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# ${ }^{W B}$ Ruppoá ${ }^{W B}$ <br> ADVANCE PRICES FOR 1905 <br> VEGETABLE SEEDS and SWEET PEAS 

Including Choice Novelties and Specialties

W. Atlee Burpee \& Co. 475 and 477 North Fith St. 476 and 478 York Ave. PHILADELPHIA, PA. FORDHOOK FARMS, BUCKS COUNTY, PA.


Tomato Seed is one of the special crops on our Fordhook Farms.


The illustration above was engraved from a photograph, taken June 4, 1904. It shows eighteen men and boys setting out one of the fields at Fordhook Farms with plants of our popular Matchless Tomato.
In cases of extreme dry weather we plant by machines, one of which is shown in the small photograph herewith.

## MORE THAN THREE HUNDRED FIELD TRIALS OF TOMATOES!

At Fordhoor, the past Season, besides our growing crops, we had no less than three hundred and fifteen distinct sample rows, under separate numbers, in our Trial Grounds. This complete trial embraced not only all standard and many so-called " new " varieties, but also different stocks of the leading Tomatoes. We must know the comparative merits of our own and other stocks, as otherwise we could not honestly claim that Fordhook-Grown Tomato Seed is the best on the market to-day ?

Terms of Credit. To regular customers and well-known houses of established credit, all bills bought from this catalogue are due June 1 st, without regard to date of purchase.

Hes Bills purchased on special quotations, made by letter or telegram, are net sixty days from date of invoice, or subject to a discount of one and a half per cent. for cash within ten days of date of invoice.

Unknown correspondents desiring credit are requested to give satisfactory reference in Philadelphia or New York.
 paid within ten days from date of invoice.

The Prices Quoted are those ruling at this date. We expect to adhere to them until the issue of our January catalogue, except where important changes compel us to advance or reduce our prices, when we shall be governed by the market. 10 lbs. and more will be supplied at the rates per 100 lbs .; $1 / 2 \mathrm{tb}$ and $1 / 2$ bushel at pound and bushel rates; but smaller quantities will be charged at a higher rate.

NO CHARGE for Packing or Cartage.-Bags and boxes are charged at Cost. After delivering to forwarders in good order (as shown by Bill of Lading) our responsibility ceases. Insurance will be effected only when so directed.

SEALED PACKAGES. - We make no charge for sealing pounds, pecks, or bushels, but, at the low bulk prices quoted therein, we shall charge for putting up in smaller sealed packages, when so ordered, as follows:

In Ounces.-One cent per ounce ; 50 cts. per 100 ounces.
In Quarter-Pounds, Pints, and Quarts.-Two cents for each package.
In Two-Quarts and Four-Quarts.-A charge of three cents per package.

## Advance Prices,-for Merchants only,-of "The Best Seeds that Grow!

The vitality (that is, percentage of growth) can be easily tested before planting, but no one living can tell from an examination of the seeds themselves whether they are of a high-grade strain or the veriest rubbish.

It is necessary, therefore, that every planter must trust some seedsman. The fact that more planters order direct from us,-year after year,-than from any other firm in the world shows that Burpee's Seeds have been proved trustworthy.

Nowhere else in America is there expended so much time and money in "proving stocks" as at our famous Fordhook Farms, in Bucks County, while at no other warehouse is greater care exercised in handling seeds


## Burpee's Seeds, whether Peas, Beans, Sweet

 Corn, or Farm Seeds,- or a quantity of small Garden Seeds,Every Sack is Sealed with our
Registered Trade Mark on a Leaden Seal.
Inside each sack is the label printed with name of variety and Dated 1905.
A Tag outside shows what each sack contains. Fid than in the new Burpee Building, Philadelphia.

Competition with us is always on the line of quality. The best it is possible to produce is our aim each season, and by continued selection we are constantly making improvements. This we could not do if we regarded chiefly cost of production, which is generally the prime consideration in growing commercial seedsconsidered quite "good enough" for general use!
At Wholesale -as well as at retail-we are "A Mail-Order House", orders. As a consequence, however, we are careful to attend promptly to inquiries by mail or telegram. In large lots on many varieties, this season, we are prepared to quote special prices upon request.

It pays to order early. Should any varieties be quoted lower in our general Trade List, to be issued, as usual, January ist, we shall give advantage of such reductions on all booked orders. Some prices are likely to advance,-thus You have everything to gain by placing your order early.

Sincerely yours,


Seed Gardens and Trial Grounds at Fordhook Farms, Bucks County, Penna.

BurPEE, PHILADELPHIA, \(\left\{\begin{array}{l}is sufficient address<br>for letters or telegrams\end{array}\right.\)

# Telegraphic Cipher (or Cable Code) <br> FOR WEIGHTS AND MEASURES. 

The telegraphic cipher word for quantities must always precede the cipher words for seed, but if the same quantity of several varieties is ordered, the cipher word meaning that quantity need be placed only before the first. For example :

Arad Navy, Purity, Benares, Calliope, Chalice, Malmo Balcony, would mean, ship at once, cheapest route, ten pounds each Navy Blue and Sadie Burpee Sweet Peas (whiteseeded), twenty-five pounds each Burpee's allhead Early Cabbage and Oxheart Carrot, and ten bushels Burpee's Stringless Green-Pod Beans.

Our customers will find this a very inexpensive way of wiring their orders, but we must caution them that care be taken in writing out the messages, as we cannot hold ourselves responsible for errors arising from incomplete messages or incorrect translation.

IMPORTANT.-This telegraphic cipher must be used ONLY on orders by telegraph or cable, and never in written orders sent by mail.


# BURPEE, Philadelphia, Is Our Registered Cable Address. 

All foreign customers are requested to advise us of their shortest cable address. Customers in America who wish to telegraph will also, occasionally, find it useful to use the following additional code. Please note the code=words below that would be used in our reply, either by cable or telegram.

## FOR OFFERS AND INQUIRIES.

CODE-WORD.

| Daubling |
| :---: |
| Dean. |
| Decoy |
| Defend. |
| Defender |
| Deform. |
| Deject. |
| Delude. |
| Derange. |
| Descend |

## TRANSLATION.

Telegraph your lowest prices for
Mail your lowest prices for
Mail your lowest prices for ........., and send samples.
Telegraph when goods can be shipped.
Advise immediately by mail how soon goods will be shipped.
Can you offer for acceptance by mail .........?
Can you offer any ........ ? If so, telegraph prices.
Can you offer any ........ ? If so, mail prices.
Telegraph quantities you can offer of following, with prices.
State by letter quantities you can offer of following, with prices.

## Code-words that will be used in OUR ANSWERS.

Dab


Dagger ..........
Dainty..........
Damsel.........
Dance...........
Dapper
Dapple
Darby
Dardanus
f In reply to your telegram, we quote for immediate acceptance upon our usual terms for special quotations the varieties named below, provided they are unsold upon receipt of your order.
We accept your order for
We accept your order for $\qquad$ , and shall ship at once.
We accept your order for ........., and shall ship as directed.
We offer you for immediate acceptance, subject to being unsold.
We accept your offer and shall ship as directed.
Cannot accept your order for . . . . . . . .
\{ Part of your order went forward by freight on expect to ship
\{ balance
\{ Part of your order went forward by express on ......... expect to ship balance
Please repeat your message, it is not clear.

## Code for positive ORDERS.

Dargie......... $\mid$ Send immediately by express following seeds at catalogue prices.
Darken........ Send immediately by freight following seeds at catalogue prices.
Darnel......... Send immediately by mail following seeds at catalogue prices.
Dare. . . . . . . . . . .
Dared
Darling

## Dasher

Dashing
Datary

## Dation.

Foreign Orders are invoiced at the lowest prices prevailing upon date of subject to fluctuations) will prices be charged higher than quoted herein, while in case of decline in any lines our foreign customers (who, of course, cannot be kept so well posted in the value of American seeds) will receive full advantage of any lower prices that we may be quoting. Our export trade is increasing every year, and dealers, even in the most distant countries, who intrust their orders to us, can rely upon the same close attention and equally the most favorable prices that we are making at the same time, for the same quality and quantity, to American seedsmen.

## Burpee's Vegetable Seeds.

## TEN POUNDS OR MORE WILL BE CHARGED AT 100-POUND RATES.


#### Abstract

This list cancels all previous quotations. Orders are binding only when accepted. On varieties which are in extremely short supply we shall refuse orders after we have sold quantities allowed for our wholesale trade.

It is always advantageous to place your orders early, as sometimes disappointments occur through delay. Please use telegraph cipher only for telegraphic or cable orders.

A Telegraphic Cipher (or Cable Code) is attached to each variety, by which orders can be wired at little expense,-using also our code for weights and measures as given on page 2. For example:

Darken Pelew Balcony would mean : Send immediately, by fast freight, forty bushels of Burpee's Stringless Green-Pod Beans at catalogue price.

Dargie Arad Cage would mean : Send immediately, by express, ten pounds of best select Jersey Wakefield Cabbage at catalogue price.

Darnel Amoy Lantern would mean: Send immediately, by mail, three pounds of seed of Big Boston Lettuce.


Telegrams should be addressed,

# W. ATLEE BURPEE \& CO., Philadelphia. 

## Our Cable Address is: BURPEE, Philadelphia.

## ARTICHOKE.

Tel. Cipher. Per fb. Per 100 fbs .
Large Green Globe
Abaft
$\$ 190$

New Early Violet Campania ...............Abase........... 200

## ASPARAGUS.

| Barr's Mammoth | Abbey ......... | 30 | \$25 00 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Columbian Mammoth | Adduce ....... | 35 | 3000 |
| Conover's Colossal | Adept .......... | 25 | 2200 |
| Palmetto.. | Adipose....... | 28 | 2500 |

BEANS,-Dwarf, Bush, orSnap,-Green-Podded.

| Tel. Cipher. | Per bush. | Ten bush. or more at |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Early Mohawk..............................Babble | \$3 50 | \$3 25 |
| Extra Early RED VALENTINE (Finest |  |  |
| Improved Round-Pod Strain)........Bacon. | 400 | 375 |
| Refugee, or 1000 to 1.....................Badge | 400 | 375 |
| Extra Early Refugee ......................Badger | 400 | 375 |
| Early Yellow Six Weeks..................Baffler | 375 | 350 |
| Round Yellow Six Weeks................Bailiff | 375 | 360 |
| Burpee's STRINGLESS GREEN-POD...Balcon | 600 | 575 |
| Blue-Podded Butter .......................Bandit | 550 |  |
| New " Giant Stringless " Green-Pod.....Bang. | 600 | 575 |

# BUSH BEANS,-Wax-Podded Varieties. 

|  | Tel. Cipher. Per bush. | Ten bush. or more at |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Burpee's Perfection Wax | Bangle.......\$6 50 | \$6 25 |
| Burpee's SADDLEBACK Wax | Banish........ 800 |  |
| Dwarf German Black Wax | Barked........ 575 | 550 |
| Burpee's BRITTLE WAX | Banishing... 1000 |  |
| New "PENCIL-POD" Black Wax | Barnet....... 625 | 600 |
| New Prolific Black Wax | Barrack...... 600 | 575 |
| Golden-Eyed Wax | Basque........ 575 | 550 |
| Golden Wax | Batten ........ 625 | 600 |
| Improved Rust-Proof Golden Wax | Bayonet...... 625 | 600 |
| Refugee Wax | Beast........... 625 | 600 |
| Crystal White Wax | Beastly ....... 650 |  |
| Keeney's Rustless Golden Wax | Beaver ......... 575 | 550 |
| Wardwell's Kidney Wax. | Beckon ........ 700 | 675 |
| Davis' White Wax | Bedlam ....... 650 | 625 |
| Currie's Rust-Proof Golden Wax | Beech .......... 575 | 550 |

## BUSH BEANS,-Varieties for Shelled Beans.




ECLIPSE BEET.

## GARDEN BEETS.

NOTE.-Ten pounds or more are invoiced at the rate per 100 pounds.

|  | Tel. Cipher. Per ib. | Per 100 lds. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Extra Early Egyptian Turnip | Bombard .....\$0 30 | \$25 00 |
| Crosby's Egyptian. | Bonify......... 35 | 3000 |
| Burpee's Extra Early Turnip | Bonnet........ 30 | 2500 |
| Bastian's Extra Early Red Turnip | Bооже .......... 25 | 2000 |
| The Lentz | Borer .......... 30 | 2500 |
| Crimson Globe | Boring........ 40 | 3500 |
| Early Model (New) | Bornite ....... 75 | 7000 |
| Early Bassano | Botcher........ 22 | 2000 |
| Edmand's Early Turnip | Bounce ....... 30 | 2500 |
| Eclipse | Bow ............ 30 | 2800 |
| Detroit Dark | Bowser ........ 30 | 2500 |
| Burpee's Columbia | Brace .......... 35 | 3000 |
| Covent Garden | Bracket....... 25 | 2200 |
| True Dark Stinson (Burpee) | Brag ........... 30 | 2800 |
| Burpee's Improved Blood Turnip | Braid.......... 30 | 2500 |
| Bastian's Half-Long Blood-Red | Brass .......... 28 | 2500 |
| Early Blood-Red Turnip | Brattle ........ 28 |  |
| Queen of the Blacks | Bravado ...... 25 | 2200 |
| Dewing's Improved Blood Turnip | Bravo.......... 30 | 2700 |
| Long Smooth Blood-Red | Break.......... 25 | 2200 |
| Early Yellow Turnip. | Brent........... 50 |  |
| Swiss Chard, or Silver Bee | Brevet ........ 25 | 2200 |

## SUGAR BEETS and MANGELS.

Improved Wanzleben Sugar ...............Brick ............ 121000
Lane's Improved Imperial Sugar ..........Bridal ......... $12 \quad 1000$
New Danish Sugar (Burpee)..............Brigade....... 161400
New Red-Top Sugar........................Brindle....... 121000
Golden Giant Intermediate.................Brine ............ 121000
Golden Tankard Yellow-Fleshed..........Broaden ...... 121000
Mammoth Prize Long Red.................Brutal ......... 121000
Giant Half-Sugar Mangel....................Bucket........... 141200
Red Globe... ..................................Buckle .......... 121000
Champion Yellow, or Orange Globe......Builder........ 121000
BRUSSELS SPROUTS.


## CABBAGE,-Early and Second-Early.

NOTE.-Ten pounds or more are invoiced at 100 -pound rates.
Tel. Cipher. Per fb.
Early Etampes
Cabin .\$0 90
Early Express (extra early).................Cackle ......... 100

Large Early York............................. Cadet
Early Jersey Wakefield (extra American) Cage............. 12511000
Early Jersey Wakefield (Best Imported) Caged .......... $90 \quad 7500$
Large Wakefield, or Charleston..........Calf .............. 12511000
Charleston Wakefield (Imported)......... Calfat........... $90 \quad 7500$
Early Winnigstadt (superb strain)......... Calico ........... $90 \quad 8000$
Burpee's New "Early Baseball"......... Callipers...... 20017500
Burpee's ALLHEAD EARLY...............Calliope....... 14012500
Burpee's "Early Stonehead" ............ Callous ........ 16015000
Early Dwarf Flat Dutch.................... Camber........ $100 \quad 9000$
Maule's First Early, or "Eureka '"........Cambrel....... 14012500
Henderson's Early Spring ..................Camp............ 14012500
Henderson's Early Summer (Imported). Canopy........ $90 \quad 7500$
All Seasons.....................................Canteen........ 12511000
Fottler's Brunswick (extra fine).......... Cap............... 11010000
Henderson's Succession.....................Capsize........ 12511000
CABBAGE,-Winter Varieties.
Acme Flat Dutch..............................Capture ...... $100 \quad 9000$
Large Late Flat Dutch...................Caravan ..... $80 \quad 7000$
Burpee's Superior Premium Flat Dutch.. Carbon......... 100 90 90
Burpee's LATE STONEHEAD............Carder......... 15014000
Burpee's Safe Crop...........................Cardiac........ 1 1 00 90 00
Burpee's SUREHEAD ...................... Carding ...... 12511000
Large Late Drumhead (American grown) Caraffe......... 11009000
Large Late Drumhead...................... Careen......... $80 \quad 7000$
Burpee's SHORT-STEM Drumhead ... Carnal......... 12511000
Danish BALLHEAD (gr'n in Denmark). Carpel.......... 16015000
Danish Ballhead, or Hollander.............Carved......... 12511000
Burpee's DANISH ROUNDHEAD ......Carving ...... 188517500
The Lupton.................................... Cascade ...... $100 \quad 9000$
Autumn King, or World-Beater ........... Cass.............. 12511000
Marblehead Mammoth......................Cassino........ 908000
Stone-Mason Marblehead....................Castile.......... $90 \quad 8000$
Perfection Drumhead Savoy...............Caw.............. $90 \quad 8000$
Drumhead Savoy (Imported).......... .... Caved.......... $70 \quad 6500$
Large Red Drumhead........................ Celtic............. 100 9000
Mammoth Rock Red..........................Ceruse.......... 11010000
Early Blood-Red Erfurt....................Cestrum...... $90 \quad 7500$

## CARROTS,-for Cattle Feeding.

Improved Short White (extra fine)........Chatty.......... 25.2200
Large White Belgian..........................Chay............ 252200
Large Yellow Belgian.....................Checker......... $30 \quad 2500$
Large White Vosges (a fine strain).....Cheered........ 252200
Long Red Altringhaın......................Chess............. 252200


## GARDEN CARROTS.

NOTE.-Ten pounds or more are invoiced at 100 -pound rates.
Tel. Cipher. Per ibs. Per 100 lbs.
Early Very Short Scarlet, or Golden Ball. Chaise ......... \$0 55 \$50 00
Short Horn, or Early Scarlet Horn....... Chalder....... 454000
Oxheart, or Guerande.......................Chalice.......... 454000
Half-Long Luc................................. Chalk............ $40 \quad 3500$
Danvers Half-Long Orange ................ Champ......... $40 \quad 3500$
Chantenay, or Model. ........................Chanter........ 454000
Half-Long Scarlet Stump-Rooted ........Chantress.... $40 \quad 3500$
Improved Long Orange.....................Chapel........... $35 \quad 3000$
Saint Vallery, or New Intermediate ...... Char ............ $35 \quad 3000$
New Meaux ...................................Charmer ..... . $40 \quad 3500$
Coreless Long Red...........................Chart............. $40 \quad 3500$
Long Yellow Stump-Rooted ............... Chasm ......... $40 \quad 3500$
O11 Carrot Seed is all French grown, and this fact should be borne in mind Carrot seed; the roots are transplanted, enabling a proper selection, true to type.

## CAULIFLOWER.


CELERY,-Early Self-Blanching Varieties.

|  | her. Perit. | Per 100 tos. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING (Am | \$2 50 | \$225 00 |
| GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING (Frenc | Chock.......... 290 | 26000 |
| GOLDEN ROSE (Rose-Ribbed Paris). | Choir .......... 210 | 20000 |
| WHITE PLUME (finest strain). | Chopper ...... 125 | 11000 |
| Livingston's Snow-White | Choquette... 110 | 10000 |



NEW " WINTER QUEEN" CELERY.

## CELERY,-Long-Keeping Winter Varieties.



## CHICORY.

Large-Rooted, or Coffee....................Cistern.......... 454000

## COLLARDS.

Genrgia, or Southern....... .................Citing........... $45 \quad 4000$
North Carolina Short Stem
Citizen
50

# CORN SALAD, or VETTICOST. <br> Large Round-Leaved (large seed).........Citrate. 

## EARLY FORDHOOK SWEET CORN, -fiom a Photograph, reduced in size.

## SWEET CORN,-Early Varieties.



We whall be pleased to quote prices on Field and Pop Corn on application.

## CRESS.




FORDHOOK FAMOUS CUCUMBER, from a Pholograph reduced in size.
CUCUMBER,-Earliest Varieties.

CUCUMBER,-Strains of White Spine.
Early White Spine Concha ..... 65 ..... 6000
New Extra Early White Spine Concrede...... 65 ..... 6000
Improved Early White Spine or Arlington ..... 65 ..... 6000
FORDHOOK FAMOUS Conduct ..... $125 \quad 10000$
FORDHOOK WHITE SPINE (Burpee). ..... 65 ..... 6000
New Century Confab ..... 65 ..... 6000
Peerless White Spine Confide ..... 65 ..... 6000
Extra Long, or Evergreen White Spine. Confuse ..... 65 ..... 6000
CUCUMBER,-Other Varieties.
FORDHOOK PICKLİNG (Burpee)...... Congeal ..... 6000
CUMBERLAND Congestion ..... 7000
LONDON LONG GREEN Coniferous ..... 65 ..... 6000
The Emerald Conject ..... 7000
Livingston's Evergreen Connex ..... 6000
Paris Pickling Conrey ..... 6500
Burpee's Giant Pera. Consult ..... 9000
Japanese Climbing Coop ..... 6000
Burpee's White Pearl Copart ..... 70
Burpee's White Wonder Copper ..... 6000
West India Gherkin Cordon ..... 90 ..... 8000
Serpent, or SnakeCork.100
If in need of a large quantity of Cucumber Seed, please ask for Special Prices,-statingvarieties and quantities required. Fa
DANDELION.
Inproved Large-Leaved Dandy ..... 350
EGG PLANT.
New York Improved Large Purple Ebony ..... 275 ..... 25000
Fordhook Improved Spineless Eddy ..... 285 ..... 26500
Burpee's Black Beauty (oz. 30 cts.) Edge ..... 375 ..... 35000
White, -"The Pearl". Edict ..... $200 \quad 19000$
Early Long Purple Egg ..... $140 \quad 12500$Extra Early Dwarf Round Purple14012500

## ENDIVE.

NOTE.-Ten pounds or more are invoiced at 100 -pound rates.

| Green Curled | Tel. Cipher. <br> ..Emane . | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Per ib. } \\ & . \$ 065 \end{aligned}$ | Per 100 tos. $\$ 60 \quad 00$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| White Curled | Encore. | 65 | 6000 |
| Giant Green Fringed, or "Oyster " | Encored | 70 | 6500 |
| Broad-Leaved Batavian | Ephod. | 65 | 6000 |
| KALE, or BORECOLE. |  |  |  |
| Dwarf Siberian | Keat | 35 | 3000 |
| Dwarf German (Dwarf Curled Scotch | Keck | 45 | 4000 |
| Dwarf Purple. | Kecksy | 45 | 4000 |
| Mosbach Curled, Winter Kale | Kedge.. | 45 | 4000 |
| Tall Green Curled Scotch | Keech. | 50 | 4500 |

KOHL-RABI, or Turnip-Rooted Cabbage.

| Early White Vi | Keel............. 140 | 12500 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Early Purple Vienna | King........... 140 | 12500 |
| Green or White. | Knag... ....... 75 | 7000 |

LEEK.
Broad London Flag. Label ..... 6000
Large American Flag Labor ..... $65 \quad 60 \quad 00$
Long Mezieres. Laboring..... 100 ..... 9000
Monstrous Carentan Lace ..... $90 \quad 80 \quad 00$
LETTUCE,-Earliest and Forcing Varieties.
White-Seeded Tennis Ball Lackey......... 50 ..... 4500
Black-Seeded Tennis Ball. Lade............ 50 ..... 4500
Black-Seeded Butter Lame............ 55 ..... 5000
Yellow-Seeded Butter Lamp ..... 50 ..... 4500
Precocity, w. s. Lampers ..... 80 ..... 7500
Miniature, or Density, w. s. Lampoon .... 75 ..... $70 \quad 00$
Wheeler's Tom Thumb, $b$. Lance ..... 4500
Stonehead Golden Yellow (true), w. s...LLank ..... 5000
BIG BOSTON, w.s. Lantern ..... 5500
Unrivaled (Improved Big Boston), w. s. ...Lapped. ..... $65 \quad 6000$
Early Paris Market Forcing, $b$. Larboard ..... 80 ..... 7500
Matador, w.s. Larceny ..... 7500
Hittinger's Belmont, w.s. Lareh ..... 50 ..... 4500
Detroit Market Gardeners' Forcing, w. s. Larder ..... 4500
Salamander, $b$. $s$ Lark ..... 4500
Mignonette, b. s. Lath ..... $55 \quad 5000$
Passion (Black-Seeded Forcing) Lather ..... 50 ..... 4500
Mammoth Black-Seeded Butter Lattice ..... 60Grand Rapids, b.s.Launch........ 504500
Early Speckled Dutch Butterhead, w.s... Lax. ..... 50 ..... 4500
Golden Queen (Early Egg), w. s League ..... 60 ..... 5500
Reichner's White Butter Forcing, w.s.. Leaper ..... 4500
Tilton's White Star, w.s Leash ..... 4500

## LETTUCE,-Cutting Varieties. <br> NOTE. - Ten pounds or more will be invoiced at $\mathbf{1 0 0}$-pound rates.



## LETTUCE,-Crisp-Head Varieties.

|  | 55 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Denver Market, w. s.........................Limb | 50 |  |
| HANSON (best hard-heading stock), w. s.Linge | 50 |  |
| Crisp-as-Ice, b. s. ..........................Lingering... | 50 |  |
| Burpee's "Giant Glacier," b. s............Lining. | 70 |  |
| Burpee's Brittle Ice, w. s.. ................ Linkage | 40 | 125 |
| ICEBERG, w. s. (Burpee). | 55 |  |
|  |  |  |

## LETTUCE,-" Butterhead '’ Varieties.

|  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Burpee's Silv | 55 | 5000 |
| Philadelphia Early White Cabbage, w s..Livid | 45 |  |
| Early Prize Head, or Brown Cabbage, w.s.Lizard | 45 |  |
| Gold Nugget, w. s. (Burpee).................Loaf | 55 | 5000 |
| Market Gardeners' Private Stock, b. s.....Loafer | 45 |  |
| Deacon, or San Francisco Market, w. s...Lobby | 50 |  |
| Nansen, or North Pole, w.s. ...............Lobe | 65 |  |
| Continuity, b. s..............................LLofti | 65 |  |
| Thickhead Yellow, w. s..................... Lofty | 55 |  |
| California Cream-Butter, b. s. (Burpee)...Logic. | 50 | 45 |
| Thorburn's Maximum, b. s. (also called <br> "Immensity") $\qquad$ | 50 |  |
| Burpee's Hardhead, w. s ................... Loiter. | 55 | 500 |
| Blonde Blockhead, w. s.....................L Lo | 55 | 50 |

## LETTUCE,-Cos, or "Celery'" Varieties.

Dwarf White-Heart Cos, w. s..............Lore............. $60 \quad 5500$

Giant White Cos, w. s ....... ..............Lounge......... $60 \quad 5500$
Paris White Cos (Romaine), w. s ........ Loyal ........... 555000
Express, or Eclipse ......................... Lozenge....... $80 \quad 70 \quad 00$


Two Specimens of Burpee's netted gems,-engraved jrom a Pholograph.

## MELON-MUSK,-Green-Fleshed Varieties.

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\text { NOTE.-Ten pounds or more will be invoiced at } 100 \text {-pound rates. }
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MELON-MUSK,-Salmon-Fleshed Varieties.
EMERALD GEM (Burpee's)................Mavis. ..... 140 ..... 12500
Miller's Cream, or Osage Maw ..... $65 \quad 6000$
GOLDEN EAGLE (Burpee's) Mead ..... 75 ..... 7000
PAUL ROSE, or Petoskey Measfer ..... 65 ..... 6000
Ferry's New Defender Meekest ..... 65 ..... 6000
Tip Top Nutmeg Menial ..... 70 ..... 6500
Kinsman Queen Mercer ..... 45 ..... 4000

## MELON-WATER.



Ho See page 30 for general list of Nasturtiums.

## OKRA, or GUMBO.

Dwarf Prolific, or Density................. Oaken........... $25 \quad 2000$
New Lady Finger..............................Oar... ............ $30 \quad 2500$
White Velvet................................. Oasis ............ 252000
N. J. Perfected Perkins' Long Pod..... Obduct......... $35 \quad 3000$

Kleckley's Favorite............................Obdure.......... 656000

## ONIONS,-American Red Varieties.

NOTE.-Ten pounds or more will be invoiced at 100 -pound rates.


## PARSLEY.

Plain or Single Pacer........... 25 ..... 2000
Finest Double Curled Pactum ..... 30 ..... 2500
Extra Dark Moss Curled Padded........ 30 ..... 2500
Fern-Leaved Padrone ...... 35 ..... 3000
Extra Curled Dwarf (Emerald) Pagan ..... 2500
Turnip-Rooted, or Hamburg Pugent ..... 2500
PARSNIP.
Early Short Round French Painter ..... 25 ..... 2000
Improved Guernsey Palate ..... 1800
Long Smooth, or Hollow Crown Palaver ..... 20 ..... 1800

# PEAS,-Small Round Extra Earlies. 

|  | Tel. Cipher. Per bush. | Ten bush. or more at |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Burpee's Extra Early | Pale............\$3 10 | \$300 |
| "BURPEE'S BEST" Extra Early | Pallium ...... 325 | 310 |
| New "Prolific" Extra Early | Pallor......... 340 | 325 |
| First and Best | Palmate ...... 300 | 275 |
| Philadelphia Extra Early | Palsy........... 300 | 275 |
| Improved Daniel O'Rourke | Palter......... 300 | 275 |
| ALASKA, or Laxton's Earliest of All | Pamper...... 275 | 250 |


| Nott's Excelsior | Pandar....... 625 | 600 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| William Hurst | Pane.......... 575 | 550 |
| AMERICAN WONDER | Panicle....... 575 | 550 |
| Extra Early Premium Gem | Panoply ..... 525 | 500 |
| Surprise, or Eclipse. | Panther...... 575 | 550 |
| GRADUS (Prosperity) | Papal .......... 850 | 800 |
| Thomas Laxton. | Papist......... 850 | 800 |

PEAS,-Second Early and Main Crop.
Admiral..................... ..................... Parable....... 325300
Alderman..................................... Parch .......... 550 5 25
Bliss's Abundance............................ Parental...... 350 3 25
Bliss's Everbearing.................. ....... Parish ........ 350 3 25
Boston Unrivaled ............................ Parole ......... 550.525
Burpee's PROFUSION ................... Parrot ......... 650
Burpee's QUALITY ...................... ... Parry ....... . Crop failed.
Burpee's QUANTITY...................... Parson......... 5 25 500
British Wonder............................ Parsonage... 600 : 575
Carter's DAISY..........................................ssade....... $600 \quad 575$
Champion. of England..................... Passion........ $325 \quad 300$
Yorkshire Hero...............................Passing...... $350 \quad 325$
Duke of Albany.............................. Pastel........... 525 5 00
Hurst's RELIANCE............................ Pathetic'...... 450 4 25
HEROINE .................................. Pathos........ 425400
Horsford's Market Garden .................. Patriot......... 3 25 300
Kelvedonian ....................................Patriotism... $525 \quad 500$
Improved Senator ........................... Pauper........ $625 \quad 600$
Improved PRIDE OF THE MARKET... Pawn ........... 4504425
Laxton's Evolution ...........................Peiirl............ 625
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$\begin{array}{llllllll}\text { Mclean's Advancer...........................Pectize .......... } & 3 & 50 & 3 & 25 \\ \text { Shropshire Hero .............................Pedal.. ......... } & 4 & 00 & 3 & 75\end{array}$
Improved STRATAGEM................. Peep...... ...... $700 \quad 675$
Telephone ............. ...................... Pelican ....... 5 00.. 475
Long Island Mammoth (Telegraph)......Pellet......... 425400
Black-Eye Marrowfat (Hand-picked).....Pelter......... $200 \quad 190$
Dwarf White Marrowfat (Hand-picked)..Penance....... $200 \quad 190$
Dwarf Sugar (Purple Blossom)............Pendle......... 550
Mammoth Melting Sugar ..................Pencil.......... 600

## PEPPER,-Small and Hot.

|  | Tel. Cipher. Per th. | Yer 100 tos. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bird's-Eye, or Creole...................Pennant ...... $\$ 150$ |  |  |
| Celestial | Pensive ....... 160 | \$150 00 |
| Coral Gem Bouquet | Peon............ 225 |  |
| Mikado (Burpee) | People......... 225 |  |
| Kaleidoscope | Peptic ......... 160 |  |
| Long Red Cayenne (true) | Percale ....... 140 | 13000 |
| Red Chili (true) | Perfume..... 150 | 14000 |
| Tabasco (true McIlhenny struin) | Perfuse ....... 375 |  |
| Red Cluster | Perivig....... 150 | 14000 |
| Fancy Wrinkled, Mixed | Pernia........ 175 | 15000 |
| PEPPER,-Large and Mild. |  |  |
| Large Bell, or Bull-Nose (Impr | Perse .......... 110 | 10000 |
| Sweet Mountain, or Mammoth | Pertly.......... 125 | 11000 |
| Burpee's RUBY KING | Perturb....... 150 | 14000 |
| CHINESE GIANT (oz. 35 cts .) | Pervade ..... 400 | 37500 |
| Spanish Monstrous | Pervert....... 125 | 11000 |
| Red Squash, or Tomato-Shaped | Pilgrim ...... 140 | 12500 |
| Dwarf Early Red Squash | Pilot .......... 140 | 12500 |
| Red Etna (Burpee) | Pique.......... 175 |  |
| Procopp's Giant | Piston ......... 150 |  |
| Elephant's Trunk | Plait..... ...... 150 |  |
| Black Nubian (Burpee) | Plasm......... 150 |  |
| Golden Dawn | Plight......... 150 |  |
| Golden Queen | Plunge ........ 150 |  |
| Burpee's Golden King | Plush .......... 200 |  |
| Burpee's Golden Upright | Poke ...... .... 150 |  |

## SEED POTATOES.

Prices vary with the market. We do not attempt to quote in this advance list, but shall give offers for immediate acceptance by mail.

## PUMPKIN.



## RADISH,-Early Turnip-Shaped.

NOTE.-Ten pounds or more will be Invoiced at 100 -pound rates.

|  | er. | Per it. | er 1 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Burpee's EARLIEST (Scarlet Button | Rabbit | 045 | \$40 00 |
| Burpee's HAILSTONE | Racer. | 45 | 4000 |
| Crimson Giant Globe | Racing | 60 | 5500 |
| Early Round Dark Red | Radiate | 30 | 2500 |
| Vick's Scarlet Globe | Radiator | 40 | 3500 |
| Extra Early Scarlet Turnip | Rafter | 25 | 2200 |
| Golden Dresden (Burpee) | Raisin | 35 | 3000 |
| New LEAFLESS | Ramage | 75 | 7000 |
| New Triumph | Rammer | 60. | 5500 |
| Ruby-Pearl (Burpee) | Rampart | 40 | 3500 |
| Scarlet Turnip, White Tip | Ransom | 30 | 2500 |
| Early White Turnip | Rasp | 35 | 3000 |
| Philadelphia White Box | Rattan | 35 | 3000 |
| RADISH,-Early Olive-Shaped. |  |  |  |
| New EARLIEST WHITE (Burpee) | Rebel | 45 | 4000 |
| Earliest Carmine Olive. | Rebule | 40 | 3500 |
| Early White Olive-Shaped | Recited | 35 | 3000 |
| French Breakfast | Recluse | 35 | 3000 |
| New BRIGHT BREAKFAST | Rector | 38 | 3400 |
| Burpee's Surprise.. | Reed | 38 | 3400 |
| Scarlet Olive-Shaped. | Reforct | 30 | 2500 |

RADISH,-Early Long Varieties.
Early Long Scarlet, Short Top...........Refute......... $25 \quad 2200$
Cincinnati Market, or "Glass ".. ........Regent ......... $30 \quad 2800$
Wood's Early Frame........................Remedy........ $30 \quad 2500$
New White ICICLE (Eiszapfen).........Remorse ...... 454000
Half-Long Deep Scarlet, or Paris Beauty. Renard ........ $30 \quad 2800$
LONG CARDINAL (Brightest Scarlet)..Repast ......... $30 \quad 2500$
RADISH,-Summer Varieties.
CHARTIERS, or Shepherd (Improved) Reptile ........ $30 \quad 2500$
Long White VIENNA (Lady Finger)...Retort........... $30 \quad 2500$
White STRASBURG ................... Ribald ........ $30 \quad 2500$
Large White Globe......................... Rimple......... $35 \quad 3000$
Golden Globe, or Yellow Turnip ........Rivet............ $30 \quad 2500$
Giant White Stuttgart.......................Rock ............ $30 \quad 2500$

## RADISH,-Winter Varieties.

New WHITE CHINESE (Celestial)......Rudely ........ 454000
Burpee's OSAKA .......................... Rudder........ 454000
California Mammoth White Winter..... Runnel ........ . $30 \quad 2500$
Chinese Rose (Scarlet Chinese)...........Runt............. $30 \quad 2500$
Round Scarlet China.......................Runter......... 353000
Long Black Spanish ..........................Rustlev........ $28 \quad 2500$
Long White Spanish.......................Rute ............ 28 25 00
Round Black Spanish.......................Rutile........... 28 . 2500

## RHUBARB, or PIE PLANT.

NOTE.-Ten pounds or more are invoiced at 100 -pound rates,

|  | Tel. Cipher. | Per ib. Per 100 lds . |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Myatt's Victori | Ruttish | \$0 $80 \quad \$ 7500$ |

## SALSIFY, or VEGETABLE OYSTER.



## SPINACH.

| Long-Standing Prickly.......... ... ...... Sally | 15 | 12.00 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| New Long-Standing (Enkhuizen)........Sandal........ | 15 | 1200 |
| Norfolk Savoy-Leaved (Bloomsdale)....Sash............ | 20 | 1500 |
| New VICTORIA (Burpee)............... Satire.......... | 15 | 1200 |
| Prickly, or Winter..........................Saturn......... | 15 | 1200 |
| Thick-Leaved Round...................... Saxcon .......... | 15 | 1200 |
| New Zealand (Tetragonia expansa)......Scald. | 45 | 4000 |

## SQUASH,-Summer Varieties.

| Early White Bush Scalloped.............Secason | 40 | 3500 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| New Mammoth White Bush Scalloped..Seat | 45 | 4000 |
| Dreer's Extra Early Jersey Bush ..... Secede | 40 | 3500 |
| Early Yellow Bush Scalloped............ Se | 40 | 3500 |
| Mammoth Yellow Bush.................... Sedate ......... | 45 | 4000 |
| Golden Summer Crookneck ............... Sedge ........... | 40 | 3500 |
| New Giant Summer Crookneck .. ........Selff . ........... | 45 | 4000 |
| White Summer Crookneck... .... ...... Senior...... ... | 40 | 3500 |
| Cocozelle Bush..............................Septic | 50 | 4500 |

## SQUASH,-Winter Varieties.

| FORDHOOK (Burpee). | Sermon | 70 | 6500 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| BUSH FORDHOOK (Burpee). | Sermoniae | 75 |  |
| Boston Marrow.. | Serpent | 50 |  |
| HUBBARD | Shaft. | 65 |  |
| Chicago Warted Hubbard | Sharp | 65 |  |
| RED, or GOLDEN HUBBARD | Sheaf́ | 85 | 8000 |
| Brazil Sugar | Shingle | 45 |  |
| Essex Hybrid | Shone | 65 |  |
| Gregory's Golden Bronze | Shopper | 75 |  |
| Pike's Peak, or Sibley | Shell | 65 |  |
| Livingston's Pie. | Shred | 45 |  |
| The Faxon | Shuttle | 40 | 3800 |
| Mammoth Chili | Singe | 25 | 10000 |
| Mammoth Whale | Singing | 00 | 9000 |
| Delicata |  | 50 |  |

## TOMATO,-Large Bright Red Varieties.

NOTE.-Ten pounds or more are invoiced at 100 -pound rates.

|  | er. | Per 100 tbs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| The MATCHLESS (Burpee) | Tabby ......... $\$ 175$ | \$160 |
| MATCHLESS (grown at Fordh | Table .......... 250 | 22500 |
| Livingston's Favo | Tablet ......... 140 | 12500 |
| Livingston's Perfe | Tackle ........ 140 | 12500 |
| Para | Tactics........ 140 | 12500 |
| QUARTER-CENTURY (Burpee) | Tactile ........ 250 | 22500 |
| Quarter-Century (grown at Fordho | Tactless....... 300 | 27500 |
| Burpee's New NOBLE. | Tatter ......... 225 | 20000 |
| Extra Early Advance | Talent ........ 150 | 14000 |
| Chalk's EARLY JEWEL | Tales ........... 350 | 32500 |
| Chalk's Early Jewel (grown at Fordh | Talisman..... 550 | 50000 |
| Sparks' EARLIANA (a superb strain) | Tallow ........ 350 | 32500 |
| Sparks' EARLIANA (Western grown | Tallyho ....... 250 | 22500 |
| Atlantic Priz | Talmud ....... 160 | 15000 |
| Nolte's Earliest | Talmudist... 200 | 17500 |
| Burpee's COMBINATION | Tamper ....... 175 | 16000 |
| "Success" | Tamarind... 175 | 16000 |
| Dwarf Aristocrat | Taper .......... 190 | 18000 |
| Maule's "Enormous" | Tar.............. 225 | 20000 |
| Improved MAYFLOWER | Tassel..... .... 160 | 15000 |
| Sutton's Best of All | Taste........... 190 | 17500 |
| Stone | Tend ........... 140 | 12500 |
| Dwarf Ston | Tennis ........ 300 | 27500 |
| Kansas Standar | Terrier........ 225 | 20000 |
| Trophy | Thrilled ..... 140 | 12500 |
| Livingston's Royal Red | Throne........ 140 | 12500 |
| Honor Bright. | Tick ............ 150 | 14000 |

TOMATO,-Large Purple-Fruited Varieties.
FORDHOOK FIRST (Burpee) .........Tiger........... 22520000

FORDHOOK FANCY (Burpee)..........Tinge .......... 17516000
TRUCKER'S FAVORITE.................Tippet ........ 25022500
Trucker's Favorite (grown at Fordhook) Tipple ......... $400 \quad 38500$
The Turner Hybrid (Mikado) (Burpee)..Tircale ......... 17516000
Acme.............................................Tire............... 14012500
Imperial ......................................... Toast............. 16015000
Livingston's MAGNUS............. ........Toddy .......... 15014000
Essex Early Hybrid .........................Tontine........ 15014000
Burpee's Climax..............................Torrent ....... 15014000
Dwarf Champion............................Transfix ..... 19018000
Livingston's Beauty. ........................Treud .......... 15014000
Buckeye State ...............................Treble .......... 16015000
PONDEROSA (No. 400) ..................Tress ........... 25024000

## TOMATO,-Large Yellow Varieties.

Dwarf GOLDEN CHAMPION (Burpee). Trick........... 1 | 75 |
| :--- | 16500

Golden Queen (Sunrise).................Trident ....... 150

## TOMATO,-Small-Fruited Varieties.

Tel. Cipher. Per th.
The Peach Trout. ..... $\$ 150$
Small Round Yellow Troy ..... 150
Yellow Plum-Shaped Trudge. ..... 150
Pear-Shaped Yellow Tube ..... 175
Pear-Shaped Red Tucket ..... 150
Red Cherry Tuft ..... 150
Burbank Preserving (Burpee) Tudor ..... 200
Strawberry, or Winter Cherry Tug ..... 200
TURNIP,-White-Fleshed.
NOTE. -Ten pounds or more will be supplied at 100 -pound rates.
Tel. Cipher. Per ft. Per 100 lbs .
Early White Flat Dutch Strap-Leaved...Tula ..... $\$ 022 \quad \$ 2000$ ..... $\$ 022 \quad \$ 2000$
Early Red- or Purple-Top Strap-Leaved Tumble ..... 2000
Extra Early White Milan Tumbrel ..... 4500
Extra Early Purple-Top Milan Tumor ..... 3500
Red-Top White Globe Tumult ..... 2000
White Globe Strap-Leaved Tuner ..... 1800
White Egg Tunnel ..... 2200
Sweet German, or Long White French. Turban ..... 2000
Long White, or Cowhorn Turgia ..... 2500
Half-Long Red-Top Turin ..... 1800
Scarlet Kashmyr Turk ..... 2200
White Hardy Winter Turret ..... 2500
Pomeranian White Globe Turtle ..... 1800
Jersey Navet (true) Tusk ..... 2500
Seven-Top Tussock ..... 2200
TURNIP,-Yellow-Fleshed.
Large Yellow, or Amber Globe Tutor ..... 2200
Petrowski Tuyere ..... 3000
Yellow Aberdeen Twaddle ..... 2000
Golden Ball, or Orange Jelly Twang ..... 2000
RUTA BAGA, or SWEDISH TURNIP.
Burpee's Improved Purple-Top Yellow Tweed ..... 2000
Burpee's Neckless Tweezer ..... 2400
Imperial Hardy Purple Top Twig ..... 1700
Burpee's Breadstone Twist ..... 40 ..... 3500
MONARCH, or Elephant Twitch ..... 1600Large White.Twitter201800

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W0 We are not bound by these prices after December, and for quantities only so far as engaged.
When our general Wholesale Catalogue is Issued in January, probably many varieties will be advauced.
Telegraph Code or Cipher. Per fb,
*Admiration (Burpee's). Delicate shade of rosy laveuder, Admiration. \$0 28Adonis. Rose and carmine ; small flowers, . . . . . . . . . . . Jab17

* Agnes Johnston. Bright rose-pink, shaded with cream ; a broad fully expanded flower of good size. (Per 100 tbs . $\$ 65.00$ ). Agnes ..... 70
America. The brightest blood-red striped, Jacamar ..... 20
American Queen (Burpee's). Standard salmon-red; wings deep rose, Jacare ..... 30
*American Seedlings (Burpee's). (Per 100 tbs. \$22.50), . . . . Jacana ..... 25
* Apple Blossom. Bright rose and pink. (Per 100 Hbs . $\$ 16.50$ ), . . Jucent ..... 18
* Aurora (Burpee's). Flaked orange-salmon ; largest striped, Jacinth ..... 20
* Black Knight. Deep maroon ; self-colored, Jack ..... 20
* Blanche Burpee. Eckford's large pure white. (Per 100 tbs . $\$ 18.00$ ), Jacket ..... 20
Blanche Ferry. The popular pink and white. (Per 100 tbs. \$16.50), Jackinan ..... 18
Blanche Ferry,-Extra Early. Ten days earlier. (Per 100 tbs. \$18), Jacobin ..... 20
*Blushing Beauty. Very fine ; delicate pink; hooded form, . . . . Jactancy ..... 18
Boreatton. Very dark maroon ; self-colored, Jractation ..... 22
Bride of Niagara. A fine semi-double form of pink and white, Jaculus ..... 30
* Brilliant. A bright scarlet; does not burn. (Per 100 tbs. $\$ 20.00$ ), . Jade ..... 22
Bronze King. Standard terra-cotta ; wings ivory-white, Jadish ..... 18
* Burpee's New Countess. The best lavender. (Per 100 Ibs. $\$ 22.50$ ), Jager . ..... 25
Burpee's Earliest Sunbeams. Crop short;-packets only, ... . . Sunberims Burpee's Earliest of All. (Per $100 \mathrm{tbs} . \$ 22.50$ ), Earliest ..... 25
Burpee's Earliest of All-Gould's Extreme Early "Selection,"'Jugarat ..... 60
Butterfly. White, laced with lavender ; notched standard, Jail ..... 18
California. Large hooded flowers ; soft flesh-pink, ..... 17
*Calypso. Magenta and mauve, ..... 20
Captain Clark. White and lavender; streaked carmine, . . . . Jalap ..... 16
* Captain of the Blues. Standard light maroon ; wings light purple, Jalousie ..... 20
*Captivation. Beautiful light magenta or claret color, Jalpaite ..... 20
Carmen Sylva. Purplish carmine and lavender, shaded rose, . . Jam ..... 17
* Celestial. Delicate azure-blue. (Per 100 tbs. \$18.00), Jamadar ..... 20
* Chancellor. Bright shade of orange-pink Chancellor ..... 18
Coccinea. A heantiful cerise; self-colored. (Per 100 ths. \$22.50), Cocciner ..... 25
* Colonist. Soft lilac overlaid with rose, Colonist ..... 20
* Coquette. Primrose-yellow, shaded pale lavender. ( $100 \mathrm{tbs} . \$ 18.00$ ), Jamana ..... 20
* Countess Cadogan. Reddish-mauve standard; wings violet-blue, Cadogan ..... 25
* Countess of Lathom. Charming delicate pink self, Lathom ..... 25
* Countess of Powis. Orange, suffused with light purple, Srugler ..... 20
* Countess of Radnor. Pale mauve or lavender, Janitor ..... 18
* Countess of Shrewsbury. Rose standard ; white wings, . . . . Janitress ..... 20
* Crown Jewel. Primrose ground, veined with violet-rose, . . . Jannock ..... 20
Crown Princess of Prussia. Flesh-colored and salmon-buff Jansenist ..... 18

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## SWEET PEAS,-Continued.

Telegraph Code or Cipher.
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* Dainty (Burpee's). "White with pink cllye." (1'er 100 ths. $\$ 60.00$ ), Dainty ..... $\$ 065$
* Dolly Varden (Burpee's). P'urple-magenta, shaded white, . . . Japan ..... 18
* Dorothy Eckford. Pure white; of finest substance. ( 100 ths. $\$ 55.00$ ), Dorothy ..... 60
* Dorothy Tennant. Deep rosy mauve ; beautiful, Jape ..... 18
* Duchess of Edinburgh. Scarlet and erimson ; small flowers, Japhetic ..... 18
* Duchess of Sutherland. Pearl-white, suffused light pink, Japonic ..... 20
* Duchess of Westminster. A new apricot-pink, Japper ..... 25
* Duchess of York. White, suffused with light pink, Јарро ..... 20
* Duke of Clarence. A brilliant shade of rosy claret, Jar ..... 20
* Duke of Sutherland. Deep claret and indigo-blue, Duke ..... 20
* Duke of Westminster. Standard rosy maroon ; wings violet-purple, Jarring ..... 22
Eliza Eckford. Standard rose ; wings striped with rose, Jargle ..... 20
* Emily Eckford. Standard reddish mauve; wings blue, Jargon ..... 20
Emily Henderson. White ; blooms early. (Per 100 ths. $\$ 18.00$ ), Jarosite ..... 20
* Fascination. New magenta-mauve, Fascination ..... 25
* Fashion (Burpee's). A beautiful shade of cerise-pink, Fashion ..... 18
Firefly. A deep brilliant scarlet; truly a fiery shade, ..... 20
Gaiety. Lively stripes of bright crimson on white, ..... 20
* George Gordon. "Reddish crimson-lake standard, rosy-purple wings, "Juspoid ..... 25
Golden Gate (Burpee's). Pinkish mauve and lavender ; upright wings, Jatropha ..... 22
* Golden Rose (Burpee's). Primrose-yellow, striped with rosy pink.
(Per 100 tbs \$45.00), Jaunt ..... 50
* Gorgeous (Burpee's). Salmon-orange. (Per 100 Hbs . \$20.00), Gorgeous ..... 22
* Gracie Greenwood. Soft cream, shaded delicate pink. (Per 100
tbs. \$27.50), Gracie ..... 30
* Gray Friar (Burpee's). Beautiful watered purple on white ground, Jauncler ..... 20
Her Majesty. Bold flowers of a most beautiful rose color, Јиир ..... 20
* Hon. F. Bouverie. Staudard flesh-pink ; wings rosy buff, . . . . Bouverie ..... 20
* Hon. Mrs. E. Kenyon. Eckford's latest primrose-colored, . . . . Juuperine ..... 25
Imperial Blue. Blue, shaded mauve, ..... 17
Indigo King. Maroon, nearly indigo, ..... 16
* Janet Scott (Burpee's). A beautiful shade of deep pink. (Per 100 Hbs . \$75.00), Jean ..... 80
* Jeanie Gordon. Bright rose, shaded cream, Jebel ..... :30
Josephine White. New early-flowering white. (100 ths. $\$ 27.50$ ), Jebusite ..... 30
* Juanita, or Striped Celestial. White, striped lavender Jeel ..... 17
* Katherine Tracy. Soft but brilliant pink, ..... 30
* King Edward VII. Bright crimson self-color ; enormous size. (Per 100 tbs. $\$ 60.00$ ), Edward ..... 70
Lady Beaconsfield. Salmon-pink; wings primrose, Jejune ..... 18
* Lady Grisel Hamilton. Pale lavender-blue. (Per 100 His. $\$ 2.50(0)$, Grisel ..... 28
* Lady Mary Currie. Orange-pink, shaded rosy lilac, Mary ..... 20
* Lady M. Ormsby=Gore. "Pale buff overlaid with delicate pink," . Jemmy ..... 24
* Lady Nina Balfour. Most delicate mauve. (Per $100 \mathrm{lh} s .20 .00$ ), Jenite ..... 22
* Lady Penzance. Standard orange-pink ; wings pure pink, . . . . Jentling ..... 18
* Lady Skelmersdale. Pale rose-pink standard ; wings white, suffusedwith lavender,Jennet22
* Little Dorrit. Pink standard ; white wings, Jerboa ..... 20
* Lord Kenyon. Rose-magenta self. (Per 100 Hbs . $\$ 22.50$ ), Jereed ..... 25
* Lord Roseberry. "A self-colored rosy magenta," Jerfar ..... 35
* Lottie Eckford. White, suffused with lavender-blue, . . . . . . Jeremiad ..... 18
* Lottie Hutchins (Burpee's). Cream, flaked with pink, Jer: ..... 1R

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## SWEET PEAS,-Continued.

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Jersey ..... \$0 25
Jetems ..... 20

* Maid of Honor (Burpee's). White, edged with blue,
Majestic ..... 28
* Mars. Eckford's large bright scarlet. (Per $100 \mathrm{tbs} . \$ 22.50$ ), Jetsam ..... 25
* Meteor. Standard bright orange-salmon ; wings pink veined Jetty ..... 17
* Mikado. Cerise ground, veined with white stripes, Jeudemots ..... 18
* Miss Willmott. Of enormous size ; deep orange-pink. (100 Hbs. \$25). Jibe ..... 28
* Modesty (Burpee's). Most delicate shade of pink, Jiblet ..... 20
* Monarch. Deep bronzy maroon and dark blue, Jigger ..... 18
Mont Blanc. Earliest white ; new. (Per 100 tbs. \$22.50), गill ..... 25
* Mrs. Dugdale. A large beautiful deep rose. (Per 100 fbs \$20.00), Dugdale ..... 22
* Mrs. Eckford. Beautifully shaded primrose-yellow, . . . . . . . Jimpy ..... 20
* Mrs. Fitzgerald. Cream, flushed rose, Fitzgerald ..... 18
* Mrs. Jos. Chamberlain. Striped bright rose on white, Jinn ..... 20
Mrs. Sankey. Flowers white ; seeds black, ..... 20
* Mrs. Walter Wright. Standard mauve; wings a bluish shade. (Per 100 tbs. \$50.00), Jirkinet ..... 60
* Navy Blue (Burpee's). Largest size ; deep violet-blue, Navy ..... 20
Oddity (Burpee's). Peculiar pale carmine and bright rose, Joar ..... 20
Orange Prince. Standard orange-salmon ; wings bright pink, Jobation ..... 17
* Oregonia. Silvery-white ground, watered rosy carmine, Oregonia ..... 17
* Oriental (Burpee's). Suffused bright orange-salmon, ..... 18
* Othello. Deep glossy maroon. (Per 100 tbs. \$20.00), ..... 22
Ovid. Rose-pink, margined with deeper rose, ..... 20
* Pink Friar (Burpee's). Carmine-rose, suffused on silvery white, ..... 20
Pink Snapdragon (Burpee's). A very pleasing pink shade, . . . Jocund ..... 45
* Prima Donna. A most lovely shade of soft pink. (Per 100 Dbs. $\$ 20.00$ ), Jogelour ..... 22
Primrose. Pale primrose-yellow, ..... 18
* Prince Edward of York. Standard scarlet; wings deep rose, . . Joinant ..... 20
* Prince of Wales. Bright rose ; self-colored, Joiner ..... 22
Princess Beatrice. A popular rosy pink, Joist ..... 18
Princess May. Light lavender ; flowers small, Jollyte ..... 20
* Princess of Wales. Striped mauve on white ground, Jolting ..... 18
Princess Victoria. Standard scarlet; wings rosy mauve, Jombre ..... 18
Purple Snapdragon. New. A purple Red Riding-Hood, Jonathan ..... 60
Purple=Striped. Old and undesirable, Jondla ..... 18
Queen of the Isles. White stripes on bright crimson-scarlet, . . .Jooming ..... 20
* Queen Victoria. Primrose, overlaid with faint purple, Joram ..... 18
* Ramona (Burpee's). White, daintily splashed with pale pink, Jostle ..... 18
Jotter ..... 18
Jounre ..... 18
Rising Sun. Orange and rose, shaded carmine, ..... 20
* Royal Rose. Deep rosy pink. (Per 100 tbs. \$20.00), Journey ..... 22
* Sadie Burpee,-Black-seeded (Eckford's). (100 tbs. \$20.00), . . Puritan ..... 22
* Sadie Burpee,-White seeded (Eckford's). (100 tbs. \$20.00), . Purity ..... 22
*Salopian. The best scarlet, excepting new "Sunproof," . . . . Jovial ..... 22
* Sunproof Salopian (Burpee's). One of the best scarlet sweet peas, Jowl ..... 24
Salvation Lassie (Burpee's). Deep rose; standard curiously curved, Joviality ..... 30
Scarlet Striped. One of the oldest varieties,
 ..... 17
* Senator. Bright brown and chocolate, striped,
Juba ..... 18
* Sensation (Burpee's). White, suffused with faint blush,
Jubilar ..... 20
* Shahzada. Dark maroon, shaded purple, ..... 20


## SWEET PEAS;-Continued.

Telegraph Code or Cipher. Per th.
Jubilee ..... $\$ 020$
Snapdragon (Burpee's). A white Red Riding-Hood,
Judica
Judica ..... 18 ..... 18

* Stanley. Rich dark maroon,
* Stanley. Rich dark maroon,
Judicial ..... 18
* Stella Morse (Burpee's). Rich primrose, flushed pink,
40
* Sue Earl (Burpee's). Primrose, edged with mauve. ( 100 Hbs . $\$ 35.00$ ) Judith
20
* Triumph. Standard orange-pink; wings white, flushed purple, . . Julifom
20
* Venus. Lovely salmon-buff, shaded rosy pink. (Per 100 tbs. \$18.00), Jumart
18
Vesuvius. Violet, with dull crimson spots, Jumbling
Violet Queen. Standard mauve ; wings light violet, Jument ..... 18
* Waverly. Standard rosy claret ; wings light blue, Jumper ..... 18
* Wawona (Burpee's). Heliotrope, striped with white, Juncago ..... 18
White. The old pure white ; notched at top of standard, Junction ..... 18
White Snapdragon (Burpee's). Flowers snow-white, ..... 30
* White Wonder (Burpee's). Double-stemmed many-flowered white, Junk ..... 40
* Varieties marked with an asterisk (*) produce flowers of finest form and largest size.
MIXTURES OF SWEET PEAS.


Wer Write for special prices on thousand-pound lots in mixture.


| Apple Blossom, | White, | Captain of the Blues, | Senator, |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Butterfly, | Waverly, | Bride of Niagara, | Splendor, |
| Duke of Clarence, | Boreatton, |  |  |

Each of the above DOUBLE SWEET PEAS, 30 cts . per $\mathbf{l b}$.
Ten Mixed DOUBLE SWEET PEAS (Cable word-Xerxes), 25 cts. per lb.; $\$ 22.50$ per 100 lbs .

## "Proved by Test." Unless you should order some variety that we do not catalogue and instruct that we get it for you

 (when we shall send it at your risk,-in its original package), you may be absolutely sure that you will receive from us only such stocks of strictly high-grade seeds as have been proved absolutely "Best by Test."Many seedsmen have much to say about tested seeds, but unfortunately with most dealers this applies only to blotter tests for vitality. Our tests for vitality are soil tests. While necessary that seeds grow, it is of prime importance that they shall be of choicest selected strains, such as can be relied upon to produce products "true to type." This can be learned only by thorough field trials. No other seedsmen in America make so many or such complete trials as are conducted annually at our famous Fordhook Farms.

## The "Burpee Novelties" in Sweet Peas <br> Janet Scott. Received Award of Merit from the National Sweet Pea

 Shonv. This might Soctets of moland, $m$ Jur, 190 , al the Great cisstal aimost be called a new shade of deep pink with Goiden-Gate-shaped wings. The unusual size of the wings in connection with the large substantial hooded standard give the flowers an appearance of enormous size. The flowers are considerably deeper and richer in color than the favorite Katherine Tracy, while unlike that variety they are generally borne three on a stem. Per lb. 85 cts.; in lots of 10 Dbs. or more at 80 cts. per 1 lb .Burpee's "Dainty." unique new Sweet Pea has created quite a furore in England as well as in America. Flowers are of the largest size and splendid substance, while they are borne three and four. set well at the enid of long stout stems. The beautifully formed flowers, upon first opening, appear to be white, but quickly change to " white with pink edge,"-making a most charming contrast,- there is more pink on the edges of standard than on edges of wings. Per lb. 75 cts.; in lots of 10 lbs . or more at $\mathbf{7 0} \mathbf{c t s}$. per $\mathbf{l b}$.
Sue Earl. The standard is primedges; wings almost pure primrose, with only a suggestion of light mauve. The last blossom produced at top of stem always remains of a clear primrose color, while the other flowers become later of a deep mauve--making a most charming contrast. The flowers are uniformly of large size and hooded form, borne three on a long stem. Per lb. 45 cts.; in lots of to lbs. or more at 40 cts. per lb.

## Burpee's "Golden-Rose." Received

 Merit from the National Sweet Pea Society of England, when exhibited at The Roval Aquarium, London, in July, 1902. One of the most attractive and distinct Tall Sweet Peas that we have ever had the pleasure of presenting. The flowers are extra layge in size, of fine open form, with standard gracefully fluted. The ground color is a clear primrose-yellow. beautifully flushed with rosy pink-making a color combination previously unknown, which is most attractive. Per lb. 45 cts.; io ths. or more at 40 cts. per $\mathbf{l b}$.

Burpee's New Pink, JANET SCOTT,from a Photograph.
Electro, $\$ 1.50$.




## The "Eckford Novelties" in Sweet Peas.



GLOXINIAS.
HELIOTROPE,-Lemoine's Giant Hybrids. KOCHIA, -the true " Ball of Fire."
MARIGOLDS.
MIGNONETTE.
PETUNIAS,-in variety.
PHLOX DRUMMONDII,-Grandiflora.
POPPIES.
SALVIA SPLENDENS.
SUNFLOWER.
ZINNIAS.
G Kindly ask for prices,-stating varieties 18 and quantities required. We are prepared, also, to quote special prices on many other Flower Seeds, which, while not produced at FORDHOOK, are grown elsewhere in America by our contract growers from our finest stock seed.

## SALVIA SPLENDENS.

We are the largest growers of Salvia Splendens in America, -and this probably means in the world! Having had an abundant crop the past season, we offer our choicest Fordhook-grozen Seed at the special price of $\$ \mathbf{1 2 . 0 0}$ per $\mathbf{I b}$.
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IV. Atike Bt'rpee \& Co.,

Philadelphia.

# New Race of Burpee's Bush Sweet Peas. 

The plants are erect, fifteen to eighteen inches high when iu full flower, but branching freely so that the close bushes are frequently fifteen inches and more in diameter, composed of short erect bratiches with abundant light-green foliage. The Howers, while not so large, are of as fine form and heantiful coloring as the tall varieties. As the stems of flowers can be cut with some of the neat attractive foliage, they are most desirable for bunching in bouquets and for floral decorutions.


## Burpee's Dwarf CUPID Sweet Peas.

A new and entirely distinct race of Sweet Peas, first introduced by us in 1895, differing as widely as possible from the usual tall vine-like growth, being of low very compact-spreading form. Plants are seldom more than six iuches in height and form a dense mat of richest green foliage fifteen inches or more in diameter. The flowers are fully equal in size to those of the tall-growing varieties, but are placed closely together, generally three or four at the top of a stout stıff stem, seemingly poised just above the surface of the dark-green foliage. The stems branch freely with close joints, and are thickly set with dark-green leaves.

## CUPID SWEET PEAS. $\begin{gathered}\text { Telegraph Code } \\ \text { or Cipher. }\end{gathered}$

Per fb .


## NASTURTIUMS,-Dwarf, Tall, and Lobbianum.



## Nasturtiums

are now among the most popular aunual flowers and afford so much pleasure during the better part of the year that there is no doubt as to their rivaling Sweet Peas in popular favor. For years we have been improving Nasturtiums and have had the pleasure of introducing several distinct new varieties of surpassing beauty.

If you desire to please your Hower-loving customers, offer the coming season with your other seeds a generous assortment of Nasturticms.

# Burpee's $\mathrm{N}_{\text {ew }}$ <br> <br> "Ivy-Leaved" Nasturtiums. 

 <br> <br> "Ivy-Leaved" Nasturtiums.}

Now First Offered to the Trade


#### Abstract

This new race of Nasturtiums is one of the most distinct novelties that has been offered for years, and yet will succeed anywhere and under the most widely different conditions. They will prove especially desirable as pot bloomers or for planting as trailing plants in window boxes, vases, hanging-baskets, etc., as well as in the flower-bed or as a border row along the garden walks and on the lawn.

Not only is the foliage distinct in its sharp-lobed or pointed outline and light veining like that of the hardy: English Ivy, but the flowers are a marked departure from the form of those of the common Nasturtium, the petals being quite narrow and set on a very slender foot-stalk. giving the flowers an open star-like effect which is both striking and effective. Last year we showed the three new varieties of this most distinct trpe.-painted from nature at Fordhoor Farms,-they were then introduced only at retail.


Golden Gem. This variety has light green slightly lobed and heavily veined. It makes a moderately strong running growth and flowers piofusely. The flowers are of medium size, selfcolored in a rich golden shade of orange-yellow. The face of the lower petals is about one-half inch wide and laciniated at the outer edge, and finely fringed where they are joined to the slender footstalks. The two upper petals are more slender and flare upward. The calyx and short spur are also golden yellow. Per 1b. $\mathbf{\$ 2}$.25; 5 tbs. at $\$ \mathbf{2 . 0 0}$ per lb.
Flamingo. This variety has'rich dark green the ivy-like joliage in marked resemblance to that of the English lvy. The flowers are a vich orangescarlet, -fully justifying the name Flamingo. The lower petals are somewhat broader than those of the Golden Queen, being three-fourths of an inch across and slightly toothed at the outer.edges. They are set on a very slender foot-stalk which holds them well out from the calyx, and the two upper petals are marked with fine brown lines in the throat. The calyx and long spur are golden yellow, and the whole flower has an open or butterfly effect. The flowers have quite long stems which hold them well above the foliage. Per Ib. $\$ 2.25 ; 5$ tos. at $\$ 2.00$ per Jb.
Fordhook Fancy. Secilussstration herecolor of the open star-like petals is generally golden yellow with a rich velvety carmine blotch on each of the three lower petals where they join the slender foot-stalk; in the two upper petals there is a bold and effective stripe of brownish carmine extending from the inner throat portion well out on the flaring face of the petal. In other flowers the ground color is a light primrose or straw-yellow with blotches


IVY-LEAVED,-FORDHOOK FANCY. and stripes of-a rosy carmine, and these spread into a diffused rosy tint, often covering almost the entire face of the petal. The foliage is a light green, distinctly lobed and veined,-"Ivy-like." Per 1b. $\$ 2.25$; 5 fbs. or more at $\$ 2.00$ per Ib.


Electro, \$1.00.

## Bedding PETUNIA,-

## Burpee's "BABY-BLUE."

## This distinct and wonderfully free=blooming

 Petunia originated at Fordhook.Owing to its dwarf compact growth it is one of the most satisfactory plants to grow in solid masses, or to plant as a border around the beds of other plants. It begins to bloom when only a few inches in height and flowers profusely until the plants are killed by frost late in the fall.

The flowers measure from one to one and a half inches across, and are a soft reddish purple in color when examined closely, but when seen en masse in the strong sunlight from a little distance appear a lovely blue. The small pure white throat shows as a small white circle in the center of the flower, but this is so small that it does not affect the solidly blue coloring,-except on close examination. The small very dark green leaves form an admirable background for the flowers. Per oz. \$1.25.

## Electro

supplied Free to firms who catalogue this unique novelty,-and sell seed in our sealed packets only.


One Plant of Burpee's Bush Doltchos,-reproduced from a Photograph.

## Burpee's Bush Dolichos.

## The first BUSH Dolichos ever obtained,-the Most Vnique Novelty for many a year.

Obtained by us from Japan, this remarkably attractive novelty comes always entirely true to the very distinct bush habit of growth, -sec illustration from a photograph. Those who have grown our Daylight Dolichos can readily imagine the extremely attractive appearance of these compact bushes surmounted by the enormous spikes of pure white flowers which are succeeded by large creamy-white pods.
 The plants proper average only ten inches in height with large bean-like leaves, but the magnificent flower spikes grow from ten to fifteen inches above the foliage. The flowers are snowy white, about one inch across, and resemble those of the flowering pea.

When topmost flowers are fully opened, the silvery pods begin to form at the bottom of the spikes. The pods measure two inches in length and are nearly an inch in breadth, slightly curved, with thick creamywhite skin of velvety texture.

## Burpee's Bush Dolichos

makes a most showy plant when grown singly or interspersed with other plants. It can be raised easily from seed planted in the open ground after danger of frost is past. Gıowing always in compact bush form it does not require the space nor the supports needed for the running type and has the advantage of flowering much earlier in the season. Per pkt. 25 cts.; 5 pkts. for $\$ 1.00$. Wholesale, $\$ 1.50$ per dozen; $\$ 11.00$ per 100 pkts. Half-size pkts., per pkt. 15 cts. Wholesale, 90 cts. per dozen; $\$ 6.00$ per 100 pkts.

## Bush Bean,-Burpee's "BRITTLE WAX."

The earliest of all Wax Beans! Of such superb quality it might well be called "Best of All!" The bushes are remarkably hardy and extremely prolific while the handsome fleshy pods are entirely stringless and of the finest quality. The prize bush, grown in Canada, bore 167 pods,counted by ourselves. Even at the present high prices we are sure it will pay to plant Burpee's Brittle Wax, rather than wait until the seed becomes more plentiful. We are sure that those who plant it this season-whether for family use or market-will appreciate its unequaled merits as thoroughly as do the originators and ourselves. The seed was sold last year only at retail,-and is now first offered to the trade.

Wholesale: $\$ 10.00$ per bushel.

## Remarks of the Originator who is an Expert on Beans.

"This bean is a half-brother to Round-Pod Kidney Wax, also a half-brother to Pencil-Pod Black Wax. They both have Round-Pod Refugee blood in them, and from this parent they get the long, straight, handsome, round, pulpy pod, together with vigor and productiveness. These latter characteristics, although very important, are painfully lacking in some other wax sorts. This bean is entively stringless, of a rich yellow color; quality is exceptionally fine. The plant is vigorous and productive, and we hardly know how this bean could be improved. We think the fact of this bean having quite a little Black-Eyed Wax blood in it ought to make it a little earlier than the Round-Pod Kidney Wax or the Pencil-Pod Black Wax."
"It is superior to Burpee's Saddleback Wax in this respect: it is a more certain cropper. Burpee's Saddleback Wax is a fine bean, and when the conditions are favorable it gives a very satisfactory crop, but it is not so robust in habit. It would also be considered superior to Burpee's Saddleback Wax and to Round-Pod Kidney Wax by a person who wants a slender, long, straight, handsome pod; while, on the other hand, a nerson who wants a large pod would consider Burpee's Saddleback Wax preferable to this new Wax. By emphasizing the fact that this new Wax has Refugee blood in it, thereby acquiring the hardiness and vigor which the original Black-Eyed Wax lacked and giving it the long straight handsome pod of the Refugee parent, it will not be difficult to explain to most of your customers that it is a great improvement."

## "What Many Others Say."

Under this heading we could easily occupy a number of pages with most enthusiastic reports,-did space permit,-and had we sufficient seed to fill resulting orders! Unfortunately the crops of Brittle Wax (in common with crops of all other high-bred wax beans) were extremely short again the past season, and while we hope to be able to accept early orders (in limited quantities) we reserve the right to withdraw this offer at any time.

BURPEE'S NEW EARLY "GOLDEN BANTAM" SWEET CORN,-from a Photograph. Electrotype, \$1.00.

## Early Sweet Corn,-Burpee's "GOLDEN BANTAM."

Now first offered to the Trade.



BURPEE'S GOLDEN BANTAM, Section of an Ear.
Electro, 40 cts .

Of extreme hardiness, this can be planted earlier than any other true sweet corn, and will then produce the earliest supply of ears for the table. Planted later it does not develop quite so quickly as Early Fordhook or Cory, but is vastly superior in rich sweet flavor. It is especially adapted to the cool summer weather of New England, where, by repeated plantings, Burpee's Golden Bantam alone will furnish a constant supply of the finest ears throughout the season.

The stalks grow from three and a half to four feet in height and produce one to two good ears on each stalk. The ears are about six inches in length, completely filled with eight rows of golden-yellow grains, extending to the rounded tip. These grains, when ears are ready for use, are a bright golden yellow. The flavor is exceptionally rich and sugary, "the sweetest of all."

Per bushel $\$ 4.75$; in lots of 10 bushels or more at $\$ 4.50$ per bushel.

## For Reports

from growers,-see our Retail Cata-
logues of 1903, 1904, and 1905.


BURPEE'S NEW "WHITE EVERGREEN " SWEET CORN, Section of an Ear. Electrotype, \$1.00.

## ${ }_{33}$ Burpee's White Evergreen

 is absolutely unequaled!First introduced exclusizely by us, this grand new type bas given unqualified satisfaction. We could fill many pages with most enthusiastic letters from private planters and market gardeners.

An Impartial Opinion from a Recognized "Editor-Expert."
White Evergreen.
W. Atlee Burpee \& Co., Pbiladelphia, Pa A great improvement, by long and careful selection, on Stowell's Evergreen as now cultivated. The attempt has been made to get a strain having light-green silk and tassels.

The cob and kernels are at all stages of edibility beautifully white. They are of the most pronounced "Evergreen" type. The getting rid of the amber tint so prominent in many strains of sweet corn passing for Stowell's Evergreen is a great gain, as it fits this variety for extensive use in canneries. The quality has been so improved by critical selection that it must rank among the very best of the large sugar corns. The plant is robust, with heavy broad foliage and frequently bears two large ears. For serving on the cob they are rather large, but afford an unlimited supply of excellent green corn for all other culinary purposes. As with the parent variety, the young ears remain in the edible state a long time, and when two or more ears are produced on a stalk they come on in succession, thus considerably lengthening the season for a given planting. We have found nothing better for a main-crop sugar corn.-From The Rural New Yorker, New York, Nov. 28, 1903.

## Sweet Corn,-Burpee's WHITE EVERGREEN.

## The most valuable Sweet Corn ever intro=

 duced! It is a high-bred ideal type of Stowell's Erersreen, so long known as the finest main-crop corn,-only it is PURE WHITE!. From one pure white-g, ained ear, accidentally discovered years ago, it has been developed by careful work, only the finest white-eared product being saved and selected each season. All the good points of a superb strain of the original Stowell's Evergreen have been not only retained but intensified. The quality has been so improved that we now have in Burpee's WHITE EVERGREEN the finest Sweet Corn in the world! The stalks are of strong vigorous growth, six to seven feet high. The ears are very large and average large; they are uniformly well filled to the tip (as shown in the illustration from a photorraph), with long slender grains of the purest whiteress and most delicious sweet flavor. Market gardeners, canners, and all lovers of sugar corn have been long looking for a white sweet corn as good as Stowell's. They can now have Stowell's, only it is White,sweet and tender, of the very' finest quality. When in the green state both cob and grains are White as Snow. Our Advance Wholesale Price $\mathrm{i}=\mathbf{-} \mathbf{\$ 4 . 0 0}$ per bushel.
## ${ }_{393}$ Extra Long (White Spine) Cucumber, Burpee's "FORDHOOK FAMOUS."。

The finest flavored of all,-most beautiful and best long green Cucumber! Vines produce an enormous crop, being of unusually vigorous growth, with large thick heavy leaves which withstand the attacks of insects. Perfectly smooth and very dark green, the handsome fruits measure twelve to eighteen inches long; they are always straight-never turn yellow, and are very
 solid. The flesh is a greenish white, firm, crisp, and of most delicious flavor. 'I he flesh is unusually thick and seed space extremely small;-it seems to be "all flesh and no
seeds!" "FORDHOOK
lutely unequaled that we can safely predict that it will soon supersede all other types of the popular Long Green. Gardeners everywhere will want this most handsome of all table cucumbers, both because they will bring an extra price on market, are of the white spine type,-long retaining their dark green color,-and because the vigorous vines are so wonderfully prolific. $\$ 1.25$ per lb.; io tbs. or more
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per $\mathbf{l b}$.

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Fordhook Famous
was "created" by Mr. A. Mcinnis. anexperienced Scotch seed grower of Ontario. Canada, who, after selling us his crop, with exclusive right of introduction, wrote under date of February 13, 1901 : " My new cucumber is certainly very fine-from twelve to seventeen inches long-very smooth and even size. Very productive and first-class for table use. I have sold them here on our markets at 50 cents per dozen when good White Spine would not bring 20 cts . It is about seven years since the cross was made by myself. The cross was White Spine and Noa's Forcing. -the latter a very beautiful cucumber, one of the best flavored that I have tasted, from which my new one has taken very much the same flavor."

Our friend, Mr. E. L. Coy, of Washington County, New York, is well known as the most experienced grower of cucumbers in America. To insure against failure of our own crop, we sent a few pounds of stock seed to Mr. Coy to plant for us, and asked him to state plainly his opinion of this new cucumber. Mr. Coy September 4, 1901, writes: "The fruits are long, slim, and very uniform. When of pickle size were very dark green and handsome.
They are longer, smoother, and finer than the London Long Green, which is saying a grat deal."
Those who know Mr. Coy will value this endorsement ; he has been growing cucumbers extensively for more than fifty years. Again, under date of September 23, 1901,
E. L. Coy writes: "Skin very deep green, while it ripe ; flesh greenish white, firm, and unusually crisp. The plant is a strong grower, leaf large and of a deep green color. The fruit is long (twelve to seventeen inches), smooth, slim, and very uniform. Owing to its large thick heavy leaf, it withstood the attacks of insects much better than any other;-great hardiness and vigor."

## Fordhook Famous is crisp and tender for a tong time even after taken from the vines,-therefore one

 of the best for market. It is immensely productive, beautiful in color, symmetrical in form, none better, earlier than White Spine and double the size. It is unsurpassed for pickling, whether large or small.-So writes Mr. C. F. Barber, Auburn, N. Y.
## Burpee's New "Brittle-Ice" Lettuce

## Very Large, Extremely Crisp, Hard-heading, and Extra Long-standing



Plants grow twelve inches across and make large closely folded heads fully eight inches across. The large outer leaves are a light green and grow closely about the head. The large heads are slightly flattened at the top and closely folded, so that the interior leaves are blanched to a pure white and are always crisp and brittle.

While essentially a midsummer varicty, this new lettuce is desirable also for early spring planting or for fall use. The heads remain in a fine condition for table use much longer than will the smaller heads of the earlier sorts. Wholesale: Per lb. $\$ 1.40$; 10 lbs. or more at $\$ 1.25$ per lb.

## New Mammoth Lettuce,-Burpee's BUTTERHEAD.

This is an extra large firm = heading white Cabbage Let= tuce. The superb solid heads are equally valuable for summer use on the home table or for market. The plants attain a diameter of twelve inches across, and the outer leaves grow well up around the large globular heads. The outer leaves are very broad, smoothly rounded, and of a light-green color. Heads are extra large, well rounded, six to seven inches across. The inner leaves, curled like a fine Savoy cab. bage, are blanched to a beautiful white, of rich buttery flavor; they are particularly crisp and delicate to the taste. $\$ 1.25$ per lb.; 10 tbs. or mure at $\$ 1.10$ per lb.


BURPEE'S NEW "HALBERT HONEY" WATERMELON, - fromi a Photograph.

## Burpee's "Halbert Honey" Watermelon.

## The finest of all Watermelons for the home garden and choice trade in local

 markets! IIalbert Honey fully equals the Kleckley Szueets in superb luscious flazor, and has fruits more even and regular in outline, with a darker, richer colored skin, making it more attractive in appearance. The vines are of strong vigorous growth and set fruits very freely, - four or five large melons are frequently seen clustered closely together. The vines grow quickly, so that they will ripen choice fruits even in the Northern States if planted in a good location; farther south, two plantings may be made, one for summer and one for fall use. The melons average eigh een to twenty inches long and are full or bluntly rounded at both ends. The skin is a dark glossy green. The flesh is a beautiful crimson, the rich coloring and luscious quality extending to a clearly defined line where it joins the thin white rind. The seed is white and comparatively small.Per lb. 65 cts ; in lots of 10 lb s. or more at 60 cts . per lb.

## Lettuce,GIANT Iceberǵ.

Equally as crisp, with heads larger, in size and slightly later, this is of the same fine quality for summer use as our original Iceberg. In fact, at FORDHOOK FARMS it was even better late in the season, as well as larger. We distributed thousands of sample packets, and have received so many enthusiastic reports that we must catalogue this new Giant Iceberg, to supply the demand that is sure to result. We have bot space to pubitsh an illustration, and hence would refer to the illustration in Retail Catalogue of our original Iceberg, which has been for years so popular. This New GIANT is exactly similar,-only the heads are considerably larger in size and require more time in which to develop. Per Ib. $\$ 1.00$; 10 \#bs. or more at 90 cts . per $\mathbf{1 b}$.

## ELECTROTYPES: Conditions of Sale.

Note. We do not, as a nula sell electrotypectrotypes, and these electrotypes are sold only to those who purchase their supplies from us, and with the distinct understanding that they shall be used to illustrate only the varieties for which they have been engraved.

## New Okra,Kleckley's Favorite.

This is the finest white-podded Okra, greatly superior to the White Velvet. The plants are of uniform growth, two and a half to three feet in height, sturdy and robust, close-jointed with ample foliage, and bear smooth white pods at each leaf-joint,-as shown in illustration from a photograph.
The pods average six inches in length by one and a quarter inches in diameter at the bottom, carrying the thickness well throughout the length. At the upper end of the pod or tapering point, the sides are slightly flattened or ridged as in the White Velvet, but the lower and thicker portion is distinctly round and smooth.
The young pods when ready for use are exceptionally tender and fleshy. They have a rich consistency, quite as distinct and superior in their way as the fine quality of the famous Kleckley Sweets Watermelon, which was also first introduced by us. Our friend Mr. Kleckley is an enthusiastic gardener and takes great pride in developing these specialties and maintaining them at the highest possible standard.

The seed now offered was saved for us by Mr. Kleckley and can be had only in sealed packages bearing our Electro, Registered Trade Mark. Per Ib. 65 50 cts. cts.; 10 Bb . or more at 60 cts. per lb.

## New Tomato,-Chalk's Early Jewel.

See Impartial Testimonials in Retail Catalogue.

The largest, smoothest, and finest flavored extra=early Tomato in cultivation ! Within a week to ten days as early as the famous Sparks' Earliana, it is even a heavier cropper, with tomatoes of larger size and sweeter flavor, while its more robust growth makes it a surer cropper in the warm Southern States. The foliage does not blight when the sun shines hotly after a heavy rain, as is sometimes the case with Earliana on the Delaware Peninsula and farther south.
Chalk's Early Jewel. Originated within twenty miles of Fordhoor FarMs by who has continued for seventeen years his selection to establish hardiness and extreme earliness. Of compact growth, the plants are fairly loaded zuith fruit,-both early and throughout the season. The tomatoes are uniformly of good size,-seventy-five will fill a five-eighths bushel basket.

The large handsome fruits are very solid and deep through, being almost round or ball-shaped. An average specimen, as shown in our illustration [see above], will measure three and a half inches across by nearly three inches in depth from stem to blossom end. Color brightest scarlet, ripening right up to the stem without any cracks or green core. The foliage is rather open, admitting the sunlight to the center of each plant, so that all the fruits are thoroughly ripened; but the leaves are dark green and not inclined to curl as in most other extreme-early varieties. The thick flesh is bright scarlet, very solid, with comparatively few seeds, and of fine sweet flavor; skin thin but sufficiently strong to make it a good shipper.
 Chalk's Jewel Seed produced on contract by our private growers in Pennsylyania and Vewu strictly first-class,-else we should not offer it! Per $\mathbf{I b} . \$ \mathbf{3 . 5 0}$; in lots of to tos. or more at $\$ \mathbf{3 . 2 5}$ per $\mathbf{1 b}$.

## You should Cataloǵve SPARKS' EARLIANA Tomato,Most Famous of All "Extreme-Early" Tomatoes.

Sparks' Earliana. Choicest seed of our own growing in its "South Jersey Home" and in $\$ 3.50$; 1o liss, or more at $\$ 3.25$ per lb.
 $\$ 2.25$ per lb.


A Single Tuber of vermont gold coin potato,-from a Photograph.

## New Potato,-VERMONT GOLD COIN.

The hardiest, most vigorous in growth, most productive, and the best in table quality of all potatoes, it has proved to be absolutely unequaled for main crop! The vines are strong, with exceptionally luxuriant deep green foliage, making a healthy growth when other varieties are cut down by blight. The tubers are all of good size and lie closely together in the hill. While the vigorous growth and great productiveness will commend the fermost


NEW VERMONT GOLD COIN POTATOES,-from a Photograph.
This pile was the product of one hill which produced seventeen large tubers weighing $\mathbf{8} 1 / 2$ lbs.,-more than one-eighth of a bushel! Gold Coin to all potato planters, we consider the handsome appearance and superior quality equally important. The Gold Coin zuill alvoats bring the highest price on market. In Mr. Coy's comparative trial the Gold Coin yielded one-third more than any other, while at Fordhook Farms we found the new Vermont Gold CoIn to be the quickest and finest cooking potato zve have ever tested as well as the most " superbly delicious" in flavor.
In form the tubers are slightly oblong, rather broad and quite thick through; - see illustration from nature. The eyes are small and there is but little waste in paring. The skin is thin, smooth, and glossy, of a light golden tint, having just sufficient coloring to distinguish it from the white-skinned varieties. The flesh is fine grained, of a pure pearly zuhiteness, and ceoks to a dry foury zwhiteness. Unlike most of the main-crop or late sorts which need to be well dried out before they will cook properly, these new Vermont "Gold Cons," even when freshly dug, cook dry and mealy. Its vigorous growth and great productiveness make it the most profitable variety for the planter, and its great solidity, smooth regular form, and unequaled table quality will make it the most popular and quickest selling on market.

Price, $\mathbf{\$ 5 . 0 0}$ per barrel (cable-word-Potential).


## In the New Gold Coin we "Now Have the Very Best Potato in Existence,"-so writes E. L. Coy.

"I am more and more satisfied that you now have in GOLD COIN the very best potato in existence. I have a barrel of them here from my brother and they are azvay ahead of anything we have had on our table of any variety from Maine or anyzuhere else. Vermont Gold Coin will soon be a household zoord among lovers of good potatoes."-E. L. Coy, November 14, 1902.


## Egg Plant,-Burpee's "Black Beauty." $^{\text {. }}$

The earliest and best of all large=fruited Egg Plants ! It is valuable alike to the private planter and the extensive grower for market. Black Bealty produces fruits fully as large and ready for use ten days to two weeks earlier than the "Fordhook Spineless" or New York Improved Purple. The plants branch freely near the ground, and grow in well-rounded bushes. The grand large fruits are thick,-of most attractive form, as shown in the illustration. The skin is a rich lustrous purplish black,-the satin gloss and rich coloring adding greatly to the beauty of these "eggs." This intensely brilliant coloring is uniform over the whole fruit and does not fade or change to a lighter color at the blossom end. The calyx is bright green, contrasting finely with the dark satin skin of the fruit, and is entirely free from spines or thorns.

The fruits set most freely and develop remarkably quickly, so that the entire crop can be gathered before there is any danger of frost, while of the New York Improved Purple many fruits do not reach full size before they are destroyed by
 frost. We are sure that truckers generally will make their main planting of BURPEE'S "BiACK Beauty " as soon as they learn its unusual value. Special wholesale for 1905 : Per lb. \$3.75; in lots of 10 lbs. or more, $\$ \mathbf{3 . 5 0}$ per $\mathbf{l b}$.

## PLEASE NOTE,-

 Error in Prices ofNew Sweet Peas, on pages 27 and 28 .
These will be invoiced, of course, at
the lower prices, quoted in complete alphabetical list on pages 23 to 26 .

Wholesale Department.

## W. ATLEE BURPEE \& CO., <br> Seed Warehouses,

Nos. 475 and 477 North Fifth Street,
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## Two Views at FORDHOOK FARMS

From photographs taken of Trial Grounds in the spring of 1904. Many other views would be necessary to give an adequate ide of the work at our famous Fordhook Farms,-the largest Trial Grounds in America.


A part of the main section of Miscellaneous Trials on "The First Fordhook Farm:" The young plants are just large enough to permit hand-hoeing and the first use of the wheel hoes.


Early Cabbage Trials on "The Second Fordhook Farm." Every year we make two plantings of Cabbage seed for field trials, -one in February for early, another in June for the late trials.


[^0]:    We make a specialty of the Choicest Flower Seeds which we grow extensively, both at Formmook FARMs and with our private growers in America. We have extra fine stocks, particularly of Asters, -BALAAMS, Begonias, Coleus, - Cosmos, - Gloxinias, -Giant Hybrid Heliotrope, - Mignonette, Tall and Divarf Nasturtime, -Pansies,-Petunias, - Phlox Drimmondit, Silvia Splefidens, and Verbena. biag We shall be pleased to quote Special Prices upon receipt of list of your requirements, stating varieties and quantities. Or you can send an open order, in full condidence that prices will be moderate for quality of seed, -in no case higher than quoted in our last Jumuary catalogue.

[^1]:    * Varieties marked with an asterisk (*) produce flowers of finest form and largest size.

[^2]:    * The varieties marked with an asterisk (*) produce flowers of good substance aud largest size-being of the true grandiflora type.

