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Entrance to Merry Gardens

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WE WELCOME YOU TO VISIT US

Open Weekdays 7 A. M. to 6 P. M.

This List cancels all other lists

FOREWORD

Again we greet our friends and customers far and near. To all of you we extend our warm thanks for your interest and patronage of Merry Gardens. It has been fun raising the thousands of plants we have shipped to all corners of our country and beyond its borders. The pleasure we have had collecting different varieties of rare plants is equalled only by the gratifying response from our customers, and by letters, ideas and suggestions exchanged.

A rare and unusual plant can make a friend, and when you multiply it by many hundreds we feel we have chosen well in concentrating on this type of mail order business, with no side lines except our fine perennials in their season.

We aim not to have the largest collection of any special plant, but the finest varieties of each. You will note some new varieties each year, and in this catalogue many listed in 1952 are again back in stock.

You will find our plant prices reasonable, with no extra charge incorporated for postage. The latter is entirely separate, and that depends upon the U. S. Postal rates.

We personally fill each order, selecting the finest plants and seeing that they are packed carefully so that they will reach you safely.

The Garden Books and Hanging Baskets are again handled by Dorothy Kent of Camden, Maine.

Here's wishing you all a happy growing year, and hoping Merry Gardens will have the pleasure of visits from many of you.

Ervin and Ellen Ross

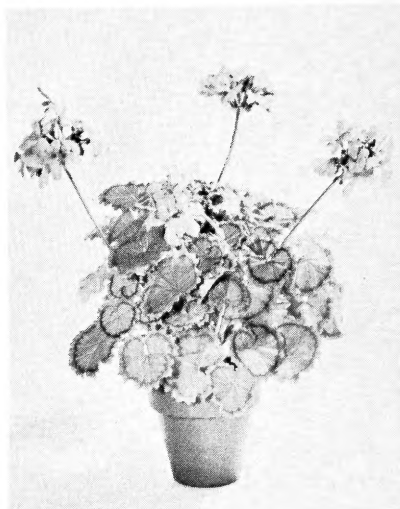


We welcome you from our begonia greenhouse

FANCYLEAF GERANIUMS

Varieties With Green and White Foliage

BECKWITH PRIDE —Leaves mottled. Blooms large double salmon red. . . . .	.50
FLOWERS OF SPRING or MARY ANN —Variegated. Single red blooms. . . . .	.35
HILLS OF SNOW —Narrow white edge. Double light pink blooms. . . . .	.50
MADAME SALLERON —Dwarf variegated. Does not bloom. . . . .	.35
MADAME SALLERON UPRIGHT —Larger form of above. Small pink blooms. . . . .	.35
MT. OF SNOW —Wide pure white border. Single scarlet blooms. . . . .	.50
MRS. PARKER —Leaf as above. Blooms double light pink. Choice. . . . .	.75
SILVER S. A. NUTT —Leaf irregularly variegated. Double dark red blooms. . . . .	.50
WILHELM LANGGUTH —Double rose-red flowers. Popular variegated type. . . . .	.50
SILVER RUBY —Leaf like Hills of Snow . Flowers double rose-red. . . . .	.50



Distinction

Bronze and Yellow Leaved Varieties

ALPHA —Dwarf, golden, red-ringed leaves. Abundant single red blooms. . . . .	.50
BRONZE BEAUTY NO. 1. —Golden leaf with red ring. Single pink blooms. . . . .	.50
BRONZE BEAUTY NO. 2. —Wide rust-colored zone. Single red blooms. . . . .	.50
CLOTH OF GOLD —Pure gold leaf. Flowers single bright pink. . . . .	.35
CRYSTAL PALACE GEM —As above with light green irregular center. . . . .	.35
DISTINCTION —Bright green leaf with narrow black ring. Scarlet blooms. . . . .	.35
DWARF GOLD LEAF —Gold leaf with scalloped edge. Single red blooms.	1.00
JUBILEE —Wide chocolate zone on gold leaf. Blooms single salmon. . . . .	.50
MARECHAL MACMAHON —Zone not as dark as above. Flowers scarlet. . . . .	.50
VERONA —Like Cloth of Gold . Flowers light pink. . . . .	.35

Tricolor Varieties

HAPPY THOUGHT —Edge green, center yellow with brown zone. Single red. . . . .	.50
HAPPY THOUGHT RINK —As above. Flowers light pink. Choice. . . . .	.75
LADY CULLEN —Yellow edge, green center, zone brown and red. . . . .	.75
MISS BURDETT COURTS —White edge, pink, red and brown center. Nice.	1.00
MRS. COX —Yellow edge, zone pink, red and brown. Flowers salmon.	2.00
MRS. POLLOCK —Golden leaf with wide red, orange and brown zone. . . . .	.75
MRS. POLLOCK DOUBLE —As above. Flowers are small double scarlet.	1.00
SKIES OF ITALY —Golden yellow edge. Green, brown and red center. . . . .	.50

ODD GERANIUMS

ASCETOSUM —Small succulent grey leaves. Fluffy salmon pink blooms. . . . .	.35
ECHINATUM (The Sweetheart Geranium)—Thick thorny stem. Grey leaves. . . . .	.50
DOUBLE NEW LIFE (Stars and Stripes or Flag of Denmark)—Red and white. . . . .	.50
GIBBOSUM —Grey cut leaves. Small yellow blooms on climbing stems. . . . .	.50
GLAUCIFOLIUM —Large ruffled cut leaves. Night-scented maroon flowers.	2.00
JEANNE (Sweet William)—Blooms pink with notched edge. Leaves ivy-like. . . . .	.35
Mme. THIBAUT —Like Jeanne . Flowers white to soft pink. . . . .	.35
MORNING STAR —About the same as Noel , but a lovely soft salmon.	1.50
NEW LIFE —Compact single red, flecked white. Phlox type blooms on same plant. . . . .	.50
NOEL —Like Poinsetta . Blooms showy pure white. . . . .	.35
POINSETTIA —Scarlet blooms with rolled and twisted petals. . . . .	.35
PINK POINSETTIA —Pink form of the above. . . . .	.50
STAPELTONI —Leaves small, grey, velvety. Lovely pink, purple spotted blooms.	1.00
SOUTHERN CROSS —Like Poinsetta . Color is a showy salmon-coral.	1.00
TETRAGONUM —Climbing. Succulent leaf and stem. Blooms rose and white. . . . .	.35

Pansy Geraniums (Pelargoniums)

EASTER GREETING —Large red and black throated variety.	.75
EARLIANA —Small white and purple flowers.	.50
MRS. LAYAL —Similar to Earliana but with more white.	.50
SPRINGTIME —Large white with pink center.	1.00

Rosebud Geraniums

APPLE BLOSSOM ROSEBUD —Rose-like, white with pink edge; beautiful.	.35
PINK ROSEBUD —Blooms rose pink. Silver pink outside.	.35
RED ROSEBUD —Blooms bright scarlet. Free blooming.	.50
ROSETTE (Magenta or Crimson Rosebud) —Wine colored flowers.	.35

DWARF GERANIUMS

BLACK VESUVIUS —Small dark leaves. Large single orange blooms.	1.50
KLEINER LIEBLING (Little Darling) —Green leaved. Blooms freely single pink.	.35
Mme. FOURNIER —Small dark leaves. Blooms single scarlet.	.50
PIXIE —Like Black Vesuvius . Blooms salmon pink. Choice.	1.00
PIGMY —Smallest geranium. Small double scarlet blooms in profusion.	.50

NEW CARLTON DWARFS

True miniatures. Superior in vigor of growth as well as quality of blooms. Foliage, unless otherwise stated, is dark brownish black.

Varieties with Single Blooms

ANTARES —Bright scarlet.	1.00
ALCYONE —Tangerine pink.	1.00
ALDEBARAN —Clear salmon.	1.00
EPSILON —Pink phlox eye. Green leaves.	1.00
MILKY WAY —White. Green foliage.	1.00
POLARIS —White with pink tints. Light green foliage.	1.00
RED COMET —Scarlet narrow petals.	1.50
SALMON COMET —Deep salmon as above.	1.50
SCARLET O'HARA —Large brilliant red.	1.50
SIRIUS —Salmon phlox-eye	1.00

Varieties with Double Blooms

ARCTURUS —Vivid bright red.	2.00
ALTAIR —Rose red.	2.00
CAPELLA —Deep pink.	2.00
KIFFA —White with pink center.	2.00
MEROPE —Darkest red.	2.00
METEOR —Brilliant red.	2.00
JUPITER —Lovely cherry red.	2.00
ROSY DAWN —Large orange pink.	2.00
SHERATAN —Raspberry rose.	2.00
SATURN —Large dark red.	2.00
TALITHE —Soft salmon orange.	2.00
VENUS —Flesh pink.	2.00
VEGA —Fiery red. Green leaf.	2.00

IVY GERANIUMS

SUNSET IVY GERANIUM

Unusually lovely variegated green and white leaf which tints pink when grown dry or in bright sun. Flowers are large single white tinted lavender. .75



BRIDESMAID —Double, soft orchid pink, very large flowers.	.50
CESAR FRANCK —Double rose pink.	.35
COMTESSE DE GREY —Semi-double light pink.	.35
CLIFF HOUSE —Double soft lavender-pink.	.50
GALILEE —Double medium pink.	.35
INTENSITY —Semi-double scarlet.	.35
JOSEPH WARREN —Double violet purple.	.50
LEOPARD —Double lavender pink with crimson spots.	.35
MEXICAN BEAUTY —Semi-double, rich velvet red.	.50
Mme. MARGOT —Large green and white leaf. Single pink blooms.	.50
RED CAMELLIA —Very double dark red.	.50
SALMON ENCHANTRESS —Double salmon pink with rose stripe.	.50
SNOWDRIFT —Double white, sometimes tint of pink.	.35
THE DUCHESS —Semi-double. White with cherry red markings.	.50

THE BEST DOUBLE BLOOMING GERANIUMS

Orange Shades

IRMA —Salmon orange. Ivy-like foliage. . . . .	.35
LULLABY —A beautiful large salmon apricot. . . . .	.50
PRINCE OF ORANGE —Best bright salmon orange. . . . .	.35

Red Shades

ALL AGLOW —Scarlet with white center. Previously listed as Dryden. . . . .	.50
AMERICAN BEAUTY —Large crimson rose. . . . .	.25
BETTER TIMES —Crimson red. . . . .	.35
BARNEY —A free blooming dwarf dark red. . . . .	.50
DRYDEN —Red, blending to white. Extra fine. . . . .	.50
GALLANT —Our highest recommended salmon red <i>Ricard</i> type. . . . .	.35
LADY JANE —Scarlet. Similar to Better Times. . . . .	.35
MARQUIS de MONTMART (The Blue Geranium) —Rosy purple. . . . .	.35
OLYMPIC —A nice large dwarf salmon red. . . . .	.50
PRIDE OF CAMDEN —Best dark red. S. A. Nutt type. . . . .	.35
RAIDO RED —Free blooming best dark red. . . . .	.35
RADIANCE —Beautiful salmon red with white center. . . . .	.50
S. A. NUTT —Old favorite dark red. . . . .	.35
SENSATION —Scarlet. Low bushy. . . . .	.35
SPRINGFIELD VIOLET —Blend of purple, scarlet, orange. . . . .	.35
VICTORY RED —The very finest dark red we have seen so far. . . . .	.75

Pink Shades

ALWAYS —Beautiful large peach colored ruffled flower. . . . .	.50
DOUBLE PINK BIRD'S EGG —Lavender pink with dark pink dots. . . . .	.35
DREAMS —Beautiful large soft salmon pink. Delicate. . . . .	.50
ENCHANTRESS FIAT —A lovely soft pink. . . . .	.50
FIAT QUEEN —Dark salmon pink with picotee edges. . . . .	.35
IRVINGTON BEAUTY —Dwarf bright rose pink. . . . .	.35
FORTUNE —White with rose-red margin. . . . .	.75
MME LANDRY —Dark salmon. Zoned foliage. . . . .	.35
MONTEREY —Bright rose with lighter pink on under petals. . . . .	.35
MRS. LAURENCE —Low, free blooming light pink. . . . .	.35
OLD ROSE —Beautiful soft rose pink. . . . .	.75
OLYMPIC PINK —Salmon pink. Compact, bushy. . . . .	.35
PINK BARNEY —Dwarf bright pink. . . . .	.35
PRINCESS FIAT —Light shrimp with picotee edges. . . . .	.75
PICARDY —Fine medium pink. . . . .	.50
PINK FIAT —Our highest recommended salmon pink. . . . .	.35
PHENOMENAL —Extra fine strong rose shading to white. . . . .	.35
SALMON IDEAL —Salmon apricot. . . . .	.35
SALMON SUPREME —Light salmon. . . . .	.35
SHIRLEY SUMMERS —Bright rose pink with white edge. Different. . . . .	.50

White and Lavender Shades

CANADIAN PINK AND WHITE —White with dark pink edge. . . . .	.35
JEAN OBERLE or APPLE BLOSSOM —Large pinky white. . . . .	.35
MILKY WAY —Beautiful white suffused with pink. Foliage ivy-like. . . . .	.35
MADONNA —Our best double white. . . . .	.30
MEMORIES or REVERIE —Light orchid shading to white center. Dwarf. . . . .	.50

Use the above Geraniums freely in Window Boxes and Flower Beds

Collection of 8 fine varieties shipped ready to bloom \$2.50

(our selection of variety, your choice of color)

Four Double Geraniums, 2 Blue Lobelia (budded), 2 Trailing Vinca Vines (variegated) or Lotus vine. Shipped in May and June only, ready to bloom. 2.50

BEAUTIFUL SINGLE FLOWERING GERANIUMS

The Geraniums with Exotic Color Shades!

Shades of Orange

EMILE ZOLA—Extra large soft orange-salmon. . . . .	.75
CUBA—Large light orange. . . . .	.50
MAXINE KAVALESKI—Vivid orange. Very striking. . . . .	.35
NOUVELLE AUREOLE—Beautiful orange-salmon with white eye. . . . .	.75
TANGO—Large vivid orange. . . . .	.75

Shades of Red

APPLE BLOSSOM—Cherry red shading to white center. . . . .	.50
BATTLE OF GETTYSBURG—A blend of wine-red, orange and scarlet. . . . .	.35
BOUGAINVILLEA—Wine-color with white center. Striking. . . . .	.50
DOROTHEA LOUISE—Bright scarlet. Low. . . . .	.75
HARRIET ANN—An old favorite free-blooming <i>Apple Blossom</i> type. . . . .	.35
JAEQUERIE—Large blooms of pure bright red. . . . .	.35
JEANNE GAZIN—Low free-blooming cerise. . . . .	.50
MARY ELLEN—Extra large beautiful cerise blooms. . . . .	.50
NUIT POITEVINE—Blend of crimson and orange shades. . . . .	.50
PAINTED LADY—Large umbels of red blending to white. . . . .	.50
RED AFTERGLOW—Salmon red and smoky-crimson blend. . . . .	.50

Shades of Pink

AFTERGLOW—Old rose blended with salmon red. Very lovely. . . . .	.35
BARBARA HOPE—Beautiful extra large soft coral pink. . . . .	.50
GERTRUDE PEARSON—Light pure pink with white center. . . . .	.35
HONEYMOON—Beautiful apricot-salmon. . . . .	.50
MRS. E. G. HILL—Extra strong salmon pink. . . . .	.35
PATRICIA AUDETTE—Large clear pink. . . . .	.50
PINK BIRD'S EGG—Rose pink with darker pink dots. . . . .	.75

White and Lavender Shades

ALICE LEMON—Light pink shading to white. Low. . . . .	.50
CARMEL—White with bright red edge. . . . .	.50
PINK SNOW—White with pink edge. . . . .	.35
SNOWDROP—Best single white. . . . .	.50
WHITE BIRD'S EGG—Low. White with red dots. Free flowering. . . . .	.75

Single Geraniums are often more beautiful than Double Geraniums—Let us send you a special collection: 8 lovely ready to bloom select plants. (our selection of variety, your selection of color)2.50

No. 2 Window Box Special \$2.50

This assortment will include 4 Single Geraniums ready to bloom. (your selection of color, our selection of variety)

2 Trailing Lotus vines. Grey foliage. 3 Blue Lobelia ready to bloom. Shipped prepaid during May and June.

IVY GERANIUMS—8 lovely ready to bloom plants (our choice of variety; state color shade or we will send mixed).2.50

SCENTED-LEAVED GERANIUMS



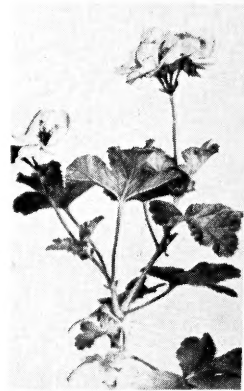
Orange



Prince Rupert



Lime



Clorinda

P. Graveolens (Rose Scented Group)

Deeply cut foliage. Lavender pink blooms.

Rose—The old fashioned sweet-scented variety

Robert's Lemon Rose—Stronger rose scent

Grey Lady Plymouth—Grey-green and white

Variiegated Mint scented Rose

P. Cordiatum Cuculatum Group

Leaves medium, round and lobed.

Snowflake—Rose scent. Leaf splashed white.

Clorinda—Mild scent. Large pink blooms

P. Radula Group—The skeleton leaf type.

Radula (Crowfoot)—Free blooming

Dr. Livingston (Skeleton Leaf)—Lemon scent.

Blandfordianum—Grey leaf. Musk scent.

P. Denticulatum Group—Deeply cut leaves.

Pine scent.

Denticulatum Group—Finely cut leaf.

Filicifolium (Fernleaf)—Blossoms small pink.

Apricot—Showy bright pink blooms.

Jatrophaefolium (True Pheasant's Foot)

Pheasant's Foot—Cut toothed-edge leaf.

P. Quercifolium Group—Oak leaf types.

Fair Ellen—Medium leaved with dark zone.

Giant Oak—Leaf extra large and handsome.

Little Gem—Low, bushy, small cut leaves.

Staghorn Oak—Deeply lobed pretty leaf.

Village Hill Oak—Deeply lobed and toothed.

P. Crispum Group—Lemon scented. Small leaves,

Gooseberry—Fruit scent. Leaves mottled

Lady Mary—Fruit scent. Showy pink blooms

Limoneum—True lemon scent.

Lemon Crispum—Smallest leaved.

Orange—Strong orange scent.

Strawberry—Real strawberry scent.

Prince Rupert Lemon—Fingerbowl type.

Prince Rupert variegated Lemon

P. Odoratissimum Group—Low, often trailing

Apple—Ruffled round strong apple scented

Cocoanut—Trailing.

Nutmeg—Silver-grey ruffled, lobed leaf.

Old Spice (Logeei)—Apple-Nutmeg cross.

P. Tomentosum Group—Peppermint scented leaves, large and tomentose.

Peppermint—Beautiful velvet green leaf.

Pungent Peppermint—Deeply cut

P. Fulgidum Group—Showy blooms

Brilliant—Medium, round, toothed leaves.

Ginger—Small, round, toothed leaf.

Lime—As above. Leaf slightly smaller

Mrs. Kingsley—Leaf round, curled.

Mrs. Taylor—Scarlet free blooming.

Rollinson's Unique

Scarlet Unique—Ruffled cut, grayish leaf.

Schottesham Pet (Filbert)—Small cut leaves

P. abrotanifolium—

Southernwood—Very small, cut leaves



Southernwood Geranium

Prices on all the above Scented Geraniums 35c each—3 of a kind for \$1.00.

Collection: 8 different kinds (our choice) \$2.50

FIBROUS ROOTED BEGONIAS

Introducing

LEO SHIPPY—Bess Shippy's finest begonia hybrid. Rhizomatous, star type with seven lobes. Leaves are emerald green with red veins. The red hairs underneath give an attractive red ruffled effect to the margins. Young leaves are yellowish green, beautifully flushed with red. Flowers in large pink clusters well above the foliage in winter. 1.50

Semperflorens (Wax Begonias)

Double Red Leaved Varieties

PINK—Bo Peep, Joan Strong, Pink Camellia, Pied Piper, Robin Hood, Curly Locks, Goldie Locks.

RED—Firefly, Little Gem, Thimbleberry, Red Camellia, Weepy

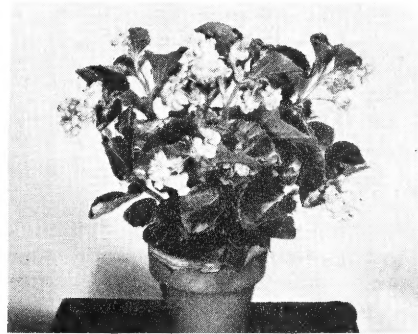
WHITE—Snowdrop, Ballet

Prices on all the above 75c each.

COLLECTION—5 varieties (our choice) in bud or bloom. 3.00



Pied Piper



Pink Camellia

Calla Lily Begonias

OUR MAINE VARIETY—Extra strong. Center leaves white like a miniature Calla Lily. Blooms bright pink or a variety with white flowers. 1.00

DOUBLE FLOWERED VARIETY—Fully double light pink blooms. 1.50

RUBY JEWEL—A lovely semi-double red. Because it is difficult to ship we cannot guarantee safe arrival. **Shipped only at customer's risk.** 1.00

Green Leaved Wax Begonias

GENEVA SCARLET, RED, PINK, or WHITE—our best selected of this popular strain. Full double rose-like blooms. Compact dwarf sturdy plants.50

DAINTY MAID—A charming pink and white variety with full double blooms. .50

NEW HAMPSHIRE (Lepidota)—Leaves mottled yellow. Light pink blooms.50

GRETCHEN—A bushy larger leaved variety with large single pink blooms. 1.00

Rhizomatous Begonias

(The Favorite Group)

BROCADE—Iridescent silver-rose, lobed leaves. Red under. White, pink tinted blooms. 1.50

BOWERI—Dwarf. Ruffled leaves with dark markings. Pink blooms. 1.50

BUNCHI (Lettuce Leaf Begonia)—Leaves curled and crested on edges. Flowers pink.75

CAROLINIAEFOLIA—Large glossy green Palm-like leaf. Pink blooms. Distinctive.75

CAROL STAR—Similar to the above. Lighter green deeply cut leaves. Choice. .75

CHIMBORAZO —Glossy green, thick peltate leaves. Blooms coral pink. . . . .	.75
ERYTHROPHYLLA (Feasti) Pond Lily or Beefsteak Begonia— Medium round glossy dark green leaves, red under. Blooms freely, pink. Winter. . . . .	.50
ERYTHROPHYLLA HELIX —Leaves as above but bronzy, spiraled and ruffled	1.00
FRANCISII (Nasturtium-leaved Begonia)—Glossy green peltate leaves on red stems. Flowers white. . . . .	.75
FUSCOMACULATA (Rubella)—Star shaped, chocolate spotted leaf.	1.00
GILSONI —Ovate, toothed glossy green leaves. Large pink blooms. . . . .	.50
HERACLEICOTYLE VENUS —An improved <i>Mrs. Townsend</i> . Reddish lobed leaves. Pink blooms. . . . .	.75
HYDROCOTYLIFOLIA (Pennyworth or Miniature Pond Lily)—Small round thick leaves. Pink blooms. . . . .	.75
HISPIDIVILLOSA —Light green with white hairs on leaf and stem which is red spotted.	1.00



Foliosa



Brocade

JOE HAYDEN (The Black Begonia)—Chocolate brown yellow veined leaves. Dotted pink blooms. . . . .	.75
LEGACY —Star shaped bronzy green leaves. White blooms. . . . .	.75
MAZAE —Rounded bronzy leaves with dark stitch marks. Pink blooms. . . . .	.75
MICHAEL L. BARNES —Newly introduced. Chocolate spotted leaves. Pink blooms. Different.	1.00
MANICATA —Ovate green leaves with red edge. Light pink blooms. . . . .	.50
MANICATA AUREO MACULATA —Leaves blotched yellow, pink and white. Choice.	2.00
MANICATA AUREO-MACULATA CRISPA —Yellow blotched leaves with crested margins.	2.50
PAUL BRUANT —Lobed, toothed, dark green leaves. Large pink blooms. . . . .	.75
PERLE LORRAINE —Leaves marbled with chocolate. Flowers pink. . . . .	.75
RICINIFOLIA (FISHER'S)—Deeply lobed leaves with red edge. . . . .	.75
ROTUNDIFOLIA —Dwarf. Small glossy light green leaves. Pink blooms. Choice. . . . .	.75
SQUAMOSA —Small bright green with red edge. Pink blooms.	1.50
STITCHED-LEAF —Round, scalloped leaf with stitch marks. Pink blooms. Choice. . . . .	.75
SILVER STAR —Beautiful deeply lobed, rosy silver leaves. Extra nice.	1.00
STRIGILLOSA —Brown spotted light green leaves. Pink blooms.	1.00
SUNCANA —Light green leaves with brown fuzz. Flowers white. Choice. . . . .	.75
SUNDERBRUCHI (Star or Finger Leaf Begonia)—Deeply cut dark leaf. Blooms pink.	1.00
SKEEZAR —Lovely round silver leaf. Extra strong sturdy plants.	1.00
ZEEBOWMAN —Compact small green and silver leaves. New.	1.00

Small Leaved Branching Begonias

(The Flowering Group)

ALBO-PICTA —Narrow pointed spotted leaves. Drooping white blooms. . . . .	.50
ALBO-PICTA ROSEA —Small Angel-wing leaf. Dark pink blooms. . . . .	.50
BAYERN —A nice compact free blooming pink. . . . .	.75
CORBEILLE DE FEU —Glossy green foliage. Scarlet blooms in winter. . . . .	.50
DIGSWELLIANA —Compact. Thick glossy leaves. Free blooming red. . . . .	.50
DECKER'S SELECT —Small red tinged leaves. Free blooming pink. . . . .	.50
DREGEI —Bronze Maple Leaf-like foliage. Scarlet blooms in winter. . . . .	.50
FOLIOSA —Weeping stems. Fern-like leaves. Tiny blooms. . . . .	.50
FUCHSIOIDES —Glossy green foliage. Lovely Fuchsia-like red blooms. . . . .	.50
FUCHSIOIDES FLORIBUNDA (Multiflora Rosea) —Pink blooming variety of above. . . . .	.50
GREEN MEDORA —Bushy, free blooming pink. Very nice. . . . .	.50
INCARNATA —Narrow wavy foliage. Free blooming large pink. . . . .	.75
INGRAMI —Glossy bronze leaves. Free blooming red. . . . .	.50
JINNIE MAY —Compact angel-wing type. Showy pink blooms. . . . .	.50
LADY WATERLOW —Glossy dark green ciliate leaves. Large pink blooms. . . . .	.50
MACBETHI —Bushy Maple-leaf type with abundant white blooms. . . . .	.50
MACROCARPA —Drooping branches. Dark leaves. White, pink tinged blooms. . . . .	.50
MARIE HOLLEY —Newly introduced, improved Maple-leaf type. Glossy green foliage. Large waxy white flowers. . . . .	.50
MAY QUEEN —Spotted angel-wing type. Large clusters of white blooms. . . . .	.50
MEDORA (Miniature Trout Leaf) —Spotted dark leaves. Pink tinted white blooms. . . . .	.50
NATALENSIS —Medium. Small coarsely toothed green leaves with purple veins. Flowers white. Rare. . . . .	.50
OADI —Similar to Tea Rose. Flowers larger coral pink. . . . .	.75
OLBIA —Medium. Largest of Maple-leaf type. Brownish red foliage. Loose sprays of large white flowers. Pretty but difficult to grow. . . . .	.75
PERFECTIFLORA —Lovely wavy green lance-shaped leaves. Blooms freely pure white in Autumn. . . . .	.50
PREUSSEN —Compact bronzy foliage. Abundant pink blooms. Extra fine. . . . .	.75
RICHARDSIANA —Smallest Maple-leaf type. Free blooming white. . . . .	.50
SACHSEN (Saxony) —A lovely free blooming bronzy leaved type. . . . .	.75
TEA ROSE —Glossy bright green leaves. Fragrant pink blooms continuously. . . . .	.50
VEITCH'S CARMINE —Medium. Leaves ovate-pointed, lobed green with red margins. Flowers bright red in drooping clusters. Winter.	1.00
WELTONIENSIS ROSEA —A beautiful pink blooming Maple-leaf begonia. . . . .	.50
WELTONIENSIS ALBA —White form of the above. . . . .	.50

Coccinea, Cane Stemmed or Angel Wing Group

ANNABELLE —Green silver spotted leaves. Free blooming pink. . . . .	.50
ARGENTA GUTTATA (Trout-leaf) —Heavily spotted dark leaves. White blooms. . . . .	.50
ANGULARIS (Zebrina) —Dark silver leaves. White blooms. . . . .	.50
ALZASCO —Medium. Maroon colored leaf with silver spots. Upright dark red blooms. Choice.	1.00
COLUMBIAN ANGEL WING —Long silver-spotted leaves. Watermelon-pink flowers in large drooping clusters.	1.00
COCCINEA RED —Our best selected strain of this old favorite variety. . . . .	.50
COCCINEA PINK —Selected <i>Pink Rubra</i> variety. Free blooming soft coral pink. . . . .	.50
CORALLINA DE LUCERNA —Popular variety. Large rose-red blooms. . . . .	.50
CONSTANCE —Lovely dark leaves. Soft salmon pink blooms. Choice.	1.00
DI-ANNA —Glossy bronze silver spotted foliage. Dwarf free blooming orange.	1.00
DICHORA —Arching branches with glossy green leaves. Large orange blooms.	1.00
GREY FEATHER —Silver green leaves. White pink tinged blooms. . . . .	.75

HELEN —Light green foliage with bronze tint. Large clusters of white blooms.	.75
HELEN W. KING —Bronze silver spotted leaves. Pretty pink blooms.	.75
Mme. DE LESSEPS —Medium. Olive-green dentate leaves, red under. Flowers large white with pink tinge.	.50
MRS. WALLOW —Lovely reddish, wavy leaves. Light pink blooms.	.75
ORANGE RUBRA —Strong growing glossy leaves with orange blooms.	1.00
RED ARGENTEA —Silver spotted red tinted leaves. Red blooms.	.50
ROSIE MURPHISKI —Low. Bronze silver spotted leaves. Upright pink blooms.	.75
RUBAIYAT —A beautiful free blooming pink.	2.00
SARA BELLE —Medium. Heavily spotted wavy leaves. Blooms freely, pink.	.75
WHITE SHASTA —Finest white flowering angel-wing.	.50

Hirsute or Hairy Leaved Begonias

(The Dependable Group)

ALLERYII —Bright green hairy foliage. Large showy pink blooms in autumn.	.50
ALTO-SCHARFFI —Beautiful bronze red velvet foliage. Large pink blooms.	1.00
DROSTI —Thick ovate-pointed, cupped leaves, purple under. Blooms pink.	1.50
MACROCARPA PUBESCENS (Alto de Serra) —Beautiful velvet narrow foliage.	1.00
METALLICA —Glossy bright green leaves with purple veins. Free blooming pink.	.50
MRS. FRED SCRIPPS —Large deeply cut leaves. Pink blooms.	1.00
PRUNIFOLIA —Beautiful ivory-white blooms in fall.	.50
SCHARFFI (Haageana) —Bronzy foliage. Free blooming bearded pink.	.50
SCHMIDTIANA —Dwarf. Small dark leaves and pinky-white blooms.	.50
SUBVILLOSA (Scotch Luxurians) —Easy culture. Medium. Velvety light green leaves. Flowers freely, large white.	.50

Trailing Begonias

ALBA SCANDENS —Small glossy green leaves. Flowers white.	.50
ELSIE M. FREY —Medium, dark olive green leaves, red under. Showy sprays of rose-red blooms on ends of branches. Winter.	1.00
GLAUCOPHYLLA SCANDENS —Smooth pointed medium light green leaves. Large salmon blooms in winter.	1.50
Mme. FANNY GIRON —Bright green, serrate, pointed leaves. Beautiful scarlet blooms in showy clusters.	1.00
LULANDI —Green ovate-pointed toothed leaves with red edge. Lovely pink blooms in abundance.	.75
SCANDENS CORDIFOLIA (Glabra) —Rounded glossy green medium leaves on long trailing stems. Flowers white.	1.00
SUTHERLANDI —Like Lulandi . Dainty orange flowers in summer. Small bulblets form on stem from which new plants are started.	.50
SHIPPY'S GARLAND —Medium, glossy, light green, pointed, dentate leaves. Flowers freely, bright rose in large clusters. Showy.	1.00
HANGING BASKET VARIETIES MIXED —These are tuberous grown from English seed. Blooms are gorgeous of the Lloydii type in colors of red, pink, yellow orange. In lovely drooping clusters of double blooms. Blooms all summer and fall. Try one. Mixed only.	1.00

Odd and Rare Types

ABEL CARRIERE —Heart shaped, Rex type. Medium silver leaves which tint pink in sun. Flowers showy pink.	1.00
ACIDA (Braziliensis) —Large light green leaves with coarse netted veins. Rex type. Flowers white.	1.00
ACONITIFOLIA —Exotic deeply cut leaves with silver spots. Flowers white.	1.00
BOLIWIENSIS —Small red-edged, wavy foliage. Blooms orange-scarlet in summer. Sleeps in winter.	.75
CATHAYANA —A beautiful velvet leaved variety. Soft orange flowers.	3.00
DANCING GIRL —Various shaped silver and pink leaves. Red blooms. Choice.	1.50
DIADEMA —Deeply cut finger-like, silver splashed leaves. Choice.	1.00

DIPETALA (Mrs. Kimball) —Lovely pink blooms in winter.	1.00
DELICIOSA —Similar to the above. Leaves reddish bronze.	1.50
ECHINOSEPALA —Metallic green leaves. Soft pink hairy blooms. . . . .	.50
EPIPSILA —Thick glossy dark green leaves, red under. White blooms. Dwarf.	1.00
EVANSIANA (The Hardy Begonia) —Medium. Leaves heart-shaped with red veins. Bulblets form on stem which goes dormant. Blooms pink. . . . .	.50
FERNANDO COSTAL —Round, very hairy plush-like leaves.	2.00
GREY LADY —Medium. Thick peltate leaves covered with white down. Extra strong vigorous plant. Flowers white in large clusters.	1.50
IMPROVED ULMIFOLIA —A more compact variety of this Elm-leaf-like begonia. Branches have tendency to droop giving graceful effect. New. . . . .	.50
IMPERIALIS —Low. Rex type. Velvet green leaves. Flowers white. Rare.	2.00
INCARNA (Peltata) —Round thick leaves covered with white fuzz. Rare.	1.00
JOHNSTONI —Succulent pale green leaves streaked with red. Rare.	1.00
LOBULATA (Vitifolia) —Ivy-like leaves with red spot. Large clusters of white and pink blooms.	1.00
LUXURIANS —Umbrella-like divided leaf. White fragrant blooms	1.00
MANNI (Rose Leaf Begonia) Blooms bright red under arching stems.	1.50
MARGARITACEAE —Metallic-pink leaves. Shell pink blooms. Choice.	1.00
MELIOR (Christmas Begonia, Busy Lizzie) —Plants ready for shipment after June .1	1.50
NITIDA ROSEA (Odorata Rosea) —Medium. Thick glossy bright green leaves. Fragrant rose blooms.	1.00
PHYLLOMANIACA (Jessie) —Called Crazy-leaf due to tiny plantlets which grow on leaves and stems. Flowers pink. . . . .	.75
REX BEGONIAS —Many different varieties on hand: Silver leaf types. . . . .	.50
Red, Purple, and Dwarf Types	1.00
RED KIMBALL —Reddish heart shaped leaves. Soft pink blooms. . . . .	.50
RUBRO-VENIA —Narrow dark green and red leaves. White blooms. . . . .	.50
ROSEA GIGANTEA —Glossy green leaves with red spot. Large rose red blooms in winter.	1.50
RED COMPTA —Low. Pendant. Dark red Angel-wing leaves. Red blooms. . . . .	.50
SANGUINEA —Medium. Thick glossy, green, rounded leaves, red under. Blooms white in small clusters. . . . .	.75
SILVER RUBRO-VENIA —Silver leaved form of the above. Choice.	1.00
SOCIETY (Coriacea) —Fleshy green cupped leaves. Papery brown sheath on stems. . . . .	.50
THURSTONI —Lovely bronze-green heart shaped leaves. Light pink blooms. . . . .	.50
TEMPLINI —Spotted yellow foliage. Soft pink blooms. Choice.	1.00
WOOLY BEAR —Dwarf. Round glossy leaves covered with brown down. Free blooming white. . . . .	.50

Information

For more information on GERANIUMS or BEGONIAS we recommend that you join their respective societies:

INTERNATIONAL GERANIUM AND PELARGONIUM SOCIETY P. O. Box 231, Santa Paula, California

Membership dues \$2.00 entitles you to receipt of all publications (Monthly magazine), answers to any questions on geraniums from the best available experts, and full participation in all conventions and meetings of the society.

AMERICAN BEGONIA SOCIETY 1633 Golden Gate Ave., Los Angeles 26, California

Membership dues \$2.50 per year entitles you to Monthly magazine, Seed Fund, etc.

VINES FOR SHADE OR SEMI-SHADE

ACHIMENES Gloxinia-like blooms in summer. Bulbs rest in winter. 3-5 bulbs per pot. Old blue shade. 50c each. New colors in pink, wine, sky blue. 1.00 each.

EPISCIAS (Flame Violets)—Prized mostly for their beautiful foliage, although they also have showy scarlet blooms. Three varieties available

E. coccinea—Silver veins, dark bronzy foliage.

E. splendens—Silver leaf with dark markings.

E. cupreata Bronze pink iridescent foliage.
Price each \$1.00.

CEROPEGIA woodi (Rosary Vine)—Heart-shaped grey leaves. Odd tubular blooms. .50

CEROPEGIA afro—Plain leaved-form of the above. .35

CEROPEGIA debilis—Narrow leaves with silver stripes. .35

CHLOROPHYTUM elatum (Spider Plant)—Lily-like trailing green and white foliage. .35

CISSUS antarctica (Kangaroo Vine)—Strong growing green leaved vine. .35

CISSUS rhombifolia (Grape Ivy)—Attractive easy growing vine. .35

CISSUS capensis—Large maple shaped leaf. Nice vine that stands abuse. .50

CISSUS discolor—Beautiful vine with velvety leaves mottled white pink and purple. 2.00

COLUMNEA gloriosa—Small velvety brown leaves. Scarlet blooms. 1.50

FICUS pumila (Creeping Fig)—Small heart-leaved slow growing hardy vine. .50

HEMIGRAPHIS colorata (Red Ivy)—A pretty silver-pink shrubby vine. .50

HOYA carnosa (Wax Plant)—Thick waxy leaves. Lovely flesh colored blooms. 1.00

HOYA carnosa variegated—Green, white and rose tinted leaved form of above. 1.00

MUEHLEMBECKIA complexa (Wire, Maidenhair, or Necklace Vine)—An attractive fern-like vine with small bead-like white blooms. .50

NEPHTHYTIS liberica (Arrowhead Plant)—Trailing. Shield-like leaves. .50

NEPHTHYTIS liberica var. Ruth Fraser—New silver leaf variety. Extra nice. .50

NEPHTHYTIS liberica var. Tri-Leaf—Green and gold leaf form of the above. .50

OPLISMENUS hirtellus (Ribbon Grass)—Pretty narrow pink and white striped leaves. Listed in 1953 as *Tradescantia setcreasea*. .50

PELLIONIA daveauana (Trailing Watermelon Begonia)—Pretty bronze leaved vine .50

PEPEROMIA Fosteriana—Small glossy dark leaves with light veins. .50

PEPEROMIA Royal Gold—A creamy edge heart-shaped leaf .50

PEPEROMIA rotundifolia—Small leaved vine. Nice where ivy will not grow. .50

PERISTROPHE augustifolia aureo-variegata (Marble Leaf)—Colorful yellow and green foliage. .50

PHILODENDRON cordatum—Heart-leaved popular vine for sunless places. .50

PHILODENDRON micans—Heart-leaved as above but with dark glittering foliage .50

PHILODENDRON rubens—One of the larger upright varieties. 1.50

PHILODENDRON sodiroi—Silver splashed leaf. .75

PLECTRANTHUS (Prostrate Coleus)—Purple foliage plant. .35

PARTHENCISSUS—Five parted silver veined dark leaf resembling woodbine. 1.00



Ceropegia woodi

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RUELLIA Makoyana —Dark, white veined leaves. Pretty bright pink blooms.35
SAXIFRAGA sarmentosa (Strawberry Begonia) —Pretty dark foliage. Spikes of white blooms.35
SCINDAPSUS aureus (Golden Pothos, Hunter's Robe) —Handsome green and yellow leaved vine similar to <i>Philodendron</i>. . . .	.75
SCINDAPSUS aureus var. Marble Queen —Lovely white variegated form of the above. . . .	.75
SCINDAPSUS pictus var. argyraeus —Silvery green leaves with beautiful silver markings. A different type <i>Philodendron</i> vine. . . .	.75
TRADESCANTIA —Varieties related to this genus are listed below:	
CYANOTIS somaliensis —Narrow furry leaves. Slow growing trailer. Choice.	.50
TRADESCANTIA fuscata (The Flowering Inch Plant) —Purple foliage with lavender blooms. Listed in trade as T. blossfeldiana. . . .	.35
SETCREASIA striata —Striped inch plant. . . .	.35
ZEBRINA pendula (Wandering Jew Inch Plant) —	
Rainbow —Green and white, tinted lavender foliage. . . .	.50
Red Leaved Variety —Colorful red and silver leaves. . . .	.35
Variegated —Popular green and cream leaved type. . . .	.35

FERNS, MOSSES AND FOLIAGE PLANTS FOR SHADE OR SEMI-SHADE

ACORUS gramineus variegatus —Pretty green and white striped grass-like foliage. . . .	.35
ALTERNANTHERA bettzickana (Joseph's Coat or Calico Plant) — Compact low growing various colored foliage red, pink, yellow . . . .	.35
ASPLENIUM NIDUS-AVIS (Bird's Nest Fern) —Glossy broad leaves	1.00
CRYPTANTHUS roseus (Starfish Plant) —Rose tinted star-like plant. . . .	.75
CRYPTANTHUS bivittatus —Bright pink tinted, striped dark and light green foliage. . . .	.75
CRYPTANTHUS zebrinus —Brown and cream striped "Star Fish Plant." . . .	1.50
CYPERUS alternifolius (Umbrella-palm) —Like miniature palm trees. . . .	.35
CROTON —Assorted varieties of this popular multicolored foliage . . . .	.75
DRACAENA godseffiana —Green foliage spotted with white. . . .	.75
DRACAENA sanderiana —Sword-like green and white striped leaves. . . .	.75
DAVALLIA mariesii (Squirrel's Foot or Rabbit's Foot Fern) —Fronds grow from furry brown rhizomes which trail over sides of pot. Choice. . . .	1.00
EUONYMUS variegated —Green and white boxwood-like foliage. . . .	.50
ENGLISH HEDGE FERN —Hardy, Graceful heavy fronds. Easy to grow. . . .	1.00
ENGLISH HOLLY —Hardy. Shiny leaves. Cute small potted plants. . . .	.50
FITONIA verschaffelti argyryneur (Mosaic Plant) —Lovely broad white netted leaves. . . .	.50
GYNURA aurantiaca (Royal Velvet Plant) —Beautiful plush-like wine colored foliage. . . .	.50
GINGER Zingerber —Cinnamon scented palm-like leaves. A fine pot plant, also useful herb. . . .	.50
HELXINE solieroli (Baby Tears) —Small ferny moss-like green foliage. . . .	.35
HYPOESTIS sanguinolenta (Pink Polka-dot Plant) —Pretty pink spotted foliage. . . .	.35
IRELINE Herbstii (Blood Leaf) —Bright red foliage adds color to window garden. . . .	.35
IRELINE reticulata —Pretty green and yellow foliage with red stems. . . .	.35
MYRTUS communis (Swedish Myrtle) —Fragrant boxwood-like leaves. . . .	.50
MARANTA kerchoveana (Prayer Plant) —Pretty, dark spotted, broad leaves. . . .	.50
NEANTHE BELLA —A lovely graceful dwarf palm, ideally suited for small pots. . . .	.50
PEPEROMIA sandersii argyreia (Watermelon Begonia) —Silver circular stripes . . . .	.75
PEPEROMIA galioides —Small succulent leaves, red under. Nice compact plant. . . .	.50
PEPEROMIA (Trailing Miniature) —A small leaved creeping variety. . . .	.35
PEPEROMIA obtusifolia —Thick glossy leaves. Slow growing. Semi-trailing. . . .	.50
PEPEROMIA obtusifolia variegated —White and green leaved form of the above. . . .	.75
PEPEROMIA sandersii —Thick green peltate leaves. A fine variety. . . .	.50

PILEA cadierei —"The Aluminum Plant" or "Watermelon Pilea."	1.00
PILEA microphylla (Artillery Plant) —Succulent fern-like foliage. Grows well in water.	.35
PILEA nummulariaefolia (Creeping Charley) —Rounded hairy leaves on trailing stems.	.35
PILEA involocrata (Panamiga or Pan American Friendship Plant) —Pretty reddish foliage.	.50
PTERIS ensiformis var. Victoriae —A low growing fern with silver striped leaves.	.50
POLYPODIUM Mandaianum (Rabbit's-foot Fern) —Graceful bluish grey fronds from furry rhizomes.	1.00
POLYSCIAS balfouriana —Round green leaves with white edge.	.50
SELAGINELLA (Clubmoss) —Low, spreading fern-like foliage.	.35
SELAGINELLA Scotch Moss —Pretty mounds of fluffy green foliage.	.50
SYNGONIUM wendlandii —A low growing pretty silver leaf variety.	.50
STENOTAPHRUM secundatum variegatum (St. Augustine Grass) —A trailing striped green and white grass that makes a pretty pot plant. Easy to grow.	.35
TOLMIA menziesi (Piggy-back or Mother of Thousands) —Plantlets grow on leaves. Fine, easy.	.35

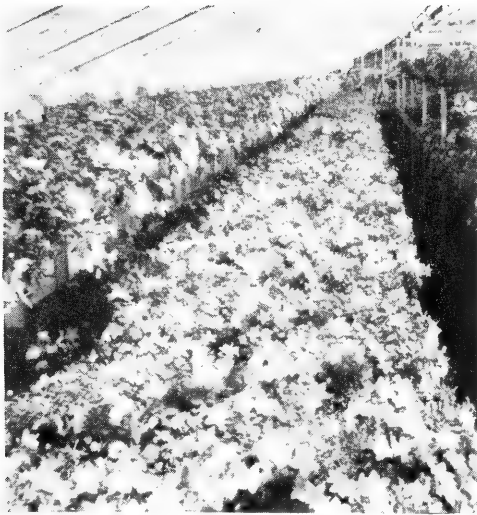
OTHER CHOICE PLANTS

ABUTILON (Flowering or Parlor Maple) —Showy bell-like flowers in colors of Red, Pink, Yellow, Orange, White. For sunny windows.	.50
ABUTILON striatum var. Thompsonii —Yellow spotted foliage. Showy apricot blooms.	.50
ABUTILON Thompsonii —Mottled yellow foliage. Trailing stems. Orange blooms.	.50
AICHRYSON domesticum variegated (Youth and Old Age) —Lovely green and white crassula-like foliage, tints pink in sun.	.50
BROWALLIA speciosa major —Large blue star-like flowers continuously.	.50
BELOPERONE (Shrimp Plant) —Showy coral red cone-like bracts.	.50
IMPATIENS sulatni (Patient Lucy) — Gay blooms in red, pink, white, orange.	.50
OXALIS cernua (Double Bermuda Buttercup) Bright yellow double blooms in spring.	.50
OXALIS peduncularis —A free blooming bright orange with succulent bright green foliage.	.75
OXALIS ortgiesi —Maroon foliage. Attractive yellow blooms at all seasons.	.50
OXALIS rubra alba —A choice free blooming white.	.50
OXALIS melaniostica —Grey-green foliage with pretty yellow blooms in early winter. Sleeps in summer.	.75
OXALIS rosea —The common free flowering type in pink or white.	.50
CUPHEA playtycentra (Cigar Flower) —Blooms freely, small red with white tip.	.35
EXACUM affine —Fragrant small blue flowers in profusion all seasons.	.50
CYCLAMEN neopolitanum (Hardy Baby Cyclamen) —Blooms in fall. For rockery or pots.	.75
LOTUS berthelotti (Winged Pea) —A lovely grey ferny vine. Not a house plant but should be used freely in window boxes, rockery or greenhouse where it grows luxuriantly. Showy orange blooms in spring.	.35
MARGUERITE (Boston Yellow Daisy) —For outdoor planting. Also nice as a house plant.	.25
NIEREMBERGIA Purple Robe —Fern-like, blue flowering edging and pot plant.	.25
VINCA major —Trailing variegated vines for window boxes.	.50



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FLOWERING VINES FOR SUNNY WINDOWS



A bench of *Campanula isophylla*
in our greenhouse

CAMPANULA ISOPHYLLA

(Star of Bethlehem, Italian Bell Flower, Falling Stars)

We specialize in growing this beautiful trailing house plant. Flowers are star-shaped in blue or white, flowering August through November or December. Full directions sent with plants or 10c if wanted separately. Blue or White. 50c each.

August to November—3½ inch pots in full flower, \$1.00 each.

MAHERNIA verticillata (Honey Bells)—Small golden bells with the fragrance of Lily-of-the-Valley are produced in early spring and continue into the summer. Our most charming plant. .50

MANETTIA bicolor (Brazilian Fire-cracker Plant)—Colorful tubular scarlet flowers with yellow tips. A fine free blooming plant. Illustrated on back cover. 50c each.

MALVESTRUM prostratum (Trailing Mallow)
Silver grey cut leaves. Rose-like coral blooms. .50

PASSIFLORA grandiflora—Beautiful purple, pink and white Pond-Lily-like flowers. 1.00.

PASSIFLORA trifaciata—Colorful rosy purple leaves. Yellow blooms. Choice. 1.50.

PLUMBAGO capensis—A shrubby vine with Phlox-like flowers of palest blue. 1.00.

STREPTOSOLEN jamesoni (Orange Browallia)
Gay orange flowers in winter. .50.

STAR JASMINE—Fragrant, white, star-like flowers on fern-like vine. 1.00.

SCHIZOCENTRON ELEGANS (Spanish Shawl)—Small green leaves with red stems. Pretty wine colored blooms in spring and summer. 50c each.

TRICHOSPORUM Lobbianum—Purple tinged leaves. Flowers scarlet surrounded by purple calyx.75



Aichryson domesticum variegated



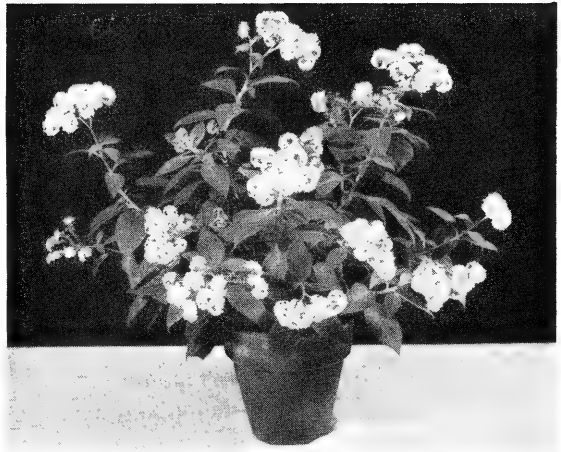
Oxalis rubra alba

AFRICAN VIOLETS

- Azure Beauty**—Double white, tinted blue. 75c.
Bi-color—Two-toned orchid.
Blue Boy—Best deep blue.
Blue Delight—White, blue center.
Blushing Maiden—Pale blush pink.
Double Orchid Girl— 75c.
DuPont Blue—Large medium blue.
Gorgeous—Lavender.
Mrs. Evelyn Banks—Best pink.
Orchid Sunset—Double orchid.
Orchid Velvet—Large velvety orchid 75c.
Painted Girl—White, pink edge.
Red Head—Red-violet.
Rose Marie—Rose pink.
Ruffled Queen—Lacy purple 75c
Sapphire—Medium blue.
Sea Girl—Double dark blue.
Sunrise—Red-lavender.
Twilight—Blue, white center.
Violet Beauty—Large orchid.
- Prices on all the above 2½ inch potted well started plants 50c ea. (except as noted.)

WHITE HELIOTROPE

Our 1954 special offer. What could be nicer than a pure white Heliotrope with all the fragrance associated with this flower. Buds have a purple cast but in full bloom they are large fluffy balls of whiteness, deliciously fragrant! Try some in your garden this spring for summer enjoyment. Grows well in sun or semi-shade. 35c each. 3 Plants for \$1.00.

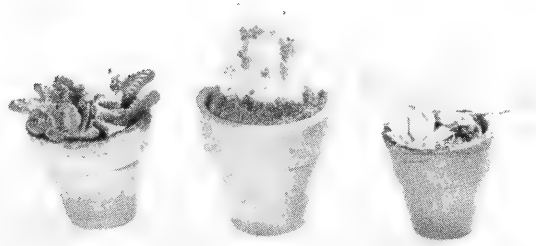


White Heliotrope

FUCHSIAS

- American Beauty**—Free blooming single rose red.50
Giant Pink—Our favorite. Huge double pink flowers.50
Little Jewel—Small ferny leaves. Dainty red and purple blooms.50
Little Beauty—A very fine dwarf. Violet center, red calyx.50
Mrs. Marshall—Single, soft light pink center, white calyx.50
Pride of Orion—Large double white center, bright red calyx.75
Sunray—Green, white and pink foliage. Single purple and pink blooms.50

CACTI AND SUCCULENTS



Mammillaria prolifera species
 Faucaria tigrina Crassula echeveria

ANACAMPEROS telephastrum (Love Plant) —Coppery rosettes. . . . .	.50
ANDROMICHUS cristatus (Crinkle Leaf Plant) —Crinkled leaves, brown stems. . . . .	.50
CRASSULA argentea (Japanese Rubber or Jade Plant) —Tints pink in sun. . . . .	.25
CRASSULA argentea variegated —Green and white form of the above. . . . .	.50
CRASSULA echeveria —Grey-green rosette. Reddish flowers. . . . .	.25
CRASSULA perforata (String of Buttons) —Trailing . . . . .	.35
CRASSULA schmidtii —Pointed red tinted rosette. Blooms freely red. Fall. . . . .	.50
ECHEVERIA pul-oliver —Plush covered leaves. Tints in sun. . . . .	.35
EPIPHYLLUM (Orchid Cactus) —Brilliant bell-shaped blooms in spring. . . . .	.50
EUPHORBIA splendens (Crown of Thorns) —Viney thorned stem. Scarlet blooms. . . . .	.50
FAUCARIA tigrina (Tiger Jaws) —Open toothed "jaws. Yellow flowers . . . . .	.50
GASTERIA HYBRIDS (Bow Tie Plant) —Fleshy leaves spotted white. . . . .	.75
HAWORTHIA Chalwinii (The Aristocrat Plant) —Small spotted rosettes. . . . .	.35
HAWORTHIA szmi-margaritifera —Spotted pointed leaved rosette. . . . .	.35
HYLOCEREUS undatus (Night-blooming Cereus) . . . . .	.50
KALANCHOE blossfeldiana var. (Tom Thumb) —Blooms bright red in winter. . . . .	.50
Variety with yellow flowers —Taller than above. . . . .	.50
KALANCHOE tomentosum (Pussy Ears) —Upright plush green and brown leaves. . . . .	.50
KLEINIA radicans (Creeping Berries) —Low. Small bronzy leaves. . . . .	.25
KLEINIA species (Blue Chalk Sticks) —Upright blue-grey pointed leaves. . . . .	.50
MAMMILLARIA elongata (Golden Lace Cactus) —Elongated lacy stems. . . . .	.50
MAMMILLARIA prolifera specizs (Silver Cluster Cactus) —Whitish mounds produce red fruits which look like tiny candles. . . . .	.50
MESEMBRYANTHEMUM barbatus (Pickle Plant) —Green, spined pickle-like leaves. . . . .	.35
MESEMBRYANTHEMUM multiradiatum (Sun Rose) —Trailing succulent foliage. Large rose-red or light pink daisy-shaped flowers. All seasons. . . . .	.35
OSCULARIA —Upright. Frosty leaved with pretty yellow flowers. . . . .	.35
OTHONNA crassifolia (Little Pickles) —Trailing. Yellow daisy-like flowers. . . . .	.35
PORTULACARIA afra variegated —Small green and white succulent. . . . .	.50
SEDUM confusum —Small green rosettes on trailing branches. . . . .	.25
SEDUM dasyphyllum —Forms mat of blue-grey miniature rosettes. Pretty. . . . .	.35
SEDUM guatemalense (Christmas Cheer) —Tubular succulent red tinted leaf. . . . .	.35
SEDUM pachyphyllum hyb. —Upright cylindrical leaves tipped with red. . . . .	.25
SEDUM morganianum (Horse's Tail) —Pointed blue-green leaves on trailing stems. . . . .	.50
SENECIO articulata (Sausage Crassula). —Thick jointed stems . . . . .	.50
ZYGOCACTUS truncatum (Christmas Cactus) —Beautiful pink blooms. . . . .	.50

Collection: 8 different (our selection from the above) Prepaid \$2.50.

IVIES OF DISTINCTION

The Best of the Hederas

Abundance —A new compact, ruffled leaf type. . . . .	.50
Albany —Best trailing, medium-leaved branching variety. . . . .	.35
Algerian (canariensis) —Large glossy leaves. . . . .	.50
Bunch —Non-trailing medium slightly ruffled leaves. . . . .	.75
Buttercup, Russell Gold —Trailing, yellow types, small leaved varieties. . . . .	.50
Canary Cream (canariensis variegata) —Green and white leaved variety of the Algerian. Very nice. . . . .	.50
Chrysanna —One of our favorites for a good well branched ivy. Leaves slightly mottled white. . . . .	.50
Conglomerata erecta —A slow erect growing variety. Small leaves curled and close together. Choice. . . . .	.75
Curly Locks —Medium curled and crested leaves. Trailing. . . . .	.50
Digitata —Viny, small five pointed white veined leaves. . . . .	.35
Green Spear, Emerald Jewel, Ray's Supreme, Pin Oak, Star —Varieties similar, small leaved, branching. . . . .	.50
Emerald Gem —Fast growing, trailing, small heart shaped leaves. . . . .	.35
English Ivy (Hedera helix) —Best for outdoor culture, walls, etc. . . . .	.35
Fan (crenata) —A distinctive fan-shaped, ruffled, medium leaved type. Bushy. . . . .	.50
Fleur de lis —Compact, small various shaped leaves. Distinctive. . . . .	.50
Garland —New. Medium, glossy pleated leaves which overlap each other. Trails in garland effect. . . . .	.75
Glymii —Small heart shaped leaves, fast growing, free trailing. . . . .	.35
Glacier —The best of the small-leaved variegated type. Green and white foliage. . . . .	.50
Gold Dust —Well known, medium leaved, trailing, golden mottled. . . . .	.50
Green Feather (meacheri) —Smallest leaved type. Compact. Odd. . . . .	.35
Lady Kay —Small lance shaped leaves. Bushy, trailing, strong, extra fine. . . . .	.35
Manda's Crested —Medium, ruffled, star shaped leaf. A fine trailing variety. . . . .	.50
Marmorata —Small mottled green and white leaf. Hardy. <i>Snowflake and discolor</i> we find identical to this. . . . .	.50
Merion Beauty —A reliable fine small-leaved branching variety. . . . .	.35
My Heart —Large perfect heart-shaped leaf not identified. Distinctive.	1.00
Pedata —Viny, small bird's foot-shaped leaf, white veins. . . . .	.35
Pixie —A dwarf, compact ruffled leaf type. Non-trailing. Nice. . . . .	.50
Sweetheart (deltoidea) —Slow growing, small heart shaped leaves. Different. . . . .	.75
Sylvanian Beauty —A beautiful medium glossy pleated leaf overlapping and growing in garland effect. Much like Garland. . . . .	.75
Triloba —Viny. Small three pointed white vined leaf. . . . .	.35
Ripples —A much curled and crested leaf. Compact and bushy growth. Choice. . . . .	.50
Tecurl —Small much ruffled deeply cut leaf. Very compact. Bushy. Extra nice. . . . .	.50
Walthamensis —Viny well branched, small white veined leaf. Good. . . . .	.50
Collection —8 Ivies (our choice) to include 2 variegated.	2.50

PLASTIC POT LABELS: The finest, neatest marker for your plants. Pure white.
Will not rot. Easy to write on. \$1.25 per 100. (Minimum 25)

PERENNIALS AND ROCK GARDEN PLANTS

All plants are field-grown of proper size for good blooms this year.

Prices: 35c each. 3 of a kind \$1.00, 10 of a kind \$3.00 unless noted.

The asterisk (*) indicates varieties suitable for the Rock Garden.

- ***ACHILLEA aurea**—Dwarf golden yellow.
- filipendula Parker's var.**—Large golden.
- ptamica The Pearl**—Double white.

ACONITUM (Monkshood)

- ***AJUGA Brockbanki** (Bugle-weed)

***aurza**—Yellow and green foliage.

***genevensis**—Pink spires. 50c each

***variegata**—Green and white foliage.

- ***ALYSSUM saxatile** (Basket-of-Gold)

ANCHUSA italica—Brilliant gentian blue.

- ***ANDROSACE sarmentosa** (Rock Jasmine)

- ***ANEMONE pulsatilla** (The Pasque Flower)

ANTHEMIS kelwayi—Daisy-like flowers.

AQUILEGIA (Columbine)

akitensis—Blue, white, tips.

***flabellata nana**—12 in. Dwarf white.

Mrs. Scott Elliott's Hybrids

- ***ARABIS alpina flora-pleno**—Double white.

***androsace**—4 in. Silvery haired rosettes

- ***ARMERIA laucheana** (Thrift or Sea-Pink)

***Glory of Holland**—Large pink flowers.

- ***ASTER alpinus**—Daisy-like blue flowers:

Harrington Pink—Silvery pink.

Wartburg Star—Lilac-blue, orange center.

- ***AUBIETIA hybrids** (Purple Rockcress)

BAPTISIA australis (False Indigo)

BELAMCANDA (Blackberry-lily).

- BOLTONIA latisquama** (False Starwort)

CALLIHOE involucrata (Buffalo Rose)

- ***CAMPANULA carpatica** (Harebell)

***garganica**

persicifolia (Peach-leaf Bellflower)

persicifolia alba—White

rotundifolia (Scotch Blue Bell)

- ***CARNATION grenadin**—Mixed colors.

CATANANCHE caerulea (Cupid Dart)

CENTAUREA montana (Perennial Cornflower)

- ***CERASTIUM glaciale**

***tomentosum** (Snow-in-summer)

- ***CHRYSOGONUM virginianum**

CLEMATIS tangutica (Yellow Clematis)

COREOPSIS grandiflora (Tickseed)

- ***CORYDALIS lutea**—Golden heart-like blooms.

- ***COTULA squalida**—Forms dense green carpet.

DELPHINIUM Pacific Hybrids—

Astolat—Pink and lavender shades.

Blue Bird—Clearest medium blue.

Galahad—Huge pure white.

Guinevere—Light pink-lavender, white bee.

King Arthur—Deep violet with white bee.

Summer Skies—Azure blue with white bee.

Above Delphiniums 50c each, 3 for \$1.35.

chinensis (Chinese Delphinium)

Lyondale mixed—Large flowered

CHRYSANTHEMUMS—Best early flowering varieties. The following bloom before frost time in this section, late August to mid September, except those marked (†) which are late September and October.

YELLOW VARIETIES

Butterball—Earliest yellow.

Duluth—Tall Yellow.

Eugene Wander—Large flowered.

Golden Carpet—Golden creeper.

Golden Mound—Yellow cushion.

My Lady—Extra early. Low.

Pigmy Gold—Early button.

BRONZE VARIETIES

Apricot Cushion—Rich apricot.

Harbinger—Golden bronze.

N. H. Bronze—Early bronze.

†**Olive Longland**—Large apricot.

RED VARIETIES

Red Cushion—Brick red.

Red Gold—Red and gold.

Redwood—Ruby red. Low.

PINK VARIETIES

Arbutus—Pale pink.

Cecil Beed—Lavender-pink.

Dean Kay—Reliable rosy pink.

Heatherbloom—Heather pink.

Pink Cushion—Extra free bloomer.

Rusty Rose—Name not identified.

PURPLE VARIETIES

Chippewa—Dark purple and silver.

Joan Helen—Garnet, yellow center.

Violet—Extra early dahlia-purple.

WHITE VARIETIES

Candlelight—Creamy white.

Powder Puff—Best white cushion.

White Cloud—Largest early white.

Above Chrysanthemums, banded plants available until July first: 25c each, 6 for \$1.25.

(CHRYSANTHEMUM maximum) SHASTA DAISY Diener's Giant Hybrids

- DIANTHUS barbatus** (Sweet William)
White, Newport Pink, Scarlet Beauty
*allwoodi
*plumarius (Clove Pink)
*Rose Cushion
- DICENTRA spectabilis** (Bleeding Heart)
- DIGITALIS** (Foxglove)—Mixed. Biennial.
ambigua (Yellow Foxglove).
- DORONICUM caucasicum** (Leopardbane)
- ERIGERON speciosus** (Fleabane)
- ERYNGIUM amethystinum** (Sea-Holly)
- ***EUPHORBIA mysinites** (Milkwort)
*cyparissus—Like miniature cypress.
- ***GENISTA Dwarf Double Golden** .75.
- ***GERANIUM Lancaster**—
- GYPSOPHILA paniculata** (Baby's Breath)
repens rosea
rosy veil—Double soft pink.
- ***HELIANTHEMUM mutabilis** (Sunrose)
*Double Yellow. 50c, 3 for \$1.35.
*Fireball—Double red. .50
- ***HEUCHERA sanguinea** (Coralbells)
- HOLLYHOCK** (*Althea rosea*)—
Chamois, Pink, Scarlet, Yellow. All Double.
- IRIS Siberian**—Dark blue. Thrives everywhere.
*Pumila—Dwarf blue.
- ***IBERIS sempervirens** (Evergreen Candytuft)
*Snowflake—50c, 3 for \$1.35.
- ***LEONTOPODIUM alpinum**—Edelweiss
- LIATRIS pycnostachya** (Gay Feather)
scariosa alba—Spikes of white flowers.
- ***LOTUS corniculatus** (Bird's foot Trefoil)
- LUPINUS Russell** (Russell Lupine)—Mixed
- LYCHNIS viscaria flora plena**—Double rose.
- MATRICARIA capensis** (Feverfew)
*Golden Ball—Dwarf golden yellow.
- ***MAZUS reptans**—Creeping ground cover.
- ***OENOTHERA** (Evening Primrose)—
missouriensis Immense yellow blooms.
youngii—Showy lemon-yellow blossoms.
- PAPAYER nudicaule** (Iceland Poppy)
- PENSTEMON digitalis**—White.
- ***PHLOX divaricata**—Heads of light blue
*subulata (Moss or Mountain Pinks)—
Alba (White), Blue Hill, Atropurpurea
suffruticosa Miss Lingard (Early Phlox)
- PHLOX decusata** (Hardy Phlox)
Border Queen—Low. Pure pink.
Caroline Vandenberg—Lavender-blue
Daily Sketch—Soft pink, carmine eye.
Leo Schlageter—Scarlet, orange cast.
Lillian—Beautiful salmon pink.
Marie Louise—Large pure white.
Miss Copeyn—Outstanding pink.
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- PHYSOSTEGIA** (False Dragonhead)—
Summer Glow Rosy-crimson.
- PLATYCODON grandiflorum** (Balloon Flower)—
Shell Pink—Blush to shell pink.
mariesi—Profusion of violet-blue flowers.
- POLEMONIUM caeruleum** (Jacob's Ladder)
- ***PRIMULA** (Primrose)—
acaulis Juliae Wanda—Velvety-purple.
acaulis mixed—Improved rainbow mixture.
auricula Giant Mixed—Fragrant umbels
veris Polyanthus Mixed—Large flowered
Primroses 50c each, 3 for \$1.35.
- PYRETHRUM roseum** (Painted Daisy)—
Extra Double Mixed colors.
- ***SAPONARIA ocymoides** (Soapwort)
- ***SAXIFRAGA lingulata superba** (Saxifrage)
- ***SEDUM acre** (Stonewort)
*kamchaticum—Prostrate, evergreen foliage.
- ***SEMPERVIVENS tectorum**
(Common Houseleek)—Hen-and-chickens.
- SIDALCEA Rose Queen** (Greek Mallow)
- ***SILENE maritima** (Sea Campion)
- STOKESIA cyana** (Stoke's Aster)
- THERMOPSIS caroliniana** (Carolina Lupine)
- TRITOMA Pfitzer Hybrids** (Torch-lily)
- TROLLIUS ledebouri** (Globeflower)
(Double Buttercup) 50c each, 3 for \$1.35.
- ***VERONICA corymbosa**—Showy dark blue
*gentianoides—Dwarf spikes of gentian-blue
*incana—Grey foliage. Slender, spikes of blue.
*holophylla—Vivid blue, shiny green foliage.
spicata (Speedwell)—Spires of indigo blue.
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albula Silver King
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- BALM (Melissa officinalis)**—Lemon
- BEE-Balm (Monarda didyma)** Scarlet Bergamot
M. fistulosa -Lavender
M. didyma -Pink
- BASIL (Ocimum Basilicum)** Sweet annual. 25c
O. minimum -Bush. Annual. 25c
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- CREME DE MENTHA**
- ***DITTANY (Origanum dictamnus)** Cretan. 75c
- ***GINGER (Zingerber officinalis)** True. 50c
- GERMANDER (Teucrium chamaedrys)**
- ***HELIOTROPE** -Sweet Scented. Potted.
- ***HELIOTROPE** -Large dark purple variety.
- ***HELIOTROPE** -White
- HOREHOUND (Marrubium vulgare)**
- HYSSOP (Hyssopus officinalis)** Mixed.
- LAVENDER (Lavendula vera)** 50c
- ***LAVENDULA stoechas** -French. 50c
- LOVAGE (Levisticum officinale)** 50c
- ***MARJORAM (Marjoram hortensis)** Sweet
- MARJORAM (Pulchellum)** Showy
- MINT (Mentha citrata)** Orange or bergamot
M. crispa -Curly
M. peperita -Peppermint
M. rotundifolia -Woolly or Apple
M. rotundifolia variegated -Pineapple
M. spicata viridis -Spearmint
- MULLEIN (Verbascum olypticum)** Greek
- PARSLEY (Petroselinum hortense crispum)** Curly. 20c -6 for \$1.00.
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- SAGE (Salvia officinalis)** Holt's Mammoth
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S. sclarea turkestanica -Clary Biennial.
- ***ROSEMARY (Rosemarinus officinalis)**
- RUE (Ruta graveolens)**
- SANTOLINA (Santolina chamaecyparissus)**
 Grey Lavender Cotton.
S. virens -Green Lavender Cotton
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- SORRELL (Rumex scutatus)** French. Salad.
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- SWEET WOODRUFF (Asperula odorata)** 50c
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T. herba-barona -Caraway
T. vulgaris -Common
T. vulgaris aureus marginata -Golden Lemon
T. vulgaris argenteus marginata -Silver Lemon
T. lanicaulis
T. serpyllum -Flowering thyme
 Pink, Red, White
T. serpyllum aureus -Lemon
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