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STRAWBERRIES.

WE present this new Descriptive Catalogue to the World, which is probably the last one which will ever be prepared by the present author (WM. R. PRINCE), as our time is now mainly devoted to an object of far more prominent importance to humanity—*The Analyses of our American Medical Flora!* We claim for this Catalogue that the different varieties are described with critical accuracy and impartiality, and that it presents to the strawberry-grower a perfectly reliable guide. We also announce that in this immense Collection, there is not one mixed bed, nor one dubious plant, the whole having long continued under our personal supervision, and that we expressly guarantee the accuracy of every variety transmitted from our Gardens.

We are influenced in making these comments, by several false statements made by Mr. J. Knox, expressly to delude the public. He says: "We (J. Knox) can supply all or nearly all of the kinds found in the different Nursery Catalogues, but many of them we do not think worth while to enumerate." *This assertion is utterly untrue.* He has but four varieties that we deem worthy of general culture, and none of above 130 Special Varieties of the highest merit described in this Catalogue; but he fills up two pages by a list of names of 70 varieties, comprising the trash which have been exploded by all intelligent cultivators for many years past. This fact he inadvertently admits, when he says in another place: "We have on our grounds over 100 varieties, many of which are worthless, or only valuable in keeping up a large collection." He warns the public against "buying the same variety under different names," when he, above all others, has been guilty of committing such errors—witness his selling River's Eliza for the British Queen for many years and even now, as well as publishing Lennig's White under the two additional names of "Albion White" and "White Pineapple," the Crimson Cone and Scotch Runner as distinct varieties; and even the Jucunda, an English variety, he concealed the true name of, until our Description of it rendered further false naming of it an impossibility. We could show up a further mass of confusion, inexcusable ignorance, and errors, by which the public have been duped and misled for years, yet we purposely refrain, but we feel impelled to say thus much, as this man constantly endeavors to conceal his own deficiencies by depreciating the labors of others. *Verbum Sap.*

Of the 130 varieties embraced in our present Collection, all the older varieties have been fully described in elaborate Articles on the *Fragaria* Family, communicated by WM. R. PRINCE, and published in the Reports of the Department of Agriculture at Washington, and in the Transactions of the American Institute. It is, therefore, deemed only necessary here to describe fully the New and Recent Varieties. It will be realized at once that these comprise many of the most estimable varieties which are now offered for the first time, and are not at present obtainable from any other source. The public taste is now becoming rapidly awakened to the appreciation of the *sweet, high-flavored and perfumed varieties* of the Strawberry, and such miserably sour and flavorless trash as the Downer, Cutter, Ellsworth, Wilson, Agriculturist, Monitor, Ida, &c., will not be tolerated by amateurs who are familiar with good fruit, although they may be palmed upon the ignorant. We now offer the choicest varieties that the co-laborers of the world have produced, and among these there are 40 very estimable varieties originated by ourselves, which are distinguished by an asterisk (*) and which we have selected from many thousands of hybridized Seedlings. We desire to also announce, that we have above 2,000 distinct Seedlings, which are to be fruited for the first time the ensuing year, whose highly promising appearance has been most favorably commented on by Prof. Huntsman, our neighbor, so well known for his *Fragarian* discriminations. Several now announced have white flesh, and they are all greatly superior to the mass of New Seedlings which are annually spawned upon the public, whose destiny is to be cast aside after being once tested: It has become highly necessary that a proper discrimination should be made, by a judicious selection of varieties best suited to field culture for market. In one district of New Jersey, deemed highly favorable for the Strawberry culture, the crop of 1865 is said to have been \$30,000, which in 1866 dwindled to \$3,000. What was the cause of this great failure? Nothing can account for it except the injudicious selection of the plants. It is a scientific fact, based on normal physical structure, that the Pistillate, or Female varieties of any species of the Strawberry, will produce a crop of fruit fifty per cent. greater than the Hermaphrodites can possibly produce. It is also a normal

fact, that the Pistillate varieties are far more certain and reliable, a result which is also based on their sexual structure. By investigation it will be found that nearly all the varieties which so signally failed in New Jersey were Hermaphrodites!

For more than twelve years I have called attention to this state of facts, but seemingly in vain, as the comments of superficial minds have continually maintained that the Hermaphrodite varieties are the most reliable.

Another point is necessary to be considered. Pistillate Varieties may be allowed to cover the entire ground, but Hermaphrodites must be grown in rows or hills. The former require one-tenth of the latter to fertilize them, which can be grown in distinct beds; and as they also are fruit-bearing, no space is lost, as has been ignorantly alleged. If the beds of the two sexes are within 50 feet of each other, the impregnation will be perfected; but another important point, about which I have cautioned the growers long since, is to select Staminate and Pistillates that blossom at the same period, in order to insure effectual fertilization. It is quite probable that this is the last time that I shall reiterate this advice. The North American Varieties possess the advantage of great hardihood and productiveness, but I call attention to another discriminative fact, that the varieties produced from the parentage of the *F. Iowensis* are far more robust and produce much larger berries than those grown from the *F. Virginiana*, *Illinoensis* and *Hudsonica*. The Pine family, (*F. grandiflora*) which possesses such estimable properties is now become familiarized, and we already have many perfectly hardy varieties suitable for field culture. They must be invariably grown in rows in the field, and in the garden they will form immense stools, each being an aggregation of many plants; and it is these large aggregated stools which have been dignified so deceptively as "single plants producing each 250 to 300 berries." It is full time that these specious misrepresentations, advanced only to delude, should cease.

Another point that attracts special notice is the fact, that so few of the Strawberry growers of the interior visit and inspect the Collections here, and they consequently seem entirely ignorant of the most estimable varieties—their knowledge being limited to the few that are cultivated in their vicinities. This fact is most strikingly evident where we see the Wilson extolled for its great crops, when it never fails to blight full half its blossoms, a fact which some Western growers have recently attributed to a drought, when it is a natural defect which can only be obviated by planting such other varieties as never blight at all, and especially the Pistillates. There exists also with them a general ignorance as to the family of the Pines, which I shall refer to under that head. Our extensive Collection offers the great advantage of viewing the best varieties of all the *Fragaria* family of every clime, a knowledge which can no where else be attained in our country.

Soil, moist or dry, firm or loose, has a great influence on the crop, and locality alone has very little, although superficial writers have greatly magnified its effects; but it is the judicious selection of the appropriate varieties, which exercises the decisive and controlling influence over the resulting crops.

The varieties selected and described in this Catalogue are all perfectly hardy—all tender ones having been excluded.

H, denotes Hermaphrodites. **P**, Pistillates.

North American Species and Varieties, and including some North American varieties of the Pine, a South American species; which are so noted.

The following are suitable for field culture to furnish the markets, as are also some others.

Nos. 6, 9, 11, 18, 23, 24, 27, 32, 34, 38, 39, 44, 45, 51, 55, 56, 57, 62, 66, 68, 70, 73, 74, 75, 79 and 80.

1.—ABINGTON, (KOHLE.)— H , large, obovate, crimson; flesh red, acid, moderate flavor, firm; plant vigorous, seedling from Wilson. Prof. Huntsman received it from the grower. Lennig's White has been confused with it, which has white flesh and is a Pine.	pr doz.	per 100.
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	30	1 50
2*—ADELAIDE, H , large, rounded, dark scarlet, fine flavor, productive.	1 00	5 00
ADMIRAL DUNDAS, see Chili Strawberries.		
3.—AGRICULTURIST, (PINE.) H , large, irregular cone, dark scarlet; flesh red, acid, without sweetness or flavor, soft, moderate crop; plant vigorous, rather tender. Deemed valueless by Prof. Huntsman, and by every reliable amateur. Per 1,000, \$12.	50	2 00

	pr doz.	per 100.
4*.—AUGUSTINE, (HYBRID,) P , very large, obovate, bright scarlet, splendid, pleasant flavor; vigorous, very productive.....	1 00	5 00
5.—AUSTIN OR SHAKER, H , very large, well known.....	35	1 50
6.—BALTIMORE SCARLET, P , early, medium, conical, bright crimson, productive. Per 1,000, \$10.....	38	1 50
6½*.—BEATRICE, H , large, obovate, deep scarlet, sweet, delicious flavor, vigorous.....	1 00	5 00
7*.—BERSILLA, H , very large, rounded, bright scarlet, good flavor, must be grown in hills.....	1 00	4 00
8.—BOSTON PINE, H , excellent amateur variety.....	25	1 00
9.—BROOKLYN SCARLET, H , large, conical, dark scarlet, sprightly pleasant flavor; vigorous.....	35	1 50
BUFFALO, proved McAvoy's Superior.....		
10.—BYBERRY SEEDLING, H , rather large, scarlet, productive.....	40	1 50
11*.—CALLIOPE, (PRINCE,) monstrous, larger than Hovey, obovate, crimson, white flesh, pleasant flavor, very productive, estimable.....	1 50	
12*.—CECILIA, H , large, pointed cone, crimson, beautiful, fine flavor; vigorous, very productive.....	1 00	
13.—CHAMPION, (DR. NEFF,) merits claimed.....		
14*.—CLARENCE, P , very large, obtuse cone, crimson, exquisite flavor, very productive. An amateur berry.....	1 50	
15.—CRIMSON FAVORITE, H , large, obovate, fine flavor.....	35	1 50
16*.—CYNTHIA, H , very small stamens, large, round, crimson, exquisite flavor; vigorous, productive. An amateur berry.....	1 00	5 00
17.—DELANY'S SEEDLING, claimed to have merits.....	50	2 00
18*.—DIADEM, P , large, rounded, light scarlet, very beautiful, pleasant flavor; vigorous, very hardy, exceedingly productive, suitable for market and for family garden.....	50	2 00
DOUBLE FLOWERING, see Ornamental Varieties.....		
19.—DURAND, (PINE,) H , large, scarlet, firm, fine flavor. Mr. Seth Boyden says that his certificate as published has these words left out, "the plant is small." (<i>This price speedily reduced</i>).....	5 00	
20.—ELLA, early, rather large, sweet, good flavor, ripens after Welcome and Fontenay.....	1 50	
21.—EMILY, (Huntsman,) P , a hybrid, large scarlet, conical, compressed, beautiful, sweet, juicy, high flavor, firm; vigorous, productive.....	1 50	8 00
22*.—EUGENIA, (HYBRID,) P , large, obovate, light scarlet, beautiful, firm, sweet, highest flavor; vigorous, productive.....	1 50	6 00
23*.—FONTENELLE, P , very large, obovate, deep scarlet, very sweet, fine flavor, very productive.....	1 00	4 00
24*.—FREDONIA, H , early, very large, obtuse cone, splendid, sweet, excellent flavor, firm, vigorous, very productive, large trusses.....	1 00	4 00
25*.—FRAGRANT SCARLET, P , rather large, conical, sweet, high flavor, productive.....	35	1 50
26.—FRENCH'S SEEDLING, H , early, well known. Per 1,000, \$6.....	30	1 00
27*.—GAZELLE, P , very large, round, light scarlet, good flavor, very vigorous, large foliage, productive.....	1 00	5 00
28*.—GERALDINE, P , rather large, obovate, bright scarlet, very sweet, exquisite flavor, productive. An amateur berry.....	1 00	5 00
29.—GEN. GARIBALDI, H , early, large, obovate, crimson, acid, soft, productive.....	35	1 50
30.—GEN. SCOTT, similar to the preceding.....	35	1 50
31.—GEN. GRANT, claimed to be estimable.....		
32*.—GLOBOSE SCARLET, P , very large, roundish, orange scarlet, beautiful, acidulate, very vigorous and hardy, very productive.....	50	2 00
GOLDEN QUEEN, said to be identical with the old Trollope's Victoria. Rejected.....		
33.—GREAT EASTERN, (PINE,) large, conical, good flavor; vigorous, productive, must be grown in hills.....	75	3 00

	pr doz.	per doz.
GREEN PROLIFIC, see Newark Prolific.		
34*.—HERMINE, P , large, obtuse cone, bright crimson, good flavor, rather late; very vigorous, large foliage, very productive.	1 00	5 00
35*.—HERMOSA, P , very large, obtuse cone, deep scarlet, pleasant flavor, productive.	1 00	5 00
36.—HOVEY, P , one of the most valuable. Per 1,000, \$6.	25	1 00
37.—HOVEY'S PINE, H , very large, oblong cone, deep scarlet, fine flavor.	50	2 00
38*.—IMPERIAL CRIMSON, P , large, obovate, firm, sweet, high flavor, very productive, vigorous, suitable for market and for amateur. Per 1,000, \$10.	50	2 00
39*.—IMPERIAL SCARLET, P , large, obtuse or rounded, bright scarlet, pleasant, sprightly flavor, firm, clean, don't rot, productive, bears carriage well, suitable for market and for family garden. Per 1,000, \$10.	50	2 00
JUCUNDA, see Pine Strawberries.		
40.—LADIES' PINE, P , originated in Upper Canada, small, round, pale scarlet, very sweet, exquisite.	30	1 50
41*.—LADIES' FAVORITE, H , seedling of the preceding berry, double the size, rounded, light scarlet, white flesh, most exquisite flavor, vigorous, productive.	1 50	8 00
42*.—LADIES' AROMATIC, P , same parentage and size as the preceding, and of same exquisite sweetness and flavor, conical, vigorous, very productive.	1 50	8 00
43*.—LARGE CLIMAX, P , conical, bright scarlet, splendid, sweet, excellent, productive, vigorous.	1 00	5 00
44*.—LATE GLOBOSE, P , large, rounded, bright scarlet, acidulate, sprightly, firm; very vigorous, hardy and productive, ripening eight days after the main crop is past, and is therefore very valuable for market.	1 00	4 00
45*.—LAWRENCIA, P , large, obtuse cone, crimson, sweet, fine flavor, vigorous, productive, suitable for market and for family garden.	1 00	4 00
46.—LEED'S PROLIFIC, P , early, medium, obovate, light scarlet, productive, vigorous, grown for market. Per 1,000, \$10.	35	1 50
47.—LENNIG'S WHITE, (PINE,) H , same as White Pineapple and Albion White, very large, round, white with pink tinge; flesh white, buttery, high flavor, excellent, very hardy and vigorous, must be grown in hills. A seedling of the Cushing.	40	2 00
48.—LONGWORTH'S PROLIFIC, H , estimable, well known.	30	1 50
49.—LUCIDA PERFECTA, P , medium, rounded, scarlet, flesh white, good flavor, dark glossy green foliage. A hybrid.	50	2 50
50.—MCAVOY'S SUPERIOR, P , well known; re-named Buffalo. Per 1,000, \$5.	25	1 00
51*.—MELANIE, P , large, conical, deep scarlet, beautiful, excellent flavor; very vigorous, hardy, productive, suitable for market and for the amateur.	75	4 00
52*.—MELANCTHON, H , larger than Hovey, conical, crimson, good flavor; vigorous, very productive.	1 50	8 00
53.—MEADE'S SEEDLING, (Pine), P , large, irregular cone, light bright scarlet, sweet, high flavor, vigorous, moderate crop.	50	3 00
54.—METCALF'S EARLY, a Michigan variety, a week earlier than Wilson, but later than the Welcome, and inferior to it in several points, large, conical, bright red, sub-acid, pleasant flavor, vigorous. Per 1,000, \$40. NAPOLEON III. See Chili Strawberries.	1 00	6 00
55.—NEWARK PROLIFIC, P , absurdly called Green Prolific, large, rounded scarlet, showy, sprightly flavor, not firm, productive, very vigorous and hardy, suitable for a near market. Per 1,000, \$10.	50	2 00
56.—NEW JERSEY SCARLET, H , very early, rather large, handsome, fine flavor, vigorous. Per 1,000, \$10.	40	2 00
57.—NEWLAND, H , rather large, conical, deep scarlet, showy, very sweet, rich, excellent, long in bearing, firm for carriage, very hardy and vigorous, highly estimable market berry. Per 1,000, \$15.	50	2 00
58*.—OPHELIA, H , large, oblate, sweet, pleasant flavor, firm, must be grown in rows or hills.	50	2 50

	pr doz.	per 100.
59*.—PAULINA, P , large, obtuse cone, crimson, sweet, pleasant flavor.....	1 00	5 00
60.—PERRY'S SEEDLING H , large, conical, bright scarlet, sweet, good flavor, vigorous, productive.....	2 00	10 00
60½.—PHILADELPHIA, (price will speedily be reduced)	2 50	15 00
61.—PRESIDENT LINCOLN, (I. S. Plattman of Penn.,) claimed to possess merits.....	2 00	
62*.—PRIMATE, H , rather large, conical, deep scarlet, beautiful, moderate flavor, very firm, suitable for long carriage, very vigorous, hardy, productive. Per 1,000, \$12.....	50	2 00
63*.—PROLIFIC IOWA, H , large, conical, bright scarlet, sprightly flavor, vigorous, productive.....	50	2 00
64.—RIPPOWAM, H ; it received a premium for its large size.....	1 50	8 00
65*.—ROLLA, large, long cone, light scarlet, fine flavor, productive.....	1 00	5 00
66*.—ROSINA, H , large, round, bright scarlet, sweet, excellent, productive, suitable for market and for amateurs.....	2 00	6 00
67.—RUSSELL'S PROLIFIC, P , character well known. Per 1,000, \$6 to \$8.	30	1 50
68*.—SCARLET MAGNATE, (Prince's), P , the heaviest and most solid berry for carriage, very large rounded, oblate, bright scarlet, splendid, sweet, very good flavor, productive; very hardy, vigorous, broad foliage, flowers diminutive, an admirable market berry. It requires the Ophelia or some other strong fertilizer. Per 1,000, \$10.....	50	1 50
69*.—SCARLET EXCELSIOR, P , very large, obtuse cone, deep scarlet, sweet, high flavored, vigorous, very productive.....	1 00	4 00
70*.—SCARLET PRIZE, P , very large, rounded, oblate, bright scarlet, beautiful, firm, sweet, fine flavor, vigorous, very hardy, productive, estimable for market, bears carriage well. Per 1,000, \$15.....	1 00	5 00
71.—STARR'S SEEDLING, H , medium, conical, scarlet, productive.....	1 00	5 00
72.—STINGER'S SEEDLING, H , (Pine,) large, light scarlet, said to be seedling from Triomphe de Gand.....	1 00	5 00
73.—STEWART, H , rather early, large, conical, scarlet, sprightly flavor, firm, handsome; vigorous, hardy, productive. This is the great market berry of Maryland. Per 1,000, \$10.....	50	2 00
74*.—SULTANA, H , early, very large, light orange scarlet, white flesh, sweet, fine flavor; hardy, vigorous, very productive, suitable for market and for the amateur.....	1 00	4 00
75*.—TERPSICORE, H , very early, large, conical, bright scarlet, beautiful, sweet, good flavor, firm, vigorous, ripens next after Welcome.....	1 00	6 00
76*.—TREVIRANA, P , large, obtuse cone, light scarlet, sprightly flavor, vigorous, productive.....	50	2 00
TRIOMPHE DE GAND. See Pine Strawberries.		
77.—TURENNE, H ; very large, obtuse cone, crimson, pleasant flavor, very productive, vigorous.....	1 00	5 00
78*.—VALENCIA, H , early, large, conical, deep scarlet, excellent flavor, vigorous, productive.....	1 00	5 00
79*.—VICTORINE, (Prince,) H , early, very large, conical, bright scarlet, pleasant flavor, firm, vigorous, very productive, a showy market berry. Per 1,000, \$15.....	1 00	5 00
80*.—WELCOME, (Prince,) H , New, not yet disseminated; earliest estimable market berry, large, conical, bright scarlet, beautiful color, sweet, sprightly aromatic flavor, don't rot, always clean, firm, bears long carriage; plant very hardy and vigorous, very productive, every flower perfects a berry. It has a slight neck and hulls readily. There is no point wanting, and it is superior to every other early variety, and is destined to supercede them all. Per 100, \$12. Per 1,000, \$90. No less quantity sold.		
82.—WILSON, H , character well known, blights full half of its blossoms, and never produces a crop over two-thirds as much as the productive Pistillates. Per 1,000, \$6.....	25	1 00

PINE STRAWBERRIES--*Fragaria Grandiflora*.

ENGLISH, FRENCH AND BELGIAN VARIETIES.

These are all of the Pine family (*Fragaria Grandiflora*) up to No. 141, and the most of them are of Belgian origin, and of a much more hardy character than the English varieties, which have been heretofore introduced and discarded. They produce very large and beautiful berries, with white, and some with rosy flesh, and are remarkable for their sweetness, exquisite flavor and perfume. The *Triomphe de Gand* has become most generally known, but there are numerous varieties greatly superior to it in sweetness and flavor. The Pine family require a strong, rich soil, and to be cultivated in rows or stools, and kept free from runners. They are well worthy the special attention of amateurs. We have made a selection of the hardiest varieties, and have noted such as are best adapted to field culture, and their fruit will always command an extra price at the Refectory saloons and in the market. But very few of these admirable varieties can be found in any other American Collection. They are all Hermaphrodites.

101.—A. RIETMEYER, very large, rounded, vermilion, flesh salmon, exquisitely sweet.....	pr doz.	per 100.
102.—BONTÉ DE ST. JULIEN, medium size, round, crimson, sweet, excellent flavor, very hardy, productive.....	\$1 00	
103.—DELICES DU PALAIS, round, glossy crimson, sweet, exquisitely perfumed, delicious; plant vigorous, very hardy, never burns.....	38	\$2 00
104.—DUKE OF CAMBRIDGE, large, rounded, bright scarlet, splendid; flesh rosy white, sweet, very delicious flavor; plant vigorous, very hardy....	1 50	8 00
105.—EMMA, large, conical, glossy crimson; flesh rosy white, sweet perfumed.	50	3 00
106.—EMILY, (Hybrid Chili,) monstrous, deep rosy; flesh white, sweet, excellent flavor, very estimable. For eight, \$2.....		
107.—EMPRESS EUGENIE, monstrous, deep red, ovate, many coxcomb, very sweet, perfumed; plant vigorous and hardy.....	1 00	
108.—FILBERT PINE, large, oblong cone, scarlet; flesh white, firm, sweet, exquisite, the climax of flavor; plant vigorous and hardy. For six, \$2.		
109.—FROGMORE, PINE, monstrous, often coxcomb, brilliant crimson, rich flavor, perfumed, often burns. For six, \$2.....		
110.—JUCUNDA, re-named by Knox "his 700." It was originated in England by Salter, and imported by me in 1859. Berry very large, regular cone, bright scarlet, beautiful; flesh rosy, sweet, pleasant flavor, firm for carriage, ripens after the early crop. It is one of the most vigorous and hardy of the Pine family, produces abundantly, and is long in bearing. It stands uninjured by winter, and the foliage never burns in summer, and is well suited for field culture. Per 1,000, \$40.....	1 00	5 00
111.—JUNG BAHADOOR, large, obtuse cone, crimson; flesh rosy, sweet, delicious, much superior to the Jucunda in flavor; plant hardy and vigorous, suitable for field culture.....	1 00	6 00
112.—LA CONSTANTE, large, conical, bright crimson, flesh rosy, sweet, exquisite; crop small, leaves burn considerably, suited only to the Amateur.....	50	2 00
113.—LORIO, earliest of all the Pines, ripening with the earliest of the Scarlet, and continues three weeks; very large, deep scarlet, brilliant, obovate, compressed; flesh rosy, very sweet, perfumed, much superior to Jucunda; plant vigorous, very hardy, productive, uninjured by winter, suitable for field culture.....	2 00	10 00
114.—LUCAS, monstrous, obtuse cone, bright crimson, flesh rosy white, sweet, very rich, delicious flavor.....	2 00	

115.—MARGUERITTE, very large, oblong, glossy red; flesh orange, sweet, delicious flavor.	pr doz.	per 100.
NAPOLÉON III., see Chili Strawberries.	40	1 50.
116.—ORNEMENT DES TABLES, very large, obovate, orange scarlet, splendid, very sweet, delicious perfumed flavor; profuse bearer in trusses, ripening in long succession; plant vigorous, hardiest of all the Pines, peculiar beautiful foliage. Suitable for field culture, and for the Amateur, very superior in flavor to Jucunda and Triomphe.	2 00	10 00
117.—PRINCE IMPERIAL, early, medium size, glazed scarlet, variable form; flesh rosy, sweet, fine flavor, long in bearing; plant vigorous, very hardy in winter, never burns, suitable for field culture.	50	2 50
118.—PRINCESSE ROYALE, the great market berry of Paris; very large, long cone, bright scarlet, acidulate, rich sprightly flavor; plant vigorous, very productive, one of the most hardy, never injured by winter, well suited to field culture.	1 00	5 00
119.—SCARLET ROCK, large, round, very sweet, delicious, vigorous, very hardy, never burns.	1 00	4 00
120.—SIR C. NAPIER, large, long cone, vermilion, beautiful; flesh white, sweet, excellent, vigorous.	50	
121.—TRIOMPHE DE GAND, character well known, inferior to all the other Pines in this list. Per 1,000—\$5 to \$6.	25	1 00
122.—WIZARD OF THE NORTH, large, conical, crimson, sweet, good flavor; plant vigorous, very hardy, productive, suitable for field culture.	50	2 00

New Pine varieties from Belgium, France and England, comprising the *elite* to which this class has attained in size and excellence, each variety,—\$3 for six and \$5 per dozen.

223.—Belle Bijou.
 124.—Boule d'Or.
 125.—Carniola Magna.
 126.—Doctor Nicaisse.
 127.—Elton Improved.
 128.—Gweniver.
 129.—Globe.
 130.—Hero.
 131.—La Robuste.
 132.—La Rustique.

133.—Leonce de Lambertye.
 134.—Modèle.
 135.—Premier.
 136.—Sir Joseph Paxton.
 137.—Sabreur.
 138.—Savoreuse.
 139.—Souvenir de Kieff.
 140.—Vineuse de Nantes.
 141.—Virginie.

CHILI STRAWBERRIES.

The peculiar character of this family is the great vigor of the plants, large foliage, and strong petioles and peduncles, all of which are downy or hairy, and flowers often the size of a dollar; the later ripening of the fruit, after the Pines; the monstrous and variable size of the berries, white flesh, highly perfumed, very juicy, sweet and delicious; and, in some varieties, a sprightly, acidulate flavor commingled with the sweetness. A moist, firm soil is most appropriate. They make but few runners, and are therefore scarce. All these are Hermaphrodite.

- 142.—ADMIRAL DUNDAS, monstrous, conical or compressed, bright scarlet, good flavor, a remarkable berry. For six, \$1.
 143.—CHILI CRIMSON, the original, monstrous, variable form, pleasant acidulated flavor. For four, \$1.
 144.—CHILI DEEP CRIMSON, firm, sweet, delicious. For four, \$2.
 145.—CHILI ROSY WHITE, original, sweet, high flavor. Per pair, \$2.
 146.—CHILI ORANGE, rounded, bright orange, flesh yellowish, one of the best. Per pair, \$2.

- 147.—CHILI BRIGHT ORANGE SCARLET, oval, sweet, perfumed. For four, \$2.
 148.—CHILI BRILLIANT ROSY, round, sweet, pleasantly acidulate. For six, \$2.
 149.—CHILI BRILLIANT SCARLET, excellent flavor. For four, \$2.
 150.—CHILI ELTON, conical, glossy crimson, sweet, highly perfumed. For four, \$2.
 151.—JOUNA, round, salmon, fine flavor. For four, \$2.
 152.—NAPOLEON III., monstrous, one of the heaviest berries, most splendid appearance, in large clusters, round, bright rosy; flesh white, sweet, very high flavor, a most remarkable acquisition; plant very vigorous, dark glossy green foliage, productive. An ignoramus has confused this with the Austin, when there are no two varieties more distinct. Per dozen, \$2.
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HAUTBOIS STRAWBERRIES.

This class possesses a high musk flavor, for which they are greatly esteemed. It is called "The Real Amateur's Strawberry." All are Hermaphrodites, except one Male or Stamineate, which should be planted with any whose stamens are weak and ineffective, in the proportion of one to ten. All are brownish dull red.

	pr doz.	per 100.
	\$	cts.
153.—BELLE BORDELAISE, exceedingly productive, excellent flavor, produces an autumnal crop if irrigated.....		50
154.—BIJOU DES FRAISES, conical, the climax of exquisite flavor.....	1	00
155.—MONSTROUS HAUTOIS, large, round.....	1	00
156.—MALE HAUTOIS, very strongly staminate.....		50
157.—PROLIFIC HAUTOIS, if irrigated produces second crop.....		50
158.—ROYAL HAUTOIS, large, excellent, productive.....	1	00

EUROPEAN WOOD STRAWBERRIES.

These are all perfect Hermaphrodites, the berries are small, with a peculiar flavor; they are profuse bearers, and much esteemed.

	pr doz.	per 100.
	\$	cts.
161.—EUROPEAN RED WOOD, or ALPINE WOOD. Per 1,000, \$3.50...		25 75
162.—EUROPEAN WHITE WOOD. Per 1,000, \$4.....		25 75
163.—MONTREUIL CRIMSON WOOD, largest and finest.....		50
164.—HATIVE DE FONTENAY, the earliest of all Strawberries.....	1	00
165.—GREEN PINEAPPLE, or Alpine, musk flavor, delicious, peculiar, ripens late.....		50 2 00
166.—VINEUSE DE CHAMPAGNE, exquisite flavor.....		50 2 00

ALPINE MONTHLY, OR QUATRE SAISONS.

These belong to the same family as the European Wood, and the fruit is similar in size and flavor, but these are Ever bearing. All are perfect Hermaphrodites.

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167.—ALPINE MONTHLY RED.....		25 75
168.—ALPINE MONTHLY WHITE.....		50 1 50
169.—BLANCHE D'ORLEANS, fine white.....	1	00
170.—GLOIRE DU NORD, red.....		75
171.—JANUS, or TWIN BERRIED, largest, most prolific and valuable.....	1	50
172.—LA GRANGE, estimable.....	1	00
173.—LA MEUDONAISE, lettuce-leaved, large, red, few runners.....	1	00
174.—PERPETUAL DE POITOU, red.....		75
175.—TRIOMPHE DE HOLLANDE, fine red.....	1	00
176.—VERSAILLES, red, large, estimable.....		75
177.—ALPINE MONTHLY RED BUSH, Gaillon rouge.....		75
178.—ALPINE MONTHLY WHITE BUSH, Gaillon blanche.....		75

ORNAMENTAL STRAWBERRIES.

- 179.—DOUBLE FLOWERING, neat, beautiful, rare. For four, \$1.....
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\$ cts.	\$ cts.

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 A Wholesale Priced List will be sent to Nurseries for such leading varieties as they may desire. By the 1,000 or 10,000, the price for standard varieties, assorted, will be \$5 to \$6 per thousand, or ten per cent. lower than any other advertised prices.

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	DOZEN.	100	500	1,000
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Brinkle's Orange.....	75	6 00		
Clark.....	15 00	100 00		
Black Cap, Doolittle.....	75	3 00	12 00	20 00
Globose Antwerp.....	2 00	10 00		
Imperial Red.....	1 00	8 00		
Kirtland.....	75	2 50	15 00	25 00
Lindsley.....	1 50	8 00		
Magnum Bonum, Yellow and Pearl, each.....	1 50	10 00		
Prince's New Yellow.....	2 50	15 00		
Red Antwerp, great market berry.....	75	2 00	8 00	15 00

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	DOZEN.	100	500	1,000
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During.....	9 00			
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Parsley or Cut-Leaved.....	3 00	20 00		

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REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE LAND OFFICE

The report of the Commission of the Land Office for the year ending 31st December 1900 is herewith submitted to the House of Commons.

REVENUE

The following table shows the amount of the revenue of the Land Office for the year ending 31st December 1900, compared with the amount for the corresponding year of the previous year.

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REVENUE - BY CLASS

CLASS	1900	1899
Land Tax	1,000,000	950,000
Stamp Duty	100,000	100,000
Income Tax	50,000	50,000
Other	50,000	50,000
Total	1,200,000	1,150,000

EXPENDITURE - BY CLASS

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