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L. B. CHAPMAN NURSERYMAN

Portland, Maine,

OFFERS FOR SALE AT No. 21 CORTLANDT STREET,

Cor. Church St., New-York,



ADDRESS ALL
COMMUNICATIONS, AFTER
JUNE FIRST, TO
L. B. CHAPMAN,
Portland, Maine.



FRUIT, ORNAMENTAL & EVERGREEN TREES

ESPECIALLY SMALL EVERGREENS & DECIDUOUS NURSERY STOCK,
IN QUANTITIES TO SUIT PURCHASERS.

THANKS TO OLD CUSTOMERS.

To you who have patronized me so liberally, I desire to present herewith my sincere thanks, and state that, if you deem it for your interest to continue the business relations between us, I shall use my best endeavors to serve you faithfully.

A WORD TO NEW CORRESPONDENTS.

To you who are in want of the kinds of stock I have to offer, but are afraid to order because you are unacquainted with my mode of dealing, I invite your attention to the following

HISTORY IN BRIEF.

Fifty years ago, there were only two Nurseries in this country, and they conducted on a very small scale. About that time, my grandfather commenced the transplanting of Evergreens from his *own* pasture in Maine, to Massachusetts. He was succeeded in business by my father, who, for a period of over thirty years, sold, in the vicinity of Quincy Market, Boston, during the planting season, "PASTURE-GROWN TREES."

My first recollections of work are connected with collecting small Evergreens for shipment. Eleven consecutive Springs, I have been in this city, during which time I have disposed of over 5,000,000 plants from the pastures of Maine. One of my chief aims has been, to furnish stock *useful* to the purchaser, as well as *profitable* to the seller; and, from the constant increase of customers from every section of the country, I can truly say that my labors are appreciated. From my many years of practical experience in business, extensive travels and observations among the tree-planters, I unhesitatingly assert this fact: Stock procured through me succeeds better than that procured through other sources, for these reasons:

- 1st. I collect plants with *constitutions*, and of size and strength sufficient to overcome the necessary exposure in transplanting.
- 2d. I do not expose plants to sun and drying winds, while collecting or afterwards, sufficiently long to destroy their vitality.
- 3d. Plants from the State of Maine are hardier than any others, and can be shipped with safety till 10th of June, usually.

PRIVATE NURSERIES.

The holders of real estate are rapidly acquiring the habit of growing the Evergreens needed to embellish their grounds. It is an agreeable and profitable employment. Try it, and thereby lay the foundation to a monument that will rear itself to perpetuate your name for ages yet to come. You are hereby informed where and how to get the plants, and what they will cost, delivered in New-York, if procured of me.

TREES FROM OPEN PASTURE LANDS.

This stock is packed so as to prevent heating and delivered in N. Y., in 36 hours after shipment. These prices are for first class plants, delivered in New-York. I do not send by mail or otherwise "Arbor Vitæ at \$2.00 per 1000," knowing from experience it is not creditable for the seller or profitable for the buyer to do so.

	Per 1000.
Arbor Vitæ, American, 6 to 12 in.....	\$4
" " 9 " 15 "	6
" " 12 " 18 "	8
" " 18 " 30 "	20
" " 3 ft.....	30
Hemlock,.....	4 " 8 in..... 5
"	6 " 12 "
"	12 " 18 "
White Pine,.....	6 " 12 "
"	1 " 2 ft.....
Balsam Fir,.....	6 " 12 in.....
"	1 " 2 ft.....

	Per 1000.
White Spruce,.....	6 to 12 in .....\$20
Black Spruce,.....	6 " 12 "
"	1 " 2 ft.....
Trailing Juniper,...	6 " 12 in.....
Am. Larch,.....	1 " 2 ft.....
"	2 " 3 "
Sugar Maple,.....	6 " 12 in.....
"	1 " 2 ft.....
"	2 " 3 "
Am. Beach,.....	1 " 2 "
"	2 " 3 "

STOCK FROM NURSERY.

I have of the Arbor Vitæ 40,000, ranging in height from 6 inches to 6 feet. The larger have been transplanted several times, and all are very fine.

American.	Per 10.	Per 100.	Per 1000.
Arbor Vitæ, 6 to 10 in., trans., \$..	\$2.50	\$18	
" 12 " 15 " ..	4.00	30	
" 15 " 18 " ..	5.00	40	
" 1½ " 2 ft., "	8.00	60	
" 2 " 2½ " ..	10.00	80	
" 2½ " 3 " ..	16.00	140	
" 3 " 3½ " ..	30.00	..	
" 4 " 5 " ..	7 50.00	..	
" 5 " 6 " ..	8 60.00	..	
Siberian.			
Arbor Vitæ, 4 " 6 in., "	6.00	50	
" 6 " 9 " ..	8.00	75	
" 9 " 12 " ..	12.00	100	
" 12 " 16 " ..	15.00	140	
" 16 " 18 " ..	18.00	..	
" 1½ " 2 " ..	20.00	..	
" 2½ " ..	40.00	..	
" 4 ft., "	15	..	
Globe.			
Arbor Vitæ, 8 " 12 in., "	2 15.00	..	

Hovey's.	Per 10.	Per 100.	Per 1000.
Arbor Vitæ, 12 in., trans., \$..	\$25.00	\$..	
" 18 " ..	40.00	..	
Hoope's.			
Arbor Vitæ, 15 to 18 " ..	40.00	..	
Booth's,			
Arbor Vitæ, 6 " ..	8.00	..	
" 12 " 18 " ..	40.00	..	
Norway.			
Spruce, 2 year seedlings....	..	..	10
" 6 to 9 in., trans., ..	2.50	20	
" 9 " 12 " ..	3.00	25	
" 12 " 15 " ..	5.00	40	
" 15 " 18 " ..	7.00	60	
" 18 " 30 in.,	3 20.00	..	
" 4 ft.,	10	..	..
Hemlock, 4 " 8 in., trans., ..	2.00	25	
" 8 " 12 " ..	5.00	40	
" 12 " 18 " ..	10.00	75	
" 1½ " 2 ft., "	15.00	140	
" 2 " 3 " ..	3 25.00	..	
" 3 " 4 " ..	5 40.00	..	
" 4 " 5 " ..	9 75.00	..	

STOCK FROM NURSERY.—Continued.

		Per 10.	Per 100.	Per 1000.			Per 10.	Per 100.	Per 1000.	
Austrian.					Balsam.					
Pine,	6 to 9 in., trans.,	\$..	\$3.00	\$20	Fir,	6 to 12 in., trans.,	\$..	\$3.00	\$20	
"	9 " 12 "	..	4.00	35	"	12 " 18 "	..	5.00	40	
"	12 " 18 "	..	7.00	60	"	18 " 24 "	..	6.00	..	
"	4 ft.,	\$7.50	60.00	..	European Silver.					
Scotch.					Fir,	6 " 9 "	..	3.00	25	
Pine,	6 " 9 in.,	..	2.00	20	"	9 " 12 "	..	5.00	40	
"	9 " 12 "	..	4.00	30	Irish.					
"	12 " 15 "	..	6.00	50	Juniper, ---	6 "	..	6.00	50	
"	15 " 18 "	..	8.00	70	"	9 " 12 "	..	7.00	60	
"	2½ " 3 ft.,	..	25.00	..	"	12 " 15 "	..	8.00	70	
"	4 " "	7	50.00	..	"	18 " 24 "	..	10.00	80	
Weymouth.					"	3 " 4 ft.,	6	..	..
Pine,	6 " 9 in.,	..	3.00	20	"	4 " 5 "	8	..	..
"	9 " 12 "	..	4.00	35	"	5 " 6 "	10	..	..
"	3 " 4 ft.,	6	45.00	..	Swedish.					
Corsican.					Juniper, ---	6 in., trans.,	..	6.00	50	
Pine,	6 " 9 in.,	..	5.00	..	"	9 " 12 "	..	10.00	..	
Maritime.					"	3 ft.,	6	50.00	..	
Pine,	6 " 9 "	..	5.00	..	Cupressus Lawsoniana,					
"	10 " 16 "	..	10.00	..		6 to 9 in., trans.,	..	6.00	50	
Mountain.						2 " 2½ ft.,	"	..	30.00	..
Pine,	6 " 9 "	..	5.00	..						
"	10 " 14 "	..	10.00	..						

DECIDUOUS TREES.

		Per 100.	Per 1000.			Per 100.	Per 1000.
Larch, European, 1 year.....		\$..	\$ 6	Maple, Silver, 18 to 24 in.		\$3	\$20
" " 9 to 12 in., trans.	2		15	Beech, American, 2 years, trans. . .	4		..
" " 12 " 15 " "	3		25	" Purple, 2 to 2½ ft., ... per 10,	\$10.00		
Elm, American White, 1 year.....		..	10	" 3 " 3½ " ...	"	12.00	
" " 18 to 24 in., trans.	3		20	" 5 " 6 " ... each..	2.00		
" " 24 " 36 " "	5		35	" Weeping, 2 " 2½ " ...	"	1.50	
Maple, Silver, 1 year (fine)	1.50		8	Birch, Weeping, 6 " 8 " ...	"	1.50	

HEDGE PLANTS.

		Per 100.	Per 1000.
Honey Locust, 1 year.....	\$..		\$6
Osage Orange, 2 " .....	..		4
Privet, 2 "	3		20
Pyrus Japonica, 1 "	8		60

Special attention is invited to my stock of Arbor Vitæ, Small Hemlock, 12 to 15, and 18 to 30 inch Norway Spruce; also 18 to 24 inch Irish Juniper.

I have several hundred Grape Vines, grown expressly for customers who want a few for immediate fruiting. Fine, trained, transplanted, and are cheap at \$1.00 each.

SHRUBS.

I have a fine collection of **Shrubs**, comprising some twenty-five of the best varieties. Many have been transplanted, and are suitable for immediate flowering. Prices vary from \$10 to \$20, according to age and size.

ROSES.

	Per 12.	Per 100.		Per 12.	Per 100.
Hybrid Perpetual ,.....	\$4.00	\$20		Moss ,	\$4.50 \$25
Tea ,.....	4.00	20		Climbing ,	4.00 20

SMALL FRUITS.

	Per 12.	Per 100.	Per 1000.		Per 12.	Per 100.	Per 1000.
Currants.				Blackberries.			
Cherry ... 2 years (fine),	\$1.50	\$7	\$50	Lawton.....	\$1.00	\$3	\$20
Versailles " "	1.50	7	50	Wilson's Early.....	1.00	3	25
Red Dutch, " "	1.25	5	40	Kittatiny	1.00	3	25
Black.... " "	1.50	6	..	Raspberries.			
White Grape, " "	1.50	7	50	Clarke	1.00	3	25
Gooseberries.				Philadelphia.....	1.00	4	35
Houghton " "	1.50	7	45	Doolittle's Black Cap....	1.00	3	20
Cluster... " "	1.50	7	45				

FRUIT TREES.

I have 2,000 transplanted Standard Pears, with perfect formed heads. Choice varieties \$1.00 to \$2.00 each.

	Per 12.	Per 100.		Per 12.	Per 100.
Apple , 5 to 7 feet...	\$4.50	\$25		Plum , 2 years.....	\$5.00 \$35
Pear , Standard, 5 to 6 " ...	9.00	60		Quince ,	4.50 30
" Dwarf.....	4.50	25		Peach ,	3.00 12
Cherry , 2 years.....	4.50	25		" Van Buren's Dwarf....	5.00 25

MISCELLANEOUS.

	Per 12.	Per 100.	Per 1000.		Per 12.	Per 100.	Per 1000.
Honeysuckles , 4 varieties, \$3	\$10	\$..		Currant Cuttings ,.....	\$..	\$..	\$10
Conover's Asparagus ,... ..	2	15		Kilmarnock Willow ,....	12	..	..
Rhubarb ,.....	6	..					

This list comprises first class stock that I actually have for sale at prices stated, and will be forwarded direct from Nursery.

My business is such that I am personally familiar with the stock of every Nursery in our country, and in communication with the proprietors. Customers wishing stock from any particular place will be accommodated.