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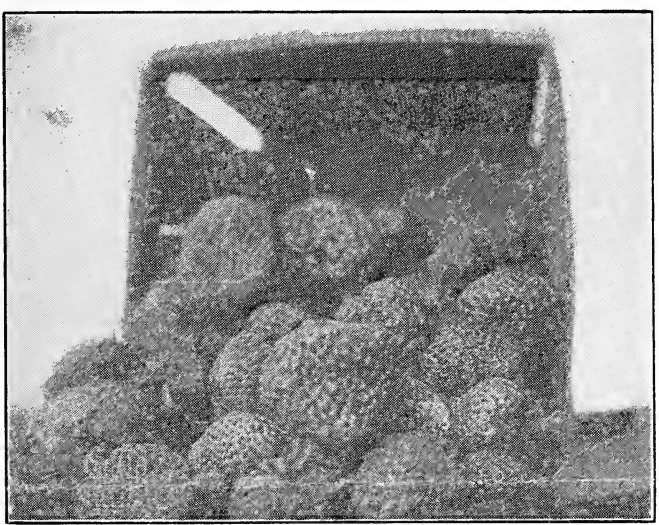
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BASIL PERRY
GEORGETOWN, DELAWARE

STRAWBERRY PLANTS

KELLOGG'S PREMIER—The very best of all early varieties. We have never found anything to equal it. Berries are large, beautifully formed, bright red through and through. It is delicious in flavor and a splendid shipper. We have fruited it six years and consider it the money-making king of all early varieties. It produces a very heavy crop and you should plant heavily, whether growing for home use, local market or distant shipment. If Premier has any weak points, we have not found them and we advise all those in sections where early berries are in demand to include Premier, whether setting fifty plants or fifty thousand.

SUCCESS—Mid-season. One of the best mid-season varieties. Makes wonderful yields on any soil that will produce strawberries of any kind. Fruit is large to extra large, bright scarlet color; flavor is mild, sweet and rich.

BIG JOE—Mid-season. One of the most popular shipping berries on nearly all large markets. It is a strong grower, making plenty of plants for a good fruiting bed. The berries are large, bright red and have large, light green caps, which make the berries very attractive and adds to the selling price. The quality is good and the berries are quite firm. It is a good shipper and equally good for fancy local market purposes. One of the most productive.

EDMUND WILSON—A strikingly unique variety. The plants resemble potato vines in size and vigor; the berries are as large as small apples. Form globular or bluntly heart shaped, of dark maroon color with smooth surface and quite firm. Perhaps the richest in sugary lusciousness of all—indeed a marvel of size and high quality. Upon good soil the plants attain a height of twelve to fifteen inches with a spread of fully a foot, and are enormously prolific. Ripens in mid-season.

CHESAPEAKE—Late. Ripens a little earlier than Gandy, but holds out about as long and much more productive, without green tips. Has a beautiful appearance, extra large, even in shape and uniform in size; plants are strong and healthy, dark green in color, rich and vigorous, no rust, no disease, in fact no weakness of any kind. This is a good one and is well known and extensively planted where strawberries are grown.

HOWARD NO. 17—This berry is exactly the same as Premier. We have kept our original stock separate for those who wish to try it for themselves, but we know it is the same in every respect. No higher place can be given it.

Testimonials

Anacostia, D. C.—The strawberry plants reached me in fine shape and was much pleased with them. Will recommend you to anyone wanting good clean plants.
James W. Pumphrey.

Little Falls, N. Y.—The strawberry plants ordered from you arrived in fine condition. Please accept thanks for the prompt delivery of same.—Mrs. Willard Davis.

Bangor, Maine—The plants we bought from you last Spring were the most satisfactory plants we have ever had.—P. W. Mitchell.

Fall or Everbearing Strawberries

Everbearing strawberries have been produced successfully wherever spring-bearing varieties are grown. The plants are set in early Spring, just like other strawberries; they are hoed, cultivated and fertilized just as other varieties. For best results, the blossoms should be kept pinched off until the last of June, or middle of July. About August 1, you can commence picking fruit and continue to get it until freezing weather. The second year, the plants will fruit in the spring and if seasonable, will continue to fruit all through the summer and early fall months. If you neglected to set some plants last Spring, so as to have some fruiting beds this Spring, the everbearers, planted this Spring will bear you a crop of berries the first year, **only a few weeks after the plants are set.** If the ground is rich and moist, these can be allowed to commence fruiting earlier than August 1, so that you can have strawberries all thru the season, as well as in the fall. No investment you could make will give the whole family more satisfaction and pleasure than a plot of these berries.

PROGRESSIVE—This is a very strong and thrifty grower with tall luxuriant foliage to protect the bloom and fruit from the hot sun and frosts. Practically every blossom makes a berry and every berry makes a perfect fruit. Medium to large in size; dark red; fine quality, and produced in great abundance on the Spring set plants and runner plants during August, September and October. And the first of all varieties, whether June or Everbearing, to ripen on the year-old plants in Spring.

KELLOGG'S PERFECTION—This is the everbearing variety which won the \$1000 cash prize offered for the everbearer which proved nearest perfection; it is strong, hardy and vigorous in plant growth and very productive of uniformly large well-formed berries of rich color, delicate flavor and high quality.

CHAMPION—The new heavy-yielding Everbearing strawberry. You will hear a great deal about this wonderful new variety during the next few years. Champion was introduced in 1921 and is an extra heavy producer of splendid berries during the late summer and fall. Produces a full crop of berries the same year as set.

GARDNER'S 999 GIANT—Very hard to grow altho' the plants that do grow are vigorous and healthy. They produce a few berries which are large in size and of good quality.

Testimonials

Parkersburg, W. Va.—The Progressives were wonderful. I never saw such an abundance of fruit of the very finest quality. We picked berries every day from July 15 to Nov. 12 when the frost got them. They were then full of blooms and berries. We ate all we wanted, gave away lots, sold some and I preserved 30 pints for Winter. The Progressive takes the premium in this family.—Mrs. H. F. Sayre.

Denver, Colo.—The plants I got from you last Spring have done splendid.
G. W. Huber.

Lickdale, Pa.—Your plants were very nice. Had the best roots I had ever seen.
J. M. Groh.

PRICE LIST OF STRAWBERRY PLANTS

Delivered—All Charges Prepaid to Your Nearest Express or Post Office.

	25	100	250	500	1000
Big Joe	\$ 0.40	\$ 1.00	\$ 2.00	\$ 3.50	\$ 6.50
Chesapeake .....	.50	1.50	3.00	5.00	10.00
Champion (Everbearing) .....	.70	2.00	4.00	7.50	15.00
Edmund Wilson .....	.50	1.50	3.00	6.00	12.00
Gardner's 999 Giant (Everbearing)	1.00	3.00			
Howard No. 17 .....	.40	1.00	2.00	3.50	6.50
Kellogg's Premier .....	.40	1.00	2.00	3.50	6.50
Kellogg's Perfection (Everbear'g)	1.00	3.00	7.00	12.50	25.00
Progressive (Everbearing) .....	.70	2.00	4.00	7.50	15.00
Success .....	.40	1.00	2.00	3.50	6.50

PRICES

Our prices are fair for the quality of plants we send out. They are not high. They are not low; neither is the quality of our plants and service. A fair price for good plants is a sound investment.

Nowhere is the first cost less important than in the purchase of strawberry plants. An extra dollar or two per thousand plants may well mean many, many dollars in your net profits. Good plants, in good condition, and true-to-name are more important than price. Figured on a basis of returns per dollar invested, you will find our plants really cheaper than "cheap" plants. They are produced and handled to give results—to compete in quantity and quality of the crop, but not in price.

SWEET POTATO PLANTS

YELLOW JERSEY—Ready from May 1st to July 1st. Price 60c per 100; \$3.00 per 1000. Delivered, all charges prepaid to your nearest express or post office.

ASPARAGUS ROOTS

PALMETTO—Large, productive and of high quality; dark green. Ten days to two weeks earlier than other kinds. Price of good strong roots, 50c per dozen; \$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1000. Delivered, all charges prepaid to your nearest express or post office.

CALIFORNIA PRIVET

A Very Popular Hedge Plant

12 to 18 inches \$5.00 per 100—\$40.00 per 1000.
 18 to 24 inches \$6.00 per 100—\$50.00 per 1000.
 2 to 3 feet \$8.00 per 100—\$70.00 per 1000.

Testimonials

Cicero, Ill.—Your plants are best of all we ever received—John Klepetko.