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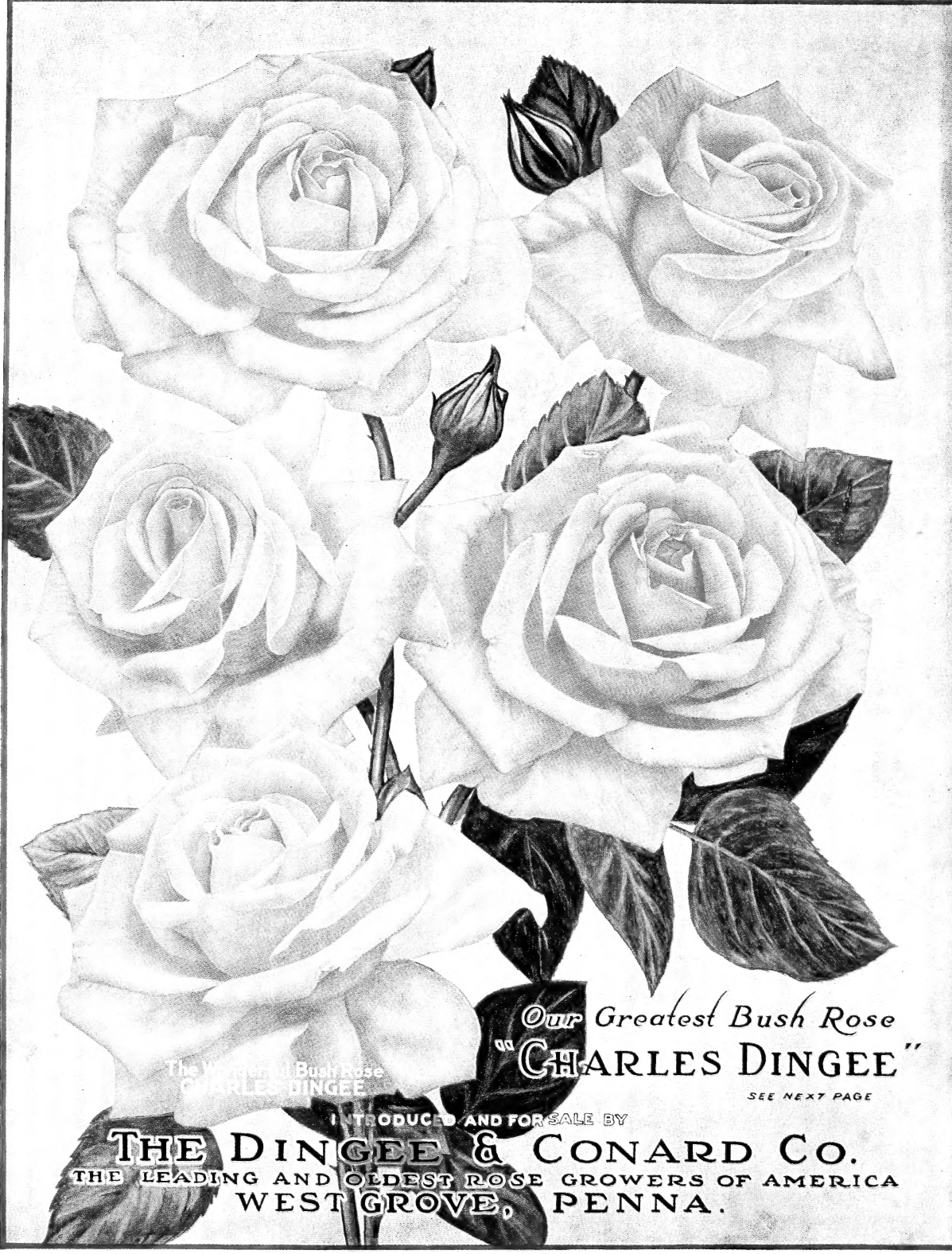
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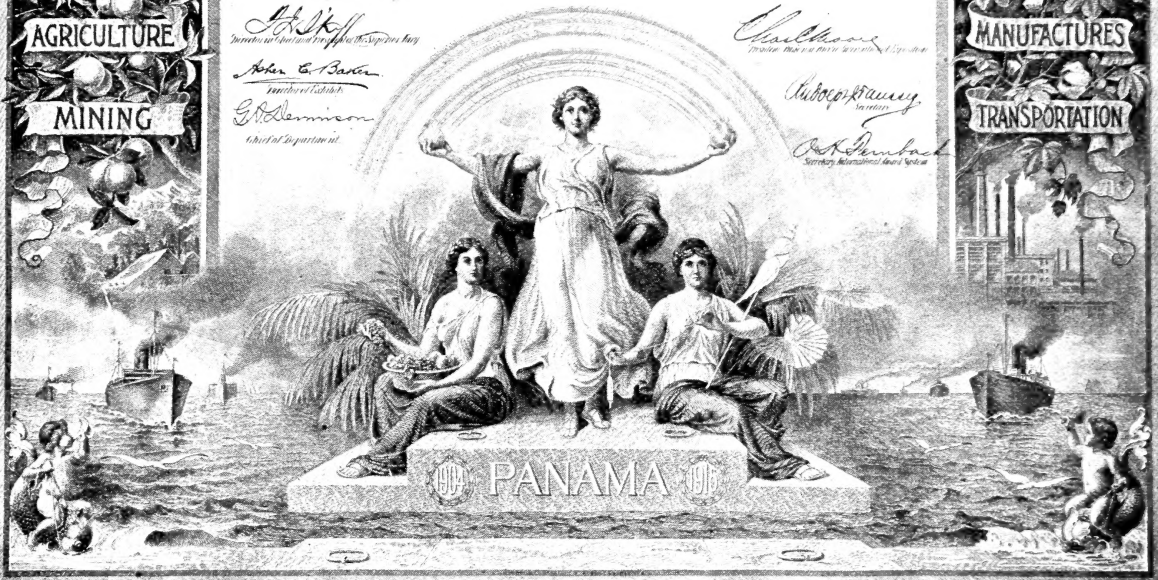
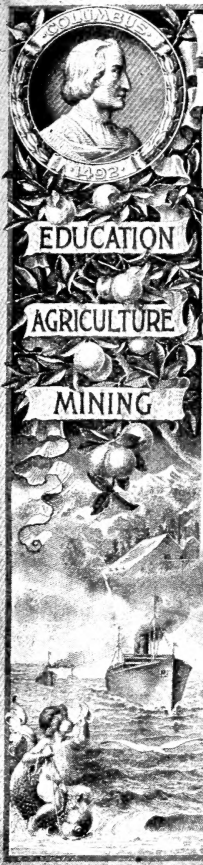
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(See the Colored Photographic Illustration on opposite page.)

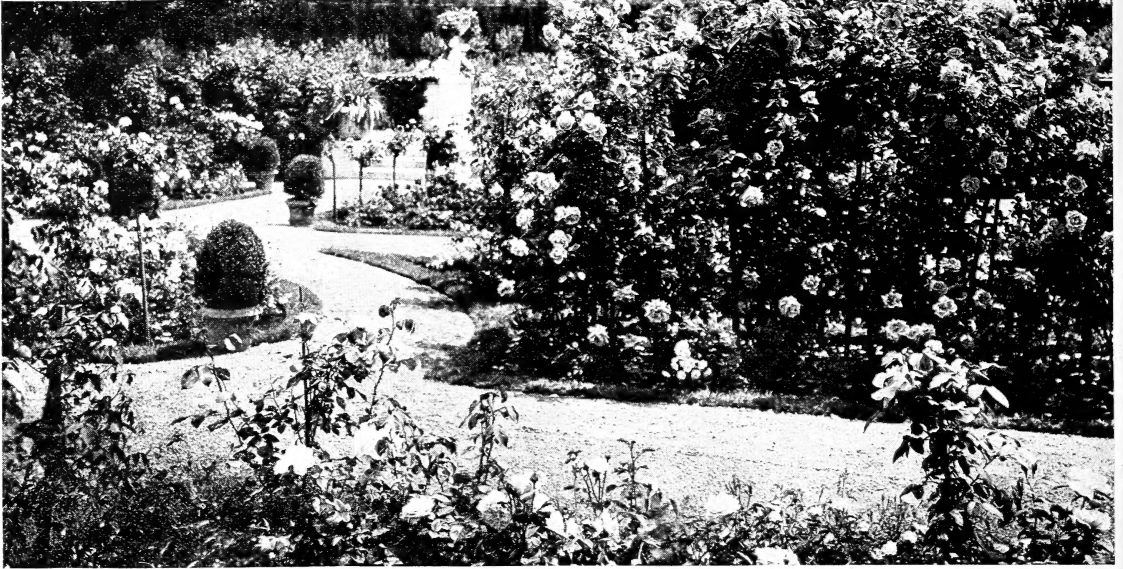
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Pioneer Rose Growers of America.

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The Dingee & Conard Co. has no connection whatever with any other concern either in West Grove or elsewhere, but is the old, original company, established on its present site by its founder, Charles Dingee, in 1850, and is still conducted by his family. Letters addressed to Dingee, West Grove, Penna., will reach us.

How to Grow "Dingee Roses"



ALL DINGEE ROSES are propagated under such favorable conditions that our shibboleth, "Dingee Roses Go and Grow Everywhere," is literally true; but common sense tells us that certain kinds of Roses thrive better in some localities than in others. We are often asked our opinion upon this one point, and in order to give our friends a guide for them to follow we have tried to indicate as nearly as possible, in connection with the different classes of Roses, the section of the country in which each will thrive to its full perfection with the least amount of protection.

But it must not be understood, because we prefer a certain class for one locality, that it will not do well in others. For instance, we recommend all the Hybrid Perpetuals for planting in the extreme Northern States and Canada, and yet the same varieties grow to great size and beauty in Florida and Texas. On the other hand, we state that some of the Tea Roses are best for Southern planting; but by careful protection they may be grown successfully in Canada.

Preparation of Beds

The way to get the best results from Roses when planted in beds is to make a trench to a depth of 15 to 18 inches, that is, the soil should be removed to that depth, well pulverized and mixed with from one-third to one-fourth its bulk with well-rotted animal manure, cow stable manure preferable where it can be obtained. Before filling in the bed it is well to put in some material for drainage, such as soft coal cinders, broken crockery or stones, not too large. Then return the soil to the trench, and when returned it should stand from 3 to 4 inches higher than the surrounding ground, as it will quickly settle below the surface. It is necessary to do this, in order that the rain water will drain quickly away from the bed. If, however, the soil you remove from the trench is not the best Rose soil, as the best kind of soil for Roses is a clayey loam, if your soil does not contain this it can be improved by mixing in sods from the roadside or fields, but if your soil is too heavy it should be lightened with a portion of sand. The soil before returning to the trench should be well pulverized, that is, make it as fine as possible, and also the manure should be pulverized and not left in chunks if you wish to obtain the best results. The selection of your bed is a very important matter. Roses thrive best where they can secure all the sun possible, that is, do not plant them close to trees or shrubbery, as the roots of these extend farther than the branches. Select, if possible, an open situation, where the plants will receive plenty of air and sunshine. It is not, however, necessary that they should receive sunshine the entire day. A southeastern exposure is an ideal one. They will, however, do well in other locations if given the necessary care. Roses do better if they are watered in the morning.

Fertilizer

This is a question we are frequently requested to answer. Animal manure from one to two years old

where it can be obtained is the best. Cow manure is generally preferred, and can be used in fresh condition. Horse manure when new is very heating and should not be used while in this condition, except as a winter mulch. Hog, sheep and chicken manure are also very useful. The last two, however, should be used sparingly. Ground bone is beneficial, but should be secured as fine as possible, and it should be used sparingly. The best method is sprinkling a portion over the bed until the ground is entirely covered, then with the use of a fork it can be dug into the soil and thoroughly mixed. Air slaked lime is also beneficial, about a cupful to a plant scattered on the surface in early spring and mid-summer. A mulching of cow stable manure is very beneficial during the growing season. It helps to retain the moisture during the dry season, as well as a food for the roots.

Planting

As soon as the plants are received it is best to immediately plant, yet if it is impossible to do this the plant should be placed in a cellar or moderately warm place and protected from the sun. Set them upright to admit the free circulation of air. When you receive them they will be wrapped in Sphagnum Moss, which should be removed before planting, as it is used only for protection. Water freely from time to time. The roots should be covered with soil or burlap and never allowed to become dry. Soaking the roots in lukewarm water or thin mud for an hour or two before planting to restore their vitality is beneficial. Do not set the plants too shallow. They should be planted deeper than they were growing in the pots before shipping. This can easily be determined by an examination of the plant. The roots of the plants should be spread out and not cramped. If you receive them with the soil on the roots in which they have been growing, do not remove this soil, but simply loosen it if packed in a hard ball. Give them as near a natural position as possible. Use plenty of water after planting and shade for a few days if the sun is hot, with newspaper or similar material, and if the season is a dry one an occasional watering will be beneficial. The best time to plant Roses such as we send out, being pot-grown, own-root stock, is in early spring. This refers entirely to pot-grown plants and not dormant plants. By dormant plants we mean field-grown, that is, lifted from the field and have not made any growth whatever. Such plants as these should be set out earlier than pot-grown plants.

Pruning

As a rule the Roses that we send out do not need any pruning, being pot-grown plants. However, if the bushes are more spreading than is desired it does not injure the plant any to prune it back. This applies only to the pot-grown plants. Where dormant or field-grown plants are secured they should be pruned back before planting. Pruning can be done at any season of the year with a certain class of Roses, but it is a matter to be governed by the judgment of the possessor of the plants. The best

time for pruning is early spring, just before they begin to break at the eyes. Then it is well to trim Roses back to about one-third to one-half the season's growth. The larger and heavier the growth the more it should be trimmed.

Winter Protection

The protection necessary to keep Roses safely through the winter months depends entirely upon the character of the plant and the location. For such Roses as the Hybrid Perpetuals, Rugosas, Harrison's Yellow, etc., very little protection, if any, is necessary in any climate, yet it is beneficial in the cold latitudes of the North to give them a protection of straw horse stable manure after the first hard freeze. The soil itself is a good protection. When protecting the Teas and Hybrid Teas it is a good plan to mound the earth about each plant, or use clean sand about six inches deep, then fill in between the mounds with straw horse stable manure, the coarser the better. The uncovered tops may be tied up with straw or burlap. We would not suggest the use of leaves, as oftentimes mice make their home there and destroy the plants through the winter. This protection should be gradually removed in March in the latitude of Philadelphia, or as soon as all danger of hard freezing is over. The tender Roses may also be wintered in boxes or pots of soil in a cool cellar or heeled in (the earth itself). Where you have a dirt floor two or three waterings will be required during the winter, just sufficient to prevent drying out.

Diseases and Insects

MILDEW—This disease very frequently attacks the foliage of Roses, especially the Crimson Rambler. It is shown by a grayish crinkling appearance of the leaves and usually occurs after a change in the temperature. It can be checked to a certain extent by sprinkling the leaves with powdered sulphur immediately after its appearance. If, however, this does not check it, dissolve one ounce of potassium sulphuret in two gallons of cold water and apply a fine spray.

GREEN FLY OR APHIS—A green suckling insect which usually gathers in great numbers upon the tips of the new growth. A solution of tobacco made from tobacco insecticide soap, which you will find offered elsewhere in this book, will exterminate them.

Red Spider is also a small insect indiscernible to the naked eye, and a frequent spraying with a strong hose is all that is necessary. The leaf roller is an insect of yellowish-white color, resembling the butterfly, and lay eggs on the underside of the leaf, which soon form a cocoon, rolling around itself the leaf, hence the name leaf-roller. The Rose bug, a familiar insect, appears in the earliest summer, sometimes in great quantities, and is very troublesome. It is a very destructive insect and usually feeds upon the white petals, but is easily destroyed, especially in the early morning, when they will readily fall into a vessel containing kerosene. They can be poisoned, but it is not a very desirable way to get rid of them. This is to spray with wood alcohol, which will kill any insect by contact, operates quickly and does not injure the flower if applied in a mist-like spray.

Care should be exercised by the operator not to inhale any of the fumes. Any of the foregoing preparations can be applied by the Tyrian Plant Sprinkler or the Auto-Spray, the price of which will be found elsewhere in this book.

BLACK SPOT—A fungous disease, appearing as its name indicates as a black spot upon the leaf, eventually turning yellow and falling. It rarely occurs in the early part of the season, and the Teas are almost, but not quite, exempt from its ravages. The best preventative if your bushes have been troubled by it in the past is spraying in April with Bordeaux Mixture before the foliage has developed and not while the flowers are in bloom, because of the discoloration of the foliage. The disease usually appears at the base of the plant and works upwards, so a watch should be kept and as soon as any leaves appear affected with the disease they should be pulled off and taken entirely away from the balance of the plants. If this is thoroughly done it will usually hold the disease in check.

HARDINESS—Hardiness in a Rose is a matter of which no one can speak with positive certainty, because the condition of the weather as a rule prescribes the hardiness of a plant, as quite frequently plants that have been out year after year will be winter-killed by unusual conditions.

KEROSENE EMULSION—To two quarts of kerosene add one of slightly sour milk; agitate and dilute with twenty parts of soft water.

TOBACCO SOLUTION—Boil the leaves or stems of tobacco and dilute to the color of weak tea.

TOBACCO INSECTICIDE SOAP—A standard remedy and one of the best, with full directions for use. Two sizes. Price, 13 cents and 28 cents each, postpaid.

BUG KILLER—A new preparation for killing all kinds of bugs and pests that attack Roses. Box sufficient for two gallons of spray, 50 cents, 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.

BORDEAUX MIXTURE (Dry)—For dusting plants affected with mildew and all fungous diseases. Can be dissolved and used as a spray. 1-lb. box, 35c (makes 5 gallons liquid), postpaid.

FOR TRELLISES, ARBORS, GATEWAYS, PERGOLAS, ETC.—In the North such Climbing Roses as those offered on pages 66 to 74. Climbing American Beauty on cover, and those on page 78 marked M. H. and H. In the warmer climates any of the above and all of those on pages 75 to 78.

FOR GROWING ROSES FOR CUT FLOWERS—In greenhouses, such as Killarneys, American Beauty, Bride, Bridesmaid, Milady, Ophelia, My Maryland, Lady Hillingdon, Sunburst, Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. For outdoor growing for cut-flower purposes none are better adapted for this than the Coquets and Charles Dingee.

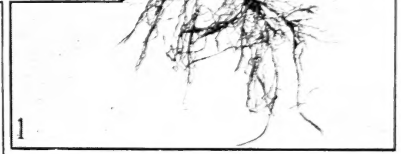
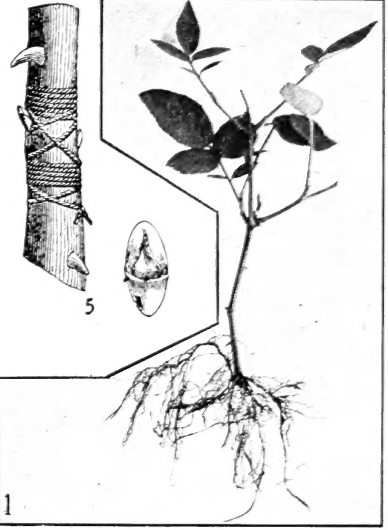
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When our business was established, over 60 years ago, by the founder, Charles Dingee, budded and grafted Roses were the only kind to be had. They were as unsatisfactory then as they are now, and Mr. Dingee conceived the idea of producing Roses, for American homes and gardens, **grown on own roots in America and not in Europe.** Other honorable gentlemen are engaged in the business in other parts of the country but we are the original producers and, notwithstanding the wild and unfounded claims of new firms, whose claim of ancient origin is by the vagary of a covetous imagination, the original "House of Dingee" still continues under the management of the founder's family, following in his footsteps and adhering tenaciously to the honorable traditions which he established for truth in advertising and reliability, and has inherited his intense contempt for sham and deceit. Don't be misled. If you want permanent Roses secure own root plants. We have been sending these own root plants to every State in the country for over fifty years. Budded Roses seem so much larger and stronger than own root plants that anyone is apt to be deceived and induced to buy them. **Read what others say about them, and purchase from reliable houses who have made the business a life work.**



The budding is usually done on wild Mannettia Rose stalks by taking a bud from the original plant and inserting it under the bark of the Mannettia and binding it thereon, as in Illustration No. 5.

The first year the budded Rose makes a rapid, soft growth, probably producing some blooms, but the second year the wild root begins to assert itself and grows with tremendous vigor, throwing out wild shoots from the roots, thus sapping the life from the top, which usually dies, as in illustration No. 4. Note the shoot from the side with the foliage thereon, which is the wild Rose that will not bloom, nor is it ornamental; also note the dead branches of the original Rose budded thereon. This is an actual photograph of a two-year budded Rose.

Anyone who wants Roses and not wild shrubbery should buy only the best, or Roses grown on Their Own Roots. Such are the Dingee Roses, known the world over. We sometimes wonder why these budded Roses are offered by some firms; selling them to an unknown and unsuspecting public, but, as Barnum said, "American people like to be humbugged." We are content to adhere to the principles laid down by the founder of this business, who, notwithstanding the many ridiculous claims put forth by men who were yet unborn when Mr. Dingee was

active in the business of producing Own Root Roses, now claim to have invented this method of production.

An own-root plant is started by taking a portion of a branch from the mother plant and putting in sand until the roots are formed at the bottom, as illustrated in No. 1. This is what is known as a rooted cutting. Note how the fibrous roots are formed. In illustration No. 2 we have a first size own root plant grown in pots. No. 3 illustrates a two-year-old plant grown in a four or five-inch pot. Note the fibrous roots, which soon establish themselves in the soil after planting; also how each shoot or branch is crowned with a bud; how these branches are formed and how the increase in size is made up by making new shoots. Compare this photograph with the one of the budded plant (No. 4) and note how different. A budded plant cannot increase in size unless the increase is made on the weak budded branch and then very seldom, but Own Root Roses increase in size each year, unless destroyed, and are permanent, producing finer and better blooms each season. They are the only Roses suitable for the varying climatic conditions of our country, and we cannot emphasize too strongly the importance of knowing the kind of plants you are getting before placing an order for them. What a success these own root roses have been are told by a few of the many testimonials we receive each year unsolicited from many thousands of satisfied customers, and published elsewhere in this book.

Terms, Guarantee and How We Ship

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Our terms are cash with order, except where satisfactory bank reference is given, when we will gladly open an account. Goods will be shipped C. O. D., if one-half of amount is remitted with order. Money may be sent at our risk by Post Office Order, Express Money Order, Bank Draft, Money (not stamps) in Registered Letter. We will be responsible for the safe carriage of money sent us by any of these ways, and, if lost, we will give full value. Please do not send stamps for money. They often come stuck together, or stuck to the letter, so that they cannot be taken out except by soaking. Canadian customers can remit by International Money Order on West Grove, Bank Draft, or currency in Registered Letter. Canadian postage stamps have no value here.

Our Guarantee

We guarantee that our goods must reach their destination in good condition, satisfactory to you, or they will be duplicated or money refunded. You will not find many guarantees that cover the situation as briefly and as concisely as this. You run absolutely no risk.

Sixty-seven years of business integrity, during which time we have served millions of Rose lovers in all parts of the universe, gives our assurance of efficient service considerable value. Before laying this book aside, make up your order, send it in to us as early as possible. We will reserve the goods for you and ship whenever you direct, guaranteeing absolute satisfaction, honorable treatment and \$1.00 worth of goods for every dollar sent us. Our word for it that you will be satisfied in every particular.

WE GIVE, HOWEVER, NO WARRANTY, express or implied, as to any description, quality, productiveness or any other matter of any seeds, bulbs or plants we send out, and we will not be in any way responsible for the crop. If the purchaser does not accept the goods on these terms, they are at once to be returned.

Quite frequently a Rose, for some reason that we are unable to explain, will produce a bloom somewhat different from description given, especially the first blooms that are produced, that we cannot entertain complaints along this line. We exercise the utmost care in handling stock and filling orders and rarely a mistake of this kind occurs.

COMPLAINTS—When the goods reach you, if there is any complaint it must be made within ten days, otherwise we cannot entertain it.

How We Ship

The goods offered at postpaid prices are shipped by mail postpaid. The first size or one-year plants and the extra size Roses are usually sent in this way, but we recommend express shipments (at your expense) on account of being able to leave the soil on the roots in which they have been growing, thus reaching you in much better condition than if sent by mail, when it is necessary to remove the soil and wrap in damp moss and wax paper.

The two- and three-year-old plants of Roses,

Shrubs, etc., are always sent by express at your expense, regardless of the number ordered, unless specifically requested to send by mail, and if so, add 5c per plant and we will ship by parcel post.

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Probably you have never thought of that feature, but after the growing of the plants there is no other feature so important. We have, after sixty-seven years of business experience, the right to know how goods should be packed. We have served millions of flower buyers in all parts of the civilized world. We know what is required in sending goods to the most distant points. It is needless for us to go into the details here of how it is possible for us, whether you live in West Grove, Pa., or whether you live in Portland, Oregon, or the most distant point, to have goods reach you as fresh and green as if you called here personally at our establishment and selected the plants yourself. It is a wonderful feature of our business, this scientific packing. It makes you, in these modern days of quick transportation, our next-door neighbor.

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PLEASE OBSERVE CAREFULLY—When ordering, please use the order sheet provided for that purpose whenever possible. Simply fill up the blanks giving the number and name of the varieties wanted, with size and price; we will understand.

ORDER EARLY—Many of our customers order early, and the plants are set aside; the earlier you order the better. We will book for delivery whenever you direct, or at the time we consider proper to plant such stock ordered.

PARCEL POST C. O. D.—If you desire your order, no matter how small, sent C. O. D. by Parcel Post we can do so at an additional cost of only 10 cents, and the small fee for the money order, which is 3 cents up to \$2.50; 5 cents up to \$5.00, making it much cheaper than by express, as you have no express charges and additional charge for returning money.

CANADIAN CUSTOMERS—Canadian laws prohibit sending dormant Roses or Shrubs into Canada except from March 15 to May 15, and from October 7 to December 7. All other goods, including our pot-grown Roses, from 3½-inch pots and smaller, grown under glass, are admitted at any time.

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Complete Index of Roses Offered

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On this and the three pages following we give a complete alphabetical list of all the Roses offered in this book, showing the class to which they belong, the page on which they are described, and the price of each.

Abbreviations Used: Tea, Everblooming Teas; H. T., Hybrid Teas; B. C., Bourbon, Bengal and China; H. P., Hardy Hybrid Perpetuals; C. T., Climbing Teas; C. N., Climbing Noisette; H. C., Hardy Climbing; M., Moss; T. P., Tea Polyantha; P., Polyantha, or Fairy; Rug., Rugosa; W., Wichuraiana, or Memorial; Rug., Hybrid Rugosa; C. H. T., Climbing Hybrid Teas; N., Noisette.

Varieties	Class	1st size Cents	2-year Cents	Page	Varieties	Class	1st size Cents	2-year Cents	Page	Varieties	Class	1st size Cents	2-year Cents	Page
Abel Carriere	H.P.	20	50	59	Caroline Goodrich	C.N.	15	40	78	Crimson Baby Rambler	H.T.	15	40	54
Admiral Dewey	H.T.	20	50	23	Caroline Marniesse	B.C.	15	35	57	Crimson Crown	P.	25	50	25
Admiral Schley	H.T.	20	50	23	Carmine Pillar	C.T.	15	40	78	Crimson Maman Cochet	H.T.	20	50	37
Admiral Ward	H.T.	25	75	15	Catherine Mermet	Tea	15	40	43	Crimson Queen	H.T.	30	75	15
Aerrippina	B.C.	15	35	56	Celine Forestier	C.T.	15	40	78	Crimson Rambler	H.C.	15	40	73
Alberic Barbier	H.C.	15	40	66	Champion of the World	B.C.	15	40	56	Crimson Roamer	H.C.	15	40	57
Albert Hoffman	Tea	15	40	42	Charles Dingee	Tea	25	50	3	C. P. Strasheim	W.	15	40	57
Albert Stopford	Tea	15	40	42	Charles Legrady	Tea	15	40	43	Daily Mail	H.T.	25	60	25
Alex. Hill Gray	Tea	25	50	12	Chateau de Clos Vougeat	H.T.	20	50	24	Dawson	H.C.	15	40	74
Alfred Colomb	H.P.	20	50	59	Cherokee	H.T.	20	40	57	Dean Hole	H.T.	20	50	25
Alice Roosevelt	H.T.	20	50	23	Cheshunt Hybrid	H.P.	20	50	60	Debutante	W.	15	40	57
Alice Sisley	Tea	15	40	42	Christine de Nougé	Tea	15	40	44	Devoniensis	T.	15	40	44
Alliance Franco-Russe	Tea	15	40	42	Christine Wright	H.C.	25	50	71	Dinsmore	H.P.	20	50	60
Allister Stella Gray	C.T.	15	40	78	Chromatella	C.T.	15	40	78	Dorothy Page Roberts	H.T.	20	50	25
America	C.T.	15	40	78	Clara Jacquier	H.C.	15	40	67	Dorothy Perkins	H.C.	15	40	67
American Beauty	H.T.	25	60	63	Clara Watson	H.T.	25	50	25	Double White Baby Ram-				
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Augustine Guinoisseau	H.T.	20	50	29	Clim'g Gruss an Teplitz	C.H.T.	20	50	76	Duke of Edinburgh	H.P.	20	50	61
Augustine Halem	H.T.	20	50	23	Climbing Helen Gould	C.T.	20	45	77	Earl of Dufferin	H.P.	20	50	61
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Queen Beatrice	H.T.	20	50	39	Souv. d'un Ami	T.	15	40	51	Wm. K. Harris	W.	15	40	57
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Others Succeed, Why Not You?

Baltimore, Maryland, October 30, 1917.

Gentlemen:—The Roses I purchased from you the past spring are all doing splendid. I cannot say too much in praise of the Rose Jonkheer J. L. Mock. It has been blooming profusely for the past two months. It is a Rose of unusual beauty. During my many years experience in Rose growing I have found no Rose I consider superior to this great Rose. Among the other great Roses purchased from you in recent years are Charles Dingee, Bessie Brown, Princess of Naples, Lady Ashtown and J. B. Varonne.

Wishing you continued success, I am

Very truly yours, J. T. A. STROUP.

Beverly, Massachusetts, July 23, 1917.

Dear Sirs:—The bush Rose has arrived in very good condition and is even better than I expected it to be; a fine, large, healthy bush. I thank you sincerely for it. My Charles Dingee bush is growing splendidly. Everything that I ever bought of your firm has been first rate.

Thanking you again for your kindness, I am,

Sincerely yours, HELEN T. ALLEN.

Westfield, Wisconsin, Sept. 15, 1917.

Gentlemen:—In appreciation of the Roses I received this spring, I have never seen such healthy, verile plants sold as first year size. They just insisted on growing and bloomed at the same time. The extra Rose bloomed first. Thank you for it, and Charles Dingee is wonderful.

Very truly,

J. STUART HAMILTON.

Baltimore, Maryland, Jan. 17, 1917.

Dear Sirs:—My mother bought some Roses from you many years ago, and they were all that you claimed for them. Please send me your 1917 catalogue, New Guide to Rose Culture.

Yours truly,

MRS. H. F. BARRANGER.

Fairmead, California, Jan. 15, 1917.

Dear Sirs:—Fifteen years ago I started my Rose garden from your nursery, and now having moved to a new home must start again. Your Roses were always satisfactory.

Sincerely,

MRS. R. M. HOBBS.

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"The National Collection" of New Hardy Everblooming Roses

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NATIONAL EMBLEM (Hybrid Tea)—Owing to its magnificent color and formation this Rose was named National Emblem, and no Rose in our estimation has a better right to the honor of being the Standard Bearer. Its color is a deep crimson overlaid velvety crimson, shading to vermilion toward the edges. Buds long and pointed on stout stems, opening full and double, each one coming to perfection, and produced in marvelous profusion throughout the entire season. Plants make a gorgeous sight owing to the brightness of the blooms and the lustre of the foliage, being entirely free from mildew. Price, first size plants, 30c each, postpaid; 2-year-old plants, 75c each, by express, collect.

ALEXANDER HILL GRAY (Tea).—After a thorough trial both indoors under glass and in the open ground, we are pleased to offer this lovely yellow Rose to our customers as one of the very best of its class and color. The color, which is a deep lemon-yellow deepening as the flower expands, does not fade in the open ground, as is usual with such. Buds and blooms of perfect formation and of great substance, and produced in the greatest abundance throughout the entire season. Strong grower and hardy everywhere. This Rose was Awarded Gold Medal by the National Rose Society. Price, first size one-year plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid. Two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express.

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SPECIAL OFFER—One each of the three superb varieties offered above sent postpaid in first size plants; 75c. One each in large 2-year-old plants sent by express for \$1.50. All on own roots. Order as "National Collection."

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Rose H. V. Machin.

Primrose

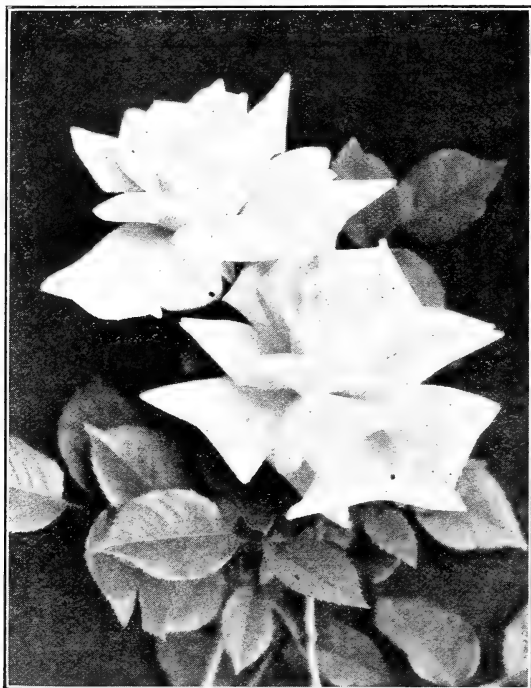
Hybrid Tea. This Rose creates a sensation wherever shown owing to its wonderful coloring, which is a mellow yellow during Spring and Summer, deeper in Autumn, with apricot shading of a most striking character. The buds are long and pointed, produced well above the foliage, opening large, double and of perfect form, and delightfully perfumed. Extra strong, vigorous growers with magnificent foliage, and unsurpassed as a steady growth. **Price, one-year or first size plants, 30c each; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; 2-year-old plants, 60c each by express. All grown on their own roots.**

GEO. C. WAUD—Hybrid Tea. One of the leading growers of England claims that this is one of their best. Awarded a Gold Medal by the National Rose Society. Color an orange-vermilion, very distinct and beautiful. Buds and blooms perfect finish. Strong, vigorous growth, and free flowering. Sweetly perfumed. **First size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; 2-year-old plants, 60c each, by express. All on own roots.**

H. V. Machin

One of the latest additions to the Hybrid Tea class and of unusual merit, having been awarded a Gold Medal by the National Rose Society, as well as many others. Color scarlet-crimson, intensely grained black. Buds and bloom very large and carried on rigid stalks. Strong, sturdy growth; highly fragrant. Splendid garden variety. Very free blooming. Hardy everywhere, and owing to its color bound to become one of the leaders as a garden or forcing Rose. Excellent keeper. **Price, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid. Two-year-old plants, 60c each, by express. All on own roots.**

MRS. F. W. VANDERBILT—Hybrid Tea. Strong, sturdy grower, exceptionally free flowering; blooms long and pointed, opening large and double; very fragrant. Color a deep red, shaded bronze apricot red. Fine outdoor variety, extremely hardy. **Price, 25c each first size plants, 5 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 60c each, by express.**



Molly Sharman Crawford.

George Dickson

Hybrid Tea. Magnificent large, full double blooms of velvety black scarlet crimson with back of petals veined with crimson maroon. Retains its shape and color remarkably well both before and after cutting. Rich Tea Rose perfume; strong, robust growth. Price, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 60c each, by express.

ERNA TESCHENDORFF—A valuable addition to the Baby Rambler class. The flowers being much darker than the Crimson Baby Rambler, blooms resembling the dazzling color of Virginia R. Coxe, and for that reason it has proven itself very popular, as it makes such a magnificent display. Price, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c, by express.

MRS. FOLEY HOBBS—Magnificent free-blooming Tea Rose. Color delicate ivory white faintly tinged with pink on the outer edge of petals. Buds magnificent in form; blooms large, opening perfect with a perfect finish; petals thick and shell-shaped; delightfully fragrant. An exceptionally fine Rose for either exhibition purposes grown under glass or out in the open ground. Awarded a gold medal by the National Rose Society. Price, 20c each, first size or one-year-old plants; 6 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 45c each, by express.

Molly Sharman Crawford

Tea, resembling, however, a Hybrid Tea more than the Tea Rose. It is one of the strongest growing Tea Roses that we have had the pleasure of seeing. The bush is a strong grower, producing a symmetrical form and the greatest quantity of the most perfect flowers we have ever seen. The color is a delicate white and we consider it one of the greatest white Roses grown today; in fact, it is almost as white as the driven snow. Flowers full and double and extraordinarily good for cutting purposes, whether grown indoors or out in the open ground; very hardy and will thrive in almost any location. Price, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid. 2-year-old plants, 50c each, by express. All grown on their own roots.

MRS. CHAS. RUSSELL—A new Hybrid Tea Rose of American origin, and considered to be equal to American Beauty both for forcing and open ground culture. Buds long and pointed, produced on long, stiff stems 3 feet in length, each one crowned with a bloom of a beautiful shade of rosy pink. Blooms large, full and magnificent formation. Price, first size plants, 25c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express. All on own roots.

PHARISAER—Hybrid Tea. Strong, robust grower, exceptionally fine for outdoor culture. Extremely hardy and free blooming. Color rosy white and shaded salmon. Flowers large, full double and well formed; an exceptionally good variety for general use. Price, first size one-year-old plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 60c each, by express.



Geo. Dickson.

NEW ROSES—Continued.

Crimson Queen

Hybrid Tea. Owing to its rich coloring this is a wonderful garden or bedding Rose. There is no color that produces the show that a good crimson does. The color is a rich, bright, velvety crimson. A strong, vigorous, upright grower; flowers large and full, a great garden Rose as it is always in bloom; extremely hardy and produces a magnificent bush in a short time, hardy everywhere. Price, first size one-year-old plants, 30c each; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid. Two-year-old plants, 75c each, by express. All grown on their own roots.

WILLOWMERE—Hybrid Tea.

Strong, vigorous grower. Superb rich, rimmed pink, shaded yellow in the center, delicately blended with carmine-pink. Buds long and pointed, opening up a cup-shaped flower, exceptionally fine for outdoor growing. Price, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid. Two-year-old plants, 60c each, by express.

MAD. BARDOU JOB—Hybrid Tea. Vigorous, strong, healthy; buds large, opening cup-shaped and very free blooming. Yellow and canary citron-yellow, extremely hardy. Price, first

size, one-year-old plants, 30c each; 4 for \$1.00. Large two-year-old plants, 60c each, by express. Grown on own roots.



Admiral Ward.



The Lovely Crimson Queen.

Admiral Ward

Hybrid Tea. One that we consider exceptionally fine of the latest introductions. The color is a crimson-red, shaded with a fiery red and velvety purple. Magnificent buds, opening large, full and double; vigorous grower, with a spreading and erect branching habit. The foliage is a large glossy green, free from insects or disease; exceptionally fine for outdoor growing; free blooming and hardy everywhere. Price, first size plants 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid. Two-year-old plants, 75c each, by express. All grown on their own roots.

FLORENCE FORRESTER, Hybrid Tea—Clear snow-white with a lemon tinge; as the flowers age they become a pure white; the blooms are even larger than Paul Neyron. Its habit is absolutely perfect, and the freedom with which it flowers is marvelous. We consider this Rose the grandest of all whites for bedding. For size and substance it has no equal among Hybrid Teas. Is very sweetly perfumed. Beautiful long pointed buds on tall, stiff stems. An excellent Rose for cutting. Awarded Gold Medal by National Rose Society. Price, first size plants, 25c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 60c each, by express. All on own roots.

60 Years of Rose Growing has taught us how to produce the Best Plants.

NEW ROSES—Continued.



Heinrich Munch.

*Ophelia

This new Hybrid Tea Rose has the brightest future, in our estimation, of any Rose introduced for the last quarter century. The color is one so difficult to describe that any description can only be a partial one, and gives but a faint idea of the superb beauty and richness of the shades. Salmon-flesh, shaded with rose. Buds of unusual attractiveness, opening full and double. Habit excellent, growth strong, produces flowers on long stems, well up above the foliage, and in great profusion all summer. Hardy in almost all localities. Grand for forcing or outdoors. Price, strong, first size plants, 25c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express. All on own roots. Still larger or star size at 75c each.

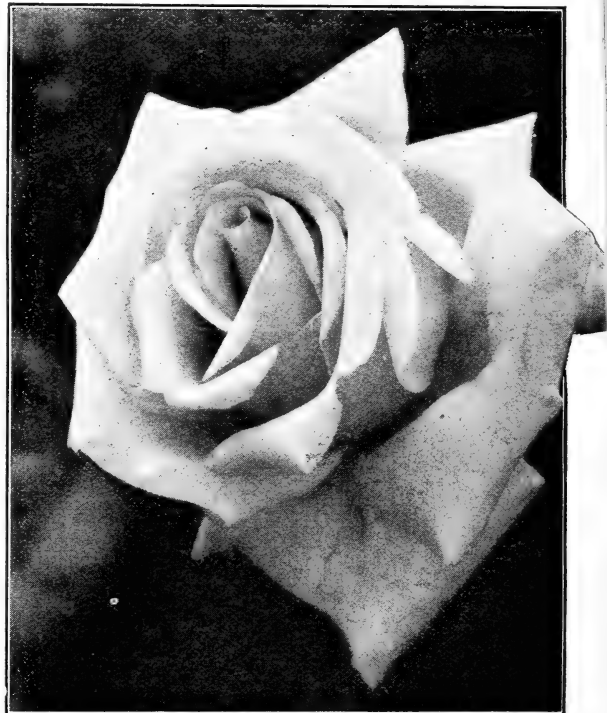
DUCHESS OF WESTMINSTER—Hybrid Tea of a vigorous growth and habit. Color dainty clear rose madder. Buds long and pointed with a full center, opening full and double; flowers extremely large and produced on long, stiff stems well above the foliage. Excellent keeping qualities. Free blooming and extremely hardy; blooms very sweetly perfumed. Also excellent for forcing. Price, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, first size plants, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 60c each, by express.

Heinrich Munch

Hybrid Perpetual. One of the newer varieties that has created a sensation wherever grown. The color is a soft pink, very large and full; vigorous grower and undoubtedly one of the very finest of the Hybrid Perpetual varieties. It is a true pink Frau Karl Druschki, and no one should fail to include one of these, as it is a valuable addition to any Rose garden. Price, first size, one-year-old plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00. Two-year-old plants, 75c each, by express. All grown on their own roots.

KONIGAN KAROLA—Hybrid Tea. Vigorous, upright grower, making a magnificent bush in a very short time; foliage exceptionally fine, free from insects and disease. Color a satiny rose, reverse of petals silvery white. Large blooms of excellent form and exceptionally free flowering. Exceedingly fine for outdoor blooming. Price, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 60c each, by express.

HUGH DICKSON—Hybrid Perpetual. Vigorous grower; color brilliant crimson shaded scarlet; of exceptionally good form. Flowers exceptionally large and remarkably free flowering for a Hybrid Perpetual. Flowers delightfully fragrant. Price, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid. Two-year-old plants, 60c each, by express. All grown on their own roots.



Ophelia.

Red Radiance

(Illustrated in Natural Colors on Front Cover.)

(Hybrid Tea).—No Rose has yet equalled, certainly none has excelled Radiance as a garden Rose, when all points are taken into consideration, such as hardiness, freedom of bloom, vigorous growth and character of bloom. In Red Radiance we have an exact replica of its prototype, Radiance, except in color and bud. The color is a splendid even shade of clear red, without a trace of any other color, retaining its vividness for an unusually long time after being cut. It is a remarkable bloomer, being constantly in flower, from early spring until freezing weather. Strong, vigorous, branching grower, each branch terminating in a large, bold, double bloom. Hardy everywhere. Altogether it is a Rose destined to become one of the leading garden Roses of America. Price, first size plants, on own roots, 30c each, postpaid. Strong two-year-old plants, 75c each, on own roots, by express.

MRS. MOOREFIELD STORY — Hybrid Tea. A most charming Rose. Strong, vigorous, upright grower with large, handsome foliage, and practically immune from disease or insects. Flowers produced freely on long, almost smooth, stout stems. Good size and substance, opens well. Color shell pink, deepening towards the center and tipped deep rose. Price, first size plants, 30c each; 4 for \$1.00; larger size, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00. Large two-year-old plants, 75c each, by express. All on own roots.

WM. NOTTING—Hybrid Tea. This satisfactory bedding or garden Rose is not known as it should be. Owing to its size and freedom of bloom it should be in every garden. Blooms fine, large, full and double and perfect formation. Color a bright rosy cerise, with a deeper center. Fragrant. Hardy and everblooming. Price, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; larger size, 30c each; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid. Two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express. All on own roots.

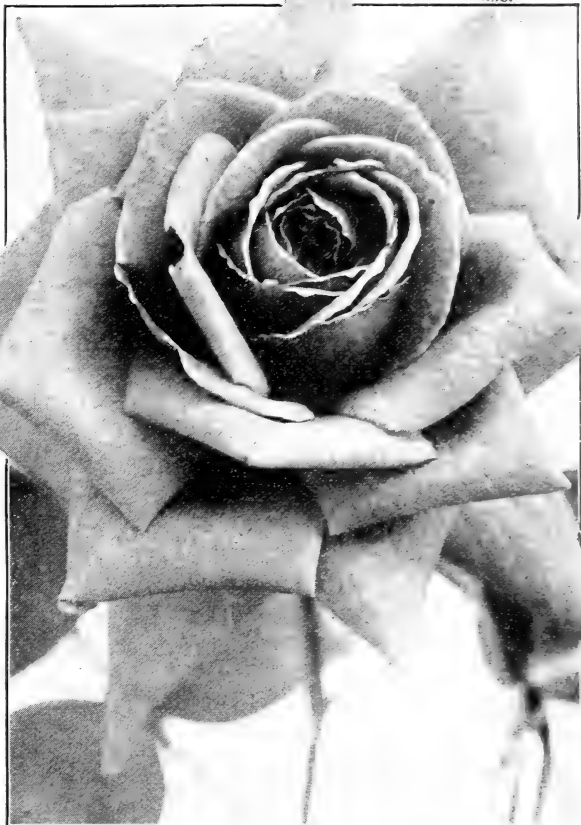
GEORGE ARENDS—Hybrid Perpetual. Very vigorous grower, extremely hardy and one of the most satisfactory of the Hardy Hybrid Perpetual class. The color is a delicate rose, deliciously fragrant. Price, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid. Two-year-old plants, 60c each, by express. Grown on their own roots.

GRACE DARLING (Tea)—Porcelain rose, shaded crimson. Exceptionally fine for outdoor growing; free blooming and hardy. Price, 20c each, first size plants; 6 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 40c each, by express.

RAYON D'OR—Austrian Briar. A magnificent golden-yellow Rose with large glossy foliage, being practically immune from mildew or insects. Strong, vigorous grower, with fine globular-shaped flowers, producing a magnificent effect when grown as single specimen plants. Price, first size, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid. Strong two-year-old plants, 75c each, by express. Grown on their own roots.

NEW ROSES—Continued.

Red Radiance
Rose.



Souv. de E. Guillard

(Hybrid Tea.)—A good yellow Hybrid Tea that is equally adapted for outdoor culture as well as indoor. Has been very difficult to obtain, but at last the rosarian has produced one that we freely recommend for that purpose. A vigorous grower, produces a good bush in a short time, thus being able to withstand the severest winter without injury. Beautiful long pointed buds, opening full and double. Color saffron shaded coppery carmine, and when fully open almost entirely yellow. Sweetly scented. Always in bloom. Price, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; larger size, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid. Two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express. All on own roots.

MAD. RAVENRY—Hybrid Tea. Vigorous grower. One of the most beautiful of Roses, the color being an orange-yellow, blooms medium size, exceptionally good for decorating purposes. Hardy and free blooming. Price, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid. Two-year-old plants, grown on their own roots, 60c each, by express.

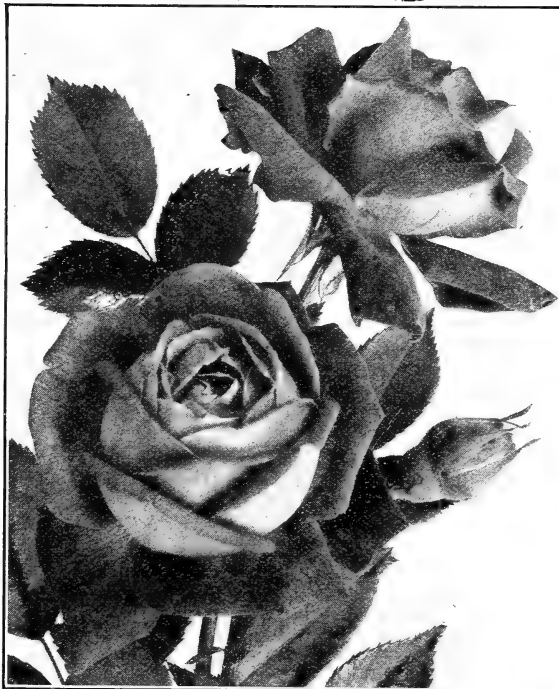
NEW ROSES—Continued.

Prince E. C. d'Arenberg

Flowers of a bright scarlet, shaded maroon, borne on long, straight, upright stems. Buds long and pointed, opening full and double, perfect form, massive petals. Resembles American Beauty in shape and size. Strong, healthy grower, excellent foliage, constant bloomer, making an ideal garden Rose, as there is no color as showy as a deep scarlet, which attracts attention wherever grown. Hardy in almost any location or climate. Price, first size one-year-old plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c, by express. All on own roots. Still larger or star size at 75c each.

ROBIN HOOD—A grand grower, producing heavy canes and foliage. Blooms of immense size like the June Rose or Hybrid Perpetual. Color glorious rosy scarlet that is soft, bright and lasting. Free bloomer, that is, blooming the entire growing season. Hardy everywhere. Price, first size one-year plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express.

KILLARNEY BRILLIANT—Offspring of Pink Killarney; a beautiful brilliant red. Habit of growth same as Killarney. Just as free bloomer and hardy. Price, first size one-year plants, 30c each; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 75c each, by express. All on own roots.



Prince E. C. d'Arenberg.

Ecarlate

Hybrid Tea. One of the grandest for outdoor blooming of this class. Color a solid, brilliant scarlet. Profuse bloomer, strong, sturdy grower. Exceptionally fine for bedding purposes. Price, first size, 25c; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 60c each, by express.

DUCHESS OF WELLINGTON—A peerless Tea-like Rose, and one of the best in our trial grounds, with beautifully smooth and massive petals. The blooms are very large, full and perfectly formed, with high-pointed center. Very sweetly perfumed. The color, which is very novel, is a dainty, clear rose-madder. The growth is vigorous, erect and of very free-flowering habit. Price, first size one-year plants, 25c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express.

FRANCIS SCOTT KEY—A magnificent Hybrid Tea Rose originated by the great Rosarian, John Cook, of Baltimore, Md., and named in honor of the writer of the "Star Spangled Banner." Color a glowing scarlet with darker shadings. Buds long and pointed, opening full and double; produced on long, upright stems. Strong, healthy grower. Hardy everywhere. Free blooming. Price, first size one-year plants, 25c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express.



Ecarlate.

NEW ROSES—Continued.

Hoosier Beauty

This beautiful Rose is fragrant as Richmond; has more petals, a stiffer stem, a texture like velvet. In color, glowing crimson scarlet, with darker shadings. The bud is of good length, keeps well in the close-cut state, and opens into magnificent bloom, quite dazzling in its velvety brilliance. As soon as thoroughly established in the soil it sends out long, stiff growth with a bud on every shoot. Produces, naturally, stems 2 to 3 feet in length; each plant keeps up a very close succession of bloom, and again unlike Richmond it is a good summer Rose. It is an easy grower, and has become instantly popular and in heavy demand in the cities where blooms have been sold, flower buyers through the section calling for it by name. We believe this Rose will make its mark as a garden variety. **Strong, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express.**

HADLEY—A development from a line of seedlings, the varieties used in this development being Liberty, General McArthur and Richmond, all brilliant scarlet varieties and garden Roses. In color it is a deep velvety-crimson, retaining its brilliancy at all seasons of the year. The variety is double and buds are well formed. The fragrance is excelled only by American Beauty. It is a strong, rapid grower; the flowers are borne on long, stiff stems, well above the foliage. It has proven itself under thorough trial to be an all-the-year round forcing variety.

Price, strong first size plants, 25c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express. Still larger or specimen plants from 6 and 7 inch pots, sometimes referred to as star size, at 75c each.

LADY PLYMOUTH—Tea. Awarded a gold medal by the National Rose Society. A Rose similar to Souv. de Pierre Notting, which means a handsome bud and full, double bloom of large size. Good grower and hardy. Being a Tea it blooms all the time and has the delightful fragrance. The color is a delicate pearly but deep ivory cream, faintly flushed. **Price, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid. Large two-year-old plants, 60c each, by express. All on own roots.**

F. R. PATZER—Hybrid Tea. A Rose of striking and pleasing appearance, owing to the delicate blending of color, which is a creamy-buff, with the reverse of petals a delicate warm pink, and as they expand the color becomes a light orange-pink, which produces a most charming combination. Strong, vigorous grower. Produces numerous branches, each one crowned with a magnificent bud and bloom, on long, stiff stems, well above the foliage. Hardy and an excellent garden variety. **Price, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year plants, 60c each, by express. All on own roots.**



Hoosier Beauty.

Milady

A cross between Richmond and J. B. Clark, it has retained the color of both, being a rich velvety crimson, with darker shading toward the center and retaining its color in the expanded bloom. Hardy as Clark in the open ground, and as free a bloomer as Richmond under glass. Buds medium long and opening full and double to the center, producing a magnificent flower, which it is almost impossible to describe, being a perfect Rose in every way. Blooms of immense size, sometimes measuring four to five inches in diameter, and produced on long, stiff stems well above the foliage. Fragrant and good keeper. **Price of strong, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express. All on own roots. Still larger or specimen plants, 75c each, sometimes offered as star size.**

IONA HERDMAN—A pure, clear orange-flame, surpassing in color the Pernetiana Rose. "Rayon d'Or," with true Hybrid Tea growth and character. Mr. McGredy considers it the most beautiful yellow decorative Rose in existence; free flowering; of splendid form and sweetly scented. **First size, strong plants, 25c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 60c each, by express.**

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We were the first Growers in America to produce at popular prices, the extra heavy, own-root Rose bush. The demand for these magnificent specimen plants made it necessary to provide especially for them. To that end we built a mammoth greenhouse addition to our establishment where with special methods, specially prepared soil, skill and care these beautiful plants are grown under conditions not found elsewhere. Those who are not equipped to meet the demand are offering foreign grown, budded and grafted Roses as a substitute. There can be no comparison and buyers should beware of these so-called Star Size budded and grafted Roses, for in a very short time they go back to the source of their strength—the wild root, and you have a Wild Rose of no value whatever. We provided for our customers' wants by the expenditure of thousands of dollars in equipment, and we are probably today the only Growers in America who are producing an own root Star Size Rose Bush in all the leading varieties, now growing in pots 6 and 7 inches in diameter, each plant carefully trimmed into shapely size. In fact each plant is selected from a large stock and given special attention to insure a perfect plant, in fact is a specimen plant having received individual care. These plants will produce magnificent and immediate results. They can be planted safely anywhere in the United States or Canada. Hardy everywhere; slight protection in cold climates will not be amiss.

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REMEMBER we are the originators and for more than 60 years we have been the leaders in the Rose plant business in America and we are still leaders in producing, at popular prices, the best plants for American Rose Growers, growing them today where we started in business sixty-seven years ago.

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cannot be had anywhere at any price. These plants have the size and will produce immediate results. Plants from 6- and 7-inch pots and the most important of all, the plants ARE ON THEIR OWN ROOTS, and once planted will last a lifetime.

FINALLY—of necessity the stock is limited. We would suggest that you order early and the stock will be reserved for delivery whenever you want it.

Hybrid Tea Roses

American Beauty. Rich crimson, charmingly shaded and veined. Very fragrant.

Bessie Brown. The color almost pure white, flushed sometimes with pink.

Col. R. S. Williamson. Large, fragrant flowers of soft, rich carmine.

Etoile de France. Deep, full flowers. Color a clear shade of red.

F. R. Patzer. Creamy buff, back of petals delicate warm pink.

Gen. McArthur. Gorgeous crimson-scarlet. Double fragrant flowers.

Hadley. New Rose of a brilliant color, deep velvety crimson, and as fragrant as an American Beauty.

PRICES of these special Star Size Roses on pages 20, 21 and 22, extra heavy, specimen plants, from pots 6 and 7 inches in diameter, each plant on its own root—75c each; \$7.50 per dozen, by express, of one or more varieties.



Star Size
Rose Bush.



One-Year-Old Rose Bush.

SPECIAL SIZE ROSES, Continued

- Helen Gould.** Color warm rosy-crimson. Always in bloom.
- Helen Cambier.** Colors are varying, ranging from a salmon-rose to coppery rose, with often a saffron hue.
- Jonkheer J. L. Mock.** A giant Hybrid Tea of wonderful merit. Color a clear imperial pink, outer edge of petals tinted light.
- Kaiserin Augusta Victoria.** The greatest hardy white Rose in existence.
- Killarney (Pink).** The Irish Queen. Brilliant shell-pink.
- Laurent Carle.** Rich velvety carmine.
- La France (Pink).** Lovely shade of silvery-pink. Exceedingly sweet and handsome.
- Mad. A. Chatenay.** Strong grower and free bloomer. Color rosy-carmine with darker shadings.
- Mad. Jules Grolez, or Red Kaiserin Augusta Victoria.** Color a distinct and charming shade of cherry-red. Flowers of fine formation. A remarkably good grower.
- Mad. Schwaller.** A beautiful combination of salmon-rose with edges touched with violet-carmine.
- Mad. Segond Weber.** Buds are pink or salmon-flesh. When fully open a warm deep pink. Continuous bloomer.
- Magnafrano.** Color bright shining rose with rich shadings of deeper tones.
- Mary Countess of Ilchester.** Strong, vigorous grower. Color warm crimson-carmine.
- Meteor.** Dark velvety crimson with deeper shadings. One of the best outdoor crimson Roses.
- Mme. Jenny Guillemot.** Brilliant saffron yellow. Magnificent buds, long and pointed.
- Mme. Melanie Soupert.** Bright golden yellow suffused with faint tinge of pink.
- Milady.** A glorious crimson Rose. Perfect buds opening full and double to the center.
- My Maryland.** Handsome Rose both in bud and bloom. An excellent grower. Color a lively shade of pink with darker veins.
- Norma.** Resembles Mad. Caroline Testout. Color a beautiful shade of pink.
- Ophelia.** Superb buds of salmon-flesh shaded with rose.
- Prince E. C. d'Arenberg.** An ideal garden Rose. Flowers bright scarlet.
- Pius X.** Creamy white passing to tender rose.
- Prince of Bulgaria.** Flowers large and full. Outer petals rosy flesh and inner petals a lighter tint.
- Radiance.** A sturdy grower. The color is a beautiful blending of shades of carmine-rose with opal and coppery reflections.
- Rena Robbins.** Flowers of immense size. Beautiful clear white or tinted lemon, color running to a beautiful shade of orange in the center.
- Rhea Reid.** A magnificent Rose, both for forcing and outdoor growing. Color a vivid scarlet.
- Richmond.** Fiery crimson.
- Rosemary.** A rank grower. Color a delightful shade of silvery pink. Very double.
- Senateur Mascurand.** Amber yellow with darker center. Large, full, globular blooms.

- Sunburst.** Orange copper or golden orange.
- Triumphe de Pernet Pere.** Large flowers with broad thick petals of clear magenta-red.
- Virginia R. Coxe.** Color fiery crimson shaded with a dark velvety sheen. A magnificent grower and free bloomer.
- Wellesley.** Particularly adapted for outdoor growing. Color a beautiful shade of pink.
- White Killarney.** An offspring of the Pink Killarney and like it in formation. Color pure white.
- White La France.** Pure white, slight tint of rosy blush.
- Wm. H. Taft.** A magnificent Rose in every way. A good grower, producing magnificent bud and bloom.
- Yellow Killarney.** Beautiful. Canary or golden yellow.
- Yellow La France.** Semi-double. Bright canary yellow.

Hardy Everblooming Teas

- Bridesmaid.** Clear, deep pink and a constant bloomer.
- Bon Silene.** Deep rose changing to pale rose.
- Blumenschmidt.** Citron yellow edged rose. Cochet type.
- Burbank.** Large crimson flowers; fine.
- Charles Dinglee.** The best Rose for outdoor culture. Color rose tint shading off into creamy white.
- Comtesse Riza du Parc.** Coppery rose.
- Coquette de Lyon.** Best outdoor yellow Rose.
- Duchess de Brabant.** Soft rosy pink.
- Etoile de Lyon.** Magnificent golden yellow. A strong and vigorous grower.
- Enfant de Lyon.** Creamy rose shaded with coppery yellow.
- Freiherr Von Marshall.** An excellent outdoor Rose, producing magnificent blooms of a bright red.
- Golden Gate.** Creamy white, tinged with golden yellow and clear rose.
- Isabella Sprunt.** Golden yellow. One of the old favorites. Free bloomer.
- Lady Hillingdon.** Apricot-yellow shaded orange on outer edge of petals, becoming deeper and more intense towards the center of the bloom.
- Lady Plymouth.** Delicate pearly, but deep ivory cream.
- Mad. Francisca Kruger.** Coppery yellow.
- Mad. Heintz.** Free bloomer, bearing saffron yellow flowers slightly shaded with carmine.
- Maiden's Blush.** Flesh pink shaded towards center.
- Marie Guillot.** Pure white, sometimes faintly tinted pale yellow. Immense blooms.
- Marie Van Houtte.** Yellow, passing to white.
- Marie Lambert.** Double creamy white.
- Mrs. B. R. Cant.** Extremely strong grower, producing heavy stems. Deep rose with silvery center.
- Mad. Camille.** Easy to grow. Color a pale rosy flush.
- Mrs. De Graw.** Bright coral-pink. Flowers borne in clusters. A great bedder.

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SPECIAL SIZE ROSES, Continued

Hardy Everblooming Teas, Cont'd

- Mrs. Dudley Cross.** Light yellow, faintly blushed with rose. A vigorous grower.
- Mrs. Herbert Stevens.** Buds similar to Maman Cochet. Color pure white with distinct fawn and peach shadings towards the center.
- Mrs. Geo. Sawyer.** Brilliant clear rose and peach pink.
- Papa Gontier.** Rich cherry red to glowing crimson.
- Pink Maman Cochet.** Clear, rich pink, changing to silvery rose. Superb garden Rose.
- Princess Bonnie.** Solid crimson.
- Princess Hohenzollern.** Color bright deep satiny red with pink center. Beautiful foliage.
- Red Maman Cochet.** Cherry red.
- Souv. de Pierre Notting.** Apricot yellow blended with coppery yellow.
- Souv. de Francois Gaulain.** Color an unusually bright rich velvety crimson.
- Souv. de President Carnot.** Delicate rosy blush, center deeper shade. A splendid outdoor Rose.
- Safrano.** Bright apricot yellow, sometimes tinted with orange and fawn.
- The Bride.** None more satisfactory for open ground culture. Color almost white, tinged with pink.
- The Queen.** Pure white.
- White Maman Cochet.** Magnificent white with a tint of pink on the outer edge of petals.
- White Bougere.** Ivory white.
- Wm. R. Smith.** Flesh color.
- Yellow Maman Cochet.** Ideal for open ground culture. A deep sulphur yellow.

Hardy June Roses

- Anna de Diesbach.** Brilliant carmine.
- Boule de Niede.** Pure white.
- Coquette des Blanches.** Snowy white.
- Coquette des Alps.** White tinted blush.
- Countess of Roseberry.** Rich dark red to velvety maroon.
- Clio.** Flesh color shaded to rosy pink.
- Eugene Furst.** Velvety crimson shaded maroon.
- Empress of India.** Dark brownish crimson.
- Frau Karl Druschki.** Pure white.
- Francois Levat.** Cherry pink shaded carmine and blush.
- Gloire Lyonnaise.** Creamy white, shaded salmon.
- General Jacqueminot.** Rich velvety crimson.
- John Hopper.** Brilliant rose changing to glowing pink.
- La Reine.** Clear bright rose.
- Mad. Plantier.** White. Almost everblooming.
- Mad. Alfred Carriere.** Rich creamy white tinted yellow.
- Marshall P. Wilder.** Bright scarlet crimson.
- Mad. Masson.** Clear bright rose.
- Magna Charta.** Rosy red flushed violet crimson.
- Paul Neyron.** Bright shining pink.
- Prince Camille de Rohan.** Deep, rich crimson.

Rugosas

- Sir Thomas Lipton.** Pure white.
- New Century.** Rosy pink.
- Conrad F. Meyer.** Silvery rose.

Bourbons and Polyanthas

- Champion of the World.** Clear deep pink.
- Clotilde Soupert.** Ivory-white shaded silvery rose in the center.
- Beau Carmine.** Carmine red.
- Crimson Baby Rambler.** Crimson.
- Mad. Eugene Marlitt.** Brilliant red.
- Mlle. Cecile Brunner or Sweetheart.** Rosy pink on rich creamy white ground. Great bloomer.
- Perle d'Or.** Coppery gold.
- Pink Soupert.** Clear lively pink.
- Queen's Scarlet.** Velvety scarlet.
- Red Soupert.** Brilliant crimson.
- Viridiflora.** The Green Rose.
- Yellow Baby Rambler.** Golden yellow.

Hardy Climbing Roses

- American Pillar.** Pink. Foliage bright green.
- Christine Wright.** Bright clear pink. Double.
- Climbing Marie Guillot.** Snow white.
- Climbing Cecile Brunner.** Rosy pink.
- Climbing Meteor.** Dark velvety crimson.
- Climbing White Killarney.** White.
- Climbing American Beauty.** Glowing crimson.
- Climbing Baby Rambler.** Everblooming Rambler.
- Climbing Clotilde Soupert.** Ivory-white.
- Climbing Killarney.** Same as Pink Killarney.
- Climbing White Maman Cochet.** White, tinted pink.
- Climbing White Killarney.** Pure white.
- Climbing Wootton.** Superb magenta-red.
- Crimson Rambler.** Glowing crimson.
- Dr. Van Fleet.** Delicate shade of flesh pink.
- Dorothy Perkins.** Clear shell-pink.
- Empress of China.** Blooms resemble the apple blossom.
- Everblooming Crimson Rambler or Flower of Fairfield.** Brilliant crimson. Supposed to be an ever-bloomer.
- Excelsa.** Red Dorothy Perkins.
- James Sprunt.** Double, deep cherry-red.
- Keystone.** Lemon-yellow; perfectly double.
- Lady Gay.** Cherry-pink, shading to white.
- Lady Godiva.** White flowers growing in clusters.
- Marechal Niel.** Wonderful golden-yellow Climbing Rose. Continuous bloomer.
- Mrs. Robert Peary.** Magnificent white climber.
- Newport Fairy.** Deep pink, lighter towards the center.
- Northern Light.** Beautiful pink and white. Quite double.
- Philadelphia Crimson Rambler.** Bright crimson.
- Reine Marie Henriette.** Glowing crimson.
- Silver Moon.** Silvery white.
- Tausendschon.** With many-colored flowers.
- Violet Blue.** Lavender blue.
- White Dorothy Perkins.** Glistening white.

PRICES of these special Star Size Roses, extra heavy, specimen plants, from pots 6 and 7 inches in diameter, each plant on its own root—75c each; \$7.50 per dozen, by express, of one or more varieties.

Dingee Famous Hybrid Tea Roses



**Hybrid
Teas**

**The Most
Desirable of All**

For many years we have had by far the most complete and extensive list of Hybrid Tea Roses in the business, having been the first house to call particular attention to their wonderful value. Ours is the greatest collection in this country. As the new varieties are introduced they are given a trial, and if found wanting in any respect are discarded and not offered to the rose growing public until they prove worthy. This excellent class combines the

Alice Roosevelt

A most superb Rose, strong, vigorous and constantly in bloom, forming a fine large bush bearing a profusion of exquisitely shaped, deep, perfectly double and beautifully colored flowers. In color it is a gorgeous shade of deep, rosy-crimson, most beautiful and attractive. Magnificent in every way.

ADMIRAL SCHLEY—Elegant buds, which open into splendid, large, full-flowered; very sweet; color, rich velvety crimson. Very bright and handsome.

ADMIRAL DEWEY—A delicate bright pink, shaded to a pure white. This superb Rose is excellent in every way. It is a sport from Mad. Caroline Testout, having all the good qualities of that variety. Petals large and flowers superior to those of any other sort of its color.

continuous-blooming quality of the Ever-blooming Teas and the sturdy strength of the Hybrid Perpetuals. The plants bloom the first year like the Teas, bearing large, finely formed flowers of a wondrous range of color, with the fragrance of the June Roses. They are especially valuable to Northern planters because they stand the severest winters with ordinary protection and, of course, luxuriantly in the South. In all sections they form magnificent bushes, bearing all summer great masses of most

beautiful Roses imaginable. Unless a Hybrid Tea Rose bush is grown from the choicest two-eyed cutting—the Dingee method—it will not give satisfaction. All our stock is **on its own roots**—don't buy the other kind, budded and grafted. We offer strong, lusty plants in all sizes and stake our reputation upon their quality.

Antoine Rivoire

Flowers large, double and of fine form; very fragrant; color rosy-flesh, with yellow ground, shaded with border of carmine. Strong and healthy.

AUGUSTINE HALEM—A most brilliant and handsome pink Rose with shadings of deep, rich crimson. The bush is extremely hardy, free flowering and constantly in bloom.

ANTOINE VERDIER—A beautifully shaded, bright, glowing pink; flowers bold and massive like American Beauty, and of splendid substance. Bush is strong and vigorous, in constant bloom.

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HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued.

*Bessie Brown

This magnificent Rose, introduced here from Europe, has unsurpassed beauty of a totally distinct character, bearing large, full, deep and double flowers, on strong, erect stems. The plants are hardy and vigorous, producing flowers profusely in the open ground all through the summer. The color is almost pure white, though sometimes flushed with pink; petals large and of fine form.

BETTY—This wonderful Hybrid Tea Rose is the greatest novelty of the past decade. It is of the type of the Killarney Rose, and has a truly unique color—ruddy gold (coppery rose, overspread with golden yellow). Blooms extremely large, fairly full, of glorious form and deliciously perfumed; the petals measure 4 to 5 inches long.

BONA WELLSHOTT—Color, rosy vermilion, orange-red; very sweet. Flowers large and double.

BEAUTY OF STAPLEFORD—Handsome, bright pink Rose of large size and perfect form. Noted particularly for its free and constant blooming quality. Grows a strong, hardy bush.

BELLE SEIBRECHT—Brilliant, rich, deep pink; flowers extra large, very graceful; full and double; bud charmingly long and pointed.

CHATEAU DE CLOS VOUGEAT—A magnificent Hybrid Tea Rose of wondrous color—the “blackest” of all Roses, each petal appearing as if cut from deep crimson velvet. It is a strong, lusty grower, and one of the most beautiful of all dark-colored Roses.



Bessie Brown.

*British Queen

By some said to be the finest white Rose in existence, surpassing in beauty and form any other white Rose. The flower resembles Frau Karl Druschki and White Maman Cochet, with the Tea Rose form and refinement. Flowers freely all summer long from early spring until frost. Buds sometimes show a slight flush which disappears as the flower expands. Strong grower. Hardy. Awarded a gold medal by the National Rose Society of England.

CARDINAL—A new red Rose, which can be recommended as better for forcing than Liberty, and, in the open ground, equal to Meteor. It is a strong, robust grower, with large and massive flowers, deliciously fragrant, full and double to the center. Of easy culture and extremely free flowering.

CAMEONS—A bright; handsome Rose, of a dainty shade of China-rose suffused with pale yellow. The bush is hardy, free flowering and vigorous.

CANADIAN QUEEN—Flowers large, of splendid substance and of very beautiful light pink color, somewhat lighter than the Bridesmaid.

COLLEEN—Brilliant rose, shaded rose-pink with deeper rose-crimson veneering and distinct creamy-yellow ground, never fading until the petals drop.

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British Queen.

HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued.

* Countess of Gossford

Beautiful, clear salmon-pink shaded with saffron. The flowers are of handsome shape and fine substance. In every way it is a remarkably fine, hardy bush Rose, which will grow to perfection in any garden.

***COL. R. S. WILLIAMSON**—Large, fragrant flowers of an exquisite shade of soft, rich carmine; blooms large and well formed, with high pointed center, on long, stiff stems. Petals crinkled, on the order of a Zinnia. Tall grower. Hardy in all localities, and a strong, robust grower, soon producing a handsome bush. Blooms all summer.

COUNTRESS OF ANNESLEY—Hybrid Tea. Rosy salmon, suffused with old gold; finely formed.

CLARA WATSON—Rich salmon-pink, with very graceful flowers, resembling Bridesmaid in form and produced in remarkable profusion. The buds, which are supported on long stems, are very beautiful. 25c each; two-year-old plants, 50c each.

CRIMSON CROWN—Glowing dark crimson, with zones of lemon white at base of each petal; free-blooming, each shoot terminating into clusters of from six to nine blooms. 25c each; \$1.00 for 5, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each.

COMTESSE DE SAZE—A beautiful new garden Rose that will do well in all sections. The flowers are large, finely formed and full, deep and double, with beautiful buds; the color is porcelain-white, with shell shadings of delicate pink.



Countess of Gossford.

Dean Hole

One of the handsomest of the Hybrid Teas, growing into a stout, vigorous, hardy bush, bearing all summer great numbers of gorgeous, silvery carmine Roses with salmon shadings. The coloring is distinct and unique; a handsome tribute to the eminent Rosarian whose name it bears.

DOROTHY PAGE ROBERTS—Hybrid Tea. Semi-double, on the style of "Betty," with each petal handsomely formed and folded. In color it is a handsome shade of coppery-pink.

MME. EDOUARD HERRIOT (Daily Mail)—Hybrid Tea. The plant is a strong, vigorous grower, of spreading, branching habit, with numerous long thorns and bronzy-green foliage. Buds coral-red, shaded with yellow at the base, the open flowers of medium size, semi-double, are of a superb coral-red, shaded with yellow and rosy-scarlet. First size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid. Two-year-old, 60c each; \$5.00 per dozen, by express.

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Dean Hole.

HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued.

***Edgar M. Burnett**

Very large, full flowers of splendid form with large flesh-colored petals tinted rose; an advance on the type of Rose of which the beautiful Lady Alice Stanley is a representative; one of the sweetest scented Roses in existence. Awarded gold medal, National Rose Society of England.

EDWARD MAWLEY—It is an enormous, big-petaled Rose, much larger than the **Melanie Soupert**, a Rose which it resembles in form, and the beautiful rich color of **Louis Van Houtte**, only with a more velvety shading upon the inside of the petals. This Rose has been awarded the gold medal of the National Rose Society. Very free blooming, with a perfect habit of growth, suitable for garden, exhibition or forcing purposes. Hardy everywhere.

FARBEN KONIGEN (Queen of Colors)—This Rose, as its name implies, is the queen of colors, being almost beyond description. One of the finest grown of this beautiful shade. Buds long and pointed, opening large and double. Color bright carmine and rosy-crimson, overlaid with a satiny silver sheen. Very free bloomer. Perfectly hardy. Very popular in Europe and soon will be in this country as it becomes better known.

FRANZ DEEGAN—A great hardy yellow Rose, with so many good sturdy qualities that it is in high favor wherever known. A strong grower, throwing up heavy canes, each one crowned by a splendid flower of large size, deep and double, with fine petals ranging in color from pronounced yellow to a delicate orange shade.



Edgar M. Burnett.

***Etoile de France**

One of the best and sweetest hardy Hybrid Tea Roses of its color. The strong, upright bushes have beautiful bronze green foliage which is not subject to insect attacks. The bushes are blooming constantly, producing large, massive, deep, full cup-formed flowers on magnificent, long, stiff stems. They are of truly glorious form and delightful fragrance; while the color is exquisite—a clear red or velvety crimson.

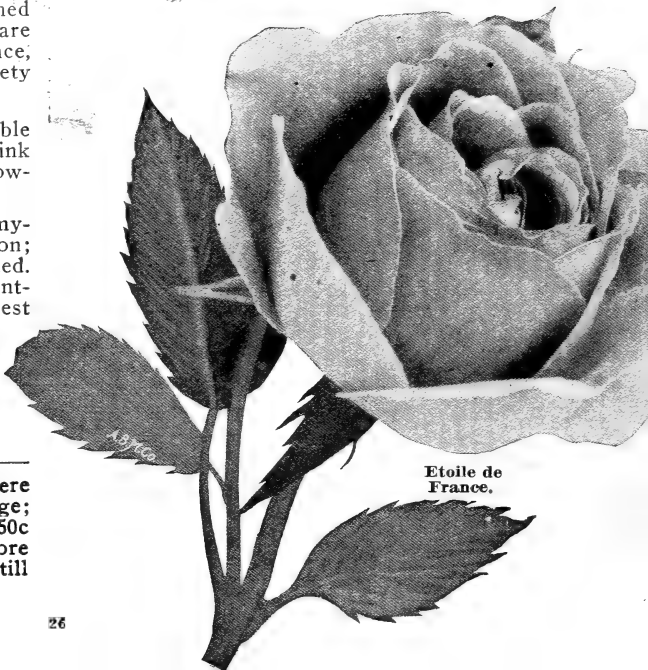
ENCHANTER—The flowers are of remarkable size and beauty. The color is a bright pink which never fades. One of the most freely flowering kinds in cultivation.

FLORENCE PEMBERTON—Distinctive creamy-white, shaded rose; petals bordered rosy salmon; flowers large, very full and beautifully formed. Soon produces large, magnificent bush constantly in bloom. Strong grower and one of the best distinctive Hybrid Teas.

Springfield, Missouri, April 23, 1917.

Gentlemen:—My order for roses arrived per express this morning and I cannot help but express my gratification on account of their excellent condition and the size of the bushes, and desire to say that they are equal if not superior to any that I have received from other florists.
MRS. WM. H. HORINE.

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Etoile de
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HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued.

Helena Cambier

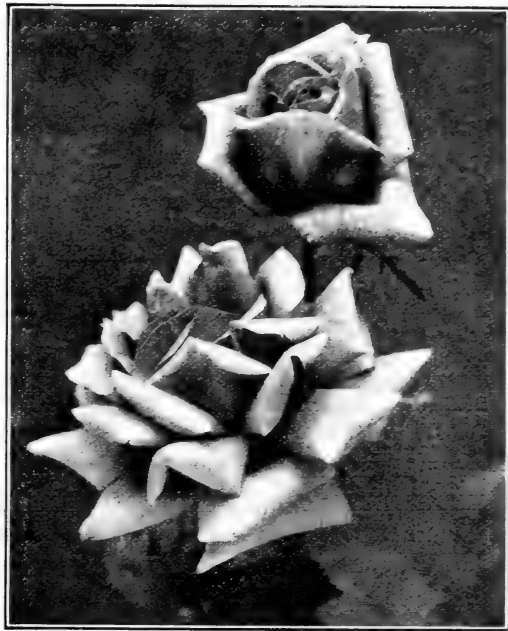
Of unusual beauty, with large, double, beautifully formed flowers, the colors are varying, ranging from salmon-rose to coppery-rose; very often a handsome saffron hue. As the flowers expand the colors become lighter. A most remarkable sort in every respect and one to which we give our highest endorsement. Good everywhere.

HARRY KIRK—A beautiful new Rose of which the true stock is very scarce. In color it is deep sulphur-yellow, blending lighter at the edges of the petals. The flowers are large, full and perfectly formed, and the buds are elegant in shape and color. 25c each, one-year first size plants, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each.

GEN. ARNOLD JANSSEN—Hybrid Tea. Claimed to have all the good qualities of Jonkheer J. L. Mock as an outdoor Rose. Color a deep glowing carmine. Free bloomer. Buds long and pointed on long, stiff stems. Equally as good for forcing.

***GENERAL McARTHUR**—To those who prefer a Rose with full color, we can recommend none more highly than this gorgeous crimson-scarlet Hybrid Tea. It is hardy in practically all localities, and as an outdoor Rose it has no superior. Of strong, vigorous, healthy growth, branching freely, it produces its wonderful blooms profusely from May until October. Every shoot carries a large, double, well-formed flower of exquisite fragrance and splendid lasting quality.

IDEAL—A free and continuous bloomer with fine buds; similar to Bridesmaid in color, but like La France in shape and form. An ideal in every way; a grand Rose. Blooms produced on long stems above foliage; hardy.



Helen Cambier.

*Jonkheer J. L. Mock

A Hybrid Tea called the Giant Pink from Holland. Of distinctive merit, being an extremely strong grower, one of the strongest of the Hybrid Tea class, blooming as it does with the greatest freedom, the buds carried on long, stiff, erect stems, of the very largest size imaginable to obtain in a Rose bloom and still retain its perfect formation. Very fragrant. Color, clear imperial pink on the order of **La France**. This Rose has produced a sensation wherever grown. We offer strong plants, on their own roots.

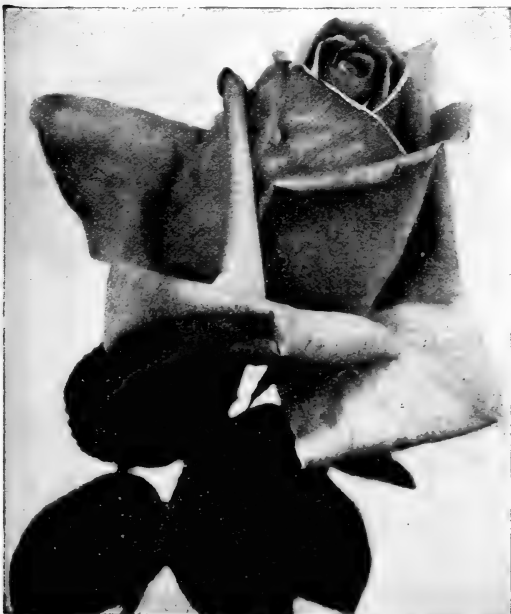
HERZOGIN MARIE ANTOINETTE—Hybrid Tea of deep orange, striped salmon crimson, passing to old gold or orange. Very large flowers of perfect form on heavy, upright canes. One of the finest yellow Roses, being a very free bloomer. Sweetly perfumed. Price of strong one-year pot plants, 35c each; two-year-old plants, 75c each.

JOSEPH HILL—A fancy French Rose, with clean, leathery foliage, long, stiff stems, flowers of immense size, buds long and pointed, monster blooms of the most beautiful shape, in clear shades of pure lemon, bright pink and gold. A very strong-blooming variety.

MRS. ROBERT GARRETT—Bright clear pink; free bloomer and strong grower; blooms almost as large as those of American Beauty, and delightfully fragrant.

RED CHATENAY—One of the most popular Roses in cultivation, differing in color from the parent, Mad. Abel Chatenay.

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Jonkheer J. L. Mock.

HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued.

***Kaiserin Augusta Victoria**

The greatest hardy, white Hybrid Tea Rose in existence. A strong, sturdy grower; free-flowering; it has become the most popular of all white Roses for general planting. Continuously from early spring until late fall, with pointed buds, the large, double flowers are glorious in their perfection; borne on long, stiff stems; delicate pure white, deliciously fragrant. Unexcelled for cutting; absolutely hardy. Although grown extensively under glass, it is essentially a garden Rose. There is nothing finer than this glorious Rose.

LA TOSCA—A beautiful shade of light pink; in many cases having the appearance almost of a pure white Rose.

LIBERTY—Magnificently formed flowers, full, deep and double, fragrant and pleasing. Deep crimson-scarlet.

LADY URSULA—Hybrid Tea. Flesh -pink, strongly Tea-scented; a grand grower, producing large, full, rounded blooms in wonderful profusion.



Kaiserin Augusta Victoria.

Laurent Carle

A beautiful Rose, with extra large, handsomely formed, rich velvety carmine buds and flowers. It is a phenomenally strong and robust grower, hardy in every locality and continually in bloom. Every lover of Roses should have this variety. 25c each; larger size, 35c each; two-year-old plants, 60c each.

LADY ASHTOWN—Similar to Mad. Caroline Testout, but superior in growth, freedom of bloom and color. Splendid grower, soon producing a large, strong bush, continually loaded with blooms of exquisite color and shape. Buds long and pointed, borne singly on long, stiff stems. Color is a soft, solid carmine-pink of a most pleasing shade.

LADY BATTERSEA (Red Niphetos)—A beautiful color of wine-red. We believe this to be one of the most praise-worthy of the newer Roses, and none of our customers will be disappointed in it.

LA DETROIT—A most handsome and dainty Rose, with a fragrance like Bon Silene, and color of shell-pink, shading to a soft rose; outer petals of creamy color. Strong, hardy and everblooming.

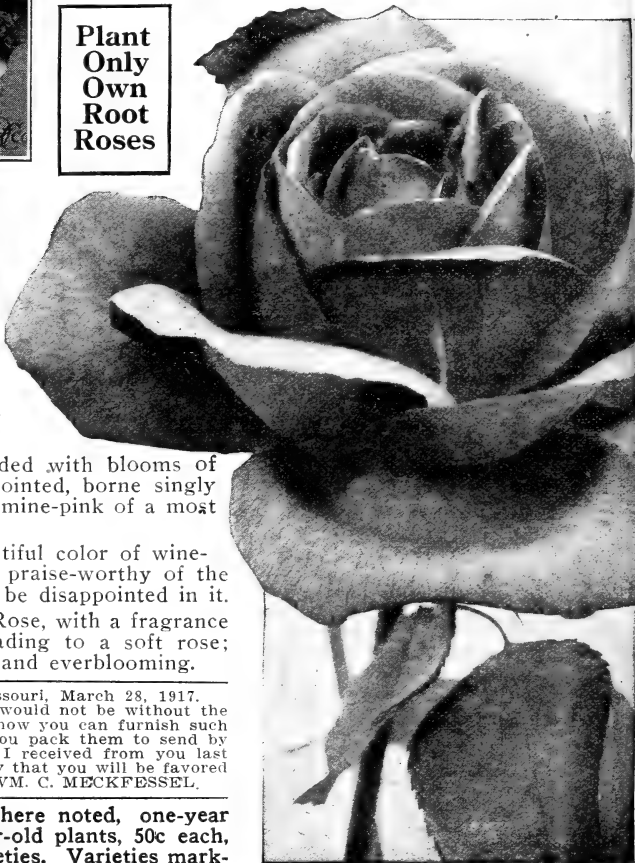
Gentlemen:—Your Roses are surely true to name. I would not be without such Charles Dingee Rose at any price; I cannot understand how you can furnish such Roses at the low price you ask for them and the way you pack them to send by mail is a credit to your firm. Of all the Roses which I received from you last season every one bloomed and it is needless for me to say that you will be favored with my future orders.

St. Louis, Missouri, March 28, 1917.

Yours very truly, WM. C. MECKFESSEL.

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Rose—Laurent Carle.

HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued.

Beautiful La France Roses

Of all the Hybrid Teas there are none which excel the La France Roses in all the good points necessary to a good Rose. Practically hardy everywhere; splendidly adapted for general planting and deserve a place in every flower garden of America.

PINK LA FRANCE—Exceedingly sweet and handsome; flowers and buds large size, color lovely shade of silvery pink, tinged with crimson; fragrance delicious; flowers very full and beautiful. It commences to bloom soon after planting and continues until frost; hardy with protection.

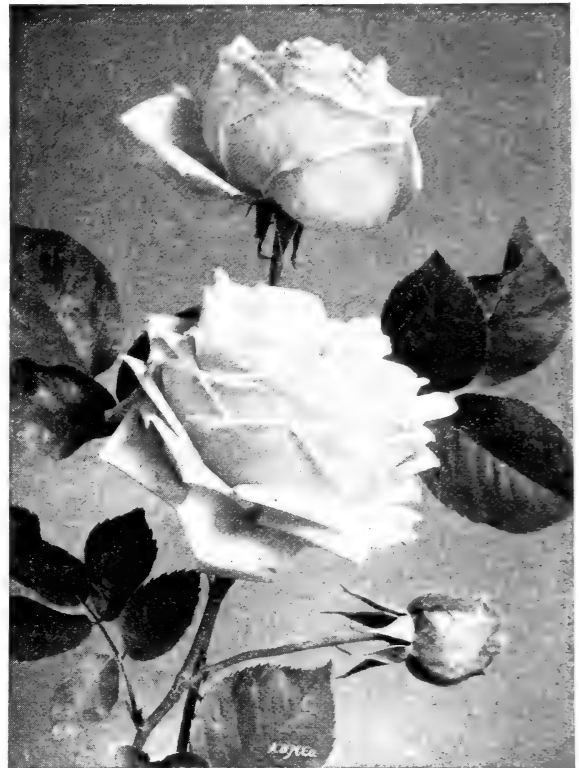
***WHITE LA FRANCE (Augustine Guinoisseau)**—A pure white member of the La France family, having just a tinge of rose-blush tint, which grows stronger in the depths of the petals.

RED LA FRANCE (Duchess of Albany)—A superb rose; resembles the Pink La France, but is much deeper in color.

***YELLOW LA FRANCE (Mad. Pernet Ducher)**—One of the best of the newer French Roses of its color; very pretty flower, semi-double. Bright canary-yellow.

STRIPED LA FRANCE—This Rose is almost exactly the same as Pink La France, except in color, which is bright satiny pink distinctly striped with bright rose.

Special Offer We will send one each of the Pink, White, Striped, Red and Yellow La France Roses for 85c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 5 in all, by express for \$2.00.



Pink La France.

*Mme. Melanie Soupert

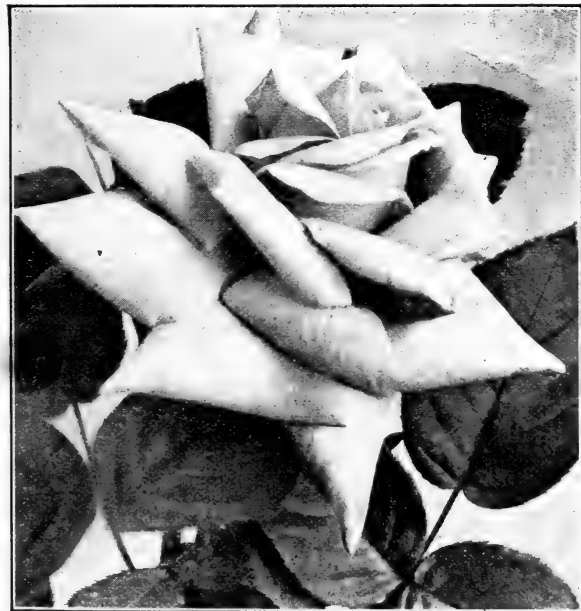
The flowers are bright golden-yellow suffused with faint tinges of pink, with a handsome and distinct form, making a Rose of great beauty. It is a strong, vigorous grower, very hardy, and forms a handsome bush in the garden.

LENA—The flowers are frequently produced in sprays of from seven to nine large, perfect blooms of semi-double form, of glowing apricot color, the petals assuming a primrose yellow as the flower gets older; the bud is long and perfectly formed. The bush is strong and lusty in growth and bears its handsome flowers in great profusion.

LA GALISSIERE—This new Hybrid Tea Bush Rose is similar to, but better than Mad. Caroline Test-out. The flowers are large, very full and double, and of exquisite form; bright deep shining pink color; the buds are large, long and full.

LADY JOY—A glorious crimson Rose, as large as American Beauty, very double and deliciously fragrant. The bush is strong, sturdy and everblooming, with extra large, handsome foliage.

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Mme. Melanie Soupert.

HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued.

*Madam Segond Weber

One of the most beautiful Roses of recent introduction. The long, pointed buds are pink or salmon-flesh and when fully expanded are immense in size, full and double; as the flower opens it deepens until it fairly glows with its warm deep pink. Highly fragrant. Very hardy and constantly in bloom.

MADAM BERTHE FONTAINE—Bright, rose, large, half-filled and fragrant flowers.

MAD. CAROLINE TESTOUT—This is the Rose which grows so luxuriantly in the far West that it has been adopted by the State of Oregon as its State Flower. The gardens of the cities along the Pacific Coast are the wonder of the world by the profusion of the bloom of this remarkable Rose. In color, it is of a satiny rose, deepening to clear red in the center.

***MME. LEON PAIN**—Silvery-salmon, with orange-yellow center.

MAD. GEORGES BENARD—Double flowers, with finely formed buds. Color is of a very light rose, with silvery reflection on yellow ground.

MAD. SCHWALLER—A beautiful combination of salmon-rose with edges of the petals touched with violet-carmine.

MADAME PAUL EULER—(“Prima Donna.”) The color is a lovely shade of vermilion-pink, changing to silvery-pink.

MA TULIPE—Long, tulip-like buds and semi-double flowers, borne with great freedom. Color a dark carmine-red.

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Mad. Segond Weber.

*Mad. Jules Grolez

Red Kaiserin Augusta Victoria.

This Rose has been thoroughly tested by us and we have formed such a high opinion of it that we have grown an unusually large stock of it in order to meet the great demand there always is for it. This magnificent Rose is exceedingly free blooming, with very large, finely formed flowers. The color is a distinct and charming shade of cherry-red. The fine form and attractive shape of the flowers makes them excellent for cutting. It is a remarkably strong, healthy growing variety, and is as hardy as the Hybrid Perpetuals. Free-blooming as any Tea Rose, and in every way a splendid garden variety. Free from insects or disease, which makes it such a satisfactory one for the amateur.

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Mad. Jules Grolez.

HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued.

Mrs. Aaron Ward

One of the newest of all Yellow Hybrid Tea Roses, and distinctly beautiful in form and color. The color ranges from coppery orange in the opening bud, changing to golden-orange, and when the flower is fully open it is a lovely shade of pinkish fawn. Most vigorous in growth, every shoot producing a flower and clothed with dark, glossy green foliage, maroon on under side. It is one of the best of the new yellow Roses and has become very popular.

***MAGNAFRANO**—The flowers are very large, full, deep and double, and of delightful fragrance. The color of this magnificent Rose is bright, shining rose, with rich shadings of richer tones. It forms a strong, sturdy, upright bush, bearing its gorgeous flowers on long, stiff stems, making it especially valuable for cutting.

MARY COUNTESS OF ILCHESTER—A strong, vigorous Hybrid Tea. Color warm crimson-carmine, a color almost indescribable. Flowers produced on long, upright stems, of immense size, with large, smooth, circular petals. The foliage is attractive and handsome, a deep green. Very highly scented.



Mrs. Aaron Ward.

*Mad. Abel Chatenay

This splendid Rose is one of the very best of its color—rosy-carmine, with darker shade. It does remarkably well in the open ground, has wonderfully beautiful flowers, which are full, deep and double. A very hardy Rose, Chatenay is a strong grower and free bloomer, and has won friends wherever it has been planted.

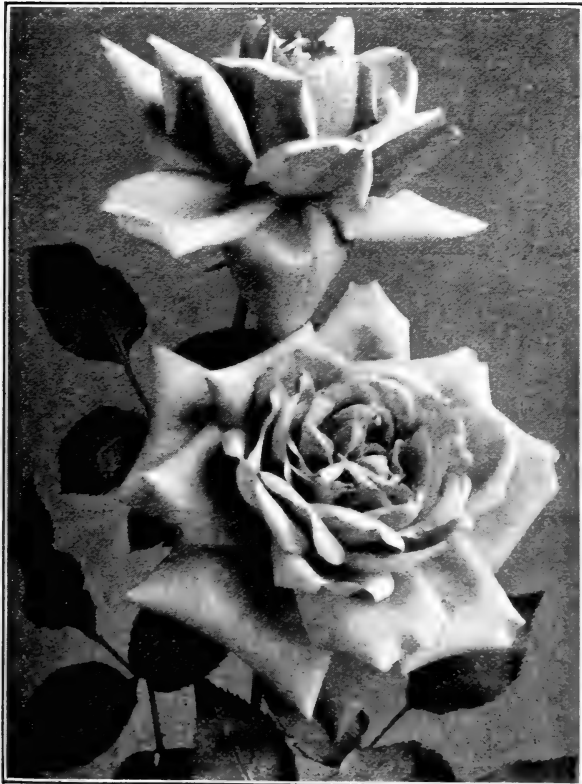
MELODY—A lovely shade of yellow, deepening to apricot in the center, perfect in form and very double. It is one of the handsomest yellow Roses we have ever seen and as a garden Rose cannot be surpassed. The bush is hardy, vigorous and constantly in bloom.

MEVROUW DORA VAN TETS—Hybrid Tea. A new Rose of great merit. Color deep, glowing crimson, with velvety shading. A vigorous grower and bloomer. Awarded a gold medal by the Holland Rose Society.

MAX HESDORFFER—A New Rosy Pink Hybrid Tea. The brilliancy of color in the delightfully fresh, rosy pink of this excellent new Rose is only equalled by the delicious fragrance exhaled by its petals. As a garden Rose it has few equals, forms a strong, stout bush and is always in bloom.

MRS. CHARLES DINGEE—The color is pure golden-yellow, and the form of the flower is magnificent. This is a Rose among Roses, and its introduction marks an important epoch in the Rose world.

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Mad. Abel Chatenay.

HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued.

Mrs. A. R. Waddell

This is one of the most beautiful Hybrid Tea Roses in bud and flower of any grown. The flowers are of the largest size, of perfect form, and possesses wonderful keeping qualities. The coloring is most brilliant in effect, being a rosy-scarlet, opening rosy-salmon, with reverse of petals rosy-scarlet. The bush is a sturdy, erect and vigorous grower, requiring but little care.

***METEOR**—Very few dark Roses compare with this in richness and depth of color, which is a rich, velvety crimson, shading very dark in the depths of the petals. The buds and flowers are remarkably large and of elegant form, full and double. As a garden Rose it has few equals, being particularly valuable for bedding on account of its sturdy growth and handsome foliage. It is also valuable for growing indoors in pots or in the conservatory, and is constantly in bloom.

MILDRED GRANT—A white Rose, delicately tinted with light pink; flowers of the largest size; has so many good qualities that it may be planted with confidence.

MISS KATE MOULTON—Light pink, very beautiful; habit robust, with heavy foliage, making it a grand Rose for outdoor culture.

MRS. ANDREW CARNEGIE—Sometimes called an everblooming Frau Karl Druschki. Awarded a gold Medal by the National Rose Society, and won a host of admirers wherever shown. Owing to its resemblance to Frau Karl Druschki it has been termed an everblooming Druschki. Flowers are almost perfect in form, with a high center, and immense size. Blooms all the time. Good robust grower. Hardy everywhere. Color almost a snow-white, but sometimes showing a slight lemon tint.

Mrs. A. R.
Waddell.

Mrs. Dudley Cross

In color, a pale chamois, or light yellow faintly flushed with rose. The flowers are beautifully formed, large, full and double, and are of splendid substance; borne continuously on long stiff stems, and for cutting it is most valuable. Bears its handsome flowers in great profusion all summer through.

MME. PHILIPPE RIVOIRE—One of the handsomest of the yellow Roses, its color ranging from bright apricot-yellow to shades of pale carmine. The bush is a stout, vigorous grower and is constantly in bloom with a profusion of well-formed, large, double flowers.

"WHAT A RECENT VISITOR SAID."

A recent visitor from Toledo, Ohio, exclaimed when he saw the wonderful Rose bushes growing in our large house: "Are they the ones you offer as two year old plants?" When told they were he said, "I have visited all the Rose growing establishments in the country, and none compare with your plants, as they are the finest I ever saw, and I have been growing Roses for 25 years." "Why," said he, "your two-year-old plants are larger and better in every way than those offered by some firms as three-year-old or Star plants."

So if we could only personally show each and every one of our prospective customers these plants it would need no argument to convince them of the quality of our stock. Send us your order if you want the best Roses and ones that last.

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Mrs. Dudley
Cross.

HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued.

***Pius X**

Glorious Pink Rose. A delicious creamy white Hybrid Tea, passing to tender rose, which deepens to a warm, fresh pink on the center petals. The flowers are of handsome cup-shape and borne on long stems. The bush is a strong, thrifty grower, and in every respect it is an ideal garden Rose—one which is bound to become popular.

MY MARYLAND—Handsome in bud and flower. A rare combination of a poetic name and exquisite beauty has made this Hybrid Tea Rose a dangerous rival of Killarney. Its brilliant, lively shade of pink and beauty of form is without a superior, and all summer through large, perfectly double, magnificent flowers, rich in fragrance, are borne on long, stiff stems, growing from a sturdy, fine-shaped bush, which in itself is a distinct ornament to the garden. A great outdoor Rose. Extremely hardy.

MRS. DAVID JARDINE—Brilliant pink shaded in the center to an exquisite salmon tint on the outer petals, with a peculiar soft, pastel effect. Its petals exhale a fragrance only to be compared to the famous Attar of Roses. A wonderfully vigorous grower, absolutely hardy everywhere, bearing its flowers in great profusion all summer.

MRS. JOSEPH H. WELCH—Hybrid Tea. Rich, brilliant rose-pink, a color more distinctive and rich than has been attained in any Rose. The blooms are larger than any Rose in cultivation, of the most perfect type. Free blooming and delicately sweet-scented. Hardy wherever grown.



Pius X.

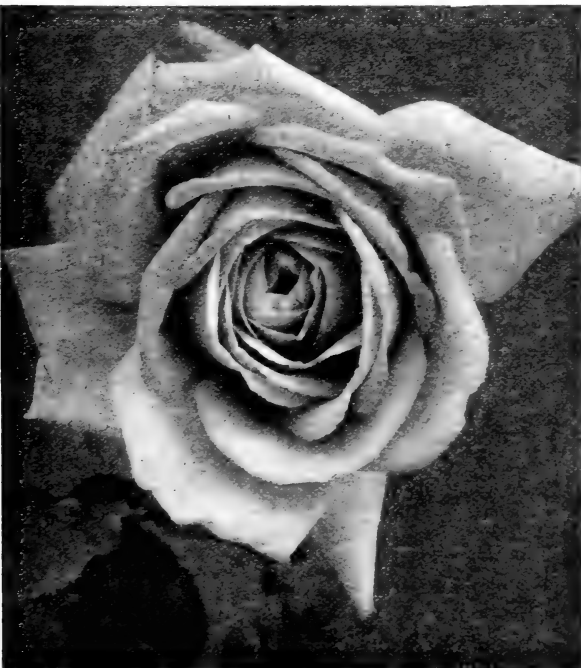
Prince of Bulgaria

Not the least of its charms is the large, bright green foliage, and the buds are simply grand. The flowers are large and quite full; outer petals superb rosy-flesh with the index petals of a slightly lighter tint.

***MRS. HERBERT STEVENS**—A new hardy Tea Rose of extraordinary merit. The bloom is as long, and even more pointed than the **Maman Cochet**, being faultless in shape and form. Color white, with a distinct fawn and peach shading toward the center. Perfectly hardy in all localities, and the extraordinary blooming quality of this Rose, being practically always in bloom.

***MRS. POTTER PALMER**—Clear, shining pink; much like **La France**. The flowers are large, full and double.

MRS. THEODORE ROOSEVELT—A charming seedling of **La France**, bearing all the good points of its parent. In color, it is an exquisite creamy-white with dainty pink shadings. Buds are particularly handsome; hardy. The stout, vigorous bush is constantly in bloom.



Prince of Bulgaria.

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The Lovely Killarney Roses

The Rose for Every Home. (See Illustration in Colors on Opposite Page.)

*Pink Killarney

The Famous Irish Rose.

This queen of the Irish Roses excels any other of its class and color yet introduced, and by many is recognized as the most beautiful, hardy, everblooming Hybrid Tea Rose now under cultivation. Each season since it was introduced Killarney has increased in popularity, and the demand has always exceeded the supply. We have an immense quantity, however, and guarantee every plant to be true to name. The bush is strong and upright, with beautiful, deep bronzy green foliage, and the Rose is entirely free-blooming, bearing immense, long pointed buds and massive flowers on big, heavy shoots. The color is deep, brilliant and sparkling shell-pink, of the most exquisite shade. The flowers are of delightful fragrance, immense size, and have thick petals of great substance. Killarney is unusually hardy and without protection has withstood severe winters as far north as Boston. **Strong one-year-old plants, 20c each; 3 for 50c, postpaid. Extra strong two-year-old plants, on own roots, 50c each.**

*White Killarney

An offspring of the pink Killarney and is one of the most exquisite white Roses grown. The long, full buds are handsome in shape and the full-open flower most refined and beautiful in form and texture. **Strong plants, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each.**

*Yellow Killarney

Mme. Jenny Gillemot

A brilliant saffron-yellow Rose, opening canary with dark golden shades. The buds are long and pointed, beautiful in form and color, the flowers are large with immense petals. Hardy and vigorous, it is in constant bloom all summer. Blooms produced on long, stiff stems, making an excellent Rose for cutting. Owing to its resemblance to the Killarneys, we have called it the Yellow Killarney, as it makes a good companion for them. **20c each; 3 for 50c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express.**

Special Offer One each of these Killarney, 3 in all, first size plants, sent postpaid for 50c. One of each, 3 in all, two-year-old plants, sent by express, for \$1.25. Three-year-old or specimen plants, by express, for \$2.00.

The Dainty Single Irish Roses

Single Irish Roses, which are so marvelously free-flowering, it is almost impossible to praise them too highly. During the entire growing season they are virtually always in bloom; their lasting qualities are quite surprising. One of the best features about these Roses is the beauty of the buds, which are charming in color and form, making them exceptionally fine for decorative purposes and bouquets.

IRISH BRIGHTNESS—Vivid crimson, shaded pink at base of petals.

IRISH MODESTY—Color delicate coral-pink suffused from base of petals with ecru. Large and very plentifully produced. This is an exceptionally good sort.

IRISH ELEGANCE—Bronze orange-scarlet, which when expanded assumes various apricot hues. Profuse bloomer from early June until after frost; exceptionally fine for decorative purposes.

IRISH FIREFLAME—Beautiful orange, splashed with crimson buds, which become fiery orange-crimson as the buds develop, changing to a solid delicate orange, which becomes as the flower fully opens satiny gold, delicately sheened with pure lemon zone, against which the light fawny anthers form a beautiful contrast.

Price of Single Irish Roses, first size one-year plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express; \$5.00 per dozen. All on own roots.



Fireflame.

The Lovely Killarney Roses

Hardy Everblooming Bush Roses



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If you want five of the finest Roses listed in this book, which will produce hundreds of superb flowers throughout the growing season, and producing the kind of flowers one never tires of, order this Cochet set. No matter where you live, they will give you perfect satisfaction. The Cochet Roses are perfectly hardy in every part of the country, even where the winters are most severe, with slight protection. In the more temperate sections and in the South they thrive vigorously and bloom most lavishly all summer long, growing into great, strong, lusty bushes which increase in beauty with the passing years.

*Pink Maman Cochet

The Queen of all Pink Garden Roses. The buds are large, full and firm, elegantly pointed, showing depth and richness as they expand. The superb flowers open perfectly double, are extra large and of splendid substance. Hardy in every section of the country; clear, rich pink, changing to silvery-rose.

*Red Maman Cochet

(Helen Gould)—A Rose that will grow and give satisfaction in almost any soil or situation. It produces flowers in amazing profusion, on long, strong shoots. The flowers are very full, perfectly double; buds long and pointed. Color, warm, rosy crimson; hardy everywhere. Always in bloom.

*Crimson Maman Cochet

(Etoile de France)—A fitting companion to the other Cochet Roses on account of its vigor of growth, stiffness of foliage, freedom of bloom and hardness. It bears masses of full, deep-formed flowers singly, on long, substantial stems. The color is a new and clear shade of red or velvety crimson, brightening in the center; of exquisite fragrance.

Strong, one-year-old plants of Red, Yellow and Crimson Cochet, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen.

Gentlemen:—Last year I bought your collection of **Maman Cochet Roses**, and while I only allowed a few blooms, I found them the most beautiful I have ever seen. This year I expect to have an abundance of these superb Roses.
Yours truly, I. J. DICKSON.

Ontario, Oregon.

*White Maman Cochet

A most magnificent snow-white Rose, with sometimes a faint tinge of pale blush. It has the same freedom of bloom as the Pink Cochet, the same magnificent form of buds and flowers, and the same hardness—standing at the very head of all the Roses as the best white kind for open ground culture. Vigorous as an oak and hardy everywhere.

Price of Pink and White Maman Cochet: Strong one-year-old plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 40c each; \$4.00 per dozen.

*Yellow Maman Cochet

One of the best hardy, everblooming, yellow Roses. It is ideal for open ground culture—a typical Cochet Rose, with gracefully molded buds, flowers magnificent when open, on stiff, strong stems. This kind is identical in every way with Pink and White Cochet, except in the color of the flower, which is deep sulphur-yellow.

Special Offer One each of Pink, White, Red, Yellow and Crimson Cochet, strong plants, postpaid, for 75c; two of each, 10 in all, \$1.25, postpaid; two-year-old plants, one of each, 5 in all, \$1.75, by express. Still larger size or specimen plants at 75c each of all the Cochets.

ROSES ARE MOST SATISFACTORY.

Athens, Georgia, January 18, 1917.
Gentlemen:—I have a dozen of your Roses which are now five years old (**Maman Cochet**), and they are most satisfactory.
Very truly,
AGNES GOSS.

5 Superb Hardy Everblooming Roses

Postpaid for 75 Cents

See Colored Photographic Reproduction Opposite.



Bud of
Cochet Rose.

HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued.



Radiance.

Rena Robbins

This remarkable new Hybrid Tea Rose is one that will create a sensation wherever grown. The flowers are simply immense in size, a beautiful, clear white or tinted lemon, with the color running to a beautiful shade of orange in the center.

OLIVIA—A most gorgeous, distinct, extra-hardy Rose of deep, brilliant rose-pink. The flowers are of splendid substance, deep and full double, the buds being particularly handsome in form. For bedding and cutting purposes it has no superior.

PERLE VON GODESBERG—This magnificent Rose was originally sent out as a Yellow Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, it having all the beauty of form and substance of that great garden Rose. The color is a rich canary-yellow with shadings of saffron. The flowers are massive in size, full and double, with the petals elegantly recurved. It is one of the finest garden Roses, being perfectly hardy.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT—Blooms are finely formed, with petals of wonderful substance; color, bright, lively pink, which remains true to the last.

PRIMA DONNA—A Hybrid Tea. Claimed to be one of the strongest growing Hybrid Tea Roses in cultivation, and as free a bloomer as Killarney. Color a deep rose-pink, petals waved or undulated on the edges, giving it an elegance of form seen in no other Rose. Good for forcing or outdoor growing.

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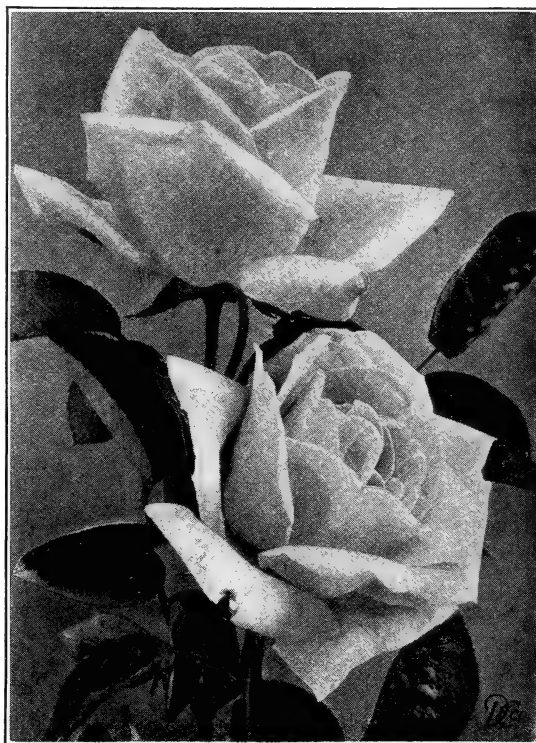
*Radiance

A glorious new extra hardy Hybrid Tea Rose which originated a few miles from West Grove. Awarded Silver Medal by the American Rose Society as the best bedding Rose at the Hartford, Conn., gardens this past season. The flowers are a beautiful blending of shades of carmine-rose, with opal and coppery reflections. It is of splendid, sturdy growth, constantly in bloom, and is bound to become one of the leading garden Roses. We cannot say too much in its praise.

NATALIE BOTTNER—New yellow Hybrid Tea. Blooms of bright lemon-yellow, borne on long, stiff stems, very vigorous and free-blooming. Blooms resemble the famous Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, and if you will imagine a bloom of this size only being lemon-yellow, it is bound to become one of the most popular yellow Hybrid Tea Roses in existence. Perfectly hardy.

NITA WILDON—Ivory-white, tinted on the edge with the faintest tinge of blush-pink. The bush is of fine shape, covered with large, bright green foliage and the flowers are held up well on long, stiff stems, making a highly desirable Rose.

***NORMA**—Almost like Mad. Caroline Testout in form and sturdiness of growth; of splendid fragrance, and the color is a magnificent shade of pink.



Rena Robbins.

*Rhea Reid

A Magnificent New Crimson Garden Rose.

"As large as American Beauty, as double as La France and as red as Richmond," is the enthusiastic way the originator describes this beautiful new Hybrid Tea Bush Rose. The color is vivid scarlet-crimson, and the flowers are marvels of beauty; large, bold and of splendid substance. It has a strong, disease-resisting constitution, makes a rapid growth and throws up a profusion of canes from the roots and is always blooming. As an all-around garden bush Rose it has no superior.

QUEEN BEATRICE—A cross between Mad. Abel Chatenay and Liberty, with color an intermediate shade between those of its two-parents. When first opening it is much darker than Bridesmaid, and gradually fades to the beautiful silvery pink of La France, when the Rose is at its best. It is a strong and healthy grower and very free flowering. Delicately fragrant and a splendid keeper, it is ideal for cut-flower purposes.

***ROSEMARY**—Color the most delightful shade of silvery pink imaginable, and the flowers are absolutely double, the petals being thick and heavy, giving it somewhat the appearance of a camellia and entirely distinct from any other variety.

QUEEN OF SPAIN—Pale flesh, with darker tints in center. Has many points of merit. 50c each; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each.

Rhea
Reid.

REINE MARGARET D'ITALIE—Glossy carmine-scarlet, lightened with vermilion; extremely free in bloom.

Lady Alice Stanley

This we predict will become very popular as a garden Rose. In fact, wherever tried it has won friends. The petals are shell shaped, forming a perfect flower. The color on outside of petals is a deep coral-rose; inside delicate flesh, often flushed and suffused with bright pink; remarkably attractive. Without doubt a magnificent Rose. Awarded gold medal.

RELIANCE—A cross between Etoile de France and Chateau des Clos Vougeat. One of the showiest bedding Roses known. Color a vivid scarlet. Buds large, opening into massive blooms four inches or more in diameter and produced in wonderful abundance all season. Dwarf habit, growing 18 to 24 inches in height. Hardy in all localities. Price, strong, first size plants, 30c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 75c each, by express.

WINTERS TOO SEVERE FOR BUDDED ROSES.

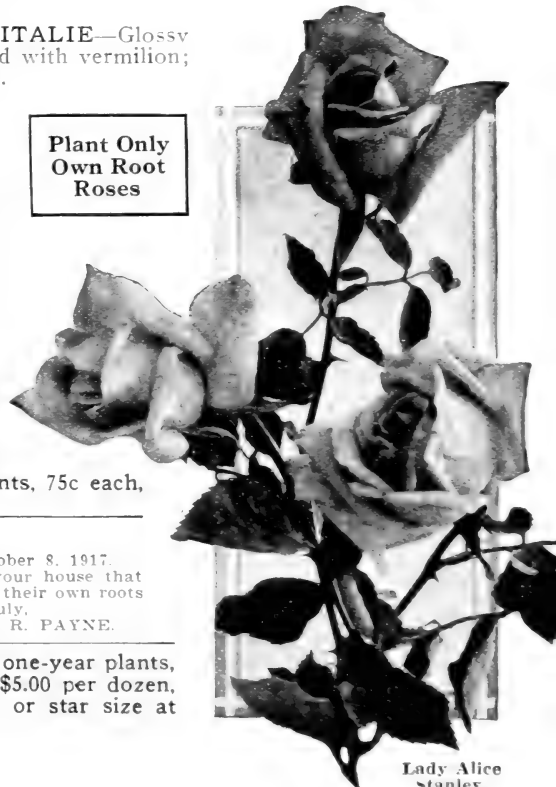
American Fork, Utah, October 8, 1917.
I handle a great many roses, and I saw at Provo some roses from your house that were exquisite. I handle nothing but two year old roses. I want roses on their own roots as the climate is too severe here for the budded sort.

Yours truly,

J. R. PAYNE.

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Plant Only
Own Root
Roses



Lady Alice
Stanley.

HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued.

* **Richmond**

A Gorgeous Crimson Rose.

The most gorgeous Rose we have ever seen—no other variety can compare with it. In form and fragrance of flower it is simply superb. Wonderfully free blooming, its immense, fragrant, scarlet-crimson flowers are borne on long, stiff stems, making it a rival of American Beauty, and even more dazzling in appearance. Considered the standard deep crimson Rose in the florists' shops, selling at all times for high prices. In the garden its flowers are as fine as those found in the greenhouses. Perfectly hardy.

SENATEUR MASCURAND—An amber yellow Hybrid Tea Rose, the center of the bloom resembling the color of the yolk of an egg, toning to high sulphur-yellow. Large, full, globular blooms. A strong, healthy grower and very free bloomer. Blooms of large, perfect shape. Perfectly hardy. A Rose soon to become one of the most popular yellow Roses grown.

***TRIUMPH DE PERNET PERE**—A French Rose, originated by Jean Pernet, of France. Flowers large, with broad, thick petals, and long pointed buds. Delicious Tea fragrance. Clear magenta-red passing to bright crimson. A magnificent garden Rose as it makes a strong, sturdy growth.

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Richmond.

* **Virginia R. Coxe**

or Gruss an Teplitz.

First introduced in America by the Dingee & Conard Company, and one of the most popular of the famous Dingee Roses.

For intense and dazzling color there is no other Rose to compare with this splendid kind. The flowers are large and handsome, moderately double, of splendid substance, and are produced in amazing profusion during the whole of the growing season; in fact, it is always in bloom. The color is fiery crimson, shaded with a dark velvety sheen, a combination found in no other Rose.

The fragrance of Virginia R. Coxe is unexcelled by that of any other variety under cultivation. It is a strong and sturdy grower, often attaining a height of four or five feet, is perfectly hardy in all sections and is one of the finest of the many splendid Roses that have come to us from Europe, and has won friends wherever grown here in America, which is attested to by the fact that the demand increases each season.



Virginia R. Coxe.

HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued.

*Sunburst

A magnificent giant yellow forcing Rose, also well adapted for outdoor growing, being a vigorous and healthy Rose. Buds long and pointed, borne singly on long, stout stems, opening full and double. An excellent cut flower variety, having excellent keeping qualities. A very vigorous grower, reddish bronze foliage. The color is superb orange copper or golden orange, with a deep orange center. This Rose creates a sensation wherever grown. **Strong, vigorous pot plants on their own roots, 25c each; two-year-old plants, 60c each.**

SOUVENIR DE WOOTTON—An old-time Rose, which is so good that it has retained all of its popularity. A strong, sturdy grower, with enough vigor to sustain the immense number of flowers it produces. Blooms large, full and regular, with leathery petals and exquisite fragrance. Bright magenta-red, passing at the base to violet-crimson richly shaded.

SOUV. DE PRESIDENT CARNOT—A wonderfully handsome Rose, large, full, double, well shaped, with heavy, thick, shell-like petals; buds very long and pointed—perfection in every line. The delicate rosy-blush color, shaded a trifle deeper at the center of the flower, has not been approached by any later introduction. Fragrant, strong grower and free bloomer; a splendid outdoor Rose.



Sunburst.

*Wellesley

A most magnificent garden Rose of a beautiful shade of pink, vigorous, healthy growers; remarkably free-flowering, with fine keeping qualities; most valuable Rose for gardens, as it is particularly adapted for outdoor culture. Blooms produced on long stiff stems.

***WM. SHEAN (Hybrid Tea)**—Large, pointed flowers of Killarney pink. Full and free. Grand.

WINNIE DAVIS—Fine apricot-pink, shading to the flesh tint at the base of petals.

***WILLIAM H. TAFT**—This fine Hybrid Tea bush originated in the vicinity of Cincinnati. Salmon-pink, with fine fragrance. Bush is strong and vigorous in growth and very profuse in bloom. Beautiful pointed buds opening round and full. A magnificent garden Rose which makes a fine display.

VISCOUNTESS FOLKSTONE—Double; pale tender flesh; satiny luster, resembling glossy silk; flowers very large and highly double; so beautiful that everyone who grows it is charmed. This Rose is highly recommended by those who have grown it.

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Wellesley.



Dingee Hardy Everblooming Tea Roses

Tea Roses form the foundation of nearly all the great Roses of today. Without them the lovely Hybrid Tea class would be impossible. They are among the oldest and most highly cherished of all Roses. They have made the Rose-gardens of America what they are. Their place and value is everlasting. Rugged, healthy and hardy in growth, free blooming (they bloom all the time), their flowers are chaste and beautiful. You cannot well do without them. They thrive gloriously in all sections.

Their ease of propagation has, unfortunately, caused them to be produced by some growers in enormous quantities to meet a certain demand for "cheap Roses," and these so-called cheap Roses have brought untold disappointment to all who have planted them, and have discredited the business of every first-class Rose dealer. Don't be misled into buying these cheap, "one-eyed," "thumb-pots" Rose-plants made to sell at popular prices. Plant good

Albert Stopford

It is superb, like Bon Silene, a vigorous and free bloomer, producing beautiful flowers in great profusion. The color is a very dark crimson-rose.

ALLIANCE FRANCO-RUSSE—A sturdy grower and free bloomer, with large, rich, yellow flowers of good substance.

ANNA OLIVER—One of the best Roses for general cultivation, succeeding in almost any situation. The flowers are double, extra large, and of splendid substance; color creamy-blush, shaded with deep carmine and edged with silver-rose.

***ALINE SISLEY**—One of the best. Rich shade of violet-red, brightened with crimson-maroon; flowers large, full and double; fragrance very sweet.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 1st, 1917.

Dear Sirs:—On the 30th of April I received my order of roses in fine condition per Adams Express. I wish to thank you for the prompt attention you gave my order and will certainly recommend you to anyone wanting good stock and prompt attention. I am agreeably surprised at the size and condition of the plants. Wishing you continued success, I remain,
Respectfully yours, FRANCIS FINDLAY, JR.

Roses, grown by a firm with a reputation to sustain. Pay a fair price for high-class goods, with a guarantee back of them—the **Dingee kind**—and you will soon become a Rose enthusiast.

Ours is the greatest collection of **own-root Roses** in the world. This collection of hardy, everblooming Tea Roses is the very life of our immense list. To the beginner—the novice in Rose culture—the great number of varieties may be confusing, but to eliminate a single one, however, would do a distinct injustice to the introducer and to our collection, for each variety has its own particular charm and merit. If you find it difficult to make a choice, **leave selection to us.**

Prices of all Hardy, Everblooming Tea Roses, except where noted, 15c each; 4 for 50c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 40c each, by express; \$4.00 per dozen of one or more varieties. Varieties marked * furnished in still larger or star size at 75c each.

Andrew Schwartz

(Everblooming Jack)—The flowers are large and of excellent substance. Color brilliant scarlet, changing to rich crimson. It is a strong, sturdy grower, and known as the **True Tea Jacqueminot** because of its resemblance to that famous variety.

BEAUTE INCONSTANTE—This is a very odd and beautiful variety, a single bush bearing at one time flowers of various colors, ranging from orange to capuchin-red carmine. The buds are particularly large, beautiful and pointed. Especially fine for open-ground culture and will attract attention wherever seen.

BOADICEA—Fine, large, double, rose-pink flowers, produced in wonderful profusion on good, stiff stems; buds long and pointed.

Doylestown, Penna., October 4, 1917.

Dear Sirs:—I feel that I must drop you a few lines to let you know how those grand plants turned out. I cannot express in words the pleasure I have derived from them. I have picked the grandest kind of Roses and they have been admired by everyone who has seen them, and they are still full of large buds.
Kindly,
MRS. WM. KERR.

**HARDY EVERBLOOM-
ING TEA ROSES**
—Continued.***Bon Silene****A Grand Old Rose**

The color is deep rose, changing to pale light rose. This variety cannot be surpassed for bouquets and decorative purposes. In the open ground it

grows to perfection, producing large crops of beautiful flowers from early spring

until late autumn. One of the favorites of the old-time gardens.

BERYL—Large, full and fragrant; color deep apricot or coppery yellow. The flowers and foliage present a fine contrast.

***BLUMENSCHMIDT**—A splendid bedding Rose of the Cochet type, glowing all summer with its wealth of citron-yellow flowers, each petals of which is edged with dainty rose. The individual flowers are large and well formed, resembling in many ways some of the handsomest Tea Roses. The bushes are strong, vigorous growers and when planted in quantity they soon form a most attractive feature of the garden, being in constant bloom.

BOUGERE—This is a fine variety for open-ground culture. Large, full and double flowers supported on long, stiff stems and produced in great abundance all through the growing season; color bronze-rose or violet-crimson, shaded with lilac.

***BRIDESMAID**—This variety is valuable for cutting and does finely in the open ground; a sport from the old and popular pink Tea, Catherine Mermet, but of a fine, clear dark pink, much deeper and more constant in color than Mermet. The bush is a strong, sturdy grower, bearing all summer a profusion of dainty beautiful flowers on long stems.

CATHERINE MERMET—One of the best varieties of Tea Roses. A very free bloomer, producing clear, shining pink flowers, the center being shaded with fawn and amber. It is a good Rose for open ground culture and forcing under glass.

COMTE AMEDE DE FORAS—Color rich China rose, with orange-copper and peach-pink shadings.

CHARLES LEGRADY—Unexcelled for bedding purposes. Color a chamois-red, shaded with violet-crimson; a constant bloomer.

WILL HAVE A GARDEN OF BEAUTIFUL ROSES.

Kansas City, Missouri, April 27, 1917.

Gentlemen:—My order of roses received in splendid condition on Friday, April 13, which, by the way, may prove their everlasting qualities. All are looking fine and every indication is favorable. I appreciate the extra plant enclosed in the order. I am looking eagerly for the last order of roses to arrive and if they are as thrifty appearing as the last order I shall have a garden of beautiful roses. Thanking you for prompt attention I am,

MRS. GEO. H. COLLINS.

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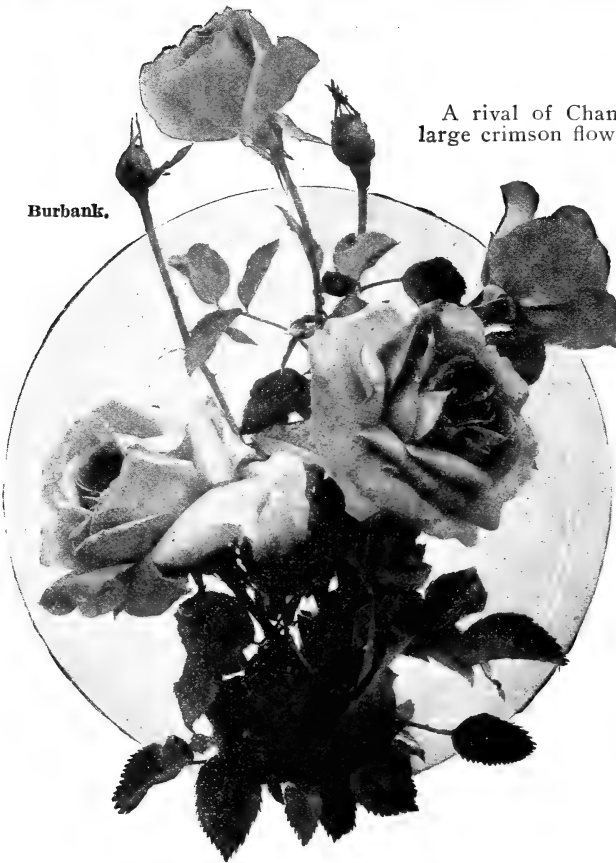
Bon Silene and Etoile de Lyon.

***Etoile de Lyon**

It is of vigorous, sturdy growth, and seems able to resist heat and cold equally well. It blooms freely, producing beautifully formed flowers of a rich golden yellow. A great favorite everywhere.

***ENCHANTRESS**—A free bloomer, bearing immense globular flowers in large clusters; a vigorous grower. Color creamy white, tinged with buff in center. Splendid in pots for late autumn and winter blooming, as well as for planting in the open ground during the summer.

Burbank.



*Coquette de Lyon

This is one of the best yellow Tea Roses for open ground culture. The flowers are extra large, deep and double; color pure canary-yellow. Unlike other yellow Roses, it is a strong, vigorous grower.

DUCHESS DE BRABANT—A very vigorous and healthy variety, producing large blossoms which are beautiful in buds or open flower. The color is a fine shade of soft, rosy pink, which deepens to bright rose.

DUCHESS MARIE SALVIATI—A constant bloomer, and a sturdy, vigorous grower, producing beautiful, yellow flowers, tinged with orange, changing to buff, and prettily flushed with pale rose.

Crossville, Tennessee, February 25, 1917.

Gentlemen:—This year I wish to set out a Rose garden, for which purpose I wish you would send me your "New Guide to Rose Culture." Years ago I bought Roses from you and they gave me so much satisfaction that I will buy from you this year.

Very truly,
MRS. JOS. B. JOHNSTON.

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*Burbank

A rival of Champion of the World, bearing a great profusion of large crimson flowers; very fragrant, and produced in marvelous profusion the entire season. Strong, upright grower. Extremely hardy.

CORNELIA COOK—Of rapid growth, with splendid foliage that rarely suffers from the attacks of insects. The flowers are borne in great profusion and are very desirable. The color is pure creamy white, tinged with lemon and blush. One of the most beautiful Roses, unsurpassed for outdoor culture.

CHRISTINE DE NOUE—Flowers deliciously sweet, large and handsome; fine pointed buds. Color deep purplish-red.

COMTESSE DUSY—A strong grower and free bloomer; flowers large, deep, full and double; color pure satiny white.

***COMTESSE RIZA DU PARC**—This magnificent Rose has many admirers; the color is coppery rose, with tints and shade of soft blush.

C. P. STRASHEIM—One of the strong-growing Tea Roses, always in bloom. Flowers large, full and double. Color primrose yellow, almost white, giving the flower a distinct and finished appearance.

DEVONIENSIS (The Charming Magnolia Rose)—Planted outdoors, it produces an abundance of large, very full and double flowers all through the season. The color is creamy-white, with rosy centers and very fragrant.

EMPRESS EUGENIE—This Rose is a favorite and should be in every garden. The plants are sturdy, thrifty growers, with healthy, dark green foliage. They bloom profusely. The flowers are a deep, rich pink, very attractive and pretty.



Coquette de Lyon.

HARDY EVERBLOOMING TEA ROSES—Continued.

*Freiherr von Marschall

As an outdoor Rose it has no superior. It has wonderfully beautiful foliage and produces large, full, beautifully shaped flowers, which are borne in profusion all through the season. The color is bright red, one of the best red Tea Roses that is known.

***ENFANT DE LYON (The Sweet Anise Rose)**—In color the flowers are a beautiful creamy rose, delicately shaded with coppery yellow, and very fragrant. The flowers are much admired for their color and the distinct Anise fragrance.

E. T. COOK—Pale primrose-yellow, suffused with pink, as the flower expands. Large and full petals reflex at the edges.

FRANCES E. WILLARD—It is of strong, vigorous growth, everblooming, producing snow-white buds; large flowers of perfect form; very fragrant. The bush is of splendid shape; and in continuous bloom all summer.

FRANCOIS DUBREUIL—Of strong growth and a constant bloomer; producing deep crimson flower, with rich velvety shadings, which are very double and large.

GENERAL DE TARTAS—This Rose has no superior for bedding purposes, producing large-sized flowers, which are full and fragrant. It is of good habit, and an excellent Rose in every way. The color is a brilliant carmine, deeply shaded with violet-purple, oftentimes tinged with buff.

GENERAL ROBERT E. LEE—The flowers are large, full and very double; color yellow, changing into rich salmon tints as the weather becomes cooler. Very thrifty and always in bloom.

HELEN GOOD—Valuable for garden culture. The color is pale yellow, mixed with pink, each petals edged deeper.



Freiherr Von Marschall.

*Isabella Sprunt

This golden yellow Rose has been known as a favorite for over twenty years. It is a free bloomer, producing flowers of bright canary-yellow, very sweetly scented. The buds are very desirable for cut flowers.

HENRY M. STANLEY—A remarkable shade of clear amber-rose, delicately tinged with fine apricot-yellow, with petals edged and bordered with rich carmine, which, on the outer or reverse side passes to a lovely shade of salmon or buff-rose. Plant is extra strong and vigorous.

HIGHLAND MARY—Each petal white, tinged with lemon, and bordered with a delicate band of pink. Hardy everywhere, with ordinary protection.

Monroe, Louisiana, January 22, 1917.

Gentlemen:—Please send me your New Guide to Rose Culture for 1917. My earliest recollections of my Mother's Rose buying was from your firm, more than forty years ago, in Mississippi.

Yours very truly, VICTOR C. BARRINGER.

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Isabella Sprunt.

HARDY EVERBLOOMING TEA ROSES—Continued.

*Lady Hillingdon



Lady Hillingdon.

One of the latest introductions of the Tea class and has taken the medal over all yellow Roses, the color being one almost beyond description, apricot yellow shaded to orange on the outer edge of the petals, becoming deeper and more intense toward the center of the bloom. The color does not fade after the bloom is cut, but invariably becomes darker. Buds are produced on long, strong, wiry stems, well above the foliage, producing a slender and graceful effect. A valuable addition to any amateur's garden, as well as to the professional grower, all of whom will find this Rose the color they have long desired. A strong, hearty, healthy grower. Price, 20c each, first size plants, 6 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen, by express.

✦ **LADY MARY CORRY**—A profuse bloomer, bearing deep, golden yellow flowers of fine size.

LA PRINCESS VERA—The flowers open beautifully, are large and perfectly formed. The color is rich ivory-white, veined with coppery yellow, and penciled with pale blush. This is a fine Rose for bedding in the open ground.

LA PACTOLE—Pale sulphur-yellow.

LUCIOLE—Large, full, double flowers of delightful fragrance. Outer petals clear cherry-red, center elegantly shaded with rich golden yellow.

✦ **J. B. VARONNE**—Strong and vigorous grower, producing extra large, vase-shaped flowers, both full and double. Splendid pointed buds. The color is a very rich and bright scarlet crimson.

IVORY—A sport of Golden Gate. Color pure white without a particle of any other color. Good grower.

*Golden Gate

THE WHITE HOUSE ROSE.

This magnificent Rose has been freely used in the decorations at the White House; hence its name. It is immense in size, finely formed, with long and beautiful buds. Color, rich, creamy white, shaded with a golden yellow and clear rose, of indescribable beauty.

DO YOU KNOW HOW A ROSE BUSH IS MADE?

Probably you have not given the matter any thought, but Roses that are grown on their own roots; and they are the only ones that are worth planting, are made from branches from the mother plant. These branches are cut in lengths according to the eyes thereon. In order to increase the production these cuttings are frequently made with only one eye, which makes a small and weak plant. Where two eyes are taken the plant is twice as large and of twice as much vitality and blooming quality. So in buying plants remember our plants are made from these strong, two-eyed cuttings, and are worth more than those weak one-eyed plants offered by many at cheap rates. Buying cheap plants to save money is like stopping a clock to save time. Buy the best, as the results are certain.

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67 Years
of
Experience



Golden Gate.

HARDY EVERBLOOMING TEA ROSES—Continued.

Marie Guillot*The Queen of White Roses.**

We recommend it as one of the most reliable white Tea Roses in cultivation, especially for outdoor culture. The color is pure white, sometimes faintly tinged pale yellow. The flowers are beautifully made, very large, full and double; the buds are very pretty, of sweet fragrance. Anyone who has not seen this splendid variety growing at its best in the open ground cannot conceive of its lovely beauty.

MME. E. VICARO—A brilliant carmine Tea Rose with pale rose shadings, the reverse of the petals white, suffused with carmine. Extra strong, vigorous, hardy; always in bloom.

MRS. A. BYASS—A most beautiful new English Everblooming Tea Rose, the flowers of which are produced in great abundance on good stems and are of a rosy-red, shaded crimson, sometimes blotched with pale rose and white.

***MADAM HEINTZ**—Lovely double saffron-yellow flowers; slightly shaded with carmine. Very free-flowering; blooms can be cut almost daily during the growing season. A very vigorous grower and hardy.

META—A superb sort of unique color—crushed strawberry suffused with saffron; base of petals coppery-yellow. Long, pointed buds.



Marie Guillot.

***Marie Van Houtte**

It is a strong and sturdy grower, blooming constantly, with great freedom. The color of the flowers, which are large, full and double, is pale canary-yellow, passing to rich, creamy-white, shaded with pale rose.

MAD. AGATHA NABONNAND—This splendid Rose, in color, is like the delicate hues seen in the inside of the fairest deep-sea shells; rosy-flesh, bathed in golden amber. The buds are immense, and have the shape of an egg, with broad, shell-like petals; large and very fragrant flowers.

MLLE. CECIL BERTHOD—We think of this variety as an excellent Rose of great merit. It is magnificent both in bud and flower, which is a deep golden-yellow; the foliage is bright green and glossy.

***MARIE LAMBERT, or SNOWFLAKE**—Large, double, creamy-white flowers are produced in marvelous profusion. We consider this one of the best and freest blooming Roses, and recommend it particularly for outdoor planting. It is unusually hardy and grows very vigorously. The foliage is very substantial, of attractive dark green color and practically free from disease. An excellent variety in every respect.



Marie Van Houtte.

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HARDY EVERBLOOMING TEA ROSES—Continued.

***Mrs. B. R. Cant**

This new Rose is an extremely strong growing variety, producing heavy stems, with large, healthy foliage and flowers almost the equal and style of Helen Gould, but more double; deep rose, with silvery rose center. A bright clear garden Rose, and a prolific bloomer, especially good for outdoor cultivation. Delightfully fragrant.

MADAME JOSEPH SCHWARTZ—Flowers pure white, tinged and shaded with pure yellow and rosy blush; very full and sweet.

MME. JEAN SISLEY—This is a fine variety for cemetery planting, being full and double, and in color pure white. Very hardy.

MADAME HONORE DEFRESNE—This splendid variety is noted for its pure golden-yellow flowers, large, full and double.

MAD. E. DURATHON—The color is citron-yellow with bright red center, delicately blended.

MADAME WELCHE—Color a magnificent shade of amber-yellow, deepening toward the center to orange or coppery yellow, delicately clouded with pale crimson.

MARECHAL ROBERT—We select this variety from many others as being extra fine. A constant bloomer, bearing flowers on long, stiff stems. The flowers are full, double and sweet; the color pure white, faintly tinged with blush and yellow. It is a healthy grower and very satisfactory in every way.



Mrs. B. R. Cant.

Madame Margottin

This large and perfectly double Rose is considered a great favorite. The color of the flowers, which are very fragrant, is dark citron-yellow, with apricot shading and red center; a strong grower and profuse bloomer.

MEDEA—Large, perfectly double flowers of deep, rich lemon-yellow with creamy-yellow center. Buds and flowers are of most exquisite shape and are considered by many enthusiasts as the best yellow Tea Roses.

MARION DINGEE—The darkest, richest colored Tea Rose known. Large, finely formed flowers are borne in constant profusion throughout the season. Color deep, brilliant crimson.

MADAME LAMBARD—Color a magnificent shade of rosy-bronze, changing to salmon and fawn, tinted with carmine.

MAD. DE WATTEVILLE—The Tulip Rose. The color is a magnificent shade of creamy-yellow, richly colored with rosy-blush; the large petals are bordered with bright crimson, giving it a very striking and beautiful appearance.

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Mad. Margottin.

HARDY EVERBLOOMING TEA ROSES—Continued.

***Mad. Francisca Kruger**

Of strong and vigorous growth, and a constant bloomer, which is especially suited to bedding or massing. The flowers are deeply shaded coppery yellow in color, and are of large size.

MAD. GOTHA—This practically new everblooming Tea Rose, with its delicate coloring, has a future of much promise, as it has already become a general favorite. Flowers creamy white, with red-edged petals. The bush is a strong, healthy grower, with large foliage.

MAID OF HONOR—An everblooming Tea Rose, producing splendid flowers, formed after the style of Bridesmaid, with excellent buds on long, stiff stems. Color rich, glowing pink.

MADAM BADIN—Very free grower and bloomer, producing large and full flowers of bright carmine color, the center being shaded with pale violet; buds long and very graceful.

MADAME DE VATRY—The flowers are a rich crimson-scarlet, bright and beautiful. Of good form, both in bud and flower, and well scented. A choice Rose.

***MAIDEN'S BLUSH**—This is one of the best bedding Roses known. A strong, rank grower with a good constitution. Produces a fine, healthy bush, with fine, large, bright green foliage, edged with red—almost disease and insect proof. Produces a wonderful profusion of magnificent blooms all summer long. Color a soft blending of salmon-pink, rose-pink and flesh tints, resembling the entrancing flush of a maiden's cheek.

MARIGOLD—One of the free-blooming, yellow Tea Roses, with dark, leathery foliage. Petals nicely edged with red, deep in color.



Mad. Francisca Kruger.

***Safrano**

Valued very highly for its beautiful buds and handsome flowers. The color is a bright apricot-yellow, passing to orange and fawn, sometimes tinted with rose. A splendid old-time Rose that has never been replaced by any newcomer of its class or color. It is a variety especially adapted to outdoor planting; vigorous, healthy; blooms all summer.

MADAME CUSIN—The bright purplish crimson flowers, with base of inside petals sometimes streaked with white, are produced in great profusion. The flowers are double and very fragrant.

MME. RENE GERARD—The flowers when open, are bright yellow, and the buds nasturtium-yellow—a most unusual shade among Roses.

MADAME PIERRE GUILLOT—Very remarkable and exceedingly handsome variety. Color, delicate orange-yellow, veined and bordered with clear pink.

MRS. E. W. MAWLEY—This new Tea Rose produces magnificent flowers of most beautiful form in the utmost profusion. It resembles Maman Cochet, and, in many respects, is the equal of that variety, only it is several shades lighter in color. We think this is almost sufficient endorsement.

MAD. HOSTE—The color of this variety is soft, light canary-yellow, deepening in the center to pure golden-yellow, beautifully flushed with pale amber. Edge and reverse of petals creamy white.

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Safrano.



Papa Gontier.

Perle des Jardins

Pearl of the Garden.

The color is a clear golden-yellow, of a beautiful shade, and is entirely distinct from any other variety; the flowers are large, full, of globular form, with great depth and substance, richly perfumed, and very beautiful in every way. This magnificent Rose still holds its position as one of the most exquisite and beautiful of its color ever introduced, and the demand for it is constantly increasing as its great value becomes known. It is ideal for cutting purposes. A particularly fine garden Rose, being strong and thrifty.

NIPHETOS—This variety is always scarce. In color it is snow-white, sometimes faintly tinted with pale yellow.

NUMBER 27—A brilliant, everblooming Tea Rose, a sport of Bridesmaid, with all the good qualities of its parent intensified. The color is a richer, deeper pink than Bridesmaid, and the flowers larger and of better substance. It is a continuous bloomer.

MADAME ELIE LAMBERT—Color a rich creamy white, faintly tinted with pale golden-yellow, and is exquisitely bordered and tinted with soft rosy flesh.

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HARDY EVERBLOOMING TEA ROSES—Continued.

*Papa Gontier

A strong, vigorous grower and constant bloomer; one of the best and most valuable, both for open ground and greenhouse; color rich cherry-red, passing to clear, glowing crimson. One of the best for all purposes, with immense buds and magnificent flowers.

MURIEL GRAHAM—The flower is a most delicate cream, blushed rose; almost a yellow Mermet.

***MADAME CAMILLE**—The color is a pale rosy flush, shaded with salmon and lavender.

MRS. F. F. THOMPSON—A sport from the lovely Mrs. Geo. Shawyer, and an exact duplicate, except in color, which is a lovely shade of shell pink, with a deep glowing heart of light pink, which brightens up the flower wonderfully. Like Shawyer, it is a vigorous grower, and blooming constantly from early Spring until late Fall. Hardy almost everywhere. An excellent one for cutting, as the lovely buds hold their shape for an unusual length of time, and opening into such immense, full and double blooms. Price, first size plants, 30c each, postpaid; 4 for \$1.00. Two-year-old plants, 75c each, by express. All on their own roots.



Perle des Jardins.

HARDY EVERBLOOMING TEA ROSES—Continued.

***Souv. de Pierre Notting**

This beautiful Rose is an introduction of one of the largest firms of France, and has not been exceeded by any Rose from that country. It is of strong, bushy habit, and has won numerous gold medals and awards of merit. The flowers are very large, well filled and open easily; color apricot-yellow, tinged with golden and mixed with orange-yellow; edge of petal shaded carmine-rose. In form and beauty it is the equal of Maman Cochet, and by many is regarded as the best all-around Rose for general cultivation. It is hardy and always in bloom. Strong, first size plants, 20c each; larger plants, 30c each; two-year-old plants, 45c, by express.

PRINCESS BONNIE—The brightest, sweetest and freest-blooming Rose in existence. Color solid crimson, deeper and more vivid than "Jack." Fragrance is sweeter than La France. Always blooming.

PRINCESS DE SAGAN—The flowers are well made, while the buds are beautiful. The color is fine, velvety crimson; very brilliant. The bush is remarkably free in growth and extra hardy, bearing profusion of handsome blooms all summer.

***PRINCESS HOHENZOLLERN**—This variety is a strong and vigorous grower, with foliage of beautiful dark green color, and extra large flowers, well formed. The fragrant flowers are often borne in clusters. Bright, deep, satiny red, with pink center.

Souvenir de
Pierre Notting.

SOUVENIR D'UN AMI—A vigorous grower and profuse bloomer; for growing in open ground it is simply luxuriant. The flowers are large and globular, similar to that of the Queen, except in color; very full and sweet; in color is a deep rosy flesh, beautifully shaded with rich carmine; edges and reverse of petals silver rose.

SOUV. DE CATHERINE GUILLOT—Flowers large, full, finely shaped and very fragrant. Free bloomer and vigorous. Color coppery carmine; center shaded orange.

SAXONIA—Very distinct, full and double; strong grower; produces beautiful white flowers, with petals edged bright rose.

***The Bride**

There is no other white Rose more satisfactory than the Bride. When planted in the open ground, the flowers are found to be delicately tinted with pink, making it exceedingly attractive. The buds and flowers are unusually large, well formed and deliciously perfumed. It is of a strong and healthy growth, and a profuse bloomer.

PEARL RIVERS—Peachy red buds, ground color ivory-white; petals delicately shaded and bordered with pale rose.

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The Lovely
Bride Roses.



Wm. R. Smith.

*Wm. R. Smith

Especially suited for outdoor planting and cutting purposes. The soft blending of the salmon-pinks, rose-pinks, and the magnificent flesh tints resemble the blush of a maiden's cheek. The flowers are large, full and double, and most exquisitely formed. The petals are so firm they look like wax. Perfect buds. The flowers are borne on long, strong stems.

SUNSET ROSE—A strong, vigorous grower free bloomer, highly recommended for open ground or house culture. Flowers and buds are of extra large size, very full, finely formed, highly perfumed. Rich golden amber or gold, elegantly shaded with dark ruby-crimson. Strong, first size plants, 20c each; two-year-old plants 45c each, by express.

***THE QUEEN**—Of vigorous and healthy growth, sweetly scented. A constant bloomer, producing profuse crops of buds and flowers; the buds are well-shaped, with large petals of best substance. White.

SOMBRIEUL—Pure white, edged silvery-rose.

RAINBOW—Pink, striped crimson, center amber.

***WHITE BOUGERE**—No Rose exceeds this for open ground culture. The pure ivory-white flowers are unusually large, deep, full and double, borne on long, stiff stems throughout the season in great profusion.

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HARDY EVERBLOOMING TEA ROSES—Continued.

Sunrise Rose

A strong grower, free bloomer, and in every way a desirable Rose. The color is absolutely new, the buds, showing high, brilliant scarlet and yellow, blending to orange and copper; inside of petals golden-yellow.

UNCLE JOHN—An offspring of Golden Gate, from which it differs in color, which is more intense. Well worth a trial.

SYLPH—Large, high centered flowers, with deep, stiff petals. A strong grower and abundant bloomer, most suitable for garden planting and cutting purposes, has exquisitely handsome and richly tea-scented flowers, pure white, tinted with peach color; center creamy white, making a beautiful blending of colors.

***SOUVENIR DE FRANCOIS GAULAIN**—The color is unusually bright and quite remarkable for a Tea Rose—rich velvety crimson; the flowers are very fragrant, large, full and very double, possessing a depth that makes their color all the more attractive; quite hardy, healthy and strong. A Rose of great value to the home-grower. The strong, healthy plants are quite hardy.

WHITE GOLDEN GATE—Identical with its parent variety, Golden Gate, except in color, which is ivory-white. Buds are of elegant shape, long and pointed; flowers full and double, with substantial petals.



Sunrise.

The Famous Soupert Roses

Always Blooming

These famous Roses will give absolute satisfaction to every purchaser. They bloom the first year and will be in bloom every year from early May until severe freezing weather. More than once we have seen them in bloom in open ground after a severe snowstorm. There are no Roses like them; certainly none better. If you try them, take our word for it, you will not be disappointed.

Prices: Strong plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 40c each; \$4.00 per dozen, by express. Plants marked * furnished in still larger or star size at 75c each.

*Clotilde Soupert

Known the world over as one of the very best of all bedding Roses. A strong, dwarf grower and a truly wonderful bloomer, producing clusters after clusters of the finest formed flowers.

Full and double, and deliciously sweet. Color effect is beautiful, ivory-white shading toward the center to silvery rose.

*RED SOU-
PERT (Ma
Petite An-
dree)—An un-
usually strong
grower, dwarf

and compact, producing large, full, double flowers in amazing profusion. Color brilliant crimson. This is the original variety, and it is still the first and best of its class.

*PINK SOU-
PERT—Identical with Clotilde Soupert except in color of flower, which is clear lively pink and at a little distance resembles a Carnation. Has the same stocky, sturdy habit of growth, blooms as freely, with large, handsome flowers; same form as Clotilde Soupert.

YELLOW SOU-
PERT (Mosella)—The flowers are very double, and of the same camellia-like form as Clotilde Soupert, and are produced in immense clusters; buds exceedingly dainty. A strong, upright, bushy grower. Color white, on beautiful, light yellow ground; center chrome-yellow.

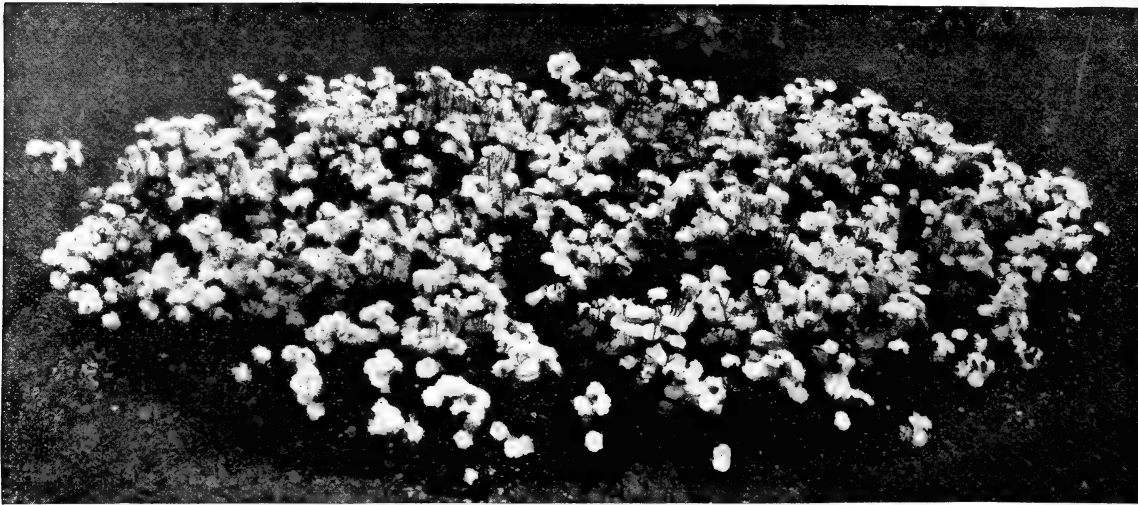
WHITE SOU-
PERT (Clotilde Pfitzer)—The genu-
ine White Soupert. Identical in every way with Clotilde Soupert, except in color, which is ivory-white. Free blooming and hardy.



Special Offer of Soupert Roses

One each of the five beautiful Soupert Roses, one-year-old plants, five in all, 60c, postpaid; two-year plants, five in all, \$1.65, by express.

The Soupert Roses have a Permanent Place among other Garden Roses. Clotilde Soupert has no Superior,



For Permanent Beds the Baby Ramblers are Unsurpassed.

Dwarf or Baby Rambler Roses

*THE FAMOUS CRIMSON BABY RAMBLER—

One of the most useful and ornamental Roses yet introduced. It blooms in immense clusters similar to Crimson Rambler, every day in the year, but grows only 20 inches high. Better than an Azalea, it is superb for single specimens, dwarf hedges and for bedding. The color is clear and brilliant ruby-red; foliage dark and glossy. Free from insects and absolutely hardy everywhere.

THE LOVELY ANNY MULLER—This Rose is very much the same as the Crimson Baby Rambler except in the color of the flowers, which are a shiny and brilliant pink, produced in the greatest profusion in large clusters. It is a splendid companion for the other excellent members of this family.

***DOUBLE WHITE BABY RAMBLER**—A most beautiful companion to the Crimson Baby Rambler, growing to the same height, and bearing great masses of double, pure white flowers, covering the plant as with a mantle. The Roses are delightfully scented, reminding one somewhat of a hyacinth.

ORLEANS—The most attractive of all the Baby Rambler Roses. A very rapid grower, soon producing a bush resembling a huge bouquet of brilliant geranium-red flowers, suffused rose, with a rosy-white center.

***YELLOW BABY RAMBLER**—Similar in habit of growth to the other Baby Ramblers, but of a lemon-yellow. Makes a beautiful contrast with the others.

MRS. WM. CUTBUSH—Of dwarf growth, producing in constant profusion flowers of pale pink, borne in huge trusses throughout the entire summer and autumn. Hardy.

BABY TAUSENDSCHON—A dwarf form of the Climbing Tausendschon or Thousand Beauties. It has all the characteristics of the climber in the charm of its flowers, but blooming the entire season. Flowers firm, white, delicately flushed pink, changing to deep rosy-carmine.

PHYLLIS—Considered by many to be the most popular of the Pink Baby Ramblers. The color is the shade of the Lawson Carnation—beautiful carmine-pink. Grows to a height of two feet; very hardy; always in bloom; flowers are produced in continuous succession in large clusters.

JESSIE—Of all the "Baby Ramblers" this new variety bids fair to outstrip the others in popularity. The flowers are of brilliant crimson, much the color of a Richmond Rose and are borne in huge clusters from early in the season until frost.

***GEO. ELGER**—A superb Poylantha Rose with just sufficient of Tea Rose blood to make it different from any in its class. It produces great quantities of lovely little buds of golden-yellow, opening into miniature symmetrical Roses. Each bush is so loaded with blooms that they resemble a huge bouquet. Like all Roses of this class it is free in growth and bloom, blooming all summer. Hardy everywhere with some protection. Foliage bright attractive green. Excellent companion for the Baby Ramblers.

Price of all Baby Rambler Roses offered on this page, except where noted, 15c each for strong one-year pot plants; 4 for 50c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 40c each; \$4.00 per dozen, by express. Plants marked * furnished in still larger or star size at 75 cents each.

Polyantha, or Fairy Roses

The members of this distinct and charming class of everblooming Roses, of which the Baby Rambler forms a conspicuous group, are distinguished by their dwarf, bushy habit of growth, medium size, very double flowers and delightful fragrance.

Price of all Roses on this page, except where noted, first size one-year plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c; two-year-old plants, 40c each; \$4.00 per doz.

Mlle. Cecile Bruner

Rosy pink on rich creamy white ground; a great bloomer; very satisfactory for bedding.

MARIE PAVIE—Medium size, very full and double; borne in large clusters; white flushed with carmine; delightfully perfumed.

MIGNONETTE—Clear pink, tinged with rose; an immense bloomer.

MINIATURE—Smallest of all Roses. Flowers in wreaths and clusters cover the plant; cream-rose, flushed red.

PERLE D'OR—Coppery gold, changing to fawn and salmon; flat-rayed form, very double; elegantly perfumed.

ETOILE D'OR—Double flowers, borne in large clusters; pale chrome yellow, with rich, citron-red center; blooms profusely.

FLORA—Flowers quite large, very full and round, delightfully perfumed and borne in immense clusters. Fine ivory-white, tinged with soft rosy blush.

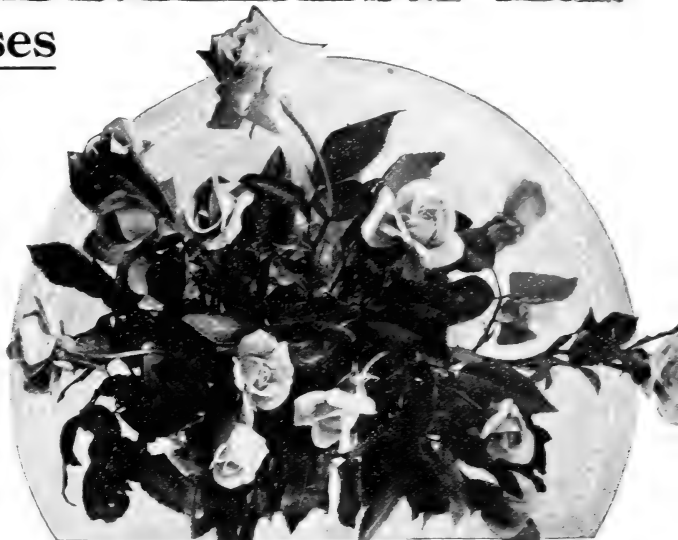
FLORABUNDA—Pale rose, medium size, very double and fragrant, borne in clusters.

GEORGE PERNET—Flowers medium size, very full, with fine imbricated petals; lovely buff-rose, delicately shaded lemon and fawn.

GLOIRE DE POLYANTHA—Fine citron-rose, elegantly flushed pale crimson.

JEANNE DRIVON—Pure white, faintly tinged crimson.

LITTLE PET—Creamy white, sometimes delicately tinged with salmon-rose.



Mlle. Cecile Bruner.

New Hybrid Polyantha Roses

ETOILE DE MAI—Buds creamy-white; lemon center in the open flower.

EUGENIE LAMESCH—Buds pure bright ochre-yellow, passing into light yellow.

LA PROSPERINE—Peach-red, center orange.

MA FILLETTE—Color peach-red, on yellow ground; center carmine. Blooms in clusters.

PETIT CONSTANT—Color capuchin-red and carmine, with orange and aurora reflection.

POLYANTHA GRANDIFLORA—Produces large panicles of white, semi-double flowers.

SHOWER OF PEARLS—Exquisite snow-white.

SNOWBALL—Produces its snow-white, camellia-like blossoms in large clusters.

15c each; 4 for 50c; 9 for \$1.00; larger size, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 40c each, by express.

"Baby Doll"

Note illustration in colors on back cover.

A wonderful little Rose. The color illustration on back cover does not do it justice, in fact it is almost impossible to correctly portray the wonderful coloring effect.

The flowers are miniature in size but magnificent in form and produced by the hundreds, exquisite for cutting or bouquets and bedding purposes. Makes a magnificent show in the open ground, always blooming from early spring until late fall, equal to the Souperets or Baby Ramblers, and we consider it the most wonderful Rose introduced for years. The tips of the petals are vivid scarlet, then mellowing down through shades of pink into saffron, lavender and gold, finally into deep old gold, a combination so extraordinary and so pleasing that everyone seeing it exclaims "What a Wonderful Rose."

Foliage slender and produced in abundance, dark lustre green.

Price, strong one-year plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen, by express.

Dingee & Conard Co., West Grove, Pa. Williamsburg, Pa., September 17, 1917.

Gentlemen:—Last Spring I purchased from you, about May 20th, a small plant of Tip Top or Baby Doll Rose. It was the most profuse bloomer of the whole lot and it is now in bloom for the fourth time since I got it; in June it had 7 flowers; in July, 26 flowers; in August it had 37; and now it has 20 or 25, including buds.

Yours truly,

J. R. DETWEILER.



The Exquisite "Baby Doll."

Everblooming Bourbon and China Roses



Mme. Eugene Marlitt.

*Queen's Scarlet

A constant and profuse bloomer, color, velvety scarlet; very brilliant and striking. Deserves general planting everywhere. Excellent Rose for bedding.

- † **COMTESSE DE BARBANTANE**—Flesh color.
- † **CRAMOISI SUPERIOR**—Medium size, rich dark velvety crimson; very double, full and beautiful.
- † **DUCHESS DE THURINGE**—Pure white, shaded with amber.
- † **HENRY PLANTIER**—Bright, shining rose; extra large; hardy.
- † **SOUVENIR DE LA MALMAISON**—Blush-white shaded flesh; large and very double; sweetly scented. Especially good.
- † **DOUGLAS**—Dark, cherry-red, free bloomer.
- † **LA PHOENIX**—Red, shaded crimson.
- † **LOUIS PHILIPPE**—Velvety crimson.
- † **LUCULLUS**—Dark crimson-maroon; large, full and fragrant; very double; a constant and profuse bloomer.
- † **MADAME BOSANQUET**—Pale flesh, shaded deep rose.
- † **MALMAISON**—One of the choicest Roses in our collection, and unsurpassed for general cultivation. Rich, creamy-flesh, distinctly and elegantly shaded clear peachy red, with a rose center; flowers very large, perfectly double and deliciously fragrant. Particularly valuable for outside cultivation, being quite hardy. 15c each; 4 for 50c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 45c each.
- † **MARIE DRIVON**—Fine, clear pink, sometimes light rose.
- † **MONTHLY CABBAGE**—An old favorite still in great demand; bright rosy pink.
- † **MRS. DE GRAW**—Bright coral-pink; borne in clusters.

The Bourbon and China Roses are hardy in every section, so we list them together. They are strong, vigorous growers. Roses of these classes will bloom freely the first year from young plants, and bloom constantly throughout the season. Splendid for autumn blooming.

Prices of all these Roses offered on this page, except where noted, strong one-year plants, 15c each; 8 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 35c each, by express; \$3.50 per dozen. Varieties marked * furnished in large specimen or star size plants at 75c.

Hermosa

The favorite of the old-time gardens, and just as popular today; blooms in fine clusters; large, very double and fragrant; color beautiful clear rose; a constant bloomer; hardy.

Agrippina—Fiery red; double and sweet.

Apopline—Clear pink and rosy crimson.

Archduc Charles—Crimson-scarlet.

***Beau Carmine**—Fine carmine-red; very rich.

Bourbon Queen—Bright carmine; edged white.

***CHAMPION OF THE WORLD**—A free-blooming hardy Rose. Flowers of large size; color, lovely clear, deep pink. 15c each; 4 for 40c; two-year-old plants, 40c each, by express.

***MME. EUGENE MARLITT**—A most magnificent Rose of this type, of a brilliant shade of red. The bush is strong growing and lusty, fairly weighted down all summer with its profusion of bloom. First size, 20c each; 3 for 50c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 40c each, by express.



Queen's Scarlet.

Rare and Miscellaneous Roses

ENGLISH SWEETBRIER ROSE—Desirable for shrubberies and general planting; flowers bright pink and single; very fragrant. Large plants, 25c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express.

HARRISON'S YELLOW ROSE—One of the finest pure deep yellow, hardy Roses ever grown. Three-year-old plants, very fine, 75c each, by express.

PERSIAN YELLOW—The old-fashioned hardy yellow Rose. Deep yellow and perfectly hardy everywhere. Three-year-old plants, 75c each, by express.

THE CHEROKEE ROSE—A strong, erect-growing sort, with glossy green leaves. The bushes bear large, pure white Roses in great profusion. Moderately hardy. One of the favorites in the South, converting the most homely object into a thing of beauty. 20c each; 3 for 50c; two-year-old plants, 40c each.

SOLEIL D'OR—While this unique Rose is beautiful in the extreme, it has not proved satisfactory as a bush Rose in this country, and we do not recommend it. A blending of reddish gold, orange yellow, nasturtium-red and pink. Low-budded, field-grown plants, 75c each.

YORK AND LANCASTER—This unique Rose belongs to the Centifolia, a type celebrated for its exquisite fragrance. It dates back to the time of the War of the Roses, between the Royal Houses of York and Lancaster. Color remarkably red and white, sometimes blotched and sometimes striped; full and double. Perfectly hardy. First size, two-year-old plants only, 75c each.

New and Rare Wichuraiana Roses

All are new Wichuraiana Hybrids of American origin, hardy in all sections, and are literally Tea Roses with climbing or trailing habit and undeniable hardiness. All bloom in clusters. All Roses under this heading, 15c each; any 4 for 50c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 40c each, by express.

Crimson Roamer—Richest crimson-red.

Debutante—Beautiful soft pink flowers.

Edwin Lonsdale—Pale lemon-white.

Farquhar—Clusters of bright pink; double.

Gardenia—Very fragrant; creamy yellow.

Improved Universal Favorite—Brilliant pink.

Jersey Beauty—Pale yellow, bright stamens.

John Burton—Delicate peach; very double.

Lynch's Hybrid—Bright pink; handsome.

Manda's Triumph—Double; pure white.

Pink Pearl—Pearl-pink, with yellow stamens.

Pink Roamer—Pink, with orange center.

Prof. C. Sargent—Deep golden yellow.

Red Memorial—Brilliant carmine-red.

Robert Craig—Yellow and apricot.

South Orange Perfection—White; double.

Sweetheart—Pink, turning to blush-white.

Universal Favorite—Beautiful rose.

White Star—Beautiful, single, white.

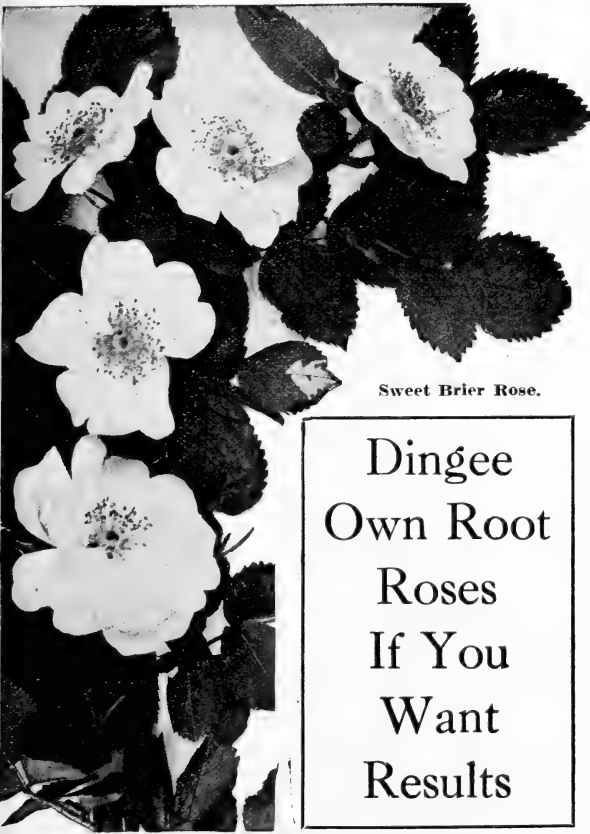
Wichuraiana—Single; pure white; fragrant.

Wm. C. Egan—Beautiful shade of rose.

Wm. F. Dreer—Creamy-white.

Evergreen Gem—Double white flowers.

Wm. K. Harris—Pale flesh-color; very dainty.



Sweet Brier Rose.

Dingee
Own Root
Roses
If You
Want
Results

New Bourbon, Bengal and China Roses

PINK DAILY—Bright pink, full double; fragrant; constant bloomer.

PRESIDENT D'OBLECQUE—Purplish crimson.

SANGUINEA—Fiery red; double.

WHITE DAILY—Pure white; free bloomer.

BARDOU JOB—Large, rich, crimson flowers shaded with black.

BOURSALT ROSE, GRACILIS—A hardy climbing Rose. Blooms in immense clusters; bright red.

CAROLINE MARIESSE—The blooms are blush-white, small but full; borne in clusters.

MADDALENA SCALARANDIS—Color rich dark pink on yellow ground.

J. B. M. CAMM—Pure pink flowers in great profusion.

RED HERMOSA—The color is bright, rosy red.

STRIPED MALMAISON (Bertha Clavel)—Creamy white, rose center; petals striped.

Price, first size one-year plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen, by express.



Crested Moss.

"Sturdy as Oak" Rugosas

This class of new and rare Roses can be used in so many places that they are almost indispensable. They make sturdy, compact bushes, four to six feet high, which are very ornamental, owing to their dark, shiny, rich green, wrinkled, leathery foliage. Free from insects and disease, thrive under almost any condition and hardy as an oak. Excellent for hedges or cemetery planting.

***SIR THOMAS LIPTON**—The best pure white Rugosa Rose. Strong and vigorous; grows 4 feet high. Flowers perfectly double, pure snow-white. Fragrant, borne on long stems continuously throughout the season. Hardy. Fine for hedging, cemetery and park work.

***CONRAD FERDINAND MEYER**—Strong grower; perfectly hardy; flowers very large; well filled. Silvery rose. Very fragrant.

ROSA RUGOSA RUBRA—The popular hedging Rose. Crimson flowers are large and single, followed by glossy red berries.

ROSA RUGOSA ALBA—Identical with the preceding, but the flowers are white and produce yellow berries. Price of Rubra and Alba, 15c each; 4 for 50c; two-year-old plants, 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

***NEW CENTURY**—Bright, rosy pink, with red center, with petals widely bordered with creamy white.

MAD. GEORGES BRUANT—Buds are long and pointed; flowers glistening white and fragrant.

Price of Rugosas, except where noted, strong, one-year plants, 20c each; 3 for 50c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each. Varieties marked * furnished in large specimen or star size at 75c each.

Moss Roses; the Old-time Favorites

Entirely hardy everywhere. Once planted are practically permanent. Flowers and buds have an abundance of lovely deep green moss. Price, 20c each; 3 for 50c; 7 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 45c each; \$4.50 per dozen.

BLANCHE MOREAU—Produced in clusters, large, full and sweet; pure white; beautifully mossed.

CRESTED MOSS—Beautiful rose-pink; mossing is handsome and effective.

HENRI MARTIN—A splendid Moss Rose of a delightful pink, with buds beautifully mossed. Bush is extra hardy and profuse in bloom.

GLORY OF MOSSES—Flowers very bright and delightfully fragrant. Color glossy pink tinged with crimson.

SALET—Rose-pink; very large and beautifully mossed.

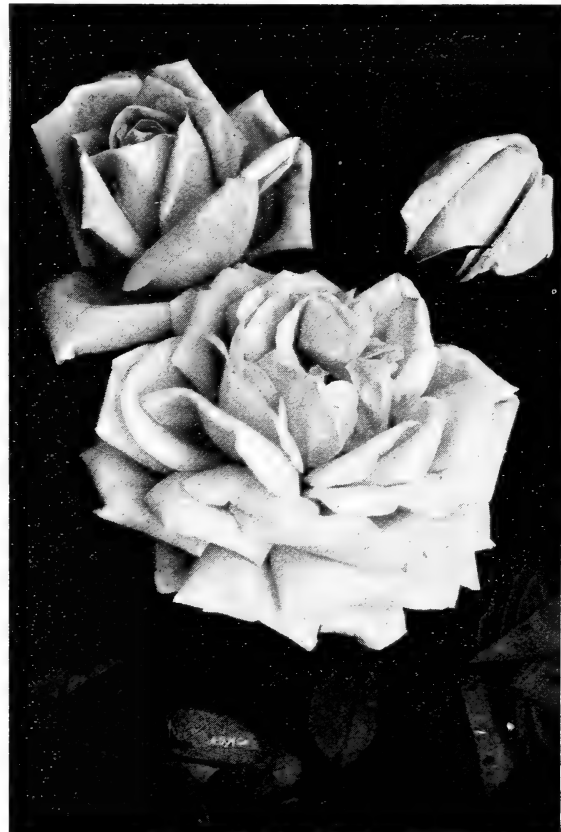
PRINCESS ADELAIDE—A most beautifully mossed Rose of an exquisite shade of pink.

MOUSELINE—Pure white flower, buds beautifully mossed.

ELIZABETH ROWE—This is an old favorite with its large, deep pink buds well mossed. A beauty.

Green Rose—Viridiflora

A most interesting member of the Rose family, grown for its oddity. Petals are small, pointed, set thickly, and of the same color as the foliage—dark pea green. First size, 15c each; larger size, 20c each; two-year-old plants, 40c each.



Sir Thomas Lipton.



Pathway Bordered with Hardy June Roses.

Dingee Famous Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Roses

There is little question that Hybrid Perpetual Roses, or "June Roses," as they are sometimes called, are the most valuable of all hardy plants. They are of vigorous, upright growth, have large, bold flowers, frequently measuring 5 or 6 inches in diameter, and are deliciously fragrant. These Roses will succeed in any locality and are so hardy that they will live through the severest winters with but a light protection of leaves or coarse manure. Some

of the kinds do not bloom until the second year, but, when fully established, they all bloom freely at the usual time, early in the season. The Hybrid Perpetuals will withstand hardship and neglect, but give much better results with good cultivation and rich soil. Always plant in open ground, as these Roses are not suitable for house culture. Our collection of Hybrid Perpetuals is by far the best in the country. Plants strong and hardy, on own roots.

Prices of all Roses in this section, except where noted, 20c each; any 3 for 50c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen of one or more varieties, by express. Varieties marked * furnished in larger or star size at 75c each.

ALFRED COLOMB—Extra large, round flowers; very double and full; clear, cherry-red, passing to bright, rich crimson; very fragrant.

ABEL CARRIERE—One of the best; extra large, very double, full and sweet; dark crimson, passing to velvety maroon.

ARCHDUCHESS ELIZABETH OF AUSTRIA—Vigorous grower; large, bold flowers of rosy carmine are produced in the greatest profusion.

***ANNA DE DIESBACH (Glory of Paris)**—Most lovely brilliant carmine, long, pointed buds, and large, finely formed, compact flowers; very full and double and delightfully sweet. A vigorous grower and fine bloomer. One of the hardiest of the well-known, desirable Roses.

ANNA ALEXIEFF—Very double and full; exceedingly sweet; clear, bright pink color.

BARONNE DE BONSTETTIN—Large flowers, very double and full; rich dark red, passing to deep velvety maroon; highly scented.

BARONESS ROTHSCHILD—Rose-lovers in all countries agree that it is the acme of perfection in flower and growth. Flowers bright rosy pink, of immense size and globular form. The boldness of the flowers, with their broad, thick petals, suggests solidity and massiveness; they are borne erect on stout, thick canes. Perfectly hardy and blooms twice and frequently three times in a season. **Two-year-old plants, budded only, 65c each.**

BARBAROSSA—Has been called a red Frau Karl Druschki. Large, finely formed carmine-red flowers on a strong, lusty bush. True stock very scarce.

No yard or garden is complete without some of the old favorites—the June Roses—in it.

HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES—Continued.

Fisher Holmes

Very beautiful, resembling General Jacqueminot, but fuller and more constant bloomer; dark, rich scarlet, passing to deep velvety crimson; extra large, full flowers; very sweet.

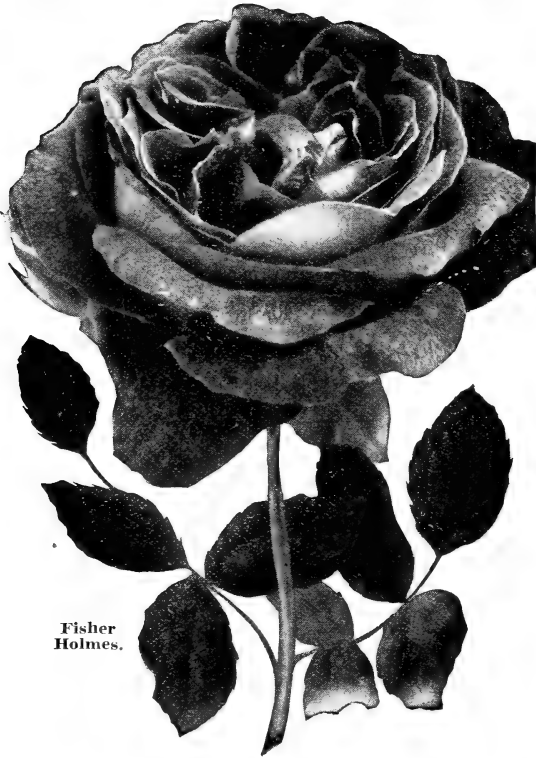
CAPTAIN CHRISTY—Extra large, double flowers; lovely peach, deepening at center to rosy crimson. Almost everblooming; unusually good everywhere. Buds as large as American Beauty. Strong and sturdy grower. Hardy as an oak.

CAROLINE DE SANSAL—Clear, brilliant rose, merging into rosy lilac, edged bronze.

***CLIO**—A really grand Rose. On the order of Baroness Rothschild. Recommended by expert growers as the finest Rose of this type. Strong, vigorous grower, handsome foliage. Flowers flesh-color, shaded in the center with rosy pink; large, of fine, globular form, freely produced.

***COQUETTE DES ALPES**—Large, full, finely formed flowers, pure white, sometimes faintly tinged with pale blush; profuse bloomer.

CAPTAIN HAYWARD—Bright scarlet, very vivid in summer and glowing in autumn. Large, full and bold; the outer petals finely reflexed, while the center petals stand up well, making a flower of striking beauty. Hardy.



Fisher
Holmes.

*Francois Levet

One of the best and most satisfactory of all Hybrid Roses. An unusually vigorous grower, and free blooming. Large, finely made flowers almost the size of Paul Neyron; cherry-pink, delicately shade carmine and blush.

***BOULE DE NIEGE**—A very hardy, pure white variety, medium size; very full, double flowers of delightful fragrance.

***COQUETTE DES BLANCHES**—Pure snowy-white, sometimes faintly tinged with pale rose; blooms in large clusters; medium size, full and slightly fragrant.

***COUNTESS OF ROSEBERRY**—Immense flowers; satin, pink in the center and deepens on the outer petals to a bright rose. The feathery shading gives it the appearance of two distinct colors. The plant grows into a stout, sturdy bush, bearing its wealth of blooms on long, stiff stems.

CHESTNUT HYBRID—One of the very best Roses of its color—red shaded with violet. Very free flowering; blooms large and full.

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Francois Levet.

*General Jacqueminot

Bright, shining crimson, rich and velvety; exceedingly brilliant and handsome; makes magnificent buds and flowers, highly esteemed as one of the best and most desirable Roses for the open ground.

DINSMORE—Popular for garden planting on account of its hardiness and vigor of growth; constant and profuse bloom, which begins soon after planting and continues all through the season. Flowers are large and perfectly double; color rich crimson-scarlet.

DR. WM. GORDON—Extra large; deep petaled and high-centered; brilliant pink.

DUKE OF EDINBURGH—Brilliant scarlet-crimson, shaded with maroon; large and full. Foliage very attractive.

DR. O'DONEL BROWNE—A giant grower. Flowers monthly; almost as free as a Hybrid Tea. Carmine-rose, exquisitely perfumed. 40c each; larger size, 50c each; two-year-old plants, 75c each.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT—Velvety crimson, flushed with red. Flowers large, full and well formed. A vigorous grower.

EARL OF DUFFERIN—Rich velvety crimson, shaded with dark maroon. Beautifully shaped buds borne on long, graceful stems. Very full and double. Delightfully fragrant and free bloomer. One of the best dark red Hybrids.

GLORY OF THE EXPOSITION OF BRUSSELS—Large, full flowers; of fine fragrance; deep, velvety, purplish amaranth, almost black; base of petals fiery red. One of the most gorgeous of the dark Roses. The bush is very large, strong and vigorous, and in its season is covered with the glory of the magnificent flowers on large stems.



Black Prince—Almost Black in Color.

HYBRID PERPETUAL
ROSES—Continued.



Gen. Jacqueminot—the Old Favorite.

Black Prince

Much sought after because of its dark crimson flowers, which are shaded so deeply as to be almost black; cupped, large, full, fine-shaped.

***EMPRESS OF INDIA**—Dark brownish-crimson. Double and finely shaped flowers. A strong, vigorous grower.

FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI—Finest pure white Rose. Free flowering almost as a Hybrid Tea. Note price and description on page 68.

GENERAL WASHINGTON—Bright, shining crimson flowers, large and double; blooms the first season and almost constantly.

GIANT OF BATTLES—A grand old favorite. One of the best, if not the best, hardy, vivid crimson Rose; large, very double and sweet.

GLOIRE DE MARGOTTIN—Flowers large, somewhat globular, full and deliciously scented; clear, dazzling red.

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*Gloire Lyonnaise

Brilliant White Rose

Great Roses are made all the greater by the publicity given them. Frequently a variety of more than ordinary worth is allowed to "waste its sweetness on the desert air" because the public is unacquainted with its merits. This is especially true of this great variety. Makes strong, upright bush, with beautiful deep green foliage; practically thornless. While a Hybrid Perpetual, yet like the Hybrid Tea Roses, bears in greatest profusion large, pointed buds and massive flowers on long, stiff, heavy shoots; the open flower is enormous, full, deep and double. Rich creamy-white, passing, when open, to a pale shade of salmon-yellow, deepest at the center. Absolutely hardy everywhere. Grown, as they are, on their own roots, one can purchase with a feeling that it will be a source of joy forever. Price, 20c each; 3 for 50c, postpaid. Two-year-old plants, 50c each; \$5.00 per doz., by express. Still larger or star size at 75c each.

HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES—Continued.

J. B. Clark

Introduced and listed as a Hybrid Tea, but after a thorough trial, we have come to the conclusion that it belongs to the Hybrid Perpetuals.

An intense deep scarlet-rose, shaded blackish-crimson, color like the sheen of a plum, often 7 inches in diameter and 5 inches deep. J. B. Clark has created a great sensation throughout the United States and Europe. A wonderfully strong and upright grower, exceedingly vigorous, with splendid and heavy dark bronze-green foliage. The glory of the plant is in its flowers, however, as they are extraordinary in size, full and double, wonderfully fragrant, of great depth, and borne freely from the first year, on long, stiff stems. This Rose has proven hardy, even in Canada, and a genuine treat is in store for everyone who plants it. We have a large stock of own-root plants, all in splendid condition. Strong, one-year-old plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; larger size, 35c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 60c each.



J. B. Clark—A Great Rose.

*Eugene Furst

Strong, vigorous grower, with thick, healthy foliage. Flowers beautiful, velvety crimson, shading to maroon. Highly scented with the same delightful perfume as some of the Tea Roses.

JOHN KEYNES—Beautiful, double, globular flowers, shining red, shaded with deep maroon. Large and fragrant. A most popular variety, with luxuriant foliage.

JULES MARGOTTIN—Free-flowering, hardy, with light green foliage, somewhat crimped. Large, full, somewhat flat flowers; fine carmine color.

JUBILEE—Glowing velvety crimson.

JEAN LIABAUD—Color nearly black. Flowers large, full and fragrant; most intense, dark, rich, velvety crimson imaginable, almost black; rare and handsome.

***JOHN HOPPER**—Flowers large, very regular and full; brilliant rose, changing to bright, glowing pink, shaded with rich crimson; profuse bloomer.

HUGH WATSON—Crimson, shading to carmine. Blooms large and of finest finish; growth vigorous, branching and free; fragrant.

HAILEYSBURY—Blooms with the greatest freedom, almost as freely as a Hybrid Tea. Flowers of elegant, round shape, bright crimson; a good strong grower.

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Eugene Furst.

HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES—Continued

***Mad. Masson**

It is entirely hardy, blooms nearly all the time, as free as any Hybrid Tea, bearing numbers of large full, double flowers of unusual beauty and wonderful fragrance; clear, bright rose; distinct and charming. A great Rose.

MAD. CHARLES WOOD—Begins to bloom almost as soon as planted, and continues all through the season; flowers extra large, double full and quite fragrant; bright, fiery scarlet, passing to fine, rosy crimson, shaded with maroon showy and handsome.

MRS. R. G. SHARMAN-CRAWFORD—Deep rosy pink; outer petals pale flush; base of petals white, large and of perfect form. Received gold medal of the National Rose Society.

***MARSHALL P. WILDER**—Flowers large, semi-globular, full and of good substance; bright scarlet-crimson, richly shaded with maroon.

MABEL MORRISON—Rare and beautiful; extra large size; full regular form; broad, shell-like petals; pure snowy white, sometimes faintly tinged with pink. Two-year-old budded plants only, 60c each.

MAD. GABRIELLE LUIZET—The color is an exquisite shade of clear coral-rose, suffused with lavender and pearl; good bloomer, hardy. Two-year-old budded plants only, 60c each.



Mad. Masson.

***Paul Neyron**

The flowers are immense; probably the largest and finest Rose; bright, shining pink; clear and beautiful; very double and full; finely scented; blooms the first season and all summer; no collection is complete without this magnificent variety.

HER MAJESTY—Of immense size and remarkably beautiful form; double, clear rose-pink, passing to clear flesh. One of the most famous Roses in the world; exceedingly hard to secure true to name. We offer only two-year-old, low-budded plants, \$1.00 each.

LORD RAGLAN—Burgundy-crimson of a beautiful shade. Splendid flowers, distinct and beautiful.

LOUIS VAN HOUTTE—Brilliant vinous crimson; large, full and fragrant; an excellent sort and one that we recommend most highly. One of the most beautiful Roses.

MARCHIONESS OF LORNE—Free-flowering, with cup-shaped flowers of an exceedingly rich, rosy color, slightly shaded in the center with vivid carmine. Large, very sweet and full. 20c each; larger size, 25c each; two-year-old plants, 45c each.

***MAD. ALFRED CARRIERE**—Extra large, full flowers; very double and sweet; rich, creamy-white faintly tinged with pale yellow.

Price of all Roses, first size one-year plants, on this page, except here noted, 20c each; any 3 for 50c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, all on own roots, 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen. Varieties marked * furnished in still larger or star size at 75c each.



Paul Neyron.

HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES—Continued.

Margaret Dickson

One of the Finest Hybrid Perpetual Roses
Introduced.

Wherever exhibited it has received first honors. The flower is of magnificent form, very large in size, almost as large as Paul Neyron, the largest of all Roses; color is pure waxy white, without spot or blemish; petals very large, well shaped and of great substance. They are prettily curled back or reflexed, giving the flower inimitable grace and charm. The buds are large and globular, particularly exquisite and handsome. It is a strong, vigorous grower, with fine foliage; a free bloomer. Should be included in every order. 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 50c each.

MERVELLE DE LYON—Flowers extra large, fine cupped form, full and regular, and deliciously perfumed; ivory-white, elegantly flushed with carmine. Strong plants, 35c each; two-year-old bud-ded plants, 50c each.

MME. ALFRED DE ROUGEMONT—White, tinged with pink. One of the old standbys, and none better of its color. Has good flowers, is a strong grower and free bloomer.



Margaret Dickson.

Ulrich Bruner

A great Rose, known to all planters as one of the best in this class. Immense, large, bold flowers, full and globular; rich, glowing crimson, elegantly flamed with scarlet. Hardy, unusually free boomer. Highly fragrant.

***PRINCE CAMILLE DE ROHAN**—Celebrated the world over for its large, handsome, fragrant flowers, and the freedom with which they are produced. The color is a deep, rich velvety crimson, passing to intense maroon, shaded black. At a short distance they appear really black.

***MAGNA CHARTA**—Extra large, full flowers, very double; of fine form, and sweet; clear, rosy red, beautifully flushed with violet-crimson; sure and profuse bloomer.

***LA REINE**—Clear, bright rose; large, fine, full form; fragrant and hardy.

MRS. JOHN LAING—Immense flowers, full and double, borne in great profusion on long, stiff stems, and exceedingly sweet. Clear, bright, shining pink, exquisitely shaded. Buds long.

PERFECTION DES BLANCHES—A splendid white sort, ranking with Coquette des Alps.

PERLE DES BLANCHES—Barring Margaret Dickson, one of the very finest pure whites.

VICK'S CAPRICE—Flowers large and slightly cup-shaped, but full and deep; petals thick and lasting, having the ground color clear, satiny pink, distinctly striped and dashed with white and bright carmine. Blooms freely at short intervals during the whole season.

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The Lovely
Tausendschoen.

Dingee Hardy Climbing Roses

Hardy Climbing Roses have the popular call. They have become an absolute necessity for beautifying the home, for training over porches, verandas, trellises and pergolas, and they make most beautiful flowering hedges when trained on low supports. Also when grown as individual specimen plants, as they soon form a beautiful bush more ornamental than many hardy shrubs. They can be kept trimmed into any shape or height desired, and thus make a large, handsome bush Rose. No other concern offers such a complete list of Climbing Roses as we. All the Climbing Roses in our unequalled list are on their own roots—a most vital point in a Climbing Rose. Unlike budded stock, once planted they last a lifetime. Some are absolutely hardy in the coldest parts of the country, while others growing luxuriantly in the Middle and Southern Sections, require some slight protection in the North. The same high quality of stock distinguishing Dingee Roses, the same care in propagation and growing makes this class a most important one in our business.

* A Thousand Beauties

(German Tausendschoen). The most sensational Climbing Rose yet introduced, not even barring Crimson Rambler. A single cluster of flowers is a bouquet in itself, hence the very fitting name, "Thousand Beauties." Blooming profusely from the beginning of June until the last of July, the flowers appear in large clusters (10 to 15 in a cluster) of splendid size and quite double. The colors run from delicate balsam to tender rose through the intermediate shades of bright rose and carmine, with white, yellow and various other indescribable tints showing. A strong grower, has few thorns; impervious to mildew; hardy in the open ground everywhere.

Alberic Barbier

A Great New Yellow Climbing Rose. Very best hardy Climbing Rose in cultivation. Grows in almost any soil or situation. Free from insect attacks, beautiful, heavy, waxy foliage. Continues in bloom for quite a protracted period; free from mildew; in short, the type of Rose that may be planted and forgotten. The beautiful yellow flowers are unusually full and double, and produced sometimes singly and sometimes in clusters, with utmost freedom. All plants grown on own roots.

Price of all Hardy Climbing Roses offered on this page, 15c each, 50c for any 4, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 40c each, by express, \$4.00 per doz. of one or more varieties. Varieties marked * furnished in large specimen or star size, 75c each,

*Climbing American Beauty

HARDY CLIMBING
ROSES—Continued.

A real American Beauty in Climbing Form—attains a height of 15 feet in a single season—sturdy as an oak. Our own stock on its own roots, not on wild roots. Once planted practically everlasting. No new Rose of recent years so sensational and meritorious as this, and each season adds to its popularity.

American Beauty is perhaps the best known, most popular and impressive Rose in cultivation. Big, gloriously rich in fragrance, the flowers are simply superb. Every Rose expert has longed to produce this Queen of Beauty in climbing form through the delicate science of hybridizing and cross breeding. This is no ordinary Climbing Rose, but is a vigorous, rampant, climbing type of the real American Beauty, with its gorgeous flowers and surpassing fragrance. Immense blooms measuring 3 to 4 inches in diameter; and each one is invariably produced on a separate stem. The color is a glowing crimson-red, the real American Beauty color. The foliage is magnificent and is an important feature in climbing Roses, for without healthy, leathery foliage any climbing Rose is a failure, because it is unsightly. Climbing American Beauty has tough, beautiful, glossy green foliage, which in itself is ornamental and retains its brightness during the entire season. Absolutely hardy in all localities and withstands the rigid winters of a temperature 10 to 25 degrees below zero without protection. Equally satisfactory in the warmer southern climates. For single specimens, for pergolas, for climbing over verandas, or any place that an ordinary vine will grow, Climbing American Beauty will thrive.

Remember, every plant is pot-grown, and unlike stock sold by nursery agents, is on its own roots. Once planted, it practically lasts forever.

Prices: Strong, one-year plants, 20c each; larger size, 30c each, postpaid; strong, vigorous two-year-old plants, 50c each; still larger specimen plants, 75c each, by express.

CLARA JACQUIER—Small nankeen-yellow flowers are produced profusely in large clusters like Crimson Rambler. Hardy; early.

Richmond, Michigan, July 6, 1917.

Gentlemen:
I have just measured a Charles Dingee Rose in my garden and it has a circumference of 12 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches. My Climbing American Beauty and White American Beauty are magnificent.

Yours,
MRS. O. E. EVANS.



Climbing American Beauty as a Specimen Plant.

*Dorothy Perkins

The Brilliant Pink Rambler Rose. Flowers are borne in large clusters, are very double, with prettily crinkled petals; remarkably pretty pointed buds, beautiful clear shell-pink in color, lasting a long time without fading. The bush is perfectly hardy in all localities, a rapid and thrifty grower, bearing its wondrous flowers in great clusters.

***EXCELSA, Red Dorothy Perkins**—New and distinct Rambler of remarkable merit. A remarkable grower, free from insects and producing a great quantity of blooms of crimson-maroon with tips of the petals scarlet. Flowers full and double and thirty or forty produced on a stem. The undesirable features of the Crimson Rambler, the unsightly foliage, is eliminated in this Rose by the infusion of Wichuraiana blood. Hardy everywhere, and soon produces a magnificent bush. An excellent variety for hedges and pergolas.

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American Beauties

If any Rose has earned the title of the "National Rose," it is American Beauty. Wherever the Rose is known, it is the queen, and deservedly so. In size, color, form and fragrance it has no equal. Of quick, healthy, bushy growth, either in pots or outdoors, with magnificent foliage, it produces in abundance glorious buds and large, deep, double flowers of immense size. The three kinds below make a gorgeous combination.

*Crimson American Beauty

American Beauty is splendid for open-ground culture, and is hardy in nearly all localities, except where the winters are particularly severe, **provided the true stock is planted.** Our plants are grown in specially prepared soil by our own expert growers. We guarantee our plants to be true to name, absolutely first-class in every particular. Color, **rich crimson, charmingly shaded and veined.** As the flowers expand, their beauty seems to be enhanced rather than diminished. The fragrance is not excelled by any Rose known.

*Pink American Beauty

QUEEN OF EDGELY

We believe we are the only house offering this beautiful new variety, which is identical in every way with American Beauty of which it is an offspring, except in color, which is **soft, rich pink,** fading still lighter as the flower grows older. Has the same large, massive, cup-shaped flowers and fragrance; in short, it is a lovely blonde full sister to the dark brunette, American Beauty. - Ours is the original stock, not to be had elsewhere.

*White American Beauty

FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI

This brilliant white type Rose has become renowned as the very highest type of its class and the best snow-white Rose ever introduced. It is an extraordinarily strong grower, branching freely, and has the vigor and hardiness of an oak. Large, heavy foliage and magnificent flowers that are nothing less than glorious—immense in size and produced with great freedom on long, stiff stems. The color is marvelously white, without a tinge of yellow or any other shade. Hardy everywhere. Grown on its own roots.

Price of American Beauty Rose in extra strong, one-year plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; extra heavy two-year-old plants, 60c each; \$6.00 per doz.

Special Offer One of each, American Beauties, three in all, in one-year plants, postpaid, for 60c; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 by express, charges collect.

READ A Few Interesting Letters From Some of Our Customers

Gentlemen: Union Mills, N. C., June 27, 1917.

I have known and raised your roses in the far West (where my home is) for more than a **quarter of a century,** and **have never found their equal.**

COL. H. PORNEY, U. S. Federal Warden.

Gentlemen: Memphis, Tenn., March 8, 1917.

In the yard of my father's old home place there are rose bushes today that were bought from your firm more than **forty years ago.** These bushes are as sturdy as oaks and bloom as well as they ever did.

Sincerely yours,

MISS KATHLEEN HUFFMAN.

Gentlemen: Baltimore, Maryland, February 12, 1917.

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your catalogue for 1917. I am sorry I cannot give you an order this Spring, but as every foot of yard space I have is already occupied with Dingee Roses it will be impossible to add anything to it this Spring. I have about thirty-five varieties of Roses, of which **Charles Dingee and Jonkheer J. L. Mock** surpass all others in quality. During my forty years experience in Rose growing I have found nothing to equal these two great Roses.

J. T. A. STROUP.

Gentlemen: Ravenswood, West Virginia, February 8, 1917.

Please send me catalogue on Rose growing. The first Roses I ever bought was of Dingee and Conard, some **thirty-five years ago,** 7 for \$1.00.

Very truly,

MRS. H. C. ROBERTS.

Dear Sirs: Birmingham, Alabama, February 19, 1917.

Kindly send me copy of "New Guide to Rose Culture for 1917." My father bought Roses from you over **fifty years ago.**

FRANK NORRIS.

Dear Sirs: Oak Park, Illinois, February 5, 1917.

For some years I sent to you for bushes and seeds. My soil was poor and I never could succeed with everything I bought, but once I bought a group of little pot grown Roses and some of them lived, but one, the **Thousand Beauties** or **Tausendschon** was the charm of the whole neighborhood. I think two years since it must have had a million blooms. I, myself, a lady of 70, made a beautiful pergola. Neighbors came and brought their friends to see it, but as we have moved I had to leave my Rose. Please send me your Rose catalogue.

Very truly,

MRS. F. L. RICKCORDS.



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HARDY CLIMBING ROSES—Continued.

*Christine Wright

A cross between Mad. Caroline Testout and an unknown seedling. Has the constitution of an oak, with thick, leathery, dark green foliage, practically immune from insects or disease. Strong, healthy growth, producing shoots 10 to 12 feet in a single season. Blooms are produced singly and in large clusters, each bloom perfect in form and from 3 to 4 inches in diameter. Beautiful in bud and fully expanded flower. Color an exquisite shade of bright wild-rose pink. Blooms in June and more or less throughout the season. Price, first size, one-year plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid. Strong two-year-old plants, 50c each, by express.

*NORTHERN LIGHT—Strong, upright grower, bearing quantities of beautiful pink and white Roses of various shades and combinations of color. Quite double.

HIAWATHA—Single, deep intense crimson shade; petals shading pure white at the base. Foliage light glossy green.

*American Pillar

A new climber of extremely vigorous habit of growth, the bushes being clothed in lively green from earliest spring until late in the fall. The flowers are produced in profusion, fairly covering the bush, and their pretty pink color is a delight to the eye. In the fall, the flowers are followed by large clusters of attractive red berries, which are highly ornamental. Planted singly or in groups on the lawn, this Rose is sure to evoke favorable comment.

MINNEHAHA—New. A charming double satiny pink-flowering Rambler of a most pleasing color. Flowers are borne in clusters; foliage glossy green.

*LADY GODIVA—A magnificent white sport from Dorothy Perkins, with flowers growing in splendid clusters and of remarkably vigorous growth and handsome foliage. Dark green foliage and free from ravages of insects or disease.

CLIMBING MOSELLA — A climbing type of the popular bush Rose of this name, producing its yellow flowers in clusters, hardy. 30c each; 2-year-old plants, 60c each.

LILY ITO—A pretty, dainty foliaged climber of rapid growth, which bears a great profusion of small Polyantha flowers of pearly blush. A Japanese importation.

MRS. F. W. FLIGHT—Recommended as the "Queen if all Ramblers." Beautiful carmine flowers, with white center; semi-double in form, and borne in enormous clusters. Very free-flowering. Unsurpassed for arches and pillars.

*LADY GAY—Flowers of a delicate cherry-pink color, which fades to a soft white; deep green foliage. Vigorous grower, perfectly hardy. Will cover a large porch or trellis in an incredibly short time. One of the most charming of all the climbers.

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Beautiful Christine Wright Rose.



The Exquisite Bloom
of Birdie Bly.

**HARDY CLIMBING
ROSES—Continued.**

Birdie Bly

One of the freest blooming hardy Climbers that we know of today. Bushes here bloom five and six times each season. Perfectly hardy everywhere. Good strong grower. Foliage bright glossy green and free from insects or disease. Blooms full and double as per illustration, and over three inches in diameter. Color a bright carmine, changing to bright satiny rose. Very fragrant.

***DR. W. VAN FLEET**—Flowers when open run four inches and over in diameter. The center is built high, petals beautifully undulated and cupped. The color is a remarkable delicate shade of flesh-pink on the outer surface, deepening to rosy-flesh in the center. The flowers are full and double, of delicate perfume; buds pointed. It very much resembles Souv. de Pres. Carnot in color. Strong, rapid grower. Immune from insects and disease. Foliage deep green the entire season.

***WHITE DOROTHY**—It is a rampant grower and in a short time will cover a large trellis with its long, sturdy canes clothed with brilliant green, shining foliage of splendid texture and free from mildew or attacks of insects. The flowers are of a brilliant glistening white.

***NEWPORT FAIRY**—A strong, sturdy grower, with healthy, bright green foliage. It is ever-blooming, producing abundance of lovely single deep pink flowers, shaded lighter in center.

***SILVER MOON**—Hardy Climber. Blooms very large, four or more inches in diameter, pure white in color and of good substance, beautifully cupped, forming a clematis-like flower. The large bunch of yellow stamens in the center makes it very attractive. The blooms are produced on long stems 12 to 15 inches in length. Sweetly scented. Rank grower.

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HARDY CLIMBING ROSES—Continued.

The Rambler Roses

This great family of Climbing Roses has become so well and favorably known that we do not consider extended description necessary. The various Rambler Roses are absolutely essential to the modern Rose garden. All these Rambler Roses are hardy throughout the country, and our own-root stock once planted becomes permanent.

PHILADELPHIA CRIMSON RAMBLER

—This now famous variety differs from the old Crimson Rambler in having brighter, deeper and more intense crimson color. Earlier than the Crimson Rambler and entirely free from mildew. Flowers perfectly double and of excellent substance.

***CRIMSON RAMBLER (The Rose of the Masses)**—One-year plants will attain a height of 10 to 20 feet in a single season, and the second year they will continue to produce a marvelous profusion of rich and glowing crimson flowers in large clusters. It presents a vivid crimson mass of beauty when in full bloom, during June and July. It is absolutely hardy everywhere.

YELLOW RAMBLER (Aglaia)—Flowers are deep golden yellow and very fragrant.

WHITE RAMBLER (Thalia)—Flowers pure white, sometimes tinted with blush.

PINK RAMBLER—Large trusses of brilliant carmine flowers. Very popular.

PERLE DES NIEGES (Multiflora)—Perpetual flowering. Foliage and growth of Crimson Rambler, with large panicles of double, snow-white blossoms. A free and continuous bloomer.

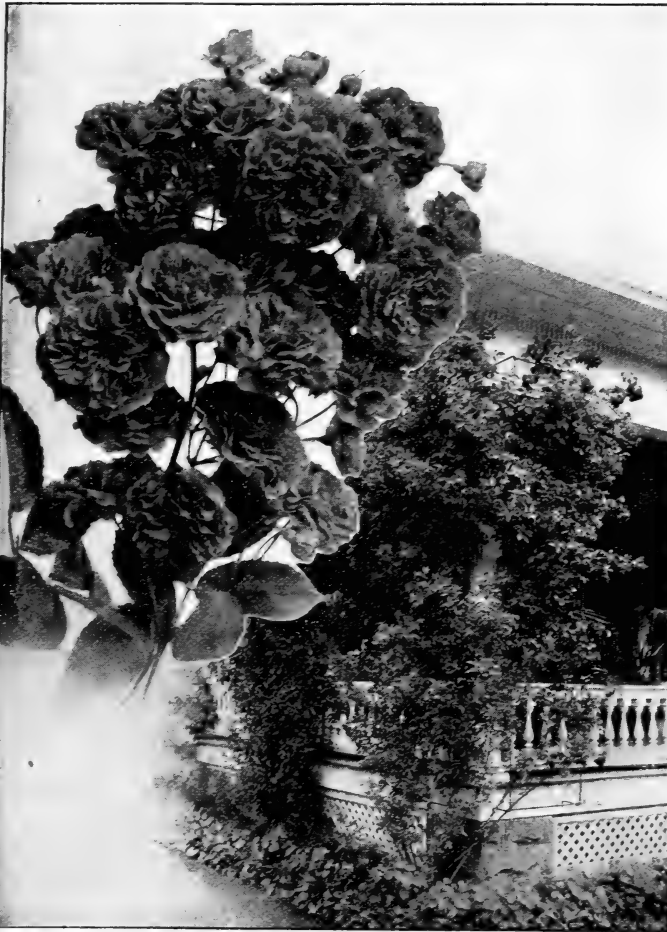
RUBIN (A New Rambler)—Flowers are large and more double than Crimson Rambler; color bright, shining crimson-scarlet. Hardy in all localities. A strong, rampant climber, and has received a certificate of merit by the German National Rose Society.

RUSSELL'S COTTAGE—Dark, velvety crimson; very double and full.

WEIGAND'S CRIMSON RAMBLER (Non Plus Ultra)—Introduced as an Improved Crimson Rambler; a little fuller in the flower and deeper color. Two weeks earlier.

BORDEAUX—A new handsome, hardy climbing Rose with splendid clusters of wine-red flowers, larger than those of the Crimson Rambler. Strong, rapid grower. Foliage free from disease and insects. Leaves long and pointed.

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Philadelphia Crimson Rambler.

*The Flower of Fairfield

Or Everblooming Crimson Rambler.

A rampant climber, it bears continuously enormous clusters of brilliant crimson flowers from early spring until frost. The youngest plants bloom profusely the first year. Absolutely hardy everywhere and retain the bright fresh green of its foliage all summer. Don't fail to include this marvelous, hardy, everblooming climbing Rose.

POM POM—Beautiful new seedling Rose. A cross between Crimson Rambler and Wichuraiana. Sent to us by the United States Department of Agriculture. Splendid, strong, climbing habit, producing clusters of beautiful double, shining pink. We are the only house offering this exclusive novelty. One-year plants, 30c each; larger size, 50c each; two-year-old plants, 75c each.

GREVILLE, or SEVEN SISTERS—Flowers in large clusters; varies from white to crimson.

PSYCHE—White, suffused with salmon-rose and pink, base of petals yellow.

HARDY CLIMBING ROSES—Continued.

***Keystone**

Introduced by us and one of the great climbers. Perfectly hardy everywhere, blooms in wonderful profusion, absolutely immune from insect attacks and has a vigor of constitution found in no other kind. The open flower of Keystone is perfectly double, with buds beautifully formed. It is a deep lemon-yellow Rose, similar to Coquette de Lyon. The fragrance is much like that of magnolia blossoms. Readily attains a height of 15 feet in a season, branching freely, and has always come through the winter without damage, even in the most exposed situations, not requiring protection. Keystone possesses every feature that denotes a good Rose.

DAWSON—A cross between Multiflora and General Jacqueminot. The flowers are bright carmine, ery double and produced in large, pyramidal clusters.

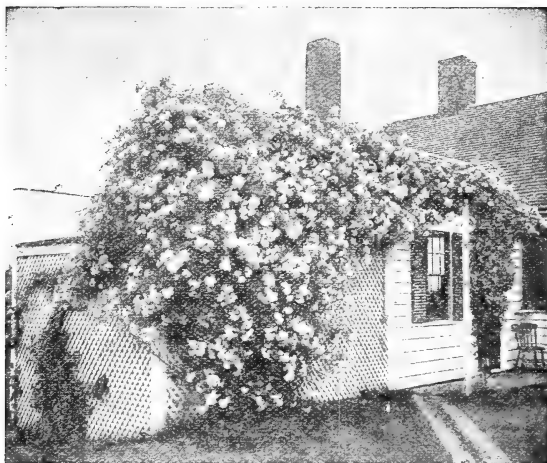
LEUCHSTERN—Large bunches of single white flowers of bright rose, with distinct white eye.

CLIMBING JULES MARGOTTIN—Flat carmine flowers the same as the parent plant except a little smaller. Splendid for pillars, etc.

CLIMBING WHITE PET—Snow-white; cherry-like fragrance.

PRIDE OF WASHINGTON—Bright amaranth, shaded rose center; large double clusters.

LA FIAMMA—Dark, glossy green foliage. Flowers crimson and white.

***The Wonderful Blue Rose**

Veilchenblau or Violet-Blue.

The Blue Rose is one of the most rampant growers we have ever seen, covering a large porch in a single season. The flowers are borne in loose clusters and are of a delightful shade of blue—something entirely different from any Rose in cultivation.

PRAIRIE QUEEN—Color bright pink, sometimes with a white stripe. Large, compact and globular; very full and double.

***EMPRESS OF CHINA**—The Apple-Blossom Rose. Soft dark red, changing to light pink like an apple blossom.

TRIUMPHANT—Deep rose, changing to pale carmine; shaded and variegated.

WHITE MICROPHYLLA—Perfectly double and sweet; pure white.

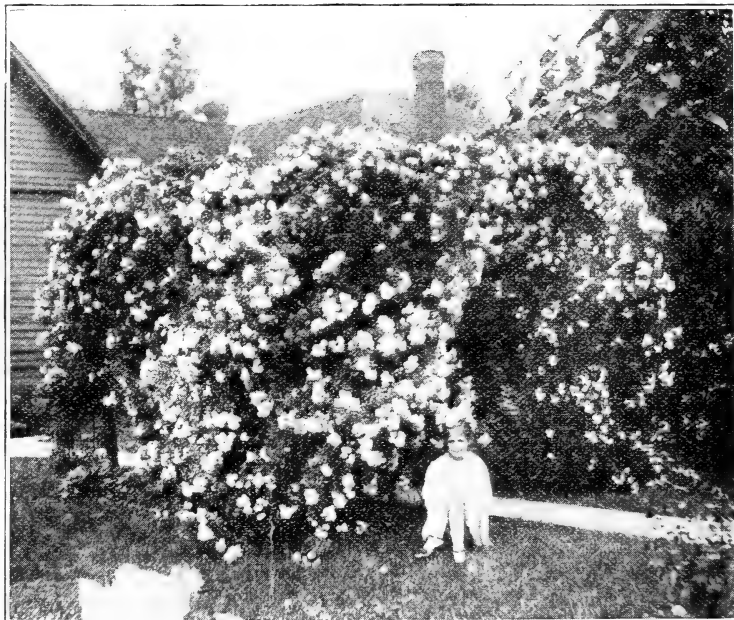
MULTIFLORA—Fairly covers itself with great clusters of small, white, single, fragrant flowers.

SUPERBA—Bright rosy pink, clear and beautiful. Blooms in clusters.

TENNESSEE BELLE—Bright rosy bluish; large, full and fragrant.

TAUNUS BLUMSCHEN—A new rose-pink Rambler; a most profuse bloomer.

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The Glorious Keystone Climbing Rose,

Dingee Hardy Climbing Hybrid Tea Roses

The Roses on this and the next two pages are noted for the exquisite beauty of their flowers, rivaling, as they do, those of the Hybrid Tea class. They are all wonderfully strong growing, hardy and vigorous, and in constant bloom all summer. In the middle sections of the country and in the Northwest they thrive and bloom most luxuriantly, while in the warmer sections they fairly run riot in their glory of growth and bloom. Even in the coldest Northern States they grow to perfection, but will require some slight protection in winter.

*Climbing Pink Killarney

Some six years ago we offered for the first time a climbing type of the famous pink Rose Killarney, the most celebrated Hybrid Tea of its color yet introduced. Repeated trials both in our grounds and by our friends who purchased this marvelous Rose, and who have written very enthusiastic letters about it, confirm the statements we made in regard to it. The beautiful flowers of this wonderful Rose are identical with the parent variety, but the bush is of the climbing habit of growth, placing it at once in a class by itself. It is a strong, rapid grower, growing to perfection in the open ground, throwing up shoots 10 to 15 feet high in a single season, and is entirely hardy. It blooms continuously throughout the season, and the flowers are magnificent beyond description, immense, long, pointed buds with massive petals, opening into flowers of enormous size; color deep pink, bright and sparkling, an exquisite shade, deliciously fragrant; in fact, one of the greatest new Roses we have ever offered. Our stock is limited. Early orders are therefore advisable, even if you do not wish to plant at once. We will carefully set aside the plants, delivering them at any time desired.

***CLIMBING WHITE KILLARNEY**—An exact counterpart of the bush Rose White Killarney, but a vigorous climber. Produces blooms of purest white of same formation, and on single stems the same as the bush Rose. Hardy everywhere, and blooms all season.

GAINSBOROUGH—An extremely beautiful Rose, delicately tinted flesh, almost white and lustrous as satin. A discriminating admirer compared the flower to a beautiful young lady wearing a Gainsborough hat ornamented with white ostrich plumes; hence the name.

Kansas City, Missouri, April 3, 1917.

Gentlemen:—Kindly send a copy of your 1917 Catalogue to Mrs. L. M. Hilfinger. Was here last spring and saw my beautiful roses which I procured of you and wants to give you an order. My Charles Dingee is the attraction of the neighborhood and was full of bloom until frost.

Yours very truly,

FARRAR DAVIS & CAMPBELL'S COM. CO.

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Bloom of Climbing Killarney.

Climbing My Maryland

Introduced and offered for sale only by us. This is the climbing type of the well-known Hybrid Tea Rose, "My Maryland," and has all the desirable features of its parent, with a remarkable climbing tendency, growing 10 to 15 feet in a single season. Foliage deep glossy green, immune from disease and insects. Hardy in any location. Blooming with the greatest freedom the entire season. Equally as well in the far South as in the North. Buds and blooms of immense size, often measuring 6 inches in diameter, and perfect formation, borne singly on long shoots, thus making it an ideal one for cutting, buds long and pointed, same as "My Maryland," opening full and double. Color bright salmon-pink with paler edges, beautifully dark veined; delightfully fragrant, and the finest blooms of any Rose we have yet seen. Price, strong first size or one-year-old plants, from 2½ inch pots, 30c each; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; large two-year-old plants, 75c each, by express. All grown on own roots, good, clean, healthy stock.

HARDY CLIMBING ROSES—Continued.

***Mrs. Robert Peary**

The Great White, Hardy, Everblooming, Climbing Rose. Introduced by the Dingee & Conard Co.

A strong and rapid grower, coming to perfection in the open ground. It is as hardy as any Hybrid Perpetual or Moss Rose and will withstand the most

severe winters unprotected. Small plants of Mrs. Robert Peary will bloom continuously

throughout the season and the flowers are magnificent beyond description. The buds are long and pointed, finely modeled and gracefully finished, while the fragrance is indeed delicious. The flowers, when open, are of splendid substance, extra large, deep and double, produced on long, stiff stems.

CLIMBING COL. R. S. WILLIAMSON

—A sport from the Hybrid Tea Rose of the same name, but a remarkable grower. Magnificent blooms on long single stems, full and double. Color exquisite shade of soft rich carmine. In bloom all summer. Hardy in all localities.

***CLIMBING METEOR**—A superb ever-blooming climbing Rose. A sport from Meteor, famous for its magnificent flowers. True climbing habit, attaining a height of 10 to 15 feet in a single season. Free, persistent bloomer, with magnificently formed buds and flowers. Dark velvety crimson, the equal of any Rose in cultivation. Hardy with protection.

CLIMBING MAD. JULES GROLEZ—A climbing form of one of the finest of the new Hybrid Tea Roses—Mad. Jules Grolez, a Rose described as a red Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. Remarkably thrifty.

CLIMBING PAPA GONTIER—This new climber has all the superior merits of its parent and bearing in the greatest profusion all summer the same handsome, deep crimson flowers. Perfectly hardy.

Price of all Roses on this page, except otherwise noted, strong one-year plants, 20c each; 4 for 50c; two-year-old plants, 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen, by express. Variety marked * furnished in large specimen or star size at 75c each.

Climbing Gruss an Teplitz

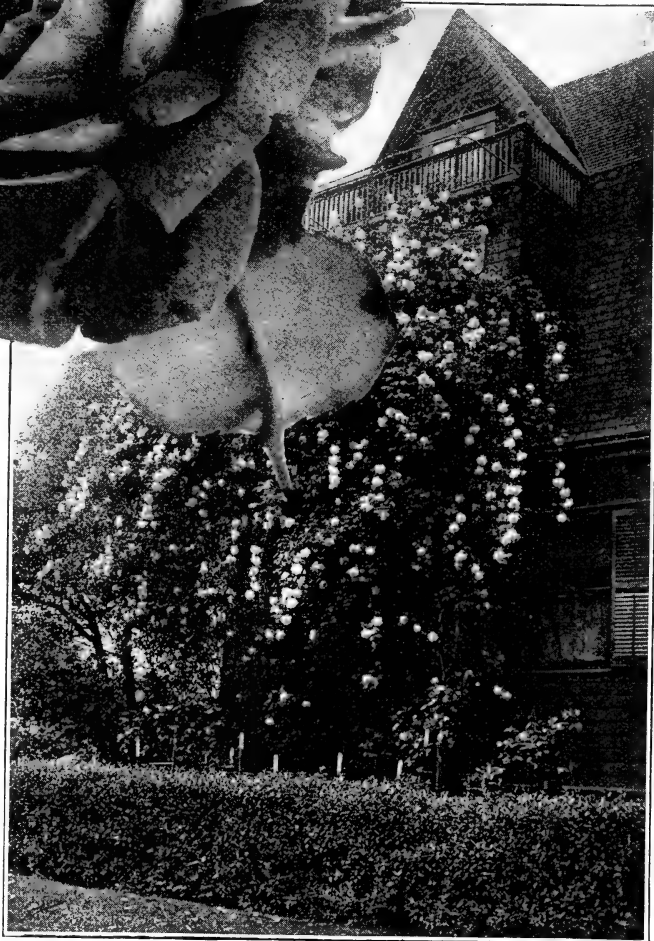
Or VIRGINIA R. COXE.

A valuable addition to this class of Roses so rapidly coming into popularity on account of their blooming qualities. This is an exact counterpart of the bush Rose Gruss an Teplitz, but a vigorous climber, attaining a height of 10 to 15 feet in a single season. When it first blooms in the spring it is a

dazzling sheet of velvety crimson.

Each bloom is produced singly on long stems, the same as the bush

variety so well known. It produces blooms throughout the growing season.



Climbing Gruss an Teplitz,

HARDY CLIMBING ROSES—Continued.

* Climbing Clotilde Soupert

An offspring of that famous Rose **Clotilde Soupert**, this beautiful, hardy, everblooming climber is excellent in every way. It is most vigorous, and the small plants will attain a height of 15 to 25 feet in a single season, branching extensively. Produces cluster after cluster of the most finely formed flowers, large, round, perfectly double, with beautiful imbricated petals, the color of which is delightful. The color is ivory-white shading toward the center to silvery-rose.

CLIMBING LA FRANCE—A sport from La France with a climbing habit of growth. Strong, rapid grower, producing large, delicate, silvery-pink flowers in abundance.

CLIMBING HELEN GOULD—Really a climbing Tea Rose, with the same magnificent, deep and double flowers, the same freedom of bloom as shown in the bush Rose, Helen Gould or Red Maman Cochet. The growth is sturdy, the foliage grand, the flowers warm, rosy crimson, sometimes beautifully striped, flamed and shaded in bright carmine over pale rose.

PINK ROVER—The open flowers have the delicate tints of Alba or Maiden's Blush Roses. It is of climbing habit; hardy, with protection, and very sweet. The color is pale pink.

***CLIMBING WOOTTON**—A strong and rampant climber, growing in one season to a height of 10 to 15 feet, with large and heavy insect-proof foliage, it produces superbly formed flowers in wonderful profusion. They are bright and magenta-red, passing to violet-crimson, richly shaded.

***NEW CLIMBING CRIMSON BABY RAMBLER**—A hardy climbing Rose combining the everblooming qualities of the famous Crimson Baby Rambler Roses with a climbing habit which makes it one of the best of all Roses for porch or pergola adornment. The flowers are brilliant crimson and are borne in large clusters all summer through. Extra strong in growth, absolutely hardy and has handsome foliage, not subject to attacks of insects or disease.

CLIMBING FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI—We expect this Rose to become one of the most popular white climbers, as it well deserves to be, with its large, glistering white flowers, magnificent, large, fresh green foliage; hardy everywhere. **First size, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 75c each.**

CLIMBING PAUL NEYRON—New Climbing Rose, strong, sturdy construction; immense lovely pink Roses.

Price of all Roses on this page, except where noted, first size, one-year plants, 20c each, 6 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 45c each, by express. Varieties marked * furnished in large Specimen or Star size, 75c each.

Climbing Clotilde Soupert.

Climbing Tea and Noisette

These are the Roses which make such a glorious display in the warmer sections of the country, covering porches, pergolas and trellises with their handsome foliage and gorgeous flowers. Those marked H. will be found hardy even in the coldest climate if given protection during the winter, while those marked M. H. are moderately hardy and especially valuable for open ground culture south of Philadelphia and in California.

*Marechal Niel M. H.

This is the wonderful garden Rose our friends in the Southland are so fortunate in being able to grow in their gardens to perfection, and which yields such splendid returns if given slight protection and care in the North. Buds and flowers superb; extra large, very double, and deliciously perfumed. Deep golden yellow. Blooms with greatest freedom. In the North, should have very careful protection in open ground during winter.

AMERICA (M. H.)—Creamy yellow.

BEAUTY OF GLAZENWOOD (M. H.)—Brilliant golden yellow.

CAROLINE GOODRICH (H.)—Velvety crimson.

CELINE FORESTIER (H.)—Sulphur-yellow.

CLAIRE CARNOT (H.)—Buff or orange-yellow.

CHROMATELLA (Cloth of Gold) (M. H.)—Bright yellow.

CLIMBING DEVONIENSIS (H.)—White, tinged with blush.

REINE OLGA DE WURTEMBERG (M. H.)—Double flowers, borne in clusters; clear cherry-red.

WASHINGTON (M. H.)—Large, pure white; double.

WILLIAM ALLEN RICHARDSON (M. H.)—Coppery yellow, flushed with carmine.

ALLISTER STELLA GRAY—Light yellow.

CARMINE PILLAR—Rosy carmine.

CLIMBING BRIDESMAID—Clear, dark pink.

CLIMBING MALMAISON—Color rich, creamy flesh.

CLIMBING MARIE GUILLOT—Pure snow-white, tinged with pale yellow.

*CLIMBING CECILE BRUNNER—Color rosy pink, rich, creamy white ground. Needs protection.

ELIE BEAUVILLAIN—Lovely salmon color.

FANNY STOLWERCK—Yellow, and salmon-rose.

JENE ANDRE—Good sized, orange-yellow.

MADAM WAGRAM—Fresh satiny rose.

STRIPED REINE MARIE HENRIETTE—Striped and flamed in bright carmine and pale rose.

WHITE MARECHAL NIEL—Identical with its parent, Yellow Marechal Niel, but pure white.

ZEPHERIN DROUAT—Flowers very large and double, of fine, bright rose color.

GLOIRE DE DIJON (H.)—Rich creamy white, beautifully tinged with amber and pale blush.

MARY WASHINGTON (H.)—Pure white; perfectly double; borne in large clusters.

REVE D'OR (M. H.)—Buff-yellow; good.

*REINE MARIE HENRIETTE (H.)—Extra large flowers; glowing crimson.



Marechal Niel—the most brilliant yellow Climbing Rose.

*Climbing White Maman Cochet

The exquisite white flowers, every one of which is a perfect specimen of the White Maman Cochet Rose, are borne in great profusion, fairly covering the plant all summer, for it is one of the most constant bloomers of all the white climbing Roses. It is absolutely hardy, except in the extreme North, where it requires some slight protection. It is a strong, vigorous grower, throwing up strong canes 15 to 20 feet long in a single season.

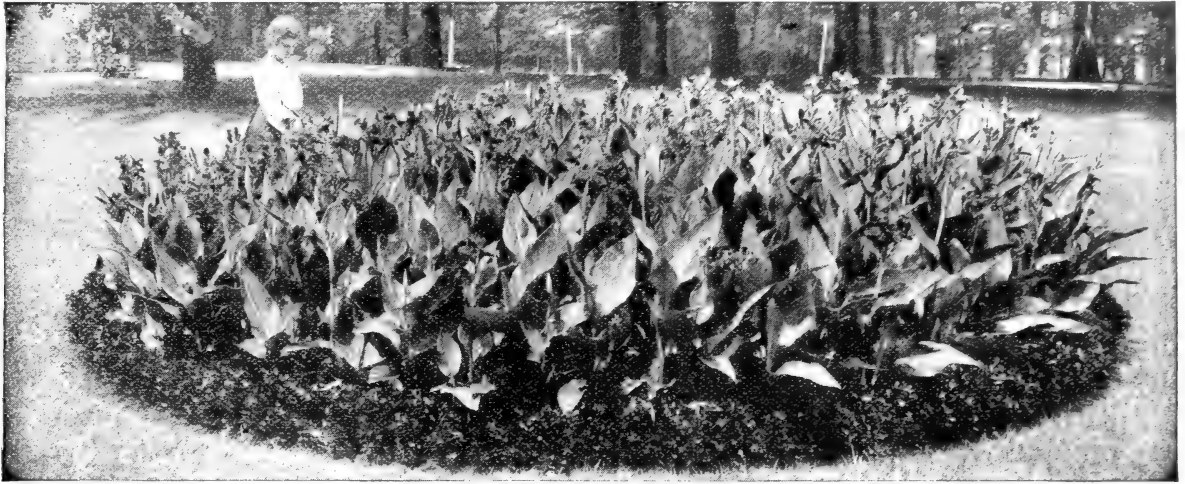
BALTIMORE BELLE—Pale blush variegated carmine-rose and white. Very double flowers in beautiful clusters.

*JAMES SPRUNT (M. H.)—Deep cherry-red, double.

GOLD OF OPHIR (M. H.)—Nasturtium-yellow, suffused with coppery red.

LAMARQUE (M. H.)—Light canary-yellow.

Price of all Roses on this page, strong, one-year plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c; two-year-old plants, 40c each; \$4.00 per dozen, by express, of one or more varieties. Varieties marked * furnished in large specimen or star size at 75c.



Bed of Famous West Grove Cannas.

Dingee Magnificent Everblooming Cannas

(Note illustration in color on page 70).

The introduction of these wonderful decorative plants in this country is so woven into the history of West Grove that it is known far and near as the home of magnificent plants. Starting back many years ago when we first introduced the Canna Flamingo, at that time considered the finest flower of the kind, and when Dr. Van Fleet, now connected with the Horticultural Department at Washington, was in our employ. Since that time wonderful improvement has been obtained in the development of new varieties, such as increasing the size of heads, and individual flowers, the color of the blooms, the size of the plants and the length of the blooming period, all of which has increased the popularity of the gorgeous flowers. Cannas are easily grown, and will thrive in almost any situation.

Best New Cannas

Cannas are not hardy and should not be planted until danger of frost is past. Take the roots up in the fall and store in a warm, dry place.

No flowers will make such an attractive bed. Rapid in growth, freedom of bloom and ornamental foliage makes them so desirable for planting in beds, on lawn or yard, and especially after early blooming bulbs are done.

MRS. WOODROW WILSON—A good, strong, robust grower and exceptionally free bloomer. Light green foliage veined. Color a rich but soft crimson pink with very large flowers with broad, overlapping petals. Blooms soon after planting, continuing until frost. 25c each.

PANAMA—The unusual color marking of this new Canna is its attractive feature. The orange-red petals are bordered with a broad edge of golden-yellow. Flowers large and overlapping. Free bloomer. 20c each; 6 for \$1.00, postpaid.

All Cannas furnished in dormant roots up until April 1st, thereafter pot grown plants.



Canna Panama.

EVERBLOOMING CANNAS—Continued.

Best New Cannas of Recent Introduction

WINTZER'S COLOSSAL—4 feet. Produces the largest flowering heads of any of the recent introductions. The gorgeous, vivid scarlet blooms produced all summer long makes striking effect secured by no other plant. Blooms retain their color during the hottest weather. Price, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid.

GOLDEN GATE—3½ feet. Blooms when opening are almost pure gold, but soon change to orange-crimson and apricot with deep carmine red at throat. Very striking. Price, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid.

CITY OF PORTLAND—3 feet. Beautiful shade of deep pink, deeper color than its parent, Mrs. Alfred Conard. Blooms produced in marvelous profusion. Price, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid.

LAFAYETTE—3½ feet. Immense heads of intense scarlet blooms. One of the finest crimson varieties. Price, 30c each; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid.

YELLOW KING HUMBERT—4 feet. A sport from the bronze foliage variety of the same name, but with blooms of yellow dotted with red, and green foliage. So far has proved equally as good as King Humbert. Price, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.

EUREKA—4½ feet. Immense trusses of substantial flowers of almost pure white. 20c each; 6 for \$1.00, postpaid.

FIREBIRD—This variety captivates all who see it. The trusses are very large, compact and showy; with nicely rounded petals 2½ or more inches wide. Plants bear the heads of blooms well above the green foliage. The color is extremely desirable, being absolutely pure scarlet with no suffusion streaks or blotches. 3 to 4 feet. Price, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid.

KATE F. DEEMER—An interesting and showy sort of variable color; a rich yellow when first opened, but bleaching to almost pure white at the ends and developing a conspicuous scarlet throat. 5 feet. 20 cents each; six for \$1.00.

OLYMPIC—Gigantic heads. Rich oriental red with a lighter shade towards the center. 20 cents each; six for \$1.00.

METEOR—A brilliant new crimson Canna of unusual merit. Green foliage, massive blooms. 20c each; 6 for \$1.00.

MRS. ALFRED F. CONARD—4 feet. One of the latest introductions. Color a beautiful shade of salmon-pink. Flowers of immense size. Producing blooms so freely as to make a continuous show for several months. Price, 20c each.

ROSEA GIGANTEA—3 to 4 feet. A magnificent showy Canna of a rose to carmine-pink shade. Flower heads of immense size. 20c each.

Standard Varieties WHITE and YELLOW SHADES

Alsace—The White Canna. Early. 3½ feet.

Austria—Golden-yellow, dotted red. 6 feet.

Burbank—Orchid-flowering. Yellow, spotted crimson. 6 feet.

Buttercup—Bright, buttercup-yellow; extra large. 3 feet.

California—Pure rich orange. 4 feet.

Comte de Bouchard—Yellow. 4½ feet.

Evolution—Bronze foliage, yellow. 5 feet.

Florence Vaughan—Yellow, dotted red. 4 feet.

Mad. Crozy—Orange, edged gold. 2½ feet.

Queen Charlotte—Orange-scarlet. 3 feet.

Wyoming—Orchid-flowering, 6 feet. Purple foliage, orange flowers.

We offer strong roots until April 1st, after that time well-rooted plants from 3-inch pots. Every plant is guaranteed to grow. After each variety we have indicated the height of plant when fully grown. Price, except where otherwise noted, 15c each; 4 for 50c; \$1.50 per dozen, postpaid.



An Attractive Bed of West Grove Cannas.

EVERBLOOMING CANNAS, STANDARD
VARIETIES—Continued.**Red and Crimson Shades**

Brandywine—Bronze-leaved; crimson. 4½ feet.
 Beaute de Poitevine—Rich crimson. 4 ft.
 Charles Henderson—Solid crimson. 3½ ft.
 David Harum—Bronze foliage. Red. 3½ ft.
 Duke of Marlborough—Crimson. 3½ ft.
 Eastern Beauty—Dark foliage. Red. 4½ ft.
 Egandale—Dark foliage; scarlet. 3½ ft.
 Florida—Scarlet with golden band. 2½ ft.
 George Washington—Crimson. 3½ ft.
 J. D. Eisele—Vermillion-scarlet. 3½ ft.
 Louisiana—Orchid-flowering. Vivid scarlet. 5 ft.
 Miss Sarah Hill—Carmine-crimson. 4 ft.
 Niagara—Deep crimson and yellow. 3 ft.
 Pennsylvania—Red. 7 ft.
 Philadelphia—Crimson-scarlet. 3 ft.
 Pillar of Fire—Crimson-scarlet. 7 ft.

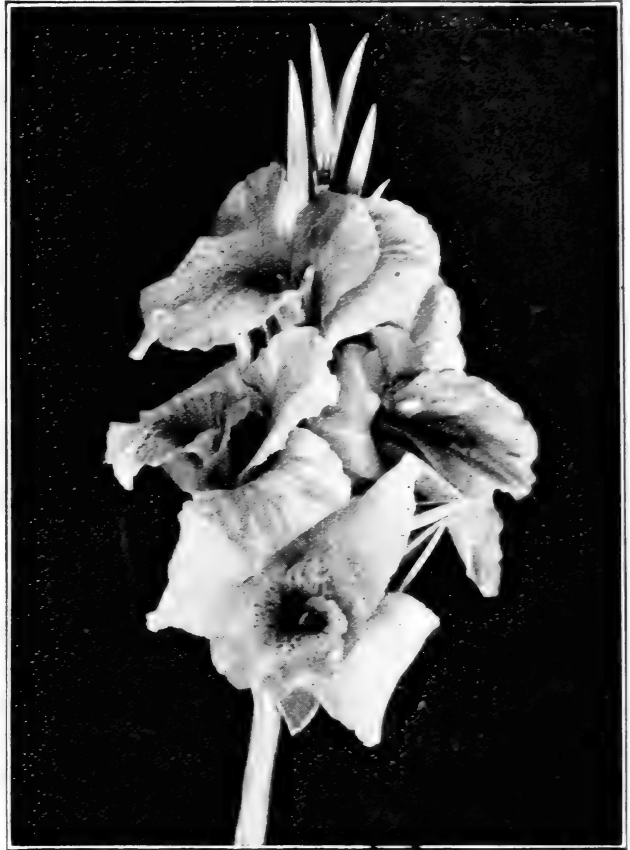
Pink Shades

Betty Ross—Beautiful rose-pink. 3 ft.
 Louise—Rose-pink, streaked red. 5 ft.
 Martha Washington—Pink. 3 ft.
 Maiden's Blush—The best pink. 3 ft.
 Mlle. Berat—Large, pink flowers. 4 ft.
 Venus—Gay, rosy-pink with mottled border. 4 ft.
 West Grove—Beautiful pink. 4½ ft.

We offer strong roots up until April 1st, after that well rooted plants from 3-inch pots. Every plant is guaranteed to grow. After each variety we have indicated the height of the plant when fully grown. Price, except where otherwise noted, strong pot plants with ample foliage, 15c each; 4 for 50c; \$1.50 per dozen, postpaid.

**How to Plant Cannas
In a Circular Bed**

Start with one plant of a tall growing habit for the center. Draw a circle eighteen inches from this one and use a dwarfier variety for this circle, which will require six plants; then draw another circle eighteen inches from the first circle or thirty-six inches from the center, and use a still dwarfier variety for this circle, which will require 12 plants, and plant each succeeding circle in the same manner. Each succeeding circle will require six more plants, set 18 inches apart, which is the proper distance, than the previous circle; thus, 1 plant for the center, 6 plants for the first circle, 12 plants for the second circle, 18 plants for the third circle, and so on. A bed 4 feet in diameter will require 7 plants; a 7-foot bed, 19 plants; 10-foot bed, 37 plants; 16-foot bed, 91 plants. For the best effect plant beds in all one variety, as the sloping effect can be secured by making the soil in the bed higher in the center and sloping to the edges. For border around the beds use Alternantheras, Sweet Alyssum, or Coleus. Alternantheras should be set 6 inches apart, Coleus 12 inches for the best effect. Sweet Alyssum found on page 100 can be sown at time of planting the Cannas. We offer special collections of these plants for different size beds on 4-page circular enclosed.



Canna—Kate Deemer.

**Zephyranthes
(FAIRY LILIES)**

A very beautiful species of half-hardy bulbous plants. Flowers are produced singly on slender scapes from 6 to 8 inches high and from 1½ to 2 inches in diameter. Blooms all the time. Colors pink and white. For winter blooming, plant 6 bulbs in a 6-inch pot about one inch deep in light soil. Place in a shady place for a short time, then place in sunlight. Drain well and water frequently.

For outdoor planting, 3 inches deep and 8 inches apart. Cover well with litter in the fall for winter protection.

Rosea—Pink. 8c each; 80c per dozen.

Alba—White. 7c each; 70c per dozen; one-half dozen at same rate, postpaid.

**Baby Pink
(ZEPHYRANTHES)**

Dwarf habit, producing an abundance of blooms constantly. Color and cultural directions same as Zephyranthes Rosea. Splendid for pot culture. Price, 7c each; 70c per dozen, postpaid.

SPECIAL OFFER F-28—4 Rosea, 2 Alba, and 2 Baby Pink, postpaid, for 50 cents.



Mrs. Alfred I. DuPont.

Albert Manda—Decorative. Immense blooms, 8 to 10 inches in diameter, of a beautiful shade of lemon white and pink, which sometimes varies according to season and conditions. Price, pot-grown plants only, 50c each, postpaid.

Minnie Burgess—Strong upright grower with dark green foliage, producing an extraordinary amount of very large bright scarlet flowers. One of the very freest flowering varieties. Price, pot-grown plants only, 50c each.

Decorative Dahlias

Clifford W. Bruton—Very large, clear canary yellow.

Dorothy Peacock—The flowers are of large size, exquisite form, while the color is beautiful, clear, live pink.

Flora—The best pure white decorative; large, early, profuse and continuous bloomer, long stems.

Golden Wedding—A giant in flower and plant. This is probably the largest of all Dahlias, while the color is that deep golden yellow found in the Golden Wedding Chrysanthemum.

Grand Duke Alexis—White edged lavender, quilled petals; immense blooms of perfect form.

Jack Rose—The best crimson for garden or cutting; that brilliant crimson red that makes the "Jack" Rose so popular, and suggested the name.

Prices of all Dahlias on this page, except where noted, 25c each, dormant divided roots up until about April 1st, after that time, pot-grown plants, purchaser's selections, 15c each; 4 for 50c; \$1.25 per dozen, postpaid.

Dingee Surpassing Dahlias

These popular flowers are a great specialty with us and our collection contains the finest new and old varieties. Dahlias succeed in any soil or situation. They bloom profusely, beginning about the first of August and continuing until killed by frost, producing flowers of magnificent form and exquisite colors. After blooming, the roots should be taken up and wintered in a dry cellar. Plant them freely. Their gorgeous flowers coming as they do, when almost all other flowers have vanished, will amply repay their trifling cost. A small collection will make a magnificent display.

All Dahlias supplied in strong divided roots up until about April 1st, or until stock is exhausted, after that date pot-grown plants, which give better results than roots for the same reason that one stalk of corn in a hill will produce a finer ear than if there were 8 or 10 stalks together, coming into bloom earlier and producing a greater profusion of flowers. Our customers can rely upon our experience in this particular. Please note the low prices, also the extensive list, embracing the finest varieties in cultivation.

New Varieties

Mrs. Alfred I. DuPont—Decorative. One of the extraordinary varieties in cultivation. Starts blooming early and continues until frost. Foliage is luxuriant, stems strong, upright, two feet in length, supporting an extraordinary large flower, perfectly double. Color is the brightest ruby-red, shaded scarlet. Price, pot-grown plants only, 50c each postpaid.

Lucy Faucett—Pale yellow striped deep pink or light magenta. Very large and free blooming. Price, pot-grown plants only, 20c each, postpaid.



Decorative Dahlia.

DECORATIVE DAHLIAS—Continued.

- Minnie McCullough**—Very striking. Soft golden yellow tipped bronzy red; effective under artificial light, perfect form, on long, erect stems.
- Mrs. Roosevelt**—Exquisite; soft pink; one of the largest of its class.
- Mrs. J. Gardner Cassatt**—A new rose pink Decorative Dahlia, that has attracted the greatest attention. The flowers are of immense size and borne abundantly on long stems.
- Nymphaea**—One of the most delicately beautiful. White suffused shrimp pink.
- Professor Mansfield**—A giant decorative of most unique coloring, a pleasing combination of yellow, red and white.
- Sylvia**—Deep pink tinting to flesh pink at center; large, perfect form, on long, stiff stems. One of the best for cutting or garden.
- Virginia Maule**—Very large, white, delicately suffused shrimp pink.

Pompon Dahlias

- Ariel**—Deep orange buff, free.
- Darkness**—Very dark maroon, extra fine.
- Fairy Queen**—Sulphur edged pink, exceedingly free flowering.
- Fascination**—Pink and lavender, occasionally blotched white.
- H. C. Winters**—Pale fawn.
- Little Bessie**—Cream white.
- Little Fred**—One of the smallest Dahlias grown; lively rose-carmine.
- Prince Charming**—Cream, very heavily tipped purple; one of the finest.
- Raphael**—Very dark maroon; extra fine form.



Single Dahlia—Twentieth Century.

Fancy Dahlias

- Ethel Schmidt**—White, suffused pink, spotted and penciled crimson. Perfect form and produced in the greatest profusion on long, slender stems.
- Fern Leaved Beauty**—Rich red, tipped white, with fern-like foliage.
- Frank Smith**—Rich maroon, tipped white.
- Uncertainty**—Color varies from blush pink to dark red, with all the intermediate variations; no two flowers alike.
- Gold Medal**—Brightest yellow, spotted and penciled vermilion. Strong plants.
- Mrs. John Dounie**—Intense golden yellow, tinting lighter toward the edges, beautifully striped bright glowing red. Always perfect and full to the center. An early, profuse and continuous bloomer.
- Marie Gehring**—Bright canary yellow, lightly striped cardinal red.
- Gold Smith**—Yellow, edged and striped bright crimson. A magnificent flower.

Show Dahlias

- A. D. Livoni**—Clear, bright pink; quilled petals; best pink Show Dahlia.
- Arabella**—One of the loveliest; soft primrose, shaded and tipped rose.
- Chas. Lanier**—Very large; golden yellow, shaded amber.
- Princess Victoria**—Finest pure yellow Show Dahlia. Clear, pure canary yellow, without shade or blemish from bud to old age. Perfect form, on long, slender stems, extremely early; profuse bloomer.
- Storm King**—The earliest pure white Show Dahlia; perfect form and extremely profuse bloomer.
- White Swan**—Large, pure white. Reliable.



Decorative Dahlia.

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DAHLIAS—Continued.



Cactus Dahlia.

Cactus Dahlias

- Country Girl**—Large, deep golden yellow, tipped bright amber. Beautifully incurved petals.
- Frute**—Soft salmon-pink, shaded and tipped clear, bright pink.
- J. H. Jackson**—Very large, rich velvety maroon.
- Juliet**—Rosy pink, tinting lighter toward the center. Very large, with long, incurved petals.
- Kriemhilde**—Deep rosy pink with lighter center. A distinct and valuable variety, as the flowers keep a long time after cutting.
- Mrs. George Stevenson**—Very large, clear canary yellow. The best yellow Cactus.
- The Pilot**—Yellow, heavily tipped bright terra cotta.
- White Kriemhilde**—A new pure white Kriemhilde, the best commercial white Cactus Dahlia. It is a strong, vigorous grower, and very profuse bloomer.

Collarette Dahlias

- Gallia**—Bright rose, suffused and tipped scarlet, passing to sulphur-yellow. Pot grown plants only 20c each; 6 for \$1.00.
- Maurice Revoir**—Blood red with a pure white collarette. Pot grown plants only 20c each; 6 for \$1.
- Prince Galitzine**—Rich crimson, white tipped collarette. Pot grown plants only 20c each; 6 for \$1.

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Century Dahlias

- 20th Century**—Early in the season intense rosy crimson, shading to white at tips and base of petals, but as the season advances the flowers open lighter, until by October they are nearly white, a bright pink blotch in the center of the petals.
- Fringed 20th Century**—The first of a new race, with cleft or serrated petals. A great improvement on 20th Century, much larger, brighter color, while the stems are long, slender and stiff. Bright rosy crimson, with lighter markings. Height 4 feet.
- Gigantea Alba Century**—Snow-white, if immense size, beautiful form; produced in endless profusion on long, graceful stems. Height, 5 feet.
- Gladys Century**—The most distinct and beautiful of this wonderful class. Center of petals rosy crimson, with rose-pink band on either side, and white zone around the yellow center. Height, 3 feet.
- Golden Century**—The sensational golden yellow cut flower variety; owing to its rich shades, immense size, long, slender, wiry stems and good keeping qualities. Golden yellow shaded amber; gorgeous under artificial light. Height, 4 feet.

Peony-Flowered Dahlias

- Sensation**—Vermilion-red, tipped snow white. Distinct and striking. A strong, vigorous grower and profuse bloomer.
- John Wanamaker**—This wonderful new creation marks a new era in Dahlia culture. It is not only one of the largest and handsomest, but has a distinctly new habit of branching, or stooling, right at the ground. Color an exquisite and fashionable shade of orchid-pink.



Collarette Dahlia.

Dingee Geraniums

Strong plants, from 3-inch pots, single or double varieties, 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen, prepaid.

Selected Double Varieties

- Alphonse Ricard**—Semi-double; orange-red.
Mrs. Lawrence—An excellent bloomer. Soft salmon pink, tinged white.
Cousin Janie—Clear, rich pink, slightly spotted light red.
Jules Vasseur—Bright scarlet, white center.
Jean Viaud—Soft pink, white blotches.
Berthe de Priscilla—Dwarf habit. Fine bedder. Bright silver rose-pink.
John Doyle—Rich scarlet. Very effective.
Heteranthe—Bright scarlet.
Countess de Harcourt—Pure snow-white.
Mme. Buchner—Snow-white; vigorous.
Mme. Recamier—Pure white. Strong grower. One of the best whites.
Ornella—Magnificent. Semi-dwarf habit. Rich scarlet, shaded crimson.
S. A. Nutt—Rich, dark crimson. Superb.
Jean Oberle—Peach pink, shaded white edge.
Fleuve Blanc—Pure white. Dark green foliage. Compact grower.
La Cid—Charming shade of cardinal-red.
Anais Segalas—Bright salmon. Zoned foliage.
Double Dryden—Coral white center, shading through a delicate lilac. Ideal pot plant.
Beaute Poitevine—Bright salmon-pink.
Dr. Despres—Changeable violet, marked vermilion.
Le Pilote—Glowing crimson-scarlet.
Double New Life—Outer flowers brilliant red, center pure white flowers.

Selected Single Varieties

- La Favorite**—Snowy-white, superb.
Mrs. E. G. Hill—Free bloomer. Light salmon.
Eugene Sue—Brilliant shade of russet orange.
Granville—Deep rose-pink; white blotches on upper petals.
L'Aube—One of the best pure whites.
Jacquerie—Deep carmine red.
Feuer—Brilliant crimson-red. Dwarf growth.
Antithese—Vermilion-scarlet.
Baron Grubissich—Bright rose. Clear white center.
Edmond Blanc—Large trusses of bright crimson. Coppery center.
Clifton—Solid color of bright red.

Ivy-Leaved Geraniums

- Price, strong plants, 15c each; set of six for 75c.
Dina Scalarandis—Double white, tinged lilac.
Rycroft's Surprise—Beautiful shade of rich pink.
Mrs. Banks—Blush-white, upper petals feathereed deep pink; semi-double.
Alliance—Delicate lilac-white, upper petals feathereed and blotched crimson-rose.
Pierre Crozy—Bright scarlet; dwarf, compact habit.



Dingee Geranium.

Fancy and Sweet-scented Geraniums

Strong plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c.

- Happy Thought**—Green and white.
Madame Salleroi—Green, dotted white.
Prince Bismark—Dark bronze.
Apple-Scented—A grand old favorite.
Rose-Scented—Delightful rose scent.
Lemon-Scented—Deliciously scented.

New Pelargoniums

- Swabian Maid**—This remarkable Pelargonium is a sport from the popular variety Easter Greeting. Immense reddish carmine flowers with five very regular, nearly black blotches bordered with purplish carmine, producing a very effective coloring. Its robust growth and freedom of bloom make it an ideal winter blooming decorative plant. Strong pot plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid.
Wurtembergia—Blooms medium size, of a bright carmine with large, velvety, sharply defined blotches. Free blooming, makes an attractive decorating plant. Equally as good for bedding as a pot plant for winter blooming. Strong plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid.
Easter Greeting—This remarkable variety is famous as an Easter decorative plant, owing to its free-blooming qualities, dark green foliage, robust growth, and enormous bright colored flowers, color a fiery amaranth red with five regular shaped spots. Strong plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid.
Lady Washington—Lilac-pink. 15c each; 4 for 50c, postpaid.
Pansy Pelargonium—Pink and crimson. 15c each; 4 for 50c, postpaid.

Dingee Decorative Ferns



The Boston Fern.

JACKSONII—Extremely strong grower. Resembling Sword Fern, quickly forming large, upright plant.

WHITMANII COMPACTA—This is a condensed form of the "Ostrich Plume Fern," with valuable characteristics added which are not evident in the parent, the pinnae subdividing, making miniature fronds, looking as if two or more were condensed in one. Graceful beyond description.

THE BOSTON FERN—This Fern differs from the ordinary Sword Fern in having much longer fronds which frequently attain a length of six feet, drooping gracefully over the side of the pot or jardiniere, and on this account it is frequently called the Fountain Fern. This drooping habit adapts this variety for growing as a single specimen for a table or pedestal. Equally good for outdoors during the summer as well as a decorative plant for indoors during winter.

WHITMANII (Ostrich Plume Fern)—More of a dwarf habit than the Boston Fern. The fronds are of entirely different nature. Each frond is subdivided on the order of the Compacta Fern, thus producing a very beautiful effect. Very decorative.

AMERPOHLII (Philadelphia Lace Fern)—The fronds are lace-like, dense and delicate. Small leaflets are subdivided into perfect miniature fronds. The side ones stand at right angles together and on edge instead of flat, giving both sides the same beautiful appearance. It is impossible not to see the beauty and grace of this wonderful Fern.

Price of all Ferns in extra strong pot plants, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00; large plants from 4- and 5-inch pots, 50c each, postpaid.

There is no plant that seems to fill such an important place as these Decorative Ferns. Their adaptability to almost all conditions makes them the best decorative plant grown. Easy of culture, equally adapted for indoors or out, that no one should be without them. Use a soil composed of five parts; two parts of good garden soil, two parts finely screened peat or leaf mold from the woods, and one part sharp, clean sand. This should then be thoroughly sterilized by putting in an oven and baking in order to destroy earth worms, etc. Place some broken pieces of pots or crocks and some charcoal in the bottom of each pot for drainage. A temperature of not less than 55 degrees F. should be maintained at all times, with a rise in the daytime of 10 degrees to 15 degrees. Judgment should be exercised in watering. On warm days they should be syringed at least twice. Never allow them to become too dry. Insects which are most troublesome are thrips, red spider, scale and mealy bug. Thrips, red spider and mealy bug are easily prevented by a properly moistened atmosphere, also by spraying of foliage once a week with tobacco water, made the consistency of weak tea, and increased or diminished in strength as occasion demands.

SCOTTII (Dwarf Boston or Newport Fern)—Much more bushy growth than the Boston. The fronds droop gracefully, but are not as long and heavy as Boston. Very rapid grower. In great demand for house Fern.

TEDDY, JR.—New dwarf Fern. Fronds are broad and beautifully tapered from the base to the tip, drooping just enough to make a graceful plant. Produces nearly four times as many fronds as any other Fern introduced. Compact, vigorous and thrives under most any condition.

ROOSEVELT—Resembles the Boston Fern, but produces many more fronds, thus making a handsomer and bushier plant; in fact it today is more popular with the florists than the Boston; it will make a larger plant in a shorter time. The fronds are beautifully undulated, giving it a very pretty rising effect that is seen in no other Fern.



Whitmanii Fern.

American Wonder Lemon

Largest Edible Lemon in the World—Actual Weight, 2½ Pounds.

Large dark green foliage; handsome, pure white flowers, nearly as large as tuberoso blooms, fragrant as orange blossoms. The lemons have a thin rind for such large fruit, and are full of rich, acid, juice. The plants will produce their magnificent, large fruit under ordinary cultivation the second year, and will prove a source of genuine delight. Plant in a pot or tub. Not only ornamental, but useful, as it will bear a fine crop of fruit each season. Very hardy. **Strong plants, 20 cts. each, 3 for 50 cts.; larger size, 25 cts. each, 5 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 50 cts. each, postpaid.**

OTAHEITE ORANGE—A dwarf reproduction of the genuine fruit-bearing orange tree, the flowers being identical. It flowers and fruits in pots and blooms continuously. Fragrance is delicious. Fruits immediately after flowering. Fruit measures about three inches in diameter and is edible. **Strong, young plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c; larger plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; large two-year-old plants, 50c each, postpaid.**

Dingee Palms

ARECA LUTESCENS—Trunk and stem golden green. **Strong plants, 6 to 8 inches high, 25c each; 3 for 60c, postpaid; large plants, 14 to 18 inches high, 60c each, postpaid.**

COCOS WEDDELLIANA—The daintiest of all Palms. **Strong plants, 3-inch pots, 50c.**

KENTIAS—The grandest of all Palms. **Kentia Belmoreana** is the tallest grower, while **Kentia Forsteriana** has the broadest leaves. **Strong plants, 8 to 12 inches high, 25c each; 3 for 65c, postpaid.**

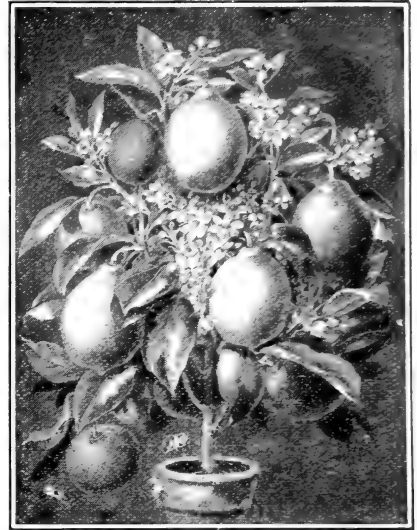
CYCAS REVOLUTA—Broad Palm-like foliage springing from a large crown. Fine, large plants, from 5-inch pots, 15 to 18 inches high, 5 to 8 leaves, \$1.00 each, by express only.

LATANIA BORBONICA—Divided, fan-shaped leaves. **Strong plants, 20c each; 3 for 50c; larger, 30c each, postpaid; large plants, 14 to 18 inches high, from 5-inch pots, 75c each.**

DRACAENA INDIVISA—Long, variegated leaves. 15c each.

PHOENIX CANARIENSIS—Date Palm. 20c each.

PHOENIX ROEBELINI—Graceful, long, Palm foliage. 35c each.



American Wonder Lemon.

Dingee Magnificent Carnations

We offer strong plants and, whether planted in the open ground or in pots, they quickly make large specimens, blooming profusely during the summer. For winter blooming pinch the plants back from time to time during the summer. Bring indoors in early fall. Grown in pots they will bloom abundantly during the winter.

New Varieties

Alma Ward—New white variegated; large and fragrant.
Dorothy Gordon—A fine, clear, deep shell pink.
Gloriosa—Pure deep pink.
Harlowarden—The best standard crimson on the market.
Mrs. C. W. Ward—Deep pink.
May Day—Charming white flower of large size.
Rose-Pink Enchantress—Deeper pink than Enchantress.
Sangamo—Brilliant red.
White Perfection—Clear brilliant white; fine form and very large.
White Wonder—A truly wonderful white flower of immense size.
Winsor—Charming shade of pink; extra large.

Standard Varieties

Appe Blossom—Handsome white flower daintily marked pink.
Beacon—Dazzling scarlet; very large and full.
Boston Market—Standard white.
Enchantress—Brilliant pink; fine shade; large size.
Georgia—A great new white. Exquisite.
Lawson Enchantress—Brilliant pink; fine shade; large size.
Victory—Brilliant red, extra large flowers and particularly free in bloom.
White Enchantress—Magnificent large white flower of splendid form.
W. H. Taft—Handsome shade of pink; extra large flower.
Price, strong pot plants, 10c each; any 6 for 50c; 12 for \$1.00, postpaid.

Special Offer "Novelty Set." For \$1.00 we will send, postpaid, 6 of the New and 6 of the Standard Varieties, 12 in all. Order as the "Novelty Set."

Dingee Splendid Calla Lilies

The Entire Set of 5. Large Specimens of Each, 90c.

Spotted Calla—Leaves dark, rich green, dotted with white. Beautiful white flowers, with black throat. 15c each; 2 for 25c; 9 for \$1.00.

Lily of the Nile—Grand white flowers. Strong plants, 15c each; 2 for 25c; 9 for \$1.00.

The True Black Calla (Arum Sanctum)—A native of the Holy Land. Inside of flower purplish black; outside green. 25c each.

New Yellow Calla—A grand novelty. Large yellow flowers, very fragrant. 25c each.

Everblooming Calla, Godfrey (Dwarf). In bloom all the time. Fine. 25c each; three for 50 cts., postpaid.



Type of Dingee Carnations.

Miscellaneous Plants and Bulbs

Asparagus Sprengeri

For pots, vases, or hanging baskets. The long slender branches droop most gracefully clothed with feathery, emerald-green fronds. **Strong plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c; larger size, 20c, postpaid.**

ASPARAGUS PLUMOSUS—Foliage surpasses a Maidenhair Fern; in grace and finish resembles the finest lace. Elegant for cutting; one of the best plants in our collection. **20c each; 3 for 50c.**

NEW WEEPING LANTANA—Beautiful for baskets, vases, pots or for outdoor culture and porch boxes. Produces its clear lilac-pink flowers by the hundreds from early summer until severe frosts. Deliciously fragrant. Has a most graceful habit of growth. **15c each; 4 for 50c; larger plants, 20c each; 3 for 50c.**

GIANT PERSIAN CYCLAMEN—A beautiful and decorative pot plant. Flowers are produced in boundless profusion for several months. **Assorted colors, 20c each; 3 for 50c; 7 for \$1.00.**

MAIDENHAIR FERN (*Adiantum cuneatum*)—The best known table Fern, with dainty, lacy fronds, unlike any other. **15c and 25c each, postpaid.**

ALTERNANTHERAS—Compact bedder. Two colors, red and yellow variegated. **10c each; any 6 for 50c; any 15 for \$1.00.**

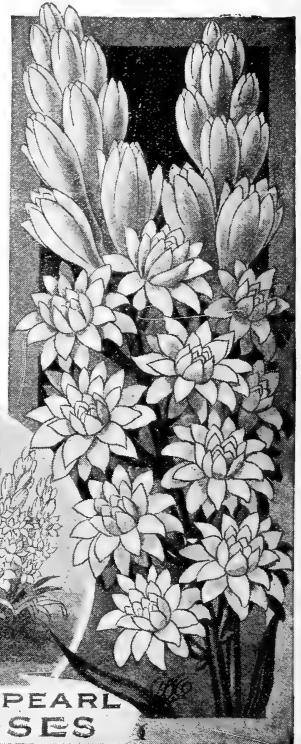
SALVIA (Scarlet Sage)—Unequaled for dazzling show of fiery scarlet flowers until killed with frost. The great bedding plant. **10c each; \$1.00 per dozen; \$6.00 per 100, postpaid.**

COLEUS—We offer a grand collection of Coleus in the best named and mixed varieties, solid colors, striped, variegated and mottled. When ordering, state your preference as to color, and we will select accordingly. **Price, 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen.**

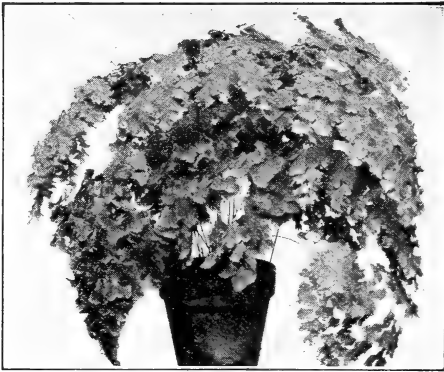
JESSAMINE (Maid of Orleans)—Large, double, waxy white flowers of great substance, produced freely throughout the summer. **15c each; 4 for 50c; 9 for \$1.00.**

Grand Duke of Tuscany—A magnificent everblooming plant, with large, double, waxy, creamy white flowers of most delicious fragrance; superb. **15c each; 4 for 50c; 9 for \$1.00.**

CRINUM ORNATUM. This royal member of the Amaryllis family produces numerous spikes of large, fragrant, lily-like flowers, white, with deep pink stripe in the center of each petal. **Prices, first size, about 9 to 11 inches circumference, 30c each; 4 for \$1.00. Second size, about 11 to 13 inches circumference, 40c each. Enormous bulbs, about 14 to 16 inches circumference, 60c each; 2 for \$1.00.**



**EXCELSIOR PEARL
TUBEROSES**



Maidenhair Fern.

True Magnolia Scented Moonflower

(*Ipomoea Noctiflora*)

A single vine has been known to cover 25 square feet in a very short time, and upwards of a thousand buds and flowers are frequently seen on a single vine. Flowers 4 to 6 inches in diameter, beautiful silvery white, delightfully perfumed. Open in the evening and on cloudy days. **Strong plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c; 10 for \$1.00.**

Blue Moonflower (*Ipomoea Leari*)—Habit of growth and flowering same as White, but color is clear satiny blue, with well-defined crimson bars. **Strong plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c; 10 for \$1.00.**

Special Offer The Blue Moonflower and the White Moonflower, one plant of each, **25c; two each, 50c; 5 of each for \$1.00.**

CINNAMON VINE—A beautiful, hardy climbing vine, with heart-shaped leaves and delicate white blossoms. **15c for 3 bulbs; 6 for 25c; 50c per dozen; 25 for \$1.00, postpaid.**

MADEIRA VINE—Climber with fragrant white flowers. Free bloomer. **3 for 10c; 10 for 25c.**

AMARYLLIS REGINA—Lily-like flowers in clusters. Light scarlet with lighter throat. **15c each; 3 for 40c.**

AMARYLLIS JOHNSONII—Velvety crimson flowers, each petal striped white. **25c each; 5 for \$1.00.**

VINCA VARIEGATA—Beautiful trailing vine, bright green leaves bordered with creamy white. Fine for vases, hanging baskets and porch boxes. **15c each; 10 for \$1.00, postpaid.**

NEW SCARLET MEXICAN LILY (*Amaryllis Formosissima*)—Dark scarlet flowers. **10c each; 6 for 50c; \$1.00 per dozen.**

CALADIUM ESCULENTUM (Elephant's Ear)—A magnificent foliage plant, with immense leaves, often measuring 4 feet in length by 2 feet in breadth. **Fine bulbs, 15c each; 4 for 50c; 10 for \$1.00; larger size, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.**

Rubber Plant - Ficus Elastica

Will flourish under the most unfavorable conditions, and responds most readily to good treatment. Its thick, glossy foliage is exceedingly attractive and free from insect pests. **Strong plants, 12 to 15 inches high, 75c each; 2 for \$1.25, postpaid.**

Dingee Excelsior Tuberoses

Dwarf Excelsior Pearl—Flowers pure white, very double, of immense size and sweetly scented. **3 for 10c; 30c per doz., postpaid.**

Orange-Flowered—Bears single snow-white flowers, resembling orange blooms; delightfully fragrant. **5c each; 50c per doz., postpaid.**

New Variegated Leaved—The leaves are bordered with white; white flowers. **5c each; 40c per dozen.**

Albino—Early bloomer, dwarf branching habit; flowers waxy white and single; very fragrant. **3 for 10c; 30c per dozen.**

Special Offer We send, postpaid, 9 Excelsior Pearl Tuberoses, 3 Orange-flowered and 3 New Variegated-Leaved—15 in all—for 50c.

Dingee Summer Flowering Gladioli

Among the most popular summer-flowering bulbs, and of high decorative value, either in the garden or as a cut flower. All bulbs sent out by us are first-class, sure to bloom. They should be planted in a sunny position about May 1.

15 Choicest Named Gladioli \$1.25

Any 7 for 60c, postpaid.

Selected from hundreds of the best varieties. In size of flowers, blooming quality and diversity of color, none will compare with these.

America—The most beautiful variety in cultivation. Soft flesh-pink, slightly tinged with lavender.

Augusta—Pure white; blue anthers.

Attraction—Deep, dark crimson-pink, with a large pure white center free from mottling or spots, making a most conspicuous and attractive contrast.

Baron Hulot—Rich, royal violet-blue. This when cut in combination with one of the yellow varieties, is truly exquisite.

Brenchleyensis—Bright scarlet-vermilion.

Halley—The Early Giant. Salmon-pink, immense size, very early.

Independence—Color varies from deep rose pink to orange-scarlet, but always brilliant and rich. An excellent cut-flower variety, as the blooms hold their color for a long time.

Jessie—Rich, velvety red.

Klondyke—A clear yellow, with a vivid crimson-maroon blotch in throat; a splendid free grower.

Mad, Lemoine—White tinted lemon, large crimson center. Very early. Fine for pots to bloom at Easter.

May—White, flaked rosy crimson.

Mrs. Frances King—A striking shade of light scarlet or flame color; one of the most effective both in the border and when cut.

Meadowvale—One of the purest white grounds, with a touch of vivid crimson in the throat with a line of delicate pink.

Princes—Brilliant scarlet-crimson, with three broad white blotches on the lower petals.

Victory—Clear sulphur-yellow, the ends of the petals slightly suffused pink. Spike tall and erect.

Special Offer—The above collection of 15 choice varieties, blooming bulbs, all labeled, postpaid, for \$1.25; 2 of each, 30 in all, postpaid, for \$2.40; single varieties, 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen.

Groff's Hybrid Gladioli

To our customers who want something decidedly better than the usual run of mixed varieties and who do not care to grow them under name, we offer below Groff's Hybrids or Silver Trophy Section sorts in separate colors or all colors mixed. These are extra fine kinds and are sure to please.

Groff's Silver Trophy No. 1—In this collection you have the scarlets, reds and crimson.

Groff's Silver Trophy No. 2—In this collection are the light colors, such as white and light pink, yellows.

Groff's Silver Trophy No. 3—The best of the blues and purples in the section.

Groff's Silver Trophy, Mixed—All colors of above varieties.

Price of Groff's Hybrids, 6c each; 60c per dozen; \$4.50 per 100, postpaid.

Large Flowering Mixed Gladioli

White and light shades mixed, 40c per dozen, postpaid.

Pink and Rose shades mixed, 40c per dozen, postpaid.

Scarlet and Crimson shades mixed, 40c per dozen, postpaid.

Yellow and Orange shades mixed, 60c per dozen, postpaid.

Striped and Variegated, mixed, 50c per dozen, postpaid.

All Colors Mixed, 35c per dozen; \$2.00 per 100, postpaid.

Special Offer of New Varieties

One each of the nine new and rare varieties all labeled, sent postpaid for \$1.35; two of each, 18 in all, for \$2.60.



Gladiolus.

New and Rare Varieties

The following varieties are the choicest of the newer sorts. The beauty of the bloom must be seen to be appreciated.

Mrs. Frank Pendleton—In color a lovely salmony-pink with brilliant deep, red blotches in the throat. 20c each, 6 for \$1.

Kunderdi "Glory"—The New Ruffled Gladiolus—Petals exquisitely ruffled and fluted. Delicate cream-pink, with crimson stripe in center of lower petals. 15c each, 7 for \$1.

Niagara—Cream and yellow; throat splashed carmine. 20c each, 6 for \$1.00.

Panama—A seedling of the famous America, with the same splendid form and substance, but is a deeper, richer pink. 15c each, 7 for \$1.00.

War—Flowers deep brilliant crimson, large size and great substance. 20c each, 6 for \$1.00, postpaid.

Peace—The large flowers are almost pure white; there is a trace of lilac on the lower petals. Fine for bedding and cutting. 15c each, \$1.50 per dozen.

Jane Dieulafoy—The Superb. A large, fine, creamy-white flower, with large salmon-maroon stains. 20c each, \$2 dozen.

Schwaben—The Primrose. Delicate primrose with yellow and crimson center. Magnificent large flower and spike. 25c each, 5 for \$1.00.

Pink Perfection—A soft apple blossom pink with charrois suffusion that is very attractive. 15c each, \$1.50 dozen.



Dianthus—Hardy Pinks.

Blooming in April

- AQUILEGIA** (Columbine) *Canadensis*—Pretty scarlet flowers mixed with yellow. 1 to 2 feet.
- Coerules**—Several blue and white flowers on a stem, sometimes tinted with lilac. Lovely for border or rockery. 9 to 12 inches.
- Candidissima**—Pure white. 2 to 3 feet.
- BELLIS** (English Daisy)—Charming edging plants, with button-shaped flowers. 6 inches. Separate colors, red or white.
- ICELAND POPPIES**—Mixed colors, yellow, white and orange. Dwarf growing, delicate flowered. Exquisite for bordering. 9 to 15 inches. Separate colors, white and yellow.

Blooming in May

- ALYSSUM** *Saxatile Compactum* (Gold Dust)—Deep yellow flowers in close flat heads. 1 foot.
- Argenteum**—Flowers deep golden yellow in dense heads. 12 to 18 inches.
- ANCHUSA** (Dropmore Variety)—Blue or purple flowers in racemes. 4 to 5 feet.
- PAPAVER** (Oriental Poppy)—Rose and scarlet. Beautiful for cut flowers. 3 feet.
- PYRETHRUM** (Persian Daisy)—Single varieties. Artistic for home decoration, with fern-like foliage. Pink and white.
- Roseum** (Persian Daisy)—Single varieties. Artistic for home decoration, with fern-like foliage. Pink, lavender, red and yellow.
- Uliginosum** (Great Ox-Eye Daisy)—A very bold and strong growing species, having a handsome and distinct appearance when covered with a profusion of its daisy-like blossoms. Perfectly hardy and prefers a sheltered position. 4 to 5 feet.

Blooming in June

- CAMPANULA** (Canterbury Bells)—Single, in separate colors, white, blue or rose. 3 feet.
- Double Blue**—8 inches.
- Calycanthema** (Cup and Saucer Canterbury Bell)—Very beautiful in white, rose and blue. 3 feet. 6-7.
- DELPHINIUM** (Belladonna)—Everblooming hardy Larkspur. The most beautiful sky blue of dwarf habit. 3 to 4 feet. Blooms all summer until cut down by frost.
- Formosum**—Deep gentian blue with white eye. Long spikes. 18 inches to 2 feet.
- Chinese Album**—A white flowered form. 2 feet.
- Kelway's Giant**—Enormous spikes with flowers of many shades of blue. 3 feet.
- Rembrandt**—Bright sky-blue, inner petals rosy lavender. 2 to 3 ft.
- DIANTHUS** (Hardy Garden Pinks)—Double white and crimson. 12 to 18 inches.
- GAILLARDIA** (Blanket Flower) *Grand Sanguinea*—Conspicuous for profusion and duration of bloom. Blood red. 2 feet.
- Sulphurea Oculata*—Sulphur yellow, maroon eye. 2 feet.

Dingee Hardy Perennials

The Old-Fashioned Hardy Flowers

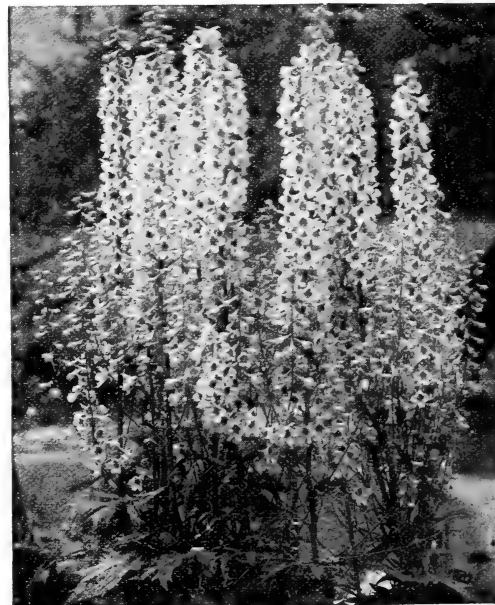
The garden or border of Hardy Perennials is about the most valuable and lasting asset of the flower garden. Annuals, flowering bulbs and even shrubs may be dispensed with more consistently than these old-fashioned Hardy Perennials which for so long a time made the charm of the old-time gardens.

There is no spot so unfavorable, no soil so sterile or harsh that some flower of hardy nature may not be found to adorn it and thrive and grow more and more ornamental as the seasons come and go. It is well, however, to enrich the soil before planting with some well-decomposed manure, dug deeply and well pulverized.

Secure field-grown clumps in the spring or fall. Plant them well into the soil and as soon as they have had two or three good frosts, and just before the ground freezes, cover with about three inches of leaves, nature's protection. Remove gradually in the spring. Do not overcrowd. A very good rule to go by in planting is to set the plants one-half the height they attain when fully developed. For example, Delphinium, which grows three feet high, should be planted eighteen inches apart.

We list the different varieties in groups, according to their blooming period. Thus one may have some of these flowers blooming from early spring until late fall, up until freezing weather. The figures in description indicate the height of the plants when fully grown.

We offer strong, pot-grown plants at 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen, postpaid; all one variety or assorted.



Delphinium—Larkspur.

HARDY PERENNIALS—Continued.

Blooming in June

ACHILLEA (The Pearl)—Pure white double flowers in dense clusters; fine for cutting purposes and cemetery use. 2 feet. Blooms from June to October.

GYPSOPHILA PANICULATA (Baby's Breath)—Rough narrow leaves, small white flowers 2 to 3 ft.

HOLLYHOCKS (Everblooming)—Double or single mixed. 6 to 7 ft.

DIANTHUS BARBATUS (Sweet William)—Old garden favorites; no old-fashioned border is complete without their cheerful, sweet smelling and showy flowers. 2 feet.

Single Crimson

Single Velvety Maroon.

Single White.

Single Scarlet Beauty—Intense, rich, deep scarlet.

Blooming in July

SHASTA DAISY—Pure glistening white with small yellow discs. 18 inches.

DIGITALIS (Foxglove)—A fine genus of hardy plants, famous for their long racemes of inflated flowers, which suggest spires or towers of bells.

White or Purple—3 feet.

RUDBECKIA (Cone Flower)—The discs of the flowers are raised up, forming buttons or cones.

Purpurea—Reddish-purple flowers, drooping rays and large brown cone, 2 to 3 feet.

Newmanii (Dwarf Black Eyed Susan)—Handsome, rich orange-yellow flowers with black disc; valuable for cutting. For massing in borders or for half-shady positions under trees. 2 feet.

HIBISCUS MEEHAN'S MARVEL MALLOW—Without exception the finest production among the Hardy Plant line in years. They make a bush-like growth from 4 to 5 feet high and 2 to 3 feet across. The flowers are of an enormous size, frequently 8 to 10 inches in diameter and ranging in color from fiery crimson through various shades of red, pink and white. No garden or yard complete without them, will thrive in any locality or kind of soil and blooms continually from July until checked by frost. Require no care or protection. Price pot plants mixed colors, Pink, Red, and White: 25c each, 5 for \$1.00. Strong 2-year-old field-grown roots, 50c each, postpaid.

Golden Bowl—Yellow, with maroon center.



Campanula media—Canterbury Bell.

Blooming in August

HELIANTHUS MAXIMILIANA (Perennial Sunflower)—Latest of all, producing fine golden-yellow flowers until late in the season. 5 to 7 feet.

Mollis Grandiflorus—Fine mixed. 4 feet.

TRITOMA (Red Hot Poker Plant; Torch Lily)—One of the most striking groups of plants in cultivation. The long, fiery, untamed red of the drooping flowers, one hundred on a spike, is a memorable sight. Require protection during the winter, but are of very easy culture.

Pfitzerii (Everblooming Flame Flower)—Best variety; flowers of rich orange-scarlet. 3 to 4 feet. 8-10.

Uvaria Grandiflora—Old fashioned variety with rich crimson flowers shading to yellow. 3 to 4 feet. 8-10.

FUNKIA—DAY LILY (Subcordata grandiflora)—(White Day Lily). Handsome spikes of large, waxy-white blossoms, with an odor like that of orange blossoms; and large, broad, glossy, light green foliage. 1 foot to 18 inches.

Aurea variegata—Flowers purplish-lilac; leaves beautifully variegated green and gold 2 feet.

STOKESIA (Stokes' Aster)—One of the choice and distinctive perennials. Resembles the China Aster. Blue-lavender or white varieties. 12 to 18 inches.

Blooming in September and October

ASTERS (Hardy, Fall Flowering) Michaelmas Daisies—Among the showiest late-flowering hardy plants, giving a wealth of bloom during September and October.

Abendrote—Rosy-red flowers; plants about 3 to 4 feet.

Robert Parker—Light blue. 3 to 4 feet.

White Queen—White, fine. 3 to 4 feet.

Novae Anglae—Bright purple. 4 feet.

HARDY POMPOY CHRYSANTHEMUMS—They produce a lavish profusion of blooms, giving color and life to the garden just at a time when other plants have been destroyed by frost and are looking their worst. It will frequently happen that an armful of flowers can be cut late in November. Quite hardy, if planted in a well-drained position, with a good covering of leaves or litter during the winter.

King Edward VII—Snowy white cup-shaped, enormous flowers, borne on stout stems. 3 feet to 4 feet.

Frutescens Grandiflorum—White Paris Daisy.

Price of all Perennial Plants on this page, except where noted, in strong pot plants 30c each, \$2.00 per dozen, postpaid.



Hibiscus—Meehan's Marvel Mallow.

The Garden Guide

offered on page 102 gives a complete list of the Hardy Perennials and how to grow them, also much other valuable information.



Peony.

Standard Peonies

Price, 40 cts. each; \$4.00 per doz., postpaid.

Candidissima. Creamy white. Early, double.
Caroline Allaine. Rose and salmon. Double, late.
Rosea Elegans. Soft rose. Early, double.
Duke of Wellington. Sulphur-white. Double, late.
Lady Branwell. Pink and rose. Double, midseason.
Rubens. Dark crimson. Double, midseason.
Canary. White, primrose center. Double, late.
Charlemagne. Lilac-white with a slight blush center. Double, late.
Delachi. Velvety purple. Late, double.
Louis Van Houtte. Velvety red. Double, late.
Festiva Alba. Cream-white, red spots. Double, late.
Modeste Guerin. Deep rose. Double, midseason.
Prolifera Tricolor. Pinkish-white. Double, late.
Solfaterre. Yellow and white. Double, midseason.
Mme. de Verneville. Guard petals sulphur-white, center delicate flesh. Double, early.
L'Éclatante. Very large, compact bloom. Brilliant scarlet. Midseason. Fine, double.
Mme. Carpentier. Salmon with lilac.

Dingee Choicest Hardy Perennial Phlox

Diversified and brilliant colors, profuse and continuous bloom and adaptability to almost any situation or soil, places Hardy Phlox in the front rank of desirable flowering plants. Being perfectly hardy, once planted they improve and multiply in vigor and beauty each successive year. Price, strong, field-grown plants, 15 cts. each; any 4 for 50 cts.; any 9 for \$1.00.

Diadem. Dwarf; pure white.
Eclairneur. Purplish-crimson; large.
White Eclairneur. Large; pure white.
Fernand Cortez. Tall; deep crimson.
G. A. Strohlten. Brilliant scarlet.
Iris. Tall; bluish-violet.
Tapis Blanc. Dwarf; pure white.
Terre Neuve. Dwarf; grayish-lilac.
Wolfgang von Goethe. Dwarf; bright salmon-pink.
Brilliant. Clear blood-red.
L'Aiglon. Carmine-rose.
Mount Sully. Orange-scarlet, purple eye.
Perle Rose. Rose-purple.
Schlossgartner Reicheneau. Carmine-rose.
Selma. Tall. Pale rose.
Rachel. Rose-pink; purple eye.
Suffrage. Lilac-mauve, rosy center.
Mrs. Jenkins. Pure white.
Coquelicot. Pure scarlet with crimson eye. Fine.

HARDY PERENNIALS—Continued.

Dingee Hardy Peonies

Of all the flowers in the Hardy Garden the Peony is easily recognized as the Queen—in fact it vies with the Rose for the title in many ways, for while in bloom it is without question the most glorious object in the garden. Once Peonies are planted they last for a life time. They stand the severest winters without the slightest protection. Especially fine for single specimens and cemetery planting. After blooming their charm lies in the beauty of the foliage, for even when not in bloom the Peony plant is decorative in the extreme and well worthy of a prominent place in the garden.

We offer only the cream of the many hundred varieties. Don't buy the cheap kinds. They require just as much care, but don't produce the blooms.

New and Rare Peonies

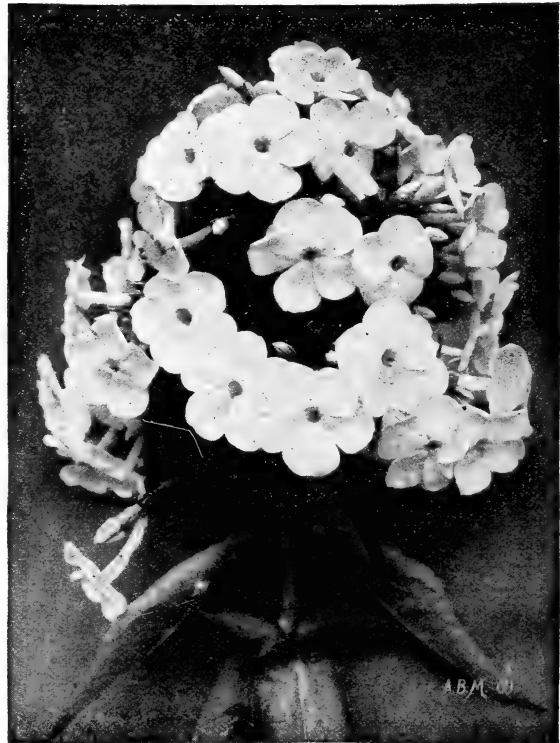
Price, strong roots, 50 cts. each. Set of eight superb varieties, postpaid, for \$3.25.

Eugene Verdier. Delicate flesh-pink. Midseason. Very fine.
Louis Parmentier. Bright red; double, late.
Faust. Delicate light pink; double, late.
Felix Crousse. Brilliant red. Extra fine. Double, midseason.
Duchesse de Nemours. Sulphur-white, changing to pure white. Particularly beautiful in the half-open bud state. Double, Early.
Jeanne d'Arc. Pure white. Early, double.
Sarah Bernhardt. Delicate silver-rose tinted white and salmon. Late, double.
Festiva Maxima. White center, flaked red. Double, early.

Old-Fashioned Peonies

Price, 30 cts. each, \$3.00 per doz., postpaid.

Rosea. Rose pink. **Alba.** Blush white.
Rubra. Deep crimson.



Hardy Perennial Phlox.

HARDY PERENNIALS—Continued.

Dingee Hardy Violets

Rich in modest beauty and famed for its enchanting fragrance, the Violet continues to increase in popularity. With the last snows of winter still about it, this gentle flower shyly appears from out its icy bed, heralding the coming of spring. All our plants are absolutely clean and healthy and will produce highly satisfactory results.

Prices, strong plants, 10c each; 3 for 25c; any 7 for 50c; any 15 for \$1.00; \$6.00 per 100.

Marie Lynch—In color it is a charming shade of lavender-pink and the foliage is a rich, dark green.

California—The largest violet in cultivation. Rich, violet-blue; flowers on long stems.

Dorsett—Darkest, deep violet-blue; long stems, large flowers.

Farguhar—Double flowers of delicate fragrance; deep blue.

Governor Herrick—Rich, dark purple; single.

Lady Hume Campbell—Double blue. Strong, healthy and perfectly hardy.

Luxonne—Soft violet purple; fragrance delicious.

Prince of Wales—One of the best. The large, blue, single flowers are deliciously fragrant.

Swanley White—Pure white, perfectly double, fragrant flowers.

Peacock, New Violet—This is an entrancingly beautiful new Violet; the markings of its charming colors are difficult to describe. The prevailing color is white, with delicate tracings and markings of sky-blue.

Yucca Filamentosa - Spanish Bayonet

A low growing evergreen plant with narrow leaves. The flower-stalk is from 2 to 4 feet high, and rises from the center. Creamy white, bell-shaped flowers. 20c each; 6 for \$1.00.

Dicentra Spectabilis - Bleeding Heart

Fine for borders, pots or open ground. Beautiful rose-colored flowers, heart-shaped. Absolutely hardy. 20c each; 3 for 50c; 7 for \$1.00.

Lily-of-the-Valley

One of the most universally known and admired plants. The graceful spikes, with the dainty, pure white bells, are a delight to the eye, and their delicate fragrance is exquisite. Plants succeed almost anywhere, but prefer a partly shaded situation and rich soil. For house culture, plant rather thickly in pots or boxes, scatter some moss or other light material over the soil, which must not cover the crown; water well and set away in a dark, cold place where they will freeze, or bury pot in ground for several days. When brought to heat and light after a few weeks, the leaves and flowers will soon appear. Ready for delivery in November. Strong-flowering crowns. 3 for 15c; 50 cts. per dozen; \$3.00 per 100, postpaid.



Single and Double Violets.

German Iris

The memory of the "Blue Flag" of the old-time gardens is one ever sweet to those whose lives were lived in such surroundings, and while the "modern" Irises, if we may use the term, will remind one of the old days, they, too, like everything else of these days, have yielded to the influence of improvement, and there has been evolved a race of flowers absolutely bewildering in the glory of their form and color.

Aurea—Clear golden yellow.

Canary Bird (Flavescens)—Lovely pale yellow.

Barius—Yellow and lilac.

Honorabilis (Sans Souci)—Deep yellow; mahogany falls.

Florentina Alba (Silver King)—Early white

Ingeborg (Interregna)—Immense white flowers. Extra early.

Mrs. H. Darwin—White, violet veining, rather dwarf.

Lohengrin—Foliage and flowers immense, of a deep violet mauve, almost pink; a wonderful flower.

Queen of May (Rosy Morn)—Lovely rose lilac

Madame Thibault—White, bordered rose lilac—companion to Mad. Chereau, not so tall, edge more pinkish.

Cherion—Standard lilac-mauve; falls violet-mauve.

Price, 15c each; 9 for \$1.00, postpaid.

Herbaceous Hydrangeas

These are the popular plants of the day for growing in pots, boxes, tubs, or in the open ground. Hardy for outdoors.

Ofaka—Rich pink, changing to snow-white and blue.

Avalanche—Large corymbs of pure white flowers.

General de Vibraye—Very large heads of bright rose.

Price, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00, postpaid; large specimen plants from 4- to 6-inch pots, 75c each, by express only.



A Bed of German Iris,

Dingee Hardy Shrubs for Permanent Planting



Hydrangea paniculata grandiflora.

New Hardy Everblooming Hydrangea

ARBORESCENS STERILIS.

The New Everblooming Hydrangea is, as its name implies, constantly in bloom from early in June until frost, and is one of the most important additions in the way of hardy shrubs ever introduced. All summer long it bears great clusters of white flowers, much like the tender Hydrangea in size and form; it will grow to perfection in partial shade, making it most valuable for massing under trees or growing on north side of house.

Price, strong, vigorous plants, well rooted, 25c each, 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; larger, field-grown plants, with several branches, fine roots, 50c each; 3 for \$1.00, by express.

Althea

ROSE OF SHARON.

Alba Plena—Large, double, pure white flowers.

Blanche—The nearest pure white of any double variety.

New Banner—Clear, rosy pink, striped rich crimson.

Buist Variegated Leaved—Beautiful green leaves, broadly margined silvery white; flowers double.

Double Purple—Deep reddish purple.

Carnation-Striped—Pink, with crimson stripes.

Totus Albus—Moderate grower; free bloomer.

Price of all plants on this page, except where noted: One-year-old size, 20c each; any 3 for 50c; any 7 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old size, 35c each; any 3 for \$1.00; any 10 for \$2.50, by freight or express; three-year-old size, 50c each; any 5 for \$2.00; any 10 for \$3.50, by freight or express at the purchaser's expense.



Hydrangea arborescens sterilis—Hills of Snow,

This class of plants has been a leading specialty with us for years, our stock now consisting of nearly twenty acres. They are absolutely hardy, and once planted, last indefinitely, increasing in size and beauty year after year. For cold climate where hardy plants are needed they stand without an equal. Planted in clumps, masses or used for hedges, screens, or for filling unsightly corners, they make a glorious show. They supply that certain something which is lacking in every yard where hardy shrubbery is not planted. We recommend a liberal planting of this class of plants. They last a lifetime and are sure to give splendid satisfaction. Their culture is exceedingly simple. When received cut the plants back about one-third their growth if not done before shipping. Set about three feet apart for a screen, but as individual specimens plant wherever desired. Water freely when planted, and for a few days afterward. No protection required. They may be planted as soon as ground is ready to dig up until late spring. This class of plants should be set out earlier than Roses and other pot plants, so if your order contains some of them we will send the different varieties at the proper season. Among this class of plants should be included the Rugosa Roses offered on page 53 which are just as hardy and can be used in the same way for single specimens or for massing.

Some varieties such as Hydrangea, Snowball, Weigela, Deutzias, require pruning in early spring before new growth starts. Here with us it is done in late February or early March each season.

Hydrangea paniculata grandiflora

The Best and Most Ornamental of All Hardy Shrubs.

We grow and sell annually many thousands of these most popular of all shrubs. They are extensively used for yard, lawn and hedge planting and for screens. Attains a height of 5 to 7 feet; hardy in all localities; blooms the first and every season in July and August, and continues in bloom for two or three months; the flowers are massive, cone-shaped, often measuring 10 inches in length, and have a pleasing variation of color, changing from original pure white to pink, and finally to beautiful, rich, coppery red. Well-rooted, field-grown plants that will bloom this year.

Prices: 15c each, 4 for 50c, 9 for \$1.00, postpaid; strong, two-year-old, field-grown, blooming plants, 35c each, 3 for \$1.00; extra-size, three-year-old, field-grown, blooming plants, 50c each, \$5.00 per dozen, by express or freight.

HARDY SHRUBS—Continued.

Double Japan Snowball

(*VIBURNUM PLICATUM*)

Blooms in early June, when the whole bush is loaded down with great, compact balls of pure white, double flowers. They are borne in such profusion that the entire plant appears one dense mass of bloom; the tree grows erect and bushy, 6 to 8 feet high, with deep green leaves peculiarly crimped and crinkled. Wondrously beautiful. Price, all field-grown plants, one-year size, 20c each, 3 for 50c, 7 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year size, 35c each, 3 for 90c, 25 for \$5.00, by freight or express, three-year-size, 50c each, 5 for \$2.00, \$4.00, per dozen, by freight or express; seven-year size, extra large specimen plants, \$1.00 each by freight or express, at purchaser's expense.

VIBURNUM OPULUS STERILIS (Old-fashioned Snowball)—A strong, hardy grower; pure white flowers.

Spirea - Meadow Sweet

Aurea (Golden Leaved)—Bright golden yellow foliage and small white flowers.

Bilardi—Spikes of rose-colored flowers; blooms profusely.

Bumalda—Dwarf-growing. Flowers rose-colored.

Callosa Alba—Dwarf white-flowering variety.

Callosa Rubra—Grows 3 to 4 feet high, deep rosy red flowers.

Callosa Superba—Light red flowers in profusion.

Prunifolia (Bridal Wreath)—Double pure white flowers.

Reevesii—Single, pure white; blooms latter part of May; attains a height of 4 to 6 feet.

Thunbergi—Blooms in April; compact, fern-like leaves; flowers borne in clusters.

Van Houttei—The bushes form fine, compact clumps. The pure white flowers are borne in great masses.

Perpetual Blooming Crimson Spirea, Anthony Waterer—It makes a low, compact bush, 15 to 18 inches high. Large umbels of deep crimson flowers.

Blue Spirea (Caryopteris Mastacanthus)—The dense flower heads are of a rich lavender-blue color.

Diervilla - Weigela

Used to advantage for single lawn specimens or for massing; strong, vigorous growers.

Candida—Snow-white flowers; late June.

Lavellei—Deep red flowers; beautiful.

Rosea—Flowers are large and of a deep rosy color.

Variegated Leaf—Green leaves, margined pure white.

Eva Rathke—Rich reddish purple.

Rubra—Red, shading to light pink.



Viburnum Plicatum—Japan Snowball.

CALYCANTHUS FLORIDUS (Carolina Allspice)—Flowers purple; quite double; exquisitely fragrant and borne in profusion during the entire season.

CLEMATIS STANS (Virgin's Bower)—Of a low, spreading growth. Flowers pure white, borne on long, pendulous stems.

ELAEAGNUS Edulis—The true fruit-bearing *Elaeagnus*. Dark green foliage; small yellow flowers.

ELAEAGNUS Longipes—Fruit smaller than that of *Edulis*.

FORSYTHIA Viridissima (Golden Bell)—Height 3 to 4 feet; bright yellow, bell-shaped flowers; blooms early.

JASMINUM NUDIFLORUM (Jasmine)—Handsome, bell-shaped, golden yellow, sweet scented flowers borne before foliage.

KERRIA Japonica—A graceful shrub, yellow flowers.

PHILADELPHUS Grandiflora (Mock Orange)—Blooms in early June; flowers creamy white and very fragrant.

TAMARIX AFRICANA (African Tamarisk)—Graceful, erect-growing shrub, pretty pink flowers, leaves like evergreen.

Deutzia

A showy class of shrubs of compact growth luxuriant foliage and very free-flowering.

Crenata—4 to 6 feet; flowers white, tinged rose; very double and full.

Fortunei—4 to 6 feet; a most beautiful pure white sort.

Gracilis—2 to 2½ feet. Drooping; snow-white flowers.

Pride of Rochester—Flowers are pure white, with a faint blush on outside of petals.

Lemoinei—New. Immense. Purest white

Syringa - Lilac

White—Rare and beautiful White Lilac.

New Persian—Early June. Flowers beautiful deep purple, fragrant; leaves dark green.

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Spirea Van Houtte.



Berberis—Thunberg's Barberry.

Hardy Ornamental Grasses

For ornamental purposes these grasses are strikingly original in effect and impart a tropical brilliance to the landscape. The plumes which these grasses produce are beautiful for interior decoration.

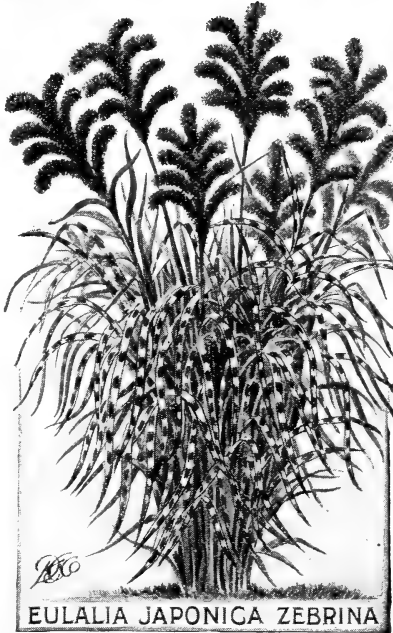
Prices of all Eulalias and Erianthus described below, 15c each; 50c for 4; \$1.00 for 9; large clumps, 25c each; \$1.00 for 5, by express.

Eulalia Gracillima Univittata—Forms an exceedingly handsome plant. 4 to 5 feet high.

E. Japonica Zebrina—The leaf blades are of deep green, distinctly striped crosswise with large bars of pure white.

E. Japonica Variegata—Blades are creamy white in the center, with a broad margin of bright green. Plumes are very beautiful.

Erianthus Ravennae—Reed-like ornamental grass, throwing up thirty to forty fine, erect flower-like stalks 8 to 10 feet high, the first season. The plumes are highly valued as parlor ornaments.



EULALIA JAPONICA ZEBRINA

SPECIAL OFFER

We will send by mail, one each of the four grand ornamental grasses described above for 50c; one clump of each of the above, by express, for 90c.

Hardy Japan Lilies

These glorious flowers of radiant beauty are very hardy, grow rapidly and vigorously, and survive from year to year, forming a permanent and attractive feature of the garden. The bulbs should be planted about 6 to 8 inches deep, in good, light soil. We offer the most carefully selected sorts in large, sound bulbs.

AURATUM—Magnificent pure white flowers, exquisitely spotted with rose, and rayed and banded with yellow. Valuable for pot or garden culture. Extra selected, blooming bulbs, 25c each, \$1.00 for 5; enormous bulbs, 30c each, \$1.00 for 4.

PARDALIUM (Leopard Lily)—From California; entirely hardy; bright orange red, with lighter orange center. Large clusters, 20c each, 50c for 3.

GIGANTEUM—Creamy-white, with purple throat. Gigantic plants and immense flowers. 25c each.

TIGRINUM SPLENDENS (Single Tiger)—Orange, with intense dark spots. 15c each, 50c for 4.

TIGRINUM FL. PL. (Double Tiger Lily)—Deep fiery red, spotted with black. 15c each, 50c for 4.

California Privet

The One Best Hedge Plant, Combining Beauty, Hardiness and Efficiency.

California Privet has long been recognized as the one very best plant for Hedge purposes, as it is remarkable for its beautiful, dark green, glossy foliage, its quick, strong and symmetrical growth, its freedom from insects and scale, and its ability to withstand pruning and trimming into any desired shape.

For many years we have made a specialty of growing California Privet for Hedges, and our stock cannot be surpassed anywhere. It is strong, thrifty and in the best of shape for transplanting. Each one a specimen plant. We have it in all sizes, from one-year-old plants to large, vigorous bushes which can be used with telling effect in the formation of an immediate hedge. These large plants are the most economical to buy, for with them the years of tedious waiting for the hedge to grow will be avoided.

Our California Privet is not grown by the usual nurseryman's method, but is as carefully propagated as other higher-priced shrubs.

First size, 15 to 24 inches, 4 to 6 branches, 10c each; 6 for 50c, postpaid; \$3.00 per 100; second size, 3 to 4 feet, 15c each; 5 for 50c; \$6.00 per 100, by express or freight at purchaser's expense. (Orders for 50 filled at 100 rates).

AMOOOR RIVER PRIVET—Similar in habit to California, but with dark, lustrous foliage and more upright habit of growth. Reputed to be harder.

Price, first size plants, 12 to 18 inches in height, 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen, postpaid; \$1.00 per 100; larger two-year-old plants, 2 to 3 feet, \$3.00 per 100, by express, collect.

Berberis Thunbergi - Barberry

An ideal hedge plant. Grows 3 to 4 feet high, small, perfectly shaped, rich green leaves, turning in autumn to bright scarlet. Flowers a delicate shade of coppery yellow. Followed by beautiful, brilliant red berries, clinging all winter. Perfectly hardy everywhere. Valuable for dwarf hedge, also used extensively for massing around foundations and individual specimen plants. One-year-old plants, 8 to 12 inches, \$6.00 per 100; two-year-old, 12 to 18 inches, \$11.00 per 100, by express.



California Privet Hedge.

Hardy Climbing Vines

Clematis Paniculata

The Most Wonderful of all Flowering Vines—Quick Grower, Exquisite Fragrance.

The flowers are pure white and are borne in great panicles or clusters of bloom, fairly covering the plants, so that it is a mass or sheet of fleecy white with an exquisite fragrance. It begins to bloom late in August the first year. Hardy in all sections of the country. Strong plants in pots, 15c each; 4 for 50c; 9 for \$1.00; strong two-year-old field-grown plants, 25c each; 3 for 70c; \$2.50 per dozen, postpaid.

Large Flowering Hardy Clematis

Broad, fat flowers of exquisite hues produced in great festoons of wondrous beauty.

Jackmani—Immense flowers, 4 to 5 inches across, of exquisite, deep royal purple.

Henri—Large creamy white flowers of large size.

Ville de Lyon—New. Very free flowering. Brilliant carmine.

Madame Edouard Andre—Resembles Jackmani, except that its flowers are beautiful carmine-red.

Fairy Queen—Beautiful delicate pink, borne in great profusion.

We offer large, strong, imported, two- and three-year-old plants on own roots, for 50c each; 6 for \$2.50; \$1.00 per dozen, postpaid.

New Coral Clematis, Clematis Coccinea—A handsome climber with a profusion of bright coral-red flowers in constant bloom. Price, Coral Clematis, 20c each; 3 for 50c.

Ampelopsis - Boston Ivy

Either variety, fine plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c; 9 for \$1.00; three-year-old plants, 3 feet in length, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.

Veitchii (Boston or Japanese Ivy)—It covers buildings and walls with a perfect mat of dark green, leathery foliage, which changes to brilliant crimson as fall approaches. Clings to either tree or wood without support.

Quinquefolia (Virginia Creeper)—Large, dark green foliage.

Engelmanni—A greatly improved variety of the Virginia Creeper with dense foliage of a glossy light green in summer, changing to a brilliant crimson in the autumn. On a rough stone surface it will cling without support in the same way as the Japanese Ivy. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

Tricolor (Vitis heterophylla variegata)—A beautiful and desirable climber with dark green foliage wonderfully variegated with white and pink; during the late summer and fall the plant is liberally covered with attractive small berries of a peculiar lustrous metallic peacock blue color; highly useful for trailing over rocks or for a low trellis. 20c each; 6 for \$1.00; larger plants, 30c each; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid.



Lonicera Halleana—Hall's Japan Honeysuckle.

Honeysuckle

Price, 15c each; two-year-old plants, 25c each; assorted varieties, \$2.50 per dozen.

Chinese Sweet Scented—White and Yellow flowers.

Evergreen Sweet Scented—Buff, yellow and white.

Red Coral—Red trumpet-shaped flowers.

Yellow Coral—The only true golden-yellow Honeysuckle.

Golden-Leaved—Leaves beautifully veined and spotted with clear yellow. Flowers yellow and fragrant.

New Halliana—Evergreen and a constant bloomer; flowers pure white, changing to yellow. Very fragrant.

New Heckrottii—Clear rose, yellow at the base; sweet and fragrant; in constant bloom.

Wistaria Magnifica

The finest Wistaria of its color now known. Extremely vigorous, growing 30 to 40 feet in one season when well established. The flowers are pale lilac, and the immense clusters of drooping racemes, which measure 12 to 18 inches in length, are deliciously fragrant. 20c each; 3 for 50c.

Wistaria Alba—There is nothing more striking or appropriate for pergolas and the ordinary trellises than this splendid vine. Pure white flowers, 20c each; 3 for 50c.

Mammoth Flowered Trumpet Creeper

(Bignonia Grandiflora)—One of the most superb climbing vines in existence. Grows with rapidity, is perfectly hardy everywhere. The flowers are trumpet-shaped and warm orange-red. Strong plants, 20c each; 3 for 50c; 7 for \$1.00; \$1.60 per dozen, postpaid; larger plants, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; \$3.50 per dozen, postpaid.

Dutchman's Pipe

(Aristolochia Siphon)—A very rapid-growing, hardy climber and well known in some parts of the country as "Chinese Yam." In a short time its large heart-shaped leaves make a dense shade. The flowers are long and pipe-shaped hence the name. Price, strong plants, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00; larger plants, 50c each, postpaid.

English Ivy

A splendid evergreen climber, with dark glossy green leaves; clings firmly to stone, brick or wood walls without trellis or support; very desirable. 15c each; 9 for \$1.00.

Akebia Quinata - Akebia Vine

One of the most graceful of our hardy climbers, with deep green, small foliage, and producing in early spring numberless bunches of violet-brown flowers, which have a pleasant cinnamon odor; most desirable for positions where a dense shade is not required. Strong plants, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.



Wistaria,

See page 88 for other Hardy Vines



Aster—Pink Enchantress.

Choice Asters, All Colors

- Truffaut's Paeony-Flowered Perfection Mixed**—Double, large, beautiful incurved flowers. 30 colors. Pkt., 10c; ¼ oz., 50c.
- Dwarf White Queen**—Growing 10 to 12 inches high. Large, double flowers. Profuse bloomer. Pkt., 10c.
- Simple's Branching**—Strong grower. Handsome double flowers. All colors. Pkt., 10c.
- Queen of the Market**—Early blooming, of spreading habit. All colors. Excellent for cutting. Either variety, ¼ oz., 25c.
- Queen of the Market**—Crimson.
- Queen of the Market**—Dark blue.
- Queen of the Market**—Rose.
- Queen of the Market**—White.
- Queen of the Market**—Lavender.
- Giant Comet**—Handsome flowers, resembling Chrysanthemums. All colors, mixed. Pkt., 10c.
- Victoria**—Flowers large and double. In separate colors, white, scarlet and blue, and all colors. Pkt., 10c.

Dingee Gorgeous Pansies

- Giant Ruffled Masterpiece**—Enormous ruffled flowers of striking effect. Dark, rich shades. Pkt., 10c.
- President McKinley**—Deep golden-yellow. Petals blotched with reddish brown. Pkt., 10c.
- Improved Giant Trimardeau**—Rich dark shades. Extra large flowers, distinctly marked. Pkt., 10c.
- New Orchid-Flowered**—Ground color light, with large brown and yellow blotches. Upper petals are upright and plaited, resembling Orchids. Pkt., 10c.
- Hercules Giant**—Enormous flowers of thick, heavy texture. Various colors. Pkt., 25c.
- Sweet Scented**—A mixture of varieties that have a fragrance. Pkt., 5c.
- Giant Fancy Mixed**—Three and five-spotted varieties of great size and substance. Pkt., 10c.
- D. & C. Bedding**—A mixture of free blooming varieties. Colors rich and distinct. Pkt., 5c; ¼ oz., 40c.

New German Imperial Pansies

- The best strain for general planting. Plants are of a compact growth, profuse bloomers, continuing through entire summer.
- Cardinal**—Brilliant brownish scarlet, the lower petals marked with a dark brown blotch.
- Crown Prince**—Black, golden bronze face.
- Deep Yellow**—Very rich; spotless.
- Fairy Queen**—Delicate azure blue.
- Fire King**—Bright reddish fiery shade.
- Odier, or Five-Spotted**—Each petal has a large blotch.
- Peacock**—The color of the feathers of a peacock.
- Red Riding Hood**—Shades of brilliant red.
- Rosy Morn**—Beautiful rosy red.
- Snow Queen**—Spotless white.
- Improved German Mixed**—Includes all of the separate colors of this strain. Pkt., 10c; ¼ oz., 65c.

Price of all Pansies, except where noted, 10c per pkt.

Dingee Flower Seeds

Pure, Fresh and Reliable

Dingee Seeds are the same surpassing quality which is characteristic of Dingee Roses, Dingee Bulbs and other Dingee offerings. Our stock is absolutely as good as it is possible to secure. Our prices are as low as can be made on the quality of seeds we offer, with an honest margin of profit. We give liberal packets and we prepay postage on all seeds by the packet, ounce, quarter-pound.

All seeds offered in this catalogue are 5 cents a packet, except where otherwise noted; 6 packets for 25c; 12 packets for 50c; 25 packets for \$1.00. Full cultural directions are given with each packet. When a packet of seeds is sold for 5c, it almost always contains 5 cents worth of seed. When it is sold for 3c, 4c or 8c, you are practically certain to get just as much more or less seed, as compared with the 5-cent package.

IT PAYS TO BUY GOOD SEED. WE FURNISH THE VERY BEST QUALITY, and we solicit your seed orders, promising you the worth of your money.

DINGEE & CONARD COMPANY, West Grove, Pa.

Dingee Magnificent Free-Blooming Asters

Eight Finest New Asters

- Mikado Pink**—Charming shade of pink suffused with lavender. Pkt., 10c.
- Cardinal**—Vivid cardinal red. Splendid bedder. Pkt., 10c.
- Lavender Gem**—Beautiful shade of lavender-pink. Pkt., 10c.
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Dingee Exquisite Sweet Peas

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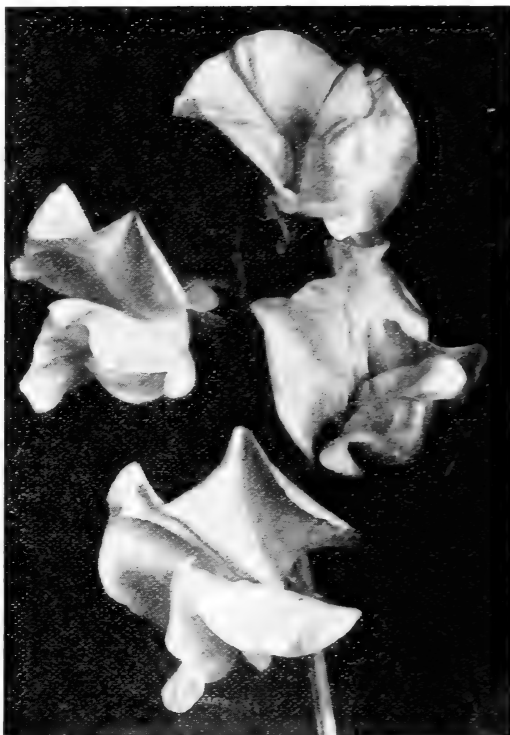
Standard Varieties

- Price of Standard Varieties:** Pkt., 5c; 6 for 25c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c.
America—Blood red, striped white.
Apple Blossoms—Color a true apple blossom one.
Firefly—Fiery scarlet and crimson.
Lord Nelson—Deep navy blue.
Majestic—Rose-crimson.
Othello—Deep maroon.
Prima Donna—Pale soft pink. Flowers large.
Prince Edward of York—Scarlet crimson.
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Blanche Burpee—Finest pure white.
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MIXED SWEET PEAS—This surpassing mixture includes the very finest and most distinct varieties now in cultivation.
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- AQUILEGIA (Columbine), Choice Double Mixed**—The flowers are of various colors, attractive and showy.
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 Perfection Double Mixed—Pkt., 10c.
CAMPANULA (Cantebury Bells)—Beautiful bell-shaped flowers of many colors are produced freely.
 Single Varieties Mixed—Assorted colors.
 Double Varieties Mixed—Various colors.



Sweet Peas—Spencer Type.

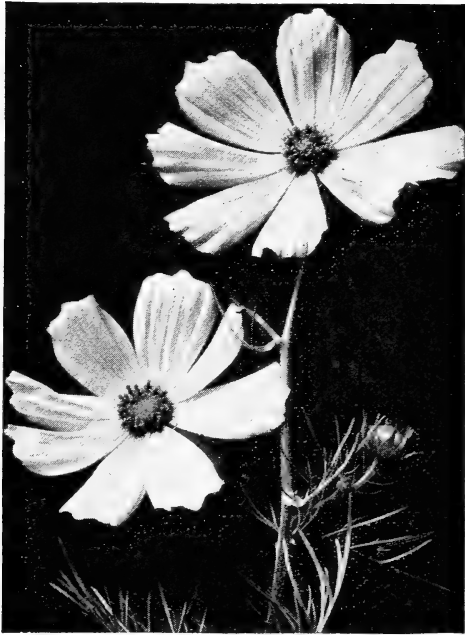
Dingee Brilliant Nasturtiums

Tall or Climbing Nasturtium

- Dingee's Variegated Leaved**—Flowers of numerous bright colors, produces a charming contrast with the variegated leaves. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.
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Ivy Leaved, Golden Butterfly—Deep green leaves of ivy shape. Early blooming and quickly covered with golden orange flowers. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.
Tom Thumb Varieties, Mixed—One of the best mixtures. Oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c.



Dingee Cosmos.

General List Flower Seeds

- AGERATUM (Floss Flower)**—One of the best bedding plants, being literally a sheet of bloom from early summer till frost. Unlike many bedding plants, their flowers are not liable to be spoiled by rain, nor do the colors fade out. The various blue varieties are without doubt the most satisfactory bedding plants of this color for our trying climate.
Mexicanum—Lavender blue; height one and one-half feet.
Mexicanum albidum—White; plants grow two feet.
Imperial Dwarf Blue—Clear blue; eight inches.
Imperial Dwarf White—8 inches.
SWEET ALYSSUM, Little Gem—Very dwarf and spreading; grows only 3 to 4 inches high, soon becoming one mass of white. Beautiful spikes of fragrant flowers. Pkt., 5c; ½ oz., 25c; oz., 40c.
Old-Fashioned White—Oz., 25c.
CHOICEST BALSAM (Burpee's Defiance)—Camellia-like flowers. Pkt., 10c.
New White Defiance—Finest white. Pkt., 10c.
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CANDYTUFF (Dwarf Hybrids)—Large clusters of vari-colored flowers. Perfectly hardy. Pkt., 10c.
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Fine Mixed—All varieties. Pkt., 5c; oz., 50c.
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COCKSCOMB, Giant Empress—Mammoth bright purple combs, lustrous bronze foliage. Pkt., 10c.
Dwarf Varieties—All colors.
Glasgow Prize—Immense, showy, dark crimson combs. Pkt., 10c.
CELOSIA, Magnificent—Compact growth, 13 to 24 inches in height. Separate colors, orange, scarlet, and crimson. Pkt., 10c.
Dwarf Feathered—Mixed, brilliant shades. Pkt., 5c.
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- CYPRESS VINE, Scarlet and White Mixed**—Oz., 25c.
Scarlet, Ivy-leaved—Oz., 25c.
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Americana—A magnificent annual, growing 3 feet high. The grand large thistle-like flowers are uniquely formed, of a beautiful light lilac color and quite desirable for cutting. Pkt., 10c.
DAISY (Bellis), Fine German, Double Mixed—White to deep carmine.
DIANTHUS (Pinks) Firefly—Glowing scarlet. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c.
Dwarf Fireball—Showy double flowers. Pkt., 10c.
Dwarf Snowball—Pure white. Pkt., 10c.
Chinensis (Chinese Pinks)—Double mixed colors; magnificent.
Imperialis fl. pl. (Imperial Pinks)—Double; fine pink; bright colors.
Dianthus Mixed Seed for Bedding—Careful mixture of the above varieties. ½ oz., 40c; oz., 75c.
DAILIAS FROM SEED—Dahlia seeds germinate and grow very readily. Start the seeds indoors early.
Choice Mixed Pompon—Beautiful flowers.
Double Large Flowered—Choice mixed.
Superb Single Mixed—Pkt., 10c.
ESCHSCHOLTZIA (California Poppy), Mandaria—Brilliant scarlet.
Golden West—Bright orange-yellow flowers.
Fine Mixed Seeds—All colors. Oz., 30c.
FORGET-ME-NOTS (Mysotis)—These charming little favorites succeed best in damp, shady situations, but will thrive in almost any soil. The *Alpestris* varieties also bloom well as pot-plants during winter if kept in a cool room. Seed should be sown thinly in shallow drills early in spring in open ground, and when started thinned out or transplanted to stand six to eight inches apart. Planted in a single row around the flower bed they make a beautiful border.
Alpestris—Blue, dwarf, free flowering. Pkt., 5c.
Alpestris Alba—White. Pkt., 5c.
Eliza Fonrobert—Sky-blue; yellow eye. Pkt., 10c.
GOURDS, Spoons—Oz., 35c.
Mixed Varieties—All sorts. Oz., 35c.
GYPSOPHILA (Baby's Breath)—The flowers are small, star-like, and borne in feathery sprays which are highly esteemed for cut flowers, as they lend a most graceful effect when combined in bouquets with Sweet Peas. Successful plantings of seed should be made a few weeks apart to furnish continuous supply of flowers.
Elegans—White and rose mixed.
Covent Garden—Sprays of white flowers.
Carminea—Red.



Mignonette.

- HELIOTROPE (Lemoine's Giant Hybrid)**—Immense trusses of fragrant flowers, in color from white to dark purple and violet red. Pkt., 15c.
Choice Mixed—A mixture of many varieties. Pkt., 10c.
The Black Wing—Dark purple, nearly black. Pkt., 10c.
Lady in White—Spotless white. Pkt., 10c.
- HOLLYHOCKS (New Annual, Hardy Perennial)**—Flowers double and semi-double, of every shade. Pkt., 10c.
Double Allegheny—Finely fringed. Pkt., 10c.
Charter's Superb Double—Camellia-like flowers. Large and double, of the brightest colors. Pkt., 10c.
- LARKSPUR, Double Dwarf Rocket**—Finest mixed.
Tall Rocket—Dwarf mixed.
- LOBELIA, White Gem**—Pkt., 10c.
- MARIGOLDS (Lemon Ball)**—Ball-like flowers of lemon-yellow.
Orange Ball—Double flowers; deep orange. Pkt., 10c.
Eldorado—Yellow shades, imbricated double flowers.
- MIGNONETTE (Pure Machet)**—Flowers of exquisite fragrance. We offer absolutely pure seed. $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 25c.
Victoria Red—Fine spikes of bright red. A most useful and desirable variety. Pkt., 10c.
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Sweet Mignonette—The old-fashioned kind. Oz., 10c.
White Goliath—Massive heads.
Fine Mixed Seed for General Sowing— $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 25c.
Allan's Defiance—Spikes closely set with florets of largest size. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.
- PETUNIAS (New Double Petunia "Marvelous")**—Flowers measuring 5 inches across, frilled and ruffled; wide range of colors. Pkt., 20c.
Our New Fancy Flowering Strain—Distinct varieties, all colors, double and fringed. Pkt., 20c; 3 pkts., 50c.
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Large Blood Red—The darkest colors of Phlox.
Coccinea—Bright scarlet.
Large Yellow—Large flowers of straw yellow.
New Dwarf Phlox, Large Flowering Cecily—Plants 6 to 8 inches high. All colored petals with white eye. Pkt., 10c.
- BEST POPPIES (Paeony-Flowered Mixed)**—Double Ball-shaped flowers of gigantic size.
The Bride—Beautiful pure white.
American Flag—Large flowers snow-white scarlet bordered.
New Cardinal—Cardinal-scarlet flowers. Pkt., 10c.
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Improved Double Carnation Mixed—Exceedingly double with beautiful fringed petals. Oz., 20c.
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Zinnias.

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Splendens—The old original Scarlet Sage. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet high. Pkt., 10c; oz., 40c.
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- STOCKS (Ten Weeks)**—All varieties are desirable as pot plants as in the open garden. They are greatly prized for cutting on account of fragrance and colors.
Large Flowering Dwarf—Choice mixed.
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- VERBENAS, Scarlet Defiance**—Brilliant scarlet. Pkt., 10c.
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Blue Shades—Pkt., 10c.
Hybrida Mixed— $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 40c; oz., 75c.
- WALLFLOWERS, Fine German Mixed**—Pkt., 10c.
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Double Tall Finest Mixed—Pkt., 10c.
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Since the introduction of these lovely, autumn-flowering plants into Europe, some two hundred years ago, they have been developed to a wonderful extent. Those who have in mind the small, old garden varieties cannot imagine the exquisite beauty of the newer sorts. They produce enormous massive flowers of most beautiful colors and perfect shape. Their culture is the easiest. See "How to Grow Them" on circular enclosed, and if further information is desired it will be furnished upon application. Our collection contains the best and most beautiful of the newer varieties as well as the choicest of the standard sorts. We offer them at prices within the reach of all, as we would like to see them growing in every garden and in every home.

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Price, strong, healthy plants, 10c each; 3 for 25c; 6 for 50c; \$1.00 per doz., postpaid. Roman Gold—Dark yellow; fine incurved shape.

Dr. Enguehard—Beautiful true pink. Ball shape.

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Glory of the Pacific—Showy pink.

Ivory—The standard white.

Major Bonaffon—Golden-yellow. Ball-shaped. Petals beautifully overlapping.

Maud Dean—Incurved, bright pink, with fine stem and foliage. Petals tipped white.

Monrovia—Large; yellow; very early.

October Frost—Pure white; early.

Pink Ivory—Soft pearl-pink; magnificent.

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