

Trout Lake (Headquarters)	
Spring Planting.....	16,500
Fall Planting.....	40,000
Peninsula State Park.....	66,250
Brule River State Park.....	72,000
Devil's Lake State Park.....	5,000
Wild Rose Fish Hatchery.....	6,800
Woodruff Fish Hatchery.....	4,600
	211,150

The following table shows the amount of stock shipped for planting to private land owners in the state, tabulated by counties, since shipments were started from the state nurseries:

## TREES SHIPPED TO PRIVATE LAND OWNERS—BY COUNTIES.

County	1914	1915	1916	Total
Barron.....			7,500	7,500
Calumet.....			600	600
Clark.....			3,500	3,500
Columbia.....			1,000	1,000
Dane.....			8,000	8,000
Dodge.....			500	500
Douglas.....	1,000	51,000	60,000	112,000
Eau Claire.....			5,350	5,350
Florence.....	6,000	3,000		9,000
Jackson.....			100	100
Lafayette.....		1,000		1,000
Milwaukee.....			4,000	4,000
Oneida.....		450	400	850
Pierce.....		300	300	600
Portage.....		3,200		3,200
Price.....		3,400		3,400
Racine.....			1,000	1,000
Trempealeau.....	10,000		2,400	12,400
Sheboygan.....		14,000	300	14,300
Vernon.....			1,300	1,300
Vilas.....	500	1,000	500	2,000
Rusk.....			10,500	10,500
Washburn.....	1,400		500	1,900
Washington.....	1,300			1,300
Waupaca.....			250	250
Waukesha.....			2,200	2,200
	20,200	77,350	100,200	207,850

The following table gives the total acreage planted on state owned lands:

Star Lake.....	Acres
Trout Lake.....	136
Rest Lake.....	412
Plum Lake.....	93
Muskalonge Lake.....	129
Peninsula Park.....	45
Devil's Lake Park.....	50
Brule River Park.....	4
Wild Rose Fish Hatchery.....	75
Woodruff Fish Hatchery.....	6
Tomahawk Lake.....	4
	955

The success of the plantings may be judged by the following percentage of living trees at the end of the first season's growth, based on actual counts:

	Per cent Surviving.
Star Lake.....	83
Trout Lake.....	75
Rest Lake.....	82
Plum Lake.....	80
Muskalonge Lake.....	78
Peninsula Park.....	94
Devil's Lake Park.....	40
Brule River Park.....	60
Wild Rose Fish Hatchery.....	80
Woodruff Fish Hatchery.....	85
Tomahawk Lake.....	85

Up to the present time, the conifers and especially the white and red pines and Norway spruce have been advocated for general planting in the state. The Commission has deemed it advisable to enlarge on this



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policy so as to include the best broad-leaved trees. From the standpoints of beauty, rapidity of growth and commercial value, the basswood, red oak and white ash are considered to be the best species, and these will be grown in the nurseries. These trees will be ready for distribution during the spring of 1918. They are of particular value for planting in the hardwood belt in the southern part of the state, but also are very well suited to the heavier soils in the northern counties.

Forest tree planting on the part of private land owners is constantly encouraged by the Conservation Commission. In order to stimulate these activities planting plans are prepared for land owners, and thrifty planting stock is supplied from the state nurseries at cost. This co-operative effort to encourage tree culture in the state has met with a reasonable response from land owners, as the sales of planting stock will verify. It is safe to predict that this opportunity offered by the Commission will be taken advantage of in an enlarged way in the future. The order blank adopted by the Commission, and the 1917 price list for planting stock follows:

**WISCONSIN CONSERVATION COMMISSION**  
Madison, Wis.

**Price List of Planting Stock**

Gentlemen:

The undersigned hereby applies for the following number and kinds of trees for planting in the town of.....  
County of....., State of Wisconsin.

No order granted for less than 100 trees. Extra charge of 50 cts. per order will be made on lots of less than 1000. Prices are F. O. B. at Trout Lake or Tomahawk Lake. You will be notified if supply of certain stock is exhausted on receipt of your order. Please send full purchase price with all orders.

Amount of Remittance: \$.....

Species	Number of trees desired	Price per M.	Age (Years)	Height inches	Cost
White Pine Seedlings.....		\$2.00	2	2-6	.....
White Pine Seedlings.....		2.50	3	4-10	.....
White Pine Transplants.....		5.00	4	6-15	.....
White Pine Transplants.....		4.00	3	3-8	.....
Red Pine Seedlings*.....		2.50	3	4-10	.....
Red Pine Transplants.....		4.00	3	5-10	.....
Red Pine Transplants.....		5.00	4	6-14	.....
Scotch Pine Seedlings.....		2.50	3	4-8	.....
Scotch Pine Transplants.....		4.00	3	5-10	.....
Austrian Pine Seedlings.....		2.50	3	5-9	.....
Norway Spruce Transplants.....		5.00	4	3-8	.....
White Spruce Transplants.....		5.00	4	4-12	.....
Col. Blue Spruce Trspts.....		5.00	4	3-7	.....
Douglas Fir Seedlings.....		2.50	3	2-4	.....
White Cedar Seedlings.....		3.00	4	2-8	.....
<b>Total.....</b>					

\*Another name for Norway Pine