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From Modesto after crossing Stanislaus River bridge, turn right for 1 mile to Harrold Ave. Turn north on Harrold Ave. for $\frac{1}{2}$ mile to railroad. Turn right on Railroad Ave. $\frac{1}{4}$ mile to Orange Ave. Turn left on Orange Ave. for $\frac{1}{2}$ mile to nursery.

From Oakdale follow River road for 6 miles to Orange Ave. Turn right on Orange Ave. for 1 mile to nursery.

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ESCALON, CALIFORNIA

SHRUBS

This year we have thousands of shrubs, ready to place in ground and continue their growth. Some are balled, a great many in gallon cans, and others in 4-inch and 2½-inch pots.

Many new and interesting varieties.

Do You Know

Swainsonia
Hakea
Cassia
Chorizema
Parkinsonia
Raphiolepis

All fine shrubs that will do well in our valley.

Landscape Gardening

Let us help you plan your garden. We have studied Landscape Gardening, and can assist you in getting the right shrub in the right place.

Order By Mail

Plants in pots will be sent by mail postpaid.

Visit our nursery and see the large variety of shrubs growing on our own home grounds.

Visitors welcome at all times.

Evergreen Shrubs

ABELIA grandiflora. Graceful, spreading shrubs growing from 4 ft. to 5 ft. Leaves are small and glossy. Flowers white. Blooms in summer. Small plants 25c, in gal. cans 50c.

ACACIA armata. Tall shrub with slender branches. Foliage small with thorn at each leaf. Flowers yellow. Small plants 25c, gal. cans 50c.

A. verticillata. Rapid grower. Leaves slender, whorled and sharp, about 1 inch long. Flowers light yellow. Fine for our valley. Small plants 35c, gal. can, 75c.

ARBUTUS—Strawberry Tree. Leaves clean, attractive, resembling holly. White flower in winter, followed by red fruit. Rather slow of growth. Small plants 35c.

AUCUBA. Large, waxy leaves, some varieties are plain green, others flecked with yellow spots. Berries are large and oval, red in color. Cross pollination is necessary for berries to set. Shade. Plants 4 in. pots 50c.

BERBERIS—Barberry.

B. Darwini. Leaves small, rich green, prickly. Flowers yellow, berries purple. 4 feet. Small plants 35c, gal. cans 75c.

B. Wilsonae. Hardy, ornamental, rapid growing shrub with gray foliage and many thorns. Berries salmon-red, flowers yellow. Small plants 35c, gal. can, 4 to 5 feet, \$1.00.

BUDDLEIA. Quick growing shrubs, doing well in any soil. Free flowering. It is well to cut back severely in fall after blooming period.

B. Asiatica. White. Small plants 35c.

B. Madagascariensis. Orange, winter flowering. Gal. can 60c.

B. Globosa. Orange, summer flowering, 4 inch pots 50c.

B. Magnifica. Deep purple, small plants 25c, gal. can 50c.

B. Variabilis. Lavender, 4 inch pots 35c.

BUXUS—Boxwood. Compact, small leafed shrub much used for porch plants. 6 inch pots \$1.00.

CALLISTEMON—Bottle Brush. Derived from Greek "Calliste-mon" meaning beauty and stem. Exceedingly hardy, tall growing shrub requiring little water. Flowers showy and unusual, resembling brushes, forming a cylindrical flower along stem.

C. Rigidus. Leaves 2 to 5 inches long and about $\frac{1}{8}$ inch wide. Flowers red. Gal. can 3 to 4 feet 75c, Small plants, 35c.

C. Linearis. Leaves narrower and brighter green, flowers red. Small plants 35c, gal. can 3 to 4 feet 75c.

CALOTHAMUS. Derived from Greek meaning beautiful bush. Erect shrub growing about 8 feet in height. Flowers showy crimson, growing in clusters. Hardy. Small plants 35c.

CAMELLIA. Evergreen shrub grown for beautiful flowers and fine foliage. Requires shade. Seedlings 35c.

CARISSA grandiflora—Natal Plum. Spreading spiny shrub from Australia. Flowers white and fragrant. Fruit scarlet and edible. Taste resembles cranberries. Small plants 35c, gal. can 2 to 3 feet, 75c.

CASSIA—Senna.

C. Artemesoides. 6 feet. Bushy shrub with finely cut silvery gray foliage. Flowers yellow and sweet-scented. Will stand any amount of drought. Fine. Small plants 35c, gal. can 60c.

C. Tomentosa. 10 feet. Distinct foliage. Leaves tomentose, or covered with long, matted hairs. Flowers deep yellow. Small plants 35c, gal. can 4 to 5 feet 75c.

CEANOTHUS—California Wild Lilac. Fast growing tall shrubs which will stand drought. Leaves small, glossy.

C. Cyanens. A beautiful blue flowering, much grown in San Diego County. Gal. 75c.

C. Spinosa. Large spreading shrub, somewhat spiny. Flowers sky blue and profuse. Small plants 35c, gal. can 75c.

CESTRUM—Auranticum. Shrub with large oval waxy leaves. Flowers tubular, orange-yellow umbels. Gal. can 2 to 3 feet 75c.

CHORIZEMA. Small, low growing shrub, leaves resemble holly. Flowers pea-shaped and orange red. Small plans 35c, gal. cans 75c.

CISTUS—Rock Rose. Compact, low growing shrub with gray green foliage. Flowers pink, single. 4 inch pots 50c.

COPROMSA Baueri—Looking Glass Plant. Beautiful green, glossy foliage. Forms good sized shrub. Fine for foundation planting. Small plants 25c, gal. can 2 to 3 feet, 75c.

CORONILLA. Medium sized shrub with pinnate leaves, compact grower.

C. Emerus. Yellow flowers in summer. Small plants 25c, gal. can 3 feet 60c.

C. Glauca. Yellow flowers in winter. Small plants 25c, gal. can 3 feet 60c.

COTONEASTER. A fast growing, hardy group of berried plants, thornless and showy.

C. Heroveana. A fine new variety similar to Panosa. Leaves larger, more veined. Semi-drooping habit. Brilliant red berries. Small plants 35c, gal. can 4 to 5 feet 75c.

C. Microphyla. Low, prostrate, and densely branched. Leaves minute. Berries red. Good for corner planting. Small plants 35c, gal can 60c.

- C. Panosa.** Fast growing, graceful shrub with foliage silvery beneath. Berries red in small clusters. Small plants 35c, gal. can 3 to 4 feet 75c.
- DIOSMA Reevesi.** Pleasing small growing shrub with slender foliage and star shaped flowers, fragrant. Small plants 25c, gal. can 60c.
- ELAEAGNUS Pungens.** Japanese shrub of striking appearance. Leaves large, wavy, margined and flecked with silver. Small plants 35c.
- ERICA—Heather.** Low growing plants with small leaves and innumerable small tubular flowers. Winter bloomers. Prefer shade.
- E. Mediterranea.** One of the best. Tiny pink flowers. Small plants 25c, gal. can 60c.
- E. Melanthera.** Fine bloomer, rosy flowers, more scraggly of growth. Small plants 35c, gal. 75c.
- ESCALLONIA.** Evergreen flowering shrubs with clean, glossy leaves. Hardy and good growers.
- E. Rubra.** Flowers red. Small plants 35c, gal. can 3 feet 75c.
- E. Rosea.** Flowers pink. Rapid grower, stands drought. Small plants 25c, gal. 60c.
- E. Montevidensis.** Flowers white. Fine foliage, leaves larger. Small plants 35c, gal. can 60c.
- EUGENIA.** Fast growing, upright, bushy shrubs. May be trimmed into formal shapes. Hardy.
- E. Hookeriana.** Shiny, dark green foliage. New growth tipped with bronze. Berries purple. Small plants 25c, gal. cans 3 feet 75c.
- E. Myrtlifolia.** Tall, erect, compact grower. Small plants 25c, gal. can 75c.
- E. Uniflora.** Lower spreading growth. Leaves dark green, fruit edible. 4 inch pots 50c.
- ENONYMOUS.** Hardy, bushy shrubs of moderate growth. Leaves thick, heavy and of many variations of form and foliage. Stands heat and cold, sun and shade.
- E. Japonica.** Dark green leaves. Small plants 25c, balled \$1.00.
- E. Albo Marginatus.** Silver edged variety. Small plants 25c, gal. can 75c.
- E. Aurea Marginatus.** Golden leafed. Leaf green, edge gold. Small plants 25c, gal. can 75c.
- E. Aurea Variegatus.** Gold leaf and green edge. Makes fine porch plant. Prefers shade. Small plants, 25c, gal. can 75c.
- FATSIA Japonica.** Leaves large, deep glossy green. Makes fine porch plant. Prefers shade. Small plants, 4 inch pots 35c, gal. can 75c.
- FEIJOA—Pineapple Guava.** Strong growing shrub or small tree. Foliage glossy above, silvery beneath. Flowers showy. Fruit edible. Small plants 35c, gal. can 75c.
- GENISTA—Broom.** Ornamental shrubs which will stand any soil or location. Very free flowering.
- G. Hispanica.** Spanish Broom. Upright shrub. Flowers yellow, produced on long, pendulous, leafless branches. Small plants 25c, gal. can 60c.
- G. Racemosus.** Medium sized shrub, with fine clover-like foliage and masses of yellow flowers. Small plants 25c, gal. can 60c.
- HAKAIA.** Interesting shrubs from Australia. Hardy, drought resistant.
- H. Saligna.** Willow leafed Hakea. Medium sized shrub with long, slender green leaves and small clusters of white flowers. Small plants 35c, gal. can 75c.

- H. *Suaveolens*. Sharp, rigid, needle-like foliage of distinct forms. Quite ornamental and rapid grower. Small plants 35c, gal. can 75c.
- HARDENBERGIA** *Rosea*. Australian vine that may be pruned to make a good shrub. Leaf large, pointed, flower pea-shaped, blooming in winter. Small plants 35c.
- HYMENTHERA**. 6 feet. Leaves short, crowded on stem. Flowers white, fruit white. Small plants 35c, gal. can 75c.
- HYPERICUM** *Moserianum*—Gold Flower. Spreading shrub with arching branches. Stems have red tinge. Flowers single, yellow. Constant bloomer. Partial shade is best. Small plants 25c, gal. can 60c.
- ITALIAN CYPRESS**. Tall, slender, tapering tree. Fine for formal effects. 4 to 5 feet. Cal. can, each \$1.00, pair \$1.75.
- LAGUNARIA** *Pattersoni*. Australian shrub similar to Hibiscus. Tall growing. Flowers large, pale rose. Free bloomer. Small plants 35c.
- LANTANA**. Drought resisting, sun loving plants that bloom continuously until cold weather. Exposed plants may be touched with frost, but will recover. Flower head composed of tiny tubular florets. Colors, orange, pink, lemon, red. Small plants 25c.
- L. *Sellowiana*. Trailing Lantana. Rose lilac. Small plants 25c.
- LAURUS**—Laurel.
- L. *Lusitanica*. Portugal Laurel. Dark green, glossy leaved shrub of compact growth. Flowers grow in large panicles. Small plants 35c, gal. can 75c.
- LEONOTIS**—Lion's Tail. Fast growing shrub of medium height. Clusters of dull orange tassel-like flowers surround the stem at each joint. Quite striking and very hardy. Small plants 25c, gal. can 60.
- LEPTOSPERMUM**—Australian Tea Tree. Rapid growing shrub with graceful, arching branches. Tall grower. Foliage small, oval, gray green. Flowers white. Small plants 25c, gal. can 75c.
- LIGUSTRUM**—Privet. Quick growing plants, adapted to any soil and situation. Good for group planting and especially good for hedges.
- L. *Henryi*. New variety from China. Dark, glossy leaves. Gal. can 50c.
- L. *Ovalifolium*. California privet. The old favorite for hedges. Bare roots, 3 to 4 feet, \$8.00 per 100.
- L. *Ciliatum*. Dwarf habit. Dark, leathery green leaves. Small plants 25c, gal. can 50c.
- LONICERA** *Nitida*. Evergreen shrub with small dark green leaves. Rapid grower. Makes good foundation planting but needs to be cut back occasionally to retain a compact growth. Small plants 25c, gal. can 50c.
- MAHONIA** *Aquifolium* — Oregon Grape. Splendid holly-like foliage. Flowers in yellow clusters, followed with purple berries. Prefers shade. Small plants 35c, gal. can 60c.
- MELALEUCA**—Bottle Brush. Australian shrub closely allied to *Calistemon*.
- M. *Decussata*. Tall shrub. Branches pendulous. Leaves small. Flowers lilac in cylindrical spikes. Small plants 35c, gal. can 75c.
- M. *Hypericifolia*. Hardy, tall growing, leaves small and opposite. Flowers red. Small plants 35c, gal. can 75c.

M. Nesophila. Strong, quick grower. Leaves oblong, flat and erect with stem. Flowers pink in terminal heads. Gal can 75c.

MYRTUS—Myrtle. Fine, low growing shrubs with small- aromatic leaves. Flowers white. Berries blue.

Myrtus Communis. Clean, glossy foliage, leaves about 1 inch long. Small plants 25c, gal. can 60c.

Myrtus Microphilia. Small leafed Myrtle. Growth compact. Small plants 35c, gal. can 75c.

NANDINA. Erect, medium height shrub with leaves pinnately compound. Foliage turns red in fall. Red berries in terminal clusters. Small plants 35c, gal. can 75c.

PARKINSONIA—Jerusalem Thorn. Interesting small tree. Bark bright green, leaves doubly pinnate, small thorns at leaflets. Flowers yellow. Will thrive in driest soil. Small plants 35c.

PHOTINA *Arbutifolia* — Toyon — Christmas Berry. Large native shrub noted for beautiful berries. Hard to transplant, but thrives in any soil when it is established. Small plants 35c.

PITTOSPORUM. Derived from Greek word meaning pitch and seed, which refers to the resinous coating of seeds. Some of the hardiest and most desirable of evergreen plants. Compact growers, rapid and long-lived.

P. Eugenioides. Leaves long, narrow, yellow-green, twigs black. Large plants \$1.00.

P. Tobira. Spreading massive shrub with leaves dark and glossy. Makes fine specimen plants. Flowers appear in rosettes at end of branches. Will stand sun or shade. Small plants 25c, gal. can 75c.

P. Viridiflorum. Closely resembles *Tobira* but leaves are longer. Robust grower. Small plants 25c, gal. can 75c.

P. Undulatum—Victorian Box. Leaves long, tapered, with curved margins. One of the tallest varieties and slightly susceptible to frost in exposed locations. Small plants 35c., gal. can 75c.

PRUNUS *Illicifolia*—California Wild Cherry. Dense, tall growing shrub with small, glossy, prickly leaves, resembling holly. Will stand sun or cold. Slow of growth. Small plants 35c, gal. can 75c.

PYRACANTHA—Firethorn. Large berried shrubs closely allied to *Cotoneaster*, but distinguished from them by crenate leaves and thorny branches.

P. Augustifolia. Long spreading branches, foliage green leaves. Rapid grower. Makes good foundation long, narrow, light green. Berries come early in fall and last all winter. Yellow in color at first, turning orange. Large balled plants \$1.00 and \$1.50.

P. Coccinea *Lalanda*. Similar to *Coccinea* but growth stronger and branches longer. Berries form in great clusters, brilliant orange. Small plants 25c, gal. can 60c.

P. Crenulata. Growth more erect and symmetrical. Branches slender and leaves long and narrow. Berries bright red quite early. Small plants 25c, gal. can 60c.

P. Formosana. (New). Good grower of moderate height. Foliage slightly glaucous. Berries scarlet. One of the most satisfactory. Large plants 75c.

P. Yunnanensis. Growth more spreading. Foliage larger and glossy. Berries red in wonderfully fine clusters. Good for corner plantings in large space. Small plants 25c, gal. can 75c.

RAPHIOLEPIS. Japanese shrub of medium height. Leaves oval, leathery and dark, rich green. Flowers white and fragrant and in clusters. Berries purple. Very hardy. Small plants 25c, gal. can 75c.

SOLLYA—Australian Blue-bell. Small creeping shrub with slender, twining stems. Leaves small. Flowers blue. Small plants 25c, gal. can 60c.

SWAINSONIA—Bushy, fast growing shrub that will stand frost and sun. Pinnate leaves. Flowers pea-shaped. Continuous bloomer.

S. Greyana rubra. Red flowers. gal. can 60c.

S. Greyana Violana. Lavender flower. Gal can 60c.

TEUCRIUM. Small shrub with sage-like foliage. Flowers purple. Gal. can 60c.

VERONICA. Dwarf, hardy shrubs. Rapid growers. Should be cut back every few years or they become scraggly.

V. Decussata. Leaves small, flowers blue. Small plants 25c, 4 inch 50c.

V. Imperialis. Leaves larger than above, tinged with red. Flowers reddish purple. Freest bloomer of all Veronicas. Small plants 25c, 4 inch pots 50c.

V. Andersoni variagata. Long, elliptic foliage variegated white. Flowers light blue. Small plants 25, gal. can 60c.

VIBURNUM.

V. Tinus Laurustinus. Attractive, well known flowering evergreen shrub. Winter bloomer, flowers in clusters, pink in bud, white when open. Small plants 25c, gal. can 60c.

V. Sandankwa. Growth spreading. Leaves large, dark green, turning red in fall. Flowers cream colored and fragrant. Small plants 35c. Prefers shade.

Annuals and Perennials

We have a fine variety of sturdy plants in season. A few of the more desirable ones are listed below.

ACQUILEGIA—Columbine. Separate colors.

CUPHEA. Evergreen bushy plant with lavender blossoms. Fine for edging.

DELPHINIUM—Perennial Larkspur.

GERBERA—Transvaal Daisy.

GEUM.

GYPSOLPHIA—Perennial Baby's Breath.

HELIOTROPE.

HEUCHERA—Coral Bell.

NEPETE. Moussini. Low branching perennial. Blue flowers in fall.

PENTSTEMON.

SALVIA. Leucantha. Blossom velvety purple.

S. Farinacea. Blossom blue.

STATICE. Caspia.

S. Perezii.

S. Latifolia.

THALICTRUM.

Vines

AMPELOPSIS VEITCHI—Boston Ivy. Deciduous.

BIGNONIA—Australis rosea. Evergreen. Pink trumpet flowers.

B. Muricata. Orange trumpet flowers.

CLEMATIS—Paniculata. Flowers white in clusters. Deciduous.

FICUS REPENS. Leaves small, dark green. Clings. Fine. Evergreen.

HEDERA—Ivy.

H. Helix—English Ivy.

JASMINE. Humile. Strong growing evergreen. Flowers yellow.

J. Nudiflorum. Deciduous. Flowers yellow, very early.

LIPPIA. Drought resistant creeping plant used as lawn substitute.

PASSION VINE.

SOLANUM—Potato vine.

TECOMA CAPENSIS. Evergreen. Orange red flowers.

VINCA. Fine for ground cover.

WISTERIA. Multijuga. Japanese variety. Racemes very long. Later in blooming than Chinese variety, but flowers finer.

Miscellaneous

AGAPANTHUS—Blue African Lily.

AMARYLLIS—Belladonna. **ANEMONE**—Wind flowers.

IRIS. Many varieties. List sent on request.

LILLIUM TIGRINUM—Tiger Lily.

TRITOMA—Red Hot Poker.

Deciduous Flowering Shrubs

Every garden should have these spring flowering plants. They are easily grown, give rich masses of color, and improve from year to year. Many new varieties listed. Small plants 25c, large plants 50c.

CYDONIA—Quince. Early spring blooming shrub, flowers appearing before leaves.

Scarlet. Pink.

DEUTZIA. Free blooming shrubs with bell-shaped flowers.

D. Gracilis. 3 feet. Flowers white.

D. Pride of Rochester. 6 feet. Flowers white and double.

DIERVILLA. Weigelia. Heavy bloomers of trumpet shaped flowers in early spring.

D. Florida. 6 feet. Flowers pink.

D. Van Houttei. Flowers pink and carmine.

FORSYTHA—Golden Bell. Masses of golden bell shaped flowers, appearing before leaves.

F. Suspensa. 6 feet. Branches drooping.

F. Fortunei. More upright, petal more slender.

HIBISCUS—Rose of Sharon. Large shrubs that bloom in late summer and fall.

Double pink. Double red. Single pink.

KERRIA—Japanese Rose. Fine bloomer. Flowers double and yellow. Branches arching.

LAGERSTROMIA—Crepe Myrtle. Fine shrubs for summer and fall blooming.

Pink. Red.

PHILADELPHUS. Syringa. Flowers cream white, very fragrant.

PLUMBAGO. Spreading shrub or vine. Flowers azure blue.

SPIREA. Prunifolia (Bridal Wreath). Flowers double, white.

SYMPHORICARPOS—Snowberry.

S. Occidentalis. Clusters of white berries at end of branches. S. Vulgaris. Red berries.

VIBURNUM—Snowball. Well known shrub with large clusters of globular white flowers.