



## Descriptive Catalogue and Price-List of Native Plants of the Southern Alleghany Mountains: Fall and Spring, 1891- 92; Including Deciduous and Evergreen Trees, Flowering Shrubs, Hardy Herbaceous Perennials, Vines, Orchids, Ferns, Aquatics and Bog

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