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Faust's Garden, Field and Flower Seeds

Dreer's New Bush Lima Bean
Faust's earliest of all Cabbage

SEED WAREHOUSES
64 and 66 North Front Street
and 100 Arch Street,
PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Woodlawn Farms
1300 Acres.
PRIZE BEAN BOTTLE

We have provided a two-quart glass bottle, of which we give a cut, and have filled it about four-fifths full of Faust's Improved Valentine Beans and sealed it. The bottle is placed in our office and we propose to offer 25 prizes to that number of persons guessing nearest the number of beans there are in this bottle.

THE PRIZES.

1st Prize, $25.00 Cash.
2d $10.00
3d $6.00
4th 14-inch Lawn Mower.
5th One bush. Faust's Fairmount Park Lawn Grass Seed.
6th Prize, New Model Seed Drill.
7th Prize, 12-inch Lawn Mower.
8th " Jewel Double Wheel Hoe.
9th " Single Wheel Hoe.
10th " Bird Chickens.
11th " Fine Brass Greenhouse Syringes.
11th One bush. Pea, Faust's Selected Extra Early.
12th " Soil of Garden Tools.
13th " Fire Fly Blow, an excellent tool.
14th Improved Lawn Grass Edger.
16th to 25th Prizes, Will be ten checks for $2.00 each.

The First Prize goes to the first one guessing the exact number of beans in the bottle or nearest to the exact number, and the other 24 prizes will be awarded to those guessing nearest the number of beans. You may guess with each order sent in and prizes will be awarded June 1, 1892. At the top of order sheets will be found space for making your estimate. We would like all our customers to guess.

FAUST'S SEEDS ARE WARRANTED FRESH AND PURE, TRUE TO NAME AND RELIABLE IN EVERY RESPECT.

= We make no Charge for Cartage, Bags, Boxes or Barrels. =

We guarantee that all orders shall have prompt attention. We are also responsible for the safe receipt of all money, if sent as below directed. We further guarantee that all seeds and other goods shall reach the purchaser safely and in good condition. Our customers in all the States and Territories can thus purchase their supplies safely from us and have their orders as carefully executed as if they personally called at our stores.

Seeds Postpaid by Mail means that we pay all postage on all Flower and Vegetable Seeds by the packet, ounce, pound, pint, or quart, and that the seeds will be delivered to you free of charge, and their safe arrival guaranteed.

Should any package be lost in going through the mails, we will cheerfully refund the order gratis.

Seeds by Express or Freight.

On all Vegetable seeds ordered by express or freight, the purchaser may deduct 8 cents per pound from prices quoted. We deliver to any express, railroad or steamer in Philadelphia, free of cartage charges; purchaser, however, to pay all freight or express charges for transportation, upon receipt of goods. We secure low freight rates on all seeds direct to their destination. Small orders can be cheaply sent by express.

Send your Money either by post-office order, bank draft, express, registered letter or postal note, and you may select seeds free to cover the amount of the cost to remit, by any of the above methods. All orders over a dollar should be sent by one of the above methods, and we will assume all risk and responsibility. Postage stamps for any amount we receive the same as cash.

Your Name and full address write plainly upon the order sheet. Give Town, County and State, and when you desire goods sent by express, your nearest express office.

We are determined to do business so as to give our patrons complete satisfaction, and thus secure their entire custom and have it remain with us from year to year. Permanent trade is what we are after, and, by honest business principles, determined to have.

H. G. Faust & Co.

SEED GROWERS,

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS.

BIBLACH (No. 9) F.—Originated in Illinois.

This berry combines great and uniform size, fine color and form, with unsurpassed productiveness and good quality of fruit, with equal vigor, stockiness and hardness of plant. The leaves are very large and of a very dark green color, and the hootest sun does not seem to affect them. Appear to carry every blossom to a perfect berry and color and ripen at both ends at once. In vigor of plant and yield of fruit it is wonderful under careless culture. Doz., 40 cts.; $2.00 per 100, by mail, postpaid; by express, 100 for $1.25; 500 for $5.00.

Early Michael. A new and valuable variety from Arkansas and is without question the earliest good strawberry in cultivation. A strong and vigorous grower and very productive. The berries are large and uniform, of a deep rose color, and a remarkably sweet and pleasant strawberry flavor. Very solid and are excellent shippers. Doz., 40 cts.; $2.00 per 100, by mail, postpaid; by express, 100 for $1.25; 500 for $5.00.

Faintness, Sharpless. A very large, clear red, firm, sweet and of good quality; somewhat irregular; a rapid and vigorous grower. Doz., 40 cts.; $2.00 per 100, by mail, postpaid; by express, 100 for $1.00; 500 for $4.00.

Bear in mind that our plants are double the ordinary size and value, and must not be compared with cheap plants.

FAUST'S PEARL COLLECTION OF TEN NAMED GLADIOLI FOR 50 CTS., POSTPAID.


A tuberous-rooted climbing vine that grows with great rapidity, quickly covering walls, trelsises, etc. It bears bright, lily-green flowers that makes a pretty house screen. Good strong tubers, 15 cts. each; 2 for 25 cts.; or 5 for 50 cts.
H. G. FAUST & CO.,
SEED GROWERS and MERCHANTS,
64 and 66 N. Front Street,
and 100 Arch Street,
P. O. BOX 858.
PHILADELPHIA, PA.
WE TAKE great pleasure in offering you the following list of valuable NOVELTIES and SPECIALTIES, which have been thoroughly tested and carefully grown, and are recommended for the REAL MERIT they possess. FAUST'S SEEDS are RELIABLE—FEW EQUAL and NONE SURPASS THEM. We have secured several choice NEW VARIETIES this year, which we will take pleasure in sending you for trial with your order, FREE.

Faust's Earliest of All Cabbage.

In the accompanying illustration the artist has shown the beautiful symmetrical shape of this finest of all the early cabbages. This wonderfully handsome and valuable variety is the outcome of years of careful growing and selection, and is unquestionably the earliest, best quality, most uniform in color, size and shape of any variety yet introduced. The heads are of conical shape, very large and solid, tender, crisp and sweet, and of most perfect form. It has but few outer leaves, thus enabling closer planting and a larger crop. It will mature fine heads in 40 days from the time plants are set out in the open ground. In this Cabbage you have the EARLIEST, FINEST QUALITY, BEST YIELDER and the SUREST and MOST PROFITABLE VARIETY to grow. The seed has all been grown from the most carefully selected heads, and we guarantee will produce the finest cabbage. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 30 cts.; 1/2 lb., $1.00; 1 lb., $3.50.

DREER'S NEW BUSH LIMA BEAN.

This remarkable bean now offered by us for the first time, is a true Bush variety of Dreer's Improved Lima, which has been a favorite, and it possesses all the good qualities of that excellent and well-known sort. There is no vegetable grown in our gardens that is valued more for its delicious flavor than the old pole Lima, but the necessity of poles or stakes for its culture precluded its use in ninety-nine gardens out of a hundred. In the new Bush Lima we have not only a variety that is 2 weeks earlier than the climbing sort, but a bean, the culture of which is the same as that of the common bush or "string bean." The plants are of vigorous, bushy habit, growing from 1 1/2 to 2 feet high, producing pods in great abundance. The beans grow close together in the pods, are very thick and succulent, and ripen fully 10 days earlier than the pole Lima.

The following notes, taken from trials at the experimental grounds last summer, show the value of this fine bean—First planting, made May 4th, matured August 3rd, 91 days from planting. During growing period the weather was wet. The beans were well set and matured 8 days before the Pole Lima Beans, while the pods of the Bush variety were equally as large and full. Second planting, made in the same soil, May 30th, matured August 23rd, 86 days; 10 days in advance of the Pole Limas.

The beans were better set, owing to a longer period of dry weather. Many of the pods contained 5 beans, and 40 per cent. 4 in a pod. Many specimens have been received from gardeners who grew it this year, bearing from 100 to 185 pods. Sold only in sealed packages and boxes with description and illustration printed on. Per large pkt., 20 cts.; 2 pkts., 35 cts.
Faust's Prize Head
Late Flat Dutch Cabbage.

This fine Cabbage has been pronounced by all who have seen it to be the finest strain of Late Flat Dutch Cabbage in the world. It is a low-growing variety; the large, bluish-green heads are round, very solid, broad and flat on top, of the very finest quality. It is a superb variety for fall use and is the best for late keeping. It is the result of years of the most careful selection, and is sought after in preference to other late sorts by large growers of cabbages. It never fails to make a perfect, solid head and is most uniform in size and color. Our seed has been grown from large and carefully selected heads, and we confidently recommend it as being the finest strain ever introduced. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 30 cts.; ¼ lb., $1.00; lb., $3.50.

DWARF CHAMPION TOMATO.

This fine new tomato is entirely distinct and its habit of growth is most peculiar, for not only is it dwarf and compact, but the stems being thick, stiff and short-jointed, it is actually self-supporting when laden with fruit; no other variety possesses this valuable characteristic. The foliage is very dark green, thick and corrugated; and differing in form from that of any other sort. Unsurpassed in productivity, and its close, upright growth enables it to be planted nearer together than any other sort, therefore yielding more to the acre. The fruit in form and color closely resembles the well-known Acme, and is always smooth and symmetrical in form. Of medium size, very attractive in appearance; the skin is tough and the flesh solid and of the finest quality. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; ¼ lb., 70 cts.; lb., $2.25.

Abraham D. Shaver, Gold Hill, N. C., Nov. 13, 1891, writes:—The Faust's Earliest of All Cabbage seed you sent me last spring I am more than pleased with, my neighbors are all expecting me to make the orders for them; they are a first-class cabbage and a sure header.

J. Stevens, Decorah, Iowa, writes:—My order left here Friday and seed arrived following Wednesday; quick work, and I also wish to thank you for the extra packets of choice seed.
MAMMOTH PRIZE-TAKER ONION.

The illustration above engraved from nature correctly shows the handsome appearance of this distinct and very valuable variety. All who have grown it say it is the largest, handsomest and most profitable variety to grow. They are of a clean bright straw color, the flesh being pure white, very sweet and tender. Of perfect globe shape and are always uniform. In all large cities in the fall of the year these onions can be found on sale at the fruit stands and command the highest prices. Either for market, family use or exhibition purposes it has no equal and as a keeper it is unsurpassed. It will yield 950 bushels and over per acre. Our stock of seed this season is very limited, but we hope to be able to supply the demand. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; ¼ lb., 90 cts.; lb., $3.25.

WHITE CHINESE RADISH.

It was recently noticed in California that the Chinese gardeners had an entirely distinct and very superior white summer radish, and so carefully guarded was the stock that it was necessary to send to China to obtain the genuine seed. The roots as shown in the engraving are elongated about 2 inches across the top, and gradually tapering, but ending abruptly like a stump-rooted carrot. The thin skin and solid flesh are both snow-white, crisp, brittle and of the very best quality. It is a quick-growing radish; can be pulled at any stage, and even when large is firm and solid. It makes really good radishes in mid-summer that are not pithy, but crisp and refreshing to the taste. It is best adapted for winter radishes, for which purpose seed should be sown in August. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; ¼ lb., 35 cts.; lb., $1.10.

J. E. Dougherty, Danville, Knox Co., O., writes:—The Chinese Radish seed bought of you last year was fine.

Mrs. E. N. DeVere, Rock Creek, Ohio, Oct. 29, 1891, writes:—I think the Chinese Radish cannot be too highly praised, they are the VERY BEST I ever tasted, large, juicy, sweet and tender as apples. I never mean to be without them.

John E. Shafer, Lisk, Rowan Co., N. C., writes:—The Chinese Radish bought from you last year was the best I ever saw.

A. H. Wanner, Royersford, Montg’ry Co., Pa., writes:—The White Chinese Radish sent us last spring proved to be an excellent one.
FAUST'S NOVELTIES AND SPECIALTIES FOR 1892.

Yosemite Mammoth Wax Bush Bean.

This is a most distinct novelty, and combines exquisite quality and productiveness with enormous size. The pods are full of fleshy pulp and positively stringless, cooking tender and delicious. The mammoth pods average 10 to 14 inches in length, are of a rich, golden color, making a most handsome appearance either on the plant or on the table. The Yosemite combines size, productiveness and quality in one variety, and is the perfection of Wax Beans. The plant is remarkably vigorous, covering the ground with its heavy foliage in such a manner as to shade the earth and to keep it moist, and if the pods are kept closely picked new ones will continue to be produced, and a marvellously large crop will be obtained. The Yosemite outstrips all known varieties in size, yield and good qualities. A most desirable bean for family gardens. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 40 cts.; quart, 75 cts., postpaid by mail.

Faust's Genuine Bloomsdale Spinach.

This variety we have raised at Bristol, Pa., for many years, and not only supply our own extensive market gardeners' trade, but furnish other seed firms with the seed, as they can rely implicitly on our strain. It is largely used and is highly popular among the market gardeners of Philadelphia, and is unsurpassed by any spinach grown elsewhere. The leaves are large, thick, heavy and finely curled, and will stand shipping and handling better than any other variety. Its quality is unequalled and its productiveness is something wonderful. Every pound of seed which we offer for sale of this variety has been grown at Bristol for us, and has received the most careful attention to have it pure and entirely free from any prickly sort. Owing to the short crop this season we have been obliged to decline orders from our wholesale customers, one house alone sending us an order for 30 bushels. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ⅔ lb., 20 cts.; lb., 50 cts., postpaid. Bushel, $6.00.
New Victoria Onions.

An Entirely New Strain of Mammoth Onions from the Island of Sardinia.

Red.—Oval-round shape and produces onions from seed the first season, weighing from 2½ to 5 pounds apiece. The skin is a very dark red, in fact, almost blood-red in color; the flesh white or light rose colored; in flavor they are very mild and sweet. The best results are obtained by sowing seed in loamy, heavy soil, and if properly cultivated will produce onions larger than any other known variety. Its keeping qualities are unsurpassed. Per pkt., 10 oz.; 25 cts.; 3/4 lb., 90 cts.; lb., $3.25.

White.—This variety has the same qualities as the Red, growing equally as large. The skin is silver white, but occasionally is of a delicate light rose color; flesh sweet, juicy and milky white. Per pkt., 10 oz.; 25 cts.; 3/4 lb., 90 cts.; lb., $3.25.

P.S.—PLEASE NOTE OUR REDUCED PRICES ON SEEDS.

Winter Pineapple Muskmelon.

This muskmelon in appearance is entirely distinct from any other ever grown in this country. The outside skin instead of being netted is deeply corrugated, as will be seen in the engraving. They have the thickest flesh of any melon, with but a small seed cavity. Indeed, they might be said to be almost solid, and an average melon will weigh nearly twice as much as any other melon of the same size. When ripe, the outside skin is of a rich yellow, intermingled with light green, the yellow predominating on the lower half. The flesh is a light green color, unusually spicy, melting and delicious. The rind, though firm, is thin, and the melon can be eaten clean up to the outer skin. The delightful fragrance of this new melon is beyond description, being of a rich, aromatic pineapple flavor, far exceeding any other muskmelon ever introduced. But the most remarkable and valuable feature of this new melon is its wonderful keeping qualities. They do not ripen on the vines like other muskmelons, but have to be picked before hard frost and laid away in a cool, dry cellar, where they will keep sound and sweet for months. When wanted for use they must be brought into a warm room, when they will ripen up in a few days. They are hardy and very prolific. We do not recommend this melon for planting in the Eastern or Middle States; it grows to perfection in the Southern and Western States. Per pkt., 10 cts.; 3 pkts., 25 cts.

Giant Pascal Celery.

This fine new variety is, without doubt, the most remarkable novelty in celery obtained since the introduction of the Golden Self-Blanching, from which it is a sport, carefully established by skilful selection. It partakes of the rich, nutty flavor peculiar to the Golden Self-Blanching, and is absolutely free from any bitter taste. In appearance it surpasses all other varieties, growing one-fourth taller than its parent; the stalks are remarkably large, thick, solid and entirely stringless. It is the largest celery grown as regards width and thickness of stalks. It is a very vigorous grower; the outer stalks are green, but the heart is a rich, bright yellow. It Blanches quite easily, requiring but 5 or 6 days' earthing up. It is the best keeper of all celeries, and is without question The Celery for January and February use. It does not rust or rot and is an excellent shipper, and the cells are so very free from the presence of water that it always retains its crisp, brittle appearance. We have the genuine seed direct from the introducer. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 40 cts.; 3/4 lb., $1.00; lb., $3.50.

W. A. Alcock, Hobucken, Pamlico Co., N. C., writes—I have been using your seeds for several years and find them the best of all.
M. F. Headley, Lotsburg, Va., Dec. 20, 1891, writes—Seeds bought of you were the best we ever raised.
Mary L. Stetler, Alborn, Wyo., Nov. 10, 1891, writes—I have used your seeds four years and they are the best I ever had.
Mrs. W. T. Osborne, Farmington, Franklin Co., Maine, writes—The seeds bought from you last year were fine.

Please note that our prices are for seeds post-paid by mail. You are entitled to select 35 cts. worth extra on every $1.00 sent for seeds in packets.

Do not neglect to guess on the Bean Bottle when sending in your order.
FAUST'S NEW CHAMPION RADISH.

This is the finest early round red radish ever introduced, and has given unbounded satisfaction. It is most perfect in shape, bright scarlet color, very crisp and tender. The leaves are short and make a very small top, and in 3 weeks after sowing the radishes are ready for the table. Its beautiful form, splendid eating qualities and extra earliness have placed it at the head of radishes, none finer ever having been produced. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; ½ lb., 25 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

J. W. Watson, Indiana, Pa., Sept. 29, 1892, writes:—I tried your Champion Radish last season and think it cannot be equalled.

FORDHOOK SQUASH.

The engraving accurately shows the shape of the squashes and the solidity of a section. The size is most convenient for family use, and the appearance extremely handsome, of a bright yellow outside, and straw-yellow within. The flesh is as 'dry as Pike's Peak, and much sweeter'—making it the best in quality of all winter squashes. It seems incapable of rotting, and placed in a cool, dry room, keeps in perfect condition throughout the winter and spring, until late in June, when summer squashes are ready. From the photograph will be noticed the thin, hard stem, in striking contrast to the thick, fleshy stems of other varieties of winter Squash. This same characteristic also applies to the roots, which are likewise slim and hard, furnishing absolutely no food for the squash borer, and consequently is perfectly free from their attacks. This alone would make it of immense value in many sections where it has become impossible to raise winter squashes. It is a strong and rapid grower, so that the striped bug has never injured it, as "it grows away from them"—being earlier in ripening than any other winter squash. It matures far North, where scarcely any other varieties ever ripen. This Squash is a remarkable keeper, although its skin is so very thin and delicate, and thus are prepared for the table by simply cutting in half lengthwise and cooking skin and all at any time throughout the winter. The meat is very thick, and seed cavity small. It is an "all the year round" squash. Its handsome appearance, unequalled flavor and convenient size have made it a general favorite. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; ½ lb.; 50 cts.; lb., $1.50.

CELESTIAL PEPPER.

This pepper originally came from China, and the plant is one of the most beautiful and attractive in cultivation. The plant begins to set its peppers early in the season, and continues until frost, branching freely and bearing profusely. The peppers, up to the time they are fully grown, are of a delicate creamy, yellow color, and when fully grown, change to an intense vivid scarlet, making a plant, when loaded with fruit, part of one color and part of the other, an object of the most striking beauty and oddity. The peppers are of the shape as shown in the illustration; 2 to 3 inches long, of clear, sharp flavor and superior for any of the uses to which a pepper can be put. They are all carried upright, and the brilliant contrast in color makes a beautiful sight. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; ½ lb., 50 cts.; lb., $2.75.
This strain of enormous Pansies has been raised and perfected for 20 years by Chas. H. Vautier, one of our most experienced market gardeners. In size and perfect form they rival anything heretofore introduced. The flowers measure 2½ to 4 inches across, of most perfect form, circular shape; the plants being bushy and compact, and flowering profusely. The colors are rich and varied, embracing all the fancy spotted and striped, and self colors. Our leading Philadelphia florists obtain their plants from this strain, paying the highest price. Our seed is all saved from the choicest plants, and we recommend this strain to all lovers of magnificent large Pansies. Per pkt., 25 cts.; 5 pkts., $1.00.

New Edition: "FAUST ON PANSY CULTURE." Sent free with all orders.

Jacob Wilhelm, Florist, Rising Sun, Philadelphia, writes:—The seed of Vautier's Mammoth Pansies obtained from you produced the finest and largest Pansies I ever raised. I cannot grow the flowers fast enough to supply my customers.

THE MANETTIA VINE.

A very pretty, rapid growing, twining plant, and the most magnificent flowering vine in cultivation, either for the house or garden, for it is loaded with bloom every day in the year. In the garden its charming beauty surpasses everything. Flowers intense scarlet, tipped with yellow, the most brilliant and striking combination. It is of the easiest culture and sure to thrive for any one with ordinary care. As a pot plant it is unrivalled, and can be trained on a trellis, strings, or used for drooping from hanging baskets in any way; a perfect mass of the most lovely flowers and foliage from the root to the tips of the branches. Plants continue to bloom most profusely for many years, and its great beauty and novelty attracts every eye. Price of strong plants, by mail, postpaid, 15 cts. each: $1.50 per dozen.
FAUST'S NOVELTIES AND SPECIALTIES FOR 1892.

Cleome Pungens.

The Giant Spider Plant.

This is one of our native annals, but little known, and yet well worthy of general cultivation. It is a robust plant, growing vigorously 4 to 5 feet high, unaffected by wind or weather, and flowering profusely and continuously for months. In fact, it is a perpetual bloomer: it begins to flower when only a small plant, the spikes continuing to increase in size as the plant grows, until they reach upward of 2 feet in length. The flowers are very showy, with long, slender stamens, single petals measuring an inch across and of a bright rose color. As the spikes grow and the lower flowers drop off, the curious seed-pods are formed—the plant maturing ripe seed while still in full bloom. These long, slender seed-pods, reaching out in every direction, are carried upon still longer stipules, giving the effect of a many-legged spider, with the bright bunch of flowers as the head. As a background, or in a group or scattered among the shrubbery, Cleome Pungens is very effective; it grows freely from seed sown in the open ground, thrives luxuriantly, and blooms all summer, no matter how unfavorable the season may be. It is also one of the very best honey-producing plants. The bees delight in it and cluster about it constantly while the flowers are open, which is after 8 o'clock in the afternoon and before 10 o'clock in the morning.


Chinese Narcissus.

This Lily (called by the Chinese, Sacred Lily), is more eagerly sought after than any other flower. In their native country the bulbs can be found in all the shops, growing in saucers of water and pebbles. The bulbs are very large, each one sending up 8 to 12 spikes which bear clusters of large, perfect, waxy, white blossoms with yellow centre, and of a powerful and delicious fragrance not excelled by any flower. They are certain to bloom and bear immense quantities of flowers which remain in bloom for a long period. The bulb should be placed in a saucer or any shallow vessel and pebbles or stones placed around it to support it and the vessel filled with water; the bulb can be placed in any position, and in 6 weeks will bloom in the greatest profusion. The bulbs are hardy and bloom well in the open ground, but their greatest value is for growing in water and pebbles in the house. We offer the True Large Flowering Variety. We cannot supply bulbs after April 15th. They will bloom for Easter if potted as late as March 1st. Price of Extra Large, Strong Bulbs, 20 cts. Each, or 6 for $1.00, by mail, Postpaid.

Marguerite Carnations.

A magnificent new class of Carnations that are, without exception, the most abundant bloomers ever introduced. The double flowers are most beautiful, varying through many beautiful shades of reds, whites, pinks, variegated, etc.; they are of perfect form and large size, and what is of special value, the calyx never bursts. They bloom in 4 months from the time of sowing the seed and continue to flower until checked by frost. The plants are of very strong habit, branching directly above the ground; vigorous stems which are self-supporting. They embrace a fine range of brilliant colors, are very free flowering, and are certainly a novelty of unusual merit. Per pkt., 10 cts.

Zinnia Haageana, fl. pl.

This charming Zinnia makes a circular bush about 2½ feet in diameter, and only 18 inches high, which are almost completely covered with small, perfectly double flowers of an intensely rich orange-yellow color. It is a grand variety, and most desirable for cutting. The flowers, when dried for winter, retain their beautiful color. Per pkt., 10 cts.

Mrs. M. J. HUDSONTON, Medina, Ohio, writes the most lovely bunches from you did splendidly. The Moon Flower did fine and was quite a novelty here; many came to see it.
SOME REAL TREASURES.

The Japanese Pink Spider Lily (Nerine Japonica). Our native white Spider Lily, 
Pancratium Caribaum, pleased every one so well that the Japanese Pink and Salmon varie-
ties cannot fail to create another sensation. Moreover, if planted in a warm, light position,
they will prove perfectly hardy, with some protection; in the Southern States they
would surely thrive freely and increase rapidly.

As shown in our illustration, a clump of bulbs produces a large number of spikes of the
most delicate flowers, varying in their colors from pinkish salmon to
pink, vermilion and scar-
let, the petals being beau-
tifully undulated, and by
artificial light sparkling
like jewels; an ornament
indeed, for the finest parlor.

You should not fail to
order this bulb if no other,
as it is sure to delight you.
After the foliage completes its
growth, the bulb rests and
then the flowers appear.
Price, only 30 cts.;
3 for 75 cts.

Nerine Uudulata (Purple
Spider Lily). Similar to the
above, but flowers of deep
rosy purple, beautifully
crimped at edge of petals;
a beautiful bloomer. 50 cts.
each; 3 for $1.25.

Nerine Fothergill Major.
Nothing in the way of color
can surpass the splendor of
this flower, its texture be-
ing so extremely delicate.
Color, vivid scarlet. The
most floriferous of the
group. $1.00 each.

Nerine Sarniensis (The
Guernsey Lily). As pot
plants, nothing can be more
beautiful, and if a few
bulbs of Oxalis be planted
around the bulb, a thing of
beauty will be had forever!

Flowers, flesh to salmon.
They are graceful in form as well as
fine in coloring, and very attractive. 25 cts. each; 3 for 60 cts.;
the 4 sorts for $1.50.

AMARYLLIS ROSEA. (Large Rose Zephyr Flower). Exceed-
ingly beautiful large rose-colored flowers, 2 inches across; height,
¾ ft. 10 cts. each; $1.00 per dozen.

WE GUARANTEE that all seeds, bulbs, plants, etc., ordered from us shall
reach the purchaser safely and in good condition.

The Spotted Calla.
The Richardson Alba Maculata, or Spotted Calla, is a plant of
magnificent appearance. The leaves are of the richest green,
spotted with pure white; the flowers are white, with a rich choco-
late throat. It can either be grown in a pot, planted in the
border, or in vases or rustic stands. Price, 30 cts. each; 4 for $1.00.

The Black Calla.
The greatest novelty of the age. A flower of enormous size and
jet black. Started roots, 75 cts. each.
We will furnish the 10 bulbs mentioned on this page for $2.75,
post-paid; retail cost, $3.65.

We Pay the Postage. Please bear in mind that
our prices include prepay-
ment of postage by us. You have only to send us the catalogue
price, and we guarantee safe delivery by mail, postage paid.

ALSTREMERIAS.
(Peruvian Lilies). A very interesting and showy
family, rapidly rising
in favor since they are
becoming better known.
In dry, well drained posi-
tions they are one of the
most useful groups in
cultivation; hardy when
well established, and
very varied in colors
(orange, yellow, scarlet,
pink, white and black,
beautifully blended, many
sorts being striped and
blotted). Free bloom-
ers. Plant the tuberous
roots one foot deep.
Mixed varieties, 15 cts.
each; $1.50 per dozen.

ATAMASCO LILIES.
Amaryllis Atamasco
(Zephyr or Fairy Flower).
Beautiful rosy white flow-
ers, produced in great
abundance the entire
summer; height, ½ ft.
9 cts. each; 50 cts. per
dozen.
O. M. STANTON, Stryker-
ville, N. Y., writes:—I was
well pleased with the novelty
you sent me last spring.
FAUST'S SUMMER-FLOWERING BULBS.

AMARYLLIS.  

Amaryllis Belladonna Spectabilis. The finest of all the Belladonna lilies, and bearing flowers larger than the type on stalks 1½ to 2 feet high. The colors are of a deep silvery pubescent rose, and often striped or marbled in bright carmine. The perfume is delicious. They frequently begin to bloom as soon as planted. In mild localities this Amaryllis is perfectly hardy, if planted 5 to 6 inches deep. It enjoys a light, sandy, well-drained soil. 25 cts. each; 3 for 60 cts.

Amaryllis Turpurea. Most vivid deep scarlet, free bloomer. 25 cts. One of each of the 5 Amaryllis for $1.00.

PANCRATIUM ILLYRICUM.

Pancratium Illyricum. Bears a stout flower stem, terminated by numerous umbels of deliciously fragrant and attractive large white blossoms, sometimes 25 on one spike. Begins to bloom early in the season and at various intervals. A rare gem. 35 cts. each.

Pancratium Carriabon (Spider Lily). Numerous clusters of delicate pure white sweet-scented flowers, lasting long in bloom. 25 cts. each; 3 for 60 cts.

Pancratium Maritimum (The Sea Daffodil). Pinnacles of pure white fragrant amaryllis-like flowers, yellowish inside and of delightful odor. Planted a foot in the ground, in light sandy soil, they will prove hardy. One of the finest of Pancratiums. If whole stems are cut the flowers will continue opening in succession for 2 weeks. 20 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts. These 3 Pancratiums for 50 cts.

Clianthus Fragrans. Very ornamental half hardy bulbs from Brazil, the leaves of which appear after the flowers, which are yellow in color and exceedingly fragrant. One of the rarest plants in this country and a great novelty. 25 cts. each.

++ MONTBRETIA. ++

One of the most desirable and handsome summer and autumn blooming bulbs, they are in full glory a month after all the tender plants are killed by frost. Each bulb produces several flower-spires, some 10 inches long, together with numerous side spikes, making them exceedingly floriferous.

Montbretia Crocosmiæflora. Has proved almost hardy, blooms from July until killed by frost. Flowers large, beautifully formed, base of flower bright orange, sprinkled with purple spots. 10 cts. each; 3 for 25 cts.; 7 for 50 cts.; per doz., 85 cts.

Montbretia Potsii. Flowers bright orange-red of most perfect form and grace, resembling a miniature Gladiolus. 10 cts. each; 3 for 25; 7 for 50 cts.; 12 for 75 cts.

Montbretia Rosea. An entirely new color among this charming class, delicate pink shading to apricot. A great novelty offered for the first time. 20 cts. each, 3 for 50 cts. The 3 Montbretias for 30 cts.; 4 each for $1.00.

AMARYLLIS.

Amaryllis Formosisima. Most beautiful; intense dark red velvety flowers; a bulb which always gives satisfaction, and is certain to bloom early in the year. 15 cts. each.

Amaryllis Regina. Queen lily; bears large flowers in great quantity; color vivid orange, with a white stater like throat shaded with green and crimson; the finest bloomer of all the Amaryllis. 30 cts. each.

Interesting EARLY FLOWERING BULBS.

NOTE.—In order to thoroughly enjoy the flowers of the bulbs mentioned on this page it is necessary that they should be ordered as soon as possible on receipt of this catalogue. Planted in pots in January or February, you will have them in bloom before and about Easter; after blooming plant them in the garden where they will grow and multiply rapidly. Lift again in the fall.

LACHENALIA.

This beautiful genus of half-hardy bulbs is comparatively new in this country, owing, no doubt, to the prohibitive price. The few specimens exhibited at horticultural shows created quite a sensation, owing to their profusion of bloom and their bright, diversified colors, as well as their ornamental foliage. Of easiest growth; can be had in bloom by Christmas and last for a very long time. At the low prices they should be grown extensively. Mixed colors. Price, 15 cts. each; 4 for 50 cts.; 10 for $1.00.

Mrs. Mary Wing, Pittsfield, Pa.—The collection of Gladioli bought from you last year were true to name and very beautiful.

BABIANAS (Baboon Flowers).

Flowers large and of the greatest beauty, blooming early and profusely. Elegant as a pot plant and for setting out during summer. Were these to be offered as the 'Blue Gladiolus,' they would, no doubt, create a sensation—and why not? Most people would really take them as such, and indeed many of the varieties are far more beautiful and interesting. The six-petaled flowers are often alternately white and blue—sometimes the three upper petals are blue and the lower ones white; others are striped, blotched and bordered blue. Deep crimson, magenta, rose, violet, purple, lavender, mauve, are colors represented in these. 10 cts. each; 3 for 25 cts.; 7 for 50 cts.

TWO WONDERFUL ARUMS.

Our engraving shows these two curious plants well. The large flower which is spotted inside is—

SAUKOMATUM. Early in the year it produces an enormous flower often 30 inches in length, of a peculiar yellowish color inside, densely mottled with purple, brown and black. The outside of the flower, which, as will be noticed, is peculiarly twisted, is dark brown in color. The long tail-like appendage is also of a remarkable color. After blooming, the plant bears many graceful leaves on mottled stalks which are very tropical in appearance. Price for extra large blooming size bulbs, 75 cts.

The tall flower, rising from the ground is—

AMORPHOPHALLUS RIVIERI, or SNAKE PALM. Strong bulbs send up a mottled stem terminated by a huge flower resembling an enormous dark red Calla. Sometimes the flower will stand 6 inches, total height. The real beauty of the plant, however, consists in its elegant palm-like foliage, supported on a thick leaf stalk, which is black and elegantly mottled with rose and other colors. Price, 40 cts. to $1.00.

Both these bulbs increase in size rapidly and are easily managed; plant 6 inches deep.

One strong bulb of each for $1.00.

AMORPHOPHALLUS GIGANTEUS flowers, 6 feet in circumference. Handsome bulbs, $1.00 each.

and for fragrance it is unexcelled.
TIGRIDIA (Shell Flowers).

Most interesting and effective summer-flowering bulbs. With their peculiar shaped flowers, which are well represented in our illustration, the colors are most difficult to describe, looking like the extraordinarily marked tropical shells. The varieties are—

Tigridia Grandiflora Alba. Its flowers are large, of a clear, pearly-white color, marked at the base of each division with large spots of a reddish-brown or chestnut color on a yellowish ground, forming a fine contrast with the white of the petals.

Tigridia Conchiflora. Fine yellow, spotted crimson, large.

Tigridia Grandiflora. Very large, bright crimson, centre variegated with yellow.

Price. 10 cts. each, one Bulb of each variety for 20 cts., or 6 bulbs of each for $1.00, postpaid.

IRIS KEMPFERII (Japan Iris).

The sensation which these grand flowering hardly plants have created within the last few years is not at all astonishing. Their enormous flowers, embracing all the colors of the rainbow, their extreme floriferousness, the ease with which they grow and multiply, are reasons enough to make them popular. Their high price has heretofore debarred some from purchasing; now, however, they can be had at very low prices, and every one should order them in quantity. Require plenty of moisture. *True Japanese* introduction in various bright colors, 20 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts.; 8 for $1.00.

DWARF FRENCH CANNA.

Few recent introductions have been so important as the new flowering Cannas. Cannas have long been extensively grown for the beauty of their foliage, but now that we can add to this flowers of striking beauty and brilliancy, equaling even the gladiolus, it gives us a plant which is of the greatest value either for single specimens or for bedding. *Fine roots, mixed sorts, all colors,* 25 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts.

Canna Ehemannii. A most handsome Canna, growing about 6 feet high, producing large racemes of bell-shaped flowers, 4 to 5 inches long, drooping like a Fuchsia, and in color a lovely brilliant rosy pink. Its foliage is very striking, reminding one of the luxuriant foliage of the Banana. 25 cts each; 3 for 50 cts.; $2.00 per doz.

Canna Placcida. An exceedingly pretty dwarf Canna, only growing about 3 feet high, with large and handsome light green leaves. Its lovely deep canary-yellow flowers, spotted and flaked with crimson, are of enormous size, and closely resemble some of the finest Orchids. As a border for a bed of taller sorts it has no superior. 15 cts. each; 4 for 50 cts.; $1.25 per doz.

PARDANTHUS SINENSIS, OR BLACKBERRY LILY.

Bears tall spikes, crowded with elegant orange-colored flowers, dotted with purple, succeeded by fruit resembling a blackberry. Perfectly hardy. 20 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts.
HARDY CYCLAMEN. This handsome species of Cyclamen has a large and solid bulb that can be planted in a pot of ordinary soil, and will commence to bloom almost immediately. The flowers, which are borne in great profusion, are of large size, and vary in color from pure white to deepest rose and red. The bulbs retain their vitality for years, producing a large number of flowers each succeeding season. In mild localities this Cyclamen is perfectly hardy. The foliage is most beautifully marked and blotched, as shown in the engraving. 15 cts. each; 4 for 50 cts.

HYACINTHUS CANDICANS. Giant Summer Flowering Cape Hyacinth. A new species of Hyacinth. Foliage is extremely effective, resembling the Yucca. Very showy for the centre of a bed, also effective if grown in groups. The flower spikes are from 4 to 5 feet high, bearing from 20 to 30 large bell-shaped, pure white, fragrant blossoms. Strong bulbs produce 2 or 3 and even 4 flower stems during their blooming season. 10 cts. each; 3 for 25 cts.; 7 for 50 cts.; per doz., 75 cts.; 100 for $5.00; excellent for bedding.

CRINUMS.

Crinum Capensis. Nothing can be more glorious than the royal bulb when in bloom. It flowers in summer, the blossoms being exceedingly large and fragrant, produced in umbels of 10 and often 15 blooms, the petals of which are creamy white, with a delicate pink stripe running through the centre. A bulb of the greatest value, being almost hardy. Price 40 cts.; 3 for $1.00. Note our low price.


Crinum Americanum. Less beautiful than the above, but with large flowers and more of them—pure white, most deliciously sweet scented. Foliage evergreen, 1 to 2 feet long. A striking plant and far more beautiful than many of the higher-priced sorts. Price, 30 cts.; 2 for 50 cts.

Crinum Ornatum. An exceedingly rare sort. Usually two enormous flower stalks appear at the same time; each will reward us with nearly a dozen lily-like flowers of the greatest beauty and fragrance. Sure to create a sensation anywhere when in bloom. Extra large bulbs, sure to bloom, $1.50 each; large bulbs, 75 cts. These three fine Crinums, $1.25. All Crinums do better planted in the garden.

THREE GEMS.

Milla Biflora. One of the finest bulbs recently introduced; flowers pure waxy white, very fragrant, borne on stalks about 18 inches high; the petals are very thick and firm and flowers last well in water. It blooms with wonderful freedom, and is already a favorite florists' flower. Each, 15 cts.; 10 for $1.00.

Bessera Elegans. Long, narrow grass-like leaves and slender flower stalks, 1 foot high, carrying a loose umbel of flowers, each a scarlet bell marked with white lines, stamens with light blue anthers. A wonderful free bloomer. Each, 15 cts.; doz., $1.25.

Cyclobothra Flava. Excellent bloomer, delights everyone with its golden butterfly-like flowers during the entire summer. Each, 15 cts. One of each of these 3 gems for 35 cts.; 4 of each for $1.00.

THE PURPLE MILLA. It flowers in dense clusters of 12 to 30 blossoms, each 2 inches across and of a bright violet purple color with a deep stripe running through each division. A bulb often produces several flower spikes during a season. 8 cts. each; 75 cts. per dozen.
Genuine Moon Flower.

We are growing large quantities of the genuine Moon Flower, and will be able to fill all orders of this most popular of all climbing plants. It is a rapid grower, and will climb anywhere, on old walls or where there are strings to cling to, on trellises, arbors, fences, etc., often growing as much as 50 feet in one season. No climber grows so rapidly, or will cover so large an area in so short a period of time. A single plant will produce from 40 to 100 flowers every evening. The flowers bloom just at dusk, and create great surprise and enthusiasm, as the process of expanding and opening may be easily followed by the eye, when, in the space of a few minutes, the birth of the flower is complete. This flower is preceded by trembling of the stem, and so continues until the flower is fully disclosed to the admiration of all. The flowers are a pure white, about 15 inches in circumference, emitting a rich Jessamine odor.

One gentleman writes, "that at one time over 800 buds were on his vine," and another, "that no garden is complete without it." There are many Moon vines being sold, and great care should be exercised in securing the true variety, "Ipomea Noctiflora." We also offer the seed (see Climbers in Flower Seed Department), but would recommend all to buy plants, as we can, however, supply roots of same if wanted, at 15 cts. each.

They can be sent safely by mail to all parts of the United States, and will give entire satisfaction.

Strong plants, 15 cts. each, or 4 for 50 cts., by mail, postpaid. Safe arrival guaranteed.

Those who purchased from us last season roots of Ipomoea Pandurata (Hardy Day Flowers) satisfactory results from same, if they will send us their names and addresses, we will offer them 500 Roots of the Genukne Moon Flower, FREE. We do not recommend Ipomoea Pandurata, as we have not any success with it; but without having it, a plant of the Moon Flower, and did not have to order the same, will do well in any soil. Fine bulbs, 20 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts.; $1.75 per doz.

Caladiums Esculentum (Elephant's Ear). There are few plants that make such a grand tropical appearance as the Caladium, growing 4 to 5 feet high, producing abundantly apron-like leaves 3 feet long by 12 inches wide. They are desirable as table plants, for they may be planted in the lawn, or for massive beds. The best results are obtained by planting bulbs in rich soil and giving an abundance of water. In the autumn the bulbs should be taken up and laid away in the cellar until the next season; they are good for years. Fine bulbs, 20 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts.; $1.75 per doz.
January 1, 1892.

We are gratified by almost constantly receiving from our customers, in every part of the United States, commendatory letters, as to our PROMPTNESS and CORRECTNESS in filling orders and PRAISES as to the HIGH QUALITY of our SEEDS, and we take this opportunity to say, that all such expressions are particularly gratifying, as they show that our efforts, which are earnest, are not in vain. We pride ourselves upon this, and propose to continue to merit the good opinion of all those who favor us with their valued orders.

A word to our customers about our extensive establishment, and our methods of conducting our enormous business may be interesting:—We occupy two large five-story warehouses, devoted exclusively to our business, which are completely fitted up, so that with our experienced force of employés, we are enabled to fill all orders promptly and satisfactorily. We are SEED GROWERS, harvesting our own crops, and know exactly what we are selling, and are not compelled to send our customers seeds of which we know nothing, as is often the case with many seedsmen who do not grow their own seeds and are merely seed dealers, buying their supplies where they can get them the cheapest. Our seed is grown from carefully selected stock seed, most critically inspected during growth and properly harvested, cured and cleaned, and we say that for PURITY and GERMINATING power they are UNEQUALLED. We warrant our seeds to be true and first-class in every particular; and should any prove otherwise we will refill the order gratis.

In buying Faust’s Tested Seeds you avoid disappointment in your crops, and annoyance from the failure of seeds to grow. OUR SEEDS ALWAYS GROW AND GIVE SATISFACTION.

FAUST’S SEEDS NOT ONLY SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES, BUT HAVE THOUSANDS TO SPEAK FOR THEM.

We are prepared to serve all with the best seeds at the lowest prices, and solicit a trial order from all new correspondents.

Very truly yours,

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P. O. Box 855. Woodlawn Seed Farms.
1300 Acres.

R. W. VANDERHOOF, Marion, Crittendon Co., Ky., Oct. 14, 1891, writes:—I take pleasure in recommending your seeds; they were the best I ever had.

M. C. HARRIS, Montross, Westmoreland Co., Va., Oct. 6, 1891, writes:—I have been using your seeds for three years and find them splendid.

JOHN ELLIS, Hickory Hill, Marion Co., Ill., Oct. 14, 1891, writes:—We have been getting seeds from you for the past five years and have been well pleased with them.

THOR K. JONES, Dallesville, Dorchester, Mich., Oct. 6, 1891, writes:—Our seeds gave perfect satisfaction.

J. SAWYER, Belmont, O., Sept. 6, 1891, writes:—I have bought seeds from you for the past three years and they have given perfect satisfaction.

ISAAC HARRINGTON, Bernard, N. C., Oct. 4, 1891, writes:—I have always had your seeds for several years; they have been a success.

C. STERNE, Santa Barbara, Cal., Nov. 12, 1891, writes:—For the last two years I have had your seed, and like them very much.

S. O’NEILL, Willow Wood, O., Oct. 13, 1891, writes:—The Early Golden Cluster Pole Beans I purchased of you last season were the finest I ever saw, and were admired by all. In richness and flavor they were without an equal.
The following list contains all the STANDARD VARIETIES of Vegetables and also NOVELTIES and SPECIALTIES of recent introduction. Varieties Specially Recommended are printed in CAPITALS. Our seeds are TESTED and CAREFULLY GROWN and we feel warranted in saying that NONE BETTER are TO BE HAD. FAUST'S SEEDS ARE FIRST-CLASS IN EVERY PARTICULAR. Complete Culture Directions with Illustration and Description Printed on Each Packet of nearly all varieties.

You may select Thirty-five Cents' Worth, Extra, for Each One Dollar sent us for Seeds in Packets. Thus, anyone sending us $1.00 can select seeds in packets amounting to $1.15; for $2.00 sent us, seeds to the value of $2.70, and so on. This liberal premium applies only to seeds in packets, and is not allowed on orders for seeds by weight or measure, or with collections of Vegetable or Flower seeds.

This year we have secured SEVERAL DISTINCT NOVELTIES not yet catalogued by us, which we will distribute gratuitously among our customers whose orders indicate an interest in new vegetables. We have also seeds of several choice beautiful flowers for distribution.

Seeds Postpaid, by Mail. We pay all Postage on seeds by the Packet, Ounce, Quarter Pound, Pound, Pint or Quart. Send us the catalogue price and we guarantee safe delivery of the seeds by mail, POSTAGE PREPAID. Postage Stamps Accepted the Same as Cash. Half pounds supplied at pound rates, half bushels at bushel rates. Market Gardeners and Others using large quantities of seeds are requested to write us for special prices.

ARTICHOKE.
Sow in April in rich soil, transplant the following spring to permanent beds. In rows 3 feet apart and 2 feet between the plants. Only a partial crop can be gathered the first season, but as it is a perennial, the beds will remain in bearing for years. Protect in winter by a covering of leaves or coarse manure.

Jerusalem. Differed entirely from the foregoing variety, and grown exclusively for its tubers, which somewhat resemble potatoes. It is used largely in feeding sheep and hogs, and is enormously productive. Strong tubers, per lb., 50 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, peck, 70 cts.; bush., $2.25; bbl. of 3 bush., $6.50.

ASPARAGUS.
The most convenient shape to make a bed is to have it about 6 feet wide, with a path 2 feet on each side. It will require about 3 years to have the bed in full bearing, but once established it is good for many years. One pound of seed is sufficient for a bed 6 x 50. Sow in drills one foot apart, and thin out so that the plants will stand one foot apart from each other. Use an abundance of manure, and with a deep, good, rich soil a good crop will be assured.

Conover's Colossal. The standard variety, the shoots being of large size, very productive and fine quality. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1 lb., 20 cts.; 10 lb., 50 cts. One year old shoots, $1.10 per 100; postpaid. By express, at purchaser's expense, one year old shoots, 50 cts. per 100; $2.50 per 500; $4.25 per 1000; two year old shoots, 95 cts. per 100; $5.50 per 1000.

Barr's Mammoth Asparagus. Roots one year old, $1.00 per 100; $3.50 per 500; $6.50 per 1000; two year old shoots, $1.25 per 100; $7.00 per 1000, by express, at purchaser's expense.
A succession of sowings can be made from the first week in May until September. These dates apply for the latitude of Philadelphia. Plant in drills about 2 inches deep and 18 inches to 2 feet apart. The seeds should be dropped about 2 inches apart.

In the following list will be found all the standard varieties, which have been most carefully grown and selected, our stocks of all being extra choice.

Please remember that these prices include payment of postage by us. We also give prices by express or freight at purchaser's expense.

GREEN-PODDED VARIETIES.

IMPROVED ROUND-POD VALENTINE BEAN. This is a new and improved strain of the popular Valentine Bean; it is more productive in pods and beans and the vine is stronger and more thrifty in growth than the old flat-podded variety. It is one of the very best snap-shorts; round, fleshy pods, succulent, stringless and of rich flavor, which are produced abundantly. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 40 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 25 cts.; peck, $1.10; bush., $4.00.

BEST OF ALL. A fine variety of very dwarf growth, bearing pods some 6 inches long, which are of rich flavor, fleshy and stringless. Very productive and early. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 40 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 25 cts.; peck, $1.10; bush., $4.20.

EARLY MOHAWK. The hardiest of the early varieties, and will endure a slight frost. This and the Valentine are largely grown in the Southern States for Northern markets. Pods are from 5 to 7 inches long. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 35 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 20 cts.; peck, $1.00; bush., $3.50.


H. A. Becker, Fogelsville, Lehigh Co., Pa., Sept. 17, 1891, writes:—I recommend your seeds as being the best in the market.

REFUENN, OR THOUSAND TO ONE. Not so early as some of the foregoing varieties, but a larger yielder and grown very extensively as a pickling bean. They are particularly good for late planting. The vines are large and spreading, and very hardy. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 35 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 20 cts.; peck, $1.00; bush., $3.70.

WAX-PODDED VARIETIES.

YOSEMITE MAMMOTH WAX. See Novelties.

WARDWELL'S NEW KIDNEY WAX. This new variety is almost entirely free from root; it is earlier and will yield greater than either the popular Golden Wax or German Black Wax. A strong, vigorous grower. The pods are of a rich, golden color, perfectly stringless, tender and of the finest quality. It is the finest snap bean grown. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 40 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 25 cts.; peck, $1.40; bush., $5.00.

NEW DATE WAX. Bean pods 6 to 7 inches in length, which are full and fleshy, of a golden-yellow color, stringless, and are produced in great profusion. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 45 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 30 cts.; peck, $1.50; bush., $5.50.

NEW BLACK-EYED WAX. A very distinct and valuable variety. It is a cross between the Black Wax and Golden Wax Beans, the two most popular sorts in market to-day. The pods closely resemble the Black Wax, the seed beans being white, marked around the eyes with black spots. It is a robust grower, early, very productive, tender, and of exceptionally fine flavor. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 30 cts.; quart, 40 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 30 cts.; peck, $1.50; bush., $5.50.

NEW GOLDEN WAX. One of the very best of the dwarf beans; it is 10 days earlier than the German Black Wax. There is no other bean that is so extensively used by market gardeners and truckers. The pods are long, brittle and entirely stringless, of a rich golden color. Our stock is entirely free from all runners. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 40 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 25 cts.; peck, $1.40; bush., $5.00.

DWARF GERMAN BLACK WAX. The pods when fit for use are round, smooth, very tender and fine-flavored. They are very early, and it is one of the most popular snap-shorts. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 40 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 20 cts.; peck, $1.40; bush., $5.00.

NEW GOLDEN-EYE WAX. Early, and a vigorous grower, bearing large, yellow, flat pods. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 45 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 30 cts.; peck, $1.50.; bush., $5.50.

CRYSTAL WHITE WAX. The pods are of small size, round, fleshy, and of rich flavor. Although quick to mature they grow slow to harden, and retain their fine flavor for some days after they are ready to pull. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 45 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 30 cts.; peck, $1.75.; bush., $6.50.


D. Goodnough, Brandon, Rutland Co., Vt., Oct. 11, 1891, writes:—I have bought seeds from you for the last 3 years and am more than pleased with them.
HENDERSON'S DWARF LIMA. Thousands have been deterred from cultivating the most delicious of Vegetables, the Lima Bean, from the great trouble and expense of procuring the unworthy poles which were required on which to grow them. This is now a thing of the past, as The New Bush Lima grows without the aid of stakes or poles, in compact bush form, about 18 inches high, and produces enormous crops of delicious Lima Beans, which can be as easily gathered as the common garden Bush Beans. But when, in addition to this, we realize that it is a true Bush Bean, requiring no supports, some idea of its great value can be realized. The New Bush Lima produces a continuous crop from the 5th of June to the 5th of October, while the common Lima Bushes throw their flowers and finish bearing before the middle of July. See Novelties.

CHAMPION BUSH. The pods are of a light green color, 4 to 6 inches in length, and contain 6 or 7 large red beans of fine flavor, used either green or dry. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 45 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 45 cts.; peck, $1.00; bushel, $10.00.

NEW PROLIFIC TREE. This is a very prolific variety for field culture, growing to a height of 15 to 20 inches and producing a larger crop of very fine quality beans of easier cultivation than the small growing varieties, and have the advantage of bearing their pods so high that they do not touch the ground. Although somewhat resembling the Navy Bean, they are of far finer flavor and require much less time to cook. A fair average yield is this variety 60 bushels per acre. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 40 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 25 cts.; peck, $1.00; bushel, $8.75.

WHITE FAVA. This variety is extensively grown for sale in the dry state for winter use. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 35 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 20 cts.; peck, $0.90; bushel, $2.25.

WHITE KIDNEY. One of the best beans grown for winter use. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 25 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 20 cts.; peck, $1.00; bushel, $3.50.

These require more care than the Bush Bean, and should not be planted until 2 weeks later, as they stand in much more shade than the common bean. Plant in hills, 5 to 6 seeds in each, about 2 inches deep. The hills should be about 4 feet apart. Sandy loam, liberally enriched with compost manure, is best for the cultivation of Pole Beans. Poles should be set firmly in the ground at least 18 inches to prevent their being blown over.

EARLY GOLDEN CLUSTER WAX POLE BEAN. This fine variety is distinct in seed, color, habit and growth. The pods retain their tenderness long after the beans have attained a large size, so that only a few days after they cease to be fit for string beans before they are fit to shell. They are extremely delicious, and are more tender and finer than almost any other variety. The pods should be set firmly in the ground at least 18 inches to prevent their being blown over.

KING OF THE GARDEN LIMA. A great improvement on the ordinary Lima, being more vigorous in growth, and setting the beans early at the bottom of the pole; producing continuously until the end of the season. It is enormously productive, bearing nearly twice as much as any other Lima. The pods are from 6 to 8 inches long and are generally borne in clusters of 3 to 5, with a few 6 beans crowding each other in the pods; the beans are of novel size, of excellent quality and handsome appearance. The beans will come up sooner if the seed is planted downward when planting. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 30 cts.; quart, 50 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, 2 quarts, 75 cts.; peck, $2.15; bushel, $8.75.

Small Lima, or Sierra. Earlier and more hardy than the large Lima, and for this reason can be grown further north. The New Bush Lima produces a continuous crop of the large Lima. Per pkt., 30 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 50 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 50 cts.; peck, $1.50; bushel, $7.75.

EXTRA EARLY JERSEY SLIVER LIMA. This variety is the best for early varieties. The appearance and size will compare very favorably with the finest of the large Lima. In many sections of the country where the season is too short to mature the large varieties of Lima beans, this will be found a most welcome addition. They are produced in profusion, large, broad pods in clusters of four. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 30 cts.; quart, 50 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 40 cts.; peck, $2.35; bushel, $8.00.

NEW SEEDS. For the most rapid germination, the use of hydrogen, which is essential for the growth of Lima beans, is required. A variety of Lima bean seed, named the New Bush Lima, and produced by D. L. Deering, or Deere's Improved, is recommended.

LIMA BEANS OF THE GARDEN. This is a very popular variety of the Lima Bean, and is more generally grown than any other. Beans are large, greenish white beans of the finest flavor, which are sheltered green, and are also fine when dried for winter use. Per pkt., 8 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 50 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 50 cts.; peck, $2.00; bushel, $7.50.

CREASB EAK. A Southern bean originating in Louisiana and one of excellent quality, of quick growth and very productive, maturing very early. It is the best early green-podded pole bean, bearing round pods all the season. It is entirely stringless. They are borne in clusters of 4 to 12 and are of superb quality. Per pkt., 30 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 50 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 40 cts.; peck, $1.00; bushel, $7.00.

LONDON HORTICULTURAL, or Speckled Cranberry. An early and productive seed, and considered as a green shell bean, or in a dry state. It may be cultivated with great success in sections where the Lima is a failure. An excellent bean for the table. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 45 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 30 cts.; peck, $1.50; bushel, $8.75.
LAZY WIFE’S POLE BEAN. The best variety for late green-podded beans. The pods are broad, thick, very rich, and entirely stringless, of a rich buttery flavor when cooked, and grow from 4 to 6 inches in length. As a snap-shot it cannot be surpassed. For a shell bean it is unsurpassed for winter use, the beans being white and of excellent flavor. They are a most valuable variety to plant among corn. We particularly recommend it as it is one of the best Pole Beans in use. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 30 cts.; quart, 60 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 45 cts.; peck, $1.00; bushel, $8.25.

GIANT RED WAX. The pods of this variety are long, yellow, crisp, and stringless. They are very productive and tender when fully grown. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 35 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 45 cts.; peck, $1.00; bushel, $8.25.

Tall Black Wax, or Indian Chief. This, as a snap-shot or shell bean, is one of the best. The beans are dark glossy black in color, and come in a variety of sizes, maturing in about 75 days. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 30 cts.; quart, 50 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 45 cts.; peck, $2.25; bushel, $8.25. (See Scarlet Runner.)

NEW GIANT RED WAX FLAGEOLET. The vines are crowded with bunches of long handsome pods, from 7 to 8 inches in length, of a rich golden yellow color, entirely free from string and dirt, and of superb quality. It is one of the earliest of the pole varieties, and the vines continue to grow and bear the entire season. Its fine quality and extreme marketable value make it one of the best desirable varieties, and we specially recommend it to all our customers. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 40 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 45 cts.; peck, $2.00; bushel, $7.50.

Dutch Case Knife. One of the earliest varieties of pole beans, rich, tender, and of excellent flavor; good green or dry. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 45 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 45 cts.; peck, $1.50; bushel, $8.75.

SOUTHERN PROLIFIC. The rapid growth of this bean produces pods bountiful and tender, which pods in a green state are most excellent for cooking, and it is today one of the most popular varieties in the Southern States, where it is much more in demand than the North. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 40 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 45 cts.; peck, $1.00; bushel, $6.25.

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SPARERIB BEANS. Premia. This is the finest variety ever introduced. The beans are tender, and of the finest quality. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 40 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 45 cts.; peck, $1.50; bushel, $8.25.

BEETS

The soil should be deep, rich, light and sandy. For an early supply, sow in the spring, as soon as the ground becomes fit to work, in drills about 1 foot apart and 2 inches deep. For main crop sow first week in May, and for winter use sow in July. These dates apply for the latitude of Philadelphia; for the South sow earlier, North later. When the plants have attained 3 or 4 leaves, thin out so that they may stand 6 or 8 inches apart. Keep free from weeds. The roots may be taken up in October and stored in the cellar or piled outside, like potatoes.

EDMUND’S EARLY TURNIP BEET. This fine new variety grows but very small tops, the short foliage being of a rich brassy red. The beets are of a handsome round shape and very smooth, the skin being of a deep blood-red color; the flesh is also a very dark red, and remarkably sweet and tender. One of the finest table beets grown. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.

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ECLIPSE. Its merits consist in its rapid growth, fine quality, and small size and dusky beets of a blood-red color, of globe shape. The flesh is also a deep red, sweet and fine grained. It is nearly as early as the Egyptian, but larger and of much finer quality. Highly recommended for market gardeners. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.

BASTIAN’S EARLY RED TURNIP. This variety is prized for its rapid growth and large size, and is particularly valuable for the market gardener. Of the finest quality even when large and old, flesh very tender, and when cooked retains its fine blood-red color. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.

EMANUEL MITCHELL’S EARLY RED TURNIP BEET. This is the earliest deep red beet grown. It has been grown and selected for a number of years by Mr. George Mitchell, one of our prominent market gardeners, who has this year sold us his seed, and the true stock can be obtained only from us. The roots grow smooth, of round shape, skin and flesh are of a deep blood-red. It is very sweet and tender at all times. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.

DEWING’S IMPROVED BLOOD TURNIP. Remarkable for perfect shape and freedom from side or fibrous roots. The quality is excellent, the bulbs are of large size, very sweet and tender, and valuable for table use. Beautiful red in color, not so dark as some of the other varieties, and unsurpassed for winter keeping. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.

MICHIELS’S EARLY RED TURNIP BEET. This is the earliest deep red beet grown. It has been grown and selected for a number of years by Mr. George Mitchell, one of our prominent market gardeners, who has this year sold us his seed, and the true stock can be obtained only from us. The roots grow smooth, of round shape, skin and flesh are of a deep blood-red. It is very sweet and tender at all times. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.
BASTIAN'S HALF-LONG BLOOD-RED. Of quick growth, fine quality and handsome shape, and a great favorite with our Philadelphia market gardeners. It is ready to market earlier than many early turnip varieties. For winter use, sow about the middle of July. Our stock of this variety is unusually fine. Per pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.; $1/2 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

LONG-SMooth BLOOD-RED. This is an excellent variety of late beet, it is very tender and of good flavor, and is particularly adapted for autumn and winter use, being an excellent keeper. Good either for table use or stock. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/2 lb., 15 cts.; lb., 45 cts.

Silver Chief, or Silver Beet. Cultivated for its leaves, the mid-rib being served and served as asparagus, or is excellent for picnics. It sows early in the spring, its leaves are fit for greens sooner than any other variety. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

MANGEL WURZEL, AND SUGAR BEETS.

Mangels have become a most popular crop with the farmers of this country, who are learning by experience that they are the cheapest feed they can give their cattle during the long winter months, besides that they keep the cattle in fine, healthy condition. Sow 10 days before corn planting time, 5 to 6 pounds to the acre. The prices quoted for one pound, or less, include payment of postage by us. Write for special prices on large quantities.

NEW GOLDEN TANKARD YEL- LOW FLESHED MANGEL.

This distinct variety of mangel has proven itself to be a most important addition to the list of stock-feeding roots. It is much preferred by stock to any other sort. In England it is considered indispensable for dairy farming. Many large dairy farmers claim that they obtain a much higher yield of milk from cows fed on this mangel. They contain more sugar and less water than any variety grown, have more milk-producing and nutritious qualities and, owing to peculiar shape, can be left close in the ground, which makes them one of the best roots for stock. It is a rich deep yellow in color, and far superior to the Yellow Ovoid, of which it is an improved selection; it is very hardy and one of the earliest to mature. Cows and sheep fed on this variety thrive much better than on any other kind. We recommend all who purchase mangels to sow this variety. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 45 cts. By express or freight, 5 lbs. at 33 cts. per lb. or 10 lbs. or more at 30 cts. per lb.

LANES IMPROVED IMPERIAL SUGAR. This is by far more hardy, more productive and of finer quality than the French Sugar Beet. It contains a much higher percentage of sugar, but it is in every way an improvement on the older varieties. It is the very best sort for feeding cows, sheep and horses, and has yielded from 50 to 60 per acre at an average cost of 6 cents per bushel, making it a most valuable vegetable for the stock farmer. They grow to a large size and are quite perfect in ab. s. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 15 cts.; lb., 40 cts. By express or freight, 5 lbs. or over at 38 cts. per lb.

Champion Yellow Globe Mangel. Of large size, and fine, nutritious qualities, globular in shape, and orange yellow in color. It is of handsome form, neat top, fine, clear skin, and does well on light land. Grows partly above ground. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 15 cts.; lb., 40 cts. By express or freight, 5 lbs. or over at 38 cts. per lb.

NEW RIVER YELLOW GLOBE. This is one of the best varieties of Yellow Globe Mangels and possesses many distinctive features. The skin and flesh are very smooth and of a deep rich yellow color. It is of as good quality and relished by stock. It has made over 90 tons to the acre and many specimens have been grown to weigh 45 pounds each. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 15 cts.; lb., 40 cts. By express or freight, 5 lbs. or over at 35 cts. per lb.

IMPROVED MAMMOTH PRIZE LONG RED MANGEL. This variety has produced from 60 to 70 tons of roots per acre and is the heaviest root of all the mangels. Single roots have weighed from 25 to 35 pounds each, and always of the very finest texture and best quality. It is a most valuable variety for stock and cannot be too highly prized. It is noted for the broad shoulder and massive shape of root, by which great weight is obtained without the commonplace form of improved strains. Specimens have been exhibited weighing over 50 pounds, and although attaining such great weight their fineness of quality remained unimpaired. The great difficulty herefore has been to obtain true and reliable seed, but by careful selection we can inform our friends that our stock has made a most perfect test, and that all respects meet their wants. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 15 cts.; lb., 40 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, 5 lbs. or over at 35 cts. per lb. or 10 lbs. or over at 30 cts. per lb.

In addition to the 35 cts. extra on every dollar sent in bulk, we also add EXTRA for our own choice and will be pleased to have customers send reports on them.

BODECOLE, OR KALE.

DWARF GERMAN. This is a variety of the cabbage, and known as Bodecole or Kale. sow the seed in early spring and transplant in June, and treat in the same manner as for cabbage. For early spring use sow in September, 10-seed to the square foot, with a covering of straw. The seed can also be sown in September and treated like cabbage, and they will continue to grow all winter. They make excellent greens for winter and spring use. The leaves are very tender and delicate in flavor. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

GREEN CURLED SCOTCH. A hardy, rather dwarf variety, but spreading under good cultivation to 3 feet in height; leaves of a bright green, and beautifully curled, very tender and delicate in flavor. Our seed of this popular variety is sold at Bristol, Pa., and it is far superior to the cheapest curled scotch most generally sold. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

BROCCOLI.

PURPLE CAPE. The heads are very close, compact, large, and of excellent flavor, color brownish purple. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., $1.10; lb., $3.90.
This is a most important crop to the market gardener and small grower, and too much caution cannot be exercised in knowing that the seed is reliable and true. Our seed is grown with the utmost care under our personal supervision, and we know that it is fresh, pure, reliable and true to name, and that they have been grown from the seeds only, and these most carefully selected. The popularity and reliability of our Cabbage Seed is attested by our large market gardener trade in all parts of the United States. We particularly recommend our Earliest of All and Jersey Wakefield for early, and our Short Stem Drumhead and Prize Head Late Flat Dutch for late or winter cabbage.

**FAUST'S EARLIEST OF ALL.** See Specialties.

**FAUST'S PRIZE HEAD LATE FLAT DUTCH.** See Specialties.

**EXTRA EARLY STAMPEDES.** This variety, in point of earliness, ranks next to Faust's Earliest of All. It originated in France, where it is most popular, but has been grown largely in this country for a number of years, and is much liked for the early variety. The heads are oblong, round at the top, solid and firm, seldom failing to head.

**SELECTED EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD.** This variety is more generally known and more largely grown than any other of the early cabbages. It has long been the market gardeners' favorite. Heads up hard and solid, having but few outside leaves. The heads are pyramidal in shape, large and of good quality for so early a cabbage. Our strain is unequalled, being the "True Type." Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts.; 10 lbs., $1.50.

**SHORT-STEM DRUMHEAD.** There are few other cabbages that can compare with this in beauty of appearance and excellent cooking and keeping qualities. Has a very short stem, the heads grow to an immense size, are hard, solid and round, and flattened on top; uniform in shape and size. It is particularly remarkable for its certainty to head, and is very sweet flavored, has but few loose leaves, keep well and is a general favorite. Cabbage growers in the South, where so many varieties fail to head, would do well to raise largely of this variety. Heads are of the finest quality, and frequently weigh from 20 to 50 pounds. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts.; 10 lbs., $3.00.

**EARLY CANNON BALL.** Derives its name from its very hard heads, which are round and heavy. It is not ready 10 days later than the Early York. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts.; 10 lbs., $1.50.

**DEWY-RED FLAT DUTCH.** A very dwarf variety with round, large heads, almost flat on top. It is second early and does particularly well in the Southern States. Its heat-resisting qualities are unsurpassed. The heads are broad and round; very tender and fine grained. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts.; 10 lbs., $1.50.

**ALL HEAD EARLY.** This new variety, recently introduced, has given excellent satisfaction. It is one of the earliest large cabbages, being 1/4 larger than Early Summer; the deep, flat heads are remarkably tender, solid and uniform in color as well in size and shape. It is all that can be desired for early cabbages, and is valuable for a late winter cabbage. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 55 cts.; 1 lb., $1.25; 10 lbs., $1.40.

**ALL SEASONS.** As suggested by its name, this variety of cabbage may be planted early or late, and will produce alike good results. It is fully equal to many of the earlier sorts in quality and carliness, and grows to a much larger size. It forms flat, round heads, well colored, which do not burst after heading, and is very desirable for a winter keep. The heads being of good thickness. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 55 cts.; 1 lb., 75 cts.; 10 lbs., $2.75.

**EARLY WINNINGSTADT.** A good variety for general use and private gardens. Requires but little attention, is sure to head, very hard, and keeps well both summer and winter. Heads are good sized, conical shaped, very solid and of a bright glossy green. Ours is true to the original type. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts.; 10 lbs., $1.90.

**YANDERGAW CABBAGE.** This new variety originated with Mr. VanderGaw, on Long Island, who for years has been selecting and improving it. Our seed is grown from stock seed procured from him. Forms large, solid heads, which mature nearly as early as the Early Summer, being tender and crisp. The cabbage is a pure leaved, 97 marketable size heads being an average out of 100 in yield. All who have grown it speak in the highest praise of its fine qualities. It is unquestionably one of the best, most reliable and profitable varieties to grow. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1 lb., 75 cts.; 10 lbs., $3.75.

**SCHWEINFURT.** A German variety of large size and fine flavor. Good for summer and fall use. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts.; 10 lbs., $1.50.

**EARLY BLOOD-RED ERFURT.** Largely used for pickling. Heads are solid, of an intense blood-red color. It is very early and makes a good winter cabbage if sown late. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts.; 10 lbs., $1.80.

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D. A. Graege, Newhouse, N. C., Sept. 25, 1893, writes:—I have bought Sure Head Cabbage of you for the past four years; it is very fine.

Mary E. Polk, Bean Blossom, Brown Co., Ind., writes:—Your seeds have given perfect satisfaction; the earliest of all cabbage and American Hybrid Tomato took the lead here for the fifth year. J. T. Lindley, Kingston, Madison Co., Ky., writes:—The sample of tomato sent us was fine.

Mr. W. Surratt, Windsor Castle, Bucks Co., Pa., writes:—The Hanson Lettuce received from you was just as represented.

H. Taylor, Beach Township, Pa., writes:—I have been sending to you for my needs for several years, and am well pleased with your house.

Mrs. S. D. Pickard, Bawcomsville, Ill., writes:—The seeds which I ordered came promptly. Many thanks for the Asparagus roots and extra seeds.
SUREHEAD. This standard variety is appropriately named Surehead, as it never fails to take a remarkably fine solid head, with but few outer leaves. It is a strong, vigorous grower, ripening late for a main crop, and always brings the highest price in our markets. It produces large, round flattened heads, and is remarkable for its certainty to head, is very sweet flavored, keeps well, is a good shipper and a general favorite with market gardeners and large growers of cabbages. With a favorable season the heads will prove to a large size, frequently 20 inches in diameter, and will often weigh as high as 40 pounds. It is second to none as a main crop cabbage. Its heads are large, pure and of the finest quality, and its market value is increased many fold by its keeping quality.

SUREHEAD STRAIN.

SUREHEAD CABBAGE.

FOOTLE'S.

EARLY SUMMER. Heads about 10 days later than the Jersey Wakefield, but is much larger. The heads are very solid and of uniform shape, being round, flattened and of fine quality. Its very compact habit enables it to be planted almost as close as the Jersey Wakefield. Our seed of this fine variety is pure and true. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; ¼ lb., 70 cts.; lb., $2.50.

FLATHEAD. A very early and late variety; heads very firm and hard, and often attains a weight of 35 pounds. Small, short stems; heads large and of fine quality. It heads soon after the Early Summer or the Early Dwarf Flat Dutch, and is very popular for summer and fall use. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; ¼ lb., 70 cts.; lb., $2.50.

SUCCESSION. This new variety is about one week later than Early Summer, but heads much larger; forms handsome, large, firm heads, and is valuable as a sure header. It is quite a distinct variety, and destined to become a general favorite. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; ¼ lb., 70 cts.; lb., $2.50.

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PERFECTION DRUMHEAD SAVOY. This is a much superior variety to the imported Savoy Cabbage and its flavor is extremely rich, much resembling the Cauliflower. The heads are large, finely curled, compact and keep excellently. Great care should be used to obtain pure seed to produce these fine results. We guarantee our seed to be of the finest quality. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; ¼ lb., 60 cts.; lb., $2.00.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS. This is one of the best vegetables for winter use, producing an abundance of sprouts resembling small cabbages, of excellent flavor. Sow seeds in May and in the same manner as winter cauliflower.

PERFECTION. Is the best variety for winter use, and will be found most delicious. The sprouts are used as greens, and become very tender and of rich flavor when touched by frost. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; ¼ lb., 40 cts.; lb., $1.30.

CARROTS.
The carrot delights in a sandy loam, richly tilled. For an early crop sow in the spring as soon as the ground is in good working order; for late crop they may be sown any time until the middle of June. Sow in rows about 1 inch apart, thinning out to 3 or 4 inches between the plants.

EARLY FRENCH FORCING. This variety is largely grown for forcing purposes; and is the very earliest in cultivation. It makes a small root, globular in shape, of an orange-red color, and is very fine flavored. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 50 cts.; lb., $1.00.

DANVERS HALF-LONG ORANGE. A variety intermediate between the Short Horn and Long Orange. The root is of a dark orange color and grows very smooth and handsome. It originated at Danvers, Mass. It is well adapted to all soils, and is one of the most productive and best varieties. Our seed is grown with the greatest care and will give entire satisfaction. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 25 cts.; lb., 75 cts.

IMPROVED ORANGE. The old standard variety, both for table use and stock feeding, either for late summer or winter. This carrot has long been preferred by dairymen for stock; it will increase the milk in cows, and in winter will give a fresh flavor and golden color to the butter. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 25 cts.; lb., 75 cts.

LARGE WHITE BELGIAN. Cultivated entirely for stock feeding, and grows to a very large size, enormously productive. Flesh a yellowish white. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 20 cts.; lb., 50 cts. By express or freight, 5 lbs. or more, 40 cts. per lb.

LARGE YELLOW BELGIAN. Differing from the preceding variety only in color. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 20 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

SHORT HORN, or EARLY SCARLET HORN. One of the best for table use. Deep orange color, flesh fine grained and of fine flavor; has but a small top and grows well in shallow soil. It matures about 10 days earlier than the Long Orange. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 25 cts.; lb., 75 cts.

EARLY INTERMEDIATE RED CARROT. The roots grow very smooth and straight, and are singularly free from roughness. It grows small tops, considering the size of the root, and is noted for its beautiful color, and the flesh, which is very thick, is particularly tender and sweet. In size it is a tribe larger than Half-Long, being, in fact, what its name signifies, intermediate between that and the Long Orange. For table use it has no equal. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 25 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

LARGE WHITE VOGES. A fine variety and considered the best for cattle feeding. The skin and flesh are both white; it is very productive and nutritious. It is easily dug by reason of its shape. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 20 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

OX-HEART, or GUERANDE. This fine new variety comes from France, and is a most valuable one, either for family use or market. It is of extra fine quality; very productive, beautiful shape, and rich orange color. It will rank as an intermediate variety, but is much thicker than the Short Horn, being at the top from 3 to 4 inches in diameter. Excellent for table use. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; ¼ lb., 25 cts.; lb., 20 cts.

CAULIFLOWER.
The requirements of cauliflowers are very similar to those of cabbage; soil that will successively grow the one will grow the other. When not practicable to sow the seed in September and winter over, as described for early cabbage, sow in hotbed in January or February and transplant to 2 or 3 inches apart in boxes, or in the soil of another hot-bed, until they are safe to be planted in the open ground. For late crop sow at same date as given in directions for cabbage.
SELECTED EXTRA EARLY DWARF ERFURT. This is the very best strain of Erfurt stock, and was grown for us at great expense by one of the most reliable growers in Germany. Sow to a plant fails to produce a good head. It is very dwarf, has solid, pure white heads of the finest quality. Per pkt., 20 cts.; ¼ oz., 30 cts.; ½ oz., $1.50; oz., $2.75; ¼ lb., $9.50.


FAUST'S EARLIEST TRUE SNOWBALL CAULIFLOWER. There is probably no other vegetable with which there is so much of uncertainty connected in the securing of a successful crop as with growing the cauliflower, as very much depends upon the season, but under ordinary circumstances the same amount of attention, manure and money as are devoted to the cabbage crop will bring in as large or larger returns. On account of the high price for reliable cauliflower seed most gardeners satisfy themselves by sowing cheap seed, and this is the result. Our Snowball Cauliflower is undoubtedly the best in cultivation. It is the earliest grown, produces the finest snow-white heads, and its compact habit enables it to be grown in small spaces. One packet, $10.00; lb., $35.00.

"CAULIFLOWERS, AND HOW TO GROW THEM," sent free with orders for ½ oz. or more of Snowball.

VEITCH'S AUTUMN GIANT. The heads of this variety are well protected by the foliage, and remain for a long time fit for use. They are beautiful and white, large, firm and compact. Recommended for the Southern States. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 65 cts.; ¼ lb., $2.00; lb., $7.00.

ALGIER'S. One of the best sure-heading, late varieties, the heads remaining firm and solid for a long time; very largely grown on Long Island. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 75 cts.; ¼ lb., $2.25; lb., $6.00.

Le Normand's Short-Stem. A large, late variety, producing very close and uniform curd, well protected by leaves, keeping it well blanched. Quality good. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 70 cts.; ¼ lb., $2.00; lb., $9.50.

CELERY
Sow in the open ground as soon as it is fit to work, late in March or early in April. Keep clear of weeds until time for transplanting in June and July. The tops should be cut off once or twice before transplanting, to insure stocky plants. When from 4 to 6 inches high transplant into broad, shallow trenches, 3 feet apart, and 6 inches in the rows. The soil should be light, highly manured and moist, or near water, as the plants must be freely watered in dry weather. Earthing up should not begin until the plants are quite well grown, then earth up gradually, keeping the leaf stocks close together, so that the soil may not fall into the centre of the plant; never earth up in wet weather, or when the dew is on the plants. Celery for very late use which is earthed or blanched up early, is liable to rust.

GIANT PASCAL. See Specialties.

GIANT WHITE SOLID. Attains a very large size under good cultivation, reaching 8 feet. It is a very showy variety, of quick growth, stiff, close habit and bleaches perfectly white; fine flavor, crisp and tender. Grows freely in a hot or dry atmosphere, and for this reason is particularly adapted to Southern sections of our country. It should never be planted closer than 4 feet between the rows. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; ¼ lb., 60 cts.; lb., $2.10.

BOSTON MARKET. The most popular variety in the markets of Boston, it is white, of delicious flavor, and very solid, crisp and tender. A most excellent variety. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; ¼ lb., 70 cts.; lb., $2.50.

NEW ROSE. The leading variety of the Red Celeries, which are coming more into general use in our American markets. It is more solid than the white varieties, therefore keeping much better, and having that nice nutty flavor so sought after. Very ornamental; the delicate carmine blending with the white in the blanched stalks. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 30 cts.; ¼ lb., 90 cts.; lb., $3.00.

CRAWFORD'S HALF DWARF. When blanched it is of a yellowish white, making it very ornamental for the table. It is solid rich in flavor, vigorous in growth, and surpasses most of the large growing sorts in weight of bunch. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; ¼ lb., 60 cts.; lb., $2.25.

IMPERIAL DWARF LARGE RIBBED. This variety is very solid, of delicious, crisp nutty flavor, pearly white, and an extra good keeper. The ribs are entirely solid, and larger than other variety. Being of compact, vigorous growth, it can be planted very close, and, this, added to its robust and stocky habit, makes it a most valuable kind. It is very low and nearly self blanching. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; ¼ lb., 60 cts.; lb., $2.25.

GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING. This superb variety is noted for its close habit, compact growth and straight, vigorous stalks which make a handsome appearance. The heart is large, solid and of a beautiful rich golden yellow color, and without banking up or any covering whatever even the outer ribs become of a fresh yellowish white color. It is a fine table variety; the ribs are solid, crisp, brittle and of delicious flavor. On the table or market stall it is most handsome and striking in appearance. Per pkt., 10 cts.; ¼ oz., 20 cts.; ½ oz., 35 cts.; ¼ lb., $1.00; lb., $3.25.

PERFECTION HEARTWELL. The above illustration gives but a faint idea of the appearance of this handsome variety. It is one of the largest varieties grown, has a large golden-yellow heart, very sweet and of fine flavor. Highly recommended for winter use. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; ¼ lb., 75 cts.; lb., $2.75.

Celerei, or Turnip-Rooted Celery. Only grown for its roots, which are shaped like a turnip, and when cooked are sliced and used with vinegar. Also used for seasoning. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; ¼ lb., 45 cts.; lb., $1.05.
DWARF GOLDEN HEART. This is a very solid dwarf variety, and a habit of growth it is sturdy, and much resembles the half-dwarf white varieties. It is a most popular stock with our Philadelphia market gardeners. Keeps well during the winter. When blanched, the heart, which is large and firm throughout its thickest parts, is a rich, golden yellow, rendering it very beautiful and choice. One of the best for private use.

Per pkt., 5 cents; oz., 10 cents; 1/2 lb., 60 cents; lb., $2.25.

VAULTER’S NEW GOLDEN HEART. This is an improved strain of Golden Heart, growing much larger, and as a keeper, is unsurpassed. It has been raised and perfected by Mr. Charles H. Vault.”

WHITE PLUME CELERY. This is undoubtedly the most deservedly popular variety of celery grown in this country. It is entirely distinct from all other varieties; in the centre, stools and leaves being nearly perfect. Its great peculiarity is that by closing the stalks, by simply drawing the soil up against the plant and pressing it together with the hands, and again drawing up the soil with the hose or spade, to keep the soil that has been squeezed against the celery in its place, the work of blanching is complete. In the older varieties of celery, in addition to this the slow and troublesome process of "banking" or "earthing up with a spade" is necessary. As a beautiful table ornament it has no equal, and its eating qualities surpass those of any other variety. It being crisp, solid and possessing a delicate and delicious flavor. Per pkt., 10 cents; oz., 25 cents; 1/2 lb., 75 cents; lb., $2.40.

CHERVIL.

Curled. An aromatic sweet herb. The leaves are used in soups and salads. Per pkt., 5 cents; oz., 15 cents; 1/2 lb., 40 cents; lb., $1.25.

CHICKORY.

Large Rooted. Used as a substitute for coffee. The tops are also used for greens. Cultivate in same way as carrots. Per pkt., 5 cents; oz., 10 cents; 1/2 lb., 30 cents; lb., 90 cents.

COLLARDS.

True Georgia. They are extensively grown in the South to a large extent take the place of cabbage, as there is a cheaper market for them. The soft tender leaves are served in the same way as cabbage. It forms a mass of leaves on a tall stem and is an exhauster of the soil. The Collard, then, which is a hardy, robust, vigorous variety, is produced in an as excellent substitute. Sold for succession from June to August, and treat as cabbage in rows 1 foot apart. Per pkt., 5 cents; oz., 15 cents; 1/2 lb., 35 cents; lb., $1.10.

CORN SALAD, OR FETTICUS.

LARGE ROUND LEAVED. Sow early in spring in rows 1 foot apart. It will be fit for use in 6 or 8 weeks. It wanted very early in the spring, sow in September, and cover thinly with straw when cold weather approaches. Per pkt., 5 cents; oz., 10 cents; 1/2 lb., 20 cents; lb., 60 cents.

SUGAR CORN. Plant about the last of spring, in hills about 3 feet apart, or in drills 4 feet apart, & 1 inch apart in the drill. 5 oz. or 10 grains to a hill is sufficient. When, up, thin them out, allowing 3 of the strongest plants to remain. They should be thoroughly cultivated, and when a succession is required, plant every 2 weeks, until the middle of summer. A rich, warm alluvial soil is best, and immediately after sowing this should be as deep and thoroughly worked as possible.

BURLINGTON HYBRID. See Novelties. Early Adams or Burlington. This variety is not a sweet corn, but is largely sold for the use. It is very hardy, with white grain and short ear, and matures in 60 days. Per pkt., 5 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 35 cents. By express or freight, quart, 20 cents; peck, 50 cents; bushel, $5.50.

THE CORY. The earliest sweet corn in cultivation: it is a week or 10 days earlier than the Marble-head, and much sweeter and finer of quality. Ears are borne more freely than the Marblehead or Minnesota. We have been most careful in the selection and curing of our stock of this valuable variety, and we cannot too highly recommend it as the earliest and largest sweet corn. Per pkt., 5 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 35 cents. By express or freight, quart, 20 cents; peck, 50 cents; bushel, $5.50.

EARLY MARBLE-HEAD. Until the introduction of the Cory, this was the earliest variety of sugar corn in our cultivation. Its stalks are about 4 feet high, ears of medium size, and set low down. Roasting ears have been picked in 61 days from time of planting, while the ordinary time required for maturing is 70 days. A valuable variety to come in ahead of Minnesota and Crosby. Per pkt., 5 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 35 cents. By express or freight, quart, 20 cents; peck, 50 cents; bushel, $3.50.

EARLY MINNESOTA. This variety is an early one, 8 rows, ears of good size, sweet and fine flavored, and comes a little earlier than the Crosby. A desirable variety alike for market or family garden, being highly productive and of good quality generally. Per pkt., 5 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 30 cents. By express or freight, quart, 20 cents; peck, 50 cents; bushel, $3.10.

ORANGE. A very distinct and valuable variety of delicious quality; it is very sweet and juicy, and fully equal to any variety in flavor. The seed is dark brown, with a beautiful golden color, from which it derives its name. Per pkt., 5 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 35 cents. By express or freight, quart, 20 cents; peck, $1.00; bushel, $8.50.

PERRY’S HYBRID. A fine variety, nearly as early as the Minnesota, bearing ears much larger, which are well filled to the c.e. The cob is red, having 12 to 14 rows of large white kernels. The ears are set low down and bear two to a stalk. Per pkt., 5 cents; pint, 20 cents; 1/2 peck, 40 cents. By express or freight, quart, 20 cents; peck, 50 cents; bushel, $3.25.

AMBER CREAM. When fit for table use the ears of this variety are beautifully white, but in the dry state the kernels are amber colored, and very much shrivelled. Stalks grow about 7 feet high, bearing ears from 12 to 14 inches long, with very deep kernels. It is medium early—a strong vigorous grower; very rich, sugary and tender. An excellent variety. Per pkt., 5 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 35 cents. By express or freight, quart, 20 cents; peck, $1.50; bushel, $8.50.

EARLY GENESEE. Nearly as early as Minnesota, very productive and of unsurpassed richness and delicacy of flavor. Of large size. Per pkt., 5 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 35 cents. By express or freight, quart, 20 cents; peck, 50 cents; bushel, $8.15.

NEW RED COB EVERGREEN. This valuable new variety is a sport from the "Stowell's," which has long been the favorite and standard in all parts of the country. It is 20 days earlier and very productive. Bearing 3 or 4 ears to a stalk; the ears are set low on the stalk and are very thick and regular in size. 16 rowed, with deep, broad kernels, very deep and of the most delicious quality. Remaining tender and milky for a long time. This variety is very distinct when in the dry state, both kernels and cob being of a deep red color. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 55 cts. By express or freight, quart, 20 cts.; peck, $1.00; bush, $3.50.

LARGE EIGHT-ROWED. This medium early sweet corn is strong, vigorous grower, bearing 8-rowed ears of large size, very rich, sweet, sugary and tender. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 35 cts. By express or freight, quart, 20 cts.; peck, $1.00; bush, $3.50.

BLACK MEXICAN. One of the sweetest of all kinds. Particularly desirable for family use. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 35 cts. By express or freight, quart, 20 cts.; peck, 90 cts.; bush, $2.75.

POTTER'S EXCELSIOR. The ears are large, 12-rowed and well filled out with deep pith. Very sweet, tender and sugary. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 35 cts. By express or freight, quart, 20 cts.; peck, 90 cts.; bush, $2.75.

MAMMOTH LATE. A fine sort, ripening a little later than the Evergreen and bearing ears of the largest size, weighing 2 to 3 pounds. Quality good. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 35 cts. By express or freight, quart, 20 cts.; peck, 90 cts.; bush, $3.50.

EGYPTIAN. A tall and very large variety, coming in after Stowell's Evergreen, and much prized for its good quality and productivity. It is sweet and rich. Not adapted to plant North. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 35 cts. By express or freight, quart, 20 cts.; peck, 90 cts.; bush, $3.50.

CRESS, OR PEPPER GRASS. Curled. Very fine. May be cut two or three times. A well-known pungent salad. Cover very lightly; sow at frequent intervals to keep up a succession, as it soon runs to seed. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 20 cts.; $1 lb., 50 cts.

UPLAND CRESS. Much resembles water-cress in flavor and used in the same manner. It is easy of culture, and, being a perennial, requires re-owing but every 2 years. Its yield is enormous. Per pkt., 10 cts.; 3 pkts., 25 cts.

WATER-CRESS (True). This is quite distinct from the above, and only thrives when its roots and stem are submerged in water. It is one of the most delicious of small salads. Pots should be planted wherever a suitable place can be found. Per pkt., 10 cts.; 1/4 oz., 20 cts.; oz., 35 cts.; $1/4 lb., $1.00; $1 lb., $3.50.

Cucumbers succeed best in warm, rich, sandy loam, and should not be planted in open air until there is a prospect of settled warm weather. Plant in hills 18 inches apart each way, and, when all danger from insects is past, thin out the plants, leaving 3 or 4 of the strongest to each hill. The fruit should be gathered when large enough, whether required for use or not, if left on the vines longer it destroys their productiveness. Grow easily, as the yellow bug will require a part, and it is best to have a supply of plants. A large shovelful of well-rotted manure should be mixed in each hill.

JERSEY PICKLE. See Novelties.

EARLY RUSSIAN. The earliest variety in cultivation. It is hardy, productive and well-flavored, and produces its fruit in pairs, from 3 to 4 inches each in length. A fine variety for table use, being remarkably solid and having but few seeds. Fine for pickles. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 20 cts.; $1 lb., 75 cts.


NEW EVER-BEARING CUCUMBER. A new variety that will prove valuable on account of its ever-bearing character. It begins to bear early and continues to flower and produce fruit continuously until killed by frost, whether the fruit is left on the vine or not. It is a most desirable variety at any season of the year. At the same time the vines will have cucumbers in every stage of growth, the small ones being perfect and the pickling type large, tender, very solid, and are of the best quality for pickling or slicing. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 30 cts.; $1 lb., $1.75.

IMPROVED EARLY WHITE SPINE. A favorite market variety, producing fruit of a medium size, from 6 to 8 inches in length and 2 to 3 inches in diameter. The vines are vigorous and productive, yielding a fruit of fine flavor, crisp and tender. Used largely for pickling and pickling mixtures. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 25 cts.; $1 lb., 75 cts.


PEARLESS WHITE SPINE. The very best strain of White Spine Cucumber in cultivation. The fruit is of good size, straight and well-formed, of a dark green color until matured. It is a particularly good variety for market gardeners, and no private garden should be without it. Early and immensely productive. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 25 cts.; $1 lb., 75 cts.

PEARLESS WHITE SPINE CUCUMBER.
NEW GIANT PERA. This superb variety of cucumber has perfectly smooth skin, free from spines, retaining its green color until nearly ripe, then turning to a fine brown. They are round and full, and of equal diameter almost throughout. The vines are vigorous in growth with foliage of a luxuriant dark green, producing a broad green leaf nearly twice as large as the common varieties. The vines begin to bear when only 2 or 3 feet long, and if the fruit is picked before coming to maturity they will keep on bearing until killed by the frost. The seed cavity is remarkably small, they are fine and crisp, and grow from 18 to 22 inches in length. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 1/4 lb., 25 cts.; lb., $1.10.

IMPROVED CHICAGO PICKLE. This variety ranks next to our Jersey Pickle as a pickling sort. Mr. Westerfield, the originator, claims to combine in it all the qualities desired by those who raise cucumbers for commercial pickles. It is a most prolific variety and especially adapted to this purpose. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 75 cts.

NICHOL'S MEDIUM GREEN. A favorite variety, and it is pronounced second to none as a salver for the table. It may be used as an early forcing variety; its productiveness is wonderful; of a medium size, it is always straight, and smooth, of a dark green color, and fits very tender and crisp. The cucumbers are a very thick through, considerably more so than the White Supreme, and are full at both ends. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 75 cts.

London Long Green Cucumber.

LONDON LONG GREEN. This is an old and popular variety of Long Green Cucumber, and one that is extensively used throughout the country. It grows from 12 to 16 inches long, fruit firm and crisp; color dark green. We have a very choice strain. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 35 cts.


TRUE WEST INDIA GHERKIN. This is a most distinct variety (the seeds being extremely small), and used exclusively for pickling purposes. The fruit is prickly, oval in shape and very small. Used extensively in the finer brands of cucumber and is easily distinguished (by its small seeds) from the English Burr Cucumber. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1/4 lb., 60 cts.; lb., $1.70.

LONG GERMAN. An imported variety from Germany, attaining a length of 18 to 22 inches; fine shape, growing very straight and smooth. Most desirable for exhibition purposes. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 50 cts.

White Japan. This variety is smooth and straight, and of excellent quality. It presents a beautiful appearance, being white, tinged with cream, the small fruited being sometimes entirely white. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 90 cts.

Serpent, or Snake. Grows very often to a length of 6 feet, retaining even then its quality, which is very fair. Almost interestingly enough, much resembling a snake curled up, with head protruding. Pkt., 10 cts.

White Cucumber.

EGG-PLANT.

Sow seed in hot-beds in March or April. Plant out about June 1st or 24 feet apart. Those who have no hot-beds can sow sufficient seed in boxes in the house for a small garden.

IMPROVED NEW YORK PURPLE. This is the favorite market variety, of large size, smooth, deep purple skin, free from thorns, white flesh and tender. It is readily distinguished from either the large round or long purple varieties, the plants being much more robust, with leaves and stems thickly set with spines. Ours is the improved strain carefully grown and selected. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; oz., 40 cts.; 1/4 lb., $1.10; lb., $4.00.

EXTRA EARLY DWARF ROUND PURPLE. Much smaller than the foregoing variety, but very much resembling it in shape. Its strong recommendation is its hardiness and earliness, which enables it to be grown much further North than other varieties. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1/4 lb., 90 cts.; lb., $2.00.

BLACK PEKIN. This is a jet-black variety, round in form and very solid, glossy and smooth, and highly prolific. The flesh is white, fine grained and delicate in flavor. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 40 cts.; 1/4 lb., $1.10; lb., $4.25.

ENDIVE.

For early use sow in April; main sowings are made in June and July. Sow the seed in shallow drills, thinning out to 1 foot apart each way. For blanching gather up the leaves and tie them by their tips in a conical form; the inner leaves thus in the course of a week become perfectly blanched. Requires no special soil or manure.

GREEN CURLED. Very ornamental, its leaves being beautifully colored and delicately cut, are used much for garnishing. As a salad, coming in after lettuces is past, it is very useful, and its quality is excellent. This is the favorite and the hardest variety in cultivation. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 1/4 lb., 45 cts.; lb., $1.50.

WHITE CURLED. The leaves of this variety are pale green, and not quite so tender as the green curled. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1/4 lb., 45 cts.; lb., $1.70.

BROAD-LEAVED BATAVIAN. This variety is chiefly used for soup or sauces. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1/4 lb., 45 cts.; lb., $1.70.

A. M. STEPHENS, Nicholson, Wyoming Co., Pa., Oct. 19, 1891, writes: I have been using FAUST'S SEEDS for the past five years and find them strictly pure and always sure to grow. Would not use any other.

GARLIC.

The root or bulb is composed of many small bulbs, called cloves, which are planted in the spring 6 or 8 inches apart, and in August the bulbs will die, when the bulbs are ready to gather. They do best in a light rich soil. Used largely for flavoring soups, stews and other dishes, and also for medicinal purposes. Bulbs, 1/2 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 35 cts.; postpaid.

DANDELION.

Improved Large-Leaved. Used for greens and considered very wholesome. Sow in May or June in drills half an inch deep and 12 inches apart. The plant will be ready for use the following spring. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 50 cts.; 1/4 lb., $1.60; lb., $5.50.
HORSERADISH SETS.

The proper manner to grow Horseradish is from the sets, which should be planted in May in rich soil 1½ inches below the surface; they will make roots of large size and of the best quality in one season’s growth. Cut the tops strikingly before planting so as to prevent decay from water resting on the top; plant small and down. Large roots will be ready to pull by October, and from them a stock of sets can be cut off and laid aside for next year’s planting. For market use, the roots are dug in October and left in trenches ready to sell as wanted. For private use, it is best to pull the roots as needed during winter, they will then keep their strong flavor and aroma better.

S e t s, 12 for 25 cts.; 50 cts. per 100, postpaid. By express or freight, 50 cts. for $1.00. Every garden should contain Horseradish.

GOURDS.

Useful for household and farm purposes. For Ornamental varieties, see Annual Climbers in Flower Seeds.

S C A R T N E S. Useful for household purposes, such as buckets, baskets, soap and salt dishes, and for storing butter and cream. They have thick, hard shells, are light and durable and will hold from 3½ to 10 gallons. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; ½ lb., 75 cts.; lb., $2.40.

N E S T - E G G. Grows exactly in size and color the shape of an egg, will not crack, and are uninjured by cold or wet. They make the very best nest-eggs. The plant is a handsome and rapid-growing climber, and very ornamental for covering fences, arbors, etc. We have the true variety, which heretofore has been so difficult to obtain. Per pkt., 10 cts.

D I P P E R. Named from its resemblance in shape to a dipper; the capacity varies from a pint to a quart, with handles from 6 to 12 inches long. They are easily prepared for use as dippers, and will last for years. Are convenient for dipping hot liquids, as the handles do not heat through. Useful for farm and household purposes. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; ½ lb., 75 cts.; lb., $2.40.

K O H L - R A B I.

A vegetable intermediate between the cabbage and turnip. Sow in May, June and July; according to latitude, in rows 13 inches apart, thinning out to 8 inches between the plants.


E A R L Y W H I T E V I E N N A.

This is the best market variety and is also very valuable for stock feeding. Flesh white and tender while young. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; ½ lb., 40 cts.; lb., $1.45.

Late Gallia. This variety may be kept through the winter the same as turnips or rutabagas, and is excellent for stock feeding. Whitish green in color, with numerous leaves. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; ½ lb., 40 cts.; lb., $1.45.

L E E K.

The soil for leek should be rich, but not fresh manured. Sow early in April in drills 1 foot apart and 1 inch deep. When 6 inches high transplant in a deep, rich soil, in rows 12 inches apart, as deep as possible, so that the neck, being covered, may be blanched. The leek is very hardy and easily cultivated.

S C O T C H C H A M P I O N L E E K.

A very fine variety of the largest size, hardy and of rapid growth. The leaves are of a beautiful dark green color; the edible stem is 7 to 8 inches long and 3 inches in diameter. There is no better sort for general use. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; ½ lb., 60 cts.; lb., $2.00.

B R O A D L O N D O N F L A G.

Very large variety, with broad leaves growing on both sides; very hardy, of good quality and used largely in soups. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; ½ lb., 35 cts.; lb., $1.15.

N E W G I A N T I T A L I A N.

The largest variety in cultivation. It is hardy, of good flavor and quality, and handsome shape very easily grown. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; ½ lb., 50 cts.; lb., $1.50.

L E T T U C E.

Lettuce is one of the most extensively cultivated plants, and should find a prominent place in every garden, one of its principal requirements being good, rich soil. For early use, sow under glass in February or early March, and transplant as soon as the ground can be nicely worked. If the bedding sets be made in the open ground from April to the middle of August every 2 or 3 weeks for succession. It may also be sown in the fall of the year, and transplanted to cold frames and wintered over the same as early cabbage. Lettuce must have good ground and abundant moisture.

D E N V E R M A R K E T L E T T U C E. See Novelties.


D I S H - C L O T H. The peculiar lining of this fruit forms a natural dish-cloth, which is sponge-like, porous, very tough, elastic and durable. The fruit grows about 2 feet in length, and is very ornamental, bearing clusters of yellow blossoms in pleasing contrast with the silvery shaded dark green foliage. They are used largely for making bouquets, as to the illustration, which are quite pretty. In the North the seed should be started in a hot-bed. The dried interior of these gourds have already become an article of commerce; they are sold by Philadelphia, New York and Boston druggists. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 35 cts.

O R B O R S. Stout and handsome arbors, which should be planted in October, and will become very ornamental the following year. Their size, strength and beauty will soon make them indispensable. Per pack, 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; ½ lb., 50 cts.; lb., $1.50.

L ADIES B O N N E T M A D E F R O M D I S H R A G G O U R D. A very ornamental flower, the roots of which are excellent for retaining odor and are very useful in the kitchen. Very hardy and easily grown. Per 100 sets, 50 cts.; 1000, $4.00.
**WHITE-SEEDED TENNIS BALL OR BOSTON MARKET.** This is a very early variety, and one excellent for forcing. It is very popular with and largely used by the market gardeners about Boston. Very crisp, tender and large, and forms a close, small, hard head. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; lb., 40 cts.; lb., $1.40.

**YELLOW-SEEDED BUTTER.** This is a very distinct type of lettuce, crisp, tender and of excellent flavor; makes a large, deep, handsome head. It is slow in running to seed and remains a long time in good condition. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 34 lb., 60 cts.; lb., $1.40.

**PRIZE HEAD.** This most popular variety forms a mammoth head, in which both the outer leaves are crisp and tender, and remain so throughout the entire season. Its flavor is particularly fine; it is slow to run to seed, and is very hardy. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 34 lb., 20 cts.; lb., $1.00.

**BLACK-SEEDED SIMPSON.** It does not head, but forms a close, compact mass of leaves, quite curly, tender and of delightful flavor. Grows quickly, and food stores or market garden use it is one of the best varieties. It is also a valuable forcing variety. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 34 lb., 40 cts.; lb., $1.35.

**GREEN FRINGED.** This is an ornamental variety, of a delicate and peculiar shade of green, the inner portions of the leaves white, and well worthy of cultivation for table decoration. The outer edges of the leaves are beautifully cut and fringed. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 34 lb., 60 cts.; lb., $1.40.

**THE DEACON.** Forms large and very solid heads of a light green color; very crisp, tender and of good quality. Stands the hot sun better than most other varieties and is slow to run to seed. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 34 lb., 60 cts.; lb., $1.40.

**SILVER BALL.** A beautiful variety, particularly desirable for spring and summer use. Heads very fine, solid and compact, of exquisite flavor, of a silver-white color, and very early and stands a long time in the market without becoming tender. Fast gaining in popularity with truckers and private gardeners. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 2 oz., 30 cts.; 34 lb., 60 cts.; lb., $1.40.

**PHILADELPHIA EARLY WHITE CABBAGE.** A very good variety for forcing, and also for summer use, being slow to run to seed, and producing fine, greenish-white, well-shaped heads; of extra quality; sure to head; remarkably tender and crisp, and of quick growth. A popular variety with Philadelphia market truckers. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 34 lb., 40 cts.; lb., $1.25.

**STONEHEAD GOLDEN YELLOW.** Matures about the time of the White-Seeded Tennis Ball. Forms very solid heads and is the most desirable variety for forcing or early spring use. Very beautiful in appearance and of good quality. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 34 lb., 45 cts.; lb., $1.75.


**BUTTERCUP CABBAGE.** A new and distinct feature of the cabbage lettuce, answering equally well for winter or summer use, or for forcing. Its foliage is remarkably beautiful; its thick, round, handsome heads, are early, of good size and excellent quality. This variety has been introduced as a novelty lately by some farmers under various names and with fancy prices attached. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 34 lb., 60 cts.; lb., $2.50.

**HEAT-RESISTING COS.** A vigorous growing variety, being large, fine, solid, crisp and tender, and resisting the severest sun. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 34 lb., 50 cts.; lb., $1.45.

**IMPROVED HANSON.** One of the best; heads very large, solid, tender, crisp and of fine flavor. It stands the hot sun and drought better than most other varieties. None better for private use. Our stock of this standard variety we recommend to our customers with the utmost confidence. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 34 lb., 40 cts.; lb., $1.25.

**TOMAHANNOCK.** Forms a beautiful plant, 10 to 12 inches high by 9 to 18 inches across. The leaves grow upright, the upper part of the outer leaves turn outward gracefully, and are of a glossy, reddish bronze, quite ornamental. The leaves are almost white, very tender and crisp; it does not head. Grows quickly and remains for weeks of the finest quality; slow to run to seed. Our Black-Seeded Simpson we recommend in preference to this as it does not have that reddish bronze appearance which is so objectionable. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 34 lb., 45 cts.; lb., $1.50.

**FAUST'S NEW QUEEN LETTUCE.** Grows to a large size, forming close, compact heads; does not become bitter and is slow in running to seed. Of quick growth, is ready to cut early and stands a most highly remarkably tender and crisp, and of rich flavor, remaining for weeks of the finest quality. Deep green in color, changing near the centre to a creamy white. For general use it has no equal; it is not suitable for forcing. We have received many testimonials from all parts of the country, speaking in the highest praise of this fine lettuce. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 34 lb., 40 cts.; lb., $2.00.

**SALAMANDER.** This variety is considered by all market gardeners to be the most valuable in cultivation. It will withstand more drought and heat and remains longer in head than any other variety grown. Its quality is unsurpassed as a lettuce for summer use, and we cannot recommend it too highly to our customers. It forms sized, compact heads, of a light green on the outside, and white on the inside. It is crisp and tender, and we know of no variety more valuable for a long dry season. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 34 lb., 40 cts.; lb., $1.25.

**GIANT YELLOW MEXICAN COS.** A valuable variety for summer cultivation; of large size, a solid, yellow color, crisp and well flavored. It is self-folding and resists the heat well. The finest of the Cos varieties. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 34 lb., 50 cts.; lb., $1.45.

**FAUST'S VEGETABLE SEEDS.**
Our melon seed is grown in New Jersey, under the personal superintendence of practical seedsmen in our employ, and only true and perfect types saved for seed. We have received the highest testimonials as to the quality of our melon seeds, and can safely say that better stocks cannot be had elsewhere. Philadelphia has long been recognized as the melon seed market of the country, and our large and increasing trade is good evidence of the superiority of our stocks.

Plant late in the spring in hills 12 or 15 seeds in each, and when well up thin out to 3 or 4 of the best plants. Pinch off the ends of shoots as the growth becomes too luxuriant, which will cause the fruit to ripen quicker. Melons should have a moderately enriched light soil.

**Winter Pineapple Muskmelon.**

*(See Specialties.)*

**EXTRA EARLY JENNY LIND.** A small variety, flattened at each end. It is earlier and much finer flavored than the old variety. It is thickly netted, of small size, round and very productive. Flesh light green, and of fine flavor. A popular variety.


**NETTED GEM, or GOLDEN GEM.** This is unquestionably one of the best early varieties of muskmelon in cultivation. It has for some time been the favorite with our Philadelphia market gardeners; not only for its rare quality, but also for its great productivity. They are uniform in shape, with green skin, handsomely ribbed and thickly netted. Flesh light green, and of delicious flavor. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 35 cts.; lb., 75 cts.

**MILLER'S CREAM (or Osage) MUSKELON.** This distinct variety we introduced in 1886, and it is now recognized as the Standard. No melon in cultivation can compare with it in point of flavor; the flesh, which is of a rich salmon color, is so very thick that the melon is almost solid. The seed cavity is small and contains but few seeds. In appearance it somewhat resembles the Netted Gem, but it is of far handsomer shape, and has the thinnest rind of any melon. The vine is a strong grower and its productiveness is truly wonderful; it thickly covers the ground with beautiful, solid fruit, ripening off with great uniformity. To be sure of obtaining genuine Miller's Cream, send direct to the price of the quantity required and we will send the seed by mail. Lithographed illustration and culture direction on each packet. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 30 cts.; lb., $1.00.

**NEW EARLY HACKENSACK.** This new variety is fully 10 days earlier than the old, well known Hackensack. It grows to a large size, is round in shape and flattened at the ends; skin green and thickly netted. The flesh also is green, rich and suave in flavor. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 30 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

**IMPROVED ORANGE CHRISTIANA.** The chief claim of this melon is its early maturity, but although of a most peculiar flavor, it is much admired by many. Flesh, bright orange. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

**MONTREAL GREEN NUTMEG.** This has for many years been the favorite variety with the market gardeners of Montreal, but until recent years it has been impossible to procure seed of any amount from them, so zealously have they guarded their cultivation. It is a melon of large size, nearly round and regular in shape, and somewhat flattened at the ends, deeply ribbed and deeply netted; the flesh is thick, green and of the finest flavor. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

**ACME, or BALTIMORE.** The most popular variety of melon in Baltimore markets, and largely coming into favor both in Philadelphia and New York markets. It is an excellent shipper, productive and of good quality; a green-fleshed variety, oblong in shape, thick meated, of robust habit, and quite distinct from other varieties. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

**CHAMPION MARKET.** The melons are of almost perfect globe shape, large in size and deeply netted; the vines are vigorous, and remarkably healthy and productive, fruit of uniform size. It is a good shipper, and altogether a variety that is highly profitable to the grower. The flesh is thick, light green in color, and of a rich, sweet flavor. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 1/4 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

**THE "DELMONICO" MUSKELON.** This new melon, since its introduction, has given universal satisfaction. The flesh is an orange-pink color, and ripens thoroughly to the rind, and is sweet and luscious beyond description. The fruits are of oval shape, and very deeply netted. The vines are hardy and thrifty in growth and very prolific. Our stock was grown for us in New Jersey from seed procured direct from the introducers, and will produce the finest melons. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 30 cts.; lb., $1.00.
FAUST’S VEGETABLE SEEDS.

BAY VIEW. One of the largest, most productive and best flavored cantaloupes grown; fruit weighing 18 to 10 pounds each and averaging 16 inches in length. Flesh, bright green and very thick. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/2 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 80 cts.

SURPRISE. This is a early variety, of delicious flavor, having a thin, cream-colored skin and thick salmon-colored flesh. Not desirable for shipping. Per pkt., 5 cts. ox., 10 cts.; 1/2 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 75 cts.

PROLIFIC NUTMEG. This melon is well-named, viz: Prolific, as in all probability it possesses that quality to a greater extent than any other melon in cultivation. It is nearly round in shape, heavily netted, flesh thick, green and of excellent flavor, being rich and sugary. From its uniformity of size, it is highly profitable for market culture. Per pkt., 5 cts. ox., 10 cts.; 1/2 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 75 cts.

Perfection. It is of fine nutmeg shape, as shown in the engraving; skin of a dark green color, heavily netted, it has very thin flesh and a small seed cavity; the flesh salmon-colored of a rich sweet flavor. They grow to a large size, weighing 7 or 8 pounds each. This melon is also catalogued under the name of Princess. Per pkt., 5 cts. ox., 10 cts.; 1/2 lb., 25 cts.; lb., $1.00.

Banana Cantaloupe. Its outside color is of a creamy white or delicate straw, flesh salmon color, and when ripe it much resembles, both in appearance and taste, a monstrous banana, from whence it derives its name. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Malta Winter Cantaloupe. A handsome melon of oblong shape, and if picked before quite ripe and hung up in a dry place, will keep far into the winter. Flesh, light green in color, and of good quality. Per pkt., 10 cts. ox., 40 cts.

Emerald Gem. This variety possesses many fine qualities. It is deeply ribbed, skin being smooth and of a deep emerald green color. The flesh is salmon color and very thick, ripening to the thin rind. Very prolific and early. It has a rich, delicate flavor, and is pronounced next in fine qualities to our famous Miller's Cream. Per pkt., 5 cts. ox., 10 cts.; 1/2 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 85 cts.

David Keefer. McHenry, Md., March 16, 1891, writes:—Your seeds grow fine. We raised the finest cabbage and tomatoes that we ever had. Your seeds prove the best and the cheapest.

The watermelon should be cultivated in the same manner as given in the directions for the cultivation of muskmelons, except that the hills should be just double the distance apart. A vigorous start for the young vines is necessary, and for this is needed a hill of rich earth, similar to that for cucumbers. The finest melons are produced on light, sandy soil.


Ice Cream (White-Seeded). One of the best varieties for general use; of medium size, oblong shape, and one of the most popular. It has a thin rind, very solid flesh of a rich scarlet color. Per pkt., 5 cts. ox., 10 cts.; 1/2 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 70 cts.

Cuban Queen. This is one of the most popular sorts with melon growers throughout the country. It grows to an enormous size, some specimens having weighed over 100 pounds; the skin is beautifully striped in dark and light green; rind thin and solid; flesh bright red, remarkably solid, luscious and sugary, and stands shipping admirably. The vines are strong, healthy and vigorous in growth, and most productive, yielding heavier than any other variety grown, of fine, early fruit, that commands a high price in market. We particularly recommend this melon to our customers as one possessing the best qualities. Per pkt., 5 cts. ox., 10 cts.; 1/2 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 75 cts.


Improved Mountain Sprout. A variety very popular in New Jersey markets for late use, and grows to a large size, from 30 to 60 pounds; of good quality, with bright scarlet flesh. A good market variety and excellent keeper. Per pkt., 5 cts. ox., 10 cts.; 1/2 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 70 cts.

Mammoth Iron-Clad. This is unquestionably one of the best melons in cultivation. It grows to a uniform size, has a firm inextensible rind, is thick through, even at the ends, and although the vines do not bear as many melons as some of the smaller sorts, still its heavy weight will more than compensate the grower on this score. It never comes hollow, the largest specimens cutting as hard and solid as those of smaller size; the flesh is of a pale pink, rich and sugary in flavor, holding its fine quality very close to the skin. Melons have been grown to weigh over 100 pounds, and of the finest quality. For shipping and keeping qualities it stands at the head of the list. Per pkt., 5 cts. ox., 10 cts.; 1/2 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 75 cts.

Seminole. This melon is oblong in shape, smooth and beautifully proportioned; it is of two colors—gray and light green; the latter seems to be a darker coloring of the former, the gray color greatly predominating. Melons of both colors are found on the same vine, and both are exactly the same in shape, uniform size, color of seed and flavor. It possesses 4 qualities which have made it a general favorite. It is extra early, extra large, enormously productive and of most delicious flavor. It is in all respects a perfect melon, and its beautiful shape and fine appearance, combined with its rich and sugary flesh, have made it a popular variety. Per pkt., 5 cts. ox., 10 cts.; 1/2 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 80 cts.

Colorado Preserving. The flesh of this melon is very clear and solid, making transparent preserves of the finest flavor. It is distinct from and far surpasses the old variety of red seeded preserving citron, being of much better quality and decidedly more productive; the seeds being of light green color. Per pkt., 5 cts. ox., 10 cts.; 1/2 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 80 cts.

Pride of Georgia. A fine variety originating in Georgia, of fair market size; perfectly round, striped light and dark green. The flesh is sweet, bright red color and ripens up well. Per pkt., 5 cts. ox., 10 cts.; 1/2 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 70 cts.

L. Gent, Lebanon, Va., Oct. 16, 1891, writes:—The seeds bought from you last year gave entire satisfaction.
If you want the best melon you have ever had you must plant the DIAMOND. We have the genuine seed saved from the choicest of melons. It is unsurpassed in fine eating qualities. For full description, see Novelties.

Scaly Bark. A variety of Southern origin, and popular for shipment to Northern markets. Shape, oblong; rind thin but tough and strong, and will bear almost any amount of handling before cracking or bursting open. The flesh is light crimson in color, and of good quality. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 3/4 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 75 cts.

ICING, or ICE RIND. This is a fine variety of melon, very solid, with a thin rind, and possesses a most delicious flavor. Our seed has been transported throughout the utmost South, from all dark-skinned melons. Per pkt., 3 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 3/4 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 75 cts.

GREEN AND GOLD. A very distinct and valuable new variety, of most beautiful appearance. The rind is one of the thinnest of all melons, being only 1/2 to 1/4 inch in thickness; the skin of a dark green. The flesh is a beautiful golden orange color, entirely free from any tinge of white or red, even around the seeds. It is deliciously sweet and juicy, and of unsurpassed flavor. The melons weigh from 25 to 40 pounds, and are always firm and remarkably solid. Its rich golden color, when placed on the table alongside of the crimson of the older varieties, makes a most pleasing and handsome contrast. A needed acquisition, and one all should try. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 3/4 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 80 cts.


THE BOSS. Medium sized, oblong; flesh solid red, very sweet, crisp and sugary; skin dark green in color; rind thin and tough, it ripens early and is highly productive. Since its introduction, and for years back, it has been considered one of the best family melons that can be grown. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 3/4 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 80 cts.

Orange. The rind of this melon can be peeled off the flesh like the skin off an orange. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 3/4 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 81 cts.

NASTURTIUM.
Extensively cultivated both as a vegetable and for ornament. The seeds while young and succulent are pickled and used as capers.


DWARF. The seed pods of this variety are equally as good for pickling as those of the tall growing sorts, and it is one of the most attractive plants in the garden. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 3/4 lb., 45 cts.; lb., 1.30.

MUSHROOMS.
Mushrooms may be cultivated much earlier than is generally supposed, even on the least favorable soil, obtained with little outlay, and as the demand usually far exceeds the supply, especially about large cities, they are a very profitable crop. Our Spawn is of unsurpassed quality and can be relied upon to produce a fine crop of the best Mushrooms. 1 pound will plant a space of 3 x 4 feet.
Mushroom Spawn. (English, in bricks), postpaid, per lb., 20 cts.; Mushroom Spawn (French, in boxes 5 lbs.), postpaid, $1.30. By express or freight, English, 10 lbs., $1.20; 25 lbs., $2.50. French, box 5 lbs., $1.00.
Full directions for culture are given in our "HOW TO GROW MUSHROOMS," sent free with all orders.

MUSTARD.
Sow thinly as soon as ground is free from frost, in rows, and cut when about 2 inches high; for winter use it may be sown at intervals in boxes in the greenhouse or in a frame. For a crop of seeds, sow in April, in drills 1 foot apart, thinning out when 3 inches high.

Black or Brown. The green leaves are used as a salad, or cut and boiled like spinach. They grow larger than the white. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 3/4 lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 45 cts.

NEW CHINESE. This is the favorite and most highly esteemed variety for salads, particularly in the South. The flavor is sweet and pungent; the leaves being twice the size of the ordinary white mustard. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 3/4 lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 80 cts.

OKRA, OR GUMBO.
Sow at the usual time of all tender vegetables, in drills 2 inches deep, setting the plants from 2 to 3 feet apart. It is of the easiest culture and grows freely, bearing abundantly in any ordinary garden soil. Much prized in the South. The green seed pods are used in soups, or stewed and served like asparagus.

WHITE VELVET OKRA. Quite distinct from any other variety, the pods being round and smooth, white in the old sorts they are ridged or square edged. It is the most tender and the finest flavored of any variety grown, the pods being very soft and velvety to the touch and of a creamy white color. They grow to a larger size than any other okra, are never prickly to the touch and are produced in the greatest abundance. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 3/4 lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 75 cts.


L. H. CORTELLI, Depot Proprietor, March 13, 1891, writes: Your Queen Lettuce is the finest that ever grew. I am in the shade compared with it.
JOHN ELIAS, Hickory Hill, Ill., March 18, 1891, writes: We have been getting our seed from you for 5 or 6 years; have always been well pleased.
NOTE.

PRICE ON ONION.—Round Yellow Danvers should be $1.40, post-paid. By express or freight, $1.30 per lb.; 5 lbs. or over, $1.25 per lb.
Yellow Globe Danvers, $1.40, post-paid.
The color, flesh being or a quality. Our seed has been transported from the utmost care all from dark-skinned melons. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 70 cts.

ICING, or ICE RIND. This is a fine variety of melon, very solid, with a thin rind, and possesses a most delicious flavor. Our seed has been thin rind, and possesses a most delicious flavor. Our seed has been cultured with care, and is the utmost care all from dark-skinned melons. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 70 cts.

GREEN AND GOLD. A very distinct and valuable new variety, of most beautiful appearance. The rind is one of the thinnest of all melons, being only $5 to $6 inch in thickness; the skin is of a deep green. The flesh is a beautiful golden orange color, entirely free from white or red, even aro and juicy, and of unsurpassed flavor. Our seed has been thin rind, and possesses a most delicious flavor. Our seed has been cultured with care, and is the utmost care all from dark-skinned melons. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 70 cts.

Grip, or Georgia Rattlesnake. An early market variety, of large, oblong shape, green skin, mottled and striped. A favorite variety in the South for Northern shipment. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 70 cts.

THE BOSS. Medium sized, oblong; flesh solid red, very sweet, crisp and juicy; skin dark green in color; rind thin and soft; it is a deep early and very productive. Since its introduction, and for years back, it has been considered one of the best family melons that can be grown. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 70 cts.

Orange. The rind of this melon can be peeled off the flesh like the skin of an orange. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1 lb., 20 cts.; lb., $1.00.

NASTURTUM. Extensively cultivated both as a vegetable and for ornament. The seeds while young and succulent are picked and used as escapers.


DWARF. The seed pods of this variety are equally as good for pickling as those of the tall growing sorts, and it is one of the most attractive pods in the garden. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1 lb., 20 cts.; lb., $1.15.

OKRA, OR GUMBO. Sow at the usual time of all tender vegetables, in drills 2 inches deep, setting the plants from 2 to 3 feet apart. It is of the earliest culture and grows freely, bearing abundantly in any ordinary garden soil. Much prized in the South. The green seed pods are used in soups, or stewed and served like asparagus.

MUSTARD. Sow thickly as soon as ground is free from frost, in rows, and cut when about 2 inches high; for winter use it may be sown at intervals in boxes in the green-house or in a frame. The crop of seeds, sow in April, in drills 1 foot apart, thinning out when 3 inches high. White. Best for salad and culinary purposes. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 45 cts.

Black or Brown. The green leaves are used as a salad, or cut and cooked like spinach. More pungent than the white. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 45 cts.

NEW CHINESE. This is the favorite and most highly esteemed variety for salads, particularly in the South. The flavor is sweet and pungent; the leaves being twice the size of the ordinary white mustard. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 45 cts.

Your Queen Lettuce is the finest that ever grew. Hanson is in the shade compared with it.

L. H. CORTELL, Derry Depot, N. H., March 18, 1891, writes:—We have been getting our seed from you for 5 or 6 years; have always been well pleased.
ROUND YELLOW DANVERS. A handsome round onion of good size, with thin yellow skin; flesh white, fine grained, and of excellent quality. It ripens early and keeps well. This is the variety we use for growing our own sets, it producing the handsomest and best keeping bulbs. It is very largely grown for market and will produce nearly 600 bushels to the acre from seed sown in the spring. We recommend this variety for growing both large onions and sets. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; ¼ lb., 65 cts.; 1 lb., $1.10, postpaid. By express or freight, $1.00 per lb.; 5 lbs. or over at 95 cts. per lb.

YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS. This is a most popular variety, producing bulbs nearly globe shaped. One of the best picklers and a splendid keeper. The seed we offer is Philadelphia grown from carefully selected bulbs and must not be compared to the cheap California seed which is most generally offered by seedsmen as Philadelphia grown. Our strain of seed is unsurpassed. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; ¼ lb., 35 cts.; 1 lb., $1.30.

WHITE SILVERSKIN, or PORTUGAL. The most popular white onion grown, and very desirable for family use. Our white onion sets are grown from seed of this variety, and for that purpose it has no superior. Also the favorite variety for early winter market and for pickling. Flavor mild and pleasant, skin and flesh pure white. Philadelphia grown seed is very scarce this year and we caution buyers to beware of the California seed being offered as Philadelphia grown, as the bulbs produced from California seed are of inferior quality and will not keep. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 30 cts.; ¼ lb., 66 cts.; 1 lb., $2.00.

SOUTHPORT LARGE YELLOW GLOBE. One of the most popular varieties in the New England States, and of the highest perfection. It grows to a large size, skin deep red, flesh fine grained and is particularly mild and tender. A good keeper, and considered one of the best red onions. The accompanying illustration shows its fine shape and beautiful appearance. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; ¼ lb., 40 cts.; 1 lb., $1.40.

LARGE RED GLOBE. Leaves nearly as early as the Red Danvers. It grows to a large size, skin deep red, flesh fine grained and of excellent flavor, and commands a higher price in the market than any other white onion grown. Its skin is pure white and its keeping qualities particularly good. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; ¼ lb., 50 cts.; 1 lb., $1.30.

EXTRA EARLY RED. Very early and productive, of mild flavor, medium size and deep red color, being heavy and solid. It will form full-sized bulbs for market in places where other varieties fail, and is particularly adapted to the North and Northwest, as even there it fails. Ten cts. per oz. of seed. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; ¼ lb., 40 cts.; 1 lb., $1.40.

LARGE RED WETHERSFIELD. This is the favorite onion in the East, where immense crops are grown for shipment. It is very productive, the best keeper in cultivation, of large size, skin deep, purplish red; shape round, somewhat flattened; strongly flavored, with purplish white flesh, and moderately fine grained. The market demand for this variety is so great that it is best to order early for use and general cultivation. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; ¼ lb., 30 cts.; 1 lb., $1.15.

ITALIAN ONIONS. We are large importers of Italian Onion Seed, and highly recommend it for general culture. Onions can be grown from this seed the first year equal in size to the largest onions imported. If set out the second year they will not run to seed, but continue to grow, many reaching the enormous weight of 25 to 4 pounds each. In many markets they are sold as Bermudas. Their growth is most rapid and their mild and pleasant flavor has warmly recommended them to this country. They can be grown in any section of the country with perfect success.

PRIZE-TAKER. See Specialties.

NEW RED VICTORIA. See Specialties.

NEW WHITE VICTORIA. See Specialties.

EARLIEST WHITE QUEEN. This variety is particularly remarkable for its rapid growth. Sown in February they will produce onions from 1 to 2 inches in diameter in early summer. If sown in July, they will be ready for market in autumn. The quality and flavor are excellent, flesh and skin pure white, and keep perfectly sound without losing flavor; fine for pickling. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 30 cts.; ¼ lb., 50 cts.; 1 lb., $1.75.

GIANT YELLOW BOCCA. The skin of this variety is of a beautiful, rich yellow color, making it very beautiful in appearance, while its quality is fully equal to the Red Rocca, which it resembles in all other respects. Its growth being fully as large and equally as productive. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; ¼ lb., 50 cts.; 1 lb., $1.75.
EXTRA EARLY BARLETTA ONION. The earliest onion grown; when fully matured the tops die down to the bulb, leaving the smallest, nastiest and most handsome little bulbs of a pure white color, mild and of delicate flavor; they are 3/4 of an inch in thickness and 1 to 1/2 inches in diameter. It is a most valuable variety for pickling or table use. For pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 1/2 lb., 40 cts.; lb., $1.50.

NEW GIANT RED ROCCA. It is not an uncommon occurrence for this variety to produce onions of 1 1/2 to 2 pounds weight each, the first year from black seed; and, if the smaller onions are set out the second year much larger weights will be attained. It is a magnificent variety, and our seed is from the most reliable grower in Italy. SKIN bright red, flesh white, mild and pleasant in flavor and an excellent keeper, and valuable for autumn or spring sowing. The illustration gives a correct idea of its shape. For pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/2 lb., 40 cts.; lb., $1.50.

NEW GIANT RED ROCCAION. This beautiful variety of Italian onion has given perfect satisfaction in all parts of our country. Its enormous weight, together with its fine quality, has placed it far ahead of any other variety grown. In many instances it has reached the enormous weight of nearly 3/4 pounds. The skin is very thin and delicate in appearance, of a beautiful red dish-brown color; the flesh is pure white, fine grained and remarkably mild and pleasant. Notwithstanding its enormous size, it retains its fine shape and quality. We would recommend all who are interested in onion culture, and who have not already tested the superiority of this onion, to procure seed of same. Our onion seed is pure, fresh and true to name, and has given our patrons the utmost satisfaction. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1/2 lb., 60 cts.; lb., $2.50.

SILVER BALL, or WHITE ROCCA. Flesh pure white, flavor very mild and agreeable, with silver skin; globe shape. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1/4 lb., 50 cts.; lb., $1.75.

GIANT WHITE ITALIAN TRIPOLI. The same as cataloged, sold by some seedsmen as El Pavo, is a bullet-shaped, of large size, handsome form, fine white skin and good quality. One of the most popular sorts in Italy, where it attains enormous size grown. Likewise one of the best that can be grown in this country. Per pkt., 3 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 1/4 lb., 45 cts.; lb., $1.50.

NEW GOLDEN QUEEN. This is a beautiful variety, with skin of a delicate transparent golden color, much resembling the White Queen in shape, an inch to one inch and a half in diameter. Its flavor is good, it grows rapidly, and is an excellent keeper. Per pkt., 3 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1/4 lb., 50 cts.; lb., $1.50.

MAMMOTH SILVER KING. This onion, next to the Pompeii, is the largest in cultivation, is cultivated extensively in all sections of the country, particularly in the West and South, and has given perfect satisfaction. It is so mild and pleasant in flavor that it can be eaten raw like an apple. The skin is silvery white and the flesh snow white, very thick through, the average diameter being from 6 to 7 inches; single onions have been grown to weigh 8 to 4 pounds each. For large onions grown from the seed we can offer you no better variety than this, and will state here that this, like all other Italian Onion seed we offer, is of fresh importation, which is a most important matter. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1/4 lb., 60 cts.; lb., $2.25.

EXTRA EARLY PEARL. The bulbs are almost round, and have a delicate, pure white skin; flesh very pleasant and mild. We use this seed for growing our Pearl sets which are harvested in July and planted in the South in September and October for growing large onions for Northern markets. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1/4 lb., 60 cts.; lb., $2.25.

GIANT ROCCA ONION OF NAPLES. A valuable and remarkably handsome variety, attaining an immense size. Its bright brown skin, globular shape and delicate flavor have made it one of the most highly prized of the important varieties. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/2 lb., 40 cts.; lb., $1.50.

ONION SETS AND BULBS.

In growing onion sets from our own seed we have the advantage of knowing that the strains are pure, and that the keeping and productive qualities of the sets are unsurpassed. We have sets grown only from the most delicious varieties of onions, viz: the Extra Early Red, Yellow Danvers, White Spanish, White Spanish or Portuguese, and Pearl Onion. Our English or Perennial Tree Onion cannot be produced from seed and are obtained from the bulbs only.

These prices are by mail, postpaid: special low prices made for quantities by post, bushel or barrel.

Pearl Onion Sets. These bulbs are not ready for shipment until August 15th. Pint, 20 cts.; quart, 35 cts., postpaid.

POTATO ONION. Should be planted early in the spring; in a 18-inch hole, 6 inches apart, 6 inches apart, the row and covered 1 inch deep. The parent bulb produces a quantity of small bulbs in a cluster. Of mild and sweet flavor and by many highly priced. Pint, 20 cts.; quart, 45 cts., postpaid.

EGYPTIAN, or PERENNIAL TREE ONION. This variety is totally distinct from all other onions in cultivation. When once set out it will come up year after year as soon as the frost breaks the ground. It needs no winter protection, grows rapidly and is of good quality and flavor. Pint, 30 cts.; quart, 60 cts., postpaid.
EXTRA EARLY VARIETIES.

Those marked with (*) are wrinkled varieties.

NOTTS EXCELSIOR. See Nolettes.

FAUST’S SELECTED EXTRA EARLY. The popularity of Faust's Selected Extra Early Peas has long been established throughout the length and breadth of the United States, as testimonials from growers, both large and small, testify. They are unrivaled in earliness, quality, and productiveness; entirely free from runners. They ripen up so uniformly as not to require over 2 plantings to clear off the entire crop. Market gardeners, truckers and private gardeners, one and all, agree that no other pea can equal it. Height of vine about 2 feet. Per pkt., 18 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 40 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 25 cts.; peck, $1.10; bushel, $4.00.

RURAL NEW YORKER. Early of robust and branching habit, vines can be stripped of 80 to 90 per cent. of the pods in one picking. Pods large, containing from 6 to 9 peas each. Two feet. Per pkt., 6 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 40 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 25 cts.; peck, $1.00; bushel, $4.00.

*EXTRA EARLY PREMIUM GEM. This is an improvement on the Little Gem, bearing more pods and surpassing it in productiveness. The flavor is delicious, and in all essential qualities it is unsurpassed. The most profitable early wrinkled variety for the market gardener, and highly recommended for family use. Twelve to 14 inches. Per pkt., 6 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 45 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 25 cts.; peck, $1.20; bushel, $4.50.

ALASKA. An extra early variety, bearing pods of dark green color, well filled, which ripen uniformly. The peas are of fine flavor, and very tender; it is a prolific bearer, and is a most desirable shipping variety, owing to the dark green color of the pods. Two feet. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 40 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 25 cts.; peck, $1.10; bushel, $4.00.
*AMERICAN WONDER. The earliest and most productive of all the green wrinkled sorts. It is extremely prolific and bears large pods well filled with pea of delicious flavor. An excellent variety for succession; matures in about 45 days. Height to 10 inches. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 30 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 25 cts.; peck, $1.50; bush., $5.50.

*MCLEAN'S LITTLE GEM. One of the best dwarf wrinkled sorts in cultivation. It is very productive, fine flavored and one of the finest for private gardens or family use. Height, 12 to 14 inches. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 35 cts.; quart, 40 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 25 cts.; peck, $1.25; bush., $4.50.

**PEAS FOR GENERAL CROP.**

*CHAMPION OF ENGLAND. An old and very popular wrinkled variety, and very largely grown for private use. It is rich and sweet in flavor, and very productive. Height of vine, 8 feet. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 40 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 25 cts.; peck, $1.15; bush., $4.25.

*ADVANCE. A very fine early prolific variety, well-filled long pods, tender and of fine flavor. Highly recommended for private use. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 35 cts.; quart, 45 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 25 cts.; peck, $1.00; bush., $3.50.

*BUNNING. This variety presents very much the appearance of a bush, as it branches directly from the root, many plants throwing out 6 or more branches, which bear pods of great size. In great abundance. An excellent second early variety. Height of vine, 15 to 18 inches. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 45 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 30 cts.; peck, $1.20; bush., $4.50.

*EVERBEARING. This pea has a most peculiar branching habit of growth, producing very often as many as 10 stalks from a single root. Its name is highly descriptive of its chief characteristic, everbearing, and its quality is unsurpassed by any of its sort in cultivation. Has beautiful bright green pods, fills in abundance for a long time in bearing; its pods will average 3 to 4 inches in length, being well filled with very large wrinkled pea of exquisite flavor. Generally from 6 to 8 peas in a pod, and as many as 100 pods have been counted on a single vine. Height of vine, from 18 inches to 2 feet. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 45 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 30 cts.; peck, $1.30; bush., $5.00.

**PELICONE.** Every private garden should include this pea, as one of the best flavored in cultivation. It is of robust habit, and an enormous cropper, stalks bearing an average of pods, filled with delicious pea. Height of vine, 4 to 5 feet. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 50 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 35 cts.; peck, $1.65; bush., $6.50.

*DAWN BLUE IMPERIAL. A favorite variety with the market gardeners of Philadelphia and New York, and one of the most productive when cultivated in a humus rich, sandy soil of excellent quality. Height of vine, 2½ feet. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 40 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 30 cts.; peck, $1.00; bush., $3.50.

**PRIDE OF THE MARKET.** This excellent variety has a prodigious amount of pods and has found more favor with the market gardeners of Philadelphia and elsewhere than any other variety of the present introduction. Its productivity and reliability as a cropper have been most thoroughly tested and proven, and the satisfaction felt by those who have grown it under cultivation is something wonderful. Its beans, long pods, well filled with deliciously flavored peas of handsome appearance. It is robust in constitution, and the peas have a beautiful appearance and agreeable flavor.

They require no sticks, and are the best variety to plant, especially where space is limited. We particularly recommend it to all, whether for private use or market. Height of vine, about 2 feet. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 30 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 40 cts.; peck, $1.65; bush., $6.00.

*YORKSHIRE HERO. Known in some sections of the East as Dwarf Champion, and one of the most popular sorts in cultivation. It is one of the best for a maincrop, the long, round pods being closely filled with large, excellent peas. It is a wrinkled variety, of fine quality, and one of the most reliable croppers. Height of vine, 3½ feet. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 40 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 35 cts.; peck, $1.25; bush., $4.25.

ROYAL DWARF WHITE MARROWBEAT. A favorite with market gardeners, and an excellent cropper. It grows to a large size, and ripens uniformly. Great care should be taken in the selection of seed of this variety, as, unless the true strain is procured, the peas are poor in quality, and slow in germinating. Height of vine, 2 feet. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 30 cts.; quart, 40 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quartz, 15 cts.; peck, 75 cts.; bush., $2.50.

*STRAITAGOEM. This is a magnificent variety, and is the richest pea in cultivation. It grows a vigorous and shapely vine, of branching habit, heavily laden with extra large pods, containing from 10 to 12 peas each, of large size and most delicious flavor. It bears long and continuously, requiring no brush. It fills every requisite for fine quality and will outyield the latter varieties. Acknowledged to be the most productive and finest of the late sorts. Height of vine, about 2 feet. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 50 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 30 cts.; peck, $1.60; bush., $6.00.

*STRAITAGEEM. This is a magnificent variety, and is the richest pea in cultivation. It grows a vigorous and shapely vine, of branching habit, heavily laden with extra large pods, containing from 10 to 12 peas each, of large size and most delicious flavor. It bears long and continuously, requiring no brush. It fills every requisite for fine quality and will outyield the latter varieties. Acknowledged to be the most productive and finest of the late sorts. Height of vine, about 2 feet. Per pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 50 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 30 cts.; peck, $1.60; bush., $6.00.

*TALL SUGAR. Seed of this sort can be used like string beans, or shelled as preferred; fine flavor. Height of vine, 2 feet. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 50 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 35 cts.; peck, $1.25; bush., $6.75.

*DRY SUGAR. Edible pod. Of taller growth and more productive than the foregoing. It gains respects very similar. Height of vine 3½ to 4 feet. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 50 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 35 cts.; peck, $1.95; bush., $6.75.

*Canada Field. The most largely grown variety of field peas in cultivation, used largely for pasture food; also used for canning when in a green state. Quart, 30 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 15 cts.; peck, 50 cts.; bush, $1.50.
PEPPERS

Sow in hot-beds early in April, and transplant to the open ground when the weather is favorable. In rows about 20 inches apart, and 8 inches apart in the row. They may also be sown in the open ground when danger from frost is past and soil is warm and weather settled.

RUBY KING PEPPER. The plants are crowded with large, handsome fruit, from 4 to 6 inches long by 3/4 to 4 inches through, of a bright ruby red color, mild in flavor, and highly pleasing to the taste. They are the handsomest of all varieties in growth, and the most productive. The plants are of sturdy, bushy habit, each producing from 8 to 10 perfect fruits. They are easily gathered, no damage resulting from rough handling; excellent keepers, and require no preparation to fit them for market. For stuffing or for pepper-hat, they stand unequalled. We cannot too strongly recommend this variety. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1/4 lb., 60 cts.; lb., $2.75.

LARGE BELL, or BULL NOSE. A very early, large variety; glossy red, of sweet, mild flavor, very thick and dense. Good for pickling, and for use in the natural state. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1/4 lb., 60 cts.; lb., $2.00.

LARGE SWEET SPANISH. A very early variety, of large size and pleasant flavor, and used as a stuffed pickle. Vigorous, productive and of rich color. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1/4 lb., 60 cts.; lb., $2.25.

LONG RED CAYENNE (True). Long fruits of conical shape; color, deep scarlet; flesh strong and sharp. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1/4 lb., 60 cts.; lb., $2.25.

RED CHILLI. Small, bright red, cone-shaped, hot peppers, the best sort for pepper sauce. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1/4 lb., 75 cts.; lb., $2.45.

PROCOFF'S GIANT. Not inappropriately termed the "Jumbo" pepper, on account of its extraordinary size. They present a most beautiful appearance, growing about 6 inches long and 2 to 3 inches thick, of a glossy scarlet color; thick flesh, and mild and sweet flavored. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 35 cts.; 1/4 lb., $1.00; lb., $3.75.

W. A. Alock, Hobucken, N. C., Oct. 28, 1891, writes:—I have been using your seed for five years and find them the best of all seed.

T. Gunselman, Varick, N. Y., Oct. 20, 1891, writes:—Your Golden Self-Blanching Celery is the finest I have ever eaten, and was praised by all.

M. Bowers, Shooes, Mo., Oct. 20, 1891, writes:—I have planted Faust's seeds for several years, and find them second to none, but best.

CORAL GEM BOUQUET. This is a handsome, small variety. The little plants are completely covered with the beautiful little, bright red peppers, which are intensely hot. As a poted plant it is most attractive, and useful, for the pods can be obtained for seasoning as wanted. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 40 cts.

GOLDEN DAWN. This variety is of a beautiful golden yellow color, making a handsome appearance. They are of beautiful shape, as shown in accompanying illustration, which very much resembles the Bell, or Bull Nose; while in productiveness, they are unequalled. Their flavor is particularly sweet and mild, and entirely free from any fiery flavor. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1/4 lb., 75 cts.; lb., $2.75.

GOLDEN UPRIGHT. An entirely distinct variety, the peppers growing upright on stiff stems. The fruits are large and handsome, fully double the size of Golden Dawn, and of a beautiful rich golden yellow, tinged with brush red where exposed to the sun. The peppers are very mild and pleasant to the taste. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 30 cts.; 1/4 lb., 90 cts.; lb., $3.00.

SPANISH MONSTROUS. This variety grows to a very large size, many specimens measuring 6 inches in length, and being proportionately thick. Flavor fine and sweet. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1/4 lb., 75 cts.; lb., $2.50.

RED CLUSTER. This distinct and most beautiful pepper should be grown by all; indeed, it is so attractive as to merit a place in the flower garden. It bears in abundance small, thin red peppers, borne in bunches at the top of each branch; they are very hot and pungent. As many as a thousand have been counted on a single plant. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 30 cts.; 1/4 lb., 75 cts.; lb., $3.00.

James Taft, Mayhew, Ws., Nov. 14, 1891, writes:—I think that there are no other seeds that come up to what they are represented as. You have always had them grow finely, and large quantities in every packet.

B. C. Brandegee, Fairhope, Pa., Oct. 25, 1891, writes:—The seeds I purchased from you last year were very good, especially Vandersaw Cabbage and Chinese Radish.
PARSLEY.

Sow early in spring, previously soaking the seed for a few hours in tepid water. The seed germinates slowly, 3 or 4 weeks elapsing sometimes before it makes its appearance. Sow thickly in rows a foot apart and half an inch deep. For winter use protect in a frame or light cellar. It succeeds best in a rich, mellow soil.

EXTRA CURLY DWARF. This is the most popular variety; the leaves are a bright green color finely crimped and curled. No other variety is extensively used for garnishing. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 50 cts.


PARSNIPS.

Sow as early in spring as the weather will permit, in drills 15 inches apart, covering half an inch deep in rich soil. When the plants are 2 or 3 inches high, thin out to 5 or 6 inches apart in the rows. It is usual to take up in the fall a certain quantity for winter use only, leaving the rest in the ground until spring, to be dug up as required; for, unlike carrots they are improved by the frost.

IMPROVED GUERNSEY. Of this excellent variety of parsnips we have the very best strain of seed that has yet been offered. It is the result of most careful selection and cultivation, and will be found most profitable by those who grow this vegetable largely, as they are of much greater diameter than any of the Hollow Crown sorts and more easily gathered. The roots are smooth, the flesh is fine grained, and quality excellent. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

LONG-SMooth, or HOLLOW CROWN. This is considered the best sort of parsnip, and as a general cultivation being a large cropper, tender and succulent, they form a most nutritious food for man and beast. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

PEANUT.

FAUST'S IMPROVED PEANUT. We would particularly call attention to some of the sterling qualities of which this strain is possessed, and we feel perfectly safe in saying that it is by far the best the market affords. It is early, of good size, extremely prolific, yields flavor, fine grained and makes less "poop" than any other variety. It does not require a rich soil, and on medium land has yielded from 100 to 150 bushels per acre. The yields average from 80 to 4 feet across, and under favorable conditions often bear more than a hundred nuts. The peanut, within the last few years has been planted in all sections of our country, and it has been found a paying crop. Full directions for planting, growing and harvesting on each packet. Liberal sized packet, 10 cts.; quart, 40 cts.; postpaid.

PUMPKIN.

Pumpkins should be planted in fields of corn or potatoes, or they may be profitably raised by themselves. Never in the kitchen garden, however, as they will invariably mix with squashes, and also deteriorate the quality of melons. Sow about May 1st, in hills 8 feet apart.


CASHAW, or CROOKNECK. This variety much resembles the Winter Crookneck Squash, and is a great favorite in the Southern States. Of large size, salmon-colored flesh, outside skin white, striped and mottled with green. Very productive. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 70 cts.

JAPANESE PIE PUMPKIN. The seeds of this new variety are most curiously marked with characters (see small illustration), which greatly resemble Japanese hieroglyphics, and have the appearance of having been the work of some skilled workman, rather than that nature herself wrought them; the outer edge of the seed is a dark shade of brown, and looks as though it had been highly polished. The flesh is very thick, being almost solid, on account of the seed cavity being so small. They are fine grained, dry and of excellent flavor, very hardy and productive, and keep well until late in the spring. For making pies and custards they are extremely fine. When cooked it has somewhat the appearance of a sweet potato, but is much more palatable. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 75 cts.

NANTUCKET. It has a hard shell, is one of the best of keepers and very prolific. It is the great favorite in the East, and the celebrated Yankee pies owe their delicious flavor to it. Skin dark green; flesh of a rich orange-yellow and very thick. Average weight, 12 pounds. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 25 cts.; lb., 75 cts.

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CONNECTICUT FIELD. The popular variety for field culture and stock raising; very productive. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 15 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

ETAMPES MAIMMOH RED. In proper soil and under careful cultivation, it very often attains mammoth weights. Its appearance of a bright, glossy red color and smooth surface is wonderfully attractive, and for exhibition purposes cannot be surpassed. It is thick meat, rich in color, early to mature and of fine quality. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 30 cts.; lb., $1.00.
FAUST'S VEGETABLE SEEDS.

FAUST'S ALWAYS TRUE TO NAME

Our Radish seed is raised from the best strains of seeds and can be relied upon to produce the finest Radishes. A large portion of the seed we offer is raised at Bristol, Pa., under our personal supervision and we unhesitatingly pronounce it far superior to the cheap French seed usually sold for home grown.

For succession, sow every 10 days in open ground, from early in the spring and onwards. In the cellar, the soil should be very rich and finely pulverized. For an early supply they may be sown in hot-bed in February, if being born in mind that they must have plenty of ventilation to prevent running to leaves. They thrive best in a light sandy loam.

FAUST'S NEW CHAMPION. See Novelties.

WHITE CHINESE RADISH. See Specialties.

RADISH.—Early Varieties.

EARLY ROUND DARK RED. A small, deep, dark red skin, beautiful shape, flesh white, crisp and tender. Its handsome appearance and fine quality make it one of the most desirable for market gardeners' use. It is the earliest and best strain of Early Scarlet Turnip in cultivation, with the exception of our New Champion. Largely used for market in frames. Per pkt., 5 cts.; 10 cts.; 1 lb., 20 cts.; 5 lbs., 55 cts.


EARLY WHITE TURNIP. Flesh and skin pure white. Very early and largely used for mixing with bunches of red radishes, the contrast presenting a most striking appearance. Does not become spongy from the effects of heat. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.

EARLIEST CARMINE OLIVE-SHAPED. A good variety for forcing, having but little foliage, and quite distinct in appearance from any other. It succeeds perfectly well in open ground, and is one of the best of the early sorts. Regular olive-shape, smooth skin, of a rich dark Carmine color. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 75 cts.

NEW EARLY OVAL DARK RED. One of the quickest growing and handsomest of the extra early radishes, and very desirable for the old olive-shaped. It is crisp, tender, and brittle, and fully equal to the Early Round Dark Red in richness of color of skin. A good variety for market gardeners as well as the potting table. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 20 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.

J. P. Edwards, Monroe, Ga., Nov. 13, 1891, writes:—Was very much pleased with seeds bought of you last year, the Radishes were the finest and best I ever ate.

GENUINE MAMMOTH, or TRUE POTIRON. This variety grows to enormous size, 3 feet or more in diameter, some specimens having weighed over 200 pounds. Skin salmon color, flesh bright yellow, fine grained, of good quality. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1/4 lb., 50 cts.; 1 lb., 2.25.

Anna Dilling, Hagerstown, Ind., Dec. 5, 1891, writes:—Have used your seeds for several years and have been highly pleased with the results.

J. F. Bowers, Laurel Branch, N. C., Nov. 21, 1891, writes:—The Japanese Buckwheat excels anything ever introduced in this country, being earlier and yielding much more than any other variety. I raised the finest and largest Onions from your Mammoth Silver King seed; the Squashes were the best I ever saw.

If you cannot find the Radish you seek, we will be glad to order it for you.
EARLY LONG SCARLET SHORT-TOP. This is the standard family and market gardeners’ variety, and has long been one of the most popular in cultivation. Its average length is about 7 inches. They are of a bright scarlet color, brittle, crisp and of quick growth. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 20 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

LONG WHITE VIENNA. One of the best long white radishes grown. It is of regular shape and good quality, both skin and flesh being white, crisp and brittle, and of quick growth. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 20 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

WHITE STRASBURG. This is considered one of the best summer radishes in cultivation. The roots are of handsome shape; both flesh and skin are pure white. They are very tender and crisp and remain so even when the roots become large and old. It is valuable alike for family and market garden use. It can be used in 6 weeks from the time of sowing, when it has reached but two-thirds its size, or if allowed to continue growth it can be used for a month or more afterward without losing its superior quality. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 20 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

CHARTIER, or SHEPHERD. A distinct variety of radish, well defined by the accompanying engraving, the color at the top being crimson, running into pink about the middle, and from there downward into a pure waxy white. They are of quick growth, very tender and of good quality, remaining fit for table use a very long time, and do not become stringy, as do most radishes when large. They are good for spring, summer and fall, have no parsnip as an all-season radish. It is very handsome and attractive, and all who have grown it have been highly pleased. They are very profitable for the market gardener, as they grow to an immense size, are early and remain tender and crisp from 4 to 6 weeks after they are ready for use. Our seed is pure, carefully grown and extra selected and can be thoroughly relied upon. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 20 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

GOLDEN GLOBE. A fine new variety being fit for use from 4 to 6 weeks after sowing, and is a great improvement on the old Yellow Turnip Radish, both color and quality being much finer. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 20 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

GIANT WHITE STUTTGART. This is one of the most popular of the new varieties, withstanding the severest heat of the South, and growing to a large size, at the same time retaining its fine quality and flavor. It is of quick growth, producing roots as large as a purple winter radish, in 5 to 8 weeks after being sown. Its flesh and skin are of a beautiful snow-white, firm and brittle and never pithy. They may be used at any stage of growth. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 20 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

LARGE WHITE GLOBE. It will pay everyone having a private garden to make a sowing of this very desirable radish, its fine qualities and beautiful appearance having already made it a most popular sort for market use. It is a turnip radish of large size and perfect globe shape, large white skin and flesh, and very crisp and brittle, of quick growth, and fit for table use when quite small, and continues to be until fully grown. One of the best varieties for winter use. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 20 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

RADISH.—Summer Varieties.

WHITE STRASBURG. A variety very popular with the Germans, globe-shaped and of good quality and flavor. If properly stored, can be used the entire winter. A fine variety for slicing and eating with vinegar. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 20 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

LONG BLACK SPANISH. A large variety, with dark green leaves, firm, solid and crisp flesh, and keeping well until spring. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 20 cts.; lb., 60 cts.


CALIFORNIA MAMMOTH WHITE. First introduced in California, but now largely grown in the South. It grows to a mammoth size, its flesh is white and solid and of good flavor and keeps well through the winter. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 20 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

MARKET GARDENERS who buy seeds in large quantities are earnestly requested to write for WHOLESALE PRICES and special price-list.

SEALE. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 40 cts.; lb., $1.35.


RHubarb, or Pier Plant. VICTORIA. One of the most popular of garden vegetables. This is the largest and best variety for either family or market use. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; ¼ lb., 60 cts.; lb., $1.75. Roots, postpaid, 25 cts. each; $2.50 per dozen.

J. C. RAMS, Alexandria, Va., Nov. 14, 1891, writes—The Radish and Cabbage seed from you did as finely as any I ever saw.

E. M. Davis, E. Millstone, N. J., Nov. 24, 1891, writes—I bought a “Plant Jr.” Two-Wheeled Hoe and attachments from you, and seeds, and I am pleased.

Mary M. Kircher, St. Clair, Ill., Nov. 25, 1891, writes—I have bought my seeds from you for 2 years, and must say they have always given me satisfaction.

A. L. Chabot, Colfax, N. C., Nov. 16, 1891, writes—I have been getting seeds from your house for the last 3 years, and find you are so reliable, your seeds proved to me all you claimed, and we got them so quick after ordering.
SALSIFY, OR VEGETABLE OYSTER

SANDWICH ISLAND. An entirely distinct variety. It is only a few years since the past few years that the oyster plant has gained any prominence in our markets, as very little attention had been paid to its cultivation. It is considered very nutritious and wholesome when properly cooked; the roots being mashed when made into fritters, it is almost impossible to distinguish from the oyster fritters, which are so highly prized by our American people. No garden should be without this valuable vegetable; of easy cultivation, it will amply repay every labor and outlay. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 36 cts.; lb., $1.25.

"Think of us when you want seeds, It's our first care to supply your needs."

SPINACH.

This has become one of the most important crops with our market gardeners, and is one that is most profitable, being easily managed and requiring but little culture. It may be had fit for use the entire season. The main crop of spinach is sown in September, and although hardy enough to be protected during the coldest weather by a light covering of hay or straw. There is no necessity, however, for covering in sheltered fields. For summer use sow from late April to August.

Our prices include the payment of postage by us; if ordered by express or freight, deducted 8 cts. per lb.

FAUST’S GENUINE BLOOMSDALE. See Specialties.

ENKUHUNZI, LONG STANDING. A most valuable variety, as it possesses the merit of standing at least two weeks longer than any other spinach with the same size of seed. The leaves are round, thick, full and of a fine, dark green color. It is an imported variety, and largely sown by market gardeners after the Bloomsdale. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 15 cts.; lb., 36 cts.

NEW THICK-LEAVED ROUND. One of the best market varieties. It produces a remarkably thick leaf of dark green color, slightly crumpled, and possesses the valuable quality of standing a long time before running to seed. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 15 cts.; lb., 36 cts.

AMERICAN, OR NORFOLK SAVOY-LEAVED.

The leaves are large, curled and thick, being wrinkled like a Savoy Cabbage. It is the hardest variety grown. One of the best for families or market use. The leaves are among the very most nutritious and a very productive variety. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 15 cts.; lb., 36 cts.


GOLDEN SUMMER CROOKNECK. A small, crook-necked variety, early and productive, and one of the best summer sorts. Color, bright yellow, with warty skin and flesh of particularly good flavor. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

WINTER CROOKNECK. Grown extensively through the Eastern States and one of the best as a sure cropper. The flesh is close grained, sweet and well-flavored, and its keeping qualities are good. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

GIANT SUMMER CROOKNECK. Far superior to the common Crookneck, being much earlier and larger; the squashes measure nearly 2 feet long and are of the finest quality. It is one of the most profitable varieties to grow for market. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; $1/4 lb., 25 cts.; lb., $1.00.
HUBBARD. This is the most popular squash in cultivation and more largely grown than any other as a late sort. Its fine keeping qualities and excellent flavor make it the favorite and standard winter variety. It is of large size, often attaining a weight of 10 pounds, and the flesh is dry and fine grained. Per pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.; ¼ lb. 20 cts.; lb. 60 cts.

BOSTON MARROW. A variety of excellent flavor, bright orange color, thin skin and fine grained flesh. A good winter keeper and excellent for making pies. Per pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.; ¼ lb. 20 cts.; lb. 60 cts.

MEDITERRANEAN SQUASH. The outside skin is quite smooth, of a rich, salmon color, and the flesh a beautiful rich yellow, very sweet, fine and floury. They grow about the same size as the Hubbard, but will bear much heavier owing to their thick flesh. A vigorous grower, hardy and a fine keeper. Per pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.; ¼ lb. 20 cts.; lb. $1.00.

NEW WHITE PINEAPPLE APPLE. This is a handsome variety, a prolific bearer, ripening with the Perfect Gem, but can be used sooner as it is excellent when young. The color of the skin and flesh is a pure creamy white, has a rich coconut flavor. A vigorous grower. Per pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 25 cts.; oz. 75 cts.

RED CHINA. This variety is remarkably uniform in both size and shape, and one of the most productive in cultivation. The skin is of a brilliant red, beautifully striped with a pale yellow or straw color. The flesh is a rich orange color, of excellent quality, solid, fine grained, thick and sweet. It is one of the best sorts either for table use or for pies, maturing early and keeping perfectly until late in the spring. Per pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.; ¼ lb. 25 cts.; lb. 50 cts.

PERFECT GEM. The squashes are of a creamy white, with thin smooth shell, but little ribbed, measuring from 3 to 5 inches in diameter. It is free from the strong taste peculiar to some of the winter sorts, and cooks dry and perfectly sweet. Per pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.; ¼ lb. 20 cts.; lb. 65 cts.

SIBLEY SQUASH. The shell is of a pale green color, very hard and so very thin and smooth as to occasion little or no waste in the canning process. This squash is sold there of a bright orange color; dry, and it has a most rich and delicate flavor, quite distinct from other varieties. The squashes range in weight from 8 to 11 pounds. The vines are vigorous, very productive and ripe the fruit evenly. In keeping qualities it excels all, remaining perfectly sound until the last of April, improving constantly in flavor and quality until the very last. The seed in color and shape is quite distinct from any other variety. One of the best shippers, owing to the hardness and fineness of the shell. Per pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.; ¼ lb. 25 cts.; oz. 75 cts.

AMERICAN Turban. It is well flavored and fine grained, and has become quite popular as an early winter variety. The flesh is of an orange-yellow color, thick and very sugary, and fine flavored. Per pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.; ¼ lb. 25 cts.; lb. 70 cts.

BRAZIL SUGAR. This variety grows with the greatest rapidity, and for this reason is particularly valuable in localities where the striped bug abounds, as they are able to do it but little, if any injured. It is immensely productive, one of the best varieties for summer and autumn use, and is exceedingly sweet and rich flavored. The skin is a beautiful golden yellow, as is also the flesh, which is slightly tinged with green, and for the table it may be used at almost any stage of its growth. It is from 6 to 8 inches in length, ripens early and is very hardy. Per pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.; ¼ lb. 25 cts.; lb. 80 cts.

ESSEX HYBRID. It has a particularly rich flavor, is fine grained and is the sweetest variety. The flesh is thick, rich colored and solid, and its keeping qualities unsurpassed. It is early, of exceedingly quick growth, and its productivity and the many instances has been a source of the most pleasant surprise to those not acquainted with its characteristics. Of an average weight of 10 pounds. Per pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.; ¼ lb. 25 cts.; lb. 70 cts.

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Sow seed in a hot-bed, green-house, or in the window of sitting-room, where temperature is not less than 60 degrees, about the first week in March. When plants are about 2 inches high set out into 1-inch deep boxes, 4 or 5 inches apart, or into small pots, putting 1 plant to a pot. They are sometimes transplanted a second time into large pots, which renders the plants more branching and stocky. Plants may be set out in the open ground about the middle of May in this latitude. In early crops plant in light, sandy soil, in feet apart, in hills in which a good show of rotted manure has been worked into the bottom of the transplanting, and shelter from the sun for a few days until plants are established.

Tomatoes are a most important garden product and great care should be exercised in obtaining pure and true seed. All our seed is pure, carefully grown and from selected fruit.

**DWARF CHAMPION.** See Specialties.

**LIVINGSTON’S BEAUTY.** They are perfect in shape, smooth, entirely free from rot, and will both carry and keep well. Of a glossy crimson in color, with a purple ring, which gives them a remarkably handsome appearance. Very solid and with tough skin, which makes it a most valuable market variety. The vines are strong and vigorous in growth, and hold the fruit well from the ground. Our seed is procured direct from the originator. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; 1/4 lb., 65 cts.; lb., $2.25.

**EXTRA EARLY ADVANCE.** This is an early variety and continues to bear throughout the season. The vines are well filled with fruit of large size and beautiful bright red color. Of perfect shape and smoothness, very solid, and possesses no green core. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 30 cts.; 1/4 lb., 55 cts.; lb., $2.50.

**OPTIMUS.** This new tomato possesses great merit as an extra early variety. It is uniform in size and shape, very smooth; the flesh is scarlet crimson, very solid, entirely free from core and does not crack. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 1/4 lb., 25 cts.; lb., $2.25.

**ESSEX EARLY HYBRID.** One of the best varieties for market use in cultivation, ripening all over, and leaving no green spots on the stem. It is very early, solid, rich flavored, grows perfectly smooth, of large size, and is immensely productive. It is one of the best tomatoes for shipping long distances, as the flesh is hard and solid, and keeps well for some time after being ripe without setting. It is a vigorous grower, and produces no rough fruit. Color, very bright pink. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1/4 lb., 60 cts.; lb., $2.25.

**IGNOTUM TOMATO.** The Ignotum (unknown) Tomato was discovered by Prof. L. H. Bailey, at the Michigan Agricultural College, as a sport of the Esforzino Russet. Prof. Bailey we quote the following:

“This proved to be a small fruit and a perfectly uniform variety of no promise; but one plant bore fruits of remarkable beauty, solidity, size and uniformity. 

‘From our own experience and the reports of others who have tried it, we are inclined to think that it deserves a front rank among the Tomatoes. With us, as compared with Mikado, it is larger, smoother, more solid, less subject to rot, more productive, and is more desirable, both as an early and as a late variety.”’

We do not know from our records, but exactly as the originator claims for it. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 30 cts.; 1/4 lb., 65 cts.; lb., $3.00.

**PEACH.** The fruit of this new variety resembles the form and color of the peach; its fruity appearance is further carried out by the texture of the flesh. The tomatoes are of a beautiful deep rose, blended with amber, and covered with a delicate bloom like the fuzz of a peach, from which fruit it is hard to distinguish them. The tomatoes are borne in clusters of 4 to 6, and are as firm and meaty as those of the peach, and rich and unsurpassed in delicate flavor; the fruit is entirely free from acid taste, and they are fine for eating out of hand as fruit. It is very productive, the vines being covered with luscious fruit, borne in clusters from 4 to 8. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1/4 lb., 70 cts.; lb., $2.25.

**EARLY MAYFLOWER.** This variety is at least one-third larger than the well-known Acme, of a bright red color, slightly flattened and grow generally very smooth. It opens up to the stem with great uniformity, flesh solid and of delightful flavor. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1/4 lb., 70 cts.; lb., $2.25.

**CARDINAL.** The shape of this tomato is nearly round and uniformly smooth, 3 inches in diameter, and it keeps and skin are alike of the most brilliant cardinal red; it has but few seeds and absolutely no green core. It is very solid and firm, early, and an excellent shipper, keeping in good condition from 10 days to 2 weeks after ripening. The plants are of vigorous growth, and continue to bear abundantly throughout the entire season, producing fruit of large size and excellent quality, so perfect and clear that they appear as if varnished. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1/4 lb., 70 cts.; lb., $2.25.

**ACME.** A well-known variety, and a general favorite, of medium size, very solid, a great bearer, perfectly smooth, regular in shape, and a most distinct crimson color, slightly tinged with pink. It ripens evenly without cracking and is excellent for shipping. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1/4 lb., 60 cts.; lb., $2.25.

**TURNER HYBRID.** This variety we find identical with the Mikado. It ripens up evenly and is entirely free from core. The tomatoes keep in fine condition for a long time, as the skin is quite tough. The foliage differs from all other varieties, the leaves being entire and not cut. Their average weight is from 3 to 4 ounces, many reaching as high as 11/2 pounds; color deep brilliant red; form round and thick through, very smooth; larger fruits not being so even, however, but fairly equal in quality. It is a rank, strong, quick grower, very solid and of excellent flavor. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1/4 lb., 50 cts.; lb., $2.75.

FAUST’S VEGETABLE SEEDS.
FAUST'S AMERICUS HYBRID. In the accompanying illustration the artist has shown the beautiful shape of this fine variety, introduced by us. It is a cross between the Acme and Canada Victor, and partakes of the best qualities of both of these well-known varieties. From the Victor it gathers its earliness, and obtains its smoothness and productive qualities from the Acme. It ripens without leaving any green about the stem, is very early, of a deep purplish red, solid, rich in flavor and ripens evenly without cracking. Its shipping and keeping qualities are unsurpassed. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1/4 lb., 75 cts.; lb., $2.75.

LIVINGSTON'S PERFECTION. One of the most popular as well as one of the best sorts in cultivation. Of good size, round in shape and always smooth and solid. Bright red in color and ripening evenly around the stem. A heavy cropper, and, as its name implies, it is "Perfection." Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb., 65 cts.; lb., $2.50.


LIVINGSTON'S FAVORITE. This variety is quite distinct, being of a much darker red than the Perfection, and far smoother than the Paragon. It is never hollow late in the season, does not crack after ripening, and is larger than either of these varieties. It ripens throughout at once, has few seeds, and is very productive. The flavor is good and flesh solid, and bears shipping admirably. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1/4 lb., 65 cts.; lb., $2.25.

PARAGON. Very similar to the Acme in all respects except color, the Paragon being a bright glossy crimson, entirely free from the pinkish tinge found in the Acme. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 1/4 lb., 60 cts.; lb., $2.50.

GOLDEN QUEEN. The best yellow tomato in cultivation; of good size, handsome, round shape, very smooth, free from ridges, very early and immensely productive. The fruit is solid and firm, and when sliced for the table with those of a dark red color they produce a most beautiful appearance. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1/4 lb., 80 cts.

MATCHLESS. A very distinct and valuable variety, of recent introduction. The fruit is of a rich cardinal red color, cuttinly free from core, and not liable to crack from wet weather. The tomatoes are of the largest size and very handsome in appearance. The skin is remarkably tough and solid, so that ripe specimens picked from the vine will remain in good marketable condition for 2 weeks. Its fine quality, solidity and handsome appearance have made it a most popular variety both for family and market use. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 50 cts.; 1/4 lb., 50 cts.; lb., $2.75.

PRELUDE. The plants are wonderfully prolific, bearing their fruit in large clusters, the tomatoes nearly round, perfectly smooth and of a bright crimson red, very solid, and in quality equal to the very best. The skin is firm, and is perfectly free from rot. Of early earliness, it stands at the head of the list; not only does it ripen the first fruit of any, but the whole crop ripens right along. Those who value an early variety should try the Prelude. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1/4 lb., 75 cts.; lb., $2.75.

YELLOW PLUM. A handsome variety, and all gardens should have at least a few vines of it. Skin and flesh deep yellow. Taste very largely for preserving. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1/4 lb., 75 cts.; lb., $2.50.

YELLOW PEAR. Differing from the preceding variety only in shape. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

UPRIGHT, or TREE TOMATO. This is a mostcurious as well as valuable member of the tomato family, and has excited considerable interest all over the country. Its habit of growth is entirely distinct from any other variety of tomato, and its ornamental properties cannot well be exaggerated, for we know of nothing that presents a more unique or beautiful appearance. It has but recently been brought to this country from France, and is a most useful acquisition. It stands erect, like a tree, without support of any kind, and bears abundantly large, smooth shaped, bright red fruit of excellent flavor. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 50 cts.

STRAWBERRY, or WINTER CHERRY. It grows in a bush or pod and may be kept within the husks all winter. Largely used for preserves, for which purpose it is excellent, the small yellow fruits being very sweet flavored. We recommend this little favorite to all our customers, as it is well worth growing both on account of its fine quality and enormous productivity. They are quite popular, eaten as fruit, and make a handsome appearance on the table, the flavor as fruit is very palatable. Some idea of the immense productivity of this little favorite may be had when we state that from 10 plants over a bushel of fruit was picked. Per pkt., 10 cts.
Our turnip seed is grown throughout from transplanted roots carefully selected, and seen a view to have same perfectly true to name. Like cabbage seed, we have faith only in our own home-grown seed, as we have repeatedly tested imported stocks and found them much inferior to American-grown seed. We exercise the greatest vigilance to keep the different varieties pure, and guarantee that our seed is unsurpassed.

Turnips do best in highly enriched, light, sandy or gravel soils. Can be worked in drills 11 inches apart, and thin out early to 7 or 8 inches apart, or plant in the middle of July or the end of August in drills as directed for the spring sowing. They may be preserved until spring by cutting off the tops one inch from the bulb and stowing in a cellar or cool shed during winter, covering the roots with dry sand.

**Turnips**

**RED TOP WHITE GLOBE.** Large size; globular shape; firm, smooth surface; of superior quality, flesh pure white, with red or purple tops; grows rapidly. This has become one of the most popular sorts in cultivation. Its reliable character makes it highly desirable to those who grow turnips in large quantities and for market use. The market gardeners about Philadelphia grow this variety in preference to any other, and we are authorized to recommend it to growers, both large and small, as it is undoubtedly one of the best turnips grown.

Per pkt., 5 cts.; 10 cts.; 34 lb.; 15 cts.; 1b., 40 cts.

**IMPROVED YELLOW ABERDEEN.** This is a most excellent variety of turnip, and highly recommended either for market or stock. It is very hardy and productive and a good keeper. Globe shape, color pale yellow, with purple top, very firm in texture and closely resembling the rutabaga in good keeping qualities. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 34 lb., 15 cts.; 1b., 40 cts.

**EARLY RED, OR PURPLE-TOP STRAP-LEAVED.** This is more largely grown than any other variety. The flesh is very fine grained and sweet flavored. It is early, forming good-sized bulbs in 7 or 8 weeks, and will do well to sow either broadcast or in drills. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 34 lb., 15 cts.; 1b., 40 cts.

**EXTRA EARLY PURPLE MILAN STRAP-LEAVED.** The earliest in cultivation, fully 1 week earlier than the Munich. Flesh, pure white, hard, solid, fine grained, and of the choicest quality. If allowed to grow to a large size does not become bitter. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 34 lb., 20 cts.; 1b., 60 cts.

**EXTRA WHITE FLAT DUTCH STRAP-LEAVED.** Of a medium size and quick growth, clear, white skin, and juicy flesh, mild flavor and excellent quality; produces bulbs entirely free from small roots. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 34 lb., 15 cts.; 1b., 40 cts.

**WHITE EGG.** Of quick growth, egg shape, sweet and delicious flavor, thin skin, a good keeper. Excellent either as an early or late variety, never becoming rank in taste. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 34 lb., 20 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

**LARGE YELLOW, OR AMBER GLOBE.** Flesh yellow, fine grained and sweet; keeps well and is an excellent cropper. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 34 lb., 15 cts.; 1b., 40 cts.

**Jersey Navet.** A delicate white turnip; sweet and tender, and of excellent quality for late sowing. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 34 lb., 20 cts.; 1b., 50 cts.

**COW HORN, OR LONG WHITE.** Pure white, root shaped similar to a carrot. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 34 lb., 15 cts.; 1b., 40 cts.

**IMPROVED PURPLE-TOP MAMMOTH.** The flesh is firm and juicy; the root is of a very distinct purple color, and it remains pure and uniform when growing to a mammoth size: almost a globe shape; rising directly from the crown of the bulb. It has no comparison in the market for a mammoth variety for early feeding in cultivation. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 34 lb., 15 cts.; 1b., 50 cts.

Each of the following varieties are: Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 34 lb., 15 cts.; 1b., 50 cts.: Extra Early Purple-Top Munich, Long White Norfolk, Golden Ball, Seven-Top.

**WHITE GLOBE STRAP-LEAVED.** A fine variety of perfect globe shape, about 8 inches in diameter, with smooth white skin; flesh white, firm and crisp, and of quick growth. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 34 lb., 20 cts.; 1b., 50 cts.

**POMERANIAN WHITE GLOBE.** A very desirable variety, valuable alike for table or stock. Not so early as the flat varieties. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 34 lb., 15 cts.; 1b., 40 cts.

**SWEET GERMAN.** Parts largely of the nature of rutabaga, and should be sown one month earlier than the flat turnips. Flesh white, hard, firm and sweet. Recommended for winter and spring use. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 34 lb., 25 cts.; 1b., 50 cts.

**RUTA-BAGAS, OR SWEDES.** The rutaga-baga Turnip, Russian or Swedish, is largely grown for a farm crop; the roots are close grained, very hard, and will endure a considerable amount of cold without injury. Sown in drills, 2 feet apart; thin out to 8 inches in the rows.

**FAUST'S IMPROVED PURPLE-TOP YELLOW RUTA-BAGA.** Is quite similar to the rutaga-baga, but doubt the most productive and nutritious of the many in present cultivation, produces a very heavy winter crop; keeps splendid and good until late in the spring, and is superior to all other Swedes; resembles the Aberdeen turnip largely in shape; it is a large purple-top yellow variety, has but a single tap root, and is entirely free from coarse strings. Try it and you will sow no other. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 34 lb., 20 cts.; 1b., 50 cts.

**IMPERIAL HARDY.** A most excellent sort for either table use or for stock feeding; flesh yellow, solid, firm, sweet and rich; very hardy; yields heavily, and with no tendency to long necks. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 34 lb., 15 cts.; 1b., 40 cts.

**SKIRLING'S PURPLE-TOP.** A superior variety, hardy and productive; of solid texture, grows to a large size, and is a very popular sort for market and field culture. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 34 lb., 15 cts.; 1b., 40 cts.

**LARGE WHITE.** Of large size, rich and sweet flavor; superior alike for table and stock, and invaluable for late spring use. Remarkable for its nutritious properties, solidiity and long keeping qualities. Should be sown late. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 34 lb., 15 cts.; 1b., 50 cts.
We are most particular in our grass seeds to procure them from a source where there is no danger of foreign seeds having become mixed with them, as we fully appreciate the great damage which some of these will create if once introduced into this soil. We assert that all our grass seeds are of the finest quality, and extra clean. Special prices quoted by mail. Prices quoted are subject to change with the market.

**ORCHARD GRASS.** One of the best pasture grasses for stock, also desirable for eady places. Should be sown in mixture, 3 bushels to the acre. Quart, 15 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, bush. (14 lbs.), $2.00.

**HEIR, or RED-TOP GRASS.** A valuable native permanent grass as a mixture in either meadows, pastures or lawns. Succeeds well in almost any soil, moist or dry; 15 bushels to the acre. Quart, 15 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, bush., 30 cts.; in sacks of 50 lbs., postpaid. Prices by the bushel quoted on application, with samples.

**EXTRA CLEAN KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS.** Specially valuable for pasture grass, thriving best on dry, rich limestone lands. Used also in lawn grass mixtures. Sow 35 bushels to the acre. Quart, 20 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, bush., 35 cts. per bushel.

**TIMOTHY.** We offer a particularly choice grade of seed, free from all injurious grasses, and thoroughly cleaned. 3 to 1 bushel per acre. Per quart, 30 cts.; postpaid. By express or freight, bush., (14 lbs.), $2.00.

**SWEET VERNAL GRASS (True Perennial).** Useful for mixing with other grasses for lawns and pastures, being of early growth and also imparting a most agreeable color when cut for hay. Sow 35 bushels to the acre (about 10 lbs. to the bushel). Per lb., 60 cts., postpaid.

**ENGLISH RYE GRASS.** A nutritious and valuable grass for lawns and permanent pastures. Three bushels to the acre. Per lb., 20 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, bush. (24 lbs.), $2.00.

**ITALIAN RYE GRASS.** Yields early and abundant crops, and thrives in almost any soil. Three bushels to the acre. Per lb., 20 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, bush. (15 lbs.), $2.00.

**TALL MEADOW OAT GRASS.** Highly recommended for sowing, and also valuable for permanent pastures. Per quart, 30 cts., postpaid. Five bushels to the acre. By express or freight, bush., $2.30.

**GOLDEN, or GERMAN MILLET.** Will grow in almost any soil or climate, and valuable as an annual hay or fodder crop, the yield in hay or seed being larger than any other variety. Per lb., 20 cts., postpaid. Sow one bushel to the acre. By express or freight, bush. (30 lbs.), $1.60.

**HUNGARIAN MILLET.** A valuable annual sowing and forage plant, growing well in almost any soil. Sown late in July it will produce a large crop of hay. Sow one bushel to the acre. Per lb., 20 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, bush. (48 lbs.), $1.25.

**JOHNSON GRASS.** This valuable grass has been grown for years, and is now considered one of the most profitable grasses for hay. It is coming into more general use and is very popular in the Southern States. It will grow in any kind of soil, and any kind of land and any climate; the hay is rich, juicy and tender, and is preferred by stock. It is a perenial, with strong, vigorous cane-like roots. The leaves are abundant and long; the stems grow 4 to 5 feet high with a large spreading panicle, the blossoms at the top, and grow until cut down by the frost in the fall. Excellent both as a grass and hay grass. About 1 bushel to the acre. Per lb., 30 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, bush. (23 lbs.), $2.50.

**SHEEP'S FESCUE.** An excellent variety for sheep pastures. Short and dense in growth. Per lb., 30 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, bush. (12 lbs.), $2.50.

**FAUST'S FAIRMOUNT PARK LAWN GRASS SEED.** This mixture is far superior to the cheap grades offered elsewhere. It contains full particulars and prices, see inside of back page of cover.

**CLOVERS.**

**FAUST, or ALSEFLO.** This variety lasts a number of years, and once sown will take care of itself, and a good meadow or pasture that will last a lifetime is worth securing. Early and productive; succeeds in any good soil, and is particularly valuable for the South, as it thrives on dry, rich, sandy soil, producing 8 to 4 crops annually, and in seasons of severe drought is always fresh and green, on account of the roots extending so deeply into the soil. Grows to 3 feet high with purple blossoms. Largely increases the fertility of the land. Per lb., 30 cts., postpaid. 50 lbs. to the acre. By express or freight, 10 lbs., $2.00; 25 lbs., or over at 15 cts. per lb. Our Clover Seed is extra clean and free from foreign seeds.

**BOKHARA CLOVER.** Particularly desirable for bees, as it affords abundance of excellent food throughout the entire season. Per lb., 50 cts., postpaid.

**ALSIKE, or HYBRID CLOVER.** Sown in spring or fall. Six pounds to the acre. Valuable both for pasture and sowing, and much liked by bees, very productive, sweet and fragrant. Its strong fibrous roots take a strong hold in the ground and thus do not wash out. Sow 6 pounds to the acre, either spring or fall. Per lb., 50 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, 10 lbs. and over, 10 lbs. per lb.

**WHITE DUTCH CLOVER.** Used in lawn grass mixtures. Thrives best in damp locations, and is valuable in permanent pastures. Per oz., 3 cts.; 1 oz., 5 cts. postpaid. By express or freight, 10 lbs. and over, 10 lbs. per lb.

**RED CLOVER, MEDIUM.** Prices made for any quantity on application.

**RED CLOVER, MAMMOTH, or PEA VINE.** Grows 5 to 6 feet high, and is valuable both for pasturing and manure. Prices made for any quantity on application.

**TOBACCO SEED.**

**PRIMITUS.** A fine new early tobacco of rapid growth, and is undoubtedly the earliest in cultivation. It yields large crops of very fine quality; it thrives well and long with fine fibre. The leaves from top to bottom are of uniform size. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1/2 lb., 65 cts.; lb., $2.90.

**GENERAL GRANT.** This variety is particularly adapted to growing in the Northern States. The leaf has extremely small veins, is very elastic and of the finest texture possible, fully 44 inches in length and proportionate breadth, and matures its crops as far North as Duluth, Minn. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1/2 lb., 75 cts.; lb., $2.50.

**CUBAN SEED LEAF.** The leaves of this variety measure from 15 to 17 inches broad, and 33 inches long. It has the size of the Seed Leaf, with the shape and flavor of the Cuban. It has no superior for cigar stocks. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1/2 lb., 75 cts.; lb., $2.50.

**PERSIAN ROSE.** One of the earliest varieties, of strong and vigorous growth. The strong stalks are set thickly with leaves, measuring 3 1/2 feet in length. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1/2 lb., 75 cts.; lb., $2.50.

**GOLD LEAF.** This variety makes a first-class cutter, wrapper or filler, and is unsurpassed for bright cigar grades. A cross of the Orinoco and Pryor. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1/2 lb., 75 cts.; lb., $2.50.

**LANCASTER COUNTY BROAD LEAF.** This variety is more largely grown than any other in Lancaster County and on Duck Island, and for cigar stock is one of the very best. Single leaves sometimes grow to the size of 5 1/2 feet long by 3 1/4 feet wide. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; 1/2 lb., 65 cts.; lb., $2.50.

**HAYANA.** From seed imported from the best growers in the famous district of Vuelosa de Abajo. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 40 cts.; 1/2 lb., 1.25; lb., $4.00.

The following varieties are each 10 cts. per pkt.; 25 cts. per oz. Tuckahoe, Hyco, Hester, Falmouth.
We have catalogued those varieties only which, from thorough tests, have proven themselves to be the best for general cultivation, and worthy of the utmost confidence. Our seed stocks are all continuously as fresh and practically, and many of them in the celebrated potato growing districts of Maine. Our potato cellars are now stored with the various varieties we catalogue, carefully selected for storing in season. Orders received will at once be acknowledged, and the potatoes shipped when the weather permits, in season for early planting.

It is of the utmost importance that your seed should come from a cooler climate, if you would have a good crop of potatoes.

The change of soil is likewise advantageous.

**POTTED ONES BY MAIL.** The price of all varieties is 30 cts. per lb., or 3 lbs. for 75 cts., postpaid. We make no charge for bags, boxes, barrels or cartage. Special Prices will be quoted by letter in case of changes.

**EARLY ROSE.** This variety is too well known to need any lengthy description, but it is of the utmost importance to the planter that the seed should be pure and true, and not the poor mixture that is oftentimes sold for this favorite variety. Our seed is selected directly from Prince Edward Island and Maine, and will be found particularly early and productive. Per peck, 60 cts.; bush, $1.65; bbl., $3.25.

**CHARLES DOWNING.** Our seed of this valuable variety we have selected and grown with the utmost care. It is extra early; color pure white and netted skin; of medium size, slightly flattened, oval shape, and few eyes, which are nearly even with the surface. Its average yield is given at 276 bushels per acre, something enormous for so early a variety. Its eating qualities are unsurpassed. We recommend it to all. Per peck, 60 cts.; bush, $1.65; bbl., $3.25.

**EARLY PURITAN.** This new early variety is of oblong shape, skin and flesh pure white. It is a very handsome root, productive and of vigorous growth. The potatoes are very dry and mature as early as the Early Rose. Per peck, 75 cts.; bush, $1.90; bbl., $4.25.

**EARLY BEAUTY OF HEBRON.** One of the best early sorts, pure white skin and of excellent quality as a keeper, and very productive. It ripens with the Early Rose, which it much resembles. Per peck, 60 cts.; bush, $1.65; bbl., $3.25.

**WHITE STAR.** Considered one of the most certain croppers in cultivation. Its quality is excellent, and its ability to resist blight makes it particularly valuable. Its tubers are uniform in shape, large and oblong, and when baked or boiled are unsurpassed in flavor. It is medium early and remarkable for its fine keeping qualities. For market it is one of the most profitable sorts grown. Per peck, 50 cts.; bush, $1.50; bbl., $3.00.

**CLARK'S No. 1.** The flavor is excellent. It cooks neatly, and is very productive. Per peck, 60 cts.; bush, $1.65; bbl., $3.25.

**RURAL NEW YORKER, No. 2.** It has a distinct appearance, and could readily be distinguished among a hundred other varieties. Of large size and unusually smooth; has few and shallow eyes; oblong shape, inclining to round and somewhat flattened; the skin is white, also the flesh, which is of superior quality. In maturity it is intermediate, and its solidity and vigor are such that it has rotted less in very wet seasons than any of the numerous sorts grown with it. The vines are heavy and strong, and the yield of handsome tubers of great uniformity is larger than less than 10 per cent. of the potatoes dug were of marketable size. To sum up its good points, they are: Distinct appearance, large and uniform, extreme whiteness, and unexcelled table quality, great vigor, and lastly, a wonderful yielder. Per peck, 80 cts.; bush, $2.00; bbl., $4.00.

**EMPIRE STATE.** This is considered by many the most perfect potato for early culture in this state. It is one of the best sorts for table use, and has a fine quality of flavor. It is a seedling from the White Elephant and usually grown for market, and, when eating, is a very productive, and one of the best sorts to resist disease; its quality is most excellent. For peck, 60 cts.; bush, $1.50; bbl., $3.00.

**MAMMOTH PEARL.** A medium early variety, very smooth and uniform; skin white, and very white flesh; is free from rot and never hollow; is a strong and vigorous grower, and the vines, standing upright, protects the hill from the hot rays of the sun; excellent for planting early. Per peck, 60 cts.; bush, $1.50; bbl., $3.00.

**WHITE ELEPHANT.** A fine variety for early BEAUTY OF HEBRON. The tubers grew to an immense size, but this in no way impairs their solidity, as they keep without decay until far into the spring. High yield, and very productive, and one of the best sorts to resist disease; its quality is most excellent. Per peck, 60 cts.; bush, $1.50; bbl., $3.00.

**IMPROVED YELLOW JERSEY SWEET POTATO.** This variety is not surpassed by any other, being very productive. Per peck, 75 cts.; bush, $1.75; bbl., $3.50.

**POT, SWEET AND MEDICINAL HERBS.** Every garden should contain some of the following varieties of herbs, both for culinary and medicinal purposes, as they are easily grown, and, when preserved by drying, are ready for use at any season of the year. The seed may be taken to harvest them properly. Cut just before they are in full bloom, on a dry day, and after having thoroughly dried, they should be dried in an airy and warm room, or in a warm place in spring, in shallow drills, covering lightly, and when well up dig them out or transplant to a proper distance apart.

The varieties marked with an * are perennial. Pkt. 8 oz., cts.

**Anise (Pimpinella Anisum).** Largely used for garnishing and seasoning. ...................................................... 5 10

**Balsam (Melissa Officinalis).** Used for making balm tea for use in fevers. ........................................... 4 25

**Basil, Sweet (Ocimum Basilicum).** Used in soups and sauces. .............................................................. 5 20

**Bene (Senecio Orientalis).** Largely used in the South. Too tender for Northern growing. A medicinal herb. ................................................. 5 15

**Borage (Borago Officialis).** Used for flavoring, and the flowers furnish excellent bee pasture. .................. 6 15

**Caraway (Carum Carvi).** A much valued herb for the seed, which is used in confectionery and medicine. Caraway seeds are often used in soups, in the spring, when tender. ........................................... 5 10

**Catnip (Nepeta Oscaria).** Young shoots and leaves are used for flavoring. ........................................ 2 10

**Coriander (Coriandrum Sativum).** The seed are used to a great extent in confections; also cultivated for garnishing. .................................................. 5 10

**Dill (Anethum Graveolens).** Cultivated for the leaves, which are used in soups and sauces, and also to put with pickles. .................................................. 5 10

**Fennel (Foeniculum Vulgare).** The leaves, when drying, are highly ornamental, and when boiled, are used to a great extent in many fish sauces ........................................ 5 10

**Hop Seed (Humulus Lupulus).** Used in confectionary and medicinal purposes. .................................... 25 1.50

**Horehound (Marrubius Vulgaris).** Used for medi- cal purposes. A great remedy for coughs, colds, etc. ................................................................. 5 25

**Lavender (Lavandula Angustifolia).** A valuable herb, leaves and flowers are used for flavoring. ............... 5 15

**Lemon Balm (Melissa Officinalis).** Used by physi- cians in confectionery, also made into tea. ........................ 5 15

**Marjoram, Sweet (Origanum Majorana).** Used for seasoning in summer and dried for winter use. .......... 5 20

**Rosemary (Rosmarinus Officinalis).** A fine culinary herb, leaves are used for seasoning. .......................... 5 15

**Rue (Huta Gratiola).** Used for medicinal purposes; also given to fowls .................................................. 5 15

**Saffron (Crocus Tintorius).** Medicinal. ......................... 5 15

**Sage (Salvia Oficinalis).** Leaves and flowers are used in making dressing and sauce. ......................... 5 15

**Summer Savory (Satureja Horaec).** The blossoms are used for seasoning and largely in soups and dressings. .......... 5 15

**Tansy (Tanacetum Vulgaris).** For medicinal uses. ................................................................. 5 20

**Tarragon (Artemisia Dracunculus).** Used in confectionery, also made into tea. .................................... 5 15

**Thyme (Thymus Vulgaris).** The young shoots and leaves are used for flavoring. .................................... 5 20

**Winter Savory (Satureja Montana).** For seasoning. ................................................................. 5 20

**Wormwood (Artemisia Absinthium).** This should be cultivated in all poultry gardens. .......................... 5 25
JERUSALEM CORN.

This corn comes from Palestine, and was brought to this country by a missionary who gave 2 grains to a farmer in Kansas; these 2 grains made 5 heads the first year, the grains from which he planted the next season and got 5 bushels; the following season he planted 8 acres and gathered 200 bushels. It matures and grows well in all portions of the United States, and is especially valuable in dry countries and seasons, surpassing Brown Dhoura, Kaifir Corn and Milo Maize. Grows about 4 feet high, makes 1 large head on main stalk, and several smaller heads on side shoots, and as many as 8 heads have been counted on 1 stalk. The grains are nearly flat and pure white. The finest thing for chicken food ever introduced. It requires 3 pounds of seed to plant an acre. Per large pkt., 10 cts.; lb., 30 cts.; 3 lbs., 75 cts., postpaid.

From Henry Clay Brooks, Superintendent of the United States Experimental Grass and Forage Station.

GARDEN CITY, Kan., October 27.

This is to certify that I raised a fair crop of "Jerusalem Corn" on the unirrigated part of the United States Experimental Farm the past season, which was the dryest season in the past 15 years at this point. The record showing 10 inches less rainfall this year than the average of the past 15 years. I had 90 acres in crop with different varieties of forage plants and the Jerusalem Corn was the only kind that did any good. I consider it good for both man and beast, I have experimented with it in fattening a hog, and the hog is in as fine condition as I ever saw one. I have also used it in my family in the form of hominy, and it certainly makes the best hominy that I ever ate.

H. C. Brooks, in Charge.

NEW BRAZILIAN FLOUR CORN

This has given general satisfaction throughout the South; it is not suitable for planting north of Pennsylvania, except for fodder. It grows rapidly, matures medium early, and produces ears 7 to 9 inches long, with small cob and beautiful white grain, which, when ground, yields a flour in every respect equal to the best wheat. It should be cultivated the same as other field corn, and grows from 8 to 10 feet high and bears from 6 to 7 full ears on a stalk. As forage plant it is one of the most valuable, either in a green or dry state. It will make 5 times as much flour to the acre as wheat. Large sized pkt., 10 cts.; lb., 30 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, 2 quarts, 50 cts.; peck, 80 cts.; bushel, $2.50.

E. M. Talent, Burmingtown, N. C., Oct. 21, 1891, writes:—
I have ordered seeds from you for two years and found them to be as good as recommended. The Hickory King Corn is giving the best satisfaction of any corn. We have planted it for 4 years.
HICKORY KING CORN. We are headquarters for this remarkable corn, having first introduced it in 1886. It is entirely distinct from all other varieties, having the largest grain, with the smallest cob ever introduced in a White Corn. The stalks bear 2 good sized ears each, and occasionally 3, are never broken, no matter how thin the soil, and both ends of the ear are filled full out. A single grain, as in the illustration, will completely cover the cob section of an ear broken in half. It both shells and shucks easily, and will make more shelled corn to a given bulk of ears than any other variety. Buy your supply from us and obtain the genuine. Per pkt., 10 cts.; lb., 30 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, peck, 50 cts.; bush., $1.50.

NEW RED KAFFIR CORN. A new Variety of Sorghum, Cultivated for both Forage and Grain.

This new variety now offered for the first time, is a valuable sort. It grows taller than the White and ripens earlier, the stalks are more slender and very juicy and leafy; the long narrow heads grow erect and are very compact. The seed is red, smaller than the White and is more hard and brittle. It is one of the best drouth resistors among all the new saccharine hybrids, and does finely on poor land and yields well. The whole stalks and blades of this plant cure into excellent fodder and are available in all stages of growth for green feed, stock being very fond of it. Per large pkt., 10 cts.; Dov, 30 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 30 cts.; peck, $1.25.

WHITE KAFFIR CORN. The plants of this variety are low, sturdy and perfectly erect, foliage broad. The long heads are well filled with white grain which makes excellent flour. The seed heads grow from 10 to 12 inches in length and the product of grain will average 60 bushels to the acre. Per pkt., 10 cts.; lb., 25 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 10 cts.; peck, 55 cts.; bush., 60 lbs., $1.00.

SPRING WHEAT.

SASKATCHEWAN FIFE. This is known as the most desirable variety of spring wheat in cultivation. It is unequalled for productiveness, earliness and vigor, and singularly exempt from smut and other diseases. Its yield will compare favorably with winter wheats, and we have never known of its having failed to give good satisfaction. Per pkt., 10 cts.; lb., 30 cts.; 3 lbs., 80 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, peck, 75 cts.; ½ bush., $1.35; bush., $2.50; 2 bush., $4.50.

WISCONSIN PROLIFIC POP-CORN. This fine new prolific variety we obtained from one of the largest growers in Wisconsin, who makes pop-corn growing a specialty. The engravings we had made from nature, correctly shows the fine appearance. The ears are of most perfect shape, regular and handsome. It is, without question, the most prolific variety grown, out-yielding all known sorts. It far surpasses the old Fife variety, of which it is an improved strain. The stalks attain a height of nearly 6 feet, bearing on an average 6 ears of large size, which are well filled out to the ends; grain white and clear. Average size of ear, 6 inches. Its popping qualities cannot be surpassed, popping white and large and of the finest quality. For large pkt., 10 cts.; lb., 40 cts., postpaid. Three ears, 25 cts., postpaid.

MANSHURY BARLEY. A 6-rowed barley with very long heads, well filled and heavy. It ripens early and has been known to yield 66 bushels per acre, weighing over 80 pounds to the measured bushel. It is easy to harvest, having strong and upright straw and is without doubt the most prolific and reliable standard variety in cultivation. Per pkt., 10 cts.; lb., 30 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, peck, 60 cts.; bush., $2.00; 10 bush. or over, at $1.80 per bush., bags included.

NEW JAPANESE BUCKWHEAT. The kernels are twice the size of any other variety, and their shape is peculiar and distinct; likewise their color, which is a dark shade of brown. The straw is heavier, it branches more and does not need to be sown as thickly as the other varieties. It ripens a week earlier than the Silverhull and yields 2 or 3 times as much. Some idea of its enormous productiveness may be obtained when we state that from 1 grain planted, 850 ripe kernels were obtained. It makes the best of flour. Succeeds well as far North as New Hampshire. Per pkt., 10 cts.; lb., 35 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 10 cts.; peck, 40 cts.; bush., $1.25; 5 bush. or over, at $1.10 per bush., sacks included.
The following varieties of Farm Seeds have been grown with the greatest care and in sections best adapted for their respective uses, and are grown, especially for seed. We have exercised the utmost vigilance in the selection and curving of our seed stocks, and we know them to be perfectly pure and their germinating properties unsurpassed. Our prices include bags and delivery to any express or freight depot in Philadelphia.

GOLDEN BEAUTY.
This is a variety of vigorous growth, attaining from 8 to 10 feet in height, nearly every stalk producing 2 fine ears, which are large, of perfect shape, containing 16 rows and filling out well to the end of the cob. It matures early as most varieties of Golden Dent, has a small cob, is easily shelled, and surpasses all others in size, appearance and productiveness. In the State of Pennsylvania it has yielded over 150 bushels to the acre. Per pkt., 10 cts.; lb., 30 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, peck, 60 cts.; bush., $1.50; 6 bush. or more, $1.25 per bush., bags included.

EARLY CANADA YELLOW.
An 8-rowed, hard, flinty variety requiring about 90 days to mature. Used largely in the extreme North, and is well adapted to sections where the season is short. Very largely used for replanting. Per pkt., 10 cts.; lb., 30 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, peck, 60 cts.; bush., $1.90; 6 bush. or more, $1.75 per bush., bags included.

EARLY MASTODON DENT CORN.
This new variety has the largest ear and largest grain of any early Dent corn. It grows strong, rank, quick and makes the finest shelled corn of all, being purely Dent of 2 shades of white and yellow. Can be grown with equal success in all sections. Per pkt., 10 cts.; lb., 30 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, peck, 60 cts.; bush., $1.75, bags included.

FARMERS' FAVORITE GOLDEN DENT.
The ears of this variety are of good size, with small red cob, and well filled out to the ends with large, deep grains, of a beautiful, bright golden-yellow color. The stalks grow from 6 to 10 feet high, taking a strong hold on the ground, and for main crop it is one of the best standard sorts in cultivation, frequently yielding from 90 to 100 bushels of shelled corn to the acre. It makes abundant fodder and produces well, even on light land, where many other varieties will not yield a good crop. It is early and prolific, and has given the utmost satisfaction wherever grown. Per pkt., 10 cts.; lb., 30 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, peck, 60 cts.; bush., $1.50; 6 bush. or more, $1.35 per bush., bags included.

SUGAR CORN FOR GREEN FODDER.
Better than field corn for green fodder, it being sweet and nutritious, the cattle eating stalks and leaves with much relish. Sow about 1/5 bushels to the acre in rows 5 feet apart. Per peck, 40 cts.; bush., $1.50.

BLUNT'S PROLIFIC.
This variety of corn is principally used for feeding purposes. It is an 8 to 10-rowed white flint, with short, well-shaped ears and white cob. It matures early and the stalks are unusually leafy, bearing from 4 to 6 ears each. Per pkt., 10 cts.; lb., 30 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, peck, 60 cts.; bush., $1.50; 6 bush. or more, $1.35 per bush., bags included.

GENUINE HIWASSEE MAMMOTH.
This valuable variety of corn has the reputation of producing some of the largest and best crops of white Dent corn grown. Both ear and grain are large, very similar to the Chester County Mammoth in size, shape and growth, and is sometimes catalogued as White Surplice or Parth White. It is a variety that is particularly valuable for the Southern, Western and Middle States. Per pkt., 10 cts.; lb., 30 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, peck, 60 cts.; bush., $1.50; 6 bush. or more, $1.25 per bush., bags included.

CHESTER COUNTY MAMMOTH CORN.
This variety of corn yields, under good cultivation, from 100 to 150 bushels per acre of the very best quality of shelled corn. The ears are large and well formed, grain very large, deep and of a bright yellow color. It is one of the largest yellow varieties of field corn in cultivation, growing 12 to 16 feet high, and taking a firm strong hold in the ground, and is highly recommended for stock. The quantity of grain produced on a peck per acre, and the excellent smallness of the cob, make it one of the most desirable varieties grown. Per pkt., 10 cts.; lb., 30 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, peck, 60 cts.; bush., $1.90; 6 bush. or over, $1.50 per bush., bags included.

THE LEAMING CORN.
This is a particularly good variety of corn for withstanding severe droughts, which characteristic is owing to its earliness, strong and vigorous growth, and its bloody and leafy nature, as it enables it to stand up until ripe, thus protecting the soil from dryness, caused by the heat of the sun. The ears are of good size; cob red and small, with a deep, large grain of bright yellow. It is somewhat of a Dent variety, and is a valuable sort to plant when it is desired to remove it in time to seed the ground for fall crops. It planted by the first of June, it will generally ripen and be fit to husk and crib early in September. Per pkt., 10 cts.; lb., 30 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, peck, 60 cts.; bush., $1.70; 6 bush. or over, $1.50 per bush., bags included.

NEW SELF-HUSKLING FIELD CORN.
This variety of field corn is the earliest in cultivation, ripening fully 10 days before the Early Canada. Its great merit, however, lies in its most distinctive feature (one possessed by no other corn) of stripping itself clean of its husks, and this peculiarity makes it of great value where large areas of field corn are grown. It is a flint variety, dwarf in habit, with large ears averaging 12 inches in length, while the cob is small; grain of an amber color; husks open about half-way down, which makes stripping very easy. It generally produces 6 ears to the stalk, and even under ordinary cultivation, seldom confines itself to one. Per pkt., 10 cts.; lb., 30 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 20 cts.; peck, 60 cts.; bush., $1.50.
SILVER-HULL BUCKWHEAT.

An excellent variety for bees, continuing in bloom much longer than the common sorts. Valuable also for its early maturing properties, and under the same conditions will yield twice the quantity per acre as ordinary buckwheats. The flower is whiter and more nutritious, and a saving of 15 to 20 per cent., may be made in gridding, owing to its thinness of husks. Per pkt., 10 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, peck, $1.85. For larger quantities, write for special prices.

WELCOME OATS.

Usually grown from 5 to 6 feet high with strong straight straw, which is not liable to be prostrated by either wind or rain. The grain is remarkably large and handsome, all smooth and plump, with thin, close-fitting husks. They are of vigorous growth and fully a week ahead of all other varieties in ripening, and for these reasons yield most excellent crops. They are also very valuable for extreme northern sections, giving a good yield where other varieties would make the crop a failure. Half the seed, per half acre, that is used for other varieties will do for this, as the sowing should not be nearly so thick as for other oats, and they will far outyield any other in cultivation. They weigh from 47 to 50 pounds per measured bushel, the heads being from 3 to 4 inches in length. By pkt., 1 lb., 50 cts.; 4 lbs., $1.00, postpaid. By express or freight, peck, 25 cts.; bushel, $1.00; 10 bushel, or over 50 cts. per bushel, bags included.

WHITE BELGIAN OATS.

This is a standard and most prolific variety of oats, and has been made from 80 to 186 bushels per acre on ordinary land. They are early, plump grained and have thin husks. Our stock of all varieties of oats has been more carefully selected and grown for the express purpose of seed. Per pkt., 10 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts.; 4 lbs., $1.00; 10 lbs., $2.00. By express or freight, peck, 25 cts.; bushel, $1.00; 10 bushel, or over 50 cts. per bushel, bags included.

MAMMOTH RUSSIAN SUNFLOWER.

This may be grown to great advantage by planting in waste pieces of ground from early spring to the latter part of July, as it is an excellent and cheap food for fowls, and has so strongly recommended itself to large farmers and poultry breeders that many say they could not do without it. The mammoth seeded heads contain an immense quantity of seed, which is of great value to all farmers and poultry breeders, and as good as any, and as fowl, very being healthy and fattening, and will produce a lustrous plumage and excellent condition generally. Three quarts of seed will plant an acre, and it can be raised much cheaper than corn, and for these purposes far more desirable. As an eating food it is unsurpassed, and also as a disease preventative. Its leaves make very good fodder, and as some of the Prairie States thestrong, thick stalks are found valuable for fuel. Liberal sized pkt., 5 cts.; pint, 15 cts.; quart, 25 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, quart, 15 cts.; peck, 50 cts.; bushel, $1.50.

PEARL POP-CORN. The favorite variety for popping. Per pkt., shelled, 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 45 cts., postpaid. By express or freight (on ear), 50 lbs., $2.00.

LARGE EIGHT OR WESTERN POP-CORN. Used particularly for making sugar coated pop-corn. Large ears, 8-rowed, with broad grains. Pops finer and larger than any other variety. Per pkt., shelled, 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 45 cts., postpaid. By express or freight (on ear), 50 lbs., $2.00.

FLAX SEED.

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(Reena Luxuriants.) This new and gigantic fodder plant, introduced from Central America, somewhat resembles Indian corn, and gives promise of soon becoming the leading forage plant in this latitude and the South. It produces a great number of shoots, growing 12 feet high, thickly covered with leaves, and yielding such an abundance of forage that one plant is considered amply sufficient to feed a pair of cattle for 24 hours. As a soil-losing or fodder plant in the South, it surpasses either corn or sorghum, and in the extreme South is perennial. The leaves are long and broad, and the stalk full of sweet sap. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts.; lb., $2.00, postpaid.

IMPROVED EVERGREEN BROOM CORN.

A particularly valuable variety of broom corn, as it does not get red in the field before cutting, but is strictly a green variety of bush, and for that reason will always command the highest price in the market. It is free from crooked brush, stands up well and grows from 8 to 10 feet high. It ripens early and is fine and straight. About 500 weight of broom may be raised on an acre, and the seed is worth nearly as much as oats for feed. This can be made a large paying crop to the farmer. Per pkt., 10 cts.; 1 lb., 40 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, peck, 70 cts.; bushel, $2.25.

BROWN DHOURA CORN.

This is one of the grandest of all forage plants and its nutritious properties should in nowise be underestimated. It is a most natural food for cows and sheep, its stalks being eaten by them in a greedy manner, and the grain is a superior food for fowls; as good as wheat or barley for horses. It is of easy and simple culture and when grown for grain should be planted in hills the same as Indian Corn. It has yielded 200 bushels of shelled grain per acre. When grown for fodder, sow in drills from 2 to 3 feet apart and be careful, if it is of the utmost value because of its certainty to produce heavy crops on poor, dry soil. Per pkt., 10 cts.; 1 lb., 40 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, 3 lbs., 70 cts.

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And other flowers blooming the first year from seed.

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**BELLS (Double Daisy).**
This charming little flower is indispensable for cool, shady places, pots and frames. With protection they will stand the winter and greet us in the spring with a profusion of gay flowers. In the garden treat like pansies. H. H. F.; ½ foot.

**Fine Double Mixed.** Very fine. Per pkt., 10 cts.

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**CACALIA (Tassel Flower).**
The flowers are borne in clusters on long, slender stems, and are very pretty, showy and desirable for cutting. H. H. A. Mixed. Yellow, scarlet and orange. Per pkt., 5 cts.

**CALEDUNA.**
They derive their name from a peculiarity of many of the species, viz: being in bloom every month in the calendar. They bloom in great profusion from early summer until after frost. H. A.

**Double Mixed (Pot Marigold).** Per pkt., 5 cts.

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**CANDYTUFT.**
Produces its neat clusters of flowers very freely, and is valuable for cut flowers and bouquet making. It blooms long and is perfectly hardy, so that nearly all the varieties may be sown in early spring without suffering any damage. To the bouquet maker its neat little clusters of flowers are of the greatest value and a particular treasure. Sow seeds in pots or flats. Soak seeds 24 hours before sowing. H. A. Mixed. Bears enormous heads of pure white flowers. Per pkt., 5 cts.

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**New Carmine.** Very beautiful and attractive. Per pkt., 5 cts.

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**Tom Thumb.** Very dwarf, 4 to 6 in. high. White. Flower freely from June until frost. Per pkt., 5 cts.

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Very stately and handsome foliage plants, growing from 5 to 8 feet high; highly ornamental on the lawn or in the centre of large circular beds. Soak the seed well in warm water before sowing. These plants give to our ground in the North a rich and tropical appearance, and their highly ornamental leaves of varied colors produce an effect most pleasing to the eye. H. H. F.

**CROZY’S NEW LARGE FLOWERING DWARF.**
The foliage is luxuriant and varied in color, the plants of dwarf habit, flowers of large size and of the most dazzling and most brilliant hues, yellow, scarlet, orange, richest crimson, etc., and some beautifully spotted. Per pkt., 10 cts.

**Gigantea.** A tall variety; bright scarlet flowers; grows 6 feet high. Per pkt., 5 cts.

**Nepalensis.** Yellow flowers, green foliage. Per pkt., 5 cts.

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**Best Mixed.** Many rare and choice varieties. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.
CELOSIA (Cockcomb.)

One of the most showy and brilliant of annuals, and quite easy to grow. The combs of the varieties often grow a foot or more across and attract great attention by their peculiar beauty.

H. H. A.


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Glasgow Prize, or Tom Thumb. Fine dwarf variety, dark foliage, immense, showy, dark crimson combs Pkt., 10 cts.

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CENTRANTHUS.
The flowers are very small and borne in large clusters beautiful for borders or bouquets; no trouble to raise from seed in open ground. H. A. Mix Pkt., 5 cts.

CENTAUREA (Corn Flower, Bagged Sailor, Blue Bottle).

A hardy annual of the easiest growth, flowers freely and continuously. Very fine for cut flowers.


CHRYSANTHEMUM (Painted Daisies).
The annual varieties have become one of the most popular of our annuals, and stand without a rival for gorgeous display in the flower garden, or for pot culture.

Mixed. Double; producing a most brilliant display Pkt., 5 cts.

Carnatum. Pure golden-yellow, very distinctly marked with clear cut rings or bands of purple scarlet Pkt., 5 cts.

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CLARKIA.

Delights in cool, shady places. They are charming for beds, producing large flowers of rose, purple, white, red, etc., and borne in great profusion. H. A. One to 2 feet.


Mrs. Longrey. Purest white, one of the finest of brilliant carmine. Very free flowering Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

CONVOLVULUS (Minor).

This is a dwarf variety of the old Morning Glory; and a bed of them forms a beautiful mass. Like the parent variety, the flowers close in the afternoon. They do not climb, but form large, bushy plants, about 1 foot high.


Tricolor Roseus. Beautiful rose-colored flowers with pure white centre, fringed with purplish-violet, shaded towards the throat to golden yellow; 1 foot Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

COSMOS HYBRIDUS.

A most popular flower. Forms large bushes, 5 feet high, which grow very rapidly and are a mass of elegant foliage until they bloom in August. Flowers resemble Dahlias, and are pure white, flesh color, charming light pink and deep rose in color, with a bright yellow centre, 2 inches in diameter. Easily raised and make a grand display. Sow seed early. Pkt., 10 cts.

DATURE.

Cosmos Hybridus. Wrightii. Is the best variety; flowers white, faintly tinted with lilac, and sweet-scented Pkt., 5 cts.

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But few are aware that the double as well as single varieties may be grown from the seed and flower the first season, so that the buying of bulbs is a needless expense. The seed which we offer is of the finest strains and choicest varieties, and if sown in the spring will give a magnificent display of the brightest colors by August. These flowers are greatly admired and should be extensively cultivated in every garden.


Fine Mixed. Flowers yellow, orange and white Pkt., 5 cts.

Mandarin. Orange, shaded with crimson Pkt., 5 cts.

Rose Cardinal. Rose colored, very showy Pkt., 5 cts.

ESCHSCHOLTZIA (California Poppy).

Produces beautiful flowers and finely cut leaves. Should be sown early in open ground. H. A. One foot.

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Mandarin. Orange, shaded with crimson Pkt., 5 cts.

EUPHORIA.

Useful and beautiful for border and pot culture.


DIANTHUS (Pinks).

They are among the most brilliant of our garden flowers and are most useful plants, furnishing abundance of gay and beautiful flowers until covered by drizzling snow; they live over winter and bloom the second season as the first, and for pot plants are most desirable.

Chinensis (Double Chinese Pinks). Finest mixed, clusters of double flowers Pkt., 5 cts.

Crimson Belle. Large, single red, dark flowers, Pkt., 5 cts.

Eastern Queen. Beautifully striped and stained, single, 3 or 4 inches across, Pkt., 5 cts.

The Alstroemerias received in good condition. The other bulbs also arrived in perfect condition. Accept my thanks for your very generous gift of extras.

H. G. FAUST & CO., PHILADELPHIA.
GAILLARDIA
Attract great attention by their gay colors, are good bedding annuals and constant bloomers throughout the summer. H. A. 1 to 2 feet.


Hybrida Grandiflora. Finest mixed, splendid colors. Pkt. 5 cts.

GLIA
The flowers are borne in great abundance, very showy for masses or the border. Small and delicate, and desirable for cutting.


GLAUCUM.
One of the prettiest of our white-leaved plants. Fine for edgings, vases, etc. H. P. Corniculatum. Similar to Dusty Miller. Per pkt., 10 cts.

GYPSOPHILA.
Should be in every garden, its flowers and foliage being most delicate and handsome in appearance. Valuable for bouquets. Elegans; Mixed; white and rose. H. A. Pkt., 5 cts.

GODELIA.

Lady Aiembroil.
Large, crimson flowers measuring 5 inches across; plants very bushy.

Lady Satin Rose. Brilliant rose pink, the surface shines like satin. The flowers are produced in great abundance.

Spotted Carpet. Snow white, with carmine rose spot at the base of each petal. Pkt., 5 cts.


Fine Mixed. All the above choice varieties. Oz., 25 cts.

HILEANTHUS (Sunflower).
Georgous in bloom, and useful in many locations. The best double varieties produce a good effect among shrubbery, and when used as screens and around trees, where tall plants are wanted, they are indispensable.

Oscar Wilde. Newport corage flower. Petals long and of a bright golden color, the centre of the flower being black and quite small.

New Variagated. Very dwarf and double.

Globulous Fistulosus.
Very large, double.


HIBISCUS.
Faust's Imperial. It is almost impossible to convey by a description any idea of the beauty and grandeur of this flower. The flowers measure 5 inches in diameter and are indescribably rich and glowing in tone, of a lovely shade of rich yellow. The plants grow to a height of 6 feet and are wonderfully free flowering, bearing from July until frost. The easy manner in which they can be raised from seed commends it to all lovers of beautiful flowers. Pkt., 5 cts.

LARKSPUR.
They have long been prized for the richness of the many colors which they produce. The flowers are borne in compact spikes and are showy and desirable for any situation. H. A. Dwarf, Double Rocket. Finest mixed. Pkt., 5 cts.

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EMPEROR. MIXED. Plants bear nearly 100 close erect spikes of flowers. 12½ feet. Pkt., 5 cts.

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Dwarf and very pretty; valuable for bedding plants and for winter pot culture. H. A.


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Showy flowering plants for beds and shrubbery. Plants live for several years. H. P.


LARKSPUR.
Larkspur.

ALICE NETTLETON. Bright red flowers. Pkt., 5 cts.

MILE'S NEW SPIRAL. Plants dwarf and branching, bearing spikes 10 inches long. Flowers white and very fragrant. Pkt., 10 cts.

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Valuable for vases, rockeries and beds. Both the leaves and the stems are covered with little ice-like drops. Height, ½ foot. H. H. A. Mesembryanthemum Crystallinum. Pkt., 5 cts.

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This new plant, lately introduced from South Africa, grows freely and flowers most continuously, resembling somewhat a Balsam in habit of growth and shape of leaf. The bright single flowers measure 1½ inches across, and are of the richest glowing colors and are borne so profusely that the plant appears like a perfect ball of dazzling colors. It is a continuous bloomer, and for growing in pots in summer or winter it is one of the finest dwarf plants grown. The flowers in color are a soft, beautiful rose. Pkt., 10 cts.

LINUM (Cotton-Flax).
One of the most beautiful annuals known, valuable for bedding, with bright, crimson flowers, of neat and slender habit like all the flax family, Grandiflorum Roburum. Pkt., 6 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

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Very dwarf plants, growing 4 to 6 inches high, of easy culture, fine for baskets, vases, edgings, etc.


Star of Ischl. A beautiful dark blue flowers; very dwarf and erect growth, 4 to 6 inches in height.


Erlsis Cupid Palace. Dark blue, fine for hanging baskets and vases; 6 to 10 inches. Pkt., 5 cts.

LUPINUS (Sun Dials).
The flowers are produced, mixed, of various shades, and borne on long spikes. Very conspicuous plants. H. A.

Mixed. All the best varieties. Pkt., 5 cts.

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The African varieties are stronger in habit and produce larger flowers than the French. An old favorite greatly improved upon in late years. H. H. A. African. Double mixed, all varieties, very fine. Pkt., 5 cts.

French. Dwarf double, mixed; producing flowers of the most brilliant colors.

French, Tall, double and handsomely striped.

Cloth of Gold. Large and very handsome variety.

MIGNONETTE.
The Mignonette is probably the most popular annual, in the United States. For cutting and bouquets it is indispensable. Seeds may be sown at any season, so that by having pots prepared at different times, a supply of flowers can be secured. The new spiral variety, assihoned in the engraving, has long, strong spikes, producing the most beautiful flowers. This little flower is one of the sweetest we grow in our gardens. H. A. Reseda Odorata (Sweet Mignonette). Oz., 15 cts. Pkt., 5 cts.

Golden Queen. Very fine; new variety, with flowers of a golden hue. Pkt., 5 cts.

Matchet. Highly scented red flowers. Fine for the open ground or pot culture, dwarf.

J. Miles' New Spiral. Pkt., 5 cts.


Victoria. Lark red erect spikes; very handsome, excellent for outdoor or pot culture. Pkt., 5 cts.


MALOPE.
A strong growing plant, 18 to 20 inches high, bearing large single flowers, very effective in sunny borders. H. A. Grandiflora. Mixed. Rose, white and crimson. Pkt., 5 cts.
MIMOSA (Sensitive Plant).  
A most interesting little plant, being so sensitive that a touch from the hand will instantly cause the leaves to fold up. When the hand is removed they unfold again in a few moments. 


MIMULUS (Monkey Flower).  
A plant much admired for its curiously-shaped flowers and almost transparent branches; fine for basket, vase and house culture. 


Superb Mixed. All the best varieties. Pkt., 5 cts.

MOLUCCella (Shell Flower).  
An interesting and curious plant, has but few leaves and bears many tiny cups of a pea-green hue. Pkt., 5 cts.

MIRABILIS (Marvel of Peru).  
Has bright foliage, very fragrant flowers and most desirable colors, and makes a fine summer hedge. Commonly known as Four o’Clocks. Seed should be planted in open ground where the plants are desired. Flowers open in the afternoon, hence the name Four o’Clock. Pkt., 5 cts.

MOSQUITOS (Forget-me-not). Valuable for pot culture or winter-blooming, as well as for growing in the open ground. Nothing is finer for bouquets than the charming little Forget-me-not. H. P. Six to 12 in. 

Alpestris. The true blue Forget-me-not. Pkt., 5 cts.


Alpestris Alba. Pure white, height 6 inches. " 5 "

NASTURTIUM.  
Remain in constant bloom and are exceedingly showy. Will flower abundantly in any situation. Every garden should possess at least one variety. 


Spotted King. Orange spotted with maroon. Pkt., 5 cts.


Golden King. Golden yellow, beautiful variety. " 5 "


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Dwarf growing and splendid for beds. Flowers blotched and spotted with various colors and shades in blue, violet and white. 1 foot. H. A. 

Mixed. All varieties, rich colors, mixed. Pkt., 5 cts.

NICOTIANA.  
Affinis. Grows 3 feet high, bearing sweet-scented, star-shaped flowers of great fragrance and beauty. A single plant will perfume the surrounding atmosphere. Pkt., 10 cts.

NIGELLA (Love in a Mist).  
Leaves finely cut, the flowers borne curious and very showy, also the seed pods. H. A. 1 to 2 feet.


NOLANA.  
Very pretty trailing plants for rock work, hanging baskets, bearing bell-shaped flowers, 6 inches. H. A.

Mixed. All varieties. Pkt., 5 cts.

GNOTHERA (Evening Primrose).  
Some of the flowers are nearly 6 inches in diameter. 

Aucalis Alba. Silvery white, very large. Pkt., 5 cts.

PANSY.  
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A compact, dwarf plant, and one that is continuous in blooming. H. A., 1/2 foot. Pkt. 5 cts.

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Valuable for rock work and massed.


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When fully grown they attain a height of 6 to 8 feet, forming a most attractive object. Either in the conservatory or in pots one of the most beautiful flowers of early red are produced in drooping moccas. H. B. Elegans, Pkt., 10 cts.

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Pretty and free blooming; black tipped, scarlet and white. Pkt., 15 cts.

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A fine and much admired plant, producing in the winter and spring numbers of exquisite flowers of rose, red, white, etc.  

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Half-hardy shrub, from 8 to 6 feet high, with large spikes of deep scarlet, pea-shaped flowers.  
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Bearing from choice seed has the advantage of obtaining many fine new varieties.  

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Abutilon, or Flowering Maple. Bell-shaped flowers, 2 to 6 feet high.
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