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RAINBOW NURSERY

Price List



Choice Rockplants

Rare Alpines

Evergreens

Shrubs



Rainbow Nursery Co., Inc.

East Northport

Long Island



1931

GENERAL SUGGESTIONS AND BUSINESS TERMS

Correspondence: Every inquiry is given careful attention. We ask that you write every inquiry brief and clear.

Orders: It greatly facilitates shipments if orders are given early.

Prices: In this catalogue are F. O. B. our Nurseries at East Northport, N. Y.

Terms: Cash or references must accompany all orders, unless the party ordering has established an open account with us, or 1-2 cash with order; balance C.O.D.

Our Responsibility: While we pay particular attention and exercise the greatest care to have our plants genuine and true to name or description, we do not give any warranty, expressed or implied, or guarantee them to live and grow or give specific results. In case of any error on our part, it is mutually agreed between the purchaser and ourselves that we shall not be held responsible for a greater amount than the original price of the goods.

Complaints: All errors and omissions in the execution of orders will be properly adjusted, if we are notified immediately upon receipt of the goods. Please write at once.

Transportation Rules: All plants ordered are fresh dug and travel at the purchasers' risk. We do not guarantee safe delivery. Our responsibility ceases when we make delivery to the transportation company or on the purchaser's grounds. Therefore, any claims should be made promptly to the agent at the point of delivery. We ship all plants by express. If shipping by parcel post is required, this must be especially and plainly stated. If possible, will send shipment C. O. D.

Special and Fast Deliveries to Points on Long Island, etc. To all points on Long Island, in New York City, Brooklyn, Bronx, Westchester, Coast of Connecticut (opposite Long Island Sound), we are making special deliveries with our fast trucks at cost, thus saving our customers extra cost of packing. (Freight and cartage is eliminated.)

PLEASE NOTE CAREFULLY

1st. Our plants are strong, field grown clumps and have been wintered outdoors.

2nd. Plants are fresh dug, packed and shipped the same day. No seedlings, in pots or otherwise, are sold.

3rd. You get immediate effect with our large field grown clumps. They will flower for you the first year.

4th. Plants are well packed and will reach you in fine condition. If reported at once, we will duplicate shipment; have express agent note condition on your receipt and mail to us.

5th. All orders have a government certificate attached, attesting they are free from all insects and diseases.

6th. Order early so we can give you the best kind of service, first selection of stock, and avoid the congestion of orders in April.

**BUILD YOUR OWN ROCK GARDEN
SPECIAL OFFER**

All orders amounting to \$10.00 will receive one of the best guides for constructing and planting a rock garden published. This book is by Rockwell. "Rockgardens," tells all about rockgardens, wall, pool building, etc.; shows you by diagram step so you are bound to have a beautiful rockery at little expense. Endorsed by Correvon. Or will allow \$1.00 credit on any other book listed if desired.

We are always willing to answer any particular question on constructing a rock garden; what kinds of plants will be the best for your situation, etc. Give full particulars when writing.

HOW TO GET TO RAINBOW NURSERY

How to get to Rainbow Nursery. (See map). Take Route 25, Jericho Turnpike, to Commack, turn north on concrete road near Dugan's bakery, turn left on Cedar street, the second cross road from Jericho. Nursery is on the next corner, about 1-2 mile.

From Connecticut, take boat at Stamford to Northport. Go to East Northport, cross R. R. track, follow south on concrete road, Larkfield avenue, to first stoplight overhead. Turn right, (7th avenue), keep on to end of road, turn left, follow 1 mile to 3rd corner, left hand, which is the Rainbow Nursery.

**LIST OF
HERBACEOUS and ALPINE PLANTS**

This pricelist gives description, soil requirements and uses of the best in the choice rock plants and Alpines, some varieties we are growing are not listed, as quantities are limited.

	Each	10	100
ACAENE, glauca; bluish foliage, greenish flowers, dwarf, creeping. 2 in. 1-2 shade	.50	4.00	
ACHILLEA tomentosa, (Milfoil, dry, sunny place, ord. soil, profusion golden yellow flowers, in summer, 6-8 in.-----	.25	2.00	18.00
AETHIONEMA, (Persian Candytuft) shrublike, glaucous foliage, Grandiflora; spikes rosy pink flowers, June-July. 9 in	.60	5.00	
Persicum, a deeper color, 6 in. June-July -----	.60	5.00	
ALTHEA FIMBRIATA, (Hollyhocks) a choice strain, the best colors, pink, purple yellow, white, dark red -----	.25	2.50	18.00
ALSINE (Sandwort) for carpeting and walks, sun, sandy soil Pinnifolia, tuffy mats, tiny white flowers June. 1-2 in. -----	.35	3.00	20.00
ALYSSUM (ROCK MADWORT) ord. soil good in dry wall planting. Mollendorffianum, new species, round silvery leaves, compact, 8 in. May -----	.35	3.00	20.00
Rochilli, new dwarf, silver gray, fol. fine yellow flower. 4 in. May -----	.35	3.00	20.00
Rostratum, yellow flowers, May, 6 in.25	.2.00	16.00
ANEMONE (Wind Flower) half shade, good soil. Hupehensis, from Central China, mauve rose flowers, golden yellow centers, Sept. to Nov. 12 in -----	.35	2.50	20.00
Pulsatilla, rubra, reddish purple flowers, April-May. 6-8 in. -----	.40	3.50	
ANTHEMIS (Camomile, Stryriaca, white downy foliage, large white flowers. 6 in. June -----	.40	3.50	25.00
AQUILEGIA (COLUMBINE) sun, dry place. Flabellata, Nana, a dwarf Japanese species, white flower. May-July. 8 in.30	2.50	20.00
Hailodyensis, large flowering, spurs 2 ins., mixed colors, 24 in., June-July ----	.40	3.00	25.00
Reuterii, compact, dark green leaves, blue double flower. -- June, 12 in.35	3.00	20.00
AJUGA reptans, (Bugle) variegated leaves low growing, many blue flowers on spikes May-June. 6 in. -----	.30	2.50	18.00
ARABIS (ROCKCRESS) ord. soil, sun, a great rock garden plant. Albida, white flowering, 10 in. Early April-May -----	.25	2.00	16.00
Alpina rosea, splds., compact, pink flowers. May. 6 in. -----	.35	3.00	25.00

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ARABIS (continued)			
Ferdinand Cobergi, a rare one from Mecedonia, flowers white, compact, 8 in.	.35	2.50	
ARENARA (SANDWORT)			
Good carpeters, and for paving stones.			
Balerica, mosslike creeper, a good coverer of bulb plantings, for a little shade, 1-2 in., white star-like flow. in May	----	.50	4.00
Caespitosa, dwarf, mossy growth, 1-2 in., white flowers. May	-----	.35	2.50
Larcifolia, low growing, 2 in., has tiny white blossoms. May-June	-----	.30	2.20
ARTEMISIA, (WORMWOOD)			
Argentea, choice, wooly, silvery, feathery foliage. 12 in.	-----	.30	2.00 20.00
AUBRETIA (WALL CRESS rockwork, dry wall planting.			
Leichlinnii, a new deep rose, 6 in.	----	.30	2.00 20.00
Campbelli, new hybrid of the variety purpurea	-----	.35	2.50
Mrs. Lloyd Edwards, choice blue flowering with white center, 6 in., May-June	--	.35	3.00
ASTER alpinus, rubra, reddish lavender flowers, May-June	-----	.25	2.00 18.00
CALAMINTHA alpina (CALAMINT)			
Low growing bushy, has aromatic foliage covered with deep purple flowers from June to August. A real Alpine, 6 in.	---	.30	2.50 20.00
CAMPANULA (BELLFLOWERS)			
Carpatica, compact tufts, bell flowers, clear blue on wire like stems, blooms from June to Oct. 6-8 in.	-----	.30	2.00 18.00
Glomerata, dense clusters of funnel shaped violet blue flowers, June to Aug. 15 in.	-----	.30	2.50 20.00
Medium dbl. (cup and saucer) large semi-double flowering pink, blue, white	.25	2.00	15.00
Muralis portenschlagiana a dwarf var. blue flowers. June. A good wall plant	.50	4.00	
Rainerii, rare species, from Alpine range, dwarf spreading, lavender blue flowers, June-July, 3 to 4 in.	-----	.50	4.00
Rotundifolia, fine for crevices, slopes, blue flowers, June to Aug., 12 in.	-----	.40	3.50 30.00
Raddeana, a beauty from the Alps, violet bell flowers above glossy leaves	--	.50	4.00
CHEIRANTHUS (WALLFLOWER)			
Hot sunny place, ord. soil.			
Allioni, masses fiery orange flowers, from early Spring to late Summer, 12 in.	.20	1.75	15.00
CORYDALIS (FUMITORY)			
Cheilanthisfolia, low growing, fernlike feathery fol. spikes pale yellow flowers. 10 in. May-June	-----	.40	3.00 25.00
Crepis Aurea, yellow flowers, also for the border, June-July, 8 in.	-----	.35	2.50 20.00

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CLEMATIS PANICULATA, Sweet Autumn Clematis, 2 yr. vines, white star like flowers, a rapid grower, very pretty and fragrant, climbs to 20 ft. -----	.50	4.00	
CHIEVERECKIA			
Bornmuelleri, form neat silver gray rosettes, covered with Arabis like blossoms, white, April, 3 in. -----	.35	3.00	
CHRYSANTHEMUM			
Arcticum, hardy varieties, mixed colors, flowers Sept.-Oct., 12-18 in., a choice border plant -----	.30	2.50	20.00
CENTAUREA CANDIDISSIMA, the silver leaves make a contrast in the rockery all the year round -----	.25	2.50	18.00
CRUCIANELLA (CROSSWORT)			
Stylosa, bright purple flowering plant, summer, 6-8 inch -----	.25	2.00	18.00
DELPHINIUM (LARKSPUR)			
Coeruleum, delicate blue flowers, 12-15 in. -----	.25	2.00	15.00
Pumilum (Tom Thumb) a dwarf, light blue, 10 in. -----	.25	2.00	15.00
Belladonna, sky blue, July-Sept., 18124 in. -----	.25	2.00	15.00
Bellamosa, dark blue -----	.25	2.00	15.00
Chinese, dwarf, feathery fol., ultramarine flowers, 12-18 in., July-Aug. -----	.25	2.00	15.00
Elatum hybrid, large flowering, choice French strain, from Spring to Autumn, 5-6 ft. -----	.35	3.00	30.00
Cerastium (SNOW IN SUMMER)			
Great for rock wall, edging, etc.			
Bieberhertnii, compact, large pure white, 6 in. Summer -----	.35	3.00	20.00
DIANTHUS (PINKS)			
Alwoodi, largest flowering, hardy pinks, ever blooming -----	.35	3.00	
Deltoides, civered small crimson flow., June-July, does well in sandy place ----	.25	2.00	18.00
Albus, same only white, carmine middle ring -----	.25	2.00	18.00
Arvenensis, dark shining red -----	.25	2.00	18.00
Caesius, (iheddar pink) compact cushions, silver gray, fragrant rose flowers, May-June, 6-8 in. -----	.30	2.50	20.00
Speculifolius, delicate shade, fragrant	.25	2.00	15.00
Caryophyllus fl. pl. double flowering, a fine strain of very large flowers, mixed, some feathered petals, 10-15 in. -----	.35	3.50	
Grenadin Scarlet, a Scotch pink, resembles the greenhouse pink, hardy ----	.35	3.00	
DIANTHUS BARBATUS (Sweet William)			
Sweet Dorothy; imported choice strain; dwarf; low growing; 12-15 ins.; double-flowering, deep dark red, pollens white, a beauty -----	.35	3.00	20.00

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DIGITALIS (FOXGLOVE)			
Gloxiniaeflora, very large, deep purple to white, June-July, 3 ft. -----	.25	2.00	18.00
EPILOBIUM (WILLOWWEED)			
Hectori, creeping gem, leaves green in shade, dull copper in sun or winter, minute white flowers, June, 1-2 in. -----	.40	3.00	25.00
ERINUS (LIVER BALSAM)			
Alpinus, compact tufts, 3-4 in., rosy-- .			
Alba, same only white -----	.35	3.00	20.00
purple, April to June -----	.35	3.00	20.00
ERYSIMUM (BLISTER CRESS)			
Pachycarpum, brilliant orange, April May, 10-12 in. -----	.25	2.50	18.00
EUPHORBIA (MILKWORT)			
Capitulata, a creeper, bluish leaves, bright yellow, April-May, good hanging over rocks -----	.25	2.00	18.00
Polychroma, ball shaped shrub like, pale yellow, 12-18 in., May-June -----	.30	2.50	20.00
GLOBULARA (GLOBE DAISY)			
Trickosantha, low growing, lavender, ball blossoms, 6 in. -----	.50	4.00	35.00
GYPSOPHILLA (BABY'S BREATH)			
Repens, a trailer, covered with tiny white flowers. Summer -----	.25	2.00	16.00
Repens Rosea, same only pink flow.--	.25	2.00	16.00
GAILLARDIA grdf. (BLANKET FLOWER)			
A fine imported strain, flowering June to Nov., giant size, new colors, 2-3 ft.--	.25	2.00	15.00
HELIANTHEMUM (ROCK ROSE)			
Mrs. Earle, shrubby like plants, dbl. scarlet -----	.35	2.50	
HIERACIUM (HAWKWEED)			
Great clusters orange flowers, June to Oct., good ground cover -----	.35	3.00	20.00
HERNIARIA (RUPTURE WORT)			
A trailing sprawling plant			
Glabra, moss like matted fol., bronze in Winter -----	.35	3.00	25.00
HEUCHERA (CORALBELLS)			
Gracillima, gray spotted leaves, half shade, pink, 15 in. stems, 8 in., June-July	.30	2.50	20.00
Gracillima Roseas, same only green leaves -----	.30	2.50	20.00
Sanguinea, spleds., wire red stems, rose pink, June-Aug., 10 in. -----	.35	3.00	
HYPERICUM (ST. JOHNS WORT)			
Reptans, dwarf trailer from Himalayas, golden yellow, summer, 1 in. -----	.35	3.00	20.00
Polyphyllum, shrubby, low, sprawly -----			
Moserianum, shrubby plant 2-3 ft., gold flowers, summer to frost -----	.45	3.50	
IBERIS (CANDYTUFT)			
Pruiti, slow growing pink, a dwarf gem, 2 in., April-May -----	.40	3.50	

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IBERIS (continued)			
Sempedviven (Snowflake) large white, leaves -----	.40	3.50	
IRIS SPECIES			
Cristata, native creeping, rich amethyst blue, May, 3 in., good for naturalizing--	.25	2.00	18.00
LEONTOPODIUM (EDELWEISS)			
Alpinum, from the Alps, leathery, silver grey fol. white dense woolly substance on starlike heads around small yellow flowers, June-Aug., 4-5 in. -----	.35	3.00	25.00
LINARIA (TOADFLAX)			
Aquitriloba, a minute rock plant for crevices, paths, pale violet, 1 in. -----	.35	3.50	
LINUM (FLAX) Alpinum, bell shaped blue flowers, May-July, grows prostrate, 6-12 in. -----	.25	2.00	18.00
LIPPIA, Repens, a trailer from Chile, lilac mauve. all summer -----	.35	3.50	
LITHOSPERUM (GROMWELL) dwarf, shrubby like, blue purple, July Aug. ----	.75	6.50	
LYCHNIS (Campion) Alpinum, compact, tufts, 4 in. heads, small pink flowers, May, a fine Alpine -----	.30	2.50	20.00
Hageana, orange, red, scarlet, crimson flowers, June-Aug. -----	.35	2.50	
MAZUS ROGOSUS, a trailer, blue and white flowers, gold speckled, a fine carpeter and flagging plant -----	.35	2.50	
MENTHA requieni, fragrant minute mint of Corsica. carpets with numerous creep-stems. small violet flowers, 1 in. -----	.35	2.50	
MERTENSIA (VIRGINIA BELLS)			
Virginia, blue later fading to pink, on nodding stems, 12-18 in., April-May ----	.25	2.00	15.00
MUHLENBECKIA (WIREWINE)			
Nana. shrubby, small round leaves, tiny yellow flowers from Australia, 1 in. ----	.35	3.00	
MYOSOTIS (FORGET-ME-NOT)			
Rupicola, neat rosettes, deep ultramarine blue on short stems, May-June, 3 in.----	.30	2.50	20.00
Palustris. well known Forget-Me-Not for the waterside, rich blue, yellow eye, profuse bloomer -----	.25	2.00	18.00
NIEREMBERGIA (CUP FLOWER)			
Rivularis. a trailer from the Alps, white flowers, gold lined, summer, a good carpeter -----	.35	2.50	
NEPETA (CAT MINT)			
Mussini. lavender flowers on long spikes, all summer, silver gray, fol. 12-15 in. -----	.25	2.10	
OENOTHERA (EVENING PRIMROSE)			
Missouriensis. dwarf species, many large cup shaped yellow flowers, 12 in., summer -----	.30	2.00	18.00
OROBUS (BITTER VETCH)			
Vernus. wark green fol., red flowers, long trailing shoots, 10 in, May-June ---	.30	2.50	

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PAPAVER (POPPY) Alpinum, mixed colors, pink, orange, red, yellow, 8-10 in., Summer. This is the Alpine Poppy----	.30	2.50	20.00
Nudicaule, (Iceland Poppy) orange, white yellow, delicate shades, all summer, 12 in. -----	.25	2.00	18.00
PYRETHRUM (PAINTED DAISY) hybrid a choice imported strain, flowers almost double, mixed colors, p ft. -----	.25	2.00	18.00
PENTSTEMON (BEARD TONGUE)			
Pymaeus, dwarfest Pentstemon, neat tufts, dark green fol., purple flowers, yellowish white inside, 6 in., July-Aug.----	.45	3.50	
PHLOX for a ground cover, sunny banks, dry wall, borders, etc.			
Canadensis (Divaricata) charming star like, mauve-lavendar, 6-8 in., April-May	.30	2.50	20.00
Amoena, forms close mats, sheets rosy pink flowers, 4 in., March-April -----	.25	1.50	15.00
Subulata Rosea (Moss Pink) carpets rose pink flowers, poor soil, 3-4 in., April-May -----	.25	1.75	15.00
Subulata Alba, the white flowering form of above -----	.25	1.75	15.00
Subulata "Vivid" the finest of the dwarf Phloxes, sheets of bright pink flowers with a very red eye, 3-6 in., spring----	.35	2.50	25.00
PLATYCODON (BALLOON FLOWERS)			
Mariesi, dwarf, broad thick leaves, large cup shaped deep violet blue flowers, 12 in., July-Sept. -----	.30	2.00	18.00
POLEMONIUM (JACOB'S LADDER)			
RICHARDSONI, a fine species, bushy plants, slender spikes, clear blue flowers, June-July, cut back, will flower again in Aug.-Sept. -----	.35	3.00	20.00
POTENTILLA (CINQUEFOIL)			
Alpestris, close matted finger like fol., large golden yellow flowers, 6 in., June-Sept. -----	.35	3.00	20.00
Chrysocraspeda, an uncommon species, dwarf cushions covered with bright yellow dark centered flowers, June-July, 6-8 in.	.40	3.00	25.00
PRIMULA (PRIMROSE) veris, bright golden yellow, April-May, 6 in. -----	.25	2.00	18.00
PRUNELLA grdf. (SELF HEAL) low creeping, splashed with dark blue uowers, June-July, 10 in. -----	.25	2.50	18.00
SAXIFRAGA (ROCKFOIL)			
Grown for their strange beauty and form			
Aizoon, silver beaded saw edged leaves creamy white blossoms, May-June, 4-6 in. -----	.35	3.00	25.00
Aizoon Rosea, same as above only pink	.35	3.00	25.00
Decipiens, dwarf mossy tufts, forming cushions, white flowers on wiry stems, May-June, 4-6 in. -----	.40	3.50	28.00

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SAXIFRAGA (continued)			
Hynoides, they form a dense carpet; numerous pink flowers on nodding stems, May-June, 6 in. -----	.40	3.50	28.00
SEDUM (STONE CROP)			
Acre, rapid grower, from Asia, beautiful green mats, numerous yellow flowers, May-June, 2-3 in. -----	.25	2.00	15.00
Album, neat dark green mats, masses of white flowers on little stems, July, 3-4 in., from North Africa -----	.25	2.00	15.00
Anacampseros, from the Alpine rocks in Spain, gray green rosettes, covered with purple flowers -----	.35	3.00	
Dasyphyllum, from Europe, fat glaucous leaves on 3-in. stem, pink flowers bloom profusely -----	.35	3.00	
Ewersi, from Siberica, trailing kind, fine glaucous foliage, pink flowers in globose cyles, July, 6 in. -----	.30	2.50	20.00
Forsterianum Pruinatum compact tuft, reddish with shoots of blue with a terminal rosette, flowers yellow on short stems, our best selling sedum, 6-8 in., from Scandinavia -----	.35	3.00	24.00
Hispanicum, from Western Europe, forms close mats of a bluish green color, covered with white flowers, May-June, 1 in. -----	.25	2.00	15.00
Ibericum, from the Himalaya Mts., dark green fol., deep rose flowers, a choice variety -----	.30	2.50	18.00
Kamschaticum, from Siberia, a sprawly growing, foliage green, glaucous, numerous yellow flowers on flat heads, summer, 6 in. -----	.25	2.00	15.00
Kamschaticum, foliage varigated, the foliage of this variety has shades of green, ivory and pink, effective contrasts, 6 in., choice -----	.25	2.50	20.00
Lydium, from Persia, dense deep green mats, turning a deep red in winter, 2 in. -----	.25	2.00	15.00
Nevii, from Rocky Mts. Canada, tiny rosettes of neat gray leaves, white flowers, May-June, 6 in. -----	.35	3.00	20.00
Reflexum, from Asia Minor, glaucous green leaves, yellow blooms, 8 in. -----	.30	2.50	20.00
Roseum, from Japan, thick, emerald green fol., bronze shaded, golden yellow flowers, 4 in. -----	.35	3.00	25.00
Rupestris, foliage, reddish green, like Reflexum, good for the rockery -----	.30	2.50	20.00
Sexangulare, from Southern Europe, dwarf, dark green foliage, yellow flower, very showy, 2 in. -----	.30	2.50	20.00
Stoloniferum, a broad leaf type, rooting by stolons, rose blossoms, June to Aug., 6 in. -----	.25	2.00	15.00

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SEDUMS (continued)			
Spathulifolium, rosettes, metallic foliage, yellow flower heads, 6 in. -----	.30	2.50	20.00
Selskianum, from Siberia, yellow flow. July, 18 in. -----	.35	3.00	
Spurium, Coccineum, green, broad leaf variety, foliage turns blood red in winter, covered with rose red flowers in June-July, 6 in. -----	.25	3.00	20.00
Ternatum, similar to Sprium, only foliage is light green, winter or summer -----	.25	2.00	15.00
SEMPERVIVUM (HEN AND CHICKENS) (HOUSELEEK).			
Arachnoideum, spider web variety, rosettes from tip to tip of fleshy leaves, spider like webs -----	.35	2.50	20.00
Tectorum, large size, red flowers-----	.25	2.00	
Alberti, medium size, bright red flow. -----	.25	2.00	
Pittoni, deep green rosettes, red tipped from Stryian Alps -----	.35	2.50	
Brownii, medium size, bright green rosettes, imbricate and recurved, yellow flowers -----	.35	2.50	
Mixed Varieties, choice collection of different varieties -----	.25	2.00	18.00
SAPONARIA OCYMOIDES (SOAPWORT)			
trailing, with bright pink flowers, from May to Aug., rapid growing, 6 in. -----	.25	2.00	18.00
SILENE (CATCH FLY)			
Asterias, grdf. bright green with globose heads, crimson scarlet color, July to Sept., 18 in. -----	.30	2.50	18.00
Shafta, (Shafta Catchfly) clusters of rose-pink flowers, June to Sept., good in a dry place, 4 in. -----	.25	2.00	18.00
STATICE (SEA LAVENDER) Dumosa,			
tufts of leathery leaves, large candleabra like heads of pinkish blue, if cut will keep for months, plants 6-8 in., flower heads 10-12 in. dia. -----	.25	2.00	18.00
THYMUS (THYME) for ground covering, walks, stands dry weather.			
Azoricus, an Alpine trailer, rosy purple flowers -----	.30	2.50	
Lanuginosus, woolly mats cover the ground, a creeper, silver gray, rose flowers, July, 1-2 in. -----	.30	2.50	
Serpyllum, wild Thyme, creeping, a dense green, profusion purple flowers, July -----	.30	2.50	
Vulgaris, common large leaf variety, grows fast, 5-6 in. -----	.25	2.00	15.00
TUNICA SAXIFRAGA (COAT FLOWERS)			
compact tufts, spreading habit, tiny rose pink flowers on slender wiry stems, makes a beautiful showing as it blooms continuously from spring to late in the fall, 6-8 in. -----	.30	2.50	20.00

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THALICTRUM DIPTEROCARPUM			
(MEADOW RUE) striking violet mauve blossoms, with yellow stems, useful in shrub plantings, Aug.1Sept., 4 ft. -----	.25	2.00	1800
VERONICA (SPEEDWELL)			
Filiformis, one of the best carpeters, has abundant light azure blossoms, April-May, 1 in. -----	.25	2.00	
Prostrata, low creeping, covered with true blue flowers, June-July, 6 in. ----	.25	2.00	
Repens, a ground cover or for stepping stones, green mats, light blue cup shaped flowers close to plant, May, 1 in.-----	.25	2.00	18.00
Rupestris, dark green foliage hidden with deep blue flowers, 6 in., June ----	.25	2.00	15.00
Royal Blue, compact lustrous blue flowers, June-July, 12 in. -----	.30	2.00	20.00
Spicata, light to deep blue flowers, July-Aug., 12 in. -----	.30	2.00	20.00
Traversi, semi-shrubby, compact, with a profusion of mauve flowers -----	.35	2.50	
VIOLA, the Violas should be cut back several times during the season to insure continuous blooming.			
Morning Widow, dark blue with white center -----	.25	2.00	18.00
Apricot Queen, a striking shade of apricot color, our best selling Viola-----	.30	2.50	20.00
Bosniaca, choice red -----	.25	2.00	16.00
Fruhlingsbrote, deep blue, flowers very early in Spring, continues to late fall,--	.25	2.00	16.00
Hansa, low growing, dark violet blue, large flowering; plants 4 ins.; flowers on 8 in. stems. Choice -----	.30	2.50	20.00
Coerulean, light blue, a continuous bloomer -----	.25	2.00	16.00
Coerulean, alba, white flowering var. -----	.25	2.00	16.00
Coerulean, roseus, pink flowering var. -----	.25	2.00	16.00
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