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# Specimen Trees



### Rare and Beautiful



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#### SPECIMEN ORNAMENTAL TREES NOT LISTED IN OUR GENERAL CATALOGUE

#### Camellias

No. 1—HENRI FAVRE: 15' high with 8' spread. A rather rare variety. A most profuse bloomer. The tree is literally covered with small-sized flowers, sometimes pink, sometimes red intermixed with white, and sometimes solid rose. Fine for table decorations and corsages. December to March.

No. 2—RUBRA VIRGINALIS: 13' high with 8½' spread. A beautiful specimen. Beautiful salmon-pink, peony-type, double flowers. Free bloomer, extremely hardy and showy. One of the most satisfactory Camellias for Houston, as well as sections farther North. Both tree and buds stand cold well, and this plant will never miss a crop of blooms.

No. 3—DOUBLE RED: 12' high with 10' spread. Late bloomer. Deep red. Very hardy.

No. 4—RUBRA VIRGINALIS: 15' high with 9' spread. A perfect specimen. See No. 2 for description.

No. 5—SEMI-DOUBLE PINK: 13' high with 9' spread. Late, profuse bloomer. A fine specimen. Very hardy.

No. 6—RUBRA VIRGINALIS: 14' high with 12' spread. One of our beautiful specimen trees. See No. 2 for description.

No. 7—ALBA PLENA: 10' high with 9½' spread. This variety is rated the best of all white sorts, with perfectly symmetrical, snow-white chiffon-like flowers of 4" or more in diameter. The blooms are sold as high as \$1.00 each. A good grower and free bloomer of bushy, spreading habit. The blooms should be protected against frost or severe cold. November to March.

No. 8—TRI-COLOR SIEBOLDI: ("Wakano ura" variety) 10½' high with 8' spread. Medium-sized, semi-double flowers of three or four distinct colors on same tree. Red, white, red and white variegated, with well-defined, yellow stamens projecting. Large, dark green leaves and buds hardy against frost or cold. A fast grower. Very suitable for landscape planting. Middle season.

No. 9—(DOUBLE PURPLISH RED): 13' high with 7' spread. Flowers are  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " in diameter. Very double, purplish red with indistinct stripes. Petals very thick. Mid-season.

No. 10—TRI-COLOR SIEBOLDI: 12' high with 13' spread. Same as No. 8. The largest of this variety that we have.

No. 11—(SEMI-DOUBLE ROSE): 10' high with 13' spread. Sometimes white stripe in center with stamens in middle projecting.

No. 12—RUBRA VIRGINALIS: 12' high with 13' spread. A beautiful specimen. See No. 2 for description.

No. 13—(DOUBLE RED): 12' high with 5' spread. Diameter of flowers about 3½". Petals carmine outside and rose inside. Fine specimen.

No. 14—RUBRA VIRGINALIS: 10' high with 8' spread. See No. 2 for description.

No.15—(RED AND WHITE VARIEGATED): 10' high with 9' spread. Very bushy specimen tree. Late bloomer.

- No. 16—SEMI-DOUBLE PINK: 10' high with 8' spread. Late bloomer. A perfect specimen.
- No. 17—RUBRA VIRGINALIS: 11' high with 8' spread. See No. 2 for description
- No. 18—BROOKLYANA: 8½' high with 9' spread. Very double, medium size of deep pink mottled with white. Blooms early in season. Very vigorous grower. Leaves are large and thick.
- No. 19—ALTHEA FLORA: (Opelousas Peony) Flowers are mostly typical peony form, but now and then perfect, double imbricated forms show up. From one tree, four to five separate colored flowers appear: pink, very light pink, white, light pink with red veins. Early bloomer and a rare variety.
- No. 20—SEMI-DOUBLE WHITE: 9' high with 6' spread. Leaves dark green; flowers pure white with yellow stamens. Very hardy and a sure bloomer. Early season.
- No. 21—DOUBLE RED: 9' high with 7' spread. Dark green leaves with double, red flowers, sometimes white stripes showing in center. Beautiful and rare variety.
- No. 22—RUBRA VIRGINALIS: 12' high with 9' spread. Well-shaped. See No. 2 for description.
- No. 23—PINK PERFECTION: 10½' high with 7½' spread. Perfect shape, largest in our collection. No scales. Very healthy specimen. This variety needs no description as it is so popular wherever Camellias are grown. Perfect, symmetrical, double flowers of shell-pink, which well deserve the name, "Pink Perfection." Tree grows upright and pyramidal in form. Easy of culture. Blooms should be protected against frost or severe cold.
- No. 24—SARAH FROST:  $6\frac{1}{2}$  high with  $3\frac{1}{2}$  spread. Bushy, rounded form. This variety grows naturally compact and it is very hardy. A profuse bloomer, and is widely planted in the Gulf Coast region. Flowers are very double and crimson. Middle season. Easily grown.
- No. 25 TRI-COLOR SIEBOLDI: 6' high with 6' spread. In a very healthy condition. See No. 8 for description.
- No. 26—CHANDLERI ELEGANS: 7' high with 7' spread. (Pride of the Emperor's Garden) Semi-double, deep pink and white; loose peony form center. On old plants of this variety, solid deep pink blossoms will sometimes appear. Colors and formation of flowers vary to a great degree.
- No. 27—PROFESSOR CHARLES S. SARGENT: 7' high with 3' spread. Beautiful specimen, well grown. Peony form, crimson. Early bloomer. A very popular variety.
- No. 28—PROFESSOR CHARLES S. SARGENT: 8' high with 3' spread. See No. 27 for description.
- No. 29—CHANDLERI ELEGANS: 11½' high with 8' spread. Very bushy and the largest specimen we have. See No. 26 for description.
- No. 30—RUBRA VIRGINALIS: 14' high with 9' spread. This is a good match to our No. 6. See No. 2 for description.
- No. 31—PROFESSOR CHARLES S. SARGENT: 7' high with 3½' spread. See No. 27 for description.
- No. 32—PROFESSOR CHARLES S. SARGENT: 8' high with  $3\frac{1}{2}$ ' spread. See No. 27.
- No. 33—PROFESSOR CHARLES S. SARGENT: 5' high with 3' spread. See No. 27.

No. 34—PROFESSOR CHARLES S. SARGENT: 5' high with 3' spread. See No. 27.

No. 35—PROFESSOR CHARLES S. SARGENT: 41/2' high with 3' spread. See No. 27.

No. 36—PROFESSOR CHARLES S. SARGENT: 6' high with 3' spread. See No. 27.

No. 37—PROFESSOR CHARLES S. SARGENT: 6' high with 3' spread. See No. 27.

No. 38—SEMI-DOUBLE WHITE: Large flowers with pink specks, only few. Midseason.

No. 40—PROFESSOR CHARLES S. SARGENT: 6' high with 3' spread. See No. 27.

No. 42—SARAH FROST: 6' high with  $4\frac{1}{2}'$  spread. See No. 24.

No. 43—SARAH FROST: 6' high with 41/2' spread. See No. 24.

No. 44—SARAH FROST: 6' high with  $4\frac{1}{2}$ ' spread. See No. 24.

No. 45—DAIKAGURA: 3' high with 2' spread. Bright rose red splotched with white. A large, full double Camellia, large as Chandleri but more brilliant. Has strikingly beautiful foliage.

No. 46—DAIKAGURA:  $2\frac{1}{2}$  high with  $2\frac{1}{2}$  spread. See No. 45.

No. 47—DAIKAGURA: 3' high with  $1\frac{1}{2}$ ' spread. See No. 45.

No. 48-DAIKAGURA: 31/2' high with 2' spread. See No. 45.

No. 51—VALVAREDA: Many Camellia growers contend that this is the finest of all Camellias. Cup-shaped flowers, perfectly symmetrical, with pale pink center petals shading to a deeper rose on the outer petals. A strong grower, well-branched, and with the finest foliage. January to March.

No. 52-VALVAREDA: 3' high with 2' spread.

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No. 54—S. A. VARIEGATA: 3' high with 2' spread. Semi-double pink and white. Stamens projecting. Late season.

No. 55—TANNER WILLIAM'S RED: 6' high with 2½' spread. Named after the place where the original plant was found. Semi-double, orange-red flowers, with prominent stamens. Very compact grower and a profuse bloomer.

No. 56—TRI-COLOR SIEBOLDI: 6' high with 3' spread. See No. 8.

No. 57 — ALBA PLENA: 4' high with 3' spread. Healthy, young specimen. See No. 7 for description.

No. 58—PURPLE EMPEROR: (Purple Dawn; Mathotiana rubra) 3' high with 2' spread. One of the largest flowers of rose form; deep pink in color, but as flower gets older, outer edge turns purple. A new introduction and still very rare.

No. 59—ALBA PLENA: 4½' high with 3' spread. See No. 7 for description. This is a good, bushy specimen.

No. 60—CHANDLERI ELEGANS: The tree is in prime condition. 6½' high with 3' spread. See No. 26 for description.

No. 61—ALBA PLENA: 4' high with 3' spread. See No. 27 for description.

No. 62—PURPLE EMPEROR: 3' high with 3' spread. See No. 58 for description.

No. 63-PURPLE EMPEROR: 4' high with 3' spread. A fine specimen and the largest that we have. See No. 58 for description.

No. 64—ALBA PLENA: 4½' high with 3' spread. See No. 7 for description.

No. 65-PURPLE EMPEROR: (Purple Dawn) 3' high with 2' spread. See No. 58.

No. 66-ALBA PLENA: 31/2' high with 2' spread. See No. 7.

No. 67-PURPLE EMPEROR: 3' high with 11/2' spread. See No. 58 for description.

No. 68-CHANDLERI ELEGANS: 7' high with 21/2' spread. See No. 26 for description.

No. 69—IMBRICATA (Sophia): 2½' high by 2½' wide. Habit of growth and flowers resemble those of Chandleri. Crimson and white, large flowers; petals and stamens intermixed. Low, compact grower.

No. 70—Same as No. 69.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  high with  $2\frac{1}{2}$  spread.

No. 71-TRICOLOR SEIBOLDI: 6' high with spread. See No. 8.

No. 72—Same as above. 6' high with 3' spread.

No. 73—SEMI-DOUBLE RED: 4' high with 4' spread. Clear red or deep pink flowers in form like that of "Semi-Double Blush." Dark green leaves.

No. 74-PINK PERFECTION: 5' high with 4' spread.

In a very healthy condition and well-formed.

No. 75—ALBA PLENA: Very bushy spe Very bushy specimen. 41/2' high with 3' spread.

No. 76-TRI-COLOR SIEBOLDI: 6' high with 4' spread. See No. 8.

No. 77 - SEMI-DOUBLE WHITE: 4' high with 4' spread.

No. 78-SEMI-DOUBLE RED: 6' high with 5' spread. No. 79—PEONY RED: 11' high with 8' spread. Very bright red in Peony form. Beautiful shade of red.

No. 80-PINK PERFECTION: 8' high with 4' spread. See No. 23.

No. 81-SEMI-DOUBLE RED: 6' high with 4' spread. White stripe on flower. Late season.

No. 82—SEMI-DOUBLE WHITE: 7' high with 4' spread.

No. 83—ALBA PLENA: 8' high with 6' spread. See No. 7.

No. 84 - RUBRA VIRGINALIS: 71/2' high with 4' spread. See No. 2.

No. 85—RUBRA VIRGINALIS: 9' high with 7' spread. See No. 2.

No. 86-RUBRA VIRGINALIS AND NOBILISSIMA: 7' high with 7' spread. Grown together. Rather unusual. Nobilissima is early bloomer with white petals and intermixed stamens. For description of Rubra virginalis, see No. 2.

No. 87 — CHANDLERI ELEGANS: 9' high with 6' spread. See No. 26.

No. 88-RUBRA VIRGINALIS: 7' high with 7' spread.

See No. 2 for description. Very shapely specimen tree.
No. 89—DOUBLE RED: 7' high with 6' spread. Late.
Large, dark green leaves. Tree, round dwarf form. Very rare specimen.

No. 90-DOUBLE RED: 7' high with 6' spread. Variegation on petals.

No. 91 - DOUBLE VARIEGATED: 8' high with 8' spread. Wine pink with white specks.

No. 93—DOUBLE VARIEGATED RED: 9' high with 7' spread. Flowers regularly imbricated.

No. 94-ALBA PLENA: 6' high with 8' spread.

No. 95—PINK PERFECTION: 6' high with 5' spread. Perfect match to No. 96.

No. 96—PINK PERFECTION: 6' high with 5' spread. See No. 23 for description.

No. 97—PINK PERFECTION: 8' high with 4' spread. A beautiful specimen.

No. 98 — TRI-COLOR SIEBOLDI: 9' high with 8' spread. See No. 8 for description. In a very good condition.

No. 99—PINK PERFECTION: 7' high with 5' spread. See No. 23 for description.

No. 100—SEMI-DOUBLE WHITE: 8' high with 6' spread.

No. 101—SEMI-DOUBLE VARIEGATED: 8' high

with 4' spread. Flower is about 3½" in diameter.

No. 102—SEMI-DOUBLE WHITE PEONY: 4½' high

with 3' spread. Large white petals with stamens showing. Flowers measure from 3½" to 4" in diameter.

No. 103—PINK PERFECTION: 7' high with 4' spread. See No. 23 for description. A fine specimen of this variety. Branched from ground up.

No. 105—ADRIAN LEBRUN: 4' high with  $2\frac{1}{2}$ ' spread. Very double, symmetrical, deep rose-pink flowers which have much greater depth in proportion to diameter than most flowers. Very vigorous grower with glossy foliage.

No. 106—COLONEL FIERY: 4½' high with 3' spread. New and rare. Dark red flowers of Hadley rose form. Flowers are very symmetrical and about 4-5" in diameter. One of the most admired. A true aristocrat in Camellias. January to April.

No. 107-VALVAREDA: 3½' high with 2' spread. See No. 51 for description.

No. 108—ADRIAN LEBRUN: 5' high with 3' spread. See No. 105 for description.

No. 109—Same as above. 5' high with 3' spread.

No. 110—OTOME RED: 3' high with 2' spread. New. Deep cherry-red flowers of medium size. Broad double petals, with yellow stamens showing at center. A very bushy grower with dark green foliage. January to March.

No. 111—ENRICO BETTONI: 5' high with 3' spread. Very fast grower. Flower is clear, light pink, with form varying from semi-double to peony form on same bush. Flowers are always very large and very much admired.

No. 112—FIELDER'S PINK: Very double. 4' high with 3' spread. Flowers are of the Pink Perfection type and about the same size, but are of a much deeper pink. Very compact grower.

No. 113—ENRICO BETTONI: 5½' high with 3' spread. See No. 111 for description.

No. 114—VARIEGATED:  $3\frac{1}{2}$  high with  $2\frac{1}{2}$  spread. No. 115—VARIEGATED: 4' high with  $2\frac{1}{2}$  spread.

No. 116—ENRICO BETTONI: 5' high with 2½' spread. See No. 111 for description.

No. 117 — ENRICO BETTONI: 5½ high with 2½ spread. See No. 111.

No. 118—ENRICO BETTONI: 5' high with  $2\frac{1}{2}$ ' spread. See No. 111.

PURITY-in boxes.

PINK PERFECTION—in boxes—from 5' to 8'.

#### Oriental Magnolias

No. 1—MAGNOLIA SOULANGEANA ALBA

**SUPERBA:** 10' high with 3' spread. This variety has large, pale wine flowers. The tree is of a more upright grower with round leaves. Blossoms are very fragrant and come out before the leaves do. One of the most beautiful of all flowering trees.

No. 2-Same as above, with 10' height and 3' spread.

No. 3—Same as above, with 8' height and 2' spread. No. 4-Same as above, with 13' height and 3' spread.

No. 5—Same as above, with 12' height and 3'

No. 6—Same as above, with 14' height and 5' spread.

No. 7-MAGNOLIA SOULANGEANA: 14' high with 5' spread. Same as above, but its nine-petaled flowers are more pinkish on outside. Tree grows more bushy and broader than the above.

No. 8—Same as above, with 13' height and 5' spread.

No. 9-Same as above, with 13' height and 6' spread.

No. 10—Same as above, with 11' height and 5' spread. No. 11—Same as above, with 13' height and 5' spread.

No. 12—Same as above, with 10' height and 4' spread.

No. 13—MAGNOLIA FUSCATA (Michelia fuscata or Banana Shrub): Noted for its flowers with banana-like fragrance. Flowers are small and creamy-white.

No. 14-Same as above.

#### Specimen Azaleas

No. 1—PRIDE OF MOBILE: 3' high with 5' spread. Fast grower with large leaves. Similar to the Formosa but of a lighter color. Known formerly as Watermelon Pink. Mid-season. Profuse bloomer and very hardy. A wonderful landscape shrub. Mobile, Alabama, is noted for these Agalass. for these Azaleas.

No. 2—Same as above, with 4' height and 5'

No. 3—Same as above, with 3' height and 5' spread. No. 4—Same as above, with 3' height and 71/2' spread.

No. 5—Same as above, with 3' height and 51/2' spread.

No. 6—Same as above, with 4' height and 7'

No. 7—Same as above, with 4½' height and 6½' spread.

No. 8—Same as above, with 3½' height and 7½' spread.

No. 9—Same as above, with 5½' height and 6½' spread.

No. 10—Same as above, with 4½' height and 8' spread. No. 11—Same as above, with 3' height and 51/2' spread.

No. 12—LAFAYETTE PINK: 5' high with 8' spread. This variety is planted mostly in Lafayette, Louisiana, hence the name. It appears as if it might be a cross between the "Pride of Mobile" and the "Formosa." In form it favors the Formosa but the flowers are more like the Pride of Mobile, being more pink than the Formosa. It is very hardy, grows compact and symmetrical, and is a very profuse bloomer.

No. 13—Same as above. 4½' high with 8' spread.

No. 14-PRIDE OF MOBILE: 31/2' high with 61/2' spread. See No. 1.

No. 15-LAFAYETTE PINK: 6' high with 12' spread. No. 16-PURPLE, VITATA FORTUNEI: 6' high with 5' spread.

No. 17-FORMOSA: 4' high with 6' spread.

No. 18-PRIDE OF MOBILE: 2' high with 6' spread.

No. 19-LAFAYETTE PINK: 6' high with 8' spread.

No. 20-LAFAYETTE PINK: 31/2' high with 71/2' spread.

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No. 21—LAFAYETTE PINK: 5' high with 8' spread.
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No. 22—LAFAYETTE PINK: 6' high with 9' spread. No. 23—LAFAYETTE PINK: 3' high with 6' spread.

No. 23—LAFAYETTE PINK: 3' high with 6' spread. No. 24—FORMOSA: 5' high with 8½' spread.

No. 25-LAFAYETTE PINK: 61/2' high with 8' spread.

No. 26—FORMOSA: 4' high with 6½' spread. No. 27—FORMOSA: 3½' high with 6' spread.

No. 28—LAFAYETTE PINK: 4' high with 6' spread.

No. 29—LAFAYETTE PINK: 5' high with 7' spread. No. 30—LAFAYETTE PINK: 5' high with 8' spread.

No. 31—PINK ELEGANCE: 6' high with 7' spread. Fast and upright grower with pretty pink flowers early in the season. Leaves are small but bright and the plant

makes fine material for landscaping.

No. 32—LAFAYETTE PINK:  $3\frac{1}{2}$  high with 6' spread. No. 33—PRIDE OF MOBILE:  $2\frac{1}{2}$  high with 5' spread.

No. 34—PINK ELEGANCE: 6' high with 6' spread

No. 35—PINK ELEGANCE: 6' high with 6' spread. No. 36—PINK ELEGANCE: 5' high with 6' spread.

No. 37—PINK ELEGANCE: 4½' high with 6' spread.

No. 38—PINK ELEGANCE: 4½' high with 6' spread.

No. 39—PINK ELEGANCE: 4½' high with 5' spread. No. 40—PINK ELEGANCE: 4' high with 5' spread.

No. 40—PINK ELEGANCE: 4' high with 5' spread.
No. 41—PINK ELEGANCE: 4' high with 5½' spread.

No. 42—PINK ELEGANCE: 6' high with 6½' spread.

No. 43—PINK ELEGANCE: 5½ high with 4' spread.

No. 44—PRIDE OF MOBILE: 2½' high with 5½' spread.

No. 45—LAFAYETTE: 3' high with 6' spread.

No. 46—LAFAYETTE: 6' high with 71/2' spread.

No. 47—PRIDE OF MOBILE: 3' high with  $5\frac{1}{2}$ ' spread. No. 48—LAFAYETTE: 3' high with 6' spread.

No. 49—LAFAYETTE: 3½' high with 6½' spread.

No. 50-PRIDE OF MOBILE: 2' high with 51/2' spread.

No. 51—LAFAYETTE: 3' high with 6' spread.

No. 52—LAFAYETTE: 5' high with 6' spread.

No. 53—PRIDE OF MOBILE: 2' high with 6' spread.

No. 54—LAFAYETTE: 4' high with 6' spread. No. 55—LAFAYETTE: 4½' high with 6' spread.

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No. 56—PRIDE OF MOBILE: 3½' high with 5½' spread.

No. 57—LAFAYETTE: 3' high with 5' spread.

No. 58-LAFAYETTE: 3½ high with 4' spread.

No. 59—PINK ELEGANCE: 3' high with  $4\frac{1}{2}$ ' spread. No. 60—LAFAYETTE: 3' high with  $4\frac{1}{2}$ ' spread.

No. 61—LAFAYETTE: 3½' high with 5' spread.

No. 62—PRIDE OF MOBILE: 3' high with 41/2' spread.

No. 63—LAFAYETTE: 3' high with  $4\frac{1}{2}$ ' spread. No. 64—LAFAYETTE: 4' high with  $4\frac{1}{2}$ ' spread.

No. 65—PRIDE OF MOBILE: 2½' high with 5½' spread.

No. 66—LAFAYETTE: 3½' high with 5½' spread. No. 67—LAFAYETTE: 4' high with 6' spread.

We also have in specimen sizes many rare ornamental trees and shrubs, such as Yaupons, oriental Magnolias of different varieties, Redbud trees, broad-leaf evergreens of new introduction, Palms, Cycas, ferns, etc., displayed in our yards at Lawndale Avenue, Houston, Texas.

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