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A 2-year grafted black bearing in Dr. Frank Baum's 1200-tree grove near Reading, Pa. Tree has thirteen nuts.

A 5-year-old Thomas in my test orchard. This was a 2-foot tree when set. If a 6-foot tree had been set a larger and older head would be had and possibly bearing.

Price Sheet for 1931

Plant nut trees as a hobby—an investment and—for the good of posterity. This list of trees, supplies and prices thereof supersedes all other lists. When reading my booklet, "Save America's Nut Heritage," refer to this sheet for verification. I wish to thank my customers for the excellent faith they have shown in this new interesting agriculture of the north. Nothing can stop its advance. I invite all to participate by planting at least a few trees. Those who have already made large plantings and those who anticipate planting on a large scale will undoubtedly cash in with greatest pride and money for being the initial venturers.

"Save America's Nut Heritage"—If you have not received this treatise send for it at once. Price 10c.

"Nut Trees As You Like Them"—A valuable culture guide for planters and owners of nut trees. Price 5c.
Terms

All orders must be accompanied with 25% from new customers, balance shipped C. O. D., or money be forwarded before shipment is made. Old customers in good standing can have terms made agreeable to the occasion. 15% discount for cash with order before April 1st. For full description of all varieties consult “Save America’s Nut Heritage.”

Canadian orders must amount to $10.00 due to extra cost of fumigating.

No order where an affidavit must accompany invoice will be considered for less than $10.00.

Balled and Burlapped—Such success has been had by this method with nut trees that I am digging them such when possible. About two years growth is gained for the small sum invested. Note special price on each list.

Cannot supply B. B. out of Beetle Zone.

All Grafted or Budded Stock

Black Walnuts One Year From Graft

The Thomas Stabler and Ohio thin shelled grafted varieties. The commercial nut tree for the north and a good partner for the Pecan in the middle south and southwest.

Thomas

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Two years from graft, some slightly branched. 5-6 feet. $3.25, $32.50, $225.00.

Balled and Burlapped, $1.50.

Large Thomas For Quick Results

So much has been said in the fruit world regarding planting small trees that many think the same applies to nut trees. In the fruit orchard where a low head is essential small trees fill the bill, but where a high head is essential, as with nut trees, the larger tree has proven the best.

2- and 3-Year

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<td>6-7 feet</td>
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<td>7-8 feet</td>
<td>4.00</td>
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Balled and Burlapped add $2.00. Write for Thousand rates.

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Balled and Burlapped, $1.50.

Ohio Black Walnut

A variety seemingly in between the Thomas and Stabler in every way, that is in hardiness, growth of tree also size and cracking quality of the nut.

Supply light, please mention substitute when ordering these.

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Butternuts—I have some nice seedling butternuts, 5-7 ft., branched. $1.50 each; $15.00 doz. Write for prices on seedling black walnuts.

Hardy Pecans

See Catalog for description.

Busseron, Butterick, Posey, Indiana.

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Varieties—Busseron, Butterick. Twice transplanted.

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<td>First size, 8-10 feet, extra select trees</td>
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<td>Second size, 7-9 feet, very fine trees</td>
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<td>Third size, slightly lighter than second</td>
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Balled and Burlapped, $3.00.

Hybrid Hickories

Fairbanks only

Am pleased to again be able to offer some fine two-year trees this year. Some branched.

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Balled and Burlapped, $2.00.

Pecan and Shellbark Hybrid

McCallister variety

The remarkably rapid growth and ornamental foliage, with its enormous nut is making this tree in great demand. A sample received of McCallister nuts from Indiana off of young trees, grown in a droughty season makes me more enthusiastic than ever to see it planted. See “Save America’s Nut Tree Heritage” for description.

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Filberts

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Jones Corylus
*Hybrid Hazels*

Each Doz. Strong plants: $1.50 $15.00

Ridcnhow Almond
Hard shell, ornamental bloomers. 3-4 feet, one year: $1.25

Persimmons
Early Golden an old known variety. Each Strong 3-4 feet, 1 year old: $3.00

Japanese Flowering Cherries

After the passing of a well-known plant breeder and experimenter, I bought a block of varieties of Flowering Cherries he had just imported from Japan. All very wonderful. Some unknown to the best informed Flowering Cherry specialists. This is an excellent list from which to select. Sturdy one-year trees in named varieties.

*Double Pink* or New Red. Early bloomer, very good.

*Double Pink*—Large flower, late bloomer. Excellent.

*White Flower, Pink Bud*—The same as planted around the tidal basin in Washington, D.C.

*Cream Colored*—Flowers marked with greenish stripes and narrow red lines along center of petals; very curious.

*Kobazakure and Hogos*—These two are unknown but must be good or they would not have been imported. Wouldn’t you like to try them?

Size Each Doz.
1-2 feet: $1.50 $15.00
2-3 feet: 2.00 20.00
3-4 feet, slightly blanched: 2.85 28.50

Balled and Burlapped, 50c.

Sweet Cherries

On Mazzard stock, the long-lived kind. Bigarreau, strong one-year trees. Every home should have a couple.

3-4 feet, each: $2.00
4-5 feet, each: 2.50

*Bing*—Large dark brown-red.

*Schmidt*—Juicy. Nearly black (very large).

*Napoleon*—White with pink cheek. The commonly known Ox-heart.

Plant two varieties to insure pollination.

Blight Resistant Pears

This variety known as the Maxine, originated in Southeastern Ohio. The parent tree with many budded from it which are scattered all over the middle west for testing, have proved free from blight, the scourge of pear growing. Think what it means to have a worthwhile variety, free from blight, bearing luscious fruit, growing on your farm or home ground. Resembles the Bartlett in flavor and time of ripening.

Strong one-year trees, four to six feet, $1.00.

Amelanchier (*Canadensis*)

*Often known as Shadberry, Juneberry, or Servisberry, Bush form*

Bearing in nursery row, large clusters of blue-black berries in almost solid masses. Make attractive specimen for lawn or garden. Attractive white bloomer in the spring. Bears heavily.

*Fruit*—The best description one can make is to compare it with the huckleberry. The berries are almost twice the size of the huckleberry, not quite as high in flavor and ripen about two weeks before them. Excellent to eat out of hand, as a table dessert with milk and sugar, and last but not least they are excellent for bird feed when planted along fence rows or in bird sanctuaries.

2-3 foot plants, slightly bushy, $1.25 each.

Pines

*Scotch Pine*—Very rapid grower, long needles, excellent for informal borders, quick wind-breaks or screens and large lawn specimens. Does well in dry settings.

Size Each Doz.
2-3 feet: $2.50 $25.00
3-4 feet: 3.00 30.00

Red Pine—One of the most hardy and sturdy pines. More desirable than the white because of freedom from disease.

Size Each Doz.
1-2 feet: $1.00 $10.00
2-3 feet: 1.25 12.50

Black Cap Raspberries—

One-year tips: $0.90 $6.00
Two-year tips: 1.20 10.00

At Last a Book on Nut Trees and the Value of Tree Crops in America

"TREE CROPS"
by J. Russel Smith

This inspiring and comprehensive work sets forth in startling reality the necessity of America retaining her surface soils and shows how it can be done by planting permanent crops—namely trees. A best seller among thinkers. Price $4.00 postpaid. If the book does not meet your expectations, return it within 10 days and your money will be refunded.
**Hershey’s Tree Nourishment**

It has been proven essential that a proper food be applied to all plant and tree life bearing crops. Note Page 22 in “Save America’s Nut Heritage.”

**Prices F. O. B. Depot**

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**Grafting Materials for the Amateur**

The pleasure of experimenting in propagating nut trees cannot be explained and I like to encourage it as much as possible. However, the technique is quite a job to grasp and advise that a proper equipment be used to start with. Therefore we are making the following offer. All scions are 6c each prepaid. No shipments will be made before the last week in April or the 1st of May, except by request to location where spring is early such as the south or extreme northwest. Orders booked subject to cancellation if my supply is short, which is sometimes the case in rare varieties. No orders accepted for less than $1.00.

_Grafting Knives_—The recognized best knife for nut grafting, $1.25 each or $1.50 sharpened. State whether for left or right handed use.

_Raffia_—The best material to tie grafts, 40c per lb.

_Wax_—Especially made for my own use in grafting thousands of nut trees. 40c per lb., 5 lb. lots 35c, 10 lb. lots 30c.

_Grafting Instructions_—“Tree Crops,” a book by Professor Russel Smith in which you not only learn how to graft but are informed the value of crop trees for financial returns and soil retained on hillsides.

**Melting Pots**—After cussing the Merri-brook for all its failings and short comings of the inventor I am compelled to say it is the best and most handy for the experimenter in propagation. For sale by Ed-Tyson, Flora Dale, Pa.

_Wax Cloth for Budding_—We use only the best grade of cloth and buy our wax from a reliable bee man. Poor cloth spells failure. $1.00 per yd., less than 5 yds.; 90c per yd. for over 5-yd. lots. Keep well wrapped in heavy paper and never let lay in the sun.

**The John W. Hershey Nut Cracker**

The Hershey Nut Cracker is designed to crack the hardest nuts—all walnuts and hickories—in such a way that the kernels may be taken out in quarters with the fingers. A pick is required for only an occasional piece. The machine will so increase your speed in cracking and picking that it soon pays for itself. Five to Seven bushels a day is the average cracking, and one pound of kernels per hour for picking. Price, $7.50 post-paid.

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