

# Beautiful Landscapes Quickly Produced

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WITH the general development of the country, the increasing amount of travel and unprecedented prosperity, the many thousands of acres of public parks and innumerable private estates developed into beautiful landscapes, has come a general love for the beautiful in nature. This has been increased and intensified by the introduction of hundreds of valuable species and varieties of trees, shrubs and plants from various parts of this country and from foreign lands, so that we may now say, there is a tree or plant for every purpose.

All this has produced a widespread demand for expert advice on the subject of the improvement of public and private estates and city back yards, for the lack of which in many cases large sums are being expended that bring very little satisfaction. Plants and trees are sometimes selected that are entirely unsuited to the soil and conditions that prevail, or some "stock" design may have been obtained without consideration of the fact that it cannot possibly meet the requirements of different places wholly unlike in the character of soil, contour and exposure. The result is that the trees and plants placed among conditions foreign to their natures are unable to extract from the soil and atmosphere a proper nutriment to sustain life, to say nothing of making a vigorous, healthy, growth, and in consequence they soon sicken and die, leaving their places vacant. Often it is well they do, for, at best, some of them would only make a conglomeration of disconnected specimens entirely out of harmony with one another.

A home is better planned and constructed for having the advice of an experienced architect, and the same is true of the landscape work required about a home. Even though the expenditure of but a small sum is contemplated, it is better to spend this judiciously than at random. Well planned and planted grounds surrounding a house, make the whole an attractive home and bespeak the culture found within.



Hardy Perennials—A Blaze of Color from Spring to Fall With Little Care

## SOME REASONS FOR OUR SUCCESS

Our many years spent in the growing and care of trees, shrubbery and plants of various kinds, and the studying of their habits, gives us advantages over others who have learned only from the printed page or casual observation. Our designs and plans are original and made with due consideration of the particular grounds to be improved. We never make the same designs for two properties. Harmony is the keynote of our efforts.

## HARDY ORNAMENTAL EVERGREENS

We have growing in our Nurseries the largest collection of rare and hardy Evergreens to be found in Canada. These are moved with balls of earth around the roots.

If your trees are old, some pruning may be necessary; a new scheme of planting may be desirable. IN MANY CITIES THE PREVALENT HABIT OF BUILDING THE RESIDENCES VERY NEAR TO THE STREETS LEAVES A LARGE AMOUNT OF GROUND AT THE REAR OF THE HOUSE. This should be made into a place of comfort and enjoyment. WILL YOU LET US DO IT?

We invite correspondence on any subject pertaining to landscape work, ornamental trees, shrubs or evergreens. Our Nurseries are open to your inspection at any time, and our Landscape Department is at your command.