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THOSE receiving this catalogue 1 wish to say 1 am confident 1 am offering you one of the finest collections that can be offered by any one.

Where none are quoted in the hundreds I cannot furnish them only as per catalogue.

Some years ago I placed on the American market Madam Mounet Sully, and from time to time I am placing more of the French varieties on the market.

You are sure of getting original stock from me.

## PRICE LIST AND DESCRIPTION

 $\chi$ LBAN( $\chi = \chi$  sphendid white with wide open flowers four inches in diameter; petals broad with finely runded edges. 15c each. 12 for \$1.50.

AMERICA. Large flower, flesh pink. 4c each. 12 for 4Cc. 100 for \$3.00.

BAGET de Fee. Levender piuk variegated, fine French variety, scarce. \$1.00 each.

BARON HULOT. Finest dark blue. 7c each. 12 for 70c 100 for \$5.00.

BEACON FLAME. A fine large red. 20c each. 12 for \$2.00.

BUUE JAY. Fine light blue, splashed with white, 15c each. 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$12.00.

BYRON L. SMITH. Most refixed lovender pink on white ground. Very fine as a cut flower. Color equal to an Otchid. 20c each. 12 for \$2.00.

CAPITAINE FERBER. Pale plum violet, spotted amaranth. French variety,

25c each. 12 for \$2.75.

CASA BLANCA. White with like marking in throat, Decided French novelty. Rare, 75c each, -12 for \$7.50.

CHARLEMAGNE. Very large open flowers; color sunrise red, flaked darker; marked magnificently. French variety. 10c each. 12 for \$1.00. 100 for \$9.00.

CRIMSON GLOW. Large criminon; best all around criminon ever offered, extra choice. 10c each. 12 for \$1.00. 100 for \$8.00.

EARLY SNOWFLAKE. White, delicately flaked and tinted rose, with a barium-yellow throat, slightly splashed with rose deep in throat. **10c each**.

EDOUARD GREGG. Bright rose blotched amaranth. French variety.

50c each. 12 for \$5.50.

ELECTRA. Bright and pleasing brick red; one of the earliest varieties.

10c each. 12 for \$1.00.

ELORA. White, slightly flushed pink; threat sulphur-yellow with a carmine blotch. A Burbank production, very early. 25c each.

ETENDARD. Cream white, center dark red; very fine French variety.

10c each. 12 for \$1.00. 100 for \$9.00.

EUGENE LEFEBVRE. Bright pink, throat spotted and dotted purplish emaranth and and cream. French variety. 25c each. 12 for \$2.75.

EUROPA. A very fine white Glad of perfect form, midseason, 15c each. 12 for \$1.50. EVELYN EIRTLAND. Beautiful rose pink, darker at the edges, fading to shell pink at

the center, with brilliant scarlet blotches on lower petals. Many open at one

time. Wonderfully decorative. 8c each. 12 for 75c. 100 for \$7.00.

FLORA. A fine clear yellow. 15c each. 12 for \$1.50.

GLORY. Delicate cream pink with neat crimson stripe. 7c each. 12 for 75c.

GEN. LANGLOIS. Magnificent flower; maroon, interior petals spotted beautifully; another French variety. 25c each. 12 for \$2,50.

GENERAL PERSHING. Large pale pink. 10c each. 12 for \$1.00.

GOLDEN VLEISS. Pure golden yellow, the very finest. 75c each.

GOLDEN KING. Brilliant golden yellow, with intense crimson blotch in throat. One of the best vellows. 5c each. 12 for 50c. 100 for \$4.00.

GOLDEN MEASURE. One of the finest yellows. Self color, strong spike. 15c each.

GENERAL SUERDOFF. XXXX Light pale blue running into lavender. Interior petals spotted. 25c each. 12 for \$2.75.

HENRY LEMOINE. Deep yellow with red throat. 25c each. 12 for \$2.00.

HERADA. Pure mauve with deeper markings in throat. 10c each. 12 for \$1.00.

JACOBA VAN BEYREN. A recent introduction, fine variety. Extraordinary violet self-color, well placed on tall perfect spike. Growth strong, with a color that none other of its class con equal. **50c each**.

JEAN du TAILLES. XXXX Large salmon flowers, blotched with maroon; another fine French variety. 20c each. 12 for \$2,00. 100 for \$15.00.

JENNIE LIND. Shrimp pink deepening to Geranium-pink at tips of petels. Flowers tubular. Spike compact. Flowers ruffled and edges rolled back. Should be in every high class collection. **30c each**.

JEWELL Rose pink shading into yellow. Extra fine, 25c each.

LA CANDEUR. Deep cream white; the latest variety we have ever grown; should be planted early; another French variety. 15c each. 12 for \$1.50.

LA COUROUNE. Broad flowers, cream white, throa blotched and maroon. 25c each. LA MARECHAL FOCH. Very early. Charming rose-pink, large flowers wide open. 10c each. 12 for \$1.00.

LE CID. Large, brilliant scarlet; another fine French variety. 25c each. 12 for \$2.50. LEIBESFEUER. Beautiful glossy scarlet; exceptionally fine, 15c each. 12 for \$1.50. LILLYWHITE. Pure snow white. Very early. 10c each. 12 for \$1.00.

L'IMACULEE. A very fine white. 10c each. 12 for \$1.00. 100 for \$7.00.

LITTLE DIAMOND. Kunderd's ruffled pink, dainty. 10c each. 12 for \$1.00.

LOUISE. Very dainty lavender, closely resembles a Cattlye orchid. 15c each.

MADAM A. MAUMEUE. White with dark garnet throut, Decided French novelty, Rare, \$1.00 each. 12 for \$10.00.

MADAM MOUNET SULLY. Cream white with red center; one of the finest French varieties. Very popular. 40c each. 12 for \$4.50.

MADAM SARAH BERNHARDT. Pale mauve pink, strong blotches of a crimson purple, edged sulphur, very early. Exceptionally fine French variety.

25c each. 12 for \$2.75.

MARSHAL FOCH. Kunderd's large ruffled pink. Very fine: 25c each.

MARY STEWART. Our own production. Creamy pink, deeper on tips, lower petals at base; blotched crimison on yellow ground. 25c each. 12 for \$2.00.

METEOR. Brick-red. Large. 10c each. 12 for \$1.00. 100 for \$8.00.

M. FERDINAND CAYEAUX. Dark yellow with reddish center. Fine French variety, 25c each. 12 for \$2.75.

MIXTURE. Exceptionally fine mixture. 3c each. 100 for \$2.00.

MRS. DOCTOR NORTON. White with edges suffused with pink; lower petals blotched sulphur yellow speckled with tyrian rose. This variety has received highest awards wherev exhibited. 15c each. 12 for \$1.00. 100 for \$9.00.

MRS. FRANCES KING. Flame pink; very popular. 4c each. 100 for \$3.00.

MRS. FRANK PENDLETON. Bright pink with two tones and rich carmine, very popular. 7c each. 12 for 75c. 100 for \$6.00.

MR. MARK. Light blue with dark spot. 15c each. 12 for \$1,50. 100 for \$10.00.

MRS. W. E. FRYER. Poppy-red, with amber-white throat, and a blotch of crimson-red. 6c each. 12 for 65c. 100 for \$5.00.

MYRTLE. Delicate rose pink with creamy throat. Very fine:

10c each. 12 for \$1.00. 100 for \$8.00.

NIAGARA. Soft primrose yellow--giant type, throat tinted with carmine,

6c each. 12 for 65c. 100 for \$4.50.

PANAMA. New pink seedling of America, but several shades darker; very popular. 5c each. 12 for 50c. 100 for \$4.00.

PEACE. Giant white, lower petals marked with dark carmine.

6c each. 12 for 50c. 100 for \$4.00.

PINK PERFECTION. Bright pink, very large flower.

8c each. 12 for 85c. 100 for \$5.00.

PRIMULINUS. All yellow, popular. 5c each. 12 for 50c.

PRINCE OF WALES. Delicate salmon, early, very popular.

10c each. 12 for \$1.00. 100 for \$7.00.

PURPLE GLORY. One of Kunderd's best, deepest velvety maroon red, with almost black blotches like burned into the petals. 25c each. 12 for \$2.50.

QUEEN OF THE BLACKS. XXXX Very dark red; a distinct novelty; finest dark we know of. Rare. 15c each. 12 for \$1.50. 100 for \$8.00.

RED EMPEROR. Large deep scarlet of immense size. 15c each. 12 for \$1.50.

SCRIBE. Tinted white, streaked with fine crimson. 10c each. 12 for \$1.00.

SCHWABEN. Sulphury yellow with crimson stripes; extra fine, 7c each. 12 for 70c.

TRIOMPHE de CAIN. White slightly tinged with rose. French variety.

25c each. 12 for \$2.75.

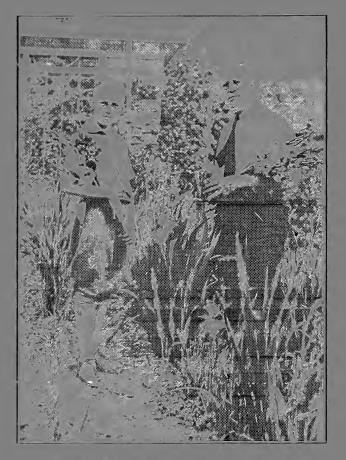
VICTORY. Clear sulphur-yellow the ends of the petals slightly suffused pink.

4c each. 12 for 40c. 100 for \$3.00.

WABAN. A fine bright red, new 50c each.

WAR. Extra dark scarlet. 6c each. 12 for 65c.

WHITE WONDER. Almost pure white; faintly flaked rose-pink. A very large flower well set on the spike and many open at a time. Very popular. 15c each.



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