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ANNUAL LIST OF

FOR 1924 **NOVELTIES** FOR 1924

ALSO RECENT NOVELTIES AND SPECIALTIES

OF INTEREST TO ALL UP-TO-DATE GARDENERS

NOTE—Novelties are sent out in original packets. Descriptions are those of introducers.

## EUROPEAN AND AMERICAN NOVELTIES

**A**LL gardening enthusiasts are more or less interested in something new in the Floral World, and for this reason, we keep in touch with all new introductions as they appear from year to year. The few Novelties offered below have been selected by us as having a good claim for merit and well worthy of a trial.

### ANTIRRHINUM Nanum Gr'florum "Charm"

A splendid new variety, with all the merit of the now popular Enchantress, large flowers borne on a fine upright spike and very early, but with a richer and deeper shade of color, a beautiful glowing rose. Pkt. 50c.

### NICOTIANA Sanderae "Crimson King"

This is by far the deepest and richest color which has yet been produced in the Nicotiana family, a dark velvety crimson red, and its large flowers will be of splendid effect, either alone or in conjunction with the white and other colors of this popular species. Pkt. 50c.

### PANSY "Orange King"

A great improvement on the variety introduced some years ago, as "St. Knud." The lower portion of the flower is of a vivid orange color, shading at the center to a lighter tone, whereas a distinct creamy tint is to be seen in the upper petals. Pkt. 35c.

### PINK Semperflorens "Perfection"

A splendid strain producing an infinite variety of beautiful shades of red, such as crimson, carmine, pink, rose, salmon, and cinnabar, mostly with an eye of deeper hue. The plants are of a compact habit, extremely floriferous, and possess a delicious odor, which is carried far and wide all around. Pkt. 50c.

### STOCK Beauty of Nice "Salmon King"

In habit this resembles in every respect the well-known variety, "Beauty of Nice." The color, a very rich bright salmon rose, has been admired by all who have seen it; the percentage of double flowers is very large. Pkt. 50c.

### PRIMULA Eureka "Salmon Pink"

Primula Eureka, the parent of this novelty, has commanded everywhere unstinted praise since its introduction. It will be remembered that an Award of Merit was given by the Royal Horticultural Society.

The variety which we now offer is similar in habit and foliage, but carries flowers of a most beautiful shade of salmon pink, well above the foliage, on long stiff stems.

We feel sure the demand for this novelty will be even greater than that which was experienced when Eureka was introduced. Pkt. 75c.

### PRIMULA Malacoides "Fimbriata"

An excellent addition to this very popular class of Primulas. The flowers, of a lovely pink hue, are beautifully and delicately fringed, a phenomenon which has not yet appeared in the Malacoides section, and which enhances immensely the charm of the plant. Both for culture in pots and for cutting, we can strongly recommend this attractive novelty. Pkt. 50c.

### STOCK Brompton Hybrid "Exquisite"

This unique Stock is of a more branching habit than the English Brompton. The single flowers are slightly duplicated, all having five petals and occasionally six, but the very distinct coloring is its chief attraction, being a beautiful rosy pink, which has hardly hitherto been seen in stocks. The petals, too, remain expanded, and have less tendency to curl up than in single types, a really beautiful plant. Pkt. 50c.

## NOVELTIES IN SWEET PEAS FOR 1924

### CHEVALIER

Chevalier is an outstanding new bright rose with just a suspicion of yellow cast evenly over the whole flower. The blooms are of largest size and exquisite form, arranged in fours on a long strong stem. Chevalier was awarded a Certificate of Merit at the International Flower Show, New York, March, 1922, and the National Flower Show, Indianapolis, March, 1922. Pkt. (15 seeds), 25c; ½ oz., \$3.00.

### COMRADE

Award of Merit, Royal Show, Newcastle

Undoubtedly this is the finest Sweet Pea of the season. Its superb size and delicate coloring cannot fail to make it one of the finest varieties in existence.

The stately flowers are a lovely cream pink with a delicate maize-apricot coloring, which makes the flowers a most charming shade.

The plant is extremely vigorous, having a very stout vine producing an abundance of four and five-flowered sprays, with an occasional seven and eight; all of which are perfectly placed. Pkt. (10 seeds), 50c.

### DAFFODIL

Award of Merit, Royal Show, Newcastle

Though we have not yet reached the age of the yellow Sweet Peas, we have in Daffodil a very distinct yellowness which predominates, especially in the young stage. Daffodil is the greatest advance to the yellow Sweet Pea, up to date. Pkt. (10 seeds), 50c.

### KING TUT

King Tut is a pleasing shade of rich rose-pink with wings of a lighter shade. The reverse or back of the standard is heavily flushed with rose-pink on white ground. The flowers of King Tut are enormously large and bold. King Tut was awarded a certificate of Merit at the International Flower Show, New York, March, 1923. Pkt. (15 seeds), 25c; ½ oz., \$3.00.

### MISS SPOKANE

Miss Spokane is a flower of immense size, wonderfully waved, and borne on long stems. The standard is peach-red and the wings bright scarlet, giving a bunch effect of rich orange-scarlet. Awarded a Certificate of Merit at the International Flower Show, New York, March, 1922, and at the National Flower Show, Indianapolis, March, 1922. Pkt. (15 seeds), 25c; ½ oz., \$3.00.

### QUAKER LADY

This beautiful light Lobelia-violet is just the thing that has been wanting for a long time. The bunch effect is clear rich lavender, but in the younger flowers there is a slight suspicion of rose. Quaker Lady was awarded a Certificate of Merit at the International Flower Show, New York, March, 1922, and at the National Flower Show, Indianapolis, March, 1922. Pkt. (15 seeds), 25c; ½ oz., \$3.00.

## RECENT NOVELTIES IN SWEET PEAS

### ADVANCE (King)

A white ground sweet pea, richly flushed rose pink, nearly every stem has huge duplex flowers. Pkt. (12 seeds), 35c.

### BURPEE'S LILAC-PINK

In this exquisite novelty we find a charming combination of salmon, amber, and pale lilac-pink, on cream ground. In the standard the delicate lilac color is heavily suffused with salmon-pink. Per pkt. (12 seeds), 25c.

### FAERIE QUEEN (Dickson)

A strikingly beautiful variety, mottled and flushed, rich salmon pink on cream ground, beautifully frilled. Per pkt. (12 seeds), 35c.

### FORDHOOK ORANGE

Fordhook Orange is a glorious shade of deep rich salmon heavily suffused with bright orange. It is a wonderful and entirely new shade. Per pkt. (12 seeds), 25c.

### HONOR BRIGHT

We consider this grand novelty to be the best of all the cream-pink Sweet Peas. It is perfectly true and fixed to type and color, and will be of great value either for exhibition or cutting purposes. Per pkt. (20 seeds), 25c.

### MIGNONNE (King)

Rose suffused cream developing a beautiful soft tone which makes a charming effect—a splendid color for decorative work. Per pkt. (12 seeds), 35c.

### "ORANGE PRINCE SPENCER"

This splendid new Sweet Pea is a giant orange salmon with rosy tinted wings. Does not burn in the sun, a quality which will earn for it an assured place among Sweet Peas. Per pkt. (12 seeds), 35c.

### POWERSCOURT (A.M.N.S.P.S.)

The largest flowered, strongest growing, and best lavender sweet pea yet introduced. Per pkt. (12 seeds), 35c.

### ROYAL CHERRY (Dickson)

A lovely variety of brightest salmon cerise edged deep rose—an intense color. Per pkt. (12 seeds), 35c.

### SHAMROCK, A.M., R.H.S. (Ireland and Hitchcock)

A rosy mauve, which in the raisers' opinion is the best mauve for market work; a very strong grower. Per pkt. (12 seeds), 35c.

### BURNETT'S "PRIZE-WINNER" COLLECTION SWEET PEAS

Contains a selection of the best Sweet Peas of new and recent introduction, most suitable for garden decoration or for exhibition purposes.

Annie Ireland	Elfrida Pearson	Loyalty	Nubian
Barbara	Fiery Cross	Margaret Atlee, Imp	Picture
Charity	Hawlmarmk Pink	Mrs. C. W. Breadmore	R. F. Felton
Constance Hinton	Hercules	Mrs. Cuthbertson	Rosabelle
Dobbie's Cream	King White	Mrs. Tom Jones	Royal Purple
			Royal Scot
			Thomas Stevenson
			Valentine
			Warrior
			Wedgwood

Collection: 1 pkt. each of the above 25 varieties, \$2.50

### BURNETT'S "EXHIBITOR'S" COLLECTION SWEET PEAS

In the following list of Sweet Peas we have included only the cream of the novelties of recent years. These varieties are all of the Spencer type, and are indispensable for the show bench.

Annie Ireland. Picotee edged.	Hawlmarmk Lavender. Lavender.	Royal Purple. Purple.
Charity. Crimson.	Hawlmarmk Pink. Rose-pink.	Royal Scot. Scarlet.
Constance Hinton. Pure white.	Mrs. T. Jones. Delphinium-blue.	Valentine. Blush pink.
Dobbie's Cream. Cream yellow.	Picture. Cream pink.	Warrior. Maroon.

Collection: 1 pkt. each of the above 12 varieties.....\$1.50  
 Collection: ¼ oz. each of the above 12 varieties..... 2.50  
 Collection: ½ oz. each of the above 12 varieties..... 3.75  
 Collection: 1 oz. each of the above 12 varieties..... 7.00

**NOTE**—For full description of the sweet peas offered in the above two collections, see pages 68, 69 and 70 in our general spring catalogue.

## RECENT NOVELTIES AND SPECIALTIES—In Flower Seeds

### ANTIRRHINUM NANUM GRANDIFLORUM: "MADONNA"

A well-formed white Snapdragon of the broad-petalled grandiflora type, of a dwarf and compact habit, very floriferous with a well furnished spike and makes a fine effect when viewed in the mass. Pkt., 35c.

### ANTIRRHINUM MAJUS GRANDIFLORUM: "PEACHBLOW"

No more distinct variety than this has been introduced up to date. The plants bear many massive spikes of bloom and are of most striking aspect when massed. The individual flower is unique in its coloring, having a central band of rich golden yellow which merges above and below into delicate tint like the flush on the cheek of a well-ripened peach. Pkt., 35c.

### BEGONIA SEMPERFLORENS Fibrous-Rooted

"The Craggs" (New)

The best bedding variety in existence. Color rose-pink, rich bronze foliage. Pkt., 25c.

### CALCEOLARIA

Burnett's Superb Strain

An ornamental greenhouse plant, with beautiful, pocket-like flowers; universally admired for decorating the greenhouse or conservatory. The strain we offer can be relied upon to produce flowers of the largest size and most brilliant colors. Pkt., \$1.00.

### CALENDULA

"Orange King Improved"

This handsome new sort marks a great advance in the old Garden Marigold.

The flowers are of an extra large size, very double, perfect in shape and of a pure glowing orange color.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 75c; pkt., 15c.

### CENTAUREA AMERICANA

A splendid native variety, growing 3 feet high and bearing immense thistle-like blooms of a rosy-lavender color. Very showy in the mixed border and splendid for cutting.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 60c; pkt., 15c.

### CINERARIA HYBRIDA MULTIFLORA NANA

A new race of Cineraria producing dwarf plants with masses of small flowers, measuring about  $\frac{3}{4}$  in. diam., in compact heads over small and dainty foliage.

The flowers are all self-colored, embracing shades of light and dark pink, light and dark blue, red and violet. Pkt., 75c.

### CLERODENDRON Fallax

Handsome, erect-growing greenhouse plants; large spikes of fiery scarlet bloom. Pkt., 75c.

### DIDISCUS CAERULEUS (Blue Lace Flower)

"Queen Ann's Lace"

An old, almost forgotten favorite. This lovely annual has again become extremely popular, on account of its beautiful lace-like flowers of a delightful lavender blue-color. Pkt., 50c.

### DIMORPHOTHECA "EKLONIS"

A new plant from Egypt. Not exceeding 12 to 15 inches in height, it forms a strong-growing compact bush with deep green spatulate leaves and bears large star-shaped pure white flowers up to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ins. across with a diminutive deep blue disk. Pkt., 50c.

### MIGNONETTE

Burnett's Conqueror

Unquestionably the finest Mignonette ever introduced for greenhouse growing. All seed is saved from selected greenhouse grown plants.  $1/16$  oz., \$1.00; pkt., 50c.

### MYOSOTIS ALPESTRIS VICTORIA ULTRAMARINE

A variety of the true Victoria habit, dwarf and erect, producing flowers of a bright deep Blue in great abundance. An ideal plant for bedding. Pkt., 50c.

### PANSY Scottish Chieftain

This magnificent monster-flowering strain of Pansies is the most remarkable in existence, not only in size, but in the wonderful variety of rich and brilliant colorings. The flowers are splendidly formed and of a beautiful velvety texture.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., \$4.00; pkt., 75c.

### PAPAVER NUDICAULE TANGERINE

An entirely new color in Iceland Poppies, extremely delicate and beautiful. Pkt., 35c.

### PAPAVER NUDICAULE

"Sunbeam Improved"

The strain we now offer includes many new tints such as maize, creams and various tones of rose. The flowers which are much larger than any other Iceland Poppies, are borne on long thick stems. Pkt., 35c.

### PETUNIA

Rosy Morn

Light pink with white throat. A lovely shade, splendid bedding variety.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., \$2.00; pkt., 25c.

### PRIMULA MALACOIDES

"Pink Beauty"

A new and very remarkable variety, with large flowers of a beautiful rosy pink, almost shading to mauve. Pkt., 50c.

### SALVIA BURNETT'S "Forest Fire"

For effect Forest Fire is unsurpassed. The plant when in full bloom is about 3 feet high. The individual spikes, which are of a brilliant scarlet, measure 6 inches across.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., \$2.00; pkt., 25c.

### VISCARIA TOM THUMB

"Rosy Gem"

The color of our novelty is a lovely shade of bright carmine rose, the flowers being borne profusely on compact bushy plants 6 to 8 inches in height. Nothing is more showy and effective in the garden than closely planted beds of the beautiful dwarf Viscarias. Per pkt., 50c.

## BURNETT'S GIANT ZINNIAS

These magnificent Zinnias have created a sensation for the past few seasons by all who grew them. The flowers are of enormous size, measuring from 4 to 6 inches in diameter. The plants are of strong, luxuriant growth, 2 to 3 feet high. In this grand new type of Zinnias there are a great many shades and colors, some of which are not desirable, but our selection offered below embraces the largest, choicest and most pleasing in every respect.

Giant Apricot-Orange, Giant White, Giant Crimson, Giant Purple, Giant Salmon-Rose, Giant Scarlet, Giant Flesh Color, Giant Yellow, each oz., \$2.50;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 75c; pkt., 15c. Giant Mixed, oz., \$2.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 60c; pkt., 10c.

COLLECTION—1 pkt. each of above 8 distinct colors, \$1.00.

# BURNETT'S NOVELTIES AND SPECIALTIES IN VEGETABLE SEEDS

## ASPARAGUS ROOTS

Pedigreed Washington

This new strain was developed by the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture. It is rust-resistant and produces large, straight, dark green shoots, with tight, firm tips, which do not open until well out of the ground. Extra large selected roots. 100, \$4.00; 1000, \$35.00.

## BEAN Sutton's Masterpiece (Imported)

The most popular bean for forcing. The plant is robust in constitution, unusually prolific, with long, straight, handsome pods. Entirely stringless. Pt., 85c; qt., \$1.50; 4 qts., \$5.00.

## CABBAGE Burnett's Baby-Head

A new Cabbage of merit which forms small, perfectly round heads, of unusual solidity. The outer leaves are very few and small, which enables it to be planted about 8 inches apart, making it a desirable Cabbage for planting in frames and early outdoor cultivation. Baby-Head is an ideal Cabbage where space is limited and the fact that it can be brought to maturity about 6 weeks after planting makes it a desirable acquisition to the vegetable garden. Pkt., 20c; oz., \$1.00

## CARROT Improved Long Red Surrey

The longest Carrot offered, especially suited for deep soils. Our stock has been selected with the greatest care, and is above comparison with that frequently offered under the Surrey Carrot. The ideal variety for exhibition purposes. (Imported seed.) Pkt., 15c; oz., 50c; ¼ lb., \$1.50.

## CAULIFLOWER Snowball, "Burnett Selected Strain"

No other Cauliflower at the present time is so widely known as Snowball, having supplanted all other sorts for early and late planting. For forcing under glass and growing in frames for early use it has proved superior to all. Its dwarf, compact habit and short outer leaves allow it to be planted closer in the same space of ground than other varieties. Heads pure snow white of the finest quality. Our strain of Snowball is specially grown for us in Denmark for our private estate trade and can be recommended with confidence. Pkt., 25c; ¼ oz., \$2.00; oz., \$6.00.

## LETTUCE Burnett's Balmoral

This grand head Lettuce we can safely say that for forcing or outside planting it is unequalled. The heads are of medium size and very solid; outer leaves light green with golden yellow heart. Pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; ¼ lb., \$1.00.

## MUSKMELON "Burnett's Discovery"

For outside culture and forcing under glass "Discovery" has few equals. The fruit is of an emerald-green color, finely netted, flesh very deep, ripening clear to the rind; of a beautiful salmon color, flavor rich and delicious. It is early, prolific and long bearing. An ideal melon for table use. Pkt., 25c; 5 pkts., \$1.00.

## MUSKMELON "King George"

This is one of the best recently raised. It is beautifully netted, emits a rich aroma, and is particularly thick in the flesh. The color is a scarlet orange throughout, the outer skin being green and quite thin. It is exceedingly juicy and the flavor excellent. It is a very free setter, and can be grown with or without heat. Pkt., 50c.

## ONION Ailsa Craig (Imported)

For exhibition Ailsa Craig is universally recognized as the ideal Onion. The skin is of a pale straw color; flesh white, very mild and quality superb. The bulbs, which are oval-shaped, often attain the phenomenal size of from 3 to 4 lbs., grown exactly under the same conditions necessary to the cultivation of other sorts. Pkt., 25c; oz., \$1.00; ¼ lb., \$3.50.

## PARSLEY Burnett's Emerald Isle

This Parsley is of a beautiful dark green color and more densely curled than the older sorts. The plant is dwarf and very compact, making it most desirable for planting indoors, or for a neat border in the vegetable garden. Pkt., 10c; oz., 50c; ¼ lb., \$1.50.

## PEAS

### THE V. C.

The Largest-Podded Pea in Cultivation. Sutton's Super-Pea

The pods of this truly wonderful Pea measure from 8 to 9 inches; filled with ten or more luscious peas of the most delicious flavor. The haulm is very sturdy, growing to a height of 5 to 6 ft. Of handsome appearance. This is a second early variety and will prove indispensable for exhibitors. Pint, \$1.25; qt., \$2.00.

### Admiral Beatty

This grand new Pea is a medium early variety growing to a height of about 4 ft. It is a remarkable cropper and bears in profusion large pods, each containing 8 to 10 peas of delicious flavor. Pint, 85c; qt., \$1.50.

### Gladstone Selected

The strong constitution of this grand variety enables the plant to remain healthy for a long time during drought, and there is no more reliable late Pea. Pods well filled and fit to gather at a period of the year when Peas are specially prized. Enormous cropper. Height, 3 to 4 feet. Pint, 60c; qt., \$1.00; peck, \$7.00.

### Early Bird

A grand, early, round smooth-seeded variety, with the flavor of the best wrinkled sorts, which can be planted 10 days earlier than Gradus or Prosperity. It bears a very heavy crop of large pods, well filled with delicious marrow flavored peas. 3 ft. Pint, 60c; qt., \$1.00; peck, \$7.00.

NOTE—The above four grand peas are specially grown and imported by us direct from England.—BURNETT BROS.

## SPINACH King of Denmark

This new, long standing Spinach, forms large, compact tufts, the leaves are slightly crumpled, extra large, and broad, and of a dark green color. Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., \$1.50.

## TOMATO "WESTCHESTER PRYDE"

For Forcing or Outdoor Growing

For description, see general catalogue, page 12. Pkt., 25c; 5 pkts., \$1.00.

## TOMATO BURNETT'S "LIBERTY"

For Main Crop and Exhibition Purposes "Liberty" Has No Equal

The fruit is of a glossy red color, large, perfectly round, uniform in shape, very solid, and meaty, of superb quality with few seeds and borne in clusters of from ten to twelve perfect fruits. All exhibitors and growers should not fail to give Liberty a trial. Pkt., 25c; oz., \$1.00.

## NEW TOMATOES (English Introduction)

### "Orange Sunrise"

This superb new tomato is the result of a cross between the best of red and yellow varieties, and bears fruit of a bright orange color. Of rounded form, medium size and earliness, and appearing in large clusters, it is equally suitable for indoor and outdoor culture. Pkt., 50c.

### "Scarlet Beauty"

A grand new variety. The fruit is of a rich deep scarlet, measuring about 7 inches around; smooth and glossy, with a deep flesh; almost without a core. Each plant bears a wonderful crop of heavy trusses on short joints, the produce from some plants being as much as 15 to 18 pounds of fruit. Pkt., 50c.

### "Fillbasket"

A healthy and vigorous cropper of well-formed, medium-sized scarlet fruit; excellent for forcing. Pkt., 25c.

## VEGETABLE MARROW

Feltham Prolific

This remarkable new Marrow combines the good qualities of both the running and the bush classes, from a union of which it is derived. It ripens its smooth white fruit as early or earlier than the bush sorts, and is more prolific. Pkt., 50c.

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