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Peonies for Every Garden

An opportunity for every lover of beautiful plants to have a marvelous collection of the finest varieties of peonies in cultivation at such nominal prices that you may transform your garden to a veritable fairyland at a very small out-lay. The special offers we make on these peonies enable you to add to your collection or start your garden with some of the rare and choice sorts at a price almost irresistible.

Peonies for massing, for single specimens, for borders are ever suitable and beautiful. In all of the floral kingdom not another flower possesses such a variety of color, form and fragrance, or gives so freely of its beauty for the little care it requires. No other flowering plant is so long lived, so absolutely hardy, so easy to grow, so dependable for bloom year after year, so free from disease and insect pests.

Great care has been used in selecting the assortments offered and much thought has been spent in making them up so as to include a wide range of color and type in each combination. A few of the exquisite single varieties which have grown so in popularity have been named in some of the offers and no garden is complete without at least one or two of them. The figures preceding the name of varieties denote the rating given by the American Peony Society in 1921. The valuation was on a scale of ten, which represented perfection. Where no rating is shown, the variety is too new or too scarce to have had sufficient votes to judge from.

Quality Size of Plants

We were fortunate in propagating a good quantity of the exceptional varieties named, enabling us to quote these attractive prices and thus give our customers the benefit. We aim to give you such quality and render such service as to make you a permanent and entirely satisfied customer.

The Peony for a Border Plant

Your order will be filled with strong, healthy three to five eye divisions that produce the finest results, most of which will bloom the first spring planted and meet your fondest hopes thereafter. The greatest care is exercised in getting our your orders and every variety is separately marked with a copper wired label, suitable for attaching to rod or stake. With each package we send complete directions for planting, culture and care. Peonies may be planted any time during the fall months before the ground is frozen.

Delivery will be made at the proper time for transplanting during the month of September, but your order should be sent at once so plants may be reserved and shipped at the proper planting time. Prices given cover delivery charges to you and special combinations must be ordered as named as we cannot substitute other varieties at the price asked. Individual varieties may be purchased at one each price named in the descriptive list on the inside of this pamphlet.

Baroness Schroeder

- 8.5 **ADOLPH ROUSSEAU** (Dessert & Mechin 1890)—Early midseason, very tall, strong grower, with erect, stiff stems and large perfectly formed flowers. Dark velvety red with garnet hues and a distinct metallic reflex. Very fine for the garden and especially desirable for landscape effects. Semi-double type. Each \$1.50

- 8.6 **ALBERT CROUSSE** (Crousse 1893) Bomb type. Large well-formed flowers of soft shell pink with faint salmon tints. Vigorous grower with tall erect stems. Very fine as a cut flower. Late. Each \$1.00

- 6.9 **ARMANDINE MECHIN** (Mechin 1880)—Rose type. Large compact flat bloom of rich crimson shaded garnet and amaranth. Very brilliant. Midseason. Each \$1.25

- 9.0 **BARONESS SCHROEDER** (Kelway) Rose type. Flesh white fading to milk white. Immense globular flowers of perfect form, of great lasting substance, ideal for cutting. Tall, strong growth with rather light green foliage. Very free blooming with exquisite rose fragrance that is most appealing. Does fine in Southern localities. Late midseason. Each \$1.25

Etta

CZARINA—Late. Color deep rose pink, shading to violet tinted silver free bloomer, opens well under all ordinary conditions. Each 75 cents

- 8.1 **COURONNE D'OR** (Calot 1873)—Semi-rose type; late. Immense very full imbricated flat flowers. Solid and compactly built; pure white, with a ring of yellow stamens around a tuft of center petals tipped carmine. The whole flower glows with a delightful golden light, gaining the title of "Crown of Gold." Medium tall, robust grower and very free bloomer. Each 75 cents

- 7.9 **DR. H. BARNSBY** (Dessert 1913)—Rose type; late. Color solferino-red tinged purplish-crimson changing to clearer tint with very pronounced bluish reflex. Each \$4.00

- 7.6 **EDULIS SUPERBA** (Lemon 1824)—Crown type; very early. Beautiful bright clear mauve pink with silvery reflex. Decoration Day Peony. Each 75 cents

- 8.0 **ETTA** (Terry 1905)—Rose type; late. Very large flat flower, uniform delicate hydrangea pink. Fragrant, medium tall. Each \$1.25

- 8.4 **FELIX CROUSSE** (Crousse 1881) Rose type; late midseason. Rich, dazzling ruby-red without a tinge of purple. None better. Each 75 cents

- 9.3 **FESTIVA MAXIMA** (Mieliez 1851)—Rose type; early. The finest white in existence. Pure white with clear carmine spot on edge of center petal. Each 50 cents

- 8.5 **GERMAINE BIGOT** (Dessert 1902)—Crown type. Very large compact flower composed of broad petals. Color lilac rose, center prominently flecked crimson. Strong erect grower with medium tall stems. Very free blooming. Midseason. Each \$1.25

- 8.2 **GISMONDA** (Crousse 1895)—Rose type. Large globular full flowers of lively flesh pink color and delicate rose center. Very fragrant. Strong grower with stiff upright stems. Valuable on account of the lateness of its blooming. Each \$2.50

- 8.9 **JUBILEE** (Pleas 1910)—Rose type. Extremely large flat flowers having long narrow petals arranged loosely, giving a feathery effect. Buds show delicate opal tints; as they unfold the color changes to ivory-white. Unlike other Peony buds, which are round, these are pointed like those of a rose. Fragrant. Strong grower and free bloomer. Long stems. A very distinctive variety and a great favorite. Midseason. Each \$6.00

- 8.8 **KARL ROSENFELD** (Rosenfeld 1908)—Semi-rose type; midseason. Very large globular compact flower. Rich dark crimson in color. Very strong, tall compact grower and free bloomer. A brilliant and striking variety, attracting universal attention. Each \$2.00

- 9.1 **LADY ALEXANDRA DUFF** (Kelway 1902)—An immense cup-shaped flower of rose type with wide imbricated petals. The color of the outer petals is delicate blush pink rapidly fading to lovely French white. Central flower of rather flattened circular form and the central petals have a touch of carmine. Lateral buds come in semi-double, water lily like flowers, exposing the anthers. Showy, fragrant and very prolific. Robust, strong grower, thriving in all sections. Each \$4.00

Gismonda

- 8.1 **LA TENDRESSE** (Crousse 1896)—Rose type. Very full large flowers borne in clusters. Color milk-white sometimes splashed with carmine. Tall, strong grower, free bloomer, and fragrant. Midseason. Each 75 cents

- 7.6 **LORD KITCHENER** (Renault 1916)—Rose type; very early. Color a brilliant cherry-red; a most dazzling hue. A free bloomer, strong grower. Each \$2.50

- 8.0 **MARQUIS C. LAGERGREN** (Dessert 1911)—Semi-rose type; midseason. Large, bright velvety crimson with a distinct silvery border. One of the finest reds ever produced, especially good for mass planting. Each \$2.00

Lady Alexandra Duff

- 9.2 **MONS. JULES ELIE** (Crousse 1888)—Bomb type. Very large flower of ideal glossy shell-pink, shading to a deeper rose at the base, the entire flower overlaid with a sheen of silver. Very fragrant. Such a strong vigorous grower that it will produce enormous flowers on one year plants. Medium height, but very prolific bloomer. Early midseason. One of the most popular and meritorious varieties ever produced, excellent for both landscape work and cut flowers. Each \$1.00

Pierre Reignoux

- 8.9 **MME. EMILE LEMOINE** (Lemoine 1899)—Semi-rose type. Large, globular, compact flower. Color on first opening glossy-white, overlaid with a sheen of tender satiny-pink covered with minute lilac dots. Tall, strong grower and free bloomer. Very beautiful and one of the finest white varieties. Midseason. Each \$1.00

- 9.4 **MME. JULES DESSERT** (Dessert 1909)—Rose type. Exquisite flowers of large size; broad delicate petals of translucent texture. Color creamy-white, overlaid with a sheen of delicate blush with a pronounced pink center, intermixed with golden stamens. Strong vigorous stems of perfect habit. A charming variety and should be in every collection. Midseason. Each \$5.00

Princess Maude

- 7.3 **ODETTE** (Dessert 1908)—Rose type. Large compact globular flowers. Collar of broad petals of soft lilac, small center petals of salmon-pink with greenish-yellow reflex. Fragrance fine. Tall strong grower. Free bloomer. Midseason. Each \$1.50

- 7.6 **PIERRE REIGNOUX** (Dessert 1908)—Semi-rose type; early midseason. An even shade of Tyrian rose, center flecked crimson, with imbricated petals. Dwarf erect habit. Each \$1.00

- 7.4 **POMPONETTE** (Dessert 1909)—Anemone type, midseason. Velvety-pink shaded purple with brilliant reflex and silver tipped border. Dwarf, erect growth. Very full flowers of good form. Each \$1.00

- 7.0 **PRINCESS MAUDE** (Kelway)—Bomb type. Faint lilac-white guards, center amber cream, reflecting soft yellow lights with green carpels and pink stigmas. Large well-formed flowers of wonderful lasting qualities. Tall erect grower and free bloomer. A very distinct and beautiful variety. Late. Each \$1.50

- 8.6 **PRIMEVERE** (Lemoine 1907)—Bomb type. Large full blooms in clusters with outer petals sulphur-white, center petals deep sulphur yellow. Tall, strong grower and free bloomer. Very fragrant and the yellowest peony in existence. Each \$4.00

- 8.4 **RACHEL** (Lemoine 1904)—Rose type. Lively soft pink, darker when just opening. Rather dwarf with strong stems. Very attractive and scarce. Each \$5.00

Single Peonies

- OTHELLO** (Dessert 1908)—Clear carmine changing to purple. Each \$3.00

- 8.5 **ROSY DAWN** (Barr)—Vigorous, branching habit; foliage quite large and fine dark green. Large snow white flower, tinged blush pink, resembling a great white water lily. Early. Each \$1.50

- 7.3 **VELOUTINE** (Dessert 1908)—Tall strong grower and very prolific bloomer. Soft tyrian rose with velvety reflex. Each \$3.00

- YA MACHINA** (Millet)—Deep blackish velvety maroon with a mass of yellow stamens and seed pods topped red. Flowers medium large with fringed petals. Tall robust grower. Each \$3.00

Solange

- 9.0 **SARAH BERNHARDT** (Lemoine 1906)—Semi-rose type; late midseason. Very large flower of perfect form, full and double with twisted imbricated petals. Color apple-blossom pink with each petal silver tipped. Strong grower, free bloomer and very fragrant. One of the finest and most dependable Peonies ever produced, attracting attention in every garden. Each \$2.00

Rachel (Lemoine)

- 9.7 **SOLANGE** (Lemoine 1907)—Rose type. A very large, full compact flower of indescribable beauty. Color rare, deep orange salmon at the heart overlaid with delicate tender reddish-brown, a most unique color combination. The plant is a strong, robust grower and very abundant bloomer. Midseason. Considered one of the most unusual and charming peonies ever produced. Each \$6.00

- 8.0 **SUZETTE** (Dessert 1911)—Semi-rose type; midseason. Bengal-rose lightly shaded carmine purple with silvery reflex. Strong stems. Rare. Each \$1.00

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**2 FINE NAMED VARIETIES
 FOR \$1.00**
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**3 FINE NAMED VARIETIES
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 One each of the following:

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**5 FINE NAMED VARIETIES
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 One each of the following:

Etta.....	Price Each \$1.25
Lord Kitchener (Renault).....	2.50
Mme. Jules Dessert.....	5.00
Primevere.....	4.00
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**3 FINE NAMED VARIETIES
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 One each of the following:

Couronne d'Or.....	Price Each \$.75
Czarina.....	.75
Sarah Bernhardt.....	2.00

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Special Offer No. 6
**4 FINE NAMED VARIETIES
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 One each of the following:

Couronne d'Or.....	Price Each \$.75
Edulis Superba.....	.75
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4 FINE NAMED VARIETIES FOR \$5.00
 One each of the following:

Germaine Bigot.....	Price Each \$1.25
Jubilee.....	5.00
Marquis C. Lagergren.....	2.00
Suzette.....	1.00

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Special Offer No. 11
5 FINE NAMED VARIETIES FOR \$5.00
 One each of the following:

Mme. Emile Lemoine.....	Price Each \$1.00
Odette.....	1.50
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Pierre Reignoux.....	1.00
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5 FINE NAMED VARIETIES FOR \$8.00
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**3 FINE NAMED VARIETIES
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 A wonderful trio; three of
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Solange.....	6.00

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Single Peonies are very Effective in Mass Planting

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