

Exhibited by Krider Nurseries Middlebury, Indiana

A MOUNTAIN STREAM ROCKERY

Century of Progress 1934 Horticultural Building

## A <u>Deluxe</u> Rock Garden Collection

## 10 Rock Plants for only \$

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Named and labeled

For Those Who Realize the Value of Quality Krider's "DE LUXE" Rock Garden Collection.

These are all field grown plants

ACHILLEA tomentosa. 6 to 8 inches.
July to September. Bright yellow
flowers. Excellent for rockeries.

ANEMONE pulsatilla (Pasque Flower). Grows from 9 to 12 inches high and produces violet or purple flowers during April and May. An interesting plant for the rockery or well-drained border.

ARABIS alpina (Rock Cress). Pure white flowers produced in dense masses, splendid for border and rockery work.

DIANTHUS plymarious (Clove Pinks). For border or rock garden. It will bloom continuously if flowers are cut off when they begin to fade.

GYPSOPHILA repens (Baby's Breath).
Beautiful trailing plant.

HEUCHERA (Coralbell). A beautiful rock plant growing strong spikes 6 inches tall, covered with brilliant red flowers. A sensation in our rockery at the World's Fair.



S you listen to the cool trickle of the water over the rocks, mind and body become rested. The flowers and plants seem to be refreshed and the whole atmosphere is changed. The sparkle of nature seems to revive you and your thoughts are reminiscent. A rock garden such as you see before you is

possible for anyone to have in their own back yard. It need not be of the same design or construction. A rock garden is simple to build and very inexpensive. The tiny nooks and corners provide many places for the most interesting of our perennial or annual plants. Color will be paramount throughout the entire Spring, Summer and Fall seasons. The perennials are the easiest plants to grow and care for. They multiply very rapidly and a most inexpensive garden will in a short time become a most pretentious one. No form of garden can offer so much health and recreation. There are always little interesting duties to perform. One can constantly change the plants from one location to another. A rock garden keeps you out-of-doors and provides just the right amount of exercise. To the left and right of this page are shown the plants and shrubs which are used in this garden. We suggest you make notes of the items that most appeal to you. These plants are all grown in our fields and we can supply them to you at moderate prices.

Visit our "Diversified Gardens" in the outer grounds. No matter where you come from you will find familiar flowers in bloom. The Heather and Blue Bells from Scotland, the Birch from Scandinavia, the Delphinium from England, Roses from Ireland and the Holland Garden and Dutch Windmill, will bring a refreshing sight to the visitor from across the sea. Our own country is represented by the Nandinas, Litchens and Magnolias from the South, Sedums and Shrubs from New England, Roses and Italian Cyprus from the West Coast, Cactus in variety from the desert section, Azalias, Rhododendron, Kalmia, Mt. Laurel from the Alleghany section and all the plants, evergreens and flowers grown in the great Central West are used to make up the whole picture.

## You May Make Your Own Selections

IBERIS (Hardy Candytuft). Most desirable dwarf plants, 8 to 10 inches, with evergreen foliage, which is completely hidden with dense heads of flowers early in the Spring.

IRIS pumila. These beautiful little irises do not grow over 4 inches high, and bloom in April and May. They are fine for bordering flower beds or planting in front of the tall irises.

PACHYSANDRA terminalis (Japanese Spurge). A trailing plant 6 to 8 inches high, forming broad mats of bright glossy green foliage. A ground cover which will grow in all shady situations and the only plant that will thrive under pine trees.

PHLOX subulata (Moss or Mountain Pink). An early Spring flowering type with pretty mosslike, evergreen foliage, which, during the flowering season, in April and May, is hidden under the masses of bloom. An excellent plant for the rockery, the border, and invaluable for carpeting the ground or covering graves.

SEDUM (Stonecrop). Dwarf varieties. America's greatest rock plant. Suitable for the rock garden, carpetbedding, covering of graves, etc.

STRIPED ORNAMENTAL GRASS. Ideal for rockery and pool. Clumps, 15c each; 6 for 75c.

VIOLAS, HARDY. Yellow, white and blue.

YUCCA filamentosa (Adam's Needle). Among hardy plants there is nothing more effective and striking. It is also indispensable for the rockery. Each, 25c; 3 for 50c.

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Designed by John A. Servas
Architectural Work by Ray E. Fleming

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## **EVERGREENS**

for the Rockery

MUGHO PINE — A nicely trained tree of from 10 to 12 inches tall, 5 years old and 3 times transplanted. This is a most desirable dwarf pine, rich in color, globular shaped and ends of all branches resemble the Christmas tree with many upright candles.

**CREEPING JUNIPER** — Deep blue in color and shoot their spire-shaped branches horizontally.

GLOBE ARBOR-VITAE — The beautiful "Hover's Golden," globular in form with rich green foliage fringed with golden color, very compact.

BIOTA AUREA NANA — No evergreen gets quite the attention of this lovely tree. These are grafted, twice transplanted, and from 9 to 12 inches high. They are immediately heautiful.

**DWARF YEW**—This beautiful evergreen adds much color in the rockery. Very compact grower.

MAHONIA AQUIFOLIA — An evergreen shrub, very desirable. Leaves become very waxy in the winter and the red berries also add color.

PFITZER JUNIPER — This is also a fine spreading Juniper that is valuable among rocks.

BOXWOOD — Hardy evergreen. The plant that made Mt. Vernon famous, where it is used extensively.

Your Choice of These Eight Evergreens

8 for \$2.00

Specially Priced — 4-year, 8- to 12-inch size, twice transplanted.

50c each

3 for \$1.00 8 for \$2.00

For immediate effect these will please you.



In Oriental Splendor

The gardens which we are exhibiting in the Horticultural Building of a Century of Progress and in our diversified gardens in the outer grounds consist of only trees, plants, shrubs and flowers which we have produced in our own fields in the middle western section of the United States.

These gardens have been designed to show that large space is not the requisite for a beautiful garden effect. A careful inspection will show that the selection of plants and trees are well adapted to almost every section of our country and the middle western hemisphere.

Simplicity has been a keynote in construction in order to reveal possibilities for back yard gardening. An inexperienced person can successfully build his own rock garden or pool. The fun of having a garden is in making it and caring for it.

Plans, charts and suggestions on what to plant and how to build a garden are available from many sources. In this respect we are always glad to lend assistance. For almost a quarter of a century the Krider Nurseries have enjoyed a splendid reputation, one which is based upon a policy of carefully inspecting every individual order that leaves our place. The quality of the bulbs, plants, trees and shrubs has always greatly pleased our customers, consequently we have enjoyed a most unusual repeat business.

Our nurseries are situated in the rolling hills of Northern Indiana. Here the soil and climatic conditions are ideal for producing the most vigorous trees and plants. The material used in our Century of Progress gardens are typical of what is being sent to customers.

We take this opportunity to thank you for your visit to our gardens and we hope that you have enjoyed them.

Write for our complete catalogue in colors.

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