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WHOLESALE CATALOGUE

THE HARRISON H. GIVEN FLORIST CO.

DENVER, COLORADO.

To OUR FRIENDS

This list is for Florists and Dealers only and prices quoted herein are subject to no discount. The stock offered herein we guarantee to be equal to any in the United States.

It will be noticed that we quote Eastern prices. Western florists will find it to their interest to purchase from us in preference to our Eastern competitors on account of the *great saving in express charges* and the shorter time the plants will be in transit.

We are thorough and careful in our system of packing, our aim and constant care being to pack as light as is consistent with the safe carriage of the plants. We give liberal count and label everything.

Give us a Trial Order

Five plants of any one variety at hundred rates, except where dozen rates are quoted, in which case six plants will go at the dozen rate, and twenty-five plants at hundred rates. Prices quoted herein are from 2½ inch pots unless otherwise noted.

Terms of Sale.

Cash With Order on orders amounting to \$10.00 or less. Orders amounting to more than \$10.00 are subject to sight draft in 30 or 60 days unless otherwise agreed.

Orders From unknown correspondents must be accompanied by cash or satisfactory reference.

No Order From this catalogue will be filled for less than \$3.00.

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Important—Pay Only Special Rate on boxed plants, which is 20 per cent less than regular merchandise rate. Our express agents are glad to bill out all shipments at this rate. See that no mistake is made at your end of the route.

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THE HARRISON H. GIVEN FLORIST CO.,
DENVER, COLORADO.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

General Collection of Standard Varieties and 1895 Novelties.

We Claim the Following List to be the Best Selected List of Chrysanthemums for Western Culture Offered to the Trade.

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SPECIAL OFFER.

Our selection of 100 plants in 20 or more varieties. \$4.00.

Your selection of 100 plants in not less than 10 nor more than 20 varieties allowing us to substitute varieties for those of which we are sold out. \$5.00.

Two plants each of every variety listed. \$6.00.

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Cultural Notes.

See that you allow ample drainage.

Plant in 5-inches of good soil such as is used for roses.

Feed and water sparingly until growth has well started, then treat liberally.

Give all air possible. Shade very lightly during the hot days.

As soon as buds begin to show color, gradually withhold stimulants.

Keep the air pure and dry—the walks clean and dry—this is absolutely necessary.

The first flower bud to make its appearance is the Early Crown bud. If this is rubbed off another will come which is also a crown; repeated removals will finally bring us to a late bud which is the last the plant will form—this is a Terminal bud.

Fine 6-inch pot plants can be grown by planting cuttings rooted by June 15th in old carnation or rose benches and lifting into pots about August 15th.

If any variety shows a tendency to burn from feeding sprinkle the top of bed with powdered charcoal.

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Achilles.—White flushed with pink. Very large. Terminal bud. 4 ft.

Ames, Mrs. F. L.—Rich shade of orange yellow. Very large and full. Early C. bud.

Anaconda.—One of our 1895 seedlings, very deep pink. 4½ ft.

Balsley, Harry—Clear shrimp pink. 5 ft.

Beacon.—An old favorite, white.

Bigelow, E. M.—One of the best reds to date. Immense bloom. 4½ ft.

Bird, Lillian B.—Beautiful silvery pink. Petals tubular of varying length. Odd and artistic. 4½ ft.

Black, Miss Louise D.—Reddish orange. Flower compact and full. Style of *Mrs. L. C. Maderia*, but larger. Terminal. 4 ft.

Bloodgood, Helen—Clear pink without any trace or shading of purple or magenta.

Bonaillon, Major—Soft, clear yellow, very full and globular. Perfect form and finish. Early crown. Scant 3 ft.

Canning, L.—Creamy white. Good for cutting in sprays or for small pot plants.

Cortez.—Nearly Mahogany color. Very artistic.

Carnegie, Mrs. Andrew—Bright, deep crimson, reverse of petals a shade lighter.

Century.—Violet rose. Form of *Niveus*. 4 ft.

Camille d'Arville.—White, salmon center. Large.

Chalfant, Clinton—Bright golden yellow. Fine for pots. Early crown. 3½ ft.

Childs, G. W.—Extra good red. Reverse of petals gold. Terminal. 4 ft.

Clark, Mrs. Irving—Pearl white, shading to rose in center.

Congo.—Incurved chinese. Light yellow.

Craig, Mrs. Robt.—White. Fine large flower.

Dailledouze, Eugene—The best yellow to date. Fine form and size. Height 4½.

Davis, Charles—Bronze Vivian—Morel. Tawny yellow. Early crown. 4½ ft.

Dean, Maud—Large clear pink. 3½ ft.

Domination.—(Syn, Mrs. Bullock) Splendid white. Large fluffy flower.

Drexel, Mrs. A. J.—Velvety wine. 3 ft.

Enterprise.—Anemone. Ray petals pink, center creamy white. 3½ ft.

Erminilda.—Soft pleasing rose pink. 3½ ft.

Ezeta.—Very bright yellow. Early.

Falconer, Jennie—Lemon yellow. 2½ ft.

Falconer, Wm.—Exquisite flesh pink. 3 ft.

Fishers Torch.—Finest red of 1895. Not large but of good form. $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

Fottler, Mrs.—Soft pink, fine large flower. 3 ft.

Gloriana.—Clear lemon. Broad flat petals, incurved, whorled and twisted. A beauty. $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

Golden Wedding.—Golden yellow. A standard variety of sterling merit. $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

Good Gracious.—(Syn Princess of Chrys.) Fine large flower. Delicate pink thread-like incurving interlaced petals.

Hallock, V. H.—Rosy pearl. Large. Crown. $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

Hatch, Edwin.—Immense white, shaded pink.

Hill, Mrs. E. G.—Indispensable Early pink. Does not like nitrate of soda nor too much water. $4\frac{1}{2}$ to 5 ft.

Hoitt, Judge.—Anemone. Soft pink. Ray petals incurve. $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

Hitzeroth, Emma.—Large, bright lemon.

Hole, Dean.—White shaded soft pink.

Hunnewell, Walter.—Large bronze.

Hurley, Mrs. W. H.—Orange yellow. Fine. 4 ft.

Ils, Mrs. J. Geo.—Ivory white of massive build. Terminal buds. 5 ft.

Inter-Ocean.—Very light pink.

Ivory.—The best white for general purposes. Fine for pots, for sprays or single blooms. 2 ft.

Johnson, Miss M. M.—Deep golden yellow. A perfect color. $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

Jones, Mrs. Jerome.—Waxy white. Either bud. Midseason or late.

Kiota.—Deep yellow. An old favorite.

Knowles, Eva.—Golden bronze. Inner surface of petals red, reverse old gold.

Ladenburg, Emily.—Deep crimson nearly black.

Lager, J. E.—Clear bright yellow. Early crown. $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

Lay, Mrs.—Pearl white tinged pink.

Laredo.—Jap. Deep pink. Strap petals whorled and incurving. Terminal.

Lincoln, W. H.—Bright yellow. Good for all purposes. Fine for large or small pots. 3 ft.

Madeira Mrs. L. C.—Bright orange. Large Chinese. Ball shaped. 3 ft.

Marie Louise.—Recurving white with interlaced petals. $4\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

May, Harry.—Old gold. Large. 3 ft.

McInness, Robt.—Gorgeous red and gold.

Millbrook.—Large bloom of novel type. Bronzy salmon red. $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

Morrissey, Mrs. J. W.—Mammoth silvery pink.

Murdock Mrs. S. T.—Fine silvery pink. Globular. Short incurving petals. 3 to 4 ft.

Mutual Friend.—Purest white. Very large. Slightly reflexed. Early crown. 3 ft.

Niveus.—The very best midseason white. Either bud. 4 ft.

Nyanza.—Seedling from G. W. Childs. Same color but larger. $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

Octoroon.—Incurved. Dark maroon. Large.

Parker, Mrs. M. R. Jr.—Rich deep pink. $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

Pitcher and Manda.—Center bright yellow, other petals white. Either bud. 4 ft.

Philadelphia.—Lemon yellow. Very fine.

Prass, Eda.—Blush pink. Large. Crown. 3 ft.

Princess Bonnie.—Anemone. Clear lemon yellow.

Princess of Chrysanthemums.—See Good Gracious.

Queen, The.—One of the grandest whites. Terminal bud. 4 ft.

Rand Mrs. W. H.—Rich yellow Japanese. Petals fine, long, twisted and irregularly reflexed. Very artistic.

Rieman, H. W.—Deep golden yellow, very bright. Terminal. 4 ft.

Rey, M'le Therese.—Cream white. Fine.

Redfield, Mrs. M. W.—A perfect ball of peach pink. 4 ft.

Rudd, W. N.—Pale pink, exquisite finish.

Russell, Lillian.—Silvery pink. Early.

Satisfacto.—Anemone. Deep yellow with crimson markings. Good.

Shrimpton, John.—The very best red. Very fine. Either bud. 3 ft.

Simpson, Mrs. Maria.—Soft chrome yellow. 3 ft.

Smith, Col. W. B.—Deep yellow. Good all around variety. 5 ft.

Smith, P. es. W. R.—Color of Daybreak Carnation. $5\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

Spaulding, Miss Gladys.—One of the best whites.

Sunderbruch, Harry L.—Fine yellow. Early. Terminal. $4\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

Sunrise.—The best early red. Inside of petals terra cotta, reverse old gold. Crown. 3 ft.

Thalia.—Beautiful lavender pink shading to rose at base. 4 to 5 ft.

Toler, Dorothy.—Not very large but gem. Terminal. 4 ft.

Trilby.—Large clear white. Fine.

Troy, J. H.—Very early white incurving Jap. Good shipper. $4\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

Violet Rose.—An old favorite. Jap. Color violet rose.

Vivian-Morel.—Grandest reflexed pink variety to date. Either bud. $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

Wannemaker, Miss Minnie.—one of the standard whites. $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

Ward, Mable.—(Syn. Bendigo) Buff yellow. Incurved.

Weidersheim, Mrs. T. E.—Early large self pink. Fine.

Wheeler, Miles A.—Large incurved light yellow. $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

Whilldin, Mrs. J. G.—Fine yellow. Early. 3 ft.

White, Jas. H.—One of the finest early whites for pot culture.

Whitnall, C. B.—Soft velvety maroon, incurved Hybrid chinese. Terminal. 3 ft.

Widener, Harry E.—Bright lemon yellow.

Wolcott, Mrs. E. O.—An immense globular bloom showing two shades of pink.

Yellow Queen.—Early, incurving yellow with broad petals. Earliest crown. 3 ft.

Figures given denote height of plant at maturity; the words "Crown" and "Terminal", which bud makes the best flower.

Price of any of the Chrysanthemums listed on this and preceding pages; \$6.00 per 100.

Purchasers may order single plants of a variety at this rate provided the entire order amounts to \$1.00 or more. SEE SPECIAL OFFER PAGE 1

Ostrich Plume Section.

Boehmer, Louis—Wine pink. One of the best. Fine for pot plants. 3 ft.

Golden Hair.—Fine deep rounded flower. Deep amber. 4 ft.

Higginbottom, Mrs. H. N.—Largest and finest of all pink Ostrich Plumes. 4 ft.

Hardy, Mrs. Alpheus—The original of this class. White. 3 ft.

L'Enfant des Deux Mondes.—White sport from L. Boehmer. Very large and pure in color.

SUMMARY.

For Descriptions See Preceding Pages.

In Perfection of Bloom October 5th to 25th

Hill, Mrs. E. G.,	Whilldin, Mrs. J. H.,	Yellow Queen.	Chalfant, Clinton
Ezeta,	Johnson, Miss M. M.,	Lager J. E.	Parker, J. M. Jr.,
Sunderbruch, Harry L.,	Sunrise,	Troy, J. H.,	

In Perfection of Bloom October 20th to November 10th.

Bonnaffon, Major,	Black, Miss Louise D.,	Canning, L.,	Clark, Mrs. Irving,
Domination,	Golden Wedding,	G. W. Childs,	Helen Bloodgood,
Falconer, Jennie	Fottler, Mrs.	Good Gracious,	Hatch, Edw.,
Ivory,	Inter-Ocean,	Marie Louise,	Mutual Friend,
Millbrook,	Murdock, Mrs. S. F.	May Harry,	Maderia, Mrs. L. C.,
Nyanza,	Octoroon,	Philadelphia,	Hallock, V. H.,
L' Enfant des deux Mondes,	Redfield, Mrs. M. W.,	Rey, Mlle. Therese,	
Shrimpton, John,	Smith, Col. W. B.,	Smith, Pres. W. R.,	Simpson, Mrs. Marie,
Toler Dorothy,	Trilby,	Vivian-Morel,	Wannemaker, Miss Minnie,
Wheeler, Miles. A.,	Widener, H. E.,	Whitnall, C. B.,	Wolcott, Mrs. E. O.,

In Perfection of Bloom November 1st to 20th.

Achilles,	Ames, Mrs. T. L.,	Avery, Mrs. C. D.,	Balsley, Harry,	Bigelow E. M.,
Beacon,	Bird, Lillian,	Boehmer, Louis,	Carnegie, Mrs. A.,	Dailledouze, Eugene,
Davis, Chas.,	Ermenilda,	Gloriana,	Golden Hair,	Hardy, Mrs. A.,
Hitzereth, Emma,	Hoitt, Judge,	Rand, Mrs. W. H.		

In Perfection of Bloom November 10th to December 15th.

Dean, Maud,	Ils, Mrs. J. Geo.,	Jones, Mrs. Jerome,	Laredo,	Lincoln, W. H.,
	Kiota,	Thalia.		

Artistic and Odd Varieties.

Bird, Lillian,	Boehmer, L.,	Golden Hair,	Gloriana,	Hardy, Mrs. A.,	Laredo,
Higginbotham, Mrs. H. N.,	L' Enfant des deux Mondes,	Pitcher and Manda	Mrs. W. H. Rand.		

Chinese Varieties.

Craig, Mrs. Rob't.,	Maderia, Mrs. L. C.,	Whitnall, C. B.,	Kiota.

Anemone Flowered.

Hoitt, Judge,	Enterprise,	Princess Bonnie.	Satisfacto.

Remarks.—The foregoing list of varieties we believe to be as good a selection as could be made for western growers. We have not listed a single variety without first carefully considering its merits, both alone and compared with other varieties of the same form and color and wherever we have discarded an old variety and replaced it by a newer one, it is because the newer variety is *without question* superior.

We will be glad to answer by mail any questions or give any information in our power regarding Chrysanthemum culture, or anything pertaining to floriculture.

ROSES.

Some Cultural Hints For Beginners.

The absolute requirements for successful rose culture under glass are well lighted, tight houses, and absolute control of ventilation, moisture and heat. It is useless to try to grow roses during the winter months unless your houses fulfill these requirements. Begin your preparations for growing roses by preparing a compost of 6 parts of fibrous loam (blue grass sod well rotted is the best but if it can not be had prairie sod will do taking only down as far as the roots being careful not to take from too sandy a spot.) and 1 part of cow manure at least two years old.

The soil and manure should be spread in layers and turned over at least three times being careful to thoroughly pulverize all lumps of manure and to chop up the sod finely and thoroughly mix the two. The longer this compost lies the better. As soon after May 1st as possible prepare your benches for planting by white-washing them inside and then having first secured a stock of roses in 2½, 3 or 4 inch pots (the later the season the larger the plants you will need) prepare for planting by covering the cracks in the bottom of the bench with sod laid grass down (be sure you allow at least an inch crack in every foot for drainage) and then fill the bench with enough compost so that when firmed and settled there will be from 4 to 5 inches of dirt for the roses to grow in. Now thoroughly soak the bench and allow it to stand over night. The next day plant your roses about 16 inches apart each way (the exact distance may be varied for some varieties) planting deeply and very firmly and after planting pound down every inch of dirt in the bench and again give a thorough soaking, syringing the foliage lightly. Your houses should be lightly shaded for some days after planting allowing it to come off as soon as plants are established. After the roses are planted they *should never be allowed to dry out*. Water thoroughly early in the day so that the foliage may dry out before night. Syringe the foliage every day to keep down Red Spider. Give all the air possible through the summer months and early fall taking care however that the night temperature never falls below 60 degrees. Watch carefully for Green Fly and at its first appearance smoke your houses with tobacco stems first syringing to prevent the smoke burning the leaves. During the hot summer months it is well to avoid watering during the heat of the day, unless absolutely necessary, on account of liability of burning the foliage.

Start your fire in the fall as soon as you find you cannot keep your houses up to 60 degrees without artificial heat. After you begin firing keep your houses as near 60 degrees night temperature and 70 degrees day temperature as possible. *On the matter of temperature as much as anything depends your success.* Do not feed with liquid manure until after January 15th, and not then unless the plants are in a vigorous state and throwing flower shoots. These hints are not intended for growers of experience but for beginners who will find that the only way to learn to grow roses is by acquiring the necessary experience by patient and careful observation and attention. We advise all beginners in commercial floriculture to read the American Florist published at Chicago, or the Florists Exchange published at New York or both. We will be glad at all times to correspond with beginners and to give any advice or assistance in our power.

HARDY MEMORIAL ROSE.

Rosa Wichuriana.

This beautiful rose is a recent addition to our list, and one that justly commands admiration. Blooms in clusters on the ends of short branches during the entire summer. Flowers white, single, with bright yellow center followed by brilliant red fruit. The foliage of this beautiful plant is of a deep shining green, almost evergreen, trailing prostrate habit, very rapid growth; soon forms a dense mat or covering. Valuable for walls or rockeries. Most beautiful for covering graves in cemeteries.

Perfectly Hardy. Per dozen 90c, per 100 \$6.00. Fine large 4-inch plants \$10.00 per 100.

Forcing Roses.

We grow large quantities of Roses for forcing purposes and are thus enabled to test the newer varieties much better than the smaller florists who grow a limited number of plants. The large number of plants grown by us also enable us to select only the very best wood for propagation. We confidently assert that our stock is as good as can be purchased anywhere.

(For description see General Collection.)

- ✓ **American Beauty.** ✓ **Mad. C. Testout.**
- Kaiserine Augusta Victoria.**
- 2-inch pots \$6.00 per 100. 3-inch pots \$10.00 per 100
- ✓ **Bridesmaid.** ✓ **Catherine Mermet.**
- The Bride.** **Niphetos.**
- Sunset.** **Perle des Jardins.**
- Meteor.** **Souvenir de Wootton.**
- Dutchess of Albany.** **La France.**
- ✓ **J. W. F. Bennett.** **Souv. de un Amie.**

Price 2-inch pots \$4.00 per 100. 2½-inch pots \$6.00. 3-inch \$8.00. 4-inch \$10.00.

Write us for quotations on Roses in large quantities. We will meet all offers from responsible competitors.

THE BRIDE

General Collection.

Monthly Everblooming Tea-Roses.

✓ **Agrippina.**—Grand old "Daily Rose" still very popular, velvety crimson. Best of the chinases.

✓ **Bridesmaid.** A 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, a prime favorite. The pink forcing rose par excellence.

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

✓ **Bon Silene.**—Carmine rose, an old favorite, very beautiful in buds. Semi double.

✓ **White Bon Silene.**—A white sport from the above. Of some habit and foliage.

✓ **Christine de Neve.**—An elegant deep velvet red tea rose of fine texture and size; forces finely, and is altogether the best new tea rose recently introduced. We think highly of it for all purposes. \$8 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 bud. Still one of the very finest and best of forcing roses.

✓ **Duchess de Brabant.**—Pink, very fragrant, one of the finest garden roses grown, very free blooming.

✓ **Ernest Metz.**—A robust grower; flowers very large when open, buds long and pointed, produced on long stems; color, soft carmine rose, with deeper colored center.

✓ **Grace Darling.**—Creamy white, very broadly bordered in rosy peach; very double and of heavy texture, one of the finest teas.

✓ **Hermosa.**—Best pink bedder, the freest and most persistent bloomer grown. Blooms constantly until checked by frost. Finest rose of all for pot culture.

✓ **Inconstant Beauty.**—A new Rose, deriving its name of "Inconstant Beauty" (*Beaute Inconstante*) from its quality of producing flowers of different shades on the same plant. The colors vary from crimson to light pink, through shades of tawny red, light yellow with orange and citron-red center, pale flesh with pink center, orange chrome and deep rose. Plant strong and vigorous, flowers full and double. It is a true Tea Rose, consequently ever-blooming and deliciously fragrant.

✓ **Madam Jos. Schwartz.**—Pure white, elegantly flushed with crimson. Large and sweet and a very free bloomer.

✓ **Marie Guillot.**—White, tinged with a delicate shade of lemon; large full and beautifully imbricated in form. Highly fragrant.

✓ **Souvenir de un Ami.**—Flower very full and of good size. Tender rose color. Fine open air bloomer, especially good for out-door planting.

✓ **W. F. Bennett.**—A beautiful deep crimson rose of delicious fragrance. Difficult to manage but beautiful when well grown.

✓ **Whitney, Mrs. W. C.**—A new rose of much promise. Good color and shape; deep clear pink; long well shaped buds on good stems. Extremely free bloomer and good grower. Easy to manage. Per 100, \$6.00.

✓ **Maman Cochet.**—A seasons trial leads us to recommend this new rose very highly. The finest new rose of the season; the growth is vigorous, with rich, healthy foliage and extra large flowers, which are borne on long, stout stems, very double and simply exquisite when in bud or half bloom; the color is a deep rose pink, the inner side of petals silvery rose. It will undoubtedly become very popular. \$6.00 per 100.

✓ **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.

✓ **Madame Schwaller.**—The color is a bright, rosy flesh, paler at the base of the petals and deepening on the edges. Apt to come in clusters, which are excellent for cutting.

✓ **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.

✓ **Climbing Perle des Jardines.**—A climbing sport from the above identical in color and habit except its climbing propensity.

Price from 2 inch pots, per 100, \$4.00; 2½ in. per 100 \$6.00; 3 in., per 100 \$8.00; 4 in., per 100 \$10.00

Hybrid Tea Roses.

✓ **American Beauty.** Rightly described as an ever-blooming hybrid perpetual. Flowers extra large of beautiful form, and fragrant. Color deep rich rose.

2-inch pots \$1.00 per doz; \$6.00 per 100. 4-inch \$1.50 per doz.; per 100 \$10.00.

✓ **American Belle.**—A beautiful light pink sport from the above; foliage somewhat smaller and cleaner cut than Beauty, but nearly the same.

Price the same as American Beauty.

✓ **Augustine Guinoisseau.**—Very pale pink nearly white, a very beautiful flower. A white sport from *La France* of the same habit and growth.

- ✓ **Belle Seibrecht.** (La France X Lady Mary Fitzwilliam)—A true self pink of intense shade, buds long and well shaped. Although very much weakened by over propagation before dissemination, we believe this variety will, after it has had time to regain its normal strength and vigor, become a universal favorite.

2½-inch pots \$2.50 per doz. Per 100 \$15.00.

- ✓ **Duchess of Albany.**—Color deep Tyrian pink. Habit and foliage same as La France from which it is a sport.

✓ **Kaiserin Augusta Victoria.**—A grand white rose for forcing either in solid beds or in benches. Extra strong and vigorous growth, blooms very large finely shaped, beautiful fragrance. A splendid white rose for summer planting out of doors or for cemetery use. As hardy as a sage bush.

2-in. pots 90c per doz, \$6.00 per 100, 3-in. \$1.50; 100 \$10.00.

✓ **Madam C. Testout.**—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 Rothchild*, and as tree as *La France*. Very fragrant; a magnificent forcing variety. Especially fine in Colorado for out door planting. Hardy.

✓ **La France.**—One of the most beautiful of all roses, and unequaled by any in its delicious fragrant. Very large, very double, and superbly formed. Prevailing color is light silvery rose, shaded silvery peach, and often with pink.

✓ **Madam Veyssset.**—A striped sport from the above variety. Each petal is clearly marked with alternate stripes of deep pink and white. Splendid for pots and out doors.

✓ **Meteor.**—A velvety-red ever bloomer of the deepest glowing crimson; flowers of medium size, very double, petals slightly recurving.

A beautiful open rose, free blooming and highly profitable when well grown.

✓ **Niphetos.**—An old favorite variety noted for its long, handsome pointed white buds. The tendency of this variety to throw short stems may in a measure be overcome by liberal feeding.

✓ **Souvenir De Wootton.**—This is a remarkably brilliant and striking ever-blooming rose; bright magenta-red, passing at base to fine violet-crimson; richly shaded; flowers are large, and regular, with thick leathery petals and delicious tea scent; makes beautiful buds and is recommended both for open ground and conservatory.

Prices except where noted, 2½-inch pots, per doz. 90c, per 100 \$6.00.

Hybrid Perpetuals.

✓ **Anne Diesbach.**—Clear rosy pink. Very large and showy.

✓ **Gloire de Margottin.**—Rich dazzling crimson. Free bloomer and a vigorous grower.

✓ **General "Jack."**—An old favorite. Needs no description.

✓ **Jules Margottin.**—Bright cherry red. King of reds. Large, well formed, fragrant flowers.

✓ **Mrs. John Laing.**—The queen of H. P's. Color satiny pink. Exceedingly fragrant.

✓ **Paul Neyron.**—Of very large size. Deep shining rose color. Very fine.

✓ **Ulric Brunner.**—Bright cerise red. Petals beautifully rounded and of hearty texture.

✓ **Vicks Caprice.**—An extremely strong growing and free blooming rose bearing large blooms beautifully striped with deep pink and white.

Price per doz., 75c. per 100, \$6.00.

KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA.

From a photograph showing 18 flowers and buds on one shoot. The best hardy white rose for Summer blooming ever offered.

Hardy Climbing Roses.

✓ **Baltimore Belle.**—Pale blush, variegated carmine rose and white; very double. One of the best climbing roses grown and very popular.

✓ **Prairie Queen.**—Clear bright pink, sometimes with white stripes. Large and fine.

✓ **Crimson Rambler.** (*Climbing Polyantha*.) This fine rose imported from Japan, the land of wonders has proved a decided acquisition. It is a rapid grower and a handsome plant. The immense clusters of semi-double blooms of a lovely crimson color are very handsome.

\$6.00 per 100.

Polyantha Roses.

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

✓ **Trignonette.**—Its color is clear, delicate rose, with fragrant and peculiar white markings.

✓ **Paquerette.**—One of the finest of this class. Pure white and of perfect form, very fine for pots.

✓ **Miniature.**—Pure white; blooms small and graceful.

\$6.00 per 100.

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CARNATIONS.

Standard List of Tested Varieties.

Including Many Novelties of 1895. Free from Rust.

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Varieties.

For the past two years we have been giving especial care and attention to growing and testing new varieties of this most beautiful flower until we have become recognized specialists in this line. Many of the new varieties which do so well in the heavier soil of the Eastern states do not prove profitable in the West. By careful selection and testing we are enabled to offer our customers only varieties which have stood the test of Western cultivation.

American Flag.—A sport from *Portia* having red and white striping on petals.

Bride of Erlescourt.—Pearly white. Long stiff stem. Per 100, \$5.00.

Bridesmaid.—Color of Bridesmaid rose. Strong stiff stems. \$5.00 per 100.

Daybreak.—Light pink. The best carnation ever grown.

Dean Hole.—Bright lemon yellow with brilliant carmine pencillings. Very handsome. Per dozen 90c, per 100, \$6.00.

E. A. Wood.—Light pink, desirable. Per 100, \$4.00.

Grace Nicholson.—A very strong growing variety producing enormous flowers on fine long stiff stems. Not a prolific bloomer but of great merit. Good for pots. \$5.00 per 100.

Hinze's White.—Creamy white an old favorite.

Harrison, J. J.—White tipped with soft pink. Pretty.

Helen Kellar.—White delicately penciled with scarlet.

Lizzie McGowan.—More of this variety is grown than of any other white.

Madam Diaz Albertini.—Flowers large and of clear pink. \$5.00 per 100.

Meteor.—Brilliant crimson scarlet. \$5.00 per 100.

Mrs. Fisher.—Best white for summer flowers

Portia.—Most productive and best scarlet.

Rose Queen.—Soft rose, vigorous and healthy. \$5.00 per 100.

Silver Spray.—An old favorite white.

Tidal Wave.—Bright carmine.

DAYBREAK.

Uncle John.—Pure white with long stiff stems. Very robust habit. \$5.00 per 100.

Wm. Scott.—The most popular pink carnation of the day on account of its productiveness.

Except where noted \$3.00 per 100. (These prices are for plants from 2½-inch pots.)

General Collection of Plants.

Abutilons.

Souv. de Bonn.—A very distinct and striking plant with large bright green leaves, distinctly edged with a pure white band; a strong robust grower, forming fine specimens in a very short time; fine for large vases and porch boxes.

Dozen 75c; 100 \$5.00. Fine 4-inch specimens 25c each.

Eclipse.—Variegated green and yellow foliage.

SOUVENIR DE BONN.

Erecta.—Dwarf habit, rough leaves, red Fuchsia like flower.

Boule de Neige.—Pure white.

Thompsoni Plena. Double orange colored flowers, foliage mottled green and yellow.

Unless noted, 60c per doz. \$4.00 per 100.

Anthericum Vivatum Variegatum.

An elegant plant with recurved graceful foliage. The leaves are dark green, beautifully marked with broad stripes and bands of pure white. It produces long spikes of small, star-shaped flowers, which are quite effective. Very useful as a basket plant.

4 inch pots 15c each, \$1.50 per doz.

Anthemis Coronaria Plena.

(DOUBLE GOLDEN MARGUERITE.)

Valuable either for pot culture or bedding out. Flowers very double, from one inch to inch and a quarter in diameter, beautiful golden yellow.

Per 100 \$5.00

Acalypha Tricolor.

A free growing plant, suitable for greenhouse or bedding out; foliage elegantly variegated with olive and red. \$5.00 per 100

Asparagus.

(LACE OR FERN-LEAVED.)

Plumosus.—A beautiful climbing plant with bright green, gracefully arched foliage surpassing maidenhair ferns in grace, delicacy of texture and richness of color. 2-in. pots per 100 \$8.

Tenuissimus.—Very fine, filmy foliage. A handsome climbing plant for the window, and a very useful pot plant. Per 100 \$8.00.

Achyranthes.

A beautiful class of variegated leaf plants, used largely for bedding, for which they are admirably adapted.

Brilliantissima.—Leaves and stems of a brilliant ruby color.

Biemullieri.—Dark metallic red, shaded carmine or rose.

McNally.—Golden yellow, veined green.

Emersonii.—Leaves bright red, lance shaped.

Per doz. 50c, per 100 \$4.00.

Ageratum.

Blanche.—Pure white; very desirable.

Cope's Pet.—Dwarf; bright blue.

\$5.00 per 100.

AGERATUM COPE'S PET.

Alyssum.

Double Tom Thumb.

Colossus.

Variegated.

Per doz. 40c; per 100 \$3.00.

Alternanthera.

Aurea Nana.—Bright golden yellow.

Amabilis Tricolor.—Orange crimson and green.

Per doz. 40c; per 100 \$3.00.

ASPIDISTRA LURIDA.

One of the best plants for withstanding the gas and dust of the living room. Fine broad leaves eight to twelve inches long, four to six wide; deep green.

4-inch pots per doz. \$1.50, per 100 \$10.00.

✓ **Aucuba Japonica.**

(GOLD DUST PLANT.)

A fine greenhouse or conservatory plant, large brilliant green leaves beautifully marked with yellow. Per doz. \$1.00.

Amaryllis.

Hybrids of Vitata.—These are seedling from carefully hybridized seed, and may be expected to produce flowers equal in size and beauty to Johnsonii of various colors.

3-Inch pots 15c each.

✓ **Aloysia Citriodora.**

(See Lemon Verbena.)

Angelonia.

A pretty trailing plant for hanging baskets or vases having pretty bell shaped flowers of a pink color. \$4.00 per 100.

Asters.

We grow many hundred of the leading varieties such as Comet, D. W. Pyramidal, etc.

\$4.00, per 100

✓ **Bougainvillea Sanderiana.**

A new pot plant and one that is sure to prove

BOUGAINVILLEA

a favorite wherever grown. Large flower bracts of glowing crimson. \$1.50 per doz. 100. \$10.00.

Bouvardias.

✓ **Elegans.**—Red. **Rosea Multiflora.**—Pink, tinged with salmon. **Vreelandi.**—Fine white. Per doz. 75c.

Crotons.

In variety \$6.00 per 100

Celosia.

(Coxcomb.) A handsome garden annual useful for bordering and ribbon lines. \$4.00 per 100.

Canna.

Madam Crozy.—This is the only large flowering canna that we can recommend for Western growth. Flowers brilliant scarlet banded with gold. \$12.00 per 100. 4-inch pots.

Coleus.

Beckwith's Gem.—A beautiful variety with markings of red, orange and chocolate.

Firebrand.—Intense deep red, yellow border.

Golden Bedder.—Bright yellow.

Golden Verschaffelti.—Bright yellow.

John Good.—Green, mottled with bright yellow, serrated edges.

Queen Victoria.—Crimson, bright golden edge.

Verschaffelti.—Intense deep red; an old favorite; best red bedder.

\$3.00 per 100.

Cuphea.

Platycentra.—(Cigar Plant.) A well known everblooming plant with blooms of scarlet tipped with black bearing a resemblance to a lighted cigar. \$4.00 per 100

Tricolor.—Somewhat stronger in growth than the above bearing tubular flowers about 1 inch long white, tipped with purple with scarlet wings. \$5.00 per 100.

Coronilla.

A pretty flowering shrub of easy culture bearing a profusion of yellow pea shaped flowers during the winter and spring months. Exquisitely fragrant. \$6.00 per 100.

Clerodendron.

Balfouri.—A hot house climber bearing bright scarlet and white flowers of curious shape. \$6.00.

Cyperus.

(UMBRELLA PLANT.)

This splendid semi-aquatic plant is best known to amateurs as The Umbrella Palm, and finds great favor on account of its easy culture. \$8.00 per 100.

Dahlias.

We have a fine and complete collection of this beautiful flower in many varieties. Which we offer remarkably cheap. 2½-inch pots per 100, \$5.00; 4-inch pots per 100, \$8.00. Named varieties.

Extra Offer. We have about 5,000 Dahlias in 2½-inch pots which are all of the finest varieties (about 20 in all) and which have become mixed in handling. These are fine little plants that will bloom freely this summer and will sell readily at retail at 15c to 25c each. We offer them to clear them out at \$4.00 per 100.

Centaurea.

Gymnocarpa.—Dusty miller. Useful for carpet bedding. Silver gray foliage.

\$5.00 per 100. 4-inch pots \$8.00 per 100.

Martima.—A small leaves variety of spreading growth, useful for vases and baskets. Silvery gray foliage. \$4.00 per 100.

Begonias. Flowering Varieties.

Alba Picta.—A pretty species from Brazil, distinct in character. It is shrubby in habit and of green compact growth. The leaves are glossy green, freely spotted with bright silvery white. Will make a useful and pretty plant for decorative purposes.

Argentea Guttata.—A cross between Begonia Olbia and Alba Picta, with foliage of large size, of a rich green spotted with silver; a beautiful variety.

METALLICA.

Ingrahamii.—A free flowering, easy growing species, literally covered with pretty pink flowers.

McBethii.—Certainly one of the best blooming varieties in cultivation; a mass of white flowers all the season.

Metallica.—A shrubby variety; good grower and free bloomer; leaves triangular, longer than wide; under side of leaf and stem hairy, the surface of a lustrous metallic or bronze color, veined darker; flowers white, covered with glandular red hairs. It is perfectly distinct.

Marguerite.—Leaves bronzy-green, somewhat resembling Metallica, but more bushy in form and easier to handle when grown for market. Large trusses of light rose-colored flowers, freely produced.

Rubella.—Belongs to the Ricinifolia section, having large, velvety, deep-pointed leaves. The ribs are banded with purplish brown, while the ground is a pallid green, blotched with red.

Sandersonii.—A bushy growing variety with deep green leaves; flowers in clusters of drooping, heart-shaped buds; an almost constant bloomer.

Sanguinea.—Leaves dark reddish-green, pointed, stiff, glossy and smooth-edged; under side dark crimson. A spreading variety, neither trailing nor erect growing. Flowers white. Shows well on a bracket.

Rubra.—One of the finest Begonias in cultivation. Its dark, glossy-green leaves, combined with its free flowering habit, makes it one of the very best plants for house and conservatory decoration. The flowers are a scarlet-rose color, and are produced in the greatest profusion.

Weltoniensis.—One of the best sorts for bedding in summer; flowers rich, rosy pink; very free.

\$5.00 per 100

Rex or Painted Leaf Begonias.

Louise Closson.—Centre of leaf rosy bronze with broad band of silvery rose. Very handsome. \$1.00 per doz., \$8.00 per 100.

Clementine.—A fine silver leaved variety.

Edward Kennedy.—Beautiful green with silver markings.

Jumbo.—An immense leaf of the Ricinifolia type.

Except where noted, \$6.00 per 100.

Euphorbia Splendens.

A continuous blooming plant; stems densely covered with spines an inch in length, giving it a curious appearance; scarlet flowers with yellow centers. Per dozen 75c.

Echeveria.

Secunda Glauca. (*Hen and Chickens.*) Low growing rosette like plants of a light glaucous gray. Used for bordering in carpet bedding. \$3.00 per 100.

Eupatorium.

Elegans. Very useful for cut flowers. Plants grown out doors during the summer and lifted in early fall will with proper care give a profusion of fine feathery white flowers which are beautiful when cut in sprays. Per 100, \$5.00.

Farfugium Grande.

Commonly called Leopard plant. Beautiful marked leaves of deep green and yellow.

2 1-2 inch, each 10 cents. 4-inch each 25c.

FEVERFEW.

Little Gem.—This variety, which we recommend, is very dwarf, reaching a height of only twelve to eighteen inches. The flowers are large, of perfect form, and of purest white.

Per 100 \$6.00. 4-inch pots, per 100 \$12.00.

FERNS.

Adiantum Cuneatum.—(Maidenhair.) Per 100 \$6.00.

Pteris Tremula. Per 100 \$6.00.

Nephrolepis Exaltata.—Per 100 \$8.00.

Microlepia Hirta Cristata.—Per 100 \$10.00.

NEW DWARF PERPETUAL FLOWERING FUSCHIA.

Little Beauty.—This is a charming variety and the treest flowering of all Fuchsias. It begins to bloom when only two or three inches high and continues to flower the year around, often one hundred open blossoms at one time on a single plant in a small pot. Flowers of good size. Tube and sepals bright red, corolla deep purple. Every lover of Fuchsias should have this little gem. Per 100, \$6.00.

FUSCHSIAS.

Beauty of Exeter.—White. Single.

Black Prince. Single. Large petals of bright carmine; rosy pink corolla.

Carl Halt.—A white single variety; very free A fine winter variety.

Cannells Favorite.—Single; light pink.

Charmer.—Great bloomer; tube and sepals bright scarlet; corolla purple. Single.

Elm City.—Crimson sepals; fine dark corolla.

Esmerelda.—Tube short, sepals red; corolla very large and double, beautiful lilac changing to clear rose.

Fulgens.—Bright orange scarlet tube long.

Gem.—A beautiful variety with bright golden foliage. Tube and sepals scarlet corolla deep purple.

Jupiter.—Sepals red corolla violet blue double very fine. \$5.00 per 100.

Mrs. E. G. Hill.—The very best double white. Per 100, \$6.00.

Storm King.—Flowers extra large double white. Weeping habit. Per 100, \$5.00.

Speciosa.—Single, pale pink.

Phenomenal.—Largest double purple. Per 100, \$5.00.

Wave of Life.—An extremely beautiful variety having silvery foliage tipped and marked with wine color, very handsome.

Per 100 (except where noted) \$4.00. Fine 4-inch plants per 100, \$12.00.

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Special Offer.—To clear out our surplus we offer *our choice* 2½-inch fuchsias per 100, \$2.75; 4-inch per 100, \$9.00.

FICUS.

Elastica.—(*Rubber Plant*.)—We have this useful plant in various sizes from 4-inch pots at 50 cents each, to specimens in 12-inch pots for \$5.00 each.

GENISTA.

Canariensis.—A beautiful yellow flowering plant, flowering so liberally as to cover the plant with its rich golden yellow flowers. Largely grown in the east for Easter pot plants. Per 100 \$8.00.

FUSCHIA PHENOMENAL

GAZANIA SPLENDENS.

A handsome plant of drooping or trailing habit, bearing large yellow flowers with black center which close up at night. Foliage is neatly marked green and white. Fine for baskets and vases. Per 100 \$6.00.

GNAPHALIUM LINATUM.

A gray foliage plant much used in bedding and for baskets and vases. Per 100 \$5.00.

HIBISCUS.

In variety per 100, \$5.00.

HOYA CARNOSA.

Wax Plant.—A climbing plant with thick fleshy leaves bearing umbels of beautiful flesh colored wax-like flowers. Per 100, \$6.00.

GERANIUMS=List of Standard Varieties for Florists

SINGLE VARIETIES.

Adams' Seedling.—Our own seedling, very pleasing self pink.

Gray, Asa.—An old favorite pink.

Apple Blossom.—Gigantic trusses, white marked with pink, resembling apple blossoms.

Copernic.—Beautiful rosy carmine, changing to salmon.

Edmond About.—Light magenta, small white eye; showy.

Fanny.—Large fine truss, orange scarlet.

Glorie de Lyons.—Magnificent flower. Beautiful shade of salmon-carmine.

Guinea.—Perhaps the nearest approach to a yellow geranium. Orange-scarlet.

Mead, Gen.—A fine tall bedder of the General Grant type. Intense red.

Nanz, H.—Immense truss of bright scarlet. Finer than Gen. Grant.

Ferry, Jules.—Soft scarlet-red. Excellent bedder. Fine truss.

Jealousy.—Orange yellow, free bloomer.

Master Christine.—Best dwarf pink bedder; always in bloom.

Windsor, Mrs.—Monstrous trusses, blush white, scarlet eye.

New Life.—Very distinctly marked with red and white stripes.

La Vestal.—The best single white. Large truss and florets. Fine grower.

Romeo.—Beautiful shell pink. Dwarf.

Sloan, Sam.—The king of single red bedders. No other variety surpasses its intense brilliant color.

Swanley Giant.—Intense bright scarlet, clear white eye. Very fine.

Souvenir de Mirande.—Grand variety pure white, with delicate markings of salmon rose.

Univers.—Very dark crimson scarlet. Extra large and fine.

Per 100 \$6.00. Write for special quotations on bedding stock from 4-inch pots,

DOUBLE VARIETIES.

Bruant.—The best of all red bedders. Semi-double of striking vermillion red shade. Foliage perfect.

Beaute Poitevine.—Very large brilliant salmon. Fine bedder.

Cygnnet.—Bruant seedling of deeper shade than parent; very fine.

Jacoby, Dr.—Nankeen salmon; foliage strong, desirable variety.

Lemoine, Emily.—Large crimson scarlet. Strong grower.

Lauth, Ernest.—Deep glowing crimson, very large and fine.

de France, Glorie.—A grand variety. Immense salmon white, red center.

La Fayette, General.—Strong grower, deep brilliant red.

Thorpe, Harriet.—Delicate blush shaded pearl pink.

Beach, Hoff.—Rich amaranth purple, very large and handsome.

Markland, Jas. Y.—Bright peach, rose center, broadly margined white.

Le Cid.—Very compact but vigorous. Flower brilliant crimson. Fine.

Le Favorite.—Very large and double. Very white and fine.

Hoste, Madame.—Large trusses of clear pink, distinct center of salmon. Fine.

Niagara.—Fine double white. Strong and free bloomer.

Crozy, P.—A very good and satisfactory variety. A cross between the zonales and ivies, dwarf habit; fine large trusses of brilliant scarlet flowers.

Queen Olga.—Standard variety of beautiful pink.

Thibaut, Madame.—Large rich rose pink. Old variety but good.

Wonderful.—One of the very best reds.

Per 100 \$6.00. Write for special quotations on bedding stock from 4-inch pots.

Variegated Leaved Geraniums.

Corrinne.—Golden bronze of the McMahon type.

Crystal Palace Gem.—Bright golden yellow. Dwarf.

Golden Harry Hieover.—Very fine bronze leaf bedder.

Goliath.—A new tri-color of fine habit; bright chocolate zone, belted with rosy carmine, pure white margin. \$8.00 per 100.

Happy Thought.—Margin dark green, center creamy yellow.

Freak of Nature.—Outside edge of leaves deep green, center white, flowers light scarlet.

McMahon, Marechal.—An especially desirable bronze bedder. Fine yellow foliage.

Sallerioi, Madam.—Silver Geranium very compact and fine. Especially fine for massing or bordering. Per 100 \$4.00.

Parker, Mrs.—Silver leaved. Double flowered. The only double flowering variety in the Silver Leaf section. Foliage of silvery green bordered with white. \$8.00 per 100.

Pollock, Mrs.—The original tri-color geranium. Very fine. Bronzey scarlet zone with golden edge. 4-inch pots only, \$2.00 per 100.

Mountain of Snow.—Silver edge. Fine grower.

Zulu.—Very fine golden leaved bedder with very dark, almost black zone. Splendid bedder.

Per 100 \$6.00 except where noted.

Ivy Leaved Geraniums.

Standard Varieties.

Pfitzer, Anna—Extra large. Salmon pink.

Le Page, Bastien—Rosy Mauve.

Bridal Wreath—Old favorite white.

Congo—Large flower; rose lilac.

Marche, Eden—Beautiful salmon rose.

Lemoine, Emile—Double scarlet.

d'Arc, Jeanne—Large pure white.

Per 100 \$6.00.

New Ivy Geranium Souv. Chas. Turner.

One of the handsomest ivys ever introduced. Flowers very large and double, of a bright deep pink. Borne in very large trusses. Per 100 \$8.

VARIEGATED LEAVED IVY GERANIUM.

Le Elegant. This variety always scarce has a broad white band running around the edge of the leaf which otherwise is of a brilliant green. Per 100 \$6.00.

Scented Geraniums.

Skeleton Leaved.—Very fine, graceful foliage.

Rose Scented.—The old large-leaved favorite.

Nutmeg Scented.—Small leaves.

Lemon Scented.—Strong lemon fragrance. Foliage small. Per 100 \$8.00.

Except where noted, \$6.00 per 100.

Variegated Leaved Rose Geranium.

A plant of great beauty and pleasing fragrance. Foliage silvery green bordered with creamy white.

\$6.00 per 100.

1895 Novelties in Ivy Geraniums.

Hardy, August—Large, full trusses on strong stems. Color a fine scarlet.

Doucet, Camille—Flowers large rosy salmon lightly marked red on each petal.

Monselet, Chas.—Flowers very full, fiery red, upper petals beautifully marked. Trusses as fine as those of the Zonale section.

de Maistre, Joseph—Fine trusses of flowers of heavy texture. Color, clear satin amaranth.

Janin, Jules—Flowers very large, of cup shape, quite double, rosy violet in color.

La Foudre—Flowers quite double and of bright orange scarlet color.

Merimee.—Plant of trailing habit; flowers white veined black. Fine for baskets and vases.

Guillemand, Mme. A.—Flowers full and double; color, violet purple; extremely grand of this color.

Owen, Edith.—Deep rose color, very bright and full; fine, bold flower. Plant has a stiff, upright habit.

Owen, Robt.—Bright rose color, very double, flowers of enormous size; awarded several first-class certificates in England.

Beauty of Castle Hill.—A most beautiful variety, producing flowers as large as those of *Souv. de Chas. Turner*; color a lovely, soft shade of rose, with dark blotch on the upper petals. Free in bloom and a fine grower. 25 cents each.

Gen. Championnet.—A grand, pure scarlet florets of beautiful rose form, quite circular, of the largest size; the most regularly beautiful of all the reds, and as fine in color as *P. Crozy*, and a little darker, besides being very double.

Incomparable.—(*Syn. Remarkable.*) Trusses very large, florets immense and very regular in form; quite full; the color is an exquisite shade of rosy carmine. No finer.

Ryecroft Surprise.—A seedling from *Souv. de Chas. Turner*, of bold, vigorous, upright habit, producing flowers of a lovely and distinct shade of salmon rose.

10 cents each; Set of 14, \$1.00

NEW GERANIUMS.

THREE NEW SINGLES.

Juliet.—Clear salmon, shading to nearly white round the eye, a lovely delicate color, and one of the most perfectly formed flowers both in pip and truss ever seen. This is undoubtedly the best salmon to date, and will become a favorite wherever grown. 50 cents each.

Deuil de Miribel.—The grandest single scarlet that we have yet seen. Footstalks 15 inches long and very rigid, and bearing enormous trusses composed of immense circular florets of velvety crimson scarlet. This variety has the largest floret, the finest truss, the longest stem

and the best color among single reds, and it is a fine free grower. 50 cents each.

Mme. Jules Chretien.—Florets full two inches across, perfectly circular in form and extremely showy. It is the largest, finest and most showy fancy Geranium that we have ever seen. The center of the flower is pure white, surrounding by an aureole of pale violet, and is bordered bright red. The bloom is of the very largest size, and is a beautiful dwarf grower and very free in bloom. A most astonishing variety. 50 cents each.

Set of three New Geraniums: \$1.00

THREE NEW BRUANTS.

Prest. Victor Dubois.—Enormous trusses formed of extra large semi-double florets; color, the most fashionable shade of rosy magenta. This shade is entirely new in the Bruant section, and for those who like it it is one of the finest. 25 cents each.

Baronne de Scalibert.—Dwarf and compact in growth, and so free in bloom that the large trusses cover the plant. Florets large, of bright soft pink color, the centers marked white, petals

veined red, a lovely color, and a grand addition to the Bruant type. 25 cents each.

Alphonse, Ricard.—A strong grower, dwarf and branching and producing flowers in great masses. Both floret and truss are of enormous size, single, or slightly doubled, and color a brilliant shade of orange red. M. Bruant recommends this in the highest terms as a bedder. 25 cents each.

The three magnificent Double Bruants for 50 cents.

DOUBLE PETUNIAS.

The following varieties of Giant Double Petunias are especially recommended to our patrons as being desirable and profitable for both pot plants and bedding. This is the finest collection ever offered to the trade.

Varieties.

Annie.—Clear white; shading into La France pink. Beautifully fringed.

Albertsii.—Beautifully variegated purple and white.

Daisy Dean.—White, blotched with carmine; a strong grower; very handsome.

Exquisite.—Beautifully marked with maroon and white stripes and blotches.

Helen. Deep purple of an exquisite shade.

Hilda.—Fine large flower, beautifully fringed and marked.

La Fortune.—Very full and fringed; beautiful light colors.

Lucy Longstreet.—A beautiful deep pink and white variegated variety with large and beautiful flowers.

Martha.—Large flowers of a deep maroon shade.

Novelty.—Very large and handsome flowers, beautifully variegated pink and white.

Pink Beauty.—The finest of all double petunias. A very large and double flower, beautifully fringed; of a most pleasing shade of bright pink. Per 100 \$8.00.

White Squadron.—A fine double white; most proluse bloomer. Rank grower, flower not large but borne in great profusion.

Except where noted \$6.00 per 100.

DOUBLE PETUNIA, ALBERTSII.

GLADIOLI.

Named Varieties.

May.—A fine new variety. It has a style and finish not seen in any other light variety. It throws strong spikes of well expanded flowers. White edge of petals delicately touched with pink. **75 cents per dozen; \$5.00 per 100.**

Bertha.—This is the grandest variety of its color ever introduced; grows tall, erect and makes a long spike with two large side branches; it bears two rows of large, finely arched flowers, set close together on the stem, forming a solid mass of color, which is a brilliant light scarlet. The throat is pink above on three petals and purple below. The anthers are purple below and white above, the stamens and pistil are pink. Per 100 \$18.00

Mable This variety attracts marked attention, not only for its fine coloring, but its upright habit. It is dwarf in growth, rarely exceeding a height of thirty inches. In color it is carmine or cherry, or between the two, growing lighter toward the center of the flowers, where it is delicate pink, with small crimson stain in bottom of the cup. It bears two rows of flowers slightly separated, has a large number opened at one time. **\$1.00 per dozen. \$5.00 per 100.**

Eugene Scribe.—Spike large and branching, flowers large and perfect, tender rose blazed carmine red. A very desirable variety. **75 cents per dozen; \$6.00 per 100.**

How to make the green house pay is a problem confronting the florists continually. A few Gladiolus bulbs planted along the edge of the rose or carnation benches will help pay the coal bill and not interfere with the growth of anything else.

Gladiolus in Colors—Our Own Mixture.

We have a limited supply of the following mixture. They are of the qualities usually sold. Size 1½ inches and over. We will sell as long as stock lasts at the following prices:

	DOZ.	100.
White and light, mixed varieties	40	\$3.00
Pink, striped and variegated.....	40	3.00
Varieties of red and scarlet.....	40	3.00
Yellow in variety.....	50	5.00

Special Offer.

We have in stock several thousand fine gladiolus bulbs, grown from seed, embracing many extra fine varieties. Fine large bulbs and very cheap at the price we offer them. **\$2.00 per 100**

MADAM BRUANT.

HELIO TROPES.

These plants are universal favorites on account of their delightful fragrance. They bloom equally well as bedding plants in Summer, or as pot plants in the house in Winter.

Albert Delaux.—A French variety of great beauty. Foliage is a bright golden yellow, very pronounced, and marked slightly with a delicate green. Its lively purple flowers are in striking contrast with its light foliage.

10 cents each.

Madam Bruant.—One of the finest we have ever seen. Plant dwarf and exceedingly free blooming; immense panicles of very large

flowers; rich purple, with large white eye.

Queen of the Violets.—Its color is of the deepest violet purple, with large, almost pure white center, and very fragrant; in so much demand it is always scarce.

Snow Wreath.—Strong grower, dwarf, and covered with large trusses of pure white flowers; an excellent variety.

Except where noted, Per 100 \$6.00

Hardy Chinese Matrimony Vine.

The old fashioned Matrimony Vine was a general favorite more than fifty years ago, but in beauty of flower, fruit and foliage it cannot compare with this superb variety. It is a most vigorous hardy climbing plant when trained to any location where such a climber is desired. **\$6.00 per 100**

HYDRANGEA

Otaska. A Japanese variety having large fine flower heads and bright glossy foliage. Per 100, \$6.00.

IVIES.

English. \$5.00 per 100.

German or Parlor. (*Senecio Scandens.*) \$4.00 per 100.

Kenilworth. Fine for hanging baskets. Per 100, \$4.00.

Kenilworth Variegated. \$4.00 per 100.

This is a favorite pot plant. Of easy culture and propagation. Per 100, \$5.00.

JASMINE.

Grandiflorum. Pure white star shaped flowers of exquisite fragrance. \$6.00 per 100.

Revolutum. A strong climbing plant with rich glossy foliage. Flowers single yellow and very fragrant. \$6.00 per 100.

Grand Duke. This variety is very easily grown. Even small plants bearing a profusion of double white blooms of the most exquisite fragrance. \$8.00 per 100.

JUSTICIA.

A strong growing plant producing great spikes of bright pink flowers. Splendid either for the house or garden. \$6.00 per 100.

LOBELIA.

A beautiful plant for edgings and borders.

Compacta. (*Crystal Palace.*) Rich, deep blue.

Compacta. (*Bronze.*) The same as the above with deeper colored almost bronze foliage. Per 100, \$3.00.

LOBELIA GOLDEN QUEEN.

This is a most beautiful variety. The flowers of brilliant rich deep blue show at a most distinct contrast against the foliage which is of a clear distinct yellow. This variety is much superior to *Pyrethrum* for a golden border plant. Per 100, \$5.00.

LANTANAS.

Alba Magnifica. Pure white.

California. Golden yellow, very dwarf.

Jacques Minot. Brilliant yellow shading to yellow.

Columbine. Beautiful light blue, very small white eye. Very dwarf.

\$4.00 per 100.

LEMON VERBENA.

A universal favorite. Noted for its fragrant leaves. Per 100 \$4.00.

MAHERNIA.

Odorata. (*Honey Bell.*) One of the finest early spring pot plants. \$5.00 per 100.

MANETTIA VINE.

Profuse flowering climber producing tubular flowers of flame color tipped with bright yellow. \$6.00 per 100.

MARGUERITE.

White Paris Daisy. Pure white, yellow center.

Yellow Paris Daisy. Rich golden yellow.

Blue Paris Daisy. Lovely blue, yellow center. A gem. \$4.00 per 100.

MESEMBRYANTHEMUM.

California Pink or Sun Rose. A well known house plant. Profuse bloomer, easy to manage. Fine for baskets and vases. Two colors pink and white. \$4.00 per 100.

MYRTLE.

Myrtus Communis. The well known German Myrtle. \$6.00 per 100.

MUSK PLANT.

Mimulus Moschatus. This plant is an old favorite for window culture its delicious musk like fragrance often permeating the entire house. \$5.00 per 100.

MYOSOTIS.

Paulustus The old favorite Forget-me-not. \$4.00 per 100.

NASTURTIUM.

Double Red. This is a fine variety of drooping or trailing habit useful for baskets and vases. Its flowers which are borne in profusion are very large and double and of a most pleasing shade of red. \$4.00 per 100.

OTAHEITE ORANGE.

One of the best house plants in cultivation. This variety is dwarf in habit and grows freely and ripens its fruit in pots. It is a pretty and fragrant plant while in bloom and decidedly handsome when its fruit is ripening. Sells well in greenhouse. The fruit is about two inches in diameter and edible. \$8.00 per 100. Specimen plant 50c each.

OLEANDERS.

We have a fine lot of Oleanders about three feet high in 6-inch pots. These are fine plants of the double pink variety, and are cheap at the price we offer them. They will retail at from \$1.50 to \$3.00 each. Price each 50 cents.

Mignonette.

Extra selected seed of our own sowing.

We are noted for growing the best strain of Mignonette grown in Colorado. Our success is due mainly to the superior strain of seed sown. We have a limited number of packets of seed saved from selected spikes which we guarantee to produce spikes of bloom equal to those shown in cut.

NOTE—Sow seed in flats in August, as soon as large enough prick off into 2½-inch pots. As soon as plants comfortably fill pots plant into a bench containing 6-inches of good fibrous soil thoroughly enriched with at least ¼ well rotted cow manure. As soon as plants are well established, begin to feed lightly with liquid manure increasing strength as plants begin to throw flower shoots. Disbud carefully and cut out all weak growth, throwing the entire strength of the plant into the stronger shoots.

Cut blooms of our Mignonette 'sell on this market for \$1.00 per dozen retail.

**Packets containing 50 seeds, 50 cents.
3 packets for \$1.00.**

PILEA.

Muscosa. (*Artillery Plant.*) A pretty and extremely graceful fern-like plant useful for house culture. When its flowers are ready to open if the plant is sprinkled and set in the sun the calyx open with considerable force and the fine dust-like pollen is thrown out a foot or more, hence the name Artillery Plant. Fine for baskets or vases. \$5.00 per 100.

PANSIES.

We grow many thousands of this popular plant, sowing seed only of the very best varieties. We offer fine large plants, \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1,000; 500 plants at 1000 rate.

POMEGRANITE

Beautiful plants of symmetrical growth which can be used advantageously for bedding or pot plants. Per 100, \$6.00.

POINSETTIA

Pulcherima.—Per dozen 4-inch pots \$3.00.

PLUMBAGO CAPENSIS.

Sky Blue—profuse bloomer. **White**—Dwarf
Per 100 \$6.00

PELARGONIUMS.

Very fine for sale as pot plants when in bloom. Three varieties, \$8.00 per 100.

STEVIA.

Nana. This is a valuable plant for florists: may be grown in the field during summer and lifted and potted before frost, set along the walks in carnation houses and will give a profusion of small white star like flowers in large clusters by Christmas. \$4.00 per 100.

SALVIA.

Splendens. One of the finest fall bloomers. Too well known to require description. \$4.00 per 100.

SOLANUM.

Jasminoides Grandiflora. A beautiful climber, easily managed; flowers star shaped, borne in clusters; white. Free blooming. \$5.00 per 100.

SMILAX.

No plant grown by florists is so indispensable as this. \$3.00 per 100. Write for rates per 1,000.

SWAINSONIA.

Galegifolia. A most desirable everblooming plant bearing pure white flowers, produced in sprays like sweet peas. Very handsome. \$6.00 per 100.

VINCA.

(*Periwinkle.*)

Harrisonii. A beautiful, variegated, trailing plant, admirably adapted for hanging baskets and vases. Leaves green broadly margined with light yellow.

Variegata Major. Leaves beautifully variegated with white.
\$6.00 per 100. Fine large 6-inch pots 25c each.

VIOLETS.

Marie Louise. Deep violet blue; double and very fragrant. The leading variety. \$3.00 per 100.

California. A vigorous grower, entirely free from disease. Flowers very large, single and borne on long stems. \$10.00 per 100.

VERBENAS.

Mammoth Flowering Varieties.

Clean Healthy Stock, Free From Rust or Disease.

We believe our stock of Verbenas is the best West. The plants we offer are cold grown and healthy, and are sure to give satisfaction.

VARIETIES.

Aurora Borealis.—Red and white striped, very handsome.

Beauty of Oxford.—The strong healthy growth of this variety marks it as the very best pink. The flowers are bright pink and as large as the cut shown.

Climaxer.—The grandest red ever grown, flowers as large as illustration. Foliage large and vigorous. Color intense scarlet.

Charmer.—Brilliant red.

Edith.—Intense red. Fine.

Francis.—A very beautiful pink, somewhat lighter than Beauty of Oxford. Flower larger in size than any variety grown by us.

General Custer.—Brilliant crimson, small white eye. While the flowers of this variety are not so large as those of some other varieties, their brilliant color and profusion of bloom more than make amends for their size.

Perle.—A large clear white, very large and handsome.

Actual Size.

Shakespeare.—Beautiful lilac.

Scarlet Purple.—White eye. A very fine color. Strong growth and large flower.

Sylph.—Pure white. Fine large flower. Strong healthy foliage.

Neptune.—A very pleasing shade of lilac. Flowers large and handsome.

Willie Desmond.—Beautiful shade Geranium scarlet. Flowers very large and produced

freely. Foliage large leaved and healthy. A desirable variety.

White Beauty.—One of the best whites grown. Fine large bloom. Healthy strong grower.

Zebra. A variety from the old favorite Star. Brilliant red and white markings. Fine, small leaved foliage.

Per 100 \$3.00. Per 1,000 \$28.00. Rooted cuttings per 100 \$1.00 postpaid.

Hardy Perennials and Climbers.

Aquilegia.

(COLORADO COLUMBINE.)

The true blue Colorado Columbine grown from seed hand picked by our own collectors. Seedlings, per 100 \$2.00, two year old plants from field. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

Ampelopsis.

Veitchii.—Boston Ivy. \$8.00 per 100.

Quinquefolia.—Virginia creeper. \$4.00 per 100.

Bignonia.

Radicans—Trumpet creeper. A well known rapid growing vine with large trumpet shaped orange scarlet flowers. \$8.00 per 100.

Chrysanthemum Maximum

Ox-eyed daisy. Fine strong plants. \$8.00 per 100.

Clematis.

Jackmanii.—The well known blue clematis. Well grown plants, two years old, per 100 \$35.00

Dielytra.

Bleeding heart. An old garden favorite. \$10.00 per 100 strong clumps.

Delphinium Formosum

Perennial Larkspur. Intense blue. Per 100 \$10.00, strong clumps.

Hibiscus "Crimson Eye."

A fine hardy hibiscus bearing immense white or pink, bell shaped blooms with "crimson eye." Beautiful while in bloom. 3 year plants \$2.00 per doz.

Hydrangea

Paniculata Grandiflora.

Absolutely hardy. Fine for lawns. \$6.00 per 100, 3 year old bushes \$15.00 per 100.

Honeysuckle.

Halliana.—Flowers white, changing to yellow.

Coral.—Bright red trumpet shaped flowers. \$6.00 per 100.

Hop.

Japanese Variegated.—An ornamental variety of the common hop. \$6.00 per 100.

Hollyhocks.

Double pink, double white, double yellow. \$4.00 per 100.

Helianthus.

Multiflorous Plenus.—A very fine H. P. Large double golden yellow flowers. \$8.00 per 100.

Iris.

Germanica.—Fluer de Lys. An old garden favorite. We have a large stock of this in two shades of blue and one of yellow, which we offer to clear off at \$3.00 per 100.

Perennial Phlox.

We also have a large stock of this valuable perennial which we offer cheap to clear it out. We have about twelve varieties ranging in color from cherry red through the shades of pink to clear white. All labeled; per 100 \$2.00.

Paeonies.

Herbaceous.—In variety \$15.00 per 100 must be ordered before May 1st.

Wisteria.

Sinensus.—Flowers in drooping clusters like a bunch of grapes. \$20.00.

Strawberries.

We grow the following varieties which we highly recommend:

Bubach, Downing, Cumberland, Jocunda, Clouds Seedling, Haviland, Jessie, Lady Rusk, Edwards Favorite, Nichols Early, Sucker State, Warfield, Capt. Jack, per 100 \$1.50, per 1,000 \$5.00.

Hood River or Clarks Seedling.—This exceedingly fine berry originated at Hood River, Oregon, where it is extensively grown and has been found exceedingly profitable on account of its remarkable keeping qualities and its large size, beautiful color and general attractiveness. This berry has found general favor around Denver and is in great demand. We offer a limited number of plants subject to being sold out at \$5.00 per 100.

Vegetable Plants and Roots.

Asparagus. Colossal, strong roots, 2 years old, \$2.00 per 100. **Cabbage plants (Hotbed).** Ready after April 15th, \$1.00 per 100; \$ 6.00 per 1000. **Cauliflower plant (Hotbed).** Ready April 15th, \$3.00 per 100. **Celery plants.** Ready May 1, \$1.00 per 100; \$ 6.00 per 1000. **Chives.** For flavoring, 15c per clump; \$1.50 per dozen. **Egg plants.** Ready in May and June. \$5.00 per 100. **Pepper plants.** Ready in May and June. \$3.00 per 100. **Rhubarb Roots.** Linnaeus and Victoria. Strong roots, \$2.00 per dozen. Small roots \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00. **Tomato plants.** Ready in May and June. Extra fine. \$1 00 per 100; \$ 6 per 1000.

"Prize-taker" Seedlings for new Onion culture. \$2.50 per 1000.

INSECTICIDES.

Whale Oil Soap. An effectual remedy for destroying and preventing insects on plants, trees, vines, &c. Pound, 15 cents.

Pure Paris Green. In boxes, 10 cents; per pound.

Powdered White Hellebore. For the destruction of caterpillars, slugs, worms, &c. (Dust on with gun or bellows while the foliage is moist.) Per pound, 20 cents.

Sulpho Tobacco Soap. Wherever tried this soap has given the greatest satisfaction; in fact, there is no insect that will succumb to its power. It is, therefore, unnecessary to enumerate them or to mention the flowers, shrubbery, berry bushes, vegetables, &c., on which it may be used with great advantage. One or two thorough applications will generally rid the plants of the pest for the entire season. Price, per can, 25 cents.

Tobacco Stems. Per pound, 5 cents. Write for special prices on large lots.

Tobacco Dust. Per pound, 5 cents.

Fir Tree Oil. Pint cans, 65 cents.

FOR APPLYING INSECTICIDES.

Powder Gun. Where insect powders are used in small quantities, as on pot plants, &c., this is just what is wanted. Two-ounce size, 35 cents; four-ounce size, 50 cents.

Powder Bellows. Two sizes, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Powder Duster. Two-quart size, 50 cents.

Brass Syringes. Good size for florists' use, one stream and two sprays. Price, \$5.00.

Rubber Sprinklers. For cut flowers and plants. Small, 75 cents; medium \$1.00; large, \$1.25; angling top, \$1.25.

FERTILIZERS.

Bone Meal. Per 100 pounds, \$2.50. In quantities of 500 pounds or more, per pound f. o. b. (sacks 10 cents each) 1½ cents.

Blood and Bone. Contains more phosphoric acid than Bone Meal. Same price as Bone Meal. Progressive florists use large quantities of Bone Fertilizer, you cannot afford to be behind the procession in this matter. Write us for circular.

Sheep Manure. In sacks per 100 pounds, 25 cents.

Peruvian Guano. Per pound, 20 cents.

Nitrate of Potash.—(Commercial) per lb 10 cents. (Not less than 10 lbs sold.)

Tools, Etc.

Dibbers.—For transplanting plants, 25c.

Pruning Shears.—\$1.00 per pair.

Garden Trowels.—In variety from 15c each, \$1.50 per doz. to 50c each or \$4.00 per doz.

Planet Junior Combined Drill, Wheel hoe, Cultivator, Rake and Plow. \$8.00 and \$12.00.

Tree Pruners.—To use with pole. \$1.50.

Rubber Hose.—½-inch 7, 8, 9, 10c per ft. ¾-inch, 8, 9, 10, 12 16c per ft. in 50 foot lengths with couplings.

Hand Weeders.—Excelsior. 20 cents each.

Florists Knives.—Savner, 90c \$1.25 and \$1.50 each. Budding knives \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 each. By mail 15c extra.

Glazing Tacks.—Double pointed 20c per lb. Van Reyers, per 1,000 75c.

Glass.—Write us for special quotations, we can save you money.

Hot-bed Sash.—Made to order of eastern prices.

Grass Cutters.—(Wheel) 15 and 25c each.

Raffia.—(Palm fibre) per pound 20c.

Thermometer.—Each 25c, doz. \$2.00.

Glass Shears.—Sheep shears per pair \$1.00.

Pot Labels.—4-in. per 1000 75c, 6-inch \$1.00.

Tin Foil.—Per lb 25c, per 100 lbs \$20.00.

Florists Wire.—Per lb. No. 24, 18c; No. 26, 22c; No. 28, 30c; No. 32, (finest) 35c.

Sphagnum Moss.—Per bale \$3.00.

Wax Paper.—12x18 inches per ream \$1.50.

Wire Designs.—Catalogue mailed on application.

Cheneille.—For lettering, per bunch of twelve yards 50c. Yellow, pink, white, red and purple.

Wheat.—For sheaves, per bunch, 1 lb. \$1.00.

Ribbon.—We can be of service in matching odd shades or we can furnish up to date shades, such as Violet, American Beauty or Orchid, etc. in various grades and prices of satin or silk ribbons.

We can quote you lowest market price on all Florists Tools, Implements, etc., or on sash, sash bar, glass, etc.

Price List of Pots.

Subject to change without notice.

We quote the following prices on strictly first-class well burned pots:

size.	per 100	per 1000.
2-inch	\$ 50	\$ 3 50
2½	75	4.75
3	1.00	6.00
4	1.25	9.00
5	2.25	17.50
6	3.50	22.00
7	4.70	35.00
8	6.00	45.00
10	15.00	
12	25.00	

These prices are cash with order. Packing charged extra on all orders less than \$20.00

Antirrhinum Majus Alba. * * *

GIANT WHITE SNAPDRAGON.

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Height 30 Inches. Color Pure White. Fine for Cut Flowers or Pot Plants.

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A Beautiful and Profitable Addition to the List of Flowers For Winter Blooming.

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After a thorough trial we heartily recommend ANTIRRHINUM MAJUS ALBA as a most desirable florists flower of extreme beauty, highly profitable and easy to grow.

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Commands instant attention wherever shown. Indispensable for funeral work. Fine for loose bunches either alone or with roses, carnations or other long stemmed flowers.

From a bench 5x80 ft., we have cut since September 1st, 1895 up to date (March 1, 1896) over 3,000 blooms which we sold readily at an average price (wholesale) of 6c each.

The keeping qualities of Antirrhinum Majus Alba after cutting are all that could be desired.

Antirrhinum Majus Alba.

During the summer of 1893 a florist near Boston, Mass., noticed among a lot of Antirrhinum (snapdragon) in his garden a plant of different and more graceful habit than the rest; particularly noticeable on account of its remarkable floriferousness, its clean cut foliage and the grace and beauty of its bloom of pure white faintly tinged with lemon yellow at the lips of the florets. From this one plant he rooted a number of cuttings which were tested by him during the ensuing winter under various conditions for the purpose of determining the merits of the plant for commercial purposes. The result of the test was more than satisfactory which led to further trial and a more careful selection in propagation which has resulted in producing a most desirable strain of treeflowering, winter blooming Antirrhinum of extreme grace and beauty.

Antirrhinum Majus Alba

Must not be confused with the common garden Snapdragon grown from seed. Which is worthless for forcing purposes.

Antirrhinum Majus Alba

Grows well under the conditions of soil and temperature generally given carnations but does not require such constant attention. Benches should be placed at least 3 feet below the glass to allow enough head room for the tall spikes of bloom which average 30 inches in height. Liberal feed while in growth results in larger and better blooms and more of them. For fine pots

ANTIRRHINUM MAJUS ALBA.

plants rooted cuttings should be potted off in to 2-inch pots and potted on to 3's and 4's not allowing to get pot-bound until desired to bloom. Nothing finer could be desired for massing in open border.

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Try it you will find it all we claim for it.

2 1-2 inch pots per dozen 60 cts., per hundred \$4.00.

4-inch pots per dozen \$1.00, per hundred \$10.00.

SPECIAL OFFER

We have 10,000 Fine Large two year
old Roses in 6-inch pots of the
Following Varieties:

Souv. De Wootton—Red.   Madam C. Testout   Pink.
Kais. Augusta Victoria. —White.   La France.   Pink.
Bridesmaid.—Deep pink   Perle des Jardins   Yellow.
Bride.—White; and other varieties.

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These plants will be in bud after May 1st., and are
EXCEPTIONALY FINE FOR RETAIL TRADE
as they are fine large plants and will be certain to
give satisfaction.

**Price, (out of pots), per doz \$3.00;
per 100 \$20; per 1000 \$125.**

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