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DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE

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PRICE LIST.



H. S. ANDERSON,

[SUCCESSOR TO FARLEY & ANDERSON,]

CAYUGA LAKE NURSERIES,

[Established 1855.]

UNION SPRINGS, N. Y.

N. B.--Those who have not received Catalogue No. 4, may have it mailed, Post-paid, on application.

CONDITIONS OF SALE, Etc

TERMS CASH, with order, or before shipment, unless by special agreement. No goods sent C. O. D., unless accompanied by one-fourth amount of order. A DISCOUNT of 10 per cent. on all orders at list rates, accompanied with the cash before October 15th. REMITTANCES should be made by draft on New York city, Money Order on Union Springs, N. Y., or by Registered Letter, at my risk, and cost of either may be deducted from amount sent, when over one dollar.

Prices herein are for the quantities named, but six of a kind may be ordered at dozen rates, 50 at 100 rates, 500 at 1000 rates. Parties wishing larger quantities than those named are requested to correspond for special rates, and for any information they may need.

No Charge for careful packing and delivering at Express office, R. R. station, or Steamboat dock.

Shipping Directions should be plainly and fully written, stating if goods are to be sent by freight, express, or mail, and above all be careful to sign your name, giving P. O., County and State, and express or freight office to which goods are to be sent. When no directions are given we forward by what we consider best route, but will not be responsible for any errors or delays which may occur in this way. We would, however, advise shipment of all large orders, except strawberry plants, by fast freight, as that is much cheaper than express.

TO MY FRIENDS AND PATRONS.

In the following price list please note carefully changes in prices of some varieties, and also the addition of what I consider the most promising of the many new ones that are now being offered for the first time. Where I have been unable to get plants of these novelties for testing in advance, I have made arrangements for what I shall need for Fall trade, either from the originators or parties who have control of the original stock. I expect to have in fruit the coming season about 70 varieties of Strawberries, 20 varieties of Raspberries, 6 varieties of Blackberries, 12 varieties of Currants, 3 varieties of Gooseberries, 25 varieties of Grapes, as well as some of the larger New Fruits, including Champion and Rea's Mammoth Quince, Kieffer's Hybrid, President Drouard, Souvenir du Congress and Belle de Beaufort Pears, about thirty varieties of Peaches, etc., etc., all of which I shall be pleased to show my customers and friends in their proper season.

My Stock is all young, strong, well-grown, and I think will be found SECOND TO NONE. Especial pains has been taken to keep it PURE, and all varieties will be carefully labeled TRUE TO NAME. Mistakes will sometimes happen in spite of all precautions, and I desire to be informed of such AT ONCE that all may be made right.

Shipping Facilities.—Union Springs is on the Cayuga division of the Geneva, Ithaca and Sayre railroad (branch of the Lehigh Valley railroad), by which road we have direct connection with the N. Y. C. and H. R. R. R., thus giving us unsurpassed facilities for PROMPT, CHEAP and SAFE shipment North, South and East, and to all points in the West and Southwest by the Merchants Despatch Transportation Company, without incurring the extra transfer charges of expensive forwarding agencies. The American Express Company has an office here, through which we can ship to all points in the United States and Canada.

H. S. ANDERSON.

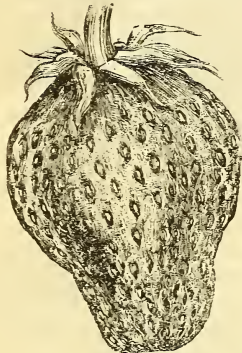
CAYUGA LAKE NURSERIES,
October 1, 1881.

Union Springs, Cay. Co., N. Y.

STRAWBERRIES.

VARIETIES AND PRICES.

Plants will be mailed postpaid at dozen rates, 20 cents per 50, 30 cents per 100, in addition to regular rates. None mailed at 1,000 rates.



THE BIDWELL.

This new Strawberry is a seedling of the old Virginia Scarlet, originated with M. B. Hathaway; it is a native of Michigan, and therefore derives its vigor, beauty and flavor from our best native stock. The plant is a very vigorous grower, forming large stools, and is immensely productive; berries are very large, rather long, conical, sometimes irregular in shape, but generally very uniform; color, bright glossy crimson; of the finest flavor, and very firm. Season, early to medium.

It fruited with me this year for the first time and I can fully endorse what has been said in its favor.

I quote below the opinions of some of the leading fruit-growers and horticulturists:

“Again for the third season the Bidwell takes the lead of anything on my place, averaging as large as the Sharpless, more productive than Wilson or Crescent, of a bright glossy crimson—the true strawberry color—very firm and meaty in texture, and best of all, delicious in flavor. On one potted plant set last August we counted 122 berries. E. P. ROE.”

“The Bidwell is of great promise, even from the late potted plants put out in August. MARSHALL P. WILDER.”

“The most productive of all varieties, of very fine flavor, very uniform in shape, averaging large to the last, of a bright, glossy crimson color, often with a glazed neck and in form much like a bell-shaped pear, early as the Duchess, flesh solid and meaty.

CHARLES DOWNING.”

“The Bidwell thus far promises to quite fulfill the expectations I had formed of it. At this time it promises to yield a larger crop of fruit than any other variety I have in my collection. It is of so good a quality that I hope it may prove to be adapted to general cultivation, which it now seems to promise, for my soil, compared with yours, is very light.

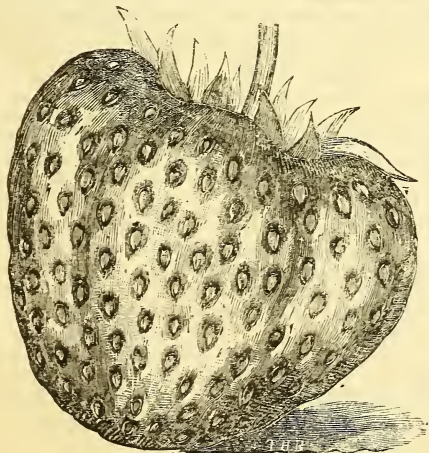
June 1, 1881.

PETER B. MEAD.”

Layers, 75 cents per dozen; \$3 per 100.

THE JERSEY QUEEN.

A new sort of great promise, originated by E. W. Durand, who has sent out a large number of fine varieties, and he gives as his opinion that it is not only by all odds the best variety he ever sent out, but by far the best in cultivation. Its lateness is a most valuable quality, it being fully two weeks later than the Bidwell. Mr. Peter B. Mead says in the Rural New Yorker: “The fruit of the Jersey Queen is the nearest approach to the ideal strawberry that I have yet seen. The berry is very large, broadly conical, and the color a fine shade of scarlet. The flesh is firm and melting and is full of a rich vinous juice with a deliciously spicy aroma. It ripens late, is very productive and a stocky grower. It may be added that the berries run uniformly large. I have no hesitation in adding the pomological quality—BEST.” Price, \$2 per dozen; \$12 per 100.





THE MANCHESTER.

A new variety now offered for the first time, is a chance seedling found on the grounds of a Southern New Jersey fruit-grower about ten years ago, who has since grown it largely for market, having several acres of it in bearing, and shipping it to the New York market, where it has commanded the highest prices. The plant is a strong grower, free from rust and enormously productive, more so than any other variety, fruit large, smooth and regular in shape, of the finest flavor; color, handsome, glossy scarlet. It is even firmer than that old standard of firmness, Wilson's Albany; blossom pistillate; season medium to very late.

The following statement of the originator has been fully endorsed by a large number of competent and experienced nurseryman and fruit-growers who have visited it in its home the past season:

"As compared with Wilson's Albany it averages one and a half times the size; is of much better flavor; far more attractive, with its bright scarlet color, and finer in appearance. The plant is double the size and far more vigorous; it carries the fruit higher from the ground; the yield is one-half more, it is equally as firm."

An experienced commission merchant says:

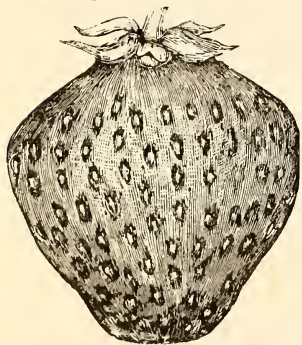
"I having sold the Manchester for several years and in quantity for the past three years, do hereby certify that from its large size, bright color, fine appearance and firmness, it invariably commands high prices. Further, it keeps its color the best of any berry I have ever handled, and stands up well. I do not hesitate to 'keep it over' and have at different times, when there was a glut in the market, kept it over until the second day, when it would present a fine appearance and sell readily at better prices than could possibly have been obtained when it came into market."

C. W. IDELL, Commission Merchant,

333 Washington street, New York.

\$1.50 per dozen; \$8 per 100.

MOUNT VERNON.



One of the most promising of the newer varieties. It is a seedling originating in New Jersey, where it has received a great deal of praise. It is a strong, healthy grower, enormously productive, said to have produced 300 bushels of fruit per acre. It blossoms very late, thus being less liable to injury from late frosts. Berries are very large, moderately firm, of fine color and excellent quality. It sold last season at from 15 to 30 cents per quart, the average for the season being 19 cents per quart. Ripens late. 50 cents per dozen; \$1.50 per 100.

Oliver Goldsmith. Said to be a seedling of Seth Boyden, and by some considered equal to or better than that well-known and much esteemed variety, the plant being more vigorous and productive. The fruit resembles Seth Boyden so closely in size, shape and appearance that they were at first supposed to be identical. 75 cents per dozen; \$4 per 100.

THE PRIMO.



This new and highly praised variety is now offered to the public for the first time. It has been well tested for a number of years and seems destined to take high rank in the list of strawberries. It is of large size very prolific and hardy, and of the best flavor. Plant a strong grower, flowers staminate; season medium to late.

Mr. Peter B. Mead, one of our best authorities on small fruit, said last year: "The past season has not been a favorable one for forming an opinion of a strawberry, but judging from its performance this season, we should not hesitate to place the Primo on the list of very promising new kinds."

July 18th, 1881, Mr. Mead says: "The Primo has done even better with me this season than last, and my good opinion of it has been confirmed instead of weakened. With me it ripens about the time of Duchess." \$2 per dozen; \$10 per 100.

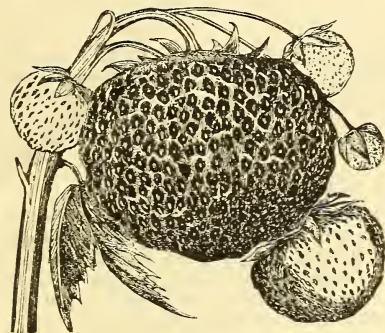
Mr. Charles Downing says: "The Primo is one of the firmest berries I have eaten this season." On a former occasion Mr. Downing said- "Its quality is best."

Gipsy. (P) A fine flavored, beautiful berry; medium in size, hardy, and with good culture very productive. \$1 per dozen; \$5 per 100.

Glossy Cone. Large and beautiful, but rather inferior in quality. 75 cents per dozen; \$2 per 100.

SENECA QUEEN.

Being the first in the trade to disseminate this berry, and having grown it for several years myself, besides seeing it grown very largely for market in this and adjoining counties, I have no hesitation in saying that it is unsurpassed by any of the older or newer sorts as an early market variety, or for home use, and from all parts of the country comes confirmation of this opinion. The plant is a remarkably strong, vigorous grower and enormously productive; fruit of large size and remaining so to the last picking, very uniform, of shape shown in engraving (from a photograph), color dark red, and of very fine quality. A little soft for long shipment by rail, but firm enough for near-by market or transportation by boat.



N. B.—This variety is entirely distinct from Seneca Chief, which from all accounts has proved generally worthless.

A few years ago I sent a few plants to Rev. E. P. Roe, who now writes of it as follows: "One of the most productive and remarkable looking berries I have ever seen. The plants literally covered the ground with fruit that was of a very dark crimson when fully ripe. It deserves a place in every collection, and is so wonderfully prolific that I think it will prove profitable. In the opinion of nearly all my visitors during the present season, it stood next to the Bidwell in general promise. In flavor it is very good and has but few equals for a home berry and near market."

From H. H. Farley, Union Springs, N. Y.: "I consider the Seneca Queen one of the very best strawberries in cultivation. Plant vigorous, healthy and wonderfully productive. With me it gives as many quarts as Crescent Seedling when fertilized, of very large dark crimson berries. Quality very good; as firm as Sharpless; brings more than any other sort in market."

A large fruit grower of Suffolk county, L. I., says: "The Seneca Queen strawberry plants I received of you four years ago, and I have found it to be the best berry I ever tried, berries averaging large to the last. I have over one acre. It has a bright future."

I have many other testimonials which lack of space prevents me from publishing. I have a very large stock of fine, strong plants which I offer at the following rates:

Per dozen, 50 cents; per 100, \$2; per 1,000, \$15.

SPECIAL OFFER.

I will send one dozen strong layer plants of each of the nine foregoing sorts by mail post-paid on receipt of \$3, or one-half dozen of each for \$4.50.

	Doz.	100.	1,000.		Doz.	100.	1,000.
Black Giant.....	\$ 75	\$3 00		Longfellow.....	\$ 75	\$2 00	
Cetywayo.....	50	1 00		Marvin.....	75	2 00	
Crystal City.....	50	1 00	\$4 00	President Lincoln..	50	1 00	
Kerr's Prolific....	50	1 00	4 00	Warren.....	75	2 00	

RASPBERRIES.

If to go by mail, add 20 cents to the price per dozen; 40 cents to the price per 50, and 75 cents to the price per 100.

Cuthbert. This splendid berry still continues to grow in favor, and now stands at the head of the red market varieties. For description and illustration see page 5, Catalogue No. 4. Price, 75 cents per dozen; \$3 per 100; \$18 per 1,000. Special rates on larger quantities.



CAROLINE.

This new variety is a yellow-cap raised from seed of Brinckle's Orange, and is supposed to be a hybrid between that variety and the old Yellow Cap. In quality it is nearly equal to Brinckle's Orange, very productive and perfectly hardy. Too soft for shipment, but one of the best for home use. \$1.50 per dozen; \$5 per 100.

Gregg. Now acknowledged by all to be by far the best black-cap in general cultivation, and as an evidence of its great popularity it may be stated that for the past two years the supply of plants fell far short of the demand. For full description and illustration see pages 5 and 6, Catalogue No. 4. My stock of this variety is very large and fine. Price, 75 cents per dozen; \$3 per 100; \$22 per 1,000.



EARLY WELCH.

A new variety that promises to be valuable for market on account of its extreme earliness. Having been fruited for six years it has established a reputation for early ripening, ripe berries having been picked as early as June 7th. Though not large, its hardiness and vigor, combined with firmness, productiveness and beautiful color, will undoubtedly insure its being largely planted for market. Price, \$5 per dozen, \$30 per 100.

Ohio. This comparatively new black-cap has been grown for a number of years in Western New York, and wherever fully tested has been planted more largely than any other sort. One large drying establishment, who have grown it largely, last year added 16 acres to their plantation, having found it to yield one-third more dried fruit than either Gregg or Mammoth Cluster, while it is equally vigorous and productive. Price, 75c. per dozen; \$2 per 100; \$15 per 1,000.

Highland Hardy. Very hardy, enormously productive, exceedingly firm and ripens very early, which renders it valuable as a market variety. If kept perfectly clear from suckers, it will average good size and prove very profitable. A Hudson river fruit-grower wrote me this summer that he made more money from the FIRST PICKING of Highland Hardy than from all other varieties ripening later. Price, 50 cents per dozen; \$1 per 100; \$8 per 1,000; \$25 per 5,000.

BLACKBERRIES.



If to go by mail, add 20 cents per dozen, 40 cents per 50, 75 cents per 100 to the price given.

SNYDER.

A full description of this berry is given on page 6, Catalogue No. 4. It has lost none of its popularity the past season, but still continues to give excellent satisfaction.

Price, 75 cents per dozen; \$2 per 100; \$16 per 1,000.

TAYLOR'S PROLIFIC.

Taylor's Prolific, like the Snyder, is fast growing in popularity. It has never been known to kill, even during the severest winters, and besides possesses the great merit of being enormously productive, of large-sized, sweet and fine flavored berries.

Price, 75 cents per dozen; \$2.50 per 100; \$20 per 1,000.

For descriptions and prices of other sorts see Catalogue No. 4.



CURRANTS.

If to go by mail add 20 cents per dozen, 40 cents per 50, 75 cents per 100 to the prices given. None but one year plants sent by mail.

Having an unusually large and superior stock, I am able to make a considerable reduction from prices of my spring list, and am prepared to make special inducements to large planters. For description see page 6, Catalogue No. 4.

Cherry. One year, 50 cents per dozen; \$3 per 100; \$25 per 1,000. Two years, 75 cents per dozen; \$4 per 100; \$35 per 1,000. **Versailles, White Grape, White Dutch and White Gondoin** same price as Cherry.

Lee's Prolific. Black, one year, 75 cents per dozen; \$4 per 100. Two years, \$1 per dozen; \$6 per 100.

Black Naples. One year, 50 cents per dozen; \$2 per 100. Two years, 75 cents per dozen; \$2.50 per 100; \$20 per 1,000.

GOOSEBERRIES.

Postage same as for Currants.

Houghton. I have a very large stock of this well-known variety. Price, one year, 50 cents per dozen; \$2.50 per 100. Two years, 75 cents per dozen; \$3.50 per 100.

Smith's Improved. One year, 75 cents per dozen; \$4 per 100. Two years, \$1 per dozen; \$6 per 100.

NEW GRAPES.

Postage on 1-year vines 20 cents per dozen; 50 cents per 50; \$1 per 100. 2-year vines, one-third more. Single vines, postpaid, at one-tenth of the price per dozen, except where otherwise stated.

Brighton. A rather new but popular sort. Bunch large, compact, shouldered. Berry medium to large, deep red, very sweet, rich and high flavored. Vine vigorous, hardy and productive. Price, 1-year, \$2.50 per dozen; \$15 per 100; 2-year, \$3.50 per dozen; \$20 per 100.

Duchess—My great Specialty. Bunch medium to large (often 3 inches long), handsomely shaped, shouldered, compact. Berry medium, round, of a greenish white in color, and clings to the stalk with great tenacity; skin thin, translucent, and very firm; flesh tender, without pulp, and in flavor will rank as best. Ripens between the Delaware and the Concord. Foliage healthy. Vine very productive, and perfectly hardy, has stood unprotected with mercury $24\frac{1}{2}$ degrees below zero, without injury to the buds. For further information in regard to this grape see special circular. Price, 1-year \$1.25 each, \$12 per dozen; 2-year \$2 each, \$15 per dozen.

Early Victor. A new extra early black grape of great promise, originated in Kansas. I can do no better than give the following description of the originator:

"In offering this new grape to the public, I will state that after eight years of fruiting it is found to possess those most important qualities, perfect hardiness, healthfulness, great vigor and enormous productiveness, without the least sign of mildew on leaf or fruit, or bursting of fruit, when ripe, after heavy rains (to which most kinds are subject); bunch and berry medium size, tender, sweet, rich and pure flavored; berry round, black, covered with fine blue bloom, making a very handsome, compact and attractive bunch. It ripens very

early, quite two weeks before the Concord and one before Moore's Early, the quality far superior to either. It also makes a fine high-flavored wine of great excellence.

"It is being tested in ten different States, accounts from all of which show its very healthy and vigorous growth. It has fruited in Missouri, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Connecticut, and proves entirely successful. I have no doubt it can be grown anywhere where grapes can be grown successfully, and is the grape for the million."

"I regard the Early Victor, as far as tested, as the best and most promising early black grape that I have ever seen. I have grown it four years and fruited it twice. It has always made a good and perfectly healthy growth, with strong, thick, native foliage of the *Labrusca* type; in quality rich, pleasant and sprightly, with small seeds and very little pulp; fine flavored, without astringency or coarseness; it shows no tendency to fall from the cluster when over-ripe. It is very early in ripening, I believe earlier than Hartford, or Moore's Early, or any other black variety I have grown.

Delaware, Ohio.

GEORGE W. CAMPBELL.

Highland. A hybrid between Concord and Jura Muscat. A very large showy sort, single clusters having weighed from 2 to 2½ lbs. each. Chas. Downing best describes it as follow:— "Vine vigorous, short jointed, bunch large, long, compact, heavily shouldered, berry large, round, black, with a thick, blue bloom; flesh soft, slight pulp, juicy, slightly vinous and very good; a *promising market grape*; ripens between Concord and Catawba." One year vines, \$1.50 each; two year vines, \$2.00 each.

Jefferson. Described as being very hardy, a strong grower and productive. Bunch very large, shouldered. Berry large, light red; flesh meaty, tender, juicy and sweet, of the best quality. A very valuable and promising variety. One year vines, \$1.00 each. two year \$1.50 each.

Lady Washington. Is rapidly becoming popular. Bunch very large, shouldered. Berry large, deep yellow, sometimes tinged with pink; flesh soft, tender, sweet and juicy. Vine hardy and healthy. Very handsome and showy sort. One year, \$1.50 each. Two year, \$2.00 each.

Lady. A valuable early white grape. Bunch medium. Berry large with thin skin and of good quality. A good grower, healthy and hardy. One year, \$3.50 per dozen; \$25 per 100. Two year strong, \$5 per dozen; \$40 per 100.

Moore's Early. A new very early grape, ripening two weeks before Concord. Bunch large, berry large, round, black with a heavy blue bloom; quality good. Vine hardy, and productive. Especially valuable for its earliness. Strong one year 50 cents each. Two year, 75 cents each.

Prentiss. Bunch large, compact. Berry medium to large, yellowish green; skin thin but firm; flesh tender, sweet, melting and juicy. Vine a good grower, hardy and very productive. Ripens with Concord. One year \$1.25 each; \$12 per dozen; two year, \$2.00 each; \$15 per dozen.

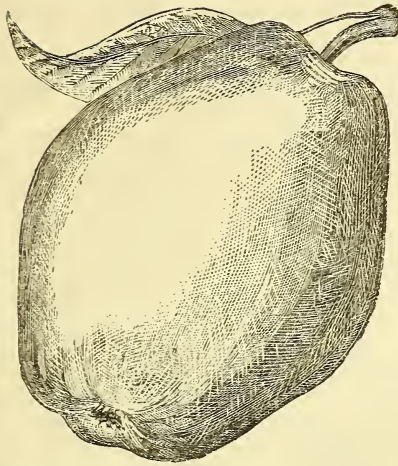
Pocklington. New, and highly commended, a seedling of Concord, strong grower, healthy and hardy, never having been known to mildew, or winter kill. Bunch very large, compact; berries round, very large, light yellow, covered with a fine bloom, of as good or better quality than Concord, and ripens about same time. Altogether a very showy, handsome and valuable sort. Price, strong one year \$1.50 each; two year \$2.00 each.

Vergennes. A new and very promising variety. Described by the originator, as follows: "Clusters large; berries large, adhering firmly to stems; flavor rich and delicious; ripens early as Hartford. Keeping qualities superior to those of any variety I know of; have had fruit March 15th almost as fresh as when picked. Vine hardy, healthy and free from mildew." Originated in Vermont. Strong one year \$1.25, each; \$12 per dozen; two year, \$2.00 each.

SPECIAL OFFERS.

I will send one good strong one year vine of each of the above named sorts, 11 vines in all, by mail, post paid, for \$9.00; or one strong 2 year vine of each for \$13.00.

PEARS.



KIEFFER'S HYBRID PEAR.

A new pear, said to be a hybrid between the Bartlett and the Chinese Sand Pear. It is pronounced BLIGHT PROOF by a number of parties who have grown it for many years. With me it has never shown the least sign of blight, even where grafted on trees of other varieties that were already badly blighted. It is the strongest grower I have ever seen, some of my trees that are but one year from the bud being now over six feet in height. It is immensely productive and begins to bear very early. Fruit large and handsome; flesh white, melting and juicy, with a rich aromatic flavor. It is undoubtedly one of the most valuable pears in cultivation.

"We have eaten fruit of the Kieffer pear, which was equal in luscious richness to any pear we ever ate."—T. MEEHAN, "*Gardeners' Monthly*."

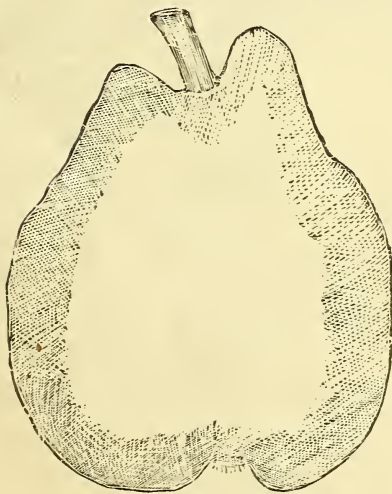
"Kieffer's Hybrid is of very good quality, good size, deep yellow color, and orange yellow where exposed to the sun, ripening in October, and, from what I have seen of it, is a promising

CHARLES DOWNING.

variety for market, as well as for family use."

Price, 1-year, \$2 each; \$20 per dozen; 2-year, \$3 each; \$30 per dozen.

QUINCES.



CHAMPION QUINCE.

A new variety, originated in Connecticut. It is exciting marked attention. The largest variety yet produced; fruit fair, smooth and of the finest quality. Two weeks later than the Orange and a much better keeper. Fine specimens of it were shown at the meeting of the Western New York Horticultural Society the last week in January. Tree a vigorous grower, bears large crops annually, and comes into bearing at two to four years of age. Knowing that, as with all new varieties of promise, many spurious Champion quinces are being palmed off on the public, I took the precaution to trace my stock of it and find that it comes from the original tree in Fairfield county, Connecticut. Parties ordering it of me can thus be assured of its genuineness. I had specimens of it last fall measuring over a foot in circumference and weighing 1 pound 2 ounces. Each season's trial adds to its popularity, and the demand for trees of it is becoming enormous.

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DEAR SIR: In regard to the Champion quince purchased two years ago, I will say that it surpasses my expectations. Although only one year old when planted, it is now full of fruit, while the Orange quince, bought at the same time, three or four years old, and planted beside the Champion, has not even shown a blossom. I am so well pleased with their fruiting, and strong rugged growth, that I wish you to send me 25 more this fall, 1-year old's. I thought you a little extravagant in your praise of the Champion, but from present appearances I think you could hardly say enough in its favor. Yours, very truly,

Pawtucket, R. I., June 20, 1879.

EDWIN R. HAWKINS.

Mr. James Seymour, Warren, R. I., writes- "The one year old Champion quince sold me last season has, this year, 35 quinces set on it."

In addition to these I have a very large and superior stock of all the different fruits (see Catalogue No. 4), and am prepared to make SPECIAL LOW RATES on large quantities for orchard planting of standard pears and apples, of leading varieties. Write for prices.

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