameter of 8 inches or more, while in beauty of form and exquisite coloring they easily surpass any other perennial. Peonies possess another advantage which is important: they require no special care or attention-anycne can grow them successfully. We have long appreciated their possibilities, and our present collection includes

Each Per 12
Avalanche. Large flowers of perfect shape; milkwhite, with a creamy center having a few carmine stripes; late and very free-flowering: splendid habit. A variety of great distinction and beauty
$\$ 1.00 \$ 10.00$
Careness Schroeder. Flesh white fading to milkwhite; fragrant; large size
2.00

Couronne d'Or. Pure white blooms with a circle of yellow stamens about the center tuft of petals, which are tipped with carmine. They are quite large and flat, with petals ci uniform width throughout. This is one of the best white varieties and an excellent sort for cutting
Duchesse de Nemours. A beautiful, fragrant, cupshaped flower, white and sulphur-white. Blooms very freely
a large number of varieties which we have succeeded in gathering together only after years of effort.

Well-developed root clusters, if planted in August or September, will bloom the following season. We do not offer large undivided clumps as we find that they do not justify their cost. It must be remembered that Peonies seldom blow satisfactorily the flrst season after planting; many of the flnest double sorts will produce single flowers at this time. The second season after planting it is difflcult to tell medium-sized plants from the large undivided clumps sometimes sold; for that reason crdinary size plants produce typical blooms just as soon as huge and expensive root clusters, yet cost much less.

Each Per 12
Duke of Wellington. Quite large, sulphury white blooms, of medium fragrance. Makes a strong, vigorous growth and blooms freely
$\$ 0.50$
$\$ 5.00$
Delachei. Large violet-crimson blooms perfectly cup-shaped. Unusually good sort. Late midseason
6.00

Edulis Alba. White, center cream-white flecked crimson
.50
5.00

Edulis Superba. Very large bloom of perfect shape; pure brilliant pink shaded violet, silvery reflex. Early bloomer. Extra

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.60
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Eugene Verdier. Large pink flower, rose type; guard petals lilac-white. Erect habit, extra strong stems


Teony, riesident Taft.

## PEONIES-Continued

Each Per 12
Felix Crousse. Extra-large blooms; quite fragrant. One of the most brilliant red varieties. Strong, vigorous plants
$\$ 1.00 \quad \$ 10.00$
Festiva. Creamy white blooms, with crimson flecks in the center. Flowers are nearly as large as Festiva Maxima but the plant is of dwarf habit.

Festiva Maxima. This is probably the best of the low-priced varieties. It produces extremely large white flowers, flecked with crimson in the center. The plant makes a tall, strong growth, and produces its blooms early in the seaason. some of the most recently intrcduced varieties, which sell for $\$ 50$ or more, are in no way superior to this sort

Francois Ortegat. Large, handsome flowers of deep crimson, shaded with amaranth; brilliant yellow anthers
Gloire de Charles Gombault. A pleasing combination of light rose and creamy white. The blooms are borne in midseason. Quite long, strang stems make it a good sort for cutting

Gubretae. Single blooms, with large carmine petals, which contrast strongly with the bright yellow stamens
Grandiflora rosea. Blooms are rather flat, but quite large, with delicate fragrance. The color is an extremely light rcse, almost white. Late .....

John C. Slack. Rroad pink guard petals. Petaloids which vary; dainty and charming Late son or rose

Karl Rosenfield. Very large globular semirose type. Dark crimson, strong grower. free bloomer, slightly fragrant ......
Livingstone. Pale lilac-rose, turning to silver at the tips of the petals. Very large, compact flowers

La Tulipe. Large Illac-white blooms, with crimson stripings on the outer petals. Fragrant. Late midseason
Lady Bramwell. Pale lilac-rose, the center petals crearny white at the tips, and sometimes flecked with crimson. Grows vigorously and blocms freely: Early midseason
Louis Van Houtte. Large flower of lively violet-red; very brilliant; a very beautiful variety

Marguerite Gerard. Lovely light pink; one of the most exquisitely beautiful Peonies in cultivation
$1 \vdots 00$
Marie Crousse. Soft salmon-pink shaded with lilac. Very full flower on strong stems. Exquisite

Mme. Calot. Light pink, rose-type, with center slightly dariker. Medium fragrance. Strong grower
Mad. Carpentier. Light carmine-pink with silvery reflex
Mme. Coste. A good early sort; light pink guard petals and crimson center

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Mme. Crousse. White, tinted pink, center carmine; bordered very lovely
Mme. de Verneville. Very full, large blooms, pure white center, tinted with pink when first opening, later fading to pure white, although it is frequently flecked with carmine. Slightly fragrant. A variety which should be in every garden
Mons. Jules Elie. An extra-flne early sort of medium fragrance. The blooms are pale lilac-rose, shading to rich amber at the base. The plants make a stiong growth, and are generally of merlinm size. One of the most popular varieties
Officinalis mutabilis alba. The nlooms are light pink on opening, gradually changing to white

Petite Renee. Very large, semi-double type. The light magenta blocms are borne freely on plants of medium height. Midseason

President Taft. A very tall growing variety producing lots of large, perfectly formed flowers on long, stiff stems. Color uniform pink, flecked crimson, admired by everyone

Prolifera tricolor. Medium size flowers, with loosely set petals. The guards are flesh-white, with collar of sulphury yellow; a pale rose crown encloses white petals and red carpels. Fragrant.

Prince d'Arensberg. Medium-sized, full double, dark red flowers. Midseason
.60
Peace offering. An attractive, semi-double variety, with light guard petals; light buff center'.
Queen Victoria. Large, globular bloom, with milkwhite guards and cream-white center. Midsea-

Rosea elegans. A splendid pale lilac-rose bloom, with a delicate cream-white collar

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Rosea plena superba. Full double blooms; soft pink,
.75
Rubra superba. Deep crimson blossoms, large and compact. The best very late crimson variety..

Tricolor grandiflora. A popular garden variety. Center is pink, shaded with salmon
Mixed Varieties. Double and single, all cclors.....

## German Iris

Probably the Japance Iris rank frst in beauty, but they cannot approach in popularity the German Iris. A great number of new varieties have been introduced in the last decade and many of them are far superior to the older sorts in beauty and size of flowers. Some of these recent introductions, however, are extremely delicate and refuse to bloom except when condtions are "just so." These have been carefully eliminated from our list. The German Irises in our collection may be raised with success by anyone. Give them a good sunny situation and plant the tubers so that they are only about half buried. In the descriptions which follow, the upright petals are referred to as "Standards," while those which droop are known as "Falls."

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\text { Per } 1: 2 \quad 100
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Canary Bird. The general effect of the bloom is paje yellow; both standards and falls are about the same color
$\$ 1.50$
$\$ 10.00$
Caprice. Rosy red standards; falls of a deeper red. A large handsome bloom. 2 leet . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2.50
15.00

Don Carlos. Blue standards; falls velvety r'tddish purp'e
1.50
10.00

Florentina. Sometímes known as Silver King. Fragrant, creamy white blcoms, slightly flushed with lavender, produced early in the season. 2 feet
2.00

Florentina purpurea. Blue standards and velvety purple falls, together with a bright yellow beard, make this bloom very attractive
2.00

Gracchus. Crimson falls veined with white, standards yellow. An e.xtra-flne early sort. 18 inches
Her Majesty. Standards and falls rose-pink A variety of great distinction and beally. 22 inches ..................35c each. 3.50

Ingeborg. Pure white blooms of great size. The petals of this varipty are 2 inches wide. An extremely beautiful variety
1.50
12.00
eanne d'Arc. A splendid pure white sort. 50c each
Juniata. Standards and falls flaring clear blue, deeper then Pallida Dalmatica. White beard. One of the tallest. Large llowers ....................... . 35 c each. .
Kochi. Large standards and falls of a rich claret-purple. Spiendid foliage, almost evergreen. 3 5c each
Lohengrin. Standards and falls are soft cattleyarose; extremely large blooms ...... 35 c each.
Loreley. Falls are deep blue, hordered with crimson; standards are light yellow.
.25 c each.
Massascit. Stendards and falls are a very distinct shade of metallic V $\in$ netian blue. Difficult to describe accurately

50 c each.
Mme. Chereau. White, delicately frilled with a border of clear blue. A most beautiful variety. 32 inches
Mrs. Hcrace Darwin. General effect white, although the upper parts of the falls are veined with gold and violet; golden beard. 24 inches.
Mrs. Alan Gray. Roth standards and falls are a delicate pale rose-mauve
Nibelungen. Standards fawn-yellow; falls violetpurple. Extremely large bloom
Oriflamme. Flowers of very large size produced on stout stems. Standards of soft bluish lavender; falls purplish violet with brawn reticulation on a white ground at base of petals.
Pallida Dalmatica. Lavender standards and clear deep lavender falls. Most effective when planted in masses; an excellent variety for cut flowers ........................ 35 c each.
Princess Victoria Louise. Sulphury rellow standards; falls plum color, bordered with cream.

Queen of May. Soft rese-lilac, almost pink. 32 inches
Rhein Nixe. White standards falls violet-blue with white border. Large hooms on tall stems 35 c each.


Clump of German Iris.
Per 12 100
Walhalla. Both standards and falls are blue and purple. Strong grower and free-bloomer.....s..00 $\$ 13.00$

## Siberian Iris

Narrow, grassy foliage and tall, flat stems make the Irises of this class the most delicate and ornamental of the whole famity They are especially desirable for borders, or for marking lines. etc., their slender graceful foliage and delicately poised blossoms lolding a distinctive beauty that is peculiar to them. They ari very persistent and will thrive even in blue-grass sod Coming into bloom just at the close of the bearded In's season, they flower quite freely and are extensively used for naturalizing and waterside plantings.

Per $12 \quad 100$
Alba. White shading to yellow at the base of the petals
*?nn 819.00
Distinction. Blue standards; white falls veined blue
$2.25 \quad 11.00$
Orientalis. Sometimes known as Iris sanguinea. Very brilliant blue flowers; the buds are enclosed in a crimson spathe and are decidedly ornamental
$2.00 \quad 13.00$
Orientalis, Blue King. Handsome, clear bhe flowers with attractive markings at the base ....
Orientalis, Snow Queen. Large ivory-white flowers produced in great abundance
$2.00 \quad 13.00$

Orientalis superba. Large vinlet-hlue finwor= follage extends almost to the height of the nowers.

## Japanese Iris

Although Japanese Irises have been grown m this country for forty to flfty years, they have never attained the popularity of the German iype. One reason for this is that they have been a little more expensive, and certainly an additional reason is that their beauty has never been adequately shown nor fully appreeiated. Wíthout doubt, the Japanese Irises are the most gorgeous of all the perennials.

The Irises of this class have no standards: the petals are borne at right angles to the stalk and droop most attractively at the tips of the petals, They will grow in any ordinary garden soll, but amply repay efforts to suít their dispositions. Extra-good soil, and daily watering for a month be ore and during the blooming season will produce truly remarkable blooms. Some of them have been known to attaín a diameter of 12 inches, Be sure to make your Iris bed in as sumily a spot as possíble.

Our originel importation of Japanese Iríses lias been added to each year, as new sorts have originated. We think that our present collection contains the finest and most beautiful varicties in the world. As most of the original Japanest nantes are impossible to remember and even more impossthle to proncunce, we have renamed many of the varieties in our list.

Each Per 1 ?
Coerulea (7) Double. Lavender-
Hue Delicate coloríng; large:
and distinct
$\$ 1.00 \quad \$ 10.00$
Gigantea (53). Bluish purple, lightly stríped white, vigorous grower and free bloomer
Hermione (103). Single. White, maroon center, petals pencíled with blue
Katherine (2). Double white,
striped and suffused wíth ma-
grenta, yellow base


Siberian Iris. (see page 17)


Japanese Iris.
Each Per 12
Kitty. Single. Whitc flower, slightly suffused blue
Mont Elanc (1), Double. Pure white; large and nne. one of the flnest of the white varieties
Mconlight. Fíne double white, yellow center
Prince Royal (55). Double. Rosy purple; darker retieulations. Golden bar at base of petals
$60 \quad 6.00$
Pyramid. Double. Violet-purple, white in eenter of eaeh petal... . 50 5.00
Sunset (8). Domble. Dark rose, mottled and stríped, base cf petals
old gold
$60 \quad 6.00$
Wm. F. Dreer (52). Double. Whíte, pencíled wíth lavender.... .75 7.50
W. J. Matheson. Double. Plum; base of petals yellow, extra large and flne

## Elliott's Fine Mixture of Japanese Iris

Quarantine 37 prohíbits the ímportation of nursery stcrk, and, eonsequently, it is no longer possible to produce some of the varieties of Japanese Iris in sufficient quantities to offer in a eatalog which has the wide distríbution that ours has. We have numerous varieties of these plants with only a few plants of each varícty, We intend to sare fwo or three plants of each sort for reference, and we are making a mixture of the rest and gfferíng thís mixture at bargain prices. These plants sold for from 50 c to $\$ 1.00$ each, but as long as they last we will supply them, without names at $\mathbf{\$ 3 . 0 0}$ per dozen; $\mathbf{\$ 2 2 . 0 0}$ per hundred.


Lilacs.

## New Lilacs on Their Own Roots

Of late years there has been a multitude of new varieties of Lilacs grown, and some of them have very great beauty; but unfortunately, almost all the stock offered, both in this country and Europe, has been budded on privet and is practically worthless, being certain to die in a few years. Nurserymen bud Lilacs on privet because they can produce a large stock quickly and inexpensively; but one Lilac on its own roots is worth a score of budded plants.

Ten years ago we bought all the available stock of choic named Lilacs on their own roots in Europe, and since then we have been both growing and buying until we have a very large and fine stock, and the only stock of named Lilacs grown on their own roots in America. On account of theit sfarting into growth so early in spring, Lilacs do best when planted in the fall.

## Strong plants, except where noted, \$2.00 each; \$20.00 per 12.

Charles Joly. Double; blackish red; distinct and extra fine.
Charles $\mathbf{X}$. Large, shining leaves and great trusses of reddish purple flowers.

Congo. Bright, wallflower-red.
Edith Cavell. (L.) Big pyramidal thyrses, large regular imbricated flowers, pure milk-white, buds suffused cream and pale sulphur.

Jeanne d'Arc. Double, large-flowered, white.
Lamartine. Large panicles of mauve-rose flowers, very early
La Tour d'Auvergne. Double; purplish violet flowers borne in large trusses.

La Vestali. Enormous panicles, large flowers perfectly shaped. Pure white.

Leon Simon. Double, compact panicles, hluish crimson.
Lemoine fl. pl. Double, carmine-violet.

Madame Lemoine. Superb; double, white.
Michael Buchner. Dwarf plant, very double, pale lilac.
Negro. Dark violaceous purple.
Paul Thirion (L.). Broad, obtuse panicles of large regular flowers, claret rose with carmine buds, very late.

President Carnot. Double; lilar tint, marked in center with white: extra large, fne truss.
President Grevy. Double; vinous-violet
Victor Lemoine. Double; malva-lilac.
Villosa Lutea. A late-flowering species, blooming a month later then other varietles with cream colored flowers: extremely free-flowering and effective. Makes a large, splendid specimen.

William Robinson. Double: violaceous pink. The flower trusses are extra large and the bush is vigorous and haray.
Wilsoni. Splendid species of the Villosa section, growing 6 ft or more, bearing nawers with reflesed lohe- of a pale pink.

# Some Notable Hardy Plants 

## Clematis Paniculata

This handsome hardy climber is one ol the choicest and most satisfactory climbing flowering plants we know. The plant is of strong, rapid growth, with small, dense, cheerful green foliage, giving it a grace and elegance possessed by no other hardy climber, and, even did it not flower at all, it would be one of the most desirable vines. The flowers appear in the greatest profusion during August and continue until late in the Fall, are of white color and most deliciously fragrant. The prant succeeds in almost any position; not only is it well adapted to run up all kinds of supports, but it is just as useful for planting among rockwork, sloping banks, or, in fact, in any position where a gracefui víne is desired.

Each Per 12100
2-year-old
.$\$ 0.35 \quad \$ 3.50 \quad \$ 25.00$
3-year-old, extra strong ............................................. 50 5.00

## Pentstemon Barbatus Torreyi (Beard Tongue)

An excellent variety of this American plant that is used chiefly lor garden borders, The flowers, which are scarlet or crimson and orange, are produred freely in July and August. \$2.25 per 12; $\$ 14.00$ per 100.

## Hardy Garden Heliotrope <br> (Valeriana Officinalis)

Produces showy heads of flowers during June and July, with delicious, strong beliotrope odor.

|  | Per 12 | 100 |
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| Red | . $\$ 2.50$ | \$ 15.00 |
| White | 2.50 | 15.00 |
| Pink | 2.50 | 15.00 |



Oriental Poppies.


Stokesia Cyanea.


## Stokesia Cyanea

(The Cornflower, or Stokes' Aster) A most charming and beautiful native hardy plant. The plant grows from 18 to 24 inches high, bearing freely, from early in July and until late in October, its handsome lavender-blue centaurealike blossoms, which measure from 4 to 5 inches across. It is of the easiest culture, succeeding in any open sunny position, and not only is it desirable d. a single plant in the hardy border, but it can also be used with fine effect in masses or beds of any size. 25c each; \$2.50 per 12; \$15.00 per 100. Alba. Pure white variety of above. 25 c each; $\$ 2.50$ per $12 ; \$ 15.00$ per 100.

## Oriental Poppies

The Perennial Poppies are among the most brilliant of hardy flowers, the graceful, brightly colored, cup-shaped flowers are borne on long stems. The large-flowering, or Oriental Poppies, are also the most showy plants ror a garden and should be planted early. The foliage of Oriental Poppies dies away in the Summer, and many think they are dead, but they will start into growth again in the Fall. They are lather hard to establish, but once established, prove the most persistent perennial.

Per 12
Cerise Beauty. Extra-large blooms; cerise-pink with crimson
center and black blotch at base of petals........ $\$ 2.50$
Mrs. Marsh. Scarlet, flecked with white . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $2.50 \quad 15.00$
Mrs. Perry. Orange-aprícot-distinct and unusual color . . . $2.50 \quad 15.00$
Silberblick. Salmon, with violet-blue blotches; white anthers
and stamens
Oriental Hybrids. An assortment of the best varieties and culors


Polyanthus or Cowslip

## Foxglove - Digitalis

In England the Foxglove grows wild, but, notwithstanding this, it is a great garden favorite, as it well deserves to be. For stately and picturesque beauty it is not to be surpassed and, planted in masses in the garden among shrubs or naturalized on the edge of woods, in the orchard or along blooks, it is extremely effective and satisfactory. Strictly speaking, it is a biennial, but, as it renews itself from selfsown seed, it may be treated as a perennial. Mr. Falconer has naturalized thousands of Foxgloves in Schenley Park, and nothing he has planted attracts more attention and admiration. Planted in the Fall, Foxgloves will bloom well the following season. 1 offer a flne lot of strong plants, grown from the best strains obtainable in Europe.
purpurea gloxiniæflora. The white blooms are spot-
ted with shades of white, rose and purple.....\$2.25 sii.00
maculata superba. A French introduction. Large
flowers spotted with red, blue, purple, and sunilar shades
purpurea. The old-fashioned purple Foxglove. The nower-spikes are from 4 to i feet tall, coming to perfection in July


Dianthus Barbatunreet Wil purpurea alba. White form of purpurea $\qquad$ 2.00 12.00

## Chrysanthemum Maximum

 (Shasta Daisy type)Alaska. A decided improvement. Flowers are 3 to 4 inches in diameter, of pure white, very free and blooms nearly all Summer
$82.00 \quad \$ 12.00$

## HARDY PLANTS-Continued.

## Polyanthus, or Cowslip

This charming spring-blooming plant belongs to the primrose family, the hardy varieties of which are so vi? pupular in England, but are rarely seen in this country, owing pertly to an impression that they camot be grown in this climate. This is a mistake, as they do very well here. For the front of the borders and shrubbery, for spring bedding, and for matmalizing in moist and partly shaded places nothing can be fner. The colnemg in the nower: is especially rich and flne. At this writing we have a long border of these plants in hoom in our garden, and nothing gives us greater pleasure. They are so charming in habit, rich and raried in coloring, and so early to bloom, coming with the spring-flowering bulbs, that nothing can be more aceeptable. We use them freely for deforating the dining-table and library windows, taking plants up from the border and putting them in fern-dishes and pots, where they go on blooming as if they had never been disturbed. Their hardiness has been pretty well settled by the severe Winter of 1911 and 1912 . The minimum temperature at our country place was 24 degrees below zero. Not a single polyanthus was injured, and they were planted in wet soil at that. Large-flowered White. An improved variety with very large nowers; very flne. 20c each; $\$ 2.00$ per 12; $\$ 13.00$ per 100. Large-flowered, mixed, \$2.00 per 12; \$12.00 per 100.

## Dianthus Barbatus - Sweet William

That old-fashioned favorite, the Sweet William, has almost disappeared from our gardens; more's the pity, for its place has been taken by plants of far less beauty. The sweet William is a fine old plant which produces great masses of bloom of extremely rich and varied colors. The flowers are very lasting and flne for cutting. The plants offered are grown from the flnest strain* to be obtained in England. We offer them in link, Whitr, Crimson, Scarlet or Mixed Colcrs. Fine, large plants, 20c each; \$2.00 fer 12; \$13.00 per 100 .


Fovglove-Digitatis


Climbing Hydrangea.

## Improved Gaillardias

We consider the Gaillardia one of the most beautiful and desirable hardy plants in cultivation, and believe cur strain of these brilliantflowered plants to be the finest extant. We offer these plants for less than they have ever been scld for', either in this country or Europe. Though such an ornamental addition to the herbaceous border, the perennial Gaillardia is content with extremely simple treatment. Dig the soil deeply and enrich with well-rotted manure. We recommend the Gaillardia for bedding purposes as well as for borders. Give a moderate amount of room and peg down, and a grand effect is to be obtained. Everyone will have noticed how grandly Gaillardias have thriven through the recent drought; they srem hardly to need water, but we recommend watering liberally to insure the finest flowers. The Gaillardia which Kelway \& Son have been so successful in improving and popularizing is, of rourse, simply invaluable as a cut flower. on account of its being so lasting when gathered and so brilliant and beautiful. The gay blossoms are obtainable in perpetual profusion from June to November, and the greater the drought and scarcity of other flowers the more the utility of the perennial Gaillardia is demonstrated. No more brilliant and beautiful sight can be imagined than a large bed of Gaillardias, with their profusion of highly colgred flowers of all shades. Some of the varieties of this improved strain measure fully 5 incles in diameter. Mr. Robinson, in the English Flower Garden, recommends that they should be planted in bold groups, and remarks that no plants have nner effect in a bed by themselves, and we quite agree with him. Extra strong, flne plants, in a splendid assortment of colors, which will be sure to give complete satisfaction. $\$ 2.25$ per 12; $\$ 14.00$ per 100.

## Aubrietia Deltoides Purpurea

An evergreen trailing plant with silvery foliage. Many lovely purplish flowers in Spring and early Summer. $\$ 2.50$ por 12; $\mathbf{\$ 1 5 . 0 0}$ per 100.

## Hydrangea Climbing

We have at last succeeded in getting a stock of the rare Schizophragma llydrangeoides, known as the Climbing Hydrangea. lt is one of the rarest and most beautiful vines, having flowers similar to Hydrangea Hortensia. Fine streng, pot-grown plants $\$ 1.00$ each; $\$ 10.00$ per 12.

## Thalictrum Aquilegifolium

This is undoubtedly one of the most desirable hardy plants in cultivation. lts flne habit, beautiful foliage and masses of lovely flowers, varying from white to purple through all intermediate shades, makes it one of the most handsome things that can be planted. A graceful plant of much charm and distinction. Height 2 to 3 feet; blooms in May and June. $\$ 2.50$ per 12; \$15.00 per 100.


Anchusa Italica.


Salvia Anureat.

## Pyrethrums

The Pyrethrums are so simply and easily cultivated that they may be recommended to all who possess a garden, whether small or large. They are perfectly hardy and absolutely invaluable for cut flowers through the summer and Autumn months. The flowers are bright and elegantly borne on long stems most convenient for vave decoration. In form the double varieties are somewhat aster- or chrysanthemum-like, and as their chief beauty is in the months of May or June, they may well be designated Spring Chrysanthemums, possessing the advantage over the chrysanthemums of being able to withstand the severest Winter without protection. The single-flowered varieties are veritable colored marguerites and possess a range of color and hardiness that marguerites might envy in vain. Nothing can surpass the Pyrethrum for profusion of flowers in the season; flowers succeed nowers without, stint, and the blossoms are nat injured by storm or sum. Their position should be in the border or in leds. The plants may, with advantage, be cut down after June, which will keep up a greater succession of bloom through the Autumn. Pyrethrums grow freely in any ordinary garden soil: a good rich loam suits them, perhaps, hest, and in order to secure size, brilliancy and number of fowers, plenty of ordinary wellrotted manure may be added to well-trenched, well-drained soil, and plenty of water may be given when they are in bud in the dry Summer weather. A mulching may be applied in dry localities with advantage. The older varieties have been greatly improved upon during the past ten or flfteen years, which is the period during which Kelway $\&$ Son have made them a specialty, and the refned shape and brilliant or soft shades of the newer sorts have caused the Pyrethrum to become deservedly popular. We offer a splendid lot of plants of the choicest single varieties grown from Kelway's famous strains. All colors Mixed, $\$ 2.50$ per 12; $\$ 15.00$ per 100.

## PERENNIAL PLANTS-Continued

## Hardy Salvias

Azurea. A Rocky Mountain species; grows 3 to if fect high, producing during August and september pretty sky-blue flower: in the greatest profusion. $\$ 2.50$ per 12; \$15.00 per 100.
Virgata nemorcsa. A new and interesting plant for the hardy border, formint a rosette of large foliage, from which the hower-spikes arise, bearing many nowered whorls of dark blue htossoms; the unexpanded buds are light violet blue, forming a harmonious and pleasing coler combination. It eontinues in flower for about six weeks during the early summer months. Grows is inches high. 30c each; \$3.00 per 12.

## Hardy Garden Pinks

These pinks are very hardy, and bloom with wonderful freedom in May and June. The flowers are greatly varied in color and marking and are deticiousty tragrant. They should be included in every garden. Care must be taken not tu cover the rotiage with manher ob


Hardy Garden Pinks,

## Scabiosa

Japonica. An introduction from Japan, with lavender or blue flower, 1 to $11 / 2$ inches in diameter. 2 to 3 feet. Junc to, September. \$2.50 per 12; \$15.00 per 100. other mulching, in the Fall, is it will cause them to rot.

Dianthus Plumarius. A charmin'r single Pink, with fringed petals. Flowers all of light colors, but greatly varied in markings. Mixed colors, \$2.0C per 12; $\$ 12.00$ per 100
Dianthus Plumarius semperficrens. Similar to the above, but darker colors in a great va riety of shades and markine. charming. Mixed colors, \$2.00 per 12; \$12.00 per 100.


Pyrethrums.


## Hardy Herbaceous Perennials

Until hardy plants come into gencral use, we cannot hope for ar tistic, interesting, and beautiful gardens in this country. people of taste and culture are realizing the ugliness of the stereotyped bedding with lines of color, and will no longer allow their lawns to be daubed with a flower-garden like a colored lithograph, although many of our public parks are still guilty of this atrocious work. With the material offered in this list, the most beautiful and interesting gardens are to be made, gardens that increase in interest and beauty year after vear; gardens that change their aspect with every change of season. To make garden with hardy plants and shrubs requires far more taste and knowledge than it does to make one with a few varieties of bedding plants generally used, but the majority of gardeners do not have this knowledge, and have no idea of proper arrangement. But the garden of hardy plants has this advantage; the individual beauty of the plants themselves is so great that a garden cannot fail to be interesting and lovely, no matter how badly arranged, if the cultural skill is sufficient to bring them to perfection. One of tho most effective ways of using hardy plants is to plant in a wide border in front of a hedge or shrubbery The trouble with this arrangement is that the roots of the shrubs or hedge get into the border and rob the plants of a large share of their food. This can easily be prevented by placing a sunken wall of concrete between the hedge or shrubbery and border This wall need be only 2 feet deep and $f_{1}$ inches thick. and is in expensively constructed of gravel and cement. Another very effective arrangement is two broad borders through the vegetablegarden. with a broad grass-walk hetwren them. The effect will be enhanced by building trellises back of the borders and covering them with climbing roses or flowering vines.

Cultivation is of the simplest: beginning with any good garden soil, dig it deeply and enrich with old rotted stahle manure. The best time to plant hardy perennials is when they are just starting
into growth in the Spring or early in the Fall. The soil should be comparatively dry when plants are set out. Avoid wet planting. Do not make the mistake of planting too thickly. The nearest approsel to a rule which may be followed in planting is to set out plants which grow to a height of 2 feet or less, 12 inches apart and all taller one-half their height. For example, Aquilegia and Coreopsis, which grow 2 feet high, may be planted 12 inches apart while Delphinium formosum and Japanese Iris, which grow 3 feet high, should be 18 inches apart

During the Summer, the soil about the plants should be fret quently stirred and, weeds kept down. During hot, dry weather or when it is not convenient to water, a mulch of any loose, light material is very beneflcial in retaining the moisture and preventing the ground from baking. Grass clippings from the lawn are excellent material for this purpose

About the middle of November, or later, when all soft growth has been killed and the plants are thoroughly ripened, the old hardwooded stems should be removed and burned. Then cover the plants with 2 or 3 inches, not more, of loose strawy stable manure. Care must be taken, however, not to cover the folliage, of evergreen plants such as Phlox subulata, Hardy Pinks, and Candytufts, as such a covering would cause the foliage to rot and kill the plants.

Most hardy plants which flower during the Spring or early Summer months, such as Peonies, Anthericums, Dielytras, Funkias, German Iris, etc., are better left undivided and undisturbed for several years, but they should be given a liberal dressing of stable manure or other fertilizer every Spring. The late-flowering plants, like Phloxes, Helianthus, Rudberkias, Asters, Boltonias, physostegias, etc., are better for being replanted at least every two years. The Japanese Anemones are an exception; they should be allowed to remain undisturbed, for several years.

## Special Offers of Hardy Plants in Variety

plants in the following collections will be the best and most desirable varieties and of the best quality, but in every instance the selection of varieties is to be made by hs: but if purchasers will state the things they have, or don't wish. they will not he included in the selection. Sometimes people write asking for a list of the plants contained in these collections. This cannot he given, so pleasi save us the unpleasantness of refusing by not asking for it


In the following list, height and time of blooming are indicated as follows: Figures following the letter $H$ indicate height in feet; figures following the letter F indicate the numbre of month or months the plants bloom in. This is only approximate, as beight and time of flowering vary with soils and seasons

Plants suitable for growing in the shede are marked *; for growing in partial shade are marked $\dagger$
Prices quoted are for not less than half the quantities named, but single plants will be furnished at following low rates: Plants at $\$ 1.75$ and $\$ 2$ per 12; 20c each; plants at $\$ 2.50$ per 12, 25 c each; plants at $\$ 3$ per 12; 30c each; plants at $\$ 4$ per 12; $40 c$ each; plants at $\$ 5$ per 12, 50c each.

HARDY HERBACEOUS PERENNIALS-Continued

Per 12

## ACHILLEA ægyptica. Sulphur-yellow flowers;

 silvery gray loliage; very neat. H 1-3, F 6-8. . \$2.00 Millefolium roseum. Red flowers produced ill prolusion for a long season; little known here, but very popular in Eng`and. H 1-3, F. 4-10..Ptarmica, The Pearl. An improvement of Ptarmica fl. pl. H 2, F 6-10
2.00
2.25
$\$ 14.00$
*ACONITUM napellus (Monkshood). Beautiful but poisonous plant with blue flowers. H 2 , F 7
4.00

Fischeri. Tall panicles of blue flowers. F 7 -8... 4.00
ACTAEA rubra. Baneberry. Showy spike of clustered white flowers from April to June, followed by bright red berritis in Autumn. 1-2-feet
2.50
15.00

AEGOPODIUM Podagraria variegata. A rapidgrowing plant, with neat green and yellow variegated foliage, thriving in any soil; makes a flne border for a bed of shrubs or for covering waste ground. II 1
AGROSTEMMA coronaria. Beautiful rich crimson howers. H1 $1 / 2$, F 7
coronaria alba. Pure white
corcnaria atrosanguinea. Brilliant dark crimson.
coronaria bicolor. White and red
Flos-Jovis. Extremely desirable rose tinted llowers, fne for cutting. II $11 / 2$, F 7
2.25
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14.00
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14.00
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11.00 biue nowers in may. Valuable plant for the rockery and for carpeting the ground in shady places where grass will not grow
2.50
15.00
14.00
14.00


Aquilegia.

## Aquilegia

All of the single, long-spurred Aquilegias, or Cclumbines, are extremely beautilul, and a collection ol them should be a reature 111 every garden. Foremost among these choice plants are our native Aquilegias. 11 these and otner chcice hardy plants were as well known as bedding plants, the day of geraniums, coleus, and other commomplace plants would soon be over. The flowers of these Aquilegias are most lovely and delicate, ranging from white to crimson, including shades of blue and yellow. The exquisite Rocky Mountain Columbine, Aquilegia cœrulea, is one of the loveliest llowers in cultivation, and it and Aquilegia canadensis, whicll grows wild sci plentifully in many localities, are both llne for naturalizing and will thrive if planted in the grass of meadows and ellowed to take care of themselves. They are also flne for the formal garden. Assorted varieties, our selection.

Cærulea (Rocky Mountain Columbine). The nost beautiful of all Columbines; cne of the most charming hardy flowers in cultivation. 11 1 12 , F $4-5$
Cærulea Hybrids. Lovely rose shades, long spurred
Californica. Large oranger-yellow ........
Canadensis (native) Red and yellow. H 1 Fs
tChrysantha. lseautiful golden yellow flowers blooms for twe months. If 3-4, F. 5-6
2.25
2.50
$\dagger$ Chrysantha alba. A white variety of the above.
†Glandulcsa. splendid dwarf; lovely blue: and white llowers
Clympica. Purplish howers, white corolla
Skinneri. Scarlet, handsome and distinct.
Long Spurred Hybrids. Beautiful; all shades.
Fose Queen. Rose colored
$\dagger$ Vulgaris. Old-fashioned double Cclumbine
ARABIS alpina. Forms a dense carpet, completely covered with pure white flowers in early Spring. Fine for rookwork and edging.
alpina f. pl. Double form of the above; very lasting and beautifuI
†ARALIA Ra?emosa. Splendid native foliage plants. growing 6 to 8 feet high; of striking effect..
ARENARAA montana. Beautiful dwarf white llowering plant which will thrive in a dry sit nation
ARMEREA oephalotes
dianthoides
formosa
maritima splendens (Thrift; Sea Pink). H $11 / 4$, F $5-7 \ldots \ldots . . .$.
ARRHENATHERUPM bulbosum variegatum. A neat and distinct new variegated grass which should prove very attractive in the rock-garden
2.2511 .00

ARTEMISIA Abrotanum (Old Man; Southern Wood). Dark green, flnely cut foliage; aromatic odor
lactiflora. Stately plant with feathery white nlowers. H 6-8, F 9-10
Ste!Ieriana (Old Woman). Deeply cut silvery foliage; much used in carpet bedding. II 18 in.
ASCLEPIAS incarnata. Rosy pink flowers; very desirable. II 2-3, F 7-9
tuberosa. Orange-scarlet; one of the showiest and nnest hardy plants grown. II 1-2, F $7-9$.
2.50
15.00

ASTER. (Michaclmas Daisy). This is a native of North America, although some have been brought from the old World. They are entirely hardy and will grow readily in ordinary soil and exposure
Climax. A late introduction. Plants are heavily liranched and covered with light lavender-biue flowers. 5 feet. August to Ortoher
novæ-angliæ, Rubra. A showy American variety. flowers deep red. 3 to \& feft. Early Autumn novæ-angliæ, Ryecroft Pink. Dainty rose-pink flowers in September. 4 feєt
ncvæ-angliæ, Wm. Bowman. Rosy purple petals surround the deep golden bronze disc. Extromely showy. 4 to 5 feet. August to October
novi-belgi, St. Egwin. A soft pink, very freeflowering
Snowflake. Very free, purn white. 18 inches turbinellus albus. Petals and dise clear white to 3 feet. September and October
HARDY HERBACEOUS PERENNIALS-Continued
1'er 12 ..... 100
ASTILBE Arendsi. This new type is the result ofcrossing. A. Davidi with A. japonica compacta.A. astilboides, and A. Thunbergi. The plantsare of very vigorous growth, $21 / 2$ to 4 feethigh, producing many-hranched, featheredheads of flowers.
Pink Pearl. Shell pink ............ . 50c each. . $\$ 5.00$
Ceres. Rosy lilac .................50c each. . 5.00
Fyramidalis. lure white 50c each. ..... 5.00Juno. Strong, upright grower; plumes of a deepuno. Strong, upright grower; plumes of a deep
5.00Vesta. Very graceful plumes of light lilac-rose
50 c each ..... 5.00
EAPTISIA australis (False Indigo). Dark green. deeply cut foliage and spikes of dark blue nowers. H 2, F 6-7 ..... 2.2.
14.00EELLIS Perennis ( Jouble English Daisy)1.5010.00
BERGAMOT. See Monarda.
BOCCONIA cordata. Large, broad, striking leaves;large plumes of white flowers; fine for sub-lupical effects. H 5-6, F $7-8$tropical effects. H! 5-6, F 7-82.5015.00
Giralda. A handsome new variety with largesilvery gray foliage and bold heads of milkywhite flowers2.50

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15.00
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Macrocarpa ..... 2.50
EOLTONIA asteroides. Pure white; very effect-
2.00ive. H 3-4, F 9-10 ..................................
latisquama. light pinkish blue flowers; very

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13.00
$$lovely; blooms late in Fall. Highly recom-mendcd. H 3-4CALIMEPIS incisifolia. A gracerui little plantwith flnely cut foliage, and is the prettiest ofall single white daisy flowers; blooms all sum-mer and is distinct and fine2.25CAMPANULA (Benflower). The Campanula genusis one of the largest and choicest. The va-lieties are all of elegant habit and should be,represented in every garden.

carpatica. Dwarf; light blue. H $3 / 4, \mathrm{~F} 6$ ..... 2.50
carpatica alba. Dwarf white15.00
Mariesi compacta nana. A new improved dwarfvariety of great heauty; large white or purplellowersMariesi grandiflora. Large white and purpleflowers: dcsirable2.00
13.00
Medium (Cantcrbury Bells). One of the show-iest and prettiest of garden plants: but being:only a biemnial, dies after blooming. Shouldbe planted in spring2.50
15.00persicifolia. large blue flowers, almost as showyas Canterbury Bells. Il 2, F' 62.50
persicifcia aiba. White flowers; a grand border plant. H1-3, F ..... 2.50
pyramidalis. Very showy, tall variety. H 4-5, ..... 2.50
CANDYTUFT. See Iberis.
CANTEREURY BELLS. Sec Campanula Medium.
CARD:NAL FLOWER. See Lobelia.
CASSIA marylandica. Landsome pinnate foliageand numerous racemes of showy yellow flow-ers: extremely desirable plant of the easiestculture. 11 4-5, F 7CATANANCHE cærulea. Blue Cupidone. Fine bor-der plant about 2 feet high, flowering in Sum-mer. Blue, and grows pasily in any good soil
cærulea alba. White, as easy to grow as the blue form2.50
CENTAUREA
macrocephala. Yellow; very flne. HI 3-5, F 7. ..... 2.502.50
15.00
montana (Cornflower). Blue flowers. H 2, F 6. ..... $\stackrel{2.50}{ }$montana alba. White flowersCERASTIUM Biebersteini. Very dwarf plant,covered with small white flowers; very de-sirable for carpeting or edging borders andbeds; silvery white foliage, which is very at-tractive throughout the season
CERASTIUM Biebersteini. Very dwarf plant, tractive throughout the season
CHRYSANTHEMUM. Per 12 ..... 100
Hardy Large-Flowered Varieties. These are the old-fashioned Chrysanthemums that used to be in every garden. They are perfectly hardy, and make a brave show of color late in the Fall, after all other flowers are gone. II 3-4, F 10-11 ..... $\$ 2.50$ ..... $\$ 15.00$
leucanthemum (Shasta Daisy). Advertised as a California wonder ......................... 2.00 ..... 13.00
*maximum, Princess Henry. A variety with very large white flowers ..... 2.00
Speaker. The largest of the Maximum varieties; immense showy flowers ..... 2.00
13.00
CIMGCIFUGA racemosa simplex. Most valuable by reason of its extreme late-flowering, beginning in september and attaining full perfection about the middle of Octciber, a time when llowers are scarce lts flowering stems are from $21 / 2$ to 3 feet high, terminated with a dense spike of white flowers, which, when cut last in perfecticn a long time ..... 3.00
CLEMATIS recta. Large heads of pure white flowers ........................ 25c each..
integrifolia. Large purple flowers in great pro- fusion in July and August ..... 2.50
*COREOPSIS grandifiora. An improved variety with large, bright yellow flowers; cne of the best hardy plants in cultivation. Fine for cut flowers. Il 2-3, F 5-7 ..... 2.00 ..... 12.00
verticillata. Masses of small golden yellow' flow- ers; finely cut foliage. IH 2-3, F 7-8 ...... 2.00 ..... 13.00
CORONILLA varia. Compact sheets of beautiful nink hloom. II 1, F 5-10 ..... 2.25 ..... 14.00
CYPRIPEDIUM acaule. Pink. ..... 2.50
pubescens. large; yellow ..... 2.50
spectabile. The most beautiful hardy orchid, and one of the most lovely flowers in the world; does well ill a shady location.....40c each. . ..... 4.00
DAY LILY, WHITE. See Funkia. Yellow. See Hemerocallis.

DIANTHUS deltoides. A creeping Pink of great
beauty

latifolius atrococcineus fl. pl. (Everblooming Hy
brid Sweet Williem). A beautiful Summer
hedding variety, producing masses of brilliant
flery crimson flowers during the entire season 2.50

*DICENTRA eximia. Beautiful fern-like foliage:
blooms all summer. H $3 / 4-1 \frac{1}{2}$, F $4-8 \ldots .$. ..... 3.00
DRACOCEPHALUM Ruyschiana. Dark violet- blue; neat border plant. H 2, F 6 ........ 2.50 ..... 15.00

ERIGERON speciosus (Fleabane). Somewhat like
the native aster, but blooms much earlier.
Rich colors, varying from rose to violet and
purple. 1 to 2 feet. Midsummer
EULALIA. The Eulalias are splendid grasses for making beds and groups for tropical effects
japonica. 11 5-7 ..... 2.50
15.00
EUPHORBIA corollata. A choice native plant with white flowers; largely used by florists for cut flowers ..... 2.00 ..... 13.00
EVENING PRIMROSE. See OEnothera.
FESTUCA glauca. A very dwarf grass with pretty blue foliage; flne for edging ..... 14.00
FUNKIA Acki. Large glaucous green leaves. ..... 13.00 aurea maculata. young foliag ..... 2.00
cærulea (Blue Day Lily). H 21/2, F 7........ ..... 13.00
*Sieboldi. One of the finest of hardy plants on account of its splendid foliage. H 2-3, F 7-8. 2.50 * subcordata (White Day Lily). II $11 / 2$, F 5-8.. 4.00 *variegata. Variegated foliage, blue flowers. II 1, F5 2.25 ..... 15.00 ..... 14.00

## HARDY HERBACEOUS PERENNIALS-Continued

HARDY FERNS. Varieties marked (*) r'equire shade; those marked ( $\dagger$ ) succeed in open border.
*Adiantum pedatum (Maidenhair Fern).
*Aspiaium, acrcstichoides (Wood Fern).
*Aspidium marginale
*Aspidium Gcldieanum (Shield Fern)
$\dagger$ Asplenium, Filix-fæmina (lady Fern).
$\dagger$ Asplenium thelypteris
$\dagger$ Dicksenia punctilobula (1assamer Fern).
†Onoslea sensibilis (Sensitive Fern).
Any of the above Ferns 25c 100.

GENTIANA Andrewsi (BIue Gentian). Pretty native species with blue fowers. II $11 / 2$, F 9.2 .25

GEUM coccineum, Pretty border plants, growing is inchfs high and producing brilliant scarlet lluwas throughont the summer
atrosanguincum. Oiange-scarlet
GYPSOPHILA paniculata (Baby's Breath). When in hloom in . hroust and September it forms a symmetri"al mass 2 to 3 feet in height and as multh then:ngln, of minute white howers n.vnr a beantiful ganze-like appearance
panicula‘a flore plenc. Beautiful dcuble variety of above
scorznerifolia. Beautiful rose-colored Baby's Breath
2.50

HELEN"UM autumnale superbum. An improved varlety of greet beauty
Hooposi. Bright orange flowers. H 2-3, F 7-8. 2.50
HELIANTHEMUM mutabile (Sun Rose). Charming dwarf evergreen plants with pink and white flowers. If $1 / 2, F$ : -6

HELIANTHUS. The hardy Sunflowers are among the most desirable of hardy plants. They are free-flowering over a long season. are very decorative in the garden, and are fine for cutting. All have hright yellow flowers.
Maximiliani. Tall and very late; one of the most stately and elegant hardy plants in cultivation; best sunfower to bloom in the Fall. II 7-9, F 10-11
orgyalis. A very striking, tall Sunflower. II 5-6, F 6-10
caberrimus, Miss Mellish. Very large duplex flowers of fexquisite shape and bright orangeyellow, freely prodnced during August and September. Grand for rutting. H 5
2.00
13.00

HELIOPS'S, B. Ladhams. Broad-petal, rich yellow flowers; the best of the Heliopsis. H 2. F $7-9$
2.25
11.00

Pitcherizna. Similar to the hardy Sunflower, but blomming during a much longer season. II 3-6, F $8-10$
2.00
13.00

HEMEROCALLIS aurantiaca. Large orange-yellow flower
3.50

Dumortieri. II $11 / 2$, F 6-7 ...................... 1.75

graminea. Bright yellow; one of the best...... 2.00
Quanso fl. pl. Double
12.00
quanso fi. pl. Double ...................... 2.50
Sieboldi. Clear, deep bright yellow. H 3, F 5-6 2.25
Thunbergi. Bright yellow. H 3, F 7-8...... 2.00
HERACLEUM giganteum (Giant Parsnip). A remarkable foliage plant
2.50

HESPERIS matronalis, Purple (Sweet Rocket). H 2-3. F 6-9
Matronalis, White ........................... 2.00
HEUCHERA, sanguinea. Very choice, dwarf graceful plant with lovely crimson flowers flne for cutting. II $3 / 4-11 / 2$, F 7-9 2.50

HEUCHERA-
Yer 12100
sanguinєa gracillima. (Alum Root). Dwarf
plants for the horder or rockeries. Flowers
prcaluced from June to September ............\$2.50 $\$ 15.00$
sanguinea splendens. Nut quite su tall as the
preceding variety. Intense criminon howers... 2.50 1 .
*HIBISCUS Moscheutos. Bright pink .......... 2.00 13.00
Moscheutos, Crimson Eye. White. II 3-6, F - 10

Mallow Marvels. Enormous single flowers of white, pink and crimson
Separate Colors ................... 35c each.. 3.50
Mixed Colors .......................20c each.. 2.00
12.00

## Hollyhocks

llave yon ever noticed that painters choose single Ilollyhocks as subjects for floral paintings oftener than any other hower. We suppose the reason for this is that artists have a keener appreciation ol beauty than other people, and recognize that the common, and we rear sometimes despised, single Hollyhock, is one of the most stately, picturesque and beautiful plants in the world. Nothing can be more effective than a large gronp or masof single Hollyhocks, and once planted they will literally take cart of themselves, even if planted in the grass. We know of patches that have not been cultivated or disturbed in any way for twenty years. We are determined to have single Hollyhocks for onr landscape gardening work, so we collected seed from old-fashioned (they will soon be new-fashioned) gardens and had thousand: of piants grown for our customers. Some people think donble Hollyhacks are more beautiful than single. They are mistaken. although the doubles are beautiful, but inclined to be top-heavy, often need staking and are liable to disease. Hollyhocks planted in the Fall will bloom well the following Summer.

## Special Offer of Hollyhocks

Best Large-flowered, Single, all colors, mixed.... \$2.25 \$14.00
Chater's. Famous Strain. Best double grown, in
Best Large-flowered, Double, mixed colors ...... $2.50 \quad 15.00$
separate colors ............................. $2.50 \quad 15.00$

New Allegheny. Immense semi-double flowers,
with fringed edges; very beautiful. Each, $15 \mathrm{c} .2 .50 \quad 15.00$
Our Hollyhocks are free from disease, and to insure this we are having them grown in Ohio in soil which is entirely free from the Hollyhock disease.

IBERIS corifolia (Candytuft). Large sncw-white flowers. II $3 / 4$, F 5
2.50
sempervirens (Ilardy Candytuft). It covers the ground with a mat of pure white flowers. II $3 / 4-1, F$ F-5
$2.50 \quad 15.00$
sempervirens nana. Improved dwarf variety... 2.50 15.00
INULA Helenium. Free-flowering border plants with yellow flowers. 11 2, F 6-8 .......... 2.50

LATHYRUS latifolius abus (White Everlasting Pea). These Everlasting Peas are but little known in this country, but are great favorites in England. They are extremely showy and flne
latifolius splendens. Bright pink
LAVENDER. The well-known garden herb..... 2.00
LIATRIS callilepsis. A new variety of Liatris similar to pyencstachya, but dwarfer and blooms a month earlier. A valuable introdnc. tion. H $11 / 2-2, F 6$
graminifolia rubra. (Blazing Star: Button Snakeroot). A lardy plant native to the estern part of the ['nited States. Stems are rather slender 2 to 3 feet high with many deep red blooms
Pyonostachya. The popular name of this striking plant is Kansas Gay Feather. Nothing can be planted that will attract more attenticn on account of its very unusual appearance: but it is very beautiful as well as old. It blooms in midsummer and throws up long, narrow spikes of rich purple flowers, which last a long time 2.50
LINUM perenne (Flax). II $11 / 2$, F 6-8 ......... 2.25
Derenne album ................................ 2.25


## HARDY HERBACEOUS PERENNIALS-Continued

## ROSEMARY, An old-fashioned plant with scented

 fcliage
## RUDBECKIA

laciniata (Golden Glow). Double Rudbeckia. Grows 10 to 12 feet high, and is undoubtedly one of the most effective plants in cultivation. It is becoming very popular. F 7-9
nitida. Pure yellow nowers . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2.00
*purpurea. Large crimson-maroon flowers; very distinct
speciosa. Native. One of the very best border plants in cultivation. A group of "Golden Glow" surrounded by this variety makes a splendid effect. H 2-3, F 7-9
1.75
subtomentosa. Densely branched plant, $21 / 2$ feet high, completely covered throughout the summer with a mass of brilliant lemon-colored flowers, with purple centers

RUTA graveolens (Rue). This is a well known her'b
SAGE. The well known herb ..... 1.50

SALVIA turkestanica. Extremely decorative sweetscented foliage and showy whorls of white flowers surrounded by pale pink. H 2, F $6 .$.
globosa. Dwarf. Light blue
SAPONARIA ocymcides splendens. A charming little creeping plant covered with lovely bright crimson flowers during the month of June.
officinalis fl. pl. Beautiful plant growing about 2 feet high and blooming in August; large double flowers of a lovely soft rose-pink .... 2.0

SAXIFRAGA Leichtlini. Large, shiny evergreen foliage and large panicles of bright pink flowers. $1 \mathrm{H} 1, \mathrm{~F}$ 4-5

SCABIOSA caucasica. Large head of pale blue flowers; one of the best hardy plants in cultivation; grows and flowers freely in any garden soil
caucasica alba. A white-flowered variety of the above

SEDUM acre. Finc for covering graves and for carpeting ............................................................
spectabile. A flne Fall-flowering plant with great heads of purple flowers. H $11 / 2$, F $9-10 \ldots 2.25$
stoloniferum ................................. 2.00
Sieboldi (Siebold's Stonecrop). This Japanese variety, with its exquisite glauccus leaves, is considered the best foliage plant in the Sedum family. Flowers rosy pink
reflexum (Stonc Orpine:). Small, bright yellow flowers making up a flat eluster, 1 to $11 / 2$ inches across. July
sexangulare (Six-rowed Stonecrop). Flowers golden yellow. The reddish cast of the new growth is charming. July

SILENE Schafta (Catchny). A low-growing plant with rcse-pink flowers in clusters. Usefil for edging and the rock-garden. June to September

SILPHIUM perfoliatum. Yellow flowers. II $4-8$, F 7
*SPIREA filipendula. A beautiful dwarf variety, with elegant fern-like foliage. Il $1 / 2-3, F 6-\tau$.
palmata. Broad clusters of the most beautiful crimson flowers above splendid palmate foliage. H 2, F 7-8
palmata elegans. A lovely new variety with light pink flowers. H $2, \mathrm{~F}$ i-8
ulmaria
2.25
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2.50

STACHYS lanata. White, wcolly leaves and purple flowers; useful for edging. II 1, F 7....\$2.25

STATICE latifolia 2.50

STENANTHIUM robustum 4.00

TEUCRIUM Chamaedrys. Evergreen shining leaves; purple flowers; will grow on barren soils..... 2.00

THALICTRUM adiantifolium. Beautiful foliage like máidenhair fern2.25
glaucum. Bronzy-yellow flowers, bluish follage. 2.50
dipterocarpum. A new variety with llac-mauve flowers, yellow stamens and anthers. \& feet. August and Sept $\in$ mber
3.50

THERMOPSIS caroliniana. Showy plants, with at tractive yellow flowers
2.50
15.00

TRADESCANTIA virginiana (Spiderwort). Produces a succession of purple flcwers all Summer 1.75
12.00

TUNICA saxifraga. A pretty tufted plant with light pink flowers, produced all Summer; useful either for the rockery or the border..... 2.25

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14.00
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UNIOLA latifolia. A very useful ornamental grass. 2.00
VERBASCUM nigrum. Yellow flowers in long spikes; dwarfed habit ........... 20c each.
olympicum. Bright yellow flowers; large woolly foliage; stately ................. 25 c each. 2.50
phoeniceum. Seedlings; crimscn-rose, lilac and white; large and showy
2.50

VERBENA venosa. A hardy Verbena; very extensively used in England for bedding. It grows about 18 inches high, but if pegged down will cover the ground with heads of lovely purpleviolet flowers throughout the season. Not quite hardy except on thoroughly well-drained soils
2.00
13.00

VERONICA amethystina
*longifolia. Spikes of deep bluish-purple flowers; very handsome. II 2, F $8-9$
rupestris. A trailing variety used in rock-work and for carpeting in stmi-shaded places. Flowers blue
spicata. Violet-blue nowers on long spikes dwarf habit
virginica (Great Virginian Speedwell). A free growing perennial which likes the bright sunshine. Flowers are white or pale blue. 2 to 6 feet. August to September

VINCA caerulea. The well known hardy Myrtle: fine for carpeting under trees where grass will not grow

VIOLA cornuta. Flowers almost as large as a Pansy This is the most desirable of hardy plants Blooms continuously all season. Blue flowers.
pedata bicolor. Deep purple flowers
cornuta alba. Clear white
1.75
12.00
cornuta lutea grandiflora. Large golden-yollow
cornuta atropurpurea. Deep violet-blue .....
Velvet Purple. Very dark and glossy, resembling velvet
White Perfection. The best pure white varicty. Free-flowering and fragrant
1.75
12.00

WAHLENBERGIA grandifiora ................. 2.00
grandiflora alba
2.00

## WALLFLOWER

1.75
12.00
*YUCCA filamentosa (Spanish Bayonet: also known as the Mexican Soap Plant). Fine, strong plants; a stately decorative plant with immense spikes of large white flowers; fine for the garden or lawn

## Ornamental Flowering Shrubs

ur stock of shrubs is unsurpassed in quality, but our prices will be found much lower than those made by most nurserymen. As a rule, shrmbs are much more effective when planted in masses, and our low prices permit them to be used freely in this way.

For a guide in planting, we have indicated the size the shrubs will eventually be, as follows: "H 3-4, S 3-4 June," which means
"Height 3 to 4 feet, spread 3 to 4 feet, nowers in June." The sizes given can only be approximate, as the size shrubs attain varies considerably with soils and climate.

Shrubs marked (*) can be grown in partial shade, but they will also thrive in full exposure to the sun.

## SPECIAL OFFER OF SHRUBS

We want to encourage the planting of shrubs. To be effective, they should be planted in masses, but when dealers or nurserymen ask 50 cents to $\$ 1$ each for easily grown shrubs there is not much encouragement to plant them freely. We have made arrangements by which we can supply our customers with well-grown shrubs in the best varieties at the extremely low prices quoted below, but in every instance the selection of varieties must be left to us. But in ordering, if it is stated that certain shrubs are not wanted they will not be sent. We guarantee these shrubs to be satisfactory in both quality and variety. We cannot give in advance of llling the order a list of varieties contained in these collections.

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& \text { SPECIAL OFFER A-50 Shrubs in flne assortment of } 15 \text { varities } \\
& \$ 18.00 \\
& \text { SPECIAL OFFER B-100 Shrubs in fine assortment of } 20 \text { varieties } \\
& 33.00
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E ..... Each Per 12
Each $\operatorname{Per} 12$

FORSYTHIA Cortunei (Fortune's Golden Bell). Magnifleent vigorous-growing shrub, covered with vellow bell-like flowers before the follage appear's in the Spring. Splendid for planting on steep banks, ecially above a retaining wall, as some of the branches grow upright while the remainder will hang down over the wall for several feret. H 6-8, S 5, Aprif ..... $\$ 0.60$
suspensa (Drooping Golden Bell). Long, pendulous branches which hang down over a wall like a vine. ................. $\$ 35$ per 100. . viridissima. This is the erect form of Forsythia. H 8-10, S 6
intermedia (Hyhrid Golden Bell). This variety is a hybrid between $F$. suspensa Fortunet and F. suspensa, and is considered more handsome than either of its parents. Produces great quantities of golden yellow flowers on its slender, arching branches before the fotiage appears. H 6-8, S 6, April
. 60
*HALESIA tetraptera (Silver Bell). This is one of the most beautiful-flowering large shrubs in cultivation; pure white bell-shaped flowers. H 15-20, S 8
HAMAMELIS virginiana (Witch Hazel). Blooms in late Fall and early Winter. H 6-8, S 6....
*HYDRANGEA arbcrescens grandiflora. New variety with immense heads of white flowers. H 3 , S 3
paniculata. Distinct from P. grandiflora. A very striking and elegant shrub. H 5-6. S 5.
paniculata grandifiora. The well-known hardy Hydrangea. H 4-5, S 4.
18 to 24 inches ............... $\$ 38$ per $100 .$. 2 to 3 feet

HYPERICUM densiflorum. Yellcw flowers. H 2-3.
prolificum. H 2-3, S 2-3
ITEA virginica. Sweet-scented white flowers in early Summer. H 4-5, S 4
LILAC (Syringa.). Common Purpis ..... 60
Comman White. 2 to 3 feet ..... 60
persica (Persian Lilac). More gracefut and more delicate than the preceeding variety. The flowers are pale lilac, in panicles 3 to 4 inches broad, and open in late Spring. 3 to 4 feet...
persica alba. White Persian Lilac. Small white flowers; similar in other respects to the type. 3 tc 4 feet
Japonica. A new and unique species from Japan, attaining the size of a small tree, with large panicles of white flowers; foliage very large. thick and deep green color; blooms a month later than other lilacs

LONICERA (Upright Honeysuckle). These are very vigorous free-growing shrubs that are very showy and desirable, both on accoust of their pink or white flowers which are freely produced in the spring and their bright red or orange fruit with which they are covered in the Summer. H 8-10, S 6-8.
fragrantissima. A very early sweet-scented species
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Morrowi. Flowers pure white; fruit red. $\$ 32$ per 100
Ruprechtiana
Ruprechiana
tatarica. Pink flowers
tatarica alba. White flowers
xylcsteum (Fly Honeysuckle)
bella candida. Slender branches with bluish foliage. In the Spring it produces quantities of small white flowers. Later in the season the bush is covered with bright fruits, inich are quite persistent. H 8-10, S 6-8. \$35 rer 100.
bella rosea. Exactly like bella candida in all respects, save that the nowers err fink50
PHILADELPHUS (Syringa; Mock Orange). Vigorous growing with showy white and mostly sweet-scented flowers.
aureus. Yellow-leaved. 11 4-5, S 4-5....... 75
coronarius. Very sweet-scented white flowers. H 8-10, S 8
Falconeri. Starry white flowers borne in great profusion. Il 6-8, S 6
.60
grandiflorus. large nowers, very showy. It 8 $10, \mathrm{~S} 8$
. 60
Mer de Glace (Sea of Icel). Undoubtediy one of the most beautiful shrubs introduced in recent years. Everyone is ramiliar with the so-called Syringa or Mock Orange but Lemoine, the great French Hybridizer, has improved this old favorite wonderfully. The flowers are globular, semi-double, of a glistening pure white and (leliciously sweet scented. It would he imipossible for a shrub to bear more nowers and the smallest plants are covered. People who have seen it flower on our trial ground have been delighted with this shrub
1.50
15.00
Mont Blanc. One of the newer dwarf sorts; large white flowers borne in the greatest profusion. H 4-5, S 5
Sutzmanni. Large showy white variety. H 8-10, S 8

## POTENTILLA fruticosa

*PRIVET, Common. Desirable for hedging, and hardier than California Privet... $\$ 25$ per 100.
medium. A Privet of beautiful habit; fruits immensely
.50
4.50
Polish. Upright vigorous grower and absolutely hardy ..................... $\$ 30$ per 100. .
PRUNUS Pissardi (Purple-leaved Plumi). Desirable on account of its rich purple foliage. H 10-12, S 8
1.50
PYRUS arbutifolia (Chokeberry). A native shrub of great beauty and easy culture. Covered with white flowers in early spring, followed by bright red berries which last all Winter. II 4-5, S 5
RHAMNUS cathartica (Buckthorn). Strong-growing shrub with black berries. H 8-10, S 8 .
RHODOTYPOS kerrioides. H 4-5, S 5........ . 60
RHUS aromatica (Sweet-scented Sumac). H 4-6.
ccpallina (Shining-leaved Sumac). H 4-6, S $5 .$. Cotinus (Purple Fringe). H 8-10, S \&...... typhina (Common Sumac). H 10-12, S 6 .
RIBES aureum (Missouri Currant). Splendid fragrant yellow flowers followed by black fruits, with a bluish bloom. Smooth, shining leaves. H 4-5, S 5, for Pennsylvania sales only*
ROBINIA hispida (Rose-flowered Ácacia). Extremely free-flowering and attractive. H \&-5.
RUBUS odoratus (Thimb]e Berry). Splendid foliage and purplish flowers all Summer. H i-6.
SAMBUCUS canadensis (Ccmmon Elderberry). Very striking when planted in rich soil. If 6-8
racemosa (Red-berried Elder). Distinguished by its warty leaves and large crmes of white flowers. Showy red berries ripen in early midsummer. A splendid sort to plant with S. nigra aurea as the former varicty often has ripe fruits when the latter is blooming. H 6-8, S 5-6, May


## Ornamental Deciduous Trees

With the excepticn of varieties marked with an asterish (*), we do not grow trees. The following list of trees is selected fromi
the best nurseries in the United States. Orders will be shipped from the nearest nursery that can supply the stock ordered, so as to save freight charges and sccure quickest possible delivery; where stock is ordered in considerable variety, it is sometimes shipped from two or more nurseries to secure trees of the best quality. We always endeavor to secure the best stock in the market for our customers. The prices quoted are for trees of the most suitable size for transplanting; extra large trees of many varieties can be supplied, but are not recommended. If quick results are desired they can be had by taking small- and mediumsized, but nerfectly vigorous and healthy tiees and giving them liberal planting; for instance, dig a hole three feet deep and flve
feet in diameter for each tree, and fll with all good surface soil, mixed with ent-fourth of lis bulk of well-rotted stable manure.
lt costs considerably to plant trees in this manner, but the $1 e-$ sults justify the expense, and people often pay from $\$ 10$ to $\$ 50$ each for larger trees, which always fail, generally dying outright within three years, and never making vigorous, healthy trees. Some kinds of trees may be safely planted much larger than others. Magnclias, Beeches, Tulip Trees, and white-leaved Lindens are difficult to transplant and small-sized trees of these should always be selected. Some varieties should always be planted in the Fall, ethers in the Spring, and we shall be glad to advise cur customers on these and other points in regard to planting.

## Lowest net prices will be quoted on trees by the 100 and 1,000 on application,

AILANTHUS glandulosa. Female trees which Each Per $1:$ are almost free from disagreeable odor .
ALDER, Eurcpean . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $5.00 \quad 30.00$
ANDROMEDA arborea (Sorrel Tree). A scarce and extremely beautiful flowering small tree.
BEECH. The noblest of all trees, but of slow growth and difncult to transplant. Small trees shonld alwavs be selected and well pruned when planted.
American . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3.00
English 3.00
*Purple-leaved . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4.00
*Weeping . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 7.00
EUTTONWOOD. See Sycamore.
CATALPA Bungei (Umbrella. Tree).
Umbrella-headed trees used for formal effects.

Large specimens, $\$ 4, \$ 5, \$ 7.50$ and $\$ 10$ єach.
speciosa. Our native varicty
1.50
15.00

SYMPHORICARPOS. The Symphoricarpos are very desirable ith the shade or under trees whele rothing else wils grow. They ale covered with white or red berries in Fall and Winter.
racemosus (Snowberry). White-fruited. H
*variegata. Beautiful variegated foliage. H 4-5,
*vulgaris (Indian Currant). Red-fruited. H

AMARIX. Tall, slender shrubs with feathery foliage and large panicles cf lovely pink flowers Spring or early summer.
africana. H 8-10, S 6 ........................ . . 50
plumosus (Japanese Tamarix). H 10-12, S 6.. . 60 6.00
IBURNUM dentatum. A most beautiful and satStana Showy red fruit $8-10$, $6 \ldots \ldots$.
opulus sterile (Snowball). H 8-10, S $8 \ldots \ldots$. ycoccus (Cranberry Tree). Very showy red

EIGELA amabilis. Light pink. H 6-8, S 8.... andida. White. Decidedly the most desirable loribunda. Crimson. H 6-8, S 8
hybrida, Eva Rathke. Very valuable ever-blocming variety; large crimson flowers. H 5-6, S 6 brida, floreal. Pale rose, shaded mauve, throat thermine; very showy


## ORNAMENTAL DECIDUOUS TREES-Continued

Each Per 12
FRAXINUS quadrangulata. (Blue Ash). Large tree with bright green, compound leaves which turn yellow in the Autumn. Grows rapidly and has a straight trunk which makes it exceptionally well adapted to specimen planting
and groups. Not particularly desirable as a strcet tree
. $\$ 3.00$
HONEY LOCUST, American ..................... . . . . . 1.50
HORSE-CHESTNUT, White-flowering . . . . . . . . 3.00
KENTUCKY COFFEE TREE (Gymnocledus
canadensis)
COF
KOELREUTERBA paniculata . .................. 2.50
LINDEN, American . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3.00
European . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2.50
Large-leaved (Tilia platyphylia) ....................................
White-leaved Weeping. A splendid penduious: tree
5.50

LIQUIDAMBAR styracifiua (sweet (illit) ...... 2.50
MAPLE, Ash-leaved (Box Elder) . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2.00
*Norway
3.50

Red, or Scarlet
4.00

Schwedler's Purple
3.00
*Silver-leaved (Water, or Soft)
2.00

Sugar
*Wier's Cut-leaved
3.01
$2 . j 0$
MOUNTAIN ASH, European
NUTS, Chestnut, American

## Spanish

Filberts, American 2.50 1.50

English Filberts
1.00

The Spanish chestnuts are thriving where the American variety has all been killed.
OAK. The planting of Oaks for ornament has been done but little on account of their supposed slow growth. They grow quite as rapidly as other hardwood trees, and the Pin
16.00
32.00
33.00
37.00
20.00
30.00
24.00
18.00
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Oak is of very rapid growth, and one of the Anest trees in cultivation.
Burr, or Mossy Cup ..... $\$ 4.00$

Scarlet. A grand tree with splendid coloring in Fall
*Pin (Quercus palustris). One git the viry hnest trees for avenue or lawn plantmg, and of very rapid growth. The great delland for this tree has made it very scarre.
6 to 7 leet
2.50

8 to 10 feet
3.00

10 to 12 feet
4.00

Red . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3.00
PHOTINIA villcsa. A very ornamental tref, covered with red berries in Fall and Winter.... 2.00
PLANE. See Sycamore.
POPLAR, Carolina . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1.00
Lombardy . . . . ................................. . . . 1.50
Pyramidal (P. Bolleana) ..................................... Tree). A quant dapanese tree, with folage like that of a Madenhair Fern
SORBUS. Sef Mcuntanli Ash.
SOPHORA japonica
*SYCAMORE, Oriental. A grand tree either for the lawn or street. Withstands smoke and soot well
THORNS. See Hawthorn, under head of llardy shrubs.
WILLOW, Flame-colored . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .
Golden-barked. Weeping:
Laurel-leaved. Very handsome
Regal. White foliage
Wegal.
YELLOW-WOOD. See Cladrastis.

## Hardy Climbing Plants

ACTINIDIA arguta. A Japanese climbing plant with attractive dark green foliage and a multitude of white flowers having purple centers. Edible fruits follow the flowers......
AKEBIA quinata. Quite ornamental and graceful, with pretty dark leaves and numerous bunches of violet-brown flowers. Pleasing cinnamon fragrance. Prefers a sunny situation
AMPELOPSIS quinquefolia. Virginia Creeper. Clings flrmly to walls or any support and nakes a dense covering because of its large, handsome, green foliage. In the Fall the leaves change to brilliant scarlet. One of the most decorative native climbers
Veitchi. Boston lvy. Grows very rapidly after it is once established, and clings closeIy to any surgace. The large, dark green leaves turn to rich crimson in the Fall. Standard Plants
Extra-strong Plants
ARISTOLOCHIA sipho. Dutchman's Pipe. Produces numerous bunches of brownish colored flowers which bear a slight resemblance to small pipes. The leaves are large and round, hanging so that they overlap each other and thus make a dense screen. $2-y r$.
CELASTRUS paniculatus. Japanese Bitter-sweet. Valuable because it grows in almost any soil and will succeed as well in shaded places as in sunny positions. The bright red fruits in orange pods usually remain throughout the Winter. This variety is not altogether hardy and should be planted in sheltered positions north of Pennsylvania
scandens. American Bittersweet. Branches of this vine are often sold for Christmas decorations, because of the bright orange-colored pods and their attractive scarlet seeds. The vine makes a rapid growth
.35 of remarkable beautycommonly planted

CLEMATIS Henryi. Large creamy white flowers

Each

LONICERA Halliana. Hall's Japanese Honeysuckle. A strong-growing variety, which is in almost continuous 1 loom. The fragrant hower's open white and gradually change to buff

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\$ 20 \text { per } 100 \ldots
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Japonica aureo-reticulata (L. brachypoda. reticulata). Golden Honeysuckle. Great quantities of white flowers are borne in pairs. The foliage remains green until late in Autumn, and in protected locations may be evergreen all Winter ..................... $\$ 18$ per $100 .$. Japonica. Bears a multitude of fragrant yellow flowers, but is particularly desirable because of its dark purplish green foliage, which is practically evergreen ........ $\$ 20$ per 100 .
LYCIUM chinense. Matrimony Vine. Excellent for trellises or banks. The small purple flowers in Summer are followed by scarlet berries which cling long through the Winter. Ilakes a vigorous growth; if desired, it may be trained as a shrub
*POLYGONUM Auberti. Perfectly hardy plant which covers itself with a quantity of snowy white flowers, borne in long racemes. Remarkable effects can be obtained when this vine is allowed to twine about an old tree. This variety is an improvement on $P$. baldschuanicum, as its flowers are larger and it is free from the disease which causes so much injury to the other sort
VITIS æstivalis. American Wild Grape. A tallclimbing vine which makes a strong growth. The leaves are large and distinguished by a reddish brown fuzz on the under side. The berries are small, black, and exceedingly tough skinned
pina (V. odoratissima) River Bank, or Frost Grape. Vigorous, tall climbing plant, with sweet-scented flowers. The berries are usually less than half an inch in diameter; quite sour..
WISTARIA sinensis. Chinese Wistaria. A hardy, tall-growing climber with pale green, compound foliage, and purplish pea-green llowers in clusters a foot long. Usually blooms in May. sinensis alba. Has white flowers instead of purple ones: in other respects it is similar to the type
10.00
15.00
18.00

## Please Read Before Ordering

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Six plants of a kind will be furnished at the dozen rate; 50 or more at the 100 rate; 500 or more at the 1,000 rate. Less than 6 plants of one kind or variety will be sold only at the single rate.

All prices f. o. b. shipping point.
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 mend that all Herbaceous Plants be shipped by express.

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CLAIMS FOR DAMAGES WHILE IN TRANSIT must be made to the delivery company. Have the delivery agent note the damaged condition on the freight bill and promptly present your claims to the transportation company. Send us copy of all papers so we can help secure prompt settlement.

PARCEL POST. Small shipments can be sent by parcel post. All such shipments will be sent insured, insurance and postage to be paid by the customer.

SHIPPING DIRECTIONS. Please give exact shipping directions, stating whether the stock is to be shipped by freight or express, and by what route. Early orders for trees and bulbs can be shipped by freight.

INSPECTION AND FUMIGATION. Our stock is regularly inspected, and certificates will be sent with each shipment. Stock will be fumigated when requested or when the state laws require it.

IMPORT ORDERS are taken subject to failure of crops and to restrictions of quarantines promulgated by the Federal Horticultural Board.

NO AGENTS EMPLOYED. From time to time it has been reported to us that people have represented themselves as our agents in various parts of the country. We employ no agents whatever, but do an exclusive retail business direct with our customers.

GUARANTEE. We guarantee all nursery stock furnished by us to be first class, true to name. We do not guarantee the stock to grow, neither do we guarantee the result in any way. No complaint will be entertained that is not made immediately upon receipt of stock. There are so many causes for failure, over which we have no control, that we can assume no responsibility after the stock is delivered in good order to the transportation company. Poor soil, changeable weather, ignorant or careless culture-all contribute to failure. A catalog as comprehensive as this must of necessity offer some varieties of difficult culture; when these are ordered we presume the people ordering have the knowledge needed for that culture. Successful gardening requires knowledge, enthusiasm, and perseverence, and these we cannot supply.

PLEASE PRINT YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS on your order. Many times it is extremely difficult to read these two important parts of an order, and the shipment may go astray.

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