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for

*Amateur
Gardeners*



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Hybrid Begonias
4 1/2" Nat. Size

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Seed Growers & Nurserymen
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TO OUR CUSTOMERS.

We have much pleasure in again submitting to our very large and increasing circle of Friends and Customers a copy of our annual publication, "The Illustrated Guide for Amateur Gardeners." In doing so we take the opportunity of tendering to them our very grateful thanks for the liberal support and increased patronage with which we have been honoured during the past season, and to assure them that we shall continue to exercise the same care and liberality in the execution of their orders in the future which has already earned us their confidence.

As large growers of choice Kitchen Garden and Agricultural Seeds, we are pleased to state that, notwithstanding the past unfavourable Spring, and the low temperature during July, the seed harvest of 1892 has been a fairly average one, and that although the yield of Mangold and some few varieties of Garden Seeds is below the quantity expected, we have been able to secure an ample stock of the finest quality to meet the requirements of our very extensive retail trade. Our customers may therefore confidently rely on receiving from us the same high-class quality in stock and growth as in former years.

Amongst culinary Vegetables and Fruits we have had the honour of introducing some of the grandest known varieties, with which the British public have become familiarised by their frequent successful appearance on exhibition tables, at hundreds of horticultural exhibitions, for many years. Our reputation in this department will, we are confident, be fully sustained by us in the ensuing season.

Notwithstanding the depression in Agriculture, we are annually doing an increasing trade in Farm Seeds, owing to our special care and attention in the selection and improvement of all the best varieties of Mangold, Swedes, and Turnips. Particular attention is also given to the selection of all the best kinds of Grasses and Clovers, for laying down land to pasturage, &c. Those of our customers who have not given us their patronage in this department are kindly requested to favour us with a trial order, as we feel sure we can give them entire satisfaction.

Our Flower Seed trade is an especial feature in our business, and it affords us great pleasure to note the very large and steadily growing business we enjoy in this department. Our magnificent strains of Florists' Flowers have again been specially grown for our retail trade, and may be relied on as fully up to the splendid quality of past years. We have been highly gratified by, and beg to thank our numerous customers for the many very kind and flattering communications we have recently received, in reference to the superior quality of our Flower Seeds.

Our trade in Seed Potatoes is a very important part of our business, and our annual trials of the hundreds of new varieties of our own hybridising and raising, as well as the numerous varieties produced by other growers, enable us to offer to the public a selection of the most handsome, most productive, and best-cooking varieties in existence, whilst the disease-resisting qualities are an especial study.

We have, as usual, made extensive preparations for the prompt dispatch of all orders, and customers may rely on their commands receiving our immediate attention.

To meet the requirements of our large and rapidly increasing Nursery trade, we have added considerably to the extent of our Nurseries, and our extensive grounds are now replete with superb assortments of Choice Roses, Fruit Trees, Grape Vines, Evergreen Shrubs, Coniferous Plants, &c., whilst our Glass Houses contain a splendid stock of the choicest in Florists' Flowers, Stove, and Greenhouse Plants, Ferns, Orchids, and other Plants. We draw the especial attention of intending planters to our fine collection of choice Fruits in Standard, Trained, and Pyramidal Trees.

Norwich, January 1st, 1893.

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DANIELS' NEW PEA MATCHLESS MARROW

THE FINEST
AND MOST PRODUCTIVE PEA
IN CULTIVATION

Per Quart - 3/- Per Pint - 1/9^d

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Golden Rocca
ONION



Per Ounce
2/-

Per Packet
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DANIELS BROS. SEED GROWERS & NURSERYMEN, NORWICH

GRAND NEW POTATO, DUKE OF YORK,

Has during the past season produced Sixteen Tons an acre of clean, handsome tubers, with ordinary field cultivation.



DUKE OF YORK.

For several years past we have been fortunate from time to time in introducing to the horticultural public some very fine Novelties in the way of Potatoes, which have taken a high position in the estimation of the gardening public, and we have this season much pleasure and confidence in introducing our superb New White Kidney Potato, **DUKE OF YORK**, which we feel sure will at once be placed in the front rank as a really first-class variety.

DUKE OF YORK originated from a cross between Early Primrose and King Kidney, and first attracted attention by its handsome appearance, and wonderful productiveness, in which respects (for a potato of such fine qualities) it far out-rivals any of the best kinds now in cultivation, having yielded at our Seed Farm, during the past season, Sixteen Tons an acre of handsome marketable tubers, with but very few small, and an entire absence of disease.

In habit of growth it is very compact, the haulm being only a foot high; the leaves are smooth, and of a rich glossy green colour, whilst the tubers cluster compactly around the stem, and are very easy to raise.

The tubers are large, oval, smooth, and handsome and distinct in appearance; the eyes are few and quite even with the surface, ensuring the minimum of waste; the flesh is very fine grained, dry and mealy when cooked, and of the most excellent flavour.

Its earliness, combined with its many fine qualities, will make it an especial favourite, and greatly increase its value as a market Potato, as it may be lifted with such varieties as Early Rose, and most of the Ash-leaved sorts, and, planted early, will, in ordinary seasons, finish its growth before the disease makes its appearance.

Owing to its handsome shape and appearance, **DUKE OF YORK** will soon become a leading variety for exhibition, whilst its wonderful productiveness and splendid qualities for the table will make it one of the best and most profitable Potatoes alike for the farmer and the private grower.

Price, per lb. 6d., 7 lb. 2s. 6d., 14 lb. 4s. 6d.

New & Select Garden Seeds for 1893.

NEW HYBRID CUCUMBER—DANIELS' RELIABLE.

This magnificent variety, raised by Mr. J. Catton, of Saxlingham Hall Gardens, is a cross between Daniels' Duke of Edinburgh, and Tender and True, combining the extra fine qualities of each. The plants are strong and robust growers, and extraordinarily prolific bearers, two and three fruit 20 to 30 inches long at a joint, and are of a dark green colour, and very symmetrical and handsome. For exhibition and market work it is unsurpassable. Price in sealed packets 1s. 6d. and 2s. 6d. each.

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"I have made over £5 more this year from your Reliable Cucumber than from any other variety I have grown under the same area of glass."—Mr. E. SOONS, Senr., High Street, Lowestoft.

"Having had a packet of your Reliable Cucumber, I take the liberty to tell you I gained the First Prize at the Devon and Exeter Horticultural Society with it in open competition."—Mr. J. ALREN, The Gardens, Silvertou Park.

"Daniels' Reliable Cucumber is a very free setter, very easily grown, and of superb flavour, and as to its size, well probably the fact of my having gained First Prize of £4, at the recent Norwich Show, will speak for it in this respect."—Mr. MATTHEW, Gardener to Mrs. Wicks, Tho Belt, Aylsham.

RUNNER BEAN—TITAN (new).

The following is the raiser's description:—No other Scarlet Runner approaches this in appearance, size, and productiveness, and asserts that the pods are twice the size of those of any Scarlet Runner; the pods, which are broad, straight, and handsome, are produced in clusters, and are very fleshy and almost stringless. This variety is very hardy, and most useful to grow, either for table or market, while for exhibition purposes it is unequalled. In sealed packets 1s. 6d.

NEW MELON—ELY'S SEEDLING.

Certificate of merit, Royal Horticultural Society. A green fleshed variety, rather large and oval, skin deep green and finely netted, flesh bright green, firm, and of most delicious flavour; it is a free setter and strong constitution, one of the best for frame culture, average weight about 4 lb.

Per packet 1s. 6d.

NEW RED CELERY— HATCH'S CONQUEROR.

An exceedingly fine variety; grows to a good size, heads very solid and crisp, and of a fine nutty flavour. It has been exhibited with great success during the past two years, and will be found the best Red Celery for market purposes.

Per packet 1s.

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"I have given your Celery, Hatch's Conqueror, a good trial, and find it far surpasses any other varieties I have ever grown for its good quality, and in not running to seed if wanted for early use, also for its good flavour and enormous size for exhibition purposes."—Mr. A. ANDREWS, Gardener to The Honourable W. Lowther, High House, Campsie Ash.

NEW JAPANESE CLIMBING CUCUMBER.

This new Cucumber is said to be a very useful variety, and succeeds well for outdoor cultivation, being quite as hardy as the Ridge varieties. The plant is a very vigorous and free grower, and can be grown either on poles, trellis work, or any suitable place—a south aspect is best. Each plant produces thirty to forty well-shaped, dark-green fruit of average length and excellent flavour, which will be found very useful both for pickling and for table use.

Per packet 1s.

BROCCOLI—NUTTING'S SNOW WHITE.

A magnificent variety. Ready for use in April and May. Of robust, hardy constitution, and compact growth; it produces firm, medium-sized heads, closely protected, and remarkable for their snow-white colour. Per packet 1s.

ONION—DANIELS' NEW GOLDEN GLOBE.

An excellent variety of true globular shape, skin bright golden-yellow; very handsome; flavour mild; an excellent keeper and good cropper.

Per packet 1s.; per oz. 2s. 6d.

TOMATO—PONDEROSA.

A new variety from America. Is one of the largest Tomatoes ever introduced. The fruit are handsome, smooth, and very solid; it is a free setter, and will be found an excellent variety for exhibition purposes.

Per packet 1s.

TOMATO—TERRA COTTA.

This unique variety is very distinct as regards colour, form, skin, &c. The colour is pure terra-cotta. The skin is lustreless and slightly downy, like that of the Peach. The flesh is very solid and of good flavour, particularly to those who prefer raw Tomatoes. It is very productive, beginning to bear early and lasting a long time.

Per packet 1s.

TURNIP—DANIELS' GOLDEN GEM.

A new and distinct variety. The top is small and neat, not more than four to six inches high; the roots are small and very handsome; in shape it is round and flattish, with very fine tap-root. The skin and flesh are of a rich golden-yellow, and of excellent quality and flavour.

Per packet 6d.; per oz. 1s. 6d.

TURNIP—NEW EARLY SCARLET.

This is quite distinct; in shape, round and flat; the colour is a rich glowing scarlet; top small and neat; flesh white and of excellent flavour.

Per packet 4d.; per oz. 1s.

Floral Novelties for Spring 1893.

ASTER, COMET PURE WHITE.

(See coloured plate.)

We have much pleasure in offering this beautiful variety, which is undoubtedly one of the grandest novelties of the season. The flowers, which are larger and more perfectly double than those of the other varieties, are of the most exquisite pure glossy satiny white, and the petals being longer and more twisted, give them a peculiar and elegant appearance. The blooms closely resemble a large-flowered, pure white, Japanese Chrysanthemum. This is a splendid novelty that cannot be too highly recommended for exhibition or decorative purposes.

Per packet 1s. 6d.

CALENDULA OFFICINALIS GRANDIFLORA SULPHUREA, fl. pl.

Now variety of the improved compact growing Pot Marigold, producing very large and extremely double flowers of a pleasing sulphur yellow colour. Per packet 1s. 6d.



COSMOS BIPINNATUS GRANDIFLORUS ALBUS.

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A beautiful now half-hardy annual, growing to the height of three or four feet, with elegant finely divided foliage, and bearing a long succession of handsome pure white flowers, as shown in our illustration. The blooms are borne on long wiry stems, and as they will last for a long time when cut and placed in water, this will prove a most welcome and valuable addition to the white flowers at present used for church and home decorations, bouquets, &c. The plants are easily raised from seeds, and sown any time up to the end of April, and transplanted out of doors will bloom freely from July till killed by the frost.

Per packet 1s.; smaller packet 6d.

SESBANIA GRANDIFLORA.

A valuable introduction from Western Australia, which will become popular as a Conservatory and Greenhouse Plant. It produces gigantic and magnificent peashaped flowers in racemes of four blooms usually. The individual flowers are about three inches long. Foliage elegantly pinnate.

Per packet 2s. 6d.

INULA ENSIFOLIA.

Very free-flowering and showy hardy perennial Composite. It grows from twelve to fifteen inches in height, bearing lanceolate, slightly toothed foliage, and forms a neat round bush. The flower-heads, which appear at the summits of the erect branches, are of a pure golden yellow, and fully 1½ inches across. When sown early, the seedlings will flower the first season. It is perfectly hardy and succeeds in any soil.

Per packet 1s. 6d.

PAPAVER NUDICAULE COCCINEUM. FL. PL.

New double-flowering form of the bright orange-scarlet variety of the Iceland Poppy, producing about forty to fifty per cent. of true plants with perfectly double flowers. The different varieties of this lovely Poppy, ranging amongst the most attractive of early flowering perennials and having become great favourites in all countries, we think, that this new variety will be greeted as a valuable addition to this tribe.

Per packet 1s. 6d.

HUMULUS JAPONICUS VARIEGATUS (Variegated Japanese Hop).

The Japanese Hop is one of the fastest growing and most useful of annual climbing plants in cultivation. In this new variety the leaves are beautiful and distinctly variegated with silvery white yellowish green and dark green irregularly striped, blotched, and marbled, whilst sometimes the leaves are almost white. This Hop is especially valuable from the fact that it is not injured by insects, and retains the full beauty of its foliage through the hottest weather to late in Autumn when killed by the frost. Is easily raised from seeds. This was favourably noticed by "The Gardeners' Chronicle," October 8th, 1892.

Per packet 1s.

VERBASCUM PANNOSUM.

Magnificent new hardy Mullein, a native of the Rhodope mountains in South Bulgaria. It produces a very large rosette of downy silvery-grey foliage, in the centre of which rises the stately flower-spike, attaining a height of four to five feet by 1½ inches in diameter, and being mostly unbranched. The individual flowers, which appear profusely every day during its flowering time, are rather large and of a bright yellow colour. The single leaves often measure more than three feet in length.

Per packet 1s. 6d.

HEUCHERA SANGUINEA.

One of the finest introductions amongst hardy perennials, and well-worthy to be recommended as a really good plant. It is allied to the Saxifragas. The plant grows about a foot high, with rich green slightly hairy foliage, the flowers being of a beautiful coral red. The graceful flower spikes furnish a splendid material for bouquets.

Per packet 1s.

GODETIA, LADY HASTINGS.

We have much pleasure in introducing this charming new variety, which has been much admired at our Seed Grounds during the past Summer, and which will prove itself one of the finest and very best hardy annuals of recent introduction. The plants grow only one foot high, and are of the same compact habit as Godetia, Duchess of Fife, and others of the class. Its individual blooms are of immense size, 4 to 4½ inches across, the petals being blotched with brilliant scarlet, and edged with creamy white. The blooms are produced in the greatest profusion, often quite covering the plant, and for a long period they have the most beautiful appearance.

Per packet 1s. 6d.

New and Choice Plants, &c.



CALLA ÆTHIOPICA—LITTLE GEM.

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A charming miniature variety of the well-known Arum Lily, growing only one foot high, and bearing small pretty flowers of a purer white than those of the old variety. It is easily grown, its rich green foliage and dwarf habit, making it a most desirable plant for greenhouse, conservatory, or window decoration, whilst its pure white, beautifully formed flowers will be found especially useful for table and other decorations. Has been awarded a Special Certificate by the Royal Horticultural Society.

Strong Young Plants each 1s. 6d., per doz. 15s.
Strong Flowering Plants each 2s. 6d. and 3s. 6d.

CANNAS—CROZY'S NEW HYBRIDS.

The many beautiful varieties of Canna raised by M. Crozy, are remarkable for the great size and beauty of the flowers and foliage, most of them are of dwarf habit, early bloomers, and first class for pot culture in the greenhouse, for forcing or for the sub-tropical garden out of doors. They are easy of cultivation. The brilliantly coloured flower spikes somewhat resemble Gladioli, and the colours vary from the most intense crimson, orange, and scarlet to the softest yellow; very choice mixed. 3 for 2s. 6d.; per doz. 9s.

HYPERICUM MOSERIANUM.

This is the first known hybrid of this family; and its great beauty and distinctive character will command the attention of every one interested in good hardy perennials. It is distinct from every other variety, partaking of the shrubby habit of *H. patulum*, with the large deep golden flowers of *H. calycinum*, which are rendered still more effective by the numerous yellow stamens and red anthers; it is not only perfectly hardy, but remarkably free-flowering, and when established it is one of the most beautiful it is possible to imagine. Each 1s. 6d.

BOUVARDIA "PURITY."

The finest White Bouvardia yet obtained. The flowers are pure white with broad lobes and short stout tubes. The plant is of compact habit, very free flowering, and the flowers are deliciously fragrant; awarded a certificate of merit by the Royal Horticultural Society. Each 1s. 6d.

NEW SINGLE DAHLIA, "MARGUERITE."

This very pretty and useful variety was introduced by us last season, and named "Marguerite," in consequence of its striking resemblance at a short distance to the Marguerite Daisy. The flowers are white with a yellow disc, the petals long and pointed, and when the blooms are made up into bouquets, &c., they have the most charming appearance. This will be found a welcome addition to the white flowers now used for decorative purposes, and valuable alike for decorating the church or home; it is also exceedingly useful in the making of memorial wreaths and crosses. Price 1s. each; 3 for 2s. 6d.



NEW STRAWBERRY—SCARLET QUEEN.

NEW JAPANESE CHRYSANTHEMUM— BEAUTY OF EXMOUTH.

A grand new variety that will soon be in great request. The flowers are of the largest size, quite free from coarseness, and of the most lovely pure white. It is very free-flowering, and besides being a splendid exhibition flower will be found of great value for cutting. The plants are of medium height, robust, and retain the foliage down to the pots. Orders for this important novelty should be booked at once. **Strong Plants in March, each 7s. 6d.**

JOURNAL OF HORTICULTURE says—"Beauty of Exmouth' is destined to take a high place. This is a beautiful variety, and will probably be grown extensively, with the result of being seen in many stands next year. The blooms, although large, are entirely devoid of coarseness, and are of a pure ivory white. The florets are of good substance, medium width, and curl gracefully. 'Beauty of Exmouth' justly merited the First Class Certificate awarded to it by the National Chrysanthemum Society."

NEW STRAWBERRY—LAXTON'S SCARLET QUEEN.

The raiser in introducing this new Strawberry thus writes of it:—"A most noble Strawberry! An early and better flavoured 'Parson,' and the finest early variety yet introduced. Very early, large, bright coloured, richly flavoured, and of handsome appearance. Plant vigorous and prolific."

A superb early variety that should be extensively grown, per 100, 30s.; per doz. 4s.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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CORRESPONDENCE:—Our Customers having occasion to write to us respecting any order previously sent by them, would much facilitate attention to their letters if they would kindly state the date on which the order was sent, and name amount remitted with it; this would enable us the more readily to identify their orders on reference to our Registers.

ADDRESSES:—Full Name and Address should be sent with every communication, and both Postal and Rail Address should accompany all orders, as much time is thereby saved to us, especially in our busiest Season, when we are receiving from 1200 to 1500 letters daily.

We shall feel much obliged if you will kindly recommend our Firm to the notice of any of your friends who are likely to require Seeds, Bulbs, or Plants, and shall, when requested, have great pleasure in sending Catalogues, free of charge, to their addresses.

All orders are executed in the same rotation as received, and to insure an early dispatch we beg to ask that our customers will kindly send us their orders as soon as possible after receiving this Catalogue, without giving any heed to the condition of the weather.

Daniels' Superior Lawn Grass Seeds.



SOMERLEYTON HALL, FROM A PHOTOGRAPH.

HINTS TO AMATEURS

IN MAKING A NEW LAWN OR TENNIS GROUND.

IN constructing a new Lawn or Tennis Court, the ground should be carefully prepared. An open level piece of ground, naturally well-drained, should, if possible, be selected; but where a good natural position is not to be obtained, the soil must be removed from the higher to the lower parts until the surface is perfectly level; and if the ground be too moist or retentive, it should be thoroughly well drained. Let the ground selected be well dug to the depth of eighteen inches or two feet, and an equal depth of soil obtained. If poor, a good coating of well-decayed manure should be incorporated with the soil. After digging, rake down level, and roll or beat the surface to an equal firmness all over. A frequent mistake is made in carting the soil on to the plot to be laid down, instead of having it wheeled on planks laid down for the purpose. The cart-rut so made is much harder than the surrounding ground, and when the natural subsidence takes place a very uneven surface is left. The surface soil to the depth of three inches should also be as nearly as possible of equal richness, in order that the grass should grow evenly and of the same colour. April and September are the best months for sowing, and the quantity of seed from a pound to the rod, or six bushels to the acre. All weeds should be removed as soon as they make their appearance, and when the grass has grown to the height of three or four inches it should be cut and rolled. Frequent cutting and rolling are of great importance where a fine, close, and soft turf is required, and an occasional dressing of **Daniels' Eureka Manure** will also be found of great service in promoting a healthy growth of the young sward. The renovating and improving of old lawns is also a work of importance at the proper season—say, in April. Daisies and other weeds should be eradicated. The holes that these weeds are taken from should be filled up with soil, which should be beaten hard into them; and the surface of the lawn ought then to be sown over moderately thick with **Finest Lawn Mixture**, and covered with another heavier sowing of sifted soil, the whole being rolled down. This rolling should be done when no fear exists of the soil adhering to the roll. It is surprising what good can be effected (to say nothing of the pleasure derived from the improved appearance) from a small outlay annually, by employing cheap labour for a short time each year, and by giving an annual surface-dressing. Grass seeds can never be fairly sown too thickly for making a new or improving an old lawn, as it is found that the thicker the seed is sown, the finer will be the turf. Where it is desired to form a turf quickly, as much as two or three pounds a rod should be sown. As many varieties of small birds are very fond of grass seeds, it will be well, when sown, to give some protection for a short time till the plants are up.

Daniels' Mixtures of Lawn Grass Seeds

FOR TENNIS LAWNS, CROQUET AND CRICKET GROUNDS, &c.

Carriage Free in quantities of not less than 2 lbs.

Mixture of Dwarf Grasses, for producing a fine close turf	...	...	...	per lb.	1s. Od.	per bush.	20s.
Fine Mixture of Dwarf Grasses, for producing a dark green velvety turf	...	...	...	..	1s. 6d.	..	25s.
Finest Mixture of Dwarf Evergreen Grasses, extra choice	...	...	...	..	2s. Od.	..	30s.

Our Lawn Grass Mixtures can be supplied with or without Clover as required.

"The Lawn I sowed with your Grass Seeds this Spring, has given great satisfaction."—Mr. W. COLLINS, Bycullah Park, N.

"The Lawn Grass Seed you sent me is wonderful. We shall be able to play tennis upon the grass this summer to the astonishment of our neighbours."—Mrs. BURKE, Rathfarnham.

Garden Economy. Seeds Carriage Free.

KITCHEN GARDEN SEEDS.



These Collections are carefully made up with seeds of finest quality in best varieties from each class, with a view of furnishing an ample supply of Choice Vegetables throughout the year, and will be found extremely valuable for those who have not sufficient time nor experience for making their own selection.

N.B.—Our Collections will be made up in the same liberal manner as heretofore. Intending purchasers will kindly bear in mind that it is only by preparing them in large numbers that we can be so liberal in the quantity of the Seeds supplied for the amount charged, and that by ordering our selections, instead of making their own, they will reap an advantage of at least 25 per cent. below the general Catalogue prices. Therefore no reduction, alteration, or substitution can be allowed in any of the collections. When ordering please quote Number and Price.

Daniels' Complete Collections.

ALL PACKAGE AND CARRIAGE FREE.

No. 1.	Contains 28 quarts of Choice Peas	{ And } { all } { other } { Seeds in } { proportion }	...	...	...	...	£5 5 0
No. 2.	Contains 20 quarts of Choice Peas		...	...	...	...	£4 4 0
No. 3.	Contains 16 quarts of Choice Peas		...	...	...	...	£3 3 0
No. 4.	Contains 10 quarts of Choice Peas		...	...	...	...	£2 2 0
No. 5.	Contains 8 quarts of Choice Peas		...	...	...	...	£1 11 6

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"I beg to inform you that the Seeds I had from you last year were a great success. I took twenty-two Prizes in our two Local Shows, one of the Prizes being a SILVER CUP for Collection of Vegetables."—Mr. J. WOODS, Surbiton.

"The Seeds which I had from you in the Spring of this year have done exceedingly well. Your Matchless Marrow is an excellent Pea, the finest and fullest I have ever grown. My gardener took First Prize for the best tray of all kinds of Vegetables grown from your Seed only at our Annual Horticultural Show."—Mrs. A. TOMLINSON, Alectree.

No. 6. Daniels' Complete Collection, £1 1 0

Package and Carriage Free. All the best kinds for succession for a Villa Garden.

14 pints - Peas	2 pkts. - Cauliflower	4 ozs. - Onion
3 pints - Broad Beans	2 pkts. - Celery	1 pkt. - Parsley
1½ pint - French Beans	1 pkt. - Couve Tronchuda	2 ozs. - Parsnip
1½ pint - Runner Beans	8 ozs. - Cress	4 ozs. - Radish
1 pkt. - Beet	2 pkts. - Cucumber	4 ozs. - Spinach
1 pkt. - Borecole	1 pkt. - Endive	3 ozs. - Turnip
1 pkt. - Brussels Sprouts	2 pkts. - Gourd or Pumpkin	1 pkt. - Vegetable Marrow
3 pkts. - Broccoli	1 pkt. - Leek	4 pkts. - Herbs, Sweet and Pot
3 pkts. - Cabbage	3 pkts. - Lettuce	2 pkts. - Tomato
½ oz. - Savoy	6 ozs. - Mustard	1 pkt. - Capsicum
3 ozs. - Carrot	1 pkt. - Melon	

No. 7. Daniels' Complete Collection, 12s. 6d.

Package and Carriage Free. All the best kinds for succession for a Small Garden.

7 pints - Peas	1½ oz. - Carrot	1 pkt. - Melon
1 pint - Broad Beans	1 pkt. - Cauliflower	2 ozs. - Onion
1 pint - French Beans	1 pkt. - Celery	1 pkt. - Parsley
1 pint - Runner Beans	4 ozs. - Cress	1 oz. - Parsnip
1 pkt. - Beet	2 pkts. - Cucumber	2 ozs. - Radish
1 pkt. - Borecole	1 pkt. - Endive	2 ozs. - Spinach
1 pkt. - Brussels Sprouts	1 pkt. - Gourd or Pumpkin	2 ozs. - Turnip
2 pkts. - Broccoli	1 pkt. - Leek	1 pkt. - Vegetable Marrow
2 pkts. - Cabbage	2 pkts. - Lettuce	3 pkts. - Herbs, Sweet and Pot
1 pkt. - Savoy	3 ozs. - Mustard	2 pkts. - Tomato

No. 8. Daniels' Complete Collection, 7s. 6d.

Package and Carriage Free. All the best kinds for succession for a Cottage Garden.

4 pints - Peas	1 oz. - Carrot	1 oz. - Onion
1 pint - Broad Beans	1 pkt. - Cauliflower	1 pkt. - Parsley
½ pint - French Beans	1 pkt. - Celery	1 oz. - Parsnip
½ pint - Runner Beans	2 ozs. - Cress	2 ozs. - Radish
1 pkt. - Beet	1 pkt. - Cucumber	1 oz. - Spinach
1 pkt. - Borecole	1 pkt. - Gourd	1 oz. - Turnip
1 pkt. - Brussels Sprouts	2 pkts. - Lettuce	1 pkt. - Vegetable Marrow
1 pkt. - Broccoli	1 pkt. - Leek	2 pkts. - Herbs
1 pkt. - Savoy	1 oz. - Mustard	1 pkt. - Tomato
1 pkt. - Cabbage		

No. 9. Daniels' Cottager's Collection, 5s. 0d.

Package and Carriage Free. Thirty varieties for succession, including Peas and Beans.

No. 10. The Cottager's Packet, 2s. 9d. Post Free.

Containing sixteen varieties of choice Vegetable Seeds, including fair quantities of Peas, Onion, Radish, Lettuce, Carrot, Cabbage, &c. This is a very cheap collection which can be highly recommended.

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

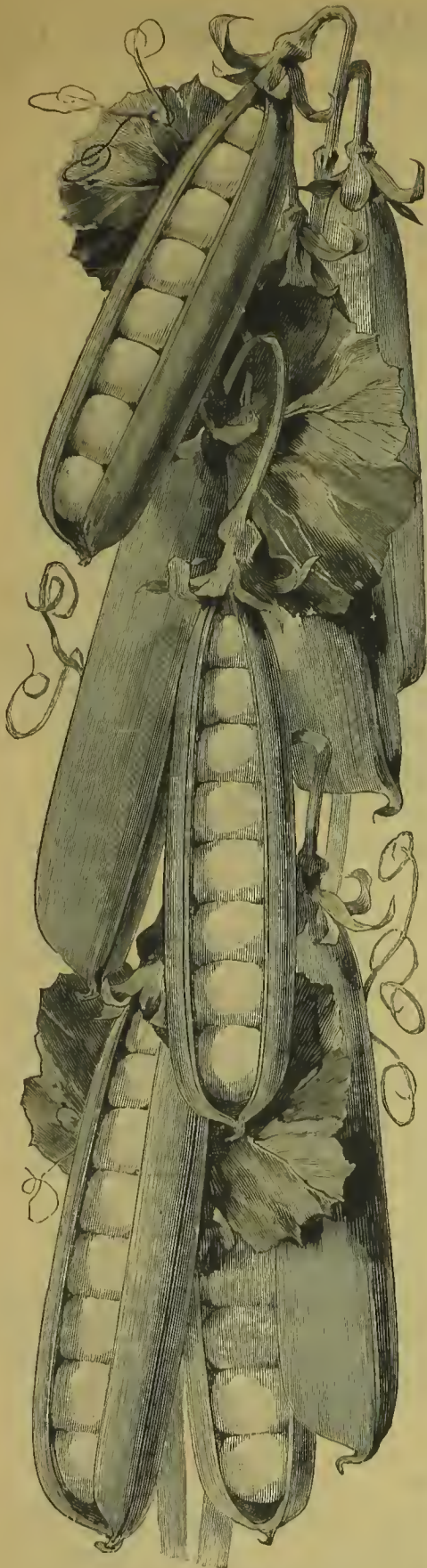
"Your 7s. 6d. Collection has given me satisfaction this last two years."—Mr. R. F. LIVERMORE, St. Albans.

"The 2s. 6d. Collection of Vegetable Seeds I had from you gave great satisfaction. I shall be only too pleased to recommend you to any of my friends."—Mr. H. CARRICK, S. Croydon.

"Please forward another 5s. Box of Seeds (K.G.) I received the other and it has given me great satisfaction."—Mr. D. STEEL, Noel Park.

"The Collection of Seeds I had from you this Spring gives me great satisfaction. I have recommended many of my friends to you."—Mr. G. PEARTREE, Stratford.

Peas.



DANIELS' NEW PEA—GEM OF THE SEASON.

Cultivation.—The Pea is one of our most important crops, and to be successfully grown, must be liberally treated. A deep rich soil, well pulverized and incorporated with a fair allowance of well-decayed manure, should be chosen for the principal crop in summer. For early Peas the ground does not require to be so rich. Sowings of **William the First**, **Gem of the Season**, and other first early varieties should be made in November, December, and January. The second early sorts, including **Lye's Favorite**, **Supreme**, and **Gladiator**, three splendid varieties, may be sown in February, and others including **Daniels' Matchless Marrow**, **Yorkshire Hero**, **Veitch's Perfection**, **Ne Plus Ultra**, and **Maincrop Marrow** for main crops, from March to the end of May. For last crop sow a few of the first early varieties in June or July.

In sowing Peas those of ordinary height should be in drills three or four feet apart; the taller varieties five or six feet. They can also be grown to advantage in rows twelve feet apart, and some other crop between them, as by this means both sides of the row get the full benefit of light and air, and yield a greater abundance of pods. When a crop is grown between the rows, the rows should run, if possible, from north to south, to give both the Peas and the intervening crop free access to the sunlight.

Staking up should be commenced when they are three inches high. The dwarf varieties may be grown without sticks, but all are benefited by being kept from the ground. Peas, when making their appearance above ground, are very subject to the depredations of sparrows, &c.; this may be easily prevented by placing a short stout stick at each end of the row, and then leading from one to the other a single black thread or cotton at a distance above the ground of two or three inches. We have found this by experience to be at once the most simple and efficacious remedy that will apply with equal benefit to any kind of seed subject to the depredations of birds, whether sown in drills or seed beds: if the latter, the threads should be stretched from end to end at intervals of about nine inches.

Section I.—Earliest Varieties.

DANIELS' NEW PEA.—Gem of the Season.

The earliest Pea in cultivation. Height three feet, and very prolific. This magnificent early Pea is the most valuable for general use ever sent out. Is always the earliest, whether sown in Autumn, Winter, or Spring. Is also the hardiest, resisting frost better than any other kind, and is not affected by mildew. Being very prolific and of a most delicious flavour, will be found most desirable for marketing, and invaluable for the private garden. New selected stock

ht. pr quart.
in ft. s. d.

... 3 2 0

"The Peas, **Gem of the Season**, gave great satisfaction, both as regards quality and quantity. They came in quite three weeks before any of our neighbours' peas, though they were planted in a very cold and exposed part of the garden."—**Mr. W. H. NEVELL**, Chittisham.

"The Peas I received from you this Season have turned out to my satisfaction. The **Matchless Marrow** is admired by all who see it. **Gem of the Season** very good."—**Mr. J. SHAPLAND**, Tawstock.

American Wonder. A first early Pea, some days in advance of William the First . For small gardens it is unsurpassed, owing to its earliness, productiveness, and the small space it occupies	...	...	1	2	0
Blue Beauty (new). A blue round, dwarf compact habit, very prolific, and good flavour	...	...	1½	2	0
Lightning. Very early variety	...	...	3	1	6
Dillistone's First Early. Very early. Known also as Carter's First Crop and Sutton's Ringleader	...	...	3-4	1	0
Early Sunrise. Very hardy and prolific	...	...	2½	1	0
Earliest of All. A round blue-seeded Pea of excellent and rich flavour; is dwarfer than Ringleader , more prolific	...	...	2	1	6
Early Paragon. A blue wrinkled Marrow of fine flavour. It is the earliest of the large wrinkled marrows	...	...	4-5	2	0
Kentish Invicta. A fine early blue Pea	...	...	2½	1	3
Little Gem (McLean's)	...	...	1	1	6
Sangster's No. 1	...	...	3	0	9
Sangster's No. 1 Improved. Extra select stock	...	...	2½	1	6
William Hurst. An early blue wrinkled variety, similar to American Wonder . An abundant bearer, of first-rate quality: as an early Pea it should be grown in every garden	...	...	1	2	0
William the First. One of the finest early green Marrows, combining flavour, earliness, and productiveness	...	...	3	1	6
William the First. Selected stock	...	...	3	2	0

Peas (continued).

Section II.—Second Early & Main Crops.

ht. pr quart.
in ft. s. d.

NEW PEA.—THE DANIELS. This grand new Pea is the result of a cross between Best of All and Alpha, and is quite distinct. The haulm is robust, and grows about four feet in height, is of light green colour, up to the present it has exhibited no trace of mildew. The pods are long and handsome, averaging five to six inches in length, and filled with ten to twelve delicious marrow peas of exquisite flavour; it is a main-crop variety, and will take a high place for exhibition purposes, while its heavy cropping qualities will recommend it to the market grower In sealed half-pint pkts. 1s. 6d. 4 —

NEW PEA.—DANIELS' MATCHLESS MARROW. Height four feet, bearing a profusion of handsome well-filled pods, each containing ten to twelve large Marrow Peas of the most delicious flavour. For use late in the season this Pea is unequalled, and cannot fail to become a leading kind for market purposes, possessing as it does all the good qualities of Ne Plus Ultra and Veitch's Perfection combined (see illustration back of coloured plate) per pint 1s. 9d. 4 3 0

"I am glad to inform you I grew your Matchless Marrow Peas this season for the first time. The pods are from 5½ to 6 inches long, and average ten and eleven peas in a pod, and have been much admired by the many who saw them. The flavour is most delicious, in fact they are unsurpassed."—Mr. A. SLOW, Great Bentley.

"I have taken First Prize with your Matchless Marrow Pea this year as well as last, against a great number of competitors, and they were by far the best dish of peas in the Show, and I think, without doubt, they are the best pea in cultivation for exhibition or for market purposes; a very heavy cropper."—Mr. W. HILL, Cruwys Morchard.

"I am pleased to say I took First Prize with your Matchless Marrow Peas at the Nuneaton Flower Show, on the 18th July, beating twenty competitors."—Mr. J. MARSTON, Nuneaton.

"I have pleasure in informing you that I took three First Prizes with your Matchless Marrow Peas. I consider this the grandest pea in cultivation."—Mr. E. NELMES, Ferndale.

"Your Matchless Marrow Peas took First Prize wherever I showed them. I have shown them five times, and taken as many prizes."—Mr. H. SMITH, Ambergate.

"I am very pleased to tell you that I took First Prize for Matchless Marrow Peas at the Bishop's Waltham Horticultural Society's Show. The peas were splendid in size and shape of pods."—Mr. HARRIS, Messing Ford.

"I am very pleased to inform you that I took First Prize with your New Pea, Daniels' Matchless Marrow, which I exhibited at Buckingham Horticultural Show on July 26th."—Mr. S. DUNKLEY, Lillingstone.

"Your Matchless Marrow Pea has done remarkably well, I shall grow more next year."—Mr. J. WHYMAN, Derby.

Daniels' Early Long-pod. The want of a good Early Long-pod Pea for market purposes has long been felt by every one. It grows to the height of four feet, and comes into use closely following the first-early kinds, and bearing a heavy crop of fine long pods, having ten to twelve peas in each 4 2 0

Duke of Albany. A fine long-podded variety. One of the best for exhibition, and of very fine flavour 4 5 2 6

Leicester Defiance. A most profitable variety for picking green. It is of the same class as Prize-taker, being very hardy can be sown with success in the Autumn 4 1 0

Gladiator. The plant is very robust and vigorous, stem branched, growing about three feet in height, exceedingly productive, bearing in pairs an abundance of long, curved, handsome pods, which are very closely filled with medium-sized peas of excellent quality. First Class Certificate, R.H.S. 3 1 6

Nelson's Vanguard. A fine second early wrinkled Marrow; haulm densely covered from the bottom with fine handsome pods, well filled with peas of excellent flavour 2½ 1 6

Stratagem. This is a splendid variety, with pods five to six inches in length, containing eight to ten large fine-flavoured peas. First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society 2 2 6

TELEGRAPH. A valuable market variety of first-class quality 4 1 6

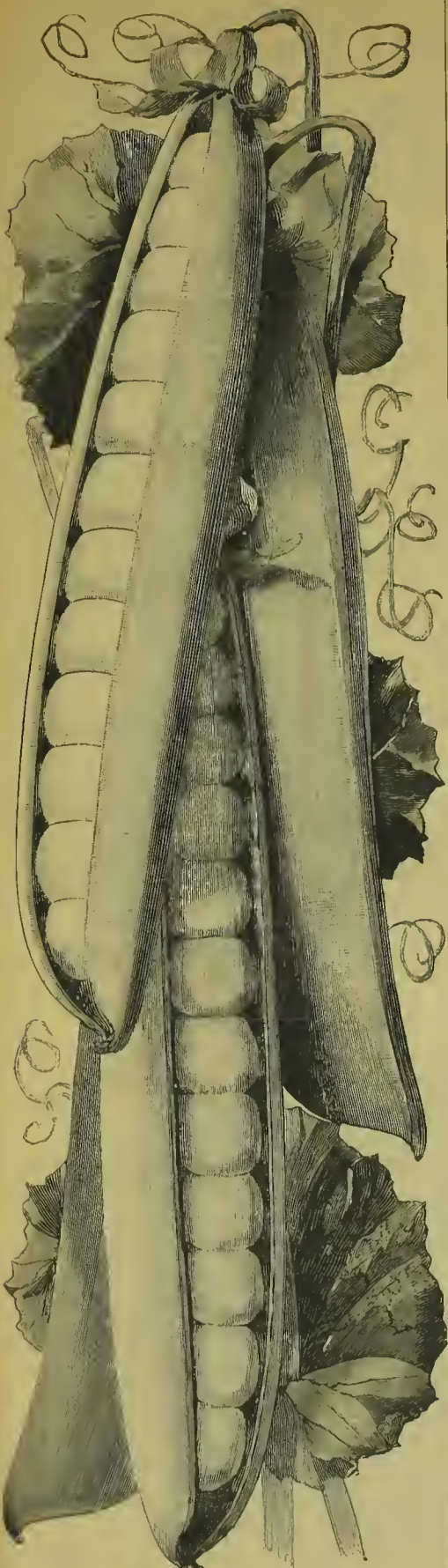
Champion of England or Fortyfold 5 1 3

Harrison's Glory. Large blue variety 3 0 9

Fillbasket (Laxton) 3 1 6

Supreme (Laxton). This is a first-class blue round Pea, and an enormous bearer 4 1 0

PRIZE-TAKER 4 1 0



NEW PEA—THE DANIELS.

Peas (continued).

Section II.—Second Early and Main Crops (continued).

LYE'S FAVOURITE. This magnificent Pea was raised by Mr. James Lye, Clyffe Hall, Markot Lavington, Wilts. First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society. It is a second early variety, bearing a profusion of handsomely curved pods, well filled with delicious Marrow Peas. Ten to eleven peas in a pod 3½ 1 6

See illustration opposite page.

"I have much pleasure in sending you a specimen of the Pea I got from you this year, **Lye's Favourite**. It is the best Pea I ever had, and has done splendidly in my garden. It is a perfect picture; my friends are all delighted with it."—**MR. MANSFIELD**, Clifden.

"Your **Lye's Favourite** Pea for a second crop are the finest I have ever seen or grown. Large pods, ten to twelve peas in a pod, and the wonder of hundreds who have visited our gardens."—**MR. YALLOP**, The Gardens, Framlingham Hall.

Section III.—For Late and Main Crops.

DANIELS' MAIN CROP MARROW. We have great pleasure in stating that this splendid Marrow Pea has stood the test of several years and has become a favourite. It is of the same flavour as the old No Plus Ultra; but the pods are longer. It is very prolific, and should be largely grown as a Main Crop Pea for all purposes ... per pint 1s. 6d. 4 2 6

"I must mention now, and thank you for sending out **Daniels' Main Crop Marrow** Pea. It is a grand variety, and is the most valuable for general crop ever sent out."—**MR. F. ALDIS**, Taunton.

"The **Main Crop** and **Matchless Marrow Peas** are very fine; they are a picture worth seeing."—**MR. S. COSSTICK**, Pavensye.

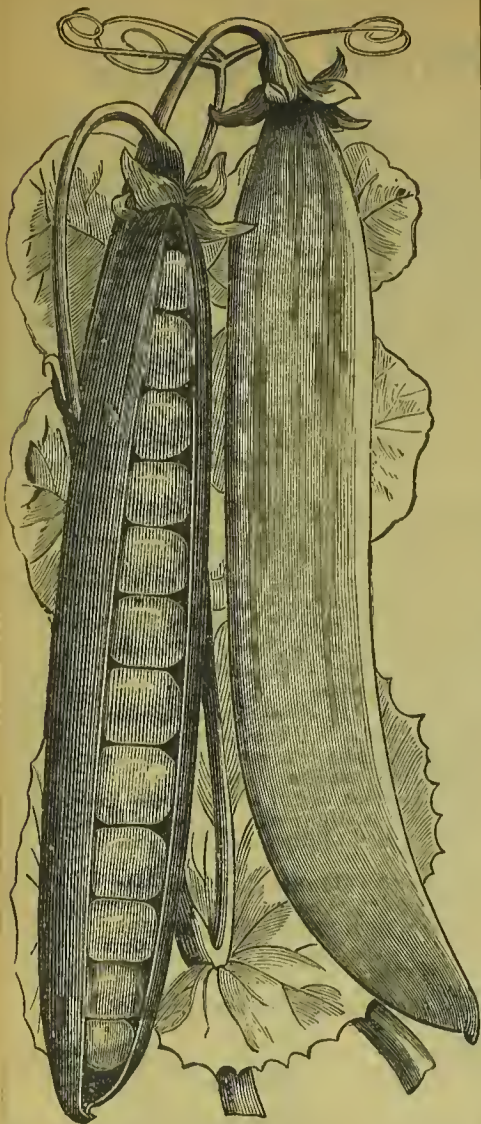
Dr. Maclean. A blue wrinkled Marrow, of vigorous growth, wonderfully productive, flavour of the first quality ... 3½ 1 6
Maclean's Wonderful, or Prince of Wales ... 3 1 9
Queen (Sharpe). A blue wrinkled Marrow Pea of sturdy branching habit. It requires to be sown thinly. The pods are large, dark green, slightly curved, and well filled; the peas are of delicious flavour when cooked ... 2-2½ 2 6
Parrott's Prolific. This fine blue wrinkled Marrow is of the Veitch's Perfection type, but more sturdy in its habit, and shorter in the haulm (about 2½ feet), bearing a profusion of well-filled pods, six to eight large peas in each, of a most delicate marrow flavour ... 2½ 2 6
Yorkshire Hero. A fine dwarf Marrow Pea of the Veitch's Perfection type, is very prolific, bearing a profusion of well-filled pods, containing six to eight large peas each; flavour first-class ... 2½ 1 6
Triumph (Sharpe). A blue wrinkled Marrow, of exquisite flavour; the pods are long and well filled, each containing nine to eleven large peas. In constitution it is robust and hardy ... 2-3 1 6
Telephone First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society. This fine variety is good either for exhibition or market purposes 4½ 2 0
NE PLUS ULTRA. Delicious Marrow Pea, very prolific, quality first-class, fine for general crop ... 6 1 3
NE PLUS ULTRA. Extra select stock ... 6 2 0
British Queen. Very long pods, productive, quality first-class, a great bearer ... 6 2 0
Oxford Tom. A well-known variety of fine flavour ... 6-8 2 0
Veitch's Perfection Marrow ... 3 1 3
Veitch's Perfection Marrow. Extra select stock ... 3 2 0
Walton Hero (Laxton). Raised from a cross between Telephone and British Queen. Walton Hero is a very fine podded, main crop variety ... 5 2 6

"I just drop you a line to say how satisfied I am with the Seeds you sent me. The **Matchless Marrow** Pea has been admired by many in this neighbourhood; not only a good large Pea, but of excellent quality, and unsurpassed here. The **Gem** Pea has been a cropper, and I have been picking from them since June, and still they come; this also is a delicious Pea."—**A. LINDSEY**, Esq., Clifton.

"The **Matchless Marrow** Pea I had from you, through a friend of mine, this year proved to be as good as the testimonials stated, for I had a great many 5½ inches long, and quite three inches round."—**MR. J. PATRIDGE**, Bazel.



DANIELS' MAIN CROP MARROW.



LYE'S FAVOURITE.

Peas (continued).

NEW AND SELECT VARIETIES.

A quarter-pint of Peas sown thinly will plant a row of about twelve yards.

ht. pr quart.
in ft. s. d.

- Epicure.** Awarded Full Marks by the Royal Horticultural Society. A green wrinkled Marrow, producing an abundance of large, deep green, pointed pods, containing from nine to twelve large peas of the highest quality, which retain their beautiful green colour when cooked; a Pea of very great merit.
In sealed quarter-pint packets 1s. 6d. 5 —
- Censor.** Awarded Full Marks by the Royal Horticultural Society. A deep green wrinkled Marrow, producing most profusely large, deep green, well-filled, pointed pods; peas large, and of the most exquisite flavour; fine, robust grower; a most desirable variety.
In sealed quarter-pint packets 1s. 6d. 3 —
- Superabundant.** This is a dwarf Marrow Pea, deep green in colour, an immense cropper. A fine market Pea of the finest quality.
In sealed quarter-pint packets 1s. 6d. 2½ —
- Autocrat.** First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society. Is of exceedingly robust habit, much branched, foliage of a dark lustrous green. Owing to its strong constitution, it is perfectly free from mildew per pint 1s. 6d. 4 2 6
- Essential.** A late wrinkled Marrow, very prolific; pods of a dark green colour, well filled with large fine-flavoured peas, which retain their beautiful colour when cooked 5 2 0
- Exonian.** This is claimed by the raiser to be an entirely new sort. It is a First Early Wrinkled Marrow; very productive. The haulm, which is thickly covered with pods containing six to eight peas of fine flavour, is rather light and pale green in colour. Awarded a First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society
per pint 1s. 6d. 3 2 6
- Ambassador.** Awarded a Certificate of Merit by the Royal Horticultural Society. A main-crop Wrinkled Pea, producing profusely long, deep green, well-filled pods, the peas are of the finest flavour, and retain their beautiful colour when cooked.
In sealed half-pint packets 1s. 5 3 0
- Consummate.** Awarded a First Class Certificate by the Royal Horticultural Society. A main-crop green wrinkled Marrow, producing a great abundance of long well-filled pods; a pea of exquisite flavour. Being dwarf, and a very heavy cropper, it is well adapted for field culture.
In sealed half-pint packets 1s. 2½ 3 0
- English Wonder (new).** A great improvement on the well-known American Wonder, in earliness, productiveness, length of pod and flavour, and being somewhat dwarfer than that variety cannot fail to become a general favourite. In sealed half-pint packets 1s. 1 3 0



ENGLISH WONDER.

- The Echo.** Awarded a First Class Certificate by the Royal Horticultural Society, 1891. A most prolific, dwarf, wrinkled Marrow, coming in ten days before Ronow, of very superior quality 2 2 0
- Shropshire Hero.** Awarded a First Class Certificate by the Royal Horticultural Society. A Wrinkled Pea of robust growth; second early; produces abundantly long, square, handsome, well-filled pods; well adapted for market growers; flavour exquisite. A great acquisition ... 2½ 2 0
- Heroine.** A wrinkled Marrow, of robust growth; second early; producing most abundantly long pointed well-filled pods; flavour exquisite; fine for field culture 2½ 2 0

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"The English Wonder Peas I had from you have done uncommonly well with me, likewise your Matchless Marrow Peas, my neighbours say they never saw such a sight."—Mr. J. BOTHAMBY, Mansfield.

Broad Beans.

Cultivation.—These succeed best in a deep, stiff, loamy soil, moderately enriched, and once the seed is sown require little attention, beyond earthing the plants up well by drawing the soil freely against them on either side, when the young plants are a few inches high. Immediately the plants have ceased blooming pinch off the points beyond the blooms, and should the weather prove very dry it will conduce to more quick cropping to damp the blooms over with water from a syringe, or otherwise. Early Mazagan and Long-pod varieties should be sown in November and again in February and March for early crops. Sow also at the same time during the latter months **Daniels' Norfolk Giant**, the best of all Broad Beans, Windsor, and Seville Long-pod, or other main crop varieties. Draw drill rows deeply, or about three inches deep, with a wide hoe, and plant the seeds in two rows, at about half-a-foot distance in each row apart, and each at right angles with the associate row. Sow the dwarfs in rows eighteen inches apart, and the tall varieties thirty inches apart.

	per quart—s. d.
DANIELS' NORFOLK GIANT LONG-POD. The longest-podded Bean known, growing from twelve to eighteen inches in length, of a handsome uniform shape. First-class for exhibition, obtains first prize wherever exhibited	2 0
DANIELS' MAMMOTH WINDSOR. An exceedingly large-podded, very prolific variety; a great improvement, strongly recommended	1 6
Daniels' Scarlet Windsor	1 6
Beck's Green Gem. Excellent for small gardens	1 3
Broad Windsor (Taylor's). Fine selected stock	0 9
Giant Seville Long-pod. A very fine long-podded variety. First Class Certificate, R.H.S.	1 6
Green Long-pod. Fine flavour and delicately green	0 10
Green Windsor (or Nonpareil). Abundant bearer	1 0
Harlington Windsor. Larger and finer pods than the old Windsor	1 0
Johnson's Wonderful (Mackie's Monarch)	0 6
Mazagan. Small, early, and hardy	0 6
Minster Giant Long-pod. Large and prolific	0 9

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"I have gathered one of your Norfolk Giant Beans, which is 18½ inches long and 4½ inches in circumference. About fifty persons have seen it measured."—**Mr. W. POUND, Jun.,** New Road, Chippenham.

"I am very pleased with your Long-pod Beans. I have some 15 inches, in fact, the biggest in Newark."—**Mr. EDWIN GABBITTS,** Newark.

"I took First Prize for your Norfolk Giant Bean against eighteen entries."—**Mr. C. BAKER,** Crosecombe.

"I have taken First Prize with your Norfolk Giant Long-pod Beans three years in succession."—**Mr. J. LAWRENCE,** Blagdon.

"I took First Prize two years with your Norfolk Giant Beans. They were quite a wonder."—**Mr. RAMSBOTTOM,** West Holywell.

"I had some of your Giant Norfolk Long-pod Beans, the pods measuring 16½ inches."—**Mr. G. DAVIES,** Hereford.

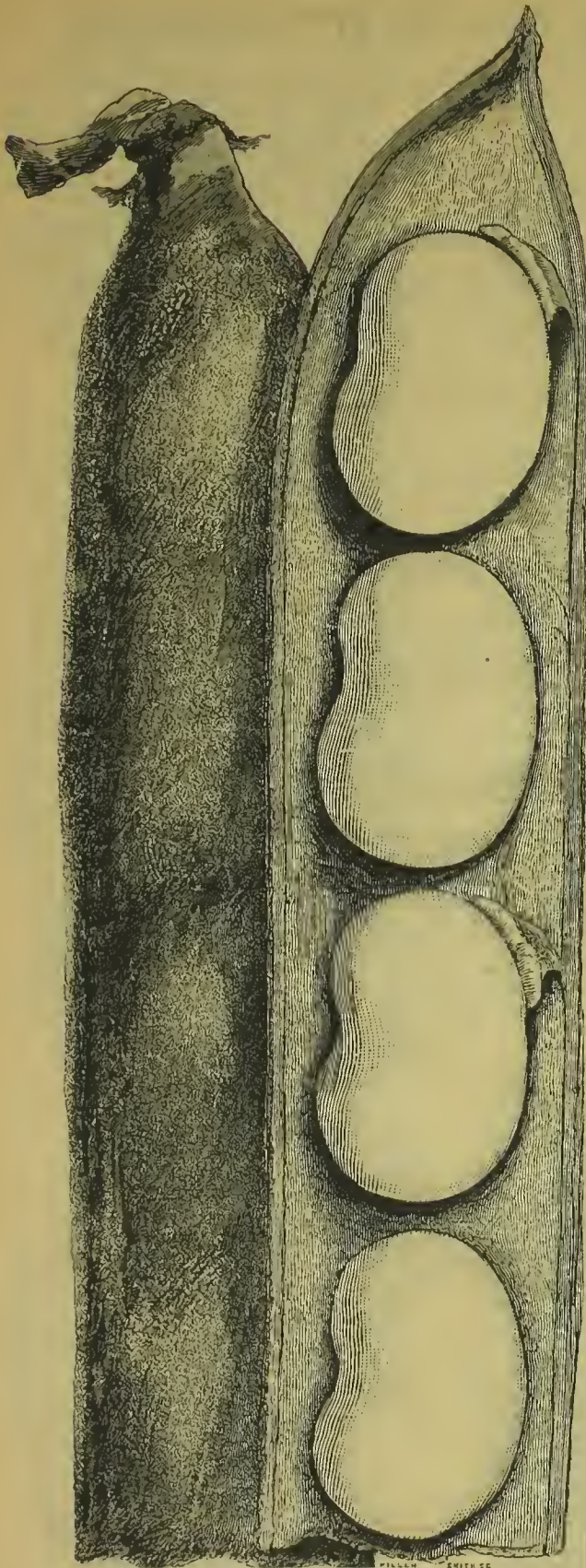
"I am pleased to tell you that your Norfolk Giant Long-pod Bean took First, Second, and Third Prizes, at Worksop, last Thursday, and they are likely to take another Prize or two next Monday."—**Mr. G. HOWARD,** North Carlton.

"I am pleased to inform you that from the English Wonder Peas and Giant Long-pod Beans, I have a splendid show, the Beans reaching 14 inches in length."—**Mr. BLACKMAN,** Walmer.

"Your Seeds done remarkably well last time. The Lettuce turned out very fine, many measuring 1 foot in diameter, and standing a long time without running; also your Norfolk Giant Broad Bean, pods 16½ inches in length, from nine to ten Beans in a pod, and flavour all that could be desired. Duke of Albany Pea an excellent crop, one of the best Peas of the Season."—**Mr. T. WILLIAMS,** Pontypriid.

"You will be pleased to hear I took a First, and a Special First, and a Second Prize at three separate Shows, held within three weeks of each other, for your Norfolk Giant Long-pod Beans."—**Mr. T. H. BRYANT,** Laxfield.

"I have much pleasure in announcing that your Seeds turned out wonderfully well at our Show, and gained fifteen First Prizes. I took First Prize for your Long-pod Beans."—**Mr. H. COPPING,** Blood Hall



DANIELS' NORFOLK GIANT LONG-POD.

18½ inches long, grown by W. Pound, jun. (see Testimonial).

Dwarf French or Kidney Beans.



DANIELS' GIANT WHITE RUNNER.

Cultivation.—Sow from 1st of May to 1st July, in drills two feet apart; thin out the plants to nine inches or one foot apart. They may also be sown earlier under glass, in boxes or pans, and afterwards transplanted when three inches high where intended to stand. A light rich soil and warm situation suit them best, and frequent hoeings and thoroughly clean culture are highly essential.

	per quart—s. d.
DANIELS' FIRST EARLY. The finest first early Kidney Bean in cultivation; an extraordinary cropper. Pods medium length, unstained, of excellent quality and particularly tender	2 6
Buff. Very early	0 10
Canadian Wonder. Abundant bearer, very fleshy and tender	1 3
EARLY BLACK WONDER. The hardiness and productiveness of the plant, the size and appearance of the pods (rich light green in colour), show that both quality and quantity are together combined in this excellent variety ...	1 6
Early Golden Butter (dwarf). Pods thick and fleshy, nearly transparent, and of a bright yellow colour, which is retained when boiled	2 0
Early Prince Albert. One of the earliest and most prolific	1 6
Fulmer's Early Forcing	1 3
Negro. Long-pod	1 3
NE PLUS ULTRA. It is enormously productive both in doors and out. First Class Certificate R.H.S.	1 6
Newington Wonder (or Nonsuch). Early	1 0
Osborn's Early Forcing	1 3
Robin's Egg (or Chinese)	1 0
"The Monster" Negro. First Class Certificate, R.H.S.	1 9
Williams' Early Prolific	1 6
All kinds mixed	1 0

Runner Beans.

Cultivation.—Plant from end of April to middle of June, on well-manured land, in rows four feet apart; mould and stake up when three or four inches high, and frequently pinch as they surmount the stakes.

	per quart—s. d.
DANIELS' GIANT WHITE. This is without doubt the finest type of Runner Bean extant, bearing in profusion long, green, thick, fleshy pods, upwards of twelve inches in length, and nearly two inches in breadth. This variety, besides the best for culinary purposes, will also be found a grand exhibition kind (scarce) ... per pint 1s. 9d.	3 0
TITAN (<i>see Novelties</i>) sealed pkt. 1s. 6d.	—
CHAMPION or GIANT. Excellent variety, pods nearly double the size of the old Scarlet Runner; an abundant cropper and highly recommended	1 6
GIRTFORD GIANT. This is an immense variety of the Scarlet Runner; pods exceedingly thick, fleshy, and of extraordinary size	2 0
Mont d'Or or Golden Wax Runner. Very early and productive, tender and fleshy. First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society	2 0
Painted Lady. Scarlet and white blossom, very ornamental	1 6
FILLBASKET. Pods from twelve to fourteen inches in length, of a bright green colour. It was awarded a silver medal at the Hamburg Exhibition, September, 1887	per pint 1s. 6d.
NE PLUS ULTRA (Neal's). A fine variety for Exhibition and main crop, producing an enormous quantity of extraordinary pods of splendid form, from ten to fourteen inches long, and quite straight. To grow it to perfection each bean should be planted one foot apart in the row	2 0
Giant White. Remarkably fine and distinct variety	1 9
Ruby. So named from colour of pods ... per pint 1s. 6d.	—
Scarlet. Best for general crop	1 0
White Dutch or Caseknife. Very prolific and of good quality	1 3
Mixed. All sorts	1 0

"At the Annual Flower Show held here, three First, four Second, and three Third Prizes from the Seed supplied by you. The **Runner Beans** did remarkably well, one measuring 11½ inches."—**JOSEPH THATCHER**, Ambergate.

Artichokes.

		per oz.—s.	d.
Green Globe.	Seed	...	1 0
Purple	"	...	1 0

For Jerusalem and Globe Artichokes, see page 52.

Asparagus.

Cultivation.—This, one of the finest vegetables in creation, is a general favourite, and were its medicinal qualities fully known would, considering its easy culture, be more extensively grown, and the wonder is, why all who possess any form of garden, short of an allotment, do not grow it plentifully. Nor does the preparation, and subsequent support required by the bed exceed that of other crops, if, indeed, it is nearly so much, whilst the bulk of the produce, if taken account of, perhaps exceeds that of most kinds, and that of a quality we need not record words of praise to here. We would most impressively urge our customers to make Asparagus the first and most important consideration in planting a kitchen garden.

Asparagus likes a moderately consistent soil, and one both moisture absorbing and transmitting, or such as does not retain an excess of latent moisture. In view of this a good drained quarter is best for it, and that on a site both open and sunny. To work the bed properly, it should be deeply trenched, adding manure of any green or coarse kind plentifully to the bottom of the trenches, and such as is more decomposed and shorter, near to the upper soil. If the bed becomes somewhat elevated in the operation, so much the better. Where good subsoil exists, and the necessary labour referred to above cannot be afforded, even then, rather than have no Asparagus bed, we advise all to thoroughly manure and dig the site most approved, and make a plantation at once. Even so treated, it will afford much and fairly good useful produce.

Asparagus plants are easily grown from seed. A rich nursery bed should be made for them, and if it can be made upon a firm bottom, and where it can be kept well manured-watered, so much the better. Sow the seeds in thin drill rows at from one to three feet apart, according to the desire that exists to grow very strong young plants. Thin the seedlings out well when they are up, and keep them free from weeds. Seeds may be sown to form plants permanently upon the beds whereon they are to stand and grow. It is best, however, to plant one year old seedlings.

The young plants may be planted during March and the first week in April, either upon beds which have been formed some four feet wide, having alleys of two feet in width between, or in rows from three to five feet apart across the whole piece, but not less than the former. Plant them in trenches or deep drill rows shovelled out, and somewhat thickly in the rows, covering them over with about three inches of soil. Always so manipulate the soil as to be able to spread the roots out straight all around.

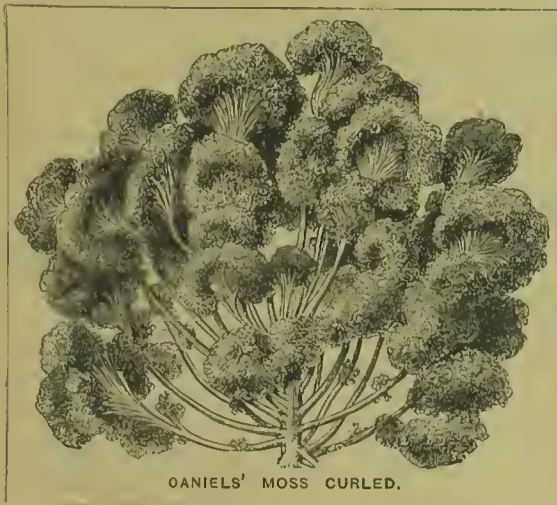
In the Autumn, as soon as the stems turn quite yellow, cut them off below and remove them, well hoeing the ground and raking all litter off neatly. In January of the following year give a thorough good dressing of decayed manure, and a sprinkling of salt. With good cultivation till the plants are three years old, they are fit to cut from. Cut all the "blades" both large and small as they form. Cease cutting each year as soon as a fair supply has been obtained, as to do so proves a material guarantee for subsequent fine produce.

		per lb.—s.	d.
Asparagus (True Giant)	...	4s.	0 4
" Connover's Colossal.	A very large variety	6s.	0 6
EARLY GIANT PURPLE.	As grown by the celebrated French growers for Paris Market; robust variety of the most delicious flavour	7s.	0 8

For Plants, see page 53.

Borecole or Kale.

Cultivation, see Cabbage.



DANIELS' MOSS CURLED.

	per pkt. s. d.	per oz. s. d.
DANIELS' DWARF EXQUISITE. A dwarf compact-growing variety, leaves exquisitely curled and fringed, most valuable for garnishing, it is also well adapted for culinary purposes, presenting a pleasing appearance when cooked	0 6	1 6
DANIELS' MOSS CURLED. Of medium height, very hardy, with foliage beautifully curled	0 6	1 6
Cottagers'. Exceedingly hardy	0 3	0 8
Dwarf Green Curled. Very hardy, dwarf-steamed, flavour very mild, colour dark green when cooked, the best for general crop	0 3	0 8
Tall Green Curled. The Tall Scotch Kale	0 3	0 8
Variegated or Garnishing. A fine curled-leaved variety, beautifully variegated, very useful and ornamental for garnishing, also valuable for Winter gardening	0 4	1 0

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"Your Broccoli, Cabbage, &c., served splendidly last year, and your Lettuce was excellent."—**Rev. J. C. EDWARDS**, Aylesbury.

"I must say that during my many years' practical experience, I have never got Seeds to give me so much satisfaction as yours. The Seeds supplied last year did remarkably well."—**Mr. P. BRADY**, Waterslade.

"I am pleased to tell you that I took twenty-two prizes at our Show held on July 7th, twelve First and ten Second, mostly from your Seeds."—**Mr. A. BOOTY, P.C.**, Chippenham.



DANIELS' CRIMSON PERFECTION.

Beet.

Cultivation.—This is one of our most valuable vegetables, and destined to take a high place amongst them. The culture is extremely simple. A free open soil suits it best; and to grow it well a shallow bastard trench should be worked sixteen to twenty inches deep, at the very bottom of which a layer of good unctuous manure should be laid. Do not manure the layer of soil above, but fork it over just before sowing the seeds. Make an early sowing about the 10th of April, and a main sowing about the 5th of May. Sow in shallow drill rows twenty inches apart, or even less if a short-top kind is chosen, as by this means the ground is better protected from the too scorching rays of the sun. The seedlings should be thinned out to about six or eight inches "atween" plants, or even more if large kinds are grown, which is not advisable. Hoe them occasionally during the whole Summer to ensure both the destruction of weeds and that a free soil exists around them. The earlier sown might be drawn for use as soon as they have become large enough. Take the main crop up within a week of October 1st, and during a dry day. Every root must be taken up carefully and with a fork, so as not to break off a single fibre, which is essential to their future merits both as regards colour and flavour when cooked. Never cut the leaves off; but twist them off with the hands. We would direct special attention to **Daniels' Crimson Perfection Salad**, which will be found a most useful and splendid variety. Also **Dracæna-leaved**; this latter, a highly desirable variety for the Flower Garden.



EGYPTIAN, TURNIP-ROOTED.

DANIELS' CRIMSON PERFECTION SALAD.

per oz.—8.

A new dark-leaved variety with crimson flesh, of excellent quality.			
An acquisition in the way of ornamental Beet, having deep blood red foliage with metallic hue; fine for flower-garden decoration and for salads		per pkt. 6d.	1 6
DANIELS' BLACK QUEEN.	Fine new dark-leaved variety	per pkt. 6d.	1 6
Dark Red Salad			0 6
Dell's Black.	A fine dark-foliaged variety	per pkt. 4d.	1 0
Egyptian Dark Red Turnip-rooted.	One of the best for Summer Salads, as it comes into maturity very early	per pkt. 3d.	0 10
Eclipse.	A fine early Turnip-rooted variety		4d. 1 0
Henderson's Pine Apple.	Dark-leaved		3d. 0 9
Nutting's Dwarf Red.	Fine dark foliage		3d. 0 10
OMEGA.	A useful variety		4d. 1 0
DRACÆNA-LEAVED.	A highly ornamental variety for the Flower Garden. The leaves are fine, long, and of a deep rich crimson. The root is of fine quality and excellent color. A most desirable variety, both for ornamental and culinary purposes	per pkt. 6d.	1 6
Ornamental Chilean.	Non-edible; a strikingly handsome variety; invaluable for subtropical and ornamental gardening	per pkt. 6d.	1 6
Silver Sea Kale or Spinach Beet.	The leaves make an excellent substitute for Spinach	per pkt. 4d.	1 0

Broccoli.

Cultivation.—As the aim of every cultivator should be to grow as constant a succession of this very valuable vegetable as possible, hence it will be necessary not only to make occasional sowings, but also to choose several distinct varieties so to treat. The first sowing should be made early in March in a gentle heat, and this should consist of Snow's Winter White, and also, if possible, Oshoru's Winter White. Make other and successive sowings about once a fortnight, commencing about April 10th. In regard to culture these require a peculiar kind of soil, viz., one that is at once consistent and somewhat stiff, yet such as does not hold moisture in any great degree. The site these are to be planted upon cannot be worked too deeply, or manured too heavily, and it should always, where practicable, be trenched a month or two before the time for planting arrives. Take advantage of damp weather upon which to forward all transplanting work. The seedlings should be transplanted thickly on to what is termed nursery beds, at distances of about five inches apart. Thin out the strongest plants to treat thus, permitting the smaller ones to remain in the seed bed until they become large enough for final transplanting. So soon as the early sown plants become large enough for the latter purpose, transplant them into drill rows previously drawn for them at distances of three feet apart, and allowing a similar distance between each plant in the row. The later Winter crops should be planted a foot less apart all ways. No opportunity should be missed to give them good waterings during all subsequent dry periods, and manure water will aid them greatly. Always take care to cut the heads for use immediately the "flower" is seen through or between the apices of the leaves. It is a commendable practice to cut the top or chief head off all "sprouting" kinds so soon as it is seen to have produced the necessary bulk. The late Autumn kinds should always be protected by means of bracken fern, straw, or any similar material at the approach of frost, or if the "heads" are fit for use the plants may be drawn bodily and hung up in any cool shed until required for use. Our own specialities in this class, viz., **Daniels' Norfolk Giant**, a splendid kind, which has been grown to the enormous weight of 28 lbs., should be sown in March and April for cutting the following Spring; whilst **Daniels' King of the Broccoli**, the best late variety in cultivation, should be sown in April and May for cutting in May and June the following season.

Broccoli (continued).



DANIELS' NORFOLK GIANT.

First Division.

Sow in April, May, and June for cutting in September, October, and November the same year.

	per pkt. s. d.	per oz. s. d.
Early Purple Cape	0 4	1 0
Walcheren (true). Sow in succession every three weeks from February till October ...	0 6	1 6
White Cape. A valuable variety	0 9	2 0
White Sprouting	0 6	1 6

VEITCH'S SELF-PROTECTING AUTUMN. Extremely valuable to grow as a succession to "Autumn Giant" Cauliflower

	per pkt. s. d.	per oz. s. d.
...	0 9	1 0

Second Division.

Sow in April, May, and June, for cutting in January and February the following Spring.

	per pkt. s. d.	per oz. s. d.
DANIELS' NEW YEAR. A vigorous, compact, dwarf-growing variety, with self-protecting foliage overlapping snow-white heads, which are fit to eat from Christmas to end of January	1 0	2 6
Adams' Early White. A fine white variety	0 6	1 6
Osborn's Winter White	0 9	2 0

Penzance Early White
Snow's Winter White. May be cut from Christmas to end of January
St. Hilary. A splendid Broccoli of hardy, vigorous constitution, dwarf, compact growth, and large white heads, coming into use the second week in January

	per pkt. s. d.	per oz. s. d.
...	0 6	1 6
...	1 0	2 6
...	0 9	2 0

Third Division.

Sow end of March and beginning of April for cutting in March and April the following Spring.

	per pkt. s. d.	per oz. s. d.
DANIELS' NORFOLK GIANT. A magnificent variety of robust and compact habit, stem short, the flower-heads exceedingly large and beautifully white, being well protected with luxuriant overlapping foliage. Have been grown to the enormous weight of twenty-eight pounds each	1 0	2 6
Dilcock's Bride. Heads pure white	0 4	1 0

Easter Day or Springtide. A fine variety of dwarf, compact habit and vigorous growth, one of the best kinds for the main crop in the Spring
Knights' Protecting
Leamington. Heads large and solid
Purple Sprouting. A very hardy Winter variety

	per pkt. s. d.	per oz. s. d.
...	0 6	1 6
...	0 4	1 0
...	0 6	1 6
...	0 4	1 0

Fourth Division.

Sow in May and June for cutting in May and June the following season.

	per pkt. s. d.	per oz. s. d.
DANIELS' KING of the BROCCOLI. This splendid variety comes in for cutting from the beginning of May to the first week in June, and as a late kind cannot be surpassed. It is of a fine dwarf habit, and being well protected is exceedingly hardy. Its heads are remarkably fine, close, and white, and of large size	1 0	2 6
Chappell's Large Cream	0 4	1 0

Gilbert's Victoria Late White. Very late white. First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society
Gilbert's Burghley Champion
Daniels' Latest White or Summer. One of the best kinds for filling up the gap or period that occurs between Broccoli and Cauliflower
Queen. Very fine

	per pkt. s. d.	per oz. s. d.
...	0 6	1 6
...	0 6	1 6
...	0 6	1 6
...	0 6	1 6

Brussels Sprouts.



DANIELS' COLOSSAL SPROUTS.
(From a Photograph.)



DANIELS' DEFIANCE.
(From a Photograph.)

Cultivation.—Few comestibles have a finer flavour than that of the better kinds of Brussels Sprouts; and we have much pleasure in stating that we possess the finest stock in cultivation of this delicious vegetable. **Daniels' Colossal**, a truly magnificent variety, a most abundant cropper, of mild flavour, and the best for general use, should be grown by everyone who has a garden. To ensure really good sprouts it is necessary to grow medium-sized by contrast with the very large ones, which are invariably somewhat strong-flavoured. They delight in a deep, rich, and somewhat light or moderately stony soil. Sow seeds during the early part of March, and by way of succession early in April also. The plants should be planted in drill rows, drawn two feet apart, and about twenty inches from plant to plant in the rows. Earth the plants up well when active growth has commenced. In the Autumn when the lower leaves turn yellow, and commence to ripen off, remove all such as show these symptoms, and hoe and rake neatly between the plants. Do not, as is too frequently done, cut the crowns off the plants until February, as they serve as a necessary protection to the young sprouts, and, indeed, the plants generally. They delight in Summer waterings, manure water in particular.

	per oz.—s. d.
DANIELS' COLOSSAL. One of the finest and best in cultivation, of very vigorous growth, bearing sprouts of a large compact globular shape all the way up the stem; these will be found of a more delicate and fine flavour than any of the Cabbage tribe	per pkt. 9d. 2 0
DANIELS' DEFIANCE. An extra select variety, half dwarf, and exceedingly productive, the stem being covered with fine compact sprouts of excellent quality	per pkt. 9d. 2 0
Aigburth. Extra fine	" 4d. 1 0
Dalkeith. Extra fine, select stock	" 6d. 1 4
Imported	" ... 0 6
President Carnot	per pkt. 6d. 1 6
Scrymger's Giant	" 3d. 0 9

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"The Seeds last year gave me great satisfaction, especially **Defiance Brussels Sprouts**; they look quite a picture."—**Mr. J. SLATER**, Gardener to Colonel Campbell, Kent.

"Your **Colossal Brussels Sprouts** were very good; they lasted two or three months."—**The Rev. W. J. BUTLER**, Markfield Rectory.

Cabbage.



DANIELS' DEFIANCE GIANT EARLY MARROW.

Cultivation.—In this class of the Brassica tribe, Daniels' Defiance Early Marrow stands pre-eminent. This fact is testified by the thousands of packets sold during the past Spring and Autumn, and further, by the numerous flattering testimonials we continue to receive on all hands with respect to its superior qualities.

Although Cabbages would appear to occupy quite a second-rate position among the list of comestibles of the vegetable garden, Spring Cabbages are nevertheless universally appreciated for their tenderness and unquestionably delicious flavour. In the culture of them, a constant succession of quickly grown and hence tender heads should always be aimed at in preference to an undue quantity, existing as sometimes happens at any period of the year. Cabbages, as do all the tribe, delight in a deeply-worked, well enriched soil; one however that has been brought into good order by constant manuring and manipulation in the past, rather than such as has been recently so treated. This particular species of this extensive family will succeed most thoroughly in well-worked and fertilized open or stony soil. This in comparison to such other kindred subjects as have been previously referred to. It is only necessary in these regards to study one particular in regard to such, viz., if any soil is very light, it should have been well enriched, and be allowed a month or two to settle down subsequently before the crop is planted out upon it. By such means we have carried the finest possible crops upon very light stony soils, by transplanting the Autumn sown plants intended for the Spring crop upon the previously used Onion bed. This be it understood without digging it over following the Onion crop; but in fact only hoeing it over deeply, drawing the drill rows, and planting the young plants thereon.

All heavy, stiff, retentive, and damp soils, it were needless to remark, must be well worked up for the crops, or they will not succeed thereon. The first sowing in the year should be made about the middle of March. These, if transplanted on in patches as they become large enough, will afford the late Autumn and Winter supply. For the main or Spring crop sow about August 11th. These must be transplanted on to an open sunny aspect, so soon as large enough for the purpose. Sow the seeds upon prepared and finely raked soil, and where practicable transplant into nursery beds, there to grow the plants on to become large enough for final planting out. Good Cabbages should be thirty inches apart in the rows. A sowing of Rosette Colewort, made about the middle of July and during showery weather, will often form very excellent and useful stuff for the early Autumn months, and prove useful away into the Winter.

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"Your Defiance Cabbage has done well; we started cutting 14th May, six weeks sooner than anybody else, in fact, our gardener says they are the best he has seen for years."—**Mr. C. DAVEY**, Leybourne.

"The Defiance Cabbage we had of you were something splendid."—**J. VINCENT**, Bolney.

"I obtained First Prize for Defiance Cabbage last year; was very much pleased."—**Mr. C. TALBOT**, Wokingham.

"I am cutting some very good Defiance Cabbage now from the last lot of seed I had."—**Mr. CLAY**, Carlton.



DEFIANCE CABBAGE (cut open). (From a Photograph).

DANIELS' DEFIANCE GIANT EARLY MARROW. A magnificent variety, growing to the weight of from ten to twenty pounds. Remarkably early, short-legged, and compact, and of the most delicious marrow flavour. Invaluable for the market gardener or the private grower.

Per packet 6d., per oz. 1s. 6d.

Cabbage (continued).



LITTLE QUEEN.

"The Little Queen Cabbage I had from you in July last are splendid. I cut some nice hard ones this day. I may say it is the best plot of Cabbage round here."—**Mr. C. WALKER**, Marlow.

	per oz.—s.	d.
DANIELS' LITTLE QUEEN. A superior, fine early, dwarf variety		
	per pkt. 6d.	1 6
ALLAN'S INCOMPARABLE. A distinct Early Cabbage, raised by Mr. Allan, head gardenor to the Right Hon. Lord Snifield, Guntton Park		
	per pkt. 4d.	1 0
Ellam's Early Dwarf. A first-class Early Cabbage in all respects. Being very compact, they can be planted close together, thus growing double the quantity of plants on the same space than most kinds. A fine early market kind		
	per pkt. 4d.	1 0
DANIELS' IMPROVED ENFIELD MARKET	per pkt. 4d.	1 0
Early Dwarf York	...	0 6
Early Large York	...	0 6
Enfield Market. Excellent main crop variety	...	0 6
Ewing's No. 1. A very fine, early, Dwarf Cabbage	per pkt. 3d.	0 9
Early Rainham. Excellent	...	0 6
Heartwell Early Marrow	per pkt. 4d.	1 0
Nonpareil Improved Dwarf. Early variety	" 3d.	0 10
Nonpareil. Large	...	0 6
Rosette Colewort	...	0 8
St. John's Day. A fine, dwarf, very early variety	...	0 6
Wheeler's Imperial	...	0 8

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"Little Queen Cabbage did remarkably well this year. I noticed in several gardens that early Cabbages invariably bolted, but not Little Queen."—**Mr. W. SNELL**, Chesterfield.

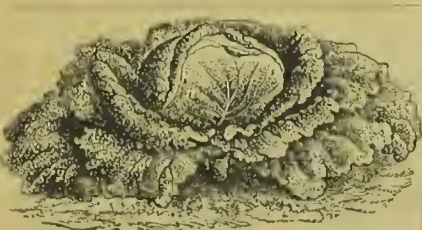
"I planted out three hundred of your Little Queen Cabbage last Autumn, they are the best I have ever grown. I only lost three, and I have cut some 7 lbs. in weight."—**Mr. H. HUMPHREY**, Sevenoaks.

Savoy Cabbage.



DANIELS' VICTORIA SAVOY.

Cultivation.—This, like all of its class, delights in deep, rich, moderately consistent soil, and it must be the chief object of the grower to grow good plants that may become well-established, large, and leafy by the Autumn. Sow early in March, and again about April 10th, and thinly, into a well-enriched and finely-worked soil. We are very partial to the Dwarf Elm, Tom Thumb, or Daniels' Extra Early, as they produce such neat firm heads, and may be planted more thickly together than is ordinarily requisite. Transplant the larger kinds out permanently in drill rows two feet apart, and from eighteen to twenty inches apart in the rows. The dwarfier kinds may be planted eighteen inches apart in the rows, and fifteen inches asunder in the run. To prevent chugging, deep and good culture, and frequent changing of crops is beneficial, often besides it proves a powerful preventive to dip the roots of all young plants into a lye formed of cow-dung, wood ashes, &c., just before planting them out into the permanent Winter quarters. If a sprinkling of limo or soot be thrown amongst the seedling plants upon the seed beds when very young, this often defers the pest from attacking them, as it sometimes does at this early date. For late use, and northern and cold climates, "**Norwegian**" cannot be surpassed.



TOM THUMB.

	per oz.—s.	d.
DANIELS' NONPAREIL. Splendid variety for early use, quite distinct; the most delicately flavoured Savoy grown	per pkt. 4d.	1 0
Drumhead (Selected Stock). The largest variety	...	0 4
Dwarf Green Curled. Very compact	...	0 8
Dwarf Elm. Early, very dwarf	per pkt. 3d.	0 9
Golden Autumn. A distinct and beautiful variety	" 3d.	0 9
Green Globe. A good hardy variety	...	0 6
VICTORIA. Extra large and fine quality	per pkt. 4d.	1 0
Norwegian. Excellent variety for late use, extremely hardy, and well suited for northern and cold climates	per pkt. 4d.	1 0
Tom Thumb. The most compact variety in cultivation	" 3d.	0 9
Daniels' Extra Early. Fortnight earlier than Dwarf Elm	" 4d.	1 0

We can supply all the above kinds much cheaper by the pound. Prices on application.



Red or Pickling Cabbage.

DANIELS' GIANT RED DRUMHEAD.	Very fine, grows to a large size, the finest Red Cabbage known ...	per oz.—s. d.	
Erfurt Blood Red.	Dwarf, compact, small heads ...	per pkt. 4d.	1 0
Manchester Large Red.	Fine, large, firm heads ...	3d.	0 9
New Early Red Nonpareil.	It has a pointed head; its main feature, however, is its dark red colour throughout, besides being the earliest of all the Red Cabbages ...	...	0 8
Red Dutch	... ..	per pkt. 4d.	1 0
		...	0 6

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"I got some of your **Giant Red Drumhead Cabbage** last year, and I have some of the best Red Cabbage in the Newcastle District."—Mr. **RICHARDSON**, Denton Burn.

"I was very pleased with your **Giant Red Drumhead Cabbage**. I cut one weighing 28 lbs."—Mr. **J. SAUNDERS**, Burwell.

Cabbages for Field Culture.

Drill 4 lbs. per acre, or sow at rate of 2 lbs. per acre for Transplanting.



DANIELS' DWARF DRUMHEAD.	Distinct from Robinson's Champion, being dwarf and much earlier, coming into use some weeks before the large Drumhead varieties ...	per lb.—s. d.	
Thousand-headed Kale.	Tall, branching, valuable for early sheep feed, extra stock, improved ...	per oz. 4d.	4 6
DANIELS' IMPROVED CHAMPION DRUM-HEAD.	A very fine selected variety, producing extraordinarily large heads ...	per oz. 4d.	2 6
Robinson's Drumhead	... ..	per oz. 4d.	4 6
		4d.	4 0

"The **Defiance Cabbage Seed** I had from you last year did well. I commenced to cut them on 27th April, and they were the talk of the place."—Mr. **J. RAYNER**, Bury St. Edmunds.

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"Mr. J. Dance wishes to tell you that the **Defiance Cabbage** stood the severe weather well, and were a splendid crop."—Mr. **J. DANCE**, Ledbury.

"I recommend your Seed in this neighbourhood, as your **Defiance Seed** grows the largest Cabbages around here."—Mr. **G. SHEAR**, Gorran Haven.

"I have grown **Daniels' Defiance Cabbage**, plenty of them 27 lbs. weight."—Mr. **J. TAIT**, Dovenly Hall Gardens.

"I took First Prize with your **Defiance Cabbage** at W. Park Show against ten competitors within a five mile radius."—Mr. **M. BARBER**, Wolverhampton.

"Please send me three packets of your **Defiance Cabbage**. The last you sent me came on splendidly."—Mr. **HOUGH**, Sianthorne.

"The **Defiance Cabbage** turned out well with us last year."—Mr. **J. WARNE**, Wadebridge.

Corn Salad (Lamb's Lettuce)

Green Cabbaging.	A fine variety, rosette-shaped	per oz.—s. d.	
	...	per pkt. 4d.	0 9
Lettuce-leaved	...	4d.	0 9
Large Round-leaved Dutch	...	4d.	0 9

Chicory.

Improved Large-leaved.	Excellent for blanching	per pkt.—s. d.	
Large-rooted or Coffee	...	0 6	0 6
Whitloef.	Equally good as a salad or boiled.	Sow in	...
June	...	...	0 6

Couve Tronchuda, or Portugal Cabbage.

Per packet 4d., per ounce 1s.

Dandelion.

Improved Large-leaved.	Very valuable for Winter Salads when blanched	per pkt.—s. d.	
Thick-leaved Cabbaging	...	0 6	0 6

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"I am pleased to tell you that I took eight Prizes at our Local Show last week with the produce of your Seeds. The **Peas** were greatly admired; and this makes the third time I have taken First Prize with your **Defiance Cabbage**."—Mr. **W. FARMELS**, Bexley Heath.

"The **Seeds** I had from you last year did splendid. I secured twenty-five Prizes at our Local Horticultural Show."—The Rev. **C. DAVIDSON**, Strathgillo.

"I have great pleasure in sending you another order for Seeds; the last lot has given me every satisfaction. I never had such a grand lot of **Vegetables** before; nothing failed."—Mr. **J. W. WATSON**, Hexthorpe.

"I am very much pleased with your Cabbage Seed I had from you last year. I have had very good Cabbages from your **Defiance** and **Little Queen**. My friends have asked me to get some Seed for them, and I have sent for a few packets."—Mr. **JOSHUA WEBBER**, Mollind.

Cauliflower.



DANIELS' KING OF THE CAULIFLOWERS. Per packet 1s. 6d. and 2s. 6d.

Cultivation.—In the Cauliflower we possess at once the tenderest and sweetest delicacy that we can boast of amongst vegetables and one universally appreciated. To grow it well it requires the richest of soils, with no stint of root moisture throughout its whole growth. Hence to insure this, deeply worked, heavily manured ground is of the first importance. To keep up a successional supply during as much of each year as possible, considerable care and attention is requisite. Advantage must be taken of many kinds of frames, handlights, &c., to grow young seedling plants under throughout the Winter months. A sowing should be made in a moderate warmth about February 12th, and as soon as the plants are large enough they should be pricked off in boxes, trays, &c., and placed in a cool frame. When the plants are somewhat stronger transplant into frames or under handlights, give air during mild weather, and about the middle of May remove the covering entirely. Sowings in the open air, to produce a crop to succeed the above, should be made about the 10th of April, May, June, and July successively. Transplant on good soil and water constantly. draw the soil up to and around them freely. As it is necessary not only to maintain moisture over the roots, but also to ward off the somewhat too direct rays of the sun during hot dry weather, when practicable, mulch with some rich moisture-retaining materials. The Autumn crop, which consists of Walcheren and Veitch's Autumn Giant, must be looked through daily, to see if any need gathering, and all that are ready should be pulled up and laid in, in a cool situation till wanted. For Spring work the Early Snowball and Daniels' Dwarf Mammoth are good, and to sow in Spring for Summer culture Daniels' King of the Cauliflowers is the best. Spring sowings are particularly liable to the depredations of White Fly, which cluster on them or destroy their centres, and so cause what is termed "blindness." To prevent this, sprinkle the leaves over when damp with soot, or the hearts with tobacco powder. Finally take care to use the heads when young, white, and solid; and to insure the production of such, the fewer sudden changes the plants are subject to the better. Irregularities in culture cause them to button or "bolt," as they sometimes do at the earliest stage of growth.

DANIELS' KING OF CAULIFLOWERS. New and distinct variety; heads large, firm, and first-class to sow for a succession throughout the Autumn and Winter
per pkt. 1s. 6d. and 2s. 6d. —

DANIELS' SNOWBALL. Invaluable, ready to cut in four months from the time of sowing
per pkt. 2s. —

DANIELS' DWARF MAMMOTH. A very superior early dwarf variety, the best for early forcing; heads white and compact
per pkt. 1s. 2 6

Eclipse. This is an excellent large Autumn Cauliflower, and very useful for Market purposes. By successional sowings it can be had from August to Christmas
per pkt. 9d. 2 0

Early London White ... per pkt. 6d. 1 6

Self-protecting Autumn Giant. A fine variety, coming into use directly after Veitch's Autumn Giant, the large white flowers being well protected from the Autumn frosts by overlapping leaves; may be had in good condition up to Christmas
per pkt. 9d. 2 0

Veitch's Autumn Giant. An extremely valuable late variety, perfectly distinct from any other sort, heads magnificent, beautifully white, large, firm, and compact
per pkt. 9d. 2 0

Walcheren (the true kind). Sow under glass in February, to succeed the Spring Broccoli, and in beds from May to July for successional ... per pkt. 6d. 1 6

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"I obtained a Prize with your King of Cauliflowers at Darlington Show."—Mr. T. MACKENZIE, Darlington.

"For the past two years I have had a most splendid crop of Cauliflowers grown from your Seed, there was nothing in this part of the country like them."—Mr. R. BOLLARD, V.S., Athlone.



DANIELS' SCARLET PERFECTION.
DANIELS' TELEGRAPH CARROTS.

Carrot.

Cultivation.—Few subjects delight more in a free, open, sandy loam, of good depth. In preparing the ground for them it will be well to hasten trench it over, if possible, a few months before the seeds are sown. Place good decomposed manure ten inches deep for all long and intermediate kinds, and four inches deep for Short Horns of whatever variety. Whilst the soil cannot well be too open, free, and rich, wherein the roots form and swell, it will be important to make it so by working it up, and manuring it the season previously, as if it be too rich, caused by the presence of actual manure, it will have a tendency to cause the produce to become forked, and as regards symmetry and real usefulness, of inferior merit. Sow always in drill rows and but moderately deep. To promote a vigorous youthful growth, and enable the young plants to grow freely, the drills may be drawn deep enough to enable a small quantity of well-rotted manure to be placed at their bottom and covered over with a little fine soil, into which the seeds are to be sown. They must be kept scrupulously clean by frequent hoeings. Sow Horn Carrot early in August and about the 4th of September for Winter and early Spring use, in rows about eight inches apart, drawing for thinning, so soon as large enough. Make the early Spring sowings of Short Horn upon a sunny aspect in March, and the main sowings about April 10th. Mix sand with the seeds to aid in separating them before sowing.

Daniels' Telegraph Carrot is the best to grow for general crop for market or exhibition, and is becoming a general favourite with market gardeners. It has gained First Prizes this season wherever exhibited. Daniels' Scarlet Perfection or Main Crop is a most useful kind for general use, as it attains a large size in a short space of time.

NEW MAIN CROP CARROT, DANIELS' SCARLET PERFECTION. This is well adapted to shallow soils, being intermediate and stump-rooted (see accompanying illustration); is easily raised. Its symmetrical shape and its colour of bright orange-scarlet, make it a most desirable variety for the exhibition table, and also for market purposes ... per oz.—s. d. ... per pkt. 4d. 1 0

"I am well pleased with your Seeds. I have taken two Prizes for Carrots from them."—Mr. D. KERR, Cockhurnspath.

"I took First Prize with your Scarlet Perfection Carrot at the Edenbridge Flower Show last year."—Mr. H. ELMES, Edenbridge.

DANIELS' TELEGRAPH. The best form of intermediate we know of. Carefully grown from selected roots; it is early, of good colour and shape (see accompanying illustration). A fine exhibition variety, and invaluable for market use ... per pkt. 4d. 1 0

"I always find that your Telegraph Carrot turns out well."—Mr. J. A. SUFFERY, F.R.H.S., Petersfield.

"Your Telegraph Carrot was quite perfect, and admired by all."—Mr. A. BOOTY, Chippenham.

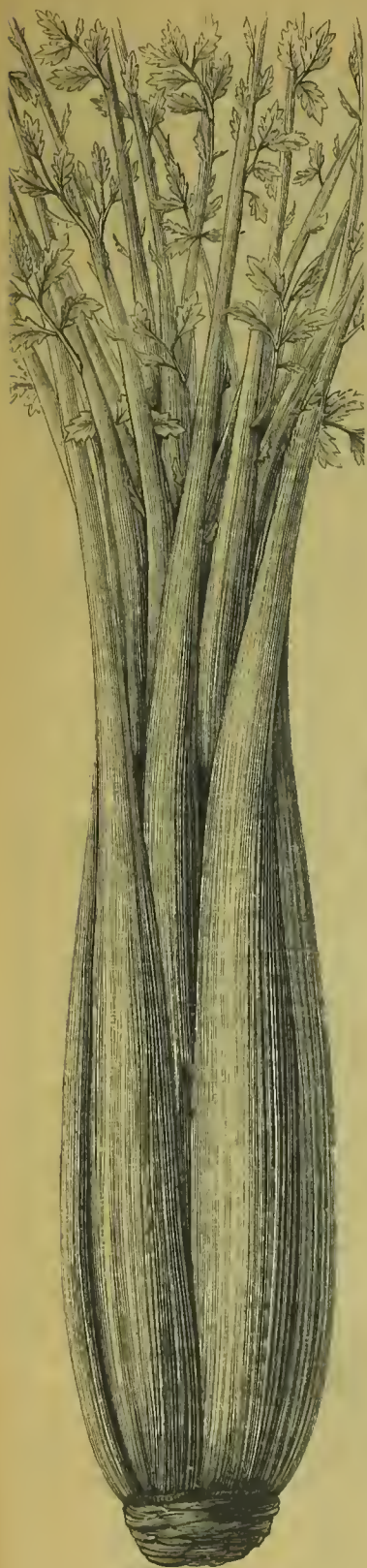
DANIELS' LONG RED WITHOUT HEART. Flesh bright red, without the core usually found in the Carrot ... 0 9

DANIELS' NEW EARLY FORCING One of the earliest Carrots yet introduced. In shape it is nearly round; top small and neat. They can be left thickly in the row, and drawn for use as required ... per pkt. 4d. 1 0

Altringham Improved ... 0 6
Early Forcing Horn. Best forcing variety ... 0 9
Early French Nantes. Dwarf, stump-rooted ... 0 8
Early Scarlet Horn. For first early crop ... 0 6
Giant White. Much larger and of finer quality than Belgian White. Highly recommended ... 0 6

JAMES' SCARLET (Intermediate) ... 0 6
Long Red St. Valery. A very choice stock ... 0 8
Long Red Surrey or Long Orange ... 0 8
Studley. A superior variety ... 0 6

Celery.



DANIELS' GIANT WHITE.

"I took four First Prizes with your Celery. It measured four feet two inches long and sixteen inches round."—**MR. W. SLATER**, Rochester.

Cultivation.—Few vegetables exhibit more prominently the features which result from good culture than does Celery. If it receives any check during its entire growth, the invariable result is that the produce becomes either stringy, or bolts, and indeed, not infrequently both; and the latter sometimes happens at a very early date in the Autumn. Too early sowing also causes the latter to happen sometimes, following very arid Summers; hence it is not advisable to sow but sufficient for a few first rows when the earlier sowing has to be made. As regards the date of sowing, the grower must determine this according to the date when the earlier supply is in demand. In some establishments it is required by the beginning of September, or before; though generally consumers like it to remain until cold nights and a little frost have given to it less of that strong natural taste which it invariably has, at such times as the leaves are young, active, and in full growth. For the first crop sow in February, in pans, boxes, or upon a slight hotbed, if time and the opportunity exist to do the latter. So soon as the young plants, the produce of this sowing, become large enough for handling, prick them out thickly on to nursery beds formed upon a slight hotbed. Make another successional sowing in March, and in a like manner, and as soon as the plants, the produce of such, are large enough, prick them out in turn, either upon a warm aspect, under handlights, or any kind of protection that may exist. Make yet another sowing, out of doors, on a warm sheltered site, and in a very rich mellow soil, about the last week in April. The produce of this sowing will form excellent late sticks, and may come in useful besides for soups, &c. When the plants assume fair proportions, trenches must be prepared to finally plant them into. The trenches should be from nine to twelve inches deep, and from fourteen to eighteen inches wide, according to the earliness of planting, &c. Throw out the soil to this required size and depth, packing it up neatly on either side. Then procure, and dig in four or five inches of thoroughly decomposed rich manure; turn this over, and knock it about, so as to mix it freely together, and proceed to plant the plants therein directly. The principal attention they will require for the next month or two will consist of watering, &c., and both clear water and rich liquid manure should be given to them as frequently as it may be possible to do so. The earthing-up process should commence early in July, or previously, when a very early supply is in demand. When it is in contemplation to proceed with this process, first go over all the plants, remove all the small leaves from around their base, and any young side or sneaker shoots which are seen to form; then upon a fine dry day, chop down some of the soil from the sides of the trenches, breaking it up fine, and with the hands, aided by a trowel, place the soil in around the base of each plant neatly with the right hand, whilst each plant or stick is held firmly in position with the other. It is better to mould up at three successional times. Take care not to press the soil too firmly around the hearts, and avoid letting crumbs of soil fall into the hearts of the plants beside, as if carelessness be permitted in either case, there will be great danger that the "sticks" will grow crooked, or become "seated" as it is commonly called. All successional crops must be earthed up in rotation, and at studied intervals apart, but each should, at the advent of Winter, have sufficient soil placed around to protect all from severe frosts. **Daniels' Golden Heart, Daniels' Giant White, and Daniels' Giant Red** are the best, being extra selected stocks of superior merit.

	per pkt.—s. d.
DANIELS' GIANT RED. The largest grown, splendid colour, very solid, and of fine flavour	... .. 1 0
DANIELS' GIANT WHITE. The largest white in cultivation, very solid, crisp, and of excellent flavour	... .. 1 0
DANIELS' GOLDEN HEART. An excellent, sturdy, dwarf variety, very quick-growing, solid, and of fine nutty flavour, and when blanched the heart is of a pure yellow	... .. 1 0
Hatch's Conqueror (<i>see Novelties</i>)	... .. 1 0
Manchester Fine Red	... .. 3d. and 0 6
Sandringham Dwarf White	... .. 3d. and 0 6
Seymour's Superb White	... .. 3d. and 0 6
Silver Plume. A fine white-leaved variety. It blanches well by simply tying up the plants with matting	... .. 6d. and 1 0
Sulham Prize Pink	... .. 3d. and 0 6
Williams' Matchless Red	... .. 3d. and 0 6
Standard Bearer, extra fine Red	... .. 6d. and 1 0
Wright's Grove Red	... .. 6d. and 1 0
Wright's Grove White	... .. 6d. and 1 0
New Apple-shaped Celeriac, or Turnip-rooted Celery. For soups	6d. and 1 0
Mixed Red and White. Useful for Cottagers	... .. 3d. and 0 6
Soup Celery	... .. per lb. 2s. —

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"I am pleased to tell you that the Seeds I had from you did remarkably well. I took five First, two Second Prizes, at the High Wycombe Horticultural Show."—**MR. H. FYZACK**, Wycombe.

"This has been another successful season from your Seed. No fewer than seventeen Prizes have been awarded them at our Local Exhibition."—**MR. J. WINKS**, Bridgeton.

"I have taken fifty-two Prizes, twenty-one First, twenty-three Second, eight Third, from Seeds supplied by you last year."—**MR. T. ANDREWS**, St. Ives.

"I am very pleased to tell you I took seventeen Prizes with vegetables grown from your Seeds."—**MR. G. KNOTT**, Lee.

Cucumber.



DANIELS' DEFIANCE.

Cultivation in the Frame or House.—Although a convenient system of growing Cucumbers in well-arranged so-called Cucumber houses has ably superseded the old system of frame culture, the latter is nevertheless a most ready and convenient means for those to follow who do not possess the better aid. To proceed, in regard to frame culture, the first study must be to collect and prepare a proper quantity of fermenting materials whereon to grow them. It has become a common practice to procure plants from some neighbour who possesses a permanent house, because, where this is practicable, it saves a great amount of labour and anxiety, as when the plants are thus ready, the bed can be made up whereon to plant them permanently, and a very early advance is possible. When no such aid is procurable, and it is necessary for the grower to raise his own seedlings, then materials consisting of stable manure, or straw and sweepings (if possible formed of wheat straw) and fallen tree-leaves in equal parts, should be collected in January, well mixed together, and permitted to ferment for a day or two. They must then be turned over and well shaken up together, and again be permitted to ferment; when they become moderately sweet by the aid of this process, a small or temporary bed may be made up to suit a small frame. The bed should not be less than five feet in height, and a foot wider than the frame on all sides around. Sow the seeds in a moderately small pot, and place them therein, endeavouring with a little air constantly on to get the heat to a stationary mean of seventy or seventy-five degrees only. So soon as the seedlings are up, and commence forming the rough or third leaf, pot them off into sixty-sized pots, in warm, rich soil. Place two plants into each pot, slightly burying the stalks in so doing, and so fix them that they be one on either side of the pot, and at its distant sides. Now make up a large or more permanent bed, fitting for the permanent frame it is intended to grow and fruit them in. The depth and extent beyond the frame must be similar, but if anything rather deeper—the back of the bed to be always one foot higher than the front. Mounds of soil must be placed therein, so soon as the heat is seen to rise freely, consisting of rich free loam two parts, and decomposed leaf mould and thoroughly decayed manure together one part. Turn the plants out upon the apex of each mound, and there should be one mound under each light, so soon as it is ascertained that the heat within them does not exceed eighty-five to ninety degrees. To promote a healthy growth, plenty of air should be given on fine warm days; but only in proportion so as not to reduce the mean temperature below sixty-five degrees, to sustain which free coatings of fresh and sweet fermenting materials must be occasionally supplied, at one or either of the sides, and in succession, after removing sufficient of the old and spent dung to make way for it. In watering, cold water should never be used, but should be allowed to stand in the frame until it becomes tepid, or otherwise be prepared for the purpose.

Daniels' Masterpiece, Daniels' Duke of Edinburgh, Daniels' Duke of Albany, Daniels' Defiance, and Daniels' Improved Telegraph, all superb varieties, are the very best kinds that can be grown for exhibition, market and general use.

Cultivation in the Open Air.—"Ridge" varieties alone should be grown out of doors. These consist of a shorter-fruited, hardier form of the same. The seeds should be sown early in the month of April, and in moderate warmth, and so soon as they show the rough leaf, they also must be potted off into four inch pots, three in a pot, in a free, rich, loamy soil. Shade them for a day or two subsequently, and keep them up close to the glass to ensure their being stiff and sturdy. Towards the end of April, or during the first week in May, select a warm sunny situation, a south-west aspect is best, and dig out a trench about eighteen inches deep and three feet wide, and fill it with warm, fermenting materials, to about one foot above the ordinary ground level, then cover with about nine inches of rich new soil. In a few days the plants previously prepared may be turned out thereto, and covered over with handglasses, &c., when they should have a gentle watering with tepid water, and be shaded for a few days, and until the plants are established. Plant out three plants under each handlight, and do not plant any wider than five feet apart. As the plants grow, and are seen to fill the handlights, more and more air must be given, until the plants become moderately inured to the full outer air, at which time elevate the handlights, so that the young, growing shoots find their way from under them, and commence to ramble away freely, when the handlights may, towards the latter part of June, be removed altogether. Where these simple facilities do not exist, they may be easily raised on a warm sheltered border, under a handlight alone, towards the end of April, or the first week in May. The ground should be liberally manured, and well dug up and "worked" for their reception, and the plants may be planted out under handlights about May 30th. Shade or protect them for a few days, and until the plants are established; during dry weather give plenty of liquid manure. Cucumbers sometimes succeed well so grown, and we have occasionally seen moderately good produce of the kind grown from seeds placed under the handlights, following such simple preparation of the soil as we have suggested.

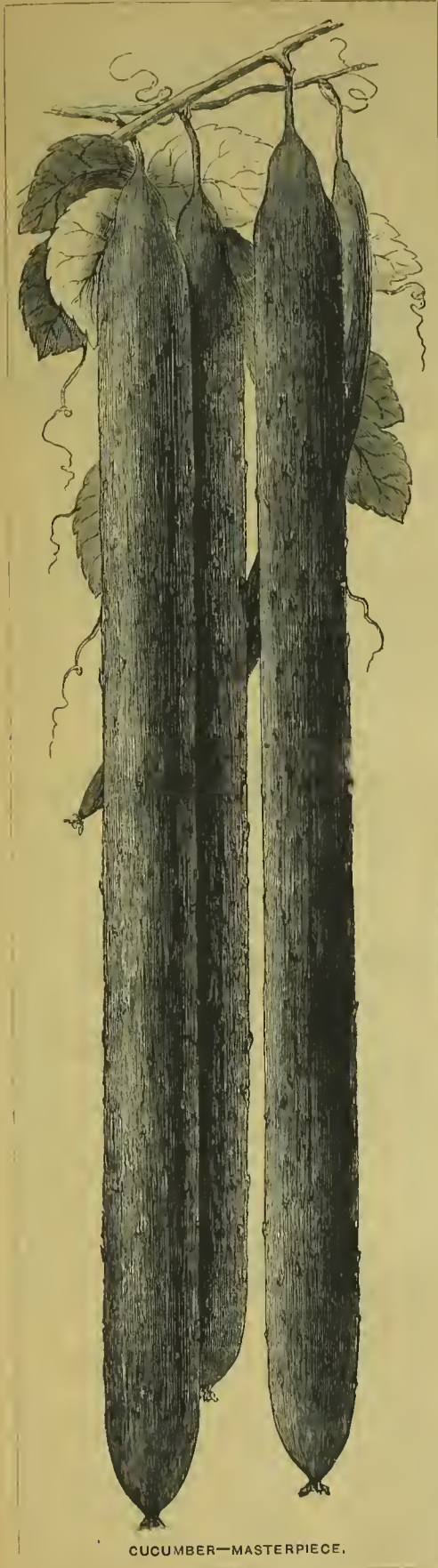
Daniels' Perfection Ridge is a great improvement on the old Stockwood, and the best for ridge cultivation, being most prolific, and of extra fine quality.

Sowing in the Open Air.—A good crop of Cucumbers can sometimes be obtained by sowing the seed in well prepared ground in the open air. Sow in the first or second week in June in drill rows, six feet apart, and thin out the plants to eighteen inches apart in the row; give a liberal supply of water in dry weather. In a favourable season good crops can be produced in this way; they will grow rapidly, and produce abundance of fruit.

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"I must tell you that your **Defiance Cucumber** is certainly the best I ever grew. From a 1s. 6d. Packet I grew close upon 500 Marketable Fruit, and they averaged 5s. per doz. I shall send the best hamper to Colchester on Friday. I took First Prize at a Local Show. You will no doubt have some orders for it shortly."—**Mr. F. ELLIOTT, Tollesbury.**

Cucumber (continued).



CUCUMBER—MASTERPIECE.

	per pkt.—s. d.	
DANIELS' MASTERPIECE. The fruit are slightly spined, and of a rich dark emerald green, twenty to thirty inches long. For colour, quality, constitution, and prolificness, it cannot be surpassed, while at the same time it is A 1 for exhibition, and will be found invaluable for market purposes	1s. 6d. and	2 6
DANIELS' DUKE OF ALBANY. Since its introduction a few years ago, this remarkable Cucumber has obtained First Prize wherever exhibited. It is a long, straight, dark green fruit, averaging from twenty to twenty-six inches in length, bearing sometimes as many as three or four at a joint. Few can equal this Cucumber for exhibition purposes	W.S. 1s. 6d. and	2 6
DANIELS' DUKE OF EDINBURGH. A beautiful white-spined variety sent out by us, and pronounced by all competent judges to be the finest Cucumber in cultivation. It is of a fine robust constitution and habit, its fruit growing rapidly to the length of thirty to thirty-six inches, being at the same time of the most beautiful proportions, and of a fine rich green colour, which it retains to the last. A first-class variety for general use, and unrivalled for exhibition. Our own fine selected stock in sealed packets 1s. 6d. and	1s. 6d. and	2 6
DUKE OF NORFOLK. The plant is of robust habit, short-jointed, a prolific and continuous bearer, remaining in full fruit after many other kinds are exhausted. The fruit are solid in flesh, with scarcely any seeds, and growing from eighteen to twenty-four inches in length. It is a white-spined variety. Its dark green, straight, symmetrical, and handsome fruit renders it a most valuable kind for market gardeners or the exhibition table	1s. 6d. and	2 6
DANIELS' DEFIANCE (early prolific). A white-spined variety of hardy, robust constitution, producing in great abundance very short-necked and elegant fruit of a rich dark green colour, from eighteen to twenty-four inches in length, straight and uniform, and of the same thickness throughout; a magnificent variety for early Spring and Summer work, and first-class for market purposes and general use; is also a grand exhibition kind. Seed carefully selected from the handsomest and most perfect fruit ... sealed packets 1s. 6d. and	1s. 6d. and	2 6
DANIELS' IMPROVED TELEGRAPH. A great improvement on the old Telegraph, bearing clean straight fruit twenty to twenty-four inches long, an abundant bearer	B.S. 1s. 6d. and	2 6
DANIELS' RELIABLE (see <i>Novelties</i>)	1s. 6d. and	2 6
LOCKIE'S PERFECTION. The fruit are produced in great abundance; medium in length, quite straight, short-necked, with no ribs, and only a few black spines; are very uniform in size, and covered with a dense bloom. It has received seven First Class Certificates, besides numerous First Prizes	1s. and	2 0
Abbott's Early Prolific. Most useful variety	B.S. 1s. 6d. and	2 6
Cardiff Castle. First-class frame variety ... ..	...	1 0
Extra Early Frame ... ..	...	6d. and 1 0
Manchester Prize. Good market variety	W.S. 6d. and	1 0
Rollisson's Telegraph (true) ... ..	...	B.S. 1 0
Tender and True. Superior quality and flavour ... ..	...	W.S. 1 6
	B.S. Black Spine.	W.S. White Spine.

"It may interest you to learn that your Cucumber Seed, Daniels' Masterpiece, is growing and bearing Cucumbers in the far off semi-tropical clime, which are astonishing the natives for size, crispness, and fine flavour. I expect to grow nothing else in future."—Mr. R. RANSON, Titusville.

"Your Cucumbers are the best I have ever grown, some growing to the length of twenty-five inches."—Mr. M. A. HODGE, Bartou.

"I have had an excellent crop of Duke of Norfolk Cucumbers grown in a frame, one measured twenty-four inches."—The Rev. A. GARLICH, Donington.

"The Seed of Duke of Albany Cucumber, supplied by you, realised a magnificent crop, every seed germinating. They have set at every joint, and it was necessary to cut many in order to give the vine a chance. The crops were of such enormity that I was compelled to accept a nominal price in order to get rid of them; as regards flavour they are excellent."—Mr. J. SAUNDERS, Kirkley.

"The Duke of Albany Cucumber Seeds I had from you last year turned out excellent, some measuring from twenty-seven to thirty inches long, and I cut them up till October."—Mr. W. H. WARE, Ingatestone.

Cucumbers for Ridge Cultivation.

DANIELS' PERFECTION RIDGE. A very hardy and prolific variety of extra fine quality, length fifteen to twenty inches, very straight and few seeds	6d. and	1 0
Cluster Gherkin. For pickling, an immenso bearer ... ..	...	0 4
Short Prickly. Very hardy, fine for pickling ... ..	...	0 3
Stockwood. Fine selected stock	3d., 6d., and	1 0
Prolific Pickling. One of the most prolific out-door varieties we know of; very hardy	6d. and	1 0

Capsicum or Chili.

Cultivation.—Seeds should be sown between the beginning of March and April 20th; but the sooner the better within the above dates. Their culture is very simple, as seeds may be sown in pots or pans, and placed in moderate heat. Sow more nearly in the latter date under some kind of frame protection, or in the open border, where the above convenience does not exist. Seedlings must be transferred to single small pots, or two plants in each, as soon as they are fit to handle, and be thus grown on until the first week in June. At this date plant them out at the foot of a full South aspect wall, keeping them well watered. It is safest during all the changes of seasons to grow the crops in pots under glass, where convenience exists so to do. Even half-a-dozen pots so grown often prove very serviceable, besides coming in earlier than the general crops out of doors. The smaller kinds or Chili variety is more dwarf in its habits than the other varieties, though it is always more profitable to grow the larger ones.

CELESTIAL. Very ornamental and useful	per pkt.—s. d.		
Chili or Bird Pepper. Small	6d. and	1	0
Long Red. Large, the best for general use	...	0	4
Long Yellow. A very useful variety	...	0	4
Procopp's Giant. Superior variety with very large, glossy-scarlet, fleshy fruits, surpassing in size all other sorts of Giant Pepper. The flesh is sweet and mild, half an inch thick; fine exhibition variety	6d. and	1	0
MONSTREUSE. Pods of enormous size	...	0	6

RUBY KING. Valuable as a decorative plant for the conservatory, besides being exceedingly useful for stews, pickles, &c.	per pkt.—s. d.		
...	6d. and	1	0
SWEET GOLDEN DAWN. Very useful as a decorative plant, also for stews and pickles, having the flavour of the Capsicum, without the hot piquancy of the Chili or Cayenne Pepper	...	...	0 6
Mixed. All kinds	...	...	0 6

Cress.

Cultivation.—The several varieties of Cress, consisting of the Australian, American, and commoner, not to omit that known as Watercress, all delight in a damp or moist situation; and as such is known and acted upon in practice, so is their simple growth enhanced, and the size of their leaves, &c., and more delicate piquancy increased. It is only necessary to sow the common kinds about five or seven days before they are required for use, and to keep them moderately moist, to insure a crop. The Australian, on the contrary, should be sown from early in the month of April to July, and for the Winter crop about August 20th and September 4th. The American variety sown at similar dates also comes in most usefully, and is a moderate substitute for our own popular Watercress. This latter may be produced from seeds sown upon a shady north aspect border. It is better to make a shallow basin-like bed for the seeds, and after these are sown to keep the same as constantly and copiously watered, artificially during dry weather, as possible.

DANIELS' GARNISHING or PARSLEY-LEAVED. Useful alike for salads and garnishing	per oz.—s. d.		
American or Land. Eaten as Water-cress in Winter	0	6	
Australian or Golden. This valuable Cress is a most desirable addition to all salads	...	0	4
Curled. For salads in the second leaf	per quart 1s. 9d., per pint 1s.	0	2

Plain. For early salads, best for garden use	per oz.—s. d.		
...	per quart 1s. 9d., per pint 1s.	0	2
Sorrel-leaved. The largest-leaved of all, dark green colour, and good flavour. A most useful salad	...	0	6
Water. Sow in a moist, shady place	per pkt. 6d. and 1s.	—	



DANIELS' YELLOW MAMMOTH.

Gourd or Pumpkin.

Cultivation.—Though these often succeed sown upon very rich soils in the open ground, and especially if a handlight or cloche be placed over; yet it is a far better way to sow seeds about April 25th, and so soon as the seedlings—having grown somewhat—assume the third or rough leaf, pot them off into about four-inch pots: one plant only of the large kinds should be placed in each pot. The best place to plant them is in a good thickness of soil placed upon a mound of manure. If a slight warmth exist in the latter so much the better. Plant them out about May 26th or soon after, and place some kind of protection over or around them. Do not plant them less than six or eight feet apart. The smaller-fruited kinds are best trained to upright rods or trellis-work, and are very ornamental. An abundance of liquid manure should be given to them constantly, and especially to the young plants when they commence growing freely. The fruit of the large sorts when ripe is useful for mixing with apples for pies, tarts, &c., and they keep well throughout the Winter months when stored in dry places, &c.

DANIELS' YELLOW MAMMOTH. Seed from large, handsomely netted fruit, weighing one hundredweight and upwards	per pkt.—s. d.		
...	6d. and	1	0
Bottle-shaped. Green, very ornamental	...	0	4
Common Pumpkin. Very useful for pies and preserves in Winter	...	0	3
Pear-shaped. Green and yellow, pretty	...	0	4
Potiron Jaune or Mammoth. A giant variety, frequently attains one hundredweight	...	6d. and	1 0
Small Orange. Strongly resembling an orange	...	0	4
Variogated Turk's Cap. An exceedingly handsome variety, striped orange, green, and white	...	6d. and	1 0

Endive.



DANIELS' SUPERB CURLED.

Cultivation.—This crop is not so greatly appreciated as it should be; we think, nevertheless, that it is "growing in favour." When well grown, the curled varieties are greatly appreciated by some, when cooked as other green crops are. To grow it well, thorough good deep soils are essential, and water in abundance during all dry periods. For an early Spring or Summer crop, sow during the first week in April on a warm sunny situation, and again towards the middle of May. The plants produced from the latter sowing should be thinned out, and stand where sown to produce thin crops. The best crops are the Autumn, Winter, and very early Spring, which are produced from successional sowings made between the last week in July and the end of August. The seedlings resulting therefrom should be transplanted successionally on to every conceivable space of good, rich soil. Some will be forward enough to blanch by means of tying them up, or placing a slate upon them, for August and subsequent uses. Others must, if at all large, be removed into a shed or frame, or be otherwise protected from sharp frosts. The lesser and later seedlings will stand out during the Winter on a warm aspect, seed or nursery beds, for use following an early Spring growth, so to maintain a supply as long as possible.

EXTRA BROAD-LEAVED. An excellent variety, highly recommended ... per pkt. 4d. 1 0
Moss Curled. Very fine ... ,, 4d. 1 0

DANIELS' SUPERB CURLED. The best of all the Curled Endives, it bleaches well, and is of first-class quality	per oz.—s. d.	—
Batavian Green. Broad-leaved, very hardy, and desirable for Winter cultivation, tie up for blanching ...	per pkt. 1s.	—
Green Curled. Extra ...	...	0 8
White Curled. Excellent variety	per pkt. 3d.	0 9
Digswell Prize. A fine variety, beautifully curled, hearts well ...	per pkt. 4d.	1 0

Herbs (Sweet and Pot).

Per packet 3d. Per dozen packets, 2s. 6d.

Angelica. The mid-rib may be eaten as Celery, or when candied makes an excellent confection.
Anise. The seeds are much used for medicinal purposes; the leaves for garnishing or seasoning.
Balm. For making balm tea, which is invaluable in cases of fever; makes also a fine-flavoured wine.
Basil, Bush. The leaves and tops impart the flavour of Clove leaves to soups, and are much used for seasoning.
 " **Sweet.** For flavouring salads and soups.
Borage. The young leaves used as salad or pot herb.
Burnet. The young leaves have the flavour of Cucumbers.
Caraway. For flavouring soups.
Chervil, Green Curled } Very fine for salads.
 " **Tuberous-rooted }
Coriander. The tender leaves are used for soups or salads.
Dill. The leaves are used in soups, sauces, and pickles.
Fennel. Used in sauces for fish and for garnishing.
Horshound. Makes an esteemed well-known beverage.
Hyssop. Young shoots used as pot herbs.
Marigold, Pot. The flowers impart a beautiful colour to broths and soups.
Marjoram, Pot } Aromatic and sweet flavour,
 " **Sweet, or Knotted } used in soups and stuffings.****

Lavender. Cultivated for its flowers, which are very aromatic.
Purslane, Green } The shoots and succulent leaves are cooling
 " **Golden } when used in Spring as salads.
Rampion. The leaves used as salads; the roots, which have a pleasant nutty flavour, used as Radish.
Rosemary. The leaves make a drink esteemed for relieving headache.
Rue, Broad-leaved. Leaves used medicinally; also used as a remedy for croup in fowls.
Sage. Used in stuffing and sauces.
Savory, Summer } The tops being very aromatic are used
 " **Winter } in salads and soups; they improve the**
 " **flavour if boiled with Peas or Beans.**
Scurvy Grass. Eaten as Water-cress.
Skirret. The tubers when boiled and served up with butter are most delicious.
Sorrel, Broad-leaved } The leaves are used in salads, soups,
 " **Lettuce-leaved } and sauces.
Tansy.
Tarragon.
Thyme. Broad-leaved. Used in stuffings, soups, and sauces.
Wormwood. Fine tonic when taken as tea; and imparts bitterness to drinks.****

PLANTS (see page 53).

Mustard.

Cultivation.—Both the White and Chinese are valuable in salads as they assist digestion. Cut close to the ground the young leaves and stalks, before the second or rough leaves appear; in this state they have a delicate and piquant flavour. When a daily supply is required sow every two or three days throughout the year, in the Winter sow under glass in a temperature of 50° to 60° to hasten the growth. Mustard, as with all kinds of salad, the quicker the growth the more tender the produce.

Chinese. Fine salad variety	per quart 3s., per pint 1s. 9d.	0 4
White. For early salads or medicinal purposes	per quart 1s. 9d., per pint 1s.	0 2

Price of Mustard for Agricultural Purposes may be had upon application.

Kohl Rabi or Turnip-rooted Cabbage.

		per oz.—s. d.
Early White Vienna	Grown as substitutes for Turnips, being much hardier	per pkt. 4d. 1 0
Large Green		„ 4d. 1 0
Large Purple		„ 4d. 1 0
Neapolitan Curled.		Very ornamental, leaf curled like Kale
Kale	... ..	per pkt. 4d. 1 0

Leek.

Cultivation.—The Leek luxuriates in the richest of soils, and the most nutritious of manures only, and such being the case, a thorough preparation must be made for them wherever it is hoped to grow them moderately well. The finest examples are produced in shallow trenches dug out and deeply and thickly manured as for Celery. Here the seedling Leeks are planted either in single, or in double rows, or at right angles with each other. By these means the roots are kept cool during the most arid and hot weather, whilst water can be applied more directly. They like the strongest of manure waters. Sowings may be made very early in the Spring, either in boxes under shelter or on warm borders out of doors, commencing in February; for ordinary main crops sow early in March, in a rich soil and on an open sunny site, and proceed to transplant them so soon as they become large enough so to do. When the plants in either case have made a good growth, some open rich material is often applied to keep additional moisture around them, and to blanch their stems somewhat. Where shallow trenches can be prepared for them during the Winter, seeds may be sown therein early in March, and if the seedlings are subsequently thinned out, a strong and uninterrupted growth is the result.

Our supplies of these being procured from the most noted **Musselburgh and other growers**, the stocks can be guaranteed of the finest possible quality.

DANIELS' CHAMPION. A fine broad-leaved variety, highly recommended for exhibition purposes
per pkt. 1s. 6d. —

Ayton Castle Giant. Remarkably large and good, may be grown seven inches in circumference, and with one foot of blanched stem per pkt. 4d. 1 0

Carentan. Large French „ 4d. 1 0

CONQUEROR. First-class; very superior either for competition or culinary purposes per pkt. 1s. —

Henry's Prize. Exceedingly large, blanches well, flavour mild, fine for exhibition per pkt. 6d. 1 6

Large Rouen. A well-known French kind „ 4d. 1 3

London Flag. Large, broad-leaved „ 0 6

LYON (new). The largest kind grown per pkt. 1s. —

Musselburgh. Extra broad-leaved, blanches to a large size, flavour mild, highly esteemed for soups; grand stock, direct from the Musselburgh growers per pkt. 4d. 1 0

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

“I took forty-two Prizes last year at two Local Shows held here with **Seeds and Potatoes** supplied by you. I found all your **Seeds** very good.”—**Mr. A. JOHNS**, Letterston.

“I have great pleasure in informing you of my success at the Axminster Show, 29th July last, taking twenty Prizes as follows: ten First, eight Seconds, and two Extras for **Vegetables and Flowers** grown from **Seeds and Plants** from your firm.”—**SETH E. ENTICOTT**, Shute.

“I write to inform you that I have taken seventy-five Prizes this last two years. The produce of your **Seeds**, mostly First Prizes. I cannot praise one class of Seed more than another, as they have all turned out good.”—**Mr. A. E. PATRICK**, Swanton Novers.

“The **Seeds** you sent us last year turned out well, and gave great satisfaction.”
Mr. C. SODEN, Ixworth.

“I have pleasure in stating that for the last ten years I have found your **Seeds** a great success.”—**J. T. LANGDON, Esq.**, Plumstead Parva.

“I have had my **Seeds** from you for many years, both for the flower and kitchen garden, and during the whole of the time I am pleased to say I have never once had a failure, and the **Seeds** have invariably possessed the good qualities claimed for them.”—**Mr. BRYANT**, Laureath.



DANIELS' CHAMPION.

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

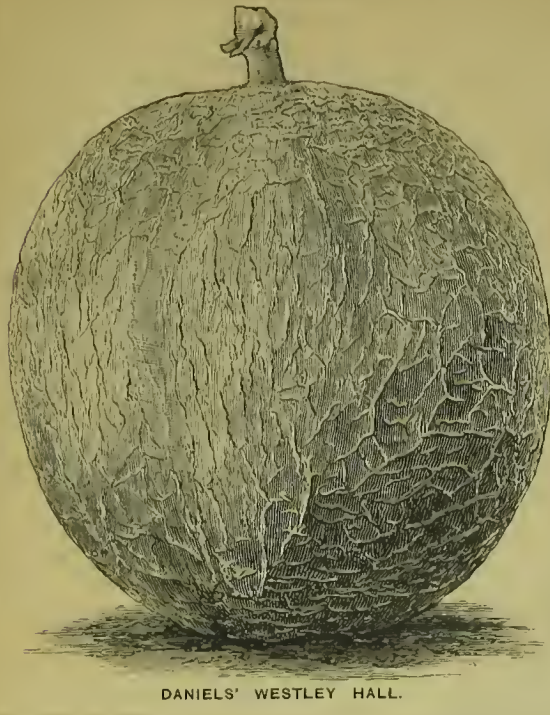
“I took First Prize with your **Leeks** last year.”—**Mr. C. PARRY**, Abergavenny.

“I have much pleasure in informing you that I took First Prize with your **Champion Leek**. I grew them $7\frac{1}{2}$ inches in circumference. I took twelve First Prizes last year from your **Seeds**.”—**Mr. W. COOMS**, Lostwithiel.

“I have at present some tremendous **Leeks** grown from your **Champion Leek Seed**, several weighing 2 lbs. each.”—**Mr. W. DAVID**, Langharne.

“I am much pleased with the **Seeds** you sent me this season. I took First Prize for **Parsnips**, First for **Carrots**, First for **Leeks**, Second for **Pickle Cabbage**, First for **Vegetable Marrow**, and First for **Kidney Potatoes**. I have received twenty-four Prizes in all at the first Flower Show held in the Rhondda Valley.”
Mr. T. W. EVANS, Ystrad.

Melon.



DANIELS' WESTLEY HALL.

Cultivation.—What is generally designated a Cucumber house will prove also an excellent place wherein to grow Melons, and to this fact as opposed to general culturists, is to be attributed much of the success of certain growers. The cultivation of the Melon is very similar to that of the Cucumber up to and a little beyond the full swelling of the fruits. If there exists one thing more than another conducive of or to success, it consists in the maintaining of as equal a temperature as possible throughout their growth; this is not as readily insured in frames as in houses having all convenient hot-water apparatus, &c., hence some allowance must be made for frame growers. The propagation of the Melon is usually by sowing seed, although some do so by cuttings; and certainly, when several sorts are grown in the same structure, and there is a desire to continue the variety pure and unchanged, the latter mode is the best. The seed should be sown in shallow pans instead of in ordinary pots, as the roots coming in contact with the bottom of the pan extend horizontally, instead of perpendicularly, and hence become better furnished with fibres. Sow the seeds during either of the first four months of the year, according as there is a possibility of growing them early or otherwise. Pot them off, &c., in detail similarly with the above, excepting that only one plant must be placed into each pot, and it must be potted more firmly. They delight in deep rich loam, and trodden firmly. The temperature by day should average, with daily ventilation, from seventy-five to eighty-five degrees, according to the warmth of the sun, &c. By night it should not be permitted to exceed seventy-two degrees; an average of seventy degrees being a desirable warmth. Give at all times the freest possible exposure to the full sunlight, as to shade them in any degree is derogatory to their doing well, after once a crop of fruit is "set," and the plants must be kept moderately thin by judicious pruning to insure this. Weak liquid manure may be given to them up to the time of the fruit attaining the size of a hen's egg; after which water more sparingly until the fruit are seen to have

commenced netting or to change colour, when it should be withheld by degrees altogether. The water given to Melons, whether superficially or as root-waterings, should always be of the same temperature as the air in any kind of structure in which they may be grown.

Daniels' Green Perfection is a new and improved green-fleshed variety of great merit, beautifully netted and slightly ribbed, and of the most delicious flavour.

Abbreviations.—Those marked with an asterisk (*) have received a First Class Certificate from the Royal Horticultural Society. S.F. scarlet flesh, G.F. green flesh, W.F. white flesh.

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| | per pkt.—s. | d. |
| * DANIELS' WESTLEY HALL (S.F.) This grand new Melon was raised by Mr. Bishop, of Westley Hall Gardens, and is a cross between Read's Scarlet Flesh and High Cross Hybrid. It has the high quality of the former for flavour, with the free setting qualities of the latter. The skin is beautifully netted, sometimes slightly flushed with yellow towards the ripening period. The flesh is thick, scarlet, and intermixed with streaks of green; with a most sweet and delicious flavour. The fruit slightly oval in shape, weighing 7 lb., are pronounced by those who tasted them to be the best-flavoured and most delicious Melon that has been sent out for years. First Class Certificate, R.H.S. | 1s. 6d. and | 2 6 |
| DANIELS' IMPROVED GOLDEN PERFECTION. A splendid green-fleshed variety, regularly and beautifully netted; thin skin, flesh very thick, firm, of the most exquisite flavour; the plant is of fine robust constitution and a free setter; we confidently recommend this | 1s. 6d. and | 2 6 |
| DANIELS' GREEN PERFECTION. This choice new variety is of vigorous habit, and a most prolific bearer. The fruit, which are of large size, 6 to 7 lb., are slightly ribbed and beautifully netted, green at first, but assuming a yellow tinge when ripe. The flesh is very thick and of a pale green, with a rich luscious and melting flavour, and of delicate aroma | 1s. 6d. and | 2 6 |
| * Benham Beauty (S.F.) Fruit large, glohular, with yellow skin, finely netted | ... | 1 6 |
| Gunton Scarlet. A fine scarlet-fleshed Melon. Raised by Mr. W. Allan of Gunton Park | ... | 1 6 |
| Hero of Lockinge (W.F.) Fine exhibition variety; very prolific | ... | 1 6 |
| High Cross Hybrid (G.F.) A fine variety; of excellent flavour | ... | 1 6 |
| * Longleat Perfection (W.F.) A smooth-skinned variety, very handsome, and of fine flavour | ... | 1 6 |
| MELTON HYBRID (S.F.) This choice variety will be found a valuable addition to our list of good Melons. The fruit are large and handsome, slightly ribbed, and nicely netted. The flesh is thick, of rich salmon colour, juicy and melting, and of fine flavour | ... | 1 6 |
| * Monarch (Sutton's) (G.F.) A fine netted variety of good flavour | ... | 1 6 |
| Queen of Sheba (new). This is a remarkably fine-flavoured Melon, the fruit are long ribbed and netted, weighing 7 to 8 lb. each, skin brownish yellow, when ripe, flesh thick, green, melting, juicy, and of rich aromatic flavour | ... | 1 6 |
| Royal Ascot. A fine scarlet-fleshed Melon, beautifully netted; fine exhibition variety | ... | 1 6 |
| St. Blaise (new). A splendid green-fleshed Melon. The flesh is solid, thick, rich, melting, of exquisite flavour and delicate aroma | ... | 1 6 |
| * The Countess (W.F.) A cross between American Musk and Cashmere; of strong constitution, and enormously prolific; clear yellow skin, beautifully netted; flesh thick, tender, juicy, and melting | ... | 1 6 |
| The Shah. This is a new green-fleshed variety, of a delicate flavour, and delicious aroma, the flesh thick, melting and juicy, and is the finest-flavoured Melon we ever tasted | 1s. 6d. and | 2 6 |

The following Varieties can all be supplied at 1s. per packet:—

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| Berkley Castle | Invincible Scarlet (S.F.) | Scarlet Premier (S.F.) |
| Best of All (W.F.) | La Favorite (G.F.) | *The Netted Victory (W.F.) |
| Blenheim Orange (S.F.) | *Munro's Little Heath (S.F.) | Westley Hero |
| Colston Bassett Seedling (G.F.) | *Read's Scarlet Flesh (S.F.) | *William Tillery (G.F.) |
| Eastnor Castle (G.F.) | Scarlet Perfection (S.F.) | |

Lettuce.

Cultivation.—Of Lettuces, we give particular attention to the growth and selection of two varieties, viz., **Daniels' Giant Cos** and a capital stock of **Daniels' Continuity**. The former is the largest Lettuce grown, and very fine for exhibition, being at the same time tender and crisp, and requires no tying. The best Cabbage Lettuce is **Daniels' Continuity**, which will be found invaluable for Summer use, as it will withstand dry seasons, and continue fit for use after all other kinds have run to seed.

Lettuces are especially partial to an open, deeply worked, and enriched soil, and to an abundant supply of moisture throughout their whole growth. Not only is this necessary to insure a free growth apart from all tendencies to "bolt" or run to seed, but so also is it to ensure such an amount of crispness and natural succulency as alone constitute the higher merits of this important salad plant. Sowings should be made upon a slight bottom-heat, or in boxes, &c., early in February. Make other sowings to follow these during the month of March and again early in April. Sow this time upon warm sunny sites, and transplant a portion of the produce of each sowing only, leaving a sufficient number in the seed beds, and properly thinned, to ensure a supply thereon. For permanent Summer crops sow again during May and June, and this time upon cool, open, airy quarters. Sow the seed in drill rows, and so soon as the seedlings are large enough don't transplant them at this date, but thin out and throw away all but the strongest plants. Too much or too frequent waterings cannot be given them during the hot and arid Summer months. Make a somewhat large sowing or two during the month of July; this for permanent Autumn and Winter uses. The seedlings may be transplanted when the produce of these sowings are thinned out, as by so doing they succeed those which have been permitted to stand. Other sowings should again be made on or about August 11th and 25th, September 5th and 20th, which are likewise to be thinned out and transplanted as necessary for Winter and early Spring supply. Cabbage Lettuces sow in May and August.



CONTINUITY LETTUCE (Natural Growth.)

Daniels' Continuity (or Perpetual).

THE BEST CABBAGE LETTUCE
IN THE WORLD.

A bed sown or planted in Spring will keep up a supply of Salad throughout the Summer.

No matter how hot and dry the season they will continue to maintain firm heads long after every other kind has run to seed or gone to decay. One sowing is equal to three or four of any other variety.

Whatever we have claimed in regard to its most excellent qualities has been more fully borne out in all these respects by the many testimonials we are continually receiving from our customers.

From *THE GARDENER'S CHRONICLE*,
September 5th, 1891.

"Daniels' 'Continuity' Cabbage Lettuce.—I sowed a row of this Lettuce in the Spring, at the same time as Paris Cos, and am very pleased with it. It fully merits the name of Continuity; it came in early, and is as good now, in the middle of August, from one sowing as it was at first, the Paris Cos and the ordinary Cabbage variety have both bolted long ago, but this does not seem to get any more advanced in that direction at present. It is a brown Lettuce of good flavour, and it grows to a fair size. Ours is a heavy soil, and any Lettuce that shows no disposition to go to seed is an acquisition. The row was thinned, and those that were transplanted at that time have turned out as well as the ones that were left."—
W. J. S.

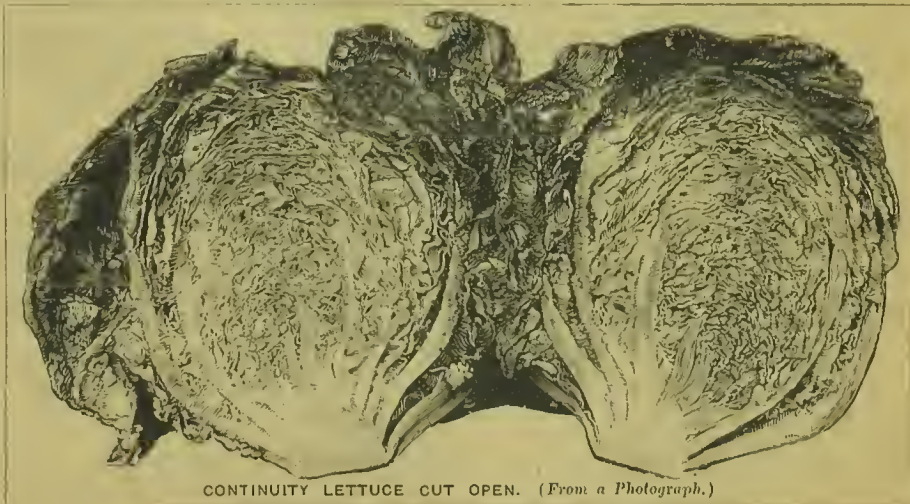
Price per packet 6d.; per oz. 1s. 6d.

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"I sowed a packet of your Continuity Lettuce on May 16th, part of them were cut when ready, the remainder were left until now (September 21st), and not one of them have run to seed. It is the most useful Cabbage Lettuce I have yet grown."—**Mr. F. JONES**, Gardener to His Grace The Duke of Buccleuch.

"I cannot say too much of the excellent qualities of your Continuity Lettuce. I sowed it with several other sorts the end of March, Continuity came in first, and I had good samples of it for more than a month after the others were all over. No gardener that has to keep up a continuous supply ought to be without it. I shall look on this variety as my chief Cabbage Lettuce in future."—**Mr. A. McMILLAN**, Gardener to Lady Bateman, Oakley Park.

"I think I have given your Continuity Lettuce a very fair test. I find it the least likely to run to seed of any that I have grown, especially in a warm frame in the winter, where most others run to seed. I consider it a solid and splendid Lettuce."—**Mr. H. ISAAC COUSENS**, Gardener to F. S. H. Dyer, Esq., Stourbridge.



CONTINUITY LETTUCE CUT OPEN. (From a Photograph.)

Lettuce (continued).



DANIELS' GIANT WHITE COS.

Cos or Upright-growing Varieties.

	per pkt. s. d.	per oz. s. d.
DANIELS' SOLID BROWN	1 0	2 6
DANIELS' GIANT WHITE. The finest and largest Cos Lettuce in cultivation, very tender and crisp, with fine solid hearts, requires no tying, and will stand a long time without running to seed; should be grown in all gardens; unrivalled for exhibition purposes	1 0	2 6
DANIELS' MONSTROUS BROWN. Tender and crisp, requires no tying, the largest grown; fine variety for exhibition	1 0	2 6
DANIELS' SELECTED PARIS WHITE. Self-blanching, tender, and mild flavour	0 6	1 6
Daniels' Black-seeded Bath Daniels' Green Winter. An excellent and hardy kind, valuable for Winter and early Spring work	0 6	1 6
Daniels' Blood Red Winter. A very handsome and hardy variety; very useful for early Spring use	0 6	1 6
Paris Green. Blanches well without tying	0 4	1 0
Paris White	0 4	1 0
Mixed Cos vars. All the best for succession	0 3	0 9

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"I took First Prize with your Giant White Cos Lettuce. I had a grand patch of them, quite a picture, and much admired."—Mr. S. KING, Bromham.

"Your Seeds did well for me last year, especially Giant Cos Lettuce, with which I took three First Prizes at Local Shows."—Mr. J. HUNTON, Carlu How, R.S.O.

Cabbage Varieties.

	per pkt. s. d.	per oz. s. d.	per pkt. s. d.	per oz. s. d.
DANIELS' GOLDEN SUMMER (new). This is quite distinct from Buttercup, being more of a bronzy yellow on the outside. The large, firm, solid heads when cut open, are nearly white inside, and exceedingly tender and juicy	0 9	2 0	0 3	0 9
QUEEN OF SUMMER (new). This is one of the finest Summer Lettuces yet introduced. It is remarkable for its large size, splendid appearance, and for withstanding the drought. It produces fine, crisp, and tender Lettuces in the driest season	0 6	1 6	0 4	1 0
DANIELS' BLACK-SEEDED TEXTER. Large, compact, and solid, one of the most splendid varieties in cultivation, first-class for market gardeners or family use	0 4	1 0	0 4	1 0
"All the Year Round"	0 4	1 0	0 4	1 0
DANIELS' ENDIVE-LEAVED (new). The leaves are of a bright rich green colour, and prettily fringed, whilst unlike most of its class, it has a firm, crisp head of fine flavour	0 6	1 6	0 6	1 6
Neapolitan. Leaves beautifully curled and tender, one of the finest Summer sorts, grows very hard and solid	0 3	0 9	0 3	0 9
American Gathering or Curled. Distinct and interesting, intermediate between the Cabbage and Cos kinds	0 4	1 0	0 3	0 9
Daniels' Giant White. An exceedingly large and fine variety, crisp and juicy, and of fine flavour, stands a long time without running to seed	0 6	1 6	0 3	0 9
Brown Dutch. Very large and hardy	0 3	0 9	0 3	0 9
Drumhead or Malta	0 3	0 9	0 6	1 6
Buttercup. This large, handsome variety is remarkable for its tenderness and delicacy of flavour, while its bright citron-coloured foliage renders it perfectly distinct from all existing Cabbage Lettuces	0 6	1 6	0 3	0 9
Hammersmith Hardy Green	0 3	0 9	0 4	1 0
Large White Winter	0 4	1 0	0 4	1 0
Tennis-ball. A fine dwarf variety	0 4	1 0	0 4	1 0
Wheeler's Tom Thumb	0 4	1 0	0 3	0 9
Mixed Cabbage vars. All the best kinds for succession	0 3	0 9	0 3	0 9
Mixed. All kinds, Cos and Cabbage	0 3	0 9		

"Your Giant White Cos Lettuce was A 1, so tender and crisp."—Mr. J. VINCENT, Bolney.

"I am pleased to tell you that the Giant White Cos Lettuce Seed I had from you last year took First Prize in the Open and Cottagers' Class."—Mr. G. CLARKE, Tenby.

"The Lettuce Seed I had from you last year was the best in the parish."—Mr. W. BRADLEY, Allhallows.

"I have grown all Seeds from your firm for twenty-six years, and have taken One Hundred Prizes for same."—Mr. J. BUSIN, Deal.

Parsnip.



DANIELS' QUEEN OF PARSLEYS.



HOLLOW-CROWNED PARSNIP.



PARSLEY-COVENT GARDEN.

Cultivation.—Rarely, if ever, is the Parsnip valued at its proper worth, or are its usefulness and high nutritive properties properly acknowledged. Perhaps there is no crop so remunerative both from the above point of view, and besides from a consideration of the heavy crops that on a system of fairly good culture, very limited space is capable of producing. As this esculent is known as being “dibble-rooted,” it may not be necessary to dwell upon the great necessity of deep culture. They delight in fairly stiff soil, moderately moist, and always succeed best upon such soil either trenched, or bastard trenched, and with manure placed not less than eight or ten inches deep and in a goodly layer, and well decomposed. Sow the seeds about March 20th in drill rows fourteen inches apart, thinning out the young seedlings to distances of from eight to ten inches apart in the rows. In cases where it is not possible to insure a regular crop, owing to irregular sowing, germination of seeds, or insect pests, we have seen a fairly good produce, and a better finish given to a bed, by transplanting some of the thickest seedlings during showery weather on to vacant spaces. Hoe frequently during the Summer months, and if a good tender Parsnip is appreciated, never dig up the roots until they are actually required for use.

	per oz.—s. d.		per oz.—s. d.
DANIELS' IMPROVED. A fine selection of the Hollow-crowned. First-class exhibition and market variety	0 8	Guernsey or Jersey Marrow. A fine, large, and heavy cropping variety	0 6
Elcombe's Improved. Very choice stock, of fine flavour, much esteemed for exhibition	0 6	Hollow-crowned. Largest and best for general use; a fine selected stock	0 3
Turnip-rooted. Excellent for shallow soils	0 6	The Student. A first-class variety, but requires a good depth of soil	0 6

Parsley.

Cultivation.—It is only by thorough and efficient culture that good Parsley can be grown. Hence good, deep, rich soil, should always be prepared for it by trenching, manuring, &c., where practicable. Sowings should be made from about the middle of February until the end of March, according to the demand. For a limited supply only one sowing, made about March 10th, will suffice. Make another sowing about the first week in July, transplant a few seedlings from each sowing, if possible, as finer plants are formed thereby. It is a desirable plan to sow in rows ten inches apart, and to thin the plants out to like distances apart in the rows. By placing frames over some portions of the crop during Winter, or potting up bundles of the roots, and placing them into a gentle warmth, a better supply will be assured at a most acceptable season.

Daniels' Queen of the Parsleys, an improvement upon the Fern-leaved variety, is the most useful for garnishing, and is extremely valuable as an ornamental-foliaged plant for the flower border, &c.

	per oz.—s. d.		per oz.—s. d.
DANIELS' QUEEN OF THE PARSLEYS. An extra selected stock of the Fern-leaved variety, carefully grown on our own Seed Farm. The most useful for garnishing, and extremely valuable as an ornamental plant for the flower-border	per pkt. 6d. 1 6	Covent-Garden Garnishing. A splendid variety, beautifully curled	0 6
		Extra-fine Curled. Fine for garnishing	0 4
		Fern-leaved. Distinct foliage, useful for garnishing	per pkt. 3d. 0 9

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

“At the Fruit and Root Show I was awarded a First Class Certificate for your Improved Hollow-crowned Parsnip. The six weighed 20 lbs., one of the largest weighed 5 lbs.”—**MR. W. BAILEY**, Lamberhurst.

“The Parsnips are very fine indeed, there is any quantity that measure thirteen inches round them.”—**MR. S. GANTON**, Stamford.

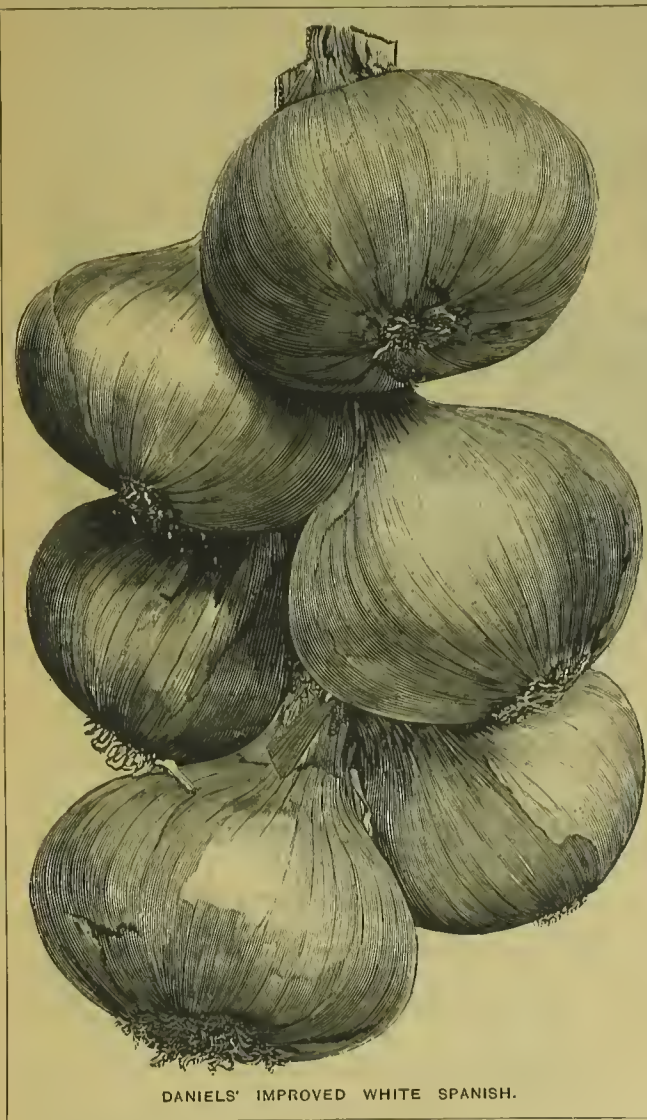
“The Parsnips (Hollow-crowned) did well, many of them measuring sixteen and eighteen inches, and a good crop.”—**MR. C. REDDING**, Bislingham.

“I am very glad to inform you that I took First Prize on your Carrots and Parsnips in two Shows.”—**MR. W. MARRIS**, Ystrad.

Onion.

Cultivation.—PREPARATION OF GROUND.—The Onion is what may be termed a gross feeder; it cannot be grown to perfection without a good depth of rich and well pulverised soil and an open situation. Superficially, it would appear the reverse of this, though the roots are known to run perpendicularly downwards many feet in depth where agreeable soil exists, and for which reason very deep and good cultivation is of the first importance. In preparing a bed for Onions, therefore, always endeavour to trench it deeply, adding abundance of manure at the bottom of each trench, and throughout its various strata as the work progresses. The object to be obtained being to thoroughly break up and manure the soil to the depth of twenty to twenty-four inches, we should recommend its accomplishment

in the following manner:—In October or November, or as early as possible afterwards, dig out a trench two feet wide and one spade deep, removing the soil where you intend to finish; break up the bottom or subsoil of the trench another spade deep, mixing in a liberal quantity of manure, throw on this the soil from the next space of two feet, again mixing in plenty of manure, treat the second and succeeding trenches in the same manner, until the whole plot is completed. It is found that by this means the ground will resist drought much better than when dug in the ordinary way, that heavy soils are rendered less retentive, and light soils greatly improved, and that all soils are much benefited, and will yield much finer crops in successive seasons. By timely sowing, good cultivation, and careful harvesting, Onions can be produced in this country, in size, quality, and mildness of flavour, and for culinary purposes, equal to the finest importations from Portugal or Spain. And the great wonder is that much larger quantities are not grown, as thousands of tons are imported at a cost of something like £80,000 to £100,000 annually, which could be as well produced at home to meet the great demand for this much esteemed article of food, possessing as it does such valuable medicinal and nutritious properties. An occasional dressing of soot during the Winter and Spring will be of great benefit. DANIELS' EUREKA MANURE worked into the soil, or applied in liquid form, is a powerful stimulant to growing crops.



DANIELS' IMPROVED WHITE SPANISH.

SPRING SOWING.—The early sowing, consisting of such sorts as **Golden Rocca**, **Daniels' Improved White Spanish**, **Red Wethersfield**, and **Zitteau Giant Yellow**, &c., should be made early in February, and the main one of all kinds early in March. Always where convenient, sow in drill-rows, drawn very shallow, and about nine inches apart. Before sowing the seeds the ground should be well trodden down and raked level. Immediately the seeds are sown, level in the drill-rows neatly, then well tread over the whole surface of the bed, again raking it over to remove all stones, &c. The young seedling plants must be kept quite free from weeds by frequent use of the hoe, and immediately they are large enough, thinning should be performed, carefully drawing all weaklings out without disturbing such as are to remain, and which should be at a distance of from eight to nine inches apart, if any fine produce is aimed at. Where, however, much moderate-sized produce is in demand (and it has become the fashion to garnish with such) it is not desirable to thin nearly so much. In regard to growing "picklers," these should be sown more thickly, and receive no thinning out at all; and it may be necessary, in the case of very good ground, to sow them on to a poor site chosen for its poverty, and stony, or similar characteristics. Irrigation or any kind of artificial waterings, especially if more or less manurial, will prove of great benefit in growing large and fine produce. The maggot, which often attacks the crops, may be "kept off" by sprinkling the young seedlings thinly with fresh slaked lime immediately after thinning, and during showery weather. Watering them with the lime water has also the same effect.

AUTUMN SOWING is growing more in favour every year with most cultivators, and the many advantages to be derived from having a plentiful supply of Autumn-sown Onions cannot be well over-estimated, as by transplanting they can be grown to double the size and are much milder in flavour, besides a more abundant and heavier crop can be relied on. In these Autumn sowings, the attack by the fly and consequent destruction by maggots is unknown, and if the seed is sown in fairly good time, so as to be well up before the Autumn frosts begin, they will withstand our severest Winter. By thinning the crops, an abundant supply of fresh green Onions can be had for use all through the Spring and early Summer months. **Daniels' Golden Rocca**, **Daniels' Giant Rocca**, and **Daniels' Crimson Rocca** are the best kinds for Autumn sowing.

TIME OF SOWING FOR STANDING THE WINTER.—Sow any time from the middle of July to the second week in September in moderately rich and well-pulverised soil, in an open situation, in beds four feet wide, (and, where convenient, make two or three sowings at intervals of ten or fourteen days). Before sowing, the ground should be thoroughly consolidated, by treading down with the feet, raked level, and drills carefully made, &c., as recommended above for Spring Cultivation. Water and clean from time to time as required. Very fine crops can be obtained in the ordinary way of cultivation by thinning the young plants out to about six inches apart, but where extra fine bulbs are required for exhibition and other purposes, we strongly recommend **TRANSPLANTING**.

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"I might add that my three beds of Onions from your Seed are far and away the finest anywhere about this neighbourhood. The last time the verdict was passed was on Monday last, by H. M. Inspector, and his assistant Mr. Amsworth, who is an enthusiastic gardener, and both of whom come from about Saxmundham, The Garden of Suffolk."—**The Rev. MONTAGUE ARNOLD**, Ringsfield.

"The Onion Seed I had from you last year turned out splendidly."—**Mr. JAMES STEVENSON**, Bloxholme Hall.



Daniels' Select List of Onions for 1893.

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| DANIELS' IMPROVED WHITE SPANISH. The most perfect type of White Spanish Onion in cultivation, specially selected by ourselves. Grows to a large size, very even, and of good flavour. This variety has been exhibited with much success during the past season, and will prove a great acquisition per pkt. 1s. 2 6 | DANIELS' NEW RED GLOBE. The finest red Onion in cultivation. The bulbs are large, of a fine globular shape, and of a beautiful dark crimson. Besides being very attractive in appearance, it has the mild flavour and good keeping qualities of the very best of the White Spanish type per pkt. 6d. 1 6 |
| ROUSHAM PARK HERO. A magnificent variety of the White Spanish type per pkt. 1s. 2 6 | GIANT ZITTEAU, BLOOD RED. Large size, handsome, globe-shaped, a late keeper, of mild flavour; skin pure blood red per pkt. 6d. 1 6 |
| DANIELS' WHITE ELEPHANT TRIPOLI. This new Italian introduction is the largest of the Tripoli sorts, the average diameter of the bulbs being six and a half to seven inches. They are flat in form, with a silvery white skin, and of fine mild flavour. This Onion is unsurpassed as an exhibition variety per pkt. 6d. 1 6 | DANIELS' BLOOD RED. Fine rich colour, very hardy per pkt. 6d. 0 9 |
| DANIELS' GIANT ROCCA (true). A splendid variety, of delicate flavour, large globular shape, and light brown skin, weight two to three pounds; plant out one foot apart. If sown in Spring this variety will produce larger Onions than any Spring sort per pkt. 6d. 1 0 | ST. LAURENT (new). In shape this variety resembles James' Keeping, but of a much larger size, and is strongly recommended for its long keeping, and mild flavour; it is flat on the top, becoming narrow towards the base of the bulb, and is a very heavy cropper per pkt. 6d. 1 6 |
| "LONGLASTER." This is by far the longest keeping Onion yet introduced. We have had specimens in sound condition eighteen months after being harvested. This variety should be sown early in the season per pkt. 6d. 1 6 | "EARLY WHITE GEM." One of the earliest in cultivation, three weeks earlier than the Queen, and comes to maturity from eight to ten weeks from time of sowing. The bulbs are medium-sized and handsome shape, it is of exceedingly mild flavour, and will be found a valuable addition to the Kitchen Garden for early use per pkt. 6d. 1 6 |
| | DANIELS' CRIMSON ROCCA. Extra fine variety per pkt. 6d. 1 0 |
| | DANIELS' GOLDEN GLOBE (see Novelties) per pkt. 1s. 2 6 |

PLANTS.—Strong Autumn sown, to plant out for show purposes, can be supplied in Spring of the following kinds only: White Elephant Tripoli, White Spanish, Golden Rocca, and Giant Rocca.
Each sort 1s. 6d. per 100; 10s. per 1000. Carriage Paid.

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"Last Spring I purchased from you half an ounce of Improved White Spanish Onion Seed, from which I grew 112 lbs. of good-sized and splendid Onions."—Mr. H. HUTCHINGS, Wellington.

"I have taken First Prize for the last three years with your Improved White Spanish Onion."—Mr. S. PERKINS, Rushton.

"I took First Prize with your Giant Rocca Onion at Bexley Heath Show this year. They are splendid." Mr. W. A. FERMOR, Eitham.

"The Golden Rocca Onion Seed I got last year has done well, and stood all the severe dry frost." Mr. J. W. FELL, Aldborough, Hull.

Onion (continued).

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"The Golden Rocca Onion Seed that you sent me last year turned out remarkably well, and I took six to Bradfield Flower Show on the 26th of July, and took First Prize for them. They said they were the best Onion they ever saw."
Mr. J. GEORGE, Beenham.

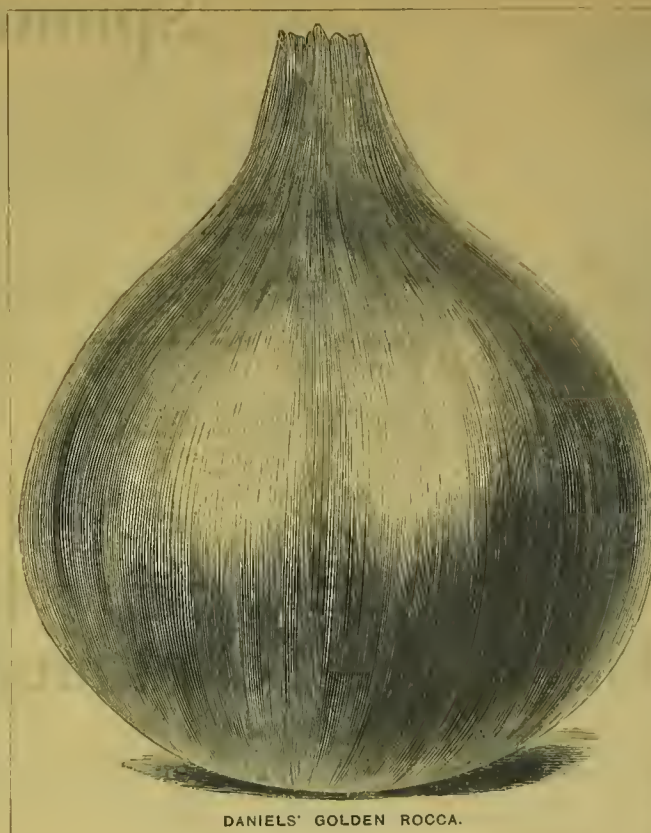
"The Golden Rocca Onion I got from you are simply delightful."
Mr. P. HUNTER, Grantham.

"I raised my Onions this week, your Golden Rocca Seed which I had from you last Autumn. I had six bulbs all measuring eleven inches, and all fine bulbs."
Mr. F. CASHMORE, Cwmbran.

"I have pleasure in telling you that I gained First Prize for your Golden Rocca Onion. They drew the attention of the people at the Show."— Mr. T. ADAMS, Tring.

"Your Golden Rocca Onion was shown yesterday at Sutton Bridge, and took First Prize in great competition. I took Second for Spring Onion, eleven Prizes in all."— Mr. J. RUTTER, Gardener to Dr. Mason, Wisbech.

"My Golden Rocca Onion is quite a show in our allotment grounds. I have some fifteen inches in circumference."
Mr. C. TURNER, Cardiff.



DANIELS' GOLDEN ROCCA.

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"I had a most splendid bed of your Golden Rocca Onion last year, which won five First Prizes, and people came to see them. I have two beautiful beds this year which are the talk of the country side."
Mr. J. BURN, Wylton-on-Tylnan.

"I took two First Prizes for Golden Rocca Onion at two Shows, one on the 27th, and one on the 28th July. Nine Onions weighing 10½ lbs."
Mr. W. MERRITT, Ashtend Park.

"I am pleased to tell you I have just won First Prize for your Golden Rocca Onion, with nine fine specimens, quite the admiration of the Show."— Mr. G. HYDE, Eaton, Bucks.

"The Golden Rocca Onion supplied by you carried off First Prize at Waltham District Horticultural Society Show, held July 28th, and also First Prize at Laceby Show on August 4th."
Mr. R. CHILTON, Waltham.

"I was awarded First Prize at Middlewich Show for a collection of Vegetables grown from your Seed, also First for Golden Rocca Onion."
Mr. HOUGH, Staunthorne.

"Last summer we started a Show in our village, and I was fortunate enough to gain First Prize for Onions."
Mr. T. HORDER, Marndull.

DANIELS' GOLDEN ROCCA.

(See also coloured plate.)

One of the largest and finest Onions ever introduced. Fine globular shape, golden yellow skin, mild flavour, and with careful cultivation comes equal to the imported Portugal Onions, and keeps sound till June. This variety is the best exhibition kind known, and has obtained more Prizes than any other Onion. If sown in Autumn, and kept under first-class cultivation, will grow bulbs two to three pounds each.

Price, per pkt. 9d.; per oz. 2s.

	per oz.—s.	d.		per oz.—s.	d.
Bedfordshire Champion. Selected stock	...	1 0	Silver Skin. Of very quick growth, best for pickling	0 9	
Brown Globe. Very useful, heavy cropper	...	0 9	Strasburgh or Deptford. Well known	...	0 4
Danver's Yellow (true stock). Fine early variety	...	0 9	Tripoli Italian Red. Fine dark red skin	...	0 9
EARLY QUEEN. Remarkably quick-growing, may be sown in July and will ripen same year, an excellent keeper	...	1 0	Tripoli Italian White. Similar to the above, but milder	...	0 9
Giant Madeira. Flavour excellent, grows an immense size	...	1 0	Tripoli Large Globe. Handsome large variety	...	0 8
Giant Red Tripoli. An exceedingly fine variety	...	1 0	Wethersfield New Red. A capital type of Red Onion for Spring sowing, flesh pure white	...	0 8
JAMES' KEEPING. Excellent keeper	...	0 9	White Globe (straw-coloured). A fine useful variety	...	1 0
Lisbon White. Fine hardy variety, first-rate for drawing early in Spring	...	0 6	WHITE SPANISH. Ordinary stock	per lb.	5s. 0 6
NEW WHITE GLOBE. First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society. Bulbs of medium size, true globular shape, remarkably firm and solid, with a very white silvery skin; very handsome and distinct	...	1 0	WHITE SPANISH, Portugal, or Reading. Fine selected stock, best for general use	per lb.	6s. 6d. 0 8
Nuneham Park. Much recommended, a fine variety	...	0 9	ZITTEAU GIANT YELLOW. A magnificent variety, of fine yellow skin, attains a large size, remains sound till June	per lb.	6s. 6d. 0 8
			Mixed, for Autumn sowing	...	4s. 6d. 0 6
			„ for Spring sowing	...	4s. 6d. 0 6

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

5 bushels 3 pecks of GOLDEN ROCCA ONIONS produced from One Ounce of Seed.

"From One Ounce of your Golden Rocca Onion Seed I have just harvested 5 bushels 3 pecks of splendid Onions, some being fourteen inches in circumference."— Mr. J. ALDOUS, Hulver.

DANIELS' GOLDEN ROCCA ONION obtains First Prize for Twelve consecutive Years.

"I have taken First Prize again this year for Golden Rocca Onion. This makes the twelfth year I have obtained it for the produce of your Seed."— Mr. T. STYLES, Hinton.

DANIELS' GOLDEN ROCCA ONION obtains First Prize for Six consecutive Years.

"I have taken First Prize for your Golden Rocca Onion for six years, at Branchley Horticultural Show, six bulbs weighing 6½ lbs.; the admiration of the Show."— Mr. H. CORD, Mile Oak.



MONSTROUS ITALIAN.

Spinach.

Cultivation.—Round Spinach should be sown for Spring and Summer use at intervals from February to May; Prickly Spinach in July and August for Winter use. The New Zealand variety requires to be raised on a gentle hot-bed in April, and planted out in May on a good rich soil in a warm situation. Sow the Round and Prickly varieties in drills about an inch deep and a foot apart in good rich soil, the richer the better for the Summer crop. Abundance of moisture and an occasional dose of weak liquid manure will improve the crop.

Long Standing. A most valuable variety for Summer use, as it stands the dry weather, and keeps longer fit for use than any other sort ...	per oz.—s. d.	
... ..	per qt. 3s. 6d., per pt. 2s.	0 6
Monstrous Italian or Viroflay. Large and superior; leaves dark green, and extremely thick and fleshy	per qt. 2s., per pt. 1s 3d.	0 4
New Zealand. Large and succulent ...	... ..	0 6
Perpetual or Spinach Beet ...	... ..	0 8
Prickly. For Winter use ...	per qt. 1s. 9d., per pt. 1s.	0 3
Round. For Summer use ...	... ..	0 3
Orach or Mountain. Green ...	... ..	6d. —
” ” Red ...	... ..	6d. —
” ” White ...	... ..	6d. —

Salsafy and Scorzonera.

Cultivation.—To grow nice plump, straight roots of Salsafy, the ground should be prepared in Autumn in a similar way to that recommended for Parsnips. Sow in April in drills fifteen inches apart, and thin out the plants to eight or ten inches apart in the row. Keep clean by hoeing, &c., during Summer, and take up for storing in November in same way as Carrots. The roots are scraped and boiled in the same way as Parsnips, and are of a mild sweetish flavour. Much esteemed on the Continent.

Scorzonera will thrive under similar treatment to that recommended for Salsafy, which it somewhat resembles, but should be allowed a little more room in the drill.

Salsafy. Common ...	per oz.—s. d.		Scorzonera ...	per oz.—s. d.	
” Sandwich Island Mammoth. Splendid variety, lately introduced ...	per pkt. 3d. 0 9		” Russian Improved ...	per pkt. 3d. 0 9	
... ..	per pkt. 6d. 1 6		... ..	... ..	1 0



GOLDEN CREAM.

Vegetable Marrow.

Cultivation.—This esteemed vegetable is so nearly related to the Gourd that we may say but little in regard to it. Its treatment as regards sowing and the early transplanting, &c., should be identical therewith. Few plants delight more in copious manurial waterings than do these. Too generally the produce is permitted to become much too large before it is cut for use. This is excusable in the case of growers for market. Where, however, persons are enabled to grow their own, it seems strange that the same method should be followed. Every Marrow should be cooked whole, and this fact should alone suggest the most desirable size to grow them to. By cutting young a more abundant supply will be constantly forming than is possible when all are permitted to become more or less “seedy.”

DANIELS' GOLDEN CREAM. fine and prolific ...	per pkt.—s. d.		Pen-y-byd (<i>The best in the World</i>). Awarded two First Class Certificates. This distinct variety is enormously prolific and a continuous bearer. The vine is extremely short-jointed, setting a fruit at every joint. The fruit is of handsome appearance, almost globular in form, sometimes very slightly ribbed, averaging about six inches in diameter, and is of a delicate creamy white colour, with thick firm flesh, which when cooked is of finest quality and delicate flavour ...	per pkt.—s. d.	
... ..	Very	0 6	... ..	6d. and	1 0
DANIELS' LARGE CREAM. Best for general use, fine-flavoured ...	... ..	0 6	Long White-ribbed, or Bush. Good; a prolific kind ...	... ..	0 4
... ..	... ..	0 6	Moore's Vegetable Cream. Very prolific, delicious flavour ...	... ..	0 4
Custard-shaped. Prolific, ornamental-shaped variety ...	... ..	0 6	Pine-apple Squash (new). From America. A useful and prolific variety ...	... ..	1 0
Long Green. Good variety, forms a striking contrast with other kinds ...	... ..	0 4	Vegetable Marrow and Squash. Various sorts mixed ...	... ..	0 3

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

“Last Spring you sent me a packet of **Mixed Marrow**. I have grown a fine green one 14 lbs. in weight, and a white one 28 lbs., in the open garden.”—**Mr. W. CHOYCE**, Sheepy.

“I showed two of your **Long Green Vegetable Marrow** at our Show, held on July 30th, and I took First and Second Prizes with them.”—**Mr. A. TAYLOR**, Chesham.

Radish.

Cultivation.—A free open soil, enriched by real unctuous manures, best suits the Radish, and if a little bottom-heat can be insured in the Spring, so much the better the produce. To this end it is well to place soil upon any manure heap undergoing fermentation, and sow thereon. Successional sowings should be made constantly onward, commencing about the middle of February until the last week in September. The best Spring crops, it were scarcely necessary to remark, are produced under glass. If grown out of doors, however, both those for early Spring supply and the last sowings should have a warm, sunny site chosen for them, and a light protection of straw; this will ward off excessive cold and aid them materially, if placed over them during cold, frosty nights, removing it during the day, &c. The China Rose and Black Spanish varieties should only be sown during July and August, and for Winter salads, for which purpose they are esteemed. *Raphanus caudatus* is an edible-podded variety only, the pods of which are exceedingly long, and are eaten, when young and tender, in the same manner as the roots of other varieties, and for pickling are a decided improvement on ordinary radish-pods. It only succeeds well under pot culture, or treated as a tender annual.



SCARLET OLIVE-SHAPED.



LONG SCARLET.



WHITE OLIVE-SHAPED

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"I took First Prize at the Newington Church Institute Flower Show for the best tray of Vegetables grown from your Seed. I also got six First Prizes at the same Show, which was all your Seed which I got last Spring, out of seven entries."

Mr. F. JEWITT, Hall.

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"I again beg to enclose my order for your excellent Seeds, and I may state that I obtained about twenty First, thirty Second and Third Prizes, and our Silver Medal (for best basket of Vegetables), for plants raised from Seed from you last year."

Mr. ROBERT WHITE, Wick.

"The Seeds I had from you last year turned out first-class. I exhibited in seven classes at our Great Bowden Show. I took three First Prizes, three Second, and one Third."—Mr. E. MARTIN, Gt. Bowden.

	per oz.—s.	d.
DANIELS' LONG SALMON. Similar in growth and appearance to Scarlet Short-top, but of a rich salmon colour	...	0 6
Long Rose, White-tipped. Excellent new sort, attaining an unusual size without becoming stringy. Its pretty rose colour passes to pure white at the end of root, a peculiarity which gives to this Radish a very pleasing appearance	...	0 8
Long Scarlet	per qt. 2s. 6d.; per pt. 1s. 6d.	0 3
Scarlet Short-top. Best for general crop and market purposes	per qt. 2s. 6d.; per pt. 1s. 6d.	0 3
Wood's Early Frame. The best for early crop, forces well	per qt. 3s.; per pt. 1s. 9d.	0 4
Raphanus Caudatus (Rat-tail or Tree Radish). Pods only eaten; useful for pickling	per pkt. 6d.	—
DANIELS' PURPLE OLIVE-SHAPED, WHITE-TIPPED. This variety is equally as constant and attractive as the French Breakfast. It received the large Silver Medal at Erfurt Exhibition, the solo prize for a vegetable novelty	...	0 6
Olive-shaped Scarlet. Early, good forcere, very tender and mild	per qt. 3s. 6d.; per pt. 2s.	0 4
Olive-shaped White. Of quick growth, mild and crisp, handsome shape	per qt. 3s. 6d.; per pt. 2s.	0 4

	per oz.—s.	d.
Olive-shaped Mixed	per qt. 3s.; per pt. 1s. 9d.	0 3
Chinese Rose-coloured. Of oblong shape and mild flavour; for Winter use	...	0 4
French Breakfast. Scarlet, tipped white, oval shape, forces well, mild and crisp, highly esteemed in Paris	per pint 2s.	0 4
Scarlet Turnip, Non plus ultra. Fine deep scarlet, very early	...	0 8
Turnip, Scarlet, white-tipped. Delicious and handsome	per pint 2s. 6d.	0 6
Turnip, Scarlet	For Summer and Autumn use. } per qt. 3s.; per pt. 1s. 9d.	0 4
White		
Mixed	per qt. 2s. 6d.; per pt. 1s. 6d.	0 3
Black Spanish. For Winter salads; sown in Autumn for Spring use	...	0 6
DANIELS' EARLY SCARLET TURNIP. The finest variety ever introduced, being very early, the roots are firm, solid, and of true globular shape. Colour, rich glowing crimson scarlet. This is unquestionably the earliest forcing Radish extant. It grows very rapidly, is of delicate flavour, and is fit to use in three weeks from time of sowing. The top is short, with leaves few and small	per pt. 2s. 6d.	0 6

Tomato or Love-apple.



DANIELS' SCARLET PERFECTION.

OWING to the great improvement in this choice fruit, the Tomato has for many years been growing in favour with all classes of the community, for no other product grown is more wholesome. For months in the Summer time it may be gathered fresh, and share the fate of Pears, Melons, and Peaches, or preserved for Winter use; so, practically, it can be had all the year round for salads, soups, and sauces; for whether baked, boiled, stewed, or fried with chops and steaks, spread on huttered toast, or eaten raw as a salad, or with sugar, it is equally wholesome and nutritious. But to the thorough lover of the Tomato, there is no way so agreeable in the heat of Summer as to eat them from the plant. The great advance made in the quality of the Tomato is not more strikingly illustrated than in the "Scarlet Perfection." The plant is of robust constitution, and very prolific. The fruit are of large size and perfectly smooth, and when ripe of a glossy orange scarlet. The flesh is solid, rich in flavour, and of unsurpassable quality.

Out-door Cultivation. Sow in March on a slight hot-bed, and when two or three inches high pot off singly into three-inch pots. In middle of April place in cool frame or under handglasses to harden off. About this period great care should be taken to keep the young plants shaded from the sun,

and well supplied with water. Towards the end of May plant out about four feet apart, in good rich soil, against a south wall, or close to the fence on a warm border. As the plants grow they should be trained up thinly, and nailed up or fastened. Pinch out the young branches from amongst the fruit, as it is highly important they should have the fullest benefit of sun and air to insure their full ripening. Frequent doses of weak liquid manure all through the growing season will be found of great service.

Cultivation under Glass has of late years become quite a remunerative pastime with many amateur gardeners, and a great financial benefit to the market grower. Being of such easy culture they can be raised from seed in any ordinary hot-bed or shelf in a greenhouse. When large enough to handle, transplant in pans of light rich soil, and in a few days they will be large enough for potting into single pots, and as growth is very rapid, it is necessary to provide a suitable place for them to be planted for fruiting; this we always recommend should be where the roots have the advantage of securing the warmth of the house in which they are growing, that is to say, in pots or boxes, or anything that will hold soil, should be placed on shelves or stands as the case may be; this not only benefits the plants by keeping the roots warmer, but provides better means for drainage, which is very essential in the cultivation of Tomatoes. We have known many disappointments to arise from no other cause than stagnation at the roots. The chief other requirements are, some good rich soil, composed of loam, leaf-mould, and manure, two-parts of the former, and one of the latter. We generally recommend the single stem system, *i.e.*, single stem to each plant, pinching out all side shoots as they appear, thus putting all the strength of the plant into one stem, which should not be stopped until well set with fruit. Plant from twelve to eighteen inches apart. In order to induce a sturdy and healthy growth air should be freely given at all stages, keeping the plants as near the glass as possible, and free circulation of air is all important, as it causes the pollen to travel more freely, and materially assists hybridisation, thus ensuring a more abundant crop. When the plants are well set with fruit, their size and quality can be greatly improved by giving liquid manure two or three times a week. Success in Tomato growing depends upon constant root moisture, combined with good drainage, genial warmth, and ample ventilation. After repeated trials the following varieties have been pronounced by the most expert growers to be the finest in cultivation, and may be regarded as the best selection that can be made.

RED VARIETIES.

	per pkt.—s.	d.		per pkt.—s.	d.
*DANIELS' SCARLET PERFECTION. Very handsome, perfectly round and smooth, firm and solid, flavour first-class, and of a beautiful glossy scarlet colour ...	1s. and	2 0	Ponderosa (<i>see Novelties</i>) ...	...	1 0
DANIELS' CRIMSON QUEEN. A beautiful scarlet crimson variety of extra fine form and delicate flavour, very prolific and early; a magnificent variety for exhibition purposes ...	...	1 0	*Laxton's Open-air. It is said to be the earliest and hardiest in cultivation ...	6d. and	1 0
Criterion. A most superior red sort, of handsome form and large size ...	...	0 6	*Large Red. Very prolific and useful ...	...	0 4
Hathaway's Excelsior or Stamfordian. A fine early variety, producing in great profusion a large, smooth, round, and heavy fruit; handsome ...	...	0 6	*New Early Champion. Succeeds well both under glass and in the open air. It is of dwarf, compact habit, fruit smooth, solid, and of a bright red ...	6d. and	1 0
*King Humbert or Chiswick Red. First Class Certificate R.H.S. ...	...	0 6	New Peach. Fruit is uniform in size, about as large as a medium-sized Peach, having a delicious fruity flavour not met with in any other ...	...	1 0
			Chemin. Smooth, good shape and colour; fine market variety ...	...	6d. and 1 0
			Conference. Very handsome, perfectly round and smooth, flesh firm and solid ...	...	1 0

Those marked thus * are the best for open air cultivation.

Tomato (continued).

RED VARIETIES (Continued).

	per pkt.—s.	d.		per pkt.—s.	d.
* DANIELS' DWARF EARLY OPEN-AIR. The earliest of all Tomatoes for the open air. Its earliness, dwarf habit and productiveness will make it a general favourite	6d. and	1 0	Ham Green Favourite. Very prolific, fine, handsome, smooth variety; first-class for market use	1 0	0
* DANIELS' HARBINGER. This variety, being very early and a prolific bearer, will be found extremely valuable for growing in the open air. The fruit are round, smooth, solid, and of a bright red. We believe this kind will soon become a favourite	...	1 0	* Prelude. First Class Certificate R.H.S. Fruit solid, of good flavour, and of a rich scarlet colour	1 0	0
Terra Cotta (see <i>Novelties</i>)	...	1 0	* Early Ruby. Very prolific, is of dwarf habit, good shape, colour bright scarlet, flesh solid, succeeds well in the open air	...	1 0
			Longkeeper. A new variety, selected for its long keeping qualities	...	1 0
			Mixed. All sorts	...	0 6

YELLOW OR GOLDEN VARIETIES.

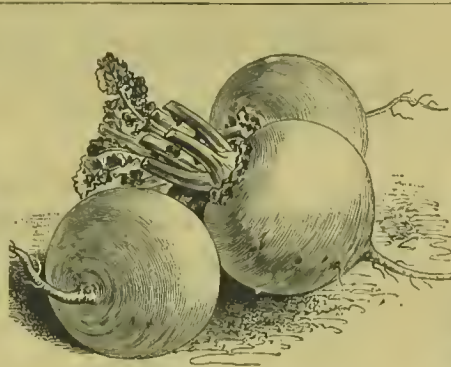
	per pkt.—s.	d.		per pkt.—s.	d.
* Golden Eagle. This is the most prolific variety that we know, and there is none to equal it in flavour	6d. and	1 0	Golden Drop. Very prolific, bearing clusters of bright golden yellow fruit; round, smooth, and almost as transparent as amber, and of a most delicate flavour	1 0	0
Golden Queen. Smooth, round, golden yellow, of excellent flavour, and very productive	...	1 0	* Golden Sunrise. First Class Certificate R.H.S. The fruit are large, round, smooth, and of a bright golden colour, sometimes slightly flushed with crimson; flavour excellent	...	1 0
Greengage. Fruit of a bright golden yellow	...	0 6			
* Large Yellow Improved. A fine variety	...	0 6			

Those marked thus * are the best for open air cultivation.

Turnip.



EARLY MILAN.



DANIELS' IMPROVED SNOWBALL.



EARLY STRAP-LEAVED.

Cultivation.—A rich, deep, mellow soil, with a fair amount of moisture, is the most favourable for growing nice, sweet, crisp, and juicy Turnips, but any good soil, well dug and manured, will grow them well. For the first crop sow **Daniels' Improved Snowball**, and other sorts, on a warm border towards the end of March; sow again in April, and for succession of Summer and Autumn crops, make occasional sowings up to the end of July. For Winter use sow in August or early in September. The "**Orange Jelly**" and "**Early Munich**" are best for this purpose. Turnips, to be of fine quality in Summer, should be grown quick. Sow broadcast, or in drills one foot or eighteen inches apart, and thin out the plants to one foot apart. Keep free from weeds while the plants are small, and give an occasional hoeing, which will greatly facilitate their growth.

White-fleshed Varieties.

	per oz.—s.	d.
Daniels' Improved Snowball. A distinct and beautiful Turnip. Small, solid, sweet, crisp, and of remarkably quick growth; flesh snow-white and juicy; a variety that cannot be surpassed	per pint 2s.	0 6
Chirk Castle (Black Stone). Splendid Winter variety	...	0 8
New Early Scarlet (see <i>Novelties</i>)	per pkt. 4d.	1 0
Early Milan Red-top. First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society	per pint 2s. 6d.	0 6
Early Munich. First Class Certificate R.H.S.	per pint 2s.	0 6
Early White Strap-leaved. One of the earliest grown	per pint 2s.	0 6
Early White Stone, or Dutch Six Weeks	per pint 1s.	0 3
Veitch's Red Globe	...	2s. 0 6
Early Green-top Stone	...	2s. 0 4

Long or Tankard Vars. (White-fleshed).

	per oz.—s.	d.
Crimson Tankard	per pint 2s.	0 6
Emerald Tankard	...	2s. 0 6
Jersey Navet. Fine variety from Channel Islands	...	0 6
Paris Market or Long White French	per pint 2s.	0 6

Yellow or Golden-fleshed Varieties.

	per oz.—s.	d.
Daniels' Golden Gem (see <i>Novelties</i>)	per pkt. 6d.	1 6
Early Orange Jelly. Very early, fine for late sowing	per pint 1s. 6d.	0 4
Golden Ball (selected)	...	0 8
Golden Tankard	per pint 2s.	0 6
Orange Red-top. Handsome garden Turnip, red top and golden yellow flesh; first-class	per pint 2s.	0 6

Daniels' Selected Home-grown Farm Seeds



NORFOLK GIANT PURPLE-TOP SWEDE.



DEFIANCE GREEN-TOP SWEDE.

HAVE PRODUCED SOME OF THE HEAVIEST CROPS ON RECORD.

We have as usual given special care and attention to the selecting and improving of choice stocks of Swedish and other Turnips, and also of Mangolds, which for size, quality, and smallness of top are considered the finest in cultivation. These have been grown expressly for our retail trade, and may be relied upon as being true to name, of the best quality, and saved from selected roots.

Our new Farm Seed Catalogue, published March 1st, will be forwarded gratis and post free on application. Not bound by these prices after March 1st, 1893.

Swede Turnips.

	per bush.—s. d.	
DANIELS' NORFOLK GIANT PURPLE-TOP. The success this magnificent variety has met with during the past season shows it to be superior to most sorts now in commerce, and we have no hesitation in recommending it to our customers. The roots are somewhat oval, and of a deep rich purple. It is a heavy cropper and excellent keeper. All farmers should give it a trial.	per pt. 8d.	32 0
DANIELS' IMPROVED PURPLE-TOP. A carefully selected and splendid variety	per pint 8d.	32 0
DANIELS' DEFIANCE GREEN-TOP. A first-class variety for grazing purposes; very hardy	per pint 8d.	32 0
Skirving's Purple-top. An old-esteemed variety	„ 7d.	30 0

White-fleshed Turnips.

DANIELS' NORFOLK GREEN ROUND. Excellent for main crop, the hardiest of the Globe varieties	per pint 7d.	28 0
DANIELS' PURPLE-TOP MAMMOTH. An early Turnip, very heavy cropper, large and handsome roots	per pint 8d.	35 0
Bell or Decanter. Extra selected stock	„ 7d.	28 0
Pomeranian or White Globe. Fine for early use	„ 7d.	28 0
Stone or Stubble. For late sowing	„ 7d.	28 0

Yellow-fleshed or Scotch Turnips.

GREEN-TOP YELLOW SCOTCH or BULLOCK. Grows a heavy crop, flesh solid and juicy, much relished by cattle	per pint 9d.	40 0
Purple-top Yellow Scotch or Bullock. A very superior variety, nearly equal to the Swede in quality; scarce	per pint 9d.	45 0

Mangolds.

Our stocks of these are all English grown, and can be fully relied on as really first-class. All growers of Mangolds should give our Seeds a trial, as we feel sure the result would be most satisfactory.

	per cwt.—s. d.	
DANIELS' IMPROVED MAMMOTH LONG RED. Our stock is very fine and can be highly recommended, having been selected by us for many years	per lb. 9d.	80 0
DANIELS' GOLDEN TANKARD. Specially selected for its yellow or golden flesh, its richness in saccharine matter, and handsome shape	per lb. 1s. 3d.	120 0
DANIELS' SELECTED LONG YELLOW. This we can highly recommend as a select stock of Long Yellow	per lb. 9d.	80 0
DANIELS' GOLDEN GATE-POST. The colour and quality of the flesh are equal to the Golden Tankard, being of rich yellow and full of saccharine matter	per lb. 9d.	80 0
DANIELS' INTERMEDIATE or GATE-POST. One of the finest Mangolds ever introduced. The crop is uniform, and the roots heavy, handsome, and clean, with single tap-root	per lb. 1s.	105 0
Yellow Intermediate	„ 1s.	105 0
DANIELS' CHAMPION ORANGE GLOBE. Our own unequalled stock, highly recommended for its neat top, fine clear skin, and tap root, a heavy cropper of splendid quality	per lb. 10d.	90 0
DANIELS' GOLDEN GLOBE. One of the finest selected stocks introduced of late years	per lb. 1s.	100 0
DANIELS' SELECTED RED GLOBE. Very heavy cropper	per lb. 10d.	84 0
Yellow Globe. Good stock	„ 9d.	80 0

Special low quotations for large quantities.

Cleaned Grass Seeds and Clovers

For all Soils & Situations, for Pasturage, Ensilage, &c.

Samples and Special Quotations on Application.

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	per acre.—s. d.	
1.—MIXTURES FOR ALTERNATE HUSBANDRY OR ROTATION CROPS.		
Rye Grasses and Clovers for one year's lay	12s. 6d. to	17 6
Rye Grasses and Clovers for one year's lay, and one year's pasture	... .. 18s. to	25 0
Rye Grasses and Clovers for one year's lay, and two or three years' pasture	... .. 20s. to	27 6
2.—MIXTURE FOR PERMANENT PASTURE OR MEADOW.		
This comprises a selection of the Finest Perennial Clovers, Cockfoot, Crested Dogtail, Fescues, Golden Oat Grass, Meadow Foxtail, Poas, Rye Grasses (Italian and Perennial), Sweet Vernal, Timothy, &c. 25s. to		
		35 0
3.—MIXTURE FOR PERMANENT PASTURES IN PARKS, ORNAMENTAL GROUNDS, CEMETERIES, &c.		
Made up of Perennial Clovers, Crested Dogtail, Fescues, Golden Oat Grass, Meadow Foxtail, Poas, Evergreen Perennial Rye Grass, Sweet Vernal, &c. 25s. to		
		40 0
4.—RENOVATING GRASSES AND CLOVERS. For improving old or worn-out pastures, mending patches, &c. Sow 10 to 12 lbs. per acre per bush. 20s.; per lb. 1s.		—

All orders should be accompanied with a description of the nature of the land to be laid down, and the measurement in statute acres.

Rye Grasses, Clovers, &c.

Finest Qualities Selected, and Cleaned by the best Machinery.

Prices subject to the variation of the Market.

Evergreen Perennial or Devon Heaver	... per bush. 5s. 6d. to 6s. 6d.
Italian (<i>Lolium Italicum</i>) English	... .. per bush. 4s. to 5s. 6d.
" Foreign	... .. per bush. 6s. 6d. to 7s. 6d.
Perennial (<i>Lolium perenne</i>) Scotch	... .. per bush. 5s. 6d. to 6s. 6d.
" (Pacey's)	... .. per bush. 5s. 6d. to 6s. 6d.
Alsÿke or Hybrid (<i>Trifolium hybridum</i>)	per lb. 1s. to 1s. 3d.; per bush. 65s. to 80s.
Giant Cow Grass or Perennial Red (<i>T. perenne</i>)	per lb. 9d. to 1s.; per bush. 56s. to 70s.
Red or Broad-leaved (<i>T. pratense</i>)	per lb. 8d. to 10d.; per bush. 45s. to 70s.
Lucerne. Succeeds well on light and chalky soils, coming into use very early; requires to be hoed freely, and may be cut several times in one season	... .. per lb. 9d. to 1s.; per cwt. 80s.
White or Dutch (<i>T. repens</i>)	... .. per lb. 9d. to 1s.; per bush. 50s. to 80s.
Yellow or Trefoil (<i>Medicago lupulina</i>)	per lb. 6d.; per bush. 25s. to 35s.
Yellow or Red Suckling (<i>T. minus filiforme</i>)	... .. per lb. 9d.
Clover Mixed for Alternate Husbandry	per lb. 1s.; per bush. 45s. to 65s.
Crimson Clover (<i>Trifolium incarnatum</i>)	... .. market price.
Perennial Clovers in Mixture	... .. per lb. 1s.; per bush. 60s.
Sainfoin, Giant. Sow four bushels per acre; specially adapted for growing on light, dry, chalky soils, producing a considerable amount of bulk for using green; it also makes very good hay	per bush. 5s. 6d. to 6s. 6d.
Sainfoin, Common	... .. per bush. 5s. to 6s.
Spring Tares or Vetches	... .. market price.
" " New Zealand or Golden	... .. per bush. 7s. 6d.

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"It is due of me to let you know that I was extremely well satisfied with the Grasses and Clovers obtained from you. The neighbouring farmers and others greatly admired my crop. It will be a pleasure for me to recommend your firm."—
Mr. REES THOMAS, Cwmcornewell.



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NEW AND SELECT POTATOES FOR 1893.



DANIELS' MASTERPIECE.

DANIELS' "DUKE OF YORK."

A GRAND NEW POTATO.

For Full Description, &c., see Novelties.

Price, 1 lb. 6d., 7 lb. 2s. 6d. 14 lb. 4s. 6d.

DANIELS' MASTERPIECE. A new seedling

Potato of great merit; second early, white round, rather inclined to oblong. The eyes are few, and quite even with the surface; skin white and slightly netted, flesh fine-grained, and beautifully white and floury when cooked. Its dwarf habit, (from nine inches to one foot in height,) renders it invaluable for all gardens, whilst its heavy cropping qualities will recommend it to the market grower.

Price, 7 lb. 1s. 9d., 14 lb. 3s.

DANIELS' EARLIEST WHITE. This new seedling Potato is one of the earliest ever sent out, coming in a fortnight before the Ashleaf varieties. The tubers, which are kidney-shaped, are of medium size, eyes few and shallow, cooks well, and is a good cropper. We can recommend it to all requiring an early Potato, either for forcing or for the open ground.

Price, 1 lb. 6d., 7 lb. 2s. 6d., 14 lb. 4s. 6d.

DANIELS' LAPSTONE. A useful maincrop variety, tubers are flat, pebble-shaped, and somewhat long; the flesh which is pale yellow in colour is very fine-grained, and of good cooking quality. It is very productive and well worthy of a trial.

Price, 1 lb. 9d., 3 lb. 2s., 7 lb. 4s.

EARLY MARKET. A new variety of the Ashleaf type, of strong constitution, free from disease; a good cropper, of fine table quality, and will be found a very useful variety for early market work.

Price, 1 lb. 6d., 3 lb. 1s., 7 lb. 2s.

EARLY WHITE BEAUTY. Early white Kidney of handsome shape and clear white skin, is remarkably prolific, and of excellent table quality, resists the disease well. Its fine appearance makes it a most desirable exhibition variety.

Price, 7 lb. 1s. 9d., 14 lb. 3s., 56 lb. 10s. 6d.

SNOWDROP. Although this variety has now been for some years before the public, it possesses such merit as to class it amongst the select varieties of to-day. The tubers are well formed, eyes shallow, skin clear, and flesh beautifully white and mealy when cooked; an abundant cropper, and very distinct. It received a First Class Certificate from the Royal Horticultural Society.

Price, 14 lb. 2s. 6d., 56 lb. 8s. 6d., cwt. 15s.



DANIELS' SPECIAL.

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seedling has been selected for extraordinary cropping, combined with its superb cooking qualities. It is a handsome White Round maincrop variety, with eyes even with the surface, consequently there will be no waste in the peeling, and, when cooked, like balls of flour. We have grown this sort at the rate of twelve tons per acre on medium soil, thus proving its great productiveness. As an exhibition variety it is one of the handsomest of the White Rounds.

14 lb. 3s., 56 lb. 10s. 6d., cwt. 18s. 6d.

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"From the 14 lbs. of your Daniels' Special Potatoes I lifted 530 lbs. of splendid Potatoes, no waste in peeling, when cooked, like balls of flour. I shall recommend them to all my neighbours."—
Mr. J. W. HARRISON, Gardener to the Right Hon. Lord Arundel, Wardour Castle.

New and Select Potatoes for 1893 (continued).



DANIELS' LONGKEEPER.

DANIELS' LONGKEEPER. A fine red round variety of the Red Skin Flourball type, but a later keeper. This has been selected from many others for its good cropping and late keeping qualities. The tubers, when cooked, are white, firm, and dry, but not mealy. This kind of Potato is preferred by many to the very mealy kinds.

Price, 3 lb. 1s., 7 lb. 2s., 14 lb. 3s. 6d.

NEW SEEDLING—PRINCESS MAY. This is by far the handsomest Red Kidney ever raised, being a seedling from Edgcote Purple and Peerless Rose. The tubers are flat kidney shape, eyes shallow, the skin being of a bright glossy red. The flesh is of excellent quality when cooked. It is a good cropper and invaluable in a collection of exhibition varieties.

Price, 1 lb. 6d., 7 lb. 2s. 6d., 14 lb. 4s. 6d.

EMPEROR FREDERICK. A fine exhibition Potato. The tubers are large handsome kidney-shaped; skin a rich purple, mottled with crimson. It is a most excellent cropper; flesh white, dry, mealy, and of fine flavour when cooked.

Price, 7 lb. 1s. 9d., 14 lb. 3s.

NEW SEEDLING—INDIAN PRINCE. This is a remarkably handsome Black Kidney, long, flat, and smooth. Although the colour is quite black, it is only skin deep, the tubers being beautifully white and floury when cooked; it is also a most excellent cropper, and of handsome appearance on the exhibition table.

Price, 1 lb. 6d., 7 lb. 2s. 6d., 14 lb. 4s. 6d.

DANIELS' EARLY CRIMSON FLOURBALL. This is the earliest Red Round Potato yet introduced, and will be found most valuable for early exhibitions, but the most valuable feature is the fact that the young tubers, even when the size of walnuts, are fit for use, and can be dug a fortnight before the Beauty of Hebron or other earlier kinds furnish any potatoes fit to eat. The tubers are round in form, clustering compactly about the stems, which never grow more than a foot in height. The skin is of a beautiful rosy crimson colour, the eyes shallow, the flesh is beautifully white, dry, mealy, and fine-flavoured.

Price, 1 lb. 6d., 7 lb. 2s. 6d., 14 lb. 4s. 6d.

RED ROBIN KIDNEY. A very handsome exhibition Potato. The tubers are medium size, and of a rich crimson colour. The flesh is of a bright golden yellow; dry, mealy, and of excellent flavour when cooked. It is also a most abundant cropper, and a good disease-resister.

Price, 1 lb. 6d., 7 lb. 2s. 6d., 14 lb. 4s. 6d.



DANIELS' NORFOLK BLACKBIRD.

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A great novelty in the way of Potatoes, raised at our trial ground. The tubers are long, handsome, kidney-shaped; the eyes few and quite even with the surface; the skin is smooth and glossy, and almost jet black. The flesh, which partakes largely of the colour of the skin, is dry and mealy when cooked, and of very fine flavour, making a very novel dish for the table. It is the handsomest and best black potato ever raised, and will be found invaluable to give variety to an exhibition collection.

Price, 1 lb. 6d., 7 lb. 2s. 6d., 14 lb. 4s. 6d.

EARLY PURITAN.



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FIRST EARLY VARIETIES (White).

EARLY PURITAN. Awarded First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society. An early variety of great excellence. A good cropper, and of first-class table quality. The tubers can be used when half grown, as even then they are wonderfully dry and of fine flavour. Its dwarf habit of growth, about fifteen inches high, renders it very suitable for all gardens, and on account of its fine cropping qualities it is rapidly becoming one of the chief market varieties.

Price, per peck 2s. 6d., 56 lb. 8s. 6d., cwt. 15s.

Price per Ton on application.

EARLY WHITE HEBRON. This grand Potato possesses all the well-known quality of the Beauty of Hebron, and has in addition a clear white skin, which renders it more valuable for market purposes. It is of excellent quality when cooked, and is enormously productive. We can thoroughly recommend this variety.

Price, per peck 2s. 6d., 56 lb. 8s. 6d., cwt. 14s.

	per 14 lb.	per 56 lb.	per cwt.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
DANIELS' "HARBINGER." A first early Round variety of great excellence; first-class for earliest crop, in frames or out of doors. Height one foot	3 0	10 6	18 6
DANIELS' DEFIANCE ASHLEAF. The best and earliest kind, cooks well, and of fine flavour; very productive	4 0	14 0	24 0
Early Bird. A fine variety of the Ashleaf type, productive, and of good table quality	3 0	10 6	—
Early Ashleaf	2 6	8 6	15 0
Early Primrose. A first early Kidney, coming at same time as Early Ashleaf, but is more prolific; the tubers are of the most excellent quality and flavour, and when cooked the flesh is beautifully mealy and of a delicate primrose colour, hence its name. From its handsome shape it is a most desirable exhibition kind	3 6	12 6	21 0
Kentish or Mona's Pride Ashleaf. Small foliage, heavy cropper	2 6	8 6	15 0
Myatt's Ashleaf. A fine old variety	2 6	8 6	15 0
Old Ashleaf (true). The finest-flavoured first early known (scarce)	3 6	12 6	—
Rivers' Royal Ashleaf. Very productive	2 6	8 6	15 0
Victor. Tubers round, somewhat inclined to oblong, very early and prolific	3 6	12 6	—



“THE DANIELS.” This grand Potato is a cross between the Magnum Bonum and the White Elephant, combining the excellent qualities of both; but it more resembles the White Elephant in shape, size, and enormous productiveness, with the advantage of having a pure white skin. Its cooking qualities are all that can be desired, whilst the great demand for this variety shows that it is appreciated by the public. Price, per peck 2s. 6d., per bush. 8s., per cwt. 14s. Much cheaper by the Ton.

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

“The Daniels Potatoes that I had from you three years ago are proving themselves most wonderful down in this district. From one tuber we lifted 19 lbs., free from disease.”—**Mr. W. LLOYD**, Hubberston.

“I have grown your Daniels Potatoes for four years; they have given me great satisfaction, and they are now the leading Potatoes in our district.”—**Mr. J. CUPPER**, Stourport.

“I got 3 cwt. of The Daniels Potatoes from you last year, they were a great success. I never ate a better Potato. I shall be quite content with them.”—**Mr. G. EDYVEAN**, Devonport.

“The ton of Daniels Potatoes I had from you last year turned out well.”—**Mr. J. BATOHELOR**, Rochester.

“Your Daniels Potatoes are very good croppers, and excellent quality; they paid me well.”—**Mr. J. EVANS**, Neath.

“The Daniels Potatoes, out of 7 lbs. I grew 224 lbs., all good sound Potatoes.”—**Mr. W. HERRINGTON**, Aldershot.

“I have grown The Daniels Potatoes ever since they first came out. We grew 16 sacks and 2 bushels on 18 rod of ground.”—**Mr. J. CUTLER**, Christchurch.

“We are using The Daniels Potatoes, our own seed from yours of year before last, and they are most excellent, and were a good crop. The best we had since the first year of the White Elephant.”—**Mrs. TAYLOR**, Rathfriland.

“The Daniels Potato took the lead and won in all classes.”—**Mr. JAMES HARRIS**, Weston Mills.

“I took First Prize with your Daniels Potatoes at Tongham Cottage Show; they are the best I have ever grown.”—**Mr. W. MORRIS**, Runfold.

Mrs. Bullard sends Messrs. Daniels some Potatoes, The Daniels, which were grown from their seed. Her gardener has taken up 15 bushels out of 3 1/2 rods, all very fine potatoes.”—**Mrs. C. BULLARD**, Hethersett.

SECOND EARLY VARIETIES (White).

	per 14 lb. s. d.	per 56 lb. s. d.	per cwt. s. d.
Cole's Favourite. Kidney, good cropper, flesh white and floury when cooked, very handsome, clear skin; suitable for exhibition	2 6	8 6	15 0
Norfolk Hero (Daniels). A Kidney of superior excellence, the tubers being handsome, with clear skin; fine for exhibition, while its great productiveness and good cooking qualities should recommend it to every Potato grower	2 6	8 6	15 0
President. A large, handsome Kidney, heavy cropper, fine quality; useful for exhibition	2 6	8 6	15 0
RURAL NEW YORKER, No. 2. The tubers are large and unusually smooth, eyes few and shallow, form oblong inclining to round, skin and flesh white, the latter being of superior quality; it is a very heavy cropper	2 6	8 6	15 0
Windsor Castle. An excellent variety, tubers oblong or pebble-shaped, very heavy cropper, flesh firm, white, and of splendid quality	3 0	10 6	—



TABLE KING.

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"I beg to say the members of the Luton Road Cottage Gardeners' Society are this year growing your **Table King Potatoes** for their Cup Competition, each competing member having 3½ lbs. served out to him to grow for that purpose; out of the 3½ lbs. planted by me I have raised 1 cwt. 100 lbs. are of excellent quality, and all fit for table use."—**MR. N. CHEESMAN**, Chatham.

"The **Seed Potatoes** I had from you last year produced an excellent crop of fine, sound tubers, which pleased me very much."—**MR. B. READ**, Bolton Bridge.

"Your **Potato Table King** I consider a first-class variety, of good shape, and very shallow eyes, a heavy cropper, and of good flavour."—**MR. W. LOW**, The Gardens, Euston Park.

DANIELS' TABLE KING. This remarkably handsome Potato has now been some time before the public. It is a second early, the tubers are somewhat kidney-shaped, but many are nearly round. They are mealy when cooked and of a most excellent flavour. The eyes are few and quite even with the surface. Its dwarf habit (one foot) renders it a most desirable sort for all gardens, and its handsome appearance, combined with its great productiveness, will soon make it a favourite market variety. For exhibition it is first-class.
Price, 14 lb. 2s. 6d., 56 lb. 8s. 6d., cwt. 15s.

DANIELS' REMARKABLE. This variety was raised by us some few years since, and after repeated trials has proved itself a first-class cropping variety, a good keeper, and of splendid table quality. The tubers are of an oblong round shape, white, large, and handsome; a fine exhibition variety.
Price, 14 lb. 2s. 6d., 56 lb. 8s. 6d., cwt. 15s.

DANIELS' UNIVERSAL. A round white variety, of the size and shape of a cricket ball; eyes few and shallow, skin slightly netted, flesh white and floury when cooked. A first-rate cropping variety, and an excellent keeper. We sent this variety out in 1888 for the first time, and the steadily increasing demand shows that it is giving general satisfaction to our customers.
Price, 14 lb. 2s. 6d., 56 lb. 8s. 6d., cwt. 15s.

DANIELS' DREADNOUGHT. New disease-resisting, main-crop variety. This magnificent Potato somewhat resembles the *Magnum Bonum*, but far excels that variety in vigour of constitution and enormous productiveness; grown side by side with *Magnum Bonum* it produced one third more tubers, of handsome shape and fine table quality.
Price, 14 lb. 2s. 6d., 56 lb. 8s. 6d., cwt. 15s.

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"The **Dreadnought Potatoes** I had from you three seasons ago have proved one of the best cropping and disease-resisters in the neighbourhood, and when I lifted they averaged 180 lbs to the perch."—**MR. M. SEALY**, Malmesbury.

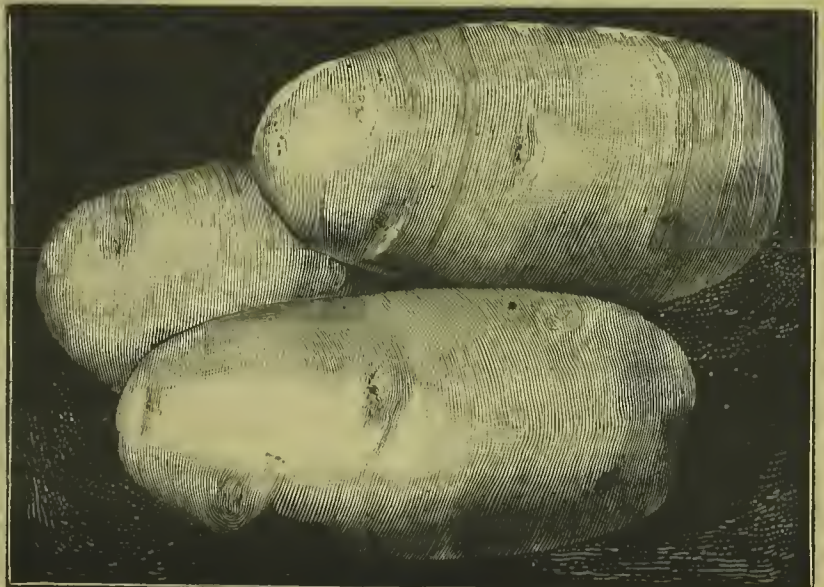
"It gives me pleasure to tell you from your 7 lbs. of **Dreadnought Potatoes** I took up 13 stone of good Potatoes. It was a wonderful sight to all who saw them."—**MR. R. H. RAYNOR**, Alford.

"The **Seeds** we received last year gave perfect satisfaction. The **Dreadnought Potatoes** first-rate, from 7 lbs. of Seed we had 140 lbs., with only 13 lbs. small ones, and no disease."—**LIEUT. E. BROWN**, Shorecliffe.

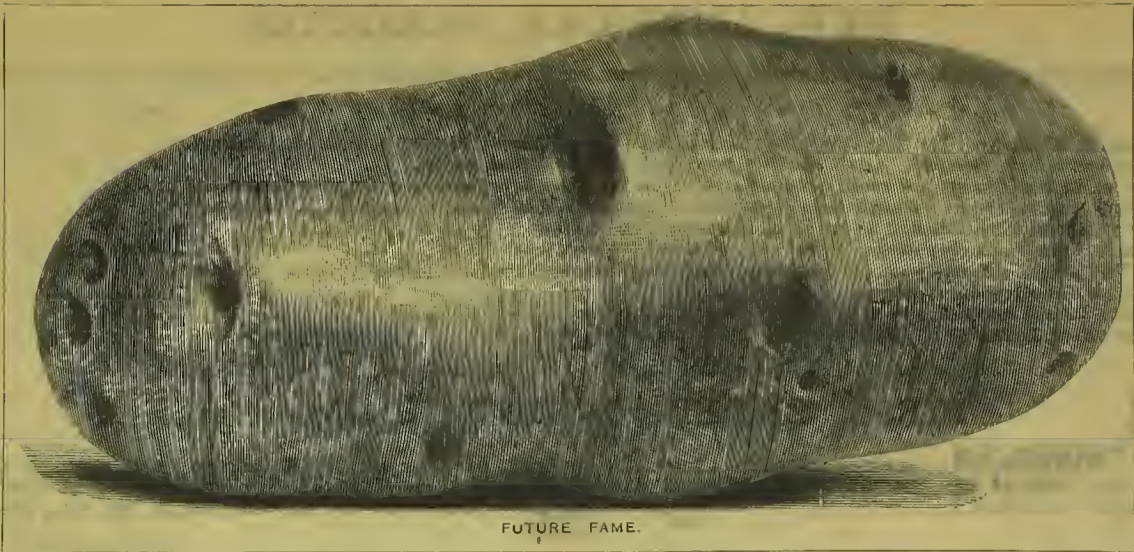
NEW SEEDLING—DANIELS'

'**RELIABLE**' (see engraving). This is a handsome White Kidney of extra cooking qualities and most excellent cropper; its eyes are few and quite even with the surface. It is a second early, and will make a fine exhibition kind.

Price, 14 lb. 3s. 6d., 56 lb. 12s. 6d.



DANIELS' RELIABLE.



FUTURE FAME. A grand Seedling of the Magnum Bonum type, and, like that variety, a great disease-resister, but is at least a fortnight earlier, and a heavy cropper, and when cooked is white, dry, and mealy, and of faultless flavour. We can strongly recommend this variety to all growers for market, it produces more weight to the acre than any late potato we know of.

Price, 14 lb. 2s. 6d., 56 lb. 8s. 6d., cwt. 15s.

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"Everything did well I had from you last year. The Potatoes were much admired. **Future Fame** is a lovely Potato, and does not take the disease."—**Mr. R. BROWNING**, Bransgore.

"The **Future Fame** Potato I had from you proved the best disease-resister for the last two years, and on our chalky soil is a good cropper."—**T. CARTER**, Esq., Marlborough.

"I had 7 lbs. of your **Future Fame** Potato last year, and I lifted 114 lbs. from them. I think they are a very good Potato."—**Mr. J. KINSEY**, Three Cocks.

"From 14 lbs. of **Future Fame** Potato I had from you last season I raised 44 lbs., none diseased."—**Mr. W. H. PLEASE**, Wootton Bridge.

"The **Seeds and Potatoes** I had from you last Spring did very well. From 14 lbs. of **Future Fame** I raised 420 lbs."—**Mr. O. WOOD**, Newnham.

"From the 7 lbs. **Future Fame** Potatoes sent me this Spring I raised an exceedingly fine lot last week, weighing upwards of 223 lbs. of grand Potatoes."—**Mr. S. MAPP**, Brewod.

MAIN CROP AND LATE VARIETIES (White).

	per 14lb.	per 56lb.	per cwt.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Champion of the World, or Scotch Champion. A good kind for moist and heavy soils	2 0	7 0	14 0
Chiswick Favourite. First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society. A splendid round, late variety; an enormous cropper	2 6	8 6	15 0
Clarke's Maincrop. Late Kidney, vigorous and robust. A grand cropper and disease-resister; floury and fine flavoured	2 6	8 6	15 0
Colonel Long. Tubers large, smooth, and handsome, heavy cropper; floury, and of fine table quality	2 6	8 6	15 0
DANIELS' KING KIDNEY. A remarkably robust grower; and producing a very heavy crop of handsome, marketable tubers, of superior cooking quality. It is the best disease-resister that we know of, and a first-class kind for poor soils; and fine for exhibition	3 0	10 6	18 6
DANIELS' ROYAL NORFOLK RUSSET. This is one of the most remarkable Potatoes ever raised; the tubers are of medium size and roughly netted, eyes few and shallow, flesh white, fine grained, boils like a ball of flour, and of the finest flavour. Since sending this variety out we find it has been named by our Scotch friends "The Village Blacksmith"	3 0	10 6	—
Golden Flourball. A fine, late, yellow-fleshed Potato of excellent quality; good keeper	2 6	8 6	15 0
Imperator. This is a most excellent variety, and is far superior to the Champion	2 0	7 6	14 0
Lye's Seedling. A handsome Kidney, very prolific; useful exhibition variety	2 6	8 6	15 0
Magnum Bonum. A well-known, first-class, main-crop variety	2 0	7 0	14 0
Reading Giant. A late Kidney of robust constitution, heavy cropper; fine table quality	2 6	8 6	15 0
Satisfaction. In shape it is almost round, or rather pebble-shaped, eyes upon the surface; a very heavy cropper, and of fine cooking quality	2 6	8 6	15 0
Schoolmaster. A well-known variety, tubers uniformly round and handsome. First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society. Fine for exhibition	2 6	8 6	15 0
The Bruce. A new Scotch variety; late Kidney, robust grower, of good quality, and very prolific	2 0	7 6	14 0
The Village Blacksmith (see Royal Norfolk Russet)	3 0	10 6	—

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY.

"The **Early Puritan** Potatoes are the best crop I have had from you. I raised two roots of the **Remarkable** that I had from you this year, and they are like balls of flour and good shape."—**Mr. T. BISHOP**, Willesden.

"I lifted my Potatoes on Wednesday which I grew from the 14 lbs. of **Remarkable** I had of you in the Spring. They are the finest crop I ever grew. Many that have seen them say they never saw such a fine lot."—**Mr. R. PASH**, Walmesbury.

"I was very pleased with the **Early White Hebron** Potatoes last year."—**Mr. SUMMERS**, Woodmancote.

"I have never grown such Potatoes as the **Remarkable**. I have grown Potatoes for 30 years and find these the best; a great many weigh 2 lbs. each."—**Mr. H. JACOBS**, Dorchester.

"The **Garden Seeds** I had of you last Spring turned out remarkably well, especially the **Puritan Potatoes**. From the 14 lbs. I had of you, I had a crop of 141 lbs."—**Mr. E. PHILLIPS**, May, R.S.O.

"I was much pleased and very successful with **Seeds** sent last year; especially **Early White Hebron** Potatoes; from 14 lbs. of which, I grew 18 or 20 stone, and a very good sample."—**Mr. T. BELLAMY**, Retford.

NEW AMERICAN VARIETIES.

The following varieties have proved themselves to be of excellent quality and great productiveness.

	per 14 lb. s. d.	per 56 lb. s. d.	per cwt. s. d.
Brownell's Winner. The tubers are large, long, oval, and slightly flattened, are very smooth and handsome. The colour is light rose-pink; season maincrop, very prolific, and of good quality	3 0	10 6	18 6
Burpee's Extra Early. A remarkably early variety of the Rose type, coming in some days before that variety. The tubers are oblong in shape, very smooth, eyes set well on the surface, skin white, shaded with pink; the flesh is white and of fine quality; enormously productive	3 0	10 6	18 6
Delaware. Medium early; oblong, pure white, and rough-skinned, good quality	3 6	12 6	—
Early Vaughan. A variety of the Rose type, tubers large, kidney-shaped; colour, light rose, very dry and mealy, and is a very heavy cropper	3 0	10 6	18 6
Triumph. A red round of good quality, early, very prolific; good exhibition variety	3 6	12 6	—
Livingstone's Standard. A handsome white-skinned variety, tubers oblong in shape; good quality	7 lb. 2s. 6d.	4 6	—

FIRST EARLY VARIETIES (Coloured).

THE THORBURN. A new, early, American variety of the White Elephant type, and is said to be the best of all the early kinds, and will rapidly find a place in the front rank of the early market varieties.
Price, 14 lb. 2s. 6d., 56 lb. 8s. 6d., cwt. 15s.

	per 14 lb. s. d.	per 56 lb. s. d.	per cwt. s. d.
Beauty of Hebron. A well-known excellent variety	2 0	7 6	14 0
Daniels' First Early. A variety of the Early Rose type, but ripening ten days earlier than that well-known kind	2 6	8 6	15 0
Early Gem. A fine first early of the American Rose type, but a heavier cropper; fine table quality	2 6	8 6	15 0
Early Rose. A well-known variety. Fine for early use on light soils	2 0	7 6	14 0
Early Sunrise. This is the true type of Early Rose; very early, and of excellent quality	2 0	7 6	14 0
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Australian (Red Skin). A very large variety from Australia, resembling the old Red Skin Flourball, but larger and a heavier cropper	2 6	8 6	15 0
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Empress of India. A handsome, oblong round, coloured Kidney; skin rich purple, mottled with cream colour; flesh yellow, floury, and of fine flavour when cooked	3 0	10 6	—
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		per 7lb.	per 14lb.
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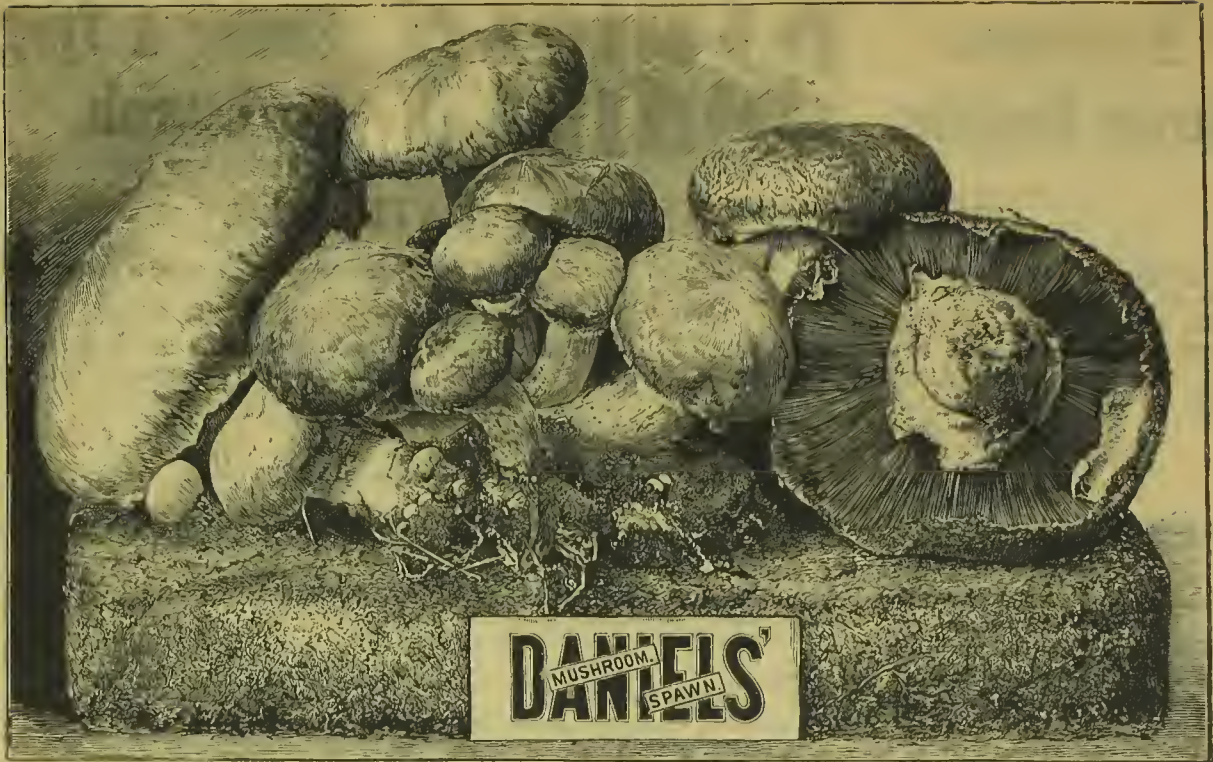
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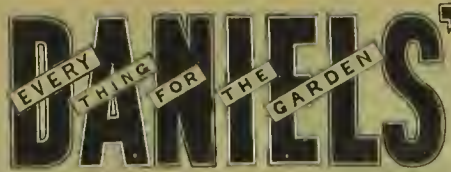
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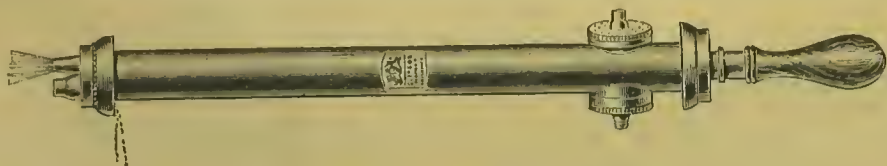
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WATERING POTS, New High Level (patented). A long felt want for watering top shelves in greenhouses, no steps or ladder required. Made in the following sizes, and so simple that any one can manage them with facility. Complete with shaft, 1 quart 3s. 6d., 2 quarts 4s., 3 quarts 4s. 6d.

Wreaths, Crosses, Bouquets, Grasses, Gnaphaliums, and Sundry Horticultural Requisites.

Wreaths in White Cape Flowers. 2s., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., 4s. 6d., 5s. 6d., to 10s. 6d. each.

Wreaths—Metal Leaves and Porcelain Flowers. 2s., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., 4s. 6d., 5s. 6d., 10s. 6d., to 42s.

Wreaths—Artificial (best French flowers). 7s. 6d., 10s. 6d., 12s. 6d., 15s., 21s., to 42s.

Wreaths—Porcelain. Very choice. 12s. 6d. to 63s.

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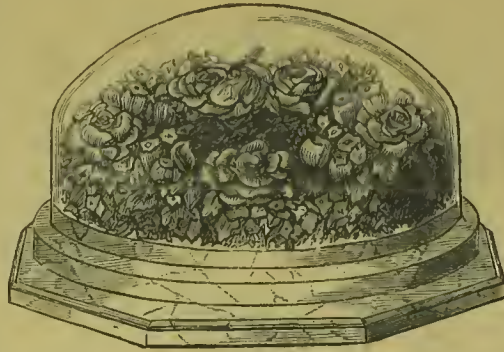
* **Pampas Plumes.** Natural, white, 1s. to 1s. 6d. each.

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* These are very stately growing Grasses, the plumes of which form valuable objects for house decoration.



New Wreath, Shade, and Pedestal (as above).

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For Wreaths of fresh cut flowers.

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8-in. diameter 3s. 3d., 9-in. 3s. 9d., 10-in. 4s. 3d., 11-in. 4s. 9d., 12-in. 5s. 6d., 13-in. 6s. 6d., 14-in. 7s. 6d., 15-in. 10s., and upwards.

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For Crosses of fresh cut flowers.

All sizes, 1s. 6d. to 3s. 6d. each.

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Unpainted Deal. In bundles of 100, 1-ft., 1/-; 1½-ft., 1/6; 2-ft., 2/-; 2½-ft., 2/6; 3-ft., 3/-; 3½-ft., 3/6; 4-ft., 4/-.

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Best English Make, Painted. In bundles of 100, 4-in., 8d.; 5-in., 10d.; 6-in. 1/-; 7-in., 1/3; 8-in., 1/6; 9-in., 1/9.

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Indispensable to every garden.

No. 2, 11½-in. by 6-in., 1/-; No. 3, 13½-in. by 7½-in., 1/3; No. 4, 15-in. by 8½-in., 1/6; No. 5, 17½-in. by 9½-in., 1/9; No. 6, 20½-in. by 10½-in., 2/3; No. 7, 23-in. by 12-in., 2/6; No. 8, 26-in. by 14-in., 3/-; No. 9, 28-in. by 15-in., 3/6.

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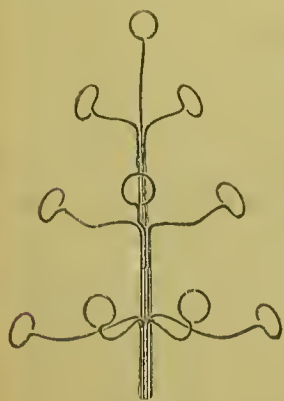
For the arrangement of Cut Flowers these are unequalled.

Various Shapes in Stock.

Artistic arrangement is greatly assisted by these Patent Frames. All the frames are enamelled green.

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No. 1.	Exhibition Bunches (without enps) for 10 Flowers	0	9
" 2.	Exhibition Bunches (without cups) for 6 Flowers	0	6
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" 5.	Table Decoration, with raised centre	1	6
" 6.	Table Decoration, with raised centre, with Dish	2	0
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" 8.	Table Decoration, without raised centre, with Dish	1	6
" 9.	Circular for Vase or Bouquet	1	0

Price per dozen on application.



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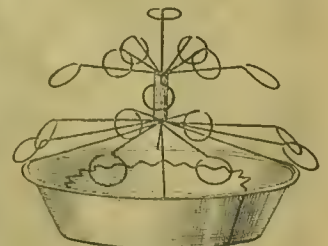


TABLE DECORATION, WITHOUT RAISED CENTRE, WITH DISH. No. 8.

MISCELLANEOUS PLANTS, ROOTS, AND SEEDS



ARTICHOKE—NEW WHITE MAMMOTH.

Artichokes.

NEW WHITE MAMMOTH. This is a pure white skin variety of the Jerusalem Artichoke. The tubers, which are more regularly formed than those of the old variety, are somewhat globular in shape, and of excellent quality. It will prove a great acquisition, and soon displace the present type for market purposes, and also tend to increase the popularity of this useful Winter vegetable.

Per 7 lb. 1s. 9d., 14 lb. 3s., 56 lb. 10s. 6d.

Jerusalem. Good sound tubers
per peck (14 lb.) 1s. 6d., bush. (56 lb.) 5s.
Globe. Strong plants ... per doz. 9s.

Cardoons.

Smooth Solid. Cultivated for the mid-rib	per pkt.—s. d.
of the leaf ...	... 0 6
Large Spanish ...	... 0 6

Potato Onions.

Bulbs. Fine select stock per lb. 6d.; 12 lb. 5s.

Sweet and Pot Herbs.

We have a fine collection of these, including the following useful sorts:—

Balm ...	per doz.—s. d.	Mint, Lamb	per doz.—s. d.	Savory, Winter	per doz.—s. d.
Chamomile ...	... 4 0	„ Pepper	... 4 6	Sorrel, Giant French	each 6d. 5 0
Chives ...	each 6d. 5 0	Marjoram, Pot	... 4 0	Tarragon ...	each 6d. 5 0
Horehound ...	... 4 0	Pennyroyal ...	each 6d. 5 0	Thyme, Lemon	each 6d. 5 0
Hyssop ...	... 4 0	Rosemary ...	each 8d. 6 0	„ Common	... 4 0
Lavender ...	each 6d. 5 0	Rue ...	... 4 0	Wormwood ...	... 4 0

The most useful varieties assorted, our selection, per doz. 4s.; per 100, 25s.

Chives and Garlic.

Chives. Fine strong clumps ... per pkt.—s. d. each 6d. —
Garlic, Golden Yellow (Seed). Used in same way as Common Garlic; the taste is much milder; excellent seasoning for mutton, sauces, &c. ... 1 0
Garlic Bulbs 1s. per lb.

Shallots.

(Sow and Cultivate as Onions.)

Far superior to Onions for pickling.

Bulbs. Fine sound bulbs ... per lb. 1s.; 7 lb. 6s.
Seed. New Jersey; extra large ... per pkt. 6d. and 1s.



CROSNES (*Stachys tuberosa*) OR CHINESE ARTICHOKE.

Fruit Seeds, &c.

Currant. Fine mixed, from a good collection	per pkt.—s. d.
Gooseberry. Various kinds, mixed	6d. and 1 0
Grape. From fine hot-house varieties	... 6d. and 1 0
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Apple Pips. In great variety, mixed	... 6d. and 1 0
Pear Pips. In great variety, mixed	... 6d. and 1 0

Rhubarb (seed).

Mitchell's Royal Albert	per pkt.—s. d.
Myatt's Linnæus	6d. and 1 0
Myatt's Victoria	... 6d. and 1 0
Mixed	... 6d. and 1 0

NEW VEGETABLE—CROSNES (*Stachys tuberosa*).

First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society. This is a new tuberous vegetable introduced from Japan. It is a hardy plant, producing a large quantity of tubers in the same way as the Potato. Its culture is very easy, as it grows well in any good garden soil, and is readily propagated by means of its numerous tubers. They may be left in the ground until required for use, as the severest frost does not injure them in any way. The best and simplest way of cooking this vegetable is to boil in water with a pinch of salt, then fry them. They are of delicate flavour, somewhat resembling boiled Chestnuts.

Fine English grown tubers, per lb. 1/-; 3 lb. 2/6; 7 lb. 4/6.

Strawberry Plants—Select List.



NEW STRAWBERRY—SCARLET QUEEN.

Strawberries when well-grown are wonderfully prolific, and constitute one of the most profitable crops, really good fruit always meeting with a ready sale at high prices. These delicious and wholesome fruit should be grown freely in every garden where there is room for them. As will be seen, our collection of choice Strawberries, a select list of which we offer below, contains all the finest varieties in cultivation.

NEW STRAWBERRY—LAXTON'S SCARLET QUEEN.

THE raiser in introducing this new Strawberry thus writes of it:—"A most noble Strawberry! An early and better flavoured 'Laxton,' and the finest early variety yet introduced. Very early, large, bright coloured, richly flavoured, and of handsome appearance. Plant vigorous and prolific."

A superb early variety that should be extensively grown per 100, 30s.; per doz. 4s.

"LATEST OF ALL" (LAXTON).

A GRAND new seedling from *British Queen* crossed with *Helena Gloede*. The fruit is very large, exceeding in size that of either parent, and is certainly the finest flavoured and largest late Strawberry yet introduced. The flesh is firm and white, the flavour vinous, yet luscious and quite equal to that of *British Queen*, which it most nearly approaches in appearance, but ripening from ten days to a fortnight after it ... per 100, 12s.; per doz. 2s.

A. F. Barron (Laxton). Very fine. First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society ... per 100, 7s. 6d.; per doz. 1s. 6d.
 Commander (Laxton). One of the most distinct and splendid Strawberries yet raised ... per 100, 7s. 6d.; per doz. 1s. 6d.
 Laxton's Noble. Large and handsome fruit. Early and very prolific. Will be universally grown per 100, 5s.; per doz. 9d.

per 100—s. d.		per 100—s. d.		per 100—s. d.	
Alpha ...	5 0	James Veitch ...	5 0	Prince Arthur ...	3 6
Auguste Nicaise ...	5 0	King of the Earlies ...	5 0	Sir Charles Napier ...	3 6
British Queen ...	5 0	Kitley's Goliath ...	3 6	Sir Harry ...	3 6
Dr. Hogg ...	5 0	Lucas ...	5 0	Sir Joseph Paxton ...	5 0
Duke of Edinburgh ...	5 0	Marguerite ...	3 6	The Captain ...	5 0
Elton (<i>syn. Elton Pine</i>) ...	5 0	Premier ...	3 6	Vicomtesse H. de Thury ...	3 6
Filbert Pine ...	5 0	President ...	5 0	Waterloo ...	per doz. 1s. 7 6
Frogmore Late Pine ...	5 0				

1000 in 10 choice varieties ... 35s. 0d.

100 in 10 choice varieties ... 5s. 6d.

Asparagus.

AN abundance of fine Asparagus may be grown with less than half the expense usually incurred in making costly "beds," and will succeed admirably on most soils when planted in lines or clumps on the Kitchen Garden borders, or amongst dwarf-growing Fruits where the space will admit, a liberal cultivation being all that is required to ensure the best results. The roots are liable to injury if removed during severe weather in Winter. They are best planted when growth has commenced in Spring, and when they can be carefully taken up and packed so as to travel a long journey, if necessary, without injury. They should, however, in all cases be planted as quickly as possible after receiving them. We consider March and April the best months for planting in the open ground.

Connover's Colossal. Two and three years old per 100, 5s. and 7s. 6d.
 True Giant. Two and three years old ... per 100, 3s. 6d. and 5s.



Sea Kale.

THIS valuable esculent is easily forced if care is taken only to apply heat gradually, as it will not succeed if placed in too high a temperature at starting. Place several crowns a few inches apart in large pots, and stand them in a temperature of about 45 degrees, with an inverted pot placed over each to exclude light and insure blanching, a mushroom house, pit, or cellar, will do well for this purpose. Sea Kale may also be easily forced in the open ground by covering it over with large specially made pots, and applying fermenting material. The heads should be cut when in about the condition shown in illustration, and taken off in the same way.

Strong planting roots per doz. 1s.; per 100, 7s. 6d.
 Good strong roots, for forcing per doz. 1s. 6d.; per 100, 10s. 6d.
 Extra strong roots, for forcing; very fine per doz. 2s.; per 100, 15s.
 Seed ... per pint 2s.; per oz. 6d.

Rhubarb.

Paragon (Kershaw). The most wonderfully prolific kind known; as much as £240 has been made off a single acre for market purposes ... each 1s.; per doz. 10s. 6d.

The Queen. A fine new and very early Rhubarb. The stalk is of a beautiful bright red quite through, whilst it is also of a very superior and delicate flavour ... each 2s. 6d.

Strong Plants of the following, each 9d.; per doz. 7s. 6d.

Myatt's Linnæus. Scarlet Defiance. Royal Albert. Myatt's Victoria.

MYROBELLA OR CHERRY PLUM

(*Prunus myrobolana*).

A GRAND FENCING PLANT



BLOSSOM AND FRUIT.



OLDER BRANCH WITH THORNS.

THIS was introduced some few years ago by the late Mr. Ewing of the Eaton Nurseries, and has undoubtedly proved itself to be the very best Fencing Plant ever grown. For rapidity of growth it is unrivalled, and, under fair conditions, will make a capital fence in three or four years from planting. It also grows vigorously in the poorest soils, and is first-class for planting in exposed situations or by the sea coast. It is quite hardy, and will stand the severest frosts without injury.

The Myrobella does not often fruit in this country save in the South or West of England and in sheltered positions in the Eastern and Midland Counties, and then only when allowed to grow into trees or large bushes; it, however, forms a capital stock for Plums, and if strong single stems are allowed to grow from the fence at intervals of about twelve feet, they may be budded or grafted with choice varieties of this popular fruit, and in a few years will form a most profitable and ornamental hedgerow.

The best time for planting is in November or early Spring, or it may be done in open weather at any time during the Winter months, but in fairly moist weather successful plantings may be made as late as the middle or end of April. In planting plant firmly, placing the sets from six to nine inches apart according to size. After planting, about the time that growth commences, they should be cut down to eight or ten inches in height. It will bear almost any extent of clipping, and should be cut at least twice

a year—about the end of July and in Winter or Spring whilst in a dormant state, and should be fairly trimmed the first year or two after planting to ensure a good bottom for a strong and thick fence, but it may be clipped in to form a fence no thicker than an ordinary garden wall, which will be found quite impenetrable. As the plants advance in age the branches become armed with long, sharp spines, which make the fence impenetrable to cattle, &c. Myrobella will therefore be found splendid for making new or improving old fences, and much superior to Whitethorn or any other fencing plant.

PRICES OF MYROBELLA.

	Height.	per 100.	per 1000.	per 10,000.
		s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.
Extra strong stuff for immediate planting	2½ to 3½ ft.	4 6	40 0	17 10 0
Fine strong stuff, smaller size	2 „ 2½ „	3 6	30 0	12 10 0
Good planting stuff	1 „ 2 „	2 6	20 0	9 0 0

PLANT FOUR OR SIX TO THE YARD.

UNSOLICITED TESTIMONIALS.

We have received the following communication respecting a large quantity of Myrobella, supplied to HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF PORTLAND'S Estate, at Bothal Castle:—

From **THOMAS SAMPLE, Esq.**, Estate Office, Bothal Castle, Morpeth.

Oct. 8th.

“I am very much pleased with the Myrobella or Cherry Plum plants which you sent me last Spring and which have thriven well. I should like to have another 5000 good plants.”

From **Miss BRODIE**, Wareham.

“The Myrobella Plants have given great satisfaction, being remarkably strong and well rooted.”

From **J. G. THOMPSON, Esq.**, Shelton Manor, Newark.

“The Myrobella you sent me are growing well, far surpassing the Thorn planted same time.”

From **C. TAYLOR, Esq.**, Guernsey.

Dec. 10th.
“All the hedges (Myrobella) are doing well; the one planted two years last April is over eight feet high and remarkably strong.”

From **THE “GARDENER'S MAGAZINE.”**

Aug. 29th, 1889.
“It is one of the best of plants for a close live fence, for it needs but the most simple management to ensure a free growth from the bottom, and this soon becomes so close and so formidable with spines as to be impenetrable by cattle, and equally so against human intruders.”

From **Mrs. MELLERSH**, Liphook.

June 2nd.
“The plants are all doing well, and the Myrobella is growing under trees, where no Quick or Laurels have ever succeeded, and it seems to be doing well.”

From **Mr. D. ALLEN**, Gardener to the Earl of Ashburton.

“I am pleased to say the Myrobella is quite satisfactory.”

From **Mr. J. LAINE**, Shorwell.

July 24th.
“I have pleasure in forwarding you remittance for Myrobella. The same are growing remarkably well.”

From **W. A. B. JACKSON, Esq.**, Brookhouses, Chapel-en-le-Frith.

“The Cherry Plum hedges I planted four years ago is a good thick fence now, about five feet high, and there are very few places in it that even fowls can creep through.”

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 1, 2, & 3, New Comet,
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 Dwarf Perfection

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Climbing Roses, Hardy and others.

The following list of Climbing Roses includes the most useful and beautiful varieties in cultivation. For pillars, walls, or arches in exposed positions the fine old varieties of Ayrshire, Evergreen, Banksia, Boursault, Cheshunt Hybrid, Gloire de Dijon, and Aimee Vibert are the most desirable; whilst for greenhouse work the beautiful Marechal Niel, Climbing Niphotos, and Climbing Devoniensis are the best.



WILLIAM ALLEN RICHARDSON.

	s. d.
Aimee Vibert (Noisette). Small pure white flowers in large clusters; very hardy ...	1 0
Ayrshire, Dundee Rambler. White, edged pink ...	1 0
Queen of the Belgians. Pure white ...	1 0
Banksia alba , or white. Pure white ...	1 6
lutea , or yellow. Fine yellow ...	1 6
Boursault (Rosa alpina), Amadis, or crimson ...	1 0
Catherine Bell. Bright rosy pink ...	1 0
Cheshunt Hybrid. Bright cherry carmine, large open flowers; a very hardy and strong grower; fine	1 0
Climbing Devoniensis (T). Magnificent strong-growing variety, flowers creamy white with blush centre; deliciously scented	7 6
1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., 5s., and	
Climbing Niphotos. A fine new, rapid growing, climbing tea-scented variety; shoots running to twenty feet in one season, flowering on lateral shoots from their main stems continuously; blooms of a purer white than those of the old variety, not showing the pink tinge, and even more delicately scented. First Class Certificato R. H. S.	7 6
2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., 5s., and	
Evergreen, Donna Maria. Pure white ...	1 0
Felicite Perpetuelle. Creamy white ...	1 0
Leopoldine d'Orleans. White, tipped red ...	1 0
Myrianthes. Blush, edged rose ...	1 0
Rampant. Pure white ...	1 0
Gloire de Dijon (T). Buff, with orange centre, well known, superb variety	7 6
1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., 5s., and	
Marechal Niel (Noisette). Beautiful golden yellow of the most lovely form and delicious fragrance; well known, superb variety	7 6
1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., 5s., and	
*Waltham Climber, No. 1. } Light crimson ...	2 0
*Waltham Climber, No. 3. } Dark crimson ...	2 0
William Allen Richardson (Noisette). Fine deep orange yellow, very showy and distinct; a gem for buttouholes and bouquets; a capital variety for the greenhouse: a very strong grower	5 0
1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., and	

* Seedlings from the well-known Gloire de Dijon.

Miscellaneous Roses.

AUSTRIAN COPPER. Distinct and beautiful, golden terra-cotta colour, flowers single ...	each 1s.
AUSTRIAN BRIER (PERSIAN YELLOW). Deep golden yellow, full, double flowers ...	each 1s.
PROVENCE OR CABBAGE ROSES—	
Old Provence. Rose colour, very fragrant ...	each 9d.
White Provence. White, beautiful bud ...	each 9d.
ROSA RUGOSA, Japanese Roses. Beautiful varieties, bearing very large single blooms, followed by handsome fruit in Autumn; highly ornamental.	
Alba. Pure white, very large and sweet ...	each 1s. 6d.
Rubra. Bright rose, very sweet scented ...	each 1s. 6d.
CRIMSON CHINA. Dark crimson, dwarf and pretty; an old favourite ...	each 1s.

MOSS—CRIMSON GLOBE (New Hybrid Moss). Buds nicely mossed, flowers deep crimson, large, full, and globular, growth very vigorous. This magnificent Rose will be a great acquisition to the Moss Roses, as it possesses the qualities of a show flower combined with the true moss characteristics. First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society ...	Dwarfs only, each 3s. 6d.
Blanche Moreau. Perpetual Moss, pure white flowers in clusters, well mossed	Standards 2s.; Dwarfs 1s.
Common Moss. Rosy blush, mossed well up the bud	Standards, each 2s. Dwarfs, per doz. 10s. 6d.; each 1s.
White Moss. Pure white, beautifully mossed	Dwarfs only, per doz. 10s. 6d.; each 1s.
Perle d'Or (Polyantha). Nauseous yellow with orange centre; small and very beautiful buds ...	each 1s.

From Mrs. GRIFFIS, Stourton, Bath.

June 2nd.
"The Roses Mrs. Griff's bought of Messrs. Daniels are excellent."

From Mr. McGILL, East Cowes.

Mar. 2nd.
"I was very well pleased with the Rose Trees which I had of you last year."

From THE MARQUISE de BIDDLE COPE,
Aston-on-Clun.

Mar. 22nd.
"I am very well pleased with the Rose Trees sent."

From Mr. BENNETT, Landport.

Mar. 31st.
"The Rose Trees I have received from you have given great satisfaction."

NEW ASTER, DANIELS' DWARF PERFECTION.

(See coloured plate.)

A quite new and superb strain of beautiful varieties that will become highly popular. The plants grow only about eight or ten inches high, with stiff, upright stems and branches, and form handsome circular bushes. The flowers are of immense size, perfectly double, beautifully imbricated, and of the most splendid form. This will be found a grand strain for bedding out, for ordinary garden decoration, or for exhibition.

	s.	d.		s.	d.
1. An assortment of six superb varieties per pkt.	3	6	5. Light blue per pkt.	1	0
2. Crimson "	1	0	6. Pure white "	1	0
3. Dark blue "	1	0	7. Brilliant carmine, new "	1	6
4. Rose "	1	0	8. Choicest mixed "	2	6
			9. " " ... smaller pkt.	1	0

OPINIONS FROM SOME EMINENT GARDENERS.

Mr. OWEN THOMAS, Gardener to H.M. THE QUEEN, writes:—

"Aster, Daniels' Dwarf Perfection is a robust dwarf variety, very free-flowering, and partakes of the habit of a good selection of Victoria."

From Mr. E. BURRELL, Gardener to H.R.H. THE DUCHESS OF ALBANY.

"Your Dwarf Perfection Aster is certainly a decided acquisition, a fine type of bedding Aster."

From Mr. H. DUNKIN, Gardener to the Right Hon. THE EARL OF WARWICK.

"Your New Dwarf Perfection Aster is an Introduction of sterling merit. I can confidently recommend this fine strain to all lovers of Asters."

From Mr. E. BUNBURY, Gardener to His Grace THE DUKE OF NORFOLK.

"I am very pleased with your Dwarf Perfection Asters, the flowers are of good shape and substance, and the colours excellent."

From Mr. POPE, Gardener to the Right Hon. THE EARL OF CARNARVON.

"I have been very much pleased with the Daniels' Dwarf Perfection Aster, I shall certainly make a note of it for another season."

From Mr. HORTON, Gardener to His Grace THE DUKE OF PORTLAND.

"I consider them grand, in fact the best Asters I have grown this season. I shall grow them extensively another year."

From Mr. ENGLISH, Gardener to the Right Hon. LORD BELPER.

"I am very much pleased with your Daniels' Dwarf Perfection Asters, they have been very much admired for their dwarf habit and size of flowers."

From Mr. J. KIPPLING, Gardener to the Right Hon. THE EARL OF LYTTON.

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"I must say your Dwarf Perfection Aster is the best strain I have ever seen."

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"Your Aster, Dwarf Perfection, is the finest form of Dwarf Aster I have hitherto grown. The individual flowers are large, and well supported, a great many blooms measuring 4 to 4½ inches across, and on the average producing twelve well-formed blooms to each plant, average height of 9 inches."

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"The Daniels' Dwarf Perfection Aster turned out well. My opinion is this will make a valuable bedding kind."

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"I think your Dwarf Perfection Asters are very good."

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"It is the best Aster he has ever seen: too much cannot be said in its praise."

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"Your Dwarf Perfection Asters are quite charming, and must become extremely useful for the flower garden, beds, and borders."

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"Daniels' Dwarf Perfection Aster, the size, form, and colour are most exquisite, especially the white."

From Mr. A. MCKAY, Gardener to His Grace THE DUKE OF BEDFORD.

"Your Dwarf Perfection Aster has turned out well, abundance of bloom, and very dwarf."

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"Daniels' Dwarf Perfection Aster is certainly all the name implies. It is the dwarfest I have ever seen, with fine blooms, of good clear bright colours, of uniform height; most suitable for edging, beds, &c."

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"The Aster has proved to be a superior strain, several colours adapted specially for beds, and the flowers need no support; this strain will prove a great help to the flower gardener."

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"They excel every variety I have yet tried."

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"Your Dwarf Perfection Asters are now in full bloom, and are really perfection."

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"I have the highest opinion of it as a bedding Aster, habit so compact, flowers of fine form and colours."

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"Daniels' Dwarf Perfection Aster is a very good strain of Dwarf Aster, growing about nine inches high: colours, white, pink, and lilac in various shades."

From Mr. J. W. HARRISON, Gardener to the Right Hon. LADY ARUNDEL.

"The six new varieties of Dwarf Asters are magnificent, the centres of the blooms are exceedingly beautiful, every body I have shown them to says they never saw their equal any where, in fact, they are the best I ever saw."

Daniels' Superb Prize Asters.

Cultivation of French and German Asters.



NEW COMET ASTER—PURE WHITE.

WHEN well grown nothing can exceed the chaste loveliness and exquisite colour-blendings of a nicely arranged bed of choice Asters, and certainly no plant can be more easily raised and grown to perfection. The principal types of form are represented in the Paony-flowered, having noble blooms with long incurved petals; the Victorias, with their beautifully imbricated and perfect flowers; the tasseled, as shown in the Chrysanthemum-flowered; and the quilled, or Globe-flowered. As a rule Asters should not be sown before the first week in April, and to ensure a succession of fine bloom another sowing should be made in about a fortnight; and a final sowing about the second week in May. These latter, although they will not probably produce such fine blooms as those sown earlier, will be found exceedingly useful for planting in any out-of-the-way place for furnishing a late supply of cut-flowers. Sow the seed in boxes or pans of light rich soil, covering very lightly, and after giving a gentle watering, place under glass where the young plants, when they come up, can have full benefit of sun and air. As soon as large enough to handle, the earlier sown plants should be pricked out in boxes or pans of good rich soil, and placed in a light and airy position under glass to strengthen. In about three weeks, if fairly attended to, these will be found to have made nice sturdy plants with good tufts of fibrous roots, and which, if carefully transplanted to their blooming quarters, will grow on without a check. Asters will thrive and flower well in almost any good garden soil, but if really fine blooms be required for exhibition, &c., it is advisable to have the ground well broken up, and a good quantity of thoroughly decayed manure worked in. The healthy growth of the plants, and the development of fine blooms, are greatly assisted by occasional applications of weak liquid manure up to the time of the plants showing the flower, when it should be discontinued, and the buds of those intended for exhibition thinned out to three or four on a plant, generally removing the centre bud; and neat stakes should be placed to the taller-growing varieties requiring support.

Daniels' Improved Prize Quilled.

A FINE strain of splendid varieties, producing beautifully formed, perfectly double flowers of the most charming colours. First-class for exhibition.

44	An assortment of 12 choice varieties	s. d.
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46	Choicest mixed	per pkt.	1 0
47	" "	smaller pkt.	0 6

IMBRICATED POMPONE. Beautiful little plants about nine inches high, bearing a profusion of brilliantly coloured, perfectly double flowers, all of which have conspicuous white centres; very charming.

48	An assortment of 8 beautiful varieties	...	...	2s. 6d.
49	Choicest mixed	...	...	per pkt. 1s. 0d.

VICTORIA NEEDLE. Very beautiful varieties of the most brilliant colours, all the blooms being handsomely quilled.

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53	Choicest mixed	per pkt. 1s. 0d.

DWARF VICTORIA. A fine new strain, having all the symmetry and beauty of form of flower and habit of plant as Victoria Perfection, but growing only ten inches in height.

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55	Choicest mixed	per pkt. 1s. 0d.

SNOWBALL or PRINCESS. An exquisitely beautiful variety, growing about one foot high, and producing quite a profusion of pure white, handsomely imbricated flowers. This will make a capital pot plant, and be of great value where cut flowers are in demand.

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BALL OR JEWEL, ROSE AND WHITE. A very handsome variety, with large, densely double flowers, which are so symmetrically incurved as to form a perfect ball or globe. The colour of the flower is a lovely deep rose, the petals being edged with white.

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59	Brilliant crimson	" "	1s. 0d.

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"MIGNON," PURE WHITE. A very beautiful variety somewhat resembling the Victoria. The flowers are of the most refined form, and of the purest white; splendid for cutting.

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68	Choicest mixed	per pkt. 1s. 0d.

Daniels' Superb Ten-week Stocks

From Mr. E. BOULT,
Messingham.

Sept. 5th.
"The Ten-week Stocks were splendid; I have beaten all growers round here, and have had scores to look at them."

From Mr. A. STYLES,
Seal, Sevenoaks.

Aug. 23rd.
"The Stocks and Asters you supplied me with this Spring have produced some grand flowers, I took First Prize with both at our Flower Show."



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From Mr. SAMPSON EDWARDS, Shrewsbury.

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"The Stocks grown from the Seeds supplied by you this Spring are now in bloom, and are really magnificent."

From Mr. JAMES MAWBY, Jun., Banston.

Mar. 17th.
"The Giant Ten-week Stocks I had from you last year were very fine, and admired by all who saw them, many asking me from where I had grown them. The highest I grew was 3 feet 8 inches, the next 3 feet 6 inches, and several 3 feet and 2 feet 6 inches, and as fine in proportion, one of them being 2 inches across them."

From F. H. EVERETT, Esq., Edington Mains, Chitonside.

Aug. 2nd.
"Your Ten-week Stocks are the admiration of the neighbourhood, I never saw such fine heads."

From Mr. C. E. ODELL, Salford, Betchley.

Apr. 6th.
"The Stocks I had from you last year took First Prize everywhere I showed them."

From Mr. JAMES BEARD, Barton-on-Trent.

Feb. 28th.
"The Stocks from Seed I had from you last year were the best I ever saw. I took First Prize at our Show, having beaten all competitors there last two years."

Daniels' Superb Ten-week Stocks.

Cultivation of Stocks.

THE superb Largo-flowered and other varieties of this beautiful class of annuals are all highly desirable, and we may say indispensable, for the Summer decoration of our gardens. Planted in groups or beds, such choice colours as scarlet, white, rose, purple, yellow, &c., are very telling in their effect with other plants, to say nothing of their delicious perfume; whilst large beds planted with some twelve or more distinct colours in carefully arranged lines, are very charming, and continue in their full beauty for a long period. The seed may be sown at any time from February to the end of April, but as a rule, the earlier the better. Sow in pans or boxes of light rich soil, scattering the seeds thinly and evenly (about four to the square inch is sufficiently thick), cover very lightly with fine soil, and give a gentle watering; after which place the boxes or pans under hand-lights, or in a frame close to the glass. Keep close and shaded for a few days, and when the young plants come up gradually admit air on fine warm days. Prick out to strengthen, as soon as the young plants can be handled, in pots, and place under hand-lights or in a frame close to the glass; shade from strong sun, and when established give plenty of air on fine days. Plant out about the end of April, or beginning of May, in good rich soil, nine inches or one foot apart in groups, beds, &c., as required. It is an excellent plan to pot up a score or so and grow on in small pots; these are very handy when coming into flower to replace any with single blooms which have shown on the borders and been removed. For succession sow in April and May under hand-lights, or in a sheltered place on a warm border, and plant out when ready. In planting out select, if possible, warm showery weather, and keep the plants well shaded and watered for a few days. A few sown in July and grown in pots will make nice plants for the greenhouse or conservatory in Winter. In planting

out seedlings of Ten-week and other Stocks, it is customary with many to plant only the strongest and throw away the weaker as useless. This should never be done, as the weaker and smaller plants of a batch of seedlings almost invariably produce a large percentage of double flowers, and the "fine plants," which will be found to have coarse and forked roots, will be but too often found to produce but single flowers. If care be therefore taken to select in preference plants of a medium size, and having a nice tuft of fine fibrous roots, a much larger percentage of double flowers will be the result than if the plants are put out one and all indiscriminately, or the strongest only are selected.

Intermediate Stocks.—These are exceedingly useful for the greenhouse, or for window decoration in Winter and Spring. They do not require artificial heat, and are easily grown if protected from too severe frost. Sow the seeds in July or August, and prick the young plants into five inch pots, three in a pot, using a light rich soil, and place them in a cool frame or pit. Keep fairly moist and give plenty of air; liquid manure may be given with advantage at intervals, till the plants bloom.

Brompton Stocks.—The best time for sowing seeds of these is in May, and the most suitable place for planting out is where they receive some amount of shelter from severe frosts. Open spaces on shrubbery borders, or any similar position in the garden, will suit them well if they get a fair amount of warm sunshine, and the ground is tolerably rich. Sow the seeds thinly on beds of fine soil, and prick out six inches apart to strengthen, when the young plants have made three or four leaves. These will make nice sturdy plants for transferring to their blooming quarters in August or September; or the young plants may be taken from the seed bed, and planted out at once where intended to flower, if the ground is ready.

Daniels' Large-flowered Dwarf Ten-week.

(See illustration.)

This is undoubtedly the finest strain of Ten-week Stocks ever raised, and, where space is limited, should always be grown in preference to others. It is the same in height as the old Ten-week, and with the same compact habit of growth; but its flowers when well grown are nearly double the size, of great substance and brilliancy, with the most delicious fragrance.

	s.	d.		s.	d.
69 24 Superb varieties	5	6
70 18 "	4	6
71 12 "	3	0
72 6 "	1	6
73 Deep scarlet	per pkt.	1	0
74 Dark purple	"	1	0
75 Pure white	"	1	0
76 Purple carmine	"	1	0
77 Canary yellow	per pkt.	1	0
78 Light blue or mauve	"	1	0
79 Bright rose	"	1	0
80 Brilliant crimson rose	"	1	0
81 New dark blood red	"	1	0
82 Improved sulphur yellow	"	1	0
83 Choicest mixed	"	1	0
84 " "	smaller pkt.	0	6

Daniels' Giant Perfection Ten-week.

A GRAND class of tall-growing beautiful varieties. The plants attain a height of 2½ feet, are of a handsome pyramidal form, and throw up long central spikes of large, beautifully double flowers. This is an exceedingly fine strain that we can highly recommend.

	s.	d.		s.	d.
85 Fiery crimson	per pkt.	1	0
86 An assortment of 6 superb varieties	"	2	0
87 Pure white	per pkt.	1	0
88 Choicest mixed	per pkt. 6d. and	1	0

Dwarf German Ten-week.

A FINE and compact-growing class, with handsome double flowers of the most beautiful colours and delicious fragrance.

	s.	d.		s.	d.
89 An assortment of 12 choice varieties	per pkt.	1	0
90 " " 6 " "	"	1	6
91 Choicest mixed	per pkt.	1	0
92 " "	smaller pkt.	0	6

Sept. 8th.
From Mr. F. WHITCHER, Hollington.
"The Seeds I had from you this year gave me good satisfaction. The Ten-week Stocks have been splendid, in fact, the best I have seen this Summer; they have been admired by all in this neighbourhood."

Aug. 8th.
From A. J. PHILPOT, Esq., Parkhurst.
"The Stocks are beautiful, all colours. I sowed half the packet and have only three single ones in the lot, the flowers are very handsome; they should be grown by every one that admires the beautiful."

Daniels' Superb Ten-week & other Stocks.



STOCK—WHITE PERFECTION.

Large-flowered Miniature Ten-week—

- 93 An assortment of 6 distinct varieties 1s. 6d.
- 94 Choicest mixed per pkt. 0s. 6d.

Large-flowered Globe Pyramidal Ten-week—

- 95 An assortment of 8 choice varieties 2s. 0d.
- 96 Mixed seed per pkt. 0s. 6d.

Dwarf Bouquet Ten-week—

- 97 An assortment of 8 distinct varieties 1s. 6d.
- 98 Finest mixed per pkt. 0s. 6d.

Large-flowered Wallflower-leaved Ten-week—

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- 100 Choicest mixed per pkt. 1s. 0d.

New Perpetual Ten-week.

A FINE new class, growing to the height of eighteen inches, and producing an abundance of bloom from July to November. First-class for cutting.

- 101 An assortment of 8 choice varieties ... 2s. 6d.
- 102 Choicest mixed per pkt. 1s. 0d.

"White Perfection." This superb variety is of exquisite beauty and deserves the highest recommendation. It grows to a height of 1½ feet, is much branched, and almost a perpetual bloomer. If sown early in the Spring, it will flower with the beginning of June, continuing to bloom till destroyed by frost. In September and October, when other Stocks are off bloom, this is at its perfection, the mass of bloom is really remarkable. The individual flowers, having a fine rosetto-like shape, are uncommonly large and of a snowy whiteness, and being borne on stems about three inches long, are also excellent for cutting.

- 103 Per packet 1s. 0d.

From Mr. P. C. STEVEN, Churt.

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"I took First Prize with three grand spikes of Stocks; also First Prize with four bunches of Annuals; all grown from your Seeds."

From Mr. E. MEAD, Witham, Essex.

Feb. 5th.
"The Ten-week Stock Seed I had from you last year turned out well. I never had anything like them before, great massive spikes of many colours, which kept in bloom several months, and were much admired."

From Mr. P. THOMSON, Chapelhall, N.B.

Mar. 17th.
"At our Flower Show here, I was able to obtain First Prize with your Ten-week Stocks on several occasions. The flowers are beautiful, and very much admired here."

Intermediate Stocks.

East Lothian Autumnal—

Splendid for late blooming on the open border or for Winter decoration in the greenhouse.

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| 104 | An assortment of 4 distinct varieties | ... | ... | s. d. |
| 105 | Scarlet | ... | ... | 1 9 |
| 106 | Crimson | ... | ... | 1 0 |
| 107 | Purple | ... | ... | 1 0 |
| 108 | White | ... | ... | 1 0 |
| 109 | Choicest mixed | ... | ... | 1 0 |
| 110 | " " | ... | smaller pkt. | 0 6 |

Large-flowered Emperor—

Remarkable for their large flowers and vigorous habit. If sown in March will produce a magnificent effect in Autumn.

- 111 An assortment of 10 splendid varieties ... 2s. 6d.
- 112 Finest mixed per pkt. 0s. 6d.

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A fine class for late flowering.

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Giant or Brompton. Produce immense spikes of flowers and are very double. Sow in May or June, and plant out early in Autumn, for blooming the following Spring.

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| 115 | An assortment of 12 choice varieties | ... | ... | s. d. | 118 | Cottager's Scarlet. Very fine and double | per pkt. | s. d. |
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| 117 | " " | 6 | " | 2 0 | 120 | Choicest mixed | ... | 6d. and 1 0 |
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Aster, Pæony-flowered Briza maxima Candytuft, crimson Candytuft, Empress Calliopsis Drummondii Calliopsis tinctoria Clarkia integriflora Collinsia bicolor	Convolvulus major Convolvulus minor Godetia, choice mixed Helichrysum, mixed Larkspur, dwarf Rocket Leptosiphon albus Linum grandiflorum rubrum	Lupinus nanus Marigold, dwarf French Mathiola bicornis Mignonette Nasturtium, climbing Nasturtium, TomThumb Nemophila insignis Phlox Drummondii	Poppy, New Shirley Rhodanthe maculata Stock, Dwarf German Sweet Pea, mixed Sweet Pea, scarlet Viscaria, scarlet Zinnia, fine double
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Collection A A.—Price 7s. 6d. Post Free.

8 Choice vars. Victoria Aster 6 " " Dwarf Ten-week Stock, large-flowered 8 Choice Hardy Annuals 1 Packet Balsam, choice double	6 Half-hardy Annuals, including Phlox, Marigold, Portulaca, &c., &c. 1 Packet Petunia, finest mixed	1 Packet Zinnia, finest double 1 " Helichrysum, mixed 1 " Rhodanthe maculata 1 " Briza maxima 1 Oz. Flower Seeds, dwf. mixed
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12 „ Dwarf Ten-week Stock	6 Vars. of Seeds for the Greenhouse, including Calceolaria Cineraria, Primula, &c.	1½ Ounce Mignonette
6 „ Giant Ten-week Stock		1 „ Nemophila insignis
12 „ Phlox Drummondii		2 Ounces Sweet Peas
6 „ Double Zinnia		2 „ Mixed Flower Seeds
6 „ Camellia-flowd. Balsam		
18 „ Showy Hardy Annuals		

Collection E.—Price 42s. Carriage Free.

16 Vars. Improved Pæony Aster	4 Vars. Brompton Stock	12 Hrdy. Perennials & Biennials including Dianthus, Pansy, Polyanthus, Hollyhock, &c.
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6 „ Camellia Balsam		

Collection F.—Price 63s. Carriage Free.

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12 Vars. Prize Quilled Aster	30 „ Showy Hardy Annuals	6 Vars. ornamental-foliaged plants for sub-tropical gardening
18 „ Ten-week Stock, Dwf.	18 Choice varieties Half-hardy Annuals for bedding out, pots, &c.	1 Ounce Nemophila insignis
6 „ Giant Ten-week Stock	12 Choice varieties Hardy Perennials and Biennials	8 Ounces Sweet Peas, mixed
6 „ Giant Brompton Stock	12 Choice varieties of Seeds of Greenhouse Plants	4 „ Mignonette
6 „ Camellia Balsam		4 „ Mixed Flower Seeds
12 „ Phlox Drummondii		
12 „ Double Zinnia		

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HARDY AND HALF-HARDY ANNUALS—

- 125 One hundred choice varieties, including Aster, Stock, Nemophila, Marigold, Phlox, Sweet Pea, &c. ... 21s. 0d.
- 126 Fifty ditto 11s. 6d.
- 127 Twenty-five ditto 6s. 0d.
- 128 Twelve ditto 3s. 6d.

HARDY PERENNIALS AND BIENNIALS—

- 129 Twenty-five choice varieties, including Pansy, Carnation, Hollyhock, Polyanthus, Auricula, &c. ... 10s. 6d.
- 130 Twelve ditto 6s. 0d.

STOVE & GREENHOUSE PERENNIALS & BIENNIALS—

- 131 Twenty-five choice varieties, including Calceolaria, Cineraria, Primula, Gloxinia, Begonia, &c. ... 18s. 6d.
- 132 Twelve ditto 10s. 6d.

PLANTS FOR THE SUB-TROPICAL GARDEN—

- 133 Twelve superb varieties 4s. 6d.
- 134 Six ditto 2s. 6d.

EVERLASTING FLOWERS—

- 135 Twenty-four choice varieties 5s. 0d.
- 136 Twelve ditto 2s. 6d.

ORNAMENTAL GRASSES—

- 137 Twenty-five choice varieties 5s. 0d.
- 138 Twelve ditto 2s. 6d.

CLIMBING PLANTS, Hardy and Half-Hardy Annuals—

- 139 Twelve choice varieties 3s. 6d.
- 140 Six ditto 1s. 6d.

CONVOLVULUS MAJOR—

- 141 An assortment of 12 beautiful colours 2s. 0d.

GOETIAS—

- 142 Six new and beautiful sorts 1s. 6d.

ORNAMENTAL GOURDS—

- 143 Twelve beautiful miniature varieties 2s. 6d.

LARKSPUR, Giant Rocket, Hyacinth-flowered—

- 144 Six fine and distinct sorts 1s. 6d.

LARKSPUR, Double Dwarf Rocket, Hyacinth-flowered—

- 145 Twelve extra choice varieties 2s. 6d.

MARIGOLDS, African—

- 146 An assortment of 6 choice varieties 1s. 6d.

MARIGOLDS, French—

- 147 Six varieties 1s. 6d.

DWARF PLANTS FOR ROCKWORK—

- 148 Twelve fine sorts, annual and perennial 3s. 0d.

NASTURTIUM, TOM THUMB, Dwarf—

- 149 Eight brilliant varieties 1s. 6d.

NEMOPHILAS—

- 150 Ten beautiful sorts 2s. 0d.

POPPIES, Double Dwarf Ranunculus-flowered—

- 151 Six brilliant varieties 1s. 6d.

POPPIES, Double, Carnation-flowered—

- 152 Twelve fine varieties 2s. 0d.

SCABIOUS, Large-flowered double German—

- 153 Eight fine varieties 1s. 6d.

TROPÆOLUM LOBBIANUM, AND HYBRIDS—

- 154 Twelve splendid varieties 2s. 6d.

SWEET-SCENTED ANNUALS—

- 155 Twelve fine varieties 2s. 6d.

SALPIGLOSSIS GRANDIFLORA—

- 156 Six beautiful varieties 1s. 6d.

SWEET PEAS, Eckford's Superb New Varieties—

- 157 An assortment of 12 choice sorts 3s. 0d.
- 158 Six ditto 1s. 6d.

PEAS, Sweet, ordinary class—

- 159 Twelve choice varieties 2s. 0d.

MIGNONETTE—

- 160 Six choicest varieties 1s. 6d.

PLANTS FOR BEES (Annuals)—

- 161 The Apiarian's Packet, containing 14 selected varieties, in full-sized packets 2s. 6d.
- 162 An assortment of 8 choice varieties 1s. 6d.

Daniels' Choice Florists' Flower Seeds.

In the rearing of Florists' Flowers from seed the first essential point is to secure carefully hybridised seed saved from the finest flowers of the finest kinds, the chances of success in raising some really good varieties being vastly greater from a few plants from seed of the choicest quality than from a large number raised from seed of an inferior description.



PRIZE AURICULA.

Auriculas.

163	DANIELS' PRIZE MIXED. From a fine collection of choico named flowers, including the green-edged and grey-edged sorts; highly recommended	per pkt.—s. d. ... 5 0
164	... .. smaller pkt.	2 6
165	ALPINE. From "superb collection", including all the most beautiful shades of colour; a very hardy and desirable class	... .. 1 0

April 30th.

From Mr. W. H. CLUTTERBUCK, Gloucester.

"Two years ago, with other Seeds, I had a packet of your Choice Alpine Auricula. I am highly delighted with the result, one of the plants strikes me as being very beautiful, never having seen one like it before. I can assure you each plant is a gain, and they have been much admired."

Antirrhinums.

THESE brilliant and free-flowering hardy border plants have been highly improved during the past few years, and should be found in every garden. Treated as half-hardy annuals they bloom freely the first year from seed, and afford a valuable display during the Summer and Autumn months. Many of the varieties are very beautiful. The colours vary from intense crimson to carmine, rose, primrose, yellow, pure white, &c. Some of the kinds have conspicuous white-throated flowers, which make them very attractive, whilst the flowers of some are handsomely striped. The Tom Thumb varieties are only about six inches in height when fully grown, and are very pretty for dry rockeries, &c. Sow in March in light rich soil, and place in a gentle heat; or sow in April under a hand-light, prick out to strengthen, and plant out soon as large enough. These will flower the first year from seed, and furnish a fine display of bloom during Summer and Autumn.

166	An assortment of 12 brilliant tall vars., with names	per pkt.—s. d. 2 6
167	... .. 6	1 6
168	Tall varieties, choice mixed	... 0 6
169	... .. smaller pkt.	0 3
170	TOM THUMB, 6 brilliant varieties with names	1 6
171	... .. Choicest mixed	0 6

Balsams, Daniels' Camellia-flowered.

We have much pleasure in again offering our magnificent strain of these superb Balsams, the seed of which has been carefully grown and selected under glass during the past season, and which we have no hesitation in saying, will be found of an unsurpassably fine quality, our Balsams being noted for their large size, perfect doubleness and symmetry of form, with the most brilliantly striking and exquisitely delicate and beautiful colouring. Have been awarded numerous First Prizes.

172	An assortment of 6 splendid vars., 25 seeds each	per pkt.—s. d. ... 2 6
173	Vermilion-scarlet	... 1 0
174	Pure white	... 1 0
175	Delicate rose	... 1 0
176	Crimson	... 1 0
177	Violet	... 1 0
178	Choicest mixed	... 2 6
179	... .. smaller pkt.	1 6

180	Camellia-flowered German. Mixed seed	... 6d. and 1 0
181	Rose-flowered. Double; fine mixed	... 6d. and 1 0

From Mr. A. WRIGHT, Hurstmonceux.

June 11th.

"I am very pleased with the Seeds and Plants sent me last Spring, they turned out very well indeed. I took Fourteen Prizes with them at our Show."



DANIELS' CAMELLIA FLOWERED BALSAM.

Daniels' Choice Florists' Flower Seeds.



DANIELS' PRIZE CALCEOLARIAS.

Daniels' Superb Calceolarias.

We have much pleasure in offering our splendid strain of *Calceolaria hybrida*, which has been carefully saved from a magnificent collection during the past season, and which has been awarded many First Prizes. The flowers will be found of large size, beautiful form, and tigréd and spotted with the most exquisite and brilliant markings.

Sow the seeds of these in May, June, or July, in well-drained pots or seed-pans; cover the drainage with rough fibrous loam, and fill up the surface with fine light sifted mould and silver sand; water with a fine rose water-pot, after which sow the seed, placing a piece of glass over the pot to retain the moisture, no covering of soil being required. Place the pots in a cool frame or under a hand-light, taking care to shade from the sun. Remove the piece of glass as soon as the plants are up, and when large enough to handle, prick off one inch apart into pots or pans made up as before, placing in a somewhat close situation, and when of sufficient size pot off singly, and treat in a similar manner to that recommended for tender annuals. Calceolarias should however be always kept in a cool, moist position, a dry heated atmosphere being very prejudicial to their growth, and should be kept well supplied with fresh air.

197	DANIELS' CHOICEST MIXED	per pkt.—s.	d.
198	" " "	... ..	5 0
199	" " "	smaller pkt.	2 6
200	NEW DWARF. A beautiful strain of handsome varieties growing only about ten inches high, and bearing a profusion of large brilliantly marked and spotted flowers	... ..	1 6
201	" " "	smaller pkt.	2 6
			1 6



CARNATIONS AND PICOTEEES.

Carnations and Picotees.

Sow in March or April in pans of rich soil, scattering the seeds thinly, and covering to the depth of about a quarter of an inch, and after watering place under glass. Prick out on well-prepared nursery beds to strengthen when the young plants have made four or five leaves, and plant out in September where intended to bloom, or pot up for the greenhouse. Those remaining in the open ground should have the benefit of a slight protection in severe weather, and be planted in a warm and dry position. A first-class strain of seed will produce at least eighty per cent. of fine double flowers, and the choicer varieties should be set aside for propagation by layering or cuttings.

202	CARNATIONS. An assortment of 50 choice varieties, including the finest of the self, flake, yellow, fancy, bizarre, and perpetual-flowering varieties ...	10 6
203	" 25 varieties ...	6 0
204	" 12 choicest self varieties ...	4 6
205	" 12 " flake varieties ...	4 6
206	" 12 " bizarre varieties ...	4 6
207	" 12 " yellow flake varieties ...	5 0
208	" 12 " fancy varieties ...	4 6
209	" 12 " yellow fancy varieties ...	5 0
210	" DANIELS' CHOICEST MIXD. per pkt.	5 0
211	" " " smaller pkt.	2 6
212	" " " smallest pkt.	1 6
213	" choicest yellow ...	3 6
214	" pure white. Very choice ...	3 6
215	" NEW DWARF. Very fine and compact ...	2 6
216	" GRENADIN. A fine early-flowering variety with brilliant scarlet, double flowers ...	1 6
217	" DANIELS' PERPETUAL or TREE. Very choice; magnificent for pot culture ...	5 0
218	" " " smaller pkt.	2 6
219	" MARGARET. Pretty double-fringed flowers, deliciously scented. Sown early will bloom freely the first year from seed ...	1 0
220	PICOTEEES. An assortment of 50 choice varieties, including the finest white-ground, yellow-ground, and perpetual-flowering varieties ...	10 6
221	" 25 varieties ...	6 6
222	" 12 choicest white-ground varieties ...	4 0
223	" 12 " yellow-ground varieties ...	5 0
224	" DANIELS' CHOICEST MIXED ...	5 0
225	" " " smaller pkt.	2 6
226	" " " smallest pkt.	1 6
227	GARDEN PINK. Very choice double, mixed	1s. 6d. and 2 6

From Mr. M. RIDLER, Porlock.

Aug. 17th.
"I may say the Calceolaria Seed I had from you prov a great success. I had fifty-seven plants of a grand strain, and was told every one of them would take a prize."

Daniels' Choice Florists' Flower Seeds.



DANIELS' SUPERB CINERARIAS.

Daniels' Superb Cinerarias.

Our grand strain of *Cineraria hybrida*, as figured, has been carefully saved from our fine collection of named and choicest seedling flowers, and which we have every confidence in recommending as unsurpassable. The colours will be found varied and brilliant, combined with a faultless habit of plant and form of flower.

WHEN required for a general display in early Spring, the seeds should be sown in July or early in August, and when for Winter blooming, a few should be sown in March or April. Where the quantity of glass available is somewhat limited, the July sown will, however, be found the most useful. Sow in well-drained pots or pans of light rich soil, giving the seeds but a very slight covering, and place in a cool frame or under a hand-light in a shady spot, pot off singly into small pots as soon as the young plants are large enough, and shift as required. Good Cinerarias may also be easily raised by sowing in July or August in a moist shady situation in the open air, taking care to pot up in September. Cinerarias will bear a great amount of cold, but should never be exposed to frost. Green fly, damp, excessive waterings, and extreme dryness should also be carefully guarded against.

		per pkt.—s.	d.
228	DANIELS' CHOICEST MIXED	...	5 0
229	" " " smaller pkt.	...	2 6
230	" " " smallest pkt.	...	1 6
231	" " " BLUE. Fine dark	...	1 6
232	NEW " DWARF. A fine compact-growing class with large handsome flowers, height from four to six inches, exceedingly floriferous. Choicest mixed	...	2 6
233	DOUBLE-FLOWERED. Very fine, will produce a large percentage of handsome double flowers	...	5 0
234	" " " smaller pkt.	...	2 6

Cyclamen Persicum.

THE best time for sowing the seeds is in October or November, and again in January, February, or March, for a succession. When sowing, use a light rich soil, press down firmly into the seed pots or pans, placing the seeds about half an inch apart on the surface, and covering them about a quarter of an inch deep with soil; water carefully and place in a gentle heat. As the young plants become large enough to handle they should be carefully lifted and potted off singly into small pots, shifting them into larger as these fill with roots, and finishing with the forty-eight size, which will be large enough for blooming. The best soil to use for potting *Cyclamens* is composed of about equal parts of fibrous loam and leaf-mould, with a portion of well-decayed cow-dung and sufficient silver sand to keep the soil porous. The essential conditions of successful cultivation of *Cyclamens* are a moist and even temperature—sudden changes are especially to be avoided—a free circulation of air, an abundance of light and water, and the plants should be kept free of insects. After flowering, and during the Summer months, the plants should have less water than when in full growth and bloom, and should be in a position shaded from strong light, but should on no account be allowed to suffer from want of moisture.

		per pkt.—s.	d.
235	DANIELS' GIANT PRIZE MIXED. A magnificent strain of a highly improved type, having large, beautifully mottled coriaceous leaves and stout flower stalks. The blooms, which are carried well above the foliage, are of splendid size, each flower frequently measuring from two and a half to three inches in length, with broad petals of great substance	...	2 6
236	" " " smaller pkt.	...	1 6
237	Wiggins' Covent Garden. A fine large-flowered strain of beautiful varieties as grown for Covent Garden Market	...	1 6
238	Persicum, choice mixed. In a beautiful variety of colours	...	1 0

Cockscombs.

WHEN well grown, these singularly formed and magnificently coloured oddities have a very rich and fine appearance, and are well worth the trouble of cultivation, for although it may not always be easy to produce such grand specimens as we occasionally see exhibited at our flower shows, those of only medium size, or even smaller, are valuable for the richness of their colouring and their pleasing effect in association with other plants. Sow the seeds in February or March in pots or pans of light rich soil and plunge in a good heat. The object being to keep the plants in free growth without a check, the young plants should be carefully pricked out into small pots as soon as they can be handled, and as these fill with roots they should be shifted into larger pots. Those of eight inches diameter are large enough to finish with, but the plants must be kept in heat till the combs are formed, which will take place when the plants become pot-bound. Should some of the plants be too tall when grown but have fine combs, the defect of height may be easily remedied by cutting off the combs with a sufficient length of stem, potting them firmly into five or six inch pots, and plunging them for a few days in a good hot-bed. These will strike readily, and fine combs on dwarf handsome plants will be the result. A light rich friable soil is the best, and the plants when in full growth will be much improved by an occasional dose of weak liquid manure.

		per pkt.—s.	d.
239	Daniels' Giant Prize. A magnificent strain, saved from combs measuring thirty-six inches by twelve inches, of the richest deep crimson colour; when well grown are unrivalled for exhibition	...	2 6
240	Dwarf crimson. Rich crimson	...	0 6
241	Crimson-feathered } Long handsome plumes	...	0 6
242	Golden-feathered } splendid for conservatory	...	0 6
243	New dwarf feathered. Splendid mixed	...	0 6
244	An assortment of 6 fine dwarf vars.	...	1 6
245	Choicest mixed. Dwarf	...	0 6

Daniels' Choice Florists' Flower Seeds.

Dahlias—Single and Double.

Sow in February or March in light rich soil, and place in a gentle heat; when the young plants are about two inches high, pot off singly into small pots, place in a frame or greenhouse where a gentle heat is maintained, gradually hardening them off preparatory to planting out towards the end of May. After they are transferred to the open air, give them a slight protection for a few nights if the weather be cold. A liberal application of weak liquid manure in dry weather will greatly assist in the development of fine flowers.

The single-flowered varieties are especially valuable for cultivation in this way. They commence blooming in July or August, and continue with a profusion of lovely flowers till killed by the frost; are exceedingly useful for cut flowers, and should be grown freely in every garden.

246	SINGLE-FLOWERED HYBRIDS. Carefully saved from our grand collection of choice named flowers, and may be expected to produce some fine novelties	per pkt.—s. d.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0
247		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	smaller pkt.	0	6
248	LARGE-FLOWERED DOUBLE. Carefully saved from our superb collection of upwards of 250 choicest show and fancy varieties. Will produce a large percentage of fine double flowers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6
249	POMPONE or BOUQUET. Beautiful miniature varieties with handsome double flowers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6

Delphiniums.

BEAUTIFUL hardy border perennials, with noble spikes of handsome flowers, varying in colour from pure white to the richest blues and purples; exceedingly useful for cut flowers, &c.

250	Barlowi. Dark blue, shaded red	per pkt.—s. d.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
251	Cardinale. Scarlet, fine	...	1	0	256	Formosum. Rich dark blue, beautiful	per pkt.—s. d.	...	...	0	4
252	Cashmerianum. Very fine dark blue	...	0	6	257	coelestinum. Beautiful light blue	...	...	...	0	6
253	Chinense pumila alba. White, dwarf	...	0	6	258	Hermann Stenger. Violet mauve, double	...	...	...	1	0
254	caerulea. Light blue, dwarf	...	0	6	259	Nudicaule. Orange scarlet, very distinct, fine	...	...	...	0	6
255	Elatum "Le Mastodonte." Bright blue with white centre	...	0	6	260	Choicest mixed single. In beautiful variety	...	...	...	0	6
					261	Double-flowered, choicest mixed. Fine new varieties	...	...	...	1	0



DIANTHUS DIADEMATUS FL. PL.

Dianthus.

THE Chinese or Indian Pinks constitute one of the most brilliant and splendid groups of hardy biennials in cultivation. All the varieties are easily raised from seed; and sown early in Spring under glass and transplanted, they make charming beds during the Summer and Autumn. The Heddewigi section produce the largest flowers, and are perhaps the most beautiful; but all are richly deserving of extensive cultivation, and no garden should be found without some of the varieties.

262	Heddewigi, Crimson Gem. Splendid dark crimson; single	per pkt.—s. d.	...	...	0	6
263	Snowflake. Splendid pure white; single	...	...	...	0	6
264	diadematus fl. pl. (The Diadem Pink). Fine double flowers	...	...	...	0	6
265	The Bride (new). White, with purple centre; very pretty	...	...	...	1	0
266	atropurpureus fl. pl. Large dark blood red, Splendid	...	...	...	0	6
267	laciniatus. Beautiful fringed flowers	...	...	...	0	6
268	Choicest mixed single	...	...	...	1	0
269	smaller pkt.	...	...	...	0	6
270	Chinensis (Indian Pink). An assortment of 12 choice double-flowered varieties	...	...	...	2	6
271	Finest double, mixed	...	...	...	0	6
272	alba fl. pl. White, double	...	...	...	0	6

Fuchsias.

Sow in February or March in a gentle heat, and treat as recommended for tender annuals. These beautiful free-flowering plants will bloom well the first year from seed, and plants raised from a first-class strain will produce the most satisfactory results. The single varieties are all handsome in flower and elegant in growth of plant; and the double-flowered, with white or purple corollas, are very fine and desirable.

From a fine collection, including all the newest and best white corolla and other varieties.

273	Choicest mixed. Single	per pkt.—s. d.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6
274	Double	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6
275	Boliviana. A fine species, with long racemes of splendid scarlet flowers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6

From Mr. F. G. SKELTON, Bishop Auckland.

June 23rd.
"The Cinerarias I have grown from your Seed this year have given great satisfaction, in fact, my employers said they were the best they ever had."

From Mr. W. BURGERS, Maidstone.

Aug. 24th.
"I have raised a splendid lot of Gloxinias from the Seed you sent me this Spring, they are now in full bloom, the colours are splendid, with some grand markings."

Daniels' Choice Florists' Flower Seeds.



GAILLARDIA HYBRIDA GRANDIFLORA.

Gaillardia hybrida grandiflora.

SPLENDID hardy perennials, blooming the first year from seed sown in March or April in a cool frame. The very large and beautiful flowers are almost unique in their charming blendings of the many rich shades of brown, maroon, and golden yellow, and being of good substance are first-class to cut for indoor decoration. The seed we offer has been carefully saved at our Nurseries during the past season, from a choice collection of the finest named and seedling varieties.

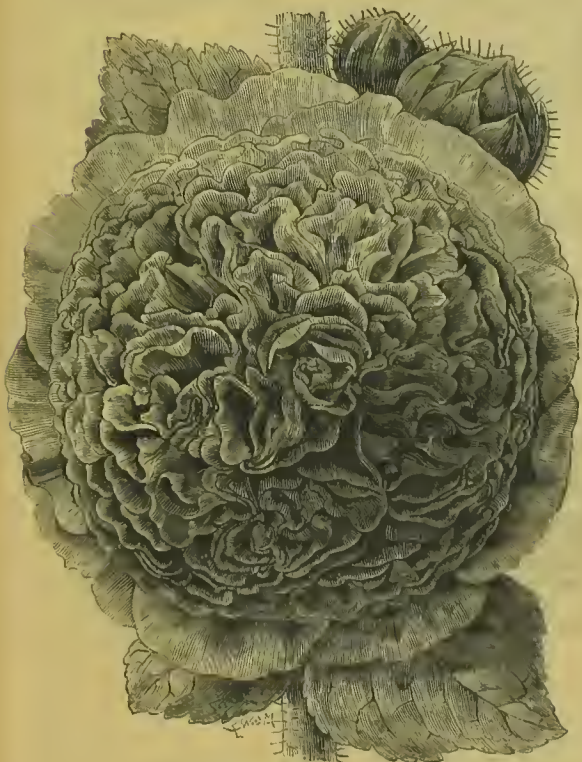
276	Choicest mixed seed, saved from a charming collection of named flowers	per pkt.	1 0
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Gloxinias.

THESE, the most exquisitely beautiful of all greenhouse plants, bloom freely the first year from seed, and should be grown largely by every one having accommodation for them. Sow in February or March on a good moist heat, in the way recommended for Calceolarias. Pot off singly into small pots as soon as the young plants can be handled, and shift into larger as required, keeping the plants going with a good liberal warmth, and finally potting off into pots of about six inches diameter, using a light and rich soil, and continuing with a moderate heat and giving air on warm days. Treated in this way, a charming display of bloom may be had during July and August, and from a good strain of seed some really grand flowers will be the result.

Gloxinia hybrida grandiflora erecta.

We have much pleasure in offering our fine strain of seed, which has been grown expressly for our retail trade. The blooms will be found of immense size, and of the most brilliant, varied, and beautiful colours and markings. The leaves, which are large, and of great substance, have a rich velvety appearance, and being finely reflexed, the plants are exceedingly handsome.



DOUBLE HOLLYHOCK.

277	Corona (new). Enormous blooms, 3 to 4½ inches across, with six, and often seven, divisions or lobes, and a large richly-veined throat of deep violet red, passing into a beautiful indigo towards the orifice; this colour gradually disappears, and the pure white outer ground is marked with innumerable dark blue dots	...	...	per pkt.—s. d.	1 6
278	“Defiance.” A grand new variety, bearing large upright flowers of the most intense scarlet-crimson colour; comes quite true from seed	...	...	...	1 6
279	Striped and spotted varieties. Very choice	...	...	...	2 6
280	Splendid varieties, mixed	...	...	...	5 0
281	“ ” “ ”	...	smaller pkt.	...	2 6
282	“ ” “ ”	...	“	...	1 6

Hollyhock—Daniels' Prize.

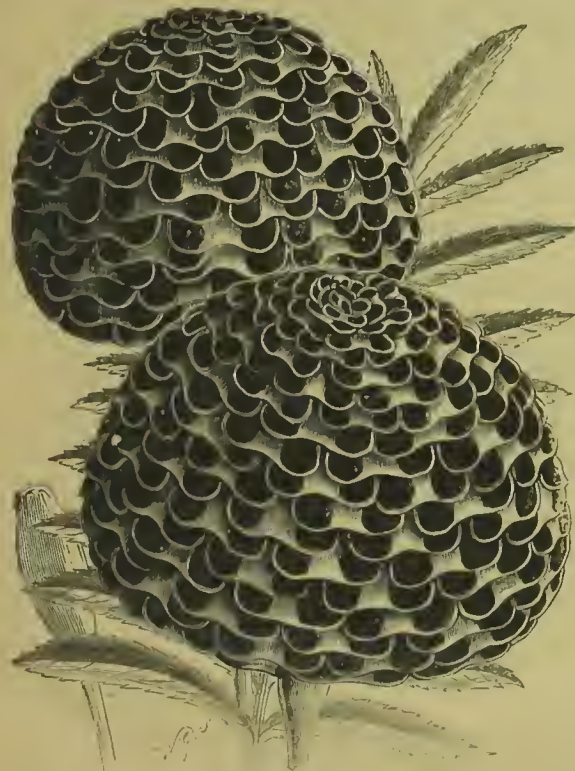
THESE magnificent flowers, with their stately spikes of handsome bloom, form grand and conspicuous objects in the flower garden during Summer and Autumn, and should always be grown where convenient. They are easily raised from seed, and sown in January or February in a good heat under glass will bloom splendidly the same year. When grown in this way a light rich soil should be used; the plants should be potted singly into small pots as soon as large enough to handle, shifting into larger as these fill with roots, gradually hardening off, and finally planting out early in May. The seed we offer has been grown especially for our retail trade, and may be relied on to produce some grand double blooms in the most beautiful variety of colours.

283	Daniels' choicest double, mixed	...	per pkt.	s. d.	2 6
284	“ ” “ ”	...	smaller pkt.	...	1 6
285	Twelve superb double-flowered varieties, separate	...	...	...	5 0
286	Six “ ” “ ”	...	“	...	2 6

Daniels' Choice Florists' Flower Seeds.



AFRICAN MARIGOLDS.



DANIELS' STRIPED FRENCH MARIGOLDS.

Daniels' Superb Marigolds.

We give special attention to the growth and selection of our choice strains of Marigolds, and can highly recommend our Orange and Lemon African and Striped French as being the finest procurable.

		per pkt.—s.	d.
287	ORANGE AFRICAN. A magnificent selection from a prize strain, bearing immense brilliant, orange-coloured, perfectly double flowers, often seven to eight inches across	...	1 0
288	...	smaller pkt.	0 6
289	LEMON AFRICAN. The same as preceding in size and form of flower, and habit of plant, but varying in colour	...	1 0
290	...	smaller pkt.	0 6
291	DANIELS' STRIPED FRENCH (Scotch Prize). A fine strain of beautifully striped flowers of the most perfect form and doubleness. Grown expressly for our retail trade by one of the best growers in Scotland	...	2 6
292	...	smaller pkt.	1 6
293	Mixed striped. Ordinary class	...	3d. & 0 6
294	Aurea floribunda. Dwarf golden yellow	...	0 6
295	Pulchra nana. Golden yellow, dark centre, very dwarf	...	0 6
296	Dwarf Brown French	...	0 3
297	Signata pumila. Excellent for bedding	...	0 3

Pentstemons.

THIS beautiful class of showy hardy free-flowering herbaceous perennials has been much improved of late years. The plants are easily raised from seed sown in Spring on a gentle heat, and will afford a splendid show throughout the Autumn months. Some of the varieties with white throats are extremely handsome.

		per pkt.—s.	d.
298	Gentianoides. Very fine, various beautiful colours	1	0
299	Lobbi. Splendid yellow	...	1 0
300	Murrayanus. Brilliant scarlet	...	1 0
301	Palmeri. Peach-coloured, fine	...	1 0
302	Wrighti. Fine scarlet	...	0 6
303	Choicest mixed hybrids. From named flowers	1	0

Pelargoniums—Geraniums.

Sow in February or March in pots or pans of light rich soil, covering the seeds to the depth of about one-eighth of an inch, and place in a heat of about sixty-five or seventy degrees. Pot off the young plants singly into small pots, and shift into larger as these fill with roots. With liberal treatment these will bloom the first year, and, although many will not be up to the standard of first-class florists' flowers, some really beautiful varieties may be expected from a good strain of seed, and all will be found well worth the small amount of time and trouble expended. Seeds may also be sown in July and August for blooming the following Spring.

		per pkt.—s.	d.
304	Large-flowered Show. Very choicest mixed	...	1 6
305	French Blotched or Spotted. Magnificent	...	2 6
306	Fancy. Choicest mixed	...	1 6
307	Impregnated Tricolor and Bronze Leaved	2	6
308	...	smaller pkt.	1 6
309	Zonal and Nosegay. From the newest varieties	...	2 6
310	...	smaller pkt.	1 6

From Mr. H. REDDING, Junr., Astwood Bank.

Jan. 21st.

"I saw the finest Marigolds I have ever seen from your Seed. I took First Prize at Reddick for French, and First for African. At Astwood Bank I took First Prize for French and African, three blooms of each, which speaks well for the quality of your seed."

Daniels' Choice Florists' Flower Seeds.



DANIELS' PRIZE BLOTCHED PANSY.

Daniels' Superb Prize Pansies.

Our Strains of Pansy are very fine.

THESE beautiful free-flowering hardy plants are easily raised from seed, and will richly repay the small cost and trouble required to grow them to perfection. For blooming in Summer and Autumn, sow in February, March, and April, in pans or boxes of light rich soil placed in a gentle heat, and as soon as the young plants are large enough, prick out about two inches apart on rich soil to strengthen, and finally plant out six or eight inches apart, in ground into which a good quantity of well-decayed manure has been worked. Pansies delight in a somewhat shady position, and plenty of moisture in dry weather. The finest blooms are produced the second year, but grand flowers may be had by sowing in July or August in the open ground, and planting out in the following Spring into good rich soil.

	per pkt.—s. d.		per pkt.—s. d.
311 DANIELS' PRIZE BLOTCHED. A magnificent strain of fine varieties, producing large, handsome flowers of great substance and variety of colouring, the petals of which are beautifully blotched or stained. Splendid varieties mixed	2 6	320 New Giant Striped. The perfection of striped Pansies. The plants are of sturdy, compact habit of growth, and the very large flowers are elegantly striped with the most brilliant and charming colours	1 6
312 smaller pkt.	1 6	321 TRIMARDEAU or GIANT. An entirely distinct and splendid class of vigorous compact growth, producing immense flowers of good form and colour	1 0
313 ENGLISH SHOW AND FANCY. Carefully saved from a fine collection of choice English Show and Fancy varieties	1 6	322 Candidissima (Snow Queen.) Delicate satiny white, very pretty	0 6
314 IMPROVED STRIPED. A fine class producing large, beautifully formed flowers of the most brilliant and exquisite tints in colouring, the blooms being handsomely striped. A great improvement on the striped Belgian varieties	1 0	323 Emperor William. An exceedingly fine variety for bedding out, &c.; colour a rich ultramarine blue; distinct and beautiful	0 6
315 Giant Emperor William. A superb new variety, with very large deep ultramarine blue flowers	1 6	324 Quadricolor. Very beautiful and distinct	0 6
316 Giant King of the Blacks. Fine large flowers of an intense dark colour, almost as black as jet	1 6	325 Blue King. Bright deep blue; fine for bedding	1 0
317 Giant Lord Beaconsfield. Beautiful variety of a rich deep purple violet colour, shading off in the top petals to white; a very effective bedder... ..	1 6	326 Yellow. Fine golden yellow	1 0
318 White Giant. Pure white, with purple eye; beautiful	1 0	327 Purple. Purplish maroon	1 0
319 Yellow Giant. Pure yellow, with large black centre; fine	1 0	328 Light blue. Beautiful colour	1 0
		329 Pure white. Very beautiful	1 0
		330 Pure yellow. Bright golden yellow	1 0
		331 Rich purple. Lovely dark colour	1 0
		332 King of the Blacks. Black as jet	1 0
		333 Mixed. Ordinary class, good showy varieties	3d. and 0 6
		334 An assortment of 12 beautiful vars. (German)	2 6
		335 " " 6 " " " "	1 6

From Mr. G. A. WEBZELL, Poplar.

Feb. 25th. "My Pansies raised from your Seeds (Trimardeau) were the talk of the neighbourhood; and my Shirley Poppies were grand, and beautifully coloured."

From Mr. T. HOWIESON, Granville, New South Wales.

Dec. 9th. "One of our members has taken First Prize here for Pansies grown in pots from Seed supplied by your firm."

Daniels' Choice Florists' Flower Seeds.



DANIELS' SUPERB MIMULUS.

From C. GRANTLEY CARTER, Esq., Slymbridge.

Mar. 19th.

"Your Seeds are excellent. I had some *Calceolarias* last season, one plant had over three hundred flowers on it at one time, some of them 2½ inches across; out of upwards of forty plants I could not find two alike."

From J. J. STEWART, Esq., Bendigo, Victoria, Australia.

Sept. 19th.

"Miss Stewart and myself are delighted at the many beautiful Seeds we get from you; they are admired by all who see them. The great care in packing no doubt has a great deal to do with the splendid condition in which they arrive after the long voyage."

Mimulus.

THESE beautiful flowers are easily raised from seed, and will well repay the small amount of trouble required in rearing and growing them. The individual blooms of some of the newer and choicer sorts attain an immense size, and are possessed of all the rich and varied colours and markings of the finest *Calceolarias*. They are quite hardy, but succeed much better when raised under glass. Sow the seeds in March or April on the surface of pots or pans of firmly pressed light rich soil, cover very slightly with fine soil and sand, sprinkle gently with a fine rose water-pot, and place in a gentle heat of about sixty degrees, not more. A piece of glass laid over the pot or pan will assist germination by ensuring an even moisture. When the young plants come up, keep near the glass and give plenty of air, and soon as they can be handled pot off singly into small pots, or prick out five or six in a five-inch pot to strengthen, give plenty of air and moisture, and plant out in May, or shift into larger pots for continuing under glass. A somewhat shady position is the most favourable for blooming, and, when planted out, a north or north-westerly aspect will be best, and the plants should have an abundance of water in dry weather.

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| 336 DANIELS' LARGE-FLOWERED. | | |
| A magnificent break, remarkable for the great size and rich colouring of the flowers and the vigorous habit of the plants. First-class for pot culture in the greenhouse, conservatory, or window. Confidently recommended as one of the finest strains in cultivation. Choicest mixed ... | | |
| | 1 | 0 |
| 337 | smaller pkt. | 0 6 |
| 338 "Giant Emperor," Duplex." | A superb large-flowered variety of the hose-in-hose type. The calyx is of large size, and of the same rich and beautiful colouring as the flower itself. A charming plant for pot culture or the garden ... | |
| | 1 | 0 |
| 339 Cupreus Brilliant. | Orange scarlet ... | 0 4 |
| 340 White-ground varieties. | Choice mixed ... | 0 6 |
| 341 Hose-in-Hose varieties. | Mixed ... | 0 6 |
| 342 Choice mixed. | Good varieties ... | 0 3 |
| 343 <i>Moschatus</i> (<i>Musk plant</i>). | Well known ... | 0 4 |
| 344 | "compactus. A new and excellent variety of the preceding, very dwarf and compact ... | 1 0 |

Lobelias.

To secure fine plants of the *erinus* or *speciosa* varieties of these for bedding out the following May, some prefer to sow the seed in Autumn, but February or March is good time for sowing if the plants have careful attention and are grown on freely. Sow the seeds thinly in pans or pots of sandy loam, cover very lightly, and place in a gentle heat of about sixty degrees, keep moist, and soon as the young plants can be handled, pot off singly into small pots of light rich soil, keep near the glass in a gentle heat, and give plenty of air on fine days. Carefully picking off all the flower buds will greatly assist their growth, and they should on no account be allowed to suffer from want of moisture. Other excellent methods are to prick the young plants five or six in a five-inch pot, or, better still, to plant them thinly in shallow trays of rich soil, keeping in gentle heat, giving air, &c., as recommended. These will generally form compactly-grown sturdy plants, that will quickly produce a beautiful effect when planted out. Lobelias intended for pots or window boxes succeed best when planted out thinly in good soil in an open situation, and carefully lifted when they have formed nice tufty plants: these will at once commence blooming, and produce an effect that could not be otherwise obtained.

The beautiful perennial *L. fulgens Victoria*, growing about two feet high, with its rich metallic foliage and brilliant scarlet flowers, comes quite true from seed, and sown in February or March on a gentle heat will make nice plants for bedding-out in May or June for blooming the following Autumn. The roots of these should be protected in severe weather by a covering of cocoa-nut refuse, ashes, or any light similar material, or they may be lifted after flowering, and stored in a cool pit or frame for the Winter, and planted out again the following April or May.

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|-----------------------------|--|-----|------------------------------|--|-----|
| 345 <i>Speciosa</i> (true). | Fine dark blue ... | 0 6 | 354 <i>Erinus compacta</i> . | Cobalt blue. Very fine dark blue ... | 1 0 |
| 346 | " alba. White ... | 0 6 | 355 | " Royal Purple (ncw). Rich violet purple, with large white eye; very distinct and striking ... | 1 0 |
| 347 | " White Perfection. Very fine white, compact ... | 1 0 | 356 | <i>Gracilis</i> . Blue ... | 0 3 |
| 348 | <i>Paxtoniana</i> . Blue and white, pretty ... | 0 3 | 357 | " alba. White ... | 0 3 |
| 349 | <i>Erinus compacta</i> . Bright blue ... | 0 6 | 358 | <i>Pumila magnifica</i> . Splendid dwarf compact variety, with large dark blue flowers ... | 1 0 |
| 350 | " alba. White ... | 0 6 | 359 | <i>Ramosa</i> . Dark blue ... | 0 3 |
| 351 | " Blue King. Very fine ... | 0 6 | 360 | " alba. White ... | 0 3 |
| 352 | " Distinction. Bright rose, distinct ... | 0 6 | 361 | <i>Fulgens, Queen Victoria</i> . Brilliant scarlet ... | 1 0 |
| 353 | " Emperor William. Rich dark blue ... | 0 6 | | | |

Daniels' Choice Florists' Flower Seeds.



PRIMULA—CRIMSON KING.



DANIELS' SUPERB FRINGED PRIMULAS.

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We give great attention to the growth and selection of our superb strains of choice Primulas, and we can highly recommend the seed we offer, which has been grown expressly for our retail trade. In habit of plant, size, brilliancy, and form of flowers, our Primulas are acknowledged to be unsurpassable.

THE beautiful varieties of *Primula sinensis* may be sown in March, April, May, and June. The earlier sown are, however, to be preferred for making fine strong plants with an abundance of bloom. Great care must be taken to have a well-drained pot or seed-pan filled to within half an inch of the top with sifted leaf-mould; leave the surface rather rough, and sprinkle the seeds thinly upon it. The most successful raisers do not cover with soil, but after sowing the seed press down the surface tolerably firm, and place a square of glass over the pot. Place in a good strong heat, shaded from strong light, and water very gently when the soil becomes dry. The seeds will germinate in two or three weeks, after which remove the glass and keep in a shady position. Pot off into small pots when the young plants are about half an inch above ground, and place near the glass in the frame or greenhouse. In their after culture Primulas should be kept as near as convenient to the glass, have plenty of fresh air, and never be kept for a long period in a high temperature, or in a dry heated atmosphere.

		per pkt.—s.	d.
362	DANIELS' CHOICEST RED	Our own	1 6
363	" " WHITE	splendid	1 6
364	" " MIXED	strain	2 6
365	" " "	smaller pkt.	1 6
366	CRIMSON KING. By far the most splendid of all the high-coloured varieties yet sent out. The flowers are of great size and substance, and of the most brilliant and intense deep crimson-scarlet colour, whilst the plants are of a compact sturdy habit of growth, with the most handsome foliage; highly recommended		2 6
367	ALBA MAGNIFICA. Beautifully fringed, pure white flowers, with citron-yellow eyes		2 6
368	AVALANCHE. Beautiful pure white		1 6
369	BLUE FRINGED. Carefully saved from beautifully fringed flowers of perfect form and of the deepest shade of blue		3 6
370	CHISWICK RED. Brilliant crimson-scarlet, very robust in habit, finely-cut foliage		1 6
371	Alexandra. Beautiful white flowers, with large yellow centre		1 6
372	Coccinea magnifica. Brilliant scarlet, with clear sulphur yellow eye, exquisitely fringed, large flowers		2 6
373	Florence. Scarlet, shaded madder red		1 6
374	Magenta Queen. New, brilliant, and charming variety		1 6
375	Marginata. Lilac, with white border, distinct		1 6
376	Punctata. Rich velvety carmine, spotted white		1 6
377	Purpurea magnifica. Rich crimson purple, splendid		1 6
378	Village Maid. White, striped with carmine, beautiful		1 6
379	The Bride. Pure white, red-stemmed, very fine		2 6
380	Fern-leaved, new crimson scarlet, splendid		1 6
381	" choicest red	Beautifully fringed	1 6
382	" white	and remarkably	1 6
383	" mixed	handsome varieties	1 6
384	Double-flowered. Brilliant magenta red		2 6
385	" Choicest white		2 6
386	" Prince Arthur. Glowing scarlet		2 6
387	" Choicest mixed. Beautiful vars.		2 6

Hardy Primulas.

		per pkt.—s.	d.
388	Primula japonica. Choice mixed	...	0 6
389	" rosea. Beautiful hardy species	...	1 6
390	" cortusoides. Fine showy spring-flowering variety	...	0 6
391	" denticulata. A fine summer-flowering species	...	1 0

Daniels' Choice Florists' Flower Seeds.



PETUNIA, DOUBLE-FRINGED.

Daniels' Superb Petunias.

PETUNIAS in their many beautiful varieties form a highly interesting and desirable class of free-flowering plants for pot or garden culture, those of the *grandiflora* section, both single and double-flowered, being especially valuable. The blooms of these are of immense size, beautifully formed, and of the most charming and delicate colours; some of the flowers are exquisitely veined or pencilled, others blotched or striped. The new "Fringed" varieties, both double and single, produce some charming flowers, the edges of the petals being elegantly cut or fringed, whilst the colours are most varied and beautiful. The seed we offer has been carefully saved from fecundated flowers of the finest varieties; but, as Petunias raised from seed have a tendency to "sport," we cannot guarantee more than sixty or seventy per cent. of flowers true to description. All will, however, be found well worth growing, and occasionally some fine novelties may be secured. Petunias for indoor cultivation may be sown in January or early in February, but those intended for bedding out do not require to be sown before March. A soil composed of two parts leaf-mould and one part loam, with the addition of a little sharp sand, forms an excellent compost for these, but the seeds being very small require special care in sowing. Fill your pots or seed pans to near the rim and press the soil down firmly and evenly; sow thinly, and cover the seeds very slightly with fine soil, sprinkle gently with a fine rose water-pot, and place in a gentle heat of sixty or sixty-five degrees, not higher, and keep nicely moist. As soon as the young plants can be handled, prick them out about one inch apart in pots to strengthen, and when sufficiently advanced in growth pot off singly into small pots, gradually harden off when established, and plant out about the middle of May, or shift into large pots as required. In planting Petunias out of doors, ground should be selected that has not been freshly manured, otherwise a superabundant foliage will retard the flowering.

From Miss E. BRINN, Costains Farm, Orpington.

Sept. 2nd.

"The Single Petunia Seed I had from you this year has done splendidly, some of the plants producing hundreds of fine blooms."

Petunias—Daniels' Superb Fringed.

A NEW and splendid class, producing large and strikingly beautiful flowers, the edges of the petals being elegantly lacinated or fringed.

		s. d.
392	Single, very choice, mixed ... per pkt.	2 6
393	... smaller pkt.	1 6
394	Double, an assortment of 6 superb vars.	3 6
395	... Choicest mixed ...	2 6
396	... smaller pkt.	1 6
397	Lady of the Lake. Beautiful large fringed, pure white, double flowers, superb	2 6

Petunia—Double-flowered.

SAVED from carefully hybridised flowers, will produce a good percentage of large, handsome, double flowers.

		s. d.
398	Very choice, mixed ... per pkt.	2 6
399	... smaller pkt.	1 6
400	An assortment of 6 choice sorts ...	2 6
401	Green-edged double varieties. Very choice, mixed ...	2 6
402	Large-flowered Striped. Very choice	1 0
403	New Dwarf Striped. A fine new compact and distinct variety, growing about eight inches high; bearing a profusion of pretty striped flowers	1 0

Petunia hybrida grandiflora.

A FINE and distinct class of beautiful, large-flowering varieties, producing blooms of immense size, and of the most charming colours; much superior to the old varieties of *Petunia hybrida*. The plants are robust in habit of growth, and admirably suited as pot-plants for the greenhouse or conservatory.

		per pkt.—s. d.
404	An assortment of 12 choice varieties	3 6
405	... 6	2 0
406	Alba. White, beautiful	1 0
407	Kermesina. Fine, bright crimson	1 0
408	Maculata. Blotched, very handsome	1 0
409	Marginata. Fine large-flowered, bordered and veined with green	1 0
410	Prince of Wurtemberg. Beautiful rose, very large, extra fine	1 0
411	Purpurea. Fine dark, splendid	1 0
412	Rosea. White-throated, rose and white, very lovely	1 0
413	Superbissima. Magnificent variety, enormous flowers, fine robust plants	1 6
414	Venosa. Veined varieties	1 0
415	Violacea. Splendid bright deep violet	1 0
416	Choicest mixed	2 6
417	... smaller pkt.	1 6

Petunia—Ordinary Class.

418	Choicest mixed. Beautiful showy varieties for beds or borders	1 0
419	... smaller pkts. 3d. &	0 6

Oct. 6th.

From Mrs. DAYNE, Granville Park, Lewisham.

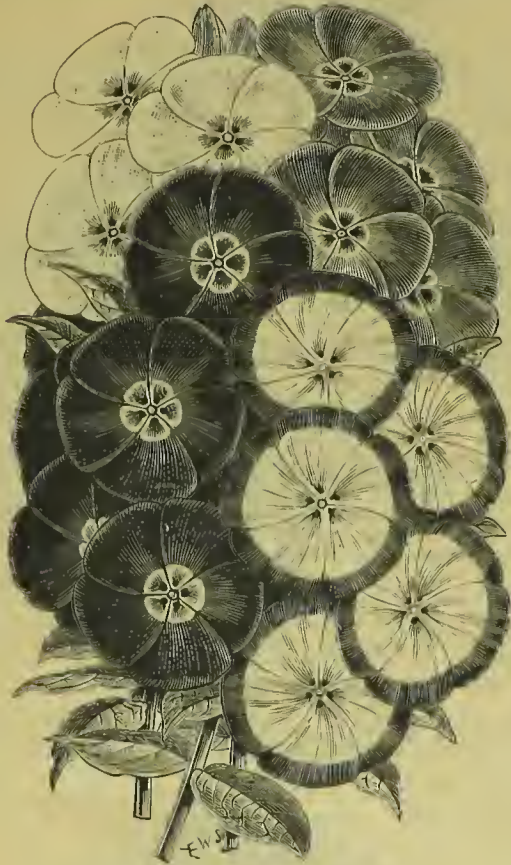
"Mrs. Dayne begs to say the Seeds sent in the Spring were most satisfactory. The Asters made a splendid show and were much admired, also the Stocks were most beautiful; the Mignonette very fine and lasting."

Aug. 9th.

From Mr. J. WHITE, Lewdown Village, Devon.

"I must acknowledge my best thanks are due to you for sending me such a fine collection of Flower Seeds, they are lovely, especially the Stocks, which are charming, some of them have two or three crowns of brilliant colours."

Daniels' Choice Florists' Flower Seeds.



PHLOX DRUMMONDI GRANDIFLORA.

Phlox Drummondii.

ALL the varieties of this beautiful class of annuals are worthy of extensive cultivation, especially those of the *grandiflora* class, which produce such a charming profusion and diversity of their large beautifully formed and brilliantly coloured flowers. Those of the *compacta* section growing only about four to six inches in height are also highly desirable, being splendid for massing or beds, or for edgings, producing an effect that can probably be obtained by no other plant. All the sorts continue in bloom for a long season, and apart from their great usefulness for bedding are valuable for pot culture in the greenhouse, where they will give a beautiful display. Sow the seeds in February, March, or early in April, in pans or boxes of light rich soil; sow thinly, press down firmly, cover lightly, water, and place in a gentle heat. The young plants will be up in a few days, and soon as they can be fairly handled they should be pricked out about two inches apart in pans or boxes to strengthen, or potted singly into small pots, keep close for a few days, and when they are established give abundance of air, keeping close to the glass to induce a sturdy growth. May is soon enough for planting out, and a rather dry and sunny position is to be preferred. The dwarf kinds should be planted about eight inches or one foot apart; the others, which grow from nine inches to one foot in height, with a spreading habit, may be planted eighteen inches or two feet apart.

Phlox Drummondii nana compacta.

A BEAUTIFUL compact-growing class, many of the varieties only four or six inches high. Splendid for bedding, and first-class for pots or edgings of flower beds.

				per pkt.—s.	d.
420	Six choice varieties	...	...	...	2 6
421	Atropurpurea. Dark purple	...	...	...	0 6
422	Carminea. Bright carmine red	...	...	...	0 6
423	Rosea. Rose	...	...	...	0 6
424	Snowball. Pure white, very fine	...	...	...	0 6
425	Fireball. Brilliant scarlet	...	...	...	0 6
426	Splendens. Crimson, with white eye; splendid	...	...	...	1 0
427	Victoria. Deep scarlet, splendid	...	...	...	0 6
428	Choicest mixed	...	...	...	1 0
429	" "	...	...	smaller pkt.	0 6

Phlox Drummondii grandiflora.

THE *Grandiflora* varieties form a magnificent class; the plants are robust in habit, and the flowers, which are of various rich and beautiful colours, have in many of the varieties large conspicuous white eyes; the individual blooms are of fine substance and scarcely inferior in size to the perennial sorts, and are a decided improvement on the old varieties of *P. Drummondii*.

				per pkt.—s.	d.
430	An assortment of 12 splendid varieties	...	...	3	6
431	" " 8 " "	...	...	2	6
432	Alba. Pure white	...	...	0	6
433	Atropurpurea. Dark purple	...	...	0	6
434	Carminea. Beautiful carmine, white eye	...	...	0	6
435	Coccinea. Brilliant scarlet	...	...	0	6
436	Coccinea striata. Beautiful scarlet-striped	...	...	0	6
437	Rosea. Delicate rose, white eye	...	...	0	6
438	Stellata atropurpurea. Purple, white eye	...	...	0	6
439	Violacea. Violet blue, white eye	...	...	0	6
440	Splendens. Fine vivid crimson, white eye	...	...	0	6
441	Stellata splendens. Brilliant crimson, with white eye, fine	...	...	1	0
442	Choicest mixed. In beautiful variety	...	...	1	0
443	" " " "	...	smaller pkt.	0	6

From Mr. H. NICHOLLS, Badminton, Wilts.

Jan. 18th. "Your Phlox Drummondii has stood the test for several years. I have invariably taken First Prize for a collection of six varieties for the past ten years, and last year I took First Prize at a large London show."

From Mr. W. HODGE, Barton.

June 27th. "The Flower Seeds I have received from you the last three years have given the greatest satisfaction."

From Mr. J. DOW, Alva.

Jan. 25th. "I gained all the Prizes (seven) at our Show with your Asters; they were greatly admired."

Phlox Drummondii—Original Class.

VERY SHOWY AND FREE-FLOWERING.

				per pkt.—s.	d.
444	An assortment of 12 brilliant varieties	...	...	2	6
445	" " 6 " "	...	...	1	6
446	Choicest mixed. In beautiful variety	...	...	0	6
447	" " " "	...	smaller pkt.	0	3

Perennial Phloxes.

THE many beautiful varieties of this splendid class of hardy perennials are too well known to need any description of ours. The seed we offer has been carefully saved from our fine collection of choice named flowers, and may be expected to produce some really fine varieties.

				per pkt.—s.	d.
448	Tall varieties. Splendid mixed	...	...	1	0
449	Dwarf " " "	...	...	1	6

From Mrs. LIPPINGTON, King's Bromley.

May 21st. "Your Flower Seeds last year were excellent, and largely contributed to my success in winning the Champion Prize for the best flower garden."

From Mr. J. A. SHUFFREY, F.R.H.S., Petersfield.

Jan. 9th. "Your Zinnias are not to be beaten: I again won the First Prize with them, in fact, they were better than the ones I took the Royal Horticultural Society's Medal with the previous year."

From J. KNEEBONE, Esq., Crick.

Nov. 18th. "The Dahlias, Asters, Marigolds, Sweet Peas, and Stocks I had from you last year were quite a show; I took Prizes with them at several Shows."

From Mr. O. LEIGHTON, 13 Berkeley Street, Hull.

June 22nd. "I may take the opportunity to say that the Seeds you sent me this year have done well, especially the Gloxinias. They are far beyond our expectation."

Daniels' Choice Florists' Flower Seeds.

Polyanthuses.



POLYANTHUS, GOLD-LACED.

From Mr. J. STANLEY, New Bowley, Walsall.
 May 26th.
 "Your Flower Seeds which I have had from you from time to time have turned out grand, and have been much admired by my friends, especially last year."

THE fine old hardy Gold-laced Polyanthus, which blooms about the same time as the Primrose, is a great favourite in most gardens, and too well known to need any description. The new varieties of *Giant* and *Magenta King* are very fine, and should be grown by all who are not already familiar with them.

		per pkt.—s.	d.
450	Gold-laced. Fine dark varieties, from a choice collection, beautifully laced	...	2 6
451	" " " " " "	smaller pkt.	1 6
452	Cloth of Gold. Fine yellow	...	1 6
453	Hose-in-hose varieties. Choice mixed	...	1 0
454	Magenta King. Very fine	...	1 6
455	New Giant. Crimson	} Fine showy varieties for bedding out, &c.	1 0
456	" " White		1 0
457	" " Yellow		1 0
458	Choice mixed. Good showy sorts	...	1 0
459	" " " " " "	smaller pkt.	0 6

Hardy Primroses.

A BEAUTIFUL free-flowering class of hardy plants, which has been highly improved of late years, invaluable for Spring gardening. The hybrid varieties vary in colour from the palest and most delicate sulphur-yellow, through all the soft shades of rose and purple to the most intense and brilliant crimson. In a mild season many of the varieties will commence blooming in the Autumn and continue through the Winter, but from the beginning of April to the middle of May they are generally in full bloom, and present a most lovely appearance. A partially shaded border, with a westerly aspect, will grow them to perfection in almost any moderately rich soil.

		per pkt.—s.	d.
460	Large-flowered Hybrids. A grand strain of beautiful high-coloured flowers, all of the true Primrose type, with the flowers large and brilliant; very fine	...	2 6
461	" " " " " "	smaller pkt.	1 6
462	Very choice mixed. From a good collection	...	1 0
463	Crimson Beauty. Rich crimson, splendid	...	2 6
464	White Queen. Pure white, beautiful	...	2 6
465	Common Yellow	...	0 6

Sweet William, Daniels' Prize.

WE have given great attention for several years past to our splendid strain of these, which we have much pleasure in offering. The sorts embrace a great variety of the choicest annular-eyed, margined, selfs, &c., of the most brilliant types. The flowers are beautifully formed, of good substance, and are almost invariably awarded First Prize wherever exhibited.

		per pkt.—s.	d.
466	DANIELS' PRIZE MIXED. In beautiful variety	...	1 0
467	" " " " " "	smaller pkt.	0 6
468	Dark crimson. Splendid colour	...	0 4
469	Double Pure White. A fine variety	...	0 6

Violas—Bedding.

A PROFUSE-FLOWERING and invaluable class of hardy perennial bedding plants, continuing in bloom from early Spring till late in the Autumn months. Highly desirable for Spring gardening, and afford some charming effects in association with Spring-flowering Bulbs, &c. The following list includes the finest varieties in cultivation, and which we highly recommend.

		per pkt.—s.	d.
470	An assortment of 6 splendid varieties	...	3 6
471	Admiration. Splendid dark violet, yellow eye	...	1 0
472	Blue Perfection. Dark bluish purple	...	1 0
473	White Perfection. Splendid pure white	...	1 0
474	Sensation. Very fine purple	...	1 0
475	Magnificent. Deep rich purple, large flowers, very fine	...	1 0
476	Mauve Queen. Light mauve, fine	...	0 6
477	Golden Gem. Rich golden yellow	...	1 0
478	Snowflake. Splendid pure white	...	1 0
479	Choicest mixed	...	1 0
480	" " " " " "	smaller pkt.	0 6



SWEET WILLIAM, DANIELS' PRIZE.

From Mr. W. DRURY, Harlesden.
 May 11th.
 "The Carnation Seed I had from you last year has produced some magnificent flowers."

From Mr. E. STEPHENSON, School House, Market Weighton.
 May 21st.
 "I took First Prize at our Show last year for Single Dahlias grown from your Seeds."

Daniels' Choice Florists' Flower Seeds.



ZINNIA ELEGANS FL. PL.

From Mr. P. JUPP, Lindfield, Sussex.

Jan. 23rd.

"I am pleased to inform you that your Flower Seeds were exceedingly fine last season, the Marigolds, Asters, Stocks, Zinnias, and Pansies were all that could be desired, I don't think I ever had better."



VERBENA HYBRIDA VARS.

From Mr. C. MIZEN, Downton, Salisbury.

May 9th.

"I was very much pleased with the Seeds had from you last year. I had a grand show of Wallflowers in my garden just now, some of the spikes of flower being upwards of twenty-seven inches long."

Zinnia elegans fl. pl.

THERE is no class of annual flowers which has been so highly improved of late years as the double-flowered Zinnias, which may now be pronounced almost perfection. The flowers, which are large and perfectly double, range in colour from white to the most intense scarlet, orange, rose, salmon, purple, &c., and, considering their easy cultivation, should be grown freely in every garden.

		per pkt.—s.	d.
481	An assortment of 12 splendid varieties	...	2 6
482	New "Giant Double. A very fine new class of a robust habit of growth, and producing perfectly double flowers of an immense size, and of the most brilliant and beautiful colours; splendid for exhibition.	6	1 6
483	" An assortment of 8 beautiful varieties	...	2 6
484	" Choicest mixed	...	1 0
485	Sulphur yellow. Finest double	...	0 4
486	Scarlet	...	0 4
487	Salmon Red	...	0 4
488	Purple	...	0 4
489	White	...	0 4
490	Golden Yellow	...	0 4
491	Rose	...	0 4
492	Choicest mixed	...	1 0
493	" " " " " "	smaller pkt.	0 6
494	Striped. Finest double mixed	...	0 6
495	New dwarf, double. Splendid mixed	...	1 0
496	Darwini fl. pl. Beautifully imbricated double flowers	...	1 0
497	Haageana fl. pl. Distinct, small, double-flowered variety, orange, height one foot, trailing	...	0 6

Verbena hybrida.

Sow in February or March in pans or trays of light rich mould, and place in a gentle heat. As soon as the young plants have made three or four leaves pot them off singly into small pots, keep close till established, when they should be placed near the glass and have plenty of air, gradually harden off and plant out in May where intended to flower. Seedling Verbenas are almost invariably very vigorous in growth, and if raised from a good strain of seed will produce some charming flowers.

		per pkt.—s.	d.
498	Candidissima. Fine pure white	...	1 0
499	Dark blue, white eye. Very fine	...	1 0
500	Auriculæflora. Beautiful large-flowered varieties with conspicuous white eyes	...	1 0
501	Defiance. Scarlet, fine	...	1 0
502	" compacta. New. Rich scarlet, very dwarf	...	1 0
503	Carnation-striped. From a fine collection	...	1 0
504	Choicest mixed, in beautiful variety	...	1 0
505	" " " " " "	smaller pkt.	0 6

Wallflowers.

THE double German varieties are exceedingly fine, throwing up noble spikes of handsome double flowers in April and May; they are, however, rather less hardy than the single-flowered sorts, and should have the benefit of a more sheltered position when planted out. The single varieties are highly desirable for Spring gardening, producing a great profusion of their finely-scented flowers, and in a mild season often bloom throughout the Winter.

		per pkt.—s.	d.
506	Double German, an assortment of 12 vars.	3	6
507	" " " " " "	6	2 0
508	" " blue. Very fine and double	...	0 6
509	" " dark brown. Extra	...	0 6
510	" " canary yellow. Beautiful	...	0 6
511	" " very choice mixed	...	1 0
512	" " " " " "	smaller pkt.	0 6
513	Single, Golden Tom Thumb. Golden yellow, dwarf	...	0 4
514	" Harbinger. Rich dark brown, very early	...	0 4
515	" blood red. Deep colour, finely scented	...	0 3
516	" Cloth of Gold. Splendid large yellow	...	0 6
517	" fine mixed	...	0 3

DANIELS' GENERAL LIST OF FLOWER SEEDS.

For Cultural Instructions see page 93.

ABBREVIATIONS.

- hA Hardy annual.
- hha Half-hardy annual.
- tA Tender annual.
- hB Hardy biennial.
- hhB Half-hardy biennial.
- tB Tender biennial.
- hP Hardy perennial.
- hhP Half-hardy perennial.

ABBREVIATIONS.

- tP Tender perennial.
- spr Spreading or trailing.
- cl Climbing.
- gs Greenhouse shrub.
- s Plants of a shrubby habit of growth.
- st Stove plants.
- Bb Having bulbous or tuberous roots.



DANIELS' IMPROVED VICTORIA ASTER.

From Mr. F. J. ABBOTT, Gardener to Sir W. Hart Dyke, Bart., M.P. Sept. 28th.
"I am pleased to say I have found your New Dwarf Perfection Aster perfection itself, and one of the best I have ever seen; it is so compact, and the colours remarkably good."

From Mr. W. LOW, Gardener to His Grace the Duke of Orafton, K O. Sept. 27th.
"Your New Perfection Aster proved to be a dwarf, robust, compact variety, growing from eight to nine inches in height, and producing large flowers of beautiful colours, in every way equal to the taller growing varieties."

Those Perennials and Biennials marked with an asterisk (*) will bloom the first year from seed.

N.B.—In ordering, the numbers only will suffice, but as the numbers are altered every year, the date of Catalogue should also be given.

No.	Name.	Hard Dur.	Ht in feet.	Colour.	Months of Flowering	Per Pkt.	Observations.
518	<i>Abronia umbellata</i> ... ..	...	hha	spr.	pink	Ju to Sp	3 } Pretty Verbena-like annuals, excellent for rockwork, &c.
519	" <i>arenaria</i> ... ..	...	...	...	yellow	" "	4 } Haudsome greenhouse plants.
520	<i>Abutilon</i> , choice mixed hybrids	...	gs	6-8	various	My to Au	1 6 } Beautiful plant for pot culture
521	<i>Acacia lophantha</i> ... ..	...	hhP	3-5	yellow	" "	4 } Fine herbaceous plant.
522	<i>Acanthus mollis</i> ... ..	...	hp	3	pink & white	Ju to Sp	6 } Beautiful hardy border plant.
523	<i>Aeroclinium</i> , see page 90.	...	...	...	...	...	...
523	<i>Aethionema grandiflora</i> ... ..	...	"	1	rose	My & Ju	6 } Valuable bedding plants of dwarf habit, exceedingly floriferous, and very useful for edgings.
524	<i>Ageratum</i> , Imperial dwarf blue	...	hha	½	blue	Ju to Oc	4 } delicate blue
525	" " " white	...	"	"	white	" "	4 } "
526	" <i>Ada Bowman</i> ... ..	...	"	"	delicate blue	" "	6 } "
527	<i>Agrostemma coronaria atrosanguinea</i> ... ..	...	hp	2	dark crimson	Jy to Sp	3 } Excellent for mixed borders or as pot-plants, showy and pretty. <i>A. myrtifolia</i> is a fine new species, having large handsome flowers.
528	* <i>Alonsoa linifolia</i> ... ..	...	hhB	1½	orange scarlet	Jy to Oc	6 } Fine new varieties.
529	" " <i>gracilis</i> ... ..	...	"	"	"	" "	6 } Useful for edgings, borders, &c.
530	* " <i>myrtifolia</i> ... ..	...	"	"	scarlet	" "	6 } Fine for rockwork or borders.
531	* " <i>Mutisi</i> ... ..	...	"	1	blush & scarlet	" "	6 } A brilliant class of plants for decorative purposes. <i>A. salicifolius</i> is very useful for conservatory decoration.
532	<i>Alstrœmeria</i> , choice mixed ... ..	...	hhB	2	various	Ju to Au	4 } Very pretty free-flowering annuals for beds, rock-work, &c. <i>A. grandiflora coccinea</i> is very fine.
533	<i>Alyssum maritimum</i> ... ..	...	ha	½	white	Ju to Oc	3 } Beautiful <i>Forget-me-not</i> -like flowers, fine for bedding out or bouquets.
534	" <i>saxatile compactum</i> ... ..	...	hp	"	yellow	Ap & My	4 } Beautiful early flowering vars.
535	<i>Amaranthus melancholicus ruber</i> ... ..	...	hha	1-1½	blood red fol.	Ju to Sp	4 } Very showy.
536	" <i>salicifolius</i> ... ..	...	"	"	scarlet	" "	4 } "
537	" <i>tricolor giganteus</i> ... ..	...	"	1½	var. col. leaf	" "	6 } "
538	<i>Anagallis grandiflora coccinea</i> ... ..	...	"	½	scarlet	Ju to Oc	6 } "
539	" <i>Indica</i> ... ..	...	"	"	blue	" "	3 } "
540	" fine varieties, mixed ... ..	...	"	"	various	" "	4 } "
541	<i>Anchusa angustifolia</i> ... ..	...	hp	2	azure blue	" "	6 } Beautiful <i>Forget-me-not</i> -like flowers, fine for bedding out or bouquets.
542	* <i>Anemone coronaria</i> , finest mixed	...	"	1	various	Fe to Au	3 } Beautiful early flowering vars.
543	* " <i>fulgens</i> ... ..	...	"	"	brill. scarlet	Ap to Ju	6 } Very showy.
544	<i>Antirrhinum</i> , see page 66.	...	...	...	...	...	...
544	<i>Aquilegia alpina superba</i> ... ..	...	"	1½	blue & white	My to Jy	6 } <i>Columbines</i> . This class of hardy perennials will thrive in almost any soil or position, and are admirably suited for shrubby borders, large rockeries, or permanent beds where not often disturbed, and where they form beautiful objects. They vary in height from two to three feet. <i>A. glandulosa vera</i> , <i>carulea hybrida</i> , and <i>Stuarti</i> are especially worthy of notice.
545	" <i>Californica hybrida</i> ... ..	...	"	2	orange yellow	" "	6 } "
546	" <i>chrysantha</i> ... ..	...	"	2½	pale yellow	" "	6 } "
547	" " <i>grandiflora alba</i> ... ..	...	"	"	white	" "	1 0 } "
548	" <i>carulea</i> ... ..	...	"	"	sky blue	" "	6 } "
549	" " <i>hybrida</i> ... ..	...	"	"	blue & yellow	" "	6 } "
550	" <i>glandulosa vera</i> ... ..	...	"	1½	dk. blue & wh.	" "	1 0 } "
551	" <i>Skinneri</i> ... ..	...	"	"	scarlet & yell.	" "	6 } "
552	" <i>Stuarti</i> ... ..	...	"	2	blue & white	" "	1 0 } "
553	" <i>caryophylloides fl. pl.</i> ... ..	...	"	"	striped	" "	6 } "
554	" mixed, single and double	...	"	"	various	" "	3 } "
555	" double, white ... ..	...	"	"	white	" "	3 } "
556	<i>Arabis alpina</i> ... ..	...	"	½	"	Mr to My	3 } Early flowering rock or border plant.
557	<i>Asperula azurea setosa</i>	ha	1	blue	My to Au	3 } Pretty sweet-scented annual.

Asters, Freuch and Germau, see pages 57, 59.

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No.	Name.	Hard Dur.	Ht in feet.	Colour.	Months of Flowering	Per Pkt.	Observations.
558	Aster tenella ...	ha	½	mauve	Au & Sp	3	Dwarf annual <i>Michaelmas Daisy</i> . Charming dwarf-growing plants of spreading habit. First-class for rockwork or dry borders.
559	Aubrietia Leichtlini ...	hp	"	carmine rose	Mr to Ju	1 0	
560	" græca ...	"	"	blue	"	6	
561	" violacea ...	"	"	bright violet	"	6	
	Aurioula, see page 66. Balsam, see page 66.						
562	Bartonia aurea ...	ha	1½	golden yellow	Jy & Au	3	Showy hardy annual. Fine varieties for bedding.
563	Beet, dwarf dark-leaved ...	hb	1	dk. pur. fol.	Ju to No	6	
564	" Dracæna-leaved ...	"	"	"	"	6	
565	" Chilian ...	"	2	variegated fol.	"	6	Brilliant and handsomely marked foliage. Splendid in Autumn.
	Begonia, tuberous-rooted, see page 67.						
566	Borecole, variegated ...	"	"	"	Oc to Mr	6	Very handsomely variegated. <i>Swan River Daisy</i> . Very pretty.
567	Brachycome iberidifolia ...	hha	1	blue	Jy & Au	3	
568	Browallia elata grandiflora ...	"	1½	"	Ju to Oc	6	Beautiful plants for pots in the greenhouse or conservatory.
569	" Roezli ...	"	"	white & blue	Ju to Au	3	
570	Cacalia aurea ...	ha	1	orange	Ju to Au	3	Useful hardy annuals, for bouquets, &c.
571	" coccinea ...	"	"	scarlet	"	3	
572	Calandrinia speciosa ...	"	spr.	bright purple	Ju & Jy	3	Showy annuals for borders, rockwork, or any warm situation.
573	" alba ...	"	"	pure white	"	3	
574	" umbellata ...	hp	½	brill. mag. pur.	Ju to Au	6	Remarkably brilliant perennial. Useful bedding-out varieties
575	Calceolaria, shrubby, mixed ...	hhp	1	various	My to Oc	1 6	
	hybrida, see page 68.						
576	Calendula officinalis Meteor ...	ha	1½	orange & yel.	"	3	Double-flowered <i>Pot Marigolds</i> , in bloom till late in the Autumn.
577	" Prince of Orange ...	"	"	orange	Ju to Oc	3	
578	Callirhoe pedata nana compacta ...	hha	1	crimson	Jy to Sp	3	Brilliant annual.
579	Calliopsis atrosanguinea ...	ha	2	dark brown	"	3	
580	" Burrigii ...	"	"	yel. & brown	"	3	Well-known brilliant and useful annuals, remaining in bloom for a long time.
581	" Drummondii ...	"	1½	golden yellow	"	3	
582	" cardaminifolia nana atrosang. ...	"	2	dark crimson	"	3	Well adapted for growing in and near large towns, and exceedingly useful for cutting.
583	" tinctoria ...	"	"	yel. & brown	"	3	
584	" nana, dwarf vars. mixed ...	"	½	various	"	6	
585	Campanula medium, Dean's hybrid ...	hb	2½	"	Ju to Au	1 0	<i>Canterbury Bells</i> . These are a highly interesting and desirable class of handsome flowering plants for the decoration of the garden. The large bells of the pure white varieties are especially handsome, and should be freely grown for the contrast they afford with most other flowers. The double-flowered vars. are very fine. C. pyramidalis and alba form very useful and handsome pot plants, whilst C. turbinata is a splendid dwarf growing sort for the garden, rockeries, &c.
586	" " single blue ...	"	"	dark blue	"	3	
587	" " white ...	"	"	pure white	"	3	
588	" " rose ...	"	"	rose	"	4	
589	" " mixed ...	"	"	various	"	4	
590	" " double mixed ...	"	"	"	"	3	
591	" " calycanthema, blue ...	"	"	blue	"	6	
592	" " alba ...	"	"	white	"	6	
593	" " rosea ...	"	"	rose	"	6	
594	" Loreyi ...	ha	1	blue	"	3	
595	" pentagonia ...	"	"	purple	"	3	
596	" pyramidalis ...	hp	3	blue	"	3	
597	" alba ...	"	"	white	"	3	
598	" turbinata ...	"	1	blue	"	4	
599	Candytuft, New carmine ...	ha	"	carmine	My to Au	6	Useful and exceedingly showy annuals for beds, rockwork, borders, &c., and afford a brilliant display of colour for a long period. The new carmine, creamy white, dark crimson, and Dobbie's New Spizal, are very beautiful varieties, and should be grown in every garden.
600	" " creamy white ...	"	"	creamy white	"	3	
601	" extra dark crimson ...	"	"	crim. purple	"	3	
602	" Dobbie's White Spiral ...	"	"	pure white	"	4	
603	" purple ...	"	"	purple	"	3	
604	" white rocket ...	"	"	white	"	3	
605	" mixed ...	"	"	various	"	3	
606	" New dwarf crimson ...	"	½	crim. purple	"	4	A beautiful new class, of a dwarf habit of growth, exceedingly fine for edgings, rockwork, &c.
607	" " mixed ...	"	"	various	"	4	
608	*Canna, Crozy's New Hybrids...	hhp	3	"	Jy to Sp	1 6	Crozy's New Hybrids are remarkable for their fine dwarf habit of growth, and the size and beauty of their flowers and foliage.
609	* " Indica coccinea ...	"	4	scarlet	"	6	
610	* " Nepalensis ...	"	3	yellow	"	6	Handsome-foliaged plants, excellent for the sub-tropical garden or the greenhouse. Soak the seeds in moderately warm water for about 12 hours before planting.
611	* " gigantea ...	"	6	dark red	"	6	
612	* " zebrina superba ...	"	"	scarlet	"	6	
613	* " fine varieties, mixed ...	"	3-6	various	"	6	
614	Cannabis giganteus ...	liha	6-8	orn. fol.	Ju to Oc	4	<i>Giant Hemp</i> . For sub-tropical garden.
615	Capsicum, Prince of Wales ...	"	1½	yel. fruit	"	6	
616	" Tom Thumb ...	"	¾	scarlet fruit	"	6	Fine ornamental pot-plants, bearing a profusion of handsome berries. <i>Ornamental Thistle</i> .
617	Carduus benedictus ...	ha	3	white	Jy to Sp	3	
	Caruation, see page 68.						
618	Castilleja indivisa ...	hha	½	brilliant crim.	"	6	Very brilliant and beautiful.
619	Centaurea candidissima (ragusina) ...	hhp	1	white foliage	"	1 0	
620	" Clementei ...	"	"	"	"	1 0	Handsome silvery-foliaged plants for bedding out or the greenhouse.
621	" cyanus minor, blue ...	ha	2	dark blue	"	3	
622	" " mixed ...	"	"	various	"	3	<i>Cornflowers</i> . Showy hardy annuals. Useful for bouquets.
623	" depressa ...	"	1½	blue	Jy & Au	3	
624	" rosea ...	"	"	rose	"	3	Very useful for bouquets.
625	Centranthus macrosiphon ...	"	1	red	Jy to Sp	3	

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No.	Name.	Hard Dur.	Ht in feet.	Colour.	Months of Flowering	Per Pkt.	Observations.
626	<i>Cerastium Biebersteini</i> ...	hp	1	white	Jy to Sp	s. d. 6	} Useful white-foliaged bedding plants. <i>Dwarf Fan Palm</i> . Very ornamental. <i>Fishbone Thistle</i> . Curious. Pretty Pentstemon-like flowers. Showy annuals for mixed beds or borders. C. Burridgeanum Tricolor, Eclipse, and the New double-flowered hybrids, are exceedingly handsome, the latter producing the most beautiful and richest colours; all the varieties are easy of cultivation. Exceedingly floriferous, and very useful for cutting. <i>Marguerites</i> , or <i>Parisian Daisies</i> . Silvery-foliaged bedding plant. <i>Rock Rose</i> . Very handsome. An exceedingly useful class of hardy annuals, admirably suited for sowing in patches, &c., in mixed borders, and are very easy of cultivation. The integrifolia varieties, pulchella marginata, and the dwarf double-flowered Tom Thumb are very handsome. The new varieties of elegans are also very fine and desirable. Valuable hardy climbers. <i>Parrot-beak plant</i> . Magnificent. Beautiful for pots, borders, rockwork, &c. Well-known useful climbers. Much admired and useful annuals. C. verna is a charming variety, seeds of which must be sown in August as soon as ripe. Useful for bees, pretty. Attractive plant with fine glossy foliage. A fine class of hardy annual climbers suitable for covering walls, trellis, wire-fencing, arbours, &c., &c. Very pretty in association with <i>Tropæolum canariense</i> . The true dark purple variety, exceedingly rich-coloured. Splendid variety. Useful variety for hanging-baskets, rockwork, &c. <i>Lily of the Valley</i> . <i>Primula elatior</i> . Useful bedding plant. <i>Bellis perennis</i> —well known useful plants for Spring gardening, edgings, &c. Splendid large-flowered varieties. Very handsome for mixed borders. Very sweet scented. <i>Forget-me-nots</i> . A showy class of hardy perennials admirably suited for shrubbery borders, &c. D. maculata superba is very fine. <i>American Cowslip</i> . Valuable hardy perennial. Handsome climber of quick growth.
627	" <i>tomentosum</i> ...	gs	"	"	Fe to Ap	3	
628	<i>Chamærops humilis</i> ...	gs	6	orn. foliage	Fe to Ap	6	
629	<i>Chamæpeuce casabonae</i> ...	hhB	1	lilac	Ju to Au	1 0	
630	<i>Chelone barbata coccinea</i> ...	hp	3	scarlet	Jy & Au	3	
631	<i>Chrysanthemum Burridgeanum</i> ...	hA	1½	crim. wh. yel.	Jy to Sp	3	
632	" <i>coronarum imbricat. fl. pl.</i> ...	"	"	various	"	1 0	
633	" <i>sulphureum pl.</i> ...	"	"	pale yellow	"	3	
634	" <i>tricolor, choicest mixed</i> ...	"	2	various	"	3	
635	" <i>aureum (Cloth of Gold)</i> ...	"	"	yellow	"	3	
636	" <i>segetum grandiflorum</i> ...	"	"	gold yellow	"	3	
637	" <i>New double-flowered hybrids</i> ...	"	"	various	"	6	
638	" <i>inodorum plenissima, fl. pl.</i> ...	hB	"	white	"	4	
639	" <i>atrococcineum</i> ...	hA	1½	crimson	"	3	
640	" <i>Dunnetti album fl. pl.</i> ...	"	"	white	"	3	
641	" <i>carinatum, Eclipse</i> ...	"	"	various	"	6	
642	" <i>Golden Feather</i> ...	"	"	crim. wh. yel.	"	6	
643	" <i>frutescens</i> ...	hhP	2	white	Ap to Oc	6	
	Indicum, see page 67.						
644	<i>Cineraria candidissima</i> ...	"	1½	yellow	Ju to Au	6	
	hybrida, see page 69.						
645	<i>Cistus, Rock, finest mixed</i> ...	"	1	various	Jy to Sp	3	
646	<i>Clarkia elegans, double white</i> ...	hA	2	white	Jy to Sp	4	
647	" <i>Purple King</i> ...	"	"	purple	"	4	
648	" <i>Salmon Queen</i> ...	"	"	salmon	"	4	
649	" <i>integrifolia, double rose</i> ...	"	1	rosy pink	Ju to Oc	3	
650	" <i>alba, double white</i> ...	"	"	pure white	"	3	
651	" <i>limbata</i> ...	"	"	pink & white	"	3	
652	" <i>Tom Thumb</i> ...	"	½	rosy pink	"	3	
653	" <i>pulchella</i> ...	"	1	"	"	3	
654	" <i>alba</i> ...	"	"	pure white	"	3	
655	" <i>marginata fl. pl.</i> ...	"	"	pink & white	"	3	
656	" <i>Tom Thumb, double</i> ...	"	½	dark crimson	"	6	
657	" <i>mixed</i> ...	"	1	various	"	3	
658	<i>Clematis hybrida, choice mixed</i> ...	hp	cl.	"	My to Oc	1 0	
659	<i>Clianthus Dampieri</i> ...	gs	4	scarlet & blk.	Ap to Jy	1 0	
660	<i>Clintonia pulchella</i> ...	hA	½	blue & white	Ju to Sp	6	
661	<i>Cobæa scandens</i> ...	hhP	cl.	purple	My to Oc	6	
662	" <i>alba</i> ...	"	"	white	"	1 0	
	Cockscombs, see page 69.						
	Colens, see page 67.						
663	<i>Collinsia bicolor</i> ...	hA	1	lilac & white	My to Au	3	
664	" <i>candidissima</i> ...	"	"	white	"	3	
665	" <i>multicolor</i> ...	"	"	var. coloured	"	3	
666	" <i>verna</i> ...	"	"	sky bl. & wh.	Ap & My	6	
667	<i>Collomia coccinea</i> ...	"	1½	scarlet	Jy to Oc	3	
	Columbine (see <i>Aquilegia</i>).						
668	<i>Commelina cælestis</i> ...	hhP	"	sky blue	Ju to Au	3	
669	<i>Convolvulus major, crimson</i> ...	hA	cl.	crimson	Jy to Oc	3	
670	" <i>white</i> ...	"	"	white	"	3	
671	" <i>purple</i> ...	"	"	purple	"	3	
672	" <i>rose</i> ...	"	"	rose	"	3	
673	" <i>striped</i> ...	"	"	various	"	3	
674	" <i>mixed</i> ...	"	"	"	"	3	
675	" <i>minor, dark purple</i> ...	hA	1	dark purple	"	3	
676	" <i>crimson violet</i> ...	"	"	crim. violet	"	6	
677	" <i>Mauritanicus</i> ...	hhP	tri.	lavender	Jy to Sp	3	
678	<i>Convallaria majalis</i> ...	hp	1	white	Ap to Ju	6	
679	<i>Cowslip, common field</i> ...	"	¾	yellow	My & Ju	4	
	American (see <i>Dodecatheon meadia</i>).						
680	<i>Cuphea platycentra</i> ...	hhP	1	scarlet	Jy to Oc	6	
	Cyclamen, see page 69.						
	Dahlia, see page 70.						
681	<i>Daisy, double red</i> ...	hp	½	dark red	Ap to Jy	1 0	
682	" <i>white</i> ...	"	"	white	"	1 0	
683	" <i>mixed</i> ...	"	"	various	"	1 0	
684	<i>Datura atropurpurea plenissima</i> ...	hA	"	dark purple	Jy to Sp	6	
685	" <i>Huberiana fl. pl.</i> ...	"	1	white	"	4	
686	" <i>chlorantha fl. pl.</i> ...	"	2	yellow	"	3	
	Delphinium, see page 70.						
	Dianthus, see page 70.						
687	<i>Digitalis maculata superba</i> ...	hp	3	sptd. vars.	Jy & Au	6	
688	" <i>monstrosa alba</i> ...	"	4	white	"	4	
689	" <i>very choice mixed</i> ...	"	3	various	"	3	
690	<i>Dodecatheon meadia</i> ...	"	1	purple	Ap to Ju	1 0	
691	<i>Eccremocarpus scaber</i> ...	hhP	cl.	orange	Jy to Sp	6	

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692	<i>Echeveria secunda glauca</i> ...	gp	½	yellow	Ju to Sp	s. d. 1 6	Useful succulent bedding plant.
693	<i>Echinops ritro</i> ...	hp	3-4	azure blue	Ju to No	6	Siugular and handsome border plant.
	* <i>Edelweis</i> , see page 90. Egg Plant (see <i>Solanum</i>).						
694	<i>Erinus alpinus</i> ...	"	"	rosy purple	Ap to Ju	6	Beautiful little alpino plant.
695	* <i>Erysimum Peroffskianum</i> ...	ha	1½	orange	Jy to Sp	3	Showy hardy annual.
696	<i>Erythræa Muhlenbergia</i> ...	"	"	rose & white	" "	6	Beautiful hardy annual.
697	<i>Erythrina crista galli</i> ...	gs	15	scarlet	My to Jy	6	Coral Tree. Greenhouse shrub.
698	<i>Erythrolæna conspicua</i> ...	hb	4	or. carmine	Jy & Au	1 0	
699	* <i>Eschscholtzia crocea fl. pl.</i> ...	hb	1	orange	Jy to Sp	6	
700	" " <i>alba fl. pl.</i> ...	"	"	white	" "	6	} Brilliant and exceedingly showy plants. E. grandiflora rosca Mandarin, and the double-flowered varieties are very fine.
701	" " <i>grandiflora carminea</i> ...	"	"	carmine	" "	6	
702	" " <i>Mandarin</i> ...	"	"	scarlet	" "	4	
703	" " <i>Californica alba</i> ...	"	"	white	" "	3	
704	" " <i>crocea</i> ...	"	"	orange	" "	3	
705	<i>Eucharidium Breweri</i> ...	ha	"	rosy lilao	My to Au	1 0	} Free-blooming, pretty annuals, somewhat resembling the Clarkias, but more compact in habit. E. Breweri is very fine.
706	" <i>grandiflorum album</i> ...	"	"	white	" "	3	
707	" " <i>roseum</i> ...	"	"	rose	" "	3	
708	<i>Eutoca viscida</i> ...	"	"	deep blue	My & Ju	3	Pretty annual with sky-blue flowers.
	Evoning Primrose (see <i>Enothera</i>).						
709	<i>Flos Adonis</i> ...	"	1½	scarlet	Jy & Au	3	<i>Pheasant's-eye</i> . Showy annual.
	Foxglove (see <i>Digitalis</i>). Fuchsia, see page 70.						
710	* <i>Gaillardia hybrida grandiflora</i> ...	hp	2	various	Jy to Oc	1 0	Saved from choico named flowers.
711	" <i>amblyodon</i> ...	hha	"	deep red	Jy to Sp	3	} Splendid plants for beds or borders. Very showy.
712	" <i>picta fistulosa</i> ...	hhp	"	crim. yellow	" "	3	
713	" <i>Lorenziana</i> ...	hha	"	red and yellow	" "	6	
714	<i>Gentiana acaulis</i> ...	hp	½	dark blue	Ap to Jy	1 0	Beautiful early flowering border plant.
	Geranium, see <i>Pelargonium</i> page 72.						
715	<i>Geum coccineum fl. pl.</i> ...	"	2	scarlet	Ju to Oc	3	Double Ranunculus-like flowers.
716	<i>Gilia achillefolia alba</i> ...	ha	1½	white	Jy to Sp	3	} Very pretty free-flowering annuals, suitable for patches on mixed beds or borders, or for rockwork.
717	" " <i>major</i> ...	"	"	blue	" "	3	
718	" <i>nivalis</i> ...	"	"	white	" "	3	
719	" <i>tricolor</i> ...	"	"	various	" "	3	
720	<i>Gladiolus gandavensis</i> , mixed	hhp	3-4	"	Jy to Oc	1 0	Saved from choicest sorts.
721	<i>Glaucium luteum</i> ...	ha	2	yellow	Jy & Au	3	<i>Horned Poppy</i> . Curious.
	Gloxiuia, see page 71.						



GODETIA, BRIDESMAID.

Godetias.

A MAGNIFICENT class of free-flowering showy hardy annuals, bearing immense cup-shaped flowers of the most brilliant and charming shades of colour. The blooms are produced in the greatest profusion, often quite covering the plants, which for a long period have the most beautiful appearance. These superb annuals are quite hardy, and are indispensable in every garden where a really fine show is required.

No.	Name.	Height	per pkt.	s. d.
722	DUKE OF FIFE. Height 1 foot. Intensely rich crimson blooms of fine form and substance, the individual blooms measuring 4 to 4½ inches across, with perfect habit of plant. A magnificent and valuable addition to our hardy annuals. Received an Award of Merit from the Royal Horticultural Society ...	1 foot	...	1 0
723	" " smaller pkt. ...	"	...	0 6
724	DUCHESS OF FIFE. Height 1 foot. A most superb variety of the same fine habit of growth as the preceding, and bearing equally large flowers. The colour, however, is a lovely satiny white, each petal being distinctly marked by a brilliant carmine blotch. First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society ...	1 foot	...	1 0
725	" " smaller pkt. ...	"	...	0 6
726	Duchess of Albany. Height 1 foot. Pure white, beautiful ...	1 foot	...	0 6
727	New Dwarf. Height ½ foot, pure white ...	½ foot	...	0 6
728	Bridesmaid. Height 1 foot. Rose and white, charming variety ...	1 foot	...	0 6
729	Butterfly. Height 1 foot. White, with crimson blotch on each petal, very showy ...	1 foot	...	0 6
730	General Gordon. Height 1 foot. Brilliant deep crimson ...	1 foot	...	0 6
731	Lady Albemarle. Height 1 foot. Crimson scarlet ...	1 foot	...	0 6
732	The above named varieties, mixed ...		1s. &	0 6
733	A collection of six choice varieties ...		...	1 6
734	Pumila hybrida. Dwarf, compact-growing varieties, fine mixed colours ...		...	0 6
735	Reptans insignis. Height 1 foot trailing. White and crimson ...	1 foot	...	0 3
736	The Bride. White, with crimson ring at base of petals	0 3

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No.	Name.	Hard Dur.	Ht in feet.	Colour.	Months of Flowering	Per Pkt.	Observations.
	Golden Feather (<i>see Pyrethrum aureum</i>).					s. d.	
737	Gourd, small ornamental varieties ...	hha	cl.	yellow	Jy to Oc	6	Pretty climbers with ornamental fruit
738	Grammanthes gentianoides ...	"	½	scarlet	Ju to Oc	6	Excellent for hanging-baskets, pots, &c.
739	Grevillea robusta ...	gs	—	—	—	6	Beautiful greenhouse shrub.
740	Gypsophila elegans ...	ba	1½	pink	Jy to Sp	3	A fine annual from the Crimea.
741	Hawkweed, red ...	"	2	red	"	3	} Useful and showy annuals.
742	" white ...	"	1½	white	"	3	
743	" yellow ...	"	"	yellow	"	3	
744	Heuchera sanguinea ...	hp	"	coral red	"	1 6	} Charming hardy perennial, excellent for cutting.
	Helianthus (<i>see Sunflower</i>).						
	Helicbrysums (<i>see Everlasting Flowers</i>).						
745	Heliotrope, splendid mixed ...	hhp	1	groyish blue	My to Oc	6	} Deliciously fragrant bedding plants. } <i>Giant Cow Parsnip</i> . Fine plant for shrubberies and waste places.
746	Heracleum giganteum ...	"	6-8	"	Ju to Oc	3	
747	Hibiscus Africanus major ...	ha	2	lemon, dk. eye	Jy to Oc	3	Handsome annual.
	Hollyhock, <i>see page 71</i> .						
748	*Honesty, purple or lilac ...	hb	"	lilac	Ju & Jy	3	} <i>Lunaria biennis</i> varieties. Fine for shrubby borders, &c.
749	" white ...	"	"	white	"	4	
750	" New crimson ...	"	"	crimson	"	6	} Showy perennials, excellent for growing under trees, on mixed borders, &c.
751	Honeysuckle, French, red ...	hp	"	red	"	3	
752	" white ...	"	"	white	"	3	
753	Humulus Japonicus ...	hha	cl.	—	—	6	} <i>Japanese Hop</i> . Rapid and useful climber for trellises, &c.
754	Iberis Gibraltarica ...	bp	¾	pink & white	Ap & My	4	
755	" sempervirens ...	"	"	white	"	3	} Fine hardy perennials for rockwork or borders.
756	Ice Plant ...	hha	spr.	"	Jy & Au	3	
757	Impatiens Sultani ...	gp	1	magen. crim.	Ja to Dec	1 0	Splendid pot plant for the greenhouse.
758	Ionopsisidium acaule ...	ha	½	violet	Ap to Oc	3	} Charming little plant for rockwork.
759	Ipomœa coccinea ...	hhp	cl.	scarlet	Jy & Au	3	
760	" hederacea superba ...	hha	"	blue & white	Jy to Oc	4	} Beautiful climbers for the greenhouse, verandahs, trellises, &c.
761	" Leari ...	gp	"	violet & white	Ju to Sp	6	
762	" rubro-cœrulea ...	"	"	blue and red	Au to Oc	6	
763	Ipomopsis elegans ...	hhp	5	scarlet	Au & Sp	3	} Splendid for beds or borders.
764	Isotoma axilaris ...	"	1	blue	Jy to Sp	3	
765	Jacobœa, double, crimson ...	hha	"	crimson	"	3	} Useful varieties for bedding out, to cut for bouquets, &c.
766	" rose ...	"	"	rose	"	3	
767	" white ...	"	"	white	"	3	
768	Kalanchoe carnea ...	gp	2	pink	Ja to Mr	1 6	Charming greenhouse plant.
769	Kaulfussia amelloides ...	ha	½	light blue	Jy & Au	3	} Pretty little Aster-like plants of dwarf habit.
770	" rosea ...	"	"	rose	"	3	
771	" atroviolacea ...	"	"	dark purple	"	3	
772	" kermesina ...	"	"	crimson	"	6	} Choice bedding or pot plants.
773	*Lantana, choice mixed ...	hhp	1	various	My to Oc	6	
774	Larkspur, dwarf rocket, double ...	ha	"	"	Jy & Au	3	} Fine double-flowered varieties of various beautiful colours.
775	" candelabra-formed ...	"	"	"	"	4	
776	" Emperor, choice mixed double ...	"	1½	"	"	6	
777	" Stock-flowered ...	"	"	rosy scarlet	"	1 0	
778	" Tall branching ...	"	3	various	"	3	
779	Lapageria rosea ...	gp	cl.	rose	Ju to Oc	2 6	Beautiful stove or greenhouse climber.
780	Lavatera arborea variegata ...	hhp	6-8	purple	Jy to Sp	1 0	Beautifully variegated foliage.
781	" red ...	ha	3	red	Jy & Au	3	} Showy hardy annuals.
782	" white ...	"	"	white	"	3	
783	Lavender, common garden ...	hp	"	lavender	"	3	<i>Lavandula spica</i> . Well known.
784	Layia elegans ...	ha	1	yell. & white	"	6	Pretty yellow flowers edged with white.
785	Leptosiphon aureus ...	"	½	golden yellow	Jy to Oc	3	} Handsome showy annuals. <i>L. densiflorus albus</i> is one of the purest white flowers in cultivation. <i>L. roseus</i> and <i>carmineus</i> are lovely little compact-growing varieties of beautiful colours.
786	" carmineus ...	"	"	carmine	"	6	
787	" densiflorus ...	"	1	lilac & white	"	3	
788	" albus ...	"	"	pure white	"	3	
789	" roseus ...	"	½	rose	"	4	
790	French hybrids, mixed ...	"	"	various	"	3	} Very useful for cutting
791	Leptosyne maritima ...	"	3	yellow	Jy to Sp	6	
	Lily of the Valley (<i>see Convallaria</i>).						
792	Limnanthes Douglasi ...	"	¾	white & yel.	My to Sp	3	Pretty dwarf annual.
793	Linaria reticulata aurea purpurea ...	"	¾	yel. & maroon	Jy to Sp	6	Pretty hardy annual.
794	Linum grandiflorum rubrum ...	hha	1	erim. scarlet	Ju to Oc	3	Very brilliant and showy.
795	" flavum ...	bp	"	yellow	"	4	Useful perennial for borders or pets.
796	Lisianthus Russellianus ...	ga	"	blue	Ju to Au	1 0	Beautiful greenhouse annual
	Lobelias, <i>see page 74</i> .						
797	Lophospermum scandens ...	hhp	cl.	blush	"	4	Very useful climber.
798	Lupinus albo-coccineus ...	ha	2	scar. & white	Ju to Oc	3	} These handsome and easily cultivated annuals certainly deserve their high popularity. <i>L. subcarneus</i> is a strikingly handsome variety that continues in bloom for a long time. <i>L. sulphureus superbus</i> and <i>albicoccineus</i> are beautiful.
799	" " nanus ...	"	1	"	"	6	
800	" Cruikshanki ...	"	3-5	bl. wh. & yell.	"	3	
801	" hybridus superbus ...	"	2	pur. ro. & wh.	"	3	
802	" subcarneus ...	"	1	dk. bl. & wh.	"	3	
803	" sulphureus superbus ...	"	1½	sul. yellow	Ju to Sp	3	
804	" nanus ...	"	1	blue & white	"	3	
805	" albus ...	"	"	white	"	3	
806	" polyphyllus ...	hp	4	blue	Ju to Au	3	} Useful perennials for shrubby borders, &c.
807	" albus ...	"	"	white	"	3	

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808	Love-lies-bleeding, red	ha	2	erimson	Jy & Au	3	} Showy border annuals.
809	" " white	"	"	pale yellow	"	3	
810	Lupine, large blue	"	"	blue	Jy to Sp	3	
811	" " yellow	"	1½	yellow	"	3	
812	" " rose	"	2	roso	"	3	
813	" " white	"	"	white	"	3	} Snitable for mixed borders in front of shrnbs, &c.
814	Lychnis Haageana	hp	1	"	Ju & Jy	3	
815	" fulgens	"	"	brill. scarlet	"	3	
816	Malva moschata alba	"	"	white	Jy to Sp	6	
817	Malope grandiflora	ha	3	erimson	"	3	
818	" " alba	"	"	white	"	3	} Brilliant aud showy annuals of easy cultivation.
819	" " rosea	"	"	rose	"	3	
Marigolds, see page 72.							
820	*Marvel of Peru. Choicest mixed	hhr	2-3	various	Ju to Au	3	Well-known usefnl perennials.
821	Martynia fragrans	hha	2	str. erimson	"	3	Large-flowered handsome annual.
822	Mathiola bicornis	"	1	lilac	Ju to Sp	4	Night-scented Stock. Fragrant.
823	Matricaria eximia crispa fl. pl.	hp	2	white	Jy to Oc	6	Double-flowered Feverfew. Pretty.
824	Maurandya Barclayana grandiflora	hha	el.	blue	My to Sp	6	} Fine and usefnl climbers.
825	" " alba	"	"	white	"	6	
826	Mesembryanthemum tricolor	"	½	er. wh. & pur.	Ju to Sp	3	} Excellent for sunny rockwork, pretty Daisy-like flowers.
827	" cordifolium variegatum	hhr	"	rosy purple	"	1 0	
Mimulus, see page 74.							
828	Mignonette, Miles' hybrid spiral	ha	1½	pale buff	Jy to Sp	6	} Superb varieties of comparatively recent introduction. Parsons' white and Victoria Giant Red throw up noble spikes of deliciously fragrant bloom. The new "Machet" is also an exceedingly fine variety.
829	" Parsons' white	"	1	"	"	6	
830	" dwarf compact	"	½	reddish buff	"	6	
831	" Machet	"	¾	pale buff	"	6	
832	" Golden Queen	"	1	pale yellow	"	6	
833	" Victoria Giant Red	"	2	red buff	"	6	
834	" common sweet-scented	"	1	buff	"	6	
835	Mina lobata	hha	12	orange scarlet	Jy to Oc	1 6	
836	Musk Plant	hp	½	yellow	Ju to Sp	4	
837	Myosotis alpestris grandiflora	"	½	sky bl. yel. eye	"	1 0	
838	" azorica	"	1	dark blue	"	1 0	
839	" " alba	"	"	white	"	1 0	
840	" " disitiflora	"	½	sky blue	Mr to Ju	1 0	
841	" " alba	"	"	white	"	1 0	
842	" " palustris (the true Forget-me-not)	"	1	blne	Jn to Sp	6	
843	Nasturtium, Tom Thumb, King	ha	¾	rich scarlet	Jy to Sp	4	} A brilliant and invaluable class of annuals very easy of cultivation. King of Tom Thumbs and Empress of India are the most brilliant of all. Among the others we may mention Goldeu King, cerulea rosea, and Ruby King as being particularly fine. Will thrive in almost any soil, but should have a sunny, rather dry situation, to bloom them to perfectiou.
844	" " Empress of India	"	"	deep scarlet	"	6	
845	" " dark crimson	"	"	dark erimson	"	3	
846	" " scarlet	"	"	scarlet	"	3	
847	" " Lady-bird	"	"	sptd. yel. & rd.	"	6	
848	" " cerulea rosea	"	"	blnish rose	"	3	
849	" " Golden King	"	"	golden yellow	"	6	
850	" " King Theodore	"	"	maroon	"	3	
851	" " Ruby King	"	"	purplish red	"	6	
852	" " Crystal Palace Gem	"	"	sulph. & mar.	"	3	
853	" " Pearl	"	"	cr. white	"	3	
854	" " yellow	"	"	yellow	"	3	
855	" " mixed	"	"	varions	"	3	
856	" " H. M. Stanley	"	"	rich bronze	"	6	
" climbing (see Tropaeolum).							
857	Nemesia versicolor	"	½	blue & white	Ju to Au	3	Useful for rockwork, pots, &c.
858	Nerium Oleander	gs	6	rose	Ju to Sp	6	Valuable greenhouse shrub.
859	Nertera depressa	hp	¼	white	Ju to Au	1 0	Bears bright coral red berries.
860	Nemophila atomaria atro-cerulea	ha	spr.	deep blue	My to Sp	6	} Extremely pretty early flowering annuals, useful for beds or borders, pots in the greenhouse, &c. N. insignis is fine for Spring gardening.
861	" " insignis	"	"	blue & white	"	3	
862	" " alba	"	"	white	"	3	
863	" " maculata grandiflora	"	"	white & violet	"	3	
864	Nicotiana affinis	hha	3	white	"	6	
865	" " colossea	"	8	pink	"	1 0	
866	" " macrophylla gigantea	"	6-8	"	"	4	
867	" " Virginica	"	5-6	"	"	3	
868	Nierembergia gracilis	hhr	½	white & lilac	Ju to Sp	6	Useful for elumps, edgings, &c.
869	Nigella damascena	ha	1	pale blue	"	3	Love-in-a-mist. Curious.
870	Nolana atriplicifolia	"	spr.	blue & white	Jy to Sp	3	} Pretty trailers, similar to Convolvulus minor.
871	" " alba	"	"	white	"	3	
872	Nyctarine selaginoides	hha	"	white & pink	"	3	Excellent for rockeries, &c.
873	*Obeliscaria pulcherrima	hp	2	erim. & yellow	Jy to Oc	3	Curious hardy perennial.
874	☐ Enothera acaulis	"	½	white	Ju to Au	6	} A free-flowering class of plants useful for mixed beds, borders, &c. (E. Lamarekiana is more snitable for shrubby borders.
875	" " bistorta Veitchii	ha	1	yel. erim. spot	Jy to Sp	3	
876	" " Lamarekiana	hp	3	yellow	Ju to An	3	
877	" " macrocarpa (Missouriensis)	"	spr.	"	Jn & Jy	4	

From Mr. HENRY ASHCROFT, Newburgh.

From Mr. CHARLES H. DANCER, Manitoba, Canada.

"I took the following Prizes with flowers grown from your Seeds—
First Prize for Asters at Newburgh.
First, Second, and Third with Asters at Upholland.
First Prize with African Marigolds at Upholland."

"At a Flower Show held here last year Mrs. Dancer took six First Prizes for flowers grown from your Seeds, and many of them were muchadmired. Nothing like the Double Fringed Petunias, which had been grown in the open-air, had ever been seen here before."

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878	<i>Oxalis rosea</i>	hha	$\frac{3}{4}$	rose	Ap to Jy	6	Useful plants for rockwork, edgings, hanging-baskets, pots, &c.
879	" " <i>alba</i>	hp	"	white	Ju " Oe	6	
880	" " <i>Valdiviana</i>	hp	"	yellow	Ju " Oe	6	
881	" " <i>tropaeoloides</i>	gbb	"	"	"	6	Showy hardy annual. Showy herbaceous plants.
882	<i>Oxyra chrysanthemoides</i>	ha	1	yel. & white	Ju " Au	3	
883	<i>Pæony</i> , Herbaceous, choicest double Pansy, see page 73.	hp	2	various	Ju & Jy	1 0	Valuable hardy climber for walls, &c.
884	<i>Passiflora cærulea</i> Pelargonium, see page 72. Pentstemon, see page 72.	"	el.	blue	Ju to Oe	6	
885	<i>Perilla Nankinensis</i> Petunias, see page 76.	hha	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	dark purple	Ju to Au	3	Valuable dark-foliaged bedding plant.
886	<i>Phacelia campanularia</i> Phloxes, see page 77. Pink, see pages 68, 70. Polyanthuses, see page 78.	ha	1	rich blue	Jy & Au	6	Superb new annual from California.
887	<i>Portulaca grandiflora alba fl. pl.</i>	hha	$\frac{1}{2}$	pure white	Ju to Sp	6	These constitute the most brilliant class of half-hardy annuals in cultivation. The plants are of a spreading habit of growth, only reach a height of from four to six inches, and are splendid for sunny rockwork, warm dry borders, pots in the greenhouse, &c. The seed has been carefully saved, and will produce a large percentage of fine double flowers, of strikingly handsome colours.
888	" " <i>aurea fl. pl.</i>	"	"	golden yellow	"	6	
889	" " <i>rosea fl. pl.</i>	"	"	bright rose	"	6	
890	" " <i>splendens fl. pl.</i>	"	"	brill. crimson	"	6	
891	" " <i>Thellusoni fl. pl.</i>	"	"	erimson	"	6	
892	" " choicest mixed double smaller pkt.	"	"	various	"	1 0	
893	" " " " " " " "	"	"	"	"	6	
894	" " an assortment of 8 beautiful vars., one packet of each	"	"	"	"	1 6	
895	" " single-flowered, choicest mixed	"	"	"	"	6	
896	<i>Potentilla</i> , choice mixed, double	hp	2	"	Ju to Au	6		Showy herbaceous perennials. Useful for large borders, &c.
897	<i>Prince's Feather</i> , giant Primrose and Primulas, see pages 75, 78.	ha	3	erimson	Jy & Au	3	
898	<i>Pyrethrum parthenifol. aureum</i>	hp	$\frac{1}{2}$	wh., yel. fol.	Jy to Sp	4	<i>Golden Feather</i> . Valuable bedding plant
899	" " <i>laciniatum</i>	"	"	"	"	6	A fine variety of compact growth.
900	" " <i>selaginoides</i>	"	"	"	"	6	A fine acquisition.
901	" " <i>hybridum fl. pl.</i> , mixed Rhodanthe, see page 90.	"	2	various	"	1 0	New and highly improved class.
902	<i>Ricinus Borboniensis arboreus</i>	hha	12	green fol.	Ju to Sp	4	Stately plants with large handsome foliage, excellent for sub-tropical gardening. <i>R. Borboniensis arboreus</i> attains gigantic dimensions.
903	" " <i>major sanguineus</i>	"	6-8	pale red fol.	"	3	
904	" " <i>communis major</i>	"	"	green fol.	"	3	
905	" " <i>Gibsoni</i>	"	"	red fol.	"	6	Useful herbaceous perennials, very fragrant.
906	<i>Rocket</i> , Sweet, purple	hp	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	purple	Ju to Au	3	
907	" " white	"	"	white	"	3	Handsome plant for the greenhouse. Beautiful large-flowered annuals.
908	<i>Rivinia humilis</i>	gp	2	"	"	6	
909	<i>Salpiglossis grandiflora</i> , fine mixed	hha	"	various	Jy to Sp	6	Free-flowering handsome perennials for borders, &c. <i>S. argentea</i> has beautiful silvery foliage, quite covering the ground.
910	<i>Salvia splendens</i>	hhp	3	scarlet	Ju to Oe	6	
911	" " <i>patens</i>	"	"	rich blue	"	1 0	Useful hardy annual.
912	" " <i>coccinea</i>	"	"	scarlet	Jy to Sp	4	
913	" " <i>argentea</i>	"	"	silver fol.	"	4	Useful hardy annual.
914	<i>Sanvitalia procumbens fl. pl.</i>	ha	spr.	yellow	Jy & Au	3	
915	<i>Saponaria Calabrica rosea</i>	"	$\frac{3}{4}$	bright rose	Ju to Oe	3	Pretty and useful annuals for beds or borders. <i>S. multiflora compacta</i> and <i>alba</i> are charming new varieties of a fine dwarf habit of growth.
916	" " <i>alba</i>	"	"	white	"	3	
917	" " "Scarlet Queen"	"	"	scarlet	"	6	
918	" " <i>multiflora compacta</i>	"	$\frac{1}{2}$	pink	"	6	
919	" " " <i>alba</i>	"	"	white	"	6	
920	" " <i>ocymoides</i>	hp	spr.	pink	Jy & Au	3	Showy hardy perennial.
921	<i>Scabiosa atropurpurea major fl. pl.</i>	hb	3	various	Jy to Sp	3	Fine showy border plants. Excellent for cut flowers.
922	" " <i>Snowball</i> (new)	"	"	pure white	"	6	
923	" " <i>caucasica</i>	hp	3	lilac blue	Jy to Oe	1 0	Superb hardy perennial.
924	<i>Schizanthus pinnatus</i>	hha	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	pk. wh. & blk.	Ju to Au	3	Elegant-growing half-hardy annuals, excellent for mixed beds or borders or for pots in the greenhouse in Spring.
925	" " <i>papilionaceus</i>	"	"	erim.&yel.spt	"	6	
926	" " <i>retusus</i>	"	2	erim. yellow	"	3	Beautifully fragrant annual. Useful half-hardy plant.
927	" " <i>albus</i>	"	"	white	"	3	
928	<i>Schizopetalon Walkeri</i>	"	1	"	My to Au	4	Useful half-hardy annual.
929	<i>Scyphanthus elegans</i>	"	6	yellow	Jy & Au	4	
930	<i>Sedum azureum</i>	"	$\frac{1}{4}$	sky blue	"	3	<i>Stone-crop</i> . Elegant little plant.
931	Sensitive Plant	ta	2	pale pink	Jy to Sp	6	<i>Mimosa pudica</i> . Ornamental for pots.
932	<i>Silene armeria rubra</i>	ha	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	bright red	Ju to Sp	3	Bright profuse-flowering annuals. <i>S. pendula</i> and varieties are admirably suited for Spring gardening, and form a charming contrast with blue Nemophila, &c.
933	" " <i>alba</i>	"	"	white	"	3	
934	" " <i>pendula ruberrima</i>	"	1	rosy earmine	My to Sp	3	
935	" " <i>alba</i>	"	"	white	"	3	
936	" " <i>compacta</i>	"	$\frac{1}{2}$	rosy earmine	"	3	
937	" " <i>new double</i>	"	1	rosy pink	"	4	

From Mr. T. DEVONALD, Bangor, North Wales.

Sept. 9th.
"Having recently joined the Liverpool Branch of the National Amateur Gardeners' Association, I have pleasure in informing you that I gained the Prize for the best twelve cut blooms of *Asters* grown from your Seed."

From Mr. W. H. HOWE, Wallingford.

Mar. 17th.
"The *Pæony*-flowered *Aster* Seed you sent me was the best I ever had, several having as many as fifty-four blooms on one single plant, not one less than a crown piece, many others being from 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 6 inches across."

From W. MINIFIE, Esq., Sidmouth, Devon.

Feb. 20th.
"I have now about one hundred pots of splendid varieties of *Primulas* in full bloom, grown from a packet of your Seed. The size and colour of the flowers are quite equal to those in your *Illustrated Guide*."

From Mrs. E. BENTLEY, Broadford, County Clare.

Feb. 11th.
"The *Blotched Pansy* Seed I had from you last year, I am pleased to say produced some splendid plants, with an abundance of very fine flowers which were admired by all who saw them."

SWEET PEAS—(Lathyrus odoratus).

THESE well-known beautiful hardy annual climbers are exceedingly useful for covering trellises, wire fences, &c. The brilliantly coloured and charmingly tinted flowers are deliciously scented, and when cut and placed in water will retain their beauty for several days.

The superb new varieties raised by Mr. Eckford are particularly worthy of cultivation, being very superior to and distinct from the older sorts, the flowers being larger and the colours more brilliant and varied. These are splendid for cut flowers, and where space is limited, should certainly be grown in preference to the older varieties.

Sow from February to June in the open air, covering the seeds about an inch deep, and support with sticks as soon as the plants begin to run up, or sow in pots or boxes under glass, and plant out in April or May where intended to flower. For early flowering sow in November in a sheltered position. The plants will keep in bloom a much longer time if the pods are picked off so as not to allow them to ripen seed.



NEW VARIETIES

RAISED BY MR. ECKFORD.

		per pkt.	s.	d.		per pkt.—s.	d.		
938	Countess of Radnor. Pale mauve standards with a deeper shading of mauve, wings pale lilac or delicate mauve, most chaste and lovely variety. First Class Certificate, R.H.S.	...	1	0	950	Splendour. Rich, bright, pinkish rose, shaded with crimson. Flowers large and of the finest form; a most superb and distinct variety	...	1	0
939	Dorothy Tennant. Puce violet or rose mauve self, very distinct and beautiful. First Class Certificate, R.H.S.	...	1	0	951	Waverley. Rosy claret shaded standards, pale blue wings shaded with rose; very distinct	...	1	0
940	Her Majesty. A beautiful soft rosy pink self, very large, showy, handsome flowers; very grand in appearance	...	1	0	952	Apple-blossom. Rose and white, pretty	...	0	6
941	Ignea. Fiery crimson scarlet standards, wings pale scarlet flushed with purple; very bright and effective	...	1	0	953	Boreatton. Fine deep maroon self	...	0	6
942	Lemon Queen. Delicate pink standards, tinted with lemon, with blnsh almost white wings; very beautiful	...	1	0	954	Cardinal. Shining crimson scarlet	...	0	6
943	Mrs. Eckford. Large, handsome, self-coloured flowers of the finest substance; colour, a peculiarly delicate, shaded primrose, a most exquisite variety, and a decided acquisition. First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society	...	1	6	955	Imperial Blue. Blue shaded mauve, very distinct	...	0	6
944	Mrs. Gladstone. Delicate pink standards, the wings blush edged with delicate pink; a singularly pretty and pleasing variety. First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society	...	1	0	956	Indigo King. Standards dark maroon purple, wings clear indigo blue	...	0	6
945	Miss Hunt. Pale carmine salmon, standards with soft pink wings; very pretty indeed	...	1	0	957	Isa Eckford. Creamy white, suffused with rosy pink. First Class Certificate, R.H.S.	...	1	0
946	Mrs. Sankey. Pure white, a large, bold flower; a fine improvement on all other whites; very grand; First Class Certificate, R.H.S.	...	1	0	958	Orange Prince. Bright orange pink, flushed with scarlet; distinct and beautiful. First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society	...	1	0
947	Primrose. A near approach to a yellow Sweet Pea. The standards and wings pale primrose yellow, quite novel and distinct in colour. First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society	...	1	0	959	The Queen. Rosy pink, shaded with mauve	...	1	0
948	Purple Prince. Maroon standards, shaded with bronzo and purple-blue wings; very fine & distinct	...	1	0	960	Eckford's varieties. Choicest mixed	6d. &	1	0
949	Senator. A large, bold flower, finely expanded standards, creamy ground, shaded and striped with chocolate; a lovely variety. First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society	...	1	0					

SWEET PEAS.

ECKFORD'S VARIETIES IN COLLECTIONS.

The sorts given in these collections are carefully selected to ensure the best possible variety. Grown separately in this way, Sweet Peas are highly interesting.

961	18 Choice Varieties, 25 seeds each	...	4s.	6d.
962	12 " " 25 " "	...	3s.	0d.
963	6 " " 25 " "	...	1s.	6d.

SWEET PEAS—Ordinary Class.

		per pkt.—s.	d.	
964	An assortment of 12 Choice Varieties	...	2	0
965	Butterfly. Blue and White, very pretty	...	0	6
966	Invincible Scarlet. Brilliant scarlet	...	0	3
967	White. Very useful	...	0	3
968	Painted Lady. Rose and white	...	0	3
969	Black or Purple. Dark purple	...	0	3
970	Striped. Scarlet striped	...	0	3
971	Mixed. In beautiful variety, per pint	3s.,		
	per oz. 4d.	...	9	3

EVERLASTING PEAS—(Lathyrus latifolius).

Fine showy hardy perennial climbers of rapid growth. Exceedingly useful for covering trellises, &c., and for cut flowers.

972	Rose. Bright rose, very showy	...	per pkt.	6d.		973	White. Very useful for cutting	...	per pkt.	1s.
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POPPIES—(Papaver).

A brilliant and charmingly effective group of plants, all annuals with the exception of the *Nudicaule* varieties and *P. orientale*; splendid for garden or shrubbery decoration during Summer and Autumn. The Shirley and *Nudicaule* varieties are especially valuable as cut flowers, and if cut and placed in water as the flowers are just opening, they will remain in full beauty for a long time.



POPPY—NEW SHIRLEY.

		per pkt.—s.	d.
979	Pæony-flowered, double. Scarlet ...	0	3
980	” ” ” Pure white ...	0	3
981	” ” ” Choicest mixed ...	0	3
982	Carnation-flowered, double. Choicest mixed ...	0	3
983	Dwarf Ranunculus-flowered, double. Choicest mixed ...	0	3
984	Danebrog. Brilliant scarlet blotched with silvery white ...	0	6
985	Mikado. Double; white flowers fringed with crimson; very pretty ...	0	6
986	Lœvigatum. Brilliant dark scarlet, with black spots; very effective ...	0	6

		per pkt.—s.	d.
974	POPPY—NEW SHIRLEY (see illustration). This beautiful strain of Hardy Annual Poppy is perfectly hardy, and flowers profusely the first season from seed. The flowers are large, exceedingly graceful and elegant; the colours are pure, soft, and varied, and range from blush-white, rose, delicate pink, and carmine through innumerable tints to bright sparkling crimson; the petals have a glossy, satin-like, wavy surface of exquisite softness, which makes the flowers literally ripple with colour under the slightest movement ...	1	0
975	” ” ” smaller pkt. ...	0	6
976	POPPY—SNOWDRIFT. A valuable and beautiful variety from the United States. The plants grow only about two feet high, and the large, pure white, delicately fringed flowers may be best compared to Japanese Chrysanthemums. This is a very showy plant for the garden, whilst the flowers are first-class for cutting ...	0	6
977	TULIP POPPY (<i>Papaver glaucum</i>). New and splendid annual from Armenia. The plant rises to a height of from 12 to 14 inches, and produces well above the bluish-green foliage fifty or sixty large and splendid flowers of the most vivid scarlet imaginable. The two outer petals of the flower bear a similarity to a saucer, in which are set two erect petals of the same colour, forming a pouch-like receptacle, enclosing and seemingly protecting the anthers. It commences blooming early in June, and flowers abundantly and in uninterrupted succession for a period of six or eight weeks. Sown where the plants are to bloom, the minute seeds lie several weeks before germinating; sown on a hot-bed it comes up in about eight days ...	1	6
978	CARDINAL POPPY (<i>Papaver somniferum nanum fl. pl.</i>). This fine novelty, in the dwarf robust and compact habit of its growth, differs entirely from all other Poppies. The plant attains a height of about 18 inches, is furnished with deeply-cut dark green foliage, and throws up ten or twelve enormous and very double flowers, colour a glowing scarlet on a white ground. This brilliant and effective annual it is predicted, will, on account of its extreme showiness, soon be in great request ...	1	0

		per pkt.—s.	d.
987	Pavonium (<i>The Peacock Poppy</i>). Scarlet and black; very showy ...	0	6
988	Umbrosum. Height 18 inches; glowing vermilion with black spots ...	0	6
989	Bracteatum nanum splendens. Brilliant scarlet; dwarf Perennial Poppy ...	0	6
990	Nudicaule. Bright yellow ...	0	6
991	” album. White ...	0	6
992	” miniatum. Bright orange ...	0	6
993	” Choicest mixed ...	0	6
994	Orientele. Rich scarlet; a fine hardy perennial; two feet ...	0	6

UNSOLICITED TESTIMONIALS.

From Mr. JAMES A. BENT, Gardener to His Grace THE DUKE OF HAMILTON.
Oct. 10th.
"I can say your Dwarf Perfection Aster is true to its name. It is very dwarf, the flowers are good, and the colours are very bright."

From Mr. W. BELL, Hindleston Road, Tufnell Park.
Aug. 10th.
"Having seen your advertisement in the *Christian Million*, I sent you an order for Flower Seeds, and am pleased to say they turned out wonderfully well."

From Mr. G. TAYLOR, Rainsbottom, Bury.
Feb. 29th.
"The Stocks I had from you last year were something splendid. I took the First Prize at our Summer Show with three plants against lots of Exhibitors. The Scarlet-flowered plant had eighteen spikes, the white seventeen spikes, and the yellow fifteen spikes, all in bloom. The three plants made a finer show than all the others put together."

From Miss CAMPBELL, Macosquin, Coleraue.
July 29th.
"The Seeds I received from you last year produced splendid flowers, also the *Roses, Lily of the Valley*, &c., gave me the most entire satisfaction, and were the admiration of all who saw them."

From Mr. R. W. BRETT, Hertford.
Oct. 1st.
"I must let you know the *Chrysanthemum* Seed you sent me has turned out very well indeed. I have one in bloom very similar to s. Morley, a beautifully-formed flower, the other sixty plants I have promise to be good."

From Mr. W. TREGUNNA, Redruth, Cornwall
Aug. 12th.
"The collection of twelve varieties of Pansy Seed you sent me have turned out some splendid flowers. They have been much admired by a great many people who saw them."

Flower Seeds, General List (continued).

No.	Name.	Hard Dur.	Ht in feet.	Colour.	Months of Flowering	Per Pkt.	Observations.
995	<i>Solanum melongena purpurea</i>	...	ta	1½ purple-fruited	Ju to Sp	s. d. 4	} <i>Egg Plants</i> . Excellent for garnishing purposes.
996	" " <i>alba</i>	...	"	" white-fruited	"	4	
997	" <i>finest hybrids, mixed</i>	...	hhp	" orn. fruit	Jy to No	6	
998	" <i>hematocarpum</i>	...	hha	3 ornament. fol.	Jy & Au	6	
999	" <i>Warscewiczii</i>	...	"	6 "	"	6	
1000	<i>Sphænogyne speciosa aurea</i>	...	ha	1 golden yellow	Jy to Sp	3	} Showy hardy annual.
1001	<i>Spraguea umbellata</i>	...	hha	½ flesh	Jy to Oc	6	
1002	<i>Stellaria graminea aurea</i>	...	"	spr. white	My to Oc	1 0	} <i>Golden Chickweed</i> . Bright yellow foliage, useful for carpet bedding.
1003	<i>Streptocarpus, new hybrids</i>	...	gp	½ various	Jy to Oc	1 6	
1004	Sultan, Sweet, purple	...	ha	1 purple	Jy & Au	3	} Useful sweet-scented border annuals.
1005	" " white	...	"	" white	"	3	
1006	" " yellow	...	"	1½ yellow	"	3	
1007	Sunflower, large double	...	"	5-6 rich orange	Jy to Oc	4	} Fine decorative plants for the garden. The large double has immense double blooms of a rich orange yellow. Prinroso Dame is a single-flowered variety with delicate primrose flowers, and is very distinct. The Miniatur is a charming small-flowered single, useful for cutting.
1008	" " single	...	"	" golden yellow	"	3	
1009	" " Miniature	...	"	" 3-4 deep yellow	"	6	
1010	" " Primrose Dame	...	"	" 5-6 delicate primrs	"	6	
1011	" " Giant Yellow, single	...	"	" 6-8 rich yellow	"	3	
1012	" " Dwarf, double	...	"	" 3-4 deep yellow	"	4	
1013	Tacsonia insignis	...	gp	cl. bril. crimson	Au to Oc	1 0	} Superb greenhouse evergreen climbers, very brilliant.
1014	" " Van Volkemi	...	"	" dark crimson	"	1 0	
1015	Thunbergia, finest mixed	...	ga	" various	Ju to Sp	4	} Beautiful little plants for pots, &c.
1016	Torenia Fournieri	...	"	1 pur. & yellow	My to Oc	6	
1017	Tritoma uvaria grandiflora	...	hp	4 scar. & orange	Au to Oc	4	} Handsome for large borders, &c.
1018	Tropæolum canariense	...	hha	cl. yellow	Jy to Oc	4	
1019	" " Lobbianum, brilliant	...	"	" bril. scarlet	"	4	} Splendid and brilliant climbers or trailers for trolises, rockeries, large hanging-baskets, vases, &c. Should be grown in rather poor soil to induce the fullest development of bloom. The Lobbianum varieties are very handsome.
1020	" " Lucifer	...	"	" intense scarlet	"	6	
1021	" " Schultzi	...	"	" rich scarlet	"	4	
1022	" " Queen Victoria	...	"	" striped	"	6	
1023	" " majus atrosanguineum	...	ha	" dark red	"	3	
1024	" " Scheuermanni	...	"	" yellow & red	"	3	
1025	" " aurantiacum	...	"	" orange	"	3	
1026	" " mixed	...	"	" various	"	3	
1027	Venus' Looking-glass, blue	...	"	1 blue	Jy & Au	3	} Useful hardy annuals for beds, borders, rockwork, &c.
1028	" " white	...	"	" white	"	3	
1029	" " Navelwort	...	"	" "	"	3	
1030	Verbena, lemon-scented	...	gp	3-5 blush	Ju to Sp	1 0	} <i>Aloysia citriodora</i> . Beautifully fragrant plant for greenhouse or window. Valuable border-plant.
1031	" " venosa	...	hp	spr. purple	My to Sp	6	
1032	*Veronica spicata	...	"	1½ blue	Jy to Sp	3	} Elegant herbaceous plant.
1033	Violet, Sweet-scented, The Czar	...	"	½ purple	Oc to Ap	6	
1034	" " white	...	"	" white	"	6	
1035	" " common	...	"	" blue	"	4	
1036	Vinca rosea	...	gs	3-4 rose	Ju to Sp	6	} Useful plants for the greenhouse.
1037	" " alba	...	"	" white	"	6	
1038	Viscaria cardinalis	...	ha	1 bril. crimson	Au to Oc	3	} Brilliant, profuse-flowering annuals, very easy of cultivation, and should be in every garden.
1039	" " elegans picta	...	"	" rose & crimson	"	3	
1040	" " alba pura	...	"	" pure white	"	4	
1041	" " New Dwarf, blue	...	"	½ blue	Jy to Oc	6	
1042	" " bright rose	...	"	" rose	"	6	} Splendidly effective and charming varieties.
1043	" " pure white	...	"	" white	"	6	
1044	Virginian Stock, red	...	"	1 red	My to Au	3	} Early flowering annuals, useful for beds or borders; if neatly clipped will form a pretty and compact edging. The new Crimson King is very fine.
1045	" " white	...	"	" white	"	3	
1046	" " yellow	...	"	" pale yellow	"	3	
1047	" " Crimson King	...	"	" crimson	"	4	
1048	" " mixed	...	"	" various	"	3	
1049	Whitlavia grandiflora	...	hha	1½ dark blue	Ju to Sp	3	} Pretty border annual. Splendid for sub-tropical garden.
1050	Wigandia caracasana	...	hhs	10 lilac	Jy to Sp	1 0	
1051	Winter Cherry	...	hp	2 red fruit	—	3	} <i>Physalis alkakengi</i> . Very useful for Winter decoration.
1052	Xeranthemum (see Everlasting Flowers).	...	"	" "	"	"	
1052	Zinnia linearis	...	hha	1 yellow	Jy to Sp	6	} Pretty Mexican species.
	Zinnia, see page 79.	...	"	" "	"	"	

From Mr. J. KERLEY, Moordown, Bournemouth.

Oct. 12th. "Your Seeds again this year have turned out very satisfactory, more especially the *Asters* and *Stocks*. All the Garden and Tennis Parties that have been here this season have admired them very much, many enquiring where I got my seeds from. I told them I always found your Seeds very good, both Flower and Vegetable."

From Miss MACKENZIE, Cardarvan.

Mar. 4th. "I have pleasure in enclosing my usual order for Flower Seeds, those sent me last year gave great satisfaction."

From A. SOMERVILLE, Esq., Seoraphu i, Bengal.

Aug. 28th. "I am glad to say that the *Balsams* and *Zinnias* I received from you last year turned out the best I ever saw out here. They were greatly admired by every one who saw them."

From Mr. M. UNDERWOOD, The Gardens, Easington.

Mar. 4 h. "Our Seeds have all germinated well, especially the *Gloxinas*; the *Fruit Trees* of last year are bearing abundantly."

EVERLASTING FLOWERS FOR WINTER BOUQUETS

THE popularity of Everlasting Flowers has been wonderfully on the increase during the past few years, and not without reason, for their culture is very easy and simple, and their flowers, if carefully gathered, dried, and preserved, will retain their beauty for years. Their bright and pleasing colours will be found of great service in the decoration of the Church or the home, in Winter, when other flowers are scarce. Many of the light varieties may be dyed of various brilliant colours; and, made up into bouquets with some of the Ornamental Grasses, are truly charming. Everlasting Flowers for preserving should be cut just as the blossoms are beginning



GROUP OF HELICHRYSUMS.

to expand, or when they are not more than half open, and tied in bunches and hung up in a cool place to dry, with the flowers downwards. Small bunches are preferable for drying, as large bunches are apt to mould and spoil.

The Helichrysums are perhaps the most useful, and produce a great variety of brilliant and beautiful colours. *Rhodanthe maculata* and *Rhodanthe maculata alba* are two charming and elegant varieties of fine dwarf habit. *Rhodanthe maculata fl. pl.* is a fine new double-flowered variety of great merit. The *Acroclinium*s and *Xeranthemum*s are also exceedingly useful, both for garden decoration or dried flowers.

From Mr. J. RICHARDSON, Knowsley Village Feb. 22nd.

"Your Flower Seeds last year produced excellent results. I had a grand show, indeed, I cannot speak too highly of their excellence."

From Mr. C. H. DANCER, Portage la Prairie, Feb. 1st.

"We had great success with your Flower Seeds again last year, taking nine First Prizes at our Local Shows."

From Mr. T. PAIN, Old Brompton.

Feb. 1st. "I have grown your Seeds for years past, and successfully exhibited and taken many Prizes at several Local Shows as an Amateur."

From Mr. W. HODGE, Church End, Borton.

Jan. 27th. "The Flower Seeds I have received from you for the last three years have given the greatest satisfaction."

No.	Name.	Hard Dur.	Ht in feet.	Colour.	Months of Flowering	Per Pkt.	Observations.
1053	<i>Acroclinium roseum</i>	2	rose	Jy to Sp	s. d. 3	} Very useful and free flowering.
1054	" <i>roseum</i> , double	...	"	"	"	6	
1055	" <i>album</i> ...	...	"	white	"	3
1056	* <i>Ammobium alatum grandiflorum</i>	hp	"	"	My to Au	3	} <i>Winged Sandflower</i> . Pretty.
1057	* <i>Catananche bicolor</i> ...	...	"	white & blue	Jy to Oc	3
1058	" <i>cœrulea</i>	"	blue	"	3	} Useful <i>Everlastings</i> . <i>G. leontopodium</i> is a beautiful silvery white alpine variety of dwarf growth.
1059	<i>Gnaphalium fœtidum</i> ...	ha	1½	yellow	Jy to Sp	3	
1060	" <i>leontopodium (Edelweis)</i>	hp	½	white	"	6	
1061	" <i>orientale fl. pl.</i>	1½	yellow	"	6	} <i>Globe Amaranth</i> . Very pretty for the greenhouse during the Summer and Autumn.
1062	<i>Gomphrena globosa nana compac.</i>	ta	1	violet red	Ju to Sp	6	
1063	" " <i>alba</i> ...	...	"	white	"	6
1064	" " <i>choice mixed</i>	2	various	"	6	} A brilliant and splendid class of showy annuals that remain in bloom for a long period. Exceedingly useful to gather for vases, &c., for Winter decoration. The colours vary from dark crimson or purple to orange-scarlet and yellow, to pure white, and delicate rose, and are all very handsome (see illustration).
1065	<i>Helichrysum</i> , an assortment of 12 beautiful vars. 2s. 6d.	...	...	...	...	...
1066	" <i>scarlet</i> ...	ha	2½	scarlet	Jy to Oc	3	
1067	" <i>yellow</i> ...	...	"	yellow	"	3
1068	" <i>purple</i> ...	...	"	purple	"	3
1069	" <i>rose</i> ...	...	"	rose	"	3
1070	" <i>white</i> ...	...	"	white	"	3
1071	" <i>finest mixed</i> ...	...	"	various	"	3
1072	" <i>minimum album</i> ...	...	1½	white	"	4
1073	" " <i>luteum</i> ...	...	"	yellow	"	4
1074	" " <i>roseum</i> ...	...	"	rose	"	4
1075	" " <i>rubrum</i> ...	...	"	dark red	"	4
1076	" " <i>mixed</i> ...	...	"	various	"	6
1077	<i>Helipteryx anthemoides</i> ...	hha	1	yellow	"	3	} Beautiful dwarf-growing varieties.
1078	" <i>corymbifera</i> ...	...	"	white	"	3
1079	" <i>Sandfordi</i> ...	...	"	yellow	"	3
1080	<i>Rhodanthe atrosanguinea</i>	"	dark red	"	6	} A charming group. <i>R. maculata fl. pl.</i> is a fine new variety, with handsome rose-coloured double flowers, whilst <i>R. maculata alba</i> is probably the most beautiful of all white everlastings.
1081	" <i>maculata</i> ...	...	"	rose & crim.	"	4
1082	" " <i>alba</i> ...	...	"	silvery white	"	4
1083	" " <i>fl. pl.</i> ...	...	"	rose	"	1 0
1084	" " <i>mixed</i> ...	...	"	various	"	4
1085	" <i>Manglesi fl. pl.</i> ...	...	"	rose	"	1 0
1086	<i>Statice Bonduelli</i> ...	ha	1½	yellow	"	3	} Very useful and showy varieties.
1087	" <i>spicata</i> ...	...	1	pink	"	6
1088	" <i>candidissima</i> ...	...	1½	white	"	3
1089	" <i>Suworowi</i> ...	...	2	rose	"	6
1090	<i>Waitzia aurea grandiflora</i> ...	hha	1	orange	"	6	
1091	<i>Xeranthemum annuum superbis-simum fl. pl.</i> ...	ha	"	purple	"	6	} Compact-growing, pretty annual.
1092	" " <i>album fl. pl.</i> ...	...	"	white	"	6
1093	" <i>annuum purpureum</i> ...	...	"	purple	"	3
1094	" " <i>album</i> ...	...	"	white	"	3
1095	" " <i>roseum</i>	"	rose	"	3	} Very handsome and free-flowering everlastings. Excellent for garden decoration.

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Ornamental Grasses.



STIPA ELEGANTISSIMA.



AGROSTIS PULCHELLA.



PANICUM SULCATUM.

THE Ornamental Grasses form a very attractive and interesting class, their graceful and elegant forms and refreshing green colours giving a relief to the brilliancy of the more showy occupants of the flower garden. They can be gathered and dried in the same manner as Everlasting Flowers, and with the aid of dyes be made to assume many charming colours that will add greatly to their usefulness and attractiveness throughout the Winter season, and in combination with Everlasting Flowers, made up into Winter Bouquets, they form elegant and pleasing ornaments for the drawing-room. For this purpose the *Brizas*, *Agrostis nebulosa*, *A. pulchella*, *A. minutiflora*, *Hordeum jubatum*, and *Lagurus ovatus*, are admirably suited. *Gynerium argenteum* is a grand variety, and undoubtedly the most noble of all the Ornamental Grasses for outside decoration, and as a single specimen on a lawn is unrivalled. It is perfectly hardy and will thrive in almost any soil or situation, but delights mostly in that which is near a lake, river, fountain, or any ornamental piece of water. *Isolepis tenella* forms a beautiful little pot plant for the greenhouse or window.

No.	Name.	Hard Dur.	Ht in feet.	Months of Flowering	Per Pkt.	Observations.
1096	<i>Agrostis nebulosa</i> ...	ha	1½	Jy to Sp	3	} Graceful and extremely pretty varieties.
1097	" <i>pulchella</i> ...	"	¾	"	3	
1098	" <i>minutiflora</i> ...	"	1	"	6	
1099	" <i>purpurascens</i> ...	"	"	"	3	
1100	<i>Anthoxanthum gracile</i> ...	"	"	"	3	} Very fine.
1101	<i>Arundo conspicua</i> ...	hhp	6-8	Jy to Oc	6		Splendid for clumps.
1102	<i>Avena sterilis</i> ...	"	3	Jy & Au	3	<i>Animated Oats</i> . Curious.
1103	<i>Briza gracilis</i> (<i>minima</i>) ...	"	1	"	3	} <i>The Maiden-hair Grasses</i> . A charming group. The new variety, <i>geniculata</i> is very fine
1104	" <i>maxima</i> ...	"	"	"	3	
1105	" <i>geniculata</i> ...	"	"	"	4	
1106	<i>Bromus brizæformis</i> ...	"	2	"	3	} Fine ornamental species.
1107	" <i>patulus nanus</i> ...	"	1	"	6	
1108	<i>Coix lachryma</i> ...	hha	"	"	3	<i>Job's Tears</i> .
1109	<i>Chloris fimbriata</i> ...	ha	"	"	3	Pretty variety.
1110	<i>Erianthus ravenneæ</i> ...	hp	3	"	3	Handsome, similar to <i>Pampas Grass</i> .
1111	<i>Eragrostis Abyssinica</i> ...	hha	2	Au & Sp	4	} <i>Love Grass</i> . Very graceful.
1112	" <i>elegans</i> ...	ha	1½	"	3	
1113	" <i>maxima</i> ...	"	"	"	6	
1114	<i>Elymus caput Medusæ</i> ...	hp	"	Jy & Au	3	} Very fine varieties.
1115	" <i>giganteus</i> ...	"	2½	"	4	
1116	<i>Gynerium argenteum</i> ...	"	8-10	Sp & Oc	6	<i>Pampas Grass of South America</i> .
1117	<i>Hordeum jubatum</i> ...	ha	1	Jy to Sp	3	Handsome purplish plumes.
1118	<i>Isolepis tenella</i> ...	hhp	½	Ju to Sp	6	Beautiful variety for pot culture.
1119	<i>Lagurus ovatus</i> ...	ha	1½	Jy & Au	3	<i>The Hare's-tail Grass</i> . Fine.
1120	<i>Lamarckia aurea</i> ...	"	1	"	3	Pretty dwarf variety.
1121	Maize, striped-leaved Japanese	hha	3-5	"	3	} Fine ornamental plants for the sub-tropical garden, &c.
1122	" Giant	"	6-8	"	3	
1123	<i>Panicum sulcatum</i> ...	hhp	1½	"	3	} <i>Prairie Grass</i> . <i>P. plicatum</i> is a fine new variegated variety.
1124	" <i>virgatum</i> ...	hp	3-5	Jy to Sp	6	
1125	" <i>plicatum fol. variegatis</i>	hhp	1	"	10	
1126	<i>Pennisetum longistylum</i> ...	ha	2	Jy & Au	3	Very ornamental.
1127	<i>Stipa elegantissima</i> ...	hp	"	Jy to Oc	4	} <i>Feather Grass</i> . Well-known and graceful varieties.
1128	" <i>ponnata</i> ...	"	"	"	3	
1129	<i>Vulpia geniculata</i> ...	ha	¾	Jy & Au	4	Beautiful compact-growing varieties.

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	per oz.—s. d.		per oz.—s. d.		per oz.—s. d.
Amaranthus mel. ruber ...	1 6	* Gilia tricolor	per lb. 4s. 0 6	Perilla Nankinensis	per lb. 10s. 1 0
Alyssum, Sweet	per lb. 12s. 1 0	* " achillæfolia alba	per lb. 4s. 0 6	Petunia, good border varieties	4 0
Antirrhinum, choice mixed	2 6	Godetia, The Bride	... 1 0	* Phacelia campanularia	... 2 0
Aster, mixed German, double	5 0	" reptans insignis	... 1 0	Phlox Drummondii, choico	... 2 6
" Pæony-flowered,		" Lady Albemarle	... 1 0	mixed ...	... 2 6
choice mixed	... 10 6	" Duchess of Albany	1 6	Pyrethrum, Golden Feather	2 6
" dwarf Chrysan-		" choicest mixed	... 1 0	Poppy, fine double, mixed	per lb. 10s. 0 9
themum, choice mixed	... 10 6	Helichrysum, splendid	... 2 0	" New Shirley	... 2 6
" Victoria, choice mixed	12 6	mixed	... 2 0	Prince's Feather, giant	... 0 9
Aquilegia, choice mixed	1 6	Hibiscus Africanus	... 0 9	Ricinus Gibsoni	... 1 0
Balsam, good mixed double	5 0	Kaulfussia ameloides	... 0 8	Saponaria Calabrica	per lb. 10s. 1 0
Bartonia aurea	... 1 0	Larkspur, Dwarf Rocket	per lb. 10s. 0 9	" " alba	... 1 0
Beet, dark-leaved, for		Leptosiphon densiflorus	... 0 9	Silene armeria rubra	... 1 0
bedding	... 1 0	" albus	0 9	" " alba	1 0
* Borage	per lb. 2s. 6d. 0 4	* Limnanthes Douglasi	per lb. 7s. 6d. 0 8	" pendula ruberrima	0 9
Briza maxima (Ornamental		Linum, true scarlet	per lb. 12s. 1 0	Schizanthus pinnatus	... 1 0
Grass)	... 1 0	Lobelia speciosa	... 3 6	" papilionaceus	... 1 0
Calandrinia speciosa	per lb. 12s. 1 0	Love-lies-bleeding, red	... 0 8	Schizopetalon Walkeri	per lb. 10s. 1 0
" alba	... 1 0	Lupinus nanus	per lb. 8s. 0 8	Sphænogyne speciosa	... 1 6
Calliopsis tinctoria	... 1 0	" albus	... 0 8	aurea	... 1 6
" Drummondii	... 1 0	" hybridus superbus	... 0 8	Stock, dwarf German ten-	
Candytuft, extra dark		" subcarnosus	... 1 0	week, mixed (imported	
crimson	per lb. 12s. 1 0	Lupins, fine mixed	per lb. 2s. 6d. 0 4	seed)	... 6 0
" White Rocket	" 10s. 0 9	Maize, variegated Japanese	0 9	" large-flowered	
" purple	" 10s. 0 9	Malope grandiflora	... 0 9	dwarf ten-week, mixed	
" mixed	" 10s. 0 9	" alba	... 0 9	(imported seed)	... 10 0
" Empress, pure white	... 1 0	Mathiola bicornis	... 2 0	Sultan, Sweet, mixed	... 1 0
Canna, choice varieties, mixed	0 9	* Mignonette, common	per lb. 6s. 6d. 0 6	Sunflower, common single	per lb. 5s. 0 6
Canterbury Bells, blue	... 1 6	* " Victoria Giant	... 2 0	" fine double	... 1 0
" " choice mixed	1 6	* " dwarf compact	... 1 0	Sweet William, fine mixed	1 6
Clarkia elegans, Salmon		* " crimson giant	... 1 0	Tropæolum canariense	... 1 6
Queen	... 1 0	Nasturtium, climbing, mxd.	0 8	" Lobbianum, scarlet	1 6
* " pulchella	per lb. 7s. 6d. 0 8	" Empress of India	1 0	Viscaria cardinalis	... 1 6
* " alba	" 7s. 6d. 0 8	" Tom Thumb King	1 0	" elegans picta	... 1 6
* " integripetala fl. pl.		" yellow	1 0	" dwarf rose	... 2 6
alba	... 1 0	" rose	1 0	Venus' Looking-glass, blue	1 0
" integripetala fl. pl.		" mixed	per lb. 10s. 0 9	" white	1 0
rosea	... 1 0	* Nemophila insignis	per lb. 5s. 0 6	Virginian Stock, red	per lb. 10s. 0 9
Collinsia bicolor	per lb. 10s. 0 9	* " alba	" 5s. 0 6	" " white	" 10s. 0 9
" alba	... 0 9	* " maculata	... 0 9	" splendid	... 1 0
Convolvulus major, mixed	0 6	* Oenothera bistorta Veitchi	1 0	Wallflower, single, mixed	per lb. 12s. 1 0
" minor, dark purple	0 6	* Pca, Sweet, mixed	per qt. 5s. 6d. ; per pt. 3s. 0 4	" blood-red	1 0
Chrysanthemum Burrid-		" invincible scarlet	0 6	Xeranthemum, double	... 1 6
geanum	... 1 0	" Painted Lady	... 0 6	purple	... 1 6
* Cyanus minor, mixed	... 0 6	" white	... 0 6	Xeranthemum, double	... 1 6
Delphinium formosum	2 6	" purple	... 0 6	white	... 1 6
Dianthus Heddeewigi, mixed	2 6			Zinnia, finest double	... 2 6
Digitalis (Foxglove), mixed	1 6				
* Erysimum Peroffskianum	per lb. 6s. 0 6				
Eschscholtzia crocea	per lb. 12s. 1 0				
Flos adonis	... 0 9				

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For a general display, perhaps the best time for sowing is about the middle of March, and for a later succession, April; but we have seen annuals sown in May, and even the early part of June, that have bloomed splendidly in the Autumn months. After sowing, the cultivation of hardy annuals is extremely simple, early and vigorous thinning out of the clumps or patches being nearly all that is necessary to ensure an abundance of fine plants, with a profusion of handsome flowers. Various methods are adopted in sowing; but perhaps the simplest and

best plan for garden decoration is to sow in shallow furrows, in circles of from nine to twelve inches in diameter; or in rows or drills, their distance apart to be regulated according to the height of the plants when fully grown. When this is done in dry weather, an excellent plan is to fill the furrows with water and allow it to settle before sowing, carefully covering the seeds with the soil removed in the operation, and pressing down firmly with a trowel or flat piece of wood. Such large seeds as Nasturtiums, Lupins, and Sweet Peas may be covered to the depth of an inch; Convolvulus major and minor, not quite so deep; smaller seeds, such as Mignonette, &c., require but a slight covering. Hardy annuals may also be sown broadcast in mixture, in beds or patches, in waste places, shrubberies, &c., and have a very pleasing effect. For early spring decoration such fine varieties as *Nemophila insignis* and *alba*, *Silene pendula*, *Limnanthes Douglasii*, &c., may be sown in a sheltered position in August or early in September, and transferred as vacancies occur to where they are intended to bloom. *Godetias* also, in their many beautiful varieties, which are perfectly hardy, bloom much earlier and finer when sown in the Autumn and transplanted early in Spring.

Half-Hardy Annuals.

The great majority of half-hardy annuals require a long period of growth to develop the fine plants and blooms for which they are so much esteemed, and sowing should therefore commence as soon as convenient after the second week in February, and be continued to the end of March, or the middle of April. There are, however, some slight exceptions to this rule, as for instance, in the case of *Zinnias* and *Marigolds*, which should not be sown before the middle of March, and *Ten-week Stocks*, which may be sown as early as the middle of January, or early in February, and indeed treated thus will produce much finer blooms than those sown in March or April; whilst the finest *Asters* are produced from seeds sown the first and second weeks in April, and which should not, as a rule, be sown earlier. The beautiful *Scarlet Flax* (*Linum grandiflorum rubrum*) succeeds best treated as a hardy annual, and sown in April.

The most useful soil for raising plants from seeds, under glass, is composed of about equal parts of good rich loam, leaf-mould, and well-decayed manure from an old hot-bed, thoroughly incorporated with a sufficiency of coarse sand to render the whole fairly porous. In filling pots, pans, &c., with soil, it is of the first importance, after providing ample drainage, that the soil should be pressed down firmly before sowing the seeds, which will have the effect of providing a much more even moisture, and certainty of germination, than can be had by sowing on a loose and porous surface. Sow the seeds thinly, distributing as evenly as you can, and cover as lightly as possible with a sprink-

ling of fine soil, and after submitting them to a slight pressure from such as the bottom of a flower-pot, give them a careful watering and place in a gentle heat. When the young plants come up, place them as near as possible to the light, and give them on all favourable occasions a fair quantity of air, carefully avoiding, however, their exposure to the keen, drying east winds so often prevalent in Spring. When the plants have reached a size at which they can be handled, the choicer varieties should be carefully pricked out into pots, pans, boxes, &c., and placed in the greenhouse close to the glass, or in frames, &c., where on fine warm days they can have the full benefit of air and sun. This will enable them to make good sturdy plants with plenty of roots, that will transplant well, and produce an abundance of handsome flowers.


The best time for planting out depends very much on the season, and this operation should never be hurried if the weather be unfavourable, or proper attention cannot be given. Where heat is not available for the rearing of half-hardy annuals, they are easily raised by sowing in April, in pans or boxes placed under hand-lights, or in a cool frame close to the glass, the only difference being their blooming somewhat later. We have, indeed, seen a fine Autumn display of half-hardy annuals sown in May on the open border, and of *Asters* sown so late as the first week in June. We may add, that *Lobelias* for bedding out, cannot be sown too early in the year, some giving preference to those sown the preceding Autumn.

Hardy Perennials & Biennials.

With the exception of some few sorts, which require a somewhat different treatment, the greater part of these are best raised in the months of May, June, and July, in the manner recommended for hardy annuals, selecting, however, a somewhat cool and shady situation in preference to one exposed to much sun. Sow thinly, and when the plants are large enough, prick out on nursery beds to strengthen, and plant out early in Autumn, or in favourable weather in February and March, where they are intended to flower. Early sowing is decidedly the best, as it gives the plants a far better opportunity of becoming sufficiently strong to resist severe frost in Winter, and to bloom freely and finely in the coming Spring and Summer. This is especially the case in reference to double German Wallflowers and Brompton Stocks, which should not be sown later than the end of May. These being less hardy than most classed as such, should have the benefit of a more sheltered spot when finally planted out, which ought to be done if possible in July. Sweet Williams, unless sown early, will not all bloom the following year.

Greenhouse or Tender Annuals.

The many fine varieties of such valuable plants as *Balsams*, *Thunbergias*, *Amaranthuses*, *Celosias*, *Ipomoeas*, *Cockscombs*, &c., are richly deserving of cultivation wherever facilities exist for growing them. Their treatment in the young state closely resembles that of half-hardy annuals, a good light and rich soil with a liberal proportion of sharp sand being nearly all that is required to grow them to perfection. The chief difference in their culture, however, consists in their being sown somewhat earlier and on a stronger heat, and in pricking out the young plants as early as possible, singly into small pots; and as these fill with roots, shifting into larger, and so on, till they are transferred to the size in which it is intended to bloom them. The growth of the plants is very much assisted by occasionally watering with weak liquid manure; but this should be discontinued when the bloom is making its appearance, and tepid rain or soft water only should be used instead. *Balsams*, although classed as "tender," may be planted out in June, in sheltered positions in the open garden, and will make a fine display.

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Baroness Burdett-Coutts. Delicate lilac tinged with rose, flamed rosy-carmine; magnificent variety ...	1	6	Mademoiselle Marie Mies. Delicate rose, flamed with carmine, blotch rosy purple; magnificent ...	1	6
Beatrix. Pure white ground, flushed carmine lilac ...	0	6	Marechal Vaillant. Brilliant scarlet, white stains ...	0	6
Blanc Frise. Fine creamy white, large, well-expanded flowers, the edges of the petals fringed or erimped ...	3	0	Mary Stuart. White, tinged with rose, and flamed with bright carmine-cherry; very beautiful ...	1	0
Buffalo Bill. Large spike of cherry-red flowers with yellow blotch and centre stripe; very fine ...	1	6	Meyerbeer. Brilliant scarlet, flamed with vermilion ...	0	6
Butterfly. Yellow ground, flaked with carmine ...	0	6	Michel Ange. Crimson, white blotch ...	3	0
Camille. Magenta lilac, shaded darker lilac ...	1	6	Milton. Cherry-rose, flamed with red; extra ...	0	6
Conqueror. Carmine flowers with pure white blotch ...	0	6	Minos (Sonebet). Long spike of salmony-rose, flowers profusely flushed and blotched cherry-red ...	3	0
Conquete. Bright cherry-rose, with white blotch ...	0	6	Mons. Legouve. Bright red, with white lines ...	0	6
Diamant. White, streaked with carmine; splendid ...	0	6	Mont Blanc. Immense pyramidal spike, with very large flowers, creamy white at first, soon changing to snowy white, small violet blotch ...	6	6
Doctor Bailly. Dazzling scarlet; carmine blotch ...	1	6	Mount Etna. Brilliant velvety scarlet, white bands ...	1	0
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Doctor Masters. Well shaped compact spike of a superb colour; flowers large, bright rose, strongly flushed with dark purple; blotch amaranth ...	4	6	Murillo. Fine cherry-rose on light ground, white stripe down the middle of each petal; beautiful ...	0	6
Eclair. Bright scarlet, with broad white bands ...	0	6	Nereide. Beautiful pearly rose colour, suffused with lilac, blotched bright violet; a very lovely colour ...	1	0
Enchanteresse. Very large flowers, of a satiny pale lilac-white, streaked violet-red on one or two sepals ...	1	0	Neige et Feu. Cherry-red, ivory-white blotch ...	1	6
Erigone. Magnificent flowers, streaked and banded carmine, on a white ground, with rich carmine blotch ...	1	6	Ophir. Dark yellow, with purple stain; fine ...	0	6
Eugene Scribe. Tender rose, blazed with carmine ...	0	6	Orpheus. Rose, blazed with carmine; magnificent ...	0	6
Fantome. Fine spike of enormously large flowers; pure white, slightly glazed and streaked at the edges with rosy lilac. Remarkable for the great size of the flowers ...	3	0	Pactole. Beautiful yellow, slightly tinged with rose ...	0	6
Figaro. Light orange red, large white blotch ...	6		Phedre. Pure white, flamed with cherry-rose ...	0	6
Formosa. Large perfectly shaped spike; flowers of a very delicate satiny rose, thinly striped with carmine on the edges; blotch creamy white ...	0	6	Phœbus. Brilliant red, with large pure white stain ...	0	6
Gerbe de Feu. Long well-furnished spike of most brilliant and dazzling scarlet flowers, with a large creamy white blotch. A variety of grand effect ...	1	6	Pollux. Bright carmine, with brown-red at the edges, fine white blotch ...	1	0
Ginevra. Beautiful cherry-rose, flushed with red, central line of petals pure white; splendid spike ...	0	6	Primatrice. Rose, tinged lilac, carmine blotch ...	0	6
Grand Rouge. Remarkably fine spike of large flowers of a bright scarlet colour, with small violet blotch. First Class Certificate R.H.S. ...	0	9	Psyche. Satin rose, flamed with dark carmine ...	0	6
Grandeur a Merveille. Very handsome spike with immense well opened flowers of a satiny lilac white, very slightly speckled and streaked with rose ...	3	0	Rayon d'Or. Creamy yellow, flaked rosy purple ...	0	6

NEW HARDY HYBRID GLADIOLI

With Large Stained or Blotched Flowers.

THIS fine new race of Hybrid Gladioli blooms somewhat earlier than those of the Gandavensis section, and are much more hardy, so hardy, in fact, that their bulbs do not need to be lifted in Winter. The flowers are very striking and handsome in appearance, all having conspicuous blotches on the lower petals, whilst the colours are very diversified and beautiful. These will be found splendid alike for garden decoration or for cut flowers.

	each—s.	d.		each—s.	d.
Alsace. Pale sulphur, with blood red blotch ...	0	9	Mount Etna. Velvety scarlet, with yellow blotch; very early and effective ...	1	6
Admiral Courbet. Fiery scarlet, side petals blotched velvety red ...	0	9	Sceptre d'Or. Beautiful chrome yellow, with large velvet black blotch ...	1	6
Enfant de Nancy. Purplish scarlet, lower petals deep velvety crimson ...	0	8	Venus de Milo. Pure white passing to rose, with maroon blotch, flowers large and perfect ...	3	0
E. V. Hallock (new). Sulphur-white, with large blood red blotch on yellow disc; large, well-formed ...	3	0	Victor Hugo. Rosy yellow, vermillion blotch on yellow ground ...	1	0
Incensee. Bright vermillion rose throat, lower petals purplish scarlet ...	0	6	Voltaire. Violet carmine, with maroon blotch on yellow ground; extra ...	1	0
Lafayette. Salmon-yellow, with large crimson blotches; very large flowers ...	0	6	W. E. Gumbleton. Rosy purple, striped carmine, velvet blotches on yellow disc ...	0	8
Lemoinei. Creamy white, tinted rose, crimson blotches; very free ...	0	6	12 choice varieties, our selection from the above, 9s. 6		
Madame Lemoinier. Pure white, with maroon blotch, spike erect, and very early; very choice for cutting ...	1	0	Choice mixed, in beautiful variety, per 100, 24s.; per doz., 3s. 6d.		

Lilies (Lilium).



LILIUM AURATUM RUBRO-VITTATUM.

	each—s.	d.
AURATUM (Golden-rayed Lily of Japan). The beautiful large-flowered variety, white with yellow stripes and brownish-red spots; deliciously fragrant, extremely hardy, first-class for pot culture. One of the most useful and beautiful Lilies in cultivation. Having secured a large consignment of fine bulbs, of this superb variety, we are able to offer at the following low rates:—		
No. 1. Good flowering bulbs	per doz. 6s.; 6 for 3s. 6d.	0 8
No. 2. Larger " " "	per doz. 10s.	1 0
No. 3. Extra fine " " " English grown	per doz. 15s.	1 6
A few extraordinarily fine bulbs " "	24s.	2 6
AURATUM rubro-vittatum. Magnificent new variety, immense flowers, petals pure white, with a distinct broad band of deep crimson down the centre	2s. 6d. and	3 6
" virginale. Very large flowers, white, with pale yellow bands; most beautiful variety	...	5 0
" platyphyllum. Gigantic flowers of great substance, very broad petals, white, with yellow bands, slightly spotted; very fine	...	5 0
Batemanii. Apricot yellow; a fine variety	...	0 9
Browni. Large creamy white trumpet-shaped flowers, outside of petals brownish purple colour	3s. 6d. to	5 0
Candidum. The old favourite White Lily	per doz. 3s.	0 4
Chalcedonicum (Scarlet Turk's Cap). Splendid old variety, flowers medium sized, reflexed, and of a deep rich scarlet colour; finely effective	per doz. 12s.	1 3
Colchicum (<i>Szovitzianum</i>). Pale yellow, spotted with black; finely scented	per doz. 15s.	1 6
Croceum. Light orange, spotted black	" 5s.	0 6

Davuricum fulgidum. Deep orange red flushed with yellow, very showy	per doz. 7s. 6d.	0 9
Giganteum (the noble Himalayan Lily). White, with broad bands of crimson violet	3s. 6d., 5s., and	7 6
Humboldti. A fine species, growing about five feet high, with large golden-yellow flowers, spotted purple	...	1 6
Krameri. A beautiful variety, with flowers of similar form to those of Auratum, but of a beautiful pink colour; deliciously scented	...	2 6
Longiflorum. A fine early flowering, dwarf growing species, beautiful trumpet-shaped flowers, pure white, should be in every garden	per doz. 4s. 6d.	0 6
" Harrisii. A fine new form, producing a great profusion of its beautiful pure white deliciously scented flowers. Will bloom three or four times in succession without the bulbs being rested. Splendid for pot culture in the greenhouse and for forcing:—		
Good flowering roots	per doz. 6s.	0 7
Extra strong roots	per doz. 7s. 6d.	0 9
" Giganteum. Immense pure white trumpets, splendid for pot culture	per doz. 10s. 6d.	1 0
Martagon (Turk's Cap). Purple	" 5s. 0d.	0 6
" album. Pure white-flowered forms of the preceding; extremely scarce	2s. 6d. and	3 6
" Dalmaticum. A magnificent variety, with deep velvety crimson purple flowers	...	2 0
Neilgherense. Immense creamy white trumpets, deliciously scented; magnificent variety for the greenhouse or conservatory	...	3 6
Ochroleucum. A grand new Lily from the Himalayas, large, beautiful, expanded trumpets, creamy white with bright yellow interior; fine variety for the greenhouse	...	3 6
Pardalinum. Bright scarlet shading to orange, spotted maroon; large flowers	...	1 6
Parryi. A new and beautiful Californian variety, with large rich golden yellow flowers	...	3 6
Philadelphicum. Vermilion scarlet, spotted black	...	1 0
Pomponium verum. An elegant species, with bright scarlet flowers	per doz. 5s.	0 6
Pulchellum. Deep red, orange centre	...	1 6
Pyrenaicum (the Yellow Martagon). Deliciously scented flowers, yellow, spotted black	per doz. 6s.	0 9
Speciosum (<i>Lanceifolium</i>). A fine hardy class; excellent for pot culture; deliciously scented.		
" album. Pure white, beautiful	per doz. 15s.	1 6
" Kratzeri. Pure white; the finest variety	...	1 0
" melpomene. Rich dark crimson; splendid bulbs; a fine variety for pots	...	1 0
" punctatum. White, rose-spotted	...	1 0
" rubrum. White, spotted and shaded crimson	...	0 9
" roseum. White, crimson-spotted	...	0 9
" multiflorum. Fine variety	...	0 6
Superbum. A fine yellow Lily with purple spots. Flowers often 15 to 20 on a stem	per doz. 7s. 6d.	0 9
Tenuifolium. Dwarf, glittering scarlet; splendid variety	per doz. 15s.	1 6
Testaceum (<i>Excelsum</i>). Nankeen-coloured flowers, delightfully fragrant; four feet high	per doz. 10s. 6d.	1 0
Thunbergianum alternans. Rosy scarlet, tinged apricot	per doz. 10s. 6d.	1 0
" atrosanguineum. Scarlet, spotted black	...	0 9
" aurantiacum multiflorum. Yellow	...	0 6
" fulgens. Crimson, mottled with yellow	per doz. 7s. 6d.	0 9
Tigrinum splendens. The finest of the Tiger Lilies. Orange scarlet, black spots	per doz. 5s.	0 6
" fl. pl. Scarlet, spotted brown, very double	...	1 0
Wallichianum superbum. Magnificent variety from the Himalaya Mountains, growing to the height of four or five feet, and producing immense trumpet flowers nearly a foot long, of a beautiful creamy yellow with deeper yellow inside and deliciously scented.	...	3 6
Washingtonianum. A grand Lily, growing four to five feet high, large white flowers, shaded lilac	...	1 6

We have many other species and varieties of choice Lilies in stock, which from want of space we are unable to enumerate.

Lilies in Collections—our own selection.

Carefully arranged Collections of Lilies, 6s., 9s., 12s., 18s., 24s., and 30s. per dozen.

Anemones and Ranunculi for Spring Planting.



DOUBLE-FLOWERED ANEMONES.



GIANT RANUNCULI.

Anemones in Mixture.

	per 100,	per doz.
	s. d.	s. d.
Giant French, single. Very fine and floriferous, much superior to the common Dutch varieties	5 0	1 0
Choice Seedlings, double blue	10 6	1 6
" " " scarlet	7 6	1 0
" " " all colours	6 6	1 0
" " " single, very fine and beautiful	4 6	0 8
Dutch, finest mixed, double, fine roots	per 1000, 35s.	4 6 0 8
" " " single, fine roots	21s.	2 6 0 6
Scarlet, finest double. Fine roots	...	6 6 1 0
" " " single. Strong roots	...	3 0 0 6
Pure White, single, "The Bride." Splendid	...	10 6 1 6

Superb Double-flowered Anemones.

PRODUCING large, handsome, double flowers of various beautiful colours; some of the varieties are strikingly brilliant and attractive. These are admirably suited for pot culture, and planted in patches of three or five form charming groups for the flower border.

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A distinct and brilliant class.

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BEAUTIFUL large-flowered varieties with dazzling vermilion scarlet blooms, which continue from February to May. Thrive best in a rich loamy soil.

Fulgens. Single scarlet, very fine ... per doz. 1s. 6d.
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THE Ranunculi are very free flowering and beautiful. They will succeed in almost any soil or position, and planted any time up to the middle of April will bloom abundantly during the Summer; very useful for cutting.

French Giant. Very fine	per 100, 3s. 6d.; per doz. 8d.
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Turban, Daniels' Giant. A splendid and robust-growing class, very superior to the common Turban varieties; grows to the height of eighteen inches; each plant producing from forty to fifty splendid double flowers	per 100, per doz. s. d. s. d. 4 6 0 9
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Mixed. All colours; a beautiful variety	per 1000, 25s. 3 0 0 6

Hyacinthus (Galtonia) Candicans.

(THE CAPE HYACINTH.)

THIS splendid hardy bulbous-rooted plant grows from three to four feet high. It blooms in Autumn, and throws up large loose spikes of white bell-shaped flowers. Planted in groups of three, five, or more, it is very handsome and effective amongst roses or shrubs. It blooms about the same time as the well-known scarlet Gladiolus Breuchleyensis, and grown together, the two plants when in bloom are very effective.

Hyacinthus candicans. Fine strong flowering bulbs
Per 100, 12s. 6d.; per doz. 2s.

From Mr. W. DORRINGTON, Frome.
April 14th.
"The Carnations and Picotees I had from you last year were splendid."

Tuberous-rooted Begonias.

(See outside cover of this Catalogue.)

We have much pleasure in offering tubers of our grand strain of Tuberous-rooted hybrid Begonias, which have been grown and selected at our Nurseries during the past season, and which for form, size and substance of flower, and beauty and variety of colouring will be found second to none in the country. The individual blooms of many of the single-flowered varieties are of immense size—often measuring four to five inches across—of splendid form and substance, and the colours range from the most intense dark crimson through all the shades of scarlet, salmon, cerise, and yellow to the purest white, the plants being of a fine, dwarf, sturdy habit of growth. They will be found splendid for pot culture and for bedding out; much superior to Geraniums, as they continue in full bloom through the wettest season and late into the autumn, when Geraniums have but a poor appearance. The double-flowered also include some magnificent flowers, in an equal variety of colouring to the single. These, although not so showy and useful for bedding out as the single-flowered, are superb for pot culture in the greenhouse.



DOUBLE-FLOWERED BEGONIA.

Double-flowered Begonias.

SUPERB-NAMED VARIETIES.

	each—s. d.
Beauty of Belgrove. Beautiful rose, resembling in form and colour the <i>Rose La France</i> ...	3 6
Bexley Gem. Brilliant dark rose, a grand flower of splendid form and well-formed bloom ...	4 6
Charlemagne Denizart. Velvet crimson, flaked with white, well-formed bloom ...	2 6
Claribel. Beautiful salmon with white centre, the edges of the petals daintily crimped. First Class Certificate ...	4 6
Duchess of Teck. Golden yellow, large, beautiful, well-formed flowers, and handsome dark green foliage ...	6 0
Duke of Teck. The finest double crimson in cultivation, large, well-formed flowers of the most distinct glowing crimson-scarlet colour ...	6 0
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Manora. Dark rose, well-formed and capital exhibition flower ...	2 6
Salmonca. Rich salmon, splendid flowers borne on gracefully drooping flower stems; well adapted for hanging baskets ...	2 0
Triomphe de Nancy. Beautiful cream-coloured blooms with bright primrose centres; very attractive ...	3 6
Venice. Pure white, grand, beautifully-formed flowers on straight, erect stems; a vigorous grower ...	3 6
Viscountess Cranbrook. Bright rosy pink with large white centre; a very choice and exceptionally fine variety. F.C.C. ...	5 0
One each above twelve superb varieties ...	£2 0 0
Six varieties choice named, our selection from above, including Duchess of Teck, Duke of Teck, and Venice ...	1 5 0

From C. CLAY, Esq., Manor House, Fovant.

Aug. 9th. "One of the Begonias I had of you is five inches across, and magnificent. I must say you always send me good stuff."

Double-flowered Begonias.

IN CHOICE MIXTURE.

	per doz.—s. d.	per doz.—s. d.
Extra choice varieties for exhibition. All carefully selected fine double flowers of the most splendid form and colour. A grand selection ...	24s. & 30 0	
Mixed Doubles for Bedding. A capital variety of large, full, double flowers, in beautiful variety of colour ...	9 0	
		For Pot culture. A superb selection of choice sorts equal to named varieties, the flowers being of the most perfect form, and of the most varied and beautiful colours. Highly desirable for conservatory decoration ...
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BEDDING VARIETIES.

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	s. d.	s. d.
Crimson and Scarlet } Distinct and beautiful colours, highly effective for bedding out. All in strong flowering tubers that will produce a charming display.	6 0	40 0
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Pink and Salmon ...	6 0	40 0
Primrose and Citron ...	6 0	40 0
Orange and Bronze ...	6 0	40 0
Pure white ...	7 6	45 0
Choice mixed seedlings. In beautiful variety, all approved flowers from our fine collection ...	4 6	30 0

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Extra choice Exhibition varieties. A very fine selection indeed, the flowers which are of the most perfect form, are of immense size and of the most brilliant and charming variety of colour, equal to the finest named flowers. Highly recommended ...	18 0
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CALLA ÆTHIOPICA—LITTLE GEM.

A charming miniature variety of the well-known Arum Lily, growing only about one foot high, and bearing flowers of a purer white than those of the old variety. This will be found a pretty and easily grown plant, well suited for window or conservatory decoration, and especially useful where cut flowers are in demand. Special Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society

Strong young plants each 1s. 6d.; per doz. 15s.
Strong flowering plants each 2s. 6d. and 3s. 6d.



TUBEROSE—AMERICAN PEARL.

Potentillas.

DOUBLE AND SINGLE-FLOWERED.

VERY free-flowering and useful hardy perennials, growing about two feet high. The flowers are of a rich velvety texture, and vary in colour from crimson and maroon to orange and golden yellow.
 12 in 6 choice varieties, our selection 9s.; 6 for 5s.

Double-flowered Pyrethrums.

THESE fine plants produce a great variety of beautiful flowers in all the shades of crimson, carmine, rose, to pure white. The individual blooms are as double and finished as those of good Asters, which they resemble, and are extremely useful for cutting.

Strong established Plants in choice named variety. Our selection per doz. 6s. and 9s.
Single-flowered, in brilliant variety to name .. per doz. 6s.

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WELL-KNOWN, magnificent, hardy, herbaceous plants for the shrubby border &c.; will thrive in almost any soil or situation, but to be grown well should be planted in an open position and not disturbed for several years. We have a splendid named collection of these, including the newest and best sorts, the flowers ranging in colour from pure white to the deepest crimson and purple. Cut when just expanding, the blooms will last a long time in water.

Choice named varieties. Our own selection per doz. 12s., 15s., 18s., 21s., and 24s.

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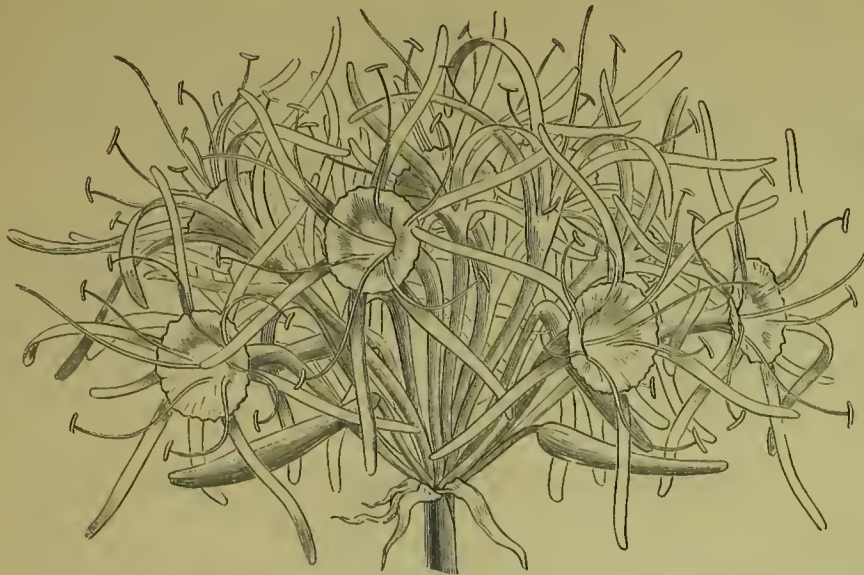
THESE deliciously fragrant and exceedingly useful flowers are much more easily grown than is generally supposed, and will well repay the little trouble that is necessary to have them in perfection. For early forcing, pot singly into five or six-inch pots, as early in the season as the bulbs can be obtained, and plunge in a good moist heat, withholding water till the foliage makes its appearance, when water may be given abundantly till the flower-buds are formed, when they may be removed to the greenhouse or conservatory and less water given. For Autumn blooming, pot singly into five or six-inch pots in March or April, using a light rich compost, and plunge the pots about six inches above their rims in cocoa-nut fibre, coal ashes, or any light material, under the stage of a greenhouse or in a cool pit or frame; when the foliage of these makes its appearance they should be removed and plunged under a south wall, removing them to the greenhouse or indoors as the flower-buds are formed. Dry roots may also be planted in sheltered places in the open ground, from the middle of April to the latter part of May, and will produce beautiful flowers in Autumn if taken up, potted, and kept in a close warm house or pit for a few days when coming into flower, and will furnish a supply of valuable bloom in the greenhouse almost up to Christmas.

		per doz.	each.
Double American "Pearl."	Fine new dwarf variety	s. d.	s. d.
	from the United States; deliciously fragrant, with		
	large double flowers, pure white ...	per 100, 17s. 6d.	2 6 0 3
"	African grown. Very fine roots	"	21s. 3 0 0 4

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- Tigridia—Canariensis** } (*Tiger Flowers*) per doz. 3s.; each 4d.
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- Grandiflora alba**. Creamy white, spotted with red, and having a violet centre; a fine novelty, very beautiful; quite hardy per doz. 4s.; each 6d.

Greenhouse and Stove Plants.



PANCRATIUM ROTATUM.

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(see illustration).

An extremely beautiful and somewhat scarce variety. It freely produces, on erect scapes, large heads of lovely pure white flowers, which are deliciously scented; very desirable for cut flowers and general decorative purposes.

Very fine Bulbs each 2s 6d

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An exceedingly attractive, dwarf-growing species, bearing large, pure white flowers, very deliciously scented. The corona is funnel-shaped and serrated on the margin, from which the filaments arise and incurve towards the centre; the petals being gracefully recurved, lend an additional charm to the flowers of this desirable species

each 2s. 6d.

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- Azalea Indica**. A choice collection of the finest varieties, all in good healthy flowering plants, varying in height from about ten inches to sixteen inches from the pots. Our own selection, per doz. 24s., 30s., 40s., 50s., and 60s., according to size and variety; each 2s., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., 5s., and 7s. 6d.
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- Calla "Little Gem."** A charming miniature variety of the well-known Arum Lily. "Little Gem" grows only about one foot high, and produces flowers of a purer white than those of the old variety; very useful for cut flowers each 1s. 6d. and 2s. 6d.
- Camellia Japonica**. Our collection of these includes all the finest of the English and continental varieties, and our plants are amongst the healthiest and best budded we have ever seen. The height of plants from the pots varies from about a foot to eighteen inches. Our own selection, per doz. 30s., 40s., 50s., and 60s.; each 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., 5s., and 7s. 6d.
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Clematises.

These magnificent hardy climbers are highly popular amongst amateur growers, and considering their great beauty, freedom of blooming, and the facility with which they may be trained on any kind of wall, trellis, verandah, or pillar, and in almost any aspect, it is surprising that Clematises are not found in abundance in every garden. The plants we offer are established in pots, and can be removed at any time of the year. The sorts blooming after June are the best for bedding purposes; they flower on the young wood, and therefore require before growth commences in Spring, to be cut down to within six or twelve inches of the ground, as likewise do all the late-flowering kinds; and early sorts, flowering from May to July on the old wood, should be pruned similarly to Roses. When the selection of sorts is left to ourselves, customers may rely on our sending a really good variety.



CLEMATIS—JACKMANII SUPERBA.

	Months of Flowering.	each. s. d.
Albert Victor. Deep lavender	My Jy	1 6
Ascotiensis. Azure blue, large	Jy Sp	1 6
Beauty of Surrey. Greyish blue	Jy	2 6
Beauty of Worcester. Large and handsome, producing double and single flowers on same plant, lovely bluish violet, pure white stamens	Ju Oc	2 6
Belle of Woking. Silvery grey, double	Ju	1 6
Blue Gem. Pale cerulean blue	Jy Oo	2 6
Countess of Lovelace. Bluish lilac, double	Ju Jy	2 6
Duke of Edinburgh. Rich violet purple	My Jy	1 6
Duchess of Edinburgh. Double white	Ju Jy	2 6
Duchess of Teck. Pure white, mauve bar	Jy Oo	1 6
Earl of Beaconsfield. Rich royal purple	Jy Oo	2 6
Enchantress. White, flushed with rose	Ju Jy	1 6
Fair Rosamond. Blush white	My Ju	1 6
Flammula. Sweet-scented. White	Jy Oo	1 0
Fortunei. Creamy white, rosette form, sweet-scented	Ju Jy	1 6
Gipsy Queen. Dark velvety purple	Jy Oo	1 6
Henry. Beautiful large creamy white, most hardy variety	Jy Oo	2 6
Jackmanii alba. Fine white, very distinct	Jy Oo	2 6
Jackmanii. Intense violet purple	Jy Oo	1 6
Jackmanii superba. A very fine variety somewhat similar to "Jackmanii," but later than that variety, and the colour more intense, the flowers frequently with five and sometimes six petals	Jy Oo	2 6
Jeanne d'Arc. Greyish white	Ju Oo	2 6
La France. Deep violet purple, dark anthers, large and robust	Jy Oo	1 6
Lady Bovill. Greyish blue, cupped	Jy Oo	2 6
Lady Caroline Neville. French white	Jy Oo	2 6
Lanuginosa. Pale lavender	Jy Oo	2 6
Lanuginosa candida. Tinted greyish white	Ju Oo	2 6
Louis van Houtte. Bluish purple	Ju Oo	2 6
Lucie Lemoine. Double, white	Ju Jy	2 6
Madame van Houtte. White, mauve tint	Jy Oo	2 6
Miss Bateman. White, red anthers	My Jy	1 6
Mrs. Baron Veillard. Distinct light lilac rose; a new and handsome variety of the Jackmanii type, flowering from July to October; very free bloomer, vigorous grower	Jy Oo	2 6
Mrs. S. C. Baker. French white	My Ju	1 6
Mrs. Hope. Satiny mauve	Ju Au	2 6
Mrs. Geo. Jackman. Satiny white, beautiful	Jn Oo	2 0
Star of India. Reddish plum	Jy Oo	1 6
Symeana. Delicate lavender blue, deeper bars	Jy Oo	1 6
Venus Victrix. A fine double-flowered variety, delicate lavender blue, beautiful form	Jy Oo	2 6
William Kennett. Deep lavender	Ju Oo	2 6

	Months of Flowering.	each. s. d.
Othello. Dark velvety purple	Ju Oo	2 6
Princess of Wales. Deep bluish mauve	Jy Oo	2 6
Purpurea elegans. Deep violet purple	Jy Oo	2 6
Robert Hanbury. Bluish lilac	Jy Oo	2 6
Sir Garnet Wolseley. Slaty blue	My Jy	1 6

Choice named varieties from the above list, our own selection, per doz. 18s., 21s., and 24s.

Clematis indivisa lobata.

We offer fine plants of this beautiful evergreen greenhouse species. The foliage is of a dark olive green and of great substance; the flowers are of the purest white, very fragrant, and produced in wonderful profusion. Highly recommended as a greenhouse climber. The flowers are very neat and exceedingly useful for cutting.

Fine strong plants, each 2s. 6d.

Miscellaneous Fruit Trees, &c.



APPLE, PEASGOOD'S NONSUCH.

The large and steadily increasing demand for all kinds of choice Fruit Trees, &c., furnishes a sure indication that good English-grown fruit is, year by year, becoming more appreciated, and it is clearly shown by the splendid samples being brought to our markets and sold at highly remunerative prices, that by planting only really choice varieties, and with good cultivation, Apples, Pears, and other fruits can be grown in this country of a size, flavour, and quality altogether surpassing those of foreign production.

Wherever space in the garden will admit, fruit of some kind should be grown, as apart from its great usefulness in point of domestic economy, its great value as a health agent cannot be fairly over-estimated where it is freely used in the household.

For small gardens such compact-growing fruits as dwarf or pyramid Apples and Pears, Gooseberries, Currants, Raspberries, and Strawberries are the most useful, and where there is a good south wall a Vино or Peach should be planted, whilst a wall with a westerly aspect will do well for Cherries or Pears, and a north wall is well suited for Currants. In planting in the garden be careful to plant at such a distance apart that the plants get the full benefit of light and air, the result of overcrowding being but too often barrenness or inferior quality.

In very dry weather young fruit-bearing trees of Apples, Pears, Plums, &c., are much benefited by a liberal supply of water, which promotes a healthy growth and prevents cracking of the fruit. Dwarf or pyramid trees are also rendered more fruitful by being partially lifted every other year and having the roots slightly pruned.

The various stocks of choice Fruit Trees we offer include all the best varieties of their respective kinds in cultivation. The plants will be found well grown, strong, and healthy, with abundant fibrous roots, and in the best possible state for removal.

The prices quoted per dozen for Apples, Pears, Gooseberries, Currants, &c., are for our own selection of kinds, and are governed principally by the size and strength of the plants supplied. When the selection is left to us, customers may rely on only the best sorts being sent.

APPLES.

Dwarfs or Bushes in fine variety	per doz. 10s. 6d.; each 1s.
Dwarf Trained ... ..	... .. each 3s. 6d.
Pyramids, our own selection of varieties	per doz. 21s. to 54s.; each 2s. to 5s.
Standards, our own selection of choice varieties	per doz. 18s., 21s., 24s.; each 1s. 6d. to 2s. 6d.

EARLY AND SECOND EARLY APPLES.

D denotes dessert, K kitchen.

Devonshire Quarrenden (D.), Duchess of Oldenburg (K.), Eekinvill Seedling (K.), Irish Peach (D.), Juneating (D.), Keswick Codlin (K.), Kerry Pippin (D.), King of the Pippins (D.), Lord Suffield (K.), Stirling Castle (K.), Worcester Pearmain (K.D.).

MEDIUM EARLY APPLES.

Adams' Pearmain (D.), Aromatic Russet (D.), Bess Pool (D.K.), Blenheim Orange (D.K.), Cellini (D.K.), Cox's Orange Pippin (D.), Cox's Pomona (K.), Doctor Harvey (K.), Gloria Mundi (K.), Kentish Fillbasket (K.), Lane's Priece Albert (K.), Lord Grosvenor (K.), Mère de Menage (K.), New Hawthornden (K.), Peasgood's Nonsuch (K.), Ribston Pippin (D.), The Queen (K.), Yorkshire Greening (K.).

LATE APPLES.

Alfriston (K.), Annie Elizabeth (K.), Beauty of Kent (K.), Court of Wick (D.), Court Pendn Plat (D.), Dumelow's Seedling (K.), Golden Pippin (D.), Golden Russet (D.), Kedleston Pippin (D.), Lady Henniker (K.), Lord Burghley (D.), Normanton Wonder (K.) (*Dumelow's Seedling*), Old Nonpareil (D.), Reinette du Canada (D.K.), Scarlet Nonpareil (D.), Sturruer Pippin (D.), Waruer's King (K.).

And many others.

NEW APPLE—Vicar of Beighton. A seedling raised in the Vicarage Gardens at Beighton, Norfolk, it has proved itself one of the handsomest, most prolific, and best keeping apples in cultivation. The fruit is large and roundish, and when ripe of a deep bright crimson colour, mottled, and striped with yellow and green, giving it the most beautiful appearance, which, if well kept, it retains till April or May; whilst its pale yellow flesh is of fine flavour, juicy, and all that can be desired in a first-class kitchen Apple. Will prove a most valuable sort for market growers on account of its very handsome appearance and excellent keeping qualities.

Dwarf Bushes or Maidens, each 2s. 6d. Standards, each 7s. 6d.

NEW APPLE—Beauty of Beauty. This fine new early Dessert Apple, on account of its earliness, extremely handsome appearance, good flavour, and free cropping qualities, will eventually, both for market purposes and private use, take the leading place among first early Apples.

The "Beauty of Bath" is fit for use at the end of July and early part of August. It immediately follows the Juneating, and is earlier than the Irish Peach, from which it is quite distinct. The fruit is of medium size, round and flattened, the ground colour a yellowish green, beautifully striped and spotted with crimson toward the sun; the flesh is firm and pale yellow, and it has a brisk, sub-acid flavour far superior to that of other early apples. It is a certain and free cropper. Our stock trees have not failed once during the last six years, and it will on this account be a valuable market variety.

Strong Maiden Trees, each 1s. 6d. and 2s. 6d.

Miscellaneous Fruit Trees, &c. (continued).



PEAR, PITMASTON DUCHESS.

PEARS.

Dwarfs or Bushes in fine variety

	per doz. 10s. 6d; each 1s.
Dwarf Trained	per doz. 37s. 6d.; each 3s. 6d.
Pyramids	per doz. 21s. to 54s.; each 2s. to 5s.
Standards	per doz. 18s., 21s., & 24s.; each 1s. 6d. to 2s. 6d.
„ Trained	each 5s.

PITMASTON DUCHESS (see illustration).

A superb and most valuable variety. The fruit are very large and handsome, and of first-rate quality. The tree is hardy and an excellent bearer. In season from October to December.

Dwarfs or Bushes	each 1s. 6d.
Pyramids	each 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., and 5s.
Standards	each 2s.
Dwarf Trained	each 3s. 6d. to 5s.

EARLY AND SECOND EARLY PEARS.

Beurré d'Amanlis, Beurré Giffard, Beurré Superfin, Citron des Carmes, Doyenne d'Été, Durondeau, Gratioli of Jersey, Jargonelle, Souvenir du Congrès, Williams' Bon Chrétien, Williams' Victoria.

MID-SEASON PEARS.

Althorp Crasanne, Beurré Clairgeau, Beurré d'Arenberg, Beurré de Capiaumont, Beurré Diel, British Queen, Brockworth Park, Conseiller de la Cour, Chaumontel, Doyenné du Comice, Duchesse d'Angoulême, Fondante d'Automne, Gansel's Bergamot, Hesse, Louise Bonne of Jersey, Mario Louise, Mario Louise d'Uccle, Napoleon, Passe Colmar, Triomphe de Jodoigne, Van Mons Leon le Clerc.

LATE PEARS.

Bergamot d'Esperen, Beurré Rance, Easter Beurré, Josephine de Malines, Knight's Monarch, Ne Plus Meuris, Winter Nelis.

STEWING PEARS.

Catillac; Uvedale's St. Germain. *And others.*

Cherries—

Archduko, Bigarreau, Downton, Elton, May Duke, Morello, Ohio Beauty, &c., &c.

Dwarf Trained	per doz. 40s. to 54s.; each 3s. 6d. to 5s.
Standards	per doz. 21s.; each 2s.
„ Trained	per doz. 54s.; each 5s.
Pyramids	per doz. 21s. to 54s.; each 2s. to 5s.

Chestnuts, Spanish—

Standards	per doz. 10s. 6d. to 21s.; each 1s. to 2s.
Banks' Prolific	Common

Mulberries—

Dwarfs	each 3s. 6d.
Standards	each 5s. to 7s. 6d.

American Fruiting Blackberry—

Wilson Junr. This magnificent Blackberry is undoubtedly one of the largest, finest, and most prolific in cultivation, producing very large, glossy black fruit, of delicious flavour, in immense quantity each 9d.; per doz. 7s. 6d.

Figs—

Strong Plants, in pots	each 2s. 6d.
Fruiting Plants, in pots	each 3s. 6d. to 7s. 6d.

Walnuts—

Fine Standards	each 2s. 6d. to 7s. 6d.
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Apricots—

Breda, Homskirke, Kaisha, Large Early, Moor Park, Royal, Shipley's or Blenheim, &c., &c.

Dwarf Trained, very fine	each 5s. to 7s. 6d.
Standard Trained	each 7s. 6d. to 10s. 6d.

Nectarines—

Albert Victoria, Downton, Ebruge, Early Newington, Hardwick Seedling, Lord Napier, Pineapple, Pitmaston Orange, Rivers' Orange, Roman, Victoria, Violette Hative, &c.

Dwarf Trained	each 5s. to 7s. 6d.
Standard Trained	each 10s. 6d. to 21s.

Peaches—

Alexandra, Barrington, Condor, Dr. Hogg, Early Beatrice, Early Rivers, Grosse Mignonne, Noblesse, Royal George, Stirling Castle, &c.

Dwarf Trained, very fine	each 5s. to 7s. 6d.
Standard Trained, fine	each 10s. 6d. to 21s.

Plums—

Angelina, Belgian Purple, Burdett, Coc's Golden Drop, Early Prolific, Golden Gage, Greengage, Huling's Superb, Jefferson's, Kirke's; Magnum Bonum, Mitcholson's, Orleans, Pond's Seedling, Prince Englebert, Prince of Wales, The Czar, Transparent Gage, Victoria, Washington, &c.

Dwarf Maidens	per doz. 10s. 6d.; each 1s.
„ Trained	per doz. 37s. 6d.; each 3s. 6d.
Pyramids	per doz. 21s.; each 2s.
Standards	per doz. 21s.; each 2s.
„ Trained	each 5s.

Miscellaneous Fruit Trees, &c. (continued).

Grape Vines.

Our stock of these is a very fine one; the canes have been grown from eyes without bottom-heat, and are remarkably well ripened, short-jointed, and the buds are thoroughly matured and plump.



BLACK HAMBURGH.

The fruiting canes we offer are strong and stout, from eight to ten feet in length; and if cultivated in pots will bear from eight to twelve bunches each next season.

H denotes those varieties that require to be grown in a heated vinery.

C denotes those suitable for growing in a cool vinery.

Strong planting canes, in pots ... each 7s. 6d.
Fruiting canes, in pots, very fine ... each 10s. 6d.

Alnwick Seedling (H.)	Hamburgh, Black (C.)
Black Alicante (H.)	Muscat of Alexandria (H.)
Foster's Seedling (C.)	Muscat Hamburgh (H.C.)
Gros Colmar (H.)	Madresfield Crt. Muscat
Gros Maroc (H.)	(H.C.)
Lady Downes' Seedling	Sweetwater, Buckland (C.)
(H.)	West's St. Peter's (H.)

Nuts and Filberts.

We have a very fine stock of these in good strong plants, comprising such fine varieties as Cosford, Kentish Cob, Filbert, white, red, purple-leaved and frizzled, Norwich Prolific, &c.

Strong Fruiting Dwarfs or Bushes in first-class condition for removal ... per 100, 45s.; per doz. 6s.
Standards ... each 1s. 6d. and 2s. 6d.

Gooseberries.

A good collection of the best Lancashire Prizo and other varieties.

Strong Bushes per 100, 21s. to 35s.; per doz. 3s., 4s. 6d., and 6s.

WHINHAM'S "INDUSTRY." A superb variety, bearing a wonderful profusion of large handsome fruit, which are of a dull red colour when ripe. This is one of the best and most prolific gooseberries in cultivation, and has proved itself invaluable for culinary and market purposes.

Strong bushes, per 100, 40s.; per doz. 6s.; each 8d.

British Crown
Broom Girl
Companion
Crown Bob
Drill
Duck-wing
Governess
Gunner
Ironmonger
Lancashire Lad
Leader
Lion's Provider
London

Overall
Pilot
Pitmaston Greengage
Red Champagne
Red Warrington
Rifleman
Roaring Lion
Rough Red
Slaughterman
Snowdrop
Thumper
Whitesmith
Yellow Champagne

And others.

Currants.

Strong bushes ... per 100, 21s. to 35s.; per doz. 3s. to 6s.

BLACK CHAMPION. A very fine and remarkable variety, bearing large bunches of handsome, globular, richly-flavoured fruit, the individual berries, when well grown, being equal in size to medium-sized grapes. It is a vigorous grower, wonderfully prolific, and retains its splendid colour and freshness for a much longer time than other varieties; undoubtedly the best of all the black currants. Was awarded a First Class Certificate by the Royal Horticultural Society, and pronounced by the Committee to be the finest Black Currant ever seen at South Kensington.

Strong young bushes, per doz. 4s. 6d.; each 6d.

Fay's Prolific. Decidedly the best Red Currant we have. The bush is a strong grower, wonderfully prolific, and comes into bearing early. The fruit is large, bright red, and of excellent flavour

per doz. 6s.; each 8d.

BLACK—
Common
Lee's Prolific
Naples
Ogden's
WHITE—
Dutch
Transparent White

RED—
Cherry
La Fertile
New Giant
Red Castle. Fine
Red Dutch
&c., &c.

Raspberries.

2s. to 3s. per doz. 12s. to 20s. per 100.

Fastolf | Red Antwerp
Fillbasket | White Antwerp

Baumforth's Seedling. A fine new variety; fruit very large, of the most beautiful crimson colour; an abundant bearer, of good habit

... per 100, 21s.; per doz. 3s.

THE MOST PRODUCTIVE GOOSEBERRY IN CULTIVATION



"WHINHAM'S INDUSTRY" GOOSEBERRY.

"WHINHAM'S INDUSTRY" GOOSEBERRY.

THIS superb variety has fairly established its reputation as one of the finest and most profitable Gooseberries in existence. The fruit are of enormous size, and when ripe, of a dark, dusky red colour; it is of fine quality, and cannot be surpassed for preserving. The plant is of robust growth, and, as shown in our illustration, is marvellously prolific. Upwards of three tons of splendid fruit have been gathered from half-an-acre, and as much as twenty-six tons of this fine Gooseberry have been grown on 3½ acres.

"Whinham's Industry" Gooseberry attains a marketable size quite three weeks in advance of any other variety of Gooseberry at present in cultivation, and in consequence commands the highest prices obtainable in the market. It is undoubtedly the heaviest cropping variety in cultivation, and has never been known to fail in producing a splendid crop even in seasons when other varieties were a failure. It possesses a peculiar advantage over other kinds by coming into leaf some time before it flowers, consequently the foliage protects the bloom from destructive Spring frosts. Another property is that it succeeds better than any other variety under the shade of trees.

Strong bushes, per 100, 40s.; per doz. 6s.; each 8d.

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CARNATIONS

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- 1 St Gatien
2. Comte de Chambord
3. Germania
4. Queen of Roses
5. Queen Mab
6. Cara Roma
7. Leslie Daniels

Daniels Bros
Seed Growers & Nurserymen, Norwich

Carnations and Picotees.

(See Coloured Plate.)

Our Grounds are peculiarly well suited for the cultivation of these charming and highly popular flowers, and we have much pleasure in stating that our stock for the present season, consisting of many thousands of the choicest varieties in commerce, is in unusually fine condition, the plants being thoroughly healthy and well-rooted. As we have a very great demand for Carnations and Picotees, we respectfully beg that, to prevent disappointment, our Customers will kindly favour us with their orders as early as convenient.

NEW VARIETIES FOR 1893.

	each—s. d.
CANTAB. Deep bright scarlet self, a large flower of great substance; being as powerfully scented as the Old Clove, it is unique amongst scarlet varieties ...	3 6
EMPRESS. Beautiful pure white, with bell-like petals, a large smooth flower of first-class quality, medium height, splendid habit, and a non-burster ...	3 0
HORACE. Rich dazzling scarlet, a very free bloomer of strong vigorous habit, and which does not burst; a splendid variety for cutting. First Class Certificate, Chiswick ...	2 0

	each—s. d.
LESLIE DANIELS. Large splendidly-formed flowers of great substance; colour, a rich orange crimson, flaked and splashed with maroon. The plant is a strong grower of medium height, and the flowers do not burst ...	7 6
QUEEN MAB. Golden yellow, flaked and splashed with carmine; strong grower of medium height. This is a very fine and strikingly handsome flower ...	5 0
QUEEN OF ROSES. A lovely flower of great size and substance that does not burst; colour, a brilliant carmine rose; good habit, and a free bloomer ...	3 6

NEW AND VERY CHOICE SORTS.

	each—s. d.
Alice Ayres. Pure pearly white, the centre petals delicately marked with carmine, most beautiful form ...	1 0
Agnes Chambers. Very fine yellow, with a narrow margin of reddish-pink; a large, very full and smooth petalled flower ...	2 0
Amy Herbert (1891). A fine deep-bodied rose self, showing bright cerise by artificial light; large flower ...	2 0
Annie Douglas. Yellow, heavily edged with bright shaded pink, a beautifully formed smooth-petalled flower; a fine grower ...	2 0
C. A. Hanbury. Clear yellow self, good strong grower and free bloomer ...	1 6
Cara Roma. A beautiful glowing maroon with a soft blending of mulberry; a large flower of fine substance ...	1 6
Comte de Chambord. A new variety, possessing very considerable attractions, large flesh-white flowers ...	1 6
Countess of Paris. Delicate flesh colour, fine bold flower ...	2 6
Dorothy. Buff ground, edged and flaked reddish-pink ...	1 0
Duc de Ragueuse. Velvety-crimson, compact flower ...	1 0
Duke of Fife (new). Clear soft salmon-scarlet, one of the largest and finest ever introduced ...	3 0
Favourite. White ground, edged rose; a good flower ...	1 0
Firefly. Bright scarlet flower of medium size ...	1 0
Fireman. Deep bright scarlet, a very erect and sturdy grower ...	1 0
Germania. Large, bold, perfectly formed flowers, with broad flat petals; colour, a soft pure yellow, undoubtedly the finest yellow Carnation ever sent out. First Class Certificate, R.H.S. ...	3 for 2s. 6d.
Gloire de Nancy. Large pure white clove-scented ...	0 8
La Niede (Perpetual, new). Splendid new pure white, of dwarf robust habit; first class for pot culture ...	3 0
Leander (1891). Intense deep yellow self, a fine heavy shell-like petal, especially useful in wet seasons, as it withstands the heavy rains better than most of its class ...	3 0
Miss Joliffe (Perpetual). Pale pink, dwarf habit, very fine flowering, splendid for Winter blooming ...	1 6

	each—s. d.
Miss Thoday (new). Pure white, large smooth petals and firm calyx; splendid for cutting or for exhibition ...	2 0
Montague (1891). Rich deep scarlet, a very large flower of splendid form and substance; said to be the finest scarlet variety ever offered to the public ...	3 6
Mr. Dennis. Primrose yellow self, medium size ...	1 0
Mrs. Frank Watts. The finest White Border Carnation in cultivation. The flowers are very large and full, smooth edge, of a beautiful pure white, very fragrant, and do not burst ...	1 6
Mrs. Reynolds Hole. Quite a new and altogether novel shade of colour amongst Carnations, somewhat difficult to describe—salmon-apricot is the nearest blending of colour to liken it to; possessing a vigorous constitution, producing a great quantity of flowers, and has been awarded several First Class Certificates ...	1 6
Mrs. Thornhill. Beautiful bright salmon-pink, delicately fringed, very much like "Raby Castle," does not split the calyx ...	1 0
Raby Castle. Clear soft salmon-pink, neatly fringed; very pleasing ...	1 0
Redbraes (Picotee). White ground, edged with purple ...	1 0
Sandringham Scarlet. Deep bright scarlet colour, very intense, a good grower and free ...	1 0
Sir Beauchamp Seymour. Orange buff, edged with carmine, extra free. Has been awarded a First Class Certificate. A novel and distinct variety ...	1 6
Souvenir de la Malmaison. Well known grand old variety with very large delicate pink flowers ...	1 6
Souvenir de la Malmaison, New Crimson. A grand novelty, bearing immense rose-like flowers; colour, a deep velvety crimson-scarlet, splendid variety ...	2 6
St. Gatien. White, flaked with delicate rose. A charming flower of good form ...	2 0
Terra-Cotta. Terra-cotta ground colour, beautifully edged with bright pink, large, full, and of perfect form ...	1 6
The Coroner. Rich scarlet, early and free ...	1 6
Vizier. White, striped with deep rose; a fine flower ...	1 0

Carnations and Picotees in Collections.

50 in 50 choice named sorts ...	40s.
25 in 25 extra choice sorts ...	21s.
25 in 25 standard varieties ...	17s. 6d.
12 in 12 extra choice sorts ...	12s.
12 in 12 good sorts ...	9s.
12 in 12 popular varieties ...	6s.

PERPETUAL or TREE CARNATIONS in Pots—
A good collection of choice sorts, per doz. 18s., 21s., 24s., and 30s.

YELLOW AND YELLOW-GROUND CARNATIONS AND PICOTEES—

Including all the leading varieties, our selection per doz. 18s.

SELECTED BORDER CARNATIONS (Seedlings)—

All good double flowers, and in fine variety per doz. 4s. 6d.

Crimson Clove. The fine old spice-scented variety per doz. 5s.; each 6d.

White Clove. Pure white, deliciously scented per doz. 5s.; each 6d.

Select Hardy Florists' Flowers.



NEW PINK HER MAJESTY.

Garden Pinks.

Her Majesty (new). We have much pleasure in drawing attention to this charming novelty, which is far away the finest and best White Garden Pink in cultivation. The plants are of sturdy compact growth, the flowers are very large, resembling those of a Carnation, pure white, and of the most delicious fragrance. Splendid as a cut flower, and a first-class variety for forcing. Has been awarded Nine First Class Certificates per doz. 7s. 6d.; each 9d.

Mrs. J. M. Welsh. This is a very charming new variety, out-vicing considerably that now well-known and universally appreciated white variety, *Mrs. Sinkins*. In habit it closely resembles the variety mentioned, and produces quite as freely large entire pure white flowers, lacking the green centre and the tendency to burst which is sometimes exhibited in the case of *Mrs. Sinkins* per doz. 5s.; each 6d.

Mrs. Sinkins. The largest pure white grown, dwarf free habit, very hardy per doz. 5s.; each 6d.

Old double white fringed per doz. 2s. 6d.

Early Blush. Blush pink, large double fringed flowers per doz. 4s. 6d.; each 6d.

Choice named varieties. Including the most beautiful named sorts, our selection per doz. 4s. and 6s.

Perennial Gaillardias.

(*Gaillardia hybrida grandiflora*.)

SPLENDID hardy perennials. The very large and beautiful flowers are almost unique in their charming blendings of the many rich shades of brown, maroon, and golden yellow, and being of good substance are first-class to cut for indoor decoration, as the blooms will last a week in water. The plants, which are of a bushy habit of growth, attain about 2½ feet in height, will thrive in any soil, and produce a profusion of their lovely flowers from June to October.

	each—s.	d.
Admiration. Vermilion, edged with golden yellow	... 2	6
Addison. Crimson, edged with gold	... 1	0
A-la-Mode. Very large red, shaded yellow	... 2	0
Banquo. Orange, red centre, fine	... 1	0
Bellini. Crimson, yellow edge; fine	... 2	0
Diana. Deep crimson with golden edge	... 1	0
Grandiflora. Rich crimson, edged yellow	... 1	0
Lutea. Very fine yellow	... 0	9
Maximus. Blood crimson, edged golden yellow	... 1	6
Perfection. Brilliant scarlet, edged with yellow	... 1	0
Splendida. Very rich crimson, margined orange yellow	1	0
Splendidissima plena. Double crimson, gold edge	2	6
Superbum. Deep crimson, with broad yellow edge	... 1	0
Vivian Grey. Yellow, a grand flower	... 2	6

Choice named varieties, our selection per doz. 12s. and 18s.
Choice mixed seedlings, will produce some beautiful flowers ... per doz. 4s. 6d.; 6 for 2s. 6d.

Delphiniums.

SINGLE AND DOUBLE-FLOWERED.

THESE fine hardy plants are deserving a place in every garden they continue in bloom for a long time in Summer, many of the varieties producing spikes of bloom one foot to two feet in length, and of the most intense and delicate colours.

Belladonna (Single). Very pale blue, a lovely shade of colour, splendid for cutting. Plant of dwarf habit each 9d.

Choice named sorts, our selection per doz. 6s. and 9s.

Perennial Phloxes.

MAGNIFICENT hardy plants, in bloom from July to November. The flowers, which are produced in grand spikes, are of the most beautiful form, and the colours range from the most intense crimson and scarlet to the palest white, and white with delicately coloured eyes. Will succeed well planted out in Spring and grown as Chrysanthemums. We have a fine collection of these, upwards of 100 varieties, including the most charming flowers in cultivation.

EARLY-FLOWERING—Angus, Clipper, Forerunner, Hercules, Mrs. Miller, John Forbes, King of Purples, Mrs. Walker, &c.

LATE-FLOWERING—Annabel, Aurora, Charles Pearson, Decius, Gloire du Poiteau, Jessie Laird, Mrs. Laing, Miss Balfour, Roi des Blancs, Roi des Roses, Telephone, The Mc Newman, W. Kilgour, and many others.

Strong Plants established in pots, our own selection, in beautiful variety to name per doz. 4s. 6d., 6s., and 9s.; per 100, 30s. and 40s.

From **The Rev. J. WILKINSON**, Rodmersham Vicarage.

Oct. 19th. "The **Fuchsias** you sent me in May, and the **Dahlias** as well, have flowered remarkably well."

From **Mrs. H. B. LANGHAM**, St. Peter's, Thanet.

Oct. 13th. "The **Palms** and **Ferns** you recently supplied me with are doing well, and in every way satisfactory."

From **Miss J. ARDEN**, Fulbrook, Burton-under-Needwood.

June 11th. "Miss Arden received the lovely **Flowers** Messrs. Daniels sent her; they were beautifully fresh."

From **Mr. W. BOOTH**, Dronfield, Derbyshire.

Oct. 1st. "I was very pleased with the last **Roses** you sent me, they have done exceedingly well."

From **Mr. G. KNELLER**, Petersfield.

Dec. 3rd. "The **Dahlias** received from you this Summer have proved most satisfactory; they have been the admiration of many."

From **Mr. FREDERICK TAPP**, Thornton Heath.

Jan. 27th. "The **Roses** you sent me in the early part of last year did exceedingly well."

Hardy Perennial Flowering Plants.

We have a fine collection of these popular, interesting, and beautiful plants, which are daily coming more and more into favour with the Gardening Public. All the varieties are perennial, extremely hardy, and many of them produce flowers of the most exquisite beauty, which are very valuable for cutting, whilst the dwarfier growing sorts are admirably suited for rockeries, or edgings. No special soil or position is necessary, as with but very few exceptions, they will thrive almost anywhere, and with a moderate collection, a charming variety and succession of bloom may be had throughout the Spring and Summer. The plants we offer are all grown in pots, and may be removed at any time or season.



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Achillæa mongolica. Height about 18 inches, pure white flowers in May and June; splendid for cutting each 1s.
 „ **The Pearl (new).** Large double, pure white flowers, similar to *A. ptarmica fl. pl.*, but more than double the size; fine for cutting ... each 1s.
Adonis vernalis. This is a beautiful, early, Spring-blooming plant, with clear golden yellow flowers, known as the “God of Love.” The individual blooms are very large comparative to the size of the many-times divided foliage, its general height being six inches. It will thrive in any kind of soil and most situations, and is perfectly hardy per doz. 4s. 6d.; each 6d.
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Anthericum. Beautiful hardy border plants, bearing elegant spikes of pure white flowers in Spring; height about eighteen inches. These are exceedingly useful for cut flowers and should be found in every garden.
 „ **Liliago (St. Bernard’s Lily)** per doz. 5s.; each 6d.
 „ **Liliastrum (St. Bruno’s Lily)** per doz. 7s. 6d.; each 9d.
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Asters (Michaelmas Daisies).
 „ **Dumesus.** Flowers bright purple, 2½ feet high, flowers in September ... each 9d.
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 „ „ **alba.** A white form of the preceding per doz. 5s.; each 6d.
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 „ **persicifolia alba grandiflora pl.** Produces spikes two feet high, of pure white double flowers, useful for cutting ... each 9d.
 „ **pyramidalis (The Chimney Campanula).** Long spikes of blue, salver-like flowers; excellent for single specimens in herbaceous border or for pots ... each 6d.
 „ „ **alba.** A white flowering form of the preceding; makes a fine pot plant ... each 9d.
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Delphiniums (see page 106).

Hardy Perennial Flowering Plants (continued).

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- Doronicum austriacum.** Bright golden yellow flowers in Spring; very showy ... per doz. 7s. 6d.; each 9d.
- " **Harpur Crewe** (*plantaginicum excelsum*). A magnificent variety, growing three to four feet high, bearing bold golden yellow flowers three to four inches across. First-class for cutting, and an almost perpetual bloomer ... per doz. 10s. 6d.; each 1s.
- Echinops ritro.** A fine perennial, growing three to four feet high, bearing numerous globular heads of blue flowers ... each 9d.
- Erigeron aurantiacus.** A fine new variety, growing about nine inches high and bearing bright orange-coloured flowers as large as a crown piece. A very free bloomer ... per doz. 7s. 6d.; each 9d.
- Erigeron (Stenactis) speciosa superba.** Beautiful border perennial, growing about three feet high, covered for a long time with beautiful large bright purple flowers with yellow centre; very fine ... per doz. 7s. 6d.; each 9d.
- Funkia, or Plantain Lily.** Fine hardy border plants, the flowers of *F. subcordata grandiflora* almost equalling those of the Eucharis. The leaves are large, heart-shaped, and are finely effective for clumps on mixed borders, as edgings to large beds of sub-tropical plants, etc.
- " **lanceolata.** Dwarf-growing; lilac purple flowers ... per doz. 5s.; each 6d.
- " **marginata.** A form of the preceding, with beautifully variegated leaves ... per doz. 5s.; each 6d.
- " **Sieboldi.** Glaucous foliage and pink Lily-like flowers; very beautiful ... each 9d.
- " **subcordata grandiflora.** A beautiful variety with bright green foliage ... per doz. 5s.; each 6d.
- Gaillardias** (see page 106).
- Galega officinalis alba.** Produces a profusion of white Pea-shaped flowers; useful for cutting ... each 6d.
- Gentiana acaulis.** Intense blue, very fine ... per doz. 7s. 6d.; each 9d.
- " **verna.** One of the most brilliant of all Alpine flowers; one to three inches high, forming dense tufts of intense blue flowers ... per doz. 7s. 6d.; each 9d.
- Geum coccineum plenum.** Height about two feet, bearing a profusion of double, bright scarlet flowers; first-rate for cutting ... per doz. 8s.; each 9d.
- Harpalum rigidum.** Rich golden yellow flowers with a black disc, resembling a small Sunflower ... per doz. 5s.; each 6d.
- Helenium pumilum.** Beautiful Autumn-blooming plant, eighteen inches high, bearing a profusion of bright yellow flowers ... per doz. 7s. 6d.; 3 for 2s.; each 9d.
- " **autumnale.** Bright yellow flowers; fine for Autumn display ... each 9d.
- Helianthus multiflorus plenus** (*Perennial Sunflower*). Height three to four feet, beautiful golden yellow double flowers in Autumn ... per doz. 8s.; each 9d.
- " **Soleil d'Or.** A fine variety, with deep orange yellow double flowers ... each 1s.
- " (**Harpalum**) **lætiflorus.** Similar in growth and foliage to *Harpalum rigidum*, but with semi-double flowers, and coming into bloom later ... each 9d.
- Hemerocallis flava.** A beautiful hardy border plant, producing in June and July large umbels of beautiful Lily-like flowers, of a bright yellow colour, and finely scented ... per doz. 4s. 6d.; each 6d.
- " **fulva.** Bronzy orange, shading to crimson ... per doz. 3s. 6d.; each 4d.
- " **disticha fl. pl.** Large, double, bronzy yellow flowers; very fine ... each 1s.
- Hemerocallis Kwanso fl. pl. variegata.** One of the most beautiful hardy variegated plants in cultivation; is admirably suited as a decorative plant for the greenhouse or conservatory ... per doz. 7s. 6d.; each 9d.
- Helleborus (Christmas Rose).** *H. niger* and *H. niger maximus* are undoubtedly the finest hardy Winter-flowering plants in cultivation, producing beautiful white flowers through the Winter; useful for potting for greenhouse decoration, and are worthy of extensive cultivation when grown outside. The flowers are much improved in their purity of whiteness and size, if hand-lights or bell-glasses are placed over them just prior to and during the blooming season.
- " **Niger (Christmas Rose).** Fine pure white, abundant bloomer ... per doz. 10s. 6d.; each 1s.
- " **maximus.** A fine variety, large pure white flowers, splendid; should be in every garden ... per doz. 24s.; each 2s. 6d.
- " **atrorubens.** Flowers purplish red, very numerous in clusters; blooms in Mid-Winter ... per doz. 15s.; each 1s. 6d.
- Hepaticas.** These are amongst the most charming Spring-blooming plants we possess, and should certainly be found in every garden.
- " **angulosa.** Sky blue; beautiful ... per doz. 7s. 6d.; each 9d.
- " **triloba alba.** Single, white ... each 0s. 9d.
- " **cærulea.** Single, blue ... 0s. 6d.
- " **fl. pl.** Double, blue ... 1s. 6d.
- " **rubra.** Single, red ... 0s. 9d.
- " **fl. pl.** Double, red ... 1s. 0d.
- Heuchera sanguinea.** It forms a neat compact tuft of deep cordate leaves, of a light green colour and slightly hairy. The flower stems are slender and much branched, from twelve to eighteen inches in height, covered with bright crimson tubular flowers lasting in bloom the whole of the Summer ... per doz. 10s.; each 1s.
- Inula glandulosa.** A fine hardy plant, growing about two feet high, and bearing large, single, Helianthus-like yellow flowers ... each 1s.
- Lathyrus latifolius albus** (*The White Everlasting Pea*). Beautiful clusters of pure white flowers; exceedingly useful hardy climber ... per doz. 10s. 6d.; each 1s.
- " **Drummondii.** Pretty clusters of bright terra-cotta red flowers; very early and quite distinct ... each 1s. 6d.
- Lychnis dioica rubra fl. pl.** A plant of great beauty, exceedingly useful for cutting; large double crimson flowers; a first-class border plant ... per doz. 5s.; each 6d.
- " **viscaria splendens plena.** A distinct and splendid variety, growing about eighteen inches high and bearing a profusion of large, double, brilliant rose-coloured flowers ... per doz. 6s.; each 8d.
- " **chalconica.** Height about three feet; brilliant scarlet, very showy ... each 9d.
- Matricaria inodora grandiflora pl.** Flowers pure white; useful for cutting ... each 6d.
- Oenothera acaulis vera.** A beautiful dwarf-growing species, with large white flowers; very distinct ... per doz. 7s. 6d.; each 9d.
- " **macrocarpa.** A fine hardy perennial, forming a trailing mass of foliage covered with large soft yellow flowers ... each 6d.
- " **Youngi.** Height two feet, with deep golden yellow flowers; a first-class hardy plant ... per doz. 7s. 6d.; each 9d.
- Pæonies, Herbaceous** (see page 99).
- Phloxes, Perennial** (see page 106).
- Phlox subulata.** (Dwarf Spring-flowering Phloxes). Beautiful compact-growing varieties, forming dense cushions of lovely flowers, that continue for a long time; splendid for rockeries, edgings, or massing.
- " **frondosa.** Dense evergreen foliage, lovely pink flowers, dark centro ... per doz. 4s.; each 6d.
- " **verna.** A very beautiful trailing species; flowers large, deep rose colour ... per doz. 4s.; each 6d.
- Physalis alkakengi** (*Winter Cherry*). Bears numerous bright berries, which are most attractive in late Autumn ... each 6d.

Hardy Perennial Flowering Plants (continued).



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Papaver nudicaule (*Iceland Poppies*). Most useful and beautiful hardy flowers. They are very graceful in habit of growth, having attractive bright green foliage formed in tufts, the flowers rising on slender stems about one foot high, and are charming as cut flowers.

- “ **nudicaule**. Bright pale yellow per doz 5s.; each 6d.
- “ **nudicaule alba**. Pure white per doz. 5s.; each 6d.
- “ **miniatum**. Brilliant orange scarlet per doz. 5s.; each 6d.
- * “ **bracteata** (true). A charming species, with immense deep blood-erimson flowers... each 1s.
- * “ **Royal Scarlet**. The flowers are unequalled for size and brilliancy, measuring when fully expanded 12 inches in diameter, and are of a glowing scarlet colour each 1s. 6d.

* *Large-flowered Perennial Poppies, very showy and splendid flowers, first-class for mixed or shrubby borders.*

Polemonium Richardsoni. Beautiful hardy perennial, blooming in June, height eighteen inches, flowers sky blue with golden yellow anthers; very pretty each 9d.

- “ **cæruleum**. Pale blue; very useful per doz. 4s. 6d.; each 6d.
- “ **Himalaicum**. Vigorous habit of growth, with large branching spikes of azure blue flowers, 1 inch to 1½ inch across; very handsome ... each 1s.

Potentillas (see page 99).

Primroses and Polyanthuses. A beautiful and indispensable class of brilliant Spring-flowering plants, blooming at the same time as *Narcissi* and many other bulbs; many of the single-flowered varieties are exceedingly handsome.

- Double White** ... per doz. 6s.; each 8d.
- “ **Lilac** ... “ 6s.; “ 8d.
- “ **Yellow** ... “ 6s.; “ 8d.
- “ **Purplish-crimson** ... “ 10s.; “ 1s.
- Single “Harbinger.”** A superb large-flowered, early blooming variety, with lovely white flowers with an orange centre. Strong plants in pots per doz. 10s. 6d.; each 1s.
- “ **mixed hybrids**. Very fine and brilliant per 100, 17s. 6d.; per doz. 2s. 6d.
- Polyanthus, Gold-laced**. Fine seedlings, all good flowers ... per 100, 21s.; per doz. 3s. 6d.

Pyrethrums (see page 99).

Rudbeckia Newmanni. A splendid hardy free-flowering plant, height about two feet; flowers golden yellow with black centres ... per doz. 5s.; each 6d.

- “ **purpurea**. Height two feet; large purplish flowers with black centres; very striking ... each 1s.

Scabiosa caucasica. Large, handsome, pale lilac-blue flowers, four to six inches across, fine for cutting, one of the best perennials grown; good flowering plants... each 1s.

Senecio pulcher (see illustration). A very fine hardy perennial, flowers large, purplish crimson with yellow centre; three feet high; a fine Autumn bloomer each 9d.

- “ **doronicum**. Large golden-yellow flowers on stems twelve inches in height; a first-class plant; fine for cutting ... each 6d.

Spiræa aruncus. A handsome, stately-growing, border plant, from three to five feet high, with magnificent plumes of creamy white flowers ... each 1s.

- “ **astilboides**. A beautiful Japanese species, about two feet high, producing dense plumes of feathery white flowers; easily grown in pots or borders each 1s.
- “ **flipendula fl. pl.** Numerous corymbs of double white flowers and pretty fern-like foliage, very hardy and desirable ... per doz. 7s. 6d.; each 9d.
- “ **palmata** (*Crimson Meadow Sweet*). A very fine border plant, flowers rich crimson. Is well described by its popular name ... each 9d.

Trillium grandiflorum (*Large-flowered White Wood Lily*). A very pleasing plant for moist shady nooks, flowers snowy-white on stems about one foot high ... each 9d.

Tritoma grandiflora glauca. One of the grandest of the group; large brilliant spikes of orange red flowers four to five feet long ... per doz. 10s. 6d.; each 1s.

- “ **uvaria grandiflora**. Crimson and orange flowers; very fine spikes of bloom per doz. 10s. 6d.; each 1s.

Trollius Europæus. Beautiful Spring-flowering plant, with large, globular, lemon-coloured and delicately scented flowers ... per doz. 7s. 6d.; each 9d.

- “ **Fortunei fl. pl.** Beautiful semi-double flowers; colour, a bright rich orange; charming for cutting each 1s. 6d.

Verbena venosa. A hardy perennial Verbena bearing a profusion of purplish-blue flowers on long stems per doz. 6s.; each 8d.

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Ageratum. Dwarf. Blue ... per 100, 17s. 6d.	2 6
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Dahlias, <i>see pages 116 to 120</i> .	
Daisies, <i>see page 111</i> .	
Diplacus Californicus. Similar in habit to Pentstemon, flowers orange buff ...	4 0
Echeveria secunda glauca ... per 100, 21s.	3 0

Fuchsias. In beautiful variety, including best sorts ... per doz.—s. d.	4s. and 6 0
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Crimson, Henry Jacoby. Splendid dark ... per 100, 30s.	4 0
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Mesembryanthemum cordifolium variegatum. Splendid bedding plant ...	2 6
Myosotis, <i>see page 111</i> .	
Pansies and Violas, <i>see page 111</i> .	
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"Your Fuchsias, 'Magnificent,' 'Countess of Aberdeen,' and Mrs. E. G. Hill came out splendidly, and were a source of delight and pleasure to every visitor to the house."

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"The Geraniums I had from you have been magnificent."

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"The Dahlias I had from you last year were splendid, especially 'Miss Browning,' 'The Fuchsia,' Mrs. E. G. Hill has had four of the largest flowers I ever saw, and were greatly admired by all my friends."

From Mr. WILLIAM PERRY, Sutton St. James.

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"The Dahlias you sent me in Spring have flowered splendidly."

Miscellaneous Spring-flowering Plants.



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Double Daisies. Well known beautiful and brilliant little plants for edgings of beds or borders, which continue in bloom throughout the months of April and May; the dark crimson and pure white are very handsome.

Large crimson ... per 100, 16s.; per doz. 2s. 6d.
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Erica. *Herbacea (carnea).* A procumbent little shrubby evergreen plant; flowers deep flesh-coloured with black anthers, produced in wreath-like spikes, from middle of January to end of March

per doz. 7s. 6d.; each 9d.
Carnea alba. A pure white-flowered variety of the preceding, very fine per doz. 10s. 6d.; each 1s.

Hepaticas. These are amongst the most charming Spring-blooming plants we possess, and should certainly be found in every garden. The beautiful species *H. angulosa* forms lovely compact masses of tender blue flowers, that form a delightful contrast with most other plants. The varieties of *H. triloba* are also very beautiful, and desirable alike for clumps on the permanent border or as edgings thereto.

Angulosa. Sky blue; beautiful per doz. 7s. 6d.; each 9d.
Triloba alba. Single, white ... " 9d.
 " *cærulea.* Single, blue ... " 6d.
 " " fl. pl. Double blue ... each 1s. 6d.
 " *rubra.* Single, red ... each 9d.
 " " fl. pl. Double, red ... " 1s.

Bedding Pansies and Violas. The Pansies and Violas are amongst the very best of our Spring and Summer flowering bedders. They are wonderfully free-flowering and pretty, and will thrive in almost any soil, but should not be planted in a hot dry position. A spot where they are shaded from strong sunshine for some part of the day, a north or west border suits them admirably, and a fair supply of weak liquid manure in dry weather will keep them in splendid flower.

Ardwell Gem. Sulphur yellow, dwarf habit. A profuse bloomer per doz. 4s. 6d.; each 6d.

Blue King. Magnificent variety, producing an abundance of large deep ultramarine blue flowers, which continue from early Spring till late in Autumn; should be in every garden, per 100, 16s.; per doz. 3s.; each 4d.

Cliveden Purple. Fine large flowers of a rich bright purple colour, a constant bloomer per 100, 15s.; per doz. 2s. 6d.; each 3d.

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Jeffrey's White. Pure white, dwarf per doz., 6s.; each 8d.

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- W. A. Manda.** A most beautiful variety of the Incurved Japanese type, and with the same hirsute character as *Mrs. Alpheus Hardy* and *Louis Boehmer*, but in a more marked degree, whilst the petals are broader and the whole flower is of better form. The colour is a beautiful deep chrome or golden-yellow throughout, and the plant, which is of a good dwarf strong habit of growth, is a profuse bloomer. This is a flower of exquisite beauty and one that will become highly popular.
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BEAUTIFUL free-flowering half-hardy plants, in bloom almost throughout the year. Exceedingly useful for cut flowers, especially during the Winter months. Planted out in May they form beautiful objects in the garden, and will continue in bloom till killed by the frost, or the plants may be lifted in Autumn, repotted and transferred to the greenhouse, where they will continue in beautiful bloom throughout the Winter.

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	each—s. d.		each—s. d.
COUNTESS OF PEMBROKE (Decorative). One of the most attractive flowers of this class; of a delicate lilac colour, the base of the florets being deep green, giving a wonderful display of light and shade	1 6	EDMUND WEEKLEY. This is undoubtedly the finest variety of this shade; it has many points to recommend it—a free habit, abundance of flowers thrown well up above the foliage, while the colour is a most pleasing maroon, shading to crimson-scarlet	1 6
DELICATA. This is by far the most beautiful of all the Cactus Dahlias yet raised, and must become one of the most popular of this section. The colour is distinct from that of any other variety, and of a most pleasing shade—a most delicate pink, fading towards the centre to a pale yellow. The petals are long, narrow, or twisted, and could be briefly described as a pink “ <i>Jaurezi</i> .” Undoubtedly, it will become a great favourite, and should be in the hands of every one. First Class Certificate by N.C.S.	1 6	MRS. G. MARSHALL. A grand improvement on “ <i>Empress of India</i> ,” more defined in colour and much better form; the colour is a deep magenta, each petal distinctly edged with velvety crimson	2 6
KYNERITH. A deep rich vermilion, a lighter shade at the base of the florets, absolutely an improvement on “ <i>Jaurezi</i> ,” flowering much more freely, and never showing green scales in the centre of the flower	2 6	RAYON D’OR. One of the greatest novelties among the fancy Cactus section, distinct, striking, and effective, and one that will become a great favourite. The colour is unique, bright orange with a conspicuous band of white running through each petal; flowers of medium size, broad, stout petals, and very abundant, and was one of the great attractions at the various exhibitions, autumn, 1892	1 6
MAID OF KENT. Crimson, shading to an intense cherry-red, with pure white tips to each petal, rendering it very effective; fine habit, and exceedingly free flowering. First Class Certificate	1 0	ST. CATHERINE. A true Cactus in form, with long, spiral, pointed petals; a cadmium yellow colour, or soft reddish amber; by far the best yellow Cactus yet produced; very free flowering	2 6

OLDER VARIETIES—General List.

The Decorative Varieties are intermediate between the Cactus and Show and Fancy.

	each—s. d.		each—s. d.
Amphion. Chrome-yellow flushed with cerise, long pointed petals, very fine and distinct	0 9	Henry Patrick. Beautiful pure white; splendid	0 9
Annie Harvey (<i>Semi-cactus</i>). Deep maroon crimson	0 6	Honoria. Pale amber, long pointed petals	0 9
Asia. Delicate rosy peach blossom, very beautiful	0 9	Juarezi (<i>The True Cactus Dahlia</i>). Brilliant scarlet, large Cactus-like flowers, very showy and effective	0 8
Beauty of Brentwood. Bright purple, showy	0 9	King of Cactus. Light crimson red; immense flowers, very showy	0 6
Beauty of Arundel. Most superb variety. Colour, a brilliant glowing crimson, the tips of the petals shaded bright rosy purple. First Class Certificate Royal Horticultural Society	1 6	Lady E. Dyke. Yellow, medium size; very free	0 9
Black Prince. The finest and best dark Cactus Dahlia yet raised. The flowers are large, finely formed, and of a rich purplish-black colour. First Class Certificate National Dahlia Show	1 9	Lady Kerrison. Yellow, edged with crimson	0 9
Cannell’s Favorite. Quite distinct in colour, which is a charming yellow bronze or old gold. A very fine flower. First Class Certificate	1 0	Lady Marsham. Deep salmon; splendid flower	0 9
Centennial (new). Magenta crimson with side margins of deep maroon, very distinct	1 0	Marchioness of Bute. Pure white, the petals tipped with bright delicate rose	1 0
Cochineal (<i>Semi-cactus</i>). Rich deep crimson	0 6	Mrs. J. Douglas. Colour a bright pinkish salmon. A fine flower and free bloomer. First Class Certificate	1 0
Charming Bride. White, tipped with rosy pink, fine	0 9	Mikado. Orange buff, very fine and distinct	0 9
Duke of Clarence. Deep rich maroon crimson with fiery scarlet shading towards the top of petals, dwarf. Awarded two First Class Certificates	1 6	Miss Barry. Bright rich purple; large and splendid flower	0 9
Empress of India. Large, splendidly formed flowers; deep crimson and maroon shaded black	0 9	Mr. G. Reid (Decorative). White, tipped with rosy lilac a beautiful variety of good size and substance	0 9
Fascination (Decorative). Lovely bright lilac-rose, each petal being conspicuously marked with a pure white stripe; charming variety	0 9	Mrs. Hawkins. Soft primrose yellow, shaded delicate fawn on the outer petals; a charming flower	0 8
Germania Nova (Decorative). A distinct and beautiful variety; colour, a soft mauve-rose; the tips of the petals beautifully lacinated	0 9	Panthea. Reddish salmon, with long graceful petals of the <i>Jaurezi</i> type; a superb flower	0 9
General Gordon. Bright scarlet, good form	0 6	Prince Albert Victor. Deep rich scarlet	0 9
Harry Freeman. Finest pure white Cactus Dahlia yet sent out. Very free-flowering and of great value for cutting. First Class Certificate	1 0	Professor Baldwin. Brilliant scarlet; splendid	0 9
		Robert Maher. Bright clear yellow, a very free bloomer of good habit. First Class Certificate	0 9
		Sir Trevor Lawrence. Bright cherry scarlet, shaded purple, fine	0 9
		William Darville. Bright magenta purple, with pointed, recurved petals; very distinct	0 9
		William Rayner. Beautiful bright salmon buff	0 9
		W. T. Abery (Decorative). A most beautiful semi-double flowered variety; colour, a pale lemon-yellow almost white, each petal being distinctly edged with brilliant scarlet. Plants only about 2½ feet high	3 for 2s. 0 9

New and very choice varieties, our selection per doz. 9s.; 6 for 5s.
 Choice selected sorts, our selection per doz. 6s.; 6 for 3s. 6d.
 Showy and popular varieties, our selection per doz. 4s. 6d.; 6 for 2s. 6d.

Plants and Rooted Cuttings of Choice Florists' Flowers *(continued).*

Dahlias—Show and Fancy.

OUR collection of Show and Fancy Dahlias includes all the newest and choicest varieties in commerce, and is one of the most complete and finest in the kingdom. We annually raise many thousands of these beautiful flowers, for which we have a very large and increasing demand. Customers wishing to secure special varieties should therefore kindly send us their orders as soon as convenient. Our prices for Dahlias as quoted are for strong plants from single pots, ready in May, carefully packed and sent free by parcel post. Should our customers however prefer to have them sent in pots the charge will be 6d. per doz. extra; when sent in this way we enclose extra plants in part compensation, but do not pay carriage.

PRICES OF SHOW AND FANCY DAHLIAS.

New and very choice sorts per doz.	s. d. 9 0	Good exhibition varieties per doz.	s. d. 6 0
" " " 6 for	5 0	" " " 6 for	3 6

Our own selection of popular and beautiful varieties, per 100, 31s. 6d.; per doz. 4s. 6d.; 6 for 2s. 6d.

NEW VARIETIES.

Arthur Ocock (S.). Reddish orange, a noble flower with every good quality, very large, and of fine form, petal and outline quite distinct from any other variety. Three First Class Certificates. Each 2s.

George Gordon. Bright Crimson; this is the largest and finest crimson ever offered, a flower that will please every one, petal and outline grand, extra fine back-row flower. Three First Class Certificates. Each 2s.

Mrs. Ocock (F.). Pale yellow ground, edges of petals margined with crimson, and distinctly tipped with white; a most beautiful fancy variety; this flower being very large it must not be thinned out too much. Two First Class Certificates. Each 2s.

John Walker (S.). A good white show dahlia has long been felt a desideratum by Dahlia growers, and this variety will supply the want, being pure white, a large flower of the finest form, and possessing a splendid centre. It is very constant, every flower coming good. As a proof of its value, it has been awarded Eight F. C. Certificates, including the one received at the Great Dahlia Show at the Crystal Palace. Each 2s.

Mrs. L. Stanbridge (S.). Clear amber, very beautiful; fine petal and outline. Two F. C. Certificates. Each 2s.

Mrs. McIntosh (S.). Old gold colour, very distinct and beautiful; this flower was much admired at all the exhibitions. It is a beautifully formed flower and very constant. Three First Class Certificates. Each 2s.

NEW AND SELECT VARIETIES.

S denotes Show, F Fancy.

Those not priced 6d. each.

Alice Emily (S.). Delicate buff yellow, a brighter and purer yellow at the edge of each petal, and toward the centre of the flower, petals beautifully formed, splendid outline, very constant. This variety was awarded a First Class Certificate last year at every place it was shown, including Crystal Palace, Aquarium, Trowbridge, and Royal Horticultural, 1s.

Buffalo Bill (F.). Buff, striped with vermilion, large, and very constant, 1s.

Buttercup (S.). Yellow tinged with red, very fine.

Colonist (S.). Chocolate and fawn, very distinct.

Comte de la Saux (F.). Deep lilac, striped with dark crimson, very fine, dwarf habit, 1s.

Condor (S.). Buff shaded orange.

Crimson Globe (S.). Crimson, a large deep flower, well up in the centre, good form, very constant and free. First Class Certificates at Royal Horticultural, Aquarium, and Trowbridge, 1s.

Crown Prince (S.). Yellow shaded buff, a fine flower.

Dewdrop (S.). Dark primrose.

Diadem (S.). Deep crimson, fine and constant.

Dorothy (F.). Fawn colour, flaked with maroon.

Duchess of Albany (F.). Pale orange, striped with crimson.

Duke of Connaught (S.). Dark crimson, large.

Duke of Fife (S.). Fine rich cardinal, large, with great depth of petal. First Class Certificates at Aquarium and Crystal Palace, 1s.

Edmund Boston (F.). Orange, striped crimson.

Ethel Britton (S.). Blush white, edged purple.

Falcon (S.). Light fawn.

Flag of Truce (S.). White, faintly flaked lilac.

Gaiety (F.). Yellow, striped red, and tipped white;

General Gordon (F.). Yellow, striped scarlet; very fine.

Goldfinder (S.). Yellow, tipped with red.

Gloire de Lyon (S.). Pure white, immense flowers.

Glow-worm (S.). Orange scarlet, high centre; good.

Grand National (S.). Yellow, very fine.

Harry Keith (S.). Rosy purple, very fine and constant.

Hartie King (F.). Orange, striped crimson and scarlet.

Henry Bond (S.). Bright rosy lilac, superb.

Henry Eckford (F.). Yellow, striped scarlet.

Illuminator (S.). Dark red, shaded orange; large.

James Cocker (S.). Purple, large and good.

James Vick (S.). Purplish maroon.

John Hickling (S.). Clear bright yellow, of grand form and constant, excelling by far all other yellows. First Class Certificates at Royal Horticultural and Aquarium, 1s.

Joseph B. Service (S.). Rich yellow, very fine.

Joseph Green (S.). Clear bright crimson.

Jessie Mackintosh (F.). Red, tipped with white.

King of Purples (S.). Purple, very fine.

Lottie Eckford (F.). White, beautifully striped with purple.

Majestic (S.). White ground, edged and shaded with purple, large, and in every way a fine flower. First Class Certificate at Crystal Palace, 1s.

Maggie Soul (S.). Blush white, edged purple.

Major Bartelot (F.). Orange, heavily striped maroon.

Matthew Campbell (F.). Buff or apricot, beautifully striped with crimson, 9d.

Maud Fellowes (S.). French white, tinted and shaded with purple; a grand show flower, 1s.

Miss Browning (F.). Yellow, tipped with white.

Miss Fox (S.). Blush ground, heavily edged with lake; a splendid variety. First Class Certificate at Trowbridge, 1s.

Mrs. Gladstone (S.). Delicate blush, with white centre; a most charming flower.

Miss Henshaw (S.). Pure white, large.

Mrs. J. Grieve (S.). Yellow, large and fine form.

Mrs. Langtry (S.). Cream colour, edged with crimson.

Mrs. N. Halls (F.). Bright scarlet, tipped with white.

Mrs. Stancombe (S.). Canary yellow, tipped with fawn.

Muriel (S.). Clear yellow, a splendid flower.

Nellie Cramond (S.). Purple, shaded cerise, distinct.

Pioneer (S.). Dark velvety maroon, almost black; distinct.

Polly Sheffield (F.). Lilac striped and speckled with crimson, 9d.

Plutarch (F.). Buff, striped and splashed with crimson.

Primrose Dame (S.). Primrose yellow, large.

Purple Prince (S.). Rich purple, large and constant.

Reliance (S.). Fawn colour, very prettily shaded with pink, fine form. First Class Certificate at Royal Horticultural, 1s.

Rev. J. B. M. Camm (F.). Yellow, flaked with red.

Richard Dean (S.). Deep purple, splendid form.

Salamander (F.). Yellow, striped with red.

Shirley Hibberd (S.). Dark shaded crimson.

Sir J. Bennett (S.). Yellow, scarlet edge, splendid.

Sunrise (S.). Bright magenta, distinct and beautiful, 9d.

Sunset (F.). Yellow, flaked and striped with scarlet; a most telling flower, 1s.

T. W. Girdlestone (F.). Lilac, heavily flaked and splashed with deep maroon, a grand fancy flower, 1s.

Volunteer (S.). Bright cardinal red, a fine useful flower, with every good property, 1s.

Walter H. Williams (S.). Bright scarlet, splendid.

And many others.

Single-flowered Dahlias.

THE Single-flowered Dahlias are charming as cut flowers, and splendidly effective when well staged for exhibition. They commence blooming about the end of July, and are resplendent with a profusion of their lovely flowers till killed by the frost in Autumn. The small or medium sized flowers are the most useful, either for exhibition or decorative purposes, as it is found they retain their beauty for a much longer period when cut than the larger blooms. We have made some fine additions to our list of these, which contains the choicest varieties in commerce.

New and very choice varieties, our selection per doz. 9s., or 6 for 5s.
 Very good sorts, our selection per doz. 6s., or 6 for 3s. 6d.
 Good showy and popular varieties, our selection per doz. 4s. 6d., or 6 for 2s. 6d.

NEW AND SELECT VARIETIES.

	each—s. d.		each—s. d.
Butterfly (new). Very bright orange-red colour, the tip of each petal having a heavy blotch of gold, an unusual combination of colour and exceedingly effective, especially for exhibition. 3 feet	1 6	Miss Henshaw. Pale primrose, edged with white, beautiful form	0 9
Cleopatra. Deep velvety crimson, very rich and of good substance; flowers medium sized and nicely recurved	0 9	Miss Glasscock. Medium-sized flowers, slightly recurved; colour a soft clear lavender, margined with pale mauve; a beautiful and delicate-looking variety	0 9
Claudia. Medium-sized flowers; reddish salmon, beautifully tipped with delicate mauve, and having a dark crimson ring round the disc; strikingly beautiful	1 0	Miss Ramsbottom. Flowers of a lovely pink colour, shaded cerise, quite new and distinct, medium size and perfect in form. First Class Certificates, National Dahlia Society and National Chrysanthemum Society	0 9
C. S. Daniels. Brilliant orange-scarlet, with golden-yellow centre; strikingly effective and splendid variety	1 0	Miss Roberts. Bright clear yellow, beautifully formed flowers	0 9
Duchess of Albany. An exceptionally distinct variety of quite novel colours, soft mauve, edged with pale buff brown, beautifully recurved, dwarf and free. Two First Class Certificates, R.H.S. and National Dahlia Society	0 9	Miss Louisa Pryor. Deep velvety crimson, with golden yellow disc, a splendid flower	0 9
Duchess of Fife. Beautiful amber, with side edgings of reddish orange. First Class Certificate, National Chrysanthemum Society	0 9	Mr. Riley. Deep carmine-crimson, with golden disc, splendid form	0 9
Duchess of Westminster. Pure white, splendid	0 6	Mrs. Barker. Pale buff, shaded red, and sometimes edged with gold; fine	0 9
Eclipse. Beautiful rosy mauve and salmon, with a broad crimson ring round the disc	1 0	Mrs. Charles Daniels. Sulphury white, edged with crimson; a very distinct and showy variety	0 9
Formosa. Brilliant rich scarlet, rather small, beautifully formed flowers; first-rate for exhibition	0 6	Mrs. J. Coninck. Pure white, shaded with pale mauve, very beautiful form and colour	0 9
Guleilma. Pure white, with broad margins of golden buff; medium-sized flowers of good shape; very distinct. First Class Certificate, National Dahlia Society	1 6	Nellie (new). One of the best and most distinct yet raised, the colour is an intense crimson-maroon with a bright golden-yellow disc around the centre; the flowers are large, slightly reflexed, and most symmetrically formed. Splendid show flower	1 6
James Scobie. Yellow, beautifully striped and flaked with scarlet; one of the finest exhibition flowers. First Class Certificate R.H.S.	0 9	Northern Star. Bright red, margined with deep golden yellow; small, well-formed flowers on stiff wiry stems; very showy and distinct. Has been awarded three First Class Certificates	0 9
John Downie. Rich scarlet, splendid form; a fine exhibition flower	0 9	Paragon. Deep maroon, edged with crimson	0 6
Miss Jefferies. A most charming variety and one of the grandest exhibition flowers. It has a peculiar combination of colour, rendering it very effective. The colour is a lovely blending of mauve and magenta, with a conspicuous red ring at the base of the petals	0 9	W. C. Harvey. A striking novelty, and one that must become a favourite. It is a bold, handsome flower, with petals of great substance and slightly reflexed, and of a rich yellow, shaded with orange, having a distinct red ring at the base. First Class Certificate, National Dahlia Society	0 9
		White Queen, Improved. Pure white, good form	0 6

And others.



NEW SINGLE DAHLIA, "MARGUERITE."

NEW SINGLE DAHLIA, "MARGUERITE."

THIS very pretty and useful variety was introduced by us last season, and named "Marguerite," in consequence of its striking resemblance at a short distance to the Marguerite Daisy. The flowers are white with a yellow disc, the petals long and pointed, and when the blooms are made up into bouquets, &c., they have the most charming appearance. This will be found a welcome addition to the white flowers now used for decorative purposes, and valuable alike for decorating the church or home; it is also exceedingly useful in the making of memorial wreaths and crosses.

Price 1s. each; 3 for 2s. 6d.

From *THE GARDENERS' MAGAZINE*, October 31st, 1891.

"The Single Dahlia named *Marguerite* from Messrs. Daniels Bros., Norwich, is distinct, the colour white, and, as shown in a bouquet, very charming."

From *THE MIDDLESEX COUNTY TIMES*, Dec. 12th, 1891.

"But many other curious flowers and plants were exhibited, amongst them being noticeable a fine stand of a new variety of a white Single Dahlia, the *Marguerite*, shown by Messrs. Daniels Bros., the well-known Norwich nurserymen and florists, and so named from its star-like petals and general similarity to the Marguerite Daisy."

Plants and Rooted Cuttings of Choice Florists' Flowers (continued).



NEW SINGLE ZONAL PELARGONIUMS.

Zonal Pelargoniums.

(PEARSON'S NEW SET 1892.)

	each—s. d.
Eucharis. Pure white, large well-shaped pip and truss; plant of good habit, and very free; a very fine variety, the flowers keeping perfectly pure in colour in the hottest weather	1 6
Flamingo. Scarlet, shaded with orange and plum colour; the individual blooms are hardly up to our standard of form, but are so freely produced in immense trusses as to make a wonderfully showy plant	1 6
Galatea. Delicate salmon-rose, with white blotch on the upper petals; large truss, very free	1 6
Grace Harvey. Pale rose, lighter centre, very novel shade of colour; well-formed flower, dwarf habit	1 6
Kaiser Frederick. Rich plum-purple, very distinct shade of colour; plant dwarf in habit, carrying fine, large trusses of bloom	1 6
Livy. Rich orange-scarlet, upper petals veined with crimson; flowers immense, both in pip and truss; very distinct; will be a grand exhibition variety	1 6
Middle Trine. Bright rose, shaded plum colour. We strongly recommend this as one of the best varieties for Winter flowering; it really seems to improve after the dull weather begins	1 6
Mrs. E. Rawson. Rich orange-scarlet; resembles <i>Livy</i> in colour and style, but it is more perfect in shape, and a smoother and more refined flower	1 6
Puritan. White ground, shaded salmon, which deepens to a distinct ring round the centre, very delicate and pretty shade; round, well-shaped flower	1 6

One of each nine varieties, as above, 10s. 6d.
Six varieties, our selection from above, 7s. 6d.

GERANIUMS—

Show, Fancy and Regal.

We have a very choice collection of these beautiful and highly popular flowers, which we offer in fine healthy plants, well set with flower-buds, at prices as below. Our collection includes such fine varieties as Beauty of Oxtou, Bush Hill Beauty, Captain Raikes, Duchess of Albany, Duchess of Edinburgh, Duchess of Teck, Emperor of Russia, Gold Mine, Kingston Beauty, Masterpiece, Pink Perfection, Prince Arthur, Prince of Novelties, Prince of Wales, Princess of Wales, Queen Victoria, Triomphe de St. Mandé, Rob Roy Improved, and many other new and beautiful sorts.

Duchess of Fife (new). Clear like, shaded with white margin and centre; splendid	each s. d.
	3 6
Volonto Nationale Alba. Beautiful pure white	1 0
Dorothy. Carmine-rose with white centre, beautifully fringed petals, margined white	1 0
New and select vars., fine plants	per doz. 21s. and 24s.
Very fine sorts, good plants	15s. „ 18s.
Very fine sorts, smaller plants	9s. „ 12s.
Good varieties, our selection	6 for 3s. 6d.; per doz. 6s.

Gold & Silver Tricolor Pelargoniums.

Lady Cullum, Sophie Dumaresque, Lass o' Gowrie, Mrs. Laing, Mrs. John Clutton, and other beautiful varieties ... per doz. 5s.; each 6d.

Sweet-scented Geranium.

Lady Plymouth. Handsomely divided silver-variegated foliage, deliciously scented ... 3 for 2s.; each 9d.



SHOW AND REGAL GERANIUMS.

From Mrs. M. BROCKLEHURST, Victoria, Vancouver Island, Oct. 19th.
"The Pelargonium, 'Dorothy,' sent in the Spring, flowered, and was one of the most beautiful things I ever saw. The Geranium, 'Mrs. Norman,' is flowering now, and is the admiration of all; it is indeed beautiful."

From Mr. JAMES BULLOCK, Norwich, May 9th.
"The Geraniums I had from you have done well. I took First Prize at the Norwich Show, best for a special Prize for the best plant in the Show. They all grew to a large size, some of the plants being three feet across."

Single-flowered Zonal Pelargoniums.

We have a grand collection of these superb flowers, including all the finest of recent introduction. A great improvement has been made in these of late years, and the flowers and trusses of some of the varieties attain an immenso size. The individual blooms of many of the specimens grown at our Nurseries during the past season measured upwards of seven inches in circumference being at the same time of the most perfect form, and of the most exquisite colours.

NEW ZONAL PELARGONIUMS (Pearson's 1891).

	each—s.	d.		each—s.	d.
AYESHA. Salmon, suffused with warm shade of orange, lighter centre; beautifully formed flower, and very free blooming ...	1	0	JULIET. Ground colour salmon pink, shaded rosy pink and orange, a charming mixture of colour, habit dwarf and free ...	1	0
CONDE. Deep crimson scarlet, shaded plum colour; a fine variety in the style of <i>Falstaff</i> , but better colour and constitution ...	1	0	MIDSUMMER. Pale salmon, lighter edge, a lovely delicate shade, flowers large and finely formed; received an award of merit from the R.H.S. ...	1	0
CYCLOPS. Very dark rich crimson, smooth well formed flower, with distinct white eye; plant of dwarf habit and very free ...	1	0	PROSERPINA. Salmon, shaded orange, fine well formed flower, free flowering variety of good habit ...	1	0
ERIC. Purple scarlet, beautifully shaded, white eye, large well formed flower, smooth, and good substance ...	1	0	REV. H. JOHNSON. Very dark crimson, flower larger and better shape than any dark variety yet distributed; very fine truss, habit of plant good ...	1	0
ETHEL PELTON. Beautifully shaded flower, with tints of pink, orange, and cerise; the largest and finest flower raised in this class ...	1	0	SHIRLEY HIBBERD. Rich scarlet, shaded plum colour, immense truss, individual pips also very large and fine; habit dwarf; a grand exhibition plant ...	1	0
ETNA. Rich crimson scarlet, suffused with plum colour, wonderfully free flowering, very effective variety ...	1	0	One each the above twelve superb varieties, 10s. 6d.		
HECLA. Crimson scarlet, immense truss, large bold pip, of fine shape and substance ...	1	0	Six superb varieties, our selection from the above, 5s. 6d.		

NEW ZONAL PELARGONIUMS (Pearson's 1890, &c.).

	each—s.	d.		each—s.	d.
Agnes. White, very pure; a large and splendid flower ...	1	0	Phœna. Scarlet, shaded magenta, white eye; will make a grand decorative or exhibition plant ...	0	9
Duchess of Portland. Bright rosy pink, colour beautifully clear and distinct; flowers of good form ...	0	9	Sappho. Salmon rose. This though not so large as some of our seedlings, is a desirable acquisition from its novel colour; it promises also to be a good bedder ...	0	9
Ethel Lewis. Rose pink, white blotch on upper petals; the largest and most perfect flower in this class ...	0	9	Sir Percivale. White; flowers large and well shaped, perfectly pure in colour; a fine winter bloomer ...	0	9
Katherine Moreton. Salmon, light edge; very large in both pip and truss, and perfectly formed ...	0	9	T. Hayes. Dark crimson; fine pip and truss ...	1	0
Launcelot. Salmon scarlet, very fine pip and truss ...	0	9	Souvenir De Mirando (Lemoine). Lower petals rosy carmine, fading to white at the base; upper petals white, tipped carmine; a most striking novelty ...	0	9
Phryne. Cerise, shaded plum colour; the flowers, though not perfect in outline, are produced in grand trusses, making it a most effective variety ...	0	9			

SELECT VARIETIES—General List.

	each—s.	d.		each—s.	d.
Ajax. Brilliant vermilion, immense flowers ...	0	9	Mercedes. Salmon, tinted orange ...	0	9
Alcides. Rich deep scarlet, white eye ...	0	9	M. Myriel. Crimson scarlet, white eye ...	0	9
Alex. Albrecht. Rich dark scarlet ...	0	9	Mrs. David Saunders. Pale lilac pink ...	0	9
Aline. Pure white, splendid flower ...	0	9	Mrs. Gordon. Rich crimson, white eye ...	0	9
Amy Amphlett. Purest white; blooms well shaped ...	0	9	Mrs. H. F. Barker. Dark rose ...	0	9
Cato. Bright orange scarlet, very large ...	0	9	Mrs. Holford. Salmon, large and splendid ...	0	9
Celia. Magenta rose, beautiful and distinct ...	0	6	Mrs. Johnson. Rosy lilac, beautiful ...	0	9
Chas. Mason. Brilliant vermilion, perfect shape ...	0	9	Mrs. Lord. Deep crimson, beautiful form ...	0	9
Clara Palethorpe. Blush white, suffused with pink ...	0	9	Mrs. Norman. Salmon. One of the finest ...	0	9
Dr. Orton. Deep crimson, splendid ...	0	6	Mrs. Norris. Scarlet, with white eye ...	0	9
Eccentric. Salmon, shaded with orange ...	0	9	Mrs. Robertson. Bright deep pink, white eye ...	0	9
Edith Little. Delicate rose, very charming ...	0	9	Mrs. Wilders. Bright scarlet, white eye ...	0	9
Ellen Clarke. Bright orange salmon ...	0	9	Nerissa. Orange cerise, beautiful ...	0	9
Falstaff. Rich plum colour, shading to scarlet ...	0	9	Norah. Delicate rosy salmon ...	0	6
Flamboyant. Brilliant scarlet; flowers very large ...	0	9	Omphale. Beautiful salmon pink, very large ...	0	9
G. Dore. Pretty novelty in the mottled salmon class; the shades are difficult to describe, being a mixture of salmon, pink, and orange ...	0	9	Opal. Beautiful shaded salmon ...	0	9
Guinevere. Creamy white; splendid truss and pip ...	0	9	Orestes. Carmine rose, beautiful ...	0	9
Herminius. Scarlet, shaded magenta, fine ...	0	9	Perdita. Salmon, shading off to white at the edge ...	0	9
International. White, very large and fine form ...	0	9	Plutarch. Bright orange scarlet, with white eye ...	0	9
James Douglas. Rich dark crimson, superb ...	0	6	Queen of the Belgians. Pure white ...	0	6
Jno. Lorraine Baldwin. Scarlet, white eye ...	0	9	Rev. R. D. Harries. Salmon scarlet, soft shade ...	0	9
Lady Chesterfield. Salmon, suffused with orange ...	0	6	Rev. Dr. Morris. Rich vermilion scarlet ...	0	9
Lady Francis Russell. Clear rose pink ...	0	9	Rhodope. Bright orange, flushed with pink ...	0	9
Lord Chesterfield. Crimson magenta, magnificent ...	0	6	Rhoda. Rose colour. Chiefly valuable from being one of the best Winter blooming sorts ever raised ...	0	9
Lord Tredegar. Scarlet, suffused with plum ...	0	9	Rosy Morn. Delicate rosy pink ...	0	9
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| Countess of Aberdeen. A beautiful dwarf-growing, free-flowering variety. Both the sepals and corolla being white, it is quite unique and totally distinct from any other Fuchsia, whilst its elegantly formed flowers and neat habit will make it a general favourite | each—s. d.
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| *Duchess of Edinburgh. A superb variety bearing large well-formed flowers; the tube and sepals which are well reflexed, are of a rich crimson-scarlet colour; the corolla a charming creamy-white. A decided improvement on "Molesworth" | 1 0 |
| *MRS. E. G. HILL. This magnificent Fuchsia will be found one of the most splendid ever sent out. The plants are short-jointed and sturdy in growth, with beautiful dark green foliage. The flowers are of an immense size, the tube and sepals being of a deep rich scarlet colour, the corolla a beautiful creamy white, veined with pink; grand variety | 1 0 |
| *Joseph Rosaine. Scarlet, purple corolla; very fine | 0 6 |
| Beauty of Clyffe Hall. Tube and sepals bluish white, corolla rich bright carmine pink; beautiful | 0 6 |
| Beauty of Lavington. White tube and sepals, rosy carmine corolla; very fine | 0 9 |
| *Compacta superba. Beautiful dwarf compact habit; tube and sepals light crimson, corolla violet blue | 0 9 |
| *Colonel Domine. Sepals a bright rich scarlet, corolla a beautiful creamy white veined with pink; superb | 0 9 |
| Diadem (Lye). Delicate bluish tube and sepals, pale magenta corolla, broadly edged with brilliant carmine | 0 9 |
| *Edelweiss. Scarlet, white corolla; very fine | 0 6 |
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| Emily Bright. White tube and sepals, corolla bright carmine | 0 6 |
| Ernest Renan. Large, beautiful flowers, tube and sepals waxy white, well reflexed; corolla rosy crimson | 0 9 |
| *Esmeralda. Light crimson tube and sepals, corolla lilac blue, heavily splashed with red; very distinct | 0 9 |
| Final. Tall and graceful growing variety; tube and sepals crimson; corolla rich violet | 0 9 |
| *Frau Emma Topfer. A remarkable dwarf-growing variety, with extraordinarily large flowers, tube and sepals bright rosy coral, corolla rosy bluish | 0 9 |
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| General Garfield. Rich crimson, carmine corolla | 0 6 |
| Jason. Deep crimson tube and sepals, corolla dark purple; fine and distinct | 0 6 |
| Jupiter. Large, beautiful double flowers; sepals well reflexed, brilliant scarlet; corolla, a deep plum violet | 1 0 |
| Lye's Favorite. White, deep rose corolla; splendid | 0 6 |



NEW AND CHOICE SORTS.

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| Loveliness (Lye). Creamy tube and pale bluish sepals, very long and stout, pale violet pink corolla | 0 9 |
| *M. Beraud Massard. Tube and sepals light scarlet, well reflexed; the corolla very double, lilac-coloured, scarlet at base of petals. Splendidly-formed flowers | 0 9 |
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| Madame Millet Robinet. Immense flowers; tube and sepals waxy white; corolla rosy crimson | 0 9 |
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| *Molesworth. Tube and sepals a bright deep carmine-crimson colour; full double white corolla | 0 6 |
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| *Raphael. Immense double flowers, tube and sepals crimson, corolla violet splashed with red | 0 9 |
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| Star of Wilts. White, rosy crimson corolla; splendid | 0 6 |
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Lily of the Valley.

For early forcing single crowns of these should be planted about twelve in a five-inch pot, with the buds well above the surface. Cover the crowns with a little moss or an inverted flower pot for about ten days, and place them in a good heat of say 85 or 90 degrees; water frequently with tepid water, and if judiciously looked after they will bloom in four or five weeks from the time of potting. Good single crowns are much the best for the purpose. Clumps or single shoots can be supplied up to the end of April.

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De Parme. Deliciously fragrant flowers of a delicate pale lavender purple, in great profusion	per doz.	6s. 0 9
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Marie Louise. A fine variety, large double flowers, rich lavender blue, with white centres	per doz.	5s. 0 6

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Neapolitan. Lavender blue, flowers very large and double, profuse bloomer	per doz.	3s. 6d. 0 4
Queen of Violets. Flowers large, double white, slightly tinted with violet rose; finely scented	...	0 6

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