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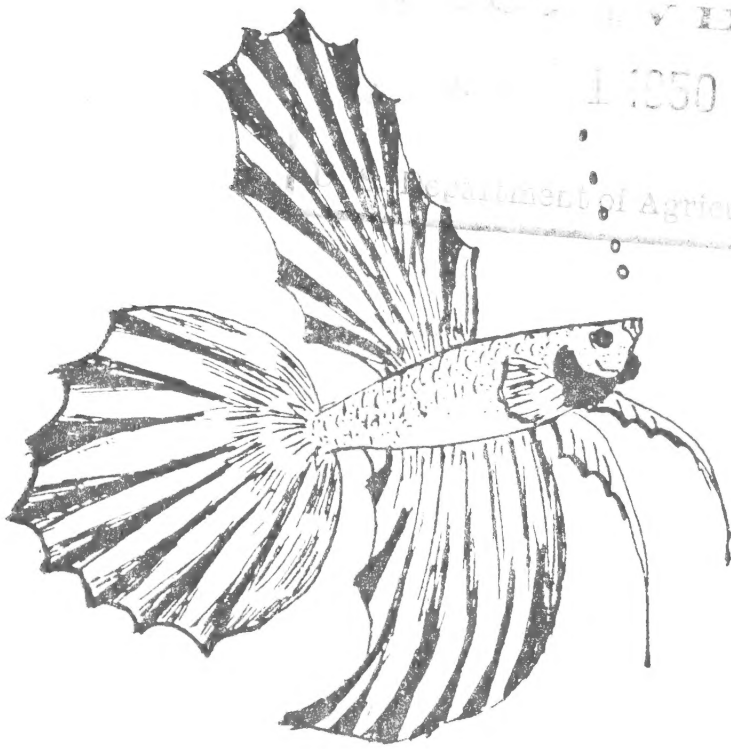


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We guarantee all stock to be first class. However, there are causes for failure over which we have no control, and we can assume no responsibility after merchandise is delivered to transportation company. All claims for breakage, loss, etc., should be made directly with transportation company. We do not make COD shipments, and do not run a credit business, all sales cash with order. We advise shipping all plants and fish by Express, any plants shipped via Parcel Post must be postage prepaid by the customer.

We offer FREE, with any order for Water Lilies and Aquatic Plants, received before June 1st amounting to \$5.00 or more, one free pink Water Lily, if you will mention same on your order.



One of our Greenhouses

- Our Economy Special; One each, Pink, White and Yellow Hardy Water Lily..... \$2.50
- Our Tropical Trio; One each, Panama Pacific, Blue Beauty and Mrs. Pring White..... \$5.00
- Marliac Trio, The well known Marliac White, Chromatella, and Marliac Rosea..... \$3.50

Hardy Water Lilies

Blossoms of Hardy Water Lilies float on the water, or are carried an inch or two above the surface. These lilies may be grown in tub, pond, pool, or half barrel, as best suits your convenience. The only requirements are water, sunshine, and good rich soil. If in an open pond, which does not freeze clear to the bottom, the roots will live without further care. If in tubs or pools, roots must be removed for the winter.

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WHITE WATER LILIES EACH

Gladstone, large clear white, grows strong tubers and blooms freely	\$2.00
Marliac Albida, a good dependable variety	1.50
Odorata Gigantea, produces lots of foliage, fair amount of blossoms	1.00

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PINK WATER LILIES EACH

Morning Glory, shell pink, fragrant	\$2.00
Pink Opal, deep pink, cup shaped flower	1.50
Rose Arey, star shaped cerise flowers, lovely	1.50
Marliac Rosea, famous Marliac pink,	1.50
Odorata Rosea, light pink, lots of foliage	1.00

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RED WATER LILIES EACH

Gloriosa, the perfect Red Lily for any pool	\$2.00
Attraction, strong grower, carmine blossoms	2.50
James Brydon, crimson, cup shaped	3.00

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YELLOW & BRONZE WATER LILIES EACH

Chromatella, bright yellow, very popular	\$1.50
Sunrise, large lemon yellow, very showy	2.00
Comanche, the most favored bronze-copper colored lily, changing from apricot yellow, to red copper bronze	2.00
Aurora, similar to Comanche, but smaller	1.50

TROPICAL WATER LILIES, grown in 5" pots.

These lovely lilies should not be planted outside until about June 1st, in the latitude of Cleveland, but produce myriads of sweet smelling flowers until heavy frost stops their growth late in the fall.

	Each
Day Blooming White	
Mrs. Geo. Pring, long a favorite	\$2.00
Day Blooming Pink	
Gen. Pershing, Bright clear pink	2.00
Day Blooming Pink	
Mrs. A. S. Buskirk, perfection in pink	2.50
Day Blooming Pink	
Pink Pearl, free blooming, large	2.00
Day Blooming Pink	
Golden West, a peach-apricot shade	2.00
Day Blooming Blue	
Blue Beauty, THE favorite blue	2.00
Day Blooming Blue, Dauben, light dwarf blue	1.00
Day Blooming Blue	
Mrs. Edw. Whitaker, large lavender blue ...	2.00
Day Blooming Blue	
August Koch, Blue—shading to Lilac Purple	2.00
Day Blooming Purple	
Panama Pacific, a favorite rich purple	2.00
Day Blooming Purple	
Royal Purple, the darkest purple	2.00

NIGHT BLOOMING LILIES

These lovely flowers open at dusk and remain open until late the following morning, or on cloudy days even later. For the folks who can not enjoy their pool during the day, the night blooming lilies are most satisfactory, and no garden party is complete without them blooming in the pool.

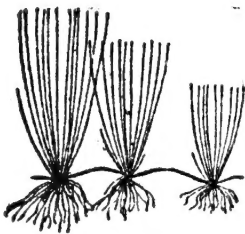
	Each
Juno, white, a favorite dependable variety ...	\$1.50
Missouri, white, a large, very showy blossom, outstanding	2.00
Mrs. Geo. Hitchcock, pink, free blooming	2.00
Emily Grant Hutchings, cerise pink, a favorite	2.00
Omarana, light pink, the old-fashioned favorite	1.50
Rubra Rosea, carmine red	1.50
H. C. Haarstick, brilliant dark red	2.00
Lotus (the Egyptian Lotus of the Nile)	
Album Grandiflorum, white	2.00
Luteum, known as the American Yellow lotus	2.00
Speciosum, Rosy pink	2.00
Roseum Plenum, deep pink, double, large	3.00



MARSH OR BOG PLANTS

Bog Plants. The following varieties are adaptable to shallow water or marshy conditions, and do much to "naturalize" the edges of your pool.

Giant Arrowhead, Graceful Cattail, Floating Heart, Flowering Rush, Forget Me Not, Yellow Flag, Blue Flag, Variegated Flag, Pickerel Rush, Egyptian Taro, Egyptian Papyrus, Umbrella Palm, Parrotsfeather, Four Leaf Water Clover, Water Poppy, Water Fern, Water Hyacinths, your choice at 25c each or 12 for \$2.50.



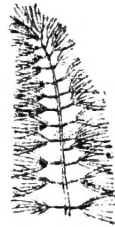
Hair Grass



Anacharis



Cabomba



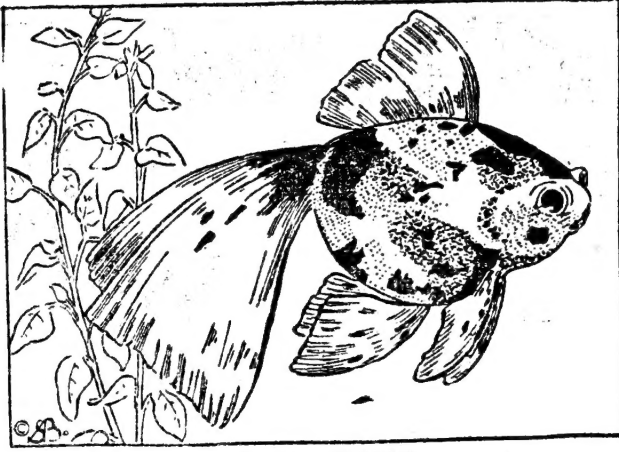
Myriophyllum

SUBMERGED OR OXYGENATING PLANTS

	Per Bunch
CABOMBA	\$.10
ANACHARIS .....	.10
CORKSCREW VALLISNERIA—Per Doz. ....	.50
VALLISNERIA—Per Doz. ....	.25
NATANS SAGITTARIA—Per Doz.....	.50
SAGATTARIA PATTI ---Each .....	.10

SNAILS

	Each
Trapdoor Snails, livebearing, best with Goldfish	\$.10
Mystery Snails, egg laying .....	.10
Red Ramshorn Snails, coral red .....	.10
Trumpet Snails, very active .....	.10
Columbian Snails, fond of vegetation .....	.10



Telescope Goldfish

GOLDFISH, for aquariums and outdoor pools

	Each	Per Doz.
Small Comet Goldfish, 1-2"	\$.10	\$1.00
Medium Comets, 3-4" .....	.25	2.50
Fancy Comets, 4-5" .....	.35	3.50
Pool Size Comets, 6" .....	.50	5.00
Giant Goldfish Breeders, 8-10"	1.00	10.00
Fancy Fantails, young .....	.25	2.50
Fancy Fantails, breeders .....	.75	6.00
Chinese Nymphs, young .....	.25	2.50
Chinese Nymphs, breeders .....	.75	6.00
Black Telescope Moors, small .....	.25	2.50
Black Telescope Moors, Br. size .....	.50	5.00
Shubunkins, calico, young .....	.25	2.50
Shubunkins, calico, breeding size	1.00	10.00

Packing charge of \$1.00 for all fish orders under \$5.00.

Natural fish food for Goldfish, 10c, 25c and 50c sizes

Fungus Remedy 35c

Nets 4", 25c; 6", 50c

Aquarium Neutralizers 10c each

Fertilizer for Water Lilies 50c per qt. carton

Terrarium Plants, and House Plants. Ivies, Begonias, Green Peperomias, Variegated Peperomias, Philodendron, Jade Plant, Sansevierias, Strawberry Begonias and Selaginellas,

each \$.25

African Violets, Blue, White, Red, Pink, lg.

each 1.50

TROPICAL FISH

INSTRUCTIONS CONCERNING

YOUR ORDERS FOR FISH:

All prices are F. O. B., Independence, Ohio and are shipped via EXPRESS.

No C. O. D. orders are accepted.

It will be to your advantage to PRINT your name and your COMPLETE address on your order. It insures delivery and avoids many costly mistakes.

Packing charge of \$1.00 for all fish orders under \$5.00.

LIVEBEARERS

	Per Pair
RED WAGTAILS—Black fins with red bodies ..	1.00
GOLD WAGTAILS—Colorful addition to your aquarium	1.00
RED PLATYI—The favorite moon. Fine red stock	Young .50
BREEDERS	1.00
BLACK PLATYI—Of the finest strain, an old favorite	Young .50
BREEDERS	1.00
BLUE PLATYI—A blue-green variety. Very pleasing .....	.50
BREEDERS	1.00
GOLD PLATYI—A delicate and pleasing hue of sungold	Young .50
BREEDERS	1.00
SALT & PEPPER PLATYI—A real old timer in a newer, finer strain, that's the best	Young .50
BREEDERS	1.00
PLATYI VARIATUS—Red tailed full colored fancier's fish of highest color and breeding	1.00
GOLD HELMET PLATYI—The most striking of all Moons with a perfect helmet of gold .....	.50

	Per Pair
GREEN SWORDTAIL—Coming back into favor again, stronger than ever. Good tails	1.00
ORANGE SWORD—Nice sized stock, very pretty	1.00
BLOOD RED SWORD—The highest development in Swordtail species. Unlike the old red, the BLOOD RED appears to be almost a living flame.....	1.50
BLACK SWORDTAIL—Another very fine development that has a place in every tank. A REAL black Swordtail.....	1.50
FULL GROWN PAIR OF THE ABOVE.....	2.00
LEBISTES RETICULATUS—Often referred to as the “Common” Guppy. Care and selection however gives you the “Cream of the crop” .....	.25
GOLDEN GUPPYI—Rare beauty and a golden tint gives you one of the finest Guppy	.50
LACE TAIL GUPPYI—The body colors, of outstanding quality and the tail of a delicate lace pattern. Beautiful .....	.50
BLOND LYRE TAIL GUPPYI — A newer development with a dominate color of golden cream. Exceedingly pretty .....	.50
BLACK TAILED GUPPYI—When courting the female, the large full tail of the male becomes suffused with black .....	.50
SWORDTAIL GUPPYI—Male with a beautiful long swordtail	1.00
PARAGON GUPPYI—A perfect lacetail ...	1.00
MOLLIENISIA SPHENOPS—Black spotted, very nice	BREEDERS 1.00
LATIPPINA SAILFIN MOLLIES, large.....	1.00
BLACK SAILFIN MOLLIES—Large sailfin dorsal setting off a beautiful black body....	1.00
SHOW SPEC. OF ABOVE	2.00
MIDNIGHT MOLLIES — Born black and stays black, developed to the highest degree	1.00
SHOW SPEC. OF ABOVE	1.50
H. FORMOSA—“The Mosquito Fish” and actually the smallest living live-bearer known to aquarists .....	.50
BABY FISH—Assorted varieties, our selection, doz.	1.00

LABYRINTH

	Per Pair
BLUE GOURAMI —An old favorite among the Labyrinths	\$.50
LARGE SPEC. OF ABOVE	1.00
DWARF GOURAMI —Very pretty.....	1.00
Full Color	1.50
PINK KISSING GOURAMI	2.00
PARADISE —Still a fish of rare beauty and interest .....	.50
SHOW SPEC. OF ABOVE	1.00
WHITE PARADISE —A striking development in the Paradise family, often rare.....	1.50
BETTAS — The Siamese Fighting Fish of both red and blue strains. One of the finest strains developed in the U. S. The color and quality of the fish is the finest obtainable. FEMALES	1.00
SHOW SPEC. MALES	1.50 to 3.00

EGG-LAYERS

AUSTRALIAN RAINBOW	\$1.00
ACARA PORTALEGRENSIS — One of the better known Chosen Cichlids that is much more peaceful than most	1.00
LARGE BREEDERS	2.00
HEMICHROMIS BIMACULATUS — It is commonly called the jewel and at breeding time, its appearance is just that.....	2.00
MEDIUM	1.00
CICHLASOM CONGO —Another very beautiful Cichlid	2.00
MEDIUM	1.00
CICHLASOMA MEEKI —Fire mouth Cichlid	2.00
SCALARE —The Angel Fish, the most popular of all egg layers. Truly one of the most beautiful	1.50
MEDIUM SIZE	2.00
LARGE SIZE	3.50
ROSY BARB — A delightful fish for any aquarium, medium 50c, large.....	1.00
BARBUS SUMATRANUS — A rarer and more colorful Barb that is indeed a beauty	1.00
Large	2.00
STRIPED BARB —(Semifasc.) An excellent community fish .....	.50
Large	1.00
BARBUS OLIGOLEPIS —The checker-board Barb and a real beauty.....	1.00
BLACK RUBY BARB — (Nigro.) A real show fish with a wealth of beautiful colors. Med. \$1.00, large.....	2.00

	Per Pair
ZEBRA DANIO—The life of any aquarium. Appear best in schools of four or more	.50
BREEDERS	1.00
PEARL DANIO—Med. 50c pr., large.....	1.00
GOLDEN DANIO—Med. 50c pr., large.....	1.00
TETRA VON RIO—One of the prettiest of the smaller Tetras.....	1.00
TETRA BUENOS AIRES—A larger Tetra, colorful and flashy .....	.75
SILVER TETRA—A metallic silver covers the entire sides of this active fish..	.50 & 1.00
BLACK TETRA—With a black and silver marked body and fins and a practically in- visible tail, this fish has taken the Hobby.	1.00
NEON TETRA—Easily the most colorful fish on the face of the earth. It actually glit- ters like a neon tube.	3.50
ROSEACUS — Known as the Black Flag Tetra, this outstanding fish is one of the best	3.00
BLOODFINS -	1.50
HEAD & TAILLIGHT—An outstanding mark- ing identifies this community tank fish ____	1.50
PRISTELLA RIDDLEI — One of the few aquarium fish marked in WHITE.....	1.00
WHITE CLOUD MOUNTAIN FISH—one of the newer importations from far off China. A rival of the Neon. Med. \$1.00 pr., large	1.50

SCAVENGERS

One of the most important factors in successful aquarium keeping is having scavengers of the right type and of the right quantity. Too often this fact is neglected and more and more fish are added to an aquarium with no thought given to the extra requirements in keeping the aquarium balanced.

When you order fish, give thought also to the house cleaning needs of your aquariums.

CORYDORAS—A small armoured Catfish
which is a perfect scavenger and will not
bother the tiniest fish or rile the aquarium
water (EACH)

\$1.00 & \$1.50

ACCESSORIES.

Each

Heaters, non submergible, 10-20-30 watt	\$1.50
Heaters, submergible, Pyrex, 25-50-75 watt	2.25
Heaters, submergible, Pyrex, 100 watt	2.50
Thermostats, Simplex, inside adjustment	3.50
Thermostats, Duplex, inside adjustment	5.00
Thermostats, outside adjustment	5.00
Floating Thermometer	.35
Floating Thermometer, tested	.60
Wil-Ness Air Pump	8.95
Marvel Aerator, a very good product	17.50
Marco Aerator, single 25.00, double	35.00
Tubing, per foot	.10
Air release stones, carborundum	.35
Nets-tropical fish,	3".15, 4".25, 6".50
Dip tubes, glass, 14 inch	.50
Dip tubes, plastic, 18 inch	1.00
Glass feeding rings, small .20, medium .25, large	.35
Aquarium Cement, per lb.	.35
Aquarium Sand, white 10 lbs. .25, brown 10 lbs.	.50
Remedy Tablets	.25
Dried Daphnae, Beef Meal, Salmon Egg Meal,	.25
Balanced Diet, mixed fish food, 4 oz. size .50, pt.	1.00
Turtlefood	.10

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CARE OF YOUR ORDER

UPON ARRIVAL:

If fish, it is well to have one or more aquariums ready for the new fish. These should be partly filled with seasoned water (aged water). Taking the fish from the shipping can they should be FLOATED, in jars containing the same water in which they were shipped, in the prepared aquarium. The remaining water in the can should be strained and dumped into the aquarium. When the temperature is the same in both the aquarium and floating jars, the fish may be released into the aquarium. They should be kept in this aquarium several days, away from your other fishes.

A teaspoon of sea salt to each 5 gallons of water makes an effective tonic for the fish if they appear sluggish.

AQUARIUMS

GREEN ENAMELED

Width	Length	Height	Gallons	Price
6"	14"	6"	2	\$2.50
8"	16"	10"	5	4.00
10"	24"	10"	10	7.00

STAINLESS STEEL

Width	Length	Height	Gallons	Price
6"	14"	6"	2	\$2.75
8"	14"	10"	5	5.00
10"	24"	10"	10	9.00

Packing charges of 50 cents each on above listed aquariums.



GALVANEEL AQUARIUMS

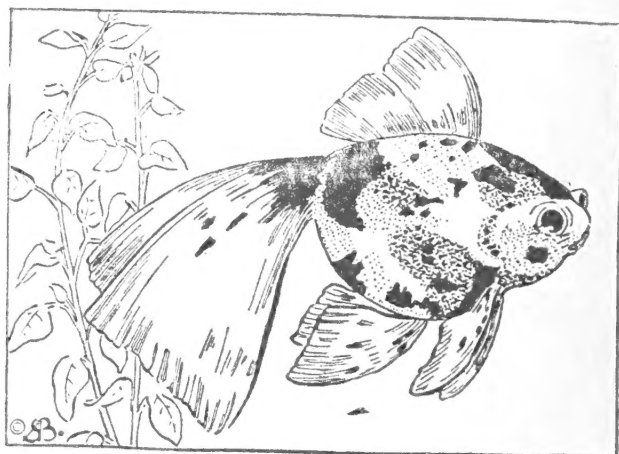
15 Gallon	\$15.00
20 Gallon	20.00

Packing charges of \$ 1.00 each on above listed aquariums.



Reflector lights, aluminum enameled.

2 Gallon size	\$3.75
5 Gallon size	4.00
10 Gallon size	6.50
15 Gallon size	7.50
20 Gallon size	10.00



Telescope Goldfish