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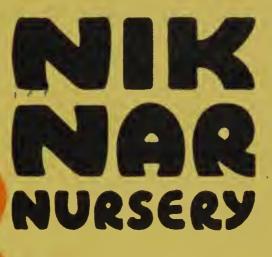
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ACONITUM *uncinatum* Climbing Monks Hood, 3 to 8', blue flowers in fall.

ACORUS calamus Sweet Flag, handsome foliage, bogs.

ALETRIS farinosa Colic Root, 12 to 15", spirels of white flowers, \$2 doz.

ALLIUM cernuum Nodding Onion, umbels of pink flowers, 1 to 2', \$2 doz.

album White form of above, \$2 doz.

tricoccum The Mountain Ramp, white flowers in umbels, 12".

ALSINE *pubera* Stitchwort, 6", covered with white star-like flowers in spring.

AMSONIA salicifolia Blue Milkweed, handsome foliage, light blue flowers in spring, 2'.

tabernaemontana Similar, but with large foliage. ANEMONELLA thalictroides. Rue Anemone, 6", many white flowers over a long period in spring, tuberous, \$2 doz.

AQUILEGIA canadensis Columbine, 18", red and yellow flowers.

ARISAEMA triphyllum Jack-in-the-Pulpit, 1 to 2', interesting hooded plants, bright red fruits in fall, \$2 doz.

ASARUM arifolium Arrowleaf Ginger, handsome evergreen foliage usually marbled, interesting brown flowers.

canadense Deciduous Ginger, large green leaves, good as ground cover.

heterophylla Bladder-like "jugs" of brown.

shuttleworthi Large Bloom Ginger, largest "jugs" of any of the gingers, handsome foliage.

virginicum Evergreen Foliage, usually marbled.

ASCLEPIAS *tuberosa* Butterfly Weed, large heads of bright orange flowers in summer, 1 to 2'.

ASTER mixed, all colors, mass plantings, \$1.50 doz.

novae-angliae Bright rosy purple flowers in large clusters, very handsome, 3 to 4'. novae-angliae alba—rare form of above.

ASTIBLE *biternata* False Goats Beard, 4', panicles of cream white flowers.

BAPTISA alba Beautiful pure white fls 2 to 3', 50c.

australis Blue Indigo, handsome sprays of peashaped flowers, excellent foliage all summer, 2'.

tinctoria Lemon yellow flowers, 2'.

BELAMCANDA chinensis Blackberry Lily, bright orange red flowers heavily blotched with brown, escape, 2'.

CAMPANULA divaricata Mountain Bellflower, mists of tiny blue bells in summer.

CAREX fraseri Old Man's Beard, handsome straplike foliage, mists of white flowers on 2' stems.

CASSIA marylandica Wild Senna, panicles of bright yellow flowers, brown stamens, very handsome, 3'.

CAULOPHYLLUM thalictroides Blue Cohosh, excellent foliage, bright blue berries in fall, 2'.

CHAMAELIRIUM *leteum* Fairy Wand, spikes of white flowers of great beauty, 2'.

CHELONE chlorantha Handsome white flowers, 2', very rare, 35c.

lyoni Showy pink flowers in summer, 2'.

CHIMAPHILA maculata Spotted Wintergreen, waxy white flowers, 6", \$1.50 doz.

CHROSPERMA muscaetoxicum Crow Poison, grasslike foliage, white flowers,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2'.

CHRYSOGONUM virginianum Rough foliage, bright yellow flower heads, 6".

CIMICIFUGA racemosa Black Snakeroot, white spires, 4 to 6'.

CLAYTONIA Carolina. White flower with pink stripes. Broad foliage. Very rare, 35c.

virginica Spring Beauty, grasslike foliage, pink flowers for long period, 4", bulbous, \$1.50 doz.

CLINTONIA umbellulata Blue Beads, umbels of white flowers, spotted brown, handsome foliage, 8". CONVALLARIA majalis Lily-of-the-Valley, spikes of fragrant white flowers, 8", orange fruits in fall. COREOPSIS lanceolata Bright yellow flowers all summer, 2'.

pubescens Similar, but dwarf, 8 to 12".

saxicola 3 ft. Very handsome foliage and showy flowers. The best, 35c.

tripteris Golden yellow flowers.

CUTHBERTIA graminea A most excellent plant for rock gardens. Bright, rosy flowers on 4" stems nearly all summer. Similar to "Spiderworts." A real treasure, 35c.

rosea Somewhat larger than above. Deep rose colored flowers.

DELPHINUM tricorne Mountain Larkspur, bright blue flowers, 12", \$2 doz.

DENTARIA *diphylla* Toothwort, white flowers on 6" stems, \$2 doz.

furcata Small foliage, root stocks monoiliform.

DICENTRA canadense Squirrel Corn, panicles of white and yellow flowers, 12", \$1.50 doz.

cucullaria Dutchman's Breeches, panicles of pink and white flowers, 12", \$1.50 doz.

eximia Plumy Bleeding Hart, beautiful foliage all summer and sprays of pink flowers continuously, 12 to 20'.

DIONAEA muscipula Venus' Flytrap, interesting bog plants.

DISPORUM maculatum Fairy Bells (Prosartes) nodding white bells with brown spots, bright orange fruits in fall.

DODECATHEON *hugeri* Shooting Star, pure white flowers with brown eye on 2' stems. One of our choicest plants.

DRABA ramosissima Whitlow Grass, sheets of white flowers for a long period in spring, beautiful grey foliage all year. A real treasure 6".

EPIGAEA repens Trailing Arbutus, pink waxlike flowers in March, 4". EUPHORBIA corollata Flowering Spurge flowers like "Baby's Breath" in summer. Excellent, 2'. ERIGERON pulchellus Robin's Plantain, clusters of mauve daisies, 12".

ERYNGIUM *yuccifolium* Sea Holly, heads of white thistlelike flowers, 2'.

ERYTHRONIUM americanum Trout Lily, Yellow lily-like flowers, beautiful marbled foliage, 6", \$2 doz.

#### FERNS

ADIANTUM pedatum Maiden Hair.

ANCHISTEA virginica Virginia Chain Fern.

ASPLENIUM filix foemina Lady Fern.

, parvulum Small Spleenwort.

platyneuron Ebony Spleenwort.

\* pycnocarpon Narrow-leaf Spleenwort.

, trichomanes Maiden-hair Spleenwort.

BOTRYCHUM obliquum Oblique Grape Fern. virginianum Rattlesnake Fern.

CHEILANTHES alabamensis. Very rare, 35c each.

lanosa Hairy Lip Fern.

COMPTONIA rhizaphyllus Walking fern. Rare. tomentosa Wooly Lip Fern.

CYSTOPTERIS fragilis Fragile Bladder Fern. DRYOPTERIS goldiana Goldie's Fern.

marginalis Marginal Shield Fern.

noveboracensis New York Fern.

LYGODIUM palmatum Climbing Fern. Rare, 35c each.

ONOCLEA sensibilis Sensitive Fern.

OSMUNDA cinnamomea Cinnamon Fern. claytoniana Clayton's Fren.

regalis Royal Fern.

PELLAEA atropurpurea Purple Cliffbrake. Rare. PHEGOPTERIS hexagonoptera Broad Beech Fern.

POLYPODIUM polypodioides Gray's Polypody. vulgare Common Polypody. -POLYSTICHUM acrostichoides Christmas Fern. PTERIS aquilina Bracken.

WOODSIA obtusa Obtuse Woodsia. scopulina Buff stemmed Woodsia.

GALAX aphylla Handsome evergreen leaves, white flowers 12".

GALEGA officinalis Goat's Rue, peashaped flowers, 2'.

GAULTHERIA procumbens Aromatic Wintergreen, handsome evergreen creper, red berries in fall, 4".

GENTIANA andrewsi Closed Gentian, deep blue bottles 12".

decora Bright blue flowers, bogs.

*latifolia* Large bright purplish-blue flowers, usually in clusters, very handsome and showy, 1', 35c.

prophyrio Intense blue, one of the most choice plants, 50c.

GERANIUM maculatum Wild Geranium, lavender blossoms, 12", \$2 doz.

GILLENIA trifoliata Indian Physic, white starlike blosoms on red stems, very attractive, 2'.

HELENIUM autumnale Sneezewood, bright yellow flowers in fall, 2'.

HELONIAS hullata Swamp Hyacinth, pink spikes with blue stamens 12", bogs, 35c.

HEPATICA americana Liverwort, foliage handsomely marbled, flowers usually blue, 4", \$2 doz.

acutiloba Leaves with acute lobes, flowers usually white, 6", foliage also marbled, \$2 doz.

HEUCHERA americana Wild Alum Root, handsome marbled foliage, feathery spikes of white, 2'. villosa Large foliage and blooms in fall.

HOUSTONIA caerulea The common "Bluet" skyblue, 4".

longifolia Purple flowers, 6". montana Bright pink flowers, 4". purpurea Purple flowers, 6 to 12".

serpyllifolia Evergreen ground cover, sky blue flowers.

HYMENOCALLIS occidentalis Spider Lily, gorgeous white lilies with spidery effect, very fragrant, 2', \$1.50 each.

crassifolia With smaller flowers, likes bogs, 15", \$1 each.

HYPOXIS hirsuta Yellow Star Grass, bright yellow flowers all summer, 6", bulbous, \$2 doz.

IRIS cristata Crested Iris, sky blue flowers in abundance, 4", \$2 doz.

cristata alba Pure white form of above, choice 50c each or \$1 per clump.

prismatica Cube Seed Iris, pale blue on wiry stems, prefers bogs but will grow in dry soil.

*pseudacorus* Escaped Yellow Flag, similar to Siberian.

verna Purple with yellow throat, fragrant, 4". versicolor Pale blue, prefers damp places, 2'.

tripetala Savanah Iris, Blue with yellow and purple markings, 12".

LIATRIS helleri Dwarf Gayfeather, purple spikes, 8-18".

paucifolia Spikes of light purple flowers.

pychnostachys From the Middle West, handsome spikes of purple, 4".

scariosa Branched Gayfeather, two weeks later than above, large indidvidual flowers on 4' spikes.

spicata Spiked Gayfeather, spikes of purple, 3'. LOBELLA cardinalis The Cardinal Flower, in-

tense red flowers, 2' bogs.

syphilitica As blue as the above is red, 2', bogs. LYCOPODIUM lucidulum Shining Club Moss, 3" pots.

obscurum Turkey Brush.

selago Fire club moss, 2" tufts of dark green spines. Likes moisture.

tristachyum Similar to Christmas Green but

stems creep beneath the ground, very handsome. 50c.

LYSIMACHIA nummularia Creeping Charlie, escaped; evergreen trailer with yellow flowers.

MARSHALLIA grandiflora Very handsome scabiosa-like flowers in lavender. 2'.

MELANTHIUM virginicum Va. Bunch-flowers, very showy clusters of flowers in summer, 3'.

MERTENSIA virginica Virginia Bluebells, beautiful blue flowers in spring, 18".

MANFREDA virginica False Aloe, handsome succulent foliage, cream flowers.

MIMULUS ringens Monkey Flower, grinning blue flowers in summer, 2 to 4'. MITCHELLA repens Turkey Berry, excellent

MITCHELLA repens Turkey Berry, excellent evergreen ground cover, red berries in fall, 1".

MITELLA *diphylla* Bishop's Cap, 12" spikes of white capshaped flowers, good foliage.

MONARDA didyma Oswego Tea, red flowers, 2'. *fistulosa* Horse Mint, purple flowers, 3'.

MYOSOTIS *palustris* Forget-Me-Not, escaped, likes bogs.

NEPETA hederacea Ground Ivy, excellent ground cover, purple flowers.

NOTHOSCORDUM *bivalve* Bulbous plants similar to onions but without alliaceous odor, white flowers, purple stripe on reverse of petals, 12".

OPUNTIA opuntia Prickly Pear, spiny cacti, yellow, 6".

#### ORCHIDS

APLECTRUM hyemale Putty Root, handsome grey-green leaf in winter, cream flowers in summer, 2'.

CYPRIPEDIUM acaule Pink Moccasin Flower, showy pink slippers.

parviflorum Small yellow Ladyslipper, golden yellow.

GOODYERA pubescens Rattlesnake Plantain,

beautifully marbled leaves, white flowers in summer, 8".

HABENARIA ciliaris Yellow fringed orchid. Very showy.

nivae The Savannah orchid. Lovely white spikes of flowers, 12-18", 50c each.

clavellata Small greenish-white flowers.

cristata Crested Orchid, deep yellow, 35c each.

LIMODORUM tuberosum Grass Pink, showy rose-pink flowers.

LIPARIS *liliifolia* Twayblade, small purple flowers.

ORCHIS spectabilis Showy Orchis, lavender and white.

SPIRANTHES cernua Ladies Tresses, spirals of white.

TIPULARIA *unifolia* Crane-fly Orchid, one green leaf lined with purple in winter, purple flowers, sumer.

ORNITHOGALUM unbellatum Star-of-Bethlehern, escaped, beautiful white flowers in umbels, 4". OXALIS stricta Common Wood Sorrel of the road sides, yellow, 3".

violacea Sour Grass, cluster of violet flowers, 4", bulbous.

PARNASSIA caroliniana Grass of Panassus, handsome white flowers on wiry stems in fall, 12", bogs, 35c.

grandifolia Similar to above but larger leaves. Very choice and rare, 50c.

PARONYCHIA argyrocoma Silver Wort, soft, grey silk foliage resembling phlox subulata, small white flowers, 4", sun.

PASSIFLORA incarnata Crucifixion Plant, 3' vine, large blue flowers, edible fruits.

lutea Yellow flowers.

PENTSTEMON hirsutus Beard Tongue, showy purple flowers in summer, 12".

#### PHLOX

#### Mossy Types:

NIVALIS Similar to the subulates but more compact and blooms two weeks later.

Anne Knight Straggly growth, lavender.

Col. Moore Sheet of pure white flowers.

Mary Alice Pale pink with red eye, completely covering the foliage. Very neat.

Sir Guilford Large, bright pink blossoms with red eye. Very showy and handsome.

SUBULATA alba Pure white.

australis Small rosy pink flowers.

lilacena Rampant grower, lavender flowers.

rosea Bright rose flowers, red eye.

rosea red The brightest red we have. Showy. wilsoni Compact growth, blue.

vivid Slow growing, salmon pink, very choice.

#### Various Types:

AMOENA Hairy Phlox, true species rosy red flowers, 12".

AMPLIFOLIA True phlox color, large leaves, 2-3'.

CAROLINA Common thru our mountains, 2 to 3'. DIVARICATA CANADENSIS Lavender Flowers, 12".

OVATA Bright rose flowers, 12 to 16".

pulchra A new variety of ovata and by far the most beautiful of our native phlox. Large heads of soft pink, 1', \$1.00 each.

PILOSA Clusters of rose-pink flowers, 15". STOLONIFERA Large violet flowers, 6".

PHYSOSTEGIA virginiana False Dragon-head, pink flowers on 2' spikes.

PODOPHYLLUM *peltatum* May Apple, large leaves with nodding cream-colored flowers, fragrant. POLEMONIUM *reptans* Jacob's Ladder, beautiful blue bellshaped flowers in spring, 6".

POLYGONATUM biflorum Dwarf Solomon's Seal, cream-colored flowers.

commutatum Giant Solomon's Seal, often 4' tall. POTENTILLA tridentata White Cinquefoil, shrubby, evergreen foliage and white flowers, 6". PROSARTES See Disporum.

PYXIDANTHERA barbulata Pixie Moss, white flowers, 1", rare and difficult, 35c each.

brevifolia Smaller form, 35c each.

SAGITTARIA graminea White waxlike flowers, 6", bogs.

latifolia Arrowheads, handsome foliage plants, waxlike flowers, 2', bogs.

SANGUINARIA *canadensis* Bloodroot, showy white flowers as the leaves appear, 6".

SARRACENIA *flava* Pitcher Plant, large pitchers and yellow flowers, 2', bogs.

jonesi Small trumpets, red flowers, 1'.

minor The pitchers have "glass windows," choice, yellow, 12" 35c each.

purpurea The Sidesaddle Plant, red flowers. rubra Bright trumpets, Red flowers, 8".

SAXIFRAGA micranthilifolia Lettuce Saxifrage, white flowers, 2', bogs.

petiolaris The fall blooming saxifrage, two lower petals having yellow spots on them, 6 to 12".

virginiensis Sprays of white flowers in spring, 6 to 12".

SCUTELLARIA nervosa Large coarse leaves, Bright blue flowers, 1 to 2'.

pilosa Dark blue flowers.

incana 1 to 2' tall blue flowers.

serrata Showy Scullcap, gorgeous sky blue flowers, 12".

SEDUM nevi Cliff Stonecrop, gray rosettes, white flowers, 4".

pulchellum Bright green and red foliage in winter, rhodiola roanensis Handsome blue-grey foliage, reddish flowers in summer, very rare, 50c each. *telephiloides* 8 to 12" tall, pale pink or white.

*ternatum* Best ground cover in shade, white, 4". SHORTIA galacifolia Oconee Bells, one of the choicest native plants, white bells on 6" stems. Very rare.

SILENE caroliniana Bright pink flowers, very choice and beautiful, 50c.

ovata Catchfly, white flowers on 2' stems. stellata White fringed flowers, 2'.

virginica Fire Pink, fiery red stars, excellent, 12". SISYRINCHIUM anqustifolium Blue - Eyed Grass, grasslike foliage, bright blue flowers, 12". SMILACINA racemosa False Solomon's Seal, clusters of white flowers at tip of stem 2'.

SPIGELIA marylandica Carolina Pink Root, bright red tubular flowers lined with yellow, very good, 12".

THALICTRUM dioicum Meadow Rue, cream colored flowers, 1'.

polygamum Tall Meadow Rue, handsome foliage, 4'.

THERMOPSIS caroliniana Yellow Lupine, spikes of bright yellow flowers, 4'.

TIARELLA cordifolia Foam Flower, panicles of misty white flowers, very good, 1'.

species A' new species found by Dr. Wherry. Large panicles of white flowers. Grows very compact and does not spread by runners like T. cordifolia, \$1 each.

TOFIELDIA glabra Racemes of white flowers in fall, 18". Very rare.

racemosa Spikes of white flowers in spring and summer.

TRADESCANTIA brevicaulis Spiderwort, bright rose flowers, 6".

virginiana Purple flowers, 2'.

virginiana alba White flowers, 35c each.

TRILLIUM catesbaei Wake Robin, small rose-

pink flowers.

cernuum Noddling Trillium, white.

discolor Petals broadly spatulate, one always cupped, cream, mottled foliage, our rarest Trillium, 35c each.

erectum Cream to purple flowers.

grandiflorum Snow Trillium, white fading pink. hugeri Marbled foliage, deep purple.

*luteum* Yellow flowers, marbled foliage, rare, 35c each.

simile Large white flowers with dark ovary. Very handsome.

sessile Green foliage with reddish brown flowers. undulatum Painted Lady, white with pink markings.

vaseyi The giant of our mountain trilliums, Broad petals of dark maroon. Rare, 35c.

UVULARIA grandiflora Golden-Bells, bright yellow bells, excellent foliage all summer, 2'.

perfoliata Cream Bells with yellow stripe on each petal, 1'.

sessilifolia Merry Bells, Glossy green foliage, cream bells, S".

VERATRUM *viride* Indian Poke, false Hellebore, handsome foliage, cream flowers, 2'.

VIOLA affinis Large light blue flowers. Uncommon.

canadensis White with lavender reverse.

hastata Yellow flowers, brittle rhizomes.

eriocarpa Smooth yellow violet.

palmata Deep blue flowers.

papilionacea Common blue violet.

pedata Bird's foot Violet, light blue, large.

peddata bicolor Upper petals bright purple, lower blue.

primulifolia Small white flowers. pubescens Yellow flowers with purple stripes.

rostrata Blue with long spurs.

rotundifolia Large foliage, yellow flowers.

striata Creamy-white, purple lines. One of the best.

villosa Marbled foliage, blue.

walteri Small blue flowers, choice and rare, 35c each.

YUCCA filamentosa Adam's Needle, spike of white bell-shaped flowers in summer, 2'.

ZEPHYRANTHES atamasco Meadow Lily, Grass like foliage, with fading pink, 12", fragrant.

#### DECIDUOUS SHRUBS & TREES

AESCULUS *pavia* Dwarf Red Buckeye, clusters of orange-red flowers followed by "buckeyes" in fall, 2 to 3', \$1 each.

AMELANCHIER, *canadensis* Service Berry, mists of white flowers in spring, edible fruits in summer, 2 to 3'; \$1 each.

AMORPHA fruticosa Locust like foliage, purple flowers, 2-3', 75c each.

montana Similar to above but more glaucus, 2-3', 75c each.

ARONIA arbutifolia Beautiful white flowers, bright red berries in fall, 2 to 3', 75c.

nigra Black Choke Berry, 1 to 2', 50c.

ASIMINA *triloba* Papaw Large fragrant fruits, 2-3', 75c each.

AZALEA aborescens Sweet Azalea, white fragrant flowers,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2', \$1.00.

calendulacea Flame Azalea, from cream to orange and almost red, 2 to 3', \$1 each.

canescens Mountain Azalea, bright, clear pink,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2', \$1.50.

nudiflora Wild Honeysuckle, showy pink flowers before the leaves appear  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2', \$1.

vaseyi Shell-pink Azalea, gorgeous pink flowers marked with green,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2', \$2.

viscosa Swamp Azalea, fragrant white flowers, 1 to 2', \$1. BACCHARIS *halimifolia* Dark green foliage, showy white pappus in fall. Handsome 2-3', 75c. CALLICARPA *americana* Lavender flowers in summer, bright violet fruits in fall, 2-3', 75c.

CALYCANTHUS *floridus* Sweet-Shrub, fragrant chocolate-colored/ flowers, 2 to 3', 75c.

CATALPA speciosa Handsome flowers, cream marked with orange, 2 to 3', 75c.

CEANOTHUS americanus Jersey Tea, mists of white flowers in summer, 25c.

CERCIS canadensis Red Bud, rose pea-shaped flowers before leaves appear, 3 to 4', 75c.

CHIONANTHUS virginica Fringe Tree, fleecy white flowers in spring,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3', \$1.

CLADRASTRIS *lutea* Yellow wood. Large loosely clustered campanulate shaped flowers, 1', 50c. CLETHRA *acuminata* Sweet Pepper Bush, fragrant white flowers in late summer, 3', \$1.

alnifolia Similar to above, 2', \$1.

COMPTONIA asplenifolia Sweet Fern. Fernlike foliage, fragrant when bruised,  $1\frac{1}{2}$ -2', 50c.

CORNUS alternifolia White flowers, dark blue fruit, 2-3', 75c.

amomum Silky Dogwood. Bright purple branches clusters of white flowers followed by blue fruits, 3', 75c.

florida Dogwood, showy white flowers, bright red fruits in fall, 2 to 3', 75c.

floridus, fl. pl. A double form of our common dogwood. Grafted plants, 2-3', \$2.00; 3-4', \$3.50.

rosea Pink dogwood. Grafted plants 2-3', \$2.00; 3-4', \$3.50.

stolonifera Flowers and fruits white, 2-3', 75c. CYRILLA racemiflora Racemes of white flowers,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2', \$1.

DIRCA *palustris* Leatherwood, clusters of 2 to 4 cream flowers in spring, cannot break the wood,  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , 75c.

EUONYMUS americana Strawberry bush. Bright

orange fruits in fall, 75c.

atropurpurea Wahoo; Upright shrub or tree. Scarlet fruits, 2-3', 75c.

FOTHERGILLA alnifolia Clusters of white stamens in balls before the leaves appear, 6", 50c. monticola Large heads of white stamens. Foliage a golden vellow in fall, \$1.

pavifolia Similar, but older plants, 1-11/2', \$1... FRANKLINIA (GORDONIA) altamaha White fragrant flowers (3" across) from August until November. Rare.  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2', \$2.50; 2 to 3', \$5; 3 to 41/2', \$7.50.

FRAXINUS americanus White Ash. Panicles of showy winged fruits in summer, 2-3', 75c.

HALESIA carolina Silver Bells, white bells spotted with red, 2 to 3', 75c; 3 to 4', \$1.

diptera Smaller, both as to tree and flowers, than above, 3 to 4', \$1.00.

HAMAMELIS virginiana Witch Hazel, vellow flowers in fall, 2 to 3', 75c.

HYDRANGEA aborescens Mountain Hydrangea, white, 2 to 3', 50c.

quercifolia Oak-leaved Hydrangea, white flowers in large panicles, 2 to 3', 75c.

radiata Leaves of pure white underneath, heads of white flowers, 2 to 3', 50c.

HYPERICUM aspalathoides Dwarf St. John's Wort, sheets of orange-yellow flowers in summer. (Looks like a yellow phlox subulata.) 6", 75c.

aureum Large golden blossoms. Very choice, 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> to 2', \$1.

prolificum Common yellow hypericum, 2-3', 75c. buckleyi Handsome shrubby plants, semi-ever-

green, golden yellow flowers in summer, 6", \$1. densiflorum Dense clusters bright yellow for a long period of time, excellent, 1 to 2', 75c.

glomeratum Deep yellow flowers in summer, very rare and choice,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2', \$1.50.

ILEX monticola Mountain Winter Berry, bright

red fruits in winter, 1 to 2', 50c.

verticillata Virginia Winterberry, showy red fruits in fall, 1 to 2', 50c.

ITEA virginica Virginia Willow, terminal racemes of fragrant white flowers,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2', \$1.

LEUCOTHOE recurva White bell-shaped flowers in spring,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2', 75c.

MAGNOLIA acuminate Cucumber Tree, fragrant white flowers in summer, bright red fruits in fall, 2 to 3', 75c.

fraseri Ear-leaved Umbrella Tree, very handsome and rare, 2 to 3', \$1.

tripetala Umbrella Tree. Large white flowers, scarlet fruits, 75c.

MALUS glabrata North Carolina Crabapple, bright pink flowers, 2 to 3', 75c.

MENZIESIA *pilosa* Sprays of white flowers in spring, 2 to 3', \$1.

MYRICA carolinensis Byberry, semi-evergreen shrubs with fragrant foliage, 1 to 2', 75c.

cerifera Wax Myrtle, larger foliage, 75c.

qale Fragrant catkins end of branches, red fruit, 75c.

PAULOWNIA tomentosa Empress Tre, handsome purple flowers in summer, 3 to 4', \$1.

PEIRIS mariana Racemes of white to red bell shaped flowers in spring, 1', 75c.

PHILADELPHUS grandiflorous Large white flowers with yellow stamens, 2 to 3', \$1.

latifolius Large flowers in leafy racemes, 3-4' \$1. ROBINIA boyntoni Spineless Pink Locust, racemes of bright pink flowers, 2 to 3', rare, \$1.

hispida Common Pink Locust, bright pink peashaped flowers, 2 to 3', 75c.

RHUS capallina, Dwarf or mountain sumac; handsome foliage bright red fruits, 2', 75c.

glabra Scarlet sumac; glossy foliage, red fruits, 2-3', 75c.

typhina Staghorn Sumac, large clusters of bright

red fruits in fall, 3-4', 75c.

SORBUS americana American Mt. Ash, glistening red fruits in fall,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2', \$1.

SPIRAEA corymbosa Large heads of rose colored flowers, 50c.

tomentosa Steeple-Brush, Spikes of pink flowers, 2', 50c.

STEWARTIA malachodendron Summer Dogwood, large white flowers in summer, extremely rare,  $1\frac{1}{2}-2^{2}$ , \$2; 2-3', \$5.00.

pentagyna Very showy white fls July, 2-3', \$1.50. VIBURNUM, aceifolium Maple Leaf Viburnum, white flowers, black fruit, 2 to 3', 75c.

cassinoides Clusters of white flowers, blue fruits, 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$ , 75c.

prunifolium Fruits bluish-black, 2 to 3', \$1.

VITEX agnus-castus Escape from Europe, blue flowers in summer, 1', 50.c.

ZENOBIA cassinifolia. Honey cup, white pendent bells in great numbers, very handsome, 1-2', \$1.

pulverulenta Leaves, are covered with a white "bloom" underneath, very choice, 1-2', \$1.

#### EVERGREEN SHRUBS & TREES

ARCTOSTAYPHLOS *uva-ursi* Bear Berry, pink bell-shaped flowers, spring, red fruits, fall, 6" spread, 50c.

ASCYRUM hypericoides St. Peter's Wort, bright yellow flowers, 6", 50c.

CHAMAEDAPHNE calyculata Leather Leaf, small, nodding white flowers, 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , 75c.

CLINOPODIUM carolinianum. One of the best rock garden shrubs, bright lavender flowers, on spikes in Sept, very fragrant when foliage is crushed, 12', \$1.

DENDRIUM *buxifolium* Handsome shrubs, white flowers in spring, 6 to 8", \$1.

hugeri Beautiful pink buds opening white in spring, 4", pots, \$1.

prostratum Prostrate form from the high mountains, 4 to 6", \$1.00.

HUDSONIA montana Spiny leaves, bright yellow flowers in spring, very difficult, 6", \$1.

ILEX glabra Ink Berry, glossy foliage, black fruit, 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , 75c.

opaca American Holly, 1 to 2', \$1.

vomitoria Glabrous foliage, bright red fruits, 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-2', \$2.

JUNIPERUS *nana*. Very prostrate evergreen, unusual and beautiful, 1 to 2', spread, \$1.50.

KALMIA angustifolia Sheep Laurel, pink fls, 1-2', 50c.

carolina Deeper in color, more tomentose,  $1\frac{1}{2}-2$ ', \$1.50.

latifolia Common Laurel, 2 to 3', \$1.

LEUCOTHOE acuminata Glossy green foliage, white fls. in racemes, 1 to 2', very choice and rare, \$1.

axillaris Downy Leucothoe, foliage turns purple in winter, 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , \$1.

Catesbaei. Common one, found near streams, 2', \$1.

OSMANTHUS americana American Olive, handsome glossy foliage, fragrant white fls., very rare, 2-3', \$2.50.

PACHYSTIMA *canbyi*. Excellent ground cover for dense shade, 6", 50c.

PIERIS *floribunda* Andromeda, white flowered panicles at tips of branches, 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$ , \$1.50.

RHODODENDRON carolinianum Very early, white to pink blossoms,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2', \$1.

catawbiense Purple Rhododendron, huge clusters of lavender-pink flowers in June, 2 to 3', \$2.

maximum The common Rhododendron in the mountains, pale pink flowers, 2 to 3', \$1.50.

punctatum Bright pink flowers, late, 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$ , \$1.50.

TSUGA canadensis Canada Hemlock, well known tree, 2 to 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>', \$1. caroliniana The handsomest evergreen tree we

caroliniana The handsomest evergreen tree we have, 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$ , \$2.

VACCINUM crassifolium Evergreen Huckleberry excellent ground cover, vinelike shrub, flower roséred and companulate, 6", \$1.

nitidum Flowers rosy-red, fruits black, rare 2-3' \$1.

#### VINES

ARISTOLOCHIA macrophylla Dutchman's Pipe vine, interesting flowers, fast grower, 25c.

BIGNONIA radicans Trumpet Flower, bright orange flowers, 25c.

CELASTRUS scandens Bittersweet, heavy clumps, 50c.

CLEMATIS virginica Sheets of white flowers in summer, 25c.

viorna Purple urn shaped flowers 1" across, 35c. coccinea Bright red flowers. An excellent plant for a trellis, 50c.

COCCULUS carolinus Masses of glistening red berries in fall, grows to 12', 50c.

DECUMARIA *barbara* Climbing Hydrangea, fragrant white fls., semi-evergreen, very rare, 4" pots, \$1.

GELSEMIUM sepervirens Carolina Jessamine, large fragrant yellow flowers in spring, very beautiful, 50c.

#### OTHER FLOWERING SHRUBS

ABELIA grandiflora Glossy evergreen leaves, pink flowers all summer. 2-3', 50c.

ALBIZZIA julibrissia (Mimosa) Tufts of pink and yellow flowers in summer 2-3', 50c.

ALTHEA Boule de Feu Double red, 2-3', 50c.

Jeanne de Arc Double white, 2-3', 50c.

BERBERIS thunbergi atropurpurea Red Leaf Barberry, 2', 75c.

BUDDLEA *alnifolia* Sheets of soft lavender flowers in spring, blooms on last years wood, 2-3', 50c.

magnifica Full panicles of lavender flowers all summer, 2-3', 50c.

CARYOPTERIS *incana* (Blue Spirea) Cymes of blue flowers in September, 2', 50c.

CEANOTHUS Gloire de Varsailles Panicles of bright blue flowers practically all summer. One of our most outstanding shrubs, 2-3', \$1.50.

CORNUS luteus Yellow Bark Dogwood, 2-3', 50c. sanguinea Blood Twig Dogwood, white flowers,

black fruit, 2-3', 50c.

siberica Red Stem Dogwood, blue fruits, 2-3', 50c.

COTONEASTER horizantalis Evergreen prostrate shrubs, pink buds opening white, bright red fruits, 18-24" spread, \$1.00.

ESCALLONIA Handsome waxy white and pink flowers in spring. A real beauty. Tip burns some winters, \$1.00.

EXOCHORDA grandiflora Pearl Bush, large pure white flowers in spring. Very good 2-3', 50c. GINKGO triloba (Maidenhair Tree) Handsome, with lacelike foliage, 2', 75c.

HYPERICUM calycinum Bright golden flowers in late spring, 1-2', 50c.

moserianum Herbaceus 2' shrub, golden flowers in late summer, 50c.

olympicum Excellent rock shrub, long blooming season, 6", 50c.

KOLWITZIA *amabilis* Beauty Bush, great masses of pink flowers in spring, 2-3', 75c.

KOELREUTERIA *panicullata* (Golden Rain Tree) Panicles of bright yellow fls., in summer, 2-3', \$1.50.

LILACS French Hybrids ,all 2-3', \$1.00 each.

Charles Doly.

Belle de Nancy--rose.

Madam Lemoine, double white.

President Grevy, double blue.

MALUS (Flowering Crab-Apple) Bechtel. Large pink flowers, 2-3', \$1.00.

PHILADELPHUS coronarius (Sweet Mock Orange) Fragrant white flowers in June, 2-3', 50c. nivalis White Flowers in May and June, 2-3', 50c.

Mont Blanche Dwarf double flowering mock orange, 2-3', 50c.

PYRACANTHA coccinea Glossy evergreen foliage with orange fruits, 2-3', \$1.00.

RHODOTYPUS kerroides Handsome white flowers in summer, 2-3', 75c.

SPIREA Anthony Waterer Bright crimson heads, 2-3', 50c.

billardi Panicles of bright rose nearly all summer, 2-3', 50c.

callosa rosea Corombs of rose colored flowers. 2', 50c.

SYMPHORICARPUS *racemosa* (Snowberry) Handsome white berries in fall, 2', 50c.

VITEX agnes castea Blue flowers in late summer, 50c.

Macraphylla Large leaf vitex, 50c.

negundo var incisia Blue Flowers in late summer, very good, 2-3', 50c.

WEIGELIA amabilis Abundance of pink flowers, 2-3', 50c.

Mme. Lemoine Deep pink flowers, 2-3', 50c.

variegata Pink fls., variegated leaves, 2-3', 50c.

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#### TRILLIUM DISCOLOR



Trillium Discolor, perhaps the rarest of the species, is used for our 1937 cover design. A delicate cream color in the petals is accentuated by stamens almost black against the handsomely marbled foliage in dark and light green.

Trilliums are among our best plants for shadowy woodlands and very easy to grow. Nik-Nar will gladly ship any of the eleven species listed herein from their own nurseries in Asheville, North Carolina.

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