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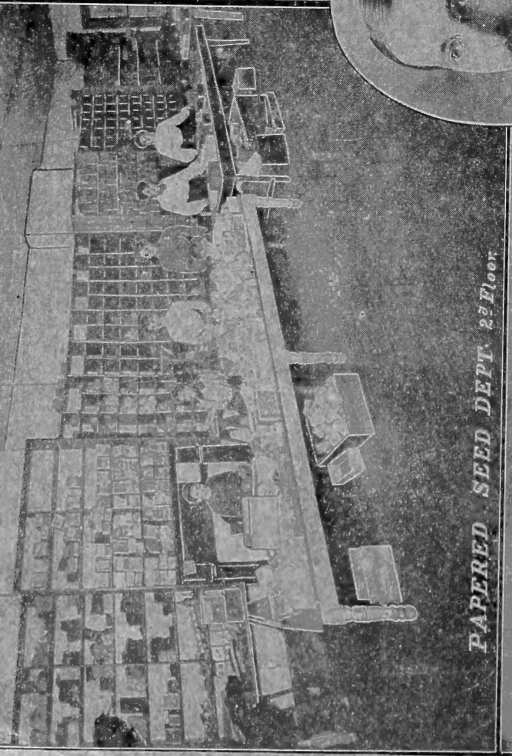
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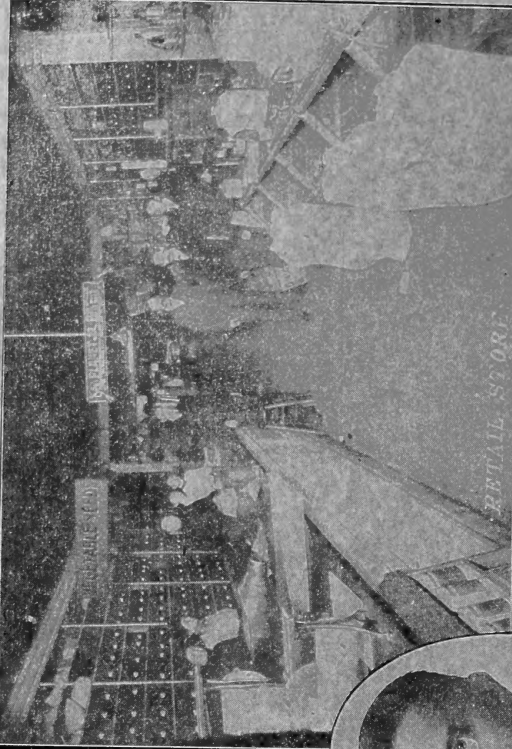


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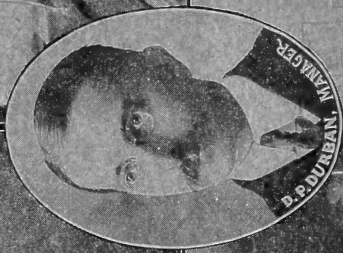
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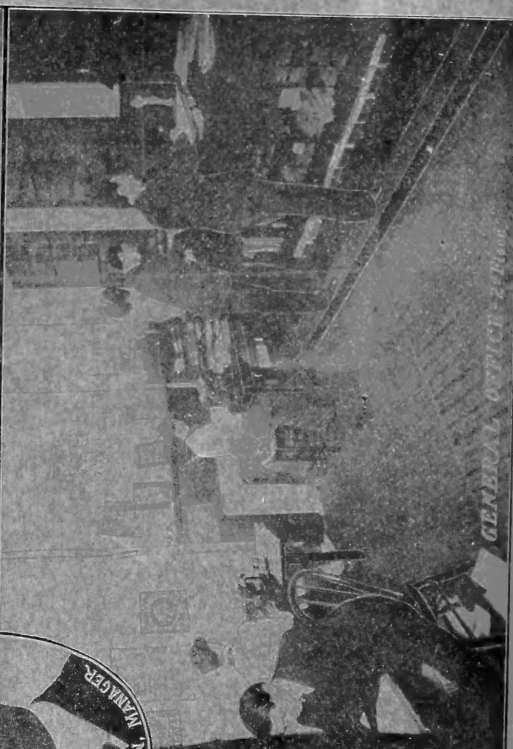
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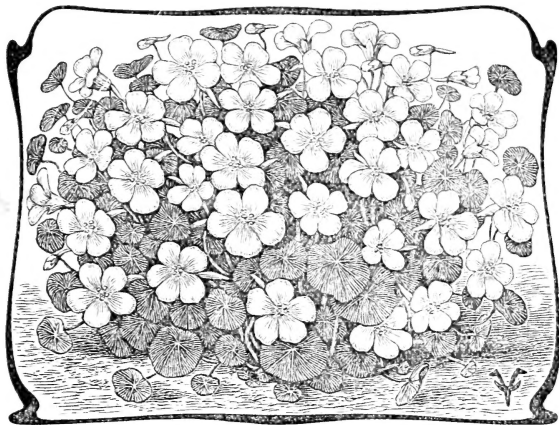






# ALEXANDER SEED CO.'S SEEDS OF SPECIAL MERIT.

**W** E LIST here such new and specially tried varieties of seeds as bear high endorsement, feeling confident that our patrons will improve the quality of their gardens by planting them. Price of any of them; packet, 10 cents, 3 for 25 cents; 15 for \$1.00, prepaid, unless otherwise mentioned.

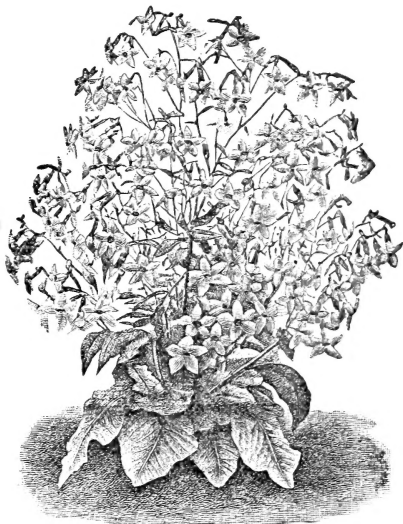


two and three to a stem and very sweet. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 4 ounces, 50 cents.

## NEW DWARF NASTURTIUM.

### "Snow Queen."

The first real White Nasturtium. This is a selection from Liliput, possessing its free-blooming qualities, size of flower and foliage. The plants grow in neat, compact bushes, produce up to 75 flowers to a plant which are borne well above the light green foliage. When the flowers first open they are yellowish, then they turn white on the edges and on the second day they are entirely a pure paper-white. Packet, 10 cents, 3 for 25 cents; ounce, 35 cents.



NICOTIANA SANDERAE.

## Nasturtium.

"Caprice"—"Caprice" bears profusely flowers of extra large size, and in a wonderful variety of colors and markings. It is appropriately named "Caprice," from its character of frequently bearing flowers of diverse colors upon a single plant. While a tall or climbing variety, the New Caprice is equally beautiful trailing from window boxes or simply trailing on the ground. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 75 cents.

## Sweet Peas.

New Dwarf, or White Cupid—(See cut)—Fine for pots, window gardens or bedding. This charming variety only grows 6 to 8 inches high, making a dwarf, compact plant, often spreading over an area of from 10 to 15 inches. Flowers are pure white. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 4 ounces,



DWARF CUPID SWEET PEAS. Price, Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents.

## NICOTIANA SANDERAE.

New Hardy Annual, With Large, Bright Carmine Flowers—The plant is bushy, many branching plants 2 feet high. The shape of the flower resembles that of affinis, but having a short, stout tube, and it comes true from seed. Plants raised in spring by the same manner and method as any of the hardy annuals will flower in May, and will give a continuous display of bloom all summer and Autumn in open ground, and will make extraordinary branched specimens, retaining their leaves to the base, as shown in cut. Price, packet, 25 cents; 5 packets for \$1.00.

New *Salvia Splendens* (Silver Spot)—This variety is a true novelty of much value. The leaves are rich, soft dark green, with light sulphur or cream colored spots of various sizes liberally sprinkled over them. The intense bright red flowers are very large and beautiful, the plants are of a neat, compact habit. Price, packet, 25 cents; 5 packets for \$1.00, postpaid.

Dwarf *Salvia Splendens* ("Lord Fauntelroy")—Measuring 18 inches from the ground to the tips of the spikes—with brilliancy of color of the bloom it eclipses everything of its nature. The foliage is a rich, dark green color, being at the ground. Price, packet, 25 cents; 5 packets for \$1.00.

# SEEDS OF SPECIAL MERIT.

## GOLDEN CARMINE POLE BEAN.

A New Strain of Horticultural Pole of STERLING MERIT. Excels in Earliness, Quality, Handsome Appearance and Productiveness.

In this new strain we have, of a wonderfully robust grower, a week to ten days earlier than Worcester Horticultural Pole. In comparison, the pods are equally as large, stringless, bright golden color when very young. As the pods approach full size, they are mottled and streaked with an unusually bright carmine color on the bright golden, which gives the pods (when ready for market) a strikingly beautiful and attractive appearance. This, together with its productiveness, will make it the most desirable strain of this well known and popular bean. Price, packet, 10 cents; 3 packets, 25 cents; pint, 25 cents. by mail 35 cents.

## New Dwarf Champion Pea.

In offering this new pea, we are filling a long wanted demand.

A pea with all the merits of the well known and reliable Champion of England, being hardy and excellent quality, but less vine, larger pods and more of them.

In this pea we have a hardy, robust and vigorous grower, productive of handsome dark green pods of

good size and in great abundance, and the quality is unsurpassed.

Height of vine about 26 inches.

Season coming in after the Little Gem.

For a reliable staple market variety we believe it will fill a long needed want.

Another season's trial adds further proof to the merits of this new pea, being a sure and abundant cropper, and quality the best. Price, packet, 10 cts.; 1-2 pint, 15 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 45 cents, postpaid.

## NEW POTATO

### "NOROTON BEAUTY."

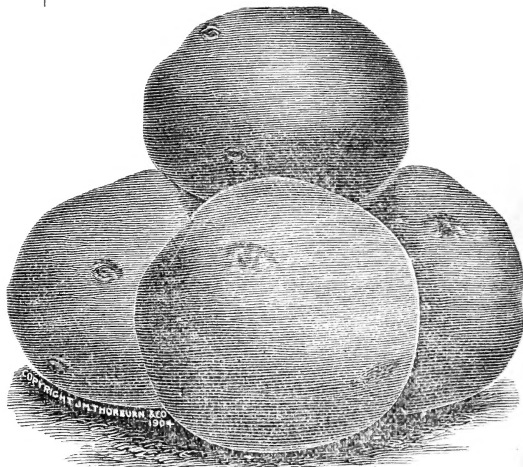
It is the earliest Potato ever grown.

It is by far the most productive extra-early, yielding as heavily as any of the medium early sorts.

It is handsomer in appearance and more uniform in size and shape than any other variety.

Its table quality is superb and it keeps longer than any other sort, early or late.

It is the best all-round Potato in existence.



HALF SIZE GOLDEN CARMINE



	By mail or express prepaid.	By express or freight not prepaid.
1 pound .. . . .	\$0 85	\$0 75
2 pounds.. . . .	1 50	1 30
4 pounds... . . . .	2 75	2 40
8 pounds .. . . .	5 00	4 25
Per peck (15 lbs.)...		7 00
Per half bushel (30 lbs.)		13 00
Per bushel (60 lbs.) ..		24 00

## LETTUCE.

Immensity Lettuce—A luxuriant grower, very tender, sweet and crisp. It is often 4 to 5 feet in circumference. Plant and head not only attain enormous dimensions, but it is also of very fine quality, the outer leaves being tender; very slow to go to seed. It is a very fine variety for early sowing. It is not an early variety, but reliable for late crop during trying seasons, when other varieties are hard to have. Price, packet, 10 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 75 cents.

W. W. De Vault, Austin Springs, Tenn.: "I ship today a Harris' Watermelon weighing 27 pounds. This Melon ripened in 65 days.

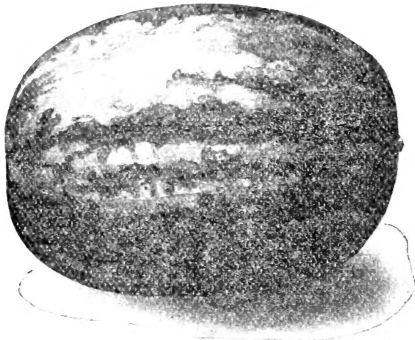


## SEEDS OF SPECIAL MERIT.

### Harris' Earliest Watermelon.

**SWEETEST EARLY MELON. LARGEST EARLY MELON. BEST SHIPPING EARLY MELON.**

In form this Melon is oval to oblong. It is beautifully striped with dark green and gray stripes. It has bright red flesh, which is tender, sweet and delicious beyond description. It is very productive, often bearing fine, marketable Melons from July 1st until killed by frost in the latitude of Tennessee. It is the Melon for everybody to grow who wants to be first in the market with fine, large Melons weighing from 20 to 30 pounds. It bears shipping very well, and on account of its extreme earliness, handsome appearance and fine table qualities, it always finds a ready market at fancy prices. Our stock direct from Mr. Harris. Supply limited this year. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 40 cents; 1-2 pound, 75 cents; pound, \$1.25. If by mail, add 5 cents to 1-2 pound; 10 cents to pound, price for postage.



HARRIS' EARLIEST.

### "Halbert Honey" Watermelon.

One of the finest of all Watermelons for the home garden and choice trade in local markets! Halbert Honey fully equals the Kleckley Sweets in superb luscious flavor, 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 eighteen 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. Packet, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 35 cents; 1-2 pound, 65 cents; pound, \$1.00. If by mail, add 5 cents to 1-2 pound, 10 cents to pound, for postage.

### CABBAGE.

New Cabbage—"Early Baseball"—This is a distinct new, extra early cabbage; has proven fully as early as the Jersey Wakefield, while producing heads so round in form and extremely solid that the descriptive name "Baseball" has been given to it. The plants are extremely dwarf, and while well furnished with leaves, are so compact that they can be grown at a distance of only 12 inches in the row. After a careful test and comparison with "Early Spring" and all other first-early cabbages, this is considered the earliest of all first-early flat-head cabbages. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents;

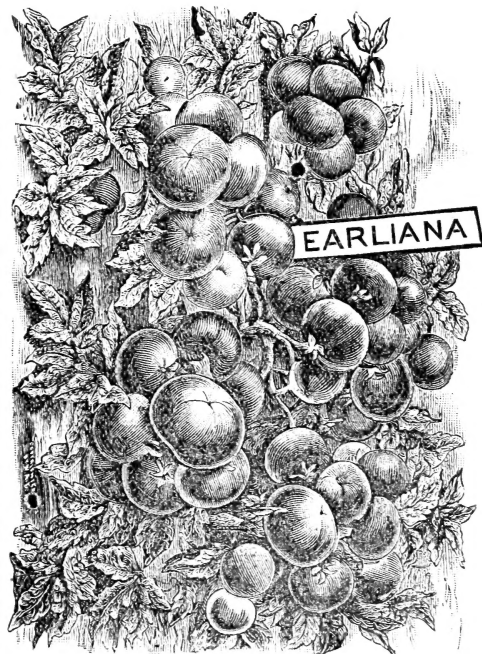
ounce, 35 cents; 1-4 pound, \$1.00; 1-2 pound, \$2.00; pound \$3.50, postage, 10 cents per pound extra.



EARLY "BASEBALL" CABBAGE.  
Price, packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents.

### TOMATO.

Sparks' Earliana—This is the Most Famous of all "Extreme-Early" Tomatoes—The plants are quite hardy, with rather slender open branches and moderate growth, well set with fruits, which ripen extremely early in the season. The Tomatoes are deep scarlet, and grow closely in clusters of five to eight, all of medium size, averaging two and a half inches in diameter; they are smooth and solid, quite thick through, and free from rough ribs or cracks. The flesh is a deep red. Price, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; 1-2 ounce, 20 cents; 1-4 pound, \$1.00; 1-2 pound, \$1.75; pound, \$3.50.



## DISCOUNTS FROM RETAIL PRICES ON ORDERS.

Please bear in mind that allowances named below apply **ONLY TO ORDERS FOR VEGETABLE AND FLOWER SEEDS** in packets, ounces and quarter-pound packages, pints and quarts at retail price and not on Field Seeds, Clovers and Grasses.

Purchaser remitting Fifty Cents can order seeds as above amounting to Sixty Cents. Purchaser remitting \$1.00 can order seeds as above amounting to \$1.25. Purchaser remitting \$2.00 can order seeds as above amounting to \$2.50. Purchaser remitting \$3.00 can order seeds as above amounting to \$3.75. Purchaser remitting \$4.00 can order seeds as above amounting to \$5.00. Purchaser remitting \$5.00 can order seeds as above amounting to \$6.25. Purchaser remitting \$7.00 can order seeds as above amounting to \$9.50. Purchaser remitting \$10.00 can order seeds as above amounting to \$13.00.

**ALL ORDERS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED WITH A REMITTANCE TO RECEIVE OUR LIBERAL DISCOUNTS.**

### HICKS' ALMANAC FOR 1905.

With orders for \$1.00 worth of seeds in papers and packets at retail Catalogue prices, we will send free of charge one of Hicks' Almanacs for 1905. Patrons accepting Almanac as premium on \$1.00 order is not entitled to any other discount. So accurately in the past has Mr. Hicks predicted storms, tornadoes, cold waves, blizzards, drouths, frosts, etc., that he has gained a national reputation. We also sell these Almanacs, which will contain his weather forecasts for the year, at 25 cents each; 30 cents, postpaid.

### DIRECTIONS HOW TO ORDER AND REMIT.

Write your Name, Post Office, County and State on every order or letter to us. Send cash with order. Observe cost of postage and include with your remittance. Remit by Post Office or Express Money Order, Drafts on Augusta or New York, or Register your letter. We accept clean postage stamps—not revenue stamps—same as cash. If local checks are sent, add 10 cents extra to amount for exchange.

**NOTE**—Have all remittances drawn plainly Alexander Seed Co. When convenient, we consider Express Money Orders cheaper and safer.

**C. O. D. ORDERS**—We do not ship goods C. O. D. unless one-half the estimated amount of the bill accompanies the order. From this rule we do not deviate.

**SHIPPING**—We can mail packages of seed weighing up to four pounds. The rate is eight cents per pound. The Express rate is not any more. If yours is an Express Office, so notify us and we will send in that way. Heavier shipments by Express or Freight, as you direct. Parties ordering shipments by Express or Freight collect are expected to take them promptly when they arrive at their destination. This should be thoroughly understood when ordering.

We also have a special Express rate on seeds which averages 35 per cent. less than regular merchandise rate. We suggest that you include in your remittance for small seeds enough to prepay same. When shipments are prepaid by us, the shipment goes at mail rate or less.

### SEEDS FOR MARKET GARDENERS.

We are in position to give Market or Truck Gardeners and Public Institutions buying in quantity as low prices as those of any reputable seed house. Our stocks are the very best to be obtained, true to name and tested. We invite inquiries, and will give prices to those who will write to us. In writing, kindly mention variety, with amount of each article desired.

### SEEDS FOR MERCHANTS.

Merchants will find our regular line of papered seeds, which are put up in 5 cent and 10 cent packets, an attractive packet to sell. Our papers contain as much seed as those of some houses whose price is higher. Our seeds are easy to sell, because they are well known. The wide reputation we have for selling the very highest and best quality of seeds, will be found fully sustained in our papered seeds as well as our bulk seed. Merchants' sales would be largely increased by selling our seeds. We furnish attractive signs, Catalogues and other literature. Write for our Wholesale Price List; also price on any seeds in bulk you need.

We take pleasure in recommending **THE FRUITLAND NURSERIES**, of Augusta, Ga., established in 1857 by **P. J. BERCKMANS**, and still conducted by him and his sons. Now incorporated as the **P. J. BERCKMANS CO.** Those wanting Fruit and Ornamental Trees suited to our Southern climate cannot be better suited than by dealing with them. Their illustrated Catalogue mailed free by addressing them. Mention our Catalogue.

### ALEXANDER SEED CO.

Give no warranty, expressed or implied. While we exercise every effort to procure the best varieties of seeds, and such as are fresh and genuine, we will not be in any way responsible for the crop. Our guarantee does not extend beyond our honest efforts and intentions. If purchaser does not accept the goods on these terms, they must be returned at once.

**Note**—Further, that all our seeds are tested for germination by an apparatus that has the approval of the United States Department of Agriculture.

In writing, ordering or making out Post Office or Express Money Orders, Checks or Drafts, address plainly,

**ALEXANDER SEED COMPANY,**

**AUGUSTA, = GEORGIA.**

# ALEXANDER SEED CO'S

## HIGH QUALITY

### VEGETABLE SEEDS.

SEEDS IN PAPERS BY MAIL POSTPAID.

We pay postage on all packets, ounces and one-fourth pounds. For half pounds add 5 cents; one pound, 10 cents; for half pint Peas and Beans add 5 cents; for one pint, add 10 cents; for one quart, add 15 cents for postage.

Extra Order Sheets and Envelopes will be mailed free to customers requesting them.

In the following pages we list only the best standard varieties of Vegetable Seeds, and such as we think will improve the gardens of our patrons, and best for spring use.

## ARTICHOKEs.



GREEN GLOBE  
ARTICHOKE.

Artichant (Fr.), Artichoke (Ger.), Alachola (Sp.)

**Green Globe**—Produces large globular heads; scales green, shading to purple. Popular only in certain sections of the country, especially in Louisiana. **Culture**—Plant seeds in early spring. When plants are one year old, transplant in good soil, three to four feet each way. Price, packet, 5 cts.; ounce, 30 cts.; 1-4 pound, \$1.00.

**Jerusalem Artichoke, Roots**—For hogs and pickles. See under Forage Crops.

plant to permanent beds. One ounce of seed for sixty feet drill, or about 200 plants; 5 pounds for an acre.

**Columbian Mammoth White**—This is a very vigorous growing variety, from 80 to 90 per cent. of the stalks are pure white and remains colorless as long as they are fit to use. Producing very long spiers. Price, packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; pound, 75 cents.

**Conover's Colossal**—A favorite variety, very large and productive. Papers, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 15 cents; pound, 40 cents.

**Palmetto**—Earlier than Conover's and fast becoming a favorite, especially with the South Carolina truckers. Papers, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 50 cents. Write for prices in larger quantities.

**Barr Mammoth**—Popular in some sections. Price, packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 15 cents; pound, 45 cents.

**Giant Argentuil**—This grows to the largest size, is the best flavored and brings the highest price of any Asparagus on the market. Southern seed have proven more valuable to our growers than Northern seed. This seed raised for us by one of the most successful farmers in the South. There was not a particle of rust in the entire field of this grass. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 35 cents; 1-2 pound, 60 cents; pound, \$1.00; 5 pounds at 75 cents per pound.

**Asparagus Roots**—We can furnish the Palmetto, 100 roots, enough to set a bed 10x40 feet. Good strong two year-old roots. Price, per 100, 75 cents, 500, \$2.75; 1,000, \$4.50. Write for prices in large quantities.

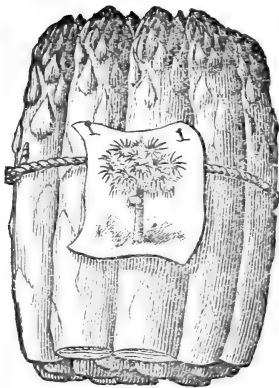
**Raffia**—For tying Asparagus and other vegetables, grafting fruit trees, and also used now in fancy work in making mats, baskets, hats, etc. Price, 20 cents per pound; in 5 pound lots at 18 cents; 10 to 20 pounds at 15 cents per pound. Write for prices in larger quantity. Mention quantity wanted.

## ASPARAGUS.

Asperge (Fr.), Spankel (Ger.), Esparagos (Sp.)

### Culture:

The ground should be well manured and prepared before either the seeds or roots are planted. Soak seed over night in water. Plant seed early in the Spring in drills about two inches deep and rows one foot apart. If to be cultivated with plows, three feet apart. When one year old trans-



PALMETTO ASPARAGUS.

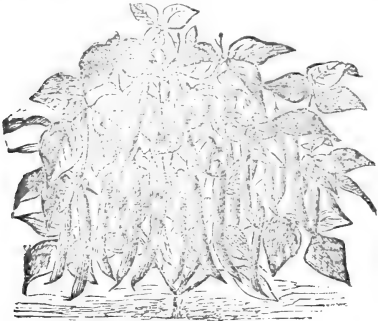
Dr. A. J. Burkett, Lafayette Parish, La., Dec. 26th, 1904, says: "Gentlemen—Your house has been so highly recommended to me that I am induced to write you asking that you mail me your seed Catalogue, that I may order my seed from you."



## BUSH BEANS.

Haricot (Fr.), Bohne (Ger.) Frisloencino (Sp.) .

**Culture**—Place in rows eighteen inches apart, drop a bean every two or three inches. Plant from end of February, and for succession, every two or three weeks to May. Bush Beans planted in this latitude during June and July will not produce much. August and September are good months in which to plant again; they will produce abundantly till killed by the frost. Do not cover the seeds more than two inches. One quart will plant 100 feet drill; 1 1-2 bushels to an acre. If sent by mail, add to price named 5 cents for half pint, 10 cents for pint, 15 cents for quart for postage.



**EXTRA EARLY IMPROVED  
RED VALENTINE BEAN.**

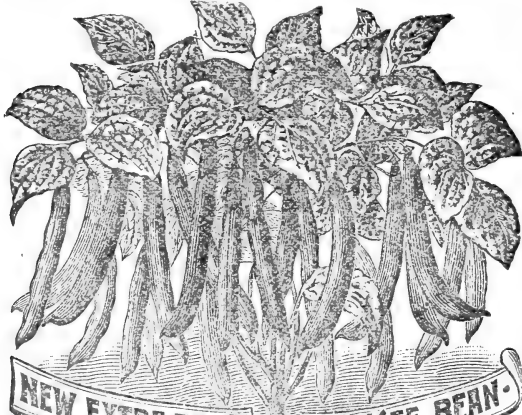
### Green Podded Bush Varieties.

**Extra Early Improved Red Valentine**—One of the best and earliest. Very productive. Pods round. Price, papers, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 10 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents; 1-2 peck, 90 cents; peck, \$1.50. (Crop short.)

**Early Mohawk**—Very early and productive. Long, green-podded, flat. Papers, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 10 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents; 1-2 peck, 75 cents; peck, \$1.25.

**Early Yellow Six Weeks**—Popular; very early; full flat, green pods; good quality. Papers, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 10 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents; 1-2 peck, 75 cents; peck, \$1.25.

**Stringless Green Pod Beans**—The best stringless very wide, thick and fleshy, surpassing all others in crisp, tender flavor. Earlier by two weeks than the Valentine. Sure to prove of great value to the market gardener as well as for home gardeners. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; 1-2 pint, 15 cents; pint, 25 cents; quart, 0 cents; 1-2 peck, \$1.00; peck, \$1.75. (Crop short.)



**New Giant Stringless Green Pod Bean**—This fine bean is an improvement over the Stringless Green Pod Bean that has won such merited praise. Pod large, tender and crisp. Very early. Price, packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; 1-2 pint, 15 cents; pint, 25 cents; quart, 45 cents.

**New Extra Early Refugee**—This bean has become very popular with the truck farmer. An immense yielder, sure to produce a crop in dry or wet season. It is ready for market ten days earlier than the old Refugee. A fine shipper. It is becoming one of the most popular green podded snaps, both for Spring and Summer. Packet, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 10 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents; 1-2 peck, 90 cents; peck, \$1.50. (Crop short.)

Refugee, or 1,000 to 1—Medium to late; a good variety for market crop; round pod. Papers, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 10 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents; 1-2 peck, 75 cents; peck, \$1.40. (Crop short.)

### Wax Podded Bush Beans.

The crop of this class of Bush Beans was very short this year, which will naturally carry the prices of new beans a little higher and make supply limited. It will be best to order early. Postage must be added to pint and quart prices for mail orders.

**Early Golden Eye Wax**—An early long, straight podded variety, profuse bearer, nearly rustproof; vines robust, pods flat and uniform in size. Price, packet, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 15 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 35 cents; 1-2 peck, 90 cents; peck, \$1.60.

**Dwarf German or Black Wax**—Very early and delicious; round, yellow pods. Papers, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 10 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 35 cents; peck, \$1.60.

**Dwarf Golden Wax**—Very early; round golden pods. Papers, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 15 cents; pint, 25 cents; quart, 35 cents; 1-4 bushel, \$1.75.

**Wardwell's Kidney Wax**—Very productive and one of the most popular early wax varieties. A great favorite for shipping; also with the home market and family garden. Pods are tender and long. Packet, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 15 cents; pint, 25 cents; quart, 40 cents; peck, \$2.50. Crop short.

**Davis White Kidney Wax**—Originated by Eugene Davis, of Michigan. The plant is vigorous and healthy, of compact upright growth, carrying its pods on the centre and well up from the ground. The pods are very long, oval, clear, waxy white color, showing no tendency to string until they approach maturity. The large white, handsome, kidney-shaped dry beans are very attractive, and excellent for baking. Packet, 5 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 35 cents; peck, \$2.75. Crop short.

**WAX BEANS—Continued.**

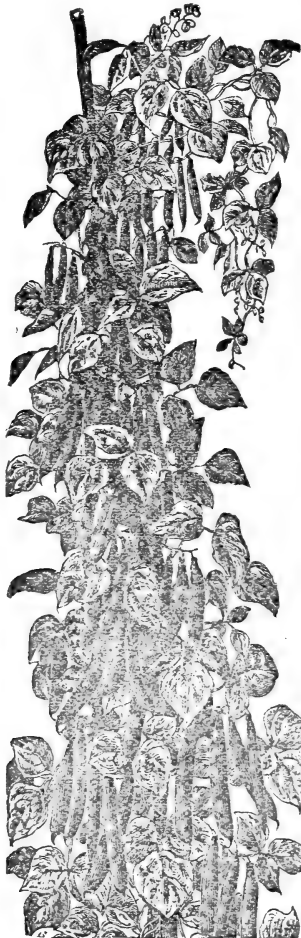
**Curries Rustproof Wax**—It has been claimed that this variety is absolutely rustproof, and we have found it as nearly rustproof as any good wax bean can be. Vine very vigorous, hardy and productive. Comes in about same time as Kidney Wax Bean. Packet, 5 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 35 cents; 1-4 bushel, \$2.25.

**Pole or Running Beans.**

If sent by mail, add 5 cents to price named for half pint, 10 cents per pint, 15 cents for quart for postage.

**Improved Southern Prolific**—Quick to mature; pods in clusters; brittle and tender. Paper, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 10 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 30 cents.

**Fat Horse or Greaseback**—The old reliable Georgia Bean. A plump, stringless snap, and good shell bean; bears till frost. Packet, 10 cents; 1-2 pint, 15 cents; pint, 25 cents; quart, 40 cents.



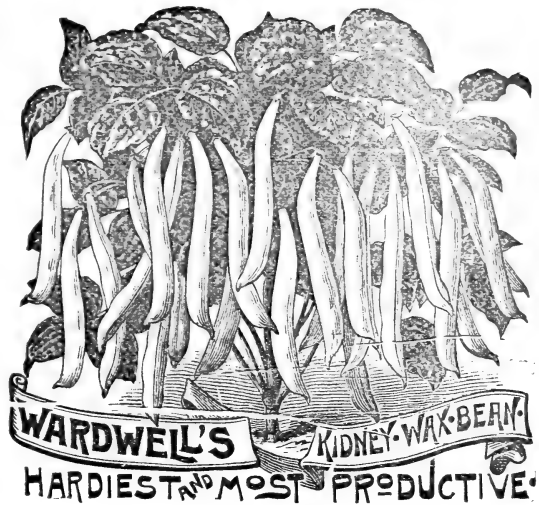
**IMPROVED KENTUCKY WONDER POLE BEANS.**

**Golden Carmine Pole**—A new strain of Horticultural pole of sterling merit. Excels in earliness, quality, handsome appearance and productiveness. For cut and full description see pages of Seeds of Special Merit. Price, packet, 10 cts.; pint, 25 cents; quart, 40 cents.

**Improved Kentucky Wonder**—Very early; green-podded, enormous, highly productive; pods in clusters; large, crisp and tender. Packet, 10 cents; 1-2 pint, 15 cents; pint, 25 cents; quart, 35 cents.

**Lazy Wife**—Very prolific; pods four to six inches long, and borne in large clusters; stringless, tender and rich. As a snap or shelled bean, it is one of the best of the Poles. Packet, 10 cents; 1-2 pint, 15 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 35 cents.

**Corn Field or Cut Short**—The old popular kind for planting among corn. Very prolific. Packet, 10 cents; 1-2 pint, 15 cents; pint, 25 cents; quart, 35 cents.



Lima Beans should not be planted before the ground has become warm in Spring. Strong poles ought to be set in the ground from four to six feet apart and the ground drawn around them before the seed is planted. It is always best to plant after a rain and with the eye of the bean down. The other varieties can be planted flat, and not more than three to four feet apart, and hilled after they are up. Do not cover the seed more than two inches; one inch is enough for the Southern Prolific and Greaseback.

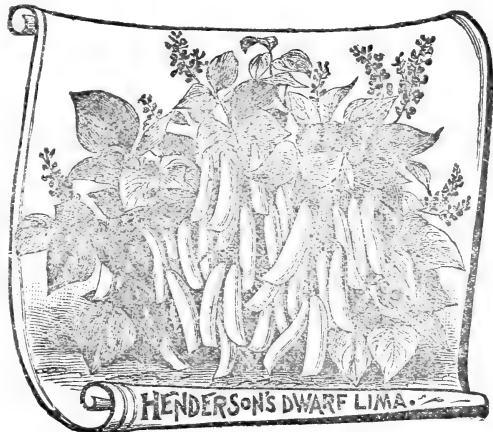
**Carolina or Sewee (Pole)**—Small Lima, commonly known as Butter Bean; very prolific and sweet. A popular sort in all the Southern States. Packet, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 10 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 35 cent; peck, \$1.75.

**King of Garden Lima (Pole)**—Richest and finest flavor, and estimated to be the best of all Pole Beans. Packet, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 15 cents; pint, 25 cents; quart, 40 cents; peck, \$2.00.

Write for prices in larger quantities. Mention quantity wanted.

**Bush Lima Beans.**

**Henderson's Dwarf Small Lima**—Very valuable. A single plant has been known to have 270 pods. Bears continuously until frost. Price,



packet, 10 cents; 1-2 pint, 15 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 35 cents. If to be mailed add 5

**BUSH LIMA BEANS—Continued.**

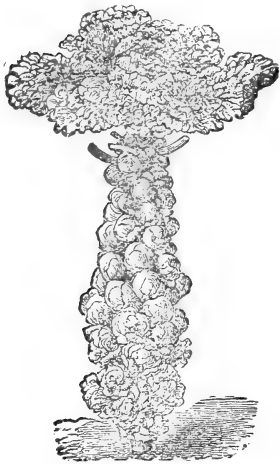
cents to 1-2 pint, 10 cents to pint, 15 cents to quart for postage.

**Dreer's Bush Lima**—This valuable Bush Lima produces pods in great abundance; beans medium size. About ten days earlier than any pole Lima Bean. Price, packet, 10 cents; pint, 25 cents; quart, 40 cents. If to be sent by mail, add for postage same as mentioned in Henderson's Bush Lima.

**Burpee's Large Bush Lima**—A bush form of the flat pole Lima, growing only eighteen or twenty inches high. It is an immense yielder. Price, packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; 1-2 pint, 15 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 35 cents. If to be sent by mail, add postage as above.

**Brussels Sprouts.**

Choux de Bruxelles (Fr.), Rosen or Sprossen Kohl (Ger.), Breton de Bruselas (Sp.)

**BRUSSELS SPROUTS.**

**Improved Dwarf**—Compact heads of fine quality. A variety of the Cabbage family. Bears upon its stalk a large number of small heads resembling miniature cabbage. Should be more popular. Plant and treat as you would cabbage; one ounce of seed to one hundred yard rows. Papers, 5 cts.; ounce, 20 cts.; 1-4 pound, 60 cts.; pound, \$1.75.

**Broccoli.**

Choux Broccoli (Fr.), Spargel-Kohl (Ger.), Broccoli (Span.)

The head of this vegetable resembles Cauliflower, but not so hard to grow. Cultivate the same as Cabbage, in rich soil.

**Alexander Seed Co.'s Early Market**—This is the largest and earliest variety, making pure white heads. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 35 cents.

**Early Purple Cape**—Heads white; a standard variety. Papers, 5 cents; ounce, 30 cents; 1-4 pound, \$1.00.

**Early White Cape**—Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 25 cents 1-4 pound, 75 cents.

**Cauliflower.**

Choufleur (Fr.), Blumenkohl (Ger.), Colliflor (Sp.)

**EXTRA EARLY SNOW BALL CAULIFLOWER.**

Succeeds well, especially in the States bordering on the Gulf. Sow from July to October. Transplant in wet weather to very rich soil and cultivate early and often. Requires plenty of moisture when heads begin to form. One ounce for 3,000 plants. Best varieties are:

**Extra Early Snowball**—Packet, 15 cents; 1-4 ounce, 50 cents; 1-2 ounce, \$1.00; ounce, \$2.00.

**Select Extra Early Erfurt**—Packet, 10 cents; 1-4 ounce, 50 cents; ounce, \$1.75.

**Early Paris**—Packets, 10 cents; 1-4 ounce, 50 cents; ounce, \$1.50.

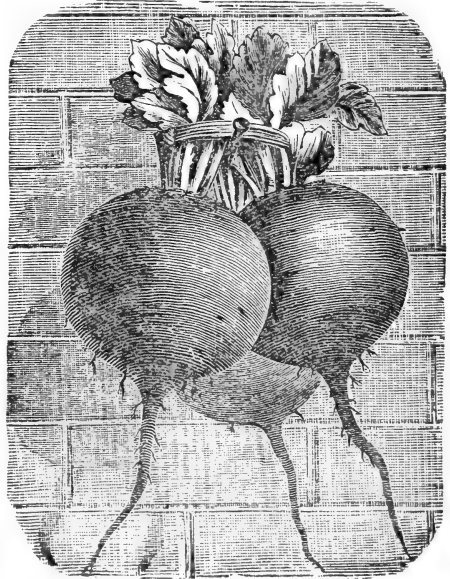
**Selected Beet Seed.**

FOR TABLE USE.

Betrave (Fr.), Salathete (Ger.), Remolacha (Sp.)

**OUR BEETS** are from the most reliable growers. Having sold thousands of pounds the past few years to the same large truckers in the South who have made much success by planting our Seeds is evidence enough to sustain the fact that we have the correct strains and from the right sections that have proven best for the Southern planters.

**CULTURE**—The soil for Beets should be rich or well manured. If manure is not accessible then use a good fertilizer rich in potash. Spade or plow land deep. One ounce will sow 100-foot drill, five pounds to an acre. Make drills eighteen inches to two feet apart. Sow thinly in drills, in this latitude from early Spring to August; later, from September to November 15th, thinning plants out to about four inches apart in the drill. A liberal dressing of Kainit or Muriate of Potash will give the beet the

**EARLY ECLIPSE BEETS.**

necessary food to perfect itself, also act as a preventive and destroyer of the worm that attacks the root.

Kainit and Muriate of Potash are supplied by us in any quantity. Write for prices.

**Extra Early Red Turnip**—Of fine quality; very productive. Will make in seven or eight weeks from sowing. Boils red, tender and sweet.

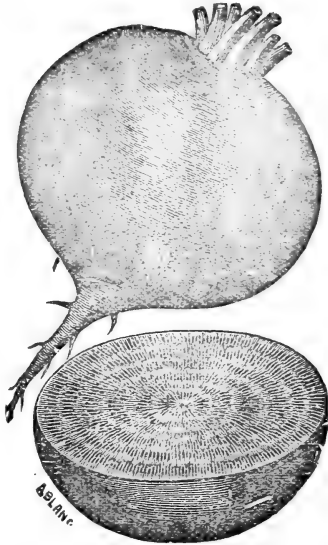
Papers, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 20 cents; pound, 50 cents.

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**Early Eclipse**—Very rapid grower; smooth, intense blood red skin and flesh fine grained and sweet. This beet has proven the most successful for Fall planting.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 20 cents; pound, 50 cents. Special prices in larger quantities.



**CROSBY'S IMPROVED EGYPTIAN BEETS.**

**Dirigo Extra Early Beet**—The earliest variety in cultivation; unequaled in quality. It originated with a leading market gardener and was brought to perfection after years of careful cultivation. It is a rich, blood-red beet of fine grain and flavor; is earlier than either the Egyptian and Eclipse; of smooth and rapid growth; top and tap roots being very small. Market gardeners should not fail to give the Dirigo a trial.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; pound, 75 cents.

**Crosby's Improved Egyptian**—A choice form of the Egyptian and consequently is very desirable. Thicker in body than the Egyptian; small necked and dark fleshed. Fine for early market.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 20 cents; pound, 60 cents.

**Improved Long Blood**—Very rich; flesh dark red; much esteemed for table in Winter.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 25 cents; pound, 50 cents.

**Dewing's Improved Blood Turnip Beet**—This variety is a vast improvement over the common Turnip Beet. It is dark colored, of beautiful globe shape, very tender, and does not become tough and woody.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 50 cents.

**Crimson Globe Beet**—This is a distinct variety, color being a rich deep crimson. In shape a perfect Globe. Recommended to Gardener and Trucker.

Price, packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 75 cents, postpaid.

**Extra Early Lentz**—Of perfect turnip form; smooth roots; dark blood flesh; tender and sweet at all times and very productive.

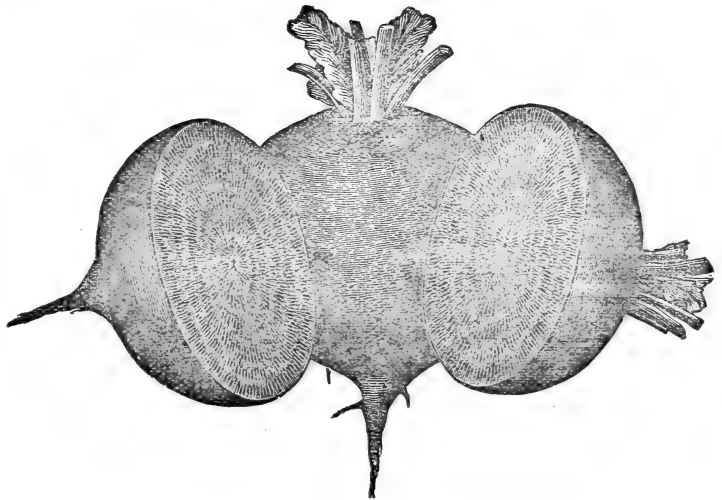
Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 25 cents; pound, 60 cents.

**Edmund's Dark Blood Turnip**—Little later than above, but of superior quality.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 20 cents; pound, 50 cents.

**Half Long Blood**—Follows the Red Turnip in maturity; dark blood-red; excellent for winter.

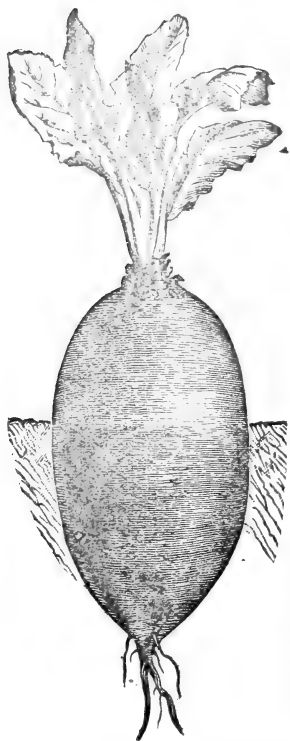
Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 20 cents; pound, 50 cents.



**EXTRA EARLY RED TURNIP BEETS.**

T. M. Pankey, Sumter Co., Ala., Dec. 27th, 1904, says: "Gentlemen—My father has used your seed for a long time with satisfaction, and I feel sure you will give me the genuine article."

## Mangel Wurzel or Stock Beets.



GOLDEN GLOBE MANGEL WURZEL.

The value of the Mangel Wurzel and Sugar Beets for feeding cattle, sheep and swine, especially in Winter months, can not be too highly estimated. By their use stock will improve in health and condition. Cultivation is simple, yield enormous and cost trifling. To save them for Winter use, bank carefully in a dry situation, as you would potatoes. They should be sliced before feeding; mix well with a little bran and if possible, steam them. For deep soil the long varieties are best. Globes for sandy soil. Sow in rows two feet apart; thin to twelve to fifteen inches in row. Manure well. Five pounds seed will sow an acre. June, July, August and September are good months for sowing.

Golden Globe Mangel—Very large; excellent feeding qualities.

Golden Tankard Mangel—Half long; large, bright yellow and sweet.

Mammoth Long Red Mangel—One of the largest and best.

White French Sugar Beet—Grows large, and very sweet.

Price, any of above, ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 15 cents; 8 ounces, 25 cents; pound, 40 cents. Write for prices in larger quantities.

### TRUCKERS AND MARKET GARDENERS

wishing Cabbage, Turnips, Peas, Beans, Beets, Carrots and other seed in quantity, we would be pleased to quote them. In writing for quantity prices please mention variety of articles wanted with quantity desired.

### "BUG DEATH"

Kills the Potato Bug, and Bugs, Worms and Insects on Cabbage, Beans, Squash, Watermelon and other crops. Price, pound, 15 cents; 3 pounds, 35 cents; 5 pounds, 50 cents; 12 1-2 pounds, \$1.00; 100-lb. keg, \$7.00, not prepaid. If by mail, add 15 cents per pound.

### "CABBAGE, HOW TO GROW THEM."

A practical treatise on cabbage culture, paper cover. Price, 50 cents. By mail, 60 cents.

## Alexander Seed Co.'s Reliable Cabbage Seed.

### CABBAGE.

This is one of the most important of all the garden crops, and one which always receives our most critical attention. Upon the quality of the seed planted, the source from which obtained, its adaptability to our Southern sections, largely depends the success of the crop. The reputation we have made for selling the very best and highest grade seeds comes from the fact that we always offer only such seeds as are raised for us by one of the best Cabbage growers in the United States, and such as we confidently believe can be depended on to produce large, solid heads of the very best quality. Those who have become our patrons for Cabbage Seeds order from us year after year.

We caution our friends against cheap imported seeds—GET THE BEST.

**CULTURE**—The soil should be deep, rich and heavily manured. For main crop, sow thinly in beds from February to November. August is a good month to sow for a winter crop. Keep the plants in the ground up to the first leaf, no matter how long stems may be. Set in rows two feet apart and eighteen inches in row. Constant cultivation of the growing crop is essential to



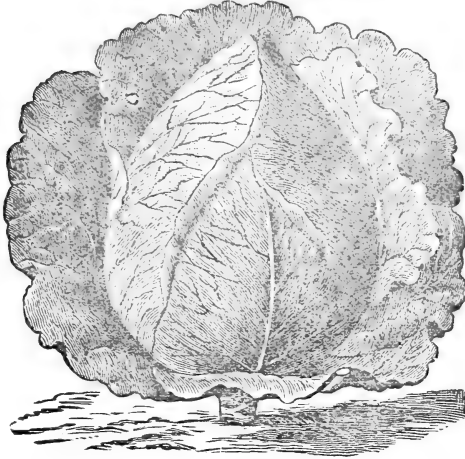
AUGUSTA "EARLY TRUCKER" CABBAGE.

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success. One ounce of seed will produce about 3,000 plants. Six ounces will make enough plants for an acre.

**FERTILIZER**—For cabbage we have found that a fertilizer containing Phosphoric Acid, 7



SELECT EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD CABBAGE.

per cent., Ammonia 5 per cent. and 5 per cent. Potash is one of the best. This you will find in Early Trucker Fertilizer, carried by us.

If by mail, add 5 cents for half pound, 10 cents to pound, for postage.

**Augusta Early Trucker Cabbage**—We claim that this is the best large early Flat Head Cabbage in existence, a variety which will not only give the most satisfactory results in "home gardens," but has proven of greatest value to the market gardeners of South Carolina, Georgia, Florida and other Southern States. It suits all seasons; in fact, no Cabbage grown approaches it in so many desirable qualities. Sown in the Spring, it makes the best Summer crop. Sown in late Summer months, it makes a most reliable Winter Cabbage, which will keep through severest cold. Sown in Fall it makes one of the best Spring Cabbages.

Price, packet, 10 cents; ounce, 35 cents; 4 ounces, 90 cents; 8 ounces, \$1.65; pound, \$3.00.

**Select Early Jersey Wakefield**—Select stock. Market gardeners consider this the best early Cabbage, and from our experience we think it

fully entitled to its great popularity. The strain of seed sold by us is the best to be had. Heads conical and large for so early a Cabbage; hard and solid.

Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 4 ounces, 50 cents; pound, \$1.50.

Our Wakefield Cabbage Seed is now recognized by the largest truckers in the South to be one of the most reliable strains.

**Charleston or Large Wakefield**—A few days later than the Early Jersey; heads larger and stands longer.

Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 4 ounces, 60 cents; pound, \$1.50.

**Alpha Cabbage**—This is a new Extra Early flat headed cabbage, introduced by one of the oldest and most reliable cabbage growers on Long Island. Some of its main advantages, is its remarkable solidity, in this respect similar to Danish Ball. Its earliness, being much earlier than the earliest Wakefield. Its compactness of growth allows it to be planted closer together than other flat head varieties. This is sure to become a very popular cabbage with shippers.

Price, packet, 10 cents; 1-2 ounce, 15 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 65 cents; pound, \$1.75.

**Improved Premium Late Drumhead**—Prize stock. Very hardy. Better adapted, we think, than most other kinds for Fall and Winter planting and for Spring use. Very large heads, nearly round.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 4 ounces, 60 cents; pound, \$1.50.

**Early Large York**—Earlier than the following varieties, but smaller heads. Papers, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 4 ounces, 40 cents; pound, \$1.25.

**Early Winningstadt**—Very early. Heads of good size and solid. Very sure header. Papers, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 4 ounces, 50 cents; pound, \$1.50.

**Fottlers Brunswick**—A reliable, popular variety following the Early Summer in maturing. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 4 ounces, 60 cents; pound, \$1.75.

**Red Dutch**—For pickling. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 4 ounces, 75 cents; pound, \$2.00.

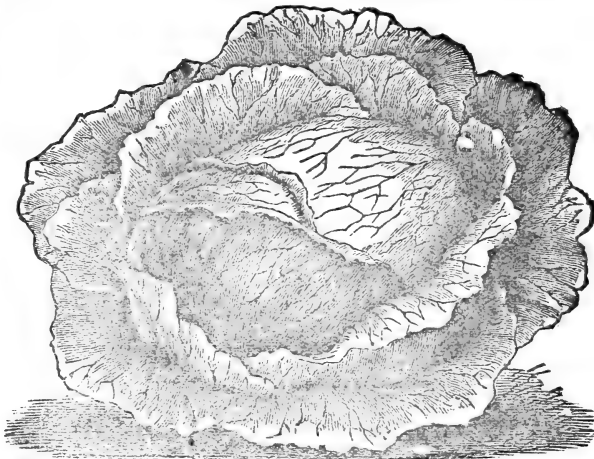
**Chinese Cabbage (Pe Tsai)**—Grows upright, twisted, conical heads, something like Co's Lettuce. Our stock is from an experienced Chinese grower. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 1-4 pound, 75 cents; pound, \$2.00.

"Cabbage, How to Grow Them"—A practical treatise on Cabbage Culture; paper cover. Price, 50 cents. If by mail, 50 cents.

**Buncombe (N. C.) Winter**—The genuine seed, grown for us especially by an experienced grower in the mountains of North Carolina. Large, firm heads, very hardy; a good keeper; reliable to make solid heads when it is properly treated. For Winter use, sow from March to June; for Spring heads sow in July, August or September.

Packets, 10 cents, 3 for 25 cents; 4 ounces, 75 cents; pound, \$2.25.

**The Houser Cabbage**—This seed was obtained from Mr. Houser, one of the most successful market gardeners in Pennsylvania, and has been grown and selected by a noted cabbage grower on Long Island, who endorsement as to its solidity of head, and excellent keeping qualities. This late cabbage is perfect in every respect, as to size, weight, quality, sure-heading, smallness of heart and long keeping, free from spreading



BUNCOMBE (N. C.) WINTER CABBAGE.

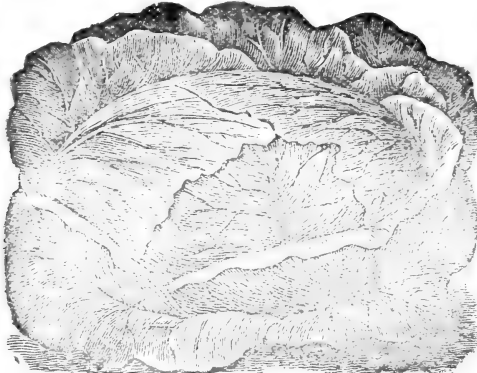
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leaves. Heads round, averaging from 10 to 12 pounds.

Price, packet, 10 cents; ounce, 40 cents; 1-4 pound, \$1.50; pound, \$5.50.



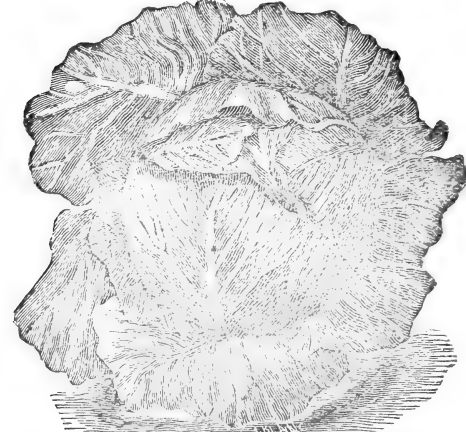
**PREMIUM LATE FLAT DUTCH CABBAGE.**

**Short Stem Premium Late Flat Dutch—Prize stock.** One of the most popular of all kinds sold. Grows to very large size; solid, flat heads, often weighing twenty pounds.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 4 ounces, 60 cents; pound, \$1.50.

**Florida Header—**This is an all round fine cabbage; is one of the earliest of the late Drumhead varieties. Can be planted with much success for Spring heads as well as Fall; is short stem, growing compact. Stands intense heat without blistering or rotting. One of the Mammoth varieties, growing to 10 to 15 pounds.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 1-4 pound, 65 cents; 1-2 pound, \$1.00; pound, \$1.75.



**HENDERSON'S EARLY SUMMER CABBAGE.**

**Henderson's Early Summer—**A fine second early variety. Heads up very uniformly, with few outside leaves. Stands heat well.

Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 4 ounces, 60 cents; pound, \$1.50.

**Improved Early Drumhead—**Later than Early Summer, but at least three weeks earlier than the Late Drumhead.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 4 ounces, 60 cents; pound, \$1.75.

**Improved World Beater or Autumn King—**(Stock from the Originator). It produces more uniformly large heads—hard and solid—than any cabbage known. Sure to head, and solid as a rock, fine grained and tender; stalk short. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 4 ounces, 75 cents; 6 ounces, \$1.00; pound, \$2.00.

**Sure Head—**(Genuine Stock from the Originator)—Remarkable for its certainty to head. Produces very large, flattened heads, weighing from ten to fifteen pounds; very uniform and firm—a favorite everywhere.

Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; ounce, 35 cents; 4 ounces, 75 cents; pound, \$2.50.

**Henderson's Succession—**A good second early cabbage; produces medium size solid heads. Our stock is true American grown of the highest type. This cabbage has proven quite a success with the truckers on the Georgia and South Carolina Coast.

Price, packet, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 4 ounces, 60 cents; pound, \$1.50.

**Green Glazed—**(Genuine)—Very generally cultivated in the South. Not likely to be attacked by bugs and caterpillars. A vigorous grower, it has been found easier to grow on account of its resisting attacks of insects.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 4 ounces, 75 cents; pound, \$2.00.

**Improved Early Flat Dutch—**Very desirable; third early. Two or three weeks earlier than the late variety, which it closely resembles in shape.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 4 ounces, 60 cents; pound, \$1.50.

**Early Spring—**This is a small, flat head cabbage, with short stem. Heads firm and solid. The particular strong point about this cabbage is its earliness, as it matures about the same time as the Wakefields, and has proven a fine cabbage for early shipping.

Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 30 cents; 1-4 pound, 90 cents; pound, \$3.00.

**Solid South—**A very fine early cabbage, resembling the Early Summer; it is earlier, more uniform and larger. This cabbage is less liable to split and run to seed, when sown in the Fall. Does well for both early and late crop, also for family garden and for shipping.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 1-4 pound, 60 cents; pound, \$2.00.

**Danish Ball-Head—**(Seed from Denmark)—This variety is a true shipper; grows very close and firm; white and of excellent quality; the best keeper of all Winter sorts. For planting at the end of Spring this variety has few equals, as it is remarkably hardy and thrives even on thin soil and upon a high exposed situation.

Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 4 ounces, 60 cents; pound, \$2.00.

**Extra Early Market—**This is the earliest variety of all; the pioneer of early cabbages; the heads are of medium size and oblong.

Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 4 ounces, 75 cents; 8 ounces, \$1.25; pound, \$2.00.

If Cabbage Seed is desired in larger quantity than quoted, kindly let us know quantity wanted. We give special discounts.

**CABBAGE PLANTS.**

These we furnish direct from a large, experienced grower of Cabbage and Cabbage Plants, on the South Carolina Coast. Our plants are field grown, being more healthy and stocky than hot bed-grown plants. Are carefully and lightly packed, and will stand long shipping well without much cost. We furnish the following varieties:

Augusta Early Trucker, Henderson's Succession, Buncombe, N. C., Winter Imp. Late Flat Dutch, Select Early Jersey Wakefield, and Charleston or Large Wakefield, Early Winnigstadt.

100 for 25 cents, postage, 15 cents extra. By Express, 500 for \$1.00; 1,000 for \$1.50; 5,000 at \$1.25 per 1,000; 10,000 or over at \$1.00 per 1,000.

Write for prices in larger quantities. Mention quantity wanted.



## Carrots.

Carrotte (Fr.) Moehre or Gelbe Rube (Ger.), Zanahora (Sp.)

One of the most valuable root crops for the table, as well as for feeding horses and milch cows. Can be sown from March to November. Light, deep sandy loam best. One ounce will sow 100 feet drill; four to five pounds to an acre. These are the best varieties:

**Danvers' Half Long**—One of the most productive, often yielding from twenty to thirty tons per acre. Roots dark orange color, large

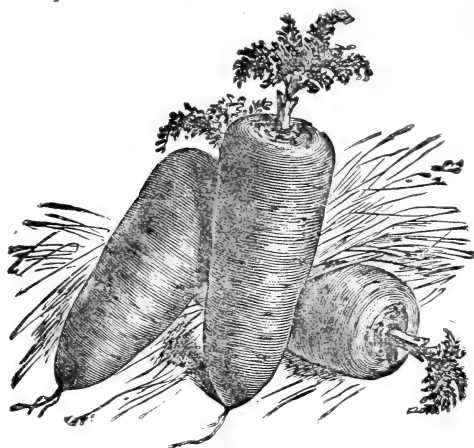
Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; pound, 70 cents.

**Chantoney**—This is a comparatively new stump rooted, but is considered among the best of this class. Tops medium size, small necks, color a rich deep orange red; flesh tender and crisp. A medium early sort; fine for both market and private gardener. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; pound, 75 cents.

**Improved Long Orange**—Is an old standard variety; is largely planted for general crop. Is largely grown for stock as well as a table variety, and is one of the hardiest varieties grown. It is a heavy yielder. Better roots are produced in deep rich soil. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; pound, 70 cents.

**Early Scarlet Short Horn**—This is one of the most popular of the early varieties. Color is a deep orange; of delicious flavor; will yield fine in shallow soil. It grows to a length of four or five inches. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; pound, 70 cents.

**Large White Belgian**—The great stock food of Europe. Enormously productive and nutritious; splendid keepers. Fed to milch cows and increases the milk largely. This carrot is now being fed largely by Belgian Hare raisers. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 20 cents; pound, 50 cents. If by mail, add 10 cents per pound.



DANVER'S HALF LONG CARROTS.

medium length, tapering abruptly at the point; very uniform and handsome, sweet and tender.

## Celery.

Celeri (Fr.), Sellerie (Ger.), Apio (Sp.)

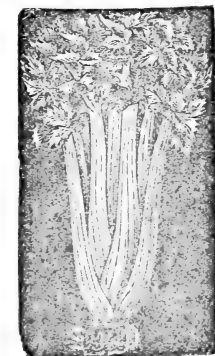
This delicious vegetable is not cultivated as generally in the South as it should be. It is a successful crop here, and pays handsomely.

**CULTURE**—For early transplanting, sow in May or June, for later crop, in August or September. Soil should be rich and deep, and plants in rows three feet apart, six to eight inches in row. Plants should be set when about six inches high. Celery requires moisture; keep well watered. Blanch by earthing up when large enough. One ounce will make about 5,000 plants.

**White Plume**—A good kind, requiring but little banking up to blanch. For earliness this is the best. Packet, 5 cts.; ounce, 20 cts.; 1-4 pound, 50 cts.; pound, \$1.50.

**Pink Plume**—(Henderson's)—A new variety, crisp and rich in flavor. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; ounce, 30 cents; 1-4 pound, 75 cents; pound, \$2.50.

**Large White Solid**—A solid, crisp variety; the most generally cultivated for market use. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 1-4 pound, 50 cents; pound, \$1.50.



LARGE WHITE SOLID

**Boston Market**—A favorite here, and recommended for its tender, succulent stems and mild flavor. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 1-4 pound, 60 cents; pound, \$1.75.

**Golden Self Blanching**—Solid, crisp and brittle, compact in growth; self blanching to a large extent; is early and grows to a large size. Paper, 10 cents; 1-2 ounce, 20 cents; 1 ounce, 30 cents; 4 ounces, \$1.00; pound, \$3.50.

**New Giant Paschal**—Mammoth silver white stalk; very solid, crisp, tender and of rich flavor. Bleaches easily. This variety is of wonderful keeping qualities and is comparatively

rust proof. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 1-4 pound, 50 cents; pound, \$1.50.

## Celeriac.

Turnip Rooted Celery.

Produces turnip-shaped roots which may be cooked and sliced and used with vinegar, making a most excellent salad.

**Erfurt Giant**—Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 50 cents; pound, \$1.50.

**Large Smooth Prague**—Packet, 10 cents; ounce 30 cents; 1-4 pound, \$1.00.

**A Book**—"Celery for Profit"—The newest improved method for culture of celery, paper cover. Price, twenty-five cents.

## Chervil.

Cerfeuil (Fr.), Kerbelkraut (Ger.)

This is an aromatic plant, used for seasoning; fine in oyster soup, is also often cut up with lettuce when served as a salad. It sown in drills or broadcast in January, February and March for Summer use. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 40 cents; pound, \$1.00.

## Corn Salad.

Mache Doucet (Fr.), Acker Salat (Ger.), Valeriana (Sp.)

Makes a delicious salad. Sow in spring or autumn in drills one foot apart; one ounce to 60 feet drill.

**Broad Leaved**—Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 25 cents; 8 ounces, 40 cents; pound, 75 cents.

## Collards.

This is peculiarly a Southern vegetable, and is highly prized by the people of this section, where it is used as greens. It is a sure cropper, and yields abundantly. Collards also make an excellent feed for stock.

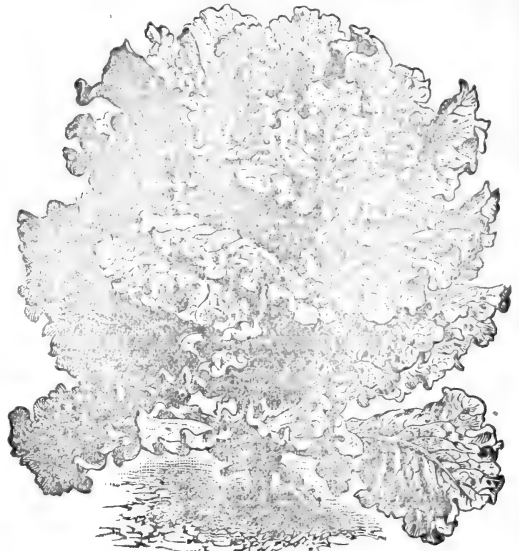
**Improved White Georgia**—Called Cabbage Collard on account of its close bunching growth and light green leaves resembling the cabbage—combining hardness and reality of the collard with the whiteness and crispness of the cabbage. A great improvement over the old Long Green. You will never know how good a collard can be until you use this seed. Try it. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 4 ounces, 40 cents; 8 ounces, 65 cents; pound, \$1.00.

**North Carolina Short Stem**—This splendid variety originated in North Carolina, and is immensely popular wherever grown. It has a very short stem, large spreading leaves, very hardy, withstanding drought in summer and cold in winter. Its flavor and cooking qualities are the very best, and it has unquestionably proved itself of superior merit to any other short stem collard in cultivation. Packet, 5

pound, \$1.00.

**True Long Georgia**—The old fashioned variety; "White Georgia." Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10

Special Prices on Collards in Quantity.



WHITE GEORGIA COLLARD.

cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 30 cents;

much esteemed, but does not compare with the cents; 4 ounces, 25 cents; pound, 75 cents.

## Cress.

Sow early in spring very thickly in shallow drills. Repeat at short intervals, as Cress soon runs to seed. One ounce to 100-foot drill.

**Upland Cress**—Thrives in any good garden soil, wet or dry. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 25 cents.

**Water Cress**—Deliciously flavored; thrives best in shallow water. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 40 cents.

## Gourds.

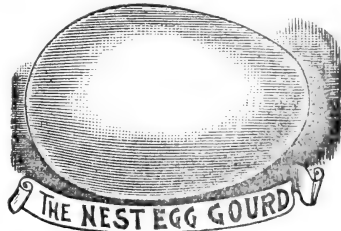
Very ornamental and servicable as climbers, useful for many household purposes. Plant after danger of frost.

**Dish Cloth Gourd**—This, after fruit is dried, makes a natural dish cloth which is very porous, sponge-like and durable. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents.

**Dipper Gourd**—Very valuable for making dipper. Grow on fences or trellises, and train the

fruit to hang down; in this way handles will be straight. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents.

**Sugar Trough or Nest Egg Gourd**—Grows to a very large size; holds from four to ten gallons each; used for a great variety of purposes,



such as buckets, baskets, soap and salt dishes, nest boxes, packing lard, etc. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents.

## A One Dollar Seed Order

or an order for any amount over one Dollar brings to you for one year a monthly visitor in the shape of the

## Southern Ruralist, Free,

the brightest and most practical Southern farm and garden paper, edited and published by a practical Georgia farmer, who eats, sleeps and makes his living on a farm. The Ruralist was enlarged to a 24-page paper September 1st, 1904. Regular subscription price, 50 cents a year.

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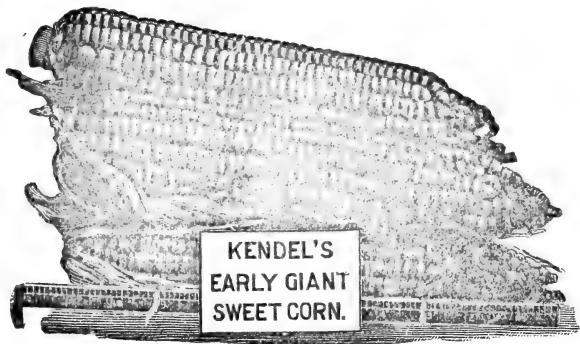
for any amount less than one dollar will also bring The Ruralist to your home every month for a year. By special arrangement with the publisher we are able to furnish The Ruralist to those who buy less than a dollar's worth of seeds at less than half price. If you have never seen a copy of The Ruralist let us send you a sample copy free. It is, without exception, the very best, practical, common sense farm paper published in the South. As one reader of it said, "It's worth an extra hand on the farm." You can't afford to be without it.

**You Need It In Your Business.**

## Corn for Roasting Ears.

The varieties listed here are far superior in flavor and tenderness to the kinds ordinarily planted. If you have never tried them you ought to do so. Plant at intervals of two weeks and up to latter part of July for successive crops. One quart will plant 200 hills, six to eight quarts to acre.

All of the following varieties on the ear except Kendel's Early Giant. Alexander's Snowflake and Premo, price, 5 cents each, six for 25 cents; by mail add 5 cents extra per ear for postage.



### KENDEL'S EARLY GIANT SWEET CORN.

This new variety of early, very large Sweet Garden Corn was introduced by Mr. Kendel, of Ohio, who says of it: "This new and distinct variety of sweet corn combines more merit than any other variety in cultivation. The ears grow to tremendous size, measuring eight to ten inches long and having ten to eighteen rows on each cobb, the majority having twelve rows; kernels pure white, sweet and tender." Truckers are enthusiastic over this corn. Price, packet, 10 cents; half pint, 15 cents; pint, 30 cents; quart, 50 cents; by mail postpaid. By express, quart, 35 cents; 4 quarts, 85 cents; peck, \$1.50.

**Country Gentleman**—Said to be the best and sweetest of all the sweet varieties. Three to five ears to the stalk. This has proven a trucker's favorite. Paper, 5 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 35 cents; 1-2 peck, 65 cents; peck, \$1.00.

### PREMO CORN.

The earliest Sweetest Corn of All.

This is a pure sweet corn, five to seven days earlier than the Dwarf Extra Early Adams. The grower of this fine corn has the following to say about it: "It is the earliest corn I ever saw or grew. I grew the stock, and saved every ear, and every grain will grow." The stalks grow about five feet high, and are very vigorous, generally bearing two well developed ears to a stalk. Maturing or ready for market 50 to 60 days from planting. Price, packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; pint, 30 cents; quart, 50 cents, postpaid. By express, 4 quarts, \$1.30; peck, \$2.00; 1-2 bushel, \$3.50; bushel, \$6.75; f. o. b. Augusta.

### Stowell's Evergreen. Sugar.

One of the most popular kinds; remains green for a long time; very tender, and grows to a good size. Papers, 5 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 35 cents; 1-2 peck, 65 cents; peck, \$1.00; bushel, \$3.50.

**Mammoth Sugar**—Very large ears and largely planted; of fine quality and flavor. Papers, 5 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 30 cents; 1-2 peck, 50 cents; peck, 85 cents; bushel, \$3.00.

**Black Mexican Sugar**—One of the sweetest and best flavored Sugar Corns; nothing can excel it for quality; quick to mature. Packet, 5 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 35 cents; 4 quarts, 65 cents; peck, \$1.00; bushel, \$5.50.

**"The Carolina" Garden Corn**—This corn fills a long felt want, a table corn of Southern origin. Has two long-medium large ears to each stalk, with a most delicious flavor. Medium sweet, large round grains, is well filled out to end of ear. A great favorite wherever planted, both on account of excellent yield and unsurpassed table qualities. Stock this year limited. Send orders in early. Price, package, 5 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents. If to be sent by mail add 10 cents for pint, 15 cents to quart for postage.

**Large Early White Flint**—A good garden variety; produces large and attractive ears. Papers, 5 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents; peck, 85 cents.

**Extra Early Adams**—Grown extensively all over the country for the table on account of its earliness. Papers, 5 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents; 1-2 peck, 50 cents; peck, 85 cents; bushel, \$2.75.

**Early Large Adams**—Same as above but larger ear; few days later. Papers, 5 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents; 1-2 peck, 50 cents; peck 85 cents; bushel, \$2.75.

**Alexander's White Snowflake**—An early prolific field corn, but makes a most beautiful roasting ear and a great favorite with market gardeners here and in many sections. Try it. Packet, 5 cents; quart, 15 cents; 1-2 peck, 40 cents; peck, 75 cents. If by mail, add 15 cents quart for postage.

For Pop Corn see under head of forage crop corn.

Mr. W. O. Stratton, Trosdale Co., Tenn., August 29, 1904, says: "Gentlemen—I have fine Early Trucker Cabbages—from Seed bought of you. They are the largest in this section."

## Cucumbers.

Concombre (Fr.), Gurke (Ger.), Pepino (Sp.)

We list only the best varieties. Plant after danger of frost in hills 4 feet apart; manure well. Should be sown every two or three weeks for a succession of crops. The vines will fruit better if you occasionally pinch off the leading shoots. One ounce will plant fifty hills; two pounds to acre.

The extremely short crop in Cucumbers has caused the great advance this year all over the United States. On account of limited quantity of seed on hand with all seedsmen, it is best to buy early to be sure of getting what you want this year.

**Arlington White Spine (Rawson Strain)**—This is an improvement over the old White Spine; it is an excellent, Cucumber. Is more



ARLINGTON  
WHITE SPINE  
CUCUMBER.

productive; at least a week earlier; clear, dark, rich, attractive green, and holds its rich green color better and longer than any other. For home gardens, for the market and shipping, it is the best. Price, packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 30 cents; pound, \$1.00; 5 pounds at 85 cents; 10 pounds at 75 cents, not prepaid.

**Improved Early White Spine**—One of the best and more largely planted than any other for market or home gardens. Paper, 5 cts.; ounce, 10 cts.; 4 ounces, 30 cts.; pound, \$1.00.

**Nichol's Medium Green**—Very fine table sort, and perfect shape. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 30 cents; pound, \$1.00.

**London Long Green**—The old popular long and crisp variety. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 30 cents; pound, \$1.00.

**Thorburn's Everbearing**—(New) — Valuable variety. While the fruit is small, it is enormously productive. Vines said to blossom and fruit till frost. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 30 cents; pound, \$1.00.

**Early Frame**—Popular variety for home gardens in the South. Medium size; good for slicing and in its smaller stages, makes an excellent pickling variety. Good for home use and near-by markets only. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; pound, 85 cents.

**New Japanese Climbing Cucumbers**—Highly recommended as a valuable novelty. It climbs to a height of seven feet on poles or fences. Vigorous, hard, and very prolific—as many as twenty to thirty to a single vine. Flesh solid and exceptionally fine eating quality. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; 15 for \$1.00; ounce, 35 cents.

**Giant Pera**—Long variety and one of the best for table use. Paper, 10 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 4 ounces, 75 cents; pound, \$2.50.

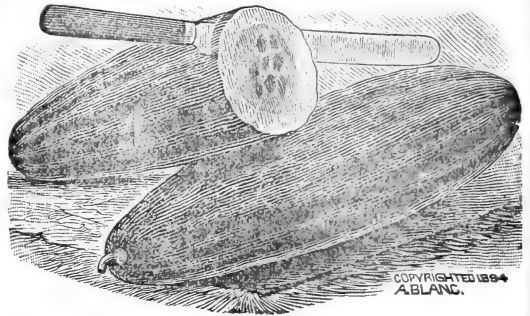
**Early Green Cluster**—Medium size fruit; very prolific. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 30 cents; pound, 85 cents.

**Jersey Pickle**—Favorite kind for pickling; dark green. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 30 cents; pound, \$1.00.

**Gherkin or Burr**—Small, oval-shaped, prickly variety, only for pickles. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 4 ounces, 75 cents.

**Chicago Pickle**—A very celebrated variety, extensively grown and used by pickling estab-

lishments; is of medium size, very prolific and and when small and young is of a beautiful green color. Per packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 30 cents; pound, \$1.00.



COOL AND CRISP CUCUMBER.

**Cool and Crisp**—This is another new variety which has proven valuable to the Trucker, both for home market and shipping, extra early, very prolific, bearing through the whole season. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 30 cents; 1-2 pound, 50 cents; pound, \$1.00.

## Endive.

One of the best salads. Sow in Spring, after danger of frost. Can be sown till October. Drill seed and thin to six or eight inches apart. When leaves are full size, tie up to blanch. Ounce sows 100 feet drill.

**Curled Green**—This is the best for salads and garnishing. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 40 cents; pound, \$1.25.

## Herbs—Sweet.

A CORNER IN THE GARDEN should be saved for these, for flavoring soups and meats. Sow the seed in the early Spring, drills; deep, fairly rich soil is the best. We can supply the following kinds in papers, 5 cents: Basil—sweet, Coriander, Dill, Marjoram—sweet, Rosemary, Sage, Summer Savoy, Thyme. Write for bulk prices.

## Kohl Rabi.

OR TURNIP ROOTED CABBAGE.

Chou Navet (Fr.), Kohlrabi (Ger.), Col de Nabo (Sp.)

Sow in rows eighteen to twenty inches apart. Don't allow to become old; should be used for cooking when the thickened stem above ground is two or three inches through; it should be grown in every garden. One ounce to 100-yard rows

**White Vienna**—Very showy and delicate. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 4 ounces, 50 cents; pound, \$1.75.

## Egg Plant.

The Egg Plant should be grown in every Southern garden, it being adapted to our Southern climate. It makes a most delicious dish. **CULTURE**—In February or March sow in hot-beds and keep warm. When two inches high transplant to pots or to good rich soil. About the middle of May set out three feet apart each way and protect from bugs by dusting lightly with Slug Shot or Bug Death. One ounce will produce about 1,000 plants.

**Improved Purple Egg Plant**—(Thornless)—The standard purple variety. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 30 cents; 1-4 pound, \$1.00; 1-2 pound, \$1.90; pound, \$3.75.

## Florida High Bush Egg Plant.

Our new strain of High Bush Eggplant, originating in Florida, is a splendid variety for either market or home gardens in all parts of the South. It stands more cold without injury than any of the other sorts and as a resister of hot summer sun and drought it has no equal. It also stands up well in extremely wet weather and holds its fruit when other sorts shed. It is of large size, rather oblong shape and of superior flavor. Its shipping qualities are first-class. Northern commission men reporting its arrival in market in splendid condition and bringing top prices, keeping its fresh appearance longer than all others. It's a vigorous grower, reaching 3 to 4 feet in height, erect, sturdy and free from thorns. Fruits large and smooth but not quite as dark color as our Purple Thornless. The largest Eggplant growers recommend it highly and we find by test here in Georgia that it is a most valuable variety for the home garden in the central South. You will make no mistake in planting Florida High Bush for either home or market use. Packet, 10 cents; 1-2 ounce, 20 cents; ounce, 30 cents; 1-4 pound, 90 cents; pound, \$3.00, postpaid.

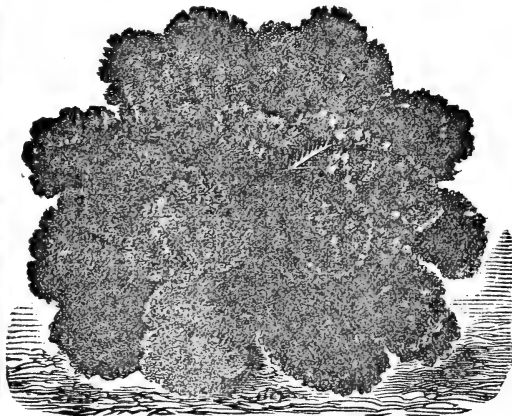
Our "Pearl" White Egg Plant—Introduced by us and is one of the most delicious vegetables ever offered. The fruit is pure, creamy white, with slight shading of a very light green near the stem; beautiful in shape, resembling somewhat the purple variety, as large or larger in size, and more prolific. In eating quality it is superior, being more delicate, very fine grain and well flavored. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; ounce, 35 cents; 1-4 pound, \$1.00.

## Kale, or Borecole.

Choux-vert (Fr.), Gruener Kohl (Ger.), Breton (Sp.)

Makes excellent greens for Winter and Spring use; much more tender and delicate than Cabbage. Improved by frost, can be sown as late as October. Sow in beds and transplant as you would cabbage. One ounce will produce about 3,000 plants.

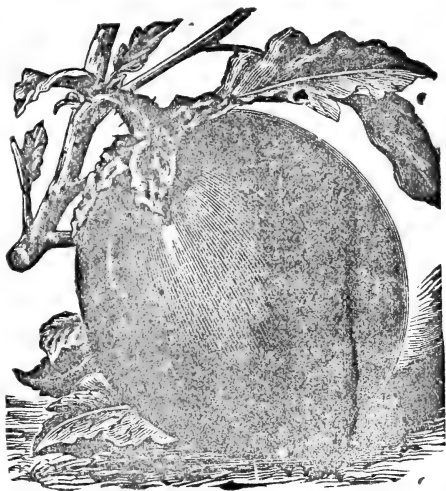
**Dwarf Green Extra Curled Scotch**—Is the best variety. Packet, 5 cts.; ounce, 10 cts.; 4 ounces, 25 cents; pound, 70 cents.



DWARF GREEN EXTRA CURLED SCOTCH KALE.

**Dwarf German Green**—A very hardy popular variety with market gardeners. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; pound, 70 cents.

**Siberian Curled**—Grows a little larger; very hardy; leaves not so deeply curled as other varieties. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 50 cents.



IMPROVED PURPLE EGG PLANT.

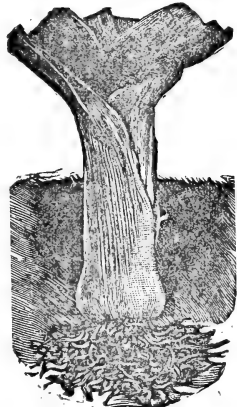
IMPROVED PURPLE EGG PLANT. Fruits large and smooth but not quite as dark color as our Purple Thornless. The largest Eggplant growers recommend it highly and we find by test here in Georgia that it is a most valuable variety for the home garden in the central South. You will make no mistake in planting Florida High Bush for either home or market use. Packet, 10 cents; 1-2 ounce, 20 cents; ounce, 30 cents; 1-4 pound, 90 cents; pound, \$3.00, postpaid.

## Leek.

Poireau (Fr.), Lauch (Ger.), Puelo (Sp.)

Sow in Spring or early Fall, in drills six inches apart; thin to two inches. When six or eight inches high, transplant in rows 12 inches apart; put as deep as you can without covering the center leaves. Can be sown in the Fall. One ounce of seed to 100 feet of drill.

**Mammoth American Flag**—A popular sort; very hardy. Packet, 5 cts.; ounce, 15 cents; 4 ounces, 40 cents; pound, \$1.25.



MAMMOTH FLAG LEEK.

## "BUG DEATH"

Kills the Potato Bug, and Bugs, worms and Insects on Cabbage, Beans, Squash, Egg Plants, Watermelon and other crops. Price, pound, 15 cents; 3 pounds, 35 cents; 5 pounds, 50 cents; 12 1-2 pounds, \$1.00, not prepaid. If by mail, add 18 cents per pound.

## Lettuce.

Laitue (Fr.), Lattich (Ger.), Lechuga (Sp.)

If you are prepared with hot-beds, Lettuce may be grown any time or month in the year by selecting forcing varieties that will form heads under glass. It may be grown out doors in the South from early Spring until frost. The best way to grow Lettuce is to sow seed in a bed of rich earth, and when plants grow off transplant in rows two feet apart and about six inches in drills, and cultivate like cabbage. The soil should be rich, and its growth pushed in order to produce a crisp, tender head. If Lettuce is grown in above manner you will not fail to produce heads. It should not be sown on a bed thickly and allowed to remain and grow up spindling and become tough; go to seed early and die out entirely. One ounce will produce 2,000 plants.

NOTE—Every particle of Lettuce Seed sent out by us has been thoroughly tested as to germination, and will certainly grow if given proper attention. This Seed, however, often mildews from too much damp in the soil, which causes many failures when it is no fault of seed

**Big Boston Lettuce**—Identical shape, size and general appearance of the Boston Market, but double the size. Heads well at all season. This Lettuce has proven most valuable to the truck farmers; is a good keeper, and makes a fine shipper. Very crisp and tender.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 4 ounces, 35 cents; pound, \$1.25; 5 pounds, \$5.00.

**Improved Royal Cabbage**—Heads large; very showy; leaves broad. Very popular with truck and market gardeners; a good keeper.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 4 ounces, 35 cents; 1-2 pound, 65 cents; pound, \$1.25.

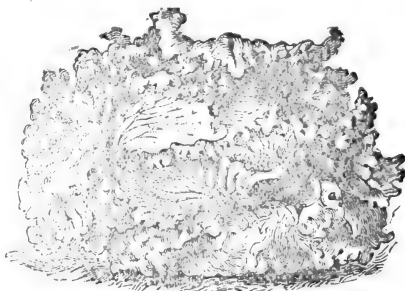
**White Cabbage or Butter**—The standard sort. It is early, forms a beautiful solid head, crisp and tender.

Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 30 cents; pound, \$1.00.



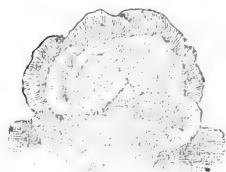
**BIG BOSTON LETTUCE.**

seasons, when other varieties are hard to have. Price, packet, 10 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 75 cents.

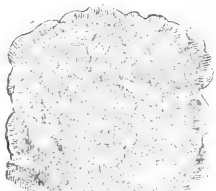


**IMPROVED HANSON LETTUCE.**

R. H. Phillips, Fairfield Co., S. C., Dec. 5th, 1904, says: "Gentlemen—I have tried seed from many of the large seed houses, but Alexander's beats them all for success; they never fail me."



**WHITE CABBAGE  
LETTUCE.**



**ROYAL CABBAGE  
LETTUCE.**

**Henderson's New York**—(Genuine Stock)—Large, solid, crisp, tender and excellent flavor; blanches itself. A great favorite here.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 4 ounces, 35 cents; pound, \$1.25.

**Early Hanson**—One of the best for heading; large, tender and crisp; stands Summer well.

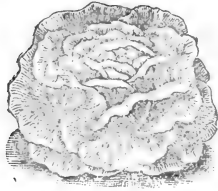
Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 30 cents; pound, \$1.00.

**Immensity Lettuce**—A luxuriant grower, very tender, sweet and crisp. It is often 4 to 5 feet in circumference. Plant and head not only attain enormous dimensions, but it is also of very fine quality, the outer leaves being tender; very slow to go to seed. It is a very fine variety for early sowing. It is not an early variety, but reliable for late crop during trying



## LETTUCE—Continued.

## California Cream Cabbage Lettuce—A



## CALIFORNIA CREAM BUTTER LETTUCE

Russet. Tender and crisp.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 40 cents; pound, \$1.50.

“Trianon” or Self Closing Cos—New variety from France. Head long, conical and very large, having a crispness, tenderness and flavor

Butter, or Royal Summer grand, good butter Lettuce. Heads of good size, round and solid; outside medium green, within the leaves are a rich, creamy-yellow color; rich and buttery in taste.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 35 cents; pound, \$1.00.

Trocadero Lettuce—Hardy and early for Spring or Summer. Heads are of large size. The margin of its leaves beautifully tinged with

peculiarly its own; when the plant matures tie up to blanch.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 30 cents; pound, \$1.00.

Black Seed Simpson—This variety is said to be of unusual merit for home gardens and the best for market gardeners. Stands the Summer heat splendidly.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 35 cents; pound, \$1.25.

Denver Market—Large, solid heads; good light green color; slow to seed; leaves beautifully marked; a very fine variety.

Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 4 ounces, 60 cents; pound, \$1.75.

Tennis Ball—Favorite for forcing. Makes fine heads and few outer leaves; can be planted close under glass. Hardy and crisp.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 30 cents; pound, \$1.00.

Special Prices on Lettuce in Quantity.

## Mustard For Salad.

Moutarde (Fr.), Senf (Ger.), Mostaza (Sp.)

Largely grown in the South. Used the same as Spinach, or boiled with meat for greens; makes a popular dish. Sow in the Fall, Winter or Spring, in rows six inches apart. Sow one ounce to 80 feet of drill, or broadcast at the rate of five or six pounds to an acre. The following are the best varieties:

New Chinese—This new and highly esteemed variety has gained much popularity by its extra large leaves and hardness, also sweetness.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; 1-2 pound, 40 cents; pound, 65 cents.

Giant Curled Southern or Creole—Very popular in all sections of the South.

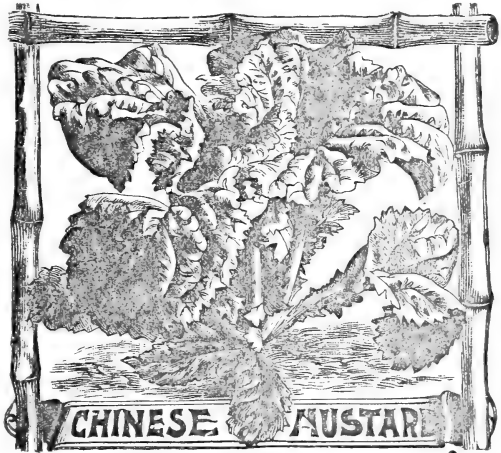
Papers, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; pound, 75 cents.

Ostrich Plume—An improvement over the old Southern Curled, highly esteemed; leaves, large, crisp and tender.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; pound, 75 cents.

White and Brown Mustard—Either of the 1-4 pound, 15 cents; pound, 25 cents.

MUSTARD SEED FOR PICKLING—Pound 15 cents; by mail 25 cents.

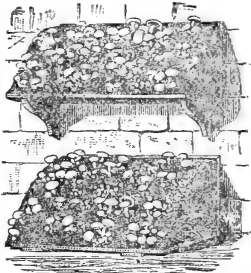


## Mushroom Spawn

Mushrooms can be easily and successfully grown to perfection in an ordinary cellar, wood-shed or barn.

We call special attention to the subject, as it is being much discussed in the South, and there are many engaging in its culture, both for pleasure and profit. The Spawn is sold in bricks of about a pound and a quarter each, and directions for planting and culture will be sent with each purchase.

One brick is enough for four or five feet.



MUSHROOM.

English Milltrack Spawn—Per brick, 1 1-4 pounds, 20 cents; if by mail, 30 cents postpaid.

Ten bricks, \$1.50. Special prices in large quantities. Directions for cultivation accompany each order for Spawn.

## Rape

Or Georgia Salad.

Sow tolerably thick in drills as early in the Spring as you can, in rows eighteen inches or two feet apart, in well prepared and rich soil; when six or eight inches high, thin out enough for a “boiling” every day or two, leaving a stand in the rows. When twelve inches high, cut off about six inches above the ground and use the tops; when you finish your last row, you may go back and cut again, as it grows very rapidly. It may be sown also to advantage from February to September.

Paper, 5 cts.; ounce, 10 cts.; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 35 cents. By mail, pound, 45 cents.



## Melons.

For Watermelon and Cantaloupe, see description and prices under the head of "Watermelon and Cantaloupe," in another part of this Catalogue.

### Okra, or Gumbo

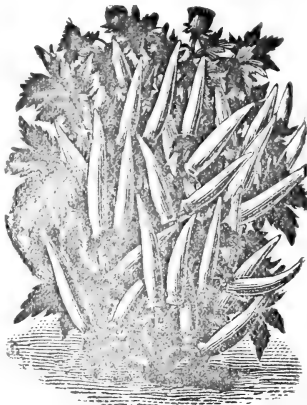
Sow in rich soil, after danger of frost is over, in drills 3 feet apart; thin out to 12 inches. One oz seed will plant 100 hills.

**Genuine White Velvet**—Long, delicate, smooth smooth pods. Not prickly to touch. Best and most prolific kind ever offered. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 lb 20 cents; pound 60 cents.

**Dwarf Green Prolinc**—Very popular kind. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 60 cents.

**Improved Long Green**—A favorite in the South. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 60 cents.

**Perkins Mammoth Green Pod**—The most prolific Okra yet known; pods come out from the stalk within two or three inches of the ground, and cover the plant to the extreme height, and cover the richest green color, measuring from 8 to 9 inches, and do not get hard quickly as other Okras. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 60 cents.



WHITE VELVET OKRA.

### Onion Seed.

Ognon (Fr.), Zwiebel (Ger.), Cabella (Sp.)

We give the most critical attention to quality of Onion Seed sold by us. Those buying from us will not have disappointment either as to germination or definite variety. Soil for Onions should be a deep, rich loam. Rich, sandy soil is also good. Large Onions can be made the first year from seed, by sowing the Spanish and Italian varieties, in hot beds in January and February, setting out when the open season comes on, in rows twelve to eighteen inches apart, four to six inches in drill. One ounce seed will sow 100-foot drill, five to six pounds to acre. To make sets, forty to fifty pounds to acre.



#### AMERICAN VARIETIES ONIONS.

**White Silver Skin**—More sought for, and most desirable for family gardens. Silver white; delicate flavor. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 60 cents; pound, \$2.00.

**Extra Early White Pearl**—(Genuine)—Very early. Flat shape; delicate; pure white. Ounce, 20 cents; 1-4 pound, 65 cents; pound, \$2.25.

**Australian Brown**—(New)—Highly prized by truckers and home gardeners, very early; much improvement over our Yellow Danvers, Wethersfield or other Red. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 35 cents; pound, \$1.25.

**Weathersfield R d**—Very productive, and keeps well; large size and fine flavor. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 35 cents; pound, \$1.25.

**Yellow Globe Danvers**—Considered the most profitable for market. Early, keeps well. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents 1-4 pound, 35 cents; pound, \$1.25.

**Louisiana, or Creole**—This variety is becoming very popular in the South; color between a red and a yellow. Our stock direct from an experienced grower. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 75 cents; pound, \$2.50.

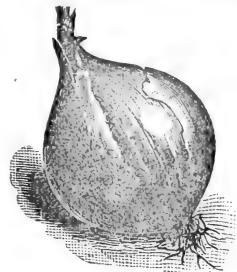
#### SPANISH AND ITALIAN VARIETIES

**Mammoth Silver King**—Very fine. Grows to large size, often weighing two pounds and over. Snowy white. Packet, 5 cents; 1-2 ounce, 15 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 70 cents; pound, \$2.50.

**Giant White Tripoli**—Large; beautiful shape, with fine white skin. Packet, 5 cents; oz. 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 60 cents; pound \$1.75.

**Giant Red Tripoli**—Rich, red color, otherwise similar to the white. Packet, 5 cts.; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 50 cents; pound, \$1.75.

**Prize Taker, or Spanish King**—This is a beautiful, straw colored Onion which grows to immense size. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 50 cents; pound, \$1.75.



PRIZE TAKER OR SPANISH KING ONION.

#### BERMUDA ONIONS.

##### Genuine Teneriffe Grown Seed.

**Bermuda Onions**—Should be sown in September, October or November; in southern Florida as late as January 1. Our stock of this popular Onion for early shipping in the South is imported by us direct from one of the most reliable growers in Teneriffe. This Onion is of mild flavor, very tender, and has proven a very profitable crop. We warn our friends against cheap, so-called Bermuda Onion Seed. Our's, coming from the Canary Islands, can be depended upto to be the Genuine Bermuda Stock, which is superior for Southern planting.

**Bermuda Onions**—Outside of a straw color, inside a pearly white; grow to a large size and flat. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 85 cents; pound, \$2.75.

**Red Bermuda**—Similar to the white, except in color. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 1-4 pound, 75 cents; pound, \$2.50.

Special Prices givent in quantity; mention quantity.

Place your orders now for our Genuine Bermuda Onion Seed. For September, 1905, delivery.

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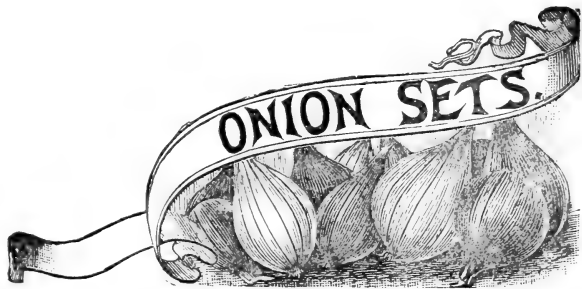
Write to us for prices by the bushel. Small lots can be sent by mail with safety. One quart will plant twelve-foot drill; five to eight bushels to acre. We measure our sets, which gives the planter about 8 pounds more than those who weigh. Fall planting should be more generally practiced as they have proven quite uniformly successful.

**CULTURE**—Plant every four inches in rows twelve to eighteen inches apart and about half an inch deep, but do not cover the sets entirely. This does not apply to Multiplier Onions, which should be planted nine inches apart in rows 15 to 20 inches apart.

**White Multiplier Onion Sets**—Very productive, often as many as twenty bulbs from a single set planted; remarkable keepers. Quart, 20 cents; if by mail, 30 cents; postpaid; peck, 75 cents.

**White Silver Skin**—Quart, 15 cents; 2 quarts, 25 cents; peck, \$1.00; if by mail, add 10 cents quart for postage. Write for bushel prices.

**Yellow Danvers**—Quart, 15 cents; 2 quarts, 25 cents; peck, 75 cents; if by mail, add 10 cents quart for postage. Write for bushel prices.



**Red Weathersfield**—Quart, 15 cents; 2 quarts, 25 cents; peck, 75 cents; if by mail, add 10 cents quart for postage. Write for bushel prices.

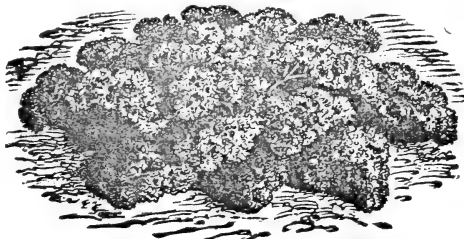
**Yellow Multiplying Shallots**—We can furnish these from September to November.

**Pearl Onion Sets**—These we can furnish only from September to November. Should not be planted later than November 15th. Very quick to mature; at least six weeks before ordinary kinds. Write for price in season.

### Parsley.

Persil (Fr.), Petersilie (Ger.), Perjil (Sp.)

Can be sown with advantage from early Spring until July. Soak seed and sow in drills twelve inches apart. Thin plants to four inches apart. One ounce seed to 150 drill row.



**EXTRA DOUBLE MOSS CURLED PARSLEY.**

**Extra Double Moss Curled**—Superior variety; very fine in appearance. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 65 cents.

**Plain Leaved**—Very hardy; a strong grower. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 50 cents.

### Parsnips.

Sow in rich, well worked soil in April in drills eighteen inches apart; thin out to eight or ten inches; keep down the weeds. One ounce seed to 200 feet drill; five to six pounds to acre.

**Sugar or Hollow Crown**—One of the best. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 50 cents.

### Rhubarb, or Pie Plant.

This familiar plant is cultivated for its stalk, which makes delicious desserts, either as pies or stewed. It is wholesome and should be grown in every garden. Rhubarb succeeds best in deep, rich soil. Plant the roots in early Spring two feet apart each way in ground that is well enriched, at least two feet deep. Four ounces of seed will sow 100 yards.

**Rhubarb Roots**—15 cents each; \$1.25 per dozen; if to be mailed, add 10 cents each for postage.

**Linneus**—Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-2 pound, 40 cents; pound, \$1.25. Postage 10 cents per pound.

### Horse Radish.

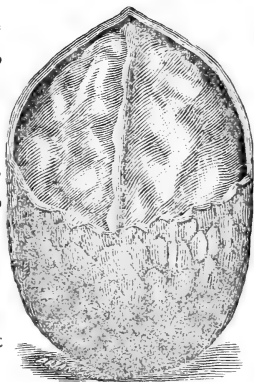
Easily grown in all parts of the South, making an excellent relish. Horseradish sets, per dozen, 25 cents; 50 for 60 cents; \$1.00 per 100; postpaid. Special prices on 1,000 lots or more.

### Louisiana Paper-Shell Pecan Nuts.

**Steckler's Mammoth**—A very large nut requiring only between 50 to 60 to weigh a pound. Price, dozen, 35 cents; 1-2 pound, \$1.25; pound, \$2.00.

**Fancy Select. La. Paper Shell**—A long, very large Pecan, weighing 50 to 57 to pound. Price, dozen, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 40 cents; 1-2 pound, 75 cts.; pound, \$1.25. If by mail add 10 cents for postage.

**Louisiana Paper Shell, No. 1**—Not quite as large as the above. Price, 1-4 pound, 25 cents; 1-2 pound, 40 cents; 1 pound, 75 cents; 5 pounds at 60 cents per pound. Add 10 cents per pound for postage if it be mailed.



LA. PAPER SHELL PECAN.

Write for prices in large quantities. Mention quantity wanted.

P. C. Gaines, Harrison Co., Miss., April 22d, 1904, says: "Gentlemen—I have tried fifty or more varieties of Melon Seed in the last four years, but find that your Fancy Select Augusta Rattlesnake is the Boss, and finest of all."

## Garden, or English Peas.

One of the most delightful of all vegetables, and therefore planted in every garden. Among the first seed to be put in, and can be sown every two or three weeks for succession of crops; we list only the best kinds. One quart will plant 100-foot drill; two bushels to the acre.

Price of any of these varieties, in papers, 5 cents, unless otherwise mentioned.

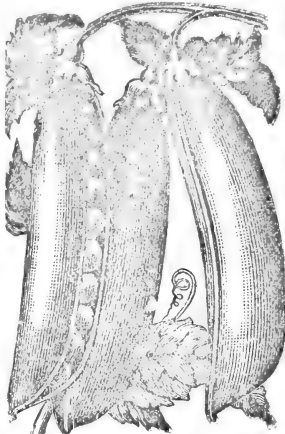
For price in bulk, see after description of varieties. Write for bushel prices.

If sent by mail, add to price named 5 cents for one-half pint, 15 cents for quart for postage.

### EARLIEST SORTS (48 Days from Sowing.)

#### Durban's Market Garden — (New) —

After a few years' trial this variety is now offered by us for the fourth time. It is a very early wrinkled pea, dwarf in habit and wonderfully productive. A great improvement over the American Wonder — earlier and larger podded. With market gardeners it is more popular than any of the early dwarf kinds, and bound to be used in every home garden. Pkt. 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 15 cents; pint, 25 cents; quart, 40 cents; 1-2 peck, 55 cents; peck, \$1.50; DUBURBAN'S MARKET GARDEN PEA bushel, \$5.50.



DUBURBAN'S MARKET GARDEN PEA

**Premier Extra Early, also called "First and Best."** Earliest; prolific and uniform in ripening; grows 2 1-2 feet. Price, packet, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 10 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents; 1-2 peck, 65 cents; peck, \$1.00; bushel, \$3.75.

**Alaska, or Laxtons**—Earliest of all—The Alaska Pea is gaining more popularity each year. Our strain of this Pea is the very best to be had. It is very early and productive; its peas are a beautiful bright green color, a desirable kind for canneries and market gardeners. Packet, 5 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents; 1-2 peck, 65 cents; peck, \$1.00; bushel, \$3.75.

**American Wonder** — An extra early, prolific dwarf variety, very popular; grows one foot. Price, packet, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 15 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 35 cents.

**Improved Daniel O'Rourke**—Packet, 5 cts.; 1-2 pint, 20 cents; quart 35 cents; 1-2 peck, 75 cents.

**Tom Thumb**—Extra early dwarf; grows about one foot. Price, packet, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 10 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 35 cents.

#### EREMIER EXTRA EARLY

**Eclipse, or Surprise**—Extra early. One of the most productive Wrinkle varieties; vines grow 2 feet and are very vigorous, and are well covered with pods. Peas are green and of the most delicious flavor; very prolific. Price, packet, 5 cents; quart, 30 cents; 4 quarts, 90 cents; peck, \$1.50.

### FOR 25 CENTS OUR BIG FOUR 1905 OFFER.

We will mail, postpaid, a 10 cents packet each of our "New Stone Tomato," "Early Trucker Cabbage," "White Georgia Collard," and "Southern White Snowflake Corn." The four worth 40 cents.

### INTERMEDIATE SORTS.

(54 to 60 Days from Sowing.)

**Carter's Stratagem**—Pods immense size; pea, first-class dwarf; grows 1 1-2 feet. Price, packet, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 10 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents; peck, \$1.25.

**McLean's Little Gem**—Very early; more planted here than any other dwarf, grows 1 1-2 feet. Price, packet, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 10 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents; peck, \$1.75.

**New Dwarf Champion**—For description and prices see pages of "Special Merit."

**The Heroine**—(Wrinkled)—It is a medium, early green wrinkled variety, a strong and vigorous grower, ranging in height from two to two and a half feet; producing a profusion of long, handsome pods, each containing from eight to ten large peas of the very finest and most delicate quality; is very productive, and ready for picking seventy-two days from planting. Packet, 5 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents; 4 quarts, 85 cents; peck, \$1.50.

### LATE SORTS. (60 to 70 Days from Sowing.)

**Champion of England**—The standard wrinkled variety; grows 4 1-2 feet. Price, packet, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 10 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents; 1-2 peck, 65 cents; peck, \$1.00.

**McLean's Advance**—A second early green wrinkled variety. Bears an abundance of long, well-filled pods. Packet, 5 cents; quart, 30 cents; 1-2 peck, 75 cents; peck, \$1.25.

**Yorkshire Hero**—Very prolific and hardy; a favorite everywhere; grows two feet. Price, packet, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 10 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents; peck, \$1.25.

**Dwarf Blue Imperial**—One of the most esteemed of the old varieties; grows 2 1-2 feet. Price, packet, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 10 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents; peck, \$1.50.

**Carter's Telephone**—Pods of extraordinary size; pea of best quality; grows 3 feet. Price, packet, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 10 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents; peck, \$1.50.

**White Marrowfat**—Very heavy cropper; grows 4 feet. Price, packet, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 10 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 20 cents; 1-2 peck, 50 cents; peck, 75 cents.

**Black-Eyed Marrowfat**—Prolific and hardy; grows 3 1-2 feet. Price, packet, 5 cents; 1-2 pint, 10 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 20 cents; 1-2 peck, 50 cents; peck, 75 cents.

**Sugar Melting Edible Pod**—This is the finest strain of this variety; edible pods can be used in green state like string beans. Price, packet, 5 cents; pint, 25 cents; quart, 40 cents; 1-2 peck, \$1.25; peck, \$2.00.

## Pepper.

Piment (Fr.), Spanischer Pfeffer (Ger.), Pimento (Sp.)

Sow in boxes or hotbeds early in Spring. Set out when warm weather comes on in two-foot rows, about eighteen inches apart; keep free of weeds. Ounce of seed for 1,500 plants.

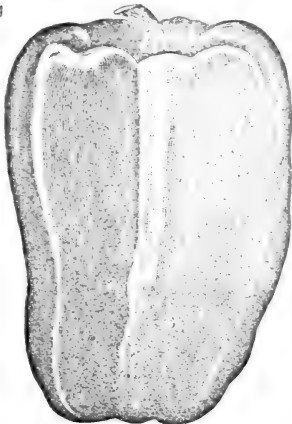
**Ruby King Pepper**—An exceedingly large and handsome Pepper of mild flavor; the peppers are of a bright, ruby red from 4 1-2 to 6 inches long by 6 to 12 inches in circumference.

Popular with truckers. Packet, 5 cts.; 1-2 ounce, 15 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 60 cents; pound, \$2.00.

**New Golden Dawn Pepper**—Resembles in shape the Bell or Bull Nose, but is a golden yellow, making a very handsome appearance; very sweet. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; ounce, 30 cents; 1-4 pound, 75 cents; pound, \$2.50.

**Large Bell, or Bull Nose**—Large, and flavor mild. Paper, 5 cents; 1-2 ounce, 15 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 60 cents; pound, \$2.00.

**Red Cherry**—Used for pickles; pods small, cherry shaped. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 25 cents.



LARGE BELL OR BULL NOSE PEPPER.

**Large Sweet Mountain**—Delicate flavor, large and very sweet. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 1-4 pound, 60 cents; pound, \$2.00.

**Long Red Cayenne**—Very prolific; bright red pods. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 75 cents; pound, \$2.50.

**Chili Pepper**—(Chiltapin Capsicum Baccatum)—A small variety, from three-fourths to an inch long. It is strong, and used in pepper sauce. Plants a half shrubby, very prolific. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; ounce, 30 cents.

**New Celestial Pepper**—This is a rare novelty. Fruits early in the season and continues bearing until frost. Profuse bearer. Fruits at first a creamy yellow, turning to a deep vivid scarlet when ripe. Plant is thus covered with both yellow and red fruit at the same time. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; ounce, 30 cents.

**"Chinese Giant," New Red Pepper**—Double the size of Ruby King. This is the largest and finest mild Red Pepper. Truckers planting for market will find the "Chinese Giant" the most profitable variety they have ever handled. Not only is it early in ripening and immensely productive for so large a Pepper, but its enormous size will cause it to sell most readily. The flesh is extremely mild, as sweet as an apple and unusually thick. It makes an excellent salad, sliced and served like Tomatoes. Price, packet, 10 cents; 1-2 ounce, 20 cents; ounce, 35 cents; 1-4 pound, \$1.00.

**Tobasco Pepper**—(Genuine Stock)—This is a very hot and pungent Pepper, used largely for making Pepper Sauce. Price, packet, 15 cents; 2 for 25 cents; ounce, 50 cents.

## Pumpkins.

Potiren (Fr.), Kurbiss (Ger.), Calabaza (Sp.)

These, we think, have been too much neglected by our farmers and gardeners. All of the varieties named here can be grown with little trouble or expense on our farms, and will repay us in abundance of fine vegetables which can be kept for use during the winter by storing in dry places away from frost. Manure liberally. Do not plant Pumpkins and Squashes together, as they mix and the flavor is spoiled. Any of these in large 10 cents packets; 3 for 25 cents; 15 for \$1.00.

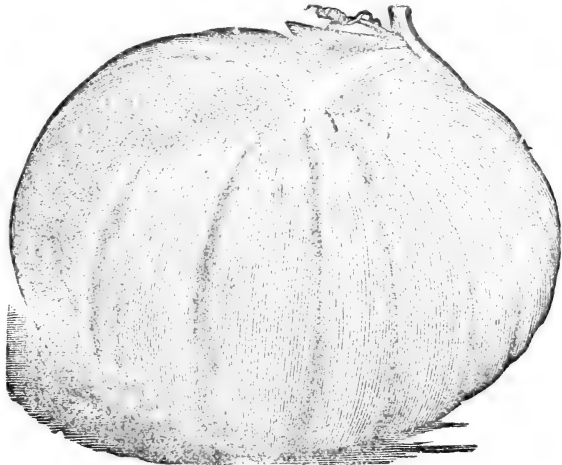
**King of Mammoths**—This is the largest of Pumpkins. Has reached the weight of 215 pounds. Flesh bright orange color, fine grained and firm; a good keeper. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 4 ounces, 35 cents; pound, \$1.00. Postage 10 cents per pound.

**Large Cheese**—One of the best cooking; shape flat and very productive. Packet, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; pound, 60 cents. Postage 10 cents per pound.

**Large Georgia Field**—This is our large yellow stock Pumpkin so largely grown here in our State; a profitable crop. Ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; 1-2 pound, 35 cents; pound, 50 cents. Postage 10 cents per pound.

**Tennessee Sweet Potato**—Bell shaped; thick white flesh, one of the best for pies. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 30 cents; pound, \$1.00. Postage 10 cents per pound.

**Japanese Pie**—A distinct Japanese variety, adapted to all parts of the South. It is very meaty and solid and in general appearance greatly resembles the Cashaw, but is earlier and usually larger. Skin is a deep green striped with darker green, which turns to a deep golden yellow as the fruit ripens. Average weight, 12 to 15 pounds; flesh salmon colored and very fine grained. Its quality is un-



KING OF THE MAMMOTH PUMPKIN.

PUMPKINS—Continued

excelled. Meat is rather free from water and is easily cut and dried if desired. **Crop short.** Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 40 cents; pound, \$1.25.

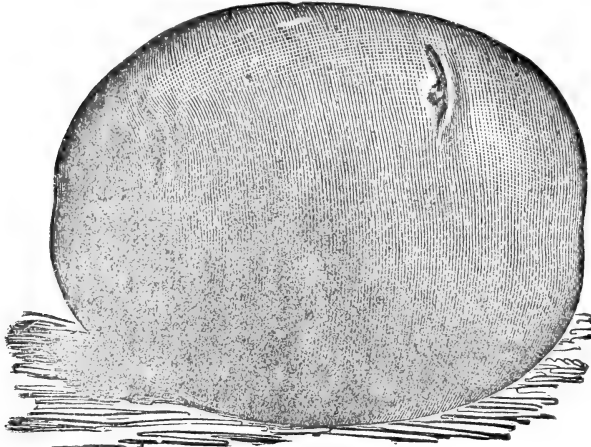
**Cashaw Crookneck**—An old favorite; salmon flesh. Packet, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 60 cents. Postage 10 cents per pound.

**All kinds of Pumpkins Mixed**—For those wishing to make a planting of all the above named kinds, we put up a packet combining all these varieties, mixed. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; ounce, 15 cents.

## Seed Irish Potatoes.

Pomme de Terre (Fr.), Kartoffel (Ger.)

We do not see how it is possible to offer in 1905 a better quality of Potatoes, or better varieties for this section, than we did in the year past. The Potatoes offered by us were grown especially for seed and are not such as the promiscuous stocks usually sold by the grocers and commission houses. With ours you will have increased yield and superior eating quality. We give quantity price on application. **All Potatoes shipped at owner's risk, and for cash with orders. Prices here subject to change.**



EXTRA EARLY BLISS TRIUMPH POTATO.

**"Bovee" Potatoes**—This is a very early potato and destined to become a very popular potato. It is white, dry and mealy. It is a heavier yielder than all the early varieties, equals the heaviest cropping late varieties; uniform in size, and perfect in shape. Has wonderful amount of vigor, health, and comparatively free from disease. Price, peck, 75 cents; 1-2 bushel, \$1.25; bushel, \$2.00; barrel, \$4.25.

**Early Ohio**—Deservedly one of the most popular; very early. Cooks dry and mealy. Peck, 75 cents; bushel, \$2.00.

**Early Six Weeks**—This potato is similar to the Objo, but early. A perfect table potato, and is a wonderful yielder. Ready for market in six weeks. Peck, 75 cents; bushel, \$2.00.

**A BOOK**—"The New Potato Culture"—By Elbert S. Carmen—from the experiments with potatoes for fifteen years. Price, paper cover, 50 cents.

**Red Bliss Triumph Potato**—Extra early; very desirable on account of its large, handsome shape, productiveness and fine eating quality. Said to be earlier than the Rose by ten days. Peck, 50 cents; bushel, \$1.75; barrel, \$3.75. Price per barrel subject to change.

**Pride of the South, or White Bliss**—This is a new variety, but one which has proven very adaptable to the South. It is extra early, very prolific, flesh very white. It has also proven itself rot-proof; will bear shipping when others will not. Peck, 50 cents; bushel, \$1.75; barrel, \$3.75.

**Early Rose Potato**—This has long been the leading variety in this section for earliness, quality and productiveness. Peck, 50 cts.; bushel, \$1.50; barrel, \$3.50.

**Early Beauty of Hebron Potato**—Very rapid, vigorous grower; ripening early and very productive. Excellent for the table. Peck, 50 cents; bushel, \$1.50; barrel, \$3.50.

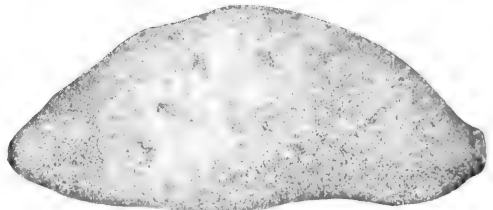
## Sweet Potatoes.

**Suggestion**—Do not forget that potatoes require a fertilizer rich in potash. We can furnish Potato Fertilizers, also Muriate of Potash. By its use the yield is largely increased.

**Bunch Yam Potato**—Can be cultivated with a plow as easily as corn. As the potatoes bunch in the ground, will stand close planting. Can be set between hills of corn, and be cultivated with it with assurance of making a crop. The seed offered by us were grown under our own supervision. 1-2 peck, 35 cents; peck, 50 cents; 1-2 bushel, 85 cents; bushel, \$1.50. By mail, pound, 20 cents; 3 pounds, 50 cents; 7 pounds, \$1.00; postage or express paid.

**Genuine Georgia Sugar Yam Potato**—The king of table potatoes. This is the sweetest and most delicious of all known varieties, but not a heavy yielder. The flesh is of a pale, golden yellow. Peck, 50 cents; bushel, \$1.75. By mail, pound, 20 cents; 3 pounds, 50 cents, postage paid.

**Towles' Prolific Potato**—The grower of this fine potato says of it: "That it is the strongest grown and the finest table potato that he has ever seen. The vines are large, with long stem leaves. The leaves proper are of a large size. This quality helps the grower, as it quickly takes care of itself—hence less work. They will produce 50 per cent. more on a given area than any other variety I know of." The best results are obtained by bedding of the tubers, and pulling out and setting the plants in rows four feet apart; one foot apart in rows. Color of these potatoes are brown; flesh yellow, much like the yam. Price, peck, 50 cents; bushel, \$1.50; 3 bushel bag at \$1.25 per bushel. Write for price in quantity. Mention quantity wanted. (Crop short.)



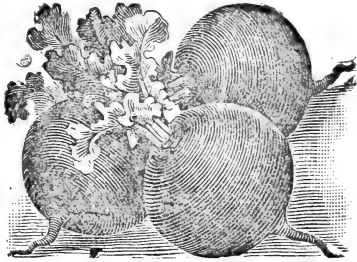
TOWLES' PROLIFIC SWEET POTATO.

## Radish.

Radies, Rave (Fr.), Radies Rettig (Ger.), Rabano (Sp.)

This is a very popular vegetable. To be tender and crisp, Radishes must be grown quickly; quick growth requires rich, mellow soil and reliable seed. To have a constant supply a sowing should be made every ten days from early Spring. For first sowing, plant All Seasons, Non Plus Ultra, Early Scarlet Turnip, Early French Breakfast, White Vienna, Early Long Scarlet, Golden Globe and New Triumph. For late sowing, sow in August, September or October, All Seasons, Non Plus Ultra, White Strasburg, Black Spanish and Chinese Rose varieties. One ounce will sow fifty feet of drill; five to eight pounds to the acre.

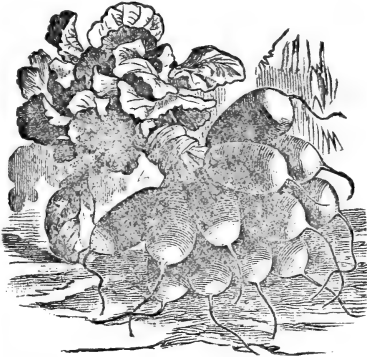
**Alexander Seed Co.'s All Seasons**—This is a new variety; we saw them on the testing grounds three years ago, and were superior to all others. It is a bright, cherry-red globe. Its name will indicate that it can be planted and used at any season. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 30 cents; 1-2 pound, 50 cents; pound, 75 cents.



ALEXANDER SEED CO.'S ALL SEASONS RADISH.

**Early Scarlet Turnip**—Small top; quick growth; crisp and mild. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; pound, 50 cents.

**Early Long Scarlet Short Top**—A popular variety; short top and brittle. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; pound, 50 cents.



FRENCH BREAKFAST RADISH.

**French Breakfast, or Scarlet Olive Shaped**—Early and desirable variety; very tender. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 50 cents.

**Wood's Early Frame**—In shape and color similar to Long Scarlet, though not quite so long. It is, however, fully ten days earlier. Has very small tops. A very desirable forcing variety. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 50 cents.

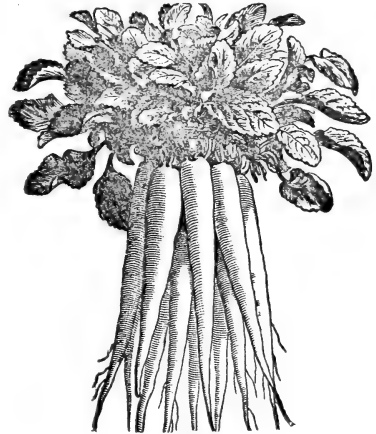
**Improved Chartier**—A handsome variety, which grows to a large size without being pithy. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 50 cents.

**Golden Globe**—(Fine for Summer)—The best Summer Radish; flavor mild; keeping long in eating condition; 25 days to maturity. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 50 cents.

**Chinese Rose**—(Winter)—Considered the best for Winter; shape conical and smooth; rose colored. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; pound, 60 cents.

**Black Spanish Round**—(Winter)—This variety stands cold well; grows to a large size and of firm texture. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 65 cents.

**Non Plus Ultra**—This is of turnip shape and fine round form; bright scarlet color, of tender flesh and delicate flavor. Its remarkably quick growth and very short top renders it one of the best for forcing; eighteen days to maturity. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; pound, 75 cents.



WHITE VIENNA OR LADY FINGER RADISH.

**Long White Vienna, or Ladies' Finger**—This new Radish is one of the best in cultivation. Beautiful shape; snow white; crisp, and of rapid growth. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 50 cents.

**Early Scarlet White-Tipped Turnip**—A beautiful scarlet variety, of handsome shape, having a white-tipped tail or root; very desirable. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 60 cents.

**"Hailstone" Radish**—This is the quickest-growing Radish on record. It has proven uniformly of the earliest maturity; ready for the table in from 15 to 19 days. The radishes are regular "turnip-shaped;" they measure 1 inch in diameter and about 1-2 inch in depth; round, smooth, and snowy white; a short, slender, tap root; flesh solid, crisp, and mild in flavor; small foliage, only measuring about 2 inches in length. Price, packet, 10 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 1-4 pound, 60 cents; pound, \$1.75.

**Triumph Radish**—This extra early new forcing Radish is distinct from all varieties. The roots are round, pure white, marked with bright scarlet, in flakes, and in short lines running around in circumference; very attractive; flesh mild, tender and crisp. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 1-4 pound, 60 cents; pound, \$1.75.

**Alexander's Mixed Radishes**—Our splendid mixture of radishes has become deservedly popular in the past few years, giving, as it does, a succession of radishes all through the season. This mixture contains some of all varieties listed—early, medium and late; round, half long and long. In one sowing you get a continuous all season's supply in family gardens. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; pound, 75 cents.



## Salsify,

Or Oyster Plant.

Salsifis (Fr.), Haferwurz (Ger.), Ostrea Vegetal, (Sp.)

Sow in early Spring, or Fall not later than middle of October, in drills 10 inches apart, and thin out from three to four inches in row. Soil should be rich and deep. One ounce will sow fifty feet of drill.

Mammoth Sandwich Island—New—Of much larger size than the old kinds, and of superior quality; grows quickly. Paper, 5 cts.; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 30 cents; pound, \$1.00.



SALSIFY, OR OYSTER PLANT.

### "BUG DEATH"

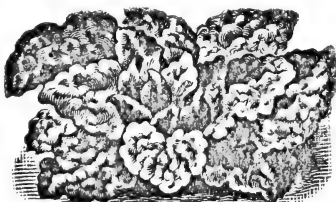
Kills the Potato Bug, and Bugs, Worms and Insects on Cabbage, Beans, Squash, Pumpkins, Watermelon and other crops. Price, pound, 15 cents; 3 pounds, 35 cents; 5 pounds, 50 cents; 12 1-2 pounds, \$1.00, not prepaid. If by mail, add 18 cents per pound.

## Spinach.

Epinard (Fr.), Spinat (Ger.), Espinago (Sp.)

A good crop for market gardeners, and finds a ready place in all our gardens. It is more tender and succulent when grown in rich soil. Best sown from September to March. Don't sow in dry, hot weather. Seed requires moisture and cool nights to make them germinate. One ounce will sow 150 feet drill; fifteen to twenty pounds to an acre.

Bloomsdale, or Norfolk Savory—Leaf wrinkled and large; a great favorite. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cts; 1-4 pound, 15 cents; pound, 30c.; 5 lbs., at 25 cents per pound. Write for prices in quantity.



BLOOMSDALE SAVORY SPINACH.

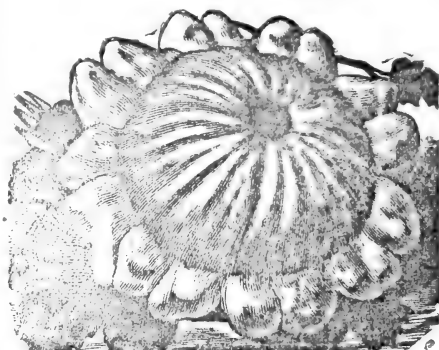
Broad Leaf Flanders—A standard variety and largely grown. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 15 cents; pound, 30 cents; 5 pounds at 25 cents per pound.

Ever Ready—(Long Standing)—A new variety of superior quality. A decided acquisition. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 15 cents; pound, 30 cents; 5 pounds at 25 cents per pound.

## Squash.

Courge (Fr.), Kurbiss (Ger.), Calabaza Tonanera (Sp.)

Plant in hills when all danger of frost is over—the bush kind four feet apart; the running five feet apart. One ounce of seed will plant forty hills; four to five pounds to an acre.



MAMMOTH EARLY WHITE BUSH SQUASH.

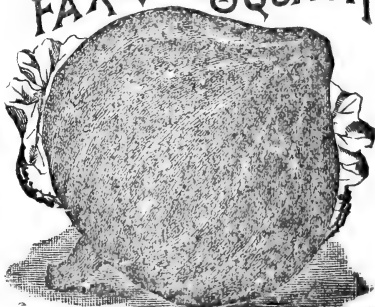
Mammoth Early White Bush Scallop—Largely planted in home gardens and for shipping. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 65 cents.

Early Yellow Bush—Not as early as the White, but a very fine Summer variety. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 75 cents.

Giant Yellow Summer Crookneck—A great favorite with all gardeners. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; pound, 75 cents.

Golden Custard Bush—Exceeds in size any of the scalloped sorts, frequently two feet in diameter; a dark, rich, golden yellow; quality excellent. It grows in bush form, wonderfully productive. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 35 cents; pound, \$1.00.

## THE FAXON SQUASH



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Faxon Squash—One of the standard squashes for Summer use or Winter keeping. Very early, enormously productive and best possible eating and pie-making quality. Flesh a deep orange yellow. Price, packet, 10 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 35 cents; pound, 75 cents.

WINTER SQUASH—Continued.

Mrs. Annie Hodges, Liberty Co., Texas, January 3d, 1905, says: "Gentlemen—I have always had better success with your seeds than with any others, and never plant any others, unless I can't get yours."



## Winter Squashes.

Can be kept for Winter use by gathering late and storing as you would pumpkins. Any of these in packets, 10 cents each; 3 for 25 cents; 15 for \$1.00.

**Boston Marrow**—Second early; good flavor and keeper. Packet, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 35 cents; pound, \$1.00.

**Essex Hybrid**—Not only one of the sweetest, richest flavored, but one of the best keepers. Packet, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 40 cents; pound, \$1.25.

**Hubbard**—Very largely planted, and a great favorite; grows to a large size. Packet, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 40 cents; pound, \$1.50.

**Pike's Peak**—New and distinct variety; bright orange flesh; rare eating qualities; large; one

of the finest Winter keepers. Packet, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 40 cents; pound, \$1.50.

**All Kinds of Winter Squashes Mixed**—For those wishing to make a planting of the above named kinds, we have put up a packet combining all these varieties, mixed. Packet, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 40 cents.

**Mammoth Whale**—Fine yellow flesh, three feet long, weighs over 100 pounds. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 75 cents; 1-2 pound, \$1.25.

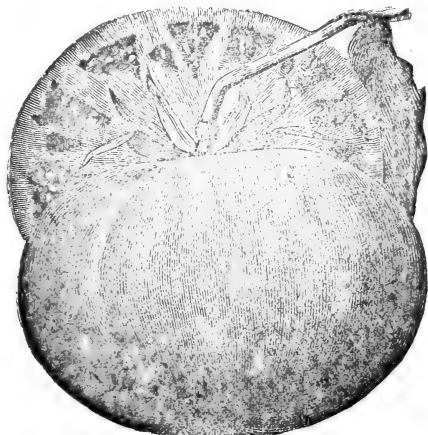
## Tomatoes.

Tomato (Fr.), Liebesapfel (Ger.), Tomato (Sp.)

**CULTURE**—Sow in hot-beds or boxes January, February or March. Transplant after danger of frost; as the plants advance support them with a few branches or tie them up to stakes. We name the best and most improved varieties. One ounce seed for 1,500 plants; 4 ounces for an acre.

Special prices for ten pounds or more.

**Dwarf Champion**—The growth of this valuable variety is dwarf, compact and upright; stalk and stems stiff; leaves very dark; fruits early, of good size and very prolific. Paper, 5 cents; 1-2 ounce, 15 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 75 cents; pound, \$2.50.



DWARF CHAMPION TOMATO.

**Early Large Smooth Red**—Fruit deep red, large round, half flat, smooth as an apple, free from green core. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 60 cents; 1-2 pound, \$1.10; pound, \$2.00.

**The Matchless**—This is a very desirable variety to grow for main crop, producing large, bright red and solid fruit of large size and beautiful form; perfectly smooth and has very few seeds. It is very popular with all Tomato growers. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 30 cents; 1-4 pound, 65 cents; pound, \$2.25.

**Atlantic Prize**—An extra early variety of good size and form, of bright red color and quite productive. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 65 cents; pound, \$2.25.

**Chalk's Early Jewel**—We find this splendid variety to be the best of all extra early sorts. It is within one week of being as early as the

famous Earliana and is far superior, the fruits being uniformly larger, thicker through, more solid and of much finer quality than any of the extra early tomatoes. The fruits are very deep through from stem to blossom, and being almost round or ball shaped and from 3 to 3 1-2 inches in diameter. The interior portion is very solid and fleshy with very few seeds, the seed cells being very small and the fruits nearly all solid flesh; quality is exceptionally sweet and free from acidity. Our seed is grown from original stock, none better to be had. Packet, 10 cents; 1-2 ounce, 30 cents; ounce, 50 cents; 1-4 pound, \$1.50; pound, \$5.00.

**Alexander's Beauty**—(Genuine Stock)—A decided favorite for the home market or shipping purposes; color, glossy crimson. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 1-4 pound, 60 cents; pound, \$1.75.

## Tomato, Livingston's New Globe

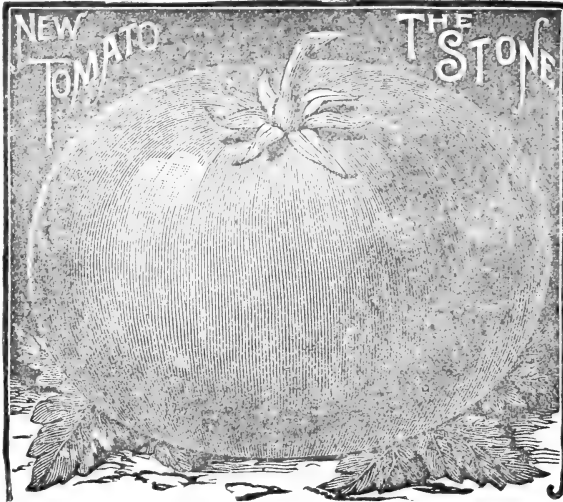
The fact that this is another new tomato, originating with the Livingstons, of world-wide tomato fame, will be sufficient to warrant most growers of fine tomatoes to give it a liberal trial. It is of beautiful globe shape, with quite a percentage of elongated (stem to blossom) fruits, which permits of a greater number of slices being taken than with flat fruited sorts. Among the very first to ripen, although of large size, very smooth, firm fleshed, few seeds, ripens evenly; color a beautiful glossy rose, tinged purple. Flavor very delicate and agreeable; splendid slicing variety. The fruit is borne on short jointed, branching plants in great abundance—literally loaded with fruit. A good general cropper, and one of the very best for greenhouse growing or first early crop on stakes or trellis. An entirely distinct and fixed new sort. Every grower of Livingston's New Globe, whether he grows for private or market purposes, will be pleased with the beautiful and attractive globe shaped fruit. Offered this season in packets of 40 seeds each. Per packet, 20 cents; 3 packets, 50 cents; 7 packets, \$1.00.

**Livingston's Dwarf Aristocrat Tomato**—This fine early variety, in habit of growth and foliage, resembles the "Dwarf Champion" very much, and might be taken for that popular variety were it not for the color of its beautiful rich, glossy red fruit. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents, postpaid; ounce, 35 cents; 1-4 pound, \$1.00; 1-2 pound, \$1.75; pound, \$3.00.

TOMATO—Continued.

Mr. J. K. Phillips, Smith Co., Texas, Jan. 6th, 1905, says: "Gentlemen—I have been ordering my seed from you for six years, and have always received entire satisfaction, and have perfect confidence in you, and your seeds."

## TOMATO—Continued.



of 4 to 8 extra large fruits. In solidity and 3 for 25 cents; ounce, 35 cents; 1-4 pound, \$1.00.

**Large Rose Peach Tomato**—It has all of the general characteristics belonging to this singular and distinct class of Tomatoes. Well adapted for certain hot, dry climates, where the ordinary tomato cannot be successfully grown. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; ounce, 35 cents; 1-4 pound, \$1.00.

**King of Earlies**—A bright colored, very early variety. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 4 ounces, 65 cents; pound, \$2.25.

**Golden Queen Tomato**—The most beautiful yellow variety in existence. Ripens early; large and smooth. Its superior flavor makes it popular for eating raw or slicing. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 4 ounces, 65 cents; pound, \$2.25.

**Turner Hybrid, or Mikado**—Very large; smooth skin; purple red. Paper, 5 cts.; ounce, 25 cents; 4 ounces, 75 cents; pound, -2.50.

**New Stone Tomato**—This variety has gained great favor with canners, home and market gardeners. Its solidity and carrying qualities are remarkable, its color a desirable red, in shape perfectly smooth. All speak in highest terms of its beautiful color. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; 1-2 ounce, 15 cents; ounce, 25 cents, post-paid; 1-4 pound, 65 cents; pound, \$2.00.

**Henderson's Ponderoso Tomato**—This Tomato is claimed to be the largest grown; its massive, ponderous fruits are almost perfect in form—a fine shipper. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; ounce, 30 cents; 1-4 pound, \$1.00.

**Livingston's Perfection**—An improved Acme, with red skin, somewhat larger and fully as early. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 60 cents; pound, \$1.75.

**Livingston's Favorite**—(The Canner's Favorite)—The largest perfect shaped red Tomato in cultivation. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 60 cents; 1-4 pound, 75 cents; pound, \$1.75.

**Livingston's Buckeye State Tomato**—It averages at least one-half larger than Livingston's Beauty. The tomatoes are borne in large clusters; meatiness it has no equal. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; ounce, 35 cents; 1-4 pound, \$1.00.

**Early New Acme**—(Genuine Stock)—Very early and one of the best for market gardeners' use; glossy red with purplish tinge. Paper, 5 cents; ounce 20 cent; 1-4 pound, 60 cents; pound, \$1.75.

**Paragon**—Very prolific; bright red; round. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 75 cents.

**Selected Trophy**—Very solid, large, late variety. Paper, 5 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 65 cents.

**Sparks' Earliana**—(A Superb Strain)—Very prolific. For description and price see pages "Seeds of Special Merit."

**A BOOK**—"Tomato Culture"—Tomato Culture in the South, 135 pages, illustrated, paper cover.. Price, 35 cents.

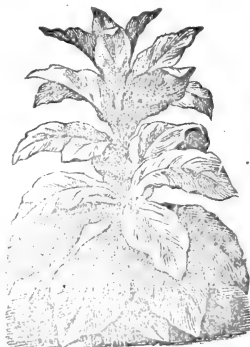
## Tobacco Seed.

We have our stock direct from the largest and most reliable grower of tobacco seed in Virginia, and offer only such varieties as he assures us will succeed here. One ounce will sod a bed of fifty square yards.

**Vuelta de Abajo**—This variety is the highest flavored and silkiest Havana Tobacco grown; considered the finest. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 40 cents; 1-4 pound, \$1.00.

**Choice Havana**—This is a very heavy cropper; is generally used for cigar purposes; it has very large, long leaf; very fine. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 40 cents; 1-4 pound, \$1.00.

**Connecticut Seed Leaf**—Leaves of this variety are not so THE TOBACCO PLANT, long as the above, but of a good width. Make fine cigar fillers. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 1-4 pound, 75 cents.



**Sweet Oronoco**—Best natural chewing leaf. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 5 ounces, \$1.00.

**Yellow Pryor**—A good, bright yellow leaf. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 5 ounces, \$1.00.

**Hester**—Superior yellow variety. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 5 ounces, \$1.00.

**Long Leaf Gooch**—One of the best. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 25 cents; 5 ounces, \$1.00.

"Tobacco"—How to raise it and how to make it pay. By Major R. L. Ragland. This book is recognized as the highest authority on Tobacco Culture. Price, 25 cents.

H. T. McClellon, Anderson Co., S. C., March 1st, 1904, says: "Gentlemen—Enclosed find my order for all Spring Seed needed—I find your seed the best for my part of the country, as they give the best of satisfaction."

## Turnips.

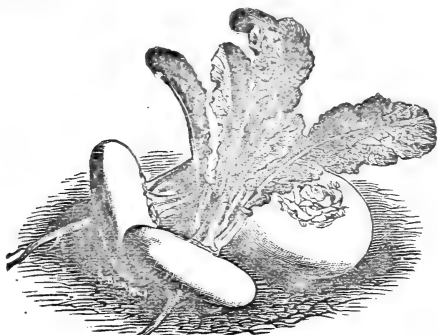
Navet (Fr.) Ruebe (Ger.) Nabo Comun (Sp.)

**New Crop Seed**—We sell also choicest American grown Turnip Seed to be had, and we will not knowingly offer for sale any other. Beware of cheap imported seed, from which only small, inferior roots will come. Two ounces will sow 150 feet of drill; two pounds in drill to an acre.

We furnish all varieties (except our **Bon Air Ruta Bagas**, **Extra Early Purple Top** and **White Milan**, **Early White Snow Ball** (Winter), **Scarlet Kashmir**, **Cow Horn** and **White Egg**, in packets, 5 cents; 50 cents per dozen, postage included; 2 ounces, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 15 cents; 8 ounces, 25 cents; pound, 40 cents; 5 pounds at 35 cents per pound. If by mail, add 5 cents for 8 ounces; 10 cents per pound, postage.

**NOTE PRICES** here for all varieties not priced below.

**Early White Flat Dutch**—Strap-leaved, old favorite kind; medium size; white; quick in growth.



**EARLY WHITE FLAT DUTCH TURNIP.**

**Early Red Top Strap-Leaved**—This variety has the form of the White Flat Dutch, but top is purple; grows larger, and more desirable.

**Extra Early Purple Top Milan**—One of the most desirable for early planting. Tops are very small, distinctly strap-leaved, and growing very erect. The roots are small and flat; skin purple on top of the root and white below; flesh clear white; a very shy seeder; fine for table or market. Packet, 5 cents; 2 ounces, 15 cents; 4 ounces, 25 cents; 8 ounces, 40 cents; pound, 70 cents.

**New Extra Early White Milan**—In this new sort the extreme earliness, small top and tap root of the Purple Top Milan is united with clear white skin and flesh, making it a very desirable market kind. Packet, 5 cents; 2 ounces, 15 cents; 4 ounces, 25 cents; 8 ounces, 45 cents; pound, 70 cents.

**Mammoth Purple Top Globe**—The party from whom we have this variety, says of it: "It is the quickest growing, largest and most solid white-fleshed turnip known."

**Red or Purple Top White Globe**—We recommend this variety very highly. Shaped like the White Globe, of better eating quality; fine for stock.

**Pomeranian White Globe**—Smooth and perfectly globular in shape; flesh white; grows to a large size.

**Southern Seven Top**—For greens; old, well known kind. Stands severest Winters, and heads out beautifully in early Spring. Georgia raised seed.

**Sweet German, or Rock**—Flesh white, solid and well flavored; a good Winter keeper.

**Early White Egg**—A very desirable kind; early, tender and crisp; in shape resembles an egg. Packet, 5 cents; 2 ounces, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 15 cents; pound, 50 cents.

**Early Snowball Turnip**—A most beautiful, medium sized, round, pure white variety, of excellent flavor. For early sowing this is one of the best, being crisp, tender and sweet, maturing in six weeks from time of sowing. Packet, 5 cents; 2 ounces, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 15 cents; 8 ounces, 25 cents; pound, 50 cents.

**The Callaway**—A Georgia Winter variety; grows to a large size; round; white flesh; splendid keeper; delightful eating, and one of the best for stock. Packet, 5 cents; 2 ounces, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 15 cents; pound, 50 cents.

**Cow Horn**—Long White; flesh white, fine grained and sweet; one of the best for cooking; also highly recommended for stock. Paper, 5 cents; 2 ounces, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 15 cents; pound, 50 cents.

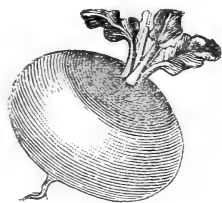
### YELLOW VARIETIES.

**Purple Top Aberdeen**—Roundish in shape; purple on top and deep yellow below.

**Amber Globe**—A well formed, productive variety.

**Yellow Globe**—Color pale yellow; green top.

**Improved Golden Ball**—This is the **PURPLE TOP YELLOW** most delicate and **ABERDEEN TUR-NIP** sweetest yellow fleshed turnip.



Special prices made on Turnip Seed in quantity. Write for prices. Name variety and quantity wanted.

TURNIPS—Continued.

### OUR 1905 FARMERS' HOME GARDEN COLLECTION FOR \$2.00. EXPRESS PREPAID.

1 pkt. Augusta Early Trucker Cabbage.  
1 pkt. Buncombe Cabbage.  
1 oz. Improved Georgia White Collards.  
1 oz. Chinese Mustard.  
1 oz. White Velvet Okra.  
1 pkt. Davis White Kidney Wax Beans.  
1 pkt. Stringless Green Pod Beans.  
1 pkt. Durban's Market Garden Peas.  
1 qt. Alexander's Snow Flake Corn.  
1 lb. Amber Cane.  
1 pkt. Our New Stone Tomato.

1 pkt. Augusta Rattlesnake Watermelon.  
1 pkt. Eden Sugar Loaf Watermelon.  
1 pkt. Harris' Earliest Watermelon.  
1 pkt. Augusta Market Cantaloupe.  
1 pkt. Jenny Lind Cantaloupe.  
1 pkt. Bon Air Ruta Baga.  
1 pkt. Mammoth Purple Top Turnip.  
1 pkt. King of Mammoth Pumpkin.  
1 qt. Georgia Gourd Seed Corn.  
1 qt. Iowa Silver Mine Corn.  
1 lb. Pearl of Cat-Tail Millet.

THE ABOVE WOULD BE WORTH \$3.50.

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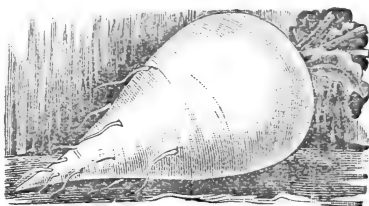
BON AIR RUTA BAGA.

RUTA BAGAS, or SWEDES.

OUR IMPROVED BON AIR RUTA BAGA has become very popular in every part of the South. A very distinctive variety, which com-

bles the useful quantities of the old kinds, and in addition, is so much better for the Winter table than there is no comparison. It is a purple top flesh of a light yellow, fine grained and solid. Early to mature, and grows to a large size. We want our patrons to try this splendid variety upon our recommendation. We unquestionably pronounce it the best Ruta Baga for table and stock in existence. Read what others say about this fine Ruta Baga. See cut.

Packet, 10 cents; 2 ounces, 15 cents; 4 ounces, 20 cents; 8 ounces, 35 cents; pound, 60 cents. If by mail, add 5 cents to 1-2 pound; 10 cents to pound, for postage. 5 pounds at 50 cents per pound.



BREADSTONE OR BUDLONG RUTA BAGAS.

**Breadstone, or Budlong Ruta Baga**—A very fine medium size root; excellent for table and stock.

Packet, 5 cents; 2 ounces, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 15 cents; 8 ounces, 25 cents; pound, 45 cents. Add 10 cents per pound for postage.

**Improved Purple Top Ruta Baga**—Very choice stock; the same strain as sold by us for years, which has always given satisfaction. We cannot recommend this seed too highly.

Prices of the above variety, packet, 5 cents; 2 ounces, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 15 cents; 1-2 pound, 25 cents; pound, 40 cents. If to be mailed, add 10 cents per pound, postage.

## Rural Books.

**"The New Potato Culture"**—By Elbert S. Carman; from the experiments with potatoes for fifteen years; paper cover. Price, 50 cents. By mail, 60 cents.

**"Tomato Culture"**—Tomato culture in the South; 135 pages; illustrated; paper cover. Price, 35 cents. By mail, 45 cents.

**"The Young Market Gardener"**—A guide to beginners in market gardening; illustrated; paper cover. Price, 50 cents. By mail, 60 cents.

**"Hicks' Almanac"**—So accurately in the past has Mr. Hicks predicted storms, tornadoes, frost, drouth, etc., that he has gained a national reputation; contains weather forecasts for the year. Price, 30 cents, postpaid.

**"999 Questions and Answers"**—On gardening subjects; 200 pages; a book turned to every day; paper cover. Price, 60 cents. By mail, 70 cents.

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**"Practical Floriculture"**—By Peter Henderson; illustrated beautifully; new and enlarged edition; cloth. Price, \$1.50. By mail, \$1.65.

**"The Beautiful Flower Garden"**—An important part of this valuable book is devoted to descriptions of flowers easily produced and grown from seeds, bulbs and cuttings, with bright sketches. Price, 40 cents, postpaid.

**"Profits in Poultry"**—Contains experience of a number of practical men; illustrated. Price, \$1.00. By mail, \$1.25.

**"Five Hundred Questions and Answers"**—poultry raising; paper. Price, 25 cents.

**"Money in the Garden"**—By P. T. Quinn. The author gives in a plain, practical style, instructions on three distinct, although closely connected branches of gardening—the kitchen

garden, market garden and field culture, from successful practical experience for a term of years; illustrated; 268 pages; 5x7; cloth. Price, \$1.00. By mail, \$1.15.

**"Your Plants"**—By James Sheehan. Plain and practical directions for the treatment of tender and hardy plants in the house and in the garden. The work meets the wants of the amateur who grows a few plants in the window or has a small flower garden; 5x7 inches; paper. Price, 40 cents. By mail, 50 cents.

**"Wheat Culture"**—By Prof. D. S. Custis, Washington, D. C.; illustrated, paper cover. Price, 50 cents. By mail, 60 cents.

**"The New Onion Culture"**—A book of much value. Paper cover. Price, 50 cents. By mail, 60 cents.

**"Celery for Profit"**—The newer improved method for culture of celery; paper cover. Price, 25 cents. By mail, 35 cents.

**"The Peanut Plant; its Culture and Uses"**—A practical book; paper cover. Price, 50 cents. By mail, 60 cents.

**"Spraying Crops"**—Why, when and how; 130 pages, illustrated. Price, 25 cents. By mail, 35 cents.

**"Gardening for Profits"**—By Peter Henderson. A standard work on market and family gardening. The book is profusely illustrated; cloth. Price, \$2.00; by mail \$2.25.

**"Asparagus Culture"**—The best method employed in England and France. Price, 50 cents. By mail, 60 cents.

**"Cabbage and Cauliflower, How to Grow Them"**—By C. L. Allen. A practical treatise on cabbage culture. Price, 50 cents. By mail, 60 cents.

**"Broom Corn and Brooms"**—A treatise on raising broom corn and making brooms on a small or large scale; cloth. Price, 50 cents. By mail, 60 cents. **RURAL BOOKS**—Continued.

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"Hemp Culture"—The latest work on this valuable plant. Price, 50 cents. By mail, 60 cents.

"Basket Making from Raffia"—A book entitled: "How to Do It," illustrated with 106 working designs; 30 pages; paper cover. Price, 25 cents. By mail, 30 cents.

"Tobacco"—How to raise it, and how to make it pay. By Major R. L. Ragland. This book is recognized as the highest authority on Tobacco Culture. Price, 25 cents. By mail, 35 cents.

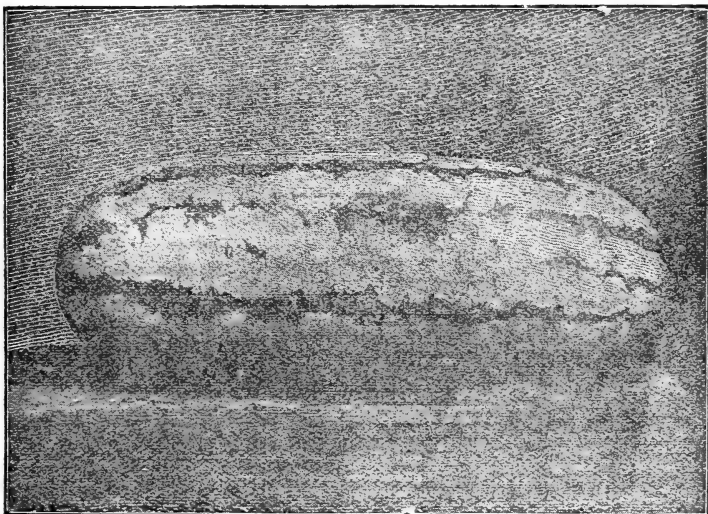
"Alfalfa"—By F. D. Colburn. Its growth, uses and feeding value. The fact that alfalfa thrives in almost any soil; that without re-seeding it goes on yielding two, three, four, and sometimes five cuttings annually for five, ten, or perhaps 100 years; and that either green or cured it is one of the most nutritious plants known, makes reliable information upon its production and uses of unusual interest. Such information is given in this volume for every part of America, by the highest authority; illustrated; 164 pages; 5x7 inches; cloth. Price, 50 cents. By mail, 60 cents.

**Improved Watermelon Seed.**

**A**FTER YEARS of competition with seeds raised in different parts of the country the consensus of opinion is, that Seeds from this section unquestionably produce sweeter and larger Melons than from seed grown elsewhere. No other section seems to produce Melons of the same color, size and sweetness as are grown on our pine lands; conditions existing here seem particularly favorable to the perfect development of this delicious fruit. The seed sold by us represent the finest stock that can be produced. Get New Seeds. Ounce seed will plant thirty hills; two to three pounds to acre.

We carry a special "Melon Fertilizer," also Muriate of Potash, which furnishes the largest percentage of Potash; a very necessary plant food for Melons. Write for our prices on Fertilizers; mention quantity wanted.

**Fancy Select Augusta Rattlesnake**—This strain has been kept pure for thirty-four years, on the plantation of our grower, consisting 1,500 acres, where no other variety is grown. Melons grown from these seed were pronounced the finest on exhibit at the Tennessee Centennial and many other places; it also has proven a fine shipper. Commands highest prices in all markets. This is the most delicious eating melon grown. The climate in this country being particularly adapted to raising this strain of Melon, you can depend upon the Seed we furnish to be the best. It is not



OUR "FANCY SELECT AUGUSTA RATTLESNAKE.

economy to buy so-called "cheap" seed. Price, 40 cents; 1-2 pound, 75 cents; pound, \$1.25, 10 pounds at \$1.00 per pound, not packet, 10 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, postpaid. By express, 5 pounds at \$1.10 per prepaid.

**The Genuine Georgia Rattlesnake**—The favorite for home and market use. With all the new kinds which have been introduced, none of them have superseded this one in popularity, it being held today that no other Melon possesses more delicious eating quality. Price, ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 25 cents; 1-2 pound, 40 cents; pound, 75 cents, prepaid; 5 pounds at 60 cents per pound; 10 pounds at 50 cents per pound by express, not prepaid.

**Harris' Earliest Watermelon**—A very early Melon, a delicious eating and good shipping Melon. Packet 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents. For further description and prices see pages of "Special Merit."

**Halbert Honey**—An excellent melon for home and shipping. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents. For description, and prices, see pages on "Seeds of Special Merit."

**The "Carolina Bradford" Watermelon**—We offered the seed of this variety for the first time in 1896, and have again grown a crop for this year. This Melon is the favorite above all others in South Carolina, and we unquestionably pronounce it a good one. It is the healthiest in growth we have planted. In very rare instances did we find it inclined to spot. The Melon grows to a large size and very prolific. Rind medium thick and tough; dark green, with darker stripes; flesh red; remarkably tender and sweet. We especially recommend it as being one of the best for table and home use

**\$1.00 SPECIAL MELON OFFER FOR 1905.**

We will send by mail or express, paid, a three-ounce package each "Carolina Bradford," "Select Augusta Rattlesnake," "Augusta Sugar Loaf," and "Eden" Watermelons, and a one-ounce packet each "Augusta Market" and "Rocky Ford Gem" Cantaloupe for \$1.00. Patrons can change the assortment of varieties if they wish.

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## IMPROVED WATERMELON SEED—Continued

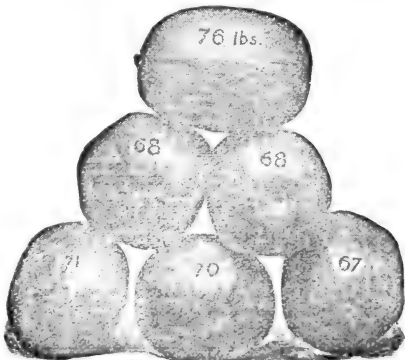
and believe it will eventually become a popular shipper. The Melon is certainly worth a trial—as such we recommend it to our patrons. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 4 ounces, 40 cents; 1-2 pound, 75 cents; pound, \$1.25, postage paid; 5 pounds at \$1.10 per pound; 10 pounds at \$1.00 per pound by express, not prepaid.

**The Genuine Duke-Jones Watermelon** (Also called the Jones Jumbo)—Unquestionably one of the best of all melons for eating, as well as for the market. We have many valuable testimonials regarding the quality of this melon and good results from seed sold by us. The rind is dark green, solid color, flesh a very bright red, particularly sweet, juicy and melting. Grows large, weighing in many instances as much as seventy pounds. A good shipper. Ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 25 cents; 1-2 pound, 40 cents; pound, 70 cents, postpaid; 10 pounds at 50 cents per pound by express, not prepaid.

**Improved Florida Favorite Watermelon**—Very early. This variety, a hybrid of the Pierson and Rattlesnake, is oblong in shape, grows to a large size; rind is dark with light green stripes, flesh light crimson; very crisp and deliciously sweet; ten days earlier than the Kolb Gem. One ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 25 cents, 1 pound, 75 cents, postpaid; by express, 5 pounds at 60 cents.

**Eden Watermelon**—(New)—This Melon is one of the best shipping Melons known. We introduce it for the fourth time this year in our Catalogue although it has been extensively grown in South Carolina and Florida. One grower writes us that he intends planting in Florida 1,500 acres and in South Carolina 700 acres this season. This Melon is described to us as being in appearance somewhat like the Kolb Gem, but the Eden Melon has a white seed and meat similar in sweetness to the Rattlesnake, and where it has been introduced in Northern and Eastern markets it commands higher prices than other melons. Price, packet, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; 1-2 pound, 45 cents; pound, 75 cents, postpaid; 5 pounds at 60 cents per pound; 10 pounds at 50 cents per pound, by express, not prepaid.

**New Triumph Watermelon**—As a table Melon, it is much better than the Kolb Gem. Rind dark green. It is very early, very large, very prolific, deliciously sweet and of fine flavor. A grower has gathered from two and a half acres 2,418 melons, weighing over forty pounds each. Packet, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; 1-2 pound, 40 cents; pound, 75 cents, postpaid; 5 pounds at 60 cents per pound; 10 pounds at 50 cents per pound, by express.



NEW "TRIUMPH" WATERMELON.

**Augusta Sugar Loaf Watermelon**—Greenish white or gray rind, flesh red and very sweet. Grows large and long, and is a standard variety in this city. Ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 35 cents; pound, \$1.00, postpaid.

**Pride of Georgia Watermelon**—Rind dark green, nearly oval in shape and rigid; flesh rich scarlet, very crisp and sweet. Grows to large size and fairly good shipper. Ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 25 cents; pound, 75 cents. Postage, 10 cents per pound.

**Alabama Sweets**—A grand new shipping Melon, equal to the Kieckley, Icing and Florida Favor in its luscious quality; long, dark green, continuous bearer; is becoming very popular. Ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 30 cents; pound, 90 cents. If by mail, pound, \$1.00.

**"Kieckley Sweets"**—Considered to be one of the finest table melons. We know of no melon that has attained such popularity for home use and nearby markets in so short a time. Vines strong and vigorous; melons oblong and large, skin a rich dark green; flesh rich bright scarlet, ripening up close to the skin, seed white, and so arranged as to leave a much larger proportion of heart than in most melons. Price, ounce packet, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; 1-2 pound, 40 cents; pound, 75 cents; 5 pounds at 60 cents per pound, not prepaid.

**Seminole Watermelon**—A variety from Florida which has grown popular. Its claims are "extra early, very productive, large and of delicious flavor, melons both of gray and light green are found on same vine." Ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 25 cents; pound, 75 cents. Postage 10 cents per pound. By express 5 pounds at 60 cents per pound.

**Sweetheart**—An oval, light green skinned variety, mottled, with very thin rind, but quite firm and solid; flesh bright red, of delicious melting flavor, a desirable variety for private growing, but not for market, as the color is objectionable. Ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 70 cents, postpaid.

**Jordan's Gray Monarch, or Long Light Icing**—One of the largest Melons, and a fine shipper, carrying well, for long distances. It is long in shape, with skin of mottled gray color, and bright crimson flesh. The flavor is sweet and delicious. Packet, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; 1-2 pound, 40 cents; pound, 65 cents. Postage 10 cents per pound.

## MELON OFFER 1905.

For 25 Cents we will send by mail, postpaid, one 10 cent packet each Fancy Select Augusta Rattlesnake and Our Large Eden Watermelon, Rocky Ford and Wood's Perfection Cantaloupe; the 4 for 25 cents.

**Mammoth Iron Clad**—This variety is well worthy of cultivation. Produces Melons of large size and very solid. Flesh crimson, crisp and luscious. Very desirable for market. Ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 20 cents; pound, 60 cents.

**Mountain Sweet**—This was the great Melon of olden times, and was almost the only variety grown extensively for market, but now it is almost entirely discarded for the more modern varieties, but it was the original variety from which many of the recently introduced varieties emanated by hybridization. We, however, still regard it as first-class, very productive, producing Melons of large size, the flesh of which is bright crimson, sweet and juicy, and of delicious flavor. Seeds gray. Ounce, 10 cents; 1-2 pound, 25 cents; pound, 75 cents.

**Blue Gem Watermelon**—Originated from Kolb Gem, and by some preferred to that variety for shipping. Color dark bluish and very attractive. Ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 20 cents; pound, 50 cents. Postage, 10 cents per pound.

**Kolb Gem Watermelon**—Too well known to require lengthy description here. Select seed. Ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 15 cents; pound, 50 cents. Postage, 10 cents per pound; 5 pounds at 35 cents per pound.

We will correspond with parties wanting other kinds that are not listed by us, and ANY VARIETY LISTED IN LARGE QUANTITIES. Kindly mention quantity when writing.



## Cantaloupes.

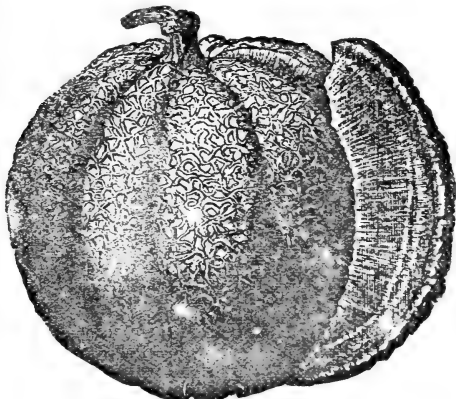
**The Augusta Market Cantaloupe**—We grew and offered this superb Southern Melon for the first time in 1896. Those of our patrons who have planted it are well pleased. It was our purpose in the development of this Melon to get uniform shape, with good size, greenish white flesh, granular in texture, well netted rind, and of uniform sweetness and high flavor. These points have been fully secured, we think. Our customers will find in it all the sweetness and flavor of the choicest small varieties of the Nutmeg. The melons weigh from eight to twelve pounds, and as a delicious table melon we offer it to our patrons. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 1-4 pound, 50 cents; 1-2 pound, 85 cents; pound, \$1.50. If by mail, add 10 cents extra for postage. By express, 5 pounds at \$1.25 per pound. Stock limited.

**The Nixon Cantaloupe**—This splendid Melon originated here, and has for years been a favorite in this city. Combining size with flavor, we consider it one of the best. By careful selection for several years, we have kept it pure in its original type. Round, rough skin, thick meat of rich flavor and sweetness. Superior keeping qualities. Often weighs from eight to twelve pounds. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 4 ounces, 40 cents; 8 ounces, 75 cents; pound, \$1.25. Postage, 10 cents per pound.

### New Extra Early Hackensack Cantaloupe.

At least ten days earlier than the old variety, and almost equal to it in size. This very popular Melon is of delicious flavor, shape of our Nixon. Melons averaging 5 to 10 pounds each. Ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 40 cents; 1-2 pound, 75 cents; pound, \$1.25. Postage, 10 cents per pound.

**Burpee's Melrose Cantaloupe**—We consider this one of the best Northern varieties offered. The color is rich dark green, the shape is oval. The Melons average in weight about four pounds, are finely and densely netted. The flesh is clear, light green in color, shading to a rich salmon at the seed cavity, carries its superior quality and sweetness to the extreme edge of the skin. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 40 cents; pound, \$1.00. Postage, 10 cents per pound.



SELECT ROCKY FORD GEM CANTALOUPE.

**Rocky Ford Gem Cantaloupe**—(Fancy Select Stock)—We introduced this fancy Melon to the Southern trade five years ago. Much had been written about it in the papers. As a shipping Melon it has proven to be a success. It is a Nutmeg Melon, and delightfully sweet. Our crop of this Cantaloupe, with the manner in which the seed were saved, were inspected for

us in Rocky Ford, Col. Has proven to be one of the best Melons to ship to Northern markets. Packed forty-five to a crate. Packet, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 50 cents; 8 ounces, 75 cents; pound, \$1.50. 5 pounds at \$1.25, by express. Postage, 10 cents per pound.

**Rocky Ford Gem Cantaloupe No. 1**—This is a fine Melon, seed raised and saved in Rocky Ford, Col. This is the same strain as the above, except that all the melons were not as selected as the above. Packet, 1 ounce, 10 cents; 4 ounces, 25 cents; 1-2 pound, 40 cents; pound, 75 cents. If to be mailed, add 10 cents for postage. By express, 5 pounds at 60 cents per pound; 10 pounds or more at 50 cents per pound.

**Anne Arundel Cantaloupe**—We find it particularly well adapted to our Southern section, and advise our patrons to try it. It is a thick, oval Melon of fine size, ribs very distinct and netted all over. Flesh green and sugary. It is in all respects one of the best of Melons. Its entire webbing or netting fits it to resist abrasion during shipment. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 35 cents; 1-2 pound, 60 cents; pound, \$1.00. Postage, 10 cents per pound extra.

**Jenny Lind Cantaloupe**—(Selected Stock)—The fruit of this choice Cantaloupe is small, round, flat on ends, deeply but evenly ribbed; of a very attractive greenish-gold color when ripe. It is unexcelled in eating qualities. A very large cropper, and for a long season. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 35 cents; pound, \$1.00. If by mail, add 10 cents extra for postage.

**Henderson's "The Banquet" Cantaloupe**—This elegant Melon is medium-sized, flat at both ends, beautifully netted; has no equal in quality, a desirable variety for market gardeners. Flesh dark rich salmon, uniformly deep, and of that granulated character that always indicates a good melon. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 4 ounces, 35 cents; pound, \$1.00.

**Perfection Delmonico Cantaloupe**—One of the best offered by Henderson. Red-fleshed variety of the most dainty and delicate flavor. Melons average about six inches in diameter. Very solid and heavy for size. A strong grower and prolific. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 4 ounces, 40 cents; pound, 75 cents.

**Netted Gem Cantaloupe**—One of the earliest, globular in shape, uniform in size and weight, beautifully netted, flesh deep, color of flesh a rich green. It is very prolific, and a fine variety for general use. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 40 cents; 1-2 pound, 75 cents; pound, \$1.00.

**Wood's Perfection**—This is one of the best large Cantaloupes for main crop. The flesh is thick, of a beautiful deep rich green color, turning to a salmon, well ribbed and thickly netted, unusually sweet and luscious. Packet, 1-4 pound, 30 cents; 10 cents; pound, \$1.00.

**Montreal Market Cantaloupe**—Shape almost round, flattened at each end, grows to a large size, from 10 to 15 pounds, skin green and deeply ribbed; flesh thick, green, very sweet. Ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 40 cents; pound, \$1.25. Postage, 10 cents per pound extra.

**Osage or Miller's Cream**—A Melon that has gained a great reputation. Its delicious flavor and excellent shipping qualities has justly given it the place it holds. Melons oval, flesh of a salmon color. Skin a pea-green, slightly netted. Packet, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 40 cents; pound, \$1.25. Postage, 10 cents per pound.

**Winter Pineapple Muskmelon**—A novelty, remarkable for its keeping quality, does not ripen on vine, picked before frost, can be laid away and kept for months, highly perfumed with the flavor of pineapple. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 40 cents.

## Improved Crop or Field Corn.

We offer the choicest varieties of Improved Field Corn to be had, all of them grown especially for Seed. For several years we have sold several varieties of Select Early Dent Corn, grown in extreme Northern latitudes. They mature crop early (usually from ninety to one hundred days, in July before usual droth begins, and make large, full-sized ears. In this section many plant after oats, as late as July, with remarkable success. Much of the Dent Corn offered by seedsmen at a very low price is of Southern growth, and therefore lacks earliness, the only desirable quality for which it is planted. That grown in the South is but little better than your ordinary field corn. We urge you to devote a few acres of your best corn land to our improved Northern grown seed.

### NORTHERN GROWN CORN—VERY EARLY.

Prices on all Corn, except where otherwise noted, by mail, postpaid, pint, 20 cents; quart, 30 cents; by express or freight, quart, 15 cents; peck, 50 cents; one-half bushel, 35 cents; bushel, \$1.60; 2 bushels, \$3.00; 5 bushels, \$7.25; 10 bushels, \$14.00. Purchaser pays freight or express charges. As prices on Seed Corn fluctuate a good deal, would like you to write for prices in larger quantities.

**Champion Yellow Dent—(Genuine Stock)—**A great improvement over the old variety. The most reliable Yellow Dent Corn grown. Heavy yielder, large ear; sixteen rows; grain firm and golden yellow color; cobb small and red. Will mature crop in 100 days.

**Champion White Pearl, or Dent—(Genuine Stock)—**This is the very best early White Dent Corn in existence. Ear large; cob small and white; grain pure white, wide, deep, firm and heavy; stalk good size; good yielder. Matures in 100 days.

**Hickory King Corn—**This new white field corn is distinct from other varieties. It has a very long and wide white grain; produces two or three ears per stalk. Cob very small. It is a good yielder. Matures in 120 days. Peck, 50 cents; bushel, \$1.60.

**Southern White Snowflake—**This corn has grown to be very popular here with those who have planted it. The originator claims for it, that "for earliness, productiveness and fine quality, it has no equal; growth about 8 feet; two large ears to stalk; cob small; grains deep. This is the best white field corn for the South." It makes elegant roasting ears for home and market, and beautiful meal. Price, packet, 10 cents; quart, 15 cents; 1-2 peck, 40 cents; peck, 65 cents; bushel, \$2.00; 5 bushels at \$1.80 per bushel.

**Improved Golden Beauty Corn—**Ears of perfect shape, well filled out, 10 to 12 inches in length, and containing 10 to 14 rows of very long, medium hard, bright yellow golden grains. Cobs so small that two grains will span them; matures its ear in 100 to 115 days.

**Clark's Early Mastodon Corn—Yellow Dent variety.** Ear very large and deep grain. In American Agricultural Contest of 1889 it outyielded all others, with a record of 213 bushels shelled corn to the acre. Quart, 15 cents; peck, 50 cents; bushel, \$1.60.

**Blount's White Prolific Corn—**Clear white, yielding three to four good ears to the stalk. Foliage wide and abundant, and therefore, a very desirable variety for fodder, corn and ensilage, as well as for ordinary crop. Quart, 15 cents; peck, 50 cents; bushel, \$1.60.

**Improved Early Learning—**The Learning is the earliest Yellow Dent Corn in cultivation, ripening in from 90 to 100 days from the time of planting; its extreme earliness, productiveness, and fine quality has made it very popular with the farmers. It produces from 65 to 80 bushels to the acre, in accordance with the quality of the soil; the ears and grains are of medium size. Per quart, 15 cents; peck, 50 cents; bushel, \$1.60; 5 bushels at \$1.40.

**Iowa Silver Mine—**This is destined to become one of the most popular varieties of white corn now planted. The stalks grow to a height of 7 to 10 feet, dependent on location and soil, and set the ears about 3 to 4 feet from the ground, just the right height for husking. A peculiarity of this corn is that there are never any barren stalks—every one has an ear and many two good ears. Also, that it is adapted to a greater variety of soils and climate than any other corn; has large ears, measuring 8 to 12 inches, and about 7 inches in circumference. It is early matured, getting hard in about 90 days. Per quart, 15 cents; peck, 50 cents; bushel, \$1.75; 5 bushels at \$1.50 per bushel.

### IMPROVED SOUTHERN GROWN CORN.

We list here the best varieties of Southern grown Corn that we know of, and advise our patrons to try them. When we consider that the cost per acre to plant new, improved Seed Corn is so trifling—the cost of cultivation being no more, with a certainty of an increased yield of from 3 to 15 bushels over the common kinds—is it not a fact that planters are neglecting an opportunity to increase the profit of their farms when they fail to plant new, improved kinds?

**Marlboro's Prolific Corn—**Placed No. 1 by the Georgia Experimental Station in their 1901 test of 17 varieties. Grown for us in the northern part of South Carolina by one of the most successful farmers in the State. It is a white flint, excellent for table as well as stock, averages from 3 to 4 good ears to a stalk. The average yield of this corn in 1900 to an acre was 75 bushels. It will pay you to plant it. Quart, 15 cents; 1-2 peck, 50 cents; peck, 75 cents; 1-2 bushel, \$1.50; bushel, \$2.50. This corn is highly recommended by the Clemson College, of South Carolina.

**Mexican June Corn—**This is one of the best varieties of our Southern raised corn for late planting. It is much used in Mexico and Southwest Texas, and is becoming very popular all over the Southern States. It can be planted after the oat crop is cut and make elegant corn. Where convenient, we would suggest planting it earlier. Has three good ears to a stalk. A patch on river bottom land averaged 16 feet; we have seen many stalks more than 20 feet high. It is a fine white grain and good sized ear. Makes fine roasting ears as well as feed corn, and about as hard as our common native varieties of field corn. A field of this variety is a sight to behold. Packet, 10 cents; quart, 20 cents; 1-2 peck, 50 cents; peck, 75 cents; 1-2 bushel, \$1.50; bushel, \$2.75. Special price in large quantities. Quart by mail, 35 cents, postpaid.

IMPROVED SOUTHERN GROWN CORN—Continued.

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**Cocke's Prolific Corn—(Our Stock Selected)**—This corn was placed in 1900 by the Georgia Experiment Station at the head of the list; in 1901 second. Originated in Virginia. A beautiful white corn and very prolific. Good on any strong lands, and especially adapted to lowlands. Yields enormous crop of fine, medium size ears. Quart, 15 cents; 1-2 peck, 30 cents; peck, 50 cents; bushel, \$1.50; 5 bushels at \$1.40. If by mail, quart, 30 cents; 4 quarts, \$1.00, postpaid.

**Shaw's Improved Corn**—Originated in Georgia. The Georgia Experiment Station placed it among the best for yield—not an early kind, but one of the best corns offered. Ears very large, grains white, firm and deep. After a critical test this past season, we feel confident in recommending it to our patrons as a variety of great value. Quart, 15 cents; 1-2 peck, 40 cents; peck, 60 cents; bushel, \$2.00. If by mail, quart, 30 cents; 4 quarts, \$1.00, postpaid.

**The Farmer's Pride Corn**—This variety comes from North Carolina. We have never seen a more handsome or larger grained white corn. The originator says of it: "It is pure white, and matures in 100 days; one to three ears to stalk; 15 to 21 rows; grains nearly one inch in length and very wide; stands drought well; small cob for size of ear; will shell more to the weight of ear than any other variety. Makes beautiful meal and hominy. Will make one-fourth more per acre with the same cultivation than any other white corn." Packet, 10 cents; quart, 15 cents; 1-2 peck, 40 cents; peck, 75 cents; 1-2 bushel, \$1.25; bushel, \$2.50. If by mail, quart, 30 cents; 4 quarts, \$1.00, postpaid. We have a limited quantity of this corn. Would suggest ordering early.

**Alexander's Georgia Gourd Seed Corn**—This variety has become very popular in this section on account of its being a sure cropper, producing 1 to 3 ears of medium size, grain of a flint nature. Will prove an excellent corn for main crop. Quart, 15 cents; 1-2 peck, 35 cents; peck, 50 cents; 1-2 bushel, 90 cents; bushel, \$1.50; 5 bushels at \$1.40; 10 bushels at \$1.35 per bushel.

**Pop Corn.**

**Monarch White Rice**—A fine variety, clear white and very productive, pops beautifully, very large, crisp, tender, and as light as down. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents. By mail, pint, 25 cents; quart, 40 cents, postpaid. By freight, or express, 1-2 peck, 50 cents; peck, 75 cents; bushel, \$2.50.

**New Red Beauty**—A variety which, for rare beauty, extreme earliness, great productiveness, crispness, sweetness, tenderness, great depth of grain and smallness of cob, cannot be equalled. It pops splendidly; matures four months from the time it is planted. Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents. If by mail, pint, 25 cents; quart, 40 cents, postpaid; 1-2 peck, 60 cents; peck, \$1.00.

Write for other prices. Pop corn is now being largely planted for ensilage, also as a feed for poultry.

**Valuable Field Seeds and Root Crops.**

**Artichokes, Chufas, Upland Rice, Peanuts, Field Peas, The New Velvet Bean, and others,** all of Value on Our Farms.

**Artichokes—For Hogs**—In addition to being largely used for making pickles, there is no root crop which has more rapidly grown in favor for feeding stock, and especially hogs, than this one; a yield of 500 bushels to the acre not unusual. An acre will fatten twenty five or thirty hogs easily. Hogs fed on them never have the cholera. Plant during early Spring in rows four feet apart, two feet in rows. Cut same as you do potatoes, leaving one eye. Cover about two inches. Three bushels will plant an acre. Pound, 25 cents; 4 pounds, 75 cents, by mail, postpaid. Peck, 50 cents; 1-2 bushel 90 cents; bushel, \$1.50; 3 bushels (enough for 1 acre) for \$6.75.

**Chufas—For Hogs**—Much used to fatten hogs. The nuts grow under the ground near the surface, easily reached by pigs or poultry, and destroyed by them if they have free access. Easily and cheaply grown, greedily eaten by hogs. Plant in April, ten or twelve inches apart, in two-and-a-half or three-foot rows. Should be soaked before planting. Cover lightly. They mature about September 1st, and lay in soil till wanted. One peck of seed per acre. Price, packet, 10 cents; pound, 20 cents; peck, \$1.25; bushel, \$4.00. Pound by mail, 30 cents, postpaid.

**White Navy Beans**—The standard shell bean for marketing dry. Plant in May in rows three feet apart, dropping two or three seeds one foot apart in rows. Requires rapid culture, with care not to work deep or disturb plant with the plow after growing to be four or five inches in height and while the plant is wet. Quart, 20 cents; 1-2 peck, 65 cents; peck, \$1.00; 1-2 bushel, \$1.75; bushel, \$3.00. If by mail, quart, 30 cents, postpaid.

**Castor Beans**—A very healthy plant to have around the house. Is becoming of much commercial value. Easy to grow. One bushel plants fifteen acres. Packet, 5 cents; 1-2 pound, 10 cents; pound, 20 cents; postpaid, quart, 25 cents.

**Benny Seed**—Easily cultivated. The seed used in candy and in bread. Also cultivated for feeding birds. Packet, 5 cents; 1-2 pound, 10 cents; pound, 15 cents; 5 pounds, 50 cents; 10 pounds, 90 cents; pound, by mail, 25 cents, postpaid. Write for prices in larger quantities.

**Soja Bean**—Splendid for forage, easily grown, stands drouth well, enormously productive and plenty of forage. Plant three to four feet in height; stock fond of it. High authority on analysis places its feeding value above the Cow Pea. Makes good table dish. Price, packet, 10 cents; pound, 25 cents; peck, 60 cents; bushel, \$2.00, not prepaid; pound by mail, postpaid, 35 cents.

**Broom Corn—(Improved Evergreen)**—A profitable crop. An acre will give about 500 pounds of broom and 25 to 40 bushels of seed, worth as much to feed as oats. Plant in drills three and a half feet apart, thinning plants to six inches. Cultivate as you would corn. Fibre long and fine. Will not get red in the field before it is cut. Ten pounds will sow an acre. Price, pound, 10 cents; 10 pounds, 75 cents. If by mail, 20 cents per pound, or 6 pounds for \$1.00, postpaid. Valuable book on "Broom Corns and Brooms," postpaid, 60 cents. Write for bushel prices.

J. D. Pappler, DeKalb Co., Ala., February 25th, 1904, says: "Gentlemen—The seed ordered of you last year, 1903, proved to be all right, they give entire satisfaction in every respect."

## VALUABLE FIELD SEED—Continued.

**Extra Early Burt Oats**—This variety is more planted in the Spring than any other. These Oats will stand the long droughts in Spring, bear heavier and brighter oats than all others. Order early, as there is always a big demand for this high quality of oats from us. Price on application.

**The Velvet Bean**—The great forage plant. From our own experiments with it we are well pleased, and think, as a forage plant, it will be of value. A Florida Experimental Station report says of it, they having planted a quarter of an acre on very poor soil: "The soil was prepared as for corn. Planted in rows three feet apart, one foot in row. No special cultivation was given. It proved to be a rampant grower, ground covered with close mass of vegetation; vines began to bloom in August, producing long clusters of large purple flowers; these were followed by plump pods of rich, dark green, covered with a close down-like velvet. Before frost a square rod of vines and pods gave ninety-three pounds green forage, or 16.680 pounds to the acre. It would have dried two or three tons to the acre. All stock readily ate the green forage, including the pods with the beans. Vines grow ten to twenty feet in length. Should be fed in conjunction with some coarse fodder, such as corn fodder, as the plant is especially rich in nitrogen." A writer says: "My method is to plant at first plowing, and to drop the seed every fourth or fifth furrow, from three to five seed in a place, one foot apart, and cover with following furrow." It is especially recommended as a fertilizer for worn out lands. Makes a good ornamental climber for fence or porch. Price of seed, Peck, 65 cents; bushel, \$2.50. If sent by mail, packet, 10 cents; pint, 25 cents; quart, 40 cents. Special prices in large quantity.

**Japan Upland Rice**—This has proven to be a fine variety of Rice for upland culture. It is prolific, matures in 100 days from planting. Sow in March or April, it is harvested in July. Yields double what oats or wheat would yield on the same soil. A second growth springs up at once from the stubble, which will make good grain if season permits, or at least makes a large crop of excellent forage. Sow broadcast, two bushels, or in drills, 5 to 6 pecks per acre. Price, 20 cents per pound. If by mail, 30 cents per pound; 4 pounds, \$1.00, postpaid. Peck, 75 cents; 1-2 bushel, \$1.25; bushel, \$2.00.

**Carolina Upland Rice**—Very largely planted here. Small areas for home use, and as an auxiliary crop; should be cultivated on every farm in our Southern country. Experience demonstrates that Rice can be as successfully grown on high lands as elsewhere. Price, by mail, pound, 30 cents; 4 pounds, \$1.00, postpaid. Peck, 75 cents; bushel, \$2.00.

**Carolina Lowland Rice**—We can furnish the highest quality of this Rice, which is planted very much on the coast. Peck, \$1.00; bushel, \$2.50. Write for prices in large quantities.

**Wild Rice**—Is largely used in planting in ponds and along shores and marshes as an attraction for ducks and other wild fowls. Should be sown in Fall or early Spring, broadcast, in water two or three feet deep. Ripens late in August or September. Pound, 25 cents; by mail, pound, 35 cents, postpaid. Write for prices in quantity. Mention quantity wanted.

**Giant Beggar Weed**—(Desmodium Molle)—As being the best forage plant for thin, sandy lands and pine barrens, Beggar Weed grows in popularity each year. It greatly enriches the land. The Florida Commissioner of Agriculture says: "Beggar Weed is to Florida what Clover has been to Tennessee and Kentucky, but superior to it in that it will thrive on poorer land." Its growth is dense, two to four feet high (sometimes seven feet), the forage crop abundant. Sow any time after frosts are over, until middle of June, in drills three feet apart,

three to four pounds per acre; or broadcast, ten to twelve pounds per acre. Cover one to two inches. When two feet high may be cut for hay or green feed, and will produce successive crops, branching largely from the roots. May be pastured freely in the late summer and fall. Weight sixty pounds to the bushel. Pound, 35 cents; 5 pounds for \$1.50; 10 pounds for \$2.50. If by mail, pound, 45 cents, postpaid. Write for quantity price.

**Buckwheat (Japanese)**—This is the most productive of all varieties, and the most profitable to raise. The grain is double the size of the ordinary varieties. Very early, excellent for bees to forage. Price, pound, 15 cents; 4 pounds, 35 cents; peck, 60 cents; 1-2 bushel, \$1.00; bushel, \$1.75. By mail, pound, 25 cents, or 5 pounds for \$1.00, postpaid.

**Buckwheat, Silver Hull**—A prolific and favorite sort, making a fine quality of flour. A superior variety in every way to the ordinary Buckwheat, which it has almost entirely superseded. Price, pound, 15 cents; 4 pounds, 35 cents; peck, 60 cents; 1-2 bushel, \$1.00; bushel, \$1.75.

## SORGHUM OR CANE SEED FOR FORAGE CROPS.

The Sorghums are becoming more popular every year in the South for forage crops, either sown alone or mixed with cow peas and broadcast. They should all be planted at rate of 6 pounds per acre in drills for syrup, or 1-2 bushel (24 pounds) broadcasted for forage. If sown broadcast with peas, use 1-4 bushel (12 pounds) with one bushel of peas. It pays to fertilize sorghum heavily, the increased yield more than paying for the fertilizer.

**Early Amber**—The earliest and the favorite Southern variety, grown almost exclusively for forage, either alone or broadcasted with peas. Pound, postpaid, 20 cents; 4 pounds, 75 cents; postpaid. Peck, 50 cents; bushel (48 pounds), about \$1.50. Bushel price subject to market changes.

**Early Orange**—Larger than the Amber, maturing 10 days later, and more largely grown for the syrup, which is of extra fine quality and of clear, golden yellow color. A very desirable variety for either syrup or forage. Pound, 20 cents; 4 pounds, 75 cents, postpaid. Peck, 50 cents; bushel (48 pounds), about \$1.50. Bushel price subject to market changes.

**Branching Sorghum, or Yellow Milo-Maize**—An immense producer of fodder of the best quality. Grows 8 to 12 feet high, stooling heavily. Can be cut 3 or 4 times during the season. Cut at any stage of growth. Seed heads are immense, and furnish a grain crop almost equal in feeding value to corn. Plant 6 pounds per acre. The immense yield will surprise you. Pound, 25 cents; 4 pounds, 90 cents, postpaid; 10 pounds or more by freight or express, not prepaid, 6 cents per pound.

**White Kaffir Corn**—Plant stocky, perfectly erect; foliage wide, does not stool, but branches from the top joints, producing from two to four heads of grain from each stalk. Heads are long and perfectly erect. If cut, shoots spring from the roots. Plant in rows not over three feet apart, even on the best land. Cultivate as corn. Use three to five pounds of seed per acre. Pound, 10 cents; 5 pounds for 50 cents; if sent by mail, pound, 20 cents; 5 pounds, 85 cents, postage paid. Peck, 65 cents; bushel, (50 pounds), \$2.00.

## SEEDS FOR FORAGE CROPS—Continued.

## WHEN ORDERING

Kindly send us the names of such of your neighbors who plant seeds, and would like to have our Catalogue.

## SEEDS FOR FORAGE CROP—Continued.

**Spanish Pea-**

**nuts**—Early, a fine bearer, growth perfectly erect, therefore, easily cultivated. The plow doing all the work. Planted in April they ripen in August, and planted as late as July 1 to August 10, will mature full crop before frost. Useful to follow oats. Splendid to fatten hogs. One pound, 15 cts.;

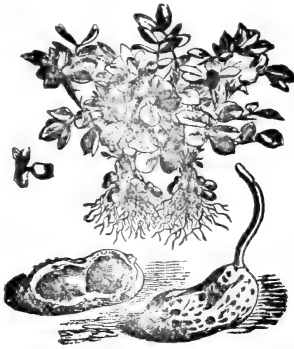
peck, 50 cents; per bushel, \$1.50; 5 bushels at \$1.40. Write for other prices. By mail, pound, 25 cents; 4 pounds, 75 cents, postpaid.

**Select Virginia Peanut**—This is the large variety which, in Virginia and North Carolina, is more planted than any other. Pound, 15 cents; peck, 50 cents; per bushel, \$1.75. If by mail, pound, 25 cents; 4 pounds, 75 cents, postpaid.

**Select North Carolina Peanuts**—A medium size nut, more prolific than the Virginia. Price, peck, 50 cents; bushel, \$1.75. Write for prices in quantity. Mention quantity wanted.

Prices on all Peanuts subject to change.

**Dwarf Essex Rape**—A very valuable plant as a fattening food for pasturing sheep and young cattle. Yields abundantly and is much relished. Rape can be successfully sown from July to October, also early in Spring. It furnishes most rich and nutritious pasturage within six weeks from the time of sowing, and continuing throughout the Winter and Spring. The fattening properties of Rape are said to be very much better than those of Clover. Rape will make an elegant crop for sowing with Crimson Clover. It is advisable to sow in drills, 4 to 5 pounds per acre, or it can be sown broadcast 8 to 10 pounds per acre. Price, 15 cents per pound; 5 pounds at 12 cents per pound; 10



SPANISH PEANUTS.

pound lots and over, 10 cents per pound; 20 pounds at 9 cents per pound; per 100 pounds, \$7.50.

**Teosinte**—This plant largely excels all other known plants in size of growth and great amount of forage produced. It throws up fifteen to thirty stalks from a grain, and on rich land reaches fifteen feet in height, a solid mass of valuable forage. Plant three pounds seed to the acre in April, five by six feet, and cultivate as corn. Soak seed twenty-four hours before planting. Ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; 1-2 pound, 35 cents; pound, 65 cents. Postage, 10 cents per pound. Three pounds for \$2.05.

**Pearl Millet**—Known throughout the South as Cat-Tail Millet, Horse and Egyptian Millet. It stools largely from the ground and makes a great mass of foliage, can be cut several times a season, furnishing fresh growth as long as season suits. Useful only for green feeding, does not cure into good fodder. Sow in April or after in drills four feet apart, or drop a few seed in hills two by four feet. Cultivate as corn. Price of clean seed, 15 cents per pound; 6 pounds, enough for acre, 70 cents; 10 pounds and over, at 10 cents per pound. By mail, 30 cents per pound; 4 pounds for \$1.00, postpaid. Write for prices in quantity.

**German or Golden Millet**—Best Southern Grown—Beware of cheap Western seed. When conditions are favorable, we have known five tons of hay to the acre to be made with German Millet. Should be sown after danger of frost, up to the middle of June. Weighs fifty pounds to bushel. One bushel of fifty pounds, will sow an acre; 5 cents per pound. If by mail, 15 cents per pound; 8 pounds for \$1.00, postpaid; peck, 60 cents. Bushel price on application.

**Japanese Barnyard Millet (Panicum Crusgalli)**—This proved an enormous yielder in all sections of the United States of hay and fodder of most excellent quality, growing on any soil, yielding from 12 to 20 tons per acre and growing 6 to 8 feet in height. Cattle and horses eat it greedily. Sow from March to July, broadcast 40 pounds to an acre. Price, 15 cents per pound. If by mail, pound, 25 cents. By freight or express, 20 pounds for \$2.00; 100 pounds for \$3.50.

**Improved Cotton Seed.**

**WE** HAVE always given this branch of our Seed Department the most critical, painstaking attention, with a view of furnishing our patrons only the best quality of Seed; each variety direct and only from originators or their agents. For this reason at times, it might appear that our prices were a little more than that of some other Seedmen; however, we prefer not to deal in that quality of Cotton Seed which is purchased indiscriminately, the price of which should be no more than that sold for fertilizing purposes. We believe the interest of our patrons is best served with seeds from those who by careful selection, have developed true and valuable types of improved seed, and which give increased yield, better quality, and percentage of lint, thereby decreasing the cost of making Cotton. Get the best seed.

**Toole's Improved Prolific**—This is a short staple variety. Introduced about six or seven years ago by Mr. Toole within a few miles of Augusta, and first put on the market by us. At the Georgia Experiment Station last year (1904) it was placed Number One (No. 1) in a test of 24 varieties. This cotton has many valuable good points. It will stand the drought, very early maturing, quick grower, holds on fruiting late, medium to large boll, high bush, seed medium size, gray, wonderfully prolific, lint of fine quality, gins from 40 to 45 per cent. A fine cotton on poor land. On good land will make two bales per acre. Price, one pound, postpaid, 20 cents; 3 pounds for 50 cents; peck, not prepaid, 45 cents; 1 bushel, \$1.25; 5 bushels at \$1.10 per bushel; 10 bushels at \$1.00 per bushel; 25 bushels at 90 cents per bushel; 50 bushels at 85 cents; 100 bushels at 75 cents.

**King's Improved Extra Early**—A very early strain of the King Early which has been carefully bred up and is much superior to the original strain. It ought to be called the "Boll Weevil Dodger." It comes in and makes the crop before the boll weevil has a chance to get in its work in many parts of Texas. Plants small, erect and sturdy in growth, and do not blow over easily. Bolls small, but plants are covered with them. Should be planted much closer than the ordinary kinds. Makes 30 to 35 per cent. of lint. Our seed is grown for us under special contract, and is the earliest strain of King's grown. Pound, postpaid, 20 cents; 3 pounds, 50 cents; peck, not prepaid, 40 cents; bushel, \$1.00; 5 bushels at 90 cents per bushel; 10 bushels, \$8.50. Special prices on large quantities.

IMPROVED COTTON SEED—Continued.

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**Peterkin Improved**—A splendid cotton which ranks second in a test of twenty-six varieties. Very resistant to drought, doing especially well in dry seasons. Very heavy bearer, of open growth, makes fine quality of staple and often yields as high as 40 per cent. lint. One of the best of the standard varieties which we recommend highly. Pound, postpaid, 20 cents 3 pounds, 50 cents; peck, by express or freight, not prepaid, 40 cents; bushel, \$1.00; 5 bushels at 90 cents per bushel; 10 bushels, \$8.50. Special prices made in large quantities. Mention quantity wanted.

**Excelsior Prolific Cotton**—Our stock is direct from the originator, one of the most successful farmers in upper part of South Carolina. It is a distinct, new variety, the merits of which are of the highest type. Has a very high endorsement from the Clemson College, S. C., Experiment Station, being placed No. 1 by them in their test of 1900; and again No. 1 in 1901. Has large bolls and small seed. Will yield 40 per cent. net lint. Early maturing, easily picked. Grows tall, with long tap root. Will withstand drought. Price, pound, 20 cents; 3 pounds, 50 cents, postpaid; peck, not postpaid, 50 cents; 1 bushel, \$1.50; 5 bushels at \$1.25; 10 bushels or more at \$1.00 per bushel. We will furnish a circular giving history and testimonials on this cotton. Write for it. Also No. 1 at Arkansas Experiment Station, 1901.

**Hawkins' Extra Prolific Cotton**—This splendid variety will hereafter be known as "Hawkins' Extra Prolific." He writes us that the seed he offers this season has additional claim on planters, in so much, that by his careful selection, it is greatly improved over that heretofore offered by him. He thus describes it: "Earliest, most prolific, easiest picked, most superior lint and finest staple, tall grower, long tap root, resisting drought, from two to four limbs near the surface, branching, two short limbs together all the way up to the top, all literally covered with bolls, large boll, small seed, lightly grey or dark green, yielding from thirty-nine to forty-one per cent., opens well, growing tall. With judicious manuring, quick and rapid culture up to fruiting time, cotton will grow three bales per acre planted in Hawkins' Cotton Seed.

Please bear in mind that if you get this from us you will get the genuine "Hawkins' Extra Prolific," which will come direct from the originator and improver.

We have a circular, "Hawkins' Mode of Cotton Culture and History of Hawkins' Cotton," which we will mail to those asking for it.

Price, \$1.25 per bushel; 5 bushels at \$1.10 per bushel; 10 bushels and upwards at \$1.00 per bushel; 25 bushels at 90 cents per bushel; pound, 20 cents; 6 pound for \$1.00, postpaid.

**Culpepper Prolific**—A very fine early cotton, coming in with King's but unlike that variety, it makes both an early and a late crop. Bolls of medium size, with five locks, fibre long and fine for upland cotton. Firmly set in the boll and does not blow out in ordinarily heavy winds. A heavy yield for an early sort. Plants are of medium size, branching heavily and rooting deeply, making it resistant to drought. Our expert cotton grower says that he finds it a most excellent yielder, as it always matures and opens fully, resulting in the heaviest of crops with right cultivation and season. Pound, 20 cents, postpaid; 3 pounds, 50 cents; peck, not prepaid, 45 cents; bushel, \$1.25; 5 bushels at \$1.00 per bushel; 10 bushels, \$9.00. Special prices on large quantities.

**Russell Big Boll**—Originated in Alabama, large bolls with five locks, vigorous grower and stands droughts well. Seed are both green and white. A splendid yielding variety, but the

latest of all, and not recommended for any section where earliness is wanted. Our seed is grown from original stock and there is none better than ours. Pound, postpaid, 20 cents; 3 pounds, 50 cents; peck, not prepaid, 45 cents; bushel, \$1.25; 5 bushels, \$4.50; 10 bushels, 8.50. Special prices on large quantities.

**Truitt Big Boll**—Standard and well known main crop, big boll variety. We have had many fine reports on this variety from our customers, especially in Texas and Louisiana. Mr. Truitt has made 3 bales per acre from this variety in an unfavorable season. A medium cotton with long bearing season; has large 5-lock bolls. Fibre is long and firmly set in the boll. Makes about 35 per cent lint. A strong and vigorous grower, and one that gives general satisfaction. Pound, postpaid, 20 cents; 3 pounds, 50 cents; peck, not prepaid, 40 cents; bushel, \$1.25; 5 bushels at \$1.00; 10 bushels, \$8.50. Special prices on large quantities.

**Texas Burr**—Stalks of medium size, starchy growth and fruits heavily. Makes big bolls which open freely and make easy picking. Yields heavily, is early, but with a long season. Branches well and the cotton hardly ever blows out of the boll, no matter how severe the storm. Staple is quite long for an upland cotton, and of fine quality. Pound, postpaid, 20 cents; 3 pounds, 50 cents; peck, by express or freight, not prepaid, 40 cents; bushel, \$1.00; 5 bushels at \$1.00; 10 bushels, \$8.50. Special prices on large quantities.

**Florodora Cotton**—A hybrid or cross between Sea Island and a prolific variety of upland cotton, in which great productiveness and a characteristic 1-4 to 2 inch staple are fixed, no deterioration having occurred, though ten years have elapsed since its introduction. Yields of one to three bales per acre are reported from almost every cotton producing State—North Carolina to Texas—showing its perfect adaptability to all soils producing cotton. It is of rapid, vigorous growth, branching freely and fruiting heavily; a hardy cotton of early maturity; bolls large and five-locked. Staple commands a premium of 3 cents over common cotton. Very easily gathered, though it will not fall out. Our common saw gins answer for delinting. Price, pound, postpaid, 20 cents; 3 pounds, 50 cents; peck, not postpaid, 50 cents; one bushel, \$1.75; 5 bushels at \$1.50; 10 bushels at \$1.25.

**Allen's Long Staple (Upland Silk)**—The past season this cotton was very successfully by a number of prominent cotton planters in South Carolina who give it the highest endorsement. The staple very fine and silky, measuring about 1-1/2 inches. Very prolific. Price, peck, 50 cents; 1-2 bushel, 75 cents; bushel, \$1.25; 5 bushels at \$1.10 per bushel; 10 bushels, \$10.00.

**Sea Island**—(Silk)—Long Staple Cotton, 42 pounds to the bushel. This is the most famous cotton on the coast of Georgia, Florida and South Carolina. Our grower says that this cotton sold for 29 cents per pound. It is a good bearer. One bushel (42 pounds), \$1.50; 5 bushels, \$1.25 per bushel.

**Other Varieties Cotton Seed**—Such as the "Prize," Mortgage Lifter, Pride of Georgia, Rozier No. 1, Jones Re-Improved, Christopher's Improved, Herlong, Shues' Early Prolific, Berry's Big Boll, Drake's Cluster, Texas Storm Proof, Texas Oak, Bates' Improved.—We will be glad to correspond with those wishing other kinds than those we have named. Some of them we have in stock, others we can supply from first hands.

We are the largest dealers in Improved Varieties of Cotton Seed in the South. We therefore think that we can serve you best. Send your orders to us early.

Write for our circular giving mode of Cotton Culture, illustrations and fuller descriptions of Cotton carried by us, and testimonials of those who have planted our Seed.



## Grasses and Clover.

We cannot too strongly urge upon our friends the desirability of adding Grasses and Clover to their farms. Our conviction is that more and better grasses can be grown here in the South than elsewhere, and that crops for Hay and pasturage will pay more bountifully than any other crops that can be planted.

**SMALL LOTS OF GRASS SEEDS**—We have given prices in small quantities, that those wishing to make trial can order and have seed sent them by mail. For peck and bushel prices write us. Also write for our pamphlet on Grasses and Clovers.

**Alfalfa or Lucerne**—This is one of the most valuable Clovers we have; does not bear much pasturage, gives four or five successive cuttings, beginning early, of valuable hay during the summer. It is best suited to rich, sandy lands. Its roots penetrate to great depth, hence no drouth hurts it. It does well sown broadcast or in drills, take care of it the first summer, after that with moderate good treatment, it will take care of itself. When once set it will last a lifetime. Cut it as often as you find it grown; do not let it stand to bloom. weighs sixty pounds to the bushel. Sow in Fall or Spring, ten to fifteen pounds per acre, in drills and twenty pounds broadcast. February has proved a very successful season for us here. Pound, 20 cents. If by mail, pound, 30 cents; 4 pounds for \$1.00, postpaid.

**A Book on Alfalfa**—Giving its Culture, Uses and Feeding Value. Illustrated, cloth cover, 164 pages. Price, 50 cents, by mail, 60 cents.

**Bermuda Grass**—It succeeds best on rich bottom lands, and on black prairie soil, where it will yield two cuttings in a season, making two to four tons per acre. It is to be sown in February, March or April, when the ground has begun to be warm; sow on the surface only. Roll the soil down, then sow the seed, and leave the rains to cover it. It takes two to four weeks to come, depending on the weather, requires some warmth. Weighs about forty pounds to bushel. Sow three to five pounds per acre. Pound, 75 cents. If by mail, pound, 85 cents, postpaid. Special price given on ten pounds and over.

**Bermuda Grass Roots**—200 pounds to an acre. Price, \$1.50 per 100 pounds.

**Japan Clover**—(*Lespedeza Striata*)—An annual but perpetuates itself when once set. Makes its appearance early in Spring, and is not ready for grazing before June, but grows rapidly till killed by frost. Eaten greedily by all stock. While it does best on lime soil, it will also do well on red clay hills, where Red Clover will fail, weighs twenty pounds to bushel. Sow in Spring, one bushel to the acre. Pound, 25 cents. By mail, pound, 35 cents; 3 pounds, \$1.00, postpaid. Write for peck and bushel prices.

**White Clover**—Largely used in making "Lawn" mixtures, and is highly esteemed as forage for bees. weighs sixty pounds to bushel. Plant in Fall or Spring, twelve pounds to the acre. Pound, 30 cents. If by mail, pound, 40 cents; 2 1-2 pounds for \$1.00, postpaid.

**Kentucky Blue Grass**—One of the best for pasture grass. Should be sown with Orchard, Tall Meadow Oat and Clover, requires rich land, will make nothing on thin soils, low ground, when the soil is dark colored and contains lime, or in seepy hillsides, it does well. Weighs fourteen pounds to bushel. Sow in Fall or Spring, twenty to thirty pounds per acre. Pound, 20 cents. If by mail, pound, 30 cents; 4 pounds, \$1.00, postpaid.

**Timothy**—Weighs forty-five pounds to the bushel. Sow in Fall or Spring, fifteen to twenty pounds to the acre. Pound, 10 cents. If by mail, pound, 20 cents; 5 pounds for \$1.00 postpaid.

**Johnson Grass**—Called also Mean's Grass, Guinea Grass, Green Valley Grass, Cuba Grass. This is a perennial which can be propagated

from the roots or seed. It makes its best growth on rich bottom lands, and will give three cuttings of about two tons each when in good condition. Starts early and grows continuously till killed by frost. Weighs twenty-five pounds to the bushel. Sow in August or September, or in Spring, one to one and a half bushels to the acre. Pound, 15 cents. If by mail, pound, 25 cents; 5 pounds for \$1.00, postpaid.

**English Perennial Rye**—Weighs twenty pounds per bushel. Sow in Fall or Spring, one to one and a half bushels per acre, or less in combination. Pound, 15 cents. If by mail, pound, 25 cents; 4 1-2 pounds, \$1.00, postpaid.

**Italian Rye**—Weighs eighteen pounds to bushel. Sow in Fall or Spring, one and a half to two bushels to acre. Pound, 15 cents. If by mail, pound, 25 cents; 4 1-2 pounds, \$1.00, postpaid.

**Our Special Mixture for Hay and Permanent Pasture**—We follow the best authorities—Dr. Phares, Prof. Chas. L. Flint, and Mr. Howard, in making these mixtures, and have usually succeeded in getting satisfactory results. Two or three bushels is usually sown per acre. Fall sowing is much better than Spring, because there is less interference by the indigenous growth that comes in Spring. Weighs seventeen pounds to the bushel. Pound, 20 cents; If by mail, pound, 30 cents; 3 1-2 pounds for \$1.00, postpaid; bushel, \$2.75; 5 bushels, \$2.60 per bushel.

**Our Evergreen Mixed Lawn Grass**—This Lawn Grass Seed is a mixture of a number of such grass seeds as have been found to produce in this climate the best results. For the permanency and beauty of the sward it makes it cannot be surpassed. By its use a rich, green, velvety lawn can be made and maintained with only such care as is necessary to do so.

**Seeding**—Plant from September to the middle of November, and in Spring up to April. In our section, thick seeding is always best, and we so advise. For a plot 10x30 feet (300 square feet), use one pound of seed for an acre, four bushels of 60 pounds should be used. Seed should be evenly sown over the top of the ground and afterwards lightly raked and then rolled, if a roller is not convenient pat down lightly with back of spade. Take care afterwards that weeds or other grasses do not spring up while grass is young. Lawns should be regularly cut as often as once a week. Use a lawn mower. Water when necessary late in the afternoon, especially during warm, dry spells. After being well established, a top dressing of cotton seed meal or ground bone meal will be of great benefit. Those furnished by us are the best to promote growth of this grass. Weighs fifteen pounds to the bushel. Price, pound, 30 cents; 4 pounds, \$1.00; bushel (15 pounds), \$3.50. By mail, 40 cents per pound; 2 1-2 pounds, \$1.00, postpaid.

Write for our Circular on Lawns and Requisites for keeping them.

Write for our Circular on Insecticides and Sprayers.

Write for our Circular on Poultry Supplies and Wire Fencing.

Write for our Circular on Garden Implements and Flower Pots and other useful articles.

Mrs. J. Y. Hood, Morehouse, Parish, La., February 3d, 1904, says: "Gentlemen—I have been using your seed for years, and have had better success with them, than from others."

## Price List of Select Flower Seeds.

We have endeavored to make our list of Flower Seeds as complete as possible, by a judicious selection of the best sorts, so that our customers would not get bewildered among a labyrinth of varieties, many of which are of no special merit.

Immediately after the name of Flower, the letters A B P C will represent its character of duration and hardiness. A—represents Annual, lasting but one year, and producing flowers and seeds the same season. B—represents Biennial, lasting two years, and generally blooming during the same season. P—represents Perennial, lasting three or more years. C—represents Climbers.

FLOWER SEEDS priced at 5 cents per packet, are 6 packets for 25 cents; or 25 packets, your own selection, for \$1.00; 10 cents packets are 3 for 25 cents; or 13 for \$1.00.

All Flower Seeds sent by mail, postpaid, at the price named. Cultural directions on each packet.

**Abronia Umbrellata (a)**—Travelling plants, lilac flowers. Packet, 5 cents.

**Abutilon**—Choice mixed. Known also as "Flowering Maple" and "Chinese Bell Flower." Varied and brilliant colors. Packet, 10 cents.

**Alyssum, Sweet (a)**—White—Free flowering and very fragrant. Useful for borders. Packet, 5 cents.

**Ampelopsis Veitchi (Japan Ivy) (p c)**—Clings to stone or brick; rapid climber after once started. Green in summer, scarlet in autumn; height fifty feet. Packet, 5 cents.

**Antirrhium (Snap Dragon) (a)**—Very showy and useful border plant, mixed colors. Packet, 5 cents.

**Asters (a)**—No flower garden is complete without a few of these beautiful and effective flowers, highly esteemed by all lovers of flowers, mixed colors. Packet, 5 cents.

**Balsam (Lady's Slipper) (a)**—Double mixed, among the finest of the summer flowering annuals. Packet, 5 cents.

**Balloon Vine (a c)**—A charming vine, ten to fifteen feet high, with inflated capsules, from which the name is derived. Packet, 5 cents.

**Daisy (Bellis)**—Easy cultivated, flowers from April to June. Start seed in hot bed. Double mixed colors. Packet, 10 cents. Double pure white. Packet, 10 cents.

**Callendula (Pot Marigold) (a)**—Handsome, hardy and free flowering, choice mixed. Packet, 5 cents.

**Calliopsis (a)**—Very beautiful, easy culture, mixed, all colors. Packet, 5 cents.

**Canna (Indian Shot) (p a)**—Beautiful, highly ornamental plant of tropical appearance. Fine mixed. Packet, 5 cents.

**Celosia (Cockscomb) (a)**—Elegant, free flowering, graceful growing plants, mixed colors. Packet, 5 cents.

**Candytuft (Iberis) (a)**—Showy for beds or edging. White, packet, 5 cents. Mixed, all colors, packet, 5 cents.

**Flox-Drummond (a)**—They produce immense trusses of large, brilliant flowers of numberless hues, extra mixed, choice colors. Packet, 5 cents.

**Poppies (Snowdrift)**—Double, pure white. This sort is one of the finest white flowers in cultivation. The blooms are from three to four inches in diameter, perfectly double, and the petals so cut as to make the flower appear like a ball of silk. Packet, 10 cents.

**California Poppy (Eschscholtzia) (a)**—Free flowering; bright, showy flowers; finest mixed. Packet, 5 cents.

**Gourds (Ornamental) (a c)**—Elegant and attractive vines. Packet, 5 cents.

**Hollohock (b)**—One of the finest of the autumn flowering plants; bears long spikes of double flowers; choice mixed. Packet, 5 cents.

**Moonflower—Evening Glory (Impomaca) (a c)**—Elegant twining plants, with handsome showy flowers, for covering trellises, arbors, etc. Packet, 5 cents.

**Maringold French (Tagetes) (a)**—Bears handsome double flowers. Packet, 5 cents.

**Mignonette (Sweet) (a)**—A well known, showy, fragrant favorite. Packet, 5 cents.

**Four O'Clock (Mirabilis) (a)**—Beautiful flowers that open in the afternoon, with variegated foliage. Packet, 5 cents.

**New Imperial Japanese Morning Glory (Convolvulus (a c))**—There is not a more attractive flower in our list. Blooms are from four to six inches across, and of the richest and most delicate colors. Vines grow thirty feet and very robust. Include a packet with your order. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 25 cents.

**Clematis (Virgia's Bower) (p c)**—Rapid growers on trellis or netting; fine foliage and clusters of small white flowers; height 12 feet. Packet, 5 cents.

**Cosmos (a)**—This plant for fall blooming has no superior; the blossoms resemble the Dahlia; choice mixed. Packet, 10 cents.

**Cypress Vine (a c)**—One of the most favorite vines, with very delicate fern-like foliage; fifteen feet, choice mixed. Packet, 5 cents.

**Morning Glory (Convolvulus) (a c)**—This popular vine is the most free flowering and rapid grower in cultivation, mixed. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents.

**Chrysanthemum (a)**—Easily grown and will give a profusion of blooms all summer, fine mixed. Packet, 5 cents.

**Dianthus (Pink)**—The flowers are brilliant, showy and very fragrant. Single (a), packet, 5 cents; Double (b), packet, 5 cents; Carnation (1-2 p), packet, 10 cents.



DIANTHUS DOUBLE PINK.

**Pansy (Masterpiece)**—New Giant Curled Packet, 20 cents; 3 for 50 cents.

**Pansy (p)**—Our "Premium Pansy," mixed, bears immense flowers of velvet and gold. Packet, 25 cents.

**Pansy (p)**—German mixed. Packet, 5 cents.

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## Flower Seeds and Bulbs.

### FLOWER SEEDS—Continued.

**Balsam Apple (Momordicas)**—Large, rapid climbers, the flowers are followed by large, ornamental fruit. The fruit, when ripe, preserved in spirits, is used to cure flesh wounds. Packet, 5 cents.

**Nasturtium (Tall)** (a c)—Beautiful, hardy flowers; small, quick climbers; mixed colors. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 50 cents.

**Nasturtium (Dwarf)** (a)—This variety very desirable, standing any amount of heat and drought; mixed colors. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1-4 pound, 50 cents.

**Jack Bean**—These produce a beautiful ornamental vine, often growing from 20 to 30 feet, making a good shade for porch or arbor. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents.

**Petunia (p)**—Showy and popular plants for summer garden; very fragrant; fine mixed. Packet, 5 cents.

**Poppies (a)**—Double. For brilliant, dazzling colors nothing can equal them; choice mixed. Packet, 5 cents.

**Poppies (a)**—Single, very popular, fine mixed. Packet, 5 cents.

**Portulaca (a)**—For brilliant, beautiful and delicate colors this charming gem stands unrivaled, choice colors, mixed. Packet, 5 cents.

**Stocks (a)**—Fine for bedding, massing, edging or pot culture. Blooms in ten weeks, mixed colors. Packet, 5 cents.

**Sweet William (Dianthus Barbatus) (a)**—An old familiar favorite, double, mixed. Packet, 5 cents.



**Gladiolus**—Finest mixed varieties; select bulbs and colors. Bulbs, 5 cents each; 40 cents per dozen; \$2.75 per 100. If by mail, 10 cents per dozen extra.

**Choice Mixed Varieties**—Fine bulbs. Per dozen, 25 cents; per 100, \$1.75.

**New Salvia Splendens (Silver Spot)**—For description see 1st page "Seeds of Special Merit." Price, packet, 25 cents; 5 packets for \$1.00, postpaid.

**Dwarf Salvia Splendens ("Lord Fauntelroy")**—For description see 1st page "Seeds of Special Merit." Price, packet, 25 cents; 5 packets for \$1.00.

**Salvia Splendens**—Grows 2 feet; bright crimson. Packet, 10 cents.

**Sweet Peas (b c)**—This is one of the prettiest of our spring and early summer bloomers; it is of easy culture, also its brilliant and delicate colors make it one of the most popular.

We have a mixture of beautiful Sweet Peas, combined with choice varieties, that we sell in bulk. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1-4 pound, 25 cents; 1-2 pound, 40 cents; pound, 75 cents, postage 10 cents extra.

**Dwarf Cupid (Sweet Peas)**—For description see 1st page "Seeds of Special Merit." Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 1-4 pound, 65 cents; pound, \$1.25.

**Star Petunia (New)**—For richness in color, beautiful markings, pleasing form of flowers that cover the plants in wonderful profusion "the most beautiful Petunias in the world," and revelation to the flower grower. The flower is about 2 1-2 inches in diameter. Price per packet, (150 seeds) 25 cents; 5 packets for \$1.00.

**Verbena "Mayflower," Sweet Scented**—This new variety has many valuable points over the old kind, and is sure to become one of the most popular. Price, packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents.

**Verbena (p)**—One of the most effective bedding plants, mixed. Packet, 5 cents.

**Wallflower (p)**—Well known fragrant garden plants, blooming early in the spring; mixed. Packet, 5 cents.

**Zinnias (a)**—Brilliant and showy and long been a general favorite, double mixed. Packet, 5 cents.

## Bulbs and Roots.

### MADIERA VINE.

The old favorite "Climbing Mignonette." Thick, glossy leaves, and long, hanging stems of feathery, fragrant, white flowers. Price, 5 cents each; 50 cents per dozen; \$3.50 per 100.

### CANNAS.

**Finest Named Varieties**—Brilliant colors. When ordering name colors preferred. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

**Mexican Vine Plants (Antigonon Letopus)**—Plant in early Spring; blooms in August, September and October, bearing beautiful bunches of pink flowers. We furnish the plants at 25 cents each. If sent by mail, 35 cents.

**Caladium Esculentum (Elephant Ear)**—An effective plant of easy culture, excellent for lawns, requires good soil. Extra large bulbs. Price, 15 cents each; per dozen, \$1.25.

**Tuberose Bulb**—Double Dwarf Pearl Excelsior, extra select blooming. Bulbs 5 cents each; 25 cents per dozen. If by mail, 10 cents per dozen extra; \$1.50 per 100.

### DAHLIA.

**Fern Leaved Beauty**—A beautiful fern-leaved variety; white, striped deep crimson. Price, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.

**Admiral Dewy**—Brilliant, imperial purple; of fine form; a strong grower and by far the best of its class. Price, strong field roots, 25 cents each.

**Double Dahlias (By Colors)**—Red, Yellow, Pink, Purple, White. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.25 per dozen.

**Cinnamon Vines (Beauty Leaves, Dainty Flowers, Exquisite Perfumes)**—This is one of the most charming of climbers, and will quickly surround your arbor, window or veranda with a wonderful profusion of vines covered with handsome, glossy, heart-shaped leaves and sweet scented flowers, making it a perfect bower of beauty. Perfectly hardy. Vines run 25 to 40 feet. Grows in shade or sun, wet or dry. Price of roots, 10 cents each; 5 roots, 25 cents; 20 for \$1.00, postpaid.



JAPANESE IMPERIAL  
MORNING GLORY.

Packet, 10 cents; 3 for 25 cents.

## ALEXANDER'S Flower Seed Collection

— FOR —

25 CENTS POSTPAID.

- 1 Packet Choice Sweet Peas.
- 1 Packet China Asters.
- 1 Packet Double Mixed Poppies.
- 1 Packet Dwarf Mixed Nasturtium.
- 1 Packet Double Pinks.
- 1 Packet Japan Morning Glory.

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ments, Lawn Mowers.

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### IMPORTED JAPANESE FERN BALLS.

Something New From Japan.

Japanese Fern Ball—The roots are twisted and worked together in a ball shape about eight inches in diameter. The fresh young leaves soon sprout out and form a solid mass of ferns, completely covering the ball (see illustration), forming a ball of fern leaves fifteen to eighteen inches in diameter, when fully developed. These fern balls do well hanging in a window where not too much sun reaches them. Keep the ball moist by dipping it occasionally in a pail of water or pouring water on top. Sent by express at buyer's expense. Price each, 60 cents, or 3 for \$1.50; 12 for \$3.75. If to be sent by mail, add 12 cents for postage.



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