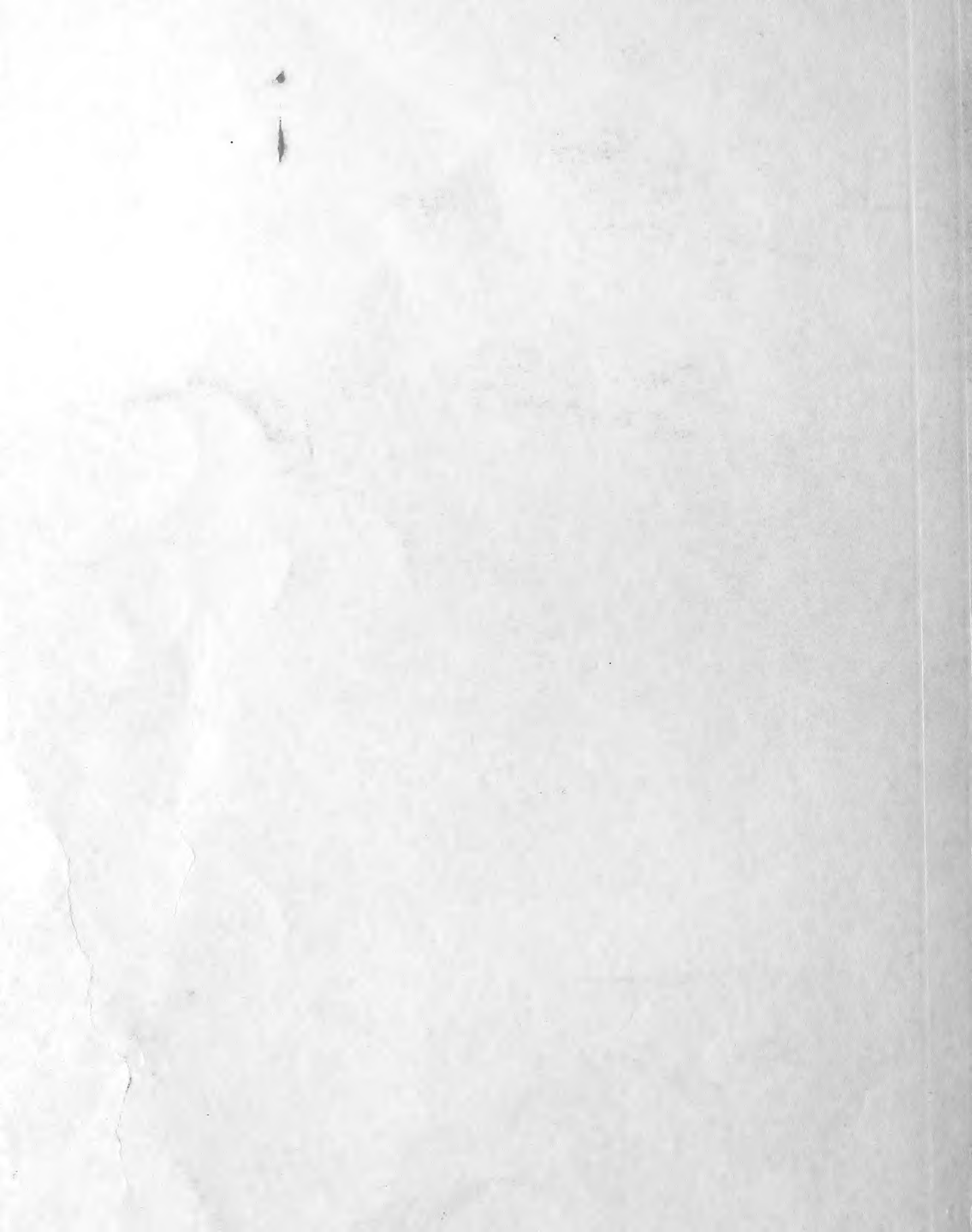


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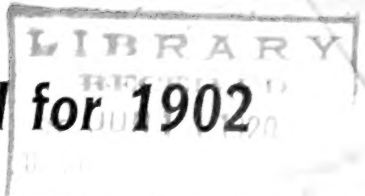
WHOLESALE
PRICE LIST
FOR MARKET
GARDENERS

1902

From Wm Henry Maule
Seedsman, Philadelphia, Pa., U.S.A.



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I Hit the Nail Right on the Head for 1902

by presenting you in this most condensed form my Wholesale Price List to truckers, in which I offer you the finest lot of seeds ever gotten together by a single American seed house, in a year when owing to short crops, almost every other seed concern is shouting high prices.

Two years ago I started to make preparations for my Silver Anniversary in the seed business. With this end in view last season I planted a larger acreage than ever of almost everything, and I go into the season of 1902, notwithstanding short crops, with the most complete line of garden seeds it has ever been my pleasure to offer my customers.

Take the single item of Gradus or Prosperity Peas, I have more of these peas to sell than all the other seed houses in America put together, and the same thing may be said of many other sorts. Above all, notwithstanding the fact that better seeds than Maule's cannot be obtained at any price, I am able by reason of large stocks of many things, to quote you herewith most reasonable figures. As I have stated frequently before, I believe in a live and let live policy. Many market gardeners had a hard season in 1901 on account of the unusual weather, too much rain in some places, too little in others, consequently, you all want to make a twenty dollar bill go as far as possible. Never in the history of my business has my early winter trade been so satisfactory; my orders at this writing are running double those of last year, so that although my stocks of many things are extraordinarily large, it looks as if some of them would not last the season out, hence I would respectfully solicit your orders at as early a date as possible.

Wishing you the compliments of the season, and a Happy and Prosperous New Year,

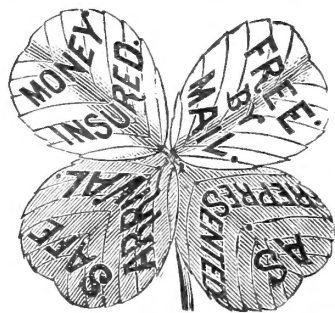
I remain,

Yours always to command,

Wm. H. Maule

I wish to call particular attention to the fact that this price list is intended for truckers only, and by truckers I mean those who are regularly in the market garden business, raising vegetables for a living. In no case and under no circumstances will orders be filled from it for private gardeners, whom I would respectfully refer to my Silver Anniversary Catalogue.

Notice. Many individual items are quoted so low in this Price List that I will not fill orders for them exclusively, as these prices are made for the benefit of my regular customers who send me their general order. For instance, I shall decline to fill all orders received for Alaska Peas at \$5.50 per bushel, when nothing else is ordered; the same thing applies to Prosperity, American Wonder, Nott's Excelsior and other peas, Wardwell's Kidney Wax Beans, etc., etc. I do not propose to sell my entire supply of one variety to five or six large canning establishments, etc.; but propose to divide same in small lots among my many thousand market gardener customers.



My Four-Leaf Clover GUARANTEE.

1. SAFE ARRIVAL. I guarantee that all goods sold by me shall reach my customers in good order.

2. MONEY INSURED. I guarantee to hold myself responsible for the safe arrival of all remittances sent me by P. O. order, draft, check or registered letter.

3. FREE BY MAIL. I guarantee to deliver, free of all charges, all garden seeds, when 10 cents per pound or 15 cents per quart, is added to prices quoted in this list.

4. AS REPRESENTED. I guarantee my seeds to be just as represented. If they prove otherwise, I will refill the order free of charge; but it must be understood that I do not guarantee the crop any further than to refill the order.

WHAT MORE COULD BE ASKED?

I guarantee everything but the crop. Protected from loss by this most liberal of all guarantees, every one can rest assured of the most entire satisfaction.

The Prices Given in This List

Are for seeds carefully packed and delivered free on board in this city, to express, railroad or steamship company; but the purchaser MUST in all cases pay the freight. If you want anything sent by mail, 10 cents per pound or 10 cents per quart for sweet corn, and 15 cents per quart for peas and beans, must be added to prices quoted. One-quarter and one-half pounds may be ordered at the pound prices. Quarter bushels and half bushels at the bushel rate.

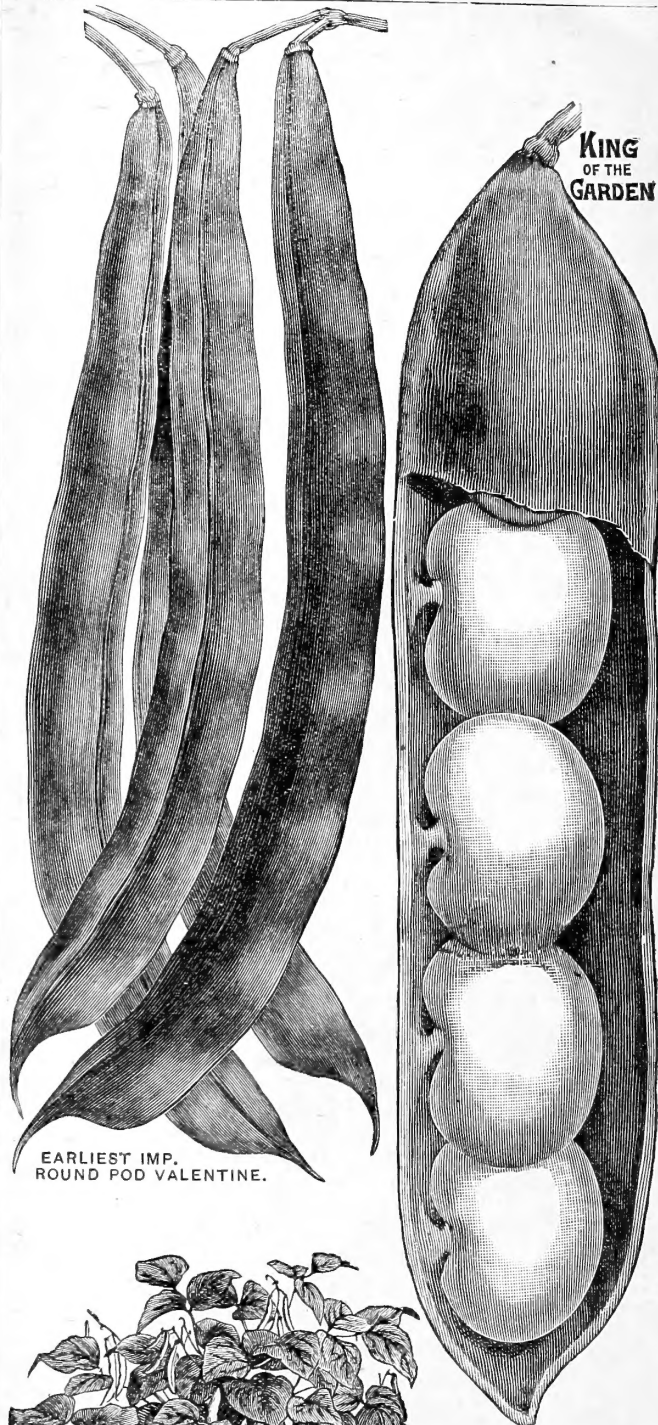
TERMS:

CASH WITH ORDER, or satisfactory bank reference. Money may be sent by post office order, draft or check. If you don't remit in any of these ways, REGISTER THE LETTER; you can do this at any post office in America. I will send C. O. D. by express on orders exceeding \$10, if 25 per cent. of the money is remitted with the order. I cannot ship C. O. D. by freight. I receive postage stamps same as cash.

Early Orders are Particularly Solicited

At this writing I have already sold more Alaska Peas for next season's planting than I sold the entire season of 1901. The same thing applies to many other varieties in this Price List, so that notwithstanding my large stocks, in many cases double those of last season, I am very sure I shall be sold out of many things earlier than usual, and as it is impossible for me to replace them with seeds of equal quality from other seedsmen, the only thing left for me to do will be to return your money when I am sold out of the seeds I now have in store.

Every trucker receiving this list should have a copy of my Silver Anniversary Catalogue. It is undoubtedly the seed book of the year, containing as it does, full description of everything named in this Price List, eight colored plates, more than 650 illustrations, 72 varieties illustrated in colors. If you have not already received a copy, you should send for it at once. It is mailed free to all who apply for it, mentioning this Wholesale Price List to Truckers.



EARLIEST IMP.
ROUND POD VALENTINE.



WARDWELL'S KIDNEY WAX.

PLEASE NOTE

That this is nothing more than a plain price list for truckers. I have omitted almost all descriptions from this list from the fact that everything is so fully described in my annual catalogue that it would be superfluous to repeat descriptions of varieties here.

Bear in mind that you can always order one-fourth pounds at the pound rate and pecks at the bushel rate.

The following prices are absolutely net. Goods are delivered free of charge on board cars or steamer in this city, no charge for bags or cartage, but the purchaser must pay transportation charges.

ASPARAGUS.

	Pound.
Barr's Philadelphia Mammoth.....	90
Palmetto	65
Columbian Mammoth White.....	65
Conover's Colossal	30
Giant Argenteuil	90

ASPARAGUS ROOTS.

	Per 1,000
Barr's Philadelphia Mammoth, 1 year.....	3.50
Barr's Philadelphia Mammoth, 2 year.....	5.00
Columbian Mammoth White, 1 year.....	3.75
Columbian Mammoth White, 2 year.....	5.50
Conover's Colossal, 1 year.....	3.50
Conover's Colossal, 2 year.....	4.00
Palmetto, 1 year.....	3.50
Palmetto, 2 year.....	4.50
Giant Argenteuil, 1 year.....	4.50

BEANS—Dwarf or Bush.

	Qt.	½ pk.	bush.
Earliest Improved Round Pod Valentine.....	15	45	3.25
New Stringless Green Pod.....	15	45	3.25
The Silver	40		
Inexhaustible	20	65	4.50

BEANS--Dwarf or Bush. (Continued.)

	Qt.	½ pk.	bush.
Early Mohawk	15	45	3.00
Giant Podded Stringless Valentine.....	15	45	3.25
Extra Early Refugee.....	15	45	3.00
Imp. Early Yellow Six Weeks.....	15	45	3.00
Round Pod Refugee, or 1090 to 1.....	20	55	3.75
Best of All	20	50	3.50
White Marrowfat	15	45	3.00
New Imperial White Seeded Wax.....	60		
Burlingame Medium	15	45	3.25
Maule's Butter Wax.....	25	85	6.00
New Valentine Wax.....	20	65	4.50
Improved Rust Proof Golden Wax.....	20	60	4.00
Currie's Rust Proof Golden Wax.....	20	65	4.50
Wardwell's Kidney Wax.....	20	60	4.00
Jones' Stringless Wax.....	20	65	4.75
Prolific Black Wax.....	20	60	4.75
Yosemite Mammoth Wax.....	25	85	6.00
Perfection or Flageolet Wax.....	20	65	4.50
New Davis Kidney Wax.....	20	60	4.00
Roger's Lima Wax.....	20	65	4.50
Henderson's Bush Lima.....	25	80	5.75
Burpee's Bush Lima.....	30	100	7.00
Thorburn's or Dreer's Bush Lima.....	30	100	7.50
Dwarf Horticultural	20	55	3.75
Vineless Marrow	15	45	3.00

BEANS—Pole or Running.

"Noxall" Green Podded Pole.....	30	100	7.50
White Creaseback	30	100	7.50
Kentucky Wonder	25	90	6.75
Golden Cluster	30	100	7.75
Lazy Wives	25	85	6.00
Red Speckled Cut Short, or Corn Hill.....	30	100	
Seibert's Early Lima.....	25	90	6.75
Salem Improved Large Lima.....	25	85	6.00
King of the Garden Lima.....	25	90	6.75
Dreer's Improved, or Challenger Lima.....	30	100	7.00



New Stringless Green Pod Bush Bean.

A TRUCKER'S TREASURE.

The New Stringless Green Pod is now one of the most popular bush beans in America. In point of earliness it ranks among the first; in quality it is excelled by none, and in bearing ability it stands without a rival. It is unquestionably the greatest green pod bean to date. As to brittleness of pod, the point suggested by its name, its merit is so high that its enthusiastic friends claim that it is

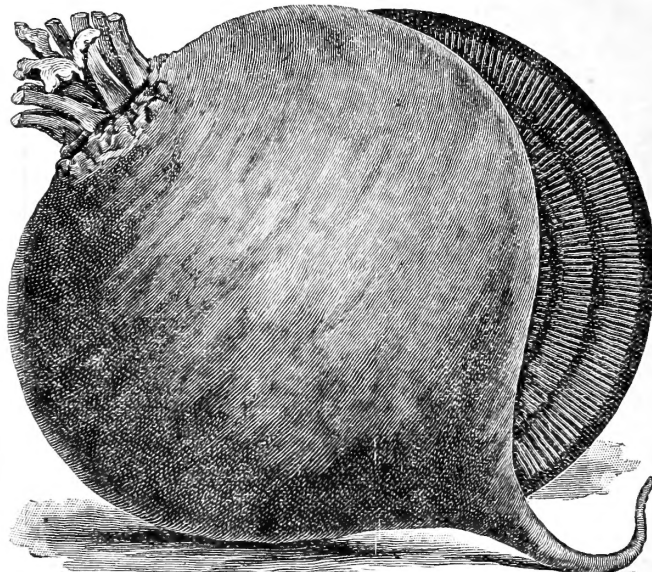
The Only Really Stringless Green Pod Bean in Cultivation.

BEETS.

	Pound.
Maule's Blood Turnip.....	80
Detroit Dark Red.....	65
Electric	45
Eclipse	45
Maule's Dark Red Egyptian.....	40
Crosby's Egyptian	45
Philadelphia Early Turnip.....	40
Bastian's Early Red.....	40
Early Bassano	40
Edmand's Turnip	40
Half Long Blood.....	40
New Market King.....	80
Market Gardener's	80
Maule's Improved Long Red.....	40
Swiss Chard	40
Klein Wanzleben Sugar.....	20
Imperial Sugar.....	25

MANGELS.

New Giant Half Sugar.....	25
The Jumbo	25
Maule's Gate Post.....	25
New Giant Yellow Intermediate.....	20
Yellow Tankard	20
Mammoth Prize Long Red.....	20
Maule's Champion Yellow Globe.....	20



MAULE'S BLOOD TURNIP BEET. (*The best of them all.*)

The Celebrated Lupton Cabbage.

**A Grand Leading Main Crop Sort of my Introduction
The Only Real Rival of the Famed Surehead.**

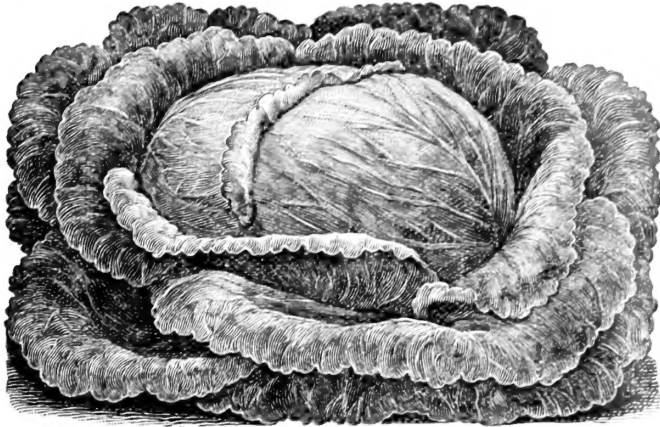
Again I present the great Lupton Cabbage as a leading novelty. Nothing among the new sorts can approach it in merit and productiveness. No other late cabbage (except Surehead) can rival it. It holds the place of honor among my cabbage trials, just as it has done every year for a decade.

Lupton has some of the best traits of Surehead, with the size and general shape of Maule's Prize Flat Dutch; but is several days earlier than the latter. Its growth is particularly strong and vigorous. Its color is a dark bluish green, indicating robust constitution and healthy development. The leaves are broad and well filled out to their juncture with the stem. The stem is short, and broad under the head, but tapers almost to a point where it enters the ground. The head is thick and flat, with the outer leaves covering it well across the centre. It is very large, solid, and of the most excellent quality and flavor, without any features of coarseness, the veins and ribs being well developed, but not prominent.

The Lupton cabbage began its career in 1888, on the eastern end of Long Island, in an extensive cabbage growing district. The originator, whose name the cabbage bears, is undoubtedly the largest grower of first class cabbage seed in America and every prominent seed firm in the country considers him an authority on this important subject. In the autumn of 1888 a single specimen of a new strain of cabbage was found growing as a sport in a field of Late Flat Dutch. Mr. Lupton, whose long experience qualifies him to act as an expert judge, at once recognized a prize in the new sort, and thus the Lupton cabbage had its origin.

I was given the privilege of associating the name of the originator with the new strain, a privilege which Mr. Lupton would never have granted except in case of a strain in which he had the utmost confidence, and I can say that it deserves, equally with Surehead, the celebrated descriptive phrase, "all head and always sure to head." Lupton matures about a week in advance of the various strains of Late Flat Dutch, is an excellent keeper, and for all purposes of the farmer and gardener, makes with Surehead the two best main crop cabbages now on the market.

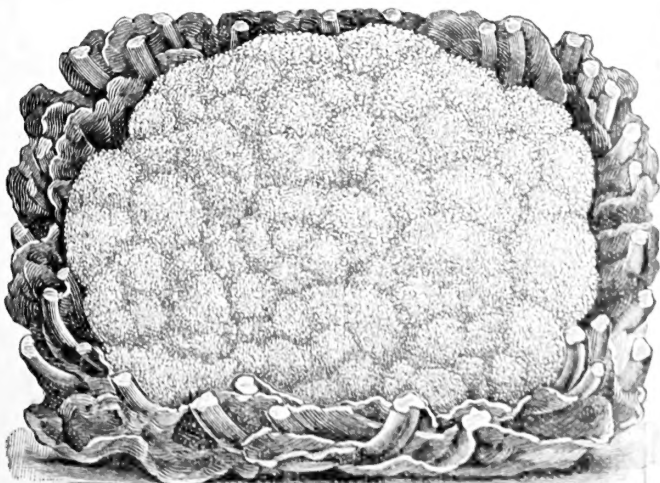




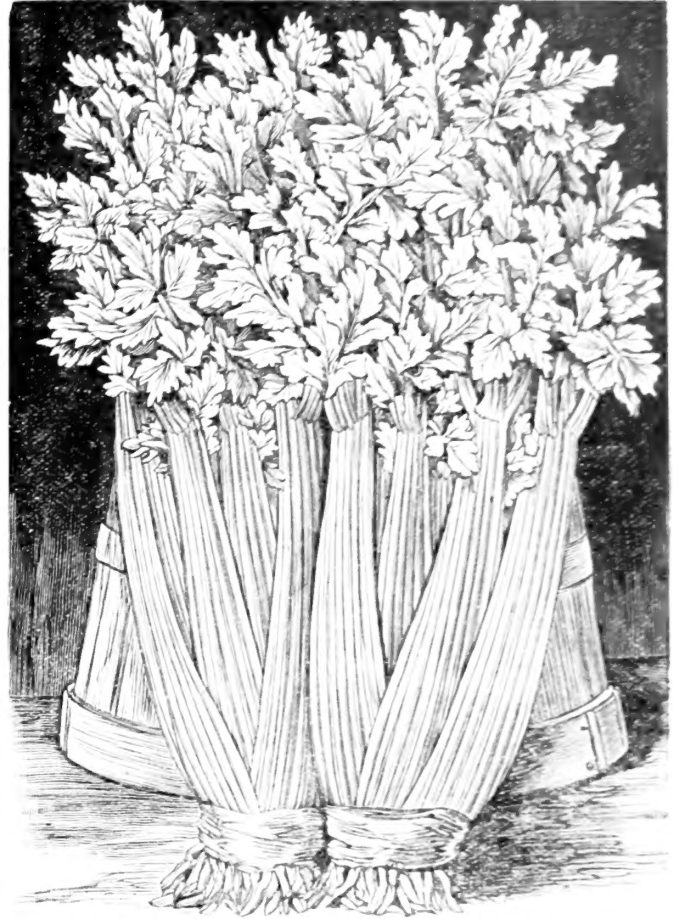
SUCCESSION CABBAGE.

CABBAGE.

	Oz.	Lb.
First Early.....Pkt., 10c.; ½ oz., 60c.; oz., \$1.00		
New Early Crackerjack..Pkt., 10c.; ½ oz., 30c.....	50	
The Lupton	25	2.75
Earliest Express	20	1.75
Maule's Midsummer	20	2.25
Succession	25	2.75
Maule's Genuine Surehead.....	25	2.40
Earliest Etampes	20	1.75
Maule's Prize Wakefield	25	3.25
Charleston Wakefield	25	3.25
Maule's Winningstadt	15	1.40
Maule's Early Flat Dutch.....	20	2.00
All Head Early	25	2.90
Early Summer	25	2.75
Early Spring	25	2.75
Improved Brunswick	25	2.75
Deep Head	25	2.50
Marblehead Mammoth	20	1.75
Autumn King, or Worldbeater.....	20	2.00
Maule's Prize Flat Dutch.....	20	2.25
Maule's Prize Drumhead.....	20	2.25
Stonemason	20	1.75
Danish Ball Head	25	2.75
Felderkraut	15	1.40
Imp. Drumhead Savoy.....	20	1.75
New Red Polish Short Stemmed.....	20	2.25
Mammoth Red Rock.....	25	3.40
The Houser	50	5.40



DRY WEATHER CAULIFLOWER.



GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING CELERY. (XX SELECTED STRAIN.)

CELERY.

	Per Pound.
Golden Self-Blanching. XX Selected Strain.....	6.00
Golden Self-Blanching	3.25
White Plume	2.25
Giant Pascal	1.25
Evan's Triumph	1.75
Perle Le Grand	1.75
Kalamazoo	1.25
Giant Golden Heart	1.25
Dwarf Golden Heart.....	1.25
Boston Market	1.25
Perfection Heartwell	1.25
Crawford's Half Dwarf.....	1.25
Large White Solid.....	1.25
New Rose Ribbed Paris Self-Blanching.....	2.75
Pink Plume	1.75
Winter Queen	4.00
The Schumacher	1.75
Soup (old seed for flavoring).....	25

CRESS.

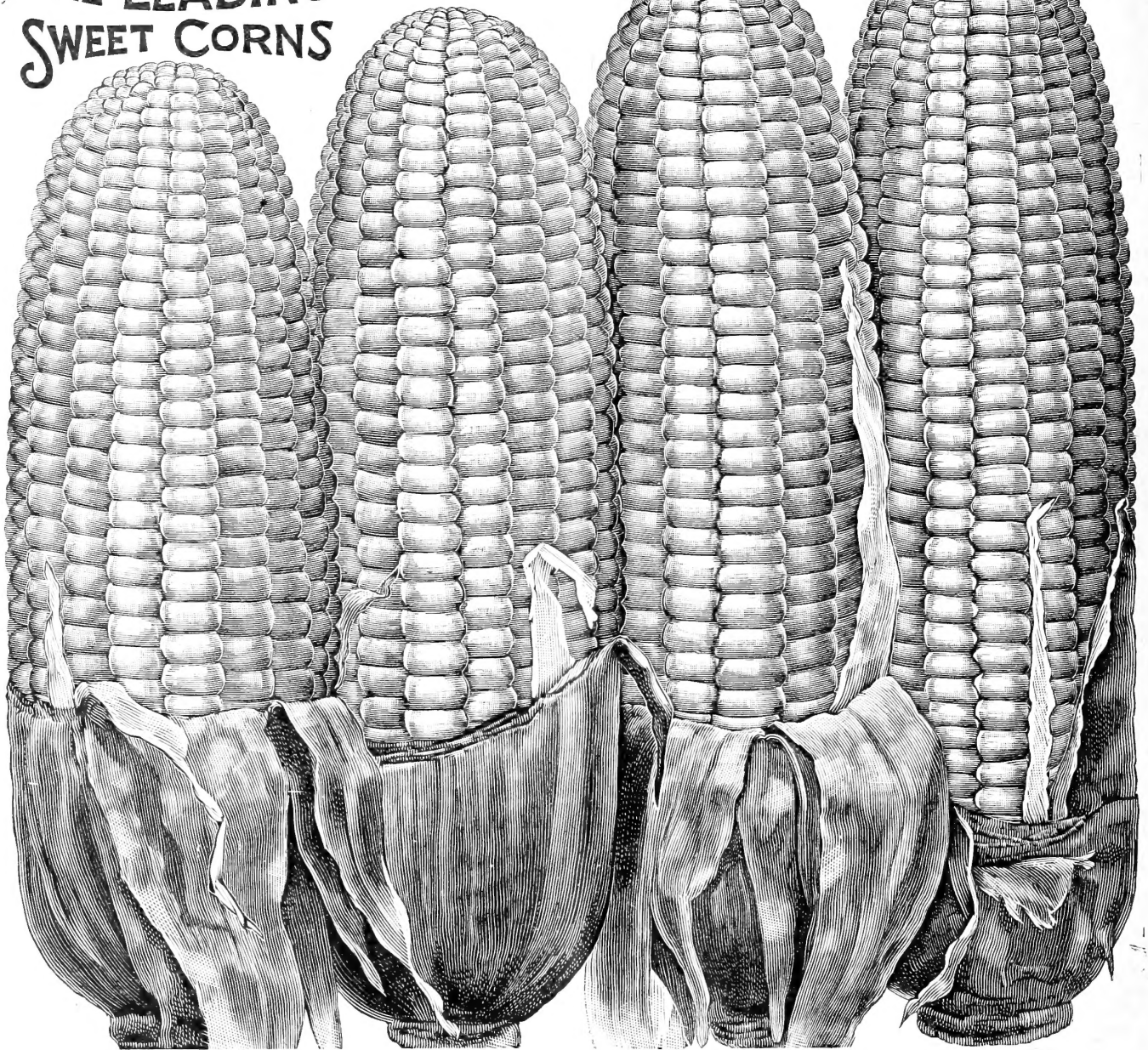
Extra Curled	40
Water	3.50

CAULIFLOWER.

	½ oz.	1 lb.	10 lb.
Maule's Prize Earliest.....	75	2.75	10.00
Early Snowball	60	2.25	8.00
Earliest Dwarf Erfurt	60	2.25	8.00
Dry Weather	75	3.00	
Early Paris		50	2.00
Early London		50	2.00
Autumn Giant		40	1.50

"THE BIG 4" THE LEADING EARLY SWEET CORNS

A PACKET OF EACH
ONLY 25 CENTS



KENDEL'S EARLY GIANT.

MAULE'S XX.

METROPOLITAN.

EARLY CHAMPION.

SWEET CORN.

	Qt.	½ pk.	bus.		Qt.	½ pk.	bus.
First of All.....	20	50	3.25	Early Marblehead	15	40	2.25
Kendel's Early Giant.....	20	45	3.00	Early Minnesota	15	40	2.25
Metropolitan	20	45	3.00	Adam's Extra Early.....	15	40	2.25
Early Champion	20	45	3.00	Crosby's Extra Early.....	15	40	2.25
Improved Giant	25	60	4.00	Black Mexican	15	40	2.25
Early Sheffield	20	50	3.25	Stabler's Early	15	40	2.25
None Such	15	40	2.50	Amber Cream	15	40	2.25
Country Gentleman	15	40	2.75	Perry's Hybrid	15	40	2.25
Maule's XX Sugar.....	20	50	3.50	Excelsior Sugar	15	40	2.25
Everbearing	15	40	2.25	Egyptian	15	40	2.25
The Cory	15	40	2.25	Maule's Mammoth	15	40	2.25
White Cob Cory	15	40	2.25	Stowell's Evergreen	15	40	2.25
Mammoth White Cory.....	15	40	2.25	Zig Zag Evergreen	15	40	2.50
				Sweet Corn for Green Fodder.....			1.25

FIELD CORN.

	Bushel.
New Droughtproof	2.50
Snow White Dent	2.25
New Klondike	2.25
Maule's Improved Early Mastodon	1.75
Leaming	1.75
Extra Early Huron Dent	1.75
Improved Golden Beauty	1.75
Iowa Gold Mine	1.75
Hickory King	1.75
Iowa Silver Mine	1.75
Kent White Prolific	1.75
Chester Co. Mammoth	1.75
Red Cob Ensilage	1.75



SHORT GREEN OR EARLY FRAME.



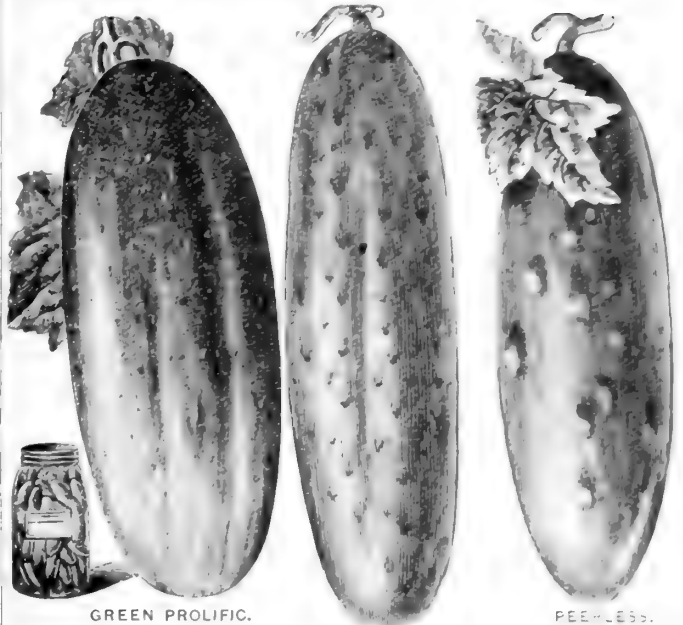
THORBURN'S EVERBEARING.

CARROTS.

	Pound.
New Golden Rod	2.25
New Long Lemon Stump Rooted	1.15
Golden Ball	75
Maule's Danvers	75
Scarlet Intermediate	75
Oxheart	75
Early Scarlet Horn	65
Early Half Long Scarlet	75
Maule's Improved Long Orange	75
Chantenay	75
Red St. Valery	65
Improved Short White	50
Large White Vosges	50
Large White Belgian	50
Large Yellow Belgian	40

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GREEN PROLIFIC.

EVERGREEN.

PEERLESS.

CUCUMBERS.

Maule's Extra Early	50
New Cumberland	25
Maule's Peerless	40
Maule's Early White Spine	40
Improved Long Green	50
Emerald	40
Green Prolific	40
Evergreen	40
Bennett's White Spine	40
Cool and Crisp	40
Giant Pera	75
Everbearing	40
Early Russian	40
Early Green Cluster	40
White Wonder	40
Short Green or Early Frame	30
Tailby's Hybrid	40
Perfected Jersey Pickle	40
Chicago Pickle	40
Nichol's Medium Green	40
Extra Long White Spine	40
Japanese Climbing	25
Small Gherkin	25



EGG PLANT.

	Oz.	Lb.
New Cherry Black.....Pkt., 10c.; 3 pkts., 25c.		
Excelsior Tree.....Pkt., 15c.; 2 pkts., 25c.		
New York Improved Purple.....	30	2.90
Black Pekin.....	30	2.90
Earliest Dwarf Purple.....	20	2.25
Early Long Purple.....	20	1.90
New White.....	30	

ENDIVE.

	Pound.
Green Curled.....	1.00
Ever White Curled.....	1.25
Broad Leaved Batavian.....	1.25
Oyster, or Fringed.....	1.25

KOHLE RABI.

Improved Imperial.....	1.15
Large White.....	1.15

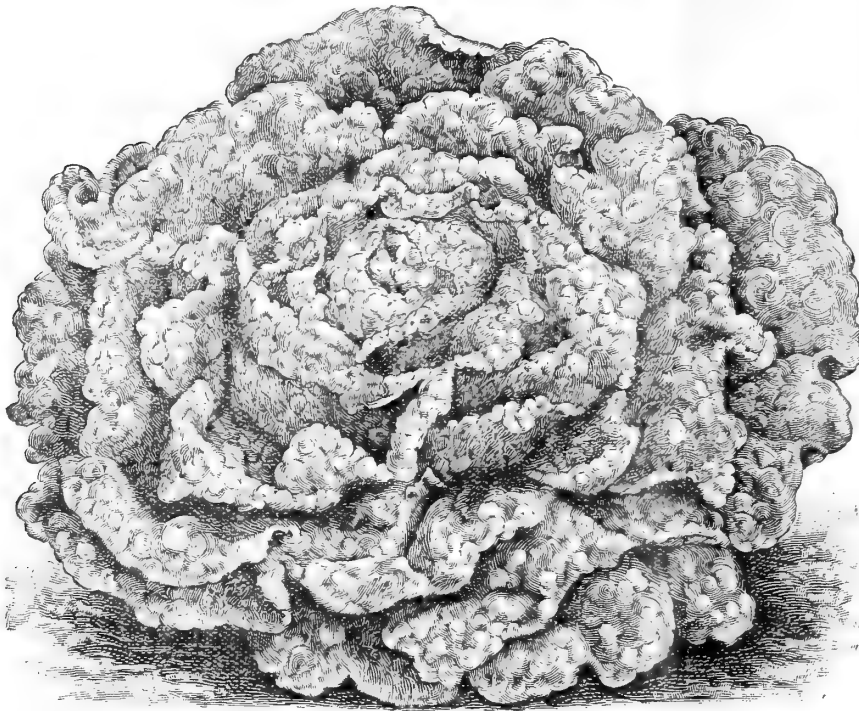
LEEK.

Broad Flag.....	1.00
Giant Italian.....	1.25

HERBS. (Pot and Medicinal.)

	Ounce.
Anise.....	10
Balm.....	20
Basil, Sweet.....	20
Bene.....	15
Borage.....	15
Caraway.....	10
Catnip.....	30
Cicely, Sweet.....	25
Coriander.....	10
Cumin.....	15
Dill.....	10
Fennel, Sweet.....	10
Horehound.....	20
Lavender.....	15
Marjoram, Sweet.....	15
Rue.....	15
Rosemary.....	20
Saffron.....	15
Sage.....	10
Summer Savory.....	10
Tansy.....	25
Thyme.....	20
Winter Savory.....	15
Wormwood.....	15

MAULE'S NEW ROSETTE LETTUCE.



LETTUCE.

	Pound.
Maule's New Rosette.....	5.00
The Forty Day.....	2.50
Maule's Improved Hanson.....	1.25
Crisp as Ice.....	2.50
Myer's All Right.....	1.75
Maximum.....	1.25
Maule's Philadelphia Butter.....	90
Mignonette.....	90
New York.....	90
The Morse.....	90
Big Boston.....	1.15
Thick Head Yellow.....	90
Silver Ball.....	90

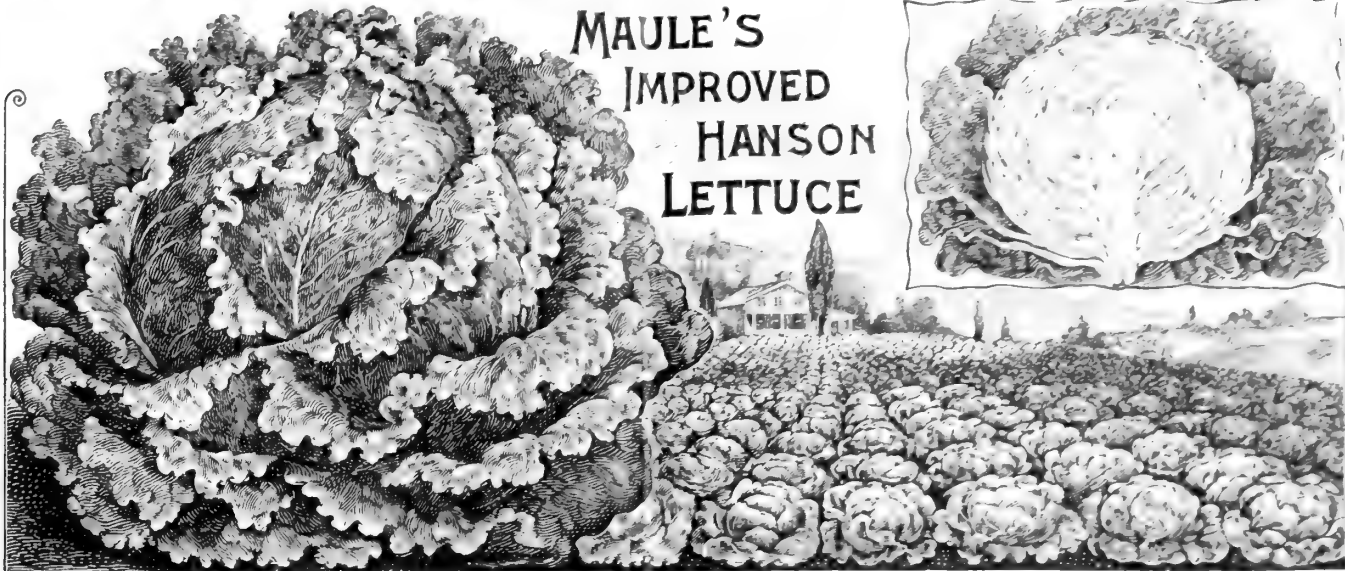
	Pound.
Tilton's White Star.....	90
Stubborn Seeder.....	1.25
Iceberg.....	1.15
Black Seeded Simpson.....	1.15
Denver Market.....	90
Early Prize Head.....	90
Grand Rapids.....	90
Tennis Ball (<i>Black Seeded</i>).....	90
Salamander.....	90
All the Year Round.....	90
Boston Curled.....	90
Green Fringed.....	90
New Limagne Cos.....	2.50
Dwarf White Heart Cos.....	1.15
Mixed.....	75

While in France in 1900 visiting the Exposition I was fortunate enough to secure this brand new Cabbage Lettuce, which I offered in my 1901 catalogue under the name of Maule's Unnamed Lettuce, presenting a packet free to my many thousand customers who ordered one dollar's worth of seeds from me. It certainly created a place for itself, whether in the garden, on the table, or on the market stall, and was the admiration of all who saw it. The shape and general appearance of Rosette is plainly shown in the illustration herewith, and I do not think a better name could have been selected. This name was suggested by three of my customers, Mrs. Edw. Hull, Encinitos, Cal., N. P. Gregg, Eastsound, Wash., Mrs. E. J. Pelton, Riner, Va., among whom the \$100 prize was equally divided.

Rosette is of good size, a plant covering an area of 8 to 10 inches in diameter. The head is full and compact; pale green in color, almost yellow on top. The outer leaves are very much rounded in outline, with a few broad, coarse crimpings, and not nearly so pale in color as the leaves which form the head. The seed is white. It is regular in shape, and the head forms quickly. It is slow to run to seed. It is not the largest lettuce on the market in spread of leaves; but in actual crop it outyields many larger sorts. It is nearly all head, and but little waste, and it is to be strongly recommended for both home and market use. Last fall I was in receipt of hundreds of letters praising Rosette in highest terms. I quote from a few as follows:

R. M. Jefferies, Thebes, Ill.: It comes nearer combining all the qualities required by a market gardener than any sort.—H. Wolrath, St. Johnsville, N. Y.: I cannot speak too highly of its merits. The flavor is delicious, and it surpasses any thing in the way of a lettuce my friends or myself have ever eaten.—E. Lamphere, Bethany, Neb.: The best I ever saw; stood the hot, dry weather of Nebraska this year better than any vegetable I had.—David Winter, Remington, Ind.: We had very hot, dry weather, but it kept right on growing, was always crisp and of fine nutty flavor; without exception the finest lettuce I ever tasted. S. G. Kilgore, London, O.: Far ahead of any I ever tasted; crisp, juicy and tender, with a peculiar buttery flavor.

MAULE'S IMPROVED HANSON LETTUCE



MUSTARD.

	Pound.
Southern Giant Curled.....	70
White	30
Black	39
New Chinese	65

MUSKMELONS.

Maule's New Model	2.00
Maule's Superior	40
Maule's Perfection	65
Maule's Netted Gem or Rocky Ford.....	40
Rocky Ford Netted Gem. <i>Colorado Grown</i>	50
Osage Gem	60
Extra Early Hackensack	40
Columbus	40
Petoskey, or Paul Rose.....	40
Tip Top	40
Beck's Strawberry	50
Burpee's Melrose	40
Extra Early Grand Rapids	40
Montreal	40
Osage	40
Champion Market	40
Norfolk Button	65
Maule's Prize Jenny Lind.....	40
Emerald Gem	40
Casaba	40
Hackensack, or Turk's Cap.....	40
Baltimore	40
Bay View	40
Early Nutmeg	40

OKRA.

Improved Perkins' Giant Green Pod.....	65
Dwarf Green	40
Long Green	49
Lady Finger	50
White Velvet	50



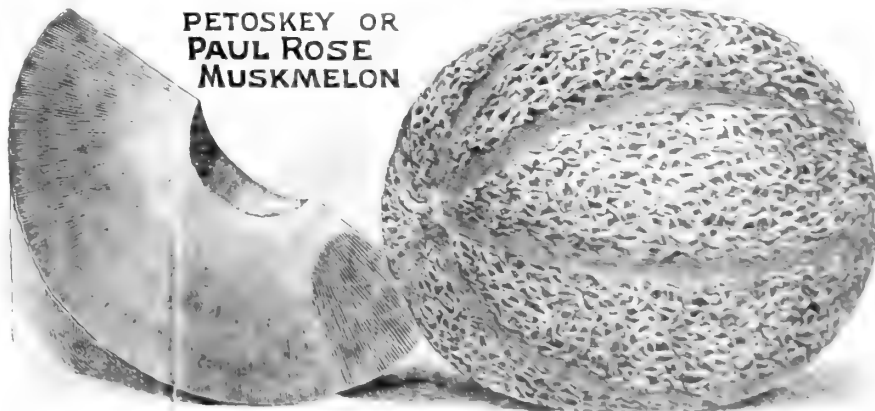
MAULE'S NETTED GEM OR ROCKY FORD MUSKMELON.

PETOSKEY OR PAUL ROSE.

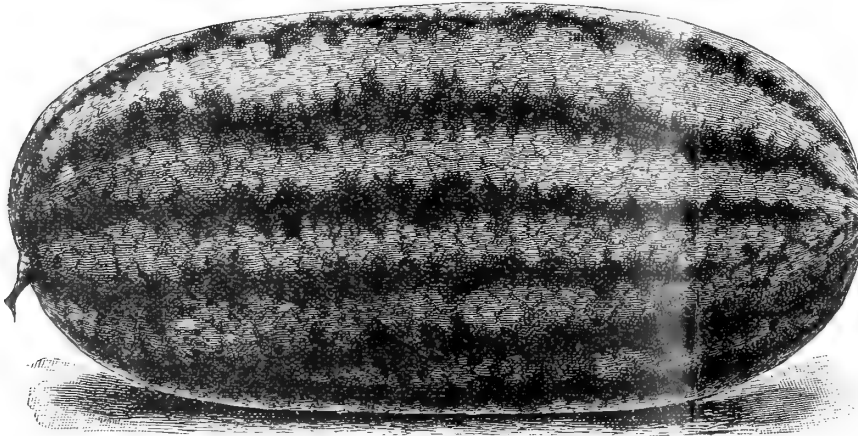
THICK MEATED AND FINE FLAVOR.

This extra fine salmon fleshed melon is a hybrid between Osage and Netted Gem, being a full brother to the new Osage Gem, which I elsewhere describe. It is, however, larger than Osage Gem, with deeper flesh. It is the thickest fleshed yellow or salmon colored muskmelon within my knowledge. It is of the Netted Gem or Rocky Ford family, being small in size, slightly elongated in shape, and of the highest flavor known. The average weight of all these melons is below 2 pounds, with Petoskey somewhat larger than some of the others. The illustration shows the shape. Notwithstanding its thin rind, Petoskey is a good shipper and fine melon for market purposes. Its habit of growth is very uniform, and it is handsome when in crate or basket. It is of the type which is now in highest fashion. My seed is grown directly from headquarters stock.

PETOSKEY OR PAUL ROSE MUSKMELON

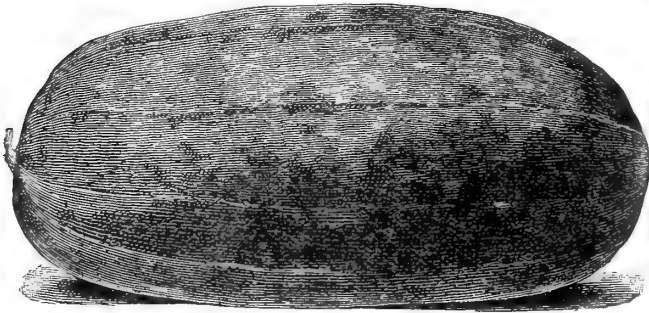


THE WONDERFUL SUGAR OR McIVER MELON. The Sweetest of All.



THE WONDERFUL SUGAR OR McIVER MELON.

This widely famous watermelon is, I believe, the sweetest grown, and the best in table quality ever put before the people of this country. It is of medium size, with striped or variegated exterior, beautiful red flesh, and light colored or white seeds. The flesh is entirely stringless, and of perfect quality as to texture and sweetness. The vines are strong, thrifty and prolific, and well adapted to withstand either wet weather or drought. This melon was grown for many years by Col. E. R. McIver, of South Carolina, president of his county agricultural society, and a watermelon enthusiast, and he considered it the sweetest within his knowledge. The seed came originally from the West Indies. Prof. W. F. Massey, of North Carolina, wrote of it in terms of high and unqualified praise to THE PRACTICAL FARMER, of Philadelphia, and I introduced it to the American public in my 1894 catalogue. Since that time it has been tried by many thousands of my customers, both North and South, and unlimited praise is given to it for the qualities above described. The Wonderful Sugar melon should be in every choice garden in America. It is well adapted to nearby markets, but is rather delicate for long freight shipment. I highly recommend Wonderful sugar to every melon fancier.



THE KLECKLEY SWEETS.

WATERMELONS.

	Pound.
The Alabama Sweet	1.40
Carolina Bradford	1.40
Harris' Earliest	90
New National	50
Wonderful Sugar, or McIver.....	50
The Jones	40

WATERMELONS. (Continued.)

	Pound.
Dixie	40
Cuban Queen	40
Mammoth Ironclad	40
Gray Monarch, or Long White Icing.....	40
Florida Favorite	40
Seminole	40
Fordhook Early	40
Cole's Early	40
Phinney's Early	40
Mountain Sweet	40
Mountain Sprout	40
Peerless	40
Kolb's Gem	35
Sweet Heart	40
The Kleckley Sweets	40
True Dark Icing	40
The Boss	40
Georgia Rattlesnake	40
Pride of Georgia	40
Colorado Preserving	40

ONIONS.

Maule's Prizetaker	1.00
Mammoth Silver King	1.75
Giant Red Vesuvius	1.75
Maule's Red Wethersfield	75
Maule's Yellow Globe Danvers	75
Extra Early Red	75
Extra Early Yellow Cracker.....	75
Silver Skin	1.50
Southport Red Globe.....	75
Southport White Globe.....	1.75
Southport Yellow Globe.....	75
Yellow Dutch	75
Australian Brown	75
Round, or Flat Danvers.....	75
Yellow Strasburg (Yellow Dutch).....	75
White Barletta	2.15
Extra Early Pearl	1.50
Neapolitan Marzajola	1.65
Giant Pompeii	1.40
Giant Rocca of Naples	90
Mammoth Red Tripoli	1.15
Giant White Tripoli	1.65
Bermuda Island White.....	1.90
Bermuda Island Red	2.00
New Giant Gibraltar	2.15

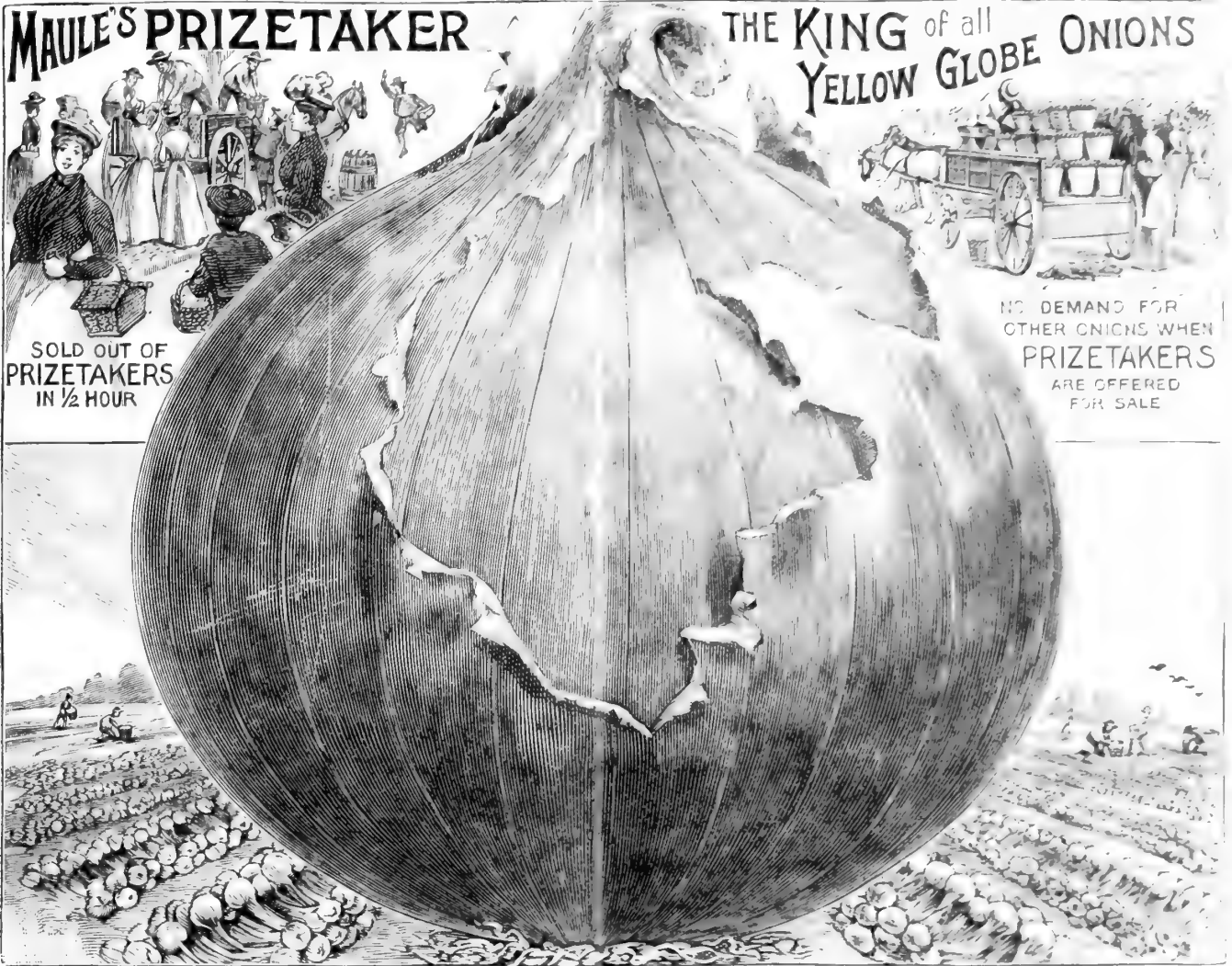
ONION SETS. (Subject to market changes.)

	Bushel.
Yellow	3.50
White	4.00
Large Red Wethersfield	4.00
Perennial Tree	3.50
Potato	4.50
White Multiplier	4.50



MAULE'S PRIZETAKER

**THE KING of all
YELLOW GLOBE ONIONS**



**SOLD OUT OF
PRIZETAKERS
IN 1/2 HOUR**

**NO DEMAND FOR
OTHER ONIONS WHEN
PRIZETAKERS
ARE OFFERED
FOR SALE**

Maule's Prizetaker Onion.

THE LEADER OF THEM ALL. NAMED AND INTRODUCED BY ME IN 1888.

It took the trade ten years to find out how good it was. With the result that it is now prominently listed in all the leading American Seed Catalogues

To carry any vegetable as a novelty for more than a decade, as I have done Prizetaker Onion, certainly speaks well for the vegetable. I named and introduced this great Onion in 1888, and ever since have given it special prominence in every catalogue I have issued. To-day, fourteen years after it was named by me, it will be found prominently illustrated in almost every catalogue. Some call it Smith's Prizetaker; Brown's Prizetaker; Jones's Prizetaker; and Robinson's Prizetaker; but no matter how many seedsmen put their names in front of Prizetaker, there is only one Prizetaker, and that is Maule's, named and introduced by me, and for five years catalogued by myself exclusively. Originally offered in 1888 at 25 cents per packet, 5 packets for \$1.00, the price has been gradually reduced until this year for the first time, I am able to quote Maule's Prizetaker Onion Seed, Headquarters Stock, for \$1.00 per pound.

Prizetaker is by far the handsomest, most productive, most popular and best of all Yellow Globe Onions. It is a bright clear straw color, and always grows to a uniform shape, which is a perfect globe. It has a very small neck, and ripens up without stiffness of the neck. In market it never fails to attract attention on account of its beauty, and is sure to bring a far better price than any other Onion. It is even more attractive in appearance than the large Spanish Onions sold on the city fruit stands, and in fact takes the place of that variety.

My predictions made years ago, at the time of its introduction, that Prizetaker would supplant all others of its class, has long since been verified. It has attracted more attention and awakened wider and more cordial enthusiasm than any other Onion ever introduced to the Ameri-

can public. It has proven itself a great acquisition to farmers and gardeners, and is to-day admitted to be the largest, finest flavored and most superior Yellow Globe Onion under cultivation.

I have, personally, looked in vain in various parts of Europe and America for an Onion surpassing Prizetaker in beauty, productiveness and general merit, and believe there is nothing better in the whole world. It is unexcelled either for home use or as a market variety.

\$100 IN TWO CASH PRIZES OF \$50 EACH.

I will pay \$50.00 Nov. 1st, 1902 to the customer residing in the River, sending me the largest and best formed Prizetaker. I will also pay \$50.00 to the customer residing West of the M. sending the largest and best formed Prizetaker Onion. A to be sent me charges prepaid, and to reach me on or before N 1902. These prizes will make an interesting contest between two great sections of the country, and I hope my customers will enter into this competition with a will.

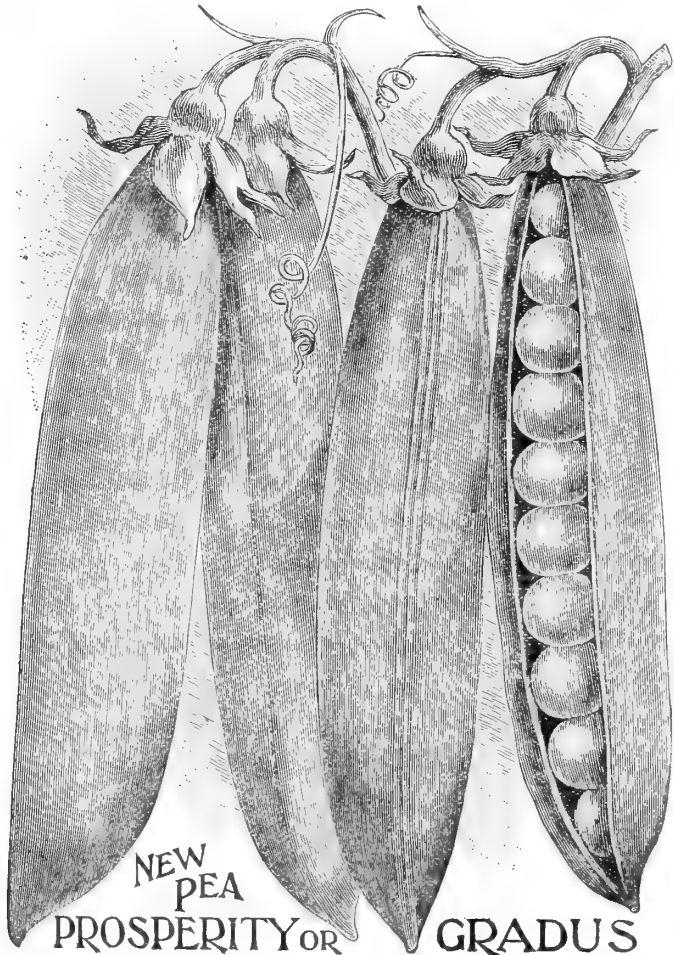
It is with pleasure I am able to say that this year I have with the largest supply of Prizetaker I ever had, say 10 to ten thousand pounds, my idea being that this is, my 14th Year, I should have plenty of seed of such a prominent variety to supply all my customers. I understand that Prizetaker are short, and that prices are liable to be high here is an opportunity for all those desiring to get the genuine headquarters stock at very

PARSLEY.

Champion Moss Curled.....	Pound.	65
Fern Leaved	65	
Double Curled	55	
Plain	40	

PARSNIP.

Early Short Round	50
Improved Long Smooth.....	40
Improved Half Long	65



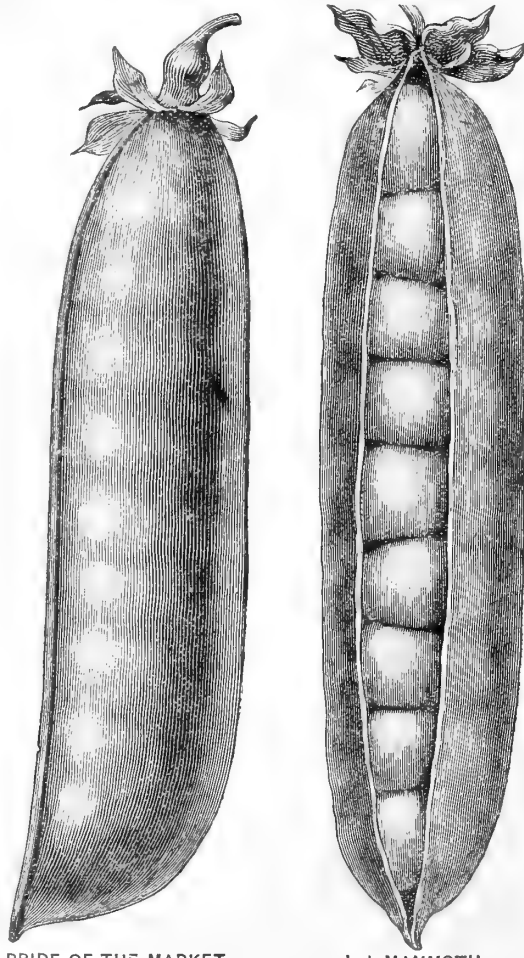
	Qt.	½ pk.	bus.
Maule's Earliest of All.....	25	75	5.50
Maule's Improved Extra Early	20	65	5.00
Alaska	25	75	5.50
Maule's Family Garden	20	65	5.00
Prosperity, or Gradus	40	1.50	10.00
Nott's Excelsior	25	80	6.00
Surprise	25	75	5.50
Dwarf Telephone	35	1.25	
American Wonder	25	80	6.00
Bliss' Everbearing	20	60	4.50
Perpetual	40	1.25	
Bliss' Abundance	20	60	4.50
Advancer	20	60	4.25
The Admiral	20	60	4.50
McLean's Little Gem	30	90	6.50
Premium Gem	300	90	6.50
Champion of England	20	50	3.75
Dwarf Blue Imperial	20	60	4.25
Yorkshire Hero	20	60	4.50

PEAS. (Continued.)

	Qt.	½ pk.	bus.
Juno	20	60	4.25
Telephone	25	75	5.50
Heroine	20	60	4.25
Long Island Mammoth	20	50	3.75
Pride of the Market.....	20	60	4.50
Improved Stratagem	25	80	6.00
Shropshire Hero	20	60	4.50
Horsford's Market Garden.....	20	60	4.00
White Marrowfat	15	40	2.75
Black Eye Marrowfat	15	40	2.75
Dwarf Sugar	25	85	
Black Cow Peas	15	40	2.25
Wonderful Cow Peas	15	35	2.00
Southern Whip-poor-will (Cow Peas).....	15	40	2.25
Canada Field	15	30	1.75

PEPPERS.

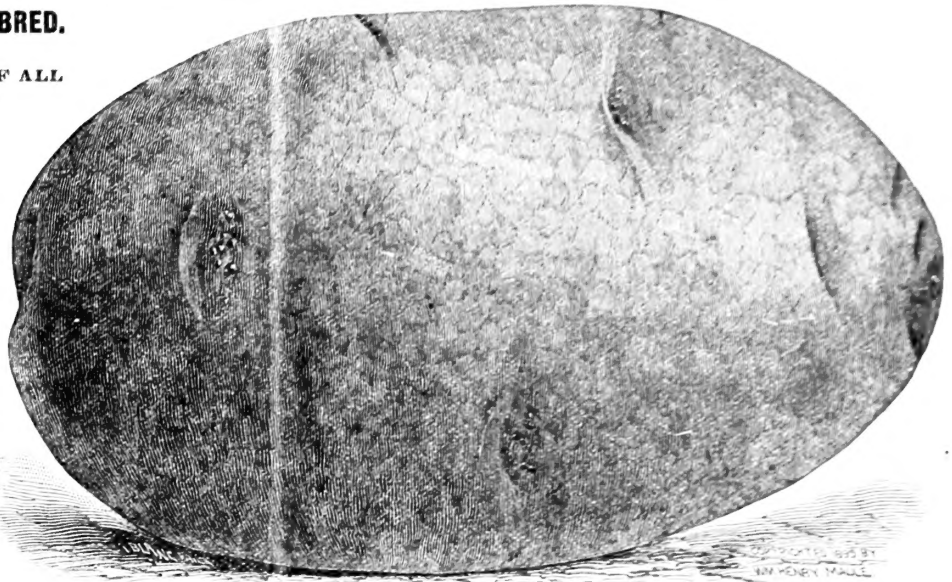
New Chinese Giant.....	Pkt., 10c.; oz., 75c.		
Tabasco	Pkt., 10c.; 3 pkts., 25c.		
Coral Gem Bouquet.....	Pkt., 10c.	Oz.	lb.
Maule's Improved Ruby King.....		25	3.40
Golden Queen		25	2.90
Golden Dawn		20	2.75
Sweet Spanish		20	2.75
Large Bell, or Bull Nose.....		15	2.00
Sweet Mountain		15	2.00
Spanish Monstrous		20	2.75
Red Cluster		20	3.00
Long Red Cayenne.....		20	2.15
Procopp's Giant		20	3.00
Elephant's Trunk		20	2.75



MAULE'S EARLY THOROUGHbred.

**A GRAND LEADER.
ABSOLUTELY THE GREATEST OF ALL
MONEY MAKERS.**

Maule's Early Thoroughbred was first offered to the public in 1896, at \$25.00 a barrel, since which time I have received hundreds of reports of field crops running up to 300 bushels per acre. No new potato (except Early Rose and Freeman) ever created such a furore. On account of its earliness it is not much affected by the usual mid-summer and autumn droughts, while in keeping qualities it is unsurpassed by any late variety under cultivation. In quality it equals the Freeman, either baked or boiled, a statement which is a high tribute to its flavor and table merit. The illustration does not in any way exaggerate its smooth and handsome appearance. It produces an unusually large proportion of merchantable tubers. The potatoes grow closely in the hill, and are of large and nearly uniform size. Mr. T. B. Terry, the well-known Ohio potato grower, says the bearing habit of the Early Thoroughbred is a matter of blood; that blood will as surely tell in seed as in live stock. Mr. Terry made a comparative test of Maule's Early Thoroughbred with a potato in favor in his neighborhood; the result being as 45 to 15 in favor of the former, or at the rate of 240 bushels an acre for Early Thoroughbred Potato. "In every hill," says Mr. Terry, in describing this experiment, "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 or medium sized ones. * * * The first year I grew 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. * * * They



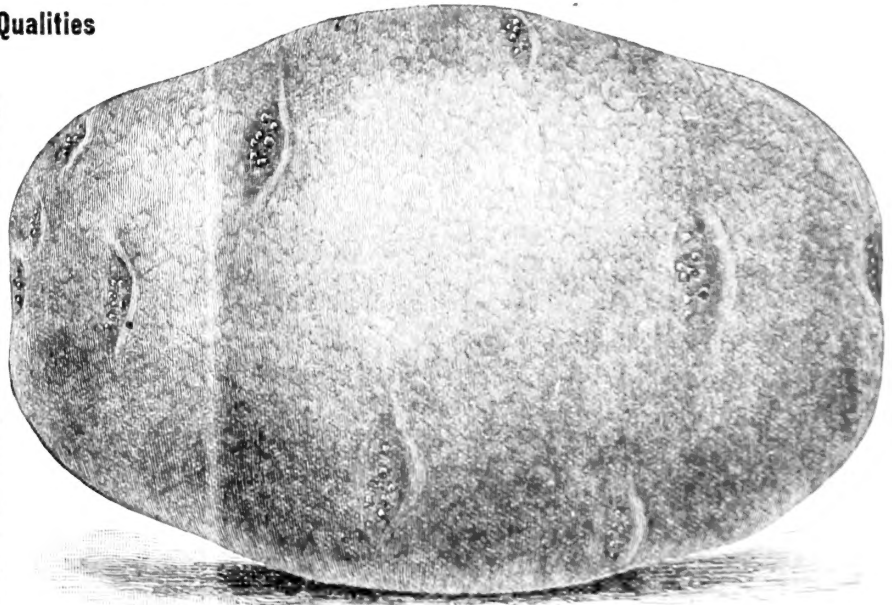
MAULE'S EARLY THOROUGHbred.

resemble the Rose in shape, color and quality very much. They are quite as early." It was not strange that Mr. Terry, with all his experience, should write: "I was never so surprised in all my life at any results obtained in potato culture." Mr. Terry's caution should be heeded. "Thousands of farmers," he says, "are using seed that has so run out that there is no profit in growing the crop." The Early Thoroughbred is capable of infusing new life and profit into the potato business.

THE COMMERCIAL POTATO. MOST PROLIFIC MAIN CROP SORT.

**A Grand New Potato. Best Keeping Qualities
and Rare Productiveness.**

The great Commercial Potato, which I recently introduced, is a seedling of Wilson Rose, whose parentage runs back to Early Rose. It is earlier than Sir Walter Raleigh. The tubers are of beautiful shape and appearance, being oblong and rather broad and thick. The eyes are shallow. The color is that peculiar russet which characterizes all the best potatoes, in addition to which the pink or rosy hue of its great ancestor is clearly visible, giving it a most attractive appearance. It somewhat resembles Carman No. 3 in shape. The vine is robust, but compact; not of spreading habit. This is favorable to close planting and big crops. The comparatively quick growth and early maturity of this splendid main crop potato will adapt it to many localities where the late sorts have no time to mature on account of shortness of season. It is equal in keeping qualities to any late potato grown. I fully tested it in every way before sending it out, and found that it would remain in good order for a year after digging. On the 15th of August, a year after growth, and with ordinary storage, the tubers were as edible and mealy as when dug. The table quality is fully and unconditionally equal to Early Rose at its best. The flesh is as white as snow, and the texture is perfect. The Commercial is a tremendously heavy cropper, and I have no hesitation in naming 400 to 500 bushels to the acre as within the easy possibilities of this grand new sort. It has great drought resisting qualities on account of its strong root development, and is in my opinion the best main crop potato now on the market.

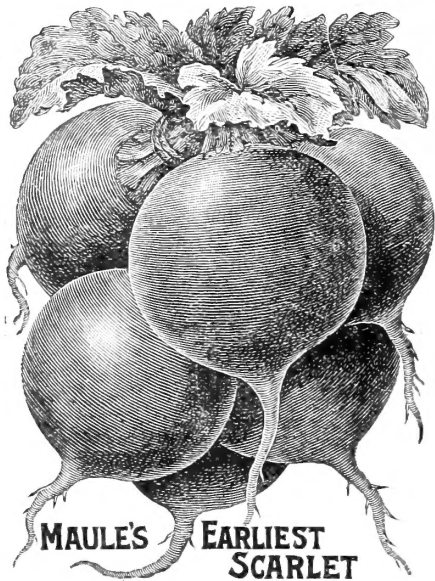


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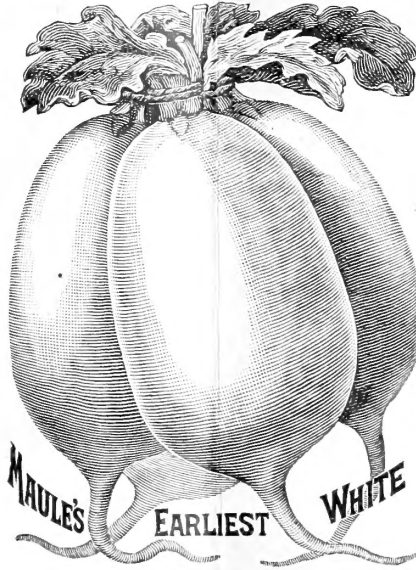
POTATOES.

	Pk.	bush.	tbl.	Pk.	bush.	tbl.
The Eureka Extra Early.....	1.25	4.00				
Maule's Early Thoroughbred	50	1.75	4.00			
The Freeman	65	2.25	5.00			
Bliss' Red Triumph	50	1.75	3.75			
Bovee	50	1.75	4.00			
Pure Early Rose	50	1.75	3.75			
Extra Early Red Rose				65	2.00	4.25
Extra Early anior Pride				50	1.75	4.00
Early Ohio				50	1.75	3.75
Improved Early State of Maine.....				50	1.75	4.00
Commercial				60	2.00	4.75
Sir Walter Raleigh				50	1.75	3.50
Early Nansemond Sweet Potato.....				50	1.75	4.00

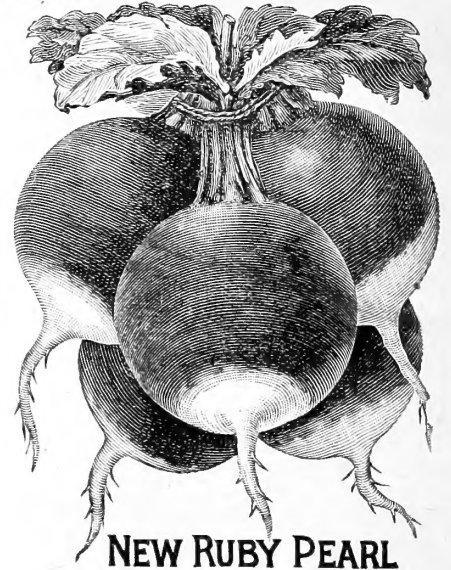
MAULE'S BEST THREE EARLIEST RADISHES.



MAULE'S EARLIEST SCARLET RADISH.



MAULE'S EARLIEST WHITE RADISH.



NEW RUBY PEARL RADISH.

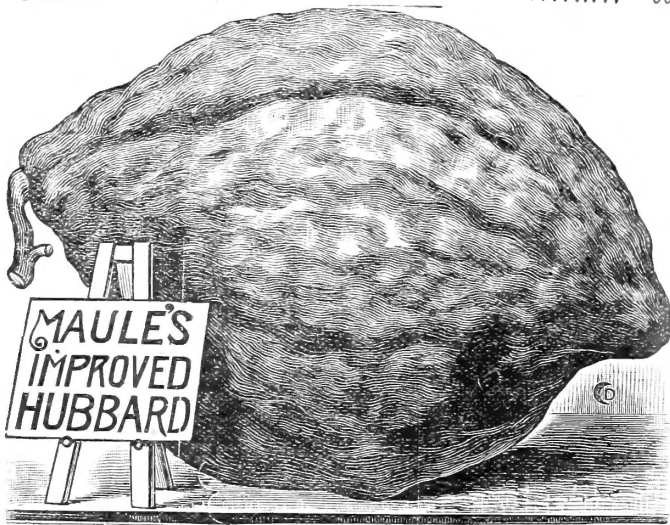
Just So	2.25
The 1834	1.15
New Icicle	75
New Triumph	1.50
Maule's Earliest White (<i>Olive Shaped</i>)	90
Maule's Earliest Scarlet	90
New Ruby Pearl	90
Early Scarlet Erfurt	75
Vick's Scarlet Globe	60
Early Round Dark Red	60
French Breakfast	60
Long Cardinal	50
New Golden Olive Shaped	60
Improved Golden Dresden	60
Early Scarlet Olive Shaped	75
Early White Turnip	50
Early Scarlet Turnip	50
White Box	75
Maule's Long Scarlet	60
Cincinnati Market, or Glass	60
White Lady Finger	60
Chartiers	60

RADISH. (Continued.)		Pound.
White Chartiers		75
White Strasburg		65
Golden Summer Turnip		50
Giant Stuttgart		45
China Rose Winter		50
Black Spanish Winter		50
White Spanish Winter		50
California Mammoth Winter		50
Maule's Winter		75

PUMPKINS.	
Hundred Weight... Ounce, 25c.	
Maule's Prize Potiron	1.65
Maule's Yellow Sweet Potato Pie	1.00
Japanese Pie	60
Tennessee Sweet Potato	50
Small Sugar	40
Mammoth, or Large Tours	1.00
Golden Oblong	40
Cashaw, or Crookneck	50
Large Cheese	30
Mammoth Etampes	1.00
Connecticut Field	25

RHUBARB.	
Linnæous	1.40
Victoria	1.40
Victoria Roots, \$1.00 per dozen.	

SQUASH.	
Early White Bush	35
Early Yellow Bush	35
Golden Custard	50
Golden Summer Crookneck	35
White Summer Crookneck	35
Brazil Sugar	35
Pineapple	50
Golden Bronze	1.40
Boston Marrow	40
Marblehead	35
Sibley	35
Der Wing	35
Prolific Marrow	35
Essex Hybrid	35
Maule's Improved Hubbard	90
Chicago Warty Hubbard	80
New Golden Hubbard	80
Vegetable Marrow	35
The Faxon	35



SALSIFY.

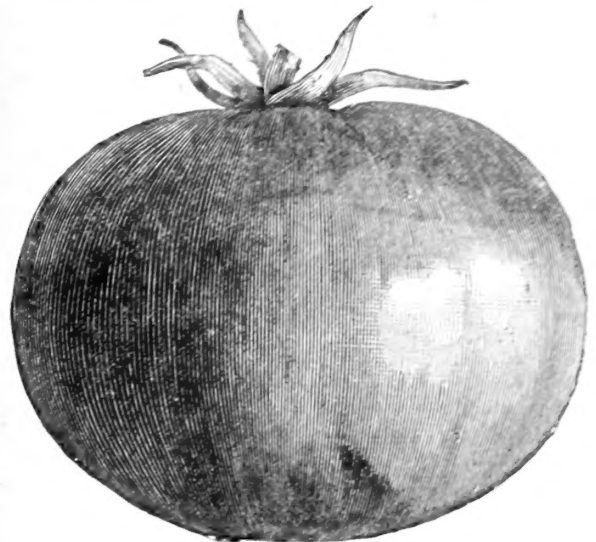
	Pound
Wisconsin Golden	1.50
Long White	90
Mammoth Sandwich Island.....	1.00

SPINACH.

Victoria	15
Round Leaved	15
Long Standing	15
Bloomsdale	15
Everlasting or Improved New Zealand.....	75

TOMATO.

	Oz.	Lb.
Success	20	4.00
The Enormous	25	2.90
New Imperial.....	20	2.25
Maule's Earliest	25	2.40
Extra Early Purple Advance.....	20	1.50
White's Excelsior	20	1.50
The Turner Hybrid.....	20	1.50
Magnus	20	2.25
Ignotum	20	1.50
Honor Bright	20	1.50
Lorillard	20	1.50
Royal Red	20	1.50
Stone	20	1.50
Earliest Advance	20	1.75
Beauty	20	1.65
Matchless	20	2.15
Maule's Trophy	20	1.75
Golden Queen	20	1.90
Paragon	20	1.65
Perfection	20	1.50
Selected Acme	20	1.50
Favorite	20	1.50
Essex Hybrid	20	1.50
Longkeeper	20	1.50
Pear Shaped Red	20	2.00
Pear Shaped Yellow	20	2.00
The Quarter Century.....	45	
Ponderosa	35	



BEAUTY.

TURNIPS.

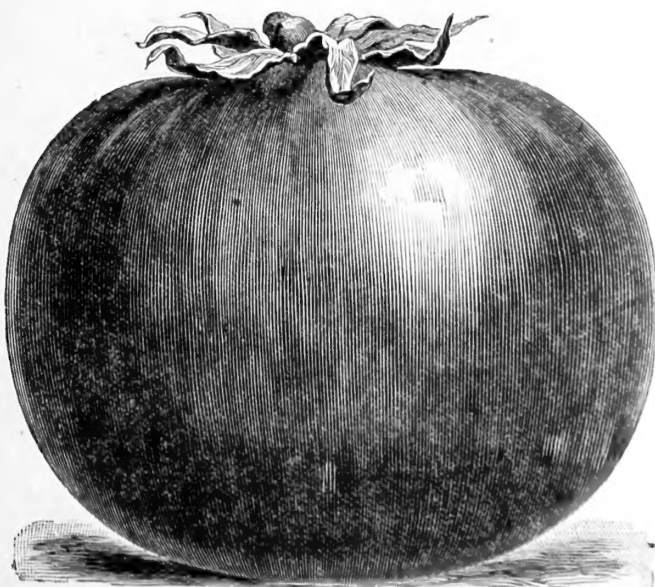
	Pound.
Extra Early Purple Top Milan.....	90
Extra Early White Milan.....	90
Scarlet Kashmir.....	65
Red Top White Globe.....	35
Early White Flat Dutch.....	35
Red Top Strap Leaved.....	35
Golden Ball	35
Yellow Aberdeen	35
White Globe	35
Cow Horn	40
Large Yellow Globe	40
Large White Norfolk.....	35
White Six Weeks.....	40
White Egg.....	50
Southern Seven Top.....	35

RUTA BAGA.

Maule's Heavy Cropping.....	45
Improved Purple Top	40
Sutton's Champion	35
Imperial Hardy	40
White Rock	40
Large White French.....	35

MISCELLANEOUS.

	Oz.	Lb.
Artichoke, Green Globe.....	20	2.50
Broccoli, Purple Cape.....	25	
Brussels Sprouts, Dwarf Improved.....	15	1.50
Cardoon	30	
Celeriac, Turnip Rooted Celery.....	15	1.50
Chervil	15	
Collards, True Georgia	10	90
Chicory, Large Rooted.....	10	65
Corn Salad, Round Leaved.....	10	50
Garlic Sets	20	
Horse Radish Sets.....	50c. per 100, \$3.75 per 1,000	
Mushroom Spawn.....		08
Nasturtium, Dwarf	10	65
Nasturtium, Tall	10	50
Sea Kale.....	25	
Sorrel	10	50



THE NEW TOMATO "SUCCESS."

If you have not already received my Silver Anniversary Catalogue for 1902, send for it at once. Everybody tells me it is **THE SEED BOOK** of the year.



The Maule
Seed Business
is 25 Years Old
This Year

