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Greening's ROSES

A Super Selection

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Kitchener of Khartoum

Brilliant scarlet-red buds and open, semi-double flowers of blazing red with a blackish velvet sheen; fragrant. Plants vigorous and extremely free flowering throughout the season. A splendid decorative garden Rose, particularly useful for either low hedges or massing.

\$2 each; \$18 per 10

Deepest Red, K. of K. Hybrid Tea Roses.

The Greening Nursery Company

Born in 1850 — Still Growing
Monroe, Michigan

GREENING'S ROSES GROW

Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. In color, a pale and lovely primrose. Especially desirable for cutting by reason of long stems, beauty of bud and flower. Considered by many to be the greatest creamy-white Hybrid Tea.

Duchess of Wellington. Enormous, tapering buds of golden orange, slowly opening to very large saffron-colored, sweetly fragrant Roses of great size and substance. Plant very vigorous, healthy, and liberal with its flowers. Doubtless the best of all yellow Roses. There are newer yellow Roses of better color and more pretentious form, but none more satisfactory.

Los Angeles. Never in the history of the Rose world has a new Rose created such a sensation as the Los Angeles. It is absolutely the finest all-round pink Rose ever introduced and must be seen to be appreciated. The stems are long, the flowers are large, its freedom of bloom and continuance in flower are remarkable, and its color "a flame-pink, toned with coral and shaded with translucent gold" at the base of the petals.

Hoosier Beauty. A large, full flower with well shaped buds; color glowing crimson. Sweetly scented, a great favorite for cutting.

Hadley.
Price, each, \$1.50, \$14.00 per 10.

Frau Karl Druschki. The finest of the white Hybrid Perpetuals. Known by some as the Snow Queen, its billowy white blossoms prove that name well taken. Very fragrant. It never disappoints.

Hadley. Hybrid Tea. A rich crimson-red flower with velvety texture, lovely form, and perfume. Moderate in growth and bloom. Splendid color which blues very little. Flowers superb.

Plant
Roses
for
Pleasure

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Choicest Among Hundreds of New and Better Roses

A Greening Selection

Roses—Nature's most popular contribution to the world of flowers. As long as time exists the Rose will ever be the "Queen of Flowers."

Dominant always in the garden of the wayside cottage or the pretentious show place of the millionaire, Rose varieties have increased in almost endless numbers. Out of this exquisite maze of color and haunting fragrance, we have selected the varieties shown in color in this folder, as being the most generally satisfactory, both in color and growth.

You may plant all these varieties with the assurance that they will do well in the average garden, and that they are the most meritorious varieties in their class.

Greening's Rose Quartette

4 Magnificent Roses - Sold in collection only

Los Angeles. Flame pink.

Souv. de Claudius Pernet. Yellow.

Hoosier Beauty. Crimson.

Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. White.

All Four for \$5.00

Golden Emblem A beautiful dependable clear yellow Rose, showing lovely buds, which sometimes have flames of light crimson on outer petals. Flowers on upright stems well above glossy green foliage. It is the finest yellow rose in our entire list. A most desirable yellow and destined to become a great favorite. Price, \$1.75 each, \$16.00 per 10.

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Wm. F. Dreer. Its coloring is not sharply defined or aggressive, but just that modest delicacy and sweetness found in orchids and certain water-lilies. Soft, silvery shell pink, creating a golden illusion through reflection from the base of petals which are definitely gilded. A magnificent vase type.

Ophelia. One of the most beautiful of the newer introductions. Excellent for cutting, its perfect flowers of distinct form emitting an exquisite fragrance. Color salmon-flesh shaded with rose.

Lady Hillingdon. Slender, pointed buds and elegantly cupped flowers of deep saffron-yellow, paling toward the edges and becoming lighter as they expand; fragrant. The plant is erect, with perfect foliage.

Souv. de Claudius Pernet. One of the most reliable and strongest yellow roses ever introduced, a decided and unstained sunflower yellow even deeper toned at center. Unlike most yellows, hot weather and exposure have little effect upon it; the matured flower gleaming as richly as when first unfolding. Large and full with elongated petals; the buds long and pointed. In growth it is vigorous, erect and branching.

Marshall P. Wilder. Bright scarlet-crimson in color, flowers full, round and extra large. Very fragrant. Desirable in any collection.

Gruss an Teplitz. Double blooms of brilliant crimson with velvet shadings and intense fragrance. Blooms in open clusters with the utmost freedom throughout the whole season. Bush extremely vigorous and hardy.

1. Wm. F. Dreer.
2. Lady Hillingdon.
3. Marshall P. Wilder.

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HARDY PERENNIALS

In song and story the Old-Fashioned Garden was a favorite theme and how justly right is the tribute for the grace and stateliness of the Hollyhock, the Iris, the Peony, the Delphinium and Mallow, the vividness of color found in Canterbury Bells, the Foxglove and Poppy, all go to make a charm that once known is never forgotten.

Ask for our color folder that pictures in color the plants that made

THE OLD-FASHIONED GARDEN

1. Ophelia.
2. Souv. de Claudius Pernet.
3. Gruss an Teplitz.

Price, \$1.50 each, \$14.00 per 10.

PLANT ROSES FOR PLEASURE

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ROSERAIE DE L'HAY. Dark red, double flowers with a strong, most pleasing perfume. Blooms very early in Spring and continues through the Summer. Vigorous and extremely hardy. A very reliable sort.

SIR THOMAS LIPTON. Snowy white flowers of good size and unusual quality, borne in profusion in Spring, through Summer and Fall. A fine rose for a big specimen plant.

NEW CENTURY. Splendid, very large fully double flowers of clear, flesh-pink with light red center and creamy edges; fragrant. Considered by rosarians to be one of the finest of Rugosas.

HANSA. Double, reddish violet flowers of large size, freely produced by a strong typically Rugosa plant. Hardy and dependable. Makes a splendid hedge or mass planting.

Rugosa Hybrids

Rugosa Roses are particularly valuable for their hardiness, healthiness, and their ability to thrive under most adverse conditions of soil and climate.

The original species, which produce their large single flowers throughout the season, are the only absolutely hardy ever-blooming roses in existence. Their hybrids are equally hardy. They are distinguished by erect, spiny stems

growing from 5 to 15 feet, and by their tough, curiously wrinkled or rugose foliage. Particularly valuable for hedges or shrubberies in seashore gardens or regions where the winters are very severe.

Crimson Baby Rambler Blossoms.

A Popular Favorite. Too Well Known to Need Description. Strong Plants.

Price, \$1.50 each, \$14.00 per 10.

F. J. Grootendorst.

Price, each, \$1.50, \$14.00 per 10.

1. New Century.

3. Hansa.

2. Sir Thomas Lipton.

Price, including Roseraie de L'Hay, each, \$1.50, \$14.00 per 10.

F. J. GROOTENDORST (The Baby Rambler Rugosa Rose). Hardy. Deep red color. Blooms from June till frost. This Rose is the result of crossing a briar Rose (*Rosa rugosa*) with the dwarf Rambler (*Polyantha*). It grows vigorously, showing its *Rosa rugosa* blood in this as well as in the foliage. The flowers are borne in clusters—each individual Rose stands out full and distinctive.

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Climbing Roses of the Finer Sorts

Paul's Scarlet Climber. This new hardy climber is not a Rambler, but is an entirely distinct hybrid and without question the most important addition to the list of Climbing Roses in many years. Incomparable in brilliancy of color, which is a vivid scarlet maintained without burning or bleaching until the petals drop. Flowers are medium size, semi-double; very freely produced in clusters of from three to six each on large branched canes.

Rosa Hugonis (Hugonis Rose). This Rose, often called "The Golden Rose of China," will bloom three weeks earlier than most other roses and is a spectacle in itself with every branch of last year's growth lined on both sides to the very tip with yellow single flowers. Its long arching sprays make exquisite indoor decorations in early Spring when other flowers are scarce. It is fine for shrubbery planting and makes a symmetrical bush about six feet in height and the same in diameter when fully matured. Beautiful reddish maroon new growth springs from roots to provide new bloom for next year's growth.

Doctor Van Fleet. One of the newer type of climbers. This variety shows a mass of beautiful clustered buds, which open out into large, shapely flowers; delicate flesh white. An admirable cutting variety with stems 12 to 18 inches long.

Hugonis—New Chinese Pillar Rose.
Price, \$1.75 each, \$16.00 per 10.

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