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PLANT TREES.

BEAUTIFY AND MAKE HOME PLEASANT.



RETAIL PRICE LIST

OF THE VARIETIES OF FRUIT TREES

OXFORD NURSERY,

Two and a half miles South-west of

OXFORD, INDIANA.

For the Fall of 1871 and Spring of 1872.

PEARS

W. M. SLEEPER & SON, Proprietors.

Standard 2 and 3 years 4 to 6 75 cts each, per dozen \$7.50
 Dwarf 2 and 3 years 4 to 6 50 cts each, per dozen \$5.00

SUMMER—Osbald's Summer, Bartlett's Summer, Bartlett's Seedling, Kirland, Gray's Favorite, Malheur.

FALL—Bartlett's, Beurre Clairgeau, Golden Beurre, Bell Lucastive, Flemish Beauty, Louise Bonne de Jersey, Seckel.

WINTER—Beurre d'Automne, Gout de Noire, Winter of Whitefield, Beurre d'Alger.

A LIBERAL DISCOUNT TO AGENTS AND PERSONS BUYING LARGELY.

NOTICE TO OUR PATRONS.

It is with pleasure that we present to our customers and the public generally, our Annual Price List, and in doing so return thanks for the liberal patronage received and hope for a continuance of the same, so long as you may deem us worthy. We expect to make the nursery trade our business through life, and shall strictly adhere to our contracts. And we will here say to persons buying of us or of our agents, that if the Trees, Plants or Vines are not as represented, we hope you will not accept them. Our stock of trees has been pronounced by competent nurserymen and others, the "best they ever saw."

Our Nursery grounds are situated on high rolling prairie, deeply trench plowed, and kept in thorough cultivation. Our Trees are pruned and trained in the best style, and cannot be excelled in size, form, or healthiness in this country.

SHIPPING.

Purchasers will confer a favor by naming the route by which they desire their goods sent, otherwise we forward to the best of our judgment; but in NO INSTANCE can we be held responsible for DAMAGE CAUSED BY CARELESSNESS OR DELAY ON THE PART OF FORWARDERS. All goods delivered free of Cartage to Railroads.

TERMS, Cash or its equivalent.

W. M. SLEEPER & SON, Oxford, Ind.

VARIETIES OF FRUIT TREES.

We have over one hundred varieties of the Apple alone. Persons acquainted with the different kinds, and trusting to our selections, can rely on getting the best selection for their soil and location. We give a brief list of a few of the leading kinds which we have in large quantity.

Apples 3 and 4 years, 5 to 7 ft.,.....	20 cts. each, per 100 \$20.00
" " " " 4 to 5 ft.,.....	16 cts. each, per 100 \$15.00
" " " " 3 to 4 ft.,.....	15 cts. each, per 100 \$12.50
Crab Apples 3 to 4 years, 5 to 7 ft.,.....	25 cts. each.

VARIETIES.

SUMMER.—American Summer Pearmain, Early Harvest, Early Strawberry, Early Joe, Carolina, Red June, Golden Sweeting, Summer Queen, Red Astrachan, Benton, Sweet Bough, Jeffries, Summer Paradise.

FALL.—Porter, Wine Apple, Hawley, Rambo, Maiden Blush, Mellon, Ashmore, Fameuse, Fall Pippin, Ohio Nonpareil, Daniel.

WINTER.—Wine Sap, Bell Flower, Ben Davis, Dominie, Jonathan, Wagoner, Abram, Romanite, Bailey Sweet, President Ewing, Peck's Pleasant, Northern Spy, Jersey Black, Baldwin, Sweet Winter Pearmain, King of Tompkins County, Spitzenburg, Milton, Roman Stem, Limber Twigs, Swaar, Grind Stone, Tallman Sweet, Vandevere Pippin, R. Janet, Canada Red, Indiana Favorite, Pennock, Willow, White Pippin, Western Beauty, Rhode Island Greening, Winter Rambo, English Golden Russet, Wintersweet Paradise, Tulpehockin, Grimes' Golden.

CRAB APPLE.—Large Yellow Siberian Crab, Large Red Siberian Crab, Transcendent Crab.

PEARS.

Standard, 2 and 3 years, 4 to 6 ft.,.....	75 cts. each, per dozen \$8.00
Dwarf 2 and 3 years, 4 to 5 ft.,.....	60 cts. each, per dozen \$6.00

LIST OF VARIETIES.

SUMMER.—Osband's Summer, Bartlett, Doyenne d'Ete, Dearborn's Seedling, Kirtland, Clapp's Favorite, Madeline.

FALL.—Buffum, Beurre Clairgeau, Golden Beurre, Bell Lucrative, Flemish Beauty, Louise Bonne De Jersey, Seckel.

WINTER.—Beurre Esater, Glout Morceau, Vicar of Winkfield, Beurre Diel.

PEACHES.

Standard, 1 year, 3 to 5 feet, 25 cts. each, \$3.00 per doz., \$12.50 per 100.
 Golden Dwarf, 1 year, 3 to 5 feet, 50 cents each.

VARIETIES.—Hale's Early, Early Rarripe, Ward's Nectar, Heath's Cling, Crawford's Late, Stump the World, Early York, Old Mixon Free.

PLUMS.

Standard, 2 and 3 years, 4 to 6 feet, 50 cts. each, \$5.00 per doz.

VARIETIES.—Washington, Green Gage, Damson, Lombard, Yellow Gage.

CHERRY TREES.

We aim to propagate none but what are hardy and can be grown by all.

Standard trees, 5 to 6 feet, 50 cts each, \$5.00 per doz
 Dwarf, 2 and 3 years, 3 to 5 feet, 40 cts. each, \$4.00 per doz.

VARIETIES.—Early May, Governor Wood, Late Duke, May Duke, English Morrello.

QUINCES.

Orange, 2 to 3 years, 50 cts. each, \$5.00 per doz.
 Angers, 40 cts. each, \$4.00 per doz.

GRAPES.

Bearing Vines, 2 and 3 years old, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz., \$15 per 100.

The following is a list of the hardy and well-known kinds that will stand the most severe winter, and are reliable, viz: Concord, Hartford Prolific, Ives' Seedling, Clinton, Catawba, Delaware, Diana.

GOOSEBERRIES.

American Seedling, 10 cents each, \$1.00 per doz
 Houghton's, 10 cents each, \$1.00 per doz.

RASPBERRIES.

Doolittle's Black Cap, 10 cents each, \$1.00 per doz.
 Purple Cane, 10 " " "
 Ohio Ever Bearing, 10 " " "

STRAWBERRIES.

Wilson's Albany, 50 cts per doz., \$2.00 per 100.
 Agriculturist, 50 " " "
 Jucunda, 50 " " "

BLACKBERRIES.

Lawton, \$1 per doz., \$6 per 100.
 Kittanning, \$1 " " \$6 " "

ESCULENT ROOTS.

ASPARGUS—Giant, 1 year old, \$2 per 100
 RHUBARB—Linnaeus, 25 c. ach.

ORNAMENTAL SHRUBS AND TREES.

American Sweet Chestnut, 25 cents each.
 Althea, 1 to 2 feet, 50 " "
 Almonds—double, 25 " "
 Calycanthus, 50 " "
 Kentucky Coffee Tree, nice for the lawn, 25 " "
 Lilac, 25 " "
 Persimon, large, early 20 " "
 Syringas, large, 50 " "
 Spiraeas, in varieties, 25 " "
 Snow Ball, large, 50 " "
 Weigela Rosa, 50 " "
 Japonica, 50 " "
 Larch, Mountain Ash, &c., &c.

CLIMBING SHRUBS.

Virginia Creeper, 50 cent. each.
 Honeysuckle, 8 to 10 varieties, 25 " "
 Wistaria, American, 50 " "
 Wistaria, Chinese, 50 " "

ROSES—Climbing.

Baltimore Belle.....	.50 cents each.
Queen of Prairie.....	50 "

OSAGE ORANGE PLANTS.

Our stock of Osage is not excelled. Our long experience in the business enables us to always have the largest and very best grown, which we sell as low as such plants can be sold. We have growing over two millions of plants, clean, and in splendid condition.

Osage plants, for fall delivery,.....\$2.50 per 1000 ; 10,000 \$25; 50,000 \$100.

EVERGREENS.

We have a stock of some 30,000 Evergreens of most all the hardy kinds. The following is a list of those we have in large quantities. A liberal discount on orders by the hundred or thousand.

Pine.....	25 cents per foot.
Austrian.....	25 "
Scotch.....	25 "
White.....	25 "
Spruce.....	25 "
Norway.....	25 "
Hemlock.....	25 "
Fir Balsam.....	25 "
American Arbor Vita, from 12 to 20 inches, for hedging.....	per 100 \$10
Red Cedar.....	45 cents per foot.

BULBOUS FLOWERING ROOTS.

Crocus, many varieties.....	.50 cents to \$1 per doz.
Crown Imperial, various kinds.....	30 cents each, \$4 per doz.
Tritoma Uvaria.....	50 "
Bicentra, beautiful, hardy.....	50 "
Tulips.....	\$2 per doz.
Paeonies, in varieties.....	.50 cents to \$2 each.
Lily of the Valley, fragrant, lovely.....	25 cents each.

DAHLIAS.

In variety..... 30 cents each, \$3 per doz.
 Fuchsias, Geraniums, and many other half hardy flowering plants, Monthly Roses, &c., &c.

Number of Trees on an Acre at Various Distances.

At 4 feet apart each way.....	2,729
5 " " " ".....	1,742
6 " " " ".....	1,200
8 " " " ".....	680
10 " " " ".....	430
12 " " " ".....	325
15 " " " ".....	200
18 " " " ".....	135
20 " " " ".....	110
25 " " " ".....	70
30 " " " ".....	50

