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E. G. HILL & CO.,

Wholesale Florists

RICHMOND,

INDIANA.

NEW CARNATION — "HELEN KELLER."

JANUARY, 1894.

To Our Patrons.

IN filling your orders Spring of '94, we shall do our best to make every shipment satisfactory and profitable to you. In every case where we fail to do this from any cause, do not hesitate to report to us at once. We believe in liberal count, careful labeling, and light, secure packing.

OUR TERMS OF SALE.

FIVE OR MORE PLANTS AT THE HUNDRED RATE.

FIVE PER CENT. DISCOUNT FOR CASH WITH THE ORDER. All bills subject to Draft in 30 to 60 days, unless otherwise agreed upon.

ORDERS FROM UNKNOWN CORRESPONDENTS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY CASH OR SATISFACTORY REFERENCE.

THE MOST CAREFUL ATTENTION WILL BE GIVEN TO PACKING, in order to secure safe arrival and light weight.

NEW LOW EXPRESS RATE.

We call your attention to the new low Express rate, which is a reduction of 20 per cent. from the regular merchandise rate at which Plants have been expressed heretofore; and also that packages of less than 100 lbs. are billed at 100 lb. rates.

E. G. HILL & CO.,

RICHMOND, INDIANA.

E. G. Hill & Co.'s Catalogue.

ROSES.

**ALL CLASSES AND KINDS,
BOTH OLD AND NEW.**

OUR LEADING SPECIALTY IS STILL THE ROSE.

New American Roses.

SENATOR McNAUGHTON.

(White Perle des Jardines.)

THIS fine white Rose originated with Mr. Jos. Bevis, of Philadelphia, as a sport from Perle, and is a grand variety. In foliage and growth, it is identical with Perle; the flowers are of the same form and size, while the color is an ivory white of great purity. This variety will prove invaluable to rose growers, for it is of the same easy management as Perle, requiring the same temperature and treatment; and if there is a difference in freedom of bloom, it is in favor of *Senator McNaughton*.

\$3.00 for 25; \$10.00 per 100; 50 at the hundred rate.—Ready March 15th.

MRS. W. C. WHITNEY.

(H. Tea. — Jno. N. May.)

This fine new Hybrid Tea is clear deep pink in color, and very fragrant; flowers large, coming with long buds, and may be cut with a two-foot stem; foliage handsome; very free in flower.

Mr. May speaks with the greatest confidence of his new rose; it has won honors at New York, Philadelphia, and at the World's Fair.

75c. each; \$7.50 for 12; \$25.00 for 50;
\$40.00 for 100. — Ready April 1st.

SENATOR McNAUGHTON.

The White Perle des Jardines.

The Novelties from Abroad.

[Except where noted, the descriptions are those of the raisers.]

Antoine Gaunet. (Reboul). "A strong but dwarf grower, with beautiful foliage. Flower very large; salmon shading to rose." A fine addition in the way of *Gl. d' Dijon*.

Beaute Inconstant.

Beaute Inconstant. (Pernet). A charming rose, of the most variable coloring; especially beautiful in the bud state, when the color is orange-scarlet, contrasting finely with the bright green calyx. A grand improvement on *Ma Capucine*, both in size and brilliancy. On opening, it displays a number of bright shades; a little more than semi-double. In a general way, after the style of *Child's Jewel*, but quite distinct.

Barronne Berge. (Pernet Pere). "A fine grower; flower medium to large; double; color, bright rose with center of clear yellow; very free and continuous in bloom."

Countess de Breteuil. (Pernet-Ducher). "Strong and vigorous; large and of cup form; beautiful saffron-yellow; one of the best of the set."

Director R. Gerard. (Pelletier). "A strong grower; flower large and double; color, canary-yellow shading to flesh, and bordered on the edges with china-rose."

Francois Menard. (Tesnier). "Color, deep rosy-salmon, shading lighter. A strong, vigorous growing variety; medium sized flowers."

Fata Morgana. (Drogemuller). "Strong grower; flower semi-double; color, magenta-red, with center petals of satiny-pink."

Leon XIII. (Soupert et Notting). In the line of the old *Niphetos*. Color, white, shaded to light yellow. A very distinct and fascinating rose.

Leonie Osterreith.

Leonie Osterreith. (Soupert). In freedom of bloom this variety rivals a *Polyantha*. Pure porcelain white, with deeper center. A very meritorious rose.

Louis Bourbonnaud. (Nabonnand). Color, bright flesh rose, lined and touched with yellow. A free flowering rose, with long buds.

Madeline Gillaumez. (Bonnaire). Color, salmon white, with a lemon-yellow center. A very finely formed and distinct rose. Long stems; good habit.

Madam Freulon. (Moreau). Color, clear white, shaded with cream and rose. Long buds; very free and sweet.

Madam Hennevue. (Bernaix). Color, variable, bright satin rose, veined carmine; shading lighter. Strong in growth.

Pierre Mercadier. (Ducher). Color, cream yellow, interior shaded copper; the whole suffused with rosy salmon.

Pilar Domedal. (Pries). Color, rosy-white, marbled and shaded rose, with yellow center.

Princess de Manaco. (Dubreuil). A strong grower; a beautiful creamy white, with touches of flesh color. (Received silver medal).

Souv. de Ludovic de T. (Pelletier). Flower a delicate flesh color; a free bloomer, and very double; of *Polyantha* habit.

2½-In. Pots, \$15.00 per 100.

FORCING ROSES.

Mme. C. Testout.

Kais. Aug. Victoria.

Our stock is specially grown for propagating purposes, and the young plants bought from us will be found clean, vigorous and healthy, with good roots ready for immediate work.

None better in the country. All from 2½-inch pots.

\$4.00 per 100, except where noted.

American Beauty. The grandest of all the forcing roses, at this present time. Our stock is FINE. \$8.00 per 100.

flowers with the freedom of a Tea. Color, dark crimson. This is one of Mr. Guillot's introductions, and we esteem it highly. A beautiful, free flowering rose, and very fragrant. \$5.00 per 100.

American Belle. The fine PINK sport from *American Beauty*, originating with Mr. Jno. Burton, who grows it by the thousand for the Philadelphia cut flower market. A favorite wherever known. Ready March 1. \$15.00.

Augustine Guinoisseau. "White La France." (Hybrid Tea). In color, a very delicate shade of pink, by some described a lovely flesh color; in size and shape it is almost a reproduction of its parent at its best; a very beautiful rose. \$5.00 per 100.

Bridesmaid. The pink sport from *C. Mermet*. It is a stronger grower than the parent, has handsome foliage, is shorter jointed, and the flowers are a much livelier pink. A grand variety, bound to become a prime favorite. \$6.00 per 100.

Christine de Noue. (Tea). An elegant deep velvet red tea rose of fine texture and size; forces finely, and is altogether the best new Tea rose of last year. We think highly of it for all purposes. \$5.00 per 100.

Catherine Mermet. A beautiful, clear flesh color, with the same silver lustre seen in *La France*. Large, full, well formed; very beautiful in the bud. Still one of the very finest and best of forcing roses.

Augustine Halem.

Augustine Halem. (Hybrid Tea). This is like *Marie Bauman* in form, color and shape, but produces

Perle.

Hoste.

L'Eden.

Duchess of Albany. (Hybrid Tea) This beautiful rose is in the way of *La France*, but deeper in color, more expanded in form, and larger in size. The flowers are deep even pink, very large and full, highly perfumed, and in all respects of first quality. The growth of the plant is exceedingly vigorous, the habit is good. \$5 00 per 100.

Kaiserina Augusta Victoria. (Hybrid Tea). Pure ivory white; a flower of grand build, from the very first bud-form till the rose drops its petals. This elegant variety can be had in first-class style and great purity of color throughout the year. A splendid grower, and with most beautiful foliage. Has proved one of the very best of the forcing roses. \$8.00 per 100.

La France. One of the most beautiful of all roses, and unequalled by any in its delicious fragrance. Very large, very double, and superbly formed. Prevailing color is light silvery-rose, shaded silvery-peach, and often with pink. \$5.00 per 100.

Meteor. (Hybrid Tea). A velvety-red everbloomer of the deepest glowing crimson, as fine as a Hybrid; flower of medium size, very double, and petals slightly recurving. A beautiful open rose, a free bloomer, and promising well as a forcing rose.

Madam Watteville. The habit is good, and it is a thrifty grower. This is the "Tulip Rose," so called in Europe because of the feathery shading of bright rose around the edge of every petal, the body of the petal being creamy white and of heavy texture.

Madame Cusin. Color, a rosy purple, base of the petals and center of flowers almost white, no other rose having its peculiar shade; very distinct, and of robust habit. This valuable rose is very popular in the East for forcing.

Madam Pierre Guillott. (Tea.) A delicate shade of peach-yellow at the base, gradually changing to a bright clear pink on the outer edge of the petals, and deeper in the center, giving it a most lovely and artistic finish. It is a good, strong grower.

Madam Hoste. It is like *Perle* in growth, and also in the fact that the bud shows different shades in different temperatures. In cool weather it is an ivory white

(scarcely cream), of even tint; in summer it is a bright canary, with a deep amber center. A splendid forcing rose.

Madam C. Testout. (Hybrid Tea). A really grand rose, of the *La France* type, but larger and of better color. It is clear pink—there is nothing in the rose line that can approach it in color—and the flower is as large as *Baroness Rothschild*, and as free as *La France*. Very fragrant; a magnificent forcing variety. \$7.00 per 100.

Niphetos. An elegant Tea Rose. Very large and double; deliciously sweet; color, pure snow white. Highly valued for its lovely buds, which are large and pointed, and borne on long stems. This variety is extensively grown when large, pure white, pointed buds are in demand.

Papa Gontier. A lovely Tea Rose. The blooms are large and long, with thick, broad petals of dark carmine crimson; the inner petals are a bright rosy carmine. The most popular forcing rose of its color.

Perle des Jardines. Without doubt the finest yellow rose in cultivation. Canary or golden yellow flowers, large and beautifully formed, handsome in every stage of development, from the smallest to the open bud. No rose of its color ever cultivated for cut flowers up to the present time is so valuable as this.

Rainbow. A sport from *P. Gontier*; color, pale shell pink, striped with *Gontier* crimson. \$6.00.

Souv. de Wootton. (Hybrid Tea). One of the best of the red forcing roses. Very free, and of easy culture. \$5.00.

Sunset. The color is a shade of rich golden amber, elegantly tinged and shaded with a dark ruddy copper, intensely beautiful. *Sunset* is a constant and profuse bloomer, and, taken altogether, is one of the finest roses recently introduced.

The Bride. A lovely pure white, very fragrant rose, admirably adapted to forcing. The buds have more substance than *Niphetos*, are very full and double, and possess the good characteristics of *Catherine Mermet*, the finest and most profitable of all the white roses for forcing.

Out-Door Bedding Roses.

— PERPETUAL BLOOMERS. —

Purchaser's selection, \$4.00 per 100. — Our selection, \$35.00 per 1000.

Bourbon Queen. Delicate flesh rose shaded salmon, double and of good size.

Berthe Clavel. (Bourbon.) A striped sport from old Souvenir de Malmaison. Color creamy white, with rose center; reverse of the petals striped violet and light rose.

Clotilde Soupert. White with rose center. A grand bedder.

Coquette de Lyon. Fine, large yellow Tea.

Countess La Barthe. Soft, light rose, beautifully shaded with amber and salmon. Hardy.

Crown Princess Victoria. A fine lemon colored Souv. de Malmaison. Excellent in every respect. \$6.00.

Charles de Franciosi. Bud is long and nicely formed, of orange-red color. The flower is large and double; color, chrome yellow, shading to salmon.

Cornelia Cook. One of the very finest and fullest of all the out-door white roses.

Dr. Grill. Coppery yellow with rosy reflex. Very brilliant; a free bloomer.

David Pradel. Large and full; a fine full color.

Eliza Fugier. A seedling from Niphetos, which it greatly resembles in form of bud, while the color is deep cream, sometimes edged pink.

Edouard Littaye. A fine, strong, vigorous rose, after the general style of Madam Cusin. Color, rosy carmine tinted light pink, often shaded violet pink.

Ernest Metz. Immense buds, with flowers of fine size; color, cream, shading to pink. Beautiful large foliage of great substance.

Etoile de Lyon. One of the finest of yellow roses, and also one of the best out-door bedders. As large as M. Niel and of deep chrome yellow color.

Grace Darling. A most exquisite rose of bright china pink. Very full and of good substance; a nice grower. \$5.00.

Henri Brichard. (H. T.) Nearly white, with bright rose center. Buds large and well formed; a fine grower. \$6.00.

Hermosa. Too well known to need description.

J. B. Varrone. One of the finest Teas of later years; very high shade of red in the opening bud which is long and pointed; fine double flower of varying shades of red and rose. One of the very freest; habit, grand.

Jeannie Cuvier. An exquisitely beautiful pink Tea of great substance; bud very large and long, shade very bright, yet delicate; foliage dark and heavy.

Jeannie Guilaumez. A full double rose, of bright chrome yellow; very free, both in growth and bloom.

Lettie Coles. One of the loveliest of the many fine pink roses; cupped in form. Very bright.

Lady H. Grosvenor.

Lady H. Grosvenor. (Hybrid Tea.) Flowers, flesh color, large, full and globular. An exceedingly free and effective variety; also a fine young forcing rose. Raised by the late Mr. Henry Bennett, who esteemed it highly.

Le Soliel. Fine, bright, glossy yellow; large thick petals; very full and cupped. Very strong grower.

Marechal Robert. Large and globular in form, quite full; pure white beautifully shaded with delicate rose. Fine in autumn.

Malmaison. Too well known to need a word of description. \$5.00 per 100.

Marie Guillot. Pure white; the best white bedder to date; very large and full.

Marie Van Houtte. Of fine, faultless straw color, outer petals outlined very crimson; one of the very finest of the bedders.

Marion Dingee. A red rose of American origin, resembles Agrippina in color and freedom, but is much larger.

Miss Marston. Large, full buds; when open presenting a full double flower; color, light rose, shaded flesh center, a rich peach pink. A good variety.

Mrs. Paul. (Bourbon.) Beautiful pearl white in color, with satin sheen. This is like Malmaison in growth and form of flower; won the gold medal prize over all competition in its class. A valuable addition, indeed. \$8.00 per 100.

Medea. Flowers bright lemon yellow, with canary yellow centers. Very full buds, with high centers; foliage dark and thick, in color like Perle. This variety produces most of its buds of immense size, and very double.

Mme. Welche. Apricot yellow with bright shadings which are variable, but always beautiful; large, double, and of good substance. One of the best.

Mad. Louis Patry. Strong and vigorous; flowers large and well made, globular in form. Color, deep purple rose, shaded with brilliant china rose in the center. Very floriferous.

Madam Veuve Menier. (Hybrid Tea.) A strong, vigorous grower, producing buds in great profusion. Pale light rose; flower of good size, double, and very free flowering.

Madam A. Veyssset. "Striped La France." (Hybrid Tea.) Much stronger in growth than La France, and the flowers are beautifully striped and shaded with a delicate white.

Mme. Pellissier. An improved Coquette de Lyon. A most beautiful yellow bedder; broad, creamy outer petals, deepening to fine yellow in the center. Petals very large and shell-shaped. \$6.00 per 100.

Prof. Ganiviat. Vigorous in growth and free in bloom; flower double and of good form, of the color of Sou. Th. Levet.

Pierre Guillot. Bright, dazzling crimson, passing to brilliant carmine; petals beautifully veined with pure

white; flowers large, very double and full; a free bloomer, and very sweet. One of the best for the market florist. \$6.00 per 100.

Queen's Scarlet. Rich velvety red; full and comparatively large; most profuse in bloom; hardy.

Rubens. White shaded rose; yellowish center. Large and full.

Sombreul. Immense flowers, white tinged with delicate rose; blooms in clusters. Still a prime favorite.

Souv. de Victor Hugo. Bright china rose with copper yellow center; beautiful in form when in bud; not very full; a fine grower.

Souv. de Gabrielle Drevet. Salmon pink with center of coppery rose. Once seen, never forgotten; one of the very highest order. Double and of great substance; petals folded into points.

Sappho. Yellowish fawn, suffused with rose; large, full and globular; foliage beautiful.

Souv. de Dr. Passot. A strong grower with fine, full flower of rich carmine red.

Souv. de Mme. Sablayrolles. Flower of beautiful globular form, large and double; color, rosy apricot shaded yellow, edged carmine.

Senateur Loubet. Dwarf, but vigorous; very large, finely formed flowers. Outer petals light, tender rose, center metal yellow color, heightening sometimes to crimson. Very free flowering. \$15.00 per 100.

Triumph de Pernet Pere. (Hybrid Tea.) Flower large, double and of heavy texture; bud long and nicely pointed; free in bloom.

Valle Chamounix. Base and back of petals bright yellow; center varying shades of rose. A grand fancy tea.

Ye Primrose Dame. As free as the Polyanthas in bloom; fine small foliage; bud of medium size of the most elegant form; color, canary yellow with bright pink center. A gem. \$6.00 per 100.

Standard Varieties of Hybrid Perpetuals.

\$5.00 per 100, except where noted.

Anna d'Diesbach. Bright rose color, large and showy.

Alfred Colombe. Carmine crimson, large, full and rounded.

Baron de Noirmont. Rosy flesh, salmon shadings, changing to white; shape of La France. Of good habit, very free, and perfects all its flowers.

Coquette des Alpes. White, sometimes shaded pink; cup-shaped.

Coquette des Blanches. White; flat or cupped slightly.

Charles Darwin. Brownish crimson shaded violet. Very distinct and especially fine in autumn.

Duke of Connaught. Deep velvety crimson.

Duke of Edinburgh. Bright crimson, large and double.

Fisher Holmes. An improved Gen. Jacq.

Gustave Piganeau. One of the grandest in the whole family; perfectly double, outer petals reflexing slightly. Color, clear bright red without a touch of violet; a splendid grower. \$10.00 per 100.

Frere Marie-Pierre. Seedling from Baroness Rothschild, having both the habit and foliage of its parent. Flowers very large and double, produced singly. Color, beautiful china rose. Very finely scented.

General Berge. Strong, vigorous growth, producing large, finely formed flowers of exquisite shape. Brilliant currant red, shaded silvery maroon. Very fragrant and free flowering. Awarded first prize at Lyons. \$20.00 per hundred.

Gen. Jacqueminot.

Gen. Washington. Soft red, changing to crimson.

Gloire de Margottin. Dazzling red, large, full and globular.

Jean Liabaud. Fiery crimson, shading to black; large and very fine; of lovely form.

Jules Lemaitre. Bright rosy carmine; very sweet; large and globular; a seedling from Mme. I. Perire.

La France of '89. Very bright red, nearly scarlet. Large, fine buds; a free grower, but not perpetual in bloom.

Mme. Jos. Desbois. Flower flesh color, with salmon rose center; very large and double; a fine grower. \$8.00 per 100.

Mme. H. Perire. Bright red, shading to fiery crimson; large, full and sweet.

Margaret Dickson. Winner of the gold medal for the best new rose at National Rose Society's show in England. This rose is almost a pure white in color,

strong in growth, and quite free flowering. The finest Hybrid Rose of recent years. Sent out by Dickson, of Belfast, Ireland. \$20.00 per 100.

Mme. Masson. Reddish crimson, large and double. A constant bloomer; fine in autumn.

Mme. Charles Wood. Rosy crimson with darker shadings; large and double.

Mme. Plantier. Pure white of medium size.

Marie Rady. Vermillion shading to crimson; large and full.

Paul Neron. Deep shining rose; immense in size; one of the most widely known.

Prince Arthur. Deep crimson of Gen. Jacq. type; flowers smaller, but better formed.

President Carnot. One of the notable new roses of the year. Color, bright rose, shaded silvery carmine. A distinct and beautiful rose in every respect. Winner of three first prizes. \$20.00 per 100.

Queen of Autumn. Crimson shading to rosy lake; splendid autumn bloomer.

Salamander. One of the leading prize winners of the year. Flowers bright scarlet crimson. Very vivid in summer, and a free autumnal bloomer. A brilliant and most effective rose, either for the garden or exhibition purposes. \$20.00 per 100.

Ulrich Brunner. Bright cherry red, large and full; one of the best and most popular.

POLYANTHA ROSES.

\$4.00 per 100.

Clotilde Soupert. The queen of the Polyanthas. Pearly white, bright rose center; extremely full; flower very large for the class. A most useful variety.

Little Pet. (China.) White. Small and double. A pretty, free blooming miniature rose.

Georges Pernet. Bright rosy salmon, changing to peach; an everbloomer; one of the best.

Gloire des Polyanthas. Bright rose with white center; full and nicely formed.

CLIMBING ROSES.

\$4.00 per 100.

M. Neil. The king of the yellow climbers.

Reine Olga de Wurtemberg. Very brilliant red; large and semi-double; one of the best.

Jas. Sprunt. A climbing Agrippina.

Eugene Jardine. Beautiful yellow climbing tea.

Reine M. Henriette. Glowing crimson, large and full.

Climbing Perle.

Estella Pradel. Color, chamois passing to salmon.

La Marque. Sulphur yellow; very large and full.

THE TWO NORTHERN CLIMBERS.

Baltimore Belle. White. \$4 per 100

Prairie Queen Rose \$4 per 100

MOSS ROSES. We have an immense stock of these from hard wood cuttings, ready March 15th. The finest collection of varieties in the country, especially selected for us in Europe. \$6.00 per 100, our selection.

EUGENE DAILLEDOUZE.

Chrysanthemums.

The year 1893 goes into history, with '37 and '53, as a frightful year financially, yet never before have our Chrysanthemum shows scored so great a success. Almost without exception have they paid expenses, and left a balance in the treasury. At the principal shows the Judges have been extremely exacting, and have withheld entirely premiums where the exhibition fell below their ideas of excellence—for which they should be commended.

In judging the seedlings, they have been especially careful as may be seen by the report of the New York show, where only three awards were made out of the seven premiums offered, for which the trade at large should return their heartiest thanks; a prize or certificate means something under such careful handling.

Our success at the shows last fall, gives us confidence in offering our customers a few points of advice in growing for exhibition; (we took fourteen premiums out of seventeen entries for cut-bloom, beside four Colum-

bian medals at Chicago; and five out of seven for cut-bloom at Indianapolis; elsewhere we only entered in classes for seedlings.)

As to soil for Chrysanthemums, we have found that a compost prepared like that for roses is the best.

The selection of fine exhibition sorts in a well assorted range of colors is all important. Our winning stand of forty-eight varieties was much admired at Chicago, being pronounced one of the finest exhibits ever made in America; they were blooms of high character, and great care was taken with the arrangement; clear colors were made clearer by careful contrasts, and again those not pure selfs were arranged to harmonize.

The length of stem was carefully considered; the back row of vases containing blooms on stems fully six inches longer than those in the third or front row.

Foliage was carefully handled, both in packing and arranging, every leaf possible being retained.

Don't forget that the Chrysanth absorbs moisture all along the stem and through the leaves, so give them a good drink before staging.

For the special benefit of intending exhibitors, we give the names of our forty-eight winning varieties at Chicago; it could hardly be improved, and with careful growing is bound to prove a winning collection wherever shown. See cut and list on pages 16 and 17.

We can not too strongly advise florists who live at a distance from the great cities, to get up a show of their own; nothing you can do will pay you better; don't let your houses stand empty and unattractive all summer; fill them with chrysanth—grow only the best varieties; keep up with the times; the great city papers now write up the shows very correctly and in a most interesting style; when fall comes, invite your townspeople to your greenhouses; label up your varieties distinctly; you will be surprised to find how well posted many of them are as to the newer sorts, and how much interest they will show; a nice display at your houses will be worth hundreds of dollars worth of advertising all through the following year, as well as in the direct returns that you will get from immediate sales.

E. G. Hill's Columbian Novelties.

Ready March 1, 1894.

MRS. E. G. HILL.

COLOR—Clear pearl-pink brighter than *Pres. Smith*.

EARLINESS: Ready to cut October 12th.

SIZE—7 to 8 inches in diameter, 3 to 4 inches deep.

FORM—Full to the center; a grand incurving sphere when fully developed.

HABIT—Very free in growth; luxuriant in foliage, which is carried quite close to the flower; stem very stiff.

Its keeping qualities are quite wonderful; blooms cut October 20th, were certificated at Philadelphia and Indianapolis, November 8th.

Of the easiest possible culture, and quite as fine in every respect as the very best of the midseason varieties.

It is the only variety receiving a Columbian medal previous to the great Chicago Chrysanthemum show.

Its Record.

COLUMBIAN MEDAL, October 16th, 1893.

Certificate, Indianapolis, November 8th, 1893.

" Philadelphia, November 8th, 1893.

Here is what the Committee on Awards said:

New Chrysanthemum, "Mrs. E. G. Hill."

An American Seedling, a cross between *Puritan* and *Mrs. Alpheus Hardy*. This is a magnificent variety, and possesses the following points of merit:

First: EARLINESS. It is ready to cut by October 10th.

Second: SIZE. The blooms shown are eight inches in diameter.

Third: FORM. It is beautifully incurved, and full to the center.

Fourth: COLOR. A very pleasing shade of delicate lavender pink.

Fifth: VIGOR OF GROWTH. In this respect it is all that can be desired; long, stiff stems, and good foliage.

ROBERT CRAIG,
W. R. SMITH,
F. KANST, } Committee.

New Chrysanthemum, Mrs. E. G. Hill.

Specimens of this fine new early pink chrysanthemum were passed upon by the judges at the World's Fair

October 16, and the exhibitor was awarded a medal and diploma, the points noted in the latter being earliness, size, form, color and vigor of growth. It is a seedling from Puritan and Mrs. Alpheus Hardy, and has the fine form of the latter variety, but the color is a beautiful pearly pink. Flowers were sent to this office at the same time, and they were certainly magnificent blooms, the best we have ever seen at this season of the year. Each of the blooms sent us were on stems exceeding four feet in length and clothed with handsome foliage.—*American Florist*.

Cincinnati.

The monthly meeting of the Cincinnati Florists' Society was called to order by Pres't Critchell, October 14.

At this meeting we had the pleasure of a visit from Mr. E. G. Hill, who brought for exhibition a dozen magnificent blooms of his new chrysanthemum, Mrs. E. G. Hill. This variety is of the Japanese incurved type, a seedling from Puritan, fertilized by Mrs. Hardy. It is pink in color and very early. The flowers measure fully seven to eight inches across.—*American Florist*.

Chicago Notes.

Quite a sensation has been caused by the new early pink, Mrs. E. G. Hill, grown by E. G. Hill, of Richmond, Ind. A limited number of these flowers has been received this week; they are very much admired, and are really the only good pink now obtainable. The flower is very large, incurved, color when fully open a clear pearly pink.—*American Florist*.

Indianapolis Notes.

The first chrysanthemum blooms of this season were displayed in the florists' windows here October 13. The variety displayed was Mrs. E. G. Hill, a seedling cultivated by E. G. Hill & Co., Richmond, Ind. The dozen blooms shown were on straight stems, thirty inches long, covered with perfect leaves from base to flowers. The flowers were about half expanded and showed a beautiful shade of pink, shading from La France to Daybreak pink; it is an incurved variety with perfect shaped petals, the outer edge of flower opening somewhat circular. The display attracted all passersby and was admired greatly. It is certainly an early variety, the most pleasing color and good texture.—*American Florist*.

New Chrysanthemum.

Mr. E. G. Hill, Richmond, Ind., has on exhibition in horticultural dome, a vase of very fine blooms of a new chrysanthemum called "Mrs. E. G. Hill." It is one of Mr. Hill's new seedlings. It is of vigorous growth and fine form; the blooms are eight inches or more in diameter; the color is of a delicate lavender pink, petals incurved. It is a very early bloomer, a characteristic that should insure its future. From a retail or artistic standpoint it is looked upon with much favor, as it holds its head up well and the color is one that can be used to advantage where choice or delicate effect is called for. It has been awarded a World's Fair medal with high recommendations from the judges.—*Florists' Exchange*.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21st, 1893.

E. G. HILL ESQ., Richmond, Ind.:

Dear Sir:—I am in receipt of your shipment of new seedling Chrysanthemums, the Mrs. E. G. Hill, also your letter asking my opinion of them. Responding thereto, would say that I think it a decided acquisition to the now large collection of these beautiful flowers; I have shown it to connoisseurs, and all express themselves as being pleased with its color, size and fine habit.

Thanking you very much for these flowers, which I have placed in a conspicuous place on show, I am,

Yours very truly, CHARLES THORLEY.

Eugene Dailedouze.

(See cut.)

We consider this the crowning glory of the year in new Chrysanthemums. Every florist wants a grand yellow—large, full, double, glowing in color, stiff stem and good foliage, and above all, a free, easy grower—and here it is in *Dailedouze*.

There is nothing brighter or clearer among yellows; the center is folded close, like Kioto, the outer petals are broad and incurving, and of great substance. It is full to the last degree, of great depth, and perfect in form. We grew several hundred plants of it on the bench. The flowers were fine without exception, not a poor bloom among them, and the foliage was uniformly perfect from ground to flower, not coarse nor large, but plentiful. Another noticeable point was that plants three feet high, benched July 1, brought just as fine blooms as those benched in May. This variety requires far less disbudding than any other of our acquaintance.

Its keeping qualities: After being packed in Richmond on Saturday night, the Philadelphia correspondent of the *American Florist* says: "Eugene Dailedouze, a magnificent yellow, seemed as fresh the last day of the show as it did the first."

The Indianapolis correspondent says: "The beautiful Rookwood vase for best twenty blooms on long stems was won by E. G. Hill with vase of E. Dailedouze. Without question it was the finest vase of bloom in the show. It was an easy winner."

Also Columbian Medal at Chicago, best yellow; Blanc prize, at Philadelphia, best yellow; first premium at New York, best yellow; Certificate at Toronto.

"We have seen some flowers of the new variety, Eugene Dailedouze, that were cut November 3 and sent by E. G. Hill & Co. to the Philadelphia show, where they received the prize for best seedling. After passing a week at the show, they have been since that time on exhibition in a florist's window, where they have been handled a great deal by admiring visitors and today, December 4, there are still two flowers of the lot which are in good condition, and in fact better than anything that is now being sent in. This will certainly become a standard variety."—Philadelphia Correspondent *American Florist*.

CHALLENGE.

This variety has rounded up its last year's record in fine style:

November, 1892, Indianapolis show—\$50 for finest yellow.

November, 1893, Chicago World's Fair Chrysanthemum Show—It was awarded the \$100 premium for the finest seedling in the show, against 54 entries.

New York City, November, 1893—First premium for best yellow not yet in commerce, but exhibited prior to '93.

Toronto, November, 1893—Not entered for competition, but certificated by the Committee on Awards.

November, 1893, silver cup at Denver.

"Challenge" is a late variety, being in full perfection November 25th to 30th. Before that time the cen-

ter florets have not taken on their true character, although it is in grand condition throughout the month. The flower is a perfect globe of gold, which finally shows a pointed center. The color is bright yellow, the form quite as deep as wide, the stem very strong, foliage extra good, and a somewhat dwarf grower. Needs hardly any tying up. The long looked for ideal yellow, both for exhibition and commercial purposes. Can be shipped in perfect condition for any distance.

BEAU IDEAL.

According to our judgment this variety is as good as any of the foregoing, or we should not offer it here, as this year we had decided to list only those sorts that are away above high water mark. Beau Ideal is a bright rose pink, without touch of lavender shadings. The form is a somewhat flat incurved, the outer petals horizontal, showing the bright pink, the incurving center showing a lighter shade. The petals are broad and of good substance, flower of fine size, stem stiff, foliage first-rate. A good grower; everything that can be desired as a cut flower. It is in perfection about October 25, and keeping it in the cellar for the shows had the effect of washing the color, as it does with most of the pinks. We know of no variety that will compare with it in purity and brightness of tone, while in size and general make-up it is as good as the best.

INTER-OCEAN.

Owing to somewhat limited quantity, this variety could only be staged at Chicago, where the vase of six blooms took first premium for *best any color*.

This is a grand novelty of the general type of V. Morel, from which it is a seedling. The color is a delightful, glistening, pearly white, with light suffusion of pink. Petals of great substance, recurving, forming a flower one-third larger than the usual V. Morel. The stems are very stiff, the foliage extremely handsome, and carried close to the flower.

We have only a limited number of varieties to offer this year, which is so much the better, and will enable growers to buy in larger quantities of those sorts best suited to their purpose.

All ready March 1st, 1894. We have an immense stock of all except *Inter Ocean*. Of it we have a fairly large stock, and orders will be filled in strict rotation.

Prices.

MRS. E. G. HILL. Its size and earliness assure this a money maker for the cut flower grower. We have already booked orders for nearly 3,000 of it.....					
	FACH.	PER DOZ.	25	50	100
	35 cts.	\$3 50	\$7 00	\$13 00	\$25 00
CHALLENGE	75 cts.	\$7 50	\$14 00	\$25 00	\$40 00
EUGENE DAILLEDOUZE					
INTER OCEAN					
BEAU-IDEAL					

TO MAKE UP A DOZEN GRAND NOVELTIES FOR THE YEAR,

We append below descriptions of seven others, all fine Prize Takers, from the various raisers, and sorts that we can unhesitatingly recommend.

Mrs. J. George IIs.

A magnificent white variety, raised by Mr. John H. Sievers. It is an ivory-white, very massive in build, recurving, and petals interlacing. This variety was cut twelve days before the Chicago show, and reached there in fine condition, being awarded a special Columbian medal. We have made arrangements with Mr. Sievers for a part of the stock, and will send out young plants of it with our own March 1. You can depend upon its being one of the very finest, most distinct and servicable novelties of the year. A delightful surprise for those who have not seen it.

Major Bonnaffon.

(Fred Dorner) Soft, clear, incurving yellow, full in the center; 6 to 7 inches in diameter, and nearly as deep. In perfect form and finish, like Ivory at its best. Habit dwarf; keeping qualities excellent. Foliage well up to the flower, stem stiff; an ideal variety. Bound to be one of the Chrysanthemums necessary to every collection. Awarded Columbian medal.

Achilles.

(Exhibited under the name of *Pearl*, by *Ino. N. May*).

A very large bold incurved flower, of soft pink on opening, gradually changing to a pearl white; after the general style of *Ed. Hatch*, but with better stem and foliage; height 3 feet. Time, November 20, best on crown buds. First premium, New York, for "Best any Color."

Mutual Friend.

A reflexed pure white, from seven to eleven inches in diameter, great depth, stiff stems, heavy foliage within 6 inches of the flower; blooms a week later than Ivory; of medium height.

Laredo. (Smith.)

Japanese, with whorled and incurving strap-shaped petals; deep pink in color, without a trace of magenta. In perfection November 20th to December 10th. At the Toronto show, which was very late, it was awarded Silver Cup for best seedling as "No. 101." Mr. Smith declares it the best very late pink, and there is plenty of room for such a variety,

for good late sorts are not crowding each other.

Major Bonnaffon.

Marie Louise.

(*Witterstaetter*). A beautiful recurving white, with slender, interlacing petals, forming a plummy globe. Received Columbian Medal at the Chicago show. Not of enormous size, but of good substance—stems slender and stiff, foliage elegant; plenty of room for this graceful variety, which is a model for cut flowers.

Pitcher & Manda.

(*Pitcher & Manda*). Reflexed Japanese, not deep, but solid and of large diameter; the outer five or six rows are creamy white and of Dahlia like form, the center is bright yellow, the two colors being sharply defined; one of the most distinct novelties of the year, and particularly valuable as being a most decided break in a new direction. A vigorous grower. Received numerous certificates.

PRICE FOR THE SEVEN FROM OTHER RAISERS.

	EACH.	PER 12	PER 25	PER 50	PER 100.
MRS. J. GEO. ILS.....	75 cts.	\$ 7 50	\$14 00	\$25 00	\$40 00
MAJOR BONNAFFON.....	50 cts.	5 00	.....	.....	35 00
MARIE LOUISE.....	50 cts.	5 00	.....	.....	35 00
PITCHER & MANDA	35 cts.	3 50	.....	.....	25 00
LAREDO.....	35 cts.	3 50	7 00	13 00	25 00
MUTUAL FRIEND.....	50 cts.	4 00	.....	.....	30 00
ACHILLES.....	60 cts.	6 00	.....	.....	35 00

OR ONE EACH OF HILL'S FIVE, AND THE ABOVE SEVEN,

WHICH WE CALL THE

WINNING TWELVE OF 1894.

FOR \$6.00.

WINNING FORTY-EIGHT AT CHICAGO.

Novelties from the Various Raisers.

Owing to lack of space we were compelled to abbreviate.

NATHAN SMITH & SON'S.	EACH.	PER DOZ.	25	50	100
LAREDO, Very late pink, bright	35 cts.	\$ 3 50	\$ 7 00	\$13 00	\$25 00
IOVA, Mid-season; Light-pink	60 cts.	\$ 6 00	\$12 00	\$20 00	\$35 00
J. A. PETTIGREW, Late; Color of <i>Incandescent</i>					
MISS HATTIE BAILEY, Late; Bronzy-red.....					
ORIANA, Improved <i>Maud Dean</i>					
INGOMAR, Late; Exhibition-yellow					
JNO. N. MAY'S.					
ACHILLES, (<i>Pearl</i> as Exhibited), Pink, changing to White. (November 20th)	60 cts.	\$ 6 00	\$12 00	\$20 00	\$35 00
MALMAISON, Silvery-pink; (November 20th)					
MAYFLOWER, White; (October 26th).....					
MINERVA, Clear Yellow; (October 26th).....					
TITIAN, Rose-pink; (November 20th).....					
YELLOW QUEEN, Large, Bright Yellow; (October 10th)	35 cts.	\$ 3 50	\$ 7 00	\$13 00	\$25 00

PITCHER & MANDA'S.

Pitcher & Manda.	Mrs. E. A. Wolcott.	Mrs. H. McK. Twombly.	Mrs. Geo. M. Pullman.
Mrs. F. P. Langham.	Mrs. Geo. A. Magee.	Jno. M. Kupfer.	Garza.
Mrs. Geo. West.	Mrs. Jno. H. Starin.	Mrs. Geo. H. Morgan.	Yellow Hammer.
Mrs. H. Rinek.	Dorothy Toler.	Robert M. Gray.	Tanager.
Mrs. Jas. Eadie.	Georgiana Bramhall.	Charlotte.	Falcon.
Mrs. Chas. Lanier.	Mrs. Jas. Blane.	Miss F. Pullman.	Mrs. F. G. Dexter.

35 Cents Each. \$3.50 per Dozen. \$25.00 per 100.

Standard Varieties.

100 Plants, five of a kind, \$4.00 — First-class Sorts, our selection.

Or, 100 Plants, five of a kind, \$5.00, our selection, including many of last year's novelties.

Or, 100 Plants, only choicest and most novel sorts:

One of a kind, for \$10.00, our selection, including the best of last year's novelties.

Or, Two of a kind, for 8.00, " " " "

{ World's Fair winning collection of 50 varieties, one each, for \$6.00, or

{ 100 plants, 50 varieties, two each, for \$10.00.

THESE ARE THE SORTS THAT WON.

Abraham Lincoln.

Ada Leroy.

Andes.

Beauty of Richmond.

Beaute Poitevine (pink).

C. B. Whitnall.

C. H. McCormick.

Century.

Challenge.

E. Daillidouze.

Elegant.

Etoile de Lyon.

Eda Prass.

E. Molyneux.

Flora Hill.

Geo. W. Childs.

H. E. Widener.

Harry Balsley.

Joey Hill.

Judge Hoitt.

Lagoon.

Leonora Sievers.

Louise Sievers.

Mrs. J. W. Crouch.

Mrs. Jas. Thompson.

Mrs. P. W. Smith.

Mrs. Wm. Trelease.

Mrs. C. Lippincott.

Mrs. C. H. Payne.

Mrs. Wm. Coupland.

Mrs. J. Jones.

Mrs. M. Simpson.

Mrs. F. L. Ames.

Mrs. E. W. Clarke.

Mme. Ed. Rey.

Mme. Isaacs.

Mme. Oc. Mirbeau.

Mlle. Therese Rey.

Maud Dean.

Minnie Wannamaker.

Miss M. Simpkins.

Mt Whitney.

Marguerite Jeffords.

Niveus.

Prest. W. R. Smith.

Roslyn.

Robt. McInnes.

Secy. Farson.

The Queen.

V. Morel.

Purchaser's Selection, five of a kind, at hundred rates.

A. T. Ewing. Color, creamy white, heavily banded and penciled in carmine pink; petals very thick, broad and flat, with nicely rounded tips; flat or slightly reflexed, central petals upright, perfectly double, large and of fine form. \$5.00 per 100.

Autumn Glow. A fine, large, incurved globular flower; very full, and of a light bronze or autumn leaf color; growth very strong, with stiff flower stems. \$5.00 per 100.

Autumn Eve. Pure glistening white, spherical in shape; similar in build to Mrs. Madeira. . . \$5.00 per 100.

Andes.

Andes. Bright reddish terra cotta, shaded orange and gold. A magnificent incurved flower with high built

center; stems stout and stiff; very full; in every point this is a first-class exhibition variety. Of the grandest size and form. \$10.00 per 100.

Ada Spalding. Too well known to need description. Pink and white, of globe shape, \$4.00 per 100.

Ada H. LeRoy. A fine variety, petals broad and incurving, full to the center; color, deep rose pink, extra large flower; fine for exhibition; a grand sort. \$6.00 per 100.

Abraham Lincoln. Rich cream color; the petals are trumpet-shaped, with Elkhorn tips, and are arranged to form a perfect half ball; one of the largest among chrysanthi, totally distinct, and of the grandest build. A half dwarf—stocky, strong grower. A sensational variety. \$15.00 per 100.

Baron Hirsch. A grand incurved bloom of massive build, and fine proportions; very fine in form; color bright amber, inside of petals crimson; a very great favorite across the water, where it was awarded five certificates. 50 cts. each.

Brydon, Jr. Clear, soft yellow, shade of H. Cannell; extra large petals, twisting and incurving to center in same style, although not as compact; flowers of largest size, borne on strong stems. \$10.00 per 100.

Bertha Welch. Clear, soft pink, reverse silvery pink; large, fine flower. \$4.00 per 100.

Beacon. Large open white flower of immense size, with broad petals; a grand exhibition variety, color, purest white. \$5.00 per 100.

Black Beauty. Dark crimson red; a most magnificent variety for the exhibition table. This is one of the largest Chrysanthemums when well done; should be in every collection \$8.00 per 100.

Clinton Chalfant. (W. A. Chalfant.) A bright yellow sport from Jos. H. White, which it exactly resembles in all points except color. This must prove a valuable pot variety, like its progenitor. . 35c. each; \$3.00 per doz.

Chas. Davis.

Chas. Davis. An English sport from V. Morel, which it resembles in all save color, which is a terra cotta or old rose, shading to clear yellow at the center. Like V. Morel, it undergoes a great change in color as it matures, and is often found a clear yellow, which led to its being characterized as the "Golden V. Morel." A grand exhibition sort. 50 cts. each; \$40.00 per 100.

Creole. Deep claret, reverse of petals bright garnet; large, bold flowers, with broad but not coarse petals. \$10.00 per 100.

C. B. Whitnall. Color, soft velvety maroon, absolutely distinct. A grand globular exhibition variety, while it is unexcelled for pots. A strong, vigorous grower \$8.00 per 100.

Chromatella. A nice, globular yellow, of beautiful form and finish; dahlia like petals; of medium size. \$4.00 per 100.

Century. Of the general form of Niveus, and of fine size; a grand grower; good stem; color, rosy violet. Not yet disseminated. \$10.00 per 100.

Dr. H. D. Hull. Like Harry Balsley, with same style of growth, flowers equally double and of greater diameter; color, light cameo pink; the outer petals fade to white, while the center retains its color; petals very long and broad \$5.00 per 100.

Dr. Covert. Bright golden yellow; perfectly double; nicely incurving; of great substance. This follows Widener in season of bloom; good late variety; always scarce \$10.00 per 100.

Dr. Callandreau. Brilliant canary yellow, upper half of flower, lower half almost white; a choice variety of exceeding beauty; very early; fine for pots . \$4.00 per 100.

Ernst Rieman. A fine, bold flower, of heavy texture and splendid form. Color, mahogany red; tips of

petals, old gold; a strong grower, fine for specimen plant or cut bloom. \$5.00 per 100.

Etoile de Lyon. Varies in color at times, from pearl white, to clear, soft lilac; one of the largest varieties, and very beautiful; fine for exhibition. . \$5.00 per 100.

Eda Prass. A fine recurving flower of great substance and depth; white shaded blush; fine for exhibition; has made a grand record at all the recent shows, both at home and abroad. \$5.00 per 100.

Emma Dorner. Large ball shaped flowers of fine substance; deep violet pink, an improvement in color over Violet Rose. \$4.00 per 100.

Edward Hatch. Flowers of immense size, almost spherical; outer petals recurving slightly; quite double, and carried on a good stem. The color is a soft lemon, suffused with pink \$4.00 per 100.

E. G. Hill. Immense flower; bright yellow, deeply shaded bright carmine; imported Japanese; a prize winner everywhere; especially good for pots . \$4.00 per 100.

Elegant. An ideal cut flower, pure white, of great refinement both in build and general make-up; very full; stem slender but very stiff; not yet disseminated. \$10.00 per 100.

Eva Hoyte. An immense double Japanese bloom, of clearest and brightest yellow; a solid ball with full, high built center. A grand late variety . . . \$10.00 per 100.

Emma Hitzeroth. A magnificent extra large flower, petals broad and peculiarly arranged, completely filling the center. Bright lemon yellow. \$4.00 per 100.

Enfant des D. Mondes.

Enfant des D. Mondes. (Crozy.) The white sport from Louis Boehmer. We predict that this variety will displace Mrs. A. Hardy; first, because it is a strong, free grower; second, because it perfects its flowers readily; and third, because the bloom is of grand size and build. The color is creamy white, shading to pure white; it is very heavily plumed. Fine for cut bloom or for exhibition. 35 cents each; \$25.00 per 100.

Eva Robinson. Deep pink, petals broad and incurving, a fine addition to the large incurving Japanese varieties. \$4.00 per 100

Flora Hill. Probably the finest white in existence; an immense double flower of great substance and depth; inner petals incurving, outer petals horizontal. A splendid late variety; lasts indefinitely when cut. \$15.00 per 100.

Frank Thomson. A fine pearl pink variety, shading to white; an improvement over Mrs. Frank Thomson, though also hollow centered; beautiful when cut at the right time. A fine grower, with stiff stems. \$5.00 per 100.

Frank Wilcox. Medium size; color not surpassed—bright orange. Splendid for growing into large specimens for exhibition. \$4.00 per 100.

Geo. R. Gause. The variety Walter Coles has been greatly admired, both here and abroad, for its unique color, a bright bronze, or terra cotta; the present variety is almost identical in color, while the size is immense, and is nearly as great in depth as in diameter; shows no eye. \$5.00 per 100.

Golden Wedding. Deep, bright golden yellow, of shining texture; very large in size; petals large and channeled lengthwise; a fine exhibition sort. \$8.00 per 100.

Gloriana. Clear lemon yellow, new and distinct type, very broad folded and incurved petals, resembling a ball of silk ribbon. \$5.00 per 100.

Golden Gate. Old gold and tawny yellow, quite distinct, full center, large spreading flowers of regular form. Stout stems, long, wide petals of good substance. The size is immense; the largest flowers in the Indianapolis show were of this variety; color grand. \$4.00 per 100.

Gloriosum. One of the best early varieties of yellow. Burns badly, but this trouble is aggravated by too strong feeding. \$4.00 per 100.

G. F. Moseman. (Baronald.) Red and gold; immense incurved. \$8.00 per 100.

George W. Childs. Deep rich velvety crimson, with no shade of brown or chestnut; a grand red sort. \$4.00 per 100.

Gettysburgh. A very large, deep red variety; darker than Geo. W. Childs. Extra fine. . \$5.00 per 100.

H. Cannell. A fine yellow; large golden ball. Very early; good exhibition sort. \$4.00 per 100.

Harry E. Widener. Very fine yellow. Those desiring fine cut flowers should plant this variety extensively, and it is still a winner at all the shows; it had no rival till Mrs. C. Lippincott and E. Dailledouze came upon the scene. \$6.00 per 100.

Hazel Gallagher. Large incurving flowers; bright rose pink, reflex of petals silvery pink. The flowers form a complete ball; very distinct stiff stems; good grower. \$4.00 per 100.

H. F. Spaulding. A grand Japanese variety; color, rich apricot yellow shading to rose, center petals clear

yellow, bloom solid and double; high built; habit strong and robust. \$8.00 per 100.

Harry May. Flowers very large and deep, double; forming, when well opened, a massive sphere; color, deep old gold, with occasional veins of red; petals very broad and thick. \$4.00 per 100.

Harry Balsley. A magnificent variety of the Hallock type. Fine for cut flowers; soft mermet pink in color; grand for exhibition. \$5.00 per 100.

Hicks Arnold. A strong growing variety, bearing large, full double flowers of an old gold color. When fully open, the flower is almost spherical. \$4.00 per 100.

H. L. Sunderbruch. Bright golden yellow, of Japanese incurving form; excellent either for pots or cut bloom. A good exhibition sort of fine size. \$10.00 per 100.

Henshaw. Very novel; color, deep velvety garnet, very distinctly edged with white, flowers large and perfectly full, outer petals horizontal, showing the color beautifully. A valuable and unique sort. \$10.00 per 100.

Himalaya. Pure white flowers, very double and perfectly incurved; a California sort that is bound to become better known. \$10.00 per 100.

Illuminator. Very deep bright clear yellow; large full round flowers, with broad, straight petals; excellent keeper, with good stem and foliage. . . . \$5.00 per 100.

Irma. A grand self-pink, of perfect form; flowers very double, on strong foot-stalks; growth all that can be desired. Large incurved Chinese. . . \$5.00 per 100.

Ivory. Unexcelled for pot culture or cutting; pure white flower, of exquisite form and finish. Has been shown in grand shape at all the recent exhibitions; it is especially noticeable for its grand globular form, its dahlia-like petals and absolute purity of color. \$4.00 per 100.

Jno. Shrimpton. (An English novelty of last year.) Velvety crimson scarlet, a seedling from Cullingfordii; a grand Japanese reflexed of magnificent form; splendid habit, only growing 3 to 4 feet; flower much superior to Cullingfordii. 50 cents each.

Jennie Williams. Creamy white with yellow shadings; extremely double; petals upright and somewhat incurving; outer petals broader; massive, and grand in build; a splendid exhibition variety; good grower. \$8.00 per 100.

Joey Hill. Of the very grandest size; we know of nothing larger in the entire family. Color, deep cardinal red of beautiful shade, faced with old gold; the outer petals are flat, showing the color to good advantage; the center is an immense mass of closely packed petals, no room for another one apparently. Very strong in growth. An entire new departure in reds. Much admired at the fall shows. \$8.00 per 100.

Judge Hoitt. The greatest break in seedlings of recent years; an anemone fully eight inches across; color, pale pearl pink; the outer petals are broad and incurving, some three rows in depth. These form a saucer, enclosing a broad disc of central florets of wide open trumpet

shape which rise and fill the flower into rounded form from side to side. A nice free grower, and of very easy management. Received certificate from the National Chrysanthemum Society of England, fall of 1893.

\$10.00 per 100.

Joseph H. White. Large pure white flowers of grand size and form. Splendid for pot culture, but especially desirable for cut flowers. . . . \$4.00 per 100.

John H. Taylor. Large, reflexed, plumed flowers; ground of flower white, flaked and mottled a lovely shade of pink; strong stems, and growth of the best.

\$5.00 per 100.

J. Schuyler Mathews. Style of C. Orchard; finely incurved, showing no center; red bronze, reflex of petals gold; one of the finest of its class; strong stems; good grower \$5.00 per 100.

Jessica. For general purposes, as a cut flower and as a show variety, it is ahead of anything yet produced. It is the earliest large white in existence, flowering by the 9th of October; flowers average 6 inches in diameter; and when grown to a single flower, 10 inches.

\$4.00 per hundred.

John McLaren. Color, ivory white; medium early; petals broad and incurved. Has proved first-class.

\$6.00 per 100.

Kioto. Very large incurved yellow; strong, free grower. Extra fine. Good for cut bloom. Does well as large specimens \$4.00 per 100.

Lillian Bird. Shrimp pink, of immense size; found in every winning collection \$4.00 per 100.

L. Canning. One of the most highly prized among whites; should be in every collection. . . \$4.00 per 100.

Lily Bates. Very large, perfectly double; clear, bright pink; petals broad and flat. A distinct form.

\$4.00 per 100.

Lizzie Cartledge. Extra large, full double flower; under row of petals reflexed; color dark rose, reverse silvery white. One of the best of all the exhibition varieties; can be depended on. . . . \$6.00 per 100.

Louis Boehmer. The violet-pink variety of Hardy type; a strong, fine grower. In soils that bring this the lighter shades of pink, it is all that could be desired.

\$4.00 per hundred.

Leonora Sievers. A grand white incurved Japanese; petals broad and full to the center; flowers of immense size. Fine for exhibition \$10.00 per 100.

Lillian Cross. Petals smooth and glossy; high center; color, deep clear yellow. . . . \$4.00 per 100.

Louise Sievers. A large incurved flower with high built center, and reflexing outer petals; deep primrose yellow. Habit and stem good. One of the finest novelties of '93 \$10.00 per 100.

Lagoon. The peculiar color found in Mrs. J. M. Morrissey, might be described as "Ashes of Roses." Flower of immense size, grand in form; indispensable for exhibition. Not yet disseminated . . \$15.00 per 100.

Miss Mary Wheeler. Pearl white; extra large blooms. One of the most popular. Petals delicately tinted pale pink \$4.00 per 100.

Miss M. Colgate. Flowers hemispherical, compact, with a full center; petals broad, incurved. A pure white variety; a strong grower and free flower . \$4.00 per 100.

Miss Helyett. Flowers slightly incurving; color, maroon, reverse of petals shaded lighter, after the style of Mrs. E. W. Clarke. . . . \$4.00 per 100.

Miss Sue Price. Bright clear pink, with straight twisted petals, forming a perfectly round ball, in the way of "Joseph H. White," but much larger . \$10.00 per 100.

Miss M. Simpkins. An immense incurved Chinese bloom, of pure white; a solid ball with high center, style of L. C. Madeira; grand for any purpose.

\$6.00 per 100.

Miss Kate Brown. Early white, coming into bloom the first week in October; fully six inches across; a fine incurved flower with broad petals; first-class disbudded, and also beautiful in natural sprays. . . \$3.00 per 100.

Mrs. L. C. Madiera.

Mrs. L. C. Madiera. A perfect compact globe of bright orange color petals, upright like unopened pointed quills; constitution strong; stems stiff; flowers large and of the heaviest substance. . . . \$4.00 per 100.

Mrs. E. D. Adams. Flower very large; petals of medium width, very long, twisted, the outer ones swirled; color, pure white \$4.00 per 100.

Mrs. J. M. Morrissey. A mammoth flower, with full double center; color, silvery pink, inner surface of petals bright rose; a grand exhibition bloom. . \$4.00 per 100.

Mrs. A. J. Drexel. A very early, large flowering variety, half spherical in form, petals long and arranged like rays; the color is a fine example of crimson lake; quite double, and a fine grower \$4.00 per 100.

Mrs. J. G. Whilldin. A handsome yellow variety of pure tint; splendid in size and form, and magnificent addition to the scarce, very early, large flowering varieties. Has attained great popularity . . \$3.00 per 100.

Mrs. M. J. Thomas. One of the best varieties grown, when well done. Incurving with broad petals; color, white, occasionally marked with pink. Grand for exhibition. . . . \$3.00 per 100.

Mrs. Maria Simpson.

Mrs. Maria Simpson. Color, soft chrome yellow; a fine example of the broad petaled, incurving, Japanese type, showing no center; very large; a fine grower, with stiff stems. Splendid for exhibition . . . \$6.00 per 100.

Mrs. Geo. Bullock. Flowers of the largest size; pure white. One of the very finest for commercial purposes. Identical with Domination . . . \$4.00 per 100.

Mrs. Frank Thomson. One of the old standbys for exhibition pot plants. Pink shaded with cream, lined dark carmine at times. . . . \$4.00 per 100.

Mrs. William Coupland. Flowers full and deep, of grand shape. Color, clear canary yellow, with stiff erect stems, as handsome as Dr. Callendreau, and of the heaviest substance; center bright yellow shading to white on the outer petals . . . \$8.00 per 100.

Mrs. Irving Clark. Pearl white on the margin, shading to deep rose in the center, which is beautifully whorled. Large and fine. . . . \$3.00 per 100.

Mrs. J. W. Crouch.

Mrs. J. W. Crouch. The nearest approach to self-purple yet seen; of globular Japanese form, very large in size, and petals broad and of heavy texture; quite full, double, and a strong, free grower. Splendid for exhibition . . . \$10.00 per 100.

Mrs. C. Harmon Payne. A perfect Japanese flower of fine form; bright rose and white; large deep blooms of fine form. A first-class exhibition sort . \$10.00 per 100.

Mrs. F. L. Ames. A large, finely formed flower, of brilliant golden yellow color. This is an attractive and

beautiful flower. Has proved much better than it promised last year. First-class. . . . \$10.00 per 100.

Mrs. C. Lippincott. A very rich yellow in color; flower eight inches through; the petals are long, large and incurving; a notable variety. The very finest yellow up to date, outside of the year's novelties. Grand at all the recent shows . . . \$10.00 per 100.

Mrs. Wm. Trelease. An immense violet pink flower of the Boehmer type, with form and build of Mrs. Irving Clark. Extra good . . . \$10.00 per 100.

Mrs. Leslie D. Ward. A magnificent bronze, of the Hardy type. Flowers perfect and of excellent form. This is one of the finest of the Hardy type. \$8.00 per 100.

Mrs. Robert Craig. Pure snow white, incurved to form a perfect sphere like the typical Chinese, perfectly double, and with the breadth of petal and grandeur of build found in the Japanese. Very large in size for this section . . . \$4.00 per 100.

Mrs. Jerome Jones. Large, cream white, incurved, Japanese, sometimes showing a tinge of pink; high, round flower; one of the best Chrysanthemum flowers to date. Indispensable for exhibition; grand stem and foliage . . . \$8.00 per 100.

Mrs. Jos. Thompson. Purest white, after the general style of Mrs. M. J. Thomas, but an exceedingly free grower and of the easiest possible management. Foliage very handsome and abundant. . . . \$10.00 per 100.

Mrs. Alpheus Hardy. The "ostrich plume"; pure white. A most charming variety . . . \$4.00 per 100.

Mrs. W. S. Kimball. Flower large, full, double; pale blush or creamy white, with a yellowish center; petals broad, reflexed. . . . \$4.00 per 100.

Mrs. E. W. Clarke. Large incurved Japanese of crimson violet, lined at times with white. Extra good. \$4.00 per 100.

Mrs. Fottler. Large informal flower of beautiful rose color. Fine for exhibition . . . \$4.00 per 100.

Mrs. Lay. A chaste and beautiful incurving flower. Petals cup shaped, with faintest blush lines on edges. Extremely double; fine for exhibition. . . \$4.00 per 100.

Mrs. John Westcott. Creamy pink, shading to creamy white; flowers reflexed, of enormous size. \$4.00 per 100.

Marvel. A very elegant variety; often irregularly blotched with wine; large and distinct . . \$4.00 per 100.

Marguerite Jeffords. A fine flower of bright amber color, of most rich and pleasing shade; one of the finest Chrysanthemums extant; very lasting; should be in every collection for exhibition . . . \$4.00 per 100.

Mermaid. Very delicate yet bright pink, perfectly incurving broad petals; extremely delicate in color and finish. Extra good . . . \$4.00 per 100.

Minnie Wannamaker. One of the finest in the entire Chrysanthemum family. A grand white; seen in splendid shape at the Fall shows . . . \$5.00 per 100.

Marguerite Graham. One of the grandest cut-flower whites in cultivation; in form, size, and general make up, quite similar to Mrs. L. C. Madeira among yellows. Its keeping qualities, when cut, are most remarkable.

\$8.00 per 100.

Mad'le Therese Rey. A large, finely built flower, of great strength of body and strength of petal; a rich, creamy white color; a noted variety, raised by M. Calvat, and which has stepped at once to the front row; it has received many honors at all the English shows and was one of the finest in our own winning collection. A perfect *Chrysanthemum* 25 cents each.

Maud Dean. An extra large flowered variety, petals broad and incurving, perfectly double and of great substance; color pink, almost rose, a shade not found in any other variety. A model variety for cut flower purposes in form, size, color, and stem, and also grand for exhibition \$10.00 per 100.

Mamie Lloyd. Color, a lovely shade of light lavender, an improvement on *Excellent* \$6.00 per 100.

M. B. Spaulding. An enormous clear, deep lemon yellow; immense in size; petals incurving and interlacing; center full and high, without an eye . \$10.00 per 100.

Monarch of Ostrich Plumes. (L. Boehmer x Golden Gate). Bright chrome yellow, shaded with amber; flower very large, full, and finely incurved; the finest of the yellow "Ostrich Plumes;" a grand addition.

\$10.00 per 100.

Mount Whitney. Identical in shape and formation with L. B. Bird, color, a delicate ivory white.

\$5.00 per 100.

Madame Octavie Mirbeau. A large, full double flower with long petals; rich cream white, with splendid shadings of rose and amaranth. Another of M. Calvat's fine novelties \$10.00 per 100.

Madame Isaacs. Pure white; center creamy white; a large, finely built Japanese flower of strong individual character. Extra good; fine for exhibition. A very distinct novelty 25 cents each.

Madame Edward Rey. A large bold flower of a deep pink, with creamy center. This comes early, and is a variety of good form and pleasing color. A grand novelty, extra good, either for exhibition or for cut-bloom 25 cents each.

Mme. F. Bergmann. Still the finest of all the early whites; large in size, coming into bloom October 10th.

\$4.00 per 100.

Nelly Fenton. White, with broad shining petals of great size. A great improvement on Molly Bawn.

\$4.00 per 100.

Niveus. A grand snow white variety. Center irregularly incurving with outer petals reflexing nearly to the stem. Constitution robust, foliage large and abundant, while the keeping qualities of the flowers are unsurpassed. A magnificent variety which is indispensable to every collection; in grand shape at all the shows.

\$10.00 per 100.

O. P. Bassett. The very finest example of crimson scarlet, self color in the family; exact shade of Cullingfordii; the flower is perfectly double, of great substance and very regular elegant form. Very shy in suckering.

\$15.00 per 100.

Pres. Wm. R. Smith. Color of *Daybreak* carnation, heavy in substance, on stiff stems; very free in growth and also free in propagation; the form of the flower is very beautiful in all its stages; it gradually assumes the true Japanese form, rounded and deep, and this changes to the informal reflexed; perfectly double; especially fine for cut-flowers \$5.00 per 100.

Puritan. Early white; should be in every collection; suitable for all purposes \$4.00 per 100.

Potter Palmer. Seedling from Canning; of immense size and very double. A grand keeper. Purest white in color; petals straight, of the general form of Beacon. Late \$4.00 per 100.

Princess of Chrysanthemums. Color, a delicate shade of lavender pink; forms a ball of incurving petals. One of the very largest \$5.00 per 100.

Robt. McInnes.

Robert McInnes. Might be described as a perfectly double *Mrs. Wheeler*; the color is quite as bright, both the scarlet and the gold, while it is full to the last degree, a perfect globe in form; it is quite early, being in full perfection the last week in October, and can be had earlier. Very brilliant in appearance as well as grand in size and form. One of the very grandest of last year's introduction; a sensational variety; fine at all the shows.

\$15.00 per 100.

R. Maitre. A grand variety; very double Japanese incurved, inside of petals rosy crimson, outside silvery white; of great size and substance, and an excellent grower with strong stems. Fine for exhibition.

\$8.00 per 100.

Robt. Bottomly. Very large; fine pure white; incurved. Good all 'round variety \$4.00 per 100.

Ruth Cleveland. Petals broad and incurving; outer rows reflexed; center, delicate silvery pink.

\$4.00 per 100.

Roslyn. A superb clear rose pink; petals thick and heavy; cup shaped, solid to the center; immense in size; habit the best; stems stiff and erect, covered with luxuriant foliage \$4.00 per 100.

Richmond Beauty. Brownish amber in color, perfectly incurved, very broad petals; one of the very largest flowers in the entire Chrysanthemum family and of the most regular and finely finished form. Only a slight weakness of the stem shut this out from the very front rank of the novelties of the year . . . \$15 per 100.

Secretary Farson. When opened bronze, changing to clear yellow. Probably the most double incurved variety in cultivation, forming perfect sphere. There is none that resembles it except Mrs. Louis Childs Madeira. \$4.00 per 100.

San Joaquin. Center light lemon yellow, guard petals pure white. A fine anemone. One of the largest Chrysanthemums grown. \$6.00 per 100.

Sugar Loaf. Everybody's Chrysanthemum, being a fine grower, and perfecting numerous extra large flowers of bright yellow or bronze yellow; inner petals incurving, outer petals reflexed \$4.00 per 100.

Source d'Or. Bright orange, with gold shadings. Splendid for cutting; an old sort, but still one of the best. \$4.00 per 100.

Sierra Nevada. A grand white, very pure in color, of fine, stocky dwarf habit; flower of fine shape and substance. Extra good \$5.00 per 100.

The Queen.

The Queen. A grand double white, of fine size and great substance. Very rounded in form, incurving and full. Probably the most valuable novelty of 1893; by far the best of its style and a prize winner wherever shown; this year has given us three of our grandest whites: Queen, Niveus, and W. G. Newitt, nearly equal in merit and totally distinct \$10.00 per 100.

The Cathedral. A grand flower of great depth; full and recurving, pure waxen white. \$6.00 per 100.

V. H. Hallock. Rosy pearl, deeper in center; incurved and twisting center; petals convex, rounding downward; magnificent variety \$4.00 per 100.

Vivian-Morel. This grand variety has literally leaped into popularity. Simply indispensable. \$6.00.

Wm. Seward. Deep rich crimson; in size equal to V. Morel, but after the general form of *Niveus*; straight petals arranged to give the flower great depth; very full. 50 cents each.

W. H. Lincoln. Rich golden yellow of finest form and shape. Splendid for cut flowers, magnificent bush plant. A No. 1 for all purposes \$4.00 per 100.

W. N. Rudd. Color, pale lavender pink of pleasing shade. The petals are very long, the outer ones drooping, and all are of the curiously notched formation seen in Elksborn; a good, free grower. Perfectly double; a fine cut flower variety. \$5.00 per 100.

W. G. Newitt.

W. G. Newitt. Pure white with long drooping petals from the outer rows, centre petals upright; very informal in arrangement, of large size; the foliage extends up the stem quite to the receptacle and acts as a support for the reflexed petals, broadening the flower very much in effect. Owing to an oversight until too late to remedy, this fine white was omitted from our plants benched for exhibition; we shall show this in fine shape the coming fall, when it will be found very near the top of the pyramid. It has delighted all who grew it.

\$10.00 per 100.

Wyndmoor. A full, double Japanese novelty of the largest size, without an eye; style and shape of Mrs. I. Clark, except in color, which is a rich chestnut red, similar to W. W. Coles, but brighter \$10.00 per 100.

Enterprise. (Japanese Anemone). Ray florets long, tubular, with points spathulate; light rose, disc large, creamy white, tipped sulphur-yellow; blooms large, of fine form. Two first-class Certificates. . . 50 cts. each.

Ermenilda. A fine seedling from Ada Spaulding. Outer petals reflexing with a high incurved center; strong footstalks, with abundant foliage well up to the bloom. Color, a soft pleasing shade of pure rose-pink without shadings. \$5.00 per 100.

GERANIUMS.

STYLE OF THE DOUBLE BRUANTS.

NEW BRUANTS.

General Dodds. Plant very dwarf in habit, and foliage very heavy; leaves beautifully dented; trusses very large indeed; florets more than 2 inches in diameter; color, soft vermilion; of grand effect. Single.

Mme. Chas. Molin. Trusses and florets enormous; color, clear, bright salmon, white eye. Remarkable for the beauty of the trusses, and also for its lovely color. Plant semi-dwarf, zoned in black, and very fine in bloom. Single.

Comte d'Elbee. Single. Habit rather dwarf, foliage beautifully zoned; trusses immense, on rigid stems; florets immense; color, tender rose, passing to bright rose; very distinct. A decided novelty in this race.

W. P. Simmons. Single. A novelty remarkable for its dwarf stature and its brilliant and abundant bloom; color, extremely bright orange scarlet; flowers well up above the foliage, and of grand size.

Ville de Poitiers. Double. There is nothing finer than this in the Bruant race. Color, rosy-scarlet, very clear and bright; trusses very large, composed of enormous florets, nearly 3 inches across, and of the peculiarly beautiful form of *Beaute Poitevine*. Very free, producing an elegant effect when massed.

J. J. Harrison. Double. Brilliant capucine scarlet; florets of enormous size; habit all that could be desired; a fine bedder and a most effective sort.

25 Cents, Each.

EIGHT NOVEL FANCY SINGLES.

Midsummer. Among all the round-flowering fancy Geraniums, *Midsummer* leads, for it is an advance both in size and substance over *Beauty of Kent*, and others of this class. The florets are quite circular, and of heavy substance, while the color is clear, soft salmon, bordered lighter.

Hecla. Crimson-scarlet or carmine, of the loveliest shade; florets very large and finely formed. One of the finest of the fancy reds.

W. L. Gumm. A most beautiful example of the *Mirande* type, proving most effective as a bedder, as it does not present the washed and faded appearance of *Mirande* when grown outside; the colors are very bright and distinct, being pure white and brilliant rosy-scarlet.

Eric. Deep scarlet, of very soft, bright shade; florets very large and circular; a fine grower, and one of the most showy for pots.

Fred Kanst. (E. G. Hill's). One of the grandest of all the scarlet bedders; has stood the sun and been a mass of color during our exceptionally hot summer of '93; footstalks very long, color very bright yet soft. We are proud to claim it as our own seedling.

Nellie Woods. (E. G. Hill's). Floret large and finely formed; truss immense; a beautiful grower, fine both for pots and bedding; color, a bright salmon, marbled in white.

Hoosier. (E. G. Hill's). Petals overlapping, and floret slightly cupped on long footstalks; truss large and informal; color, brilliant rosy-scarlet. We cheerfully recommend this as a bedder of the very highest order.

Gustave Moreau. Trusses exceptionally large; florets of fine size; color, soft silvery lilac, lighter at the center. A fine French variety, of unusual merit in this color.

25 Cents, Each.

ENGLISH ROUND-FLOWERED SECTION.

The grandest of the fancy pot varieties; they attract instant attention wherever they are nicely grown. See page 24 for NOVELTIES in this section. *Midsummer*, *Hecla*, *Eric*, *F. Kanst*, *Nellie Woods*, and *Hoosier*.

Lady Brooke. Petals lapping and of great substance; quite round; color, white with delicate pink mark in the center; very striking, trusses of fine size \$15.00 per 100.

Mrs. Robert Cannell. Clear, brilliant salmon, a decided improvement on all the darker salmons. Habit very dwarf, flower of elegant form, trusses large, and very freely produced. A grand variety. \$15.00 per 100.

Brilliant. Single. A grand scarlet, very fine circular florets and beautiful trusses. One of the grandest of all the single scarlets. \$10.00 per 100.

Duke of Fife. Brilliant orange scarlet, very striking; of sturdy habit; fine for winter. \$10.00 per 100.

Wedding Ring. Very high shade of orange scarlet, flower of fine circular form; habit excellent. \$15.00 per 100.

Lord Roseberry. Flower quite round, of bright scarlet color beautifully shaded with rich crimson. Petals of great substance, broad and overlapping; of splendid habit; a grand addition to this color. \$15.00 per 100.

Rev. H. Harries. Single. Soft rosy red, producing perfectly circular florets, forming trusses immense size, and freely produced. \$10.00 per 100.

Scarlet Cloth. Single. Floret of the grandest size; quite circular and petals overlapping. Color, rich scarlet; dazlingly beautiful. \$10.00 per 100.

FIVE NEW DOUBLE VARIETIES.

Chas. Rabutot. Immense trusses, on long stems, make this variety very showy. The color is a peculiar and beautiful shade of heliotrope-pink. Florets large and nicely formed.

Leonard Kelway. Glowing carmine; very bright and attractive, the petals showing a peculiar gloss; color as fine as *S. A. Nutt*, while the truss is much larger; a grand addition to the dark reds, which are always in great demand.

Alpine Beauty. What *S. A. Nutt* is among dark reds, *Alpine Beauty* is among double whites. It is very dwarf, with stiff, neat foliage, the flower stems are long and stiff. Both floret and truss are of unusual size, and it has stood the sun finely, proving a grand bedder. We consider this the finest double white up to this date.

Ernest Kelway. Vivid scarlet, with grand truss; everything that could be desired, both in habit and quality of bloom.

Mme. Jouis. (Bruant). A very beautiful variety; color, bright rose at the center, with a wide border of flesh color or white; florets of the very largest size, semi-double, and flat in form. A grand addition to the doubles.

25 Cents, Each.

Type of a Good Double Flower.

MIRANDE SECTION.

Comte Netumieres. Bright orange vermillion, the three lower petals cream-white. A magnificent and very distinct addition to the type. \$15.00 per 100.

Jeanne d' Arc. A souvenir Mirande, in carmine-scarlet; large, high colored, and in every way an exquisitely beautiful sort. \$5.00 per 100.

Jacques Caillot. A larger flower than Mirande, with slightly deeper markings. \$4.00 per 100.

Souvenir de Mirande. Too well known to need describing. \$3.00 per 100.

Madam Delamarre. A bright rosy crimson, with heavy white markings on the upper petals. The habit is Dwarf, compact, and with its great freedom of bloom make it a most excellent bedder. \$6.00 per 100.

W. L. Gumm. Don't fail to note this variety; it is found among the Novelties on page 24 of this list.

❖ E. G. HILL'S NOVELTIES ❖

OF LAST YEAR.

Have given universal satisfaction the country over. They are varieties of extraordinary merit, and will add value to the most select collection.

The 8 Varieties for \$1.00.

Benjamin Schroder. Light green foliage that is very bright in color; flowers extremely large, of soft rosy-pink color, with distinct white blotch on the upper petals; of satiny texture; petals slightly recurving.

Bill Nye. Color, peach shading to pale salmon, flower of fine size and form. A splendid grower of nice compact habit.

Gettysburg. Bright crimson maroon of beautiful shade; flower very large and of fine form. An extra beautiful dark variety.

Jno. Good. Truss of enormous size and quite globular in form; stem long and rigid; a grand improvement on Lady Rosberry; color being clear salmon, lightly edged with white.

L. Swartling. Center of the floret is scarlet flame, shading out to salmon; floret large and truss immense. A fine grower.

Marie Stuart. Soft rosy-scarlet with large white eye, very large circular florets forming a truss of fine size.

Spotted Beauty. A fine advance on *Spotted Gem*; the color is soft rosy lavender, and is heavily dotted about the center with points of bright crimson; the floret is quite circular with petals overlapping, and is of fine size. An extremely fine fancy sort.

Violet Queen. This truss is enormous, and is of most beautiful shading of rose and heliotrope; an exceedingly fine fancy sort that catches the eye at once.

Last Year's Novelties from Abroad.

Banquise. Single. A strong and very compact grower, foliage bright green; trusses enormous, on very long stems; pure white throughout the season. M. Bruant pronounces it the very finest white ever introduced for bedding. 15 cents each.

Dr. Levavasseur. Single. A fancy variety peculiarly blotched and shaded; immense trusses of large

florets, the three lower petals are orange cerise marked with lilac which shades into cerise; free and vigorous. This flower produces a beautiful effect. 15 cents each.

James Kelway. Single. A most beautiful crimson scarlet, of fine size and satiny texture. Two upper petals slightly recurving. Very pretty. 15 cents each.

Beatrice Kelway. Double. Flesh tinted salmon, lighted up with white. Perfect in habit, and a grand truss. 15 cents each.

M. Remy Martin. Double. Dwarf and free-branching, producing flowers abundantly throughout the season. Enormous spherical trusses high above the foliage. Color beautiful rose, marked pure white on the upper petals, lilac on the two lower petals. 15 cents each.

Mme. Ch. Dabouche. Double. Extremely free in bloom, with enormous trusses composed of large round

flowers; color, bright rose, shading to apple-bloom pink. A superb variety. 15 cents each.

Prof. Poirault. Double. Very stiff stems, bearing trusses of the very largest size; florets large and of brilliant violet color, the upper petals very distinctly marked with orange. One of the most beautiful of the fancy doubles. 15 cents each.

Th. Lavalle. Single. Extremely free in bloom; nice trusses composed of large round flowers; pure salmon, the center netted with white. 15 cents each.

The Set of 8 for \$1.00.

OLDER BRUANTS.

Alfred Tennyson. Double. Very large trusses, composed of very large flowers, semi-double. Color, clear orange, petals marked with heliotrope. \$6.00 per 100.

Aurora Boreale. Extra large flowers of most beautiful scarlet. For fine massing, and one of the showiest and finest of the whole Braunt race. \$5.00 per 100.

Bruant. Semi-double. Color of the flower a vermillion red, of a most pleasing shade. The flowers are absolutely perfect in shape, contour and make-up; trusses exceptionally large and borne in immense spherical balls, often measuring eight inches in diameter. The best scarlet bedder extant. \$4.00 per 100.

Barbizet. Individual flowers very large, borne on long footstalks. Color, fresh bright rose, maculated with white on upper petals. Single flowers. \$6.00 per 100.

Blanch Moulas. Very light salmon, edged about the petals with white. One of the finest of the lighter Bruants. \$4.00 per 100.

Dr. Thouvenet. Double. Very large double flowers of bright clear cherry red. A grand variety. \$4.00 per 100.

Gloire Poitevine. Large trusses of immense size. Rich red, shaded orange, with a white eye. Very vigorous and free. \$4.00 per 100.

Heteranthe. Double Gen. Grant. Quite similar to Bruant, save that it is a softer shade of colors, while still very brilliant. Another grand variety. \$4.00 per 100.

La Tarasque. Very large clear salmon flower, grand and beautiful beyond description; once seen is never forgotten. \$4.00 per 100.

Mrs. E. G. Hill. Single. Floret $2\frac{1}{2} \times 2$ inches. The center of each petal is a soft light salmon, bordered with rosy-salmon and veined deep rose. Frequently throws six petals. Bruant's novelty of last year; not to be confused with the old variety of the same name. Resembles a rare Begonia bloom more than a Geranium. \$6.00 per 100.

M. Emile Barre. Large, finely formed florets, borne in immense trusses. Vermillion-red flowers. Fine for massing. Single flowered. A very attractive and showy variety. \$6.00 per 100.

M. P. Olombel. Rich vermillion-scarlet, with orange shadings. An attractive variety, carrying immense spherical trusses of flowers. Single flowered; attracts attention wherever seen. \$6.00 per 100.

Mme. Nonry. Flowers of rosy-lilac of great size. Very distinct color among the Bruants. \$5.00 per 100.

M. Louis Fages. A beautiful compact grower; nicely zoned flowers of the largest size; trusses fine. Semi-double, clear bright orange scarlet. Extra fine. \$10.00 per 100.

M. Poinsignon. Flowers of the very largest size; bright rosy pink; a grand variety. \$5.00 per 100.

Protee. Single. Flowers very large and freely produced in immense trusses. Color, silvery lilac, white shadings changing to silvery pink. A splendid sort. \$4.00 per 100.

M. E. Gailletet. Single. Habit strong; foliage beautifully zoned; trusses immense; color, tender rose, passing to bright rose; very distinct; a decided novelty in this race. The best pink of the Bruant type. \$6.00 per 100.

GENERAL COLLECTION OF EXTRA FINE SORTS.

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Or, 100 Plants, in 50 Fine Sorts, for \$5.00, Our Selection.

100 " 100 Finer Sorts, 8.00, " "

The above offers will give any Florist a first-rate opportunity to stock up with the best existing sorts, at remarkably low figures.

A. Fleurot. Double orange shadings over currant red. A fine grower. \$4.00 per 100.

Aimee Goubin. Double. Violet crimson, scarlet shadings; very large florets and immense trusses. A good bedder. \$4.00 per 100.

Alphonse Daudet. Single. One of the finest of the reddish salmons. \$4.00 per 100.

A. Dupre. Double. Very large flower of soft even shade red. \$4.00 per 100.

Alfred Tennyson. Semi-double. Color of the flower a vermillion red, of a most pleasing shade. The flowers are absolutely perfect in shape, contour and make-up; trusses exceptionally large and borne in immense spherical balls, often measuring eight inches in diameter. Best scarlet bedder extant. \$6.00 per 100.

Baron Duranteau. Double. Magnificent flower of fine crimson color, upper petals marked scarlet. \$4.00 per 100.

Buffalo Bill. Double. Extra fine variety; cream color, marbled in soft bright rose; florets large and of fine form. \$6.00 per 100.

Countess de la Baume. Double. A beautiful rose colored variety, fine for bedding. \$4.00 per 100.

Copernic. Single. Floret perfectly round; a lively, beautiful shade of rosy carmine, changing to salmon, with white eye. Very large truss on long footstalks. Certificated in London. \$6.00 per 100.

Centaur. Double. Among double pinks this carries, probably, the largest and most perfect truss. A grand sort. \$4.00 per 100.

Ensign. Queen of West x Souv. Mirande. A marvelous bedding variety; the superior of any variety extant for producing bloom; compact, sturdy grower; covered the entire summer with its large trusses of bright scarlet; upper petals rosy scarlet, lower petals deep scarlet. \$4.00 per 100.

Georges Pradines. Double. A nice thrifty grower of good habit; flower a fine wine color of beautiful rose-form. \$4.00 per 100.

Hermine. Double. Pure white; a fine grower. \$6.00 per 100.

Henri de Bornier. Large trusses of double flowers, pure white; plant covered with bloom; one of the very finest introductions of later years. The floret and truss are quite as good as in La Favorite, while it is a stronger and fuller grower. \$8.00 per 100.

Jean d'Arc. Single. A Souv. d'Mirande in carmine scarlet. A grand variety; floret and truss of very fine size. Extra good. \$5.00 per 100.

Jules Lartigue. Double. Upper petals shaded carmine; base, lilac; free in bloom. \$4.00 per 100.

Leon Perault. Single. Almost identical with Queen of the West, partaking of all of its good qualities, but a deeper, richer color. Splendid bedder. \$4.00 per 100.

L'Immortel. Single. Dwarf and bushy; very free; trusses large. Color lavender and rosy wine color, a diamond shape "eye" of lighter color. \$5.00 per 100.

La Favorite. Double. A singularly good double white, which very rarely "pinks." Good dwarf habit and a fine bedder. \$4.00 per 100.

Lowell. Parentage same as above, but of a soft cerise scarlet. Will rank as one of the finest and best of all Geraniums in its color, for bedding purposes. \$5.00 per 100.

Mrs. J. M. Gaar.

Mrs. J. M. Gaar. Our own raising. A cross between Queen of the West and La Favorite. Absolutely perfect as a bedding variety; never burns; is of dwarf, compact habit; and in freedom of bloom is superior to all whites, and equal to the best scarlet bedders. It is away ahead of all others, and fills a long felt want in a white bedder. We guarantee this to stand in any park or cemetery in the country where it is planted. Large truss, very floriferous; perfect habit. \$5.00 per 100.

M. Sandorf. Double. Orange salmon with silver shadings. Flowers large and nicely shaped. \$4.00 per 100.

Montesquien. Double. Soft lavender pink of even shade; form of a rose, quite circular in form. A grand variety. \$6.00 per 100.

Marguerite de Layres. Single. A grand single white; plants a mass of white bloom; trusses of the grandest size; florets extra large and of the purest white. Plant robust. Grand for either pots or bedding. \$4.00 per 100.

Meteor. Rosy wine color. \$4.00 per 100.

Queen of the West. Single. Standard Scarlet bedder. \$4.00 per 100.

Re Umberto. Double. A strong growing variety, producing large flowers on long stems. Color brilliant orange red with brighter shadings. \$4.00 per 100.

Ruy Blas. Double. Very large florets in medium sized trusses. Large center of fiery salmon, edges rosy. Extra good. \$4.00 per 100.

Sam Sloan. Single. Fine velvety crimson; carrying quantities of immense trusses. An excellent bedder. \$4.00 per 100.

S. A. Nutt. Double. Dark crimson; florets of perfect form and large size. Trusses massive and produced in great quantity. \$4.00 per 100.

Trophee. Single. Rosy flesh, tinted lilac, which deepens at the center. Trusses very large. \$4.00.

White Swan. Double. Of dwarf bushy habit, bearing a profusion of large double trusses. Flowers pure white. \$4.00 per 100.

W. A. Chalfant. Dazzling scarlet; florets circular and slightly cupped, forming a magnificent truss; heavy foliage, assuring it a good bedder. This is superior to Queen of the West, Gen. Sheridan, or any of the old scarlet bedding varieties—nicer in habit, with larger truss. Seeded from Bruant, crossed with Queen of the West. \$5.00 per 100.

DOUBLE IVY GERANIUMS.

ONE NOVELTY.

Remarkable. (Lemoine). Perhaps the finest Ivy to date. In size of flower, richness of color, it stands unequalled. Color, deep, rich red. Flowers of immense size and substance. 35 cts. each.

P. Crozy. A grand hybrid between the Zonales and Ivies, having the foliage of the former, but very heavy in texture, while the forms of truss and florets are found only among the Ivies; the color is soft bright scarlet, with veinings of maroon; the habit is perfect, and it is a grand bedder. One of the finest novelties of the year; extra profuse in bloom. \$5.00 per 100.

Souv. Chas. Turner. One of the handsomest Ivy Geraniums ever introduced. Florets $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches, in trusses 6 inches across. The color is a deep bright pink, approaching scarlet in color; the upper petals

feathered maroon. Quite double. Awarded numerous certificates. \$5.00 per 100.

Jean d'Arc. A grand variety; the nearest approach to a pure white in the family. \$6.00 per 100.

Comte H. de Choiseul. Florets, two inches across; pale blush, bordered salmon, very free. \$4.00 per 100.

Eden Marchii. Flowers are very large; rosy-salmon, shaded violet. \$4.00 per 100.

La Rosiere. A lovely shade of rich, glistening rose color; of perfect shape. \$4.00 per 100.

Edw. Charton. Lilac-porcelain in color, quite novel; very free, and flowers of grand size; dwarf and spreading. \$4.00 per 100.

Galilee. Light rosy-pink, veined with lilac; extra good. \$4.00 per 100.

Gl. de Lorraine. Bright cherry color; beautiful rosette form; very large. \$4.00 per 100.

ODD GERANIUMS.

Marshal McMahon. One of the best of the bronzes. \$4.00 per 100.

Mrs. Pollock. Tri-color Geranium. Bright bronzed zone, belted with crimson and edged with golden yellow. A beautiful variety. \$8.00 per 100.

Happy Thought. A tri-color Geranium, with very dark green foliage, having a light, creamy, almost white center, with a dark band about the light zone. It is a beautiful plant, and the flowers bright scarlet. \$4.00 per 100.

SCENTED GERANIUMS.

\$4.00 per 100.

Rose. { Large leaf.
 { Small " "

Nutmeg.

Mrs. Taylor.

New Carnations for 1894.

Helen Keller. (Lonsdale.) One of the very largest and most beautifully formed carnations ever introduced; does not burst its calyx; exceedingly free flowering, and producing extra good, long stout stems. A strong, vigorous and healthy grower. Color clear, white ground, delicately and very evenly marked with bright scarlet, giving it a very pleasing and effective finish. Cuttings from the sand ready March 15.

\$3.00 per dozen, \$12.00 per 100.

2-inch potted plants, \$2.00 per 100 additional.

The Stuart. (Dorner.) The color is like the rich shade of scarlet found in so many Geraniums. Growth vigorous and strong. Foliage large and deep green. Flower stems very long and strong, carrying the flowers with very little support; calyx never bursting; very free; blooms from November to July. \$10.00 per 100.

Uncle John. (Dorner.) An excellent white variety from Silver Spray and Hinze's White, in the third generation. It has the grassy appearance of Hinze's White, but with larger blades. Growth very strong and luxuriant; flower stems long, wiry and strong; calyx never bursting. Flowers large, finely formed—fringed and purest white; far freer in bloom than either of its parents. \$10.00 per 100; \$75.00 per 1,000.

E. A. Wood. (Dorner.) Of the very largest size, and the most beautiful and distinct among variegated varieties. The color is Edna Craig pink, penciled

much brighter; the form and build of the flower are simply perfect; the stem is stiff and wiry; the calyx good; the strongest admirer of the "self" pinks could not fail to like this bright, beautiful variety.

\$10.00 per 100.

Goldfinch. (Dorner.) A good yellow variety, quite similar in color to Buttercup, and averaging pretty well with that variety in size, while it is of much better growth than Buttercup, and very much freer in bloom. Its ready growth and quantities of flowers produced will make it very valuable. \$10.00 per 100.

Adelaide Kresken. (Herb.) Originated 1891. A strong grower, free from rust; grows 2 feet high, stiff stem, good calyx, color, rose pink; probably the largest carnation now before the public. Very free. Has received 7 premiums and certificates of merit. Has attracted admiring attention wherever shown. Ready March 1 . . . \$2.00 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

Bouton d'Or. (Daillcdouze.) The raisers' say: "After growing this variety for the past three winters we are convinced it is the very best yellow carnation ever introduced. *What we claim:* It is decidedly a good strong grower and free bloomer, color a beautiful yellow, penciled with deep carmine; shape of the best possible form, calyx perfect, stem long and stiff. The foliage is possibly better than of any other carnation." Price \$10.00 per 100 for rooted cuttings, ready March 1st; \$75.00 per 1000. Orders filled in strict rotation. 250 at 1000 rates.

STANDARD LIST OF CARNATIONS.

Rooted Cuttings, ready after Feb. 15th. — Young Plants, \$1.00 per 100 Extra.

Attraction. Stem longer than the average. Color, rosy scarlet; it is at once soft and brilliant; flower of good size, borne in the greatest profusion and deeply fringed. . . . \$1.50 per 100.

Buttercup. The standard yellow . . \$5.00 per 100.

Chester Pride. White, lightly penciled pink.
\$2.00 per 100.

Daybreak. Very large perfectly double flowers of the most delicate shade of pink . . . \$2.50 per 100.

Dr. Smart. Pinkish cream color striped with crimson; calyx strong, never bursting. A very lovely variegated carnation, admired by all . . \$5.00 per 100.

Edna Craig. The very finest Carnation of Wilder pink yet introduced; of largest size, with heavy fringed petals. The flower is produced on long, stiff stems, calyx very strong. It is an all-season bloomer.
\$3.00 per 100.

EDNA CRAIG.

Fred Dorner. Immense double scarlet flowers, of very richest shade. A strong free grower and also free in bloom \$2.00 per 100.

Grace Wilder. Exquisite shade of pink.
\$1.50 per 100.

Grace Darling. A nice light pink; a good grower.
\$1.50 per 100.

Gov. Russell. Pure white, of large size, very fragrant; borne on stems twelve to fifteen inches long. A strong grower \$2.00 per 100.

J. R. Freeman. A light rich cardinal fringed; continuous in bloom. \$2.00 per 100.

Lizzie McGowan. Fine foliage, long slender stems; flowers immense and pure white \$1.50 per 100.

May Flower. White, profusely striped with pink and carmine \$1.50 per 100.

Mrs. Elizabeth Reynolds.

Mrs. Elizabeth Reynolds. A strong, vigorous, free-growing variety. Flower large, with massive broad petals; ends of the petals cupped inward, giving the flower a fine build; never bursts. It is rich peach pink in color. Flowers average nearly three inches.

\$5.00 per 100.

New Jersey. Very large brilliant scarlet, flower finely formed, with long, stiff stem. A sterling new sort. \$5.00 per 100.

Orange Blossom. White, with center of deep pink, nicely fringed; very fragrant \$2.00 per 100.

Mme. Albertina.

Madam Albertina. A persistent free-blooming variety of exceptional size and build. Flower very large, round and full. Color, light flesh and pink, with a strong clove fragrance \$6.00 per 100.

Pres. Garfield. A fine blood crimson. One of the loveliest of "fancy" carnations \$1.50 per 100.

Portia. One of the most popular of the scarlets; a standard sort \$1.50 per 100.

Purdue. The flower is large and globular and of a rather deep pink, exceedingly brilliant by gas light; stem very strong; calyx of sufficient length to keep it from bursting. A splendid keeper . . . \$5.00 per 100.

Richmond. A very strong, vigorous grower, producing large, finely formed flowers on twenty-six stems. Brilliant carmine in color; flowers finely fringed \$5.00 per 100.

Red Cross. Bright light scarlet of glistening texture and immense size; a fine grower. . \$3.00 per 100.

Wm. Scott.

Wm. Scott. Growth vigorous, very free blooming, flowers large and never bursting, of a rich Grace Wilder pink color; stems long, holding the flower erect \$5.00 per 100.

Silver Spray. Still one of the freest and finest whites \$1.50 per 100.

Spartan. This variety is a splendid grower, rather dwarf; a prolific bloomer. Flowers very large and full; of a deep carmine shaded with scarlet, very brilliant, and are borne mostly on strong stems twelve to fifteen inches long \$5.00 per 100.

Tidal Wave. Fine deep pink; very prolific.
\$1.50 per 100.

White Dove. Pure glistening white; flower very

large and deeply notched; fragrant; very free in bloom \$1.50 per 100.

Wabash. Flower medium to large, of symmetrical build, never bursting, and of a brilliant deep crimson color, finely fringed; very free blooming from early to late. Needs staking \$5.00 per 100.

Western Pride. Flower medium to large, of splendid form and build. Calyx strong, never bursting; color white, striped with bright scarlet. The white and scarlet being very decided and of a pure tone.
\$5.00 per 100.

General Plant List.

ASPARAGUS PLUMOSUS. ("Lace Fern.")

A beautiful variety of elegant spreading form. The branches arch gracefully and are exquisitely fine and lace-like, yet firm and strong, lasting for weeks when cut and placed in water. 4-inch, \$25.00 per 100.

ASPARAGUS TENUISSIMUS.

2½-inch, \$5.00 per 100.

ACHANIA MALYAVISCUS.

Ornamental winter blooming plant; flowers bright scarlet. \$4.00 per 100.

AMPELOPSIS VEITCHII. ("Boston Ivy.")

3-inch, \$6.00 per 100.

ABUTILONS.

NOVELTIES.

Souv. de Bonne. One of the most valuable novelties of recent years, and totally distinct; it is a very strong grower; the leaves a beautiful green, are regularly banded with gold; the flower stem is 8 to 9 inches long, the bloom very large and bright orange-red in color; a beautiful decorative plant, being of fine tree shape. 50 cents each; \$4.00 per doz.

Mrs. Jno. Laing. Immense flowers of soft, rosy pink, of beautiful expanded form; habit good, and free in growth and bloom. Flowers nice for cutting, as the stems are long. 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.

Fleur Neige. A grand improvement on the old white, the flower being very much larger and the stem longer; a very useful and beautiful white flower; a free grower. 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.

Older Sorts, \$4.00 per 100.

Boule de Neige. White.

Golden Fleece. Yellow, of immense size; one of the best.

Eclipse. Trailing; variegated foliage; scarlet flower in yellow calyx.

Exquisite. A beautiful variegated foliage variety, of grand habit; flower very large and bright orange.

Thompsonii Plena. Variegated foliage; double flowers of orange and crimson.

Indian Chief. A dark reddish purple variety of great beauty.

Vesuvius. A very dark, fine red, of large size.

ALYSSUM. (Double Sweet.)

Indispensable to every florist; nice young stuff. \$3.00 per 100.

ALOYSIA CITRIODORA.

Lemon Verbena. \$4.00 per 100.

ALLAMANDA.

Hendersonii. A grand greenhouse climber; enormous flowers of soft canary yellow. 75 cts. per doz.

ALTERNANTHERA.

\$3.00 per 100.

Anrea Nana. Dwarf golden variety.

Parychoides Major. Crimson, scarlet and pink.

ACHYRANTHUS.

\$3.00 per 100.

Formosa.
Lindenii.

Wallisii.
Aurea Reticulata.

BEGONIAS.

Rex, in variety, \$6.00 per 100.

FLOWERING BEGONIAS.

TWO FINE NOVELTIES.

Duchartrei. A strong, free grower, leaves purplish red; foliage very abundant; blooms in large panicles, stems of extra length, bloom somewhat resembles that of Metallica, but is much larger, of glistening texture; pink in the bud and white in bloom. 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.

Haageana. A seedling from the beautiful Scharifiana. Leaves of large size, bronzy green above, and red below; flowers of the largest size, and more beautiful than those of the old favorite Nitida; a grand variety either for ornament or bloom. 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.

Abundance. (Semperflorens x Fuchsoides.) Very branching, forming a pretty bush-shaped plant. Leaves small and oval, flowers produced from the axil of each leaf in large horizontal panicles; color, soft, rosy flesh; extremely free, with a long season of bloom; of the easiest possible management. 10 cts. each; \$5.00 per 100.

Alba Picta. A small, stiff-leaved variety, beautifully dotted silver; as graceful as a fern spray; fine pot plant and useful in floral work. 10 cts. each; \$4.00 per 100.

Argentea Guttata. A cross between Olbia and Alba Picta. Purple bronze leaves, oblong in shape, with silvery markings. White flowers. 10 cts. each; \$4.00 per 100.

Argyrostigma Picta. Leaves smooth, green, pointed, dotted in silver. 10 cts. each; \$4.00 per 100.

Brunanti. Very dwarf, free grower, leaves glossy; flowers white, borne in great freedom. 10 cts. each; \$4.00 per 100.

Carolinifolia. The leaf is much like that of the Virginia Creeper, serrated quite to the midrib. 10 cts. each; \$6.00 per 100.

Compta. Very long, pointed, slender leaves, beautifully shaded; silver on satiny green. 10 cts. each; \$4.00 per 100.

Diadema. Very distinct and beautiful. Color, a rich olive green, finely spotted silver. The leaf is very deeply indented, making a most ornamental variety. 10 cts. each; \$8.00 per 100.

Feastii. Circular leaves, dark green above, dull red beneath; very thick and glossy. Beautiful pink bloom. 10 cts. each; \$6.00 per 100.

Gloire de Juoy. Similar to Nigricans in outline, the color being soft olive green, dotted silver, and covered with glistening pile; large flowers of soft pink; leaf 4 x 9 inches. 20 cts.

Glaucophylla Scandens. A useful trailing variety, fine for baskets and vases; flower orange colored. 10 cts. each; \$6.00 per hundred.

Louise Closson. The most highly colored of the Rex family; the leaf is zoned with bright, rosy violet, and shades into bronze maroon. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

Manicata. Large, glassy green leaves; flowers in large, very delicate sprays; soft pink on long stems. 10 cts. each; \$8.00 per 100.

Manicata Aurea. Quite like Manicata, but the leaves are most beautifully marbled in gold and green. 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.

Mirabunda. A grand cross between the Rex and the flowering section. Long pointed and indented leaves beautifully mottled. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

McBethii. The most useful of all the fine leaved sorts; makes a beautiful edging for floral work. Pure white flowers. 10 cents each; \$4.00 per 100.

Metallica. Bronze green, of crape like texture. A fine bloomer. 10 cents each; \$4.00 per 100.

Metallica Velutina. A gigantic Metallica, with velvety leaves. A fine grower. 10 cents each; \$8.00 per 100.

Metallica Cuprea. A seedling from Metallica, with beautiful velvety leaves of dark green. A strong, rapid grower, which is bound to become popular. 10 cents each; \$8.00 per 100.

Margaritae. Leaves like Metallica; round, bushy form; color, bronzy green, with purplish cast; flowers cream shaded rose. \$3.00 per 100.

M. de Lesseps. A decided improvement on Argentea Guttata; the leaves being four times as large, of silky texture nicely spotted with silver. \$10.00 per 100.

Nitida Rosea. Glossy leaves of medium size; bloom extremely beautiful; large panicles of soft rose color. 16 cents each; \$6.00 per 100.

Olbia. Tender variety of great beauty; leaves pointed; color, greenish maroon. 25 cents each. \$3.00 per dozen.

Pictaviense. (Scharifiana x Metallica. Novelty of 1891.) Underside of leaf is purplish red, the face is bronzy green, dotted silver. The flowers are borne well above the foliage in large clusters. 25 cents each. \$3.00 per dozen.

Paul Bruant. The finest of all the flowering varieties; foliage green and pointed; Immense panicles of pink bloom. 20 cents each. \$2.00 per dozen.

Ricinifolia. Very large leaves of the form of the Ricinus; very large panicles of pink bloom. 10 cents each. \$6.00 per 100.

Rubra. Too well known to need description. 10 cents each; \$4.00 per 100.

Sanguinea. Thick, glossy leathery leaves, rounded and pointed, red underneath, dark green above. 10 cents each; \$6.00 per 100.

Souv. de F. Gaulain. A remarkably strong growing variety, of stiff, upright habit; foliage very large, somewhat in style of B. Rubra, not more than twice as large; flowers beautiful coral red, in large pendant pinacles similar to Rubra, but very much larger. 15 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

Semp. Gigantea Rosea. Large glossy leaves, upright in growth; very large, cardinal scarlet blooms. 10 cents each; \$6.00 per 100.

Sandersii. Leaves small, smooth, pointed ovals. Each branch bears a cluster of drooping, scarlet heart-

shaped buds. Constant bloomer. 10 cents each. \$4.00 per 100.

Weltoniensis. Too well known to need description. 10 cents each; \$4.00 per 100.

COREOPSIS LANCEOLATA.

A grand, hardy perennial; flowers on long stems. Very freely produced, bright shining yellow. \$5.00 per 100.

CISSUS DISCOLOR.

The most beautiful of the hot house climbers; leaves resembling those of Begonia Rex. 75 cents per dozen.

CANNAS.

NOVELTIES FOR '94.

Baron de Sandrans; Foliage tender green, very free in growth; flowers very large and numerous; petals large and round; color, bright red. 75 cents each.

Beante Poitevine. Plant of medium height, a strong, free grower with rigid stems; foliage bright shining green; truss large and compact; color, a splendid orange scarlet; one of the showiest of all the new cannas; color particularly beautiful. \$1.00 each.

Claude Buisson. A beautiful round flower with broad petals; color, soft carmine red edged with gold. 75 cents each.

Col. Dodds. A free vigorous grower, quite dwarf, foliage violet purple; flower large and round and rich velvety red. Free in growth and bloom. 75 cents each.

Comte de Ganay. Bright green foliage, flower round; color bright salmon, dotted and bordered yellow. Of medium height and free in growth. 75 cents each.

Eldorado. The grandest of all the yellow cannas; almost a pure self of bright golden color; broad petals form a beautiful wide open flower. Spike of bloom very compact; quite dwarf; foliage bright green; the nearest approach to a pure self yellow that has all the characteristics of a first-class dwarf grower, with flowers of the finest form. \$1.25 each.

Florence Vaughan. A grand yellow of bright golden shade, heavily dotted with bright red. Very broad petals, forming an elegant flower; spike, large and compact. A dwarf grower. 35c. each; \$25 per 100.

F. Nenvesel. Very vigorous, a little taller than *Mme. Crozy*, green foliage, very large and beautiful flower of dark crimson color. 75 cents each.

Sophie Buehner. Very vigorous in growth, habit grand; flower stalks raise the flower well above the foliage. Color, bright vermillion. 75 cents each.

The above 9 beautiful varieties for \$6.00.

OLDER SORTS.

Alphonse Bouvier. As fine a variety in its color of soft bright cardinal red, as is *Mme. Crozy* among the orange scarlets; the truss is enormous, composed of quantities of flowers; spikes freely produced; a magnificent grower; produces a mass of brilliant red. \$15.00 per 100.

Antonin Crozy. Rosy-carmine; large flowers, freely produced. \$10.00 per 100.

Amiral Gervais. Green foliage shading to purple on the edges, more dwarf than *Mme. Crozy*; very fine with large trusses; petals round forming a finely shaped flower; color, carmine penciled with gold at the base and on the edges. \$35.00 per 100.

Baronne Sandrans. Orange shading to yellow, finely formed flower with broad petals. Foliage clear bright green. \$35.00 per 100.

Comtesse Oliver de l'Estoire. Same height as *Mme. Crozy*. Foliage glossy green; petals broad and rounded; very free in bloom. Color, chrome yellow beautifully dotted with bright carmine over all the petals. \$35.00 per 100.

Chas. Henderson. 2½ feet in height; foliage, clear bright green; very free both in growth and bloom; flower large and round; color, vermillion red, dotted with crimson. 50 cents each; \$35.00 per 100.

Dr. Vergeley. Height of *Mme. Crozy*; foliage bright green, flower stalks numerous; flower of nicely rounded form; color, saffron yellow dotted both with ochre and carmine. \$35.00 per 100.

Duchesse de Mortemarte. A vigorous grower, with large leaves, throwing up numerous flower stalks;

flowers large and round, composed of large round petals; color, yellow, very bright, lightly dotted carmine. Extremely fine. \$15.00 per 100.

Explorateur Campbell. Deep carmine red of finest form; foliage green. A very compact grower, nearly three feet in height. \$35.00 per 100.

F. Thonayer. Color, pure orange, flower of superb form; leaves erect and pointed. \$20.00 per 100.

G. Seunholz. Dwarf; flower large with long petals; color, orange salmon, bordered yellow. \$25.00 per 100.

Henry A. Dreer. A little taller than *Mme. Crozy*. Very bright cardinal red; one of the loveliest of all the red varieties and very satisfactory as a bedder. \$25.00 per 100.

J. D. Cabos. A little taller than *Mme. Crozy*, foliage beautiful bronzy purple; color orange apricot or rosy bronze; very distinct; nothing like it. \$20.00 per 100.

Martin Caluzac. About 4 feet high; foliage bright green; throws up numerous strong flower stalks; flowers extremely large and well rounded; color, superb clear vermillion. \$35.00 per 100.

M. Dutrail. Less than three feet in height, compact foliage of dark flower of beautiful form; color, dark saffron shading lighter at the edges; flower stems of extra length. \$15.00 per 100.

Miss Sarah Hill. Height about 30 inches; large, nicely cupped flower; color, deep rich carmine; large full spike. One of the best of the soft red shades. \$10.00 per 100.

Mme. Crozy. One of the finest cannas ever introduced. Height about 3 feet; foliage bright green; immense trusses of orange scarlet, each petal bordered with golden yellow. A splendid grower and marvelously free in bloom. \$10.00 per 100.

Marquise de l'Aigle. Height, a little over 3 feet; foliage narrow and pointed; very free; flower of extra good shape; color, brick red touched with yellow at the center, dotted with carmine and penciled along the edge with yellow. \$25.00 per 100.

Maurice Musy. Leaves shining green, free; flower finely rounded; color, clear rosy lake. \$35.00 per 100.

Nardy Pere. Taller than *Mme. Crozy*, leaves narrow and pointed; beautifully marbled in rosy bronze; color, dazzling scarlet; one of the very best. 75 cents each.

Prof. Gerard. Foliage green with dark shadings and border of purple; enormous compact trusses with large flowers of brilliant vermillion. 50 cts. each.

Paul Marquant. Height of *Mme. Crozy*. Rosy carmine dotted with a brighter red; flowers of elegant form. A grand variety, stands the sun finely. \$15.00 per 100.

Star of '91. Exactly like *Mme. Crozy*, save that it is more dwarf, averaging about 2 feet in height. \$10.00 per 100.

Trocadero. Height about 4 feet; color, bright orange scarlet. Petals broad and rounded. Foliage bright green. \$15.00 per 100.

Vicomtesse de Keronartz. Beautiful carmine lake; flower of good size; foliage grows very compact. \$15.00 per 100.

Yellow Queen. A dwarf, large flowered, almost pure yellow Canna. Light green foliage. Very free and fine. \$20.00 per 100.

COLEUS.

\$3.00 per 100.

Ammoretta.	Black Hero.	Clouded Gem,
Empress of India.	Etruria.	Fantasie.
Golden Bedder.	Lonis Paillet.	Marvelous.
Mme. J. Magne.	Octaroon.	Petit Robert.
Pluto.	Salvator.	Pres. Garfield.
	Verschaffelti.	

CROTONS.

These are coming into great favor for bedding out doors in summer. Destined to become popular for this as well as other purposes.

Variegatum , good old standard sort . . .	\$6.00 per 100.
Veitchii	1.50 per doz
Lowii	2.00 "
Inimitabilis	1.25 "
Makoyannum	1.50 "
Chrysophyllum	1.00 "
Interruptum	1.00 "

Other sorts, our selection, \$1.00 per dozen, comprising best older sorts.

CYCLAMEN GIGANTEUM.

4 inch—in fine condition. \$10.00 per 100.

FICUS VARIEGATA.

4-inch pots, 10 to 12 inches,
\$1.00 each.

6-inch pots, 2 feet high,
\$2.00 each.

FICUS ELASTICA.

3-inch pots, well established,
\$25.00 per 100.

4-inch pots, 10 to 12 inches,
\$35.00 per 100.

5-inch pots, 12 to 18 inches,
\$40.00 per 100.

FICUS CHAUVERIL.

4-inch pots, 10 to 12 inches,
\$30.00 per 100.

FERNS.

Nephrolepis Exaltata.—
(Sword Fern.) 2½-inch pots,
\$4.00 per 100.

Pteris Tremula. 5-inch pots. \$3.00 per doz.

CALLA.

Little Gem; the celebrated dwarf miniature variety. 5 inch, 50 cents each.

FEVERFEW.

Little Gem. \$4.00 per 100.

FUCHSIAS.**NOVELTIES.**

30 cts. each; the 4 varieties, \$1.00.

Duchess of Edinburgh. One of the finest double whites ever produced; corolla averages 2 inches across; petals of great substance; very pure white; sepals bright carmine. Very free.

Eugene Verconsin. Double. Corolla rosy pink shading to heliotrope; sepals rosy red. Color new and distinct.

Jupiter. Double. An erect grower, very large flower, corolla very double—rosy violet—long recurving sepals of bright coral red.

M. Alphand. Double. Of grand habit; very large recurving sepals of bright scarlet, very large corolla of soft reddish violet.

STANDARD SORTS.

Mrs. E. G. Hill. Finest double white. \$4.00 per 100.

Phenomenal. Finest double purple. \$4.00 per 100.

Mme. Thibaut. Double. Sepals beautifully reflexed, bright carmine; corolla carmine bordered white. \$4.00 per 1.00.

Gen. Roberts. The finest single Fuchsia extant. Blooms 4 inches long, and borne in clusters; corolla, a rich plum color, tube and sepals crimson. \$10.00.

Chas. Blanc. Single. Sepals dark red, corolla rosy purple. \$3.00 per 1.00.

Black Prince. Single. Large sepals, of bright carmine; rosy pink corolla. One of the best. \$3.00.

Carl Halt. Single. White and red striped. \$3.00.

Speciosa. Single. Pale salmon pink. \$3.00.

Minnesota. Single. Purple, very good. \$3.00.

Duke of Albany. Single. Purple, drooping, very fine in form and size. \$4.00.

GENISTA.

In fine condition. Three inch pots, ready for bloom at *Easter*. \$1 00 per dozen.

HIBISCUS.

Per 100, \$4.00.

Lutea. Fine double yellow; maroon at the base of the petal.

Miniatus Semi-plena. Brilliant scarlet, semi-double; one of the best.

Grandiflora. Immense single scarlet flowers, in great profusion.

Lambertii. Crimson scarlet, shading to deep crimson; single.

Subviolaceous. Enormous double flowers of rich red.

Rubra. Extra good double red.

HELIANTHUS.

Double Sunflower. Hardy dwarf. Very useful. \$4.00 per 100.

HYDRANGEA

Thos. Hogg. Very large white flowers. Two inch pots, \$4.00 per 100. Four inch pots, \$8.00 per 100.

Otaksa. Bright rosy pink. Two inch pots, \$4.00 per 100.

Ramis Pictis. Red branched; bright cherry-pink flowers. Two inch pots, \$6.00 per 100. Four inch pots, \$8.00 per 100.

Paniculata Grandiflora. The most popular of flowering shrubs. One year old, \$4.00 per 100. Two years old, \$6.00 per 100.

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TWO GRAND NOVELTIES

Mme. A. Carriere. (Bruant.) In the line of the three elegant novelties, *Mme. A. Dubouche*, *Mireille* and *Comtesse de Mortemarte*, is *Mme. A. Carriere*; it has a very large white eye, contrasting with the bright blue; panicles very large. Semi-dwarf, extremely free. 25 cts. each.

Picciola. (Bruant.) Rosy violet with white center. A grand giant variety, also very free and of beautiful habit. 25c. each.

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Mme. Ad. Dubouche. Trusses enormous, soft and mossy looking; color, velvety-violet. One of the most beautiful Heliotropes ever introduced. Odor exquisite. \$8.00 per 100.

Mireille. The floret is immense, very delicate pearl shade, edged with palest heliotrope. An improvement on *White Lady*, though not so nearly white. \$8.00 per 100.

Comtesse de Mortemarte. Very free flowering and exceedingly sweet; dark velvety blue, with white eye; splendid for massing. \$5.00 per 100.

White Lady. One of the very finest of the whites.

A. Delaux. Purple flower, golden variegated foliage.

Cameleon. Bright blue, passing to pale lavender. Large florets.

La Renomme. Deep purple, white eye; very rich color; compact habit.

Anna Delaux. Exactly like *A. Delaux* but without variegation of foliage.

Hydrangea — "Thos. Hogg."

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Four Novelties, per Dozen \$2.00.

A. Claveau. Very dwarf, and of bushy, spreading habit, covered with flowers of silvery rose with center of soft yellow; a beautiful contrast.

Amiel. Semi-dwarf; very compact; very free in blooming; ombel and floret of fine size; color reddish orange with yellow center.

F. Givandean. Dwarf and branching, very free in bloom, center, pink and orange, bordered bright rose. Extra good.

La Pactole. Very dwarf, a mass of golden yellow bloom, splendid for borders.

Older Sorts.—\$4.00 per 100.

Jacques Minot. Yellow, changing to bright orange red.

Francine. Quite dwarf; flowers large; rosy lilac.

Javoi. Purest white; very large flowers.

Harkett's Perfection. Golden, variegated foliage; color, yellow and pink.

Seraphine. Dwarf. Red with yellow center.

Rigoletto. Pale pink, shading to rose.

HARDY PHLOX.

TWO NOVELTIES.

Harry Menier. Floret as large as a silver dollar, far in advance of any other variety in existence. Truss very fine. Color pure white, with bright rosy crimson eye. Catches the eye at once. 25 cts. each.

Wm. Robinson. Very nearly as large as H. Menier. Color, clear salmon with rosy crimson eye. Extra fine, both in size and color. 25 cents each.

A GRAND COLLECTION OF STANDARD SORTS.

2½-inch pots, \$6.00 per 100.

Atlas. Grand floret. Salmon, small eye of bright rose. Extra.

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Bouquet de Fleur. White, bright pink eye.

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Hamlet. Dwarf. Foliage very narrow. White shading to heliotrope.

James Anderson. The finest of the bright colored phloxes. Bright scarlet salmon with velvety crimson eye.

Jas. H. Laing. A fine clear purple, floret and truss extra large.

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Stanstead Rival. An elegant self purple, as large as Wm. Robinson.

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Bicolor. One of the finest novelties of later years. \$4.00 per 100.

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Pure yellow. \$4.00 per 100.

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Veitchii. Five inch pot, \$1.25 each. Six inch pots, \$1.50 each.

PALMS.

Areca Lutescens. Two and one-half inch pots, \$6.00 per 100. 3 inch pots, \$8.00 per 100.

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Angustifolia. A low, spreading plant of bright yellow and green foliage; small purple flower; fine for baskets and vases. 50 cents per dozen.

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\$5.00 per 100.

From Puget's Sound; of extra strong constitution, and in perfect health.

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Rita. Fringed; white, blotched carmine.

Vancouver. Fringed; white, shading to purple.

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The President. Very dwarf and compact. Scarlet flowers, and comes into bloom earlier than Splendens. A grand novelty. 25 cts. each.

Splendens. Best old scarlet. \$4.00 per 100.

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2-inch pots, \$3.00 per 100.

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Pelargoniums.

Strong 2½-Inch Pots. — Ready February 15th.

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