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**C. ED SWEENEY**

**NURSERY**

Long Lake, Minnesota



**Your 1953  
Planting Guide**

A Guide to The  
Best Hardy Plants  
And Landscape Services



HENNEPIN COUNTY'S LARGEST NURSERY  
at  
Long Lake, Minnesota



**C. ED SWEENEY**  
Proprietor

## C. ED SWEENEY

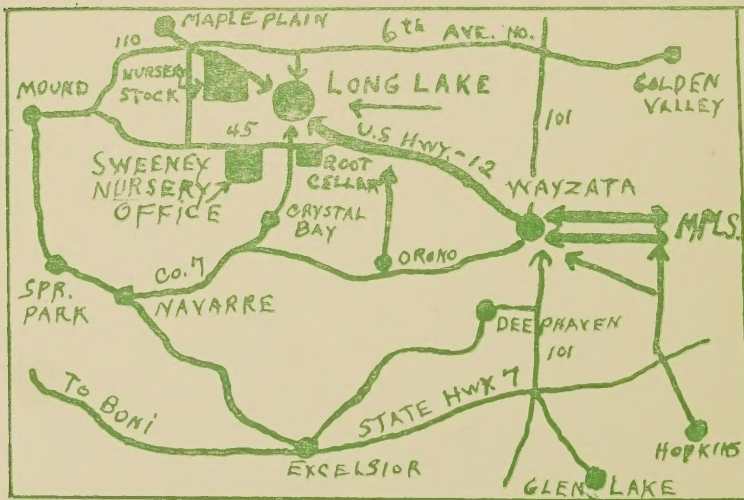
**FOR YOUR LANDSCAPING AND NURSERY STOCK . . .** because C. Ed Sweeney, for the past four years owner and operator of a highly successful landscape and tree service, has now, with the purchase of the stock of **The Daniels Nursery** at Long Lake, also become proprietor of Hennepin County's largest nursery. For years his name has been synonymous with the finest workmanship in all phases of Landscape and Tree Service.

Mr. Sweeney's horticultural career began in 1932 with The Daniels Nursery. After several years in all production and landscape departments he took over the

entire management of their landscape activities — designing and supervising the development of many of the county's show places. In 1948 he set up his own business and today many of his first customers are his best customers, frequently consulting him on the care and further beautification of the finely landscaped grounds that he created for them.

His long experience and record of outstanding landscape developments are assurance for the prospective planter that Mr. Sweeney can give just the right combination of design, stock and workmanship needed for developments of outstanding and lasting beauty.

### To Find C. ED SWEENEY at The Daniels Nursery



In The Lake Minnetonka Area

Hennepin County's Largest Nursery

**WE'RE AT LONG LAKE**  
which is  
12 miles west  
of Minneapolis  
via State Highway No. 45

**MAIN OFFICE**

and

**STORAGE  
CELLAR**

Just So. of Long Lake  
on Co. Highway No. 45

For your  
every nursery and  
landscape need  
**"COME SEE US!"**  
Or

**PHONE US AT  
Long Lake 174  
or 197**

## YOU'LL LIKE DOING BUSINESS WITH THE C. ED SWEENEY NURSERY

We like to feel that we are "different"—at least we've tried to be. We grow only those varieties of plants which we feel will give a full measure of satisfaction to our customers. We endeavor to grow, in so far as we can, all of the nursery stock that we sell. We pride ourselves on the fine stock we produce and are pleased and proud to show it to our customers.

In the field of landscape planting and services we have at all times maintained a high standard of professional work—resulting in developments that have given lasting satisfaction to our clients.

It is our endeavor to have our sales effort just the kind we'd like to have directed towards ourselves—a helpful and accurate presentation of facts and advantages entirely free from "high pressure," misrepresentation or other unpleasant or unethical approach. You will like to do business with us and you will want to "come again."

So we think we're different! If you've had experience with certain other nurseries, or "so-called" nurseries and some of the "foot in the door type" of nursery stock salesmen, you'll really enjoy getting acquainted with us. We've spent many, many years developing our present high standing in the business.



**JOSEPH W. BAKER**  
Office Manager  
and Sales



**CLARENCE KROTZER**  
Landscape Department  
and Sales



**EDWIN H. CRONK**  
Production and  
Packing Manager



**FRANC P. DANIELS, Sr., B.S.A.**

Forty years in one business at one location is a long time—but that has been my pattern of life as founder and proprietor of The Daniels Nursery. As with most fathers, it had been my hope that Franc, Jr. would follow in my footsteps and enable me to gradually taper off in my activities. However, in 1951 he came up with a revolutionary new machine for the mechanical balling of evergreens and other nursery plants. This has been so successful that he must now devote his entire time to its manufacture and sale.

Without his help it seemed best for me to taper off in another manner. So I have sold my nursery stock and leased land and buildings to Mr. C. Ed Sweeney of Long Lake, who will carry on the business. C. Ed is no newcomer to the nursery business. Twenty years ago he started working for us and continued until the fall of 1948, when we helped him to get started in his own business.

So that I can keep an active contact with the business that has been my life work I am staying on with Mr. Sweeney in a consultant and supervisory capacity. I'll be very much on the job here at all times, ready to take care of our customers as I have in the past, but will be relieved of many minor and demanding details of the business.

*Franc P. Daniels*

**LONG LAKE, MINNESOTA**

# Hardy Ornamental Shrubs

Only the 3 smallest sizes are available

	12-18"	18-24"	2-3'	3-4'	4-5'
Almond, Pink Flowering.....	\$2.....	\$.....	\$1.75	\$2.00	\$.....
Arrowwood .....		1.00	1.50		
Barberry, Japanese .....	.75	1.00			
"    Red Leaved .....	1.10	1.50			
Buckthorn, Common .....		.50	.60	1.00	
Buckthorn, Glossy Leaved .....			1.25	1.50	1.75
Caragana, Arborescens .....			.75	1.00	
Cherry, Nanking .....			1.50	2.00	2.50
"    Cistena .....			2.00	2.75	3.25
"    Hansen's Bush .....			1.00	1.25	1.50
Coralberry .....		.75	1.00		
Cotoneaster, Acutifolia .....		.90	1.25	1.75	
Cranberry, Highbush .....		1.00	1.50		
Currant, Alpine (9-12" . . 85c) .....	1.00				
Dogwood, Golden Bark .....			1.25	1.50	2.00
"    Bailyii Red Twigged .....			1.25	1.50	2.00
"    Variegated .....		1.50	2.00		
Elder, Cut Leaved .....			1.25	1.50	
"    Golden .....			1.25	1.50	
Euonymus, Winged Burning Bush .....		2.50			
"    Burning Bush .....		1.00	1.50	2.00	3.00
Haw, Black .....		1.00	1.50		
Honeysuckle, Zabelli .....			1.25	1.50	
"    Morrows .....			1.25	1.50	
"    Tartarian (5-6' . . \$2.50) .....			1.25	1.50	2.00
Hydrangea, Blue Prince (Pots only . . \$2.00).....					
"    Hills of Snow .....	.75	1.25			
"    Pee Gee .....	.75	1.25	1.75		
Ilex, Hardy Holly .....		1.75	2.25		
Juneberry .....		1.00	1.50		
Lilac, Common Purple .....		.75	1.50	1.75	
"    Common White .....		.75	1.50	1.75	
"    Rothomagensis .....		.85	1.50	1.75	
"    Villosa .....				1.75	
"    French Hybrids .....			2.50	3.50	4.50
Maple, Ginnala .....		1.00	1.50	1.75	
Mock Orange, Coronarius .....		.75	1.25	1.50	
"    Grandiflora .....		.75	1.25	1.50	
"    Lemoine .....			1.25	1.75	
"    Minn. Snowflake .....		1.25	1.50	2.00	
"    Virginal .....		1.25	1.50	2.00	
Olive, Russian .....		.75	1.00	1.25	
Plum, Double Flowering .....			2.00	2.50	3.00
"    Newport .....				2.75	3.25
Potentilla, Gold Drop .....	1.10				
Snowberry, White .....		.75	1.00		
Spiraea, Anthony Waterer .....	1.00				
"    Arguta .....		.85	1.25		
"    Ash Leaved .....		.85	1.25		
"    Billardi .....			1.00	1.25	
"    Bridal Wreath (V. H.) .....		.75	1.00	1.25	
"    Froebeli .....	.60	1.00	1.25		
"    Gold Leaved .....			1.50		
"    Ninebark .....		.75	1.25		
"    Dwarf Ninebark .....			1.25		
Tamarix .....				2.00	
Wayfaring Tree .....		1.00	1.50		
Weigelia, Bristol Ruby .....			1.25	1.50	

## BEAUTIFUL ROSES

The Queen of All Flowers

### Hybrid Teas and Perpetuals

2 Year No. 1, \$1.50 except as noted

#### RED

- CHRYSLER IMPERIAL** (Pat.)—Free blooming. Vivid Crimson-red. \$2.25.  
**E. G. HILL**—Fragrant. Large deep velvety Maroon.  
**HADLEY**—Rich red shading to velvety purple.  
**MIRANDY** (Pat.)—Rich dark red. \$2.00.  
**NIGHT**—Very dark red to almost black.  
**RED RADIANCE**—Fragrant. Rosy red.

#### PINK

- K. T. MARSHALL** (Pat.)—Glowing pink. Fragrant. \$1.75.  
**PINK RADIANCE**—Fragrant. Large rose pink.  
**THE DOCTOR**—Fragrant. Silvery pink.

#### YELLOW

- JOANNA HILL**—Fragrant. Golden yellow.  
**LOWELL THOMAS** (Pat.)—Very double. Canary yellow. \$2.00  
**McGREDY'S YELLOW**—Bright buttercup yellow, glossy.  
**PEACE** (Pat.)—Canary yellow to cream. \$2.50.

#### WHITE

- F. K. DRUSCHKI**—Large, pure white.  
**K. A. VICTORIA**—Double, pure white.  
**SLEIGH BELLS** (Pat.)—White, fragrant. \$2.00.

#### TWO TONE

- CONDESSA DE SASTAGO**—Coppery pink to golden.  
**TALISMAN**—Yellow with red and copper stain.  
**TALLYHO** (Pat.)—Pink to rich crimson. \$2.00



### Rugosa Hybrid Roses

18-24" . . . \$1.50      2-3 ft. . . . \$2.00

- AGNES**—Fragrant yellow.  
**F. J. GROOTENDORST ROSE**—Bright red flowers in clusters.  
**GROOTENDORST PINK** — Pink flowers in clusters.  
**HANSA ROSE**—Large, deep red.  
**POITEVINE ROSE**—Bright pink in clusters.  
**SIR THOS. LIPTON ROSE** — Large snowy white.

### Bush Roses

- BLANDA**—Pink Clusters.  
 18-24 in., \$1.00 ea; 2-3 ft., \$1.25 ea.  
**HARRISON'S YELLOW**—Golden yellow.  
 2-3 ft., \$2.00 each.  
**HUGONIS**—Yellow, profuse bloomer.  
 2-3 ft., \$2.00 each.  
 2 yr. No. 1., \$1.50 each except as noted.

### Floribunda Roses

- 2 yr. No. 1 \$1.50 ea. except as noted  
**FASHION** (Pat)—Coral,  
**LAFAYETTE IMPROVED**—Large, bright cherry-crimson, \$1.50.  
**MA PERKINS** (Pat)—Fragrant. Red suffused with yellow, aging to pink, \$2.25.  
**SUMMER SNOW** (Pat)—White large clusters, \$1.50.

### HEDGING SHRUBS

Transplanted Stock — Prices per 100  
 Only the three smallest sizes are available.

	12-18"	18-24"	2-3'	3-4'
Barberry, Japanese	\$40.00	\$50.00	\$	\$
Buckthorn	30.00	35.00	45.00	50.00
Caragana		25.00	30.00	
Cherry, Hansen Bush			50.00	60.00
Cotoneaster			65.00	
Spirea—				
Anthony Waterer	55.00			
Bridal Wreath			60.00	
Dwarf Ninebark			90.00	

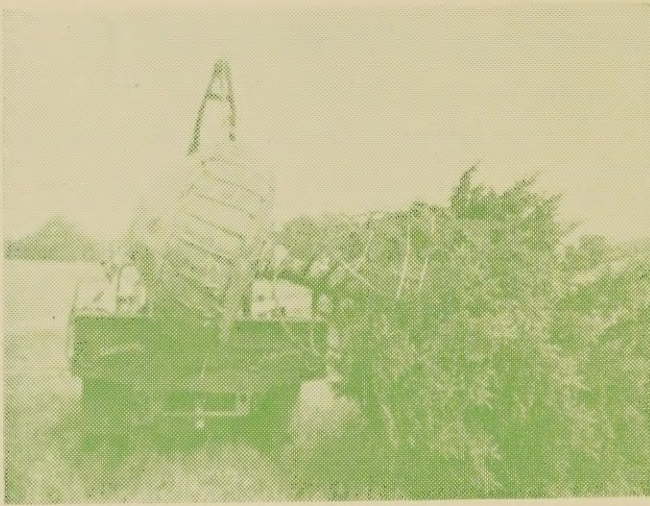
### Climbing Roses

2 Year No. 1, \$1.50 each.

- BLAZE**—Searlet crimson.  
**DOROTHY PERKINS**—Shell pink clusters.  
**Dr. VAN FLEET**—Flesh pink. Long stems.  
**EXCELSA**—Intense scarlet clusters.  
**GARDENIA**—Creamy yellow flowers.

### HARDY VINES

	2 Yr.	3 Yr.
Bittersweet	\$1.00	\$1.25
Clematis, Henryi (Pots)	1.75	
" Jackmani (Pots)	1.75	
" Mme. Andre (Pots)	1.75	
" Paniculata	1.75	2.00
Grape, Beta	.50	1.00
Honeysuckle, Scarlet Trumpet	1.00	1.25
Honeysuckle, Gold Flame	1.25	1.50
Ivy, Boston	1.25	1.50
" Englemans	1.00	1.25
" Virginia Creeper	1.00	1.25



**LARGE  
TREES  
FOR  
IMMEDIATE  
EFFECT**

YOU can save up to a generation of growing time by planting large trees—both evergreens and shade trees.

After carefully studying the various types of tree moving equipment in general use we decided that none of them were quite what we wanted and that we should build our own. By combining the best features of these older styles with our own ideas of needed improvements, we designed and built a tree mover which we consider the most efficient and versatile piece of equipment available in this area for moving large trees.

Because of the super-size ball of earth and roots that our machine can handle we can move very large trees with a maximum safety factor. In shade trees we can move trees up to 10 inches in diameter and evergreens of 22 feet or more in height with a minimum of transplanting set back.

We have available a wide assortment of "Immediate Effect" trees and can furnish you with just the tree or trees you need to complete your landscape picture.

MAY WE HAVE AN APPOINTMENT TO DISCUSS YOUR "LARGE TREE" REQUIREMENTS WITH YOU?

**SHADE TREES**

(Thru 8-10' measured in height. Larger sizes measured in diameter 1 ft. above ground.)

	3-4'	4-5'	5-6'	6-8'	8-10'	11-12"	1 1/2-2"	2-2 1/2"	2 1/2-3"	3-3 1/2"
Ash, Green .....	\$ .....	\$ .....	\$ .....	\$2.00	\$4.50	\$5.50	\$7.00	\$ .....	\$ .....	\$ .....
Basswood .....	.....	.....	.....	4.00	5.50	7.25	9.00	.....	.....	.....
Birch, White .....	.....	.....	2.25	3.50	4.50	5.50	7.50	.....	.....	.....
Birch, C. L. Weeping .....	.....	.....	4.50	6.00	7.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Crab, Bechtel's (2-3' - \$2.00).....	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Crab, Hopa and Red Silver.....	2.00	2.50	3.00	4.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Elm .....	.....	.....	1.50	2.00	4.50	5.50	7.00	9.00	13.50	18.00
Hackberry .....	.....	.....	.....	2.00	4.50	5.50	7.00	9.00	13.50	18.00
Hawthorne .....	.....	.....	3.50	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Horse Chestnut .....	.....	.....	3.50	4.50	.....	6.50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Maple, Crimson King .....	.....	.....	6.00	7.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Maple, Schwedlers .....	.....	.....	5.00	6.50	8.50	11.00	16.00	21.00	.....	.....
Maple, Silver .....	.....	.....	1.50	2.00	4.50	5.50	7.00	9.00	13.50	18.00
Maple, Sugar .....	.....	.....	3.75	4.75	6.50	9.50	14.00	.....	.....	.....
Mountain Ash .....	.....	.....	3.00	3.50	5.00	6.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Poplar, Bolleana .....	.....	1.25	1.75	2.25	3.00	4.00	5.00	.....	.....	.....
Poplar, Lombardy and Norway.....	.....	.75	1.00	1.50	2.00	2.50	3.00	4.00	.....	.....
Walnut, Black .....	.....	.....	2.00	3.00	4.00	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Willow, Golden .....	.....	.....	1.00	1.75	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Willow, Laurel Leaved .....	.....	.....	1.00	1.75	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Willow, Niobe .....	.....	.....	1.75	2.75	4.00	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....



# BEAUTIFUL EVERGREENS

(Spreading Evergreens are measured in width. Upright types in height)

	15-18"	18-24"	24-30"	30-36"	3-4'	4-5'	5-6'	6-7'	7-8'
<b>THE ARBORVITAE</b>									
American .....	\$ .....	\$ .....	\$ 4.50	\$ 5.50	\$ 8.00	\$12.00	\$17.00	\$22.00	\$30.00
Globe .....	5.50	6.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pyramidal .....	.....	4.00	5.00	6.50	9.00	14.00	19.00	24.00	35.00
Siberian .....	5.50	6.50	8.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
<b>THE FIRS</b>									
Balsam .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.50	12.50	16.00	22.00	30.00
Douglas .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00	15.00	20.00	27.50	.....
<b>THE JUNIPERS</b>									
Andorra .....	5.50	7.00	8.50	11.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Canadian .....	5.50	7.00	8.50	11.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Golden Canadian .....	5.50	7.00	8.50	11.00	15.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pfitzer .....	5.50	7.00	8.50	11.00	15.00	20.00	.....	.....	.....
Red Cedar .....	.....	4.00	5.00	6.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sabina Horizontalis .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15.00	20.00	.....	.....	.....
Savin .....	5.50	7.00	8.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grafted Junipers—Upright .....	.....	6.50	7.75	9.00	12.25	16.00	.....	.....	.....
<b>THE PINES</b>									
Austrian .....	.....	.....	6.00	7.50	10.00	15.00	20.00	.....	.....
Mugho .....	6.50	8.00	10.00	12.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Norway .....	.....	.....	6.00	7.50	10.00	15.00	20.00	.....	.....
Ponderosa .....	.....	.....	6.00	7.50	10.00	15.00	20.00	27.50	35.00
Scotch .....	.....	.....	6.00	7.50	10.00	15.00	20.00	.....	.....
White .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00	15.00	.....	.....	.....
<b>THE SPRUCE</b>									
Black Hills .....	.....	.....	6.00	8.00	10.00	15.00	20.00	27.50	35.00
Colorado Green .....	.....	.....	6.00	8.00	10.00	15.00	20.00	27.50	35.00
Colorado Blue .....	.....	.....	9.00	11.00	14.00	18.50	27.50	35.00	42.50
Norway .....	.....	.....	5.00	7.00	9.00	15.00	20.00	27.50	.....
<b>THE YEW</b>									
Taxus, Spreading .....	.....	12.00	15.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Taxus, Upright .....	.....	12.00	15.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

## Evergreen and Shade Tree "Seconds"

At reductions of 1/4 to 1/2

### Seconds . . . That Should Come First In Your Consideration

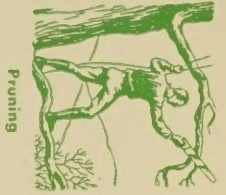


We have many, many thousands of fine evergreens and shade trees in our nursery. Every year we find that a certain small percentage of these trees do not measure up to the high standard of our "Number One" trees.

These we call "Seconds" because for some reason they did not develop as perfectly as most of their block, and because they show a slight crookedness, lack of branch balance, or other minor imperfection. As far as vim, vigor and vitality and their ability to make satisfactory growth are concerned they are just as good as our Number One trees. There is nothing inherently wrong with them and they usually grow into perfect trees after a season or two of corrective care.

You'll be delighted with them and what their price tag says.

We offer these trees at reductions of from 1/4 to 1/2 of their regular price. (Altho these trees have the same vigor and ability to grow as our Number One trees, their low price does not permit us to give them our usual guarantee.)



**COMPLETE  
TREE SERVICE**

- PRUNING
- CABLING
- SURGERY
- FERTILIZING
- TREE REMOVAL
- CHAIN SAWING

**Capable, Experienced  
Technically Trained  
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At Your Service**



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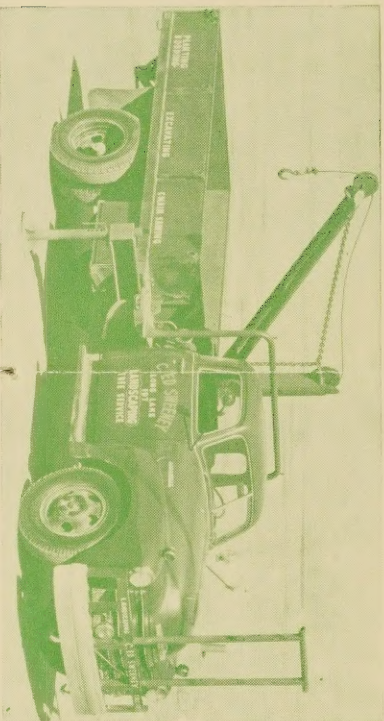
**THE BEST OF EVERYTHING**

**It**

**LANDSCAPE SERVICE AND MATERIALS**

**COMPLETE SERVICE**

FROM EXCAVATING YOUR BASEMENT THRU TILL THE  
LAST SHRUB AND BLADE OF GRASS IS IN PLACE



Most Efficient Large Tree and Stump Moving Equipment

**SOME OTHER SWEENEY SUPER SERVICES**

- Excavating - Grading - Dirt - and Fill
- Sodding - Seeding - Design - and Planting
- Stone Walls - Steps - Walks and Patios
- Driveway Materials and Installation - Storm Drains
- Rustic and Ranch Fences

**AND Everything that contributes to a more ATTRACTIVE  
AND MORE LIVABLE HOME GROUNDS**

**"C" ED SWEENEY for Your Every Landscape Need.**

**Phone: LONG LAKE 174 or 197**



**We Specialize In  
Field Grown  
Nursery Stock  
Direct from the Field  
to YOU**

- EVERGREENS
- SHADE TREES
- ORNAMENTAL SHRUBS
- FRUIT PLANTS
- PERENNIAL AND ANNUAL  
FLOWERS

**We Design and Plant  
By Plan**





## HARDY PERENNIALS

Alyssum—Basket of Gold  
 Anchusa—Dwarf  
 Anemone—Pasque Flower  
 Aquilegia—Hybrids  
 Artemisia—Silver King  
 Astilbe  
 Baptisia—False Indigo  
 Bleeding Heart—Dwarf  
 Bleeding Heart  
 Campanula—Harebell  
 Campanula Persicifolia  
 Centaurea Montana  
 Cerastium Tomentosum  
 Chrysanthemums—Hardy  
 Coreopsis  
 Delphinium—Hybrids  
 Dianthus—Carnation  
 Dianthus—Clove Pink  
 Dictamnus—Gas Plant  
 Fall Asters—In variety  
 Ferns—Hardy  
 Flax—Perennial Blue  
 Forget-Me-Not  
 Funkia—Dwarf  
 Funkia—Large White  
 Gaillardia  
 Gypsophila—Bristol Fairy  
 Gypsophila—Dwarf  
 Hemerocallis—Day Lilly  
 Heuchera—Coral Bell  
 Iberis—Candy Tuft  
 Iris—In variety  
 Liatris—Blazing Star  
 Lily of the Valley  
 Lily—Regale  
 Lily—Coral  
 Lychnis—Maltese Cross  
 Lythrum—Mordens Pink  
 Monarda—Bee Balm  
 Oenothera—Eve. Primrose  
 Penstemon Barbatus  
 Peony—In variety  
 Phlox—Dwarf  
 Phlox—Fall  
 Physostegia Virginica  
 Platycodon—Balloon Flower  
 Polemonium—Jacobs Ladder  
 Poppy—Oriental  
 Pyrethrum—Painted Daisy  
 Ranunculus—Up. Buttercup  
 Ranunculus—Creep. Buttercup  
 Rudbeckia Purpurea  
 Saponaria—Soapwort  
 Scabiosa Caucasia  
 Spirea Filipendula  
 Statice—Sea Lavender  
 Trollius—Globe Flower  
 Vinca Minor—Periwinkle



## ANNUALS

### FOR ADDED COLOR IN YOUR PERENNIAL FLOWER GARDEN

In addition to our complete assortment of hardy, out-door-wintering perennials and other plants, we are prepared to supply you with a complete line of the better varieties of annuals.

For continuous bloom and added life and color you'll find our sturdy annual flowering plants just what you need.

And for the vegetable garden we'll have the top varieties of Tomatoes, Cabbage, Peppers and other vegetable plants to furnish you with summer and fall budget saving products.

## Headquarters for Quantity And Quality in Perennials

### WE OFFER YOU:

.....A wide selection of hardy, field grown and potted perennials that will give you the quick effectiveness that you want in your garden.

.....Potted plants for your convenience, large hardy plants—with no transplanting shock—and you get ALL the roots.

.....The benefit of Mr. Sweeney's long and wide experience in developing outstanding perennial gardens. Correct design of a flower bed is an art in itself—an art that combines a wide knowledge of the plants themselves together with a thorough understanding of color harmonies, season of bloom, heights and other factors that make up the component parts of a truly beautiful garden that will blend into and enhance your entire landscape development.

.....Our carefully selected and blended ingredients are mixed to make the finest of potting soils. This means that you are assured of a better plant and a root development that will keep it a better plant.

**MR. SWEENEY'S LONG EXPERIENCE IN DESIGNING OUTSTANDING GARDENS ON SHOW PLACES IN THE MINNETONKA AREA IS PROOF POSITIVE THAT HE CAN BRING TO YOUR HOME GROUNDS JUST THE "DREAM GARDEN" THAT YOU HAVE LONGED FOR.**

**WHY NOT LET MR. SWEENEY PERSONALLY DESIGN AND LAY OUT YOUR OWN FLOWER GARDEN?**

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### FENCES

We are prepared to install attractive and durable fences of a wide range of types

May we help you with your fencing problems?

## HARDY APPLES



We feel that we know apples from every standpoint. Not only have we had extensive experience in the propagating and growing of the young trees, but we have also had many years of experience in commercial apple orchard production and marketing. We can give you invaluable assistance in the selection of your varieties, whether your needs are one or one hundred.

Of the many varieties grown in Minnesota and adjacent territory we have narrowed our list to those we feel are the outstanding ones for this territory. May we have the pleasure of assisting you in your selection?

### APPLE PRICES

Extra Large — 5-7 ft.....\$1.50 Each

Large — 5-6 ft. .... 1.25 Each

See "Vest Pocket Orchard" Apples on Next Page

### APPLE VARIETIES

- |               |                  |                 |
|---------------|------------------|-----------------|
| ↳ Beacon      | ↳ McIntosh       | ↳ Redwell       |
| ↳ Red Duchess | ↳ Minjon         | ↳ Victory       |
| ↳ Erickson    | ↳ Minn. No. 790  | ↳ Wealthy       |
| ↳ Fireside    | ↳ N. W. Greening | ↳ Chestnut Crab |
| ↳ Haralson    | ↳ Prairie Spy    | ↳ Dolgo Crab    |
| ↳ Lakeland    |                  | ↳ Whitney Crab  |

## "CAN'T WAITERS"

### For the Man who's in a hurry and Can't Wait!

Are you in a hurry to have your trees bear? If so, the C. Ed. Sweeney Nursery offers you the "Can't Waiter" Fruit Trees. These trees are developed by taking the regular planting size trees and transplanting them to grow on for three, four or more years.

With this additional growing time the trees gain greatly in productive maturity, in caliper, in height, and in branch and root development. Many of them have already born fruit right in the nursery row. With the transplanting and extra care we have given them they transplant as successfully and as safely as do younger trees.

Our "Can't Waiters" are available in practically all the varieties we list elsewhere in the regular sizes. They are priced at only \$3.00 to \$10.00 each, with a few in larger sizes.

For those who are really in a hurry, we suggest that the "Can't Waiters" be balled and burlapped—just like an evergreen. This is well worth the slight additional cost as transplanting shock is reduced to a minimum and you get a producing tree much sooner.

### DO YOU WANT TO DIG YOUR OWN "CAN'T WAITERS"? APPLES, PEARS, PLUM AND CHERRIES

For those who want to have the fun of selecting and digging their own "Can't Waiters" we've got a real deal! YOU CAN DIG YOUR OWN — YOUR PICK OF THE FIELDS — FOR ONLY \$5.00 EACH. Be sure to bring your own spades, and burlap or other adequate material for protecting the roots from drying out until you get them home. They should be dug early in the spring—before they start to leaf out — or late in the fall when dormant. Naturally, there is no guarantee on these self-dug trees.

## QUALITY PLUMS



Big as Hen's Eggs. Tree ripened quality right in your own yard!

Yes, large delicious plums for canning and eating fresh are now a reality in Minnesota. The recent developments of Government Experimental stations have given us varieties that bear a high quality fruit. By selecting early, medium and late varieties you can extend your enjoyment of the fresh fruit up to eight weeks. Let us help you in this selection.

We know you'll like the following list of plums.

PLUM PRICES		Each
Extra Large (Bearing age) .....		\$1.65
Large .....		1.50

### PLUM VARIETIES

Ember	Pipestone	Underwood
Monitor	Superior	Toka (Pol.)

## HARDY PEARS

Pears are almost a must in your fruit tree planting. We list the three Minnesota pears which we consider best. The Bantam, Parker and Patten fill out the season nicely from early to late. They give you fine quality fruit that compares favorably with "shipped in" fruit. You will find them as easy to grow as apples and just as safe in adapted sections. Bantam bears at a younger age than the others.

PEAR PRICES		Each
Extra Large .....		\$1.85

### VARIETIES

↳ Bantam	- Parker	↳ Patten
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## HARDY CHERRIES

Your fruit planting is not complete without Sweeney's Cherry Trees. With an assortment of these trees you can have finest of cherries for eating and for canning. These hardy varieties are prolific bearers of large, delicious fruit.

CHERRY PRICES		Each
Bearing Age .....		\$1.65
Large .....		1.50

### CHERRY VARIETIES

↳ Opata	↳ Oka	↳ Sapa	↳ Compass
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## "VEST POCKET ORCHARD" APPLE TREES HARDY NORTHERN GROWN — EARLY BEARING THREE TO EIGHT VARIETIES ON ONE TREE

Limited space? The "Vest Pocket Orchard" apple tree is the answer to your problem. These trees are far more than a novelty! They are a completely practical method of growing several varieties of apples on one tree. By a careful, precise process of grafting, we have developed trees which will bear three to eight varieties each. We have used only the best varieties such as Beacon, Minjon, Fireside, Wealthy, Dolgo, Prairie Spy and Daniels Red Duchess. Besides the completely practical side of these trees, you'll have a lot of fun with them. Supply is limited. Order early!

## SMALL FRUITS AND GRAPES

We furnish only the best in fruit plants. Don't be satisfied with less. The quality of the plants you buy will determine the quality and quantity of the fruit you harvest. There is no compromise.



### FOR THE TINY SPOT

How'd you like a real strawberry garden in a 6-ft. space? Our new "STRAWBERRY PYRAMIDS" accommodate 50 to 75 plants . . . and do they produce!

5 ft. diam.—4 bands.....\$7.95  
6 ft. diam.—5 bands.....\$9.50

### RED RASPBERRIES

> Latham	12	25	50	100
No. 1, Heavy.....	\$2.45	\$4.50	\$ 8.50	\$14.00
Extra Select .....	3.00	5.25	10.00	18.00
> Indian Summer (Evb.)				
Extra Select .....	3.00	5.25	10.00	18.00

### BLACK RASPBERRIES

> Cumberland				
No. 1 Transplants	2.45	4.50	8.50	14.00

### BLACKBERRIES

> Alfred				
No. 1 R. C.....	2.45	4.50	8.50	14.00

### STRAWBERRIES

JUNEBEARING	25	50	100	250
> Dunlap .....	\$.95	\$1.55	\$ 2.50	\$ 5.00
> Premier .....	1.10	1.80	2.90	6.00
EVERBEARING				
> Gem .....	1.80	3.00	4.75	9.50
> Red Rich .....	5.00	8.50	15.00	.....

### GRAPES

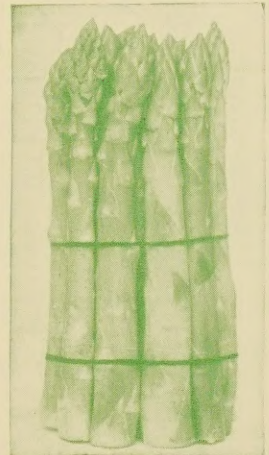
	1-4	5-9	10-up
	each	each	each
> Beta, 2 year .....	\$.50	\$ .45	\$ .40
> Concord, 2 year.....	.50	.45	.40
> Niagara .....	.50	.45	.40
> Blue Jay (Minn. No. 69), 2 year.....	1.00	.95	.90
> Moonbeam (Minn. No. 66), 2 year.....	1.00	.95	.90
> Red Amber (Minn. No. 45), 2 year.....	1.00	.95	.90

### CURRANTS

	1-4	5-9	10-24	25-up
	each	each	each	each
> Red Lake				
2 year .....	.60	.50	.40	.35
3 year .....	.70	.60	.55	.45

### GOOSEBERRIES

> Pixwell			
2 year .....	.90	.80	.70



## PERENNIAL VEGETABLES

<b>ASPARAGUS</b> —Mary Washington				
Washington	12	25	50	100
2 year .....	\$1.25	\$1.95	\$3.00	\$4.75

<b>RHUBARB</b> (No. 1 Divisions)				
Chipmans	1	2	5	10
Canada Red .....	\$1.00	\$1.90	\$4.50	\$7.50
McDonald .....	.75	1.45	3.50	6.00

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## Planting Service

We invite those who wish to have their stock planted to avail themselves of the services of our skilled horticulturists. We can furnish these expert workmen in the Twin City area at the following rates: Evergreens at 40 percent of the cost of the stock, and other stock at 60 percent of the cost of the stock, except hedges which will be planted at 35 cents per foot. For the clients' protection our workmen are fully covered by Workmen's Compensation Insurance.

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