Historic, archived document

Do not assume content reflects current scientific knowledge, policies, or practices.

MAHLON MOON.

SAMUEL C. MOON.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE

OF

PLANTS,

FOR SALE BY

MAHLON MOON & SON,

MORRISVILLE,

BUCKS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA.

Nursery and Green Houses near Morrisville, Pa., on the Fallsington Road, one and a half miles from Trenton, N. J.

TRENTON, N. J.:
MURPHY & BECKETT, PRINTERS.

1874.

LIBRARY
RECEIVED

U. S. Department of Agriculture

NOTICE!

Having disposed of the nursery business to my son William H. Moon, I am now, in connection with my son Samuel C. Moon, engaged in growing for sale, Roses, Greenhouse, Hothouse, and Bedding plants, New and Rare Evergreens, Hardy Deciduous Trees and Shrubs, that are difficult to propagate, and always scarce; with such "Novelties" as appear in the various departments of the nursery and florist business, and are thought worth introducing to public notice.

MAHLON MOON.

Morrisville, 4th month, 15th, 1874.

NEW AMERICAN ROSE.

SURPASS JACQUEMINOT.

A seedling raised from the old and well known Hybrid Perpetual Rose General Jacqueminot.

The originator of this new candidate for public favor, has thoroughly tested it for years; and believes it to be equal, in every respect, to its parent, which has long been one of the most popular, very brilliant hardy roses. This is thought to be equally brilliant, and sometimes a shade darker, with a rather fuller flower. But the great merit claimed for it is, that it blooms more freely. Plants potted and started for blooming in the Greenhouse show a very decided improvement in this respect. In the cases specially noted, there were nearly *one-fourth more* buds on the *new* than on the *old variety*. Believing it a valuable acquisition, it is submitted to the arbitrament of public opinion. Price, \$3 each. Sent by mail, (post paid), and safe arrival guaranteed, on receipt of price.

NEW JAPAN IRIS.—Iris Japonica.

The New Japan Flag, is a plant of great beauty in mid summer, at a time when there is little other bloom to ornament the flower garden. In its varieties there are many colors mingled in a great variety of combinations, all showy and calculated to attract attention. Even the most careless observer can scarcely pass a bed of them in bloom without exclaiming in astonishment, "What is that?" They have been recently introduced, are perfectly hardy, and but little known in this country.

One plant each, of six distinct varieties, \$3; sent by mail, (post paid), \$3.50.

CATALOGUE.

Abutilon Thompsonii.

A plant of erect, graceful habit, with maple-like leaves, richly mottled with bright golden yellow, retaining their beauty under the hottest sun. Flowers orange, veined with crimson; 15 to 30 cents each.

ALBA.—A plant of vigorous habit. Flowers creamy white. Profuse bloomer; 15 to 30 cents each.

VEXILLARIUM.—Of trailing habit, free bloomer; flowers with red calyx. Yellow corolla; 15 to 30 cents each.

VEXILLARIUM AUREA VARIEGATUM.—Similar to the above, but with bright golden mottled foliage, rendering it one of the most desirable variegated plants for rockeries, hanging baskets, vases, &c; 15 to 30 cents each.

SANTANA.—Dark flowering variety; erect habit; 25 cents each.

Achimines.

These are very pretty little bulbous plants, suitable for pot culture in the green house or sitting room. They are of different colors and various shades. Plant in peaty loam, at different times during the winter and spring months, in order to secure a succession of bloom. Water with liquid manure; 20 cents each; \$2 per dozen.

Achyranthus Acuminata.

Foliage dark red, with reddish crimson mid-rib and veins. It is of neat compact habit, and contrasts beautifully when planted with silver-leaved plants; 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

AUREUS RETICULATUS.—Leaves light green, with bright yellow net work and crimson stems. Very showy; 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

BORBONICA.—Very dark velvety crimson; 15 cents each.

GILSONII VARIEGATA.—Leaves bright crimson, with stems of a pink shade. Dwarf habit and dense growth; 20 cents each; \$2 per dozen.

LINDENII.—The best dark colored Achyranthus for ribbon borders; of robust and hardy constitution, and erect bushy habit. Leaves lanceolate, scarlet crimson; 15 cents each.

VERSCHAFFELTII.—Reticulated foliage of brilliant dark crimson, shaded with maroon; 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

MRS. J. J. HARVEY.—New and very fine; 30 cents each.

Achania Malvaviscus.

A free summer and winter flowering shrub, bearing a constant succession of beautiful bell-shaped scarlet flowers. A desirable plant for bedding; 20 to 40 cents each.

Acorus Gramineus Variegata.

A pretty grass-like plant, having narrow leaves, striped with bright yellow; adapted to baskets, vases and rockeries; 20 cents each.

Agapanthus Umbellatus—Blue African Lilly.

The leaves of this beautiful plant, two inches in breadth and two feet in length, droop gracefully over the edge of its vase, making it an ornament at all seasons; but its great beauty is in early summer, when it sends up several flower stalks, surmounted by umbels of blue flowers, three inches in length. These continue in perfection a considerable length of time. It must be kept in the house or cellar in winter; 50 cents each; \$5 per dozen.

PURPUREA (VALLOTA).—An autumn flowering bulb; flowers purplish carmine. Very beautiful; 50 cents each.

Agave Americana Variegata—Variegated Century Plant.

One of the most beautiful plants for lawn decoration. Admirably adapted for vases, standing heat and drouth. The thick, fleshy leaves are very gracefully recurved from the base, and when matured, in old specimens, are from three to four feet in length, and as many inches in breadth, striped lengthwise with glaucous green and yellow; 50 cents to \$3 each.

Ageratum—Ladies' Paint Brush.

An excellent bedding plant, bearing soft delicate flowers through the summer, and if taken into the house in autumn will bloom during the winter; 15 cents each.

MEXICANUM.—Light blue.

MEXICANUM VARIEGATUM.—Foliage finely variegated with creamy white.

BLUE TOM THUMB.—New dwarf, eight to twelve inches high. Flowers light porcelain blue. A valuable acquisition.

Aloysia Citriodora—Lemon Verbena.

Esteemed for its deliciously fragrant foliage. Strong plants may be kept in the cellar through the winter; 15 to 25 cents each.

Alternanthera.

A genus of plants with richly variegated foliage, growing from six to twelve inches in height. Admirably adapted for baskets, vases and ribbon borders; thriving best under the brightest sun; 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

AMCENA.—Leaves magenta color; very dwarf.

LATIFOLIA.—Broad, smooth, purple and bronze leaves.

SPATHULATA.—Leaves purple and crimson, tinted with carmine and green.

VERSICOLOR.—Leaves tinted light rose and deep crimson.

TRICOLOR.—Leaves broad, green, bronze and crimson, compact and very fine.

Acacia Pubescens.

A profuse winter blooming shrub. Flowers bright yellow: beautiful; 50 cents each.

LINEARIS.—A singular variety, with green stems and narrow leaves; 50 cents each.

Allium Odorum.

A bulbous plant, bearing a bluish white star-shaped flower, one and a-quarter inches in diameter, with a dark stripe in each petal; 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Amaranthus Salicifolius.—Fountain Plant.

A pyramidal plant, growing in a single season three to six feet high, with long, narrow, gracefully pendant, bronze, crimson and orange foliage; 25 cents each.

TRICOLOR GIGANTEUS.—New and very fine; 25 cents each; \$2 per dozen.

Amaryllis.

A superb family of plants which attain their greatest perfection in rich loamy soil. They should have but little water after flowering, that the bulbs may harden and mature for flowering another season; 50 cents to \$1 each.

BELLADONNA.—Large deep red.

FORMOSISSIMA.—Jacobean Lilly. Bright crimson.

JOHNSONII.—Bears a profusion of dazzling scarlet flowers, striped with white.

Ampelopsis Tricuspidata, or Veitchi.

A new vine belonging to the family of the old Virginia Creeper, which it resembles, except that its leaves are much smaller; 25 cents each; \$2 per dozen.

Ardesia Crenulata.

A dwarf greenhouse shrub, ornamented throughout the winter with profuse clusters of bright crimson berries among its glossy green leaves. Very attractive; 50 cents.

Artemesia Stelleriana.

A plant of free growth, with foliage of the silvery shade of the Centaureas, so much used for hanging baskets and ribbon borders; 20 cents each; \$2 per dozen.

Asclepias Curassavica.

A profuse summer and winter blooming green-house shrub. Flowers in umbels, orange, scarlet and yellow; 15 cents each.

Aspidistra Lurida Variegata.—50 cents each.

Astilbe Japonica—Japan Spirea.

A hardy herbaceous plant, which bears a profusion of large spikes of creamy white flowers in early summer. The individual florets are quite small, and the whole head of bloom very neat and graceful. Of rare beauty. Excellent for bouquets; 20 cents each; \$2 per dozen.

JAPONICA VARIEGATA.—Similar to the above, but having its deeply divided, pinnate foliage beautifully variegated; 75 cents each.

Aucuba Japonica.—Japan Gold Dust Tree.

Leaves large, glossy green, finely spotted with gold; \$1 each.

Balm, Variegated.—*Melissa Officinalis Argentea*.

A pretty, hardy, perennial plant, with handsomely variegated leaves and delightful fragrance; 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Bambusa Variegata.

A neat variegated grass, nice for hanging baskets; 20 cents each; \$2 per dozen.

Begonia.

One of the most beautiful and popular classes of "foliage plants," with a great diversity of color and markings. Well adapted for hanging baskets and pot culture; 20 to 50 cents each; \$2 to \$4 per dozen.

ARGYROSTIGMA PICTA.—Has a long bright green leaf, beautifully marked with silvery spots.

DECAISENEANA.

DUCHESSE DE BRABANT.

EL DORADO.

GEM.—Beautiful silvery white; fine.

GRACE FAHNSTOCK.

Begonia—Continued.

IMPERIALIS.—Yellowish green, shaded with dark olive.
 INFELLATA.—Bright purplish red leaf, marked with faint traces of silver.
 INIMITABLE.
 ISIS.
 LOUIS SCHWITZER.
 MAD. ALWERDT.
 MAD. WAGNER.
 MAGNIFICA.
 MARGINATA.
 MARSHALLII.
 MRS. FORMAN ROGERS.

NEBULOSA.

NIGRICANS.—Beautiful star-shaped leaf, richly marked with yellowish green and black.

PHILADELPHIA.

PRUNOSA.

QUEEN OF HANOVER.

REICHENHAMII.

REX.—Bronze green edge and centre, with a large and well defined silvery band.

ROI DE LEOPOLD.

SMARAGDINA.—Beautiful, velvety, yellowish green.

Flowering Varieties.

ALBA.—Flowers large; pure white; a free bloomer.
 FUCHSIODES.—Small scarlet drooping flowers, of a neat waxy appearance. Desirable for bouquets.
 GLAUOPHYLLA SCANDENS.—Slender drooping habit, desirable for hanging baskets. Flowers rich salmon color, in large clusters, from the axil of each leaf.
 HYBRIDA MULTIFLORA.—Flowers rosy pink, drooping. Leaves small, ovate, glossy green. Habit neat and compact. Free bloomer.

ROTUNDFOLIA.

SAUNDERSONII.—Flowers crimson. A prolific bloomer; very desirable.

VICTORIA.—A large, smooth, roundish leaf, upper surface light green, purple underneath. A constant bloomer.

WELTONIENSIS.—Crimson stem and leaf stalk. Very free and constant bloomer. Flowers beautiful waxy pink

ZEBRINA.—Leaves bronze green, striped with brownish purple.

Bilbergia Gigantea.

A singular winter blooming hot house plant, with glossy green leaves, and a large spike of scarlet flowers tipped with violet; 75 cents to \$1 each.

Bletia Tankervilla.—\$2 each.**Bocconia Japonica.**

A strong, growing, hardy herbaceous, plant, forming a bush eight to ten feet high, with pyramidal spikes of flowers two to three feet long; 20 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Buonapartea Juncea.

A hot house plant from Peru, with long rush-like leaves, gracefully recurved. Does well planted out in summer. Very ornamental; 88 each.

Bouvardia.

Excellent summer or winter blooming plants, producing in profusion beautiful clusters of waxen tubular flowers of various shades; 15 to 35 cents each; \$1.50 to \$4 per dozen.

DAVIDSONII.—Pure white; one of the best of its color.

JASMINOIDES.—White.

ELEGANS.—Scarlet carmine, very large truss.

LEIANTHA.—Rich scarlet, very free bloomer.

HOGARTHII.—Rich scarlet, of vigorous growth and good habit.

THE BRIDE.—Delicate pink.

Brugmansia Knightii.

A very showy, free blooming plant, producing large trumpet-shaped, pure white, delightfully fragrant flowers; 25 cents to \$1 each.

Cactus.

An extensive class of plants, comprising several distinct genera, blooming at various seasons; 50 cents to \$1 each.

Cereus.

GRANDIFLORA.—Night Blooming Cereus.

Mc DONALDII.

TRIANGULARIS.

Epiphyllum.

RUSSELIANUM HYBRIDUM.

TRUNCATUM COCCINEA.

VIOLACEA.

Caladium (Collocasia) Esculentum.

A tropical plant, sending up, in summer, immense leaves, four to five feet high, beautifully veined and marbled with different shades of color. Has a noble effect on a lawn, or broad flower border; 25 cents each.

Calceolaria.

From seed of good varieties; 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen.

Calla Ethiopica—Lily of the Nile.

An aquatic plant of the easiest culture in the window or aquarium; 50 cents each.

NANA.—Dwarf. Flowers pure white; very desirable; 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen.

VARIEGATA.—See Richardia.

Canna.—Indian Shot Plant.

Ornamental herbaceous plants of easy culture. Their broad massive foliage imparts a tropical aspect to the garden. The roots may be taken up and kept dry and warm in the cellar during the winter; 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen.

INDICA.—Bright glossy green foliage. Scarlet flowers.

WARSEWICZII.—Brown and green leaves. Scarlet flowers, very free bloomer.

Cape Jessamine.—See Gardenia.**Carolina Jessamine.**—Gelsemium Sempervirens.

A nearly hardy green house twining, shrubby plant, producing very fragrant yellow flowers; 50 cents.

Carnations.—Dianthus Carophyllus.

Desirable plants for the flower garden in summer, and the parlor and green house in winter, blooming profusely the entire season. Flowers large and double, with a delightful fragrance; 25 cents each; \$2.25 per dozen.

ASTORIA.—Yellow ground, edged with scarlet and white.

ATTRACTION.—White, striped with maroon.

DEFIANCE.—Deep crimson, large and fine.

DIAMOND.—Deep maroon.

EVA.—Purple and White.

FLATBUSH.—Pure white, fringed, very free bloomer.

GENERAL GRANT.—Pure white; in clusters. A very fine late bloomer.

GENERAL VAILLANTE.—Rich scarlet, fringed.

LA PURITE.—Carmine. Very fine; one of the best.

LA PURITE VARIEGATA.—Carmine, striped with white.

LOUISE ZELLER.—Pure white, fine form and abundant bloomer.

METEOR.—Bright red, fine form.

PERFECTION.—Creamy white, large, new.

PRESIDENT DEGRAU.—Pure white, fragrant, free bloomer; one of the best for winter flowering.

ROSETTA.—Pink, very fine.

VALLIANT. Crimson, free bloomer.

Centaurea Candidissima.

Plants of neat compact growth, and frosty white leaves deeply lobed. They contrast finely with coleus and other dark foliage plants, and are highly valued in forming ribbon lines, now so popular; 25 cents each; \$2.25 per dozen.

ARGENTEA.—Foliage silvery white; 25 cents each; \$2.25 per dozen.

CANDIDA.—Downy white leaves; 20 cents each; \$1.75 per dozen.

GYMNOCARPA.—Of shrubby habit, about two feet high, foliage silvery white, gracefully drooping; 25 cents each.

Centradenia Florabundus.

A compact, dwarf, plant, of bronzy appearance, covered with a profusion of small pink flowers throughout the winter; 20 cents each; \$2 per dozen.

Cereosmera Variegata.

A compact shrubby plant with small dark green ovate leaves, margined with white; bearing a profusion of beautiful white flowers; very pretty; 20 cents each.

Chorizema Varium.

A splendid profuse flowering green house shrub; producing spikes of orange and scarlet flowers, four to six inches in length; 50 cents each; \$2.25 per dozen.

Chrysanthemum.

Several of the best varieties, various colors; 20 cents each; \$2 per dozen.

Cineraria Acanthifolia, and Maritima.

White foliage plants resembling the Centaurea, but of more vigorous growth; and like them, well adapted for ribbon borders; 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Cissus Discolor.

A splendid hot house climber with lanceolate leaves of the richest velvety appearance, mottled with dark green, purple and white—the purple predominating. They are frequently used in bouquets. It is of very rapid growth, making from ten to twenty feet in a season; 25 cents each; \$2 per dozen.

Cobea Scandens.

A slender vine of very rapid growth, and very graceful in appearance. Large purplish bell-shaped flowers through the summer; 25 cents each.

Coccoloba Platyclada.

A very curious plant from Japan, with flat green stems, bearing some resemblance to a fern. Nice for hanging baskets and vases; 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Coronilla Glauca Variegata.

An evergreen, winter blooming shrub, with variegated glaucous foliage. Bears a profusion of flowers of the brightest yellow; very ornamental; 25 cents each.

Crinum Amabile—\$1 each.

AMERICANUM; \$1 each. LONGIFOLIA; \$1 each.

Coleus.

This is one of the best and most extensively used foliage plants in cultivation. In the leaves of the numerous varieties are found almost every shade of color united and mingled in an endless variety of combinations. They are the principal feature in ribbon borders, where they are unsurpassed in beauty or quality. Single specimens are also very attractive, attaining a diameter and height from two to three feet in one summer. They thrive best under the hottest sun; 29 cents each; \$1.75 per dozen.

BEAUTY OF WIDMORE.—Green, white and pink, beautifully blended; of dwarf habit.

CHAMELEON.—Dark purple and rose, with green edge.

GOLDEN BEAUTY.—Leaf waved or crimped, edge yellow, centre crimson.

HER MAJESTY.—Bronzy center with distinct yellow margin.

MARMORATA.—Very dark crimson blotched with gold.

NONSUCH.—Deep shaded crimson, yellow edge.

PRINCE LEOPOLD.—Cinnamon red, deep yellow edge.

PRIDE OF COLEUS.—New; beautiful.

SCOTTII.—Large wavy foliage, glossy green; blotched with purple.

VERSCHAFFELTII.—Rich velvety, brownish crimson, vigorous growth; one of the best.

VICTORIA.—Rich bronzy crimson, with bright golden edge; very good.

UNIQUE.—Reddish crimson, with deep golden edge.

SETTING SUN.—Brilliant crimson, with narrow yellow margin.

SPANGLE.—Bright green, marked with rich crimson veins.

Cuphea Platycentra—Coral plant.

A very valuable little plant for garden or pot culture. It is of dwarf, compact habit, about one foot in height, and is covered the entire season with tubular scarlet flowers, which are tipped with white and crimson; 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

DANIELENSIS.—Flowers purple. New; 25 cents.

Cycas Revoluta—Sago Palm.

One of the most beautiful hot house palms. Of slow growth; \$3 each.

Cyclamen Persicum.

A very ornamental winter flowering bulbous plant that succeeds well in the parlor window, producing its gracefully inverted, white and purple flowers in profusion, throughout the winter and spring; 50 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Cyperus Alternifolius—Umbrella Plant.

An aquatic plant whose long narrow leaves droop gracefully round the tall reed-like stem, presenting the appearance of an umbrella in miniature. The leaves are sometimes variegated but have a strong tendency to return to their normal green color. One of the best plants for aquariums; 50 cents each.

Cypripedium Insigne.

A singular and interesting variety of orchid, blooming for several weeks in the summer. Requires a warm temperature, and peaty soil; \$1.50 each; \$15 per dozen.

Cytissus Racemosus.

A green house plant, producing in summer, bright yellow flowers in racemes, like Wistaria or Glycine; 50 cents each.

Daphne.

Very desirable plants, valued for their beautiful flowers of delightful fragrance. The hardy varieties succeed best in a slightly shady and protected situation. The more tender kinds do well in the green house potted in a good peaty loam.

CNEORUM.—A hardy evergreen, producing beautiful clusters of bright pink, fragrant flowers, through the entire summer and autumn, till frost; 20 cents to \$1 each.

MEZERION.—A hardy, deciduous variety, with bright pink flowers opening very early in the spring, before the leaves appear; 25 to 50 cents each.

INDICA RUBRA.—75 cents each.

ODORA.—White, very fragrant; 75 cents each.

Dielytra—(Dicentra).

Very ornamental, hardy, herbaceous plants, producing in spring and summer, long pendulous spikes of singularly graceful and beautiful flowers.

EXIMEA.—A dwarf variety with finely cut fern-like foliage. Blooms all summer; flowers rosy pink; 30 cents each; \$3 per dozen.

SPECTABILIS.—Flowers, heart shaped, bright pink or red and white; blooms in spring or early summer; 30 cents each; \$3 per dozen.

Dianthus.

A class of dwarf, hardy pinks, which bloom profusely in the open ground. Should be in every garden.

ALBA FIMBRIATA.—A beautiful variety, flowers pure white, finely fimbriated, borne in profusion in early summer. Large plants 25 cents each; \$2 per dozen.

QUERTERI.—A large, double, crimson variety, which blooms the entire summer, and if potted in the fall will continue in flower throughout the winter; 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

VERSCHAFFELTII.—Flowers, large, double and fragrant, white ribbed with crimson, blooming in the spring and early summer; 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Dracæna.

One of the best and finest foliage plants for conservatory or parlor decoration, and for hanging baskets, rustic stands or rockeries in the summer. They are erect and stately in habit, and attain a considerable height in a few years. The leaves of nearly all the varieties are glossy and very gracefully recurved.

BRAZILIENSIS.—Broad green, and very glossy foliage; 50 cents each.

COOPERII.—Dark crimson margined with carmine. New and very fine; 75 cents each.

FEREA.—Foliage broad, dark crimson; 50 cents each.

GUILFOYLEI.—Foliage bright glossy green, striped with white and pink—new; \$2 each.

INDIVISA.

MARGINATA.—\$1 each.

NIGRICANS.—Dark bronze, rather small leaves, very graceful; \$1 each.

REGINA.—\$2 each.

RUBRA.—\$2 each.

TASELLATA.—\$2 each.

TERMINALIS.—Bright crimson; 50 cents.

TRICOLOR.—50 cents each.

VERSICOLOR.

Echeveria.

Very odd looking plants, with thick fleshy leaves, flowering in spikes that shoot considerably above the plant. They are pretty in baskets, stands and rockeries; and not requiring much water, nor a moist atmosphere, are excellently adapted to window culture; 50 cents each; \$5 per dozen.

ATROPURPUREA.

LUCIDUM.

METALICA.—A robust plant with large, massive leaves of a rich metallic lustre, finely shaded with reddish purple. Flowers bright pink; one of the best.

SANGUINEA.—Leaves narrow of a reddish brown. A fine free blooming variety.

SECUNDA.

SECUNDA GLAUCA.—Very dwarf variety, seldom more than six inches high, of a light glaucous color. Flowers yellow and scarlet. One of the most handsome.

Echites.—Nutans.

A very neat and pretty hot house vine of rapid growth. Stems and leaves highly colored, of various shades; 25 cents each.

RUBRA VENOSA.—Bright vermillion, netted foliage; very handsome; 25 cents each.

Echmea Fulgens.—50 cents each.

Eranthemum Marmoratum.

A very pretty winter flowering plant of dwarf habit. A profuse bloomer; 25 cents.

Erianthus Ravennæ.

A hardy ornamental grass, resembling Pampas grass, but blooming more freely. Its large plumes are borne on stems nine to twelve feet in height, fifty of which sometimes spring up from a single root; 50 cents each.

Eucharis Amazonica.

A very beautiful star-shaped, pure white, fragrant lily, from South America. Leaves broad, of a rich glossy green. Good bulbs, 50 cents each.

Eupatorium.

Valuable for winter blooming, producing small trussess of feathery white flowers through the season. Florists think them indispensable for bouquets and floral decorations; 25 cents each.

ANGUSTIFOLIUM.

ELEGANS.

ARBOREUM.

RIPARIUM.

Euphorbia Jacquiniflora.

A hot house plant, producing orange scarlet flowers, throughout the winter; 50 cts.

Fabiana Imbricata.

A neat, erect evergreen shrub, with small heath-like foliage, bearing a profusion of beautiful pure white flowers. Very pretty; 20 cents each.

Farfugium Grande.

A highly ornamental foliage plant. Leaves large, roundish, light green, spotted and mottled with yellow; very beautiful for baskets and vases; 50 cents each.

Feverfew—Aureum, Parthenum, and Prince Arthur.—15 to 25 cents.

Ficus Elastica.—India Rubber Tree.

A beautiful tree with thick leathery, glossy green leaves, ten inches in length and four in width, very ornamental to the garden in summer and green house in winter; \$1 each.

REPENS.—A green house creeping vine of rapid growth, covering in a short time, bare and unsightly parts of the house; 25 cents each.

Fittonia Argyroneura.

A trailing plant with very ornamental foliage, admirably adapted for hanging baskets and warden cases. Leaves light green, neatly netted with white; 25 cents.

Forget-Me-Not.—(See Myosotis).

Fuchsia.—(Ladies Ear-Drop); 20 to 50 cents each.

BRILLIANT.

CLOTH OF GOLD.—Leaves of a bright golden color, margined with yellowish green.

CONSPICUA.—Tube and sepals scarlet; corolla white, beautiful.

DOLLY VARDEN.

ELM CITY.—Tube and Sepals crimson Scarlet; corolla deep purple; double and very fine.

EMPIRE.—Tube and sepals crimson. Petals white, veined with crimson. New.

E. G. HENDERSON.—Sepals bright scarlet, stout and wax-like; corolla rich violet, double.

FAIRY.—A slender dwarf variety with crimson and blue flowers.

FRANCIS DEVEAU.

LUSTRE.—White sepals, well reflexed, corolla crimson.

MAY QUEEN.—Tube and sepals pure white; gracefully recurved, corolla large and long, of a beautiful violet rose color.

MRS. MARSHALL.—Tube and sepals blush white; corolla carmine; very profuse bloomer.

MR. BRAENT.—Tube and sepals scarlet; corolla white, large double; one of the best.

NARDY FRERES.—Corolla white, tube and sepals crimson; large and fine.

Gardenia Florida—Cape Jessamine.

A well known and highly prized evergreen shrub, with bright glossy green foliage. Attains a height of four feet; flowers pure white and of the most delightful fragrance; 25 to 50 cents each.

CAMELIA FLORA.—Pure white, very large and double; \$1 each.

RADICANS VARIEGATA.—Flowers white, foliage small, variegated with white; \$3 each.

Gazania.

Very effective in baskets and vases, also desirable for bedding; flowers star-shaped, two inches in diameter; 15 cents each.

ANNULATA.—Rich orange, with broad black zone, speckled with brown and white.

MAGNUM.—Flowers golden yellow, with deep black band.

PALMATA.—Flowers large, orange, with brown band.

PRINCE IMPERIAL.—Sepals, bright scarlet broad and recurved; corolla violet purple, habit good, neat and compact; flowers very freely.

PRINCE LEOPOLD.—Tube and sepals, crimson scarlet, well recurved, corolla dark violet, double; neat habit, profuse bloomer, very fine.

PURPLE PRINCE.—Sepals waxy carmine; corolla rich violet, double.

PURITANII.—Sepals carmine; corolla pure white.

QUEEN OF WHITES.—Sepals crimson; corolla pure white, large and double.

ROSE OF CASTILE.—Blush white, violet corolla. Very free bloomer.

SPECIOSA.—Tube and sepals pink; corolla scarlet crimson, very large. An excellent winter bloomer.

TOM THUMB.—Tube and sepals dark scarlet; corolla light crimson. Flowers small.

TOWER OF LONDON.—Tube and sepals scarlet, corolla purple, very large.

WHITE LADY.—Sepals crimson; corolla white.

VICTOR EMANUEL.—Sepals coral red; corolla white, double and fine.

Geraniums—Zonale.

Price, 15 to 40 cents each; \$1.50 to \$3.50 per dozen.

BRILLIANT.—Darkest shade of scarlet.

CHIEFTAIN.—Bright orange scarlet, large truss, fine habit.

CHRISTINE NELSON.—Bright rosy pink, white eye; free bloomer.

CYCLOPE.—Dark blood red; large truss.

DOCTOR MURET.—Orange Scarlet, trusses immense, and in great profusion.

DUC DE MAGENTA.—Orange scarlet, shaded with purple, lilac centre.

GENERAL GRANT.—Bright scarlet, large truss.

GENERAL LEE.—Violet crimson, very large and fine.

GLORY DE CORBENEY.—Brilliant salmon, bordered with white.

GEORGE W. EARL.—Pure white, deep pink centre, very large truss and free bloomer.

HIBBERD'S ORANGE.—Bright orange scarlet, flowers large.

LA FRANCE.—Orange red, with white centre.

LA PIERRE HYACINTH.—Orange scarlet, immense truss and pips.

LOUIS VEUILLLOT.—Dark crimson, large truss; good grower, very fine.

TRICOLOR.—Light yellow ground, with a white ring in the center, encircled with a black velvety band.

SPLENDENS.—Golden orange with black center.

SULPHUREA.—Light straw color with broad black band.

MADAME DUREAU.—Very bright pink, vigorous compact grower, and profuse bloomer.

MADAME MEZARD.—Scarlet shaded with violet, white eye.

MADAME VOUCHER.—White, crimson stamens.

MADAME WERLE.—Salmon rose, margined with pure white. The flowers remain in perfection a long time.

MAD'LE NELSON.—Fine rosy pink, vigorous, compact grower and free bloomer.

MAID OF KENT.—Bright rosy pink.

MARIE MEZZARD.—Pure white, dwarf habit.

MARK TWAIN.

MRS. HUGH LOW.—Vermillion salmon, shaded with orange, upper petals veined with purple.

PATRIOT.

PENELOPE.—Bright vermilion.

QUEEN OF THE WEST.—Bright orange scarlet, large truss, free bloomer, very fine.

REINE DE VILLE.

VICTOR MILLET.—Bright scarlet, fine truss.

VILLE DE PARIS.

Double Geraniums.

Price, 20 to 50 cents each; \$2 to \$4 per dozen.

ANDREW HENDERSON.—Rich deep scarlet; immense truss and large flower; extra.
CAPITAINE L'HERMITE.—Rose tinted amaranth.
CROWN PRINCE.—Bright rosy pink.
C. GLYM.—Brilliant scarlet; fine shape; remarkably fine truss.
E. G. HENDERSON.—Fiery carmine; dwarf.
GLORY DE NANCY.—Rich rosy scarlet; fine grower.
LA VESUEVE.—Fine, new variety, glowing scarlet flowers; very double; neat compact habit; very desirable.

MADAME CHARLES MARTIN.
MONT. CENIS.
MADAME GEBHART.

MADAME LEMOINE.—A very free growing variety, with the leaves conspicuously marked with a dark brown zone; flowers, rosy pink. One of the best varieties.
SCINTILLANT.—Bright red; neat dwarf, compact habit, small foliage, free bloomer.
TRIOMPHE DE THUMISNEL.—Trusses large; color violet rose, shaded with carmine.
WILLIAM PFITZER.—Brilliant scarlet. Free bloomer; one of the best.

Gold, Silver and Bronze Zonale Geraniums.

Price, 25 to 50 cents each.

BEAUTY OF CALDERDALE.—The zone of the leaf is a bright reddish bronze color, on a yellow and green ground.
BIJOU.—Leaf with a beautiful pure white edge; extra fine.
CLOTH OF GOLD.—Leaf yellow, with small green centre; flowers scarlet; a free grower.
CROWN JEWEL.
EGYPTIAN QUEEN.
GOLDEN CHAIN.—Foliage green, with golden margin; very effective as a bedding plant.
LADY PLYMOUTH.—This beautiful plant resembles the common Penny Royal Geranium in appearance and fragrance, but the leaves are distinctly margined with white.
LADY CULLUM.—Foliage large, beautifully zoned with alternate coloring of gold, bronze and crimson; flowers scarlet.

METEOR.—Silver-margined leaves, scarlet flowers.
MOUNTAIN OF SNOW.—Pure white, margined foliage, scarlet flowers. It has unusual endurance in the hottest sun, without injury to its leaves. Unsurpassed in beauty and quality in forming ribbon lines.
MRS. JOHN CLUTTON.
MRS. POLLOCK.—Beautiful tricolor, of robust habit; centre of the leaf deep green, belted with a zone of bronze crimson, margined with scarlet; the edges of the leaves are light green shading to golden yellow; flowers brilliant scarlet.
PRINCESS OF WARWICK.
SOPHIA DUMARESQUE.—Golden margin, with tinted scarlet inner zone; a vigorous grower; very fine.

Ivy Leaved Geraniums.

Price, 25 cents each.

This class is of slender, gracefully drooping habit, very desirable for decorating baskets, vases, &c.
HOLLY WREATH, or DUKE OF EDINBURG.—Pink foliage, very beautifully blotched and shaded with golden yellow.

L' ELEGANT.—Green margined with white.
LADY EDITH.—Bright crimson.

Scented Geraniums.

Price, 25 cents each.

DR. LIVINGSTON.—Fine, new, sweet scented, cut leaved.
NUTMEG.
FERNERFOLIA ODORATA.—Finely cut fern-like foliage; strong grower, fragrant.
LEMON SCENTED.—One of the most deliciously fragrant.

PENNYROYAL.
ROSE SCENTED.—Two varieties, large leaved and small leaved.
SKELETON LEAVED.—Remarkable for the singular appearance of its leaves.
SHRUBLAND GEM.—Rosy red flowers, of dwarf habit. Very neat and pretty.

Pelargoniums—(Lady Washington Geraniums).

Price, 25 to 50 cents each.

ANTOIN PASSAY.
AGNES.—White, maroon blotch.
BEADSMAN.—Pink, with maroon spot.
BELLE BLONDE.—White, speckled crimson.
BELLE DE PARIS.—Violet crimson.
CLARA.
CAPTIVATION.—Pure white, maroon spot.
CRESELLA.
EMILE CHIATE.
EMPEROR.—Fawn, maroon blotch, orange pink margin, white eye.
GENERAL TAYLOR.—Carmine, with crimson blotch.
GLORIE DE PARIS.
GOLD BUTTON.
GRAND DUCHESS STEPHANE.—Brilliant carmine, with very dark spot.

E. G. HENDERSON.
L'AVENIR.—Rosy scarlet, striped white.
MARY HOYL.—Large, orange rose, white center, dark blotch.
MADAM LELANDER.
MADAM PESCATOR.—Salmon, spotted crimson.
NESTOR.—Crimson and rose.
PET.—Dark crimson, maroon blotch, of dwarf compact habit and a free bloomer.
REINE HORTENSE.—Scarlet, white margin, dark spot, extra fine bloomer.
ROSE CELESTIAL.—Light rose, white center, maroon blotch, shaded margin.
SPINIL.
SYLPH.—Delicate pink, with rose colored blotch.
UNIQUE MIELLEZ.—Cherry scarlet, very distinct in color.

Gesneria.

Bulbous green house plants, showy and desirable, flowering in fall and early winter. They bear better than most plants, the dry atmosphere of a sitting room, where they may be made to thrive well and bloom freely.

ALBA.—Flowers white, very large.

CLIFFORDII.

OBLONGATA.—A free flowering variety; flowers orange.

SPLENDENS.—Flowers scarlet.

ZEBRINA.

Glaucium Corniculatum.

A new and rare, silvery foliage plant about one foot in height. The leaves all start from one crown, are from ten to twelve inches in length, of a velvety silvery grey color, deeply cut to the mid rib. One of the most beautiful plants for edging round a group of tall, large leaved plants, as Cannas, Bocconias, &c.; 30 cents each.

Gnaphalium.

A downy, silvery, foliage plant, contrasting well with the bright colors of the Coleus, Achyranthus, &c.

LANATUM.—Leaves small, roundish, downy white, of slender drooping habit, rendering it desirable for baskets and vases, also for the front line of ribbon borders.

SANDERSII.—Foliage narrow and short, of silvery whiteness. The habit of the plant is erect and neat; very pretty.

TOMENTOSA.—Leaves long and slender, very white. The habit is dwarf and compact, nice for edging.

Goldfussia Anisophylla.

A neat winter flowering green house shrub, with dark green, long and narrow willow-like leaves. Blooms the entire season; flowers tubular, about one inch long, of a delicate lilac color.

Gynerium Argenteum—Pampas Grass.

One of the most ornamental grasses, presenting a grand appearance in the lawn or garden. The leaves are from six to eight feet in length, the ends drooping very gracefully. The flower plumes, the most attractive part of the plant, are one foot long, borne on canes ten feet in height; 25 to 50 cents each.

Habrothamnus Elegans.

A fine winter flowering plant, producing scarlet, waxy, flowers, in pendulous clusters. These are succeeded by bunches of crimson berries that hang on a length of time; 25 cents each.

Hedera.—Ivy.

The Ivy has long been admired for its rapid growth and cheerful evergreen foliage. The following fine variegated varieties are of recent introduction and not entirely hardy in this latitude, but nice for twining around the handles of hanging baskets, parlor windows, rock work, &c.; 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen.

CLOTH OF GOLD.—Yellow, beautifully variegated.

JAPONICA VARIEGATA.—Fine silver margined.

MARMORATA.—Variegated with golden blotches; vigorous grower.

REGNERIANA.—Leaves heart-shaped; a rich shade of green, with dark spots.

TAURICA.—Russian. Small leaves; the hardiest and best adapted to exposed northern situations.

TRICOLOR.—Distinctly marked with green, white and pink; very beautiful.

Hedychium Coronarium.

A tall large-leaved hot house plant, crowned during the summer with spikes of very fragrant flowers; \$1 each.

Heliotrope.

One of the best and most popular bedding plants. The flowers are of various shades of blue and violet, and delightfully fragrant; 15 cents each.

CHIEFTAIN.—Nearly white; shaded with purple; 15 cents.

COLONEL VOLTINBERT.—Light blue.

STAR.—(New.) Deep violet or purple; one of the darkest and most fragrant varieties. Truss very large; 50 cents each.

Hibiscus Cooperii.

The foliage is very bright, blotched and mottled with green, white and crimson. The flowers are large, deep crimson; 35 cents each.

JAUNE.

LUTEA.—Very large and double, of a yellowish color.

RUBRA PLENA.—Double red; very showy.

ROSEA PLENA and SINENSIS RUBRA.

SINENSIS GRANDIFLORA.—A rapid growing variety, bearing immense rich crimson scarlet flowers; 35 cents each.

Hoya Carnosa.—Wax Plant.

A green house vine, with deep green, thick, fleshy, leaves. The flowers are small, star-shaped, nearly white, with a pink centre, borne in clusters three inches in diameter, having a very waxy appearance, and remaining in perfection a great length of time; 30 cents each.

VARIEGATA.—Similar to the above, with leaves margined with a broad band of yellowish white; very pretty; 50 cents each.

Hydrangea Hortensis.

An old and well known shrub, which blooms in clusters six to eight inches in diameter. Nearly hardy. Opens greenish white, changing to pink; 25 cents each.

IMPERATRICE JOSEPHINE.—Outer flowers white, pink in the centre, changing to blue; 25 cents each.

OTASCA.—A new variety, producing enormous trusses of rose-colored flowers, sometimes of a blue shade. A very profuse bloomer, the flowers remaining fresh for months; 25 to 30 cents each.

PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA OR DEUTZIFOLIA.—A great acquisition, recently introduced from Japan. Perfectly hardy, and of great beauty. Its panicles are from eight to ten inches in length and five or six in diameter, opening and remaining for several days, clear white, then changing gradually to a pink color, which continues for several weeks; 75 cents each.

Ice Plant.

See Mesembryanthemum. Page 11.

Imatophyllum Miniatum.

A superb plant with the general appearance of the Amaryllis, producing large clusters of erect, bright salmon or light flame color, cup-shaped flowers, twice a year. Very novel in color and desirable; \$1 to \$5 each.

India Rubber Tree.

See Ficus, page 6.

Ipomœa Scabra.

A hot house vine of rapid growth. Flowers white, funnel-shaped, opening in the autumn; 50 cents each.

Iris—The Flag.—Flower-de-Luce.

JAPONICA.—Of this beautiful new Iris I have several distinct varieties grown from seed imported from Japan. They bloom about midsummer, at a time of the greatest scarcity of flowers, are perfectly hardy and very desirable; 50 cents each.

The following list contains several new and very fine varieties of this old and well known family: 25 cents each.

GERMANICA ARENII.

AGATHA.—Centre silvery, outer petals striped blue.

BLACK PRINCE.—Nearly black.

ELEGANTIOR.

FAIRY QUEEN.—Silvery veined blue.

LEONIDAS.—Purplish blue.

GERMANICA LILACEA.—Clear lilac extra.

NYMPH.—Gray and blue variegated.

QUEEN VICTORIA.—White and blue.

ROSINE.—Rose.

THYSBE.—Variegated.

TRIFLORA.—Dark sky blue.

PUMILA, BICOLOR, AND CÆRULEA.—Dwarf varieties, nice for edging.

Isolepis.

A very pretty and neat little grass for decorating baskets and vases, its slender rush-like leaves drooping gracefully over the side.

GLAUCA.—Presents a bright glaucous appearance; 20 cents each.

GRACILIS.—Pale green; 20 cents each.

Ivy.

See Hedera, page 9.

GERMAN.—See Senecio, page 14.

KENILWORTH.—(LINARIA CYMBALARIA.)—A compact, drooping, vine, of rapid growth, blooming abundantly with small violet-like flowers; 15 cents.

Justicea.

Summer or winter flowering plants, bearing large tufted heads of handsome showy blossoms; 25 cents each.

CARNEA.—Fine bright pink.

PICHTA.—A dwarf compact variety, with willow-like leaves, variegated with silvery gray.

Kleinia Repens.

A glaucous foliage plant, with curious, long, cylindrical, fleshy, leaves; 25 cents.

Koniga Maritima Variegata.

A small trailing plant with short narrow leaves, margined with white. It is covered with small tufts of white flowers throughout the summer. Excellent for the front edge of ribbon borders. Also, for baskets, vases, rockeries, &c.; 25 cents each.

Lagerstroemia.

Half hardy deciduous shrubs. Easily wintered in the cellar, and admirably adapted for bedding in summer. Blooming continuously from midsummer till frost.

INDICA.—Bright pink; 50 cents each.

INDICA ALBA.—A new variety, with white flowers; 50 cents.

ELEGANS.—Rose color. A profuse bloomer, of dwarf habit; 50 cents each.

RUBRA.—Red flowering; 50 cents each.

Lantana.

One of the best bedding plants, blooming constantly through the summer; 20 cents.

DON CALMET.—Clear lilac, red centre. Very free bloomer.

GRAND SULTAN.—Scarlet and yellow.

QUEEN VICTORIA.—Pure white, lemon centre.

ROSEA.—Rose, orange and crimson.

Lavendula Vera.—Lavender.

A small plant, prized for its delightful fragrance; 20 cents each.

Lemon Grass.

ANDROPOGON SCHÖENANTHUS.—Strongly lemon scented; 50 cents.

Lemon Verbena.

See Aloysia, page 1.

Libonia Floribunda.

A compact green house shrub, producing a profusion of tubular, scarlet and yellow flowers throughout the winter and early spring; 25 cents each.

Linum Trigynum.

A neat green-house shrub, with golden yellow, funnel-shaped flowers; 20 cents.

Lobelia.

Very desirable for baskets and vases, and for edging around terraces; the plants droop over the edge and bloom profusely; 10 cents each; \$1 per dozen.

GLOBOSA.—Very dwarf, three inches high; dark blue.

MISS MURPHY.—Dwarf and compact. Flowers pure white; star-like.

PAXTONII.—Deep blue; white centre. SNOW-FLAKE.—Pure white STRIATA PERFECTA.

Lopezia.

A winter blooming plant with small pea-shape flowers, borne in great profusion.

MINNEATA ALBA.—White. MINNEATA ROSEA.—Red; 20 cents each.

Lophospermum—Scandens.

A rapid summer climber and profuse bloomer, with very pretty rosy purple campanulate flowers; 25 cents each.

Lycopodium.

These are gems of first quality in ornamental stands and ferneries, or suspended in pots, baskets and shells.

CÆSIUM.—A dwarf grower. The whole plant has a metallic luster.

DENTICULATUM.—Dwarf, deep rich green; 20 cents each.

Lychnis.

A desirable class of hardy, herbaceous plants of easy culture, blooming in summer and autumn; 30 cents each.

CHALCEDONICA.—Flowers brilliant scarlet, on stalks, two to three feet high.

FLOS CUCULI PLENA.—A double white variety, with flowers resembling a carnation.

GRANDIFLORA.—Flowers orange scarlet; ten inches to one foot high.

HAGEANA HYBRIDA.—Dark crimson and white-flaked, dwarf, free flowering.

SENNO.—Flowers distinctly striped scarlet and white. Eighteen inches to two feet high.

VISCARIA.—Brilliant carmine.

Lysimachia Nummularia—Moneywort.

AUREA.—New golden. A very pretty trailing basket plant; 35 cents.

Magnolia Fuscata.

Deservedly esteemed and cultivated as a green house plant, for its delightful fragrance; 50 cents each.

Maurandia Barclayana.

This is one of the most graceful ornamental climbing plants, having neat small foliage and beautiful flowers of white, violet and scarlet. When bedded it blooms from midsummer till frost; 25 cents.

Mesembryanthemum—Wax Pink; Ice Plant.

GLAUCA AND ROSEA.—Curious succulent summer blooming plants; 25 cents each.

Mimulus.—Musk Plant and Monkey Flower; 25 cents each.

MACULOSA.—Yellow flowers, marked with dark maroon or crimson spots.

MOSCHATUS.—Musk plant. Low trailing habit, with yellow flowers. The plant has a strong musky odor.

Maranta—Beautiful Foliage Plant.—50 to 75 cents each.

VON DEN HICKII.

ZEBRINA AND ZEBRINA NANA.—Leaves glossy green, beautifully shaded with black.

Mahernia Odorata—Honey Bell.

A neat growing green house plant, blooming in early spring. Flowers yellow, bell-shaped, and of exquisite fragrance; 20 cents each.

Madeira or Mignonette Vine.

A rapid climber, bearing graceful racemes of fragrant white flowers. Desirable for bedding out, in summer, to cover screens, lattices and rock work.

Myosotis—Forget-Me-Not.

A dwarf trailing plant with small flowers. Blooms profusely in spring and sparingly through the summer; 15 cents each.

Narcissus Bulbocodium—Hoop Skirt Plant.

A pretty, yellow flowering bulb; 15 cents each.

Nerembergia Gracilis.

A graceful rounded bush, throwing up a profusion of thread-like drooping branches, covered in summer and autumn with pretty bluish white flowers; 15 cents each.

Nerium Oleander.—25 cents each.

ALBA DUPLEX.—Semi-double white.

ROSEA.—Rose color.

ALBA PLENA.—Double.

RAGINOT.—Double striped.

Olea Illicifolia.—Holly Leaved Olive.—\$1 each.

Orange Tree.—(Citrus)

BOUQUET.—Flowers double and very fragrant. Esteemed highly in bouquets; 75 cents each.

MYRTIFOLIA.—A small leaved dwarf variety, bearing sweet and excellent fruit when quite young; 75 cents each.

VARIEGATA.—Leaves large and beautifully blotched with yellow; 75 cents each.

Ornithogalum Aureum—Star of Bethlehem.

A very handsome summer flowering bulb. The flowers are star-shaped, about one inch in diameter, of a bright golden yellow, borne on spikes six inches in length. The bulbs should be kept dry during the winter; 50 cents each.

Oxalis—Wood Sorrel.

These are splendid plants, flowering profusely the entire season, either in the open ground or in baskets and vases. A basket filled with one large plant of each color makes a very ornamental window ornament, the light green trifoliate leaves and delicate heads of flowers drooping over the edge in an easy and graceful manner. Admirably adapted to endure the dry atmosphere of a sitting room; 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen.

ALBA.—Small, white, very profuse bloomer.

BOWELL.—Delicate pink. This and Alba appear to best advantage when grown together, the flowers are about the same in size and harmonize admirably in color.

JAPONICA AND LUTEA.—Large yellow.

VERSICOLOR.—Flowers white inside, and striped with pink on the outside. Appearing white during the day, while open, and striped in the evening when closed.

Pandanus—Screw Pine.

One of the most graceful and beautiful of tropical plants. The leaves are from two to four feet in length, according to the age of the plant, and thickly serrated with sharp recurved spines.

UTILIS.—Leaves light green, margined with brown; \$15 each.

JAVANICUS VARIEGATA.—Leaves striped the entire length with parallel white bands on each edge; \$5 each.

Panicum Variegatum.

A drooping grass, fine for baskets. Leaves marked with parallel, white, green and pink stripes; 25 cents each.

Passiflora—Passion Flower.

A vine of rapid growth, producing large beautifully fringed flowers; 30 cents each.

ALATA. CERULEA.—Deep blue.

TRIFACIATA.—Leaves three lobed, each lobe

PFORDTII.

marked with a broad central band of bright

VAN VOLXEMI.

pink. Very handsome.

Peperomia Maculosa.

A novel and handsome foliage plant for baskets, wardian cases, &c. Leaves cordate, about three inches in diameter, deep green, distinctly marked with silvery bands. Thrives best in partial shade and moisture; 20 cents each.

RACINDIFLORA.—A splendid flowering variety, blooming freely in small spikes of minute delicate white flowers; 50 cents each.

Petunia—Double Varieties.—25 cents each.

EVA.—Purple and white.

GOLIAH.—Large crimson lilac.

HENDERSONII.—White blotched with purple.

MAGNET.—White and maroon.

MAD. DE LA VERGNE.—Large Black.

MARMORATA.—Pink, spotted white.

MISS S. FROST.—Crimson, rose and white.

MRS. BLISS.—White crimson stripes.

QUEEN OF WHITES.—Fine shaped white.

SNOW BALL.—Pure white.

ROSALIND.—Violet.

WM. WHITE.—Crimson and white.

Philaris Aurenticea Pichta—Striped Grass.—20 cents each.**Philodendrum Pertinassium.**

One of the most remarkable and odd looking hot house plants. The leaves are from one to two feet long, and one foot wide, very dark green, deeply indented at the margins, and perforated with large holes, as if cut with a knife. The stem emits roots from every joint, which descend till they reach the ground; \$3 to \$5 each.

Phoenix Tenuis—Palm.—\$2.50 each.**Phormium Tenax—New Zealand Flax.**

A plant with dark green erect sword-shaped leaves. Used in its native country for domestic purposes; \$5 to \$10 each.

VARIEGATA.—A beautiful variety with parallel stripes of rich golden yellow; \$5 to \$15.

Pilea Muscosa—Artillery Plant.—20 cents each.

A very singular and pretty plant, of dwarf compact habit, thickly covered with minute white flowers during the summer. Desirable for baskets, vases, cases, &c.

MUSCOSA NANA.—A trailing variety of light green color. Very pretty.

Pteris Cerulescens.

CERULATA.

CRETICA ALBA LINEATA.

Polypodium Aureum—Hare's-foot Fern.—50 cents each.**Poinsetta Pulcherima.**

An ornamental hot house plant, each branch terminated with a crown of inconspicuous flowers, which are surrounded by a cohort of brilliant crimson bracts. One of the most showy ornaments for a green house in mid-winter; 50 cents each.

Plumbago Capensis.—25 to 50 cents each.

A shrubby plant, nearly hardy, blooming freely in umbels of lake blue flowers.

ROSEA.

Pittosporum Tobira Variegata.

A variegated ever-green shrub, with pale yellow flowers, early in spring; 50 cents.

Punica.—Pomegranate

A deciduous summer blooming shrub. Flowers very double and beautiful, somewhat resembling a carnation, but more double and compact. Winters well in the cellar.

ALBA PLENA.—Double White; 25 cents each.

ROSEA PLENA.—Brilliant scarlet, very double, free bloomer; 25 cents each.

"JAMES VICK."—A new dwarf variety: very profuse bloomer, commencing while quite small; flowers bright orange scarlet; 50 cents each.

Pine Apple, Variegated—(Ananas Sativa).

A very ornamental hot house plant, the leaves striped white and rose or pink. They require a soil of peaty loam with hot house temperature. With proper treatment they fruit at the age of two or three years; \$5 each.

Pothos Argyrea.

A vine of slow growth with fleshy leaves, blotched with silver; 50 cents each.

Renekia Carneae Variegata.

A fine variegated grass for baskets, &c. Foliage broad, striped with white; 15 cents.

Rhodia Japonica Variegata.—\$1 each.**Rhopala Corcovadensis.—\$5 each.**

Richardia Maculosa.

A plant bearing strong resemblance to the Calla Ethiopica, in the shape of leaf and flower, the latter being white, shaded with violet inside, leaves spotted with white. Planted in the open ground it blooms freely during the summer. The roots should be kept warm and dry in winter; 50 cents each.

Rondalesia Ranuncula.—20 cents each.**Royalia Pichta.**

A fine foliage plant of erect habit, with acuminate leaves, deep green with silvery blotches in the center; 25 cents each.

Royal Fern.—(Osmunda Regalis.)—50 cents each.**Russellia Juncea.**

A good basket plant, with round, almost leafless stems, and small scarlet flowers, produced in great profusion; 25 cents each.

Salvia.—Sage.

The ornamental varieties of Sage, are of easy culture, and some of them unexcelled in beauty; 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

CERULEA.—Blue.

PATENS.—Scarlet.

ROSEA.—Rose.

SPLENDENS ALBA.—Pure white.

SPLENDENS.—Brilliant scarlet, one of the oldest and best.

VARIEGATA.—Variegated foliage. Flowers scarlet.

Sanchezia Nobilis Variegata.

A hot house plant with broad leaves beautifully veined, and marbled with orange yellow; 50 cents each.

Santalina Angustifolia.

INCANNA.—Silvery foliage, neat, graceful habit; 30 cents each.

Saxifraga Sarmentosa—(Beef Steak Geranium); 25 cents each.

VARIEGATA; 25 cents each.

LIGULATA CILIARIS; \$1 each.

Schizostilis Coccinia.

A new plant resembling the gladiolus, bearing spikes of bright scarlet flowers in autumn; 25 cents each.

Sedum Japonica.—25 cents each.

JAPONICA VARIEGATA. SIEBOLDII. SIEBOLDII VARIEGATA. FABIA. FABIA VARIEGATA.

Sempervivum—House-leek; 25 to 75 cents each.

ARACHNOIDEUM.—Spider web house leek.

CALIFORNICUM.—California house leek.

TECTORUM.—The old well known variety.

Spirea Japonica—(See Astilbe page 2).**Senecio Scandens**—(German or Parlor Ivy).

A pretty vine of rapid growth. Excellent for hanging baskets, and twining around window frames in winter; 25 cents each.

Solanum Nigra.

PSEUDO CAPSICUM, VARIEGATA, and CAPSICASTRUM; 15 cents each.

Strelitzia Ovata.

A fine plant from the Cape of Good Hope. Flowers large, orange; opening in spring; \$3 each.

Stevia Compacta and Elegans.

Very free winter flowering plants; 20 cents each.

Torenia Asiatica.

One of the prettiest, constant, summer blooming plants, for vases and hanging baskets. Blue and purple, trumpet-shaped flowers; 15 cents each.

Tradescantia.

ALOEFOLIA.

DISCOLOR.

VIRIDIS.

VIRIDIS VARIEGATA.

ZEBRINA.—Silvery striped.

Tricyrtis Grandiflora.

A beautiful hardy, herbaceous autumn-blooming, orchid-like plant, with heliotrope fragrance; 30 cents each.

Tritoma Uvaria.—25 cents each.

Tuberose.—*Polianthes Flore Plena*.

A splendid autumn flowering bulb, producing long spikes of pure white double flowers of the most delightful fragrance. Keep the bulbs warm and dry in winter. Plant at intervals of about two weeks during the spring in order to have a succession of bloom during the season; 10 cents each; \$1 per dozen.

PEARL.—A new and improved variety, with very large flowers; 30 cents each.

Vallota.—*Purpurea Superba*.

A species of agapanthus, producing five to ten lily-like, scarlet flowers. Fine for bedding or pot culture. Good bulbs, 50 cents each.

Verbenas.

This is an old and well known class of plants, indispensable in every garden. The number of varieties is continually increasing, and among their flowers are found almost every color and shade, from pure white to dark maroon or almost black; 10 cents each; \$1 per dozen.

AZUREA. —Purplish crimson, shaded lavender; fragrant.	LAVENDER QUEEN. —Light lavender, white eye.
BLACK HAWK. —Dark Maroon.	LITTLE NIGER. —Nearly black, velvety, fine.
BLACK KNIGHT. —Deep velvety maroon.	LORD BYRON. —Bright scarlet, yellow eye.
BLUE BELLS. —Sky blue, large.	MARY BAKER. —Creamy pink.
BLUE BIRD. —Large, deep blue.	MATTIE. —Pure white, rose margin.
CERULIA. —Bright blue, large and fine.	METROPOLITAN. —Pink, shaded lilac, yellow eye.
CRIMSON GLOBE. —Dazzling crimson, large and fine.	MONITOR.
DISRAELI. —Purple, pink and white.	OBERON. —Vermilion scarlet, white eye.
DISTINCTION. —Ruby red.	OTHELLO. —Very dark maroon.
ECLAT. —Mauve, large white eye.	PHENIX. —Carmine, large, fine.
FIRE CLOUD. —Dazzling red.	ROSY MORN. —Deep rose, white eye.
FLIRT. —White, blotched and speckled with crimson.	ROVER. —Blood red, white eye.
FLAME.	RUTH. —Lilac blue.
FORMOSA. —Large pink, white eye.	SABLE QUEEN. —Dark maroon, fine.
FRED LEAK. —Pure white, pink striped, fragrant.	SAM WELLER.
GIPSY. —Pink, large white eye.	SCARLET CIRCLE. —Dazzling scarlet, fine form.
HATTIE. —Fine violet, shade of blue.	SILVER STAR. —Deep crimson maroon.
IMPERATRICE ELIZABETH. —White and pink striped; dwarf.	SPARKLER. —Dark scarlet.
IMPLEXICAUL.	STYX. —Violet crimson, yellow eye.
IVINHOE. —Rich blue, white eye.	SYLPH. —Pure white.
KING OF WHITES. —Pure white, large and fine.	THE BANNER. —Blue, white striped.
	ULTRAMARINE. —Very fine blue, fragrant.
	WINNER.

Veronicas.

A desirable class of autumn-blooming plants, with spikes of flowers from four to six inches in length, produced in great abundance, running through the various shades of purple, rose, lilac and white; 30 cents each.

ANDERSONII. —Violet and white.	MAMMOTH. —Purple and white.
BEAU CHARLATILE. —Royal purple.	MARMORATA. —Rose color.
BLUE GEM. —Beautiful mauve color. A profuse bloomer. Plant of dwarf compact habit. New and fine.	MAD DE WILMOTS. —Purple, shaded violet; 50 cents.
GLORY DE LORAIN. —Blue, lilac, and white.	PURPUREA. —Purple and white; dense habit.
IMPERIALIS. —Amaranth; very fine.	TRIOMPHE DE MEAUX. —Deep purple.

Vinca.—*Periwinkle*.—25 cents each.

ALBA and ROSEA.—Very desirable bedding plants, blooming throughout the summer.

AUREA MACULATA, HARRISONI and MAJOR VARIEGATA.—Beautiful vines, with variegated foliage, excellent for hanging baskets and vases.

MINOR and MINOR VARIEGATA.—Hardy, trailing evergreen vines, flowering in early spring. Succeed admirably in dense shade, where little else will grow.

Violets.—25 cents each.

ALBA PLENA and MARIA LOUISE.—The latter is a new, sweet scented variety. The flowers are very large and double, of the deepest blue color.

Yucca.—*Adams Needle*.

ALOIFOLIA VARIEGATA.—Handsomely striped, green and white; 50 cents to \$1 each.

FILAMENTOSA.—A fine, hardy variety, with bright, green leaves, and white bell-shaped flowers, borne in long spikes, six to eight feet from the ground; 50 cents each.

TRICOLOR.—Leaves maroon, rigid, finely variegated with glaucous, white and pink strip; \$2 to \$5 each.

RECURVA.—Leaves glaucous, slender and drooping; 50 cents to \$2 each.

Zigapetalon Mackeii.—A rare and very fine orchid; \$5 each.

ROSES.

Good plants in pots, 40 to 75 cents each; \$5 per dozen. Small, well rooted plants, in two inch pots; \$1.50 per dozen. One dozen of these plants will be sent, (post paid), by mail, on receipt of \$2. These plants if carefully managed and well cultivated, in good ground, will attain sufficient size to bloom in autumn.

Hybrid Perpetual Roses.

ANNA DE DIESBACH.
ARDOISE DE CHILLOT.
BARONNE DE HAUSMAN.
BELLE NORMANDE.
CAROLINE DE SANSAL.
DAVID D. BARNEY.
DUPLESSE DE MORNEY.
DUC DE ROHAN.
FANNY PETZOLD.
GARIBALDI.
GENERAL JACQUIMINOT.
JEAN DUPAY.
JEAN TOUVAIS.
JULES MARGOTTIN.
LA REINE.
L'ENFANT DE MT. CARMEL.
LEOPOLD PREMIER.
KOUIS VAN HOUTE.
MADAME DERREUX DUVILLE.
MADAME DOMAGE.
MADAME DUCHER.
MADAME LAMORICIERE.

MADAME PLANTIER.
MADAME DE STELLA.
MAD'LE MARIE RADY.
MARECHAL VALLIANT.
MAURICE BERNARDIN.
MONSIEUR BONCENNE.
PÆONY.
PIERRE NOTTING.
PROFESSOR KOCH.
QUEEN VICTORIA.
REYNOLDS HOLE.
REINE DU MIDI.
RIVERS PERPETUAL.
ROBIN HOOD.
ROI DE ESPAGNE.
SUVENIR DE COMTE CAVOUR.
SOUVENIR DE LEVISON GOWER.
STANDARD OF MARENGO.
TRIOMPHE DE L'EXPOSITION.
THORIN.
VALOUTE D'ORLEANS.
VIRGINAL.

Bourbon Roses.

ADELAIDE RESTORI.
EMPRESS EUGENIE.
HENRY PLANTIER.

HERMOSA.
MRS. BOSANQUET.
SOUVENIR DE LA MALMAISON.

Noisette Roses.

AMERICA.
CAROLINE MARINAISSE.
CHROMATELLA. CLOTH OF GOLD.
LADY WARRANDER.
LADY WASHINGTON.
MAD'LE ARISTIDE.

MADAME DE SLONGCHAMPS.
MUSK CLUSTER.
PHALOE.
SOLFATERRE.
TRIOMPHE DE LA DUCHERE.
WOODLAND MARGARET.

Tea Roses.

BOUGERE.
CAMELIA.
HOMER.
ISABELLA SPRUNT.
LA PACTOLE.
LAURETTE.

MADAME DAMAZINE.
MADAME DE SERTOT.
MADAME DE VATRY.
MARIE DUCHER.
SAFRANO.
TRIOMPHE DE LUXEMBOURG.

China Roses.

AGRIPINA.
LA PHOENIX.
PINK DAILY.

SANGUINEA.
VIRIDIS. THE GREEN ROSE.
WHITE DAILY.

Prairie Roses.

BALTIMORE BELLE.
MRS. HOVEY.
PRAIRIE QUEEN.

PRAIRIE TRIUMPHANT.
PRAIRIE JANE.

SELECT LISTS OF PLANTS.

Persons unacquainted with plants will be likely to be better pleased with their collection, when the selection of varieties is left to us, and they may thereby save a large discount from catalogue rates. When this is desired they should state what they already have and do not want, that these may be omitted.

For a brilliant display of flowers and foliage during the summer and autumn, the following collections are recommended.

Collection No. 1.—Price, \$25.

- 8 MONTHLY AND DAILY ROSES.
- 3 HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES.
- 24 VERBENAS; well assorted.
- 4 FUCHSIAS.
- 6 ZONALE GERANIUMS.
- 3 VARIEGATED GERANIUMS.
- 2 IVY-LEAVED GERANIUMS.
- 4 SCENTED GERANIUMS.
- 12 COLEUS; best varieties.
- 6 LANTANAS.
- 6 SALVIAS; 4 varieties.
- 2 DOUBLE FEVERFEW.
- 4 GOLDEN-LEAVED FEVERFEW.
- 3 DOUBLE PETUNIAS.
- 2 AMARANTHUS SALICIFOLIAS.
- “ TRICOLOR GIGANTEUS.
- 2 PELARGONIUMS.
- 2 VERONICAS.
- 1 CAPE JESSAMINE (Gardenia).

- 6 HELIOTROPF.
- 1 PLUMBAGO CAPENSIS.
- 2 CANNA INDICA.
- 2 BOCCONIA JAPONICA, (hardy).
- 2 CARNATION PINKS.
- 2 DIANTHUS ALBA, (hardy pink).
- 1 ACHANIA MALVAVISCUS.
- 4 AGERATUM.
- 4 IVIES.
- 8 ALTERNANTHERA.
- 8 ACHYRANTHUS.
- 4 CENTAUREAS.
- 4 GLADIOLUS.
- 6 BALSAMS; double.
- 4 THYMUS AUREA VARIEGATA.
- 3 ABUTILON THOMPSONII.
- 4 “ AUREA VARIEGATA.
- 2 SPIREA JAPONICA, (ASTILBE).
- 4 TEN WEEK STOCKS.

Collection No. 2.—Price, \$15.

- 3 HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES.
- 6 MONTHLY ROSES.
- 3 DAILY ROSES.
- 10 COLEUS; well assorted.
- 3 VARIETIES OF FUCHSIA.
- 5 SALVIAS.
- 4 ZONALE GERANIUMS.
- 2 VARIEGATED “
- 1 IVY-LEAVED “
- 2 SCENTED “
- 4 LANTANAS.
- 3 IVIES.
- 18 VERBENAS; good selection of colors.
- 4 BALSAMS; double.
- 1 SPIREA JAPONICA.

- 4 ABUTILONS.
- 2 THYMUS AUREA VARIEGATA.
- 1 PLUMBAGO CAPENSIS.
- 4 FEVERFEW.
- 2 DOUBLE PETUNIAS.
- 5 SINGLE “
- 3 HELIOTROPE.
- 1 CANNA INDICA.
- 3 GLADIOLUS.
- 3 CUPHEA.
- 1 VERONICA.
- 3 TEN-WEEK STOCKS.
- 6 ACHYRANTHUS; assorted.
- 6 ALTERNANTHERA; assorted.

Collection No. 3.—Price, \$10.

- 4 MONTHLY ROSES.
- 3 DAILY “
- 10 VERBENAS.
- 3 FUCHSIAS.
- 5 COLEUS.
- 2 LANTANAS.
- 3 SALVIAS.
- 4 GERANIUMS.
- 3 FEVERFEW.
- 1 CANNA INDICA.
- 1 DOUBLE PETUNIA.
- 2 HELIOTROPE.
- 2 DIANTHUS ALBA.

- 2 AGERATUM.
- 1 IVY.
- 4 ALTERNANTHERA.
- 3 ACHYRANTHUS.
- 1 AMARANTHUS; Fountain Plant.
- 1 CENTAUREA.
- 3 BALSAMS; double.
- 1 THYMUS AUREA.
- 1 ABUTILON THOMPSONII.
- 2 “ AUREA VARIEGATA.
- 1 PELARGONIUM.
- 1 SPIREA JAPONICA.

Collection No. 4.--Price, \$5.

3 ROSES.
2 ABUTILON.
3 ACHYRANTHUS.
3 ALTERNANTHERA.
2 AGERATUM.
5 COLEUS.
2 CARNATION.
2 DIANTHUS.
2 CINERARIA.

6 FEVEREW; double flowered and golden.
2 FUCHSIAS.
3 ZONALE GERANIUMS.
1 DOUBLE " "
1 MT. OF SNOW " "
2 HELIOTROPE.
2 LANTANAS.
3 SINGLE PETUNIA.
3 LOBELIA.

Collection of Basket Plants.

Sufficient for filling two good sized hanging baskets or vases. Price, \$8.

1 BEGONIA; Leaf variety.
2 FLOWERING BEGONIA.
2 CUPHEA.
2 FERNS.
1 ABUTILON AUREA VARIEGATA.
2 THYMUS " "
2 KONIGA VARIEGATA, (Sweet Elysium).

2 LINARIA (Kenilworth Ivy).
3 LOBELIA.
1 LOBELIA DWARF.
1 LYCOPODIUM DENTICULATUM.
2 PERISTROPHA AUREA.
2 TOREYNIA ASIATICA.
2 SENECEO, (Parlor Ivy).

Collection of Plants by Mail.

One each, of the plants in the following list, will be sent by mail, (post paid), on receipt of \$5.

1 KONIGA MARITIMA VARIEGATA.
1 LOBELIA.
1 LANTANA.
1 NEREMBERGIA.
1 MAHERNIA ODORATA
1 PLUMBAGO CAPENSIS.
1 SALVIA.
1 ABUTILON THOMPSONII.
1 ABUTILON AUREA VARIEGATA.
1 ACHANIA MALVAVISCUS.
1 AGERATUM.
1 ASCLEPSIAS.
1 CARNATION; white.
1 CARNATION; bright colored.

1 COCCOLOBIA.
1 CUPHEA.
1 DIANTHUS ALBA FIMBRIATA.
1 DIANTHUS VERSCHAFFELTI.
1 FABIANA.
1 FEVERFEW GOLDEN.
1 FEVERFEW DOUBLE.
1 GAZANIA.
1 GNAPHALIUM.
1 IVY, VARIEGATA.
1 IVY, GREEN.
1 HELIOTROPE.
1 GOLDEN THYME.

Norway Spruce.

For screens and wind-breaks the Norway Spruce stands unrivaled in endurance and vigor; attaining a great height in a few years, and presenting the appearance of a wall of verdure. It is especially desirable in bleak, exposed situations, and at the north and west of buildings as a defence against the cutting, wintry blasts of northern winds.

A large stock of good plants are now offered at low prices. One to two feet high, \$8 per hundred; \$75 per thousand.