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## THE COVER FLOWER

### C. japonica 'Grand Slam'

This is the second of Nuccio's Nurseries' 1962-1963 introductions to be used as a cover flower, 'Kick-Off' having been used on the October 1962 issue cover. 'Grand Slam' is a large to very large clear red with heavy, large, dark green foliage. The flower form is semi-double to anemone. Even though the flower were not so red and large, this new japonica would be a welcome addition to a camellia collection because of the foliage. It is an early to mid-season bloomer.

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