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To Nurserymen, Florists and Seedsmen.

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Issued Monthly. Sent only to those in the trade. We do not solicit subscriptions. If you value THE PRACTICAL NURSERYMAN, please accept it with our compliments. Our circulation covers a list of 2,300 selected names of customers and correspondents, made up through many years of active wholesale business. Every name represents a buyer of nursery stock, and this list contains only the names of those who buy at wholesale.

Advertisements 10c. a line agate; \$20.00 a page; one-half page \$10.00; one-fourth page \$5.00. Advertisements must be received one week before the day of publication. Advertisements for less than \$5.00 will not be accepted. Discounts: 3 times 5 per cent.; 6 times 10 per cent.; 12 times 25 per cent.

The circulation of this Journal will be confined strictly to Nurserymen, Florists and Seedsmen, and only invited advertisements of articles pertaining specially to these trades will be inserted.

### Hardness of the Wickson Plum.

S. A. Beach, New York Experiment Station, writes to the Orange Judd Farmer as follows: Wickson, the new Japanese cross-bred plum which was originated by Luther Burbank, California, and first fruited by him about 1893, has been successfully fruited in New York, and is attracting the favorable attention of nurserymen and fruit-growers. Some of the features which recommend it for testing by those who are interested in plum culture are its extremely large size, fine flavor, good quality and attractive color. Even when picked rather green it colors and ripens well. The skin is thick and uniformly colored with red shaded with reddish purple. It was produced by crossing Kelsey with Burbank. Like Burbank, it is a cling, with amber-yellow flesh, juicy, yet so firm that it keeps and ships well.

C. P. Close produced some of this fruit in an orchard near Seneca Lake, in Western New York. The fruit was borne the past season on grafts which were set three years ago. The fruit reaches a diameter of  $2\frac{1}{4}$  inches. It bears the largest fruit of any Japanese plum which has yet been introduced that is hardy in New York. At the Geneva, N. Y., experiment station grafts which were set in 1895 survived the exceptionally trying winter

of 1895-6 and fruited in 1897.

The Wickson makes a good nursery tree, being a vigorous, upright grower, with rather narrow leaves, the edges of which have a tendency to turn inward, so that the tree reminds one of Prunus Simoni. Taking all things into consideration, it is not surprising that nurserymen are increasing their stock of this variety.

OVER a million dollars (\$1,104,000) has just been paid by the United States Treasury to help the 48 agricultural colleges during the fiscal year ending June 20, 1898. They get \$23,000 apiece this year, under the act of 1890, against \$22,000 last year. In July next the amount will be \$24,000, and on and after July 1, 1899, the sum will be \$25,000 each and every year. This is equal to the stupendous endowment by the Federal government of from 25 to 40 millions of dollars for agricultural education, or an endowment of \$500,000 to \$800,000 to each college, according as an income is reckoned at 3, 4 or 5 per cent. On top of this princely grant the government gives \$15,000 annually to each State for an experiment station in connection with these colleges. How are these wealthy institutions using this vast gift from the people? How much more or better work are these colleges doing than before they were recipients of this largess? Other pointed questions arise in this connection, especially when these institutions ask their State legislatures for still more funds. Have any of them practiced the economy farmers and other people have had to employ since 1891-2?—American Agriculturist.

It is generally believed that the rich coloring which our oaks and other trees put on in the Fall of the year is due to the conditions of the climate. It does seem that in some way or other this peculiar condition of coloring should be due to local causes, but, if so, it has assumed a hereditary character, for, when the trees are planted in the Old World, they still continue to maintain the character of rich coloring which they assumed in their native place of growth. Our American oaks are especially valued in the Old World for the bright coloring of the leaves which they present in the Fall of the year as happily as they do in America.—Meehan's Monthly.

THE HUNTSVILLE WHOLESALE NURSERIES PRICE LIST.

# The Huntsville Wholesale Nurseries.

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**W. F. HEIKES, MANAGER,**  
HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA.

Fall of 1897 and Spring of 1898.

## ENTOMOLOGIST'S CERTIFICATE.

*This is to certify that on May 21<sup>st</sup>, 1897, I personally examined all stock of the Huntsville Wholesale Nurseries, and found it entirely free from San Jose scale and otherwise in excellent condition.*

*Carl D. Baker*

*Entomologist - State Exper. Sta., Auburn, Ala.*

**DISTRIBUTING POINTS.**—We are making St. Louis, Mo., Chicago, Ill., and Philadelphia, Pa., distributing points, and will deliver free of freight charges to transfer companies, at either of these places, all orders in car lots, or in less than car lots, to be shipped from Huntsville early in Spring and placed in cold storage so that customers can get their trees early and at a day's notice when shipment is desired. Orders should be sent as early as possible to insure a good assortment, as our surplus is less than usual.

**CUT PRICES AND COMPLIMENTARY PRICES.**—We will not cut prices nor sell anything at "Complimentary Prices" as we have sometimes done in closing out our surplus at St. Louis.

Use the Nurserymen's Telegraph Code. Any one not in possession of a copy will be supplied upon application.

This is the nurseryman's paradise. There are no injurious insects on nursery stock, no slugs on pears, no aphid on cherries nor peaches, no San Jose scale on anything. There are some borers on peach trees, but everybody knows how to get them.



THE HUNTSVILLE WHOLESALE NURSERIES PRICE LIST.

In this issue of our price list we show the numbers, sizes and prices of all varieties remaining unsold to date. Correspondents should, however, give us the privilege of substituting varieties, sizes and prices, as far as it can be allowed, if in a hurry for shipment, as we do not substitute, as a rule, without permission.

**LINING OUT.**—We will sell small trees for ‘lining out’ in nursery rows, and take notes bearing interest at the maximum legal rate, payable May 1, 1899, on responsible paying parties. This offer includes Keiffers and LeConte one year, 1 to 2 feet and 2 to 3 feet; Plums one and two years, 1 to 2 feet, 2 to 3 feet and 3 to 4 feet; Cherries 3 to 4 feet under ½ inch; Peaches 1 to 2 feet and 2 to 3 feet; Quince grafts, one year. Trees for this purpose may be ordered at once, but will not be shipped to Southern customers before February 15th and to Northern customers before April 5th. See price list for prices on these small grades. Trees sold on our usual terms will be shipped promptly when ordered.

**GRADE-COUNT QUOTATIONS.**

The publication of this list abrogates previous quotations.

Except where prices are agreed upon, these quotations are subject to change without notice.

See Terms and Conditions governing these quotations on another page.

Should the grade ordered be sold, state whether the next higher or lower grade may be substituted

<b>PEARS, Standard.</b>	<i>Edible.</i>	<i>Edifice.</i>	<i>Enlarge.</i>	<i>Elbow.</i>	<i>Elegy.</i>	<i>Engage.</i>
	1 to 1½ in.	5 to 7 feet	5 to 7 feet	5 to 6 feet	4 to 5 feet	4 to 5 feet
	Extra.	¾ to 1 in.	11-16 to ¼	¾ to 11-16	9-16 to ½	¼ to 9-16
Budded on Trans- planted Stocks	Per M \$80 " C 9.50	Per M \$65 " C 7.50	Per M \$60 " C 7	Per M " C	Per M " C	Per M " C
Garber.....	1700	..	..	..	..	..
<b>SPECIAL.</b>	Pr C \$12.50	Pr C \$10	Pr C \$9.50	Pr C \$9	Pr C \$8	Pr C \$7.50
Koonce.....	560	575	120	..	160	25

<b>PEARS, Standard.</b>	<i>Event.</i>	<i>Evade.</i>	<i>Evict.</i>	<i>Evening.</i>
	5 to 6 feet	4 to 5 feet	3 to 4 feet	2 to 3 feet
	Per M \$	" C 10	" C 8	" C 7.50
Special Varieties.	" C 10	" C 8	" C 7.50	..
Little if any bran.	" C 10	" C 8	" C 7.50	..
Koonce.....	2130	..	40	..

<b>CHICKASAW PLUMS, 2 Years.</b>	<i>Knavish.</i>	<i>Knitting.</i>	<i>Knotty.</i>	<i>Knowing.</i>	<i>Knuckle.</i>	<i>Koran.</i>	<i>Kitchen</i>
	5 to 6 feet	5 to 6 feet	5 to 6 feet	4 to 5 feet	4 to 5 feet	4 to 5 feet	3 to 4 ft.
	¾ to 1 in.	11-16 to ¾	¾ to 11-16	9-16 to ½	½ to 9-16	7-16 to ¼	..
On Marianna.	Per M \$75	Per M \$70	Per M \$65	Per M \$55	Per M \$50	Per M \$40	Pr M \$35
Well branched.	" C 8.50	" C 8	" C 7	" C 6.50	" C 6	" C 5	" C 4
Pottawattamie.....	50	160	175	290	400	460	870
Robinson.....	950	370	340	450	400	520	710
Wild Goose.....	375	..	230	120	70	..	..
<b>SPECIAL.</b>	Per C \$12.60	Per C \$11.50	Per C \$10	Per C \$10	Per C \$10	Per \$10	Per C \$10
Milton.....	1400	340	600	..	..	..	240
Chas. Downing.....	25	62	40	10	70	108	230
Sophia.....	..	10	17	..	15	90	240
Marcus.....	..	..	..	5	..	35	90
Penning's Peach.....	..	..	..	..	..	17	35
Harrisons.....	..	2	..	..	9	20	45
Kudsons.....	..	2	10	11	19	20	20
Jas. Vicks.....	32	21	39	30	46	25	25
Col. Wilder.....	18	29	34	20	23	10	10
Ether.....	4	11	10	5	8	7	7
Prairie Flower.....	2	6	8	3	9	10	10
New-Ulm.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
<b>ONE YEAR.</b>							
Benson Mollie.....	..	55	57	117	134	158	225

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**SURPLUS STOCK.**—We will begin packing our surplus stock into Box Lots on the 10th February. We will not break bulk on our surplus stock this year. After it is packed in Box Lots we will not sell less than a box—except for Roses.

AMERICANA	Hammer.	Happen.	Harden.	Harrow.	Hasten.	Hatter.	Haven.
<b>PLUMS, 2 Years.</b>	5 to 6 feet	5 to 6 feet	5 to 6 feet	4 to 5 feet	4 to 5 feet	4 to 5 feet	3 to 4 feet
On Marianna.	¾ to 1 in.	11-16 to ¾	¾ to 11-16	9-16 to ¾	½ to 9-16	7-16 to ½	
Well branched.	Per M \$75	Per M \$70	Per M \$65	Per M \$55	Per M \$50	Per M \$40	Per M \$25
	C 8.50	C 8	C 7	C 6.50	C 6	C 5	C 4
Illinois Ironclad.....	8	25	100	140	170	120	140
DeSoto.....	2300	730	1020	860	..	..	590
Forest Garden.....	2340	2370	1090	1660	2090	1200	1570
Hawkeye.....	..	820	340	720	540	220	550
Quaker.....	90	360	440	580	300	470	360
Forest Rose.....	240	90	25	30	..	..	..
Weaver.....	650	620	225	360	125	..	220
Wolf.....	1350	1540	1850	2650	1810	1170	1750
Wyant.....	65	150	330	780	840	300	1210

SPECIAL.	toddard.	Any size 15 cents	20	65	130	130	90
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ORIENTAL	Hillock.	Hickory.	History.	Hidden.	Hiding.	Helper.	Hinder.
<b>PLUMS, 2 Years.</b>	5 to 6 feet	5 to 6 feet	5 to 6 feet	4 to 5 feet	4 to 5 feet	4 to 5 ft.	3 to 4 feet
On Marianna.	¾ to 1 in.	11-16 to ¾	¾ to 11-16	9-16 to ¾	½ to 9-16	7-16 to ½	
Well branched.	Per M \$75	Per M \$70	Per M \$65	Per M \$55	Per M \$50	Per M \$40	Per M \$35
	C 8.50	C 8	C 7	C 6.50	C 6	C 5	C 4
Ogon.....	250	25	160	170	..	..	..
Yosobe.....	340	130	120	15	..	..	..
Strawberry.....	180	60	40	30	30	..	..
Maru.....	55	4	3	..	12	..	..
Berger.....	170	135	100	80	50	55	..
Kerr.....	520	110	90	110	10	..	..
Satsuma.....	5000	4400	3000	..	..	..	..

ORIENTAL	Lesson.	Letter.	Liking.	Limber.	Limpid.	Linger	Liquor.
<b>PLUMS, 1 Year.</b>	5 ft & up.	4 to 6 feet	4 to 5 feet	4 to 5 feet	4 to 5 feet	3 to 4 feet	2 to 3 ft.
On Marianna.	11-16 & up	¾ to 11-16	9-16 to ¾	½ to 9-16	7-16 to ½		
Plum. Bran'ed	Per M \$65	Per M \$60	Per M \$50	Per M \$45	Per M \$40	Per M \$30	Per M \$25
	C 7.50	C 7	C 6	C 5.50	C 5	C 4	C 3.50
Abundance (Botan)...	1210	1250	2750	1620	760	1110	740
Burbank.....	2000	630	960	..	..	..	..
Red June.....	2040	430	40	..	..	..	140
Red Nagate.....	2850	630	770	500	160	210	70
Satsuma.....	5000	1540	2420	2900	5430	3000	1000
Willard.....	1510	870	800	540	260	..	..

SPECIAL.	Pr C \$12.50	Pr C \$11.50	Pr C \$10	Pr C \$9	Pr C \$3.50	Pr C \$3	Pr C \$7.50
Wickson.....	..	40	150	400	470	640	220

**PLUMS ON PEACH.**

ORIENTAL	Helper.	Helmet.	Hemlock.	Herald.	Herbal.	Hermit.	Hero.
<b>PLUMS, 1 Year.</b>	5 to 6 feet	5 to 6 feet	5 to 6 feet	4 to 5 feet	4 to 5 feet	4 to 5 feet	3 to 4 ft
On Peach.	¾ to 1 in.	11-16 to ¾	¾ to 11-16	9-16 to ¾	½ to 9-16	7-16 to ½	
Well Branched.	Per M \$35	Per M \$60	Per M \$50	Per M \$45	Per M \$40	Per M \$35	Per M \$30
	C 9.50	C 9	C 6	C 5.50	C 6	C 4	C 3.50
Abundance.....	580	600	590	470	670	980	1650
Burbank.....	1060	870	1340	1390	1090	1230	740
Red June.....	730	90	620	2000	2100	3500	5800
Red Nagate.....	340	720	330	950	1010	1400	2400

Two to three feet at \$20 per 1000.

CHERRIES, 2 Yrs	Object.	Oblige.	Oblong.	Octave.	Office.	Onward.	Oppose.
Well branched.	3 ft. & up.	5 to 6 feet	4 to 5 feet	4 to 5 feet	4 to 5 feet	3 to 4 feet	2 to 3 ft
	¾ to 1 in.	11-16 to ¾	¾ to 11-16	9-16 to ¾	½ to 9-16		
	Per M \$55	Per M \$45	Per M \$40	Per M \$35	Per M \$30	Per M \$35	Per M \$30
	C 6	C 5.50	C 5	C 4.50	C 4	C 3	C 3
B. Tartarian.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dyehouse.....	10830	1525	1990	2200	1200	..	..
Early Richmond.....	17900	10900	12670	7420	4800	..	..
Montmorency, Ord.....	..	490	500	550	..	..	..
Early Lamaurie.....	1760	..	..	90	..	..	..
Gov. Wood.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Montmorency, Large.	3390	..	..	1500	1780	..	..
Windsor.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Vludovka.....	5500	1550	820	350	730	..	..
Vladimir.....	750	..	480	700	1200	..	..

The Early Lamaurie belongs to the H. & B. class, very hardy and prolific. Ripens with or before Early Purple Guigne; color, black. Holds its foliage better than any other in the South.

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CHICAGO, ILL.—We will make Chicago, Ill., a distributing point this Spring, to those who prefer it, on orders received after this date, and also for a portion of our surplus.

APPLE SEEDLINGS, No. 1, 3-16 and up, \$3.50 per 1000; No. 2, 2-16 to 3-16, \$1.75 per 1000 in 5000 lots at Huntsville. Less quantities, 50 cents per 1000 additional.

PEACH TREES--On Peach, Leading Varieties.

Our Peach Trees are budded on seedlings grown from Tennessee and Alabama Pits. They are free from Aphid or Root-knots, and have fewer borers than those from most nurseries.

We can supply beautiful medium and small-sized peach trees. The lands upon which our peach trees are grown this year produces a light, well-matured tree, with fine roots. These trees will answer well the purpose of "June Buds," and are very much better to transplant, as they will be well matured to the terminal bud, while June Buds are often tender at the tips. The little trees we offer should not be confounded with the little culls left after the larger trees have been dug and offered so cheaply by other nurseries. The Yellows and Roseette are unknown in this locality, and we have been careful not to bring in any buds from affected localities.

PEACH TREES.	Ransom.	Rattle.	Rebate.	Recite.	Render.	Resource	Rabbit.
	5 to 6 feet ¾ & up. Per M \$30	4 to 5 feet 9-16 to ¾ Per M \$30	4 to 5 feet ½ to 9-16 Per M \$25	3 to 4 feet 7-16 to ½ Per M \$25	3 to 4 feet Under-7-16 Per M \$20	2 to 3 feet Per M \$15	1 to 2 feet Per M \$10
One Year.	" C 4 50	" C 4	" C 3	" C 3	" C 3	" C 2	" C 1 50
On Peach Stock.							
Alexander.....		230	830	580	3100	750	200
Allbright's October.....	140	110	250	570	1490	800	120
Amelia.....	310	230	530	1040	1990	1310	180
Amsden.....	..	..	..	750	2000	1120	30
Blood Cling.....	..	35	..	180	770	1930	1000
Belle of Ga.....	80	180	690	1490	1730	600	240
Beer's Smock.....	..	..	..	480	5490	1550	1160
Chinese Cling.....	..	..	140	520	1200	2090	1200
Crosby.....	170	10	..	70	120	25	40
Columbia.....	..	30	40	..	710	590	800
Crawford's Early.....	90	90	160	460	1330	370	..
Crawford's Late.....	90	20	30	..	..	170	..
Early Rivers.....	..	60	..	1780	6260	3430	760
Early Tillotson.....	500	590	480	870	1350	1260	180
Elberta.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Family Favorite.....	90	10	150	60	1130	520	..
Foster.....	20	20	130	330	1840	1070	160
F. St. John.....	40	10	170	870	..	..	120
Gold Dust.....	..	..	40	250	1520	1470	160
Globe.....	..	..	..	70	1270	430	..
General Lee.....	30	100	50	200	1030	1590	600
Hynes Surprise.....	30	20	130	540	1320	830	240
Heath Cling.....	..	..	..	..	920	400	..
Lady Ingold.....	..	30	10	820	4660	1690	250
Lemon Cling.....	..	..	120	850	1450	810	160
Mamie Ross.....	20	..	..	90	1630	1180	320
Mountain Rose.....	..	170	990	3420	8320	2250	590
Old Mixon Free.....	..	..	200	270	915	610	..
Reeves' Favorite.....	20	80	60	270	3800	2440	1100
Salway.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	1350
Susquehanna.....	40	40	220	650	2280	2310	760
Stump.....	..	..	30	280	2330	1850	440
Sneed.....	..	120	820	2440	6370	3570	720
Stephenson's Rareripe..	..	..	80	110	1600	1640	10
Thurber.....	20	50	50	850	3550	2580	160
Triumph.....	..	180	1550	9090	23760	14370	660
SPECIAL.			Per C \$6	Per C \$5.50	Per C \$5	Per C \$4.50	Per C \$3.50
Greensboro.....	40	210	450	720	4050	2360	1370

QUINCES, 2 Yrs.	Tactics.	Tadpole.	Taffy.	Tangle.	Our Quinces are all grafted from wood cut from bearing trees, so that we know them to be genuine. It is impossible to keep a lot of budded quinces pure.
	4 to 5 feet ¾ to 11-16 Per M \$50	4 to 5 feet 9-16 to ¾ Per M \$45	3 to 4 feet ¾ to 9-16 Per M \$40	3 to 4 feet 7-16 to ¾ Per M \$30	
	" C 6	" C 5	" C 5	" C 4	
Orange.....	1200	890	760	840	

These two-year-old Quinces were headed back to 18 inches in Spring and are uniformly branched and handsome, except the 2 to 3 feet size, which are more or less branched.

QUINCES, 1 Year.	Tangent.	Tackle.	Tattle.	Grafts transplanted. Cut back to ground at one year and have the appearance of one year buds.
	4 to 5 feet Per M \$50	3 to 4 feet Per M \$35	2 to 3 feet Per M \$25	
Transplanted.	" C 6	" C 5	" C 3	
Orange.....	5680	3500	2100	
Meech.....	2100	1800	400	

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	Per 100	Per 1000	Per 100	Per 1000
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Berry Rog. No. 43).....	11 00	100 00	16 00	150 00
Brilliant.....	35 00	300 00	45 00	400 00
Brighton.....	1 60	15 00	2 50	20 00
Catawba.....	1 30	11 00	1 70	15 00
Champion or Tallman.....	1 10	10 00	1 60	14 00
Concord.....	.90	7 00	1 40	11 00
Cynthiana.....	6 50	60 00	9 00	80 00
Delaware.....	2 50	22 00	3 30	30 00
Diamond.....	1 80	14 00	2 50	20 00
Dracut Amber.....	2 20	20 00	3 30	30 00
Duchess.....	2 30	20 00	3 30	30 00
Eaton.....	4 00	35 00	5 50	50 00
Early Ohio.....	9 00	80 00	12 00	110 00
Early Victor.....	2 80	25 00	4 50	40 00
Elvira.....	1 20	11 00	1 70	15 00
Empire State.....	2 00	18 00	2 80	25 00
Goshe (Rogers' No. 1).....	6 50	60 00	10 00	90 00
Green Mountain.....	9 00	80 00	13 00	120 00
Hartford.....	2 20	20 00	3 30	30 00
Ives.....	1 20	11 00	1 50	14 00
Jessica.....	6 00	55 00	8 00	75 00
Lady.....	2 20	20 00	3 30	30 00
Lindley (Rog. No. 9).....	1 50	12 00	2 00	18 00
Martha.....	2 00	18 00	3 00	30 00
Massasoit (Rog. No. 3).....	2 20	20 00	3 30	30 00
Morrinac (Rog. No. 19).....	2 20	20 00	3 30	30 00
Moyer.....	2 00	20 00	3 00	27 00
Moore's Early.....	1 60	14 00	2 50	22 00
Mo. Reissling.....	2 20	20 00	3 30	30 00
Niagara.....	1 00	9 00	1 60	14 00
Norton.....	5 50	50 00	8 00	75 00
Perkins.....	4 50	40 00	6 50	60 00
Pocklington.....	1 20	10 00	1 60	14 00
Prentiss.....	5 50	50 00	8 00	70 00
Salem.....	1 50	12 00	2 50	20 00
Vergennes.....	1 60	15 00	2 50	22 00
Wilder.....	2 20	20 00	3 30	30 00
Woodruff Red.....	6 00	55 00	8 00	80 00
Worden.....	1 00	9 00	1 60	14 00
Wyoming Red.....	1 60	15 00	2 20	20 00

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	C 12.50	C 9	C 8	
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Baron Prevost.....	...	...	20
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Gen. Jacqueminot.....	...	...	...
John Hopper.....	5080	3530	3740
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Capt. Christy.....	...	30	30
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Princess Adelaide.....	1000	860	500
Henry Martin.....	280	500	450
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	Pr M \$100	Per M \$70	Pr M \$50
	" C 10	" C 7	" C 5
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**PLUMS--Two Years, on Plum**—Satsuma, ¾ to 1 inch, \$65 per 1000; 11-16 to ¾, \$80; ¾ to 11-16, \$50.

**PLUMS--One Year, on Plum**—Satsuma, Robinson, Pottawattamie, per 1000, 5 to 6 feet, \$65; 4 to 5 feet, \$50; 3 to 4 feet, \$30.

**MULBERRIES--Very Fine**—New American and Downing, two years, per 1000, ¾ to 1 inch, \$100; ¾ to ¾, \$30; 9-16 to 5-8, \$75.

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Kieffer, ¾ to 1 inch, \$75; 11-16 to ¾, \$70; ¾ to 11-16, \$60; 9-16 to 5-8, \$50 per 1000.

## STANDARD PEARS--One Year Buds.

Kieffer,	per 1000, 5 to 6 feet,	\$ 50;	4 to 5 feet,	\$10;	3 to 4 feet,	\$35;	2 to 3 feet,	\$30
Ea. Harvest,	per 1000,	"	100;	"	80;	"	65;	" 35
Garber,	per 1000,	"	50;	"	40;	"	35;	" 30
Cincinnati,	per 100,	"	25;	"	20;	"	15;	" ...

Terms and conditions governing above quotations are the same as those given by the Huntsville Wholesale Nurseries.

## THE HUNTSVILLE WHOLESALE NURSERIES PRICE LIST.

### Terms and Conditions Governing Quotations in the Price List of the Huntsville Wholesale Nurseries.

**RATES.**—As we send this list to the trade only, we make the difference in prices between the 10, 100 and 1000 rates very slight—simply sufficient, as a rule, to cover the difference in the expense of handling in the smaller numbers. We uniformly tie in bunches of 10, when consistent with the order, and we suggest to our customers to make their orders for varieties in multiples of 10 as far as practicable. Orders for 50 and not over 300 trees, if for not less than 10 of a variety, will be charged at the rate per hundred. Orders requiring 300 trees or more, and not less than 10 of a variety, will be filed at the lowest quoted prices. Orders for less than 10 trees of one variety, will be charged at the rate per ten.

**SEASON.**—Our packing and shipping season begins by the 20th of September, and continues until about the first of March.

We have great advantages to offer here in early shipments for the North in Spring. We do not accept orders for trees we do not grow, as we never buy trees to sell again. You can depend upon us for fresh dug trees. Each order is taken up separately, and not until it is wanted for shipment.

**SHIPPING DIRECTIONS.**—We respectfully beg our patrons to furnish us with explicit directions as to shipping, and the mode of conveyance by which they desire trees forwarded. When no particular directions are given, we forward according to the best of our judgment. *But in no case do we assume any responsibility as to safe delivery and condition of Trees and Plants after a proper shipment by us.*

**RELEASE.**—When prepayment of freight is not required, we will Release and Guarantee, and take forwarder's receipt and mail to consignee. It is left to the option of the shipper of trees over some railroads, whether he will release them or not under the clause "value less than \$5.00 per 100 lbs." If released under this clause, the freight is less on roads governed by this classification, and we will assume it to be proper to make this release, without reference to the value of the trees, unless instructed to the contrary. This clause does not apply upon roads under some of the district classifications, and because of this confusion we will not be held responsible for any oversight to release, unless instructed by our customers. Claims for delay or loss must be made to the forwarders.

**PACKAGES.**—The cost of package must be added to the prices quoted in this list, as follows: Boxes 30 inches square, from 7½ to 9 feet long, as the trees may require, each \$2.50; boxes 24 inches, \$2.00; boxes 18 inches, \$1.50; bales from 25c. to 75c. each.

**PACKING.**—Goods will be packed in moss, and especial care taken to insure their arrival in the best condition.

**ASSORTMENTS.**—We do not require customers to take an assortment they do not wish, but will sell one variety alone if desired. If any substitution can be allowed, either in grade or variety, it should be so stated when making the order. As a rule we do not substitute without permission.

**CAUTION.**—We accept all orders upon the condition that they shall be void, should any injury befall the trees from frost, hail, storm, fire, or other causes over which we have no control.

**TERMS.**—Cash. When desired, we will allow 30 to 60 days from date of shipment to responsible,

prompt-paying customers. Parties with whom we have had no business transactions, will save time by sending reference, with order. We wish it expressly understood that payment is expected from the first collections made, and the time named is only intended as so many days of grace in which to make returns. To northern customers, who wish to lay in stock for Spring trade, we will ship late in Fall or early in Spring, and allow time for payment till May 15th. If shipment is required in the Fall for Spring use, a note is to be given upon receipt of the trees. We do not allow any discount for cash, but we make our prices low to command cash, or prompt returns. In orders when the time is not mentioned, 30 days is to be understood. Interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum must be paid on over due accounts. Should prices be changed, either higher or lower, during the season, the prices ruling at the time the order is made, are expected to stand.

**FORMS OF PAYMENT.**—All bills are payable at the office of the seller, and remittances should be made by drafts on New York, Chicago or St. Louis, or by money orders on some Express Company, or by postal orders. We will, however, accept checks from those of our customers who may be located at places having no banking, express or postal facilities, provided they make them in every case payable "with exchange", or add ¼ of one cent, to the amount of the bill for the cost of collection.

**GRADES.**—We grade very carefully, in some cases by caliper, in others by height. When graded by both caliper and height, the caliper must govern, as the height then named is only to be considered approximately. When graded by height or caliper, we include the lower number and exclude the higher. Instance: in a grade of 4 to 5 feet trees, the 4 feet trees are included, but not the 5 feet trees. If 5 feet trees are wanted, the 5 to 6 feet grade must be ordered.

**GUARANTEE OF GENUINENESS.**—While we exercise the greatest diligence and care to have all our Trees, etc., true to label, and hold ourselves in readiness, on proper proof, to replace all trees, etc., that may prove untrue to label, free of charge, or refund the amount paid, it is mutually understood and agreed to, between the purchaser and ourselves, that our guarantee of genuineness shall in no case make us liable for any sum greater than that originally received for said trees, etc., that shall prove untrue.

**ACCEPTANCE.**—Notice should be sent us by telegraph, at our expense, if there is any cause of complaint, or should the trees be refused, stating reasons. Claims for deduction, from whatever cause, will receive consideration only when made promptly upon the receipt of the trees. If trees show any signs of shrivelling upon arrival, they can usually be restored by being thoroughly watered and buried entirely under the ground for two or three days. Should there be any frost in the trees upon arrival, they should not be removed from the box until the frost is all out. The box should be placed in the cellar or protected in some other way. The presence of frost in the boxes is not to be considered an evidence of bad condition, as we pack to secure the trees against damage, if the frost is allowed to come out in the natural way. Goods will be considered accepted if removed from the boxes in which they are packed, without notice of complaint to us and without our orders for their disposition.

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