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(Hardy Perennials unless otherwise stated.)

R=Rock plants.

A.M.=Award of Merit
F.C.C.=First Class Certificate } R.H.S.

	Month of Flowering.	Average Height. ft. in.	Price each.
Acanthus Perringii. —A lovely new species with heads of large bright rose-coloured flowers and handsome spiny foliage	8—9	1 6	1/6
Aconitum Hemsleyanum. —A twining species introduced by us from Central China. The flowers are of varying shades of purple and blue, and are freely produced on the upper portions of the stems. To obtain the best effect this plant should be allowed to ramble naturally ...	7—9	5	2/6
Adonis amurensis, fl. pl. —A sport with fine double yellow flowers. A.M.	2—3	1	1/6
Anchusa italica Opal. —A very showy border plant producing pale-blue flowers in profusion	6—9	4	9d.
R Androsace carnea eximea. —An improved form of <i>A. carnea</i> , with much larger flowers	3—5	3	1/6
R Androsace Chumbyi Brilliant. —A lovely Rock-Jasmine, brilliant cherry-rose	4—6	3	1/6
Anemone japonica Alice. —Fine carmine-rose, lilac-rose centre	7—10	2 6	1/-
Anemone japonica Enchantment. —Double cream-white flowers, outside of petals pink	7—10	2 6	1/6
Anemone japonica Géante des Blanchés. —Very large silvery-white flowers, the best white	7—10	2 6	1/-
Anemone japonica Kriemhilde. —Semi-double, flowers 3 to 4 inches diameter, bright reddish colour ...	7—10	2 6	1/-
Anemone japonica Lorelez. —Lilac-rose, darker than <i>Queen Charlotte</i> , very free flowering	7—10	3	1/-
Anemonopsis macrophylla. —Pale lilac inside, deep purple outside, loose racemes	6—8	2	2/6
R Aster alpinus magnificus. —Bright violet-blue with golden discs, nearly double the size of the ordinary type; a very beautiful variety	5—8	6	2/-
Aster Amellus Beauté Parfaite, deep violet, distinct yellow centre, the best of this section	8—10	2 6	1/-
Aster Amellus Preziosa. —deepest blue, very large and distinct	8—10	2 6	1/-
Aster Amellus Schöne von Ronsdorf. —Beautiful lilac-pink, one of the best summer-flowering varieties for cutting	8—10	1 6	2/6
Aster Beauty of Colwall. —Quite double, lavender-blue F.C.C.	9—10	4	1/6

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Aster Climax. —Light clear blue, bright golden-yellow centre, very large	9—10	4 6	1/-
Aster Mesa grandiflora. —Deep blue, quite distinct, splendid for cutting	7—9	1 9	9d.
Aster (Novi Belgii) Feltham Blue. —Bright blue, yellow centre, erect habit, very free-flowering	8—10	4	1/-
Aster Peters' White. —Individual flowers 2 inches across, the best pure white. See frontispiece. A.M.	9—10	4	1/-
Astilbe Arendsii Ceres. —Well-branched spikes of rosy-lilac flowers. A.M.	7—8	2 9	2/-
Astilbe Arendsii Pink Pearl. —Thick pyramidal spikes of beautiful pink flowers	7—8	2	2/-
Astilbe Arendsii Salmon Queen. —Bright salmon-pink, spikes thin and very graceful	7—8	2 6	2/-
Astilbe Arendsii Venus. —Brilliant rosy-purple, early-flowering	7—8	2 6	2/-
(One of each of the above Astilbes for 7/-)			
Astilbe grandis. —White flowers. More vigorous than <i>Davidii</i> , suitable for moist grounds and heavy soils. A.M.	8—9	6	1/-
R Aubrietia Bridesmaid. —Large delicate soft blush	4—6	3	9d.
R Aubrietia Crimson King. —Deep crimson, very free	4—6	3	9d.
Aubrietia Mrs. E. M. Grosfield. —Rich violet-blue, flowers large	5—7	6	9d.
R Campanula garganica hirsuta alba. —A pure white form of the well-known type, a most useful rock plant	6—8	3	1/-
R Campanula hybrida, Isabel. —Flowers open flat, deep rich blue. A.M.	5—9	1	9d.
R Campanula hybrida, White Star. —Similar in form to the well-known <i>C. carpatica</i> , <i>Riverslea</i> . A.M.	5—9	1	9d.
R Campanula phytidocalyx (amabilis). —A fine species, bright blue flowers. A.M.	6—7	2	9d.
R Campanula Profusion. A fine hybrid, large deep blue bells. A.M.	5—9	6	1/-
R Campanula pulloides. —Beautiful violet purple	7—9	6	1/6
Clematis erecta fl. pl. —Double white flowers, a useful border plant. F.C.C.	6—9	3	2/6
Clematis Davidiana Azur. —Pyramidal trusses of light blue flowers with white centres	6—8	3	1/6
Clematis Davidiana Cypris. —Dense whorls of soft blue fragrant flowers, bushy habit	6—8	3	1/6
R Conandron ramondoides. —Varies from white to lilac with purple eye, branching stems. Requires a damp and shady situation.	6—8	6	2/6
Coriaria japonica. —Somewhat shrubby, abundance of reddish-brown berries on long arching sprays. A.M.	9—10	4	1/6
Coriaria terminalis. —Bright yellow berries. A.M.	9—10	4	1/6

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		ft.	in.	
Delphinium hybridum Capri .—Beautiful sky blue flowers borne on stout stems with numerous side sprays ...	7—8	3	6	7/6
Delphinium Moerheimii .—Pure white, very free flowering, fine for cutting	7—8	5	6	7/6
Delphinium The Rev. E. Lascelles .—Probably the finest and most distinct variety yet raised. Individual blooms very large, deep purple-blue with clear white centre. A.M.	6—8	4		7/6
Dendromecon rigidum .—Large yellow poppy-like flowers, very handsome. Thrives well in positions that suit <i>Romneya Coulteri</i>	6—9	5		5/- & 7/6
R Dianthus alpinus albus .—A variety of the Rock-Pink, large pure white flowers on dense tufts close to the ground	6—7	3		1/-
Echinops Tournefortiana .—(Globe Thistle) spherical thistle-like heads of silver grey flowers with fine foliage, the finest of all the <i>Echinops</i>	6—8	3		1/6
Eremurus Bungei magnificus .—A seedling with a much enlarged inflorescence of very bright yellow. Robust habit. A.M.	6—8	5		10/6
Eremurus robustus albus .—A great improvement on <i>E. robustus himalaicus</i> . Stronger in growth and purer white. A superior plant in every way	6—8	9		7/6 & 10/6
Eremurus Warei .—Long spikes, flowers buff-yellow. Probably a natural hybrid between <i>E. Olga</i> and <i>E. Bungei</i> A.M.	6—8	6		5/- to 15/-
Erigeron speciosus grandiflorus .—Larger and deeper in colour than <i>E. superbus</i> . Erect habit.	5—10	2	6	9d.
Eryngium Springhill Seedling .—Dark steel blue stems and flowers, very attractive	7—9	2	6	2/-
Gaillardia grandiflora, Lady Rolleston .—Gigantic flowers, a lovely soft yellow. A.M.	6—10	2	6	2/6
Gentiana acaulis alba .—Erect bell-shaped flowers, a white form of the type	3—5	4		2/6 & 3/6
Geum Chitoense Mrs. Bradshaw .—Rich brilliant crimson flowers of immense size. A.M.	6—9	2		1/6
Helenium autumnale Gartensoenne .—Brilliant golden yellow, dark velvety brown centre, early-flowering	8—10	5		1/-
Helenium, Riverton Beauty .—Yellow and brown flowers	8—10	3	6	1/-
Helenium, Riverton Gem .—A strong grower. Old gold suffused with terra-cotta, changing to a reddish-bronze	8—10	3	6	9d.
Heliopsis scabra imbricata .—A dwarf form with flowers 3 inches in diameter, florets golden yellow	7—8	3		1/6
R Heloniopsis breviscapa .—A charming little Japanese plant producing spikes of blush white flowers in early Spring. Requires a damp shady position. A.M.	2—3	6		2/6
R Hepatica angulosa alba .—Masses of evergreen foliage covered in early spring with large pure white flowers ..	3—4	6		9d.
R Hepatica angulosa rosea .—A rose-coloured form of the above	3—4	6		9d.
R Hepatica triloba alba fl. pl. .—Very rare, double white	3—5	6		6/-

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Incarvillea grandiflora brevipes. —Large brilliant crimson flowers, habit of <i>I. Delavayi</i> , introduced from Yunnan, China	6—7	2	9d.
Iris germanica King of Irises. —A grand variety of <i>I. squalens</i> group, flowers large and massive, standards yellow, falls rich velvety purple margined with gold ...	6—7	2 6	2/6
Iris germanica Lohengrin. —Very large flowers of a cattleya-pink shade, strong grower	6—7	3	2/6
Iris germanica Lorelez. —Falls deep ultramarine veined cream, margined light yellow, standards light yellow ...	6—7	2 6	1/6
R Lewisia rediviva. —Pretty rose-coloured flowers, springing from rosettes of deep green foliage. Does best in a dry sunny position amongst stones. F.C.O.	6—8	3	1/6
R Lithospermum canescens. —Soft silky foliage and dense heads of long tubular flowers of deep rich orange. A.M.	5—7	1	1/6
R Lithospermum prostratum, Heavenly Blue. —Tufts of dark evergreen foliage covered with a profusion of sky blue flowers. A.M.	4—11	3	1/6
R Lithospermum Zollingeri. —Tufts of very rough, glistening foliage with lovely sky-blue flowers. Only recommended for large rockeries and front row of borders	6—9	1	2/6
Lupinus Moerheimii. —Very fine rose-pink dwarf compact grower	5—8	3	1/-
Lupinus Somerset. —Semi-shrubby growth, bright yellow flowers. A.M.	6—8	3	1/6
Lychnis grandiflora. —A Japanese species, delicate salmon-scarlet, prefers a moist situation. A.M.	6—9	2	1/-
Lychnis striata. —Deep scarlet with distinct white stripes, very pretty	6—9	2	1/-
Meconopsis integrifolia. —A large yellow-flowered biennial Poppy.— F.C.O. 15/- per doz.	6—8	2 6	1/6
Meconopsis punicea. —A scarlet-flowered biennial Poppy. F.C.O. 15/- per doz.	6—8	1 6	1/6
Meconopsis racemosa. —A distinct biennial Poppy with purplish-blue silky flowers. A.M.	6—7	1 3	3/-
Meconopsis sinuata. —A biennial with charming lavender-blue flowers. The leaves are covered with stiff hairs ...	6—8	1 3	On appli- cation
R Mertensia echioides. —Racemes of deep blue flowers with an intense yellow eye, vigorous growth	5—7	3	1/6
Myosotidium nobile. —(The Chatham Island Forget-me-not).—Dense paniculate racemes of pretty pale blue flowers, handsome glossy green foliage. F.C.O.	5—7	2	5/- to 10/6
Myosotis Ruth Fischer. —Flowers pure light blue, very large, habit dwarf and compact	4—6	6	9d.
Omphalodes cappadocica. —Dark blue flowers, large glossy leaves, strong grower	3—4	9	5/-
R Onosma alba rosea. —Very distinct, charming rose-coloured flowers	6—7	6	1/6

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Orobis (Lathyrus) pannonicus varius. —Erect racemes of pea-shaped flowers, with rose-coloured standard and yellowish wings and keel	6—8	1 6	1/-
Pæonia albiflora, The Bride. —Very large, snowy white ; a very free bloomer and a good grower	5—6	3	5/-
Papaver orientale, Goliath. —Gigantic scarlet flowers produced in abundance, very effective ... 7/6 per doz.	5—8	3	9d.
Papaver orientale, Jenny Mawson. —Rich rosy salmon, large flowers on erect stems	5—7	2 6	1/-
Papaver orientale, Oriental King. —An exceedingly strong grower, rigid and upright, large crimson-scarlet flowers	5—8	3	1/-
Papaver orientale, Silberblick. —A beautiful salmon shade with white anthers and stamens, 7/6 per doz.	5—8	3	9d.
Pentstemon Myddleton Gem. —Delicate pink suffused with carmine, throat pure white, a charming variety. A.M.	6—11	2 6	1/6
Pentstemon Southgate Gem. —Crimson scarlet, larger than <i>Newbury Gem</i>	6—11	2 6	9d.
R Phlox amœna fol. var. —A pleasing white variegated form of the well-known <i>P. amœna</i> , producing a fine effect of colour against the fresh green of the rest of the foliage, and covered with pure rosy red flowers	5—7	6	9d.
Phlox decussata Dr. Königshofer. —Brilliant orange-scarlet with dark blood-red eye, more compact and brilliant than <i>Coquelicot</i>	7—9	3	1/-
Phlox decussata Elizabeth Campbell. —Light salmon changing to pink, a beautiful variety and the best of this shade. A.M.	7—9	2 6	1/-
Phlox decussata Frau Ant Buchner. —The finest pure white, strong grower, very large flowers of perfect form. A.M.	7—9	2 6	1/-
Physalis Bunyardii. —Very free fruiting, not so robust as <i>P. Franchetii</i>	8—9	2	9d.
R Potentilla, Miss Willmott. —Deep clear red, a grand plant for border or rock garden	6—9	1 6	1/6
Primula Bulleyana. —A moisture-loving hardy perennial, with bright orange-coloured flowers borne in whorls on scapes of from 3 to 5 tiers. F.C.C.	6—7	2	1/6
Primula Cockburniana. —Biennial, bright orange scarlet. A.M.	6—7	1	9d.
Primula Forrestii. —Sturdy and vigorous. Golden-yellow with orange-coloured eye of medium size. Flowers and foliage both exceptionally fragrant. F.C.C.	6—7	2	1/6
Primula Littoniana. Dense conical spikes of purple flowers. The bracts and calyces are blood red and the corolla purple. F.C.C.	6—7	2	2/6
Primula pulverulenta. —Resembling <i>P. japonica</i> , with larger and more richly-coloured flowers. A.M. 7/6 per doz.	6—7	2 6	9d.
R Primula sibirica chinensis. —Lilac with white eye. Very free flowering and useful for the rockery. 15/- per doz.	6—7	1	1/6

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Primula Unique "Improved." —A charming hybrid perennial, between <i>P. Cockburniana</i> and <i>P. pulverulenta</i> , with rich rosy-red flowers intermediate in colour between the parents. A.M.	6—7	1	2/- to 3/6
Primula Veitchii. —Deep rose-coloured with an orange ring surrounding the yellow mouth of the tube. A.M. 7/6 per doz.	6—7	1	9d.
Rheum Alexandræ. —Pale yellow leaf-like bracts, above very dark glossy green foliage	6—7	4	5/-
R Rosmarinus prostratus. —Trailing habit, only suitable for dry positions on rockery	7—8	3	1/6
Rudbeckia Herbstonne. —Immense clear golden yellow flowers	7—9	5 6	1/-
R Saxifraga Aizoon lutea. —A beautiful Rockfoil, primrose-yellow flowers	5—6	9	1/6
R Saxifraga Aizoon rosea. —A beautiful encrusted <i>Saxifrage</i> with bright pink flowers on purplish-coloured stems. A.M.	5—6	9	3/6
R Saxifraga Burseriana Gloria. —A very fine form of the old type with white flowers over an inch in diameter. A.M.	2—4	3	3/6
R Saxifraga Clibranii. —Large deep crimson flowers, free flowering and a good grower. An improvement on <i>S. Guildford Seedling</i> . Prefers a position on the rockery in full sun. A.M.	5—6	9	9d.
R Saxifraga decipiens grandiflora (Bathoniensis). —The best of the red mossy <i>Saxifragas</i> . Deep crimson one inch in diameter, borne in sprays. A.M.	5—6	9	1/- & 1/6
R Schizocodon soldanelloides. —A Japanese creeper with evergreen bronze foliage and bright crimson fringed flowers. Requires peaty soil and shady position. F.C.C.	3—6	3	2/6
R Scutellaria baicalensis cœlestina. —Spikes of pale blue flowers, a splendid plant for warm position on rockery or front row of border	7—9	1	1/-
Senecio clivorum sub-crenata. —Rather less robust in habit than the species. Rounded foliage of more compact growth. Rich orange-yellow flowers similar to those of <i>S. clivorum</i> but smaller	8	2	3/6
Senecio Veitchianus. —Bright yellow blossoms. A true bog garden plant. A.M. 10/6 per doz.	7—8	6	1/-
Senecio Wilsonianus. —Habit similar to <i>S. Veitchianus</i> , with flowers smaller and more dense 15/- per doz.	7—8	5	1/6
R Silene acaulis aurea. —A charming alpine forming tufts of golden yellow mossy foliage... ..	6—7	1	1/6
R Silene acaulis fl. pl. —Dense cushions of light green foliage covered with bright rose double flowers	6—7	1	1/6
Solidago Golden Wings. —Golden yellow very graceful, late flowering	9—10	6	1/-
Stenanthium robustum. —A first-class plant for a damp shady position. Feathery plumes of white flowers on tall spikes lasting a long time. A.M.	7—8	6	2/-

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Stokesia cyanea alba. —Flowers 4 to 5 inches in diameter. Fine for cutting. A.M.	7—9	2		1/-
Thalictrum dipterocarpum. —Particularly graceful flowers, rose-purple with citron-yellow anthers. Requires an open sunny position. A.M.	7—8	6		2/-, 2/6
Tritoma Lord Roberts. —The finest of all the strong growing varieties. Large compact bright scarlet flower spikes. Very fine for massing or for back of large border	8—10	6		2/6
Tritoma Mrs. Mason. —Spikes of rich orange-scarlet and yellow, one of the best for distant effect	8—9	5		3/6
Trollius Fire Globe. —Very large semi-double flowers of an intense fiery-orange	5—7	2	6	1/-
Trollius pumilis yunnanensis. —Dark green leaves and bright golden-yellow salver-shaped flowers. Quite distinct from any other Globe flower. Not unlike <i>Caltha palustris</i> in habit, but a superior plant	5—7	2	6	3/6
Trollius T. Smith. —The largest yellow <i>Trollius</i> in cultivation	5—7	2	6	1/6
Tunica saxifraga alba plena. —Pure white, double, free-flowering, compact habit	7—8	9		2/6
R Tunica saxifraga fl. pl. —A charming little plant resembling a mossy <i>Saxifrage</i> in general appearance, and having pretty pink flowers like a double <i>Gypsophila</i> . A fine acquisition. A.M.	5—9	6		1/6
Verbascum Miss Willmott. —Huge spikes of pure white flowers	6—8	7	6	2/6
Viola cornuta purpurea. —Large purple-blue flowers in great abundance. A.M.	5—8	6		9d.
Viola gracilis. —intense violet-blue flowers throughout the spring and summer, rapid grower, a beautiful Grecian species. A.M.	5—7	6		9d.

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