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Yours very truly,

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## FRUIT TREES

#### PEACHES

Prices, 2 to 3 feet, 15 cents, \$1.65 per 12, \$12.50 per 100. 3 to \* 5 feet 25 cents, \$2.75 per 12, \$20.00 per 100, 5 to 7 feet, heavy. 40 cents, \$4.00 per 12.

A selected list, in order of ripening.

May-Flower. A beautiful "red all over" peach, of good size and good flavor. A good bearer for so early a variety. May.

Greensboro. Large white, red cheek; fine flavor. Alexander. Large red, of very good quality. May.

Early Wheeler. White with pink cheek, flesh firm, of good quality. A good bearer and good keeper.

Japan Dwarf Blood. Bright color; tree grows not quite so

tall as other varieties; sure bearer. May.

Bokara. Large, of good quality and bears every year, very hardy. June 5 to 15.

Triumph. A good early yellow peach, excellent quality,

sure bearer, June 5 to 15.

Honey. Sweetest peach grown; good bearer. June.

Arp Beauty. Resembles Elberta; ripens three weeks earlier. Mamie Ross. (Cling.) Large size, of good quality; bears well. Middle of June.

Chinese Cling. Largest white, but not very prolific. July. Carman. Very large and of the finest flavor; productive. Ripens June 10 to 15.

Katherine. A fine peach; large white with red cheek, firm and of good flavor; a good bearer, ripe end of June and into July.

Pallas. White with red cheek, of good quality; annual

bearer. June and July.

Early Elberta. Ripens about 2 weeks earlier than Elberta, otherwise the same.

Thurber, Large white, red cheek, excellent quality. A sure bearer. June and July.

Belle of Georgia. Large, white and of fine flavor; bears

Leona. Large vellow with red cheek; like Elberta, but ripens a little earlier and more regular in bearing.

Chilow. Large, vellow, best quality, good keeper, July. J. H. Hale. Beautiful yellow freestone. Good shipper, keeps well, solid round fruit.

**Old Mixon Cling.** One of the best Clingstones, juicy and of finest flavor; productive. August.

Elberta. One of the best for home or market; large, yellow,

fine flavor; good bearer. July 15 to 25.

Aughert. (August Elberta.) A good yellow, resembling Elberta; ripens in August.

Indian Cling. Large, juicy, good bearer. August.

Weaver. Best yellow September Cling.

Henrietta. A good late Clingstone; large yellow, red cheek.

September — October.

Stinson's October. (Cling.) Large, white with red cheek, flesh firm and juicy. October and November.

Seedling Peaches. 3 to 5 feet, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per 12.

### **PLUMS**

Prices. 2 to 3 feet, 20 cents, \$2.25 per 12, \$17.00 per 100. 3 to 4 feet, 30 cents, \$3.25 per 12, \$25.00 per 100. 4 to 6 feet, 40 cents, \$4.50 per 12.

Winnsboro. Red, resembles "Wild Goose", but ripens three

weeks earlier, sure bearer. May.

McCartney. Golden yellow, egg-shaped, productive. May. Six Weeks. Yellow with a little red, ripens last of May. Bruce. A large red, early plum. One of the best to ripen end of May.

Wild Goose (Native.) Large red, very good; good bearer.

June

Gold. Large yellow, with a little red; firm, good bearer. June.

Milton. Medium to large, red, sweet, good bearer. May. Excelsior. (Hybrid). A variety which has proven its value in nearly all sections of the South. Fruit of good size; round, reddish purple; flesh juicy, melting, and sweet.

Botan (Japan). Large, yellowish green overspread with

red; sweet. June.

Gonzales (Hybrid). A large red plum, sweet and juicy; tree is a good grower and very prolific. June.

Nona (Native.) Large, bright red color, juicy and of good

quality. June.

America. Large yellow, of good flavor. A good bearer.

Shiro (Hybrid). Fruit large, yellow, egg-shaped; will keep for a long time; bears enormous crops. June.

Santa Rosa. Large, of dark red color. Tree strong grower

and good bearer. June.

Red June. (Japan.) Large red, flesh yellow, good quality.

Wickson (Japan). Very large, red; tree of upright growth
 and very productive. July.
 Happiness (Hybrid). Fruit very large, red, good quality.

Happiness (Hybrid). Fruit very large, red, good quality. Burbank (Japan). Large, roundish, flesh yellow, sweet

when fully ripe: sure bearer. June and July.

Satsuma. Large: blood red flesh, bluish skin; tree grows large and bears well. July 1.

#### PEARS

Prices except where noted, 2 to 3 feet, 30 cents, \$3.25 per 12; 3 to 5 feet, 40 cents, \$4.25 per 12. Selected trees 50 cents, \$5.25 per 12.

For larger quantities write for prices.

This list of selected varieties is well tested and proved valuable throughout the greatest section of the South.

Garber. Fruit resembles Kieffer in size and color. Tree most vigorous and good bearer. Ripens a month before Kieffer.

Kieffer. Fruit large to very large, bright yellow with red cheek, and of good quality when fully ripe. Tree vigorous, rarely fails to bear a full crop. One of the best.

Le Conte. A most rapid grower, and an annual bearer of large, pale yellow, bell-shaped fruit of best quality. The pear that leads its way to the South. July and August.

Bartlett. The old standard. Large yellow, flesh melting and

juicy. August.

Chinese Sand. Called the "Pineapple Pear". Valuable for the South as a canning pear. Flesh in coarse, about the quality of Kieffer. Tree a good grower. not subject to blight; good bearer. August.

### APPLES

Prices on all varieties, 3 to 4 feet, 30 cents, \$3.00 per 12; 4 to 6 feet. 40 cents. \$4.25 per 12.

There should be a few apple trees in every orchard, where

the soil is adapted to their culture.

Astrachan. Large red, crisp; tree healthy.

Yellow Horse. Large, yellow with blush, a good summer apple, very prolific. July.

Delicious. Blushed and striped brilliant red, of conicai

shape: good grower.

Winesan. Medium size, flesh red and of good quality.

Ben Davis. Large, red on yellowish ground; very valuable. Black Twig. A large apple similar to Winesap.

Jonathan. Medium red, very fine eating apple. Tree a

strong grower and very productive. July.

Transcendent Crab Apple. Worth all other crabs put together. Yellow striped with red. Tree a strong healthy grower and an annual bearer, Ripens first of July.

#### APRICOTS

Prices, 4 to 6 foot trees 45 cents each, \$4.75 per 12: 3 to 4 feet, 30 cents, \$3.25 per 12.

The following good varieties we can recommend.

Moorpark. Large, orange vellow with red cheek; sweet and juicy. June.

Cluster. Fruit medium, vellow, good quality. Tree blooms

late. June.

Royal, Large vellow with red, excellent quality, June.

## JAPAN PERSIMMONS

Some of these should be planted by every family. The trees bear young and are very ornamental.

Price 40 cents each: \$4.50 per 12; large trees, 60 cents,

\$6.50 per 12.

Hyakume. Large, orange red, very sweet, few seeds.

Yemone. Fruit large, resembles a tomato, color orange yel-

low to red.

Taui-Nashi. Very large, yellow to red. seedless. Very good quality when fully ripe.

## QUINCES

Prices: 50 cents each, \$5.00 per 12.

The quince is only used for making all kinds of preserves and jellies, for which it is very valuable.

Meech. Fruit large, yellow and of fine flavor.

#### **CHERRY**

Compass Cherry. A cross between a cherry and a plum. Succeeding in parts of country not adapted to other cherries. Price 35 cents each, large 50 cents each.

#### MULBERRIES

Every farm should have a few mulberry trees about the back yard and where the chickens run. They make a quick shade and are long-lived.

Prices: 3 to 4 feet, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per 12; 4 to 6 feet, 30 cents each; \$3.00 per 12; 6 to 8 feet, 45 cents—each; \$4.50 per 12.

Black English. A fine, large mulberry. Tree a rapid grower and good bearer.

Hicks Everbearing. Tree a good grower, and produces large quantities of fruit for about two months.

Russian. Mostly planted as a shade tree, which is hardy and long-lived; the fruit is small, but very sweet.

#### FIGS

Figs should be planted more extensively. Ripe fruit can be had almost every day from June till frost, provided there is enough moisture to keep the trees growing. Following are the hardiest and best varieties for general cultivation.

Prices: 1 to 2 feet, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per 12; 2 to 3 feet, 30 cents, \$3.00 per 12. Selected 50 cents, \$5.00 per 12.

Magnolia. Fruit large, yellowish-white, productive. Very sweet.

Brown Turkey. Very hardy and one of the best bearers we have. Fruit brown, excellent quality.

Celestial. A small blue fig, very productive. Very sweet.

Green Ischia. Of good size and good quality. Greenish color.

#### **NUT TREES**

#### **PECANS**

Right now growing paper-shell pecans in the South is very sensible and profitable. The trees are beautiful and will grow on any deep soil, with clay sub-soil preferred. The paper-shell pecans bring the highest price of any nuts.

The trees we sell are dug with good roots and the best of

care is given them in handling and packing.

Price, 2 feet 70 cents, \$7.25 per 12. 3 to 5 feet \$1.00, \$11.00 per 12. 5 to 7 feet \$1.50, \$16.50 per 12. 7 to 9 feet \$2.50 each.

No class of trees is growing in popularity as fast as are pecan or other nut trees. Pecans are much harder to bud or graft successfully than other trees, so have to be sold at a higher price.

Stuart. Very large; shell thin; tree a rapid grower and an

early bearer.

Schley. Large size; shell thin; flavor rich. Good grower and

prolific.

Frotscher. Very large; meat can be taken out whole, and is of fine quality.

Van Deman. Large, 45 to 50 to the pound; shell thin; qua-

lity good.

Success. Of large size, shell moderately thin; kernel

plump, of rich quality.

Walnuts. (Japan.) Trees are hardy and good growers, low and spreading. 3 to 4 feet, 60 cents.

#### POMEGRANATES

Price: 20 cents each. \$2.00 per 12. Large, 35 cents. **Large Sweet.** Fruit very delicious; different from the common sour kind. A good bearer.

#### ORANGES

Satsuma. Hardiest of the sweet orange family, fruit reddish yellow, almost seedless, very sweet, an abundant bearer. Trees 1 to 2 feet, 45 cents; 2 to 3 feet, 65 cents.

Otaheite. The small bright oranges will hang on the tree long after they are ripe; more as a pot plant, bears well. 35 cents.

#### LEMONS

Wonder (or Ponderosa). The largest edible lemon grown, useful and ornamental, an everbearing variety. Price 35 cents each. Large plants 50 cents.

#### GRAPES

The grape succeeds in almost any soil, therefore it should be planted more extensively than it is. We offer for sale only a few of the best, such as we can recommend.

Price: Strong, 2 years, 20 cents, \$2.00 per 12; \$15.00 per 100. Concord. Large bunches and berries, very good for table

and market, blue-black.

Edna. This is one of the best white grapes that we have.

Herbemont. Fruit of medium size, large clusters, very productive, purple.

Niagara. Large, amber-white, good quality.

Black Spanish. One of the best grapes, berries of medium size, good bearer.

Carman. Large clusters and berries. A good black grape.

#### **STRAWBERRIES**

We can supply these at 20 cents per 12, \$1.00 per 100, \$7.50 per 1.000, in the following best varieties: **Klondyke**, **Lady Thompson**, and **Excelsion**.

#### BERRIES

Every farm or city garden should contain a patch of blackberries or dewberries. They bear one year after they are planted, and annually thereafter.

Austin Mayes Dewberry. Fruit very large and fine-flavor-

ed; produces a full crop each year. Ripens in May. 30 cents per 42, \$2.00 per 400.

ed; produces a full crop each year. Ripens in May. 40 cents

per 12, \$2.50 per 100.

McDonald Berry. This is a new berry, a cross between the plackberry and the dewberry. Fruit is large, juicy and of the very best quality. Hardiest, most vigorous and most productive of all berries here. Earliest of all, ripening first of April. Price 40 cents per 12, \$2.50 per 100.

Austin Mayes Thornless. Like the Austin Mayes Dewberry.

only that it has no thorns. 75 cents per 12, \$5.00 per 100.

## SHADE AND ORNAMENTAL TREES

Nothing adds so much to the appearance of the home as

well-cared-for shade trees or ornamentals.

Umbrella China. Makes a fine shade quicker than any other tree. 4 to 6 feet, 50 cents; 3 to 4 feet, 35 cents; \$4.00 per dozen.

Carolina Poplar. A successful shade tree. Resembles Cot-

tonwood. 4 to 6 feet, 25 cents each; 6 to 8 feet 50 cents.

**Silver-Leaved Poplar.** Leaves are white on under side, very ornamental, also good for shade. 4 to 5 feet, 25 cents each: 5 to 7 feet 50 cents.

Red Bud. A very ornamental tree, producing reddish purple flowers early in the spring. It is an attractive tree. 2 to

3 feet, 25 cents each; 4 to 5 feet 40 cents.

Sterculia Platanaefolia (Varnish Tree). A very desirable shade tree of rapid growth. Leaves large, bark very smooth and green. 5 to 6 feet, 50 cents; 3 to 4 feet, 35 cents.

Box Elder. A well-known beautiful shade tree, 4 to 6 feet,

35 cents each, 6 to 7 feet, 50 cents.

#### **EVERGREENS**

A few evergreens, planted in the yard add much to the appearance of your home. No yard fence is so restful as an evergreen hedge

Pittosporum Tobira. Grows round and compact, can also

be trimmed. \$1.25 each. Large plants \$2.00 each.

California Privet. The most satisfactory for hedges or

screens, also for single specimens. Prices, 2 to 3 feet, 10 cents each: for hedging, \$4.00 per 100.

Euonymus Japonica. A fast growing evergreen shrub, for hedge or single specimen can be sheared to any form. 1 foot 30

cents each, \$3.00 per dozen. 2 feet, 50 cents each.

Amoor River Privet South. Similar to California Privet, smaller leaves, round and dense; a hardy, good grower. 2 feet. 25 cents. \$2.50 per 12; for hedging \$6.00 per 100. 3 to 4 feet, 40 cents each. 4 to 6 feet, heavy. \$1.25 each.

Japan Medlar. Grows into medium sized tree, with long shining leaves. Blooms in winter, white flowers in spikes, 2-

year-old plants \$1.25 each. Large plants \$2.00 each.

Wax Ligustrum. Thick waxy leaves. One of the most de-

sirable evergreen shrubs. 1 to 2 feet \$1.25, 2 to 3 feet \$2.00.

Japan Privet. (Ligustrum Japonicum). The best of all privets, having dark-green leaves, fine for single specimens. It makes a beautiful shade tree which produces large bunches of creamy-white flowers. Pruned trees, 3 to 4 feet, 50 cents: 4 to 6 feet, 75 cents. Bushy plants, 3 to 4 feet, 40 cents; 2 to 3 feet, 35 cents; 1 to 2 feet 25 cents, \$2.50 per 12.4 to 6 feet 75 cents.

Magnolia Grandiflora. A beautiful, long-lived tree. In summer it produces large white flowers. Leaves should be cut off before planting. 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00 each: 3 to 4 feet, \$1.50 each:

1 to 6 feet, \$2.50 each.

Nandina Domestica. A beautiful evergreen shrub of upright growth; white flowers produced in long panicles, followed by red berries. Plants, one foot, \$1.25 each.

Cape Jasmine. Large glossy foliage; flowers large, white. and delightfully fragrant. I foot, 25 cents each; 2 feet, 50 cents.

Palm, Washingtonia Filifera. One of the hardiest palms, large fun-shaped leaves, can be planted in the open ground; quick grower. Nice plants 35 cents each; small, 1 year plants 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen. Large plants 50 cents to \$1.00.

Rosemary. The well known evergreen, highly perfumed. Strong plants, 25 cents each, \$2.50 per dozen. Large plants 40

cents each.

#### CONE BEARING EVERGREENS.

Chinese Arbor Vitae. Vigorous and hardy, of dark green color. 2 feet 50 cents, 3 feet 75 cents each. 4 to 5 feet \$1.25.

Baker's Arbor Vitae. A fine pyramidal type; compact; good

grower. 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  foot \$1.00, 2 feet \$1.50.

Pyramidal Cypress. (Italian.) It is of tall columnar habit. Does well in South Texas. 1½ foot \$1.15, 2 to 3 feet \$1.50.

### **EVERBLOOMING ROSES**

### "THE QUEEN OF FLOWERS"

For outdoor planting we consider these the cream of the world. They will bloom from spring until frost if given a little attention to keep them growing. We sell strong bushes, grown in the field. All have bloomed, and will commence blooming early in spring after planting.

The following varieties are the best and finest obtainable. All are hardy outdoors. Trim off about one-half of the wood

when planted.

Prices, except as noted, 35 cents each. \$3.75 per 12; selected

large plants 50 cents each, \$5.25 per 12.

Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. Pearl white, a grand rose of vigorous growth.

White Killarney. A sport from Killarney; long in bud. White La France. Finest white large flowers, free bloo-

Bride. White with pink on outside of petals. A good white

rose.

Frau Karl Druschki. (White American Beauty). Vigorous grower, with bright green leaves. Splendid long buds and magnificent white blooms with large saucer-shaped petals.

Etoile de Lyon. Finest yellow, large, beautifully shaped

flowers, very full.

Bessie Brown. White flushed with pink, erect stems, very

beautiful.

Wm. R. Smith. Greamy white shaded pink; beautiful in form and color; flowers produced on long stems.

Antoine Rivoire. Large double, creamy white, tinted pink.

Mile. Cecile Brunner. Rosy pink on a creamy-white
ground. The tiny Polyantha rose.

Radiance. Rosy-carmine flowers, which are large and of

fine form.

Los Angeles. A strong grower and good bloomer, pink shaded gold; long pointed buds.

Mme. Jenny Guillemont. Saffron-yellow with dark golden

shadings; buds long and pointed. Free flowering.

Souvenir de Pierre Notting. Large and well filled, of apricot yellow color, edged with carmine rose.

Sunburst. The color is golden orange; edge of petals

lighter. One of the yellowest of roses.

Lady Hillingdon. Apricot yellow, long pointed buds.

Yellow C. Brunner. Dainty, tiny golden yellow buds, opening to a clear yellow, free flowering.

Francisca Krueger, Coppery yellow, one of the finest yel-

low roses, free bloomer.

Columbia. A large peachblow pink rose, on long stems, nearly thornless.

Mad. Butterfly. A bright pink, changing to apricot yellow.

Free bloomer; large perfect flowers.

Duchess of Albany (Red La France). Very large, deep

pink, highly perfumed.

Paul Neyron. Bright shining pink, clear and beautiful; very double and full. The largest of all rose blooms. The plant is a strong grower and stems are almost thornless.

President Taft. A good grower and free bloomer, one of the

best pink roses; fragrant.

Pink Killarney. With pointed buds and large semi-double

flowers, a brilliant pink.

Bridesmaid. Beautiful pink. Very popular; good grower. Wellesley. Bright, clear salmon rose. Vigorous and healthy. Hermosa. Pink, free bloomer, fine for bedding.

La France. Silvery rose, very large and of beautiful form.

Mad. Testout. A standard pink, very free bloomer.

Mad. Masson. Large double and full flowers of bright red; highly perfumed. Constant bloomer.

Red Radiance. The "Radiance" duplicated except color, be-

ıng a brilliant crimson.

American Beauty. Brilliant red; very large, cup shaped flowers borne on stiff bushy stems.

Etoile de France. A fine new rose. Flowers very large and

double, on long stiff stems; dark crimson in color.

Gruss an Teplitz. Bright scarlet, best bedding rose, blooming freely.

Meteor. Dark red, very double.

Crimson Queen. Velvet crimson, strong upright grower. Gen. McArthur. Bright crimson scarlet; very fragrant.

#### CLIMBING

Cl Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. Flowers same as the bush Kaiserin; free bloomer.

Gainesborough. A strong grower and good Flowers large; light pink, almost white. bloomer.

Blue Rambler. A sport from Crimson Rambler; vigorous climber. The nearest approach to a blue rose.

Climbing Gruss an Teplitz. Strong climber, free bloomer. Crimson flowers.

Climbing Columbia. A sport of the bush rose "Columbia"

producing large pink flowers, and it is a strong grower.

Reine Marie Henriette. Of vigorous growth, producing well-formed, rich crimson flowers. It is a first-class climber.

Climbing American Beauty. A seedling of American Beauty with an admixture of Wichuriana blood. A hardy rapid climber. Flowers same as the bush sort.

**Dorothy Perkins.** Deep pink, small double flowers, borne in large clusters. A good climber. 1 year 25 cents, 2 years 40

cents.

Marechal Niel. Beautiful yellow, a very large, free bloomer, the finest climbing rose.

Climbing Meteor. Vigorous grower, producing dark, vel-

vety-crimson flowers.

Red Dorothy Perkins. Crimson scarlet flowers, in brilliant clusters. Vigorous climber. 1 year 25 cents, 2 years 40 cents.

Paul's Scarlet. Blooms for a long period of time in the

spring: vivid scarlet.

White Dorothy Perkins. Like Dorothy Perkins, except in color, which is pure white.

## FLOWERING SHRUBS

The following shrubs are the most constant bloomers to be found for the South. A few shrubs will add much to the pleasure, beauty and value of a home.

#### **ALTHEAS**

## (Rose of Sharon)

This is one of the most desirable flowering shrubs for the yard or garden. They are very hardy, and if kept growing, bloom constantly during the entire summer. I have added many new varieties to my collection, embracing all shades and colors.

Prices: 2 feet, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per 12; 3 to 4 feet, 35

cents each, \$3.50 per 12.

Rubra Plena. Large, double, violet-blue flowers; very desirable.

Lucy. Very large, double rose-red flowers; a beautiful sort.

Joan d' Arc. Perfectly double pure white flower, exeedingly handsome.

Boule de Feu. Large double red, a good bloomer. Comte de Halmont. Double pink, good bloomer.

Peoniflora. White with cherry red center; very flori-

Tota Alba. Single, pure white, showy and handsome.

#### CRAPE MYRTLE

These should be in every flower garden; blooming throughout the entire summer; a glow of color.

White. Dwarfish habit; blooms profusely. 2 feet, 35 cents. Pink. Blooms early and in profusion throughout the season. 2 to 3 feet, 30 cents; 1 to 2 feet, 20 cents.

Red A rich red color. Good grower. 2 to 3 feet, 30 cents;

4 to 2 feet, 20 cents each, \$2.00 per dozen.

Purple. A strong growing sort, free flowering. Delicate lilac or purple bloom. 2 to 3 feet, 30 cents; 1 to 2 feet, 20 cents each, \$2.00 per dozen.

Flowering Willow. These grow on any soil and bloom constantly from spring until frost. White and purple flowering. 3 to 5 feet 30 cents; 5 to 7 feet, 50 cents.

Vitex. Commonly called Lavender Bush. Large spikes of

blue flowers. Hardy. 4 feet, 40 cents; 2 feet, 25 cents.

Pomegranate. Double Flowering. Producing flowers in great profusion in spring and summer. Foliage bright green. Three varieties; white, red and variegated. 2 to 3 feet, 25 cents, \$2.50 per 12.

Lilac. Purple, early bloomer, very fragrant. 20 cents each. Bush Honeysuckle. A hardy shrub, grows 4 to 6 feet, blooming early in spring; fragrant. 2 to 3 feet, 30 cents each. Colors white, pink, and red.

Deutzia. Double white flowers tinted with pink, produced

in spring. Large plants 25 cents.

Spirea. Van Houtte. Snow white flowers, very beautiful,

immense bloomer, 2 feet, 20 cents. Larger 40 cents.

Philadelphus. (Mock Orange.) Produces pure white, high-

ly-scented flowers in spring. 2 to 3 feet, 35 cents.

Salvia Greggii. It grows easily, blooms on long spikes; red flowers. 20 cents, \$2.00 per 12; larger 30 cents, \$3.00 per 12.

Pavonia. A native shrub. Constant bloomer, with deep pink flowers. 20 cents each; larger 30 cents.

Butterfly Bush. (Summer Lilac.) Purple and violet flowers. in large panicles. Blooms from spring until frost. 35 cents each.

Red Yucca. A native of West Texas and Mexico. Blooms from spring till late summer; brilliant red flowers on stalks 3 to 5 feet high. 60 cents each.

Abelia Grandistora. One of the most popular evergreens; glossy leaves. Blooms all summer; small white flowers, in

clusters. 75 cents each. Large plants \$1.25.

Ash Plant. A native of Texas. Grows into a large shrub, ash colored leaves; pink flowers, covering the whole plant in spring and in summer. 50 cents each. Large plants \$1.00.

## **CLIMBING PLANTS**

A most useful class of plants for this country for covering

cottages, verandas, walls, frellises, etc.

Antigonon Leptopus. (Queen's Crown.) The loveliest of climbing vines; will excite the admiration of the amateur planter. Brilliant rose-colored flowers, 15 cents per bulb, \$1.50 per 12. Large bulbs 25 cents each.

Clematis Paniculata. A hardy climber. The vines are covered with a fleece of pure white flowers, which are as fra-

grant as a violet. 25 cents each, large 40 cents.

Ampelopsis Quinquefolia. (Virginia Creeper.) Has beautiful leaves that become rich crimson in autumn; a very rapid grower, 20 cents each.

Trumpet Vine. A rank growing vine, suitable for running

over fences, trellises, etc. 20 cents each, \$2.00 per 12.

Honeysuckle (Halliana). The finest white honeysuckle, fragrant, with dark-green foliage; very desirable, 20 cents each, \$2.00 per 12. Large 30 cents, \$3.00 per 12.

Wisteria Sinensis. A hardy, woody vine; covered in spring with fragrant flowers; purple. 20 cents each.
Wisteria Sinensis Alba. A white flowering variety; a

beautiful, graceful climber. 25 cents each.

Jasminum Nudiflorum. A desirable deciduous produces yellow flowers in great abundance in spring. 20 cents each.

## FLOWERING PLANTS AND BULBS

The plants offered are in the best possible condition.

**Oleander.** Too well known to need a description. 2 varieties, white and pink flowers. Plants 2 to 3 feet, 35 cents each; 3 to 4 feet, 50 cents each.

Sweet William. Great variety of coloring. Strong plants,

mixed, 15 cents a dozen.

Dianthus. (Pinks). One of the prettiest of cut flowers. The colors are rich and striking. Choice mixed, 45 cents per 42.

Hollyhocks. Large rosettes of paper-like tissue, in all colors. Large plants of best varieties, 40 cents each, 85 cents per 42.

Carnations. Grown from the very best seeds. All colors, mixed, 35 cents per 12. White, pink, and red separate, 50

cents per 12.

Pansies. Large flowering, all colors, mixed; dozen for 20

cents; 3 dozen for 50 cents; 100 for \$1.00.

Verbena. A showy creeper; blooming throughout the summer season. Colors, red, and red with white eye. 2 for 45 cents,

75 cents per dozen.

Mexican Tuberose. A single white Tuberose. The flower spikes are large and evenly filled with pure waxy-white flowers; delightfully fragrant. 5 cents each; 30 cents per 12; \$2.00 per 100.

Hyacinths. For the garden or pot culture. Any color, white,

pink, yellow, blue, and red. 20 cents each, \$2.25 per 12.

Gladiolus. Mixed varieties. Large bulbs, 5 cents each; 50 cents per 12; \$3.50 per 100.

Gladiolus. Separate colors: white, pink, yellow, red, and

purple. 2 bulbs for 15 cents, 75 cents per 12.

Liberty Iris. Very pretty when in bloom during early spring. They are not particular as to soil, will grow where anything will. White. 40 cents each, \$4.00 per 42.

Angel Lily. (Crinum). The finest of lilies, blooming in spring and summer. Large, white, striped rose, 45 cents each.

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Dahlias. A show of brilliant and stately flowers from April until winter. We have over a dozen varieties, all good growers, large and fine flowers. Assorted colors, white, pink, yellow, red. purple, etc. 20 cents each, \$2.00 per 12. Mixed 15 cents each, \$1.50 per 12.

Canna. Everblooming, makes a magnificent show in rows

or beds. Following at 10 cents each, \$1.00 per dozen.

Allemania. Scarlet with yellow border.

Indiana. Very large orange, with red veins.

King Humbert. Bronze leaves, scarlet flowers, a great favorite.

J. D. Eisele. Large, beautiful red flowers.

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Mrs. A. Conard. Large salmon-pink; profuce in blooming, large heads.

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Eureka. Large creamy white flowers, freely produced, strong grower.

Chysanthemums, ready after March 15, in named varieties, or colors. 15 cents each, \$1.50 per 12.

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Vegetable seeds put in 5 and 10 cents packets. We have to offer the following seeds, all the same kind that we are using for our own sowing and plantings.

Beet. Improved Early Blood Turnip.

Cabbage. Charleston Wakefield. Best large early.

Cabbage. Premium Early Flat Dutch.

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Kohlrabi. Early Purple Vienna and Early Smooth Green.

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Radish. China Rose. Winter. Plant in fall.

Radish. Long Black Spanish. Winter.

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Tomato. Sparks' Earliana. Very early and very good yielder.

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Tomato. John Baer. Large, good.

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Antirrhinum. (Snapdragon) Giant tall-growing, all colors, mixed. Pkt. 5 cents.

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Phlox. Grandiflora. Finest mixed. Pkt. 10 cents.

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Zinnias. Mammoth. Finest double varieties mixed. Pkt. 10 cents.

Zinnia. Mammoth, in separate colors, white, pink, golden-

yellow, crimson, purple. 15 cents a packet.

Moonflower. Vine most rapid climber. Large white, blue, and pink flowers. Packet 10 cents.

## PLANTING, CULTIVATING, ETC.

If trees cannot be planted immediately when received they should be unpacked and set in a trench; cover roots with mellow earth and thoroughly wet. If trees are frozen when received, the whole bundle should be laid in a trench and covered with earth, or placed in a cool cellar until the weather moderates.

To plant trees dig holes large enough to hold roots in

their natural position. When a plow can be used the holes are easily dug by throwing out two or three furrows, and shoveling out the dirt where the trees are to stand. Set the tree so that it will stand the same depth as it did in the nursery, then fill in soil to cover roots, and pour in a bucket or two of water. When this is soaked into the ground, then fill in the balance of soil, and then cut the tree back to about 2 to 4 feet, according to size and age of tree.

Cultivating.—Frequent and thorough cultivation, especi-

ally for the first year or two, is almost necessary.

To prevent rabbits from injuring young trees, would suggest that either corn stalks or old newspapers be tied around each tree.

Selection of Varieties.—Except where particular varieties are wanted, the best assortment is secured by leaving the selection to us, stating the general character of soil, the desired time of ripening, etc.

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