

49922 to 49954—Continued.

49944. *DEUTZIA VILMORINAE* Lemoine and Bois. Hydrangeaceæ.

A plant of vigorous growth with pure-white flowers, suggestive of some of the smaller growing kinds of *Philadelphus*, a resemblance which is increased by the lateness of its flowering period. It is a native of China. M. Lemoine, of Nancy, has raised hybrids between this species and different forms of *Deutzia crenata* or *D. scabra*, which flower at about the same time and thus usually escape injury from late spring frosts which often damage the flowers of the earlier kinds. As the parents of these are among the most desirable of our early-flowering shrubs and valuable from the fact that many spring-flowering subjects are over before their blossoms develop, these newer hybrids should prove good acquisitions. (Adapted from *Gardening Illustrated*, vol. 39, p. 362.)

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49945. *DIERVILLA SESSILIFOLIA* Buckl. Caprifoliaceæ.

A beautiful free-flowering North American plant with light pea-green leaves 8 inches long and 3 to 4 inches broad and pretty sweet-scented light-yellow flowers. (Adapted from *Gardeners' Chronicle*, third series, vol. 42, p. 427.)

49946. *DEUTZIA WILSONI* Duthie. Hydrangeaceæ.

A very handsome Chinese shrub with reddish brown bark, soon peeling, and scabrous oblanceolate leaves 3 to 4½ inches long. The white flowers, nearly 1 inch across, are in open corymbs; the petal margins are wavy and hooded. (Adapted from *Curtis's Botanical Magazine*, pl. 8083.)

49947. *LONICERA ALPIGENA* L. Caprifoliaceæ.

Honeysuckle.

A central European deciduous shrub, 4 to 8 feet high, with paired red-tinged yellow flowers on long stalks and red cherrylike fruits.

49948. *PHILADELPHUS ACUMINATUS* Lange. Hydrangeaceæ.

A Chinese shrub 10 feet high, with hard-tipped serrate leaves and very fragrant white flowers.

49949. *PHILADELPHUS LEWISII* Pursh. Hydrangeaceæ.

One of the most floriferous of all the taller species, with graceful pendulous branches. The white flowers are more than an inch across. Native to western North America.

49950. *PHILADELPHUS PEKINENSIS* Rupr. Hydrangeaceæ.

A free-flowering Chinese shrub with slightly fragrant yellowish flowers about 1 inch across, produced in racemes of five to nine.

49951. *ROSA GLUTINOSA* Sibth. and Smith. Rosaceæ.

Rose.

A dwarf sweetbrier, ranging from Italy eastward to Persia, with short compact branches and white flowers tinged with pink. The small globose fruits are bright red. (Adapted from *Willmott, The Genus Rosa*, pl. 150.)

49952. *ROSA MOLLIS* J. E. Smith. Rosaceæ.

Rose

A compact rose, often not more than 3 feet high, with short erect stems and broadly oval leaflets clothed with soft-gray pubescence on both surfaces. The flowers are usually pink, occasionally white, and the early ripening red pulpy fruits with erect persistent sepals are often pendulous and very ornamental. (Adapted from *Willmott, The Genus Rosa*, pl. 138.)

49953. *ROSA SERAFINII* Viv. Rosaceæ.

Rose.

A dwarf, densely branching leafy bush with dark-green leaves and solitary bright rose-colored flowers. The pea-shaped fruits are red changing to black. Native to Corsica, Sardinia, Sicily, and the Apuan and Maritime Alps. (Adapted from *Curtis's Botanical Magazine*, pl. 7761.)

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