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# IDLE HOUR NURSERIES

*South's leading Florist*

109 COTTON AVE.

MACON, GEORGIA



Say it with Flowers

This Price List is in effect from October, 1924, to October, 1925, and cancels all previous quotations.



Mistakes can happen. Should we make one, please notify us and we shall welcome the opportunity to rectify it. We like boquets, but we try to profit by brick-bats.

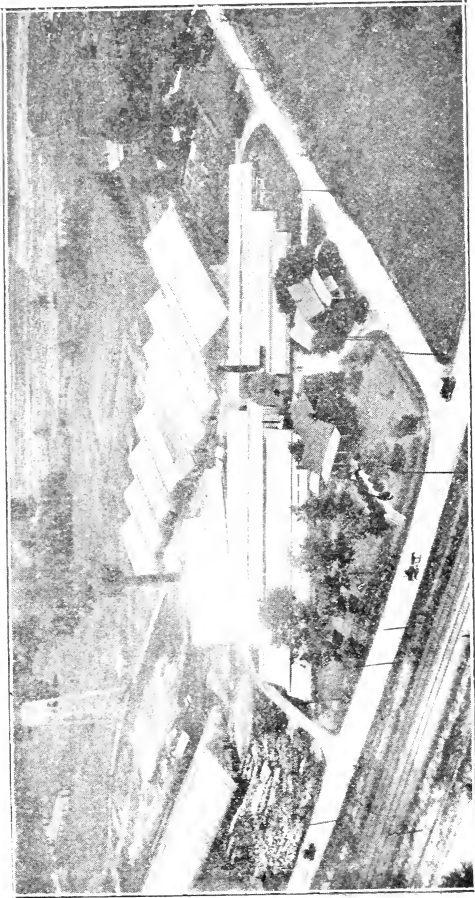


IF FOLKS ONLY KNEW HOW MANY—

Minutes of thinking,  
Hours of digging,  
Days of sunshine,  
Weeks of coaxing,  
Lumps of coal,  
Pounds of fertilizer,  
Bushels of rich dirt,  
Gallons of water and  
Inches of backaches

IT TAKES TO PRODUCE A PRETTY FLOWER

*They would gladly pay the price.*



WHERE IDLE HOUR FLOWERS ARE GROWN

SPECIAL NOTICE

*Flowers Delivered by Telegraph Any-  
where at any Time*

**B**Y mutual arrangement with the leading Florists in the United States and Canada, we can on short notice have flowers delivered at any address or on board steamers when about to sail. This arrangement has proven very satisfactory, and our customers can rely on their orders always being filled in a prompt and courteous manner.

On telegraphic, and short-notice orders we reserve the right to substitute if we are out of stock ordered, unless order states "no substitute."

All telegraphic, telephone and mail orders given our prompt and best attention.

We do NOT stand the expense of express or parcel post charges on shipments.

All quotations are F. O. B. Macon, Georgia. Express and parcel post charges to be borne by customer.

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**W**HILE we exercise the greatest care in selecting the stock and packing same for shipment, we do not expressly or impliedly guarantee condition of flowers at arrival, nor do we guarantee the time of arrival. Upon delivery to express company or post office on time, and in good condition, they are at the buyer's risk, and we will positively NOT file claims for delayed shipments.

*Give shipping instructions from Macon. Orders will not be considered that read "ship to arrive."*

Where credit is extended to a customer, we expect account paid promptly on first of month following purchase. We do not solicit nor desire credit accounts on any other basis.

*We can NOT fill orders at Christmas time unless order is placed with us at least ten (10) days in advance.*

*Prices subject to change without notice. This price list cancels all previous quotations.*

## IDLE HOUR NURSERIES

109 Cotton Ave., Macon, Ga.  
October 1924, to October, 1925

Store open from	Sunday
8 A. M. to 6 P. M.	9 A. M. to 11 A. M.
(Eastern Time)	(Eastern Time)

Telephones—Store No. 224

Greenhouses from 6 P. M. to 9 P. M.—875-J

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### CHOICE CUT FLOWERS *of Superior Quality*

We do NOT guarantee the time of arrival of shipments. Upon delivery to Express Company or Post Office on time and in good conditions, they are at the buyer's risk.

These prices do not include green with flowers. If sprays of green are desired, the price is 50 cents per dozen.

Carnations—White, Pink, Red.....	per doz.	\$ 2.50
Carnations—White, Pink, from Dec. 15 to Jan. 1, inclusive, are.....	per doz.	3.00
Carnations—Red and Deep Pink, from Dec. 15 to Jan. 1, inclusive, are.....	per doz.	4.00
(Ten days' notice required at Christmas. No Carnations in July, Aug., Sept.)		
Roses—Red, White, Pink and Yellow....	per doz	
	\$2.00, \$3.00, \$5.00,	7.50
Red Roses and Russell Roses, Dec. 15 to Jan. 1, inclusive.....	per doz. \$5.00, \$7.50, \$10.00,	15.00
Lilies of the Valley.....	per doz.	2.00
Snapdragon.....	per doz.	
	\$2.00 and	3.00
Orchids.....	each	2.00
Orchids at Xmas and Easter.....	each	3.00
Easter Lilies.....	per doz.	
	\$6.00, \$7.50,	9.00
Asparagus Sprays.....	per doz.	.50
Smilax.....	per string (4 feet)	.75
We also have, when in season, the following flowers:		
American Beauties (Long Stem Russels).....	per doz.	
	\$7.50, \$10.00,	12.50
American Beauties (Long Stem Russels), Christmas time.....	per doz.	18.00
Asters (July, Aug., Sept.).....	per doz.	
	\$1.50 and	2.00
Calla Lilies (Dec. to April).....	per doz.	6.00
Calendulas (Jan. to Oct.).....	per doz.	.75
Crysanthemums (Oct, Nov. and Dec.)		
Oct.....	per doz.	3.00
Nov. 1 to Nov. 15.....	\$5.00 and	7.50
Nov. 15 to Dec. 1.....	\$7.50 and	10.00
December.....		10.00
Cosmos (Oct.).....	per doz.	.50
Daffodils (March and April).....	per doz.	.50
Dahlias (Aug., Sept. and Oct.).....	per doz.	
	\$1-00, \$1.50 and	2.00

If flowers are to be sent by mail please add 25c to cover Special Delivery parcel post charges.



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Please place orders as far in advance as possible.

Daisies (Shasta) (June and July).....	per doz.	\$ .50
Freesias (Jan. and Feb.).....	per doz.	.75
Gaillardia (June, July, Aug., Sept.).....	per doz.	.25
Gladiolus (June, July, Aug., Sept.).....	per doz.	
	\$2.00 and	3.00
Golden Glow (July and Aug.).....	per doz.	.50
Hyacinths—White Roman (Dec., Jan.)	per doz.	2.50
Hyacinths—Dutch, all colors (Jan., Feb. and March).....	per doz.	2.00
Hydrangeas (July).....	per doz.	1.50
Iris—Spanish (April).....	per doz.	1.00
Larkspur (April and May).....	per doz.	1.00
Lilies—Tiger (June).....	per doz.	5.00
Lilies—Candidum.....	per doz.	6.00
Lilies—Auratum (July).....	per doz.	5.00
Marigold (July and Aug.).....	per doz.	.25
Narcissus—White (Dec., Jan.).....	per doz.	1.00
Pansies (Jan., Feb., Mar., Apr.).....	per 100	2.00
Peonies (May).....	per doz.	\$3.00 and 5.00
Poinsettia (Dec.).....	per doz.	\$5.00 and 7.50
Physostegia (July and Aug.).....	per doz.	1.00
Phlox (June and July).....	per doz.	1.50
Pussy Willow (Feb. and Mar.).....	per doz.	1.00
Snap Dragon (Oct. to June).....	per doz.	
	\$2.00 and	3.00
Sweet Peas (Jan. 1 to June 1).....	per 100	2.00
Scabiosa (June, July, Aug.).....	per doz.	.50
Swainsonia (June, July, Aug.).....	per doz.	1.00
Tritomas (July).....	per doz.	3.00
Tulips (Feb. and March).....	per doz.	1.00
Tuberoses (Aug. and Sept.).....	per doz.	1.50
Violets—Single (Mar. and Apr.).....	per 100	1.00
Zinnias (July Aug. and Sept.).....	per doz.	.25
Galax Leaves, 25 to a bunch.....		.15
Fern Leaves, 25 to a bunch.....		.15
Leucothoe Leaves, 25 to a bunch.....		.15
Wild Smilax, per case (2x2x4) 50 lbs.....		7.50

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ROSE BUSHES

*One-Year-Old Pot Plants, 35c each,  
\$3.50 per dozen*

- Alexander Hill Gray—Deep Yellow  
American Pillar (climb)—Cerise  
American Beauty—Rose  
American Legion—Pink  
Blumenschmidt—Canary Yellow  
Banksia (climb) Sulphur—Yellow  
Cecil Brunner (climb)—Pink  
Columbia—Pink  
Crusader—Red  
Duchess DeBrabant—Salmon Pink  
Duchess of Wellington—Yellow
- Dorothy Perkins (climb)—Shell Pink  
Etoile De France—Red  
Frau Karl Druschki—White  
Gruss au Teplitz—Red  
Hadley—Red  
Helen Gould—Bright Red  
Kaiserin Augusta Victoria—White  
Killarney Pink  
Mrs. Aaron Ward—Yellow  
Mrs. George Shawyer—Bright Pink
- Mrs. Charles Bell—Shell Pink  
Ophelia—Salmon Flesh  
Paul Neyron—Deep Rose  
Pink Maman Cochet—Pink  
Russell—Deep Pink  
Reine Marie Henriette (climb)—Red  
Silver Moon (climb)—White  
Sunburst—Yellow  
Wellesley—Pink  
White Maman Cochet—White

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BULBS

*Imported from France and Holland  
For Sale in October and November*

	Doz.	100
Roman Hyacinths—White.....	\$2.00	
Narcissus—Yellow .....	1.00	\$7.50
Paper White Narcissus.....	.60	4.00
Freesias.....	.25	1.50
Spanish Iris, White, Blue and Yellow .....	.75	5.50
Daffodils—Emperor.....	.75	5.50
Jonquils.....	.50	3.50
Chinese Sacred Lilies—15c each, per doz., \$1.50		
Tulips—Best Double Pink “Murillo”.....	.75	5.50
Tulips—Darwin, Pink, Red, Blue, White and Yellow.....	.75	5.50
Crocus—Mixed.....	.25	\$1.50
Dutch Hyacinths—Large, Single, White, Pink, Red, Blue, Lavender and Yellow, 10c each.....	.75	5.50
Dutch Hyacinths—Double, White, Pink, Red, Blue, Lavender and Yellow, 10c each.....	.75	5.50
Sweet Pea Seed—White, Pink, Lavender, Red per ounce, 25c;		
Sweet Pea Seed—Mixed, per ounce, 15c; per pound.....		1.50

If bulbs are to be shipped by parcel post, add 15c per doz.

If bulbs are to be shipped by prepaid express add 50c per 100.

We do not sell 50 bulbs at hundred rate.

We do not guarantee plants or bulbs to live. If same, upon arrival, do not meet your approval, customer has privilege of returning same to us at OUR expense. Under no circumstances whatever will we hold ourselves responsible for plants or bulbs after they have been placed under conditions we are unable to control.

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### BEDDING PLANTS, ETC.

*Can be Supplied ONLY During the  
Months of April and May*

	Doz.	100
Alternanthera.....	\$ .50	\$3.50
Argeratum.....	.50	3.50
Achyranthus.....	.50	3.50
Coleus.....	.50	3.50
Coleus, Trailing Queen.....	.50	3.50
Salvia.....	.50	3.50
Verbena—Giant Red.....	.50	3.50
Verbena—Mixed.....	.50	3.50
Sweet Alyssum.....	.50	3.50
Heliotrope.....	.50	3.50
Asters.....	.50	3.50
Single Petunias (mixed).....	.50	3.50
Zinnias.....	.50	3.50
Gaillardia.....	.50	3.50
Wandering Jew.....	.50	3.50
Double Petunias (mixed).....	.75	5.00
Shasta Daisies.....	.75	5.00
Snap Dragon.....	.75	5.00
Fuchsia.....	.75	5.00
Lantana (mixed).....	.75	5.00
Lantana, Weeping.....	.75	5.00
Marigold.....	.75	5.00
Sultana.....	.75	5.00
Hollyhocks—Double, White and Pink.....	.75	5.00
Budleya.....	.75	5.00
Calendulas.....	.75	5.00
Feverfew.....	.75	5.00
Parlor Ivy.....	.75	5.00
Cannas—Red, Pink, Yellow.....	1.00	7.50
Geraniums Double—Red, Pink and White.....	1.00	7.50

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BEDDING PLANTS, ETC.

If plants are to be sent by mail, add 15c per doz. to cover cost of box and parcel post charges.

Hundred lot shipments are always sent express.

Caladiums (Elephant Ear).....	20c each, 3 for \$	.50
Variegated Vinca.....	15c each, 2 for	.25
Moonvines.....	10 each, 3 for	.25
English Ivy.....	15c each, 2 for	.25
Clerodendrons.....	15c each, 2 for	.25
Crysanthemums, all colors.....	per doz.	1.00
Hibiscus, "Peachblow".....	each	.35
Dracena Indivisa.....	each	.25
Begonias Pink and White.....	each	.50
Gladiolus Bulbs—Pink, Red or Mixed.....	per doz.	1.00
Tuberose Bulbs—Single.....	per doz.	1.00
Dahlias.....	per doz.	2.50
Asparagus Plumosos (4-inch pot).....	each	.50
Asparagus Springeri (4-inch pot).....	each	.50
Maiden Hair Ferns.....	each	1.00
Ferns—Boston and Whitmanii.....	each 50c to	7.50
Palms (Kentia).....	each \$2.00, \$5.00, \$7.50	10.00
Hydrangeas—Pink and White.....	each	2.50
Carnation Plants.....	each	.10
Hanging Baskets (wire), 9-inch, not filled.....	each	.75
Hanging Baskets (wire), 9-inch, filled.....	each	2.50
Green Sheet Moss for Hanging Baskets, per square yard.....		2.00
Privet—Armour River.....	per 100, \$5.00 and	7.50

(For Sale in Jan.)

Pansies.....	per doz., 50c; per 100	3.50
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PRICES OF CUT FLOWERS AT  
CHRISTMAS TIME

*Effective December 15th to January 1st,  
Inclusive. Orders should be placed  
at least 10 days in advance.*

	Per Doz.
Carnations, White and Pink.....	\$ 3.00
Carnations, Red and Deep Pink.....	4.00
Roses, White, Pink, Yellow.....	\$3.00, \$5.00 and 7.50
Roses, Red and Russell.....	\$5.00, \$7.50, \$10.00 and 15.00
Roses, American Beauties (Long Stem Russell)....	18.00
Lilies of the Valley.....	2.00
Easter Lilies.....	6.00
Calla Lilies.....	6.00
Orchids.....	each 3.00
Hyacinths, White Roman.....	2.50
Scotch Heather.....	3.00
Snap Dragon.....	3.00
Gladiolus.....	3.50
Stevia.....	2.00
Crysanthemums.....	10.00
Narcissus, White.....	1.00
Poinsettia.....	\$5.00 and 7.50
Sweet Peas.....	per 100 3.00
Violets—Single.....	per 100 2.00
Christmas Corsages.....	each
	\$5.00, \$7.00, \$10.00, \$12.50 15.00



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Macon, Ga.

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### SPECIAL PLANTS, ETC., FOR CHRISTMAS SALE

PLEASE NOTE prices of cut flowers  
advance at Christmas time.

If plants are to be shipped, add 35c  
for box and packing.

Azaleas.....	each \$7.50, \$10.00 and \$12.50	
Roman Hyacinths.....	each	1.50
Poinsettia.....	each \$2.50, \$3.50 and	5.00
Cyclamen—Specimen Plants.....	each	
	\$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.50 and	15.00
Cyclamen.....	each \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and	5.00
Dracena Terminalis.....	\$1.50 and	2.50
Chinese Peppers.....	each	1.00
Lilies of the Valley.....		3.50
Begonia—Glore De Lorraine.....	each \$2.50 to	5.00
Auracarias.....	\$3.50 and	5.00
Japan Cedars.....		1.50
White Narcissus.....		1.50
Scotch Heather.....	\$2.50, \$3.50 and	5.00
Stevia.....		2.00
Easter Lilies.....		2.00
Rubrum Lilies.....		2.00
Calla Lilies.....		2.50
Fluffy Ruffles Ferns.....		1.50
Maiden Hair “Farleyense”.....	each \$2.00 to	5.00
Crotons.....	each	1.50
Orange Trees.....	each \$2.00 to	3.50
Primroses.....	each	1.00
Jerusalem Cherries.....	each	2.50
Red Ruscus.....	per doz.	.50
Combination Plant Baskets.....	\$5.00 to	15.00
Ardisias.....		1.50
Red Immortelles.....	per bunch	1.00
Wreath for Cemetery.....	\$5.00 and	7.50
Christmas Corsages.....		
	\$5.00, \$7.00, \$10.00, \$12.50 and	15.00

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### SPECIAL PLANTS, ETC., FOR EASTER SALE

Azaleas.....	each \$7.50 and \$10.00
Easter Lilies.....	\$2.00 to 5.00
Cinerarias.....	\$1.50 and 2.50
Spireas.....	2.50
Rhododendrons.....	5.00
White Lilac.....	5.00
Hydrangeas—Pink.....	each \$2.50 to 10.00
Genistas.....	each 2.00
Bouganvillea.....	each \$3.50, \$5.00, \$7.50, 15.00
Baby Ramblers.....	3.00
Gardenias.....	3.00
Bottlebrush.....	1.50
Pelargoniums.....	1.00
Lilies of the Valley.....	3.50
Flowering Peach.....	5.00
Flowering Apple.....	5.00
Deutzias.....	2.00
Calla Lilies.....	2.50
Rubrum Lilies.....	2.00
Scotch Heather.....	3.50
Easter Lillies loose (not in pots).....	per doz. blooms
	\$6.00, \$7.50, 9.00

A charge of 35 cents is always made for box and packing  
of blooming pot plants



### WEDDING FLOWERS, ETC.

Shower Bouquets.....	\$15.00 and up
Arm Bouquets.....	7.50 and up
Round Bouquets.....	7.50 and up
Corsages.....	3.00 and up
Centerpieces.....	7.50 and up

Prices on Decorations given upon application.

Funeral Designs.....	\$5.00 and up
Funeral Sprays.....	3.00 and up



**I**T is advisable to place your orders at least one week in advance for flowers wanted for the following occasions:

Graduation Day

Easter

Thanksgiving Day

Christmas

Ten Days' Notice Required

New Year's Day

St. Valentine's Day

St. Patrick's Day

Green Carnations

Memorial Day

Mother's Day

Second Sunday in May

Do **not** order white flowers if wanted for mother living.

Armistice

November 11th

Advance orders at Christmas time, Easter and Mothers' Day *not* subject to countermand or changes.

Mail orders on Saturday should be sent by Special Delivery, as we have no mail delivery on Sunday. Store open on Sunday from 9 A. M. to 11 A. M., Eastern Time.

We have telegraphic communication with all the leading Florists in the United States and Canada.

We take orders and deliver anywhere in six (6) hours.

