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We are pleased to hand you our 1931 Seed Annual. You will find a great many changes in the varieties listed in this 1931 book, and we know that we have assembled this year one of the best collections of field and garden seeds that we have ever had.

THOUSANDS OF SATISFIED CUSTOMERS

We have several stores that will be very glad to serve you, and we will be glad to see at any of our stores our old customers and friends and new ones. We have done our best in the past 21 years to satisfy our customers and in addition sell them seed and farm supplies at the lowest price possible.

SEEDS THAT SATISFY

It is certainly a pleasure to see orders come in year after year from the same people. Lots of them thousands of miles from this vicinity. There is just one reason and that is that our seeds satisfy them. We at this time extend an invitation to anyone that has ever sent us an order to stop in and see us at any of our stores. We would be pleased to know every customer personally.

WE WATCH OUR ORDERS

We at all times take special pains to watch every order that is intrusted to us, whether it be large or small. Don't be afraid to write in and tell us if you are not pleased in every way when you receive your seed. We are rushed so during planting season that it is not always possible to follow the orders as close as we would like to and mistakes are bound to happen.

HELP US ORDER EARLY

We know it is hard to do it but if our customers could order their seeds or the major part of them a month before they were going to use them it would help us a great deal and then we would have more time to spend on the orders. Just try this year and see if you cannot order your requirements a little earlier. We surely would appreciate it.

SEED PROBLEMS

Do not forget to write us whenever you have any problems pertaining to seed. We always have time to answer your letters completely and we feel that it is to our mutual advantage to help in any way with problems that you have in reference to your seed.

Yours for better seeds,

B. F. METCALF.

B. F. METCALF & SON, Inc.
Established 1910
Wholesale and Mail Order Departments at Syracuse, N. Y.
RETAIL STORES AT
Syracuse (2 Stores), Fayetteville, Manlius, Chittenango, Canastota and Oneida
CLOVER—TIMOTHY

We take great pride in the fact that we are able to offer the very best grades of Timothy, Clover and Alfalfa seed that it is possible to secure. Since our Timothy carries a 99.60% to 99.85% purity test, and is selected for good color and size and also high germination, you are getting seed of A No. 1 quality in every respect. Our Clovers and Alfalfa, being grown in the Northern sections, have proven to be very hardy and will produce maximum yields. All of our seeds are recleaned over special machinery. Ask us for sample—then make a comparison with others. Don’t buy cheap seed. Watch the germination on your seed as well as the purity. Every bag of our seed has a tag on stating exact purity and germination.

RED CLOVER

Metcalf’s Recleaned Mammoth—Domestic

This is the large growing or “Pea-vine” clover that produces an enormous yield. Seed is northern grown and you are assured of high vitality and germination.

Metcalf’s Recleaned Medium—Domestic

In more general use than any other clover—wonderful for feeding and a great soil builder. Our seed is the best obtainable.

Alsike Clover—Metcalf’s Recleaned

The stems and leaves are smaller than those of Red Clover, but more numerous, making a finer hay. Does especially well on low, moist soils.

All Clover and Alfalfa Seed verified as to origin by U. S. Government
(We Do Not Handle Imported Clover)

TIMOTHY

Metcalf’s Recleaned—99.60% to 99.85% Pure

Our Timothy Seed is not selected alone for its high purity and germination, but also for good color and plumpness. We stake our reputation on the quality of our Timothy Seed.

Timothy and Alsike Mixed—20% Alsike

This is a natural mixture and will give very satisfactory results. Alsike content is high and of good quality, weed content has been as low as 1/2% of 1%.

ALFALFA

Metcalf’s Recleaned Northwestern

This seed we have secured from the same source for years and know that it will produce best results.

Genuine Grimm—Sealed Bags

This is the genuine Grimm and comes to us certified in sealed bags. Seed is from the Northwest also, and is a fine, hardy strain.

Canadian Variegated

We secure our supply direct from Ontario and know that we are offering the very best Canadian Variegated Alfalfa to be obtained.

Sweet Clover

Metcalf’s W. B. Scarified

Sweet clover is coming into very general use, and its value as a soil renovator has brought it into particular favor. Our seed is scarified, which improves germination.

Crimson Clover

Crimson Clover is one of the few annuals in the clover family. It grows from one seed and one-half to two feet tall and is a deep rooter. Crimson Clover may be sown any time from July to September.
SEED GRAINS

GOOD clean, high grade field seeds, free from weeds and disease are the cheapest to buy, even if the cost is a little more. Look at the analysis tag and make sure that germination and purity are high.

**ALPHA BARLEY**

This is practically a new barley, which originated at the Cornell Agricultural College. It is a two-row barley with long heads and large, plump, heavy grain of high quality. The heads are well filled and usually four or five inches long. The straw is long, but strong, and stands up well.

**SIX-ROW ODERBRUCKER BARLEY**

According to the Experimental Stations in Wisconsin the Six-Row Oderbrucker Barley yields from five to ten bushels more than the Two-Row. Also they claim the straw is stiffer and that the time of ripening is about the same as the Two-Row variety.

**TWO-ROW COMMON BARLEY**

Our barley is grown in the State of Wisconsin, for the best two or six-row barley comes from this section. We consider the Two-Row Barley much better to mix with oats and peas if you are going to use your barley with a mixture.

**WINTER RYE**

We sell only the new Rosen Winter Rye. This new variety is considered the very best kind on the market. The large grains are plump and light colored, the straw is strong and stands up well. The heads fill unusually good, making it a very heavy yielder.

**SPRING RYE**

Our Spring Rye is western grown and is grown on contract for us by the most reliable seed growers we know of. The grain has a very nice, large, plump kernel.

**JAPANESE BUCKWHEAT**

This variety is much larger than the old Silver Hull and is of much darker color. The straw is much larger than the Silver Hull.

**SILVER HULL BUCKWHEAT**

The grain is much smaller than the Japanese and of a silvery gray color. It being much lighter in color than the Japanese, it makes a whiter buckwheat flour.

**HUNGARIAN MILLET**

This is a quick growing, early variety, but does not give nearly as heavy a growth as the Golden or Japanese, but when cut green is relished by all kinds of stock.

**JAPANESE MILLET**

This is without doubt the most valuable of the Millets, being well adapted to many different uses. It may be fed green, cured into hay, or cut for ensilage. When fed green it may be cut from time to time until the seed starts to ripen, and is highly relished by all kinds of stock in this form. When used for hay it should be cut in the blossom stage.

**SPRING WHEAT**

We sell only the Marquis type of spring wheat. This is a variety that does very well in our locality. We bring it into this country in a large way from Northwest Canada, mostly from the province of Manitoba.

**GOLDEN MILLET**

This well known variety makes a very heavy yield and when it can be fed green it is an excellent forage.

**CANADA FIELD PEAS**

Canada Peas can be used for a great many purposes. Grown in a large way in this territory mixed with oats and barley. The grain is of relatively high feeding value and the straw is extra good.

**DWARF ESSEX RAPE**

Under ordinary conditions it reaches a height of from 1 1/2 to 4 feet, and the strong growing roots penetrate the soil to a considerable depth. It requires a rich, moist, loamy soil, and will usually do well on any but light, sandy loams and stiff clays.

**COW PEAS**

Weight 60 lbs. per bushel

Cow Peas are Southern variety peas and do not do very well in our climate. The Whippoorwills are the best varieties to grow.

**SUNFLOWER—MAMMOTH RUSSIAN**

Sunflower is valuable to poultry raisers for the poultry run, as the large leaves offer shade for the poultry. The seed makes a very good addition to any poultry ration. Rich in oil and protein, also valuable for hogs.

**SUDAN GRASS**

Sudan Grass, though of recent introduction into the United States, is now used exclusively. An annual producing an abundance of very nutritious hay.

**HARY VETCH**

This is adapted to nearly as wide a range of uses as Red Clover and in regions where Red Clover, for any reason, does not do well it is the best substitute. Makes excellent hay and furnishes good pasture.

**WILSON SOY BEANS**

As a forage crop, Soy Beans have become very important in many sections of the United States.

**FLAX SEED**

Flax Seed is grown very little in our locality. It is grown mostly in Minnesota; seems to grow on sick lands which are too poor for most any other crop.

**SORGHUM OR AMBER CANE**

There is very little sorghum raised in this locality. It is principally used as a summer fodder for cattle in the Southern states.

**SPELTZ OR EMMER**

This grain is said to be a species of wheat and has the appearance of a combination of wheat, barley and rye. It has been grown quite extensively and with good success for some years throughout the Northwest, where it was first introduced from Europe.
METCALF'S LAWN GRASS SEED
BUY PURE SEED WITHOUT WEEDS—WE MIX ALL OUR OWN SEEDS

A FINE lawn is an unfailing mark of intelligence and taste, to obtain which the main point is to start right. Seed will make a better lawn than turf or sod. The best soil is a good medium texture. The surface should be thoroughly pulverized and smoothed to the desired grade; remove all large stones, roots and hardened pieces of earth that cannot be readily broken, ample time being allowed for the thorough settling of the soil, which is greatly aided by a few heavy showers of rain. When the soil is firm, level and suitably moist, sow Metcalf's Lawn Grass Seed at the rate of 150 lbs. per acre. It is unwise to be too economical in the quantity of seed used if the best results are desired. The seed should be sown broadcast and as evenly as possible; then give a thorough rolling or pat well with the back of a spade. The seed must be well firmed in the soil. When the young grass attains sufficient height it should be mowed with a lawn mower every week or ten days, according to the season. In dry weather keep the lawn well watered.

GENERAL SURFACE RENOVATING

When your lawn has been established you will find it is to your advantage to lightly re-seed each season. As early as possible, carefully rake off all dead leaves, etc., and give the lawn a dressing of our pulverized SHEEP MANURE or our PURE BONE MEAL at the rate of 75 pounds to the acre; roll thoroughly or pat with the back of a spade.

METCALF'S SUNNY PLACE MIXTURE

This high-class Lawn Seed is a combination of just the right kinds of rapid growing grasses to produce a thick, permanent cover in from five to seven weeks. Take a little time and thoroughly prepare the seed bed, as per above directions. Sow our Sunny Place Mixture and you will soon have a velvet lawn that will be a delight for years to come.

1 Lb., 35c; 3 Lbs., $1.00; 5 Lbs., $1.50.

METCALF'S SHADY PLACE MIXTURE

There are always some shady spots where it is hard to grow grass, such as under trees and next to buildings, so we have prepared a Shady Place Mixture. This mixture will give better satisfaction than any other.

1 Lb., 50c; 5 lbs. $2.25.

Terrace Mixture ............1 lb. 50c 5 lbs. $2.25
Golf Links Mixture ............1 lb. 40c 5 lbs. 1.75
Putting Green Mixture ............1 lb. 60c 5 lbs. 2.50

PEAT MOSS

We know of nothing better for putting the soil of worn out lawns in good physical condition than Peat Moss. It is easy to put on, contains no weed seed, stimulates the growth of the grass, and prevents seed from washing away. Bale, (enough to cover over 250 square feet ½ inch thick) $3.75 f. o. b. Syracuse, N. Y.
FANCY GRASSES

KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS
This is a very popular grass for use in mixtures and is widely used for this purpose. It does best on moist, rich loams, fairly well drained, but adapts itself to quite a range of soils, preferably soils containing some lime.

CANADIAN BLUE GRASS
It is generally believed that this grass is the product of the Kentucky Blue Grass grown in Canada for a considerable period, and, owing to the fact of its being grown in this cooler climate, has taken on a somewhat different character than the original Kentucky article.

RED TOP
Red Top succeeds on a greater variety of soils than, perhaps, any other grass in general use, giving very good results on light soils and on heavy, moist or low land soils.

We recommend our Metcalf's Best Brand of re-cleaned seed, which is the very best grade on the market.

ORCHARD GRASS
This is a very valuable variety for pastures. It starts very early in the spring and makes a rapid growth, being ready for pasture before most other grasses.

ENGLISH or PERENNIAL RYE GRASS
(Lolium perenne)
This is a smaller growing variety than the Italian Rye Grass, grows from 1 to 2 feet high, and produces a good quality of very fine foliage. It tillers out close to the ground and makes a very fine sod.

ROUGH STALKED MEADOW GRASS
(Poa trivialis)
This variety is highly recommended for pasture mixtures. In rich, deep, moist land and heavy clays it gives a continual supply of very nutritious pasture and is preferred by most all stock to many of the other grasses.

TALL MEADOW OAT GRASS
(Avena eiatlor)
This is a very hardy perennial grass which stands extremes of both heat and cold very well. It makes a very strong growth the first season and is very desirable for pasture.

ITALIAN RYE GRASS
(Lolium italicum)
This is a biennial variety, flowering in June or July and growing 1 1/2 to 3 feet high. It seems to be more specially adapted for pasture mixtures of short duration. It makes a very quick growth.

TALL FESCUE
This is a tall growing grass, reaching a height of 3 to 4 feet under favorable conditions, coarse growing and leaves quite broad. It does best on rich, clay soils, on which it produces very heavily.

FOWL MEADOW GRASS or FLOATING FESCUE
This is a tall growing grass, sometimes reaching a height of 5 feet, that especially thrives in low, wet places and along ditches where other grasses will not grow, and, owing to its weakness and heaviness of stems, usually bends over, floating on the surface of the water.

FINE LEAVED SHEEP'S FESCUE
(Festuca ovina tenifolia)
This, as the name implies, is quite similar to the Sheep's Fescue, but produces a much finer grass, and is quite a favorite with all kinds of stock.

RED OR CREEPING FESCUE
(Festuca rubra)
This variety, as its name indicates, is of a creeping character and on account of its very deep rooting tendency stands severe droughts remarkably well, remaining green when other varieties are pretty well dried up. It is, therefore, especially adapted for dry pastures and produces a good amount of grass medium quality.

VARIOUS LEAVED FESCUE
This variety is used to a considerable extent in some sections in pasture mixtures and also for lawn grass mixtures. It is sometimes used for hay, making a very heavy growth.

MEADOW FESCUE
A strong perennial grass with long, fibrous roots. The seed stalks reach a height of 1 to 2 feet on upland soil, but on rich, black bottom lands it will reach 3 feet or more.

HARD FESCUE
This is a very hardy, dwarf growing variety, valuable for pastures and also considerably used for lawn mixtures. It succeeds in light and medium soils, and will stand protracted droughts better than most other varieties.

SHEEP'S FESCUE
This variety, as the name implies, is used largely for sheep pasture, being well adapted for dry, upland pastures and greatly relished by sheep as well as other stock.

CREeping BENT GRASS or FIORIN
This is a grass suited to most localities, growing to a height of 1 to 2 1/2 feet. It is of a creeping nature, the roots spreading under the surface. It is very desirable in permanent mixtures, is a fine growing grass, and relished by all stock.

RHODE ISLAND BENT GRASS
This variety is quite similar to the Creeping Bent in many ways, except that it has a slight tendency to grow in tufts. It will, however, thrive on poorer soil than the Creeping Bent, but does not produce as heavy.

SWEET SCENTED VERNAL
This is one of the very earliest pasture grasses. It makes a very thick turf and is considerably used in pasture mixtures, being very desirable for its fragrance.

WOOD MEADOW GRASS
This variety is especially adapted to growth in wooded and shady places, and for such spots is used to considerable extent for pastures. It is also used in mixtures for shaded lawns.

CRESTED DOGSTAIL
This is a very desirable variety for hard, dry soils, being very hardy and not greatly affected by extremes of temperature. It is very nutritious, and while young is greatly relished by all stock.
Metcalf's Farm Seeds

**Alpha Barley**

This variety was originated at Cornell Agricultural College and the best seed is grown near there in Cayuga County, where we secure our supply.

This is a two-row barley with long heads and large, plump, heavy grain. The best variety to raise with Oats, as it matures at the same time.

**Ask for sample**

All of our Clover seed that we sell is the very highest grade—domestic grown—and what is most important, comes from the Northwest. We do not sell southern or imported Clover Seed.

**See price list enclosed**

Metcalf's Perfect Ensilage Corn

Our corn is grown for us under the most careful supervision in those sections producing the best seed corn, and comes to us in the very best possible condition.

Metcalf's Perfect Ensilage is the greatest ensilage corn today. Selecting your variety of Ensilage Corn is a big and difficult problem these days. It is hard to find a corn that will do for husking and also make a perfect ensilage corn, but in the variety of corn that we sell under the name of Metcalf’s Perfect Ensilage Corn we know we have found one.

There are lots of good ensilage corns that will produce a large amount of tonnage to the acre, but with the high price of protein feed at the present time, it is not always advisable to sow the corn that produces the most tons, but the one that produces the largest amount of corn in the ensilage.
Metcalf's Perfect Ensilage Corn

This is a hybrid variety, some of the kernels being quite red and some with more of a yellow cast. Big, deep, thick kernels, sinking far into the small cob that it has, makes it a wonderful corn to grow for feed.

If planted and cultivated both ways, as you would a field of husking corn, we have seen this corn fit to pick in ninety days right in the vicinity of Syracuse. If it is to be grown for ensilage purposes and planted in rows close together and cultivated one way only, the corn will grow much taller, but will not ripen as quickly. We have seen it ready to put in the silo in a hundred days.

Most of the farmers in our locality like to plant a corn for the silo and still be able to go through and snap off some of the ripe ears of corn in the fall to feed to their pigs, etc.

There is a great deal of difference in the silage made from two different kinds of corn. With the high cost of feed, farmers are looking for corn that has the most good, solid ears as well as the biggest amount of foliage, or leaves.

You can reduce your feed bills by planting Metcalf's Perfect Ensilage Corn.

This corn is examined carefully during the growing season, is sorted and put through a drying system that takes the moisture out so that it will keep well, and every bag is stenciled by us with the above name on, and we will not ship it out unless it shows a germination of 90% or over. It is nothing for us to have corn that grows practically 100%.

The best seed is the cheapest in the long run.

Metcalf's High Grade Ensilage Seed Corn

WEST BRANCH SWEEPSTAKES

This is an ensilage corn that will ripen in most any ordinary season and will make the heaviest possible growth of stalks, foliage and grain, and is what we have all been looking for. It is a variegated corn, some of the kernels being a light yellow and others a very dark red. It is an early corn, still a very heavy yielder. Dairymen like the ensilage made from this corn because it is very rich on account of having so many ears of corn in it.

LUCE'S FAVORITE

One of the very best early maturing fodder corns, a cross between Minnesota King and Yellow Flint, producing the feeding value of the Flint and many of the desirable qualities of Minnesota King; foliage heavy, strong, vigorous grower, the ears are from nine to twelve inches in length, eight-rowed, broad kernels with a slight dent; matures in ninety-five days.

PRIDE OF THE NORTH

Possibly the oldest and best known of the ninety-day Dent Corn, and still one of the most popular over a widespread territory. Pride of the North is a strong grower, with a heavy amount of foliage for so early a corn.

EARLY WONDER

One of the largest growing, early maturing silo corns. This corn is used by many dairymen and has many friends.

LANCASTER COUNTY SURE CROP

This is an ensilage corn that grows tall, has very heavy foliage and develops ears early. The ears are very long and the corn is a reddish yellow color when shelled. The color and length of ears are some of the good qualities of this corn. Matures in about a hundred days.

IMPROVED LEAMING

Possibly the widest used of all fodder corns and a standard variety for years; a vigorous grower with extremely heavy foliage. The ears are from ten to twelve inches long, bearing a high percentage of round cup dents; heavy kernels, medium small cob with medium deep kernels, maturing in about a hundred and ten days.

GOLD MINE

One of the standard medium late varieties, with a good growth of stalk and leaves, the ears running from nine to eleven inches in length and small cob, with extremely deep, thin kernels. Gold Mine is one of the roughest eared corns grown.

CORNELL NO. 11

A newer variety of Dent Corn, which is fast becoming one of the most popular in this territory; the early short, medium deep kernel, with smooth rounded cap, often shows a tendency to run to deep orange and is said to possess high feeding qualities; matures in about ninety days.
High Grade Ensilage Seed Corn

LATE EUREKA
The largest growing ensilage corn in existence, is grown in Virginia, has very large, flat, square kernels. Strictly a white corn. If you want quantity instead of quality this is the kind to raise.

EARLY EUREKA
A standard variety of white corn with widespread use for fodder purposes, medium rough ears, good length kernels with a fair-sized white cob; the stalk is a vigorous grower with heavy foliage, maturing ears in about a hundred and five days.

GOLDEN GLOW
This is a corn about the size of Pride of the North, makes fully as much silage, or more, ripens about the same time and has a much nicer ear. It is not as rough in the ear as Pride of the North, grain is a little shorter and more plump, and it is a little more highly colored than some of the other corns.

WHITE CAP YELLOW DENT
A ninety to ninety-five day corn, used very largely as a fodder corn in the eastern and Ontario districts; foliage heavy, the ears from eight to eleven inches in length, the kernels medium deep, smooth, white cap and straw-colored tip.

CUBAN GIANT
One of the best white corns for ensilage purposes, has rough ears about ten inches long with white cob, has a good tall stalk with lots of foliage. Matures in about a hundred days.

LAKE ERIE DENT
A big, yellow ensilage corn, has large ears, big kernels and very vigorous stalks, ripens in about a hundred and five days.

EARLY MASTODON
A good, large fodder corn with good-sized cobs, medium deep kernels, smooth white cap with light yellow tips, maturing in about one hundred and five or ten days.

LONGFELLOW YELLOW FLINT
The standard and best known of the Yellow Flints, one of the best of all Flint varieties; the stalk is of good height and extremely resistant to adverse weather conditions; ears are long, eight-rowed, smooth kernels, medium size cob, maturing in ninety days.

REID’S YELLOW DENT
One of the older types of yellow silo corn, has big, broad kernels and ripens in about a hundred days. Very good for ensilage purposes.

BLOODY BUTCHER
Is a large, red ensilage corn; has long, narrow kernels set deep into the white cob. Ears are about 8 inches long; lots of foliage on the stalk; excellent for ensilage purposes.

90-DAY GOLDEN DENT
One of the earliest yellow dent corns, has a red cob with narrow-pointed kernels. Ripens in about ninety days. Is very good for husking or ensilage use.

Flint or Husking Corn

LONGFELLOW YELLOW FLINT
Very similar to Longfellow and oftentimes showing a tendency to run a little deeper orange color.

SANFORD WHITE FLINT
This is a standard and well known White Flint Corn and is practically the only white Flint Corn sold. It grows to a good height, has large ears and a big, flat kernel, maturing in about a hundred days.

CANADA SMUTNOSE
Large Yellow Flint has a marked tendency for the top of the corn to break out from the husk and become red or bronze color; ten to thirteen inches in length, eight-rowed and one of the best Flint varieties.

KING PHILIP
A large red Flint Corn, eight-rowed, smooth cap, ears about eleven to twelve inches long, a very good fodder Flint variety, drought-resistant, and maturing in about eighty days.
ASPARAGUS

PALMETTO—A good one to market for profit, large size, dark green, heavy yielding, and comes early.

GIANT ARGENTEUIL—Adapted to home garden, has large and tender stalks and dark green color.

BARR’S MAMMOTH—This brand has large green shoots and they grow the entire season.

MARTHA WASHINGTON—The most rust-resistant of any, yields larger dark green stalks than the common varieties.

MARY WASHINGTON—The one best asparagus of all, long, thick shoots, dark green and tender. The last word in Asparagus.

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ARTICHOKE

The seed we offer is that of the true or Globe artichoke.

GREEN GLOBE—Price, Pkt., 10c; Oz., 45c; 2 Oz., 80c; ½ Lb., $1.55.

BEANS

No crop responds more readily than Beans to good soil and cultivation.

We give careful attention to selecting and improving the different varieties and keeping them pure and we invite the most careful comparison of our stocks with those of any other seedsman.

DWARF OR BUSH—WAX PODDED SORTS

GOLDEN WAX, IMPROVED—Closely resembles Golden Wax, differing only in having a shorter, stouter and more straight, flat pod. Plant is a trifle shorter and apparently not as productive as the old style.

DAVIS WAX—This is also called Davis White Kidney Wax. It is a well known market sort, much used for shipping. The pods are remarkably long, about six inches, sometimes longer. They are hand-

CHALLENGE DWARF BLACK WAX—The plants, although small, are compact and erect, bearing pods well up from the ground. The pods are an attractive medium yellow in color, medium sized, about four and one-quarter inches long, roundish oval, considerably curved, fleshy, crisp, tender and stringless.

MICHIGAN WHITE WAX—A white seeded Golden Wax. An excellent variety, very early, pods 4½ to 5 inches long, oval in form, broad, meaty and stringless; color light golden yellow.

CURLIE’S RUSTPROOF WAX—The pods are light yellow; similar in shape to Golden Wax but longer. Seed oval, purplish black. This is a well known market gardening and trucker’s sort.

REFUGEE WAX—Stringless. A popular canner’s variety. Mid-season, very hardy, vigorous and productive. Pods 4½ to 5 inches long, slender, regularly curved, round, well filled, with no depressions; fleshy, fine grained and excellent quality. Color pale yellow.
BEANS

PENCIL POD BLACK WAX—This very handsome black wax sort is medium early, one of the best sorts for home use and for near markets where highest quality is desired. Pods five and one-half to six inches, straight, round, fleshy and of a bright yellow color. They are tender, absolutely stringless and are produced through a long season.

HODSON WAX—This variety is very well adapted for market gardening purposes on account of its vigor of growth, productiveness, and freedom from bean diseases. The pods are handsome, clear creamy white, very long, about six to seven inches.

UNRIVALLED WAX—The pods of this dwarf variety are longer than Golden Wax and a little lighter in color, are rather narrow and somewhat flattened but fleshy.

WARDWELL’S KIDNEY WAX—This standard variety, maturing a little later than Golden Wax, yields a large crop of long, nearly straight, broad, light golden yellow, handsome pods. Seed large, flattened, kidney shaped, white with dark markings about the eye.

HAPACULTURAL—One of the best dwarf sorts for green shell beans for the home garden and market, can be used early as a green podded snap bean.

REFUGEE OR THOUSAND TO ONE—A standard very productive sort, highly esteemed for late planting for snaps and very extensively used for shipping, canning and pickling.

DWARF LIMAS

BURPEE’S IMPROVED BUSH LIMA—This is a little the earliest maturing of the large seeded limas. The plants are vigorous and productive. The pods are medium green, very large, about five inches long, thick and usually contain four beans, which are unusually thick, of largest size and of excellent quality.

FORDHOOK BUSH LIMA—An improved dwarf lima of the Kumerle type. It is sometimes called Potato Bush Lima. The pods are about four and three-fourths inches long and each contains three to five large beans of exceptionally fine quality.

HENDERSON’S BUSH—A vigorous, hardy, very early small type of Bush Lima; much in favor with canners. Pods small, about 3 inches long, containing three to four small, flat, white beans of good quality.

DREER’S BUSH—A thick seeded, or potato type, of Dwarf Lima; equally productive with Burpee’s, but a week later; of high quality.

POLE LIMAS

KING OF THE GARDEN LIMA—The vines of this standard pole lima are very vigorous and productive. The pods are medium dark green, very large, five to six inches long, broad, flat, filled with four or five very large white beans of finest quality.

SEIBERT’S EARLY LIMA—Pods are medium green, large, flat, about five inches long, moderately curved. The green shell beans are very large, very tender and of finest quality. Seed ovoid, flat, with slight greenish tinge.

WHITE DUTCH RUNNER—Same general habit as Scarlet Runner; pods slightly larger; flowers and beans white.

SCARLET RUNNER—On the order of limas; grown mostly in America for its ornamental, bright scarlet flowers.
KENTUCKY WONDER WAX—The pods are very long, handsome, light yellow, often eight to nine inches in length.

GOLDEN CLUSTER WAX—An excellent pole wax-podded sort; early, vigorous, hardy and productive. Pods 5½ to 6 inches long, extremely straight and flat; very fleshy, fine-grained, attractive and good quality; color light waxy-yellow. Beans white, oval-shaped.

DUTCH CASE KNIFE—The vines of this well known green podded kidney bean, for green shell use, are of good climbing habit. The pods are very long, seven to eight inches, flat, irregular, medium green.

LAZY WIFE—Good shell beans; long, thick, stringless pods.

KENTUCKY WONDER OR OLD HOMESTEAD—The most popular green-podded, climbing or corn-hill bean; early and productive. Pods 8 to 9 inches long, very slender, decidedly curved, slightly stringy, tender and good quality.

LONDON HORTICULTURAL OR SPECKLED CRANBERRY—One of the best of the horticultural varieties as a general purpose late green shell bean for home or market. The pods are medium length, pale green when young, becoming, as they mature, yellowish green striped or splashed with red. The beans are large, flesh-colored, splashed and spotted with wine-red and of the highest quality, either green or dry.

BEETS

1 Oz. for 50 Feet. 8 Lbs. per Acre

The best results are obtained on a deep, rich sandy loam. If wanted very early sow in hotbeds and transplant, cutting off the outer leaves. For general crop sow in freshly prepared soil as soon as the ground will permit. When the plants are well established thin out to six inches apart in the row.

BOSTON CROSBY—An exceptionally good selection from Crosby’s Egyptian, with smaller top and tap root, very uniform globe shape, rich dark red color.

EXTRA EARLY EGYPTIAN BLOOD TURNIP—This is the best variety for forcing. It is also excellent for first early crop outdoors, being very early, with small tops.

DETROIT DARK RED—We believe this is the best beet for the market and home garden, and on account of its uniformly deep rich color, the most desirable for canning.

EARLY WONDER—A selection also from Crosby’s Egyptian, and while a little later, is a very fine beet for bunching.

CROSBY’S EGYPTIAN—This very desirable table beet resembles the original Egyptian in its extreme earliness. The tops are small. The roots are flattened globe-shaped and very smooth. The exterior color of the root is bright red. The flesh of our strain is bright vermillion-red.

EARLY ECLIPSE—An early beet, especially desirable for the home garden and used for bunching. The tops are small. The roots are bright deep red, smooth, round or slightly top shaped with a small top and small collar.
BEET

EDMANS EARLY BLOOD TURNIP—A desirable second early market beet, suitable also for the home garden. Crisp, tender, sweet and an excellent keeper.

EARLY BLOOD TURNIP (Improved) — An early selected stock of Blood Turnip. The roots are dark red and nearly round or slightly flattened. The flesh is deep red, zoned with lighter shade, sweet, crisp and tender.

LONG DARK BLOOD—A standard long late variety of very good quality which keeps well through the winter.

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SWISS CHARD

LUCULLUS—This kind of beet is grown exclusively for the numerous fleshy, tender leaves and leaf stalks, which are superior to those of other beets for use as greens. Price—Oz., 10c; 4 Ozs., 30c; ½ Lb., 50c; Lb., 80c.

MANGEL WURZEL

GIANT FEEDING SUGAR BEET OR HALF SUGAR MANGEL—Desirable for stock feeding, affording not only a very large crop but also having higher nutritive value, being especially rich in sugar. The roots are light bronze green above ground, grayish white below, with white flesh.

IMPROVED YELLOW OVOID—Yellow-fleshed, very productive and is sweet and fine-grained; fine keeper.

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The heads resemble somewhat a coarse cauliflower and the culture is the same in all essentials as for that vegetable.

EARLY LARGE WHITE FRENCH—The plants are very hardy, vigorous and easily grown. The heads are white, compact, hard and of good quality. Price—Pkt., 15c; Oz., 60c; 4 Oz., $1.75.

ITALIAN GREEN SPROUTING—This variety is very much in demand right now. Heads are large, solid and remain green. After main head is cut a number of sprouts develop and form small heads. Price—Pkt., 15c; 1/4 Oz., 35c; Oz., $1.00.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS

Plant resembles the cabbage, the edible part being the numerous very small heads or sprouts, an inch or two in diameter, formed on the stalk at each leaf joint.

LONG ISLAND IMPROVED—This is a fine strain of sprouts grown extensively for the New York market, where they bring a good price, especially during the winter. The plants produce a large crop of tightly folded sprouts of delicious, sweet flavor. Choice Long Island grown seed. Pkt. 10c; Oz., 35c; 4 Ozs., $1.00; 1/2 Lb., $2.25.

CABBAGE

1 Oz. Will Produce 1,500 Plants

For many years cabbage seed has been a leading specialty with us. Our cabbage seeds are all grown from approved stock seeds. We believe there is no seed that is more reliable, nor any that can be more implicitly depended upon to give planters uniformly satisfactory results.

The requisites for complete success with cabbage are: First, good seed. In this crop the quality of the seed used is of the greatest importance. Second, rich, well prepared ground. A heavy, moist and rich loam is most suitable. Third, frequent and thorough cultivation. The ground should be highly manured and worked deep.

FIRST EARLY SORTS

GOLDEN ACRE—The earliest cabbage of all, maturing a week earlier than Early Jersey Wakefield and fully two weeks ahead of Copenhagen Market. Heads round, of medium size and firm. One of the best varieties for the early garden or market.

COPENHAGEN MARKET—The earliest large round or flathead sort. The ripening is early and uniform, maturing at one time and almost with Early Jersey Wakefield.

EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD—This most excellent variety is the earliest of the pointed-head type cabbage for the market and home garden. The plants are exceedingly hard, not only in resisting cold, but other unfavorable conditions. They are compact and erect or very slightly spreading. The stem is short. The heads are of medium size, very solid, uniformly pointed and of excellent quality.

EARLY FLAT DUTCH—Earlier and heads somewhat smaller than Late Flat Dutch; a good, short-stemmed second early.

GLORY OF ENKHXUIZEN—This second early variety is very sure heading and of excellent quality. The plants are of vigorous growth, with large, rather spreading outer leaves which are noticeably curved and frilled. The heads are very nearly round, very solid and of large size for so early a variety.

ALL HEAD EARLY—This excellent, second early market sort produces heads that are very large for so early a cabbage and of very good quality. It is desirable not only for general spring planting, but by planting late it can be used as a fall and early winter cabbage. The variety is well adapted for kraft. The plants are compact, with few outer leaves. The stem is short. The heads are solid and flat, but very deep. Our strain is of special value.

AROMATIC, MEDICINAL AND POT HERBS

ANISE—Price—Pkt., 10c; Oz., 35c.

BASIL—Price—Pkt., 10c; Oz., 20c.

CARAWAY—Price—Pkt., 10c; Oz., 20c.

CATNIP—Price—Pkt., 10c.

DILL—Price—Pkt., 10c; Oz., 30c; Lb., 80c.

FENNEL, SWEET—Price—Pkt., 10c; Oz., 25c.

HOREHOUND—Price—Pkt., 10c; Oz., 50c.

HYSSOP—Price—Pkt., 10c; Oz., 25c.

LAVENDER—Price—Pkt., 10c; Oz., 35c; 1/4 Lb., $1.50.

MARJORAM, SWEET—Price—Pkt., 10c; Oz., 50c.

ROSEMARY—Price—Pkt., 10c; 1/2 Oz., 35c.

SAFFRON—Price—Pkt., 10c; Oz., 25c.

SAGE—Price—Pkt., 10c; 1/2 Oz., 20c; Oz., 35c.

SAVORY, SUMMER—Price—Pkt., 10c; Oz., 30c.

THYME—Price—Pkt., 10c; 1/2 Oz., 40c; Oz., 70c.

WORMWOOD—Price—Pkt., 10c; Oz., 30c.
IMPORTED DANISH BALL HEAD

CABBAGE

EARLY WINNINGSTADT—A fine variety for the garden, heads pointed medium size, hard and of a dark green color, and a very good keeper.

FOTTLER'S IMPROVED BRUNSWICK—An early short stemmed Drumhead of large size, following closely the Jersey Wakefield in season; one of the finest varieties.

ALL SEASONS—A very desirable large cabbage of intermediate season, adapted for autumn as well as late summer use, and considered one of the most desirable for kraut. The plants are very vigorous and sure heading. The heads are nearly round or somewhat flattened, very solid and of excellent quality. It is remarkable for its ability to stand the hot sun and dry weather, remaining an exceptionally long time in condition for use. Sometimes sold as Vandergaw.

DANISH BALL HEAD—Very hardy, sure heading, very solid, of good quality and is one of the very best keepers and is particularly desirable for distant markets or for late spring use. The plants are vigorous and compact, with stem of medium length. They are exceedingly hardy in resisting cold and stand dry weather well. The leaves are distinctly upright in growth, few but rather large, long and narrow, thick, smooth, bluish green covered with whitish bloom. The heads are medium sized, round, exceptionally solid and stand shipment better than any other late sort.

PREMIUM LATE FLAT DUTCH—The plants are very hardy, comparatively slow growing but very sure heading; stem rather short. The plants are exceptionally vigorous. The heads are uniformly large, often very large, flat but deep, distinctly flattened on top and of excellent quality.

DRUMHEAD SAVOY CABBAGE—This is the largest heading and best all around Savoy. Plants are strong in growth, having a number of center leaves growing closely about the large solid heads of finest flavor.

IMPROVED AMERICAN SAVOY—The plants are vigorous, of medium size, with rather short stem, and are very sure heading.

CHINESE IMPROVED or PE-TSAI—The strain we offer resembles when well grown Cos Lettuce rather than Cabbage. It is often called Celery Cabbage on the market.

MAMMOTH RED ROCK—The largest and surest heading red cabbage. The plants are large and vigorous, with medium length stem. The heads are late maturing, large, round, very solid and of very attractive deep red color. The variety is much used for cold slaw and pickling.

CARROT

For an early crop sow as soon as danger from frost is over. For a late crop sow in May or June, in rows 1 foot apart.

DANVERS HALF LONG—A half long orange carrot, roots of medium length, six to eight inches long, tapering uniformly to a blunt point. The flesh is deep orange, tender and of good quality.

CHANTENAY CORELESS—A most excellent, medium early, half long variety. It is one of the best in quality for the market and home garden, while its great productiveness and the ease with which it can be harvested make it desirable as a field sort. The tops are medium sized with small neck. The mature roots are thick, five and one-half to six inches in length, uniformly half long or stump-rooted but tapering slightly, smooth, deep orange-red in color, and coreless.
METCALF'S TESTED SEEDS

CARROT

GUERANDE OR OX HEART—Especially desirable for soil so hard and stiff that longer rooted sorts would not thrive in it. The tops are comparatively small. The mature roots are four and one-half to five inches long, very thick, ending abruptly in a small tap root.

IMPROVED LONG ORANGE—The roots of the improved strains of this variety we offer are very deep orange, long and comparatively thick, often twelve inches in length and three inches in diameter at the crown, tapering regularly to a point. The tops are rather large.

HUTCHEINSON—Grows 12 to 15 inches long and gives a very heavy tonnage. The best stock feeding carrot.


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CAULIFLOWER

All the cauliflower seed we offer is produced by the most experienced growers in Europe, in such localities as are best suited to its proper development and the greatest care is taken to save seed from perfectly developed plants only.

EARLY SNOWBALL—Unquestionably the earliest maturing strain of the true short-leaved Snowball type of cauliflower. It is admirably adapted for forcing or wintering over for early crop and is the most popular sort for those purposes, also one of the best for late summer and fall crop. Early Snowball is, moreover, a most desirable sort for the home garden. The plants are compact, with few short outside leaves, and are well suited for close planting. The heads are of medium to large size, compact, round, very white and curd-like and are developed earlier than those of any other sort.

EXTRA EARLY DWARF ERFURT—A remarkably sure heading early cauliflower. It is of dwarf habit with short outside leaves and is similar in most respects to Early Snowball, and nearly as early. The heads, when ready for market, are of medium to large size.

DANISH GIANT, DRY WEATHER—An excellent second early variety especially adapted for growing in the open ground. Recommended for localities subject to long, dry seasons, as it will often produce heads of fine quality under these conditions while other sorts are total failures. Heads of medium to large size, very solid, pure white and of fine quality.

CAULIFLOWER

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CELEY

See to it that the seed is not covered too deep and that the bed is kept moist, almost wet, until the seeds germinate, as plenty of moisture is essential to get a satisfactory growth. The seed will not germinate well if planted in a hotbed or where subjected to a temperature above 60° F. When the plants are one to two inches high, thin out and transplant so that they may stand two or three inches apart each way. When they are four inches high, cut off the tops, which will cause the plants to grow stocky. Plants are usually set out when about five inches high. It is well to cut off the lower half of the roots before transplanting.

GOLDEN YELLOW SELF-BLANCHING—This is the standard celery for early use. It is in condition as early in the fall as any and we have yet to find a strain better in quality and appearance than our stock of Golden Yellow Self-Blanching. It is excellent for the home garden. The plants are of medium size, compact and stocky, with yellow green foliage. As they mature the inner stems and leaves turn beautifully golden yellow so that blanching is effected at a minimum expenditure of time and labor. Its handsome color, crispness, tenderness, freedom from stringiness, and fine nutty flavor have established it as a superior fine early sort.

EASY BLANCHING—A recent introduction of merit. It is a vigorous grower, of medium dwarf height, stalks thick, quality excellent. A most desirable variety for the amateur, as it blanches easily and is one of the best keepers. Second early, can be grown for winter and spring use.

WHITE PLUME—A handsome, very early variety. The leaves are light, bright green at base, shading nearly white at tips. As the plants mature the inner stems and leaves turn white, and should be earthed up a short time before they are in condition for use.
CELEBRITY

GIANT PASCAL—This is a green leaved variety developed from the Golden Yellow Self-Blanching and we recommend it as being of the very best quality for fall and early winter use for the home garden and market. It blanches to a beautiful yellowish white color, is very solid and crisp, and of a fine nutty flavor. The stalks are of medium height, very thick, the upper portion nearly round, but broadening and flattening toward the base.

COLUMBIA—An early maturing sort of most excellent shape and quality for the home market and private garden. It is extensively grown for shipment. The plant is of medium but very stocky and heavy. The stalks are thick, almost round, resembling in shape those of Giant Pascal.

GOLDEN PLUME OR WONDERFUL—A very fine new celery, a week earlier, blanches more easily, and more resistant to blight than Golden Self-Blanching. While it grows to a large size, it still has that rich nutty flavor.

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CELERIAC — Turnip, rooted. Pkt., 10c; Oz., 30c.
CHICKORY — Large, rooted. Pkt., 10c; Oz., 20c.
CHIVES — Pkt., 10c; Oz., 75c.
COLLARD — Georgia. Pkt., 10c; Oz., 15c.
CHERVIL — Curled. Witloof. Pkt., 10c; Oz., 15c.
CORN SALAD — Fetticus. Pkt., 10c; Oz., 15c.

CORN

SWEET OR TABLE VARIETIES

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<td>GOLDEN SUNSHINE</td>
<td>An earlier Golden Bantam. Sunshine is ready for market one week before Golden Bantam. Ears same size as Bantam, but 12-rowed instead of 8. Good color, high quality grain.</td>
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<td>GOLDEN BANTAM</td>
<td>This is an early sweet corn with golden yellow grain, very tender and of excellent quality. The ears are eight-rowed, six to seven inches long and of the medium size found most suitable for the table. The flavor is exceedingly rich and delicious. Our stock of this splendid home garden and market variety has been very carefully selected and is decidedly superior to much that is offered.</td>
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<td>WHIPPLE'S EARLY WHITE</td>
<td>This sweet corn has all of the good qualities of Stowell's Evergreen, but will mature from two to three weeks earlier. Very tender and sweet.</td>
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<td>WHIPPLE'S EARLY YELLOW</td>
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<td>CHARLEVOIX</td>
<td>A very early large yellow sweet corn, maturing a few days later than Golden Bantam but remaining in condition much longer. Ears about 7 inches long, usually twelve-rowed; grain rather short, sweet and tender.</td>
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<td>MAMMOTH WHITE CORY</td>
<td>We consider this one of the best extra early varieties for the market and home garden. The ears are very large for so early a variety. The stalks are about four feet high, each generally bearing two large, finely shape ears which become fit for use as early as those of any variety.</td>
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<td>BLACK MEXICAN</td>
<td>This corn, when young, cooks remarkably white, but the ripe grain is bluish black. For home use we consider it the best second early sort where tenderness and sweetness are the qualities most desired.</td>
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GOLDEN GIANT—A cross between Golden Bantam and Howling Mob, which matures about a week later than Golden Bantam. The ears are from six to seven inches long.

EARLY EVERGREEN—This excellent sort has proven its merit as the best evergreen strain that is distinctly earlier than Stowell's. The strain we offer has to a remarkable degree all the qualities that have made Stowell's Evergreen the leading main crop sweet corn for so long a time. The ears of Early Evergreen are about seven and one-half inches long, with fourteen to twenty more or less irregular rows of very deep, white grain of the very best quality.

EARLY MINNESOTA—This deservedly popular variety is one of the best second early sorts for the market and the home garden. The stalks are about six feet high, bearing one or two ears well covered with husks. The ears are about eight inches long, eight-rowed; kernels very broad, white, sweet and tender.

BANTAM EVERGREEN—A cross between Golden Bantam and Stowell's Evergreen, retaining the fine quality of the Bantam and the large ear and tender skin of the Evergreen.

COUNTRY GENTLEMAN—This variety has a small white cob, densely covered with irregular rows of very long, slender white grains of excellent quality. The ears are seven to nine inches long. It is well adapted for canning as well as the home garden and market, and many consider it as the best of the late varieties.

STOWELL'S EVERGREEN—The standard main crop variety, much used for the home garden, market and canning. It is hardy and productive, very tender and sugary, remaining a long time in condition suitable for boiling. The ears are about seven to eight inches long, fourteen to twenty rowed, with very white grain.

HICKOX IMPROVED—The whitest of all sweet corn and of high quality; an extremely long ear, 12 to 14-rowed. A valuable canning sort.

PERRY'S HYBRID—A little later than Minnesota; productive, usually two ears to the stalk; ears 8 inches long, 12-rowed and sweet, with often a pink or red cob.

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**PRICES OF CORN**

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1 Oz. for 50 Hills

Plant the seed not over an inch deep in hills four to six feet apart each way, dropping fifteen to twenty seeds in a hill. After the plants begin to crowd and danger from the striped beetle is pretty well over, thin to three plants to the hill. Give frequent but shallow cultivation until the plants make runners so long that this is impracticable.

EARLY CLUSTER—An early and very productive variety. The vines are hardy and very vigorous, bearing fruit in clusters of two or three. The fruits are short, thick, bright green, shading lighter at blossom end, crisp and tender. This sort is planted in many sections for the home garden. It is extensively used for a pickling cucumber as well as for slicing.

EARLY FRAME, or SHORT GREEN—Vigorous and productive; medium in size and earliness; good for pickling and slicing; fruit light green and is inclined to be three-cornered rather than round.

CHICAGO PICKLING—The fruits of this very desirable sort are of medium length, tapering at each end, with very large and prominent spines. The color is deep green. This is a very prolific variety and one of the best for those who want crisp, coarsely spined pickles.

BOSTON PICKLING—This variety is between the Long and the Short Green, forming a long, slender, cylindrical deep green pickle which is very crisp and tender. The vines are very vigorous and productive. The mature fruits are usually about eight to nine inches in length. This sort is desirable for slicing as well as for pickling.

EARLY WHITE SPINE—One of the best sorts for table use. The vines are vigorous, fruiting early and abundantly. The fruits are uniformly straight, dark green, fairly well covered with white spines and when mature are usually about seven inches in length. The flesh is crisp, tender and of excellent quality.

WHITE SPINE, ARLINGTON IMPROVED—One of the earliest and most productive, true to type and uniform of the White Spine family; fruit about 7 inches long.

EARLY FORTUNE—An excellent shipping variety, producing very attractive fruits of rich dark green color. The fruits average uniformly about nine inches long, cylindrical or slightly tapered at end. The seed cavity is small and the flesh thick, crisp and tender. Plants vigorous growing and productive.

DAVIS PERFECT—Fruits very deep green in color, rather long, averaging ten inches or more in length, white spined, quite slender, symmetrical, tapering slightly at both ends. Flesh is crisp, tender and of good quality. The seed cavity is small.

IMPROVED LONG GREEN—The stock we offer under this name is in a class by itself. The vines are very vigorous and productive. The fruits are very long, often twelve to fifteen inches when mature. They are uniformly slender; beautiful dark green color.

JAPANESE CLIMBING—A distinct climbing sort for covering fences or trellises; fruit ten inches long, thick, crisp and fine quality; color dark green.

SMALL GHERKIN (For Pickles)—This is a very small, oval, prickly fruited sort quite distinct from all others and grown exclusively for pickles.

LONGFELLOW—(New). A long, slender, dark green variety equally desirable for greenhouse or out door culture. 12 to 14 inches long by 2 1/2 inches in diameter.
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DANDELION

CULTIVATED OR FRENCH COMMON—A decided improvement on the wild dandelion. It is very early and vigorous.

IMPROVED THICK LEAVED—Unsurpassed in thickness of leaf and deep green color.

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EGG PLANT

Culture—The Egg Plant will thrive well in any good garden soil, but will repay good treatment. The seeds should be sown in hotbed or warm greenhouse in March or April, and when about an inch high, potted in 2-inch pots. Plant out about June 1, 2½ feet apart.

EARLY TENNIS BALL—A. (Seed black.) One of the best heading lettuces, especially desirable for outdoor or summer culture.

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One of the best salads for fall and winter use. Endive is not only much used for salads and garnishing, but is also desirable for greens and for flavoring soups and stews.

LARGE GREEN CURLED—A hardy, vigorous growing endive with bright deep green leaves.

BROAD LEAVED BATAVIAN (Escarole)—A variety having broad, more or less twisted and waved bright deep green leaves with thick, nearly white mid-ribs. The inner leaves form a fairly solid, clustering head, which blanches to a beautiful deep creamy white and is crisp and tender.

EARLY WHITE CURLED—The plants are moderately dense, with divided leaves which are very light yellowish green, even the outer ones being very light. This variety blanches readily to an attractive creamy white.

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FENNEL

FLORENCE—A bulb-like vegetable which is formed above the ground at the base of the leaf stalk if the plant is well grown. Price—Pkt., 10c; Oz., 25c.

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KOHL RABI

The edible part is the turnip-shaped bulb formed above ground. It is tender and excellent when used before fully grown, combining somewhat the flavors of cabbage and turnip.

LEEK

EARLY GREEN CURLED ENDFIVE

This belongs to the onion family and is a good fall and winter substitute for green onions.

LARGE AMERICAN FLAG

Price—Pkt., 10c; Oz., 25c; 4 Ozs., 70c.

LETTUCE

1 Oz. Produces 2,500 Plants

Lettuce, to be at its best, should be grown rapidly, hence the soil should be made as rich and friable as possible by liberal manuring and thoroughly preparation.

Varieties marked A are particularly adapted for culture under glass and for early spring use. Those marked B are especially desirable for outdoor or summer culture.

CABBAGE OR HEADING VARIETIES

MAY KING—A. (Seed white.) This is a handsome, extremely early, compact cabbage or heading variety for the home garden and market, forming very firm heads of medium size and excellent quality. The color is light yellowish green, tinged with reddish brown when mature.

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SALAMANDER—B. (Seed brown.) The variety withstands hot weather remarkably well. It forms a large, compact, light green plant. The leaves are broad, thick, somewhat crumpled and closely overlapping, so that the inner ones are very finely blanched.

UNRIVALLED SUMMER—B. (Seed white.) A large, light, bright green heading lettuce, similar in habit of plant to Big Boston but a trifle earlier, maturing as an outdoor summer variety and having no red or bronze shading on the leaves. Heads are large, firm and of excellent quality.

BIG BOSTON—B. (Seed white.) This market variety is very popular for outdoor culture and is also in demand as a compact, large heading, forcing sort for cold frames. The plants are large, very hardy and vigorous.

CALIFORNIA CREAM BUTTER OR ROYAL SUMMER CABBAGE—B. (Seed brown.) A very reliable heading sort, with glossy, deep green leaves, the outer ones slightly spotted or splashed with brown. The inner leaves form a large, very solid head, rich light yellow in color, very thick, tender and buttery.
LETTUCE

HANSON, IMPROVED (W. S.)—One of the most reliable, sure-heading sorts; heads globular, large and late; leaves large and very broad, fairly blistered and crumpled, borders finely frilled; color clear light green; quality good. A fine variety for midsummer planting outside, as it withstands the hot season better than most sorts and is a slow seeder.

NEW YORK OR WONDERFUL—The largest head lettuce, often weighing two pounds each. It is a slow grower, stands hot weather well, and forms a head of very excellent quality.

ICEBERG (W. S.)—A large, late, crisp, cabbage-heading variety; heads very firm and hard and well blanched; leaves unusually broad and somewhat blistered and crumpled; borders finely frilled; color, light green with faint brown tracing on the border; quality good.

LOOSE LEAF VARIETIES

GRAND RAPIDS—A. (Seed black.) As a lettuce for greenhouse forcing this variety undoubtedly stand at the head of the list, being of quick growth, hardy, little liable to rot and remaining in condition several days after being fit to cut. The plant is upright and forms a loose cluster of large, thin, bright green leaves, savoyed, finely crimped at edges. The leaves do not wilt quickly after cutting, so that the variety will stand shipping long distances better than most sorts. It is a very attractive variety and is desirable for garnishing.

SIMPSON'S EARLY CURLED—B. (Seed white.) A very extensively used early loose leaved or clustering variety. The leaves are light green in color, slightly frilled and much blistered, crisp, sweet and tender. The sort is especially adapted for sowing thickly and cutting when the plants are young.

LETTUCE SPECIAL

FOR 1931

METCALF'S WHITE BIG BOSTON

A wonderful head lettuce, similar to Big Boston, but much lighter green in color and without any brown tinge. A very valuable early sort for growing on muck.

Price per pound, $2.00 lb.
In lots of 5 pounds, $1.90 per lb.

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**GREEN-FLESHED VARIETIES**

**JENNY LIND**—An extra early, green-fleshed melon; fruit round and flattened at the ends, deeply ribbed and heavily netted.

**EXTRA EARLY HACKENSACK**—This early green-fleshed variety is popular in many sections as a market melon and is also extensively used as a home garden sort. The fruits are medium to large sized, nearly round or somewhat flattened, evenly and deeply ribbed and with very coarse netting. The skin is green, slightly tinged with yellow as the fruits mature. The flesh is green, a little coarse but juicy and sweet.

**NETTED GEM OR ROCKY FORD**—This has become one of the most popular of small or crate melons. The vines are vigorous and productive. The fruits are oval, slightly ribbed, densely covered with fine netting. The flesh is green, very sweet and highly flavored.

**HONEYDEW**—This melon requires a longer and warmer season than other melons. Fruits with smooth white rind. Flesh green and thick. Has sweet flavor something like honey. Gather them as soon as they slip from the vines, store in a cool place two or three days, as they are best when apparently over-ripe.

**SALMON-FLESHED**

**EMERALD GEM**—A very early, yellow fleshed melon of small to medium size. One of the very best for the home garden. The vines are vigorous and productive. The fruits are globular or slightly flattened. Skin deep green while young, becoming slightly tinged with yellow. Flesh is deep salmon-yellow, thick, ripening close to the rind, juicy melting, highly flavored.

**EXTRA EARLY OSAGE**—This excellent variety is fully a week earlier than Osage; fruits a little smaller, more nearly round. The thick salmon flesh and small seed cavity makes this melon deserving of a place in the home and market garden.

**THE BENDERS**—Fine variety. Fruits round, deeply ribbed, finely netted; salmon fleshed, delicious flavor.

**HOODOO**—Sometimes sold as Ordway Queen. Orange fleshed, medium size. Vines vigorous, blight-resisting, very productive. The fruits are nearly round and are medium size. The netting is exceptionally fine and dense.

**OSAGE OR MILLER’S GREEN**—An excellent main crop, medium to large, salmon fleshed melon. Flesh rich, orange-salmon, fine grained, highly flavored.

**MONTREAL GREEN NUTMEG**—Very large, often weighing 18 to 20 pounds; fruit round, flattened at both ends, light green.

**CASSABA MELON**—The Cassabas are primarily for winter use. They require a long season for maturing; exceptionally good keepers. Skin is usually furrowed and they possess very little of the common musk melon odor. Seed planted in April or May.

**METCALF’S DELICIOUS**—An early, large, heavily netted melon. Flesh a deep salmon, rich, sweet, juicy. Excellent for the market gardener.

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**GREEN-FLESHED VARIETIES**

**EMERALD GEM**—A round type of Rocky Ford; entirely covered with fine netting and without ribs; flesh green and quality excellent.

**EXTRA EARLY KNIGHT**—The earliest high quality melon and especially adapted for growing in the far North. A medium-sized variety of the Acme type, with oblong fruit distinctly ribbed and well covered with a close gray netting; skin deep green.
ONION

In onion culture, thorough preparation of the ground, careful sowing and the best of after culture, though essential for a full yield, will avail nothing unless seed of the best quality be used.

As early in spring as ground can be worked, sow in rich soil, thoroughly pulverized and levelled in rows twelve to fifteen inches apart, covering one-half inch deep. When the plants are well up, cultivate and keep free from weeds. The young plants may be thinned about one inch apart in the row. When grown for bunching, the rows can be made as close as ten inches.

EBENEZER, OR JAPANESE—A very fine round yellow onion, good keeper and of mild, pleasant flavor. This is one of the best varieties to use in raising onion sets.

SOUTHPORT YELLOW GLOBE—This very hardy and exceedingly productive late or main crop variety is of the same general character as the Southport Red Globe, but the bulbs are rich yellow, average a little larger and are later maturing. The bulbs are globe-shaped with rather full shoulder, ripen down very evenly, keep well and are suitable for shipping. The flesh is creamy white, fine grained and of mild and excellent flavor.

OHIO YELLOW GLOBE—An early Globe onion, small neck and very uniform in size and color. We have an excellent stock of this standard variety.

YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS—One of the most extensively used main crop yellow onions for the home garden and market. The bulbs are of medium to large size, uniformly globe-shaped, with small neck, and ripen very evenly. The skin is rich coppery yellow. The flesh is creamy white, crisp and of mild and excellent flavor.

PRIZETAKER—A very handsome late or main crop onion of the largest size and nearly globular in form, usually with a shoulder and base slightly sloping. The skin is yellowish brown or light yellow, with slight tinge of brown. The flesh is creamy white, very mild, tender and of excellent flavor.

EXTRA EARLY RED—Sometimes called Extra Early Flat Red. The bulbs are firm and keep remarkably well for so early a variety. It is very hardy, medium-sized, flat variety that yields well and is very uniform in shape and size. The skin is uniformly rich purplish red and moderately strong flavored.

LARGE RED WETHERSFIELD—This is the standard red variety and a favorite onion in the East, where immense crops are grown for shipment. It is very extensively grown for home garden use as well as the market. The bulbs are large and are flattened yet quite thick. The skin is deep purplish red. The flesh is light purplish white, moderately fine grained, rather strong but of pleasant flavor. The variety is very productive, one of the best keepers and is very popular for general cultivation.

SOUTHPORT RED GLOBE—This most excellent medium early or main crop red variety produces bulbs of medium to large size, ideally globe-shaped, with very smooth, glossy surface, very small neck and remarkably beautiful deep purplish red color. The flesh is white, tinged with light purple, mild, very fine grained and tender. The variety is extensively grown for home use as well as the market.

SOUTHPORT WHITE GLOBE—A most desirable medium early or main crop variety for the home garden. The variety yields abundantly, producing medium to large handsome and finely shaped clear white bulbs. The flesh is firm, fine grained, quite mild in flavor, and is more attractive than the colored sorts when cooked. The bulbs are globe-shaped, full at the shoulder, rounded at the base, keep well and are desirable for shipping.

WHITE PORTUGAL OR AMERICAN SILVER-SKIN—This is a medium-sized onion of mild flavor and with a beautiful, clear white skin. The variety is a favorite with many for use when young as a salad or bunching onion, and for pickles. It usually matures about ten days earlier than White Globe and is fine for fall and early winter use. The bulbs are nearly round when of bunching size, somewhat flattened when mature.

ONION SETS

RED BOTTOM SETS—Treated precisely as top onions are, setting them out in the spring instead of sowing seed. Price on application.

YELLOW BOTTOM SETS—Like the preceding except in color and used in the same manner. Price on application.

WHITE BOTTOM SETS—These do not keep as well as the red or yellow, but produce beautiful white onions early in the season. Price on application. Write for price when ready to buy.
PARSLEY

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PARSNIP

1 Oz. for 150 Feet

HOLLOW CROWN OR GUERNSEY—An excellent variety for the table. The roots are long, with smooth white skin, uniform in shape, tender and of the best quality. The variety is easily distinguished by the leaves growing from the depression on top or crown of the root. Price—Pkt., 10c; Oz., 15c; 4 Ozs., 30c; ½ Lb., 50c; Lb., 85c.

PEAS

1 to 2 Lbs. to 100 Feet. 2 to 3 Bus. per Acre

We make it our particular business to secure the best strains of the standard varieties of Peas. For years we have purchased our supply from the same grower, and are able to offer any improvements that may be made from time to time. Our list includes the newest and highest types in pea culture.

EARLIEST OF ALL OR ALASKA—We have a stock of this smooth blue pea of unequalled evenness in growth of vine and early maturity of pods which are filled with medium-sized, bright green peas of good flavor. The vines are of medium height, about two and one-half to three feet, and of distinctive light color. The pods are of good size, about two and one-half to two and three-fourths inches long. Seed small, smooth, and bluish green in color. This sort matures all of its crops at once and is an invaluable variety for market gardeners and canners.

AMER (Large Podded Alaska) — Early, large, smooth, blue pea; large, broad, dark green pods. Hardy, standing early planting and popular with market gardeners.

GRADUS—A very early wrinkled pea. The vines are similar in appearance to Telephone, but of medium height, only about three to three and one-half feet. The pods are very large, about four and one-fourth inches long, very nearly as large as those of Telephone, uniformly well shaped, pointed, handsome and more attractive than those of the first earlies. The peas are very large, of splendid quality, and beautiful light green color, which they retain after cooking.

WORLD’S RECORD—This is an improved type of Gradus, but a little earlier and has a vine not quite so tall. Quality fine and very productive.

NOTT’S EXCELSIOR—The best very early dwarf pea. The pods are medium sized, about two and three-fourths inches long. The peas, in sweetness and quality, are unsurpassed. Seed medium-sized, wrinkled, green and somewhat flattened. A most desirable early sort for the market gardener and unsurpassed for the home garden.

SUTTON’S EXCELSIOR IMPROVED—Is a very fine first early dwarf pea, regarded by some as the best of the wrinkled sorts. It is very hardy; can be planted early; vines are 18 inches high, very proliﬁc; pods are almost square at lower end, larger and broader than the usual dwarf pea, and dark green color.

LAXTONIAN—This handsome wrinkled pea is the largest podded of the dwarf varieties. The dark green pods are similar to Gradus in shape and splendid quality, are nearly as large in size and often mature a little earlier. Vines vigorous and productive, averaging fifteen to eighteen inches high; foliage dark green; pods are about four inches in length. Seed light green, large, wrinkled, flattened, irregular in shape.

PLANT ENOUGH PEAS TO CAN

To be at their best, home canned peas should be canned within a few hours after being picked.
BLISS' EVERBEARING—The vines are stout, of medium height, about two and one-half to three inches long, bearing at the top six to ten good-sized pods, about two and one-half to three inches long. If these are picked as they mature and the season and soil are favorable, the plant will throw out branches bearing pods which will mature in succession, thus prolonging the season. The peas are large and wrinkled, tender, of superior flavor and preferred by many to any other sort.

LAXTON'S PROGRESS—The earliest large podded dwarf pea. Resembles Laxtonian, but is 4 to 5 days earlier. Pods 4 inches long, deep green in color, containing 8 large, dark green peas.

LITTLE MARVEL—An excellent dwarf sort for the market and home garden. The vines are sturdy, nearly eighteen inches high, heavily set with straight, deep green pods, square ended at the bottom and nearly three inches in length. Seed large, green, wrinkled.

PREMIUM GEM (Improved Little Gem)—A desirable early green wrinkled dwarf variety. The vines are very productive, fifteen to eighteen inches high. The pods are of medium size, about two and three-fourths inches long, crowded with six to eight large peas of fine quality. Seed large, green, wrinkled, often flattened.

PETER PAN—One of the very finest of the large podded dwarf peas, on the order of Laxtonian, though somewhat earlier. Height 15 inches. Vine and foliage stout, heavy and dark green, 4 inches long, very broad, straight and pointed, containing 6 to 8 very large, dark green peas of superb quality.

BLUE BANTAM—A splendid large-podded dwarf variety of the Laxtonian class. Height 15 inches. Vine and foliage stout and healthy, medium dark green; pointed pods deep green, 4 inches long, broad and straight, containing 6 to 8 deep green peas of excellent quality.

HUNDREDFOLD—Decidedly the best of the Laxtonian types; vine 16 inches high, sturdy, dark green and productive; pods dark green, 4 inches long, fairly broad and pointed, containing 8 large, dark green peas; excellent quality.

THOMAS LAXTON—This is a very early wrinkled variety of great merit. The vines are vigorous, of medium height, about three feet, similar to those of Gradus, but darker in color, hardier and more productive. The pods are large, often four inches long, with square ends similar to but larger and darker than those of Champion of England and as uniformly well filled. The green peas are very large, of fine deep color and unsurpassed in quality. One of the very best sorts for the market and home garden.

AMERICAN WONDER—One of the earliest wrinkled sorts and one of the most popular. Height one foot.

PIONEER—An improved type Laxtonian. Similar to Peter Pan, though the pods are not quite as broad and uniform. Height 16 inches. Foliage, pods and peas dark green; pods 3 3/4 inches long, pointed and well filled.

SECOND EARLY VARIETIES

BLISS' EVERBEARING—The vines are stout, of medium height, about two and one-half to three feet, bearing at the top six to ten good-sized pods, about two and one-half to three inches long. If these are picked as they mature and the season and soil are favorable, the plant will throw out branches bearing pods which will mature in succession, thus prolonging the season. The peas are large and wrinkled, tender, of superior flavor and preferred by many to any other sort.

THE ADMIRAL—The vines of this exceptionally hardy, second early variety, are tall and vigorous, about four feet high. The pods are usually borne in pairs, are curved, bright green, about two and three-quarters inches long and are crowded with six to nine peas of good quality and deep green color. Seed wrinkled, of small medium size, clear colored.

TELEPHONE—This has become the leading pea with market gardeners whose trade appreciate fine appearance and high quality. The vines are tall and vigorous, growing about four feet high, with large, coarse, light colored leaves and producing an abundance of pointed pods of largest size, often four and one-half to five inches long, attractive bright green filled with very large peas, which are tender, sweet and of excellent flavor.

DUKE OF ALBANY—A very large wrinkled pea, similar to Telephone in growth and season, but darker in color of foliage and pods. The vines are tall, about four and one-half to five feet high, vigorous and strong growing. The pods are of largest size, often four and one-half to five inches long, straight and thick, borne in great profusion, and when in condition for picking, of a deep green color.

YORKSHIRE HERO—The vines are stout, of medium height, about two or two and one-half feet, bearing near the top a number of rather broad peas of medium size, about three inches long, filled with large peas that remain a long time in condition for use and which never become as hard as most sorts. Seed large, wrinkled and flattened.

ALDERMAN—This is in many respects the very best early main crop variety of the valuable Telephone type. The vines are tall growing, about four and one-half to five feet high, dark green, vigorous and exceedingly productive. The pods are of largest size, often five to five and one-half inches long, filled with large peas that remain a long time in condition for use and which never become as hard as most sorts. Seed large, wrinkled and flattened.

GREEN ADMIRAL—Identical with The Admiral except in color of seed, which is a rich deep green. An exceptionally desirable variety for canners.
PEAS
LATER VARIETIES

HORSFORD'S MARKET GARDEN — A very productive main crop sort, much used by canners. Height 3 feet. Vine and foliage moderately strong and dark green; pods medium green, 3 inches long, almost blunt-ended and always well filled with 6 to 7 light green peas. Pods borne in pairs.

DWARF CHAMPION — A fine main crop pea. Height 2½ feet. Foliage stout; pods medium dark green, 4 inches long, straight, broad and square-ended, containing 7 to 8 large, medium dark green peas of fine quality.

LARGE BLACKEYE MARROWFAT — A well known tall, late maturing variety, about five feet high. Seed large, smooth, round, light creamy yellow. Desirable for summer use.

LARGE WHITE MARROWFAT — The vines of this tall variety are about five feet high and of strong growth. Seed large, smooth, round and light green peas.

CHAMPION OF ENGLAND — One of the richest, best flavored late peas. Height 5 feet.

STRATEGEM, IMPROVED — A well known old favorite sort. Height 2 feet. Vine and foliage stout and heavy, medium green; pods dark green, 4½ inches long, broad and pointed, containing 8 to 9 medium large green peas.

PRINCE EDWARD — One of the best of the large, dark podded, Telephone types, and one of the most productive. Height 4 feet. Vine and foliage stout and heavy and dark green; pods medium green, 3½ inches long, broad and pointed, containing 8 to 9 very large medium green peas.

PRINCE OF WALES — Heavy cropper; peas very large, of fine quality. Popular with canners wanting a large, productive main crop sort, much used by canners. Height 3 feet. Vine and foliage stout and heavy and dark green; pods dark green, filled with 6 or 7 sweet, tender peas, of excellent flavor. We recommend Prince Edward as one of the best for an early crop.

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LONG RED CAYENNE — A well known medium early variety, having a slender, twisted and pointed pod about four inches long. The color is deep green when fruit is young; bright red when ripe. The flesh is extremely strong and pungent.

RED CHILI — Of low growth, forming a spreading plant about 18 inches high; fruit usually erect, about one and a half inches long, cone-shaped, bright red and very hot; exceedingly prolific; used for pepper sauce.

SWEET VARIETIES

SWEET UPRIGHT — A very early sweet, mild pepper; produced upright, about 4 inches long by 3½ inches across; color glossy green, bright scarlet when ripe.

LITTLE MARVEL

One of the very best dwarf early peas. Pods are dark green, filled with 6 or 7 sweet, tender peas, of excellent flavor. We recommend Little Marvel as one of the best for an early crop.
SWEET PEPPER

LARGE BELL OR BULL NOSE—Sometimes called Sweet Mountain. Vigorous, about two feet high, compact, very productive, ripening their crop uniformly and early. Fruits large, with thick, mild flesh; excellent quality for use as salads or stuffed peppers. Deep green when fruit is young; bright crimson when ripe.

RUBY KING—An improved American variety, very large and attractive. The plants are about two and one-half feet high, vigorous, compact and productive. The fruits are often 4 to 4 1/2 inches long and of deep green color when young, bright red when ripe.

CHINESE GIANT—One of the very largest of the mild red varieties. Plant of short, stocky growth, with light green foliage; fruits pendent, thick, blocky and square ended, 4 to 5 inches in diameter and of equal length; color, brilliant glossy scarlet.

PIMENTO—The fruits of this very productive sort are exceptionally smooth and glossy, of good size, medium length and attractive color. Flesh very thick and solid, mild and of very fine flavor. Desirable for salads and stuffed peppers; also the sort used largely by canners. Plants vigorous and upright, about two to two and one-half feet high, with short, broad, dark green leaves. Deep green when young, becoming deep red as they mature.

GIANT CRIMSON—The fruits of this desirable sort are of the largest size, ripen earlier than other very large sorts and average heavier, as the flesh is exceptionally thick. Plants vigorous and upright, about 2 1/2 to 3 feet high, larger than those of Chinese Giant and more productive. Deep green when fruit is young, deep crimson when matured. Flavor is mild.

NEAPOLITAN—The earliest and most productive large variety and one of the sweetest and most mild. Fruit of upright growth, four inches long and two inches thick; bright red.

SWEET MOUNTAIN, OR MAMMOTH—Similar to Chinese Giant, but with flesh much thicker.

CALIFORNIA WONDER—This is truly a wonderful pepper. Fruits average 4 inches across, resembling Chinese Giant, but with flesh much thicker.

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PUMPKIN

PIE—Fruits medium size, nearly round. Skin light yellow, smooth, and is covered with a fine gray netting. Flesh light yellow, sweet, finely flavored. Make delicious pies.

JAPANESE PIE—A large crookneck sort. Flesh yellow and of very fine quality. Good keeper.

SUGAR, OR NEW ENGLAND—This variety is small, but of most excellent quality for pies. The fruits are deep orange, eight to ten inches in diameter, round or somewhat flattened and slightly ribbed. The flesh is rich deep yellow, fine grained and very sweet.

GREEN STRIPED CUSHAW—Fruits very large, with crooked neck. Color creamy white, irregularly striped or traced with green. Flesh light yellow, very thick, rather coarse but sweet. This sort is very productive and popular in some sections.

CONNECTICUT FIELD—Generally used for planting in corn for stock feeding, and also for making pies, fruit rather oblong, flattened at the ends; smooth, hard, reddish-orange, distinctly ribbed skin with rich, orange-yellow flesh.

LARGE CHEESE—Large, round flattened fruits, creamy-buff in color; one of the best canning sorts.
For open ground culture sow in rich, sandy soil as soon in the spring as it is fit to work, in drills twelve to eighteen inches apart, and thin out the plants to prevent crowding. A good dressing of nitrate of soda will greatly stimulate growth and insure tender, brittle roots.

EXTRA EARLY SCARLET TURNIP, FORCING—A round, bright red variety for forcing and greenhouse use.

EARLY SCARLET TURNIP, WHITE TIPPED—One of the best early radishes for the home garden and a great favorite in large markets for early planting outdoors. The roots are nearly round, slightly flattened on the under side. The color is very bright, deep rose-carmine scarlet with a distinctly white tip. The flesh is white and of the best quality.

FRENCH BREAKFAST—A quick growing, small, olive-shaped radish about one and one-half inches long when fully grown. The color is beautiful deep rose-scarlet except a little clear white about the tip. This is an excellent variety for planting outdoors for the home garden.

WHITE STRASSBURG—Roots are about five inches long, thick at the shoulder and abruptly tapering; skin and flesh pure white, and remain firm and brittle longer than most varieties.

EARLY SCARLET TURNIP, FRENCH GROWN—An early, round, bright red variety for forcing also, but seed is French grown and has a very small top.

EARLY SCARLET TURNIP—A round, red turnip-shaped radish with small tops of very quick growth, deserving general cultivation on account of its rich, scarlet-red color, almost crimson, and its white, crisp and tender flesh. The roots often grow one inch long by one one-eighth inches in diameter before becoming pithy. This is a standard variety for early outdoor planting for the home garden and market.

VICK'S SCARLET GLOBE—We have an exceptionally fine stock of this superb variety. It is one of the very earliest of the forcing radishes and does equally well outside; roots are of fair size globe-shape and with a small top; always crisp and tender.

EARLY WHITE GIANT SUMMER—The roots are large, often four inches in diameter, white and are usually top shaped. The flesh is white and crisp, and keeps remarkably well, so that those not used in the summer or fall can be stored for early winter use.

LONG BRIGHTEST SCARLET (Long Cardinal)—One of the best colored, most handsome as well as the earliest of the long scarlet radishes; crisp and tender until full grown; roots not quite so long as Long Scarlet, and of a bright, vivid scarlet color, tipped white; a good forcing sort with a small top.

RICE'S SAXA—The earliest of the forcing radishes, and one of the slowest to shoot to seed. Round, bright scarlet and with the smallest possible top.

LONG WHITE LADY FINGER (White Vienna)—An early maturing, long white summer radish; roots white, slender and smooth, are 6 to 7 inches long, tapering slightly at the top. This variety grows more above ground than Icicle and consequently is more or less tinged with green at the top of the root.

ICICLE—The leading long white radish and one of the earliest; roots are somewhat shorter, broader at the top and square-shouldered than Lady Finger, also matures a little earlier; about 6 inches long and white throughout.

WINTER VARIETIES

Seed for winter varieties should be sown about the first of August, in rich, warm sandy loam, in rows about twenty inches apart, covering half an inch deep.

CALIFORNIA MAMMOTH WHITE CHINA—The roots of this very large white winter sort grow nine to twelve inches long by three to four inches or more in diameter just below the shoulder, tapering regularly to the tip. The flesh is very crisp and solid, decidedly pungent but well flavored, keeping well through the winter. This variety matures later than Celestial and the roots are not as mild, but they attain a larger size under favorable conditions. For table use they are pulled before fully grown.

LONG BLACK SPANISH—One of the latest and hardiest long garden radishes, especially adapted for winter use. The roots are long, thick, almost black, somewhat wrinkled. The flesh is white, of firm texture, decidedly pungent but well flavored. The roots when mature are usually seven to nine inches long by two to three inches in diameter at thickest part.

CELESTIAL—This excellent variety is sold also as Chinese White Winter. The roots are long, cylindrical, with beautiful white skin and flesh, the whitest and usually the least pungent of the winter varieties. When fully mature the roots are six to nine inches long by about two and one-half to three and one-half inches in diameter. Flesh is compact and crisp.

SCARLET CHINA—This is an extensively grown variety for fall and winter use. It is known also as Chinese Rose. The roots are stump-rooted or blunt at both ends. The skin is smooth and of a bright deep rose color. The flesh is white, firm, crisp and pungent. The tops are moderately large, with leaves distinctly cut and divided; leaf-stems tinged with rose. The roots are usually four to five inches long by about one and one-half to two inches in diameter when fully mature, sometimes growing considerably thicker. It is a desirable late maturing garden sort.

WHITE GIANT STUTTGART—The roots are large, top-shaped and frequently four inches in diameter; of a clear white color, a fine summer or fall radish.
RADISH

ROUND BLACK SPANISH—The roots are round, sometimes slightly top-shaped, three or four inches in diameter. The skin is almost black. The flesh is white, very compact, decidedly pungent, but well flavored. The variety keeps well through the winter.

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RHUBARB

MYATT’S LINNEUS GIANT—An early and very fine variety; leaves and stalks of immense size. Juicy and tender; grows quickly, producing fine succulent stalks. Price—Pkt., 10c; Oz., 20c; 4 Ozs., 50c.

ROQUETTE

A hardy annual, the leaves of which are long, smooth and glossy, and when young are used like mustard for salads. The young leaves will be ready for cutting in about six weeks from time of planting. Price—Pkt., 10c; Oz., 20c; 4 Ozs., 50c.

Salsify or Vegetable Oyster

MAMMOTH SANDWICH ISLAND—This variety is large and strong growing, with long, smooth, white tapering roots, and is less liable to branch than the other sorts. The tops are grassy. It is invaluable for market gardeners’ use. Price—Pkt., 10c; Oz., 20c; 4 Ozs., 65c; ½ Lb., $1.10; Lb., $2.10.

SORREL

LARGE LEAVED FRENCH—The best garden variety, having large, pale green leaves of fine quality. Price—Pkt., 10c; Oz., 15c; 4 Ozs., 45c; ½ Lb., 75c; Lb., $1.35.

SPINACH

1 Oz. for 100 Feet

No plant makes more palatable and nutritious greens than spinach when properly prepared.

KING OF DENMARK—This variety has proven to be one of the best, being ready for use with the medium early sorts, but remaining in good condition from one to two weeks longer. Give it a trial; you will be pleased.

BLOOMSDALE SAVOY—This sort is known also as Bloomsdale and as Norfolk Savoy Leaved. It is a very early variety and one of the best to plant in autumn for early spring use. It is hardy and grows rapidly to a suitable size for use, but runs to seed quickly in warm weather.

BLOOMSDALE LONG STANDING—Leaves more heavily crumpled and darker green than Bloomsdale, and will stand longer before bolting to seed.

LARGE VIROFLAY—Plant of upright growth, leaves are very large, broad, thick and narrow-shaped, much crumpled and dark green in color. Desirable for canning because of its clean, upright leaves.

LONG STANDING—An improved round seeded strain of excellent quality, comparatively late in season, but after reaching maturity it remains in condition for use much longer than most sorts. The leaves are usually very broad arrow-shaped or rounded, comparatively smooth and dark rich green. This sort is extensively used by market gardeners.

EARLY GIANT THICK LEAVED—A strong growing early market variety with large, thick leaves of fine, deep green color. The leaves are usually rounded or broad arrow-shaped and the surface is fairly smooth or slightly crumpled. Seed round.

NEW ZEALAND SPINACH—The tender shoots are of excellent quality and may be cut throughout the summer. One plant will spread over two feet. The leaves are quite small, broad and pointed. Plant three to four seeds in hills, three feet apart each way. Soak in lukewarm water for a day before planting.
SPINACH

VICTORIA—An excellent variety, forming very large, exceedingly thick, very dark green leaves slightly crumpled in the center. The season is intermediate. The leaves are usually blunt or rounded at end but sometimes broad, arrow-shaped.

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SQUASH

1 Oz. for 25 Hills

The squash is one of the most nutritious and valuable of garden vegetables.

SUMMER VARIETIES

GIANT SUMMER CROOKNECK—The well known standard sort, early and very productive. It matures the bulk of its crop a little earlier than the Mammoth Summer Crookneck. The fruits when fully grown are about one foot long, with uniformly crooked neck and surface densely warted. The color is bright yellow. The shell is very hard when the fruit is ripe.

STRAIGHTNECK, GIANT SUMMER—Similar to Crookneck but has a straight rather than a crooked neck; easily packed for shipment. Deep orange in color and excellent quality.

EARLY WHITE BUSH SCALLOP—This is the well known, very early, somewhat flattened scalloped bush squash of medium size. The color is creamy white with comparatively smooth surface. The vines are vigorous and very productive. This variety is also known as Patty Pan or Cymling.

EARLY YELLOW BUSH SCALLOP—A flattened, scalloped bush squash of largest size. The skin is deep orange. The flesh is pale yellow and of very good flavor. This sort is extensively used for the home garden and market where a very large yellow scalloped squash is wanted.

FORDHOOK—A small, oblong variety, excellent for summer or winter; fruits 8 to 10 inches long, slightly ridged; skin smooth, thin and yellow; flesh very thick, straw colored, extremely dry and sweet.

ITALIAN VEGETABLE MARROW (Cocozella di Napoli)—The vines are of bush habit and produce large, much elongated fruits, dark green at first, but as they mature becoming marbled with yellow and lighter green in stripes.

AUTUMN AND WINTER VARIETIES

DELICIOUS—This is a fall and winter variety of medium size. Although not very thick the shell is rather hard and strong. Usually dark green but sometimes lighter in color and mottled. The flesh is thick, very fine grained and bright yellow in color. It is considered by many to be the best for markets where quality is appreciated as well as very desirable for the home garden.

BOSTON MARROW—Productive fall and winter variety of medium to large size, oval shape, and thin skin. Used for canning and making pies. When ripe are bright orange with a shading of light cream color. The flesh is of rich salmon-yellow color, fine grained and of excellent flavor.
SQUASH

WARTED HUBBARD—One of the best of the winter squashes. The vines are vigorous and very productive. The fruits are large, hard and moderately warty, with a very hard shell. The skin is uniformly dark bronze green. The flesh is bright orange-yellow, firm grained, thick, dry and richly flavored. This squash can be kept in good condition until spring. Our stock of this standard home garden and market variety is carefully selected in regard to quality of the flesh and color of the shell and is much superior to that sold as Chicago Warted or Warty Hubbard.

KITCHENETTE—This is a true Hubbard Squash in every prospect, except that it matures early and seldom grows to weigh more than five pounds. It is named Kitchenette from the fact that it is the smallest Hubbard. Try it.

BLUE HUBBARD—A new type of squash, similar in form and habit of growth to the original Hubbard, but differing in having a hard, blue-gray shell.

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The same High Quality Seed is put into our Garden Size Packages as we sell the Florish and Market Gardener whose living depends upon the quality of the seed he sows.

TOBACCO

The seed should be sown as early as possible after danger of frost is over. It is customary to burn a quantity of brush and rubbish on the spot in which the seed is set; then dig and pulverize the earth and mix with the ashes, after which the seeds may be sown and covered very lightly.

BIG HAVANA—A hybrid Havana or Cuban seed leaf. It is a heavy cropper and a very early cigar variety.

WHITE BURLEY—A favorite for plug fillers and wrappers.

CONNECTICUT SEED LEAF—A hardy cigar variety, well adapted to growing in the middle and northern states.

HAVANA—The leaf is very thin and is of fine texture. The variety is much used for cigar wrappers.

TOMATO

I Oz. Will Produce 1,500 Plants

Tomatoes do best on light, warm, not over-rich soil and success depends largely upon securing a rapid, vigorous and unchecked growth during the early part of the season. Sow in hotbed or in shallow boxes in the house for five to six weeks before they can be set out of doors, which is when danger from frost is past.

EARLIANA—Our strain of this early sort is earlier and decidedly superior to much that is sold as Sparks’ Earliana, and the extreme earliness of its large smooth fruits makes it a very profitable tomato for market gardeners, as well as desirable for the home garden. The vines are small but vigorous and productive. The fruits are bright deep scarlet, medium to large, nearly round and exceptionally smooth for so early a variety. The fruits are borne in clusters near the base of the plant and the bulk of the crop ripens very early.

JOHN BAER—An extra early scarlet fruited variety of superior merit. The vines are very hardy and exceptionally productive. The fruits are the largest of the extra early sorts and are also most attractive in color. They are nearly round, smooth, firm and of excellent quality. It is one of the very earliest to ripen its first fruits and it continues to furnish marketable fruits much longer than other early varieties.

BONNY BEST—The fruits of this desirable early sort are most attractive in shape and color. The crop ripens more uniformly than any other early scarlet fruited sort, and is of superior solidity and interior color. The vines are vigorous, and produce a good crop of exceptionally round and deep fruits, bright deep scarlet in color and of very good quality. One of the best for gardeners whose trade demands fruits of beautiful shape and color.

WAYHEAD—A very early, solid, red tomato with potato foliage; fruit ripens with Earliana and is about the same size.

CHALK’S EARLY JEWEL—One of the very best early tomatoes yet introduced. The vines are vigorous and very productive. The fruits are bright deep scarlet-red, nearly round or somewhat flattened, smooth, of large size and most excellent quality. They ripen early and the pickings continue through a long season. One of the very best second early scarlet fruited sorts and on account of its large size, excellent quality and productiveness, one of the most satisfactory sorts for the home garden.
**TOMATO**

**GOLDEN QUEEN**—The fruits are large and smooth, of bright golden yellow color, sometimes with a slight blush of red. They are as smooth and well shaped as the best of the red varieties and are of superior flavor.

**MARGLOBE**—This fine, new tomato is proving to be one of the very best. Its fine appearance, great productiveness, deep globe shape, fine scarlet color and superb table qualities, give it first place. Try Marglobe this year.

**CANADIAN**—A cross between Bonny Best and Earliana introduced by Ontario Agricultural College. Fruit is solid, having few seeds, early, productive and very hardy.

**BEAUTY**—The vines are large, vigorous and very productive. The fruits are large, purplish pink, exceptionally smooth and uniform in size, very solid and of excellent quality. This is one of the best mid-season or main crop purplish pink sorts for table use.

**STONE**—One of the largest and most solid main crop or late bright red varieties. It is unsurpassed for slicing and canning. The vines are large, vigorous and very productive. The fruits are bright deep scarlet, oval and very deep, exceptionally smooth and uniform in size. Our stock is distinctly superior to most of that offered under this name, being larger, smoother, more uniform and better colored.

**MATCHLESS**—A main crop variety, very popular in the East. The fruits are very large, smooth and symmetrical, ripening well to stem. The flesh is rich, bright red in color and of fine quality.

**PONDEROSA**—A purplish pink main crop tomato of the largest size. The vines are vigorous and very productive. The fruits are very solid, with exceptionally few seeds, fairly smooth and considered of very good quality, especially by those who prefer a tomato quite free from acid. It is very desirable for slicing.

**DWARF STONE**—The vines are dwarf but vigorous and productive. Although an intermediate or rather late maturing variety, the fruits are of good color, being an attractive bright red, exceedingly smooth and very solid. It is a desirable sort for the home garden. We consider this the best of the large fruited dwarf tomatoes.

**NEW STONE TOMATO**

**DWARF CHAMPION**—This is sometimes sold as the "Tree Tomato." It is a second early or main crop, purplish pink variety, especially desirable where garden space is limited. The vines are about two feet high, vigorous, upright and compact. The fruits are medium sized, exceptionally smooth and of very good quality. Our stock is a very superior strain with more even, smoother fruit than the original.

**TURNIP**

**PURPLE TOP WHITE GLOBE RUTA BAGA**

**AMERICAN PURPLE TOP, or Improved Long Island...**

**WHITE SWEDE, or RUSSIAN...**

**YELLOW SWEDE...**

**BUDLONG'S WHITE ROCK...**
METCALF'S HYBRID TEA ROSES

The Most Popular Class of Roses

These wonderful roses are specially selected for color and hardiness. These roses have already bloomed in the nursery row and are strong 2-year Bush Roses. No. 1 grade. Price 75c each.

COLUMBIA—Glowing pink flowers which last a long time.
DOUBLE WHITE KILLARNEY—Snow-white, slender buds and blooms.
DUCHESS OF WELLINGTON—Saffron-yellow buds of great size.
GENERAL MacARTHUR—Bright red, with velvety shadings.
GRUSS AN TEPLITZ—Scarlet and black.
JONKHEER J. L. MOCK—Glowing pink of two contrasting shades.
KAISERIN AUGUSTE VIKTORIA—Lemon-white; very double.
LADY HILLINGDON—Apricot-yellow.

LOS ANGELES—Flame-pink, toned coral.
MME. BUTTERFLY—Pale pink and gold.
OPHELIA—Almost white, shaded pink and gold.
RED RADIANCE—Light red. Equal to Radiance.
SOUVENIR DE CLAUDIUS PERNET—Pure yellow.
SUNBURST—Orange and cream; delightful.
WHITE KILLARNEY—Snow-white.
MRS. AARON WARD—Deep golden orange.

SPECIAL PRICE

Any 6 of above ...........................................$3.90
Any 12 of above .........................................$7.45
Postpaid

CLIMBING ROSES

EASIEST OF ALL ROSES TO GROW

AMERICAN PILLAR—Enormous clusters of single, vivid pink flowers on a very vigorous climbing plant.
CLIMBING AMERICAN BEAUTY—Large, well-formed flowers of purplish crimson.
CRIMSON RAMBLER—Small, vivid red flowers in gigantic clusters. Very popular.
DOROTHY PERKINS—Small, crinkled flowers of soft shell-pink, in immense bunches.
DR. W. VAN FLEET—Large flowers of the most delicate shade of shell-pink.
MARY WALLACE—Large, cupped, shining pink flowers with yellow centers.
PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER—Well-formed flowers of bright scarlet, freely produced.
YELLOW RAMBLER—Bright yellow buds and creamy white flowers in very large clusters.

PRICES: 55c each—Postpaid
Any 4 Climbers for $2.00

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Excelling in size, hardiness, fragrance and freedom of flowers. Varieties listed below give extra large blooms and will thrive anywhere with ordinary care. There's no class of Roses like the Perpetuals for Fall Blooming.

AMERICAN BEAUTY—Brilliant pink to red.
DR. E. M. MILLS—Semi-double, yellow, tinted with pink.
FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI—Immensely, white Rose.
GEN. JACQUEMINOT—Bright crimson.
GEO. AHRENS—Delicate pink.
MAGNA CHARTA—Beautiful rosy pink.
MRS. JOHN LAING—Clear shining pink.
PERSIAN YELLOW—Golden yellow.
PAUL NEYRON—Rich, ruddy pink.
ULRICH BRUNNER—Exquisite cherry-red.

STRONG, 2 YEAR No. 1

SPECIAL PRICE

Any 6 of the above for ................................$3.90
Any 12 of the above for ..............................$7.45
75c each—Postpaid
FLOWER SEEDS

ACROLINIUM
DOUBLE MIXED—2 feet. A pretty Everlasting, bearing graceful, daisy-like flowers, pretty bright rose with yellow center, which when cut in the bud state, can be dried and used for winter bouquets. Price—Pkt., 10c.

ADONIS (Pheasant’s Eye)
FLOS ADONIS—Showy, hardy, annual, of easy culture, fine cut foliage, blooms a long time. Large star-shaped yellow flowers. Price—Pkt., 10c.

AGERATUM
One of the best summer blooming plants grown from seed. They are rapid growers, early and constant blooming. During the hot, dry, summer months their bright flowers are produced in the greatest profusion. Set the dwarf sorts 10 inches apart and they soon make a mass of charming color.


MEXICAN ALBUM DWARF—White. Price—Pkt., 10c.

MIXED VARIETIES—Price—Pkt., 10c.

AGERATUM
ROSE OF HEAVEN—Attractive free-flowering, producing bright colored flowers on long, slender stems like a single pink; blooms the first season; fine for cutting; 1 to 2 feet. June-September. Price—Pkt., 10c.

AMMOSIBIO (Coeli)
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AMMOSIBIO
ALATUM GRANDIFLORUM—2½ feet. This pretty white Everlasting should be in every garden. Grows well in sandy soil. Price—Pkt., 10c.

ALYSSUM
One of the finest annuals we have. Begins to bloom early and continues until late in the fall. It is of close, compact habit and produces a profusion of fragrant blossoms. Mix the seed with sand before sowing to prevent sowing too thickly.

SWEET ALYSSUM—A low growing variety, splendid for edging, with pretty white honey-scented blossoms. Price—Pkt., 10c.

LITTLE GEM (Snow-white Carpet Plant)—The plants are only a few inches high, but grow very thick and are completely covered with snow-white blossoms. Price—Pkt., 10c.

CREAMY YELLOW—This is a new variety of the same growth as Little Gem, but has a mass of creamy-yellow blossom. Price—Pkt., 10c.

AMARANTHUS
Brilliantly foliaged annuals, some of the varieties bearing curious racemes of flowers. Do not grow them too closely together, but give them sufficient room to develop their full beauty. When flowers in small pots under glass they are very charming.

TRICOLOR (Joseph’s Coat)—2½ feet. The inner foliage is of blackest bronze, tipped with green, while the outer foliage is bright scarlet and gold. Price—Pkt., 10c.

SUPERBUS COLEUS, LEAVED—Price—Pkt., 10c.

MIXED VARIETIES—Price—Pkt., 10c.

ANCHUSA
CAPENSIS (Summer Forget-Me-Not)—2 feet. A hardy annual of more than ordinary beauty. It grows about two feet high, branching freely and bearing a profusion of the most lovely flowers, similar in all respects to the Forget-Me-Not, though the blossoms are much smaller and of finer color. It blooms early and continues all summer. Price—Pkt., 10c.

ANCHUSA (Perennial)
Italica Dropmore Variety. One of our finest blue-flowering plants, growing 4 to 5 feet tall. Fine, large spikes of beautiful gentian-blue flowers. Price—Pkt., 10c.
Flower Seeds

PLUMOSUS NANUS (Lace Fern)—3 feet. The bright green sprays surpass the Maidenhair Fern in grace and delicacy of texture. The hard seeds need soaking and bottom heat to sprout. Price—Pkt., 10 seeds, 15c.

AQUILEGIA (Columbine)

Very desirable, easily grown, old-fashioned perennials for borders, forming permanent clumps. Blooms profusely early in the season and remain in bloom for a considerable period.

ARCTOTIS GRANDIS (African Daisy)

A remarkably handsome annual from Southwest Africa. It forms much branched bushes 2 to 3 feet high; its flowers are large and showy, being pure white on the upper surface, the reverse of petals pale lilac-blue. It is easily grown from seed, and the plants may be expected to come into bloom early in June and continue until quite hard frost. It delights in a sunny situation. As a cut flower it is especially valuable, the blooms lasting a week or more in water. Price—Pkt., 10c.

ARABIS (Rock Cress)

Charming dwarf spring-flowering plants of easy cultivation; valuable for beds, edgings.

ALPINA—6 inches. Large masses of double pure white flowers. Price—Pkt., 10c.

ARIOLOCHIA


ASTER

During the late summer and early fall the garden is usually a riot of reds and yellows, so the asters in their dainty and distinct colors as well as their many attractive forms are a pleasing addition. The long stems make them desirable for cut flowers and the blooms last long in water. It should be remembered, however, in regard to asters that good culture is essential in order to obtain an abundance of fine flowers.

SUNSHINE—Improved Anemone Flowered. Some of the flowers have twisted petals and some have quilled petals; all have a cushion center of tiny quills of a contrasting color. Wonderful for cut flowers, as they are borne on long stems. Price—Pkt., 10c.

QUEEN OF THE MARKET—The best early aster, usually in full bloom two weeks before most other sorts begin to blossom. Of graceful spreading habit. Choice of white, flesh, pink, crimson, scarlet, light blue, lavender, purple, dark blue. Price—Pkt., 10c.

ABOVE VARIETIES—MIXED—Price—Pkt., 10c.

GIANT COMET—This giant class is an improvement on the old and inferior Comet class, not only in bearing much larger flowers, but the petals are longer and broader. Price—Pkt., 10c.

DOUBLE BALSAM

One and one-half to two feet. An old and favorite garden flower, producing its gorgeous masses of beautiful brilliant colored double flowers in the greatest profusion. Balsams like the hot sun, rich soil and plenty of water. For perfect development the plants should be set from twelve to eighteen inches apart. Mixed. Price—Pkt., 10c. White. Price—Pkt., 10c.

Annual Flowers for Picking

Arctotis
Asters
Brownia
Calliopsis
Carnation
Centaurine
Cosmos
Gaillardia
Godetia
Gypsophila
Larkspur
Lavatera
Lupins
Matricaria
Menonette
Nasturtium
Pansy
Pflox
Pinks
Poppies
Salpiglossis
Scabiosa
Snapdragon
Stocks
Sweet Peas
Verbenas
Zinnias
Flower Seeds

CANDYTUFT

BRACHYCOME (Swan River Daisy)
A free-flowering, dwarf-growing annual; covered during the greater part of the summer with a profusion of pretty blue or white flowers. Mixed. Price—Pkt., 10c.

BAPTISIA (False Indigo)

BELLIS PERENNIS (English Daisy)
Six to eight inches. A low growing spring flowering plant. Loves a shady place and will reward the gardener with a mass of blooms for succeeding years if left undisturbed. Price—Pkt., 10c.

BALLOON VINE (Love in a Puff)
A clean, free-growing vine reaching ten to fifteen feet, bearing delicate clusters of bloom and numbers of large, round, inflated seed bulbs resembling miniature balloons. Price—Pkt., 10c.

CALENDULA
One of the best and showiest free-flowering hardy annuals, producing a fine effect in beds or mixed borders, particularly bright in late fall, continuing in bloom until killed by frost.

VARIETY MIXTURE of yellow and orange. Price—Pkt., 10c; ½ Oz., 20c.

RADIO—A brand new Calendula having twisted and quilled petals. Price—Pkt., 20c; ½ Oz., 35c.

CALLIOPSIS (Tickseed)

CANDYTUFT
These Candytufts are of fine habit and profuse bloomers. They soon flower from seed and remain long in beauty. For massing in flower beds and borders and for edgings they are admirably adapted, while for cutting the flowers are greatly prized.

GIANT HYACINTH-FLOWERED WHITE—Price—Pkt., 10c.

DWARF HYBRIDS MIXED—Price—Pkt., 10c.

CANARY BIRD VINE
A dainty vine with beautiful cut leaves and pretty, delicate flowers of a clear canary yellow. Price—Pkt., 10c.

CELOSIA (Coxcomb)
PLUMOSA or PLUMED VARIETIES—2½ to 3 feet. These stately plants are among the most ornamental, and should not be omitted in any garden. Mixed. Price—Pkt., 10c.

CENTAUREA CYANUS (Bachelor's Button)
It is not a pretentious plant but will always charm by its simple beauty. Reseeds itself and may be used for naturalizing. Mixed. Price—Pkt., 10c.

CHÆIRANTHUS ALLIONII
A neat little border plant growing about 10 inches tall, producing a profusion of brilliant orange-colored flower spikes. Fine for cutting. Price—Pkt., 10c.

CHRYSANTHEMUM
These outdoor "summer Chrysanthemums" are showy and effective for bedding or borders in the garden and desirable for cut flowers. Plants become more bushy and shapely if pinched back in early growth and the practice of disbudding will result in much larger flowers. These annuals are not the winter flowering sorts sold by florists and which are propagated only by division of roots.

MIXED—Price—Pkt., 10c.

CLARKIA
Clarkias are popular summer annuals, all perfectly hardy, and can be grown with the utmost ease in ordinary soil. Price—Pkt., 10c.

CLEMATIS
Well known beautiful climbers, much admired for their gracefulness and attractive flowers. They are splendid for covering arbors, verandas, etc.

MIXED—Price—Pkt., 10c.
Flower Seeds

COBEEA

SCANDEN’S CATHEDRAL BELLS—30 feet. One of the handsomest and rapid growing climbers. The flowers are bell-shaped and open a clear green but turn a beautiful purplish lilac. Seed should be sown edgewise. A very vigorous and prolific bloomer. Price—Pkt., 10c.

CONVOLVULUS (Morning Glory)

GIANT IMPERIAL JAPANESE—Tall varieties. A fine mixture of reds, pinks, blues, purples and white. Giant flowers, some with fringed edges. Handsome leaves also, showing many shades of green. Price—Pkt., 10c.

COREOPSIS (Perennial)

One of the very finest perennials; large, golden yellow flowers borne on long stems; splendid for cut flowers. Price—Pkt., 10c.

DWARF VARIETIES—Are very showy and beautiful hardy annuals for flower beds and borders, also rockwork; they bloom for a long period and delight in sun. Price—Pkt., 10c.

DAHLIA

But few people know Dahlias can be raised from seed and will bloom the first year. Plant them in a shallow box or pan early in March or April, transplant them carefully as their growth demands, and keep the soil moderately moist.

SINGLE GIANT PERFECTION MIXED—Price—Pkt., 10c.

DOUBLE MIXED—Price—Pkt., 10c.

EARLY FLOWERING MAMMOTH—These are the only kind we would recommend planting north of the latitude of Middle Illinois, as the late, or giant flowering varieties are nearly always caught by early frost. Mixed. Price—Pkt., 10c.

CYPRESS VINE

Ten feet. For training upon a light ornamental trellis the Cypress Vine cannot be excelled. It has a profusion of scarlet or white star-shaped blossoms, and its finely cut foliage is particularly adapted to ornamental work. White, scarlet, mixed. Price—Pkt., 10c.

IVY-LEAVED SCARLET—A rapid growing variety with deeply lobed, ivy-like leaves, and small scarlet flowers. Price—Pkt., 10c.

COSMOS

Four to six feet. This beautiful annual is one of the most showy and useful of our garden plants. Plants are very bushy and compact. Flowers borne on long, delicate stems and are similar to single Dahlias. Foliation very finely cut.

DATURA (Angel’s Trumpet)

Three feet. Handsome plants for subtropical bedding in summer, having large trumpet-shaped fragrant flowers. They should be given a light soil and a sunny, sheltered position. Make grand pot plants for the greenhouse.

DOUBLE FINE MIXED—Price—Pkt., 10c.

DELPHINIUM (Perennial)

Lovers of Delphiniums will be well pleased with this strain. The spikes are extra large in size, many set with double flowers.

BELLADONNA (Light Blue)—A very pretty shade of light blue flowers thickly set on long spikes. Price—Pkt., 10c.

BELLAMOSUM (Dark Blue)—Flowers are a rich dark blue color, blooms on sturdy spikes. Price—Pkt., 10c.

EXCELSIOR STRAIN—Mixed. Beautiful long spikes representing a variety of colors. Price—Pkt., 10c.

DIANTHUS (Garden Pinks)

A popular annual variety known to nearly all. The flowers are distinguished for their brilliant, contrasting variety of colors appearing in each flower. The stripes and spots make the clusters stand out distinctly.

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One and one-half feet. An attractive hardy annual, deserving more extensive cultivation. The plants bloom profusely and bear showy flowers of satiny texture in many rich and varied colors. They do best in a rather poor soil.

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Twenty feet. These are desirable in many places where an immense amount of vine is wanted quickly. Most sorts are good for 20 to 30 feet in a season and the blooms of some are quite striking and handsome. With many sorts the fruit is unique and ornamental and often useful. The small fancy gourds are excellent toys for children, while the larger gourds may be used as dippers, sugar troughs and bowls. Price—Pkt., 10c.

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This variety of Pyrethrum grows about 6 inches tall and its rich yellow foliage makes it a very attractive border plant. The small flowers are pure white. Price—Pkt., 10c.

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These very attractive bushy plants with glossy green foliage produce in abundance handsome round or salver shaped single flowers, suitable either for culture in pots or boxes or for summer bedding and borders.
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**Metcalf’s Rock Bottom Seed Prices**

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| Metcalf’s Scarified, W. B. | $7.20 | (Frt. paid on 1 bu. or more of any clover)
| Pine Tree | $5.40 | (3 Bushels in bag)

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**MISCELLANEOUS**

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**BARLEY**

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**CERTIFIED SEED POTATOES**

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(9c lb. less in 100-lb. lots.)

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| Pea | $0.09 |

(Ask for price in 100-lb. lots.)

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<td>For Alfalfa, Sweet Clover</td>
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For blight, mildew and all fungus diseases.

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\frac{1}{4} Lb., 15c; 1 Lb., 45c; 5 Lbs., $2.00; 14 Lbs., $5.30

**SLUG SHOT**

1 Lb., 25c; 5 Lbs., 60c

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Kills slugs, snails and earth worms.

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The flesh is tender and sweet, and of a rich orange color. For winter use sow about the middle of June.

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