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Strawberries

Gladioli

Dahlias

Cannas

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Grow Your Own Fruit

IN APPRECIATION

This little booklet makes my seventeenth catalog and price list of nursery stock, bulbs, etc. My first one was only a small price list of only four varieties of strawberry plants. I have been adding to my plantings and growing new things, until now I am growing about 40 acres of nursery stock yearly. Late last summer, I sold all my stock of a great many items, such as California Privet, of which I grow several hundred thousand yearly and will plant around nine hundred thousand cuttings this spring, several varieties of shrubs, etc. I am also growing a nice acreage of Iris and Peonies in the standard and newest varieties and expect to have a very complete assortment of these to offer during the fall of 1925. If you have the opportunity, I will be glad to have you come and see our peonies and iris in bloom this season. It will be a sight well worth coming a long distance to see. During the summer, gladioli, cannas and dahlias will be in bloom and I will have a good many additional varieties in addition to those listed in this little booklet. We grow each of these three items in large quantities.

I believe you will find my plants, bulbs and trees as well rooted, thrifty and as nice stock in every way as you can get anywhere. And, as to price, I do not believe you can do better anywhere when you consider the quality of stock.

I shall endeavor to give you just as good service and stock as it is possible for anyone to give. But if for any reason you have cause for complaint, tell me about it and I will make it right.

Say It With Flowers

Varieties of Strawberries

Aroma. One of the best late varieties. Plants are large and very vigorous; fruit is large to very large, roundish, of a bright glossy red of excellent quality and one of the most productive late berries.

Big Joe. This is one of the best berries on the list. Above medium in size, almost perfect in shape, very solid, bright red in color, and a good heavy bearer for so large a berry. The fruit is borne on long stiff stems, well up from the ground. Plants are very large and deep-rooted. Strong grower.

Bubach. Large size and handsome color are its most valuable characteristics. Color is a beautiful bright red, neither dark nor light. Foliage dark and waxy. Berries thick, meaty, fine grained, often weighing more than an ounce each.

Campbell's Early. This is a new extra-early variety of great promise. In New Jersey, where it originated, the growers are very enthusiastic over it. One leading grower says: "Campbell's Early comes in ahead of them all, growing from such large, healthy plants with a light green, waxy, upright foliage protecting the great crop of large, beautiful, rich red berries. They have a beautiful green calyx and come second to none in flavor."

Brandywine. Produces an abundance of large, handsome berries; good color and shape; peculiar and very fine flavor.

Chesapeake. The standard of excellence by which most other fancy berries are compared. The plants are very strong and robust and have very long roots, which makes it one of the best drought resisters. Berries are uniformly large, with prominent yellow seeds and an attractive bright green cap. The berries are unexcelled in quality. The plants set a good crop and every blossom matures a berry, the last ones being just as large as the first. The flesh is very firm in texture and the berries will keep for many days in excellent condition, so that altogether it is an ideal berry for home use, for local market or for distant shipment.

Dr. Burrill. A variety that is growing very popular, resembling Senator Dunlap in appearance. The berries are large and beautifully formed. The surface of the berry is a deep glossy red, the meat is solid and rich. As a canner it surpasses Warfield. The berries are excellent shippers and good keepers.

Fendall. One of the very good late imperfect varieties that should be planted with Gibson, Big Joe, Chesapeake, etc.; is exceedingly productive and extra large size bright scarlet red berries.

Gandy. One of the universal favorites, and as a "money-maker" hard to beat. A good grower with tall, healthy foliage, and produces large, dark crimson berries that, when fully ripe, are of excellent quality. It is a splendid berry and always brings fancy prices. A free plant maker and a good grower, while its extra firmness makes it keep on the vines longer than almost any I know. Late. If you grow late strawberries you need Gandy.

Gibson. Berries are large and regular in shape, holding their size well to the end of the season. Color rich red. Flavor is neither sweet nor sour, but just right for canning. Extremely productive; in fact, we know of no variety that will produce more quarts of berries per acre than the Gibson.

Glen Mary. Very popular throughout the northern half of the United States, and especially in Pennsylvania, New York and New England. Firm enough for distant shipping. It is of handsome appearance and good quality. The fruit is of large size and dark red in color with prominent seeds of bright yellow.

Klondyke. One of the most heavily planted early berries in the country today; found in nearly all the large growers fields. I believe this is sufficient recommendation for any berry.

Howard 17. Like or so near like Premier, that one description will do for both.

Premier. This is undoubtedly the best early berry of them all and the Premier is a money-maker for the market grower. Growers who have tried all the leading sorts for the past twenty or more years claim they have never fruited a berry that will come anywhere near making the money that Premier does. It does not seem to have any weak points. The plants are strong, vigorous growers, very productive of beautiful glossy, rich red berries with a bright green cap, which adds much to their beauty. The berries are delicious in quality, and it is one of the best shipping berries. Whether you want a berry for your home table, local market or for long distance shipping you cannot afford to overlook Premier. It begins ripening with the early sorts and lasts until most of the mid-season sorts are through. There is an awful demand among the growers in the big shipping sections for Premier, as it was by far the best money-maker of them all last season. Reports come in from all sections of the country saying it can't be beat.

Kellogg's Prize. A variety with a very long fruiting season. It thrives in soils of every class, and yields immense quantities of large, perfectly-formed berries, highly colored from centre to circumference, its golden seeds lending a gloss to the surface of surpassing brilliancy and beauty.

Kellogg's Big Late. A late berry that is rapidly forcing its way to the front. A heavy cropper and a good shipper.

Magic Gem. A mid-season to late variety. The berries are not only large and abundant, but they also are beautifully formed and are distinctly cone-shaped. They are highly colored, being dark red with a glossy surface, and bright yellow seeds which are embedded in the surface just deep enough to produce a beautiful contrast. The flavor of the fruit is mild and delicious.

Missionary. A variety that is proving very popular. It is a strong grower, making plants freely; early to mature, and very productive. The berries are well colored, firm, large and hold their size well throughout the season. It is a good shipper, having a tough skin not easily broken by handling.

Marshall. Too well known to need any extended description. This is a berry that has been so popular in the New England market for years, where the grocers are always delighted to get it on account of its rich dark red color, that it is bound to attract and please customers. It is one of the richest flavored strawberries grown. It is a strictly fancy berry. Mid-season.

New York. The flavor is deliciously rich and melting. For a fancy strawberry it is one of the best, but its large size and delicate texture would possibly prevent the berries from arriving in good condition in distant markets. This berry is so popular it has been introduced under many different names.

Parson's Beauty. One that may be depended upon to produce a large crop of fruit every season. The plants are splendid growers on any soil and without a sign of disease. The fruit is large, conical, uniform shape, dark red and fair quality. Largely planted by commercial growers on account of its vigor and productiveness.

Sharpless. An old and well-known berry, especially desirable in home gardens. Fruit large and of excellent quality.

Saint Martin. For several years it has captured the first prizes at the annual strawberry shows of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society in Boston. The plants are large stocky growers, of the Marshall type, very sturdy and productive. The berries are very large, firm, and hold their size better than most other varieties until the end of the season.

Senator Dunlap. The Dunlap is a variety that beginners who know practically nothing about strawberries can succeed with. The foliage is tall, upright with a long leaf, and has more than the ordinary power of developing a heavy crown system. It has an extra long flowering season; the bloom is handsome and exceedingly rich in pollen, which makes it very valuable to plant with such pistillate kinds as ripen in its season. Its long roots go down into the sub-soil for moisture, and a severe drought has less effect on it than most others. The fruit is a dark red, with a glossy finish, shading to a dark scarlet on the under side, with prominent yellow seeds that look like gold embedded in highly colored wax. The meat is bright red all through and exceedingly juicy. For a medium size, very productive, mid-season berry, don't hesitate to plant Dunlap.

The "Best." A large grower in New York State has the following to say about the "Best." "This variety is by far the best strawberry that has ever fruited on our grounds. This is saying a good deal for we have been growing strawberries for nearly thirty-nine years. It is no experiment with us, as we have tried it under all conditions, on all kinds of soils and under different treatment for at least ten years. The plants are model growers, very vigorous and stalky. None more productive. The berries ripen very late, almost the latest of all, coming just at the time when the last strawberries bring the best prices. The berries are very large, glossy and attractive, have fine flavor and when once sold to a customer, they bring a demand for more of the berries. The fruit is very solid, firm and a good shipper."

Warfield. Very popular for canning on account of its rich flesh and high color. It is a vigorous grower and persistent plant maker. If not allowed to get too thick it will produce a great crop of medium-sized, highly-flavored and highly-colored berries. Blossoms imperfect.

William Belt. A king among strawberries. The plant is vigorous and succeeds upon a great variety of soils, and invariably yields very heavily. It begins to ripen quite early and continues almost to the close of the season. It is firm and a good shipper and gives large pickings for a longer period than most varieties.

Fall-Bearing Varieties

Progressive. This is generally considered the best of them all. Produces immense crops of medium size berries of the very highest flavor, even better than most of the "June only" varieties. If you have never grown strawberries of any sort you will be safe in planting these.

Perfection. This is a new variety of everbearers that we firmly believe will soon be at the top of the list when it comes to everbearers. Perfection is a good plant maker and produces a wonderfully large crop of large size and most delicious fruit. Our supply of this variety is not large and must limit each customer to not more than one hundred plants.

Prices of Strawberry Plants

These prices are per thousand

Aroma	\$3.50	Kellogg's Big Late	3.50
Big Joe	3.50	Magic Gem	3.50
Bubach	3.50	Marshall	3.50
Brandywine	3.50	New York	3.50
Campbell's Early	3.50	Parson's Beauty	3.50
Chesapeake	4.00	Premier	3.50
Dr. Burrill	3.00	St. Martin	3.50
Fendall	3.50	Sharpless	3.00
Gandy	3.00	Senator Dunlap	3.00
Gibson	3.50	The Best	4.00
Glen Mary	3.50	Warfield	3.00
Howard 17	3.50	Wm. Belt	3.50
Klondyke	3.00	Progressive	6.00
Kellogg's Prize	3.50	Perfection	\$1.50 per hundred.

25 plants of any variety except Perfection for 25c. 100 plants of any variety except Perfection, for 75c. 500 plants of any variety except Perfection, at the thousand rate.

My prices for Strawberry plants this season are the lowest they have been since before the war. We had an ideal growing season and we are passing the benefit of it on to you.

Dahlias

Jack Rose—(Dec). Rich velvety crimson. An ideal cut flower sort. **Each 15c; Doz. \$1.25.**

Perle de Lyons—(Dec). Pure white. **Each 15c; Doz. \$1.50.**

Lawine—(Cactus). White showing blush as flower matures. **Each 15c; Doz. \$1.50.**

Queen Mary—(Dec). Fine rose pink, free bloomer, good, stiff stems. **Each 20c; Doz. \$2.50.**

Delice—(Dec). Beautiful glowing rose pink; good stems. Fine for cutting. **Each 20c; Doz. \$2.00.**

Rene Cayeux—(Cactus). Rich geranium red. **Each 25c; Doz. \$2.25.**

Break O' Day—(Dec). Clear Sulphur yellow; large flower. **Each 25c; Doz. \$2.50.**

Candeur—(Cactus). White, long stems; fine for cutting. **Each 25c; Doz. \$2.50.**

Nibelungenhart—(Cactus). A magnificent flower, often measuring from seven to eight inches in diameter; petals broad, irregular twisted and curled, of a sunflower yellow, suffused and tipped violet rose. **Each 50c; Doz. \$5.00.**

Fordhook White—(Peony). A profuse bloomer with large pure white flowers, showing a small yellow center. **Each 15c; Doz. \$1.50.**

Flamingo—(Dec). The flowers held erect on stiff stems of a rich and glowing rose-pink. **Each 20c; Doz. \$2.00.**

Princess Juliana—(Peony Dec). Pure white, perfect flowers, dark green foliage; long, strong stems. **Each 25c; \$2.50.**

Souv de Gustav Douzon—(Dec). Enormous orange red flowers. **Each 20c; Doz. \$2.00.**

Golden West—(Dec). Very good yellow, strong stems, fine for cutting. **Each 25c; Doz. 2.25.**

Queen Wilhelmina—(Peony). Fine pure white. **Each 30c; Doz. \$2.50.**

Maurice Revoir—(Collorette). Blood red, with a pure white color. **Each 15c; Doz. \$1.50.**

Miss Minnie McCullough—(Dec). Soft yellow, overlaid with bronze. **Each 15c; Doz. \$1.50.**

Hortulanus Witte—(Dec). A very large long stemmed, free-flowering, pure white. A splendid cut flower and exhibition variety. **Each 20c; Doz. \$2.00.**

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Cuban Giant—(Show). Dark velvety crimson, large. Stems long and wiry. Each 15c; Doz. \$1.50.

Patrick O'Mara—(Dec). Flowers eight inches or more in diameter on long stiff stems. Color is a soft and pleasing shade of orange-buff, slightly tinged with Neyron rose. An autumn shade that is much in demand. A splendid shipping and long keeping dahlia. Each 75c; Doz. \$7.50.

Golden Gate—(Cactus). A gigantic flower of deep orange-yellow, overlaid bronze; strong stems. Each 25c; Doz. \$2.50.

Libelle—(Cactus). Clear deep rose purple. Each 15c; Doz. \$1.50.

J. H. Jackson—(Cactus). An exceptionally satisfactory all-around dahlia; gigantic in size. Color a deep velvety, blackish-maroon. Each 15c; Doz. \$1.50.

Eteudard de Lyon—(Cactus). Coror a carmine-rose. Flower held on fine stiff stems. Each 25c; Doz. \$2.50.

Mme. Henri Cayeux—(Cactus). The flowers are of the largest size with long, narrow florets, forming a bloom of magnificent form. A beautiful rich pink tipped white. Each 25c; Doz. \$2.50.

Mrs. C. H. Breck—(Cactus). Color, creamy yellow passing to various shades of rose pink. Each 20c; Doz. \$2.00.

Red Hussar—(Show). A clear cardinal red, good stems and a free bloomer. Each 15c; Doz. \$1.50.

Mrs. J. G. Cassatt—(Dec). Rose colored, with grand stems and plenty of substance in flowers. Each 15c; Doz. \$1.50.

Mrs. Wm. Marshall—(Cactus). Soft pink, creamy white in center. Each 15c; Doz. \$1.50.

Golden Eagle—(Cactus). Large flowers with incurved petals; golden buff. Each 15c; Doz. \$1.50.

White Swan—(Show). A beautiful pure white dahlia. Each 15c; Doz. \$1.50.

Wm. Agnew—(Dec). A vivid red; large and very popular. Each 15c; Doz. \$1.50.

Queen Victoria—(Show). Pure canary yellow; long stem and profuse bloomer. Each 15c; Doz. \$1.50.

Ella Kraemer—(Cactus). One of the most satisfactory pink dahlias. Each 15c; Doz. \$1.50.

Vivian—(Show). White edged rose violet. Very large. Each 15c; Doz. \$1.50.

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Gladioli

America. A beautiful lavender pink flower borne on strong spike 2 to 3 feet long. 3 for 15c; 12 for 50c.

Halley. One of the earliest of all gladioli to come in bloom. Color is a delicate rose with a white blotch. 3 for 15c; 12 for 50c.

Mrs. Francis King. Large blooms of a pleasing light scarlet. A strong grower and blooms profusely. 3 for 15c; 12 for 50c.

Mrs. Frank Pendleton. A lovely salmon-pink, having blood-red blotches in the throat. One of the most beautiful of all gladioli. 3 for 20c; 12 for 75c.

Mrs. Watt. This is an unusual color among gladioli—a clear wine red shade. The flowers are large and bold. Suitable for all kinds of decorations. 3 for 20c; 12 for 75.

Panama. Large leavy flowers borne on exceptionally sturdy stems. Color a bright pink. A great variety for decoration. 3 for 20c; 12 for 75.

Peace. Beautiful white flowers with pale lilac penciling on the two lower petals. Blooms freely and continuously. 3 for 20c; 12 for 75.

Schwaben. This excellent variety has flowers of a delicate pale yellow with dark blotch in center. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.00.

War. A leader among the red varieties, of a deep blood-red shaded with crimson-black. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.00.

Yellow Hammer. Pure yellow, lightly marked with red in the throat; a beautiful variety for cutting. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.00.

Primulinus Hybrids. Contains a choice mixture of the Primulinus Hybrids, with all their delicate shadings and colors. 12 for 50c; 25 for \$1.00.

Cannas

City of Portland. A glowing pink; flowers borne in great profusion; green foliage; 3½ feet. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.00.

Mrs. Alfred F. Conard. Gigantic flowers; color salmon pink; light green foliage; 4 feet. 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.25.

King Humbert. A king among cannas, because of its majestic growth; color, coppery scarlet; bronze foliage; 4½ feet. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.00.

Yellow King Humbert. A sport from King Humbert; flowers golden yellow, dotted red; green foliage sometimes mixed with red; 4½ feet. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.00.

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Hungaria. Dwarf and compact; rich peach blossom pink; green foliage. 3½ feet. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.25.

Meteor. Of compact growth; broad green foliage; bright red flowers; 4½ feet. 3 for 30c; \$1.00 per Doz.

Firebird. One of the best red flowered, green leaved cannas. Color a brilliant scarlet, without any spots; 4½ feet. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.00.

President. This splendid variety produces flowers of a rich glowing scarlet; the best red variety; green foliage; 4 feet. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.00.

Richard Wallace. Gigantic clusters of light yellow flowers; green foliage; 4½ feet. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.00.

Wintzer's Colossal. Bright scarlet; green foliage; 5 feet. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.00.

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Loganberries

25 cents each; \$5.00 for 25; \$15.00 per 100

A hybrid between the Raspberry and the Blackberry. The fruit is as large as the largest Blackberry and is produced in immense clusters. The color is clear, dark red. It partakes of the flavor of both blackberry and raspberry—mild, pleasant, vinous flavor, delicious and peculiar to this berry alone. Seeds small, soft and few. Berries very firm and carry well. Strong grower; enormous bearer. Fruit ripens early, just after strawberries.

Apple Trees

I can furnish the following varieties of apple trees, at 25 cents each for the 3 to 4 feet size, and 40 cents each for the 4 to 8 feet size in quantity of ten trees or more; Staymans Winesap, York Imperial, Yellow Transparent, Rome Beauty, Winesap, Paragon, Baldwin, Jonathan, Winter Banana, McIntosh, Starks Delicious, Duchess and Grimes Golden.

Instructions to Purchasers

Order at Once, as soon as convenient after receiving this catalog. I will reserve the stock for you and ship at the proper planting time.

Remit by Money Order, Registered Letter or Bank Draft.

Twenty Five. All strawberry plants are tied 25 in a bundle.

Packing. We make no charges for packing. Everything delivered f. o. b. trains at rate named.

True to Name. While we use every precaution to have all stock true to name, I will not be responsible for any sum greater than cost of the stock, should any prove otherwise than as represented.

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