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# HUGONIS

## “GOLDEN ROSE OF CHINA”

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AN altogether different Shrub, bearing no resemblance to any American species or “wild Rose,” this Chinese native is a notable contribution to American gardens. Every branch of the previous year’s growth is, in late April or early May, closely set on both sides to the very tip with exquisitely beautiful, single, clear *yellow* flowers, almost concealing the foliage. The flowers are really and truly yellow, not merely primrose or straw color.

The long, arching sprays make Hugonis not only a beautiful shrub, to be planted, if one so prefers, with other shrubs, but when cut are charming as table decorations. The crepe-like blooms harmonize with snowy linen and silver.

The Hugonis Shrub makes a symmetrical bush about 6 feet wide and high when matured. The beautiful reddish maroon growths spring from the roots and are in themselves most attractive. In late fall the foliage turns to a pleasing purple.

This “Golden Rose of China” is ruggedly hardy everywhere in America. It needs neither protection nor pruning, save in the occasional cutting out of the older shoots. Each spring the previous year’s growth of graceful maroon wands will be laden with curving branches of golden loveliness.

Should be planted as a specimen, or grouped in a planting of shrubbery—also makes a fine flowering hedge.

Do not plant it among Roses as it is too vigorous in growth to fit in such a planting.

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Prices for 2-Year Dormant Plants:  
\$2 each; \$20 per dozen

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**ROSA HUGONIS: "Golden Rose of China"**

Covered with single yellow bloom in early spring. Grows like and should be planted as a shrub. See other side for detailed description