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SPRING 1926 **SPECIAL LIST** 1926 SPRING  
**Pioneer Nursery Company, Inc.,** New Ulm Minnesota

This list contains prices and varieties not contained in the "Book of the Orchard, Lawn and Garden." This also is a reference list for northern planters. You will find the hardiest varieties of fruit trees, small fruits and ornamentals mentioned which are best suited for the vigorous climate of our northern states and southern Canada.

**Recommendations for Northern Planters**

NOTE: Some of the varieties listed here are found in the "Book of the Orchard, Lawn and Garden" and you will find complete description there. Those with the asterisk (\*) are found in this "Special List."



**APPLES**

**SUMMER**—Duchess of Oldenburg, \*Liveland Raspberry, \*Okabeena.  
**FALL**—\*Anisim, Wealthy, Fameuse, \*Hibernial, \*Longheld.  
**WINTER**—\*Haaralson (the "Delicious" for the North)—the new Minnesota apple; \*Malinda, \*Salome, N. W. Greening, \*Red Wing.

**CRAB APPLES**

**SUMMER**—Whitney, \*Early Strawberry.  
**FALL and WINTER**—Hyslop, Florence, Transcendent, \*Virginia, \*Sweet Russet.

**CHERRIES**

\*Zumbra (new Minn. fruit), Compass Cherry Plum, Wragg, \*Rocky Mountain Sand Cherry.

**MULBERRIES**

None very hardy except the Russian. This will freeze back a little in the far north.

**PLUMS**

Native—DeSoto, Hammer, Forest Garden, Hawkeye, Wolf.  
**Hansen Hybrids**—Hanska, Opata, Sapa, Waceta.  
**New Minn. Fruit**—\*Monitor, \*Underwood, Red Wing.

**PEARS**

The Mendel Pear is the only one we recommend for northern planters as being the hardiest and blight-proof.

**BLACKBERRIES**

Eldorado, Snyder.

**RASPBERRIES**

**BLACK**—Gregg, Cumberland.  
**RED**—\*King, \*Latham.  
**PURPLE**—\*Columbian.

**CURRENTS**

**RED**—Perfection, Cherry, Red Dutch.  
**WHITE**—White Grape.

**GOOSEBERRIES**

Downing, \*Carrie and Josselyn.

**RHUBARB**

We especially recommend our \*"Pioneer Giant" rhubarb. Myatt's Linnæus is next choice.

**ASPARAGUS**

Conover's Colossal, Columbian Asparagus.

**STRAWBERRIES**

**Spring Bearing**—Senator Dunlap.  
**Everbearing**—Progressive.

**GRAPES**

**RED**—Delaware, needs little protection.  
**WHITE**—Niagara, needs little protection.  
**BLACK**—\*Beta, \*Dakota, \*Alpha, Concord, needs protection.

**ORNAMENTAL SHRUBS**

Common Elder, Golden Elder, Barberry, \*Thunbergii, Chinese Rose Tree \*Siberian Almond, Dogwood, red and yellow; Hydrangea Arborescens Sterilis, Hydrangea, P. G., all lilacs, \*Russian Olive, Snowball, Snowberry, Spirea Van Houttei, Spirea Billardi, \*Mock Orange (P. Coronarius), Weigelia Rosea, \*Buckthorn, \*High Bush Crauberry, \*Spirea Bumalda, Tartarian Pink and White Honeysuckle.

**CLIMBING VINES**

Dutchman's Pipe, Virginia Creeper, Engelmann Ivy, Bittersweet, Large Flowering Clematis, Paniculata Clematis, \*Scarlet Trumpet Honeysuckle.

**HEDGES**

\*American Arbor Vitae (evergreen), \*Japanese (Thunberg's) Barberry, \*Buckthorn, \*Russian Olive.

**PEONIES—All Hardy**

Perennials—All hardy enough as perennial borders are usually mulched in fall. See catalog for description.

**ROSES**

The Rugosa Roses are the hardiest. Hybrid Perpetuals must be covered in winter. Hybrid Teas are tender.

**Hardy Climbers**—Dorothy Perkins, Excelsa. **Rugosa**—F. J. Grootendorst, Rugosa Alba, Conrad E. Meyer, Rugosa Rubra, \*Hansa, \*Delicata, \*Blanc de Coubert, \*Tetonkaha, \*Moss Roses, in catalog are hardy. **Miscellaneous Roses**—Persian Yellow.

**DECIDUOUS ORNAMENTAL TREES**

American White Ash, Black Locust, Box Elder, Catalpa Speciosa, Bechtel's Flowering Crab, American White Elm, Silver Maple, Sugar Maple, Norway Maple, Hackberry, Black Walnut, \*Bolle's Poplar, Linden, American, \*American Mountain Ash, \*White Oak, Pine Oak, \*Burr Oak, \*Red Oak, \*Russian Golden Willow, Wisconsin Weeping Willow, Norway Poplar.

**EVERGREENS**

Arbor Vitae—American—Pyramidal (in sheltered place near house.)  
 Norway Spruce, \*Black Hills Spruce (extra good), Colorado Blue Spruce, Douglas Spruce, Red Cedar, Austrian Pine, Scotch Pine, White Pine.





# SPECIAL LIST

Following are trees, shrubs, small fruits and flowers not mentioned in regular price list. Use only prices given herewith for these special items.

## Apples

Liveland Raspberry, Salome, Anisim, Malinda, Red Wing, Hibernial, Longfield, Okabena. Same prices as apples in catalog price list.

### Description of Special Varieties

**LIVELAND** Absolutely the most valuable early apple, succeeds everywhere. Clear waxen white, striped and marbled crimson. Splendid beauty and fine quality, combined with earliness and large size, make it the most popular early summer variety. Tree extremely hardy, healthy, vigorous and long-lived; blooms late and is blight resistant. Bears very young, an ideal filler. No apple of its season one half so valuable. Excels Transparent; better tree, longer lived; in all regions should be planted commercially, packed in baskets and shipped by the carload. Early apples are great money makers. Origin, Russia.

**ANISIM**—Tree hardy. Fruit dark red, medium size and of good quality. Very juicy. Season, October to January.



Anisim Apple

**HIBERNAL**—Our hardiest tree. Fruit large and especially fine for cooking. October to December. Best for top grafting as it is extremely hardy.

**LONGFIELD** Fruit medium-sized, yellowish with blush, choice for eating and home use. Early, heavy annual bearer. October to January.

**MALINDA** Best winter keeper. Will keep until June in good cellar. Quality good, late bearer. Extra hardy and bears heavily.

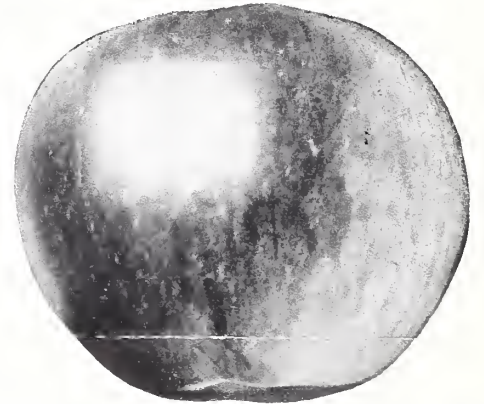
**SALOME** Shaped like Malinda, ovate, color is red. An all winter keeper, good quality. Tree very hardy and dependable. Makes fine tree.

**RED WING**—One of the Perkins seedlings. Beautiful red apple. A seedling of Malinda. Keeps as long as Malinda and has all its better qualities.

**OKABENA**—Very hardy. Early and heavy bearer. Quality good. September.

**HAARALSON**—The wonderful large red winter apple, originated at the Minnesota Fruit Breeding Farm. An early bearer, yielding heavy crops. Keeps until May in common storage.

	Each	Dozen	Per 25
These are selling rapidly—order at once.			
1 year tree, 2 to 3 ft.	\$0.75	\$ 7.00	\$15.00
1 year tree, 3 to 4 ft.	1.00	11.00	20.00
2 year, branched, 3 to 4 ft.	1.25	14.00	28.00
2 year, branched, 4 to 6 ft.	2.25	25.00	50.00



Malinda Apple

## CRAB APPLES

**VIRGINIA**—September, fruit of medium size. A vigorous tree. Fruit fine for canning.

**EARLY STRAWBERRY**—Early August, a well known crab. A favorite for small orchard. Small red and fine for preserving and canning.

**SWEET RUSSET**—Hardy, rather slow spreading grower, early and good bearer. Fruit large yellow; ripens in September and keeps a long time. Fine for eating.

Sweet Russet, Strawberry and Virginia Crab. See Catalog Price List for prices.

## Cherries

**ZUMBRA CHERRY**—The new Minnesota Cherry, large purple black, sweet cherry. Bears the second year. Grows and bears best in low bush form. This is an advantage. You can cover it with netting to protect fruit from birds. Fruit sells at high prices. Plant your orchard now.

Zumbra Cherry	Each	Dozen	Per 25	Per 100
1 year, 2 to 3 ft., branched	\$.75	\$ 7.50	\$15.00	\$55.00
1 year, 3 to 4 ft., branched	1.00	10.00	20.00	75.00

**ROCKY MOUNTAIN SAND CHERRY** Grows any place, even in gravel and bears loads of fruit. Under cultivation will bear tremendous crops. Often bears the first year.

	Each	Dozen	Per 25	Per 100
12 to 18 inches	\$.25	\$ 2.50	\$ 5.00	\$15.00
18 to 24 inches	.35	3.50	7.00	25.00
2 to 3 feet	.50	5.00	10.00	35.00
3 to 4 feet	.75	7.50	15.00	50.00



Zumbra Cherry

## Pears

### The Mendel Pear

The only real hardy, blight proof pear of excellent quality. Read the booklet "The Mendel Pear." We have only 50, 2 to 3 ft. trees left, 100 of the 18 to 24 inch and 100 of the 12 to 18 inch. Save money by investing in these small size trees now. By this coming fall they will equal a \$3.50 tree, as the larger size trees will be that price this fall. The price of the Mendel is steadily going up as the demand for it increases. We could sell 10,000 of the large size trees right now if we had them. We have many orders a year in advance for the larger size trees. Make your reservation NOW. Ask for our Special Advance Prices on the Mendel and place your order for fall 1926 or spring 1927 and get a bargain price. Following prices for the small trees now on hand: Not more than a dozen of a size to a customer.

12 to 18 inch, each,	\$1.00;	Dozen,	\$10.00
18 to 24 inch, each,	\$1.25;	Dozen,	\$12.50
2 to 3 feet, each,	\$1.75;	Dozen,	\$15.00

## Plums

**UNDERWOOD, MONITOR, RED WING** Three new Minnesota varieties. As large as California Plums but better.

**UNDERWOOD**—Large, red, small pit.

**MONITOR** Very large, annual bearer, dark red, firm flesh, excellent flavor. Valuable for market and home use.

**RED WING** Extra large red plum with peach like flavor. Beats all California plums.

### RHUBARB

**PIONEER RHUBARB**—Exceptionally heavy stalks. Often weigh 3 lbs. per stalk. Needs less sugar. 2 year divisions, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

## Raspberries

**LATHAM**, the new Minnesota berry. Best shipper, large red, delicious berry. We have disease free certified plants. Per dozen, \$1.75; per 25, \$3.00; per 100, \$10.00; per 500, \$45.00; per 1000, \$70.00.

**KING**, Red—Dozen, \$1.00; per 25, \$2.00; per 100, \$7.00; per 500, \$30.00; per 1000, \$50.00.

**GOLDEN QUEEN RASPBERRY**—The large yellow raspberry. Sweet as honey. Dozen \$1.00; per 25, \$1.75; per 100, \$6.00; per 500, \$25.00; per 1000, \$45.00.

## Gooseberries

**CARRIE**, heavy bearer, very hardy, large berry.

**JOSSELYN**—Extra large berry, largest we have. Each, 35c; \$3.50 per dozen.

## Grapes

Our hardy grapes need no protection. Black, semi-sweet, about the size of Concord. Originated by Mr. Suelter (deceased) of Carver, Minnesota. Makes the best jelly and grape juice.

**BETA, DAKOTA and SUELTER.**

	Each	Dozen	Per 25	Per 100
2 year No. 1 plants.....	\$ .35	\$ 3.50	\$ 7.00	\$25.00
1 year No. 1 plants.....	.25	2.50	5.00	15.00
Alpha, new Minnesota Grape, black.				
1 year No. 1 plants.....	.50	5.00	10.00	35.00



## Ornamental Shrubs

**Chinese Rose Tree** (prunus triloba) beautiful flowering shrub grows to 6 feet in height. Covered in spring with rose-like blossoms, about the size of a climbing rose blossom.

**Chinese Rose Tree**—18 to 24 in., \$1.00; 2 to 3 ft., \$1.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.

**Siberian Almond**—A beautiful, medium sized ornamental shrub—glossy oval leaves, one of the first shrubs to bloom in spring. Pink and red single blossoms that can be seen at a distance because of their brilliance. Should be in every shrub border as it is extremely hardy.

**Spiraea Billiardii**, beautiful, hardy, pink flowering shrub, reaches to 3 feet in height, flowers in panicles of feathery pink flower. Price each, 12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 50c; 2 to 3 ft., 75c.

**Spiraea Bumalda**, low flowering shrub, similar to St. Anthony Waterer. Hardier. 12 to 18 inches, 50c.

**High Bush Cranberry**—Bears edible fruit and fine for ornamental effect. 12 to 18 inches, 50c; 18 to 24 inches, 75c; 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00.

**Buckthorn**, the hardiest hedge. Round glossy leaves. A quick grower. Makes a dense barrier which can be trimmed to appear like a wall. Can be kept as low as 4 feet and as high as 12 feet, as desired. Prices per 100, 12 to 18 inches, \$8.00; 18 to 24 inches, \$10.00; 2 to 3 feet, \$12.00.

## Ornamental Trees

**Bolleana Poplar**, grows in column form. Foliage gray green and silvery underneath. Each, 5 to 6 feet, \$1.50; 6 to 8 feet, \$2.00; 8 to 10 feet, \$3.00.

**Mountain Ash**—Everyone appreciates this tree. Blossoms white and has bright red berries in fall, very ornamental in foliage. Fine for lawn. Each, 4 to 5 ft. trees only 75c.

**Russian Golden Willow**—5 to 6 feet, 50c; 6 to 8 feet, \$1.00.

## Ornamental Hedges

**American Arbor Vitae, evergreen**—Per 100, 12 to 18 in., \$35.00; 18 to 24 inches, \$45.00; 2 to 3 feet, \$50.00.

**Russian Olive**—Per 100, 12 to 18 inches, \$10.00; 18 to 24 inches, \$15.00; 2 to 3 feet, \$25.00.



Ornamental Planting

## Evergreens

**BLACK HILLS SPRUCE**—We make a specialty of the Black Hills Spruce as it is the most vigorous tree for our climate and grows well under most trying conditions. It is both satisfactory for wind-break and ornamental planting. Each, 18 to 24 inches, \$1.50; 2 to 3 ft., \$3.00; 4 to 5 feet, \$5.00; 5 to 6 feet, \$6.00. Balled and Burlapped.

**PYRAMIDAL ARBOR VITAE**—Grows in column form, needs no trimming. Each, 18 to 24 inches, \$3.00; 2 to 3 ft., \$4.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$8.90; 4 to 5 ft., \$12.00.

Each balled and burlapped.

**DWARF MOUNTAIN PINE**, (mugho pine), compact globe form, dark green color with white tips, needs no trimming. 12 to 18 inches, \$4.00; 18 to 24 inches, \$6.00.

## Small Evergreens For Windbreaks

	Price per 100	8 to 12 inches	12 to 18 inches
Norway Spruce .....		\$10.00	\$10.00
Black Hills Spruce.....		10.00	35.00
White Spruce .....		50.00	
Scotch Pine .....		6.00	15.00
Jack Pine .....		6.00	15.00

## Hardy Climbing Vines

For Stone Wall and Houses

**ENGELMANN CREEPER or IVY**—Crawls up brick and stone houses without aid, covering walls with beautiful leaves which turn bright red in fall. Each, 35c, dozen \$3.50.



## Garden Plants

These plants are grown in pots and when shipped they are taken out of pots but soil remains in pot form. They are well packed and will reach you in perfect condition, ready to be planted in your garden. Price depends on sizes.

### DAISIES:—

Marguerites, white—25c, 50c, 75c.  
Mrs. Sanders, new double white—25c, 50c, 75c.  
Feverfew, Little Gem, double pure white—25c.  
Forget-Me-Not—Per dozen, 50c.  
Geraniums, all colors, 25c, 50c, 75c.

Geranium, Suleroi, for edging, white leaves, 25c.

Lobelia, border plant, per dozen, \$1.75.

Pansies, Giant, mixed colors, strong plants per dozen, 50c.

Caladium, (Elephant's Ear), 50c.

Cannas, King Humbert, dark leaved, per dozen, \$2.50.

Cannas, large yellow, brilliant, deep crimson, pure red, scarlet bordered with golden yellow—started roots, per dozen \$2.50.

Canna, Hungary (new pink) dozen, \$3.00.

Coleus, foliage plants, mixed varieties. Each, 20c; dozen \$2.00.

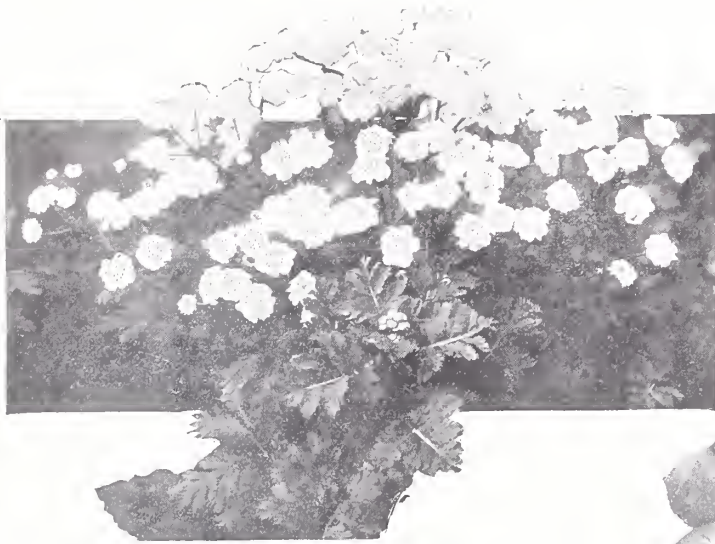
Dusty Miller, transplanted for edging, per dozen, 50c.

Petunia, single, mixed colors, flowering, each, 20c.

Verbena, different colors, best varieties per dozen, \$1.75.

Salvias (Scarlet Sage) large, per dozen, \$2.00.

Snapdragon, different colors, transplanted, each, 15c.



Feverfew

## House Plants

Asparagus, Plumosus Nanus, each 25c and 50c.

Asparagus, Sprengeri, each 25c; 50c; 75c.

Ferns, (Boston Sword) \$1.00; \$2.00; \$3.00.

Heliotrope, purple, each 25c and 50c.

Chrysanthemum, best large flowering sorts in red, white, pink and yellow, each 20c.

Carnation, white, red and pink, each 20c.

Dracena Indivisa, for vases or window boxes, \$1.00 and \$1.50 each.

Vincas (variegated) for vases, window boxes, etc. Each 35c to 50c.



Pansies

## Vegetables Best Varieties

The kind we plant for our own use. Order early as we never can supply the demand.

### KOHL RABI

Per dozen, 15c.



Best Tomato



Early Cabbage

### TOMATOES

Best red sorts, per dozen, 20c.  
Tomatoes, transplanted in pots, per doz. 75c to \$1.25.

### EARLY CABBAGE

Plants per dozen, 15c.



Carnations

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