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ELLIOTT'S FLOWER SEEDS

Achillea Ptarmica "The Pearl"

A fine, tall, erect-growing plant, which is perennial and should be in every garden. Its height is 2 feet, and it produces bunches of double, white flowers on strong stems; a good plant for cutting.....\$0 10

Agrostemma (Rose of Heaven, Mulein Pink)

Coronaria. An attractive free-flowering hardy perennial of easy culture, producing glowing crimson flowers like a single pink, and silvery-white foliage; blooms the first season; fine for cutting; 2 feet.... ¼ oz. 20 cts... 05

Acroclinium, Everlasting

This is a pretty "everlasting" annual, growing about 15 inches high, bearing daisy-like flowers; if cut in the bud state and dried, the flowers can be used in winter bouquets. Sow seed out-of-doors when all danger of frost is past.

Double Mixed.....Pkt. \$0 05
Single Mixed.....05

Ageratum

A very popular, summer bedding annual plant; stands hot weather well, and produces large clusters of small, feather-like flowers in great profusion; popular for edgings. Seed is usually started in hot-bed and transplanted out-of-doors in May.

Blue Perfection. Large trusses; deep blue; 9 inches.....\$0 10
Imperial Dwarf White. 8 inches.....05
Imperial Dwarf Blue. Clear blue; 8 inches.....05
Little Blue Star. Very dwarf, 4 to 5 inches; covered with bright blue flowers.....25

Alyssum

A most popular annual for edging or rockwork; very fragrant. Sow in open ground when frost is past.

Little Gem. Dwarf, compact habit and profuse bloomer, lasting a long time in bloom. Extra good for edging beds of other flowersoz. 75 cts...\$0 05
Sweet Alyssum (Maritimum). The popular Sweet Alyssum; very fragrantoz. 40 cts... 05
Saxatile compactum. A perennial variety for beds or edging, and is fine for use in the rock-garden; flowers golden yellow 10

Anchusa Italica, Dropmore Variety

A hardy perennial of robust growth; 4 feet; becoming more popular every year; bears long heads of bright blue flowers..... 15



Alyssum, Little Gem

Amarantus

These are decorative foliage plants of great value; being annuals, they can be sown out-of-doors, or started early inside and transplanted out later.

Caudatus (Love-Lies-Bleeding). 3 feet. Drooping racemes of scarlet flowers.....Pkt. \$0 05
Tricolor (Joseph's Coat). 2½ feet. Foliage bronze-green, scarlet and gold.....05
Cruentus (Prince's Feather). Flowers feathery; dark red..... 05

Antirrhinum (Snapdragon)

This is a most popular and fine perennial, which blooms the first season from seed sown in February under glass. A sowing can also be made in May out-of-doors. These plants will bloom about September, and if protected well in the winter will grow very luxuriantly and throw enormous spikes of bloom the following season. The Snapdragon of late years has been used very largely for forcing under glass, and makes a fine show during the winter months.

Giant Scarlet.....Pkt. \$0 10
Giant White.....10
Giant Yellow.....10
Giant Pink.....10
Giant Mixed.....¼ oz., 30 cts... 10

LARGE-FLOWERING HALF DWARF

Cottage Maid. Pale coral-pink 15
Bonfire. A lovely orange-color 15
Queen of the North. Pure white 10
Golden Queen. Rich yellow 10
Scarlet King. Rich scarlet..... 15
Mixed.....¼ oz., 30 cts... 10

Anthemis Kelwayi

A handsome perennial, 2 feet high, bearing daisy-like blossoms of golden yellow; excellent for cutting..... 10

Aquilegia (Columbine)

A most popular hardy perennial, easily grown and blooming early; good for cutting. Sow seed in the open ground in spring; the plants like moisture and partial shade. A sowing can also be made in August and September

Chrysantha. Long-spurred, large, golden yellow flowers. 3 ft. \$0 10
Cærulea. The beautiful Rocky Mountain blue. 3 feet..... 10
Long-spurred Hybrids. A magnificent strain, comprising all possible colors; of robust growth; large flowers with long spurs. 25
Double Mixed.....¼ oz., 25 cts... 05

Arabis alpina (Rock Cress)

An early spring-flowering perennial, of dwarf habit, attaining a height of 6 inches, suitable for edging or rockeries; it produces an abundance of pure white blossoms; very pretty..... 15

Arctotis grandis

A very pretty annual, growing 2 to 3 feet high, bearing flowers on long stems, resembling daisies, being of a glistening white on the upper surface and pale lilac on the reverse side. Seed can be sown early indoors and transplanted out as soon as weather is warm; by doing this they will bloom in July. A sowing can also be made out-of-doors. The flowers last a long time when cut.. 10

Asperula odorata (Woodruff)

A small perennial, creeping plant; dark green foliage, with white flowers. Its odor when cut and dried is very pleasant... 05

Asters

These are among the most popular summer and autumn flowers grown; from July to September some of them are seen in nearly every garden. They are easily grown and prefer a heavy, loamy soil, deeply dug and well prepared with some bone meal and air-slaked lime mixed in. For early blooming, the seed should be started in the hotbed, house or cold-frame in April, transplanting the seedlings later, as soon as all danger of frost is past, to the place where they are to bloom. For late blooming they can be sown out-of-doors in a well-prepared bed and transplanted; they can also be sown where they are to remain by thinning out; but they do better by transplanting. They are usually planted about 1 foot apart each way for massing in a bed; if you want them in rows, make the rows 2 feet apart and set the plants 1 foot apart in the rows.



Bed of Asters

Queen of the Market

One of the most popular and really the best Aster for early blooming; branching habit; height 15 inches; usually in bloom two to three weeks earlier than any of the others. The flowers are large, very full



Branching Asters

QUEEN OF THE MARKET ASTERS, continued

and beautifully formed, being between the stiff-petaled kinds and the fluffy, very much incurved and twisted sorts.

White.....	\$0 10	Rose.....	\$0 10
Crimson.....	10	Light Blue.....	10
Flesh-color.....	10	Dark Blue.....	10
Mixed.....			1/4 oz. 50c. 10

Collection one packet each of 6 colors, 50 cts.

Dwarf Chrysanthemum-Flowered

A large-flowering variety growing only 10 to 12 inches high; suitable for borders and pot culture.

White.....	\$0 10	Light Blue.....	\$0 10
Rose.....	10	Dark Blue.....	10
Scarlet.....	10	Mixed.....	1/4 oz. 50 cts. 10

Branching, Late

Without exception the finest variety of Aster grown. Flowers are very large, borne on long, stiff stems; excellent for cutting; very floriferous on account of the branching growth; height 2 1/2 feet.

White.....	\$0 10	Crimson.....	\$0 10
Shell-Pink.....	10	Lavender.....	10
Rose.....	10	Dark Blue.....	10
Mixed.....			1/4 oz. 50c. 10

Collection one packet each of 6 colors, 50 cts.

King Asters

These are a distinct class in themselves. They are of a branching habit; the flowers are borne on stiff stems about 12 inches high; the flowers are quilled somewhat and are folded lengthwise; very double, the center being nicely incurved.

Violet, Lavender, Rose and White.....each, \$0 20

Daybreak (Shell-Pink), Purity (Snow-White)

These two varieties are very popular; the flowers are very double and ball-shaped. They bloom in the second-early class and are of upright growth; last a long time after cutting. Each, pkt. 15 cts.

Single-Flowered Asters

Recently these have been increasing in demand greatly, the large, single blooms, showing the centers, are excellent for decoration.

Chinese. Mauve, Crimson, Blue, Rose-Pink, White and Mixed. Each, pkt. 10 cts.

HARDY PERENNIAL ASTER (Michaelmas Daisy). Mixed. Pkt. 10 cts.

Balloon Vine

A quick-growing, annual climber; likes light soils; flowers white, and the seed-vessels similar to small balloons; pretty foliage.....\$0 05

Balsam, Camellia-Flowered (Lady Slipper)

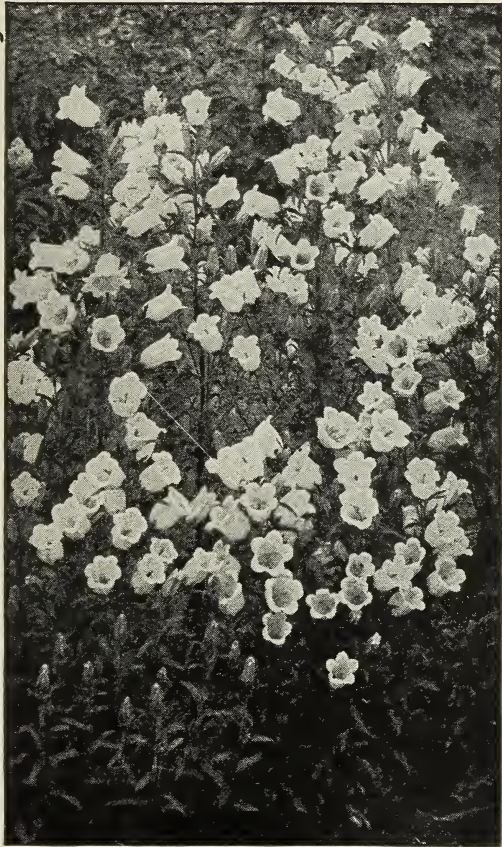
We offer the improved strain of these old-fashioned favorites. The seed can be started indoors in April, or sown out-of-doors later; leave about 18 to 24 inches between each plant to grow good specimens.

White	Crimson	Salmon
Yellow	Scarlet	Mixed

Each, pkt. 10 cts.

Balsam Apple and Balsam Pear

See Momordica, page 10.



Campanula Medium (Canterbury Bells)

Begonias

The Semperflorens varieties are quicker growers than the Tuberous-rooted, but the flowers are not to be compared; these small-flowered varieties are excellent and are used extensively for edging borders and beds; they also bloom nicely in the winter in pots.

Semperflorens, Erfordia. Rosy carmine.....	Pkt. \$0 15
Semperflorens gracilis luminosa. Fiery scarlet; reddish brown foliage.....	25
Semperflorens, Vernon. Deep scarlet, with bronze foliage...	15
Semperflorens, Mixed. Splendid colors.....	10

Bellis (Daisy)

A choice little perennial which, if covered during the winter with leaves or straw, will stand the cold. Easily raised from seed. Sowings can be made from early spring till August. Used principally for edging beds, borders or in rockeries.

Double Rose.....	Pkt. \$0 10
Double White.....	10
Double Mixed.....	10

Brachycome (Swan River Daisy)

A dwarf-growing annual; very floriferous, producing daisy-like flowers in various colors. Sow out-of-doors when all danger of frost is past.

Mixed.....	Pkt. \$0 05
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Bryonopsis laciniosa

A good annual climber of the gourd species; ivy-like, green foliage; bears green fruits which change to bright scarlet with white stripe. 10 feet.....\$0 05

Calendula (Pot Marigold)

An old-fashioned garden annual of easy culture, and a continuous bloomer. Good for mixed borders, it is also grown in pots for winter bloom and is of great value. Sow thickly out-of-doors when all danger of frost is past.

Purple of Orange. One of the best.....	Oz. \$0 30	Pkt. \$0 05
Double Sulphur. Light yellow.....	30	05
Double White.....	30	05
Mixed, all sorts.....	25	05

Calliopsis

A very free-flowering annual, suitable for any position and soil, blooming all summer long provided you keep the old flowers pulled off. Sow where the plants are intended to stay, and thin out to about 8 inches apart.

Drummondii (Golden Wave). Deep golden yellow, with small brown center. 1 foot.....	Pkt. \$0 05
Marmorata. A tall, golden yellow variety, marbled red.....	05
Tiger Star. Rich bronze, tigered and spotted with yellow; very peculiar; twisted petals.....	10

Campanula (Canterbury Bells)

These are so popular that we need hardly say much about them. Being biennials, the seed requires to be sown any time from June to September for the following year's blooming. Protect the first winter with leaves or straw. No lover of flowers should be without some Canterbury Bells in his garden, they make such a fine show.

Calycanthera (Cup and Saucer), Rose.....	Pkt. \$0 10
Blue.....	10
White.....	10
Mixed.....	10
Medium, Single. Rose.....	05
Blue.....	05
White.....	05
Mixed.....	05
Medium, Double, Calycanthera and Single varieties, Mixed.....	10

PERENNIAL VARIETIES

If sown early, some will bloom the first season; the tall varieties make fine cut-flower plants, while the dwarf sorts make excellent border plants. They like rich, sandy soil.

Carpatica, Blue (Harebell). Very free-flowering, remaining in bloom nearly all summer; good for edging. 6 inches.....	Pkt. \$0 10
Carpatica alba, White. Same habit as above, only white. 6 inches.....	10
Persicifolia grandiflora, Blue. One of the best, growing 2 to 3 feet; large bells.....	15
Persicifolia grandiflora alba. White.....	15
Pyramidalis, Mixed (Chimney Bellflower). Pyramids of blue and white flowers, often reaching 6 feet high.....	05

Canary-Bird Vine (Tropæolum Canariense)

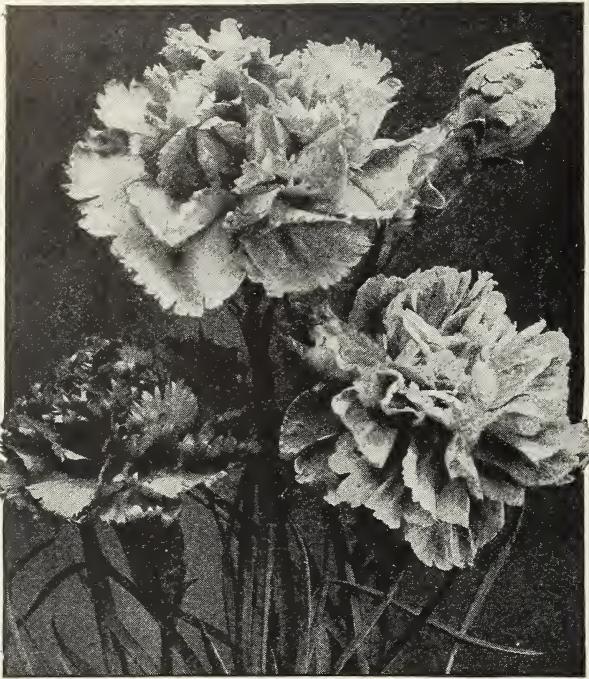
A very pretty annual climber, with canary-yellow blossoms; very popular.....oz. 30 cts... 05

Candytuft

A most popular annual, which is seen in nearly every garden; looks best massed in beds or in thick rows in borders; 1 foot high; grand for cutting. Sow in the open in April.

Empress, White. The finest white variety.....	Oz. \$0 40	Pkt. \$0 05
Crimson.....	40	05
Lilac.....	40	05
Mixed.....	25	05
Hardy Perennial Sempervirens. A white-blooming-variety, used in cemeteries, etc.....		15

CARDINAL CLIMBER. See Ipomœa, page 8.



Giant Marguerite Carnations

Carnations

These are sown under glass in the spring, or can be sown out later as soon as all danger of frost is past and the ground is warm. They are great favorites on account of their fragrance and qualities as cut-flowers.

Giant Marguerite, Mixed. Extra-large flowers; very fragrant.....	Pkt.	\$0 15
Chabaud's Early-blooming. A celebrated strain; blooms in six months from seed.....		25
Hardy Border, Mixed. Very hardy, flowering the second season.....		10

CASTOR-OIL PLANT. See Ricinus, page 13.

Celosia

CRISTATA (Crested Cockscomb)

This is an annual of easy culture. Sow seeds indoors, and transplant later; or they may be sown out-of-doors. Suitable for borders or pots.

Glasgow Prize. Large combs; dark crimson; foliage dark. 1 ft.	Pkt.	\$0 10
Dwarf, Mixed. Selected from the best combs. 1 foot.....		10

PLUMOSA (Plumed Cockscomb)

Thompsoni magnifica. Yellow. 3 feet.....	10
Thompsoni magnifica. Crimson. 3 feet.....	10
Thompsoni magnifica. Mixed. 3 feet.....	10

Centaurea

The *Centaurea Cyanus* is one of the most popular annual summer flowers; easily grown by sowing seed in the open ground, and usually reseeds itself, coming up year after year. The *Imperialis* variety, when once grown, will always be grown; they last a long time when cut; extra-large blooming variety.

CYANUS (Cornflower, Ragged Sailor, Blue Bottle)

Blue,	Oz.	Pkt.
White.....	\$0 30	\$0 05
Rose.....	40	05
Double Blue.....	40	05
Double, Mixed.....	¼ oz. 50c...	15
	½ oz. 50c..	10

CENTAUREA IMPERIALIS (Imperial Sweet Sultan)

The finest of all, both in size and fragrance.

White.....	Pkt.	\$0 10
Rose.....		10
Purple.....		10
Mixed.....		10

VARIOUS VARIETIES WELL WORTH GROWING

Americana. A splendid, tall-growing, native variety; flowers of immense size; lilac-purple.....	Pkt.	\$0 10
Suaveolens. The Yellow Sweet Sultan. Very popular.....		05
Moschata, Mixed. Sweet Sultans.....		05
Candidissima. Sow the seed of this variety early indoors, and transplant in May. This has beautiful, silvery foliage and is used as an edging.....		10

CHINESE LANTERN PLANT. See Physalis, page 11.

Chrysanthemum

ANNUAL VARIETIES

These are very showy annuals, and comprise a great variety of colors; they are not to be mistaken for the large Japanese varieties one sees in the florists' windows, and are quite different. Sow seeds out-of-doors and thin out seedlings to about 8 to 10 inches apart.

Coronarium, Double White.....	Pkt.	\$0 05
Coronarium, Double Yellow.....		05
Coronarium, Double Mixed. Of great value.....		05
Tricolor, Single Mixed. Very bright colors.....		05
Segetum (Evening Star). Pure golden yellow flowers.....		10

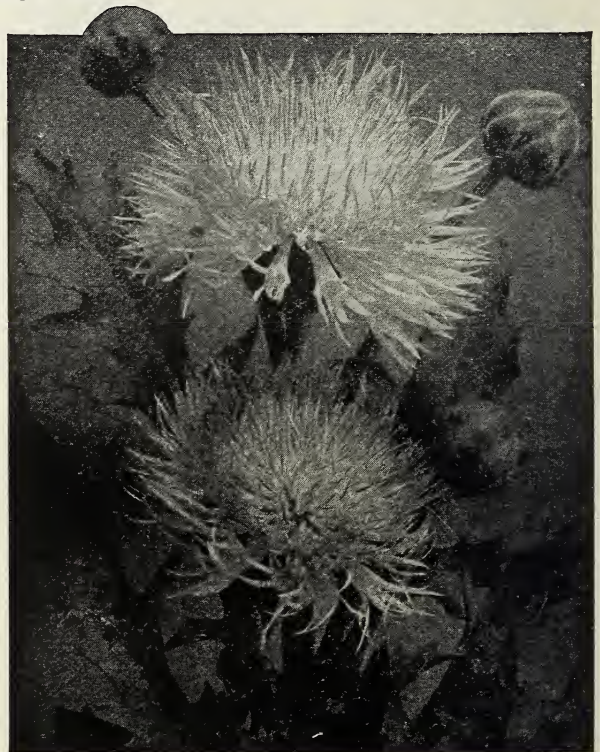
PERENNIAL VARIETY

Leucanthemum (Shasta Daisy), Alaska. The largest of all.....		15
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Clarkia

A very pretty annual of easy culture, and should be grown more extensively, as it is worthy of a place in every garden; it likes partial shade. Sow out-of-doors in early spring, in beds; or it is suitable for borders in groups; useful for cutting.

Double, Mixed.....	Pkt.	\$0 05
Single, Mixed.....		05



Centaurea imperialis



Cineraria grandiflora

Cineraria

This is one of the most brilliant, showy, greenhouse plants in cultivation. If only one sowing is required, July is the best; but seed can be sown any time from May to September for a succession. When the seedlings are large enough to handle, showing the second leaf well, pot up into small pots, and re-pot them into larger ones as they grow, until they are finally placed in those in which they are to flower. They are best grown in a coldframe; make the final potting when bringing them into the greenhouse. Water occasionally with liquid manure, when the plants develop the flower buds, and never let them get dry. Our strains are the very best procurable.

- Hybrida grandiflora. Mixed..... Pkt. \$0 50
- Hybrida stellata, Tall. Mixed; star-shaped flowers..... 25

Cleome gigantea (Giant Spider Plant)

A peculiar, tall-growing annual, attaining a height of 3 feet, with branching habit, each branch carrying a cluster of rosy carmine flowers with long, protruding stamens, which give it a spider effect. Suitable for large beds or for dotting through borders..... 10

Cobæa scandens (Cup-and-Saucer Vine)

A popular, very rapid-growing climber, attaining a height of from 20 to 30 feet in a season, covered with large, bell-shaped flowers. Suitable for covering arbors, walls or trunks of trees. Start seed indoors early, say about March, and cover lightly. Pkt. \$0 15
 White..... 10
 Purple.....

Coleus

A very ornamental bedding plant, with beautiful, colored foliage; can be grown in the house also. It is a greenhouse perennial but can be grown to perfection the first season from seed. Sow early indoors, in a moist, warm atmosphere, and transplant when the ground and weather are suitable. Pkt. \$0 25
 Choice Large-leaved Hybrids. Beautiful colorings.....

COLUMBINE. See Aquilegia, page 1.

Convolvulus major (Common Morning-Glory)

Very popular, rapid-growing vine, 15 feet, covered with delicately colored flowers; will grow in any situation; of easy cultivation. Pkt. \$0 05
 Tall, Mixed. Single flowers, all colors oz. 20c...
 Double-flowering. All colors..... 10
 Dwarf, Mixed. These grow only 1 foot high and make a very showy bed, remaining in bloom a long time..... oz. 20c... 05
 For other varieties of Morning-Glories, see Ipomæa, page 8.

Coreopsis grandiflora (Perennial Calliopsis)

Without exception, almost, this plant is the best value as a cut-flower in cultivation, having fine, long stems, and lasts a long time cut. It is a perennial, but if sown early indoors in the spring will bloom the first year. Has large, bright yellow flowers; the best of all. Pkt. 10 cts.

Cosmos

This is a very popular, late summer- and autumn-blooming annual. We have two strains, the extra-early flowering and the Mammoth Late. The Cosmos is a great bloomer, robust grower and a splendid cut-flower. The extra-early flowering variety does not produce flowers quite so large as the late, but it flowers much earlier and continues until frost. The seed should be sown in the spring in the open ground when danger of frost is past, and transplant to not less than 18 inches apart, in rows or in beds; when the plants are about a foot high, pinch out the center so as to make them grow in a bushy form.

EXTRA-EARLY FLOWERING

- White..... Pkt. \$0 10
- Pink..... 10
- Crimson..... 10
- Mixed..... 1/4 oz. 30c... 10

MAMMOTH LATE

- White..... 10
- Pink (Lady Lenox)..... 10
- Crimson..... 10
- Mixed..... 1/4 oz. 20c... 10

Cyclamen

A great favorite as a winter and spring greenhouse and window plant. Sow seed in small boxes or pans, in a compost of leaf-mold, rotted manure and sand. The seed is usually sown in the early winter months, and when the young plants have made two leaves prick out into small pots; keep them growing steadily without a check, and they should bloom in ten to twelve months. Pkt. \$0 25

- Papilio, or Butterfly. Edges of flowers beautifully frilled and waved. Mixed colors..... 25

Cypress Vine (Ipomœa Quamoclit)

This is a very popular annual climber, attaining a growth of about 15 feet. It has very delicate, fern-like foliage and an abundance of small, star-shaped flowers. Sow seed in May, but it should be soaked in warm water for a few hours. Mixed Colors..... 05



Mammoth Late Cosmos

Dahlia

Many doubt that these can be bloomed the same year from seed sown in the early spring. We have seen some beauties from seed sown the first of April. The Double sorts, of course, take longer than the Single.

Double Large-flowering, Mixed.....Pkt. \$0 10
Single Large-flowering, Mixed..... 15

DAISY. See Bellis, page 3.

Delphinium (Perennial Larkspur)

For Annual Varieties, see Larkspur, page 8.

What is more showy than the beautiful, tall, blue spikes of the Delphiniums standing erect in your mixed border or shrubbery? They are easily grown and adapt themselves to almost any situation. Seed can be sown indoors in early spring or in hotbeds in shallow boxes or seed-pans; transplant into flats about 3 inches apart, and before finally planting them out in the open ground place the flats in the open for a week or so.

Belladonna. One of the prettiest in cultivation; clear turquoise-blue; an almost perpetual bloomer.....Pkt. \$0 25
Chinense, Blue. A compact variety, making loose sprays of gentian-blue flowers..... 05
Chinense album. A white variety of the above..... 05
Elatum (Bee Larkspur). Rich blue, dark center; 4 feet..... 10
Formosum. Brilliant blue, with white center; very striking.. 10
Formosum celestinum. Pale blue, with white center..... 15
Large-flowering Hybrids. Extra choice, from named single varieties; immense spikes..... 15

Digitalis (Foxglove)

A hardy perennial of great value for planting amongst shrubbery and half-shady places. Seed can be sown in the spring, or July and August, and transplanted where desired, or it can be sown where the plants are to remain.

Gloxinioides. This is the finest species, bearing beautifully spotted, large flowers. Pkt.
Purple.....\$0 10
Rose..... 10
White..... 10
Mixed..... 10

Datura cornucopia

(Trumpet Flower, or Horn of Plenty)

A very ornamental annual of bush form, growing about 2½ feet high, bearing large, white-and-purple trumpet-shaped flowers, delightfully fragrant. Sow seed early and transplant out as soon as the ground is warm. Pkt. 10 cts.

Dianthus, or Pinks

The Dianthus family in all its varieties is a popular garden flower. Pinks are especially of exceptional value for cutting and fragrance; they have few rivals. Seed may be sown out-of-doors as soon as all danger of frost is past. The biennial varieties usually survive the winter with a little protection, but the Plumarius varieties are perfectly hardy.

Chinese Double, Mixed. Produces clusters of fine, double flowers in a great variety of color.....¼ oz. 30c. \$0 05
Japanese Double, Mixed. Beautiful colors..... 05
Japanese Double, Fireball. Brilliant, dark scarlet; very double..... 10
Japanese Double, White...... 10
Japanese Double (Mourning Pink). Very dark crimson, fringed white..... 10
Japanese Single, Punctatus (Princess Pinks). Beautiful colors, with fringed edges..... 10

HARDY GARDEN PINKS (Clove-scented)

Pheasant's Eye. Single, fringed, mixed..... 05
Plumarius Double, Mixed. Double Hardy Pinks. Beautiful colors..... 10
Plumarius semperflorens. Perpetual Pink. Double and semi-double, mixed..... 20
Plumarius fl. pl., Scoticus. Very hardy; double; 1 foot high; very strongly perfumed..... 25

Dictamnus Fraxinella (Gas Plant) Pkt.

An old-fashioned hardy perennial plant of bushy form, 2½ feet high; the leaves when rubbed give out a lemon odor. Sow seed in spring, or July and August, and transplant where the plants are to remain. When once established, they do not care to be moved. Red flowers.....\$0 10

Dimorphotheca aurantiaca hybrida (African Golden Daisy)

A very showy annual, from South Africa; will grow well in any situation; likes plenty of sun. The flowers are daisy-like, of different shades of glistening salmon-orange, yellow, and white, and are borne in profusion on compact, bushy plants about 1 foot high; of great value and very showy..... 15

Dolichos Lablab (Hyacinth Bean)

A rapid-growing, climbing annual, bearing pea-shaped blossoms and ornamental seed-pods. Grows 12 to 15 feet high. Sow out-of-doors where they are to remain. Mixed, purple and white.....oz. 25c.. 05



Eschscholtzia Californica

Eschscholtzia (California Poppy)

A very popular garden annual, easily grown from seed sown in the open in May where the plants are to remain. The majority of varieties grow about 1 foot high.

Californica, Yellow. Rich yellow.....oz. 40c. Pkt. \$0 05
Californica, White. Creamy white..... 05
Mandarin. Red and orange; beautiful..... 05
Rose Queen. Beautiful rose-carmine..... 10
Dainty Queen. Delicate pale pink..... 10
Mixed. All colors.....oz. 40c.. 05

Euphorbia variegata (Snow-on-the-Mountain)

Very ornamental annual, grown for the pretty foliage, as the flowers are insignificant. Green foliage, veined and margined white.....oz. 40c.. 05

FEVERFEW. See Matricaria, page 9.

FORGET-ME-NOT. See Myosotis, page 10.



Gaillardia grandiflora

Four-o'Clock (Marvel of Peru)

An old-fashioned garden flower, of bushy growth, bearing Pkt. numerous flowers of various bright colors. Mixed...oz. 20c...\$0 05

Gaillardia (Blanket Flower)

The Gaillardia is very popular whether the annual or perennial variety is sown. Both are very bright and showy, and of great value as cut-flowers.

- Picta, Single, Mixed. Annual. Fine, brilliant colors..... Pkt. \$0 05
- Lorenziana, Double, Mixed. Annual. Exquisite, double-flowering strain..... 05
- Grandiflora, Mixed. Perennial. One of the most showy hardy plants for the garden..... 10

Geranium zonale, Mixed

An interesting plant to grow from seed by sowing the seed early in the house and planting out as soon as the plants are well in the second leaf. Don't plant out until the end of May. Best varieties..... 10

Geum atrosanguineum fl.-pl.

A hardy perennial plant of great value, bearing a profuse number of double, dark crimson flowers; good for cutting practically all summer. The best variety..... 10

Globe Amaranth

This is a well-known everlasting annual flower, easily grown. The blooms are cut before fully open, hung up and dried. They are called by many "Bachelor's Buttons."

- Flesh-color..... Pkt. \$0 05
- Purple..... 05
- White..... 05
- Mixed..... ¼ oz. 25c... 05

Godetia

An attractive, hardy annual; does well in the shade; forms a nice bush about 1 foot high, with flowers of very bright colors. Sow in the open when danger of frost is past.

- Crimson Glow. Beautiful, dark crimson..... 10
- Duchess of Albany. Pure white..... 05
- Rosamund. Shell-pink..... 10
- Mixed. All colors..... ¼ oz. 20c... 05

Gourds

* Rapid-growing, climbing annuals, with ornamental foliage and peculiarly shaped fruits. 15 to 20 feet.

- Mixed.....oz. 25c... \$0 65

Gypsophila (Baby's Breath)

A popular, free-growing plant, with very graceful, delicate flowers and foliage; used for mixing with other cut-flowers to give a soft effect.

ANNUAL VARIETIES

- Elegans grandiflora alba. Large; white.....oz. 25c... Pkt. \$0 05
- Elegans grandiflora, Rose. Soft pink..... 05
- Elegans grandiflora, Carmine..... 05

PERENNIAL VARIETIES

- Paniculata. White flowers; fine for bouquets..... 15
- Paniculata fl.-pl. Double form of the above..... 20

Helianthus (Sunflower)

The single Sunflowers are very useful cut-flowers. Sow seed in the open ground in April or May. The Cut-and-Come-Again or Miniature varieties are especially fine grouped in borders and for cutting.

- Single Cut-and-Come-Again, Stella. Golden yellow; Pkt. black center..... \$0 05
- Single Cut-and-Come-Again, Orion. Similar to the above, only petals are twisted..... 05
- Single Cut-and-Come-Again, Perkeo. Dwarf, compact bushes; yellow..... 10
- Single Cut-and-Come-Again, Mixed. Miniature Sunflowers in shades of yellow with black eyes..... 05
- Double Cut-and-Come-Again. Flowers yellow; double and semi-double..... 10

Helichrysum (Straw Flower)

A very popular annual flower on account of its everlasting properties. Flowers intended for drying should be cut when partly open and suspended with the heads down. The plants should be not less than 1 foot apart to allow them to develop properly.

- Monstrosum, Double. An extra-large-flowering species. Pkt.
- White..... \$0 05
- Crimson..... 05
- Rose..... 05
- Mixed..... 05

Heliopsis Pitcheriana

A very desirable perennial plant for the border; grows from 3 to 4 feet high, bearing flowers of a deep golden yellow; very good for cutting..... Pkt. \$0 10

Heliotrope

An old-fashioned, half-hardy perennial, which is very popular as a summer bedding plant; it can be grown in a greenhouse also, giving the house a delightful perfume. Sow seed early indoors; by doing so you will have good plants for summer blooming.

- Giant-flowering, Mixed. Very robust growth and fine, large heads of flowers; the best..... Pkt. \$0 10

Hesperis matronalis (Sweet Rocket)

A fine old-fashioned garden plant, attaining a height of 3 feet, and very free-blooming, giving large sprays of fragrant blossoms. The plants when through blooming require to be taken up and transplanted into fresh soil; by doing this you will get far better results. Sow seed in spring.

- Purple..... Pkt. \$0 05
- White..... 05

Heuchera sanguinea

A very fine perennial plant, growing about 1 foot high, with erect spikes of bright crimson flowers. A fine thing for cutting. 10

Honesty (Lunaria biennis)

A hardy biennial and much admired for its silver, oval-shaped seed pouches. Seed should be sown in June for the following year's blooming..... 10

Hollyhock

This is one of the most popular hardy plants in cultivation, and gives an effect to a garden that no other plant does. It is, without exception, the best plant for grouping amongst shrubbery or furnishing a background for other plants in a border. Seed sown in the spring will give excellent, strong plants for blooming the following year. They require protection, such as covering with leaves or straw the first winter. We offer the very best strain procurable, which is, without doubt, Chater's.

	Pkt.
Double, White.....	\$0 10
Double, Rose.....	10
Double, Crimson.....	10
Double, Scarlet.....	10
Double, Yellow.....	10
Double, Mixed. Extra choice.....	10
Single, Mixed. Extra choice.....	05
Single, Allegheny, Mixed. Petals beautifully laced and fringed; of very robust growth and extra-large flowers.....	10

Humulus (Japanese Hop Vine)

A very rapid-growing, annual climber, attaining a growth of from 20 to 30 feet in a season. The foliage is very ornamental, of thick growth, splendid for covering verandas, trellis, etc.; provides good shade and is not subject to being affected by insects of any kind.

	Pkt.
Japonicus. The green-leaved variety.....	\$0 05
Japonicus variegatus. Beautiful, silvery variegated leaves; very ornamental.....	10

Hunnemannia fumariæfolia

(Giant Tulip Poppy, or Bush Eschscholtzia)

Although this is a perennial, it is treated as an annual. By sowing it indoors early in spring, it will bloom the end of July. It forms a nice bush, about 2½ feet high, bearing large, rich yellow, poppy-like flowers, and is a good flower for lasting in water a long time. \$0 10

HYACINTH BEAN. See Dolichos, page 7

Ipomœa (Moonflower, Morning-Glory)

See also Convolvulus, page

Climbers of very rapid growth, used for covering old tree stumps, trellises and arbors.

Bona Nox (Evening Glory). Beautiful, large, rosy lilac flowers, opening in the evening.....	\$0 05
Mexicana grandiflora alba. The giant white Moonflower very fragrant; opens after nightfall and remains open on cloudy days.....	10
Rubra cœrulea (Heavenly Blue). A very beautiful variety, with immense, sky-blue flowers.....	10
Setosa (Brazilian Morning-Glory). A very quick, robust-growing variety, covered with clusters of rose-colored flowers.....	10
Quamoclit hybrida (Cardinal Climber). A splendid new hybrid between Cypress Vine and <i>Ipomœa coccinea</i> . This certainly is worthy of a trial. It is of strong, rapid growth, with very finely cut, fern-like foliage, which is in itself a treat to look at; but, in addition, has an abundance of dazzling bright scarlet flowers which come in clusters. It is well named on account of its color. Sow seed early; it requires to be hastened in germination by filing or cutting a small notch in each seed.....	25

Imperial Japanese Morning-Glories

(Mixed)

These are, beyond all doubt, the finest of all the Morning-Glories; they are easily grown and in beautiful colors and size. Pkt. of flowers have no equal.....oz. 25c...\$0 05

JAPANESE HOP. See Humulus, above.

JOSEPH'S COAT. See Amaranthus, page 1.

KENILWORTH IVY. See Linaria, page 9.

Kochia tricophylla (Summer Cypress)

A very good annual, easily grown from seed sown thinly in the spring. It makes a nice hedge or can be grown as specimens on a lawn. Its color is light green, with finely cut leaves, and in late summer and fall it becomes a deep red; grows about 2½ to 3 feet high when grown in good soil..... ¼ oz. 25c... 05

Kudzu Vine (Pueraria Thunbergiana)

A Japanese perennial climber of very rapid growth, producing large, bold leaves of bright green which make a fine shade. It is a grand thing for covering dead trees and for verandas or trellis. The flowers are small and purple in color. Being a perennial, it attains a height of only about 8 feet the first year from seed, but when established it will grow 50 feet in one season.....¼ oz. 30c...\$0 10

Lantana

This is a very fine greenhouse plant, or can be used for bedding out in summer; it is a continuous bloomer and makes trusses of bloom similar to the verbena, but of a varied assortment of colors, ranging from orange to rose. Sow seed early, say February or March, in the house.

Mixed Hybrids.....	Pkt. \$0 10
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LADY'S SLIPPER. See Balsam, page 3.

Larkspur (Annual Delphinium)

These are very popular annuals, very ornamental and of graceful habit; they have very fine, fern-like foliage, and the flower-spikes are tall and erect, on good, strong stems, fine for cutting. They make a nice bed or dotted in clumps through a border, or in lines are very effective. Sow seed toward the end of April, and they will bloom from July till frost.

Tall Branching. This is the best strain of Annual Larkspurs in cultivation.....	Pkt.
White.....	\$0 10
Flesh-color.....	10
Rose.....	10
Violet.....	10
Mixed.....	10

Lavatera trimestris

This is an annual suitable for large borders; it is useful as a cut-flower, producing Mallow-like flowers in great abundance all summer. The seed can be sown out-of-doors in May where the plants are to remain and thinned out to about 15 inches apart; they grow about 2½ feet high.

	Pkt.
Red.....	\$0 05
White.....	05



Double Hollyhocks

Lathyrus latifolius (Perennial or Everlasting Pea)

A very showy perennial climber, suitable for covering old stumps, fences, etc. The flowers are not fragrant. Pkt. \$0 10
Mixed.....

Liatris (Blazing Star, or Gay Feather)

Most showy and attractive hardy perennial native plants, with long spikes of purple and rosy purple flowers from July to September; 3 to 4 feet. \$0 10
Mixed Varieties

Linum rubrum (Scarlet Flax)

A very old, but very effective and showy annual, with bright scarlet flowers. Sow out-of-doors. 05

Linaria Cymbalaria (Kenilworth Ivy)

A pretty, hardy, trailing plant, suitable for hanging-baskets, vases or pots; flowers violet. 10

Lobelia

For edging beds or for pots and baskets there is nothing nicer than Lobelia. Sow seed early indoors, in a small box or pot, and transplant when large enough to handle; set out when weather is warm. It may be sown out-of-doors, also.

- Crystal Palace compacta. Deep blue; compact growth; dark foliage. Pkt. \$0 10
- Emperor William. Erect; light blue; very fine. 10
- Erinus gracilis. Of trailing habit; light blue. 05
- Erinus alba. White flowers. 10
- Cardinalis. A tall, hardy perennial variety, with fine large spikes of bright scarlet flowers; likes a moist situation. 10

LOVE-IN-A-MIST. See Nigella, page 10.

LOVE-LIES-BLEEDING. See Amaranthus, page 1.

Lychnis Chalcedonica

A fine, hardy, perennial for massing in beds or borders, growing 2 feet high; very floriferous; bright scarlet flowers. 05



African Marigolds

Lupins

ANNUAL VARIETIES

These are very desirable showy plants, suitable for borders or beds, growing about 2 feet high and producing large, erect-growing spikes of pea-like flowers; they like partial shade and are valuable for cutting. 2 to 3 feet. Oz. Pkt.
Blue..... \$0 40 \$0 05
Rose..... 40 05
White..... 40 05
Yellow..... 40 05
Mixed..... 25 05

PERENNIAL VARIETIES

These are worthy of a place in your hardy garden, growing rather taller than the annual varieties. Polyphyllus, Mixed..... 30 05

Marigold

These are very old-fashioned garden annuals; of course the majority in colors are of the yellow shades; but, although there are many other beautiful yellow flowers, you cannot afford to omit the Marigold. They are easily grown and give an abundance of flowers right up to frost.

AFRICAN VARIETIES

- Double Orange. Tall; rich orange. Pkt. \$0 05
- Double Lemon. Tall; pale yellow. 05
- Double, Pride of the Garden. Dwarf; rich yellow. 10
- Double, Eldorado. Large, quilled flowers; yellow shades. 05
- Double, Mixed. Tall; all colors. 1/4 oz. 20c. 05

FRENCH VARIETIES

- Dwarf Gold-striped. Brownish red, striped yellow; very bright, free-flowering. 10
- Legion of Honor (Little Brownie). A very popular dwarf single Marigold; deep golden yellow, marked with a large spot of crimson velvet. 1/4 oz. 20c. 05
- Dwarf, Mixed. A great variety of colors. 1/4 oz. 20c. 05

MARVEL OF PERU. See Four-o'-Clock, page 7.

Matricaria Capensis alba plena

(Feverfew)

Although a perennial, if sown early indoors will bloom the same year. Very free flowering, producing a great quantity of double, white flowers. A good bedding plant, 18 inches high. 10

Maurandia Barclayana

A very pretty climbing plant, growing about 10 feet, giving an abundance of pretty, gloxinia-like blooms of various colors. The plants can be lifted before frost and brought into the greenhouse and kept for the following year. Mixed. 10

Mesembryanthemum crystallinum

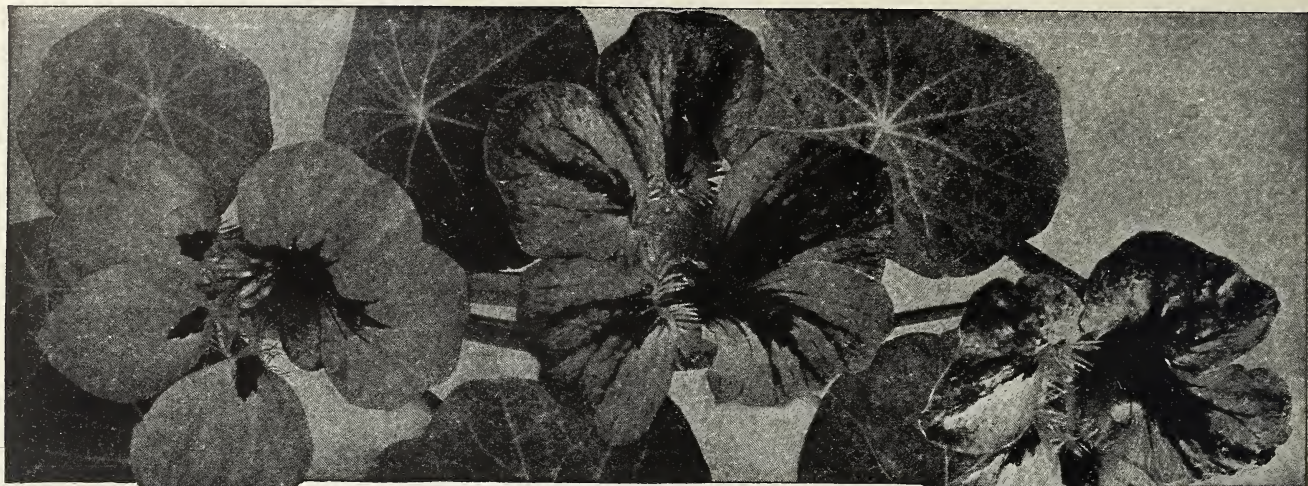
(Ice plant)

A dwarf, trailing plant which is very pretty; it is an annual and blooms freely from seed sown in the open when cold weather has disappeared; glistening white flowers and the leaves glisten in the sun just like ice. 05

Mignonette (Reseda odorata)

We need not mention much about this old favorite flower. Its fragrance has gained it popularity. We have selected what we consider to be the best varieties both for fragrance and size of spikes. Sow in open ground where required and thin out. Can also be grown very successfully in pots.

- Reseda odorata grandiflora. The old variety; small-spiked Pkt. but the sweetest-smelling. oz. 20c. \$0 05
- Defiance. One of the best, making huge, erect spikes, and very fragrant. 10
- Machet. (Dwarf.) Pyramidal growth; very sweet and an abundant bloomer. 10
- Goliath. A very robust but dwarf-growing variety, producing fine, erect spikes of very bright color. 15



Elliott's Dwarf Nasturtiums

Mimosa pudica (Sensitive Plant)

Usually grown in pots; peculiar for its sensitive properties; Pkt. when touched, the leaves close up and droop. It is of ornamental growth.....\$0 05

Mimulus

A very showy, half-hardy perennial, fine for greenhouse or moist, shady situations; blooms the first season if started early indoors.

- Tigrinus** (Monkey Flower). Beautifully tigered and spotted varieties..... 10
- Moschatus**. The old-fashioned Musk Plant. Yellow; very fragrant..... 10

Mina lobata

A very pretty, half-hardy, annual climber, bearing tube-shaped flowers in great profusion; when the flowers open first they are bright red, but when fully expanded turn yellow to creamy white..... 10

Momordica

A peculiar climbing vine, with ornamental foliage and fruits. The fruits are golden yellow, warted, and when ripe, open, showing the seed and the bright red interior. Pkt.

- Balsamina** (Balsam Apple). Round, apple-shaped fruit.....\$0 05
- Charantia** (Balsam Pear). Pear-shaped..... 05

MORNING-GLORIES. See Ipomœa, page 8, and Convolvulus, page 5.

MOONFLOWERS. See Ipomœa, page 8.

Myosotis (Forget-Me-Not)

This is an old-fashioned, very popular little flower, blooming in the spring; it is very suitable for massing in beds or for edging. Seed may be sown any time from spring to midsummer, and must be protected during the winter months. Pkt.

- Alpestris, Indigo-Blue.** The best dark blue variety.....\$0 10
- Alpestris robusta grandiflora.** A strong-growing variety, of good clear light blue..... 10
- Alpestris, Victoria.** A great favorite of compact growth; lovely, clear azure-blue..... 10
- Palustris.** The True Forget-me-not; likes a damp place; of strong, sturdy growth; clear blue flowers..... 10

Nicotiana

An easily grown annual, very showy either in beds or in clumps in borders amongst other plants. Sow seed early inside and transplant when the ground is warm outside. Pkt.

- Affinis.** White flowers; very fragrant.....\$0 05
- Sanderæ Hybrids.** A great variety of colors; flowers of great substance, and remains in bloom a long time..... 10

Nasturtiums

TALL OR CLIMBING VARIETIES

Popular climbers for verandas, trellises, against fences, etc.

	Oz.	Pkt.
King Theodore. Deep crimson-maroon.....	\$0 20	\$0 05
Pearl. Creamy white.....	20	05
Prince Henry. Light yellow, marbled scarlet.....	20	05
Scarlet. Bright scarlet.....	20	05
Vesuvius. Rich salmon; dark-leaved.....	20	05
Mixed, All Sorts. A grand mixture ¼ lb. 60c..	20	05
Variegated Sorts, Mixed. Beautiful, silver-spotted foliage.....	20	10

DWARF NASTURTIIUMS

Empress of India. Dark crimson.....	20	05
King of Tom Thumbs. Bright scarlet.....	20	05
Pearl. Creamy white.....	20	05
Prince Henry. Cream, spotted and tipped red.....	20	05
Rose. Soft carmine-rose.....	20	05
Vesuvius. Salmon-rose; dark foliage.....	20	05
Mixed, All Sorts. ¼ lb. 60c..	20	05
Variegated-leaved Mixed. Very pretty.....	20	10

LOBB'S CLIMBING NASTURTIIUMS

These are more vigorous growers than the tall varieties, and the flowers are slightly smaller, but of a great variety of colors. Pkt.

- Mixed**..... Lb. \$1.50, ¼ lb. 60c, oz. 20c...\$0 05

Nemophila insignis

A very pretty annual of easy culture. Sown early in the spring, will flower about July, giving an abundance of flowers for a long period. Bright blue; makes a very nice pot-plant... 05

Nigella (Love-in-a-Mist)

A compact-growing annual, with very finely cut foliage and peculiarly formed flowers. Sow seed in the open in May, and thin out to about 6 inches apart. Pkt.

- Damascena.** Blue. A good blue... \$0 05
- Miss Jekyll.** A bright, cornflower-blue; one of the best varieties..... 10

Penstemon

This is somewhat like a foxglove, but probably not known so well, although it should be. It is a very attractive perennial, growing 2 to 3 feet, and the colors are far more brilliant than those of the foxglove. Sow seed in early spring, in a pan or box, and transplant out-of-doors about the middle of May.

- Large-flowering, Mixed.** Comprising many strains and beautiful colors. \$0 15

Pansies

These little plants are favorites with everyone. Seed can be sown in the autumn or spring. The autumn-sown seed flowers in early spring, and if the old blooms are kept pulled off, they will continue giving large blooms quite a long time. Sow seed thinly, during July or August, in a well-prepared bed, partly shaded, of a size convenient for erecting a frame around to protect for the winter, if you prefer; or they can be covered well with salt-hay as soon as the cold weather sets in. By this treatment you will have strong, sturdy plants for setting out the following spring. Pansy seed can also be sown in the early part of the year, say February or March—the earlier the better,—in flat boxes or seed-pans and placed in the greenhouse, hotbed or window; keep them transplanted often so as not to allow them to get soft and spindly; give them air when the opportunity affords. In the varieties we offer you have the best selection that can be desired; it is not a large one but the best.

Elliott's "Springdale" Mixture

This is our own mixture made up of the very best varieties both in Pkt. color and size. We take care not to put in too much of any one color, which is so often found in mixtures. It is, without doubt, the best selection you can have. . . . 1/8 oz. \$1.50. . . \$0 25

- Masterpiece.** Very large, richly colored blooms, with beautifully curled and crinkled edges. . . . 1/8 oz. \$1.00. . . 25
- Madame Perret.** A fine strain; large flowers, principally composed of wine and red shades. . . . 1/8 oz. 75c. . . 25
- Large English, Mixed.** The old-fashioned Faced Pansies. 1/4 oz. 75c. . . 10

Giant Trimardeau

This strain of Pansies is remarkable for its immense flowers which grow well above the foliage, and the plants are of a vigorous and compact growth; the flowers are very often beautifully blotched. There are a great many varieties in this strain, far more than we list, but those we mention are really the pick of the bunch. Pkt.

- Adonis.** Beautiful light blue; the best of its color. . . \$0 10
- Emperor William.** A fine shade of cornflower-blue; very showy. 10
- Fire King.** Deep golden yellow; upper petals purple. 10
- Golden Queen.** A pure, rich yellow; very fine. . . 10
- Lord Beaconsfield.** Large; purple violet, upper petals shading to white. . . 10
- Snowflake.** A beautiful, satiny white. 10
- Mixed.** Comprises all varieties of Trimardeau Pansies; a grand combination of colors. 1/4 oz. 75 cts. 10

Various Other Pansies of Merit

- Faust (King of the Blacks).** The "black" Pansy. 10
- Peacock.** Large; peacock-blue, edged with white. 10
- Psyche.** A beautiful tufted variety; deep violet, evenly edged with white; very unique. 10

Physostegia Virginica

A very pretty, hardy perennial plant, growing in bush form, 3 to 4 feet high, and producing quite a number of erect spikes of pink blooms good for cutting. Treat the same as the majority of perennials. 10

Physalis Francheti

Chinese Lantern Plant

A summer-flowering perennial which is very ornamental on account of its producing sprays of fruit which turn bright red and resemble small lanterns . . . 10

Polyanthus

A free-flowering perennial which beautifies your beds or borders in the spring. Forms trusses of flowers on an erect-growing, strong stem about 6 to 8 inches high; the colors are very bright and effective. Sow seed in early spring in boxes and transplant to open ground when large enough; they can also be sown in a prepared seed bed in the summer for blooming the following spring. Pkt.

Large-flowering, Mixed. \$0 10



Elliott's "Springdale" Pansies

Petunias

It is hard to beat the Petunia for its variety of colors and its flowering qualities. No matter what garden you visit, you will almost always find a bed or border of Petunias, or pots and porches full of them. It is one of the most popular flowers for summer, blooming until late in the autumn. It is easily grown from seed, but great care should be taken in the beginning as regards watering, as the seed, being so small, is very often washed out by heavy watering. Sow seed in a hotbed or coldframe, in seed-pans or boxes, during April and May; or these boxes can be placed in a sunny window. When the seedlings are large enough to handle, transplant in other boxes or pots, and when the weather and ground are warm enough outside, plant about 1 foot apart in beds or borders. This refers to the finer double and single sorts; the bedding varieties can be sown out-of-doors in May.

- Single Large-flowering, Mixed. Superb colorings of great variety; not fringed. \$0 25
- Single Large-flowering Fringed, Mixed. Of extra-large size; beautiful colors and richly marked deep throats; finely fringed. 35
- Double Large-flowering, Mixed. An excellent strain, giving a great percentage of double flowers. 25
- Double Large-flowering, Fringed, Mixed. An unsurpassed strain, of beautiful colors and a very high percentage of double flowers. 50

SINGLE BEDDING VARIETIES

Very popular for sowing in masses out-of-doors.

- Howard's Star. A rich crimson, showing a regular star in the center. \$0 10
- Rosy Morn. The very popular pink bedding Petunia, with white throat. 10



Phlox Drummondii

- SINGLE BEDDING PETUNIAS, continued
- White, Pure. Compact grower; very pretty \$0 10
- Striped and Spotted. A very good mixture, and most popular for bedding 10

Phlox Drummondii

One of the most popular annuals on account of its easy cultivation and very showy, brilliant-colored flowers; grows 1 foot high. Seed can be sown in the open ground any time after the middle of May, and the plants thrive better by being transplanted from where they were originally sown. When the young plants are about 6 inches high, it is a good plan to pinch them so as to make them branch, thus producing a far better show of bloom.

- Large-flowering Varieties. Pkt.
- White \$0 10
- Scarlet 10
- Rose 10
- Pink 10
- Crimson 10
- Purple 10
- Yellow 10
- Mixed 1/4 oz. 30c. 10

- Dwarf Varieties. These grow to 6 to 8 inches high.
- Rose 15
- Scarlet 15
- White 15
- Mixed 1/4 oz. 50c. 15

PHLOX, PERENNIAL (*P. decussata*)

This is quite distinct from the preceding variety, being a tall perennial. We offer only the mixed colors in this class, as it does not come true to color from seed; to those wishing to separate colors we recommend buying plants, which we offer in great variety, in our Fall and Spring Catalogues.

- Large-flowering, Mixed Pkt. \$0 10

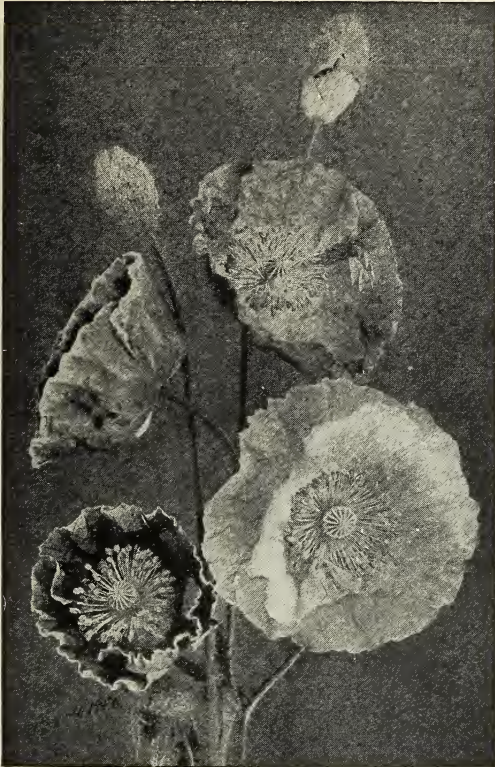
Platycodon grandiflora

A very good, hardy perennial for planting in mixed borders or shrubbery; it is a profuse bloomer, producing large, bell-shaped flowers; it is of great value and easily raised from seed. A sowing in early spring will give you blooming plants in August.

- Blue Pkt. \$0 05
- White 05



Single Large-flowering Petunias



Shirley Poppies

Poppies

Poppies are among our most popular summer flowers; they should be sown thinly in lines, patches or beds, as soon as the ground is warm in the spring, where they are to remain as they do not stand transplanting. When required as cut-flowers they should be picked early in the morning before opening.

SINGLE ANNUAL VARIETIES

Admiral. A fine, large, pure white, with a bright scarlet band around the top; very attractive.....	Pkt.	\$0 10
Danebrog. A fine, large, brilliant scarlet, with a white spot on each petal forming a white cross.....	10	
Miss Sherwood. Beautiful, satiny white, shading to rose.....	10	
Shirley, Improved. This is one of the best of the Single Poppies, comprising many most delicate shades, ranging from pure white through delicate pink to rose and crimson—a great variety of colors.....	oz. 50c....	10
The Bride. A fine, large, pure white.....	oz. 30c....	05
Tulip Poppy (Glaucum). Like a scarlet tulip; magnificent..		10
Virginian. Large, fringed flowers of pure white, edged with pink; beautiful.....		10
Mixed. A grand mixture of Annual Poppies.....	oz. 25c....	05

DOUBLE ANNUAL VARIETIES

American Flag. Huge flowers; snow-white, bordered with scarlet; very attractive.....	Oz.	Pkt.	\$0 30	\$0 05
Cardinal. Carnation-flowered; cardinal-red; beautifully fringed.....	30	05		
Mikado. Resembling a large chrysanthemum, with beautiful, curved petals; scarlet and white.....	30	05		
White Swan. A beautiful, fringed, double, pure white.	30	05		
Carnation-flowered, Mixed. A fine mixture of Double Fringed Poppies.....	25	05		
Peony-flowered, Mixed. Large, double, globe-shaped flowers in a great variety of colors.....	25	05		

PERENNIAL POPPIES

These should be sown in early spring out-of-doors. The Iceland varieties, being perennial, will bloom the first year; the Oriental, when they start new growth in the fall, should be transplanted to their permanent positions. As they die down during the hot weather,

PERENNIAL POPPIES, continued

they should be marked, so as to avoid disturbing them during the summer.

ICELAND (nudicaule), White	Pkt.	\$0 10
Orange-scarlet		10
Yellow		10
New Hybrids, Mixed		15

GIANT ORIENTAL POPPIES

These often vary in color from seed. To get them perfectly true, it is best to buy plants, of which we offer a large collection in our Nursery Catalogue.

Scarlet (True)	Pkt.	\$0 15
Salmon-color		15
Giant Oriental Hybrids, Choice Mixed		15

Portulaca

This is one of the most popular dwarf annual plants in cultivation. It is suitable for edgings or carpeting beds or rockwork; it thrives best in a sunny position, is very easily raised from seed sown rather late when the ground is warm; the seed being so small we recommend mixing it with some fine, dry sand; by so doing it distributes the seed more thinly and more evenly over a given surface. The colors are very brilliant and somewhat resemble small roses.

Single Rose	Pkt.	\$0 05
Single Scarlet		05
Single White		05
Single Yellow		05
Single Mixed	oz. 50c....	05
Double Mixed. A small percentage comes single.....		25

Primroses

These are very pretty spring-flowering plants, and although perennial, require protection in the winter, such as covering with hay or leaves or, better still, place in a coldframe.

Auricula. Great favorites; beautiful colors.....	Pkt.	\$0 15
Japonica (Japanese Primrose), Mixed		15
Vulgaris. (English Yellow Primrose).....		10

Primulas

Some of these are the most popular winter-blooming plants, such as the Obconica and Chinensis varieties. Seed should be sown in early spring, in shallow boxes or pans, well drained, and soil should be sand and leaf-mold, very finely screened through a sieve; cover seeds very lightly, and have the temperature about 65 degrees.

Chinensis (Chinese), Fringed, Mixed	Pkt.	\$0 25
Obconica, Large-flowered, Mixed		25
Obconica, Large-flowered Giant Mixed		50
Kewensis. A very pretty yellow Primula, bearing tall spikes with fragrant yellow blooms in whorls; splendid pot-plant for the house.....		25

Pyrethrum

A very attractive, hardy perennial, bearing large, daisy-like blooms of various colors, ranging from white to deep red, with bright yellow centers. It is a splendid cut-flower, lasting for a long period. No garden should be without it.

Large-flowering Single, Mixed	Pkt.	\$0 15
Large-flowering Double, Mixed		25
Aureum (Golden Feather). Beautiful, golden yellow foliage; principally used for edging.....		05

Rhodanthe

A very pretty little annual Everlasting, of much more delicate texture than the Helichrysum; very good for pot culture.

Mixed	Pkt.	\$0 05
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Ricinus (Castor-Oil Plant)

A free-growing annual, very tall, with huge leaves. Very ornamental for planting in centers of beds, or as single specimens they are most suitable.

Africanus. Very large, green leaves.....	Pkt.	\$0 05
Cambodgensis. With dark stems, and leaves bronze-colored. 5 feet.....		05
Gibsoni. Deep red foliage, 5 feet.....		05
Zanzibarensis, Mixed. Enormous leaves of great beauty in a variety of colors.....	oz. 25c....	05
Good Mixed. Many varieties.....	oz. 20c....	05

Rudbeckia (Coneflower)

Newmanii. A very showy perennial, with large flowers of deep yellow with black cones; a grand autumn-flowering plant.....

Bicolor superba. An annual variety of great merit; bright yellow, with brown disk; very good for cutting.....	Pkt.	15
		10

Salpiglossis (Painted Tongue)

This plant is not known so much as it should be; it is of easy culture and as a showy plant in the garden it has few equals; the flowers are borne on strong, stiff stems and somewhat resemble a petunia, but the texture of the Salpiglossis flower is very much stronger than the petunia; it is fine for cutting, and the colors are unique. The seed should be sown early in the spring in a hotbed or window, and transplanted out-of-doors as soon as all danger of frost is past. The strain we offer is the best procurable both for color and size. Pkt. Mixed.....\$0 10

Salvia (Scarlet Sage)

We need not say much about this great favorite, only that the seed we offer is the best procurable. It is best to start Salvia seed early, say February or March, in a hotbed or in the house, and transplanted to the flowering quarters as soon as the weather becomes settled and warm; the seed can also be sown out-of-doors in May. Pkt. Splendens. Fine scarlet; 3 feet.....\$0 10
Splendens, Bonfire. Of compact growth, attaining a height of 2 feet, this variety produces an abundance of fine, large spikes of bloom, well above the foliage, of brilliant scarlet. One of the most popular varieties grown..... 10
Splendens, Zurich. A popular, early-flowering, dwarf variety. 20

Schizanthus Wisetonensis (Butterfly Flower)

A very popular annual both for garden and pot culture. It is very easily grown from seed sown early in the spring for summer blooming, and also can be sown in the autumn for winter and spring blooming. It can also be grown to perfection in hanging-baskets. It is such a profuse bloomer that the foliage can hardly be seen; the flowers resemble somewhat certain varieties of orchids, and are of the prettiest blends of colors imaginable. This is one of the best strains; profuse in bloom and in a great variety of colors.....\$0 20

Scabiosa (Mourning Bride)

An annual which should be grown more generously than it is, because as a cut-flower it has no equal. It attains a height of 2 feet, and the flowers are double with fine, long, straight stems. It is fragrant to a certain extent. It is easily started from seed and is the better of being transplanted from the seedling bed to its flowering quarters. No garden should be without some of this valuable annual. Pkt. White.....\$0 05
 Rose..... 05
 Scarlet..... 05
 Mixed..... 1/4oz. 25c... 05

Stocks

A summer flower-garden is not complete without a few Stocks. For fragrance they have few equals; for colors and for cutting they are splendid and easily grown. Sow seed from February to April, and when big enough place in small pots for a time before setting out in the ground. The strains we offer are of the very best from pot-grown plants, and have a very high percentage of double flowers.

Large-flowering Ten Weeks. This class is the best for early summer blooming. Pkt. White.....\$0 10
 Flesh..... 10
 Rose..... 10
 Crimson..... 10
 Light Blue..... 10
 Mixed..... 10

Cut-and-Come-Again Ten Weeks. A perpetual-blooming class, of branching habit, giving a great profusion of fine flowers. They bloom splendidly late in the season. White..... 15
 Flesh..... 15
 Rose..... 15
 Violet..... 15
 Light Blue..... 15
 Crimson..... 15
 Mixed..... 15

Beauty Stocks. These are giant-flowering, growing about 2 feet high and are excellent for growing during the winter months. For this purpose the seed should be sown in July or August; if sown in early spring, they bloom from July till frost. Pkt. Mixed Colors. A very choice mixture.....\$0 15



Sweet William

Stokesia cyanea (Cornflower Aster)

A good hardy perennial, of great value as a cut-flower. The Pkt. plant grows about 15 inches high, bearing lavender-blue cornflower-like blossoms in great profusion, from July till frost. Splendid for the hardy border.....1/4oz. 30c...\$0 10
SWEET ROCKET. See Hesperis, page 7.

Sweet William

A very popular hardy perennial for beds or borders. Very easily raised from seed, and for colors and cutting purposes it is excellent. Pkt. Single Mixed Our best mixtures procurable.... 1/4 oz. 20c...\$0 05
 Double Mixed..... 1/4oz. 30c... 10

Verbena

A splendid summer-flowering plant, and for beds and massing it has but few equals. Seed should be sown in the hotbed or house, early in the spring, and transplanted out-of-doors in May. Seed may also be sown in the open in May, and will flower about July. Large-flowering Pkt. White.....\$0 10
 Blue..... 10
 Striped..... 10
 Scarlet..... 10
 Mixed..... 10

Vinca (Madagascar Perwinkle)

A very ornamental, free-flowering plant, with deep green, glossy foliage, and bright, single blossoms in great profusion. Sow seed early indoors and transplant when the weather is warm. Pkt. Pure White.....\$0 10
 White with Rose eye..... 10
 Rose..... 10

Zinnias

The Zinnia is by far one of the most popular of summer-flowering annuals. For making a good show of bloom in the garden it has no equal. The colors are brilliant and dazzling, particularly the crimsons and scarlets. There are several strains of Zinnias, but we do not list them; we have chosen the best, which is an improved giant-flowering strain which has no equal. Giant Double— Pkt. Golden Yellow.....\$0 10
 Sulphur-Yellow..... 10
 Crimson..... 10
 Scarlet..... 10
 Flesh-color..... 10
 Mixed..... 1/4oz. 40c... 10

SWEET PEAS

In compiling our list of Sweet Peas, we have gone through the varieties, of which there are hundreds on the market at the present day, and quite a few are identical with each other. We have selected the best varieties in each class as to color and quality of flowers; we have done this to help our customers make as good a selection as can be obtained anywhere. There are two classes, the "Spencer" or "Orchid-flowered" and the "Grandiflora" varieties. The first mentioned are much larger in every respect, in length of stem, size of bloom, and often bear four blooms to a stem. They are also beautifully waved, while the others are smaller flowers not waved, but are just as fragrant, and, of course, are not so expensive.

CULTURE OF SWEET PEAS

1 oz. will sow about 35 feet in a single line

Sow seed as early in the spring as the ground can be prepared; select a sunny situation, as they like it. The main thing in growing Sweet Peas successfully is to keep the roots deep and cool. To accomplish this, the soil should be dug from 1½ to 2 feet deep, and incorporate with it some well-pulverized, rotted manure and, if convenient, a little bone meal. When this is done open a trench, or furrow, about 6 inches deep, and sow seed at the bottom of this, in a line, placing the seeds about 3 to 4 inches apart, cover about 1 inch and press down firmly with a board. As the vines grow, this 6 inches of furrow can be filled in gradually by placing the soil carefully around the vines, and when doing this filling-in process a little bone meal will be beneficial. When the vines attain a height that they begin to fall over, they require some wire netting or brush, the latter preferred, which should be from 5 to 6 feet high. Keep the plants well watered during the hot weather, and keep picking the blooms, as it prevents their going to seed and lengthens the flowering period.

The 12 Following Varieties Select Grandiflora Sweet Peas are "The Pick of the Bunch"

1 PKT. EACH FOR 40 CTS., POSTPAID. 1 OZ. EACH FOR \$1.50, POSTPAID

Black Knight. Maroon.	Hon. Mrs. Kenyon. Yellow.
Blanche Ferry. Pink and white.	King Edward VII. Crimson.
Dorothy Eckford. Pure white.	Lady Grisell Hamilton. Lavender.
Flora Norton. Light blue.	Lovely. Pale pink.
Lord Nelson. Dark blue.	Miss Willmott. Deep orange.
Helen Pierce. White, marbled blue.	Queen Alexandra. Scarlet.

ANY OF THE ABOVE VARIETIES, PKT. 5 CTS., OZ. 15 CTS., ¼LB. 50 CTS., POSTPAID

Spencer or Giant Orchid-Flowering Sweet Peas

A COLLECTION OF 12 VARIETIES, OUR SELECTION, 1 PKT. EACH FOR \$1, POSTPAID; 1 OZ. EACH FOR \$2.50, POSTPAID

*Afterglow. Violet-blue.	Florence Nightingale. Beautiful lavender.
America. White, scarlet-striped.	George Herbert. Salmon-rose.
Apple Blossom. Rose standard, wings blush.	Helen Lewis. Orange-pink.
Asta Ohn. Lavender, tinged mauve.	King Edward VII. Crimson.
Aurora. White, striped salmon.	*King White. White.
Black Knight. Deep maroon.	Othello. Rich, deep maroon.
Captain of the Blues. Bright blue.	Primrose. Soft, pale yellow.
Countess Spencer. Soft rose-pink.	Queen Alexandra. Bright scarlet.
Etta Dyke. White.	*Rainbow. Ivory-white, flaked rose.
Florence Morse. Delicate blush-pink.	*Stirling Stent. Salmon-pink.
	*Vermilion Brilliant. Scarlet self.

ANY OF THE ABOVE VARIETIES NOT MARKED *. PKT., 10c, OZ., 40c. ¼ LB. \$1.25, POSTPAID. THOSE MARKED *, PKT. 15c., OZ. 50c., POSTPAID.



Spencer Sweet Peas

Sweet Peas in Mixtures

In making up the following Mixtures of Sweet Peas, we take care not to put in too much of any one color, thus giving a genuinely good mixture.

Grandiflora. Pkt. 5 cts., oz. 15 cts., ¼ lb. 40 cts., lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

Spencer, or Giant Orchid-flowered. Pkt. 10 cts., oz. 30 cts., ¼ lb. \$1.00, lb. \$3.00, postpaid.



Karlsruhe Balcony Petunias.

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Eight years ago, while motoring in Germany, we saw the most beautiful Petunias trained on the iron railings of the balconies of the town hall of Karlsruhe. It was the most effective balcony decoration we had ever seen. There was only one color—a lovely, rich violet-blue, a color never seen in Petunias before, and the front of the balconies was a solid sheet of color. Inquiry developed that these remarkable Petunias were grown by a local specialist, but we were unable to obtain any seed until four years ago, when we got a small quantity from Germany.

We tested these Petunias most thoroughly in the greenhouse, in porch-boxes and in open borders in the garden, and in every position they were most successful and beautiful, and attracted more attention and admiration than any annual we had in our grounds. We hope all of our customers will try at least one packet of these remarkable Petunias, and if only one kind is tried, we suggest the violet-blue as the most distinct and striking; but both colors are effective and lovely. The plants are quite upright in their growth, much more so than other Petunias, and the lovely, large flowers are produced in the greatest profusion throughout the summer and fall, and at this writing, October 29, these Petunias are still in full bloom. We have had a great deal of complaint about this seed failing to grow—undoubtedly due to deep planting, as we grow several thousand plants from the same seed. It should be barely covered. Firm the soil well before sowing and after sowing sprinkle a little sand over the seed. The seed we offer is perfectly fresh, and grown in our nursery last summer.

Karlsruhe Balcony Petunia, rich violet-blue.....\$0.25
 Karlsruhe Balcony Petunia, dark rich, velvety carmine,
 distinct and beautiful25
 Plants ready in May, \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100.

One packet each of the above for 45 cents, or five packets of any or all varieties for \$1.00.

Vilmorin Single Dahlias

We saw these Dahlias also in Vilmorin trial grounds, and thought them the most beautiful we had ever seen. They were in full flower in July from seed sown in early spring, and can be depended on to flower the same season from spring-sown seed.

Dahlia, single giant flowered.....\$0.15
 Dahlia, single miniature mixed15
 Dahlia, single dwarf compact, striped mixed..... .15

Springdale Mixtures for Hay or Permanent Pasture

Good mixtures of grasses and clovers suitable for any soils or situations. Composed of best-grade seeds only. When ordering state whether for heavy or light soil, or whether required for pasture or hay. Sow three to four bushels to the acre. \$4.00 per bushel.

Imperial Salpiglossis

The writer spent some time on the grounds of the large seed growers of England and France last summer, but found nothing so impressive as the Imperial Salpiglossis in the trial grounds of the famous old seed house of Vilmorin, near Paris. These great seedsmen have been working on an improvement of this popular annual for several years, and have produced one of the most beautiful flowering annuals in existence. The colors are rich and beautiful beyond description, fully equal to that of the finest Gloxinias, which they resemble. Of easy culture. Seed should be sown early in the spring in a hotbed or window, and transplanted when weather is settled, or out doors after danger of frost.

Salpiglossis Gloxinaeflora, yellow with white border....\$0.25
 Salpiglossis Gloxinaeflora, magenta with yellow throat... .25
 Salpiglossis Gloxinaeflora, rosy chamois, carmine center... .25
 Salpiglossis Gloxinaeflora, carmine-red, striped yellow... .25
 Salpiglossis Gloxinaeflora, purple-red, striped yellow.... .25
 Salpiglossis Gloxinaeflora, velvety-red25
 Salpiglossis Gloxinaeflora, violet25
 Salpiglossis Gloxinaeflora, mixed25
 Five packets assorted of any of the above for 1.00

High-Grade Recleaned Lawn Seed

Our various mixtures are composed of the finest recleaned seed, and of the highest purity and germination in each instance. We might mention that you can buy Lawn Seed at all Prices. Our mixtures weigh 20 pounds to the bushel. We intend to carry only one grade, and that the best. We also consider, in making up our mixtures, the production of an immediate but permanent effect, by putting such varieties of grasses in our mixtures to produce this.

1 quart of Lawn Seed will sow from 250 to 300 square feet.
 Qt. 2 Qts. 4 Qts. Pk. Bus.

SPRINGDALE VELVET LAWN SEED. A splendid mixture of fine-growing grasses suitable for a regular lawn\$0.30 \$0.55 \$1.10 \$2.00 \$7.00

SPRINGDALE SHADY LAWN SEED. Suitable for shady places under trees, etc.40 .70 1.25 2.25 8.00

SPRINGDALE TERRACE MIXTURE. Composed of varieties of grasses which make strong roots so as to bind the soil well and prevent it from washing out.... .35 .65 1.25 2.25 8.00

WHITE CLOVER. For lawns. per ½ lb. 40c.; lb. 75c.

Lawn and arden Fertilizers

BONE MEAL (Pure). 5 lbs., 35 cts.; 10 lbs., 65 cts.; 50 lbs., \$2.00; 100 lbs., \$3.75.

PULVERIZED SHEEP MANURE. 2 lbs., 20 cts.; 5 lbs., 35 cts.; 10 lbs., 60 cts.; 25 lbs., \$1.00; 50 lbs., \$1.75; 100 lbs., \$3.

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