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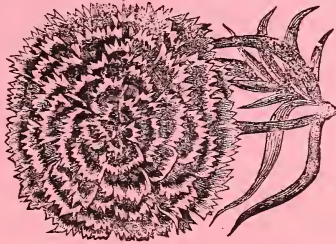
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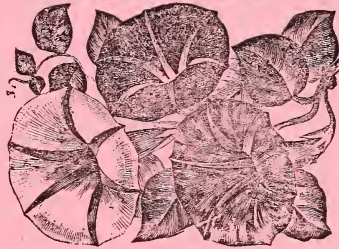
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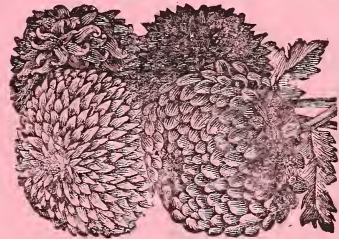
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- * You can easily get up CLUBS for this Collection. We will send 5 Star Collections for \$1; 11 Collections for \$2.



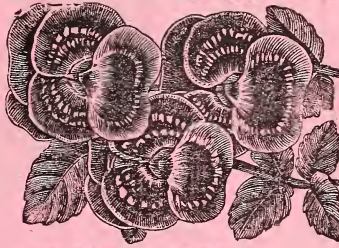
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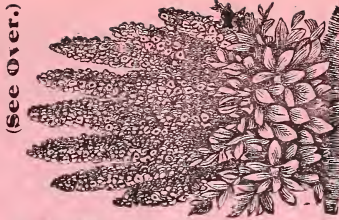
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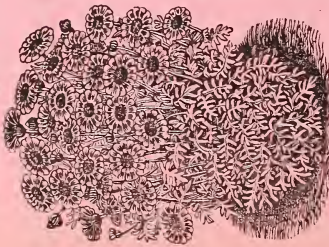
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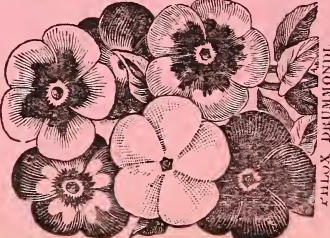
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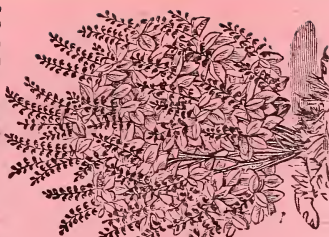
RICINUS GIBBOSA COCCINEUS—Magnificent blood-red foliage.



FINEST PETUNIA.



NASTURTIUM MIXED.



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CUBAN QUEEN WATERMELON—Enormously productive.

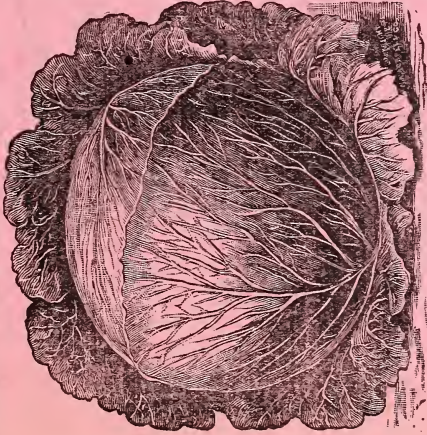
PARAGON TOMATO—Very smooth and solid, ripening evenly.

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THE DINCÉE & CONARD CO.,
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The Care of Roses.



WINTER PROTECTION OF ROSES.—The Hybrid Perpetual, Moss and Climbing Roses, being most hardy, require but little protection. All classes of Roses are now furnished so cheaply, that most people think it pays better to get new plants every year

than to take much trouble in trying to keep tender sorts over, especially as it is found that fresh Young Plants frequently give more flowers and better satisfaction than old ones wintered over.

FALL TREATMENT.—In the Fall the Rose beds should have a good dressing of stable manure or any fertilizing material that is convenient; the Winter rains will carry the strength down to the roots, and the remaining matter makes a nice mulch, which in many places is all the protection that is necessary.

WHERE THE WINTERS ARE NOT VERY SEVERE tender Roses may be nicely covered with clean rye straw, forest leaves, or evergreen branches, but care must be taken not to put it on too thick; the covering should permit considerable circulation of air, and should not retain water; and nothing should be used that will ferment, heat or rot.

DO NOT COVER TOO SOON.—Whatever covering is used, it should not be put on until late in the season, when the plants are well matured and severe weather close at hand; moderate freezing is not injurious.

TO KEEP ROSES IN THE CELLAR.—When Roses cannot be protected in the open ground they can sometimes be kept nicely in the cellar. Take up as late in the season as safe, that is just before Winter actually begins, cut back the tops within six inches of the ground, and pack the roots in a box of nice, mellow soil, *well firmed down*; place the box near a window in a light airy cellar, or some similar position; water occasionally during the Winter, but only when absolutely necessary to prevent shriveling.

THE BEST WAY.—In places where the Winters are not more severe than at New York, many varieties of the Ever-blooming Roses are nearly hardy, and we think the best way to treat them is to leave all in open ground, giving a nice light covering of forest leaves, clean straw, or evergreen boughs. Experience shows that the loss will be as light in this as in any other way, and it is much the least trouble.

WHEN TO UNCOVER.—Do not uncover in the Spring till frost has left the ground and there is a prospect of reasonably settled weather. When uncovered the plants should be carefully pruned, taking care to remove all dead wood, and the beds should be nicely dug over and raked.

ROSES IN POTS.—The Ever-blooming Hybrid Tea and Polyantha Roses are the best for house culture, in pots. Our ordinary size Roses require three to four-inch pots; larger Roses, five to six-inch pots. Earth for potting should be mellow and rich, not such as will bake and become hard, not yet too light. If manure is used, it should be old and thoroughly composted; fresh manure is injurious. When first potted, water the plants thoroughly, and if the sun is strong, shade lightly for a few days; then give full light and air. The plants should not be allowed to wither for want of water, but too much water is worse than not enough. When Roses drop their leaves after being potted, it is generally owing to change of temperature, and other conditions, but it may result from too large a pot, or too much water. The best remedy is perfect rest; keep quite dry until signs of new growth appear, then water very sparingly. The conditions most favorable for growing Roses in pots are good rich soil, plenty of sunshine (the early morning sun is the best when it can be had), reasonable and regular heat, and moderate moisture; the temperature may range from 40° to 50° at night, and 60° to 80° in day time.

HOW TO DESTROY INSECT ENEMIES.

See page 113 for Insecticides, Fertilizers, etc.

APHIS OR GREEN FLY.—A strong suds, made of our new Tobacco Insecticide Soap, is sure death. Wash or sprinkle the whole plant or dip in the suds as often as may be necessary.

THE ROSE SLUG.—Slugs frequently appear suddenly, and increase very rapidly. They must be attacked instantly. Dust the plants thickly with powdered or air-slacked lime, plaster-of-Paris, ashes or even road dust, and repeat the same vigorously as often as may be necessary. If more convenient, the plants may be thoroughly sprinkled and washed with a strong suds made with our New Tobacco Insecticide Soap, or with strong brine. Hellebore and Gishurst's Compound are also desirable remedies.

RED SPIDER is a very minute insect, first appearing on the under side of the leaves, and though difficult to see, its effects are quickly noticeable by the browned or deadened appearance of the leaves. It flourishes best in a hot, dry atmosphere, either in-doors or out; moisture is its greatest enemy. *Sprinkle or wash your plants frequently with Tobacco Insecticide Soap, taking care to wash the under side of the leaves thoroughly, and you will not be troubled with Red Spider.*

THE THRIP is very destructive to Roses in some sections of the West. The best remedy is an application of Gishurst's Compound, or a thorough wetting with a strong suds made by dissolving Tobacco Insecticide Soap, taking care to wet thoroughly the under side of the leaves.

OUR HOLLAND BULB CATALOGUE FOR FALL OF 1890.

Our New Autumn Guide will be ready September 1, and will be sent without request to customers of present season or last year; to all others it will be sent free upon application. Describes and offers at low prices a complete stock of Holland Bulbs, imported especially for our retail trade; beautiful and rare Novelties in Bulbs and Plants for house culture; large Roses, prepared for Winter bloom; large Chrysanthemums, Sweet Violets, House Plants, Hardy Shrubs, Vines, and Seeds for Fall planting, etc. Address,

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BLOOMING ROSES, sure bloomers, bearing a profusion of lovely high-colored buds and flowers all through the season, BUY THE METEOR SET, and you will not be disappointed; it is one of the best short lists of Ever-blooming Roses for general planting

New Ever-blooming Rose, Meteor.—Another season's trial has proved the great value of this beautiful Rose for bedding and general planting, as well as for growing in pots and conservatory. The color is rich velvety crimson, very bright and striking. As is shown above in our illustration of a single bloom, the flowers are large and regular, fully double and well borne up. It is a constant and profuse bloomer and very fragrant. We recommend it with full confidence that it will give great satisfaction. 25 cts., \$2.50 per doz.; Two-year size, 40 cts.; \$4 per doz. by Express.

Princess de Radziwell.—This elegant New Ever-bloomer is noted for long, finely-formed conical buds and large, full, well-expanded flowers; the color is rich dark crimson, shaded with bright coral red; delightfully scented and very handsome. 20 cts., \$2 per doz.; Two-year size, 35 cts., \$3.50 per doz.

Madame Etienne.—Extra-large full flowers, deliciously sweet; color, bright rosy flesh, passing to clear rose and pink, elegantly shaded and very beautiful; it is a strong, healthy grower and a wonderfully free and continuous bloomer; one of the best. 20 cts., \$2 per doz.; Two-year size, 35 cts., \$3.50 per doz.

Mad. Scipion Cochet.—Beautiful creamy rose, with deep crimson centre, flowers large, somewhat tulip-shaped, quite full and very sweet, a good constant bloomer, very handsome and striking. 20 cts., \$2 per doz.; Two-year size, 35 cts., \$3.50 per doz.

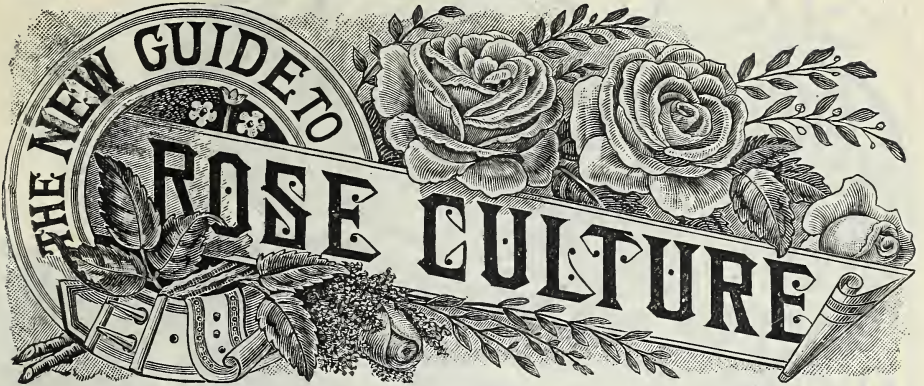
Docteur Grill.—Extra-large handsome flowers, clear buff pink, passing to rose and fawn, elegantly suffused with pale canary yellow, richly scented and very beautiful. 20 cts., \$2 per doz.; Two-year size, 35 cts., \$3.50 per doz.

Nameless Beauty.—This elegant New Ever-blooming Rose comes to us from the gardens of Germany; its original name having been lost, it has since been known as the NAMELESS BEAUTY; it is a very charming Rose, rich creamy white, beautifully clouded with pale carmine and salmon, deep red rose centre; large, very full and deliciously sweet. 20 cts., \$2 per doz.; Two-year size, 35 cts., \$3.50 per doz.

SPECIAL OFFER.—The Meteor Set, six lovely Ever-blooming Roses described above, for \$1.10; with our two beautiful Premium Roses (page 23), 8 for \$1.30; Two-year size (by Express), set of 6 for \$2, 8 for \$2 50.

NOTE.—Our "Sets" or "Collections" of Roses are made up to assist persons in selecting the best varieties for the particular purpose they have in view. These sets are all entirely different, so that by buying several Sets you get a very fine collection of Roses that will be sure to please.

21ST YEAR IN SPECIAL CULTURE OF ROSES:



THE DINGEE & CONARD CO.'S ROSES, HARDY PLANTS, BULBS, AND SEEDS are now so well known to the flower-loving people of the United States and Canada, that our publications reach nearly a million readers annually, and our **New Guide**, besides being a welcome visitor in the homes of our friends and patrons, is a recognized authority on what to plant and how to grow all the articles we offer.

Our Roses are among the most beautiful of all flowers. Our plants are the best that the highest skill can produce. Our prices are the lowest compatible with excellent quality. Our stock is the largest and finest in the country. We have over five hundred different varieties of Roses, in both medium size and large plants, suitable for Mail and Express orders.

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PLEASE NOTICE.—We send all goods post-paid by Mail, and warrant them to arrive safely. We ask special attention to the fact that, at the prices named, we send strong, vigorous, well-matured plants, suitable for immediate planting and quick bloom, post-paid by Mail, and warranted to arrive safely and in good growing condition at all post-offices in the United States; we also have larger Roses and plants to be sent by Express for those who desire them.

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ROSES READY FOR SHIPMENT AT ALL TIMES.—Planting is always in season in some parts of the country, and orders are received and plants can be forwarded every working day in the year.

THE NEW GUIDE is published for the use of our customers, to whom it is **mailed free** without request. It is also sent free on request to all intending buyers and other interested persons. Those who send for it with no expectation of buying should enclose stamps.

CHOICE NEW THINGS.—WE OFFER CHOICE NEW THINGS IN ALL DEPARTMENTS THIS YEAR. Please examine carefully or some will be almost sure to be overlooked. We want an opportunity to serve you, and whether your order be large or small, it will have the same careful attention.

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A HANDSOME REWARD.—Many persons get a **SPLENDID COLLECTION OF ROSES FREE** by getting up clubs among their friends and neighbors (see Reward for Clubs); but whether this is done or not, we shall be truly obliged by your kind influence in introducing **Our Roses, Plants and Seeds** to the notice of your friends and neighbors.

THANKS.—We thank our friends for their generous orders and kind appreciation of our efforts to please, and strive to conduct our business in a way to secure the confidence and regard of all who have intercourse with us.

Faithfully yours,

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SIX
GOOD
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THE GEN. WASHINGTON SET

THIS set of Six Good Hardy Roses is specially selected to meet the wants of a great many of our friends who wish a FEW FINE HARDY ROSES for a trial bed, or to plant singly in door-yard or lawn. They require no protection in Winter, and are sure to grow and bloom finely without much care or attention in all ordinary situations. Certain to give satisfaction every time. Price, set of 6 for \$1.10.

General Washington (see illustration above).—This magnificent Rose is one of the best for general planting; color, brilliant, shining crimson, very rich and beautiful; flowers are large and perfectly double; a free and regular bloomer. 25 cts.; Two-year size, 50 cts.

Pæonia.—One of the finest Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Roses; large, perfectly double flowers; color, rich crimson, elegantly shaded with dark maroon; very sweet and profuse bloomer. 20 cts.

Crown Prince.—A noble Rose; large, compact flowers; very full and sweet; color, clear purplish red, deepening at centre to ruby crimson, elegantly shaded with violet purple; a good bloomer. 20 cts.

Anna Alexieff.—A very fine Rose; large size; very double, full and regular; color, clear rosy pink, changing to brilliant carmine; elegantly shaded; fragrant and beautiful. 20 cts.

Perfection des Blancs.—One of the finest White Hybrid Perpetuals; flowers large; pure snow white; very double, full and fragrant; a constant bloomer; one of the best. 20 cts.

Henry Martin Moss Rose.—One of the darkest and richest-colored Moss Roses; fine, large, cupped flowers; color, dark, rich crimson, passing to velvety maroon; finely mossed and delightfully scented; a profuse bloomer and entirely hardy. 20 cts.

SPECIAL OFFER.—The set of six elegant Hardy Roses described above for \$1.10; or with our TWO BEAUTIFUL PREMIUM ROSES, La Princess Vera and Marie Van Houtte (page 23), 8 for \$1.30, by Mail, post-paid.

TWO-YEAR SIZE.—(Except noted), 35 cts.; set of 6 for \$2, by Express.

NOTICE.—OUR SPECIAL COLLECTIONS OF ROSES are very convenient for persons who are at a loss to select for themselves; they include many of the finest sorts, and you can order a SPECIAL COLLECTION for almost any purpose desired with the certainty that it will give satisfaction.

ROSES, HARDY PLANTS, BULBS AND SEEDS.—We offer in the 116 pages of our NEW GUIDE the most complete collections of Roses, Hardy Plants, Bulbs and Seeds. Over 500 varieties of Roses alone are described, handsomely illustrated, and offered at lowest prices, in different sizes to suit all wants, pages 4 to 51. Upwards of 100 distinct varieties of the best Hardy Shrubs, Climbing Vines and Hardy Perennial Plants, now so popular, pages 52 to 63. All our Bulbs are carefully grown and selected for our retail trade—large, healthy and sure to bloom; our collection is the most complete ever offered, pages 64 to 72. Gorgeous Chrysanthemums, in endless variety, Beautiful Carnation Pinks, Sweet Violets, the newest and best Double Geraniums and Fuchsias, and Choice Grapes, Gooseberries and Currants, for the garden, pages 73 to 83. We are Headquarters for Flower Seeds; pages 84 to 104 show our unsurpassed collection. If you want the Best Garden Seeds, our Rosemont Seeds will please you; None can be Better; pages 102 to 112.



SOUVENIR DE WOOTTON

THE SOUVENIR DE WOOTTON SET,

Six lovely Gems for only \$1.25.

NOTE.—"The Wootton Set" comprises some of the choicest New Ever-blooming Roses; noted for their rare and novel colors. Not being entirely hardy, they should be nicely covered, just before Winter begins, with forest leaves or clean dry litter, six inches or a foot deep.

SOUVENIR DE WOOTTON.—A remarkably brilliant and striking New Ever-blooming Rose; bright magenta red, passing at base to fine violet crimson, richly shaded; flowers are large, full and regular, with thick leathery petals, and delicious tea scent; makes beautiful buds, and is excellent both for open ground and conservatory. 35 cts.; \$3.50 per doz. Two-year, 60 cts.; \$5 per doz.

Viscountess Folkstone.—A lovely English Ever-bloomer; recommended for its great size and beauty; the flowers are extra large and of very pleasing form, with broad shell-like petals and full centre; color, beautiful pale flesh or amber rose, with a lovely satin lustre resembling glossy silk; richly perfumed and very handsome. 25 cts.; \$2.50 per doz. Two-year size, 40 cts.; \$4 per doz.

Princess Beatrice.—Very beautiful, and specially recommended for its charming color; soft rosy pink, delicately tinged and shaded with canary yellow, passing to amber and fawn; the buds are large, and flowers very full and sweet. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz. Two-year, 35 cts.; \$3.50 per doz.

Marie Lambert.—Beautiful pale flesh color, passing to rich creamy white, exquisitely veined and clouded with soft rosy carmine, reverse of petals silver rose; large regular flowers, full and well-formed buds; delightfully perfumed. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz. Two-year, 35 cts.; \$3.50 per doz.

Lady Stanley.—Flowers extra large, very full, double and sweet, and of good substance, lasting a long time after cutting; color, a beautiful shade of chamois red, or rich crimson prettily lightened with terra cotta. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz. Two-year, 35 cts.; \$3.50 per doz.

Queen Natalie of Servia.—A queenly Rose; the flowers are luxuriously large, deep and full, with a peculiar rich luscious fragrance; color, lovely shell pink, finely tinted with rosy salmon; profuse bloomer; very beautiful. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz. Two-year, 35 cts.; \$3.50 per doz.

SPECIAL OFFER.—The Wootton Set, six charming varieties, described above, for \$1.25; with the two elegant Premium Roses (page 23), 8 for \$1.45. Two-year size (by Express), 6 for \$2; with premiums, 8 for \$2.50.



The Madame Hoste Set of Roses.

THE MADAME HOSTE IS A VERY CHARMING NEW EVER-BLOOMING TEA ROSE, sent out for the first time last year, and sold at 50 cents each. This year we reduce the price one-half, and place with it the following very choice varieties: Princess de Sagan, Charles Legrady, Comtesse de Frigneuse, Suzanne Blanchet and Papa Gontier, making a set of six lovely Ever-blooming Roses, which we sell for \$1, the cheapest set in the book, quality considered. This bed should be well covered with leaves or litter before Winter sets in.

Madame Hoste.—This is an exceedingly beautiful New Ever-blooming Rose, extra-large flowers, and superb buds very full and delightfully perfumed; color, soft canary yellow; deepening at centre to pure golden yellow, beautifully flushed with pale amber; edges and reverse of petals rich creamy white; has proved excellent for garden culture, also for pots and blooming under glass. 25 cts., \$2.50 per doz.; Two-year, 40 cts., \$4 per doz.

Princess de Sagan.—An elegant New Tea Rose of great beauty; the color is fine rich velvety crimson, unusually attractive. It blooms quickly and abundantly, makes beautiful buds and the flowers are borne on long stems, excellent for cutting. 20 cts., \$2 per doz.; Two-year, 35 cts., \$3.50 per doz.

Charles Legrady.—This splendid Rose has proved one of the most satisfactory for general planting; here on our own grounds, a bed of it always makes a grand display all Summer long; magnificent large buds and flowers of great beauty; color, fine chamois red, richly shaded with violet crimson; very sweet and a constant bloomer, extra fine. 20 cts., \$2 per doz.; Two-year, 35 cts., \$3.50 per doz.

Comtesse de Frigneuse.—An elegant Tea Rose, rivaling the famous Perle of the Gardens; color, deep golden yellow, undoubtedly one of the finest pure yellow Roses. Flowers are extra large and full, with long pointed buds, valuable for bedding and very sweet; a strong healthy grower and good bloomer, does well in open ground. 20 cts., \$2 per doz.; Two-year size, 35 cts., \$3.50 per doz.

Suzanne Blanchet.—This lovely Rose is still quite rare; color, beautiful pale flesh, passing to silvery white, elegantly shaded with fine rosy amber; very tender and deliciously perfumed; large finely pointed buds, medium-size flowers, very regular, full and handsome; a general favorite wherever known. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.; larger, 35 cts., \$3.50 per doz.

Papa Gontier.—This splendid Ever-blooming Rose has now been thoroughly tested, and has proved one of the very best. The buds are extra large, long and pointed, and very beautiful, splendid large flowers, very double and full and exceedingly sweet; color, bright cherry red, passing to rich glowing crimson, very handsome and striking. 20 cts., \$2 per doz.; Two-year, 35 cts., \$3.50 per doz.

SPECIAL OFFER.—The Madame Hoste Set, described above, for \$1; with our Two Beautiful Premiums (page 23), 8 for \$1.20; Two-year size (by Express), set of 6 for \$2; with Premiums, 8 for \$2.50.

HOW TO GROW ROSES IN OPEN GROUND.

IF any of our friends do not know how to plant and care for young Roses, we trust that these brief directions may enable them to do so successfully. We are anxious that all should have the best possible success with everything they buy of us.

PLANT ROSES IN OPEN GROUND.—When convenient, Roses should always be planted in open ground; they can be grown nicely in pots when desired, but are more easily managed, and generally give better satisfaction, planted in open ground; and fresh new ground is always preferable to old worn-out beds.

DO YOU KNOW that a small Bed of our Beautiful Ever-blooming Roses, costing only one or two dollars, will live up your home and furnish a choice supply of Buds during the whole season?

THE DINGEE & CONARD EVER-BLOOMING ROSES are known all over the United States as the finest Roses grown; they combine the most perfect and lovely form of buds and flowers with delicious fragrance and all the charming and exquisite shades of color that Roses ever show.

THEY BEGIN TO BLOOM AT ONCE.—Our Ever-blooming Roses begin to bloom almost as soon as planted, and continue to produce a constant succession of lovely buds and flowers through all the Summer and Autumn months, until the plants are frozen up or covered with snow.

PLANT ROSES EVERYWHERE.—Roses will do well planted in beds or masses; among shrubbery or other flowers, or singly on the lawn; in fact almost anywhere so they have full light and air, and are not too near large trees.

Hybrid Perpetual and Moss Roses are very beautiful and are considered entirely hardy in ordinary situations; they need no protection in Winter and withstand hardship and neglect well; they bloom freely in the Summer and occasionally during the Autumn months. The flowers are mostly of large size, very double and fragrant, and of rich, bright colors, including all shades of red, white and pink.

Climbing Roses.—Most varieties of Climbing Roses are entirely hardy. They need no protection in Winter, but require support, and should be planted near a porch or trellis, or some object designed to be covered from sight; they bloom very profusely early in the season and remain in bloom a long time.

Preparation of the Ground.—Roses will do well in any ordinary fertile ground, but are much improved in fragrance and beauty by rich soil, liberal manuring and good cultivation. The ground should be well spaded and pulverized to the depth of a foot or more, and enriched by digging in a good coat of stable manure or any fertilizing material that may be convenient.

How to Plant.—When the ground is thoroughly prepared—fine and in nice condition—wet the roots of the Roses so that the earth will adhere to them—make holes of suitable size, put in the plant slightly deeper than it was before, spread the roots out evenly in their natural position, and cover them with fine, moist earth, taking care to draw it closely around the stem, and pack firmly down with the hand. *It is very important that the earth be tightly firmed down on the roots.*

When to Water.—If the ground is dry when planted, water thoroughly after planting, so as to soak the earth down below the roots, and if hot or windy, it may be well to shade for a few days. After this not much water is required unless the weather is unusually dry. Plants will not thrive if kept too wet, and planting should never be done when the ground is muddy or soggy.

Cultivation.—The ground should not be allowed to bake or become hard, but should be frequently stirred with hoe and rake, so as to keep it light and mellow, as well as free from weeds and grass. If the ground is dry, a thorough hoeing or stirring of the soil is much better than watering, and can be done as often as necessary. In very dry times the ground should be hoed deeply and thoroughly every day.

Cut off the Faded Roses, or, what is better, cut off the blooms before they begin to fade; the quicker the flowers are cut off after they are fully open, the more flowers the plant will produce. If the flowers are left on, the strength of the plant goes to produce seeds; the removal of the flower encourages new growth and fresh bloom.

Pruning.—The Ever-blooming Roses do not require pruning in the Summer, except what may be necessary to keep them in reasonable shape and limit, and this can be done at any convenient time. In the Spring it is best to cut back one-half or two-thirds of the last season's growth, and cut off all dead shoots, down to the live wood. The Ever-blooming Roses may be Winter-killed quite to the ground, but, if the roots are not injured, they will put forth new growth and bloom as well as before.

Pruning Hybrid Perpetual and Moss Roses.—These bloom best on strong new wood, and should be cut back severely (say one-half of last season's growth) in the Spring before growth has commenced. As these Roses are hardy, and remain from year to year, they will gradually attain considerable size, and the pruning should be done in a way to keep the plant well balanced and in good shape. Liberal manuring and thorough cultivation add much to the beauty and profusion of bloom of these Roses.

Climbing Roses bloom on the old or last season's wood, and therefore should not be cut back unless necessary to keep the plant within the limits desired, but all dead wood should be removed in the Spring before growth begins.

When to Plant.—Always choose the most favorable time for planting in your own locality, and order at that time. *Roses can be planted as soon as convenient after the earlier garden vegetables,* and we can send the plants with entire safety whenever they are desired.

Northern States.—In the Northern and Middle States the Spring and early Summer months are the best time for all kinds of planting in open ground. As our Roses are grown in a warm temperature, it is best not to plant out until danger of severe freezing is past, and the ground is in a mellow and friable condition. Many people prefer to get their Roses early, before the rush commences, and grow in pots or boxes in-doors, till the season is sufficiently advanced for setting them out, and if you know how to care for them, and can keep them healthy, this is an excellent plan.

Southern and Pacific States.—Our friends in the Southern and Pacific States will choose the most favorable time for planting in their respective sections; we cannot advise as to when this is, as the planting season in these localities is different from ours. We send Roses safely whenever they are desired.

Fall Planting in Open Ground is only recommended for those of the Southern and Pacific States where the Fall and Winter months are the most favorable time for all kinds of out-door planting.

Proper Distance for Planting.—When the Ever-blooming Roses are planted in beds or masses, and the best effect for the present season is desired, they may be set only 10 or 12 inches apart each way, but if intended to remain over year, they should have a little more room.

Hybrid Perpetual and Moss Roses require more room than the Ever blooming sorts, and may be set from 1½ to 2 feet apart each way. For HEDGES, plant one foot apart in a single line, and cut the plants back to a regular height every Spring.

Five Very Choice Hardy Perpetual Roses.

If you want **FIVE OF THE BEST AND MOST DESIRABLE HARDY PERPETUAL ROSES** of different colors, be sure to order the varieties named below; they will give satisfaction in every case.



HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSE—GLOIRE LYONAISE—25 CTS.

—A splendid Rose, extra-large full flowers, very double and sweet. Color, clear rosy red, beautifully flushed with violet crimson. Tested and recommended as one of the best Roses of its class. 25 cts.

JOHN HOPPER.—One of the most reliable and satisfactory Hybrid Perpetuals ever grown. Flowers are large, very regular and full. Color, brilliant rose, changing to bright glowing pink, shaded with rich scarlet; very sweet and a profuse bloomer. 25 cts.

DUCHESSE DE CAYLUS.—First-class for general planting; strong, hardy and vigorous and a regular and free bloomer; extra-large flowers, full perfect form; very fragrant. Color, rich cherry red, sometimes brilliant crimson, delicately tinged with scarlet; very fine. 25 cts.

PRICE.—25 cts. each; set of 5 for \$1; will include set of 5 on opposite page, and present 1 Countess Murinais, finest white Moss (page 19), 11 in all, for \$2.25; Two-year size (by Express), 35 cts. each (except where noted); set of 5 for \$2; both sets, 11 in all, for \$4.25.

GLOIRE LYONAISE.—This grand Rose is the only Yellow Hybrid Perpetual we have; it cannot be called deep yellow, but rather a pale shade of chamois or salmon yellow, deepest at centre, and sometimes passing to rich creamy white, finely tinted with orange and fawn. The flowers have all the beauty of Tea Roses, and are large and full, and delightfully sweet. 25 cts.; Two-year, 50 cts.

MAD. CHARLES WOOD.—A true perpetual bloomer, begins to bloom almost as soon as planted and continues all through the season. The flowers are extra large, very double and full, and quite fragrant. Color, bright fiery scarlet, passing to fine rosy crimson, elegantly shaded with maroon; very showy and handsome, and one of the best Roses ever introduced for general planting. 25 cts.; Two-year, 40 cts.

MAGNA CHARTA

TO OUR FRIENDS IN CANADA.—We are pleased to inform our friends and customers in Canada that under the new Postal Regulations now existing between Canada and the United States, we can send **Roses, Plants, Bulbs and Seeds** by Mail to all Post-offices in the Dominion, where we are informed they will be delivered to patrons without any trouble or difficulty arising from Duties or Custom House regulations. Large orders should of course be sent by Express as heretofore when convenient, but all orders suitable to go by Mail, can now be forwarded in that manner, post-paid to all Post-offices in the Dominion, as safely and as easily as to points in the United States. We therefore respectfully solicit your orders, which will always have our best attention, and be sent by Mail or Express as you may direct. Remittances can be made safely as directed on page 15.



HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSE BARON DE BONSTETTEN.
PRICE, 30 CTS.

THE FIVE NEAREST BLACK Hybrid Perpetual Roses.

If you wish the **NEAREST BLACK HARDY HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES**, you should order the varieties named below; they are the darkest of any, and exceedingly beautiful.

BARON DE BONSTETTEN.—Splendid large flowers; very double and full; color, rich dark red, passing to deep velvety maroon; highly scented and very beautiful. 30 cts.; Two-year, 50 cts.

PIERRE NOTTING.—A superb Hybrid Perpetual Rose, very dark blackish red, richly shaded with fine violet crimson, extra-large full flowers, delightfully perfumed, good bushy habit, a hardy and vigorous grower, and free bloomer; one of the very best dark Roses. 30 cts.; Two-year, 50 cts.

ANTOINE QUIHON.—Extra-large flowers, very full, compact and regular form; color, rich violet crimson, elegantly tinged and shaded with maroon red; a free bloomer and very sweet. 30 cts.; Two-year, 50 cts.

SOUV. DE DUCHERE.—A superb Rose; extra-large, compact flowers, very full, double and sweet; color, beautiful brilliant scarlet, deepening to dark glowing crimson; very rich and handsome. 30 cts.; Two-year, 50 cts.

PRINCE CAMILE DE ROHAN.—Very dark, rich velvety crimson, passing to intense maroon, shaded black; large, full flowers, looking at a little distance as if **REALLY BLACK**; one of the darkest Roses; very handsome. 30 cts.; Two-year, 50 cts.

PRICE.—30 cts. each; any 2 for 50 cts. Set of 5 for \$1.25. Will include set of 5 on opposite page and present one Countess Murinais, finest White Moss (page 19), 11 in all, for \$2.25. Two-year size (by Express), 50 cts. each; any 2 for \$1; set of 5 for \$2.25. Both sets, 11 in all, \$4.25.

THE TRUE OLD ENGLISH SWEET-BRIAR ROSE.

We have succeeded in obtaining a nice stock of this fine old favorite; very desirable for shrubberies and general planting; the flowers are bright pink, and single, but the exquisite fragrance of the flowers, leaves and young branches, in the early Spring, frequently perfumes a whole neighborhood, and is truly delightful. Price, strong plants, 20 cts.; \$2.25 per doz.; larger size, 40 cts.; \$4 per doz.

SPECIAL OFFER.—We will send one English Sweet Briar and one Japan Rose (page 57), 2 for 50 cts.; or, one English Sweet Briar, one Japan Rose, one Pure White Moss Rose (*C. Murinais*, page 19), and one Hydrangea Grandiflora (page 54), 4 for \$1; larger size, 4 for \$1.50. These varieties are all perfectly hardy, require no protection in Winter, and bloom regularly without care.

INFORMATION FOR PURCHASERS.

Guarantee.—All Roses and plants sent out by us to points within the United States and Canada, whether by Mail or Express, are guaranteed to reach the purchaser in good growing condition. In case of accident, by which they are injured or spoiled in any way before delivery, we request information to be forwarded immediately, so that they may be replaced at once. Having arrived in good order, our responsibility ceases.

Size and Quality of Plants.—The Roses we send are fine, strong, healthy plants—grown in pots. Many of the Ever-blooming varieties are ready to bud when sent out, and will quickly come into full bloom. Where the season is sufficiently advanced they are suitable for planting at once in open ground, or they can be grown nicely in the house, in pots or boxes.

OUR ROSES ALL POT GROWN.—*All our Roses are Pot Grown, and specially prepared for safe transportation and immediate bloom. They are grown in pots in ordinary fertile soil, without manure or stimulants of any kind; our design being to produce strong, healthy, well-matured plants, well-furnished with working roots. Instead of forcing them into bloom here, we aim to keep them from blooming as much as may be, and to get them ready and in the best possible condition to grow and bloom quickly after planting out. Our Roses are not tired and needing rest, or petted and forced so that they demand unusually nice treatment, but are sent out strong and hungry, ready for work, inured to hardship, and fully prepared to battle for life, and this is one great secret of their success. YOU CANNOT EASILY KILL THEM OR KEEP THEM FROM BLOOMING.*

OUR ROSES ARE ALL ON THEIR OWN ROOTS.—*All our Roses are grown from cuttings, and are therefore all on their own Roots. If the plants incline to sprout from the root, they should be encouraged to do so, as young, vigorous shoots frequently produce the finest flowers. They cannot throw up wild shoots, because root and top are the same; and, as long as any part of the plant remains, it will produce the same beautiful flower.*

NO BUDDED OR GRAFTED ROSES SENT OUT.—*We do not send out any budded or grafted Roses, for, notwithstanding all that is said in their favor by those who are interested in their sale, it is well known that budded and grafted Roses generally prove an utter failure and are entirely unreliable for general planting. ALL OUR ROSES ARE ON THEIR OWN ROOTS.*

Express Orders.—For Express orders we select the largest and best plants on hand at the time, and though we do not promise larger Roses by Express than we send by Mail (unless Two-year Roses are ordered, see page 49), *we can generally send larger shrubs and other plants, and sometimes larger Roses.* Our system of packing is so complete that we can ship with perfect safety during the coldest or hottest weather, and guarantee the plants to arrive in good condition.

We Ship by Express when Directed, the purchaser paying the Express charges. Many persons prefer to have their goods sent by Express; the plants have more room in the boxes and look larger and better when opened. Besides this, a portion of the earth can be left on the roots, which some consider a great advantage. Large orders should always be sent by Express when plants are wanted in best condition and the expense is not an objection; but we can send small orders of ordinary size Roses and plants, long or short distances, just as safely and satisfactorily by Mail, and save the purchaser the Express charges.

Difference in Size of Varieties.—Do not expect all varieties to be of the same size; some are stronger growers than others, and make larger plants at the same age and under exactly the same conditions, and some of the smallest and weakest growers produce the most beautiful flowers; this is according to Nature, and cannot be otherwise.

Better than we Promise.—Though our prices are very low for the quality of the plants we offer, we always try to do a little better than we promise, and give generous value and faithful service to all.

Presented Plants are marked **P** on back of label, and are frequently very choice sorts. Be sure to take good care of them; they sometimes give better satisfaction than those ordered.

Purchaser's Choice of Varieties.—We endeavor to grow all varieties we offer in sufficient quantity to furnish exactly what is ordered. We always have an enormous stock to select from, and try to fill all orders exactly as given.

Which are the Best Varieties.—We cannot give a list of the best varieties, because those that are best for one place may not be so for another; but **we will cheerfully select for purchasers who direct us to do so;** and if we are told the class of Roses wanted and the colors preferred, we can always insure satisfactory results, both in the varieties and the quality of plants.

Why our Business is so Large.—The wonderful vitality and early-blooming power of the Roses grown by our special methods, the unrivaled collection of varieties to choose from, and the *prompt, liberal and careful* manner in which we fill all orders, have brought us an immense trade. Orders pour in by every mail from all sections of the country, and are filled and forwarded with the regularity of clock-work.

Correction of Errors.—We take all possible care to avoid errors, and, when any occur, request information to be forwarded immediately, so that they can be corrected at once; *we cannot afford and do not mean to have a single customer dissatisfied, if prompt and careful attention to his wants will prevent it.*

Pleasant Entertainment.—We aim to make it as safe and pleasant, and in every way as satisfactory, to order Roses by Mail, as it would be to purchase them of us if you were here in person.

Mailing Boxes.—We pack in strong wooden boxes, with live moss filling. Though this is the most expensive way, it is the best, and therefore we use no other.

Weight of Mail Packages.—The weight of packages that can be sent by Mail is limited to four pounds, and though this will admit quite a number of fine Roses, etc., larger orders are frequently wanted. When desired, large orders can be made up in small packages and sent by Mail; but it is generally best, unless to very remote points, to direct large orders sent by Express.

When making up an order, don't forget the **Premium Roses, New Roses of '90, and Diamond List Roses.** See all our *Special Offers*, and remember our **VERY LIBERAL CLUB TERMS.** *Perhaps a few neighbors would like to send with you, and, by forwarding their orders with your own, you do them a kindness and secure the club reward.*

Roses for Foreign Countries.—**WE CANNOT SEND ROSES BY MAIL TO ANY FOREIGN COUNTRIES,** except Canada and those with which the United States has a Parcel Post Exchange, and we have found it so difficult and unsatisfactory to forward **SMALL PACKAGES** by either Ocean Express or Steamship Lines, that we do not invite orders from foreign countries, unless from persons who have agents or friends on this side who will receive and forward the plants to them.

Directions to Correspondents. Please Read Carefully.

How to Order and Send Money Safely.—To avoid mistakes and delay our friends and customers will kindly observe the following suggestions in making their orders and remittances:

First, be sure to write YOUR NAME PLAINLY, give your address in full, POST-OFFICE, COUNTY and STATE, and no matter how often you write us, always give the SAME NAME AND ADDRESS IN FULL.

How to Send Money Safely.—*There are four ways by which money may be sent to us in payment for all goods at our risk—by Post-office Money Order on West Grove P. O. (not Postal Note), Bank Draft, Express Money Order and Registered Letter.*

P. O. Money Orders can now be had at most all post-offices and are absolutely safe. If the letter enclosing it is lost, send us the number, date and amount of it, the office at which it was payable, a list of what you ordered, and we will fill the order at once and apply for a duplicate of the lost money order, which the Government furnishes in such cases.

Bank Drafts, on any city bank, payable to our order, we can use and will be responsible for money sent in that way; if lost, the bank at proper time will issue a duplicate.

Express Money Orders can now be had of several express companies; the company gives a receipt to the buyer, which he should keep; in case of loss of such Express Order on its way to us, send us the receipt and we will fill at once and look to the express company for the money.

Registered Letters.—When you cannot get Money Orders, enclose money either in paper or coin carefully wrapped and have it registered by the postmaster, and we will be responsible for its safe arrival.

Postal Notes are payable to bearer and no duplicates allowed; the sender assumes the risk if lost.

Stamps are the poorest of all forms of remittance; please do not send them for money except for small amounts and when Post-office Orders cannot be had; we will receive them when they reach us in good order, but if they are stuck together, as they very often are, they will be returned to the sender.

CANADA.—(See page 12.) *Friends in Canada can remit by International Postal Order on West Grove P. O., Chester Co., Pa. (West Grove is an International Money Order Office), Bank Draft on New York, or Canadian Currency in Registered Letter.*

An Elegant Rose Presented for the Cost of Remittance.—In addition to all other premiums, we will present with all orders for Plants an elegant Rose for every remittance of \$1 and upwards, made by Money Order, Bank Draft, Express Order or Registered Letter. This Rose will be marked "R" on back of label.

PRICES OF ROSES.

We do a strictly cash business, and the proper remittance must in all cases accompany the order and should be enclosed with it.

Polyantha Roses (see page 22) are 15, 20 and 25 cts., as noted; set of 12 for \$1.75

Moss Roses (see page 20) are 20 cts. each; the set of 14 varieties for \$2.75, as noted.

Perpetual Moss Roses (see page 19) are 30 and 50 cts. each; set of 7 for \$2.50.

New Hybrid Tea Roses (see page 25) are 15, 20, 25 and 35 cts. each; set of 17 for \$2.65.

The New Ever-blooming Roses of 1890 (see pages 26, 27 and 28) are 20, 25 and 50 cts. each; larger numbers at lower prices; both sets, 25 in all, for \$6.

The New Hybrid Perpetual Roses of 1890 (see page 34) are 35 cts. each; 3 for \$1; set of 12 for \$3.25.

The Diamond List Ever-blooming Roses (see page 30) are 20 cts. each; 5 for \$1; 12 for \$2; 19 for \$3; set of 25 for \$4; \$15 per hundred.

The Diamond List Hybrid Perpetual Roses (see page 35) are 20 cts. each; 5 for \$1; 12 for \$2; 19 for \$3; set of 25 for \$4; \$15 per hundred.

The Standard List Roses, Ever-blooming (page 39), **Hybrid Perpetual** (page 42), are 15 cts. each; 8 for \$1; 17 for \$2; 27 for \$3; 38 for \$4; 50 for \$5; \$10 per hundred. **Hardy Climbing Roses and Hardy Ever-blooming Climbers** (pages 20 and 21) are 15 cts. each; 8 for \$1.

THE STAR LIST ROSES.—One hundred selected varieties (see page 46) are 10 cts. each; 6 for 50 cts.; 12 for \$1; 24 for \$2; 36 for \$3; 50 for \$4; \$8 per hundred. **PURCHASER'S CHOICE OF VARIETIES AND ALL LABELED.**

NOTICE.—We ship by Mail or Express as directed. When sent by Mail we pay the postage, but when sent by Express the purchaser pays the Express charges.

PLANTERS who wish Several Hundred Roses or other Plants for their own use, should send a List of the varieties and number of each wanted, and we will examine carefully and give lowest prices by next Mail. Ordinary orders are invariably at prices given.

Roses, Plants, Bulbs and Seeds Free.

ROSES FREE.—A little time spent in taking orders of your friends and neighbors will often secure for yourself, WITHOUT ANY MONEY, a splendid collection of the NEWEST and CHOICEST ROSES and PLANTS.

It is very easy to get up Clubs for our Roses and Plants, because of the excellent quality of our stock. Our generous and careful treatment of customers has made our establishment famous; and notwithstanding we have still further lowered our prices, we are giving the same Club rewards as heretofore.

Our Club Department is very successful and has grown rapidly. We devote special attention to it; each order comprising the Club is carefully selected as directed, and tied separate, so there is nothing to do but deliver the bundle.

WE ALWAYS AIM TO DO A LITTLE BETTER THAN WE PROMISE, and even after our very liberal Club rewards, we present to the clubber all the extras that can be afforded for the trouble of delivery. We can send to separate addresses, when requested, but cannot fill so liberally in such cases, as the cost of sending small lots to different addresses is greater than sending all to one address.

NOTICE.—We will give our friends who get up CLUBS all the Reward for their trouble in selling and delivering the goods that can possibly be afforded. THEY MAY SELECT THE VALUE OF THE CLUB REWARD TO WHICH THEY ARE ENTITLED FROM ANY ROSES, PLANTS, BULBS OR SEEDS THAT WE OFFER, AND WE WILL ALWAYS DO OUR BEST TO PLEASE BOTH OUR CLUBBERS AND THEIR FRIENDS.

NOTE.—CLUBS MAY BE MADE UP OF ANY ARTICLES OFFERED IN THE GUIDE, INCLUDING ROSES, PLANTS, BULBS, SEEDS, &c., AT THE PRICES GIVEN.

For a Club amounting to \$3, we present 1 Premium Rose, and 3 Roses, your choice from the Standard or Star Lists.

For a Club amounting to \$4, we present 2 Premium Roses, and 4 Roses, your choice from the Standard or Star Lists.

For a Club amounting to \$5, we present 1 New or Diamond List Rose, 2 Premiums, and 5 Roses from the Standard or Star Lists, your choice of varieties.

For a Club amounting to \$6, we present 2 New or Diamond List Roses, 2 Premiums, and 6 Roses from the Standard or Star Lists, your choice of varieties.

For a Club amounting to \$7, we present 3 New or Diamond List Roses, 2 Premiums, and 7 Roses from the Standard or Star Lists, your choice of varieties.

For a Club amounting to \$8, we present 4 New or Diamond List Roses, 2 Premiums, and 8 Roses from the Standard or Star Lists, your choice of varieties.

For a Club amounting to \$9, we present 6 New or Diamond List Roses, 2 Premiums, and 9 Roses from the Standard or Star Lists, your choice of varieties.

For a Club amounting to \$10, we present 8 New or Diamond List Roses, 2 Premiums, and 15 Roses from the Standard or Star Lists, your choice of varieties.

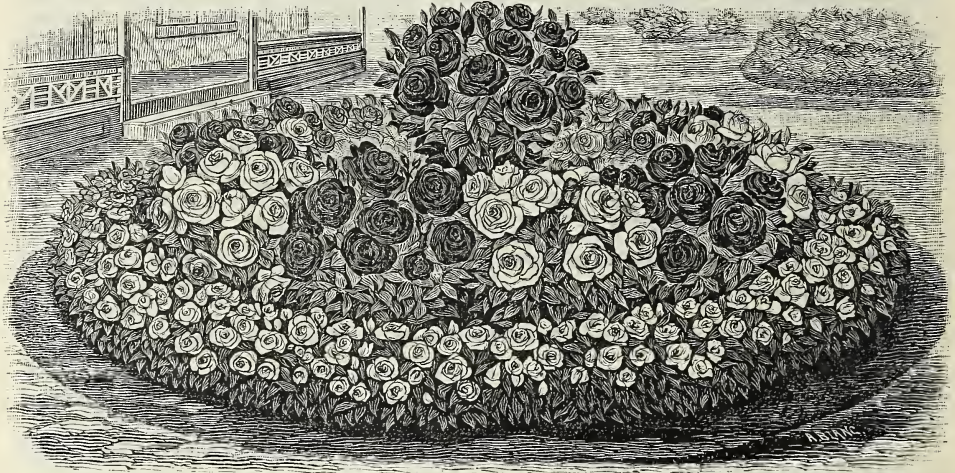
For a Club amounting to \$15, we present 10 New or Diamond List Roses, 2 Premiums, and 20 Roses from the Standard or Star Lists, your choice of varieties.

For a Club amounting to \$20, we present 16 New or Diamond List Roses, 2 Premiums, and 30 Roses from the Standard or Star Lists, your choice of varieties.

For a Club amounting to \$50, we present 40 New or Diamond List Roses, 4 Premiums and 90 Roses from the Standard or Star Lists, your choice of varieties.

For a Club amounting to \$100, we present 100 New or Diamond List Roses, 10 Premiums, and 200 Roses from the Standard or Star Lists, your choice of varieties.

NOTE.—Persons getting up Clubs who prefer their reward in money, rather than in Roses and Plants, should enclose stamp for our CIRCULAR, No. 2, which gives full information, and is sent on application.



A 3½-FOOT BED OF EVER-BLOOMING ROSES, 27 VARIETIES. PRICE, \$3.

BEDS OF OUR BEAUTIFUL EVER-BLOOMING ROSES.

Beds of Our Beautiful Ever-blooming Roses usually do well, and give a great deal of pleasure, and you can gather whole handfuls of Roses, all Summer long, from June till December. You can have any varieties you prefer; if you wish **Novelties**, select from the **New Roses**; if scarce and valuable sorts, from the **Diamond Roses**; if good, reliable, well-tried varieties, from the **Standard Roses**; if the most for the money, and not quite so particular about kinds, select from the **Star List**. Plants are all the same size, the difference is in the varieties, some cost more than others, but all will give good satisfaction. If you would like your bed edged with one of the pretty **Polyantha** or **Fairy Roses**, described on page 22, **Mignonette**, **Cecile Brunner**, **Little Gem**, etc., it costs a little more, but is a handsome addition. Always greatly admired. See prices below.

Prices of Rose Beds.—We furnish Roses for Beds—purchaser's choice of varieties, OR, IF PREFERRED, WILL SELECT CAREFULLY BEST SORTS FOR THE PURPOSE, all labeled, as follows:

A CIRCULAR BED, 3½ FEET IN DIAMETER, holds 27 Roses. PRICE, selected from STANDARD LIST, \$3; from DIAMOND LIST, \$4.25; from STAR LIST, \$2.10. If edged with POLYANTHA, \$3.25, \$4.25, \$2.50.

A BED 4½ FEET IN DIAMETER holds 38 Roses. PRICE, selected from STANDARD LIST, \$4.25; from DIAMOND LIST, \$5.50; from STAR LIST, \$3. If edged with POLYANTHA, \$4.75, \$6, \$3.50.

A BED 5½ FEET IN DIAMETER holds 55 Roses. PRICE, selected from STANDARD LIST, \$5.50; from DIAMOND LIST, \$8.25; from STAR LIST, \$4.40; with POLYANTHA, \$6, \$8.75, \$4.90.

AN 8-FOOT BED holds 75 Roses. PRICE, selected from STANDARD LIST, \$7.50; from DIAMOND LIST, \$11.25; from STAR LIST, \$6; with POLYANTHA, \$8, \$11.75, \$6.50.

A 10-FOOT BED, holds 100 Roses. PRICE, selected from STANDARD LIST, \$10; from DIAMOND LIST, \$15; from STAR LIST, \$8; with POLYANTHA, \$11, \$15.50, \$9.

A 12-FOOT BED holds 150 Roses. PRICE, selected from STANDARD LIST, \$15; from DIAMOND LIST, \$22.50; from STAR LIST, \$12; with POLYANTHA, \$16.25, \$23.50, \$13.



THE NEW ENGLISH HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSE—DUCHESS OF ALBANY.

Eight Specially Valuable New and Rare Hybrid Perpetual Roses—All Perfectly Hardy.

NOTE.—We ask particular attention to the **Eight Splendid Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Roses** described below; they are among the most valuable varieties we offer; several are entirely new, and others scarce and very difficult to obtain, *particularly on their own roots, as ours all are.*

Duchess of Albany.—This magnificent New Hybrid Perpetual Rose is undoubtedly one of the finest of recent introductions. It is a **Sport from La France**, and seems to be decidedly superior to it. It is remarkably vigorous and a constant and profuse bloomer. The color is a lovely rich shade of amber pink, similar to but much deeper than **La France**; the flowers are larger and more expanded, very double and full, and exceedingly sweet. 50 cts., \$5 per doz.; Larger size, 75 cts., \$8 per doz.

Gloire de Margottin.—This grand New Hybrid Perpetual Rose originated in Europe, and is believed to be one of the very finest varieties of recent years. The flowers are very large and of regular symmetrical form, somewhat globular, very full and deliciously scented. The color is clear dazzling red, certainly one of the most brilliant Roses ever seen. It is a free bloomer and vigorous grower, and is recommended for great beauty and wonderful color. 50 cts., \$5 per doz.; Two-year, 85 cts., \$9 per doz.

Mad. Gabriel Luizet.—This is undoubtedly one of the most beautiful of all Roses; it is elegantly formed, very full and double, and the color is a very distinct and handsome shade of **CLEAR CORAL ROSE**, beautifully suffused with lavender and pearl; delightfully fragrant; a good bloomer and entirely hardy; extra-strong plants that will bloom the present season. 50 cts.; Two-year size, 75 cts., \$8 per doz.

Marshall P. Wilder.—This fine new Rose originated in this country and was named in honor of the venerated President of the National Pomological Society. It is a Rose of unusual excellence; flowers are large, semi-globular, full and of good substance; color, bright scarlet crimson, richly shaded with maroon, very fragrant and a free bloomer. 50 cts., \$5 per doz.; Two-year size, 75 cts., \$8 per doz.



BARONESS ROTHSCHILD.

Baroness Rothschild.—This superb variety is one of the most beautiful of all Roses. The flowers are of immense size, perfect form and exquisite color; a rich and lovely shade of pale pink, delightfully perfumed; an ideal Rose in every way. Being very difficult to propagate, it is always scarce and high-priced, 50 cts., \$5 per doz.; Two-year size, 75 cts. each, \$8 per doz.

Merveille de Lyon.—A splendid New Hybrid Perpetual of the highest type of beauty. The flowers are extralarge, fine cupped form, full and regular and deliciously perfumed; color, ivory white, elegantly flushed with pale carmine; very beautiful. Price, 50 cts.; Two-year, 75 cts.

Mabel Morrison.—A rare and very beautiful Rose, extralarge size, full, regular form, broad shell-like petals; color, pure snow white, sometimes faintly tinged with pink, in the way of Baroness Rothschild. 50 cts.; Two-year, 75 cts.

Sir Rowland Hill.—This fine New Hybrid Perpetual Rose comes to us from England, and is undoubtedly one of the very darkest of all Roses. The color is a remarkable shade of blackish maroon, passing to rich violet purple or plum color, very novel and distinct. The flowers are extra large, globular, well filled and fragrant. 50 cts., \$5 per doz.; Larger size, 75 cts. each.

SPECIAL OFFER.—The set of eight **NEW AND RARE HYBRID PERPETUALS** described above for \$3.50; with the two beautiful Premium Roses, La Princess Vera and Marie Van Houtte, 10 for \$3.70; Two-year, and larger size (by Express), set of 8 for \$6; with Premium Roses, 10 for \$6.50.



ALBANE D'ARNEVILLE. PRICE, 25 CTS.

SIX PURE WHITE ROSES, ALL HARDY.

NOTE.—Persons who wish a small bed of **HARDY, PURE WHITE ROSES**, suitable for cemetery or other purposes, will find this list just what is wanted; good vigorous growers and constant bloomers. They are quite hardy, but should have a covering of leaves or litter during Winter when convenient.

Albane d'Arneville.—A splendid New Pure White Hybrid Perpetual, commences to bloom almost as soon as planted, and blooms all through the Summer until late in the Fall. The flowers are pure white, sometimes very faintly tinged with pink; large, very double and full, and delicately perfumed; extra fine. 25 cts.; Two-year, 40 cts.

Perfection des Blanches.—One of the finest White Hybrid Perpetuals; flowers large, pure snow white, very double, full and fragrant; a strong grower and constant bloomer; one of the best. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

Lady Emily Peel.—A charming Rose, medium size and full regular form; very sweet; color, pearl white, sometimes faintly tinged and shaded with pale rosy blush. 20 cts., \$2 per doz.

Elize Boelle.—A truly elegant Rose, very full and double and delightfully perfumed; color, pure ivory white, sometimes clouded with pale blush and tinged with amber. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

Olga Marix.—Pure white, delicately shaded with amber and blush; large full flowers, very double and sweet; a free bloomer, very handsome and desirable. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

Mad. Alfred de Rougemont.—A strong vigorous grower, begins to bloom at once, and continues until stopped by severe freezing; pure snow-white flowers, finely tinged and clouded with pale rosy blush; large, full and double, and borne in large clusters; fragrant and good. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

THE SET OF SIX PURE WHITE HARDY ROSES FOR \$1; WITH ONE COMTESS DE MURINAIS, THE FINEST WHITE MOSS (described below), 7 for \$1.20; TWO-YEAR SIZE, 35 cts. (except noted); 7 FOR \$2.25.

Splendid Perpetual Moss Roses.

New Moss Rose Cheveral.

—This splendid New Moss Rose is a fine annual bloomer, and comes highly recommended; extra-large full, very double flowers; rich bronze red, passing to dark purplish crimson, delightfully perfumed, and buds thickly covered with lovely deep green moss of finest texture. 30 cts. each.

Comtesse de Murinais.—One of the finest pure white Moss Roses; the buds are elegantly mossed; flowers large, full and fragrant; a valuable and very beautiful variety, but not a perpetual bloomer. 30 cts.; Two-year* size, 50 cts.

New Perpetual Moss Rose Mousseline.—Extra fine, large, very full, and delightfully fragrant; color, pure white, sometimes delicately shaded with rosy blush; elegantly mossed and very beautiful; a continuous bloomer. 50 cts.

Perpetual Moss Rose, James Veitch.—One of the finest perpetual Moss Roses, extra-large flowers, very fragrant and full; color, bright carnation red; very fine. 50 cts.; Two-year, 75 cts.

"Perpetual White" Moss Rose.—One of the most mossy varieties; prettiest in bud; the flowers are of medium size, and borne in large clusters; fragrant, but not very double; color, pure white. 50 cts.; Two-year size, 75 cts.

Perpetual Moss Rose Madame Moreau.—Buds finely mossed and very beautiful; the flowers are extra large, perfectly full and double; color, rich carmine, with crimson and scarlet centre; petals exquisitely edged with white; very fragrant. 50 cts.; Two-year* size, \$1.

Perpetual Moss Rose, Blanche Moreau.—New and highly recommended; flowers are produced in clusters, and are large, full and sweet; the color is pure white, and both flowers and buds have an abundance of lovely deep green moss. 50 cts.; Two-year* size, \$1.

SPECIAL OFFER.—The set of 7 named above for \$2.50. Two-year size and larger, set of 7 for \$4.50. *Two-year Roses must generally be sent by Express.

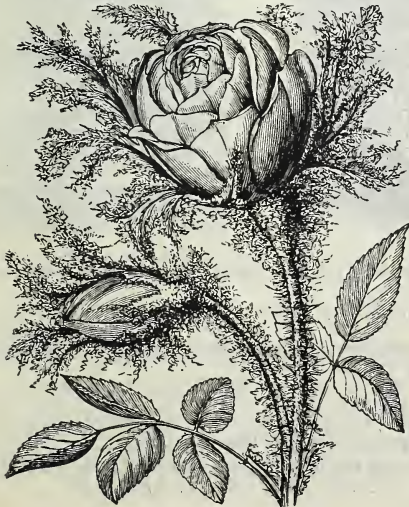
← MOSS ROSES →

The Moss Rose is a strong, vigorous grower, PERFECTLY HARDY, and therefore justly esteemed as very desirable for out-door culture in open ground. Most varieties bloom but once in the season, and usually not the first year, but the flowers and buds are very large and handsome; they remain in bloom a long time, and are highly prized wherever beautiful Roses are known. Moss Roses like rich ground and are much improved in beauty and fragrance by liberal manuring and good cultivation, but they bear hardships and neglect well, and always bloom profusely.

The price of Moss Roses is 20 cts. each; 5 for \$1; the set of 14 varieties for \$2.75. Two-year size, 40 cts. each; set of 14 for \$4.50, by Express. See over.



COMTESS DE MURINAIS (PURE WHITE MOSS ROSE). PRICE, 30 CTS.



GLORY OF MOSSES (BUDS).

GENERAL COLLECTION—MOSS ROSES.

- Captain Ingram.**—Brilliant carmine; large full flowers, very double and mossy. 20 cts.
Elizabeth Rowe.—Bright satiny pink, very large and double, fragrant and finely mossed. 20 cts.
Etna Moss.—One of the finest, very large and full, delightfully fragrant; color, bright crimson, shaded purple; very mossy. 20 cts.
Glory of Mosses.—A magnificent Moss Rose; extra large and perfectly double; color, deep rosy carmine, shaded purplish crimson; very mossy and fragrant, one of the finest. 20 cts.
Henry Martin.—Rich glossy pink, elegantly tinged with crimson; large globular flowers; very full and sweet, finely mossed. 20 cts.
Hortense Vernet.—Fine rosy carmine; large, full and sweet; buds beautifully mossed. 20 cts.
Luxembourg.—Bright crimson scarlet; large, double; very sweet and mossy; one of the finest. 20 cts.
Lanel.—Large, bold flowers, very double, full and fragrant; color, rich crimson, delicately shaded with rosy purple; very mossy. 20 cts.
Madame Dupuy.—White, shaded with rosy blush; splendid large flowers; very double and sweet, and very mossy. 20 cts.
Madame Rochlembert.—Fine, clear pink; extra-large fragrant flowers; full and globular; nicely covered with moss. 20 cts.
Purpurea Rubra.—Violet purple; large, full form, very double and fragrant; nicely covered with fine moss. 20 cts.
Princess Adelaide.—One of the best; extra-large flowers; very double and fragrant; buds beautifully mossed; color, bright rosy pink. 20 cts.
Raphael.—Beautiful buds; very large and densely covered with lovely moss; color, pinkish-white, shaded with rose; large, very full and sweet. 20 cts.
Zebrina.—Extra large and fragrant; rich crimson purple, splendid color; very fine, very dense moss, very double and full. 20 cts.; *Set of 14 varieties for \$2.75. Two-year, 40 cts.; Set of 14 for \$4.50.*

HARDY EVER-BLOOMING CLIMBING ROSES.



MAD. ALFRED CARRIERE. 15 CTS.

In reply to many inquiries for **HARDY CLIMBING ROSES**, which are also **CONSTANT BLOOMERS**, we would say the varieties named below are the best there are, and we think will give good satisfaction; most of them bloom the first season, but they bloom better and more profusely after being out over Winter and getting well established. They are generally hardy in the Middle States, but should have a light covering of straw or evergreen boughs during Winter. They are strong growers and bloom finely at short intervals all through the season, from early Summer to late Fall, and the flowers are very beautiful and fragrant.

Madame Alfred Carriere.

—Extra-large, full flowers, very double and sweet; color, rich creamy white, faintly tinged with pale yellow, exceedingly beautiful; a strong, hardy grower and free bloomer. 15 cts.

Reine Marie Henriette.

—Extra-large, finely formed flowers, very full and double; borne in clusters and richly tea scented; color, glowing crimson, elegantly shaded; very beautiful. 15 cts.

Climbing Hermosa.—Clear, bright pink flowers, medium size, full and regular, very fragrant, a strong grower and free bloomer. 15 cts.

James Sprunt.—Deep cherry-red flowers, medium size, full, very double and sweet, a strong grower and profuse bloomer. 15 cts.

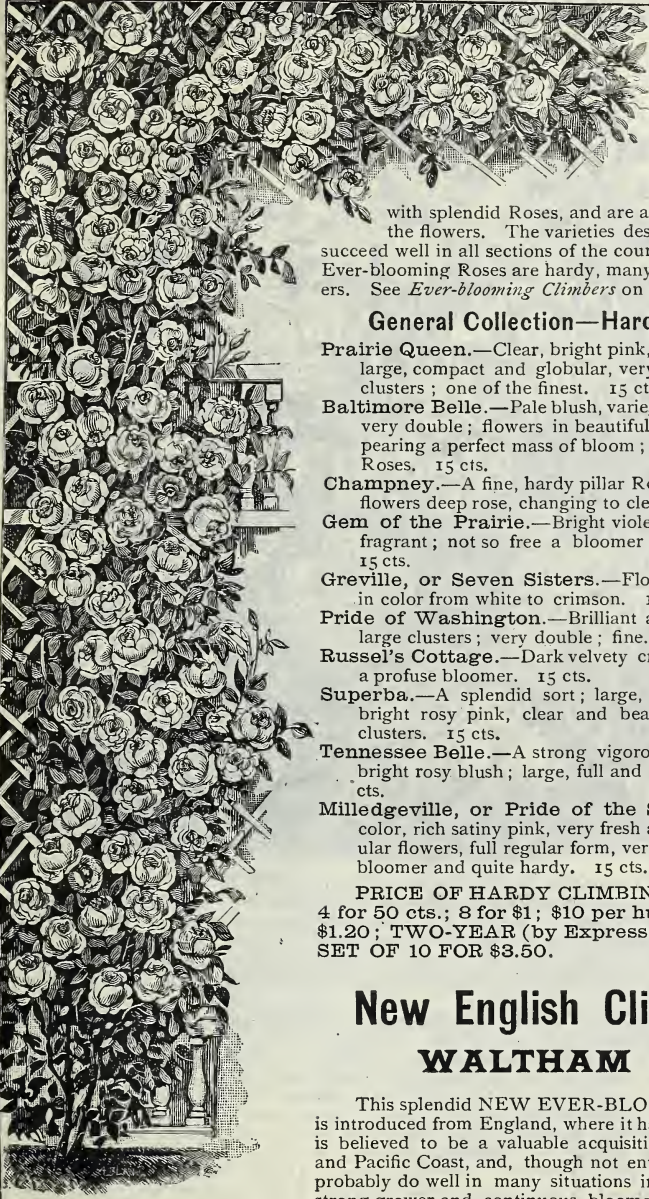
Washington.—An extra-strong grower, and a constant and very profuse bloomer; flowers are large, pure white, very double and borne in beautiful clusters. 15 cts.

Reine Marie Pia.—Large, finely formed flowers, very full and double, borne in clusters, and tea scented; color, rich crimson, elegantly shaded. New and fine. 15 cts.

Cheshunt Hybrid.—Extra-large fine flowers, very double, full and perfect form, delightfully fragrant; color, ruby crimson, passing to rich maroon; a strong grower and quite hardy. 15 cts.

Price, 15 cts. each; 4 for 50 cts.; Set of 7 for 85 cts.; with the New English Climber, WALTHAM QUEEN, page 21, 8 for \$1; Two-year size, by Express, 35 cts. each; Set of 7 for \$2; 8 for \$2.30.

Hardy Climbing Roses.



HARDY CLIMBING ROSE, BALTIMORE BELLE. PRICE, 15 CTS.

Climbing Roses are highly valued for training over arbors, trellises and verandas; also as screens for unsightly objects, such as old buildings, fences, walls, etc. They grow ten to twelve feet high, and are entirely hardy. They bloom the second year and but once in the season, but are then loaded

with splendid Roses, and are among the most beautiful of all the flowers. The varieties described below are the best, and succeed well in all sections of the country. In the South, where the Ever-blooming Roses are hardy, many of them can be used as climbers. See *Ever-blooming Climbers* on opposite page.

General Collection—Hardy Climbing Roses.

- Prairie Queen.**—Clear, bright pink, sometimes with a white stripe; large, compact and globular, very double and full; blooms in clusters; one of the finest. 15 cts.
- Baltimore Belle.**—Pale blush, variegated, carmine, rose and white; very double; flowers in beautiful clusters, the whole plant appearing a perfect mass of bloom; one of the very best Climbing Roses. 15 cts.
- Champney.**—A fine, hardy pillar Rose, quite double and fragrant; flowers deep rose, changing to clear pink; desirable. 15 cts.
- Gem of the Prairie.**—Bright violet crimson; large, double, and fragrant; not so free a bloomer as some, but a valuable sort. 15 cts.
- Greville, or Seven Sisters.**—Flowers in large clusters; varies in color from white to crimson. 15 cts.
- Pride of Washington.**—Brilliant amaranth, shaded rose centre; large clusters; very double; fine. 15 cts.
- Russel's Cottage.**—Dark velvety crimson; very double and full; a profuse bloomer. 15 cts.
- Superba.**—A splendid sort; large, very full and double; color, bright rosy pink, clear and beautiful; blooms in continuous clusters. 15 cts.
- Tennessee Belle.**—A strong vigorous climber and free bloomer, bright rosy blush; large, full and fragrant, one of the best. 15 cts.
- Milledgeville, or Pride of the South.**—A splendid variety; color, rich satiny pink, very fresh and beautiful; fine large globular flowers, full regular form, very double and sweet; a profuse bloomer and quite hardy. 15 cts.

PRICE OF HARDY CLIMBING ROSES.—15 cts. each; 4 for 50 cts.; 8 for \$1; \$10 per hundred. SET OF 10 FOR \$1.20; TWO-YEAR (by Express), 40 cts.; \$4.50 per doz.; SET OF 10 FOR \$3.50.

New English Climbing Rose, WALTHAM QUEEN.

This splendid NEW EVER-BLOOMING CLIMBING ROSE is introduced from England, where it has given great satisfaction. It is believed to be a valuable acquisition, particularly for the South and Pacific Coast, and, though not entirely hardy in the North, will probably do well in many situations in the Middle States. It is a strong grower and continuous bloomer; the flowers are large, full and sweet; color, rich scarlet crimson, very beautiful and a profuse bloomer. Price, 25 cts.; or, with set of seven Climbing Roses, described on opposite page, 8 for \$1.20.

New Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Rose, Her Majesty.

Her Majesty originated in England, and was named in honor of the Queen. It is believed to be one of the largest and most beautiful Hybrid Perpetual Roses ever grown. The blooms are of immense size, remarkably beautiful form and perfectly double; the color is of a lovely shade of rosy pink, passing to clear flesh, elegantly tinged and shaded with amaranth and silver rose; delightfully fragrant. The plant is a strong, upright grower, entirely hardy.

Price, 60 cts.; \$6 per doz.; Two-year (by Express), \$1; \$10 per doz.

The New Polyantha or Fairy-Roses.

NOTE.—We cordially recommend these exquisite Ever-blooming Fairy-Roses. They are of shrubby, compact growth, bloom profusely all through the season, and are very desirable for bedding, as well as for edging, borders, etc. They are moderately hardy, but should have a covering of leaves or litter just before Winter begins.



NEW EVER-BLOOMING FAIRY-ROSE, FLORA. PRICE, 25 CTS.

- Flora.**—A charming New Polyantha Fairy-Rose, and offered now for the first time: the flowers are quite large, very full and round, delightfully perfumed, and borne in immense clusters. The color is fine ivory white, delicately tinged with soft rosy blush. 25 cts., \$2.50 per doz.; Two-year, 40 cts.
- Marie Pavie.**—This is a very bright and pretty and entirely new variety, with quite large, full flowers; color, pale flesh or creamy white, finely flushed with rose; a very lovely little Rose. 25 cts., \$2.50 per doz.; Two-year, 40 cts.
- Glorie de Polyantha.**—A beautiful FAIRY-ROSE; flowers large, perfectly double and deliciously sweet; color, fine citron rose, elegantly flushed pale carmine. 15 cts., \$1.50 per doz.; Two-year, 35 cts.
- George Pernet.**—An elegant New Fairy-Rose; flowers medium size, very full, with fine imbricated petals; lovely buff rose, delicately shaded lemon and fawn; extra fine. 15 cts.; Two-year, 35 cts.
- Miniature.**—This is the smallest of all Roses, but perfect form, regular, compact, fairy-like flowers, fully double and very fragrant; flowers in wreaths and clusters almost covering the whole plant; color, cream rose, flushed peachy red. 15 cts., \$1.50 per doz.; Two-year, 35 cts.
- Floribunda.**—A beautiful new variety, very handsome; flowers, pale rose color, medium size, very double and fragrant and borne in large clusters; constant bloomer. 15 cts.; Two-year, 35 cts.
- Anna Marie de Montravel.**—A beautiful pure white fairy-like Rose; very double, perfect flowers, delightfully scented, and borne in such large clusters that the whole plant appears a mass of bloom. 20 cts., \$2 per doz.; Two-year, 40 cts.
- Perle d'Or.**—Charming and very distinct; color, coppery gold, changing to fawn and salmon, flat-rayed form, very double and elegantly perfumed. 15 cts., \$1.50 per doz.; Two-year, 35 cts.
- Jeanne Drivon.**—A lovely Fairy-Rose, perfect, full form, very double and sweet; color, pure white, faintly tinged with crimson. 15 cts., \$1.50 per doz.; Two-year, 35 cts.
- Mignonette.**—A lovely Fairy-Rose; full regular flowers, perfectly double, and deliciously perfumed; color, clear pink, passing to white, tinged with pale rose. 15 cts., \$1.50 per doz.; Two-year, 35 cts.
- Mad'elle Cecile Bruner.**—Larger flowers than any of the others; perfect; double and delightfully fragrant; color, rosy pink, on rich creamy white ground. 15 cts., \$1.50 per doz.; Two-year, 35 cts.
- Little Gem.**—A very lovely Fairy-Rose, flowers of perfect form, very double and full, pure creamy white; sometimes delicately tinged with salmon rose. 15 cts., \$1.50 per doz.; Two-year, 35 cts.

SPECIAL OFFER.—Set of 12 Fairy-Roses named above for \$1.75; Two-year size, by Express, Set of 12 for \$3.50; with Premium Roses, 14 for \$4.

Our Splendid Premium Roses.

OUR SPLENDID PREMIUM ROSES, *La Princess Vera* and *Marie Van Houtte*, are sent free as follows: To every one who orders one dollar's worth or more Roses or other Plants, and at the same time adds 10 cts. to pay postage and packing, we send free either one (your choice) of these elegant and valuable Ever-blooming Roses, or both for 20 cts. Persons who order repeatedly and desire other premiums, can select from the Diamond or Standard Lists on same terms. We will always do our best to please.

La Princess Vera.—This magnificent Ever-blooming Rose has been thoroughly tested, and has proved under all kinds of conditions one of the most beautiful and satisfactory varieties. It is noted for large, elegantly formed buds and full luxurious flowers, delightfully perfumed. The color is rich ivory white, beautifully shaded and veined with fine coppery yellow, delicately penciled with pale blush, a truly beautiful Rose, and one of the very best. Free to all who add 10 cts. to their Rose or Plant orders for postage and packing; 20 cts. added gets both premiums.

Marie Van Houtte.—This exceedingly lovely EVER-BLOOMING ROSE is scarcely excelled in beauty by any other variety, either new or old; it is a good healthy grower and very free bloomer; the flowers are extra large, very double and full and deliciously tea-scented; color, pale canary yellow, passing to rich creamy white, elegantly shaded with pale rose; a most charming and valuable ever-bloomer. Free to all who add 10 cts. to their Rose or Plant orders, for postage and packing; 20 cts. added gets both premiums.

NEW PURITAN ROSE.

THIS ELEGANT NEW EVER-BLOOMING ROSE originated in England, and was sold on this side for a fabulous price (several thousands of dollars). It is a VERY LARGE PURE WHITE EVER-BLOOMING ROSE, claimed by the introducers to be one of the most valuable varieties ever sent out. The flowers are EXTRA LARGE, PETALS BEAUTIFULLY IMBRI-CATED, VERY REGU-LAR, FULL AND DOUBLE, and delightfully perfumed, having a fine Magnolia scent. THE FLOWERS ARE BORNE IN PRETTY WREATHS OF DEEP GREEN LEAVES, MAKING EACH BLOOM A BEAUTIFUL BOUQUET IN ITSELF. It has proved valuable for greenhouse culture, and though not yet fully tested in open ground, is worthy of extended trial by all lovers of New and Rare Roses. The plant is believed to be moderately hardy, but will require protection in Winter, north of Washington, D. C. Price, 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.; Two-year, 50 cts., \$5 per doz.



THE NEW PURITAN EVER-BLOOMING ROSE. 35 CTS.

Price, 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.; Two-year, 50 cts., \$5 per doz.

WILLIAM FRANCIS BENNETT.

This beautiful Rose continues to attract a great deal of attention. It is said to have brought its originator FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS, THE HIGHEST PRICE ON RECORD FOR A NEW ROSE. It belongs to the Hybrid Tea class; the plant is a robust grower and a most constant and persistent bloomer. The buds are EXTRA LARGE, REMARKABLY BEAUTIFUL and delightfully fragrant; color, intense dazzling crimson. ONE OF THE BRIGHTEST COLORED ROSES EVER GROWN. It is very valuable for forcing and greenhouse culture, and succeeds quite well, in favorable situations, in open ground, where the Summers are not too hot and dry. It is moderately hardy, but requires protection in Winter, north of Washington, D. C. Price, 35 cts., \$4 per doz.; Two-year, 75 cts., \$9 per doz.

No. 1 Colored Plate Roses—Description of Varieties.

Note.—We ask particular attention to our **New Colored Plate Roses**, **Docteur Reymont** and **Madame Allegatiere**, as they belong to an entirely New Class, never before offered, the **Remontant Hybrid Polyantha**, from which it is hoped we may get some hardy Ever-blooming Roses of great value.

Docteur Reymont (*Remontant Hybrid Polyantha*).—New Hardy Ever-bloomer, very handsome and beautiful; large, full, regular flowers; color, bright shining vermilion red, reverse of petals elegantly clouded with rich violet crimson, exceedingly sweet, very striking and attractive, and believed to be one of the most valuable New Roses of this year. Price, 50 cts.; Two-year size, 75 cts.

Madame Allegatiere (*Remontant Hybrid Polyantha*).—A lovely, new, hardy Ever-blooming Rose of great promise; color, clear shell pink, passing to a delicate shade of fine coral rose, elegantly suffused with pale carmine; very pretty buds and large, well-filled flowers, deliciously perfumed, and believed to be a valuable acquisition. Price, 50 cts.; Two-year, 75 cts.

Sappho (*Fine New English Tea Rose*).—Large, full and globular flowers, very handsome and distinct; color, rich apricot yellow, delicately tinged with fawn and pale rose, delightfully tea-scented. It is a strong, vigorous grower, and remarkably free bloomer; the flowers are of excellent substance and last well, and it is undoubtedly one of the very finest New Roses of its class. Price, 50 cts.; Larger size, 65 cts.

Set of 3 No. 1 Colored Plate Roses for \$1.35;

Two-year size (by Express), 3 for \$2.

No. 2 Colored Plate Roses—Description of Varieties.

The Dinsmore.—This GRAND NEW HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSE has now been thoroughly tested, and has proved very valuable for garden planting. It is hardy and vigorous, and an early and constant bloomer, COMMENCING TO BLOOM ALMOST AS SOON AS PLANTED, THE FIRST SEASON, AND CONTINUES LOADED WITH FLOWERS ALL SUMMER LONG; IN FACT, IT IS ONE OF THE MOST CONSTANT AND PROFUSE BLOOMERS WE KNOW. The flowers are large and perfectly double; color, rich crimson scarlet, very showy and handsome. Price, 35 cts.; Two-year, 50 cts.

Mrs. John Laing.—An elegant NEW CONSTANT-BLOOMING HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSE. One of the very finest of its class; color, clear, bright pink, exquisitely shaded. The buds are long and pointed, the flowers extra large and full, borne on long stems, and exceedingly sweet, valuable both for open ground and greenhouse culture; a grand Rose. Price, 35 cts.; Two-year, 50 cts.

Jean Libaud.—This is not a new Rose, but one that we think ought to be better known. It is one of THE VERY DARKEST OF ALL ROSES. The flowers are large, full and fragrant, and of the most intense DARK, RICH, VELVETY CRIMSON IMAGINABLE; they are so dark in fact THAT AT A LITTLE DISTANCE THEY LOOK ALMOST BLACK. Very rare and handsome and always greatly admired. Price, 35 cts.; Two-year, 50 cts.

Set of 3 No. 2 Colored Plate Roses for \$1;

Two-year size (by Express only), 3 for \$1.40.

Both sets of Colored Plate Roses, One-year, 6 for \$2.25; Two-year (by Express), 6 for \$3.50.

SPECIAL OFFER.—Both sets of Colored Plate Roses described above, with the **Queen and American Beauty** (page 26), and our two beautiful Premium Roses (page 23), 10 for \$2.95; or with the **Puritan** and **William Francis Bennett** (page 23), 12 for \$3.55. A very elegant collection.

Notice Our Special Offers to Buyers of New and Rare Roses.

For the purpose of accommodating those of our friends who order at one time different sets of the **New and High-priced Roses**, we make the following special offers, delivered post-paid (except where noted) to all Post-offices in the United States and Canada.

Special Offer, No. 1.—For \$10.50 we will send the set of 10 elegant Novelties (page 27), the **Sunrise** set 15, the 25 **Diamond Ever-blooming**, and the two beautiful Premium Roses, 52 in all.

Special Offer, No. 2.—For \$12 we will send the 25 **New** and scarce **Ever-blooming**, and 12 **New Hybrid Perpetuals**, and the 2 Premium Roses, 39 in all.

Special Offer, No. 3.—For \$19.50 we send the set of 25 **New** and scarce **Ever-blooming**, the 25 **Diamond Ever-blooming**, the set of 12 **New Hybrid Perpetuals**, the 25 **Diamond Hybrid Perpetuals**, and the 2 Premium Roses, 89 in all.

Special Offer, No. 4.—FOR \$43.50 WE WILL SEND ALL THE NEW AND HIGH COST ROSES OFFERED THIS YEAR; 215 SPLENDID VARIETIES. This includes the 50 **New** and **Diamond Ever-blooming** Roses, the 37 **New** and **Diamond Hybrid Perpetuals**, 6 colored plate Roses (both sets), **William Francis Bennett**, the **Puritan**, **New Climber Waltham Queen**, the **True Old English Sweet Brier**, the **General Washington** set, page 8; **Souv. de Wootton** set; **Mad. Hoste** set; the set of 8 specially valuable **Hybrids**, page 18; the **Sunset** set, page 38; set of 12 **Polyantha** Roses, page 22; set of 17 **New Hybrid Teas**, page 25; set of 14 **Moss** Roses, page 20; and 6 **Perpetual Moss** Roses; set of 6 pure white hardy Roses, page 18; the **Baron de Bonsteten** set of 5 darkest colored **Perpetuals**, page 13; the **Gloire Lyonnaise** set of 5 very choice **Hybrids**, page 12; 6 **Meteor** set, the sets of **Climbing Tea**, and **Polyantha** Roses, the **American Beauty** and **Her Majesty**, **Cherokee**, **Banksian** and **Microphylla** Roses, and the two beautiful Premium Roses, page 23; making the choicest Amateurs' Collection ever offered. 215 SPLENDID VARIETIES IN ALL FOR \$43.50. Can be sent by Mail when desired, but it is to the purchaser's interest to have this collection sent by Express, when convenient. *Special Offer No. 4, in Two-year size, \$75.*

Special Offer, No. 5.—For \$68.50 we will send, by Express, one each of every Rose offered in our **NEW GUIDE**, 532 varieties in all. This will make a most beautiful and comprehensive collection of the **QUEEN OF FLOWERS**.

Special Offer, No. 6.—For \$45 we will send, by Express, 500 Roses in 50 choice sorts—your selection of varieties from the **Standard Collections**, either the **Ever-blooming** or **Hybrid Perpetual**, or some of both as preferred.

Special Offer, No. 7.—For \$90 we will send, by Express, 1000 Roses of 100 choice sorts—your selection of varieties from the **Standard Collections**, either the **Ever-blooming** or **Hybrid Perpetual**, or some of both as preferred.

The New Hybrid Tea Roses.

The New Hybrid Tea ROSES are recommended for their great beauty, exquisite fragrance and constant bloom. They generally succeed well in favorable localities in open ground, and are particularly valuable for growing in pots and greenhouse culture. They are moderately hardy, but require covering in Winter, north of Washington, D. C. Prices are greatly reduced, so that the choicest varieties are now within the easy reach of all.

New Hybrid Tea, Comte Henry Rignon.—A magnificent new variety, extra-large, full, globular flowers; color, lovely salmon rose, exquisitely penciled with pale carmine; centre, fine coppery red, delicately tinged with rich creamy yellow; very sweet; a strong vigorous grower and continuous bloomer. 25 cts.; Two-year, 50 cts.

New Hybrid Tea, Esmerelda.—A very lovely new variety, fine medium-size plants, very regular and full; color, exquisite silvery rose, finely shaded with peach and fawn, deliciously perfumed; a vigorous grower, and an early and abundant bloomer. 25 cts.; Two-year, 50 cts.

New Hybrid Tea, Kobald.—Bright rich crimson, elegantly lightened with scarlet; full, well-rounded flowers, and fine long conical buds; very fragrant and desirable. 25 cts.; Two-year, 50 cts.

New Hybrid Tea, Madame Carle.—This fine novelty is exceedingly beautiful; the flowers are extra large, with broad shell-like petals of a bright carnation red, elegantly penciled with pale carmine, passing to fine rosy salmon; flowers are borne in clusters, and are deliciously sweet. 20 cts.; Two-year, 40 cts.

New Hybrid Tea, Madame Andre Duron.—Flowers of great size and substance, wonderfully fragrant and beautiful, clear vermilion red; reverse of petals rosy flesh; perpetual bloomer, very vigorous. 20 cts.; Two-year, 40 cts.

New Hybrid Tea, Docteur Pasteur.—A splendid novelty, highly recommended. Extra-long pointed buds, with fine large globular flowers; color, brilliant carmine rose, shading to bronze red; very rich and handsome. 20 cts.; Two-year, 40 cts.

Madame Schwaller.—Blossoms in large clusters; large globular flowers; color, transparent salmon rose; very delicate and tender; petals finely edged with violet carmine, highly perfumed; plant is of good habit and a profuse bloomer; very fine. 20 cts.; Two-year, 35 cts.

Pierre Guillot.—One of the finest and most valuable in the whole list; bright, dazzling crimson, passing to brilliant carmine; flowers large, very double and full and highly scented; a healthy and vigorous grower and constant bloomer. 25 cts.; Two-year, 50 cts.

Lady Mary Fitzwilliam.—The New English Hybrid Tea; flowers extra large and globular, quite full and regular; very fragrant and beautiful; color, delicate flesh, elegantly tinged with amber and pale carnation; highly recommended. 20 cts.; Two-year, 35 cts.

Countess of Pembroke.—A splendid New English Hybrid Tea; a vigorous grower and free bloomer; flowers large and of exquisite form, very full and exceedingly sweet; color, soft satiny pink, elegantly shaded with violet red; very sweet and handsome. 20 cts.; Two-year, 35 cts.

Antoine Mermet.—Brilliant violet crimson, elegantly shaded; very rich and beautiful; large, full flowers, elegantly cupped and very sweet. 20 cts.; Two-year, 35 cts.

Duke of Connaught.—This magnificent variety is one of the finest CRIMSON ROSES ever introduced. The flowers are extra large, very full and fragrant; the buds are long and finely formed; color, intense glowing crimson, very brilliant and exquisitely beautiful. 25 cts.; Two-year, 50 cts.

Michael Saunders.—A superb Rose; flowers extra large, fine form, very double and full; petals of good substance and beautifully reflexed; color, deep rich crimson; very handsome. 20 cts.

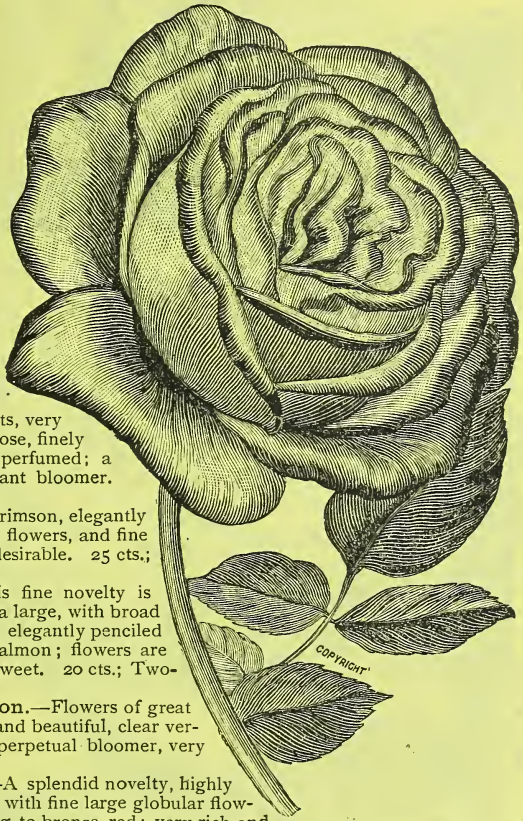
Duchess of Connaught.—Large, very full and finely formed; color, delicate silvery rose, with bright salmon centre; a charming Rose of excellent quality; very highly scented and distinct. 20 cts.; Two-year, 35 cts.

Duchess of Westminster.—A grand Rose; exceedingly large and finely formed; very full and fragrant; color, clear bright red; very rich and fine. 20 cts.; Two-year, 35 cts.

Antoine Verdier.—Large and beautiful flowers, bright glowing pink, beautifully shaded with rich crimson; very full and sweet; a constant and profuse bloomer. 15 cts.; Two-year, 35 cts.

Madame Etienne Levet.—Vivid, glowing crimson, striking and handsome, remarkable for its brilliant color and beautiful buds; a constant bloomer and very fragrant. 15 cts.; Two-year, 35 cts.

SPECIAL OFFER.—The above set of 17 New Hybrid Teas \$2.65; with Our Two Elegant Premium Roses, 19 for \$2.85; with both sets of Colored Plate Roses, and Premiums, 25 in all, \$5.10. Set of 17, in Two-year Size, by Express only, \$3.97.



NEW HYBRID TEA,
ESMERELDA. 25 CTS.



THE QUEEN

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OUR SUPERB NEW EVER-BLOOMING TEA ROSE

— THE QUEEN —

WE RECOMMEND our splendid New Ever-blooming Rose, "The Queen," as one of the very best, pure white varieties for general planting. The Queen is a vigorous, healthy grower, and one of the heaviest and most continuous bloomers we know. The flowers are large, full and well filled; color, pure snow white and very sweet. A remarkably early forcer; makes fine buds; opens well, has plenty of substance, and is a good keeper. It is considered by all who have tried it, one of the most valuable pure white Ever-blooming Roses for all purposes. Price, strong plants, 30 cts.; 2 for 50 cts.; 6 for \$1.50; \$3 per doz. Two-year (by Express), 50 cts.; \$5 per doz.

The Queen and Papa Gontier together, 2 for 40 cts.; Two-year, 2 for 75 cts.

EVER-BLOOMING CRIMSON ROSE, PAPA GONTIER.

If you want two of the very best Roses for general planting, be sure to buy The Queen and Papa Gontier, one pure snow white, and the other rich cherry red. Papa Gontier is a splendid Ever-blooming Rose, which has been thoroughly tested and proved to be one of the very best; buds extra long and pointed; splendid large double flowers, exceedingly sweet; color, rich cherry red, passing to glowing crimson. Price, 20 cts.; \$2 per doz. Two-year, 35 cts.; \$3.50 per doz.

Papa Gontier and The Queen together, 2 for 40 cts.; Two-year, 2 for 75 cts.

New Ever-blooming Roses of 1890.

TEN SUPERB NOVELTIES.

MANY of our friends find peculiar pleasure in possessing the very latest **Novelties**, absolutely **New Varieties of Roses**, just discovered and never before offered. For these we secure all the choicest New Roses as soon as they appear in Europe or America, and when found valuable we place them on sale. The **Ten Novelties described below** are selected from a large number received from the most celebrated Rosarians of the world; they are undoubtedly the finest and most valuable New Roses offered this season, and are recommended for their charming colors and wonderful beauty.

- Captain Lefort.**—A magnificent new Ever-bloomer, with splendid large full flowers, very handsome and sweet; color, a lovely shade of rich violet crimson, softly tinted with fine rosy salmon; makes elegant long pointed buds, very desirable for cutting. Price, 50 cts.; \$5 per doz.
- Baronne Henriette de Loew.**—Remarkably beautiful and handsome; flowers are medium size, very double and full, and borne in large clusters; color, clear silver rose, centre finely shaded with canary yellow, reverse of petals bright pink; a constant and profuse bloomer. 50 cts.; \$5 per doz.
- Mad. Emilie Vloerberghs.**—Rich full flowers, and beautiful finely-formed buds; color, a lovely shade of pale yellow, elegantly tinged and clouded with clear vermilion rose, richly scented and very fine. 50 cts.; \$5 per doz.
- Comtesse Julie Hunyady.**—A fine large new Rose of very striking and remarkable color, rich Nankeen yellow, finely colored with peach blossom, passing to amber pink; good, well-filled flowers, very sweet. 50 cts.; \$5 per doz.
- Joseph Metral.**—Extra-large flowers, very full, handsome and sweet; deep carnation red, passing to cherry carmine or magenta; a good healthy grower and abundant bloomer. 50 cts.; \$5 per doz.
- Madame Pierre Guillot.**—This is a very grand Rose; large full globular flowers, with great depth and substance; color, delicate orange yellow, distinctly bordered and veined with fine rosy pink; reverse of petals creamy white, elegantly perfumed. 50 cts., \$5 per doz.
- Ernest Metz.**—Fine large full flowers, and beautiful long pointed buds; color, clear satiny pink, edged and bordered with blush, the centre flamed with royal crimson; very excellent and desirable. 50 cts.; \$5 per doz.
- Madame Magonette.**—Rich brownish yellow, a very unique shade, passing to straw color, clouded and tinged with terra cotta; fine large flowers, very full and highly scented. 50 cts.; \$5 per doz.
- Lady Castlereagh.**—A really charming new Rose, very large flowers, full and beautifully formed; very durable, as petals are thick and lasting; color, pale rose, shaded with fine sulphur yellow; exceedingly handsome and fragrant. 50 cts.; \$5 per doz.; Larger size, 85 cts.
- Miss Ethel Brownlow.**—Lovely coral pink, beautifully shaded with canary yellow at centre and base of petals; charming buds and large, full, richly scented flowers; very handsome and desirable. 50 cts., \$5 per doz.

Price of the Above Ten Elegant Novelties.—50 cts. each; 3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.50; \$5 per doz.; set of 10 for \$3.75. Two-year size, by Express, 85 cts. each; 3 for \$2.50; 5 for \$4; set of 10 for \$7.50.

The New Climbing Tea Roses.

The New Climbing Tea Roses are very desirable for the Southern and Pacific States where they thrive, and grow on from year to year, and are greatly admired. These choice new varieties are mostly good vigorous growers, and abundant bloomers, and we think will prove acceptable in all sections where the climate permits them to live over Winter.

- Gloire de Libourne.**—Splendid, large, imbricated flowers, very double and sweet; fine canary yellow, with deep apricot centre, elegantly shaded; very handsome and desirable. 25 cts.
- Magdelain Beauvillain.**—Extra-large, handsome flowers, well filled out; clear Nankeen yellow, elegantly clouded with ruddy crimson; delicious tea scent. 25 cts.
- Mad. Agathe Roux.**—Very large, globular flowers; tender rose, passing to beautiful rosy flesh color. 25 cts.
- Elie Beauvillain.**—Beautifully imbricated flowers, extra large and full; color, fine silver rose, penciled with rich crimson; delicately perfumed. 25 cts.
- Mons. Rosier.**—Pretty, medium sized, very double flowers; bright carmine rose; petals delicately edged with silvery white; richly scented. 25 cts.
- Duchess d'Auerstadt.**—Extra-large, full, regular flowers, clear golden yellow, with shaded orange centre; reverse of petals creamy yellow. 25 cts.
- Souv. de Mad. Metral.**—A very elegant and charming Rose; soft vermilion red, richly shaded with fine vinous crimson; large, full and sweet. 25 cts.
- Mad. Ernest Piard.**—Brilliant crimson, petals finely bordered with silver rose; large, full, regular flowers, very handsome and elegantly tea scented. 25 cts.
- Edward Pailleron.**—Fine salmon rose; richly shaded with rosy crimson, passing to fine bronze rose; very beautiful and sweet. 25 cts.
- Madame Claire Jaubert.**—Extra-large, full flowers of good substance, and borne in large clusters; pale apricot yellow, beautifully clouded with rich Indian red; delightfully fragrant. 25 cts.



Set of Ten New Climbing Tea Roses named above for \$2; \$2.25 per doz.; Two-year size, set \$4.

THE SUNRISE SET OF ROSES.

15 CHOICE SELECTED ROSES, MANY OF THEM NOVELTIES, FOR ONLY \$2 50.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—THIS VERY POPULAR SELECTION COMBINES SO MANY GOOD QUALITIES THAT IT IS IN GREAT DEMAND. IT INCLUDES SEVERAL VALUABLE FAVORITES UNEXCELLED IN BEAUTY, AND A NUMBER OF CHOICE NOVELTIES NEVER BEFORE OFFERED—ALL AT VERY REASONABLE PRICES. THESE BEAUTIFUL VARIETIES ARE ALL CONSTANT BLOOMERS, AND MOST OF THEM ARE MODERATELY HARDY, BUT ALL SHOULD HAVE A GOOD COVERING OF LEAVES OR LITTER JUST BEFORE WINTER BEGINS.



EVER-BLOOMING ROSE, MAD. WELCHE. 25 CTS.

- Madame Welche.**—This grand Rose remains almost unsurpassed in beauty; the color is a beautiful amber yellow, deepening towards the centre to orange coppery yellow, delicately tinged and shaded with ruddy crimson; the flowers are extra large, fine globular form, very double and full, and exceedingly sweet. 25 cts.; Two-year, 40 cts.
- Comtesse Anna Thun.**—New and very beautiful, extra-large full flowers, fine cupped form, petals thick and of good substance; color, golden orange yellow, elegantly shaded with saffron and rich coppery red, deepening at centre to rosy crimson; very distinct and handsome. 20 cts.
- Souv. de Espagne.**—Fine rosy flesh color or China pink, shaded blush, medium size, fragrant flowers, full, and a free bloomer. 20 cts.
- Mad. Marie Pavie.**—Extra-large globular flowers, very fine full form, beautiful buds, very sweet; color, clear rose, passing to bright silvery pink, edged and bordered with pure ivory white. 20 cts.
- Edmund Sablayrolles.**—A strong, healthy grower and very profuse bloomer; large striking handsome flowers; fine purplish red, shading to rich peachy pink; deliciously perfumed, and highly recommended. 20 cts.
- Adele de Bellabre.**—Large handsome flowers; color, citron rose, beautifully lightened with silvery white, sometimes tinted with pale yellow, highly scented, and very beautiful. 20 cts.
- Francisca Pries.**—Noted for its strong upright growth and lovely creamy white flowers, with flesh-colored centre; blooms constantly and abundantly. 20 cts.

- Therese Lambert.**—Elegant and very handsome in form and color; delicate rose color, base of petals finely tinged with old gold, centre pale silvery salmon; very fragrant, large, very full and good; one of the best. 20 cts.
- Primrose Dame.**—This is a beautiful English Tea Rose of a remarkably pretty and unusual color, fine soft golden yellow, passing to coppery gold, faintly flushed with amber and fawn; the flowers are large, regular and full, very double, deliciously sweet, and borne in great profusion; altogether an exceedingly beautiful Rose, and very rare. 20 cts.
- Madame Jules Cambon.**—Large finely formed flowers, very pretty and sweet; color, salmon rose, passing to clear pink with carnation shading; rich and handsome. 20 cts.
- Charles de Thezilat.**—Superb globular flowers, extra large, full and sweet; lovely creamy yellow, with bronze-red centre; very beautiful; exquisitely sweet. 20 cts.



LUCIOLE. PRICE, 25 CTS.

Mad. Therese Deschamps.—Flowers large, semi-double with immense petals, finely imbricated; color, lovely magenta red, beautifully veined with silvery white; delightfully perfumed. 20 cts.

Anna Cook.—A very charming new Rose; medium size, full imbricated flowers; very sweet and beautiful buff pink or pale rose, delicately shaded with amber and coral red; very desirable. 20 cts.

Madame Agatha Nabonnand.—This superbly beautiful Rose resembles in color the delicate hues seen in the inside of the fairest deep-sea shells; rosy flesh, bathed in golden amber; immense egg-shaped buds; broad shell-like petals, and large full flowers; exceedingly sweet. 20 cts.

Luciole.—A grandly beautiful Rose, introduced two years ago; the flowers are extra large, somewhat cupped form, but quite full and double; color, clear cherry red, with rich golden-yellow centre, elegantly shaded; delightfully perfumed, and very handsome. 25 cts.; Two-year, 40 cts.

Prices as given.—5 for \$1; 12 for \$2; set of 15 for \$2.35; with the Novelty set, page 27, and the Two Beautiful Premium Roses, 27 in all, for \$6.20; Two-year size (except noted), 35 cts. each; set of 15 for \$4.

The Cherokee Rose.

The Cherokee Rose is a strong, erect-growing shrub, with deep glossy green leaves, and bearing large pure white roses in great profusion; the flowers are single, but very beautiful and wax-like. It is much esteemed in many parts of the South and Southwest, where it is extensively used for hedges, etc. It is a beautiful shrub and worthy of more general planting. Requires protection in Winter north of Washington, D. C. Price, 20 cts. each; \$2 per doz.; larger size, 30 cts.; \$3 per doz.

The Lady Banks or Banksian Roses

are fine climbing or trailing Roses, good for the South and Pacific coast, where the Winters are not too severe. They require two or three years' growth to bloom to perfection and are then very beautiful. As the flowers are produced on the old growth, they should be pruned very little, merely cutting away what is absolutely necessary.

Alba or White.—Pure white *Violet-scented* flowers; beautiful, perfect form. 15 cts.; 4 for 50 cts.; 8 for \$1.
Lutea or Yellow.—Fine clear yellow; very full and beautiful. 15 cts.; 4 for 50 cts.; 8 for \$1; *the two varieties for 25 cts.*

Microphylla Roses.

—The *White Microphylla* and *Red Microphylla* Roses are hardy, vigorous and bushy varieties; suitable for cemeteries, old walls, mounds, rock work, etc. They have small, glossy, green foliage and are nearly evergreen in habit; the flowers are semi-double, very pretty and sweet. Each, 15 cts.; *the two varieties for 25 cts.*; 4 for 50 cts.

A NEW ENGRAVING OF OUR ESTABLISHMENT AND GROUNDS is shown on last page of cover. The picture heretofore seen on this page was printed from a drawing made in 1877. The new engraving shows additions and changes made in our Greenhouses, Packing-houses, etc., since then.

OUR FAMOUS DIAMOND LIST ROSES.

THE DIAMOND LIST ROSES ARE SCARCE AND VALUABLE SORTS, WHICH HAVE BEEN THOROUGHLY TESTED, AND ARE RECOMMENDED AS RELIABLE VARIETIES OF GREAT BEAUTY AND EXCELLENCE. AS THEY ARE WORTH MORE THAN ORDINARY KINDS, THEY ARE OFFERED IN THIS LIST, CALLED FOR CONVENIENCE THE DIAMOND LIST. PERSONS WHO WISH THE CHOICEST AND BEST VARIETIES CANNOT DO BETTER THAN ORDER FROM THE DIAMOND LIST. WE OFFER TWO COMPLETE SETS OF DIAMOND LIST ROSES, ONE SET OF TWENTY-FIVE EVER-BLOOMING ROSES, AND ONE SET OF TWENTY-FIVE HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES, FIFTY DIAMOND LIST ROSES IN ALL.

DIAMOND LIST EVER-BLOOMING ROSES.



The Bride.—A SUPERB NEW PURE WHITE TEA ROSE, believed to be one of the best PURE WHITE ROSES

ever introduced. The buds and flowers are unusually large, finely formed, very double and full, and deliciously perfumed; it is a strong, healthy grower and free bloomer. Every lover of rare and beautiful Roses wants THE BRIDE. The artist has added some Orange Blossoms as being appropriate to "THE BRIDE,"

but they are of course only imaginary. 20 cts.; Two-year, 40 cts.

Empress Marie of Russia.—A splendid new variety introduced from Europe, and highly recommended; fine, stately flowers, extra large, very full, and delightfully sweet; color, fine canary yellow, passing to white, delicately tinged with pale lemon; very beautiful. 20 cts.

Charles Rovvill.—A charming Tea Rose; large, globular flowers, very full and double; delightfully fragrant; color, a lovely shade of brilliant carmine, changing

to silver rose, centre and base of petals clear golden yellow; very beautiful. 20 cts.

Souv. de Mad. Pernet.—An elegant Rose; large, bold flower; fine, full form, very double and sweet; color, soft rosy crimson, tinged and shaded with clear yellow. 20 cts.

Queen of Bedders.—This splendid Rose originated in England; the plant is a short, upright grower, branching freely, every branch terminated by a cluster of beautiful buds and flowers; the flower is large, full and regular; color, bright glowing crimson; it blooms constantly from early Summer to late Autumn; a recent English writer says a bed of this variety, 25 by 50 feet, had twenty-two thousand five hundred buds and flowers on it at one time. 20 cts.; Two-year, 40 cts.

Souvenir de Victor Hugo.—A splendid Ever-blooming Rose introduced from France; color, lovely citron red, with beautiful amber and fawn shading. Large tulip-shaped flowers, delightfully scented and a very free bloomer. 20 cts.

- Grace Darling.**—A splendid new Tea Rose, introduced by Henry Bennett, of Shepperton-on-Thames, England; color, porcelain rose, elegantly shaded with vinous crimson; medium size, handsome flowers; very sweet. 20 cts.
- Perle des Jardins.**—This magnificent Rose still retains its position as the finest Rose of its color ever introduced; it constantly grows in favor as its merits become better known; color, clear golden yellow; very rich and beautiful; extra-large, globular flowers; very full and highly perfumed. 20 cts.; Two-year, 50 cts.
- Red Malmaison** (*Souvenir de la Malmaison a fleurs Rouges*).—Large flowers, beautifully imbricated; very full, perfect form; color, bright glowing crimson, very vivid, rich and velvety; highly scented and a very promising variety. 20 cts.; Two-year, 50 cts.

Cornelia Cook.—This beautiful Tea Rose is in great demand for its magnificent buds, which are of immense size and of the most lovely and perfect form imaginable; color, pure creamy white, sometimes faintly tinged with pale lemon and blush; very double and sweet. 20 cts.

Madame Angele Jacquier.—A beautiful, large, finely formed Rose; very double and full, and deliciously perfumed; color, bright rosy carmine, deepening to crimson, elegantly tinged and shaded coppery yellow. 20 cts.

Mad. Marguerite Large (New).—Fine, flat, saucer-shaped flowers of good substance, borne in profusion, and very sweet; color, China rose, dashed with rich crimson. 20 cts.



PERLE DES JARDINS. 20 CTS.

Triumph de Luxembourg.—

A splendid Rose; immense rosy pink buds and flowers, perfectly double and exceedingly sweet; a vigorous grower and constant and profuse bloomer. 20 cts.

Baroness M. Werner.—A very beautiful and handsome variety; large, full, broad-petaled flowers, delightfully perfumed; color, rich, creamy white, delicately shaded with salmon and rose, passing to amaranth. 20 cts.

Madame Cusin.—A striking and

very beautiful Rose; color, bright purplish crimson, with white centre, elegantly tinged and shaded with yellow; very distinct and handsome. 20 cts.

Catharine Mermet.—A very beautiful Tea Rose, valued highly for its elegant buds; color, clear shining pink, with delicately shaded amber and fawn centre; large, globular flowers; one of the very finest varieties; a strong, healthy grower and a good bloomer, equally desirable both for open-ground planting and forcing under glass. 20 cts.

Souv. de Germain de Saint Pierre.—A very showy and attractive variety; the beautiful flowers are borne in clusters; constant and profuse bloomer; color, bright purplish crimson; very vivid and striking; large, full and sweet. 20 cts.

Queen's Scarlet.—Very desirable and satisfactory; a constant and profuse bloomer; color, rich velvety scarlet, very brilliant and striking; flowers large and quite full; vigorous and hardy; a very good variety for bedding, either in masses or mixed with other sorts. 20 cts.

- President Constant (New).**—An extra-fine Rose; large, regular form, well filled and delightfully perfumed; color, clear rosy pink, finely shaded; edged and bordered with violet crimson. 20 cts.
- Marechal Robert.**—A splendid Rose; full globular flowers; long pointed buds; very double and deliciously sweet; color, pure white, faintly tinged and shaded with soft blush and lemon yellow. 20 cts.
- Letty Coles.**—Still regarded as one of the finest Roses of its color; soft rosy pink, deeply shaded with intense crimson; extra-large, full globular form; very double; exceedingly sweet, tea fragrance. 20 cts.
- Madame Joseph Schwartz.**—A lovely new Tea Rose; extra-large globular flowers, very full and deliciously sweet; color, pure white, elegantly tinged and shaded with pale yellow and rosy blush; an exceedingly beautiful Rose, and a constant and profuse bloomer. 20 cts.



NEW EVER-BLOOMING ROSE, MAD. DE
WATTEVILLE. PRICE, 20 CTS.

- Madame de Watteville.**—This grand New Ever-blooming Rose is one of the most beautiful varieties we have ever sent out, and is very largely planted by those who know its beauty. The color is a remarkable shade of creamy yellow, richly colored with rosy blush; the petals are large and each one widely bordered with bright crimson, which gives it a very striking and beautiful appearance. The flowers are large, very full and highly perfumed. 20 cts.; Two-year, 40 cts.
- Niphetos.**—An elegant Tea Rose; very large and double; deliciously sweet; color, pure snow white, sometimes faintly tinged with pale lemon. It is highly valued for its lovely buds, which are remarkably large, fine and particularly valuable for bouquets, etc. 20 cts.; Two-year, 50 cts.



NEW EVER-BLOOMING ROSE, ETOILE DE LYON. PRICE, 20 CTS.

Etoile de Lyon.—This magnificent Tea Rose originated at Lyons, France; color, beautiful chrome yellow, deepening at centre to pure golden yellow; flowers very large, very double and full, and deliciously fragrant; one of the best Roses of its class. 20 cts.; Two-year, 40 cts.

Price of Diamond List Roses.—20 cts. each; 5 for \$1; 12 for \$2; 19 for \$3; set of 25 for \$4; 50 for \$7.50; \$15 per hundred. Both sets of Diamond Roses, 25 Ever-blooming and 25 Hybrid Perpetuals, with our Two Premium Roses, 52 in all, \$7.70.

Two-year size (except noted), 35 cts. each; 6 for \$1.75; \$3.50 per doz.; set of 25 for \$8. By Express.

THE NEW AMERICAN BEAUTY ROSE.

The American Beauty is a constant-blooming Hybrid Perpetual, with large, full, deep rich flowers, always in bloom and exceedingly sweet, and one of the very best for garden, also for greenhouse and pot culture. Price, 50 cts., \$5 per doz.; Two-year (by Express), \$1 each.

THE SPOTTED CALLA LILY.—The leaves of this beautiful Calla are deep green, with distinct white spots, which give the plants a striking appearance. The flowers are pure white, with a black centre, and are very beautiful. They bloom freely and grow easily in any soil. They also make splendid pot-plants. We send large, solid bulbs that will bloom soon. 25 cts.; \$2.50 per doz.

The New Hybrid Perpetual Roses of 1890

SET OF TWELVE SPLENDID NOVELTIES.

NOTE.—THESE MAGNIFICENT NEW ROSES ARE THE FINEST NOVELTIES IN HYBRID PERPETUALS, AND AS THEY ARE OFFERED AT VERY MODERATE PRICES, WE TRUST THEY WILL BE EXTENSIVELY PLANTED BY LOVERS OF NEW AND RARE ROSES EVERYWHERE.



NEW HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSE, MARCHIONESS OF LORNE. 35 CTS.

- Marchioness of Lorne.**—A very elegant New Hybrid Perpetual Rose; large, full, cupped form, delightfully fragrant; color, deep carnation pink, beautifully shaded with rich scarlet crimson. 35 cts.
- Grand Mogul.**—Splendid, large, bold flowers, borne on erect stems; very grand and striking; color, deep brilliant crimson, elegantly flamed with scarlet and dark maroon. 35 cts.
- Silver Queen.**—An exceedingly lovely and beautiful Rose; elegant silvery bluish, passing to delicate rosy pink; large, full, cupped form, richly scented; a continuous and abundant bloomer. 35 cts.
- Earl of Dufferin.**—Fine, velvety crimson, beautifully shaded with dark rich maroon; very large, full, and finely formed; fragrant, and free bloomer. 35 cts.
- Lady Helen Stewart.**—Bright, scarlet crimson; flowers fully rounded out; petals large and thick; highly perfumed; very beautiful. 35 cts.
- Columbia.**—Recommended by the raiser as a fine white Hardy Perpetual Bedding Rose, low growing, bushy habit, and a continuous bloomer. 35 cts.
- Prince de Beira.**—Extra large and full; color, brilliant vermilion red; edges and reverse of petals violet crimson; highly perfumed. 35 cts.
- Souv. de Joseph Pernet.**—This splendid Rose is a very free bloomer; color, fine deep red flamed with amaranth; very sweet and handsome. 35 cts.
- Professeur Jolibois.**—Elegant, large, globular flowers, very double, full and sweet; color, dark magenta red; rich and velvety. 35 cts.
- Edouard Michel.**—Immense size, spherical form; color, fine, vivid carmine, handsomely shaded with purplish rose; very rich and striking. 35 cts.
- Mad'elle Marie Metral.**—Beautiful flowers, very fragrant and showy; color, fine, rosy salmon, passing to clear pink, penciled with carmine. 35 cts.
- Mad'elle Marguerite Boudet.**—Extra-large, very beautiful flowers and buds; color, pale satiny pink, finely tinted with silvery white; delightfully perfumed. 35 cts.

Price, 35 cts. each; any three, Purchaser's choice, for \$1.00; set of 12 for \$3.25.

OUR FAMOUS DIAMOND LIST ROSES

NOTICE.—THE ROSES IN THIS LIST HAVE BEEN FULLY TESTED, AND ARE RECOMMENDED AS BEING PARTICULARLY VALUABLE, AND CERTAIN TO GIVE SATISFACTION; THEY ARE ALL CHOICE SORTS, AND MANY OF THEM ARE AMONG THE VERY BEST HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES EVER GROWN; ALMOST ALL OF THESE VARIETIES BLOOM THE FIRST SEASON, AND ARE ENTIRELY HARDY; BUT WHEN CONVENIENT, A LIGHT COVERING OF LEAVES OR LITTER IN WINTER IS ALWAYS AN ADVANTAGE.

DIAMOND LIST HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES.



PAUL NEYRON. PRICE, 20 CTS.

Paul Neyron.—We illustrate this grand Rose, and ask special attention to it; the flowers are immense; it is probably the largest Rose grown, and one of the finest; bright, shining pink, very clear and beautiful; very double and full, finely scented; blooms the first season and all Summer. No collection is complete without this magnificent variety. 20 cts.; Two-year, 50 cts.

Alfred Colomb.—Justly celebrated as one of the very finest Hybrid Perpetual Roses; extra-large, round flowers, very double and full; color, clear, cherry red, passing to bright rich crimson; very fragrant. We know of no variety of its color that gives more general satisfaction. 20 cts.; Two-year, 35 cts.

Baron Nathaniel de Rothschild.—Flowers extra large, full and double; color, bright carmine, passing at centre to clear pink; petals delicately edged with white; exquisitely perfumed. 20 cts.

Madame Marie Closon.—Flowers extra large and full, splendid form; color, beautiful pale flesh, deepening at centre to rosy crimson; petals edged with white; highly scented; a constant bloomer; one of the best. 20 cts.

Madame Masson.—An excellent Hybrid Perpetual, noted for constant and profuse bloom; the flowers are large; color, clear bright rose, highly perfumed; one of the best for general planting. 20 cts.

Anna de Diesbach (*Glory of Paris*).—Brilliant crimson, sometimes shaded with bright maroon; long pointed buds, and large, finely formed, compact flowers; very full and sweet; one of the best. Price, 20 cts.



CONSTANT-BLOOMING HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSE LA FRANCE. PRICE, 20 CTS.

La France is one of the most beautiful and desirable constant-blooming Hybrid Perpetual Roses that we have; the flowers and buds are immense; color a lovely shade of peach blossom, changing to amber rose, tinged crimson; delicious tea fragrance, exceedingly sweet; very full, and wonderfully beautiful in every way; commences to bloom soon after planting out, and continues all Summer. 20 cts.

Bernard Verlot.—A magnificent Rose; large, full, globular flowers; color, dark, rich crimson, passing to a deep violet purple; a free bloomer and very sweet. 20 cts.

Countess of Oxford.—A superb Rose; extra-large flowers; full, perfect form; exceedingly sweet; color, bright carmine red, elegantly shaded. 20 cts.

Roi d'Espagne (*King of Spain*).—This beautiful Rose is probably one of the best in the list; it is a free and continuous bloomer; large, globular flowers, very full and fragrant; color, intense scarlet, passing to bright velvety crimson. 20 cts.

Fisher Holmes.—Dark, rich scarlet, elegantly shaded with deep velvety crimson; very brilliant and beautiful; extra-large, full flowers; fragrant. 20 cts.; Two-year, 40 cts.

- Empress of India.**—An imperial Rose in every way; splendid form, very large, full and double; very fragrant; color, dark violet crimson, finely shaded and velvety. 20 cts.
- Monsieur Fillon.**—Brilliant magenta red, changing to fine violet purple or lilac rose; extra-large, full, globular flowers; very handsome, showy and fragrant; profuse bloomer; one of the best. 20 cts.
- Antoine Wintzer.**—Raised by Eugene Verdier, the great Rosarian of Paris, and named in honor of Mr. Wintzer, of THE DINGEE & CONARD CO. The flowers are large and full, and borne in clusters; the color is clear, rosy red, brightest in the centre; it is a free bloomer and fragrant, and is believed to be a valuable acquisition. 20 cts.
- Coquette des Blanches.**—Pure snowy white, sometimes faintly tinged with pale rose; blooms in large clusters; flowers medium size, full and pretty; slightly fragrant; blooms the first year and all through the season. 20 cts.
- Marie Baumann.**—An excellent Rose; very large, full and fragrant; color, rich ruby red, changing to lovely scarlet maroon; very beautiful. 20 cts.; Two-year, 40 cts.
- Elize Boelle.**—An elegant Rose; very full and double, and delightfully perfumed; color, pure ivory white, sometimes clouded with blush and tinged with amber. 20 cts.
- Crimson Bedder.**—Scarce and fine; flowers extra large, perfect form, very double, full and fragrant; color, bright, dazzling crimson, very brilliant and fine; a free bloomer. 20 cts.



COQUETTE DES BLANCHES. 20 CTS.

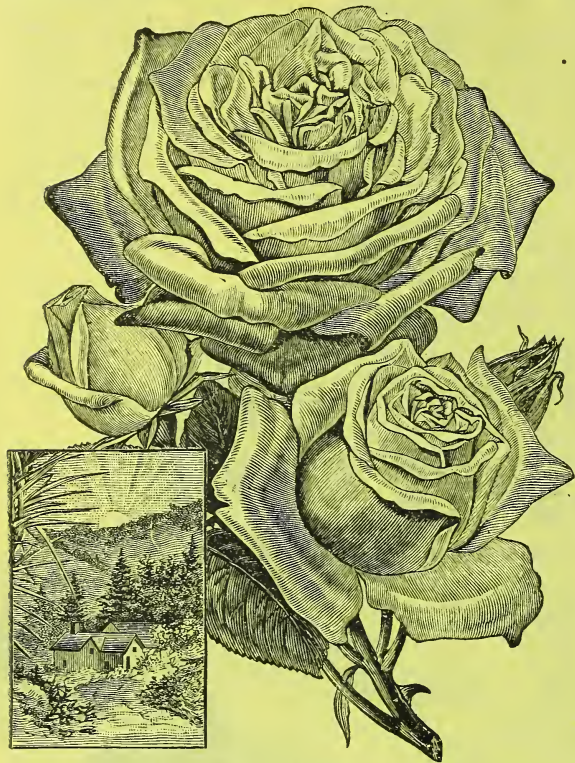
- Fontennelle.**—Bright, shining scarlet, beautifully shaded with rich crimson; petals edged with violet; very large, handsome flowers; full and double, and exceedingly sweet. 20 cts.
- Marguerite de Roman.**—Pure white, delicately tinged with pink, centre bright, carmine rose; large; full, finely formed and fragrant; a very free bloomer. 20 cts.
- Antoine Mouton.**—This splendid Rose always gives satisfaction; the plant is vigorous and hardy; an early and free bloomer; the flowers are of extraordinary size and fullness; very fragrant; color, bright clear pink; reverse of petals, silvery rose. 20 cts.
- Rev. J. B. Camm.**—Flowers of large size, fine globular form, full and double; bright, rosy pink; very fragrant; one of the best. 20 cts.
- Monsieur E. Y. Teas.**—A very beautiful and satisfactory Rose; color, rich, glowing crimson; very bright and striking; large, round flowers, of perfect form; very full and sweet; highly recommended. 20 cts.
- Madame Thevenot.**—An excellent Rose; rich crimson, passing to cardinal red, delicately tinged with violet; very showy and handsome; flowers large, finely formed, very double, full and sweet. 20 cts.
- Doctor Baillon.**—New and fine; large, full and finely formed flowers; bright shining crimson, exquisitely shaded with rosy purple; very beautiful and fragrant. 20 cts.

Price of Diamond List Roses.—20 cts. each; 5 for \$1; 12 for \$2; 19 for \$3; set of 25 for \$4; 50 for \$7.50; \$15 per hundred. Both sets of Diamond Roses, 25 Ever-blooming and 25 Hybrid Perpetuals, with our Two Premium Roses, 52 in all, for \$7.70.

Two-year Size.—(Except noted), 35 cts. each; 6 for \$1.75; \$3.50 per doz.; set of 25 for \$8, by Express.

6 Highly Celebrated New Ever-blooming Roses

NOTE.—We recommend these charming **New Ever-blooming Roses** as being particularly beautiful and desirable for general planting. They embrace several of the most lovely shades of color, and produce some of the most beautiful buds and flowers of any Roses we know. Not being entirely hardy, they should be nicely covered with leaves or garden litter before Winter sets in.



NEW TEA ROSE, SUNSET. 25 CTS.

with rosy buff centre, passing to apricot, delicately shaded with scarlet crimson; pretty and sweet. 20 cts.
Souvenir de Admiral Courbet.—Round, globular flowers; very solid and compact, and borne in large clusters; color, bright fiery red; very lovely and striking; highly scented; very beautiful. 20 cts.

Special Offer.—The **Sunset** set of 6 elegant **New Ever-blooming Roses** described above, for \$1.10; with the 2 beautiful **Premium Roses** (page 23), 8 for \$1.30; Two-year size (by Express), except noted, 35 cts. each; set of six for \$2; with **Premium Roses**, 8 for \$2.50.



CLAIRE JACQUIER. PRICE, 25 CTS.

fine satiny rose, with carnation-red centre; very sweet and handsome;—quite of the best. 25 cts.

*Set of Three New Climbing Fairy-Roses for 50 cts.; with set of 10 New Climbing Tea Roses (page 27), 13 for \$2.50; with **Sunset** set of 6 named above, 19 for \$3.50.*

Sunset.—This grand Rose is one of the most beautiful varieties recently introduced, and a great favorite wherever known. The color is rich golden amber or old gold, elegantly shaded with dark ruddy crimson resembling the beautiful tints seen in a Summer sunset. The flowers and buds are extra large; full, finely formed and deliciously perfumed; it is a strong, vigorous grower and free bloomer; highly recommended both for open-ground and house culture; one of the very best. 25 cts.; Two-year, 50 cts.

Mad. Philemon Cochet.—Fine salmon pink; very tender and fresh, passing to rosy flesh color, delicately shaded with blush; makes beautiful buds; large size flowers, very full and sweet, and fine for bedding. 20 cts.

Madame Laurette Messimy.—New and highly recommended for bedding; a constant bloomer; very pretty, medium-size flowers; bright China pink, with rich coppery yellow shading; a vigorous grower, with fine, handsome foliage. 20 cts.

Duchess de Bragance.—A very beautiful Rose, not much known as yet; elegant canary yellow; beautifully shaded pale carmine, with bright red centre; petals delicately edged with silver rose; fine, large, full flowers, very double and delicately perfumed. 20 cts.

Edward Gontier.—A beautiful New Rose; color, fine creamy yellow,

New Climbing Fairy-Roses.

(POLYANTHAS.)

These three **New Climbing Fairy-Roses**, described below, are Prime Novelties just imported from Europe, and are claimed by the originators to be extra fine. They will doubtless be desirable in the Southern and Pacific States and in favorable localities in the North if given protection in Winter. They are recommended for pillars, trellises, arbors, rock-work, etc. The flowers are beautiful miniature Roses, perfectly full and double, and borne in great clusters and wreaths of bloom almost covering the plants; delightfully fragrant and sweet-scented.

Claire Jacquier.—Nankeen-yellow, shaded lemon and orange; very full and double, strikingly beautiful. 25 cts.

Max Singer.—Bright, clear, glowing pink; immense clusters of full, double flowers; very fragrant and a perpetual bloomer. 25 cts.

Mad'le Jeanne Ferron.—Quite large, very full flowers; very sweet and handsome;—one of the best. 25 cts.

STANDARD LIST EVER-BLOOMING ROSES

FOR GENERAL PLANTING.

Price—15 cts. ; 4 for 50 cts. ; 8 for \$1 ; 17 for \$2 ; 27 for \$3 ; 38 for \$4 ;
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IMPORTANT NOTICE.—We ask particular attention to our Standard List Ever-blooming Roses. They are carefully selected, well-tried sorts, highly recommended for beds, masses, borders and all kinds of general planting—some people of course prefer the DIAMOND ROSES, which cost more, and others the STAR LIST ROSES, which cost less, but no one will go wrong who plants the STANDARD LIST ROSES—a small bed, costing but a trifle, will be a constant source of enjoyment all Summer long, and you can gather baskets full of beautiful Roses almost any day from June to December. Prices are lower than ever this year, and we are growing these varieties in immense quantity to meet the increasing demand.

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NOTE.—When ordering Roses, if you do not feel sure about varieties, you can safely leave the selection to us, stating what colors you prefer, and we will carefully select the best varieties for your purpose and send all nicely labeled, guaranteeing satisfaction in every case.



THIS CIRCULAR BED, 3 1/2 FEET IN DIAMETER, HOLDS 27 ROSES. PRICE, \$3.

- Abbe Girardin.**—Flowers very large and full ; delightfully fragrant ; color, bright satiny rose, with rich crimson centre ; constant and profuse bloomer.
- Adam.**—A lovely Rose ; bright, fresh carmine pink ; extra-large size, very double and full ; free bloomer ; delicious tea scent.
- Adrienne Christophle.**—Flowers large, very full and double ; delightful tea fragrance ; color, a lovely shade of apricot, citron and fawn, tinged and shaded with soft, rosy pink.
- Agrippina.**—Brilliant, fiery red ; good size and form ; very double, full and sweet ; an early and profuse bloomer ; much esteemed.
- Alba Rosea.**—Beautiful creamy white, with rose-colored centre ; petals shaded with blush ; very double and fragrant ; extra fine.
- Aline Sisley.**—A splendid Rose ; flower is large, very full and double, exceedingly sweet ; color, a rare shade of violet red, brightened with crimson maroon ; makes elegant, large, pointed buds ; very beautiful.
- Alphonse Karr.**—A very beautiful Tea Rose ; fine large buds and flowers ; very full and double ; color, bright violet crimson, deeply shaded with purplish red ; centre brilliant carmine ; very sweet.
- American Banner.**—White flowers, each bud and flower distinctly striped with bright red ; highly perfumed.
- Andre Schwartz.**—Recently introduced and recommended by the European growers as "THE TRUE TEA JACQUEMINOT," the color is brilliant, glowing scarlet, passing to rich crimson ; very bright and striking ; a constant and profuse bloomer ; flowers large, full and sweet.
- Anna Olivier.**—A superb Rose ; very large, full form ; very double and good substance ; color, lovely, creamy blush, shaded with deep carmine, tinged and edged with silver rose ; very fragrant.
- Apolline.**—An extra-fine Rose ; very large, full and double ; exceedingly sweet ; color, clear pink, dashed with rosy crimson ; edges and reverse of petals, silvery rose ; one of the best.
- Archduc Charles.**—Brilliant crimson scarlet, shaded with violet crimson ; large, very double and sweet ; a good hardy grower and constant bloomer ; a splendid Rose.
- Aurore.**—A very pretty and valuable Rose ; full medium size ; very double and sweet ; color, silvery rose, beautifully shaded and veined with clear pink ; an excellent bedding Rose.
- Bella.**—Pure snow white ; large size, very full and double ; tea scented ; splendid, large pointed buds ; an excellent sort.
- Bon Silene.**—Noted for the great size and beauty of its buds, which are valued very highly for bouquets and decorative purposes ; deep rose color, sometimes bright, rosy crimson, occasionally pale light rose ; very sweet and beautiful.
- Bougere.**—This is a superb Rose ; extra large, very double and full ; exceedingly sweet tea scent ; color, bronze rose, or violet crimson, delicately shaded with lilac.

- Bourbon Queen.**—A splendid Rose; large, fine form; very double; full and sweet; color, bright carmine, changing to clear rose; petals edged with pure white.
- Celine Forestier.**—Pale, sulphur yellow; large, full form, perfectly double; a fine bloomer and good grower; one of the best of its class.
- Chromatella.**—Clear bright yellow; good form and substance; large, very full and double; very sweet; much prized in the South for a pillar or veranda Rose.
- Claire Carnot.**—Buff or orange yellow, with peach blossom centre; medium size; full and compact flowers; delightful tea scent; very pretty and desirable.
- Clement Nabonnand.**—Charming buds and beautiful flowers; color, coppery gold, elegantly flushed with purplish crimson; a constant and profuse bloomer; very sweet.
- Climbing Hermosa.**—See Hardy Ever-blooming Climbing Roses, page 20.
- Cloth of Gold.**—The same as Chromatella.
- Comtesse de Barbantanne.**—Clear, flesh color, with deep crimson centre; large, full form; very double and fragrant; a noble Rose.
- Comtess Riza du Parc.**—A fine variety, imported from France; color, bright coppery rose, tinged and shaded with soft violet crimson; the flower is large, very full and sweet, and a profuse bloomer.
- Coquette de Lyon.**—A lovely Tea Rose; exquisite canary yellow; clear, translucent texture and delicious perfume; flowers large; fine form; very full and double.
- David Pradel.**—Flowers very large and full; color, beautiful lilac rose, deepening at centre to rich violet crimson; profuse bloomer; very sweet.
- Devoniensis (Magnolia Rose).**—Beautiful creamy white and rosy centre; large, very full and double; delightfully sweet tea scent; one of the finest Roses.
- Doctor Berthet.**—Beautiful silvery pink; brightening at centre to deep carmine, passing to rosy crimson; fine, large flowers; very double and sweet.
- Douglas.**—Dark cherry red, rich and velvety; large, full and fragrant; a neat compact grower; very desirable for bedding.
- Duchesse de Brabant.**—Soft, rosy pink, petals edged with silver; very sweet; one of the best.
- Duchess of Edinburgh.**—A splendid Rose, in great demand for its lovely buds and remarkable for its beautiful color, which is the most intense glowing crimson imaginable.
- Duchesse de Thuringe.**—Beautiful silver rose, or pure white shaded with amber; elegantly cupped form; very full and sweet; a lovely Rose.
- Empress Eugenie.**—Beautiful rosy flesh, deepening at centre to clear pink, petals delicately margined with purple; very large and full, perfectly double; very sweet tea scent; quite hardy; an elegant Rose.
- Estella Pradel.**—Climbing habit; valuable in the South; lovely pure white buds; flowers medium size, full and sweet; profuse bloomer; very handsome.
- Gen. de Tartas.**—A first-class Rose for bedding; brilliant carmine, deeply shaded with violet purple; large size, very double, full and fragrant.
- Gloire de Dijon.**—A magnificent Rose; one of the finest in every respect; large, perfectly double and tea scented; color, rich, creamy white, beautifully tinged with amber and pale blush; in the South a splendid climber or pillar Rose.
- Henry Meynadier.**—Flowers very large, having broad shell-like petals, thick and of good substance, centre well filled; color, unique rose, prettily shaded and delightfully scented.
- Henry Plantier.**—Color, bright shining rose; extra large and full, very double and fragrant; hardy and good.
- Hermosa.**—An excellent Rose; blooms in fine clusters; large, very double and fragrant; color, beautiful clear rose; a constant bloomer; hardy; one of the best.
- Homer.**—Extra good; large, very full and double; tea scented; color, light flesh, changing to silvery rose; very fine.
- Isabella Sprunt.**—Bright canary yellow; large, beautiful buds; valuable for cut flowers; very sweet tea scent; profuse bloomer.
- James Sprunt.**—See Hardy Ever-blooming Climbing Roses, page 20.
- Jeanne Abel.**—One of the finest New Tea Roses lately introduced; color, soft rosy red, edged with bright crimson, and penciled with gold; large, very beautiful flowers; exceedingly sweet.
- Jeanne d'Arc.**—Fine, golden yellow; full globular form, very double; highly tea scented; extra fine.
- Jean Pernet.**—Beautiful canary yellow; large, very full and double; tea scented; a splendid Rose.
- Jules Finger.**—Elegant and valuable; flowers extra large and finely formed, very full and sweet; color, bright rosy scarlet, beautifully shaded with intense crimson; a vigorous grower and free bloomer.
- Lamarque.**—A fine climber for greenhouses and conservatories, and in the South for out-door culture; pale canary yellow, almost white, beautiful buds; large, full flowers, very double and sweet.
- La Nankeen.**—Highly valued for its magnificent buds, which are deep orange yellow at base and rich creamy white at the point; exceedingly beautiful, and different from all others; very fragrant.
- La Pactole.**—Pale sulphur yellow; large, full and double; beautiful buds; very sweet, tea scented.
- Louisa de la Rive.**—This elegant New Rose has been thoroughly tested and has given great satisfaction; it is a robust grower and a constant and profuse bloomer; the color is soft rosy blush, delicately shaded with salmon and lawn; the flowers are quite large, very full and delightfully sweet.
- Lucullus.**—Beautiful dark crimson maroon; large, full and fragrant; very double; a constant and profuse bloomer; extra good for out-door culture.
- Mad. Berard.**—A first-class variety; clear, salmon pink, beautifully shaded crimson and rose; large, finely formed buds and flowers; very full and sweet.
- Mad. Alfred Carriere.**—See Hardy Ever-blooming Climbing Roses, page 20.
- Mad. Jeannie Cuvier.**—New and highly recommended; fine salmon rose, passing to clear glossy pink, nicely shaded with rich carmine; good size, very full and sweet.
- Mad. Falcot.**—Fine apricot yellow, with beautiful orange buds; much valued for bouquets; tea scented, a constant bloomer; medium size and fullness.
- Mad. Honore Defresne.**—Extra-large, full, very sweet flowers; color, clear golden yellow; petals elegantly reflexed; a strong, vigorous grower, with thick foliage; excellent for open-ground planting.
- Mad. Camille.**—A magnificent Rose; extra-large size, very double and full; immense buds; color, delicate rosy flesh, changing to salmon rose, elegantly shaded and suffused with deep carmine; very sweet tea scent.

- Mad. Bravy.**—Rich creamy white, with blush centre; perfect form; large, very double and sweet.
- Mad. Devacout.**—A magnificent Rose; beautiful clear canary yellow; delicious tea fragrance; large, very double and full; beautiful in bud and flower.
- Mad. Chedane Guinoisseau.**—A valuable and exceedingly beautiful variety; flowers clear golden yellow; large, very full and sweet; buds long and pointed; opens well; first-class in every way.
- Mad. Lombard.**—A first-class Rose; extra-large, full flowers; very double and sweet; color, a beautiful shade of rosy bronze, passing to salmon and fawn, beautifully shaded with carmine; buds and reverse of petals deep rosy crimson; an elegant Rose.
- Mad. Margottin.**—This is a grand Rose; always a favorite; very large, perfectly double; flowers elegantly perfumed; color, beautiful dark citron yellow, with bright red centre; a strong grower and quite hardy.
- Mad. Caroline Kuster.**—Beautiful orange yellow, clear and distinct; fine, full form; large and very double; highly perfumed; very desirable.
- Mad. F. Brassac.**—The flowers and buds are extra large and very double and full; color, a novel shade of bronze red or tawny crimson, delicately tinted with fine coppery yellow; entirely distinct and very beautiful; justly considered a very excellent Rose.
- Mad. Maurice Kuppenheim.**—A remarkably pretty French Rose; flowers of elegant form, large, full and double; color, pale canary yellow, faintly tinged with pink, shaded with coppery rose, sometimes soft, rosy flesh; very sweet, handsome and desirable; an elegant sort.
- Mad. Rivozy.**—Beautiful, rich crimson scarlet; very bright color; large, fine form, full and double; very fragrant; one of the best.
- Mad'elle Rachel.**—A lovely Tea Rose; pure snow white; very double; deliciously scented; makes beautiful buds; is an elegant Rose for either house culture or open ground.
- Mad. Max Singer.**—New and strongly recommended by the originators, who describe it as clear yellow, shaded orange, centre golden yellow; medium size, very full flowers, finely perfumed.
- Mad. Jean Sisley.**—The petals of this elegant Rose are finely fringed or crimped, which gives the blooms an unusually beautiful appearance. Color, pure snow white, sometimes creamy white, faintly tinged with pale carmine. The flowers are medium size, full and double and delicately perfumed; it is a constant and profuse bloomer, and quite hardy.
- Mad. Leon St. Jean.**—Beautiful, large buds, carmine and orange shaded, changing, when open, to blush rose, tinged with fawn and citron, sometimes pale lemon yellow; very full, double and sweet; an excellent Rose.
- Mad. Villermoz.**—A lovely, creamy white Rose, tinged and shaded with blush; extra-large size, very full and double; exceedingly sweet tea scent.
- Mad'elle Claudine Perreau.**—The flowers are extra large, full and perfectly double; color, beautiful rosy flesh, passing to clear pink on white ground, with rich crimson centre; a strong vigorous grower and free bloomer, delightfully perfumed.
- Malmaison.**—Rich creamy flesh, changing to lovely fawn, with rose centre; very large, perfectly double and exceedingly sweet; one of the finest varieties; quite hardy.
- Marechal Neil.**—One of the largest and most beautiful Tea Roses grown; flowers extra large, very double and deliciously perfumed; color, deep golden yellow; buds of immense size. We offer this fine Rose in three sizes—One-year old, 15 cts.; Larger, 35 cts.; Two-year old, 50 cts.
- Marie Ducher.**—Rich transparent salmon, with fawn centre; large size, very double and sweet.
- Marie Guillot.**—A splendid Rose, first class in every respect; color, pure snow white, sometimes faintly tinged with pale yellow; extra-large size, full and double; very sweet tea scent.
- Marie d'Orleans.**—New and fine; medium to large size flowers, very full and fragrant; color, rich coppery red, with bright pink centre; a constant and profuse bloomer; very sweet.
- Miss Edith Gifford.**—A lovely new Tea Rose; color, rich creamy white, delicately tinged with blush and pale yellow; large, finely formed buds and flowers, deliciously perfumed.
- Mons. Chebaud de Saint Mandrier.**—New and very beautiful, and promises to be valuable; large, finely formed buds and flowers, very double and full; color, clear rich crimson, very bright and handsome and deliciously perfumed.
- Mad. de Vatry.**—A splendid Tea Rose; large, full form, very double and sweet; color, rich crimson scarlet; very bright.
- Marquise de Vivens.**—The color is a novel shade of rich violet crimson, with centre and base of petals creamy yellow, exquisitely tinted salmon and fawn; large, full flowers, very sweet, and a constant and profuse bloomer.
- Monthly Cabbage.**—This fine old variety is still in great demand; the flower is bright rosy pink, and remarkably full and fragrant; a constant bloomer; known also as the Hundred-Leaved Rose.
- Perle de Lyon.**—Beautiful orange yellow, with peach shading, sometimes coppery gold, stained with crimson; charming buds and large globular flowers, full and deliciously perfumed.
- President.**—Splendid large flowers and buds, very double and full; color, soft rosy crimson, changing to brilliant carmine, shaded purplish red; very fragrant and beautiful.
- Princess of Wales.**—A splendid Tea Rose; flowers large and of perfect form; outside petals rosy yellow, the centre rich golden yellow, and delicately shaded with carmine and crimson.
- Reine Marie Henrietta.**—Large, finely formed flowers, very full and double, borne in clusters and tea scented; color, rich crimson, elegantly shaded.
- Reine Marie Pia.**—See Hardy Ever-blooming Climbing Roses, page 20.
- Roi de Cramoisie.**—Bright purplish crimson; large, full and double; fragrant; a profuse bloomer and good bedder.
- Rubens.**—Lovely pale yellow, slightly tinged with fawn; very double and sweet; large, full flowers; very desirable.
- Safrano.**—Bright apricot yellow, changing to orange and fawn, sometimes tinted with rose; valued highly for its beautiful buds; very fragrant, and one of the best.
- Solfaterre.**—Climbing habit, a lovely Rose for the South; fine, clear sulphur yellow; good form, large, full and double; very sweet.
- Sombreuil.**—Pure white, edged and tinged with silvery rose; very sweet, large and double.
- Souv. D'Un Ami.**—A lovely Tea Rose; extra-large, globular flowers; very full and deliciously sweet; color, deep rosy flesh, beautifully shaded with rich carmine; edges and reverse of petals silver rose; a strong, vigorous grower and profuse bloomer.

- Souv. de Marie Detry.**—An elegant Rose; large size; full, regular form, very double and sweet; color, pure white, beautifully flushed and tinted with soft rosy crimson; exquisite buds.
- Souv. de Gabriel Drevet.**—A rare shade of salmon, red or terra cotta, delicately toned with violet crimson; a very striking and novel color; flowers large and well filled; petals thick and of good substance, deliciously fragrant and very beautiful.
- Souv. de Madame Lambert.**—Large canary-colored flower, exquisitely shaded and tinted with salmon rose; very sweet and handsome; a fine, vigorous grower and free bloomer.
- Souv. de Paul Neyron.**—An elegant sort; color is white, beautifully tinged with clear golden yellow, each petal exquisitely edged with bright rosy crimson; very distinct and fine; the flower is medium size, very full and double, with delicious tea scent; a profuse bloomer.
- Souv. de George Sand.**—Elegant and valuable; fine, large, full flowers; bright carmine buds, changing when open to reddish amber, veined with brilliant crimson; very fragrant.
- Therese Genevay.**—A lovely Rose; beautifully cupped form, full and double; very fragrant tea scent; color, rosy peach or peach blossom, shaded crimson.
- Vallee de Chamounix.**—A very beautiful Rose; good size, very double, full and sweet; color, coppery yellow, elegantly shaded and tinged with rosy blush.
- Viridiflora, Green Rose.**—Flower quite double; pure, deep green; a great curiosity.
- Washington.**—See Hardy Ever-blooming Climbing Roses, page 20.
- White Bon Silene.**—This elegant new variety is valued particularly for its splendid buds, which are remarkably large and handsome; the color is pale lemon yellow, passing to rich creamy white; very beautiful.
- William Allen Richardson.**—A magnificent climber in the South; color, rich coppery yellow, flushed with carmine; flowers large, full and fragrant.

SPECIAL OFFER.—The set of 105 Standard Ever-blooming Roses for \$10.50. Two-year Size for immediate effect, set of 105 for \$21 (by Express only).

HARDY HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES.

The Hybrid Perpetuals are considered the most valuable of all Roses. They are fully as beautiful as the Ever-bloomers, but entirely different, and should be included in every collection.

They are hardy, vigorous growers, particularly valuable for planting in the Middle and Northern States, because not easily injured by the Winter. They are valuable also for the South, where they succeed almost equally well.

Immense Flowers.—Many of the Hybrid Perpetual Flowers are of immense size, frequently from five to six inches in diameter; they are exceedingly fragrant and of the most gorgeous and dazzling colors except yellow. Though called "PERPETUAL," they are not such early and constant bloomers as the Ever-blooming Roses. Some varieties do not bloom the first year, but grow strong and get ready for the next. When once established, however, they bloom freely at usual time early in the season, and many varieties continue to bloom at short intervals during the Summer and Autumn months. Like all valuable flowers, they are much improved in size and beauty by rich ground and good cultivation.

When you plant Hybrid Perpetuals you may be sure of having Roses every year without further trouble. They require but little attention and bloom regularly, and though they are AMONG THE HARDIEST OF ALL ROSES and may be expected to bear any reasonable degree of cold without injury, a light covering of leaves, straw or evergreen branches put on before Winter begins is always an advantage in exposed situations.

Plant in Open Ground.—The Hybrid Perpetuals should always be planted in open ground; they are not suitable for house culture—the Ever-bloomers, Hybrid Teas and Fairy Roses are best for this purpose.

Hybrid Perpetuals do very nicely set with Shrubbery in Borders, or in Masses or Beds on the Lawn. They are used very extensively by the most intelligent planters. A circular bed 3½ feet in diameter holds 27 Roses; price \$3. A 4½-foot bed, 38 Roses; price \$4. A 5½-foot bed, 55 Roses; price \$5.50. An 8-foot bed, 75 Roses; price \$7.50. A 10-foot bed, 100 Roses; price \$10. Sent carefully by Mail or Express to all points. Safe delivery guaranteed.

Standard List Hybrid Perpetuals for General Planting.

Price.—Your choice, 15 cts. each; 4 for 50 cts.; 8 for \$1; 17 for \$2; 27 for \$3; 38 for \$4; 50 for \$5; \$10 per hundred.

- Abel Carriere.**—This grand Rose still ranks as one of the best; flowers are extra large, very double, full and sweet; color, dark rich crimson, passing to velvety maroon; very dark and handsome.
- Achille Gonod.**—Brilliant, purple carmine; large, very full and sweet; a free bloomer.
- Admiral de Joinville.**—Sent us by one of the best Rosarians of Paris, and very highly recommended; the flowers are large and borne in clusters; regular full form, very double, and remarkably sweet; color, bright cherry red, richly shaded with dark, glowing crimson; very handsome and striking.
- Ali Pacha Cherif.**—Introduced by Leveque, of Paris, and recommended as a very fine variety; the flowers are extra large, full globular form, and deliciously perfumed; the color is bright vermilion red, rich and velvety, delicately clouded with purplish crimson.
- Aline Rozey.**—Full, imbricated flowers, medium size and quite fragrant; color, clear flesh, passing to pure white, delicately shaded with rosy blush.
- Andre Gill.**—Flowers very large, compact and full; color, dark glossy pink, brightening at centre to rich crimson; deliciously perfumed.
- Bardou Job.**—Probably one of the finest New Hybrid Perpetuals of recent introduction, extra-large flowers, perfect full form; color, bright velvety scarlet, beautifully shaded with rich crimson, passing to fiery maroon, very sweet, and extra fine in every way.
- Baronne de Maynard.**—A very pretty white Rose, sometimes shaded with blush; medium size and desirable.



HARDY HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES IN BLOOM. 4 FOR 50 CTS.

- Belle de Normandy.**—Beautiful clear rose, shaded and clouded with rosy carmine and lilac; very large and sweet.
- Benoit Comte.**—Elegant cupped form, very large, full and striking, makes beautiful buds; color, bright vermilion, shaded with deep scarlet; fragrant and fine.
- Black Prince.**—Very dark, velvety crimson, almost black; cupped form; large, full and fragrant.
- Captain Christy.**—A magnificent Rose; extra-large flowers; very double and full; color, a lovely shade of pale peach, deepening at the centre to rosy crimson; very beautiful, and one of the finest Roses of recent introduction.
- Caroline de Sansal.**—Clear, brilliant rose, merging into rosy lilac, edged with bronze; very large and sweet; a first-class variety.
- Clara Cochet.**—Fine, salmon rose, deepening at centre to rich, bright cherry red, elegantly shaded; large, full flowers, very double and sweet; a lovely variety.
- Climbing Jules Margottin.**—Color, the same as Jules Margottin, but of climbing habit.
- Climbing Victor Verdier.**—Brilliant rosy carmine, edged with purple; very large, full and fragrant.
- Comte Cavour.**—Dark vermilion red; very double; large and sweet; an excellent sort.
- Comtesse de Ludre.**—Bright carmine red, beautifully veined with pure white; elegant large flowers, fine, full form, very sweet.
- Comte de Paris.**—A new Rose of great promise, bright, vivid crimson when first opening, becoming darker and delicately shaded with violet purple as the flowers expand; very large and full; petals of good substance and very sweet; a magnificent Rose.
- Conseiller Stockert.**—Extra-large flowers, finely imbricated form, quite full and double; color, bright clear rose, passing to silvery pink; very fragrant, and fine for garden planting.
- Coquette des Alps.**—One of the finest White Hybrid Perpetuals; a profuse bloomer; flowers, pure white, sometimes shaded with blush; large, very full and fragrant.
- David de Barney.**—Large globular flowers; fine form; delightfully sweet; deep cherry red; brilliant and free.
- Dingee Conard.**—We have particular pleasure in calling attention to this splendid Rose; originated by Mons. Eugene Verdier, the great Rose-grower of Paris, France, and named by him in honor of our Company. The flower is borne in clusters, and is large, very full and fragrant; color, a rare shade of brilliant scarlet.

- Doctor Hogg.**—Deep violet crimson, richly shaded with purple; medium-sized flowers; shell-shaped petals; full, compact form; very double and desirable.
- Doctor Sewell.**—A fine large cupped flower; very double and full, and deliciously sweet; rich, burning crimson, deeply shaded with dark purple.
- Duchesse de Galliera.**—A very admirable Rose, handsome and showy, and makes beautiful buds; large full flowers, borne in great profusion; satiny Rose, changing to rich carmine; delicately shaded, and very sweet.
- Duc de Braganca.**—New, 1888. Extra-large flowers, very double and full, exceedingly beautiful; color, clear, satiny pink, with bright rose centre; richly scented.
- Duke of Edinburgh.**—Dark velvety maroon; medium size; full, regular form; very handsome and fragrant.
- Earl of Beaconsfield.**—A magnificent rose; large, very full and fragrant; deep, rosy crimson, brightening with intense scarlet.
- Earl of Pembroke.**—Soft velvety crimson; petals margined with cardinal red; large, regular flowers; full and fragrant.
- Edmund Wood.**—A splendid Rose, of large size and perfect form; very fragrant; color, bright, glowing scarlet; rich and beautiful.
- Edgar Jolibos.**—Flowers very large, very full; admirable form and substance; color, deep maroon, elegantly shaded and passing to rich scarlet; very sweet.
- Edward Regel.**—A splendid Rose; flowers are large, very full and finely formed; color, deep fiery red, petals edged with carmine; very fragrant.
- Eugene Furst.**—Flowers large and somewhat cupped; good, full form; very sweet; color, crimson scarlet, velvety, changing to purple rose.
- Eugene Transon.**—Rich crimson scarlet, sometimes maroon crimson; elegantly shaded; extra-large, full, globular flowers; very fragrant and fine.
- Fanny Petzold.**—Bright clear pink, shaded and edged with violet purple; large, very full.
- General Appert.**—Grand violet crimson flowers; very rich and velvety; extra-large size, fine full form; good substance and very sweet.
- Gen. Jacqueminot.**—Rich velvety scarlet, changing to brilliant crimson; magnificent buds.
- Giant of Battles.**—Brilliant crimson; large, very double and sweet; esteemed one of the finest.
- Glory of Waltham.**—Brilliant crimson, with fiery red centre; very bright and showy; large, full, regular flowers; highly perfumed.
- Gustave Thierry.**—Flowers large and of good substance; color, clear red, changing to deep crimson; very fragrant.
- Jacques Lafitte.**—Carmine rose, edged with silver rose; reverse of petals light; very fragrant; desirable.
- Jean Lelievre.**—The flowers are extra large, fine, full form and perfectly double; color, bright shining crimson, passing to deep velvety maroon; very sweet.
- Jules Barigny.**—Superb flowers, very large, very full, perfect form; color, rich carmine red, reverse of petals silver rose; delightfully sweet and a very lovely Rose.
- Jules Margottin.**—Bright cherry red; large, well-formed fragrant flowers; a splendid old variety; very double and free.
- Leon Delaville.**—Deep rosy carmine, passing to scarlet, elegantly tinged and shaded with rich crimson; flowers are finely formed; full and globular and very sweet.
- Leopold Premier.**—Dark rich crimson; a fine large Rose; very full and sweet; free bloomer; very beautiful and valuable.
- Lord Raglan.**—Brilliant crimson scarlet; splendid flowers; large, very full and finely scented.
- Louis Van Houtte.**—Brilliant vinous crimson; large, full and fragrant; an excellent sort.
- Mad. Gustave Bonnet.**—Pure white, sometimes slightly tinged with rose; medium size, very double and full; sweet scented and free bloomer.
- Monsieur Mat. Baron.**—Magnificent, large, full flowers; brilliant magenta red, beautifully clouded with violet crimson; very handsome.
- Madame Bois.**—New and fine; a strong grower and early and profuse bloomer; flowers very large, well filled and delightfully sweet; color, soft satiny pink, very beautiful.
- Mad. Marie Bianchi.**—A noble Rose; extra large, full and globular; petals beautifully imbricated; finely scented; color, violet rose, with vivid red centre; reverse of petals silvery pink.
- Mad. Louis Carique.**—Rich velvety crimson; large size, very double, full and sweet.
- Mad. Chirard.**—Fine globular form; large, very double and fragrant; deep rosy pink; very beautiful.
- Mad. Coulombier.**—Splendid globular flower; color, rosy crimson, changing to purplish carmine.
- Mad. Adelaide Cote.**—An exceedingly fine Rose; extra large, very double and full, and highly perfumed; color, bright rich crimson, passing to dark velvety maroon.
- Mad. Ph. DeWolfs.**—Resembles the old Cabbage or Hundred-leaved Rose; flowers very full and fragrant; color, deep carmine red, finely veined with violet crimson, shading to peachy red; a good, handsome Rose.
- Mad. Fanny de Forest.**—An elegant New Hardy White Perpetual Rose; large full flowers; very handsome and fragrant; an early and continuous bloomer; very desirable for general planting.
- Madame Gomet.**—Fine, large, full flowers, somewhat cupped form; very double and handsome; color, bright shining rose, passing to clear satiny pink; very beautiful.
- Mad. Marie Garnier.**—Soft rosy pink, delicate and beautiful; large, full and globular; very pretty and sweet.
- Mad. Oswald de Kerchove.**—A charming Rose; medium size and full form; very sweet; color, white, sometimes tinged and shaded with blush.
- Mad. Prosper Laugier.**—A beautiful Rose; full, fine form; very fragrant; color, bright vivid pink, elegantly shaded.
- Madame Musset.**—Bright carmine rose, almost cherry red, passing to scarlet crimson; large, well-rounded flowers; very fragrant and handsome.
- Mad. Pierre Oger.**—Pure white, delicately shaded pale blush; pretty cupped form, full and very sweet; very desirable.
- Mad. Plantier.**—Pure white, large and very double; a good hardy Rose, suitable for cemetery planting
- Mad. Alphonse Seux.**—Beautiful soft rosy pink, passing to clear flesh or tender rose, with vivid carmine centre; extra-large flowers, somewhat cupped form, quite full; delightfully fragrant.

- Mad. George Schwartz.**—Fine lilac purple, changing to bright rosy pink; large, full flowers; very pretty and fragrant.
- Mad. Sophie Stern.**—A very charming Rose; fine globular form, very double and full; color, clear carmine, changing to bright rose, delicately clouded with ruddy crimson; free bloomer, and very fragrant.
- Mad. Smith.**—Deep rich crimson, finely shaded; very double, large and fragrant.
- Mad. Gabriel Tournier.**—A fine sort; medium size, full globular form, very double and fragrant; color, deep carmine rose; very pleasing.
- Mad. Victor Verdier.**—Rich, bright cherry red, changing to satiny rose; large, full and fragrant.
- Mad'le de la Seigliere.**—Immense globular flowers; fine, regular form; very sweet and handsome; color, beautiful silver rose; very fresh and delicate.
- Mad'le Marie Verlot.**—A lovely new Rose; bright magenta red, passing to rich scarlet, delicately shaded with dark crimson; flowers large, very full and delightfully perfumed.
- Mad'le Annie Wood.**—A magnificent variety; flowers very large, fine full form; color, brilliant violet crimson; exquisite fragrance; an early and profuse bloomer.
- Marquis of Salisbury.**—Large, globular flowers; bright pink, beautifully blended with crimson; fragrant and a free bloomer.
- Michael Strogoff.**—Strikingly beautiful, extra-large, finely formed compact flowers; color, bright cherry red, elegantly shaded with rich maroon crimson.
- Mrs. George Dickson.**—Originated by Henry Bennett, Shepperton-on-Thames, England; flowers large and full; color, bright satiny pink; very distinct and beautiful.
- Mrs. Laing.**—A charming Rose, borne in clusters; soft carmine color; reverse of petals light; very full and sweet.
- Olga Marix.**—Pure white, delicately shaded with amber and blush; large, full flowers; very double and sweet; a free bloomer.
- Paul Verdier.**—An excellent Rose; color, clear bright pink; beautifully shaded; large, full and sweet.
- Perle des Blanches.**—Pure white; medium size; good, full form; very double and fragrant.
- Pline.**—A splendid Rose; large and fine in every way; color, lavender red; beautiful.
- President Senelar.**—A splendid novelty; large, full flowers, well borne up; color, brilliant cherry red, elegantly shaded with violet crimson; rich and velvety and very handsome.
- President Thiers.**—Bright, shining pink, elegantly colored with rich crimson; large, full flowers; very fragrant.
- Prince Waldemer.**—Large, bold flowers; full, regular form; petals large and of good substance; color, bright vinous crimson, passing to rich carmine red, edged with pale pink; very sweet and handsome.
- Queen Eleanor.**—Originated in England; flowers cupped, very large, full and double; remarkably fragrant; a vigorous grower and free bloomer.
- Reynold's Hole.**—Dark velvety crimson maroon; flowers large, full and fragrant; a first-class Rose.
- Reine Victoria.**—Color, pure white, beautifully tinged with rich carmine, deepening at centre to rosy blush; extremely hardy; fine, full flowers; free bloomer; very fragrant.
- Richard Wallace.**—Brilliant rose, petals edged with white; good form and substance; a first-rate sort.
- Roseriste Chauvry.**—Splendid large globular flowers, full and of good substance; color, deep fiery red, elegantly penciled with maroon scarlet; very striking and attractive; very sweet.
- Roseriste Harms.**—Flowers extra large and fragrant; very double and full; color, brilliant scarlet red, shaded maroon, rich and velvety.
- Rosy Morn.**—A lovely name and a magnificent Rose; extra-large size, very double, full and deliciously sweet; color, exquisite salmon rose, shaded with delicate peachy red, sometimes pale flush, suffused with soft rosy crimson; extra fine.
- Scipion Cochet.**—A superb New Hybrid Perpetual Rose of the very finest quality; extra-large, stately flowers, round, full and exceedingly handsome; color, bright dazzling crimson, passing to rich velvety maroon, elegantly shaded; very beautiful and delightfully perfumed.
- Souv. de Eugene Karr.**—Rich velvety scarlet, beautifully shaded with blackish crimson; large, handsome, very double flowers; delightfully fragrant.
- Senator Vaisse.**—A superb Rose; large, globular flowers; very stately, perfect form; very double and full; bright flashing crimson, lightened with scarlet; extra fine.
- Triomphe de France.**—This superb Rose received a special prize in gold, as one of the most valuable New Sorts; brilliant crimson scarlet; extra-large size, very double and full; exceedingly sweet; perfect form and a free bloomer.
- Ulrich Brunner.**—A superb Rose; a seedling from Paul Neyron; extra-large, bold flowers; full and globular; petals large and of good substance; color, rich glowing crimson, elegantly lightened with scarlet; fragrant.
- Victor Verdier.**—Brilliant rosy carmine, beautifully edged with purple; extra-large, full flowers; very double and sweet; a splendid Rose.
- Vulcan.**—Dark, rich velvety crimson, changing to blackish purple; large, fragrant flowers; very double and fine.

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STAR LIST EVER-BLOOMING ROSES.

- Abbe Roustan.**—A splendid Rose; large, full, globular flowers, very double and sweet; color, beautiful creamy white, elegantly shaded with rosy blush; sometimes tinged with purplish red.
- Admiral Rigney.**—Rich carmine rose; large flowers, full and handsome; a constant and profuse bloomer.
- America.**—Very large, beautiful buds; flowers rich creamy yellow, passing to orange; large, full, and sweet; climbing habit; valuable in the South.
- Arch-Duchesse Isabella.**—A beautiful bedding and house Rose; large, full form; perfectly double; delightfully fragrant; white, shaded with rosy carmine, changing to amaranth; makes lovely buds; a constant and profuse bloomer.
- Arch-Duchesse Marie Immaculæ.**—A very lovely Rose, makes beautiful buds, and is very handsome and desirable; color, pale citron red, with vermilion centre; large, full and sweet.
- Baroness de Fonville.**—Extra-large flowers, very double and full, delightfully fragrant; color, fine salmon yellow; reverse of petals chamois red, passing to rosy pink, tinged with canary; extra fine.
- Baron de Saint Triviers.**—Beautiful reddish amber, changing at centre to pale rose; delicately tinged and shaded with carmine; medium size; very attractive and deliciously perfumed.
- Beau Carmine.**—A splendid Rose for bedding; fine carmine red; very rich, velvety color; flowers large, full and double; constant and profuse bloomer; fragrant and desirable.
- Belle Fleur d'Arzens.**—An elegant Rose; large, full form, very double; delightful tea fragrance; color, beautiful silver rose, with carmine centre; fine, large-pointed buds.
- Camille Roux.**—Fine, large flowers, well filled out, very double and highly scented; color, bright carmine rose, with fiery red centre; very striking and handsome.
- Canary.**—Light canary yellow; beautiful buds and flowers; very fragrant.
- Caroline Marniesse.**—Pure white, medium size, very double and tea fragrance; a constant bloomer.
- Comtesse de Caserta.**—Large, very beautiful flowers; fine, full form, very double and fragrant; color, dark purplish red, elegantly clouded with pale coppery yellow.
- Comtesse Ouvaroff.**—A very elegant and scarce Rose; large, perfect form, very full and sweet; color, soft rosy crimson, exquisitely shaded; reverse of its petals silvery rose.
- Comte Taverna.**—A beautiful Rose, extra good; large, full form, very double; delicious tea scent; color, pure white, beautifully tinged with pale yellow and blush.
- Cramoisi Superior.**—Medium size; rich dark velvety crimson; very double, full and beautiful, compact growth; one of the best for bedding.
- Director Bernard.**—Exceedingly floriferous; flowers of large size and beautifully imbricated; clear magenta red or rich carmine, elegantly shaded with vinous crimson; petals edged and bordered with silver rose; very sweet.
- Duc de Magenta.**—A lovely Rose; rich transparent crimson, changing to fawn and rosy pink; very beautiful and distinct; the flower is large, very full and double, and deliciously fragrant.

- Edmund de Bianzat.**—Large, finely formed flowers, quite double and full; color, bright peachy red or violet crimson, with salmon rose centre; very pretty and handsome.
- Emperor Russia.**—Large, fine form, full and double; color, bright scarlet, shaded and dashed with crimson; fragrant; a splendid Rose.
- Flavien Budillon.**—One of the best NEW ROSES; fine, large, globular flowers, with broad thick petals; very rich, deep and handsome; color, fine pale flesh, passing to silver rose; exquisitely tinged and shaded with carmine and soft amber red; delightfully perfumed; a true ever-bloomer; extra fine.
- Gaston Chandon.**—Bright cherry red, passing to rose, elegantly tinted with rich coppery yellow; a fine climbing Rose, recommended for the South; the flowers are large, full and very sweet.
- Gloire de Rosemond.**—Rich velvety crimson, flamed with scarlet; full medium size, double.
- Isabella Gray.**—Deep golden yellow; large size, full and sweet; a very desirable sort in the South.
- La Grandeur.**—Beautiful lilac rose or soft rosy carmine, tinted with pale violet purple; large, full flowers, deliciously scented.
- La Nuance.**—An elegant and satisfactory Rose; large size, very double and full; color, fine salmon rose, beautifully tinged and shaded with coppery yellow; highly scented.
- La Phoenix.**—Fine brilliant red, shaded with dark crimson; good-sized flowers, full and double.
- Laurette.**—Delicate creamy white, shaded with rose, flesh-colored centre; fine full form, very double and sweet, sometimes finely dotted with dark rose.
- Laura de Fenelon.**—Pale carmine, passing to satiny pink, elegantly tinged with pearly white; medium size, full flowers; highly scented.
- Louis Philippe.**—Rich, dark velvety crimson; profuse bloomer; good form and substance; full and double; fragrant; an excellent bedding Rose.
- Louis Richard.**—A superb Rose imported from France; extra-large size, splendid full form; very double; delicious tea scent; color, rich coppery rose, changing to buff, shaded with carmine; centre sometimes brilliant rosy crimson.
- Ma Capucine.**—A lovely Tea Rose, with charming buds and flowers; color, golden amber, delicately tinged with peach and fawn; deliciously perfumed.
- Mad. Bosanquet.**—A fine old variety, much esteemed; pale flesh, shaded with deep rose; large size.
- Mad. Crombez.**—A large, finely formed Rose; deliciously perfumed, very double and full; petals prettily imbricated; color, rich rosy buff, dashed and tinged with bronze and pale blush; very beautiful.
- Mad. David.**—A beautiful and promising sort; full medium size; somewhat flat form; very double and finely scented; color, soft pale flesh, deepest in centre; petals elegantly margined with silver rose.
- Mad. Benoit Derroches.**—Dark, glossy pink, prettily tinged with yellowish buff, base of petals white; flowers very sweet, large, double and full.
- Mad. Louis Henry.**—Pale silver Rose, elegantly shaded with buff and salmon; large, full flowers, very regular and fragrant; a fine climbing Rose, valuable for the South.
- Mad. Jure.**—Lilac Rose; a very pretty and desirable sort; good size and substance; double and fragrant.
- Mad. H. Jamain.**—A splendid new variety; large, very double, fine cup form; white with yellow centre, shaded with pink; tea fragrance; extra fine.
- Mad. Lawrence.**—Crimson Button Rose; a very interesting miniature Rose, about the size of a ten-cent piece; very double and fragrant; a profuse bloomer; color, deep carmine.
- Mad. Lawrence.**—Pink Button Rose; same as above but clear bright pink.
- Mad. Celine Noirey.**—A splendid Rose; extra large, very double, full and sweet; color, soft rosy blush, beautifully shaded with deep purplish red; one of the best.
- Mad. Azelie Imbert.**—Large, full form, very double; color, rosy buff with peach shading; beautiful buds.
- Mad. Remond.**—A charming and valuable new Rose; very double and full, and deliciously perfumed; color, pale sulphur yellow; petals broadly margined with bright red; very striking.
- Madlle. Marie Arnaud.**—Elegant canary yellow, changing to white, with reddish-buff centre; very rare and beautiful; large full form, very double and fragrant; a splendid Rose.
- Mad. Bernard.**—A grand Rose; large full form, very double and exceedingly sweet; color, fine apricot yellow, sometimes golden yellow, faintly tinged with blush.
- Madlle. Cecil Berthod.**—A grand Rose; extra-large size; deep clear yellow; good, full form, very double and sweet; tea scent; one of the finest.
- Madlle. Elizabeth de Gramont.**—Beautiful bright carmine flowers, with crimson-red centre; large, full and very sweet; very striking and handsome.
- Madlle. Nathalie Imbert.**—Extra-large flowers; fine, full form, very double and handsome; color, a beautiful shade of reddish salmon, changing to apricot and fawn; highly scented.
- Madlle. Claire Merle.**—Large, full flowers; pale satiny pink, passing to delicate flesh color.
- Mad. Jean Joubert.**—A beautiful Rose; full, fine form; very fragrant; color, bright vivid pink.
- Marie Sisley.**—An elegant Rose, full and double; delicious tea scent; color, an exquisite shade of pale yellow, broadly margined with bright rose.
- Marguerite de Fenelon.**—A charming new Tea Rose; flowers large, prettily imbricated, full and regular; very fragrant; color, pale canary yellow, elegantly shaded with ruby red.
- Marcelin Rhoda.**—A splendid Rose, of large, fine form, very full and double, and exceedingly sweet; color, pale lemon yellow, deepening towards the centre to golden yellow; lovely buds and flowers.
- Marquis de Sanima.**—A superb Rose, imported from Paris; large, globular flowers, very double and sweet; deep coppery yellow, with rose centre.
- Mons. Furtado.**—Bright sulphur yellow; good, full form; fragrant; fine buds and flowers.
- Narcisse.**—Pale lemon yellow, finely tinged with salmon rose; medium size, full and double; very fragrant.
- Pink Daily.**—Clear bright pink; medium size, full and double; fragrant; a constant bloomer.
- Premium d'Charissiens.**—Extra large, very full, double and sweet; bright carmine rose with fawn centre.
- President d'Obleckue.**—Bright purplish crimson; large and double, fragrant, and a profuse bloomer.
- Princess Hohenzollern.**—Extra-large, perfectly formed flowers, very full and double, highly perfumed; color, a handsome shade of bright, peachy red, passing to rich crimson; finely shaded.
- Red Safrano.**—Similar to Safrano, but dark cherry red; medium-sized flowers; quite full and fragrant.
- Regulus.**—A splendid Rose; large, perfect form, full and double; very fragrant; color, brilliant carmine with purple and red shading; extra good, both for house culture and open ground.
- Reve d'Or.**—Golden Chain; a beautiful Rose of climbing habit, suitable for trellis or pillar in South; color, pale orange yellow or rosy buff; good size, full and sweet.

- Rose Nobannand.**—Large and beautiful; flowers quite full and regular; color, soft satiny rose, changing to salmon, elegantly tinted with amber and pale yellow; very pretty and highly scented.
- Saint Joseph.**—A charming Rose, admired by all; flower is very large, full and double; delightfully scented; color, beautiful bright carmine, changing to salmon rose or light fawn.
- Sanguinea.**—Deep blood red; very bright; large size, double and fragrant; a constant and profuse bloomer; excellent for bedding.
- Vicomtesse de Cazes.**—Extra fine, very rare and beautiful; color, a peculiar shade of reddish gold, with coppery yellow centre, dashed and tinged with rosy crimson; very large, full and double.
- White Tea.**—Same as White Daily; pure white; a constant and profuse bloomer, fragrant and desirable.
- Yellow Tea.**—An elegant Tea Rose; large, very double and full; delightful tea scent; color, pale golden yellow; beautiful, large pointed buds.

STAR LIST HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES.

- Arch Duchesse Elizabeth of Austria.**—Flowers extra large and of lovely form; color, clear rosy carmine, very bright and satiny; fragrant and beautiful.
- Antoine Chantin.**—Flowers beautifully formed, full and deliciously sweet; color, bright satiny rose, delicately tinged with rich carmine; new and beautiful.
- Comtesse de Bearn.**—This is a very splendid variety; flowers are extra large, very full and globular; color, a beautiful shade of dark rich crimson, elegantly brightened with vermilion; highly scented.
- Comte de Flanders.**—Extra large, very double and sweet; color, a brilliant shade of purple rose, elegantly clouded with carmine; very beautiful, rich and velvety.
- Dean of Windsor.**—Deep crimson, exquisitely colored with scarlet and lake; large, very fragrant and finely formed flowers.
- Eclair.**—The color is bright, glistering rose, passing to rich scarlet crimson, elegantly shaded with pure maroon; reverse of petals, soft rosy blush; delightfully perfumed and very beautiful.
- Felix Genero.**—Beautiful lilac Rose; large, globular flowers, very double and deliciously fragrant.
- Francois Levet.**—A very beautiful Rose; soft China pink, delicately shaded carmine and blush; large, finely formed flowers; delightfully fragrant.
- Francois Barillet.**—Extra-large flowers, good, full form; very sweet, long pointed buds; color, brilliant scarlet, elegantly tinged and shaded with dark purple.
- Grand Duke Nicholas.**—A magnificent Rose; grand size, very full form, perfectly double; exceedingly fragrant; color, dazzling crimson, brightly flamed with intense scarlet.
- La Reine.**—Beautiful clear bright Rose; very large; fine full form; very fragrant and beautiful.
- Mad. Francois Pettit.**—A lovely pure white Rose; very full and double; perfect form; profuse bloomer; one of the best new White Roses; blooms in beautiful clusters.
- Mad. Rochefontaine.**—Splendid, large, full flowers, with broad, shell-like petals; very double and fragrant; color, bright rosy flesh, passing to clear pink, elegantly tinged with blush.
- Madlle. Marie Rady.**—Clear bright red, finely penciled with rich maroon; very large, full flowers; fragrant and beautiful.
- Prince Albert.**—Beautiful bright crimson; very large, extra fine, full and fragrant.
- Princess Amedee de Broglie.**—Fine bright cherry red, passing to crimson scarlet, with pale flesh-colored centre; reverse of petals salmon rose; large, full flowers; very lovely and sweet.
- Prince of Wales.**—Vivid flamy crimson; large and very beautiful; very double, full and fragrant.
- Red Dragon.**—Fine, bold flowers, showy and striking; color, very brilliant crimson.
- The Shah.**—A splendid Rose; deep crimson scarlet; very bright and dazzling color; large, globular flowers, very double, full and fragrant.
- Thomas Mills.**—Extra-large, fine cup-shaped flowers; color, bright rosy carmine, sometimes with fine, white stripes; fragrant and good.

STAR LIST HARDY CLIMBING ROSES.

- Mrs. Gunnell.**—Soft rosy blush, becoming almost white; large clusters, full and double; one of the best; much admired.
- Triumphant.**—An excellent variety; flowers large, very double and compact; color, deep rose, changing to pale carmine; beautifully shaded and variegated.

STAR LIST HYBRID TEA ROSES.

- Camoens.**—Extra-large, full flowers; color, China rose, suffused with pale yellow, passing to white, flushed with carmine; fragrant and fine.
- Jean Sisley.**—Flowers very large and perfectly double; color, outside petals rosy lilac, the centre bright pink; flowers are of good substance, and remain in perfection a long time.
- Mad. Alexander Bernaix.**—Extra-large and fine, full, globular form, very sweet; color, deep, clear rose, passing to bright shining pink, sometimes with creamy centre; very beautiful.
- Mad. Julie Weidman.**—A splendid Rose; flowers extra large and very beautiful; color, clear silver rose, deepening at centre to bright carmine, tinged with coppery yellow; reverse of petals violet crimson; very sweet and a profuse bloomer.
- Princess Imperial du Bresil.**—Extra large and exquisitely beautiful; full, globular flowers; rich carmine red, shaded with violet crimson; petals edged with white; very highly perfumed.
- Beauty of Stapleford.**—Bright pink color, shaded carmine; large size, very full, perfect form; delightfully scented; a constant and very free bloomer.
- Triomphe d'Angers.**—Bright fiery red, changing to darkest velvety crimson, tinged with purple; large, full flowers, very double and fragrant.
- Viscountess Falmouth.**—Flowers extra large and full; splendid form; color, bright shining rose, back of petals bright carmine; this color, overlapping the other, gives it a most lovely appearance; very distinct and beautiful; a constant bloomer and very fragrant.

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We assure our friends that when the selection is left partly to us we can frequently send better plants and more satisfactory varieties than they would be likely to select for themselves; and we guarantee satisfaction in every case. These varieties are all described in their proper place in the Guide, and every order, whether large or small, has careful and intelligent attention.

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Andre Schwartz,	Exadelphe,	Miss Edith Gifford,
Aline Sisley,	Empress Marie of Russia,	Montilly Cabbage,
American Banner, 50 cents,	Etoile de Lyon, 40 cents,	Mad. F. Brassac,
Alphonse Karr,	Edward Gontier,	Mad. de Vatry,
Archduc Charles,	Estelle Pradel,	Mad. Rivoy,
Alba Rosea,	Empress Eugenie,	Mad. Margottin,
Abbe Girardin,	Glorie de Dijon, 50 cents,	Mad. Maurice Kuppenheim,
Adrienne Christophle,	General de Tartas,	Mad. Falcot,
Aurore,	Grace Darling,	Mad. Devacout,
Anna Olivier,	Homer,	Mad. Caroline Custer,
Agrippina,	Hermosa,	Mad. Camille,
Appoline,	Henry Plantier,	Mad. Chedane Guinoisseau,
Adam,	Henry Meynadier,	Mad. Villermoz,
Bourbon Queen,	Isabella Sprunt,	Mad. Bravy,
Bon Silene,	James Sprunt,	Mad'le. Rachel,
Bougere,	Jean Pernet,	Marquise de Viviens,
Bella,	Jeanne Abel,	Niphetos, 50 cents,
Baron M. Werner,	Louis de Savoie,	Papa Gontier, 40 cents,
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Countess Riza du Pare,	Mad. Scipion Cochet,	Sunset, 50 cents,
Clare Carnot,	Mad. Eteine,	Souv. de Mad. Lambert,
David Pradel,	Mad. Agatha Nabonnand,	Souv. de Admiral Courbet,
Duchesse de Brabant,	Marie Van Houtte,	Souv. d'un Ami,
Duchess of Edinburgh,	Mad. Angele Jacquier,	Safrano,
Douglas,	Marechal Robert,	Sambrieul,
Devoniensis,	Mad. Jos. Schwartz,	Souv. de Paul Neyron,
Dr. Jules Lisnard,	Mad. Cusin,	Solfaterre,
Dr. Berthet,	Mad'le. Eliza de Gramont,	Vallee de Chamounix,
Duchesse de Thuringe,	Mons. Chebaud de St. Mandrier,	Viridiflora,
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Duke of Connaught,	Marie Duchere,	Wm. Allen Richardson,
Duchess of Westminster,	Marechal Neil, 50 cents,	Washington.

Price, except where noted, 35 cts. each; 6 for \$1.75; 12 for \$3.50; 25 for \$6; 50 for \$11.25; \$22.50 per hundred. Complete set of 144 varieties for \$28.75. Both sets, 207 in all, for \$41.50.

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Two-Year Hybrid Perpetual Roses—Varieties usually in Stock.

Anna Diesbach,
Alfred Colomb,
Albane de Areneville, 45 cents,
Antoine Quihon, 50 cents,
Abel Carriere, 50 cents,
Antoine Mouton,
Anna Alexieff,
Antoine Wintzer,
Achille Goumou,
Baron de Bonstettin, 50 cents,
Baron Nathaniel de Rothschild,
Baroness Rothschild, 75 cents,
Bernard Verlot,
Countess of Oxford,
Crimson Bedder,
Coquette des Blanches,
Crown Prince,
Capt. Christy, 50 cents,
Coquette des Alps,
Duchesse de Caylus,
Dr. Baillon,

Elize Boelle,
Empress of India,
Edmund Wood,
Fisher Holmes,
Fontenelle,
Gen. Washington, 50 cents,
Giant of Battles,
Gen. Jacqueminot, 50 cents,
Gloire Lyonnaise,
Caroline de Sansal,
John Hopper,
Leon Delaville,
Lady Emily Peel,
La France,
Michael Strogoff,
Mad'le. Annie Wood,
Mad. Pierre Oger,
Mad. Plantier, 40 cents,
Mad. Fannie de Forest, 40 cents,
Mad. Charles Wood, 40 cents,
Magna Charta,

Mad Alfred de Rougemont,
Mad. Marie Closon,
Merville de Lyon, 75 cents,
Mad. Thevenot,
Mons. E. Y. Teas,
Margaret de Romain,
Mabel Morrison, 75 cents
Mons. Fillon,
Mad. Mason,
Marie Bauman,
Olga Marix,
Pæonia,
Perfection des Blanches,
Paul Verdier,
Prince Cam. de Rohan, 50 cents,
Paul Neyron, 50 cents,
Roi de Espagne,
Rev. J. B. Camm,
Souv. de Duchere, 50 cents,
Ulrich Bruner,
Vulcan.

Price, except where noted, 35 cts. each; 6 for \$1.75; 12 for \$3 50; 25 for \$6; 50 for \$11.25; \$22.50 per hundred. Set of 63 varieties named above for \$14.25 Both sets, 207 varieties in all, for \$41.50.

Two-year Moss Roses.—Luxembourg, Gloire of Mosses, Princess Adelaide, Henry Martin and others. Price, 40 cts. each; \$4 per doz.

Two-year Hardy Climbing Roses.—Prairie Queen, Pride of Washington, Seven Sisters, Baltimore Belle, etc. Price, 40 cts. each; \$4.50 per doz.

Two-year Polyantha Roses.—*Flora, Marie Pavie, Floribunda, Jeanne Drivon, Annie Marie de Montravel, etc.* 40 and 35 cts. each; \$4 and \$3.50 per doz. Set of 12 varieties for \$3.50.

Notice.—The *Two-year Roses* must invariably be sent by Express. They weigh, when packed, about as follows: 12 plants, 20 pounds; 25 plants, 35 pounds; 50 plants, 50 pounds; 100 plants, 75 pounds. The purchaser pays the Express charges.

THE

Splendid Dahlia Sunflower.

(*Helianthus Multiflora Plena.*)

We present a fine illustration of this handsome plant which is now attracting great attention. THERE IS NOTHING EQUAL TO IT AMONG YELLOW FLOWERS. It grows from three to four feet high, is of bushy and compact habit, and is covered from top to bottom with splendid GOLDEN-YELLOW FLOWERS, the SIZE OF DAHLIAS, and PERFECTLY DOUBLE. They have strong, woody stems, and are of such good substance that they keep a long time after being cut, and are greatly admired. It blooms in July and August (the first season) and is altogether one of the most striking and handsome flowers of its season. It is moderately hardy, but should have a light covering of leaves or straw during Winter in cold localities. It ranks with hardy shrubs and is undoubtedly one of the most showy and handsome plants recently introduced. 20 cts.; 3 for 50 cts.; \$2 per doz.

SPECIAL OFFER.—One Splendid Dahlia Sunflower and one *Hydrangea Grandiflora* (page 54), the 2 for 40 cts.; or 1 Sunflower, 1 *Hydrangea Grandiflora* and 7 *Star List Roses* (page 46), purchaser's selection, 9 in all, for \$1.



SPLendid DAHLIA SUNFLOWER. PRICE, 20 CTS.

Splendid New Dahlias.

We have great pleasure in offering the following very CHOICE COLLECTION OF SPLENDID NEW DAHLIAS. Several of them are the MAGNIFICENT NEW CACTUS DAHLIAS now so much sought after, and all are recommended as the very Finest Varieties of recent introduction. We send dry POT-GROWN ROOTS in best condition for immediate planting and early bloom.

White Dove. (*Novelty*).—This splendid new Dahlia is of medium size, perfect form and shape, and well-filled centre. Color, pure snowy white with handsome and curious toothed petals. Flowers remarkably solid and durable. Valuable for cutting. 35 cts.; 3 for \$1.

Lord Lyndhurst.—Magnificent New Cactus Dahlia. One of the very finest of all; immense flowers; brilliant flashing scarlet, finely toned with deep crimson; exceedingly showy and handsome. 30 cts.

Empress of India.—New Cactus. Rich dark maroon, shaded black; large and beautiful. 30 cts.

Mrs. Hawkins.—New Cactus. Beautiful bright pink with yellow markings; very fine. 30 cts.

William Pearce.—New Cactus. Immense size; bright clear golden yellow; beautiful. 30 cts.

Lucy Fawcett.—New Tall Growing. Remarkably profuse bloomer; large, perfect flowers; fine citron yellow, flecked and streaked with carmine. 25 cts.

Glowing Coal.—New Tall Growing. Rich brilliant scarlet, elegantly flamed with vermilion red; wonderfully beautiful. 25 cts.

Queen Victoria.—New Tall Growing. Bright, clear, golden yellow; immense flowers, very double. 25 cts.

Triumph de Solferino.—New Large-flowering Dwarf. Striking solferino color, beautifully shaded with magenta; large, and very double flowers. 25 cts.

Golden Bedder.—New Large-flowering Dwarf. Very floriferous, large, round, very double flowers; clear, chrome yellow; exceedingly handsome. 25 cts.

Cameliaflora.—New Large-flowering Dwarf. Beautiful pure white flowers, very full and regular, resembling large Camelias. 25 cts.

Miss Dodd.—New Large-flowering Dwarf. Perfect, full flowers; clear, citron yellow; very handsome. 25c.

Prices as Noted.—Set of 12 Splendid NEW DAHLIAS described above for \$2.50; 3 varieties of our selections for 60 cts.; 6 varieties, our selection, \$1.15.



NEW DAHLIA—WHITE DOVE. 35 CTS.

New Chrysanthemum—Mrs. Alpheus Hardy.

THE MOST DISTINCT NOVELTY IN CHRYSANTHEMUMS EVER SENT OUT.

Mrs. Alpheus Hardy.—Perhaps no New Flower ever attracted more attention than this new Chrysanthemum. Our illustration is about $\frac{1}{2}$ natural size and gives a faint idea of its general appearance; the flowers are extra large and globular, with feathery plume-like petals, giving the appearance of great balls of pure white downy feathers; very remarkable and handsome. 35 cts.; with *Nymphaea* described below, the 2 for 50 cts.

New Sweet-Scented Chrysanthemum *Nymphaea*.

This lovely sweet-scented Chrysanthemum is something entirely new. It is claimed to resemble the



MRS. ALPHEUS HARDY. 35 CTS.

white, and about two inches in diameter, and are thought to give off a rich and delicate perfume, resembling the well-known fragrance of the *Pond Lily*. The plant is a neat bushy grower, suitable for either pots or garden culture, and the flowers are borne singly on long stems, making it desirable for cutting. 20 cts. each; with Mrs. A. Hardy, the 2 for 50 cts.

Fancy-Leaved Caladiums.

Fancy-leaved Caladiums have splendid large leaves, beautifully spotted, margined and variegated with white, pink, scarlet and other bright colors. They are best suited for pot culture in house, conservatory or shaded situation and cannot be surpassed as foliage plants. PRICE, 40 cts. each; \$3.50 per doz.



CHRYSANTHEMUM NYMPHEA.

Fine English Clematis.

The *Clematis* is recognized everywhere as one of the very choicest and most beautiful of all Flowering Vines. *Clematis* should have good rich ground, and if partially shaded, so much the better. They are entirely hardy, but a light covering of leaves or garden litter during Winter is always desirable until the plants are fully established. As they are very difficult to propagate, the price is high, but this cannot be helped.

Jackmanii Superba.—One of the most magnificent *Clematis* ever grown, splendid violet-purple flowers 4 to 5 inches in diameter. 75 cts.

Lanuginosa Candida.—Beautiful, silvery white, delicately tinted with pale lilac and blush. 75 cts.

Star of India.—Reddish violet purple with plum-colored markings, very fine large flowers. 75 cts.

Jackmanii Alba.—Immense pure white flowers, very fine. 75 cts.

Fairy Queen.—Beautiful pale flesh color, shading to delicate pink. 75 cts.

Henryii.—Extra-large flowers; rich creamy white, very fine. 75 cts.

Grand Duchesse.—Lovely silver Rose, finely colored with pale blush, very beautiful. 75 cts.

Sir Garnet Wollesley.—Beautiful sky blue, faintly tinged with reddish purple. 75 cts.

Gipsy Queen.—Grand flowers, deep rich violet purple. 75 cts.

Lord Neville.—Superb flowers, extra-large size; dark, rich velvety purple, with azure markings. 75 cts.

Set of 10 Fine English Clematis, named above, for \$7.25; \$8.50 per doz.

Clematis Crispa.—New and fine; a low robust grower, bearing thick flowers, beautifully colored pale blue and white and deliciously sweet; quite hardy and a constant bloomer. 20 cts.; 5 for \$1.

Clematis Viticella (Blue Bells).—A strong, hardy grower, with pretty glossy green leaves, and a profusion of dark-blue and purple flowers; excellent for trellis, etc. 20 cts.; 5 for \$1.



CLEMATIS JACKMANII SUPERBA. 75 CTS.



NEW CORAL CLEMATIS. 30 CTS.

New Coral Clematis (*Clematis Coccinea*).—A new and beautiful variety; considered a great acquisition; flowers rich coral scarlet, tulip-shaped and borne in great profusion from early Spring till Fall. We take pleasure in recommending this fine variety. 30 cts.; 4 for \$1.

Clematis Flamula.—An elegant twining vine, particularly valuable for trellis, verandas and pillars; flowers are star-shaped, pure white and very fragrant. 20 cts.; 5 for \$1.

Clematis Virginiana (*Virginia Clematis*).—A hardy, rapid-growing vine, desirable for covering unsightly objects quickly and effectually; pure white, fragrant flowers, very thick, dark-green foliage and highly curious and ornamental seed vessels. 20 cts.; 5 for \$1.

Set of 10 Fine English Clematis for \$7.25; the 5 other varieties for \$1. Both Sets, 15 in all, for \$8.25.

FLOWERING SHRUBS AND HARDY PLANTS



NEW SPIREA VAN HOUTTI. 25 CTS.

NEW SPIREA VAN HOUTTI.

This rare variety is the hardiest of all the Spireas, and is, without exception, one of the handsomest and most valuable hardy shrubs of recent introduction. As will be seen from our illustration, the habit of this New Spirea is remarkably distinct and striking. The bushes form fine, compact clumps, about as broad as they are high; generally four or five feet. The pure white flowers are borne in such masses that they form great plumes, which the long, slender branches allow to drop gracefully, giving the clumps, as has been well said, the appearance of a "perfect snow bank of white bloom." Should be in every collection of Hardy Shrubbery.

Price, 25 cts. each; 3 for 60 cts.; 5 for \$1.

COREOPSIS LANCEOLATA.



COREOPSIS LANCEOLATA. 25 CTS.

We take great pleasure in offering our friends and customers this very handsome hardy Perennial, and we are confident it will give great satisfaction wherever planted. This splendid new variety makes compact permanent clumps which, during the flowering season, send up large numbers of strong, slender, branching stems, each branch terminated by a large, bright, golden-colored flower, the petals of which, as is shown in our illustration, are regularly rayed and lance-shaped. The flowers are borne 12 to 15 inches above the foliage, and as they nod and wave in the breeze seem glittering children of the sun, and are in their prime during the bright Summer days. We have a fine stock of plants and expect this new variety will be largely planted.

Price, 25 cts. each; 3 for 60 cts.; 5 for \$1.

NEW ALTHEA BLANCHE.

This valuable new variety of Althea is now offered for the first time. It originated on our own grounds about seven years ago. We have observed it each year, and found the type permanent, and a great improvement on the Double White Althea now in cultivation. The flowers of this new variety are much more perfect than the parent, being larger, of better substance, and more double, while the color shows almost pure white, the carmine threading at base of petals being very faint. Price, 35 cts. each; 3 for 85 cts.; 13 for \$3.50.

PLATYCODON GRANDIFLORA.

We highly recommend this splendid New Plant from Japan. We can now supply fine strong roots that will flower the present season. This superb new variety is perfectly hardy, increasing in size and beauty of flowers from year to year. Plants grow about three feet high, and covered all Summer with beautiful star-shaped Gladiolus-like flowers. This new and charming flower will attract great attention; should be in every collection.

Platycodon Grandiflora Cœrulea.—Beautiful sky-blue flowers. Price, 25 cts. each; 3 for 60 cts.; 5 for \$1.

Platycodon Grandiflora Alba.—Lovely pearl-white flowers. Price, 25 cts. each; 3 for 60 cts.; 5 for \$1.

The two Platycodon, white and blue, for 40 cts.

NEW EULALIA GRACILLIMA UNIVITTATA.

This grand new variety of Eulalia forms exceedingly handsome clumps 4 to 5 feet high, which are hardy in all parts of the country. The graceful reed-like foliage is beautiful shining green, with midrib of silvery white. We strongly recommend this superb new ornamental plant. Price, 50 cts. each; 6 for \$2.50; 12 for \$5.



PLATYCODON. 25 CTS.

Hydrangea Grandiflora.



HYDRANGEA GRANDIFLORA IN BLOOM.

PRICE, 20 CENTS, 40 CENTS AND \$1, ACCORDING TO SIZE.

The Hydrangea Grandiflora continues to be one of the best and most handsome Hardy Ornamental Shrubs ever grown. It blooms finely the first year and gets better and grows larger with age; it grows three to four feet high, is perfectly hardy in all parts of the country, needs no protection in Winter; blooms in July and August, when other flowers are scarce, and remains in bloom two or three months. The flowers are *Pure White*, afterwards changing to pink, and rich coppery red, and are borne in immense pyramidal trusses, more than a foot long and nearly as much in diameter; as shown in the engraving, the plant is of bushy and compact growth, and when laden with its great masses of bloom is exceedingly striking and attractive; it is deservedly popular, and in great demand for Lawn, Park and Cemetery planting wherever known.

Treatment.—No special treatment is required; the Hydrangea will grow and thrive in all ordinary situations; the bush should be cut back every Spring, at least one-half of last season's growth, dug around and well manured. The finest flowers are borne on the new or young wood, and are largest and best when the plant has made a strong, vigorous growth.

We offer the HYDRANGEA GRANDIFLORA in three different sizes, as described below. They are strong, well-matured plants, and will all bloom the first season. Price according to size.

STRONG ONE-YEAR PLANTS.—By Mail or Express, 20 cts.; 2 for 40 cts.; \$2 per doz.

STRONG TWO-YEAR PLANTS.—Cut back ready for planting, by Mail or Express, 40 cts.; 2 for 75 cts.; \$4 per doz.

EXTRA STRONG THREE-YEAR PLANTS.—Cut back ready for planting, *by EXPRESS ONLY*, \$1 each; 2 for \$1.75; 6 for \$4.50; \$8 per doz.

Hydrangea Otaksa.—A magnificent flowering shrub, with immense trusses of flowers, frequently twelve inches across; color, bright rosy pink, contrasting finely with other sorts. The plant is of low bushy growth, and should have a light covering of straw, leaves or evergreen branches during Winter, 35 cts.; 3 for \$1; \$3.50 per doz.

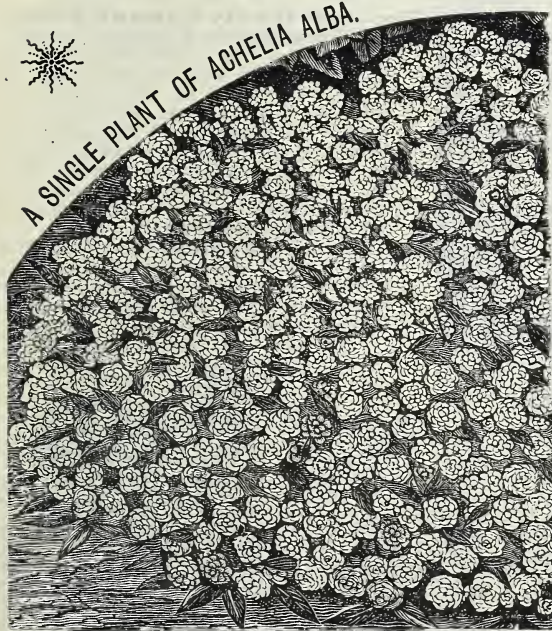
Weigela Hortensis Nevia (*White Flowered Weigela*).—An elegant, hardy, ornamental shrub, scarce and difficult to obtain; grows three or four feet high; pretty, drooping habit; blooms in Midsummer; pure snowy white, trumpet-shaped flowers. 25 cts.; larger size, 40 cts.; \$2.50 and \$4 per doz.



PLUMBAGO "LADY LARPENT"

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THIS beautiful variety of Plumbago (*P. Larpente*) was planted extensively on our grounds the past season, where it attracted great attention from our many visitors. It is very desirable for bedding, while single specimens, set in mixed flower beds or vases, appear in lovely contrast with other flowers. As will be seen from our illustration, the habit of growth is dense and compact, about twelve inches in height, and covered with exquisite violet-blue-colored flowers, borne in close terminal heads. The foliage is very distinct, finely serrated and fringing the stems. The plants we send out will be in full bloom by the middle of July, and will continue covered with flowers until checked by severe frost. Price, 25 cts. each; 3 for 60 cts.; 5 for \$1.



A SINGLE PLANT OF ACHELIA ALBA.

ACHELIA ALBA.

Achelia Alba, Large Flowering, is now one of the most popular hardy plants. As will be seen by our illustration, the plants are of very compact habit, presenting a perfect mass of lovely white flowers. The blooming quality of this splendid novelty is something remarkable, flowering in great profusion the first Summer, while the second season it will bloom three to five times as much; is entirely hardy and will last for years; it is one of the most valuable snow-white flowers for cemetery planting; it will grow in any situation or soil, and is very valuable for planting amongst shrubbery, along drives and out-of-the-way places where no other flowers will grow. It is also fine for pots or boxes. Price, 20 cts. each; 2 for 35 cts.; 4 for 60 cts.; 9 for \$1; \$10 per hundred.

Two Grand New Wisterias.

Chinese New White Wisteria.—This superb Wisteria will give complete satisfaction; it possesses all the good qualities of *Wisteria Magnifica*—which is considered the best dark-colored variety in existence—the flowers of the Chinese variety here offered are produced in large, magnificent fragrant racemes, pure white in color. We have a large stock of fine plants, and make the price very low. Price, 50 cts. each; \$5 per doz.; with *Wisteria Magnifica*, described on page 63, the two for 70 cts.

Chinese New Double Purple Wisteria.—We offer this magnificent new variety for the first time. It is entirely distinct, and the handsomest Wisteria now in cultivation; produces a profusion of splendid large racemes of double flowers; exquisitely fragrant; color, deep shining purple. Price, \$1 each.

Gypsy Queen,

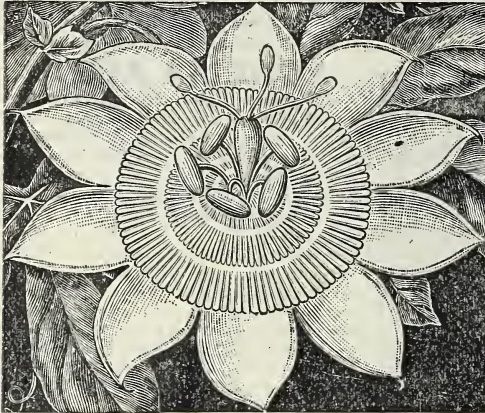
NEW HARDY GAILLARDIA.

This magnificent Novelty (*Gaillardia Aristata Grandiflora*) was offered by us for the first time last season. It is the most beautiful of all the Gaillardia family. A rare quality possessed by this splendid new plant is that it will flourish in any location or soil, blooming profusely from June until snow falls, the strongest recommendation possible for a hardy plant. We know of nothing more likely to give satisfaction in the hardy flower garden, or among shrubbery, or in the grass at edge of lawn, and along drives, fences, etc. As will be seen by our illustration, the flowers are of elegant shape; they are borne on long stems, making them valuable for cutting; the color is glowing red, with deep maroon centre, tips of petals flashing orange yellow, making a perfect combination of Gypsy colors. Our large stock enables us to put the price very low, so that all can include this beautiful New Gaillardia in their orders.

Price, strong plants, 20 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts.; 6 for \$1; 12 for \$2; 25 for \$3.50; 50 for \$6; 100 for \$12.



NEW GAILLARDIA, GYPSY QUEEN. 20 CTS.



PASSIFLORA, CONSTANCE ELLIOTT. 30 CTS.

The New Hybrid Hibiscus.

This splendid New Hardy Hybrid Hibiscus was produced after long and careful hybridization of the Moschatus and Californicus types. The flowers are produced in great profusion; they are somewhat cup-shaped and of immense size, frequently measuring 6 to 8 inches in diameter; the colors range from pure white through all shades of blush and pink to bright rosy crimson. They bloom during July and August and continue in bloom a long time; the plants are perfectly hardy, growing from the root every Spring and forming large clumps 3 to 4 feet high, and nearly as wide.

Price.—Strong Roots, 20 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts.; \$2 per doz.; \$12 per hundred.

NEW HYBRID HIBISCUS SEED.

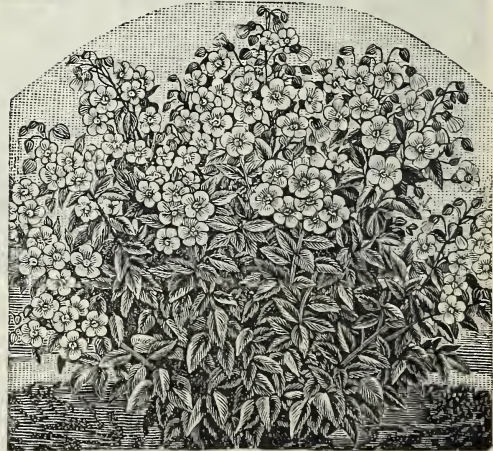
The New Hybrid Hibiscus described above can be easily raised from seed; most of the seedlings bloom the first season and make fine, showy clumps the second year. The Seed we offer was saved from our own plants the past season, and includes all colors. Price, per pkt., 35 cts.; 2 pkts., 25 cts.; 5 pkts., 50 cts.; oz., \$1.

New Passion Vines.

The New Hardy Passion Flower, Constance Elliott, is an elegant climbing vine. Commences to bloom when quite small, and continues during the season. The flowers are large, remarkably handsome and attractive, and highly perfumed. Color, pure ivory white, with raised centre. Hardy in open ground, if given a light covering of leaves or litter during Winter. Makes a fine window plant, and is valuable for cemetery, etc. Price, 30 cts. each; 2 for 50 cts.; \$3 per doz.

Passiflora Cœrulea.—The Hardy Blue Passion Flower is a beautiful hardy climber, with large deep blue flowers; very handsome and desirable; hardy with slight protection. Price, 30 cts.

Both varieties of *Passiflora* for 50 cts.



THE NEW HYBRID HIBISCUS. 20 CTS.

New Althea Banner.—A splendid new variety; one of the most beautiful and striking Altheas ever grown; blooms

in July and August; flowers extra large and very double; color, pale rose, elegantly striped with rich crimson; very showy and attractive. 25 cts.; larger size 40 cts.; \$2.50 and \$4 per doz.



NEW ALTHEA BANNER. 25 CTS.



VIBURNUM PLICATUM. 35 CTS.

Viburnum Plicatum (*Japan Snow-Ball*).

—Newly introduced and extra fine; scarce and difficult of propagation,

but one of the most beautiful and valuable flowering shrubs. It is of erect, bushy habit; grows 3 to 4 feet high, and is perfectly hardy. It blooms in June; large, globular heads of pure white flowers entirely covering the plant, and presenting a rare and splendid appearance. Price, strong blooming plants, 35 cts.; larger size, 50 cts.; \$3.50 and \$5 per doz.

Japan Rose (*Rosa Rugosa*).—A new and splendid hardy flowering shrub introduced from Japan; grows 4 or 5 feet high; perfectly hardy; has bright glossy green foliage and large crimson flowers; borne in clusters and followed in the Autumn by brilliant scarlet fruit; very striking and beautiful. 35 cts.; larger size, 50 cts.; \$3.50 and \$5 per doz.



JAPAN ROSE. 35 CTS.

Clematis Stans (*Japan Erect Clematis*).—A new and rare ornamental flowering shrub from Japan. It is of low, spreading growth and blooms profusely in late Fall; flowers are bluish white, borne on long, pendulous spikes, and exceedingly sweet. 25 cts.; larger size, 40 cts.; \$2.50 and \$4 per doz.

Japan Judas (*Cercis Japonica*).—A rare and exceedingly beautiful, hardy flowering shrub; grows 3 to 4 feet high; blooms early in Spring before the leaves show; flowers are deep rosy crimson, and borne in such profusion that the whole bush is entirely covered and loaded with bloom; very handsome and showy. 50 cts. each; \$4 and \$5 per doz.



EXOCHORDA GRANDIFLORA. 35 CTS.

Exochorda Grandiflora.

A Splendid New Hardy Ornamental Flowering Shrub, recently introduced from Japan. It is as yet scarce and difficult to obtain. It is a strong, vigorous grower, perfectly hardy; needs no protection in Winter; forms a neat, compact bush, 4 to 6 feet high; blooms profusely early in Spring. The flowers are pure snow white, and borne on long, slender branches, making it an object of rare and graceful beauty, sure to attract marked attention. We take pleasure in recommending it as one of the best hardy shrubs. Price, 35 cts.; 2 for 60 cts.; 6 for \$1.75; \$3.50 per doz.

Jasminum Officinale.

A very attractive, rapid-growing, and useful climbing vine, which produces during Summer and Autumn, numbers of pretty and fragrant pure white flowers. Should have protection in Winter, north of Washington, D. C. Price, 20 cts. each; 12 for \$2.

SPECIAL OFFER.—The Set of Twenty-four New and Rare Ornamental Shrubs and Vines, by Mail or Express, for \$5.50. Largest size by Express only for \$6.50.

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HARDY ORNAMENTAL FLOWERING SHRUBS.

Fine Shrubbery is wanted everywhere; it is a LEADING SPECIALTY WITH US. We grow all the best varieties in large quantities and furnish strong, healthy plants, suitable for immediate planting in door-yards, lawns, parks, cemeteries, etc., etc.

We send by Mail or Express, as directed.—By Mail we pay postage, by Express the purchaser pays Express charges, but Express orders get larger plants.

Hardy and Bloom Finely.—These beautiful shrubs bloom finely and are entirely hardy. They thrive in all ordinary situations, need no protection and improve with age. **THEY MAKE ELEGANT ORNAMENTAL HEDGES**, and are also largely used as screens for walks, back-buildings, etc.

Hedges and Screens.—The varieties most suitable for hedges and screens are marked with a star [*]. When used for this purpose they should be set one foot apart and cut back to uniform height.

Size and Price.—All our shrubs, whether sent by Mail or Express, are strong, vigorous plants, suitable for planting at once in open ground. The 15-cent size are first class, but the 20-cent size are larger, and some people prefer them; that is all the difference. Those at 15 cents are 7 for \$1; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10 per hundred. Those at 20 cents are 5 for \$1; \$2 per doz.; \$12 per hundred.

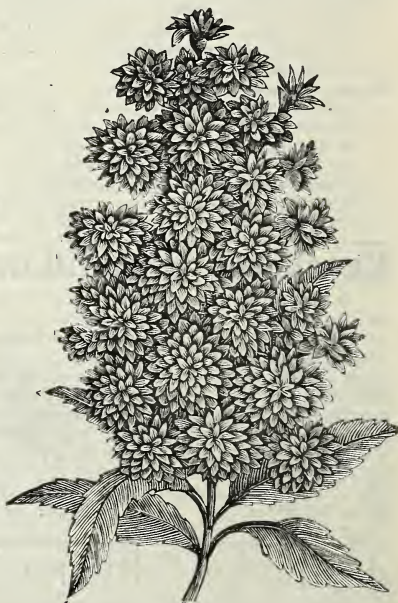
***Althea or Rose of Sharon.**—This splendid plant is one of the most showy and beautiful flowering shrubs; the flowers are of large size, bell-shaped, very double and full, and of various brilliant and striking colors; they are borne in great profusion in August and September, when other flowers are scarce. The plant is of regular and compact growth, with deep, glossy green leaves; it thrives in all ordinary situations and is entirely hardy in the Middle States. They make beautiful **ORNAMENTAL HEDGES**; sure to attract attention wherever seen. We offer six distinct varieties, all very beautiful, namely: **DOUBLE PURPLE, DOUBLE STRIPED** (red and white), **DOUBLE WHITE, DOUBLE ROSE, DOUBLE VIOLET.** Each color, 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

***Althea—Variegated Leaved.**—A very beautiful and distinct variety; regular and compact growth; half of each leaf is deep green, and half pure white; large, very double, bright pink flowers; very desirable. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

New Althea Blanche.—This beautiful new double white Althea is described on page 53. 35 cts. each; 3 for 85 cts.



DOUBLE WHITE ALTHEA.



DEUTZIA, PRIDE OF ROCHESTER.

***Berberry—Purple Leaved.**—Rich violet purple leaves, a very distinct and striking color, and pretty yellow flowers; it is very attractive, and makes lovely ornamental hedges. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

***Deutzia Fortunei.**—Height two to three feet; one of the most beautiful and profuse flowering varieties; pure white, perfectly hardy. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Calycanthus (Florida) Sweet-Scented Shrub.—Flowers purple; very double, and deliciously fragrant; blooms at intervals during the season; old and much esteemed. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

White Lilac.—The rare and beautiful White Lilac is much sought after, but is very scarce. We have now ready a fine lot of strong plants, which we offer at lowest price. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

**Deutzia Gracilis*.—Height two to three feet; regular and compact form, very bushy; a charming shrub introduced from Japan by Dr. Siebold; flowers pure white; blooms profusely. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

**Deutzia Crenata*.—Height four feet; similar growth and habit to above; flowers very double, pure white, beautifully tinged with rose; hardy and fine. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Deutzia, Pride of Rochester (see cut).—This elegant variety resembles *Deutzia Crenata*—except that the flowers are pure white, the back of petals only being slightly tinged with rose; it excels all other sorts in size of flowers and profusion of bloom. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Kerria Japonica (*Japan Chorchorus*).—A pretty, slender, branched shrub, with bright green bark and large, very double, globular flowers; deep golden yellow, very distinct and desirable, but not much known; blooms almost constantly. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Jessamine.—Yellow flowers; sweet scented. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Lilac.—New purple; immense heads of beautiful purple flowers, very sweet and much esteemed. 15 cts.; larger size, 20c.

**Ligustrum Californica* (*California Privet*).—Remarkable for the beauty of its foliage and its regular symmetrical growth; the leaves are dark green, very glossy and wax-like; it is excellent for planting singly on the lawn, or in hedges. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Mock Orange or Syringa.—A rapid-growing, medium-sized shrub, with very fragrant white flowers. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Pyrus Japonica (*Japan Quince*).—TWO KINDS, CRIMSON AND PURE WHITE; low bushy shrubs, with glossy green leaves and sharp thorns. They bear a profusion of beautiful flowers very early in the Spring, and are exceedingly showy and handsome. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Spiraea Aurea—*Golden-Leaved Spiraea*.—A handsome shrub, with *bright golden-yellow foliage*; very conspicuous and contrasting finely with the deep green of other varieties; small white flowers. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

**Spiraea Callosa Alba*.—A new white flowering *Spiraea* of dwarf habit; very fine, perfectly hardy; blooms in July and August; one of the most desirable. 15 cts.; larger size, 20c.

**Spiraea Callosa Rubra*.—A fine, bushy, compact shrub, growing three to four feet high, bearing a profusion of deep rosy red flowers in large flat clusters or panicles; very handsome and desirable. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

**Spiraea Prunifolia* (*Bridal Wreath*).—Very beautiful; flowers pure white and perfectly double, like little Daisies. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Spiraea Reevesii.—Beautiful pure white flowers; very double, like small Roses; hardy. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Spiraea Thunbergii.—One of the finest *Spiraeas*, noted for its

compact, regular growth and pretty fern-like leaves; makes a head almost as round as a ball; flowers are white and borne in large clusters. 15c.; larger size, 20c

Tamerix Africana (*African Tamerix*).—A graceful erect-growing shrub, having pretty pink flowers and leaves like an evergreen; entirely different from all other shrubs, and very beautiful. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Weigela Candida.—New and fine; pure snow-white flowers, borne in great profusion; good Autumn bloomer. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Weigela Rosea.—This is one of the most charming shrubs in cultivation; it cannot be too highly recommended; the flowers are large and of a deep rosy color; they are borne in such profusion that the

whole plant appears a mass of lovely bloom. See illustration. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

**Weigela Variegated-Leaved*.—Deep green leaves, WITH A BROAD MARGIN OF PURE WHITE AROUND EACH; VERY STRIKING AND PRETTY; rose-colored flowers, same as above, but smaller growth. See illustration. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Weigela Lavallee.—New and fine; deep-red flowers, entirely unlike other *Weigelas*; very distinct and beautiful. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.



A SPRAY OF WEIGELA ROSEA.



WEIGELA VARIEGATED-LEAVED.



YUCCA FILAMENTOSA (SEE P. 60).



VIBURNUM SNOW BALL.

NEW WHITE HYDRANGEA, THOMAS HOGG.
35 CTS.

Hydrangea Grandiflora.—The finest hardy flowering shrub ever introduced (see page 54). 20 cts.

SPECIAL OFFER.—Set of four handsome Hydrangeas named above and one splendid Dahlia Sunflower (page 50), the five for \$1.10.

The Complete Set of 47 Varieties, Hardy Shrubs, for \$5.25.

EXTRA LARGE SHRUBS FOR IMMEDIATE EFFECT.

When desired, we can furnish the following-named Shrubs as described above, in EXTRA SIZE PLANTS, 3 to 4 YEARS OLD, and 3 to 4 FEET HIGH, at the prices given below (by Express only).

Hydrangea Grandiflora.—Extra strong, 3-year plants, 3 feet high. \$1 each; 2 for \$1.75; \$8 per doz.

Althea, Double White and Double Purple.—3 to 4 feet. 50 cts. each; \$4 per doz.

Deutzia, Fortunei, Crenata, etc.—3 to 4 feet. 50 cts.; \$4 per doz.

Forsythia Viridissima.—3 to 4 feet. 50 cts.; \$4 per doz.

California Privet.—3 to 4 feet. 50 cts.; \$4 per doz.

Weigela Lavallee.—3 to 4 feet. 50 cts.; \$4 per doz.

Purple Berberry and Purple Fringe.—3 to 4 feet. 50 cts.; \$4 per doz.

Weigela Rosea, Variegated-Leaved, etc.—3 to 4 feet. 50 cts.; \$4 per doz.

Spiraea Aurea, Weigela Candida, Yucca, etc.—3 to 4 feet. 50 cts.; \$4 per doz.

The complete Set of 15 Extra Size Shrubs (named above) for \$5.

OTHER HARDY PLANTS WE OFFER.—In addition to our complete lists of Hardy Shrubs, Climbing Vines, etc., offered in these pages, we ask special attention to the Splendid New Dahlia Sunflower, described page 50; the most beautiful Hardy Phlox, page 77; lovely Hardy Garden Pinks, page 79; Gorgeous Iris, page 77; Magnificent Lilies, page 70, etc.

Weigela Rubra.—Fine large flowers, produced in great profusion; color, deep, ruddy crimson; very rich and beautiful. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

White Fringe.—A small ornamental tree, bearing pure white flowers, resembling elegant fringe. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Yucca Filamentosa.—A low-growing, hardy evergreen plant, with long, narrow leaves, very distinct and almost tropical in its appearance. The flower stalk is from two to four feet high, and rises from the centre. It bears a profusion of creamy white, bell-shaped flowers; very beautiful. We have prepared an illustration of this fine plant, to which we beg to call attention. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Forsythia Suspensa.—A beautiful hardy shrub of weeping or pendulous habit; glossy, deep green leaves, and bright yellow flowers; blooms early in Spring. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Forsythia Golden Bell.—Height three to four feet; beautiful bright yellow flowers; blooms profusely very early in Spring; splendid. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Japan Euonymus.—In three varieties, *Silver-Leaved, Variegated Trailing and Large-Leaved.* These are pretty, low-growing evergreen shrubs, with thick glossy green leaves; very desirable for borders, rock work, vases, etc.; they do best in moist, shady places. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Purple Fringe (*Rhus Cotinus*).—A beautiful and very striking shrub, covered in Midsummer with fine hair-like flowers, causing the whole plant to appear as if wrapped in a cloud of purple mist. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Viburnum Snow Ball.—We want to call particular attention to this fine shrub; it is a strong, hardy grower, covered, when in bloom, with large balls of pure white flowers, really resembling balls of snow, and very pleasant for snow-balling purposes. See illustration. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

New White Hydrangea, Thomas Hogg.—A magnificent shrub, introduced from Japan. Produces in July IMMENSE CLUSTERS OF PURE WHITE FLOWERS, VERY SHOWY AND STRIKING; should be kept in cellar over Winter and planted out early in Spring. 35 cts.; 3 for 75 cts.; 12 for \$3.

Hydrangea, Empress Eugenie.—Large heads of pinkish blue and white flowers; an excellent sort. 25 cts.; 5 for \$1; 12 for \$2.

Hydrangea Hortensis or Garden Hydrangea.—Nearly hardy here, but frequently grown in a pot or box; flowers are borne in large panicles or heads, at first white, sometimes changing to blue, and finally to a bright pink. 25 cts.; 5 for \$1; 12 for \$2.

Beautiful Hardy Climbing Vines.

Hardy Climbing Vines are among the most desirable ornamental plants; no others produce more beautiful effects; whether clambering over the veranda or clinging fast to house-walls, they clothe all with a mantle of beauty, and give a pleasant, restful look to the humblest home. They are used profusely in decorating the finest suburban residences, parks, cemeteries and churches the country over. We note the purpose for which each variety is most suitable, and recommend them to all lovers of beautiful plants. Climbing Vines are also very useful for concealing unsightly objects, buildings, walls, fences, etc.; and old trees and stumps are frequently more beautiful when covered with a luxuriant drapery of clinging vines than they were in their growing condition.

Ampelopsis Veitchii, Boston Ivy (see illustration).—A new and very beautiful hardy climbing vine, now extensively used on the finest suburban residences, churches, etc.; also in parks, lawns and cemeteries. It is a hardy and quite rapid grower; clings fast to stone, brick or wooden walls without support; droops with inimitable grace from porches, balconies, and cornices, covering all in Summer with a mantle of lovely green foliage, which changes, as Autumn approaches, to brilliant crimson. 15 cts., 8 for \$1; larger size, 20 cts., 6 for \$1.

Ampelopsis Quinquefolia, American Ivy or Virginia Creeper.—A strong, rapid grower, clinging firmly to stone, brick, or wooden walls, without support; suitable also for verandas, porches, trunks of trees, etc.; large, dark green foliage, changing in Autumn to bright crimson. 15 cts., 8 for \$1; larger size, 20 cts., 6 for \$1.

Akebia Quinata—Japan Akebia—A new twining climber, suitable for pillar or trellis; handsome and distinct foliage, and chocolate-colored, fragrant flowers; very desirable. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

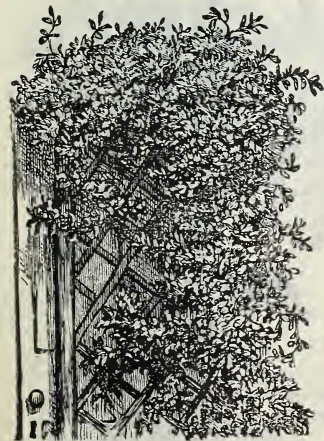
Bignonia Grandiflora—Trumpet Creeper.—A hardy, fast grower, suitable for covering dead walls, back buildings, fences, etc.; produces in August large orange-red, trumpet-shaped flowers in clusters, as shown in illustration. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Clematis.—We offer the finest varieties of this most beautiful climbing vine. Page 52.

Climbing Roses.—Climbing Roses are very beautiful and much esteemed. Description and prices, p. 20.



AMPELOPSIS VEITCHII, COVERING WALL. 15 AND 20 CTS.



HONEYSUCKLES SHELTERING A DOOR.

Honeysuckles.

Honeysuckles.—For real home vines, to be near you, climbing over your windows and doorways, there is nothing prettier than fine, sweet-scented Honeysuckles; the foliage is pretty, neat and clean, the flowers almost continuous, and their fragrance delicious. The varieties described below are the very best. We will send the set of 7 for 90 cts.; larger size, \$1.20.

Honeysuckle Hedges.—Some of our friends have conceived the idea of planting Honeysuckles along the division fences, and it is wonderful what pretty hedges they make. Iron or wire fences are the best, but almost any kind is soon covered with a mantle of living green, making a very pretty and cheap border for lawns, drives, parks, cemeteries, etc. Other climbing vines will answer the same purpose, but the sweet-scented Honeysuckles are both fragrant and beautiful. They should be planted two feet apart. Price, strong plants, by Express, \$1.50 per doz.; \$12 per hundred.

Evergreen Sweet-Scented Honeysuckle.—A hardy, vigorous grower; blooms nearly all the season; deliciously fragrant; flowers buff, yellow and white; very desirable for veranda and trellis work. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Chinese Sweet-Scented Honeysuckle.—A fine variety, of vigorous growth; white and yellow flowers; a very fragrant and constant bloomer. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.



THE NEW HALLIANA HONEYSUCKLE. 15 AND 20 CTS.

European Sweet-Scented (Belgian) Honeysuckle.—A fine hardy grower; flowers large and exceedingly sweet; color, buff, yellow and red; a constant bloomer; one of the finest Honeysuckles; suitable for trellis or pillar. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Golden-Leaved Honeysuckle.—An elegant and very desirable variety of moderate growth; leaves beautifully veined and netted with clear yellow, so that the prevailing color of the foliage is bright yellow; flowers yellow and fragrant; admirable for pillar and trellis work. This beautiful Honeysuckle is so distinct that it is one of the best varieties to plant with other vines for a striking contrast. See illustration. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

New Halliana Honeysuckle.—A new variety introduced from Japan, and considered a great acquisition; it is evergreen and a constant bloomer; flowers pure white, changing to yellow; very fragrant; good for trellis or pillar, one of the very best varieties for all purposes. See illustration. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

The New Chapmanii Honeysuckle.—This is an elegant new Honeysuckle, differing from all the others in being of an erect habit of growth; not a climber, but a very pretty erect-growing shrub, with deep glossy green leaves, and bearing a profusion of lovely flowers; color, pale orange buff, richly shaded, very sweet and handsome; excellent for general planting. Price, 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Red Coral Honeysuckle.—A hardy, rapid grower, suitable for rock-work, etc.; bright red, trumpet-shaped flowers. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Japan Sweet-Scented Honeysuckle.—Beautiful large flowers; pale yellow and white; exquisitely sweet; a constant and profuse bloomer. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.



GOLDEN-LEAVED HONEYSUCKLE. 15 AND 20 CTS.

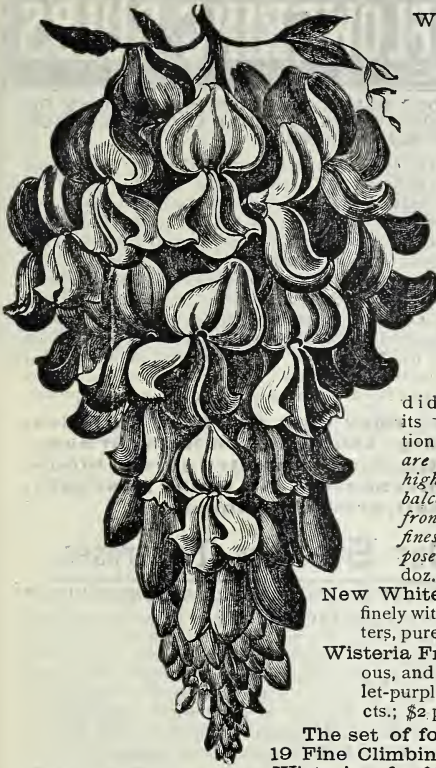
English Ivy.—A splendid evergreen climber, with dark glossy green leaves; clings firmly to stone or brick walls, without trellis or support, covering them closely with its splendid foliage; very desirable. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Variegated-Leaved Ivy.—Similar to above, but a smaller growing plant; leaves variegated with white; best for rock-work, vases and house culture. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.

Virginia Silk Vine (*Periploca Græca*).—A highly ornamental, rapid-growing, twining climber, suitable for trees and wild gardens; pretty pale-blue flowers. 15 cts.; larger size, 20 cts.



FLOWER OF EUROPEAN SWEET-SCENTED HONEYSUCKLE. 15 AND 20 CTS.



Wisteria, Chinese.

—A hardy, strong-growing, trailing vine of large growth, producing in Midsummer large clusters of beautiful pale blue fragrant flowers; much used for high verandas, balconies, etc. 25 cts.; \$2.50 per doz.

Wisteria Magnifica.

—Similar to above, but darker blue flowers; profuse bloomer; splendid. The finest of its color in cultivation. The *Wisterias* are recommended for high verandas, porches, balconies, second-floor fronts, etc., as the very finest plants for the purpose. 25 cts.; \$2.50 per doz.

New White Wisteria.—A rare and elegant variety, contrasting finely with other sorts. Flowers are borne in long, pendulous clusters, pure snowy white and deliciously sweet. 35 cts.; \$3.25 per doz.

Wisteria Frutescens.—An elegant climbing vine, hardy and vigorous, and blooms much earlier than the other varieties; pretty violet-purple flowers, borne in large clusters and very fragrant. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

The set of four beautiful *Wisterias* for \$1. Complete set of 19 Fine Climbing Vines named above, including the set of four *Wisterias*, for \$3; larger size, \$4.

WISTERIA MAGNIFICA. 25C.

A Beautiful Fern.

Fern—Pteris Serrulata.—This beautiful Fern is a handsome, vigorous grower, with very pretty dark-green foliage. It is suitable for house culture, vases, baskets and rock-work; not hardy. Price, 15 cts.; \$1.50 per doz.

Madeira Vine.

A rapid-growing, graceful vine, with smooth, glossy leaves; bears racemes of fragrant white flowers, desirable for hanging baskets, trellis, rock-work, etc.; gave satisfaction last year, and we recommend it as an easy-growing and valuable climbing vine. 10 cts.; 3 for 25 cts.; 75 cts. per doz.

EULALIA JAPONICA ZEBRINA.



EULALIA JAPONICA ZEBRINA.

This beautiful ornamental grass is one of the finest plants for lawns. It grows 4 or 5 feet high, is perfectly hardy, needs no protection and improves with age. The leaves are deep green, STRIPED CROSSWISE WITH BROAD BARS OF PURE WHITE, as shown in the engraving. Our plants are propagated from the root, and therefore more valuable than cheap seedlings which do not come true.

Price, strong plants, 25 cts.; 2 for 40 cts.; \$2.25 per doz.

Eulalia Japonica Variegata.—An older variety than Zebrina, but equally valuable; LEAVES STRIPED LENGTHWISE; FINE CREAMY WHITE AND BRIGHT GREEN. The plumes of both the *Eulalias* make pretty parlor ornaments. 25 cts.; 2 for 40 cts.; \$2.25 per doz.

Erianthus Ravenna.—A perfectly hardy ORNAMENTAL GRASS, throwing up splendid flower stalks, 8 to 10 feet high, the first season. It bears beautiful feather-like plumes, highly valued for parlor ornaments; it is a striking and handsome lawn plant. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

SPECIAL OFFER.—We will send the two *Eulalias* and one *Erianthus*—3 for 60 cts.



ERIANTHUS RAVENNA.



ENGLISH IVY. 15 AND 20 CTS.

The Dingee & Copard Co.'s SUPERIOR SUMMER FLOWERING BULBS



DWARF EXCELSIOR PEARL TUBEROSE.
3 FOR 25 CTS.

ALL OUR BULBS, WHETHER HOME GROWN OR IMPORTED, ARE SELECTED EXCLUSIVELY FOR OUR RETAIL TRADE.

THE enormous numbers of Summer Flowering Bulbs we sell every year is the best evidence that our bulbs give complete satisfaction—proving successful where others fail. This class includes many of our most gorgeous and elegant flowers. Our collections offered in the following eight pages embrace the most popular and useful varieties that can be grown successfully in this country. All are of the easiest cultivation, requiring little care. They cannot, however, bear freezing; but at the approach of Winter must be taken up and stored in a dry, cool place, secure from frost. The best way to keep bulbs is in a box filled with loamy soil; no water is required.

We offer only the best Varieties. All large sound picked Bulbs of Superior Quality, warranted sure to bloom the first Season. All Bulbs Post-paid, by Mail, at Prices named.

Our Excelsior Tuberoses.

THE FINEST IN EXISTENCE, ALL BLOOMING BULBS

Directions for Planting.—Tuberoses will not bear much cold; do not plant till ground is warm. They may be started in the house in a warm place, but care must be taken that they get no check in setting out. Plant two or three inches deep, and six to eight inches apart in the row in good warm rich ground, free from shade. If danger of frost before the flowers are done in the Fall, lift carefully with the earth on the roots and plant in pots or boxes in a warm light place, and they will continue to bloom for several weeks. Tuberose flowers are grown largely for sale, and are extensively used in all kinds of floral decorations, and particularly in Bridal and Funeral work. They are always in demand at good prices.

Dwarf Excelsior Pearl Tuberose.

—A splendid New Variety, the finest ever introduced. We ask attention to our engraving of a single plant; it is greatly superior to the Common Pearl; grows about 18 inches high, blooms very early, matures perfectly; flowers pure white, large size, very double and intensely sweet. We send splendid large, well-ripened bulbs, the finest ever grown, all sure to bloom; gives immense satisfaction every year. Be sure to give them a trial.

Notice Prices.—Extra Fine Large Flowering Bulbs, 10 cts. each; 3 for 25 cts.; 6 for 40 cts.; 75 cts. per doz.; \$6 per hundred.

Large Size Selected.—12 cts. each; 3 for 35 cts.; 6 for 65 cts.; \$1.25 per doz.

Tall Double Italian Tuberose.—The best tall-growing variety. Price, extra fine, large flowering bulbs, 10 cts. each; 3 for 25 cts.; 6 for 40 cts.; 75 cts. per doz.

Orange-Flowered Tuberose.—This is a very beautiful Tuberose, with elegant single flowers; it is considered more hardy than the Double Varieties, and more certain to bloom; it also blooms much earlier in the season. The flowers are pure snowy white, and very sweet, rivaling orange blossoms. Strong blooming bulbs, 15 cts.; 3 for 40 cts.; 6 for 75 cts.; \$1.50 per doz.

New Variegated-Leaved Tuberose.—This handsome new variety is one of the prettiest novelties yet offered; its deep green leaves are finely edged and bordered with broad stripes of creamy white; the flowers are star-shaped, very large and of exquisite fragrance. It blooms several weeks earlier than other Tuberoses, which adds greatly to its value, and, if kept in cellar over Winter, the bulbs will continue to bloom year after year. 15 cts.; 3 for 40 cts.; 6 for 75 cts.; \$1.50 per doz.

TWO SPLENDID SETS OF TUBEROSES.

Set No. 1.—For Fifty Cents, we will send by Mail, post-paid, 6 Tuberoses, selected as follows: 2 Excelsior Pearl, 2 Double Italian, 1 Orange-Flowered, and 1 New Variegated-Leaved, 6 in all, for 50 cts.

Set No. 2.—For One Dollar, we will send by Mail, post-paid, 13 Tuberoses, selected as follows: 5 Excelsior Pearl, 4 Double Italian, 2 Orange-Flowered, and 2 New Variegated-Leaved, 13 in all, for \$1.

FOR 30 CTS.

we will send, post-paid, 4 Blooming Tuberoses, 3 bulbs of our famous Excelsior Pearl, and 1 Orange-Flowered Tuberose, 4 in all, for 30 cts.



A BED OF OUR SPLENDID SEEDLING GLADIOLUS.

OUR SPLENDID SEEDLING GLADIOLUS.

OUR SPLENDID SEEDLING GLADIOLUS have become almost as famous as our Roses; their wonderful beauty has attracted great attention, and they are extensively planted in every State and Territory in the Union. These magnificent Gladiolus are grown from the **Finest Selected French Hybrids**, and are really the **Finest Strains of Gladiolus ever produced**; they are fully equal in size of flower and beauty of coloring to the highest-priced Named Sorts, costing many times as much.

They are Easy to Grow and Sure to Bloom.—Plant (after danger of freezing is past) in ordinary soil, 3 inches deep and 6 or 8 inches apart, and they will soon throw up tall spikes of beautiful flowers of the most brilliant and gorgeous colors, crimson, scarlet, purple, orange, white, etc., with all imaginable shades and markings. They are superbly beautiful, and attract more attention than any other flower of their season. By planting at two or three different times you can have a constant succession of bloom from July to November. After the bloom is over and before cold weather, the bulbs should be lifted and stored in a dry place, secure from frost, where they will keep nicely and be ready to plant again next season.

PRICE.—*FINEST SELECTED SEEDLINGS, Strong Bulbs, Warranted to Bloom, free by Mail, 10 cts. each; 3 for 25 cts.; 6 for 40 cts.; 75 cts. per doz.*

By Express, purchaser paying Express charges, 25 for \$1.75; 50 for \$3.50; \$6 per 100.

Fine Mixed Gladiolus.—Our fine mixed Gladiolus are made up of the very choicest strains and include all beautiful colors. Please notice our low prices for these large blooming Bulbs. *By Mail post-paid, 6 for 25 cts.; 12 for 50 cts.; 25 for \$1. By Express, 50 for \$1.90; 100 for \$3.75.*

GLADIOLUS IN SEPARATE COLORS.

*Red Assorted Shades, 4 for 25 cts.; 75 cts. per doz.
White and Light, 3 for 25 cts.; 90 cts. per doz.*

*Pink and Striped, 3 for 25 cts.; 90 cts. per doz.
Yellow and Buff, 3 for 25 cts.; \$1 per doz.*

Our Big 50 Cent Set, 10 Splendid Named Gladiolus.

A large stock of the following varieties allows us to make the unprecedented offer of the entire set of **Ten for 50 cts.**; all are distinct, true to name, and each variety labeled; this set of named Gladiolus for 50 cts. is unsurpassed, and bears no comparison to any set for the money ever offered. *All labeled.*

Addison.—Clear carmine, grand spikes.

Antonius.—Scarlet cherry, beautifully tinged with orange; lower petals marked clear white.

Brenchleyensis.—The large spikes of this handsome variety are flaming vermilion scarlet.

Ceres.—Beautiful, pure white flowers, mottled purple and red.

Engesseri.—Magnificent white and purple.

Eugene Scribe.—Striking velvety vermilion.

Sylphide.—White ground, tinted rose.

John Bull.—A popular variety; white, beautifully tinged with sulphur yellow.

Madame Monaret.—Lovely soft pink; exquisite flowers.

Isaac Buchanan.—White, slightly threaded with rose, marked violet purple.

The Entire Set of Ten named above for 50 cts., Post-paid.

A Set of Ten Extra Choice Named Gladiolus for \$1.

We will send by Mail, post-paid, for \$1, the set of TEN EXTRA CHOICE named Gladiolus described below. This set forms a combination of beauty seldom seen for the money. All are labeled.

Ajax.—Flaming red, enormous spikes.

Astre.—Pure white, marked violet carmine; throat lilac.

Crystal Palace.—Shining carmine, veined rose color.

Fatma.—Ivory white ground, striped rosy purple.

Lacandeur.—Lovely white, striped carmine violet.

Lord Burleigh.—Deep shining salmon, lightened with flashing crimson.

Princess Conde.—Light orange red, marked white, beautifully feathered carmine.

Romulus.—Rich dark red, pure white markings.

Van Dyck.—Crimson amaranth, striped with white.

Zenobia.—Rose and violet, flamed carmine, marked white.

The Entire Set of Ten named above for \$1, Post-paid.

CHOICE NAMED GLADIOLUS.

Below we offer 50 of the finest selected new and scarce Gladiolus now known to exist; they will delight amateurs and all others who desire only the most valuable and distinct kinds. We wish to call particular attention to the **New Gladiolus Snow White**, now offered for the first time.



NEW GLADIOLUS SNOW WHITE. 35 CTS.

NEW GLADIOLUS SNOW WHITE.

We now offer for the first time the famous and long-looked-for **Snow White Gladiolus**. For an accurate description of this superb novelty we quote from the notes of the grower and introducer: "It is the only really pure white Gladiolus known; the spikes are of large size, set solidly with flowers from bottom to top; the flowers are of the most beautiful shape, exquisitely recurved and crisped; the superb spikes of bloom remain the same pure color week after week, withstanding hot sun and wet weather. The large bulbs send up vigorous and healthy plants, each bulb producing a number of spikes." As we have made a special arrangement with the introducer of this valuable Gladiolus, we are able to make the price very low. Price, 35 cts. each; 3 for \$1; 6 for \$2; 12 for \$3.90.

- Grand Rouge.**—Intense crimson, passing to fiery scarlet, elegantly clouded and spotted with rich violet purple. 75 cts.
Gen. Sherman.—Fiery crimson, dashed with glowing purple, shaded pure white; a splendid sort. 30 cts.
Gen. Sheridan.—Splendid showy flowers of intense crimson, marked deep purple. 30 cts.
Hermione.—White ground, finely striped with carmine and lilac; large white mark on petals. 40 cts.
Hesperide.—Splendid large flowers; color, bright rosy salmon on pure white ground. 30 cts.
La Fiance.—Splendid pure white flowers, with small bluish violet mark. 60 cts.
La Norma.—A splendid variety; pure white, sometimes tinged with violet purple; very distinct. 35 cts.
Leander.—A superb variety; lilac purple, shading to carmine; petals distinctly banded white. 35 cts.
Mt. Vtna.—A magnificent variety; extra-large flowers, brilliant velvety scarlet; rich and striking. 60 cts.
Martha Washington.—Pure golden yellow, delicately tinged pale rose; stately and striking; one of the best. 35 cts.
Myrbeer.—Brilliant scarlet, flamed with vermilion, clouded with amaranth and crimson. 30 cts.
Octoroon.—A new color; distinct and striking salmon buff color, delicately flushed with rose. 30 cts.
Phœbus.—Brilliant fiery red, with large white band on lower petals; a splendid sort. 20 cts.
Pepite.—New and fine; one of the most free-blooming yellow varieties; bright golden yellow. 40 cts.
Reine Blanche.—Pure white, richly clouded with dark crimson; a beautiful variety. 20 cts.
Reine Victoria.—Pure white, blazed with royal purple; very showy and handsome. 20 cts.
Rhameses.—Rich dark purple with deep red markings; a magnificent new variety. 50 cts.
Shakespeare.—A very excellent variety; extra-large flowers in long spikes; pure white, tinted carmine. 35 cts.
Schiller.—A very handsome variety; clear sulphur yellow, with large carmine markings. 40 cts.
Therese de Vilmorin.—Color, creamy white, passing to pure white, striped purplish rose in centre petals. \$1.25.
Trojan.—Dark and striking red, with deep purple markings; very distinct. 50 cts.
Victor Jacquemont.—Orange-colored flowers, profusely flamed with intense scarlet; lower petals, pure violet purple. \$1.
Virginalis.—Very large flowers; pure white, elegantly bordered and flamed with bright fiery red. 25 cts.
Van Spandank.—One of the best; the magnificent large flowers are a distinct fiery red. 25 cts.
Zampa.—The flowers frequently come double; fine spikes of most delicate rose color, mottled carmine at edges. 50 cts.

Set of 50 Superb Gladiolus named above for \$17.50 by Mail or Express.

NEW HARDY HYBRID GLADIOLUS.

The Splendid New Hardy Hybrid Gladiolus are entirely distinct from all other varieties; they are exceedingly beautiful and include shapes, colors and markings seen in no other flowers; being quite hardy, they can be left in the open ground during Winter, except in very cold localities.

Dracocephalus.—The most odd and curious of all Gladiolus; bronzy yellowish-green color. 25 cts.

Masque Defer.—Flowers of good size, borne in large compact spikes; color of upper petals deep purplish red, lightened at edges; lower petals shining crimson, margined with faint yellow, mottled and striped in a remarkable and beautiful manner. 50 cts.

Marie Lemoine.—Beautiful large flowers, upper petals silvery white, finely tinged, rich canary, flushed with rosy salmon; lower petals shaded and spotted violet red, finely penciled with crimson and gold. 25 cts.

Gambetta.—Flowers deep purple, streaked and veined glowing crimson; throat exquisite violet color. 75 cts.

Incendary.—A very striking variety; intense flaming crimson color, lower divisions covered with beautiful velvety purple markings. 40 cts.

Talma.—Entirely distinct; color, exquisite clear lilac, lower petals beautifully marked and penciled violet brown. 60 cts.

Saunderson.—This grand variety is entirely unlike any other sort; produces large numbers of beautiful scarlet flowers, with throat spotted white. 50 cts.

Byzantinus.—The rich crimson purple flowers of this remarkable variety resemble valuable orchids. 15 cts.; 2 for 25 cts.; 12 for \$1.25.

Purpurea Auratus.—This beautiful and graceful Gladiolus is well adapted for cut flowers; each bulb will produce many willowy spikes of handsome purple and white flowers. 5 cts.; 6 for 25 cts.; 12 for 40 cts.; 25 for 75 cts.

Set of 9 Splendid New Hardy Hybrid Gladiolus described above, \$2.50.
New Hardy Hybrid Gladiolus, Mixed Seedlings, embrace all colors, very fine, 10 cts. each; 3 for 25 cts.; \$1 per doz.; 50 for \$4; \$8 per 100.



MARIE LEMOINE AND GAMBETTA.

Seven New and Rare Gladiolus for Amateurs. Price, \$2.50

The Madhi.—This magnificent new variety, like the renowned African Soudanese, whose name it bears, is very dark brown red, an entirely new color in Gladiolus; should be in every collection. \$1 each.

Ball of Fire.—The highest colored and most striking of all the New Gladiolus; deep fiery red; splendid spike. 75 cts. each.

Chrysalora.—This is the finest variety of its color in existence; the spikes are large and perfectly shaped; color, a superb rich yellow, exquisitely threaded crimson at base of petals. 70 cts.

Empress Augusta.—Stately spikes, finely set with very numerous large flowers, which open almost simultaneously; color, pure white, exquisite pearly shadings. 75 cts.

Queen of the Fairies.—This new variety was accorded a first-class certificate by the New York Horticultural Society. It is very distinct; the large flowers are exquisite silvery white, with most delicate buff shadings towards outer edges of petals. 75 cts.

Sunset.—This splendid variety is well named. It combines the gorgeous tints and shadings of an ideal sunset; silver rose, brightened with shades of rich rosy crimson, makes it an exquisite flower. 70 cts.

Sunrise.—Now offered for the first time. Extremely odd and striking, flowers of unusual form, resembling Lilies; white throat, with beautiful radiations of soft rose. 75 cts.

The Collection of 7 Superb Varieties of Gladiolus for \$2.50.



GIANT FAIRY LILY. 15 CTS.

ready for planting out again the following Spring. We have a large stock of strong bulbs, sure to bloom; should be in every order. 15 cts. each; 2 for 25 cts.; 4 for 50 cts.; \$1.25 per doz.

TIGREDIAS.

Tigredia Grandiflora Alba.—Pearly white, marked at base of petals a clear chestnut brown. 20 cts.; 3 for 50 cts.; \$1.50 per doz.

Tigredia Grandiflora.—Large crimson flowers. 15 cts.; 2 for 25 cts.; \$1.25 per doz.

Tigredia Conchiflora.—Splendid yellow flowers. 10 cts.; 6 for 50 cts.; \$1 per doz.

The set of 3 Tigredias named 30 cts.

COPERIA DRUMMONDI,

Giant Fairy Lily.

One of the easiest of all bulbs to grow and absolutely sure to bloom freely the first season; equally desirable for the flower beds or pots. It is of the Amaryllis family, the bulbs being large and solid, sending up fine foliage and flower stalks 10 to 15 inches high, producing in great profusion large, beautiful Lily-like flowers, snow white in color. In the Fall the bulbs can be lifted and stored like Gladiolus or Tuberoses, and will be

ZEPHYRANTHUS.

Atamasco White.—At first a pale pink changing to pure white. 15 cts.; 2 for 25 cts.; \$1.25 per doz.

Atamasco Rosea.—A beautiful variety, upright flowers, petals broad and spreading; color, lovely rosy pink. 15 cts.; 2 for 25 cts.; \$1.25 per doz.

Amaryllis Treata.—Pure white and sweet scented. 10 cts.; 3 for 25 cts.; \$1 per doz.

The set of 3 Zephyranthus for 35 cts.

TUBEROUS-ROOTED BEGONIAS.

Tuberous-rooted Begonias are new and distinctly beautiful flowers, which can be grown and cared for as easily as Geraniums. The large and healthy American-grown bulbs we send out produce all Summer in profusion, gorgeous and brilliant flowers, 3 to 5 inches in diameter. An entirely new effect. Please read our descriptions and directions for culture below.



TUBEROUS-ROOTED BEGONIAS, MIXED COLORS.

geous array of colors ever seen in this magnificent new race of flowers. A bed of a dozen bulbs, costing but \$2, will excite admiration, and attract great attention in any locality, while single bulbs, planted in the mixed flower-beds or pots, vases or boxes, will appear in exceedingly handsome contrast. 20 cts. each; 3 for 55 cts.; 6 for \$1; 12 for \$2; 25 for \$4; 50 for \$8; 100 for \$15.

TUBEROUS-ROOTED BEGONIAS UNDER COLOR.

- Begonia.—**Superb Scarlet.**—Intense flame-colored flowers, very large size. 30 cts. each.
 “ **Superb Rose.**—The beautiful flowers are soft, shining rose color. 30 cts. each.
 “ **Superb White.**—Large pearly white flowers, very distinct. 30 cts. each.
 “ **Superb Yellow.**—Brilliant and glowing yellow color. 30 cts. each.

SPECIAL OFFER.—One bulb each of the 4 superb colors described above for \$1.

TUBEROUS-ROOTED BEGONIAS, Double Varieties Mixed, all colors. Very rare, 50 cts. each; 12 for \$5.



MILLA BIFLORA.

Set of 3 for 35 cts.; 3 each, 9 for \$1.

THESE splendid new Begonias are very beautiful, and unsurpassed for bedding or pot culture. As will be seen by our illustration, the plants present a striking appearance, being covered with magnificent showy flowers. The bulbs or tubers can be easily grown, succeeding best, however, in light, loamy soil and a somewhat shaded situation. After blooming all Summer, the bulbs, if in beds, should be taken up in November, dried off like Gladiolus or Tuberoses, and packed in a box of coarse sand or saw-dust, placed in a dry place, secure from cold; they will then be ready for the next season. If in pots, they can be gradually dried off in November by withholding water; when well dried out, put the pots containing bulbs in a dry warm place, until the next April, when the roots can be shaken out and replanted for Summer flowering as before.

TUBEROUS-ROOTED BEGONIAS. SUPERB MIXED COLORS

Our superb collection of Tuberous-rooted Begonias, Mixed, embraces the most gorgeous of flowers. A bed of a dozen bulbs, costing but \$2, will excite admiration, and attract great attention in any locality, while single bulbs, planted in the mixed flower-beds or pots, vases or boxes, will appear in exceedingly handsome contrast. 20 cts. each; 3 for 55 cts.; 6 for \$1; 12 for \$2; 25 for \$4; 50 for \$8; 100 for \$15.

Milla Biflora (Floating Star).—This charming novelty of recent introduction blooms profusely all Summer; the flowers are full three inches in diameter, and pure waxy white; they are borne in pairs on slender rush-like stems, and as they are gently stirred by the passing breeze, remind one of FLOATING STARS. The petals are of great substance, and flower stalks cut and placed in water will keep blooming for a week or more. 15 cts. each, or 2 for 25 cts.; \$1.25 per doz.

Bessera Elegans.—This beautiful variety is the direct counterpart of *Milla Biflora* in rich and striking color, equalling it in graceful beauty. Pendulous clusters of bell shaped flowers are borne on long slender stems. The color is a striking shade of coral scarlet, with pure white cup and dark-blue anthers. 15 cts. each; 2 for 25 cts.; \$1.25 per doz.

Cyclobothera Flavia.—This golden gem is of great beauty and easily grown; the habit of plant and bloom is similar to *Bessera*; the color is clear golden yellow, with intense black dots on each petal. Fine bulbs, 15 cts. each; 2 for 25 cts.; \$1.25 per doz.

GLOXINIA CRASSIFOLIA GRANDIFLORA.

Gloxinia Crassifolia Grandiflora, or **Improved New French Strains of Gloxinias** here offered, are the most improved and beautiful race of Gloxinias now known. The plants are of vigorous and healthy habit of growth, with foliage of velvety green, surmounted with clusters of lovely trumpet-shaped flowers, which combine colors shadings, markings and blendings in distinct and exquisite beauty seen in no other flowers. The plants are easily grown from the large bulbs we send out. They succeed best in pots or boxes; if set in the open ground, they should be placed in a somewhat shaded situation. When the plants have done blooming they can be gradually dried off like Calla Lilies and kept during Winter in a moderately warm dry place; they will then be ready for starting into bloom the next season. We offer below the most valuable named varieties, also our unsurpassed mixed colors. All are fine, strong American-grown bulbs.

Gloxinia Jenny Lind.—The superb flowers are erect and striking; color, a rich shade of deep purplish blue. 30 cts.; 3 for 80 cts.

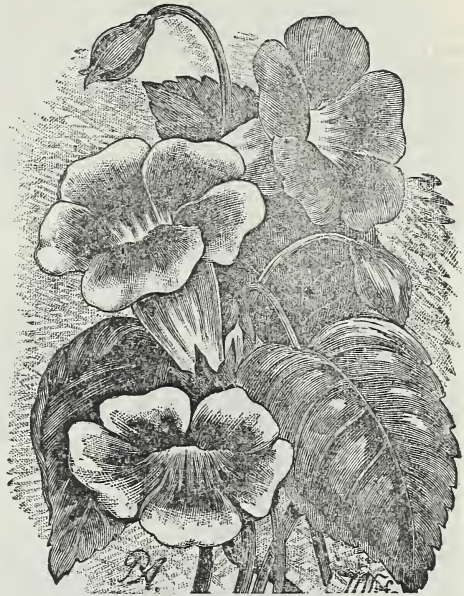
Crimson Queen.—Large flowers, crimson throat, pure white lips. 30 cts.; 3 for 80 cts.

Punctata Elegans.—Color, pure white, beautifully spotted bright crimson. 30 cts.; 3 for 80 cts.

Spotted Gem.—The gorgeous flowers are showy purple and white. 30 cts.; 3 for 80 cts.

Sappho.—Dazzling crimson flowers, borne erect, very large. 30 cts.; 3 for 80 cts.

Triumphant.—Beautiful variety, white throat, minutely spotted deep crimson. 30 cts.; 3 for 80 cts.



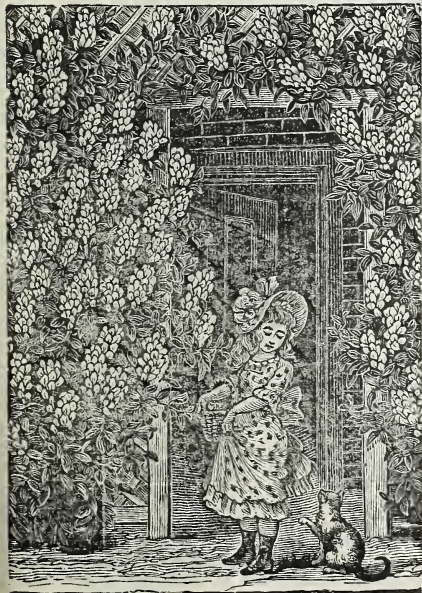
GLOXINIAS—CRIMSON QUEEN AND JENNY LIND.

The Set of Six Beautiful Crassifolia Gloxinias named above for \$1.50.

Our Superb Mixed Hybrid Gloxinias, All Colors.

The named varieties described above will please the most fastidious and exacting; but where the purchaser is not particular as to color, only wants *first-class* varieties, our selection of **Hybrid Gloxinias** here offered will delight all. This unsurpassed mixture includes the best colors only, all the dull and undesirable shades having been discarded. Fine, strong bulbs, price, 25 cts.; 3 for 60 cts.; 5 for \$1; 12 for \$2.25.

APIOS TUBEROSA—Tuberous-rooted Wisteria.



APIOS TUBEROSA. 10 CTS.

This valuable hardy Tuberous-rooted climber is one of the most popular vines. Resembles the Wisteria in foliage. Produces in great profusion large clusters of rich purple flowers, delightfully fragrant. The bulbs are perfectly hardy, and stand the Winter; they bloom freely the first Summer. 10 cts.; 3 for 25 cts.; \$1 per doz.

Hyacinthus Candicans.

This new species of Hyacinth blooms during August, September and October, growing from 18 inches to 2 feet high, with long spikes of pure white, pendulous, bell-shaped flowers. Bulbs perfectly hardy, flourishing in any situation. Price of large bulbs, sure to bloom the present season, 15 cts.; 4 for 50 cts.; \$1.50 per doz.



HYACINTHUS CANDICANS. 15 CTS.

JAPAN LILIES.

Our Complete Collection of Lilies includes all the varieties that careful trials show as suited to cultivation in all parts of America. The large, sound, picked bulbs we send out invariably give satisfaction and prove successful where others fail. We annually supply Lilies to a larger number of people than any other establishment in this country. Careful directions for culture are given below.

DIRECTIONS FOR CULTURE.—Lily bulbs should be planted quite deep, say not less than six to eight inches. Unlike most other flowers, they do not need strong ground or manure, but thrive best in a partially shaded situation, sheltered by shrubbery and other plants. They are entirely hardy, and need no protection in Winter, though in exposed situations it is advisable to give a slight covering of leaves or coarse litter when convenient. Lilies increase in size and beauty with age, and should be left undisturbed from year to year. When the best effect is desired, we recommend planting one or two dozen of a kind, rather than one or two each of several kinds; they are very desirable, and always give satisfaction. They can be planted Spring or Fall, as preferred.

AURATUM LILY.

The magnificent golden-banded Lily of Japan is considered the Queen of Lilies. The stalks from two to four feet high, crowned with splendid white-and-gold Lilies, each from four to six inches in diameter. Fine large bulbs, that will bloom the present season.

We offer Auratum Bulbs in 3 Sizes. All are fine strong bulbs, sure to bloom the present season; the only difference is the size.

Standard Size, 1st Quality,	35 cents;	\$4 per doz.
Medium " " "	25 " 3	" "
Double Extra, " "	75 " 8	" "

Batemanii.—A new and very desirable Japan Lily; color, rich apricot yellow, not spotted. 40 cts.; \$4 per doz.

Brownii.—One of the most magnificent varieties; fine foliage; flowers very large and of splendid trumpet shape; color, white inside, rich purple outside; the stamens are a rich chocolate color, and form a very distinct feature of this species. \$1.25.

Candidum.—The old white garden Lily (not Japan); a splendid sort; elegant large pure white flowers in clusters; blooms earlier than the others, but not always the first year; it is one of the most beautiful Lilies. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

Canadense.—This beautiful native Lily is grace itself; the lovely bell-shaped drooping flowers are clear red and yellow; at the low price offered, it should be in every order. 15 cts.; \$1.25 per doz.

Chalcedonicum.—This magnificent Lily is rare and scarce; should be in every collection; strong-growing, stately and free-blooming flowers of fine recurved shape; color, intense scarlet. We have a fine stock of large bulbs. 75 cts.; \$8 per doz.

Cordion.—This distinct and beautiful variety is very scarce and rare; the flowers are of medium size, perfectly formed and produced in great profusion. Color, brightest yellow, scattered over, principally on lower petals, with clear reddish spots. This handsome Lily will be found a valuable addition to every collection. 30 cts.; \$3 per doz.

Hansonii.—This superb variety is one of the most interesting and valuable sorts recently introduced. The wax-like flowers are borne in clusters; petals remarkably thick. The outside is yellow, streaked with white, and the inside bright yellow, spotted with purple. \$1.25.

HARRISII (BERMUDA EASTER LILY).

This grand Lily was brought from Bermuda, and has attracted a great deal of attention. It was at first thought only suitable for Winter forcing, but has been found almost equally valuable for general planting, and is now in great demand. It is a very large and remarkably free-flowering variety of Longiflorum. When it does well, each bulb will produce from 6 to 12 immense flowers. The flowers are very large, from 6 to 8 inches long; pure waxy white and deliciously fragrant. It is probably hardy south of Washington, and north, if covered thoroughly with leaves or straw. Price, 30 cts.; larger size, 40 cts. \$3 and \$3.50 per doz.



LILY AURATUM.



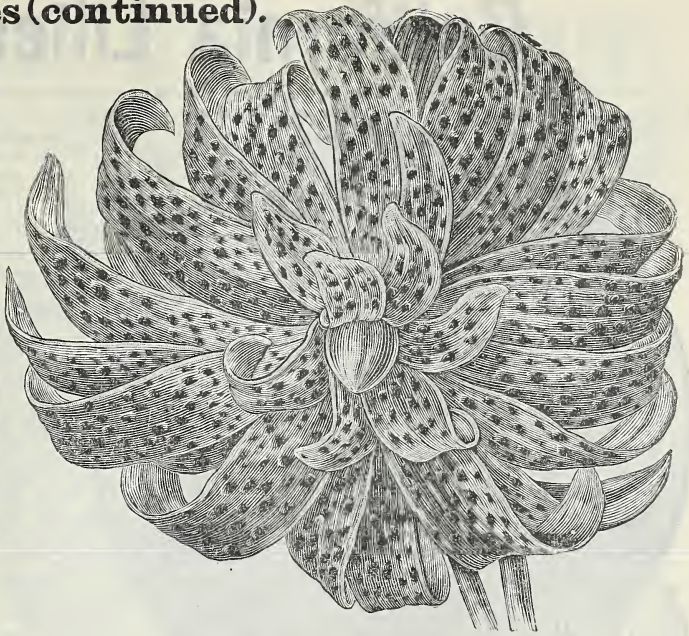
LILY HARRISII (BERMUDA LILY).

Japan Lilies (continued).

Leichtlinii.—This beautiful Japanese species is of neat and elegant habit; the flowers are borne in numbers, and are pure canary yellow, with intense crimson spots; a valuable acquisition. 75 cts.; \$8 per doz.

Martagon (Turk's Cap).—This distinct Lily should be in every collection; color, a striking shade of violet red, with copious spots of deep purple; the flowers are borne pendulous, and the pyramidal racemes are often 16 inches in length, and twenty flowered. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

Monadelphum.—This splendid variety is entirely distinct and very attractive; flowers are produced in abundance on stately stalks; color, rich reddish yellow, finely spotted jet black. 60 cts.; \$6 per doz.



DOUBLE TIGER LILY. 20 CTS.

SPECIOSUM, or *Lancifolium*, are the most popular and satisfactory of all Lilies; we offer below 5 different varieties, all of which are distinct, graceful and very beautiful. This class of Lilies is the easiest grown of any.

—**Album Præcox.**—A magnificent Lily throws up tall stems, bearing from 5 to 25 splendid large flowers; color, pure white, beautifully tinged with carmine and rose; very fragrant. 50 cts.; \$5 per doz.

—**Japan Melpomene.**—A magnificent new large flowering variety; vigorous grower and free bloomer; color, intense deep crimson. 50 cts.; \$5 per doz.

—**Roseum.**—A superb flower; blooms in clusters; very large, fine form; white, and bright rose, spotted. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

—**Rubrum.**—One of the finest of Japan Lilies; bright crimson and white spotted; splendid large flowers; borne in clusters; stem two to three feet. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

—**Superbum.**—One of the best and handsomest Lilies; very tall and stately; bears enormous clusters of superb orange and scarlet flowers. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

Wallaceii.—A new and magnificent Japanese variety, with beautiful clear buff flowers, elegantly spotted with black. 40 cts.; \$4 per doz.



NEW LILY.—

We wish to call special attention to Our New **Japan Melpomene.** It is one of the handsomest and richest-colored Japanese varieties recently sent out. We have a fine stock of blooming bulbs, and make the price very low. 50 cts.

MAGNIFICENT TIGER LILIES—SINGLE AND DOUBLE.

The gorgeous Tiger Lilies are great favorites. They will succeed in almost any location; very hardy.

Tigrinum fl. pl. (Double Tiger Lily).—This magnificent Lily is borne in immense clusters on tall stems; the flowers are very large, frequently six inches across, and very double; color, deep fiery red, spotted with black; the illustration above gives but a faint idea of this superb Lily; should be in every order. 20 cts.; 2 for 40 cts.; 6 for \$1; \$2 per doz.

Tigrinum Splendens (Single Tiger Lily).—This splendid Lily is one of the best in the list; the stem is tall; the flowers large and elegantly formed; blooms in large clusters; color, brilliant orange scarlet with intense black spots; remains in bloom a long time. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

California Lilies.

These magnificent varieties of Lilies from California are entirely hardy and can be grown successfully in all parts of the country. We offer the most distinct sorts. No collection is complete without them.



Humboldtii (see cut).—Also known under the name of *Bloomerianum*. A superb and very scarce variety; grows 3 to 5 feet high. The magnificent large flowers are of rich golden yellow color, spotted with royal purple. 50 cts.; \$4 per doz.

Pardalinum.—A very handsome and distinct variety; color, scarlet, shading to rich yellow; freely spotted purple brown. 25 cts.; \$2 per doz.

Parryi.—A Lily of unusual merit; the flowers are produced horizontally on stiff upright stems, presenting a striking appearance; the petals are about three inches long, with beautifully recurved tips; color, clear lemon yellow, with small purple dots at base; very fragrant. This splendid variety should be in every collection. 50 cts.; \$4 per doz.

A NEW LILY FROM SIBERIA.

Coral Lily of Siberia (*L. Tenuifolium*).—This charming Lily well deserves the attention it has created. The flowers and foliage present the most elegant appearance; the petals are wax-like and beautifully reflexed; the color is dazzling vermilion scarlet, and as the flowers are suspended on drooping graceful stems, the effect is exquisite; perfectly hardy.

Large bulbs, 30 cts.; \$3 per doz.

OUR SUPERB VARIETIES OF LILIUM ELEGANS.

The Elegans type of Lily (also known as *Thunbergianum*) are among the best hardy varieties. The large bell-shaped flowers are borne upright and are produced in great profusion.

Album.—Pure snow white; a lovely flower, very large, borne in beautiful clusters; stem two or three feet high. 50 cts.; \$5 per doz.

Aurea Maculatum.—Bright, rich rose; a blotch of about one-third the size of each petal running from base to nearly the tip of the petals, of pure light lemon; a flower of striking effect and form. Both colors are of intensely bright and pleasing tints, and the contrast is very effective. One foot high and blooms about two weeks later than most of the Elegans type. 30 cts.; \$3 per doz.

Elegans Aurora.—Two to four feet high, inside of cup deep rich orange; tips of petals suffused with deepest crimson; a most beautiful Lily. 50 cts.; \$5 per doz.

Horsmanii (*Bemy*).—Very dark, deep blood crimson; petals broad and very long, with a few fine dots near the base; a very distinct and finely-formed flower; grows very uniform in height. 35 cts.; \$3 per doz.

Leonard Joerg.—Rich rose, with deep orange blotch; beautiful glossy foliage. 25 cts.; \$2 per doz.

Midnight.—This superb new variety is the darkest-flowered Lily ever introduced; the color is intense blackish crimson; should be in every collection. \$1 each.

Elegans Mixed Varieties.—This class includes some of the most beautiful Lilies. The flowers are mostly borne in clusters; the colors are the richest hues of yellow and red; splendid for planting in masses. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

SPECIAL OFFER.—We send the entire collection of Lilies, 30 varieties, for \$10.50; omitting *Brownii*, *Hansoni* and *Midnight*, 27 varieties, for \$7.50.



NEW CORAL LILY OF SIBERIA.

OUR • SPLENDID • NEW • CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

Set of 25 Choicest Novelties for 1890.

Our splendid new **Chrysanthemums** are among the most desirable Autumn flowers. Their brilliant colors and profuse bloom continuing right up to the edge of Winter, long after other flowers have disappeared, has made them great favorites, and they are therefore very largely planted. Our stock includes the newest and choicest varieties ever introduced, and for the convenience of our customers we offer them in **THREE CLASSES**, as follows:

1st. Twenty-five Novelties, the choicest and best New varieties of the year. Price, except noted, 30 cts.; 2 for 50 cts.; 4 for \$1; \$3 per doz.; set of 25 for \$5.50.

2d. Twenty-five Diamond List Chrysanthemums, Novelties of last year and other fully tested New and scarce sorts, recommended as among the most beautiful and valuable sorts in cultivation. Price, 20 cts.; 3 for 50 cts.; 6 for \$1; \$2 per doz.; set of 25 varieties, \$3.75.

3d. Fifty Standard Chrysanthemums, best and cheapest varieties for general planting. Price, 10 cts. each; 6 for 50 cts.; \$1 per doz.; set of 50 varieties for \$4; \$8 per hundred. Complete collection of 100 varieties, for \$12.50.

NOTE.—When convenient, we advise planting Chrysanthemums near a wall, fence or screen of shrubbery, so that they will be somewhat sheltered from the severe frosts and cold winds of Autumn. And when it is desired to prolong the season of bloom it is a good plan to lift the plants with plenty of earth on the roots just before freezing weather and plant in pots and boxes, and take to the conservatory, greenhouse or inclosed porch, where they will bloom splendidly for several weeks, sometimes till after the holidays, making a grand and very striking display of brilliant bloom at a time when there are few other flowers. Chrysanthemums are usually set with other plants, as most of their growth is made late in the season after other flowers have matured and been removed.

Lilian B. Bird.—This magnificent new variety has received the highest praise wherever shown; immense flowers, perfectly full and double, and composed of long beautifully quilled petals; color, a remarkable shade of rich coral pink, passing to elegant rosy amber; very rare and beautiful. 35 cts.

Mrs. Fottler.—Splendid large double flowers, opening flat at first, but developing into large feathery blooms of great beauty; clear soft rose, flamed with carmine. 30 cts.

Sunnyside.—Beautiful peachy rose, passing to delicate flesh color and pure white when fully expanded; lovely quilled petals, extra-large flowers, very double and exceedingly beautiful. 30 cts.

Edwin H. Fittler.—Claimed to be one of the most lovely and valuable varieties ever introduced; rich brilliant yellow, slightly streaked with dark crimson; large bold flowers, very grand and handsome. 30 cts.

Mrs. Levi P. Morton.—A splendid prize taker, remarkable for great size and beauty; outer circumference, bright carmine pink, but the base of petals is pure white, forming a broad and decided ring around a bright yellow centre; very striking and attractive. 30 cts.

Mountain of Snow.—Pure white, immense size, the blooms forming perfect globes, almost like balls of snow. 30 cts.

Mrs. Andrew Carnegie.—Recommended as one of the finest and most valuable varieties yet produced; the flowers are of enormous size, but perfect and lovely form; color, rich glowing crimson, delicately flamed with scarlet and vermilion, wonderfully beautiful. 30 cts.

Leopard.—A highly distinct spotted variety, rich carmine red, curiously spotted and splashed with pure white, very striking and showy. 30 cts.



CHRYSANTHEMUM, LILIAN B. BIRD. 35 CTS.

- Mr. William Barr.—This lovely variety is bright crimson in the centre, gradually shading to pure golden yellow at the ends of the petals; very remarkable and handsome. 30 cts.
- Rose Hill.—Pale tender rose, passing to soft clear pink; petals edged and tipped with pearly white; long narrow petals forming immense globes of bloom; very charming and handsome. 30 cts.
- Sunset.—Immense balls of bloom; gorgeous orange yellow, flecked and streaked with glowing crimson, resembling the tints seen in a brilliant sunset; wonderfully fine. 30 cts.
- Kioto.—Immense yellow incurved flowers; very bold and handsome, and one of the most striking sorts. 30 cts.
- Empress of Japan.—Splendid large flowers, pure snow white; perfect incurved form; remarkably beautiful. 30 cts.
- Mrs. S. Humphreys.—Believed to be, without exception, the finest double White Chrysanthemum of its class. It is of the largest size, most perfect double form, and pure snow white; grandly beautiful. 30 cts.
- Mrs. W. K. Harris.—Enormous flowers of lovely and perfect form; deepest rich golden yellow; the grandest and most beautiful deep, rich golden yellow variety ever raised. 30 cts.
- Llewellyn.—A remarkably beautiful variety; flowers large and well formed; violet rose, lightened with pearly white; long, lance-like petals. 30 cts.
- Mrs. Irving Clarke.—Beautifully whorled and reflexed flowers, pearl white, with deep rose centre; elegantly shaded and very handsome. 30 cts.
- Medusa.—A very striking flower, with long drooping tessellated petals, like a ball of narrow snow white ribbons; very effective. 30 cts.
- Wm. H. Lincoln.—Grand flowers; immense size; very double and full, beautiful incurved form; color, clear chrome yellow, reverse of petals fine canary. 30 cts.
- Comotion.—A very striking and remarkable flower; rich purplish red, with crimson and white markings; petals strangely twisted and whorled; very double, with full centre. 30 cts.
- Mrs. Alpheus Hardy.—This famous novelty is fully described and illustrated on page 51. 35 cts.
- Neesima.—A magnificent Japanese variety; extra-large, very double flowers, with very broad pointed petals of great substance; pure deep orange yellow, with old gold shading. 30 cts.
- Mrs. George D. Coleman.—Grand reflexed flowers, with broad imbricated petals; immense size; very full and handsome; color, rich lavender pink, tipped and edged with silver rose; an exquisite new variety. 30 cts.
- Elkshorn.—A very remarkable variety, with large flat pure white flowers, having broad flat petals, finely divided like the horns of a Moose deer; perfectly full and double. 30 cts.
- Miss Mary Wheeler.—A very charming new sort, extra-large pearly white flowers, petals delicately tinted with amber and pink; very beautiful. 30 cts.

SPECIAL OFFER.—*The set of 25 remarkable novelties described above for \$5.50.*

DIAMOND LIST CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

The Diamond List Chrysanthemums have been selected to meet the wants of a large number of our friends who wish choice hardy free blooming sorts, that can be depended on to bloom finely in open ground without much attention, and without lifting and taking in doors. This collection contains choice selected varieties which have been thoroughly tested and are recommended for great beauty and distinct brilliancy of color. When convenient, it is a good plan to plant Chrysanthemums near a wall, fence or among shrubbery, so that they will be somewhat sheltered from the severe frosts and cold winds of Autumn. In this way they will produce finer flowers, and the season of bloom will be prolonged for several weeks.

Price, 20 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts.; 6 for \$1; 12 for \$2; set of 25 for \$3.75.

- Mrs. A. Weigand.—One of the best new pink varieties; color, unusually clear, full regular flowers of good substance and great beauty.
- Spiralis.—A very lovely variety, with large, perfectly shaped snow white flowers; petals beautifully reflexed; one of the best of its color; very profuse bloomer.
- Phcebus.—A magnificent new variety; splendid, very large flowers; regular, full form; bright, dazzling yellow; strikingly beautiful.
- Autumn Queen.—A gorgeous Japanese variety; extra-large flat flowers, with whorled centres; color, solid rich crimson, with maroon shading; very distinct.
- L. Canning.—This very distinct and beautiful variety is thought to be one of the finest of the season; very double, regular flowers; large and full; color, a lovely shade of ruddy amber or rich creamy white, tinged with rose.
- Palma.—Remarkable incurved flowers; solid yellow inside, edges and borders rich scarlet, reverse golden yellow; very novel and striking.
- Volunteer.—Broad lance-like florets, crimson and white, shaded lovely lilac purple; rich and handsome.
- Mrs. Seaman.—Very distinct in color, pale pink and silvery white, delicately shaded lavender; extra-large flowers, regular and full.
- Mrs. Wm. Howell.—Handsome and distinct, full regular flowers; rich bronzy crimson, reflex coppery yellow.
- Bartholdi.—Named in honor of M. Bartholdi, the artist who designed the mighty Statue of Liberty in New York harbor; superb flowers, very regular; color, clear rose, elegantly flushed with carnation.
- Mrs. A. Blanc.—Produces immense flowers; inside florets erect, outside reflexed and pendulous; the color is rich purplish crimson, edged and bordered with dead gold, exquisitely shaded lavender.
- Gladiator.—This splendid variety is of Chinese form and habit, cupped shape flowers; brilliant crimson, lightened with scarlet and carmine markings.
- Mrs. Isaac C. Price.—A most beautiful Japanese variety; the petals are incurved in a distinct manner; color, an exceedingly handsome shade of rich chrome yellow; very distinct and striking.
- Doctor Stryker.—Brilliant violet purple, reverse of florets silvery white; large, bold flowers.
- Mrs. Richard Elliott.—One of the best for cut flowers; long narrow florets drooping from the centre; color, bright yellow, very pretty and distinct.

- Mrs. M. J. Thomas.**—One of the best new varieties of its color; immense pure snow-white flowers, very broad, thick florets, beautifully incurved form.
- Golden Lace.**—A very distinct and beautiful variety; exquisite fimbriated lace-like florets; fine, globular flowers, resembling a ball of rich golden lace.
- Nuts-Hito.**—A splendid Japanese variety; flowers regular and compact; color, deep saffron yellow, with rich old-gold and coppery-red markings; very handsome.
- Golden Rod.**—Rich and handsome flowers, borne in great profusion; beautiful golden-red color.
- Hum-ko.**—A very beautiful variety from Japan; extra-large, splendid flowers; color, creamy white, beautifully shaded with bright pink and clear rose; very beautiful.
- Oriental.**—This very handsome and distinct variety produces large, solid, compact flowers, with showy whorled centre; tubular petals; color, coral red, with gilt-like yellow markings; very distinct.
- W. W. Coles.**—One of the most showy and handsome sorts; large, gracefully incurved flowers, with broad petals; color, rich brownish red or terra cotta, under side brighter.
- Madame Drexel.**—This splendid and distinct variety of Japanese form produces large, stately flowers, beautifully incurved; color, bright flashing pink; very beautiful.
- Princess Louise.**—Certainly one of the hardiest and most pleasing varieties; an early and profuse bloomer, bearing its wealth of bloom long after most other kinds have disappeared; rich solid crimson flowers.
- Mandarin.**—Large, flame-colored flowers, with irregular and artistic pink markings; unique, showy and distinct.

The complete Diamond collection of Chrysanthemums, 25 varieties, for \$3.75 by Mail post-paid.

Standard Chrysanthemums

FOR GENERAL PLANTING.

The following list of Beautiful Chrysanthemums contains varieties of standard excellence for beds, masses and borders which we can afford to sell **VERY CHEAP FOR THE PRESENT SEASON**; they are good sorts, free bloomers, all colors, strong plants; *just as large as any we send out.*

PRICE.—All labeled, by Mail or Express, price 10 cts. each; 6 for 50 cts.; \$1 per doz.; set of 50 varieties \$4; \$8 per 100.

- Abre de Noel.**—Rich bronze chrome, flowers slightly fringed, neat compact habit; one of the best.
- Alfred Warner.**—Extra-large Chinese incurved flowers, pale lemon, passing to rich creamy white.
- Brunette.**—Fine coffee brown, trimmed with bronze red.
- Black Douglass.**—Early and profuse bloomer; full, round perfect flowers; very dark crimson maroon.
- Brazen Shield.**—Fine, large, full flowers, brass yellow, edged and pointed with coppery red; very handsome.
- Citrus.**—Remarkably handsome and attractive; extra-large incurved flowers, brownish red and yellow.
- Contrast.**—Large, flat flowers; rich dark crimson, with orange-yellow centre.
- Duchesse.**—Blossoms in large clusters; large full flowers; dark rich crimson, tipped with golden yellow.
- Delicatum.**—Extra-large incurved Japanese flowers; rich bronze red, edged with old gold.
- Eliza.**—Fimbriated petals, with whorled centre, lilac pink.
- Elaine.**—Beautiful pearly-white flowers; very large and fine.
- Exposition du Chalons.**—Early constant bloomer; color, dark rich pink; very handsome and good.
- Fantasia.**—Regular flowers; color, pretty salmon pink.
- Fremy.**—Regular full flowers, with elegantly tinged petals; rich chocolate red with yellow points; very free bloomer.
- F. J. Smith.**—New and fine large regular full flowers; brownish yellow, shaded coppery red; showy.
- Golden Prince.**—Extra large and fine; clear deep yellow; one of the best.
- Incomparable.**—A splendid mottled or variegated variety; rich chrome yellow and coppery red.
- John Salter.**—Bright, clear chrome yellow.
- John Thorpe.**—Fine bright orange yellow, variegated with Indian red; very handsome.
- J. M. Hughes.**—Mammoth incurved flowers of great substance; rich ruddy crimson, with yellow centre, reverse of petals pearly white.
- Julius Scharff.**—Solid rich crimson, passing to maroon; large and good.
- Kathleen.**—Fine rosy purple, with rich yellow centre; very beautiful, hardy and a good bloomer.
- La Barthere.**—Rich, velvety maroon flowers; back of petals bronze red.
- La Nymphe.**—Delicate peachy red, tinted yellow.
- M. Tarin.**—Fine lavender rose; very handsome flowers.
- Magnum Bonum.**—Early and free bloomer, hardy and fine rich dark crimson flowers; excellent and reliable.
- Mons Hoste.**—Fine large incurved flowers; silvery pink, shaded rich crimson.
- Mrs. R. H. Mason.**—Finely incurved petals; extra-large flowers of great substance; blooms in clusters; color, exquisite coppery pink, delicately toned with buff.
- Mrs. Geo. Rundle.**—Extra fine, pure white, elegantly shaded canary, large and full.
- Model of Perfection.**—A lovely pompone variety; pink, with rich crimson centre; one of the best.
- M. Raoux.**—Rich dark terra-cotta red, shaded bronze.
- Mastic.**—Whorled flowers; charming buff and rose, with silvery reflex.
- Merrimac.**—New and fine, immense size, full round globular flowers; broad ribbon petals; very beautiful.
- Mrs. Sheldrake.**—Bright rich crimson, with canary centre.
- Mrs. Langtry.**—Truly magnificent flowers, with broad ribbon petals falling in plumes from a raised centre; pure snow white, shaded lemon; beautiful and attractive.
- Prince Kamoutska.**—Immense incurved flowers; outside petals, rich crimson, with gold-bronze centre; exceedingly handsome and striking.
- Peep O' Day.**—Tubular petals, regularly arranged over whole flowers; clear rose color with deep-yellow centre; medium size; profuse bloomer.
- Pink Perfection.**—Clear rosy pink; large full flowers; one of the best.
- Purple King.**—New, extra-large, incurved flowers; magnificent maroon red; very rich and handsome.
- Rob Roy.**—Large, full Japanese flowers, with whorled centre; rich crimson, finely variegated with orange and gold.
- Rosalita.**—New, extra-large and fine, full regular flowers; color, rosy white, elegantly tinged and dashed with yellow and rose; very beautiful.
- Refulgens.**—Rich rosy bronze; very full, regular flowers; distinct and handsome.
- Robert Crawford.**—Extra-large flowers, like balls of ribbons; pure white, edged and tipped with crimson and gold.
- Santine.**—Extra large; creamy white, finely tinged with pale rose.
- Sam Sloan.**—Very large full flowers; pearl white, shaded yellow and rose.
- Secretary Dancell.**—Beautiful pompone flowers; rich pink, tipped with creamy yellow; very fine.
- Tragedie.**—Cherry red, pink centre; incurved flowers.
- Tubiflorum.**—Pink and white, needle-like petals; very novel effect.
- Timbal d'Argent.**—Excellent sort; silvery white, tinged with rich yellow; large and full.
- Wenonah.**—Large, full flowers, lemon centre, with white petals, flushed and tipped with rose.

The complete Set of Standard Chrysanthemums, 50 Varieties in all, for \$4. The 3 complete Sets of Chrysanthemums, 100 Varieties in all, for \$12.50.

New Perpetual Blooming Sweet Violets.

The New Perpetual Blooming Sweet Violets continue in large demand. Their great beauty, exquisite fragrance and constant bloom, make them very desirable and attractive. They are quite hardy, particularly in sheltered situations, but should have a light covering of leaves or garden litter in the Winter.

New Violet Madame

Millet.—This elegant New Perpetual Blooming Violet, offered last year for the first time, promises to be a valuable acquisition. The color is a beautiful violet purple, delicately shaded with bright carmine. The flowers are large, very double and exceedingly sweet, and borne in great profusion from April till December. Should be in every collection. 25 cts.; 3 for 70 cts.

Swanley White (see cut).

—This new double white flowering Violet has given great satisfaction; it is equally good for planting in the flower beds or pots; the beautiful flowers are of snowy whiteness and exquisite fragrance. Fine plants, 20 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts.

Marie Louise.—A beautiful variety, exquisitely sweet; fine, perfect, double flowers; color, deep blue. Price, 20 cts.; 3 for 50 cts.

Miss Cleveland.—Very free blooming and of unusual merit; the flowers are large and finely formed; color, beautiful clear blue; quite fragrant. Price, 20 cts.; 3 for 50 cts.

Victoria Regina.—An entirely distinct variety; foliage is large and handsome; the flowers are extra large and very sweet; color, handsome deep blue. Price, 20 cts.; 3 for 50 cts.

Argentiflora.—A fine Russian variety, entirely hardy and satisfactory; pretty and fragrant light-blue flowers. Price, 15 cts.; 4 for 50 cts.

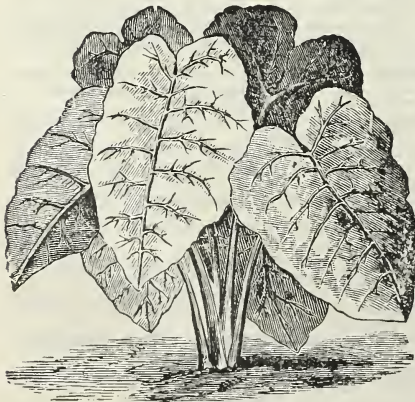
Neapolitan.—We recommend this splendid variety as one of the very best; the flowers are extra double and full, and of exquisite fragrance; color light blue. Price, 20 cts.; 3 for 50 cts.

Special Offer.—The entire set of 7 beautiful Violets described above for \$1.10.

TRITOMA UVARIA, BLAZING TORCH.

Tritoma Uvaria (Blazing Torch).—A splendid plant, with flower stalks 3 feet high, and large spikes of brilliant flame-colored crimson and yellow flowers, bearing a close resemblance to *Blazing Torches*; very striking and beautiful; blooms in August and September, and always attracts a great deal of attention. Not hardy; store in cellar over Winter. See illustration. 20 cts.; 3 for 50 cts.; 6 for \$1; \$2 per doz.

Caladium Esculentum.



CALADIUM ESCULENTUM.

A splendid ornamental foliage plant, suitable for lawn decoration; can be planted in border or grown in large pots or tubs; likes warmth and moisture. When full size, it stands from 4 to 6 feet high. The leaves are immense, often measuring 4 feet in length, by 2½ feet in breadth; very smooth, bright green, beautifully veined with dark green; should not be planted in Spring till ground is warm. When killed down by frost in Fall, take up root and store in cellar, secure from freezing. As the root gets older, it increases in size and strength, and produces larger leaves.

20 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts.; 6 for \$1; \$2 per doz.

See page 51 for Fancy-leaved Caladiums.



TRITOMA UVARIA.



PERPETUAL BLOOMING SWEET VIOLET, SWANLEY WHITE. 20 CTS.

Hardy Ever-blooming Perennial Phlox.

Our large collection of *Hardy Ever-blooming Perennial Phlox* has attracted great attention. As will be seen by our illustration, the habit of plants is dwarf, bushy, and unusually attractive; the beautiful flowers are borne in immense heads or panicles, 8 to 10 inches long, 6 to 8 inches in diameter, and are of the most brilliant and striking colors, blooming in perfect masses all through the Summer and until late Fall. For planting singly or in clumps on the lawn, Hardy Phlox cannot be surpassed. All the varieties we offer are entirely hardy.



PHLOX, STAR OF LYON. 20 CTS.

IRIS KEMPEFERII.

This *Grand Iris* is perhaps the most beautiful of the whole family. It is a fine hardy border plant, bearing in June and July very large showy flowers on stems three feet high. Flowers are from four to six inches in diameter, very striking and handsome. The colors are brilliant shades of azure blue, royal purple and violet, with occasional markings of yellow and white. The plants are entirely hardy, need no covering in Winter, and are always sure to bloom. Taken altogether, it is one of the most beautiful and valuable of border plants, and particularly useful for edgings and borders of beds, walks, shrubbery, fountains, etc., etc. Price, 20 cts.; 3 for 50 cts.; 7 for \$1; doz. \$1.50.

ASTILBE (SPIREA) JAPONICA.

A fine, hardy, herbaceous plant, suitable for border; blooms in early Spring; feathery spikes of sweet white flowers, much admired and largely used by florists for bouquets; is entirely hardy; needs no protection in Winter. 20 cts. each; 6 for \$1; 12 for \$2.

GRAPE MYRTLE.

A very beautiful flowering shrub; native in the Southern States. We offer two kinds, pink and crimson; the flowers are light and feathery, remarkably pretty and graceful, and borne in great profusion. It is altogether a charming plant. In the North it can be grown in a tub or box, or planted in open ground in Summer and kept in the cellar over Winter. Price, 20 cts.; 6 for \$1; \$2 per doz.

Rosy Gem.—One of the most beautiful varieties; immense heads of flowers; color, violet rose, passing to clear pink.

Star of Lyon (see cut).—Pure white; well-defined eye of lilac rose.

Le Compte.—Lovely lilac, clear white eye.

La Croix.—A strong grower; lilac, shaded clear red.

Snow Queen.—One of the most beautiful pure white varieties; an early bloomer; quite dwarf.

Mons. Crozey.—Large flowers; color, rich dark purple violet.

Peachblossom.—Beautifully shaded and blended peach color with white eye.

La Brazier.—Clear, dark pink, passing to bright purple; white eye.

Semiramis.—Lovely pale pink color, with deep red eye.

Glorie Massieffs.—A good late bloomer; color, clear pink; one of the finest.

Independence.—An unusually fine pure white variety; handsomely shaped heads of flowers.

Robin Hood.—Beautifully clouded red, with deep red centre.

Amabilis.—Pure silvery white; finely pencilled with blush and pink.

Eliza Borzner.—Bright peach color, with large crimson eye.

Vierge Marie.—Chaste pure white, beautiful.

Price, 20 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts.; 6 for \$1; \$2 per doz. Set of 15 Varieties for \$2.25.



IRIS KEMPEFERII. 20 CTS.

FINE EVER-BLOOMING CARNATION PINKS.



CARNATION, PORTIA. 20 CTS.

- The Century.**—This new variety is a remarkably strong grower and constant bloomer; flowers large and full; color, rich glowing crimson; fragrant. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.
- Philadelphia.**—Splendid white flowers, edged and striped dark crimson. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.
- Dawn.**—This lovely New Carnation is very highly prized; the color is soft rosy pink, beautifully bordered with silvery white, resembling the color seen at early dawn. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.
- Grace Wilder.**—This beautiful variety is an early and free bloomer; flowers of delicate rose color, with exquisitely fringed edges. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.
- Sunrise.**—Beautiful orange red, exquisitely flaked with vermilion. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.
- Hinzey's White.**—Flowers very large and of perfect shape; pure white, with a delicate creamy tint and rich clove fragrance. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.
- President Garfield.**—Fine bright crimson scarlet; large, very showy and handsome, elegantly fringed and very sweet. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.
- Jeannette.**—Large, pure white flowers, very free bloomer, deliciously sweet. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.
- Mrs. McKensie.**—Lovely large fragrant flowers, finely fringed; color, rich rosy pink, shaded carmine, highly perfumed. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.
- Edwardsville.**—One of the best and most free-blooming pure white Carnations; large, nicely fringed and rich clove fragrance. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.
- Silver Lake.**—Blooms continuously; flowers full, finely fringed, pure white and very sweet. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.
- La Purite.**—Bright scarlet crimson flowers; very striking and handsome; deliciously fragrant; free bloomer. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

SPECIAL OFFER.—Set of 22 varieties of Carnations for \$3.50, or with the 9 Hardy Pinks (page 79), 31 in all for \$4.50.

Culture.—Carnations should be planted in open ground, after danger of severe frost is past. They bloom all Summer, and if potted and removed to the house before cold weather, they will bloom finely during Winter and be ready to plant out again in the Spring. They will bear considerable frost, but are not entirely hardy.

Portia.—Perfectly formed flowers of most intense bright scarlet. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

L. Lamborn.—New and highly recommended; large, full round flowers, pure white, elegantly fringed and deliciously clove scented; valuable both for open-ground and house culture. 25 cts.; \$2.50 per doz.

William Swayne.—This splendid new Carnation is undoubtedly one of the finest pure white varieties ever introduced. The flowers are very large and full, pure snow white, and very fragrant; a good healthy grower, early bloomer and extra fine in every way. 25 cts.; \$2.50 per doz.

Buttercup.—One of the finest yellows ever grown; large, full flowers. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

Pride of Kennett.—New and exceedingly fine; color, dark rich crimson, elegantly flushed with brilliant scarlet; large, full flowers, very sweet, rich and handsome; one of the very finest new sorts. 25 cts.; \$2.50 per doz.

Chester Pride.—Pure white, penciled rosy carmine; large flowers. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

Peter Henderson.—Large, pure white flowers, with crimped petals. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

Crimson King.—One of the finest varieties; rich velvety crimson, elegantly shaded; extra-large flowers, sweet. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

Scarlet Gem.—Profuse flowering, handsome flowers of intense scarlet. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

Duke of Orange.—This beautiful Carnation is a distinct yellow, edged and striped with bright carmine; one of the best. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.



CARNATION, CHESTER PRIDE. 20 CTS.

NEW HARDY PERPETUAL FLOWERING CARNATION EMPEROR



The New Sweet-Scented Hardy Perpetual Blooming Carnation Pink Emperor (*Dianthus Querterii*), is believed to be one of the finest and most valuable of its class ever introduced. In flowers, foliage and fragrance it closely resembles the finest varieties of Carnations; it is a true perpetual bloomer, flowering constantly all through the season from June to December. The flowers

are dark, rich crimson, elegantly fringed and delightfully clove scented. The plant is entirely hardy in all ordinary situations, needs no protection, and is sure to bloom continuously all through the season. It is largely planted by those who know its value.

25 cts. each; 2 for 45 cts.; 3 for \$1.

NEW HARDY PERPETUAL FLOWERING CARNATION EMPEROR.

New Hardy White Garden Pink—Snow.—A beautiful pure white hardy Pink; profuse bloomer, large double flowers; very fragrant; neat, compact habit; fine for borders, edging, etc. 20 cts.; 3 for 50 cts.; 6 for \$1; 12 for \$2; \$12 per 100.

Alba Fimbriata (White Fringed Pink).—A beautiful pure white garden pink, elegantly fringed; clove scented; very double; blooms profusely; perfectly hardy; needs no protection in Winter; very pretty, compact habit; makes nice edging or border for beds and walks. 25 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts.; 6 for \$1; 12 for \$2; \$12 per 100.

Special Offer.—The set of 3 hardy Garden Pinks described above for 65 cts.

SWEET MAY PINKS.

These pretty Pinks are entirely hardy and of dwarf compact growth, very suitable for edges and borders, cemetery planting, etc. The flowers are borne in great profusion, are perfectly double, clove scented and very sweet; the colors are mostly various shades of maroon, carmine and pink on white grounds.

Laura Wilmere.—Dark crimson, white laced.

Prince Arthur.—White, rich maroon markings.

Alfred Harrington.—Rich maroon, marked white.

Pumila.—Scarlet maroon, white markings.

Juliet.—Cherry red, variegated pink and white.

Gertrude.—Rosy carmine, veined silvery white.

Price.—12 cts. each; 3 for 30 cts.; set of 6 for 60 cts.; \$1 per doz.



THE BEST CURRANTS.

FAY'S PROLIFIC.—This well-timed New variety of Currant is undoubtedly one of the very best varieties now in cultivation, both for market and home use. It is a very heavy cropper; the large uniform berries are less acid than any other sort; large, handsome strings of fruit; unexcelled for the family garden or market. 15 cts., 6 for 75 cts., 12 for \$1.50; larger size, 20 cts., 6 for \$1, 12 for \$2.

CHERRY.—Fine large berries, excellent quality, plants vigorous and very productive; thought by some equal to Fay's Prolific. 10 cts., 6 for 50 cts., 12 for \$1.

WHITE GRAPE.—A very large, creamy-white, sweet Currant, capital quality; one of the best for the table; plants low and spreading; very productive. 10 cts., 6 for 50 cts., 12 for \$1.

VERSAILLES.—Long bunches of very large red fruit of great beauty and superb quality. 10 cts., 6 for 50 cts., 12 for \$1.

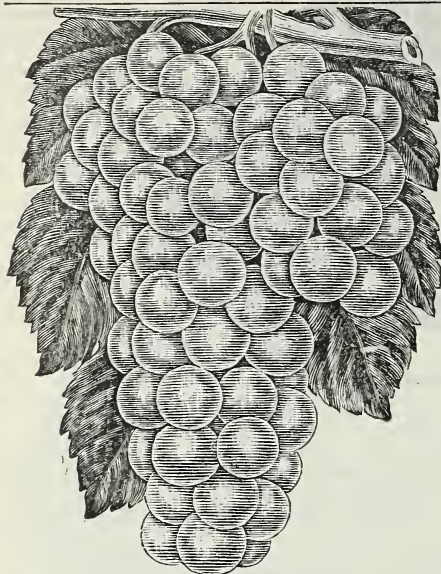
RED DUTCH.—This excellent and well-known old variety is as popular as ever. 10 cts., 6 for 50 cts., 12 for \$1.

VICTORIA.—One of the best late varieties and a very heavy bearer; extra long bunches of large bright red fruit. 10c., 6 for 50c., 12 for \$1.

BLACK NAPLES.—This is the best black Currant; berries very large, sometimes $\frac{1}{2}$ inch in diameter. Unsurpassed for wine or jellies. 10 cts., 6 for 50 cts., 12 for \$1.

THE NEWER VARIETIES OF CHOICE GRAPES.

We offer a splendid stock of the **NEWEST AND CHOICEST VARIETIES OF HARDY GRAPES FOR FAMILY USE**, for which we cordially invite the orders of our friends and customers. Our Grape Vines are grown by special methods, from thoroughly well-ripened wood, and cannot be surpassed for **HEALTH, VIGOR, and EARLY BEARING**. We offer both one and two-year sizes. The **ONE-YEAR VINES** are strong, heavy-rooted plants, sure to grow and come quickly into bearing; and can be sent by Mail or Express. The **TWO-YEAR VINES** cost a little more, but are much larger and stronger; as they are too large to go by Mail, they must invariably be sent by Express.



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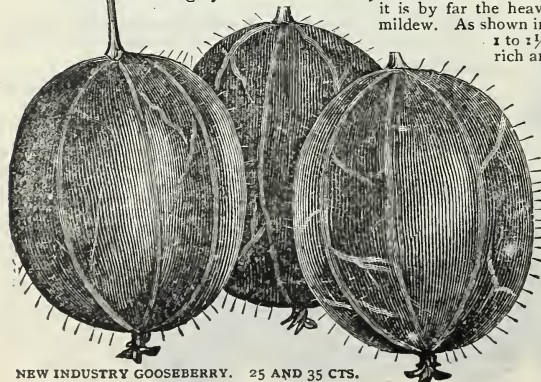
- Agawam.**—A fine New Red Grape; large size, sweet and sprightly flavor; ripens early, hardy. 15 cts. and 25 cts.
Brighton.—One of the finest New Red Grapes; large size, excellent quality, very early. 15 cts. and 25 cts.
Catawba.—This fine old variety is well known and much esteemed; one of the best for city yards. 15c. and 25c.
Concord.—Emphatically the Grape for the million; succeeds over a wide range of territory than any other; black, early and immensely productive. 15c. and 25c.
Cottage.—A seedling from Concord, but ripens much earlier; color, black. 15 cts. and 25 cts.
Delaware.—Esteemed one of the very finest varieties; exquisite flavor, hardy and productive. 15 cts. and 25 cts.
Duchess.—One of the best Newer Varieties; large clusters of pale-yellow grapes, rich and excellent. 15c. and 25c.
Early Victor.—New, and believed to be the best Very Early Grape yet introduced; it is large, black and very sweet; hardy and productive. 20 cts. and 30 cts.

NOTICE.—THE ONE-YEAR VINES ARE THE LOWEST PRICED.—Those at 15 cts. are \$1.50 per doz.; 20 cts., \$2.25 per doz.; 25 cts., \$2.50 per doz.; 30 cts., \$3 per doz.; 35 cts., \$3.50 per doz.; 40 cts., \$4 per doz.; 45 cts., \$4.50 per doz. **THE TWO-YEAR VINES ARE THE HIGHEST PRICED** (by Express only).—Those at 25 cts. are \$2.50 per doz.; 30 cts., \$3 per doz.; 35 cts., \$3.50 per doz.; 40 cts., \$4 per doz.; 45 cts., \$4.50 per doz.; \$1, \$9 per doz. Set of 25 Varieties of Grapes, One-year Size, \$5; Two-year Size, \$7.

- Elvira.**—An elegant White Grape; medium size and immensely productive; entirely hardy. 15 cts. and 25 cts.
Goehe.—New and fine; amber colored, tinged with red; flesh sweet, juicy and highly aromatic; keeps well, hardy and very productive. 15 cts. and 25 cts.
Jefferson.—Color, bright red, with fine bloom; large size, excellent quality, tender and rich. 25 cts. and 35 cts.
Lady.—A beautiful white Grape; vine hardy and healthy, berries large and fine. 25 cts. and 35 cts.
Lady Washington.—Exceedingly fine; green gage color; large-shouldered clusters; quality, excellent, luscious and melting; hardy and vigorous. 25 cts. and 35 cts.
Moore's Diamond.—This splendid New Grape is a cross between Concord and Iona; in habit of growth it resembles Concord, while the quality of fruit is equal to the best tender sorts; ripens two to three weeks earlier than Concord; skin smooth and delicate greenish white in color; few seeds, very juicy and so free from pulp that fruit held against the light appears almost transparent; one of the best White Grapes. 90 cts. and \$1.
Moore's Early.—New, and believed to be the finest **VERY EARLY BLACK GRAPE**; a vigorous grower, entirely hardy; large, very juicy and sweet. 25 cts. and 35 cts.
Niagara.—The most celebrated **NEW WHITE GRAPE EVER INTRODUCED**; bunches very large; color, greenish white, with fine bloom; quality exceedingly fine; vine vigorous and entirely hardy; a heavy and regular bearer; should be planted by all. 25 cts. and 35 cts.
Golden Pocklington.—Hardy and good color, beautiful light canary yellow; clear, juicy and sweet; fine, large, compact bunches; bears well. 20 cts. and 30 cts.
Prentiss.—New White Grape; vine perfectly hardy; fine greenish white, tinged with rosy red; flesh tender, sweet, juicy and melting with exquisite aroma. 20 cts. and 30 cts.
Salem.—A standard variety, one of the best; large and very fine; rich golden-red color; flesh sweet and tender; vigorous and hardy. 15 cts. and 25 cts.
Telegraph.—Is a vigorous grower, entirely hardy and enormously productive; large, compact bunches; flesh sweet, juicy and good. 20 cts. and 30 cts.
Vergennes.—A New Red Grape, originated in Vermont; a vigorous grower, healthy and productive; large, dark red; flesh juicy and sweet. 20 cts. and 30 cts.
Wildcr.—Bunches large-shouldered and compact; berries large; color, black; flesh sweet, tender and sprightly; ripens early; popular wherever known. 15c. and 25c.
Wordsen.—A splendid New Black Grape; flesh tender, juicy and melting; hardy and productive. 15c. and 25c.
Empire State.—New and not much disseminated; large and fine; color greenish white; originated on the Hudson and believed to be valuable. 30 cts. and 40 cts.
Wyoming Red.—A New Red Grape; resembles Delaware in color and flavor, but is much larger; ripens early and is vigorous, hardy and productive. 25 cts. and 35 cts.

THE NEW INDUSTRY GOOSEBERRY.

This superb New English variety is certainly the best Gooseberry ever introduced. It has been thoroughly tried in this country and found to succeed in all localities. The habit of growth is upright; it is by far the heaviest cropper yet known, and is entirely free from mildew. As shown in our illustration, the berries are of the largest size, 1 to 1½ inches in diameter; the flavor is exceedingly rich and pleasant. The fruit, when fully ripe, is handsome dark red. We have a fine stock of **Strong Plants**, which we imported direct from the introducers. We strongly recommend the extensive planting of this unequalled New Gooseberry. Price, 25 cts. each; 5 for \$1; 12 for \$2.50; 100 for \$14.50. Larger size, 35 cts. each; 4 for \$1; 12 for \$3; 100 for \$16.50.



NEW INDUSTRY GOOSEBERRY. 25 AND 35 CTS.

HOUKGTON GOOSEBERRY.

Pale red in color, very sweet, tender, and one of the best. Plants of branching, spreading habit; enormously productive. 10 cts.; 6 for 50 cts.; 12 for \$1. Larger size, 15 cts.; 4 for 50 cts.; 12 for \$1.25.

DOWNING GOOSEBERRY.

This well-known variety is unsurpassed for cooking and table use; fruit, handsome pale green. A vigorous grower, free from mildew and very prolific. 15 cts.; 6 for 75 cts.; 12 for \$1.50. Larger size, 20 cts.; 3 for 50 cts.; 12 for \$2.

THE DINGEE & CONARD CO.'S

Special Order Sheet for Seeds, Bulbs, &c.

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Our Seeds and Bulbs, will be sent post-paid by mail, at prices named, in any quantities desired. All remittances, by P. O. Order, Bank Draft and Registered Letter, are at our risk. For full information, see page 15.

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☀ **Our Novelties and Specialties for 1890** are described and illustrated from page 81 to page 87 inclusive. Each

variety offered has been proved by careful trial, to be a distinct and valuable addition to the flowers that can be grown to full perfection in this country in one season from seed. Our descriptions and illustrations have been carefully made from nature, and we trust will interest and encourage our friends and customers, and all lovers of beautiful flowers, to add these distinct new and rare varieties to their collections. Our Novelties and Specialties are put up in generous packets, with careful directions for cultivation on each, and are allowed the full benefit of our very liberal premiums described on page 88.



SHIRLEY POPPIES

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NOW OFFERED FOR THE FIRST TIME.—A painting from nature would but poorly copy the wonderful glowing shades of color shown in this magnificent new race of Papaver. We therefore had our artist prepare a careful drawing in black and white (from which the

above picture was engraved), showing the shape and general appearance of the flowers. **SHIRLEY POPPIES** are the result of ten years careful selection, at Shirley, Croydon, by Rev. W. Wilks, Hon. Secretary to the Royal Horticultural Society of England, and a most enthusiastic lover of flowers. When this new Poppy was first exhibited at the famous Crystal Palace of London, it made a great sensation, and was awarded a certificate of the highest merit. The superb flowers are of good substance, double and single, as is shown in our illustration. The individual flowers are of the largest size, frequently measuring over four inches in diameter. The colors range from pure white, through the most delicate shades of rosy pink and carmine, to deepest crimson; some of the most intensely colored flowers being margined with white, or beautifully flaked and marbled. The plants are of vigorous healthy habit of growth, and bloom with profusion from July to October. They can be readily raised from seed sown in the open ground where the plants are to grow; in fact, this, the handsomest novelty for many years, can be grown as easily as the most ordinary annual. The seed is as yet quite scarce, but we make the price low, as we wish every one of our friends and customers to see this famous novelty. We know our mixture of seed to be unequalled, and have been careful to include all colors, shadings, and markings.

Price, per pkt., 15 cts.; 2 pkts. for 25 cts.

New French Cannas.

These beautiful varieties gave great satisfaction last year, and we can say with greater confidence than ever, that nothing is more beautiful in the way of ornamental plants than the New Large Flowering Dwarf Cannas, originated by a skillful and celebrated French grower, Mons. Crozy. They are entirely distinct. The foliage is luxuriant and varied in color; the plants grow 3 1/2 feet high. The profusion of bloom is something remarkable, shoot after shoot coming up covered with richly colored orchid-like flowers. The colors range through crimson, rose, scarlet, yellow, salmon, etc., many flowers being beautifully striped and spotted. A member of our Company who visited the World's Fair at Paris, the past year, says: "A superb exhibit of Mons. Crozy's magnificent Cannas, in the Horticultural Department of the Exposition, attracted and delighted flower-loving people from all quarters of the world." Per pkt., 25 cts.; 3 pkts., 60 cts.



OUR LARGE FLOWERING NEW IMPERIAL GERMAN PANSIES

are the best in existence for general planting. We make this statement with increased assurance, as our sales of Imperial German Pansies the past season were upwards of 10,000 separate packages. The plants are entirely hardy in all ordinary situations; of fine size and compact growth; blooming profusely all through the Summer. The magnificent flowers are extra large, perfectly shaped, and embrace the rarest and most beautiful vivid colors, superbly mottled, veined, marbled, and spotted on backgrounds of every shade; also striped and fancy flowers of unique beauty, and flowers with distinct eyes and contrasting rims of striking novelty. Our Imperial German Pansies will thrive splendidly with little care in almost any situation, while they richly reward the amateur who cultivates carefully and in the most approved manner. Price of the entire collection offered below, 35 varieties in all, 1 packet each for \$2.50. This is a complete collection of Pansies, at a low price, that cannot be equaled.

THE SEED WE OFFER IS A SPECIAL SAVING BY THE ORIGINATOR.

Imperial German Splendid Mixed.—This unparalleled mixture embraces over *fifty different varieties*, with many more colors and markings; it is the finest mixture of Pansies ever offered.

Per pkt., 15 cts.; 2 pkts., 25 cts.; 4 pkts., 50 cts.; 10 pkts., \$1.

The following Separate Varieties of Imperial German Pansies, 10 cts. per packet.

1. **Improved Striped** (see cut).—A fine new class, producing large, perfectly formed flowers of beautiful and exquisite coloring. This new strain is a great improvement on the Belgian and other striped varieties.
2. **Show Varieties, Mixed** (see cut).—A special saving from named flowers of very large size. A splendid assortment of colors.
3. **Gloriosa Perfecta or Improved Quadricolor** (see cut).—Unusually handsome flowers, of a reddish, steel-blue color, with pink and white edges.
4. **Dark Mahogany, with White Margin.**—The striking beauty of this color is particularly impressive; dark mahogany with clear-cut edge of pure white.
5. **Dark Mahogany, with Yellow Margin.**—Similar to the foregoing, but with clear yellow edge.
6. **Marbled Mixed.**—An assortment of beautiful colors, marbled on white, yellow and dark ground.
7. **Black, with Gold Bronze.**—One of the very finest and most novel colors recently introduced.
8. **Silver Seam.**—Of large size and great beauty; very dark velvet, with silver edge.
9. **Baron Rothschild.**—A new variety of great beauty; each flower distinctly marked with large dark brown spots.
10. **Selected Odier, or Five Spotted.**—A great improvement on the old Odier Pansies. This new strain produces large, handsome flowers of great substance and variety of coloring, the petals of which are beautifully blotched and stained.
11. **Fancy Varieties, Splendid Mixed.**—A fine assortment of fancy colors.
12. **Golden Bronze Marbled.**—Intensely striking and rich, large flowers.
13. **Snow Queen.**—An extra, selected strain, of pure white flowers.
14. **Dr. Faust.**—A splendid JET BLACK.
15. **Bright Purple.**—A very rich, handsome color.
16. **Golden Yellow.**—Very distinct.
17. **White, with Violet Eye.**—A striking variety.
18. **Chocolate Red.**—A taking shade.
19. **Very Dark Purple.**—A pure clear dark color.
20. **Extra Dark Blue.**—One of the best solid colors.
21. **Ultramarine Blue.**—Improved Lord Beaconsfield.
22. **Light Blue.**—A beautiful color.
23. **Violet, with White Border.**—Exquisite contrast.
24. **Lilac Red, Yellow Margin.**
25. **Five Spotted on Red Ground.**
26. **Five Spotted on White Ground.**
27. **Five Spotted on Yellow Ground.**
28. **Large Spotted on Red Ground.**
29. **Large Spotted on White Ground.**
30. **Large Spotted on Yellow Ground.**
31. **Large Spotted White.**
32. **Large Spotted Yellow.**
33. **Large Spotted White with Blue Rim.**
34. **Large Spotted Varieties Mixed.**

SPECIAL OFFER—THE IMPERIAL COLLECTION.—The entire collection of magnificent New Imperial German Pansies described above, 35 varieties in all, for \$2.50.

New Calendula Oriole.

This magnificent New Calendula is now offered for the first time. Heretofore the Prince of Orange and Meteor were the brightest-colored Calendulas, but they are now far surpassed by this rich glowing yellow new variety. It is appropriately named, as the extra-large imbricated flowers remind one at once of the superb golden color seen in that gem of birds—the Oriole. The flowers are produced in great abundance, and are of lasting substance, making them very desirable for cutting. Every order should include this unsurpassed variety. Per pkt., 10 cts.; 3 pkts. for 25c.

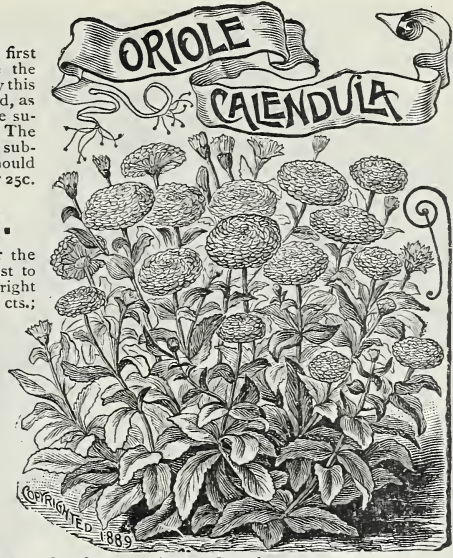
New Calendula Trianon.

This splendid New Marigold is a fitting companion for the "Oriole" described above, and in rich and striking contrast to it. The fine double flowers are very handsome. The color is bright sulphur yellow, with centre of brownish black. Per pkt., 10 cts.; 3 pkts., 25 cts.

SPECIAL OFFER.—The "Oriole" and "Trianon" Calendulas or Pot Marigolds, described above, flower together from early Summer until frost, and can be easily raised from seed sown where the plants are to grow. We advise all lovers of flowers to plant both varieties. We will send one package of each for 15 cts.

Phlox Drummondii, Double White.

This beautiful variety of Phlox is remarkable as being the only double-flowering form in existence. The plants are very free flowering, and are as easily raised from seed as any other Phlox. The pure white flowers are large and perfectly double, like a rosette. We think this new variety will prove



very fine for pot culture. Per pkt., 15 cts.

Rare New Tom Thumb Nasturtiums.

New Brilliant Yellow.—We consider this new variety far superior to the well-known Golden King. The plants are very neat and compact, with bright green foliage, forming an exquisite setting for the flowers, which are of the most brilliant yellow color imaginable. Per pkt., 10 cts.; 3 pkts. for 25 cts.

New Brown Red.—A very distinct and handsome variety. The flowers of velvety deep brown red color, making it a valuable addition to a brilliant and popular race of annuals. Per pkt., 10 cts.; 3 pkts. for 25 cts.

Special Offer.—One packet each of *New Brilliant Yellow* and *New Brilliant Red* for 15 cts., or the set of three varieties for 25 cts.; or with one packet of *New Mixed*, 4 packets in all, for 30 cts.

New Brilliant Red.—This magnificent new variety, like "Brilliant Yellow," offered opposite, is the best and highest type of its color; you cannot imagine a truer contrast than that offered by these new red and yellow Nasturtiums. The foliage of the "New Brilliant Red" is very dark green. Per pkt., 10 cts.; 3 pkts. for 25 cts.

New Tom Thumb Nasturtiums, Mixed.—We have prepared a mixture of seed which includes the new varieties described, and some other kinds of recent introduction. Per pkt., 10 cts.; 3 pkts. for 25 cts.; oz., 40 cts.

NEW DOUBLE Lilliput Zinnias.

This selected strain of miniature flowered Zinnias should not be confounded with the Tom Thumb, or large flowering Zinnias recently introduced from Germany. The Lilliput Zinnia here offered is a distinct new type, and was worked up by the care and patience of an American grower. The bushes are dwarf and compact, and produce a profusion of perfectly double pom-pone-shaped flowers of the brightest colors. Our illustration shows the general appearance of the plant, but nothing short of a colored plate could attempt to picture the wonderfully improved colors in this splendid new strain. The past Summer, while inspecting the originator's crop, from which these we offer was saved, we were repeatedly impressed with the range of color; standing anywhere in the field one could see the most vivid scarlet and deep shining crimson, thrown into high relief by the purest white, deep golden yellow and salmon pink, while the magnificent picture was harmoniously toned with the many intermediate shades. This refined and beautiful type of Zinnia should be planted in every flower garden. Per pkt., 10 cts.; 3 pkts. for 25 cts.

New Poppy Golden Gate—Special.

This is an exceedingly handsome selection of the ranunculus flowered type of Poppy and is now offered for the first time; the plants are vigorous and healthy in habit and can be readily grown from seed sown in the open ground. The flowers are produced in great abundance from July to September, and are borne on strong graceful stems, making them very desirable for cutting. The colors are exquisite and range from pure white through all shades of pink to deepest crimson, many of the flowers being beautifully marked and variegated. The seed we offer is direct from the originator. Per pkt., 15 cts.; 2 pkts. for 25 cts.

New Phlox Drummondii Guspidata—STAR OF QUIDLINBURG.

This remarkable novelty was imported from Germany three years ago, and is now fully established in this country. Its habit of growth and flowering qualities are the same as the old Phlox Drummondii. The flowers of this distinct new variety are totally unlike any others; they are perfectly star shaped, five pointed, and frequently measure 1½ inches from tip to tip. We illustrate a single flower on page 96; it is the second one from the right. We have included a portion of Guspidata seed in our unparalleled *Rosemont mixture of Grandiflora Phlox*. But as many wish to grow this wonderful Phlox separate, we offer here a complete mixture, embracing all the colors now in cultivation. Per pkt., 15 cts.



NEW LILLIPUT ZINNIAS.

through all shades of pink to deepest crimson, many of the flowers being beautifully marked and variegated. The seed we offer is direct from the originator.



NEW FANCY-FLOWERING PETUNIAS

AFTER careful comparison and investigation we can assure our friends and customers that the *Grandiflora Superbissima* strain of New Fancy-Flowering Petunias here offered is unquestionably the finest and most thorough selection of Petunias in existence; far surpassing many of the best varieties now grown from cuttings, and which cost as much per single plant as New Fancy-Flowering does per packet. In nature the flowers are fully twice as large as they appear in our illustration above, which shows four of the most distinct types. The colors range from pure white, through delicate shades of rose, to deep pink; some flowers being marked and stained in the most beautiful manner, while the purple and dark colors are particularly rich and striking. Our unparalleled mixture of seed embraces all the named varieties of this famous strain heretofore offered, such as *Intus Nigra*, *Intus Alba*, *Blue Veins*, *Prince* and *Princess of Wurtemberg*, etc., with many additional shades and markings; also a good percentage of the most perfect double and fringed varieties, making altogether a selection that cannot fail to satisfy and delight all lovers of flowers. In order to fully introduce this magnificent class of Petunias, we make the price very low.

Per pkt., 25 cts.; 3 pkts. for 60 cts.; 6 pkts. for \$1.

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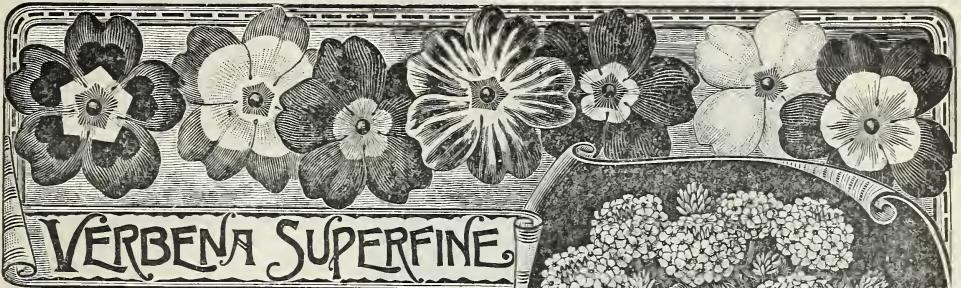
The Grand Abyssinian Banana.

Our sales of this magnificent variety last season were so great that our New Crop Seed was speedily exhausted; we, however, hope to be able to supply all the present season.

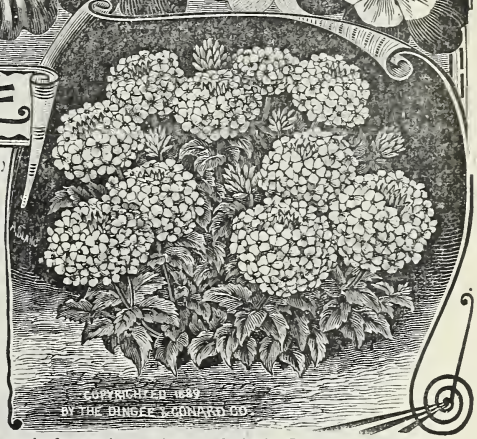
This grand plant is the **NOBLEST DECORATIVE PLANT IN THE WORLD**. It can be easily sown from seed, but it is of the greatest importance to have *absolutely fresh seed from native sources*. Sow the seed in hot-bed or boxes, repotting as fast as the plants grow; finally setting in open ground when all danger of frost is past. At the approach of Winter they can be put in a box of suitable size filled with dirt, and stored in the cellar, or a dry, cool place, secure from frost or excessive dampness, or placed in a tub or box and brought into the conservatory or greenhouse, where they can be carried through the Winter in a semi-dormant condition by watering sparingly. In either of the above ways the plants will be ready to set out again the following season, when they will attain gigantic size, often growing 18 to 20 feet high and proportionately large. The leaves are magnificently long, broad and massive; the color is beautiful bright green with crimson midribs in striking contrast. Per pkt. of 5 seeds, 25 cts.; 5 pkts. for \$1.



MUSA ENSETE—ABYSSINIAN BANANA.



FOR some years past we have steadily advised our friends and customers to grow their Verbenas from fresh seeds each season. This matter is of the greatest importance, as plants raised from cuttings seem to be more subject to disease and rust than ever; it was noticeable the past season that, while propagated plants were worse rusted than usual, those raised from our SUPERFINE MIXED SEED, sown in March, were a mass of healthy flowers and foliage, almost as dense as Sweet Alyssum Little Gem, and nearly as fragrant. To easily grow the best Verbenas from seed, it is of prime necessity to have fresh seed, saved from perfectly fertilized flowers. We have given this point our most exacting attention, and are satisfied that in our "VERBENA SUPERFINE MIXED COLORS" here offered, we have the best and most carefully selected strain of Verbenas ever sent out. This superb race of Verbenas embraces a remarkably large number of colors, shades and markings; our illustration above was carefully drawn from nature, but the space would only allow a single specimen plant and single florets of seven different plants. The trusses or heads of flowers are very large, and are produced in great abundance from early Summer till late Fall. Verbenas raised from seed are quite fragrant, particularly so after sunset. The seed should be sown early in pots, boxes or hot-beds, and transplanted when three or four inches high. We have an unusually fine stock of seed, and have carefully made our mixture so as to include all the colors, shades and markings known to Verbenas.



Price of Verberna Superfine Mixed Colors, per pkt., 20 cts.; 3 pkts. for 50 cts.; 7 pkts. for \$1; 15 pkts. for \$2; per $\frac{3}{4}$ oz., \$1.25; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., \$2; oz., \$4.

The Best New Dahlias, from Seed.

NEW STRIPED DAHLIA.—Exquisitely striped and shaded flowers of exquisite beauty produced in GREAT numbers; the plants are of easy cultivation, and are in bloom in a short time. Per pkt., 25 cts.

DAHLIA ZIMPANI, or DAHLIA MINIATURE.—A perfect Miniature Single Dahlia, of dwarf growth (9 to 12 inches); the flowers are perfectly formed and well borne upon graceful stems; the color is dark, blood red, deep and velvety, sometimes nearly black. Per pkt., 15 cts.; 2 pkts., 25 cts.

DAHLIAS (All Varieties).—Superb New Varieties from Seed.—The New Single Dahlias are recommended as being graceful, elegant and very popular. The seed we offer must not be confounded with the cheap imported seed generally sent out.

Dahlia, Single.—Finest mixture, per pkt., 20 cts.

Dahlia, Double.—Finest mixture, per pkt., 20 cts.

A Splendid New Balsam.

DAISY MILLER, or PREFERRED.—Undoubtedly the most double and perfectly shaped Camelia-flowered Balsam in existence. Very large, 2 to 3 inches in diameter. Color white, exquisitely tinted lilac, or lavender blush, deepening in shade towards the centre. The perfect flowers at a little distance seem to possess that peculiar bluish-white glint seen in diamonds. Per pkt., 15 cts.; 2 pkts., 25 cts.

NEW MOON FLOWER, CROSSBRED VARIETY.

The past season brought so many inquiries for the "New Crossbred Variety" of Moon Flower, that we decided to offer it. The originator claims that it will produce blooming plants earlier than other varieties grown from seed, thus enabling Northern planters to have plenty of flowers before frost. The seed we offer is direct from the originator. Per pkt., 10 cts.; 3 pkts. for 25 cts.

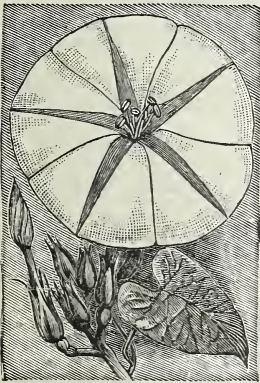
PLEASE NOTICE.—Plants of our True Magnolia Scented Moon Flower (see p. 115 for full description) are propagated from blooming wood, and will surely flower in all parts of this country and Canada. 20 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts.

THE FOLIAGE MOON FLOWER

THE HANDSOMEST ORNAMENTAL CLIMBING VINE.

The Foliage Moon Flower is supposed to have been originally brought from India. It grows from seed sown where the plants are to grow. We consider this variety the most rapid growing, handsome and useful ornamental climbing vine in existence. Do not plant it for flowers, as it frequently does not bloom north of Washington, D. C., but for porches, arbors, screens, or any place where a dense shade is wanted in a short time, nothing is equal to this variety. The large, handsome, bright-green leaves are thick and leathery, vines wonderfully luxuriant and very tough, standing storms, winds or abuse well. The leaves are borne on long stems, allowing a free circulation of air, while they overlap so perfectly as to keep out all glare and heat of the sun. Too much cannot be said in praise of this handsome ornamental climbing vine. It should be included in every order.

Per pkt., 10 cts.; 3 pkts. for 25 cts.

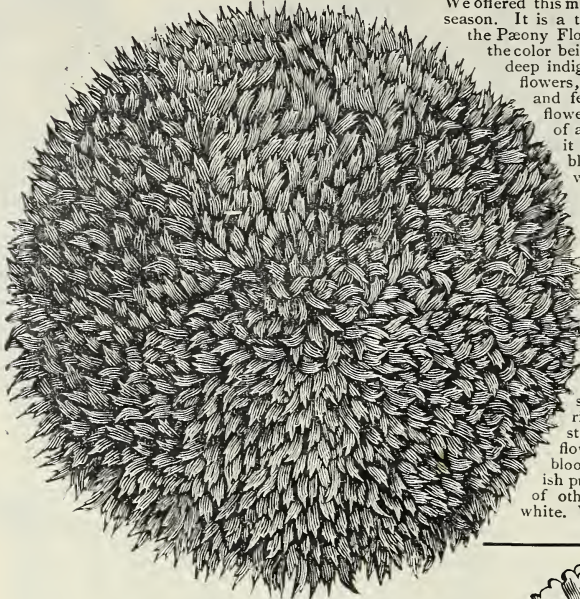


MOON FLOWER CROSSBRED.

PALM WASHINGTONIA FILIFERA.—This beautiful Palm is easily grown from seed and is distinct and valuable; should be in every collection. The leaves are fan shaped, dark green, and are terminated with striking-looking pendulous filaments; of compact growth and well adapted to pot culture, thriving in any window. In the Summer it can adorn the veranda, or set in a shady place in the yard. This Palm, like all the fan-leaved sorts, does not show its characteristics until two or three years old; at first the leaves are long and narrow instead of round. Per pkt. of 5 seeds, 20 cts.

Our New Poppy, Redbird.

We offered this magnificent New Poppy for the first time last season. It is a tall-growing, very large flowering variety of the Paeony Flowered type; it is an entirely distinct variety, the color being an unusually intense glowing scarlet, with deep indigo-blue cross, at base of the perfectly round flowers, the petals of which are exquisitely imbricated and feathered. A glimpse of the intense scarlet flowers caught at a distance reminds one so strongly of a brilliant Redbird flashing by, that we gave it that name. This splendid New Poppy is in bloom at least two weeks earlier than any other variety, remaining full of flowers all season. Per pkt., 15 cts.; 4 pkts., 50 cts.; 9 pkts. for \$1.



OUR NEW POPPY, REDBIRD



PRIMULA—A TYPE OF FRINGED VARIETIES, MIXED.



PRIMULA ALBA MAGNIFICA.

Primula (Chinese Primrose)

The best Primulas can now be grown from seed, requiring little extra care; the seed should be sown in February, March and April; fine plants will then be ready for Winter bloom, and at a small expense, compared with the high prices charged for blooming plants. The great perfection to which this well-known and beautiful class has been brought has made them unequalled in popularity. Our seed will give the best satisfaction, as we have secured the finest strains of Primulas in existence. Full cultural directions on each packet.

AZURE BLUE.—This is an entirely new variety. The color is a beautiful rich blue, and the flowers of elegant form and substance. Pkt., 50 cts.

ALBA MAGNIFICA (see cut).—Flowers pure white, distinct yellow eye, each petal being deeply and beautifully fringed. Pkt., 50 cts.

CHISWICK RED.—Very popular among Primrose growers. Color is very rich and striking. Pkt., 50 cts.

PRIMULA. — SUPERB FRINGED VARIETIES — MIXED SEED (see cut).—Comprising all the finest fringed varieties. For a small outlay you can obtain from ten to fifteen plants of different varieties. Pkt., 25 cts.

PRIMULA—SNOWFLAKE.—Rare and difficult to obtain; very free-flowering strain. Pkt., 40 cts.

DOUBLE RED AND SCARLET.—The richest-colored double yet obtained. Pkt., 40 cts.

CRIMSON VELVET.—This is the deepest, darkest, finest, colored double Primrose in existence. Pkt., 50 cts.

RUBY QUEEN.—The flowers are large, finely formed, and of good substance, elegantly fringed, and of a rich, purplish-red color, with a small, yellow eye. Pkt., 50 cts.

RUBRA VIOLACEA.—A new and desirable variety, of a beautiful and distinct shade of velvety violet crimson. Pkt., 50 cts.

SCARLET GEM.—The flowers are of a most brilliant and intense rich scarlet crimson. Pkt., 50 cts.

SPECIAL OFFER.—The set of 10 Varieties of Primulas described above for \$3.

SALVIAS.

Flowers from Seed the First Summer.

Salvias can be readily raised from seed sown in pots, boxes, or hot-beds early in April (although it can be sown much earlier), and transplanted to the flower beds. In fact, this brilliant class of plants can be raised from seed about as easily as Balsams; the old idea was that good blooming plants come only from cuttings. The seed must, however, be very carefully selected and properly cured, a matter which has had our best attention. The dazzling brilliancy of color in Salvias is indescribable. *Salvia Splendens* and *Salvia Patens* are the best examples of pure red and blue that can be found. Full cultural directions on each packet.

Salvia Splendens (Scarlet Sage) (see cut).—The most vivid scarlet crimson imaginable; fine bushy plants; branches covered with flowers; remains in full bloom until frost; 3 ft. Per pkt., 15 cts.; 2 pkts., 25 cts.

Patens.—Flowers, splendid pure blue; similar in habit to *Salvia Splendens*. The two varieties make a contrast that cannot be surpassed; 3 ft. Per pkt., 25 cts.; 2 pkts., 40 cts.

New Sweet Peas.

Our Splendid New Varieties Sweet Peas have attracted wide-spread attention, planters declaring that, for exquisite fragrance, profusion of bloom and duration of flowers after cutting, they could not be surpassed. We feel confident that the varieties of this popular favorite we offer will please our most critical friends. Sweet Peas are of the easiest cultivation, producing their charming flowers in great profusion all Summer; they are very showy and effective for planting along fences, in hedges, clumps, etc.

Full cultural directions are on our extra-sized packets.

We offer Entirely New Shades, 13 Varieties.

Grand Blue (see cut).—Magnificent large blue and purple flowers, touched with red. This splendid variety was offered last season for the first time. Per pkt., 10 cts.

Duchess of Edinburgh.—Striking scarlet, slashed with crimson, edges of flowers beautifully margined creamy white. Per pkt., 10 cts.

Indigo Blue (see cut).—One of the very darkest varieties; deep maroon purple, with indigo-blue wings. Per pkt., 15 cts.

Queen of the Isles (see cut).—The beautiful flowers are mottled and striped with scarlet and red on white ground. Per pkt., 10 cts.

Princess Louise.—Exquisite rosy pink wings and deep blue body; very attractive. Per pkt., 10 cts.

Princess of Wales.—This lovely new variety is shaded and striped with mauve on white ground, very distinct. Per pkt., 15 cts.

Vesuvius (see cut).—This is entirely unlike any other Sweet Pea; the upper petals are marked on a rosy ground, which shades into purple at spotted throat; the lower petals are velvety violet, with lilac edges. Per pkt., 10 cts.

Adonis.—This charming new variety is a beautiful rose pink, a new color in Sweet Peas. Per pkt., 10 cts.

Invincible Carmine (see cut).—From the celebrated English grower, Thomas Laxton, Esq. It is a rich, brilliant, growing carmine, and is the brightest-colored Sweet Pea known; a group of it is a dazzling sight. Per pkt., 10 cts.

Fairy Queen.—A beautiful variety and a beautiful name; the flowers of a delicate appearance and a milky white, the upper petals a lovely pale pink. Per pkt., 10 cts.

Bronze Prince.—This is a magnificent variety; large, well-formed flowers, borne in great profusion; the upper petals are a rich, shining, bronzy maroon; the lower ones a deep royal purple color. Per pkt., 10 cts.

Splendid Lilac.—This is a distinct and lovely shade of color; flowers pretty, clear lilac. Per pkt., 10 cts.

Violet Queen.—Does not grow so large as other kinds; it is a very free bloomer; the fl w ers ranging from deep mauve to light violet. Per pkt., 10 cts.

Any three varieties named above, one pkt. each, for 25 cts. The collection of 13 varieties for \$1.

Our New Sweet Peas.

Special Mixture.

This mixture cannot be equaled. It is made by taking 15 splendid varieties, including those described above, and mixing all together in proper proportion to give best effect. Market gardeners and others who grow Sweet Peas for cutting will find this selection very profitable.

Price of extra-large pkts., 10 cts. each; by weight, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 20 cts.; oz., 35 cts.; $\frac{3}{4}$ lb., \$1; lb., \$3 50.

Salpiglossis Grandiflora.

This new strain of Salpiglossis is a great improvement on the old variety. The flowers are much larger, being $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 inches in diameter. They are most vividly marked, spotted and striped on ground colors, ranging from deep blue to reddish bronze and light yellow; a striking novelty possessed by this new strain only is that rarely two flowers are exactly alike in colors or markings; the flowers being borne on long stems are very fine for cutting.

Per pkt., 10 cts.; 3 pkts. for 25 cts.

Heliotrope Dark Bouquet.

This strikingly beautiful new variety of Heliotrope is now offered for the first time. The flower heads are very large, and of intense deep blue color. This variety, if sown early in the Spring, will flower in full perfection during the Summer. It comes true from seed, and is a novelty of great merit. All should try this fine variety. Per pkt., 20 cts.; 3 pkts., 50 cts.

Amaranthus Splendens.

This New French Variety is the richest and showiest of all Amaranthus. The habit of growth is upright and branching; inner foliage of a very dark blackish bronze, tipped with green, the outer foliage, both on the central stalk and branches, where exposed to the light, is an intense flaming crimson and shining gold; the colors and shadings varying on different leaves in the most beautiful manner, the plants develop their brilliancy when very young, retaining it all Summer; height 3 to 4 feet.

Per pkt., 10 cts.; 3 pkts., 25 cts.



NEW SWEET PEAS.

THE DINGEE & CONARD CO'S LIST OF STANDARD FLOWER SEEDS

Annuals and others that Bloom from Seed the First Season.

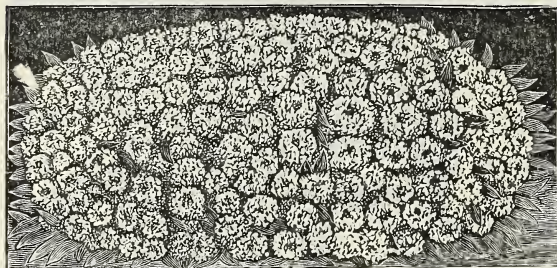
UNDER THIS HEAD WE CLASS THE TRUE ANNUALS, that is, varieties which grow and flower to full perfection the same season they are planted. We also list here Biennials and Perennials, which bloom the first season, such as Pansies, Dianthus, Antirrhinum, etc.

OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS will find Rare Novelties and Valuable Specialties described in the preceding pages, but will turn to this list for the old and well-tried favorites, many of whose names have become as familiar as those of our dearest friends; here will be found the flowers of our intimate acquaintance, that brighten our gardens and delight our eyes from year to year, some with their modest beauty, others with their gorgeous magnificence. With all to select from, no spot in the garden or flower beds need want for charming and luxuriant blooming plants, suitable to the situation and soil. Please read our Warrant and Premiums on Seed Orders.

WE WARRANT ALL OUR SEEDS to be fresh, pure and of the best possible quality, put up in generous quantity, and with full directions for culture on each packet.

PREMIUMS ON SEED ORDERS.

Orders for \$1, can select Seeds to value of \$1.25
 " " 2, " " " " " " 2.50 | Orders for \$3, can select Seeds to value of \$3.75
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 25 cents worth extra on each \$1.00 sent us for Seeds in packets.



SWEET ALYSSUM LITTLE GEM.

ALYSSUM SWEET.

Deservedly one of the most popular Annuals grown, the delicate fragrance of whose flowers reminds one of the harvest time. Unsurpassed for hanging baskets, vases, etc. Alyssum being fine for massing and cutting for market, we offer the seed by the ounce.

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| | <i>Per pkt.</i> |
| Alyssum Sweet.—The old well-known variety, 1 ft., per oz., 30 cts. | \$0 05 |
| Saxtile Compactum.—Hardy perennial. Rock or Golden Alyssum | 5 |
| Little Gem.— <i>New</i> (see above) | 10 |

ANTIRRHINUM (Snap-dragon).

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| Antirrhinum Fire-fly.—Orange and scarlet, with white throat | 5 |
| Nana Picturatum.—A new and distinct class, beautiful colorings | 5 |
| Finest Mixed Tall.—All colors, 2 to 3 ft. | 5 |
| Tom Thumb Mixed.—Beautiful dwarf sorts | 5 |
- Set of 4 varieties of Antirrhinum for 20 cts.*

Sweet Alyssum LITTLE GEM

Our illustration of the Little Gem is copied from a photograph of a single plant. This splendid new variety of Sweet Alyssum begins to bloom when quite young, and soon is a perfect mass of flowers, remaining so until late in Fall, over 400 perfect miniature trusses of flowers being counted on a single plant. The plants, of a dwarf spreading habit, grow 3 to 4 inches in height, and cover a space 14 to 20 inches in diameter, as compactly as a mat. The flowers are beautiful pure white, and exquisitely fragrant.

Per pkt., 10 cts.; 3 pkts. for 25 cts.

AGERATUM.

A beautiful Mexican plant, much prized on account of the large number of flowers it bears; remains in bloom all Summer. Also suitable for pot culture.

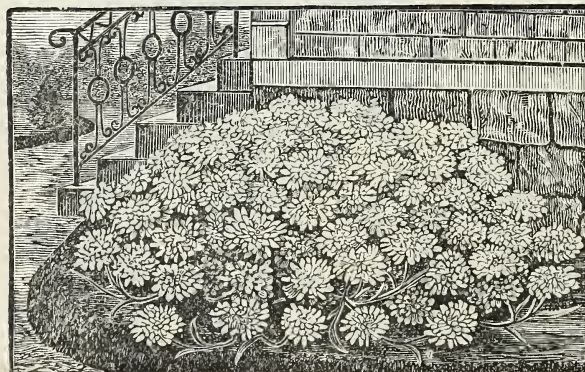
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| | <i>Per pkt.</i> |
| Ageratum Mexicanum.—Finest mixed. | \$0 05 |
| Little Doritt.— <i>New</i> , extra large, lovely sky blue. | 5 |
| Tom Thumb.—Very dwarf, white and blue, 6in | 5 |

AMARANTHUS.

Beautiful foliage plants, wonderfully effective for Autumn decorations. Plants are easily cultivated. Seed may be sown where plants are to bloom. The *new* variety we offer this season will be found on page 87; it is a Rare Novelty of great merit.

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| Amaranthus Splendens.—(See Novelties, page 87) | 10 |
| Salicifolius (Fountain Plant) | 5 |
| Caudatus (Love Lies Bleeding).—Drooping flowers. | 10 |
| Gibbosus.—A grand new variety. | 5 |
| Finest Mixed.—All the above beautiful varieties. | 5 |

Set of 5 Amaranthus for 25 cts.



CANDYTUFT SNOW QUEEN.

New White Candytuft Snow Queen.

This new Candytuft is an entirely distinct species from Spain, remarkable for profusion of bloom, which makes it unrivaled for ribbon beds or bedding alone in masses; it is also very desirable for edging beds of Roses, Asters, Phlox, etc., many believing it equal to the renowned Polyantha Roses in this respect. As will be seen by the above illustration, the handsome, pure white flowers are so numerous as to appear a mass of bloom. To get the best results, start the seed early in pots or boxes, transplanting at the proper season. The plant will be in full bloom in a short time, remaining so until late in Autumn; also seed can be sown where plants are to grow. 10 cts. per pkt.; 3 pkts. for 25 cts.; 6 pkts. for 50 cts.; 13 pkts. for \$1.

ASTERS.

NEW ASTER White Queen.

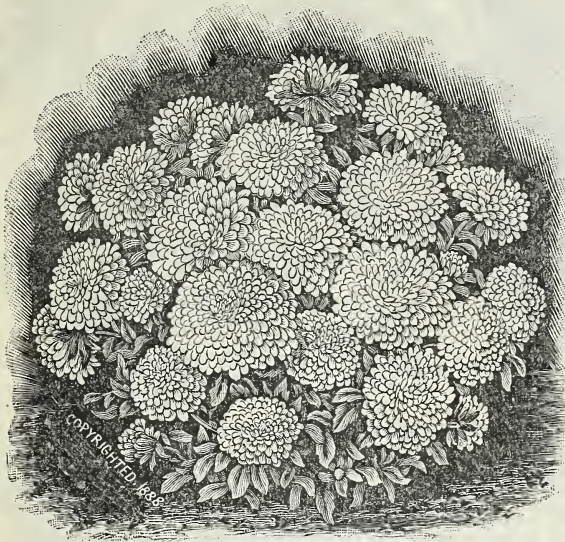
This Splendid New Large Flowering Dwarf Aster attracted great attention, the past season, competent judges saying without exception, "The White Queen is without exception the best Dwarf White Aster ever introduced." The plants grow only 10 to 12 inches high, of very compact habit, branching freely, each branch terminated with perfect flowers. The free-flowering qualities of this New Aster is something remarkable; we have counted as high as fifty open flowers at one time on a single plant, the whole appearance presenting a solid panicle or head of bloom. The flowers are dazzling white and perfectly double, resembling the finest Victoria Asters. This splendid new variety should be in every order.

Per. pkt., 15 cts.; 2 pkts., 25 cts.

ASTER Queen of the Market.

A new and entirely distinct variety of spreading habit; the flowers are produced on long graceful stems, making them very useful for cutting, as no buds need be wasted. Its great merit, however, and one that makes it especially valuable, is its early flowering quality, being in full bloom two weeks before any other Asters. The colors are deep, rich rose, light pink, dark blue and pure white.

Per. pkt., 10 cts.; 3 pkts. for 25 cts.



NEW ASTER WHITE QUEEN.

OUR STANDARD LIST OF ASTERS.

Asters constantly receive the closest attention of the most noted experts in the world, the result being constant improvement of the old well-known strains, and now and then an exceedingly valuable new variety. A careful inspection of complete trials of all known varieties has enabled us to revise our lists with good judgment, until we now consider our collection the best and most complete offered, for growing in this country. Amateurs cannot do better than plant the entire list, which we will furnish, one packet of each variety, 30 in all, for \$2.50.

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| Aster Truffauts Pæony-Flowered Perfection. —One of the best varieties in every respect; flowers very large, double and beautifully incurved. Over twenty-five distinct colors, mixed, 18 in. | \$0 10 |
| New Rose. —A splendid variety, handsome large flowers, inner petals like a Rose, all colors mixed, 2 ft. | 10 |
| Mont Blanc (Goliath). —Blooms profusely; color pure white, extra double and finely formed; flowers 4 inches in diameter, 2½ ft. | 20 |
| Victoria. —We consider this class one of the finest in cultivation. The flowers are large, quite double, most beautifully formed and borne in great profusion. Plants 20 in. high, all colors mixed. | 10 |
| Victoria. —The following distinct colors of this superb race are highly recommended, 1½ ft.: | |
| — — — Snow Storm.—One of the very finest | 10 |
| — — — Peach Blossom.—Beautiful. | 10 |
| — — — Carmine Rose.—Entirely distinct. | 10 |
| — — — Light Blue.—A distinct color. | 10 |
| — — — Indigo on White.—Novel and striking. | 10 |
| Victoria New Dwarf Mixed. —The same beautiful class as above, but of dwarf growth. All colors mixed. | 15 |
| Cocardau, or New Crown. —One of the showiest varieties; flowers large and double, centre pure white quilled, surrounded with large flat petals of a distinct bright color. All colors mixed, 2 ft. | 10 |
| Chrysanthemum-Flowered Dwarf. —A most desirable and distinct type; plants 10 to 12 in. high, bearing handsome Chrysanthemum-shaped flowers; all colors mixed. | 10 |
| New Dwarf Bouquet. —A most charming class, considered by many an improvement on the above; plants, 6 to 8 inches high, very compact and covered with flowers. Fourteen colors mixed. | 10 |
| New Dwarf Bouquet. —The following separate colors are unexcelled, and are eagerly purchased: | |
| — — — Snow-Ball.—Purest white | 10 |
| — — — Fire-Ball.—Glowing crimson | 10 |
| — — — Dark-Blue.—An attractive color. | 10 |
| Washington. —A great favorite with patriotic Americans, who contend that it grows larger, as the Giant Emperor. The flowers are magnificent, and colors unusually fine. Mixed varieties, 2 ft. | 15 |
| Betteridge's Prize. —An improvement on the German Quilled Aster; splendid large flowers of varied colors. Mixed seed, 2 ft., ¼ oz., 75 cts.; ½ oz., \$2.50. | 5 |



ASTER NEW DWARF
PY. PERFECTION.

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| New Dwarf Pæony Perfection. —The plants do not grow over twelve inches high, and are of neat compact habit, blooming profusely; the flowers are very large, of fine form, perfectly double, and petals beautifully incurved; the colors are strikingly rich and brilliant—making these Asters particularly valuable for bedding and edging, for which purpose we strongly recommend the separate colors named below. | |
| Light Blue. —Nearly sky blue. \$0 10 | 10 |
| Shining Dark Scarlet. —A new color in Asters. | 10 |
| Pure White. —Chaste and beautiful. | 10 |
| Black Blue. —Very dark and attractive. | 10 |
| Black, Blue and White. —Makes a striking contrast. | 10 |
| Crimson and White. —A novel combination of colors. | 10 |
| Rose. —A dainty and pleasing color | 10 |
| Finest Mixed. —All the above beautiful colors | 10 |
| <i>The set of 8 New Dwarf Py. Perfection Asters for 60 cts.</i> | |
| Mixed Varieties of Asters for General Planting. —Our own mixture, embracing many of the choice varieties described. ¼ oz., 50 cts.; ½ oz., \$1.50 | 5 |

HARLEQUIN ASTERS.

- Unique Asters of upright habit, medium height, very profuse blooming; this new race produces flowers of striking beauty, entirely different from all other varieties.
- Red Harlequin.**—About half the petals are pure white and the balance bright red, overlaid in odd and striking contrast 15
- Blue Harlequin.**—The pure white of about half of the petals is strikingly relieved by solid, deep blue petals irregularly interspersed. 15
- SPECIAL OFFER.**—One packet each of our entire collection of Asters, including Novelties and Specialties, 31 varieties in all, for \$2.60. This will make the grandest Amateur's Collection offered.



Our New Perfection Strain.

This popular favorite has been so much improved that the old-fashioned Lady Slippers or Balsams generally in cultivation bear no comparison to "OUR NEW PERFECTION STRAINS." They are unhesitatingly pronounced the finest in existence. The plants are large and well balanced, with magnificent spikes of bloom. Many individual flowers measure 2½ inches in diameter, equaling Camellias in size, doubleness and perfection. We offer twenty five distinct colors, which will be good news to our friends who have been contenting themselves with two or three different varieties. When Extra Fine Show Flowers are Wanted, Balsams should be started in boxes or hot-bed, and transplanted when 3 or 4 inches high, but they are generally sown in open ground, were they are to remain, and give excellent satisfaction.

	<i>Per pkt.</i>		<i>Per pkt.</i>
Perfection Double White (see cut).—The most perfectly double, pure snowy-white flowers imaginable; of very large size; one of the best for florist work	\$0 10	Perfection Scarlet Spotted (see cut).—Pure white flowers, spotted intense scarlet	\$0 10
Perfection Apple Blossom.—This dainty Balsam well deserves its name, the exquisite coloring reminding one of early fragrant Spring-time	10	Perfection Purple Spotted.—One of the very best	10
Perfection Light Lemon.—A most beautiful shade of light lemon; very perfect double flowers	10	Perfection Crimson Spotted.—Most distinct and beautiful	10
Perfection Bright Yellow.—One of the most distinct Balsams in cultivation; novel and valuable	15	Rose Mottled—The Best.—Beautifully marked and blended	10
Perfection Pink.—As much different from the old pink as satin is from cotton; flowers of beautiful clear color and great substance	10	Perfection Flashing Red.—The most brilliant of all Balsams	10
Perfection Blush.—Of softest glowing colors	10	Perfection Scarlet.—Most vivid scarlet	10
Perfection Lilac.—A very effective and distinct new variety; flowers very full and double; color, delicate lilac, deepening towards the centre	10	Solferino—The Best.—White spotted and striped with red, this beautiful variety has been greatly improved	10
Perfection Splendens.—We consider this Balsam of the greatest value for bedding and massing; the intensely brilliant fiery scarlet flowers are borne on bright red stalks, the effect at a distance being striking beyond description. Per ½ oz., 75 cts.; oz., \$1.25	10	Perfection Camellia Flowered Balsams, Finest Mixed.—We have taken great pains with this mixture, and we do not feel the slightest doubt but that it is the finest selection of mixed Balsams ever offered.	3
Perfection Deep Lilac.—Very pleasing	10	Choice Mixed Balsams.—The best mixture ever offered at the price, ½ oz. 25 cts.	5
Perfection Lavender.—Exquisite double flowers	10	Special Offer.—The price in quantity for all above varieties of "OUR PERFECTION Strain of Balsams," ¼ oz., 35 cts.; ½ oz., 60 cts.; oz., \$1.00; 1 packet each of any eight varieties offered above for 60 cts., or the entire collection of New Perfection Balsams named above, twenty-one varieties in all, for \$1.50.	
Perfection Cœrulea.—The delicate blue color of this Balsam makes it a most valuable variety	10		
Perfection Rosy Lilac.—Very popular	10		



CALENDULA METEOR.

CALENDULA (Pot Marigold).

Well-known and attractive hardy annuals, growing well in almost any situation; the varieties offered are a great improvement on the old sorts.

Calendula (Pot Marigold).—Finest double, mixed, per oz., 40 cts. 5

Meteor.—Perfectly double and beautiful; striped, the petals having a creamy centre, edged with glowing orange. Per oz., 50 cts. 5

Prince of Orange.—This variety is considered by many to be an improvement on its parent Meteor, the coloring being more intense; try it and see what you think of it. Per oz., 50 cts. 5



CELOSIA GLASGOW PRIZE.

CELOSIA (Cockscomb).

Celosias are especially interesting; of brilliant colors and quite easy to grow; the combs are often a foot or more across the top. We offer the best kinds.

Celosia Glasgow Prize.—A very fine new dwarf variety; dark leaves and splendid crimson combs; very distinct. 10

Cockscomb Japan Scarlet.—Of great beauty; combs cut like delicate lace. 10

Variegata.—Beautiful combs of crimson and gold. 10
 New Giant Emperor.—Very striking, with enormous bright purple combs and dark bronze foliage. 10
 Plumosa Superba.—Brilliant scarlet and yellow. 10
 Cristata Cockscomb.—Bright scarlet. 1 foot 5
 Dwarf Varieties Mixed.—All colors. 1 foot 5

CALLIOPSIS OR COREOPSIS.

- Per pkt.*
Coreopsis Golden Wave.—This splendid showy annual is unsurpassed for bedding, bordering, hedges, shrubbery, etc. It is a perfect mass of glowing yellow well meriting its name, "Golden Wave." The bushy and compact plants grow about two feet high and from June to October are densely covered with beautiful yellow blossoms, each with small dark centre. Seeds can be sown in open ground or transplanted; plants will grow with little care in any situation and attract great attention. Three pkts., 25 cts. \$0 10
Calliopsis Finest Mixed. 5



CANDYTUFT ROCKET.

CANDYTUFT.

- Perfectly hardy and equally as popular as Sweet Alyssum, like it being of the easiest culture. For purchasers who desire Candytuft in quantity, we offer each variety by the ounce.
Pure White.—Very delicate. Per oz., 30 cts. 5
Rocket.—Large trusses of pure white flowers. Per oz., 20 cts. 5
Extra Dark Crimson.—A splendid strain. Per oz., 20 cts. 5
New Carmine.—Produces a dense head of brilliant scarlet bloom. Per oz., 30 cts. 5
Tom Thumb.—White, very dwarf, 4 to 6 in. 10
Snow Queen.—(See page 88.) After another year's careful trial we consider *Snow Queen* the best variety for bedding in existence. 10
Candytuft—Fine Varieties Mixed.—Per oz., 20 cts. 5
New Dwarf Hybrids.—Plants of dwarf habit and perfect shape, remarkable for abundance of flowers from white to dark purple. 8 in. Per oz., 75 cts. 10

COSMOS HYBRIDUS.

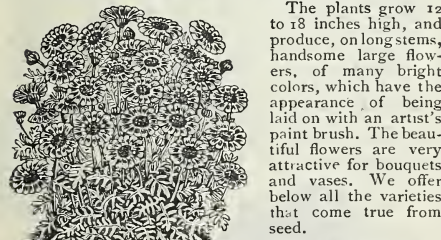
This magnificent race of plants is of rapid growth, quickly attaining a height of 5 to 7 feet. The bushes are a mass of elegant foliage until they bloom in September. From then until November the plants are literally covered with showy flowers resembling Dahlias. They range in color through all shades of rose, purple, flesh and pure white. They are easily raised from seed 10

CANNAS (Indian Shot).

- New French Cannas.**—Best mixed (see p. 81). 25
Canna Marechal Vaillant.—Splendid orange, 4 to 6 ft. 10
Nepalensis.—Clear yellow, green foliage. 3 ft. 10
Warszewiczii.—Fine red flowers, striped foliage, 3 ft. 10
Gigantea.—Intense scarlet, grows 8 ft. 10
Finest Varieties Mixed.—All colors. Per oz., 30 cts. 5
Set of 5 Varieties of Cannas for 30 cts.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

French Marguerites or Painted Daisies.



CHRYSANTHEMUM GOLDEN FEATHER.

The plants grow 12 to 18 inches high, and produce, on long stems, handsome large flowers, of many bright colors, which have the appearance of being laid on with an artist's paint brush. The beautiful flowers are very attractive for bouquets and vases. We offer below all the varieties that come true from seed.

- Golden Feather.**—Beautiful large daisy-like flowers, 2 to 3 inches in diameter, dark velvety centre, circled with bright glowing yellow, outer circle rich crimson, a superb variety. 10
Eclipse.—A very showy new sort; the flowers are very large and handsome, strikingly marked and colored in distinct rings of yellow, purplish scarlet and dark brown 5

Per pkt.
Annulatum.—Very beautiful flowers, with distinctly marked, clear-cut rings or bands of color on white and yellow ground. \$0 05

Burridgeanum (Lord Beaconsfield).—Rich crimson maroon, with white edge and inner white circle. 5

Frutescens (Paris Daisy).—Produces freely large white star-shaped flowers; plants will grow almost anywhere and last from year to year. 10

Fine Annual Mixed Varieties.—Including the above. Per oz., 50 cts. 5

Inodorum Plenissimum.—This variety should be in every garden; it flowers abundantly the first season from Spring-sown seed, producing hundreds of perfectly pure snow-white flowers, which can be continually cut, and new blooms at once appear; remains in bloom all Summer; a most valuable variety. 5



INODORUM PLENISSIMUM.

Set of 7 Chrysanthemums named above for 35 cts.

PERENNIAL CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

We recommend our new Chrysanthemum seed to our amateur patrons. Many of the collections seeded were recent importations from Japan and never before offered. We offer in fine mixture, which includes Japanese, Chinese and Pompon varieties, 2 pkts. for 75 cts. 50

ESCHSCHOLTZIA (California Poppy).

- Eschscholtzia Mandarin.**—A magnificent variety. The inside of petals is a rich orange color, the outside being a brilliant mandarin scarlet. When in full bloom it has a gorgeous appearance. 10
Rose Cardinal.—Flowers profusely of a charming rose color. 5
New Double White.—One of the very best white hardy annuals, remains in bloom until after frost. 5
Fine Mixed Seed—All Colors.—Per oz., 30 cts. 5
Set of 4 Eschscholtzia for 25 cts.

EUPHORBIA MARGINATA.

Also called "Snow on the Mountains," on account of the leaves being vividly variegated white and green. The plants grow 2 to 3 feet high, and are highly ornamental and striking. We offer one variety only, the best, *Euphorbia Marginata*. 5

GALLARDIA (Blanket Flower).

This handsome annual grows about 1 foot, and is very fine for bedding, being a strong and constant bloomer; flowers of exceedingly vivid color.

- Gaillardia Picta Lorenziana (Double Flowers)**—This new variety is entirely distinct from the old sorts. The colors we offer are sulphur, golden yellow, orange, claret and amaranth. It blooms quite freely. 10
Finest Mixed Colors.—Per oz., 30 cts. 5

Ornamental Grasses.

Ornamental Grasses are very handsome for clumps on the lawn, or flower-bed. They are also very beautiful when dried and used for decorating the house.

- Arundo Donax.**—Golden yellow, striped leaves; 6 feet. 10
Avena Sterilis (Animated Oat).—Very curious; 2½ feet. 10
Briza Maxima (Quaking Grass).—A splendid variety; entirely hardy; 1 foot. 10
Coix Lachryma (Job's Tears).—Broad, corn-like leaves; 2 feet. 10
Erianthus Ravennæ.—Almost as fine as Pampas Grass; quite hardy, splendid for clumps. 10
Pampas Grass.—Makes magnificent clumps. 10
Mixed Annual Varieties.—Very ornamental; per large packet. 10
Set of 7 Ornamental Grasses for 50 cts.

A WILD FLOWER GARDEN.

Mixed Seed.—This splendid mixture embraces a large proportion of easy growing and pretty flowers, such as are specially adapted for forming a *Wild Flower Garden*, in woodland walks, roadsides, shrubbery, hedges, railway embankments, etc. Per large pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; ¼ lb., 75 cts.; per lb., \$2.50.



D. LACINIATUS FL. PL.



D. EASTERN QUEEN.



D. DOUBLE CHINESE.



D. CARMINEUS STRIATUS.

* Dianthus - Pinks *

Few flowers can equal Dianthus in variety and brilliancy of color, blooming all Summer and Fall until prevented by severe frost. They live over Winter, and give satisfaction and pleasure the second season. The plants are of the easiest cultivation, and should be planted in quantities by all. We recommend the list of distinct varieties below as the best ever offered; they grow to 15 inches, and as is well known, cannot be surpassed for edging or bedding.

	<i>Per pkt.</i>
Chinensis (Double Chinese Pink). —Clusters of pretty double flowers; mixed colors. Per oz., 60 cts. . . . \$0 05	
— Alba fl. pl. —Best double white.	10
Imperialis fl. pl. (Double Imperial Pink). —Finest mixed seed; bright and showy colors. Per oz., 85 cts.	5
— Alba fl. pl. —Splendid double white.	5
— Atropurpureus fl. pl. —Darkest purple.	10
— Atrosanguineus fl. pl. —Most intense red.	5
— Carmineus Striatus. —Carmine striped.	10
— Nanus. —Dwarf Imperial Pink; mixed colors.	5
— Compactus fl. pl. —Mixed colors.	5
Heddewigii, Finest Single Mixed. —All colors. Per oz., \$1.	5
— Finest Double Mixed. —All colors. Per oz., \$1	5
— Alba fl. pl. —Distinct double white.	10
— Atrosanguineus. —Double dark red.	5
— Mourning Cloak. —This splendid new variety is the <i>darkest</i> of all <i>Dianthus</i> , the almost black petals each have a margin of pure white, very striking.	10
— Dwarf Snow-Ball. —Very dwarf plants, covered with exquisite snowy-white flowers, very double.	10

	<i>Per pkt.</i>
Crimson Belle. —Very large dark red flower.	\$0 10
Eastern Queen. —Beautifully marbled, maroon.	10
Diadematus, fl. pl. (Double Diadem Pink). —Flowers unusually double and beautifully marked in a hieroglyphic manner; mixed seed. Per oz., 85 cts.	5
Grandiflora Striatus. —Large, double striped flowers.	10
Laciniatus fl. pl. (Double Fringed Pink). —Beautiful class, double, fringed flowers; mixed. Per oz., 85 cts.	5

Splendid Mixed Seed for Bedding.
We have prepared a careful mixture of the above varieties suitable for beds and borders. Per 1/2 oz., 35 cts.; per oz., 60 cts. 5

Collections of Pinks

are offered at the following very low prices: Purchasers can select any 6 varieties for 25 cents, any 12 varieties they desire for 50 cents, or the entire collection, 20 packets in all, for 90 cents. A Customer says: "The six packets of Dianthus sent me for 25 cents, gave us five dollars' worth of pleasure."

GODETIA.

This beautiful class of plants is very popular for bedding and edging; will grow in any soil and flower profusely; 1 ft.



GODETIA LADY SATIN ROSE.

Lady Albemarle. —An extra-large flowering sort, good for bedding; color, splendid rose carmine. Per oz., 50 cts.	10
Godetia Lady Satin Rose. —Considered one of the most beautiful varieties recently introduced; the flowers, produced in remarkable abundance, are of a brilliant deep rose pink, with surface shining like satin; grows easily.	5
Spotted Carpet, or Bijou. —A new dwarf variety, grows 4 to 6 inches high and forms dense bushes, completely covered with snowy white flowers, marked at base of petals bright carmine rose, fine for bedding. Per oz., 75 cts.	10
Fine Mixed Seed. —All colors. Per oz., 25 cts.	5

HIBISCUS.

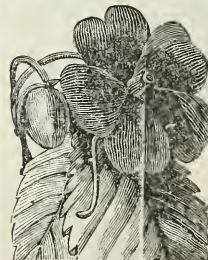
Highly ornamental plants for groups and hedges, fully described on page 53. The Hibiscus we offer are the *Finest Hybrids*, and not the ordinary Mallows usually sold. 10

HELIANTHUS (Sunflower).

New Variegated Leaved (Dwarf Double). —A very distinct variety. Plants of pyramidal growth, leaves blotched and striped; flowers clear, golden yellow, very brilliant. 2 1/2 ft. Per oz., 50 cts.	10
Oscar Wilde. —The Newport Corsage Flower; petals long, and of a bright golden yellow, centre of flower black and quite small, blooms profusely all Summer. Per oz., 30 cts.	5
Globosa Fistulosus. —Very large and double.	5
Mammoth Russian. —Of enormous size. Single flowers, 18 to 20 inches in diameter. The best variety that can be grown for seed. Price, post-paid, per lb., 50 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.	5

ICE PLANT (Mesembryanthemum).
Dwarf-growing plants of great beauty, valuable for covering rock work, vases, etc.
Mesembryanthemum Crystallinum 10

IMPATIENS SUL-TANI.



IMPATIENS SULTANA.

I. Sultana.—A new plant introduced from South Africa; easily grown and blooms profusely. The flowers are brilliant, rose scarlet, and are produced singly from the axils of the leaves, making the branches particularly valuable for decorative purposes. 15



MIGNONETTE MACHET.



SWEET MIGNONETTE (RESEDA ODORATA).

MIGNONETTE.

Our Superb Strains.—It is unnecessary for us to praise this popular flower; everybody is familiar with its well-known sweetness and graceful sprays of bloom. By sowing the seeds at different times a succession of flowers can be had. We would strongly recommend our mixture for general sowing; it is unequalled.

- Pure Machet (see cut).—We now offer the seed of this popular variety, **absolutely pure**—heretofore it has been badly mixed. After careful tests, we consider this by far the best variety for pot culture. Be sure you get your Machet from us. Per ½ oz., 40 cts. \$0 10
- Giant White Spiral.**—Many of our customers have good success with this *Mignonette species*. Grows two or three feet high, perfectly erect, spikes fifteen inches long. Color, pure snow white, much unlike anything else in cultivation, attracts attention of everybody. Seed can be sown in open ground in April or May, where it will germinate very quickly and grow rapidly, and commence blooming early in June. 10
- Sweet Mignonette (Reseda Odorata).**—The good, old-fashioned sweet Mignonette; it is the flower for the million. Per oz., 20 cts. 5
- New Giant Pyramidal.**—The plants of pyramidal shape attain a large size. Large reddish-tinged flowers. Per oz., 40 cts.; ½ oz., 25 cts. 5

- Parsons White.**—A very desirable white Mignonette. Very sweet, one of the best whites. \$0 05
 - Crimson Queen.**—A beautiful color, contrasting finely with other sorts. Per oz., 75 cts. 10
 - Golden Queen.**—This new variety has given great satisfaction; it blooms so abundantly, a bed of it appears a mass of golden yellow. Per oz., 75 cts. 10
 - Grandiflora Ameliorata.**—Flowers, reddish color; very sweet. Per oz., 25 cts. 5
 - Reseda Crystalline.**—A very odd and interesting variety; bears long, drooping spikes of miniature yellow flowers, with large seed cells sparkling as if they were crystallized. 10
 - New Hybrid Spiral.**—Entirely distinct; a strong grower; blooms profusely; spikes of flowers 8 to 11 inches long; exquisite fragrance. Per oz., 75 cts. 10
 - Fine Mixed Seed for General Sowing.**—Mignonette can be sown at any time. For a succession of bloom, we recommend our Standard Mixture, Warranted Fresh Seed. Per oz., 50 cts.
- The set of 10 Mignonettes above for 50 cts.*



LOBELIA ERINUS COMPACTA ALBA.

- Very dwarf plants, growing 4 to 6 inches high. They are of easy culture, and especially adapted for edging, vases and hanging baskets. Lobelias can be grown so readily from seed that it is entirely unnecessary to purchase plants.
- Lobelia Crystal Palace Compacta.**—Lovely blue; fine for bedding. 10
- Graciles.**—Blue; trailing habit. 5
- Cardinalis.**—Grows about 3 feet. Flowers of most intense vermilion scarlet. 10
- Erinus Compacta Alba.**—Pure white. 10
- Erinus Paxtonia.**— 10
- Four O'Clocks New Dwarf White.**—All colors. Oz., 75 cts. 5

- MARVEL OF PERU (Four O'Clocks).**
- Four O'Clocks New Dwarf White.**—Very handsome, 10 in. high, completely covered with flowers. 10
- New Hybrids.**—All colors; splendid sorts, 18 in. 10
- Longiflora.**—Long flowers, pure white. 5
- Variiegated.**—Gold-striped leaves, all colored flowers, mixed. 5



MARIGOLD ELDERADO.

- as a show Dahlia. The colors range from light primrose to deep glowing orange. 10
- Marigold, New French Gold Striped.**—Rich maroon striped with golden yellow. 10
- African Varieties.**—Finest mixed colors. 5
- French Double Varieties.**—Finest mixed. 5

- MIMULUS (Monkey Flowers).**
 - Moschatum (Musk Plant).**—It emits a strong musk scent. 10
 - Grandiflorus.**—A most beautiful variety; extra-large flowers, tigered and spotted. 15
- The two Mimulus described above for 20 cts.*

Of spreading habit, flowers pure white, banded blue. Finest Erinus Varieties Mixed. 5

Set of 6 Lobelias for 40 cts.

Set of 4 Marigolds for 20 cts.



NASTURTIIUM MIXED COLORS.



NASTURTIIUM CLOTH OF GOLD.

Nasturtium.

The improved or dwarf Tom Thumb varieties offered below are unrivaled in gorgeous color and graceful effect; they can be planted in the poorest soil, and will bloom profusely until after frost. A bed of Tom Thumb varieties is a splendid sight; for the finest effect, we recommend sowing each separate circle or row with a different color, or variety. We have, however, seen beautiful beds and borders planted entirely with mixed seed. We offer the seed in quantity very cheap. For tall-growing sorts, see *Tropaeolum*, described on page 99. They grow 6 to 10 ft., and make very ornamental vines. We offer this season for the first time, some beautiful Tom Thumb varieties; they are described on page 83.

	<i>Per pkt.</i>
Tom Thumb Beauty. —Orange and scarlet. Per oz., 25 cts.	20 05
Cœruleum Roseum. —Beautiful peach color. Per oz., 25 cts.	5
Crystal Palace Gem. —Sulphur-spotted maroon. Per oz., 25 cts.	5
Pearl. —The best white sort. Per oz., 30 cts.	5
Rose. —A most delicate color. A very beautiful variety. Per oz., 30 cts.	5
King of Tom Thumb. —Intense scarlet flowers, magnificent for bedding and vases. Per oz., 25 cts.	5
Spotted King. —Flowers a rich orange color, spotted maroon. Per oz., 25 cts.	5
Golden King. —One of the best yellows. Per oz., 25 cts.	5
Ruby King. —Flowers a rich ruby color, foliage dark. Per oz., 25 cts.	5
King Theodore. —Deep rich, crimson flowers. Per oz., 25 cts.	5

	<i>Per pkt.</i>
Empress of India. —This new dwarf Tom Thumb Nasturtium was awarded a first-class certificate by the Royal Horticultural Society of London. Its profusion of bloom and dazzling richness of color is remarkable. The plants are of dwarf bushy habit, the leaves being a very dark purple, making a fitting background for the brilliant crimson flowers. Per oz., 60 cts.	\$0 10
Cloth of Gold (see cut).—A valuable new variety. Very scarce. The foliage is of bright golden yellow, which, with the intense scarlet flowers borne in great profusion, makes an unusually attractive display.	15
Tom Thumb Varieties Mixed (see cut).—We consider this one of the best mixtures for color and variety. Price, post-paid, per lb., \$2.00; oz., 20 cts.	5

The complete set of Dwarf Nasturtiums described above, 13 in all, for 50 cts.

MIMOSA (Sensitive Plant).

A great natural curiosity. Should be in every collection; can be readily grown from seed. We offer the true variety. 10

MYOSOTIS (Forget-me-not).

The romance and popularity of this charming class of plants are well known. They succeed best in moist, shady situations. The seed may be sown in hot-beds or boxes, and transplanted, or in the open ground in early Spring. We recommend new variety, E. Fonrobert, as particularly fine.



ELIZA FONROBERT.

great abundance	10
Semperflorens. —Fine blue, very dwarf	10
Eliza Fonrobert. —The flowers of this new variety are much larger than those of any other Alpine Forget-me-not; color, beautiful sky blue, with clear yellow eye, altogether unsurpassed.	10

The set of 3 Forget-me-nots for 25 cts.

OXALIS.

Very attractive and beautiful plants. We offer one variety, *Tropaeoides*, which we strongly recommend for edging or borders; it grows 3 to 4 inches high, with beautiful brown leaves, and bright yellow flowers. It can be used successfully in every flower garden. ¼ oz., 30 cts.; ½ oz., 50 cts.; oz., \$1.00. 10



NICOTIANA AFFINIS.

potted, they will bloom freely all Winter in the house; 2 ft. 10

Nicotiana Affinis.—A new ornamental variety, of the Tobacco family, very distinct. It produces splendid, pure white, Bouvardia-like flowers, on long terminal tubes. When its large flowers are fully expanded in the evening and early morning it has a most striking effect, and is so fragrant that a small bed will perfume the whole surrounding atmosphere. If the plants are taken up in the Fall, cut back and

PERILLA.

Perilla Nankinensis.—This variety is the best of all Perillas and very valuable for bedding purposes, also for general effect as an ornamental plant, from its beautiful metallic, bronzy purple foliage. It can be raised from seed sown in the ground where plants are to grow. A very beautiful bed can be arranged by a centre of Perilla, surrounded by Tom Thumb Nasturtiums, with edging of Lobelias. Per ½ oz., 20 cts. 10



PANSY, LORD BEACONSFIELD.



PANSY, TRIMARDEAU.



PANSY, G. O. CASSIERS.



PANSY, SNOW QUEEN.

❖ PANSIES ❖

The Pansy is deservedly the most popular flower of the times. The plants bloom in great profusion from early Summer until after frost, and the truly royal colors are a constant surprise and delight. We devote special attention to the selection of Pansy seed, and the stock of every variety we offer is the best that can be had regardless of expense. Our celebrated strain of Imperial German Pansy still holds its own, a splendid collection of which will be found on page 82. Below we offer the good old standard kinds you all know; they cannot fail to give satisfaction. Pansies may be sown in the open ground or hot-bed as desired; the seed may be sown from early Spring until July for Summer and Fall blooming plants, also in August and September for blooming early the next Spring. Our extra-sized packets have full cultural directions printed on each.

	<i>Per pkt.</i>	<i>Per pkt.</i>
Lord Beaconsfield (see cut).—The true Lord Beaconsfield. Large flowers, deep, pure violet.	10	\$1.00
Pansy, Giant Trimardeau (see cut).—The plant is of vigorous and compact growth; the flowers well borne up, and each one marked with three large spots; they are of beautiful form, splendid color and immense size; one of the finest strains ever offered.	20	\$2.00
Pansy, Giant Odier, "Cassiers" (see cut).—Magnificent large flowers from 3 to 4 inches in diameter; they are surpassingly beautiful, not excelled by any in fine form, large size, rich coloring and endless variety.	20	\$2.00
Snow Queen (see cut).—Flowers of exquisite beauty; pure satiny white. Per ¼ oz., \$1.	10	\$1.00
Improved Superb Normandie .—A distinct and beautiful class of Pansies, blotched and marked in a remarkably beautiful manner, and are borne in great profusion. Finest mixed seed.	10	\$1.00
Black Prince .—Flowers are considerably larger than King of the Blacks and of much greater substance. The color, which is a rich glossy black, has a peculiar soft velvety appearance, a new effect in Pansies. The plants are of dwarf compact habit and flower profusely. Very desirable for bedding.	20	\$2.00
King of Blacks .—Flowers intensely dark. Per ¼ oz., \$1.00.	10	\$1.00
Pure Yellow .—A striking variety.	10	\$1.00
Silver Edge .—Dark purple, silver edge.	10	\$1.00
Older or Blotched .—Superb, large-eyed flowers.	15	\$1.50
Quadricolor .—Upper petals sky blue, edged with violet; lower petals purple, sometimes on white, sometimes on yellow, marbled and spotted brilliantly.	15	\$1.50
Prince Bismarck .—A remarkably beautiful variety, striking shades of bronze and golden-bronze marbled.	15	\$1.50
Dark Purple .—A distinct, rich color; suitable for ribbon lines. Per ¼ oz., 60 cts.	10	\$1.00
Light Blue .—A lovely color; good for edging.	10	\$1.00
Striped and Mottled Varieties Mixed .—A splendid assortment of colors, suitable for bedding. Per ¼ oz., 60 cts.	15	\$1.50
Extra Choice Largest Flowering Mixed .—All colors. Per ¼ oz., \$1.50; ½ oz., \$2.50.	10	\$1.00
Fine Mixed, Good Quality .—This is a very good mixture for general planting, market purposes, etc. Per ¼ oz., 60 cts.; ½ oz., \$1; 1 oz., \$2.	5	\$0.50
<i>Complete set of 18 varieties offered above for \$1.25.</i>		

PETUNIAS.

Petunias are particularly adapted for massing or bedding. They can be planted anywhere; are of the easiest culture and come into flower quickly, remaining in bloom all Summer and Autumn. Our Grand New Strain described on p. 84.



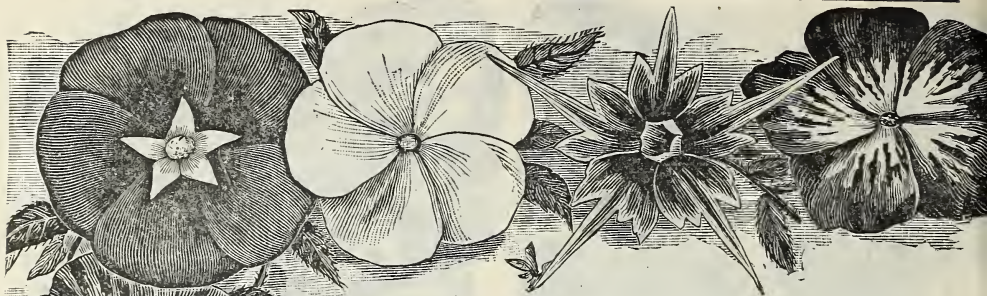
PETUNIA HYBRIDA SUPERFINE.

Petunia Hybrida Superfine.—This is a special saving of Hybrid Petunias, and cannot be surpassed; a bed of it in bloom is a magnificent sight. The flowers are of large size and wonderful beauty, embracing a superb collection of all colors known to Petunias, including blotched and striped. It is the very best selection of Petunias for bedding or massing. Per ½ oz. 75c. \$1.00
New Dwarf Inimitable Nana Compacta.—Compact

	<i>Per pkt.</i>
plants, 5 to 8 inches high, and about as much in diameter thickly covered with beautifully striped and colored flowers, very effective for massing in beds, good for pot culture. Per ½ oz., 50c.	10
Red Star .—This fine variety is the most regularly striped Petunia in cultivation. It is very desirable for bedding, the plants being of compact, bushy habit, blooming profusely. Each flower has a distinct white star on rich purplish red ground.	10
Fine Varieties Mixed Seed .—Imported. Per oz., 60cts.	5
<i>Set of 4 Petunias named above for 25 cts.</i>	

PETUNIA GRANDIFLORA VARIETIES.

Large-flowering striped mixed , very fine strain, with extra-large and perfect flowers.	20
Large-flowering brilliant rose , new, large flowers of great beauty.	20
Large-flowering pure white , very fine variety, with beautiful, large, pure white flowers.	20
Large-flowering fringed and stained , fringed varieties in splendid mixture.	25
Large-flowering double , very carefully fecundated; will produce a fair proportion of double flowers.	25
Large-flowering double fringed ; this seed will produce from 25 to 30 per cent of plants with charming double-fringed flowers.	50
<i>Set of 6 Grandiflora Petunias named above for \$1.25.</i>	



* Phlox Drummondii *

For a splendid mass of color and constant display, Phlox is unrivaled; the profusion of bloom is remarkable, and a ribbon bed of it is a dazzling sight; it grows with little trouble, but likes rather rich ground. Seed can be sown where plants are to grow, or transplanted; have plants about 10 inches apart. As it comes true from seed a showy and attractive bed can be had at slight expense; in fact we know of nothing where one can get as much display and beauty for as little trouble and money. **We wish to call particular attention to our Grandiflora varieties of Phlox; also our Superb Rosemont Mixture of the same, which is made up of 26 different colors. The illustrations of single florets on this page will give some idea of the remarkable colors, markings, and size of this grand strain. Only 10 cts. per pkt., 3 pkts. for 25 cts.**

PHLOX DRUMMONDI.

Phlox Drummondii Alba.—Pure white, a beautiful variety.	Per pkt. \$0 05
Black Warrior.—Magnificent dark red flowers, very distinct and handsome.	5
Leopoldii.—Bright rose color, white eye, an old well-known sort.	5
Isabella.—Entirely distinct, yellow flowers; seed very scarce.	10
Coccinea.—Splendid fiery scarlet, fine for ribbon lines.	5
Blue.—A true color, can be used effectively in ribbon lines.	5
Atropurpurea Striata.—Purplish red, beautifully striped.	5
Radowitzii.—Beautiful rosy purple, white eye, well known.	5
Alba Oculata.—Pure white, with purple eye, in fine contrast with Radowitzii.	5
Victoria Regina.—Dazzling scarlet.	5
Blood Red.—A good sort for beds.	5
Splendid Mixed.—All the above beautiful kinds included; unsurpassed for beds and borders. Per 1/4 oz., 50 cts.; per oz., 75 cts.	5
Price in Quantity.—Any of the above varieties per 1/4 oz., 35 cts.; per 1/2 oz., 65 cts.; per oz., \$1.25.	

PHLOX DRUMMONDI—Grandiflora Varieties.

The flowers of this section are much larger than the other sorts. We recommend the following varieties as among the most beautiful and reliable:

Phlox Fimbriata Rosea Striata.—Beautiful striped rose color, fimbriated petals.	10
Splendens.—Vivid crimson, with white eye.	10
Stellata Splendens.—The color is the richest shade of crimson imaginable, each floret distinctly marked with a white cross; it is covered with bloom for months, and is in every way of unusual merit. Per 1/4 oz., 75 cts.; per 1/2 oz., \$1.50; per oz., \$3.	10
Alba.—Pure white, large flowers.	10
Coccinea.—Deep crimson; very showy.	10
Carminea Alba Oculata.—New rose carmine, with pure white eye.	10
Half Dwarf Varieties Mixed.—A desirable mixture for plants of medium height. Can be used for borders, with good effect. 3/4 ft.	10

PHLOX GRANDIFLORA ROSEMONT MIXED.

See illustration of eight single florets, showing some of the most distinct shades and markings; the mixture is made up of twenty-six different colors; should be planted largely. Per 1/2 oz., 50 cts.; per oz., \$1. 10

POPPIES.

Poppies are perfectly hardy. Seed should be sown where the plants are to grow. The flowers are large and brilliantly colored, always making a showy display. 2 ft.

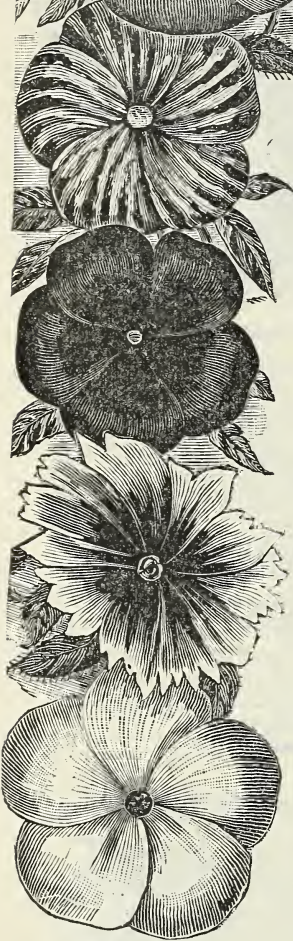
Poppay Carnation—Double Dwarf Mixed.—Splendid large double flowers.	10
Danebrog.—Each of the four petals has a white spot, forming a distinct white cross on a brilliant scarlet ground, resembling the Danish national flag.	10
Oriental.—A handsome perennial variety; bright scarlet.	10
Carnation Double or Paony Flowered.—Handsome double flowers.	5
Snowdrift (see cut).—Beautiful heads of snowy-white flowers; one of the best.	10
Shirley Poppies.—A superb new strain, see p. 81.	15
Red Bird Poppy.—New, see p. 86.	10
Fairy Blush Poppy.—A splendid new variety, delicate blush color.	15

The set of 8 Poppies named above, 60 cts.

SALPIGLOSSIS (Velvet Flower).

Flowers resembling the Petunia in shape and size, but singularly marked and beautifully penciled. Of the easiest culture and much beauty, they deserve a place in every garden.

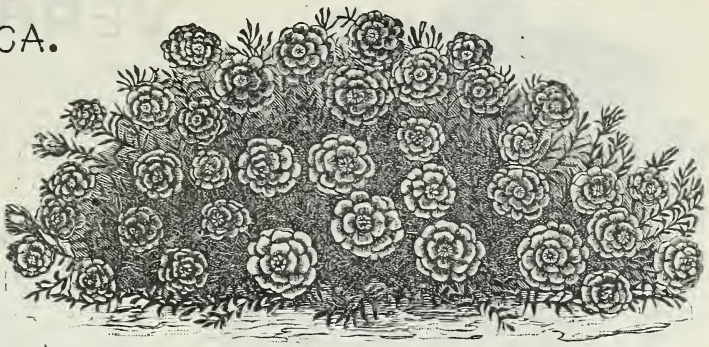
Mixed.—Of a great variety of rich colors.	5
Grandiflora Mixed.—This superb strain is described on page 89.	10



POPPY—SNOWDRIFT.

PORTULACA.

This is the salamander amongst flowers; it can stand any amount of heat or drought, and will flourish anywhere; the plants grow about a foot high, are of a trailing or spreading habit, and are covered all season with a profusion of beautiful flowers of every color one could desire. The seed can be sown early in open ground, and plants transplanted even if they have commenced to bloom. In fact, you can do almost as you like with this accommodating annual. The Portulacas of to-day are a great improvement on the old kinds, and we consider our stock the very best. We strongly recommend our **Double Rose Flowered** and **Alba Oculata**; they are far ahead of any Portulacas ever offered.



PORTULACA GRANDIFLORA ROSE FLOWERED MIXED.

- Portulaca Alba.**—Pure white, beautiful. \$0 05
 - Alba Striata.**—White flowers, beautifully striped. 5
 - Crimson King.**—Fine intense crimson 5
 - Alba Oculata.**—The best pure white in existence. 5
 - Rosy Purple.**—A striking color 5
 - Deep Yellow.**—A splendid showy yellow. 5
 - The Above Varieties Mixed.**—A fine selection of seed for general planting. Per ½ oz., 30 cts., oz., 50 cts. 5
 - Grandiflora Double White.**—Large white double flowers 15
 - Grandiflora Double Orange.**—The best double yellow variety 15
 - Grandiflora Double Purple.**—A magnificent variety. 15
 - Grandiflora Rose Flowered Mixed Seed** (see cut).—Celebrated for wonderful brilliancy of color and great beauty, and perfect shape of flowers, which resemble lovely Roses. Our mixture of seed has been made with care, and combines all brilliant colors, as well as striped flowers. Per ¼ oz., \$2.50; per ½ oz., \$4. 10
- Set of 11 Portulacas, 60 cts.*

SEDUM.

- One of the stone crops, and very good for rock or rustic work, stone walls and ornamental grounds.
- Sedum Cæruleum.**—Pretty blue 10

RICINUS (Castor-Oil Bean).

Picturesque and handsome foliage plants, that speedily attain gigantic proportions, equally fine for ornamental clumps or single specimens in the lawn or garden.

- Ricinus Gibsonia Mirabilis.**—A variety of singular and striking beauty, either singly or in groups; the large and graceful leaves are of clear bronze color, with carmine veins, intense crimson fruit produced in large clusters. 5 ft. \$0 10
- Borboniensis Gigantea.**—A truly noble and magnificent variety, growing 15 feet high, dark green leaves. 5

SALVIA (Flowering Sage).

SEE SPECIALTIES, PAGE 86. We offer the finest selection of seed ever sent out, from which we guarantee, *Salvias* can be grown as quickly and successfully as from cuttings or plants.

- Splendens (Scarlet Sage).**—Intense scarlet. 15
- Patens.**—Superb blue. 25

SCHIZANTHUS (Butterfly Flower).

Useful half-hardy annuals, 1½ to 2 feet in height, literally covered with curiously spotted and blotched flowers of bright colors.

- Papilionaceus (Butterfly Flower).**—A charming variety, marked with dark violet, yellow, crimson, etc. 5



NEW PERPETUAL LARGE FLOWERING T. W. STOCKS.

Stocks German Ten Weeks.

Stocks are very satisfactory and beautiful for out-door planting, and equally desirable for pot culture. The flowers are noted for their fragrance and splendid range of color. To have a continuous succession of bloom, sow seeds from March to May.

- New Perpetual Large-flowering Stock** (see cut).—The most valuable variety of Large-Flowering Ten-Weeks white stocks ever introduced. The plants are of strong growth and fine habit, certainly a novelty of the first rank. It grows in the open ground to the height of 1½ feet, and if sown early will produce uninterruptedly a great abundance of bloom from May or June until November. The individual flowers are uncommonly large, of a fine rosette-like shape and the purest possible white. The flowers appear on each little shoot, and the oftener they are cut the better they seem to like it; indeed, it is a veritable "Cut and Come Again" 15
 - Red Victoria.**—It is perfectly beautiful in appearance; the lateral branches are regularly arranged around the main stem, becoming shorter as they near the top, making the whole plant a natural-grown bouquet of pyramidal shape. The exquisite double flowers are a deep blood red 15
 - New Ten-Weeks Stock, Globe Pyramidal.**—A magnificent strain of Ten-Weeks stock. It is hard to convey a fair idea of the immense pyramids of perfectly double flowers, the individual blooms often measuring over two inches in diameter. The plants are of neat, compact habit. Altogether, we consider this **New Stock** one of the finest recently introduced. **Finest Mixed Colors.** 20
 - Stocks, Large Flowering Dwarf, Blood-Red.**—The richest, deepest-colored stock grown; 10 in. 10
 - Large Flowering Dwarf, Pure White.**—A lovely variety. 10
 - Large Flowering Dwarf, Finest Mixed.**—All colors, 1 ft. 10
 - Wall Flowered, Finest Mixed.**—A handsome collection of wall-flowered varieties. 10
 - Intermediate Stocks.**—Valuable on account of flowering late in Fall, also as pot-plants for early Spring; finest mixed varieties. 10
 - New Giant Perfection.**—Plants attain a height of 2½ feet, producing large spikes of perfectly double flowers; mixed colors. 10
 - German Ten-Weeks Mixed.**—A mixture of nine varieties, growing 1½ ft. 10
- The Set of 10 German Ten-Weeks Stocks, named above, for 85 cts.*



VERBENA—SCARLET DEFIANCE.

VERBENAS.

If there is anything that can be called the flower for the million, it is the Verbena. Good healthy plants can now be produced from seed with such little expense as to make it **entirely unnecessary to buy plants or cuttings.** Another fact, not generally known, is that all Verbenas, raised from seed, are fragrant, especially the light-colored varieties. We take great pride in our stock of Verbenas, and recommend it as the finest in this country. Sow the seed early in boxes or hot-beds, and plant out when 3 or 4 inches high. They bloom from July until frost, and are very beautiful.

Verbena Hybrida Superfine Mixed.—This unrivaled strain of seed is fully described on page 85. Great care was taken to select seed from the largest flowers and to have the proper proportion of all colors in the mixture. We consider this strain of Verbenas unrivaled. Per pkt., 20c.; 3 pkts. for 50c.; per 1/4 oz., \$1.25; 1/2 oz., \$2; oz., \$4.

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| Scarlet Defiance (see cut).—Brilliant scarlet. This is the best deep-colored variety grown. | Per pkt | \$0 20 |
| Candissima.—Beautiful, pure white. The fine trusses of flowers are very sweet. | | 20 |
| Auricula Flowered, Varieties Mixed.—All colors. A distinct class. | | 20 |
| Italian Striped.—Very showy, striped of many bright colors; fine for edging. Per 1/4 oz., 75c. | | 25 |
| Golden Leaved.—Clear yellow-colored leaves, flowers bright scarlet. | | 25 |
| Hybrida Mixed.—Good imported seed, mixed colors. Per 1/4 oz., 40c.; 1/2 oz., 75c.; oz., \$1.25. | | 10 |

New Giant Verbenas.

Where the best Verbenas for bedding and general planting are wanted, we always recommend our **Superfine Verbena**, described on page 85, but where a small number of the very finest and newest colors are desired nothing can equal our **New Giant Type**, the seed of which is saved each season from the largest flowers of the Latest Novelty in named varieties. One can thus have the very finest new varieties and colors at a trifling cost compared with purchasing plants. The seed of our Giant Verbena is put up, a careful mixture of all colors, 100 seeds to the packet. Price, per pkt., 40 cts.; 2 pkts. for 75 cts.

NEW GIANT ZINNIAS.

This is by far the largest Zinnia in cultivation, making splendid well-balanced bushes, with luxuriant foliage, 3 to 4 feet in height, 2 to 3 feet in diameter; the flowers are borne in great profusion and are of immense size, frequently 5 to 7 inches across, and perfectly double; the petals being of great consistency, they are not affected by heat, remaining in good condition for weeks; the colors are clear and vivid and of many striking shades. The magnificent, robust habit, and quick growth of this grand new Zinnia make it particularly adapted for planting singly or in groups. We have an extra fine stock of seed and make the price as low as possible; it grows easily from seed sown in the open ground where plants are to grow, and at least one packet should be included in every order. Per pkt., 10 cts.; 3 pkts., 25 cts.



NEW GIANT ZINNIAS (HALF NATURAL SIZE). PER PKT., 10 CTS.

ZINNIAS

The Zinnia has been so much improved, it would hardly be recognized as the Zinnia of ten years ago. The flowers are large, finely formed, and as double as Dahlias; the colors are bright, showy and attractive. We offer the best selected home-grown American seed, which is far superior to the imported seed usually sold.

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| Zinnia, Best Double Mixed. —A special collection of splendid colors; the flowers are perfectly double and beautifully formed. 3 pkts. for 25c.; per oz., 50c. \$0 10 | Per pkt. | |
| Elegans Pumila, Double Scarlet. —Splendid. | | 10 |
| Elegans Pumila, Double White. —Very pretty. | | 10 |
| Elegans Pumila, Double Mixed. —All colors. | | 10 |
| Extra Yellow. —Handsome yellow flowers, fine form. | | 10 |
| Hageana, fl. pl. —Flowers of deep orange color; good for drying. | | 10 |
| New Pompone Varieties, Mixed. —The flowers are about half the usual size, very double, and of the most beautiful form and vivid colors; they bloom profusely, and are a valuable novelty. 3 pkts. for 25c. \$0 10 | Per pkt. | |
| Double Lilliput. —See Novelties, p. 83. This beautiful race of Zinnias is different from Tom Thumb. | | 10 |
| Fine Double Mixed. —A good selection of varieties for general planting, all colors. Per oz., 30c. | | 5 |
- The set of 10 Zinnias named above for 75 cents.*

ORNAMENTAL CLIMBING VINES.

The following list embraces the most popular and satisfactory Climbing Vines that can easily be grown from seed in One Season. The little care it takes to grow them successfully will be amply repaid, for there are few objects more attractive and pleasing than vines twining and climbing in their own native and graceful beauty. The strong-growing varieties will in a short time cover arbors, buildings and fences, and the tender sorts be found most desirable for pots, boxes and hanging baskets. The Moon Flower from seeds makes thick, handsome vines in a short time.

COBÆA SCANDENS. Per pkt.

A most graceful climber; the foliage and large bell-shaped violet-colored flowers are very striking.

Cobæa scandens \$0 10

CONVOLVULUS (Morning Glory).



This is one of the best-known popular vines we possess. They grow very rapidly and produce handsome flowers in great quantity.

Convulvulus Major.—A splendid mixture, embracing a great variety of colors and markings; 10 to 15 feet. Per oz., 20c. 5

Minor.—Fine for edging; crimson and violet; beautiful; 1 foot. Per oz., 20c. 5

Mauritanicus.—Beautiful blue flowers; fine for hanging baskets and vases. Droops in graceful

CONVOLVULUS MAJOR, MIXED.

fashion. Per oz., 20c. 10

IPOMÆA (Mexican Vine).



Rapid-growing, tender annuals, with ornamental foliage and beautiful, varied-colored flowers. Valuable climbers for the garden and very useful for house culture.

Bona Nox, Good-night or Evening Glory. 5

Coccinea, Star Ipomœa.—Small-scarlet flowers 10

Hederæa, Grandiflora, Superba.—Rich sky-blue flowers, with white margin. 10

Grandiflora Striped-leaved, Mixed.—Beautiful flowers; leaves green, marbled with silvery

IPOMÆA GRANDIFLORA STRIPED

white, very distinct and handsome. 5

Choice Mixed.—A large variety. Per oz., 20 cts. 5

The Moon-Flower.—A most charming variety. See illustration and description, page 115. 10

The Moon-Flower Cross-bred (see page 85). 10

HUMULUS JAPONICA.



This New Annual Hop, brought from Japan, is a very ornamental and extremely rapid-growing vine. The foliage is a bright green, fancy in appearance. The most valuable characteristic of this new plant is that the seed can be sown in open ground, the plants attaining a very large size in a short time; seed rather slow in germinating, but is of the best vitality. 10

HUMULUS JAPONICA.

CYPRESS VINE. Per pkt.

The delicate fern-like foliage and beautiful flowers of this vine are strikingly beautiful.

Cypress Vine, Scarlet and White.—Mixed \$0 10
Scarlet Ivy-Leaved.—Ivy-like leaves and fiery scarlet flowers in great profusion. 10

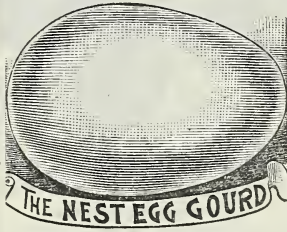
MAURANDIA.

Good old-fashioned flowers, much esteemed and valuable for hanging baskets and vases. The habit of plants is graceful and slender, presenting an elegant appearance.

Maurandia-Barclayana.—Rich violet. 10
Purpurea.—The finest purple. 10
Finest Varieties Mixed.—All colors 10

Set of 3 Maurandias for 25 cts.

ORNAMENTAL GOURDS.



Gourd Mock Orange.—A well-known variety. 10

Bottle Gourd.—Shaped like a bottle. 10

Hercules' Club.—Long, club-shaped; very curious, 4 feet long. 10

Dish-Cloth.—A useful variety; the seed membrane can be used as a cloth. 10

Yellow and Green.—Beautifully marked yellow and green. 10

Gooseberry.—Small bright green. 10

Nest Egg (see cut).—Very useful as nesting eggs for hens' nests. We have the purest and best-selected stock of Nest-Egg Gourd in existence. 10

Apple.—Small handsome fruits. 10

Splendid Mixed.—All varieties. Per oz., 50 cts. 5

Set of 9 Gourds named above for 75 cts.

THUNBERGIA.

A very elegant class of slender-growing climbers, especially adapted for covering wire trellises, hanging baskets, etc., in the house. They succeed well cut doors, in sheltered situations. The vines grow 4 feet in height.

Thunbergia Bakerii.—Pure white. 5

Alata.—Pretty buff, with white eye. 5

Alba.—Pure white, with dark eye. 5

Sulphurea.—A striking shade of yellow. 10

Finest Varieties Mixed.—All colors 10

TROPÆOLUM.



Tropæolum, or climbing Nasturtium, are among our very best and cleanest climbers; they require little care and flourish in almost any soil. The Lobbianum varieties are desirable for house culture, hanging-baskets, vases, etc.

Tropæolum Lobbianum.—Splendid varieties, mixed, all colors, 6 ft. 10

Cardinal.—New and very striking; brilliant flowers of dark cardinal red. 15

TROPÆOLUM LOBBIANUM MIXED.

Giant of Battles.—Showy sulphur, spotted red. A very distinct sort 10

King of the Blacks.—Very dark brownish red. 10

Lucifer.—Splendid dark scarlet color, foliage rich bronze green; full of flowers until frost. 10

Peregrinum.—The canary bird flower. 10

Majus Finest Mixed Tall Nasturtium.—A good assortment of the best colors. The succulent seed pods are excellent for pickling. Per lb., \$2; oz., 20 cts. 10

The set of 7 varieties described above for 50 cts.

SWEET PEAS.



Sweet Peas have rapidly grown to be one of the most popular and generally used flowers. This is not surprising, as they are desirable for a variety of purposes, such as growing on fences, trellises 4 to 6 ft., and with support make showy hedges. The flowers are fine for cutting, keeping fresh a long time; the perfume is most delicious vanilla and cherry blossom in combination; if flowers are not permitted to go to seed, plants will be covered with bloom all Summer. The many excellencies of the Sweet

Pea make it valuable for growing to sell the flowers, which are always in demand at a profit. We give prices below in ounces and pounds for those who buy in quantity.

- SWEET PEA, LIGHT BLUE AND PURPLE.** Per pkt.
- Scarlet Striped.**—One of the most distinct striped varieties. Per lb., \$1.25; oz., 15 cts. \$0 05
 - Sweet Pea, Black.**—Very dark purple. Per lb., \$1.25; oz., 15 cts. 5
 - Crown Princess of Prussia.**—A very large fine variety, color bright blush. Per lb., \$1.50; oz., 20 cts. 5
 - Princess Beatrice.**—Beautiful clear rose color. Per lb., \$1.50; oz., 20 cts. 5
 - Light Blue and Purple.**—Very distinct. Per lb., \$1.25; oz., 15 cts. 5
 - Purple Striped.**—A striking variety. Per lb., \$1; oz., 15 cts. 5

- Per pkt.
- Sweet Pea, Scarlet Invincible.**—Bright scarlet flowers, very fragrant, one of the best. Per lb., \$1.25; oz., 20 cts. \$0 05
 - Butterfly.**—Pure white, laced with lavender blue. Per lb., \$1.25; oz., 20 cts. 5
 - Painted Lady.**—Charming rose and white. Per lb., \$1; oz., 15 cts. 5
 - Blue Edge.**—White and pink edged; one of the best for cutting. Per lb., \$1.25; oz., 20 cts. 5
 - Pure White.**—Entirely distinct. Per lb., \$1; oz., 15 cts. 5
 - All Colors Mixed.**—For general planting we think this selection of seed unsurpassed. It will undoubtedly give the best satisfaction. Per oz., 10 cts.; 1 lb. for \$1; 5 lbs. for \$4. 5
- The set of 12 Sweet Peas named above for 45 cts.

A Splendid Offer.—We will send one ounce of each of the twelve varieties of Sweet Peas described above, twelve ounces in all, for \$1.50, post-paid.

For Novelties and Specialties in Sweet Peas, see page 87.



Everlastings are very pretty for growing in the flower-beds, and are valuable for drying for Winter decoration. They should be cut as soon as they come into bloom, and hung up in small bunches to dry. All the varieties we offer are of the easiest cultivation, and we strongly recommend our friends and customers to include some packets in their orders.

- Per pkt.
- Acrolinum.**—One of the most beautiful of the Everlastings, grows about 18 inches, and bears a great number of daisy-like flowers. Mixed colors. \$0 05
 - Ammobium.**—Small, pretty little white flowers, very distinct in habit. 18 inches 5
 - Gomphrena.**—Very pretty and distinct, globular-shaped flowers. Best to start seed in a hot-bed. Mixed colors 5
 - Helichrysum.**—Splendid, large and full flowers, of good variety of colors; seeds can be sown in open ground. One of the best of the Everlastings. 5
 - **Monstrosum.**—Double flowers, mixed colors 10
 - **Fire-Ball.**—Splendid fiery red. 10
 - **Dwarf Varieties Mixed.**—All colors 5
 - Helipetrum Sanfordi.**—One of the choicest Everlastings, grows a foot high. Beautiful little yellow flowers 10
 - Waitzia Grandiflora.**—Fine large yellow flowers, borne in clusters, best to start the seeds in hot-beds 25
 - Xeranthemum.**—Very neat, free-blooming plants of compact habit, the leaves are silvery, and flowers borne on long stems. Finest mixed colors. 10

The complete set of 9 Everlastings for 50 cts.

Sweet, Pot and Medicinal Herbs.

A collection of sweet, aromatic and medicinal herbs should be in every garden; their value in the household for flavoring and medicinal purposes is well known. For Winter drying, cut on a dry day, just before the plants come into full blossom; after drying quickly in a shady place, pack securely in air-tight vessels or boxes. We offer all varieties by packet and ounces.

- Full cultural directions on each packet. Per pkt.
- Anise.**—Per oz., 10 cts. \$0 05
 - Balm.**—Per oz., 25 cts. 5
 - Basil, Sweet.**—Per oz., 20 cts. 5
 - Borage.**—Per oz., 15 cts. 5
 - Caraway.**—Per lb., \$1; per oz., 10 cts. 5
 - Catnip.**—Per oz., 60 cts. 5
 - Cardiander.**—Per oz., 10 cts. 5
 - Dandelion.**—Per oz., 25 cts. 5
 - Fennel, Large Sweet.**—Per oz., 10 cts. 5
 - Hoarhound.**—Per oz., 50 cts. 5
 - Hop Seed.**—Per oz., \$1.50 25
 - Hyssop.**—Per oz., 20 cts. 5
 - Lavender.**—Per oz., 20 cts. 5
 - Marjoram, Sweet.**—Per oz., 25 cts. 5
 - Nigella Sativa (Allspices).**—Per oz., 15 cts. 5
 - Rosemary.**—Per oz., 50 cts. 10
 - Rue.**—Per oz., 20 cts. 5
 - Sage.**—Per lb., \$2; per oz., 20 cts. 5
 - Savory, Summer and Winter.**—Per oz., 20 cts. 5
 - Sorrel, French.**—Per oz., 20 cts. 5
 - Thyme, Summer.**—Per oz., 50 cts. 5
 - Thyme, Winter.**—Per oz., 50 cts. 5
 - Wormwood.**—Per oz., 50 cts. 5

The complete collection of 23 Herbs for 90 cts.

FOLIAGE BEETS.

- Scarlet-ribbed Chilian.**—Color, gorgeous crimson bronze, with bright, shining, scarlet ribs. Per oz., 20 cts. 10
 - Yellow-ribbed Chilian.**—In exact and handsome contrast with Scarlet-ribbed. Per oz., 20 cts. 10
 - Dracena-leaved.**—Very beautiful for bordering and exceedingly ornamental. Per oz., 30 cts. 15
- SPECIAL OFFER.**—1 packet each of the 3 varieties for 25 cts.; 1 oz. each of the 3 varieties for 60 cts.

PERENNIALS

In the following list will be found Biennials and Perennials, that do not bloom until the second season. As will be seen, they include many of our oldest and most popular flowers. The seed can be sown in the Spring with the Annuals, or in early Autumn; in the latter case the beds should be shaded and watered until the plants appear.

CARNATIONS AND PICOTEEES.

Magnificent flowers, large, perfect in form, and delightfully fragrant. Seed sown in May or June will bloom splendidly the following season. A succession of young plants should be had every year, as old plants are injured by the Winter, while young ones are perfectly hardy.



- Carnation German Extra, Double Mixed.**—Seeds from named flowers; very choice. \$o 25
- Choice Double Mixed.**—A good selection of fine double varieties. 10
- Picotee, Finest Double Mixed.**—A splendid strain of double varieties; flowers margined with various colors. 20
- Picotee, Finest Fancy Mixed.**—This is the best Italian seed, saved from named varieties; it cannot be surpassed. 35

The set of Carnations and Picotees, 4 varieties, 75 cts.

HOLLYHOCK.

This old garden favorite is easily grown from seed. The plants should have some protection during the Winter.

- Hollyhock, Pure White.**—A splendid variety; flowers pure white and perfectly double. 20
- Midnight.**—A new variety, with black flowers. 25
- Finest Varieties Mixed.**—All colors. 20

Set of 3 varieties of Hollyhocks for 50 cts.

Chater's Superb Double Mixed Hollyhocks.—This fine strain is in great demand by the most critical amateurs. 3 pkts. 50 cts. 20

Imported Collection of Hollyhocks in 6 Separate Sorts, 75 cts.

Imported Collection of Hollyhocks in 12 Separate Sorts, \$1.25.

PHLOX PERENNIAL.

Can be readily grown from seed which is best sown in Fall. Plants grow in splendid clumps, which are gorgeous with brilliant heads of bloom. Entirely hardy.

Finest Varieties, Mixed.—Saved from our own collection, embracing the newest and best kinds. All colors. 15

PEA PERENNIAL.

Perennial Peas being perfectly hardy give much satisfaction; they die down to the ground every Winter and start again in the Spring, growing 10 feet or more in a season.

Perennial Peas.—All varieties mixed. 10

SWEET WILLIAM (Dianthus).

The Sweet William is a very old and popular flower, unsurpassed for border or bedding plants. The seed we offer is of the best double varieties.

- Sweet William Perfection.**—Finest double; mixed, large flowers. 5
- Auricula Flowered.**—Flowers in trusses; colors beautiful. 10

Abridged List of Perennials.

- Alyssum Saxatile Compactum (Gold Dust).** 10
- Double Columbine, Finest Mixed.** 5
- Canterbury Bells, Finest Single Mixed.** 5
- Canterbury Bells, Finest Double Mixed.** 5
- Foxglove Digitalis Alba.**—Pure white. 5
- Foxglove Purpurea.**—Fine purple. 5
- Foxglove, Finest Varieties Mixed.** 5
- Honesty, Lunaria.**—Very desirable. 5
- Larkspur, Formosum.**—Rich blue and white flowers. 5
- Larkspur Mixed Hybrids.**—All colors. 5
- Pyrethrum Golden Feather.**—This variety of Feverfew is much prized for its handsome yellow foliage. 10

FOR GREENHOUSE & CONSERVATORY

Under this head will be found plants that are especially adapted to house culture, and while it requires careful treatment to grow them successfully, it is an interesting study to watch the development of these rare and beautiful varieties. We have selected the strains of seeds offered with greatest care. Full cultural directions on each packet.



CINERARIA HYBRIDA.

- Abrutilon.**—Prize strain finest varieties, mixed. \$o 20
- Agapanthus Umbellata (Lily of the Palace).**—Blue flowers; beautiful; easily grown. 15
- Climbing Asparagus.**—Beautiful, very handsome feathery foliage, with bright scarlet berries, 10 feet. 15
- Begonia Tuberos-rooted.**—Fine mixed hybrids. Single and Double put up in separate packets. 25
- Calceolaria—Shrubby (Rugosa).**—Splendid for bedding; all colors, mixed. 25
- Calceolaria Hybrida—Tigrina Pumila.**—A selection of best dwarf varieties; can be grown without stakes. 50
- Carnation Remontant (Tree Carnation).**—Fine mixed. 25
- Chrysanthemum Indicum.**—Fine mixed. 25
- Cineraria Hybrida (see cut).**—Finest mixed, large flowering varieties. Easily grown from seed. 25



MIXED COLEUS.

- Coleus (see cut).**—Choice sorts, mixed. We offer a fine selection of the best varieties, mixed. Start the seed early in pots or boxes, and you will have Coleus for your flower beds at a small cost. 15
- Cuphea Platycentra.**—Cigar or fire-cracker plant. 20
- Cyclamen Persicum.**—Orchid-like flowers; very fragrant. 25
- Fuchsia.**—Choice varieties, mixed. 25
- Geranium, Apple-Scented.** 25
- Fine Mixed Pelargoniums.**—Rare varieties. 50
- Gloxinia Hybrida.**—Best quality, mixed. 35
- Heliotrope Fine Mixed.**—Makes fine plants. 10
- Lantana.**—Finest mixed. 10
- Linnaria Cymbalaria (Kenilworth Ivy).** 20
- Oxalis Floribunda.**—A free-flowering Oxalis; one of the best for basket or pot plants. 10
- Passiflora Cœrulea.**—The most hardy of the Passion Flowers; deep blue. 15

PRIMULAS (Chinese Primrose).



We offer the best strains of Primula Seed; fine blooming; plants can easily be grown. See page 86 for complete descriptions of our complete set of 10 superb varieties. Price of the set complete, \$5.

SMILAX.

The well-known Boston Smilax, beautiful, graceful foliage. We offer a fine strain of American-grown seeds. Per oz. \$1.50. 10
Special Offer.—The entire collection of greenhouse seeds, including our complete collection of 10 Primulas, 32 varieties in all, for \$5.

THE DINGEE & CONARD CO'S NOVELTIES & SPECIALTIES IN VEGETABLE SEEDS



BURPEE'S SADDLE-BACK WAX BEAN, ACCURATELY ENGRAVED FROM A PHOTOGRAPH OF AN AVERAGE PLANT.

Burpee's Saddle-back Wax Bean.

Absolutely the Finest in Quality of all Dwarf Wax Beans. Fleshy Pods as thick as they are wide and entirely stringless.

This superb New Wax Bean is now offered for the first time, and we unreservedly recommend it to our friends and customers as the most valuable Dwarf Wax Bean now known. This unsurpassed variety originated with Messrs. N. B. Keeney & Sons, Genesee Co., N. Y., the largest growers of Seed-beans in the world, who gave it the name—**Burpee's Saddle-back Wax**. It is a cross between **Yosemite Mammoth Wax** and the **Black-eyed Wax**, and inherits the best qualities of both parents. For a reliable description we cannot do better than quote from a letter written by Messrs. Keeney & Sons, in September last: "The pod is large, long, straight, round and *very full of meat* and is *absolutely stringless*. The growth of the bush is vigorous, the foliage being sufficiently profuse to cover the ground in such a manner as to shade it and keep it moist, hence this variety is not liable to suffer severely, as do many other varieties, in a dry season. It is a very profuse bearer, the plants in ordinary field culture usually bearing from 25 to 40 pods each. * * * * * *When the pods are broken between the Beans there is no open space*—the pods being completely filled with meat, and can be sliced like a cucumber without showing any hollow spaces." This brief description, together with our accurate illustration of an average plant, will plainly show the many valuable points of merit embraced in this **New Dwarf Wax Bean**, which must eventually drive most of the flat-podded sorts out of cultivation. Our stock of seed is direct from the introducer, and is, therefore, absolutely reliable. Per pkg., 25 cts.; 5 pkgs. for \$1; 11 pkgs. for \$2.

New Sunshine Wax Pole Bean.

We now offer this very valuable New Wax Pole Bean for the first time, and believe it will soon become a standard favorite. It is unusually hardy and withstands drought and excessive wet weather better than any other variety of Pole Bean. It is a strong and healthy grower without making rank foliage. The pods are borne in clusters of three and four at every joint of the vine, and are light yellow in color, greatly in excess of the green foliage, thus suggesting the appropriate name—**Sunshine**. Pods perfectly straight, flat when young, meaty, of finest quality and entirely stringless. The dry Beans are a rich brown in color and of fine quality for Winter use. Our seed is direct from the introducer.

Per pkg., 25 cts.; 5 pkgs. for \$1; 11 pkgs. for \$2.

SPECIAL OFFER.—One package each of the New Saddle-back Wax Bush, New Sunshine Wax Pole, and Henderson's Bush Lima Beans for 60 cts.; 2 packages of each, 6 in all, for \$1.10; 3 packages of each, 9 in all, for \$1.50.

HENDERSON'S NEW BUSH LIMA BEAN.



plant five rows, each 50 feet long, which is ample for an ordinary Lima; every order should include this valuable new variety. Price, per pkt., 20 cts.; 3 pkts. for 50 cts.; 6 pkts. for \$1; 1/2 pint, 60 cts.; 1 pint, \$1; 1 quart, \$1.50.

This now famous novelty was offered last season for the first time and met with enormous success, giving complete satisfaction in all quarters of the United States. We give below a description by the introducer:

"Thousands have been deterred from cultivating the most delicious of vegetables—the Lima Bean—from the great trouble and expense of procuring the unsightly poles on which to grow them. This is now a thing of the past, as **The New Bush Lima** grows without the aid of stakes or poles, in compact bush form, from 15 to 18 inches high, and produces enormous crops of delicious Lima Beans, which can be as easily gathered as the common Bush Bean. **The New Bush Lima** is at least two weeks earlier than any of the climbing Limas. This fact alone would stamp it as the most valued novelty of recent years, but when in addition to this we realize that it is a true Bush Bean, requiring no supports, some idea of its great value can be realized."

The New Bush Lima produces a continuous crop from the time it comes into bearing (it is fit for the table in the latitude of New York middle of July) until frost, and being enormously productive, a very small patch will keep a family supplied with this splendid vegetable through the season. The Beans are of the size of the Sieva or Small Lima, and of that delicious quality that has made the Southern Lima so famous. One pint will family. We have a fine stock of the **Genuine Bush** Price, per pkt., 20 cts.; 3 pkts. for 50 cts.; 6 pkts. for \$1;

Gold Nugget Lettuce.

This new variety is a very quick-growing and very hard-heading early Lettuce of the best quality. It is most attractive and distinct in appearance, the color is rich golden yellow, and the flavor exceedingly fine. Per pkt., 15 cts.; per oz., 35 cts.; per 1/4 lb., \$1; per lb., \$3.50.

Gold Nugget Lettuce



CALIFORNIA CREAM BUTTER LETTUCE.

This valuable variety originated in California and is now much appreciated. The heads are of good size, compact, very hard and solid, medium early, and one of the very best Summer varieties now in cultivation. It is a black-seeded variety, light green in color, marked with small brown spots, appearance most refreshing, and quality very rich and buttery to the taste. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 25 cts.; 1/4 lb., 75 cts.; lb., \$2.50.

WHITE PEARL CUCUMBER.

This is undoubtedly the handsomest variety of Cucumber now known. Cucumbers being produced very close to the hill, maturing there early; the vines continue to run and bear freely throughout the season; when ripe, the color is a beautiful pearly white. They are solid, tender and crisp in taste, of splendid quality for slicing; for pickling in bottles the pure white little fruits must prove very attractive, while their solid, crisp flesh leaves nothing to be desired. The vines are very vigorous in growth and *immensely productive*. They are a little earlier than the Improved White Spine, and their distinct, unique character, superior quality and wonderful productiveness cannot fail to make **THE WHITE PEARL CUCUMBER** a popular favorite. Our supply of seed is direct from the introducer. Per pkt., 20 cts.; 3 pkts. for 50 cts.

The habit of growth is entirely distinct, the

Golden Upright Pepper.

This new Pepper is entirely distinct from all other varieties and is undoubtedly the best yellow Pepper. As shown in our illustration, it is remarkable in its habit of growth, the stout, bushy plants producing the fruits *upright* on stiff stems. The fruits are large and handsome, and of a beautiful rich, golden yellow, tinged with bluish red where exposed to the sun. The Peppers are as mild and pleasant to the taste as Ruby King, even the seeds being free from all fiery flavor. Per pkt., 15 cts.; 1/2 oz., 30 cts.; oz., 50 cts.; 1/4 lb., \$1.50; lb., \$4.50.



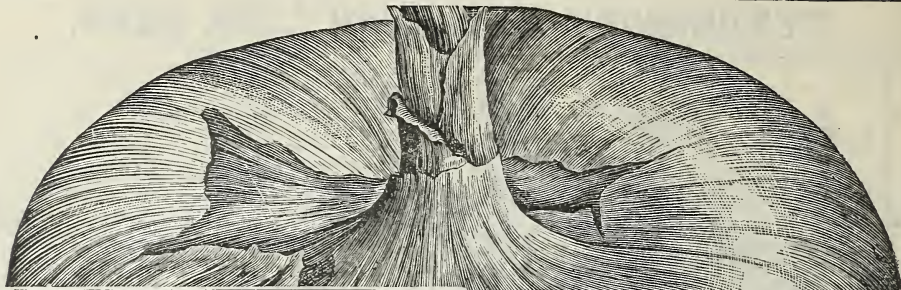
BREADSTONE TURNIP.

This distinct and valuable Turnip is a great acquisition; of medium size; very quick growing; roots smooth and white with pale green top. Flesh perfectly white, fine grained and unusually tender, cooks in fifteen minutes or less. One of the best for Winter and Spring use. This new Turnip cooks so easily and is of such superb quality for the table, it will be welcome in every household. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 1/4 lb., 75 cts.; lb., \$2.50.

GOLDEN UPRIGHT PEPPER.

THE EMERALD GEM MUSK MELON.

This exquisite Cantaloupe cannot be equaled in superb quality by any other variety. It has been carefully tried all over the country in the last four years, and now stands without a rival. The Melons are large, of perfect shape, smooth-ribbed and deep emerald green. The flesh is exceedingly thick, ripening thoroughly to the thin green rind. The color is beautiful suffused rosy salmon, which the crystalline appearance gives a satiny look; the flavor is sweet and luscious beyond description. The vines are hardy, thrifty in growth and very prolific, bearing the Melons near the root; matures very early and ripens uniformly. Our stock of seed is specially selected and thoroughly well ripened; cannot fail to give satisfaction. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 25 cts.; per 1/4 lb., 75 cts.; per lb., \$2.50.



NEW MAMMOTH SILVER KING ONION.

This splendid Italian Onion readily grows to immense size the first season from seed, averaging in weight from 2 to 4 lbs. Its mild even flavor makes it very popular for family use; also one of the best and showiest varieties for market. Color of skin silvery white; flesh snowy white. This superb Onion should be in every order. Per pkt., 10 cts.; 3 pkts., 25 cts.; per oz., 30 cts.; 2 ozs., 50 cts.; per ¼ lb., 75 cts.; lb., \$2.85.

NEW MAMMOTH ONION, RED VICTORIA.

This new race of Onions comes from the Island of Sardinia, and we think is without exception the largest of all Onions. We have seen single specimens grown from seed the past season that weighed over 3 lbs. The Onions are very handsome, a fine oval in shape, with dark-red satiny skin, the white flesh is delicately tinted rose, of mild and sweet flavor, and good keeping quality. The seed we offer is directly from the introducer in this country and is yet very scarce. Per pkt., 15 cts.; 4 pkts. for 50 cts.; 9 pkts. for \$1.

QUANTITY PEA.

This new American Pea produces more pods to the vine, and more shelled Peas to the quantity of pods, than any other variety. Grows about 2½ feet in height, branching thickly right to the ground. The pods are mostly borne in pairs; the vines are most prolific, 70 to 90 pods on a vine being the average, and very few imperfect pods amongst them. Compared with other ever-bearing Peas this new variety, which is appropriately called "Quantity," produces more pods to the vine and the pods are uniformly better filled. It outyields all others. Per pkt., 15 cts.; 4 pkts., 50 cts.; pint, 30 cts.; quart, 55 cts.

QUALITY PEA.

This is a fitting companion for the new "Quantity." Extra early in growth and very prolific, 50 to 60 pods to the vine being the average, pods 3 inches long, containing 6 to 8 peas each. The Peas are of unsurpassed quality, particularly sweet and sugary, retains a fine fresh green color when cooked; also keeps tender and sweet a long time if left on the vines. In Quantity and Quality we do not think these two new Peas can be equaled. We recommend ordering both varieties. Per pkt., 15 cts.; 4 pkts., 50 cts.; pint, 30 cts.; quart, 55 cts.

1 pkt. each of Quantity and Quality, 25 cts.

NEW GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING CELERY.

No variety can surpass, and few equal, the New Golden Self-Blanching in beautiful rich appearance and delicious flavor; habit of growth close and compact, straight, vigorous stalks, as shown in our illustration. The quality is unexcelled, the ribs being perfectly solid, crisp, brittle and of delicious flavor. Without any banking up or covering whatever, the outer ribs become a handsome fresh creamy white color, while the large and solid heart is beautiful rich golden-yellow color. The New Golden Self-Blanching is undoubtedly the best Celery in cultivation. The seed we offer of the NEW GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING is a special strain direct from the introducer. Per pkt., 15 cts.; per ½ oz., 30 cts.; per oz., 50 cts.; per ¼ lb., \$1.50; per lb., \$5.

THE CORY SWEET CORN.

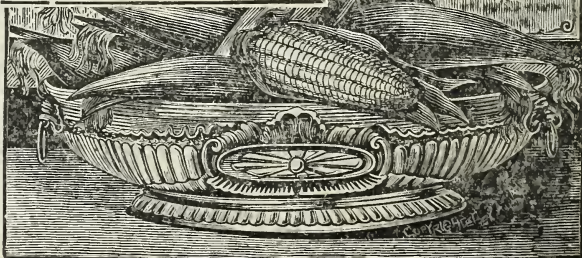
Repeated trial has proved Cory Sweet Corn to be the best extra early sweet Corn in cultivation. It is ready for market eight to ten days earlier than any other variety. The ears are very large, of fine appearance, very sweet and juicy, quality superb. There is no earlier or better variety in existence for the family or market garden. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per pint, 20 cts.; per quart, 40 cts.; by Mail post-paid. By Express, \$1.25 per peck; \$4 per bushel.



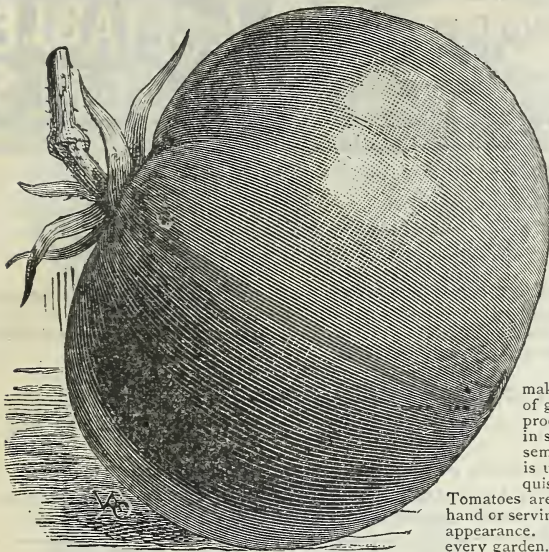
GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING CELERY.

OUR BEST EARLY CAULIFLOWER.

THIS IS THE VERY BEST EARLY CAULIFLOWER IN CULTIVATION. It is noted for its extra earliness and certainty to head. The short stalks will allow close planting. The leaves grow stiff and upright, shielding and preserving the heads, which are large and handsome, 8 to 10 inches across, pure, snowy white in color, and of the finest possible quality. Per pkt., 25 cts.; per ¼ oz., \$1.25; per ½ oz., \$2; per oz., \$4.



THE CORY SWEET CORN, THE EARLIEST OF ALL.



MATCHLESS TOMATO.

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This splendid New Tomato, which was offered last season for the first time, well deserves its name, and cannot fail to become one of the leading varieties both for family and market use. The vines are luxuriant and healthy in growth, and are exceedingly prolific, being loaded with superb fruit until checked by Autumn frosts. The fruit is of the largest size, solid, of the finest quality, and handsome cardinal red in color, skin remarkably tough, so that ripe Tomatoes picked from the vines will remain in good marketable condition for twelve to fifteen days. The seed we offer was grown for us by the originator; it is yet scarce, but we make the price low. Per pkt., 15 cts.; 2 pkts., 25 cts.; ½ oz., 30 cts.; oz., 50 cts.; ¼ lb., \$1.60.

THE WONDERFUL NEW PEACH TOMATO.

This remarkable variety of Tomato will make a great sensation wherever planted. The habit of growth is strong and branching; very prolific, producing, in clusters of five or six, Tomatoes that in size, shape and appearance almost exactly resemble a perfect peach, the marking where a peach is usually cut in half to remove the stone, and exquisite bloom, being particularly deceptive. The Tomatoes are of rare good quality, and for eating from the hand or serving on the table they have no equal in fine flavor or appearance. This splendid new variety should be planted in every garden. Per pkt., 15 cts.; 2 pkts., 25 cts.; ½ oz., 40 cts.

THE TURNER HYBRID TOMATO.

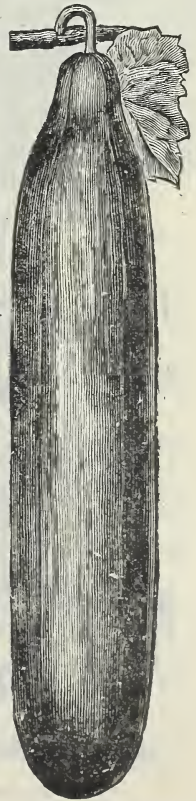
A very strong grower, enormously productive, yielding larger crops than any other variety in cultivation. The fruit is extra large in size and very solid, average specimens measuring four inches in diameter and about a pound in weight. They ripen evenly and are free from core. The form of Tomato is round, very smooth and deep brilliant red in color, very firm and solid. We offer a very fine selection of seed that cannot fail to give satisfaction. Per pkt., 15 cts.; 2 pkts., 25 cts.; per oz., 50 cts.; ¼ lb., \$1.50; per lb., \$5.

NEW DWARF CHAMPION TOMATO.

This valuable new Tomato is unlike any other variety. The plants quickly grow into sturdy upright bushes, which are very compact, allowing close planting, 2½ to 3 feet apart being plenty of room. The clear dark red fruit is matured early in July, and is of excellent size and quality. This new Tomato is enormously productive, clusters or ropes of fruit 15 inches long being not unusual. It is a variety that should be in every garden. Per pkt., 15 cts.; 2 pkts. for 25 cts.; oz., 40 cts.; ¼ lb., \$1.40; lb., \$4.

GIANT PERA CUCUMBER.

This splendid variety of Cucumber for family use grows very smooth and straight; skin clear green color. They are perfectly round and of handsome appearance. The green Cucumbers are fit to eat at any stage. The flesh is white, very clear and exceedingly crisp, tender and brittle, with very few seeds; free from the obnoxious green Cucumber taste. The Cucumbers grow to a large size (12 to 15 inches long) and retain their fine, firm, crisp quality. Our stock of seed is direct from the introducer. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 25 cts.; per ¼ lb., 75 cts.; per lb., \$2.50.



GIANT PERA CUCUMBER.

CELESTIAL PEPPER.

A new Pepper from China offered by us two years ago for the first time. The plants are of good size, well balanced, and very showy. The beautiful conical-shaped Peppers are borne upright, in surprising numbers. The color changes from green to clear golden amber, then to bright crimson. As the Peppers on the outside of plants ripen first, the bushes are novel and striking, distinctly showing two colors, yellow and crimson. Unequaled for domestic purposes. Per pkt., 15 cts.; 2 pkts. for 25 cts.; 4 pkts. for 50 cts.

RUBY KING PEPPER.

This fine variety is the best and most profitable mild red Pepper for market or family use. It should be in every garden; will give great satisfaction; the plants are of sturdy bushy habit, each plant producing 8 to 15 large, very handsome Peppers of a bright ruby-red color. The individual Peppers are 4 to 6 inches long, 3 to 4 inches through. The flavor is remarkably mild and pleasant; indeed so much so that they can be sliced and prepared into a most appetizing salad with vinegar and pepper, while for stuffing or Pepper hash they are the best. Our friends and customers can grow fine crops from our extra-selected seed. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per ½ oz., 25 cts.; per oz., 40 cts.; 2 ozs., 75 cts.; per ¼ lb., \$1.25; per lb., \$4.

THE VANDERCAW CABBAGE.

The most perfect of all Cabbages, equally good for Summer, second early or Winter. This splendid Cabbage is pronounced by the leading market gardeners of the country to be the Best, Surest Heading, and Most Profitable Grown. Heads large, round and hard, tender, crisp, delicious, and of remarkable excellence; should be planted early for Summer use, later for Winter; keeps well through the Winter. Per pkt., 15 cts.; per oz., 50 cts.; ¼ lb., \$1.75; lb., \$7.



VANDERCAW CABBAGE.

THE DINGEE & CONARD CO'S. VEGETABLE SEEDS

STANDARD

OUR VEGETABLE SEED is produced by the best skill for our Retail Trade. The crops that supply it are grown for **Crop Seed only**. Our List of varieties includes the most notable Novelties and advanced New Types now known, while our Standard List is boiled down, until only the truly valuable and distinct sorts remain. We have only one grade of Seed—**The Best**. The smallest order gets the same quality as the largest. We want all our friends and customers to get their Garden Seeds of us.

ALL SEEDS POST-PAID BY MAIL AT PRICES NAMED.—All our Garden Seeds are put up liberally, with full directions for culture on each packet. At the prices named we pay the postage on all Seeds ordered by the packet, ounce, quarter pound, pound, pint or quart, and we guarantee safe delivery in all cases. You run no risk in ordering from us.

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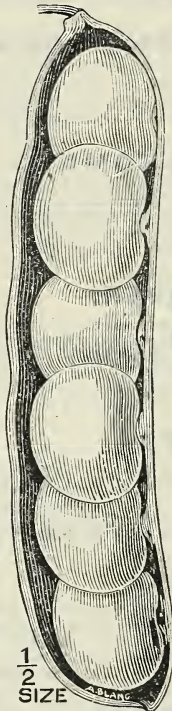
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(Twenty-five cents worth of seeds in packets for each \$1 sent us for SEEDS.)

At the prices named we send all seeds by Mail post-paid. If sent by Express, 15 cents per quart, and 8 cents per pound, will be deducted.



GOLDEN WAX BEAN.



$\frac{1}{2}$ SIZE
KING OF THE GARDEN LIMA.



SPECKLED VALENTINE.



BEST OF ALL DWARF BEAN.

BEANS, DWARF OR BUSH.

BEST OF ALL.—One of the most valuable green-podded varieties for family or market use ever introduced. The habit of growth can be seen by our accurate illustration of a single plant. The long pods are fleshy, succulent, stringless and of rich flavor. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per pint, 25 cts.; per quart, 50 cts.

GOLDEN WAX.—A very early stringless Bean of excellent quality. Pods large, long, brittle and of a rich golden wax color. Per pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 40 cts.

PERFECTION WAX.—This is undoubtedly one of the best Wax Beans. Pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 30 cts.; quart, 55 cts.

EXTRA EARLY RED SPECKLED VALENTINE.—Very early, productive, tender and of rich flavor; one of the best snap shorts. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per pint, 20 cts.; per quart 40 cts.

NEW CHAMPION BUSH.—Very stocky and well-balanced bushes; it is very productive, branching to within an inch of the ground; pods 4 to 5 inches long, containing 5 to 7 large red Beans of finest flavor. Per pkt., 15 cts.; per pint, 25 cts.; per quart, 50 cts.

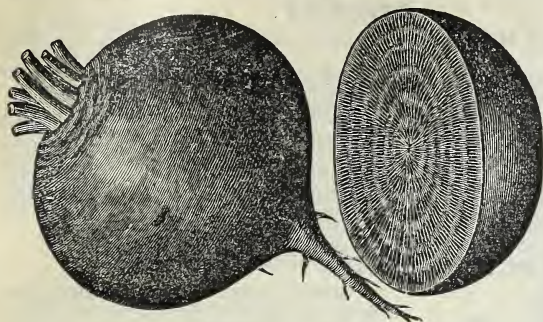
HENDERSON'S NEW BUSH LIMA.—This wonderful novelty is fully described on page 103. Per large packet, 20 cts.; 3 pkts., 50 cts.; 6 pkts., \$1; 13 pkts., \$2.

BEANS, POLE OR RUNNING.

KING OF THE GARDEN LIMA.—A variety of unusual merit; the most productive of all Limas. The immense pods are 5 to 7 inches long and contain as high as 7 perfect formed Beans of superior quality. The vines are strong and vigorous. Per pkt., 15 cts.; per pint, 30 cts.; per quart, 60 cts.

WHITE CREASEBACK.—A good grower, very early and exceedingly productive; pods 5 to 6 inches long, perfectly round and creased in back; stringless, very fleshy, and as string Beans are of superb quality. Per pkt., 15 cts.; per pint, 30 cts.; per quart, 60 cts.

DREER'S IMPROVED LIMA.—Very productive, of superior quality and extra early; thick, sweet and tender, remaining green in the pod a long time. Undoubtedly one of the very best Limas now offered. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per pint, 30 cts.; per quart, 55 cts.



IMPROVED BLOOD TURNIP BEET.

LONG SMOOTH BLOOD-RED.—One of the best late varieties; keeps well, can be sown up to middle of June. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 25 cts.; per lb., 75 cts.

LANE'S IMPROVED IMPERIAL SUGAR BEET.—One of the most popular Sugar Beets; contains a larger percentage of sugar than any other variety; enormously productive, very valuable for stock feeding. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 20 cts.; per lb., 50 cts.

BEETS.

IMPROVED BLOOD TURNIP.—This splendid variety grows uniformly to a good large size; very early and unsurpassed for table use; also one of the best to keep for Winter; flesh, deepest blood-red, fine grained, very sweet and tender. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 25 cts.; per lb., 75 cts.

ECLIPSE.—This fine variety makes wonderfully rapid growth; the Beets are globe-shaped, very smooth; flesh and skin deep blood-red, fine grained and sweet; one of the very best sorts. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 20 cts.; per lb., 60 cts.

EXTRA EARLY EGYPTIAN TURNIP BEET.—The earliest of all varieties; resembles a flat Dutch Turnip in shape; flesh very dark blood-red. This variety should be used when very young, as the quality becomes poor as the roots get old. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 20 cts.; per lb., 70 cts.



EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD CABBAGE.



BURPEE'S SUREHEAD CABBAGE.

CABBAGE.

We offer only the best varieties. Our seed is thoroughly reliable, being grown from selected heads. We recommend the two kinds illustrated—Early Jersey Wakefield and Burpee's Surehead—as the best all around early and late sorts ever offered for general planting.

EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD.—This superb early variety is more popular and generally grown than any other early sort. The pointed pyramidal-shaped heads are remarkably hard and solid, having few outside leaves; the plants can be set close together in the garden; quality unexcelled. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 30 cts.; per ¼ lb., \$1; per lb., \$3.

BURPEE'S SUREHEAD.—This famous Cabbage is considered by our most competent judges to be the **Surest** Heading and best Main Crop Cabbage in existence. It is remarkable for its sureness to head; very uniform, hard, firm and fine in texture; very sweet flavored and keeps splendidly. The seed we offer is a special saving direct from the originator. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 35 cts.; per ¼ lb., \$1; per ½ lb., \$1.75; per lb., \$3.50.

EARLIEST ETAMPES.—About ten days earlier than any other Cabbage. The heads are of medium size, and very fine quality; they are oblong in shape, slightly rounded at the top, very solid and firm and sure to head. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 20 cts.; per ¼ lb., 60 cts.; per lb., \$2.

EARLY WINNINGSTADT.—This popular and sure-heading variety is valuable not only for early use, but also as a Winter Cabbage; quality the best; heads large and solid, even in Summer. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 15 cts.; per ¼ lb., 50 cts.; per lb., \$1.50.

EARLY SUMMER.—The heads of this excellent variety average nearly double the size of Early Jersey Wakefield, while it is only ten to twelve days later. It forms large, solid, round, flattened, compact heads, the leaves of which turn in so completely that the plants can be set very close together, making this fine Cabbage one of the most profitable sorts. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 25 cts.; per ¼ lb., 75 cts.; per lb., \$2.50.

FOTTLER'S BRUNSWICK (Short Stem).—One of the best Drumheads. A well-known and very popular variety of the hard-heading Drumhead type, equally adapted for Summer, Fall or Winter; heads weigh from 20 to 30 pounds each; very hard, firm and of the best quality. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 25 cts.; per ¼ lb., 75 cts.; per lb., \$2.50.

LARGE RED DRUMHEAD (Improved Red Dutch).—Heads round in shape, of deep color and unusually hard and solid. This is the best variety of red Cabbage for pickling or table use. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 20 cts.; per ¼ lb., 60 cts.; per lb., \$2.

SUPERIOR LARGE LATE FLAT DUTCH.—One of the best late Flat Dutch sorts; low growing, heads large, solid, broad and flat on top; quality the best; color, bluish green. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 20 cts.; per ¼ lb., 60 cts.; per lb., \$2.

PERFECTION DRUMHEAD SAVOY.—Short stalk, compact grower and excellent keeper; heads finely curled and nearly as large as Drumhead, while the delicious richness of flavor makes this Cabbage a near approach to the Cauliflower. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 30 cts.; per ¼ lb., 60 cts.; per lb., \$2.

PARSLEY.

NEW FERN-LEAVED PARSLEY.—This is a greatly improved and very beautiful variety. The leaves are of most exquisite form and color, resembling a crested fern. It is entirely suitable for growing as a foliage plant in the flower beds, of the best quality and invaluable for table decoration and garnishing. Per pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; ¼ lb., 50 cts.; lb., \$1.60.

CARROT.



OXHEART CARROT.

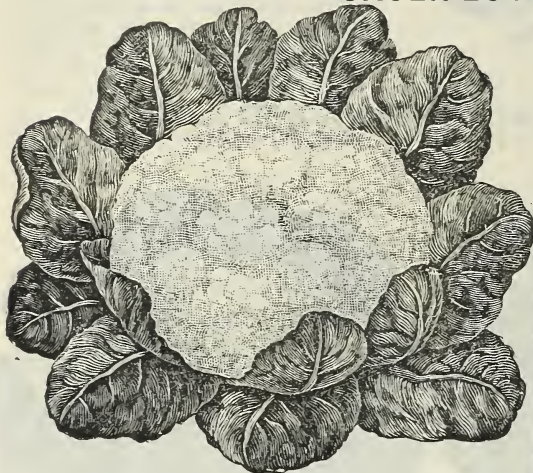
OXHEART OR GUERANDE.—This fine new Carrot comes from France, and is unexcelled for table use. As shown in the illustration, it is very distinct in shape, intermediate in length between the half long varieties (such as Danvers and Short Horn Carrot). Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 15 cts.; per ¼ lb., 50 cts., per lb., \$1.50.

IMPROVED LONG ORANGE.—A great improvement over the ordinary long orange; the roots grow remarkably uniform and smooth, always well formed, of large size and deep orange color. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 30 cts.; per lb., \$1.

DANVERS HALF-LONG ORANGE.—The most enormous crops can be raised from this variety; roots, dark rich orange color; grows very smooth and handsome; a first-class Carrot for any soil. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 30 cts.; per lb., \$1.

SHORT-HORN OR EARLY SCARLET-HORN.—A most popular variety; color, deep orange; flesh, fine grained and of agreeable flavor; grows well in shallow soil; one of the best. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 30 cts.; per lb., \$1.

CAULIFLOWER.

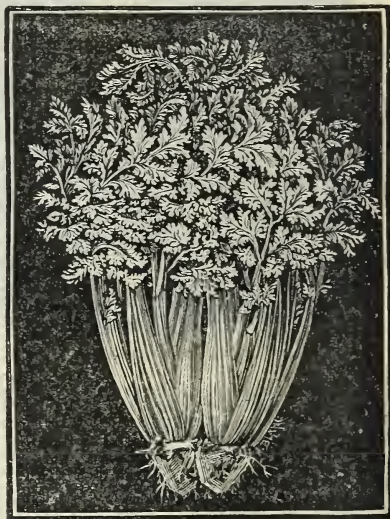


EXTRA EARLY DWARF ERFURT CAULIFLOWER.

EXTRA EARLY DWARF ERFURT (Extra Selected).—A very reliable variety, scarcely a plant failing to produce a good head; very dwarf and very early; solid pure white heads of superior quality. Per pkt., 20 cts.; per ¼ oz., \$1; per ½ oz., \$1.50; per oz., \$3.

EARLY SNOWBALL.—The dwarf habit of this variety, together with short outer leaves, allows it to be planted quite close together. The heads of fine quality are very reliable in heading; one of the very best. Per pkt., 20 cts.; per ¼ oz., 85 cts.; per ½ oz., \$1.50; per oz., \$3.

OUR BEST EARLY (see page 104).—This is undoubtedly the best early Cauliflower in cultivation both for private planters and market gardeners. Per pkt., 25 cts.; per ¼ oz., \$1.25; per ½ oz., \$2; per oz., \$4.



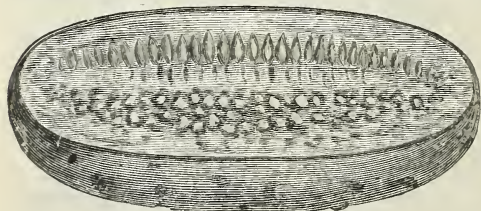
WHITE PLUME CELERY.

CELERY.

WHITE PLUME.—This famous Celery is the earliest variety in cultivation; in quality it is crisp, solid and of a rich nutty flavor. The most desirable feature of this new Celery is its self-blanching qualities; by simply drawing the soil up against the plant and pressing it together the work of blanching will be completed, without the labor of banking. It is very ornamental for the table, and deserves a place in every garden. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 40 cts.; per ¼ lb., \$1.25; per lb., \$4.

DWARF GOLDEN HEART.—This popular and distinct variety, when blanched, the heart, which is large and full, is of a waxy golden yellow, making it most striking and showy for the table, while the quality is unsurpassed; keeps well. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 25 cts.; per ¼ lb., 75 cts.; per lb., \$2.50.

GIANT WHITE SOLID.—This most imposing variety is the best variety of Large White Solid Celery. It grows quickly to a very large size; habit, stiff and close, remarkably solid, blanches perfectly white; of fine flavor, crisp and tender, very handsome and showy. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 25 cts.; per ¼ lb., 75 cts.; per lb., \$2.50.



NICHOLS MEDIUM GREEN CUCUMBER.

IMPROVED EARLY WHITE SPINE OR ARLINGTON.—This is the best variety of Large White Solid Celery. It grows quickly to a very large size; habit, stiff and close, remarkably solid, blanches perfectly white; of fine flavor, crisp and tender, very handsome and showy. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 25 cts.; per ¼ lb., 75 cts.; per lb., \$2.50.

EARLY GREEN PROLIFIC OR BOSTON PICKLING.—This well-known market and pickling Cucumber needs no praise; immensely productive. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 25 cts.; per lb., 90 cts.

GIANT PERA (see page 105).

CUCUMBERS.

NICHOLS MEDIUM GREEN.—For family and market use this new variety cannot be excelled; the Cucumbers are very thick through, and full at both ends; skin light green in color, and very smooth; handsome in appearance, and of fine quality for table use; also one of the best for pickling; very productive. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 25 cts.; per lb., 90 cts.

LONDON LONG GREEN.—This is the leading variety of long green Cucumber, 12 to 15 inches long, of splendid quality; dark green, firm and crisp; an extra good variety. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 30 cts.; per lb., \$1.

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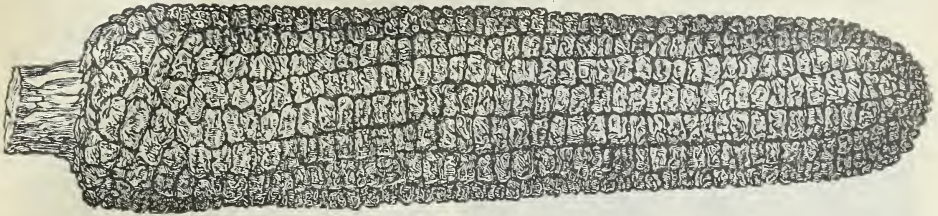
GREEN PROLIFIC.

Egg Plant.

NEW YORK LARGE IMPROVED LARGE PURPLE EGG PLANT.—This is the best variety, of large size; skin, deep purple, smooth, free of thorns; flesh, white and of splendid quality; very productive. Per packet, 10 cts.; per ½ oz., 30 cts.; per oz., 50 cts.; per ¼ lb., \$1.50; per lb., \$5.

SUCAR CORN.

THE CORY.—See *Novelties*, page 106. The best very early Sugar Corn in cultivation. Per large pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 40 cts. *By Express*, per peck, \$1.25; per bush., \$4.



STOWELL'S EVERGREEN SUGAR CORN.

STOWELL'S EVERGREEN.—A general favorite for family use, very productive; ears of large size, grains deep, very tender and sugary, remaining edible a long time; a succession of crops can be had by planting at intervals. This is the best variety for canning and market. Per large pkt., 10 cts.; per pint, 20 cts.; per quart, 35 cts.

EARLY MINNESOTA.—The standard early sweet Corn; ripens somewhat earlier than Crosby's; ears of good size, sweet and of fine flavor; stalks grow about 5 feet high; a fine garden variety. Per large pkt., 10 cts.; per pint, 20 cts.; per quart, 35 cts.

CROSBY'S EARLY TWELVE-ROWED.—One of the best very early varieties; grows about 5 feet high; sweet, luscious and sugary. Per large pkt., 10 cts.; per pint, 20 cts.; per quart, 35 cts.

POP CORN.

QUEEN'S GOLDEN POP CORN (Absolutely the best Corn for Popping).—We recommend this variety of Pop Corn as the best and handsomest for popping. The kernels when popped are nearly an inch in diameter, perfectly white, and of beautiful foamy appearance, delicate and delicious to the taste. The stalks grow 6 feet high, and the large ears are produced in great abundance. Per large pkt., 10 cts.; per pint, 25 cts.; per quart, 50 cts.

LETTUCE.

HANSON'S IMPROVED HARD-HEADING.—Grows to a large size; inside pure white, very solid, deliciously sweet, crisp and tender even to the outer leaves. It stands the hot sun well and is certainly one of the very best. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 20 cts.; per ¼ lb., 60 cts.; per lb., \$2.

PHILADELPHIA WHITE CABBAGE.—Extra-fine quality, remarkably crisp and tender, head large; greenish white and sure to head; one of the best for forcing and Summer use. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 15 cts.; per ¼ lb., 50 cts.; per lb., \$1.50.

TENNIS BALL—BLACK-SEEDED.—One of the very hardest kinds, very solid, dark green heads, which blanch white and tender. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 15 cts.; per ¼ lb., 50 cts.; per lb., \$1.50.

BURPEE'S TOMHANNOCK.—One of the finest, most useful and handsome varieties. The wonderfully crisp and nearly white leaves are edged glossy reddish bronze; exceedingly ornamental and fresh in appearance. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 25 cts.; per ¼ lb., 75 cts.; per lb., \$2.50.



HANSON'S IMPROVED LETTUCE.

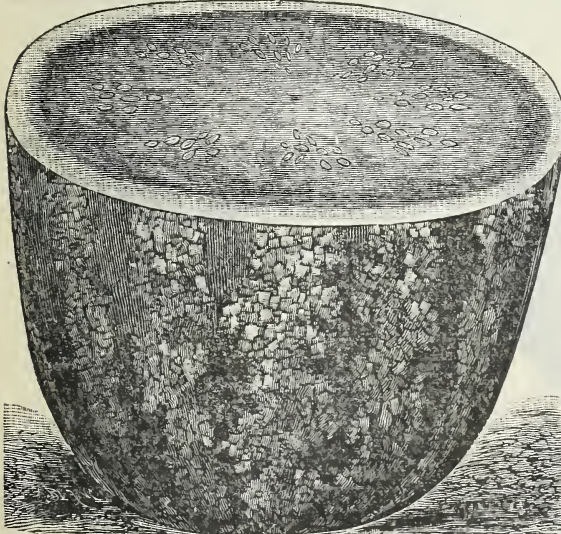
WATERMELONS.

KOLB'S GEM.—This splendid Melon grows nearly round; narrow stripes of light green; rind tough, carrying well without breakage, making this variety one of the best for market and shipping; flesh bright red, luscious and of fine flavor. Weight, 30 to 50 lbs. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 30 cts.; per lb., \$1.

MAMMOTH IRONCLAD.—This superb new Melon is acknowledged by all to be unsurpassed, excelling in every good point a Melon should have, ripening early, holding their own until late, and being unexcelled for shipping and market. The dainty red-colored flesh is of rich sugary flavor, ripening to full perfection almost to the rind. This Melon grows to enormous size, 60 to 70 lbs., being the ordinary weight, while extra cultivation will produce them 125 lbs., and over. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 15 cts.; per 2 ozs., 25 cts.; per ¼ lb., 30 cts.; per lb., \$1.

CUBAN QUEEN.—This famous Melon still stands amongst the very best. It is enormously productive, ripens early, maturing fine large Melons in any section, even Canada; thin rind, red flesh and delicious flavor; should be in every garden. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 25 cts.; per lb., 90 cts.

COLORADO PRESERVING MELON.—Quite distinct and superior to the ordinary preserving Melon, immensely productive, flesh very firm and solid, with few seeds. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 15 cts.; per ¼ lb., 40 cts.; per lb., \$1.25.

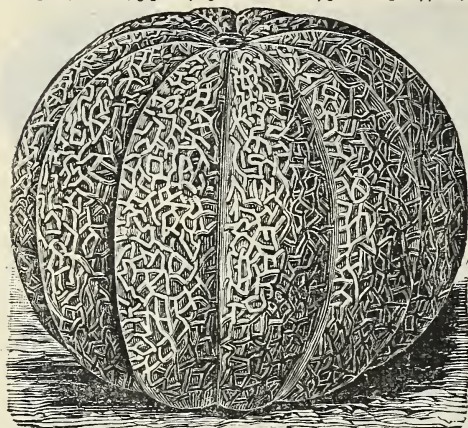


MAMMOTH IRONCLAD WATERMELON.

THE SEMINOLE WATERMELON.

This superb New Florida Melon IS VERY DISTINCT; EXTRA EARLY; ENORMOUSLY PRODUCTIVE; EXTRA LARGE AND OF MOST DELICIOUS FLAVOR. It is in two distinct colors, gray and light green, both colors

growing on the same vine. The rind is very thin and tough, excellent for shipping; flesh very bright red in color, sugary and luscious and of exquisite flavor. The distinct and ornamental appearance of this fine new Melon will make it very popular; it should be largely planted in all sections of the country. As a market variety it will attract great attention and no doubt command high prices. Our stock of seed is direct from the originator, and was saved from perfect Melons only. Per pkt., 10 cts.; 3 pkts., 25 cts. Per oz., 30 cts.; per ¼ lb., \$1; per lb., \$3.50.



HACKENSACK OR TURK'S CAP MUSK MELON.

MELONS (Musk Melons).

HACKENSACK or TURK'S CAP.—One of the very finest Musk Melons in cultivation. Of large size, grows uniform, and very productive; flesh green and of most delicious flavor; market gardeners and private planters cannot do better than to plant this splendid variety. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 30 cts.; per lb., \$1.

BAY VIEW.—A hybrid of Casaba and large California Musk Melon, it combines the best qualities of both. A strong, vigorous grower, very large, remarkably productive and fine flavored; light green flesh, very thick, luscious and sweet; if well cultivated the Bay View will weigh 17 to 20 lbs. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 30 cts.; per lb., \$1.

MONTREAL—GREEN NUTMEG.—Very regularly ribbed, densely netted green skin. The flesh is of a delicious flavor, remarkably thick, and light green in color. It is one of the handsomest Melons for exhibition and market purposes. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 15 cts.; per ¼ lb., 40 cts.; per lb., \$1.25.

NETTED GEM.—One of the most prolific and best early Melons grown. They are thick-meated, the flesh being of fine, luscious flavor, skin green, regularly ribbed and netted; very handsome and one of the most profitable market varieties. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 30 cts.; per lb., \$1.

ONIONS (American Varieties).

BEST YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS.—Our seed of Round Yellow Globe Danvers Onion is specially saved. As is well known, this is the best all-around variety of Onion for general planting. Get your seed from us, as none can be better. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 20 cts.; per ¼ lb., 50 cts.; per lb., \$1.60.

LARGE WHITE GLOBE.—The best white Onion, beautiful shape, clear white skin, fine grained and mild flavored; keeps well. Every order for seeds should include Yellow Globe and White Globe. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; ¼ lb., 75 cts.; lb., \$2.85.

LARGE RED WETHERSFIELD.—The best large red Onion; skin deep purplish red, flesh purplish white, fine grained and high flavored. One of the best varieties for market and Winter keeping. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 20 cts.; per 2 ozs., 35 cts.; per ¼ lb., 50 cts.; per lb., \$1.60.

WHITE SILVERSKIN or WHITE PORTUGAL.—Very desirable for family use; of mild and pleasant flavor, skin silvery white; one of the best for pickling. This is the variety of which white Onion sets are grown. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 20 cts.; per 2 ozs., 35 cts.; per ¼ lb., 55 cts.; per lb., \$1.85.

NEW ITALIAN ONIONS.

EARLIEST WHITE QUEEN.—The most rapid growing of all Onions. Sown in February fine Onions will be ready for use in early Summer, while for Autumn use they can be sown in July. They will also keep through the Winter, retaining their exquisite flavor; one of the best for pickling; bulbs medium size, flat and pure white. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 20 cts.; per ¼ lb., 65 cts.; per lb., \$2.25.

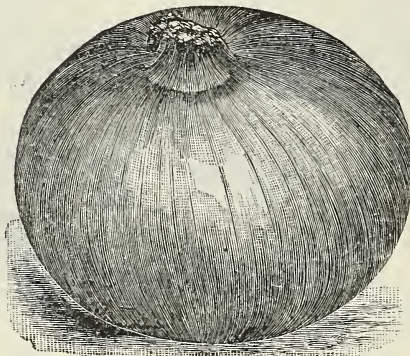
GIANT YELLOW ROCCA.—One of the most superb varieties of Italian Onions in cultivation; skin beautiful rich yellow. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 20 cts.; per 2 ozs., 35 cts.; per ¼ lb., 55 cts.; per lb., \$1.90.

GIANT RED ROCCA.—This splendid variety is of perfect globe shape, skin bright red, flesh pure white and of mild, pleasant flavor; equally valuable for Spring or Autumn sowing. Grows Onions a pound to a pound and a half the first season from the black seed we offer, while if set out the second season giant sizes can be produced. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 20 cts.; per 2 ozs., 30 cts.; per ¼ lb., 50 cts.; per lb., \$1.75.

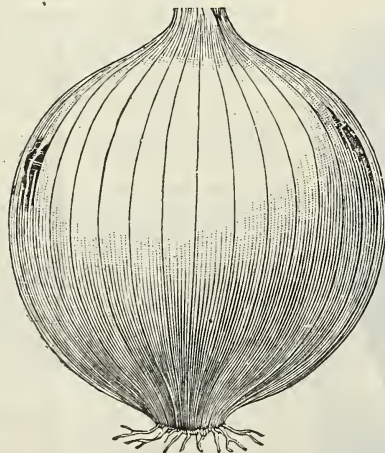


NEW QUEEN ONION.

Write for Special Prices on Onion Seed, 5 lbs. and upwards.



YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS ONION.



WHITE GLOBE ONION.

PARSNIPS.

IMPROVED GUERNSEY.—One of the best and most improved; should be planted in every garden; roots very smooth, flesh fine grained and of splendid quality. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 25 cts.; per lb., 75 cts.

LONG SMOOTH or HOLLOW CROWN (Abbot's Improved Long Sugar or Long White Dutch Parsnip).—Tender, sugary, and considered the best for general cultivation. Parsnips are improved by remaining in the ground exposed to frost during Winter. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 20 cts.; lb., 55 cts.

PEPPERS.

GOLDEN DAWN.—Of very handsome appearance, both in growth and on the table; of very mild and palatable flavor. The dwarf bushy plants are loaded down with Peppers of beautiful golden color. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 30 cts.; per ¼ lb., 85 cts.; per lb., \$3.

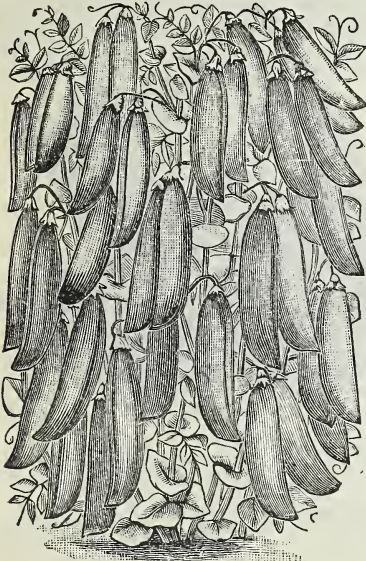
LARGE BELL or **BULL NOSE.**—Color glossy red, of mild, sweet flavor, rind thick and fleshy; of large size; one of the earliest. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 25 cts.; per ¼ lb., 75 cts.; per lb., \$2.50.

LONG RED CAYENNE.—*The true variety;* one of the strongest and most pungent, conical shape, bright red color; much esteemed. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 25 cts.; per ¼ lb., 75 cts.; per lb., \$2.50.

PEAS.

EXTRA EARLY.—The earliest and best of all Peas for the standard crop. None ripen earlier, few so early; entirely free from runners; grows about two feet high; quality unsurpassed. This is a tried variety and cannot fail; should be included in every order. Per large pkt., 10 cts.; per pint, 20 cts.; per quart, 40 cts.

AMERICAN WONDER.—Grows 8 to 10 inches high, and is somewhat earlier than any other wrinkled variety; grows with remarkable rapidity, being ready for the table 30 to 35 days after planting. Very productive and of fine quality; 7 to 9 peas in a pod. Per large pkt., 10 cts.; per pint, 25 cts.; per quart, 50 cts.

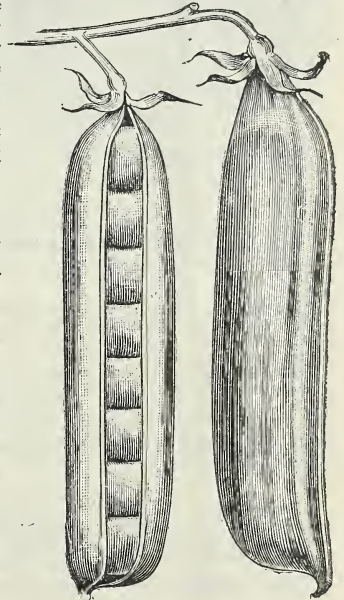


AMERICAN WONDER PEA.

EXTRA EARLY PREMIUM GEM.—One of the best of the wrinkled varieties; large pods, very productive. We recommend it as the best wrinkled Pea in cultivation for the family garden or market. Per large pkt., 10 cts.; per pint, 20 cts.; per quart, 40 cts.

BLISS'S EVER-BEARING.—For continuous bearing this variety is unsurpassed, repeated pickings making little impression on it, the vines continuing to be covered with blossoms and ripening pods. It grows in a distinct branching manner, 18 inches to 2 feet in height; 6 and 8 wrinkled peas in a pod. Peas very large. Per large pkt., 10 cts.; per pint, 25 cts.; per quart, 50 cts.

STRATAGEM.—Grows about 2 feet and is literally covered with immense pods, many of them measuring 5½ inches in diameter, and containing as high as 10 large, fine-flavored wrinkled peas. Vines strong and upright. Per large pkt., 15 cts.; per pint, 30 cts.; per quart, 60 cts.



EXTRA EARLY.

CHAMPION OF ENGLAND.—Very popular and undoubtedly one of the best late varieties; pods and peas of large size and splendid quality; grows 4 to 6 feet high. Per large pkt., 10 cts.; per pint, 20 cts.; per quart, 40 cts.

PUMPKIN.

SMALL SUGAR.—Very prolific variety, is one of the best for family use; very fine grained, sweet and sugary; keeps well. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 25 cts.; per lb., 65 cts.

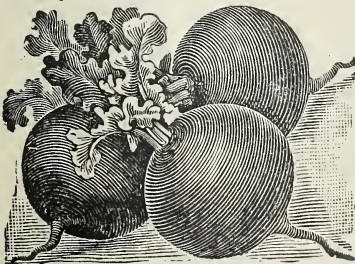
GENUINE MAMMOTH.—This giant of the family causes much astonishment at country fairs; 3 feet in diameter, and 150 to 200 pounds being nothing unusual; flesh bright yellow and of fine quality. None can grow larger. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 25 cts.; per ¼ lb., 75 cts.; per lb., \$2.50.



SMALL SUGAR PUMPKIN.

RADISHES.

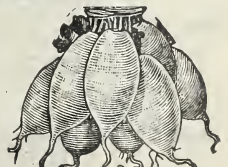
EARLY ROUND DARK RED.—One of the best extra early varieties in cultivation; of very deep red skin; flesh always crisp and firm; the handsome appearance and fine quality of this variety makes it a prime favorite. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 25 cts.; per lb., 75 cts.



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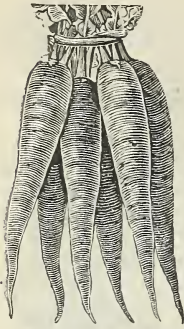


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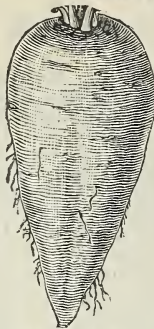


WHITE OLIVE SHAPED.

RADISHES—CONTINUED.



EARLY LONG SCARLET.



CALIFORNIA MAMMOTH.

FRENCH BREAKFAST.—Olive shaped; red tipped; white, very attractive, crisp and tender; one of the best early varieties. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 25 cts.; per lb., 75 cts.

EARLY LONG SCARLET SHORT TOP.—One of the very best old well-known sorts. Our seed cannot be excelled; largely grown for market. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 20 cts.; per lb., 60 cts.

WHITE OLIVE SHAPED.—White skin, crisp white flesh, grows quickly, very early; one of the best for family use. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 25 cts.; per lb., 75 cts.

LARGE WHITE GLOBE.—Beautiful shape, flesh very crisp and tender; grows quickly and stands the Summer heat well. We recommend this sort as one of the very best Summer varieties. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 25 cts.; lb., 75 cts.

NEW WHITE STRASBURGH.—This new variety has proved very popular; it is the best white Summer Radish known. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 30 cts.; per lb., \$1.

CALIFORNIA MAMMOTH WHITE WINTER.—Flesh white, solid and of superb flavor; roots grow 8 to 12 inches long, 2 to 3 inches in diameter. This is the largest of all Radishes. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 35 cts.; lb., \$1.25.

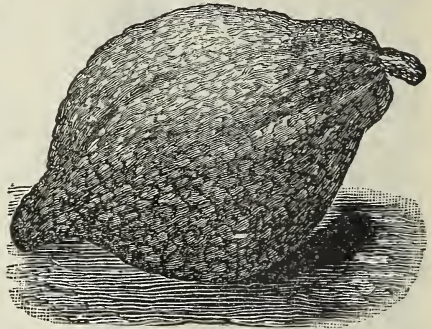
SQUASH.

EARLY ORANGE MARROW.—One of the earliest and most productive varieties; skin a rich deep orange color, presenting a very handsome appearance; grows as large as the Hubbard; flesh thick, fine grained and of choice quality. There can be no better sort for the family garden. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 25 cts.; per lb., 90 cts.

EARLY WHITE BUSH—SCOLLOPED.—Perhaps better known as *White Patty-pan Squash*; very early and productive; quality very fine. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 25 cts.; per lb., 75 cts.

HUBBARD.—This is the standard Winter Squash; one of the best for table use; dry, fine-grained flesh, good keeper. This is the most popular of all Winter varieties. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 10 cts.; per ¼ lb., 25 cts.; per lb., 85 cts.

MAMMOTH CHILI.—This giant keeps on growing as if size was its chief aim. It has been grown to weigh 225 lbs., which is certainly big enough to satisfy any one; outer color, rich orange yellow; flesh rich colored and very nutritious; keeps well through the entire Winter. Every order should include the *Mammoth Chili*. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 20 cts.; per ¼ lb., 60 cts.; per lb., \$2.



HUBBARD SQUASH.

TOMATOES.

PARAGON.—This is the best variety of the Livingstone's Perfection and Livingstone's Favorite type. Tomatoes bright red in color, very smooth, solid and ripening evenly around the stem; of good size and fineshape. Per pkt., 5 cts.; per oz., 25 cts.; per ¼ lb., 75 cts.; per lb., \$2.50.

GOLDEN QUEEN.—Of all the really yellow Tomatoes, the Golden Queen is by far the best; of large size, handsome round shape, very smooth, ripens evenly; excellent for slicing. Per pkt., 10 cts.; per oz., 40 cts.; per ¼ lb., \$1.25.

THE CARDINAL.—The most evenly colored, brilliant Cardinal of all Tomatoes; pulp very thick, few seeds, absolutely no green core, very round, smooth; one of the very best. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 30 cts.; 2 ozs., 50 cts.; ¼ lb., 90 cts.; lb., \$3.

TURNIPS.

EARLY WHITE FLAT DUTCH STRAP-LEAVED.—A very popular market variety. Is remarkable for its rapid and early growth. Clear white skin, and flesh of juicy mild flavor. For early use, sow very early in the Spring, and for Autumn, in July and August. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 20 cts.; per lb., 55 cts.

EARLY RED or PURPLE-TOP STRAP-LEAVED.—The skin of this variety is purple above the ground, flesh is fine grained and the taste is similar to the Flat Dutch; keeps well during the Winter. This variety is largely grown, it giving good satisfaction. Per pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 20 cts.; per lb., 55 cts.

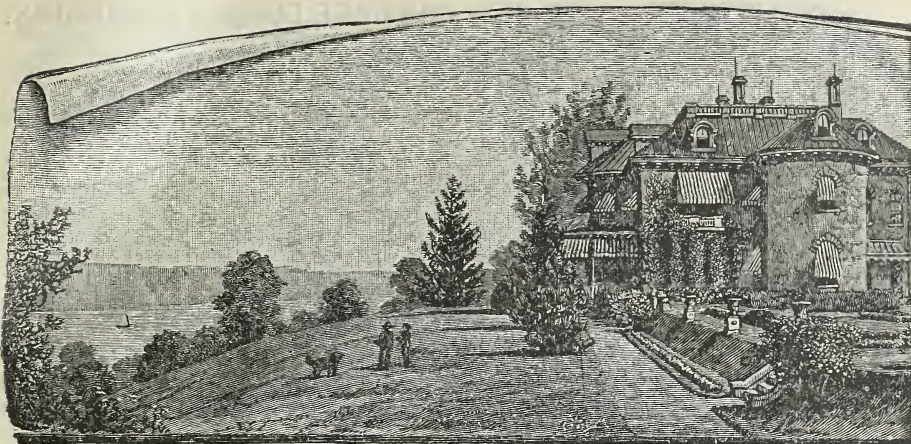
IMPROVED PURPLE-TOP YELLOW RUTA BAGA.—This is the hardest, most productive and most nutritious variety in cultivation. It is a large purple-top yellow variety, shape slightly oblong, with single taproot; for uniformity of crop and keeping qualities is superior to all other Swedes, and keeps sound and good until late in the Spring; flesh always sweet and rich in flavor. Per pkt.; 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 20 cts.; per lb., 60 cts.

Orders by Express will deduct the postage counted in the prices named at the rate of 15 cents per quart, 8 cents per pound.

Prices of Beans, Peas and Sweet Corn by Express or Freight.

The prices named below include bags, boxes and packing. Orders made up at these prices will invariably be sent by express or freight, the purchaser paying transportation charges. Buyers desiring larger quantities than those offered will please write us for special prices.

	2 Quarts.	4 Quarts.	Peck.	Bushel.
BEAN. —Perfection Wax	\$0 40	\$0 75	\$1 25	\$2 25
“ Golden Wax	35	60	1 00	1 75
“ Best of All	30	45	75	1 25
“ Extra Early Red-Speckled Valentine	25	40	65	1 00
“ New Champion Bush	30	45	75	1 25
“ White Creaseback	40	65	1 10	2 00
“ Deer's Improved Lima	40	75	1 35	2 50
“ King of the Garden Lima	45	85	1 60	3 00
PEA. —Extra Early	30	50	75	1 15
“ American Wonder (True)	30	60	1 10	2 00
“ Bliss Everbearing	35	55	90	1 60
“ Champion of England	25	40	65	1 10
“ Stratagem	40	75	1 25	2 25
“ Quantity	55	90	1 75	3 00
“ Quality	55	90	1 75	3 00
SWEET CORN. —The Cory	30	45	75	1 35
“ Early Minnesota	30	35	60	1 00
“ Crosby's Early Twelve-rowed	25	35	60	1 00
“ Stowell's Evergreen	20	30	50	90
POP-CORN. —Queen's Golden	35	60	1 00	1 75



The Dingee & Conard Co.'s ROSEMONT LAWN GRASS SEED.

A SPECIAL MIXTURE OF THE BEST NATURAL GRASSES FOR MAKING NEW LAWNS AND RENOVATING OLD ONES.

IN order to have fine permanent lawns and grass plots, it is of vital importance to have a careful blending of the most reliable grasses for this purpose. The matter of Lawn Grass is constantly receiving our best attention, and we are satisfied that our ROSEMONT LAWN GRASS here offered cannot be surpassed for quickly making a handsome, turfy sward that will stand our hot and dry Summers, presenting at all times a healthy and rich green color; also the strong vitality and excellent quality of this valuable Lawn Grass makes it particularly desirable for renovating old worn-out lawns, and lawns that have grown thin and bare in places.

For laying down new lawns or plots, sow the seed at the rate of one quart to 300 square feet (15 x 20 feet), or five bushels to the acre; for renovating Lawns half this quantity is sufficient. Full directions for the laying down and care of lawns is sent with each order. We will also be glad to answer any inquiries in regard to the subject.

PRICE BY MAIL POST-PAID.—One quart, 25 cts.; four quarts, 90 cts.

We offer this seed in bulk by Express at \$1.25 per bushel; one-half bushel, \$2; \$4 per bushel; 5 bushels for \$18.50.

PLEASE NOTICE that we have changed the name of our Lawn Grass described above from "Columbia" to "Rosemont." Our Rosemont Lawn Grass is Warranted Best Quality.

Our New Tobacco Insecticide Soap.

We strongly recommend **OUR NEW TOBACCO INSECTICIDE SOAP** as the best and most reliable insect exterminator. It is absolutely safe to handle and will not injure the softest growth of plants. In fact, it is a powerful fertilizer, leaves that have become wilted from the attacks of insects coming out fresh and luxuriant. It is used by dissolving in hot or cold water, at the rate of one ounce to two quarts of water. With this liquid the plants should be frequently sponged, sprinkled or syringed. This new soap, besides being a valuable preventative to mildew, is Sure Death to most kinds of Injurious Insects, Bugs, Worms and Lice, which infest Growing Plants, Fruit Trees and animals; apply a strong suds as often as necessary.

Every Cultivator of Plants should always have this Soap on hand. Horticulturists and others, who desire to buy a quantity, will please write for our lowest prices.

Price per can, by Mail, post-paid, 30 cts.; four cans for \$1. By Express, \$2 per dozen cans.

GISHURST'S COMPOUND.—This well-known remedy cannot be surpassed for preventing and destroying Green Fly, Mildew, Thrip, Mealy Bug and Scale. With full directions for applying. Per box, by mail, post-paid, 90 cts.

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The New Excelsior Fertilizer is just what has been wanted for a long time, and we strongly recommend its use to our many thousands of friends and customers. This New Odorless Flower Food is specially prepared for plants in pots, etc. It is in the shape of dry powder, put up in neat packages, to be used in liquid form. A quantity equal to a teaspoonful is dissolved in a pint of water, and applied about once a week to plants in pots, vases and hanging baskets; it will promote a healthy and vigorous growth of foliage, and on flowering plants abundance of bloom, at the same time driving worms and injurious insects from the soil. This valuable Fertilizer has no disagreeable odor, and takes the place of liquid manure, which is always so difficult to obtain and unpleasant to handle. We advise everyone who grows flowers to give the New Excelsior Fertilizer a trial.

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BOWKER'S AMMONIATED FOOD FOR FLOWERS.—This well-known and valuable Fertilizer is made especially for plants grown in the house, garden, or conservatory; clean, free from offensive odor, largely soluble in water, and producing healthy plants, FREE FROM VERMIN, and early and abundant blossoms, to which it imparts a rich and brilliant color. **PRICES**—A PACKAGE, sufficient for 20 plants, three months, sent for 25 cents, post-paid; or a PACKAGE, sufficient for 20 plants, one year, sent for 50 cents, post-paid.

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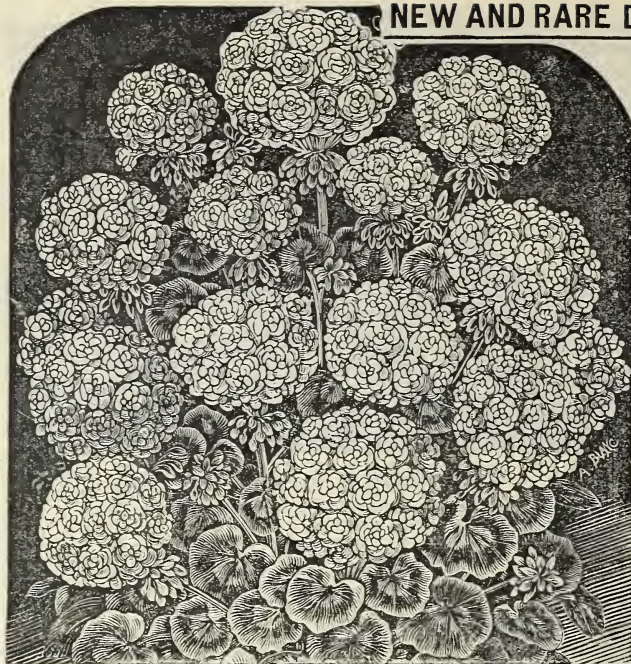
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NEW AND RARE DOUBLE GERANIUMS.



NEW DOUBLE WHITE GERANIUM LA FAVORITE. 20 CENTS.

- LA FAVORITE.**—This superb New Double White Geranium is pronounced by all who have seen it the best variety of its color now offered. As will be seen by our illustration, it is a strong grower and very profuse bloomer, the magnificent trusses appearing a solid mass of pure white flowers. This valuable new variety is unexcelled for open-ground planting in beds, etc.; and also gives great satisfaction as a Winter-blooming variety. Price, 20 cts. each.
- M. CARO.**—This new variety is very valuable and desirable as being a distinct new color in Geraniums, it being the nearest approach to lilac yet attained; flowers of large size, superb trusses and clear green leaves. Price, 20 cts.
- MATHIAS SANDORF.**—This distinct variety is a strong, robust grower; large, compact trusses of rich orange-salmon colored flowers; stands the sun well. Price, 20 cts.

These splendid New and Rare Double Geraniums are recommended as the very best of their respective colors, and the newest and most desirable for general planting. They are simply the best of all Geraniums.

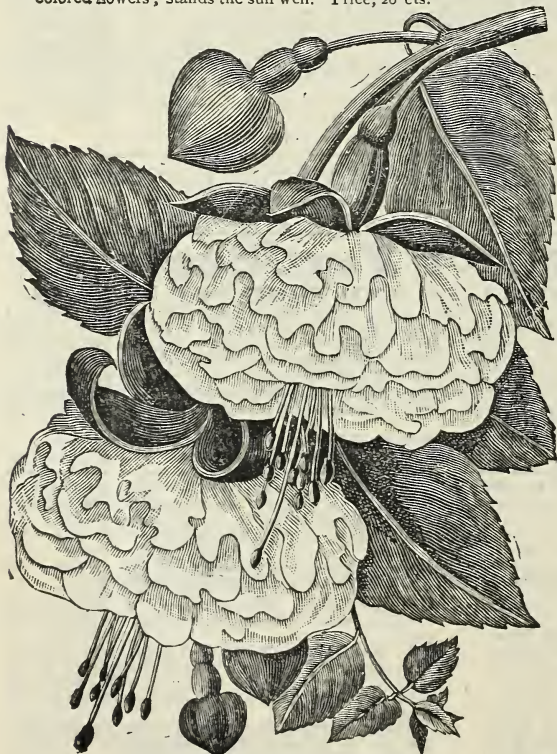
CENTAURE.—This New Mammoth Double Geranium is described by the introducer as the best large-flowering double pink variety in cultivation. It is remarkable for its stout, robust growth and immense trusses of flowers; the latter are enormous, as high as sixty florets having been counted on a single truss. Color, deep pink, shaded light pink at base of petals. A continuous bloomer. Price, 20 cts.

BRUANTIL.—This magnificent Geranium is the best variety of its color in existence. The trusses are extra long and of a bright vermilion-red color; habit of growth dense and compact; one of the best. Price, 20 cts.

WHITE SWAN.—This lovely white variety has grown very popular. It is a dwarf, compact-growing variety; foliage bright green, with band of darker green encircling each leaf; flowers very double and borne in greatest profusion; color, pure snowy white. One of the best varieties for planting in beds, supplying quantities of fine flowers for cutting all Summer and Fall; also gives complete satisfaction for Winter flowering in pots or boxes. Price, 20 cts.

SPECIAL LOW PRICES.—All the Geraniums offered above are 20 cts. each; 2 for 30 cts.; set of 6 Geraniums for 90 cts.; with the set of New Fuchsias, 12 for \$1.80.

THE BEST NEW FUCHSIAS.



NEW FUCHSIA MRS. E. G. HILL. 20 CENTS.

MRS. E. G. HILL.—This New Mammoth Double Satin White Fuchsia was imported from France, and is the largest double white variety in cultivation. The habit of growth is the most erect and robust of any, and in fine contrast with Storm King, which is of lovely weeping or pendulous appearance. The flowers are produced in abundance. The tube is short, with sepals of brightest crimson, while the enormous double corolla is pure satiny white. We strongly recommend this new variety. Price, 20 cts.

STORM KING.—This famous Fuchsia still stands at the head. We have strong healthy plants. Its flowering qualities are remarkable, blooming nearly all the time; the flowers are immense in size, 4 to 6 inches; the outer petals are deep crimson, the inside petals pure waxy white. Price, 20 cts.

PHENOMENAL.—The largest flowering Fuchsia in cultivation, a strong grower, branching like a tree. Dark, glossy, crimson-veined leaves, rich and ornamental; the enormous double flowers are bright scarlet in color, deep violet-purple corolla. Price, 20 cts.

PRESIDENT E. GUNTHER.—Splendid large, double flowers, carmine sepals, with lilac-violet corolla; a beautiful and distinct variety. Price, 20 cts.

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BULGARIA.—Flowers large; color, deep purplish red, with clearly defined sepals of brilliant carmine. Price, 20 cts.

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MAGNOLIA-SCENTED
**MOON-
FLOWER.**

(IPOMÆA NOCTIFLORA.)

This magnificent flowering climbing vine grows in favor and popularity each year; our friends and customers in all parts of our own country and Canada constantly expressing their satisfaction and delight with the *New Magnolia-scented Moon-Flower*, we have again prepared an enormous stock of splendid plants, all propagated from well-ripened blooming wood, grown in the open air on our grounds. We, therefore, guarantee every plant we send out as being the **TRUE MAGNOLIA-SCENTED MOON-FLOWER**, sure to bloom the first season. The plant is a remarkably strong and rapid grower; a single vine has been known to cover twenty-five square feet in a very short time. It is a wonderfully profuse bloomer; upwards of a thousand Buds and Flowers are frequently seen on a single vine. It will grow in any ordinary situation. The flowers are quite large, being four to six inches in diameter, and of a beautiful silvery or moon-like whiteness; they are delightfully perfumed, with a rich Magnolia odor, and are open in greatest profusion in the evening and on cloudy days. *A Moon-Flower Vine*, in full bloom on a moonlight evening in Summer, is indeed an object of lovely beauty; the illustration gives a good idea of the general effect, but it must be seen to be fully appreciated. At the low price offered, we expect this *Superb Novelty* will be included in every order.

Price, strong plants, 20 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts.; 6 for \$1; \$2 per doz.



NEW MAGNOLIA-SCENTED MOON-FLOWER. 20 CTS.

THE BLUE MOON-FLOWER.

(IPOMÆA LEARII.)

This distinct and charming Novelty is valuable on account of being in beautiful and striking contrast with the *true White Moon-Flower* (described above); habit of growth and flowering is the same. The color is exquisite clear, satiny blue, with well-defined crimson bars, very distinct. We recommend planting the Blue Moon-Flower with the White one (*I. Noctiflora*).

Price, strong plants, 25 cts. each; 3 for 75 cts.; 6 for \$1.50.

The Blue Moon-Flower and White Moon-Flower, one plant of each, 40 cts.

IPOMOEA MEXICANA.

TUBEROUS-ROOTED OR DAY-BLOOMING MOON-FLOWER.

This rare and beautiful climbing vine possesses all the good qualities of *Ipomœa Noctiflora*; it is, however, entirely distinct from it; the foliage, color of flowers, and time of blooming being different. Like the Moon-Flower, the flowers of the superb new variety are of large size; in color they are rich satiny violet crimson, and are produced in large numbers during the day-time. Price, 30 cts. each, 3 for 80 cts.

Special Offer.—*The set of three Beautiful Moon-Flowers described above for 60 cts.*



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3 NEW ROSES 60 CENTS.—We will send by Mail, post-paid, one plant each of the three elegant **NEW TEA ROSES** described below for 60 cents. They are valuable varieties and will please the most critical. We make the price for this set very low.

Sunset.—This grand Rose is one of the most beautiful varieties recently introduced. The color is old gold, elegantly shaded with dark ruddy crimson, resembling the beautiful tints seen in a Summer sunset. The flowers and buds are extra large, full, finely formed and deliciously perfumed; it is a strong, vigorous grower and free bloomer. 25 cts. each.

Ernest Metz.—This beautiful new Ever-blooming Rose is offered for the first time. Fine large full flowers, and beautiful long pointed buds; color, clear satiny pink, edged and bordered with bluish, the centre flamed with royal crimson; very excellent and desirable. 50 cts. each.

Madame Welche.—This grand Rose remains almost unsurpassed in beauty; the color is a beautiful amber yellow, deepening towards the centre to orange coppery yellow, delicately tinged and shaded with ruddy crimson; the flowers are extra large, fine globular form, very double and full, and sweet. 25 cts. each.

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