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Var. *Nanhoensis*. A Chinese variety of spreading habit and free blooming, bearing bright rosy mauve flowers.

62703. *CARYOPTERIS TANGUTICA* Maxim. Bluebeard. Verbenaceae.

Farrer No. 350. A deciduous semi-shrub from China, superior to *Caryopteris nastacanthus*, bearing profusely, bright violet-blue flowers.

62704. *CEANOTHUS HYBRIDUS* Hort. Rhamnaceae.

Var. *Marie Simon*. A lovely lilac-pink hybrid.

62705. *CLEMATIS MONTANA WILSONII* Sprague. Ranunculaceae.

A hardy climbing clematis, native to western China, which often attains a height of 20 feet or more. The very abundant, sweet-scented flowers, about an inch long, are white with occasionally yellowish or rosy tinges, and are produced in June and July with generally a second flowering in the autumn.

62706. *CHAMAECYPARIS LAWSONIANA* (Murray) Parl. Pinaceae.

Lawson cypress.

Var. *Fletcherii*. This is a very distinct and dainty variety with glaucous foliage.

62707. *DEUTZIA TAIWANENSIS* (Maxim.) C. Schneid. Hydrangeaceae.

A new species from the mountains of Formosa, with white or pinkish white flowers, belonging to the same group as *Deutzia scabra*.

62708. *DEUTZIA* sp. Hydrangeaceae.

Farrer No. 109. A striking and distinct medium-growing shrub with white, wavy-edged flowers; introduced from China by the late Reginald Farrer.

62709 to 62712. *DIERVILLA FLORIBUNDA* Sieb. and Zucc. Caprifoliaceae.

Crimson weigela.

62709. *Aldenhams Glow*. A choice deep-scarlet flowered form resembling "Eva Rathke."

62710. *Avante Garde*. An early flowering, rich pink variety.

62711. *Emile Galle*. A very fine, dark-pink form.

62712. *Gloire de Bosquets*. The corolla without is carmine and purplish pink within; very effective.

62713. *DIERVILLA JAPONICA SINICA* Rehder. Caprifoliaceae.

Weigela.

A Chinese variety with campanulate, pale-pink flowers. The shrub is 6 feet or less high, with slender-stemmed, oval leaves hairy beneath; the flowers are in small, terminal clusters.

62714. *ESCALLONIA* sp. Escalloniaceae.

C. F. Ball. A beautiful pink hybrid raised by the late Mr. Ball at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.

62715. *ESCALLONIA* sp. Escalloniaceae.

Var. *rubra nana*. This is a charming dwarf form of the red-flowered species and is suitable for rockeries.

62716 to 62718. *EUONYMUS JAPONICUS* L. f. Celastraceae.

62716. *President Gauthier*. A strikingly variegated variety of the trailing evergreen, "spindle wood."

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62717. An evergreen with variegated foliage and dwarf compact habit, which is a real gem.

62718. A tiny-leaved, very distinct dwarf form.

62719 and 62720. *EUONYMUS RADICANS* Siebold. Celastraceae.

62719. *Little Gem*. A pretty, white-variegated form of dwarf habit.

62720. A distinct, rather stiff-habited variety.

62721. *EUONYMUS EUROPAEUS* L. Celastraceae.

Spindle tree.

A most distinct form of *Euonymus europaeus*, with large foliage and handsome pink fruit.

62722. *EUONYMUS* sp. Celastraceae.

Vilmorin No. 5521. A handsome, free-flowering, tall, pyramidal form of the *Euonymus japonicus* group. A really excellent evergreen introduction from China.

62723. *ILEX FARGESII* Franch. Aquifoliaceae.

Holly.

A Chinese holly which is described (Journal de Botanique, vol. 12, p. 255) as a shrub with black bark and dull-green, narrowly oblong leaves about 5 inches long, indistinctly toothed. The globose, red berries are in small axillary clusters.

62724. *LAVANDULA VERA* DC. Menthaceae.

Lavender.

*Munstead Blue*. This form is of bushy habit and flowers early, carrying its bright-blue spikes most freely.

62725. *LAUROCERASUS OFFICINALIS* Roemer (*Prunus laurocerasus* L.). Amygdalaceae.

Cherry laurel.

A form with curiously curled leaves.

62726. *LAUROCERASUS LUSTANICA* (L.) Roemer (*Prunus lusitanica* L.). Amygdalaceae.

Portugal laurel.

An interesting variegated form of the Portugal laurel which first occurred at Aldenham.

62727. *LAUROCERASUS OFFICINALIS* Roemer (*Prunus laurocerasus* L.). Amygdalaceae.

Cherry laurel.

This makes a very handsome low-spreading evergreen shrub with narrow, flat-growing foliage.

62728 and 62729. *LAVANDULA VERA* DC. Menthaceae.

Lavender.

62728. *Twickel Purple*. A form having fine, bold foliage with good heads of deep-purple flowers.

62729. *Nana*; *Glasnevin* variety. A quite distinct form.

62730. *LONICERA PILEATA* Oliver. Caprifoliaceae.

Privet honeysuckle.

Forma *yunnanensis*. According to Curtis's Botanical Magazine (pl. 8060) this form differs from the species only in the very small, thick, roundish leaves. *Lonicera pileata* is a much-branched, low, evergreen shrub from central and western China, about 1 foot high, with slender branches, oblong-lanceolate, dark-green leaves, half an inch to 1 inch long, and pale-yellow flowers in almost sessile pairs.