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Many things of interest will be found, in a trip thru our Nursery. Especially is this true, in the summer time, when you will see many thousands of Dahlias, Gladioli, and Hardy Perennials blooming on every side; a riot of color, as well as interesting to all flower lovers. Evergreens, Shrubs and Trees, are always at their best in June. Peonies in early June, Dahlias and Gladioli in late August, Hardy Perennials from late May to fall frosts. An ideal time to make your selections, for planting around your home, is while the above mentioned are in bloom; so often catalogue descriptions vary in one's mind, from the reality. Visitors are always welcome at "WILMORES."

We strive at all times to give service to our customers; we instruct every one in our employ, to be efficient and courteous. We will greatly appreciate, being informed of any act to the contrary.

# How to Order Dahlias

It would be well for each purchaser, when making out an order, to name several varieties as a second choice, for the reason that some of the varieties may be out of stock when the order reaches us; or if not familiar with varieties, we will gladly make selections for you if you will mention the colors and forms wanted. Long experience places each variety before us as an open book. No mail orders filled for less than one dollar.

# Why Not Send a Present?

The national slogan of the Florists' Association appeals to not only the human heart, but the reason as well: "Say It With Flowers."

Flowers are the pure gold of the human thought, requiring neither scholarship or great intelligence in the interpretation.

From the earliest history of the race they have had a place reserved in the human heart, speaking its best emotions. No more enduring or appropriate expression of friendship could possibly be made than a present of a shrub, plant, or collection of choice dahlias or gladioli, reminding one daily of a friendship, affection, or association of a pleasant past or present.

Many of the items or made up collections among these pages are just suited to this purpose and may be sent at moderate cost. Page 9.

#### TERMS OF BUSINESS

First—The cash must accompany the order.

Second—Remittances may be sent in any way most convenient to the purchaser.

Third—Prices quoted include postage or express charges to all railway points in the United States when purchased at retail, except where noted.

Fourth—Non-Warranty: We guarantee the safe arrival of goods by mail or express and will continue to use the same careful, painstaking methods in filling orders with stock of known vitality and of superior merit, but will not be responsible for future results or failures. Errors should be reported at once.

RESIDENTS OF COLORADO BE SURE AND ADD SALES TAX.

#### PURCHASERS OF DAHLIAS MAY TAKE THE FOLLOWING LIBERAL DISCOUNTS

Orders amounting to \$10.00, add stock to the value of 10% of the order.

Orders amounting to \$20.00, add stock to the value of 15% of the order.

Orders amounting to \$25.00 or over, add stock to the value of 20% of the order.

No further discounts allowed on sets or made-up collections where a discount is already figured off or where special rates are given. Nursery department prices are also net.

Don't be surprised if you find an "Extra" in your order. We try to show appreciation.

NOTE—CASH DISCOUNTS ARE NOT PERMISSIBLE. THE DISCOUNT MUST BE TAKEN IN STOCK. ORDER EXTRA STOCK FOR DISCOUNT VALUE.



# "TAKEN FOR A RIDE"

Surely this not a Dahlia. No, you are right, it is not. There are some very large Dahlias grown in and about Denver, but not so large as to require a truck to move them.

The picture above shows one of the WILMORE NURSERY trucks moving an oversize evergreen.

We are now prepared to give you better service, than we could ever have hoped to do in the past. The above tree-mover is the most modern equipment money can buy, and does its work well. We are limited to a six-foot diameter ball of earth; due to the six-foot arch into which the tree roots and ball slide thru, in loading to haul away and transplant in new location. Nearly all trees up to nine inches caliper, (distance thru the trunk a few inches above ground-level), can be safely moved with a six-foot ball; and it is not often one is required to move a tree larger than that.

Estimates cheerfully given. Just mention the size, caliper and kind of tree to be moved, and how far.

We handle a complete line of Evergreens, Shade and Ornamental Trees and Shrubs, Roses, Vines and Hardy Perennial Plants.

See Lists beginning page 17



# Dahlmoor Jubilee (W)

In form I would class this new Introduction as a Hybrid Cactus. The plant is of upright growth with many side branches attaining a height of 5 feet.

Stems are dark metallic bronze. Leaves large and leathery in texture. Stems long and wiry holding the flower to full face view. In size it would be classed as medium to large; 7 to 8 inch diameter without disbudding. Color, rich American Beauty red without shading or variation in color, combining well with the dark metallic foliage. Prolific in root formation. Highly recommended. Strong roots, \$2.00 each.

# BE DAHLIAS 10%

Those marked (W) are Wilmore Originations



Mrs. Verner Z. Reed (W) 1933

This new decorative dahlia is indeed a Dahlia of Distinction. It combines all the good qualities of a modern first-class dahlia. Upright, vigorous growth reaching a height of from 5 to 6 feet. Stems and trunk dark metallic shade. Stems very long and wiry holding the gorgeous flower in perfect position. Flowers range from 7-9 inches in diameter. By disbudding much larger. The color is a unique shading not often seen in a flower and one difficult to properly describe. Perhaps violet-lavender would be near to its color. Yet it has a shading of old rose and amber at the base of the petals. A strikingly handsome flower. Strong roots, \$1.00 each.



# Mrs. Henry Sewall (W) 1932. Hybrid Cactus

The plant is of extra strong growth with broad healthy leaves and strong side branches. Grows to a height of 4 to 5 feet. Flower stems are long and rigid, holding the flower well above the foliage with no suggestion even of drooping. Flowers are extra large with a diameter of 8 to  $9\frac{1}{2}$  inches naturally. By disbudding will reach a diameter of 11 to 12 inches. Petals are long and shaggy, curving backward giving a plume effect. Color, lemon yellow without shading or variation, nor does it show fading with age. An early and continuous bloomer. Price, roots, \$1.00 each.



# Dr. Henry Sewall II (W) 1932. Decorative

A companion flower to Mrs. Henry Sewall. Strong and erect in growth with strong healty foliage and an abundance of large fine flowers borne on long stems. Flowers medium to large, finely formed, and always full centered. Plant attains a height of 5 to 6 feet. In color a unique shade not often found in flowers. Perhaps the nearest description would be a red copper shade clear in tone. An early and constant bloomer holding its size throughout the season. Strong roots, \$1.00 each.



# Dahlmoor Orchid (W) 1933

This superb new dahlia is of the Hybrid Cactus type. A sturdy, healthy plant with heavy broad leaves, attaining a height 4-5 feet. Stems medium and heavy, producing its flowers face upward at the end of the stem. In size the flowers are medium to large and of heavy substance. Petals beautifully curved at the tips and quite full to the very center. Color, clear orchid pink, a pleasing shade. Highly recommended. Strong roots, 75 cents each.



# Dahlmoor Perfection (W) 1933

An immense flower produced on rigid stems of medium length, holding its flowers to full view. Plant, a sturdy, erect grower with a wealth of heavy dark foliage, and a prolific root growth. In type the variety would be classed as Decorative, yet there is a suspicion of the Hybrid Cactus shown at the petal's tip. Color, rich royal purple, bright in tone and constant even in the strongest sunlight. A very striking flower. Strong roots, 75 cents each.



Look for this Trade Mark when looking for Quality

# A Galaxy of New Dahlias

(In Explanation: "Dahlmoor" is the Home and Grounds of W. W. Wilmore)

It is to be regretted that this page of new introductions could not each have had a page illustration as given those of the preceding seven pages, but space could not be given. All on this page are meritorious, high-class dahlias and are by far the best lot it has been my good fortune to originate and introduce in a single year.

All Dahlias in these pages marked (W) are Wilmore originations.

# Dahlmoor Opalescent (W) 1933

A Decorative of perfect form produced on stems, medium in length. Growth and habit is excellent. Flowers profusely. Color. a unique shading of crushed strawberry with lavender shading. Flowers large with the broad petals slightly reflex in formation. Strong roots, 75c each. Height, 4 feet.

# Dahlmoor Radiant (W) 1933

Radiant is a Decorative form. The plant is of tall growth reaching to 6-7 feet, well branched, an early and free bloomer. Stems are remarkably long and wiry, holding its blooms above the foliage. Color, rich garnet red without shading or fading in the strong sunlight. Blooms, medium to large in size. Strong roots, 75c each. Height, 6 feet.

# Dahlmoor Sunset (W) 1933

Hybrid Cactus in type. Blooms very early and continues through the season. Plant is dwarf and of spreading habit. Stems long and erect. Flowers, very large and well formed. Color, rich apricot and bronze, a striking new dahlia. Strong roots, 75c each. Height, 3 feet.

# Dahlmoor Twilight (W) 1933

A Decorative form of excellent growth and heavy foliage. Flowers 7-8 inches, on medium length stems. Color not easily described, a shading of opal and fawn pink with a darker shading of violet and old rose. Strong roots, 75c each. Height, 4 feet.

# Belle of Dahlmoor (W) 1933

Of Decorative type. A vigorous plant with large leathery leaves. Blooms, medium to large on good wiry stems. Color, lavender pink. A fine variety. Strong roots, 75c each. Height, 3 feet.

# Queen of Dahlmoor (W) 1933

An early and free-blooming variety of Decorative form. Strong, healthy foliage with very long stems holding the flowers erect. Flowers, very large. 7-9 inches without disbudding. Color, fawn pink with violet shading, an exceptionally beautiful flower. Strong roots, 75c each. Height, 4 feet.

# **Bargain Collections**

These collections are arranged for the convenience of the purchaser, especially those unfamiliar with varieties and those wanting a limited collection of choice varieties distinct in colors. Full descriptions will be found of each variety in the body of the Catalog.

As a liberal discount is already figured off, no further discounts

allowed on any of these collections.

## Rainbow Collection

As the name suggests, this collection embraces a wide range of color and includes several of the most popular types.

A fine collection for a moderate price.

Set of 12 postpaid, \$7.40. (Catalog value, \$9.25.)

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# Queens Jewels Collection

Like the above collection, this has a fine range of color. Many are of quite recent introduction. A fine collection at a modest outlay.

Set of 12 postpaid, \$5.50. (Catalog value, \$7.00.)

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## The Diamond Collection

This popular collection has been our leading collection for many years. A fine collection at a very modest price. It changes from year to year, but always has the same excellent quality and range of colors and forms.

The 12 for \$2.50, post paid. (Full value, \$3.50)

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# Collection No. 2

Thirteen Choice Dahlias for \$1.50

This collection is our selection—unlabeled. No two alike.

Postpaid. In ordering say "COLLECTION No. 2"

# Dahlias of Special Merit

Various Types and Substitutes-Old and New.

Prices quoted are for strong tubers. Figures to the right indicate height.

Ft. High,	Ft. High,
Approximate.	Approximate.
AMUN RA. Originated and introduced	EDITH BERYL. (Decorative.) Flow-
by Jessie Seal. This fact in itself	ers medium to large on fine rigid
is the highest guarantee. A mam-	stems of good length. Plant strong
moth decorative Dahlia borne on	and robust. Color, old gold shaded
stout stems of good length. The	to bronze. A fine cutting variety.
flowers are gorgeous. In color a combination of copper, orange and	EDNA FERBER. (Hybrid Cactus.)
golden bronze. Highly recom-	Very large and full with curved
mended. 50c each 4	shaggy petals. Stems long and rigid.
ASEMITES TIADITADIM (II-haid Co.	Color, coral shaded to old gold. One
<b>AMELIA EARHART.</b> (Hybrid Cactus.) An outstanding dahlia of great	of the best of modern dahlias. 50c
size, of exquisite form and sub-	each3
stance. Good stems and robust	EAGLE ROCK BEAUTY. (Hybrid Cac-
habit. Color, an autumn shade of	tus.) A fine erect growing plant
orange buff. One of the best.	with many side branches. Flowers large and of perfect form. Peach
\$1.00 each4½	blossom pink blooms in profusion.
AVALON. (Decorative.) One of the	A fine dahlia. 50c each 5
largest of dahlias, with fine stem,	ELIZABETH LONG (W). (Hybrid
and a good keeper. Clear, rich yel-	Cactus). A very large flower of
low. Highly recommended. 50c	good form and substance. Stems
each 4	long and rigid holding the flower to full face view. Color, a blending of
BALLET GIRL. (Cactus.) A beau-	amber, pink and bronze. 75c each 5
tiful large flower of perfect form.	F. M. DAVIE. (Decorative.) A large
Color soft orange scarlet marked	free flowering dahlia of excellent
with pure white, one of the best of	form and habit. Stems extra long
the cactus varieties. 50c each 3	and rigid. Color, buff orange. Ex-
BASHFUL GIANT. (Decorative.)	cellent for cutting. 75c each 5
One of the largest dahlias intro-	GOLDEN WEST. (Cactus.) A superb
duced. The immense blooms are ex-	flower of exceptional size, often 7 inches across. Stems long and rigid,
cellent for exhibition, the color is apricot with golden shadings. 50c	holding the flower to full view.
each 3	Color, golden yellow shaded to pure
	yellow in center. Has no superior.
BUTTERFLY. (Decorative.) A flower	50c each 4
of medium size on fine stems. A pretty shading of cream pink. An	GUARDIAN. (Cactus.) Intense red.
attractive flower, very useful for	Flowers large with very narrow pointed petals. Stems long. 50c
cutting. 50c each3	each.
	HELEN HOLLIS. (Show.) A fine
CHICOTA (W). (Peony.) An ideal golden yellow of large size and ex-	ball shaped flower on excellent
ceptionally long stems—often 18	stems and a good cutting variety.
ceptionally long stems—often 18 inches in length. Flower perfect in	Color, vivid red. 50c each
form and clear in its rich golden	that produces an abundance of dark
yellow. Fine. 50c each 3	red incurved blooms. Everyone who
CHEMARS EUREKA. (Decorative.)	has grown this dahlia is enthusias-
A superb pure white. Stems long	tic in its praise. 50c each 4
wiry and erect. Flower large and of perfect form. An ideal white for	ISA (W). (Peony.) Light fawn pink,
cutting. 50c each4½	changing with age to amber yellow.  A free and constant bloomer. Stems
	very long and wiry. Very attractive
<b>CHARLOTTE ALEXANDER.</b> (Decorative.) A finely formed flower on	for evening decoration. A queenly
good stems. Flowers large. Color	flower. 50c each
rich pink shading to blush. 50c	<b>JANE COWL.</b> (Decorative.) wonderful new dahlia and a prize winner
each 4	whenever shown. Flowers are im-
CALIFORNIA IDOL. This mammoth	mense in size, averaging 8 to 11
decorative yellow combines all the	inches in diameter and of fine sub-
virtues of a first-class modern dah-	stance and keeping qualities. Color,
lia. Color, clear lemon yellow, borne	old gold with amber shadings. 50c
on exceptionally long, erect stems.  Flowers open slowly and remain in	J. D. LONG (W). (Decorative.) Among
prime condition for a full week.	the most useful of all dahlias. Per-
\$1.50 each 4	fect of form, fine long stems, and a
	wonderful keeper as a cut flower.
<b>DORIS WILMORE (W).</b> (Peony.) An exceptionally fine peony dahlia of	Color most pleasing amber bronze
large size. Long, erect stems and	with delicate pink shading. Awarded first prize for the best dahlia of any
an excellent keeper as a cut flower.	type at a recent dahlia show in Los
Color, rich apricot bronze. Highly	Angeles. 50c each
recommended. 50c each 4	JERSEY'S BEACON. (Decorative.)
DR. PARKER. (Hybrid Cactus.) A	A decided novelty of Chinese scarlet
strong growing plant of spreading	with a paler reverse, giving a two-
bushy habit. Flowers very large and fluffy. Color mauve pink.	toned effect. An exhibition flower of vigorous growth, excellent stem.
500 each 214	50c each

Ft. High, Ft. High, Approximate. Approximate. JERSEY'S BEAUTY. (Decorative.) MURPHY'S MASTERPIECE, a very A fine true pink decorative dahlia of large, deep velvety red decorative perfect form on long stiff stems that hold the flowers high above a dahlia of medium height. \$1.00 each 4 MRS. E. B. VAUGHAN. (Decorative.) strong, vigorous plant. 50c each..... 5 A tall, early flowering variety with long stems. Flowers large and per-**KEMP'S VIOLET WONDER.** (Decorative.) A large, well-formed flower. Good stems and habit. Color, rich fect in form. Color, orchid pink shading to light pink center. 50c violet purple. 50c each...... 3 each KEMP'S WHITE WONDER. (Hybrid MRS. CARL SALBACH. (Decorative.) Cactus.) Flowers very large on fine stems, pure white and of good substance; one of the best of all Extra large and of beautiful form and always full to the center. Stems are exceptionally long, holding the whites. 50c each ...... 4 flower erect. Color, soft lavender-**KENNETH GILBERT.** (W) (Decorative). A sturdy plant producing a mass of flowers. Flowers, medium 50c each...... 5 pink. MYRA HOWARD. (Decorative.) splendid and lively combination of to large and perfect in form. Color, yellow and gold, with salmon shadmellow pink shaded cream pink. 50c each...... 5 50c each **KENTUCKY.** (Decorative.) Color salmon pink. Fine long stems. A gem NANAQUAKET. (Decorative.) A large well formed flower on extra length for cutting. 50c each...... 5 **KIWANIAN.** (W) (Peony). This dahlia has been the sensation among (Peony). NANCY SUE LANG. (Decorative.) A very large flower on excellent stems. Color, old gold, heavily shaded with orange. Similar to the peony types from its introduc-tion in 1926. Of immense size on Radio but larger. A very attractive flower. 50c each ...... 3 OPHIR (R. T. Davis). A superb decorative, borne on long fine stems, holding the flower to view. Flowers LA VETA (W). (Peony.) Nearly double. A finely formed flower on excellent stems. An early and free bloomer. A fine cutting variety. medium size with full center. Color, rich old gold with amber shading, reminding one of the popular Lucy Davis. Fine exhibition flower. 50c Color, a combine of pink and bronze. each ...... 4 Fine for garden or commercial use. PRIDE OF CALIFORNIA. (Decora-50c each ...... 4 tive.) An extra large fine flower, borne on long stems. Very large and full vivid red. Exceptionally LORD OF AUTUMN. (Hybrid Cactus.) One of the best dahlias of recent introduction. Immense in size and fine. 50c each...... 4 a prolific bloomer almost to the point of hiding the foliage. Stems long and straight. Clear golden PRIDE OF FT. MORGAN. (Decora-An immense flower with flat petals. Probably the tive.) \$1.50 each...... 4 largest of the decorative reds. MARMION. (Decorative.) Among the largest of all dahlias. A sturdy, massive plant with excellent stems which hold the massive flower above the foliage. Color, golden yellow, shading to tinges of bronze. grower. Stems medium length. Color, vivid red. 50c each.... 4 RADIO. (Decorative.) Without a doubt one of the greatest dahlias ever originated. Can be grown 11 to 12 inches in diameter. Color, blood red, edged and tipped with yellow. 50c \$1.00 each ...... 4 MEDITATION (W) 1930. (Decorative.) Flowers of medium size. borne on long, erect stems. Color, light delicate lavender. A free and each ...... 4 ROBERT EMMET. (Decorative.) A large, well-formed flower with long erect stems. A most intense vivid red. Fine. 50c each...... 4 early bloomer. Highly recommended, 50c each ...... 4 NELL. (Decorative.) Broomall did the world a great service when he originated this hundred per cent Dahlia. The flower is im-mense; stem very long. Color. bright MRS. GEO. LE BOUTILLIER. The largest of all red dahlias. 10-12 inches in natural growth. Much larger if disbudded. Plant dwarf rose and with all a good keeper. Highly recommended. 50c each....... 3 RUDY VALLEE. Flowers extra large and of bushy habit. Stems very long. Color, vivid red. A grand and of perfect form. Petals broad, yet drawn to a sharp point. Stems dahlia. 75c ...... 3 long and wiry. Color, reddish apricot. 75c each ..... 4 MRS. I. DE VER WARNER. (Deco-ROSE PALLON. (Decorative.) An imrative.) Large, perfect flowers of mense flower of fine, perfect form. Stems long and erect. Plant robust and vigorous. Color, dark amber or brownish old gold. A variety we charming color; a deep mauve-pink, on stout stems. A good grower and free bloomer. Can be grown to a diameter of 11 inches. One of the

best dahlias in cultivation. 50c

can highly recommend. Strong tubers. 50c each ...... 5

Ft. High, Approximate	A	Ft. High, Approximate.
RUTH JACQUELINE. (Davis) Cactus, 1924. A strong, robust plant, throwing numerous side branches. Flowers large and perfect in form. Stems exceptionally long and strong. Color clear canary yellow. One of the very best of the yellows. 50c each.		UNCLE TOM. (Hybrid Cactus.) A bold shaggy flower on good strong stems. One of the best of the very dark varieties. Color, dark maroon, almost black. 50c each
RUTH NICHOLS (W). (Decorative.)		An immense white flower that has
A fine, large flower borne on fine, long stems. Rich dazzling red, fine for cutting. 50c each	4	few, if any equals. Flowers from 8 to 9 inches and of purest white. Stems long and erect. One of the best of varieties. 50c each
SALEM PRIDE. (Decorative.) A large		
evenly formed flower on good stems. Color, reddish purple, streaked and mottled with white. 50c each	4	WATERLOO. (Hybrid Cactus). (J. W. Pflager origination). A beautiful dahlia of large size and perfect form Stems long and wiry. Color, orchid
<b>SATAN.</b> (Hybrid Cactus.) A giant red that is sometimes tipped with gold.		pink. 50c each
Unusually strong plant, growth with fine stems. 50c each	4	WHITE KNIGHT. (Decorative.) An
SWEETHEART'S BOUQUET (W).	•	early blooming, pure white; an excellent general purpose. White
(Peony.) In color an uniquie shading of salmon-rose, shaded with fawn; pleasing alike in both day		flowers, large and well formed.
and artificial light. Flowers are		WILDEMERE. (W) (Hybrid Cactus).
very large and stems extra long and wiry. One of the very earliest to bloom and continues throughout the	-	The plant is of dwarf growth and bushy habit. Flowers, medium in size and perfectly formed. Color,
season. 25c each	Э	fawn pink, an exceptionally fine variety for cutting by reason of long
<b>TOMMY ATKINS.</b> (Decorative.) The ideal scarlet. One of the most vivid colors among dahlias. Flowers large		stems and excellent keeping qualities. 50c each
and full. Stems long and erect.  Among the very best of dahlias.  50c each	4	william G. (Decorative.) A mammoth flower of shaggy form. Plant of sturdy well branched habit.
THOMAS EDISON. (Decorative.) A		Stems ampy long and wiry, holding
very attractive dahlia. Flowers large and of perfect form borne on excellent stems. Color, dark violet		the immense flowers erect. Flowers of excellent keeping qualities. Color light or scarlet red. A wonderful flower. 50c each
purple. 50c each	4	nower, suc each

# Standard Dahlias

Prices in this list, 25 Cents each

Various Types—C., Cactu	is; D., Decorative; S., Snow
Ft. High, Approximate.  A. D. LIVONI. (S.) Rich pink, finely	Ft. High, Approximate. <b>D. M. MOORE.</b> (S.) A flower of mam-
formed. A very handsome flower 3 <b>BERCH VON HEEMSTEDE.</b> (D.) An extra fine dahlia of large size, fine	moth size, produced in profusion on long, stiff stems. Its color is a deep velvety maroon. It has no equal in its color, almost black
form, good stem, and excellent keeping qualities. An early and profuse bloomer. Color, clear, rich yellow 4	DREER'S WHITE. (S.) Pure white, re-
<b>BON TON (W).</b> A fine ball-shaped flower of deep garnet red. An extra fine Dahlia	ELEANOR STISSER (W). (D.) Flow-
freest flowering Cactus Dahlia in the collection, and perfect in form.	shading to pink and old rose. A pleasing autumn shade
Color, an exquisite shade of rich salmon, with just suspicion of apricot at the base of the petals	formed true cactus type. Flowers
pale lemon. Very good 4	GENESTA. (C.) Rich orange bronze. A fine autumn shade
<b>DELICE.</b> (D.) Its beautiful, soft, yet lively color, a glowing rose-pink, together with its perfect shape, stout, stiff stems, which hold the flowers well above the foliage, and the fact that when cut it retains its fresh-	GOLDEN SPRAY (W). (S.) Large flowers borne on long stems and produced in profusion. Bright golden yellow. A superb variety for cutting
ness longer than any variety, makes this one of the most valuable for cutting and one of the most decorative sorts in the garden	JACK ROSE. (D.) Brilliant crimson-red, rich and glowing, similar in shade to the popular Jack Rose, which suggested its name

Ft. High, Approximate.	Ft. High, Approximate
LA GRAND MANITOU. (D.) An immense flower. Color, purple mottled and streaked with crimson. Sometimes solid purple. Very attractive	purple GEM (W). (S.) Rich royal purple, clear and constant. This variety is a decided improvement over the old varieties. A first-class flower
<b>MAID OF KENT.</b> (D.) Intense scarlet, variegated with pure white; frequently a solid scarlet	<b>PURPLE MANITOU.</b> (D.) Extra large, clear purple. A sport from the
MINA BURGLE. (D) A very free flowering sort. Flowers extra large and clear in color. Popular as a cutting variety. Dark vivid red, produced on good stems	popular La Grand Manitou; one of the best clear purples
borne on excellent stems. Color, clear canary yellow. One of the very best of the light yellows. Blooms very freely and an excellent keeper when cut	stradella. (S.) Large purple flower, rounded and full
MRS. THOS. BURCH (W). (D.) Rich old gold, sometimes marked with pink, shading to fawn. An ideal fall	yet interesting variety. Bright red, heavily marked with white. Sometimes solid red
shade and one of the very best of the autumn tinted varieties. Flowers full size, stems long and rigid, fine for cutting4	victory (Kaiser Wilhelm). (S.) Of immense size and perfect form. Deep yellow, tipped and shaded with cherry red

# An Echo from the Long Ago

On Saturday last the editor was wearied and thankful that the day of rest was at hand. A package was brought in by express and deposited on our table. Opening it, there lay the grandest collection of dahlias that we have ever seen. Colored from bright orange to crimson, and almost black and in all their combinations, lay several dozen of such royal beauties as might put Solomon to envy by reason of their gorgeous wardrobe.

Everyone who beheld them caught their breath in delight and showered adjectives in abundance in describing their emotions.

The giver of this royal collection was W. W. Wilmore, grower of fruits and flowers \* \* \* \*.

(Clipping from the *Golden Globe*, Golden, Colorado, September 17, 1892)



# Pompon Novelty List A WIGWAM OF PAPOOSES

ALL ARE WILMORE INTRODUCTIONS—25c Each

(Practically all Pompons are ideal for cutting)

Ft. High, Approximate.	Ft. High, Approximate.
BRONZE PAPOOSE (W). Rich bronze shaded with amber	PINK PAPOOSE (W). Rose pink. An ideal for cutting 3
DUSKY PAPOOSE (W). Copper red shaded with buff	<b>RED PAPOOSE (W).</b> Vivid red. An exceptionally free bloomer
dolpen papoose (w). Golden yellow, shaded to cherry red	RITA'S PAPOOSE (W). Brilliant cerese pink. A neat little flower and a wonderful bloomer
(1931). Golden yellow. Fine form and quite small	SHAWNEE PAPOOSE (W). (1932). Copper red shaded to amber. Long stem and fine form
form	SUNDANCE PAPOOSE. Canary yellow slight shading of cherry at the tips 3 WIGWAM PAPOOSE (W). Golden yel-
(1931). Rose pink, fine long stem. Fine in every way	low. Exceptionally good for cutting. Stems long and flower quite small3½ <b>WILD PAPOOSE (W).</b> Reddish bronze,
straw or sulphur yellow, fine form 3  SIX INTRODUCT	densely quilled. Excellent form 3  FIONS OF 1939
LITTLE VICTOR (W). Rich orange shading to golden yellow. Good stem and perfect form	red to amber yellow. A beautiful autumn combination. Stems long straight. Fine
free flowering dwarf variety. Bright red	white. The petals are so arranged as to suggest a fluffy arrangement
yellow with pink shadings	of white feathers. Stems extra long and straight. This novelty is a perfect miniature both as to form and size

# Pompon Standard List

PRICE 25c EACH; \$2.50 PER DOZEN

Note: To those not familiar with the varieties of Pompons, we will make up a collection of 13, no two alike, and giving the full range of color, for \$2.50.

Pompon dahlias are rapidly gaining popular favor once more. For cutting purposes they have no equal, lasting for days even in the hottest weather.

Ft. High, Approximate.	Ft. High, Approximate.
AMBER QUEEN. Rich old gold, fine in flower and stem 3	LITTLE BEESWING. Cherry red shaded amber. Excellent for cut-
CLARA HARSH. Perfect blooms of yellow; tipped with crimson 3	minnie mellor. Orchid pink with good form and stem
corona (W). A miniature decorative form of pompon. Snowy white. One of the most useful of all pom-	ROSA WILMOTH. Rose pink. Ideal for cutting
pons (identical with Coronne) 3 <b>DEWDROP.</b> A fine long-stemmed	<b>TOM THUMB.</b> Very small. Exceptionally heavy bloomer. Bright red 3
variety. Color, soft lavender 3	winifred. White, faint purple edge
JOE FETTIE. Pure white, excellent variety for cutting	YELLOW GEM. Pure yellow of excellent form and habit. The best of the yellows



## Gladiolus

A flower now so immensely popular that description is unnecessary. Plant at intervals up to June 20 to prolong the blooming season. Heavy fertilizing should be avoided. The following varieties and groups will be found very satisfactory:

GROUP NO. 1
75c per dozen; \$4.00 per 100

ALBATROSS. Large pure white.
CHARLES DICKENS. Radiant purple.
DR. BENNETT. Flame scarlet.
DR. MOODY. A large lavender.
EARLY SUNRISE. Flame red (early).
GIANT NYMPH. Pink; extra large.
GLORIANA. Orange salmon.
GOLDEN DREAM. Beautiful soft yellow.
MARMORA. Smoky lavender.

MRS. LEON DOUGLAS. Rose, striped scarlet.

MRS. P. W. SISSON. Lovely cameo pink. MRS. DR. NORTON. Pink, yellow throat.

Gladioli in Mixture, 35c per doz. \$2.50 per 100 Prepaid to 4th zone only GROUP No. 2 \$1.00 per dozen; \$6.00 per 100

AIDA. Rich, deep violet purple.

**MAID OF ORLEANS.** Fine, large, white creamy throat.

MINUET. Best of the large lavenders.

MISS ALAMEDA. Tall medium pink, large pink throat.

**MOTHER MACHREE.** Soft lavender and subdued orange with an overcast of gray.

**OUR SELECTION.** Salmon-red, flecked with deeper shades.

PICARDY. Shrimp pink. Extra fine. RED PHIPPS. Beautiful glowing red.

**RUFFLED GOLD.** Very ruffled, golden yellow. **SALBACH'S OBCHID.** Fine lavender

pink. **W. H. PHIPPS.** Bright salmon-pink.

### Peonies.

NOT PREPAID BEYOND THE 4TH ZONE (600 MILES)
Fall orders for Peonies cannot be filled before October



Field of Peonies in Full Bloom

Fine, hardy plants, rivaling the rose in perfection of bloom, color and fragrance. They are at home in any climate or soil, but thrive best in a deep, rich, well-drained loam. They make a gorgeous display planted in beds, on the lawn, or planted singly along the walk or herbaceous border. The Peony is perfectly hardy and generally able to care for itself, but it does not follow that they enjoy neglect. Give them ample room in which to grow, keeping them free from weeds and grass, and they will amply repay all the care given. A word to beginners: Use no fertilizer of any kind on newly set Peonies. Don't be alarmed when you see your newly set Peonies begin to turn brown in July and appear to be quite dead in August. This is natural. They will be on hand again in the spring.

The following varieties embrace a wide range of color and will be found very satisfactory. Prices quoted are for strong divisions.

Fine old favorites for beds or border. They have a wide range of gorgeous colors and delightfully fragrant.

Fertilizers should not be applied to new-set peonies.

**BARONESS SCHROEDER.** Delicate flesh, changing to white. Flowers very large. An extra fine peony. 75c each.

white with creamy white center. Very large. An extra fine peony. 50c each.

**EARLY ROSE.** This is an old peony, but one of the most reliable. 50c each.

**FELIX CROUSSE.** The well known brilliant dark red. The leader among reds. 75c each.

**FESTIVA MAXIMA.** A rare variety of great beauty. Exceedingly showy and of large size. Pure snowy white, flaked with small crimson spots at center. Finest white in cultivation. 50c each.

**GOLDEN HARVEST.** Blush guard petals; center petals narrow, showing yellow stamens. 50c each.

**JEANNE d'ARC.** One of the best of all the light pink varieties. Medium pink shading to almost white. Very fragrant. 75c each.

**KARL ROSENFELD.** Rich velvety crimson. Large globular flower. 75c each. A popular red.

LADY LENORA BRAMWELL. Verv large and sweet. Silver rose. 50c each.

**MAD. BREON.** Flesh and lemon, changing to white. -50c each.

**MODEL DE PERFECTION.** Silver pink. Large and sweet. 50c each.

**MONS. JULES ELIE.** The peerless pure pink. Broad reflexing guards with a high pyramidal body. One of the largest, handsomest and most lasting cutting sorts in existence. 75c each.

**OFFICINALIS RUBRA.** (Old Red.) Flowers of a bright crimson, quite double and globular. Very early and fine Two-year-old clumps. 75c each.

PRESIDENT TAPT. (Reine Hortense) Among the best of all peonies. Large full flower, delightfully fragrant. Color a delicate shell pink. A vigorous free bloomer. 75c each.

**PRINCESS BEATRICE.** Pink guard petals, center creamy pink. Late bloomer. 50c each.

**ROSEA SUPERBA.** Fine, full rosy pink. Extra choice flower. Very free and early bloomer. 50c each.

(NOTE—There is a very general impression that peonies must be set in the fall. This is a bit of nonsense. If peony stock has been dug in the fall and held over winter in damp storage they will do fully as well when set in the early spring.)

# **NURSERY DEPARTMENT**

# Trees, Shrubs, Fruits, Evergreens, Roses, Vines, and Hardy Perennials

Buy Colorado grown Nursery Stock. No stock can be obtained in any section of the United States with better root systems or of hardier growth than that produced in our mile-high altitude; this means that losses are held to a minimum. All our stock has passed inspection of the State Authorities and pronounced free of injurious insect pests and disease.

Trees, Shrubs, Tree Fruits and Evergreens are NOT PREPAID where shipments are made. They travel express or freight—charges collect. Other items herein listed are prepaid at quoted prices.

We also have larger and smaller sizes of most of the following. Prices on application. If what you desire is not listed, write for quotation.

# **DECIDUOUS TREES**

#### ACER-MAPLE

Mostly deciduous trees, used extensively for lawn, park and street planting. Most of the species are hardy in northern states. Ordinary soil is satisfactory for Maples. Strong and free growing subjects.

Acer ginnala; Amur Maple (to 20 ft.) Graceful shrub or tree. Flowers fragrant with conspicuous red fruit throughout the summer. In autumn the foliage changes to brilliant red. 3-4 ft., \$1.00; 4-5 ft., \$1.50; 5-6 ft., \$2.00.

A. platanoides; Norway Maple (40 to 50 ft.) Very popular variety for either lawn or street planting. Forms a perfect rounded head, with large, deep green foliage. 6-8 ft., \$2.00.

A. platanoides var. Schwedleri; Schwedler's Maple (40 to 50 ft.) This Maple is one of the most attractive trees under cultivation. It is often called Purple Leaf Maple, because of its reddish purple leaves in the spring. 6-8 ft., \$2.75; 8-10 ft., \$4.00; 1½-1½ in., \$5.50; 1½-2 in., \$8.00; 2-2½ in., \$11.00; 2½-3 in., \$15.00.

A. saccharinum; Silver Maple. (60 to 80 ft.) This is a fast growing maple and well known. Leaves are silverish underneath. 6-8 ft., \$1.50; 8-10 ft., \$2.00.

A. saccharinum var. Wieri; Wier's Cut-leaved Maple (40 to 50 ft.) Similar to the Silver Maple, except that the branches are drooping and leaves are deeply cut,  $1\frac{1}{2}$ -2 in., \$4.00.

A. saccharinum var. Skinneri; Skinner's Cut-leaved Maple (to 50 ft.) A very attractive form of Silver Maple with dense cut leaved foliage, and graceful, drooping branches. Rapid grower. 1½-2 in., \$4.00.

#### BETULA-BIRCH

Trees and shrubs, thrive on moist sandy soils Suitable for northern climates.

Betula alba var. pendula laciniata; Cutleaf Weeping Birch. (30 to 40 ft.) A graceful, white barked tree with drooping limbs and delicately cut-leaved foliage. Highly recommended for lawn and park planting. 5-6 ft., \$2.50; 6-8 ft., \$3.00; 8-10 ft., \$4.00; 1-1¼ in. caliper, \$6.00; 1¼-1½ in. caliper, \$7.50.

#### CELTIS-HACKBERRY

Trees or shrubs with alternate Elmlike leaves. Most species are hardy in northern states, where they are grown for shade and ornament.

Celtis occidentalis; Hackberry. (40 to 50 ft.) We consider this tree one of the best. It has a rapid spreading growth similar to the American Elm. Limbs are seldom broken from wind and it is free from insects and disease. 6-8 ft., \$1.25; 8-10 ft., \$1.75.

#### CRATAEGUS-HAWTHORN

Spiny deciduous shrubs or small trees. Desirable ornamental subjects

Crataegus coccinea; Thicket Hawthorn (to 10 ft.) Shrubs or small trees, bearing white flowers, followed by a dull red fruit which it carries well into the winter. In the autumn, the leaves turn into a galaxy of color. Very hardy. 4-5 ft., \$2.00; 5-6 ft., \$3.00.

#### ELAEAGNUS—OLEASTER

Ornamental shrubs or small trees. Grow in any well-drained soil and sunny location.

Elaeagnus angustifolia; Russian Olive (20 to 40 ft.) An ornamental tree of special value; attractive silver gray leaves, grayish white berries. It blooms profusely in June, flowers yellow and very fragrant. An excellent tree for semi-arid districts. Desirable for mass planting. Used frequently for hedges and windbreaks. Very hardy. 5-6 ft., \$1.00; 6-8 ft., \$1.50; 8-10 ft., \$2.00. (Calipered trees at \$2.25 per inch.)

#### GLEDITSIA-HONEY LOCUST

Planted as specimen and for shade; they are adapted to most soils.

Gleditsia triacanthos var. inermis; Honey Locust. (50 to 60 ft.) This is the thornless form of Honey Locust. Fragrant white flowers in May. Long lived, hardy tree. Succeeds on most any kind of soil. Not affected by borers. 6-8 ft., \$1.50; 8-10 ft., \$2.00.

Juglans nigra; Black Walnut. Description unnecessary for this old favorite. Valuable for its wood, nuts and landscaping effect. 6-8 ft., \$1.75; 8-10 ft., \$2.50.

Koelreuteria paniculata; Golden Rain Tree. (25 ft.) Ornamental tree of handsome foliage arranged like Mt. Ash leaves. Large panicles of yellow flowers, followed by seed pods resembling Japanese lanterns. A distinct novelty. 5-6 ft., \$2.00; 6-8 ft., \$2.50.

#### MALUS—APPLES

Trees and shrubs of high ornamental and commercial values.

Malus ioensis var. plena; Bechtels Flowering Crab. (12 to 15 ft.) A beautiful, double pink, flowering crab with fragrant flowers, May-June. Perfectly hardy, succeeds well in most soils not extremely wet. The only fragrant double crab. 2-3 ft., \$1.50; 3-4 ft., \$2.00.

Hopa Crab; Similar to the Bechtels Crab, but taller grower. Blossoms are cerese-red in color. Highly recommended. 3-4 ft., \$1.50; 4-5 ft., \$2.00.

Morus alba tatarica; Russian Mulberry. Hardy, low-growing tree, with shapely head; small, sweet berries in abundance. 6-8 ft., \$1.50; 8-10 ft., \$2.00.

# POPULUS—POPLAR, ASPEN AND COTTONWOOD

Trees and shrubs with soft wood. Widely planted for avenues, windbreaks, and or nament

Populus alba var. pyramidalis; Bolleana Poplar. (50 to 60 ft.) One of the most striking of the columnar type trees. The bark is smooth and of a light green color. It has silvery foliage and is a very rapid grower.

5- 6	ft	., \$1.	.00		8.50	per	ten
6- 8	ft	., \$1.	.25		11.00	per	ten
8-10	ft	., \$1.	.75		15.00	per	ten
1 1/4	to	$1\frac{1}{2}$	in.,	\$2.25\$	20.00	per	ten
$1\frac{1}{2}$	to	2	in.,	\$3.25\$	30.00	per	ten
2	to	2 1/2	in.,	\$4.50\$	40.00	per	ten

Populus nigra italica; Lombardy Poplar. Grows tall and symmetrical. Branches close to the ground and is fine for screen purposes or landscape work. A picturesque tree. 5-6 ft, 75c; 6-8 ft., \$1.00; 8-10 ft., \$1.25; 1½-1½ in. cal., \$1.75. (Ten or more of a size on the above, 20% discount.)



Bechtel's Crab

Populus sargentii; Cottonless Cottonwood. (60 to 90 ft.) This is the regular Western Broadleaf Cottonwood except that it does not bear cotton. Recommended for large estates and farms. 6-8 ft., \$1.00; 8-10 ft., \$1.50; 1\frac{1}{4}-1\frac{1}{2} in., \$2.00; 1\frac{1}{2}-2 in., \$2.50.

#### SALIX-WILLOW

Woody plants, grown for ornament, screens, shelter, holding of banks, and some of the species for the twigs from which baskets are made. Adapted to moist conditions Grow rapidly.

Salix niobe; Niobe Weeping Willow. (30 to 35 ft.) This willow is a hybrid between the White and Crack Willows. It is an exceptionally strong, hardy, graceful tree. Splendid weeping habit. 5-6 ft., 75c; 6-8 ft., \$1.00; 8-10 ft., \$1.50;  $1\frac{1}{4}$ - $1\frac{1}{2}$  in., \$2.25;  $1\frac{1}{2}$ -2 in., \$3.00;  $2-2\frac{1}{2}$  in., \$4.00.

**NOTE**—The Niobe Willow is not guaranteed. We deliver good live trees but are not responsible for future results at above prices.

#### SORBUS-MOUNTAIN ASH

Deciduous trees or shrubs, most of the species are hardy in the north, and will thrive even in dry soil. Sorbus aucuparia; European Mountain Ash. (20 to 40 ft.) A valuable ornamental tree with scarlet berries from July to winter, also beautiful fern-like green foliage. The combination of berries and foliage makes this one of the most striking and beautiful trees that grow. 5-6 ft., \$1.50; 6-8 ft., \$2.00; 8-10 ft., \$3.00.

Tilia americana; American Linden. (30 to 40 ft.) Suitable for parks or lawns. Intensely fragrant yellow flowers, and broad top, which gives plenty of shade. 6-8 ft., \$2.50; 8-10 ft., \$3.50.

#### ULMUS—ELM

Elms are favorite shade and avenue trees and some of them being among the hardiest lawn and street trees.

Ulmus americana; American Elm. Long spreading branches and most commonly known of all Elms. Slower growing than the popular Chinese Elm. 6-8 ft., \$1.25; 8-10 ft., \$1.75.

Ulmus americana moline; Moline Elm. Similar to the above, but pyramidal in shape. A striking and beautiful tree. 8-10 ft., \$2.00;  $1\frac{1}{4}$ - $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. cal., \$2.75.

### THE WONDERFUL CHINESE ELM



A street planting of Chinese Elm (Ulmus Pumila). Trees are seven years old, forty feet high, ten inches in diameter.

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#### CHINESE ELM

(Continued from page 19)

The beautiful Chinese Elm (Ulmus pumila) is a very rapid growing tree, often attaining a height of 40 feet or more with a trunk circumference of thirty-five inches or more in six years. This Elm is gradually replacing the other elms for shade and parking trees.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture in its Bulletin No. 945 says:

"It is a rapid grower, with slender, almost wiry branches. It is one of the first trees to leaf out in the spring and the last to shed its leaves in the fall. Remarkably free from the usual plant diseases and insect injuries so common in many of the elms.

"It is very hardy and has proved valuable under a greater variety of climatic and soil conditions than any tree yet introduced. Very favorable reports have been received from practically every section of the country.

"Its resistance to drought, alkali, and extremes of temperature render it an especially valuable tree."

Strong, well shaped and well rooted trees, at following prices:-

Prices on larger sizes up to 6-inch Caliper—on request.

We have some nice seedlings that would do to plant out as windbreaks on farms, estates, etc., at \$6.00 per 100 or \$50.00 per 1,000, 2-3 ft. size.

### ORNAMENTAL SHRUBS

#### BERBERIS-BARBERRY

Barberries are widely grown for hedges and as specimen bushes for their general beauty and for the attractive flowers in spring and the fruits in autumn and winter. The evergreen species do best in moist well-drained light loam, but the deciduous species may have drier soils.

Berberis aquifolium; Oregon Hollygrape. (to 3 ft.) Evergreen shrub, spiny-toothed leaves, glossy, dark green above. Yellow flowers and dark blue, grape-like berries. Balled and burlapped. 12-18 in., \$1.75; 18-24 in., \$2.50.

Berberis thunbergi; Japanese Barberry (4 to 5 ft.) Pale yellow flowers. April-May. A splendid hardy hedge plant. Also fine for mass planting. Brilliant red fruit and foliage in autumn. 18-24 in., 60c; 2-2½ ft., 75c.

Berberis thunbergi var. atropurpurea; Red-leaved Barberry. (3 to 6 ft.) This is a variety of the Japanese barberry. The foliage is a rich lustrous red, becoming more brilliant and gorgeous throughout the summer and in the fall changes to vivid orange, scarlet and red shades. 15-18 in., 60c; 18-24 in, 75c.

Berberis thunbergi pluriflora erecta; Truehedge Columnberry; U. S. Plant Patent No. 110. Often called the "ready made hedge." May be used for formal hedge, individual specimens, window boxes, and similar plantings without pruning. Often mistaken for Boxwood, because of extremely formal shape, and dense glossy foliage. Highly recommended.

18-24	in.,	each,	60c; per	25	\$12.00
$2-2\frac{1}{2}$	ft.,	each,	90c; per	25	\$18.00
					\$27.50

#### BUDDLEIA-BUTTERFLY BUSH

Even when buddleias are not hardy north, the roots may survive with winter protection. They thrive in sunny locations in rich well-drained soil.

Buddleia davidi var. magnifica; Oxeye Butterflybush; (5 to 6 ft.) A perennial in this climate. Of rapid growth with very green foliage and attractive lilac flowers. Blooms from June-October. The flowers are borne in dense cylindrical spikes from 12 to 15 inches in length by 3 inches in diameter. It succeeds everywhere and flowers freely the first season. No. 1, 50c.

#### CARAGANA—PEA TREE

(Pea Shrub)

They should be planted in sunny positions in open soil.

Caragana arborescens; Siberian Pea Tree. (12 to 15 ft.) An attractive dense growing shrub with bright green, small locust-like leaves. In early spring it bears numerous pea-like yellow flowers, followed by small pea-shaped pods that remain after the leaves have fallen. 2-3 ft., 60c; 3-4 ft., 75c.

C. aurantiaca; Dwarf Pea-Shrub. (to 4 ft.) Bushy and spreading with very showy orange blossoms and minute dark green leaves. A slow growing diminutive shrub. Thrives in dry sunny position. Used for hedging purposes, or as an individual specimen. 12-18 in., 60c.

#### CARYOPTERIS-BLUEBEARD

Caryopteris incana. Shrub to 5 ft. and often dying back, and treated as a perennial herb. Lavender-blue flowers in autumn. Sometimes called "blue spires." 2 yr. 75c each; 3 yr. \$1.00 each.

#### CORNUS-DOGWOOD

Dogwoods are useful for group plantings and as single specimens.

Cornus alba var. sibirica; Coral Dogwood. (8 to 10 ft.) Hardy, vigorous, upright shrub producing small white flowers. April-May. Porcelain-blue fruit. Bright red bark in winter. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00.

Cornus stolonifera var. coloradensis; Colorado Dogwood. (to 10 ft.) Brownish-red branches. Dull white flowers, May-June. Blue fruit. Vigorous grower, hardy. Foliage turning in autumn to purple-red. 3-4 ft., \$1.00.

Cornus stolonifera var. lutea; Goldentwig Dogwood. (8 to 10 ft.) Similar to Colorado Dogwood only with bright yellow bark, fine winter effect. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.25.

#### COTONEASTER

Cotoneaster acutifolia; Peking Cotoneaster. (6 to 8 ft.) A graceful shrub ideal for foundation or full sun planting. The brilliant autumn foliage and black fruits remain well into the winter. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.25.

#### CYDONIA—QUINCE

Attractive ornamental subjects.

Cydonia japonica; Flowering Quince. (5 to 6 ft.) Well known shrub producing showy scarlet flowers in April. Greenish-yellow quince-like fruits. Spiny branches. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.25.

#### EUONYMUS-SPINDLE TREE

Euonymus alatus; Winged Burning Bush. (to 8 ft.) Yellow flowers May-June. Interesting corky, winged branches. Leaves turning brilliant crimson in autumn. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.50.

**Euonymus alatus compacta.** Similar to the above, but bushier and dwarfer in growth habit. 2-3 ft., \$1.00.

#### FORSYTHIA-GOLDEN BELLS

Forsythias are amongst the showiest spring-blooming shrubs. They are not particular as to soil.

Forsythia suspensa var fortunei; Golden Bells. (to 8 ft.) Upright, arching branches. Golden yellow flowers early in April. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00.

#### HYDRANGEA

Hydrangeas require a rich, porous and somewhat moist soil; they bloom most freely in full sun. They should be pruned rather severely in early spring.

Hydrangea paniculata var. grandiflora; Peegee Hydrangea. (4-5 ft.) A very hardy shrub with large trusses of showy double white flowers, blending into pink and bronze shades in autumn. September to October. 18-24 in., 75c.

#### KOLKWITZIA

Kolkwitzia amabilis; Beauty Bush. (to 6 ft.) Bell-shaped flowers, pink with yellow throat, bloms May-June. Very graceful shrub, hardy 3-4 ft., \$1.25; 4-5 ft., \$1.75.

#### LESPEDEZA

Lespedeza formosa; Purple Bushclover. (3 to 4 ft.) An herbaceous shrub with attractive purple flowers in September. Quite pendant when in bloom. 2 year No. 1, 75c; 3 year, \$1.00.

#### LIGUSTRUM—PRIVET

Privets are commonly planted for hedges and in shrubberies for ornament, and sometimes as single specimens. They are not particular as to soil.

Ligustrum amurense; Amur Privet. (to 15 ft.) Used extensively. Valuable, hardy hedge plant with rich attractive foliage. See prices under Hedges, following Shrubs.

L. vulgare; European Privet. (to 15 ft.) Old, but still one of the best. Valuable, hardy hedge plant. Attractive dark green foliage. See prices under Hedges following Shrubs.

#### LONICERA-HONEYSUCKLE

Honeysuckles are very popular ornamental subjects. They thrive in any good garden soil.

Lonicera morrowi; Morrows Honeysuckle. Creamy white flowers, followed by orange colored berries. 2-3 ft., 60c; 3-4 ft. 75c: 4-5 ft. \$1.00.

3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00.

Lonicera tatarica var. rosea; Pink

Tatarian Honeysuckle. (to 12 ft.) Hardy
vigorous grower. Bright pink flowers in
abundance, April-May. Red fruit. One
of the most noticeable shrubs. 2-3 ft.,
60c; 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00.



Virginal (Philadelphus)
(See description top page 22)

#### PHILADELPHUS—MOCK ORANGE

Floriferous popular shrubs, very fragrant. If pruning is needed it should be after flowering, since the blossoms appear from wood of the previous year.

Philadelphus coronarius; Sweet Mock

Philadelphus coronarius; Sweet Mock Orange. (to 10 ft.) A popular well known, hardy shrub. White, fragrant flowers in May-June. 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00.

P. lemoinei; Lemoine Mock Orange. (to 5 ft.) Semi-dwarf with attractive foliage, producting dense racemes of small fragrant flowers. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00.

P. virginalis; Virginal Mock Orange. (to 8 ft.) Medium grower. Loads down with beautiful fragrant semi-double flowers over a long season, beginning in May. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00. (See cut, page 21)

#### PHYSOCARPUS—NINEBARK

Deciduous spirea-like shrubs.

Physocarpus opulifolius; Common Ninebark. (to 9 ft.) A very hardy shrub with white flowers in May-June, followed by reddish-brown pods. 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00; 5-6 ft., \$1.50.

P. opulifolius var. nanus; Dwarf Ninebark. (4 to 5 ft.) A dwarf form of Ninebark. White flowers in clusters. Small leaves. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.25; 4-5 ft., \$1.75.

#### PRUNUS-STONE FRUITS

Includes plums, apricots, peaches, cherries and cherry-laurels. They are not particular as to soil.

Prunus cistena; Purple Leaf Plum. (to 10 ft.) A very attractive shrub. Hardy. Leaves are purplish-red in color. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.50; 4-5 ft., \$2.50.

- P. glandulosa var. sinensis; Double Pink Flowering Almond. (to 5 ft.) Beautiful double rose colored flowers, snuggling tight to the branches. Blooming in April and May. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.50.
- P. triloba; Flowering Plum. (10 ft. or more.) A handsome, hardy, vigorous, large shrub or small tree with double pink flowers in April-May. Will succeed over a wide territory. Superior to the Flowering Almonds. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.50.

#### RHAMNUS—BUCKTHORN

Rhamnus cathartica; Common Buckthorn. Extremely hardy; dark green leaves, black berries. Valuable for hedging. 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00; 5-6 ft., \$1.25.

Rhamnus frangula; Alder Buckthorn. (to 12 ft.) Deciduous. Small greenish flowers in umbels. Fruit red turning black when ripe. 4-5 ft., \$1.25.

#### RHUS-SUMAC

Planted mostly in shrubbery borders for the luxurious effect of the pinnate foliage, the bright red autumn color, and the dense fruit-heads.

Rhus typhina var. laciniata; Shredded Sumac (10 ft. or more.) The leaflets are laciniately tootned very delicate and fern-like. Leaves turn into an array of color in autumn, also clusters of crimson berries. Very rapid grower. 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00; 5-6 ft., \$1.50.

#### RIBES-CURRANTS, GOOSEBERRIES

Ribes alpinum; Mountain Currant. (to 6 ft.) A hardy, dense shrub suitable for hedges or mass planting. Scarlet berries in late summer. 18-24 in., 75c. 2-2½ ft., \$1.00.

Ribes aureum; Golden Currant. Rapid, upright grower producing fragrant yellow flowers in April-May. 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00.

#### ROSA—ROSE

A large genus of shrubs, furnishing many ornamental subjects.

Rosa foetida var. bicolor; Austrian Copper Rose. (to 6 ft.) One of the best

of the brier roses. The flowers are coppery colored, shaded with bronze and yellow, very attractive. No. 1, 2-yr. \$1.00 each; 2-3 ft., \$1.50 each; 3-4 ft., \$2.00 each.

- R. rubrifolia; Red-leaf Rose. (to 6 ft.) A distinct novelty of the rose family, highly desirable for its contrast effect of red-leaf foliage in combination with other shrubs and evergreens. Bright pink flowers, followed by red fruit pods. 18-24 in., 75c; 2-3 ft., \$1.00.
- R. setigera; Prairie Rose. (to 6 ft.) Bright shiny green foliage, turning brilliant red in autumn. Branches remain bright red throughout the winter. Single pink blossoms, followed by an abundance of red fruits. 2-3 ft., 60c; 3-4 ft., 75c.

#### SALIX-WILLOW

Salix irrorata; Bluestem Willow (to 10 ft.) Indigenous shrub. Twigs covered with a bluish glacous bark. Leaves dark green with whitish midrib. Densely flowered with dainty "pussies" in early spring. 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00.

Salix; Red Stem Pussy Willow. This willow grows similar to the Blue Stem Willow. The stems are red similar to the red dogwood, and the "pussies" are a little larger than those of the Blue Stem Willow. 3 to 4 ft., 75c each.

#### SHEPHERDIA—BUFFALOBERRY

Shepherdia argentea; Silver Buffaloberry (to 18 ft.) Shrubs or small trees. Valuable for its great hardiness. Silverish leaves and red fruits. The fruit is edible and can be made into jellies. Adapted to dry rocky soils. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00; 4-5 ft., \$1.50.

#### SORBARIA-FALSE SPIREA

They spread rather rapidly by suckers. Thrive in rich moist soil.

Sorbaria sorbifolia; Ural False Spirea. (4 to 5 ft.) Leaves out very early in the spring, showing very attractive ashlike foliage, followed with large, fluffy heads of white flowers, June-July. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00.

#### SPIREA

Popular ornamental subjects for lawn and landscape planting. Spireas thrive in any good soil but require plenty of moisture and sunny exposure.

- Spiraea arguta; Garland Spirea. (to 6 ft.) Upright, hardy shrub, small bright green leaves covered with single white flowers April-May We consider this Spirea much better than the populer Vanhoutte Spirea. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00.
- S. billiardi; Billiard Spirea. (to 6 ft.) Has dense spikes of rose-pink flowers that crown sparsely twigged erect branches. For shrubbery groups, natural plantings and moist places. July-September. 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00.
- ft.) Vigorous, spreading grower. Bright pink flowers, May-June. Purplish tips in spring. Beautiful autumn colors. Very hardy. Used extensively, and a fine dwarf shrub. 18-24 in., 60c; 2-2½ ft., 85c.

(Spireas continued, next page)

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**S. vanhouttei; Vanhoutte Spirea.** (to 6 ft.) Commonly called Bridal Wreath. One of the best shrubs. Graceful habit of growth. Pure white flowers April-May. Blooms profusely. 2-3 ft., 50c; 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00.

#### SYMPHORICARPOS-SNOWBERRY

Grown for the ornamental fruits, as well as the foliage and attractive habit. Not particular as to soil.

Symphoricarpos racemosus; Common Snowberry. (to 5 ft.) Attractive green foliage, pink flowers June-July. Large white fruit in clusters in autumn. 2-3 ft., 60c; 3-4 ft, 75c.

S. vulgaris; Coralberry (to 5 ft.) Sometimes called Red Snowberry and Indian Currant. Hardy shrub, succeeds everywhere. Coral red berries in Autumn and winter. 2-3 ft., 60c; 3-4 ft., 75c.

#### SYRINGA-LILAC

As a vernacular name, Syringa is sometimes applied to the Mock Orange or Philadelphus. Lilacs are among the most popular ornamental shrubs. They thrive in fertile rather moist soils.

Syringa josikaea; Hungarian Lilac. (to 10 ft.) Upright grower, attractive dark green foliage, dark violet, flowers in June. A sure bloomer. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00; 4-5 ft., \$1.50.

- S. persica; Persian Lilac. (8 to 10 ft.) Spreading habit. Slender arching branches with small leaves. Pale lilac flowers, April-May. 2-3 ft, 75c, 3-4 ft., \$1.00; 4-5 ft, \$1.50.
- **S.** rothomagensis; Chinese Lilac (to 9 ft.) Upright vigorous grower; reddish purple flowers in early May. One of the best for general planting, for reasons of its free blooming qualities and hardiness.. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00.
- **S. vulgaris var. French Hybrids.** (8 to 10 ft.) Attractive foliage, blooming after other varieties, rarely if ever failing in crop-bloom. All colors from white to deepest purple. 3-4 ft., \$2.00; 4-5 ft., \$2.50.

#### TAMARIX

Grown for ornament, as wind-breaks, and along the coast as they withstand salt spray. Necessary to every planting.

Tamarix hispida; Kashgar Tamarix. (15 to 20 ft.) The best Tamarix for this climate. Feathery silvery-green foliage, with long panicles of lavender-pink flowers Remaining in bloom throughout most of June and July. 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00.

#### **VIBURNUM**

Some of the viburnums are known as haws. They are amongst the most popular shrubs, and many of them assume attractive autumn colors. They make good bird refuges because of their autumn and winter fruits. They are not particular as to soil.

Viburnum dentatum; Arrowwood (to 12 ft.) Attractive foliage, bushy growth, single white flowers, April-May. followed by bluish-black fruit. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.25.

- V. lantana; Wayfaring Tree (10 to 15 ft.) Upright, attractive green leaves, single white flowers May. Bright red fruit changing to black. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.25.
- V. lentago; Nannyberry. (18 to 20 ft.) Large growing, upright shrub or small tree. Single white flowers in May. Shining green leaves. Large blue-black fruit. Leaves turning purplish and reddish in fall. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.25.
- V. opulus; European Cranberry Bush (High Bush Cranberry) (10 to 12 ft.) Well known hardy shrub. Single white flowers, April-May, followed by Scarlet fruit hanging on until spring. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.25.
- V. ovulus var. sterile; Common Snowball. (10 to 12 ft.) Well known popular shrub. Blooms profusely. Large double white flowers. April-May. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.25.

# **HEDGE PLANTS**

There are many plants that can be used as a hedge. The Privet hedge makes the most formal of any and can be kept trimmed almost to any shape desired. The shrubs for hedging are of a lighter grade than those offered as plants for the garden, and where one wants a taller growing hedge, the shrubs should be used

(See descriptions under shrubs)

#### PRICES OF HEDGES

NOTE—Where we do the planting of privet, add 30 per cent to these prices.

PRIVET—	Size	Per 25	Per 100	Per 1,000
Amur	12-18 in.	\$3.00	\$11.00	\$100.00
Amur		3.75	13.00	120.00
European	12-18 in.	4.00	15.00	120.00
European	18-24 in.	6.00	20.00	160.00
European	2-3 ft.	7.00	25.00	200.00
Barberry, Japanese	12-18 in.	6.00	20.00	160.00
Spirea, Vanhoutte	2-3 ft.	7.00	25.00	200.00
Chinese Elm	2-3 ft.	2.00	6.00	$50.0\overline{0}$
Russian Olive	18-24 in.	<b>3.</b> 00	11.00	100.00
Russian Olive	2-3 ft.	4.50	16.00	150.00

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### **ROSES**

These are all two year old, field grown, dormant plants. We contract northern grown roses, which prove hardier in this climate.

A trial order of these fine Roses will convince you of their merits. Prices on all Roses are 75c ea., \$7.50 per doz., except as noted.

### **Bush Roses**

#### Pink Shades

BRIARCLIFF, handsome flowers of silvery rose-pink.

**DAME EDITH HELEN,** excellent shape, glowing pink, very double and deep buds.

MME. CAROLINE TESTOUT, large globular flowers of satiny rose, fragrant

**OPHELIA**, light salmon shading to pale yellow, popular.

PINK RADIANCE, light silvery pink, prolific bloomer.

#### Red Shades

**E. G. HILL**, great massive blooms of deep red, velvety on the inside.

**ETOILE DE HOLLAND,** large, double blooms of rich velvety crimson.

FRANCIS SCOTT KEY, extremely large, very double blooms, rich crimson.

GRUSS AN TEPLITZ, medium sized, reddish-maroon, blooms in clusters.

**HADLEY,** large, double, well formed flowers of rich crimson.

**RED** RADIANCE, bright rosy-red form of radiance, very vigorous.

WILL ROGERS (Patent No. 256). Dark velvety crimson maroon, double, free blooming. Strong, vigorous, dark green foliage. \$1.00 ea.; \$10.00 per doz.

#### Yellow Shades

**GOLDEN DAWN.** Buds sunflower yellow to lemon yellow, double and fragrant. Vigorous, free bloomer.

MRS. E. P. THOM. Pure double yellow, blooms profusely, bushy grower.

MRS. PIERRE S. DU PONT. Free flowering, double rich yellow.

**SOEUR THERESE,** many long stemmed flowers of rich yellow, outside petals sometimes marked carmine, attractive and fully double.

**SOUV. DE CLAUDIUS PERNET,** popular variety of pure sunflower yellow. Fine.

**SUNBURST**, beautifully formed, rich yellow shaded orange.

#### White Shades

**EDEL**, a strong grower with an abundance of ivory white blooms.

**K.** A. **VICTORIA**, popular, snowy white rose, one of the best whites.

#### Two Tone Shades

**AUTUMN.** Rich autumn colors, burntorange and yellow, splashed red. Well shaped, very double; long, strong stems. Profuse bloomer. condesa de sastago. A very vigorous grower, full double blooms. The petals are distinctly two-tones, deep coppery pink inside and golden reverse. Highly recommended.

LADY MARGARET STEWART. Fine rich yellow, shading to orange red. Large blossoms.

LOS ANGELES, double, luminous coral pink, toned gold at base.

MME. JOSEPH PERRAUD. High-centered, perfectly formed buds and double blooms, that shade from shell-pink at the edges to buff and orange in the center

PRES. HERBERT HOOVER, medium orange, center red shades, large flowers.

TALISMAN, glowing golden yellow stained with copper-red and orange-rose on the inside of the petal.

#### HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES

AMERICAN BEAUTY, popular, fragrant, deep pink-shaded soft carmine.

FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI, large, snow white, free bloomer, popular.

MRS. JOHN LAING, well formed, double, soft pink flowers.

# **Climbing Roses**

Following varieties 65c each; \$6.50 per dozen, except as noted.

AMERICAN BEAUTY CLIMBER, large flowering crimson pink flowers. best grown as a pillar rose.

**BLAZE** (Patent No. 10). Climber, hardy everblooming, bright scarlet. Highly recommended. \$1.00 ea., \$10.00 per doz.

**CRIMSON RAMBLER**, small ruffled flowers, borne on individual stems, in clusters.

**DOROTHY PERKINS,** soft shell-pink, small, crinkly, in great clusters.

**EXCELSA**, double scarlet-crimson blooms with light streaks and shaded. Clusters very large.

**PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER**, intense scarlet flowers of excellent shape and moderate size, borne in small trusses. Very popular.

**PRIMROSE.** Hardy, canary yellow, medium sized blooms.

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### **FRUIT TREES**

**Apples.** Two-year  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft. and up, \$1.00 each; \$8.50 per 10.

Varieties—

Anoka McIntosh
Delicious Rome Beauty
Dutchess Wine Sap
Grimes Golden Wealthy

Jonathan Yellow Transparent

Crab Apple. Varieties-

Florence Red Siberian Whitney

**Cherries.** Two-year, 4-5 ft., \$1.15 each; \$10.00 per 10.

Varieties-

Early Richmond, Large Montmorency English Morello

**Plums.** Two-year,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft. and up, \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per 10.

Varieties—

Blue Damson Kahinta Sapa Bradshaw Lombard Underwood Compass Opata Waneta Italian Prune Omaha Wilmore

### **SMALL FRUITS**

Blackberries-

Mersereau, 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

Currants-

Red Cherry. 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

Grapes. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen

Varieties—

Agawam, red Beta, (Arbor Grape) Concord, black Moore's Early, black. Niagara. white Worden, black

#### Gooseberries-

Carrie, Houghton and Downing. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

**Raspberries.** 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

Varieties— Kansas, blackcap St. Regis, everbearing red Latham, red

#### Strawberries-

Mastodon, everbearing. \$1.50 per 100; \$10.00 per 1,000. (Not guaranteed against mortality.)

## **VINES**

#### AMPELOPSIS

Tendril climbing plants. Grown for covering walls, fences and arbors. They thrive in any good soil.

Ampelopsis quinquefolia var. engelmanni; Engelmann Creeper. (30 to 40 ft.) A rapid growing vine clinging tightly to brick, stone or stucco walls and climbing to a great height. It is a very hardy vine, and rarely shows winter injury even in the far north. Two-year-old plants, 50c each; \$5.00 per doz.

Ampelopsis tricuspidata; Japanese Creeper (Boston Ivy). (40 to 50 ft.) Beautiful foliage in spring and summer, changing to crimson-scarlet in autumn. Clings tight to brick, stone or concrete walls. Succeeds best in this latitude on the north or east side. 2 yr. No. 1, 60c each; \$6.00 per dozen. 3 yr., 75c; \$7.50 per dozen.

#### CELASTRUS—BITTERSWEET

Celastrus scandens; American Bittersweet. Twining shrubs. Suitable for covering walls, trellises and the like. They thrive in common soils. Greenish white flowers in terminal racemes. Fruits in orange-yellow clusters, which remain all winter. 2 yr., 75c each.

#### CLEMATIS—VIRGIN'S BOWER

Clematis prospers in fertile light loamy soil which is well drained.

Clematis jackmani; Jackman Clematis (to 10 ft.) Violet-purple flowers to 6 inches across, usually in threes. They bloom on wood of the season and may be pruned when dormant. Where the ground freezes about the roots the nematode disease is not prevalent. Potted, 2 yr. medium. \$1.00 each; bare root, 2 yr. No. 1, \$1.00 each. (Bare root plants for mail orders.)

**Note:** We guarantee good, strong, live plants on delivery, but will not be responsible for future results on Clematis Jackmani.



Silver Lace Vine (See page 26)

Clematis paniculata; Sweet Autumn Clematis (to 30 ft.) The flowers are of medium size, fragrant, pure white, borne in immense sheets in September. Should be provided with a trellis or something to climb as soon as it starts its growth. \$50c each; \$5.00 per doz. (Clematis should not be set, where the drip from the eaves falls upon it.)

#### LONICERA—HONEYSUCKLE

Lonicera japonica var. halliana; Hall's Japanese Honeysuckle (to 25 ft.) Rapid growing vine with beautiful foliage. Delightfully fragrant creamy white flowers Makes a fine hedge or covering for walls or unsightly places. 2 yr. No. 1, 50c each.

Lonicera sempervirens; Scarlet Trumphet Honeysuckle (to 30 ft.) A rapid growing vine with clusters of trumpetshaped scarlet flowers. Very hardy. 2 yr., 50c each.

#### POLYGONUM-FLEECE FLOWER

Polygonum baldschuanicum; Silver Fleecevine (to 20 ft.) Also called Silver Lace Vine and Bride's Veil. A hardy climber of recent introduction from the mountains of Turkestan. It is of rapid growth, frequently attaining a height of 10 to 14 feet in one season, producing a mass of foamy white flowers. 2 yr., 75c each: extra size, \$1 each. (See cut p. 25)

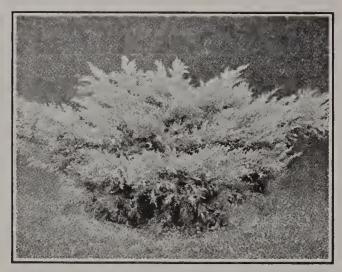
### **CONIFERS**

The following is a list of the better varieties of evergreens that are being used extensively in landscaping. These trees are well rooted and well shaped and are worthy of any planting. We do not have Arbor Vitaes—they are not hardy here.

Evergreens especially selected for shape, beauty and color, cannot be sold at following prices.

Height specified after variety indicates height tree should attain at mamaturity. All conifers listed are hardy here. We have other species not listed and will be glad to give prices on anything you want. Prices on larger sizes of those listed may be obtained upon application.

J. sabina var. tamariscifolia; Tamarix Savin Juniper (to 2 ft.) An excellent creeping form. Foliage of fine texture and with a bluish-green hue. Grows very dense and never changes color. 12-18 in., \$2.75; 18-24 in., \$4.50; 2-2½ ft., \$6.00.



Juniper Pfitzeriana

Juniper Tamariscifolia

#### JUNIPERUS—JUNIPER

Evergreen mostly, small trees and shrubs. Some Junipers often incorrectly called Cedars.

- J. chinensis var. pfitzeriana; Pfitzer Juniper (to 6 ft.) One of the best low-growing forms. Spreading habit. Foliage is attractive bluish-green. 18-24 in., \$4.00; 2-2½ ft., \$5.50; 2½-3 ft., \$6.50; 3-4 ft., \$8.00.
- J. sabina; Savin Juniper (to 4 ft.) Spreading form with slender branches and dark green leaves. Excellent for foundation work and for underplanting. 18-24 in., \$3.50; 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft., \$5.00;  $2\frac{1}{2}-3$  ft., \$6.00; 3-4 ft., \$7.50.

J. scopulorum; Colorado Silver Juniper (to 30 ft.) Silvery foliage and close symmetrical upright growth. Thrives in hot, dry weather, when the color is the brightest. Very hardy. Best of the upright-growing Junipers. 3-4 ft., \$6.50; 4-5 ft., \$9.00; 5-6 ft., \$11.00; 6-7 ft., \$13.

#### (Prices of larger sizes on request)

(See cut, page 27)

**J.** scopulorum; Ball or Globe type. Exactly as above, only they are sheared round, to give a very formal effect; to be used where one does not want height. 15-18 in., \$4:50; 18-24 in., \$6.00;  $2-2\frac{1}{2}$  ft., \$8.00;  $2\frac{1}{2}$ -3 ft., \$11.00.

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#### PICEA-SPRUCE

Tall evergreen trees of pyramidal habit and continuous trunk.

Picea pungens var. glauca; Colorado Blue Spruce (to 60 ft.) This tree is undoubtedly the most popular of the ornamental conifers throughout the country. This tree is referred to as "The Glory of the Conifers." Select "blues" at the following prices:  $2\frac{1}{2}$ -3 ft., \$7.50; 3- $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft., \$9.00;  $3\frac{1}{2}$ -4 ft., \$10.50; 4-5 ft., \$13.50; 5-6 ft., \$17.50. (Larger trees to 12 ft., prices on application.)

P. engelmanni; Engelmann Spruce (to 90 ft.) Somewhat similar to Colorado Spruce. Dense growth and blueish. 5-6 ft., \$14.00; 6-7 ft., \$17.00; 7-8 ft., \$20.00.



Juniper Scopulorum

#### PINUS-PINE

Large evergreen trees, furnishing valuable timber and ornamental trees, a few dwarf and compact forms.

**Pinus edulis; Pinon Pine** (to 15 ft.) A very hardy species of pine. Will grow fine in hot. dry conditions. Produces an edible nut, which is delicious. Very dark green short needles. Slow growing.  $2\frac{1}{2}$ -3 ft., \$5.50; 3-4 ft., \$7.00; 4-5 ft., \$10.00.

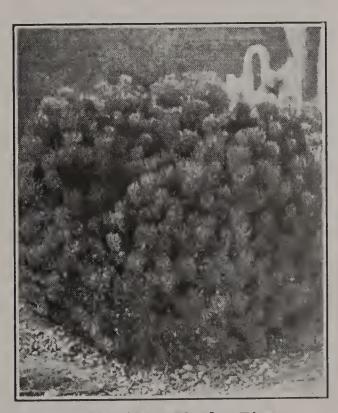
**P.** montana var compacta; **Dwarf Mugho Pine** (to 5 ft.) A dense globose form. Should be kept trimmed. Very good for specimen. 18-24 in., \$4.50;  $2-2\frac{1}{2}$  ft., \$6.00;  $2\frac{1}{2}-3$  ft., \$8.00; 3-4 ft., \$10.00.



Colorado Blue Spruce

P. nigra; Austrian Pine (to 50 ft.) Resembles the Western Yellow Pine. Deep, rich green color. Growth close and compact. Long needles. 3-4 ft., \$6.00; 4-5 ft., \$8.50; 5-6 ft., \$12.00.

P. strobus; Eastern White Pine (to 100 ft.) Fast-growing upright form. Very soft needles, with a bluish cast. Very smooth bark while young. 5-6 ft., \$10.00; 6-7 ft., \$13.00; 7-8 ft., \$16.00.



Montana Mugho Pine

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## **PERENNIALS**

Hardy Perennial and Rock Garden Plants
Prepaid at prices quoted

#### STRONG FIELD-GROWN PLANTS

#### (R. G. Indicates Rock Garden Plants)

No flower garden is complete without a collection of these most valuable plants. With a little care they may be selected so as to give a continuous supply of flowers from early spring to autumn frosts. They require far less care than the annuals or bedding plants, and may be used to good advantage to fill odd corners, along fences, and to screen unsightly objects. They are perfectly hardy, and yet for winter they should have a slight covering of leaves or other litter. Care should also be taken to prevent pools of water standing on them during winter.

#### ACHILLEA-YARROW

Yarrows are grown in borders and the smaller species in rock-gardens and bloom in the spring and summer, often lasting until autumn. They are of easy culture.

Achillea filipendulina; Fernleaf Yarrow. (3 to 4 ft.) Flat heads of brilliant yellow flowers, finely cut foliage. Blooms last dried all winter. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

Achillea millefolium roseum; Rosy Milfoil (R. G.) (to 18 in.) Head of soft rose flowers, finely cut foliage. June-August. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

A. ptarmica; The Pearl. Pure white, double flowers all summer. Prized for cutting. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

#### ALTHEA-HOLLYHOCKS

Althea rosea; Hollyhocks (4 to 6 ft.) Double flowered, strong field roots. As a background in large borders or beds of the lower herbaceous plants, there is nothing better. Separate colors—Red, Pink, Yellow. White, Buff, Black, Lilac, Maroon. 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

#### ALYSSUM-MADWORT

A few are grown in rock-gardens and borders, in open or sunny locations. They require the usual culture for perennials.

Alyssum saxatile compactum; Rock Madwort (R. G.) (10 in.) Sometimes called a "Basket of Gold." Low sprawling habit of growth, producing masses of bright yellow flowers in May. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

#### ANCHUSA—BUGLOSS

Anchusa myosotidiflora; Siberian Bugloss (1 ft.) Clusters of charming blue flowers resembling Forget-Me-Nots. An effective rock plant for shady places. May. 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

#### ANTHEMUS-CAMOMILE

Anthemis kelwayi; Golden Marguerite. (3 ft.) Handsome, finely cut foliage, and large golden yellow flowers produced all summer. Succeeds in the poorest soil, excellent cut flowers. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### AQUILEGIA—COLUMBINE

Columbines are favorites in the rock-gardens and the perennial border. They thrive in light sandy loam.

Aquilegia coerulea; Rocky Mt. Blue Columbine. (2 ft.) Large blue flowers with long spurs, center creamy white. Best of the Columbines. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

A. Crimson Star. This remarkable novelty combines all the charm of the ordinary Aquilegia with other qualities, which make it more effective as a garden plant. Its flowers are very large with crimson sepals and spurs, and white petals; and entirely new color in Columbines. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

**A.** Chrysantha (Golden Columbine). Very slender, dainty, long-spurred Columbine of a golden yellow color, blooming later than the long-spurred hybrids. Late June and July and attains a height of  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 feet. 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

#### ASCLEPIAS—MILKWEED

Asclepias tuberosa; Butterfly Weed (R. G) (18 in.) Bright orange flowers. seed pods very decorative. July-August. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### ASTER-MICHAELMAS DAISY

Aster alpinus, Goliath. Indispensable for the rockery or edge of hardy borders; 6 to 10 inches high, and bears large, showy bluish purple flowers in May and June. Plant in full sun, 6 to 8 inches apart. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

Asters, Hardy; Michaelmas Daisies (3 to 4 ft.) Late-blooming, very showy. We offer four colors only—Blue. Blush, Lavender and Pink. 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

BABY BREATH (See Gypsophila)

BLEEDING HEART
(See Dicentra)

BUTTERCUP (See Ranunculus)

#### CAMPANULA—BELLFLOWER

Campanulas are popular for the flow-er-garden, rockery and borders.

Campanula carpatica; Carpathian Harebell. A pretty species growing in compact tufts not exceeding 8 inches high; flowers clear blue, held erect on wiry stems. It begins blooming in June, continuing until October. As an edging for hardy border or for the rockery it is unsurpassed. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

Campanula glomerata var. superba. A Campanula that should be in every garden. 18 inches. June and July. Deep violet flowers. 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

Campanula medium; Canterbury Bells. (2 ft.) Pendant bell-shaped blossoms, in colors of Pink, Blue and White, mixed. 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

Campanula persicifolia; Peachleaf Bellflower. (3 ft.) Large bright blue flowers making an effective contrast. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

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#### CENTRANTHUS-JUPITERSBEARD

Centranthus ruber; Red Valerian (3 ft.) Glaucous perennial. Flowers crimson or pale red, fragrant. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### CERASTIUM-MOUSE EAR

Cerastium tomentosum; Snow-in-Summer (R. G.) (3 in.) Silvery-white foliage, white flowers. May. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### CHRYSANTHEMUM

Chrysanthemum maximum; Alaska Daisy (2 ft.) Immense snow-white flowers, 4 in. in diameter. Blooms through the season. One of the best daisies grown. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

We can highly recommend all the following varieties of Hardy Chrysanthemums. This list represents the best of many varieties we have tried out in the past three years.

(Prices, 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen, except as noted.)

Alladin; The Perpetual Flowering Chrysanthemum. As the plant develops the lateral branches make a surprising growth, giving a continuous succession of blooms. The first blooms appear late in July, the color at first being an exquisite warm coppery bronze, with an overlay of orange-apricot shade which deepens in early autumn. 50c each; \$500 per dozen.

Amelia; Pink Cushion. The dwarfest of mums, not over 10 inches high, completely covered with pink blossoms so that the plant resembles an Azalea. 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen.

Chestnut Burr. Quaintly formed blooms of a deep chestnut red color, flowering first of October.

**Crimson Splendor.** A magnificent and distinct variety producing masses of rich crimson-maroon flowers, intensified with deep garnet tones, and contrasting with a prominent golden yellow center. The flowers are large, fully 4 inches in diameter, with exceptional keeping qualities. Blooms in late September.

**Fern Ridge.** Single fiery-red with high orange center, making a beautiful contrast. Strong grower and profuse bloomer. Flowers first of October.

Fred Peele. A very pretty button yellow, petals tipped maroon.

**Harvest.** Large straw colored flowers, fine for cutting. Blooms in September.

**L'Argentuillas.** Bronze flowers tipped yellow, of medium height. Early large flowering.

Mrs. Calvin Coolidge. A fine example of the single type, rich cardinal-red.

**Persia.** Well formed semi-double blooms of deep rosy carmine, compact growth. Flowers in October.

**Provence.** Soft pink blended with yellow. Compact in growth, very free. First rate in every way.

**Ruth Cummings.** Very fine outdoor Chrysanthemum of a rich bronze terracotta in color.

**Vivid.** A very striking and effective variety, color a rosy crimson or amaranth shade, new to the earlier flowering Chrysanthemums. Blooms in September.

White Doty. Late flowering, tall and upright, very stiff stem carries flowers high. A splendid, pure white pompom.

#### COLUMBINE

(See Aquilegia)

#### COREOPSIS-TICKSEED

Coreopsis lanceolata grandiflora (2 ft.) Large yellow daisy-like flowers. June and July. 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

#### DELPHINIUM-LARKSPUR

Delphinium Belladonna, "The Heavenly Blue" Delphinium. Flowers on long spikes, sky-blue and good for cutting. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

**Bellamosa.** Very similar to the above only of a dark blue color. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

Gold Medal Hybrids. Extraordinary long spikes and choice range of colors through the blues to the pinks and orchids. Very beautiful. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

#### DIANTHUS-PINK

Dianthus barbatus; Old Fashioned Sweet William (R. G). (15 in.) An old favorite, which needs no description. Mixed colors. 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen. All red, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

**D.** plumarius; Clove Pinks (R. G.) (12 in.) This is the only carnation pink we can truly recommend as being hardy. Delightfully fragrant. Mixed colors. 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

D. deltoides; Maiden Pink. A beautiful little prostrate plant with narrow leaves, and bearing a profusion of glowing crimson red flowers during June and July; a most striking rock plant. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

**D. latifolius atrococcineus, Fl. Pl.** (R. G.) (18 in.) Everblooming Japanese Sweet William. Fiery crimson. All summer. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### DICENTRA

Dicentra spectabilis; Bleeding Heart (18 in.) Graceful sprays of heart-shaped pink and white flowers. 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen.

#### DICTAMNUS—BURNING BUSH

Dictamus alba var. rubra; Purple Burningbush (to 3 ft.) Pink flowers in long terminal racemes. Very fragrant and lasting. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

#### DRYOPTERIS-WOODFERN

**Dryopteris Felix-mas; Colorado Male Fern** (R. G.) Grows in partly shaded situations. The large fronds form a vase-like cluster about the crown and are of durable texture and nearly evergreen. It retains, therefore, its splendid appearance throughout the season. 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen.

#### ERIGERON-FLEABANE

Erigeron speciosus var. grandifiorus; Purple Oregon Fleabane. (2 ft.) Large, handsome blue flowers, violet tinted and yellow centers, during June and July; fine for cutting. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

# INSIST ON COLORADO GROWN STOCK

#### **EUPHORBIA—SPURGE**

Euphorbia myrsinites; Spurge (R. G.) A pretty prostrate species with bluish foliage. One of the earliest things to bloom. Bright yellow crowded heads. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

> FERNS (Hardy) (See Dryopteris)

### FORGET-ME-NOT

(See Myosotis)

#### FESTUCA—FESCUE

Festuca ovina glauca; Blue Fescue (6 in.) A very compact silvery grass that grows but 6 inches high. Makes a highly desirable border for the flower bed. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### GAILLARDIA—BLANKET FLOWER

Gaillardia grandiflora; Blanket Flower (2 ft.) Blooms all summer. Flowers deep red with yellow border. 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

#### GLOBULARIA

Globularia trichosantha; Globe Daisy (to 8 in.) A dwarf, tufted little plant with beautiful lavender flower heads. Does well in front of a well-drained border and is a brilliant picture in the rock garden. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

> GOLDENROD (See Solidago)

#### GYPSOPHILA

Gypsophila paniculata; Baby's Breath (2 ft.) A beautiful perennial. Blooms in a spherical mass of minute, purewhite flowers. 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

Gypsophila Fl. Pl.; Double Baby's Breath (3 ft.) A double form of the above. Blooms two weeks later. Much finer than the single form. 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen.

#### HELIANTHEMUM—SUN ROSE

Helianthemum mutabile; Rock or Sun-Rose (R. G.) (12 in.) Mixed, varying in color from yellow and white to rose and purple. June and July. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### HEMEROCALLIS-DAYLILY

Hemerocallis flava; Lemon Lily (2½ ft.) A most useful variety, growing about 2 feet high, with clusters of lily-like flowers of a rich lemon-yellow. Fragrant. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

H. The Gem. Rich, deep orange-yellow flowers on  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4-foot stems. In full bloom June 20th. Very finely formed bloom, equal to the best lilies; truly a gem. 35c; \$3.50 per doz.

H. Gypsy. Brilliant deep orange flowers on 3-foot slender stem. In full bloom early July till August. Stems are slender and plant is of medium size. A showy plant for the small border. 35c; \$3.50 per doz.

H. J. A. Crawford. Rich apricot-yellow shaded light cadmium. Many flowers on 4-foot stems; at their best about June 25th. A lovely plant which looks well in light shade. 35c; \$3.50 per doz.

#### HIBISCUS-ROSEMALLOW

**Hibiscus; Rose Mallow** (5 ft.) Very large, single blossoms. Colors—Red, Pink and White, mixed. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### HOLLYHOCK (See Althea)

#### IRIS

Late introductions of special merit. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

Ambassadeur. Bronze and violet.

Anna Farr. Pale blue.

Bruno. Large. Deep, rich purple. shaded bronze.

Dream. Lilac and violet.

Lord of June. Lavender blue.

Lent Williamson. Violet.

Mother of Pearl. Pearl.

Mme. Gaudichau. Purple Purple.

Oriflamme. Dark lavender.

Pallida Dalmatica. Lavender.

Siberica. Dark blue. Yellow. Old favorite.

Iris pumila. A dwarf edging Iris. Blooms very early. Dark navy blue. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### LARKSPUR (See Delphinium)

LEMON LILY (See Hemerocallis)

#### LILIUM--LILY

L. regale; Royal or Regal Lily. Flower stems are slender and flexible but tense as steel and from 2 to 4 feet tall, covered with dense narrow foliage and crowned with a profusion of funnel-shaped blooms, the outside of which are streaked brown and shading off to pink. The inside is flushed yellow in center, shading off to pure white at the outer edge. Sweet scented. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

L. tenuifolium; Coral Lily. A small, tender growing lily, not more than eighteen inches high, with bright scarlet flowers and recurved petals. One of the prettiest little lilies in cultivation. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

Lilium tigrinum var. flore-pleno; Tiger Lily (6 ft.) A double form of this old garden favorite. 25c each.; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### LIMONIUM—SEA LAVENDER

Limonium latifolium; Sea Lavender or Statice (18 in.) All these plants have broad, leathery leaves. Bloom in globular heads. Flowers lavender, and if cut in full bloom will make valuable winter bouquets. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

#### LINUM—FLAX

Linum perenne; Blue Hardy Flax (18 in.) Blooms almost all summer. Blue flowers in the morning. July-August. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### LUPINUS-LUPINE

Lupinus hybridus; Hybrid Lupines (3 ft.) Flowers borne on long spikes pea shaped. Must be planted where there is plenty of moisture. June-July. In sparate colors—Blue, Pink and White. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### -CAMPION OR CATCHFLY

Lychnis coronaria; Rose Campion. Agrostemma (Mullein Pink). Bright rosy crimson. ( $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 ft.) Best variety average American gardens. 25c for each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### MYOSOTIS-FORGET-ME-NOT

Myosotis alpestris; Alpine Forget-Me-Not (R. G.) (8 in.) An exceptional ground cover. Familiar plant, producing quantities of blue blossoms in the spring. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### MYRTLE (See Vinca)

#### NEPETA-GROUND IVY OR CATNIP

Nepeta hederacea (glechoma); Ground-Ivy. A hairy, creeping perennial; stems leafy, making a dense mat, and green on both sides. A good ground cover and rockery plant. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

Nepeta mussini; an excellent plant for any position, but especially useful in the rock garden. Of dwarf, compact habit, producing masses of bloom of a beautiful shade of lavender all spring and intermittently during the summer. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

#### PAPAVER-POPPY

Papaver orientale; Oriental Poppy (4 ft.) This poppy is perfectly hardy. Its large, orange-scarlet flowers make it one of the most showy of all plants. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### PENTSTEMON-BEARD TONGUE

Pentstemon barbatus; (6 ft) Spikes of bright scarlet flowers from June till August. A very effective plant for the border. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

**P. Blue Gem.** A very fine variety, covered from top to bottom with opalescent flowers. A beautiful border plant. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

P. hirsutus (pubescens); Eastern Pentstemon; stems 24 inches high, covered with violet flowers shading to a fleshpink; excellent for hot, dry places in the border; is also a very fine wall or rock plant. It enjoys hot dry exposures. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

#### PEONIES

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#### PHLOX

Phlox, Hardy (2 to 4 ft.) We can furnish the following colors in this most popular well-known perennial: white—white with pink eye; pink; salmon-pink; rose-pink; pink, with red eye; lavender; scarlet; red, and reddish-purple. 30c each; \$3.00 per dozen.

Phlox divaricata; Blue Phlox. One of our native species, which is worthy of extensive planting, commencing to bloom early in April, and continuing through May, with large, fragrant, lavender flowers on stems 10 inches high. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

Phlox subulata; Ground or Moss Phlox (R. G.) (4 in.) A dwarf, creeping form of Phlox. Splendid rock garden plant. Equally good for border and ground cover work. A mass of blooms in April-May. In two separate colors, pink and lavender. 30c each; \$3.00 per dozen.

PAINTED DAISY (See Pyrethrum)

PINKS—HARDY CLOVE (See Dianthus)

POPPY (See Papaver)

#### PLATYCODON—BALLOON-FLOWER

**Platycodon grandiflorum** (2½ ft.) Differing from Campanula chiefly in the opening of the caps. Flowers deep blue, open bell-shaped, to 2 inches across, solitary. June-July. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### POLEMONIUM

Polemonium caeruleum; Greek-Valerian. Sometimes called "Jacobs-Ladder." (3 ft.) Blue flowers, 1 inch across, drooping. Bushy plant of graceful growth. Useful in rock-garden and border. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

#### PYRETHRUM—PAINTED DAISY

Pyrethrum roseum var. kelwayi. Kelway's Painted Daisy. (18 inches.) A brilliant red form of Pyrethrum, very fine, fern-like foliage. Daisy-like flowers. Blooms in May and June. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### RANUNCULUS—BUTTERCUP

Ranunculus acris var. Fl. Pl.; Tall Buttercup (2 ft.) Very pretty golden-yellow, double flowers. 25c each: \$2.50 per dozen.

# RED-HOT—POKER (See Tritoma)

#### SCABIOSA

Scabiosa caucasica; Pin Cushion Flower (18 in.) Sometimes called "Blue Bonnet." Soft shade of lavender. June-September. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### SEDUM-STONECROP

Sedum acre; Gold Moss. Much used for covering graves; foliage green; flowers bright yellow; prostrate and slowly spreading. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

S. altissimum. Evergreen to 1 foot. Greenish white flowers to ½ in. across in summer. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

S. ewersi; Ewers Stonecrop. A very nice variety of sub-trailing habit. Foliage is glaucous gray. In October the plant is covered with rose-colored flowers. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

S. Hispanicum var. minus; Spanish Stonecrop. (R. G.) (2 in.) Perennial with glaucous-blue foliage, yellow flowers. Very dwarf form. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

S. kamtschaticum; Orange Stonecrop. Orange-yellow flowers with prostate, green foliage, turning golden in autumn. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

S. maximowiczi; Amur Stonecrop. Bright yellow flowers. 1 foot. July and August. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

Sedum spurium var. coccineum; Two-Row Sedum (to 6 ft.) Creeping perennial, forming mats, nearly evergreen, leaves turning reddish in winter. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

S. stoloniferum; Running Stonecrop. Most desirable; evergreen leaves; flowers purplish pink. July and August. Excellent for rock garden. 6 inches. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

#### SIDALCEA-GREEK-MALLOW

Sidalcea nervata var. rosea. Erect growing, more or less branching plants. 2 to 3 feet in height, producing their showy bright rose-colored flowers during June and July. They will succeed in any garden soil in a sunny position. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

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#### SILENE-CATCHFLY OR CAMPION

Silene schafta; Autumn Catchfly. A charming border or rock plant, growing from 4 to 6 inches high, with masses of bright pink flowers from July to October. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

#### SOLIDAGO-GOLDEN ROD

Solidago; Golden Rod (4 to 5 ft.) A vigorous, strong-growing, graceful plant, producing golden yellow blooms in September. 25c each ;\$2.50 per dozen.

#### STACHYS-WOUNDWORT

Stachys lanata; Lamb's-Ears. Fine, old-fashioned cottage garden plant for edging; useful in rock garden; dwarf, soft silvery foliage, flowers useless. 4 inches. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

STATICE (See Limonium)

SWEET WILLIAM (See Dianthus)

# TRITOMA—TORCH LILY OR POKER PLANT

Tritoma pfitzeriana; Red-Hot Poker (2 ft.) Grass-like foliage. Flowers in tall, dense spikes of brilliant red; slender trumpet-like flowers. 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen.

#### TUNICA-TUNIC PLOWER

Tunica saxifraga; Coatflower. A pretty tufted plant with light pink flowers, produced all summer, about 6 inches high; for the rockery or border. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

#### VERONICA—SPEEDWELL

Veronica longifolia var. subsessilis; Clump Speedwell. (2 ft.) July to September. One of the handsomest blueflowering plants. Perfectly hardy and increases in strength and beauty each year. Spikes completely studded with beautiful blue flowers; fine for cutting and one of the best plants for the hardy border. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

V. spuria; Bastard Speedwell. "Royal Blue." Beautiful spikes of rich gentian blue flowers. 10 to 15 inches. June and July flowering. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

#### VINCA—PERIWINKLE

Vinca minor; Running Myrtle. Trailing evergreen. Flowers lilac-blue. Good ground cover. Sometimes called "Periwinkle." 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### VIOLA-VIOLET

Nearly all Violas thrive best in partial shade and fairly rich soil. They require plenty of moisture and a winter covering of leaves or evergreen boughs.

Viola cornuta; Tufted Pansy. Very desirable edging plant, blooming continuously from early spring to late fall. Popular forms in the following colors: white, yellow, apricot. purple, violet and blue. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### YUCCA

Yucca filamentosa; Adam's Needle (to 3 ft.) Nearly stemless leaves to 2½ feet long and 1 inch wide. Flowers nearly white to 2 inches long. This plant with its broad sword-like evergreen foliage is indispensable in land-scape work. Good for rock work. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### INSECT PESTS COMMON TO EVERGREENS

The two most common insects that infest the Juniper and Spruce family, are red spider and aphis, or aphids as they are also known. Red spider is detected readily by the foliage turning to a yellowish green, and later to brown dead needles when the infestation gets real bad; usually starting near the ground on upright growing trees, but appearing most any place on the prostrate or low growing types. Treatment: A dusting of lime-sulphur to the infested area, or by spraying with two tablespoons full of carpenter's liquid glue, to a gallon of water mixed warm. Aphis are readily seen in colonies upon close examination, usually on the underneath side of the branches, or on the main stem near the top of the tree. Where ants are noticed working around the branches of Evergreen, it is generally a sign of aphis being there. Easily controlled by spraying with black-leaf-forty, a tablespoon full to a gallon of water.

#### CHANGE YOUR SOIL

It is advisable to change the location of the dahlia bed every two or three years. Most all plants are improved by change of soil and the dahlia is no exception. Flowers will be larger and better and the root development decidedly better. In many yards this change would seem to be impractical, as but one location has been left for the dahlia row and to make a change would necessitate the removal of other plants where this obstacle would be in the way and no new location is available. Soil may be removed from one portion of the yard in exchange for soil from the dahlia bed. Dig a trench eight inches deep and two feet wide and exchange soil for soil in some other portion of the yard or bring in new soil from some other source.

August 12, 1935.

We want you to know how much we appreciate the planting you have put in for us, at our residence. It is a constant source of pleasure to us, and the stock furnished has done very well indeed. The Rose bed is a "beauty"; I have found it pays to buy good Roses, even if they do cost more.

(Signed) S. J. KESTER, 2074 Leyden Street, Denver.

# How to Grow and Care for Dahlias



F POSSIBLE, plant in an open, sunny situation. Prepare the soil thoroughly by deep digging. Be moderate in the use of both manure and water. Never plant when the soil is wet. Lay the tuber flat on its side and cover it four inches deep, pressing the soil firmly on the tuber. Keep the soil loose and mellow by frequent hoeing,

drawing the soil to a slight hillock around the plant.

Tall growing varieties may be kept fairly dwarf by pinching out the tip when the first shoot is six inches high. All varieties growing above four feet should be tied to stout stakes to hold them in position.

3x3 feet is about the proper distance to plant apart.

Keep all dead flowers trimmed off.

Dahlia blooms keep much better if cut in the evening—about sunset—and the less foliage taken off with the flowers, the better for both plant and flower. If green is desired, use some other green of better keeping qualities.

After frost has killed the tops, dig the tubers carefully, remove the soil from the roots, and store away in a box or barrel secure from frost. As a precaution it would be well to cover the tubers so stored with sand, leaves or moss.

All clumps should be divided into several pieces before being reset the following spring.

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# Our Guarantee

We sell only the very best of stock; healthy and sound in every respect. To guarantee the life of any nursery item, in the hands of another person should not be expected. Improper planting as well as lack of care and attention later,—especially insuffcient watering, are the greatest causes of mortality in nursery stock. As most of this is beyond our control, once out of our hands,—we give the following guarantee only:

Where we do the planting, we will replace free of charge any stock failing to leaf out; however, if we are to plant the replace item or items, a proper charge is to be made on same, usually running 20% of the original purchase price. Where Customer does the planting, we will replace at half-price only, on items that fail prior to Sept. 1st, following planting of same. All claims for replacement must be in our hands by this date (Sept. 1st), as we do not assume responsibility for Winter-kill on Spring-planted stock, and cannot entertain replacements from this cause. It is further mutually agreed between Purchaser and W. W. WILMORE NURSERIES, that the latter shall at no time be liable for replacement, in any amount or size greater than originally sold.

# Colorado Grown Nursery Stock



OLORADO grown nursery stock has demonstrated over and over again its superior merit and adaptability to severe and trying locations and situations.

There are several reasons for this, among which are altitude and therefore slower development, which produces a harder wood fibre. Trees and shrubs in high altitudes ripen and shed their foliage much earlier than in lower altitudes and warmer climates, thus enabling them to enter the winter period in better condition to withstand its rigor. Another important factor is that our climate is practically rainless during the growing season. An irrigation system supplying the water needs, develops a wonderful root action, rendering the transplanting far less hazardous. Nearly all the trees and shrubs listed in this catalog have been grown on the premises and are well ripened and thrifty. The exceptions are Roses and Fruits. These are procured from growers in lower but northern latitudes for the reason that limited growing acreage renders their growing impractical.

Perhaps a word of warning is not out of place. Trees and shrubs should be purchased only from nurseries which have been inspected and certified by proper authorities as being free from injurious insect pests and diseases — or from persons who procure their stock from inspected nurseries. Otherwise the purchaser may be buying infested or infected stock, which may later have to be destroyed.