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CATALPA BUNGEI

Nature's Summer House

HAVE Nature build your summer house. It will be done cheaper and better and look far handsomer than any the carpenter can make, and also last longer, as live wood outlasts dead wood, and further, there will be no expense for painting or keeping in repair.

Once planted your expense is ended, and you have one of the finest shaded retreats for hot weather that can possibly be imagined.

For this purpose use four, five, six or seven of our specially grafted Catalpa Bungei trees, according to size of space desired, and set them in a square, if four are used, or a circle, if more than four, about 6 feet apart. The best way is to plant six in a circle and one in the center, as shown in the illustration. These will thrive in almost any soil or situation.

Don't deny yourself this inexpensive luxury if you can by any means find space for it. It will afford you more genuine pleasure and comfort than almost anything else you can do.

The Gold Nursery Company

Mason City, West Virginia

BEAUTIFY YOUR HOME

WITH ONE OF THESE FINE HEDGES

CALIFORNIA PRIVET

ONE OF THE BEST KNOWN HEDGE PLANTS. AND WHEN SHEARED, WHICH IT STANDS WELL, MAKES ONE OF THE HANDSOMEST, RAPID GROWING SHRUBS. VERY DESIRABLE.

BARBERRY *thunbergii*

THIS MAKES A DENSE, LOW HEDGE. WILL STAND ANY AMOUNT OF SHEARING, IS PERFECTLY HARDY AND WILL GROW IN ANY SUNNY, WELL-DRAINED POSITION

DECIDUOUS HEDGES

There is nothing quite so effective for the boundaries of a lawn or property division as a hedge. It does not decay, nor does it require paint, but grows more beautiful and effective each year. The first cost of installing a hedge is its only cost, so that, from an economical standpoint, it is less expensive than a fence.

When a hedge is desired for screening, high-growing varieties should be used that do not require trimming; but when it is to act as a border or division, use shrubs of low, dense-growing habit.

We recommend California Privet as being the best for a compact, dense growth and dark green foliage. Where a formal effect is wanted, this can be trimmed in any manner desired—rounded or flat on top, with square sides. It is very hardy, withstanding our severe winters.

When a low hedge is wanted we recommend Thunberg's Barberry—this is one of the most attractive and ornamental hedges there is. It is much admired for its beautiful foliage, compact growth, and red berries in the fall.

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