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# CALIFORNIA GARDENING



Sunflower Sun Gold

Phlox Salmon Glory



Morning Glory Cornell



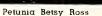
Cornflower Blue Boy



#### Cosmos Orange Ruffles









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#### SUNFLOWER Sun Gold

PHLOX Gigantea

3629 Salmon Glory This beautiful new PHLOX is one

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Sunflowers, although by no means new in the horticultural world, are surprisingly unknown to a great many garden enthusiasts.

One hundred per cent double, the brilliant

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which reach a height of 4' to 5' depending

on soil and climate, are very even in

growth and are unusually free flowering. Price: Per Packet 15c; 4 for 50c

from  $1\frac{1}{4}$  to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diam-eter. The color is a pure salmon pink with a distinct creamy-white eye. Price: Per Packet 20c; 3 for 50c

> ORANGE-GOLD Col. No. 2 Sunflower, Sun Gold; Cosmos, Orange Ruffles; Iceland Poppies,

> > (A 65c Value) for 50c

Similar in form and habit to the popular petunia Martha Washington. The color of "BETSY ROSS" is red and white, with the white blending to golden and the red blend-ing to very deep red in the throat.

Price: Per Packet 25c

PETUNIA

**Betsy Ross** 



#### COSMOS **Orange Ruffles**

Vivid and intense golden orange, the two or three extra rows of petals lend an airy butterfly-like beauty to the richly colored large blossoms. Extremely free blooming. Cosmos Orange Ruffles will add immensely to the beauty of any garden.

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An outstanding new strain of Iceland Pop-pies. The flowers are uniformly large and broad petaled. Combines with the strong and vivid colors the softer pastel tints in a remarkably varied and complete range of beautiful shades.

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#### CORNFLOWER Blue Boy

The true rich blue color so highly prized in Cornflowers is nowhere more beautiful than in this splendid new variety. Long stems, very double. Ideal cut flower.

Price: Per Packet 15c



The large brightly colored, white bordered, carnelian red trumpet-shaped flowers of Cor-nell are an excellent foil for Clarke's Heav-enly Blue and our new Pearly Gates Morn-ing Glories. Cornell is an excellent climber, is early blooming and opens well past mid day.

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Shades.

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[T] TALL (2' and over). For Border, Bed-

[E] EDGING or BORDER (6" to 12"). Ex-

ding or Background. [D] DWARF (1' to 2' high). Fine for

Bedding.

- cellent for Edgings or Borders. [R] Suited to use in ROCK GARDEN. Also
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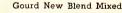
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Zinnia Wildfire

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- 4160 Haageana (Mexican Hybrids). very double flowers, interesting colors. Packet 15c; ¼ oz. 50c. Small,
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- 4135 Tom Thumb Zinnia. Dwarf, 6 inches high, Small double flowers. Mixed. Packet 25c.
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Germain's Blaze o' Color Collection No. 5A This favorite assortment contains six separate full sized packets of giant flowered Zinnias and one package of plant food tablets. 50e A 75c value for.

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MARIGOLD Dwarf Royal Scot Growing to a uniform height of about one foot, this new striped French Marigold is an ideal new bedding or border marigold. The petals are evenly marked with uniform stripes of rich mahogany

and gold. Per Packet 25c; ½ oz. 50c





A very deep, strong orange with a distinct scarlet sheen on the upper side of the petals. The blooms have the same regular form of petalage as the older type, but are much larger, measuring at least four inches in diameter. The strong plants produce generously and the flowers have long, heavy cutting stems, ideal for floral work.

Per Packet 15c; 1/4 oz. 40c



#### New Marigold I collection No. 6 C

Poi o' Gold . . . . 25c Sunset Giants . . 25c Goldsmith . . . 25c Value 75c For . 55c Postpaid

### Merry Marigolds

Collection No. 6A One packet each of all five lovely Marigold varieties on this page! A \$1.15 Value For 75c Postpaid

# POT O' GOLD BLOOMS!





#### AFRICAN MARIGOLD

#### 3358—Sunset Giants Mixed

Not only are the flowers the largest ever known in Marigolds, averaging over 5 inches, but they are produced in such profusion that a plant of Sunset Giants is one of the showiest spots in any garden. Sunset Giants are a mixture ranging from deep orange through golden orange to a delightful new shade of primrose.

Per Packet 25c; 1/8 oz. 30c.



#### MARIGOLD Pot o'Gold

Flowers of the new Gigantea formation on sturdy stems 12 to 15 inches. The plants are wellbranched and produce an abundance of bloom earlier than any other giant flowered marigold. The blooms, 4 to  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inches in size, are bright deep orange in color.

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MARIGOLD Goldsmith

"BOLDSMITH" presents a new personality in Marigolds. Huge, firm, globular flowers formed of hundreds of tubular petals. Entirely new in form, it has the appearance of an incurved deep golden orange chrysanthemum, measuring 4 to 5 inches across.

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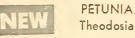


#### Topaz Rose

lopaz Rose is a fiery velvety rose slightly suffused with gold and further accentuated by utther accentuated by a topaz-colored center. Produces a continuous succession of large, 2-inch blooms throughout the summer. Ideal for window box as well as garden culture.

Per Packet 25c;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. 50c





Very large, beautifully fringed blossoms of bright rich rose with deep, lively yellow throat. The plants are compact, heavily branched and exceedingly free flowering.

Price: Per Packet 25c; 5 for \$1.00

NEW

#### PETUNIA Radiance

There is more rich brilliance and life in the color of RADIANCE than in any Petunia, regardless of type, that we know of. A cerise rose with an underlying salmon tone. The throat is golden yellow below where the bloom starts to flare. This tends to add



warmth and life to the general color.

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#### **SAVE! Order All 3 Collections!** Three Great Summer Flowers

Three Lovely Rose Pink Petunias Collection No. 7

Combined Collection No. 7B. All six varieties on this page and 3 new marigolds on opposite page for \$1.50, postpaid.

Collection No. 7A Aster. Princess Bonnie. Petunia. Glamour. Morning Glory. Clarke's Blue 15c (A 65c Value) for 50c, Postpaid

#### ASTER Princess Bonnie

Princess Bonnie, a lustrous new color combination in Asters, is a very beautiful soft salmon rose shade with the center rich gold while opening. The large blooms are produced freely on strong stemmed plants which commence blooming in mid August. Bonnie, nearly 100% wilt resistant, has proved a great favorite both with the home gardener and the commercial grower.

Price: Per Packet 25c







MORNING GLORY Clarke's Heavenly Blue

The beautiful sky blue of this Heavenly Blue Morning Glory is unquestionably one of the loveliest



shades in any flower, a beautiful sky blue color which shades at the center to a golden throat. The flowers are very large, of characteristic morning glory form, and although they close by noon, the glory of their morning beauty cannot be equalled. For abundant bloom plant in sandy soil and water lightly.

Per Packet 15c; 4 Pkts. 50c



#### PETUNIA Glamour

Lusary the most striking Petunia we have ever grown. Glamour is truly a glamourous star in our galaxy of lovelies. Glamour is a luscious shade of salmon rose, delicately veined brown in the creamy open throat surrounded by satiny petals which are heavily ruffled. The huge flowers are freely produced on strong plants 1½ to 2-foot tall. Price: Per Packet 25c; 5 for \$1.00







#### **FAVORITE SCABIOSAS** Collection No. 8

ISAAC HOUSE HYBRIDS. Perennials, lavender COLUMBARIA ENCHANTRESS (Perennial). A distinct strain; lovely pink flowers......15c (85c Value) for 60c, postpaid.



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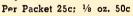




#### SCABIOSA Blue Moon The huge flowers of SCABI-

OSA BLUE MOON are extremely large and deep and entirely composed of petals,

doing away with the "pincushion top" so prominent in older types. Long wiry stems over two feet in length add much to its value as a cut flower. Its fine deep lavender blue shade will be welcomed in the garden, where it harmonizes beautifully with white and rose shades.





## DELPHINIUM

#### Pacific Giants Mixed

This magnificent new strain was originated on the Pacific Coast. It has huge flowers, two to three inches in diameter, beautifully spaced on well balanced spikes often reaching over five feet in height. The shades are rich in lovely blues and pastel tints and present a magnificent range of color. The flowers are practically 100% double.

Price: Per Packet 50c





#### SCABIOSA Rosette

The color of the new giant flowered Scabiosa Rosette is one of the richest and most attractive shades yet introduced. It is a beautiful deep rose heavily suffused with salmon. This glowing new shade will undoubtedly make Rosette a most popular flower for the garden and also for cutting. It is very large, full-petaled and fully double. A superb garden variety bearing arm loads of fine cut flowers.

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No. 8A

We will send postpaid one packet each of the four choice varieties of tall growing flowers pictured on this page--

> (A \$1.20 Value) for 85c



ALYSSUM Violet Queen ALISSUM Violet Queen (Annual) This lovely new alyssum is a charming companion to the popular white variety "Little Gem." A great improvement on the older "Lilac Queen." Compact and bushy, color lively violet.

#### Per Packet 15c

DWARF FLOWER COLLECTION No. 9 15c

Alyssum Violet Queen Ageratum Midget Blue Cynoglossum Firmament Nierembergia Purple Robe 25c (A 90c Value) for 75c

#### CYNOGLOSSUM Dwarf Firmament Perennial)

A dwarf form of the popular Chinese Forget-Me-Not, growing about 18 inches tall. The plants are uniform and bushy and the flowers are a lovely, rich Forget-Me-Not blue. The plants are very floriferous remaining in bloom for a long period.

Per Packet 25c





Dwarf growing flowers used as borders for taller flowers in garden plots, as edgings for walks and at the margin of a lawn add the finishing touch to your garden picture.

> AGERATUM Midget Blue (Annual Dwarf) The first really dwarf Ågeratum that will come uni-formly dwarf and true to color. It grows about 3 inches in height. The foliage is fine and delicate and is smothered with small true Ageratum blue flowers. A lovely novelty ideal for edging walks and for low borders on flower beds, etc. Per Packet 25c; 5 Pkts. for \$1.00





PANSY Engelmann's Giant Huge flowers in rich dark and brilliant lighter tones, produced on compact and early flowering plants. This is one of the lead-ing pansy strains in the world, Per Packet 25c

GIANT PANSY COLLECTION No. 9A Pansy Engelmann Giant Pansy Swiss Giant Pansy Mastadon Jumbo (A 75c Value) for 60c 25c

NIEREMBERGIA Purple Robe (Perennial) A very fine deep violet purple shade of the very popular dwarf Nierembergia. Purple Robe maintanis its deep color even in full sun and does not fade even in the hottest climate. The plant has a next compact extremely free flowering habit, is only 6" tall. Per Packet 25c



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#### HOLLYHOCK Indian Spring (Annual)

Indian Spring is one of the loveliest entries in the All American selections competition. It is very selections competition. It is very free flowering and blooms the first year in less than five months after sowing. The flowers are semi-double crinkly edged and occur in soft shades of pink, with variations blending to carmine and crimson-rose.

Per Packet 25c



TALL BACKGROUND FLOWERS COL. No. 98 

TITHONIA FIREBALL

A striking plant both for its towering height and dazzling brilliancy of its scarlet flowers. It is late to bloom and should be used where color will be most needed in the fall. The plants, 6 to 8 feet in height, are highly effective background material. Per Packet 25c; 1/8 oz. 60c



#### LARKSPUR (Annual)

LARKSPUR (Annual) PINK KING—This new giant Im-perial Larkspur is a companion variety to the recent introduc-tions: White King and Coral King. It forms the same stately stem, rising to 5½ feet in height. The fully double broad petaled florets are 2 inches in diameter and form cutting stems up to 24 inches in length. Pink King is soft and clear, bright salmon pink, lovely for the gar-den and for cutting. Per Packet 25c

Per Packet 25c





Rose Glory



#### Rose Glory (Formal Decorative)

A remarkably fine dahlia of formal decorative type. It is a rich deep rose or American Beauty pink in color. Comes into bloom early and is exceptionally free flowering retaining its fine form and fullness well into the fall. A strong grower with long straight stems bearing the large flowers high above the clean, dark green foliage. 75c.



#### Hunt's Velvet Wonder (Informal Decorative)

The huge blooms of this grand informal decorative dahlia can be grown to immense size. Its color is novel and unusual in dahlias; a rich violet purple, deepening in the center to a dark blue-purple. It is a very strong grower, with large, striking foliage. The bushes are heavily branched, making effective garden plants. A winner in many recent dahlia shows. 75c.

Hunt's Velvet Wonder

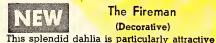


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Dahlias (other than Pompons) are divided mainly into two types: DECORATIVE (Left) whose flowers are very large with flat petals extending to the center, and CACTUS or SEMI-CACTUS (Right) whose rather compact large flowers have rolled and sometimes flattened, twisted, pointed petals extending to the center.





ing in any garden. 75c.

#### The Fireman (Decorative)

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(Decorative)

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A beautiful new shade of old rose or mul-

berry pink. Flowers held on long, rigid stems well above the foliage. A splendid

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#### Elissa Landi (Decorative)

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#### California Idol (Informal Decorative)

This is one of the really great dahlias. A giant bright self-colored yellow that can win first place in any exhibition in which it may be shown. It will be a popular variety for years to come. The foliage is clean, healthy and attractive in color. Blooms early and freely and keeps for days after cutting. \$1.00.

California Idol





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**Favorite Pompon Collection** Florist Gem, yellow tipped red; Delicacy, purple; Little David, orange red; Clarissa, primrose; Priscilla, shell pink; Mary Munns, mallow purple; Cielito, rich lavender.

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Bright orange, with carmine feather in throat. 10c each; 95c doz.

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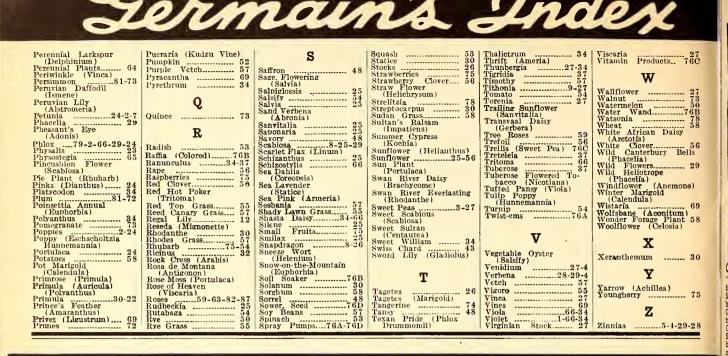
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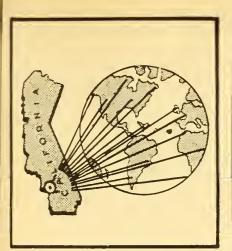
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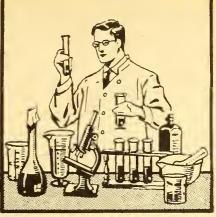


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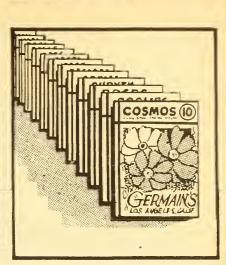


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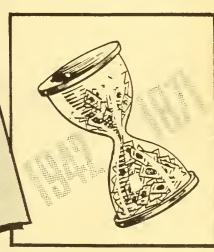


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Delicate feathery foliage. Always a mass of pretty, bright flowers! Easy to grow! 3212 **Scarlet** 

- 3213 White

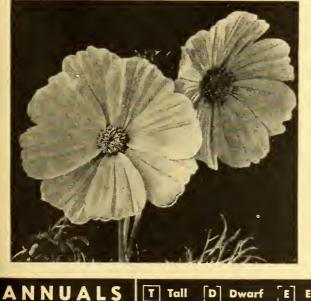
3215 Choice Mixed

Price: All Above 10c per Packet Per ½ Oz. 35c

#### EUPHORBIA [D]

An extraordinarily decorative foliage! Small flowers, distinctive ornamental leaves!

2954 Variegata (Snow on the Moun-tain)—Leaves heavily margined in 



For Lovely Cut Flowers and Background Beauty GERMAIN'S COSMOS

These decorative, long stemmed flowers have always been favorites! They make lasting bouquets through the summer and fall, forming a dainty screening in back of your smaller flowers! Enjoy the wealth of abundant blooms! GERMAIN'S EXTRA EARLY GIANT MAMMOTH COSMOS

COSMOS Extra large flowers for early summer bloom!

- 2752 Early Giant Crimson.
  2753 Early Giant Pink.
  2754 Early Giant White.
  2755 Early Giant Mixed—Oz. 60c.
  Price: Any of above—I0c Per Packet Choice of Three I0c Packets for 25c





MAMMOIN COSMOS Remarkably tall, broad bushes. Extra large flowers with over-lapping petals! Started early—you have flowers from summer to fall! 2760 Mammoth Flowering Mixed. Per oz. 10c Per Packet. 3 for 25c 30c EXTRA EARLY DOUBLE CRESTED 

- ORANGE YELLOW COSMOS 761 Orange Flare—A sensation! oz. 20c. Pkt. 2761
- 10c NEW DOUBLE SENSATION

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Larkspur White King



3230 WHITE KING—A splendid new white giant! Extra tall, this magnificent All American will add drama and extra beauty to every garden.....Per Packet 20c

3239 CORAL KING - Brand new color! The shade of rich, soft sea coral! It's an All American flower of unusual beauty! For long-lasting bouquets.....Pkt. 20c

#### FOX GLOVE (Digitalis) 🗉

#### FORGET-ME-NOT (Cynoglossum)

.....25c

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#### FOUR O'CLOCK (Marvel of Peru) 🗉

3352 Popular everywhere! Long tubed trum-pet flowers in white, red and yellow open every day about four o'clock! Mixed colors.

#### GERMAIN'S GAILLARDIAS I

Effective and valuable flowering plants for beddings, borders and cut bouquets! Sown early, they'll bloom profusely into Fall!

2977 Picta — Crimson and orange. 1/4 oz. 40c Only .....

2980 Lorenzia Double Mixed-Superb double flowers. Buy by the 1/2 ounce. Only......45c

#### GYPSOPHILA T

Dainty white blooms that make a perfect mixer with every bouquet! Pastel colors!

3041 Grandiflora Carminea—Bright red! Ev-eryone's favorite! Oz. 35c. Pkt......loc

Special Offerl One Packet of Each

3 for 25c

## GERMAIN'S DOUBLE HOLLYHOCKS



Form An Easy-To-Grow Screen of Color Perfect wherever color plus height is required! These giant stalks, with closely spaced double, semi-double or single blos-soms rise to a height of six and seven feet! A big color selection

a) 181 Indian Spring—Semi-Double soft pink. Pkt. 25c
 b) 2010 Finest Shades Mixed.
 b) 2010 Vigorous, tall and sturdy.
 b) 2010 Vigorous, tall and sturdy.
 c) 2012 New Triumph Mixed.
 c) 2012 New Triumph Mixed.
 c) 2012 New Triumph Mixed.
 c) 2012 New Triumph Mixed.

3164 Germain's Double Crimson.
3166 Germain's Double Pink.
3173 Germain's Double Yellow.
3175 Germain's Double Miyad Mixed. Price of Above: Per Pkt. 10c

One Packet of Each Color 4 for 35c See Color Picture, Page 9

## GERMAIN'S GIANT LARKSPUR

PLANT FLOWERS THAT WILL BE TWICE AS BEAUTIFUL

Larkspur-always a favorite flowerl But just wait until

About 3 ft. tall! Germain's Giants

Invaluable for summer bedding and border, these extra-tall giants form a lovely background for your smaller

flowers! Choose from a complete assortment of new colors and old favor-

259 Pink King—Equal to White King and Coral King in vigor and beauty! Rises to 51⁄4 ft. Per Pkt......25c

3254 Carmine King—A brand new variety in deep, striking red! ¼ oz. 50c. Pkt.

53 Lilac Spire—A beautiful lilac flower, with the branching habits and size of the rest of the Giant Imperial group!

A long-lasting pastel bouquet! Buy the  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c. Pkt.

the <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> oz. 50c. Pkt.\_\_\_\_\_\_ Isc 3251 White Spire — A sensation among white larkspur. New upright delphin-ium-like growth. Double dazzling white! Priced per <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> oz. 50c. Pkt. \_\_\_\_\_\_ Isc 3227 Exquisite Pink — Rich bright pink, flushing to salmon. One of the best all purpose larkspur. <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> oz. 50c. Pkt. Isc

...... 3252 Blue Spire — Intense deep Oxford Blue! With upright base branching habit! A real beauty! ¼ oz. 50c. Pkt.

ites to delight every gardener!

3259

3253

15c

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...15c

you see Germain's New Beauties! They're twice as tall Twice as sturdy! Twice as lovely! All colors! Regular Larkspur Larkspur Col. 20: Red, White and Blue Plant a Patriotic Gardenl Reg. \$1 Valuel About 3 ft. tall? Field a relation of Contactin Reg. 31 while and blue Yankee Doole stripes across your garden plot! Buy now and savel 2 Pkts.—Carmine King; 2 Pkts.—White King; 2 Pkts.—Blue Spire Larkspur 2 Pkts.—Blue Spire Larkspur Six Pkts! If sold separately \$1! 70c

3233' Giant Imperial Double—A mixture of the newest larkspur, including the new salmon shades. ¼ oz. 40c. Pkt.......15c

#### LARGE DOUBLE FLOWERED LARKSPUR

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(Extra Tall	Growin)
3238 Dark Blue	3246 Bright Rose
3243 Lilac	3245 Rosey Scarlet
3248 Lustrous Car-	3249 White
mine	3250 Tall Double
3248 Bright Violet	Mixed
Price of Above: 1/4 oz	. 25c. Per Pkt. 10c
Collection 20a: 1	A Regular 70c

Valuel Now Specially Low
Priced. 7 Packets for
One packet of each of the seven, large double-flowered Larkspur
listed above!

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#### HUNNULUS [V]

3229 Childsi-Ideal for borders, bedding, etc. Resembles a young cypress in appearance. In the nippy nights of Fall the shiny green foliage turns a deep crimson. Oz. 30c. Pkt.

#### ALL BLUE FLOWERS

#### Special 70c Value Collection 20A

2 Dark Blue Larkspur 1 Forget-Me-Not 1 Linium 2 Lobelia 1 Dark Blue Lupin A lovely selection! All the same color yet in a myriad collection of tints!

7 Pkts. for 50c

#### CONTRASTING FLOWERS Reg. 90c Collection 20B

1 Blue Spire Larkspur 1 Dark Blue Larkspur 1 Lilac Larkspur Double Lemon Marigold Double Orange Marigold Guinea Gold Marigold The bright blue and rich gold colors con-trast to make a lovelier garden! 6 Pkts. for 70c

3042 Elegans Rosea — Miniature light pink flowers. Ounce 45c. Pkt......10c



The African and French Marigolds enjoy a well deserved popularity! The decorative value of the lush growth is doubly increased when combined with the contrasting loveliness of blue Larkspur and Corn Flowers. wide selection of bright beauties for garden and bouquet!

#### CHOICE FRENCH MARIGOLDS

Favorites for Bedding and Border

SINGLE FRENCH [E]

341 Legion of Honor (Little Brownie)-Popular single blooms with velvet brown centers. 1/4 Oz.-Only 25c......Pkt. 10c 3341

DWARF DOUBLE FRENCH .[D] [E]

3351 Dwarf Double Golden Ball. Pkt....loc 3342 Dwarf Double Dark Brown-Ruffled orange brown. ¼ Oz.-25c.....Pkt. 10c 3345 French Dwarf Double Mixed-A new choice assortment of double bloom types. 1/2 Oz.—Only 30c.\_\_\_\_Pkt. 10c

1/2 OZ.—Only 30C. SPECIAL! ALL REG. 10C PKTS. NOW 3 FOR 25c 3346 Dwarf Double Scot—Very compact, and even. Marcon, gold stripe...Pkt. 25c

#### TALL FRENCH [ [E]

3350 Tall Double Mixed. 1/2 Oz. 30c. Pkt. 10c 
 Pkt.
 10c

 3347
 Australian Giant or Grendon Tree

 Marigolds—Lovely French type of bloom.

 Extra tall bushes.
 1/4 Oz. only 40c.

 Per Packet
 15c



#### COLORFUL AFRICAN MARIGOLDS [E]

3337 All Double Lemon-Giant flowers of deep lemon yellow. Priced.........Pkt. 15c 3338 All Double Orange—Extra large deep

.....Pkt. 15c orange. A real beauty.....

3340 Choice Double African Mixed-A big selection! ½ Oz. 40c......Pkt. 10c 3 REG. 10C PACKETS FOR ONLY 25c

3367 Little Giants Mixed—Dwarf plants, ideal for miniature gardens........Pkt. 25c

#### GIGANTEA TYPE 🔳 [E]

3358 Sunset Giants — Largest Marigold ever introduced! ½ Oz. 50c......Pkt. 25c 3359 Pot-O-Gold-Dwarf growing form of the Gigantea type! Orange.......Pkt. 25c

#### CARNATION FLOWERED [E]

3364 Chrysanthemum Flowered Mixed— Brand new! ½ Oz. 60c.....Pkt. 20c 3344 Guinea Gold — Very bright double blooms. ¼ Oz. size 35c........Pkt. 20c
3362 Goldsmith — Incurved Mission type. Gay globular flowers. Bright orange. Pkt. \_\_\_\_\_\_20c



#### Marigold Crown of Gold

#### NEW AFRICAN COLLARETTE TYPE MARIGOLD [E]



GIGANTEA TYPE MARIGOLD FULL DOUBLE ORANGE T [E]

BRAND NEW HARMONY TYPE MARIGOLD! SPECIALI [D] [E]

3348—Rich bright colors. Yellow and orange with deep maroon collar! Double growth, French type. 1/4 Oz. 30c ... .....Pkt. 20c

For Further Description of Marigolds See Natural Color Picture Pages 4 and 6

# OLD FASHIONED GARDEN Collection 21A—Reg. 85c 1 Carmine King Larkspur. 1 White Baby's Breath. 1 Little Giant Marigold. 1 Four o'Clock. 1 Wavy Petal Hollyhock. 1 Double Dwarf Brown Marigolds A favorite choice with every gardener, you'll find every favorite in this group! C Phere for Sta 6 Pkts. for 65c GAY GARDEN FAVORITES Collection 21B-An 85c Valuel Contection 210—An obc value 1 White Spire Larkspur 2 Fox Glove—Mixed 1 Lemon Queen Marigold 1 Baby's Breath—White 2 Pkts. Tall Mixed Hollyhocks Plant a riot of color with this grand collection! All colors! All varieties! 7 Pkts. for 60c

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#### LINIUM (Flax) [Ē]

3292 Grandiflorum Rubrum—Masses of tiny bright red flowers. Oz. 40c. Pkt. 10c

3291 Perenne (Perennial Flax) - Tiny bright blue blooms. Well-known fa-......Pkt. 10c

3293 Flavum -- Rich golden yellow, Pkt. 

#### LOBELIA [D] [E] R

Dwarf plants ideal in miniature gardens! Also sturdy trailers for basket or urn growing! Blooms continuously from June through November. It's a real beauty!

3296 Crystal Palace Compacta-Rich, deep blue for edgings......Pkt. 10c 3297 Emperor-Sky blue violet color

Pkt. ...10c 3301 White Gem---Compact white growth ....

\_\_\_\_Pkt. 10c 3303 Pendula Hanburgia — Trailer var-..Í0c

Speciall Any of Above 3 for 25cl 3308 Cardinalis—Scarlet spikes! Tall bushy type growth. A beauty!...Pkt. 25c

#### LINARIA [D] [R•]

- 3290 Maroccana-Excelsior Choice Mixed. Valuable for massing or for low borders! Flowers of crimson, orange and blue resemble miniature snapdragons..... \_\_Packet 10c
- 3284 Cymbalaria (Kenilworth Ivy)-Delightful trailing plant for rock work! Flowers are lavender and purple. Pkt. \_10c

#### LUPINE (Lupinus) [D] 🗊

Free flowering decorative plants with tall spiked foliage, delicate pea-flowers. Very popular in modern, old-fashioned gardens!

- 3313 Deep Dark Blue
- 3314 Delicate Light Blue
- 3321 Nanus Dwarf Blue
- 3316 Bright Rose

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- 3312 Pure White
- Price of Above: Per Pkt. 10c-3 for 25c 3320 Choice Annual Mixed-Per Oz. 40c
- 3318 Mixed Hartwegil Giant Mixed-
- Pkt.. .20c 3322 Polphyllus Mixed-3 ft. high. In
- rose, light blue and pure white! Packet. .15c
- 3323 Choice Russell Lupins Mixed-Pkt.... 25c

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**Rock Garden** 

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Double Gleam Nasturtium

#### NASTURTIUMS DOUBLE SWEET SCENTED

3429 Double Supreme—Soft salmon ce- rise
3423 Double Mahogany—A rich beauty! Pkt15c
3428 Orange Gleam—Red orange flash. Pkt15c
3427 Scarlet Gleam—Fiery redPkt. 10c
2426 Golden Gleam—Brand new golden bloomsPkt. 10c
3430 Double Gleam Hybrids-Specially

sweet scent! Wide range of colors. Ounce 20c.....Pkt. 10c

#### MIGNONETTE (Reseda) [D] [E]

The exquisite fragrance of this favorite is beloved the country over! Growing year-round in California—it's extremely popular as a potted plant in colder climates.

3377 New York Market-Long stems for cutting. Light colored spikes. 1/4 Oz. 40c ......Pkt. 10c

3372 Golden Goliath-Massive gold flowers! 1/4 Oz. size 50c......Pkt. 15c

3371 Red Monarch—A stand-out beauty! Rich ripe scarlet! 1/4 Oz. 40c..Pkt. 10c 3380 Sweet Mignonette (Reseda Odor-

ata)—An old-fashioned favorite. Very sweetly scented. Oz. 25c......Pkt. 10c Reg. 60c Collection—One Packet of the

Four Above Kinds-Complete 4 for 35c

#### MALACOIDES [D] R (Baby Primrose)

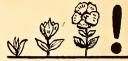
A great favorite for both in and outdoor culture in milder climates. Blossoms in rich clusters of numerous minute rose-like buds!

Enchantress-Salmon rose......Pkt. 50c Double Fairy Jewels-Rose pink Pkt. 50c Lavender Glory—A real beauty!..Pkt. 50c Snowflake—One-inch florets!....Pkt. 50c Single Giants Mixed — All beauties. 

- MINA [V]
- 3387 Lobata—Beautiful climber full of long spikes of showy, bright red and vellow blooms. Equally decorative on trellis or wall......Pkt. 10c

## PLANT GERMAIN'S 1942 NASTURTIUMS

Your Assurance of Bigger and Brighter Blooms . . . Longer-Lasting Bouquets and Season-Long Garden Beauty!



#### NASTURTIUM COLLECTION 22 - ALL YOUR FAVORITES! A REGULAR 75c VALUE!

1—Scarlet Globe Dwarf 1—Double Mahogany Sweet Scented 1—Orange Gleam Sweet Scented

l—Golden Yellow Giant l—Golden King Tom Thumb l—Pearl Giant

Six Reg. Sized Packets, in One Jumbo Size Packet. Complete .....

55c

#### GERMAIN'S NASTURTIUMS [T] [D] [E]

No other flower can equal the Nasturtiums in bright color, length of bloom, and ease of culture! They'll grow any place in every garden! Enjoy continu-ous blooms the entire season! Choose from a wide selection of colors!

#### TOM THUMB NASTURTIUMS

3437 Golden King-Rich golden yellow. 3438 King of Tom Thumbs-Scarlet, dark

foliage. 3443 Prince Henry—Cream blotched with red.

3448 Salmon Queen or Vesuvius—Deep salmon

Price of Above: 25c per Oz.; Pkt. 10c Special! Four 10c Packets for Only 30cl

#### DWARF DOUBLE NASTURTIUMS

3453 Scarlet Globe—Bright red...Pkt. 15c 3452 Golden Globe—Yellow.....Pkt. 15c 3454 Dwarf Double Gem Mixed..Pkt. 15c

#### MATHIOLA (Night Scented Stock) [D]

3354 Bicornis-A delightful free flowering dwarf plant. Small purple flowers are noted for their entrancing fragrance through the evening hours. Per 

#### MOONFLOWER (Ipomoea) 🗉

3198 Bona Nox-Deep blue flowers in abundance! Per 1/2 Oz. 20c ...... Pkt. 10c 3203 Mexicana Grandiflora Alba --- Im-

mense pure white! 1/2 Oz. 25c..Pkt. 10c

3199 Clarke's Earliest Heavenly Blue-Sky blue. Extra large blooms. ¼ Oz. 50c.....Pkt. **15c** 

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#### MORNING GLORIES [V]

The most free flowering and rapid climber in cultivation. In a wide choice of colors!

3205 Scarlett O'Hara-Velvet red.

- Pkt......25c 3207 Pearly Gates-Satiny white. This lovely new morning glory makes a striking "Patriot's Colors" trellis ar-rangement when planted with Clarke's Blue and Scarlett O'Hara. per Pkt. .....25c
- 2745 Choicest Mixed-Oz. 25c....Pkt. 10c 3210 Imperialis Choicest Mixed - The handsome showy favorite of all morn-
- ing glories. Full Oz. Size 40c .... Pkt. 10c See Color Picture Page 7

#### GIANTS OF CALIFORNIA

Properly supported, these giants will climb to a height of eight feet or more! They make excellent screens, cover lattices, and fence decorations! They may also be used as creepers on banks. rockwork, or any unsightly bare space in the landscape!

- 3411 King Theodore—Margon with dark foliage.
- 3412 Golden Yellow.

3417 Scarlet-Large bright red.

3416 Ruby-Bright shade of rose red.

3414 Pearl (Moonlight)—Amber white Price of Above: Per Oz. 15c; Per Pkt. 10c 3420 Tall Giants of California Mixed— Oz. 15c.....Pkt. 10c

3422 Ivy Leaved Mixed—Leaves prettily 

#### MOMORDICA [V]

Beautiful, decorative fruit bursts when ripe, exposing bright orange-scarlet interior which resembles a handsome flower: 3388 Balsamina (Balsam Apple)-6-ft .....Pkt. 10c high.

3389 Charantia (Balsam Pear) — 5-feet high. .....Pkt. 10c



#### NEMESIA

Sometimes called the Baby Snapdragon. In a wide variety of gay bright colors. Rose, yellow, blue.

3462 Grandiflora Suttoni—Bright Blue. Pkt20c
3461 Grandiflora Suttoni — Cherry red. Pkt20c
3457 Grandiflora Suttoni—Bright orange. Pkt20c
3458 Grandiflora Suttoni—Rich, ripe rose. Pkt20c
3459 Grandiflora Suttoni — Scarlet red. Pkt20c

3460 Grandiflora Suttoni Mixed—Pkt. 15c

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ALL FLOWERS PAGES 22-23 ARE ANNUALS

Or Perennials Grown As Annuals in California

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- [D] DWARF
- [E] EDGING
- R ROCK GARDEN
- VINE
  - SHADE

#### GERMAIN'S 1942 PANSIES [D] [E]

Plant friendly faces in your garden! Choose your allfamily favorite from a wide variety of types! Enjoy sturdier plants—giant sized, velvety flowers!

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#### PANSY COLLECTION 23-\$1.25 VALUE SAVE ON THIS FIVE PACKET COMBINATION

A complete collection of four separate colors Swiss Giant Pansies plus one packet of Swiss Giant Mixed Pansies. Enclosed in giant sized envelope for

#### GIANT MASTODON PANSIES

Outstanding American pansy, growing in popularity! Millions of plants are grown from this seed each year! Wide choice of colors!

- 3495 Golden Gate—Monster golden yellow with dark center. 1/16 Oz. \$1.50. Pkt 25c
- 3505 Sea Blue—An unusually beautiful new shade! 1/16 Oz. \$1.50....Pkt. 25c 3500 Madame Steele—Elk's purple! Im-
- 3500 Madame Steele—Elk's purple! Immense blooms. 1/16 Oz. \$1.50..Pkt. 25c 3513 White Mastodon—Very large pure
- white! Outstanding! 1/16 Oz. \$1.50. Pkt.\_\_\_\_\_25c

#### NICOTIANA 🔳

Full 1/2 Ounce Size of Affinis Only 30c 3469 Crimson Bedder [D] — Very dwarf. Red.

- Pkt. \_\_\_\_\_25c
- 3470 Sanderae Hybrids T—Large flowering hybrids. Very showy in a variety of colors. 1/4 Oz. 30c.—\_\_\_\_Pkt. 10c

#### NIGELLA (Love in a Mist) [D]

- 3475 Damascena Double Mixed—Unusually long lasting flowers—partially concealed by dark green, finely cut foliage! Decorative seed pods! Oz. 30c.\_\_\_\_\_Pkt. 10c

#### PHYSALLIS (Chinese Lantern) [A] [D]

3644 Franchetti—Small white flowers bloom early, are followed by a bright red lantern-like fruit which is especially popular cut and dried for winter floral arrangements! 1/3 Oz. 30c...Pkt. 15c

3547 Mastodon Jumbo Mixed—The very latest creations. 1/16 Oz. \$1.75..Pkt. 35c 23a—SPECIAL COLLECTION OF GIANT MASTODON PANSIES A Regular \$1.25 Value \$1.00

One packet of each of the five lovely colors!

SUPERB PANSY MIXTURES 3549 Engelmann's Giant Mixed — Very large, long-stemmed flowers. All colors, with lovely markings.

1/16 Oz. \$1.75\_\_\_\_\_Pkt. 25c 2540 Choice Mixed—Medium sized flowers in great profusion.\_\_\_\_Pkt. 10c

GERMAIN'S SWISS GIANTS The biggest, most beautiful blooms of all!

- 3533 Swiss Giant Golden Yellow A

   real beauty!
   1/16 Oz. \$1.75...Pkt.

   3539 Berma Violet.
   1/16 Oz. \$1.75...Pkt.

   9kt.
   25c

   3534 Swiss Giant Red—1/16 Oz. \$1.75...Pkt.
   25c

   3531 Swiss Giant White—1/16 Oz. \$1.75...Pkt.
   25c

   3531 Swiss Giant White—1/16 Oz. \$1.75...Pkt.
   25c

   3537 Swiss Giants Mixed—The largest and most remarkable of all European
   25c
- and most remarkable of all European strains! Well developed flowers of immense size! All popular colors, beautifully marked! Price: Per 1/16 Oz. \$1.10.....Pkt. 25c
- 3538 Super Swiss Giants—Stocky, sturdy, well-developed plants. Full range of multi-colored blossoms of great beauty! Buy now! Per 1/16 Oz. \$1.50......Pkt. 25c



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EVERY KNOWN VARIETY

IN EVERY COLOR OF THE RAINBOW

Yes—you could grow an entire garden of petunias alone and never tire of the wide and varied selection of shapes, sizes and bright colors! Hardy, easy to grow-they provide an abundance of cuttings in any location, under any climate conditionsl

#### GIANT FLOWERED RUFFLED AND FRINGED

3591 Elk's Pride—Large Frilled Purple. 3597 Scarlet Beauty—Bright red. Showy! 3589 Theodosia—Beautiful pink. Large, Frilled! Yellow penciled throat!

3588 Ruffled Pure White. Price of Above—Per Packet 25c

3598 Germain's Ruffled Monsters-Extra 

3559 25c

3605 Brilliant Rose Gem — Miniature Rose. A dainty little stand-out. Pkt.

3562 Martha Washington — Ruffled dwarf pink with violet throat. Pkt. 25c

3560 Dainty Lady — Single fringed creamy yellow. For contrast! Pkt. 25c fringed

3561 Flaming Velvet—Single Flame color. 

#### PHLOX DRUMMONDI (Texan Pride) [D] [E]

These many-bloom flowers have long been a favorite all over the country! You can plant them in almost any type of soil—in almost any location and be assured of large, showy blooms throughout the season! All colors.

GIGANTEA DRUMMONDI

Rosy Morn—Large brilliant rose pink, with white center. Pkt. 25c 3629 Salmon Glory—Giant flowers...Pkt. 25c 3630 Gigantea Mixed—Light shades...Pkt. 20c

DRUMMONDI GRANDIFLORA 3627 Yellow 3621 Bright Scarlet 3628 Violet 3623 Rose Pink 3626 Pure White

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PORTULACA [D] [E] I

A favorite free-flowering plant for sunny lo-cations. Mossy foliage surrounds the dainty primrose-like flowers in gay pastel colors. 3710 Finest Single Mixed—All shades of red, rose, yellow, white. Per <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> oz. 45c...,Pkt, 10c 3720 Choice Double Mixed—Superb strain of large double flowers. <sup>1</sup>/<sub>8</sub> oz. 75c. Pkt. 10c

#### Collection 24a FIVE FAVORITES

Save 10c on a Big	Selectionl
Ruffled Giant	Petunias Mixed
Gigante Phlox Flanders Poppy	Portulaca Mix E. Queen Phlox
5 PktsComplete for	Only 65c

#### LARGE SINGLE BEDDING

3579 Violet Blue 3580 Pure White 3577 Brilliant Rose 3576 Crimson Red

3576 Crimson Red 3580 Fure White Pkt. 10c; 1/8 Oz. 50c 3599 Germain's Select Bedding Mixed— A fine large flower strain in bright, pastel shades. Pkt. 15c; 1/4 oz. 75c 3594 Howards Star—Five-point White.

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 White,

 Pkt.
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 3600
 Good
 Single
 Mixed—Vigorous

 strain.
 Easily grown anywhere.
 1/4

 oz.
 45c.
 Pkt.
 10c

#### DWARF BORDER PETUNIAS

Excellent for edging and low ribbon type borders. Attractive free-flowering bushes. 3584 Rosy Morn 3582 Rose of Heaven 3587 Silver Blue 3583 Nana Vilaca Vio-3581 Snow Ball let 3574 Dwarf Border Mixed

Price Per 1/8 Oz. 60c; Pkt. 10c

#### Here Are Four Favorite All American Petunias

79 Salmon Supreme—A brand new hybrida single in soft salmon rose. 3579 Pkt. 25c

Pkt. 250 513 Velvet Ball—A magnificent new Grandiflora Compacta. Almost perfect ball shape in deep, velvety dark red. 3613

Pkt. 3563 Betsy Ross—A miniature, ruffled blooms in rose, white and gold stripes! 25c

0 Hollywood Star—Perfect five-point 3610

ed star flowers of cerise rose! Pkt. 25c Special! One Pkt. Each of the Four

All American Petunias for 80c See Color Picture, Pages 2 and 7

#### GERMAIN'S GARDEN PINKS [D] [E]

White Sweet Carnation Fragrance! Large, brilliant multi-flower heads, filled with a sweet, spicy penetrating fragrance! Double types resemble Carnations in size, shape and perfume. An old-fashioned favorite!

#### DOUBLE ANNUAL PINKS

2843

- 2848 Salmon King-Bright salmon. 1/4 oz. 60c
- 2844 Fireball—Fiery scarlet. 1/4 oz......45c
- 2349
- Laciniatus—Mixed double fringed types. 40c 2856
- 1/4 oz. .. 2856 Double Diadem Pink-Mixed, 1/4 oz .... 40c
- Chinensis (China Pink) Double. 1/4 oz. 30c 2860
- 2855 Heddewigii (Jap. Pink) Double. 1/4 oz. 50c

Price of Above: Per Pkt. 10c

#### **BIG BARGAIN ON DOUBLE PINKS!**

Nine Reg. 10c Packets for Only 75c

#### SINGLE PINKS

2867 Splendens—Crimson with white center. A real beauty! Pkt. 15c. 1/8 oz.\_\_\_\_50c 2866 Eastern Queen—Bright Rose. 1/4 oz. 45c 2872 Laciniatus—Single fringed......1/4 oz. 30c 2870 Heddewigii (Japanese Pink). 1/2 oz. 40c

Price of Three Above Varieties-Per Pkt. 10c

Save Now! 5 Reg. 10c Packets for 40cl



Double Petunia

#### DOUBLE FLOWERING PETUNIAS

006 American Giant Double Fringed Mixed—An un-rivaled strain producing a big percentage of large beautiful flowers in all the best shades. Pkt........50c 3606 3604 Extra Select Plain Double Mixed—A grand color mixture of very double plain petal types. Pkt........35c

COLLECTION 24: POPULAR PETUNIAS A Regular \$1.30 Value Reduced \$1 Elk's Pride Purple Scarlet Beauty Rose Red Ruffled Giants Mix Pure White Betsy Ross Dwarf Border Mixed 7 Pkts. Complete in Large Folder for \$1.00! Betsy Ross

#### POPPIES [D•]

Poppies Please Throughout the Season! Popples Please Infougnout the Sedsoni Once grown only in warm, semi-tropic cli-mates, you'll now find Germain's tested pop-ples easy to grow in every locality! Enjoy the decorative 2-3 ft. plants, the abundance of broad petaled flowers in wide color choice! 3661 Tulip or Flanders Poppy—Scarlet. <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> oz. <u>455</u> 3658 Shirley Rose Pink—Very large. <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> oz.

DOUBLE SHIRLEY OR ELDORADO

#### **ICELAND POPPIES**

Graceful, decorative flowers on long stems, rising from tufts of bright green foliage! Re-move seed pods regularly, enjoy season-long blooms! Choose from grand new colors! 3692 Emperor—Brand new Tangerine. Pkt.

- 3693 3694 3696
- 3702
- 3700 ..10c

See Color Picture Page 2



## GERMAIN'S 1942 SCABIOSAS

First Choice for Delightful Foral Arrangements Lovely in itself, you'll find Scabiosa the perfect mixer with other flowers for loads of unusual, beautiful, sweet-scented bouquets!



#### SCABIOSA T (Mourning Bride)

Sweet Scabiosa, also known as "Pincushion Flower" is a well known favorite and one of the most popular of the "old-fash-ioned" flowers! The flowers are large, double and filled with a delicious sweet perfume! Freely produced, they're ideal in bouauet!

#### GIANT STRAINS

3809 Rosette - Giant deep rose, suffused with rich salmon tones. 25c Pkt.

3826 Giant Hybrid Mixed...Pkt. 15c

80c

Collection 25

GIANT SCABIOSA

Blue Moon Rosette Peace White Salmon Beauty A 4-Packet Group Valued at SI Four Packets—Complete in 800

giant folder



#### Here Are Three New All Americans! 3816 Blue Moon-Large lavender blue. Pkt

25c Scabiosa Peace—All white. A giant bloom, full of fragrance.....Pkt. 25c Salmon Beauty-Unusual salmon rose color. Giant sized!\_\_\_ 



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## VELVET FLOWERED SALPIGLOSSIS I

Sun-loving trumpet flowers grow on sturdy 2½ ft. plants, promise profuse bloom all through the season! Unusual, different, they make very decorative floral arrangements! SEPARATE SHADES

3778 Chamois 3779 Ci 3782 Deep Marcon 3784 Re 3787 Golden Yellow 3786 W Purple—Netted, penciled with gold. 3779 Crimson, gold veins 3784 Rose, gold veins 3786 White, gold veins

Price of Above-Per Packet 15c; 1/8 Oz. 30c

SPECIAL COLLECTION! \$1.05 VALUE

One Packet of All Seven Colors for 75c

'88 Germain's Gloxinia Flowered Mixed. All shades, beau-tiful veined and mottled! Per ½ oz. 25c. Per Pkt......10c 3788 3 Reg. 10c Packets for Only 25c!

TWO BRAND NEW STAND-OUT VARIETIES! 

## FLAMING SALVIAS [D]

 FLAMING SALVIAS [D] (Flowering Sage)

 Brilliant favorites for bright summer beddings, they'll bloom on into Fall! Easy-to-grow, you're assured of abundant paint-box blooms throughout the long season!

 3791 Firebrand Harbiner -- Compact dwarf plants with dark foliage, brightest scarlet blooms. Pkt.
 25c

 3800 Azurea Grandiflora--Sky blue and one of the best! A definite place in the garden and lovely bouquets. Pkt.
 25c

 3792 Splendens (Scarlet Sage)--Most effective and showy of all bedders. Pkt.
 10c

 3793 Bonfire--Similar to above but compact and bushy! 1½ ft. tall. Pkt.
 10c

 3796 Farinacea Blue Bedder---More compact form, deeper blue flowers. Pkt.
 15c

D

Dwarf

## SAPONARIA (Bouncing Bet) [D] I

Lush, bushy growth covered with multiple blooms of dainty, quivering flowers! Long famous as a potted plant, now yours for love-ly, long-lasting summer outdoor blooms.

#### **Excelsior** Hybrids

- Special Savings! Five 25c Packets for \$1
- 3830 Choice Wistonsis Mixed Choice of many fine shades. Per 1/4 oz. 40c. Pkt....l0c

3829 Pansy Flowered Mixed—A lovely choice of pink, cream, purple, crimson, and white flowers. Per Pkt. \_\_\_\_\_\_35c

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**Rock Garden** 

E Edging

#### GRANDIFLORA STRAINS

3805	Azu	re Fairy	3806	Cherry I	Red
3814	Mar	oon	3813	Bright R	ose
3814	Sno	wball	3820	Choice I	Mix.
Price	of	Above:	Per	Packet	10c
		Per 1/4	oz. 2	0c	

One Packet of All Five Colors Only 40c

3804 Columbaria Lavender-Very pleasing lavender blue for cutting.\_\_\_\_Pkt. 15c

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Collection 25a FAVORITE ANNUALS Perfumed! Brilliant! A 90c Value! 65c Periumea: Brilliant: A Suc Value: bSC Saponaria - White Scabiosa Purple Salpiglossis - Scarlet Sage Salvia Mixed Schizanthus 1 Red, 1 Yellow Sweet Sultan 7 Regular Sized Pkts. for Only 65c

#### SWEET SULTAN (Centaureas) [D]

Large fringed flowers — delight-fully fragrant. Easy to grow, choose from a variety of types and colors. All giant-sized flow-

2632	Amaranth Re	d
20.00	Ciant Lilaa	

- 2635 Giant Lilac 2636 Giant Purple 2633 Giant Rose 2634 Giant Lavender 2637 Giant White 2639 Giant Yellow (Saveolens)

Price of Above: Per Pkt. 10c

Collection: One Packet of Each of the Seven Colors! Now 7 for 55c

2640 Royal Sweet Sultan Giant Mixed. Full ounce 45c. |Oc Packet....

#### SUNFLOWER

Tall, rapid-growing plants so effectively used as screens, backgrounds, and in combination with shrubbery. Also popular for large, showy cuttings, large scale decoration!

- 3119 Double Chrysanthemum Flowered.
- 25c
- 3122 Double Flowered Dwarf (Sun of Gold)— A new type dwarf growth. ½ oz......40c
- 3133 Cucmerifolius (Miniature Sunflower) Abundance of single flowers. ½ oz. Sized reduced to \_\_\_\_\_30c

3124 Stella-Gold with black disc. 1/2 oz. 45c

3126 Maroon Prince-Nearest approach to α Price of Above: 10c per Packet. 3 for 25c 40c

#### SANVITALIA

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Shade



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GERMAIN'S

Super Majestic Snapdragon

#### STOCKS [D] [E] GIANT PERFECTION OR CUT-AND-COME-AGAIN STOCKS

Perpetual bloomers, especially valuable for summer garden display! Cut branches throw out numerous side branches full of double, exquisitely scented flowers. In all colors!

3927	Sapphire Blue
3928	May Queen Blue
3936	Princess Alice White
3929	Brilliant Crimson

- 3932 La France Rose 3938 Creole Yellow

Price of Above: 1/8 Oz. 75c.....

3940 Cut-and-Come-Again Mixed — A grand assortment of colors. 1/8 Oz. 60c. Pkt. 10c

.....Pkt. 15c

#### LARGE FLOWERING TEN WEEKS STOCKS

Our improved strain for earlier summer
blooming. Especially valuable for cutting!
Free flowering type with extra large blooms!
3942 Flesh Color 3945 Bright Rose
3943 Bright Blue 3947 Pure White
3949 Blood Red 3948 Yellow
3944 Purple 3950 Finest Mixed
Price of Above: 1/8 Oz. 45c. Per Pkt. 10c

EARLY GIANT IMPERIAL STOCKS A superb new strain of early flowering habit —equally successful for winter and summer flowering. Largest sized, double fragrant flowers grow profusely on heavy, well fur-nished spikes. Choose new colors! 3876 Fiery Blood Red 3879 Chamois 3881 Dark Blue 3883 Golden Rose 3882 Elks Pride Purple 3884 Lavender 3886 Giant Imperial Deep Rose

Price of Any of Above: Per Packet 20c 3890 Giant Imperial-Choice Mixed....Pkt. 15c Germain's New Rust-Resistant

1942 SNAPDRAGONS · STOCKS

## SNAPDRAGONS

#### RUST PROOF SUPER MAJESTIC [D]

A magnificent new strain with largest sized flowers, closely placed on strong sturdy stems! Beautiful and stately in your garden, they'll make lovely, longlasting bouquets. All colors. Dainty Pink Royal Crimson **Orange Shades** Royal Crimson Rose Sensation Harmony Shades, Terra Cotta and yellow.

Autumn Glow, Rose suffused with amber, yellow. Silver Pink

Super Majestic Mixed Price of Above: Per Packet 25c

Savings Offerl Five 25c Packets Only \$1 Rust-Proof Snapdragon (illustrated)

> Collection 26: Five Favorites for Winter Bloom in California

Super Majestic Snapdragon Mix (Rust-

Froof Winter Spencer Sweet Peas Mixed Baby Primroses (Malacoids) Extra Double Mixed Calendulas

Regularly \$1.10 Value! 5 Pkts. for 75c Collection 26a: Reg. 90c!

Six Pkts, Winter Nice Stocks 75c In our selection of six, popular colors! All hardy bloomers!

#### SPECIAL STOCK COLLECTION 26B: REG. \$1.20! ANY SIX PACKETS OF GIANT IMPERIALS, 6 FOR \$1.

#### GIANT WINTER NICE STOCKS

All-year-round favorite in California, a stand-out for greenhouse and home blooming in colder climates. Large, double size blossoms, long stems, especially popular with florists the country over!

- 3895 3896
- 3897
- Duntry over! American Beauty—Rose Pink Souvenir de Monαco—Crimson Beauty of Nice—Delicate Pink Belle de Naples—Old Rose Cote d'Azur—Lavender Blue 3898

3899 Cote d'Azur-Lavender Blue 3901 Summer Night-Dark Blue Purple 3907 Mont Blanc-Pure White 3908 Monte Carlo-Yellow 3910 Giant Winter Nice Mixed-All colors! Price of Above: Per Pkt. 15c, 1/8 Oz. 60c

#### GERMAIN'S COLUMN OR EXCELSIOR STOCKS

Each plant produces one enormous spike, cov-ered with extra large flowers. No side growth, the vigor of the plant is concentrated in this one bloom! 3924 Column or Excelsior Mixed — Rose,

24 Column or Excelsior Mixed — Rose, white, crimson, lilac. <sup>1</sup>/<sub>8</sub> Oz. \$1.......Pkt. 35c

#### ENGLISH WINTER, BROMPTON STOCKS

Exceptional sturdy biennial growth. An Eng-lish flower garden favorite! Big flowers! 3956 Brompton or English Mixed—Red, rose, violet, white.  $y_{16}$  Oz. 45c......Pkt. 20c

Column Stocks

#### R-P MAJUS GRANDIFLORUS (About 21/2 to 3 ft.)

Rosalie-Lovely rose shaded to amber. Pkt. ..... .25c ......

Autumn Shades — Rose suffused with amber, light yellow lip.

Fiery Red-Ruby suffused with orange.

- Padre-Pure velvety crimson.
- Salmon Rose Pink Shades—White lipped.
- Torchlight—Garnet suffused with orange, bright yellow lip.

Rust Proof Majus Grandiflora Mixed-Price of Above: Per Packet 15c

University of California Mixed—Original 'Rust-Proof" Strain......Pkt. 10c

#### RUST PROOF MAXIMUM (3 ft. high)

Copper King-Burnished copper with golden blotch on lower lip. Daffodil—Primrose, lemon yellow lip. Indian Summer—Orange Scarlet. Salmon Pink Shades Salmon Rose Shades Rust Proof Maximum-Special Choice Mixture Price of Above: Per Packet 20c, 3 for 50c See Color Picture Page 8

Support Tall Plants



TAGETES [E]

3983 Signata Pumila—Low border filled with fern-like foliage, dwarf Marigold flowers in rich gold shades. 1/4 Oz. 40c......Pkt. 10c



#### TUNBERGIA [V]

3984 Alata Mixed—Snappy little flowers in orange, buff, white, etc., with dark eye! A beautiful climber. 1/4 Oz. 50c......Pkt. 10c

#### TORENIA [E•]

3986 Fournieri — 12-inch bush covered with a mass of bright blue, yellow-centered flowers. A real beauty!.....Pkt. 15c

#### TITHONIA 🗉

3987 987 Fireball — Similar to Speciosa but a bright scarlet in color. ½ Oz. 60c....Pkt. 25c

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#### VENIDIUM [D]

- 97 Fastuosum—A new plant from S. Africa! Striking flowers resemble orange and yel-low sunflowers! Feather grey-green foliage provides excellent contrast to the bright colors of the bloom......Pkt. 25c 3997
- 996 Fastuosum Hybrids—Lighter shades in yellow, light orange and cream......Pkt. 25c 3996

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#### VINCA [D] [E]

(Madagascar Periwinkle) Free, continuous blooming bedder. A mass of shiny green foliage surround dainty buds that open when cut! Ideal potted plant for winter! 4018 Alba Oculata-White with crimson eye. 4019 Rosea-Rosy red.

4029 Choice Mixed—Variety of gay colors.

Price of Above: Per 1/4 Oz. 50c, Pkt. 10c

#### VIRGINIA STOCK [D] [E] R

Enjoy sprays of mass rose and white blooms! 4041 Rose Queen

4045 Mixed

4043 White Oueen

Price of Above: Per Oz. 45c, Per Pkt. 10c

#### VISCARIA [D] R

4050 Oculata Finest Mixed (Rose of Heaven) —A colorful bedding and border favorite in gay colors. 1/4 Oz. 30c.....Pkt. 10c

#### WALL FLOWER [D] [E]

The velvety petals and rich mellow tones of these flowers insure their becuty as an indoor plant, and promise rare loveliness in an out-door garden in mild climates!

- 4056 Belvoir Castle-Golden Buff.
- 4057 Fire King-Orange Carmine.
- 4058 Harginger-Rich Copper Red.
- 4046

Price of Above-Per Packet 10c-3 for 25c

4062 Double Flowering Extra Select—A very 

Special! 5 Reg. 25c Packets for Only \$1

#### SPECIAL SUNSET COLLECTION SUMMER SWEET PEAS

A stand-out selection of long stemmed favorites for cutting! Gay! Bright! Fragrant! One packet of each of the following colors! Spencer Mixed What Joy—Yellow Pinkie—Rose Ambition-Lavender Tangerine-Orange Illuminator—Cerise Pinkie—Rose Complete in jumbo full-color illustrated Illumingtor-Cerise gift packet!

SIX REG. 10c PACKETS FOR 50c

BIGGERI BETTERI MORE FRAGRANTI **GERMAIN'S 1942 SWEET PEAS** 

Assure you of sweet season-long bouquets of beauty! Choose the hardy six-foot trellis climbers that are a favorite in every American Wide choice of plain, wavy petaled or ruffled varieties in solid, homel striped or mottled colors! For lasting, colorful, sweet-scented bouquets, nothing can surpass Germain's Sweet Peas!

#### GIANT WINTER SWEET PEAS

Twelve winter-blooming beauties for warmer climates! Lush bouquets through winter months

GERMAIN'S WINTER BEAUTIES GERMAIN'S WINTER BEAUTIES Amethyst-Large sized royal purple. Blue Bird-Rich deep blue purple. Cream-Contrasting creamy yellow. Illumination-Startling cerise. Radiant-Bright salmon rose. Laddie-Strong growing mammoh rose. Othello-Rich shade of velvety marcon. Santa Barbara-Mammoth deep orange. The Beauty-Stand-out dark fiery rose. White Harmony-Long stemmed. Ruffled. Price of Above: Per Pkt. 10c; Per Oz. 60c; Per 1/4 Lb. S2.00 Special Savings! Complete Selection Ten Winter Beauties 85c WINTER SPENCER MIXED

WINTER SPENCER MIXED

4279 Germain's Early or Winter Spencer Mix. Price: Per Pkt. 10c; Per ½ Oz. 20c; Per Oz. 40c; Per ¼ Lb. S1.20; Per Lb. S4.50



Winter Spencer Sweet Peas

#### EARLY FLOWERING TREASURE ISLAND BEAUTIES

4265 265 Treasure Island — A vivid, sparkling golden orange. Extra long stems. ....Pkt. 20c 4258 Memory-Giant lavender. Waved, ruffled! A luscious pastel beauty!......Pkt. 15c 4260 Skippy—Soft salmon pink...... Pkt. 20c 4247 Meadlark—Creamy yellow......Pkt. 15c 4250 Pride-Long stem ruffled cerise.\_Pkt. 15c 4234 Navy Blue-Giant clear navy!....Pkt. 15c 09 Bridesmaid—Giant flowers, heavily ruf-fled silvery pink! A beauty!......Pkt. 15c 4209 4244 Mars-Rich oxblood crimson!......Pkt, 15c

**Treasure Island Collection Eight Regular Sized Packets!** A Big \$1.30 Value Now Only \$1

#### NEW RUFFLED SPENCER SWEET PEA

Ideal choice for a fluffy, fragrant bouquet.

- 72 Lady Ruffles—Soft pink self on white background. Awarded Gold Medal of Scot-tish National Sweet Pea Society......Pkt. 20c 4372
- 375 Ruffled White Gigantic new white-seed, white sweet pea. Often five flowers to a single spray! A real beauty!...Pkt. 20c 4375 371 Ruffled Beauty—Creamy pink, sheen of bright lavender. Delicate! Charming! Pkt. 20c 4371
- 4373 Ruffled Orchid-Warm lavender mauve. ....Pkt. 20c

4374 Ruffled Rose-Pure shade of rich rose. Pkt. 20c

Special Collection: One Packet of Each of the Above 20c Varieties-Now Buy Five for Only 85cl

WINTER WONDER COLLECTION

A grand selection of Giant Early or Winter Spencer Sweet Peas in favorite colors — PLUS — a handy package of plant food tablets! Complete in jumbo gitt folder with natural color illus-

REGULARLY 75c! A SPECIAL AT 50c

#### GIANT SUMMER FLOWERING SPENCER SWEET PEAS

A favorite in all climates! A hardy climber for lovely garden backgrounds, a sweet scented choice for bright cut bouquets! Many colors! 4342 Pinkie—Large rose-pink. Very fragrant,

- 4356
- 4281
- extra long stemmed. 356 Smiles—Beautiful clear salmon. 281 Ambition—Rosy lavender. 361 Tangerine—Sensational orange color. 285 Crimson King Long stemmed rich 4361 4285 color
- 4321 Illuminator—Glowing cerise-salm 4321 Royal Purple—Rich royal purple. 4364 Warrior—Bronzy maroon. -Glowing cerise-salmon.

- What Joy-Cream yellow. Avalanch-Pure white. 4286

Price: Any of Above, Per Pkt. 10c SALE! 6 REG. 10c PACKETS ONLY 50c Price Per Ounce 40c 370 Choice Spencer Mixed—Per Pkt. 10c Oz. 30c; 1/4 Lb. 90c; Lb. \$3.00

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D Dwarf E Edging R Rock Garden

V Vine Shade 

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#### GERMAIN'S VERBENAS [D] Always a Favorite Choice!

Selected strains produce larger flowers in a surprisingly large selection of color! Germain's Verbenas are hardy, sturdy, produce an abund-ance of bright bloom from the garden, make an ideal potted plant for home decoration!

#### GIANT HYBRID VERBENAS

4017 Beauty of Oxford Hybrid-Rose......Pkt. 20c 4013 Royal Banquet—Brilliant Mixed....Pkt. 20c 3998 Hybrida Gigantea Firefly—Red, white

3938 hypring Giganica Chiganica Chiganica Chiganica Chiganica Chiganica Stellata Violacea -- Deep purple with a large white eye.
4003 Hybrida Giganica Mixed....Per ½ oz. 45c Price of Above: Per Packet 15c

MAMMOTH VERBENAS

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Savel Five Reg. 10c Pkts. for Only 40cl

#### TRAILING VERBENA [V]

4014 Erinoides (Moss Verbenc)—A distinct species in itself. Specially adaptable for dec-orative parking. Masses of rich violet and purple flowers bloom continuously. ¼ oz. 45c ......Per Pkt. 10c

3 Reg. 10c Packets for Only 25cl

## Germain's ZINNIAS-Colors Right out of a Paint Box!

You can't count the colors! Bright cheery shades in a variety of sizes and shapes that make your garden a veritable rain-bow! Curly petals! Single petals! Dwarf plants and big jumbo giants—you'll find them all in this superior collection of 1942 Germain's Zinnias!

For Further Selections See Color Picture Pages 4 and 5



WILL ROGERS

Scarlet and crimson! A brand new giant growth! Perfectly formed flowers grown on plants from 3½ to 4 ft. high! Pkt. 25c

NEW POMPON PASTEL MIXED—A mixture of gay colors! Two foot plants with tiny flowers from two to two and a half inches across! In red, orange, yellow, rose and pastel shades! 1/4 oz. 50c. Pkt.\_\_\_\_\_15c

For An Unusual, Bright Garden -Choose From These Three **Remarkable Zinnia Collections** 

COLLECTION 28: DWARF ZINNIAS Save 20c on a Reg. 80c Value! 60c

Fantasy Mixed Giant Violet Giant Scarlet Giant Salmon Giant Golden Yellow

Individual packets come enclosed in a giant sized folder!

COLLECTION 28a: NOVELTY ZINNIAS A Four Pkt. 80c Savings Value! 60c

Haagena Linearis Tom Thumb Mixed Fantasy Mixed Four outstanding favorites—each one a stand-out in its own special field!

COLLECTION 28b: COMBINATION Marigold-Zinnia Giants \$1.50 Value for \$1.20

Zinnia—Giant Crested.
 Super Crown of Gold Zinnia.
 California Giant Zinnias Mixed.
 Sunset Giant Marigolds Mixed.
 Giant Double Orange Marigold.

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# COLLECTIONS

FAVORITE FLOWERS GROUPED TOGETHER AT PRICES THAT MEAN EXTRA SAVINGS TO YOU! GLORIFY YOUR GARDEN! IT'S EASY TO CHOOSE FROM THESE SELECTED UNITS!

Collection 28c: FOLIAGE PLANTS A Six Packet 80c Value for Only 60c Amaranthus Sunrise Amaranthus Tricolor Celosia Thompsoni Magnifica Mexican Fire Bush Coleus Euphorbia Varigata

Collection 28d; A Reg. 50c Value LOW BORDER AND EDGING COLLECTION

A combination picked, not for its floral beauty but for decorative foliage alone!

Ageratum Alyssum Lobelia Dwarf Petunia Pinks Your favorites — every one sweetly scented-among the low-grow-

COLLECTION 28e: FOR SHADY GARDENS SAVE 20c ON A REGULAR 80c VALUEI

**Columbine Long Spurred Hybrids** Nemphila (Baby Blue Eyes) Viola Choice Mixture

Iceland Poppy Choice Mixed Schizanthus Wisetonensis Mixed Lobelia Crystal Palace Compacta

This choice selection assures you of an abundance of blooms in the shadiest sections of your garden! 6 regular pkts. for

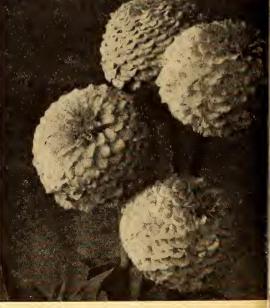
### Collection 28g TALL GROWING FLOWERS

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A 75c Valuel For Beautiful Backgrounds

Mixed Cosmos Amaranthus Annual Hollyhocks Blue Lupin Larkspur Sunflowers

A six packet selection that can't be beat when it comes to long-stemmed, long-lasting beauty! Complete......60c



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Collection 28f SUCCESSION COLLECTION Reg. 60cl Have Flowers All the Time! Columbine Gaillardia Per. Gypsophila Canterbury Bells Coreopsis Wallflower Perennials and biennials grown as an-

nuals in California! Enjoy a wealth of

blooms and fresh bouquets all 





MORNING GLORY: PEARLY GATES T [V]—Satiny white. Plant with "Clark's Early Heavenly Blue" and "Scarlet

O'Hara" for a striking red, white and blue trellis arrangement!



MARIGOLD: MELODY [E] -Harmony-type flower. An early, steady bloomer all through the season.



NIEREMBERGIA: PURPLE ROBE [E] [R]-Masses of deep violet-blue flowers for decorative garden beds and edgings!



COSMOS: YELLOW FLARE Similar to original Orange Flare Cosmos. Buttercup yellow, for a bright garden and lovelier, longer-lasting bouquets!



PHLOX: RED GLORY [D]-Giant flowers in bright red with contrasting white eye! See p. 35 for full description.



MARIGOLD: YELLOWSTONE [E]—See Marigold section for story on this bright yellow chrysanthemum type.

CLEOME: PINK QUEEN T-Tall attractive border plant with huge pink heads! For abundant bouquets from June

till Fall! CYNOGLOSSUM: SNOW BIRD T---Graceful, loose sprays of pure white Forget-me-not blooms!

GAILLARDIA: DOUBLE SUNSHINE Special blend of double flowers in gaudy colors!

SCABIOSA: MIDNIGHT T-Bushy, freeflowering plant with deep maroon (al-most black) flowers. A stand-out!

VERBENA: SPITFIRE [D]-Lively rose scarlet. Large, heavy bloomer.

CALENDULA: GLOWING GOLD [D]-Rich new shade of deep golden yellow! CALENDULA: ORANGE FLUFFY [D]---Double orange! A real beauty.

ZINNIA: CLOWN T-Some flowers are striped, other petals spotted in odd designs. An amusing, unusual flower!



MARIGOLD: BUTTERBALL [D] [E]-New crested dwarf border. Bright uniform canary yellow! A sturdy growing

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#### ABRONIA

2001 Umbellatum - Thrives in sandy soil! Bright rose flowers. Per Pkt....10c

CLARKIA

2720 Elegans - Free flowering double flowers! A gay color mixture..Pkt. 10c COREOPSIS

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2838 Cardinale — Magnificent cardinal red larkspur.... ....Pkt. 25c

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2996 **Capitata** — Popularly known as Queen Anne's Thimble. Feathery foliage. Rich lavender... ....Pkt. 10c 2998 Tricolor Mixed (Bird's Eyes)—Tall, with lilac spotted blooms.\_\_\_\_Pkt. 10c

#### HUNNEMANNIA

3190 Fumariaefolia (Giant Yellow Tulip Poppy)—A poppy-like perennial. Yellow. Oz. 45c ...... Pkt. 10c

3262 Assurgentiflora (California Windbreak) — Attractive rose-flowered perennial. Oz. 50c. Pkt. 10c

#### LEPTOSYNE

3277 Stillamni-Compact bushy annual bright golden flowers ..... 

#### LUPINUS

3321 Dwarf Nanus-Very fragrant. Rich blue. Pkt..... .....10c

#### MENTZELIA

3365 Lindleyi (Blazing Star) — Showy yellow flowers on 2-3 ft. bush. Pkt. 10c

#### GODETIA (Farewell to Spring)

Handsome bush plants with decorative foliage, a wealth of dainty primroselike flowers!

- 3011 Duke of York-Crimson, white center. Pkt ..... \_10c 3008 Kelvedon Glory-New salmon
- orange. Pkt..... 10c
- 3016 White Swan-A pure white beauty! Per Pkt. 10c
- 3020 Single Choice Mixed-1/2 oz. 55c. Per Pkt 10c

Special Three Reg. 10c Packets for 25c! TALL DOUBLE GODETIAS

NEMOPHILA

3463 Insignis (Baby Blue Eyes)—Sky 

#### **OENOTHERA**

3479 Lamarckiana (Evening Primrose)-Sweet scented yellow blooms on tall spikes. Pkt. .....10c

#### PHACELIA

3615 Campanularia (California Blue Bell) — Dainty gentian blue bellblooms. Pkt..... \_\_10c

#### FOR A GARDEN AS BRIGHT AS THE SOUTHLAND SUN . . . Plant Popular

## California Wild Flowers

Native flowers and poppies from our own hills and valleys-popular garden favorites throughout America!

#### WILD POPPIES LARGE FLOWERING SORTS

2924 Deep Orange (True California Full Oz. 35c Poppy). 2927 Golden West-Canary and orange. 2946 White—Pure snowy white flowers. 2950 Mixed—Orange, yellow, white. Full Ounce Size\_\_30c <sup>1/</sup><sub>2</sub> lb. Size\_\_\$1.50 Price: Any of Above-Pkt. 10c-3 for 25c

#### DOUBLE CALIFORNIA POPPY

2952 Double Enchantress-Double Rose. 15c

Pkt. 2948 Crocea-Double Deep Orange. Per

- .15c Pkt. 2951 Double Choice Mixed - Yellow,
- carmine, orange. ½ oz. 30c\_Pkt. 15c

#### NEW CALIFORNIA POPPIES

2937 Purple Glow-Rich reddish purple. 2939 Scarlet Beauty-Deep

scarlet. 2935 Orange Flame-Splen-

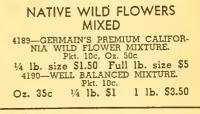
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2949 Richest Shades Mixed -Orange, pink and crimson. Per oz. 35c; 1/2 lh \$1.75 size-Now .....

Price: Per Pkt. 15c

Collection of Any Six 60c

Godetia (Duke of York)





#### Germain's Souvenir **Collection of**

#### California Native Flower Seeds

A collection of the famous wild flowers that have attracted nation-wide attention by their size and beauty! 10 regular sized packets in one jumbo sized gift envelope in natural colors.

- 1. Lupine Dwarf Mixed
- 2. Godetia Mixed
- 3. Abronia Rose
- 4. California Poppy (True Deep Or-
- ange)
- 5. Clarkia Elegans Mixed
- 6. Mentzelia
- 7. Nemophila Insignis
- 8. Gillia Tricolor Mixed
- 9. Coreopsis
- 10. Phacelia Campanularia
- Price: The Entire Souvenir 50c Collection-Postpaid
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Rhodanthe Maculata

STRAWFLOWERS AND IMMORTELLES

FOR YEAR-'ROUND BEAUTY IN A GARDEN AND BOUQUET

Popular Everlasting flowers—gaily colored, admired and highly prized for bright winter bouquets. Used either fresh-cut or dried!

#### ACROCLINIUM

GLOBE AMARANTH

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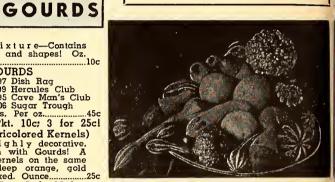
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2069 Italica Dropmore-3-5 ft. bush. with rich gentian blue sprays of flowers. Effective as background....Per Pkt. 10c

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2214 Formosa-Pretty rosettes of rosypink flowers. Slender leaves. Invaluable for edgings and borders!..Pkt. 15c

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2542 Carpatica (Harebell)—Tufts of neat foliage topped by upright violet blue blossoms. Extra fragrant!......Pkt. 15c

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2647 Tomentosum—A hardy favorite for rock garden and edging beauty! Un-usual silver grey foliage, with purple shooting-star flowers. Per 1/8 Oz. 45c. 

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Blooms in a few weeks from seed. Large sweet scented collection. Bright colors! 2570 Marguerite Choice Large Flowered -Mixed. Per 1/4 oz. 60c......Pkt. 10c

DELPHINIUM (Larkspur)
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NEW PACIFIC GIANT [T•]

Plant this brand new strain! Majestic Stalks! Heavy Spikes! Greater Beauty! A favorite in every garden. You're as-sured of abundant blooms when you plant superior Germain's seeds! Huge flowers, beautifully spaced on well bal-anced spikes! Practically 100% double

#### IMPROVED ENGLISH HYBRIDS (Blackmore and Langdon Types)

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- 2840 Pastel Shades Mixed
  - Price of Above\_\_\_\_\_ ...Pkt. 35c A \$1.40 Value! One Packet of Each Color! 4 for \$1.25

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Very beautiful flowers, these hardy plants bloom quickly from seed! Big color selection!

2828	Camb	ridge	Blue	-Light	blue.	Per
Pk	t					.20c

2819	Chinensis	Album	Grandifloru	m
Wł	nite		Pkt.	10c

2821 Chinense Azure Blue - (Azure Fairy) Pkt.\_\_\_\_10c

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Few cut flowers are as dependable when it comes to all-season loveliness! Planted early, this showy, large flowered favorite blooms from summer till fall in a riot of rich sunny colors! We especially recommend the varieties listed below! They are much larger, brighter in color and better in every way than the old types! Plant these four big favorites!

#### Four Choice Varieties

- 2974 Tangerine—A compact flower with extra large orange flowers, making it
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#### DAHLIAS I

Here are four of the favorite Dahlias grown from seed! You're assured of gay, decorative blossoms from April planting! Wide variety!

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#### ENGLISH DAISY [D] [E] [R] Double daisies that flower the very first

season from seed. A favorite for edgings!

2445 Mammoth Mixed-Rose, red, white. Pkt. 25c

2450 Double Mixed-Numerous blooms. Pkt.... \_10c

#### FORGET-ME-NOT (Myosotis) [D] [E] [R•]

Tiny blue and lavender flowers that seem to be everyone's first choice for rockeries, and edgings in all shaded locations!



3393 Alpestris Blue — ¼ Oz. 45c.....Pkt. 15c

3400 Alpestris Mixed — Many shades of blue and lavender. Per ¼ Oz. 45c. Pkt.....10c

MYOSOTIS ALPESTRIS

#### GYPSOPHILA T

The light, feathery sprays or tiny flowers prove their worth as a mixer in gaudy, colorful bouquets! A natural companion to rose cuttings! Large quantity of blooms!

3046 Paniculata — Large quantities of tiny white flowers. 1/2 oz. Reduced 30c.

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3041 Paniculata	Double — A	beauty!
Pkt.		25.

- 2970 Portola Hybrida Vivid red tipped with gold, after the manner of the original type but the colors are so much clearer and brighter!...... 1/4 Ounce 50cl \_\_\_\_Pkt. 15c
- 2976 Indian Chief --- Copper red! This brand new color cannot fail to win ad-miration! ¼ Oz. 30c!\_\_\_\_\_Pkt. 15c

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- 2973 Grandiflora Sanguinea Blood red with yellow border!
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The original bright scarlet form was introduced from South Africa. Today a remarkable range of colors is to be found in the New Hybrid strain offered below! Solid blazes of color appear above rosettes of greyed green leaves!

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298 Scarlet and Red Shades....Pkt. 25c



#### GEUM [D] [R]

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- 2992 Lady Stratheden-Large full flowers of golden yellow.\_\_\_\_Pkt. 15c

### GERANIUM [D]

#### Interesting In-Doors and Out

2983 Zonale Mixed-Fun to grow from seed! Beautiful in the garden, they can be transplanted into pots for wintertime beauty! In all colors. Pkt..... .....25c

#### GENTIANA [E] [R]

2981 Acaulis---An intense blue plant, used in rock work and in borders. Pkt..... .....15c

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3160 Mallow Marvels --- Robust bushes from 5 to 6 feet high! Profusely flowered with big blossoms of red, rose and white! They'll bloom from July till October in any soil, any location. Pkt..... 



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Their sweet fragrance will perfume your entire garden. The lovely blue and purple flowers are beautiful for fine cuttings!

- 3148 Royal Dark Blue-Large heads of deep purple flowers. Reduced..Pkt. 25c
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3196 Sultani (Sultan's Balsam)—Charming free flowering plants for semishade bedding. Unusually decorative as a potted plant! Smooth flowers in bright rosy scarlet.....Pkt. 20c

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3231 Kudzu Vine (Pueraria Thunbergia) -Rapid growing vine with large decorative leaves that make it ideal for trellis and arbor climbing. Large spikes of purple spiked flowers of the sweet-pea type. Flat, hairy pod struc-Pkt. 10c tures!

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#### LAVANDULA [D]

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3646 Superb Large Flowered Mixed — Charming primrose type flowers grow in abundance on this small decorative bush! Bright red, rose and yellow shades! \_\_\_\_\_Pkt. 25c

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NIEREMBERGIA [E] [R]

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3990 Gibsoni — Large orange flowers bloom almost the year 'round. A fa-

vorite for boxes and hanging baskets! Pkt......**25c** 

An Old-Fashioned Favorite That's Easy To Grow Germain's VIOLAS [D]

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Pkt	.25c
4042 Chantreyland-True aprico	
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- 4038 Heavenly Blue—Sky blue! Oz. \$1. Pkt\_\_\_\_\_\_25c
- 4027 **Royal Blue**—A real favorite! Deep, rich color! Per  $\frac{1}{16}$  Oz. 75c. Save on Reg. 25c Pkts. Now low priced. Ea. 15c
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- Save! All 15c Packets Priced 6 for 80c 4029 Hybrida Grandiflora Mixed—New
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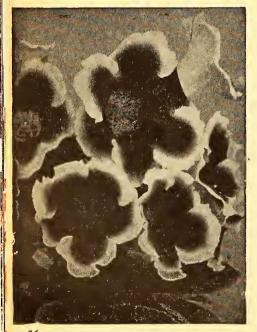
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#### ISMENE CALATHINA (Peruvian Daffodil)

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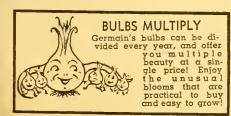
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The finest Calla grown. Large deep flowers of rich gold. Leaves spotted in white!

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Tigridia Pavonia Grandiflora—A splendid strain of this showy garden plant. The curious three-petaled flowers are very large and are wonderfully marked and spotted. They prefer a half shaded spot and plenty of water while in active growth. Plant 4 to 6 inches apart and do not disturb until overcrowded. 2 for 25c: \$1.50 per dozen; \$11.00 per 100. Contraction of the second seco

Giant Guernsey Lily



Ranunculus California Giant



Tigridia



L. A. County Fair show last year. A stand-

#### TWO TYPES OF DAHLIAS



out beauty!

Dahlias other than Pompons are divided into two types. DECORA-TIVE (left) large flowers, with flat petals extending to the center. CACTUS or SEMI-CACTUS: (right) Large compact flowers. Rolled, flattened, twisted or pointed pet-



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BRIDE'S BOUQUET-Cactus. Pure white.



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.....Ea **75c** ELINOR VANDERVEER-Decorative Giant satin pink. With extra long stems......Ea. 50c FERNAND OLIVET — Cactus.

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- Deep maroon red. An old garden favorite. Always pop-.....Ea 35c ular...
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GOLDEN QUEEN --- Decorative Golden giant of remarkable beauty! Erect grower...Ea. 35c GOLDEN LOTUS - Decorative Attractive shape. Blend of cor-

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al and primrose......Ea 50c HARRIET THOMPSON-Decorative. Beautiful large sized

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Meteor



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 stand-out!

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 FLORIST GEM — Yellow, bright
 red tip.

 GOLDILOCKS — Perfect formation
 gold.

 gold.
 Ea. 50c

JOE	FETTI — White.	Extra long	
ste	ems	Ea. <b>35c</b>	
LITT	LE DAVID—Deep	orange red!	

- MARY MUNS-Deep orchid. A fa-
- vorite.....Ea. 50c PRISCILLA—Shell pink. Free flow-
- ering......Ea. 50c
- WINIFRED—White tipped lavender......Ea. 50c

### BALL TYPE OR SHOW DAHLIAS



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#### SIX FAVORITE GLADIOLUS!

- EARLY DAWN-Rich geranium pink, small red line in the throat. Six inches in diameter.
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   Blooms up to six inches or more across.
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   MARGARET FULTON—Beautiful combination of salmon and yellow! An old favorite!
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MAMMOTH WHITE-Huge white flowers 6 inches across. Contrast in your garden! 60c per doz.; \$3.50 per 100; 4 for 25c.

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SHIRLEY TEMPLE-Immense flowers of heavenly yellow cream. Specially priced: \$1 per doz.; \$7 per 100; 3 for 25c.

VAGABOND PRINCE-Garnet brown with a small blotch of flame scarlet! Long spikes. \$1 per doz.; \$7 per 100; 3 for 25c.



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SANTA FE Collection 40 One bulb of each of the 14 Santa Fe Specials! A Regular 14 for 85c \$1.10 Value!

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\$1.55 Value DAHLIAS Golden Queen Brides Bouquet lnkyo Jersey Beacon

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\$2.30 Collection of Bulbs 2 Begonias, 3 Yellow Calla Lilies, 1 Giant Amaryllis, 1 Habranthus, 4 Tigridia and 3 Tuberose! A big value in itself!



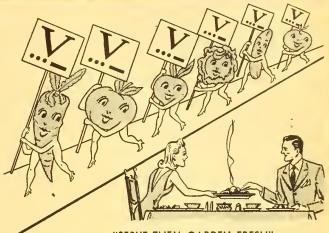
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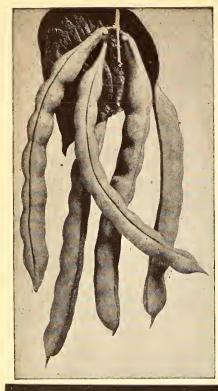
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VEGETABLES	VITAMINS	FUNCTION IN BODY	RESULTS OF DEFICIENCY
Asparagus Spinach Carrots Turnip Greens Corn, Yellow Tomatoes Lettuce Pimiento Pepper Peas, Green	VITAMIN A Synonym (Änti-Infective Vitamin)	Essential for normal, healthy epi- thelial membrane tissue; thus in- creases resistance to infections of the respiratory tract. Essential to maintain normal night vision. Needed for normal growth.	Lowered resistance to Infections, particularly: Upper Respiratory Tract, Sinuses and ears, Night Blindness, Abnormal Growth.
Beans Peas, ripe Turnip Greens	VITAMIN B1 Thiamine Hydrochloride Synonym (Anti-Neuritic Vitamin)	Essential for normal functions of the nervous system. Promotes appetite and regular functions of digestive tract. Promotes normal growth.	Beriberi or polyneuritis (nerve dis- ease). Loss of appetite. Impair- ment of digestive processes; indi- gestion, constipation, colitis. Weak- ness and loss of weight. Poor re- sistance. Abnormal growth.
TomatoesTurnipGreensBeetsWatercress *CarrotsParsley *CauliflowerPeppers *StringbeansCabbage *Spinach(Cooked) *	VITAMIN C Ascorbic Acid (Cevitamic) Synonym (Anti-Scorbutic Vitamin)	Prevents and cures scurvy. Required for normal formation and mainte- nance of good teeth and bones. Es- sential for proper structure of blood vessels, tending to strengthen the capillaries.	Scurvy: Pain and tenderness in limbs; mouth and gum lesions; hemorrhages (mucous membranes, elbow joints and limbs); bone lesions and fragility. Decay and loosening of teeth. Fatigue and loss of weight.
Lettuce Watercress	VITAMIN E Synonym (Anti-Sterility Vitamin)	Not yet established except that it has some relationship to fertility. Encouraging results through its uses in some cases of muscular derangements and nervous disor- ders.	
Soy BeansTurnip GreensBeetsMustard GreensCarrotsWatercressLettuceKaleOnionsCollardsSpinachCabbageTomatoes	VITAMIN G (B2) Riboflavin	Prevents and cures pellagra. Needed for normal growth. Essential for normal digestive processes. Pro- motes appetite.	Pellagra: Gastro-intestinal disturb- ances; skin lesions; pigmentation and thickening of skin tissues; sore- ness of mouth and redness of tongue; nervous and mental symp- toms; visual disturbances. Abnor- mal growth.
Soy Beans	B COMPLEX FACTORS Containing B1-G (B2) Nicotinic Acid and Vitamin B6	Combined Vitamins B1 and G (B2) functions.	Combined Vitamins B1 and G (B2) deficiencies.



BEANS KENTUCKY WONDER

## **ASPARAGUS**



#### Asperge, Fr. Esparroges, Sp. Sparagio, ITAL. Spargel, GER.

CULTURE - Soak seeds twenty-four hours before planting. Sow in February in beds broadcasted or in rows, covering about one inch. The following January transplant to rows three or four feet apart and a foot apart in the row, with at least six inches of soil over the roots. Light sandy soils are preferable.

MARY WASHINGTON-A rust resistant strain. Produces large deep green sprouts. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 40c; 1 lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

PARADISE - Seed introduced for the first time in 1939. Superior to other varieties, as it produces a crop one year earlier, yields more heavily and has an unusually delicious, mild flavor. Has produced as much as 5 tons per acre per season. Pkt. 15c; oz. 45c; 1/4 lb. \$1.50; 1 lb. \$4.50, postpaid. (See page 81 for prices on Asparagus roots.)

## GERMAIN'S BEANS

CULTURE - Plant when ground is warm, preferably in light, rich, well drained loam. Plant in drills two to three feet apart, covering seed one and one-half inches deep and thin young plants three to six inches apart in the row. If planted in hills, about two feet apart each way.

### BEANS-BUSH, GREEN POD

STRINGLESS GREEN POD-(53 days) Used extensively by freezers, canners, market and home gardeners. Heavy producer and stringless, pods medium green, 51/2 in. long, very thick and meaty. Seed yellowish brown. Pkt. 5c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

BOUNTIFUL --- (45 days) Very thrifty and productive. Pods light green, 61/2 to 7 in. long, over 1/2 in. wide and 3/8 in. thick. Stringless and very tender. Seed light yel-low. Pkt 5c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

DWARF HORTICULTURAL (Cranberry) — Used for both snap beans (53 days), and shell beans (60 days). Pods 8 to 12 in. long and 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> in. broad. Pkt. 5c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

FULL MEASURE --- (52 days) Very heavy producer, medium green pods, 6 to 61/2 in. long, round and stringless. Excellent quality and recommended for market gardeners. Pkt. 5c; 1/2 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

KENTUCKY WONDER - (65 days) This is the leading all around pole bean being used alike for home gardens, market gardens and canners. It is early, vigorous, of good climbing habit. Pods very large, 8 to 10 inches, bright green, round, fleshy and somewhat crooked and crumpled as they mature, but keep in eating condition till fully grown. Seed long, oval, of a dull brown color. Pkt. 5c; 1/2 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

KENTUCKY WONDER WHITE SEEDED -(60 days) Largely used by local market gardeners, as it has an abundance of large tender pods, 6 to 7 in. long, and is earlier than the Brown Seeded Kentucky Wonder. Seeds snow white when ripe and are good used as dry beans. Pkt. 5c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

KENTUCKY WONDER RUST RESISTANT .--(65 days) A strain of Kentucky Wonder that is rust resistant, and should be planted in sections where beans are subject to rust. Pkt. 5c; 1/2 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

GERMAIN'S SPECIAL RUST RESISTANT WHITE KENTUCKY WONDER NO. 191 -(63 days) This special strain of White Kentucky Wonder Bean has an unusually long picking season, and the pods are exceptionally long, running 8 to 9 in. in length. It is a very prolific grower and a heavy producer, and therefore should be staked. We consider this the outstanding variety of the Kentucky Wonder types. Pkt. 5c; 1/2 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

## BEANS-BUSH. WAX POD

DAVIS WAX OR VENTURA WONDER WAX-(52 days) One of the best of wax podded sorts for home garden. Very vigorous and hardy and will thrive in warm location better than any other wax bean, Pods 6 to 6<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> in. long, handsome, straight, oval, light yellow, stringless, crisp and tender when young. Seed medium size, kidney shaped and pure white. Dry seed is as good in every way as the small whites for baked beans. Pkt. 5c; 1/2 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

GOLDEN WAX-(48 days) The best early wax pod. Plants medium size and very productive. Pods 41/2 to 5 in. long, golden yellow, oval and stringless. Seed oval white with purple blotching around the eye. Pkt. 5c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

BLACK WAX-(52 days) A very superior variety, round podded, 5<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> to 6 in. long. Pods golden yellow, curved, stringless and brittle. They are tender and of excellent quality. Pkt. 5c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

NEW KIDNEY WAX (BUTTER WAX) --- (55 days) Plant vigorous, with a heavy setting of very attractive pods. Pods 51/2 to 6 in. long, straight, round, a light wax-like yellow and of finest quality. Seed white, kid-ney shaped, with dark blotch around the eye. Pkt. 5c; 1/2 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

### POLE BEANS

KENTUCKY WONDER WHITE SEEDED RUST RESISTANT-(60 days) The rust resistant strain of White Seeded Kentucky Wonder. Pkt. 5c; 1/2 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00. If your beans are subject to rust, plant the Rust Resistant Strains.

KENTUCKY WONDER WAX-(67 days) An early and hardy bean somewhat resembling the Kentucky Wonder, except in color of pods, which are light yellow, broader, 8 in. long, and fully as good quality. Seed oval, flattened, somewhat shriveled, dark brown. Pkt. 5c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

ASPARAGUS OR YARD LONG-An introduction from the Orient, very vigorous and productive, with pods two feet or more long, which are round, tender, of good quality. You will find it an interesting novelty and somewhat different in taste from other kinds. Seed reddish brown and very small. Pkt. 5c; 1/2 lb. 40c; 1 lb. 75c.

SCARLET RUNNER --- (90 days) Largely planted for its brilliant scarlet flowers, although it is also good as a snap bean when young. Pods dark green, 6 in. long. May also be used green, shelled. Pkt. 5c; 1/2 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

#### PLEASE NOTE

Prices listed on Beans are postpaid. If sent otherwise deduct 10c per lb. Write for quantity prices.

## LIMA BEANS

CULTORE—Limas should be planted only in warm weather, as the seed will rot in cold soil. Except in favored warm sections, we do not recommend planting before April or May. Plant 2 inches deep in rows 3½ feet apart and 1½ to 2½ feet apart in the rows, according to variety. One pound of seed will plant a 100-foot row, or 50 pounds to the acre. Limas will thrive in any good soil.

#### BUSH VARIETIES

FORDHOOK — (75 days) The best of the Bush Limas, sometimes called Butter Beans, grows a vigorous erect bush with large pods, 4 in. long, containing 3 to 5 beans, in clusters, making picking easy. Beans are large, very thick, white with a tinge of green and of finest quality. Pkt. 5c; ½ 1b. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

HENDERSON'S BUSH LIMA OR BABY LIMA—(65 days) A very early and prolific variety. Beans small, flat and of fine quality. Pods 2½ to 3 in. long, containing 3 to 4 beans. Can be grown in interior valleys, where the large seeded varieties do not thrive. Pkt. 5c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

BURPEE'S IMPROVED BUSH LIMA — (75 days) The earliest maturing of all the large seeded Limas. Pods very large  $(4\frac{1}{2}$  in. long), thick, and contain usually 4 beans of large size and excellent quality. Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

MONSTROUS LIMA—Differs from other varieties in that it continues to bear several successive crops. Planted in favorable location in early winter, it will mature crop in the spring. If vines are pruned after crop is picked you will get a fall crop. Owing to their great size, they are usually planted in hills  $4 \times 6$  ft. Coming at a season when other Limas are not in the market, they are a money maker for the gardener. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 35c; 1 lb. 60c; 10 lbs. \$5.50.

#### POLE VARIETIES

KING OF THE GARDEN-(88 days) Perhaps the most popular of the Pole Limas. Pods 6 in. long and contain 4 to 5 beans. Pkt. 5c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

FORDHOOK POLE LIMA—(92 days) Has all the excellent qualities of the Fordhook Bush Lima and in addition is an unusually heavy yielder, probably the heaviest of all the Lima family. The vines grow as high as 10 or 12 ft.; produce pods 5 to 6 in. long, containing 4 to 6 tender beans of delightful flavor. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

#### BROAD BEANS

GERMAIN'S ENGLISH, OR BROAD WIND-SOR—The celebrated broad bean of England, growing on a strong stalk 2 ft. high; beans eaten shelled. Pods 8 to 12 in. long, 5 to 7 seeded. Pkt. 5c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

## GERMAIN'S BEETS

Betterave, Fr. Barbabietola, ITAL. Remolacha, Sp. Rube, GER. Note-Prices listed are postpaid.

### TABLE BEETS

CULTURE — This is one of the few vegetables that can be grown the year around. The seeds should be sown in drills 15 inches apart and  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches deep, and covered by hand unless following field culture. Thin out to 4 to 6 inches apart in the row. Frequent cultivation is essential to produce a successful crop. Plant 10 lbs. to the acre.

CROSBY EGYPTIAN—(50 to 55 days) Tops medium. Root flattened and globe shaped; flesh dark red, zoned with lighter color. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. \$1.00; 1 lb. \$3.00.

EXTRA EARLY EGYPTIAN — (50 days) A splendid variety that matures sooner than any others. Tops small, roots small, dark red, somewhat flattened and of good quality. Plant for first early crop. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. \$1.00; 1 lb. \$3.00.

EARLY WONDER — (50 to 55 days) Tops small, roots very smooth, globe shaped and uniform, making it an ideal beet for bunching. Roots dark red and comparatively free from light zoning. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. S1.00; 1 lb. S3.00.

DETROIT DARK RED—(55 to 60 days) The best general purpose variety on the list. Roots medium size, nearly round and dark blood red color with no light zoning, making it especially desirable for canning and equally good for home use or bunching for the market. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. \$1.00; 1 lb. \$3.00.



**BLOOD TURNIP** — (60 days) A very fine strain; requires a longer time to mature than Detroit Dark Red. Roots are dark red, round, and flesh is a deep red with lighter zoning. This variety is sweet, crisp and tender. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$3.00.

### STOCK AND SUGAR BEETS

#### Note—Prices listed are postpaid. WRITE FOR QUANTITY PRICES

CULTURE — Stock Beet seed should be sown about 1 inch deep, in well-cultivated soil in drills 18 inches to 3 feet apart (depending upon the method of cultivation). When the plants are sufficiently large, thin out to stand 10 to 12 inches apart in the rows. The seed is generally sown at the rate of 8 to 10 pounds per acre.

#### VARIETIES

MAMMOTH LONG RED—This Beet has a distinct appearance; roots are massive, straight and uniform in size, broad shouldered, free from coarseness and of most excellent feeding and keeping qualities. Heavy producer. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00; 1 lb. \$3.00 postpaid.

GIANT HALF SUGAR ROSE—This variety is one of the favorites among the dairymen and hog raisers. It is very sweet and nutritious, as it has a larger sugar content than the ordinary mangel. It is a cross be-

tween a sugar beet and a regular mangel postpaid.

wurzel, therefore its name. It is also a splendid yielder and good keeper. Flesh white; roots grayish white with rosecolored top. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. S1.00; 1 lb. S3.00 postpaid.

GOLDEN TANKARD—Roots are large, but filled out at top and bottom, terminating with a small tap root; flesh deep golden yellow, solid, crisp, sweet and rich. Does not keep quite as well as the two abovementioned varieties. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. S1.00; 1 lb. S3.00, postpaid.

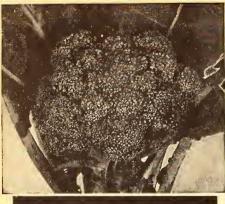
SLUDSTRUP—Ā very high yielding variety of stock beet. The roots are long, oval and orange colored and the flesh white with a light yellow tint. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4 lb. S1.00; 1 lb. S3.00, postpaid.

#### SUGAR BEETS

This variety can be planted for stock food purposes. The tonnage per acre will not be as great as above-mentioned varieties, but the sugar content will be much higher. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4 lb. \$1.00; 1 lb. \$3.00, postpaid.

## SWISS CHARD

SWISS CHARD LUCULLUS — (60 days) Leaves very crinkled, of an attractive dark green color and very thick and fleshy. Easily grown and furnishes a supply of good greens for a long period. Very desirable for poultry feed. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. \$1.00; 1 lb. \$3.00, postpaid.



BROCCOLI GREEN SPROUTING

#### BROCCOLI

Chou-Brocoli. Fr. Broculi, Sp. Spargel Kohl, GER. Cavol Broccolo, ITAL. CULTURE-Same as Cauliflower.

ITALIAN GREEN SPROUTING - Introduction from Italy. Has delicious mild flavor. Edible portion consists of stems as well as flowerheads. Plant between July and October. Ready for picking in about 75 days. Pkt. 10c: oz. 60c; ¼ lb. \$2.00; 1 lb. \$6.00 postpaid.

### CHICORY

Chicoree, FR. Cicoria, ITAL. Achicoria, SP. Note—Prices listed are postpaid. CULTURE—Sow any time except in hottest

weather, though early spring is preferable, in rows 30 inches apart and 3 to 8 inches apart in row. A deep-rooting plant requir-ing little care if soil is moist.

RADICHETTA (Italian Chicory) - (55 days) Grown for its long, narrow leaves, which make a delicious salad. Pkt. 10c; oz. 65c; 1/4 lb. \$2.15; 1 lb. \$6.50.

LARGE ROOTED MAGDEBURG-This variety is grown for its roots, which are dried or roasted and ground as a substitute or adulterant for coffee. The leaves can also be used and should be cut when fresh. They make a splendid salad. To secure large roots, soil should be light, rich and deeply worked. Plants should be thinned from 4 to 6 in. Pkt. 10c; oz. 65c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. \$2.15: 1 lb. \$6.50.

WITLOOF OR FRENCH ENDIVE-(150 days) Is used as a salad and is most delicious served with French dressing and eaten like lettuce. Seed should be sown in June, July and August in drills 30 in. apart and the seedlings should be thinned out to stand not closer than 8 in. In the fall, lift the plant, trim off the leaves and store in sandy soil in a cool place until wanted for forcing. The roots should be planted upright about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 inches apart in a trench 16 to 18 in. deep. It requires about one month to force the root. The heads are then cut off with a small portion of the neck of the root attached. Pkt. 10c; oz. 65c; 1/4 lb. \$2.15; 1 lb. \$6.50.

## GERMAIN'S CABBAGE Chou pomme, FR. Could for the former of the

Prices listed are postpaid. CULTURE --- Plant seed in beds or land of light, rich texture at a depth of not to exceed  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch; and the soil should be pressed firmly over the seed. The plants should not be allowed to crowd one another before they are transplanted, but as soon as large enough to be handled should be lifted out to their permanent place. For early varieties, such as Winnigstadt, plant in rows 21/2 feet apart, plants 1 foot apart in the row. The larger headed varieties,

1½ feet apart in the row. Cabbage may be planted throughout the year in the southwest. Four ounces of seed will plant

COPENHAGEN MARKET-(96 days) This

cabbage is the leader in the roundheaded

varieties and is the most desirable all pur-

pose cabbage we list. For earliness, heading, uniformity in size and shape and

superior quality, it is especially recommend-

ed. Heads 6 to 7 inches in diameter and

weigh about 4 lbs. Pkt. 10c; oz. 60c; 1/4 lb.

EARLY WINNIGSTADT-(107 days) Heads

pointed, 8 to 10 in. long and 6 to 7 in. thick at base, very hard, good heading and

of superior quality. Heads weigh about 5 lbs. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. \$1.70; 1 lb.

one acre.

\$5.00.

\$2.00; 1 lb. \$6.00.

CABBAGE COPENHAGEN MARKET

DANISH BALL HEAD-(130 days) Probably the best of the late cabbages. Is planted in August and September and matures in the early spring. Produces very solid, large, globe shaped and slightly flattened heads, 8 to 9 in. across, 6 to 7 in. deep, weighing 7 to 9 lbs. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; ¼ lb. \$1.70; 1 lb. \$5.00.

GLORY OF ENKHUIZEN (80 days)-Very large heads, 8 to 9 inches in diameter, weighing 6 to 8 lbs. A good variety for home and market. Pkt. 10c; oz. 60c; 1/4 lb. \$2.00; 1 lb. \$6.00.

#### **HOME GARDENERS!**

In order to have Cabbage the year around we suggest your planting Golden Acre (extra early), Early Win-nigstadt (early), Copenhagen Market (medium), Late Flat Dutch (late).

### CHINESE CABBAGE

Chinese White (Wong Bok)

CHINESE WHITE — (105 days) Habit of growth like Cos-Lettuce, seed sown in rows, 30 in. apart and thinned to 12 to 15 in. in rows. Outer leaves delicate light green, inner leaves blanched to a creamy white, delicate and fine flavored either as salad or cooked like ordinary cabbage. Heads 8 to 10 in. tall. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. \$1.00; 1 lb. \$3.00.



EARLY FLAT DUTCH - (125 days) Very hardy, handsome, very solid, of fine quality, and as one of the best keepers, it is particularly desirable for distant markets or for late spring use. Compact growing, with long stems and exceedingly hardy in resisting cold and dry weather. Heads round and weigh about 5 lbs. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.70; 1 lb. \$5.00.

LATE FLAT DUTCH --- (135 days) A lowgrowing variety; heads large, weighing 12 to 14 lbs, 12 to 14 in. across and 7 in. deep, bluish green, round, broad and flat on top; an excellent fall and winter variety, good keeper. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.70; 1 lb. \$5.00.

DRUMHEAD SAVOY - (120 days) Is a heavy producer, has crumpled, deep and rich green leaves. Heads are globe-shaped and large. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.70; 1 lb. \$5.00.

RED DUTCH OR PICKLING - (110 days) Fine solid dark red heads, about 6 in. in diameter, weighing 3 to 5 lbs., and very desirable where a red cabbage is wanted. Pkt. 10c; oz. 60c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. \$2.00; 1 lb. \$6.00.

EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD-(92 days) An excellent variety. A sure header. We recommend it for the home gardener. The heads are conical in shape, 7 to 8 in. high and about 5 in. in diameter and weigh about 2 to 21/2 lbs. each. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.70; 1 lb. \$5.00.

GOLDEN ACRE --- (92 days) Is dwarf in habit; resembles the Copenhagen Market Cabbage, but smaller heads, averaging 6 in. in diameter and 2½ to 3 lbs. in weight. Due to its small size, it can be planted 12 to 14 in. apart in the row. Pkt. 10c; oz. 60c; 1/4 lb. \$2.00; 1 lb. \$6.00.

## GERMAIN'S CARROTS

Moebre, GER.

CULTURE — Sow any time in deep, loose soil, preferably sandy loam about ½ inch deep, in rows 18 inches apart and thin to 3 inches apart. Water freely at all times. One ounce of seed will sow about 150 feet of row. Four pounds to acre.

Note-Prices listed are postpaid.

STREAMLINER—(79 days) A recent introduction, ideal for bunching and therefore particularly desirable for commercial growers. Roots 8 to 10 in. long, 1½ in. at shoulder and tapered. Very deep orange color, core small and red. Price: Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; ¼ lb. \$1.75.

LONG ORANGE—(85 days) A very heavy producer on light porous soils. It is a large variety 10 to 12 in. long, 3 in. across at the top, tapered and pointed. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. S1.75;

MORSE BUNCHING (77 days)—Cylindrical in shape, rounded shoulders, roots  $1\frac{1}{4}$  in. by 8 in. An excellent bunching carrot for shipping. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. S1.75.

OXHEART—(75 days) A short, thick variety, the best to plant on heavy soil where it can be easily lifted. Roots are scarletorange in color, about 5 in. in length. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. S1.75.

IMPERATOR—(77 days) It is sleek, 7 to 8 in, in length with round shoulders, allowing it to bunch well. Its color is a deep orange and its core is very indistinct. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. S1.75. Carota, ITAL. Carotte, Fr.

CARROT DANVERS HALF LONG

On account of severe crop shortage we are not listing prices on carrot seed in quantities over  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. PLEASE write for prices in larger quantities.

#### Zenaboria, Sp.

FRENCH FORCING — (60 days) An excellent variety for the home garden and early market. It is reddish orange in color, small and globe shaped, excellent quality. This is the earliest of the Carrots. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.75.

CHANTENAY—(70 days) The best of the early Carrots, about 6 in. long, stump rooted, smooth, fine grained and sweet; a fine sort for bunching, for market, or for home gardens. This variety is deep orange in color, a heavy yielder. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. S1.75.

CHANTENAY RED CORED—(70 days) An improved type, very popular with market gardeners and shippers. Color, deep reddish orange;  $5\frac{1}{2}$  to 6 in. long,  $2\frac{1}{4}$  in. wide at shoulder, and tapered. Flesh very tender and sweet. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.75.

DANVERS HALF LONG — (75 days) Very popular variety for market garden and home garden purposes. Roots deep orange, 6 to 7 in. long, 1<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> in. wide, tapered and blunt at end. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. S1.75.

WHITE BELGIAN—(90 days) A late variety, an excellent keeper and a very heavy yielder. Grown for stock feed, yields as much as 40 tons per acre. Roots are 7 to 8 in. long, 3 in. across at the top, tapered and pointed. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 85c; 1 lb. \$2.50.

YELLOW BELGIAN—(90 days) Same as the White Belgian, except that the color is light orange and its keeping qualities are perhaps not quite as good. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 85c; 1 lb. \$2.50.

## GERMAIN'S CAULIFLOWER

GER. Blumenkohl Sp. Coliflor

Note-Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE—Prepare the seed-bed carefully, using only rich and thoroughly pulverized soil. Good results are obtained by keeping the plant in a healthy and rapidly growing condition. Broadcast the seed in the seed-bed prepared, sowing the early varieties from May 15th to July 1st; medium early varieties, May 20th to July 5th; and late varieties any time from June 25th to Aug. 25th, inclusive. When the plants are 40 days old, they are ready for the field. Transplant to 24 inches apart in rows 30 to 36 inches apart. Do not leave plants in the hot-bed over 45 days, as the stems become hard and poor results follow.

EARLY SNOWBALL—A snow-white Cauliflower and its leaves have a tendency to overlap at the top of the flowers. In this way it protects from injury, exposure to frost, rain or heat. It is very essential that good cauliflower be so protected. Pkt. 10c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> oz. \$1.65; 1 oz. \$5.00; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. \$17.00; 1 lb. \$50.00.

GERMAIN'S MEDIUM PEARL—This is the money-maker for the market grower, as it becomes ready for the market at the time when prices are often best. Pkt. 10c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> oz. \$1.00; 1 oz. \$3.00; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. \$10.00; 1 lb. \$30.00. GERMAIN'S LATE PEARL—This is a taller plant than the other type, as it grows to a height of 3 ft. or more. Price: Pkt. 10c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> oz. \$1.00; 1 oz. \$3.00; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. \$10.00; 1 lb. \$30.00. FR. Chou-fleur ITAL. Cavol-fiore



CAULIFLOWER EARLY SNOWBALL



### COLLARDS

Chou Coba, Fr. Cavolo Verde, ITAL. Cabu, Sp. Futterkohl, Ger.

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CULTURE—A plant similar to Cabbage. It does not, however, produce a head, the central leaves often forming a loose rosette. They are tender and used as a pot herb like Kale. Desirable as greens for poultry or rabbits. Same culture is applied as to Cabbage, except spacing; plant 15 in. apart in rows 3 ft. apart when in field.

GEORGIA—(75 days) A strong growing variety with light green leaves. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 35c; 1 lb. \$1.00.

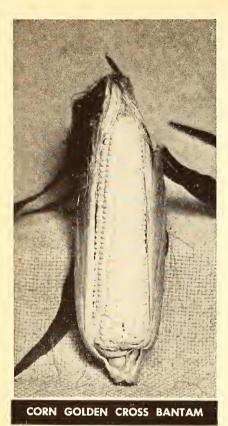
### POP CORN

CULTURE—Requires same care and culture as a Sweet Corn.

GERMAIN'S YELLOW—A large-eared and handsome yellow pop corn. Grains are large, pop perfectly white and are exceedingly tender. Plant grows about 6 ft. high, and yields 3 or 4 ears to the stalk. 1 lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

GERMAIN'S WHITE — A popular and productive type. The kernels are fine, white, and the ears are from 4 to 5 in. in length and from 1 to 1¼ in. in diameter. 1 lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.





### CRESS

WATER CRESS-Grows well in damp places. Fine for salads and garnishing. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.20; 1/4 lb. \$4.00.

FINE CURLED (Peppergrass) (45 days)—A fast growing variety-the foliage being desirable for garnishing. Pkt. 10c; oz. 45c; 1/4 lb. \$1.50.

## GERMAIN'S SWEET CORN.

Mais, FR.

Grano turco, ITAL. Zucher Mais, GER. Maiz, Sp.

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CULTURE - Sweet Corn should not be planted until in the spring when all dan-ger of frost is past. The soil preferred is one rich and moist. Plant in hills 18 inches apart with rows 3 feet apart. Three or four seeds may be planted in each hill, but not more than two allowed to stand. As "suckers" or excess shoots appear they should be removed, as they take strength from the mother plant. Whenever the soil presents an appearance of drying, irrigate.

EARLY ADAMS-(90 days) Used largely for early corn, as it is very hardy, resists cold weather, and matures quickly. Is tender and of good quality. Can be grown successfully in the hot valleys. Plants 6 to 7 ft. tall. Ears 7 to 8 in. long, 2 in. thick, 12 to 14 rowed. Kernels white. Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

GOLDEN BANTAM-(83 days) This golden colored corn is the leading variety for early home garden planting; ears, though small, are numerous and of finest quality, very sweet and tender. Plants 41/2 to 5 ft. tall, ears 6 to 7 in. long, 8 rowed. Pkt. 5c; 1/4 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

GOLDEN CROSS BANTAM-(88 days) Developed by the Purdue Experiment Station, this hybrid cross is probably the best of all the yellow corns. Plants  $6\frac{1}{2}$  to 7 ft. high, ears 8 in, long, 12 to 14 rowed. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 30c; 1 lb. 50c; 10 lbs. \$4.00. GOLDEN GIANT - (87 days) An early, heavy producer of fine quality stalks 7 ft. tall. Ears 7½ in. long, yellow, 12 to 16 rowed. Pkt. 5c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

BLACK MEXICAN-(88 days) Very sweet and tender. Ears are white when in eating condition, turning black as it matures. Plants  $6\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall, ears 8 to 9 in. long and 8 rowed. Pkt. 5c; 1/2 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

OREGON EVERGREEN --- (100 days) Ears large and well filled to the tip with large delicious pearly white grains; 7 ft. tall, ears 12 to 14 rowed. A sure crop, heavy pro-ducing variety. Pkt. 5c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

EARLY ALAMEDA-(88 days) Very early dwarf type, growing about 4 to 5 ft. tall. Ears 7 to 8 in. long. 14 to 18 rowed. Kernels white. Corn of good quality. Recom-mended for early market. Pkt. 5c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

MARCROSS-(72 days) Another one of the newer hybrid crosses of outstanding merit. This excellent yellow sweet corn is very early. A heavy yielder, ears 6 to 7 in. long, 10 to 14 rowed. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 30c; 1 lb. 50c; 10 lbs. \$4.00.

COUNTRY GENTLEMAN-(95 days) A good home garden variety, cob small, grains white, very deep, small and irregular, very sweet and tender. Plant 61/2 to 7 ft. tall, ears 7 1/2 to 9 in. long. Pkt. 5c; 1/2 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.

STOWELLS EVERGREEN-(105 days) Best for late corn. Kernels white, plants 7 to 7½ ft. tall, ears 8 in. long, 14 to 20 rowed. Pkt. 5c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.00.



GOLDEN SELF BLANCHING

GERMAIN'S CELERY

FR. Celeri Sp. Abio

#### Note-Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE-Sow from February to May in drills 1 foot apart. Later, usually in June, transplant to rows 3 feet apart and 6 inches apart in row. Rows should be furrowed out so plants may be set 6 inches deep. Later, soil may be banked against rows for blanching, even so-called self-blanching varieties needing the cool, moist soil to render the stalks crisp and tender, but this should not be done until a few weeks before harvesting. One ounce of seed will produce 5000 plants.

GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING TALL - (85 days) Plants 20 to 30 in. tall, stalks medium thick, fine quality and very early. Pkt. 10c; oz. 75c; 1/4 lb. \$2.50; 1 lb. \$7.50.

GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING DWARF --- (90 days) Plants 20 to 24 in. tall, stalks thick and solid and excellent quality. Pkt. 10c; oz. 60c; 1/4 lb. \$2.00; 1 lb. \$6.00.

WHITE PLUME-(125 days) An early variety of attractive appearance and good quality. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 85c; 1 lb. \$2.50.

ITAL. Sedano, Apio GER. Bleich Sellerie

> UTAH CELERY-(120 days) This variety is becoming increasingly popular with celery shippers. The stems are very broad, thick, meaty and solid and of excellent flavor. Pkt. 10c; oz. 60c; 1/4 lb. \$2.00; 1 lb. \$6.00. GERMAIN'S SPECIAL UTAH CELERY (Utah Grown) - This select strain of the famous Utah Celery is undoubtedly the most popular celery on the market. In color it is an attractive green and is delightfully crisp, meaty, and comparatively stringless. Stems are very thick and broad. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$2.00; ¼ lb. \$6.70; 1 lb. \$20.00.

### CELERIAC

Celeri-rave, FR. Sedano-rapa, ITAL.

Apio-naba, Sp. Knollen Sellerie, GER. Note-Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE-Is generally sown in seed beds in February and can be planted until May. When about 4 to 6 inches high the plants should be removed from seed bed and planted 6 inches in the rows and the rows should be about 24 inches apart.

It is a turnip-rooted celery of distinctive flavor similar to celery. It makes a wonder-ful salad when cooked and cut cold. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.65; 1 lb. \$5.00.



## GERMAIN'S CUCUMBERS

Concombre, FR. Pepino, Sp.

Note-Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE - Cucumbers should not be planted until all danger of frost is over and the ground is warm. Sow 6 to 10 seed in hills 4 to 6 feet apart. After all danger of pests is removed and you are sure of your plants, thin, leaving the three strongest. Cucumbers enjoy a light, sandy, rich soil. Seed should be planted 1 inch deep. One ounce will plant 50 hills; 2 pounds, 1 acre.

BOSTON PICKLING - (60 days) An early pickling or slicing variety. Fruits weigh about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  lbs., 6 in. long and  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. in diameter. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 65c; 1 lb. \$2.00.

CHICAGO PICKLING-(60 days) Medium size and season, good for pickles or slicing. Fruits about 61/2 in. long and 21/2 in. in diameter. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 14 lb. 65c; 1 lb. \$2.00.

LEMON --- (65 days) This cucumber is the size and shape of a good sized lemon, color creamy white when at its best eating condition, which turns yellow as it ripens. Makes a distinctive and very fine pickle when small and is a fine cucumber for slicing, being very crisp and delicate and never turning bitter. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 85c; 1 lb. \$2.50.

EARLY FORTUNE-(66 days) One of the best cucumbers for home or market grower. It is about 9 in. long, of uniform diameter (21/2 in.), making it an ideal shape to pack and carry nicely. The color is a deep attractive green with white spines. Seed cavity small, flesh very crisp and solid. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 85c; 1 lb. S2.50.

#### Cetriolo, ITAL. Gurken, Ger.

JAPANESE CLIMBING - A very rampant grower, good for trellis; fruits long deep russet, and of excellent quality, weigh 2 lbs., 8 to 9 in. long and  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. in diameter. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 85c; 1 lb. \$2.50.

DAVIS PERFECT-(68 days) A favorite with market gardeners and shippers. Long, slim and dark green, holding its color well to maturity. Fruits weigh about 2 lbs., are 10 in. long and 21/2 in. in diameter. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 85c 1 lb. \$2.50.

KLONDIKE-(64 days) Another good white spined variety, medium length, very dark color and fine quality. Vine vigorous and productive. Fruits weigh about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  lbs.,  $7\frac{1}{2}$  in. long and  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. in diameter. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 85c; 1 lb. S2.50.

COLORADO-(68 days) Tapers only slightly at the stem end, is very vigorous and productive,  $8\frac{1}{2}$  in. long, slender and of attractive dark green color. We consider this one of the finest cucumbers for either the market or home gardener. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 85c; 1 lb. \$2.50.

WEST INDIA GHERKIN-(60 days) Quite distinct from other cucumbers. Vine resembles watermelon, fruits small (2 in. long, 1 in. in diameter), oval. Used only for pickles when very small. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 85c; 1 lb. S2.50.

EARLY WHITE SPINE-(60 days) An early variety especially good for home growing. Fruit about 7 in. long, cylindrical, medium green and very firm and crisp. A sure yielder and highly recommended. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 85c; 1 lb. \$2.50.

IMPROVED LONG GREEN-(70 days) One of the best for all purposes—fruits long and slender, seed cavity small. Fruits weigh 21/4 lbs., are 12 to 15 in. long and 21/2 in. in diameter. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 85c; 1 lb. S2.50.

### GARLIC

CULTURE-Garlic seed is not available but we can supply bulbs or sets. Prepare the ground as for onions, separate the sets and plant them in drills 8 in. apart and 4 to 6 in. apart in the drill, covering 2 in, deep. Cultivate like onion sets. When the leaves turn yellow, pull bulbs and dry in the shade.

GARLIC SETS-Per pound 50 cents postpaid. Write for prices when quantities are wanted.

### FENNEL

FLORENCE FENNEL (Sweet Anise)-Usually planted in the early fall in rows about 30 in. apart. Grown chiefly for the bulb which has a delicious and sweet flavor. Price: Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 85c; 1 lb. S2.50, postpaid.



### EGGPLANT

Ambergine, FR. Petonciamo, ITAL.

Berenjena, Sp. Eierfrucht, GER. Note-Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE - The plants should be started under glass if wanted early. If later results are desired, seed should be planted in cold frames or in boxes where special care can be given. Moisture is an important factor and care should be taken to have the soil in beds or boxes moist. Plants should not be set out permanently until all danger of frost is over, using plants 6 to 8 inches tall of vigorous growth for setting in the field. Space plants 3 feet apart each way. NEW YORK IMPROVED --- (83 days) An

early variety, large, oval-shaped and the deep purple kind that tastes surprisingly like oysters when fried. This variety is a great producer, 50 to 60 lbs. having been grown from one plant. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. \$1.65; 1 lb. \$5.00.

### ENDIVE

#### Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE-Same as for lettuce.

GREEN CURLED-(95 days) Makes a fine salad, especially for winter use. When ready for use outer leaves are green with the center of the head blanched to creamy white. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 40c; 1 lb. S1.25.

PANCALIER-(95 days) Another large variety differing in that ribs are tinged with pink, and foliage very dense. Excellent for salads. Price: Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 40c; 1 1ь. \$1.25.

BROADLEAVED BATAVIAN - (90 days) Makes an excellent winter salad. Grown like lettuce and heads tied loosely for blanching. Regarded by some as the best of the Endives. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 40c; 1 lb. \$1.25.

#### kale or borecole

Chou Vert. Fr. Cavolo Verde, ITAL. Breton, Sp.

Blaetterkohl, GER. Note-Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE-Plants are usually cut off when the leaves are 6 inches or more in length, but with the fine curled varieties the leaves can be gathered for use when of good size. If the tall Scotch or Jersey varieties are planted, the lower leaves should be carefully pulled off so that the plants can grow on and furnish a continuous supply. One ounce of seed will produce 4000 plants. 2 lbs. will plant an acre. Seed should be sown thinly in drills and plants reset 18 inches apart in rows 3 feet apart.

DWARF CURLED SCOTCH-(85 days) Very hardy, excellent for spring use. This va-riety grows 12 to 15 in. tall and 30 in. across. The leaves are finely curled and are deep green in color. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 85c; 1 lb. S2.50.

GREEN CURLED SCOTCH (Tall)-(85 days) The kind most commonly used; grows to a height of 30 in.; spreads to 3 ft. in diameter; leaves bright green and curled. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 85c; 1 lb. \$2.50.

THOUSAND HEADED OR JERSEY KALE-(80 days) An excellent food for poultry, an immense yielder. Crops are known to have gone as high as 60 tons of green feed per acre. Anyone having poultry should plant it. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; ¼ lb. 85c; 1 lb. S2.50.

Seed should be planted in drills 3 ft. apart and the plants transplanted when from 6 to 8 in, high. The plants should be set 3 ft, apart each way. They grow about 4 ft. high with a wide spread of leaves and a single plant often weighs 30 to 40 lbs.

## GERMAIN'S LETTUCE

Lechuga, Sp. Laitue, Fr. Lattuga, ITAL. Lattich, Salat, Ger.

#### Note-Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE—Very easily grown and therefore, particularly desirable for the home garden. Loose leaved varieties grow more quickly than heading varieties. Plant 2 ounces of seed for 150 foot row or about 2 lbs. to the acre. Thin out when fourth leaf appears leaving plants in the row 10 inches apart. A rich pliable loam soil is desirable for lettuce. Crop needs ample moisture and plenty of cultivation. In field planting, plant on ridges 14 to 18 in. wide and in double rows about 12 in. apart, giving frequent irrigations between the ridges.

#### NOTE\*—To Commercial Lettuce Growers.

In the past few years many new types of the New York variety have been developed which are especially adaptable to certain sections of the country and certain seasons. The best of these are listed hereunder. (The stars indicate varieties resistant to the brown blight.)

*Imperial D	*Imperial 850
*Imperial 44	No. 515
*Imperial 152	*1mperial 847
*Imperial 615	*Rohco

Write, if interested, for further information and prices.

#### HEAD LETTUCE

NEW YORK No. 12 (Or Los Angeles Market)—An improved type, early, and sure heading. Is of fine appearance, excellent quality and has a large percentage of perfect heads. Pkt. 5c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 85c; 1 lb. \$2.50.

ICEBERG — An excellent summer lettuce producing a solid light green head with leaves tinged with red. The head is very large, white inside, crisp and sweet, but not as solid as the New York. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

BIG BOSTON—A variety highly recommended for home gardeners. Sure header, medium size, outer leaves attractive green color tinged with brown. Heads are a crisp, fine buttery flavor. Be sure to plant this variety in your home garden. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

HANSON—A very hardy lettuce, excellent for a summer crop as it withstands heat. Forms a large, light green head which is very hard. An excellent variety for the home gardener for it is very sweet, crisp and tender. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

#### LEEK

*Poireau*, Fr.

Puerro, Sp. Porro, ITAL. Lauch, Ger.

On account of severe crop shortage we are not listing prices on Leek seed in quantities over 1 ounce. Please write for prices in larger amounts.

#### Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE—Leek is a very hardy plant with a sweet onion-like flavor. Plant seed in seed bed, broadcast or in drills, covered to depth of one-half inch, and when plants are about as thick as good sized goose quill they should be transplanted in rows 24 in. apart and plants 6 in, apart in row.

AMERICAN FLAG—A large and strong plant; hardy and early. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.00.

GIANT MUSSELBURG—A medium early type, stems long and white, leaves medium green. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.00.

#### LOOSE LEAVED VARIETIES

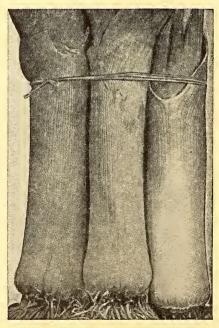
BLACK SEEDED SIMPSON — A favorite among the loose leaved kinds, very crisp and tender. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

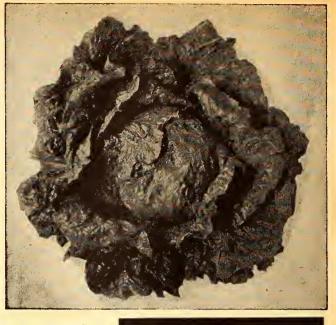
EARLY CURLED SIMPSON—The best of early varieties of the loose leaved kinds; leaves light green, crisp, and fine flavor. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 40c; 1 lb. \$1.50. CHICKEN LETTUCE—The plant grows very much like kale, to a height of four to five feet, with much growth of leaf. It is used mainly for chicken and rabbit feeding. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

#### COS OR ROMAINE

PARIS WHITE COS—This variety makes a delicious, crisp sweet salad vegetable. The heads are about seven inches high, dark green on the outside but lighter green inside. Requires cool weather for best results and plants should be thinned to a distance of eight inches apart. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50. PARIS GREEN COS—Leaves darker green

PARIS GREEN COS—Leaves darker green than the above. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.





LETTUCE NEW YORK NO. 12

### HERBS

Basil Sweet (Ocimum Basilicum) Caraway (Carum carui). Catnip (Nepeta Cataria). Coriander (Cariandrum sativum). Cumin (Cuminum cyminum). Dill (Anethum graveolens). Hyssop (Hyssopus officinalis). Lavender (Lavender vera). Marjoram, Sweet (Origanum Majorana). Saffron (Carthamus tinctorius). Savory, Winter (Satureja montana). Sorrel

Tansy (Tanacetum vulgare). 10c per packet.

### KOHLRABI

Col de Nabo, SP. Cavolo rapa, ITAL. CULTURE—A hardy plant and seed may be sown practically all the year around. Plant it like turnip and thin to 6 inches apart in row. One ounce seed will produce 2000 plants. Use when  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 in. in diameter as it soon becomes woody.

WHITE VIENNA-(55 to 60 days) Flesh white and tender. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. \$1.65; 1 lb. \$5.00.

PURPLE VIENNA—(60 days) Bright purple in color. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. \$1.65; 1 lb. \$5.00.

#### MUSTARD

Sp. Mostaza

ITAL. Senapa

CULTURE — Sow any time in the year, though autumn sowing brings best greens, for mustard likes cool weather. Not particular as to soil, though a medium heavy one is best. Seed should be planted in rows eighteen inches apart and plants thinned to 6 inches apart.

SOUTHERN CURLED — Leaves large light green finely curled, and have a mild agreeable flavor. It also makes a fine greens for poultry. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

CALIFORNIA YELLOW—The light colored seed that is used for grinding and flavoring pickles. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ lb. 15c; 1 lb. 50c.

## GERMAIN'S MUSKMELONS Aelon, Sp. Melon Musca, FR.

Popone, ITAL. Melone, GER.

#### NOTE-Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE - Plant only when ground is warm and all danger of frost is past. Soak soil, then spade or plow, and thoroughly pulverize the ground. Prepare furrows 6 to 8 in. deep and 5 to 7 ft. apart. Plant seed in furrows about 6 ft. apart, planting 8 seeds to the hill, and when plants are thoroughly established, pull out all but three. Cover seed not more than one inch and as plant grows gradually fill up the furrow. Plant 1½ lbs. of seed to the acre. ROCKY FORD - (92 days)-An excellent green fleshed cantaloupe either for shipping or home garden. Medium size, about 5½ in. long, 4½ in. diameter, early, oblong, well netted, flesh very sweet and spicy. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 65c; 1 lb. \$2.00.

TIP TOP-(86 days) An oval melon, about 7 or 8 inches long and the flesh is deep yellow, very thick and sweet. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 65c; 1 lb. \$2.00.

IMPROVED PERFECTO-(90 days) Shipping melon, and equally good for nearby markets. Has remarkably small seed cavity, flesh thick and deep orange and of finest quality. Round in shape and about six inches in diameter. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; 1 lb. \$1.75,

HALES BEST-(86 days) The earliest of the Salmon Fleshed shippers, and now used to great extent for long distance shipping. It is also growing in favor with the market gardeners on account of its earliness, fine appearance and uniformly fine quality. Melons are almost round, about  $6\frac{1}{2}$  inches long and  $5\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter, heavily netted. The seed cavity very small, thus providing a very thick, sweet pink flesh. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 65c; 1 Ib. \$2.00.



#### MUSKMELON PERSIAN

HALES BEST JUMBO (88 days)-As is indicated by its name, this is the largest type of the Hales Best Melons. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 65c; 1 lb. \$2.00.

HALES BEST NO. 936-(88 days) This is a large type of Hales Best Melon possessing all of the excellent qualities of the original type, but being larger in size. For this reason it is increasing in popularity in many sections. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 65c; 1 lb. \$2.00.



HALES BEST NO. 45-(86 days) This is a special strain of Hales Best melon developed for mildew resistance. In size, shape and quality it is practically the same as the original Hales Best. We recommend its use in sections where there is danger of mildew. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 65c; 1 lb. \$2.00.

BURRELLS GEM -- (100 days) A Salmon Fleshed melon of fine quality and a little larger than most others. A fine home gar-den melon. Has a very small seed cavity, is oval in shape and about seven inches long. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; 1 lb. \$1.75.

PERSIAN-(115 days) This very large, well netted melon, weighing 8 to 10 lbs., has a very distinctive sweet flavor. The flesh is deep orange and very thick and juicy. It is an almost perfectly rounded melon measuring 8 to 12 inches in diameter. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 65c; 1 lb. \$2.00.

BABY PERSIAN—(115 days) A small type Persian Melon. Is uniform in size. Fruit is about six inches in diameter and can be packed in crates for shipping. A very desirable home gardening type. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 65c; 1 lb. \$2.00.

ORIENTAL OR JAPANESE - A salmon tinted flesh of a texture similar to a casaba. Said to be a cross between a Golden Casaba and Persian. A very tasty melon and we recommend it to market gardeners for local markets. Flesh very sweet and the rind is thin, yellow-green in color with dark blotches. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 65c; 1 lb, \$2.00.

## GERMAIN'S HONEY DEW AND CASABAS

HONEY DEW-(115 days) A medium sized oval melon of a dull creamy white color. flesh green, quite distinct and very deli-cious flavor. Is 7 to 8 inches long and 6 inches in diameter. The rind is tough, without netting. Ships well to distant markets. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 65c; 1 lb. \$2.00.

HONEY BALL (105 days)-Globe shaped, about 5 in. in diameter, light yellow in color with very sweet juicy green flesh. An excellent variety for home or market growers or for shipping. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 65c; 1 lb. \$2.00.

GOLDEN HONEY DEW-(110 days) In outward appearance like the Honey Dew. but has salmon colored flesh and a de-licious flavor. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 65c; 1 lb. \$2.00.

GOLDEN BEAUTY-(120 days) This superior variety is rightly named; is of a true golden color and by far the most attractive of the Casabas. The outer skin is tough, allowing long distance shipping. In shape almost a globe, 6 to 8 inches in diameter, with wrinkles or furrows running irregularly the length of it. Flesh very thick, juicy and sweet. Can be kept for weeks after picking. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 65c; 1 lb. \$2.00.

#### NOTE-Prices Listed Are Postpaid

IMPROVED HYBRID-(105 days) A large, rather late Casaba, very prolific and of finest quality. A favorite on the local mar-kets. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 65c; 1 lb. \$2.00.



MELON HONEY DEW

GOLDEN HYBRID - (105 days) A large melon, very prolific; similar to the Improved Hybrid except that it has a golden color. It can be planted early or late; has a delicious flavor. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 85c: 1 lb. \$2.50.

SANTA CLAUS (110 days)—Should be planted during the summer months, in June or July and will ripen in the fall and can be kept safely for several months, till Christmas time or even in January. Has an extremely delightful flavor. It is a long, oval-shaped melon and is beautifully colored in yellow with blotches of dark green. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 85c; 1 lb. \$2.50.

### CITRON

Don't allow citrons to grow near your watermelons, as they cross readily.

RED SEEDED-(95 days) Small round fruits 7 to 8 in. diameter, mottled light and dark green; used for preserves. Ripens late and keeps for months. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 35c; 1 lb. \$1.00.

GREEN SEEDED-(95 days) A large light green Citron with green seed, used for stock feed. Heavy yielder. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 35c; 1 lb. \$1.00.



WATERMELON STRIPED KLONDIKE

## GERMAIN'S WATERMELONS

Melon d' eau, Fr. Sandia, Sp.

Note—Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE—Furrows of about 8 inches in depth are prepared and 6 to 8 seeds are planted about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches deep every 10 feet in the furrow; furrows about 8 feet apart. As the plants grow in the furrow, fill in the soil about them so as to establish roots well into the deeper soil and when the plants are securely established pluck out all but two of the most hardy and healthy ones. Plant only after ground is warm, and provide ample moisture. Plant 4 pounds of seed to the acre.

KLONDIKE—(85 days) This variety monopolizes the California markets and is too, about the only variety used by the shippers. A dark seeded melon which, with its bright red flesh, gives it a very attractive appearance when cut. The sweetest, finest flavored melon grown. Weighs 25 pounds. Pkt, 10c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 60c; 1 lb. \$1.75; 5 lbs. \$8.00; 10 lbs. \$15.00.

KLONDIKE—Wilt Resistant R-7—(85 days) Is resistant to fusarium wilt and has all the other qualities of the regular Klondike listed above. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 60c; l lb. \$1.75; 5 lbs. \$8.00; 10 lbs. \$15.00.

CHILEAN WHITE SEEDED—(85 days) A medium size oval melon. In all respects except the color of the seed is identical to the Chilean Dark Seeded variety. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 40c; 1 lb. \$1.25.

CHILEAN DARK SEEDED — (85 days) A fine early watermelon for the family supply or shipping to market. Is medium size, outer color dark and light green striped. The flesh is a very bright attractive red and can be eaten right down to the rind. Is very sweet and fine. Weighs about 18 lbs. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 40c; 1 lb. \$1.25.

EXCEL—(100 days) Preferred by some as a shipping melon on account of its large size, good shipping and heavy yielding qualities. Shape long oval, mottled in two shades of green and has a good rind for long distance shipments. Average weight 35 lbs. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 40c; 1 lb. \$1.25.

Cocometo, Ital. Wasset Melone, Ger.

> STRIPED KLONDIKE—(85 days) A selection of the famous Klondike—now coming into some prominence. Size and shape are the same as the regular Klondike but it has white stripes on the outer rind. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 60c; 1 lb. \$1.75; 5 lbs. \$8.00; 10 lbs. \$15.00.

> STRIPED KLONDIKE BLUE RIBBON WILT RESISTANT—Developed by the University of California, this type combines all the good qualities of the old Striped Klondike with resistance to wilt. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 60c; 1 lb. \$1.75; 5 lb. \$8.00; 10 lb. \$15.00.

> ANGELENO WHITE SEEDED—(86 days) A fine quality early melon, nearly round, flesh bright red and fine quality. Is an excellent shipper, having an attractive, dark green rind. Weighs 20 lbs. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 40c; 1 lb. \$1.25.

> ANGELENO BLACK SEEDED — (86 days) Much like white seeded Angeleno except in color of seed. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 40c; 1 lb. \$1.25.

> YELLOW FLESHED ICE CREAM-(85 days) A large oval melon with yellow flesh of good quality. Deliciously sweet flavored. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 40c; 1 lb. \$1.25.

> KLECKLEY SWEET—(85 days)—A medium size melon, rind thin and very green and flesh deep red. Delicious flavor. An excellent melon for home garden. Weighs about 30 lbs. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 35c; 1 lb. \$1.00.

> TOM WATSON-(95 days) A very large melon weighing 35 to 40 pounds, an excellent shipper. Skin is light green with darker green veins. The flesh is deliciously sweet and juicy. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 35c; 1 lb. \$1.00.

> KING AND QUEEN — (95 days) Small, round, light colored with bright pink flesh of good quality. Ripens late and can be kept for months. Weighs about 10 lbs. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/4 lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

### FOR EARLIER WATERMELONS USE Germaco Hotkaps

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## OKRA

Gombaud, Fr. Ibisco, Ital. Gombo, Sp. Ocher, Ger.

NOTE—Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE—Seed can be planted from the middle of March until the latter part of August. Plant 18 inches apart in rows 3 feet apart. Plant seed 1½ inches deep. One ounce of seed will sow 50 feet of row. This vegetable produces long and nutritious pods which when young are used in soups and stews, to which they import a rich flavor.

EARLY DWARF—(65 days) Dwarf, stocky growth, heavy bearer. The pods are 7 to 8 inches long, 1¼ inches in diameter, greenish white, tender and of good quality. Plants grow from 2¼ to 3 feet in height and often bear as many as forty pods. This variety is very early and therefore is popular among commercial growers and home gardeners. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 75c.

LONG GREEN—(68 days) Later and more productive; ribbed pods. The pods are deep green and 7 to 8 inches long and plants grow to a height of five to six feet. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 25c; 1 lb. 75c.

WHITE VELVET—(70 days) Pods 6 to 7 inches long, round, smooth, white in color, free from seams, exceedingly tender, well flavored and very prolific. Plants 3 feet tall. Is an excellent variety for shipping and canning because of its smooth pods. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 75c.

### MUSHROOM SPAWN

Cultural instructions for growing mushrooms given free to every purchaser of spawn. LAMBERT'S PURE CULTURE—This spawn is selected with reference to earliness, size, flavor, appearance, prolificacy and quality of the mushrooms that it will produce. We highly recommend this spawn to those who intend to raise mushrooms for the market.

Bricks 60 cents each; 5 bricks \$2.50, postpaid.

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## GERMAIN'S ONIONS

Ognon, FR. Cipolls, ITAL

Cebolls, Sp. Zwiebel, GER.

On account of severe crop shortage we are not listing prices on onion seed in quantities over 1 oz. Please write for prices on larger amounts.

#### Note-Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE—Usually planted in California in September for spring onions and November to March for later crops. Sow onion seed with a seed drill in rows 24 inches apart, using on this basis 3 pounds of seed per acre. The plants must have a steady even growth as a check, whether from disease or drought, will cause them to go to seed. When the onions are ready for harvesting the tops will be well ripened down.

AUSTRALIAN BROWN — A large brown onion of good quality, flattened and globular, valued largely for being a good keeper and long distance shipper as the outer skin is heavy and does not break and peel off. Pkt, 10c; oz. \$1.00.

YELLOW BERMUDA — A flat mild onion, straw colored with pure white flesh. Produces a crop in six months. Pkt. 10c; oz. 75c.

CRYSTAL WAX. A most attractive flat mild onion. Pure white in color, being Waxy in appearance. Pkt. 10c; oz. 75c.

LARGE RED WETHERSFIELD—One of the leading varieties for many years. In color the skin is a deep purplish red. The flesh is white, tinged with red, and of good quality, crisp and solid. It grows to a large size and is both a good keeper and shipper. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.00.

SOUTHPORT WHITE GLOBE—A favorite white onion in Los Angeles market. A true globe shape, pure pearly white, fine flavor and a good keeper. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.00.

### ONION SETS

#### Write for prices in large quantities.

Note—Prices include postage or expressage prepaid. When sent otherwise, deduct 10 cents per pound or fraction thereof. If quantities are desired, do not fail to write for special prices.

Onion sets are grown from seed that has been sown too thickly to attain a large size. These small onions are planted out and are soon ready to pull for the table or bunch for market. Mature about six weeks earlier than crop grown from seed.

BROWN AUSTRALIAN—Attains large size, good keeper. A leading variety among growers. 1 lb. 40c; 10 lbs. S3.50.

WHITE PORTUGAL—One of the leading white sorts, of very mild flavor. 1 lb. 40c: 10 lbs. \$3.50.

## **CHIVES**

Cebelleto, Sp. Schnittlauch, GER.

#### Ciboulette, FL

The same methods of growing are used as for Green Onions. When the plant is about 2 in. high it should be transplanted to 3 inches apart in rows which are 12 in. apart. It is a perennial of continuous growth and as the leaves are cut away, new growth comes on. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.50, postpaid.





ONION WHITE SWEET SPANISH

WHITE PORTUGAL OR SILVER SKIN—One of the leading white sorts, of beautiful shape and very mild flavor. The bulbs are flat and mature early. Splendid variety for market garden. Bulbs average two to three inches in diameter. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.00.

## PEPPERS

#### Note-Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE—For early market peppers, seed should be planted in hot-beds during November and December, and when the plants are of proper size and the danger of frost is past they should be planted in the open field or garden, or the plants may be planted direct in the open ground before the frost period is over if they are given proper protection. Six ounces of seed will plant 1 acre.

RUBY KING—(118 days) A large pepper, about 5 in. long and  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. thick, slightly tapered. Deep green in color, turning to a bright red and very sweet and mild. Excellent for stuffing or salads. Pkt. 10c; oz. 45c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. S1.50; 1 lb. S4.50.

ANAHEIM CHIL1 — (128 days) A leading variety among the hot or pungent peppers; used both as green pepper and dried, and in making of Chili powder. Peppers 6 to 8 in. long and  $\frac{1}{2}$  in. thick. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. S1.70; 1 lb. S5.00.

MEXICAN CHIL1—(132 days) The kind used in making tamales and pungent sauces. Used almost exclusively for grinding and often called "Cayenne" pepper. Peppers 5 in. long, 2 in. thick, tapering to a point. Pkt. 10c; oz. 60c; 1/4 lb. S1.85; 1 lb. S5.50. FLORAL GEM—(118 days) The favorite small hot pepper for pickling and highly flavored sauces. Cone shape, 2 in. long, green to creamy white and turning red as it ripens. Pkt. 10c; oz. 80c; 1/4 lb. S2.65; 1 lb. S8.00. RIVERSIDE SWEET SPANISH—This variety is increasing in favor each year on account of its large size, attractive color and superior flavor, being very mild and sweet. Bulbs are globe shaped, light yellowish brown in color. You will find this the most satisfactory onion to plant for home use and profitable for the market. Pkt. 10c; oz. S1.00.

WHITE SWEET SPANISH—Similar to the original Sweet Spanish with the exception that it is white fleshed. Like the original, it is a good keeper. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.00.

UTAH SWEET SPANISH—This is a comparatively new type, being a selection of the Riverside Sweet Spanish that has a thicker skin, a higher and thinner neck, is a better keeper, has a darker brown color, and in addition possesses all the advantages of flavor, mildness and size that are found in the Riverside Sweet Spanish. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.00.

ONION EARLY GRANO—This variety has all the characteristics of the sweet Spanish in mildness and heavy production. It is somewhat heart-shaped and straw-colored and is especially desirable because it matures very early—about five or six months after planting. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.00.

YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS—A well known early onion of fine quality. Flesh white and firm. Color a bright straw; grows to a good size, hardy, a sure cropper and a good keeper. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.00.

GERMAIN'S BUNCHING ONION—Produces the long, tender and sweet green onions which are justly so popular on the table of those who enjoy good eating. It can be easily grown in every garden. Pull while medium sized before the bulb has formed. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.00.

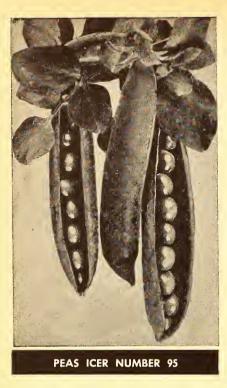
CHINESE GIANT—(130 days) A very large, bright green sweet pepper used for salads and stuffing; the old time favorite for the home garden. Peppers  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 in. long and same in diameter, blunt and crumpled. Pkt. 10c; oz. 75c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. S2.50; 1 lb. S7.50.

BELL OR BULL NOSE — (118 days) The earliest of the sweet bell shaped peppers, medium size, long a favorite among gardeners. Pkt. 10c; oz. 45c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. \$1.50; 1 lb. \$4.50.

CAYENNE—(120 days) A very strong variety; fruit is long (about 5 in.) and slender, bright red when ripe. Pkt. 10c; oz. 60c; ¼ lb. \$2.00; 1 lb. \$6.00.

PERFECTION PIMIENTO — (125 days) The best of the medium sized smooth sweet peppers, largely used by canners, aand excellent for stuffing. Peppers smooth, heart shaped, about 3 in. long. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; ¼ lb. \$1.15; 1 lb. \$3.50.

CALIFORNIA WONDER — (122 days) The best large fruited pepper, very smooth, color deep. Meat thick, tender, and of finest flavor. It is fast replacing other varieties. Peppers are about 5 inches in length and 4 in width, being blocky in shape. Rich and glossy green. Pkt. 10c; oz. 75c; 14 lb. \$2.50; 1 lb. \$7.50.



NOTE—Prices up to and including tenpound quantities include postage or expressage prepaid. When sent otherwise, deduct 10c per pound or fraction thereof. If quantities are desired, do not fail to write for special prices.

### PARSLEY

Persil, Fr. Perejil, Sp. Petersilie, GER. Prezzemolo, ITAL.

NOTE-Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE—Same as Lettuce. See page 65. MOSS-CURLED — Vigorous, compact-growing variety; excellent for garnishing and flavoring; also a handsome decorative plant. Leaves fine and crisp, resembling moss. A most popular sort for the market and home garden. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb. 40c; 1 lb. \$1.25.

HAMBURG OR TURNIP-ROOTED — The roots are ecellent for flavoring soups. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 40c; 1 lb. \$1.25.

PLAIN PARSLEY—Leaves flat, deeply cut but not curled. Very dark green in color and very hardy. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 40c; 1 lb. \$1.25.

### PARSNIP

Panias, Fr. Pastinaca, Ital. Chirivia, Sp. Pastinake, Ger.

#### NOTE-Prices Listed Are Postpaid

CULTURE—Sow any month in the year in drills in rich soil  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch deep and 30 inches apart, and cultivate the same as carrots; thin to 4 inches apart. One ounce of seed will sow about 100 feet of row.

HOLLOW CROWN—(130 days) Our Hollow Crown is an excellent parsnip, producing very fine long, smooth, pure white roots of fine quality. Roots are 12 to 15 in. long, 3 in. thick, and tapered. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1/4 lb. 85c; 1 lb. \$2.50.

## GERMAIN'S GARDEN PEAS

Guisante. Sp.

Pois, Fr. Pisello, ITAL.

CULTURE—Peas may be planted in almost any kind of soil. In light soil during the warmer months they should be planted about 3 inches deep so as to be near moisture. In heavier soils or in fall months plant about 1 inch deep, that warmth may penetrate and help germinate the seed. Rows should be about 2½ to 3 feet apart. Excessive moisture will rot the seed, so do not irrigate after seed is planted until the plants are well out of the ground. Cultivate after each irrigation. Usual planting is at rate of 60 pounds per acre. One pound will plant a row of 150 feet.

#### EARLY VARIETIES

LAXTON'S PROGRESS—(62 days) One of the best of the large podded early peas. Vine 18 to 20 in. high, pods 4 in. long, <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> in. wide, dark green color that stand long distance shipping well and are well filled with large peas of finest quality. Pkt. 5c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.

HUNDREDFOLD — (64 days) Grows 18 in. to 20 in. high, dark green foliage, pods 4 in. long. dark green, straight, well filled. Whether you plant a few rows in your garden or a large acreage, you will find this one of the best. Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.

AMERICAN WONDER—(60 days) The old stand-by among the Early Dwarf Peas. Is very early, grows 12 to 14 in. in height and pods are crowded with 6 or 8 fine quality peas. Pods medium green, blunt ended, 3 in. long,  $\frac{1}{2}$  in. wide. Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.

#### LAXTONIAN—(64 days) The first introduction among the extra early large podded peas. Grows 18 to 20 in. high. Foliage dark green, pods about 4 in. in length, slightly curved and well filled with large tender, delicious peas. Pkt. 5c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs, \$3.50.

Erbsen GER.

#### MID-SEASON VARIETIES

DWARF TELEPHONE—(74 days) The best of the large podded second early sorts, grows 2 ft. high, pods large, 5 in. long and well filled. Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.

GIANT STRIDE—(Or No. 40) (75 days) Wilt resistant and has an unusually long (5½ in.) slightly curved thick pod of attractive green color and very well rounded and filled. Height 27 in., vines sturdy and dark green. Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs, \$3.50.

#### LATE VARIETIES

ALDERMAN (TALL TELEPHONE)—(74 days) The finest of the tall growing late varieties. Height, 4 to 5 ft., pods 4½ in. long, dark green, peas large and most delicious. Pkt. 5c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.

DWARF GRAY SUGAR, EDIBLE POD-(70 days) Early, vigorous, prolific, with a fleshy pod that is cooked like string beans. Vines 32 to 36 in. tall, branching, pods light green, 234 to 314 in. long and 34 in. wide. Pkt. 5c; 1/2 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 10 lbs. \$3.50.

## **GERMAIN'S PUMPKINS**

Potiron, Fr. Zucca, ITAL. Calabaza, Sp. Grosser-Kuerbis, Ger.

#### Note-Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE — Pumpkins grow and thrive in almost any soil. Plant hills 8 to 10 feet apart each way, placing 4 seeds to a hill and after established, pull out all but the one healthiest plant. Use 1 pound of seed per acre.

CALIFORNIA FIELD — (85 days) Varies in size and color, usually running very large and colors ranging from yellow to red. A heavy yielding, early maturing variety mostly used for stock feed. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 35c; 1 lb. \$1.00.

BOSTON PIE OR SMALL SUGAR—(75 days) A very popular small variety. The skin is a deep orange yellow and the flesh sweet and fine grained. Fruits flattened, 6 in. high and 8 in. in diameter. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 35c; 1 lb. \$1.00.

CONNECTICUT FIELD OR JACK O'LAN-TERN--(70 days) Excellent for dairy ranchers; adds to the quality and quantity of milk and butter. Equally good for pies and canning. Fruits keep well, are very large, 10 in. high and 12 in. in diameter and weigh 20 lbs. and over. Color deep orange yellow. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 35c; 1 lb. \$1.00.

CUSHAW GREEN STRIPED-(75 days) This large crock-necked pumpkin is excellent in warm locations. Yields a heavy tonnage and is used largely by dairymen. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 35c; 1 lb. \$1.00. LARGE CHEESE OR KENTUCKY FIELD---(80 days) A heavy fleshed and remarkably sweet pumpkin. A splendid keeper and a fine sort for family or market use. Its large size makes it desirable for stock also. Fruits 12 to 15 in. in diameter, 6 to 8 in. high, flesh salmon yellow. Especially adapted to Southern California. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 35c; 1 lb. \$1.00.

MAMMOTH KING — (83 days) Forms immense globular fruits, flattened a little at the end. Skin reddish yellow in color and flesh bright yellow. This is unquestionably the very best mammoth pumpkin we have. It runs very uniform in shape and color and is 20 in. in diameter. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 40c; 1 lb. \$1.25.

JAPANESE PIE — (82 days) The flesh is nearly solid; the seed cavity being very small, fine grained, dry and sweet, having much the taste and appearance of sweet potatoes. They ripen early, keep well, and are fine for home use. Skin dark green with lighter green stripes, size 8 by 12 in. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 35c; 1 lb. \$1.00.

SALAD BOWL COLLECTION NO. 52
Eight Packets of Favorite Vegetables
Used in Salads. 50c A 70c Value for Postpaid
Postpaid Lettuce, Carrots, Radish, Bunching Onion, Endive, Cucumber, Pepper and Tomato.

## GERMAIN'S RADISH

Rabanito, Sp.

CULTURE — Sow any month of the year; will succeed in any good garden soil not over-moist or too heavy. For early and late crop a warm, sheltered situation should be chosen; for those sown in summer, a rather shady spot must be selected. The seed is generally sown thinly broadcast, in beds 4 to 5 feet wide, with 1-foot alleys between. One ounce of seed will sow about 100 feet of drill, or a bed 40 square feet.

SCARLET TURNIP WHITE TIP — (25 days) On account of its fine quality and attractive color, this is a leading home garden and market radish. By successive plantings you can keep your table supplied the year round. Is round, of medium size, bright red in color with a white tip. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ 1b. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

SCARLET TURNIP — (25 days) Scarlet in color, turnip shaped, very crisp and of excellent flavor. One of the best varieties for the home gardener. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

Soc; 1 lb. \$1.50. CRIMSON GIANT—(29 days) Rather larger than most of the short radishes, of fine mild quality and remains in edible condition longer than most kinds. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. \$0c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

**FRENCH BREAKFAST**—(25 days) A splendid variety for home use, oblong, bright scarlet, while tip. Grows about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. long and  $\frac{5}{6}$  in. thick. Pkt. 5c; oz.  $20c; \frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c;1 lb. \$1.50. Revenello, ITAL.

Note-Prices listed are postpaid.



SCARLET GLOBE—(23 days) Globe shaped, rich bright scarlet color. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

BLACK SPANISH LONG — (55 days) A hardy, large, rather pungent variety for winter use. Keeps unusually well, is 8 to 9 in. long and 2 in. thick, slightly tapered. The skin is black and the flesh white and crisp. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

ICICLE—(55 days) The leader among the long white radishes; pure white, very crisp and brittle. Grows 6 in. long and about 2 in. out of the ground. Being unusually mild, it is an extremely popular variety amongst home gardeners. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

CALIFORNIA MAMMOTH WHITE — (58 days) A very large white radish introduced from the Orient. Used when a large rather pungent variety is desired; 7 to 8 in. long, 2 in. thick. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

BLACK SPANISH ROUND—(55 days) The short, round type of winter radish. Is about 4 in. in diameter, its color and other characteristics being the same as the Black Spanish Long. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

LONG SCARLET—(27 days) The best of the long red radishes, very attractive color and fine quality. Grows to a length of about 6 in., has a very smooth skin. Keeps well for several days and very mild and crisp. Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

## GERMAIN'S SQUASH

NOTE-Prices Listed Are Postpaid

Courge, Fr. Zucca, ITAL. Calabaza, SP. CULTURE—Sow after danger of frost is past. Light, warm soil is best. Plant in hills, the bush kinds about 4 feet apart, and the running varieties from 6 to 9 feet apart. Plant about  $\frac{1}{2}$  dozen seeds in each hill and thin to 3 best plants. Cutting off the leading shoots of the running varieties is recommended to promote growth and early maturity of the fruit. One ounce of seed will plant from 30 to 50 hills, 2 pounds will plant an acre of the summer varieties.

#### SQUASH-WINTER

**BANANA (BLUE)**—(105 days) A deservedly popular variety growing 18 in. to 2 ft. long, 6 to 8 in. in diameter, skin grayish blue, flesh yellow and fine grained. Excellent table variety without hard shell. **Pkt.** 10c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

BANANA (PINK) — (105 days) Practically identical to the Blue Banana (above), except that the outside color is deep pink. Price: Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

HUBBARD—(100 days) Excellent winter variety, vigorous, productive. Fruit large, weighty, moderately warted, hard shell; color dark bronze green. A fine grained, thick, dry, richly flavored, orange-yellow flesh. Baked it is as delicious as a sweet potato. Fruits weigh 12 to 14 lbs. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/2 lb. \$0c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

GOLDEN HUBBARD—(100 days) Medium size, weighing about 8 lbs. Excellent keeper, thick rind, a beautiful golden color. Flesh of excellent quality, orangeyellow color. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

FORDHOOK (ENGLISH CREAM, MARROW) -(62 days) An excellent variety of small winter squash; cream color, slightly fluted skin but tough; a good keeper; is oblong in shape and 8 to 10 in. long. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50. TABLE QUEEN—(100 days) A first quality winter squash that keeps well but does not have a hard shell. Heart shaped, skin dark green, rich yellow fine grained flesh, about 5 in. in diameter. Just right to cut in half and bake for individual service. Uniform in size and shape and very numerous; in fact no other squash sets so heavily, and if picked as soon as mature it continues to set a new crop. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

#### SQUASH-SUMMER

**ITALIAN OR ZUCCHINI**—(65 days) Favvored by market gardeners, very early, prolific. Fruits when immature a light mottled green, very attractive and of finest quality. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 40c; 1lb. \$1.25.

BLACK ZUCCHINL—(65 days) Similar to the Italian but has a dark, even green skin. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 40c; l lb. \$1.25.

WHITE BUSH SCALLOP—(50 days) A popular variety bearing profusely small, rather flat white squashes with a distinct scalloped edge. Is very early and has a fine flavor. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c; 1 lb. \$1.25.

IMPROVED GREEN TINT WHITE BUSH SCALLOP—(50 days) A very desirable market variety, due to the darker green fruit which holds its color longer than the regular White Bush Scallop. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 40c; 1 lb. \$1.25.

SUMMER CROOK NECK—(60 days. A favorite Summer Squash. Fruits bright yellow, warted, with Crook-Neck. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 40c; 1 lb. \$1.25.

SUMMER STRAIGHT-NECK-(55 days) Same as the Crook-Neck, large, fine quality and early. This variety is straight and not curved. Fruits weigh about 2 lbs. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 40c; 1 lb. \$1.25.

## SPINACH

Espinard, Fr. Espinaca, Sp. Spinnacio, ITAL. Spinat, Ger.

Note-Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE—An all-year crop. Sow early in spring, in drills 1 foot apart, and thin the plants as you need them for cooking. For winter and spring use, sow in September. One ounce of seed will sow about 75 feet of row. In field plantings, 12 to 15 lbs. of seed are planted per acre in rows 16 to 18 inches apart. It requires good soil and plenty of water.

PRICKLY WINTER—(45 days) The leading variety in our spinach list. The plant is vigorous, leaves large, thick and of finest quality. Plants are very slow to go to seed, giving a longer cutting season. Pkt. 10c; ¼ lb. 60c; 1 lb. \$1.75.

BLOOMSDALE OR SAVOY-LEAVED SPIN-ACH — (40 days) A favorite with market gardeners. It has thick, dark green wrinkled leaves and is very hardy. The earliest variety and one of the best for autumn use. Pkt. 10c; ¼ lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

NOBEL (GIANT THICK LEAVED)—(43 days) The best of the round-seeded, thick-leaved varieties. Heavy yielding, leaves very large, thick, broad, smooth and deep green in color. We recommend "Nobel" for either home, market garden or canning use. Pkt. 10c; ¼ lb. S0c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

VIROFLAY—(43 days) Smooth-seeded variety used by both canners and market growers. Leaves large, smooth, thick and tender. Pkt. 10c; ¼ lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.





CULTURE-Sow in hot-bed or frame about Sept. 1 for winter crop in frostless belts. or in early spring for summer crop. When the plants are 2 or 3 inches high, thin them out and set in pots or in another bed, to give them room and make them "stocky." When 5 or 6 inches high, if the weather be warm and settled, transplant them to open ground, selecting a rainy day if possible; in the absence of rain, water and protect till well rooted. Set plants 4 feet apart each way. One ounce of seed will produce 3000 plants.

EARLIANA - (94 days) Hardy and productive, coming into fruit in the shortest time and rapidly maturing the entire crop of fine fruit. Fruits are globe shaped, somewhat flattened, deep scarlet and smooth. Pkt. 10c; oz. 40c; 1/4 lb. \$1.35; 1 lb. \$4.00.

## GERMAIN'S TOMATOES

Tomate, Sp.

Tomate, FR.

Pomo d'oro, ITAL.

Liebesapfel, GER.

Note-Prices listed are postpaid.

FIRST EARLY-(94 days) Fruit bright scarlet, globe shaped, solid and smooth. Packs and ships very well. We recommend this variety as one of the best of the early tomatoes. Pkt. 10c; oz. 60c; 1/4 lb. \$2.00; 1 lb. \$6.00.

GLOBE-(112 days) Large fine pink main crop variety of very mild flavor and used very largely as a long distance shipper. Is globe shaped, of excellent quality. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 1/4 lb. \$1.20; 1 lb. \$3.50.

NORTON STONE (Wilt Resistant) --- (120 days) Solid, meaty and fine quality. A heavy producer; fruits bright deep scarlet; large and flat but deep. Is an excellent shipper. Also in demand amongst canners. Pkt. 10c; oz. 55c; 1/4 lb. \$1.85; 1 lb. \$5.50.

SAN JOSE CANNER-(120 days) A favorite canning variety, due to its enormous yield. Pkt. 10c; oz. 75c; 1/4 lb. \$2.50; 1 lb. \$7.50.

PRITCHARD-(110 days) Wilt resistant and self pruning, and is a heavy yielder. Pro-duces very solid, smooth, deep scarlet, globe shaped fruits. We consider this an outstanding variety for canners, shippers and the home and market gardener. Pkt. 10c; oz. 60c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. \$2.00; 1 lb. \$6.00.

BEEFSTEAK OR PONDEROSA-(118 days) Regarded by many as the finest quality of any tomato grown. Very large, very solid and free from seeds; color an attractive pink; it is ideal for the home garden. Fruits weigh 9 to 12 oz. Pkt. 10c; oz. 60c; 1/4 lb. \$2.00; 1 lb. \$6.00.

NUMBER 498 - (94 days) Of the Earliana type, scarlet color, globe shaped and smooth. Probably the best of this type. We recommend this variety for critical grower trade. Pkt. 10c; oz. 60c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. \$2.00; 1 lb. \$6.00.

MARGLOBE - (114 days) A leading variety among canners, shippers and market gardeners. The vine is vigorous, resistant to disease, fruit a large, slightly flattened globe, of fine bright searlet color, very firm and meaty and of the very best quality. Fruits weigh 7 to 9 oz. Pkt. 10c; oz. 50c; 1/4 lb. \$1.65; 1 lb. \$5.00.

PEARSON-(115 days) Fruit scarlet, globe shaped, smooth and flattened. Very thick skinned. Becoming very popular in South-ern California for shipping and canning. Pkt. 10c; oz. 80c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. \$2.65; 1 lb. \$8.00.

SAN MARZANO-Originated in Italy and used for tomato paste and powder;  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 in. long,  $1\frac{1}{4}$  in. thick and rounded at ends. Bright scarlet color, thick flesh, free from juice and a shy seeder. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.25; 1/4 lb. \$4.15; 1 lb. \$12.50.

### RHUBARB OR PIE PLANT

Rabarbaro, ITAL. Rhubarbe, Fr. Rhabarber, GER. Ruiharbo SP.

Note-Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE - Seed planted about 3/4 inch deep in rows which are 12 inches apart, in the early spring, say February, will be ready to transplant in from 4 to 6 months time. When roots are as large as one's finger, transplant in rows 5 feet apart and about 3 feet apart in the row.

We can furnish seed, but as rhubarb is one of the plants that does not come true from seed the result will be varying types of plants, so we recommend the planting of roots, especially in making commercial plantings. Our price on seed is: Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.20; 1/4 lb. \$4.00; 1 lb. \$12.00.

(For Rhubarb Plants, see page 75)

### SALSIFY OR VEGETABLE OYSTER

Salsifis, FR. Salsifi, Sp. Haferwurzel, GER. Barba di becco, ITAL.

Note-Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE — Sow in early spring, 1 inch deep, in drills 1 foot apart and thin young plants to 3 or 4 inches in the row. The soil should be deep and loose, and never allowed to get dry. General care same as for parsnips and carrots. Plant 1 ounce to 100-foot row, or 6 pounds to the acre.

SANDWICH ISLAND SALSIFY-The largest and most delicious salsify in cultivation, with long, white tapering roots. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; 1/4 lb. 65c; 1 lb. \$2.00.

# **GERMAIN'S TURNIPS**

Nabo, Sp.

Note-Prices listed are postpaid.

CULTURE-Sow during cool weather, from October to April. For early crops, sow the Early White Flat Dutch or Early Purple Top Milan during early winter; and for summer crops sow any of the other varieties at intervals of 2 weeks, in drills 12 inches apart; cover the seed lightly unless the season be very dry; thin out the plants to 6 or 8 inches apart. For fall or winter use, sow the Golden Ball or Purple Top Strap Leaf. Plant 3 lbs. to the acre.

PURPLE TOP WHITE GLOBE-(55 days) By far the leading variety in the local markets on account of its uniform shape, attractive color and fine quality flesh. Is sweet and tender and is slow to get pithy. Globe shaped, white in color with a purplish red top. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 75c.

EARLY SNOWBALL-(40 days) Pure White, globe-shaped turnip, very fine and mild flavor. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 35c; 1 lb. \$1.00.

GOLDEN-BALL-(60 days) The finest of the yellow sorts. Top is small, roots medium size and excellent quality. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 35c; 1 lb. \$1.00.

COW HORN-(65 days) This variety is pure white; shaped like a carrot, growing nearly half out of the ground, and slightly crooked. It is delicate and well flavored. Used also as stock feed and a green manuring crop. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 75c.

PURPLE TOP MILAN-(40 days) The best extra early sort, rather flat, purple above ground and white beneath. Top small, quality fine; the best of the early kinds. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 35c; 1 lb. \$1.00. EARLY WHITE FLAT DUTCH — (45 days)

An early flat white turnip, quick growing, mild and tender. About 5 in. in diameter and  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. thick. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c; 1 lb. 75c.

PURPLE TOP STRAP LEAVED --- (45 days) An excellent small-topped flat variety. White in color with a purplish-red top and white flesh. A very mild turnip, about 5 in. in diameter and  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. long. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb. 25c; 1 lb. 75c.

#### RUTABAGA OR SWEDISH TURNIP

CULTURE-Same as for common turnip, but if anything, less exacting in care.

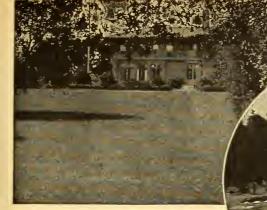
YELLOW PURPLE TOP-(100 days) The old, popular standard sort both for stock feeding and table use; flesh yellow, solid and sweet. Is globe shaped, of large size, fine quality and an excellent keeper. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.50.

#### SMALL GARDEN COLLECTION NO. 54

Nine tasty garden Vegetables, best suited for small garden plot. 50c A 75c value for ..... Postpaid Bush Beans, Stringless Green Pod; Beet, Crosby's Egyptian; Carrot, Chantenay; Let-tuce, Los Angeles Market; Onion, Bunch-ing; Radish, Crimson Giant; Squash, White Bush; Swiss Chard; Spinach, Viroflay.

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Navet, FR. Navone, ITAL. Weissrueben, Ger.



## **GERMAIN'S**

Premium Brand Specially Recleaned A bright, velvety, well-groomed lawn is the first essential of an attractive home. How-ever, just sowing any kind of grass seed will not pro-duce a lawn of this character. The highest grade of recleaned grass seed must be planted if good results are to be expected. If chafty, light weight and impure seed is sown, a ragged and weedy lawn will result. If heavy weight, extremely pure



## **GRASS SEEDS**

For Fine Lawns—For Golf Courses and thoroughly recleaned seed is sown your lawn will be a thing you will be proud of. Germain's Premium Lawn Grass Seeds are thoroughly recleaned in our specially built cleaning plant.—and are therefore extremely pure, high in germination and free from weed seeds. Send for Free Pamphlet—"The Making and Care of Lawns."

of Lawns.

## VARIETIES OF LAWN GRASS SEED

KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS SEED (Poa Pratensis). Premium Grade --- Thoroughly recleaned to remove chaff, impurities and weed seeds. Plant at the rate of 1 lb. to 200 sq. ft. Price per pound, 50c; 10 lbs. \$4.50, postpaid.

WHITE CLOVER (Trifolium Repens). Premium Grade-Plant at the rate of 1 lb. to 200 sq. ft. Price per pound, S1.50; 5 lbs. \$7.25; 10 lbs. \$14.00, postpaid.

KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS AND WHITE CLOVER MIXED-This favorite lawn seed mixture is made up of Premium Grade Seeds, mixed in the right proportion. We recommend this mixture as being the most satisfactory in general for making new lawns. Plant at the rate of 1 lb. to 200 sq. ft. Price per pound, 90c; 10 lbs. \$8.50, postpaid.

COMMON RYE GRASS-An annual grass, quick growing and very hardy. Price per pound, 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.50, postpaid.

SHADY LAWN GRASS-A grass for that shady spot where other varieties of grass seed will not grow. You will find in this mixture of fine grasses just the thing for the north side of your home or that shady spot under your trees. Price per pound, 90c; 5 lbs. \$4.25; 10 lbs. \$8.00, postpaid.

**AUSTRALIAN OR PERENNIAL RYE GRASS** (Lolium Perenne) - While Rye Grass does not produce a lawn of as fine a texture as Blue Grass and Clover, it is extremely hardy, requires less fertile soil and withstands more hardships. Plant 1 lb. to every 100 sq ft. Price per pound, 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50, postpaid.

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PACEY'S RYE GRASS (Lolium Perenne Pacey)-Similar to Australian Rye Grass, only it is a smaller seed and is often preferred to the latter. Price per pound, 45c; 10 lbs. \$4.00, postpaid.

SEASIDE BENT (Agrostis Maritima)-A true creeping bent, and makes a very smooth, uniform lawn. Plant 4 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. Price per pound, S1.40; 5 lbs. S6.50, postpaid.

ASTORIA BENT-A very desirable type of grass for golf course putting greens and fine lawns, as it makes a beautiful, thickly matted, deep green turf. It holds its color exceptionally well and is an underground creeper. Plant 4 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. Price per pound, \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$6.50, postpaid.

RED TOP (Agrostis Alba)-A quick growing grass that is often used in mixture with Kentucky Blue Grass for lawns, putting greens and tees on golf courses. Price per pound, 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50, postpaid.

CHEWINGS FESCUE (Festuca Species) ----Used extensively on putting greens, fairways and tees on golf courses, and does well on most any kind of soil. Produces a stiff, upright growth. Price per pound, 80c; 10 lbs. \$7.50.

BERMUDA GRASS (Cynodon Dactylon) ----A broad-leaved creeping grass, used for golf course fairways, polo and athletic fields. Will stand a great deal of hard usage. Price per pound, 80c; 10 lbs. \$7.50 postpaid.

BUR CLOVER (Medicago Arabica)-Used to some extent for golf course fairways in California. Price per pound, 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50, postpaid.

ROUGH STALKED MEADOW GRASS (Poa Trivialis)—Makes an excellent turf both for lawns in shady places and for putting greens and fairways on golf courses. Leaves are very narrow and flat. Price per pound, \$1.25; 10 lbs. \$12.00, postpaid.

MEADOW FESCUE (Festuca Pratensis) ----Produces very broad leaves. Used on lawns, golf courses on "the rough" and sometimes on the fairways. Price per pound, 80c; 10 lbs. \$7.50, postpaid.

WOOD MEADOW GRASS (Poa Nemoralis) -A very fine bladed grass, medium dark green in color, used in mixtures for shady spots. Price per pound, S2.25; 10 Ibs. \$21.00, postpaid.

EMERALD LAWN GRASS MIXTURE - We have thoroughly and carefully cleaned this seed in our modern and scientific cleaning plant. The seed is mixed in proper proportions so that we are able to offer in our "EMERALD LAWN GRASS SEED" a mixture particularly adapted to California conditions. Sow at the rate of 1 lb. to 250 sq. ft. Price: 1 lb. 90c; 5 lbs. \$4.25; 10 lbs. \$8.00, postpaid.

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## MISCELLANEOUS FARM SEEDS

BROOM CORN: BLACK SPANISH—Grows 7 to 9 ft. tall, according to soil and water. The stalks make good silage and produce 10 to 20 tons per acre. The brush grows 18 to 24 in. long. Plant 4 lbs. to the acre. Price per pound, 35c; 10 lbs. \$3.00, postpaid.

MILLET: PROSO (Hog Millet or Broom Corn Millet)—Sow 70 lbs. to 80 lbs. to the acre. Per pound, 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid. Quantity Prices and Samples on Request MILLET: GERMAN—Plant 30 lbs. per acre. Per pound, 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid. PEANUT: VIRGINIA—The best variety for roasting. 35c lb.; 10 lbs. \$3.00, postpaid. PEANUT: SPANISH — More compact and

can be grown closer than Virginia Peanuts, making cultivation easier. Used for stock feed and roasting. 35c per pound; 10 lbs. \$3.00, postpaid. RAPE: DWARF ESSEX—Recommended for pasturage for sheep and cattle and green feed for poultry, furnishing rich pasturage in eight weeks of sowing. Plant 10 lbs. per acre. 35c per lb.; 10 lbs. \$3.00, postpaid.

## GERMAIN'S CLOVER

Inoculate Clover Seeds with NITRAGIN Any increase in tonnage is a net profit. We recommend that all Clover Seeds be inoculated with Nitragin before planting. By inoculation with Nitragin at a cost of 33c per acre, you can get a 50% larger tonnage in Clover crops. See page 76-D.

MELILOTUS ALBA (WHITE BLOSSOM SWEET CLOVER)—Pasture and hay crop, biennial, excellent for cover crop and soil building purposes. Develops heavy tap root which breaks up heavy soils. Flowers furnish excellent food for bees. Plant 20 lbs. per acre. Per lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50, postpaid.

MELILOTUS OFFICINALIS (YELLOW BLOS-SOM SWEET CLOVER)—Similar, except for color of blossom, to Melilotus Alba. Price per pound, 40c; 10 lbs. \$3,50, postpaid.

MAMMOTH RED CLOVER OR COW GRASS (Trifolium Pratense Perenne)—This plant is a mammoth strain and therefore a taller grower than Red Clover as described above. Per pound. 50c; 10 lbs. \$4.50, postpaid.

BIRDSFOOT TREFOIL (Lotus Corniculatus) —A long lived perennial, tolerant of acid Quantity Prices & Samples Sent on Request

soils, and will stand close pasturing. Becoming popular in the list of pasture grasses for the west. Plant 5 lbs. to the acre. Price per pound \$1.75; 10 lbs. \$17.00, postpaid.

RED CLOVER (Trifolium Pratense)—Makes excellent pasture or hay. It will withstand colder temperatures than most varieties of Alfalfa and will also thrive in slightly wetter land than Alfalfa. Recommended in the higher altitudes and colder sections. Plant 15 lbs. to the acre. Price per pound, 50c; 10 lbs. \$4.50, postpaid.

ALSIKE (Trifolium Hybridum)—Very hardy, adapted for sowing on cold wet land. Planted at rate of 8 to 15 lbs. per acre. It yields a large amount of hay or pasture and makes a good bee plant. Price per pound, 50c; 10 lbs. \$4.50, postpaid.

STRAWBERRY CLOVER — Introduced from Australia; produces an abundance of excellent pasturage on swampy and alkaline soils. Plant 4 to 6 lbs. per acre. Per pound, \$1.10; 10 lbs. \$10.00, postpaid.

WHITE CLOVER (Trifolium Repens)—Used in this section practically exclusively for lawn purposes. See page 55. Price per pound, \$1.50; 10 lbs. \$14.00, postpaid.

BUR CLOVER — Valuable as a green fertilizer and thrives in shade. Also used on hill lands with other clover or grasses for pasturage. Plant at the rate of 15 lbs. per acre. Price per pound, 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50, postpaid.

LESPEDEZA (KOREAN) — Hay and forage crop. Very hardy and grows on poorer soils. Price per pound. 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.50, postpaid.

MELILOTUS INDICA (SOUR CLOVER)—An excellent cover crop. See page 57 for detailed information and prices.

HUBAM CLOVER—An annual. Blossoms first season planted, therefore desirable for apiarists. Heavy yielder and excellent for hay, pasturage and cover crop. Plant 12 lbs. per acre. Price per pound, 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50, postpaid.

LADINO CLOVER — A mammoth White Clover growing very rapidly and furnishing an abundance of tender green feed, desirable for feeding young poultry. Plant 8 lbs. per acre. Per lb. \$1.50; 10 lbs. \$14.50, postpaid.

## GERMAIN'S QUALITY ALFALFA SEED

"Premium Brand" Chilean and "Golden West Brand" Hairy Peruvian Alfalfa Seed have been carefully recleaned by the most modern processes to remove chaff, dirt and weed seeds. Only the best grades of seed that come into our warehouses are eligible for packing under these two brands. Plant seed 20 lbs. to the acre. Write for free booklet "What 58 Years Have Taught About Alfalfa Seed in California." It contains much useful information about this crop.

GOLDEN WEST BRAND HAIRY PERUVIAN —A heavier producer in warm climates. Price per lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50, postpaid. Write for quantity prices. PREMIUM BRAND CHILEAN (Common) ALFALFA — The leading variety in use, gives most satisfactory results under a wide variety of conditions. Price per lb. 50c; 10 lbs. \$4.50, postpaid. Write for quantity prices.

## GERMAIN'S PASTURE AND HAY GRASSES

AUSTRALIAN SALT BUSH — A valuable pasture grass for districts having salt or alkaline soils. Plant 10 lbs. per acre. Price per lb. 80c; 10 lbs. \$7.50, postpaid.

BERMUDA GRASS (Cyodon Dactylon) — Is a very vigorous grower and is practically impossible to eradicate when once established. Plant only in hot weather, and give plenty of water, as seed will not germinate in cool temperatures. Price per lb. 80c; 10 lbs. \$7.50, postpaid.

#### Write for Quantity Prices

ALFILARIA—One of the hardy wild California grasses that makes very good pasturage and will grow most anywhere with practically no care. Plant 10 lbs. per acre and let the rains drive the seed in. Price \$1.00 per lb.; 10 lbs. \$9.00, postpaid.

AWNLESS BROME GRASS (Bromus Inermis)—Hardy perennial pasture and hay grass. Is resistant to cold and drought and furnishes an excellent winter pasture grass or a good hay crop. Plant 20 lbs. per acre. Price per lb. 50c; 10 lbs. \$4.50, postpaid.

CHEWINGS FESCUE (Festuca Species)—A stiff upright grower commonly used in mixture with Clover and Red Top for pasture purposes. Does well on most any kind of soil and also in shady places. Plant 15 to 20 lbs. per acre. Price per lb. 80c; 10 lbs. \$7.50, postpaid.

## Germain's NUVIDA PLANT FOOD FOR RICH VELVETY GREEN LAWNS

Nuvida Plant Food is manufactured by us and we guarantee that it contains all the elements required and in the proper proportion to produce a luxuriant growth. It is a clean, odorless material and, being quick in action, the effect can be noticed within a very short time by the rich green coloring and that velvety appearance so much sought after.

 5 lb. carton, 40c; 10 lb. carton for 300 sq. ft., 70c;

 25 lb. sack for 750 sq. ft., \$1.15
 100 lb. sack for 3,000 sq. ft., \$3.50

 50 lb. sack for 1,500 sq. ft., \$2.00
 Prices not prepaid.



Write for Nuvida pamphlet.

## GERMAIN'S PASTURE AND HAY GRASSES (Cont.)

CRESTED WHEAT GRASS — A native of Southwestern Siberia, which is a region of low rainfall and poor soil; it has demonstrated its ability to withstand drought in this country; has a very extensive root system, and smothers out other crops growing on the same land. It is a perennial and long lived. Plant  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. deep and 10 bs. per acre when broadcasted or drilled. Per lb. 45c; 10 lbs. S4.00, postpaid.

DALLIS GRASS (Paspalum Dilatatum)—One of the best pasture grasses, furnishes a highly relished stock feed and it is very hardy. It grows on poor as well as rich soils and will not die out under conditions of arought. Also adaptable for growth in swampy lands and supplies thick matted roots that will support cattle on soft ground. Is a vigorous grower and will choke out weeds. Plant 10 lbs. to the acre. Per lb. 80c: 10 lbs. \$7.50, postpaid.

MEADOW FESCUE (Festuca Pratensis)—A very valuable species for permanent grass lands and is relished by livestock both in hay and pasture. Sow 15 to 20 lbs. per acre on well prepared soil. Price per lb. 80c; 10 lbs. S7.50, postpaid.

HARDING GRASS—An excellent perennial pasture grass and it will withstand much hard usage and heavy tramping of stock. The growth is tender and sweet and will furnish grass all winter. Under good conditions this grass will pasture one cow per acre per year, and it never bloats. Plant in the early spring at the rate of 2 to 4 lbs. per acre. Price per lb. \$2.00, postpaid. PERENNIAL PRAIRIE GRASS—An introduction from New Zealand which has proven to be valuable grass for permanent pastures in the southwest. Grows to a height of two to three feet. Should be planted during cool weather (preferably during October) at the rate of 20 pounds per acre. A combination with Dallis Grass makes an excellent base for a year round permanent pasture. Price per pound 75c; 10 lbs. \$7.00, postpaid.

ORCHARD GRASS OR COCKSFOOT (Dactylis Glomerata)—Valuable if planted alone or mixed with other grasses. Very often mixed with Ladino Clover, Red Clover and Rye Grass. Seed should be broadcasted at the rate of 30 lbs. per acre. Price per lb., 75c: 10 lbs. \$7.00, postpaid.

RED TOP (Agrostis Alba) — Does best on moist or even marshy land. If the ground is not overflow land, mix with Meadow Fescue, Orchard Grass or Alsike Clover. Sow 14 lbs. of seed to the acre. Price per lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50, postpaid.

REED CANARY GRASS—Perennial pasture grass, having a long grazing season. Produces large quantity of nutritious forage. Price per lb. 50c; 10 lbs. \$4.50, postpaid. COMMON RYE GRASS—A quick-growing annual grass attaining a height of 2½ to 4 ft.; very desirable for temporary meadows or pastures. Thrives best on soils that are slightly moist, and will even stand considerable overflow. Sow 40 lbs. per acre. Per lb. 30c; 10 lbs. S2.50, postpaid.

PERENNIAL RYE GRASS (Lolium Perenne) —A strong growing, hardy grass, noted for its nutritive qualities. Is equally valuable for both grazing and hay. Plant 40 lbs. per acre. Per lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50, postpaid.

RHODES GRASS (Chloris Cayana)—This grass bears pasturing very well, recovering quickly after it is eaten down. It grows very thickly, producing from 5 to 10 tons of fine quality hay per acre. The hay contains a large proportion of leaves while the stems are slender and tender so that the hay is eaten with very little waste. Broadcast 12 lbs. per acre. Per lb. 80c; 10 lbs. S7.50, postpaid.

SMILO GRASS (Oryzopsis-Miliacea)—A long lived perennial bunch grass that stays green the year around when pastured or cut. Is drought resistant and relished by livestock. Price per pound \$3.50.

TIMOTHY (Phleum Pratense)—Excellent for hay. Thrives best on moist, loamy soil. Sow early in the spring or fall. Plant 15 to 20 pounds per acre. Price per lb. 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.50, postpaid.

## GERMAIN'S FALL COVER CROP SEEDS

Prices on cover crop seeds listed below are postpaid in quantities up to and including ten pounds. Cover crop seeds are, however, often purchased in large quantities and we therefore request buyers of sack lots or over to write us for special quotations. Our stocks are all thoroughly recleaned to insure their being of high purity and germination and free from weeds.

PURPLE VETCH—The most popular cover crop seed in California. Rapid grower and heavy nitrogen and humus producer. Excellent for hay and silage. Plant 40 lbs. per acre. Per lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid.

VETCH (Common)—Plant in the fall any time from the first of August to the first of January. Used by California orchardists as a cover crop to a large extent. Plant at the rate of 60 lbs. to the acre. Price per lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid

MELILOTUS ALBA (Sweet Clover)—A biennial legume having a deep sturdy taproot penetrating plough-soles and hardpans. May be used as a spring cover crop. Per Ib. 40c; 10 Ibs. \$3.50, postpaid. BUR CLOVER — Second only to Purple Vetch in nitrogen production per acre. It thrives in shady locations where other leguminous crops fail. Broadcast at the rate of 15 lbs. per acre. Price per lb. 40c; 10 lbs. S3.50, postpaid.

HUBAM CLOVER — An annual legume which makes an excellent cover crop for fall planting and may also be planted in the spring. See pg. 56 for detailed information. Price per lb. 40c; 10 lbs. \$3.50, postpaid.

MALVA—This legume is finding favor for cover crop purposes where soil conditions are unfavorable. Price per lb. 35c; 10 lbs. S3.00, postpaid.

CANADIAN FIELD PEAS—May be planted in cold weather and furnish a most valuable cover crop. Plant 75 lbs. to the acre. Price per lb., 25c; 10 lbs. S2.00. postpaid.

MELILOTUS INDICA—Next to purple Vetch in popularity as a cover crop in California. An annual legume, dependable and heavy in production of nitrogen and green manure. Plant 20 lbs. per acre. Write for special circular on Melilotus Indica. Price per lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid. YELLOW MUSTARD (Brassica Alba)—Preferred over other varieties for sowing in orchards because it is generally ready to plough under in 3 months. Plant 8 to 10 lbs. per acre. August to December. Price per lb. 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.50, postpaid.

WILD BLACK MUSTARD (Charlock)—Also successfully used as a non-leguminous cover crop. Lb. 20c; 10 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid.

TRIESTE MUSTARD (Brassica Nigra) — A greater tonnage can be obtained from this variety than the Yellow variety but its growth is slower. Price per lb. 35c; per 10 lbs., \$3.00.

BEANS: LARGE HORSE—The seed is about an inch long and about one-half inch wide and flat in appearance. Plant 50 to 60 lbs. to the acre. Lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid.

FENUGREEK—This variety is being used to a limited extent in Northern and Central California. It is a legume, 2 to 3 ft. high; fast grower and has a strong root system, which is effective in breaking up hard soils. Plant 20 to 30 lbs. to the acre. Price per lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid.

## SPRING COVER CROPS

WHIPPOORWILL COW PEAS — Recommended for its quick growing habits, an ideal variety as a cover crop to counteract the June drop. Will grow on practically all kinds of soils and are great nitrogen producers. Plant 60 to 90 lbs. per acre in the spring or summer after the ground is thoroughly warm and all danger of frost is over. Price per lb. 25c; 10 lbs. S2.00, postpaid.

BRABHAM COW PEAS—Culture and hab. its similar to the Whippoorwill. Nematode resistant. Per Ib. 25c; 10 Ibs. S2.00, postpaid. BROWN VIRGINIA SOY BEANS—Is trailing in habit. Sow 30 to 45 Ibs. to the acre, if drilled, and 60 to 90 Ibs. if broadcasted. Price per Ib. 25c; 10 Ibs. S2.00, postpaid.

BLACKEYE BEANS—Belong to the Cow Pea family and are often used for cover crop with satisfactory results. Plant 30 lbs. to the acre. Per lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid. SESBANIA—A cover crop that is especially adapted to hot climates and therefore is being used to a great extent for planting in the Imperial and Coachella Valleys. It is a leguminous plant containing an abundance of nitrogen bearing nodules on its heavy tap root. Plant at the rate of 12 lbs. to the acre. Price per Ib. 25c; 10 lbs. S2.00, postpaid.

## GERMAIN'S FIELD AND ENSILAGE CORN

Note— Prices on field corns listed below are postpaid in quantities up to and including 10 pounds. If larger quantities are desired, write us for special prices. If grown for the corn, field corn should be drilled in rows three feet apart, and two feet apart in the rows, requiring about ten pounds per acre. If grown for ensilage, the rows should not be over one foot apart, and thirty inches apart in the rows, requiring 50 to 75 pounds to the acre.

### HYBRID FIELD AND ENSILAGE CORNS

Yields have averaged from 15 to 20 bushels of corn per acre over open pollinated varieties. Growers are cautioned not to attempt to save hybrid corn seed as the hybridization work must be repeated each year. We list hereunder two varieties, one recommended for ensilage and one for grain.

HYBRID ENSILAGE CORN NO. 520—This Yellow Dent Corn is an extremely heavy producer of silage. It comes in tassel in about 97 days and is ready for husking in about 110 days. 1 lb. 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.50 postpaid.

DOUBLE CROSS HYBRID NO. 470 — We recommend this hybrid corn for planting for grain. It is a yellow dent variety and is about a 90 day corn. 1 lb. 30c; 10 lbs. \$2.50 postpaid. Semesan Jr. should be used to disinfect seed corn before planting, to destroy such disease germs and fungus spores as adhere to the surface coat or in some cases exist internally. Semesan Jr. possesses remarkable properties for sterilizing seeds, accelerates germination, stimulates growth, influences earlier maturity, develops sturdier plants, and increases crop yields. See page 76 for prices.

#### CORN—FIELD— Open Pollinated

BIG JIM CORN—One of the heaviest yielders grown in California, both for grain and silage. Kernels rich yellow and very large, ears 10 to 14 inches long and cob small. Our recommendation as the best field and ensilage corn for the Southwest. Price 1 b. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid.

HICKORY KING, WHITE—This corn is entirely distinct from all other varieties, having large kernels with a small cob. Price per lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid.

### ENSILAGE CORN Open Pollinated

ORANGE COUNTY PROLIFIC — Orange County Prolific is a California product of the white dent variety. It is an exceptionally heavy yielder and highly recommended for ensilage purposes. Price per lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid.

MEXICAN JUNE CORN, WHITE — Very early and hardy, stalks growing to an average height of 7 or 8 feet and producing 30 to 60 bushels of corn per acre. This corn is also used for roasting purposes. Price per lb. 25cr 10 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid.

KING PHILIP, YELLOW—This is a hard yellow flint corn and is generally referred to as ninety-day corn. It is drought resisting and will give a fair yield where most corns are a failure. Price per lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid.

## GERMAIN'S SORGHUMS AND SUDAN

#### SACCHARINE SORGHUMS

EARLY AMBER—Furnishes most nutritive forage, which can be fed either green or cured, and will yield two or three cuttings a year, stooling out thicker each time it is cut. It grows ten to twelve feet high. Sow broadcast for forage at the rate of 5 lbs. per acre in drills 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> to 4 ft. apart. Price per lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid.

HONEY SORGHUM—For ensilage and for syrup purposes. It is a fine variety for silage purposes, having slender leafy stalks, varying in height from eight to twelve feet. It is medium late maturing and has decidedly tender stalks, and is important from a forage standpoint. When the crop is to be used for fodder or silage, it is usually planted in rows 3 to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  feet apart, using up to 5 lbs. of seed per acre. Price per lb. 25c; 10 lb. lots \$2.00, postpaid. Write for special prices in larger quantities.

#### **NON-SACCHARINE SORGHUMS**

DWARF MILO MAIZE—Grows to a uniform height of  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 feet; its stalks being a mass of leaves overlapping each other and under average conditions yielding from 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  tons of threshed grain per acre. It is drought resisting, a vigorous producer, easy to harvest and is the finest grain we know. Plant six pounds per acre in rows 3 feet apart and plant six to twelve inches apart in a row. Planting should be done in the spring, after all danger of frost is past and the ground is warm. Price per lb. 25c; 10 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid; 25 lbs. \$4.00. (Write us for Quality Prices and Samples)

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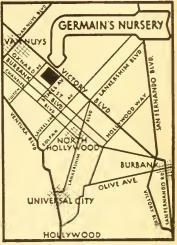
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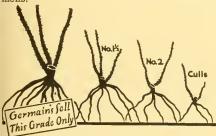
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AUTUMN—Burnt orange stroked with red.

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ETOILE DE HOLLANDE—Clear, deep red. (See picture, page 77)

GOLDEN RAPTURE-Golden yellow.

HADLEY-Rich red.

HINRICH GAEDE — Crimson orange. (See picture, page 77)

HOOSIER BEAUTY-Dark crimson,

J. OTTO THILOW-Deep rose pink.

KAISERIN VICTORIA—Creamy white. LOS ANGELES—Flame pink.

McGREDY'S IVORY—Ivory white (See picture, page 85)

MRS. E. P. THOM—Rich lemon yellow. (See picture, page 87)

MRS. SAM McGREDY — Coppery orange pink. (See picture, page 83)

NIGHT-Deep rich crimson.

PRES. HERBERT HOOVER—Multi-colored pink, yellow and copper. (See picture, page 77)

RADIANCE-Rose pink.

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APRICOT QUEEN. (Pat. No. 464) Apricot rose ......\$1.50 (See color picture, page 83)

AUTUMN-Medium-sized buds and cupped double flowers. Burnt orange streaked with red. Grows strong, blooms profusely ...... 50c

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Eight varieties that will bring a ray of sunshine to your garden. AUTUMN—Multicolor CHARLES P. KILHAM—Oriental red DAINTY BESS—Soft pink DUQUESA DE PENARANDA— Orange-apricot EDITH NELLIE PERKINS — Salmon-pink ESSENCE—Deep crimson EULALIA—Clear pink FEDERICO CASAS—Copper orange. A \$4.60 Value for \$3.70 ONLY postpaid

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BOUTONNIERE (Pat. No. 424)-Perfectly shaped, solid, little, orange-apricot buds, very full and long lasting and borne in profusion. The buds open to a rich deep salmon and are pleasantly fragrant. Just the rose for your coat lapel or for a small vase. .....\$1.25 BRIARCLIFF-This fine rose gives you large, long buds and large, high pointed, double, very lasting, moderately fragrant flowers. Brilliant rose-pink at center, lighter CALEDONIA—Large, very long pointed buds with the edges gracefully rolled back;

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CALIFORNIA (Pat. No. 449) Orange yellow ......\$1.50 (See color picture, page 82)

CECIL-By far the most beautiful single yellow rose. Good-sized five petaled flowers of a glorious buttercup-yellow, often 5 inches across. Blooms continuously on a large, densely branched bush......75c CECILE BRUNNER-Popular Baby Pink or 'Sweetheart'' Rose, miniature, in sprays of three to five buds. Color, blush, shaded pink. Grow it for hubby's buttonhole ..... 50c CHARLES P. KILHAM-Long-pointed perfectly shaped buds open to perfectly formed full double flowers of a rich and brilliant 



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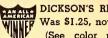
CHRISTOPHER STONE-Lovely, long-pointed buds open to vivid scarlet blooms. You'll cherish the large, heavy-textured petals which are veiled in the fall with a dusky nap of blackish crimson. Reduced from \$1.00 to ......75c ea. CONDESA DE SASTAGO-Brilliantly Spanish in coloring-perfect for California gar-The petals are pronouncedly two dens. toned, deep golden on the outside, copper-CONTRAST-Scarlet and bronze......\$1.00

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pery bronze .....\$1.00 (See color picture, page 86)

CRIMSON GLORY—Pat No. 105. Vivid crimson. Was \$1.25, now ......\$1.00 ea. (See color picture, page 87)

DAINTY BESS-Large, single, five-petaled blooms, 3 to 4 inches across, come in clusters. The edges of the petals are ruffled. Soft rose-pink. Vigorous, plants always ..... 65c ea. in bloom .. DAME EDITH HELEN-Pure, glowing rosepink, soft yet brilliant, with no other shade. Strongly sweet-scented, lasting and grand for cutting. ...... 50c



DICKSON'S RED (Pat. No. 376)-Was \$1.25, now.....\$1.00 ea. (See color picture, page 83)

DONALD PRIOR (Pat. No. 377)-Great clusters of graceful flowers that are red, like rare old wine. Dark green foliage for a background. This eight petaled florabunda will give you huge splashes of color in your garden. Blooms continu-DUCHESS OF ATHOLL-Uncommon coloring. Old golden orange flushed with peach pink, attractive in bud and open state DUQUESA DE PENARANDA-You'll be intrigued with this color of orange-apricot with deeper coppery tones. The huge pointed buds are double, sweetly per-fumed, and long lasting. A tall, strong grower; beautiful shiny foliage. Formerly 75c, reduced to ......65c E. G. HILL-You'll treasure these immense flowers of lasting, dazzling scarlet that never fade or turn blue. Borne on long stems, they are deliciously fragrant.... 50c clear

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EDITH NELLIE PERKINS-The buds are long, pointed, the outside of the petals cream and blush shaded with orange at the base. The inner face is salmon-pink with golden-orange. You'll want it. 65c ea. ESSENCE-The long-sought double Etoile de Hollande. Bloom deep crimson, full of "Essence" of Rose. Vigorous grower. One ETERNAL YOUTH (Pat. No. 332)-....\$1.25 (See color page 85)

ETOILE DE HOLLANDE-Deep red 65c ea. (See color picture, page 77)

EULALIA-Do you like pink? Eulalia's immense buds are exquisitely pointed, full and beautifully formed with attractively FEDERICO CASAS—Gay colors of coppery pink and orange. You will find it good for both garden decoration and for cut-..... 50c flowers FEU JOSEPH LOOYMANS-Long pointed buds of tangerine yellow with a vivid apricot center. You'll be proud of its unusually striking color. The large open flower FIESTA (Pat. No. 389)-Striped yellow on red. Was \$2.00, now ..... \$1.50

(See color picture, page 84)



## BRIDE CARRIED ROSES"

vorthy of the finest wedding when you plant

# **1942 BUSH ROSES**

FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI of WHITE AMERI-CAN BEAUTY-An ideal hardy rose, pure white color. A remarkably vigorous grow-

GIPSY LASS-True to name, it forms a tall, rampant, untamed bush which displays in great quantities, large, very full informal flowers of dark crimson. Blooms with great abandon and has an exotic perfume .....50c

GLORIA MUNDI-A "Baby" rose that is the most brilliant orange-scarlet imagin-The flowers are well-formed, full able. double and borne in many flowered graceful clusters ...... 50c

GOLDEN DAWN-Lemon yellow .......50c (See color picture, page 86)

GOLDEN EMBLEM-Golden yellow. Crimson stripe on outer petals. High-pointed center, tea perfume. Growth free and branching with splendid constitution, deep 

GOLDEN RAPTURE-This rapturous rose produces some of the most perfectly formed bright yellow buds that you have ever seen-glowing shining rich yellow ....75c GRENOBLE-Very vigorous. Long stems. One of the best garden roses for cutting. The buds are crimson, the open flower HADLEY—A rich glorious red, shading to velvety purple. Flowers exceedingly fra-grant. Buds are high and pointed. A rose that should be in your collection .......50c

HEARTS DESIRE (Pat. rights re-WINE served)-----\$1.50 ea. (See color picture page 82)

HECTOR DEANE (Pat. No. 361)-\$1.25 ea. (See color picture page 86)

HEINRICH WENDLAND-Like strong col-Heinrich Wendland's buds are a ors? deep reddish-maroon, opening to a riotously colorful bloom of fiery scarlet and rich yellow in various shades which vary with the weather but which are never dimmed, even in the hottest sun .......50c HINRICH GAEDE-Coppery orange-red 75c (See color picture page 77)

HOOSIER BEAUTY-Dark rich velvety crimson of even color. Long stems. Flower is double and pointed. Sweetly scented ...... 50c IMPERIAL POTENTATE - Splendid ..long buds and large double flowers of a beautiful glistening rose shade. An outstanding royal beauty. Was 75c, now ....65c ea. IRISH CHARM — Faith, and here's the Rose of the Irish! Buds are perfectly formed, deep blush-pink, tinted apricot. Flowers are large, beautifully shaped. IRISH FIREFLAME-The profuse buds are wonderfully rich in coloring; a rich, deeporange, splashed with crimson, opening to a large single flower of satiny old gold. Its willowy height will grace your gar-

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LOS ANGELES—You'll like this world-re-nowned "Gold Medal" variety. As color-ful as the city of its origin. Rich flame pink shading to apricot and yellow .....50c LOUISE CATHERINE BRESLAU-Enhance your flower garden with this fully double, cup-shaped rose of a light salmon-pink. 50c LUCIE MARIE—Very long pointed buds, deep yellow splashed with red. As the outer petals unfold, the inner face becomes LULU-Dad's lapel favorite. Great quantities of dainty, extremely long and slender buds of coral-apricot, with which the bush is covered at all times ......65c MALAR ROS-Grow this new rose with large, pointed, oval-shaped buds carried on rigid stems. The large, rich crimson flowers are fully double. Remarkably sweet scented. MARGARET McGREDY-Large brilliantly colored double flowers have an entrancing shade of Oriental red, passing to carminerose. Keeps for a long time. Free-flower-(See color picture page 84)

MATADOR - (Patent No. 170) Bring the scarlet-crimson and sheen of a romantic matador's cape to your garden ..... \$1.00 each MAX KRAUSE-Gold that stays gold. Long bud and cup-formed bloom of great substance freely borne on a long stem. Foliage leathery and very resistant to Rose troubles. .....65c ea. McGREDY'S IVORY-Ivory white .......65c

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McGREDY'S SALMON-Salmon pink. \$1.50 (See color picture, page 87)

McGREDY'S SCARLET-Rosy red .......50c (See color picture, page 83) McGREDY'S SUNSET (Pat. No. 317)—\$1.25

(See color picture, page 87) McGREDY'S YELLOW—Yellow rose enthusiasts rave about this one. The buds are medium size, with plenty of petals, a lovely uniform shade of buttercup yellow. Was 75c, now ..... 65c ea. MISS ROWENA THOM-Oriental rose. 50c (See color picture, page 77)

MME. JOSEPH PERRAUD-The long, slender, and pointed Nasturtium orange buds open to sweetly fragrant flowers of a charming Nasturtium buff straying to a lovely shade of shell pink. Reduced from 

MRS. E. P. THOM-Lemon yellow ........ 50c (See color picture, page 87)

MRS. LOVELL SWISHER-A delightfully tea-scented rose. The color of the buds is a deep coppery salmon at the base, merging to salmon pink at the tips ......50c

MRS. OLIVER AMES (Pat. Rights Res.)-One of the most fragrant of roses with the sweetness of the old fashioned Marechal Neil. Strong upright growth, nicely formed flowers of a mellow chrome yellow. Beautiful dark green foliage....\$1.50 ea.



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Lucie Marie

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MRS. R. M. FINCH—A profuse bloomer. A new Baby Rose, double flowers of rosy pink. One of the most popular florist's roses. Grow it equally well in your gard \_\_\_\_\_65c

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NIGHT—One of the darkest of all roses, deep dramatic crimson-shaded black and maroon. You'll thrill to its delightfully spicy clove and cinnamon fragrance ....75c

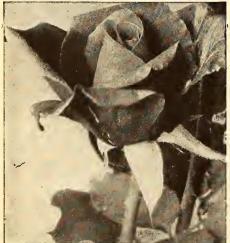
PADRE—An exquisite variety in a color that is distinct from any other. A beautiful shade of coppery orange crimson .......50c

PEARL BUCK (Pat. App. For)—Golden yellow \_\_\_\_\_\_\$1.50 (See color picture, page 87)

POINSETTA—Rich scarlet ......\$1.00 (See color picture, page 77)

PRESIDENT BOONE (Patent No. 314)— Mere words cannot do it justice. Bears lavish quantities of flowers of phenomenal size and substance. In color, pure, rich crimson scarlet, very double ............\$1.00

PRESIDENT HOOVER-Multicolored .....50c (See color picture, page 77)



Texas Centennial

PRES. MACIA—A very large flowered variety that produces light pink blossoms that have a delicate shade so much wanted in roses. Vigorous, free flowering, long strong stems.\_\_\_\_\_\$1.00

RED RADIANCE—An even better rose in habit than its parent, Radiance, bearing big, globular flowers of deep rose-red. 50c

ROME GLORY (Patent No. 304)— \$1.25 (See color picture, page 86)

ROSE MARIE—The buds are long and pointed, petals large and well-rounded. Color a delightful pure rose pink.......50c

SANTA ANITA (Pat. Rts. Res.)......\$1.50 (See color picture, page 84)

SATURNIA (Patent No. 349).....\$1.00 (See color page 77)

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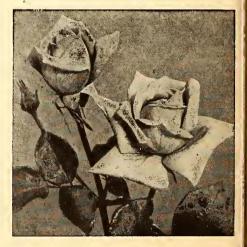


SIR HENRY SEGRAVE—Large long, wellshaped buds and high-centered, sweet scented, double flowers of a light lemon yellow shading deeper at base. Considered by many rosarians as the finest new rose in many years. You'll think so too! ....65c

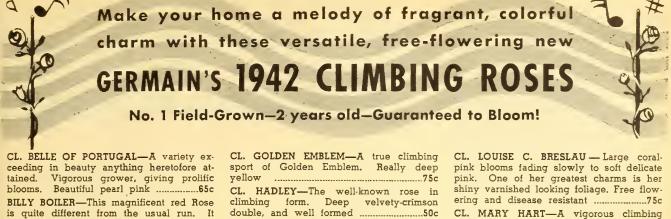
SISTER THERESE—Bronzy yellow ....... 50c (See color picture, page 77)

 SUSAN LOUISE—A rose perky as its feminine name, almost always blooms for you. Long, slender, pointed buds of deep pink open to large semi-double clear pink profuse flowers. A rose that has proven remarkably satisfactory whenever tried ....50c





Heinrich Wendland



sends up many long willowy stems from the base of the plant to a height of four or five feet, and at the tip of each branch on great long stems for cutting are immense double flowers of a most intense shade of rich scarlet, with maroon shadings....50c ea. CL. BLACK BOY-From Australia. One of the finest red climbing roses. Blooms are large, double, deliciously fragrant, deep velvety crimson, shaded blackish maroon 

CL. BLAZE (Plant Patent No. 10)-\$1.00 ea. (See color picture, page 84)

CL. CALEDONIA-A new climber you'll vote one of the finest white roses grown. The beautifully shaped, long, snowy-white buds are exquisite to behold, and the blossoms possess a delicious fragrance..........75c CL. CAPTAIN THOMAS (Patent 393)-You'll salute this magnificent Climbing Rose. The flowers are single, very large, creamy-yellow, darker than the ever-popular Mermaid. Plants produce flowers every week during the entire spring, summer and fall—a most remarkable characteristic in a Climbing Rose. Normally grows to 6 or 8 feet ......\$1.00 CL. CECILE BRUNNER-One of the strongest growing roses. Bright pink, a most CL. COUNTESS VANDAL-Coppery bronze. \$1.00

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CL. DAINTY BESS-A strong, clean-growing, ever blooming climber that shares the popularity of Dainty Bess bush rose 75c CL. DAME EDITH HELEN-This climbing variety produces flowers which are exactly like those on its popular pink bush name-CL. DUCHESS OF ATHOLL-A very worthwhile addition to the list of climbers with its unusual color of old golden orange flushed with pink ......75c CL. DUQUESA DE PENARANDA (Patent Rights Res.)-An exact replica of the bush variety in a very strong Climber. Decided-CL. EDNAH THOMAS-A new everblooming climber producing enormous blossoms of glowing rose pink. Flowers are among the largest you've ever seen in a rose..75c CL. ESSENCE—A beautiful new climber with flowers of deep velvety crimson that hold their color ......65c ea. CL. ETOILE DE HOLLANDE-Deep red 75c (See color picture)

CL. FEU JOSEPH LOOYMANS-The exquisite shade of tangerine apricot is reproduced in this excellent climber ......75c CL. FLASH (Patent No. 396)-

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climbing form. Deep velvety-crimson double, and well formed ......50c CL. HINRICH GAEDE (Patent No. 244)-CL. HOOSIER BEAUTY-The climbing form of the popular bush variety. Torchlike blooms of vivid red open from glow-CL. INDIAN SUMMER (Pat. No. 448)-The most sensational Climbing Rose of the decade. Its color is unlike any other climber in existence. The name is suggestive—wonderful shades of copper, old rose, strawberry pink, burnished old gold, etc. Buds of exquisite formation .......\$1.50 CL. KAISERIN VICTORIA-Plants bloom throughout the season and the lovely white CL. LOS ANGELES-The ever popular bush Los Angeles in a climbing form with the same extreme beauty of its well-formed flowers, alike in bud and bloom, shades of salmon-pink, apricot and orange ......50c CL. LORD CHARLEMONT-Very large, beautifully formed, high-centered, crimson flowers on stout rigid stems. The flower is so magnificent and the color so superb that we consider it to be one of the best

#### BUSH AND CLIMBING COLLECTION

Three selected varieties of each type. A wonderful rose garden for you. LOS ANGELES—Flame Pink. SOUV. DE CLAUDIUS PERNET—Yellow. VICTORIA HARRINGTON—Red. CL. EDNAH THOMAS—Rose Pink. CL. MRS. E. P. THOM—Yellow. CL. TALISMAN—Multicolor. Regular Catalog Price: \$3.55 Postpaid Collection Price \$2.85



CL. MARY HART-A vigorous climbing (See color page 84)

CL. McGREDY'S YELLOW-An excellent yellow climber you'll treasure. Identical in every respect with the bush form, producing a wealth of blossoms ......75c CL. MERMAID-Exquisitely beautiful single flowers of great size, pale sulphury yellow with a gold center ......75c CL. MRS. E. P. THOM-Lemon yellow .... 50c

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50c

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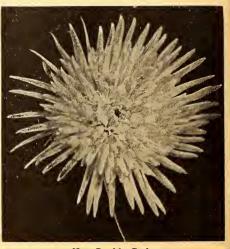
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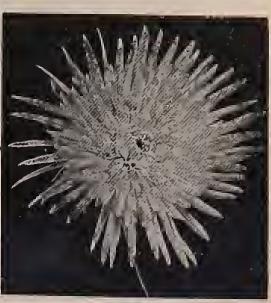
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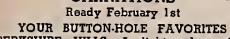
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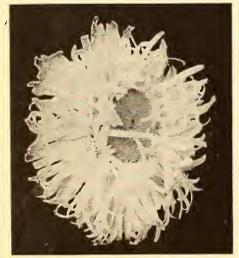
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MRS. HEGARTY-Bright pink flowers on 16-inch stems. Prefers a semi-shaded place with plenty of moisture. Grows from a 



Double Shasta Daisy



PELARGONIUM

### VIOLET (VIOLA ODORATA)

FREY'S FRAGRANT-Color is vivid deep blue. Deep fragrance. Foliage is large, stems are long and flowers held well above foliage.

### Each 20c; Doz. \$2.00.

PRINCESS OF WALES-Large and with good stems several inches in length. Succeed best in partial shade.

3 for 40c; Doz. \$1.50.

ROSINA-A handsome new violet that is sure to please you. Produces large quanti-ties of dainty, deep pink flowers with a delightful fragrance ..... Each 20c; Doz. \$2.00 

### VIOLET Double Russian

This is the rare double violet so much sought after by those who have seen it in bloom. It is noted for the exquisite fragrance of its beautiful double flowers. The color is a pleasing shade of purple and to grow it to perfection it should be grown in a rather shady situation. Nothing sweeter can be grown in your garden. Stock of this variety is always very scarce. 35c ea.; 3 for \$1.00.

PELARGONIUMS

PELARGONIUMS-(Martha Washington Geraniums). Make your choice from Germain's collection of the finest American and European varieties, far superior to the sorts previously grown. You will be delighted with the beautiful coloring of these new varieties.

AZALEA—Rosy red. Upper petals with blotches, lower petals lighter.

BEVERLY HILLS---Amaranth pink. Tall growing, early.

CARMINE KING-Cerise red. Dark blotches on two upper petals.

DIENER'S GIANT-Deep pink. Large flower. EASTER GREETING-Bright red. Each petal blotched black.

EDITH NORTH-Salmon pink. Dark brown blotches.

FRUEHLINGSZAUBER-Flowers white with shell-pink tint. Dark blotches, large flowers. GARDNER'S JOY-White with blotches of deep brown. Large clusters of flowers.

GIANT VENUS-Salmon. Early blooming, rich color and large flowers.

GRANDMA FISHER-Large salmon flowers. Dark blotches on upper petals.

### TRITOMAS (Red Hot Poker)

PFITZERII-Constant-bloomer. Orange scarlet.

MINIATURE HYBRIDS-Small, dainty. Red, salmon, etc. Mixed colors only. Either of above 30c ea.; \$3.00 Dozen.

### HERBS

Old fashioned garden herbs, perennials: CATNIP-(Nepeta Cateria). CHIVES-(Allium Savitum). SPEARMINT-(Mentha Spicata). SAGE-(Salvia Officinalis). LAVENDER-(Lavandula Vera). ROSEMARY-(Rosemarinus Officinalis). THYME, BROAD LEAVED-(Thymus Vulgaris).

3 for 40c; Doz. \$1.50.

IDA HENLEY-Beautiful dark velvet maroon color, shading to deep rose.

LAVENDER QUEEN-Lavender. All petals blotched purple.

LUCY BECKER-Pleasing Rosy pink, deep maroon blotches on each petal.

MACKENSEN --- Fiery-rose pink, immense clusters, early blooming.

MARY BARD-White with light pink.

MONTECITO-White with shell pink tint. NEUHEIT FAISS—Deep lavender with a purple blotch on each petal. An unusual color combination.

RUTH McAFEE—Beautiful salmon color.

SAN DIEGO-Purple. Very good.

SANTA MONICA—Light rose pink. SPRINGTIME—Bright pink, white throat and

border. Ruffled. SUE JARRETT-Salmon pink with blotched

upper petals and unusual markings.

SUNSET MAGAZINE—Huge flowers clear pink at the edges shading lighter towards the throat. Upper petals red with purple blotches.

SWABIAN MAID—Light crimson flower, each petal blotched dark brown. Very free flowering. Each 25c; 5 for \$1.00; Doz. \$2.25.

### VIOLET-ROYAL ROBE FEATURED ON OUR COVER

FEATURED ON OUR COVER Here is the most exciting new flower of the year—the most important flower in your 1942 garden. Never before have you seen such deep-deep lustrous violet blue color, such delicate petals that open flat like a graceful viola. Never before have you been able to make such lovely bouquets and flower arrangements—thanks to the longest stems in the history of the violet. Never before have you enjoyed such a luscious scent—the very essence of fragrant Violet perfume. Yes, you'll have the most regal garden in town when you plant Germain's violet. Royal Robe. Order Germain's strong, pot-grown plants now. Each 50c; 3 for \$1.25: 10 for \$3.75

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## For a gay, colorful fall garden and home, plant GERMAIN'S CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Ready for Shipment About April First

### JAPANESE VARIETIES-LARGE FLOWERING, LOOSE-PETALED

Here you find the very large flowered varities, those grown commercially and in the garden for SIZE! To obtain the maximum size, disbudding must be practiced, otherwise they grow into large spray-like flow-ers. Each 20c; Doz. \$2.00; 100, \$15.00.

ANTON MARMONTELL-Very shaqqy petals. Purple tips, white center. ARMISTICE DAY-Red incurve with gold.

BETSY ROSS-Pure white, perfect incurve. BLAZING GOLD—Intense golden yellow, globular form perfect stem and foliage. BONNAFFON—Incurve. Deep yellow. Very

popular.

DR. J. M. INGLIS-Bright amaranth purple. GLADYS PEARSON-Upper petals apricot. reverse buff.

GLENVIEW BRONZE-Deep reddish bronze GOLDEN GLORY-Deep golden yellow. HARVARD-Dark crimson reflex. A great favorite.

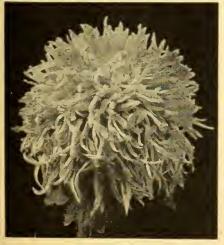
HELEN FRICK-Deep pink incurve. INDIAN CHIEF-Deep reddish bronze with gold reverse. Diameter when disbudded seven inches. Holds color well.

INDIANOLA—Bronze with old gold. J. W. PRINCE—Dark pink incurve. MRS. HENRY EVANS—Resembles a huge red and gold dahlia.

MRS. H. E. KIDDER—Bright early yellow. KEYSTONE—Fine bronzy orange incurve. ORIENTAL PRINCESS—Plum colored with white reverse, narrow petaled very full incurve

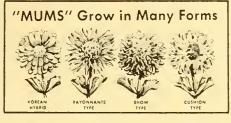
PINK DELIGHT—Bright pink reflex. POCKETT'S CRIMSON—Huge. Crimson. PURPLE KING-Nearly purple, reflex. ROSE DAY—Very large and fine pink. SHAWNEE CHIEF—Indian red with marcon reverse petals curl and twist in all directions, and are of reflex type. Diameter nine inches.

WM. TURNER-Huge incurved white.



Japanese Type

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**READY FOR SHIPMENT APRIL 1ST** "Mum's" the word in 1942! From the large Japanese type, through the Korean Hybrids, Feathery Class, and Pompons, you will find every desirable form or color for your fall garden. All Germain's plants are propagated from strong soft wood cuttings and established in 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-inch pots.



Apollo

### NEW KOREAN HYBRIDS

In a class by themselves are these new early flowering Chrysanthemums. They offer color, charm, abundance and supremely easy culture. These new creations suggest the Gerbera in type and color and are enhanced by Chrysanthemum characteristics. They prove very valuable as cut flowers for miniature decorations. Cut with their entire branching sprays, they offer hundreds of blossoms on a single branching stem. A "must" for your garden.

APOLLO-Bronze, red and gold. Very colorful.

CERES-Chamois-yellow and coppery gold. Strong grower.

DAPHNE-Lovely Daphne-pink. A very popular shade.

MARS—Deep amaranth-red. An unusual color.

MERCURY-Coppery bronze and red. Fine with fall foliage.

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### RAYONNANTE TYPE

A new type of Chrysanthemum with much appeal. Long cord shaped petals so arranged as to create a distinctive type. MISS GENA HARWOOD - Rosy mauve apricot.

RAYONNANTE-Pale rose.

WHITE RAYONNANTE-Good wine.

Each 20c; Doz. \$2.00.

NEW CUSHION MUMS

Dwarf. Compact plants covered with hundreds of blossoms from September until Flowers entirely hide the foliage. frost. AMELIA—Bright pink. KING CUSHION—Apricot. QUEEN CUSHION—White.

### CASCADE VARIETIES

A new type of "Mum" that is causing more comment than any brought out in years. Their natural pendant habit makes them Ideal for balconies, window boxes or pot culture. Should be grown on stakes. When they are ready to bloom remove the stakes. AUTUMN SPRAY-Bronze. GOLDEN SHOWER-Deep yellow.

LAVENDER MIST-Lavender.

FEATHERY AND QUILLED TYPES LAVENDER FEATHER-Deep lavender. Tall growing, very prolific. MATCH STICKS-Light bronze quilled pet-

als with spoon-like tips of rose.

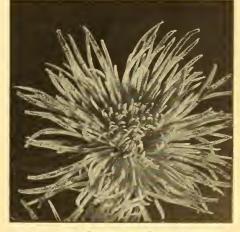
RED SPIDER—Large spidery magenta. ROYAL—Large quill type. Purple spoonlike tips, silver quills. YELLOW TAGGART—Golden yellow with

quilled petals.

### SHOWY POMPON TYPES

The following varieties comprise small flowered sorts that are grown without disbudding.

CORA PECK BUHL-Deepest yellow. FRANCIS HUCKVALE-Gardenia white. MARY PICKFORD-Button type. Pure white. JEWEL-Perfect shaped pink pompon. NUBIAN-Early bright chestnut bronze. PINK DOT-Flesh pink with rose center. Any of the above 20c ea.; \$2.00 per doz.



Ravonnante Type

Splash bright, early-spring color into shady nooks with GERMAIN'S AZALEAS!

### APPLE BLOSSOM-Pale pink with lighter shadings toward the center. CHERRY RIPE-Single cherry red flowers completely cover the plant in a solid mass.

CORAL BELLS - Bright rose pink. Double and free flowering.

FIRE BIRD-Beautiful fiery-red that is extremely showy.

ROSY MORN-Cerise pink. Fairly dazzles in the light.

SANTOI—An exquisite shade of creamy light pink.

SALMON QUEEN-Deep salmon, one of the most striking of all.

VAN DER CRUYSSEN-Deep rose pink, very large flowers.

60c Ea. Postpaid 70c ea. One each of the above eight va-rieties \$4.00; Postpaid \$4.75.

BOUVARDIA HUMBOLDTII-A low growing spreading shrub that produces clusters of tubular white flowers of exotic fragrance. Thrives best in partial shade. Rivals the Gardenia for corsages, easy to grow. Also available in nonfragrant coral red. Gal. container, 60c.

BRUNFELSIA FLORIBUNDA-This new, unusual shrub freely produces many fragrant blooms throughout a good part of the year. Flowers open to a deep mauve, fading with age through blue and lavender to CESTRUM PARQUI (NIGHT-BLOOMING JASMINE)—Medium sized shrub, yellow-ish green leaves and stems, with clusters of cream-colored flowers, intensely fragrant CISTUS SILVER PINK-A new Rock Rose with beautiful blossoms set off by greenish grey foliage. Grows to a height of 3 to 4 feet, produces myriads of blooms COTONEASTER PANNOSA (SILVERLEAF) ---Soft gray-green leaves, silvery under-neath. White flowers followed by great 



Holmskioldia Sanguinea



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### Want Easy-to-Grow Beauty in a Shady Spot? Try Germain's FUCHSIAS

Winged bell-shaped flowers in contrasting or self colors in great profusion.

FUCHSIAS-BUSH VARIETIES AMY LYE-Single flowers of Coral-Orange with waxy white sepals.

DIAMENT-Scarlet sepals. Corolla white streaked with carmine; double. DISPLAY—Deep rosy pink. One of the

best singles.

JULES DALOGE-Large double with red sepals and violet petals.

LORD BYRON-Deep velvety purple and scarlet; single.

MONSIEUR MOLIERE-Reep red and violet; double.

OTTO-Vivid violet blue, crimson; single. PHENOMENAL-Bright scarlet sepals, purple corolla; double.

PEARL-Semi-double. Soft rosy PINK pink.

PRIDE OF ORION-Scarlet sepals, corolla white streaked red; double.

STORM KING-Double. White center, scarlet sepals. Very fine.

SUNSET-Flowers glowing coral; sepals salmon pink, green tips. Single. 40c each, \$4.00 dozen

Postpaid Price, 50c each, \$4.75 doz.



### FUCHSIAS-TRAILING OR BASKET VARIETIES

CASCADE-Large single flowers of pink, salmon and cerise.

MARINKA-Free bloomer. You'll like these large single flowers of vivid red.

MRS. VICTOR REITER-Unsurpassed. Lowgrowing. Corolla waxy Orange-Coral, sepals

wazy white, long. Ea. 40c; per doz. \$4.00. Postpaid prices: Ea. 50c; per doz. \$4.75. HIBISCUS

AGNES GAULT-Immense single coral pink flowers.

PEACHBLOW—A pleasing shade of light pink. Double.

SINGLE RED-Bright color, profuse.

DOUBLE RED-Rich double red.

All Varieties 50c each HOLMSKIOLDIA SANGUINEA - Either shrub or climber. Brick-red flowers almost entire year. Plant in full sun ......50c



Eastern Lilac

### **BUDDLEIAS**

A fine collection of 3 varieties, all of which are splendid cut flower sorts.

CHARMING—Bears beautiful long sprays of lavender-pink flowers, fragrant.

DUBBONET-Wine Red and the darkest of all the Summer Lilacs, firm spikes closely set with lovely blooms. Was 75c, now 50c. ORCHID BEAUTY-A beautiful new variety that is sure to please. Orchid Pink blooms, strong upright growth. Any of the above, 50c ea.

### Grow Your Own Corsages GARDENIAS (Cape Jasmine)

Waxy, White, delightfully fragrant, double flowers. Glossy-leaved shrub. You'll find that it grows best in a semi-shaded location and an acid soil, which you can obtain by using Leaf Mold or Peat Moss. A plentiful supply of water with a well drained soil suits Cape Jasmine best. Do not over-water.

MYSTERY—A new variety with blossoms measuring over four inches across. Flowers are deliciously fragrant and look like a fine wax carving because of their thick petals. Easiest to grow. Plant where they are subject to a few hours' early morning 

GRANDIFLORA-A profuse bloomer. Snow 

### HYDRANGEA

OTASKA-Too well known to need any description. Each year, however, finds them being produced with larger flowers and better colors. We offer the improved large flowered, strong growing type that does 



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Prunus Persica (Flowering Peach)

### NERIUM—"OLEANDER"

Brilliant, showy flowers and light green foliage.

ATROPLENISSIMA-Dark Blood Red. MRS. ROEDING-Double Salmon. SINGLE WHITE DOUBLE PINK

### 50c ea.

### **PYRACANTHAS**

Value the evergreen Hawthorns for their wealth of bright colored Fall and Winter berries which remain on the plant for many months.

DUVALLI—For a great profusion of red berries plant this outstanding variety. Berries turn red in October remaining on the plant until the following March. Strong plant until the following March. FORMOSIANA - Compact growth, small, bright green leaves and berries of brightest Christmas red in emormous clusters. 50c. LALANDI (BURNING BUSH)-Rich glossy green foliage with clusters of white flowers in the Spring followed by a wealth of orange berries. 50c. YUNNANENSIS — Larger leaves, vigorous

growth. Great masses of red berries re-main on the plant for several months in a magnificent display of color. 50c.

### HEDGE PLANTS

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BUXUS JAPONICA-(Japanese Boxwood). 6 to 8 in. Per flat of 100\_\_\_\_\_\_S2.50 LIGUSTRUM NEPALENSE-(Nepal Privet) I0 to 12 in., per flat of 100 ......\$2.00 LIGUSTRUM JAPONICA - (Japanese Priv-CUPRESSUS MACROCARPA - (Monterey Cypress). 6 to 8 in., per flat of 100 .....\$2.00 Any of the above hedge plants, 50c dozen. Postpaid.

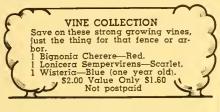
### Increase Property Value With Germain's EVERGREEN TREES

ACACIA BAILEYANA-Fern-like, silvery blue-green foliage. Lemon yellow flowers 50c ACACIA)-Fast-growing, upright. Long, narrow leaves, creamy yellow flowers. 50c BAUHINIA PURPUREA (ORCHID TREE)— Medium-sized tree. Two-lobed leaves, showy flowers 3" across, deep pink to purple ...60c -----EUCALYPTUS FICIFOLIA (SCARLET FLOWERING)—Large, dark glossy green leaves. Brilliant crimson flowers ...... JACARANDA MIMOSAEFOLIA - Round head of light green, fern-like foliage. Violet-foliage. Large white fragrant flowers 6 to 8'

across. 50c Cover Trellises, Porches, Fences, Walls With

Germain's VINES

ANTIGNON LEPTOPUS (ROSA DE MON-



### BOUGAINVILLEAS

CRIMSON LAKE-Large brilliant crimson flowers .... MRS. PRAETORIUS-Striking. Rich gold-Due to their peculiar root structure which cannot be disturbed Bougainvilleas must be shipped in containers and by express only. None can be mailed. LONICERA HALLEANA (HALL'S JAPA-NESE HONEYSUCKLE) — Fragrant white

Weight about 10 pounds, packed ready for ered honeysuckle. Long flowers contrast WISTARIA

> Produces long racemes of pea shaped flowers that hang in profusion from a vigorous vine. Flowers appear in the spring before the foliage. In Germain's Wistaria, you get only grafted plants which are sure to bloom.

CHINENSIS BLUE—Deep Blue. CHINENSIS ALBA—White.

2-year size, \$1.00; 3-year size, \$1.75

### FLOWERING PEACHES

PRUNUS PERSICA — Bears great masses of double flowers in spring before leaves appear. Should be heavily pruned as soon as it has finished blooming.

BURBANK-Large double pink flowers. Late.

DOUBLE WHITE—Large flowered. EARLY RED-A clear ruby red and double.

LATE RED-Same color as the Early Red but blooms three weeks later. PEPPERMINT STICK - Variegated red and white. SAN JOSE PINK - Double pink. Early.

All Varieties 4-6 ft. 75c

### CONIFERS

CEDRUS DEODARA-This rapid-growing Cedar is ideal for your lawn or parkways. Towering pyramidal form. 60c CUPRESSUS SEMPERVIRENS (ITALIAN CYPRESS)—Tall, slender, and erect. Plant (PFITZER'S JUNIPER)—Bushy, wide-spread, horizontal branches. Forms immense flat SEQUOIA SEMPERVIRENS (Coast Redwood) The well-known California Redwood, excellent for street, parkway, garden ......60c

### DECIDUOUS SHRUBS

LAGERSTROEMEA INDICA (CREPE MYR-TLE)-Tall-growing shrub bears an abundance of pink crepe-like flowers in spring and summer. 5-gal. size, \$1.50; gal., 50c LILAC (EASTERN)—An old fashioned fa-with cut leaves and slender arching branches becoming covered with clusters of small 60c TRIPETTI)—Imagine a tree with blooms hanging in long racemes, which resemble the Wistaria. Deep Orange Yellow shades towards the center to a deep glowing Orange. Deep green fern-like foliage. Tree seldom gets more than 8 feet tall and is hardy to 10 degrees. Flowering season extends from May to early August. 31/2 to 



Bougainvillea



IRIS KING-Yellow and garnet. LOS ANGELES-White edged blue. NATIVIDAD—White and yellow. PINK JEWEL—Pink. SAN DIEGO—Violet blue. SIR MICHAEL-Blue and violet. TENAYA-Red purple.

Reg. \$3.25, Your Special \$175 Collection Price Only ..... \$175

ALTA CALIFORNIA-Totally distinct from even the newest yellows. Clear yellow, faintly bronzede, with stems superbly branched. Blooms of good size, and texture so firm that neither rain nor sun mar the stately blossoms. 48". Now only 25c; 3 for 50c

AMBASSADEUR-Offers you a blending of colors that defies description. Place this where the sun's rays show through it, and dark blend effect is a rich ruby red. 

ANNE MARIE CAYEUX-A most distinct and beautiful blend. The S. are pinky lilac shot with grey and the F. are metallic blue on grey. A very smooth, rounded flower of extremely heavy substance. 3 ft. 35c; 3 for \$1.00

BERKELEY BRONZE-You'll find this has a lovely form; tall, with a smooth finish. S. copper bronze, F. deep mahogany. Free BLUE VELVET-A beautiful flower aptly named. Well branched. Carries fine big blooms. A vigorous grower, 30-inch. Late BRONZINO—Standards frosty golden bronze, falls rich coppery bronze-a color combination of great character and richness. Ideal low branching, leathery sub-stance, domed standards, large flowers. \$1.50 ea.

CALIFORNIA GOLD-The deepest large flowered yellow. You'll vote this the near-est to perfection of any deep yellow. 35c; 3 for 70c.

CHINA ROSE-Colors exquisitely blended; blooms are the most orchid-like of any Iris. Orchid-rose warmed by a bronze undertone at the bottom of the standards. 35c; 3 for 70c.

COPPER LUSTRE-The first of the real coppers to be introduced. A giant, subdued copper with undertones of fawn and magenta, the whole overlain with a golden iridescence and petals rubbed smooth as a polished copper bowl. .... 50c; 3 for \$1.25

COPPERSMITH—Fine large flowers of velvety coppery-red. One of the best. 42-inch. 25c; 3 for 50c.

CRIMSON KING-A popular variety-color a vivid shade of crimson purple. Blooms several times each year. 24-inch. 15c; 3 for 30c.

DAY DREAM-S. pale iridescent lilac, faintly suffused bronze yellow. Yellow beard and reticulations. F. lilac pink. 20c; 3 for 40c.



### All Iris Are Postpaid

DAUNTLESS-One of the reddest of Iris, DEPUTE NOMBLOT-Blooms enormous, with wide spreading falls. Color light glowing rosy-purple overlaid a bronzy gold. Deep orange beard......25c; 3 for 50c DESERT GOLD-A light yellow deepening toward the center of the flower. Good size, well branched and of unusual sub-DOGROSE-An unique lavender pink Iris. Very tall and striking in a clump. A pro-lific bloomer with many flowers to each shading yellow at the base. Broad flaring F. are lilac and gold. Intense red-orange DREAM-A "dream" of a soft pink-toned EASTER MORN-Pure sparkling white, with a satiny sheen and a glowing yellow center. A strikingly beautiful flower. 35c; 3 for 70c.

EL CAPITAN-Probably the finest flower of this type. Large, perfect blooms, heavy in substance, carried on a candelabrum stalk. Flaring F. Very floriferous. Color is a light violet or manganese violet. 25c; 3 for 50c.

ELEANOR BLUE-Soft campanula blue with a flush of deeper chicory blue in the center of F. Soft brown haft and prominent yel-EROS-A fine flower characterized by iridescent shades of near-pink with warm yellow haft and beard, giving a definite gar-den effect of salmon pink. Silky texture. As many as 12 flowers on a 38-inch stem! 36-inch. Was 75c. Reduced to

50c ea.; 3 for \$1.00

FRIEDA MOHR-The flower stems average 48" in height, the blooms measure  $6\frac{1}{2}$ from top of S. to tip of F. Luminous orchid pink, blooms over a long period.

25c; 3 for 50c.

GAYNELLE-One of the earliest flowering yellows, making a brilliant mass of pale yellow intermediate of fine form and habit. Considered the very best of the deep toned early blooming yellows. 26".

35c; 3 for 70c.

GOLDEN LIGHT—A seedling of Euphony with the distinctive form and size of that lovely ruffled variety. The difference lies in the rich orange-cinnamon color. 35c; 3 for 70c.

HAPPY DAYS-Breath-taking in its startling beauty, this sensational yellow has created more interest than any of its kind ever in-troduced. Blooms measure 7" from top to bottom and are a clear deep yellow, F. be-ing slightly darker than S. The flower ing slightly darker than S. stalks carrying seven or eight huge blooms. 25c; 3 for 50c.

INDIAN CHIEF-A fine red Iris. S. beautiful violet red, F. velvety dark red. Fine form, good placement. Plant strong and vigorous......25c; 3 for 50c IRIS KING—Also listed as King of Iris which indeed it is; S. golden yellow; F. velvety garnet, edges yellow..25c; 3 for 50c

JUNALUSKA-One of the finest novelties, a unique blend of red, copper and rose. You'll treasure this garden flower with its glowing copper-red effect. Perfect in size, height and form. 38-in......50c; 3 for \$1.00 KING MIDAS—An extremely beautiful variegata blend. S. golden buff flushed brown; F. red-brown, edged buff. The orange beard contrasts well with the blended colors.....25c; 3 for 50c LODESTAR-One of the last to flower; this bright combination of glittering yellow S. and very dark brownish F. will be a real highlight in your garden. 30 in. 35c; 3 for 70c.

LOS ANGELES-Great white flowers of fine substance. S. are faintly edged blue with the blue style arms adding a note of clear 



Rialgar

MARQUITA—Huge flowers of creamy yellow with falls heavily lined rose-pink, blending into a water-color wash at the end of the petals. 36 in.

35c; 3 for 75c

MARY GEDDES-One of the warmest toned iris, with salmon S. and semi-flaring salmon F. tinged Pompeian red ......25c; 3 for 50c



ABBREVIATIONS A	AND DEFINITIONS	
S.—STANDARDS—the	upstanding petals.	

- F.-FALLS-the three lower petals. BICOLOR-Standards of one shade and
- falls of another. BLEND-A suffusion of several colors.
- PLICATA—A light colored Iris the edges of which are dotted or lined with α deeper color.

SELF--The color is uniform throughout. VARIEGATA—Yellow standards and red-dish brown falls.



### All Iris Are Postpaid

MELDORIC - Flowers of blue-black, and very large. Gold beard. Good habit and MIDGARD-S. and F. yellow shaded pink. A lovely blend with general effect a glow-with the growing habits of Dauntless, one of the parents. The shade of this one is quite distinct and it surely has every attribute that one could wish for in a perfect flower. Midseason, 48 inches.

### 75c ea.; 3 for \$1.50

MISSOURI-A very fine rich blue having a smooth, enamel-like finish. Standards clear vivid blue; falls slightly darker. Mid-season to late . MONNIERI (BEARDLESS)—Tall with long slender leaves. Flowers large and of deep golden yellow. You'll find them grand for cutting. Does best in moist rich soils. Blooms after the bearded Irises.





### Sir Michael

NATIVIDAD-Standards and falls are creamy white with the center lighted with clear soft yellow concentrated at the base of the standards and falls. The substance and texture are unusually good. 35c; 3 for 70c.

NEON—S. bronzy gold, F. velvety carmine. Beard, bright gold. A luminous color com-

bination which attracts immediate attention. 

### HELPFUL HINTS ON IRIS CULTURE

HELPFUL HINTS ON IMIS COLLIDAE Iris may be plonted at any time in Cali-fornia and in the East whenever the ground isn't frozen. The Iris increases by new shoots forming from eyes or buds at sides of the division. Set roots 12 to 20 inches apart, according to room. The closer they are set the sconer they will need to be taken up, divided and reset. Cover the roots only an inch or so. They like to be near the surface. Keep watered for a few weeks until new growth starts. If no rain, see that the ground doesn't dry out too much.

NATOMA-An unusual, free bloomer you'll like for your garden. S. bronze, F. soft coral red. Glowing old rose—a flower that wears well. Well branched. 36 in. 35c; 3 for 70c.

OCHROLEUCA (BEARDLESS) A tall growing variety, one of the most glorious of Irises. The blooms are creamy white with a golden yellow center...... 25c; 3 for 50c PADRE-The dominating color is the rosy purple of the silky falls flushed bright blue. As many as ten blooms to a spike. 40". 25c; 3 for 50c.

PERSIA—Large blooms have F. that are a blend of bluish lavender; S. iridescent steel blue. Brown half and yellow beard. PINK JEWEL-An exceedingly "warm" pink, popular among garden lovers. Standards and falls are a bright pinkish lilac with falls overlaid with glowing tourmaline pink. One of the few satisfactory varieties in this shade......25c; 3 for 50c PINK OPAL-An ethereal, feminine flower of opulent rounded form; in color a serenely chaste tone of light orchid pink. Easily one of the most beautiful of the pink irises. Large and tall and a very easy grower PINK SATIN—A delightful light pink with a smooth and soft satiny finish. Distinct from others of its color class. 46 in. 25c; 3 for 50c.

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DAUNTLESS-One of the reddest of Iris, producing a most effective clump in the DEPUTE NOMBLOT-Blooms enormous, with wide spreading falls. Color light glowing rosy-purple overlaid a bronzy gold. Deep orange beard......25c; 3 for 50c DESERT GOLD-A light yellow deepening toward the center of the flower. Good size, well branched and of unusual sub-stance..... DOGROSE-An unique lavender pink Iris. Very tall and striking in a clump. A prolific bloomer with many flowers to each ...35c: 3 for 70c shading yellow at the base. Broad flaring F. are lilac and gold. Intense red-orange 20c: 3 for 40c beard..... variety. 38-inch..... EASTER MORN—Pure sparkling white, with a satiny sheen and a glowing yellow center. A strikingly beautiful flower. 35c; 3 for 70c.

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FRIEDA MOHR-The flower stems average 48" in height, the blooms measure  $6\frac{1}{2}$ from top of S. to tip of F. Luminous orchid pink, blooms over a long period. 25c; 3 for 50c.

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INDIAN CHIEF-A fine red Iris. S. beautiful violet red. F. velvety dark red. Fine form, good placement. Plant strong and which indeed it is: S. golden yellow; F. velvety garnet, edges yellow..25c; 3 for 50c

JUNALUSKA-One of the finest novelties. a unique blend of red, copper and rose. You'll treasure this garden flower with its glowing copper-red effect. Perfect in size, height and form, 38-in.......50c; 3 for \$1.00 KING MIDAS-An extremely beautiful variegata blend. S. golden buff flushed brown; F. red-brown, edged buff. The orange beard contrasts well with the blend-.25c: 3 for 50c ed colors..... LODESTAR-One of the last to llower; this bright combination of glittering yellow S. and very dark brownish F. will be a real highlight in your garden. 30 in.

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MARQUITA-Huge flowers of creamy yellow with falls heavily lined rose-pink, blending into a water-color wash at the end of the petals. 36 in.

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MARY GEDDES-One of the warmest toned iris, with salmon S. and semi-flaring salmon F. tinged Pompeian red ......25c; 3 for 50c

THE "POOR MAN'S ORCHID" BECOMES EVERYBODY'S FAVORITE

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BICOLOR-Standards of one shade and falls of another.

BLEND-A suffusion of several colors. PLICATA—A light colored Iris the edges of which are dotted or lined with a deeper color.

SELF-The color is uniform througbout. VARIEGATA-Yeltow standards and reddish brown falts.

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MELDORIC - Flowers of blue-black, and very large. Gold beard. Good habit and branching. Hardy everywhere. Mid-sea-son. 30-in..... MIDGARD-S. and F. yellow shaded pink. A lovely blend with general effect a glowing pink. 36 inches. ......25c ea; 3 for 50c MISS CALIFORNIA-Gigantic lilac pink, with the growing habits of Dauntless, one of the parents. The shade of this one is quite distinct and it surely has every attribute that one could wish for in a perfect flower. Midseason, 48 inches.

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"An Apple a Day Keeps the Doctor Away" BELLFLOWER — Very large; oblong. Smooth, pale lemon yellow skin with juicy, crisp flesh and a slightly tart flavor. October.

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Valmore Apple

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BING—A valuable market and shipping cherry. Large size, firm fruit, heart-shaped and regular. Smooth, glossy, deep maroon skin. You'll like the sweet flavor. June.

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DERBY ROYAL—A decidedly improved variety. Large fruit, heavy bearing. Probably the most satisfactory from every angle. ROYAL—A standard variety; dull yellow

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ROYAL GOLD-(See Color Picture, Page 81.)



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BROWN TURKEY—Large, long fruit of excellent quality. Purple color turning deeper as it matures. Rich strawberry red meat. Very sweet and juicy.

**KADOTA**—Medium sized with thin, white skin, white to pink pulp. One of the best for canning, preserving and pickling.

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GOLD MINE—Its great red and yellow fruits, with juicy white flesh, exceptional flavor and quality, make it among the most beautiful of all Nectarines. August.

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QUETTA—The large, highly-colored red fruit is exceptionally beautiful with unusually firm flesh. Because of this, it has great commercial value. A good home fruit as well. Late July.

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### PLUMS

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MARIPOSA—(See Color Picture, Page 81.) RED SANTA ROSA— A new variety in deep red with a late ripening date. A good shipper and useful in extending your season. July.

SANTA ROSA—You'll regard it as one of the best Japanese types. Very large. Deep purplish crimson with pale blue bloom. Yellow flesh, streaked and shaded crimson. June.

SATSUMA — Large, nearly round fruit; solid dark red color from skin to pit. Firm, juicy; flavorful. Very small pit. Extremely productive. August. WICKSON—Very large; yellow, overlaid

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### PRUNES

### 4-6 foot size 65c ea.; 10 for \$5.50 Have a dish for breakfast?

FRENCH IMPROVED—By far the leading prune in California, and unexcelled in quality. Medium size, dark blue fruit; tender skin; flesh of fine texture; rich and sugary. August-September.

SUGAR — A particularly fine variety for Southern California. Dark purple, oval, very large and sweet. July.

TRAGEDY—Large, dark purple; yellowish green meat; rich and sweet. Use them on your table. July.

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AUSTRALIAN SAUCER—Obtains its name from its peculiar flattened shape. Small, white skin, red cheek. White flesh, sweet and delicious. One of the best peaches for the hot interior.

BABCOCK—(See Color Picture, Page 81.) C. O. SMITH—A large variety with juicy, richly flavored white flesh. A steady producer not subject to the delayed foliation in mild climates which results in a loss of crop. Splendid for your home orchard.

CURRY — A delicious freestone, gaining popularity as a market Peach of excellent quality. Ripens early during the late summer lull, when no other good Peach is on the market. Beautiful, round, large, yellow fruits with a red cheek. Very good for home growing. Late August.

EARLY CRAWFORD—Large, yellow peach of good quality. Its size, beauty and productiveness make it one of the most popular varieties for your home consumption and commercial planting. July.

EARLY ELBERTA — An early variety of the popular Elberta; ripens two weeks earlier and bears the same quality of delicious fruit. Early August.

EARLY IMPERIAL — This variety is the leading yellow freestone for commercial and home use. Medium size fruit with small pit; yellow skin, shaded with crimson. Rich firm yellow flesh. Late June to July.

ELBERTA—Very large. Golden yellow skin where exposed to the sun. The yellow flesh is juicy, rich, sweet and splendidly flavored. The tree is very prolific. A perfect freestone and one of the most successful market varieties. August.

GOLDEN BLUSH-(See Color Picture, Page 80.)

GOLDEN JUBILEE—Resembles the Elberta in shape, with a yellow skin blushed with red. The richly flavored, juicy, tender flesh makes very good eating. Ripens with Babcock and a tree or two of each will yield fruit to please the whole family. July.

J. H. HALE—Smooth skin, almost fuzzless. Very firm, yellow freestone; tender flesh of excellent quality. Larger than the Elberta and ripens about the same period. August. MILLER'S LATE—A very satisfactory late variety of large size and fine flavor. Flesh is firm, juicy, and yellow in color. Probably the latest to bear. October. RIO OSO GEM. (PATENT NO. 84)—This

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4 to 6-foot trees, 75c; 10 for \$6.50

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**PEAK'S CLING. (PALORA)**—There is no better mid-season cling than this large fruited variety. Clear yellow skin with yellow flesh. A heavy bearer. Late August.

SIMS—Very large, roundish fruit. Golden yellow with a faint blush. Deep yellow flesh; of fine texture. Late August.

STRAWBERRY CLING — Large yellow, striped with red. White flesh, red around pit. A heavy and uniform bearer. September.

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2-3 foot size 40c ea.; 10 for \$3.50

WONDERFUL—The largest and most attractive variety. Rich garnet pulp with an abundance of juice, dark as port wine; exquisite flavor. Very valuable to you if you ship.

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4-6 foot size \$1.10 ea.; 10 for \$10.00 FUYU—A new variety rapidly becoming a commercial leader. Medium size fruit of deep red color is never astringent.

HACHIYA—Very large, oblong. Conically pointed toward the apex. Bright red skin with occasional dark spots or blotches. Deep yellow flesh, soft and jelly-like when ripe.

THE NEW JUMBU PERSIMMON — (See Color Picture, Page 81.)

### QUINCE

4-6 foot size 65c ea.; 10 for \$5.50 PINEAPPLE—Large, smooth fruit, globular in shape. A high quality variety with unsurpassed pineapple flavor. Becoming very popular as a commercial shipper.

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NON PAREIL—A beautiful tree of weeping style growth. An extraordinary heavy and regular bearer. Very thin shelled nuts. TEXAS PROLIFIC—Medium size nut; shells well filled. A very heavy and regular bearer. Of great value in pollenizing.



### 4-6 foot size \$2.00 ea.; 10 for \$17.50 Unless otherwise noted

CALORO—Very large, long and tapering. You can crack and separate them from the shell easily and perfectly. The tree is the most handsome of all Pecans, tall and slender, with beautiful large foliage.

MAHAN—The world's largest Pecan. Mahans are far ahead of all others in size, appearance and earliness of bearing. We strongly recommend their planting. Orchards can begin to produce very satisfactory crops in five or six years. 4 to 6-foot size \$3.50 each.

NELLIS—Thrives and bears especially well in the coastal districts of California. The long, thin-shelled nuts shell out easily.



ELBERTA PEACH

4-6 foot size \$1.50 ea.; 10 for \$12.50 6-8 foot size \$1.75 ea.; 10 for \$15.00

EUREKA—Large, oblong, soft shell, tightly sealed. Vigorous growing, blight resisting; blooms late.

**PAYNE SEEDLING**—This outstanding producer and early bearer possesses an exceedingly large nut, with a thin shell and high quality kernel.

PLACENTIA—A favorite in Southern California. Soft shell, large white meats of excellent quality. You'll want some for their shade. · · · · ·

## PPLES

4-6 foot size, 65c ea.; 10 for \$5.50 Unless otherwise noted

"An Apple a Day Keeps the Doctor Away" BELLFLOWER — Very large; oblong. Smooth, pale lemon yellow skin with juicy, crisp flesh and a slightly tart flevor. October.

DELICIOUS --- Large, uniform, long and tapering. Yellow skin with a crimson cheek on the sunny side. Fine grained white flesh. Juicy, crisp, sweet, slightly tart. All the name implies. November.

IONATHAN-Medium size, roundish and oval. Bright red skin, dark to almost hlack on the sunny side; flesh a delicate cream with a faint touch of red. October.

VALMORE-(Pat. 238). The hig round fruit of the Valmore is magnificently colored, with underlying golden yellow striped and blotched with scarlet yellow on one cheek. Flavor is sweet and the fruit is very juicy. We recommend this variety very highly for Southern California conditions.

4-6' Trees 90c each.

WINESAP-You'll never tire of this standard late red apple, round, beautifully colored, and of splendid quality. December. WINTER BANANA - Large, handsome fruits in clear wax yellow with a delicate blush. A delightful flavor and aroma. September.

TRANSCENDENT CRABAPPLE-A beautiful Siberian crab variety; large, red and yellow from a remarkably strong growing tree.



Valmore Apple

### CHERRIES

4-8 foot size, 65c ea.; 10 for \$5.50 Why not make life "just a bowl of (Germain's) Cherries?"

BING-A valuable market and shipping cherry. Large size, firm fruit, heart-shaped and regular. Smooth, glossy, deep marcon skin. You'll like the sweet flavor. June.

BLACK TARTARIAN-Bright purple hlack with purple flesh. Thick, juicy, rich and delicious. A remarkably vigorous, erect growing tree. June.

ENGLISH MORELLO - The standard late, red-juice, sour cherry. A superior variety and excellent for canning. Large, dark red fruit. June.

RICHMOND (PIE CHERRY)-Red; tart. Perfect for your cooking. Productive. July. ROYAL ANN-A magnificent cherry of the

largest size; yellow, with a bright red cheek. Firm, juicy and sweet. July.



PEARS

4-6 foot size 65c ea.; 10 for \$5.50

BARTLETT-Large; smooth. Clear yellow.

White flesh. Juicy, huttery and highly

perfumed. The most popular local variety.

This early variety has no peer for market-

DWARF BARTLETT-Trees of 8 ft. maxi-

mum height. This dwarfing causes an

almost immediete bearing of immense

SECKEL-Small; regularly formed. Yellow

with russet red cheek; cream colored flesh.

Rich, spicy, unusual flavor. Exceis all

others in quality. October. WINTER NELIS—The finest winter variety

produced. Medium size round fruit. Yel-

lowish skin, cream colored flesb, rich

PLUMS

4-6 foot size 65c ee.; 10 for \$5.50

MARIPOSA-(See Color Picture, Page 81.)

RED SANTA ROSA - A new variety in

deep red with a late ripening date. A

good shipper and useful in extending your

season. July. SANTA ROSA—You'll regard it as one of

the best Japanese types. Very large. Deep purplish crimson with pale blue

bloom. Yellow flesh, streaked and shaded

SATSUMA — Large, nearly round fruit; solld dark red color from skin to plt. Firm,

julcy; flavorful. Very small plt. Extremely

WICKSON—Very large; yellow, overlaid

with glowing carmine with a white heavy

bloom; flesh firm, sugary, delicious; pit

small. Remarkable for long keeping.

PRUNES

4-8 foot size 65c ea.; 10 for \$5.50

Have a dish for hreakfast?

FRENCH IMPROVED-By far the leading

prune in California, end unexcelled in

quality. Medium size, dark blue fruit;

tender skin; flesh of fine texture; rich and

SUGAR --- A particularly fine variety for

Southern California. Dark purple, oval,

TRAGEDY-Large, dark purple; yellowish

green meat; rtch and sweet. Use them on

sugary. August-September.

very large and sweet. July.

your table. July.

crops, considering their small size.

ing or canning. August.

sweet julce. December.

crimson. June.

August.

productive. August.

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### PRICOTS

4-6 foot size, 65c ea.; 10 for \$5.50 DERBY ROYAL-A decidedly improved variety. Large fruit, heavy bearing. Probably the most satisfactory from every angle. ROYAL-A standard variety; dull yellow skin, orange cheek. Pale orange flesh; firm and juicy, with a rich vinous flavor.

July. ROYAL GOLD-(See Color Picture, Page 81.)

### FIGS

4-6 foot size 65c ea., 10 for \$5.50

BROWN TURKEY-Large, long fruit of excellent quality. Purple color turning deeper as it matures. Rich strawberry red meat. Very sweet and juicy.

KADOTA-Medium sized with thin, white skin, white to pink pulp. One of the best for canning, preserving and pickling.

MISSION (CALIFORNIA BLACK) - Wellknown local variety; large, dark purple fruit, almost hlack when fully ripe. Excellent for drying. Midsummer.

WHITE ADRIATIC-Very large, long, yellowish-green fruit with a short neck. Bright red flesh. Excellent quality.

## NECTARINES

### 4-6 foot size 85c ea.; 10 for \$5.50

BOSTON-Large, hright yellow freestone with red cheek. Yellow flesh, sweet and pleasant flavor. The leading nectarine. August.

GOLD MINE-Its great red and yellow fruits, with juicy white flesb, exceptional flavor and quality, make it among the most beautiful of all Nectarines. August.

GOWER-You'll find it perfect for bome and commercial planting. Fruit very firm, freestone, and splashed with crimson. Delicious flavor. Very early. July.

STANWICK - Almost globular, often as large as a peach; pale skin, greenish-white, sbading into deep rich violet in the sun; white flesh, tender, juicy and dellcious. August and September.

QUETTA--The large, highly-colored red fruit is exceptionally beautiful with unusually firm flesh. Because of this, It has great commercial value. A good home fruit as well. Late July.

### IMPORTANT | PLEASE READ |

Please note that all prices listed on this and the following page are at Los Angeles and it will he necessary to include postage or express charges for shipments. In general the addition of 15% to the amount of your order will be sufficient. In small quantities all deciduous fruits may be shipped parcel post but in quantities of 10 or more we recommend express as being cheaper and more satisfactory. Citrus and tropical fruits such as orange or avocado trees must go vig express. must go via express.

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4-6 foot size 65c ea.; 10 for \$5.50 Unless otherwise noted FREE-STONE VARIETIES

AUSTRALIAN SAUCER-Obtains Its name from its peculiar flattened shape. Small, white skin, red cheek. White flesh, eweet and delicious. One of the hest peaches for the hot interior.

BABCOCK-(See Color Picture, Page 81.) C. O. SMITH-A large variety with juicy, richly flavored white flesh. A steady producer not subject to the delayed foliation in mild climetes which results in e loss of crop. Splendid for your home orchard.

CURRY - A delicious freestone, gaining popularity as a market Peach of excellent quality. Ripens early during the late summer lull, when no other good Peach is on the market. Beautiful, round, large, yellow fruits with a red cheek. Very good for home growing. Late August.

EARLY CRAWFORD-Large, yellow peach of good quality. Its size, heauty and productiveness make it one of the most popular varieties for your home consumption and commercial planting. July.

EARLY ELBERTA - An early variety of the popular Elberta; ripens two weeks earlier and hears the same quality of dellcious fruit. Early August.

EARLY IMPERIAL - This varlety is the leading yellow freestone for commercial and home use. Medium size fruit with small plt; yellow skin, shaded with crim-son. Rich firm yellow flesh. Late June to July.

ELBERTA-Very large. Golden yellow skin where exposed to the sun. The yellow flesh is juicy, rich, sweet and splendldly flavored. The tree is very prolific. A perfect freestone and one of the most successful market varieties. August.

GOLDEN BLUSH-(See Color Picture, Page 80.)

GOLDEN JUBILEE-Resembles the Elberta in shape, with a yellow skin blushed with red. The richly flavored, juicy, tender flesh makes very good eating. Ripens with Babcock and a tree or two of each will yield fruit to please the whole family. July.

J. H. HALE-Smooth skin, almost fuzzless. Very firm, yellow freestone; tender flesh of excellent quality. Larger than the Elherta and ripens about the same period. August.

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MILLER'S LATE-A very satisfactory late variety of large size and fine flavor. Flesh is firm, juicy, and yellow in color. Probably the latest to bear. October.

RIO OSO GEM. (PATENT NO. 84)-This splendid new peach is somewhat similar in appearance to the famous J. H. Hale but ripens two weeks later. Very large, round. Brilliant dark crimson shading out to orange-red. The flesh is yellow, firm, and has the finest flavor of any Peach you ever ate. Keeps well. August.

4 to 6-foot trees, 75c; 10 for \$8.50

### CLINGSTONE VARIETIES

4 to 6-foot trees, 75c; 10 for \$6.50

PEAK'S CLING. (PALORA)-There is no hetter mid-season cling than this large fruited variety. Clear yellow skin with yellow flesh. A heavy bearer. Late Au-

SIMS-Very large, roundish fruit. Golden yellow with a faint hlush. Deep yellow flesh; of fine texture. Late August.

STRAWBERRY CLING -- Large yellow, striped with red. White flesh, red around pit. A heavy and uniform bearer. September.

## POMEGRANATE

2-3 foot size 40c ea.; 10 for \$3.50 WONDERFUL-The largest and most ettractive variety. Rich garnet pulp with an abundance of juice, dark as port wine; exquisite flavor. Very valuable to you if you ship.

## PERSIMMONS

4-6 foot mize \$1.10 ea.; 10 for \$10.00 FUYU-A new variety rapidly becoming e commercial leeder. Medium size fruit of deep red color is never astringent.

HACHIYA-Very large, oblong. Conically pointed toward the apex. Bright red skin with occasional dark spots or blotches. Deep yellow flesh, soft and jelly-like when

THE NEW JUMBU PERSIMMON - (See Color Picture, Page 81.)

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### ORANGES

1/2" to 3/4" caliper \$1.75 ea.; 10 for \$15. Unless otherwise noted.

NAVEL—The world-famous California orange. Large fruit, seedless, juicy, sweet and highly flavored. Ripens in November for your winter use.

VALENCIA—Sharing the popularity of the Navel, it often brings the highest prices. Ripens after the Navel. Medium size fruit, few seeds, tender, sweet and delicious. May to October.

ROBERTSON-Navel. (See Color Page 80.)

SEEDLESS VALENCIA (Patent No. 124)— The Seedless Valencia has all the qualities of the ordinary Valencia, but is sweeter, richer flavored, smoother skinned, bears very heavy crops and has the added advantage of being seedless. Occasional seeds are so few that finding one is a rare occurrence.

Two-year trees \$2.85 each.

### EMONS

 $\frac{1}{2}$ " to  $\frac{3}{4}$ " caliper \$1.75 ea.; 10 for \$15 EUREKA—This is the most popular variety. Almost thornless, practically seedless. Fruit of even size and splendid quality. Beautiful foliage and abundant shade make this tree ideal for your yard.

MEYER DWARF LEMON—This semi-dwarf Lemon is being extensively planted throughout most of California because it is quite hardy, much more so than any other lemon. The tree starts to bear shortly after planting, producing large oval fruit of excellent appearance and quality. The fruit is identical in its uses with any other lemon. Two-year trees, \$2.25 each; 10 for \$20.00.

Gallon Containers, 85c each.

### GRAPEFRUIT

<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" to <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" caliper \$1.75 ea.; 10 for \$15. MARSH'S SEEDLESS — Extra large, nearly seedless. A very fine flavor. Best of all grapefruits. This strong grower and heavy bearer will keep you bountifully supplied.

### LIMES

<sup>1</sup>/2" to <sup>3</sup>/4" caliper \$1.75 ea.; 10 for \$15.00. Unless otherwise noted.

MEXICAN — These are the strongly acid green fruits of small size you've seen in soda fountains. The old standard variety. A semi-dwarf tree, ripening fruits all through the year. \$2.25 each; 10 for \$20.00. SWEET—While the fruits of this variety have the characteristic lime flavor the juice is so sweet that you may use it without sugar. Large and juicy.

### TANGERINE

<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" to <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" caliper \$1.75 ea.; 10 for \$15. DANCY—Very popular Mandarin variety. Orange red skin; juicy sweet meat; few seeds. Vigorous and prolific.

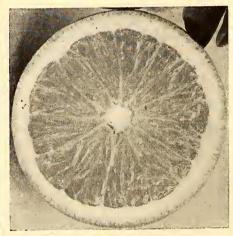


4-5 foot size \$2.50 ea.; 10 for \$22.50.

DUKE—Oval thin skinned green fruit which looks like a small Fuerte. This variety is extremely hardy and will grow in districts where other varieties are a failure. Ripens September and October.

FUERTE—Smooth skin of greenish color; high percentage of oil. One of the standard winter ripening varieties so famous for their excellent flavor.

RYAN—Medium size pear shaped fruit. A heavy and consistant bearer of enormous crops. Tree is exceptionally vigorous. Ripens May to October. Green fruit.



Seedless Valencia Orange

### GRAPES

### THE NEW GOLDEN MUSCAT

GOLDEN MUSCAT—The golden green skin envelopes a light flavorful flesh. Vigorous growing, heavy bearing in most regions, it yields large, handsome berries in big loose bunches. 35c each: 10 for \$3.00. Postpaid.

### AMERICAN VARIETIES

25c ea.; 10 for \$2.00; \$15 per 100. Postpaid. CONCORD — Black color, with a bluish bloom, borne profusely in medium sized bunches. The Concord does well in California, except in the regions of extremely hot summers, and has the delicious flavor you enjoy so much. August.

### **GRAPE VINES**

### FOREIGN VARIETIES

20c ea.; 3 for 50c; \$1.75 doz. Postpaid.

BLACK HAMBURG—A popular home vineyard variety suitable for your arbor. Has large bunches of coal black round berries, firm, juicy, sweet and rich.

BLACK MONUKKA — Elongated seedless fruit of medium size in large clusters; thin, almost black skin, with sweet, juicy and tasty flesh. Early.

BLACK MUSCAT (Muscat Hamburg)—You'll agree that these large black berries have the richest flavor of any Grape we grow, exceeding even the Muscat of Alexandria. It will be your favorite. August.

EMPEROR — Large clusters of big, oval, rose-colored berries. You can ship them long distances. Do not ripen well near the coast. Late.

FLAME TOKAY — Very large bunches; large berries. Thick pale red or flame colored skin; firm, sweet flesh. You'll find it a splendid shipping grape. Medium.

LADY FINGER (Rish Baba)—The grape is large, fully two inches long, never too close. Long, olive-shaped, greenish amber berries, slightly brown on side exposed to the sun. Firm with a neutral flavor. Late.

MALAGA—Strong growing vine and immensely productive. Very large loose shouldered bunches with large, oval, yellowish green berries. Thick, fleshy skin, Early.

MUSCAT—Large, long and loose bunches. Large berries slightly oval, pale amber when ripe. The firm brittle flesh has an exceedingly sweet, rich flavor you'll enjoy. Medium.

RED MALAGA—Deep red color with blue bloom. Unusually delicious flavor. Excellent shipping qualities. Fine for home storage. Medium.

RIBIER (Gros Guilliaume)—Extra large berries on medium sized bunches. Intense blue-black color. The flavor and beauty will please you even more than its prolific bearing. Medium.

THOMPSON SEEDLESS—This favorite seedless grape, widely planted for raisins and market, is ideal for home growing. Very large bunches of small, greenish-yellow berries, sweet and mild, Early.

ZINFANDEL — Large, compact bunches; round dark purple berries covered with a heavy bloom. You can grow them easily in almost any climate. Medium.



... these are and vigorous growers!

All Items on This Page Postpaid

### LOGANBERRIES

The fruit is large, long, and of attractive red color. Although it is slightly sour, you will prize it highly for jams and jellies and for mixing with raspberries and other berries in jams and preserves. Plant six feet apart in rows six feet across. Prices, Prepaid-Each, 15c; 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.50; 50 for \$4.00; 100 for \$5.50.

NEW THORNLESS LOGANBERRY - See Color Picture, Page 80.)

### SPBER

LLOYD GEORGE—A heavy yielder the fruit is of the highest quality and in im-mense clusters. If planted in February it produces some fruit the first summer and fall. The cavity left when the berry is picked is smaller than in other varieties which makes the fruit heavier. The flesh is very juicy and the seed is small. Prices, Prepaid-Each 15c, 10 for S1.25, 25 for \$2.50, 50 for \$3.50, 100 for \$5.00.

### BLACK RASPBERRY

Prices Prepaid-Each 15c, 10 for \$1.25, 25 for \$2.50, 50 for \$4.00, 100 for \$5.50,

Well adapted to Southern California conditions. The largest and finest flavored Black Raspberry you have ever seen, never dry and seedy.

### AWBERRIES

KLONDYKE-The fruit is highly flavored and good quality, not overly sweet. Ripening season in California from April until July, being two distinct crops, one following immediately after the other. It is a vigorous grower and good plant maker. Prices-25, 50c; 100, \$1.50; 300, \$3.50; 500, \$5.00; 1000, \$7.00.

MASTODON EVERBEARING-Mastodon is a large berry. Produces a good crop the same summer it is planted. While it produces enough runners to get new plants it never makes enough to be troublesome. The fruit is of good quality and is pro-duced continuously through the summer and fall. Prices—25, 75c; 50, S1.40; 100, \$2.50; 300, \$6,00; 500, \$8.00; 1,000, \$14.00.

ROCKHILL-It is absolutely the finest flavored of all the ever-bearing kinds. You will be astonished and delighted at the quantity, flavor and size of the berries only a few months after planting. Do not make runners. Prices, Prepaid-10, S1.00; 25, \$2.00; 50. \$3.00; 100, \$5.00; 1000, \$35.00.

DORSETT-(See color picture, page 80.)

### GOOSEBERRY

GOOSEBERRIES-OREGON CHAMPION-Medium large, round, fine quality. Productive and free from mildew. Excellent for pies. Each 25c, 10 for \$2.00, postpaid.



GREEN GLOBE-Grows to a height of three to five feet with numerous branches, the roots should be set about five feet apart. 25c each, \$2.00 for 10, postpaid.

### SPARAGUS

MARY WASHINGTON-A variety that has come to the front, grows very large and is very rust-resistant. 10 for 40c; 25 for 75c; 50 for \$1.25; 100 for \$2.00; \$14.00 per 1000, postpaid.

PARADISE-(See Color Picture, Page 81).



HORSERADISH-Grows best where it can be supplied with abundant moisture all through the growing season. 2 for 25c; \$1.00 for 10, postpaid.

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GIANT CHERRY-Stalks of large size and excellent flavor. One of the prime favor-ites in Rhubarb. Large divisions. 35c each; \$2.50 for 10, postpaid.

### Save \$1.00 on Germain's Complete HOME GARDEN STRAWBERRY COLLECTION

This assortment will produce continuously for you from April to November. 100 Fine Strawberry Plants. 25 Rockhill ...... 2.00 Catalog Price \$4.00

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Four varieties of the most popular berry vines which will give you enough fruit for the average home. If you plant this collection you will have berries over a longer period.

- 5 Macatawa Blackberries
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### BLACKBERRIES

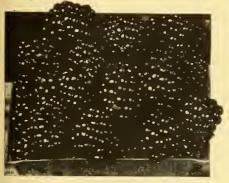
BRAINARD BLACKBERRY-This berry, developed by the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, has been hailed by many prominent growers as one of the most prolific. Plant 10' apart in rows 8' across. You need only four plants for each 40' long row. Ripen late summer when others are gone.

Prices Prepaid-Each 15c, 10 for \$1.25, 25 for \$2.50, 50 for \$4.00, 100 for \$5.50.

MACATAWA BLACKBERRY (Macatawa Everbearing) — A really luscious, sweet blackberry. Bush type requiring no support after the first season. The fruit is uniformly medium size, very sweet, and firm, with few seeds and practically no core. It bears an exceedingly heavy crop through June and July and usually another light crop of very large berries in the fall. Plant 5 feet apart in rows 8 feet across. Prices, Prepaid-Each 15c, 10 for S1.00, 25 for \$2.00, 50 for \$3.00, 100 for \$4.50.

BOYSENBERRIES-(See Color Page 80)

CURRANT PERFECTION - Good quality; bright red; flavor rich, mild and sub-acid; exceedingly productive. You'll want this variety for the excellent jelly you'll be able to make. Each 25c, 10 for \$2.00, postpaid.



A Basket of Youngberries OUNGBERR

Prices Prepaid-Each 15c, 10 for \$1.25, 25 for \$2.50, 50 for \$3.50, 100 for \$5.00. The fruit is very large and juicy, with a rich blended flavor you'll pronounce delicious. Very dark red color, nearly black. Seeds are few in number and soft. The vines are vigorous growers; trailing in habit and should be trellised. The fruit is borne on long fruit stems that thrust it away from the vines ready to be picked. Plant 6 feet apart in rows spaced 6 feet apart.

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### BARFOOT ROTENONE SPRAY

Controls garden insects on ornamental plants. Easy-to-use. 1 teaspoon added to water makes 1 gallon of solution.

1 oz. 35c, 4 oz. \$1.00, 8 oz. \$1.75, pint \$2.50, qt. \$4.50, gal. \$15.00

BARFOOT FUNGICIDE

Controls mildew and leaf curl and can be used as a multi-purpose garden fungicide. I teaspoon added to water makes I gallon of solution.

1 oz. 25c, 4 oz. 75c, 8 oz. \$1.25, pt. \$2.00, qt. \$3.50, gal. \$10.00

BARFOOT NEUTRAL SPREADER

1 teaspoon added to both spray and fungicide insures proper distribution and penetration.

1 oz. 15c, 4 oz. 35c, 8 oz. 65c, pt. \$1.00, qt. \$1.75, gal. \$4.50

### ANTROL PRODUCTS

SNAROL METALDEHYDE—Arsenical Bait—A prepared meal to broad-cast on the ground for the control of snails and slugs. Will not deteriorate from rain and is non-injurious to vegetation. 1 lb. 25c; 2½ lbs. 50c; 6 lbs. \$1.00; 10 lbs. \$1.50; 50 lbs. \$5.50.

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DED NICOTINE APHIS SPRAY-For Aphids, Leafhopper and Thrips, 2 fluid oz., 25c.

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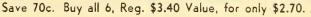
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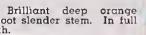
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Golden Blush Peach

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A berry twice the size of the Youngberry (by actual count it took 35 Boysenberries per basket while the Youngberry needed 70 to fill)—a berry that has the succulence and flavor of the best Blackberry you ever ate together with the tang of the Raspberry and a suggestion of the Loganberry. Whether eaten fresh, canned, in jam or jelly, or in pies and tarts it is absolutely superior in every way to any other berry arown. berry grown.

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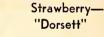
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Boysenberry





The Dorsett is very productive, early and of very large size. The quality is very good, being firm, of good appearance, a splendid keeper and superior in flavor to most other berries. For home use, if you contemplate planting only one Strawberry variety, then it should be Dorsett.

Prices Prepaid-25 for 75c, 50 for \$1.25, 100 for \$2.00; 1000 for \$8.00

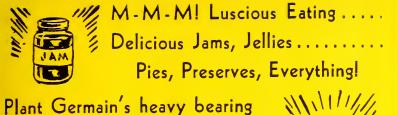
### BERRY COLLECTION 25 Dorsett Strawberries 5 Boysenberry Tips 5 Thornless Loganberries A \$2.45 value for..... -S1.95

Strawberry-Dorsett



Thornless Loganberry





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FRUIT TREES



### Non-puckering JUMBU PERSIMMON

A new, non-puckery, large fruited persimmon. Somewhat similar to Fuyu, but much larger and is the finest and largest non-astringent variety. The fruit is good to eat either hard or soft after it has begun to turn color. The tree is a sturdy grower and makes a beautiful sight in the fall when the tree is covered with the brightly colored fruit.

4-6' Tree \$1.35 each 10 for \$12.50-F.O.B. Nursery

### BABCOCK PEACH

The most important feature of the Babcock is that it will bear a crop every year regardless of winter temperature. Most peaches whenever we have a very mild winter, react uniavorably and do not set a normal crop and in many instances will not leaf out until late in the summer. Babcock ripens early, in the latter

NEW PARADISE ASPARAGUS For Greater Yield

### and Unusually Mild Flavor

The introduction of Paradise asparagus marks the greatest advancement in asparagus since the Washington varieties were introduced several years ago. The biggest factors in favor of Paradise are that it produces much heavier crops and the flavor is greatly improved.

If you are raising asparagus for profit, you should investigate this variety, for if you can double your tonnage with no more expense than a little additional for plants, you can easily see what it will do to your profits.

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part of June, is white fleshed, freestone, has a beautiful red cheek, and is of exceptionally high quality, being sweet, juicy, and richly flavored. If you can plant only one peach tree, plant the Babcock.

4-6' Trees 65c ea.; 10 for \$5.50-F.O.B. Nursery

### The New ROYAL GOLD APRICOT

Probably as fine an addition to the fruit tree list as any that has been introduced in the past few years. A sport of the Royal variety it has the distinct advantage of being the first apricot on the market with the same size, quality, and sweetness as the Royal. It will come in bearing in May with a heavy crop of the most delicious apricots you have ever eaten.

### 4 to 6 foot 75c ea.: 10 for \$6.50-F.O.B. Nursery

### Big Blood-Red MARIPOSA PLUM Plant Patent No. 111

A new Blood Plum so much of an improvement over the Satsuma that, you can rest assured, it will rapidly supplant that old favorite. Large, round, and maroon red fruit deep red flesh all the way through, honeylike sweet, and with abundant juice, yet quite firm. Truly a fruit of magnificent flavor with no bitterness to either skin or pit.

### 4 to 6 foot 90c each-F.O.B. Nursery

Royal Gold Apricot





Jumbu Persimmon



Babcock Peach

### FRUIT TREE COLLECTION

In this collection we offer one each of the following trees: Jumbu Persimmon, Babcock Peach, Royal Gold Apricot and Mariposa Plum.

A \$3.65 Value for \$2.95 F.O.B. Nursery

### Mariposa Plum



Paradise Asparagus



### Germain's Charlotte

Armstrong Patent No. 455

### Charlotte Armstrong

(left) Patent No. 455

New! Exciting! Best by Expert Test!

Patent No. 455 Patent No. 455 The extremely long, pointed buds of spectrum-red, open to flowers of spectrum-red with a yellow base. The plants have abundant, very mildew-resistant foliage and are extremely vigorous and free-branching. The un-believably long buds open to flowers varying in size from 31/2 inches to as much as 6 inches in diameter. The open flowers are unusual not only because of their brilliant coloring but be-cause the petals are edged with a silver line and in the center of the flower are arched first inward and then outward in such a unique fashion that the flower has a very high centered appearance and seems to have more petals have a catually present in the flowers last nearly as long when cut full blown as they do in the bud stage-a period of several days'

\$1.50; 3 for \$3.75

### The Chief

(left) Patent No. 456

Patent No. 456 This new Rose has amazed observers with its extremely long, gigantic buds, and the delightful form and rich color of its blooms. The color of the bud varies with the weather from deep rose to flame, opening to a magnificently full flower of flame, coral and copper, changing to a beautiful shade of orange-pink as the flowers age. The blooms are borne singly on exceed-ingly long stems, with plenty of thick, heavy, lasting petals, and best of all, they have a rich fruit fragrance which few Roses can equal. \$1.00 each: 3 for \$2.25

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California (lower left) Patent No. 449

Patent No. 449 We regard this sensational novelity as outstanding among the numerous varieties contrib-uted to the Rose world. The color is a glorious shade of ruddy orange toned with saf-fron yellow, with the exterior of the broad petals overlaid with Saturn rose—a dual tone effect of indescribable richness and beauty. Buds long and pointed, flowers of enormous size, reaching a diameter of five to six inches.

\$1.50; 3 for \$4.00

### ALL AMERICAN

**ALL-AMERICAN** 

**ROSE WINNERS** 

All-America Rose Selections are grown in four-teen official test gardens over the country. Each is under the care and all-season judgment of an accredited Rose judge and grower, who watches the half dozen plants of each entry or trial through one whole year and the following spring and summer blooming periods, a so-called two-year test. Highest scoring kinds, averaged over the two-year period in all the test gardens, are recommended by the Rose Council for All-America introduction.

### 1942 ALL AMERICAN COLLECTION "D"

Plant in your garden the All America Winners pictured on this page. One each Charlotte Armstrong, The Chief, California and Heart's Desire. Specially priced at \$4.50, postpaid.

© Patent No. 456 The Chief (below)



(C) Patent No. 449 California (below)







Heart's Desire (Pat. Rights Res.) (below)

This variety was awarded the Gold Medal by the All America Rose Selections Committee for

the best rose in the All America Trials for the year 1941. Heart's Desire with its great red blooms that have the most exquisite fragrance will be a rose that will eventually find its way into every rose garden in America. The bush is an extremely vigorous grower and unlike so many other red roses the blossom is not affected by the hot sun, and the color remains the same until the petals fall. For fragrance alone this variety should be your first choice this year. Remember it has size, length of stem, color, vigor and as we have said before fragrance that is unexcelled.







Apricot Queen

Dickson's Red

World's Fair

### Grow the Roses Judged Finest for Gardens Everywhere Germain's 1942 ALL-AMERICAN ROSES

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Apricot Queen Patent No. 466

Orange and apricot at the base of the petals, merging to salmon-rose and phlox-pink in the fully de-

veloped bloom is descriptive as to color of this glorious new rose. A good strong grower, with handsome, leathery foliage and perfectly formed

buds and open bloom. S1.50; 3 for S3.75



Dickson's Red Patent No. 376

A glowing scarlet-red Rose from the Emerald Isle. The ripe warmth of its color is constant. Happily, also, it is rich in the fragrance you in-

it is rich in the fragrance you instinctively expect in a red Rose. If the sun has been cruel to your reds, here is a "must have" for your list—it defies the hottest sun's rays with color undimmed. The blooms are produced singly on long, strong stems; it will be your favorite red Rose for cutting.

S1.00 ea.; 3 for S2.50



World's Fair Patent No. 362

Furnishes a continuous display of color from late spring until frosts stop the performance. Ideal,

bushy plants just about hide themselves under the clusters of large velvety blooms of blackish scarlet, the fragrant petals surrounding a flowing mass of golden stamens. A very large-flowered Floribunda.

S1.00; 3 for \$2.50

## NEW

Climbing Flash (below) Patent No. 396

FLASH is a climbing or pillar Rose, reaching six or eight feet, and about the brightest flower in the garden. Flash opens a

gleaming orange-scarlet, the most vivid of any pillar Rose, and olive-green, leathery ribbed leaves make a grand setting for such brilliant flowers, and fiery buds of chrome-yellow suffused with scarlet.

### \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50

Climbing Flash—is the most vivid Pillar Rose



1942 ALL AMERICAN COLLECTION "E"

One each of the All-American Winners: Apricot Queen, Dickson's Red, World's Fair, and Climbing Flash. A \$4.50 value specially priced at \$3.60 postpaid.

### 1942 ALL AMERICAN COLLECTION "F"

One each of the eight All American Winners: pictured on Pages 82 and 83 and one each of Mrs. Sam McGredy and McGredy's Scarlet, ten in all complete for S9.25 postpaid.

### Not All-Americans-But True Champions You'll Love.

### Mrs. Sam McGredy.

A wonderful and beautiful combination of shades of scarlet and coppery-orange and heavily flushed on the outside of petals with Lincolnred. One of the most outstanding roses today. 75c. McGredy's Scarlet. A splendid garden Rose. The finely formed bud is dull red and opens slowly into a magnificent bloom of rose red. Plant is vigorous and very free flowering. Fine for cutting. 50c ea.







Santa Anita

SANTA ANITA—Pat. Rights Reserved. A new variety introduced this year which we believe will become one of the most popular pink roses. Color is an even shade of pink which is pro-duced lavishly as this variety is very free-flowering. **\$1.50 Each: Three for \$3.75.** 

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### HYBRID TEA ROSES

**Guaranteed to Bloom First Season** 

### FIESTA Plant Patent No. 389

Dazzling is the only word that describes this remarkable variegated Rose. The color scheme consists of stripes and flecks of bright yellow on a background of rich vermilion. The flowers nestle in dark green, glossy foliage of large size and make a great show on the plant, as well as providing most unusual cut flowers. You and your friends will exclaim over this bizarre yet daintily colored Rose when it blooms in your garden. **\$1.50 each: 3 for \$3.75.** 

### CLIMBING BLAZE

### "Everblooming Paul's Scarlet" (Plant Patent No. 10)

It is a marvelous, hardy, ever-blooming scarlet-red climbing Rose combining the bloom and growth of Paul's Scarlet Climber with the ever-blooming character of Grus an Teplitz. A vigorous grower and seldom out of bloom. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

### SIGNORA Plant Patent No. 201

This Rose from the land of sunshine and Chianti wine is a real masterpiece in both plant and bloom. Long bud of a warm burnt sienna opening to a lighter hue toward mandarin. The plant is tall growing, with every bloom on a long stem. Foliage is handsome. Indispensable to those who grow Roses mainly for cutting. (Colle Oppio Gold Medal.)

### \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50

### MARY HART Plant Patent No. 8

This is a worthy red sport of the great Talisman Rose. Like its parent it is upright in growth and produces blooms in great abundance. The bud of this widely popular variety is maroon-red, and it opens to a wellformed, fragrant bloom of deep and velvety blood-red with an overglow of amber—a shade of red unique among Roses. A remarkable feature is the total absence of yellow. **85c each: 3 for \$2.15.** 



Climbing Blaze

COLLECTION "L" One each of Santa Anita, Fiesta, and Signora roses, described and pictured on this page. \$4.00 Value for \$3.25, Postpaid

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Mary Hart

**Choose from every** 

gorgeous color you love!

## **Germain's ROSES**

White! Yellow! Pink! Orange! Red!

### WILL ROGERS Patent No. 256 (right)

Named in honor of a great American, the late Will Rogers. Dark velvety crimson in color. Strong and luxuriant in growth, this rose will be cherished in thousands of American gardens where it will serve fitly to commemorate the name of the man in whose honor it was named.

\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50

### R. M. S. QUEEN MARY Patent No. 249

We believe this to be a really outstanding new rose. The blooms are a combination of vivid colors; very double flowers of rich glowing salmon and pure pink, with orange at the base of the petals. Flowers come singly on long strong stems. Steady bloomer.

\$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50

### ECLIPSE Patent No. 172

The international sensation, awarded prizes in Rome, Paris, and other test-gardens. The long, stream-lined bud, enhanced by ornamental sepals, is of rich gold without shading. Petals are large and tough, but not numerous, averaging 20 to 25, with more in the autumn. S1.00 each: 3 for \$2.50

> ETERNAL YOUTH Patent No. 332

The perfectly formed buds are long pointed, colored a beautiful soft pink with yellow at the base of each petal. Half-open, the flowers retain their high center and their rich pink color. The full-open flowers are comfortably double and expose a large center of graceful, deep yellow stamens and there are always some flowers available. We consider this the long-desired pink Rose.

\$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.00

### McGREDY'S IVORY

This variety is creamy ivory white, remarkably lovely and delicate in texture, which turns to a very clear white as it opens. The buds are just about as perfect as roses can be and the flowers possess a light damask perfume.

65c each

McGredy's Ivory



Eclipse (Par. No. 172)

Will Rogers

## ALL COLOR COLLECTION

This collection includes every favorite color. One each of the five varieties pictured on this page. Regular catalog value if purchased separately \$4.90

Collection Price: \$3.95



Eternal Youth (Pat. No. 332





Contrast



### CONTRAST

One of the most exquisite roses introduced in many years. A bicolor that is startling in its contrasting tones with the upper surface a soft rose and the under side white with a gold suffusion at the base of the petals. The stems are exceedingly long which makes this variety one of the finest cutting roses offered. This variety is particularly outstanding in the fall of the year as the color is more intensified. You will like this novel rose in unusual flower arrangements! Plant several bushes for abundant bloom!

### \$1.00 each-Three for \$2.50

A \$5.00 Value



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### HECTOR DEANE (Patent No. 361)

A radiant newcomer from Ireland which accommodates itself happily and vigorously to our conditions. So fragrant is this Rose that a single plant scents the whole garden with true old Rose scent. The bud is crimson with a suggestion of orange in the depths, the orange diffusing as it opens, leaving at the heart only a clear circle of yellow. A valuable garden rose and a cut flower of surprising beauty!

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ROME GLORY (Patent No. 304) A most robust and vigorous plant, producing in quick succession long stems bearing large, crimson-red buds opening into full, well-formed, fragrant, cerisered blooms. The flowers are long-lasting on the plant or when cut. In form it recalls one of its parent plants, the Dame Edith Helen. It has the same fullness and beautiful bud formation, and might well be described as the red Dame Edith Helen. The robust bushes are clothed in glossy, rich green foliage, forming a perfect setting for the numerous glowing red blooms.

### \$1.25 each-Three for \$3.15

### GOLDEN DAWN

A magnificent rose of Australian origin. An ideal garden rose of great merit. Color is an exquisite shade of light lemon yellow and at certain seasons of the year the outer petals are flushed light red. Buds are extremely large and are well carried on long stiff stems. Plant is very bushy and the foliage is shiny deep green. Blooms last a long time when cut. An artistic flower which lends itself to happy color effects with orange, salmon or apricot shades.

50c each

### COUNTESS VANDAL (Patent No. 38)

Golden Dawn-Yellow

bronze

Countess Vandal—Copper

This rose has been enthusiastically received by rose lovers everywhere. Its long pointed bud, its distinctive shading of coppery bronze, suffused with soft gold, and its form are a continuous "movie" de-veloping new beauty at all times during its long life. One of the most popular roses, because of its beauty as well as its abundant bloom and vigorous, healthy growth. Do not miss this one, it's one of our best!

### \$1.00 each-Three for \$2.50





Countess Vandal 86

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### CRIMSON GLORY (Patent No. 105)

This beautiful, vigorous and free flowering rose has proved to be one of our very best dark reds. The plants branch freely producing wellspread yet compact bushes of good symmetry. The large orange-shaped buds open to flowers of intense deep and vivid crimson shaded with deep red. Foliage is plentiful and spaced closely on the stems which are long and exceptionally strong.

\$1.00 each-Three for \$2.50

### McGREDY'S SALMON (Patent No. 410)

Delightfully fragrant flowers are a begutiful shade of apricot-pink and are produced bountifully on a sturdy vigorous bushy plant. Stems are long foliage is dark green and buds are beautifully shaped. A distinct addition to the famed list of McGredy Roses.

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### COLLECTION "R"

Four beautiful varieties that you will be proud to plant in your garden. CRIMSON GLORY-Crimson.

McGREDY'S SALMON-Salmon PEARL BUCK-Orange-yellow.

McGREDY'S SUNSET - Yellow and red

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### PEARL S. BUCK Patent Applied For

Pointed buds of glowing orange softening to a deep yellow tinged with apricot in the open flower. Blooms are exceedingly fragrant and are produced on long stems which are excellent for cutting. Bush is a tall upright grower with dark leathery foliage. We are sure you will like this variety

S1.50 each - Three for \$3.75

Pearl S. Buck

### COLLECTION "S"

One each of the six varieties pictured on this page; all are exceptionally fine for cutting and will make a welcome addition to any collection of roses.

Postpaid Price: \$5.25 You Save \$1.00 on This Collection

### McGREDY'S SUNSET (Patent No. 317)

As gorgeous as California's most beautiful sunset. The outside of the petals is a clear buttercup yellow tipped with orange while the inside is chrome yellow flushed with scarlet. An extremely vigorous bush and very free-flowering S1.25 each-Three for S3.00

### TALISMAN

A combination of shadings of gold, apricot, yellow and old rose. The outside of the petals is bright yellow, golden pink. As the flower develops they be-come bright apricot, gold and deep rose pink. This variety is one of the most widely planted. Its constant variations in blended color shadings bring new delight to the garden each day. 50c each.

MRS. E. P. THOM

We believe this to be the best yellow bedding rose we have today. A continuous free bloomer throughout the season Full double flowers of deep yellow without any shadings. This variety is probably the most widely planted of all the yellows and is especially valuable in California gardens, blooming abundantly and continuously from early · spring until late fall

50c each.



Crimson Glory



McGredy's Salmon



McGredy s Sunset

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Talisman

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SEA SHELL—A large, well formed, full petalled flower having a lovely and delicate shell-pink color. Plants of this variety grow especially fine, becoming large and very bushy. Stems are long and stiff, but not brittle. The calyx does not split at any time and flowers keep for a long period when cut. This variety has become very popular with Eastern growers. 35c postpaid.



RIGOLETTO—A lovely new crimson developed by one of America's foremost hybridists. Our experience indicates that it will prove equal or superior to any other crimson now grown. The flowers are large and beautifully formed, the plants are heavy producers and keep a long time when cut. In addition it has a delightful fragrance that will appeal to all. 35c postpaid.



DARK PINK MAYTIME—We believe that we have in this variety one of the finest deep pink sorts ever introduced. The flower is beautifully formed, is symmetrical and measures from three to three and one-half inches across. The stem is long and stiff, the plants growing rapidly and producing their blooms very freely. This variety keeps exceptionally well when cut. 35c postpaid.



PIRATE GOLD—Basic color of this beautiful variety is light sulphur yellow. Tips of each petal beautifully and distinctively marked with deep amaranth purple. The stems are stiff and extra long and the plant is exceptionally vigorcus and free flowering. The percentage of perfect blossoms that this variety will produce is well above the average. Delicate fragrance. 35c postpaid.



BLAZE—A beautiful spectrum red. Large high centered flowers on straight stiff stems. This variety blooms continuously and keeps exceptionally well when cut. The plants are low and bushy and we consider this variety far superior to Spectrum Supreme, as it will produce many more flowers throughout the season, and in addition the color is non-fading. 35c postpaid.



BARBARA BRIGHAM—A beautiful light apricot with pink pencilings. The form, size of blooms and habits of growth could hardly be improved upon. This color combines perfectly with any other flower. A splendid keeper, producing a very high percentage of perfect flowers. We recommend this variety very highly. Long extra strong stems. 35c postpaid.