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Special DECEMBER  
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# DREER'S DECEMBER "SPECIAL" ...Wholesale Price List...

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**Seed Department.**—This is in charge of trained experts, and whether your wants may be in Flower, Vegetable, or Agricultural seeds, you may be sure to get only the choicest.

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Seed and Bulb Store and Office, 714 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Plant Greenhouses and Nurseries, Riverton, N. J.

# DREER'S RELIABLE FLOWER SEEDS

We grow these flowers in the finest soil, and cultivate them with the greatest care, and select the best quality and variety in this country. Our constant aim is to procure the very best strains of Asters, Cineraria, Carnations, etc., and to have our plants grow in the most perfect manner, and to have them ready for shipment with the least delay. We call special attention to our choice strains of Asters, Cineraria, Carnations, etc., which are well liked by leading growers to be superior in all respects. Our trade packets contain 100 seeds. When orders are placed, buyers can select from a retail catalogue at a discount of one third.

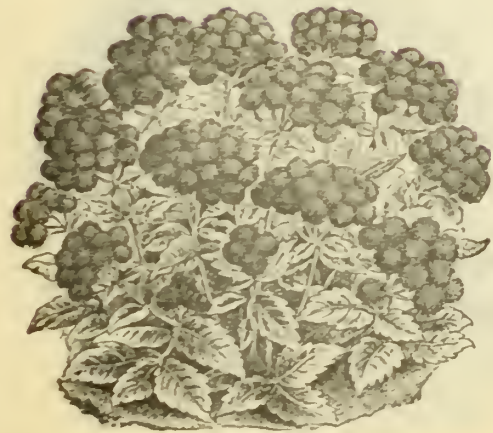
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	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
<b>Abronia</b> <i>umbellata</i> , <i>var.</i>	15	50
<i>umbellata</i> , <i>var.</i>	15	20
<b>Abutilon</b> , <i>var.</i>	50	1 00
<b>Acacia</b> , <i>var.</i>	10	14
<b>Achillea</b> <i>purpurea</i> , <i>var.</i>	25	2 00
<b>Aconitum</b> <i>var.</i>	20	30
<b>Acroclium</b> , <i>var.</i>	10	15
<i>var.</i>	10	15
<b>Adlumia</b> <i>var.</i>	15	50
<b>Adonis</b> <i>var.</i>	15	10
<b>Ageratum</b> , <i>var.</i>	15	15
<i>var.</i>	15	1 00
<i>var.</i>	15	30
<i>var.</i>	10	30
<i>var.</i>	20	75
<i>var.</i>	20	100
<i>var.</i>	10	15



ALYSSUM, LITTLE GEM.

	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
<b>Agrostemma</b> , mixed ( <i>Rose of Heaven</i> ) . . . . .	10	15
<b>Alyssum nanum</b> ( <i>Sea Alyssum</i> ) lb. \$1.25	10	15
Tom Thumb, <i>var.</i> , compact, lb. \$2.00	10	20
Little Gem, "White Carpet," <i>very dwarf</i> , lb. \$2.50	10	25
<i>var.</i> , <i>var.</i> , yellow, <i>perennial</i> . . . . .	10	20
<b>Amaranthus</b> <i>var.</i> ( <i>Love-lies-bleeding</i> ) . . . . .	10	10
<i>var.</i> ( <i>Mountain Plant</i> ) . . . . .	10	30
<i>var.</i> ( <i>Jump Seat</i> ) . . . . .	10	15
<i>var.</i> <i>sp.</i> . . . . .	15	35
<b>Ammobium</b> <i>var.</i> <i>grandiflorum</i> , <i>var.</i> . . . . .	10	15
<b>Ampelopsis</b> <i>var.</i> ( <i>Boston or Japanese Ivy</i> ) . . . . .	10	15
Fl. \$1.50 . . . . .	15	40
<b>Anemone</b> <i>var.</i> , <i>var.</i> . . . . .	25	50
<i>var.</i> ( <i>The Bride</i> ) . . . . .	25	2 50
<i>var.</i> <i>var.</i> <i>gigantea</i> . . . . .	25	25



AGERATUM, C. P. S. PET.

	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
<b>Antirrhinum majus</b> , mixed, <i>extra fine strain</i> . . . . .	10	20
<i>var.</i> , <i>var.</i> <i>light red</i> . . . . .	10	25
Queen of the North, <i>white</i> . . . . .	15	50
Niobe, <i>white and crimson</i> . . . . .	15	50
Nanum picturatum, <i>striped</i> . . . . .	10	25
Tom Thumb, <i>yellow</i> . . . . .	15	50
" " <i>mixed</i> . . . . .	15	40
Giant, <i>white</i> . . . . .	20	60
" <i>scarlet</i> . . . . .	20	60
" <i>yellow</i> . . . . .	20	60
<b>Aquilegia chrysantha</b> ( <i>Golden Spurred</i> ) . . . . .	25	1 00
<i>chrysantha alba</i> . . . . .	25	1 25
<i>coerulea</i> . . . . .	25	1 25
<i>glandulosa</i> . . . . .	25	1 00
<i>single mixed</i> . . . . .	10	15
<i>double mixed</i> . . . . .	10	15
<b>Arabis alpina</b> , <i>white spring flower</i> . . . . .	15	50
<b>Aralia Sieboldii</b> , 50c. per 1000 seeds (ready in April)		
<b>Armeria formosa</b> ( <i>Sea Pink or Thrift</i> ) . . . . .	10	25



ANTIRRHINUM, TOM THUMB.

Do not overlook the following offered on this page—Ageratums, Alyssums, Antirrhinums, etc., etc.

## DREER'S DECEMBER SPECIAL PRICE LIST.

We have made arrangements for a large supply of both *Asparagus Sprengeri* and *Plumosus nanus*, and offer same at the following low prices—both are easily grown from seed.

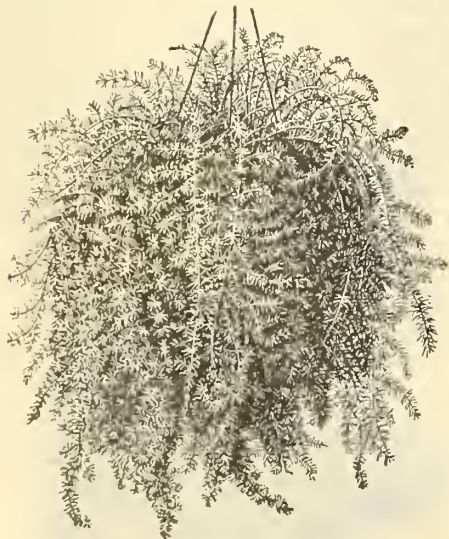
*Asparagus Sprengeri*, 60c. per 100 seeds; \$5.00 per 1000 seeds.  
*Plumosus nanus*, \$1.00 per 100 seeds; \$9.00 per 1000 seeds.

	Tr.	pkt.	Oz.
<i>Verticillatus, hardy</i> . . . . .	25	1	00
<i>Asperula odorata</i> ( <i>Sweet Woodruff</i> ) . . . . .	15	30	

## ASTERS.

Our stocks of this most important florists' flower are procured from reliable sources and will be found first-class in every respect.

<b>Ball or Jewel</b> , finest mixed . . . . .	40	2	00
<b>Betteridge's quilled</b> , yellow . . . . .	15	50	
mixed . . . . .	10	25	
<b>Comet</b> , carmine . . . . .	40	2	00
light blue . . . . .	40	2	00
peach blossom pink . . . . .	40	2	00
deep rose . . . . .	40	2	00



ASPARAGUS SPRENGERI.



PÆONY PERFECTION ASTER.

## Comet Asters—Continued.

	Tr.	pkt.	Oz.
rose and white . . . . .	40	2	00
finest mixed . . . . .	30	1	50
Giant white, <i>extra fine</i> . . . . .	30	1	50
" The Bride, <i>white shading to rose</i> . . . . .	40	1	75
" Branching, finest mixed . . . . .	40	2	00
Crown or Cocardeau, mixed . . . . .	25	1	00
Dwarf Chrysanthemum fld., white . . . . .	30	1	50
fiery scarlet . . . . .	30	1	50
dark blue . . . . .	30	1	50
finest mixed . . . . .	30	1	25
Dwarf Queen, snow white . . . . .	40	2	00
mixed . . . . .	30	1	50
Goliath, white ( <i>Mont Blanc</i> ) . . . . .	30	1	50
Japanese, or Tassel, mixed . . . . .	40	2	00
Mignon, pure white . . . . .	30	1	50
mixed . . . . .	30	1	25
Ostrich Feather, white . . . . .	40	2	00
pink . . . . .	40	2	00
Pæony Perfection, crimson . . . . .	30	1	50
light blue . . . . .	30	1	50
purple . . . . .	30	1	50
bright pink . . . . .	30	1	50
pure white . . . . .	30	1	50
finest mixed . . . . .	30	1	50

## Asters—Continued.

	Tr.	pkt.	Oz.
<b>Queen of the Market</b> , white . . . . .	20	75	
pink . . . . .	20	75	
purple . . . . .	20	75	
mixed . . . . .	15	50	
Earliest . . . . .	20	75	
flowering . . . . .	20	75	
of all . . . . .	15	50	
Rose flowered, deep scarlet, " <i>Fireball</i> " . . . . .	30	1	50
mixed . . . . .	30	1	50
Snowball or White Princess, pure white . . . . .	30	1	50
Triumph, deep scarlet . . . . .	50	2	50
white . . . . .	50	3	00
Victoria, peach blossom pink . . . . .	40	2	00
dark scarlet . . . . .	40	2	00
light blue . . . . .	40	2	00
purple . . . . .	40	2	00
pure white . . . . .	40	2	00
finest mixed . . . . .	30	1	50
Victoria Needle, mixed . . . . .	50	2	50
Washington, mixed . . . . .	30	1	50
China, mixed . . . . .	10	25	
Single Flowering, mixed . . . . .	15	50	
Perennial, mixed . . . . .	25	1	00



IMPROVED VICTORIA ASTER.

We call special attention to our stocks of Comet, Pæony Perfection, Queen of the Market and Victoria Asters offered on this page.

DREER'S DECEMBER SPECIAL PRICE LIST.

Asters

The following are American grown and are most  
 from extra choice strains. They are all of the  
 finest quality and are well adapted for  
 growing in the open air or in pots.

	pkt.	Oz.
Daybreak, self pink, very double	50	2 50
Seuple's Branching, pure white	25	1 00
double	25	1 00
single	25	1 00
mixed	25	1 00
various	25	1 00
double	25	1 00
Vick's Branching, pure white	25	1 25
Auricula (various colors)	50	3 50
Balloon Vine (various colors)		10
Balsam, double pink	15	50
double purple	15	50
" " " " " "	15	50
" white	15	50
" White Perfumed, double mixed	25	1 00
" double (various colors, extra choice)	15	50

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LEUCIA FRACILIS.

	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
Baptisia (various colors)	10	20
Bartonia		10
Begonia, Fox hybrid, mixed	1 00	
Lutescent notched star, mixed	50	
" " double, " "	1 00	
" " crested	35	
Superbina Variegata	25	3 00
" " dwarf	25	
" " grandiflora	25	
Coral Gem	25	
Crimson Gem	25	
Duchess of Fifeburgh	25	
" grandiflora	25	
Belis perennis (Double Daisy) choicest mixed	40	2 00
Double Daisy, choicest white	40	2 00
" " Snowball	50	2 50
" " Longfellow, rose	50	2 50
" " Giant (maxima fl. pl.)	50	2 50

	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
Beta, Chilian red leaved		10
Chilian yellow leaved		10
Dracena leaved		10
Bocconia japonica	10	30
Brachycome iberidifolia, mixed	15	50
Browallia elata, blue	15	40
" mixed	15	40
speciosa major, large flowering, extra fine	50	
Bryonopsis laciniata	10	20
Calcalia mixed	10	15
Calceolaria hyb. grandiflora, self colors	60	1 00
hyb. grandiflora tigrina, spotted varieties	60	1 00
" " " " pumila dwarf	60	1 00
rugosa mixed, Shrubby Calceolaria	60	1 00
Calendula pongee fl. pl., double white		15
Meteor, yellow, striped orange	60	10
Prince of Orange, darker than Meteor	60	10
Orange King, dark orange	60	10
Pure Gold, fine golden yellow	75	10
double sulphur	60	10



BROWALLIA SPECIOSA MAJOR.



SEMPLER'S BRANCHING ASTER.

Our strains of Branching Asters, Balsams, Browallia, Calendulas, etc., are unsurpassed.

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	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
<b>Calliopsis coronata, yellow</b> . . . . .	10	15
Drumondi ( <i>Golden Wave</i> ) . . . . .		10
tinctoria, <i>yellow maroon centre</i> . . . . .	10	15
“ double <a href="http://www.libtool.com.cn">www.libtool.com.cn</a> . . . . .	20	25
nigra speciosa, <i>deep crimson</i> . . . . .	10	15
mixed . . . . .		10
<b>Campanula carpatica mixed</b> . . . . .	15	25
Mirabilis . . . . .	25	
pyramidalis mixed, <i>Chimney Bellflower</i> . . . . .	15	50
<b>Canary Bird Vine (<i>Trofaolum canariense</i>)</b> . . . . .	10	25
<b>Canterbury Bells.</b> Cup and saucer mixed . . . . .	20	75
single mixed . . . . .	10	15
double . . . . .	15	40
<b>Candytuft, carmine</b> . . . . .	10	25
crimson . . . . .		10
Empress, <i>fine white, select stock</i> , lb. \$2.00 . . . . .	10	20
Dreer's Mammoth White . . . . .	15	40
Little Prince, a dwarf Empress . . . . .	25	1 00
White rocket, lb. 50 cts . . . . .		10
“ fragrant, lb. 50 cts . . . . .		10
mixed, lb. 60 cts. . . . .		10
Tom Thumb, white . . . . .	10	15
“ “ mixed . . . . .	10	25



CARNATION, MARGUERITE.

	1/4 lb.	Oz.
<b>Canna. Dwarf Large Flowering French.</b>		
Chas. Henderson, <i>crimson</i> . . . . .	50	15
Florence Vaughan, <i>yellow spotted red</i> . . . . .	50	15
Furst Bismarck, <i>rich crimson</i> . . . . .	50	15
Madame Crozy, <i>scarlet, gilt edge</i> . . . . .	50	15
Mine d'or, <i>bright canary yellow</i> . . . . .	50	15
Pres. McKinley, <i>crimson scarlet</i> . . . . .	50	15
Queen Charlotte, <i>scarlet, edged yellow</i> . . . . .	50	15
Robt. Christie, <i>orange red</i> . . . . .	50	15
Vice-Pres. Luziet, <i>rich cherry red</i> . . . . .	50	15
Choicest mixed varieties, lb. \$1.25 . . . . .	35	10
	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
<b>Carnation, fine double mixed</b> . . . . .	20	75
choicest double mixed . . . . .	40	2 00
Early flg. Vienna, double mixed . . . . .	20	75
Perpetual or Tree mixed . . . . .	40	2 00
Chaubaud's double perpetual mixed . . . . .	50	2 50
<b>Marguerite, white</b> . . . . .	30	1 50
“ rose . . . . .	30	1 50
“ scarlet . . . . .	30	1 50
“ crimson . . . . .	30	1 50
“ purple . . . . .	30	1 50
“ striped . . . . .	30	1 50
“ finest mixed } extra choice . . . . .	20	75
“ Giant mixed } strains . . . . .	25	1 00

	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
<b>Celosia cristata, Empress, rich crimson</b> . . . . .	25	1 00
Glasgow Prize, <i>dark crimson</i> . . . . .	25	1 00
Queen of Dwarfs, <i>dark rose</i> . . . . .	25	1 00
Variegata . . . . .	10	20
Dwarf mixed . . . . .	15	50
<b>plmosa, Golden Plume</b> . . . . .	15	50
Thompsonii ( <i>Triumphe de l'Exposition</i> ) . . . . .	15	50
mixed . . . . .	10	25
<b>Centaurea candidissima, per 1000 seed, 25 cts.</b> . . . .		1 50
gymnocarpa, per 1000 seed, 15 cts . . . . .		40
cyanus blue ( <i>Kaiser Blume</i> ) . . . . .		10
“ white . . . . .		10
“ Victoria, <i>dwarf blue</i> . . . . .	15	50
“ mixed . . . . .		10
“ double mixed . . . . .	10	15
Americana alba, large white . . . . .	25	1 00

The following are large flowering varieties of the *Centaurea Moschata* (*Sweet Sultan*), are grand cut flowers

Chameleon, <i>yellow, turning to rose</i> . . . . .	20	75
Odorata, <i>reddish lavender</i> . . . . .	15	50
Margarita, <i>pure white, fine</i> . . . . .	20	75
Imperialis mixed, <i>immense size</i> . . . . .	25	1 00
Suaevolens ( <i>Yellow Sweet Sultan</i> ) . . . . .	15	60



CELOSIA, GLASGOW PRIZE.

Do not fail to try our strains of Candytufts, Carnations, Celosias and Centaureas.



	Tr.	pkt.	Oz.
Centrosema	20	100	
Cerastium	30	1	50
Chrysanthemum			1
	15	5	
	15	4	
	15	5	
	15	5	
	50		
	25	4	10
	1	Tr	Tr
Cineraria			5
			5
	10	1	100
	10	1	100
	50	1	100
			1
	1	Tr	Oz
	1		20
	20		75
Clematis	10		15
	15		5
	5		2 50
Cleome	15		4
Clianthus	50		2 50

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COSMOS

	Tr.	pkt.	Oz.
Cowslip, mixed		15	50
Cyclamen persicum, finest mixed		30	1 25
Papilio (var. Butterfly Cyclamen)		35	
		100	1000
		seeds.	seeds.
pet. giganteum, pure white		75	6 00
" " white with carmine eye		75	6 00
" " rose		75	6 00
" " blood red		75	6 00
" " mixed		60	5 00
" " double flowering	25		
	cts.	per	pkt.

	Tr.	pkt.	Oz.
Cypress Vine, scarlet	10		15
white	10		15
Ivy leaved scarlet	10		15
mixed			10
Cyperus alternifolius, Umbrella Plant	50		



CYCLAMEN PERSICUM GIGANTEUM.



COBÆA SPANLANS

	Tr.	pkt.	Oz.
Cobæa	10		30
	20		75
Coccinea	15		40
Coleus, Dwarf Striped	50		
Convolvulus			10
			25
			10
	15		50
Coreopsis	10		30
Cosmos, Giant Perfection Crimson	15		50
Giant Perfection Pink	15		50
" " white	15		50
" " mixed	15		40
Large Flowering mixed	10		15
Dwarf Early Flowering " Dawn	15		50
" " mixed	10		40
Klondyke, the new yellow	30		1 50

For best results sow early, Cineraria maritima, Cobæa, Coreopsis, Cyclamen, etc.

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	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
<b>Dahlia</b> , Large flg., double mixed . . . . .	25	1 00
Small flg. (pompon) double mixed . . . . .	25	1 00
Cactus, double mixed . . . . .	30	1 50
Single striped mixed ( <i>gracilis</i> ) . . . . .	15	50
“ mixed . . . . .	10	30
“ Giant Perfection mixed . . . . .	30	1 25
“ Excelsior ( <i>new</i> ) . . . . .	17	
“ Tom Thumb mixed . . . . .	15	50
<b>Datura</b> arborea simplex . . . . .	25	
cornucopia ( <i>Horn of Plenty</i> ) . . . . .	20	75
fastuosa Huberiana, mixed . . . . .	10	20
double golden . . . . .	10	25
<b>Delphinium</b> Cashmerianum . . . . .	50	2 50
Chinense . . . . .	10	30
formosum . . . . .	15	50
nudicaule . . . . .	50	2 50
Zalil ( <i>Sulphureum</i> ) . . . . .	40	2 00
hybridum single mixed . . . . .	10	20
“ double “ . . . . .	40	2 00



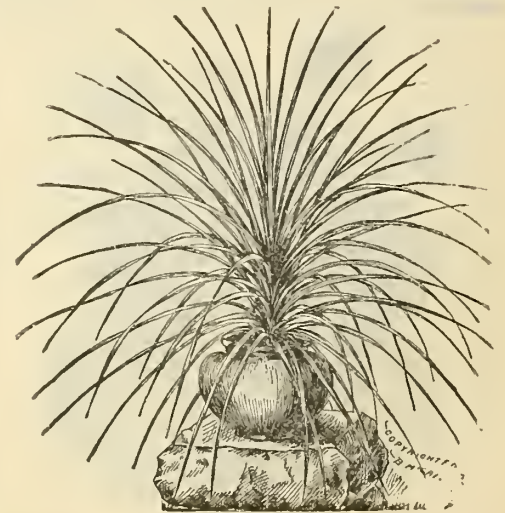
DAHLIA SINGLE FLOWERING.



DIANTHUS DOUBLE HEDDEWIGII

	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
<b>Dianthus Double</b> , Chinensis, mixed . . . . .	10	20
“ Heddewigii, mixed . . . . .	15	50
“ “ Mourning Cloak . . . . .	15	60
“ Snowball . . . . .	15	50
“ diadematus mixed . . . . .	15	60
“ laciniatus “ . . . . .	15	60
“ Imperialis “ . . . . .	10	25
“ “ “Fireball” . . . . .	15	40
<b>Single</b> , Heddewigii mixed . . . . .	15	40
“ “ Crimson Belle . . . . .	15	50
“ “ Eastern Queen . . . . .	15	50
“ laciniatus, mixed . . . . .	10	30
“ “ Salmon Queen . . . . .	25	1 00
“ “ new dwarf hybrids . . . . .	15	50
<b>Plumarius</b> , single mixed . . . . .	10	15
“ double “ . . . . .	25	1 00
“ semperflorens double . . . . .	40	2 00
<b>Didiscus</b> cœruleus . . . . .	15	50
<b>Digitalis</b> gloxiniflora mixed ( <i>Poxglove</i> ) . . . . .	10	20
Monstroa mixed . . . . .	15	50
<b>Dolichos</b> lablab, mixed ( <i>Hyacinth Bean</i> ) . . . . .	10	

	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
<b>Dracæna australis</b> , broad green foliage . . . . .	20	75
indivisa, narrow leaved . . . . .	10	30
“ lineata . . . . .	15	50
mixed choice varieties . . . . .	50	
<b>Ecchremocarpus</b> scaber ( <i>Calampelis</i> ), climber . . . . .	15	50
<b>Echinocystis</b> lobata ( <i>Wild Cucumber Vine</i> ) . . . . .	10	20
<b>Eschscholtzia</b> Californica aurantiaca . . . . .	10	15
Rose Cardinal . . . . .	10	25
Mandarin . . . . .	10	20
single mixed . . . . .	10	10
double mixed . . . . .	10	20
<b>Eupatorium</b> Fraseri . . . . .	15	40
<b>Euphorbia</b> heterophylla . . . . .	25	1 00
variegata ( <i>Snow on the Mountain</i> ) . . . . .	10	15
<b>Ferns</b> , Mixed—all sorts, 1/2 tr. 60 cts. . . . .	1 00	
<b>Fuchsia</b> , single and double mixed, 1/2 tr. 60 cts. . . . .	1 00	
<b>Gaillardia</b> Amblyodon blood, red . . . . .	10	15
picta, crimson and orange . . . . .	10	15
single mixed . . . . .	10	10
Lorenziana double mixed . . . . .	10	20
grandiflora superba ( <i>perennial</i> ) . . . . .	15	40
“ compacta ( <i>new</i> ) . . . . .	25	1 00



DRACÆNA INDIVISA.

Every florist should grow *Dracæna indivisa*; always in demand for vases, etc., etc.



	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
Hollyhock, double red . . . . .	20	75
Double pink . . . . .	20	75
“ white . . . . .	20	75
“ yellow . . . . .	20	75
“ sulphur . . . . .	20	75
“ maroon . . . . .	20	75
“ mixed . . . . .	20	60
“ Allegheny,” new double fringed . . . . .	30	I 50
Humulus japonicus ( <i>Japanese Hop</i> ) . . . . .	10	20
japonicus variegatus, <i>beautiful climber</i> . . . . .	15	35
Hunnemannia, Fumariæfolia ( <i>Giant Yellow Tulip Poppy</i> ), this flowers from mid-summer till frost, and is a first-rate cut flower . . . . .	15	40
Iberis, gibraltaria hybrida . . . . .	30	I 50
Sempervirens ( <i>Hardy White Candytuft</i> ) . . . . .	15	40
Ice Plant ( <i>Mesembryanthemum crystallinum</i> ) . . . . .	10	15
Impatiens Sultana . . . . .	50	50
new hybrids mixed . . . . .	50	50



HUNNEMANNIA—GIANT YELLOW TULIP POPPY.



LANTANA.

	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
Ipomœa, Bona Nox . . . . .		10
coccinea . . . . .		10
grandiflora ( <i>Moon Flower</i> ) . . . . .	15	50
rubra coerulea ( <i>Heavenly Blue</i> ) . . . . .	15	50
Setosa ( <i>Brazilian Morning Glory</i> ) . . . . .	10	25
Imperial Japanese, choicest mixed . . . . .	10	25
Jacobæa elegans, double mixed ( <i>Senecio</i> ) . . . . .	20	75
Lantana hybrida, finest mixed . . . . .	10	20
Larkspur, dwarf rocket mixed . . . . .		10
dwarf candelabra mixed . . . . .	15	40
Emperor “ . . . . .	10	15
tall stock flowered “ . . . . .	10	15
Lathyrus latifolius, red ( <i>Everlasting-Pea</i> ) . . . . .	10	15
latifolius, white . . . . .	15	40
“ mixed . . . . .	10	25
splendens . . . . .	30	I 75
Lavandula spica ( <i>Lavender</i> ) . . . . .		10
Layia elegans, <i>yellow tipped white</i> . . . . .	10	25
Linaria cymbalaria ( <i>Kenilworth Ivy</i> ) . . . . .	25	I 00
cymbalaria alba . . . . .	40	2 00
Linum grandiflorum rubrum ( <i>Scarlet Flax</i> ) . . . . .		10

	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
Lobelia, Crystal Palace compacta, true . . . . .	30	I 50
Emperor William, <i>dark blue</i> . . . . .	25	I 00
gracilis, <i>light blue, trailing</i> . . . . .	15	40
Prima Donna, <i>crimson</i> . . . . .	30	I 50
White Gem, <i>pure white, compact</i> . . . . .	25	I 00
Speciosa (Crystal Palace), <i>dark blue trailing</i> . . . . .	20	60
duplex, <i>double blue</i> . . . . .	30	I 50
Barnard's Perpetual, <i>deep blue, white eye</i> . . . . .	25	I 00
heterophylla major, <i>fine bedding variety</i> . . . . .	25	I 00
erinus compacta mixed . . . . .	15	40
cardinalis ( <i>perennial</i> ) . . . . .	25	I 00
“ hybrids, <i>mixed colors</i> . . . . .	50	
Lophospermum scandens, <i>fine climber</i> . . . . .	30	I 25
Lunaria biennis ( <i>Honesty</i> ) . . . . .	10	15
Lupinus, annual, mixed . . . . .		10
Lychnis chalcidonica . . . . .	10	20
Haageana hybrids mixed . . . . .	15	50
Marigold, African double mixed . . . . .	10	15
African El Dorado, <i>very double</i> . . . . .	10	20
“ Gold Nugget, <i>dwarf, golden</i> . . . . .	10	25
“ Pride of the Garden, <i>golden yellow</i> . . . . .	15	40
French dwarf mixed . . . . .	10	15
“ gold striped . . . . .	10	20
Legion d'honneur ( <i>Little Brownie</i> ) . . . . .	10	25



LOBELIA, CRYSTAL PALACE COMPACTA.

Every florist should grow a supply of Linaria, Lobelias and Lophospermum; they are useful for filling baskets; and Hollyhocks, Ipomœa, Lantana and Marigolds should not be overlooked.

	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
Marvel of Peru.	10	25
Matricaria	25	1 00
Maurandia	25	1 00
Mesembryanthemum	10	30
Mignonette	10	15
Mimosa	10	25
Mimulus	20	1 50
Mina	20	75
Momordica	10	15

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MIGNONETTE MACHET.



MUSA ENSATA.

	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
Musa ensata (L. in m. Banana) per 100 seeds		
\$1 00, per 1000 seeds, \$9.00		
Myosotis (Forget-me-not), alpestris, blue	15	40
alpestris, Victoria, blue	25	1 00
" Elza Honrobert	20	75
disitiflora	40	2 00
palustris, true	30	1 50
" semperflorans	30	1 50

**Nasturtium, Tom Thumb or Bedding.**

	Oz.	1 lb.	lb.
Aurora, salmon and pink	10	20	60
Beauty, red and triple, red	10	20	60
Bronze	10	25	75
Chameleon, different colors on one plant	15	40	1 25
Clubs of Gold, scarlet	10	25	75
Crystal Palace Gem, sulphur, spotted			
maroon	10	20	60
Empress of India, crimson, dark leaves	10	35	1 25
Golden King, golden yellow	10	25	75
King of Tom Thumbs, scarlet	10	30	1 00
King Theodore, maroon	10	30	1 00
Lady Bird, orange, red spotted	10	30	1 00
Pearl, creamy white	10	20	60
Prince Henry, creamy white, spotted red	10	25	75

**Nasturtium, T. T.—Continued.**

	Oz.	1 lb.	lb.
Regelanum, purple	10	25	75
rose, soft rose	10	20	60
Ruby King, crimson red	10	35	1 25
Spotted, red and yellow	10	25	75
mixed, best quality, 10 lb. \$4.00	10	15	45
Liliput mixed, very dwarf	15	40	1 50

**Nasturtium, Tall or Climbing.**

Chameleon, different colors on one plant	15	40	1 25
crimson	10	20	50
scarlet	10	20	50
" golden leaved	10	20	60
chocolate	10	20	50
King Theodore, deep crimson	10	30	1 00
lemon yellow	10	20	50
lilac	10	20	50
orange	10	20	50
Pearl white	10	20	60
Prince Henry, cream, spotted red	10	20	60
purple	10	20	50
rose	10	20	60
yellow spotted crimson	10	20	50
straw striped scarlet	10	20	50
Vesuvius, fiery rose	10	30	1 00
mixed, best quality, 10 lb. \$3.00	10	15	35
Hybrids of Mad. Gunter	10	20	70

See also Tropaeolum.



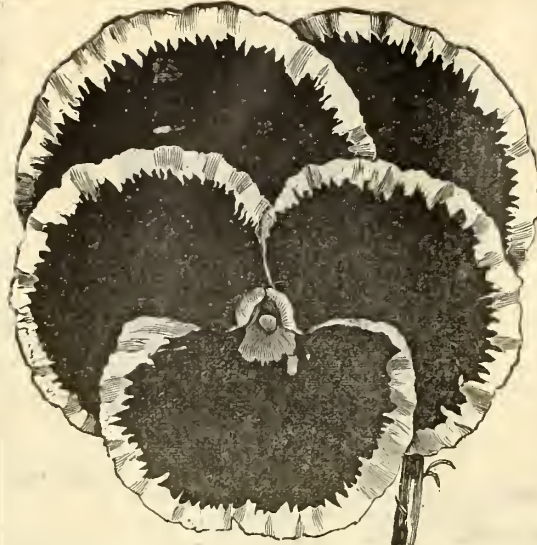
NASTURIUM, TOM THUMB.

Items offered on this page of special interest to florists—Maurandia, Mignonette, Musa and Nasturtiums.

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	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
<b>Nemophila</b> , mixed . . . . .		10
<b>Nicotiana affinis</b> . . . . .	10	20
colossea . . . . .	25	
sylvestris . . . . .	15	40
<b>Nierembergia frutescens</b> . . . . .	15	50
<b>Nigella damascena</b> , double mixed . . . . .		10
<b>Oxalis</b> , alba . . . . .	30	1 50
rosea . . . . .	30	1 50
tropaeoides ( <i>corniculata</i> ) . . . . .	20	75
<b>Pansy</b> , Bronze . . . . .	25	80
Emperor William, blue . . . . .	25	80
Faust or King of the Blacks, black purple . . . . .	25	80
gold margined . . . . .	25	80
havana brown . . . . .	25	80
sky blue . . . . .	25	80
Lord Beaconsfield, purple shading to white . . . . .	25	80
mahogany color . . . . .	25	80
Peacock, blue, claret and white . . . . .	30	1 50
purple violet . . . . .	25	80
Snow Queen, pure white . . . . .	25	80
striped . . . . .	25	80
Cardinal, brightest red . . . . .	30	1 50

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GIANT TRIMARDEAU PANSY.

Pansy—Continued.		Tr. pkt.	Oz.
white with dark eye . . . . .		25	80
yellow with dark eye . . . . .		25	80
Yellow Gem, pure yellow . . . . .		25	80
Giant Trimardeau, black . . . . .		30	1 50
"    striped . . . . .		30	1 50
"    white . . . . .		30	1 50
"    yellow . . . . .		30	1 50

**Pansies in Mixture.**

Dreer' Royal Exhibition, the finest mixture of Pansy offered, large flowers of brilliant colors and fine texture. 1/8-oz. \$1.25 . . . . .	50	8 00
Dreer's Premium, very choice . . . . .	50	4 00
Giant Trimardeau, large flowering . . . . .	30	1 25
Odier or five blotched, choice . . . . .	50	3 00
Cassier's Giant, a fine strain . . . . .	50	4 00
Bugnot's stained, extra choice . . . . .	50	4 00
English mixed, very fine mixture . . . . .	25	1 00
very fine mixed, excellent . . . . .	20	75
good mixed, good cheap mixture . . . . .	15	50



NICOTIANA AFFINIS.

	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
<b>Pardanthus sinensis</b> ( <i>Blackberry Lily</i> ) . . . . .	10	20
<b>Passiflora</b> , mixed ( <i>Passion Flower</i> ) . . . . .	20	75
<b>Pentstemon</b> , fine mixed . . . . .	10	25
gloxinoides, extra fine mixed . . . . .	30	1 50
<b>Petunia nankinensis</b> , dark purple foliage . . . . .		10
<b>Petunia</b> , Dreer's Superb Double Fringed, 500 seeds, 75 cts. ; 1000 seeds, \$1.50 . . . . .		
Dreer's Superb Single Fringed, 1/8-oz., \$2.50 . . . . .		50
Giants of California, mixed, 1/2 tr. pkt. 60 cts. . . . .	1	00
Ruffled Giants, mixed, 1/2 tr. pkt. 60 cts. . . . .	1	00
Hybrida pure white . . . . .	15	50
Dwarf Inimitable . . . . .	40	2 00
"    Snowball . . . . .	30	1 50
striped and blotched, finest mixed . . . . .	20	75
fine mixed . . . . .	15	40



DREER'S SUPERB DOUBLE FRINGED PETUNIA.

Our Double and Single Fringed Petunias offered on this page are the very finest strain procurable of this important florists' flower.

# DREER'S DECEMBER SPECIAL PRICE LIST.

	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
<b>Phlox Drummondii</b> , finest mixed	10	50
<b>grandiflora</b> white	20	75
" " " " " " pink	20	75
" " " " " " blue	20	75
" " " " " " white	20	75
" " " " " " scarlet	20	75
" " " " " " light red	20	75
" " " " " " mixed	15	50
<b>nana compacta</b> , Snow White	40	2 00
" " " " " " Emerald	40	2 00
" " " " " " rose	50	2 50
" " " " " " Fair Maiden pink	50	2 50
" " " " " " mixed	30	1 50
<b>double</b> variety	50	4 00
" " " " " " white	25	1 00
" " " " " " yellow	30	1 50
Star of Queensland (Star Phlox)	20	60
<b>decussata</b> (Perennial) mixed	25	1 00
<b>Physalis</b> Franchetii (China Lantern Flower)	15	50
<b>Platycodon</b> grandiflorus (Balloon Flower)	10	25
" " " " " " Maroon, double, blue	15	40
" " " " " " grandiflora mixed	10	25
<b>Polyanthus</b> , gold band	40	2 00
" " " " " " finest mixed	20	75

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SHIRLEY POPPY.

	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
<b>Poppy, Single</b> , Dan Patch	10	10
" " " " " " English Scarlet	10	15
" " " " " " Fire Dragon	15	50
" " " " " " Flag of Truce	15	50
" " " " " " glaucum (Tulip P. P.)	15	50
" " " " " " Shirley mixed	10	25
" " " " " " The Bride	10	25
" " " " " " Umbrella	10	15
" " " " " " Annual sort mixed	10	10
<b>Double</b> , American Flag	10	25
" " " " " " Fairy Tausch	10	15
" " " " " " Golden Gate	10	15
" " " " " " Mikado	10	15
" " " " " " White Swan	10	15
" " " " " " Peony flower mixed	10	10
" " " " " " Carnation flower mixed	10	10
<b>Perennial</b> , Bracteatum	10	30
" " " " " " Orientale	20	75
" " " " " " hybrids mixed	25	1 00
" " " " " " Iceland double scarlet	50	50
" " " " " " mixed (P. nudicaule)	15	50



PHLOX DRUMMONDII GRANDIFLORA.

	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
<b>Portulaca</b> , single large flowering, mixed	10	20
" " " " " " compacta	20	75
" " " " " " double large flowering, mixed	40	2 00
<b>Primula, Chinese Fringed</b> . Our supply of these has been procured from the same source for a number of years, and they are sure to give the same satisfactory results in the future as they have in the past.	1/2 Tr.	Tr.
Alba, white	60	1 00
alba magnifica, white & yellow	60	1 00
Chiswick Red	60	1 00
Holland Blue	60	1 00
Kemesna splendens, crimson	60	1 00
punctata elegantissima, spotted	60	1 00
Rosy Morn, pink	60	1 00
rubra, red	60	1 00
robusta grandiflora mixed	60	1 00
Dreer's choicest mixed, made up out of the finest named varieties, and has always given the best satisfaction	60	1 00
" " fern leaved mixed	60	1 00
double white	1 00	1 00
" " mixed	1 00	1 00



CHINESE FRINGED PRIMULA.

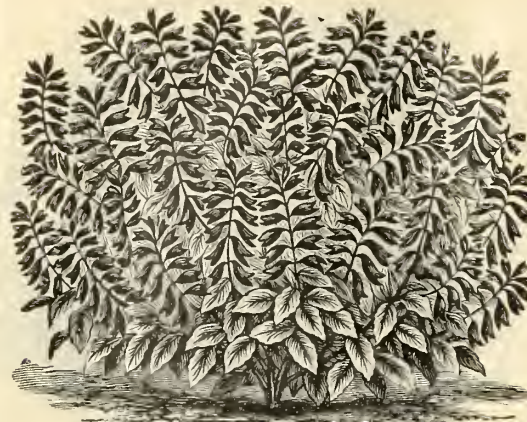
No finer strains of Phloxes, Poppies or Primulas can be procured than those offered above.

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	Tr.	pkt.	Oz.
<b>Primula</b> —Continued			
obconica grandiflora . . . . .	50		
obconica grandiflora fimbriata . . . . .	50		
floribunda, yellow <a href="http://www.libtool.com.cn">www.libtool.com.cn</a>	50		
Forbesi ( <i>Baby Primrose</i> ) . . . . .	50		
Japonica mixed . . . . .	20	75	
cortusoides amena . . . . .	50		
Vulgaris ( <i>English Yellow Primrose</i> ) . . . . .	25	1	25
Veris ( <i>Coslip</i> ) mixed . . . . .	15		50
<b>Pyrethrum aureum</b> ( <i>Golden Feather</i> ) . . . . .	10		30
“ “ <i>Selaginoides, finely cut</i> . . . . .	20		75
hybridum single mixed . . . . .	20		75
“ “ double “ . . . . .	50		
<b>Rhodanthe, mixed</b> ( <i>Everlasting</i> ) . . . . .	20		60
<b>Ricinus</b> ( <i>Castor Oil Plant</i> ) <i>Borboniensis, green</i>	60		10
<i>Cambodgiensis, dark foliage</i> . . . . .	1	25	15
<i>Gibsoni, red foliage</i> . . . . .	75		10
<i>Philippiensis, green foliage</i> . . . . .	75		10
<i>Sanguineus, red stalks, green leaves</i> . . . . .	50		10
<i>Zanzibariensis mixed, immense foliage</i> . . . . .	50		10
mixed . . . . .	40		10



PYRETHRUM AUREM.



SALVIA, CLARA BEDMAN.—(Bonfire.)

	Tr.	pkt.	Oz.
<b>Rose, dwarf polyantha</b> or Fairy, 75c. per 100 fruits			
<b>Rudbeckia bicolor superba, annual</b> . . . . .	15		50
<i>Newmani, fine perennial</i> . . . . .	50		3 00
<i>purpurea</i> ( <i>Giant Purple Cone Flower</i> ) . . . . .	30		1 50
<b>Saintpaulia ionantha</b> , 17 cts. per pkt. . . . .			
<b>Salpiglosses, large flowering mixed</b> . . . . .	15		50
<i>Emperor, new, extra large flowering</i> . . . . .	30		1 25
<b>Salvia splendens</b> ( <i>Scarlet Sage</i> ) . . . . .	30		1 50
splendens “ <i>Bonfire</i> ” ( <i>Clara Bedman</i> ) . . . . .	50		2 50
“ <i>New Crimson</i> . . . . .	50		
patens ( <i>Blue Salvia</i> ) . . . . .	50		5 00
<b>Scabiosa dwarf double golden</b> . . . . .	10		25
dwarf double <i>Snowball</i> . . . . .	10		15
“ “ <i>mixed</i> . . . . .	10		15
maxima double mixed ( <i>tall</i> ) . . . . .	10		15
<i>Caucasica</i> ( <i>perennial</i> ) . . . . .	30		1 50
<b>Schizanthus mixed</b> . . . . .			10
<b>Smilax</b> , lb. \$3.50 . . . . .	15		35
<b>Solanum capsicastrum</b> ( <i>Jerusalem Cherry</i> ) . . . . .	10		30
<b>Stevia serrata</b> . . . . .	15		50

Our supply of Stocks is received from a celebrated European grower and are of the finest possible quality, producing a large percentage of double flowering plants.

	Tr.	pkt.	Oz.
<b>Stocks, large flowering 10-week, blood-red</b>	40	2	25
“ “ “ <i>crimson</i> . . . . .	40	2	25
“ “ “ <i>bright rose</i> . . . . .	40	2	25
“ “ “ <i>light blue</i> . . . . .	40	2	25
“ “ “ <i>purple</i> . . . . .	40	2	25
“ “ “ <i>pure white</i> . . . . .	40	2	25
“ “ “ <i>finest mixed</i> . . . . .	40	2	00
<b>Wallflower leaved Snowflake</b> , 1/8 oz. 75c.	50		
“ “ <i>mixed</i> . . . . .	40	2	00
<i>Princess Alice</i> ( <i>Cut and Come Again</i> ) . . . . .	50		3 00
<i>Brompton mixed</i> . . . . .	50		3 00
<i>Intermediate mixed</i> . . . . .	50		4 00



PRINCESS ALICE STOCK.

For best results—Pyrethrum, Salvia and Stocks should be sown early. Do not overlook them on your first order.



# SWEET PEAS

	Oz.	1/2 lb.	1 lb.
Apple Blossom, <a href="http://www.libtool.com.cn">www.libtool.com.cn</a>	5	10	25
Blanche Burpee	5	10	25
Blanche Ferry, <i>early</i>	5	10	25
Blanche Ferry, <i>extra early</i>	5	10	25
Countess of Radnor	5	10	25
Dorothy Tennant	5	10	25
Earliest of All	5	10	25
Emily Henderson	5	10	25
Elizabeth Eckford	5	10	25



MIXED SWEET PEAS.

	Oz.	1/2 lb.	1 lb.
Her Majesty	5	10	25
Katherine Tracy	5	10	30
Lottie Eckford	5	10	30
Lovely	5	10	30
Mars	5	10	30
Mrs. Eckford	5	10	30
Prince of Wales	5	10	30
Royal Rose	5	10	30
Salopian	5	10	30
Shahzada	5	10	30
Venus	5	10	25

### Cupid, Dwarf or Bedding Sweet Peas.

Apple Blossom	10	20	60
Blanche Ferry	10	20	60
Countess of Radnor	15	40	1 25
Dorothy Tennant	15	40	1 25
Earliest of All	5	15	50
Emily Henderson	10	20	60
Elizabeth Eckford	5	15	40

### Mixtures of Sweet Peas.

	Oz.	1/2 lb.	1 lb.
Dreer's Peerless Mixture	5	10	35
Eckford's Mixed	5	10	30
Fine Mixed, <i>good sorts</i>	5	10	25
Double Flowering Sorts, mixed	5	10	35
Pink Shades, mixed	5	10	30
Red	5	10	30
Lavender and Blue shades, mixed	5	10	30
Purple and Maroon	5	10	30
White and Primrose	5	10	30
Striped shades, mixed	5	10	30



CUPID SWEET PEAS.

The Varieties in heavy type are the leading sorts for florists' use, although there is not a single inferior variety offered. Old favorite sorts, such as Firefly, Mrs. Gladstone, etc., etc., having been dropped in favor of much improved varieties, you can make no mistake in buying any one in the above list.

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	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
Sweet Rocket, mixed . . . . .		10
Sweet William, auricula flowered mixed . . . . .	10	15
single mixed . . . . .		10
Double " . . . . .	10	25
Giant double mixed . . . . .	15	50
Tagetes, signata pumila . . . . .	10	25
Thunbergia alata, buff, dark eye . . . . .	15	40
oculata, white dark eye . . . . .	15	40
Bakeri, pure white . . . . .	15	40
Aurantiaea, orange, dark eye . . . . .	15	40
mixed . . . . .	10	30
Torenia Bailoni . . . . .	30	
Fournieri . . . . .	30	2 50
alba, "White Wings" . . . . .	30	2 50
Princess of Montenegro . . . . .	50	
The Bride . . . . .	50	
Violetta . . . . .	50	
<b>Tropæolum lobbianum</b> , Lobb's Nasturtium. . . . .	Oz.	¼-lb.
Asa Gray, creamy white . . . . .	20	60
Brilliant, Scarlet . . . . .	15	40
Crown Prince of Prussia, blood red . . . . .	15	40
Giant of Battles, sulphur, red blotched . . . . .	15	40
Roi des Noirs, nearly black . . . . .	15	40
Spitfire, vermilion . . . . .	15	40
mixed, lb. 75 cts. . . . .	10	25
Hybrids of Mad. Gunter, lb. 70 cts. . . . .	10	20



THUNBERGIA.



MAMMOTH VERBENA.

	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
Valeriana, mixed ( <i>Garden Heliotrope</i> ) . . . . .	10	20
Verbena, Dreer's Mammoth, white . . . . .	30	1 50
" " scarlet . . . . .	30	1 50
" " pink . . . . .	30	1 50
" " purple . . . . .	30	1 50
" " striped . . . . .	30	1 50
" " mixed . . . . .	25	1 00
hybrida extra choice mixed . . . . .	20	75
Lemon ( <i>Aloysia citriodora</i> ) . . . . .	30	1 50
Venosa, purplish heliotrope, fine bedding plant . . . . .	10	25
Erinoides, deep lilac, excellent for baskets, vases, etc. . . . .	15	50
Vinca, rosea, rose with dark eye . . . . .	20	60
rosea alba, white with rose eye . . . . .	20	60
rosea alba pura, pure white . . . . .	20	60
mixed . . . . .	15	50
Viola odorata, mixed . . . . .	15	50
Cornuta Papilio ( <i>Butterfly Violet</i> ) . . . . .	40	2 00

	Tr. pkt.	Oz.
Wallflower, single mixed . . . . .	10	15
double mixed . . . . .	30	1 50
Xeranthemum, double mixed . . . . .	10	25
Zinnia, dwarf double white . . . . .	10	35
dwarf double scarlet . . . . .	10	35
" " orange . . . . .	10	35
" " canary . . . . .	10	35
" " Jacqueminot, <i>crios n</i> . . . . .	15	50
" " mixed . . . . .	10	25
tall double mixed . . . . .	10	20
pompone double mixed . . . . .	10	30
Tom Thumb double mixed . . . . .	20	60
Mammoth " " . . . . .	15	40
" " Queen Victoria, double white . . . . .	20	75
Curled and Crested mixed . . . . .	15	50
Zebra striped mixed . . . . .	15	50
Haageana double orange . . . . .	20	75



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No. 2	39	30
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 Bakeri, pure white . .  
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 mixed . . . . .  
**Torenia** Bailloni . . . .  
 Fournieri . . . . .  
 alba, " White Wings  
 Princess of Monteneg  
 The Bride . . . . .  
 Violetta . . . . .  
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 Asa Gray, creamy wh  
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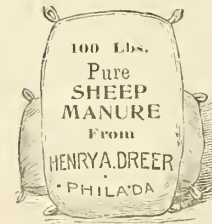
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## PALMS

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### Areca Lutescens.

All of the Areca offered for sale are exceptionally fine quality, and in every way, except the \$10.00 grade, which are in the minimum 1, but all are of the highest quality.

No. plants	Height	Price	Per doz.	Per 100.	Per 1000.
2 1/2	1 plant in a year 6 to 8 inches	\$1.00	8.00	\$8.00	\$80.00
3	" " " 12 to 15 "	1.25	10.00	10.00	100.00
4	" " " 15 "	1.50	12.00	12.00	120.00
5	" " " 18 "	2.00	15.00	15.00	150.00
6	" " " 20 "	2.50	20.00	20.00	200.00
8	" " " 24 "	3.00	24.00	24.00	240.00
10	" " " 24 "	3.50	35.00	35.00	350.00
8	8 inch plants	1.00	8.00	8.00	80.00
12	" " " 5 inch	1.00	12.00	12.00	120.00
14	" " " 6 to 7 "	1.50	14.00	14.00	140.00
14	" " " 7 to 8 "	2.00	14.00	14.00	140.00

### Areca Baueri.

5 inch pots, 2 plants in a pot, 18 inches high, 75 cts. each, \$7.50 per doz.

### Calamus Intermedius.

A pretty decorative species, with dark green foliage, the stems are dotted with long, dark spots.

5 inch pots, 15 inches high, \$1.00 each  
" " " 24 " " " 1.50 "

### Caryota Urens (Full Leaf Palm)

2 1/2	inch pots,	\$1.00 per doz.	\$8.00 per 100.
3	" " "	1.25 "	10.00 "
4	" " "	2.50 "	20.00 "
5	" " "	3.50 "	25.00 "
6	" " "	7.50 "	60.00 "

We again call special attention to our stock of Palms, which is the largest and most complete in the country, especially in the varieties and sizes used in the general florist trade. Our stock of Kentias alone occupying over one and a half acres of glass, and all other popular varieties being on hand in proportionate quantities.

### SPECIAL NOTICE.

Our measurements of plants, where given, as in the case of Palms, etc., etc., means the height of the plant from the top of the pot to the top of the plant in its natural position. We want to explain our way of measuring, as many growers contend that the proper measurement is from the bottom of the pot to the tip of the longest leaf, and make their offers in that way.

### Caryota Sobolifera.

2 1/2 inch pots, \$1.00 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.  
3 " " " 1.25 " " 10.00 "

### Ceroxylon Niveum.

We offer a most lovely lot of this rare variety. 3 inch pots, \$5.00 per doz.

### Chamaerops Excelsa.

3 inch pots, 30 inches high, \$2.50 each.

### Chamaerops Humilis.

7 inch pots, 20 to 24 inches high, \$1.50 each.

### Cocos Weddeliana.

These are better this season than they have been for several years. The plants offered are not perfect, but are of good value and will prove of service for centres of ferns, etc.

3 inch pots, 8 to 10 inches high, \$1.25 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

### Cocos Plumosus.

2 1/2	inch pots,	\$1.00 per doz.	\$8.00 per 100.
3	" " "	1.25 "	10.00 "
4	" " "	2.00 "	15.00 "

### Elaeis Guineensis.

3 inch pots, 12 inches high, 35 cts. each.  
4 " " " 18 " " " 75 " "

### Geonoma Gracilis.

2 inch pots, \$1.00 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.



ARECA LUTESCENS.



KENTIA BELMOREANA.

**Kentia Belmoreana.**

We call special attention to the 2¼ and 3-inch pot sizes; they are extra fine, pretty, graceful plants, and will make good substitutes for Cocos Weddeliana for centres of Fern dishes, etc., during the present scarcity of that variety.

In pots.	Leaves.	Height.	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
2¼	3 to 4	8 ins.	\$1 50	\$12 00	\$100 00
3	4 to 5	10 to 12 "	3 00	25 00	200 00
4	5 to 6	15 "	4 50	35 00	
5	5 to 6	18 " light	7 50	60 00	
			Each.	Per doz.	
6	6	24 "	1 25	15 00	
6	6 to 7	26 to 28 "	1 50	18 00	

**Kentia MacArthur.**

2-inch pots, 4 inches high, \$1.25 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

3½	"	10 "	"	50 cts. each.
4½	"	18 "	"	\$1.25 "

**Kentia Moorei.**

3½-inch pots, 12 inches high, 75 cts. each.

**Kentia Forsteriana.**

In. pots.	Leaves.	Height.	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
2¼	4	8 ins.	\$1 50	\$12 00	\$100 00
3	3 to 4	12 "	2 50	20 00	180 00
4	4 to 5	15 "	4 50	35 00	
5	5	15 to 18 "	6 00	50 00	
			Each.	Per doz.	
6	5	24 to 28 "	1 00	12 00	
6	5 to 6	30 "	1 25	15 00	
6	6	28 to 32 "	1 50	18 00	
6	6 to 7	30 to 36 "	2 00	24 00	
7	6	36 to 42 "	2 50	30 00	
9	7	60 "	7 50		
12	6 to 7	72 "	10 00		
12-in. tubs	6 to 7	7 to 8 feet	12 50		
12 "	"	6 to 7	7 to 8 "	15 00	
12 "	"	6 to 7	8 "	25 00	

Larger plants at \$30.00, \$35.00, \$50.00 and \$75.00 each.

**Kentia Sanderiana.**

A desirable new and rare variety.

2¼-inch pots, 6 inches high, 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

3½ " 12 " " \$2.50 "

**Kentia Wendlandiana.**

4-inch-pots, 20 inches high, \$1.00 each.

**Latania Borbonica.**

In. pots.	Leaves.	Height.	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
2¼	3		\$0 60	\$5 00	\$40 00
3	4 to 5		1 00	8 00	75 00
4	4 to 5	12 to 15 ins.	2 50	20 00	
6	5 to 6	15 "	6 00	50 00	
6	5 to 6	15 to 18 "	9 00		

**Latania Borbonica aurea.**

A limited lot of this fine golden-leaved variety.

6-inch pots, 12 to 15 inches high, 5 to 6 leaves, \$2.00 each.

**Licuala Horrida.**

3½-inch pots, 12 inches high, 75 cts. each.

**Livistona Rotundifolia.**

2-inch pots, \$1 25 per doz.; \$ 8 00 per 100.

3 "	"	2 00 "	15 00 "
4 "	"	3 50 "	25 00 "

**Phoenix Canariensis.**

One of the hardiest of the genus. The plants offered are fine decorative stock, especially useful for decorative purposes.

7-inch pots, 30 inches high, \$1 50 each.

8 "	"	36 "	"	2 50 "
9 "	"	42 "	"	3 00 "
10 "	"	48 "	"	4 00 "
12-inch tubs,	54	to 60 "	"	6 00 "



PHOENIX CANARIENSIS.

**Phoenix Reclinata.**

2-inch pots, 75 cts. per doz.; \$ 6 00 per 100.

3 "	"	\$1 00 "	8 00 "
4 "	"	3 00 "	25 00 "

**Phoenix Rupicola.**

This variety is always scarce. We offer a limited lot of finely-developed plants.

2-inch pots, \$1 00 per doz.; \$ 8 00 per 100.

3 "	"	1 25 "	10 00 "
4 "	"	3 50 "	25 00 "

**Ptychosperma Alexandria.**

5-inch pots, 18 to 20 inches high, \$3.00 per doz.

**Thrinax Parviflora.**

A nice lot of 2¼-inch pots of this pretty dwarf palm, \$1.25 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

4-inch pots, \$3.50 per doz.; \$25.00 per 100.



# FINE FERNS

Varieties of Special Merit

FOR GENERAL COLLECTION OF FINE FERNS, SEE NEXT PAGE.

## Alsophila Australis.

We recommend this variety for its supply of this useful, quick growing Australian Tree Fern, and other strong

2 1/2 inch pots, \$1.00 per doz.	\$8.00 per 100.
3 " " " 1.25 " "	10.00 " "
4 " " " 2.00 " "	15.00 " "
5 " " " 3.00 " "	25.00 " "

## Aspidium Tsussimense.

Being one of the most useful of all Ferns yet introduced into this country, it is of a low and graceful habit; of good color and of a better growing quality than any other Fern we know. We are sorry to offer this variety only in limited quantity, but our season's stock consists of nearly 60,000 plants, and we are anxious to grow it at a popular price.

2 1/2 inch pots, \$4.00 per 100;	\$35.00 per 1000.
3 " " " 6.00 " "	50.00 " "

## Asplenium Bulbiferum.

This variety is not well known in this country, but is grown in large quantities in Europe, especially in England, where it is considered one of the most important Ferns for house decoration. It is a most desirable variety to grow into 5 or 6 inch pot plants. We offer them

4 inch pots, \$1.25 per doz.;	\$10.00 per 100.
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## Cibotium Schiedei.

This is undoubtedly the finest of all Tree Ferns for use in decorative purposes, and, though appearing very soft, is in fact very hardy, a fact has been demonstrated by the leading decorators of the Fairer times, succeeding admirably as a house plant, which is not the case with any other Tree Fern. It possesses a graceful and delicate appearance that is found in no other plant. It is a variety that is always scarce and difficult to obtain. We have succeeded in growing a fine lot of this variety, and offer beautiful decorative plants of it.

5 inch pots, 75 cts. each;	\$ 7.50 per doz.
6 " " " \$1.25 " "	12.00 " "
7 " " " 1.50 " "	15.00 " "

## Cibotium Princeps.

Similar to the preceding, but with broader, shorter foliage.

4 inch pots, 50 cts. each;	\$5.00 per doz.
5 " " " 75 " "	7.50 " "
6 " " " 1.25 " "	12.00 " "

## Microlepia Hirta Cristata.

We consider this one of the finest Ferns in cultivation to grow into specimen plants, and while it is of such a delicate, graceful appearance, that would lead one to think that it was useless as a house fern, it is, nevertheless, one of the best for this purpose, and when well grown, meets with as ready sale as the popular Boston Fern. It is seldom that we are in a position to offer it in quantity; this season our stock is exceptionally large, which enables us to offer it at the following low prices:

2 1/4 inch pots, 75 cts. per doz.;	\$ 6.00 per 100.
3 " " " \$1.25 " "	10.00 " "
4 " " " 2.50 " "	20.00 " "



MICROLEPIA HIRTA CRISTATA.

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ADIANTUM FARLEYENSE.

## Adiantum Caudatum and Adiantum Dolabriformis.

Two pretty species recently introduced by London. They are of a particular pleasing appearance, being well suited to the ends of which young plants are presented.

3 inch pots, \$1.50 per doz.;	\$5.00 per 100.
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## Adiantum Farleyense.

Net, young, bushy well grown, 2 in.	
3 inch pots, \$2.00 per doz.;	\$15.00 per 100.
4 " " " 5.00 " "	40.00 " "
5 " " " 7.00 " "	70.00 " "
6 " " " 12.00 " "	

## Adiantum Rochfordianum.

A most desirable form of *A. Rochfordianum* with more than larger pinnae of a darker green color, forming a most compact plant, especially valuable to grow as a pot fern.

2 1/4 inch pots, 75 cts. per doz.;	\$5.00 per 100.
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## FINE FERNS—General Collection

We have over one acre of glass devoted to Ferns and can at all times supply choice assorted varieties in

2 1/4-inch pots, \$3.50 per 100  
30.00 per 1000

3-inch pots, 6.00 per 100  
50.00 per 1000

Five or over of any one variety supplied at the hundred rate.

	Inch pots.	Per 100.	Per 1000.
<b>Adiantum</b> Emulm . . . . .	2	\$ 5 00	\$40 00
" " . . . . .	3	8 00	
" Ancitense . . . . .	3	8 00	
" Bellum . . . . .	2	5 00	
" " . . . . .	3	8 00	
" Capillus-Veneris Mariesii . . . . .	4	15 00	
" Concinnum . . . . .	2	4 00	
" Cuneatum . . . . .	2	3 50	30 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
" " . . . . .	4	10 00	
" " . . . . .	5	15 00	
" " Grandiceps . . . . .	2	4 00	35 00
" " " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
" " Variegatum . . . . .	2	3 50	30 00
" " " . . . . .	3	6 00	
" Decorum . . . . .	2	4 00	35 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
" Formosum . . . . .	3	8 00	
" " . . . . .	4	15 00	
" Gracillimum . . . . .	2	4 00	35 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
" Le Grandii . . . . .	2	5 00	
" " . . . . .	3	8 00	
" Mundulum . . . . .	2	5 00	
" " . . . . .	3	8 00	
" Rhomboideum . . . . .	3	10 00	
" " . . . . .	4	15 00	
" Wiegandii . . . . .	2	5 00	40 00
" " . . . . .	3	8 00	

	Inch pots	Per 100.	Per 1000
<b>Asplenium</b> Obtusilobum . . . . .	3	8 00	
<b>Blechnum</b> Occidentale . . . . .	2 1/4	4 00	35 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	
<b>Cyrtodium</b> Falcatum . . . . .	2 1/4	4 00	35 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
" Fortunei . . . . .	2 1/4	4 00	35 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
<b>Davallia</b> Fijiensis Plumosus . . . . .	3	10 00	
" Stricta . . . . .	2 1/4	4 00	35 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
" " . . . . .	4	12 00	
" " . . . . .	5	15 00	
<b>Dictyogramme</b> Japonica . . . . .	3	10 00	
" " Variegata . . . . .	3	15 00	
<b>Dicksonia</b> Antarctica . . . . .	3	6 00	
<b>Didymochlena</b> Truncatula . . . . .	3	6 00	
" " . . . . .	4	12 00	
<b>Gymnogramme</b> Sulphurea . . . . .	2 1/4	5 00	
<b>Lastrea</b> Aristata Variegata . . . . .	2 1/4	4 00	35 00
" " " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
" Chrysoloba . . . . .	2 1/4	4 00	35 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
" Opaca . . . . .	2 1/4	4 00	35 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
<b>Lomaria</b> Ciliata . . . . .	2 1/4	4 00	35 00
" Gibba . . . . .	2 1/4	4 00	35 00
<b>Lygodium</b> Scandens . . . . .	2 1/4	6 00	
" " . . . . .	3	8 00	
" " . . . . .	4	15 00	
" Dichotomum . . . . .	3	10 00	

	Inch pots.	Per 100.	Per 1000.
<b>Microlepia</b> Hispida . . . . .	3	6 00	
<b>Nephrodium</b> Hertipes . . . . .	2 1/4	4 00	35 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
<b>Nephrolepis</b> Bostoniensis . . . . .	2 1/4	5 00	40 00
" " . . . . .	3	8 00	70 00
" Cordata Compacta . . . . .	2 1/4	5 00	40 00
" Phillipense . . . . .	2 1/4	5 00	40 00
" " . . . . .	3	8 00	70 00
<b>Nipholobus</b> Lingua . . . . .	4	15 00	
<b>Onychium</b> Japonicum . . . . .	2 1/4	4 00	35 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
<b>Platyloma</b> Falcata . . . . .	3	6 00	
" " . . . . .	4	12 00	
<b>Polypodium</b> Aureum . . . . .	2 1/4	4 00	35 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
<b>Polystichum</b> Coriaceum . . . . .	2 1/4	6 00	50 00
" " . . . . .	3	8 00	
" Setosum . . . . .	2 1/4	5 00	40 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
<b>Pteris</b> Adiantoides . . . . .	2 1/4	3 00	25 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
" Argyrea . . . . .	2 1/4	3 50	30 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
" Cretica Alba Lineata . . . . .	2 1/4	3 50	30 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
" Magnifica . . . . .	2 1/4	3 50	35 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
" Hastata . . . . .	2 1/4	3 50	30 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
" Internata . . . . .	2 1/4	3 50	30 00
" Leptophylla . . . . .	2 1/4	3 50	30 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	
" Ouvrardii . . . . .	2 1/4	3 50	30 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
" Sieboldi . . . . .	2 1/4	3 50	30 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
" Tremula . . . . .	2 1/4	3 50	30 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
" Palmata . . . . .	2 1/4	3 50	30 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
" Wimsetti . . . . .	2 1/4	4 00	35 00
" " . . . . .	3	6 00	50 00
" Sitolobium cicutarium . . . . .	2 1/4	6 00	
" " . . . . .	3	8 00	
" Selaginella Emiliana . . . . .	2	3 50	30 00



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ARAUCARIA ROBUSTA COMPACTA.

**ARAUCARIA EXCELSA.**

[Norfolk Island Pine.]

Our stock of these is exceptionally large, generally in small and medium sizes, for which time it always a popular demand.

4 inch pots,	6 inches high,	2 tiers,	40 lbs. each.
4 "	8 "	2 "	50 "
5 "	12 "	3 "	75 "
6 "	20 to 22 "	4 "	5 to 15 "

**Araucaria Excelsa Glauca.**

5 inch pots,	8 inches high,	2 to 3 tiers,	75 cts. each.
6 "	12 "	3 "	\$1.25 "
7 "	18 "	leafy 4 "	1.75 "

**Araucaria Robusta Compacta.**

5-inch pots,	10 to 12 inches high,	3 tiers,	\$1.25 each.
6 "	14 to 15 "	3 "	1.50 "
7 "	15 "	leafy 3 "	2.50 "



ASPARAGUS SPRENGERI.

**Asparagus Sprengeri.**

This variety is becoming more popular every season, the demand during the past winter having been exceptionally strong.

3 inch pots,	75 cts. per doz ;	\$ 6 00 per 100.
5 "	\$2 00 "	15 00 "
6 "	3 50 "	25 00 "

**Asparagus Plumosus Nanus.**

A grand variety for cutting, either in strings or smaller pieces. We offer a fine lot of thirty plants.

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BEGONIA GLOIRE DE LORRAINE.

## NEW BEGONIAS.

**Gloire de Lorraine.** Undoubtedly the greatest gem in winter flowering Begonias yet introduced. It grows from 12 to 15 inches high, forming naturally graceful bushy specimens, which from October to April are completely smothered with soft rosy-pink flowers. It is an especially valuable plant for the holiday season. Plants less than 10 months old having been sold in 6-inch pots in the eastern cities last Christmas at from \$5.00 to \$10.00 each.

2 1/4 inch pots, \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

3 " " 2.00 " 15.00 "

4 " " 4.50 " 35.00 "

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4-in. pots, 10 to 12 in. high, \$4.00 per doz.; \$30.00 per 100.  
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A fine lot of well-colored plants in 6-inch pots, \$1.00 each.

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## Dreer's Double Petunias.

Our strain of Double Petunias is too well known to require special description. For many years this has been one of the specialties of our establishment, and again this season we have grown many thousands of seedlings from which our collection has been selected, embracing only such distinct fringed varieties and colors that are especially suited to the retail trade.

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## Montbretia Crocosmiæflora "Germania"

The new Montbretia has been under our observation for the past four years, when it first originated, and we are fully satisfied with the originator's description which follows herewith:

This splendid acquisition is the result of a cross between *Crocossmia amica* (imp.) and some varieties of Montbretia. The new plant inherited the vigorous growth of the Crocosmias, it, however, produces no offsets which characterize the Crocosmias, but possesses the dwarf and bushy growth of Montbretia Etoile de Feu. It grows about 3 1/2 feet high, is of sturdy habit, much branched and produces most graceful spikes in the greatest profusion. They are well furnished with large six-inch tall, widely expanded flowers, measuring over three inches across, probably the largest of the genus. The color is a rich glowing scarlet shading to brilliant orange, with a broad red throat. The buds and the reverse of the petals are blood red. A most striking combination of colors, making a grand object.

Nothing can excel the great display this lovely product when planted in masses, and as a single flower it is beautiful.

35 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

## New Hardy Giant Primrose

### PRIMULA VERIS SUPERBA

This is one of the good new things that occasionally turn up by chance. The plant originated a few years since in a batch of seedling Polyanthus, and apparently is a hybrid Primrose, having somewhat the growth of a Polyanthus combined with the yellow color and fragrance of the English Primrose.

In size of flower, it is fully three times as large as any hardy Primrose known to us, the average size of the flower being over one inch, and we have seen them frequently measuring over two inches with individual trusses of bloom six inches in diameter. It is perfectly hardy, grows from 10 to 12 inches high, and begins to flower earlier and continues in bloom longer than any other plant of the kind.

The plant is sufficient to insure its popularity as a plant for the garden, but its beauty and fragrance, and the fact that it is not only one of the easiest plants we know of to grow, but a plant that begins to flower during the winter and early spring months, and especially so when grown in pots, are its chief recommendations.

The flowers are of a rich yellow color, and I firmly believe, successively, being brought into a cool greenhouse to flower and then returned to the garden, will be a weeks time to bring them into full bloom. \$1.25 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

## Yucca Filamentosa Bicolor

This is a member with the common Yucca or Adam's Needle, a plant with evergreen foliage and tall spikes of sword-shaped flowers, which are produced in the greatest profusion during mid-summer. The only novelty here is added the additional charm of beautiful variegated foliage, the leaves being marked with irregularly white stripes. 35 cts. each; \$3.50 per doz.; \$25.00 per 100.



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