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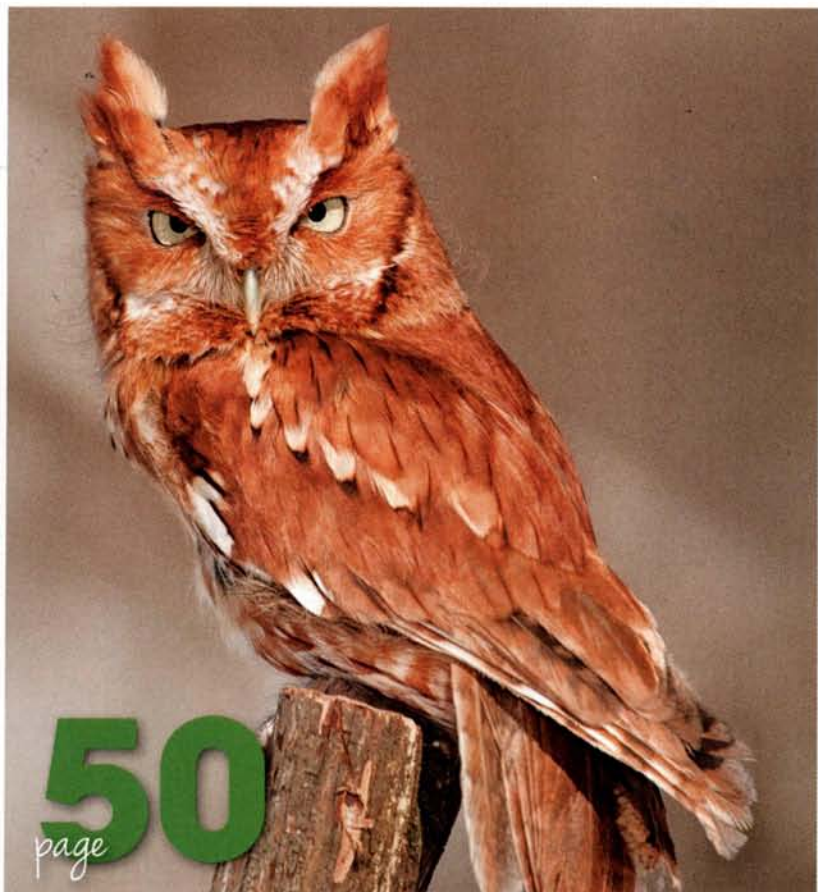
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GARDEN VARIETY

plant pick mini delights

Gorgeous new plants are beckoning everywhere, and your must-get list is too long already. But surely you can squeeze one more onto that list and into your garden: Little Cutie mini heucheras.

It's a series of tiny darlings from Terra Nova Nurseries—'Blondie', 'Coco', 'Frost', 'Ginger Snap', 'Peppermint' (shown at left), 'Sugar Berry' and 'Sweet Tart'. They're new this spring, and all are estimated to reach just 8 to 10 inches high and wide—and that's including their dainty floral spires. Their leaves grow to only 5 or 6 inches tall, depending on the variety. Also known as coral bells, heucheras are known for their long-lasting beauty and easy-going nature.

The Little Cutie series (Zones 4 to 9) does well in full sun to full shade. The plants are compact with blooms that last from May through October. They're also drought-tolerant and popular with butterflies and hummingbirds.

Try these petites in patio pots or rock gardens, in the front of beds and borders or along walkways. Just be sure to choose sites with well-drained soil. Visit terranovanurseries.com for retailers or call 800-215-9450. —Meleah Maynard

