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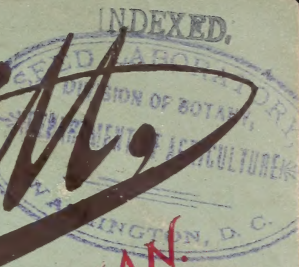
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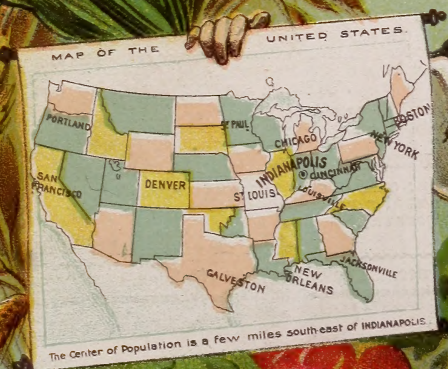
## SEEDSMAN.

### Indianapolis, Ind, U.S.A.

#### ANNUAL CATALOGUE OF Celebrated

# TRADE MARK **W** SEEDS

## 1896.



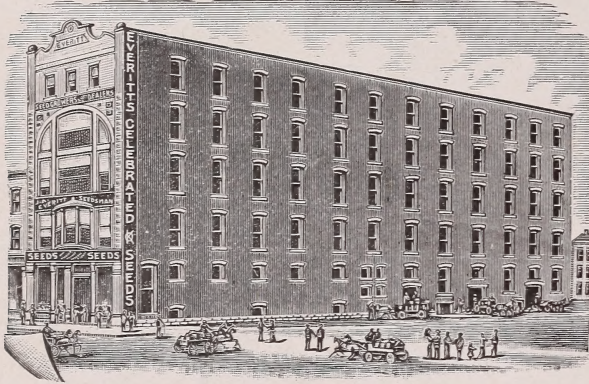


# PERSONAL TO ALL... WHO BUY SEEDS.

Where the crowds congregate there must be some attraction. Where the orders go there must be some inducements offered. *Our whole business is planned on the basis of giving our customers all we can in quantity and quality for their money.* Most business houses plan on the opposite basis; that is, give as little as possible for the money. Examine this catalogue, compare it with any other you may have at hand and see if it is not gotten up with **your interests** in view.

To our old friends and patrons we return thanks. May they ever prosper as those people do who plant **O.K. Seeds.** To the old customers of our house, and the new people who we hope to count as customers, we again send **greetings.**

We don't devote one-half of our space to telling you how good **O.K. SEEDS** are. They must be good or we would not have the business we enjoy. Fact is, there are none better.



Mammoth Seed House erected 1892, owned by us and used exclusively by us in handling **O.K. Seeds and Man-Weight Tools.**

true and reliable, yet so many contingencies arise over which we have no control that we can not warrant the crop. If not accepted on these terms they must be returned at once.

**OUR TERMS** are cash with order. We will occasionally send goods C. O. D. if enough is remitted to guarantee charges. It is a useless expense for customers to return money for C.O.D. shipments.

**HOW TO REMIT** a Registered Letter. This is one of the best and most convenient ways to remit, and the sender gets a receipt for the letter as soon as it reaches its destination. **Every post-master must register letters. Money Order, Bank Draft** on New York, or **Express.** Stamps taken same as money in small amounts—1-cent preferred.

**REDUCED FREIGHT** Through our efforts the railroad companies have made a lower rate on Seed Corn, Oats, Wheat, etc., going to farmers. After January 1st, we can ship such seeds from Indianapolis for just one-half the former rate. This is an item for you to consider in pacing your order.

**PRE-PAY STATIONS.** If there is no agent at your station, remit extra for the freight.

**GIVE FULL ADDRESS** every time you write.

**WE FILL ALL ORDERS IMMEDIATELY.** Hence if you don't get your seeds in a reasonable time you better repeat your order and be sure to give the **same post-office** as first given.

**TESTIMONIALS.** We could fill this catalogue with reports from pleased customers for O.K. Seeds. We print below a few from our home gardeners, showing in what esteem they are held here. We do not give complete address with testimonials for Corn, Oats and Potatoes, as by this plan we would be selling any surplus they might have to our loss, and we could not pay our expenses:

*J. A. Everitt—Dear Sir—Your seeds are second to none. I make specialties of Louisville Drumhead and Late Flat Dutch Cabbage. I frequently met with failures before I used your seed; since using O.K. Seeds never a failure. You can depend on all my trade in the future. Your seeds are sure to grow, are always true to name, and you certainly deserve the immense trade you enjoy.*  
PAUL KRAFT, Indianapolis, Ind.

*J. A. Everitt—Dear Sir—I have used your seeds for several years, and am pleased to say they give me better results than those obtained from any other house. Their germinating qualities are the best, and they always produce crops true to name, thus demonstrating in results the great care you exercise in conducting your large and complicated seed business.*  
JOHN H. STORZ, Indianapolis, Ind.

*J. A. Everitt—Dear Sir—I can not recommend your seeds too highly, for I have used them long enough to know what I am writing about. Since I used your seeds I have had no trouble to get a stand, and the crops always come as we expect them. If you can use this letter to induce others to buy seeds of you, you are welcome to do so, as I know they can be depended upon.*  
HERMAN STEINACKER, Indianapolis, Ind.

*J. A. Everitt—Dear Sir—Your seeds have given the utmost satisfaction; quite in contrast with those obtained from some other houses. Since I used your seeds I have no trouble about getting them to grow, and the products are the finest that go to this market. I make specialties of onions, and I can not recommend your onion seed too highly.*  
CHAS. NUNN, Indianapolis, Ind.

PLEASE HANG THIS CATALOGUE UP for future reference. A calendar is on the back.

Address all orders for Everitt's Celebrated O.K. Seeds to

## J. A. EVERITT, Seedsman,

MAIN STORE, No. 123 West Washington Street,  
BRANCH STORE, No. 50 North Delaware Street, INDIANAPOLIS, IND.





## COLUMBIAN MAMMOTH WHITE ASPARAGUS

This new Asparagus is a sport from Conover's Colossal, and is one of those rare instances where the new variety comes uniformly true to its distinctive type. Its principal departure from the old varieties lies in the fact that the shoots are pure white, and they remain so as long as fit for use. It is among asparagus what the self-blanching varieties are among celery. Extremely robust and vigorous habit, excelling any other sort in the size of its shoots. Pkt. 8c, 1/2 lb. 20c, 1 lb. 60c, 1 lb. \$2.00. Roots, 2 years old, by mail 1/2 oz. 45c; 50, 75c; 100, \$1.25. By frt., 100, \$1.00; 1,000, \$7.50.



COLUMBIAN  
MAMMOTH  
WHITE

THE GREAT  
SECRET.  
"PLANT O. K.  
SEEDS."



## First and Last Beet

This very fine and decidedly improved variety of Beets was discovered several years ago. While it then showed superior qualities, it has been so further improved by careful growing and selecting for the ideal shape, size and color, until now, we believe, we have the perfect beet. The roots are of the very best form, with smooth skin and deep blood red flesh. Quality sweet and tender. It comes for use as early as Egyptian, of better quality. If left in the ground they will continue to grow and attain large size for fall and winter, retaining all their good qualities, hence the name, **First and Last**. Top small and neat. All our customers should plant a package or more of this superior Beet.

Pkt. 10c, oz. 20c, 1/2 lb. 50c.



# 4 Great Beans

(See also Next Page).

1 PKT. of Each ONLY 30c, Worth 45c.

## DAVIS KIDNEY WAX.

Every Seedsman, every Canner, every Gardener, in short every person who has tested this bean, concedes that it is a great ways in advance of any other bean of the kind ever offered. It is absolutely rust-proof, and so productive that a field viewed from a distance shows more yellow from the pods than green from the leaves. The plants are a complete mass of pods; yet they hold up well from the ground. Pods are always full of large, plump, white beans; never a blank. Pods are larger and handsomer, flavor finer and yield greater than any other Kidney Wax Beans in cultivation. Early as Golden Wax. For canners this bean fills a long felt want. Its pearl white beans, combined with other qualities mentioned, makes it entirely without a peer. In a test of all the principal wax beans, Davis Kidney yielded  $\frac{1}{8}$  more than any other. Pkt. 10c, pt. 50c, qt. \$1.00, by mail.



GREAT WESTERN  
FIELD BEAN  
INTRODUCED BY  
J. A. EVERITT, SEEDSMAN  
INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

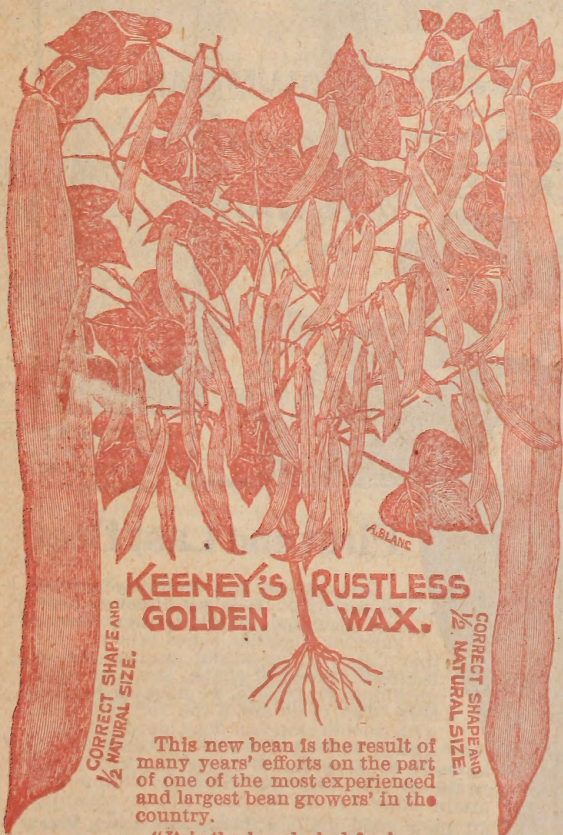
Now offered the First Time.

We have introduced two of the most popular varieties in cultivation; Wonder and Wisconsin Tree, and still recommend them as the best of their class. The White Wonder is a small bean, about the size of a medium size, berrarrow, while our Wisconsin Tree, between navy and large navy, is a the marrow class. With our three great specialties in field beans, any grower can commend the finest and best of all Our

Great Western as most productive grower had 64 kinds of beans planted the past season, and this was the best field bean of the entire lot. They are much superior to any other bean of the marrow family. Unusually early, productive, and the handsomest bean of all, being large, round, ivory white. When other kinds fall down and spoil in a wet season, these stand up on a strong stalk. Resists rust and mildew. Will stand in the field after maturity longer than any other and not waste. The Great Western grows the heaviest top of all, with a root in proportion; the root going into the soil as deep as the top extends above, thus enabling it to withstand drought, and fits this variety particularly well for our Western country. The pods hang in clusters all over the top (see the illustration). This stalk was photographed suspended by the root. Also, notice the pods contain from 7 to 9 beans each, denoting a remarkable productive sort. This bean yielded in a test at the rate of 450 bushels per acre. They are the grandest bean of all, and surprise and please every grower.

PRICE—Pkt. 10c, pt. 35c, qt. 60c, peck \$2.00.

We will send 1 quart each of 3 great field beans, Great Western, Wisconsin Tree and White Wonder, by mail for \$1.20, or by freight or express for 75c.



CORRECT SHAPE AND 1/2 NATURAL SIZE.

KEENEY'S RUSTLESS GOLDEN WAX.

CORRECT SHAPE AND 1/2 NATURAL SIZE.

This new bean is the result of many years' efforts on the part of one of the most experienced and largest bean growers in the country.

"It is the long-looked-for bean, combining hardness and productiveness with fine quality. A strong growing bush variety of remarkable vigor and freedom from rust. It sends out short tendrils on which pods are formed in addition to those near the central stalk of the plant, which accounts for its wonderful productiveness, amounting under favorable conditions to 100 to 150 fold. The pods are meaty and well filled, thick, flat when young, and semi-round later, of rich yellow color, fine quality, and entirely stringless even when large enough to shell. If the pods are picked as fast as formed, the plant continues to furnish a bountiful supply for an unusual long season." Pkt. 10c, pt. 40c, qt. 75c, by mail.



# Everitt's Alpha POLE BEAN.

The Earliest Pole Bean in Existence.  
Can be grown as far North as Bush  
Beans. Introduced in 1896.

It is with no small degree of satisfaction that we offer this new bean to our customers. Each seedsman aspires to be the first in offering new things, and the great competition to secure really valuable vegetables oftentimes runs the price up to high altitudes. We never let price prevent us from securing a really good article, and we paid for the stock of this bean, about 2 bushels, \$75. Our experience with it the season just past proves that our investment was a wise one.

We have several splendid varieties of green pod pole beans, but none of them approach Everitt's Alpha in earliness by more than two weeks. This bean is so early that it can be grown in the far north, wherever bush beans succeed, while for any section they are unsurpassed in productiveness by any pole bean, whether grown on poles or with corn. The vines produce nearly all pods and very few leaves. On this account they may be planted close together, about 2x3 feet. Also are better suited to grow in corn, not pulling the stalks down like the beans with heavy foliage. The vines keep in bearing a long time. Quality is in all respects equal to the well known Kentucky wonder. The color of the seed is bright yellow, which is different from any other pole bean, thus proclaiming them a distinct sort. They have never been known to rust or blight. Pods long, round, thick, stringless.

The beans that are enjoyed the most are usually the ones that come first. This is the bean to grow. Also, the bean that brings the most money is the earliest. Here we have it again.

As soon as the merits of this bean are known it will be grown as generally as the now famous Kentucky Wonder.

Price—Pkt. 10c, pint 40c, quart 60c,  
4 quarts \$2.00, delivered to any address.

## ICEBERG LETTUCE.

Quick Growing, Hard, Handsome  
Heads, Exquisite in Flavor.

There is no handsomer or more solid Cabbage Lettuce in cultivation—it is strikingly beautiful. The large, curly leaves which cover the outside of the solid heads are a bright, light green, with very slight reddish tinge at the edges; they have small indentations, which are constantly filled with dewdrops. They are thus kept fresh, and show a remarkably crystalline appearance, which well warrants the name of Iceberg.



Whether in the early spring or the hottest days of summer, the quality is perfect. We confidently commend the **New Iceberg Lettuce** as surpassingly fine for the home garden and equally valuable for market; its beautiful appearance insures quick sales. Pkt. 10c, oz. 20c, 1/4 lb 50c.



**EVANS' TRIUMPH CELERY** For solidity, crispness and fine nutty flavor it is not surpassed. Grows medium size, color creamy white. Besides all the good qualities enumerated, there is one still



greater, namely, its keeping qualities. It can be kept late in the spring to April and May. It is also very economical, as every particle can be eaten. For market gardeners' late use the "**Triumph**" always brings them out triumphant. Pkt. 10c, oz. 30c.



# ROUGH & READY OR HARD HEADING CABBAGE



Owing to the peculiar and extraordinary keeping qualities of this cabbage, which preserves the heads until late spring as green as when gathered in the fall, it is pre-eminently the King of Cabbage for late spring selling.

For get up and getting there this new variety occupies the field without a competitor. Season late. Sure to produce large heads of the greatest solidity even under unfavorable

circumstances. The heads grow medium to large size, but owing to their hardness it is one of the heaviest cabbages grown. Those who have this cabbage for sale in the spring will have the market all to themselves, and remember that this is the time the big prices are obtained.

Read what a few growers have to say about this cabbage:

MR. R. M. EDGECOMB, Mapleton, Mich.: "I have just (April 15) taken out a wagon load of your Hard Heading almost as green as when buried."

MR. JONAS C. SCHOOB, of Cumberland, Pa.: "I put out fifty plants, and forty-nine made the heaviest heads I ever saw for the size, and all so uniform!"

A market gardener writes: "I have tried all the favorite kinds of cabbage, but found no other half so good a keeper, it being in good market condition as late as the 15th of May, which is a fortnight after all cabbages have played out. It also differs from all other kinds in making heads as hard as a rock; standing late frosts in the field better than any other sort, it is especially adapted for late autumn, winter and spring sales."

Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c, ¼ lb. 75c, lb. \$2.50.

## NEW CLIMBING JAPANESE CUCUMBER

This great novelty was introduced from Japan into Europe, where it created a great sensation and was the reigning novelty, and met with a phenomenal sale. From Europe it crossed over to this country, where they are also having an enormous sale. Everyone's attention is attracted to this cucumber upon seeing it climbing gracefully wire screens or other supports and loaded from top to bottom with beautiful, long, smooth fruit. The vines are healthy, vigorous growth, with rich, dark green foliage, and throw out strong, grasping tendrils, which enable it to climb trellis, wire netting, brush, or any other suitable support. It clings so tightly that it is not prostrated by heavy storms of wind or rain. It comes into bearing quickly and continues to set the fruits abundantly throughout the season, while the climbing habit of growth enables the hanging fruit to grow perfectly straight; of large size, from twelve to sixteen inches in length. The cucumbers are thick, exceedingly tender, and of delicate flavor; of cylindrical shape, flesh pure white, skin dark green turning to brown and netted, when ripe. They are of excellent quality for slicing, and when young make attractive pickles.

With this variety of cucumbers the product of a given area of ground can be increased three-fold, thus making them particularly valuable in small gardens or to grow on high priced land. The vines continue bearing until late in the fall. Pkt. 8c, 3 for 20c, oz. 20c.

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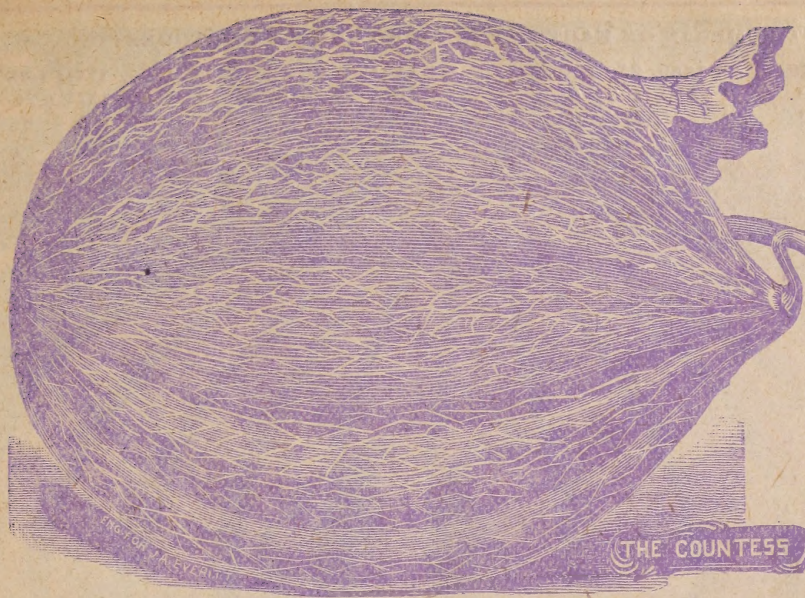


## Grand New Musk Melon,

# The COUNTESS

A very distinct new variety and one that will not be equaled by any other new varieties that may be offered in the various catalogues this season. This new Melon, "THE COUNTESS," again leads all up to date, '96.

A distinctive feature is the slight neck on the stem end, which however is not the least objectionable. Grow to large size, nearly round, square or blunt at blossom end, measuring about 12 inches in length by 8 inches in diameter and are very uniform in size. Deeply ribbed, heavy netted on the ridges but smooth in the furrows between the ridges. In outward appearance it is strikingly



ingly handsome when ripe; the ridges being of a light green and yellow beneath the ridges the color seems like bright, transparent golden sunlight. The flesh is deep, measuring 2 1/4 inches thick on an 8 inch melon. Deep, rich salmon in color, fine grained, sugary and melting; entirely devoid of any strong spicy flavor often found in red fleshed melons, and yet it has a richness and lusciousness of flavor exceedingly palatable.

**WE HIGHLY RECOMMEND "THE COUNTESS" AND PREDICT THAT WHEREVER USED IT WILL GIVE HIGHEST SATISFACTION, AND WHERE PLACED ON SALE IT WILL TAKE THE LEAD. PKT. 10c, 3 for 25c, OZ. 20c, 1/4 lb. 75c.**

## Red Beauty Pop Corn NEW ASTRO CUCUMBER.



This fine and novel new red Pop Corn is a variety of rare beauty; besides, has the good qualities of extreme earliness, great productiveness, crispness, sweetness, tenderness, great depth of grain, and small of cob.

Fifty bushels per acre is an ordinary yield. It matures so early that it can be used for popping four months from planting.

Rally  
to the  
Support  
of  
O. K.  
Seeds  
for '96.

A novelty of the highest merit and one which will greatly please our market garden customers. They can make more money from a crop of these grown early in the hotbeds than from any other crop, as they sell quickly at \$1.00 per dozen. They do excellently well under glass, yielding a continual daily picking of large, perfect shaped fruits eight to twelve inches long, almost solid throughout. Excellent for slicing, solid and crisp. With common outdoor culture in the summer it produces large cucumbers fifteen to eighteen inches in length with very few seeds. Seed will always be expensive; as it produces only eight to twelve pounds per acre, while the White Spine and other common sorts produce 200 to 500 pounds. Seed is scarce and can be sold only in pkts. this season. **Pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c.**





**LARGEST PUMPKIN ON EARTH. ENGRAVED FROM A PHOTOGRAPH.**

**HEAVIEST WEIGHT IN 1889, 250 LBS.**

**HEAVIEST WEIGHT IN 1892, 174½ LBS.**

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**The Great Prize Pumpkin, KING OF THE MAMMOTHS.**

Truly a colossal variety. No other pumpkin ever reached such enormous weights, and any person can grow them of mammoth size by planting on rich ground. If planted on any good land they are wonderfully productive as a field crop. Grow the King of Mammoths and you will be sure of the prize at your fair, besides having one of the best table or pie pumpkins ever grown and a grand keeper. Pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 40c, lb. \$1.00.

**NEW RADISH.**

**Market Gardeners' Ideal Long Scarlet.**

THIS is not a new radish, strictly speaking, although many seedsmen would pass it off as such. It is an improved strain of the old reliable Long Scarlet Short Top. It is a week earlier than the old strain, has a shorter and more compact top; remains in good condition longer. In shape, is shorter and thicker, which is an advantage if not possible to market at once when pulled. The upper portion is deep scarlet red shading off to white at the tips, altogether making a radish of the most beautiful form and color. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00.

**GLASS RADISH**—Long, light pink color, flesh transparent white, hence called Glass Radish. Always crisp and brittle. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 85c.



**New Mammoth Hubbard Squash.**

THIS new strain of Hubbard Squash surpasses the old in size, while not losing any of the fine table qualities that have made the original Hubbard the most popular squash ever known in the country. Our aim has been to increase the size as well as to improve the quality in this new strain. Our customers who grow the **MAMMOTH HUBBARD** will see that we have succeeded. The flesh is the most delicate, fine grained and sweetest of all. Can be had in use from September till May. We look for a large demand for seed, knowing this variety fully merits extensive cultivation. Pkt. 10c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 50c, lb. \$1.50

**MAMMOTH HUBBARD**

ENG FOR J.A. EVERITT, SELOMAN





# The Most Beautiful of All Onions.

THE LARGEST, FINEST, BEST, MOST PRODUCTIVE.

✦ ✦ Now Offered for the First Time ✦ ✦

This grand variety can not be praised too highly. In some respects, it is different from and superior to any other onion now in cultivation. In handsome appearance it is quite distinct, having a rosy skin quite peculiar to itself, and is a novel and striking feature. The flesh is pure white and delicately mild. As a variety to serve uncooked it has not a peer; shape flat, round as shown. Bulbs often weigh from

**2 1-2 to 4 Pounds the First Year from Seeds**

and will yield enormous crops. This onion is the greatest novelty of the season in its line, and every one desiring the most beautiful onion, as well as the largest and best, will be satisfied with

It means  
comfort

in the Winter to  
Plant O. K. Seeds  
in the Spring.

## Everitt's Rose-Colored Delicatesse

To get the largest bulbs, sow seed early and thus afford a long season to grow in. *We control this novelty exclusively.*

**Price** Seed is for sale only in small quantities. Pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c, 5 for 50c, oz. 50c.





## 3 GREAT NEW WATERMELONS

EACH ONE A GEM—THE 3 A GRAND COMBINATION.

### Indiana Sweet-Heart.

Our newest and greatest specialty in Water Melons. The most valuable Melon offered in years. An all-round Melon unsurpassed. Early, large, handsome, heavy, good shipper, long keeper, brightest color, best quality. Vines vigorous, very productive; ripens early and bears long. Fruit large, oval, very heavy mottled or netted like illustration; light and dark green. Rind thin, but very strong, making it a melon unsurpassed for shipping. Flesh red, melting and sweet. The best keeper. The Indiana Sweet-Heart Melon brings a good price, when others rot for want of purchasers. One of the most satisfactory things we ever sold. Every melon grower needs it, would not do without it if he knew how good it is. A great ball of sweetness. Read the telegrams:

**A Record Unsurpassed.** "Sweet Hearts" bring fancy prices when others are not wanted.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 20, '94. Sweet Hearts selling to-day 15c to 18c, others 12c to 13c. Williams Bros.

Columbus, O., Aug. 23, '94. Sweet Hearts selling 15c to 30c, Striped Melons 10c to 15c. Wm. M. Fisher & Son.

Findley, O., Aug. 20, '94. Prefer Sweet Hearts; when can we have another car? Altschul Bros. & Co.

Findley, O., Aug. 27, '94. Sweet Hearts selling your prices. Fine as silk. Altschul Bros. & Co.

South Bend, Ind., Sept. 21, '94. Sweet Hearts perfect daisies. Mills Bros.

And notice the low price: Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 75c, 5 lbs. or more by express at 60c per lb. This seed is worth \$5.00 per lb. to any grower.

### Cole's Early.

As an every-day Melon for the home market unexcelled. Being somewhat brittle, will not do for shipping. Very early, and will mature in every state; hardy, vigorous, a sure cropper. Sweet, the rind is thin, flesh clear to the rind. Medium size, nearly round, rind green. It can not be too highly recommended for home use. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

### Golden Honey.

If this Melon had nothing to recommend it except its quality, this of itself would be sufficient to merit a place with every grower. Take all the superlative adjectives in the English language and against them place this Melon for fine eating qualities and you have not overestimated it. Flesh is rich yellow. This is also one of the earliest Water Melons. Grows to a fine large size. Can not be used as a shipper; being too tender. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 20c, lb. 75c.



# LOGAN'S GIANT SEEDLING

UNEDDLED IN SIZE, UNSUR-  
PASSED IN PRODUCTIVENESS,  
SOLIDITY, QUALITY AND SWEETNESS.

A GREAT SOLID BALL OF TENDER,  
DELICIOUS MEAT WITH VERY FEW  
SEEDS—THE BEST EVER PRODUCED.



THE GREATEST  
NOVELTY!

## The Largest, Most Solid, Most Productive, Best Quality.

THE few words above describe this GREAT TOMATO. Others claim wonderful properties, offer prizes to induce big reports, but our Logan Giant Seedling comes out victorious every time. If you think you have tried the largest Tomato, try this one now, and you will see that you did not have the largest and best heretofore. It is not only a new variety, but we claim for it in points of productiveness, size of fruit, exquisite quality and flavor as well as early ripening, *the best Tomato extant*. They grow to weigh over 3 pounds each and attain the enormous circumference of 2 feet. This tomato is not, like many others, one-third seeds and water. They are a great solid ball of tender delicious meat, *with very few seeds*. They have frequently sold at 15 cents each in competition with other kinds at 35 cents per bushel. If the vines are trained on a support, they will grow 10 feet high and be loaded with the finest fruit you ever placed your eyes on. We advise early orders, as the last two seasons we were obliged to cut down the size of our packets to make them go around. We have several times as much seed this year, but we also expect a much greater demand, although each season since we introduced it the demand was greater for this Tomato than for any thing else that we catalogued.

### READ THE FOLLOWING REPORTS: (All letters are on file in our office).

We never saw their equal for prolific bearing and size. It is a marvelous sight. PENNA. FARMER.  
Have eaten the Logan Giant Tomato, and am pleased to say it is the greatest improvement I ever saw in any vegetable. It is the best I ever saw. D. H. CROSBY, Pa.  
The Logan Giant Tomato is the best I ever saw. It is a marvelous sight. PENNA. FARMER.  
Two Giants weighed 23 ounces each. They are truly wonderful. The Giant tomato grew very tall and fruited very well. It is the best I ever saw. D. H. CROSBY, Pa.  
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Mr. Wade, of Blooming Valley, brought to this office a cluster of 8 tomatoes, all on a single stem, weighing 10 lbs. They are of the Logan Giant variety. (The quality is equal to the quantity.) PENNA. FARMER, Pa.  
Logan Giant Tomato is the best I ever saw. I sold single tomatoes for 15 cents each, the product of a single stem for 10 cents. Single plants raised a pound of fruit. Twelve weighed 124 pounds. They ripen with the earliest. D. L. MARSHALL, Mo.

**OUR GROWER WRITES:** We have had very good success with Logan's Giant Seedling Tomato, and hope to supply a good quantity of the orders for seed placed with us. We find this variety is one of, if not the largest of all tomatoes, and in productiveness is second to none. It is a very dry seed, but an account of its great productiveness we have had better success in producing a crop of seed than we expected.

I picked 10 pounds of Giant Tomatoes at one picking. It is a marvelous sight. PENNA. FARMER.  
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Yours truly,  
JEROME B. EREN & Co., Cambridge, N. Y.  
Price, plus 10c, 3 pkts. 25c, 5 pkts. 50c, 25 pkts. \$1.00.



# EVERITT'S EARLIEST OF ALL



On page 9 we offer a real treat in Tomatoes. The largest of all. While size, combined with earliness, productiveness and high quality, to a great extent fills the bill, yet if we don't attain extreme earliness it lacks in being a complete all-around tomato. As it is used when we attain great size in a vegetable, we sacrifice to a certain extent earliness, hence we must make this up in another variety, which we have done in **EVERITT'S EARLIEST OF ALL**. Extreme earliness is where this variety excels. Outside of this we have equally as good tomatoes as regards color, form and table qualities, but none of these approach Everitt's Earliest of All, in season of ripening, by a week. This is a very important consideration, as it allows the market gardener to get the high price early in the

season, which oftentimes is the only part of his crop that it pays to market.

**Everitt's Earliest of All** is bright scarlet color,

very smooth, solid and fine; medium size. The plant grows thrifty and spreading, thus allowing the sun to ripen the fruit evenly and quickly.

Every gardener should plant this tomato. The small investment in seed will be many fold returned in the crop if used at home or marketed.

Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 75c.

## White Beauty Sunflower

**EUREKAI!** We have at last. A Sunflower with Snow White Seeds. It's a novelty indeed. A novelty in 1,000. And is sure to meet with a large and enduring demand.

After years of careful selection we are rewarded with a pure bred Mammoth Single-head Sunflower with pure snow white seeds, which, on account of the deficiency of strong coloring matter in the outer covering of their kernels, are much superior to the darker sorts for stock and poultry food. It also produces a milder, better flavored oil.

This strikingly distinct new sort is not only the most beautiful, the most vigorous, the most valuable for stock and poultry feeding, and for oil production, but owing to the fact that all its powers are expended in producing one mammoth head, it is simply a marvel for productiveness, out-yielding the old sorts almost two to one, 3000 lbs. per acre being no unusual yield.

We are pleased to offer this grand novelty to our customers, and predict that it will lead all varieties when its merits are known.

Price, pkt. 10c, 1/4 lb. 25c, lb. 75c, post paid.

**CUCUMBER, WHITE WONDER.**—Very hardy and productive. The cultivated grow about 8 inches long and two inches thick; the skin is thin but tough; color ivory white; the flesh is very solid and of very fine flavor. It remains in good condition for a long time. Owing to unusual hardness of constitution, it can be planted earlier than most other Cucumbers and is also a sure cropper. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 25c, lb. 75c.



Honest Seeds at Honest Prices.

No Cash Prizes, Guessing Schemes, Premiums, Discounts or other Catchpenny or Lottery Schemes.



# A New Turnip, CARTER'S CARDINAL.

A flat Turnip of distinct and fine qualities.

This variety is distinct from others, having a deep cardinal skin, which not only appears on the top, but also covers the whole root. Of course we do not recommend it entirely on account of its novel color, but as a good, all round variety, and one that can be depended on in hot, dry seasons, and on a great variety of soils. The Cardinal is of medium size, flat, with very short top, and of fine table quality. It is one of the best varieties to grow on hot, dry land, not running to seed like some early kinds, and being quite sweet and solid. The Cardinal has a strong tap root, this doubtless protecting it from drought, and having thick, spreading foliage, the root is shaded. **A great acquisition.** One of the very earliest, being ready for use a short time after sowing. Pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 65c, lb. \$2.00.



## Egg Plant—Earliest Delicatsesse.

This is the height of perfection of the Egg Plants known and cultivated. It grows most rapidly, producing a great number of pear-shaped, thick and fleshy fruits of a brilliant black color, which are of the finest flavor. This variety leaves all others far behind and on account of its great earliness may be cultivated even in the North. Pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c, 5 for 50c.

**NOTICE** We still sell the Perfection Fence Machine. Best Machine made for building Wire and Picket Fence. Best and cheapest fence you can make. Price reduced to \$8.00. Send for circulars.

### What the Newspapers Say About Everitt's Man-Weight Farm and Garden Tools.

The AGRICULTURAL EPITOMIST, Indianapolis, Ind.: "The work is made light, easy and pleasant. Ordinary work is done with no more exertion than to walk over the ground. No person can realize without a trial what effective work they can do with this machine mounted on high wheels. This innovation is bound to revolutionize hand cultivation and will effectually shut out of the market all the hand push machines."

AMERICAN TRIBUNE, Indianapolis: "It goes between the rows and around each plant; it searches out the weeds, loosens and pulverizes the earth. One can scarcely believe, without seeing it tried, how much a man or boy can do without working hard with one of these machines. Mr. J. A. Everitt is a public benefactor in every sense of the word, and the farmers and gardeners owe him a debt that they cannot readily repay."

AMERICAN IMPLEMENT HERALD, Indianapolis: "Among new implements recently introduced none has attracted more widespread attention than Everitt's Man-Weight Farm and Garden Tools. This useful invention is a decided departure in the line of man-power implements such as are in general use among gardeners, truckers and farmers."

AMERICAN AGRICULTURIST, New York: "The Man-Weight implements will prove a great boon to all cultivators of the soil, as it accomplishes its work in the most perfect manner, and does so with the least possible outlay of strength on the part of the worker."

PRAIRIE FARMER, Chicago: "It will be welcome news to all who cultivate the soil with the hand push machines, to hear that their time of deliverance has arrived, and that with Everitt's Man-Weight Cultivators all this work and much that has not been attempted with the push machines can be done almost without work."

FARM, FIELD AND STOCKMAN, Chicago: "With the Man-Weight machine cultivating and hoeing can be done at one operation much better and quicker than with horse power and hand hoeing."

See also pages 16, 64 and 8d and 4th cover pages.



# A PAGE OF LOVELY SWEET PEAS.

Be In Style. They are All the Rage.

## NEW DWARF SWEET PEA, CUPID.

Fancy a solid area of deep green—just as green as Cypress—a carpet of plants only five inches high, spreading out from the roots so as to meet when the seed is planted two feet apart in rows; then fancy this carpet of deep, living green springing into blossom in one week, all a mass of white—clear waxy white—Sweet Peas on stems only four inches long and a hundred on a plant; all white—like a mass of snow. Indeed, so strongly contrasted with the deep green foliage that the purity of the whiteness seems even whiter than snow itself!

This is **Cupid Sweet Pea**, the greatest novelty of the season. Full size pkt. 25c, half size pkt. 15c.

With each full size pkt. we will give free a pkt. of **New American Belle**, as below, if requested.



## New Sweet Pea, AMERICAN BELLE.

This beautiful new sort shows an important departure from the colorings and markings of all other varieties—being neither striped nor mottled, but distinctly spotted. The standard is clear, bright rose, of uniform coloring; wings of crystal-white with bright purplish-carmine spots. The flowers are very large, of good substance, and finely formed, while the standard does not have that tendency to droop so common in other large-flowered varieties. Of such good substance are the flowers that they remain perfect and keep well in a bouquet for a long time, thus rendering this variety most desirable for cut flowers. Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c, cz. 40c.



CHOICEST MIXED

## SWEET PEAS.

Every person who receives this Catalogue will want some Sweet Peas. You cannot get them so cheaply elsewhere, hence we look for your orders. Buy a pound or more and distribute among your friends. You will be held in grateful remembrance for the act.

PRICE.—PKT. 3c, OZ. 6c, 1/2 LB. 15c, PEB LB. 40c, POST PAID.





# 4 New and Well Tested Fruits.

These 4 new fruits are entirely unlike any other in existence, and will sell at highest prices everywhere.

**THE BISMARK APPLE** is perhaps the most wonderful of all.

It originated in Victoria, Australia, and was named by three eminent pomologists, Bismark. It bears abundantly the first year after grafting. The fruit is remarkably large, very showy (a bright yellow) and a fine keeper. Wonderful tales of its superior character are told of it in Germany. It is not only extremely hardy, but also the only apple that will do well in hot countries. Why wait ten years for an orchard? With the Bismark Apple you can get an orchard in one year. The fruit always bring highest prices in market. In England old orchards are being extensively engrafted with this showy apple. Owing to its bearing when only a couple of feet high it is frequently grown in pots as a useful ornament. Price, post paid, 50c each, 3 for \$1.00.



## The Strawberry Raspberry.

A dwarf Raspberry. Entirely distinct. Has leaves like a rose bush and large, pure white flowers like a single rose. Highly decorative as a garden plant when in bloom. Fruits early the first year from planting. Berries large, brilliant red, standing upright well out of foliage and the exact shape of a strawberry. The flavor is delicious, unlike any other berry, and they keep for a long time. They are not only produced in large quantities, but frequently throughout the season, being so attractive and new every one buys them or sight. As the bush dies down to the ground in winter, it requires no pegging down nor protection of any kind; comes up again in the spring with renewed vigor. Can be divided and transplanted for rapid propagation. A colored plate of this valuable fruit, 5c. Plants 25c each, 5 for \$1.00, 12 for \$2.00, post paid.



**THE GOLDEN MAYBERRY**—Ripens its fruit before strawberries. One of Mr. Burbank's greatest production. A distinct new fruit. A new industry in its infancy. A golden yellow raspberry of beautiful shape, large size and splendid flavor. \$300 dollars was paid to the originator for 40 plants, and it was first sold in 1893 for \$5.00 a plant. **Earliest berry known.** Plants 25c, 5 for \$1.00, 12 for \$2, by mail.



Bismark Apple Tree, 2 years old, in fruit.

## The Logan or Hybrid Berry.

A thornless Raspberry-Blackberry originated in California. The fruit is as large as the largest blackberry, and produced in immense clusters. Color a clear, dark rich red; flavor of the blackberry and raspberry combined, mild, pleasant, vinous, peculiar to this berry alone. Excellent for all purposes. Seeds small, soft and few. Berries firm and carry well. Growth strong, 10 feet and more in a season; enormous bearer. Fruit ripens early, just after strawberries and before raspberries become plentiful. Always sells at highest prices. Vine is rust-proof and without objectionable thorns. Never attacked by insects or disease. Undoubtedly the most valuable fruit known and the hardiest. Bears first year from planting. Price for Plants, 50c each.



The Logan Hybrid Berry.

**SPECIAL OFFER** We will send one plant of each of these four remarkable new fruits, by mail, post paid, to our address, for \$1.25.





**W**ELL does the writer remember the first crop of Early Rose—the good old Early Rose—potatoes his father raised. We lived in a small country town then, and had several acres to garden and truck. The seed was obtained at a fancy price, and that crop was the hope and pride of the whole family. No potatoes were more thoroughly weeded, and great square hills, depressed in the middle, were formed around each plant, for the potato to grow in, and they did grow. What wonderful potatoes! The day for digging them was a great event in the town; one-fourth the population witnessed the proceeding, and never did potatoes receive more praise than that crop. Great, large, smooth, handsome tubers rolling out by the basketfuls! There was no work picking up those potatoes; it was all play, and we were sorry when the job was done. How many readers of this catalogue can recall a similar experience? We believe there are many. We want all who have grown the Early Rose Potatoes in its prime to recall, if possible, how good it was, and then you will know just what we offer you in

## Everitt's Early Thoroughbred.

This new potato starts where the Early Rose did. It is every iota as good and as valuable. As good in all desirable qualities; as valuable as a profitable variety to grow. We thank good fortune that we have it to offer, and the public may be thankful that we are offering it, as no house in the country can give it a wider dis-





# EVERITT'S THOROUGHbred POTATO—Continued.

tribution than we. We would like to see  
**EVERITT'S EARLY THOROUGHbred**  
grown on  
**EVERY FARM IN THE COUNTRY.**

But this will not occur this year, as there is not enough seed to go around. But what we sell this year will multiply rapidly. Our customers of this year will supply their neighbors at good prices, and soon, very soon, the desired results will be accomplished, as a good thing like

**EVERITT'S THOROUGHbred POTATO**  
*cannot be kept hidden long.*

It is fortunate that we are able to place before our readers the testimony of other well known people, who also place a high estimate on this new potato, thus carrying conviction by the multitude of evidence.

We quote from T. B. Terry, a great farmer of Ohio, as follows:

## BLOOD WILL TELL.

Yes, blood will tell, no matter whether it is in stock or seed. Last spring Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ sent me two small tubers of a new early potato to test. They weighed less than half a pound, the two together. There was nothing in their appearance to indicate that they were better than any ordinary potatoes one could pick up in any farmer's cellar. I have a good many potatoes sent me to test in this way, and often find that they are no better than old varieties. We had a number on trial this year. To make the trial more complete, I got two tubers of about the same size from an old farmer's stock, and planted them by the side of the others. He said they were Early Rose. I can't say about this, but they are an early kind that he has grown a long time without any change of seed. All these potatoes were cut to one eye, and planted precisely as the rest of our field crop was planted. They were put right in the field, and not on selected ground, but on average. No manuring or fertilizing whatever was done on the land where they grew. Nor did they have any extra tillage. We dropped these pieces in drills made the same as all over the field, and then treated all the field alike till digging-time. I took a fork and threw out the hills planted with the new early potato and I never was so surprised in all my life at any results obtained in potato culture. In every hill there were great, large, beautiful potatoes, such as I have never seen since the first year the old Early Rose came around. There were practically no small ones, or medium sized ones—just enormous ones, such as you might perhaps look for under very favorable conditions in a wet season. Now, I am not exaggerating a bit. The first year I grew the Early Rose there were a good many tubers as fine and large as these. I have never seen any early potatoes on my farm since, as fine, until I dug these. There were 45 pounds. They resemble the Rose in shape, color, and quality very

much. They are quite early, and were ripe entirely before the rains came, so this great growth was made with little chance. The tops were not large.

The two tubers obtained from a farmer's cellar gave me 15 lbs. of rather small potatoes. There were hardly any that you could call medium, and many small ones. The two lots were each given about three hills less than half a square rod to grow in. The yield per acre of the new potato was over 240 bushels. The yield of the others a little over 80. Here was a difference of 160 bushels per acre, due entirely and only to blood. In other words, the vigor and vitality of the new seedling enabled it, under precisely the same conditions, to grow three times as many bushels. Now don't think this is an advertisement of the potato. When I planted the tubers I thought in all probability I should never have any occasion to mention it. But there is a great lesson taught by this little experiment. Thousands of farmers are using seed that has so run out that there is no profit in raising the crop. I would not be rash. I am pretty careful myself. But you will make a mistake if you don't change seed occasionally and get the benefit of new blood. In the line of new potatoes we are constantly testing, and quick to change when it will pay. We raised the Early Rose largely for years; but careful tests made us change to Early Beauty of Hebron, Snowflake, Monroe Seedling, etc., as these newer varieties came out. Do you know the night after I dug those 45 pounds of new potatoes I hardly slept at all? My potato blood was so stirred up I couldn't cool down.

T. B. TERRY.

Also, from A. I. Root, the well known Publisher and Bee-keeper, of wide reputation, who saw the above report, we have the following remarks:

The above little story so stirred up my "potato blood" that I could hardly wait till the next morning. Do you know why? Because I determined to make Terry a visit on purpose to see that 45 lbs. of potatoes. Furthermore, I decided it was the potato I wanted for some experiments I am getting ready for in the way of growing early potatoes under glass. A ride of 20 miles on the steam cars and 8 miles on a bicycle brought me to Terry's, and I saw that new early potato. They were down in a dark cellar, in a bushel basket, with a big tub turned over them so as to be sure nobody got those precious tubers for dinner, by mistake. I wanted one of those potatoes very badly. I would have given a dollar for just a little one; but I knew beforehand that friend Terry would neither sell nor give away even the smallest potato. They had not tried any of them for eating, for they are too valuable. I do not know what some of them might weigh, but considerably over a pound, I should judge! And this great yield was without any particular show of tops.

I was satisfied with my visit, and started back on my wheel with more enthusiasm than when I came. By pretty hard riding I managed to reach the power-house just as the conductor was calling out "all aboard."

Perhaps you do not realize how much of a find this new potato is. It is very early—perhaps as early as anything we have. None of our other exceedingly early potatoes are good yielders. This is a tremendous yielder, and the tops are small, so it will be just the thing to grow for early potatoes under glass or in beds covered with cotton sheeting.

Take it altogether, I believe that, with all its other good qualities—earliness and wonderful productiveness—it is the crowning triumph of to-day in potato growing.

A. I. ROOT.

**DON'T DELAY** in getting a start of this great Potato. You will gain nothing by delay, and are bound to loose much. You will have them sometime. A small quantity procured now will soon give you all the seed you want and some to sell before the price goes down. One lb. of seed will yield 3 to 5 bushels, with ordinary care, or 20 TO 30 BUSHELS, if you give them extra care and follow instructions we will send to every purchaser. You may say this is impossible, but we assure you it is not. We will explain the method and you will then see it is simple enough. This knowledge itself is worth many dollars to every potato grower, besides, all the **EVERITT'S THOROUGHbred POTATOES** you grow this year will be worth \$2.00 to \$5.00 per bu. for your own seed or to sell for seed.

**THE ILLUSTRATIONS** on preceding page show a tuber on a 9 inch plate boiled ready for the table, drawn from nature, and the product of one row as photographed in the field after digging.

**PRICE** of Everitt's Thoroughbred for 1896—1 POUND 50 CENTS. (It should be \$1.00 and cheap at that). 3 POUNDS \$1.00. (Don't start with less than \$1.00 worth. It will be the best investment of a dollar you have made in a long time, we predict). By freight or express,  $\frac{1}{2}$  peck \$1.00, 1 peck \$1.75, per bushel \$6.00.



# Sugar Trough GOURD.

Grows to a very large size, holding from 4 to 10 gallons each, having hard, thick shell, very strong, but light and durable, lasting for many years. They are used for a great variety of purposes, such as buckets, baskets, soap and salt dishes, nest boxes, etc., and have been used for packing lard. They are as easily grown as pumpkins. Plant in hills 3 feet apart each way, when the ground is warm and settled. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c.

# HERBS.

Anise—Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c.  
Balm—Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c.  
Basil, Sweet—Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.  
Caraway—Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c.  
Coriander—Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.  
Dill—Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c.  
Fennel, Sweet—Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c.  
Horehound—Pkt. 5c, oz. 30c.  
Lavender—Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.  
Marjoram, Sw't—Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.  
Rue—Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c.  
Rosemary—Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.  
Sage—Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c.  
Summer Savory—Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c.  
Thyme—Pkt. 10c, oz. 30c.  
Winter Savory—Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

# PEDIGREE TOBACCO.

Improved by continuous selection and grown on the crown shoots only.

PRICE OF ANY VARIETY—Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 50c, lb. \$1.50.

**BRADLEY BROAD LEAF**—A popular variety for export, manufacturing, or cigars. A good reliable variety.

**TUCKAHOE**—A first-class variety in every respect. Leaf long and extra fine—the perfection of a wrapper.

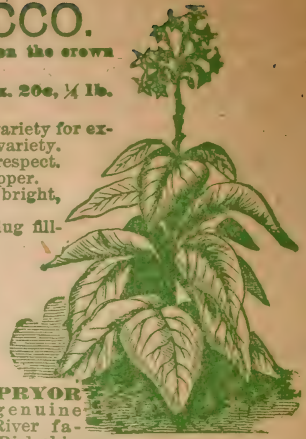
**YELLOW PRYOR**—Preferred by many for bright, and succeeds where other yellow sorts fail.

**SWEET ORINOKO**—Used for first-class plug fillers and makes, when sun cured, the best natural chewing leaf.

**HAVANA**—Grown from imported seed. Better than direct imported seed for American planters.

**CONNECTICUT SEED LEAF**—The largest, finest and best of this indispensable kind.

**PENNSYLVANIA SEED LEAF**—Largely grown in famous Lancaster Co. district.



**BLUE PRYOR**—The genuine James River favorite. Rich shipper.

**MAMMOTH RUSSIAN SUNFLOWER**—Is grown for its seed, which are valuable for stock, particularly poultry. It is considered the best egg-producing food known. They eat it greedily, fatten on it, obtain a bright, lustrous plumage and strong, healthy condition, that fully illustrates the wonderful benefits from its use. It can be raised as cheaply as corn, having yielded at the rate of 120 bushels per acre. Single heads measure 12 to 22 inches across and contain an immense quantity of seed. It can be sown at any time up to the middle of July. Pkt. 5c, ¼ lb. 10c, lb. 30c, 4 lbs. \$1.00. By freight or express, ¼ bu. 60c, bu. \$2.00.



# Everitt's Celebrated MAN=WEIGHT FARM AND GARDEN TOOLS

TESTIMONIALS. See Further Particulars page 64, and 3d and 4th Cover Pages.

My customer, for whom I ordered the combined Man-Weight, is more than pleased with it. I have given him all the time he wanted to test it.  
ELMER V. WALKER, Oxford, Maine.

I received the Man-Weight Cultivator and have given it a trial and find it better than I expected. I think it is one of the grandest garden tools ever invented, and I would not give it for any other that is in the market. Fifty dollars would not buy mine if I could not get another.  
JACOB BRUCKER, Muncie, Ind.

The Man-Weight Cultivator works like a charm. The man using it says he would not be without one.  
SIMON SEYBERT, Gibraltar, Pa.

The Man-Weight is truly superior in its class and a curiosity in my neighborhood.  
F. M. MEYERS, West Salem, O.

I am well satisfied with the Man-Weight machine and shall do all in my power to recommend it to my neighbors.  
WM. C. DENHAM, Tokama, Kas.

The Man-Weight machine arrived and I am much pleased with it. It does the work all right. Every man whose garden I had it in said it was the greatest plow they ever saw work.  
ALLEN GUINN, Sellersburg, Ind.

Man-Weight Cultivator is received and it is gratifying to know and be able to state that it fills the bill to the very letter of the law.  
A. D. HOUSER, Annapolis, O.

The Man-Weight Cultivator proves to be just what you say. I am well satisfied with the purchase. Will do all I can to make sales.  
C. G. SHAPPEE, North Freedom, Pa.

The Man-Weight Cultivator has given me complete satisfaction. It is one of the best tools ever invented for the garden and I could not do without it.  
G. W. BIRLEY, Atwood, Ill.

The Man-Weight Cultivator is perfection, so much lighter to work than the old fashioned "pusher." I am highly pleased with it.  
W. M. GILBRAND, Seed Grower, Monticello, Fla.

We received the Man-Weight Cultivator all right and we were well pleased with it. We have a large garden and worked it entirely with this machine. We never had a nicer garden nor one better filled with nice things than this summer. We would not do without it. Those who saw it work say it is the best cultivator they ever saw.  
Mrs. ROBERTA MERTZ, Albion, Mich.

In popular language, the Man-Weight Cultivator is a "daisy." I think it saves 500 per cent. over the use of the hoe in running through the strawberry rows. A neighbor is equally as enthusiastic.  
E. LOVEJOY, Albion, Mich.

I delayed writing until I had thoroughly tested the Man-Weight machines in different kinds of soil, and now can say it has worked very nicely for me in the various crops of a vegetable garden as a weed killer, far surpassing in effectiveness and speed any of the old style hand push machines I have ever used, besides it is much lighter and easier to manage. It pulverizes the soil better than any other garden tool I have ever seen in operation. It does away with horse cultivation in many cases, thereby saving plants from destruction. I think much of the movable drag bars, allowing you to adjust the machine to wide or narrow rows. I think the principle on which the machines are constructed sound, practical and hard to beat.  
ORIN BEAVER, Albany Co., N. Y.

I have tried the Man-Weight Cultivator and find it a good tool. It will to a great extent, take the place of horse cultivation, and is many times faster than hoeing. It can be used for all kinds of work and particularly is it valuable after a dashing rain to loosen up the ground.  
N. NICHAM, Indianapolis, Ind.

The Man-Weight Plow works beautifully. I can do as much work and better in one hour with it than with a hoe in three hours. It is only by using it and observing the results that its value can be realized. In time you will make extensive sales. We have two Jersey cows giving over a pound each of butter daily. These for profit. Alden's Cyclopaedia and other books, for instructions, a piano for entertainment and Everitt's Man-Weight Cultivator to insure wholesome rations.  
M. E. P. WHITEHEAD, Jersey, O.

Cultivator to hand O. K. I set it up as a double machine and worked a half acre of potatoes that have not had any rain for three weeks and I gave it a thorough test; the ground being very compact, and it did admirable work, so much so that I truly would not take four times the price for it, were I unable to procure another. This may appear to be strong language on first trial, but I know after I had it for a while that I would not part with it at all. It attracts considerable attention. I remain your highly gratified friend,  
W. BURN FOX, Portage, Wis.





GENERAL

LIST

# VEGETABLE SEEDS



BEST THINGS ON EARTH

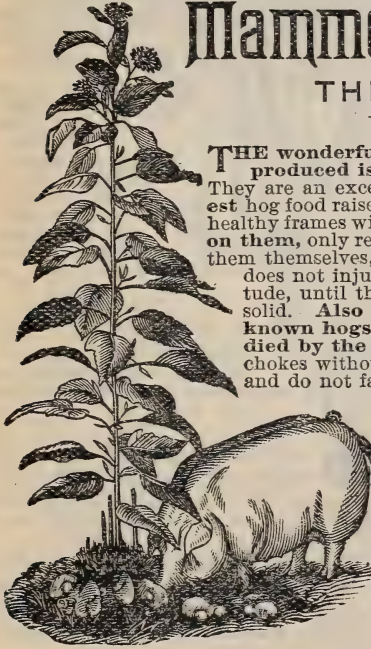
GOOD SEEDS. LARGE CROPS. BIG PROFITS

AND O.K. SEEDS ARE THE SOURCE OF ALL THESE.

## Mammoth White French Artichoke.

THE GREATEST FOOD FOR HOGS.

YIELDS 600 TO 1,000 BUSHELS PER ACRE.



**T**HE wonderful productiveness and ease with which these Artichokes can be produced is always a surprise to those who cultivate them for the first time. They are an excellent food for cattle, sheep and horses, and the cheapest and healthiest hog food raised; **one acre being equal to five acres of corn** for building up large healthy frames with plenty of bones and muscle. They not only grow rapidly, but fatten on them, only requiring corn for a short time in the finishing process. The hogs harvest them themselves, thus saving all expense, even that of feeding. Freezing and thawing does not injure them, and the hogs will feed themselves from October 1st, in this latitude, until the late spring, when grass has come, except when the ground is frozen solid. Also they are a certain preventative of diseases. We have never known hogs fed on Artichokes to die with cholera, while herds around them died by the score. No farmer can do better than plant a piece of ground to Artichokes without delay. On good corn land they produce 600 to 1,000 bushels per acre, and do not fail in dry seasons. The tops, which are produced in immense quantity, make excellent food for horses, cattle, sheep and mules when properly cured. To destroy them, plow under when they have attained a foot in height.

These are much easier destroyed than the wild variety. They should be planted early in the spring, cut small like potatoes. Plant 18 ins. apart in rows 3 ft. apart. The next spring break up the ground. The plants will appear all over the surface. Run through both ways and leave plants stand in hills like corn. Three bushels will plant an acre.

**Price**—We have an enormous crop this year; the yield running 1,000 bus. per acre and more. We accordingly sell them very low, so every farmer can devote a patch to this inexpensive, never failing, valuable crop. By mail, post paid, 1 lb. 25c, 4 lbs. 60c. Freight or express, 1/2 bu. 35c, 1 bu. \$1.00, per bbl. of 3 bus. \$2.50.

**Green Globe**—The flower head is the part used. Pkt. 5c, oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. 75c, lb. \$2.25.

### ASPARAGUS—COLUMBIAN MAMMOTH WHITE—See novelties and specialties.

**Conover's Colossal**—A splendid variety of very large size and superior table qualities. One oz. will sow 50 feet of Drill. Pkt. 3c, oz. 6c, 1/4 lb. 15c, lb. 50c.

**PALMETTO**—Stalks frequently measure two inches in diameter, and even when twelve inches long are tender when cooked. A leading market sort. Pkt. 4c, oz. 6c, 1/4 lb. 20c, lb. 60c.

**ASPARAGUS ROOTS**—Either sort named above, at the lowest price ever made. Two years old. By mail, doz. 25c; 50, 40c; 100, 75c. By freight or express, 100 60c; 1,000, \$4.50.

### LIGHTNING EARLY VALENTINE BEAN. 5 WEEKS FROM PLANTING.



The Earliest Snap Short in the Country.

## Lightning Early Valentine Bean.

**The most profitable variety for market.** This variety is well named, as it is lightning quick in ripening in comparison with any other stock of this popular bean. The pods are large, it is very productive, and, when young, entirely stringless. It can not be recommended too highly to the market gardener, as he derives his greatest profit from the earliest crop.

With the **Lightning Early Valentine** you beat your competitor one to two weeks, which means many dollars in profits. Sure to give satisfaction. Pkt. 5c, pt. 25c, qt. 40c, by mail, post paid. By freight or express, 1 bu. \$1.00, bu. \$4.00.



WE'VE GOT THE **GRIP** ON YOUR ORDERS IF YOU CONSULT YOUR OWN INTERESTS.

# BEANS BUSH or DWARF.

We pay postage on Beans offered by packet, pint and quart. Larger quantities are sent by freight or express at expense of purchaser. Pecks and half bushel at bushel rates.

## GREEN PODDED SORTS.

PRICE OF ALL BY MAIL, PKT. 5c, PT. 20c, QT. 35c.

**Imp. Early Red Valentine**—So well and favorably known as to not need description. More extensively grown than any other tender green pod bush bean. Bu. \$3.00.

**Imp. Early Yellow Six Weeks**—Well known old sort. Very early. Bu. \$3.25.

**Early Mohawk**—An old sort. The hardiest variety. Estimated for first planting, as it will stand a slight frost. Bu. \$3.00.

**Best of All**—Pods long, fleshy and entirely stringless. Very productive. Very early and bears a long time. Bu. \$3.25.

**New Extra Early Refugee**—A selection from the well known Refugee, and is ready for market about the time the ordinary Refugee is in flower; an immense yielder and sure to produce a crop in either wet or dry season. Best for pickling. Bu. \$3.25.

## FIELD BEANS.

**Wisconsin Tree**—Introduced by us in 1893. Quite distinct from the Mexican or California Tree Bean, the beans being twice as large, more productive and very early. Grows 18 to 20 inches. The beans are very white, of finest flavor and cook in less time than the Navies.

We advise all who put out a crop of field beans to plant of the White Wonder and Wisconsin Tree and they will be convinced of their superiority. Bu. \$3.

**White Wonder**—A very early field bean that can be planted on ground where other crops have been removed. It greatly outyields the Navy on same ground and under same conditions. Seed is about the size of Navies and can be marketed as such, although the cooking qualities are superior. Pods large and closely filled. They are wonderfully productive.

Our trade in this bean is very large. We recommend it highly. Bu. \$3.00.

**White Marrowfat**—A standard field variety. Largely grown. Quoted in all markets. Bu. \$3.50.

OUR SPECIALTIES IN BUSH BEANS.



BEST OF ALL

## YELLOW PODDED SORTS.

PRICE BY MAIL, PKT. 5c, PT. 25c, QT. 35c.

**Golden Wax**—A well known standard sort. Largely grown. Bu. \$4.

**Rust Proof Golden Wax**—This is the handsomest and hardest of all Wax Beans. Pods long, thick and rust proof. Much excels Golden Wax in yield and is of better quality. Should be grown in every garden. Bu. \$4.00.

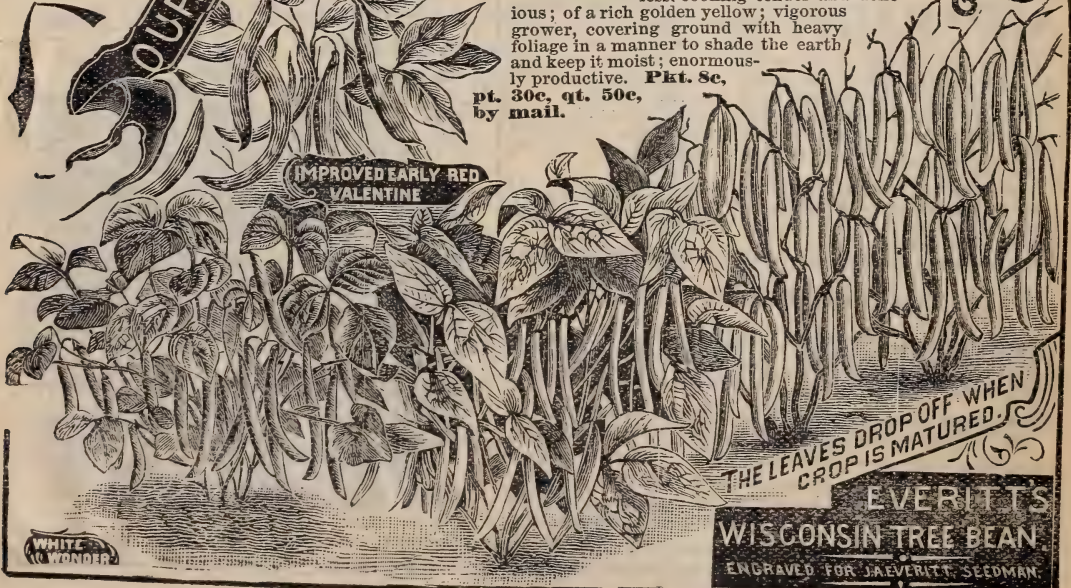
**Wardwell's Dwarf Kidney Wax**—A week earlier and yield third more than Golden Wax. Stalk erect. Pods long, broad, flat, brittle, stringless. Delicate waxy color. Seed white, with a reddish purple spot. Bu. \$4.00.

**Challenge Black Wax**—In earliness, productiveness and uniformity of ripening this Wax Bean excels all others. All the plants will give a full extra early picking instead of an occasional early plant, as in other kinds. This habit is of inestimable value to market gardeners. Plants are more upright than the old German Wax. Pods large, good color, stringless and of superior quality. Bu. \$4.00.

**Yosemite Mammoth Wax**—Greatest bean on earth. The monster pods of this variety average 10 to 14 ins., are nearly all solid pulp and absolutely stringless, cooking tender and delicious; of a rich golden yellow; vigorous grower, covering ground with heavy foliage in a manner to shade the earth and keep it moist; enormously productive. Pkt. 5c, pt. 30c, qt. 50c, by mail.

IMPROVED EARLY YELLOW & WEEKS

IMPROVED EARLY RED VALENTINE



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EVERITT'S WISCONSIN TREE BEAN ENGRAVED FOR JAEVERITT SEEDMAN.

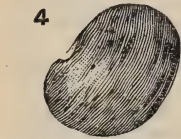
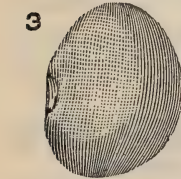
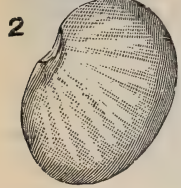


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To you to place your Order where you can save 25 to 50 per cent. in price; get the best Seeds that can be produced under the sun, and have your order filled immediately.

## The 4 BUSH LIMAS Plant all 4 One Packet of each, 20c.

(See Comparative Size of Beans to Left).



**BURPEE'S (No. 1)**—This is the true large Lima in bush form, and comes true from seed. The plant grows 18 to 20 inches high. Stout and erect, branching so much that each bush is circular and 2 to 3 feet in diameter. The leaves are large and of great substance. It is an immense yielder; each bush bearing 50 to 200 large pods filled with the large beans, equaling in size and luscious flavor the large Pole Lima. Pkt. 6c, pt. 25c, qt. 45c.

**DREER'S (No. 2)**—All who are acquainted with the delicious flavor of Dreer's Pole Lima will want to grow this bush variety, which is its equal in all respects and has the advantages of bush form. We recommend them highly. Pkt. 6c, pt. 25c, qt. 45c.

**HENDERSON'S (No. 3)**—This was the first Bush Lima Bean offered, and a few years ago it took the country by storm. It is a very early variety and enormously productive. While the beans are not so large as Burpee's and Dreer's, yet this variety is more of a rough and ready sort and merits general cultivation. It is largely grown as a field crop for dry beans, being a reliable and heavy yielder. A light soil, inclining to sand, suits them best. Pkt. 6c, pt. 20c, qt. 40c, bu. \$5.00.

**JACKSON WONDER (No. 4)**—This is the latest Bush Lima to appear on the market and in some respects is quite novel and distinct from the others. Bushes grow from 20 to 30 inches tall. When pods are young, they may be used as snap beans, when dry as limas. They are very productive; bearing until frost comes, and drought does not greatly affect them. When cooked they are rich, marrowy and fine flavored. Pkt. 6c, pt. 25c, qt. 45c.



SHOWING HABIT OF GROWTH OF BUSH LIMAS BEANS.

## LIMA BEANS

can now be grown with so little trouble that every family should have an abundance.

## BEANS POLE OF RUNNING

**Lazy Wives**—No good wife would like to be called a "lazy wife," yet she will be excused for exhibiting a lazy spell when "bean picking" time comes, if she has the foresight to plant this variety. They are called lazy wives because they hang so full and the pods are so long and broad that a mess is soon picked. The pods are green, wonderfully broad, thick, fleshy and entirely stringless, retaining all their good qualities until nearly ripe. The peculiar taste and agreeable flavor of this bean are so captivating that other varieties are not desired while the Lazy Wives can be obtained. Pkt. 6c, 3 for 20c, 1/2 pt. 15c, pt. 25c, qt. 45c.

**Golden Andalusian**—The pods are 6 to 8 inches long, thick, fleshy and stringless. It is very common to pick 1/2 bu. from a single vine at one picking; begin bearing when quite young and continue till frost. The beans are pure white and are a fine winter shell bean. Pkt. 6c, pt. 25c, qt. 45c.

**Early Golden Cluster Wax**—It grows rapidly, bearing very early, clusters of three to six pods of rich golden color. Pods average about 8 inches in length, tender and entirely stringless, retaining their plumpness and tenderness long after they have attained a large size, and continue to bear, if the pods are picked, until frost. Pkt. 6c, pt. 25c, qt. 45c.

**White Crease Back**—For string beans it is simply perfection. Its handsome, green pods grow from 5 to 6 inches long, perfectly round, with a crease in the back. They ripen early and bear continuously all summer, the vines being loaded from one end to the other. Pkt. 5c, pt. 25c, qt. 40c, 1/4 bu. \$1.50.

**Kentucky Wonder**—A very prolific sort, grows vigorously, and climbs well; pods grow in large clusters, green, 9 to 10 inches long, nearly round; crisp and tender. Sure to give great satisfaction; excellent to

grow in corn. Seed long, oval, brown color. We sell more of this variety of Pole Beans than of any other to our city customers. This hint may be of advantage to parties undecided what to purchase. Pkt. 5c, pt. 25c, qt. 40c, peck \$1.50.

**Horticultural**—A round, speckled bean, used both in the pods and shelled. Pkt. 5c, pt. 25c, qt. 40c, peck \$1.50.

**Early White Dutch Case Knife**—One of the earliest of all. Suitable for corn or poles, flat pods, well filled with fine, large beans. Excellent for winter use. Pkt. 5c, pt. 25c, qt. 40c, peck \$1.50.

**Red Speckled Cut Short**—An excellent variety and peculiarly valuable for planting among corn. Vines medium; pods short, round, tender and succulent. Good green or dry. A wonderful yielder. Pkt. 5c, pt. 25c, qt. 40c, peck \$1.50.

## POLE LIMAS BEANS.

Price of each pkt. 6c, pt. 25c, qt. 45c, 1/4 bu. \$2.00.

**Dreer's Improved**—An improvement in quality on the Large Lima. They are plumper and richer; remain green longer.

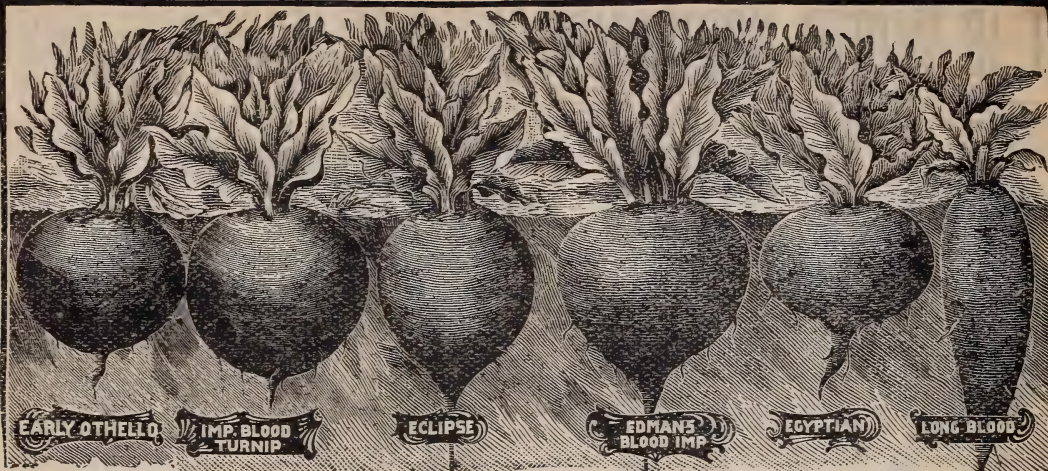
**Large White**—This well known and delicious bean is everywhere esteemed. Very large.

**King of the Garden**—A magnificent variety in growth of vine and number and size of pods. Specimens have been grown over nine inches in length, and containing seven great large beans.

**Challenge**—Have been constantly improved by saving beans from the strongest vines and best filled pods. They yield an amazing quantity of shelled beans.

**Willow Leaf Lima**—The earliest of all. Maturing in the far north. Unapproached in productiveness, 1,729 pods having been produced on one vine, besides being very ornamental; each vine making a tall shaft covered with foliage, bloom and pods.





# BEETS

Prices of all varieties in this list except where given: Pkt. 3c, oz. 6c, ¼ lb. 15c, lb. 35c, post paid. By freight or express, 1 lb. or more of a kind, 25c per lb.

**Early Othello**—A dark blood turnip variety, unsurpassed for market gardeners who require a variety of the darkest color; also in beauty of form and sweetness of flavor is without a peer. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

**Improved Blood Turnip**—The best strain of this popular sort. The result of years of careful selection, which has increased its size and made it earlier. Color rich, deep red, fine grain, solid. Excellent for all purposes.

**Eclipse**—A great acquisition to our list of turnip beets. Always gives the greatest satisfaction among market gardeners. It is as early as the Egyptian, and much more desirable, owing to its globe shape, great smoothness and regularity, having a small top, very sweet, flesh fine and dark blood color.

**Edman's Turnip**—A selected strain very uniform and even in type; flesh deep blood red, exceedingly sweet and tender; of good market size. It is very early, and for marketmen's use is justly popular and much called for wherever it has been sold.

**Extra Early Egyptian**—Ten days to two weeks earlier than the Blood Turnip. Of fair quality, medium size; fine for forcing.

**Improved Long Blood Red**—One of the finest beets for winter and spring use; also, on account of its great productiveness, very valuable to grow for cattle. Sweet, crisp and tender; color rich red; withstands drought.

**Dewing's Improved Blood Turnip**—Very symmetrical in shape and free from fibrous roots; flesh deep blood red.

**Half-Long Blood**—An excellent second early. Good also for winter and spring.

**Lentz's Extra Early Blood Turnip**—As early as

Egyptian; larger and of unsurpassed quality, being tender and sweet at all times, old or young. Will produce a crop six weeks from planting.

**Bastian's Extra Early**—Very early, of quick, large growth; fine turnip form, and bright, red color.

**Early Flat Bassano**—Early, roots flat, turnip-shaped; flesh white, circled with rose color.

**Early Yellow Turnip**—Similar to Blood Turnip in form, but yellow flesh.

**Swiss Chard**—A distinct vegetable, and makes superior greens. The ribs are used as asparagus, the leaves as spinach. We recommend all our customers to grow it.

## MANGEL WURZEL AND SUGAR BEETS.

FOR STOCK FEED.  
Price of all varieties: Pkt. 2c, oz. 5c, ¼ lb. 12c, lb. 35c, by mail. By freight or express, 1 lb. or more at 25c per pound.

**Mammoth Golden Giant**—Color yellow, broad at top and bottom, making very heavy roots. A favorite with leading farmers.

**Mammoth Long Red**—Grows to an immense size, single roots weighing 30 to 50 lbs. Under high culture 2,000 bus. per acre have been grown. Quality excellent.

**Golden Tankard**—The flesh is deep yellow to the center. One of the best and richest for food for sheep and cattle. Highly prized by stockmen.

**Champion Yellow Globe**—The short root makes it particularly valuable for light soils; of fine quality and a heavy cropper.

**Lane's Sugar Beet**—Long, symmetrical roots, fine grained and very sweet; a heavy cropper; splendid for table use or cattle feeding.

**French Yellow Sugar**—Grows very large, much above ground. Very rich in sugar.

**Vilmorin's Sugar Beet**—Color white, medium size. Greatly esteemed by sugar manufacturers.





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CELEBRATED AMERICAN-GROWN

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BUYS MORE SEEDS at Everitt's than any other place in the Country.

PLANT SEEDS



Everitt's SHORT STEM DRUMHEAD

CABBAGE.

This famous, matchless variety, illustrated above, has no superior as a variety for truckers to grow for shipment, also for near home market. Very reliable to head in the south. Grows compact, with few loose leaves. Withstands drought well. Seldom bursts or rots. Heads frequently weigh over 30 lbs. each. Keeps until late spring. Pkt. 4c, (worth 5 times this price), oz. 15c, 1/4 lb. 75c, lb. \$1.75.

EXTRA EARLY AND EARLY VARIETIES.

**Everitt's Earliest**—The earliest of all and the best very early Cabbage in the country. Produces fine, solid heads 70 days from sowing the seed. Plant Everitt's Earliest and astonish your neighbors. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 75c, lb. \$2.50.

**Early York**—A well-known extra early sort. Pkt. 2c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00.

**Early Etampes**—Quickly forms fine, solid, pointed heads. Of extra quality. Pkt. 3c, oz. 12c, 1/4 lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25.

**Everitt's Early Giant**—No other variety grows as rapidly as this, and early in the summer you have cabbage heads equaling the fall and winter sorts. Heads very solid. If planted late, is a fine fall and winter sort. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 75c, lb. \$2.50.

**Imp. Early Winnigstadt**—One of the best Extra Earlies, being a sure header and will grow a head under circumstances where many others would fail. The heads are so solid that cabbage worms can not penetrate them. Valuable for summer, fall and winter. Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c, 1/4 lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25.

O. K. SEEDS. NONE BETTER.



EVERITT'S EARLIEST

Selected Early Jersey Wakefield

A favorite sort. Heads very compact, solid, of conical shape. Few outside leaves. Pkt. 4c, oz. 15c, 1/4 lb. 50c, lb. \$1.50.



EVE GIANT

**All Head Early**—A new variety and one of the largest Earlies in cultivation. Being a very thoroughbred variety the heads are very uniform and it is certain to head; grown compact, admitting close planting. If planted late is a splendid winter cabbage. Pkt. 4c, oz. 15c, 1/4 lb. 50c, lb. \$1.50.



IMP. WINNINGSTADT

**Imp. Early Summer**—A popular sort. Our strain of this peerless cabbage is not excelled. Fine, large, solid heads will form in 90 days from sowing the seed, with proper care and cultivation. Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c, 1/4 lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25.



ALL HEAD EARLY

**Early Flat Dutch**—Popular wherever grown. A good second early, of excellent quality. Pkt. 3c, oz. 12c, 1/4 lb. 35c, lb. \$1.25.

**Louisville Early Drumhead**—A very choice variety, largely grown in this section and following immediately after the Early Summer. When planted late makes an excellent winter cabbage. Pkt. 4c, oz. 20c, 1/4 lb. 50c, lb. \$1.75.



E. SUMMER



LOUISVILLE E. DRUM HEAD

"Please send catalogue for 1896. We got your seeds last spring and found them the best we ever planted. We have been using seeds from other houses for ten years, but none equal yours. GEO. COLWELL, Ledbetter, Tex."

"Last spring I received a big catalogue from ——— and ordered some seeds, but they did not half come up and don't begin to compare with your O. K. seeds, so keep my name on your list for 1896 and you will get my order. JOHN ROLL, Powlaski, Mich."

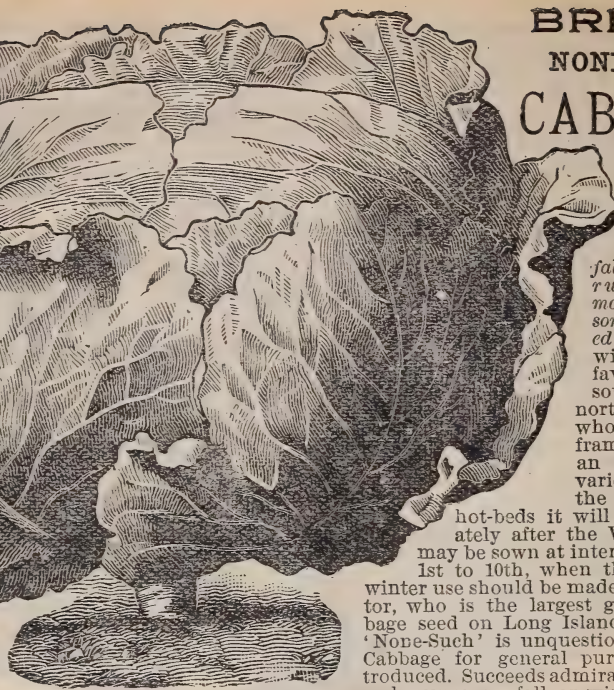


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# BRILL'S NONE-SUCH CABBAGE

## CITY Customers

We are proud of our City Trade. It has increased each season, until now we count the best market gardeners as our customers. To afford better facilities for gardeners and others to obtain our Celebrated Seeds, we have opened a store at the South-West Corner of Market and Delaware Streets, immediately opposite the Eastern Market House, where will be kept a complete stock of Plants, Seeds, etc., which will be replenished daily from our great stock at headquarters, 123 West Washington Street. The public are cordially invited to call and see us at either of our stores.



This new, distinct and valuable variety of Cabbage can be sown in the fall and will not run to seed like most second early sorts, when wintered over. This fact will make it a favorite in the south and with northern growers who still use cold frames. It is really an "All Seasons" variety. Sown in the fall or in early hot-beds it will head immediately after the Wakefield, and may be sown at intervals until July 1st to 10th, when the sowing for winter use should be made. The originator, who is the largest grower of cabbage seed on Long Island, says: "The 'None-Such' is unquestionably the best Cabbage for general purposes ever introduced. Succeeds admirably as a second early, summer, fall or winter variety in every section of the United States and Canada. Long Island gardeners and others who saw this Cabbage growing willingly paid \$10.00 per pound for the seed." Every one of our customers will do the right thing if they include in their orders a package of this fine Cabbage. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c, ¼ lb. 65c, lb. \$2.25.

## LATE VARIETIES.

**Autumn King**—A grand autumn and winter cabbage. Heads of enormous size and very solid. This variety excels all others in weight of crop per acre. Pkt. 4c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 50c, lb. \$1.50.

**All Seasons**—We have sold this reliable variety for 8 years with the greatest satisfaction to our customers. If sown early will produce large heads early, and if sown late is a superior winter sort. We sell this cabbage in large quantities to many large growers who prefer it to all others. Pkt. 3c, oz. 12c, ¼ lb. 35c, lb. \$1.25.

**Everitt's Superior Large Late Flat Dutch**—So well known as to scarcely need description. Our "superior" strain is unexcelled. Pkt. 3c, oz. 12c, ¼ lb. 35c, lb. \$1.25.

**Succession**—A fine fall and winter cabbage. This variety is one of the surest to head, scarcely a plant failing. Pkt. 4c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 50c, lb. \$1.50.

**Sure Head**—Takes its name from its quality of always heading up, even under unfavorable conditions. In all cases gives great satisfaction for general crop. Pkt. 3c, oz. 12c, ¼ lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25.

**Fottler's Improved Brunswick**—Produces a large, firm, solid head, often weighing from 20 to 30 pounds. Pkt. 3c, oz. 12c, ¼ lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25.

**Marblehead Mammoth Drumhead**—The largest headed cabbage. Its size is indeed mammoth. Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25.

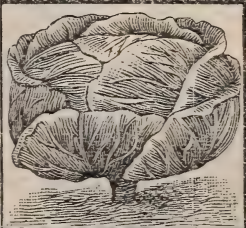
**Drumhead Savoy**—A very large-headed variety, partaking of the size of the Drumhead Cabbage; flavor of the Savoys. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 50c, lb. \$1.50.



AUTUMN KING



ALL SEASONS



SUP. FLAT DUTCH



SURE HEAD



SUCCESSION

## CAULIFLOWER.

**Early Snowball**—Probably grown more than all other varieties together, for forcing or wintering over for early crop. It is exceedingly early and hardy and is one of the surest to make a solid, compact head. Pkt. 15c, ½ oz. 75c, oz. \$1.50.

**Extra Early Dwarf Erfurt—Gilt edge strain.** Very desirable for forcing or for planting out doors. Plants compact, with few narrow, upright leaves, making it the best for close planting; forms solid, compact heads under very unfavorable conditions. Our stock is unsurpassed. Pkt. 15c, ½ oz. 75c, oz. \$1.50, ¼ lb. \$6.00.

**Early Paris**—An excellent early sort. Short stalks, white head. Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 25c, oz. 50c, ¼ lb. \$1.75.

**Veitch's Autumn Giant**—Heads very large, beautiful white, firm and compact. Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 25c, oz. 50c, ¼ lb. \$1.75.

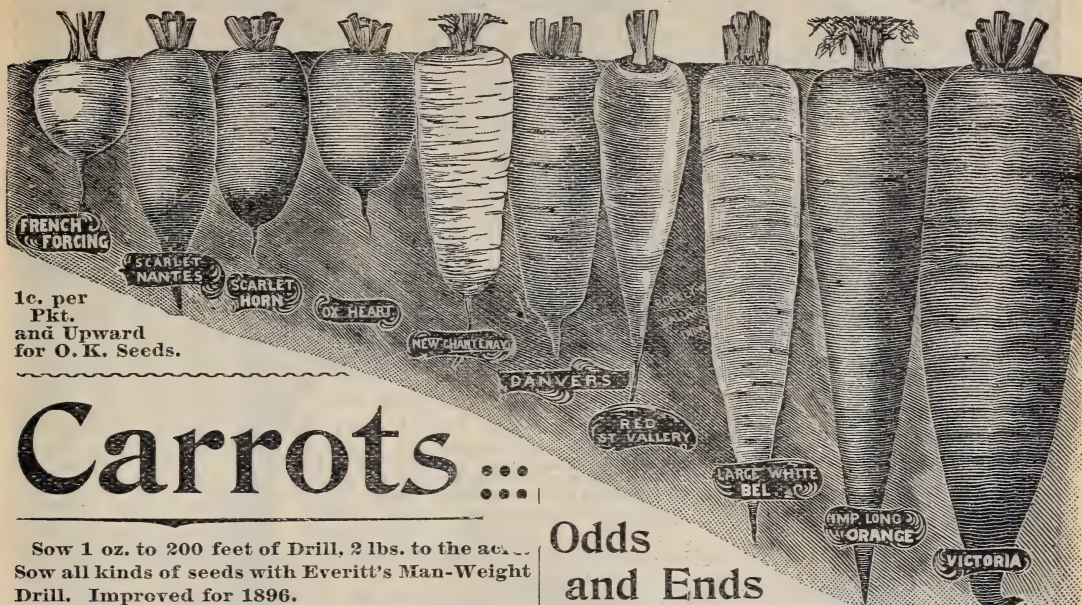
## BRUSSELS SPROUTS.

**Improved Dwarf**—The plant grows about two feet high, and produces from the sides of the stalk numerous little sprouts, one or two inches in diameter, resembling cabbage. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 60c.

**BROCOLI**—Early Purple Cape—Produces large heads of a brownish purple color, very close and compact, and of excellent flavor. Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c, ¼ lb. 75c.



**YOU** can GET your SEEDS of US for LESS than they will COST at your TOWN STORE; besides, OUR SEEDS planted means SUCCESS; the STORE SEEDS ? ? ? ? ?



1c. per Pkt. and Upward for O. K. Seeds.

# Carrots

Sow 1 oz. to 200 feet of Drill, 2 lbs. to the acre. Sow all kinds of seeds with Everitt's Man-Weight Drill. Improved for 1896.

Price of all Carrots, unless otherwise quoted, Pkt. 3c, oz. 8c, ¼ lb. 20c, lb. 60c. By freight or express, not less than 1 lb. of a kind, 50c per lb.

**Early French Forcing**—The earliest variety, largely grown for forcing purposes; globe shaped root of an orange red color.

**Early Scarlet Horn**—Best for early planting out of doors. Tops small, coarsely divided; roots top shaped, surface dented, skin orange red.

**Ox-Heart**—This new carrot comes from France. It is intermediate in length between the half-long varieties and the Short Horn, but much thicker than the latter, attaining at the top 3 or 4 inches in diameter. It is of fine quality for table use, and deserves general cultivation.

**Half-Long Scarlet Nantes**—Tops medium; roots cylindrical, smooth, bright orange; flesh orange, becoming yellow in center, but with no distinct core; of the finest quality. This variety is extensively used in France for culinary purposes, and only needs to be known to supersede the coarser sorts for garden culture.

**New Chatenay**—This new half-long stump-rooted carrot is one of the most productive varieties known, has an extra large shoulder, is easily dug, and is in every way desirable. It is very smooth, fine in texture, and of a beautiful rich orange color. Well worthy of cultivation.

**Danvers's Half-Long Orange**—A most excellent variety for all soils. It will yield the greatest bulk with smallest length of roots of any variety, 20 to 30 tons being no unusual crop per acre.

**Red Saint Vallery**—A large, beautiful Carrot, of a rich, deep orange red color. The roots grow very straight and smooth, from ten to twelve inches long. Very fine quality for table use, and very productive.

**Large White Belgian**—Grows one-third out of the ground; immense yield; large size; easily gathered; very suitable for stock.

**Improved Long Orange**—Long roots, good yield. Good for table or stock. We offer the best strain of this fine variety.

**Giant Victoria**—This is the Goliath among the carrot family. Under rich manuring it will grow to be nearly the size of an average Mangoldwurzel.

## Odds and Ends

**CRESS OR PEPPER GRASS**—Sow early in the spring, very thickly in shallow drills. The sowing should be repeated every week, as it soon runs to seed. Used as a small salad. Extra cured. Pkt. 2c, oz. 6c, ¼ lb. 15c, lb. 50c.

**Water Cress—True.** Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c, ¼ lb. 75c. **CHICORY, Large rooted or Coffee**—Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00.

**COLLARDS**—A variety of cabbage. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00.

**CORN SALAD**—Pkt. 3c, oz. 6c, ¼ lb. 15c, lb. 50c.



## ENDIVE

**Green Curled**—Not only most useful as a salad, but it is highly ornamental from its delicately cut and colored leaves. It is much used for garnishing. (See cut). Pkt. 3c, oz. 8c, ¼ lb. 25c.

**Broad Leaved Batavia**—Chiefly used for flavoring. Price the same as above.

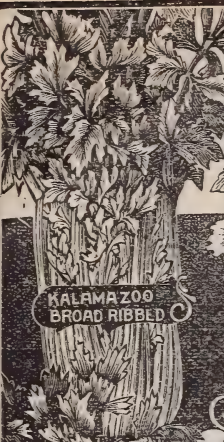
**KOHL RABI—Early White Vienna**—Very early, small, handsome, white bulbs. Pkt. 4c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 50c.

**Early Purple Vienna**—Identical with former, except in color. Pkt. 4c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 50c.

# FACT

Farmers and Gardeners have so often been disappointed in Seeds, Potatoes and Grain from which they expected great things, and with good reason, that they hesitate to invest in anything new, and often allow a really valuable article to pass. A well-established house can not afford to trifle with their customers in this way. Before we offer a new article we go to the trouble to ascertain that it is strictly O. K., and we point with pride to the many choice varieties of vegetables, grain, potatoes, etc., of our introduction that are now in general cultivation.





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GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING



EUREKA SELF-BLANCHING




NEW ROSE



GOLDEN HEART



GIANT GOLDEN HEART



PERFECTION HARTWELL



BOSTON MARKET



CRAWFORDS  
DWARF



GIANT PASCAL

# CELERY

A PAGE OF THE  
BEST VARIETIES

**Eureka Self-Blanching** The best variety of self-blanching celery in existence.

With the **Eureka Self-Blanching**, choice blanched celery can be raised as easily as a head of cabbage or lettuce, and this variety will keep far into winter. Stalks beautiful in appearance, dwarf, compact in growth, and very solid; color of outer leaves cream, tinted with green; stalks and inner leaves creamy white; ribs very crisp, tender and of the most superior flavor. Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 25c, oz. 45c.

**Golden Self-Blanching**—A remarkably stocky and strong growing variety; solid and delicious flavor, self-blanching and a good keeper. One of the very best for early market. Pkt. 4c, ½ oz. 20c, oz. 35c.

**White Plume**—Each year adds to the popularity of this variety. Many market gardeners now plant their entire crop of it. The heart and stalk is naturally white, and consequently requires very little earthing. Eating qualities are the very best; will not keep late in the winter. Pkt. 4c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 50c.

**Kalamazoo Broad-Ribbed**—A distinct variety; its broad ribs, thick and closely set, are solid, crisp and of fine flavor. Grows rapidly, and by reason of its neat and compact growth and showy appearance, makes a grand market variety. Pkt. 4c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 50c.

**New Rose**—The red or rose celeries are better in many respects than the white. They are more solid, hence keep better, and have to a greater degree that nutty flavor so desirable in celery. Pkt. 4c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 50c.

**Golden Heart**—A well known standard sort. Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 40c, lb. \$1.50.

**Giant Golden Heart**—Originally produced by a careful selection from the Dwarf Golden Heart by a gardener who made the need of a critical market his study for years. The quality is fully equal to the original stock, and in habit of growth is taller than its parent; the stalks are very thick, perfectly solid, of excellent flavor and unexcelled as a long keeper. It is one of the best celeries for winter storage. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 65c.

**Perfection Hartwell**—The best flavored, most crisp and tender of the white varieties; the stalks are medium size, round, very solid, crisp and tender; fine nutty flavor. Pkt. 4c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 50c, lb. \$1.50.

**Boston Market**—A very superior market variety; much esteemed for family and market use; a good keeper. Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 40c, lb. \$1.50.

**Crawford's Half Dwarf**—Early, solid; of vigorous growth and nutty flavor; very ornamental. Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 40c, lb. \$1.50.

**Giant Pascal**—Excels in flavor, free from bitter taste. Ribs largest of all, thick, hard, solid, stringless, of beautiful waxy appearance. Pkt. 4c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 45c.

**Celeriac**—Turnip rooted celery. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.



# POP CORN.

NOTHING GIVES MORE PLEASURE AND MAKES CHILDREN GROW FASTER THAN POP CORN. THEY DELIGHT IN GROWING IT AND IT OFTENTIMES MAKES A LONG EVENING PASS QUICKLY AND PLEASANTLY. WE NOTICE THE OLD FOLKS ARE NOT AVERSE TO SOME OF THE TENDER MORSELS, ALSO. STORE PLENTY OF POP CORN IN THE GARRET.

**Mapledale Prolific**—A most prolific variety; has borne as high as 18 good ears on one stalk, but we find 4 to 6 ears a good average. Besides its prolific character, the quality of the corn is superior. Ears 6 to 7 inches long, pure white grains, and pops large, pure white and tender. Pkt. 4c, lb. 25c, 4 lbs. 75c, by mail; by express or freight, 8c per lb.

**Queen's Golden**—The handsomest of all pop corns. Large ears, golden yellow grains. A great yielder and extremely tender when popped. Pkt. 4c, lb. 25c, 4 lbs. 75c, by mail; by express or freight, 8c per lb.

**Silver Lace**—Grows 5 to 6 feet high, very productive, producing 3 to 4 perfect ears on a stock. The ears are very handsome, 5 to 6 inches long and always filled out to the end with smooth, round, metallic, white grains. Superior quality when popped. Pkt. 4c, lb. 25c, 4 lbs. 75c; by express, 8c per lb.

**White Rice**—The standard market variety. Pkt. 3c, lb. 25c, 4 lbs. 75c, by mail; 8c lb. by freight or express.

**Snow Ball**—Like the flakes of snow falling as it pops and like a pile of pure white snow as it lies in a heap. Tender, rich, melting. You can not desire more in quality. Early and productive. Pkt. 4c, lb. 25c by mail; by express or freight, 10c per lb.

**Boys' Favorite**—Quite a novel sort; grows of many different colors. All growing on the same ear. Very yieldy. You should grow a few hills of this, sure. Pkt. 5c, lb. 30c by mail.

## ✻ GOURDS ✻

The following varieties will be found very useful about every house. Start the seed early and transplant.

**Nest Egg**—They exactly resemble the eggs of hens, and are very useful as nest eggs, never breaking or freezing, and are never injured by wet. By using them many eggs can be saved. The plant grows very rapidly, and is useful in covering unsightly places, being quite ornamental. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c.

**Dipper**—This variety makes a splendid tool for dipping hot liquids. The handles do not heat through. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c.

**Dishcloth**—Makes an admirable vegetable dishcloth. The peculiar lining is the part used, which is sponge-like, porous, very tough and elastic. The vines are very ornamental. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

## EGG PLANT

**New Pearl White**—This great novelty resembles the New York Purple in shape, but is pure white and oftentimes exceeds that popular variety in size. It is unequalled by any other sort in productiveness and of superior table qualities; fruits very early. Pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c, oz. 50c.

**New York Improved Large Purple**—The leading variety grown by marketmen everywhere; fruit large, smooth and deep purple; flesh white and of good quality. Pkt. 4c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 75c.

**Early Long Purple**—Hardier and earlier than the New York Purple, succeeding further north. Fruit from 6 to 9 inches long. Dark Purple, good quality; one of the best varieties. Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 60c.

**Extra Early Dwarf Round Purple**—Same in general appearance as New York Purple, but smaller. Its great merit is its hardiness and extra earliness, hence it is valuable for northern sections. Pkt. 4c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 75c.



## BORECOLE OR KALE.

**Dwarf Green Curled German**—A dwarf variety, rarely exceeding 18 inches in height, but spreading out under good cultivation to three feet in diameter. The leaves are beautifully curled and of a bright green. Very hardy. It is most tender after being bitten by a sharp frost. Pkt. 3c, oz. 8c, ¼ lb. 20c, lb. 75c.

**German Dwarf Green**—A variety having large, moderately frilled leaves covered with a dense bloom. It is popular in the South, where it grows all winter without protection and is also planted largely in the North, where it is known as "Sprouts" or "Siberian Kale." Pkt. 3c, oz. 8c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 80c.

**Cottage**—A variety of great favor; an immense cropper. Pkt. 3c, oz. 8c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 80c.





# THE WEARY GRIND

## Sweet Corn.

Plant your Sweet Corn in hills or drills with Everitt's Man-Weight Drill.

1 bu. will plant about 6 acres, 1 qt. about 500 hills.

We quote pints and quarts of Sweet Corn by mail, pre-paid. If to be sent by freight or express, deduct 5c per pt., 10c per qt.

**PRICE**—We sell all kinds of Sweet Corn, unless otherwise quoted, as follows: By mail, post paid, pkt. 4c, pt. 15c, qt. 25c; by freight or express, peck 50c, bu. \$1.75.

**Extra Early Adams**—The earliest White Corn grown; ready for use in 60 days; used extensively wherever introduced. Can be planted earlier than the sugar varieties.

**Early Adam**—Similar to above, but larger and not quite so early.

**Red Cob Cory**—Ears are very handsome, sweet and fine quality. "Planted last of April, on July 7 marketed 7,000 dozen at 30c." How is that for profit? It is the earliest of all the sugar varieties. Two crops can be raised on the same ground in one season.

**White Cory**—Same as above, except cob and grains are pure white; a great advantage.

**Crosby's Early Sugar**—Early and a great favorite. Ears small, but is productive and of excellent quality.

**Perry Hybrid**—An extra early variety with fine ears, about the size of Minnesota, twelve rowed and fine quality.

**Early Minnesota**—A well-known early dwarf variety; ears fine size and excellent quality.

**Country Gentleman**—Is the sweetest and most tender of all. Ears medium, cob small, kernels of extraordinary depth, pearly whiteness, and irregularly crowded together on the cob. It is very productive, bearing 2 to 4 ears to the stalk; matures medium to late.

**Egyptian**—One of the best and the handsomest of all the late sorts. Ears large, none more uniform, and excels all in filling out perfectly at the tip end. Cob and grain pure white. Very productive and used extensively for canning purposes.

**New Champion**—The finest, large, extra early in cultivation. See notes for particulars and prices.

**None Such**—This new variety will please a lover of delicious,

OF FARM WORK IS LARGELY RELIEVED BY USING THE BEST SEEDS. NOTHING CAN BE MORE INTERESTING THAN TO WATCH THE GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT OF PLANTS FROM VIGOROUS SEEDS, PARTICULARLY OF THE IMPROVED VARIETIES FOUND SCATTERED THROUGH THIS CATALOGUE.

**meaty Sweet Corn.** Medium early, of extra strong growth, stalks and cobs of a beautiful pink color, grain white, ears large, 12 to 14 rowed, wonderfully productive. Pkt. 5c, pt. 20c, qt. 30c, peck 75c.

**Stowell's Evergreen**—Grown more extensively than any other variety, being a great favorite with canners and market gardeners for late use. The ears are of large size, kernels very deep, tender and sugary; very productive, and remains a long time in fit condition for table use.

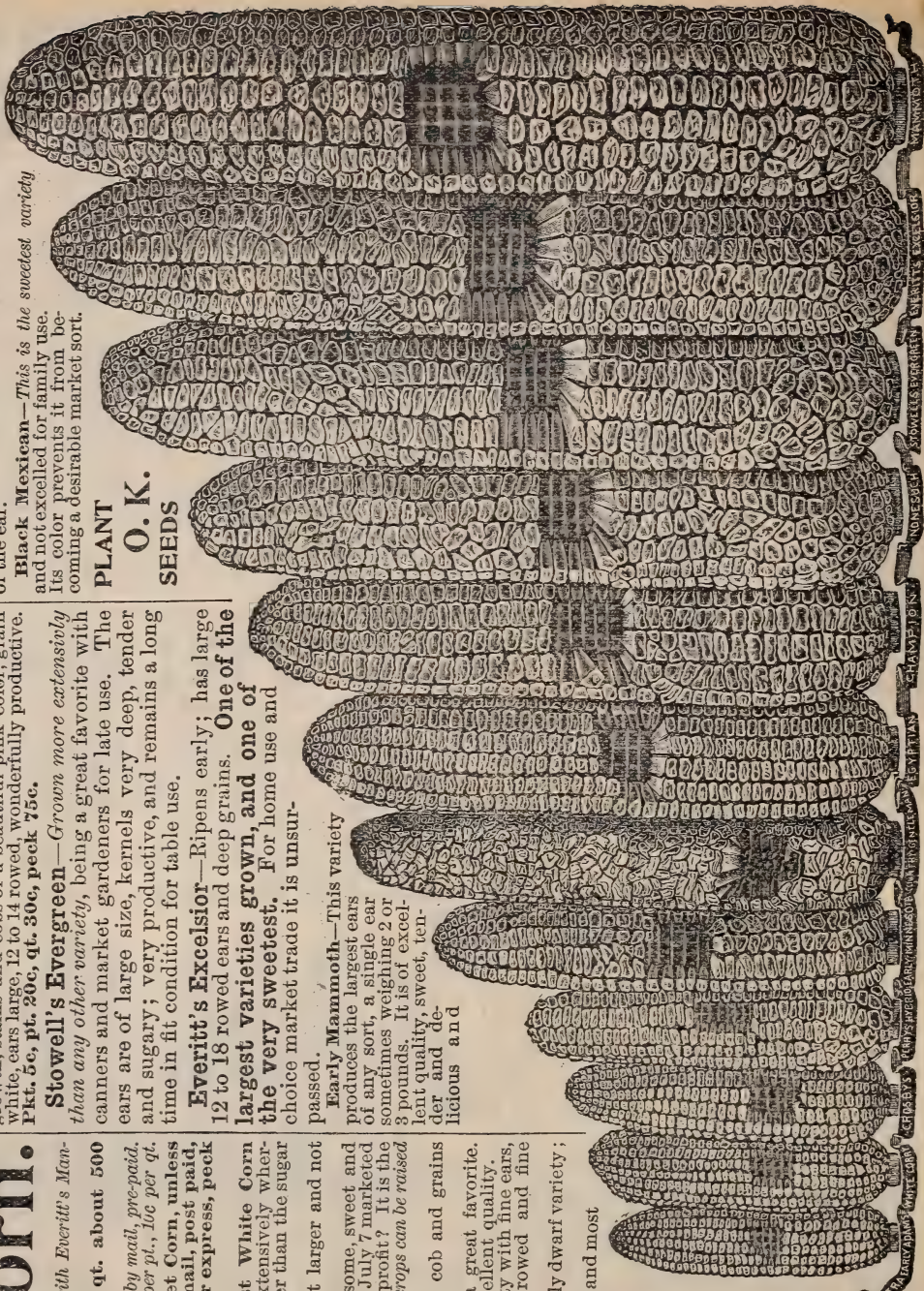
**Everitt's Excelsior**—Ripens early; has large 12 to 18 rowed ears and deep grains. One of the largest varieties grown, and one of the very sweetest. For home use and choice market trade it is unsurpassed.

**Early Mammoth**—This variety produces the largest ears of any sort, a single ear sometimes weighing 2 or 3 pounds. It is of excellent quality, sweet, tender and delicious and

its only fault (if this can be considered one) is the immense size of the ear.

**Black Mexican**—This is the sweetest variety and not excelled for family use. Its color prevents it from becoming a desirable market sort.

### PLANT O. K. SEEDS







ALL THE  
BEST.

**CUCUMBERS** ONE PKT. EACH OF 14 VARIETIES ILLUSTRATED, 30 Cts.

PRICE OF ALL VARIETIES, UNLESS OTHERWISE QUOTED: Pkt. 3c, oz. 8c, 1/4 lb. 15c, lb. 45c, by mail. By freight or express, per lb. 35c.

**Giant Pera**—A variety remarkable for its great size, often attaining a length of 18 ins. and 10 ins. in circumference. Notwithstanding this immense size, their quality is excellent. They are fit to eat at all stages of their growth, even when full grown, and are free from the green cucumber taste. Superior for slicing. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1/4 lb. 30c.

**Gherkins**—Very small and prickly fruit, used expressly for pickling. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

**Parisian Prolific Pickling**—A great acquisition. Very long, slender, cylindrical, densely covered with fine prickles, and deep, rich green in color. The flesh is very crisp and tender. One of the best for slicing, as well as for pickles. Enormously productive. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c.

**Nichols' Medium Green**—Very thick through, full at both ends, handsome in appearance, and of fine quality. The vines are vigorous in growth, and very productive.

**Westerfield's Chicago Pickling**—Fruit medium length, pointed at each end, with very large and prominent spines; color deep green. Largely grown for factories. Extra early and very productive.

**Green Prolific or Boston Pickling**—A very prolific variety; thriving in any locality. With good culture 200,000 can be raised on an acre.

**Evergreen**—One of the handsomest and most valuable. The fruit remains a long time in prime condi-

tion. It is also an everbearing sort and wonderfully prolific.

**Improved Early White Spine**—Vines vigorous, fruiting early and abundantly; fruit straight and handsome, light green with a few white spines.

**Early Frame**—A well known early sort. Vigorous growth, productive and fine quality.

**Early Green Cluster**—A short, prickly variety, bearing in clusters near the root. It is a great bearer and matures early.

**Improved Long Green**—Forms fruit for the table nearly as early as the shorter sort. Grows 12 inches long, firm and crisp, with very few seeds. The young fruit makes the best of pickles.

**Arlington White Spine**—The young fruits are unusually crisp and tender, and are of a very dark green color, so that the variety is considered by many to be the best for small pickles.

**Snake**—This cucumber grows sometimes to the length of 6 ft., curled up like a snake. Pkt. 10c.

**New Everbearing**—Of small size, very early, enormously productive and valuable as a green pickler. Vines exhibit at the same time cucumbers in every stage of growth, the small ones being perfect in shape, of a fine green color and just the size for pickling.

**Jersey Pickling**—Certainly one of the finest pickling cucumbers in the market. Early and a great bearer, well formed, firm and crisp.

**Early Russian**—The earliest of all; small size.







BLACK SEEDED SIMPSON    IMPROVED HANSON    NEW YORK    EVERLASTING    TENNIS BALL

CALIFORNIA ALL HEART  
 TILTON'S WHITE STAR  
 GRAND RAPIDS  
 BUTTER CUP  
 DENVER MARKET  
 CALIFORNIA CREAM BUTTER  
 TOMHANNOCK

# Lettuce

2c PER PKT. AND UPWARD.  
 FULL SIZE PACKAGES.  
 SEEDS GUARANTEED O. K.  
 IN EVERY RESPECT.

**Tennis Ball**—A fine early sort; very hardy. One of the best for forcing under glass or early planting outdoor. Heads are small but extremely solid. Pkt. 2c, oz. 7c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 60c.

**Everlasting**—Every gardener knows the importance of having a lettuce that is slow to run to seed. This sort excels all others in this respect. It will remain almost all summer in prime condition. It is early and remarkable for the size of its head. Particularly do we urge market gardeners to grow it, and it will put money in their purses, as no variety will bring more money nor produce a more permanent crop. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25.

**New York**—Heads almost as solid as an early summer cabbage, which in general form it somewhat resembles. It blanches itself naturally, tender and of excellent flavor, and entirely free from bitterness. Pkt. 3c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

**Improved Hanson**—The finest strain of this popular variety in the country is what we offer. Our seed will produce mammoth heads almost as solid as cabbage, delicious, sweet, crisp and tender. Stands drought and scorching heat better than many others. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

**Black Seeded Simpson**—Grows fully double the size of the Early Curled Simpson, and is better in every way. It is much lighter colored, leaves being almost white. Stands summer splendidly. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

**California All-Heart**—It heads up like a cabbage and almost as solid, of a beautiful light green shade, almost white, and a very rich flavor; grows rapidly and is tender and sweet at all times. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c.

**Tilton's White Star**—Of the Black Seeded Simpson type, but grows larger and more rapidly; blanches perfectly and is of excellent quality. The plants remain long in condition for use before running to seed, and owing to the thick leaf keep long after cutting without wilting. For forcing and early planting out doors, it is a decided improvement over other varieties of this class for either purpose. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.

**Grand Rapids**—This variety originated at Grand Rapids, Mich., where it is largely grown for shipment and where it is considered the best loose headed lettuce for forcing under glass. Leaves medium size, of light yellowish green color, much crimped, and frilled, very upright growth; forms

a fair sized but loose head; crisp, tender and a good quality. Will stand without spoiling a week to ten days after it is fit to cut. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

**Buttercup**—For beauty of foliage, extreme tenderness and delicacy of flavor, it is hard to beat. Always forms good solid heads. It is one of the best of all new varieties. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

**Denver Market**—An early variety of Head Lettuce, either for forcing or open ground. It forms large, solid heads of a light green color, and is very slow to go to seed. The leaves are crisp and tender, and of excellent flavor. By these blistered leaves it distinguishes itself from any other kind of lettuce now grown. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

**California Cream Butter**—A distinct variety of cabbage lettuce. It forms round, solid heads, as shown in illustration. The leaves are of a very rich cream-yellow color—most refreshing in appearance, and particularly rich and buttery to the taste. The heads are of good size, compact, very hard and solid. The heads are so solid that generally they have to be cut before any seed stock can make its appearance. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. 85c.

**Tomhannock**—Entirely distinct from all other existing varieties and of superlative fine quality. It forms a beautiful plant ten to twelve inches high, grows very quickly, is ready to cut early; remains for weeks of the finest quality. Pkt. 3c, oz. 7c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 60c.

**Early Curled Silesia**—The first to produce edible leaves. For forcing and early spring sowing it is very popular. Pkt. 3c, oz. 7c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 60c.

**The Deacon**—Forms large and very solid heads, of attractive green color, very crisp, tender and of first-rate quality. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

**"All Summer Lettuce"**—One dozen varieties mixed. Will give you excellent lettuce all summer from one sowing. Try a packet this season. Large pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c.

**FREE** A PACKAGE OF ANY VARIETY OF STANDARD SEEDS TO TEST WITH THE SAME VARIETY FROM ANY OTHER HOUSE. O. K. SEEDS ARE THE BEST AT THE LOWEST PRICE AND WE ARE DETERMINED THAT YOU SHALL KNOW IT.





EXTRA-EARLY HACKENSACK

MONTREAL MARKET

BANANA

**SWEET DELICIOUS MUSK MELONS**

PRICE, unless otherwise stated: Pkt. 3c, oz. 6c, ¼ lb. 15c, lb. 40c.

**Extra Early Hackensack**—10 days earlier than the old Hackensack, which enables growers to put them on the market when they will bring double the price obtained for the old sort. They grow large, round-shape, flattened at both ends, skin and flesh green, of rich sugary flavor.

**Christopher Columbus**—A very distinct variety. The large size and peculiar external appearance so remarkably distinct from any other sort, in connection with its extraordinary fine eating quality, which exceeds all others, and its fine grained and thick flesh, proclaims it a popular favorite wherever introduced. Flesh green. Size convenient for market. Medium early. A splendid shipper. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 40c, lb. \$1.00

**Improved Montreal Market**—A magnificent musk melon. The fruit is round and flattened as is shown in the illustration, deeply and regularly ribbed, skin and flesh green; densely netted; extremely thick flesh of exquisite flavor. Frequently grow to weigh more than 30 lbs.

**Improved Banana**—Frequently as many as a dozen melons will be borne on a single vine, all measuring over 25 in. Flesh very thick, almost solid; salmon color, and more delicious than any other musk melon when thoroughly ripe. A great novelty and sure to interest and please. Try it. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 85c.

**Grower's Pride**—For beauty, productiveness and delicious flavor this melon is second to no other sort grown. In prolific bearing it is a perfect marvel, the ground being literally covered with the large, round, deep-ribbed beauties, weighing from 7 to 10 lbs. each. Flesh thick, green, melting. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 85c.

**Jenny Lind**—Small size, but of best quality; season early. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, ¼ lb. 20c, lb. 65c.



GROWER'S PRIDE

CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS

EMERALD GEM

**Shumway's Giant**—The largest melon ever introduced. Seeds are four times as large as other melons, thus proclaiming them a distinct sort. The melons average as large as half bushel measures. Outside green, turning white Cream when ripe. Salmon-colored flesh. The finest exhibition melon. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 40c, lb. \$1.00.

**Delmonico**—The flesh is of a beautiful orange pink, and for quality is among the very best. A grand melon.

**Osage**—Extensively grown. Very popular. Medium size, egg-shaped. Skin is very thin, dark green color, slightly netted; flesh salmon-color, lusciously sweet and spicy.

**EMERALD GEM**—About the size of O. K. Netted Gem, but the skin is smooth and of a deep green color. Flesh salmon, very thick, quality superb, yields heavy crops.

**Prolific Nutmeg**—Large growth, fine form, skin and flesh green; very delicious.

**Bay View**—Light green, flesh very thick, luscious and sweet. Size large, Well known popular sort.

**Cassaba**—Very large, oblong, netted skin, excellent flavor.

**Acme, or Baltimore**—Very productive, oblong. Of large size, ribbed, and heavily netted. A good shipper. Flesh thick, light green and of good quality.

**Banquet**—Medium size. The flesh uniformly deep and of that granulated character that always indicates a good melon; color, a dark rich salmon.

**Christiana**—One of the most delicious of all melons. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 20c, lb. 75c.



DELMONICO

OSAGE

BANQUET

O.K. NETTED GEM

**O. K. Netted Gem**—Best strain of Netted Gems. Weight 1 to 2 lbs. Flesh thick green, lusciously sweet. A profitable variety to grow, as the market is seldom overstocked with them. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 20c, lb. 0c.



# WATER MELONS

GREEN & GOLD

SEMINOLE

EVERITT'S  
WHITE QUEEN

PEERLESS

**PRICE**—Unless otherwise quoted: Pkt. 3c, oz. 6c, ¼ lb. 15c, lb. 40c.

**Green and Gold**—Green without, gold within. The melons range from 25 to 45 lbs. in weight, and in productiveness equal any of the red-fleshed sorts, while in delicious flavor is unsurpassed.

**Seminole**—Extra early, enormously productive, large and of most delicious flavor.

**Everitt's White Queen**—This is the largest and finest white melon ever introduced and the handsomest of all. Quality is very fine and equal to the best melon grown. A splendid shipper. Grows to weigh 25 to 40 lbs. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

**erles or Ice Cream**—Medium size, pale green, thin rind, flesh scarlet and solid. Flavor of the very best.

**Gypsy, or Georgia Rattlesnake**—A superior early market variety; large, oblong; skin green mottled and striped.

**Dixie**—This superb watermelon has taken the market by storm where introduced. The vines grow strong and rapidly, with more laterals than any other melon, and have the singular and very valuable quality of **rooting from every joint**, adding greatly to the productiveness and life of the vines. Very early; thin, hard rind, keeps unusually long before showing decay. One of the best.

**Black Spanish**—Medium size, round, very green, flavor rich and sugary.

**Cuban Queen**—Flesh bright red, luscious, crisp and sugary. An excellent keeper. Large size.

**Mammoth Iron-Clad**—One of the largest varieties known. With ordinary cultivation many melons weigh 60 to 70 pounds each. Remarkable for great strength of rind. They keep in fine condition for one month after being ripe.

**Vick's Early**—Highly prized for its extra earliness. Oblong in shape, smooth, size medium, flesh bright pink, solid and sweet.

**Early California**—Very large size, light green color, thin but tough rind, an excellent market variety, almost equal to Ice Cream. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 20c, lb. 60c.



HOOSIER KING



FLORIDA FAVORITE



COLORADO PRESERVING

**Hoosier King**—This magnificent melon was produced in Indiana by a large melon grower, by hybridization and careful selection, until he produced a melon that controlled the market. For years he has been growing them on his farm and shipping them to the Indianapolis market, much to his own profit and to the annoyance of other shippers, as his melons were sought after by retailers and consumers in preference to any others. Read what Mr. Rees has to say about the **Hoosier King**:

"The Hoosier King is the finest, largest and best quality melon that comes into this market. They arrive in better condition, are uniformly larger size, and sell for more money than any other variety; besides the consumer who once tries them will have no other." R. H. REES, Commission Merchant, Indianapolis, Ind.

The skin is beautifully striped, being two shades of green, light and dark, seeds black, flesh brilliant red, solid, rich, sweet and luscious; skin thin and tough. They will stand very rough handling. Size, large to very large. Melons of 60 pounds weight can be easily raised. Every melon-grower will find the **Hoosier King** fully equal to our recommendation. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 20c, lb. 60c.

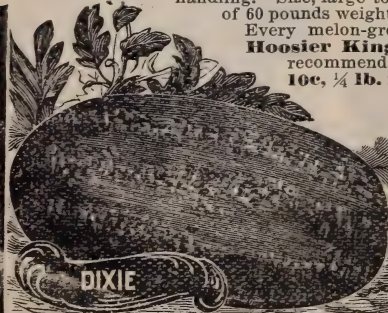
**Light Iceing**—Medium size, round very light green or white, mottled with slightly darker green. Flesh bright, light red, very sweet and tender. By many this is considered the best of all melons. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, ¼ lb. 15c, lb. 50c.

**Florida Favorite**—Of medium size, very prolific, and unexcelled as a table variety. For home use or near-at-home markets it will give great satisfaction.

**Kolb's Gem**—An excellent shipping variety. Flesh bright red, of good quality. The melons weigh from 20 to 50 lbs. each.

**Colorado Preserving**—The best variety for preserving

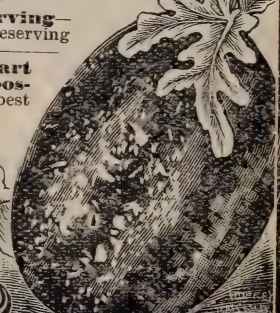
**Indiana Sweetheart** (see novelties) and **Hoosier King** are the best Watermelons.



DIXIE

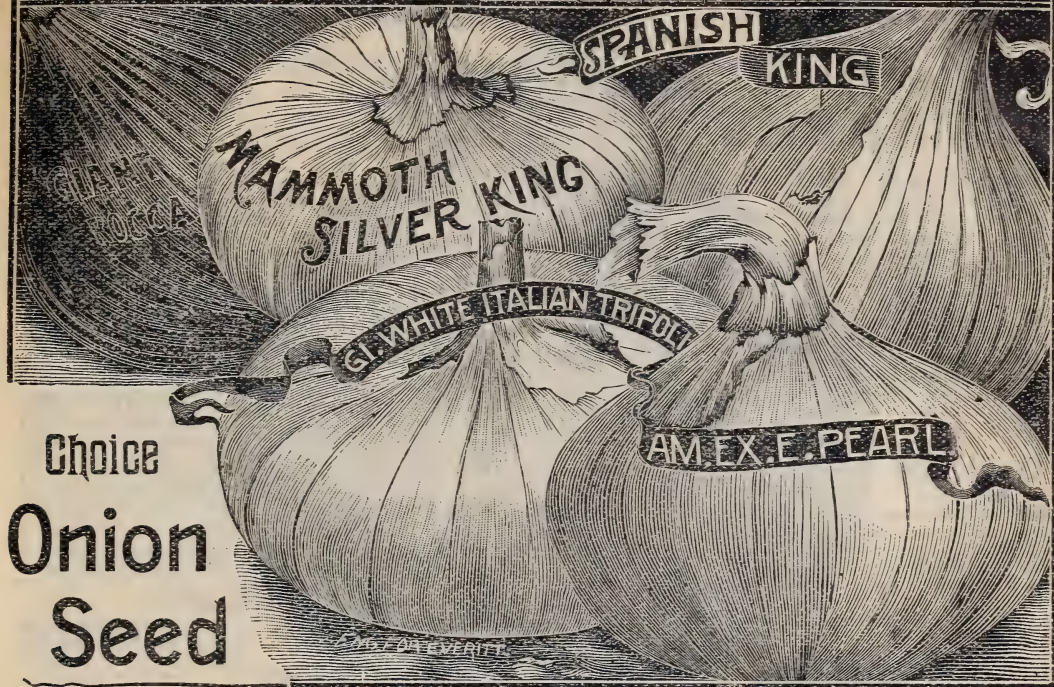
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KOLB GEM





# 5 GREATEST RELIABLE ITALIAN ONIONS.



## Choice Onion Seed

### ITALIAN ONIONS.

All of the varieties grow very rapidly from seed, and are sweeter and of more delicate flavor than our American onions; while the bulbs are of the **most beautiful shape and color**. We advise growers to devote their main crop to the American varieties, yet we recommend them to vary it by planting part of the Italians. We recommend them highly for summer and autumn use in the family, while if marketed they command fancy prices.

If by freight or express, deduct 10c per lb.

**Giant Rocca or Naples** One of the best known of the Italian onions in this country. Quite extensively grown in some sections, where they produce immense crops; single bulbs weighing 1½ to 2 pounds each. Flavor very mild and delicate; color, light brown; flesh white; very handsome; globular shape; a good keeper. **Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00.**

**Mammoth Silver King** This is unquestionably one of the largest and most beautiful onions in the world. Single specimens have weighed as much as 5¼ pounds. No other onion excels in mild and delicate flavor, or has a more handsome and beautiful silvery white appearance. So mild are they in taste that they can be eaten raw like an apple. They always command a high price in the market. **Pkt. 4c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25.**

**Spanish King** The outside skin is of a rich, yellow straw color, while the flesh is white, sweet, mild and tender. They bottom well, are free from stiff necks, and have produced more bushels (1,127) marketable onions to the acre than any other variety known. Very rapid growth and matures early. In market it attracts marked attention. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 45c, lb. \$1.50.**

**Giant White Italian Tripoli** Of large size and most beautiful form, with fine white skin. The first season from the black seed it will grow an onion from 1 to 1½ pound, but to attain the full size seed should be started in a hot bed and transplanted. **Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 30c, lb. \$1.10.**

**American Extra Early Pearl** This remarkable onion is one of the earliest, and in great size, thickness, rapid growth, bottoming and keeping qualities, it is scarcely excelled. It grows quickly to an enormous size, of pearly white color, the outer skin having a most showy, waxy appearance, flesh of a pure snow white, and flavor so mild that it can be eaten like an apple. This onion has the valuable quality of resisting Northern winters. Sow the seed in the spring, thickly, and raise sets. These can be set out in September or October, and early in May the onions are as large as hen's eggs. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25.**

### American Varieties of Onion Seeds.

If by freight or express deduct 10c per lb.

**Large Red Globe**—This is a very handsome variety and is deserving of general cultivation. It matures quite early; grows to a large size; skin deep red; flesh fine grained, mild and tender. **Pkt. 4c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 40c, 1 lb. \$1.25.**

**White Globe**—A large globe-shaped onion; firm, fine grained of mild flavor; keeps well. This is one of the handsomest onions grown, of beautiful shape, clear, white skin, and commands the highest market price. **Pkt. 4c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 60c, lb. \$2.00.**

**Southport Large Yellow Globe**—This new variety is entirely distinct from the Danvers. It is a very handsome, round or globe-shaped variety, of large size, with thin yellow skin, white flesh, fine grained, mild, very firm, and the best of keepers. It ripens early and sells readily at the highest prices in our markets. It is a most reliable variety for bottoming, and entirely free from scallions. **Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 35c, lb. \$1.15.**

**White Silverskin or White Portugal**—Very desirable for family use; flavor mild and pleasant; skin silvery white; of handsome appearance; highly esteemed for pickling when young, also for market in early winter. Extensively planted for White Onion Sets. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 60c, lb. \$2.00.**

**Extra Early Red**—Very early, medium size, deep red color. **Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00.**

**Extra Early White Barletta**—Without doubt the very earliest onion in cultivation. Pure white color, very mild and delicate flavor. For table use and pickling it is most valuable. **Pkt. 4c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 50c, lb. \$1.75.**

**White Queen**—A small very early variety. The quality is excellent. Pure white outside and inside. Can be sown from February to July. Largely grown for pickling. **Pkt. 4c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 50c, lb. \$1.75.**

**LEEK American Flag**—Used for soups and salads, also fine when sliced and cooked with peas. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25.**

**MUSTARD Black or Brown**—Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, lb. 45c.

**White**—Best for salad. **Pkt. 5c, ¼ lb. 15c, lb. 45c.**  
**NEW CHINESE**—Highly esteemed for salads, particularly in the south. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 85c.**



# OUR RECORD BREAKERS

## 3 GREAT LEADERS

**GENUINE PRIZE TAKER ONION**—Every person who visits our large cities has, without a doubt, noticed the large, beautiful Onions offered for sale at the fruit stands every fall. These Onions were originally imported, but since the introduction of this famous variety there is getting to be less need of the imported stock, and the demand is being filled by American grown **Prize Takers**. They are of a beautiful rich straw color, and grow to enormous size, averaging twelve to fourteen inches in circumference, and under favorable circumstances attain a weight of five pounds from the first year from the seed; although of such great size, they are firm and excellent keepers, keeping all winter and in the spring are al-



most as fresh and sound as when put away. Of the mildest flavor, are oftentimes eaten as an apple. They have a very small neck, perfect globe shape. On market they always attract attention, and bring two or three times the price of ordinary onions of any other color. They are wonderfully productive and can be grown by any person.

"Orchard and Garden" says: "The finest we have ever raised. The acme of beauty and perfection, and undoubtedly will become the most popular yellow Onion in cultivation."

"Popular Gardening" says: "Among the score or more of fine sorts of onions none can hold a candle to Prize-Taker. Our specimens were the finest onions we ever raised. The smallest bulbs weighed over a half pound each, and the yield was at the rate of over 1,000 bushels per acre. No other variety can successfully compete with the Prize-Taker."

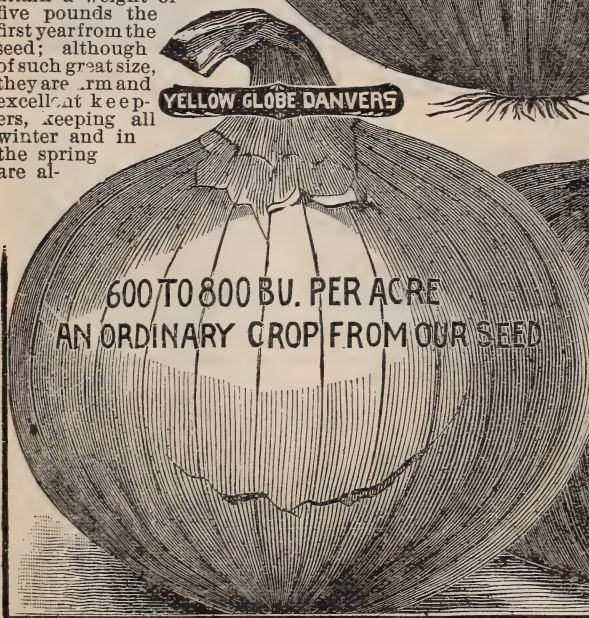


PRICE—PKT.

4c, OZ. 15c,

¼ LB. 40c,

LB. \$1.25.



### YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS.

This magnificent sort can not be too highly recommended. It is more extensively grown than any other variety. 600 bus. per acre is an ordinary crop under favorable conditions, while 800 bus. per acre can be grown by a skillful cultivator from seed sown in the spring. We offer but one variety of Danver's Onion and that is the best. For reliability in bottoming our strain is unsurpassed. Bulbs are very handsome, round, of good size, with thin, straw-colored skin; flesh white, fine grained, firm, mild and excellent quality. It ripens early, keeps well and sells readily at the highest price. Our Yellow Globe Danvers is all that can be desired as a market and table Onion. We sell seed in 100 lb. lots to individual growers year after year.

PRICE—Pkt. 3c, oz. 8c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 85c.

### LARGE RED WETHERSFIELD.

It is oftentimes a matter of choice of color what onion is grown. To those growers who prefer a red variety we recommend our large Red Wethersfield. This is also one of our greatest specialties, and next to Yellow Globe Danvers we sell the largest quantity of seed of it. It is the most reliable red onion grown for general purposes. It yields enormous crops; from 600 to 800 bus. per acre, and is a most reliable cropper even under unfavorable conditions. Large size, purplish-red skin, flesh purplish-white, form round, flattened, fine grained, moderately strong flavor. The best keeper. Especially adapted to poor and dry soils.

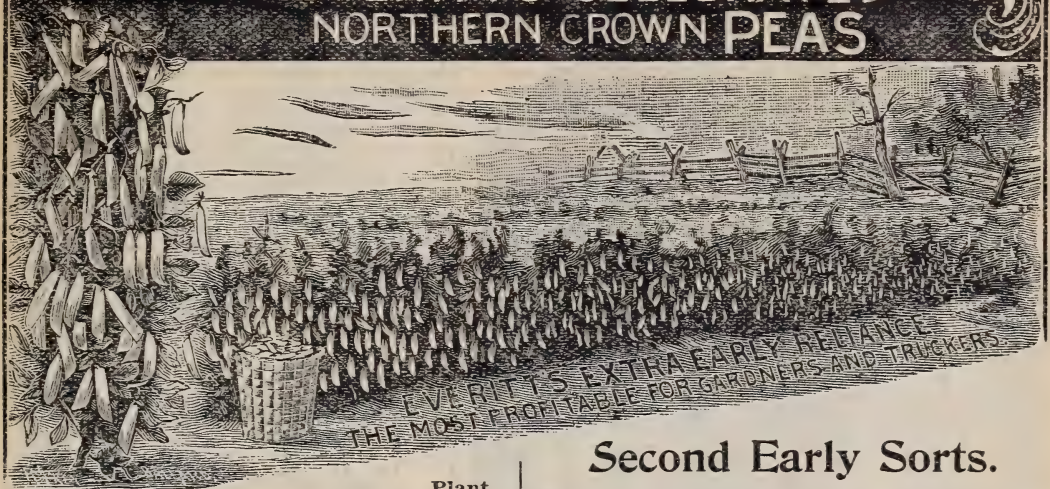
PRICE—Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 30c, lb. \$1.

## PLEASE REMEMBER

We have a large supply of all kinds of Onion Seeds and intend to sell it at less than cost rather than carry it over.



# EVERITTS CELEBRATED NORTHERN CROWN PEAS



## PEAS

Plant  
peas with  
Everitt's Man-Weight Drill  
and cultivate the crop with  
Everitt's Man-Weight Cultivator.

Prices of packets, pints and quarts include postage. If sent by freight or express deduct 8c per pint, 15c per quart from prices named.  $\frac{1}{4}$  bu. and  $\frac{1}{2}$  bu. at bu. rates.

Varieties marked \* are wrinkled.

## Extra Early Sorts.

Extra Early and Early Peas were a short crop in 1895.

**Everitt's Extra Early Reliance** In all the essentials of an early market or home garden pea this is perfection. It has made friends wherever planted, and is acknowledged by all acquainted with its merits as being unexcelled in earliness and productiveness. They are now largely grown by the best gardeners in the country. Height about two feet, vines loaded with well-filled pods. Pkt. 5c, pt. 18c, qt. 32c, bu. \$3.75, 5 bu. or more at \$3.50 per bu.

**\*McLean's Little Gem**—A dwarf, prolific, green, wrinkled marrow, having all the flavor of late wrinkled peas. Height, one foot; require no support. Largely grown for canning as well as for market. Pkt. 5c, pt. 20c, qt. 35c, bu. \$4.50, 5 bu. or more at \$4.25.

**\*American Wonder**—So well and favorably known that it scarcely needs description. Our seed is strictly true to name and the choicest strain. Extra early; requires no bushing; exquisite flavor. Pkt. 5c, pt. 20c, qt. 35c, bu. \$5.50, 5 bu. or more at \$5.25.

**Alaska**—This beautiful pea has become a standard variety and the earliest of all blue peas, proving to be not only several days earlier than most early sorts, but of larger size and 10 per cent. more productive. Vines are dwarf, growing only about 20 inches high; maturing the crop for one picking; of excellent quality. Pkt. 5c, pt. 20c, qt. 35c, bu. \$4.00.

**First and best**—Vines dwarf, about 18 inches, bearing straight, handsome pods, each containing six to eight medium sized, round peas. Matures all the pods in about 45 days. Pkt. 5c, pt. 18c, qt. 32c, bu. \$3.75, 5 bu. or more at \$3.50.

**Kentish Invicta**—A round, blue variety, producing straight and handsome well-filled pods, and is quite early. We regard it as a market variety of great excellence, and can also be planted for a general crop. Pkt. 5c, pt. 18c, qt. 32c, bu. \$3.75, 5 bu. or more at \$3.50.

**\*Extra Early Premium Gem**—Very fine dwarf pea, of Little Gem type, on which is a decided improvement; larger pods; more productive. One of the best and most profitable Early Wrinkled peas for market gardeners, and for family gardeners there is none better. Pkt. 5c, pt. 20c, qt. 35c, bu. \$4.75, 5 bu. or more at \$4.50.

**\*Perfection**—A smooth blue pea, growing about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  foot high. Prized by canners. Quality and flavor can not be surpassed. Pkt. 5c, pt. 18c, qt. 32c, bu. \$3.75.

## Second Early Sorts.

**\*Market Garden** A most excellent second early pea, particularly prized by market gardeners on account of its great productiveness as well as fine quality. It grows about two feet high, very stocky and requires no sticks. Pkt. 5c, pt. 20c, qt. 35c, bu. \$5.00.

**\*Satisfaction** This delicious pea is fast gaining in popularity, and many of our customers are now placing their main reliance on them and consider them superior to any other for fine table qualities.

The vine grows vigorously to the height of about  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet, requiring no brush or sticks to hold them up, being very stocky and robust, and literally filled with large showy pods, which almost hide their foliage. They continue in bearing longer than any other early sort. The peas when green are unusually large; when dry are much more wrinkled than any other sort. Satisfaction is here to stay. Try it. Pkt. 10c, pt. 30c, qt. 50c. By freight or express, 4 qts. \$1.00

**\*New Abundance** This new variety is the most prolific known. Plant, half dwarf; 15 to 18 inches high; foliage, large, thick, full and dark green. Pods 3 to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  inches long, roundish and well-filled, containing 6 to 8 large wrinkled peas of excellent quality. Pkt. 5c, pt. 20c, qt. 35c, bu. \$4.00.

## Late Sorts.

**\*Pride of the Market** Requires no sticks and are quite unequaled in productiveness. Robust, free-branching habit, 18 to 20 inches high, and are immensely productive. The pods are so large in size and handsome in appearance that they take high rank for exhibition purposes, and the peas, when on the table, are of so splendid a quality that it would be difficult to over-praise them. This pea is in great demand among market gardeners, and we have never had enough to supply the demand. Pkt. 5c, pt. 20c, qt. 35c, bu. \$5.50.

**Black-Eyed Marrowfat**—A favorite variety; grows about 5 feet high; Pkt. 5c, pt. 18c, qt. 30c, bu. \$2.00, 5 bu. or more at \$1.75.

**Large White Marrowfat**—A favorite sort. About 6 feet high. Pkt. 5c, pt. 18c, qt. 30c, bu. \$2.00, 5 bu. or more at 1.75.

**\*Champion of England**—A standard sort; popular in all markets. Productive; high flavor, seeds wrinkled. 5 feet high. Pkt. 5c, pt. 18c, qt. 32c, u. \$3.50.

**\*Telephone**—A tall wrinkled marrow; very productive, and of the best quality, with long pods containing 7 to 10 very fine flavored peas. Height, about 4 feet. Pkt. 5c, pt. 20c, qt. 35c, bu. \$5.00.

**SUGAR PEAS—Tender Pods.** Those who have not tried them can not begin to imagine the fine table qualities of Sugar Peas.

**Tall White Sugar**—Seeds white. Foliage light green; a well known variety; height, four feet. Pkt. 5c, pt. 20c, qt. 35c, peck \$1.50.

**Sweet Melting Sugar**—The best Sugar pea. New and fine. 4 feet.

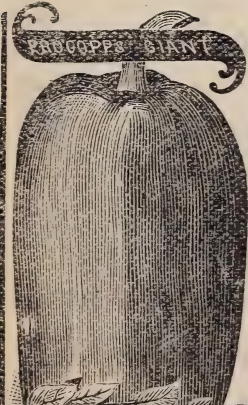


# EVERBEARING PEA



## Everbearing PEA

**Procopp's Giant**—The real giant among all peppers, frequently growing 8 to 9 inches long by 3 inches in diameter. Besides being wonderfully large, they are also beautiful; color, a glossy scarlet; flesh, nearly a half inch thick, sweet and mild. Every exhibitor should grow them to add to his collection. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 40c.**



**Ruby King**—This magnificent pepper grows 4½ inches long by 3½ to 4 inches broad. When ripe, they are bright ruby red color, remarkably mild and pleasant in flavor, having no fiery taste whatever. Single plants ripen 8 to 15 fruits. **Pkt. 4c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 65c.**

**Large Bell, or Bull Nose**—Early, very large, square form, pleasant to the taste, very suitable for filling with cabbage. **Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 50c.**

**Long Red Cayenne**—Bright red color; very hot. **Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 50c.**

**Large Sweet Spanish**—Very early fine sort. **Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 50c.**

**Monstrous, or Mammoth**—Mammoth size; mild flavor. **Pkt. 4c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 65c.**

**Large Sweet Mountain**—Very large and excellent for mangos. **Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 50c.**

**Chinese Celestial**—It is not only a most useful pepper, but one of the most beautiful plants in existence. **Pkt. 5c.**

**Coral Gem Bouquet**—Its beautiful little pods of shining red are so thickly set as to give it the appearance of a bouquet of corals. **Pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c.**



CHINESE CELESTIAL    GOLDEN DAWN    LARGE BELL    SWEET SPANISH    CORAL GEM BOUQUET

THE want of a reliable first-class pea for summer and autumn use has long and seriously been felt by everyone. In this choice and remarkable variety we have a pea which, when sufficiently known, will everywhere be recognized as an excellent sort for a summer and autumn crop. Season late to very late. Height of vines 18 inches to 2 feet. Its habit of growth is of a peculiar branching character, forming as many as ten stalks from a single root stalk. One hundred pods have been counted on a single vine. After repeated pickings of quantities of full-sized pods the vines continue to be covered with blossoms and buds, developing to maturity, making it a perpetual bearer. On account of its branching habit, a pint of seed will plant as much ground as a quart of most other kinds. Peas large, wrinkled, tender, of superior flavor. Greatly esteemed wherever known. **Pkt. 5c, pt. 20c, qt. 35c, peck \$1.25.**

## PARSNIPS 1 oz. of Seed to 200 ft. of Drill, 5 to 6 lbs. per acre.

**Improved Crown**—A selection from the Hollow Crown; finer, more symmetrical in shape, more sugary and tender. A very heavy cropper; smooth, and finest variety for home or market garden. **Pkt. 1c, oz. 5c, ¼ lb. 13c, lb. 45c.**

**Long White**—A standard variety of great merit. **Pkt. 1c, oz. 5c, ¼ lb. 12c, lb. 40c.**

## PARSLEY. 1 ounce to 200 feet of Drill.

**Fine Curled or Double**—Used principally as a garnish for the table. **Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, ¼ lb. 20c, lb. 75c.**

**New Fern-Leaved**—A new variety; very ornamental in form and coloring. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25.**

## PEPPERS

**Golden Dawn**—A most beautiful golden yellow, making it most elegant in appearance, either in growth or for table. In productiveness they stand at the head of the list. The flavor is particularly sweet and mild, and entirely free from any fiery flavor, so much so, that they can be eaten like fruit. **Pkt. 3c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 50c.**





# A PAGE OF GOOD PUMPKINS.

What is a Fair without Pumpkins or a Thanksgiving Dinner without Pumpkin Pie?

1 oz. will plant 40 hills; 5 lbs. per acre. If planted with Corn, 1 to 2 lbs. per acre.

We will sell one pkt. each of the 13 varieties offered for 40c.

1. **Genuine Mammoth True Pot-Iron**—Grows to an enormous size, 3 ft. or more in diameter and 100 to 200 lbs. or more in weight. Salmon colored skin, flesh bright yellow, fine grained and of excellent quality. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 75c.

2. **Mammoth Tours**—Grows to an immense size; often weighing 200 lbs., and commonly 100 to 150 lbs. Grown for cattle and for table use. We offer the genuine true article. Seed saved from selected specimens. These seeds have frequently sold at fairs at 10c to 25c each. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 90c.

3. **Mammoth Etampes**—The skin is a very bright, glossy red, and presents a most handsome appearance, whether for exhibition or on market. Thick-meated, flesh very rich in color and of excellent quality. It attains mammoth weights; in only ordinary soil grows about 2 ft. in diameter. It is very productive and a most profitable sort to grow. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c.

4. **Connecticut Field**—Large, color yellow. Largely raised for feeding stock. Pkt. 2c, oz. 5c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 15c, lb. 40c, bu. \$3.50.

5. **Tennessee Sweet Potato**—Grows to medium size, pear-shaped, a little ribbed, color creamy white, sometimes lightly striped with green; flesh thick, white, fine grained, dry and brittle, and of most excellent flavor; very productive and keeps perfectly sound until late in the spring; has no superior for making pies and custards. When cooked it has the appearance of sweet potatoes. Pkt. 4c, oz. 6c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 18c, lb. 50c.

6. **Large Cheese**—Superior to most of the field-grown sorts. Very hardy and productive. Pkt. 3c, oz. 6c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 18c, lb. 50c.

7. **Indiana, or Kentucky Field**—Is the best variety we ever saw for raising with corn. Grows to a large size, solid, and is relished by stock; also valuable for pies and canning. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 60c.

8. **Golden Oblong**—Grows 15 to 20 ins. in length. Shell, rich, golden orange color; flesh, light yellow. Very rich and fine, making the very best of pumpkin pies. 14 good pumpkins have been raised on a single vine. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 75c.

9. **Japanese Pie Pumpkin**—This excellent, odd variety comes from Japan, and is largely grown as a choice pie and cooking pumpkin. They ripen early, keep well, and are very productive. Flesh is very thick, being nearly solid, fine grained, dry and sweet, having the flavor of sweet potatoes. The seeds are peculiarly marked with Japanese characters, making them quite a novelty. Pkt. 3c, oz. 7c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 60c.

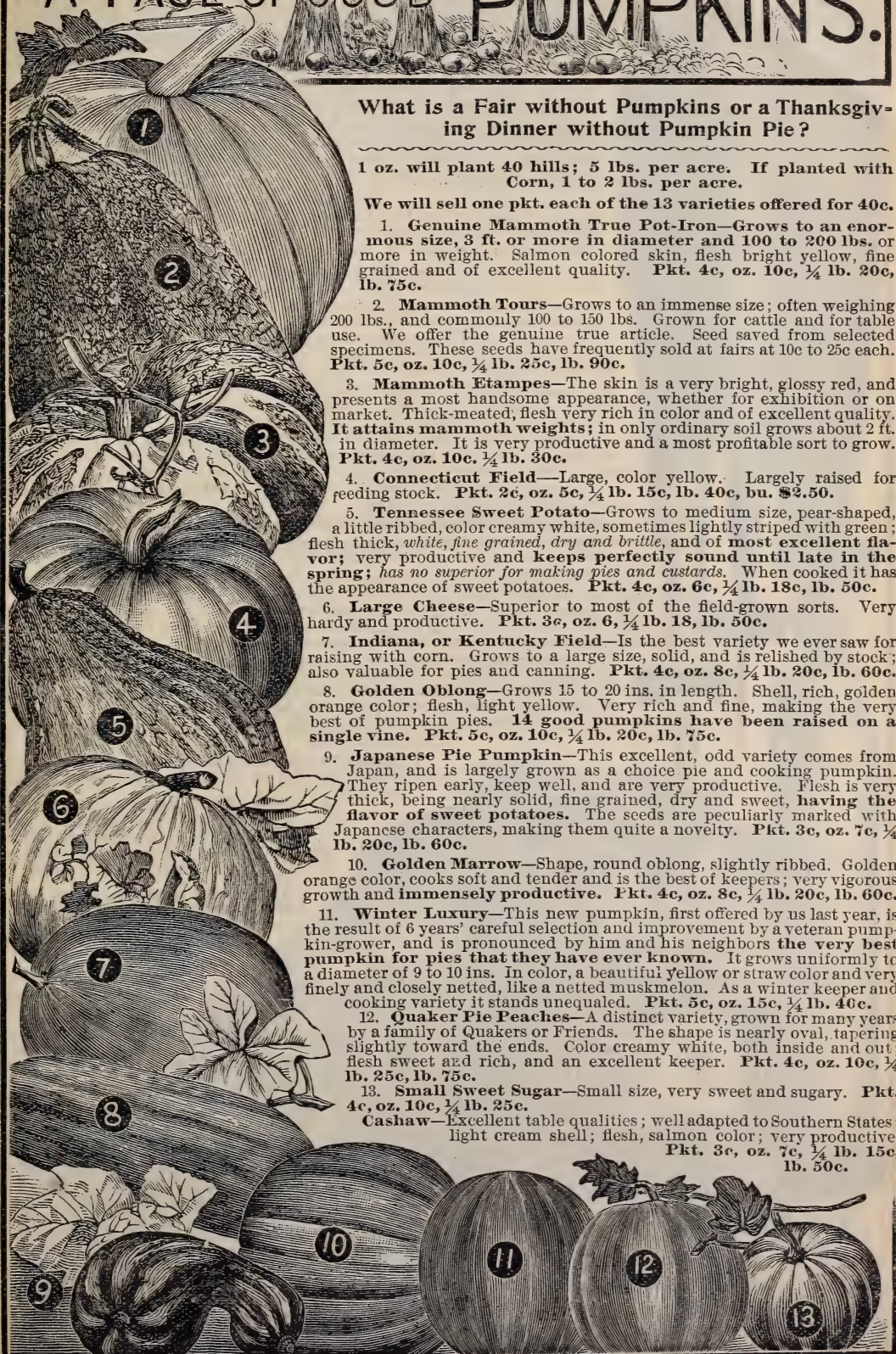
10. **Golden Marrow**—Shape, round oblong, slightly ribbed. Golden orange color, cooks soft and tender and is the best of keepers; very vigorous growth and immensely productive. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 60c.

11. **Winter Luxury**—This new pumpkin, first offered by us last year, is the result of 6 years' careful selection and improvement by a veteran pumpkin-grower, and is pronounced by him and his neighbors the very best pumpkin for pies that they have ever known. It grows uniformly to a diameter of 9 to 10 ins. In color, a beautiful yellow or straw color and very finely and closely netted, like a netted muskmelon. As a winter keeper and cooking variety it stands unequalled. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c.

12. **Quaker Pie Peaches**—A distinct variety, grown for many years by a family of Quakers or Friends. The shape is nearly oval, tapering slightly toward the ends. Color creamy white, both inside and out; flesh sweet and rich, and an excellent keeper. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

13. **Small Sweet Sugar**—Small size, very sweet and sugary. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c.

**Cashaw**—Excellent table qualities; well adapted to Southern States; light cream shell; flesh, salmon color; very productive. Pkt. 3c, oz. 7c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 15c, lb. 50c.





# A PAGE OF SUMMER RADISHES

Price, unless otherwise quoted: Pkt. 3c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 65c, by mail. By freight or express, 1 lb. or more of a kind at 55c per lb.

**SHEPHERD** Still at the head of the list as the best and earliest long radish in existence, and all who have grown them say they are the best long radish in the country. Excels all others in rapid growth, attaining a size of 12 in. in length and  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. in thickness in 30 days from sowing the seed, and will grow 20 ins. in length and 3 or 4 ins. thick before becoming hard and woody. It is the earliest, the largest, remains tender the longest, the handsomest, best for the family, for market, and is good spring, summer and fall.

**Wood's Early Frame**—A long, red radish, small top; excellent for forcing. **Imp. Early Long Scarlet Short Top**—Of quick growth; color bright scarlet; long, straight and smooth, crisp and tender.

**Long White Vienna**—The finest and most beautiful long white radish. Tender, mild flavor, grow quickly.

1. **Giant White Stuttgart**—Very early; pure snowy white. It withstands the severest heat, and grows to an immense size. The quality is always the very finest, firm, brittle and not pithy.

2. **Newcom**—This is the earliest, largest, white radish known. Owing to their beautiful half-long shape and fine appearance they readily sell at double the prices of ordinary varieties. **Quality very fine.**

3. **Brightest Long Scarlet, White Tipped**—Fit for use in 25 days after sowing. Color is the brightest scarlet, except the tails, which are tipped white. This sort outsells any other long red radish on the market.

5. **Imp. Early Scarlet Turnip**—Extra early. **Brilliant color.** Especially recommended to market gardeners.

6. **Early White Turnip**—Quick of growth; crisp and tender. Very fine.

8. **Early Scarlet Turnip, White Tipped**—Beautiful scarlet variety, having a white-tipped tail, or root. **Very fine.**

9. **White Box**—Its short top and rapid growth fits it for growing under glass, in frames or boxes, as well as for early sowing in the open ground.

10. **Early Yellow Summer Turnip**—Russet-colored sort, grows much larger than the white or red turnip sorts. **Best kind for resisting the extreme heat and the drought of the Southern States.**

11. **Twenty Day Forcing**—A new and very distinct type of the well known olive-shaped radish, of perfect form, smooth skin, fine color, and very short leaves, **extremely quick growth, takes only 3 weeks to mature,** valuable for forcing, while it does equally well in the open ground.

12. **Scarlet, Olive-Shaped**—Well adapted for forcing or for early sowing in the open ground.

13. **Early French Breakfast**—Earliest of all; very tender and beautiful; scarlet, tipped with white; great favorite.

14. **Large White Globe**—A very large round radish. Of beautiful form, pure white, crisp and brittle. It grows quickly to a large size, and withstands summer heat.

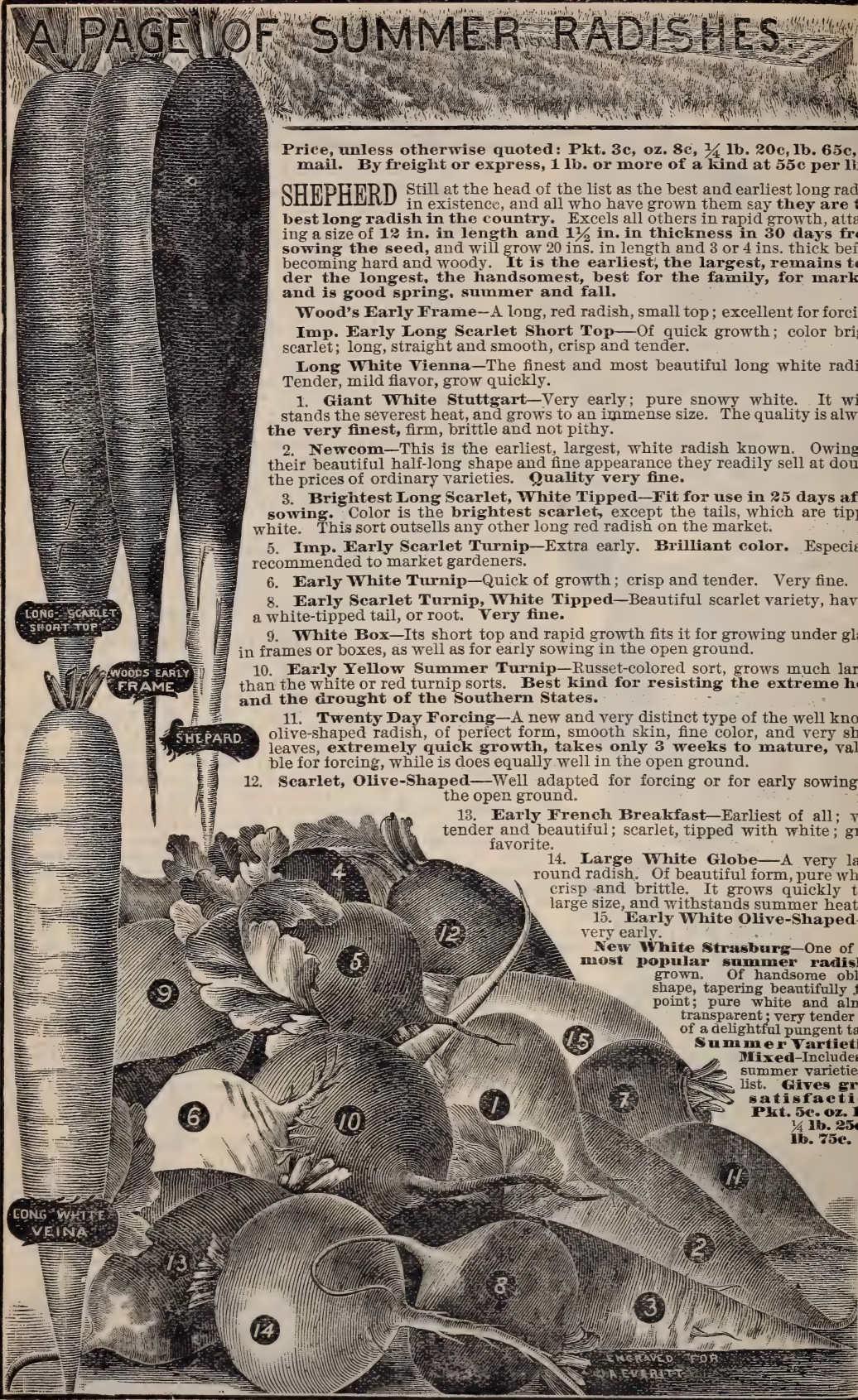
15. **Early White Olive-Shaped**—Is very early.

**New White Strasburg**—One of the most popular summer radishes grown. Of handsome oblong shape, tapering beautifully to a point; pure white and almost transparent; very tender and of a delightful pungent taste.

**Summer Varieties,**

**Mixed**—Includes all summer varieties in list. **Gives great satisfaction.**

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



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## WINTER RADISHES.

Price of all varieties: Pkts. 4c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 65c.

The following varieties should be sown in August or September, for use during the winter:

**California Mammoth White**—It grows to a large size; flesh solid and of good flavor.

**Long Black Spanish**—One of the latest as well as the hardiest of the radishes. Roots oblong, black, of a very large size and firm texture.

**White Chinese**—Root nearly cylindrical, 6 to 7 ins. long, and nearly 3 ins. in diameter; piquant and very appetizing.

**Round Black Spanish**—Black skin, white flesh, and roots globe-shaped. The flavor is piquant.

**Chinese Rose**—This variety has become very popular with market gardeners. It is of a half-long shape, pink color, and flesh as solid as an apple.

**Winter Varieties, Mixed**—Includes all the winter varieties in our list. Large Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

## SQUASHES.

**MAMMOTH CHILI** The largest of the squash family, being simply immense. The largest squash on record—292 pounds—was of this variety. If you want to secure the premium at your county fair, plant some of this seed. Color, orange yellow, smooth skin; flesh very thick and fine grained, good and nutritious. A profitable variety to grow for stock feeding. Keeps well through the winter. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

**Mammoth White Bush, Scalloped**—The squashes are very uniform in shape and wonderfully prolific. They are fit to use very early, are of a beautiful white color, and grow very large size—12 to 15 ins. across. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 60c.

**Giant Summer Crookneck**—This new strain is even earlier than the common variety; the squashes grow to an extra large size, measuring from 18 ins. to 2 ft. long, of finest quality. On account of their handsome appearance they command an extra price on the market. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 60c.

**Fordhook**—A handsome variety, bright yellow outside, and straw yellow within. The flesh is dry and

sweet, and of the best quality. Placed in a cool, dry room, keeps in a perfect condition throughout the winter. It is free from the attacks of the squash borer. Matures early, and is everywhere a sure cropper. Immensely productive. The green squashes can be used at any stage of their growth. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

**Prolific Orange Marrow**—The skin is a rich, deep orange, making the squash of very handsome appearance. As large as the Hubbard; the flesh is very thick, fine grained and of choice quality. In prime condition from September to January. Pkt. 3c, oz. 6c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 15c, lb. 50c.

**Hubbard**—Generally considered the best winter squash grown; flesh dark yellow, fine grained, dry and sweet; very hard shell; will keep till spring; productive; color, green, when ripe. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 60c.

**Yellow Bush**—A popular variety. Grows to medium size and of unsurpassed quality. Pkt. 3c, oz. 6c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 15c, lb. 50c.

**Essex Hybrid**—A very productive squash, of finest quality, and an excellent keeper, specimens having been kept until June as sound and good as when gathered. Early, quick growth, and can be raised very successfully as a second crop, following early potatoes, peas, etc. Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 60c.

**Sibley, or Pike's Peak**—Shell pale green, very hard and flinty, but so very thin and smooth as to occasion the least possible waste in baking. The flesh is solid and thick; a vivid, brilliant orange color, dry, and of a rich, delicate flavor. Very productive; ripens its fruit with the Hubbard. It remains in a good dry cellar perfectly sound until the last of March. Pkt. 3c, oz. 6c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 15c, lb. 50c.

**Canada Winter Crookneck**—The best of keepers. Color, pale green; excellent for table use. Pkt. 3c, oz. 6c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 15c, lb. 50c.

**Marblehead**—An excellent variety, resembling the Hubbard. A remarkable combination of sweetness, dryness and delicious flavor. Pkt. 3c, oz. 6c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 15c, lb. 50c.

**New Golden Custard**—An improvement on the old Yellow Bush so well and widely known. Very early, of a bright, golden yellow, often producing squashes 12 to 15 ins. across. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00.

**Summer Crookneck**—Early and productive, small size, bright yellow, hard shell; used while young and tender and can not be excelled. Pkt. 3c, oz. 6c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 15c, lb. 50c.





## RHUBARB.

**Victoria**—Very large stalks, from 2 to 3 ins. broad and from 2 to 3 ft. high. Excellent for pies. Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00.

**Rhubarb Roots**—By mail, 25c per lb., 4 lbs. 75c. By freight or express, \$1.00 per dozen.

## SALSIFY.

**MAMMOTH SANDWICH ISLAND**—Mammoth, indeed, as compared with the common kinds. It is pure white in color and has all the good qualities of the other, which, with its great size, will recommend it to all gardeners. It should be found in every garden in the land. Pkt. 4c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 40c, lb. \$1.50.

**Long White**—Pkt. 4c, oz. 8c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 85c.

## SPINACH.

We will send any variety of Spinach by freight or express, at 25c per lb.

**Thick Leaved Round**—Generally preferred for early sowing, and is a popular sort with market gardeners. Leaves large, thick, and fleshy. Pkt. 2c, oz. 4c, ¼ lb. 15c, lb. 35c.

**AMERICAN SAVOY**—A sort of the finest quality, and producing nearly twice the weight of crop as other sorts, and is also the hardiest of all Spinachs. The leaves are numerous, succulent, curled and wrinkled like a Savoy Cabbage. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼ lb. 15c, lb. 35c.

**BLOOMSDALE**—The leaves are numerous and partially rolled. It is much liked by gardeners wherever introduced. Pkt. 3c, oz. 5c, ¼ lb. 15c, lb. 35c.

## TOMATOES.

*Our seed is saved with great care. We never buy seed saved at canning factories, which usually is badly mixed and proves a great annoyance and loss to the planter.*

1 oz. will produce about 4,000 plants. Sow about 2 ozs. of seed in beds for each acre of crop you want to grow.

Price unless otherwise quoted: Pkt. 3c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 50c, lb. \$1.50.



Mikado.

**MIKADO**—Also called Turner's Hybrid, is one of the finest, largest, most solid and most productive tomatoes grown. The heaviest tomato ever grown of this mammoth Variety was grown from O.K. Seeds—weight, 4 lbs. 2oz. Rapid grower, thick stalk; beautiful shape and color; the weight averages from 1 to 4 lbs. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 75c.

**EARLY ESSEX HYBRID**—This is one of the most profitable tomatoes for the market in cultivation. Pink skin, very early and always ripening all over alike. The flesh being very hard and solid makes it one of the best tomatoes for shipping or marketing. We recommend it highly.

**OPTIMUS**—The large handsome tomatoes are free from cracks and are borne in clusters of 3 to 5. The flesh is fine grained and solid, of a bright crimson scarlet color. Very early. One noticeable feature is the splendid keeping and shipping quality of this tomato.

**IMPROVED TROPHY**—Fruit large, smooth and solid, fine color; very productive; a well-known and popular market sort.

**PERFECTION**—Shaped like the Acme, but somewhat larger, fully as early, perfectly smooth, blood-red in color, with more solid flesh and fewer seeds and produces more and larger fruit at the end of the season.

**SELECTED ACME**—One of the earliest in cultivation. Fruit of medium size, perfect form, round, slightly depressed at the poles; pink purplish color. Ripens evenly and has no green core. Bears continuously until frost comes.



Selected Acme.

**NEW STONE**—This new main crop tomato is very large, bright scarlet red color, smooth shape. Its distinguishing feature, and from this it takes its name, is its great solidity. The flesh is very firm. One of the best shippers. A grand coming variety, unsurpassed for keeping.

**PONDEROSO**—A mammoth variety for which \$250.00 was paid for a name. We will sell you a packet for 5c, or 3 for 10c.

**Golden Queen**—There are many varieties of fine red tomatoes, but every gardener will hail with delight this fine yellow sort. In size, solidity and productiveness, equals any of the red. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 50c, lb. \$1.75.

**LONGKEEPER**—This new tomato of recent introduction was originated by E. S. Carman, editor of "The Rural New Yorker." It is claimed by the originator to combine longkeeping qualities, uniform shape, earliness in ripening, as well as productiveness to a remarkable degree. Pkt. 4c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 65c.



Paragon.

**Paragon**—Very similar to Livingston's Favorite.

**Tomatoes for Preserving**—Red Cherry, Yellow Cherry, Red Pear-shaped and Yellow Plum. Each, Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c.

### LIVINGSTON'S NEW BEAUTY

—A fine variety, coming from originator of Acme, Paragon, Perfection and Favorite. Very distinct from all former introductions. The color is a glossy crimson with a purple tinge. It grows in clusters of four and five, retaining its large size late in the season; very solid, with a tough skin, making it very desirable for market and shipping.

Don't fail to include Logan's Giant and Everitt's Earliest of All Tomatoes in your order. See Novelties



**PEACH TOMATO**—This very useful and beautiful oddity is sure to attract attention and favorable comment, whether growing in the garden or served on the table. It is almost identical with some forms of peaches, both in shape and color. The fruit is produced in clusters; it is very solid with red interior, and red, pinkish and green blush on the outside skin, which can be easily peeled, like the skin of a peach. Vines compact in habit and very productive. For preserving, Peach Tomato is hard to beat. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

**LIVINGSTON'S FAVORITE**—Ripens evenly and early, holds its size to the end of the season. It is very prolific, few seeds, solid flesh, bears shipping long distances.

**Cardinal**—A beautiful cardinal red, very glossy looking when ripe, the flesh of the same brilliant color, ripens evenly through, having no hard green core like many others; very few seeds. Round and unusually smooth and solid.



Favorite.



# Giant Climbing TOMATO



THE  
GIANT  
CLIMBING  
TOMATO

**G**REAT progress has been made in late years in the improvement of the tomato. Quite in contrast with the small ill-shaped, sour specimens of a few years ago are the large, smooth, sweet fruits so easily raised now. Great rivalry exists in localities as to who can raise the earliest or the largest tomatoes. We offer in the **GIANT CLIMBING TOMATO** the greatest novelty in this line, and whoever raises it, according to directions printed on each package, will have an attraction that will draw all eyes toward their garden.

This is not a tree tomato. The term "tree," frequently applied to tomatoes, is generally intended to mislead. We do not call grapes "Tree Grapes" because they will climb up a trellis. The **GIANT CLIMBING TOMATO** needs a support to climb upon, when they will grow 10 to 15 ft. high, bearing fruit all along the vine from the ground up. The tomatoes grow to weigh from 2 to 4 lbs. each, and in size 10 to 16 ins. in circumference. Nearly all the tomatoes are smooth and regular in shape; color glossy red; sound to the core, with very few seeds. The flavor is all that can be desired. They are ever-bearing, only cut off by frost. These tomatoes can be grown on the garden fence, on the sunny side of a house or out-building, or in any position where a support is provided. The more public the situation the more will they be admired.

We print a few reports. Many more could be given, if space permitted:

"Your Giant Climbing Tomatoes are immense. I have them weighing 2 $\frac{3}{4}$  lbs., and the people see that they are wonderful. **GEO. R. BOOTH**, Ludlow, Mass."

"One plant of Giant Tomatoes grew over 8 ft. high. The best cluster was 7 tomatoes weighing 6 lbs. all ripe at one time. **WM. YEATES**, Titusville, Pa."

"The Giant Climbing Tomatoes are wonderful in size and fine quality. One fruit weighed 3 lbs. 1 oz. **C. H. COX**, Bascobel, Pa."

"The Giant Tomatoes averaged a yield of nearly a bushel to each plant. One vine grew 14 feet high. **H. D. MUSSEY**, Rohrestown, Pa."

"It is a pleasure to see your Giant Climbing Tomatoes grow, and any person can well be proud of them. They are mammoth in size and wonderful in tall growth. I have some specimens measuring 16 ins. in circumference and over 6 ins. in diameter. Fine flavor and better than I thought it could be. You can not recommend them too highly. **MRS. WM. CRABBE**, West Branch, Cal."

"From the Giant Tomato seed I raised the greatest crop I ever saw. One weighed 3 lbs. and many 2 lbs. each. **P. J. DRESS**, Mallory, Va."

## Price of Everitt's Giant Climbing Tomato Seed.

As this tomato is a very shy bearer of seed, the price will always be high, yet when you consider that each plant, with proper care, will produce nearly a bushel of tomatoes, the price should not be considered.

1 liberal package 8c, 4 for 25c, 10 for 50c. Families should club together and get them at wholesale rates.

**CAUTION** There are the short growing bush (called Tree) Tomatoes and the long growing (called Tree) Tomatoes, but if you want the true Giant Climbing Tomato, order your seed of us and you will not be disappointed.

Price—Pkt. 8c (worth double), 4 for 25c, 10 for 50c.

GIANT  
CLIMBING  
TOMATO



# Turnips

## .. TABLE .. VARIETIES.

1 oz. will plant 250 feet of Drill. Sow about 1 pound broadcast per acre.

We sell any of the following varieties, unless noted, at pkt. 3c, oz. 6c, ¼ lb. 15c, lb. 50c, by mail; by freight or express, per lb. 40c.

**Early Six Weeks, or Snowball**—This new turnip is very early, growing and maturing rapidly. Bulbs beautiful white; medium size, solid. Flavor mild; free from side roots.

**PURPLE TOP MUNICH**—One of the earliest in cultivation, making an excellent spring garden turnip.

**RED or PURPLE-TOP STRAP LEAVED**—One of the most popular varieties, both for table and stock. Grows to a large size, solid, crisp and mild flavor. We have the best strain of this popular variety that can be found anywhere. None better.

**EXTRA EARLY MILAN**—The earliest flat turnip in cultivation. Of medium size, with a bright purple top; leaves few, short, growing very compact; flesh pure white, of choicest quality, hard, solid and fine-grained; an excellent keeper. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

**EARLY WHITE FLAT DUTCH**—Size, medium; flat, white, sweet, tender; rich for table; spring and fall.

**WHITE EGG**—A variety of very rapid growth; egg-shaped, thin white skin, solid, firm, fine-grained flesh.

**BREAD-STONE**—Extra fine quality. Of medium size, very quick growing, and the roots are very smooth and white. Flesh is perfectly white, fine-grained, and cooks in only fifteen minutes. It is the finest table turnip for winter and spring use. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

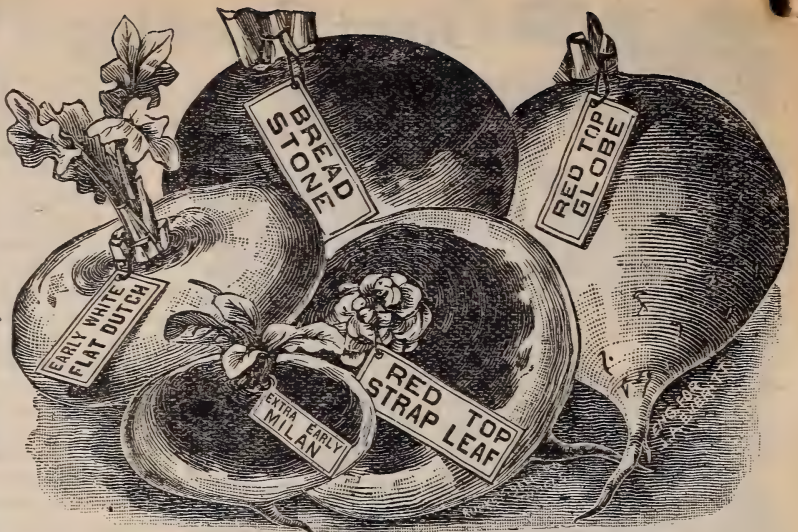
**RED or PURPLE TOP GLOBE**—This is the most productive variety and one of the handsomest; quality very fine for table; owing to its great yielding propensities, can be grown with great profit for stock.

**GOLDEN BALL or ORANGE JELLY**—Very beautiful and bright yellow turnip of medium size, sweet and delicious flavor.

**Long White Cow Corn**—Flesh white, fine-grained, sweet; keeps well.

**LARGE WHITE GLOBE**—Often attain the weight of 12 pounds; extra good fall and winter; skin white.

**Sweet German**—Must be sown much earlier than the flat turnips. In the autumn and early winter it is apt to be hard, but softens in time.



## Swedes, or Ruta-Bagas.

Price same as Turnips.

Grown for stock feed, and could be profitably cultivated on a much larger scale.

**CARTER'S IMPERIAL**—A hardy sort, excellent for table use or feeding stock. Does not run to long necks. This should be sown a month earlier than the other varieties.

**LAING'S IMPROVED RUTA-BAGAS**—One of the earliest and best for table. Handsomest variety, first-class quality.

**LARGE WHITE FRENCH**—Excellent for table use as well as stock. Large size, solid, mild and sweet. A desirable sort.

In July we will publish a SPECIAL TURNIP catalogue. Send for it.

5000 LBS  
SWEET PEAS

## SWEET PEAS

FOR THE MILLIONS.

Oh,  
What  
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Less than Wholesale

We have thousands of pounds of choice mixed Sweet Peas in the greatest assortment of varieties and every conceivable color. We grew these not by the acre, but in large fields, and have such a large supply that we positively offer them at

Our mixture comprises the EARLIEST and LATEST. Everybody can scatter them lavishly and revel in their sweet blossoms all the summer. THEY ARE ALL THE RAGE.

**J. A. EVERITT, SEEDSMAN**  
INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

PRICE POST PAID PKT. 3c, OZ. 6c, ¼ LB. 15c, LB. 40c.



# 3 BEAUTIFUL CLIMBERS.

## THE BEAUTIFUL FRAGRANT CINNAMON VINE.

A beautiful and rapid climber, possessing the rare quality of emitting from its flowers the delightful odor of cinnamon, and very appropriately called the "Cinnamon Vine." The plants are grown from bulbs or roots, and are very nice for window ornaments or out-door culture. They are perfectly hardy, the stem dying down every autumn, but growing again in the spring so rapidly as to completely cover any trellis or arbor very early in the season. The vines often run 25 feet or more, and when trained over and about a door or window make an ornament much admired, while its many clusters of delicate white flowers send out an amount of fragrance that is truly wonderful. It is easy to cultivate; has no insect enemies, and is not affected by drought, because it roots so deeply. The tubers increase in size from year to year; are often two feet long at two or three years of age, and run straight down in deep soil. Flesh whiter than superfine flour and equally as good for table use as the very best potatoes. We have sold these bulbs for several years, and the plant has ever increased in popularity.

Look at any other Catalogue you have and you will see the usual price for these bulbs is \$1.00 per dozen. WE SELL THEM AT 1/2 DOZ. 20c, 1 DOZ. 30c, 2 DOZ. 50c, 5 DOZ. \$1.00.

Apios Tuberosa.

## APIOS TUBEROSA. Tuberos Rooted Wistaria.

A native climber and one of the most beautiful in cultivation. A profuse bloomer, bearing lovely clusters of rich, deep purple flowers with a delicious violet fragrance. It is a wonderfully robust grower, attaining a great height, its vine and dense foliage resembling the common Wistaria. The bulbs are perfectly hardy, needing no protection whatever, and last forever when once started; they are excellent for food when cooked, being equal to a potato. 10c each, 3 for 25c, 75c per dozen.

## NEW YELLOW DOLICHOS.

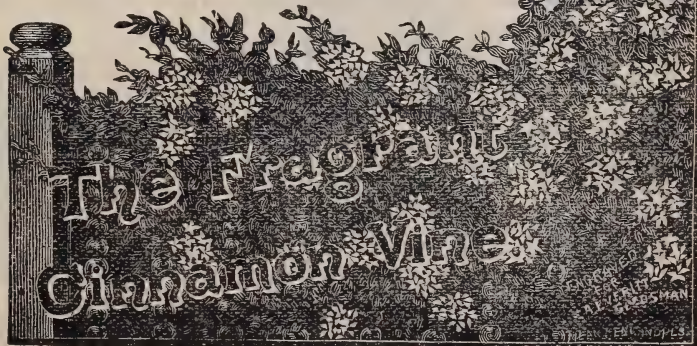
This luxuriantly flowering vine is a most welcome addition to the list of annual climbers, and as a late, beautiful and prolific bloomer should have a place in every flower garden, or wherever bare walls or unsightly objects are to be hidden from the eye.

It blooms later in the season than other varieties, being at its best when earlier climbers are brown and dead.

Erect racemes of bright yellow blooms, similar in shape to half-opened pea blossoms, form at every joint, and the leaves and stems are covered with downy, grayish hairs, producing a most novel effect. The outer surface of the petals is rich brown, interior space or standards soft, glowing canary yellow. The blossoms are succeeded by slender, rounded pods, which lend additional beauty to the vines, and are far more effective than the broad, coarse pods found in other varieties. The denser foliage of this new Dolichos stands out in striking contrast to others, covering the poles with a heavy mass of vines when most other varieties were half way up the poles. Pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c, oz. 40c.

**SPECIAL.** These three choice climbers should be started around every home. As a special inducement to take them all, we offer 1 doz. Cinnamon Vines, 3 Apios Tuberosas and 1 pkt. Dolichos for 50c, post paid, or three such collections for \$1.00.

New Yellow Dolichos.





# CHOICE GLADIOLUS! GREAT BARGAINS



**O**UR offers have never been equaled. The varieties are the best; the colors unsurpassed; embracing every color and shade.

**For 50 Cts.** 1 bulb each:  
**BREUCH LEYENSIS**—

Dazzling vermillion, yellow throat and broad purple stripe. **MAD. MONERET**—Delicate rose, with white stripe. **CERES**—Pure white, blotched with purple rose. **LAMARCK**—Orange and cherry, large white stain. **JOHN BULL**—White, slightly tinged with sulphur. **NAPOLEON III**—Bright scarlet, centre white. **EUGENE SCRIBE**—Carmine rose.

**ISAAC BUCHANAN**—Splendid yellow. And 5 bulbs of the fancy new variety, **MAY**. This is the most stylish of all. Enormous spikes of well expanded flowers, worth all we ask for the entire collection. All bulbs labeled. Examine any other catalogue and see if these 13 bulbs would not cost \$1.00 to \$1.50 if bought elsewhere.

**For \$1.00** WE WILL SEND 3 COLLECTIONS, ALL POSTAGE PAID. ALL BULBS EXTRA LARGE SIZE. If separate bulbs are wanted, the price is 10c each.

EXTRA FINE MIXED GLADIOLUS, 5c each, 35c per doz., \$1.75 per 100, post paid. By express, 100, \$1.50; 1000, \$12.00.



## New Excelsior Pearl Tuberosa

**T**HIS is the best variety and is a general favorite and the most popular of all flowers for button-hole bouquets. Can be grown in pots or plant in open ground in May. The flowers of this variety are double the size of the common Tuberosa, and are borne in great profusion. Of dwarf habit, perfectly double and of most delicious fragrance. No flower garden is complete without a few stalks.

Extra sized flowering bulbs, 5c each, 6 for 25c, 40c per doz., 25 for 85c, 100 for \$2.75, post paid. By express at expense of purchaser, 100 for \$2, 200 for \$3.50.

## Caladium.

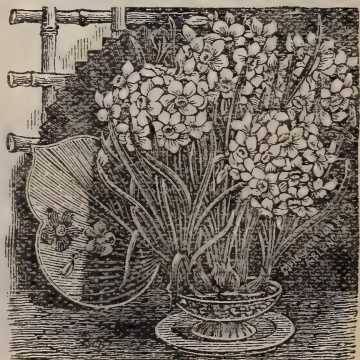
Esuletum (Elephant's Ears).

**T**HE leaves of this giant plant often attain a length of 3 feet. Very suitable for single plant on lawn, beds or margins of water. Attains greatest size in a moist situation. Keep bulbs in dry sand over winter. Each 20c, doz. \$2, ¼ doz. same rate.



## SACRED LILIES DIRECT FROM CHINA.

**E**VERYBODY now wants a Chinese Sacred Lily for the window in winter. Why? Because it is of easy culture; it is sure to bloom; each bulb bears several clusters; the flowers are deliciously scented; you are sure to succeed. If you cultivate but half a dozen window plants the Sacred Lily ought to be one of them. Its popularity is increasing every year. If you grow it once you will want it again. We have a fine stock of immense bulbs and offer them by mail at following low prices: 7 bulbs \$1.00, 3 bulbs 50c, 1 bulb 20c. To grow them, fill a bowl or any vessel about 4 inches deep half full of water; place the bulb therein and lay some pebbles around to keep it in an upright position. No order filled after April 1.





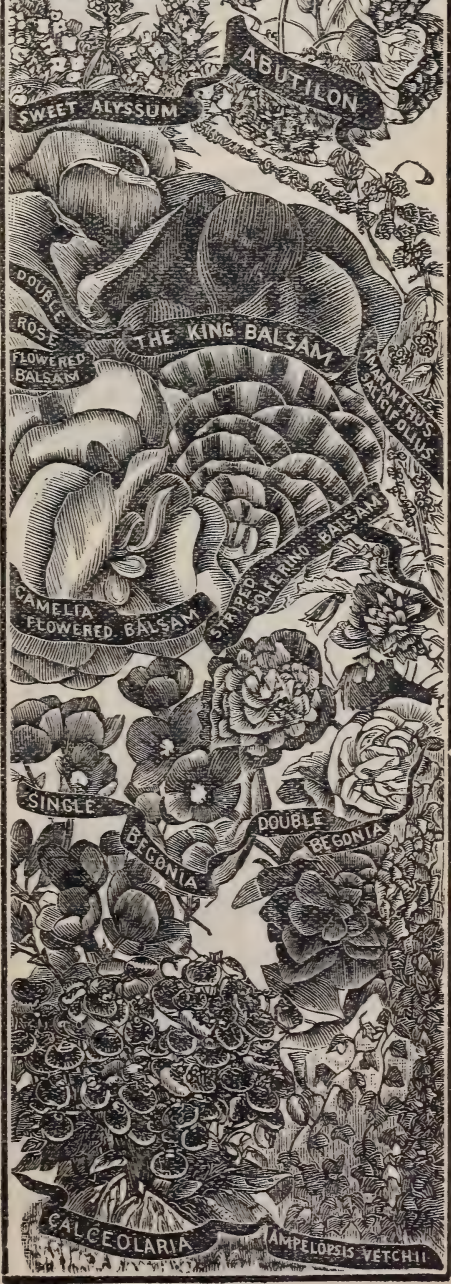
# EVERITTS CHOICE FLOWER SEEDS.



**Our Flower Seeds** are the best that can be procured from the best growers in America and Europe. **OUR LIST** comprises nearly all the varieties that can be successfully grown by the average cultivator, omitting such as requires the skill of a veteran, and special facilities. **CULTURAL DIRECTIONS** are printed on each package, together with a correct illustration in colors. **OUR PRICES SHOULD BE POPULAR.** We don't aim to charge as much for a package as a pound costs us, but we have made our prices so low that **EVERYBODY CAN HAVE AN ABUNDANCE.**

In the following list "a" stands for annual, "b" for biennial, "p" for perennial, "h.a." hardy annual, "h.h.a." half hardy annual, "t.p." tender perennial, etc.

- 10. **ABRONIA Umbellata.** h.h.a. Very pretty trailing plants. Sweet-scented flowers. 3c.
- 12. **ABUTILON** (Flowering Maple). t.p. Well adapted for house culture and for bedding out doors. **Finest mixed, 15c.**
- 15. **ACROCLINUM.** h.h.a. One of the best everlasting flowers. **Choice mixed, 3c.**
- 20. **ADONIS Autumnalis**—(Pheasant's eye). h.a. Very showy. 2c.
- ALGERATUM.** h.h.a. Excellent for bouquets. 25. **Mexicanum.** 4c. 26. **Finest varieties mixed, 3c.**
- AGROSTEMMA** (Rose of Heaven). h.a. Abundant bloomer with deep rose flower. Fine mixed, 5c.
- 32. **ALYSSUM**—Sweet white. h.a. Delicate flowers of a honey-like fragrance; much prized for bouquets. 3c.
- 35. **AMMOBIUM** (Everlasting.) Valuable for winter bouquets. 2c.
- 37. **EMPELOPSIS Veitchii**, (Boston Ivy). h.p. 5c.
- AMARANTHUS.** h.a. Of remarkably handsome foliage and interesting flowers. 40. **Caudatus.** (Love lies bleeding). 3c. 41. **Tri-color.** (Joseph's coat). Red, yellow and green. 3c. 42. **Salicifolius.** (Fountain Plant.) 44. **Mixed.** All colors. 3c.
- ANTIRRHINUM.** (Snap Dragon). h.p. 46. **Majus.** Mixed Tall; 2 ft. 4c. 47. **Tom Thomb.** Mixed dwarf. 5c.
- AQUILEGIA.** Columbine. h.p. Blossoms early in the spring. 65. **Single.** All colors. 5c. 66. **Double.** All colors. 5c.
- 68. **ASPERULA.** h.a. For button-hole bouquets nothing will be oftener in request. **Fine mixed, blue. 3c.**
- ASTERS** h.a. Very beautiful and popular plants. 50. **Dwarf Bouquet.** A magnificent variety. 5c. 51. **German Quilled.** Of all colors. Very popular. 10c. 52. **New Dwarf.** 5c. 53. **Paeony Perfection.** Flowers profusely. Very large size and perfectly double. **Finest mixed, 10c.** 54. **Chrysanthemum Flowered.** Flowers resemble chrysanthemums. **All colors mixed, 10c.**
- 70. **BALLOON VINE.** h.h.a. A rapid, handsome climber. 4c.
- BALSAMS** h.a. Very popular plants; produce most lovely and striking flowers in rich profusion. Easily cultivated.
- 80. **Extra Double Rose Flowered.** Profusely covered with large double flowers of brilliant colors throughout the summer and autumn. **Mixed, 10c.** 81. **The King.** Brilliant scarlet. Very double. 10c. 82. **Camellia Flowered.** Very double and beautiful colors. **Mixed, 10c.** 83. **Double Solferino.** Beautiful, white ground, with lilac and scarlet. 10c.
- 75. **BATONIA, Aurea.** h.a. Flowers, with downy thistle-like foliage, exceedingly brilliant. 5c.
- BEGONIAS** t.p. As bedding plants there is nothing to equal the Tuberous Rooted Begonia. They bloom equal to the geranium, but with a form and variety of colors and shading equal to the rose. 95. **Tuberous-Rooted, Single.** 12c. 96. **Tuberous-rooted, Double.** 15c. 97. **Rex Begonia, Mixed.** Beautiful varieties, with variegated foliage. 12c.
- 105. **BROWALLIA**—Rozelia. h.h.a. Valuable for blooming during the winter in the house, as well as bedding out during summer. 5c.
- 110. **CACALIA.** (Tassel Flower.) h.a. Small, pretty plants with tassel-like flowers.
- CALCEOLARIA.** t.p. Unsurpassed for pot culture in the greenhouse or conservatory. 120. **Grandiflora.** From the most beautifully marked varieties. 15c.
- 123. **CALENDULA.** (Marigold). h.a. "El Eldorado." Flowers very large. 6c. 124. **French Dwarf.** 3c. 125. **African Dwarf.** 4c.





# EVERITT'S CHOICE FLOWER SEEDS



130. **CALIOPSIS—Golden Wave.** h.a. For a mass of bright color, this is probably the most effective of all annuals. **3c.**
- CAMPANULA.** (Canterbury Bells). h.b. Beautiful well-known plants. 136. **Single Mixed.** **4c.** 137. **Double Mixed.** All the finest double varieties. **4c.**
134. **CANARY BIRD FLOWER.** t.a. A beautiful climber, will run 20 ft. and blossom from July until frost comes. **8c.**
- CANDYTUFT.** h.a. A treasure for bouquets. 145. **New Carmine.** Distinct and beautiful. **5c.** 146. **White Rocket.** Fine for florists. **4c.** 147. **Crimson.** Very beautiful. **3c.** 149. All the above mixed. **3c.**
151. **CANNA.** t.p. Fine foliage plants of a highly decorative character. **Fine Mixed, 4c.**
- CARNATION.** h.h.p. A magnificent class of popular favorites, colors extremely rich and beautiful. 171. **Finest German Double Mixed.** **6c.** 172. **Marguerite.** New. Will bloom in 4 months from sowing the seed. **6c.**
173. **CASTOR BEAN.** (Ricinus). h.h.p. Attain gigantic proportions of 8 to 15 ft. **Mixed, 5c.**
175. **CATCHFLY.** h.a. Easy growing, free flowering plant. **3c.**
178. **CELOSIA.** (Cockscomb). h.h.a. One of the most satisfactory plants for garden decoration. **Mixed, Fine, 6c.**
180. **CENTAUREA—Candidissima.** h.h.p. Fine ornamental plant of great beauty. **10c.**
190. **CHRYSANTHEMUM.** h.a. 190. **Eclipse.** Pure golden, with a bright purplish-scarlet ring. **10c.** 191. **Fine Mixed.** **5c.**
195. **CINERARIA.** (Cape Asters). t.p. The flowers and the foliage are both handsome and may be had in bloom nearly all the year. 195. **Hybrida.** Finest, mixed. **10c.** 197. **Maritima.** **10c.**
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262. **ESCHSCHOLTZIA.** (California Poppy). h.a. A genus of the Poppy family. **Fine Mixed, 3c.**
264. **EUPHORBIA VARIEGATA.** h.a. Foliage beautiful. Very showy. Known as "Snow on the Mountain." **5c.**
266. **EUTOCA.** h.a. Foliage dull green; leaves hairy; blossoms intense blue striped, three-quarters of an inch across. A branch placed in water will bloom many days. **Mixed, 5c.**
268. **FORGET-ME-NOT.** *Myosotis alpestris.* h.p. Flowers large. **4c.**
270. **FOUR O'CLOCK.** (Marvel of Peru). p. Few plants combine greater beauty of flowers and foliage. **Mixed, 4c.**
272. **FOXGLOVE.** (Digitalis). h.b. Ornamental plants, producing dense spikes of flowers on stems 3 to 5 ft. high. **Mixed, 3c.**
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281. **GILIA.** (Tri-color). Blooms in any situation. **Choice mixed, 1c.**
287. **GLAUCIUM.** (Corniculatum). Very showy plants, with attractive flowers. **10c.**

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**GLOBE AMARANTH.** (*Gomphrena*). t.a. A desirable everlasting. Globular heads of flowers, which, if cut, when well matured, will retain their beauty for years. 290. Purple, 3c. 291. White, 3c. 292. Flesh colored, 3c. 293. Orange, 3c. 294. Striped, 5c. 295. Mixed, 5c.

300. **GLOXINA**—(*Hybrida Grandiflora*). t.p. Bulbous rooted plant, producing large bell-shaped flowers. Mixed, 15c.

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385. **GYPSOPHILA**—*Elegans*. h.p. Delicate free flowering little plants, well adapted for hanging baskets and edging, and valuable for bouquets. 1c.

**HELIOTROPE.** h.h.a. Its exquisite fragrance attracts all, and its freeness to grow and bloom places it foremost with our choicest flowers. 340. **Fine Mixed**, sweetest scented. 4c.

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**HOLLYHOCK.** h.p. The Hollyhock in its present state of perfection is very unlike its parent of olden time; it now ranks with the Dahlia, Aster, Camellia, etc. The flowers are double as a rose, of many shades of color, from deep yellow, red, purple to pure white. 351. **Double White.** Pure white and perfectly double. 6c. 352. **Double Yellow.** Comprising the finest shades of yellow. 6c. 353. **Double Crinon.** 6c. 354. **Double Salmon.** 6c. 355. **Double Mixed**, extra choice. 5c.

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**IPOMEA** h.h.a. The brilliant and varied hues are marvelously beautiful, and their fine foliage and graceful forms render them indispensable adornments. 370. **Bona Nox.** (Evening Glory, or Good Night). Very large, white fragrant flowers. 10 ft., 5c. 371. **Coccinea.** (Star Ipomea). Handsome little scarlet flowers. 10 ft., 5c. 373. **Noctiflora.** (White Seeded Moon flower). 5c. **Quamoclit.** (See Cypress Vine).

380. **KALFUSSIA.** h.a. A neat, free flowing plant of dwarf habits and compact growth. Succeeds well in good garden soil. Mixed, 5c.

385. **LANTANA.** h.p. Splendid bedding plant, also beautiful in pots. Finest mixed, 4c.

**LARKSPUR.** (*Delphinium*), h.a. 390. **Giant Larkspur.** Beautiful long spikes of brilliant dark blue and red double flowers. Very lovely. 10c. 391. **Finest varieties, mixed**, 5c.

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480. **LOVE-IN-A-MIST.** (*Nigella*). h.a. Finely cut leaves and curious, showy, blue flowers. 3c.

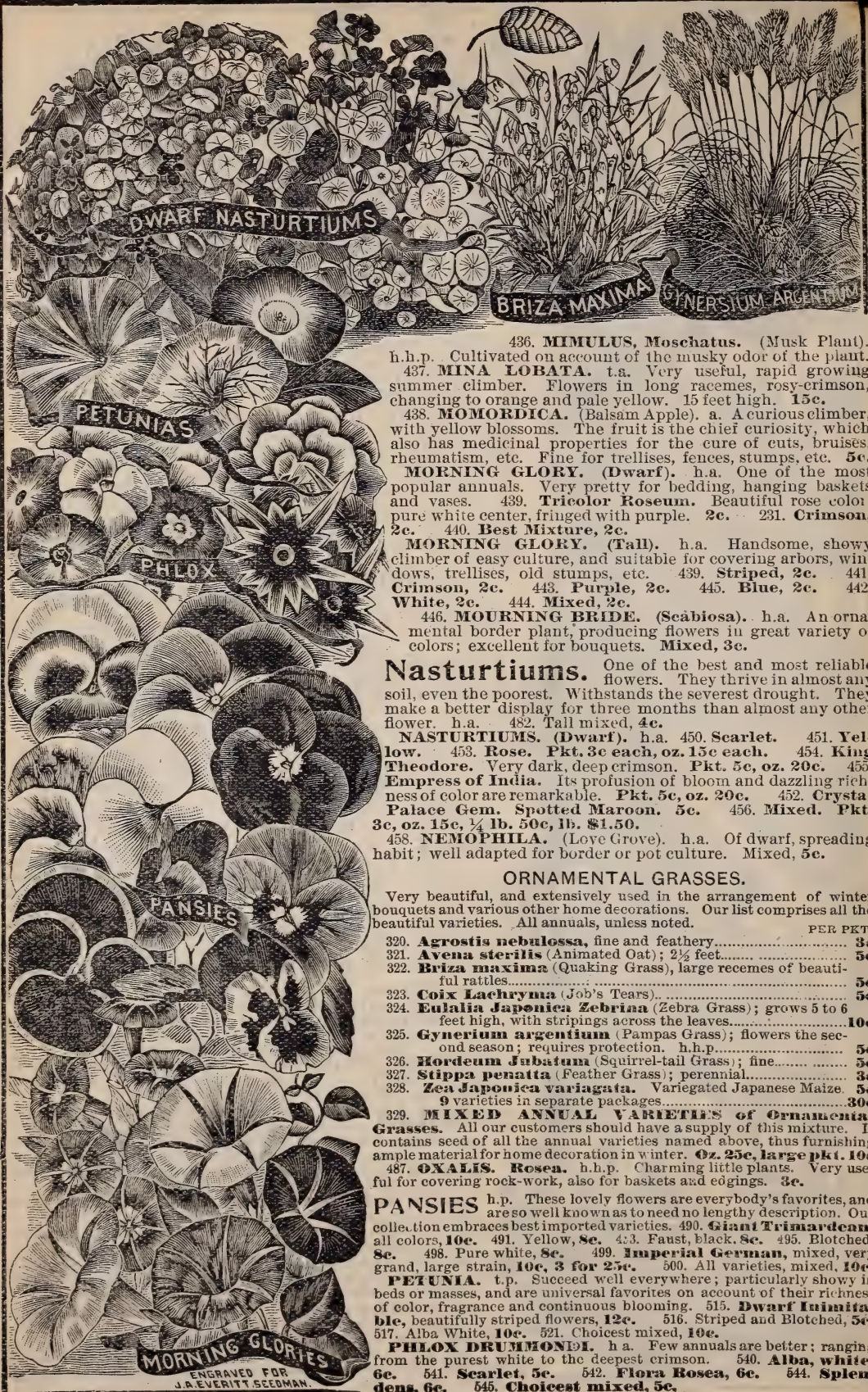
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BRIZA MAXIMA

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436. **MIMULUS**, *Moschatus*. (Musk Plant). h.h.p. Cultivated on account of the musky odor of the growing summer climber. Flowers in long racemes, rosy-crimson, changing to orange and pale yellow. 15 feet high. 15c.  
 437. **MINA LOBATA**. t.a. Very useful, rapid growing climber. Flowers in long racemes, rosy-crimson, changing to orange and pale yellow. 15 feet high. 15c.  
 438. **MOMORDICA**. (Balsam Apple). a. A curious climber, with yellow blossoms. The fruit is the chief curiosity, which also has medicinal properties for the cure of cuts, bruises, rheumatism, etc. Fine for trellises, fences, stumps, etc. 5c.  
 439. **MORNING GLORY**, (Dwarf). h.a. One of the most popular annuals. Very pretty for bedding, hanging baskets and vases. 439. **Tricolor Roseum**. Beautiful rose color, pure white center, fringed with purple. 2c. 231. **Crimson**, 2c.  
 440. **Best Mixture**, 2c.  
 441. **MORNING GLORY**, (Tall). h.a. Handsome, showy climber of easy culture, and suitable for covering arbors, windows, trellises, old stumps, etc. 439. **Striped**, 2c. 441. **Crimson**, 2c. 443. **Purple**, 2c. 445. **Blue**, 2c. 442. **White**, 2c. 444. **Mixed**, 2c.  
 446. **MOURNING BRIDE**. (*Scabiosa*). h.a. An ornamental border plant, producing flowers in great variety of colors; excellent for bouquets. **Mixed**, 3c.

**Nasturtiums.** One of the best and most reliable flowers. They thrive in almost any soil, even the poorest. Withstands the severest drought. They make a better display for three months than almost any other flower. h.a. 482. **Tall mixed**, 4c.

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 458. **NEMOPHILA**. (Love Grove). h.a. Of dwarf, spreading habit; well adapted for border or pot culture. **Mixed**, 5c.

**ORNAMENTAL GRASSES.**

Very beautiful, and extensively used in the arrangement of winter bouquets and various other home decorations. Our list comprises all the beautiful varieties. All annuals, unless noted.

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| 322. <b>Briza maxima</b> (Quaking Grass), large racemes of beautiful rattles.....                                 | 5c          |
| 323. <b>Coix Lachryma</b> (Job's Tears).....  | 5c          |
| 324. <b>Eulalia Japonica Zebrina</b> (Zebra Grass); grows 5 to 6 feet high, with stripings across the leaves..... | 10c         |
| 325. <b>Gynerium argenteum</b> (Pampas Grass); flowers the second season; requires protection. h.h.p.....         | 5c          |
| 326. <b>Hordeum jubatum</b> (Squirrel-tail Grass); fine.....  | 5c          |
| 327. <b>Stippa pennata</b> (Feather Grass); perennial.....  | 3c          |
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329. **MIXED ANNUAL VARIETIES of Ornamental Grasses.** All our customers should have a supply of this mixture. It contains seed of all the annual varieties named above, thus furnishing ample material for home decoration in winter. **Oz. 25c, large pkt. 10c**  
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**PETUNIA**. t.p. Succeed well everywhere; particularly showy in beds or masses, and are universal favorites on account of their richness of color, fragrance and continuous blooming. 515. **Dwarf Inimitable**, beautifully striped flowers, 12c. 516. **Striped and Blotched**, 5c. 517. **Alba White**, 10c. 521. **Choicest mixed**, 10c.

**PHLOX DRUMMONDI** h.a. Few annuals are better; ranging from the purest white to the deepest crimson. 540. **Alba**, white, 6c. 541. **Scarlet**, 5c. 542. **Flora Rosea**, 6c. 544. **Splendens**, 6c. 545. **Choicest mixed**, 5c.





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 562. *Imperialis*, very bright, mixed, 5c.  
 575. **POPPY**. h.a. *The Shirley*, mixed, numberless shades of colors. 5c.  
 577. *Snow Drift*, 8c.  
 579. *Carnation*, mixed, 5c.  
 580. **Finest Hybrid**, mixed, 5c.

**PORTULACA**. h.a. A most brilliant and profuse bloomer, perfectly refulgent in bright colors under a drought and on soil where most flowers would perish.  
 595. *Double*, white, 6c. 596. *Orange*, 4c.  
 597. *Red*, 5c. 598. *Mixed*, 5c.

**PRIMULA SINENSIS** (*Chinese primrose*).  
 605. *Fimbriata*, *Scarlet*, 12c.  
 606. " *Rose*, 12c.  
 607. " *White*, 15.  
 608. " *Choicest mixed*, 10c,  
 610. **PYRETHRUM ROSEUM**. h.p. From the dried and powdered flowers of this is made the famous insecticide, *Persian Insect Powder*. 10c.

612. **ROCKET**. (*Hesperis*). h.p. The sweet rocket produces clusters of flowers which are very fragrant during the evening. 5c.

626. **SALPIGLOSSIS—Grandiflora**. h.h.a. Highly ornamental autumn blooming plants. Finest mixed. 4c.  
 630. **SALVIA** (*Scarlet Sage*). h.a. A beautiful bedding plant, loaded with brilliant flowers. 4c.

635. **SENSITIVE PLANT**. (*Mimosa pudica*). Very curious. Pink flowers. Leaves droop on being touched. 5c.

**STOCKS**. h.h.a. Brilliant and varied in color; adapted for massing, bedding, edging or pot culture. Profuse bloomers.  
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 651. *Crimson*, 6c. 653. *Blue*, 6c. 654. *Mixed*, 5c.

660. **SUNFLOWER** (*Helianthus*) *Miniature*. h.a. The smallest and the most beautiful of all Sunflowers, growing 2 ft. high. 3c, oz. 10c.

661. *Mammoth*. Very large size. 5c.  
**SWEET PEAS**. See novelties and specialties.  
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 704. *New Mammoth Seedling*. This distinct class of Verbenas produce flowers of great size. 6c.

710. **VINCA**. *Periwinkle Rose*. Ornamental free flowering plant, with glossy green foliage and handsome flowers. 10c.

**ZINNIA**. h.a. Fine, large flowers, of a great variety of colors. Double as a Dahlia; bloom from July till frost.  
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 723. *Violet*, 3c. 724. *Orange*, 3c. 725. *White*. 3c.  
 726. *Choice Mixed*, all colors, 3c.

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**VETCHES—VICIA VILLOSA—The Hairy Vetch.** This is the most valuable of all the Vetches. It succeeds on all soils and does not suffer from extremes of drought, heat or cold. Sown in spring it quickly produces a most luxuriant crop. Sown in August or September it covers the ground with a dense mat of foliage, which affords pasture all winter when not covered with snow, and early pasture in the spring or a grand crop to turn under. They can be fed green, made into hay or ensilage. Where grass or clover has failed or land is too expensive to grow the ordinary crops of hay, it will pay to grow vetches. Sow 40 to 50 lbs. per acre. Bu. weighs 60 lbs. **By mail, pkt. 10c, pt. 25c, qt. 40c. By frt. or ex., ¼ bu. \$1.25, bu. \$4.50.**

**SOJA BEAN or COFFEE BERRY** The plant grows erect, 4½ ft. high, with numerous branches covered with heavy foliage. The branches and stem are thickly set with clusters of pods, 2 beans in a pod. The growth is very vigorous throughout the season. This seed has been sold under the name German Coffee Berry at extravagant prices. When roasted, ground and used as coffee it resembles the genuine article quite closely. When mixed half with coffee it is claimed by some to make a better drink than pure coffee. Its value to farmers is the ground beans, which make a very rich feed for milch cattle and also good for other stock; also valuable as a fertilizer. Sow ½ bu. per acre broadcast or in drills 3 ft. apart; 12 in. between plants. **By mail, pkt. 10c, pt. 20c, qt. 35c. By freight or express, ¼ bu. 85c, bu. \$3.00.**

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**LUCERNE OR ALFALFA CLOVER**—Lucerne should be sown on sandy, open or porous soil. The great value of Lucerne is in its enormous yield of sweet and nutritious forage, which is highly relished by stock, either when green or cured into hay. It will grow and yield abundantly in hot, dry sections, and on poor, light and sandy land, where no other grasses can be grown. Sow about 15 lbs. per acre in March or April. It can be cut three times in a season and will produce magnificent crops for 10 to 15 years without renewing. 60 lbs. per bu. Pkt. 5c, lb. 30c, 4 lbs. \$1.00, bu. \$1.00.

**CRIMSON OR SCARLET CLOVER**, *Trifolium Incarnatum*. As an improver of the soil, or for an early summer forage or hay crop, it is very valuable. As a green manuring crop for grain, fruit or trucking it gives the very best results, while for improving poor land it has no equal. It succeeds on nearly every kind of soil, standing Southern suns and Northern winters, and is now grown largely in a number of States, and has succeeded in every State in the Union where tried. Sow 10 to 15 lbs. to the acre. Can be sown any month in the year. Send 5c for colored plate and complete treatise on Crimson Clover. Tells all about it. Best American grown seed, Pkt. 5c, lb. 30c, 4 lbs. \$1.00, bus. of 60 lbs. \$5.00. Imported seed, bu. \$4.

**BROOM CORN IMPROVED EVERGREEN**. For length, strength and straightness of brush. It is of a very bright green color, without the slightest reddish tinge. It makes by far the best brooms of any grown; height, 7 to 8 feet. Pkt. 5c, lb. 30c by mail. Peck 30c, bu. \$1.50—Bags free.

**SUGAR CANE Earl Amber**—The most valuable variety for general cultivation, ripening as far north as Minnesota; also yields heavy crops of seed and fodder, which are excellent for feeding poultry, swine, or cattle.

Pkt. 5c, lb. 25c, 4 lbs. 75c, by mail.

By freight or express, peck 40c, bu. \$1.25. Bags free.

**Early Orange**—A later variety, suitable for the South or lower Middle and Western States; requires a longer season to ripen; much larger and ranker in growth. Price the same as Early Amber.

**BUCKWHEAT Japanese**—It is conceded by all who have grown it that it yields twice as much as any other variety. Its grains twice as large. Is earlier and equals the best for flour. Our experimenter has been so satisfactory that we can and are stately advise every person who contemplates raising Buckwheat to procure this variety to sow. Pkt. 5c, lb. 25c, 4 lbs. 75c. By freight or express, ¼ bu. 30c, bu. \$1.25, 5 bus. or more, \$1.15 per bushel. Bags free.

**Silver Hail**—The next best variety. Price the same as Japanese.

# GRASS SEED.

Price Liable to Vary

Bags, extra for each 2½ bushels or less, 15c each.

4 lbs. or less are prepaid by mail. Larger quantities by freight or express, at expense of purchaser.

**GRASS IS KING** Our most successful farmers are those who possess large meadows of a high quality of grasses. The low price of grain falls to net satisfactory returns. Stock growing is far more profitable, and by the opening up of extensive foreign markets is not likely soon to be overdone. Hence, seed more ground to meadows. Raise more stock.

**TIMOTHY**—The most popular grass for hay. So well known as to not need description. 45 lbs to bu. Sow 6 to 8 quarts, spring or fall, to acre. Pkt. 5c. lb. 30c, 4 lbs. \$1.00. By freight or express, bu. \$1.90.

**KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS**—It is the best pasture for our climate and soil, succeeding finely on hill lands and producing the most nourishing food for cattle; retains its qualities to a late period in winter, and further South affording abundant food throughout the winter. Sow in the spring or fall, 1 to 2 bus. per acre. 14 lbs. per bu. Pkt. 5c, lb. 30c, 4 lbs. \$1.00. Extra cleaned, bu. 85c, fancy, \$1.25.

**ORCHARD GRASS**—One of the most valuable and widely known of all pasture grasses, coming earlier in the spring and remaining later in the autumn than any other, producing an immense quantity of leaves and foliage. It is well adapted for sowing under trees in orchards. 14 lbs. per bu. Sow 1½ to 2 bu. per acre, either fall or spring. Pkt. 5c, lb. 30c, 4 lbs. \$1.00, bu. \$1.50.

**RED TOP**—A valuable grass for moist soils and low lands. It is a good permanent grass, standing our climate well. 14 lbs. to bu. Sow 2 bus. to acre, fall or spring. Pkt. 5c, lb. 30c, 4 lbs. \$1.00, bu. \$1.25. Choice grade, bu. \$2.25.

## QUICK GROWING LAWN GRASS.

Fine lawns, grass patches or grass borders add to the beauty of a place almost or quite as much as flowers. In fact a certain amount of fine grass is essential to the proper display of flower beds and borders. The next important thing to good grass sward is to get it quickly. We have prepared a good grass mixture which will give a good sward the first year. It is the finest and quickest growing lawn grass ever sent out, and will give the greatest satisfaction. Sown early in the fall or spring. 14 lbs. per bu. peck \$1.25, post paid. By express, peck, 75c, bu. \$2.00.

**MILLET German or Golden**—The best variety and largely grown wherever its value is known. It helps out wonderfully when a short crop of hay is threatened, and produce two to three times as much per acre as timothy or clover. Three to five feet high. Sow broadcast, 1 bushel to the acre for hay; ½ bushel if for seed, from May 1st to August 1st. Pkt. 5c, lb. 25c, 4 lbs. 75c. By freight or express, ¼ bu. 25c, bu. \$1.00.

**Hungarian Millet**—Early; height two to three feet; abundant foliage and slender head; withstands drought; yields well. Price same as German Millet.

**FLAX SEED** For sowing. By mail, lb. 30c, 4 lbs. \$1.00. By freight or express, 7c per lb.



German or Golden Millet.





# EVERITT'S GREAT IMPROVEMENTS IN FARM SEEDS

MAKE FARMING PAY.

SUFFICIENT attention is not given to farm seeds by the majority of farmers, and by most seedsmen this department is made of secondary importance. This is not as it should be. These are the crops in which the farmer is most interested. **They are money crops.** Success or failure depends on them, hence how important that those varieties be selected that are the most reliable and give the greatest results. As an observing man passes through a farming community, those farmers can be pointed out who are enterprising, wide-awake and progressive. The surroundings are a fair index of the farmer. **The experimenting farmer** is the most prosperous of all. He recognizes that varieties of grain and vegetables are running out (*dying*) and that new ones must take their place. He procures seed of all the promising kinds, tests them and selects the best to grow. Thus he **always has the best**, and all farmers who understand their business know that there is a great difference between the best and the poorest varieties of farm crops. We can help farmers along the road to prosperity if they procure their farm seeds of us. They will **LIFT THE MORTGAGE** and swell the bank account.



## EVERITT'S MORTGAGE-LIFTER CORN.

Reliability is stamped upon every feature of this corn. It is a corn that has not failed to produce a paying crop in the worst corn year we have seen in Indiana in the past six years, and in favorable seasons yields **80 to 120 bushels per acre of the finest yellow corn that ever grew inside of corn husks.** We know this corn will please. We will guarantee a rich harvest of the most superior corn that grows, if Mortgage-Lifter is planted. It is early and will mature in northern Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, etc. The grain is very deep, compact, and heavy, ears medium to large size; small cob. 70 lbs. of dry corn on the ear, as our seed ears averaged, shelled 62 lbs. of corn, leaving only 8 lbs. of cob. We want every corn grower to plant some of the Mortgage-Lifter Corn. If you plant a field of it your profit will be big. If you don't plant much, plant a small lot, a peck, or pound, or ear. We are anxious to have every person who raises corn made acquainted with its merits without delay. We know it will do them good, and thus secure to us a friend and customer for *O.K. Seeds.*

The Mortgage-Lifter Corn we introduced first in 1893. Our sales have been large and results beyond the reasonable expectation of parties planting it. In many cases this was the only variety of corn that made a reasonable yield in the late dry seasons we have had. We regret exceedingly that we have not space to print many of the reports received. Below are samples:

Mortgage-Lifter Corn 1 planted May 2d. The season was very dry, but my corn did not mind it and turned out 140 bushels per acre of as nice corn as I ever saw.

H. E. STONE, Oakland Co., Mich.

Notwithstanding the extremely dry season in 1894, my Mortgage-Lifter Corn made 80 bu. per acre. It is truly a mortgage lifter and can be depended upon in seasons when money is lacking for such purposes.

J. E. ISENHOWER, Marion Co., Ind.

Have grown your Mortgage-Lifter corn 3 years. Yield the poorest season, 93 bu. per acre; this year, '95, the best, yield, 124 bu. per acre. Mortgages can't stay on farms where it is grown.

C. M. OLAF, Jersey Co., Ill.

I like the Mortgage-Lifter Corn because it is reliable and pays to grow it.

GEO. WESTLAKE, Carroll Co., Iowa.

Have never missed a crop since I grew Mortgage-Lifter Corn. Have never had a finer feeding corn.

J. V. DOOLEY, Porter Co., Ind.

If you ever get a better Corn than Mortgage-Lifter, I want to know it.

C. M. SMITH, Madison Co., Ill.

Your seeds are all good, but your corn has pleased me to perfection. Will never farm without seed corn from your house.

C. L. WINTERS, Champaign Co., O.

When I bought this farm I owed for half the cost. To-day every dollar is paid, thanks to good crops from **O.K. SEEDS** and particularly from the Mortgage-Lifter Corn, which has never failed.

WM. HOLMAN,  
Marion Co., Kas.



Price, by mail, 1 large sample ear, 30c, lb. 25c, 4 lbs. 75c. By freight or express, ¼ bu. 50c, bu. \$1.50, 1 bag (2½ bu.) \$3.00, 5 bu. or more at \$1.00 per bu. Except sample ears, price is for shelled corn.



EVERITT'S

PROLIFIC WHITE CAP YELLOW DENT

# CORN

This new, distinct Prolific Corn should be welcomed by all farmers. As a variety to grow on thin ground and make a crop in bad seasons it has no equal. A rough and ready sort. Prolific White Cap Yellow Dent is suitable for all climates and soils, and yet grows large ears and matures early. The ear grows as large as the Leaming corn and is from 7 to 10 days earlier, and on poor, thin soil will yield thirty per cent. more corn. It will out-yield and out-shell the Leaming.

### It is as natural a yielder as weeds.

Grows strong, rank and quick, and will produce more corn on poor, thin soils than any kind now in cultivation. After growing different varieties of merit, S. H. Todd, of Ohio, the largest breeder of Chester White hogs in the world, says: "White Cap Yellow Dent beats them all. It is sure to yield me a crop of good, sound corn. It makes more bone and strength than any other corn, and I will grow no other sort."

### One hundred farmers in Huron County,

Expert corn growers, will confirm all that can be said about this corn. Grown with over sixty varieties, it out-yielded all other kinds, and withstood the drought much better. This corn will be appreciated by those living in drought sections and by those farmers who have poor, thin soil, while on strong, rich soil it has no superior.

The tip ends of the grains are white, the inside yellow, making a beautiful color,

### YIELDS OVER 100 BUS. PER ACRE WITH HALF A CHANCE.

2, 3, 4 and 5 ears to the stalk are common and this accounts for its great productiveness.

Large growers in the great corn belt, as well as those out of it, will be pleased with this corn because 1st, It is as natural a yielder as weeds.—2d, It yields large crops on poor, thin soil.—3d, The ears are large, handsome and well filled.—4th, It is sure to mature in from 90 to 95 days.—5th, It husks easy and shells easy.—6th, It commands the highest market price.—7th, It will grow more bushels on poor thin land than any other kind in the world.—8th, It stands the drought better than 60 other varieties grown in the same county.—9th, It has a large number of rows on the cob, making it a great yielder.—10th, It will out shell and out-yield the Leaming corn.—11, It grows its fodder strong, rank and quick, from 7 to 8 feet high.—12, It is sure to please all who give it a trial.

**Price.** This corn is new. It is worth \$10.00 a bushel to any farmer for seed, but we are selling seed corn very cheaply this year and now is the time to change your seed. Sample ear 30c, 1b. 25c, 4 lbs. 75c, by mail 1/4 bu. 50c, 1 bu. \$1.75, 2 1/2 bus. \$4.00, 5 bus. or more \$1.25 per bu.





STILL IN THE FRONT RANK

# The Wonderful Early Mastodon YELLOW DENT CORN.

Thousands of Bushels in Stock. Notice the Low Price. You can not Save Your Own Seed for this Money. What's the Use of Bothing? Get New Seed. New Blood. Bigger Crops.

ALL who have tested the Early Mastodon Corn pronounce it the most valuable Yellow Dent Corn, of strongest growth, longest grain, largest ears, smallest cob, quickest to ear, finest fodder, and most productive variety they ever raised. In short, we are fully convinced that if its merits were known by all corn-growers, there would be such a demand for seed that no six counties in the famous corn State of Indiana could grow enough seed to supply the demand. Every corn-grower should get enough to plant a field or more, and thus get a variety of corn that will enormously increase his crop, and correspondingly increase his profits. Many bushels of Mastodon Corn can be sold in every neighborhood for seed at a large price, until all are supplied. We never before had such uniformly favorable reports for anything we sold. The growers can not praise this corn, the greatest novelty of the age in the corn line, sufficiently. Read a few reports. We have hundreds more:

"I am well pleased with the Early Mastodon Corn. It was cut down by the frost the 24th of May, but came on strong, and yielded 75 bus. shelled corn per acre.

"The Mastodon Corn is a marvel of the age. It is the finest corn I ever saw. I can not use words to praise it enough. It is the largest, earliest, and best of all large field corns, and the earliest I ever saw. It is all gold of color. My neighbors want it. I will give you a few words from men of experience who have been at my farm and seen the corn.

E. W. HARRIS, Custer Co., Neb."

"J. L. H. KNIGHT says: 'It snows under the Mammoth Cuban, Riley's Favorite, Chester County Mammoth, Leaming, and all the other corn I ever saw. Save me 8 bushels for seed.'

"A. H. CROPSEY, an extensive stock-grower, says: 'The Mastodon is a marvel. It is surely perfection. Save me 10 bu. for seed.'

"F. D. MILLS says: 'Wonderful. My neighbors will never cease. Mastodon takes the cake. I want 6 bu. for seed.'

"W. H. CRAMER, Sup't Agriculture, at State Fair, says: 'The Mastodon Corn was the first thing that caught the eyes of the farmers. It waited off with the prize. I want 19 bu. for seed.'

"I have grown nearly all of the improved high-bred corn, and find Early Mastodon the most wonderful of all, and the handsomest. It grows quick, strong and powerful, has broad, heavy leaves, and large 20 to 36-row ears; and generally 9 to 11 inches long, grains longer than any other variety. Many stalks bear 3 to 5 large ears. Some ears weigh 2 lbs. each, and contain 100 grains. The yield was 191 bushels of dry shelled corn to an acre.

ALFRED ROSE, Yates Co., N. Y."

"FRANK BERGER says: 'Send me 9 bu. of that Mastodon Corn. It just caps the Wellmax.'

"WM. MURRAY says: 'Save me 8 bu. of that seed. It's the finest corn I ever saw.'

"I could send you dozens of such testimonials, but think the above enough. Yours, E. E. HARRIS, Custer Co., Neb."

"I am selling seed of your Mastodon Corn at \$3.00 per bu. It is the strongest grower I ever saw. Ears quick; wonderful yielder; fine fodder; perfect corn; ears 11 inches long. E. A. WOODARD, Rock Co., Wis."

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ALFRED ROSE, Yates Co., N. Y."

WHY

refuse to change your Seed Corn? For 30c. or less per acre, including freight, you can plant our improved varieties. We make a business of improving Corn. If you already have as good, you see the seed companies. We can handle it of business every year where our improved varieties increase the crop 10 to 20 percent in the same acre.

Has Yielded  
**191**  
Bushels of Shelled Corn ON ONE ACRE.



## PRICE.

When the time and labor of selecting and preparing seed corn and the expense of advertising are considered, our price is very reasonable. Yet, with this corn, price should be no object, as you had better pay \$30 a bushel for seed of the Mastodon than plant ordinary kinds at market price. Here is a chance to make farming pay!

By mail, post paid, 2 large sample ears 25c; 2 lbs. 50c; 4 lbs. 75c. By freight or express, 1/2 bu. 50c. 1 bu. \$1.00, 1 bag (2 1/2 bu.) \$2.00, 5 bu. or more at \$1.00 per bu.



# First Premium White Dent CORN

• • ALWAYS A PREMIUM • •

Our artist has tried to faithfully portray the beauty of this grand variety and to a great extent has succeeded. The large ear is a fair representation of an ear 11 inches long reduced in size. The inches as platted are  $\frac{3}{4}$  of actual length, hence the ear is only  $\frac{3}{4}$  of actual length. The hill of corn will show style of growth, and with the picture of Mr. Trout, the originator, who is a good sized man, to serve as a basis for comparison, a very clear idea can be had of this corn as it grows in the field. Mr. Trout is the champion corn-grower of his county, and has been regularly excelling all his wide-awake neighbors in his corn product. We name it First Premium because of the fact that it has been awarded highest honors wherever exhibited. It is a pure ivory white corn on a white cob. Ears grow longer and not so thick as our Forsyth Favorite and grains do not average quite so long. The grains are of fine texture, smooth, compact, sound and heavy. Its purity in color adapts it for making White Meal and other corn products. Matures in 100 to 110 days, is finely adapted to all sections south of a line 75 miles north of Indianapolis, and will give all growers great satisfaction in quality and productiveness. This corn has taken the country by storm. We sell enormous quantities of it as regularly as the season comes around. Below are only a few reports, samples of hundreds received.

"I recommend F. P. W. D. Corn to all farmers as one of the best varieties of white corn in this state. S. N. CLEMENS, Grant Co., Ind."

"In the lead of all white corn in my county.  
MOUNT BRANIGAN, Vigo Co., Ind."

"I cheerfully recommend F. P. W. D. Corn to any farmer in Indiana or any other state as one of the most productive varieties that can be grown in this country.

SCOTT CUREY, Logan Co., O."

"F. P. W. D. Corn has taken our section by storm. My crop is the talk of the neighborhood.

S. B. OTT, Prince George Co., Md."

"Having seen a crop of F. P. W. D. Corn grown from one ear, I write you early to save me 4 bu. for seed and quote your price. I never saw such corn before.

ALFRED RIDGLY, Miller Co., Mo."

"My F. P. W. D. Corn yielded at the rate of 208 bu. per acre. Don't suppose I could have grown a whole acre at that rate, but it is enormous—the greatest on earth, I am sure.

E. T. OSGOOD, Piatt Co., Ill."

"When visiting my brother in Iowa, I saw them husk your F. P. W. D. Corn, and such corn I never saw before. 3 ears would reach across the wagon bed. It was more like stove wood in size than corn. Their yield must have been more than 100 bu. per acre. Quote me price for next season.

Geo. J. VEELY, Timble Co., Ky."

"I have seen your F. P. W. D. Corn at the State Fair for 3 years past and at a number of County Fairs, and it always was my choice of all. Last spring I obtained some seed and am wonderfully pleased with my success.

C. N. BAGLEY,  
Union Co., O."

When it is considered that  $\frac{1}{4}$  bu. of this pure thoroughbred corn will plant about 2 acres and these 2 acres yield 30 to 100 bushels more than corn that is not usually raised. Our price we ask should not be considered. Try it and be convinced that it is O. E.

REMEMBER, FREIGHT RATES CUT IN HALF FROM INDIANAPOLIS.

Celebrated  
O. K.  
Seed

FIRST  
PREMIUM  
WHITE DENT  
CORN.  
ALWAYS AWARDED  
FIRST PREMIUM  
WHEREVER EXHIBITED

FOR PROGRESSIVE  
FARMERS

## PRICE

By mail, 1 large sample ear that will grow 16 to 20 bu. of corn, 30c; 1 lb. shelled, 25c; 4 lbs. 70c; 4 lb. will plant  $\frac{1}{4}$  acre. By freight or express,  $\frac{1}{4}$  bu. 50c, 1 bu. \$1.50, 1 bag ( $\frac{1}{4}$  bu.) \$3.00. 5 bu. or more at \$1.00 per bu.

**SPECIAL** For \$1.00 we will send by mail 1 ear of each, or 1 lb. shelled of our 5 great varieties. For \$2.00 we will send  $\frac{1}{4}$  bu. of each by fr. or. ex.



ENGRAVED FOR  
J. A. EVERETT



The Deepest Grained and Most Productive White Dent Corn.

# FORSYTH'S FAVORITE.

**T**HIS corn was originated in Johnson Co., Ind., in that section known as the Garden Spot of this great Corn State, and in the few years since its distinct characteristics have been brought out it has made both a local and national reputation. It is conceded to be the largest eared and deepest grained early white corn ever seen in this market. All who see it proclaim it a king in the great corn family.

In describing this corn we must speak of the size of the ears as mammoth, being 8 to 15 inches long, with grains averaging about half inch long, and sometimes contain grains  $\frac{3}{4}$  inch in length. The number of rows on a cob range from 16 to 24; ears containing 1,500 to 2,000 grains are quite common. Grains pure white, cob white and usually hollow at butt end, which allows the ear to dry out quickly, and enables the grower to crib his corn before smaller varieties are fit. We recommend it for this latitude and all points South, and it can be grown 100 miles North by selecting ground that will admit of early planting. The following well-known farmers of Johnson County attest to the grand properties of this corn, and say it can be cribbed ahead of any of their common field corn, and also that it yields enormously: M. V. Kindle, D. M. Forsyth, W. S. Core, J. S. Mountz, J. T. Walker, A. V. Pendleton, Geo. H. Pendleton, Edward Alexander, etc., etc.

As we were writing this page of our catalogue, our grower, Dr. Forsyth, came in with 12 ears of this famous corn weighing 20 pounds. This corn was shown to many people, including the members of the Marion County Horticultural Society, which is in session to-day, and they are unanimous in saying that they never saw such great corn before.

We have sold this corn four seasons, with the most gratifying results. It has become a great favorite. Our crop this year is exceptionally fine, and bound to please the most exacting.

We have space for only a few reports; could fill half this catalogue, if space permitted:

I am very much pleased with the Forsyth Favorite Corn. It is the largest corn I ever grew, and withal, is as early as my smaller eared varieties. It is a great money-making corn.

ABRAHAM DOWNLY, Lancaster Co., Pa.

As is usual with your seeds, I found the Forsyth Favorite Corn sustained the high recommendation you gave it. I am sure my trial plot yielded 150 bushels per acre of the finest corn I ever saw.

DAVID ELDRIDGE, Cuyahogo Co., O.

For the Forsyth Favorite White Dent Corn, I must say, without boasting, that it is by far the finest I ever raised in my farming experience of 12 years, and I have planted nearly every kind I will plant no other in the future.

J. R. BYERS, Ohio Co., Ky.

Forsyth Favorite White Dent is the largest, heaviest and best corn I ever saw. On a test 52 ears weighed  $70\frac{1}{4}$  lbs.; the cob weighed  $11\frac{3}{4}$  lbs.

JOHN WAGGONER, Lincoln Co., Ky.

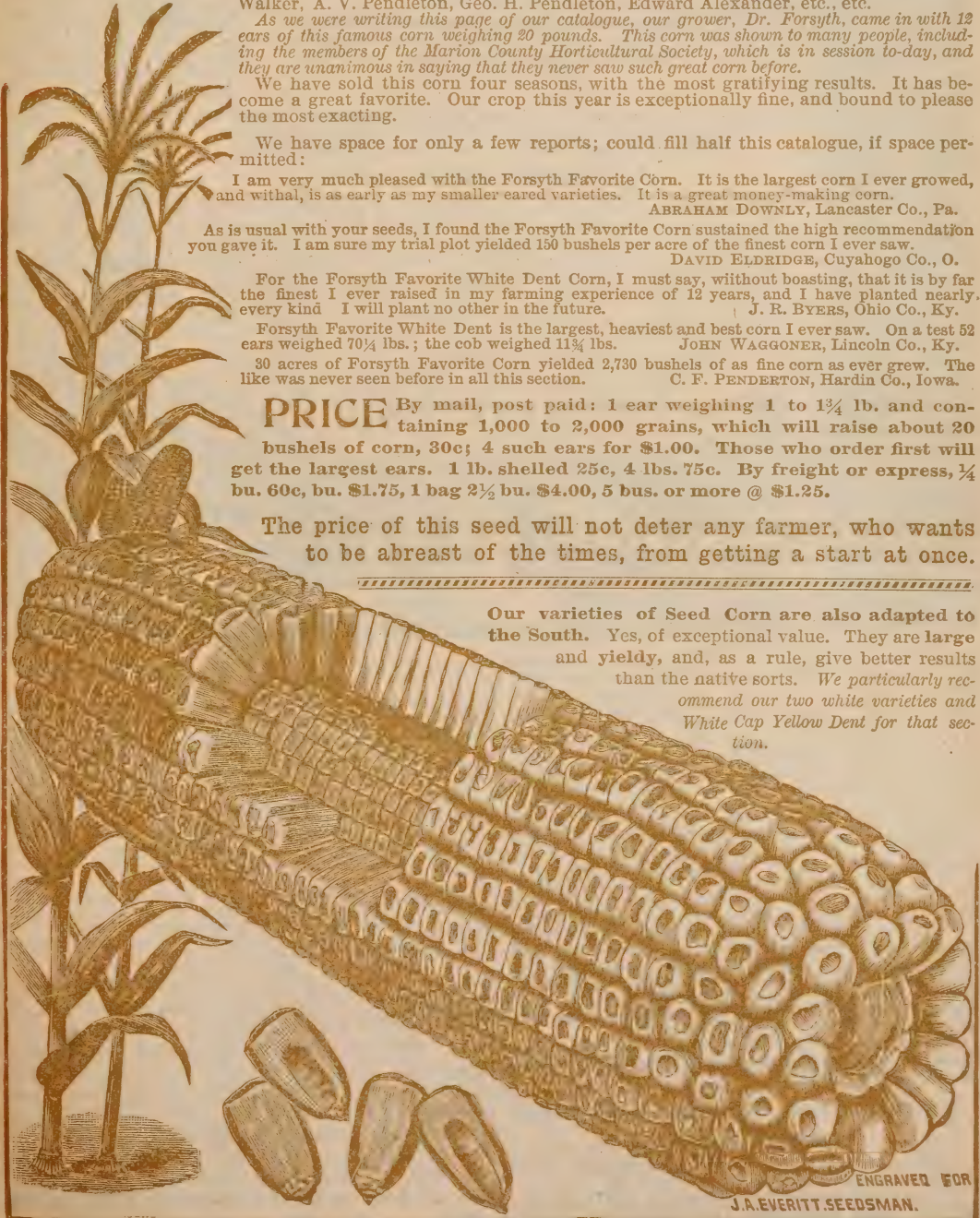
30 acres of Forsyth Favorite Corn yielded 2,730 bushels of as fine corn as ever grew. The like was never seen before in all this section.

C. F. PENDLETON, Hardin Co., Iowa.

**PRICE** By mail, post paid: 1 ear weighing 1 to  $1\frac{3}{4}$  lb. and containing 1,000 to 2,000 grains, which will raise about 20 bushels of corn, 30c; 4 such ears for \$1.00. Those who order first will get the largest ears. 1 lb. shelled 25c, 4 lbs. 75c. By freight or express,  $\frac{1}{4}$  bu. 60c, bu. \$1.75, 1 bag  $2\frac{1}{2}$  bu. \$4.00, 5 bus. or more @ \$1.25.

The price of this seed will not deter any farmer, who wants to be abreast of the times, from getting a start at once.

Our varieties of Seed Corn are also adapted to the South. Yes, of exceptional value. They are large and yieldy, and, as a rule, give better results than the native sorts. We particularly recommend our two white varieties and White Cap Yellow Dent for that section.



ENGRAVED FOR  
J. A. EVERITT SEEDSMAN.



THIS VARIETY OF OATS RIPPENED EARLIEST AMONG 70 VARIETIES TESTED AT THE ILL. EXPERIMENT STATION.

OF KERNEL IN BERRY

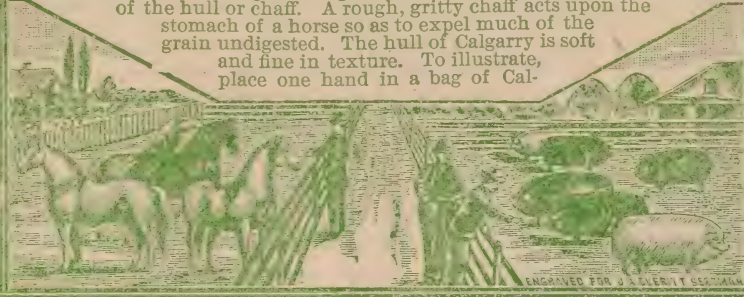
**1 WHITE.**  
**1 GRAY.**  
(See next page.)

These are the most reliable varieties of Oats in the country. The earliest. Rust-Proof. Stands up best. The most productive. The best feeder.

Any farmer can afford to sow his entire crop of these reliable sorts, but if he will not, then don't fail to sow a bushel or bag of each, and raise seed for next year.

**CALGARRY GRAY OATS.**

THIS extremely early, extra heavy, very productive Rust-Proof variety of oats was produced by crossing the Prince Edwards Islands Black and the White Russian; producing a beautiful brownish gray oats; a decided new strain of this important cereal. They are very beautiful in growth and grain. The grain shining like polished metal, or as one of our friends expressed himself, "They are as fine as silk." The type is well fixed and combines all the desirable qualities as weight of grain, earliness, rust-proof, great strength of straw and feeding qualities. Careful feeders of horses know that in feeding whole grain much depends upon the nature of the hull or chaff. A rough, gritty chaff acts upon the stomach of a horse so as to expel much of the grain undigested. The hull of Calgarry is soft and fine in texture. To illustrate, place one hand in a bag of Cal-



ENGRAVED FOR J. A. SHERITT & CO., ILL.

garry Gray and the other in a bag of any other oats. The Calgarry will feel soft and velvety, while the other will feel harsh and woody. Again, grasp a handful tightly, withdraw your hands from the sacks, open them, and the Calgarry will slip from your hand like an eel, while the other will have penetrated the skin of the hand so as to hold many of the oats. All these good qualities, combined with a larger percentage of kernels to berry than any other, makes absolutely the best feeding oats in cultivation. The Calgarry Gray Oats grow very dwarf, even on strong ground; seldom exceeding 3 feet in length, while 2½ feet is about the average length. This is a great point for those farmers who have rich ground. Nothing short of a moderate cyclone will put them down. They ripen the earliest of all. These oats can be put in shock before Welcome Bonanza, White Russian, etc., turn yellow. This quality of itself is sufficient recommendation to place them ahead of any other variety, as by their early maturity they escape the hot sun, dry weather, storms and rust that prevail about the time ordinary oats mature. In the important matter of productiveness they have out-yielded all other sorts where placed in competition in experiments and in ordinary field culture.

The extracts from reports of the Illinois Agricultural Experiment Station, given below, will be very interesting and speak volumes:

**Extracts from Illinois Experiment Station Reports.**

Yield, per acre, Calgarry Gray, 54.5 bushels. Ripe, July 25. Per cent. of kernel in berry, 77.43.  
In the experiments, the above variety led in the particular points mentioned; the number of varieties

tested was 59. The average yield was 39.8. The average per cent. of kernel to berry was 69.57.

I think the Calgarry Gray Oats are superior to any other oats I ever raised. They excel in yield other kinds 10 to 15 bushels per acre. Extra early and my crop weighs 42 pounds per bushel, struck measure. They stand up best and mature plump and heavy under the hottest sun, where other oats are killed.  
S. J. BARRETT, Ford Co., Ill.

The fame of the Calgarry Oats having spread to my neighborhood, I took pains to test them, and I am happy to be able to say that the results have more than equaled the recommendation given them. They mature earlier and excel in productiveness and quality any kind that I have heretofore grown.  
P. TRAVIS, Barry Co., Mich.

I take great pleasure in testifying to the merits of the Calgarry Gray Oats. I find them to be free from rust, of great weight of grain, straw very strong and are a long ways the best feeding oats I have ever known. Extremely early; in fact, the earliest oats I ever grew.

FRANK L. SKINNER, Ford Co., Ill.

**PRICE** What excuse can any farmer have for not sowing some of these oats this season? Look at the price. We never sold choice seed as cheaply before as we do this year. If we don't get a great big trade we will be left, too, as expenses are heavy, even after we cut them down to the last notch. We believe the farmers will rally to the support of O.K. Seeds this year as ever before. By mail, 1 lb. 20c, 4 lbs. 65c. By frt. or ex., ¼ bu. 35c, 1 bu. \$1.00; 2 bu. for 2 acres, \$2.25; more than 3 bus. at 75c each.



Yield over  
100 Bus. per acre

EVERITT'S WHITE  
SUPERIOR SCOTCH OATS.

## EVERITT'S White Superior Scotch Oats.

The Heaviest Variety of Oats Ever Sold in the United States.

Choice Cleaned Crops Weigh 50 lbs. to the Measured Bushel.

Compare this Weight with common oats at 32 pounds, and oftentimes less. Why grow chaff and straw, mainly, when with this variety you can get plump, heavy grain that makes muscle, bone and fat, when fed to your stock? Here's a chance to make farming pay.

**EVERITT'S WHITE SUPERIOR SCOTCH OATS**—Surpasses all others in heavy weight, thin hull, shortness and plumpness of grain, strength of straw and productiveness. In short, they are the most profitable for farmers to grow and merchants to handle. Their productiveness, weight, and fine qualities place them at the head of the list. They ripen evenly and very early, and notwithstanding they bear a very large head, filled completely with the plump grains almost as heavy as wheat, they stand up stiff and straight until fully matured. Their strong straw adapts them to rich bottom ground, where common oats will fall down and waste. One of our growers reports a yield of 151½ bus. per acre, actual weight. These are the oats we offer you, and when you see them you will not be surprised that such enormous yields are possible. Ground that will yield 50 bus. of common oats as usually grown will yield 100 bus. of these.

The following truthful, responsible farmers, who live in the neighborhood where our crops are grown, endorse them as being very early, with stiff straw, extremely heavy and productive, and altogether a profitable variety to grow: Demas Bricker, Louis Fitzenburgh, Chas. H. Coe, Col. I. P. Larimore, J. R. Headington, Ephraim Daily, Samuel Morey, Wm. Matton, Chas. Twining, L. S. Hall, J. G. Case, and E. W. Hawkins. These farmers all live in Knox county, Ohio, and would not misrepresent an article, but add their names and testimony to these fine oats as evidence of their worth, and with the hope that their brother farmers will profit by their observations. They were exhibited at the Hartford (O.) Fair under the name of "Everitt Oats," and received the first premium, and a special recommendation for their fine quality and great weight by the Committee on Farm Grains. Committee-men—Wm. H. Perkins, Geo. N. Jackson, A. K. Sutton.

Want of space forbids us publishing hundreds of testimonials that we have received. Below is a sample:

GEO. W. MYERS, who has threshed grain for thirty years, says: "The White Superior Scotch Oats have a good straw, ripen even and very early. For yield, weight and quality they are superior to any other variety I have found in an experience of thirty years threshing farm grain."

Who would not grow these oats in preference to the light, chaffy kinds, which make up the main crops of the country? **BE PROGRESSIVE.** Get a variety of oats, the like of which you never saw before, which contain so much vigor that they will produce a crop regardless of the season. The price is low enough that you can sow a field or your entire crop. Sow largely of these oats for profit.

**PRICE OF EVERITT'S White Superior Scotch Oats.** Remember these oats weigh nearly double common oats to the measured bushel. We give the standard weight, 32 lbs., for a bushel. By mail, post paid, 1 lb. 20c, 4 lbs. 65c. By freight or express, ¼ bu. 35c, 1 bu. \$1.00, 3 bus. (1 bag), for 2 acres \$2.50, 6 bus. (2 bags), or more, at 75c per bu.

You can well afford to pay our price for these oats for seed, and you cannot buy improved varieties of seed as cheaply of any other seed house. We have never before sold seeds so cheaply. This is the year to change your seed.

**CAUTION** We named and introduced the White Superior Scotch Oats and can furnish the genuine article. Another house claims they furnished the seed of this variety that was given an award at the World's Fair. Ask them for official evidence. Come into our house and see the documents. We furnished the seed and have the award.



# EARLY 6-WEEKS POTATO.

ACROP  
43 DAYS  
FROM  
PLANTING  
RAISED FROM  
40 EYES  
BY  
ONE OF OUR  
CUSTOMERS



**Everitt's Choice Seed POTATOES** Are Famous Wherever Known.  
They are the Leaders.

**Still Unequaled** The Wonderful Six-Weeks Market Potato. Without exception the earliest potato in existence and the most valuable for market gardeners, truckers and all early market purposes. A perfect table potato and a wonderful yielder. **INTRODUCED BY US IN 1890.**

Ready for Market in **SIX WEEKS**. Matures in 72 days, two weeks ahead of any other variety, and has yielded at the rate of over 800 bushels per acre.

**AGAIN LEADS FOR 1895.**

Others may equal it in size, quality or productiveness, but in earliness **EVERITT'S SIX-WEEKS MARKET IS UNAPPROACHED.**

Market Gardeners and all others who grow potatoes, what could you afford to give for potatoes that will produce fine, large, beautiful tubers six weeks from planting, which is two or more weeks ahead of any other kind, if you know they would positively produce such results? Well, we will say to all who are fortunate enough to receive this catalogue that **EVERITT'S EARLY SIX WEEKS MARKET** will do all this. It is worth its weight in gold, for a start of seed to many market gardeners, as with it they can get the fancy prices before other kinds come in market. We offer for consideration the accompanying report from the originator, who has been a potato grower all his life, and is now 54 years old, and from others whose addresses are on file in our office. After reading these reports you can no longer doubt that this is a most remarkable variety. They have created so much excitement in his neighborhood that he could sell his whole crop to neighbors at a fancy price. Grows medium to large size, oblong to round shape, light, flesh-colored skin; white flesh; very smooth shape; eyes even with the surface; tubers grow close together in the hill. The potatoes begin to form when the vines are only 4 to 5 inches high. The top and tubers grow rapidly, and at **SIX WEEKS FROM PLANTING ARE A FINE MARKETABLE SIZE, AND REACH MATURITY IN 72 DAYS.** As a table potato they are not excelled; even for late spring they keep sound and solid. They grow so rapidly and mature so early that potato bugs have no chance at all, nanking their crop, if planted early, before the young ones become numerous; while for field they are wonderful, considering their extreme earliness. The yields of three successive seasons on the







same farm were respectively **420 bushels per acre; 380 bushels per acre and 600 bushels per acre.** The originator says about this potato:

"Potatoes have been my favorite crop since I was a boy and I always took great pleasure in seeing what good crops and large yields I could get, but never did I see a nicer potato than this. I have raised a great many kinds, sent for the earliest in the catalogues, and have raised them from seed, and got some very good ones, but none that came up to my ideal of a perfect potato until I originated this. I have now discarded all others, and raise this for early and main crop, for market and home use. I am fully convinced that I have at last produced the best early potato in cultivation. It combines more good qualities than any other variety in the world.

Grown on a light gray soil, and without manure or fertilizer, they yielded at the rate of 380 bushels per acre, which can be increased by potato manure, and is excelled on rich soil.

In a careful comparative test with three other varieties, each of which have been claimed to be the earliest, the following results were obtained: All were planted May 2. Eventt's Six-Weeks Market matured in **72 days; yield, 420 bus. per acre.** Stray Beauty matured in **87 days; yield, 189 bus. per acre.** Chas. Downing matured in **92 days; yield, 350 bus. per acre;** Early Sunrise matured in **100 days; yield, 378 bus. per acre.** This test shows this new potato to be 15 days earlier than any of the above and far more productive.

## TESTIMONIALS

We wish we had space to publish one-fourth the testimonials received for this grand potato, but we have not. We will print a few in small type as samples of many, and will send many more to any person on request. **EARLY SIX-WEEKS IS THE EARLIEST.**

The photo-engraving on page 58 was made direct from potatoes sent us by John L. Saum, of Paulding Co., O., who writes as follows:

I send you to-day by freight the product of 40 hills of Six-Weeks Potatoes. They were dug last night and this morning and grew in 43 days. They were grown from one-eye seed. I have just began farming on my own land, and am not fixed yet for pushing a crop of early potatoes. These were covered with a breaking plow and given very ordinary treatment. Think I can beat it next season. Several people who saw them were astonished. I expect to exhibit at our county fair.

JOHN L. SAUM.

I like the Six-Weeks Potatoes very much. I divided with my neighbors. One of them says they are the best he ever saw. They are excellent keepers. They are first-class in every respect.

E. HARTMAN, Sutton Co., W. Va.

The Early Six-Weeks Potatoes did well with me. I could sell a car load for seed here if I had them.

JOHN B. COCHRAN, Jeff. Co., O.

One pound Early Six-Weeks Market Potato yielded 147 pounds of fine, sound, smooth tubers. Ripened in 75 days, and produced marketable potatoes in Six-Weeks, as you claimed. This is the most valuable variety of potatoes ever introduced.

R. TAYLOR  
Ashland, Co., Wis.

You have got it this time—I mean the best early and the earliest potato in existence. We had the Early Six-Weeks Market Potato large enough for the table in six-weeks from planting. They out-yielded all our other varieties.

AUGUST BROENNER (Gardener), Allegan Co., Mich.

\$10 per bushel would not buy my Early Six-Weeks Market Potatoes if I could not replace them for less. They are the earliest of all, and a heavy yielder.

JACOB E. SHILSON,  
Ononaga Co., N. Y.

**A CROP SIX WEEKS FROM PLANTING.  
THIS IS NOT A FANCY PICTURE BUT AN ACTUAL REALITY.**



**Price.** We have a large crop and offer these potatoes very low this year. Now is the time to get the seed. **1 lb. 25c, 4 lbs. 75c, by mail post paid. By frt. or ex., 1 peck, 50c. 1 bu. \$1.50, 1 bbl. \$3.75, 2 bbls. at \$3.50 each, 5 bbls. or more at \$3.25 each.**



Introduced 1895.

EVERITT'S "ONWARD" POTATO.

For Beauty, Size and Productiveness, Without a Peer.

Our great business, which now extends to every part of the world where seeds are planted and plants cultivated, was started by investing 50 cents in a new variety of potatoes.

J. A. EVERITT, Seedsman.

THERE IS GOOD LUCK IN

EVERITT'S

# "Onward" Potato

**PROGRESS IS ONWARD**, which is as it should be. When progress is backward, it denotes a bad condition of affairs. Our new potato is "ONWARD" also, and all who plant it take a great step **ONWARD** toward making farming a success.

If it was not in our power to produce new varieties of potatoes, they would be in danger of becoming an extinct vegetable. All varieties run out and fail to produce paying crops. Every grower knows this is the case, and any grower who continues cultivating a variety after it has begun to deteriorate, does so at a loss. There is a great need now for a general purpose potato, one that can be depended upon to produce paying crops under unfavorable season conditions, which so often prevail; one that possesses so much natural vigor that failure is almost impossible. Such a potato we claim to have in our new "Onward."

Everitt's Onward Potato was produced from hybridized seed in 1890, taken from a seed ball. As soon as it was well developed it showed so many fine qualities that the originator, who is a large potato grower and experimenter (having grown not less than thirty varieties each season for ten years), chose it as his pet potato. It has proven a remarkable variety in several respects, and we confidently recommend it as a sort of the highest merit, and we pride ourselves on being expert judges of good potatoes. This potato is so handsome that they sell at a premium on market, when common varieties go begging. It is a fancy market sort. Tubers grow medium to very large, nicely bunched in the hill; even if small size they are so smooth and handsome as to be marketable. Color, white, slightly netted or dotted on skin, denoting good table quality. Shape long, flattened on sides. They never grow rough or prongy even where others sort out 25 per cent. They are medium in season of ripening, maturing in 100 to 120 days, and keep late in the spring. Flesh white, fine grained. Cook dry and mealy. Their magnificent size, desirable shape, beautiful, smooth, clean appearance and fine cooking qualities recommend them everywhere, and we predict they will have a great run, as have the celebrated Mammoth Pearl, O. K. Mammoth, Prolific, Green Mountain, Early 6-Weeks Market and other potatoes of our introduction. A good investment will be to procure seeds of **EVERITT'S ONWARD**, this the first year of its introduction. There will be big money in introducing them in any neighborhood.

Price by mail, 1 lb. 30c, 4 lbs. \$1.00. By freight or express, ¼ bu. 50c, 1 bu. \$1.50, per bbl. \$3.50.

**LACK OF SPACE** prevents us from printing many excellent testimonials for the Onward Potatoes. Here is a sample: Of 250 varieties tested, the Onward gave the best results of any late potato, and outranked all others for vigorous growth of vines and roots. W. E. IMES, Potato Specialist, Vermontville, Mich.

Onward Potatoes are wonderful. Nothing like them ever seen here before. Although potatoes are generally a failure here, Onward made 150 bushels per acre.

C. H. MARVEL, Boone Co., Ind.



If there is one department of our business in which we excel more particularly than another it is the Seed Potato Department. We have always made great specialties of seed potatoes. Although we do not introduce one-fourth as many varieties as do some other seedmen, yet when we send out a new variety it goes out to find a welcome, and a home with every grower. Our conservative course has gained for our house the confidence of potato raisers and as a consequence our trade is not excelled in this line by any house in the country.

There are many people who want only a few potatoes, or living at such a great distance the transportation charges would prevent them being sent by freight or express. To these we advise our potatoes by mail. (See below). With each order will be sent full particulars of our improved method of preparing the seed, which makes 4 pounds equal 12 pounds as ordinarily handled.

## Potato Eyes or Whole Potatoes

Within the past few years many seedsmen have adapted the plan of sending potato eyes by mail and devote considerable space to explaining the beauties and advantages of the potato eye scheme. It is a good scheme to talk on and will influence some orders from the ignorant, but it is all wrong. Within one week after the potatoes are cut they have lost a great share of their vitality and if obtained early in the season before planting time has arrived the chances are that you have lost one-half of them entirely and the balance will make only a feeble growth. We send by mail small size, sound, whole tubers. 1 lb. of these will contain from 5 to 8 potatoes, and from 50 to 80 eyes. One pound of potato eyes will compare from 20 to 35 eyes, and they will not have much flesh at this rate. Note the difference; besides, by our improved method of preparing seed and planting we make one whole potato equal to 3 as usually handled.

**A MARVELOUS NEW POTATO**

EVERITT'S CELEBRATED SEED POTATOES FROM J.A. EVERITT SEEDSMAN INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

EVERITT'S COLOSSAL LARGEST POTATO GROWN

Enormously Productive.

**U**NLIKE the doctor's pills: "If they do no good, they will do no harm," our potatoes are positive in results. If you take them they will do you good. To those who have not been planting our potatoes we will say that we always have the best in this line, having made specialties of seed potatoes from the beginning of our business, and our house has the reputation for years of being "THE CHAMPION SEED POTATO HOUSE OF THE COUNTRY."

For strong growth, drought resisting qualities and great size of tubers, the Colossal is unsurpassed. Our potatoes can be selected from almost any way that will make a bushel. The surface of the largest potatoes are quite regular, considering their great size, with the eyes slightly depressed; the medium size tubers are smooth, with eyes even with the surface. Skin is of flesh color; flesh white and fleshy when boiled or baked; very delicate flavor. Tubers oblong and flattened on sides, thus allowing them to cook through quickly, regardless of size. Tubers grow bunch-fall, winter and spring are unexcelled.

flattened on sides, thus allowing them to cook through quickly, regardless of size. Tubers grow bunch-fall, winter and spring are unexcelled.

We need not say that we recommend this potato highly. The fact that we give it a place in our catalogue is evidence that we regard it with great favor, and that our reputation as potato experts will not suffer when it is put to the severe test of general cultivation.

Every person who receives this catalogue should avail himself of the opportunities presented to make money.

The new potatoes we offer will be in demand for seed until all growers are supplied. If one enterprising person in each neighborhood will undertake to grow a crop of them, he will find a market for them at home at a high price. Many a great business has a small beginning; as an illustration, the business which this catalogue represents is the direct result of 50 cents invested in a new variety of potatoes, not a great many years ago.

The price of Everitt's Colossal Potato we make moderate, so every person can get a small or large amount without delay.

By mail, post paid, 1 lb. 23c, 4 lbs. 75c. By freight or express, 1/4 bu. 50c, bu. \$1.50, per bbl. \$3.50.



THE GREAT KING OF POTATOES,

# ..The.. Wonderful GREEN MOUNTAIN

The Greatest Yield Ever Known for Any Potato is Recorded for the Green Mountain, at the Rate of 1,391 1/2 BUSHELS per Acre. This Potato has had the Greatest Sale of any of Our Introduction, yet there are Neighborhoods where they are Unknown. Notice the Low Price. This is the Year to Buy Them.

To Secure this Potato for Our Customers, WE PAID \$300 FOR 1 1/2 BARREL, the Entire Original Stock.

This wonderful medium late potato was originated in Vermont. It is an extraordinary and exceedingly valuable variety. Its handsome form, white skin and fine grained, cooks dry and mealy, and is of superior flavor. This is the case when first dug, and they retain their good cooking qualities and keep sound and perfect until the new crop comes again. As a variety to keep for late spring use it has no superior. Vines grow vigorously, foliage deep green, tubers compactly in the hill, which is completely crowded with fine, large potatoes. They ripen in August if planted in April, and in the important matter of productiveness they are perfectly marvelous. This quality combined, as it is, with fine appearance and good table qualities, makes the Green Mountain one of the most valuable varieties in the country. Read the reports from the Rural New Yorker experimental grounds:

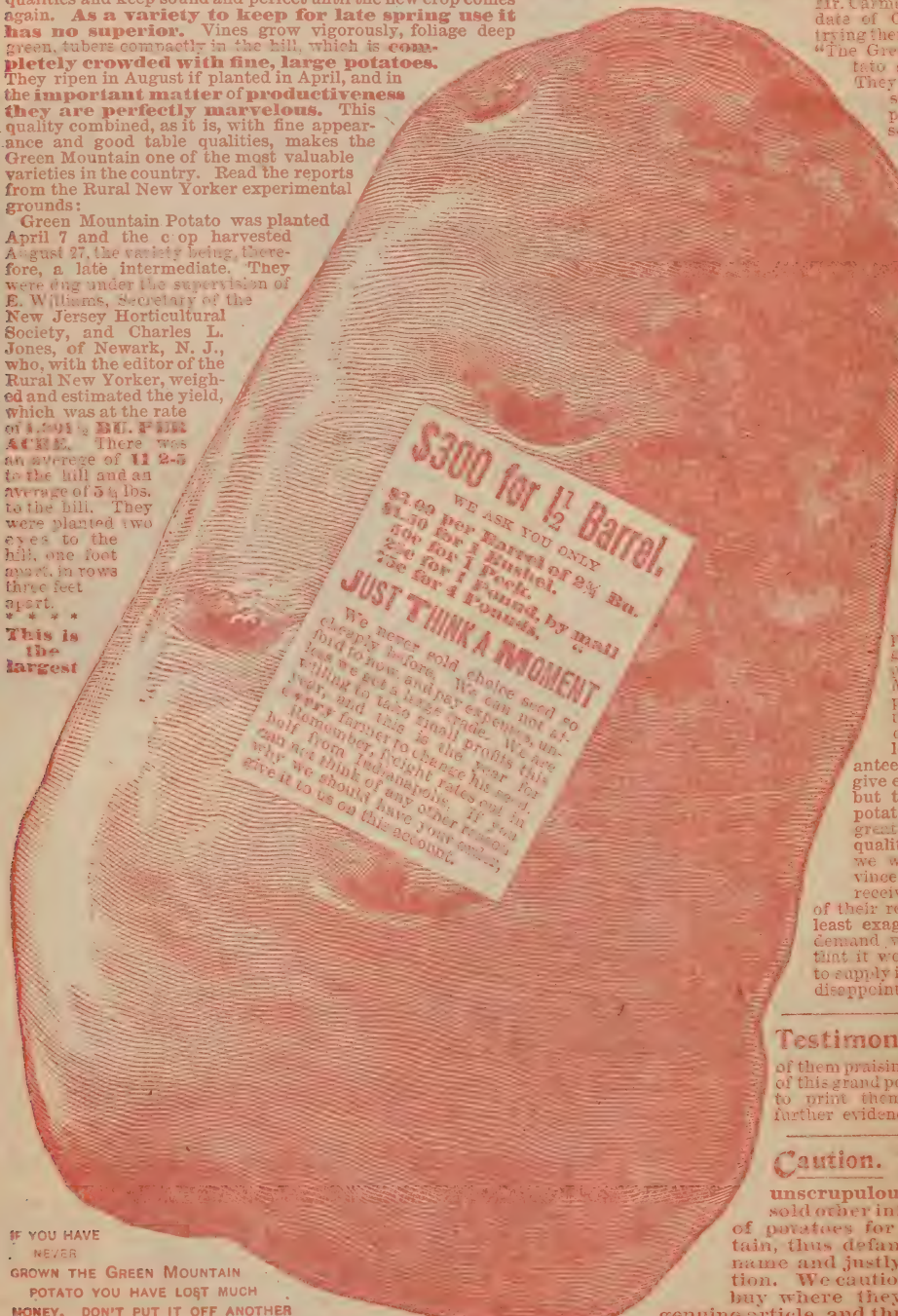
Green Mountain Potato was planted April 7 and the crop harvested August 27, the variety being, therefore, a late intermediate. They were dug under the supervision of E. Williams, Secretary of the New Jersey Horticultural Society, and Charles L. Jones, of Newark, N. J., who, with the editor of the Rural New Yorker, weighed and estimated the yield, which was at the rate of 1,391 1/2 BU. PER ACRE. There was an average of 11 2-5 to the hill and an average of 5 1/2 lbs. to the hill. They were planted two eyes to the hill, one foot apart, in rows three feet apart.

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This is the largest

yield of potatoes ever raised on these experimental grounds. E. S. CARMAN, Editor.

Also, from a letter from the editor of the Rural New Yorker, under date of December 6, we quote: "Of all the potatoes we have ever tested, this Green Mountain yields the most. It is an immense yielder." Again Mr. Carman wrote us, under date of October 17, after trying them the second year: "The Green Mountain Potato surprises me. They yield well, considering the desperately bad season. They were the best of any (there were 9 of the best varieties) he could select from all over the country) in the half-acre poor soil plot, and yielded at the rate of 200 bushels per acre. This yield is, for a horrible season (the worst we have had for years) a very fine one. Had the season been at all favorable we would have DOUBLED the yield easily."

It should be remembered that the soil on which the potatoes were grown was very poor. The Green Mountain Potato is positively one of the best things we offer in our catalogue, and we guarantee them to not only give entire satisfaction, but they will surprise potato growers by their great yield and fine qualities. We know if we were able to convince each person who receives this catalogue of their real merits, not the least exaggerated, that the demand would be so great that it would be impossible to supply it. You will not be disappointed in this potato.



**\$300 for 1 1/2 Barrel.**  
WE ASK YOU ONLY  
\$1.00 per Barrel of 2 1/2 Bu.  
\$1.75 for 1 Bushel.  
50c for 1 Peck.  
25c for 1 Peck.  
75c for 4 Pounds.  
**JUST THINK A MOMENT**  
We never sold choice seed so cheaply before. We can not afford to now, and pay expenses, unwilling to take small profits this year, and this is the year for every farmer to change his seed. Remember, right rates and half from Indianapolis. If you can see think of any other reason why we should have your order, give it to us on this account.

**Testimonials.** We have hundreds of them praising the fine qualities of this grand potato, but no space to print them. If you want further evidence, send for them.

**Caution.** To our knowledge certain unscrupulous parties have sold other inferior varieties of potatoes for Green Mountain, thus defaming their fair name and justly great reputation. We caution all parties to buy where they will get the genuine article, and thus avoid disappointment.

IF YOU HAVE NEVER GROWN THE GREEN MOUNTAIN POTATO YOU HAVE LOST MUCH MONEY. DON'T PUT IT OFF ANOTHER SEASON. AS GOOD NOW AS EVER.



**NEW QUEEN**  
NEW  
AND GREAT

**BEAUTY OF HEBRON**  
NORTHERN  
GROWN

**EARLY OHIO**  
PURE  
AND FINE

**EARLY ROSE**  
THE  
GENUINE

**OHIO JR.**  
IMPROVEMENT  
ON OHIO

**EARLY HARVEST**  
THE EARLY

**NEW QUEEN.**

This Superb, New, Early Potato, has been tested in all parts of the country, and in all localities. Whether on the thin soil of New England or the rich prairies of the West, it has always yielded a bountiful crop of the handsomest potatoes. Our growers say, "New Queen will go through everything and make a crop regardless of season." It resembles Beauty of Hebron, but is a great improvement over that popular sort.

Price by mail, 1 lb. 25c, 4 lbs. 75c. By freight or express, 1/4 bu. 75c, 1 bu. \$2.00, per bbl. \$5.00.

**BEAUTY OF HEBRON.**

A popular early variety largely grown and found on all markets, excellent table qualities, slightly earlier than Early Rose. The Beauty of Hebron Potato has been cultivated for many years, and has lost some of its original vigor. We advise a change to some of our new sorts. The New Queen will fill its place in all respects and give larger crops.

Price, by mail, 1 lb. 25c, 4 lbs. 75c. By freight or express, 1/4 bu. 40c, 1 bu. \$1.25, per bbl. \$2.50.

**EARLY OHIO.**

One of the most popular extra early sorts. Very valuable for market gardeners on account of its extreme earliness also for fall and early winter use. It does not keep well late in the spring. Growth good size, quality excellent. Very productive for so early a potato. We sell large quantities of this variety.

Price by mail, 1 lb. 25c, 4 lbs. 75c. By freight or express, 1/4 bu. 40c, 1 bu. \$1.25, per bbl. \$2.75.

**EARLY ROSE.**

This was originally the grandest potato ever introduced, but it has lost much of its original vigor and vitality until now it is grown to a very limited extent. To those who want a potato equaling the Early Rose in its palmiest days we recommend Everett's Early Thoroughbred (see pages 14 and 15). This is the coming Great Early Potato.

Price by mail, 1 lb. 25c, 4 lbs. 75c. By freight or express, 1/4 bu. 40c, 1 bu. \$1.25, per bbl. \$2.50.

**OHIO JR.**

An extra early sort. Almost identical with Early Ohio, in shape, color, peculiar marking of the tuber, etc., but a little earlier. Where grown it is held in the highest esteem. Tubers are handsome and smooth, quality fine, a very productive, extra early sort.

Price by mail, 1 lb. 25c, 4 lbs. 75c. By freight or express, 1/4 bu. 50c, 1 bu. \$1.50, per bbl. \$3.50.

**EARLY HARVEST.**

A beautiful, new extra early potato, and one of the most promising sorts. Extreme earliness, wonderful productive ness, a superb quality and fine appearance, combine to make it a most valuable sort for home use. Tubers good size, nearly white skin, fine white flesh. We recommend it highly.

By mail, 1 lb. 25c, 4 lbs. 75c. Freight, or express, 1/4 bu. 75c, 1 bu. \$2.00, per bbl. \$5.00.

**RURAL NEW YORKER No. 2**

This potato is worthy a full page in our catalogue; but we have not the space to spare, but we trust this will not limit its sales, as it is one of the finest, most productive, and altogether one of the most valuable varieties we offer. They grow to very large size. Beautiful shape, smooth white skin and flesh, becoming a very popular market variety wherever known. We furnish pure seed at a very low cost. By mail, 1 lb. 25c, 4 lbs. 75c. By freight or express 1/4 bu. 50c, 1 bu. \$1.50, 5 or more bbls. \$3.00 each.



# Everitt's "Perfection" Broad-Cast Seed Sowers.

For Sowing Wheat, Oats, Rye, Rice, Flax, Grass Seed, Clover Seed, etc. In fact, any kind of Seed Broad-Cast.

No careful, economical farmer will continue to sow his seed by hand (the old style) when he can get one of these machines at our reduced prices. They will save their cost almost daily in saving of seed, to say nothing about saving of time and more even distribution, which will have a great effect on the crop.

**They will Sow from 4 to 8 Acres per Hour at a Common Walking Gait.**

Price of this machine reduced from \$5.00 to \$2.00 each.



These machines when first invented sold for \$15.00 each. Valuable labor-saving, seed-saving, crop increasing machines. The seed is not thrown upward, but distributed right and left evenly, and will save at least one-third the seed used in hand-sowing. They are operated by a transverse motion of the bow, or a crank which revolves the distributor and works the vibrator rapidly. It is the only seed sower having a satisfactory vibrator which prevents the seed from clogging. They are quickly adjusted to sow any quantity desired. The grain sack holds one bushel, made strong, well finished and weighs about four pounds. It will last many years. At a round will sow wheat 50 feet, buckwheat 48 feet, flax seed 36 feet, grass seeds from 27 to 36 feet. These are the best machines ever invented for the purpose, and should be in the hands of every farmer. Satisfaction guaranteed.

**PRICE**—Bow Seeder, each, \$2. Crank Seeder, each, \$2.50. Agents wanted. See below. 1 or 35 cents each, extra, we will pay expressage to any point east of the Kansas Line.

The Crank Seeder will be preferred by some. It is the same as the other, except the gear. We guarantee either one to give entire satisfaction.

Price reduced from \$6.00 to \$2.50.



## A GOOD BUSINESS.

Have you some spare time? You can turn it into money by selling our Broad-Cast Hand Seed Sowers. No risk. We

guarantee these machines. They are light, and can be carried or hauled from house to house. Nearly every person will buy them when they see them. We have no confidential terms. Any person can engage in this business. The only condition is you must order a certain number, to show that you are buying to sell again.

**Bow Seeder**—Retail price, \$2.00 (they sell for \$2.50 to \$3.00 elsewhere). We sell them to you by the dozen, 1/2 dozen or 1/3 dozen, at \$15.00 per dozen.

**Crank Seeder**—Retail price, \$2.50. They are worth \$3.00 to \$4.00. We sell them by the doz., 1/2 doz. or 1/3 doz. \$18.00. Don't ask for special prices; these are bottom, and don't order less than 1/2 dozen at this rate. Some of our agents are making \$5.00 a day at this business. It is a remarkable fact that very few farmers have ever seen these machines. Yet they are so necessary in sowing all kinds of seeds broadcast, that once they see and try one, they could not be induced to part with it.

They will save about 1/2 the seed over hand sowing, save half your time, make your work easier and distribute the seed evenly, thus greatly increasing the crop.

EVERITT'S CELEBRATED

# MAN-WEIGHT

FARM AND GARDEN TOOLS.

**BEST**  
Man Power  
Tools  
**ON**  
**EARTH.**

See also 4th page of cover

**Some New Machines. Great Machines which abolish much of the drudgery of cultivating the soil, making slow, laborious, disagreeable labor rapid, easy and pleasant.**

**MAN-POWER WORK IS DONE ALMOST WITHOUT WORK.**

Patented in the United States, Canada, Great Britain, France, Germany, Austria and Belgium.

**Will Revolutionize Hand-Power Cultivation and Makes Keeping a Horse an Unnecessary Expense in Many Cases.**

MODERN scientists and inventors are devoting their time and energies to the problems of utilizing waste. There are fewer new things "under the sun" than many people imagine, but the manners of utilizing them are what causes us to hold up our hands in astonishment. Steam is as old as the earth, yet the steam engine which utilizes what was wasted for thousands of years is of very modern construction. Who will doubt the existence of electricity since the foundations of the world were laid? The wind which cooled the brows of Adam and Eve in Paradise, and has ever been present, restless and unchanged, has been harnessed and now does the will of man. There is sufficient force unconsciously going to waste in our cities and towns every day to drive every manufactory needing power. Every man, woman and child, whether in city or country, is continually exerting a force equal to the weight of the body, whether lying down, sitting, standing or walking. This force, equal to millions of pounds, has been going to waste in all time past, and from the condition of things, must continue to be wasted, to a great extent, for all time to come. But why not utilize it to as great an extent as possible? If this force, which every person must exert, can be utilized by the agricultural classes to the saving of muscular exertion, will it not be a great boon? And will not he who perfects an appliance that allows the man, as he walks across his field, to take part of his weight (force) off of the ground and use it for planting or cultivating his crops, to the saving of muscular exertion, be a public benefactor? We are now ready

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call attention to **Everitt's Celebrated Man-Weight Farm and Garden Tools.**

These great machines were invented and patented by J. A. EVERITT, in 1891, and greatly improved since. The great advantage of this invention can be partly understood by studying the illustration on last cover page, but no person can fully realize their great advantage, until he uses the machines. **They are a great boon to all cultivators of the soil, and must be classed with the great inventions of the age,** yet they are so simple that the natural question with every one is: "Why did I not think of that?" So nicely do they fill a want existing with thousands of gardeners, nurserymen, seedsmen, florists and farmers, that after the first trial they invariably conclude to "never do without them." The **Man-Weight Cultivators** are worth their weight in silver, if not in gold, to any one who cultivates the soil. All who have used the machines unanimously endorse them in the strongest language. We have heard sensible, shrewd gardeners remark: "I would not sell them for \$25.00." "\$100.00 would not tempt me to do without them one season," etc. The first gardener who saw the machine at **Indianapolis, gave his order for the first one we could make.** Other gardeners at once acknowledged that it is **just what they want,** and many remarked that **"If all gardeners knew of these machines they could not be made fast enough to supply the demand."** A trial by any person will demonstrate

the wonderful utility of these machines. Any person possessing them will make it impossible for his neighbors to compete with him in raising crops.

There are several features on the **Man-Weight Tools** which are novel and make a tool vastly superior to any other man-power or horse machines:

1. We mention the push bar. In operation, the body is inclined forward, thus taking part of the weight of the body off of the ground and directing it against the machine. In this way the machine is propelled by the weight of the body, without any muscular exertion whatever. Your weight does the work. Without this machine all your weight is wasted on the ground.

2. By means of the push-bar we propel and guide the machine, hence the drag-bars can be hinged, and are adjustable in all directions; thus the tools attached to the drag-bars perform the work just as a weeder would in your hands. It is the only cultivator made that does complete work at one operation. No after-hoeing is required. (See illustrations on this page.)

3. As is evident, the power obtained, the amount of work that can be done and the quality of the work are far in excess of any other hand tool, nearly equaling horse power in quantity, while the quality of the work is far superior to horse power work.

4. In an orchard where a horse can not be taken, and anywhere where the work is too heavy for other hand machines, these fill the bill to perfection. By one man pulling ahead, sod or compact ground can be broken up.

5. Double the amount can be raised on a given piece of ground than with a horse plow. This is accomplished by closer planting and frequent cultivation.

6. Many gardeners and small farmers can save the expense of keeping a horse.

7. Plants can be cultivated rapidly and often, hence mature earlier, with a greater yield. In this way the machines can be made to pay for themselves several times every year.

J. A. EVERITT—Dear Sir—My experience with the **Man-Weight Machines** teaches me that no tricker will let it go off his farm after a fair trial. The South is your best field, since you have the only wheel hoe that the average darkey can use with profit to the grower. W. A. PARKER, Weston, Miss.

The **Combined Man-Weight** I bought last spring is as far ahead of other wheel hoes used here as the self-binder is of the sickle. They fail to even imitate its work.

SAM. L. EDWARDS, Revere, O.

**Referring to the Illustrations on Next Page:**

View No. 1 shows the **Man-Weight** breaking up the ground. It is not intended to break up very hard ground, although if a man or a boy pulls ahead, almost any work in this line can be done. To loosen up ground that has become compact, it is just the thing.

View No. 2 pulverizes the ground after it is broken up, and destroys weeds at a great rate.

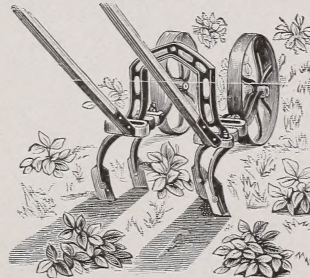
View No. 3 makes furrows to receive seeds, potatoes, etc., and covers the seed.

View No. 4 covers seed in rows, or banks up earth on both sides of the plants.

View No. 12 is an onion harvester, and the best one made. The adjustability of our drag bars, moving sidewise or up and down, makes the work lighter and the tool more effective.

View No. 5 is the drill, improved for 1896. It plants all kinds of seeds, in hills or drills, as desired, covers and marks out the next row. Small farmers need not buy an expensive corn drill. This will do the work as well, and the cultivators will take care of the crop as it grows, thus doing away with much machinery, also saving the expense of keeping a horse.

Views 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 are adapted to almost all kinds of cultivation and weeding. When you know what you want to do, you can construct the machines to accomplish the desired results.



NOTICE THE DIFFERENCE IN WORK DONE BY A MAN-WEIGHT MACHINE AND THE OLD STYLE. IN THE FIRST CASE THE WORK IS COMPLETE; IN THE SECOND IT IS ONLY HALF DONE.

Your **Man-Weight** is a great success. A grand triumph.

J. S. FLOYD, Walhalla, S. C.

I would not take \$100 for my **Man-Weight** if I could not get another for less.

F. R. WIEDENMILLER, Riversville, Cal.

The **Man-Weight** came duly to hand and works splendidly.

D. M. MCINTOSH, Charleston, S. C.

Your **Man-Weight** is the greatest and best tool for cultivating the ground that I ever saw.

S. V. VEST, Houston, Minn.

With the **Man-Weight** outfit I can do more work in an hour than a good hand can do in a day with a hoe, and I am 76 years old.

T. W. HAMMOND, Ottumwa, Ill.

I have been using the hand push cultivators, but the **Man-Weight** is far ahead of them.

H. A. SIMMONS, P.M., Clinton, Mich.

Truly superior in its class and a curiosity in my neighborhood.

F. M. MYERS, West Sa em, O.

My customer, for whom I ordered the combined **Man-Weight**, is more than pleased with it. I have given him all the time he wanted to test it.

ELMER V. WALKER, Oxford, Me.

Better than I expected. One of the grandest garden too's ever invented. Fifty dollars would not buy mine if I could not get another.

JACOB BRICKER, Muncie, Ind.

Works like a charm. The man using it says he would not be without one.

SIMON SEYERT, Gibraltar, Pa.

**A thousand** more testimonials would be printed if space permitted. **Send for complete Catalogue of Man-Weight Tools.**

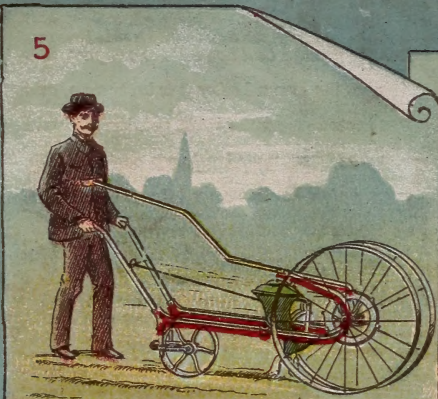
**PRICE** The **Man-Weight** can not be sold as cheaply as some old style machines. They are made on the same plan as the large two horse cultivators. Yet when the quantity and quality of work they will do is considered, as well as the ease of doing it, they would be cheap at twice the price we ask.

**Single Wheel Machine, with 5 sets of tools.....\$6.00**  
**Combined Single and Double, 5 sets of tools... 8.00**  
**Combined Single and Double, and Drill No. 5, 12.00**  
**Plain Drill. No Cultivating Attachments..... 8.00**

Everitt's **Man-Weight** Machines, although invented and patented in 1891, are already sold all over the world where seeds are sown and plants grown.

Ask your dealer for Everitt's **Man-Weight**. If he does not keep them and will not get them, send direct to us. Don't be influenced to take any of the old style machines. Life is too short, time too valuable, and competition too great to waste your energies with them.





**EVERITT'S  
CELEBRATED MAN-WEIGHT  
Farm and Garden Tools.**  
THE GREATEST LABOR-SAVING AND CROP-  
PRODUCING MACHINES MADE.

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