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GENERAL DIRECTIONS TO CUSTOMERS.

ORDER EARLY.—All orders should be sent as early as possible, as they are filled in the order in which they are received. In our busy season it is sometimes impossible to fill orders on the same day as received; hence the advisability of ordering early.

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GUARANTEE.—We use great care to have our Seeds true and reliable, but owing to many contingencies arising to prevent the best seed from always giving satisfactory results, such as sowing too deep, too shallow, in too wet or too dry soil, wet weather, frosts, damage by insects, as soon as or before the plants appear, etc. In common with other responsible Seed firms, we sell our goods subject to the following disclaimer, being that adopted by the American Seed Trade Association:

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PARTIAL VIEW OF OUR GREENHOUSES.

FLOWER SEED NOVELTIES

FOR 1909.

NEW ASTERS.

New Early Branching. A distinct advance in the class of Branching Asters offered last season for the first time. They come into bloom about two weeks earlier than the late Branching varieties, and also differ in having fewer branches and are almost free of side buds, the whole strength of the plant being given to the few extra large flowers which are borne on long stiff stems. We offer two colors only: Early Branching White, and Early Branching Rose. Per pkt. 10 cts.



New Early Branching Aster.

New Early Wonder. A grand new Aster that has become very popular on account of its extreme earliness in flowering. The plants grow 15 to 18 inches high and bear freely, its perfectly double flowers on long stems making it very useful for cutting. Per pkt. 10 cts.



Giant Antirrhinum or Snapdragon.

Vick's Mikado Pink. This beautiful variety belongs to the Comet type; the petals are long and narrow, gracefully reflexed, and being curled and twisted toward the center of the flower have that fluffy effect now so much desired. The color is an exquisite shade of shell-pink. In growth, the plants are unusually vigorous, it being not uncommon to find plants with a dozen long stemmed flowers of 4 to 6 inches in diameter on one plant. Per pkt. 25 cts.

Vick's Mikado White. Like the above in all respects, but with large pure white flowers. Per pkt. 15 cts.

GIANT ANTIRRHINUM OR SNAP-DRAGON.

These old fashioned plants are now receiving the attention they deserve. They are easily grown, giving satisfaction from early summer until late in the fall. They start readily from seed and make plants 18 inches to 2 feet high, freely branched and each branch terminated with a large spike of curiously formed flowers resembling a dragon's head. The colors are rich and varied and range from pure white to the deepest red, also yellow, spotted, flaked, etc. On account of their lasting qualities and long stems, they are very useful as cut flowers. Per pkt. 10 cts.

NEW EXTRA EARLY COSMOS.

The beautiful Cosmos, so popular in the larger cities farther south is unable to perfect its flowers in this climate on account of our early frosts, but with this new early strain, an abundance of flowers can be cut from plants grown from seed sown in the open ground; the flowers while not quite so large as the late variety are of the same delicate and beautiful colors and shades, and the foliage is the same delicate fern-like growth as the old variety. Per pkt. 10 cts.

NEW ORCHID-FLOWERING SWEET PEAS.

This distinct type is the largest and most graceful of all Sweet Peas. The flowers are of unusual size and substance, of a wavy and fluted appearance and produce their large and beautifully formed flowers on long stems. While there are a large number of Orchid-flowering varieties being introduced this season, we have selected the following as among the best and most distinct.

- Apple Blossom Spencer.** Very large flowers with petals waved and crinkled to a remarkable degree; color, bright rose and pink. The vine is thrifty and the large handsome flowers are freely produced on long stems. Per pkt. of 20 seeds, 15 cts.
- Countess Spencer.** The first of this type of Sweet Pea, large flowers of fine form and substance; color, a lovely shade of clear pink, slightly deeper at the edges. Pkt. 10 cts.
- E. J. Castle.** A very striking variety; color, bright crimson-rose with veins of deeper rose. Per pkt. 10 cts.
- Frank Dolby.** The largest and finest pale lavender blue. Pkt. 10 cts.
- Gladys Unwin.** A charming shade of pale roso pink; one of the best for cutting on account of the long stems and soft coloring. Pkt. 10 cts.
- Helen Lewis.** Brilliant crimson-orange, wings orange rose; the flowers are of large size, the standards frequently measuring two inches across. Per pkt. 10 cts.
- Helen Pierce.** A charming combination, marbled blue on a white ground, with the veins showing deeper; very similar to a mottled blue Gloxinia. Per pkt. 10 cts.
- John Ingman.** Rich earmine-rose veined with deeper rose. Per pkt. 10 cts.
- White Spencer.** One of the finest varieties in existence; its extra large flowers are produced in the greatest profusion; the bold standard is crinkled and fluted, and the wings are so fluted and folded as to nearly hide the keel. The flowers are borne 3 and 4 on a stem and gracefuly placed; the vines are vigorous and free flowering. Per pkt. 10 cts.
- Nora Unwin.** Pure white with large wide open flowers on long stems. Per pkt. 10 cts.
- Collection of 10 varieties for 75 cts.

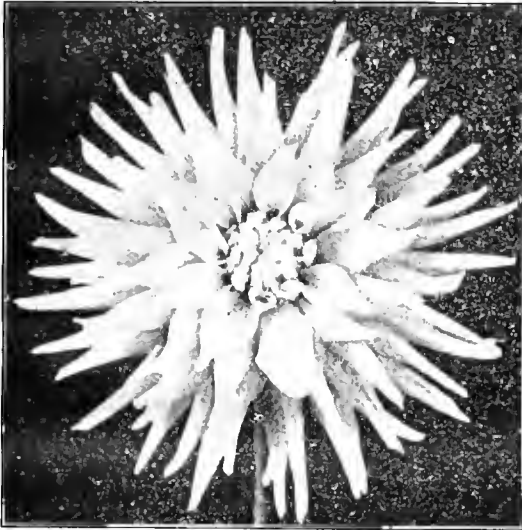
NEW CANNA.

Ottawa.

A fine new variety of robust growth, attaining a height of 5 to 6 feet. The flowers are large and beautifully formed; color, the most beautiful shade ever seen in the Canna family, earmine, with tints of old rose and deep coral, add to this the silken sheen and you can imagine the effect a few plants will produce. It is one of the earliest to flower and continues until cut down by frost. Strong growing plants 25 cts. each.

NEW DAHLIAS.

- Country Girl.** A free and early blooming variety, with flowers of large size and broad pointed petals; color, golden yellow suffused with a salmon-rose; one of the prettiest of the new Cactus varieties. Growing plants 25 cts. each.
- Frau Hermine Marx.** A Cactus variety and one of the best for cut flowers. The flowers are of medium size and of a beautiful shade of silvery rose, almost identical in color with the La France Rose. 25 cts. each.
- Fire Rain.** A fine decorative variety, both for general display and cutting. The color is a rich cardinal red; the plant is a strong grower and an early and continuous bloomer. 15 cts. each.



DAHLIA—Country Girl.

One each of the above six varieties for \$1.00.

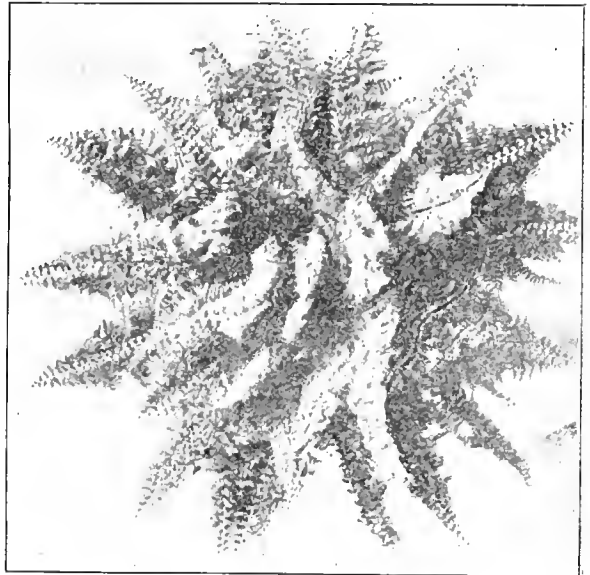
NEW FERNS.

Nephrolepis

Whitmanii.

This new Ostrich Plume variety is the best of all the crested forms of Boston Fern. In this variety the pinnae or leaflets are so finely divided that it reminds one of a piece of fine lace; the fronds are broad, dense and graceful; the habit of the plant is perfect, being of robust growth and quickly growing into fine specimens.

Strong young plants 25 cts. each.
Large plants 50 cts. to \$3.00 each.



New Ostrich Plume Fern.

Gustave Doazon. A sensational decorative variety with flowers of mammoth proportions and under ordinary culture will produce flowers 6 inches and over in diameter. It is of strong growth, very free flowering and pure red in color. 25 cts. each.

Pius X. A beautiful large white Cactus variety with large very double flowers with nicely quilled petals; white, slightly tinted with yellow. 25 cts. each.

Roland von Berlin. A handsome and brilliant Cactus Dahlia; in color it is of an intense geranium red with deeper shadings and full of fire. 25 cts. each.

Nephrolepis Amerpohli. The Philadelphia Lace Fern. This variety while distinct from the preceding, is very similar in general appearance. 25 cts. each. Strong plants from 5 inch pots, 50 cts. each.

Nephrolepis Todeoides. An English variety of crested fern and while not as finely divided as the preceding varieties, is liked by many for its strong compact growth and bold heavy foliage. 25 cts. each. Strong plants from 5 inch pots, 50 cts. each.

NEW GLADIOLUS.

America. While this variety has been on the market the past two or three years, the price has been so high as to be almost prohibitive. It is conceded by all to be one of the best varieties for bedding or cutting ever sent out. The color is a beautiful soft shell-pink, orchid like in coloring and texture; growth and habit are perfect. Large blooming bulbs, 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.

Blue Jay. The finest blue Gladiolus yet seen; it is a rich deep color of an indigo shade, and the only real blue Gladiolus on the market today. 15 cts. each, two for 25 cts.

Sulphur King. The finest clear yellow yet introduced; the flowers are of good size and well arranged on a tall spike. 15 cts. each, two for 25 cts. One each of the above three varieties for 35 cts.

NEW ROSES.



Baby Rambler Rose.

Baby Rambler. A very popular addition to the list of bedding Roses. It is a seedling of the well-known Crimson Rambler, but instead of the climbing habit of that variety, it produces dwarf compact bushes about 18 inches in height, with clean bright foliage, which is remarkably free from insect troubles or disease. The most remarkable feature of this variety is its freedom of bloom, being never out of bloom from early spring until heavy frosts. The flowers are of the same rich shade of crimson as the parent. Strong plants from 4 inch pots, 25 cts. each.

Annie Muller. (The Pink Baby Rambler). A new variety which will undoubtedly become as popular as the original Baby Rambler. It is almost identical in growth and habit, with the original variety, except in color which is a brilliant luminous pink which is always admired. Strong plants 25 cts. each.

Catherine Zeimet. (The White Baby Rambler). Very similar to the above varieties, but with pure white flowers with yellow stamens. Strong plants 25 cts. each.

General Collection of Vegetable Seeds.

In the following list will be found a collection of the best standard varieties of Vegetable Seeds. We have endeavored to list, not as many as we could, but only the best and most distinct. Many catalogues contain a long list of varieties that are so similar that it would take an expert to distinguish them. The varieties listed here are only those that we know are not only first class, but well adapted to our short seasons. Our prices are low considering quality; we do not handle cheap seed at any price. If you want cheap seeds, apply to your Representative in Congress, who will supply you free, with about as cheap (considering quality) seeds as it is possible to procure anywhere. The best seeds are the cheapest in the end, as more than 90% of the cost of growing a crop is in land and labor, and it costs no more to grow a good crop than a poor one. We have for many years supplied many of the market gardeners in this section of the State with large quantities of seeds and our constantly increasing trade in this line is the best evidence of the quality of our seeds.

Special prices will be quoted on application, to large planters and market gardeners using large quantities of seeds.

Free by Mail. All seeds in packets, ounces and quarter pounds are sent postage paid. Postage will be charged at the rate of 8 cents per pound on one-half pound and upward of one variety. Peas and Beans at the rate of 15 cts. per quart.

ASPARAGUS.

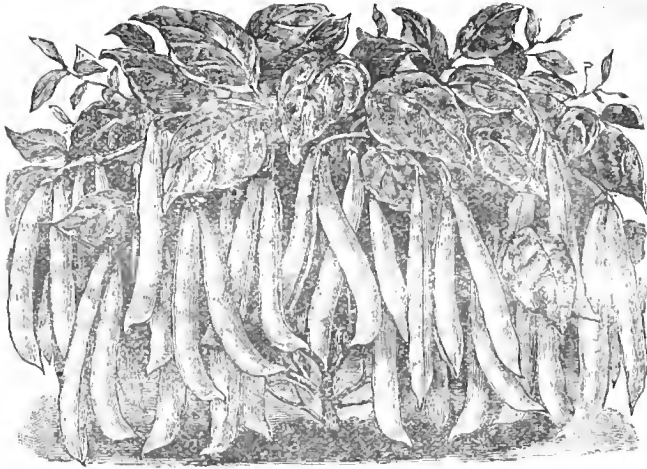
Conover's Colossal. The standard variety, shoots of the largest size, good quality and very productive.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts.

Columbian Mammoth White. A new variety, producing large white stalks of the finest quality.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.

BEANS.



Improved Golden Wax Bean.

Improved Golden Wax. Probably the most popular variety of Dwarf Bush Wax Beans, and although introduced in 1876 is undoubtedly superior to any variety in its class today. It is practically rust proof, very early and productive, with long broad fleshy pods of a rich golden yellow color, cooking quickly as a snap bean or equally good as a shell bean.
Pkt. 10 cts.; pint, 15 cts.; quart, 25 cts.; peck, \$1.75.

Improved Round Pod Valentine. The standard green podded variety. Very early and prolific, pods remarkably tender and fleshy.
Pkt. 10 cts.; pint, 15 cts.; quart, 25 cts.; peck, \$1.10; bushel, \$4.00.

Stringless Green Pod. A grand early green podded variety and superior to any other variety grown. It is very productive, the pods are long, very fleshy and solid, and are of a beautiful shade of green and absolutely stringless, even when fully matured. Positively the best and earliest green bush bean grown.
Pkt. 10 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 30 cts.; peck, \$1.75; bushel, \$6.50.

Wardwell's Kidney Wax. One of the best wax beans, of strong upright bush growth, bearing long flat pods of a delicate, waxy yellow, very tender and absolutely stringless, very productive.
Pkt. 10 cts.; pint, 15 cts.; quart, 25 cts.; peck, \$1.75.

Henderson's Bush Lima. The most valuable variety for this climate. Very early, being fit to use weeks ahead of the old pole Limas; very productive and of excellent quality.
Pkt. 10 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 30 cts.; peck, \$1.75.

Seibert's Large Early Lima. A very early and prolific strain of large Limas, and the only variety that can be depended on to produce a crop in this latitude. The pods are of medium length and well filled with large, fleshy beans of the finest flavor.
Pkt. 10 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 35 cts.

BEETS.



Crimson Globe.

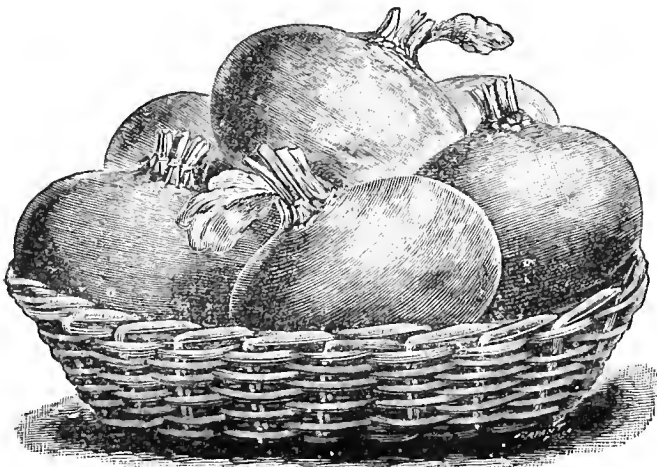
Crimson Globe. A remarkably fine variety on account of its smooth skin and fine shape. We have had it on trial the past two seasons and find it a very desirable variety. It is a second early, does not grow large and coarse, and the flesh is sweet and tender. The color is a rich dark blood red. The tops are small and dark in color. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; lb. 75 cts.

Crosby's Egyptian. An improved form of the early Egyptian. An extra early variety of fine quality, uniform size and perfect shape. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

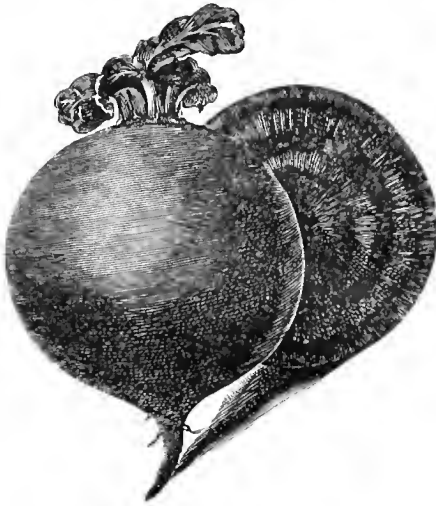
Detroit Dark Red. A very choice variety of globular shape and small tops, skin and flesh bright red, tender and sweet. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20 cts.; lb. 60 cts.

Eclipse. Smooth and round; fine grained and of excellent quality. Very early. The best for table use. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 25 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

Sugar Beet, Danish Improved. The roots grow to a large size and are of very heavy weight; they are rich in sugar and most desirable for stock feeding. The roots are oval and pink in color. Lb., 35 cts.



CROSBY'S EGYPTIAN—SELECTED STOCK.



Detroit Dark Red Beet.

who have a reputation for the best stocks. There is no reason why any one should not have plenty of Cabbage. They are easily grown from seed. Select a nice clean loamy soil for a seed bed and sow the seed in rows a foot apart. When the plants are three or four inches high, plant out in their permanent location.

Early Winingstadt. An old favorite, good for early or late use; pointed head.
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lbs., 50 cts.

Early Jersey Wakefield. The standard early variety. More of this variety is planted for early market

Mammoth Red Mangel. The best variety for stock feeding and the largest and heaviest of all Mangels; skin bright dark red.
1 lb., 35 cts.

BRUSSEL SPROUTS.

This highly esteemed vegetable produces sprouts or miniature cabbages the whole length of the stem. These sprouts are a great delicacy, boiled in the same way as cauliflower. It is ready for use in the fall after early frosts.
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

CABBAGE.

There is no vegetable in which the quality of the seed exerts so much influence as in the Cabbage. Our seed is procured from the best Cabbage seed growers, who have a reputation for the best stocks. They are easily grown from seed.

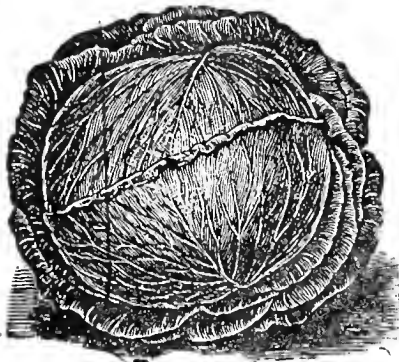


Early Jersey Wakefield Cabbage.

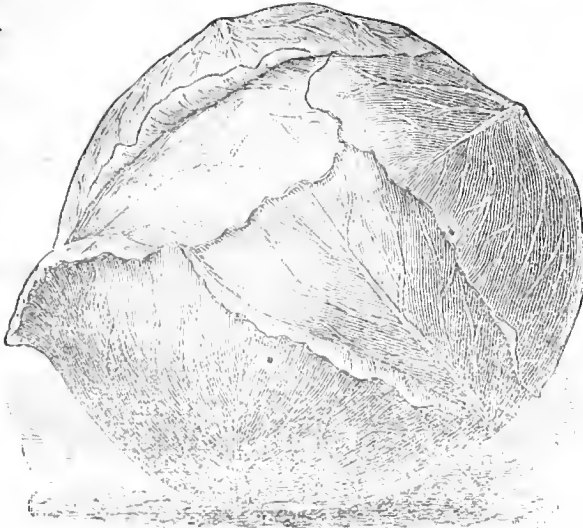
than all other early varieties combined.
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 60c.

All Head Early. The earliest of the large heading or drum head cabbage. The heads are deep and solid, very uniform in size and of excellent quality.
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 75c.

Short Stem Drumhead. A fine main crop variety, very short stem and compact growth. The heads are large and solid and very uniform in size and shape.
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 60c.



All Head Early Cabbage.



Premium Flat Dutch Cabbage.

grown for shipment to distant markets. It is of medium size, round as a ball, as hard as a rock, and an excellent keeper.
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 75 cts.

Autumn King. Esteemed by many as the finest late cabbage for Fall and Winter use. It is extremely large, frequently weighing 25 pounds when grown in good soil. Very solid and an excellent keeper.
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 75 cts.

Red Dutch. The popular red pickling variety. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

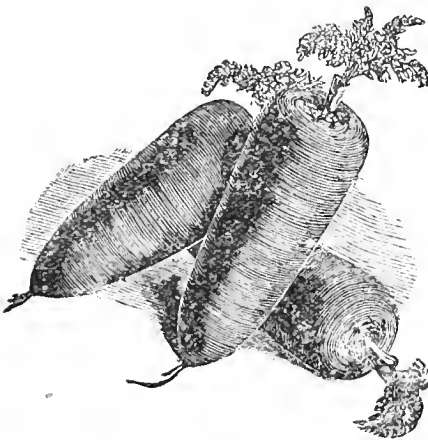
Premium Flat Dutch.

The standard winter variety, very large and solid, and an excellent keeper. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 50 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.50.

Surehead. A later variety noted for its reliability in heading. The heads grow large, firm and fine in texture and weigh from 10 to 15 lbs. each. Excellent keeper. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 60 cts.

Danish Ball Head.

This hard-headed variety originally came from Denmark where it is largely



Danvers Half Long Carrot.

A great yielder. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts.

CARROT.

Danver's Half Long. A handsome orange carrot of large size and fine quality. Will yield the greatest weight per acre, with the shortest length of root, of any other variety.

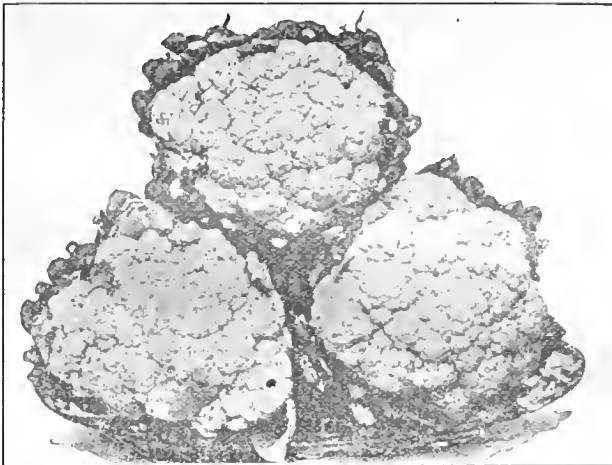
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 75 cts.

Early Oxheart of Guerande. A desirable early variety with short thick roots of excellent quality. A grand variety to grow in heavy soil.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 25 cts.; 1 lb., 75 cts.

Improved Short White. The best of the white varieties. Very thick crisp roots of excellent quality.

CAULIFLOWER.



Selected Early Snowball Cauliflower.

There is no reason why this delicious vegetable should not be more generally grown in this latitude, as they are easily grown, requiring about the same culture as Cabbage, but must have rich moist soil. The seed can be sown any time up to June 10th. Our seed is grown in Denmark and the grower spares no time nor expense in developing his stocks, as the best Cauliflowers produce seed very sparingly. The seed from such a strain as ours is consequently high in price.

Early Snowball. This is without doubt the earliest and best strain of this popular variety, and under favorable conditions nearly every plant will make a fine head. While very early, it is also the best for late planting on account of its reliability in heading up.
Per pkt. 15 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 60 cts.; oz., \$2.25.

Extra Early Dwarf Erfurt. Very dwarf and early, very few plants fail to produce solid pure white heads of the finest quality.
Pkt. 15 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 60 cts.; oz., \$2.25.

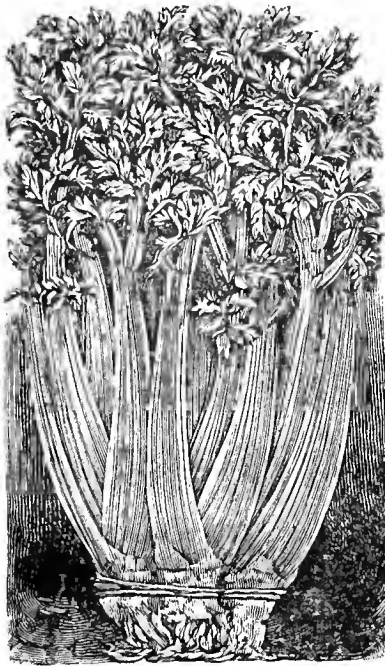
Large Late Algiers. A strong growing late variety, producing large, solid white heads late in fall.
Pkt. 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 40 cts.; oz. 75 cts.

CELERY.

Golden Self Blanching. On account of its superior qualities and general excellence, this variety is now the leading sort in all high class markets; the handsome color, crispness, freedom from stringiness, and rich nutty flavor make it the standard for all purposes. While not quite as early as White Plume, it outclasses that variety in all other respects. We have a very fine strain of seed, grown by the originator in France.
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 30 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., \$1.00.

White Plume. The standard early variety. On account of its white leaves and stalks it requires very little earthing up to blanch it.
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 60 cts.

Giant Pascal. An extra large variety and the best for winter use. The stalks are very large, solid, crisp and of the richest nutty flavor.
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 50 cts.



Winter Queen. A grand winter Celery that is becoming very popular on account of its compact sturdy growth, rich, nutty flavor and excellent keeping qualities. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 60 cts.

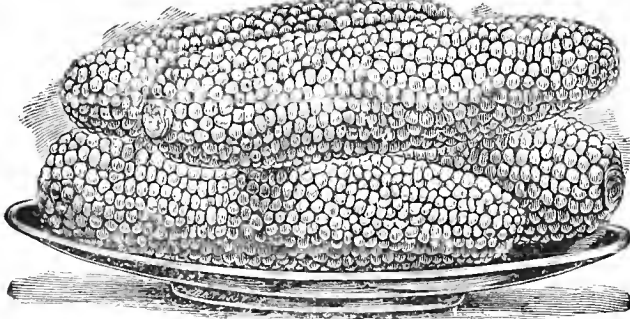
New Rose. Solid and crisp, stalks a beautiful light rose color. A late keeper and surpasses the white varieties in richness of flavor. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.

CORN.

White Cob Cory. An improvement of the Cory corn, with white cob and kernels. It is fully as early as the older variety, with ears of larger size. Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 15 cts.; qt., 25 cts.; peck, \$1.00; bushel, \$3.50.

Early Crosby. A favorite early variety, coming right in after Cory. Very productive, ears medium sized and of a rich, sugary flavor. Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 15 cts.; qt., 25 cts.; peck, \$1.25; bushel, \$4.00.

Golden Self Blanching Celery.
Squantum, or Potter's Excelsior. A fine second early variety, and one of the sweetest and most productive; ears medium size. Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 15 cts.; qt., 25 cts.; peck, \$1.25; bushel, \$4.00.



Country Gentleman. One of the finest varieties for table use. The ears are eight to ten inches long, cob very small and kernels of great depth; quality delicious.

Pkt. 5 cts.; pt. 20 cts.; qt., 30 cts.; peck \$1.75.

Country Gentleman Corn.

Golden Bantam. Undoubtedly the best extra early variety of real Sweet Corn ever introduced. The growth of the plants is dwarf, averaging only about four feet in height, the ears are from 5 to 7 inches in length, but what it lacks in size is more than made up in quality and productiveness. The distinct color, which is a golden yellow, is so unusual that many persons seeing it for the first time ask if it is really a Sweet Corn, but a single trial of its splendid quality soon convinces them that it actually is the finest flavored of all Sweet Corns. It is especially valuable for the Northern States as on account of its hardiness it can be planted a week or ten days earlier than the other varieties of Sweet Corn. Half pint, 15 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; qt., 35 cts.



Early Evergreen Corn.

Early Evergreen. This excellent new variety ripens ten to twelve days earlier than the well-known and popular Stowell's Evergreen and is equally as good for all purposes. The kernels are sweet and tender and remain a long time in condition to use. The

ears are almost as large as the Stowell's with the same deep, narrow kernels as that variety.

Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 15 cts.; qt., 25 cts.; peck, \$1.25; bushel, \$4.00.

Stowell's Evergreen. The standard late variety for home use or market. Ears very large, completely filled with large deep kernels of the finest flavor. Pkt., 5 cts.; pt., 15 cts.; qt., 25 cts.; peck, \$1.25; bushel, \$4.00.

CUCUMBER.

One ounce will plant fifty hills; two pounds will plant one acre.

Everbearing. A valuable variety, very early and productive. If the fruits are kept picked the vines will continue in bearing throughout the season. The fruits are of medium size, dark green in color and of excellent quality. A favorite with many for pickling.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 25 cts.; 1 lb., 90 cts.

Cumberland Pickling. The fruits are of handsome appearance, straight and symmetrical and set with fine spines over the entire surface. The flesh is firm, crisp and tender, with a fine flavor. An excellent variety for slicing or for pickles.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 35 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.00.

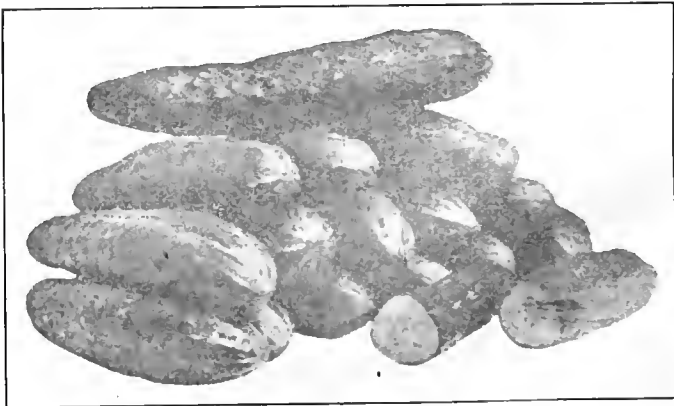
Early White Spine. The most popular variety for table or market. Very early, productive and of excellent flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 35 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.00.

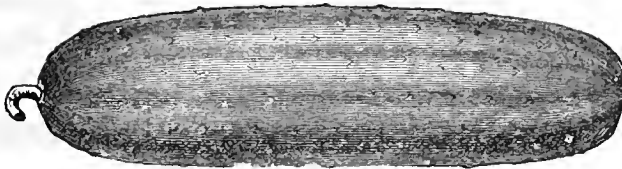
Chicago Pickling. The best variety for pickles; very productive, medium sized deep green fruits.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 35 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.00.

Davis' Perfect. This new variety beats all others in point of beauty, quality and productiveness. It loads its vines so heavily that it seems almost impossible for them to mature their fruits, which are of a beautiful dark green color of handsome shape and of the finest quality, bringing the highest prices in the large city markets. One of the finest varieties for slicing and equally good for pickling. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 50c.



Davis' Perfect Cucumber.



Extra Long Green Cucumber.

Extra Long Green.

A fine variety producing smooth regular fruits 10 to 12 inches long, of excellent quality, producing very few seeds. A valuable variety for

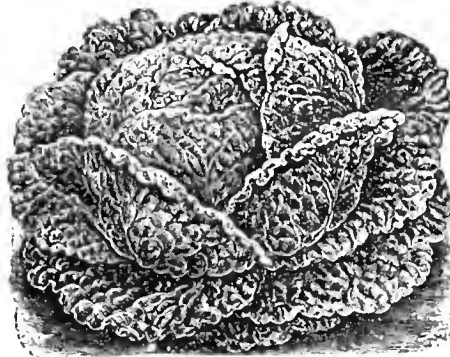
table or market use. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 35 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.00.

EGG PLANT.

New York Improved. The leading market variety, very large, productive and of good quality. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 35 cts.

LETTUCE.

Boston Market. The earliest heading variety; fine large smooth leaves; excellent for planting in hot beds or first crop in the garden. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 35 cts.



Big Boston. A very popular large heading variety, equally good for hot bed or garden. It heads well in the open ground during the Spring and Fall, and is quite tender and solid. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 40 cts.

Black Seeded Simpson. Large loose heads of tender golden yellow leaves. One of the best for forcing. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 30 cts.

LETTUCE—Big Boston.

Wonderful. Large white heads frequently weighing 2 or 3 lbs. each; very crisp, rich and tender; one of the best for summer planting. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 40 cts.

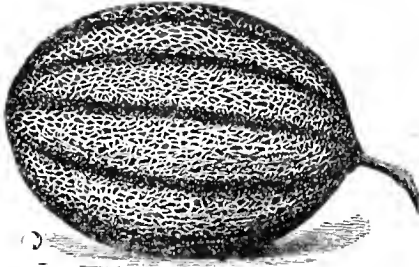
Grand Rapids. The best variety for forcing for market. It matures quickly, and retains its freshness a long time after being cut. Very large loose head. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 30 cts.



LETTUCE—Wonderful.

MUSK MELONS.

Musk Melons should be more largely grown in the Northern States. Their culture is not difficult, and our seasons are long enough to produce a fine crop of the best quality of Melons, if given good culture and a rich mellow soil. To prevent the attacks of insects when young is the greatest difficulty in growing all vine crops, but by planting plenty of seed to the hill and thoroughly dusting the young plants with air slacked lime, land plaster or fine road dust, will always insure a stand; when danger from insects is over, pull out all but three plants to the hill and keep ground well cultivated without disturbing the vines. Plant in hills 4 to 6 feet apart.



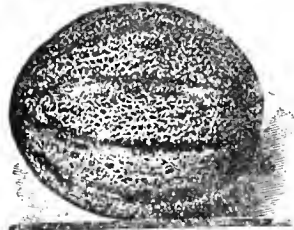
MUSK MELON—Defender.

ity to the very shell. The vines are vigorous and productive.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts. $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 40 cts.

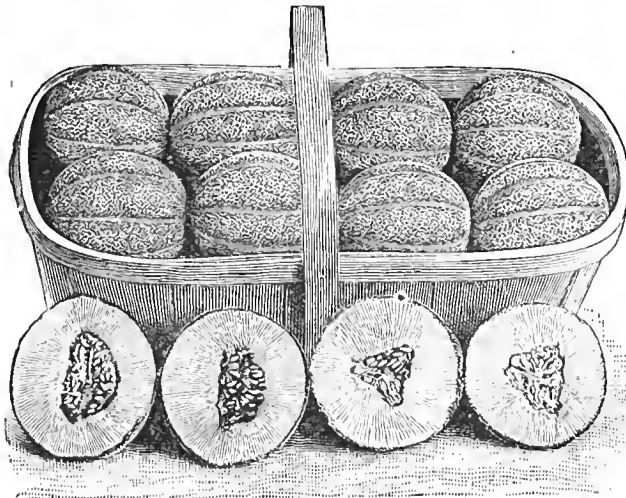
Improved Jenny Lind. The Jenny Lind Musk Melon has long been known for its extreme earliness and free bearing qualities. This improved strain will be found to be equally as early and productive, but with larger and finer flavored fruits. On account of its extreme earliness, it should be largely planted in this section. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 30 cts.

Defender. Handsome in appearance oval in form; of regular, even size and finely netted. They are medium in size, averaging 7 inches in length and have a diameter of about 5 inches. The flesh is salmon colored, firm, fine grained, rich and of excellent flavor, and retains its qual-



Paul Rose Musk Melon.

Paul Rose. One of the best Musk Melons introduced in many years; very early, extra quality, thick salmon colored flesh, and very productive. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 30 cts.



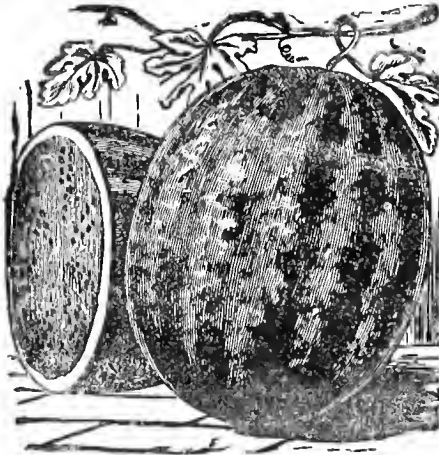
Rocky Ford Melon.

Rocky Ford. An improvement on Netted Gem. Very early; delicious deep green flesh, ripening close to the rind; medium size. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 30 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.00.

Bay View. Very large oblong fruits, about a foot in length and six inches in diameter. The fruits have broad heavy ribs well netted, and light green flesh of good flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 30 cts.

Montreal Market. The largest of the Nutmeg varieties. Very large, almost round, quality delicious; flesh green and very deep; early and productive. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 40 cts.



Cole's Early.

Our seed has been saved from the earliest and best fruits and has been grown in this Northern climate.

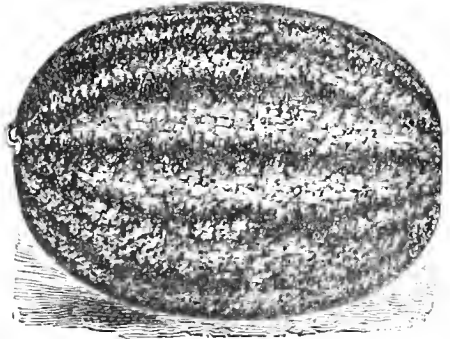
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 25 cts.

Fordhook Early. The earliest large melon, and as good or better than the large Southern varieties; flesh bright red of fine flavor, and very sweet; color, plain green.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 30 cts.

Phinney's Early. A very early variety; medium and uniform size, and a beautiful form. The skin is smooth, with white mottled and dark green stripes. Flesh light red or pink, sweet and delicious. One of the very best for home use.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 25 cts.; 1 lb., 75 cts.



Phinney's Early Watermelon.

Hungarian Honey Improved. An excellent variety that will easily mature its fruit in the North. The Melons grow nearly round in shape, skin dark green, flesh rich red with a delicious flavor, very sugary melting. While not large enough for market purposes, it is one of the best for home use on account of its quality.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 30 cts.

WATERMELON.

In regard to the growth of this crop, the same may be said of these as of Musk Melon, they should be more largely grown in the north, as with the early varieties offered below and good rich soil a fine crop can be grown. These should be given more room than Muskmelons; 6 to 8 feet would be about right.

Cole's Early. Absolutely the best and earliest variety for our Northern climate. The flesh is bright red, delicate in texture while the flavor is equal to if not superior to the best of the improved southern varieties. The vines are vigorous and productive, producing good size melons with a thin rind.

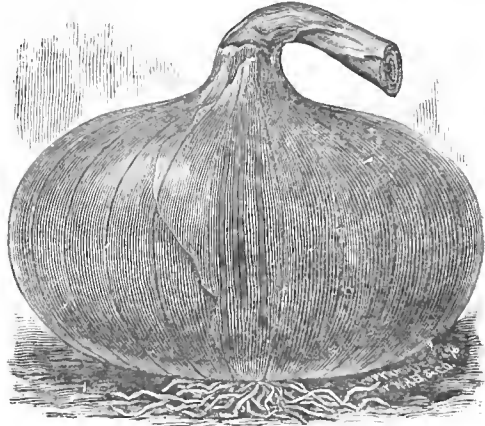
and best fruits and has been

Kleckley's Sweet. A good variety, unsurpassed for home use. The fruits are oval in form, dark green in color, with bright scarlet flesh and exceedingly sweet. This variety is so crisp and tender it will not stand shipping. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 25 cts.

Citron. A large fruiting strain for preserving; flesh white and solid. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 25 cts.

ONION.

Probably no vegetable is more widely known than the Onion, and with no vegetable is it more necessary to have good seed. It is many times better to sow none at all than to sow much of the worthless stuff that is commonly sold. Our seed is procured from a grower who uses only large well ripened and uniform shaped bulbs, properly wintered and harvested. If you buy Onion Seed buy only the best whether you buy from us or not. First quality seed can never be low in price.

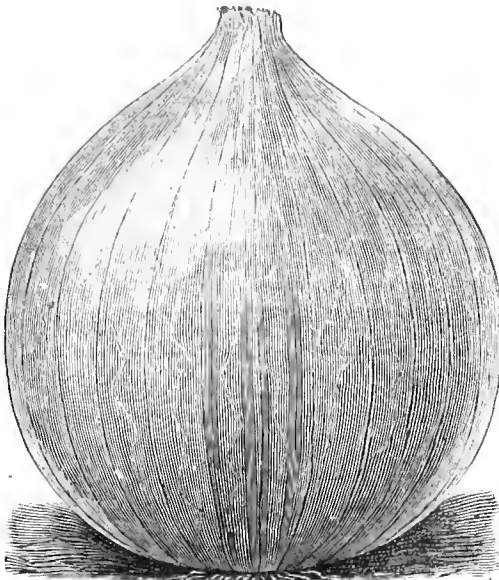


Australian Erowa Onion.

Australian Brown. It is very quick to mature, ripening two or three weeks earlier than the old varieties. Its keeping quality is remarkable, keeping in good condition when all other varieties are gone. The bulbs are medium to large in size and shape, and mild in flavor. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 50 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.50.

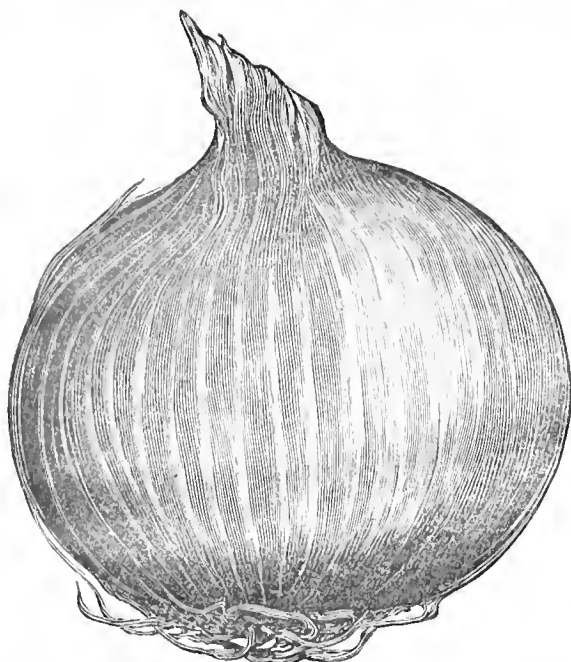
Extra Early Red. An abundant yielder and a good keeper. The bulbs are medium size, rich red color solid and heavy; being a flat variety they will mature in cold heavy soil better than most varieties. Pkt. 5c.; oz., 20c.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 50c.; lb., \$1.75.

Large White Globe. Pure white, true globe shape, mild flavor and a good keeper. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 30 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 90c.; lb., \$3.25.



Large White Globe Onion.

Red Wethersfield. The standard large red variety, almost round; fine grained and a good keeper. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$1.75.



Select Yellow Globe Danvers Onion.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 50 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.85.

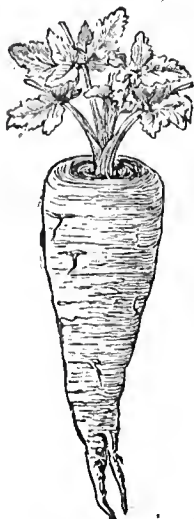
White Portugal. A standard variety on account of its early ripening qualities. A good keeper and mild and sweet in flavor. When seed is sown thickly and not thinned, is very desirable for pickles.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 60 cts.; 1 lb., \$2.00.

Yellow Danvers. A selected strain combining earliness with very large yield. A grand market variety and can be grown in most locations where globe shaped varieties will not ripen. Bulbs are flat with pale yellowish skin with crisp white flesh of mild flavor. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 50 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.50.

Yellow Globe Danvers. The standard yellow variety; an excellent keeper and very productive; true globe shape and uniform size. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 60 cts.; 1 lb., \$2.00.

Mammoth Prizetaker. A variety of immense size, pale yellow in color, mild flavor and an immense yielder.



Hollow Crown.
PARSNIP.

ONION SETS.

These are very small Onions which should be planted early in spring and will produce green onions or large bulbs much quicker and surer than seeds. We have a fine lot of home grown sets.

Yellow Sets. Price: Pint, 10 cts.; qt., 15 cts.

White Sets. Pint, 10 cts.; qt., 20 cts.

Red Sets. Pint, 10 cts.; qt., 15 cts.

If sent by mail add 10 cts. per qt. for postage.

Onion Sets are subject to market changes. If larger quantities are wanted, will quote firm price at any time.

PARSLEY.

Moss Curled. A compact growing variety, beautifully curled and crimped, excellent for garnishing or flavoring. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

PARSNIP.

Hollow Crown. The best for general use. Large smooth roots of uniform size. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 15 cts.; 1 lb., 40 cts.

PEPPER.



Chinese Giant. The finest and largest variety of mild flavor. The flesh is universally mild, very sweet and of great thickness. The plants are very productive, frequently half a dozen peppers on a single stem. The fruits are of thick, blocky form and bright scarlet in color.

Pkt. 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 25 cts.; oz., 40 cts.

Bell or Bull Nose. A large early variety of mild flavor. The standard for baking and pickling.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 60 cts.

PEPPER—Long Red Cayenne.

Long Red Cayenne. Large bright red and full of fire; used principally for pickling. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.

Golden Queen. The best yellow variety; very large and uniform in size, mild flavor. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.

GARDEN PEAS.

Alaska. One of the earliest, large round pods, well filled with peas of the finest quality; seed blue.

Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 15 cts.; qt., 25 cts.; peck, \$1.75; bushel, \$6.00.



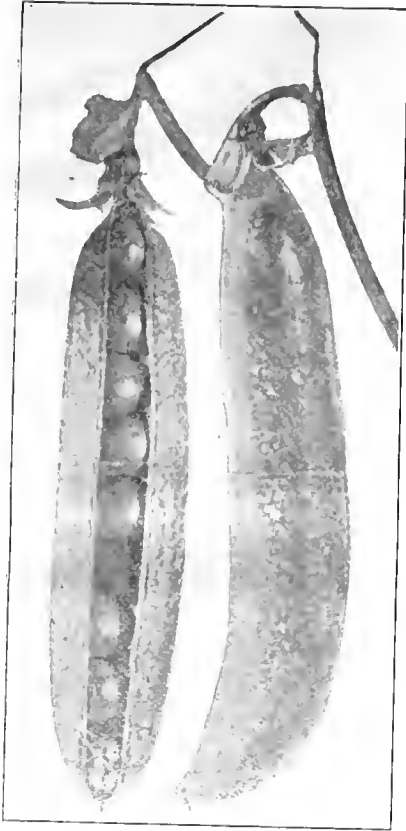
Alaska Peas.

Nott's Excelsior. The best early dwarf variety and much better in every respect than American Wonder. The growth is very compact, rarely growing over 10 inches high and very productive. The pods are one-third larger than American Wonder and are well filled with large peas of large size and unusually sweet flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 20 cts.; qt., 30 cts.; peck, \$1.75; bushel, \$6.00.

Little Gem. An early wrinkled variety of excellent quality, growing about eighteen inches high; very prolific.

Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 20 cts.; qt., 30 cts.; peck, \$1.75; bushel, \$6.00.



Gradus or Prosperity.

Gradus or Prosperity. The largest podded early Pea. A variety of great merit that has become wonderfully popular the past few years on account of its enormous pods, earliness and delicious flavor. Of very vigorous habit and productive to a marked degree; invaluable for the home or market garden; height about 3 feet.

Pkt. 10 cts.; pt., 20 cts.; qt., 35 cts.; peck, \$2.00.

SEED POTATOES.

We do not aim to supply a long list of varieties, but those we do offer are all proven kinds. As is well known Potatoes grown in the North are the best for seed. There is profit as well as satisfaction in planting the best varieties, and the increased yield secured from a change of seed most always pays for the seed itself.

Hustler. This variety grows larger, yields more large potatoes, and ripens more uniformly than most other extra early kinds. Its large plump, chunky, smooth and handsome tubers are among the first to market at the highest price. They are excellent cookers, heavy yielders, good keeper, remaining sound and firm until summer.

Price: $\frac{1}{2}$ peck, 35 cts.; peck, 60 cts.; bushel, \$2.00.

Hercule. A second early green wrinkled variety and one of the best for home use or market. Pods very large and filled with extra large peas of the finest quality; very productive.
Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 15 cts.; qt., 30 cts.; peck, \$1.75; bushel, \$6.00.

Surprise or Eclipse. This variety is one of the earliest of the wrinkled sorts. The vines grow about 18 inches high and are thickly set with round well filled pods, two and a half to three inches in length, the peas long remain tender and sweet.
Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 20 cts.; qt., 30 cts.; peck, \$1.75.

Stratagem. One of the best late or main crop varieties. Pods of immense size filed with very dark green peas of finest quality. Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 15 cts.; qt., 30 cts.; peck, \$1.85.

Telephone. A tall growing variety, with very large pods well filled with large peas of delicious flavor. It comes into bearing soon after Little Gem and continues for quite a long time.
Pkt. 5 cts.; pt., 25 cts.; qt., 30 cts.; peck, \$1.75; bushel, \$6.50.

Marrowfat. The well-known late variety, standing the heat of summer better than most other varieties.

Pt., 10 cts.; qt., 20 cts.; peck, \$1.00; bushel, \$3.50.

Irish Cobbler. An excellent early variety, maturing good size tubers seven weeks from planting. It has a remarkable characteristic of producing very few if any small potatoes, all being of marketable size. The flesh is pure white, with a clean smooth skin. In quality they are excellent, always cooking dry and mealy. They are grand keepers, remaining solid and firm until planting time again.
Price: $\frac{1}{2}$ peck, 25 cts.; peck, 45 cts.; bushel, \$1.50.

Sir Walter Raleigh. The best of all the rural varieties, and a very profitable all around main crop potato, noted for yield, size, smoothness and handsome appearance. Tubers are large, seldom any small ones, nearly round in shape, but somewhat flattened; skin pure white, eyes few and very shallow; almost blight proof and a sure and heavy yielder in any soil. Price: $\frac{1}{2}$ peck, 20 cts.; peck, 45 cts.; bushel, \$1.50.

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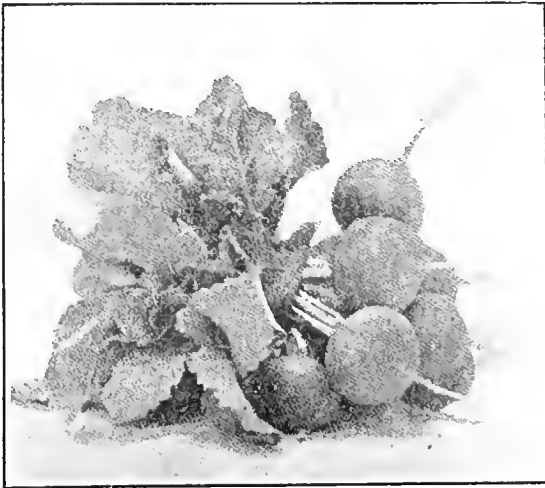
Sugar. Medium sized remarkably sweet, fine grained and dry, very productive. The best for pies.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.

Mammoth or Field. Immense size, good quality, and very productive.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 45 cts.

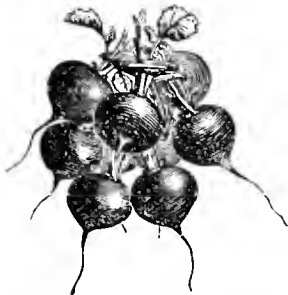
RADISH.



Crimson Giant Radish.

Crimson Giant. One of the most remarkable new varieties that has ever come to our notice. It combines earliness with large size and does not become spongy even when fully twice the size of other varieties. The flesh is firm, crisp and tender. The color is beautiful carmine crimson. We strongly recommend this variety for hot beds as well as for gardens.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 25 cts.; lb., 65 cts.



Early Round Red Radish.

Early Ecarlet Turnip. A quick growing variety, with small top; rich color; crisp and tender.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.

Early Round Red. Very early. skin brilliant red, flesh white, solid, crisp and very mild.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 65 cts.

Earliest White Olive. Of handsome olive shape, with white skin and flesh, and clear, mild flavor. Very early, being ready for use in about 21 days from sowing the seed.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.

Scarlet Globe. An extra fine variety, slightly oval in form, of superb quality; flesh white and tender and rich bright scarlet in color.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.

Early Long Scarlet. The standard early long variety. The radishes are long, of even red color, and very attractive in appearance. The flesh is crisp, tender and of mild flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.

French Breakfast. A splendid olive shaped variety, of medium size, very crisp and tender; red, tipped white. One of the best.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.

Scarlet Turnip White Tip. Deep scarlet, with white tip; very early; with small top. Very attractive in appearance.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.

SALSIFY, or VEGETABLE OYSTER.

Sandwich Island. One of the most nutritious vegetables and should be more generally grown. The culture is the same as for Carrots or Parsnips. The plants have a grassy top and long tapering root and resemble a slim Parsnip. The roots having been boiled and fried resemble oysters in flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 35 cts.; lb., \$1.15.

SPINACH.

Long Starding. This is decidedly the best for spring sowing, as it stands fully two weeks longer than any other sort before running to seed. The leaves are large, thick, fleshy and crumpled.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 15 cts.; 1 lb., 35 cts.

Round Thick Leaved. One of the most popular with our market gardeners; leaves large, thick and fleshy; excellent for fall sowing, being very hardy.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 15 cts.; 1 lb., 35 cts.

SQUASH.

Summer Varieties.

White Bush Scallop. Of true bush growth, very early and productive, with large thick, waxy white fruits of superb flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 25 cts.; 1 lb., 75 cts.

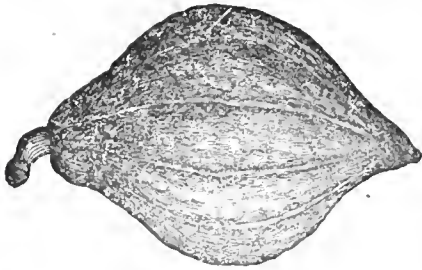
Giant Summer Crookneck. The most popular variety; early, productive and of excellent quality; grows in bush form.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 25 cts.; 1 lb., 85 cts.

Winter Varieties.

Delicious. This new Fall and Winter Squash is finer grained and more delicious than the well-known Hubbard. The color of the skin is green, with an occasional blue specimen; size about same as Hubbard, weighing from 5 to 10 pounds. For table use, either as a Fall or Winter Squash, it cannot be excelled, the flesh being remarkably thick, fine grained, sweet and of rich flavor. The best specimens of "Delicious" are naturally equal to other Squashes after they have had the addition of sugar, eggs and milk.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 30 cts.; lb., \$1.00.



Hubbard Squash.

Golden Hubbard. Shape same as old fashioned Hubbard, but skin is rich orange color. The flesh is deep golden yellow, cooks dry, fine flavor. The keeping qualities are fully equal to the old variety.

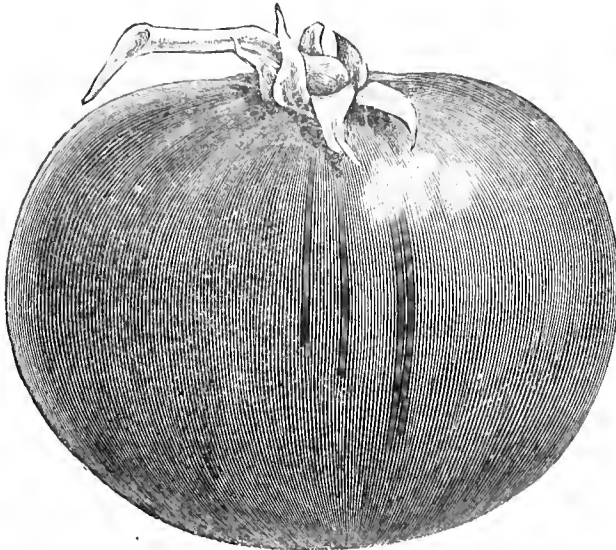
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 25 cts.; 1 lb., 75 cts.

Hubbard. The old favorite winter variety. Very large, flesh yellow, very dry, sweet and fine flavored. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 25 cts.; 1 lb., 75 cts.

Boston Marrow. A very productive variety, with bright orange skin and flesh. A good variety for winter use and excellent for pies.
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 75 cts.

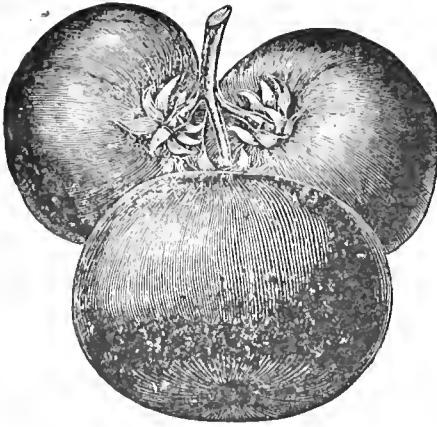
TOMATO.

Dwarf Champion. An early and distinct variety, growing stiff and upright in form and requiring no support. Fruit medium size, perfectly smooth, bright purplish red in color and very productive.
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 75 cts.



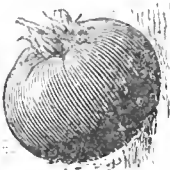
Chalk's Early Jewel Tomato.

Chalk's Early Jewel. Almost as early as Earliana, but the fruits are larger, more solid and thicker. The plants are very vigorous and extremely productive. It is one of the most profitable varieties for main crop as well as extreme earliness. This variety is claimed by many to be as early as Earliana, but in our trials it was only a few days later.
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz., 30 cts.



Sparks' Earliana Tomato.

abundant bearer and will produce as much fruit per acre as the larger growing varieties. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 35 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., \$1.00.

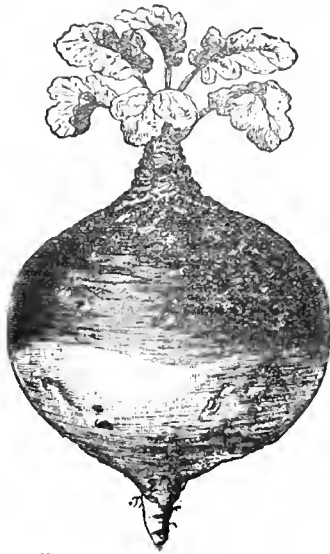


Livingston Beauty

Livingston Beauty. The standard market variety in this locality. Large smooth and solid; very productive. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 75 cts.

Ponderosa. The largest variety in cultivation; very smooth, solid and meaty. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 40 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., \$1.20.

Matchless. A splendid main crop variety. Fruits are very large, solid, perfectly smooth and of fine quality, very productive. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 30 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., \$1.00.



Ruta Baga—Long Island Improved.

Spark's Earliana. It is not only remarkable for its extreme earliness, but also for its smooth, uniform shape and solidity. It is of large size, while in quality it is the equal of any variety grown. Reports from growers in all parts of this country and Canada confirm the statement—the earliest variety in existence.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz., 35 cts.

Quarter Century. A new dwarf growing upright variety very similar in growth to the Dwarf Champion, but surpassing that variety in size, solidity and quality of fruit. The fruits are large, smooth, free from cracks, and intense deep red in color. It is an early and

Stone. The heaviest and most solid of all the large, smooth, main crop varieties. Vines vigorous and productive; fruit large, round, deep red in color and good quality. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 75 cts.

TURNIP.

Purple Top Strap Leaf. An early white fleshed variety of mild flavor and rapid growth. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 15 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts.

White Egg. Very early, of handsome oval form, pure white skin and sweet, firm, mild flesh. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20 cts. lb. 60 cts.

Ruta Baga—Long Island Improved. The best variety. Very large with firm yellow flesh, of good quality; good for table use or stock feeding. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

Monarch. A grand yellow fleshed variety, with very large, smooth roots and small neck and top. Flesh solid, fine grained and of the very best flavor. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

HERBS.

Sage. The most generally used of all herbs for flavoring and dressing. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 40 cts.; 1 lb., \$1.40.

Summer Savory. The well known and indispensable herb for seasoning. etc. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 30 cts.

LAWRANCE'S LAWN GRASS SEED.

There is no other thing which at so small an outlay can add greater value to the home than a well kept lawn. When a lawn is once established from good seed it will last for years, but good results can only be obtained by using a proper combination of the most suitable grasses adapted to this climate. Our mixture embraces such varieties as are perfectly hardy, lasting and of that rich green color so necessary in a fine lawn. The seed germinates quickly, roots deep, and makes a thick permanent sod in a short time. We use only re-cleaned seed, free from chaff and weed seeds, therefore requiring less seed than most others. One quart will sow 300 square feet.

Price per quart, 20 cts.; per peck, \$1.00; per bushel of 20 lbs., \$5.00.
If by mail, add 5 cts. per quart for postage.

Sward Food.

A fertilizer especially prepared to feed grasses and insure a thick matted growth of rootlets, resulting in a compact and velvety turf. It also acts as a preventative and destroyer of the Antler or grass moth, and contains in soluble form the organic requisites for the healthy and luxuriant growth of all varieties of grasses. It is equally valuable for Ferns and Flowering Plants, Melon Crops, Cabbage and Corn.

5-pound bag, 25 cts.; 10-pound bag, 50 cts.; 25-pound bag, \$1.10.

Do not cover your lawn with unsightly stable manure. Use SWARD FOOD.

LAWRANCE'S NURSERIES, OGDENSBURG, N. Y.

MEMORANDA.

FLOWER SEEDS.

We give special attention to our Flower Seeds and aim to handle only the best strains to be procured, both of home and foreign growth. We do not offer a long list of varieties, but only the best and most generally known, and those we know are best suited to the amateur. We offer no seeds of inferior quality, at cheap prices, nor do we give any premiums, preferring to give the value in the best seeds procurable at honest prices. Many of the varieties are of our own growing and most careful selection, while others are from specialists in this and foreign countries.

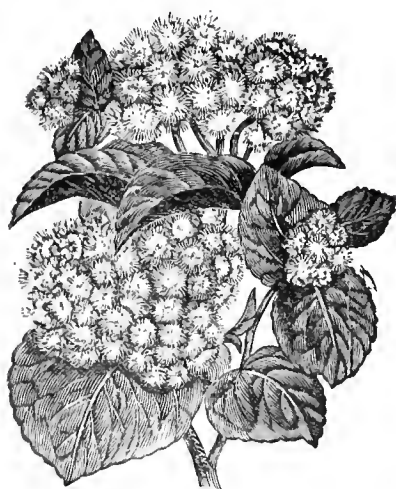
GENERAL RULES.

Many of the failures with Flower Seeds are due to the lack of proper conditions, such as sowing too deep, too early, too late, in improperly prepared soil, etc., and while it would be impossible to give explicit directions in our limited space, we give a few general directions, which, if followed, will give only good result. For all seeds which should be started early in the house, such as Carnation Marguerite, Cockscomb, Colens, Canna, Heliotrope, Petunia, Verbena, &c., the best plan is to sow in shallow boxes, pans or anything of convenient size and having good drainage. These should be filled about half their depth with broken crockery, coal ashes, or any material which will allow the water to drain away freely. The upper half should be filled with nicely sifted soil composed of about one-third sand, one third leaf mold or well-rotted manure, and one third good garden soil. Press the soil down level and firm and water thoroughly several hours before sowing the seeds. When ready scatter the seeds thinly over the surface and cover them with finely sifted soil to a depth of about four times the diameter of the seeds. This means with very fine seed such as Petunia, a covering of about one-thirty-second of an inch, while with such large seed as Canna, a covering of nearly an inch would be necessary. After covering, firm the soil again and water just enough to reach the seeds. The best plan in watering is to place the box or pan in a larger vessel containing water enough to reach about half the depth of the box, and leave until the soil is saturated; the box can then be covered with a pane of glass or papers to hold the moisture. When the seedlings appear all shading must be removed and they must now have plenty of light and air. The soil at no time must become dry, as this is the most critical time, and any lack of attention at this time may mean an entire failure. When the seedlings are large enough to handle they should be transplanted into similar boxes or small pots and kept in a light, airy situation until time to plant out in the open ground.

For all hardy annuals such as Alyssum, Candytuft, Mignonette, Poppies, etc., the simplest plan is to sow the seeds directly in the open ground. When the soil is in good working condition, it should be well dug and the surface raked fine. Sow the seeds evenly and thinly, preferably in rows, so that they may more easily be kept clean. The same directions for covering the seeds should be followed as described above. When the seedlings are about an inch high they should be thinned out, giving each plant plenty of room to grow.

General Collection of Flower Seeds.

FLOWER SEEDS ARE DELIVERED FREE
TO ALL PARTS OF THE COUNTRY.



Ageratum.

Ageratum. One of our best bedding plants on account of their ease of culture and free blooming quality, easily raised from seed, not particular as to soil, and covered with a sheet of bloom from early summer until frost. Mixed colors, white and blue. Per pkt. 5 cts.

Alyssum. (Sweet Alyssum). Free blooming dwarf plants for beds, baskets, vases and edgings. Pure white. Pkt. 5 cts.

Amaranthus. Tri-color. A very effective annual plant with beautiful variegated red, yellow and green foliage. A splendid plant for centers of beds or background of borders. Pkt. 5 cts. Oz. 35 cts.

Amaranthus Caudatus. (Love-lies-bleeding). A striking variety with long, dark red, drooping flower spikes. Pkt. 5 cts. Oz. 25 cts.

Antirrhinum. (Snapdragon). A very showy and useful garden plant of the easiest culture, with curious shaped flowers, of the most brilliant and varied colors. Pkt. 5 cts.

Aquilegia. (Columbine). One of our best hardy perennial plants, growing from 1 to 3 feet high and producing their beautiful flowers in abundance in May and June. The colors range from white to purple, rose yellow, striped, etc. Mixed colors. Per pkt. 5 cts.

Arctotis Grandis. A remarkably handsome new annual from South Africa, growing to perfection in our climate and forming well branched bushes two to three feet in height. The single flowers on long stems stand quite loose, above the whitish green foliage, and measure, when fully open, from three to three and a half inches in diameter. The ray florets are white on the upper surface and embellished with a narrow, yellow zone at their base, reverse of petals pale lavender; of very easy culture and flowers continually until heavy frosts. Pkt. 10 cts.

ASTERS.

Lawrance's Premier Mixed. A grand mixture composed of the newest and best varieties in cultivation especially selected for garden culture under ordinary circumstances. We have annually improved this strain by adding new and distinct varieties until we now think we have the best strain of Mixed Asters on the market. It includes among the older varieties such new ones as the Upright, Early Branching, new colors in Ostrich Plume, Giant Comet, Victoria, etc. All are of vigorous growth and may be depended upon to produce an endless variety of colors and forms. Per pkt. 10 cts. 3 pkts. for 25 cts.

Giant Comet. One of the finest of the tall growing Asters. The large double flowers are composed of long wavy twisted petals resembling the Japanese Chrysanthemums. The plants are of strong growth, about 18 inches high, and very productive of large long stemmed flowers. Giant Comet White, pkt. 10 cts. Giant Comet Pink, pkt. 10 cts. Giant Comet Mixed, pkt. 10 cts. Giant Comet Purple, pkt. 10 cts. Collection of the four varieties for 35 cts.



Branching Aster.

New Late Branching. The best and most satisfactory Aster of any on the market to-day. The plants are strong, vigorous growers, making bushes 2 to 3 feet high and bearing large Chrysanthemum-like flowers 4 to 5 inches in diameter on long strong stems. They come into bloom about two weeks later than the average variety and continue until late fall.

White Branching, pkt. 10c. Purple Branching, pkt. 10c. Lavender Branching, pkt. 10c. Pink Branching, pkt. 10c. Crimson Branching, pkt. 10c. Mixed Branching, pkt. 10c.

Collection of six varieties for 50 cts.

Daybreak. A very fine variety growing about 18 inches tall, and producing an abundance of large, very double and perfectly formed flowers of a delicate sea shell pink, an early and continuous bloomer and excellent for cutting purposes. Pkt. 10 cts.

- Purity.** A fit companion to the above, to which it is identical in every respect, except in color which is pure white. Pkt. 10 cts.
- Vick's Cardinal.** A new and entirely distinct variety. For brilliancy of color and profusion of bloom this Aster is in a class by itself. The flowers are large and full, free from yellow centers and borne on graceful stems of average length. In color, which is a brilliant cardinal, there is no other variety with which to compare it. It blooms from early August until late in the fall. Pkt. 10 cts.
- Carlson's Lavender.** A strong healthy variety, producing large long stemmed flowers in abundance. We consider this the best of all lavender varieties yet introduced. Pkt. 10 cts.
- Violet King.** The habit of this grand variety is very similar to the Branching variety, being vigorous in growth, with long stiff stems and luxuriant foliage of the richest green. In form the flower is distinct from other varieties; the petals are quilled, those in the center being twisted, curled and incurved, completely covering the center. The flowers are large and full and frequently measure 4 to 5 inches in diameter. The color is a rich violet. Pkt. 10 cts.



Balsam.

- Balsam.** An old garden favorite of the easiest culture, covered all summer with a profusion of brilliant colored double, rose-shaped flowers. Finest mixed, pkt. 5 cts. Pure white, 5 cts.

- Brachycome.** (Swan River Daisy). A pretty free blooming, small growing annual suitable for small beds, edging, etc. Very free blooming, covered all through the summer with an abundance of blue and white daisy like flowers. Per pkt. 5 cts.

- Calendula.** (Pot Marigold). Showy free flowering annuals, with yellow flowers produced in great abundance. Pkt. 5 cts.

- Calliopsis.** Beautiful free blooming hardy annuals of bright colors. Pkt. 5 cts.

- Campanula.** (Bellflower). Well known, easily grown biennials and perennials producing large bell shaped flowers in great profusion and of many shades of blue and rose, and pure white. Mixed colors, per pkt. 5 cts.

- Canary Bird Vine.** A rapid growing vine, producing quaint little canary colored blossoms bearing a resemblance to a bird with its wings partly expanded. Per pkt. 5 cts.



Calliopsis.



Cockscomb—(Glasgow Prize.)

ing habit. The flowers are of large size, deliciously fragrant and perfectly double. Seed sown in the spring will produce plants that will bloom continually from August until heavy frosts. Mixed varieties. Pkt. 10 cts.

Cockscomb. ("Glasgow Prize"). A graceful plant, producing large, dark crimson, comb-shaped flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.

Cockscomb. (Feathered Varieties). Fine plants for large beds or groups, producing freely, large feathery plumes, ranging from clear yellow to the darkest red. Per pkt. 10 cts.

Chrysanthemum. Annual varieties. Showy garden plants of great value for cut flowers. Mixed colors, pkt. 5 cts.

Centaurea Cyanus. (Bachelor's Button). Also called Blue Bottle and Ragged Sailor. Free blooming, hardy annuals; very popular. Mixed colors, pkt. 5 cts.

Cosmos. Handsome autumn-blooming plant with beautiful foliage. The flowers resemble single dahlias, and are borne in loose graceful clusters. Plants grow to a height of 5 or 6 feet. Seed should be sown in the house in March or April, and transplanted in open ground in May. Mixed colors. Pkt. 10 cts.

Candytuft. Dwarf old-fashioned plants that require no care and will grow in any soil, and are completely covered with blossoms.

Giant Empress. Pure white. Pkt. 5 cts.; per oz. 15 cts.

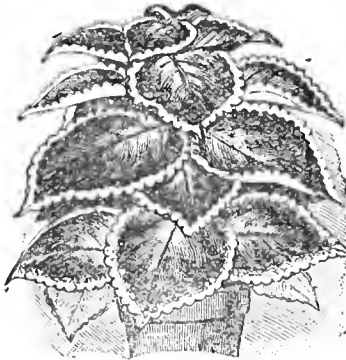
Canra. (Indian Shot). One of the finest of bedding plants for this climate. Rich tropical foliage and large spikes of flowers of different shades and colorings. The seed should be soaked in warm water 12 hours before sowing. Mixed colors per pkt. 10 cts.

Carnation. (Marguerite). A decidedly popular variety of this beautiful plant on account of its early bloom.



Cockscomb—(Feathered Variety.)

Centaurea Imperialis. (Giant Sweet Sultans). A distinct and much improved form of this popular and old garden annual, of the easiest culture and blooming continually all through the season. The plants are of vigorous growth, two to three feet high, and produce abundantly large flowers on long stems, in shades of color ranging from white through all the shades of lilac and pink, to purple, while some are beautifully shaded. The flowers are quite fragrant and when cut last a long time in good condition. The seed should be sown in the open ground early in the spring. Per pkt. 10 cts. 3 pkts. for 25 cts.



Fancy Coleus.

freely produced on stout stalks which hold them well above the foliage. The seed may be sown any time in spring or autumn. Pkt. 25 cts.

Dianthus. (Bladem Pink). A most desirable plant of easy culture, and unrivalled for freedom of bloom and variety of rich colors. Valuable for cut flowers and should be in every garden. Double or single mixed. Pkt. 5 cts.

Dahlias. These grand old garden favorites which are now enjoying such a wide popularity are among the easiest flowers to grow from seed. The double varieties blooming the first season if the seed is sown before April, while the single varieties will bloom if the seed is sown in the open ground, although the earlier they are started the longer the season of bloom. Double mixed. Per pkt. 10c. Single mixed. Per pkt. 10c.

Double English Daisy. An old fashioned hardy garden plant, blooming from early spring until well in the summer. The seed should be sown early or if sown in August and transplanted to permanent position in September they will give best satisfaction.

Per pkt. 10 cts.



Double English Daisy.

Digitalis. (Foxglove). Large stately ornamental plants, with flower stems 3 to 5 feet high. They succeed under almost any condition and are used to good advantage among shrubbery and in half shady situations. As they are perennial, the seed should be sown in July and transplanted into permanent position in September. Mixed colors. Per pkt. 5 cts.

Cobea. A rapid growing vine of great value, as a covering for trellises, arbors, trunks of trees, etc. Its large bell shaped flowers are produced late in the summer. In sowing, the seeds must be planted on edge, and covered lightly with fine soil. Per pkt. 15 cts.

Coleus. Novel and interesting foliage plants easily grown from seed. Our strain produces a great variety of highly colored and attractive plants suitable either for garden or house culture. Per pkt. 15 cts.

Cyclamen. One of the finest pot plants grown, for winter and spring blooming. The plants have beautiful foliage and dainty flowers.

Eschscholtzia, California Poppy. Very attractive annuals of low growth, and finely divided foliage blooming freely from June until frost. Mixed colors. Per pkt. 5 cts.

Forget-Me-Not. Charming little plants with small star like flowers of a delicate shade of blue. The plants prefer a moist situation. Per pkt. 5 cts.

Gaillardia. Fine bedding plants, valuable for cut flowers. The flowers are very double, of various and pleasing colors, and freely produced on long stems. Pkt. 5 cts.

Heliotrope. A splendid bedding plant of robust growth and easily raised from seed. Its delightful perfume makes it one of the most popular flowers for cutting. Per pkt. 10 cts.

Hollyhock. A noble, hardy old plant, which should be in every garden. Too well known to need description. Our seed has been saved from the finest and most double varieties. We have them in separate colors—white, rose, pink, crimson, yellow and mixed. Pkt. 10 cts.

Larkspur. A well known hardy annual which has been greatly improved by careful selection and cultivation. Mixed colors. Pkt. 10 cts.

Linum. (Flax). Very pretty and effective bedding plants, with fine foliage and brilliant scarlet crimson flowers freely produced. Per pkt. 5 cts.

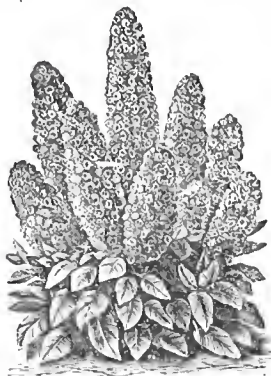
Marvel of Peru. (Four O'Clocks). A well known old fashioned garden annual, very free blooming and succeeding in any situation. Fine mixed colors. Per pkt. 5 cts.

Marigold. A slow free blooming plant, of free culture and various colored double flowers.

Double African. Tall. Pkt. 5 cts.

Double French. Dwarf. Pkt. 5 cts.

Mignonette. (Mammoth Flowering). The largest and finest of this most popular annual. The large individual florets are borne in dense spikes on long, strong stems and are delightfully fragrant. Pkt. 10 cts.



Mignonette.



Marigold.

Large Flowering Variety. The common sweet Mignonette. Pkt. 5 cts.

Morning Glory. The popular and pretty old fashioned climber of many colors. Pkt. 5 cts.

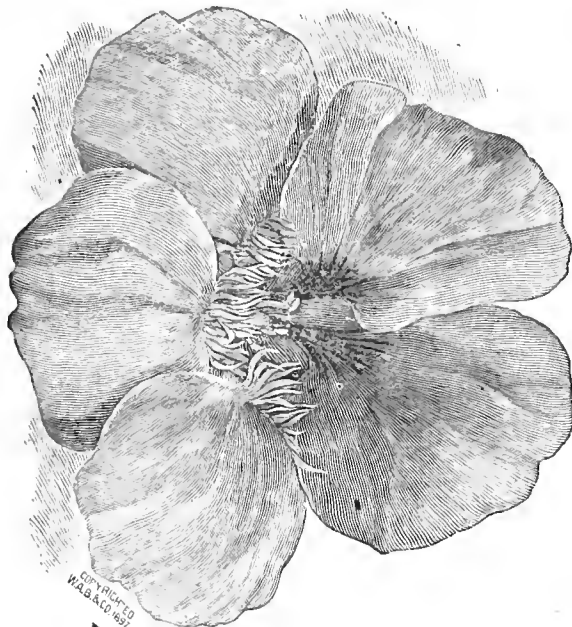
Imperial Japanese Morning Glory. It is almost impossible to accurately describe the colors of this giant variety. There are all the shades of red from flesh pink to the darkest crimson, through all the shades of blue to the deepest purple. Others, pure white, smoky grey, brown and many combinations of these colors. The flowers are enormous, some of them as large as saucers. The edges are frequently frilled, ruffled and scalloped in many curious and beautiful ways. To obtain

the best results they should be planted in rather poor soil. Pkt. 10 cts.

Myosotis. (Forget-me-not). Charming little plants with small star like flowers. The plants prefer a moist situation. Per pkt. 5 cts.

LAWRANCE'S FINE NASTURTIUMS.

One of the best of all our garden annuals, succeeding with all who have a sunny location and any kind of soil except low and wet. The mixture we offer is composed of the finest new large flowered varieties in the proper proportion of colors, embracing all the shades of red and yellow, pink, chocolate, rose, striped, blotched, etc.; in size the flowers are large and usually borne on long stems.



Nasturtium.

- Jupiter.** Extra large bright yellow. Pkt. 5 cts.
Moonlight. Creamy white, very large. Pkt. 5 cts.
Salmon Queen. Rich salmon shade. Pkt. 5 cts.
 One pkt. each of the six varieties for 25 cts.

Fall or Climbing. These are of strong and vigorous growth, forming elegant and luxuriant vines which can be readily trained over verandas, trellises, &c. They are also useful for covering unsightly fences, tree stumps, &c., and very showy when planted on slopes and banks and allowed to run at will.

Lawrance's Fine Mixed Climbing. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.

Butterfly. Light lemon yellow blotched on lower petals with terra cotta, upper petals marked red. Pkt. 5 cts.

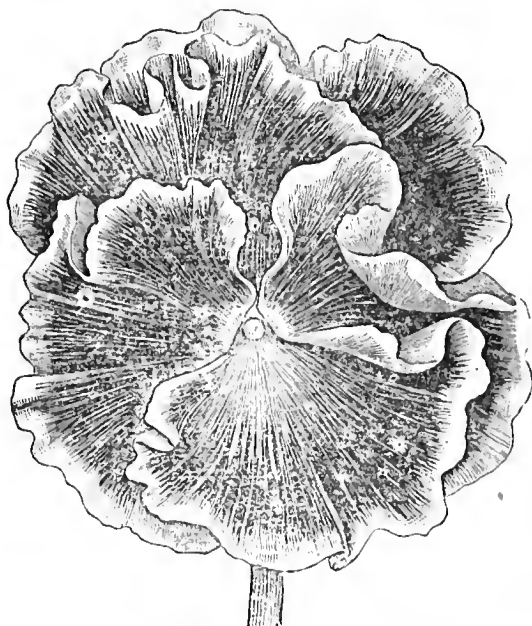
King Theodore. Rich velvety crimson. Pkt. 5 cts.

DWARF OR TOM THUMB NASTURTIUMS.

Very useful for bedding or massing. They are of dwarf, compact and rounded growth, and succeed best in well drained soil or on raised beds.

- Lawrance's Fine Mixed Dwarf.** Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.
Aurora. Bright chrome yellow, lower petals blotched and veined with carmine.
Beauty. Scarlet splashed with yellow. Per pkt. 5 cts.
Cloth of Gold. Golden yellow leaves and bright scarlet flowers. Pkt. 5 cts.
Rosy Gem. Soft rose pink. Pkt. 5 cts.
Ruby King. Bright ruby red. Pkt. 5 cts.
 One pkt. each of the six varieties for 25 cts.

PANSIES.



PANSY—Giant Exhibition.

priced strains offered by other dealers. Pkt. 10c. 3 pkts. for 25c.

Mixed Bedding. A fine strain for bedding purposes. The plants are of even, vigorous growth and the flowers of large size and good substance; all colors. Pkt. 5 cts.

Snow Queen. Large pure white, light yellow center. Pkt. 10 cts.

Giant Yellow. Rich golden yellow with dark eye. Pkt. 10 cts.

Giant Purple. All the shades of purple to black. Pkt. 10 cts.
One pkt. each of the three varieties for 25 cts.

Giant Exhibition. The flowers of this strain are of immense size and perfect form, and contain a wide range of handsome and striking colors, including the rare and delicate rose and pink shadings, the rich bronze and copper colors, deep shining black, brilliant reds, purples, yellows and many combinations and shadings of these colors. We have been fortunate in being able to greatly improve this strain the past season by adding new German strains which were a revelation to all who saw them. Pkt. 15 cts. Two pkts. for 25 cts.

Large Flowering Mixed. A fine strain of large size and perfectly formed flowers of rich and varied colors and shades, equal to if not superior to most of the higher



Single Fetunia.

Petunia. Few plants equal this for garden decoration. They are early and very free blooming and continue a mass of bloom all through the season. They are of the easiest culture and do well in any good soil.

- Petunia, Very Fine Mixed.** A beautiful strain of large size and brilliant colors and markings. Pkt. 10 cts.
- Ruffled Giants.** A comparatively new race from California, the result of the most careful and expert selection and hybridizing. The flowers are of enormous size, many of them five inches in diameter, with deep throat, and edges deeply fluted and fringed, giving them a ruffled appearance. The colors are rich and varied, ranging from pure white to the deepest violet. A splendid variety for bedding. Pkt. 15 cts.
- Phlox Drummondii.** One of our best annuals. There is no plant which can compare with it in brilliancy of color, freedom of growth and duration of bloom, making it of exceptional value for bedding or massing. We have a very fine strain in separate colors, white, crimson or mixed. 5 cts. per pkt.
- Phlox Drummondii Dwarf.** The plants are dwarf and grow very compact, making it very valuable for edging borders, etc.
- Fire Ball.** Brilliant scarlet.
- Snowball.** Pure white.
Extra fine mixed. Pkt. 10 cts. 3 pkts. for 25 cts.
- Portulaca.** Small trailing plants, succeeding in any situation; splendid for edging. Their brilliant and various colored blossoms are produced in great profusion throughout the season. Finest Mixed Double, pkt. 10 cts.; finest Mixed Single, pkt. 5 cts.

POPPIES.

Very popular plants which have been greatly improved the past few years. There is no plant which produces a more brilliant display of color in their season, as they do not stand transplanting, the seed must be sown where they are to remain and as early in the spring as possible.



Shirley Poppy.

Shirley. This beautiful Poppy is unquestionably the finest of all varieties. The flowers are single and occasionally semi-double and are of the most varied and delicate colorings. Some are brilliant, red or crimson; many delicate shades of pink, while others are daintily edged and striped; in fact the coloring is so varied that scarcely any two will be found alike. If the flowers are cut before fully open, they will last in good condition. Pkt. 5 cts.

Paeony-flowered. These Poppies are very handsome. The flowers grow to an enormous size, from 6 to 7 inches in diameter, are as double as Paeonies, and the colors are very rich and striking, height 2 to 3 feet. Pkt. 5 cts.

Snowball. Flowers of the largest size, perfect form, very double and the purest snow white. Pkt. 5 cts.

Iceland. One of the most useful and beautiful hardy plants in cultivation. They are perfectly hardy without any protection, and bloom the first season from seed. They commence blooming early in the season and if the flowers are kept picked, continue until fall. The colors are white, yellow and deep orange. Pkt. 10 cts.

Primrose. (*Primula Chinensis*). This is without question the best pot plant for house culture during the winter months, succeeds best in a cool room without direct sunlight, a north window being an ideal place. The seed should be sown from March to May. Our strain is unsurpassed, being the product of the best European growers. We have them in white, rose, red and mixed. Per pkt. 25 cts.

Ricinus. (*Castor Oil Bean*). Highly ornamental plants of stately growth and handsome foliage, attaining a height of from 6 to 10 feet. Mixed varieties. Pkt. 5 cts.



Salpiglossis.

Salpiglossis. A beautiful and free blooming plant with handsome veined and tinted funnel-shaped flowers. Pkt. 5 cts.

Salvia. (*Flowering Sage*). A very bright and showy bedding plant of rather strong growth, bearing long spikes of brilliant scarlet flowers in great profusion in late summer and fall. The seed should be sown in the house or hotbed as early as possible and the young plants planted out when the weather becomes settled and warm. Pkt. 10 cts.

Schizanthus. (*Butterfly Flower*). A charming annual which on account of its ease of culture and the remarkable coloring of its flowers has been called the "Poor Man's Orchid." The plants attain a height of about 15 inches, branching freely and producing a multitude of large panicles of lovely blossoms. Per pkt. 10 cts.

Scabiosa. (*Mourning Bride*). One of the prettiest of our annual plants, producing an abundance of richly colored flowers on long stems. A fine flower for bouquets, etc. Pkt. 5 cts.

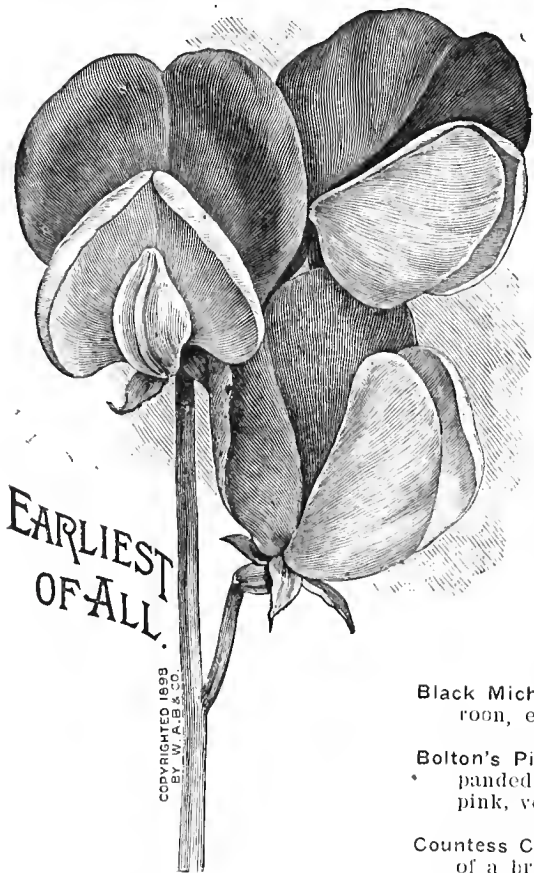
Scarlet Runner Beans. A beautiful old ornamental climber of rapid growth, producing bright scarlet pea-shaped blossoms in abundance. Grows 11 to 15 feet high. Pkt. 5 cts. Pint 25 cts.

Sensitive Plant. (*Mimosa Pudica*). Very interesting and curious plants, the leaves of which droop and close when touched. Pkt. 5 cts.

Stocks, Large Flowering Ten-weeks. An exceedingly popular and beautiful old garden favorite of many colors and delightful fragrance. Fine for cutting. Pkt. 10 cts.

Stock Princess Alice. (*Cut and come again*). A fine, pure white, perpetual blooming variety of great value for cutting. If sown early it will bloom continuously from June until heavy frosts. Pkt. 10 cts.

Sweet William. An attractive, free blooming, old fashioned plant of rich and varied colors, perfectly hardy. Pkt. 5 cts.

LAWRANCE'S SELECT SWEET PEAS.

There are present about 300 varieties of Sweet Peas on the market, and many new ones being added every year. In this long list there are so many varieties that are either exactly alike or so nearly so, that it seems useless to list them. While we have not tested all of the varieties on the market today, we do annually test most of the new ones offered, and many of them are discarded as being no improvement on existing varieties. We have again carefully revised our list and selected 25 of the best and most distinct standard sorts and offer them as a collection that, for the amateur gardener, cannot be improved upon.

Aurora. Orange rose striped on a white ground.

Blanche Ferry. The popular pink and white variety.

Black Michael. Bright shining red maroon, extra large flowers.

Bolton's Pink. Extra large boldly expanded flowers, color soft orange pink, very bright and showy.

Countess Cadogan. Very large flowers of a bright blue color.

Countess of Lathom. A soft cream tint shaded flesh pink in center.

Dorothy Eckford. Very large pure white, a fine variety.

Dainty. Rightly named on account of the dainty coloring, white with pink edge.

Emily Henderson. Large pure white very early and profuse.

Earliest of All. Identical in color with Blanche Ferry, but blooms two weeks earlier.

Janet Scott. Bright pink slightly tinged with apricot.

King Edward VII. A grand scarlet variety, with large flowers on long stems.

Lovely. Soft shell pink, a lovely shade.

Miss Willmott. Rich orange pink shaded rose; has no superior in color.

Mrs. Dugdale. Beautiful carmine rose; extra large flowers.

Mrs. Collier. Very large flowers of a rich primrose tint, without a trace of pink. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

Mrs. Walter Wright. A beautiful shade of mauve.

Navy Blue. Deep Indigo blue, very distinct.

Phenomenal. Silvery white; flowers tinged with pink and edged with rich purple. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

Queen Alexandria. A grand new scarlet variety which does not burn in strong sunshine. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

Stella Morse. Buff pink with cream tintings. A grand variety for bunching.

Shasta White. A very profuse blooming cut flower variety, ivory white. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

Unique. Large expanded, white flowers, delicately flaked with lavender. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

White Wonder. Pure white flowers of the largest size and frequently borne six on a stem. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

Lawrance's Fine Mixed. A splendid mixture embracing all of the above and many other large flowered varieties of bright and pleasing shades and colors in good proportion. This is not to be compared with many of the Mixed Sweet Peas on the market which contain about half blue and purple shades and the balance of old-fashioned, small free seeding varieties, but may be depended upon to produce a rich and varied collection of all colors in proper proportion. Per pkt. of one ounce, 5 cts. Per $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 20 cts.; per lb. 60 cts.

Any of the above varieties 5 cts. per pkt., 10 cts. per ounce except where noted.

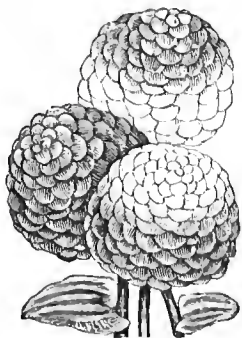
Complete collection of the 25 varieties for \$1.00, or collection of any 12 varieties for 50 cts.

CUPID, or BEDDING SWEET PEAS.

Cupid. A new dwarf or bedding variety, suitable for edgings or borders or for pot culture. They are true dwarfs with no tendency to climb whatever. Very free blooming. Large, pure white, fragrant flowers. Pkt. 5 cts. Oz. 15 cts.

Pink Cupid. Identical with preceding, except in color, which is pink and white, and like the well known variety, Blanche Ferry. Pkt. 5 cts. Oz. 15 cts.

Mixed Cupids. A mixture containing all of the colors and shadings of the tall varieties. Pkt. 5 cts. Oz. 10 cts.



Zinnia.

Verbena. An indispensable bedding plant of spreading habit, and very free blooming. Our seed has been saved from the finest large flowers of brilliant colors and shades.

Pkt. 10 cts.

Zinnia. Hardy, showy annuals, free blooming and will thrive in any soil. The flowers of our mixture rival the dahlia in size and form. Pkt. 5 cts.

General Collection of Plants.

ABUTILON.

(Flowering Maple.)

A handsome flowering shrub with pendulous bell shaped flowers, freely produced all the year around; makes a fine plant for the window garden. We have a number of varieties in white, red, yellow; also varieties with variegated foliage.

Price, 15 to 50 cents each according to size.

AGERATUM.

Dwarf, ever-blooming plants, excellent for borders, carpet bedding, etc. We have them in two colors, white and blue.

10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.



Abutilon.

ALTERNANTHERA.

Beautiful, highly colored foliage plants, growing in dense masses; much used in parks, etc., for ribbon lines, foliage beds, etc.; two colors, yellow and red.

50 cts. doz., \$1.00 per hundred.

ARAUCARIA EXCELSA.

Norfolk Island Pine. An elegant and graceful evergreen plant, well adapted to house culture; attractive and graceful in appearance.

Fine plants \$1.00 to \$5.00 each.

ASPARAGUS.

Plumosus nanus. One of the most distinct and effective decorative plants grown. The leaves are bright green and finer than the most delicate lace work—much handsomer than Maiden-Hair fern.

Fine plants 15 cts. to \$1.00 each.



Araucaria.



ASPARAGUS—Phymosus nanus.

finely variegated, with creamy white; an excellent house plant. 50 cts. to \$1 each.

AZALEA INDICA.

Beautiful plants for window and conservatory decorations, blooming from January till April. Their diversity of color and freedom of bloom will always make them favorites. 75 cts. to \$2.50 each.

BEGONIAS.

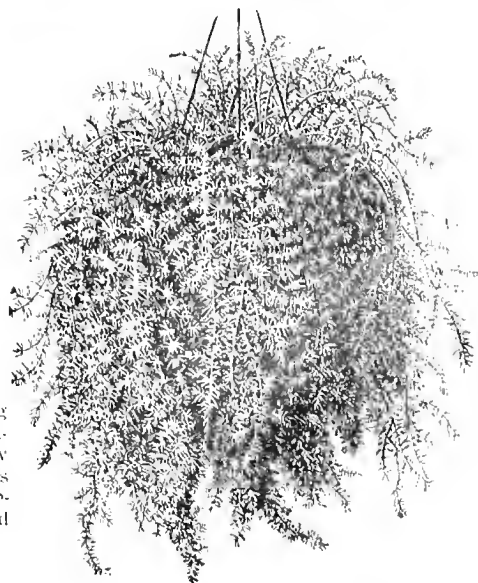
Easily grown, free blooming plants well adapted to house culture. Many of them have highly ornamental foliage, as well as handsome flowers. They are remarkably free from insects and succeed with everyone.

Sprengerii. A graceful and pretty new variety useful for hanging baskets or decorative purposes. Its long drooping fronds are rich glossy green in color and are from 2 to 5 feet in length, and when cut will retain their freshness for weeks. An excellent plant for the dwelling house as it successfully stands the dry atmosphere.

Young plants 15c.
Strong plants 25c.
Specimen plants \$1 to \$5.

ASPIDISTRA LURIDA VARIEGATA.

A beautiful decorative plant of the easiest culture; large lance-shaped leaves.

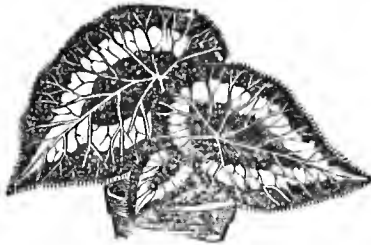


ASPARAGUS—Sprengerii.

BEGONIA, FLOWERING VARIETIES.

Glorie de Lorraine. This is a perfect gem, and one of the best of all winter blooming plants. The growth is graceful and pretty, about 12 to 15 inches high, and completely covered from October to May with soft rosy-pink flowers, which remain on the plants for weeks without fading. Good plants from 3 inch pots, 25 cts. each; larger plants 50 cts. to \$1.00 each.

Incarnata Grandiflora. A handsome winter blooming variety, with dark green foliage and beautiful pink flowers. Good plants from 3 inch pots 15 cts. each; larger plants 25 cts. to \$1.00 each.



Begonia Rex.

BEGONIA REX.

This class of Begonia is grown for their remarkable and richly colored foliage, and are well adapted to house culture in shady positions. We have a large collection of the new and old varieties.

Strong plants from 2½ inch pots, 15 cts. each; large plants, 25 cts. to 50 cts. each.

TUBEROUS-ROOTED BEGONIAS.

This beautiful class of Begonia is perhaps the finest of all summer flowering bulbs. They are each year becoming more popular, as they are of the easiest culture, and constant and prolific bloomers. They delight in a rich mellow and well drained soil and do best in a situation where they do not get the strong-mid-day sun. They are admirably adapted to planting in window and piazza boxes on the north side of houses where Geraniums and other sun-loving plants would not do well. Nothing can exceed the brilliancy and richness of their flowers, many of which are 4 inches across. The tubers can be kept over winter in a dry cool place, and started again in the spring.



Tuberous-Rooted Begonia.

Separate Colors. White, yellow, scarlet, crimson and pink. Dry bulbs, 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz. Growing plants, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Double Varieties. Separate colors, white, scarlet, crimson, pink and yellow. Dry bulbs, 20 cts. each, \$2.00 per doz. Growing plants, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

CARNATIONS.

We have two large houses devoted to these, which gives us an exceptionally good opportunity of testing the qualities of the many new varieties as they are introduced. We have many other varieties, but those listed below are the best and cover all colors.



Carnations.

Beacor. An early and continuous, free flowering scarlet variety of good habit.

Enchantress. The most popular of all light pink varieties; large flowers on long stems. The plant is a strong grower and very free blooming.

Rose Pink Enchantress. Identical with above except color, which is a beautiful rose pink.

White Enchantress. Same as above two varieties, but pure white flowers.

Mrs. T. W. Lawson. A grand sort of the largest size, cerise pink.

Winsor. A popular new variety, with beautiful silvery pink flowers. A free and continuous bloomer.

White Perfection. The best white variety to date. Large flowers on long stems and freely produced.

Strong plants from 2 inch pots, 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.

Strong plants from 3 inch pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Large plants from 5 and 6 inch pots, for immediate flowering, 25 to 50 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

We have a fine collection of this, the "Queen of Autumn," but on account of the large number of varieties, lack of space forbids us to mention them. We have one house 30 by 70 feet, devoted entirely to them in their season, and as many of the largest and finest varieties as grown for cut flowers are not suited for pot culture, it would be better to leave the selection of varieties to us, mentioning the colors desired, and whether wanted for bush plants in pots, or single stem plants for bench culture in the conservatory.

Strong plants, 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per dozen.

Single Varieties. This type has now become very popular. In the large cities they have been exhibited very extensively the past season, and now no exhibition is complete without its classes for singles. When grown naturally in sprays, there is a charm about them that is not easily forgotten. We have a fine collection, personally selected from the prize-winners at the various shows the past season.

Strong plants, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Hardy Pompons. There are many varieties of Chrysanthemums that are hardy as far as the plant is concerned, but are of no value for outdoor blooming in this climate, as they are so late the buds are caught by our early frosts. The collection we offer generally bloom between the first of September and the 15th of October, and if given slight protection during this time will amply repay for the slight trouble taken. We have them in white, pink, yellow, bronze and red.

Strong plants, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Large blooming plants of all the above Chrysanthemums in the fall, in 5, 6 and 7 inch pots, 35 cts. to \$1.00 each.

CANNAS.

NEW LARGE FLOWERING.

This is one of the most effective and desirable plants grown, whether for vases planted singly, or in masses, or as a background for other plants. The flowers are large, freely produced and of brilliant and pleasing colors and combinations. Some of them rival Orchids in beauty. The foliage is stately and elegant with a tropical appearance, which together with their handsome blossoms, give a splendid effect.

Although we have grown dozens of varieties, we have selected the following as the best for all purposes.

Beaute Poitevine. Brilliant crimson with scarlet shadings; a very compact grower and free blooming; height 3 feet.

Chautauqua. Flowers rich scarlet, intensely vivid; has luxurious tropical foliage prettily bronzed; height 3½ feet.

Duke of Marlboro. A vigorous grower and abundant bloomer; dark, rich velvety maroon; height 3½ feet.

- Gladiator.** Large round flowers with bright yellow petals thickly spotted maroon, smaller center petals solid crimson; height 3½ feet.
- Jupiter.** Flowers rich red and very effective; foliage rich purplish red; height 6 feet; a grand bedding variety.
- Mont Blanc.** The nearest approach to a pure white White Canna; the flowers open cream white and fade to pure white. It blooms early and continuously; height 3 feet.
- Mlle. Berat.** The nearest approach to a pink in a first-class bedder. The effect is very fine when planted with the yellow and bright red varieties; height 4 feet.



Cannas.

- Niagara.** One of the best of the Dwarf Cannas; color rich deep crimson, with a wide border of deep golden yellow; height 3 feet.
- Queen Charlotte.** A gilt-edged variety with large trusses of beautiful bright orange scarlet flowers, edged with golden yellow; height 3 feet.
- Robusta.** A popular variety, with immense, massive, tropical bronze foliage, grown for foliage effect only. Height 6 feet.
- Triumph.** A handsome shade of rich deep crimson; large erect flowers in bold trusses; height 3 feet.
- Wm. Bofinger.** Very large flowers of a rich bright scarlet, shading to orange; height 3½ feet.

NEW ORCHID-FLOWERED CANNAS.

This distinct race is remarkable for large flowers of splendid substance and magnificent colorings; the plants are immense with broad massive foliage.

Allemania. Extra large flowers frequently measuring 6 inches across; outer petals salmon-scarlet, with broad margin of golden yellow; inside petals dark salmon red dotted and marked with yellow; height 5 to 6 feet.

Burbank. A strong grower and wonderfully profuse bloomer; color, rich canary yellow, with a few carmine spots in the throat; height 6 feet.

La France. Bronzy red foliage with a rich lustrous appearance. Plant is a strong grower with beautiful flowers of a rich orange-scarlet color; height 5 feet.

Mrs. Kate Gray. A strong growing variety with giant flowers of deep brilliant orange color. Very free blooming; height 5 feet.

Pennsylvania. One of the tallest growing giant-flowering sorts, with deep rich scarlet flowers produced in abundance; deep green foliage of enormous size; height 7 feet.

Wyoming. Might be called King of the Giants, for it is one of the most majestic. It has an abundant growth of rich purplish foliage, and great plumes of massive orange colored blossoms; height 7 feet.

Strong growing plants of all the above varieties, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz. One each of the 18 varieties for \$2.00.

CALADIUM ESCULENTUM.

(Elephant's Ear.)

A handsome tropical-looking plant from 5 to 6 feet high, with leaves 2 to 3 feet long and 1 to 2 feet wide; fine for single specimens on the lawn or centers of beds. They should have very rich soil, and plenty of water to obtain the best results. Large bulbs started, 25 to 50 cts. each.



Fancy Coleus.

FANCY LEAVED CALADIUMS.

Very handsome and popular plants for the conservatory or window boxes, or for planting out in partially shaded and protected situations. The foliage is rich and handsome and rivals in color the Rex Begonias. 25 cts. each.

COLEUS, FANCY.

This beautiful family of ornamental foliage plants has been steadily increasing in beauty and diversity of color for a few years past, until now it seems as if there was no degree of shading, blending or contrasting of color that may not be found in them.

They are of the easiest culture either in pots or bedded out, and so cheap as to be within the reach of all. We have a fine collection of the handsomest varieties in cultivation. Price, 5 cts. each. 60 cts. per doz., \$4 per hundred.

COLEUS, BEDDING VARIETIES.

The following varieties are the well-known sorts so much used for foliage beds, ribbon lines, etc.

Verschaffelti. Crimson.

Mrs. I. D. Haight. Yellow.

Firebrand. Deep crimson; strong grower.

Sheley's Yellow. A strong growing yellow variety.

Price, 5 cts. each. 60 cts. per doz. \$4.00 per hundred.

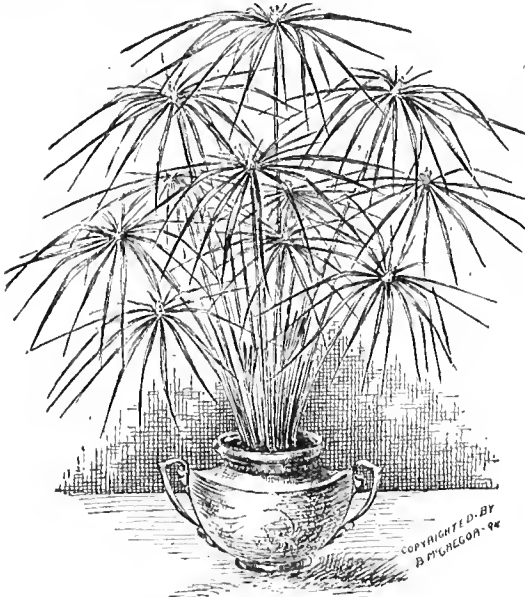
CENTAUREA GYMNOCARPA.

(Dusty Miller.)

Handsome foliage plants with graceful fern-like leaves of a silvery white color. Largely used for borders, foliage beds, etc., in connection with Coleus, etc. 5 cts. each, 60 cts. per doz., \$4.00 per hundred.

CENTAUREA CANDIDISSIMA.

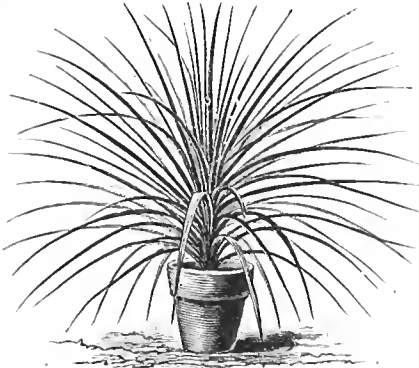
A beautiful white leaved foliage plant, with touchy leathery leaves holding its silvery appearance all through the season. Fine for borders, vases, etc. 10 cts. each. \$1.00 per doz.



Cyperus Alternifolius.

CYPERUS ALTERNIFOLUS.

A splendid semi-aquatic plant, the stems and leaves resembling the frame of an umbrella. A fine plant for the center of vase or aquarium. 15 and 25 cts. each. Large plants 50 cts. to \$1.00 each.



Dracena Indivisa.

Fragrans. A fine variety with deep green, broad, gracefully drooping leaves. 35 cts. to \$2 each, according to size.

CINERARIA HYBRIDA.

Handsome winter blooming plants, with branching heads of showy star shaped flowers of the richest colors. Price, in Fall, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.; large plants, in Winter, in bud or bloom, 25 cts. to 50 cts. each.

CALLA LILY.

Ethiopica. The well-known Calla Lily, 25 cts. to \$1.00 each, according to size.

Little Gem. A dwarf form of the above, seldom growing over a foot in height. 25 cts. each.

Spotted Leaved. A variety with deep green leaves, regularly spotted with pure white, giving the plant a very ornamental appearance. 15 cts. and 25 cts. each.

CYCLAMEN PERSICUM.

One of the most beautiful and decorative pot plants grown. The foliage is dark green, beautifully variegated with silver and rose colors. Its fragrant blooms are produced in abundance in winter and spring. 25 cts. each; large plants, 50 cts. and 75 cts. each.

DRACENA.

Indivisa. (Fountain Plant). A useful decorative plant, much used for center of vases, baskets, etc. It stands full exposure to the sun and contrasts beautifully with flowering or foliage plants. 25 cts. to \$3 each according to size.

DAHLIAS.

Probably no plant has, in late years, received the attention from specialists that this old garden favorite has. The result of their work has been marvelous, and although some of the old varieties are still grown, the remarkable development attained in purity of color, perfection of form, general excellence and freedom of bloom in some of the new varieties is simply wonderful. Of the many varieties we have grown the past few seasons, the following list has been selected as being the most distinct and best adapted to general garden culture.

We are usually able to supply dormant roots of all varieties at same price as growing plants.

Price 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., for strong growing plants from 3 inch pots.



Dahlia.

SHOW AND DECORATIVE DAHLIAS.

- A. D. Livoni.** A beautiful, clear pink quilled variety of perfect form. Very free blooming.
- Arabella.** An early and free flowering variety of large size and perfect form; color, pale primrose shaded lavender.
- Catherine Duer.** Very large flowers opening out flat and showing no center; color, a beautiful and glowing red.
- C. W. Bruton.** A fine bright yellow decorative variety.
- Fire Rain.** A valuable addition to the list of decorative varieties, both for general display or for cutting. In this new variety, which was sent out by a German specialist, we have not only the rich cardinal red color, which is now so popular, but a plant that produces masses of bloom early and continuously throughout the season.
- Matchless.** A strong and vigorous variety of dwarf compact growth, with large rich velvety maroon flowers.
- Miller's Red.** A grand decorative Dahlia of immense size. The color is a rich crimson-scarlet. A fine variety for cutting, as the flowers are borne on long stems.
- Nymphaea.** A beautiful variety resembling a delicate pink water lily.
- Oriental.** Large rich salmon-colored flowers of fine form and very double.
- Purity.** A beautiful pure white variety of fine form.
- Perle d'Or.** The finest white decorative variety yet introduced.
- Queen of Yellows.** The best large flowering clear yellow, show variety.
- Storm King.** An early, continuous and free bloomer, of strong constitution and dwarf branching habit. The flowers are pure white, of regular outline and very double, and are freely produced on long stems, making it a fine variety to grow for cut flowers.

CACTUS DAHLIAS.

- Wm. Agnew.** The best rich dazzling red of the Cactus variety yet introduced.
- Capstan.** A remarkably free flowering Cactus variety; color, soft orange-scarlet shaded apricot.
- Courtes of Lonsdale.** A splendid variety, flowering freely under all conditions; color, a pleasing blending of salmon pink and amber.
- Floradora.** A grand new Cactus Dahlia of remarkably free flowering habits. The plant is a strong grower, producing its large distinct blood-red flowers on long stems, making it invaluable for cutting.
- Florence M. Stredwick.** A fine white Cactus variety of large size, perfect form, and great substance, flowers lasting in good condition for two weeks.
- Goetlinde.** An early and free blooming Cactus variety, of perfect form, color, a beautiful primrose yellow.

Kreimhilde. An exquisite and delicate shell pink, shading to white at the center. Without question the finest and most perfect pink Cactus variety in cultivation, and as a cut flower is unsurpassed by any.

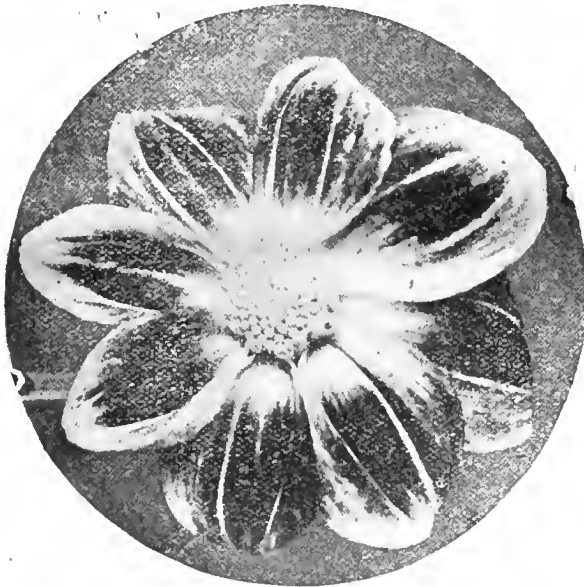
Standard Bearer. Rich firey scarlet. A very free blooming Cactus variety.

Strahlen Krone. The handsomest and most perfect variety. The petals are long and curiously twisted, giving it a very graceful appearance; color, intense cardinal red, rich and glowing.

Price: Strong growing plants, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

NEW CENTURY SINGLE DAHLIAS.

These varieties have all the characteristics of the popular variety, Twentieth Century, except in color.



Twentieth Century.

Twentieth Century.

A grand new variety valuable not only as a decorative flowering plant for the garden, but as a choice cut flower. The cut blooms bringing higher prices in the large city markets than Roses. The plant is of branching habit, strong growing and produces its flowers on stems two to three feet long. The flowers are rich deep carmine rose fading to white at the ends of petals with a white band at the disc, and measure four to six inches in diameter.

Crimson Century. A grand variety with deep rich velvety crimson flowers on long stiff stems.

Sunset. Large perfect flowers of a beautiful golden yellow and having a broad band of red around the disc.

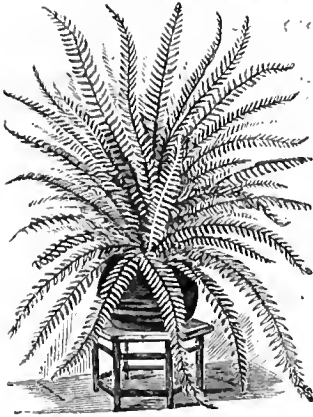
Price 15 cts. each. The set of three varieties for 35 cts.

FERNS.

We have a large collection of many different varieties of Ferns, but describe only those most generally known and which are best adapted to house culture.

Adiantum Cuneatum. (Maiden Hair). A fine variety and one of the most useful and generally known.

25 cts. to \$1.00 each.



Boston Fern.

Nephrolepis Pierstonii. A distinct and beautiful form of the Boston or Sword Fern, possessing the same characteristic vigor of growth as the old variety; the fronds grow in a most luxuriant manner, each leaflet being sub-divided, forming miniature fronds. This is well shown in the illustration, which gives a faint idea of their grace and beauty.

Five plants 25 cts. to \$1.50 each according to size.

Nephrolepis Elegantissima. This is a variation of the preceding variety in which the plummy form of the original is more distinctly developed, the plants are more compact in habit with fronds nearly twice as wide, making it more desirable for many purposes than the older variety.

Strong plants, 25 cts. to \$1.50 each.

Holly Fern. (*Cyrtomium Falcatum*). A desirable strong growing variety for house culture with rich glossy green foliage.

15 cts. to 50 cts. each.

Pteris Tremula. A useful variety with large fronds. 15 cts. each.

FERN DISHES.

We have at all times pans filled with an assortment of ferns and mosses, which can be used in any Fern Dish. When ordering, please state width and depth of dish, 35 cts. to \$1.50 each, according to size and quality.

FEVERFEW.

(Bridal Rose.)

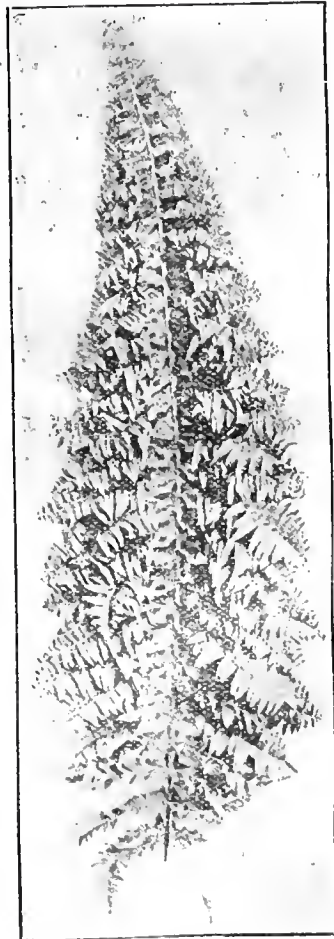
Little Gem. Large flowers of perfect form and of the purest white. 5 cts. each, 50 cts. per doz.

Boston Fern. (*Nephrolepis*). This variety is of exceptional value for house culture, as it stands the dry atmosphere of ordinary dwellings, and with ordinary care soon makes fine specimens. It differs from the ordinary Sword Fern in having longer fronds which arch and droop over gracefully, making it an excellent plant for the table or pedestal.

Strong plants, 15 cts. and 25 cts. each.

Large plants, 50 cts. to \$1.00.

Specimen plants \$1.00 to \$2.00 each.



Pierstonii.

FUCHSIAS.

These are too well known to need any description. Our collection consists of many varieties of which a few of the best are described below. Plants from 2½ inch pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.; 4 inch pots, 25 cts. each, \$2.00 per doz.

Rosaine's Patria. The best double white, an early and free blooming variety.

Speciosa. A genuine winter blooming variety, of good habit; flowers large and of good substance; sepals rosy carmine, corolla brilliant carmine.

Le Negre. The best of the dark varieties; carmine tube and sepals; corolla deep purple.

White Beauty. A fine variety with large flowers freely produced. Sepals red, corolla white.

FICUS ELASTICA.

(India Rubber Plant.)

One of the best decorative plants for the dwelling, its thick, leathery leaves enabling it to stand the excessive heat and dryness of the ordinary dwelling. They are rapid growing and quickly increase in value and beauty. 50 cts. to \$1.50 each.

GERANIUMS.

These are probably the most satisfactory bedding plants grown, while at the same time are equally satisfactory as house plants. The great advance in form and coloring made in recent years have given us some charming varieties. Most Florists grow Geraniums in any old place, simply because they will stand a lot of neglect and grow after a fashion. We devote one whole modern house to them, besides considerable space in our other houses. While it costs considerable more to grow them in this way, our customers will find that a less number of our strong bushy plants in a bed will make a larger showing and give better satisfaction than a greater number of the weak, spindly plants usually sold as bedding Geraniums.

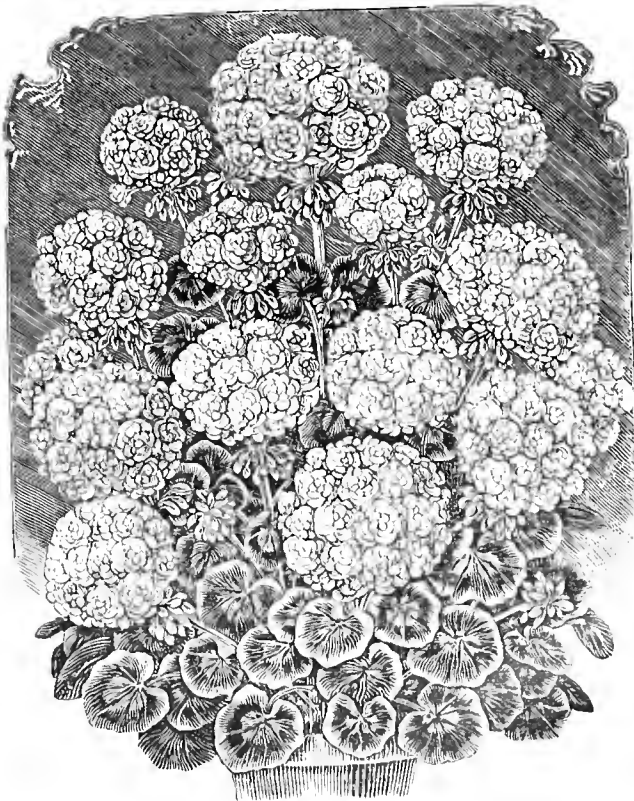


(From a photo of our Geranium House taken May 18th, 1908, showing quality of our Stock.)

SINGLE VARIETIES.

- Alice of Vincennes.** Border of intense scarlet, forming a band around the body color of soft rosy pink, heavily veined with scarlet, center white, very showy.
- Columbia.** A fine variety for bedding; upper petals white shading to scarlet on the edges, lower petals scarlet.
- L'Aube.** Pure white flowers in large trusses.
- Leon Perault.** Immense trusses of brilliant scarlet flowers.
- Phonograph.** Soft, clear pink with white flame on upper petals.
- Richmond Beauty.** Brilliant scarlet-crimson with large white feather on upper petals.
- Wurtumburg.** Clear orange-scarlet; one of the best single bedding varieties grown.

DOUBLE VARIETIES.



Double Geranium.

- Alph. Riccard.** Bright vermillion scarlet, large florets and trusses.
- Beaute Poitevine.** A grand bedder of the Braunt type; color, beautiful salmon.
- Countess Castries.** Clear bright pink without a trace of lilac.

- Frances Perkins.** A grand-bright pink bedding variety.
- Heteranthe.** One of the best semi-double bedding varieties; color, bright orange scarlet.
- Jean Viaud.** A fine pink bedder; dwarf stocky growth, strong stems, large trusses and a continuous bloomer.
- John Doyle.** Rich scarlet; very bright and effective.
- La Favorite.** A compact growing and free blooming variety of the purest white.
- Marquis Castellaine.** A combination of two shades of red; an ideal bedder.
- Marvel.** Dark red; the largest and finest of its class.
- Md. T. Noizet.** A good bedding variety; old rose, shading to orange at the center.
- Mme. Buchner.** Double, pure white.
- Md. Jaulin.** Delicate peach pink with a wide border of pure white; flowers large and in immense trusses.
- S. A. Nutt.** The finest deep crimson variety.

IVY GERANIUMS.

A distinct and splendid class of Geraniums of trailing habit well adapted for baskets, vases or anywhere a trailing plant can be used. 15 cts. each. \$1.50 per doz.

VARIEGATED GERANIUMS.

- Bronze.** Leaves golden yellow, with a handsome bronze zone. 15 cts. each.
- Happy Thought.** Center of leaves creamy yellow, bordered with rich green. Flowers are deep rose. 15 cts. each.
- Md. Sallerot.** A compact growing, silver edged variety for bordering, massing, etc., and rarely exceeding six inches in height; leaves small clear green in color, edged with pure white. 5 cts. each, 60 cts. per doz., \$4.00 per hundred.
- Mrs. Parker.** Double flowering. A strong growing silver edged variety with beautiful trusses of exquisite rosy pink flowers. The foliage is deep green, broadly margined with silvery white. A good bedder.
- Wm. Langguth.** Identical with the preceding except in color, which is a light dazzling scarlet.
- Strong plants from 2½ inch pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.
Strong plants from 3½ inch pots, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

SCENTED GERANIUMS.

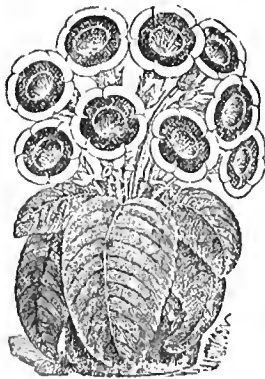
- Rose, Nutmeg Balm, Lemon and Penroyal** scented varieties.
Strong plants from 2½ inch pots, 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.
Strong plants from 4 inch pots, 20 cts. each, \$2.00 per doz.

GLOXINIA.

Handsome summer blooming bulbs, with rich, luxuriant foliage, and remarkably rich, trumpet-shaped flowers, of the most chaste and elegant colors.

Dry bulbs, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Started in pots, 25 cts. to 50 cts. each.



Gloxinia.

HELIOTROPES.

An old favorite of easy culture, doing equally well as bedding plants in the garden or as window plants for the house. They are delightfully fragrant and should be in every garden.

Strong plants from 2½ inch pots, 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.

Strong plants from 3 inch pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Strong plants from 4 inch pots, 25 cts. each, \$2.00 per doz.

HYDRANGEAS.

An old favorite, producing large heads of flowers, lasting a long time. **Otaksa.** This is the variety so extensively used for Easter decorations. It produces very large heads of pink flowers.

Rosea. Similar to above, except in color, which is a deep rose. 25 cts. to \$1.00 each, according to size.

IMPATIENS SULTANI.

A perpetual blooming plant of compact habit. The flowers are a brilliant rose color, and freely produced, whether in the garden or the house. 15 cts. to 50 cts. each.

JERUSALEM CHERRY.

An old-fashioned plant, but one of the most ornamental. It is very popular at the Christmas season, being covered with bright red cherry shaped fruits, which remain on the plant all through the winter. 15 cts. each.

Large plants in fall and winter, with fruit, 25 cts. to \$1.00 each.

LEMON VERBENA.

A useful plant with highly scented foliage. The branches are very useful for bouquets, etc. Small plants, 15 cts. each; large plants, 25 cts. each.

MIGNONETTE—Marmoth Flowering.

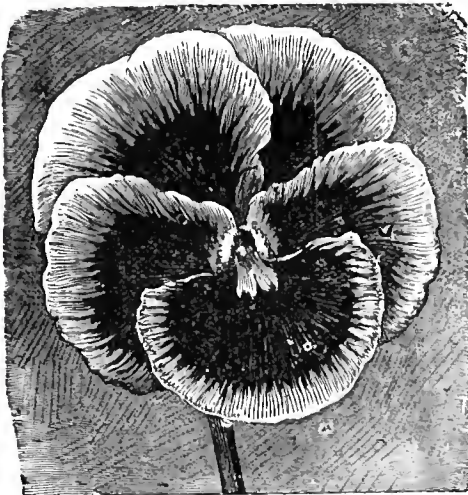
On account of the difficulty in transplanting this popular annual, we grow them in pots so they may be planted without any check whatever. Nicely started in pots, 5 cts. each, 50 cts. per dozen.

MOON FLOWERS.

Ipomea Grandiflora. A climbing plant of rapid growth, blooming abundantly from July till frost. If planted in rich soil, in full sunlight, they attain a length of 20 to 40 feet. The flowers are pure white, 4 to 5 inches in diameter, and begin to open about sundown, and remain open until about noon the following day. 15 cts. each.

PANSIES—Giant Exhibition.

We have a fine strain of this popular plant grown from selected seed of the finest large flowered and richest colored Pansies, which for size, coloring and form cannot be excelled. Strong plants from pots 5 cts. each, 60 cts. doz. Transplanted from seed bed, 35 cts. doz.



PANSY—Giant Exhibition.

PALMS.

These stately plants are now becoming indispensable for decorative purposes, for house or conservatory. Most of them are of easy culture, and increase in beauty from year to year.

Areca Lutescens. One of the most beautiful Palms in cultivation. Its bright glossy green leaves are gracefully curved on slender stems, and the entire foliage is gracefully disposed. The stems are golden yellow.

Nice young plants from 3 inch pots, 10 to 12 inches high, 25 cts.

Large plants, 50 cts. to \$3.00 each, according to size.

Cocos Weddelliana. A graceful and elegant small Palm with gracefully arching leaves, made up of long, narrow segments of a rich green color. An excellent Palm for fern dishes, etc., being of slow growth, and lasting in perfection a long time.

Nice young plants from 2½ inch pots, 4 to 5 inches high, 25 cts. each. Larger plants 50 cts. to \$3.00 each.



Cocos.



Kentia Belmoreana.

As a decorative plant for the window, table or conservatory it has few equals.

Kentia Forsteriana. Very similar to Belmoreana, and having all its good qualities.

Nice young plants of either of the above Kentias, 6 to 8 inches high, 25 cts. each.

Large plants 50 cts. to \$5.00 each, according to size.



Phoenix Rupicola.

Cycas Revoluta. (Sago Palm). One of the most noble and majestic Palms in cultivation. A valuable decorative plant for balcony or house. Their heavy glossy green leaves render them capable of resisting gas, dust and cold drafts, etc., to which decorative plants are exposed. Beautiful specimen plants \$3 to \$10 each.

Kentia Belmoreana. These are among the best of Palms for general cultivation, being free from disease of any kind, graceful in habit, with bright green foliage. As a decorative



Latania Borbonica.

Latania Borbonica. The most desirable Palm for general cultivation, with beautiful divided fan-shaped leaves.

Nice young plants 4 to 5 leaves 6 to 8 inches high, 25 cts. each.

Large plants 50 cts. to \$5.00 each.

Phoenix Rupicola. One of the most graceful Palms, with beautiful wide-spread arching leaves, with long, narrow pinnae. A useful decorative plant for any situation. \$1.00 to \$5.00.

PANDANUS UTILIS.

(Screw Pine.)

A handsome decorative plant, with long green leaves edged with short red spines. The leaves are thrown out spirally around the stem, hence the name Screw Pine. A grand house plant.



Pandanus Utilis.

50 cts. to \$3.00 each.

PHILODENDRON PERTUSUM.

A handsome decorative plant, with large, glossy green leaves with peculiar openings, cut in a curious manner at irregular intervals. Of the easiest culture in the window or conservatory, and one that always attracts attention from its roots which are as thick as a lead pencil, and are sent down from the trunk to the ground.

50 cts. to \$1.50 each.

THE BABY PRIMROSE.

Primula Forbesii.

The freest blooming of all Primroses and of the best for pot culture, even the smallest plants throwing up their multitude of beautiful miniature flowers. Color: charming rosy lilac, with yellow eye. The plants are vigorous growers and thrive in almost any situation. 15 cts. each. Larger plants 25 cts. each.

CHINESE PRIMROSE.

There is no plant more useful for winter blooming than the Chinese Primrose. They are of easy culture and thrive and bloom in any situation. We have them in different colors, white, pink, red, etc. 10 cts. to 25 cts. each.

PRIMULA OBCONICA.

A free blooming Primrose, bearing heads of ten to fifteen flowers on long stems well above the foliage; flowers are pure white, shading to lilac. A fine house plant, and always in bloom. 15 cts. and 25 cts. each.

PETUNIA.

Double Fringed. Few plants equal these for bedding or house culture. They commence blooming early and continue all through the season. We have them in pure white, pink, purple, variegated, etc. Price: Strong plants from 2 inch pots, 10 cts. each, \$1 per doz. Larger plants from 3 inch pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Single Fringed. Strong plants from pots, 50 cts. per doz.

Transplanted from boxes, 35 cts. per doz.

Giants of California. From pots, 75 cts. per doz.

Transplanted, 50 cts. per doz.



PETUNIA—Double Fringed.



Pelargonium.

PELARGONIUMS.

(Lady Washington or Pansy
Geranium.)

This is one of the most beautiful plants for house culture or for planting in the garden; they produce large trusses of the most exquisite shades and colorings; they are strictly spring and early summer bloomers and can be had in bloom at no other time. We have a collection of several distinct varieties.

Strong plants from 2½ inch pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Strong plants from 4 inch pots, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

ROSES.

TEA AND EVER BLOOMING VARIETIES.

We have one house 100 feet long devoted entirely to Roses and grow only such varieties as will succeed under ordinary conditions. While there are hundreds of varieties, we believe that those that are most satisfactory with us will also prove satisfactory to our customers.

Strong plants from 2½ inch pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

From 4 inch pots, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

Bridesmaid. The most popular of all Tea Roses, more flowers being sold of this variety than any other. The color is a rich deep pink.

Clothilde Soupert. A compact, vigorous growing variety, and very free flowering, even the smallest plants being covered with buds and flowers. Its form and substance are perfect. The color is a beautiful pearl-white, deepening to rosy blush in the center. A fine plant for pot culture or bedding.

Duchesse de Brabant. A valuable free blooming variety of a silvery pink color. A good bedding variety, and very fragrant.

Etoile de France. The best and sweetest Hybrid Tea of its color; a fine upright bush with deep green foliage and fine large cup-shaped flowers on long stems; color, rich velvety crimson.

Gruss an Teplitz. A queen among bedding varieties on account of its fine rich color and free blooming qualities, succeeding under ordinary conditions. Its color is rich scarlet shading to deep velvety crimson. The masses of color produced is simply wonderful and the foliage also is beautiful, all the young growth being a bronzy plum color. Very fragrant.



Roses.

Hermosa. An old favorite with bright rich pink blossoms, very free blooming.

Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. One of the most beautiful of all for garden culture; a strong healthy grower and a continuous bloomer, elegant pointed buds, large full and very double flowers, very fragrant; color, creamy white.

Killarney. This is the most popular ever-blooming Rose now before the public; the flowers are of large size with thick petals of great substance and delightful fragrance and of a beautiful shade of deep shining shell-pink. The plants make strong upright bushes with deep bronzy green foliage.

Mad. Abel Chatenay. This grand new perpetual blooming variety is of great beauty; the flowers are very full and double; color, carmine rose shaded salmon.

Mme. Jenny Gillemot. Buds long and pointed, deep saffron yellow with golden yellow shadings; a fine variety.



Maman Cochet.

Perle des Jardins. Rich yellow; beautiful large flowers of perfect form. The most popular yellow Rose for winter blooming.

The Bride. A strong growing, free flowering variety, for pot culture or bedding.

Maman Cochet. A very strong growing variety, producing flowers in the greatest profusion; color, deep rose pink, inner side of petals silvery, rose very double.

White Maman Cochet. Identical with the preceding, except in color. An ideal bedding variety.

HARDY AND HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES.

Many of the varieties of Roses offered by firms farther south as "perfectly hardy," are tender in this climate and almost sure to kill to the ground even with the best of protection which all Roses should have in this climate. We enumerate only the varieties which are hardiest and best in this section and among these will be found some of the best that can be grown anywhere. Customers will not be disappointed by leaving their selection of varieties to me, merely mentioning the colors desired. Although we have a large stock we occasionally run short of some varieties before the selling season closes; therefore purchasers will please state if they wish us to substitute in case all the varieties ordered cannot be supplied.

Alfred Columb. Brilliant carmine-crimson. Very large, full and of fine globular form, very fragrant and an extra fine sort.

Anna de Diesbach. Clear, bright carmine; a beautiful shade, very large flowers and one of the hardiest.

Baron Prevost. Clear bright rose color, an old variety but still one of the best.

Fisher Holmes. Deep glowing crimson, large and of fine form.

Gen. Jacquiminot. Brilliant shining crimson. The most popular of all hardy Roses.

Hugh Dickson. Brilliant crimson shaded scarlet; large, very fragrant and free blooming.

John Hopper. Brilliant Rose, changing to pink; flowers large, fragrant and freely produced.

Margaret Dickson. A lovely shining white variety, with large well shaped flowers. A strong vigorous grower.

Madam Plantier. Pure white flowers produced in abundance, early in the season. Small shining green foliage. Very hardy.

Md. G. Luizot. Silvery pink, very fine.

Mrs. John Laing. Delicate pink; fragrant and a continuous bloomer.

Persian Yellow. Bright yellow flowers, rather small; the best hardy yellow Rose.

Prince Camille de Rohan. Deep velvety crimson maroon shaded red.



Margaret Dickson.

finely mossed; flowers large and fragrant.

Crested Moss. Deep pink colored buds, surrounded with a mossy fringe and crest. A fragrant and beautiful Rose.

HARDY CLIMBING ROSES.

Crimson Rambler. This new and distinct climbing variety, about which so much has been said, has fully justified itself in growth and bloom. The plant is a strong, vigorous grower, growing 8 to 10 feet in a single season; the individual flowers are about 2 inches in diameter and are borne in large pyramidal clusters of thirty to forty blossoms; the color is a rich glowing crimson.

Dorothy Perkins. A most remarkable new variety of strong vigorous growth, flowering profusely in large clusters; very fragrant and lasting; color, soft shell pink; a grand Rose in every way.
Strong 2-year-old plants, 50 cts. each.

RUGOSA ROSES.

An interesting class of Japanese origin, with large single flowers. The plants are very ornamental on account of their vigorous growth and beautiful glossy green foliage. They bloom nearly the whole summer, and are covered during autumn and winter with bright red seed pods.

Rugosa Alba. Large pure white flowers, of delicious fragrance.

Rugosa Rosea. Large rose-colored flowers, tinged with violet. A stronger growing variety than the preceding. Strong plants 50 cts. each.

Soliel D'or, or Golden Sun.

A really hardy golden yellow Rose. The result of a cross between the Persian Yellow and a Hybrid Perpetual variety. It retains a good deal of the character of the Persian Yellow, but with larger and more plentiful foliage. The flowers are large, full and double and of a coloring difficult to describe, the flowers varying in color from gold and orange to reddish gold, shaded with Nasturtium red.

Ulrich Brunner. Bright cherry-red, flowers large and full; a strong grower and always does well.

Price: Strong 2-year-old plants, 50 cts. each, \$4.50 per dozen.

MOSS ROSES.

Strong plants of the following varieties, 50 cts. each, \$4.50 per doz.

Comtesse de Murinais. One of the best pure white Moss Roses. The buds are



Salvia.

SALVIA OR SCARLET SAGE.

This grand bedding plant will keep the garden bright with its brilliant scarlet flowers until late in autumn. It is also useful as a pot plant or in window boxes, and as a cut flower is useful to give color.

Price: 10 cts. each, \$1 per doz. Larger plants, 15c. each, \$1.50 per doz.

SMILAX.

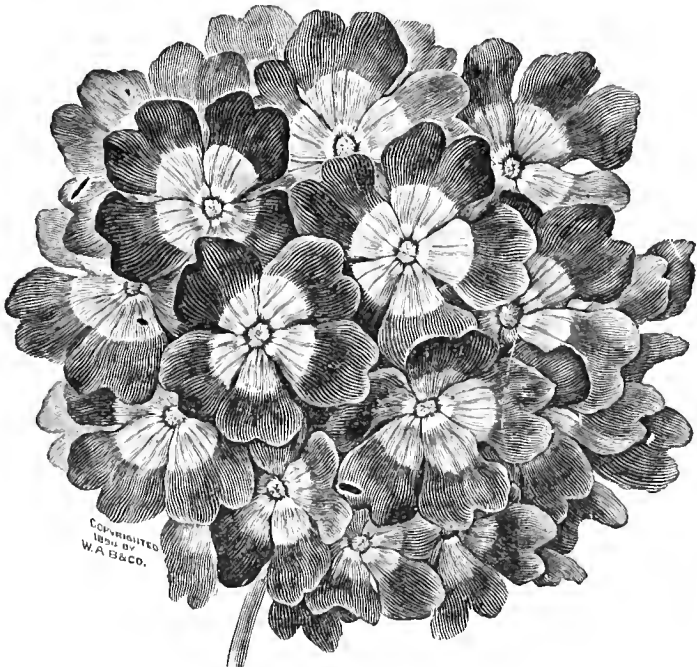
A graceful climbing plant, with glossy green foliage much used for bouquets, table and room decoration, etc. 15c. each.

WANDERING JEW.

(Tradescantia.)

The well known creeping plants so useful for baskets, vases, etc., or for house culture. It will grow in water or soil in any situation. We have them in three varieties, plain green variegated white and green, and variegated green, white, and pink.

10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.



Verbenas.

VERBENAS.

(Mammoth Varieties.)

One of the most showy plants for the garden, blooming incessantly all through the season. Our collection embraces all shades and colors known to the Verbena.

Plants from pots, 5 cts. each, 60 cts. per dozen.
Transplanted, 35 cts. per doz.

VINCA MAJOR.

(Variegated).

One of the finest trailing plants in cultivation for baskets, vases, etc. The leaves are green broadly margined with pure white. Flowers blue. Small plants, 10 cts. each.
Large plants, with long vines, 25 cts. to 50 cts. each.

ANNUAL PLANTS.**TRANSPLANTED FROM SEED BEDS.**

Premier Aster.

Asters. Comet, Carlson's, Victoria, Mignon, Branching, Purity, Daybreak, etc., in separate colors or mixed, 25 cts. per doz.

Antirrhinum. (Snapdragon). Mixed colors, 25 cts. doz.

Alyssum. (Sweet Alyssum). White, 25 cts. per doz.

Balsam. Double-flowered, mixed colors, 25 cts. doz.

Candytuft. White, 25 cts. per doz.

Calendula. (Pot Marigold). Yellow, 25 cts. per doz.

Caster Oil Plant. (Ricinus). Best varieties, 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.

Coxcomb. (Glasgow Prize). Best crimson, 50 cts. per doz.

Chrysanthemum. (Painted Daisy). Mixed colors, 25 cts. doz.

Cosmos. Large flowering mixed colors, 35 cts. per doz.

Dianthus. (Diadem Pink). Single mixed, 25 cts. per doz. Double mixed, 25 cts. per doz.

Gaillardia. Double, mixed colors, 25 cts. per doz.

Lobelia. Compacta, 25 cts. a doz. From pots, 50 cts. per doz.

Marigold. (Double African). Tall growing, 25 cts. per doz.

Marigold. (Double French). Dwarf-growing, 25 cts. per doz.



Calendula.

Mignonette. Large flowering, 25 cts. per doz. From pots 50 cts. per doz.

Nasturtium. Tall or dwarf, 25 cts. per doz. From pots, 50 cts. per doz.

Pansy. An excellent strain. '35 cts. per doz. From pots, 60 cts. per doz.

Petunia. Striped, mottled and flaked. 35 cts. per doz.

Petunia. (Giants of California). 50 cts. per doz.

Phlox Drummondii. Large flowering, mixed colors. 25 cts. per doz.

Salpiglossis. Fine mixed colors. 50 cts. per doz.

Scabiosa. (Sweet Scabiosa). Double mixed, 25 cts. per doz.

Stocks. (Ten Weeks). Double mixed colors. 25 cts. per doz. From pots, 50 cts. per doz.

Verbena. Mammoth varieties. Mixed colors, 35 cts. per doz. From pots, 60 cts. per doz.

Zinnia. Large flowering, double mixed, 25 cts. per doz.

All annual plants, except those from pots, will be safely sent by mail, postpaid, when so desired.

For \$1.00 we will send charges prepaid, a collection of 50 mixed annuals containing a selection of easily grown plants, that will bloom freely and make a good sized garden attractive all through the season.

Summer Vines and Climbers.

Cobaea Scandens. A rapid growing climber, with handsome bell-shaped flowers. 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.

German Ivy. A rapid growing vine with glossy green leaves; fine for baskets, vases, etc. 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.

English Ivy. Small plants, 15 cts. each. Large plants, 25 cts. to 50 cts. each.

Madiera Vine. A well known rapid growing vine with glossy green leaves and fragrant flowers.

Dry bulbs, 5 cts. each, 50 cts. per doz.

Started in pots, 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.

Othonna Crassifolia. A good basket plant of trailing habit, with thick fleshy leaves and yellow star-shaped flowers. 10 cts. each. \$1.00 per dozen.

Moon Flowers. White. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Passion Flowers. 15 cts. each. Large plants, 25 cts. each.

Solanum. 15 cts. and 25 cts. each.

Lophospermum Scandens. A rapid climber with rose colored, trumpet-shaped flowers. 15 cts. each.

Kenilworth Ivy. A quick growing, trailing plant, valuable for vases, baskets, etc. 10 cts. each.

Smilax. A graceful climbing plant with glossy green foliage, much used for bouquets, table and room decorations, etc. 15 cts. each.

Bulbs for Spring Planting.

GLADIOLUS.

Easily grown and freely flowering bulbs which should be in every garden. They are of the easiest culture and succeed in any ordinary garden soil. The bulbs can be taken up in the fall and stored in the cellar until spring, when they may be planted again. They are of all imaginable colors from the bright and dazzling scarlets, to the soft and delicate pinks, and of many combinations and variations. We have them in two grades.

Extra Fine Named Varieties. 10 cts. each. Collection of 12 distinct named varieties for \$1.00.

Mixed Varieties. Equal to many named collections, all shades and colors mixed. 5 cts. each, 50 cts. per doz.

NEW GIANT FLOWERING.

A new class of Gladiolus of exceedingly strong growth and with enormous flowers of varied and peculiar colors. They are tall and erect, often standing 4 or 5 feet high, with spikes of bloom over two feet in length. They branch freely and in many cases each stem produces three or four bunches. Owing to their great substance, they last a long time before fading. Every color known among Gladiolus is represented in this mixture. Strong flowering bulbs, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

GROFF'S HYBRID GLADIOLUS.

This new strain is the result of many years' work in the production of which many expensive varieties were procured from all parts of the world, and used without regard to their cost or value. Varieties of Gladiolus are now numbered by thousands, but many of them are of such poor vitality that they are useless except in the hands of a specialist. In the selection of this strain Mr. Groff has discarded everything of doubtful vitality so that the bulbs we offer will produce only strong healthy plants with strong stems and large flowers. The colors and marking are endless, embracing the newest reds, scarlet and crimson, all shades of white, cream and yellow in many combinations, relieved by stains and blotches of rich colors in most pleasing contrasts rare blues in clematis, lilac and heliotrope shades and found in no other strain of Gladiolus. These bulbs are offered only in mixture. We offer these in two distinct grades.

GROFF'S GOLD MEDAL AND SILVER TROPHY STRAIN.

This magnificent strain has a world wide reputation and represents the cream of Mr. Groff's creations. It is prepared with the view of providing the amateur with a typical collection of the modern *Gladiolus*. 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.

Groff's Hybrids. This selection is from the earlier hybrids of Mr. Groff and while not as fine as the preceding, so great is the diversity of coloring, that there is practically no risk of getting any two alike. Strong blooming bulbs, 5 cts. each, 50 cts. per doz.



Tigridia.

HYACINTHUS CANDICANS.

(Giant Summer Hyacinth.)

A snow-white summer flowering Hyacinth, growing 3 to 4 feet in height, gracefully surmounted with from 20 to 30 pure white, bell-shaped flowers. 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.

TIGRIDIA.

(Shell Flower.)

Summer flowering bulbs, producing large, bell-shaped flowers of handsome colors and beautifully spotted; very free blooming. 5 cts. each, 40 cts. per doz.

Conchiflora. Yellow, with dark spots.

Grandiflora Alba. Pearl white, with crimson spots.

TUBEROSES.

A beautiful and delightfully fragrant summer flowering bulb, and very easily grown. For early blooming they may be started in the hotbed or the house in March and for succession of flowers may be planted every two weeks until July, or they may be planted in the open ground in June.

Excelsior Pearl. Beautiful spikes of double pure white fragrant flowers. Fine large bulbs, 5 cts. each, 3 for 10 cts., 35 cts. per doz.

Started in pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

HARDY LILIES.

Plant in the open ground not less than 5 inches deep the larger kinds deeper. The beds should be underdrained if inclined to be wet. If the soil is heavy or compact, sand or coal ashes should be well worked in the soil to lighten it. Although all are hardy, the beds should be well covered with leaves or manure to the depth of 8 or 10 inches, in the fall.

Auratum. (Gold Banded Lily). One of the most fragrant and beautiful Lilies grown. The flowers are of the largest size, measuring nearly a foot across, of a pure white, with crimson spots, while a band of golden yellow runs through each petal. Strong bulbs, 35 cts. each.

Candidum. (St. Joseph's Lily). Pure white; very fragrant. Should be planted in September. 10 cts. each, \$1.00 per doz.

Speciosum, or Lancifolium. The most popular Lily grown; of easy culture and producing flowers of delicate colors. 35 cts. each.

Speciosum Album. Pure white, 35 cts. each.

Speciosum Rubrum. White ground, spotted red, with a band of crimson on each petal. 25 cts. each.

Trigrinum. (Tiger Lily). Orange, spotted black. 10 cts. each.

Select List of Hardy Herbaceous Plants.

This class of plants has become very popular of late years, as when once planted they grow and thrive and increase in value and beauty from year to year. The number of varieties has been so increased that one may, with careful selection, stock the garden with plants which will bloom in succession from early spring until heavy frosts. They are of the easiest culture, only requiring an ordinary garden soil, but as they remain in the ground from year to year, they will be greatly benefited by a mulch or covering of well-rotted manure, through the winter, which should be well worked into the soil around the plants in the spring. We have a fine collection of the best and most suitable for this climate.

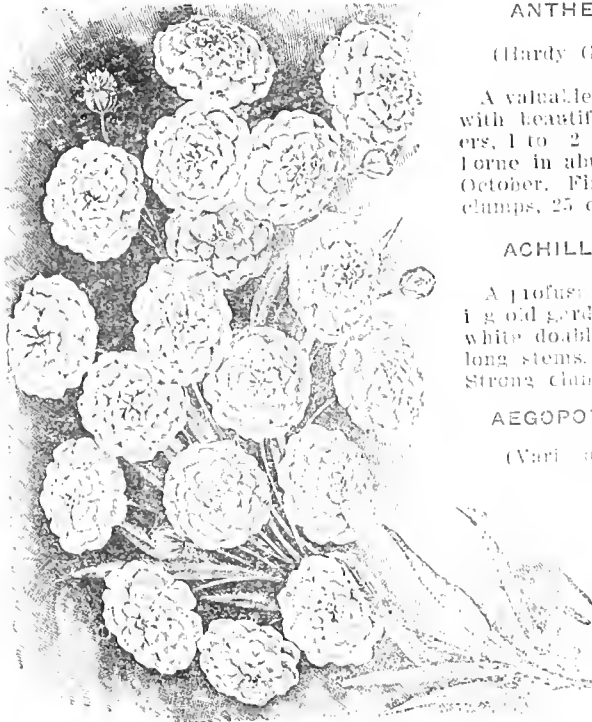
We have many varieties not mentioned in the following list, and when customers are in want of varieties for special purposes, such as the wild garden, among shrubbery or for rock work, we would be pleased to submit a list of such as are suited for this purpose, on application, with special prices for large lots.

For those not acquainted with the different varieties, we offer collections.

Six distinct varieties for \$1.00, our selection of sorts.

Fifteen distinct varieties for \$2.00, our selection of sorts.

Twenty-five distinct varieties for \$3.00, our selection of sorts.



Achillea, the Pearl.

ANTHEMIS TINCTORI.

(Hardy Golden Marguerite.)

A valuable plant of easy culture, with beautiful clear yellow flowers, 1 to 2 inches in diameter, borne in abundance from June to October. Fine for cutting. Strong clumps, 25 cts. each.

ACHILLEA, THE PEARL.

A profuse and continuous blooming old garden favorite, with pure white double daisy-like flowers on long stems. Valuable for cutting. Strong clumps, 20 cts. each.

AEGOPODIUM VARIEGATA.

(Variegated Bishop Weed.)

A rapid growing plant with neat green and yellow variegated foliage. It makes a fine border for low shrubbery or for covering waste places. It will thrive in any soil.

Strong clumps 20 cts. each.

ARABIS ALPINA.

(Rock Cress.)

One of the earliest spring blooming plants and is especially adapted for edging and for the rockery, but will succeed equally well in the border where it forms a dense carpet, completely covered with pure white flowers. Strong clumps, 20 cts. each.

**HARDY ASTERS.**

These are among the showiest of our late blooming fall plants and giving an abundance of bloom when all other hardy plants are past, makes them especially valuable for planting among shrubbery, etc. 20 cts. each.

ANEMONE JAPONICA.

One of the finest and most beautiful hardy plants. A single plant in moderately rich soil will grow to a height of three feet and two feet in diameter, producing hundreds of their well-formed flowers, commencing in August and continuing un-

til cut down by the heavy frosts. The roots should be covered with leaves or other material during winter.

Alba. Pure white, with yellow center. 25 cts. each.

Rosea. Purplish rose, with yellow center. 25 cts. each.

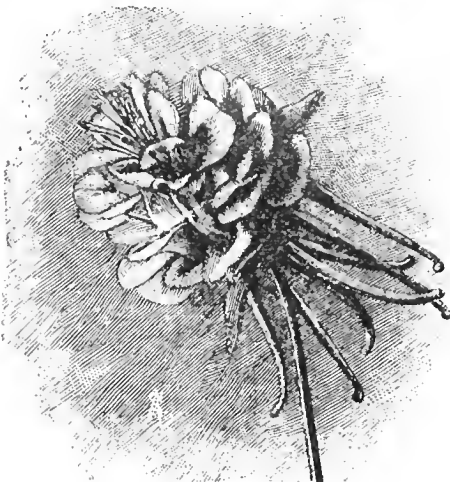
Queen Charlotte. A grand acquisition. The plants are of a strong robust growth, more vigorous than the older varieties, and commence to bloom much earlier. The flowers are large, two to three inches in diameter, and of a beautiful satin rose color.

Whirlwind. A semi-double variety; pure white. 25 cts. each.

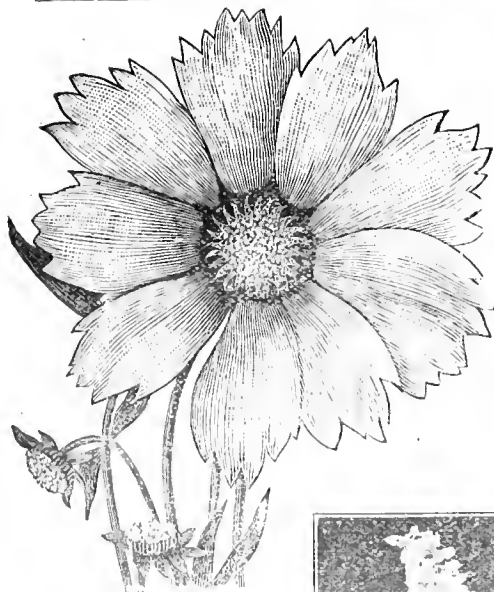
AQUILEGIA.
(Columbine.)

A popular group of hardy plants with a grace and beauty which never fails to attract attention. We have about a dozen varieties in white, scarlet, yellow and blue colors. 20 cts. each.

Chrysantha. (Golden Spurred Columbine). Large canary-yellow flowers, with long spurs; blooms all summer.



Aquilegia.



Coreopsis lanceolata.

Persicifolia. (Peach Bells). An elegant variety, growing 18 inches to 2 feet in height and producing an abundance of blue salver shaped flowers in June and July.

Persicifolia Alba. A pure white form of the above.

Media. (Canterbury Bells). An old-time favorite, completely covered during July with large bells of various colors. Strong blooming plants, 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

**COREOPSIS
LANCEOLATA.**

One of the best hardy plants. Large golden yellow flowers on long slender stems, produced in abundance all through the season. Very hardy and will thrive in any situation. Strong clumps 20 cts. each.

BELLIS PERENNIS.

(English Daisy.) Double varieties. White, pink, red, 15 cts. each. \$1.50 per doz.

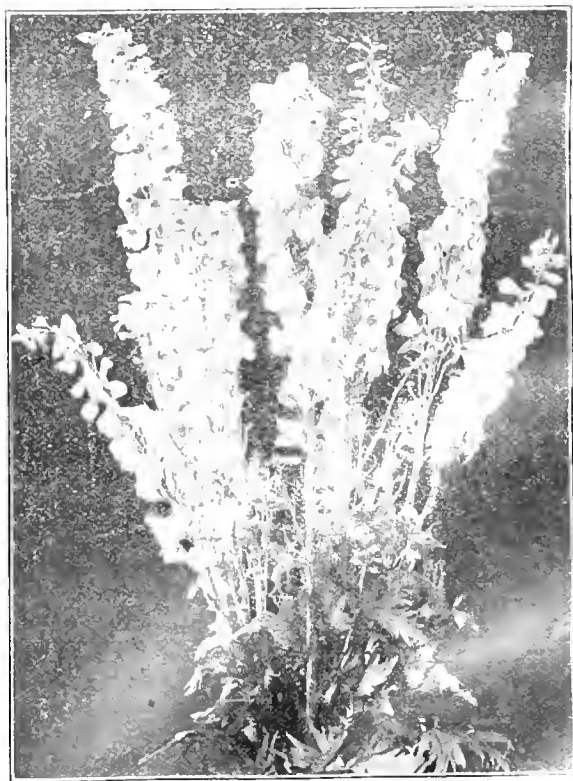
CLEMATIS RECTA.

A robust hardy plant growing to a height of 3 to 4 feet and completely covered in June and July with very large panicles of small fragrant white flowers. 20 cts. each.

CAMPANULA (Bellflower.)

Elegant and useful plants of the easiest culture, with handsome bell-shaped flowers of rich colors, produced in abundance.

Double and single, various colors, hardy biennials, 20 cts. each.



Perennial Larkspur.

DELPHINIUM.

Perennial Larkspur.

Formosum. A stately and attractive plant, growing to a height of 4 to 5 feet. Its long spikes of bright blue flowers are produced continually all summer. 25 cts. each.

Coelestinum. A beautiful variety, with pale blue flowers. 25 cts. each.

GAILLARDIA GRANDIFLORA.

One of the most satisfactory hardy plants grown. The flowers are shaped like a small, single sunflower. The center of flower is a brownish red, with a ring of brilliant scarlet crimson at base of petals, the ends orange yellow. This combination of colors, produces a gorgeous effect. Very free blooming from July till frost. One of the finest flowers for cutting. 25 cts. each.

HELENIUM AUTUMNALE.

A valuable hardy perennial, growing 3 to 5 feet high, with immense heads of bright golden, star-shaped flowers, produced in abundance in autumn. 25 cts. each.

HELIANTHUS.

(Double Perennial Sunflower.)

Multiflorous fl. pl. A useful and beautiful hardy plant, growing about 4 feet high, and producing large, golden-yellow flowers as large and well-formed as a good show Dahlia. Very free, blooming from July till heavy frost. An excellent flower for cutting. Strong clumps, 25 cts. each.

Maximilliana. A handsome and graceful single-flowered variety, with beautiful, large yellow flowers in graceful sprays. 20 cts. each.

LAWRANCE'S FINE DOUBLE HOLLYHOCK.

Hollyhock.

Our selections of this most effective old hardy garden plant are unsurpassed. For many years this has been a specialty with us, annually buying seed from the best growers in this and European countries until we now have a collection that is perfection in form, large size and handsome colorings. We do not offer pot plants, but strong field grown roots that will bloom the first season. We have them in separate colors. White, yellow, pink, crimson and variegated. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

GERMAN IRIS.

This interesting group of hardy plants is remarkable for their quaintly marked and curiously constructed flowers. They are of the easiest culture and may be planted in low wet places. They flower abundantly in June. We have a fine collection in many different varieties. 20 cts. each, \$2.00 per doz.

JAPAN IRIS.

(Iris Kempferii.)

A magnificent class, differing from the ordinary kinds by blooming a month later and having very broad large flat blooms. They delight in a moist rich soil, and bloom abundantly. We have a fine collection which were imported direct from Japan. Strong roots, 25 cts. each.

PAPAVER OR HARDY POPPY.

Oriente. (Oriental Poppy). Undoubtedly the showiest and most striking hardy flower grown. The flowers are 4 to 6 inches across, of a bright scarlet color, with black blotch at base of each petal, and borne on stems 2 to 3 feet long. 20 cts. each.

Nudicaule. (Iceland Poppy). A beautiful, dwarf-growing, hardy Poppy, with fern like foliage. The flowers are cup-shaped and borne on slender stems, about a foot in length. They bloom continually from early spring until heavy frosts. A fine flower for cutting. We have them in separate colors, white, orange, scarlet and yellow. Plants from pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.; clumps, 20 cts. each, \$2.00 per doz.

PAEONIES.**Herbaceous Varieties.**

This noble flower, so brilliant in color and perfection of bloom, almost rivals the rose, increasing in beauty and form from year to year. The plant is of good form and outline, as hardy as a dandelion and as sure to bloom. I have a large bed of them in the new and old varieties, which are a beautiful sight when in bloom. The cut-blooms are very popular, and sell at 50 cts. to \$1.00 per doz. Many of them are fragrant.

Strong plants, 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz., except where noted.

Agida. Rich glowing dark red.

Alba plena. Large double white, fragrant.

Baroness Rothschild. Violet rose with lighter shadings.

Chrysanthemum Rosea. A fine large deep rose pink with paler shadings in the center.

Duc de Cazes. Guard petals tyrian rose, center rose pink.

Faust. Flesh color, shaded. Very free blooming.

Festiva. Large pure white.

Festiva Maxima. The finest and largest white. It is perfection in form and free blooming qualities. 50 cts. each.

Floral Treasure. A large superb clear pink of perfect form. 50 cts.

Grandiflora carnea plena. Outside petals blush, center yellowish fringed.

Humeii. Large double purplish rose; very late.

Lady Bramwell. Beautiful silvery rose.

Limbata. Clear pink; very fine.

Louis Van Houtte. Brilliant crimson-maroon of good size.

Modesta. Deep rose, bright and showy; large and very double; fragrant.

Officinalis alba. Very early, large old-fashioned white.

Officinalis rubra. The old double red Piney, still one of the best.

Pottsii. Deep rose, early.

Queen Victoria. Pure white occasionally marked with small flakes of red.

Rosea Superba. Large deep rose, shading lighter to center.

Rubra Triumphans. Single and semi-double flowers of dark purplish crimson; early.

Tenuifolia. Fern-like foliage and deep crimson single flowers; early.

Tenuifolia plena. Similar to above, with double crimson flowers. 75 cts. each.



PAEONY—*Tenuifolia Plena*.

Victoria Tricolor. Outside petals rose, center yellowish white streaked with red.

Zoe Calot. White suffused with delicate rose.

PAEONY ARBOREA.

(Tree Paeony.)

Handsome flowering shrub. The flowers are numerous and of immense size. Although hardy, the plants must be protected in this climate. \$1 each.

PHLOX.

(Flame Flower.)



Hardy Phlox.

- Eclairieur.** A fine variety with brilliant rosy magenta flowers.
- Frau Dora Umgeller.** Very rich deep rosy red, free-flowering, late.
- Graff von Ungerer.** Large flowers, white suffused with rosy lilac, dark crimson center.
- H. O. Wijers.** Pure white with carmine eye.
- Jeanne d'Arc.** A fine late blooming white.
- La Vague.** Pure mauve with aniline red eye.
- Mrs. Jenkins.** A grand white, immense panicles, early and free blooming.
- Miss Lingard.** Extra early, pure white.

PHLOX SUBULATA.

(Moss Pink.)

A dwarf variety, growing closely to the ground, and forming a carpet of moss like foliage, which is completely covered with pink flowers in early spring. Also *P. subulata alba*, a pure white form of the above. Strong clumps of either, 20 cts. each.

This, like the Paeony, is a flower for the millions—something everybody can grow—and should be in every garden. It is of stately growth and vigorous habit. The flowers are of fine form and colors, and are produced in profusion during a long season. We have a first-class collection which consists of only varieties of distinct and decided colors. Our plants are strong field grown, and not to be compared with the small greenhouse propagated plants, usually sent out.

Price, 20 cts. each, \$2.00 per doz.

Beranger. White delicately shaded rosy pink, amaranth red eye.

Bridesmaid. White with large cherry red eye, a fine flower and truss.

Colibri. White with crimson center; very late.

Clara Benz. Lovely carmine-rose with deeper eye.

Coquelicot. Very fine scarlet with crimson eye.

Phlox Amoena. One of the best low growing plants for borders, or rockery growing about four inches in height and covered in early spring with a sheet of rich pink flowers. 20 cts. each.

PHYSOSTEGIA.

(Fase Dragon Head.)

One of the most beautiful of our midsummer flowering perennials forming dense bushes, 3 to 4 feet high, bearing spikes of delicate tubular flowers, not unlike a gigantic heather.

Virginica. Bright pink.

Alba. Very fine pure white.

HARDY RUBBECKIA GOLDEN GLOW.

A grand new hardy plant which should be in every garden. It is more elegant and beautiful than the double sunflower (*Helianthus multiflora*). It is of strong, vigorous growth, attaining a height of about 9 feet. The flowers, which are a beautiful golden yellow, very double, from 4 to 6 inches in diameter, and are produced on long, stiff stems, which, combined with its beautiful foliage, makes it excellent for cut flower purposes. An early and continuous bloomer.

Strong blooming plants, 25 cts. each, 3 for 50 cts.

SHASTA DAISY.

The largest and finest of all the moonpenny daisies. It is the first of a new type and among its many good qualities are extreme hardiness, standing over severe winters without protection, adaptability to any and all soils, and freedom of bloom, blooming all through the summer and fall. The flowers are large and graceful, averaging 4 inches across with petals of pure glistening whiteness and yellow disc. On account of its long stems and extraordinary keeping qualities when cut, no other flower can compare with it in usefulness.

25 cts. each.

\$2.00 per doz.



Shasta Daisy.

SPIRAEA.

Valuable and well-known herbaceous plants of easy culture, with handsome foliage and graceful, feathery flowers. 20 cts. each.

Filipendula Flora Plena. Large corymbs of white flowers and pretty fern-like foliage.

Lobata. A robust variety, with deep rose-colored flowers in large heads.

Ulmarie fl. pl. A beautiful variety, with handsome foliage and large panicles of creamy white double flowers.

Japonica. Pure white flowers and glossy green foliage.

General List of Hardy Herbaceous Plants.

- Aconitum.** (Monkshood). A stately growing plant, 3 to 6 feet high with showy purple flowers in large panicles in August and September. 20 cts. each.
- Astilbe Japonica.** A handsome plant, with pretty feathery white flowers in May. 20 cts. each.
- Boltonia Latisquama.** A showy and beautiful perennial, blooming in late summer and fall. Handsome single aster-like flowers on long, wiry stems; color, rosy lilac; strong clumps. 20 cts. each
- Hardy Garden Carnation.** We have a splendid strain, all colors mixed. 20 cts. each, \$2.00 per doz.
- Campanula.** (Bellflower). Elegant and useful plants of the easiest culture, with handsome bell-shaped flowers of rich colors produced in abundance.
- Digitalis.** (Foxglove). An old garden favorite and among the best of all plants for planting among shrubbery and in shady situations. 20 cts. each.
- Funkia Alba.** (Plantain Lily). A beautiful hardy plant, with handsome green foliage and fragrant pure white lily like flowers, in large clusters. 20 cts. each.
- Funkia Coerula.** Light blue, 25 cts. each.
- Gypsophila Paniculata.** (Baby's Breath). An old-fashioned perennial plant-forming a dense mass of very small pure white flowers, on large loose panicles, giving it a mist like appearance. Fine for cutting purposes in combination with other flowers. Strong clumps, 20 cts. each.
- Hemerocallis Fulva.** (Lemon Lily). A handsome and useful plant, with large lily-like flowers of a lemon-yellow color, on long stems. 25 cts. each.
- Hibiscus.** (Rose Mallow). Valuable border plants, with large, showy rose-colored flowers in August. Growth 4 feet. 25 cts. each.
- Liatis.** Very showy and attractive plants, producing large spikes of rosy purple flowers, a peculiar feature of which is the flowers on the top of the spike open first. 20 cts. each.
- Lily of the Valley.** The well-known old hardy garden plant. Strong clumps, 20 cts. each.

LYCHNIS.

- Chalcedonica.** An old garden favorite, with trusses of brilliant scarlet flowers; on long stems.
- Haageana.** A showy variety, growing about 1 foot high, with striking flowers of all shades and colors.
- Myosotis.** (Forget-me-not). The well known beautiful little plants with star like flowers of a beautiful azure blue color. 20 cts. each.
- Platycodon.** (Japanese Bell Flower). Beautiful perennial plants with large blue and white bell-shaped flowers, produced in abundance from spring until fall. 20 cts. each.

NEW
GIANT
HARDY
PRIMROSE.



Giant Hardy Primrose.

A true giant variety of the old fashioned Hardy English Primrose, being three times the size of the old variety, the average size of the individual florets being over one inch in diameter. It is perfectly hardy, grows about one foot in height and begins to bloom earlier and continues in bloom longer than any variety of the same family. It has the delicate yellow color and the fragrance of the old English Primrose.

Strong plants 20 cts each.

Pyrethrum Ulginosum. A fine autumn-blooming perennial, growing to a height of 3 to 5 feet, and producing large sprays of single white flowers, with yellow center, resembling daisies, but much larger. Fine for cutting. An excellent companion plant to *Helenium autumnale*, both blooming at the same time. 20 cts. each.

Pinks, Hardy Scotch. Hardy dwarf pinks, large double fragrant flowers of rich color. 20 cts. each.

Pink, Her Majesty. A beautiful variety with large pure white flowers on long stems. 20 cts. each.

Ranunculus. Double yellow Buttercup or Bachelor's Button. 20 cts. each.

Tritoma. (Red Hot Poker). Splendid plants, with flower stalks 4 to 5 feet high, with orange and scarlet tubulous flowers for a foot or more of its length. Should be wintered in a cool cellar. 35 cts. each.

Valeriana. (Garden Heliotrope). Flowers bluish white, in large trusses. Useful for cutting. 20 cts. each.

Veronica. (Speedwell). A good hardy perennial, with erect spikes of flowers, a foot or more in length. White and blue. 20 cts.

Vinca Minor. (Periwinkle, or Myrtle). A trailing evergreen plant with blue flowers. 20 cts. each.

Hardy English Violet. A valuable variety; perfectly hardy. Very free-blooming and deliciously fragrant. Large double flowers. Young plants from pots 15 cts. each; clumps, 25 cts. each.

Hardy Vines and Climbers.

AMPELOPSIS.

Quinquefolia. (Virginia Creeper). One of the finest vines for covering walls, trunks of trees or any unsightly object. The foliage becomes rich crimson in autumn.

Strong plants, 20 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Veitchii. (Boston Ivy). One of the handsomest clinging vines in cultivation. The leaves are three lobed and overlap one another, forming a dense sheet of green, changing to rich crimson in autumn. The plant is tender when young and should be protected the first two or three years. Strong plants, 35 cts. each.

DUTCHMAN'S PIPE VINE.

(*Aristolochia siph.*)

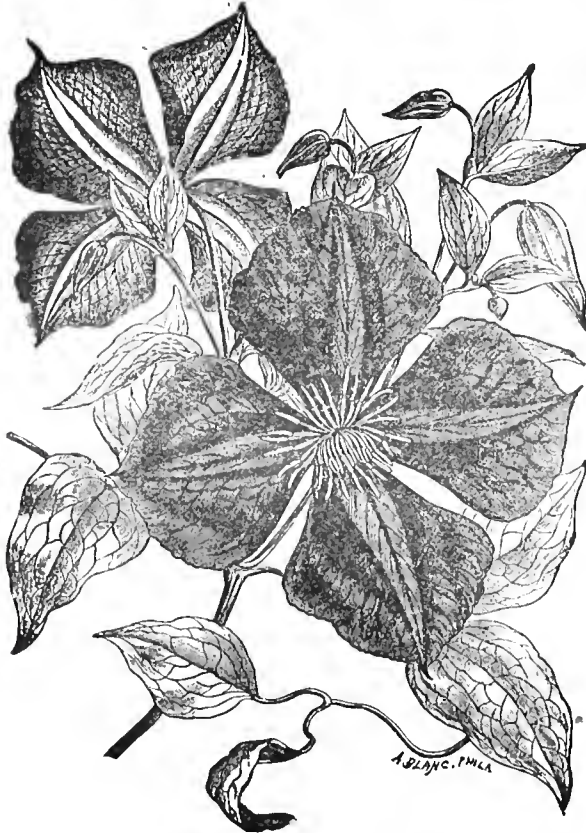
One of the handsomest and most satisfactory vines for this climate, for covering verandas, trellises, fences, etc. There is nothing to equal it. After becoming established the vines grow from 10 to 20 feet in a single season. They are remarkably free from insect pests and are perfectly hardy without

protection; the leaves are heart shaped, deep green in color and are frequently 10 to 12 inches in diameter. The flowers are of a peculiar greenish brown color and resemble in shape a crooked stem pipe.

Strong plants, 60 cts. each.

Strong 2-year-old plants, 75 cts. each.

Strong 3-year-old plants, \$1.00, each.



Jackmanni.

CLEMATIS.

These are among the most beautiful and satisfactory plants grown. They can be used in almost any situation, either on arbors, verandas or trellises, but to be seen to the best advantage they should be trained to individual trellises in the garden; they require a rich soil, and should be mulched with well

rotted manure every spring to give the best results. Although hardy they will be benefited by covering in the fall.

- Henryi.** Very large flower; creamy white. One of the best. 50 cts. each.
- Jackmanni.** An abundant and successive blooming variety, of rapid growth, with large violet-purple flowers. A general favorite. Strong plants, 75 cts. each.
- Lanuginosa.** Large, light lavender; very early. 50 cts. each.
- Clematis Paniculata.** A valuable new variety from Japan, and one of the most satisfactory hardy climbing plants grown. It is of very rapid growth with beautiful glossy deep green foliage, and small pure white star-shaped flowers which appear in great profusion in August and last until late in the fall. The plants succeed in almost any situation and will be found very useful for covering trellises, verandas, etc., or allowed to run over sloping banks among rock work, etc., the effect is beautiful. Strong roots, 50 cts. each.
- Virginiana.** Small, white flowers in dense masses; will grow rapidly in any situation. 25 cts. each.

HARDY MOON FLOWER.

Ipomea Pandurata.

A very rapid growing vine, which after becoming established grows to a height of thirty to forty feet. The vines branch freely and form a dense mat or screen thickly covered with large green heart-shaped foliage. The flowers white, shading through pink to purple in the throat and resemble large Morning Glories. Strong roots 20 cts. each.

Hardy Ornamental Shrubs.

Berberis Thunbergii. (Barberry). A beautiful dwarf variety from Japan. The foliage is small and assumes a great variety and beautiful tints of coloring in the autumn. Very desirable for grouping and a grand hedge plant. 35 cts. each.

LILAC.

Syringa Vulgaris.

Vulgaris. (Common Lilac). Bluish purple flowers. 35 cts.

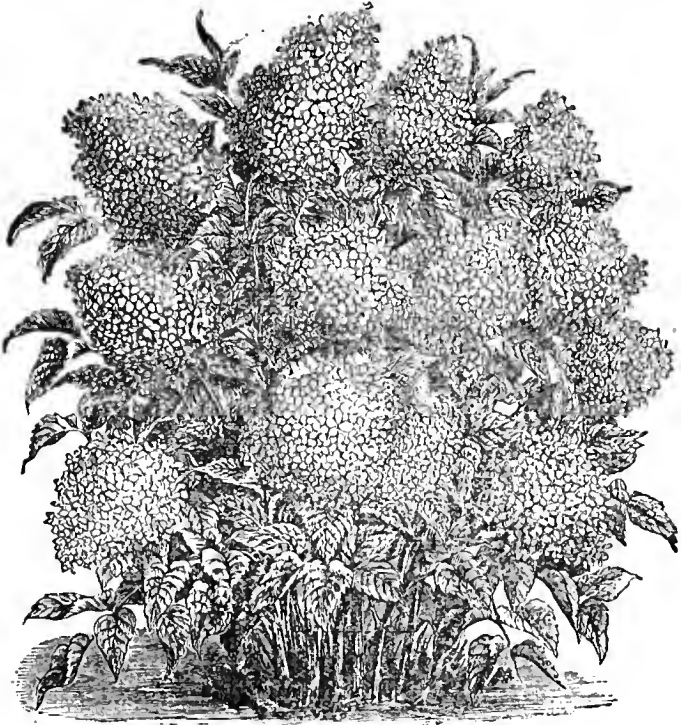
Persica. (Persian Lilac). An excellent species, with small foliage, growing 4 to 6 feet high. Large panicles of purple flowers freely produced. 35 cts. each.

Purple Fringe or Smoke Tree. A desirable shrub; much admired for its curious fringe-like flowers, that cover the whole plant, becoming like a cloud of smoke later in the season. 35 cts. each.

Syringa or Mock Orange. A desirable shrub, of vigorous habit, with fine, rich green foliage and beautiful white fragrant flowers, in dense clusters, in such profusion as to bear the branches down when in flower in June 35 cts. each.

HYDRANGÆA PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA.

This is the most popular hardy shrub of the day, and one of the easiest to grow. It does well in any and all soils, but the flowers will be larger and finer if given good, rich soil. The flowers are in immense panicles, creamy white when first opening, changing to pure white when fully open then turning to pink and bronze as the flower grows older. It blooms in August, and remains in bloom until heavy frosts. At least half of the previous year's growth should be cut back each spring, as the flowers are much larger and finer when treated in this manner. We have a fine stock of extra strong plants at 50 cts. each, \$4 per doz.; smaller plants, 25 cts. and 35 cts. each, \$2.50 and \$3.50 per doz.



HYDRANGEA—Paniculata Grandiflora.

SPIRAEA.

(Meadow Sweet.)

Fine medium-sized shrubs of easy culture and very hardy.
Anthony Waterer. A valuable and distinct variety of dwarf dense growth. The flowers are bright crimson and are freely produced all through the summer.

Van Houttei. Undoubtedly the finest variety in cultivation. Flowers pure white, in dense clusters the whole length of the branches which are often weighed to the ground with the weight of flowers. 35 cts. each.

Vegetable Plants.

We have a large amount of space devoted to growing Vegetable Plants in such varieties as are of the greatest merit and best adapted for planting for the home garden or market. Much time may be saved in getting plants well established and ready to grow as soon as the ground is in proper condition to plant. We give careful attention to packing for shipment, in order to insure safe arrival and low rates.

Brussels Sprouts. Improved Half Dwarf. Very hardy plants, producing numerous little sprouts resembling small cabbages. They should be treated in all respects like winter cabbage. Plants ready after June 1st. 10 cts. per doz., 60 cts. per hundred.

- Cabbage Plants.** Early Winningstadt, Early Jersey Wakefield, Succession, Flat Dutch, Danish Ball Head, Short Stem Drumhead, Red Dutch, etc. Early varieties transplanted, 10 cts. per doz., 50 cts. per hundred. After June 1st all varieties 25 cts. per hundred, \$2.00 per thousand.
- Cauliflower.** Early Snowball, Dwarf Erfurt, etc. 10 cts. per doz., 75 cts. per hundred.
- Celery Plants.** White Plume, Golden Self Blanching, Silver Self Blanching, Winter Queen, Giant Pascal. Ready after May 20th.
Prices of Celery Plants. (By express only, at Buyer's expense.)
Plants from Seed beds.....\$3.50 per 1000; 50c. per 100.
Transplanted Plants\$6.00 per 1000; 75c. per 100.
- The superiority of Transplanted Plants is seen in the dense mass of fibrous roots they possess, and on this account they are much easier to make grow and more certain to do well.
- Chives.** An onion-like plant, the leaves of which are much used in making salads, etc.; perfectly hardy. Strong clumps, 20 cts. each.
- Cucumbers, Melons and Summer Squash.** The leading varieties, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz. These are grown in patent boxes which can be removed without disturbing the roots when planting in the hill.
- Egg Plants.** New York Improved, Early Dwarf, Purple, etc. Large plants¹ grown in pots, 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per dozen. Transplanted 50 cts. per dozen.
- Mint.** The well-known herb, the leaves of which are so much used for meat sauce. Clumps 20 cts. each.
- Onion, Mammoth Prize Taker.** Fine plants from seedbed. 15 cts. per 100, \$1.25 per 1000.
Everyone should try a few hundred of these. If given rich soil and good cultivation, onions may be raised weighing a pound or more apiece.
- Peppers.** Bull Nose, Long Red, etc. Transplanted, 25 cts. per doz, \$1.50 per 100.
- Parsley Plants.** Moss Curled, 25 cts. per doz.
- Tomato Plants.** Livingston's Beauty, Sparks' Earliana, Ponderosa, Early Jewell, Dwarf Champion, Stone, Matchless, etc. Transplanted, 25 cts. per doz., \$1.50 per 100. Large strong plants in patent plant boxes, which can be removed without disturbing the roots. 60 cts. per doz., \$4.50 per 100.
- Rhubarb (Pieplant) Linneaus.** The best variety, very tender, juicy and of superior flavor. Strong roots, 20 cts. each, \$2.00 per doz.

ASPARAGUS ROOTS.

- Conover's Colossal.** The standard variety. The stalks are very large, tender and succulent; very quick growing and free from woody fibre.
Strong plants, 1 year old roots, 75 cts. per 100.
Strong plants, 2 year old roots, \$1.50 per 100.

ALL VEGETABLE PLANTS SHIPPED BY EXPRESS UNLESS OTHERWISE ADVISED.

Cut Flowers and Floral Designs.

AT ALL SEASONS.

For many years we have devoted a large amount of space to the growing of choice flowers, making them up when so ordered, into designs suitable for all purposes. They can be safely shipped long distances at all seasons. We pack with great care, and of the hundreds of designs sent out, have never heard of one arriving in bad order or failing to please. Prices vary according to season, scarcity of flowers, work expended, etc.

The prices of cut flowers are governed by count mostly, varying somewhat with the season. In summer flowers do not average as choice and as expensive as in winter, and during the Christmas and Easter holidays they are most expensive, being apt to be nearly double common prices at other times. We give below a list with prices of staple kinds in their respective seasons.

Per dozen prices are given except where noted:

ROSES—	Nov. to April (except holidays) also Easter	Holidays Dec. 29 to Jan. 5	April to October, inc. except Easter
Pink Sorts, as Bridesmaid and others.	\$1.50 to \$3.00	\$3.00 to \$5.00	\$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00
Red Sorts, as Meteor and Liberty.	1.50 to 3.00	3.00 to 5.00	1.00, 1.25 and 1.50
White Sorts, as Bride, Kaiserin, etc..	1.50 to 3.00	3.00 to 5.00	1.50, 2.00 and 3.00
American Beauty, the large show sorts.	4.00 to 8.00	12.00 to 24.00	2.00, 1.00 and 6.00
CARNATIONS—			
White, Red, Pink, etc., extra grades.	.60 to 1.00	1.00 to 1.50	.40 to .60
Fancy kinds, usually of extra quality.	1.00 to 1.50	1.50 to 2.00	.60 to 1.00

Violets. Bunch of 50; Dec., Jan. and Easter, \$1.50; Holidays, \$2.00; Feb., March, April, excepting Easter, 75c. \$1.00.

Lilies. Easter kinds, and Callas, Dec. to May inclusive, each 25c.; per doz., \$2.50 to \$3.00.

Chyrsanthemums. Oct., Nov. and Dec.; selected, \$1.00 to \$3.00; specimen flowers, 25c. to 50c. each.

NOTE—"Easter" refers to a seven-day period, beginning with the Wednesday before Easter.

Tulips and Hyacinths. Feb. to May inclusive. Assorted colors, 75c. to \$1.00.

Daffodils and Narcissus. White and yellow. Feb. to May; 75c. to \$1.00.

Lily of the Valley Sprays. 75c. to \$1.00.

Roman Hyacinths. White; Nov. to May; 75c.

Hardy Ferns. 10c. to 20c.

Maidenhair, and other fine ferns, 40c. to 60c.

Smilax Strings. 4 to 6 feet long, each 25c. to 50c.

Asparagus. Sprays, each 15c. to 25c.; Strings at \$1.00 each.

FUNERAL DESIGNS.

CROSSES—	Flat.	Standing.
12 inch.....	\$ 2.00 to \$ 3.00	\$ 3.00 to \$ 5.00
14 ".....	2.50 to 4.00	3.50 to 6.00
16 ".....	3.00 to 5.00	5.00 to 7.00
18 ".....	4.00 to 6.00	6.00 to 8.00
20 ".....	6.00 to 8.00	8.00 to 10.00

Larger sizes at proportionate prices.

WREATHS—	Flat.	Standing.
10 inch.....	\$ 2.00 to \$ 3.00	\$ 3.00 to \$ 4.00
12 ".....	3.00 to 4.00	4.00 to 6.00
14 ".....	4.00 to 5.00	5.00 to 7.00
16 ".....	5.00 to 6.00	7.00 to 9.00
18 ".....	7.00 to 9.00	9.00 to 12.00
20 ".....	10.00 to 14.00	12.00 to 15.00

Larger sizes at proportionate prices.

WREATH OR CROSS OF IVY OR GALAX LEAVES—

11 inch.....	\$ 2.50 to \$ 3.00
12 ".....	3.00 to 4.00
14 ".....	4.00 to 5.00
16 ".....	5.00 to 6.00
18 ".....	6.00 to 7.00
20 ".....	7.00 to 9.00

If to be finished with flowers or ribbon, an addition charge will be made according to the amount used.

ANCHORS—	Flat.	Standing or on Reclining Stand.
14 inch.....	\$ 4.00 to \$ 5.00	\$ 5.00 to \$ 7.00
16 ".....	5.00 to 7.00	7.00 to 9.00
18 ".....	6.00 to 8.00	8.00 to 10.00

Larger sizes, \$10.00 to \$20.00 each.

PILLOWS—

14 inch.....	\$ 5.00 to \$ 7.00
16 ".....	6.00 to 8.00
18 ".....	9.00 to 11.00
20 ".....	12.00 to 15.00
24 ".....	15.00 to 20.00

Harp and Lyres \$7.00 to \$20.00.

Crown. \$5.00 to \$15.00. Flat. \$4.00 to \$6.00.

Square and Compass. \$4.00 to \$15.00.

Odd Fellows, (Three Links). \$4.00 to \$10.00.

Sickle. \$3.00 to \$6.00.

Sickle with Sheaf of Wheat. \$4.00 to \$8.00.

Sickle with Severed Wreath. \$6.00 to \$10.00.

Broken Column. \$6.00 to \$20.00.

Gates Ajar. \$12.00 to \$25.00.

Crescent. \$2.00 to \$5.00.

Star. \$3.00 to \$5.00.

Casket Bouquets. Made up in spray form of roses, carnations, hyacinths, lilies, or of miscellaneous flowers. \$1.50 to \$10.00. Tied with ribbon. \$2.00 to \$12.00, according to quantity and quality of ribbon.

Palm Leaves. \$2.00 per pair. Tied with ribbon, \$2.50 to \$3.00.

Italian Wheat. In beautiful flat sheaves, \$1.00 and \$2.00 each.

Natural White Doves. In several positions, to use separately, or in connection with funeral designs. \$2.50 and \$3.00 each.

SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO DESIGNS OR EMBLEMS FOR
FRATERNAL AND OTHER SOCIETIES.

WEDDING AND OTHER DESIGNS.

Marriage Bells. \$8.00 and up.

Horseshoes. \$3.00 to \$10.00.

Bridal Bouquets. We give special attention to making these in the latest and most fashionable styles. They are usually made of white roses; lily of the valley, sweet peas, chrysanthemums or other seasonable flowers. We make these in the ordinary bouquet form at \$2.00 to \$15.00 each, according to material and finish. We also make them in the new shower form at \$5.00 to \$25.00 each. This is the new and popular arrangement in which small ribbons are freely used to droop from the flowers. Tiny bows are used and light flowers entwined among the ribbons.

Bridesmaid Bouquets. \$2.00 to \$10.00 each.

Baskets of Flowers. In plain or fancy baskets, for weddings, commencements, etc. \$1.50 to \$10.00 each.

Ladies' Corsage Bouquets. 50 cts. to \$2.00 each.

Gentlemen's Boutonnaires. 15 cts. to 30 cts. each.

Loose Flowers. In boxes suitable for presenting to a sick friend, etc. \$1 and upwards.

Smilax. 25 cts. per string of 4 to 6 ft.

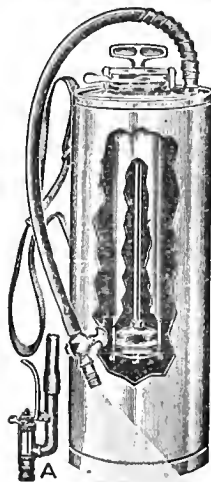
SPRAYERS.

AUTO-SPRAY No. 1. This is a compressed air sprayer which covers every point of excellence, and is the result of many years of experience and experiment. It consists of a heavy reservoir made of either galvanized steel or brass as ordered. The machine is operated by loading two-thirds full of solution; the pump is then inserted and locked tight by means of a patent locking device; air is then pumped into the reservoir and occupies the space above the solution where it is compressed and discharges under high pressure. The spray is controlled by a nozzle which is worked by a lever which just fits the hand so that the spray is under absolute control at all times. This is a practical machine and will pay for itself in one season.

PRICE.

Galvanized steel, with stop-cock, \$4.50; with auto pop, \$5.50.

All brass, with stop cock, \$6.00; with auto pop, \$7.00.



PATENTED.

Auto-Spray No. 1.

THE SUCCESS BUCKET SPRAYER. A very effective pump for general use. The brass air chamber compels a constant stream, the operator being enabled to pause between each stroke, as rapid pumping is not necessary. All parts coming in contact with the liquid are of brass. The Success is excellent for whitewashing and disinfecting stables, hen-houses, etc; also for washing windows, buggies, etc., as well as the regular work of spraying. All pumps are fitted with the Bordeaux nozzle and 3 feet of hose.

PRICE COMPLETE, \$4.00.

We can supply many other Sprayers such as Knapsack, Cart Sprayers, Horsepower and Gasoline Sprayers. If interested, write for prices.



Success Bucket Sprayer.

FERTILIZERS.

- Bone Meal.** A safe and valuable fertilizer for all plants. 1 lb., 10 cts.; 5 lb. package, 35 cts.; 10 lb. package, 50 cts.; 100 lb. bags, \$3.00. Price by the ton, on application.
- Nitrate of Soda.** A valuable fertilizer on account of the nitrogen it contains. It is quick in action and makes the mineral plant foods in the soil more available. For pot plants and small gardens it should be used in solution, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. to 1 gallon of water. For field use, it should be mixed with sand or land plaster, and applied at the rate of 200 to 500 lbs. to the acre. 1 lb. 10 cts., 10lb. packages 60 cts., 100 lb. bags \$3.75. Price by the ton on application.
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Asparagus	2-3	1-5 lbs.	Timothy	45	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{3}{4}$ bu.
Beans	3-8	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{3}{4}$ bu.	Red Top - in chaff	41	3 bu.
Beet	6-10	5-6 lbs.	Red Top - clean	35	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{3}{4}$ bu.
Cabbage	5-10	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{3}{4}$ bu.	Kentucky Blue - in chaff	44	3 bu.
Carrot	4-10	2-4 lbs.	Kentucky Blue - clean	25-28	$\frac{3}{4}$ -1 bu.
Celery	8-10	$\frac{1}{4}$ bu.	Hungarian	48	1 bu.
Corn	2-4	$\frac{1}{4}$ bu.	German or Golden Millet	50	1 bu.
Cucumber	10-15	2-3 lbs.	Japan Millet	60	10-15 lbs.
Egg Plant	6-10	$\frac{1}{4}$ bu.	Clover - Medium Red	60	8-16 lbs.
Lettuce	5-9	4-6 lbs.	Clover - Mammoth Red	60	8-12 lbs.
Musk Melon	5-10	3-4 lbs.	Clover - Alsike	60	6-10 lbs.
Water Melon	6-10	4-5 lbs.	Clover - Allala	60	20-25 lbs.
Onion	2-7	6-8 lbs.	Clover - White	60	8-10 lbs.
Onion Sets		6-12 bu.	Clover - Crimson	60	12-15 lbs.
Parsnip	2-4	4-5 lbs.	Barley	48	$1\frac{1}{2}$ - $2\frac{1}{2}$ bu.
Pepper	1-7	$\frac{1}{4}$ bu.	Soja Beans	60	$\frac{3}{4}$ bu.
Peas	3-8	2-3 bu.	Buckwheat	48	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $1\frac{1}{2}$ bu.
Pumpkin	1-9	4-5 lbs.	Oats	32	2-3 bu.
Potatoes		1-6 lbs.	Field Peas	60	3 bu.
Radish	5-10	10-12 lbs.	Cow Peas	60	2 bu.
Spinach	5-7	10-12 lbs.	Rape		2-4 bu.
Squash	6-10	3-4 lbs.	Rye	56	$1\frac{1}{2}$ - $2\frac{1}{2}$ bu.
Tomato	4-15	$\frac{1}{4}$ bu.	Vetch - Spring	60	2 bu.
Turnip	5-10	1-2 lbs.	Vetch - Winter	66	1 bu.
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