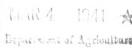
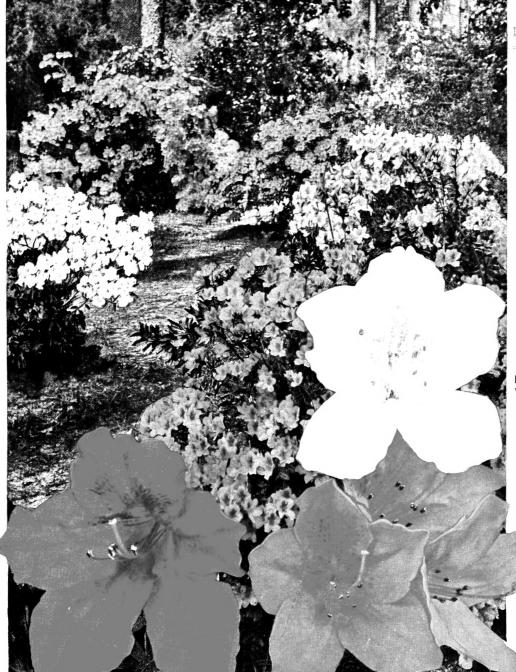
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FIELDER'S WHITE

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COCCINEA MAJOR

Robing the spring garden with gorgeous colors, Azaleas may be counted among the most desirable plants for Southern gardens. See page 3 for list of varieties

# The PLANTER'S GUIDE

for the Southland .. 1940-1941

WIGHT NURSERIES · CAIRO, GEORGIA

# Fifty-four Years in the Same Location

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ANOTHER planting season brings us an opportunity again to greet our friends and customers, and to present this, our Fifty-fourth Anniversary "Planter's Guide for the Southland." It is not necessary for us to say that we appreciate your business. We hope our friendliness, our service, our courteousness, and the quality of our nursery stock all combine to show our appreciation more than any words we might set down here.

We are proud of our fifty-four years as nurserymen serving the entire Southland. We like to think of the thousands of customers for whom we have grown hundreds of thousands of trees and plants during all those years. But you, as planters of nursery stock, are interested in those fifty-four years only as they show our experience and our ability to serve you *NOW*. You are interested in our past only as it assures you that we can furnish you the best nursery stock *now*.

The rainfall has been plentiful this season and the weather hot. The grass has grown fast and well, but so has the nursery stock. It has kept us hustling to keep ahead of the grass, but, with it all, we've had a fine growing season. The stock we are offering is first class in every respect. We are proud to offer it under the slogan "Wight-grown means grown right."

Plant early is still good advice. Early plantings grow off best in the spring. While stocks are complete is the best chance to get ideal selections of trees. Order early and see how pleased you will be.

Sincerely yours,

WIGHT NURSERIES

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November 1, 1940

# AZALEAS

ZALEAS have been used for a number of years as hothouse plants in the East, and have been planted out-of-doors in the South for some time, but their real value as outdoor plants is just beginning to be appreciated. They can be used in practically any location where other shrubs are used, giving the desired effect as evergreens, and at blooming-time furnish a riot of color unsurpassed by any other group of plants. They should become more and more a part of every home planting, as they flower at a time when practically no other plants are in bloom. Azaleas begin blooming in March and continue through April into May. They may be moved when in full bloom-in fact, at any season of the year.

It's a good idea to order Azaleas as soon as possible in the fall and winter, so that they may become well established by spring. There is no danger of their not blooming because of transplanting.

No flowering shrub is so outstanding, so surpassingly beautiful when in bloom as is the Azalea—often practically all the leaves are hidden by the flowers in their riot of color. They may be had in purple-pink, salmon-pink, orange-red, red flame, deep pink, red, white and light pink colors. There are a number of varieties of Azaleas of different shadings of the same color, so that they offer a wider range of shades and colors than any flowering plant suited to the South. The blooming season may also be lengthened considerably by the selection of several varieties.

The Indian Azaleas have the added advantage of being evergreen, so that even when they are not in flower their attractive foliage is an addition to any landscape. Azaleas can be grown successfully along the seacoast of the Middle Atlantic States with a little protection to keep the bloom-buds from being injured by cold-and very successfully along the coast from Charleston to South Central Florida and around the Gulf Coastal section to Texas, without any protection whatever.

Azaleas may be used in almost any location where any other dwarf evergreen could be used. It is attractive in the foundation planting in front of the taller plants; in formal or informal beds, using colors which blend well; in hedges—in fact, anywhere that its beauty may be seen and appreciated.

Practically all of the famous gardens of the South-among them Middleton Place Gardens and Magnolia Gardens near Charleston, Wormsloe Gardens in Savannah—have used Azaleas as their outstanding feature. While few of us can hope to have gardens on such a pretentious scale, all of us may, by the planting of Azaleas, have just as lovely a garden on a smaller scale.

Azaleas are very easy to transplant and have few cultural requirements. Their roots like a cool soil and should be planted in partial shade, at least until the plants become large enough to shade their own roots. They may then be planted in full sun to advantage. Azaleas thrive in an acid soil. Where planted in a region in which the soil is alkali, it is advisable to dig a good large hole and fill it in with leafmold or woods earth. The peaty muck found in and around old ponds is very desirable. Where this is not obtainable, or where Azaleas have already been planted in an alkali soil, a small amount of aluminum sulphate, 1 pound to 30 square feet, will be found beneficial. Fertilize lightly about twice a year with cottonseed meal and tankage. Azaleas like a moist soil but it must be well drained.

Do not cultivate around Azaleas. Their roots are right on the surface of the ground and any cultivation would be likely to cut a number of feed-roots. If weeds appear, pull them up.

### Group 1.

The faster-growing varieties of Azalea indica, generally characterized by large leaves, hairy underneath, and medium to large flowers.

**Elegans.** A light clear pink with lustrous green leaves. Its shadings are very delicate. Desirable early bloomer.

Formosa. The purple-pink variety so satisfactory in the Southern States. Large, single flowers. Leaves dark green. Very easy to grow; vigorous.

Phœnicia. Similar in form and habit of growth to Formosa, but blossoms a little smaller. Early.

Vittata. A strong, open-growing Azalea with very variable flowers, changing from pure white with faint layender stripes to a pale lavender. Sometimes a plant may produce flowers of only one color, or they may be mixed on the bush. Sizes 8 to 12 in.; 18 in. to 4 ft. (3 to 4 ft., \$3.50 each.)

Group I	Each	10	100
8 to 10 in	. \$0 35	\$3 00	\$25 00
10 to 12 in	. 55	5 00	45 00
12 to 15 in			
15 to 18 in.	. 95	9 00	80 00
18 to 24 in	. 1 15	11 00	100 00
2 to 3 ft	. 2 50	22 50	200 00

### Group II.

Medium growers, generally more compact than Group I, and, therefore, showier when in bloom. Leaves deep green.

Cavendishiana. Large, light salmon flowers; very late-blooming. Dwarf and spreading in habit. Sizes 15 to 24 in.

Coccinea Major. Large orange-red flowers. Early. Sizes 6 to 10 in.; 15 to 24 in.

Dixie. Salmon-red; blooms early. Strong grower. Sizes 6 to 10 in.; 15 to 24 in. (2 to 3 ft., \$2.50 each.)

**Duc de Rohan.** A free-blooming, dense-growing type. Fine flowers of salmon color. Sizes 6 to 15 in.

Fielder's White. The most satisfactory white Azalea. Large pure white blossom. Bush vigorous; compact grower. Excellent for grouping with other colors. Sizes 6 to 10 in. only.

Frederick, The Great. Salmon color. Late. Hardy, bushy, compact grower. Sizes 6 to 10 in. only.

George Franc. Unusually large bright rose flowers. One of the handsomest of all Azaleas. Early. Sizes 6 to 10 in.

Glory of Sunninghill. An excellent orange-pink variety. Flowers medium size; late. Reasonably hardy, compact bush and good foliage. Sizes 6 to 15 in.

Harry Veitch. Light pink, ruffled flowers on low, bushy plant. Sizes 6 to 10 in. Iveryana. Late. Tall, open grower. Flowers white with red throat. Sizes 6 to

8 in. only Lawsal. Salmon color; tall; late. 6 to 10 in. Ledifolia alba. White. Midseason. Erect grower. Sizes 6 to 10 in. only.

Mary Louise. Flowers white with small lavender stripes. Sizes 6 to 8 in. only.

Pride of Dorking. A rather slow-growing variety blooming late in the season. Flowers deep pink—an especially pleasing color. Sizes 6 to 10 in.; 15 to 24 in.

Pride of Mobile (Elegans Superba). Featured in the famous gardens of Mobile, Ala., and is the outstanding flower on their "Azalea Trail." Blossoms large, light pink. A hardy and vigorous variety. Sizes 6 to 10 in. only.

Prince of Orange. A midseason, freeflowering compact Azalea producing orange blossoms. Sizes 6 to 12 in. only. **Prince of Wales.** A free flowering early

variety of rose red. Sizes 8 to 12 in.

Red Flame. Brilliant red flowers early in April. May be seen at Magnolia Gardens the size of small trees. Sizes to 24 in. (2 to 3 ft., \$2.50 each.)

Variegata. White, with purplish pink stripes. Free flowering.

Vervæne. White flowers striped with rose.

Late. Sizes 6 to 8 in.; 15 to 24 in.

William Bull. Tall, open-growing plant producing quantities of rose shaped, salmon flowers. Late. Very unique. Sizes 8 to 15 in.

Group II	Each	10	100
6 to 8 in	\$0 35	\$3 00	\$25 00
8 to 10 in	55	5 00	45 00
10 to 12 in	. 70	6 50	60 00
12 to 15 in	95	9 00	80 00
15 to 18 in	. 1 15	11 00	100 00
18 to 24 in.	. 2 00	17 50	150 00

#### KURUME AZALEAS

Generally characterized as dwarf, but producing flowers in abundance. Blossoms and foliage smaller than A. indica.

Coral Bells. Shell-pink shading to deeper pink in center. Sizes 6 to 10 in. only. Flame. Excellent flame colored dwarf

Azalea. Midseason. Sizes 6 to 10 in. (10 to 12 in., \$1 each; 12 to 15 in., \$1.50.) Hinodegiri. Brilliant scarlet flowers produced in great profusion. One of the

hardiest varieties. Sizes 6 to 10 in. only.

Orange Beauty. Large salmon-pink flowers. Sizes 6 to 10 in.

**Snow.** Excellent white. Sizes 6 to 10 in. only. Each 10 \$0 50 \$4 50 \$40 00 6 to 8 in. 75 7 00 60 00 8 to 10 in.

#### AZALEA INDICA SPECIAL

Strong 1-yr. plants, assorted varieties, 10 for \$2.50; 100 for \$20, postpaid.

Strong 2-yr. plants, assorted varieties, 10 for \$3; 100 for \$25, postpaid.

# PECANS Put Profit in the Planter's Pocket





Por the thoughtful, careful farmer or orchardist, Pecans still stand at or near the head of the list of profitable tree crops. Many owners of Pecan trees have neglected them and wondered why they have not had good returns, but the grower who intelligently cares for his groves, and gives them their proper requirements, finds his Pecan trees one of the most profitable investments he ever made. The average farmer will still be content with growing cotton and corn, and his land will be worth no more after it has grown these for a hundred years. But the progressive farmer is looking for a crop that will increase the value of his land and give him larger returns each year that the farm is worked.

We are in our fifty-fourth year as growers of Pecan nuts and Pecan nursery stock. We have had wide experience in every phase of the industry. The knowledge gained from this experience is available to our customers, and we will be glad to send you such information free on request.

There is little danger of overproduction of Pecans during the life of the present generation. The present production in the United States, if evenly divided among all the people in the country, would give only about one-half pound of Pecans to each person. As it is, barely more than one-half of the people of the United States know what a Pecan nut is. It is further to be considered that after our people are provided for, we have the remainder of the world for a market.

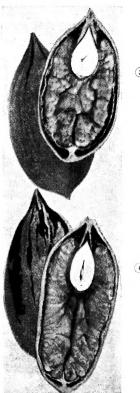
After years of trial we have discovered the best stock on which to bud Pecan trees in order to grow a vigorous and productive orchard. Our trees are all grown on this stock. Many orchards set with inferior (slow-growing) trees in the past have been doomed to failure. A runt in the nursery generally proves to be a dwarf in the orchard. We send out no tree that we would not be willing to set out in our own orchards.



(2) Stuart

(3) Curtis

(4) Pabst





Pecan Tree, showing cover-crop between trees

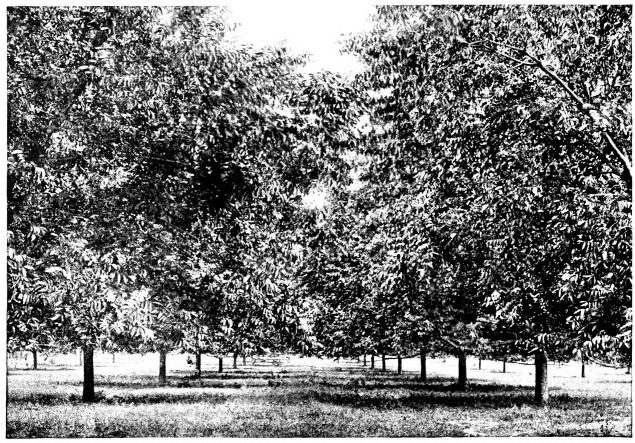
# Plant Pecan Trees Around Your Home for Beauty and Profit

EVERY HOME, whether on a city lot or in the country, should have a few Pecan trees planted around it. They provide excellent shade and will add beauty to any planting. With practically no care, compared to orchard plantings, Pecan trees will grow and thrive around the home. In addition to their beauty, they will produce bountiful crops of nuts.

A number of homes in Cairo are getting sufficient revenue from a few Pecan trees planted about the house and garden to pay all taxes on the property. We will gladly select the varieties which will give best results in your section!



21/2-year-old Pecan Tree



Cultivation and care will produce a grove like this in a few years

# Pecan Nursery Features

The success of the orehard is determined by the character of the transplanted tree. A runt in the nursery never grows into a giant in the orchard. It is, therefore, important to begin with the best obtainable nursery stock. The following distinctive features characterize our nursery practice.



A section of a well-developed Pecan orchard

- 1. The stock determines, to a great extent, the vigor and fruitfulness of the future orchard. We have found what seems to be the best for this purpose, a budded variety which produces an exceptionally strong and prolific orchard tree. These nuts are used in growing stocks for budding purposes.
- 2. Our trees are not dug and "heeled in" to await a customer. This and other precautions account for the promptness with which they generally grow off when carefully transplanted.
- 3. While well grown, our nursery trees are not over-stimulated by applications of excessive quantities of fertilizers.
- 4. To transplant successfully, a Pecan tree should have a good lateral root system. Trees grown on sandy soil usually have an abnormally large tap-root with few well-developed laterals. Being grown on a stiffer soil than that generally used for growing Pecan trees, our nursery stock is the equal of any and superior to most.
- 5. A tree with an older root than 4 years (most of our trees have 3-year roots) is never sent out. If a tree hasn't sufficient vigor by that time to be marketable, it is dug up and burned. The setting of dwarfish trees with roots 5 to 6 years old accounts for the failure of many Pecan orchards.
- 6. The experience of most orchardists is that a budded tree is better than a grafted one. In particular it is less subject to winter-killing. This being the case, we have entirely discarded grafting. The chief reason why many nurserymen still adhere to grafting is because a tree can be grown more cheaply by grafting than by budding.

Our first aim is to produce trees that will give satisfaction when transferred to the orchard, and then to sell them at reasonable prices.

### HERE ARE OUR VARIETIES AND PRICES

We are testing about forty of the most promising varieties of Pecans. The following we consider among the best of these:

**Curtis.** A very thin-shelled nut with sweet meat of excellent flavor. An old variety which has quite recently come back into favor. Supply of trees limited.

**Frotscher.** Large, thin-shelled nut which has been widely planted. Placed by some at head of list of profitable varieties.

**Moneymaker.** An early and prolific bearer and a healthy, vigorous grower. It is proving a very profitable commercial variety.

**Moore.** Nut of medium size. A vigorous healthy grower and very early and prolific bearer.

**Nelson.** Probably the largest Pecan grown. It is a strong, vigorous grower and an early and abundant bearer. Thick-shelled.

**Pabst.** A safe nut to plant. While not quite as large as some of the above, it is a good bearer and one can hardly make a mistake in setting it.

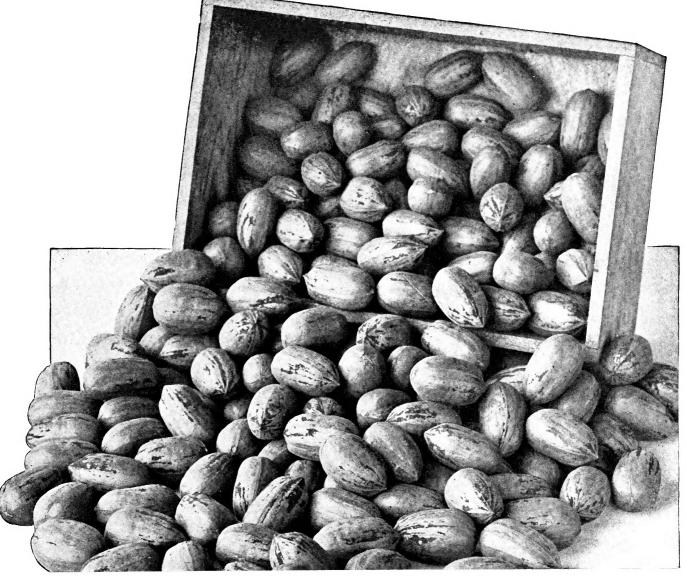
**Schley.** This variety is placed by some at the head of the list. It is a large, thin-shelled nut of fine flavor and is well filled with meat. Liable to scab near the coast. In quality of meat and thinness of shell it is surpassed by no other variety.

**Stuart.** An old favorite that has been widely tested. This is a variety that can be planted with safety and succeeds over a wider territory than probably any other kind.

**Success.** A Pecan of fine flavor. Originating in Mississippi, it has been widely disseminated during the last few years.

**Teche.** Another old variety which popular demand has brought back into nursery production. A medium-sized, prolific variety of good quality. Most popular variety in the Albany, Ga., section. Supply of trees limited.

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PAPER-SHELL PECANS

# FRUIT TREES

#### **PEACHES**

#### South's Leading Fruit

The Peach has long been a favorite orchard fruit of the South. It comes into commercial bearing comparatively early and its large range of varieties makes it possible to have fruit ripening over a long period of time in the same vicinity.

Every farmer and home-owner should have at least a few trees. Often a small orchard of 4 to 5 acres will prove quite profitable for supplying your home market, even near very small towns. The Peach is a popular "filler" crop to be grown in pecan orchards before the pecan trees come into commercial production.

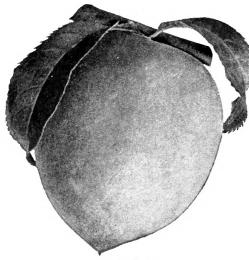
Peaches will grow over a large portion of the South. Of the many varieties of Peach trees, we have selected and are listing those proving most satisfactory over the largest territory in the South. They have a long fruiting period in practically any territory suited to Peach culture.

Peaches have one requisite wherever they are grown—they must be planted on well-drained soil.

Great care is taken to send out only strong, vigorous, well-rooted trees. The varieties we send are true to name. Only strong, vigorous stocks are used for propagating purposes. Start right with trees from Wight!

#### Some Hints for the Culture of Peaches

Plant 1-year-old trees about 18 x 18 feet. Prune severely, cutting back 18 to 24 inches to form a balanced, low, compact head. The following spring cut away all but three well-distributed branches. The annual pruning should consist of cutting off about one-third of the last year's growth. Don't let the branches get too long as their weight will split the tree's trunk. Dehorning is done only when there has been a bad winter freeze.



Elberta Peach

#### PEACHES for PROFIT

Our Trees Are Sure to Grow

**Carman.** Large; creamy white, tinged red. Freestone. June 20.

Chinese Cling. Very large; creamy white, mottled carmine; flesh fine-grained. Clingstone. July 20 to August.

**Early Crawford.** Yellow-fleshed Peach. A very handsome variety with yellow skin, having a dark red blush; quality unsurpassed. A good Peach for market or home orchard. Tree large and vigorous, bearing in early September.

Early Rose. Because of its excellent keeping and shipping qualities, this is an important and very desirable early Peach. Medium size; highly colored. May 20 to June 10.

**Elberta.** Probably best known of all Peaches. Very large; yellow skin with red cheek; flesh yellow and juicy. No orchard should be without this variety. Middle of July.

**Georgia Belle.** Large; showy; clear creamy white, tinted red; flesh white and firm, excellent quality. Freestone. July 1 to 15.

**Hiley.** Large; red cheeks; flesh white, red at pit. Freestone. June 20.

**J. H. Hale.** Late. Fruit large, deep red; flesh yellow. Freestone. Very fine.

Mayflower. Earliest Peach known, although a late bloomer. Medium size; entirely covered with red. Good shipper. May 15 to June 1.

#### ALL VARIETIES

June buds, 2 to 3 ft. \$0 35 \$3 00 \$25 00 1-year, 3 to 4 ft. . . . . 40 3 50 30 00

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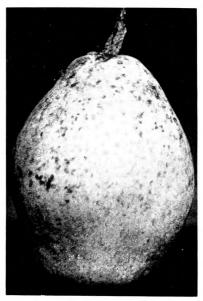
#### **PEARS**

The number of varieties of Pears that can be satisfactorily grown in the South has been greatly reduced in recent years due to the high susceptibility of most varieties to blight. The chief effort in recent Pear culture has been the introduction of blight-resistant varieties; a number of these are being tested now, and some may prove valuable.

Pineapple. The blight-resistant qualities of this Pear make it in great demand as an orchard tree in the South. A vigorous grower and unusually heavy and regular bearer. The fruit is large and attractive; flesh coarse, juicy. It makes an excellent canning and preserving Pear. Ripens during August and September.

**Kieffer.** Fruit large to very large; skin yellow; flesh brittle and juicy. Goodquality fruit maturing in September and October. Trees vigorous and prolific.

Above 2 varieties: Ea	ch.	1	0	10	0
2 to 3 ft\$0	45	\$4	00	\$35	00
3 to 4 ft	55	5	00	45	00
4 to 5 ft	60	5	50	50	00
5 to 6 ft	75	7	00	- 60	00
6 to 8 ft.,					
branched (2 yr.).	95	9	00	85	00
12 to 15 ft., heavy 4	00	30	00		



Baldwin Pear

Harper. A wonderful new variety originating in southern Georgia. This description of the original tree is given by its owner: "Chance seedling about 15 years old; no blight; heavy bearer, and equal in quality to Bartlett; very juicy and good keeper with no hard core in center; 3 or 4 seeds; skin russet color. Fruit sells for five times as much as Pineapple, Kieffer, etc."

Ea-	CH
2 to 3 ft	50
3 to 4 ft	70
4 to 5 ft	
5 to 6 ft	
5 to 6 ft., branched	25

Baldwin. A new Pear of good flavor originating in Baldwin County, Alabama, and said to be blight-resistant. Vigorous grower, ripening in August. Decidedly superior to any other blight-resistant varieties fruited here. An introduction which is unusually promising

ising.	E	ach	1	10	100			
3 to 4 ft	. \$0	60	\$5	50	\$50	00		
4 to 5 ft		70	- 6	50	60	00		
5 to 6 ft		85	-8	00	75	00		
6 to 8 ft	_ 1	00	9	00	85	00		
6 to 8 ft., branched	1	25	11	50	100	00		

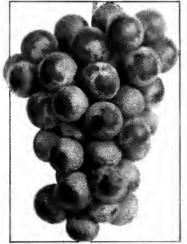
#### SPECIAL READING MATTER

We have special reading matter on several subjects which gives fuller information than can be given in this catalogue. Among these are the following, any of which will be furnished on request: "Some Questions Answered in Regard to Pecan Trees," "The Management of Pecan Orchards," "The Tung Oil Nut Tree: A Brief Statement of Facts," "The Tung Oil Nut Tree: A New and Profitable Industry of the South," "Satsumas."

IF YOU have never had a Home Orchard you have missed one of the joys of gardening. To look after the trees as they grow to bearing age, to see the blooms open in spring, to watch the ripening fruit, and then taste the rich flavor that comes with true freshness—these are the rewards that come to the Home Orchard owner.

You can easily select from this catalogue the trees for a Home Orchard. See pages 8, 10, and 11.





DELAWARE GRAPE



BURBANK PLUM

PERSIMMON



J. H. HALE PEACH

A Peach Orchard is a good investment—but, like any other investment, it must be watched. Produce good fruit and you get a good return.

start a grove of PECANS

This is a Good Year to

See pages 4 to 7



KIEFFER PEAR

WIGHT NURSERIES · CAIRO, GEORGIA

TANE-NASHI



Pineapple Pear. See page 8.

### JAPANESE PERSIMMONS

Some varieties of Japanese Persimmons, under certain conditions, are self-pollenizing, but it has been found advisable to plant among the other varieties the staminate variety called Gailey. One tree of this variety to ten trees of the other varieties will insure good pollenization and fruit will grow on to maturity.

Japanese Persimmons naturally do not make a heavy root system, and should be very carefully transplanted. Cutting back the top severely is, in many cases, desirable. The beauty of the fruit, and its excellent quality, more than offset the care required to make them live.

Fuyugaki. Tree vigorous, upright grower. Fruit medium to large, nearly round, but somewhat flattened; skin smooth, tough; color reddish yellow; flesh meaty and of exceptionally good flavor. Bears young. Non-astringent; can be eaten while still hard; may be pecled and eaten like an apple.

**Gailey.** Recommended for its staminate flowers for pollenizing and not for its fruit. Fruit small; skin dull red; flesh dark about the seeds, meaty, juicy. Should be in every planting.

**Tamopan.** A Chinese variety of special merit. Fruit is large, somewhat flattened and with a compressed ring around it as though a string had been tied around the fruit while growing; color beautiful golden red; skin quite thick and tough.

**Tane-Nashi.** The best-known and probably the most popular variety. Large to very large, roundish, conical, pointed; skin light yellow, changing to deep red. Quality very fine. The leading market variety. See color illustration page 19.

#### ALL VARIETIES

	Each	10
2 to 3 ft	\$0 40	\$3 50
3 to 4 ft	. 50	4 50
4 to 5 ft	60	5 50

#### **PLUMS**

Plum trees should be planted 15 to 25 feet apart each way and can be used, if desired, as fillers in an orchard between permanent trees. They are desirable in poultry-yards as the nitrogenous fertilizer furnished by the chicken manure seems to be just what the trees need; also, the fowls clean up the curculio that attacks the fruit.

**Burbank.** Very large; skin clear rich red, showing yellow dots; flesh deep yellow, firm and meaty.

Red June. Medium to large, deep vermilion-red fruit; flesh light lemon-yellow, slightly subacid. Vigorous grower. Prolific. June.

Kelsey's Japan. Very large, heartshaped, greenish yellow fruit, sometimes spotted red. Vigorous grower; prolific bearer; good quality. July.

#### Prices of above three varieties:

	Each	10	100
3 to 4 ft	\$0 60	\$5 50	\$50.00
4 to 5 ft	70	6 50	
5 to 6 ft	80	7 50	

Winesap. This variety is rapidly growing in favor wherever it is known. A very thrifty grower—it is not uncommon for trees in the nursery row to make 8 to 10 feet of growth the first year after budding. Fruit deep red when half ripe, blending into dark purple as it ripens; juicy; cling; very large—some specimens reach a diameter of  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches. Sweetacid when ripe, with slight tang, not at all unpleasant in ripe fruit. One of the best keepers and shippers. July 1 to 15.

Methley. A new and promising Plum. Large, firm, red-fleshed, good shipper. Pronounced by those who have tested it the best Plum grown. We had numbers of requests for both Methley and Winesap Plum trees last season which we could not fill. Although we have a good supply this year, we suggest ordering early.

Plum S. P. I. 47935. An unnamed introduction of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, this Plum has been highly recommended to us by one of the State Experiment Stations which gives this information on it: "S. P. I. 47935 Plum resembles that of the Winesap but when full ripe it is a bit darker red in color and sweeter in taste. Except when the cold weather killed all Plum buds (in latitude of middle Georgia) the S. P. I. tree has produced exceptionally large crops. Tree is vigorous and has been bearing several years. It is seemingly affected but little by dry weather."

#### Prices of above three varieties:

	Each		10	100	
4 to 5 ft	\$0.60	) \$5	50	\$50_00	)
5 to 6 ft	75	5 7	-00	60 00	)
6 to 8 ft	8	5 8	00	70.00	)
2-yr., heavy	1 00	9	00	80_00	)

Wise home-owners realize that a planting of some sort is necessary around the home. Such planting should not be limited to a mere lawn and an ordinary hedge. There are many beautiful trees and shrubs which cost little, yet add to the pleasure of the occupants as well as improving the appearance of the grounds. A few fruit trees, set at the rear of the house, bring added value to the property.

#### **GRAPES**

Commercial vineyards of Bunch Grapes for supplying local markets have proved profitable in many parts of the South. Although the Bunch Grape is not native of the South, with proper care it gives excellent results. Vines should be planted 8 to 10 feet apart and trained on a three-wire trellis.

**Beacon.** Fruit dark purple, almost black, and borne in large clusters. A stronggrowing, carly-ripening Grape of good quality. One of the best and longest lived Grapes for the Lower South.

Concord. Blue-black. Vigorous grower and heavy bearer. An old favorite. Delaware. Small to medium-sized

**Delaware.** Small to medium-sized bunches of small pink fruits. In quality one of the best.

Niagara. Large bunches of good-sized white fruits. An attractive market variety.

#### Prices of above four varieties:

Each 10 100 2-year.....\$0 30 \$2 50 \$20 00

The Muscadine group of Grapes is native to the South; they are old favorites. They are well adapted to soil and climate and need no introduction to the South. Muscadine vines are generally trained on overhead trellises and are spaced 20 to 25 feet apart each way.

**Scuppernong** (Muscadine). Well known in the South. Large berries, seldom more than 8 to 10 in a cluster; thick brown skin; pulpy flesh, very vinous, sweet. Has a peculiar musky aroma. Prolific.

**Thomas.** Fruit large, purple, thick-skin, borne in clusters like Scuppernong. Fruit has a peculiar tang which is very delightful. A very desirable arbor Grape.

#### Prices of above two varieties:

Ro. 1 . . . . . \$0 45 \$4 00 \$35 00



Niagara Grape

#### FIGS

A truly Southern fruit of high quality which cannot be grown in the North. This fruit is found almost universally in home plantings in the South. Figs are delicious for eating both fresh and preserved.

Fig trees may be planted as close together as 10 to 12 feet, and require very little cultivation. Cultivation should always be shallow as the roots are close to the surface. Figs seem to do best when their roots can run under buildings. Both varieties we list are very hardy.

Brown Turkey. Medium to large, yellowish brown; pulp tender, rich and of finest quality. Fruit borne on long stems, allowing it to hang blossom end down at maturity.

**Celeste.** Fruit is of medium size with thin pale violet skin and firm, juicy, rich and sweet flesh. Tree strong grower and reliable bearer. Hardiest of all the Figs.

ALL VARIETIES Each 10
18 to 24 in. \$0 30 \$2 50
2 to 3 ft. . . . 40 3 00

#### **BERRIES**

Blueberry. A native of the South, the Blueberry has, in recent years, been grown commercially in northern Florida. The fruit is medium to large, a dark purple color, and begins ripening about June 1. Its ripening season extends through June and July into August. The bush is symmetrical, with a rich green foliage which makes it desirable either in the vegetable garden or the shrub border. Our plants have been observed over a period of several years, and are good producers.

Each 10

### YOUNGBERRY

1-yr. plants..........\$0 30 \$2 50

Far superior to any berry of its type which we have tested. The berries are large to very large, with big grains. Seeds are soft, so that the fruit may be considered almost seedless. The color is dark purple, changing as the fruit becomes full ripe to a jet-black. Ripens carly, producing berries over a period of several weeks. The vines are vigorous and should be trained on trellises. Plant 6 to 7 feet apart in rows 8 to 9 feet apart. We recommend this new fruit highly as worthy of a place in every garden.

Acme Thornless. A new introduction with all the good qualities of the parent, but without its thorny runners and therefore much more readily handled. Said by some who have tested it to be superior in size and fruitfulness to the Vangbergu.

Strong rooted tips......\$0 20 \$1 25

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1	plant.										,		\$0	50
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-6	plants		 	,									1	00
12	plants		 										1	65
25	plants						,						2	75

Prospective fruit-growers are invited to visit our nurseries and inspect the trees and plants. If this is not convenient, write us; we will be glad to assist you.

#### CITRUS FRUITS

At Wight Nurseries we have a profitable Satsuma orange grove, supplying fruit to Cairo and surrounding towns. We also have producing trees of Kumquats, Duncan Grapefruit, Meyer Lemon, and Citrangequat, although Cairo is near the northern limit where they may be profitably produced.

We do not recommend planting Citrus fruits north of the latitude of Albany, Ga. (Florida laws do not permit the introduction of Citrus trees from outside that

state).

Our Citrus fruits are budded on hardy Citrus trifoliata, and should come into bearing from two to three years after transplanting. Success with Citrus depends on well-drained soil. The trees should be kept free from insect pests, such as white fly, red spider and the like, by spraying two to four times each season. A hand spray pump is sufficient for this purpose. A southern exposure is best for all members of the orange family in that this gives them air drainage to the south.

#### Owari Satsuma

This is the variety usually grown, as it begins bearing very young and is among the most deliciously flavored of Citrus fruits. Flesh tender, juicy, fine grained, sweet and delicious with a peculiarly agreeable flavor. The fruit ripens early in October through November. Satsumas can be raised satisfactorily in the backyard, and furnish fruit in the early winter.

By careful selection of buds in our own producing groves, we have built up a hardy strain of especially fine quality. See illustration, page 9. Each 10 100 1-yr. bare root . . . \$0 50 \$4 50 \$40 00 2-yr. bare root . . . 60 5 50 50 00

#### Calamondin

A small Citrus fruit,  $1\frac{1}{4}$  inches in diameter, orange-red color. Along with Kumquats, probably the most ornamental of the hardy Citrus group. Fruit makes excellent marmalade. 75 cts. each.

#### Meyer Lemon

This hardy Lemon was found in the Orient many years ago by Dr. Meyer, explorer for the U. S. Department of Agriculture, and has been named for him. We have matured this fruit in the open ground for the last several years. It has all the good qualities of the ordinary Lemon and is considered superior to other Lemons. We offer this only in limited quantities. 75 cts. each.

#### Ichiang Lemon

Very similar to Meyer Lemon, but perhaps a little more hardy. 75 cts. each.

#### Kumquat

This is the smallest of the edible Citrus fruits grown in the northern part of the citrus-growing region. The Kumquat is a sweet-skinned orange which is very delicious and makes a choice fruit for desserts, jellies, jams, preserves, and marmalades. The trees are hardy, bear enormous yields, and never miss a crop.

We can supply Kumquats in 3 varieties: **Nagami.** Fruit oblong.

Meiwa. Fruit large, round. Marumi. Fruit small, round.

1-yr. plants, 75 cts. each 2-yr. plants, \$1 each

### TUNG-OIL TREES

#### Are Ornamental and Profitable

#### **ALEURITES FORDI**

The Chinese Tung-Oil tree was introduced into this country from China by the U. S. Department of Agriculture about 30 years ago. It has shown its adaptability to the soil and climate of southern Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, and Louisiana, and to the northern part of Florida. It is valuable for its oil, which is used in paints, varnishes, and lacquers, and in a rapidly increasing number of commercial products.

The tree is a rapid and healthy grower, is easily transplanted, and begins to bear the second or third year after transplanting. Tung trees come into commercial production, when well cared for, in four or five years. Land on which commercial orchards are to be planted should be selected with the greatest of care. Special attention should be given to the fertility, soil-type, air-drainage and water-drainage. It is false coonomy to buy cheap land which does not have all of the necessary qualifications for successful Tung growth.

The factors which influence Tung production are so many and so varied that it is impossible to give average production figures which will fit all soils and methods of cultivation. On small acreages here at Cairo we have produced as high as 2½ tons of whole dry fruit per acre. With the price of Tung Oil now (September, 1940) well above 20 cts. per pound, f.o.b. New York, the outlook is for the fall 1940 crop of whole dry fruit to bring \$40 to \$55 per ton at the mill. When the ease and economy with which this crop may be produced is considered, there is not a more promising crop that can be grown by our land-owners.

The principal Tung-Oil territory is a strip of land lying mainly along the Atlantic Coast of South Carolina and Georgia, and thence along the Gulf of Mexico.

Mills for the expulsion of oil from Tung nuts are rapidly being built as the demand warrants. Milling facilities will be no problem. Indications are that the oil milled from the 1940 domestic crop will have a value of more than a million dollars.

In coöperation with the Georgia Coastal Plains Experiment Station, we found in our groves, in 1933, two trees of good characteristics which produced better than 25 per cent oil, based on the whole dry fruit. The milling average of seedling fruit is considerably less than 20 per cent. These two parent trees (which we have labeled No. 24 and No. 39) have been observed for a number of years, and a budded orchard from the original trees is now in production. They appear to be so superior to the average seedling, however carefully selected, that we are listing them this year for the first time. They have not been tested sufficiently long to recommend them without reservations. We do believe them sufficiently good to warrant testing throughout the entire Tung belt. Both selections are good producers of clustertype fruit.

At present they are being offered only under number:

#### No. 24 and No. 39.

Budded Tung Trees:
Each 10 100
1-yr., 2 to 4 ft....\$0 75 \$6 00 \$50 00
1-yr., 4 to 6 ft.... 1 00 7 50 65 00









KAISERIN AUGUSTE VIKTORIA

# There's a Whole Summer



LADY HILLINGDON

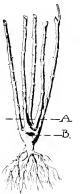
NE eannot imagine a Southern garden without Roses. Nor ean one imagine a garden with too many Roses—unless it be one where the plants are neglected and sadly overerowded, a condition that rarely occurs. Because of the mild Southern climate and favorable soils, Roses thrive under our sunny skies and are lavish in displaying colorful blooms, and spreading fragrance abroad.

In spring the Rose lover eagerly looks for the first sign of growth; then impatiently waits until the swelling buds burst into full bloom. From then until hot midsummer his garden is a mass of color. When eooler days and nights of autumn eome the plants give a seeond season of bloom, and then the reds seem to be brighter, the pinks rieher, and the yellows more golden than earlier in the year. Truly Roses are the supreme flowers for the Southland.

### Wight's Illust

Shown on these two p commended Roses. The true" varieties for Sou erly planted and pruned with a great display of

> One each of the Roses here show field-grown pla Carefully packed





A. Show B. Point



TALISMAN



PINK RADIANCE



JONKHEER J. L. MOCK



RED RADIANCE



of Color and Fragrance

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d sent postpaid

of Rose Bed ng Depth to Plant. Some Hints on Planting Roses

OSES may be planted safely in fall or spring, but we prefer fall planting if the gardener can get the ground ready. In the fall the plants are dormant, yet full of the vigor stored up in summer; they can be moved without difficulty, and the roots will at once begin to draw food from the soil, storing it until spring's warm days call the plant into growth.

Planting directions are simple. Dig a large hole, making it deep, so that the plant will set 3 or 4 inches deeper than it stood in the nursery; in the bottom put a little bone-meal or well-rotted manure, covering with an inch or more of soil; cut off broken or damaged roots, then set the plants, separating and spreading the roots carefully; gradually fill in the soil, packing it tight around the roots; when the hole is about half filled pour in three or four quarts of water, let it settle and then finish filling the hole. Each fall or spring give the Rose bed a good application of plant-food—Vigoro, bone-meal, or wellrotted manure. A mulch of peat moss is of value during hot weather as it conserves moisture and keeps the roots cool. (See diagram.)



LUXEMBOURG



EDITOR McFARLAND





Prices, Standard Varieties

2-yr., budded Each 10 100

No. 1 grade \$0 40 \$3 50 \$25 00

Medium 30 2 50 17 50

#### Red Roses

**Climbing Red Radiance.** Cl. II.T. A sport of the bush form.

**Etoile de Hollande.** H.T. Deep velvety crimson. Vigorous. Probably the best deep red Rose for the South. See illustration.

Francis Scott Key. H.T. Crimson; very large.

**Paul's Scarlet Climber.** Vivid searlet blossoms produced in clusters. Very popular Climber.

**Red Radiance.** II.T. Brilliant erimson sport of the heavy-stemmed, globular Radiance. See illustration.

Reine Marie Henriette (Red Gloire de Dijon). Cl. H.T. Fragrant, eherry-red flowers. Vigorous.



Betty Uprichard

#### Pink Roses

**Betty Uprichard.** H.T. Long-pointed buds; orange-carmine blooms. Vigorous.

Climbing Cecile Brunner (Climbing Sweetheart Rose). H. Poly. Climbing form of the lovely Sweetheart Rose. Small buds; blush shaded light salmon.

**Columbia.** H.T. Excellent rose-pink; large; double. See illustration.

**Dainty Bess.** H.T. Large, single, delieate rose-pink. Outstanding.

**Edith Nellie Perkins.** 11.T. Deep pink, shaded salmon. Long pointed buds. Good Rose for Southern gardens.

**Editor McFarland.** H.T. Strong growing; free flowering. Clear deep rosepink. Good form. See illustration.

Jonkheer J. L. Mock. H.T. Large; deep pink, shading to light pink. Strong grower. Prolific. See illustration.

**Killarney Queen.** H.T. Buds long, brilliant pink. More vigorous than Killarney.

Minnie Francis. T. Long-pointed buds; dark pink, rather variable. Exeellent.

Mrs. Charles Bell. (Shell-Pink Radianee). H.T. Lovely shell-pink. Vigorous grower and bloomer. See illus.

Pink Radiance. H.T. Lovely pink. Continuous bloomer. See illustration.

Maman Cochet. T. Rieh, elear pink, daintily flushed with silvery rose.

#### Yellow Roses

Climbing Luxembourg. Cl. H.T. A sport of Luxembourg originating at Wight Nurseries. Buds long, pointed, large, deep pinkish orange. Vigorous.

**Lady Hillingdon.** T. Apricot-yellow. Expecially beautiful in bud. See illus.

**Luxembourg.** H.T. Deep golden yellow, attractive both in its pointed bud and open flower. See illustration.

Marechal Niel. Cl. Noisette. Large; pale yellow sweet-seented. Exeellent in the South.

Mrs. Dudley Cross. T. Pale with outer petals tinged a soft shell-pink. Vigorous.

#### White Roses

**Cherokee.** Cl. Beautiful single white Rose, blooming profusely in early spring. Very vigorous.

Kaiserin Auguste Viktoria. T. Excellent pure white, growing especially well in the Lower South. See illus.

White American Beauty (Frau Karl Druschki). H.P. Immense buds of waxy paper-white. An old favorite.

White Killarney. H.T. Beautiful sport of the well-known Killarney.

White Maman Cochet. T. White, with edges of petal tipped rose. Among the best white Tea Roses.

#### Two-Toned Roses

**President Herbert Hoover.** H.T. Maroon, orange, and gold. Among the best two-toned Roses. See illustration.

**Talisman.** H.T. Pink, golden yellow, and eopper. Medium grower. Buds long, pointed. See illustration.



Paul's Scarlet Climber



# CONIFEROUS EVERGREENS

HEREVER formality and dignity are required in the garden, nothing serves quite so well as do the Coniferous Evergreens.

The tall, stately *Cedrus Deodara* is a source of joy and admiration wherever it is seen. It is especially good as a specimen on the lawn.

The Oriental Arborvitæ may be used as specimens also, and are excellent as screens or hedges. They may be clipped to desired height and form.

Berckman's Golden Arborvitæ is a favorite for planting around entrances, or wherever low Pyramidal Arborvitæ are required.

Pfitzer's Juniper is becoming more popular each year for use in front of upright-growing plants. It has a delightful habit of spreading close to the ground.

These are but a few of the Conifers which will give you great pleasure in your garden. They are more accurately described below.

# ARBORVITAE Baker's (Tbuja orientalis Bakeri). A tall

pyramidal Arborvitæ with bright green

#### **CEDAR**

<b>Deodar</b> (Cedrus Deodara). A favorite
wherever a tall, stately specimen plant
is wanted. Beautiful upright-growing
Cedar with silvery blue-green foliage.
Very graceful. Unsurpassed for a
specimen plant. Each
$1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 ft., B&B
2 to 3 ft., B&B
3 to 4 ft., B&B
4 to 5 ft., B&B
5 to 6 ft., B&B

Home grounds cannot be considered well planned and planted until fruits are included. Your attention is invited o the assortment described on pages 8 to 11.

#### **JUNIPERS**

701 til 21to
<b>English</b> (Juniperus communis). An up-
right, columnar Juniper with attractive
blue-green foliage. Each 10
blue-green foliage. Each 10 18 to 24 in., B&B \$1 00 \$9 00
Greek (J. excelsa stricta). A dwarf, com-
paet, upright Juniper that does well
under widely varying conditions. Foli-
age grayish green. Each 10
8 to 12 in., B&B\$0.75 \$6.00
15 to 18 in B&B 90 7 50
18 to 24 in., B&B 1 00 9 00
<b>Japanese</b> (J. japonica sylvestris). A nar-
row, upright Juniper with dark green
foliage that does exceptionally well in
the Lower South. Each 10 18 to 24 in., B&B \$1 00 \$9 00 2 to 3 ft., B&B 1 75 15 00
18 to 24 in., B&B\$1 00 \$9 00
2 to 3 ft., B&B 1 75 15 00
Pfitzer (J. chinensis Pfitzeriana). An
exeellent new Juniper of spreading
habit. Very attractive gray-green fo-
liage. Valuable for foundation planting
where a low spreading plant is needed,
and for planting in front of other
conifers. Grows rapidly, and is not
seriously troubled by insects or discase
Scribasiy troubled by insects of disease

In dry weather water freely. **Trailing** (*J. procumbens*). A low trailing Juniper, similar to Pfitzer Juniper, but lower growing and with shorter branches. Excellent for ground-covers or for planting in front oftaller conjers.

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Prices of above two varieties	Εa	ich
8 to 12-in. spread, B&B	 \$1	00
12 to 18-in. spread, B&B		
18 to 24-in. spread, B&B	 2	00
2 to 3-ft. spread, B&B		

#### **PODOCARPUS**

**Sinensis.** An attractive introduction from Japan. One of the largest of all the conifers. Foliage deep green. Grows to a height of 40 to 50 feet.

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8 to 12 in., B&B	\$0	75
12 to 18 in., B&B	 1	00
18 to 24 in., B&B	1	25
2 to 3 ft., B&B	2	00



Pfitzer Juniper



# CAMELLIA JAPONICA

RULY typical of the glories of the Old South, Camellias are again taking their place as the aristocrat of Southern gardens. Flowering from November through March, when most of our flowering plants are bare, they are a never-ending source of delight. In cool greenhouses the Camellia may be grown throughout the United States. Planted out-of-doors, they are thriving on the Atlantic seaboard as far north as Norfolk. The southern half of Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, and the coastal section of Texas grow them beautifully. All except the extreme southern portion of Florida is well adapted to Camellias.

The requirements of Camellias are few. They are succeeding equally well in the stiff clays of middle Georgia and the lighter sands of Florida. Fertilize liberally with well-rotted cow-manure if it is available; if not, any good grade of commercial fertilizer will be satisfactory, being careful that the fertilizer does not come in direct contact with the roots. In transplanting, it is important that Camellias be partially shaded the first year or two until they become well established. After this time, they will stand either partial shade or full sun.

#### (G) indicates grafted plants

#### Pink

**Ithæaflora.** Semi-double; pink with orange tint. Vigorous. Dark green foli-Aithæaflora. age. January. Sizes 8 to 18 in.; and 2 to 4 ft.

Anna Frost. Large; elear pink, yellow stamens. February. 8 to 12-in. graft, \$1.50 each.

Austill Pink. Peony type; pure pink; medium size. January. Sizes 2 to 4 ft. Baby Pink (Caleb Cope). Small; dainty; double; shell-pink. Prolifie. November to January. Sizes 8 to 15 in. only.

Cliviana. Peony type; elear pink. November. Grafts, 15 to 18 in., \$2 each; 18 to 24 in., \$2.50; 2 to 2½ ft., \$3.50.

Enrico Bettoni. Large; elear pink. Vigorous and prolifie. January, February. Sizes 8 in. to 5 ft.

Glory of Nantes. Rose-pink; semi-double. January. Sizes 8 to 12 in. and 18 in. to 3 ft.

**Imbricata.** Large; clear pink. Late. 12 to 15 in. (G), \$1.50 each; 15 to 18 in. (G), \$2.50.

Longview, No. 56. Tight peony type; elear light pink. November. Sizes 15 in. to 4 ft.(G).

Marchioness of Exeter. Loose peony type; lovely clear pink. November. 8 to 12 in., \$1.50 cach; 12 to 15 in., \$2; 2 to 3 ft., \$5.

Mme. LeBois. Rose-pink, yellow stamens. January. 8 to 12 in. (G), \$1 cach; 12 to 15 in. (G), \$1.50.

**Monarch.** Peony type; deep pink. Late. 15 to 18 in., \$2 each.

Pink Perfection. Medium size; very double; shell-pink. November. Sizes 8 in. to 4 ft.

Rev. John Bennett. Medium size; semidouble; pink. January. The Mobile area variety. 12 to 15 in, and 2 to 4 ft.

Rose Emry (Christmas Glory). Very prolifie. Small to medium-sized rosepink flowers. January. 8 to 12 in., 50 cts. each; 12 to 15 in., 75 cts.; 15 to 18 in., \$1; 2 to 3 ft., \$2; 3 to 4 ft., \$3; 4 to 5 ft., \$5; 5 to 6 ft., \$7.50.

Sarah Frost. Imbricated; rose-pink. Fast grower. Late. 8 to 12 in., 50 ets.

each; 12 to 15 in., 75 cts.; 15 to 18 in., \$1; 18 to 24 in., \$1.50; 2 to 3 ft., \$2.50.

Semi-Double Blush. Lovely semi-double blooms with yellow stamens. 8 to 12 in. (G), \$1 each; 12 to 15 in. (G), \$1.50.

No. 141. Deep rose with purplish east. Similar to Mathotiana Rubra, but with shorter stamens. 18 to 24 in. (G), \$4 each.

PRICES OF CAMELLIAS	5								
unless otherwise noted.									
Each									
8 to 12 in\$0 75	\$7 00								
12 to 15 in 1 25	10 00								
15 to 18 in 1 75	15 00								
18 to 24 in 2 50	22 50								
2 to 3 ft. 3 50									

50 00

#### White

4 to 5 ft..... 7 50 70 00

3 to 4 ft. . . . . . . . 6 00

Peony type; sometimes Abby Wilder. flecks of pink. Vigorous. January. Sizes 15 to 24 in. and 3 to 5 ft.

Alba Plena. Full double; pure white. November. 8 to 12 in., \$1 each; 12 to 15 in., \$1.50; 15 to 18 in., \$2.50; 18 to 24 in., \$4.

Candidissima. Pure white; imbricated. Sizes 8 to 12 in. (G) and 15 to 24 in. Elizabeth. Double; white. January. 15

to 18-in. plants only.

Fimbriata Alba. Lovely white with pointed, incurving petals. December. 15 to 18 in. (G), \$2.50 each; 18 to 24 in. (G), \$3.50.

Rev. John G. Drayton (Grandiflora

Superba; Alba Superba; Niveus). Large; semi-double; pure white. Very handsome. January. Grafts only. 8 to 12 in., \$1.50 each; 12 to 15 in., \$2; 15 to 18 in., \$2.50; 18 to 24 in., \$4; 2 to 2½ ft.,  $$5; 2\frac{1}{2} \text{ to 3 ft., } $6.$ 

Imperator. Semi-double; cherry-red. Deeember, January. Sizes 8 to 15 in. and 3 to 4 ft. (G).

Jarvis Red. Deep red; semi-double. January. Sizes 8 to 15 in. and 3 to 5 ft. Mathotiana Rubra. Blooms deep red with purple cast, 6 inches across with 12 to 14 rows of petals. January. Grafts, 8 to 12 in., \$2 each; 15 to 18 in., \$3; 18 to 24 in., \$4; 2 to 3 ft., \$5.

Prince Eugene Napoleon (Pope Pius IX). Large; cherry-red; double. December, January. Sizes 8 to 12 in. (G) and 3 to 4 ft.

Prof. C. S. Sargent. Many-petaled peony type; deep red. January. Sizes 8 to 15 in. and 3 to 5 ft.

No. 123. An excellent unnamed sort. Large; semi-double; cherry-red. December, January. 15 to 18 in. (G), \$2.50 each; 18 to 24 in. (G), \$3.50.

#### Variegated

Bonomiana. White with pink variegations; double. 18 to 24-in. grade only.

Chandleri Elegans. Large; pink and white. Exeellent. January. Sizes 8 to 15 in. only

Duc de Brabant. White, striped pink; semi-double. January. 8 to 12 in., \$1

Duc d'Orleans. Loose peony type; eream-colored with faint rose markings. Sizes 8 to 15 in. (G) and 18 to 24 in.

Feasti. White with pink fleeks. 18 to 24-in. plants only.

Gen. Washington. Pure white with few pink markings. January. Excellent. Grafts only. 8 to 12 in., \$1.50 each; 15 to 18 in., \$2.50; 18 to 24 in., \$4; 24 to 30 in., \$5.

Harlequin. Pink and white, sometimes solid colors. Late. 8 to 12 in. (G), \$1 each; 12 to 15 in. (G), \$1.50.

Herme (Souv. de Henri Guichard). Large; semi-double; pink and white; slightly fragrant. January. Sizes 8 to 15 in. and 3 to 5 ft.

**Kellingtonia.** Peony type; red with white markings; medium size. This is the Kellingtonia of the Mobile area. Sizes 8 to 18 in. and 2 to 5 ft.

Latifolia. Cherry-red, splotehed with white; semi-double. January. 8 to 12 in., \$1 each; 12 to 15 in., \$1.50.

Meigs Variegated. Pink and white;

double. Sizes 8 to 15 in.

Mme. Niehart. Striking red and white. January. Grafts, 15 to 18 in., \$2 cach; 18 to 24 in., \$3; 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft., \$3.50.

Stiles Perfection. Peony type; pink and white. Sizes 12 to 18 in. (G).

Teutonia. Double; blush-pink, red markings. Good greenhouse variety. January. 8 to 12 in. (G), \$1.50 each.

T. K. Variegated. Semi-double; rose striped red. January. All sizes.

**Tricolor.** Very variable, ranging from eherry-red to pure white. November through January. Sizes 8 to 15 in., 18 to 24 in. (G), and 2 to 3 ft.

Variable Variegated. Very variable eream and light pink. Good. Late. 8 to 12 in. (G), \$1.50 each; 12 to 15 in. (G), \$2; 15 to 18 in. (G), \$2.50.

We assure vou that shrubs, trees and plants purchased from Wight Nurseries will be of the highest quality, carefully packed, and shipped the most economical way.

## BROAD-LEAVED EVERGREENS

The South is indeed fortunate in its wealth of Broad-leaved Evergreens which flourish in practically all sections. Many of them have beautiful blooms and berries—a distinct advantage over the conifers. With the use of broad-leaved material one is able to get definite contrasts in color and size of foliage, blossoms over long periods, low-growing or tall-growing plants, as the location demands.

There is a distinct tendency on the part of planters in the South to use more Broad-leaved Evergreens, for, with a proper selection, the blooming season can be lengthened

over a period of several months—from spring until midsummer. There are Broad-leaved Evergreens for every type of planting—tall, columnar ones where height is desired, broad, symmetrical ones for places of medium height—in fact, there is some sort which will fit any required place. The group, as a whole, has the added advantage of standing pruning exceptionally well. The Broad-leaved Evergreens are also excellent for the shrub border, for screening out undesirable views, and for use as specimen plants. There is not a more versatile group.

#### **ABELIA**

**Grandiflora.** Succeeds over a very wide range of climatic and soil-conditions, in sun and in shade. Although a vigorous grower, it will stand any amount of pruning. A hardy evergreen with glossy, dark green foliage and a profusion of white funnel-shaped flowers, tinted with pink, borne in clusters from May until late autumn. Valuable for foundation planting, grouping on the lawn, hedgework, etc. See color illustration, page 24.

Bare Root	Εa	ch	10	100
8 to 12 in	\$0	25	\$2.00	\$15 00
12 to 18 in		30	2 50	20 00
18 to 24 in		50	4 50	40 00
4 to 5 ft	1	00	9 00	

#### BOXWOOD (Buxus)

Japonica. The only Boxwood that will stand hot weather in full sun in the Lower South. Leaves large, light green. Excellent for bordering walks and beds. Faster growing than most Boxwoods.

	F	Each	100	
1-yr., from	m beds \$1	0.30	\$2 50	\$20.00
2-yr., fro	m beds.	50	4 50	40 00

#### CAMPHOR (Cinnamomum)

**Camphora.** One of the most popular of the evergreen shade trees in the deep South. Fast grower,

-	Each	10
3 to 4 ft., bare root	\$1.00	\$7.50
4 to 5 ft., B&B	2 00	1.50

#### COTONEASTER

Pannosa. A handsome evergreen shrub with graceful, slightly drooping branches. Leaves gray-green on top, silvery underneath. Great masses of dull red berrics, which remain all fall and winter, follow its white blossoms in spring. Ultimate height 6 feet.

18 to 24 in., B&B.

2 to 3 ft., B&B.

3 to 4 ft., B&B.

4 to 5 ft., B&B.

3 00

#### CLEYERA

Japonica. Evergreen shrub having thick, glossy bronze leaves. The flowers are a creamy white, fragrant, and on older plants are followed by red berries. Maximum height 6 feet. Slow grower.

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12 to	18	in.,	B&B.							. \$1	-00
18 to	24	in.,	B&B					 		. 1	50
2 to	3	ft.,	B&B.								
			B&B								



Gardenia florida

#### **ELAEAGNUS**

 Fruitlandi.
 Beautiful large gray-green leaves, silvery beneath. Gives a decided foliage contrast when planted with other Broad-leaved Evergreens. Maximum height 10 to 15 feet. Each 10 8 to 12 in., barc root. \$0 50 \$4 50 12 to 18 in., B&B 1 00 7 50 18 to 24 in., B&B 1 25 10 00 2 to 3 ft., B&B 1 50 12 50

#### **FEIJOA**

Sellowiana. Introduced from the French Riviera, the Pineapple Guava, gives excellent foliage contrast and attractive bloom in late spring. Flowers white outside, purplish crimson within, with long crimson stamens. The upper surface of the leaves is glossy green, the lower surface silvery gray.

Each 12 to 18 in., B&B. \$1 00 18 to 24 in., B&B. 1 25 2 to 3 ft., B&B. 1 75 3 to 4 ft., B&B. 2 50

#### GARDENIA

**Florida.** The Gardenia is fast gaining popularity and returning to its former station as one of the prize plants of the South. Its waxy dark green foliage and delightfully fragrant, pure white flowers make it a valued addition to any garden.

**Mystery.** Foliage and flowers larger than G. florida; otherwise similar.

Prices of above two varieties:	Each
1 to $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft., bare root	
$1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 ft., B&B	. 85
<b>Radicans.</b> Flowers similar to $G$ .	
Leaves small, dark green. Each	10
Small plants from beds\$0 35	\$3 00

Heavy plants from beds. 1 00

#### HOLLY (Ilex)

Cassine angustifolia (Dahoon Holly).

An excellent evergreen Holly, producing quantities of red berries when very young. Ultimate height 30 feet.

May be sheared if desired to be kept small.

Each 10

Siliali.	E.acn	10
12 to 18 in., B&B	\$1 00	\$9 00
2 to 3 ft., B&B	1 75	16 00
3 to 4 ft., B&B		
4 to 5 ft., B&B	3 50	30 00
5 to 6 ft., B&B	4 00	35 00

**Cornuta.** Very handsome Holly, native of China. Leaves 3-spined, very glossy. Growth compact and pyramidal.

Our plants are grown only from cuttings and are sure to produce large scarlet berries in profusion.

**Cornuta Burfordi.** A form of the above, with more rounded leaves. Grown only from cuttings of the berried typc. Sec illustration on fourth cover.

Above t	wo	var	ieties:	Εε	ich	10	)
18 to	24	in.,	B&B	\$1	50	\$12	50
2 to	3	ft.,	B&B	2	25	20	00
3 to	4	ft.,	B&B	3	00	27	50
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Crenata	bullata.	Mucl	1-brar	ichec	Lshi	rub
with da	ark green,	oval le	eaves.	Att	ract	ive
berries.					Εa	ıch.
	8 in., B&I					
18 to 2	4 in , B&I	B			. 1	25

**Crenata rotundifolia.** Very hardy. Desirable for its small dark green, round leaves and its compact habit of growth.

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8 to 12	in					. \$0	75	\$7	00

**Opaca femina.** The native American Holly, propagated by cuttings from female or berry-producing trees only. These plants are sure to produce berries.

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3 to 4 ft., bare root	. \$1	25	\$10	00
4 to 5 ft., bare root	. 1	50	12	50
5 to 6 ft., bare root	. 2	50	20	00
6 to 8 ft., bare root	. 3	50	30	00
For balled and burl	appe	d	Holl	ies,
double the above prices.	• •			·

Vomitoria femina (Yaupon). Great masses of brilliant red berries make this an outstanding plant throughout the winter. Leaves small, dark green. Excellent for hedging, planting in clumps, or can be sheared as a specimen. Our plants are grown from cuttings from only the berried types.

	Each	10
12 to 18 in., B&B	. \$0.75	\$7.00
18 to 24 in., B&B	. 1 00	9 00
2 to 3 ft., B&B	. 2 00	17 50
3 to 4 ft., B&B	. 2 50	22 50
4 to 5 ft B&B	3.50	27 50

#### BROAD-LEAVED EVERGREENS, continued

#### JASMINE (Jasminum)

Floridum. A hardy, gracefu	ıl evergreen
shrub, producing beauti	
flowers, ½ inch in diamete	
and summer.	Each
1-yr. plants, bare root	\$0 60
Primulinum. A graceful, dro	ooping ever-
green with dark green lea	

<b>Primulinum.</b> A graceful, droopin	g ev	er-
green with dark green leaves.		
yellow flowers in early spring.	Εa	ach
1-yr., heavy plants	. \$0	60
2-yr. plants	. 1	15
3-yr. plants		

#### CHERRY LAUREL (Laurocerasus)

Caroliniana. A fast-growing, erect evergreen excellent for screen and formal work, as it stands pruning especially well. Leaves large, deep green, bright and shiny. Grows to 30 feet when mature. Plants have been sheared twice this season. Each

12 to 18 in., from beds,	
bare roots\$20 per 100	\$2 50
12 to 18 in., B&B\$0 65	6 00
18 to 24 in., B&B 75	7 00
2 to 3 ft., B&B 1 00	9 00
3 to 4 ft., B&B 1 50	12 50
4 to 5 ft., B&B 2 50	20 00
5 to 6 ft., B&B 3 50	27 50
6 to 8 ft., B&B 4 50	35 00

#### ENGLISH LAUREL (Laurocerasus)

Officinalis. Large, shining green leaves. Vigor and ease of growth make this a most desirable evergreen shrub. When several years old, it produces spikes of small white flowers. Hardy to Washington, D. C. Attains a height of 20 feet, but may be pruned much lower if desired. Each 10 18 to 24 in., B&B. \$1 25 \$10 00 2 to 3 ft., B&B. . . . . 1 50 12 50 3 to 4 ft., B&B. . . . . 2 50 20 00

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Tall-growing (L. lucidum). An excellent tall-growing evergreen, especially suited for corners and for screening. Can be grown into a small tree. Has large, deep green leaves and white flowers in panicles which are followed by attractive purple berries. See note above.

purple berries. See note at	ove.	
	Each	10
2 to 3 ft., bare root	\$0.65	\$5 00
3 to 4 ft., bare root		9 00
4 to 5 ft., bare root	1 25	11 50
Balled and burlapped, a	dd 50 p	er cent
to above prices.		

Wax-leaf (L. japonicum). Among the best Ligustrums. Deep, glossy green leaves, slightly smaller than L. lucidum. It is a compact, symmetrical grower, and does well either in shade or in sun. Early in May panicles of white flowers are followed by large clusters of black berries that remain throughout the winter. An excellent plant for grouping and foundation planting. Stands pruning well. Ultimate height 15 to 20 feet. 
 See note above.
 Each

 12 to 18 in., B&B
 \$0.75

 18 to 24 in., B&B
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 \$6.00

#### NANDINA

**Domestica** (Heavenly Bamboo). Most striking in fall and winter, when the normally green leaves turn a deep Mature plants have large crimson. clusters of brilliant scarlet berries which hang on well after Christmas. A beautiful, upright-growing shrub, doing well in either sun or shade. Particularly desirable when planted in front of green-foliaged plants. See color illus-

tration on fourth cover.	Ea	ch
8 to 12 in., B&B	\$0	50
12 to 18 in., B&B		90
18 to 24 in., B&B	. 1	25
2 to 3 ft., B&B	- 1	75
3 to 4 ft., B&B	2	50

#### OSMANTHUS (Tea-Olive)

Fragrans. A large shrub having glossy foliage, and producing small white flowers, valuable for their delightful fragrance. Long blooming period. Should have partial shade when starting. Attains a height of about 20 feet. Each 10 to 12 in., B&B .....\$0 75 . . . . 1 00 . . . 1 65 . . 2 00 . . . 3 00 12 to 18 in., B&B 18 to 24 in., B&B 2 to 3 ft., B&B. 3 to 4 ft., B&B ... 4 00 4 to 5 ft., B&B.

#### PHOTINIA

Glabra. The young leaves are a brilliant scarlet, gradually turning to green. From spring until fall the plant is covered with enough young growth to give the whole plant a decided scarlet color. Shears well. Panicles of soft cream-colored blossoms in May. Each 12 to 18 in., B&B. \$0.75 18 to 24 in., B&B. 1 25 2 to 3 ft., B&B. 1 75 3 to 4 ft., B&B. 2 50

Serrulata (Low Photinia). Large corymbs of white flowers in the spring, followed by red berrics. In the fall much of its foliage takes on varying hues of red. Our strain has ruffled, holly-like leaves which are unusually attractive.

	Ea	ιch	1	0
12 to 18 in., B&B	\$0	60	\$5	50
18 to 24 in., B&B		75	7	00

#### PITTOSPORUM

Tobira. The medium-sized, rounded, dark green leaves of this variety are lovely. Produces small, inconspicuous, creamcolored flowers, delightfully fragrant. Fast-growing and stands shearing. Much used in foundation planting. Each 10 to 12 in., B&B .\$0.65 . . . 1 00 12 to 18 in., B&B 18 to 24 in., B&B

#### PYRACANTHA

Commonly called Firethorn or English Hawthorn. Beautiful in fall and winter when literally covered with bright-colored berrics. It may be had in several varieties, depending on the color of fruit and habit desired in the plant.

Lalandi. An	upright-g	grow	ing pla	ent with
narrow green	leaves.	lts	orange	e berries
are beautiful	l all win	tcr.		Each
5 to 6 ft., Bs	εВ			\$3 00
6 to 8 ft., Bs	εВ			4 00

PYRACANTHA, continued

Formosana. One of the most thrifty Pyracanthas. Compact, fast-growing, with small holly-like leaves and red berries in enormous clusters in late summer and hanging on during the winter. Ultimate height 15 fect. Sizes to 3 ft.

Yunnanensis. Of a lower, more spreading habit than *P. formosana*. Leaves larger, being 2 to 3 inches long. Berries bright coral-red, small. One of the most satisfactory Pyracanthas.

Pı	ice of	above	two P	yrac	ant	ha	s	:		Εa	c h
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	18 to	24 in.,	B&B_							1	10
	2 to	3 ft.,	B&B.							1	50
	3 to	4 ft.,	B&B.							2	00
	4 to	5 ft.,	B&B.							3	00

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Japonicum (V. macrophyllum). An introduction from California, which is proving valuable in the Lower South. Of about the same hardiness as V. odoratissimum. Dwarf growth. Leaves thick, heavy, dark green. Compact. Excellent for foundation planting. Each 8 to 12 in., B&B. . . . . . . . . . . . \$0 65 12 to 18 im., B&B 95 24 to 30 im., B&B 1 50 2 to 3 ft., B&B 1 50 3 to 4 ft., B&B 2 00 Odoratissimum (Sweet Viburnum). A

vigorous, fast-growing evergreen with large, glossy lcaves and fragrant white flowers in late spring. Ultimate height, 10 to 12 feet. Good in partial shade as well as full sun. Each 10 2 to 3 ft., B&B .....\$1 25 \$10 00

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Wax-Leaf Ligustrum

2 to 3 ft., B&B 1 25 10 00 3 to 4 ft., B&B 1 75 15 00 4 to 5 ft., B&B 2 50 22 50

9 00



## ORNAMENTAL FLOWERING SHRUBS

OLOR has invaded every part of the home, some parts of which were once dull and drab. But color has always been a prominent factor in the flower garden. With the ever-increasing popularity of the outdoor living-room, the flowering shrubs have again come into their own. The general scheme is to use the Broad-leaved Evergreens for the background and for screening out undesirable views, and to depend largely on our excellent flowering shrubs to give the succession of vivid colors which make the shrub border of the outdoor living-room always a place of joy and beauty. Thunberg Spiræa is among the first to open its lovely blossoms to welcome spring. Flowering Quince, the Bush-Honeysuckle

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Fragrantissima. Probably the most desirable Bush-Honeysuckle. Attractive deep green foliage, some of which is retained throughout the winter in the latitude of Cairo. Small, inconspicuous white flowers which are very fragrant.

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Anthony Waterer. A very free-flowering shrub growing to a height of about 2 feet. The branches are held upright and the foliage is bright green with variegations of yellow. Bright crimson flowers are borne in dense corymbs throughout the summer and fall. This is a very desirable shrub for the border.

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Magnolia grandiflora

# ORNAMENTAL TREES

#### LOQUAT (Eriobotrya)

Japonica. A shrub or small tree having large, deep green leaves. Hardy outdoors south of Charleston, and excellent for a house plant anywhere in the United States. In very mild climates produces delicious yellow edible fruit; grown largely for its handsome foliage.

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2	to	3	ft.,	bare	root.							\$1	00
3	to	4	ft.,	B&B							,	1	50

#### **MAGNOLIA**

**Grandiflora.** The native Magnolia so popular in the South. Big, deep green, lustrous leaves which are evergreen. Large white flowers from April through August. Ultimate height, 50 to 75 feet. A most desirable tree, either for specimen or group planting.

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men or group planting.	Εa	ıch
2 to 3 ft., bare root	. \$1	00
3 to 4 ft., bare root		
4 to 5 ft., bare root	. 1	75
5 to 6 ft., bare root	. 2	50
6 to 8 ft. specimens, B&B	. 5	00

#### JAPANESE MAGNOLIA

#### DOGWOOD (Cornus)

Florida. The surest sign of spring in the South is the blossoming of the lovely Dogwood. Striking in the fall with its many-colored leaves and red berries. Altogether the most desirable flowering tree. Our nursery-grown trees have far better root system than woodsgrown trees and will give better results.

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2 to 3 ft.								,			\$0	50
3 to 4 ft								,				75
4 to 5 ft.											1	00
5 to 6 ft								,		,	1	50
6 to 8 ft	 ,										2	50

#### WEEPING WILLOW (Salix)

**Babylonica.** The large, spreading top and long, drooping branches of the Weeping Willow make it very picturesque. It thrives in wet or dry soils.

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-8	to	10	ft.							\$1	50	\$1	2	50

#### REDBUD (Cercis)

**Canadensis.** The native Redbud, so admired in early spring for its masses of bright purplish-pink blossoms. Showy and handsome when grown in the shrub border, or at the edge of a woodland.

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5 to 6 ft., barc root \$	1	25	\$10	00
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Bambusa argentea striata

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**Helix.** English Ivy, with its dark green leaves, is excellent for covering brick walls, stumps, or any location where it is desirable to have an evergreen vine. Often used as a ground-cover.

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Open-ground plants.	,			,	,		. \$0	30
4-in. pots		,				,		50

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Small clumps, 6 to 10 cancs......\$1 00

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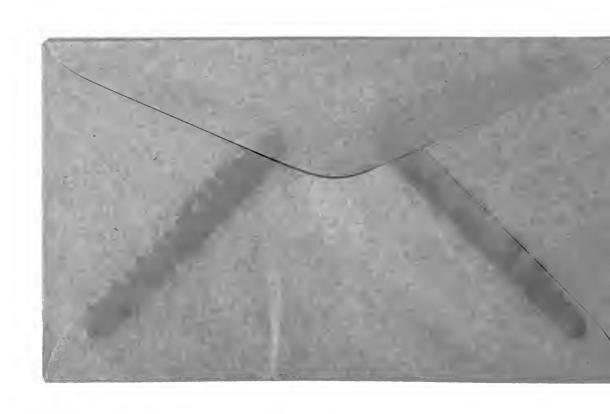
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Distance apart each way	No. of plants	Distance apart each way	No. of plants
		30 feet	
16 feet	170	35 feet	35
18 feet	134	40 feet	27
20 fect	108	50 feet	17
25 feet	70	70 feet	9

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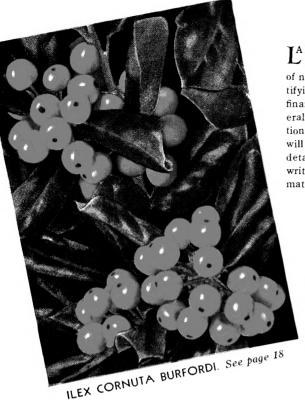
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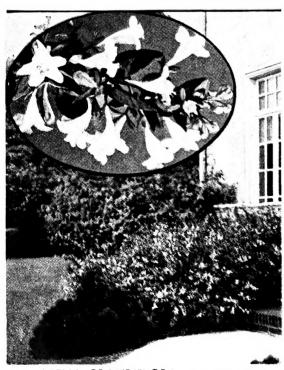


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