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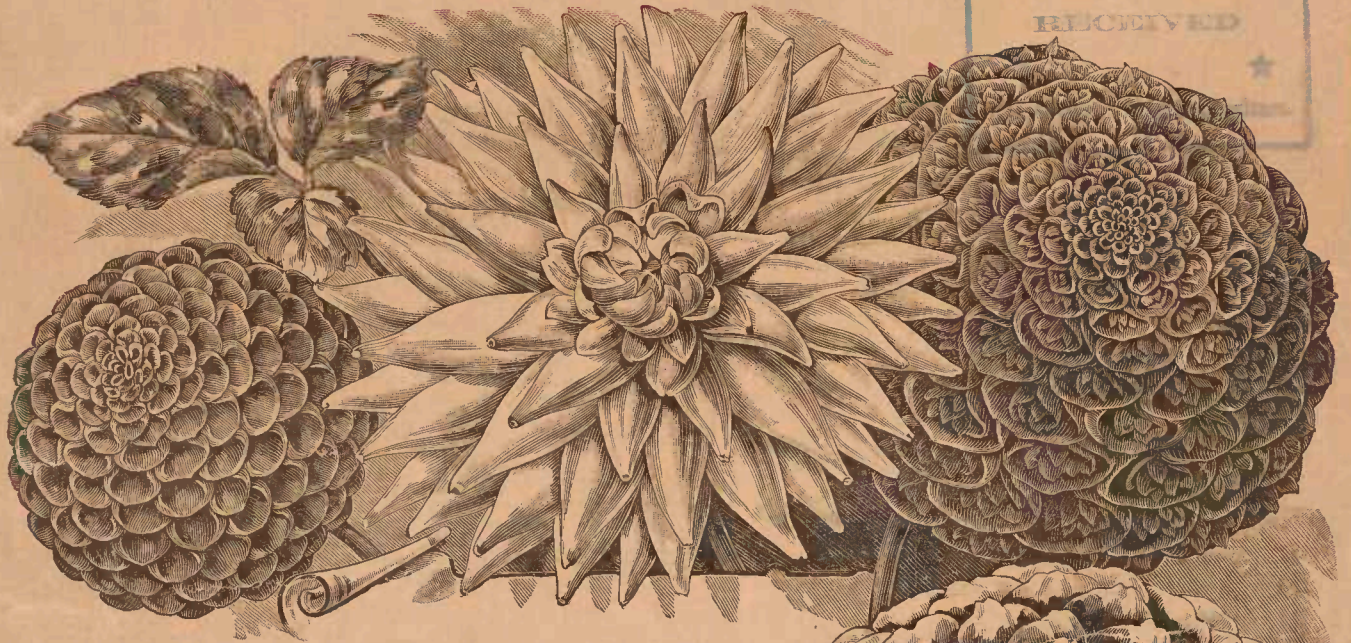
# FLOWER SEEDS

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THAT GROW.

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NEW SEEDLING

## Double Dahlias

THE finest Dahlias can be grown from seed, and plants will bloom the first season. Seed sown in the house in March and April will produce flowering plants as soon as those grown from tubers, so that the purchase of bulbs is a needless expense. They are remarkably easy to germinate, and from a packet of seed no two plants will be alike in flower, and every color represented, from snow white to dark maroon, striped and flaked. This splendid strain is saved from a large English and American collection of perfectly double varieties, including the new cactus strain from Germany, and the various Pompone and Liliput varieties.

Price, per Packet of 50 Seeds, 12 Cents.

## Dahlia, Double.

**FINE MIXED.**—This mixture contains some of the fine strains of Double Flowering varieties, such as Show and Pompone, and will produce good double flowers.

Packet, 50 Seeds, 8 Cents.







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## The Largest Exclusively Flower Seed House in America.

Selling Direct to the Amateur Flower  
Grower and Professional Florist  
at the Lowest Prices Consistent  
with Honest Quality.



CHARLOTTE M. HAINES.



S. Y. HAINES.

**To Flower Lovers:** In the making of a Flower Garden you should place your main reliance upon a few well-tried and well-liked varieties. Sow these sorts with a free hand, they will give character to the place and will not fail to give you a fine show of flowers throughout the entire summer. Buy seeds in sufficient quantity that you will have plants enough to make good large beds, so their colors will light up the place and there will be enough flowers to pick, and yet not destroy the looks of your garden. Then for the purpose of experimenting, put in incidental patches—here-and-there—in nooks and corners, all about the homestead, of the New Things and Novelties, they are the little personal touches to the garden and have interest, because they are new, and one learns what they are worth without much expense.

**To Those Who Have Plenty of Ground:** We suggest the following Favorite and Popular Varieties, which will give a magnificent show of flowers from early June until late in the fall, that will please the most critical flower lover, and what is more important to the beginner and amateur grower? You cannot fail to be successful with this assortment.

¼ lb. Sweet Peas, Best Mixed.....	Price, 25 cts.	<b>Total Value of the Collection \$2.00 PRICE ONLY \$1.00 Postpaid.</b>
1 oz. Nasturtiums, Best Mixed.....	12 "	
¼ oz. Phlox, Large Flowering Mixed...	20 "	
¼ oz. Chinese Pinks, Finest Mixed....	20 "	
¼ oz. Centaurea Marguerite, Mixed....	20 "	
¼ oz. Asters, Finest Mixed.....	35 "	
¼ oz. Sweet Alyssum.....	10 "	
¼ oz. Mignonette, Sweet.....	06 "	
¼ oz. Candytuft, Mixed.....	10 "	
¼ oz. Verbena, Mammoth, Mixed.....	15 "	
1 Pkt. Salpiglossis, Large Flowering....	04 "	
1 Pkt. Poppy, Giant Mixed.....	06 "	
1 Pkt. Phacelia, Campanularia.....	04 "	
1 Pkt. Petunia, Giant Mixed.....	06 "	
1 Pkt. Stock, Large Flowering Mixed..	04 "	
1 Pkt. Calliopsis, Double and Single....	03 "	

Sufficient Seed to plant any Ordinary Garden, allowing space for any Special Favorites or Novelties wanted.

We grow these varieties in large quantities, and as an Inducement for our patrons to try this assortment we make the price at less than wholesale figures, for **\$1.00**. We will also add as an Extra Premium, (provided only your order reaches us before March 20th.) one Packet of our Improved Royal Show Pansy, containing 200 Seeds, value 15 cents—Free. Positively no changes can be made in this assortment, neither can we allow the 15 cents Extra Premium as offered on regular orders. The Price is \$1.00 Net, and we deliver postpaid. If you want a Beautiful Flower Garden at Nominal Cost, we guarantee you will be satisfied with this collection. Try it.

**S. Y. HAINES & CO.**

January 1st, 1901.





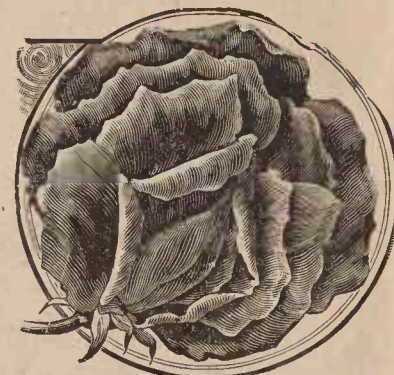
## New Giant Perfumed Sweet Pea. Peau D'Espange.

The most fragrant variety known. Extra large size, fine form and rich and delicate blendings of color—being in no other variety so fully developed. The standards are of delicate creamy rose, deepest on the dorsal surface; (a slightly clouded effect being noticeable when the flower is in its prime), carrying with it a trace of Violet. The wings are of a delicate creamy blush, suffused with a pronounced primrose tint. It is a most vigorous grower and a profuse bloomer and one of the best varieties for cut flowers, having long stems which is so desirable with the ladies for corsage bouquets. Besides being a *Decided Novelty* as to "*Fragrance*," it is superior to any other pink and white sorts. Pkt., 100 seeds, 6 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; ¼ lb., 50 cts. *None genuine unless in our Sealed Packets.*

Burpee's "Aurora."



Sweet Pea, Giant White.



Double Sweet Pea.



New Dwarf Sweet Pea—"Cupid."

### Select List of

## Sweet Peas, Best New and Distinct Colors.

	Per Pkt., 100 Seeds.	Per oz.
AMERICA, the brightest blood red striped, large showy flowers . . . . .	4 cts.	8 cts.
APPLE BLOSSOM, bright rosy pink, beautifully blended in white, a most charming variety.	4 "	8 "
AURORA, white flaked with orange, flowers of very large size and expanded form. . . . .	4 "	7 "
BLANCHE FERRY, <i>The Earliest Variety</i> . Color pink and white. . . . .	4 "	7 "
BUTTERFLY, white laced with lavender. . . . .	4 "	8 "
CAPTAIN OF THE BLUES, purplish mauve, almost true blue. . . . .	4 "	8 "
COUNTNESS OF CADOGAN, bluish purple standard, clear blue wings. . . . .	6 "	15 "
COUNTNESS OF RADNOR, delicate lavender or pale mauve. . . . .	4 "	7 "
COUNTNESS OF SHREWSBURY, standard rose color, wings white, a very delicate variety. . . . .	4 "	8 "
EMILY LYNCH, deep rose pink, veined and suffused with a soft rose pink or buff. . . . .	4 "	8 "
FIRE FLY, a deep glowing scarlet, bright and vivid. . . . .	4 "	8 "
GIANT WHITE, (Blanche Burpee), the finest and best pure white. . . . .	4 "	8 "
GRAY FRIAR, shaded with purple on a silver white ground. . . . .	4 "	8 "
GOLDEN GATE, pinkish mauve and lavender. . . . .	4 "	8 "
HON. BOUVERIE, pinkish salmon shading to buff at edges. . . . .	6 "	15 "
LADY GRIESEL HAMILTON, light lavender standard with azure blue wings. . . . .	6 "	15 "
LADY PENZANCE, beautiful rose orange color. . . . .	4 "	8 "
LADY SKELMERSDALE, light carmine standard, wings almost white. . . . .	6 "	15 "
MADAM CARNOT, standard mauve color, wings blue, very rich and delicate. . . . .	4 "	8 "
MAID OF HONOR, white edged with deep violet, a finely shaped flower of hooded form. . . . .	4 "	8 "
MARS, the entire flower is a fiery scarlet, most vivid and glowing. . . . .	4 "	8 "
MONARCH, deep bronzy maroon and dark blue. . . . .	4 "	7 "
MODESTY, the most delicate tinted pink variety in cultivation. . . . .	5 "	8 "
MRS. DUGDALE, giant flowers, light carmine rose tinted primrose. . . . .	6 "	15 "
NAVY BLUE, the only true blue Sweet Pea ever introduced. . . . .	5 "	10 "
ODDITY, pale carmine and bright rose. . . . .	5 "	8 "
OTHELLO, the best dark deep maroon variety. . . . .	6 "	15 "
PRIMA DONNA, a beautiful shade of bluish pink. . . . .	4 "	8 "
PRIMROSE, pale primrose yellow. . . . .	4 "	8 "
RAMONA, white splashed with pale pink. . . . .	4 "	7 "
RISING SUN, orange and rose, shaded carmine, a very bright color. . . . .	4 "	8 "
ROYAL ROBE, standards of a rich flesh-pink; wings soft, carmine rose, fine large flowers. . . . .	4 "	8 "
SALOPIAN, the best bright red or scarlet, both as to color and size of flower. . . . .	4 "	8 "
SENSATION, rosy cream color with white wings. . . . .	5 "	8 "
SHAHZADA, rich dark maroon with a tint of purple. . . . .	4 "	8 "
STANLEY, deep maroon, very dark and glossy. . . . .	4 "	8 "
STELLA MORSE, a true apricot tint, a most distinct shade. . . . .	5 "	8 "
TRIUMPH, flowers large size, color white suffused with salmon, pink tinted carmine base. . . . .	4 "	8 "

## Best Mixed New Sweet Peas.

Contains all of Eckford's English novelties **Up-to-Date** and the best California Giants, and is carefully mixed by ourselves from separate varieties, and is without question the best strain of Sweet Peas obtainable at any price. Pkt., 100 seeds, 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; ¼ lb., 25 cts.; pound, 90 cts.

## Fine Mixed Sweet Peas.

This strain although not embracing the new seedlings, contains a beautiful assortment of the famous Eckford Sweet Peas. Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.; oz., 7 cts.; ¼ lb., 20 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

## New Double Sweet Peas.

Double Sweet Peas are of incomparable beauty. The plants are of extremely robust growth, producing a lavish profusion of richly fragrant flowers; the flowers are extra large frequently measuring two inches across. They will not all come double, but if the plants are grown strong and luxuriant they usually produce from twenty to forty per cent of double blossoms. Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.; oz., 8 cts.; ¼ lb., 25 cts.

## Dwarf Cupid Sweet Peas.

Grows only five to eight inches high and continue to flower much later in the season than the tall varieties. Our mixture contains the pink and white cupids and a fair proportion of the latest colors. Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

## Lathyrus, Perennial Peas.

These attractive climbers are entirely hardy. The flowers are quite similar to Sweet Peas, but are borne in large close heads or clusters and have no fragrance. Pkt., 50 seeds, 5 cts.

Mrs. L. E. JACKSON, Welch, Ind. Ter., writes:—I was well pleased with the seeds bought from you last year.

Miss LIZZIE R. HUBBARD, Hills Prairie, Tex., writes:—Your seeds are the best we have ever planted. I shall recommend them to our neighbors.

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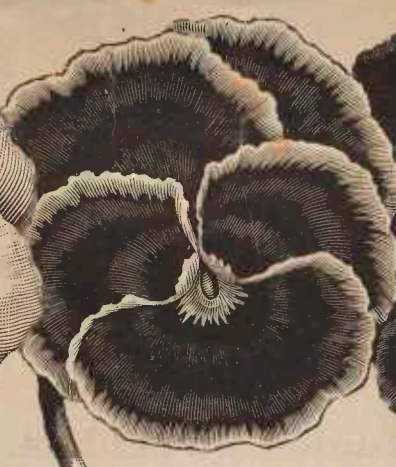




Fire King Pansy.



Snow Queen Pansy.



Peacock Pansy.



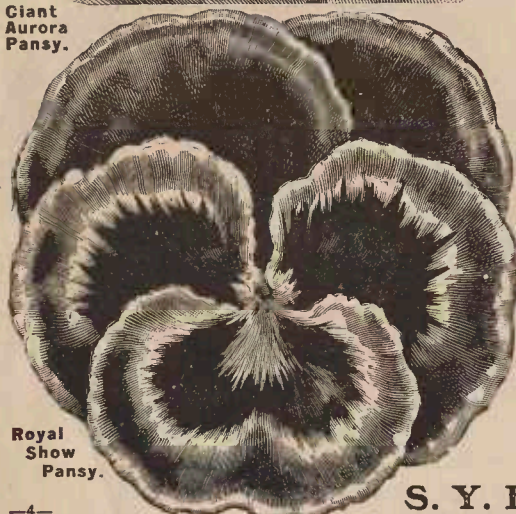
Black Prince Pansy.



Emperor William Pansy.



Giant Aurora Pansy.



Royal Show Pansy.

## Pansy, Improved Royal Show.

Unrivalled for Diversity of Coloring and Markings,  
Beauty of Form and Large Size.

Without question the finest strain in existence, selected separate colors from best German, French, English and American growers, including all the new shades and markings introduced to the present time from flowers of the largest size and most perfect shape—such as **English Show**, **Improved Large Flowered French**, **Cassier's Giant**, **Bugnot's Largest Flowered**, **Parisian Largest Spotted**, **Hortensia Red Shades**, **Coquette De Poissy**, **Odier Prize**, **President Carnot**, **Victoria**, **Striped and Mottled Fancy**, **Giant Trimardeau**, and over fifty other strains and markings, mixed and blended by ourselves. We are the introducers of the original strain of **Royal Show Pansy**, and have spared no expense to secure every known good variety worth growing in this our improved strain. It contains all the odd, curious and unique Pansies of every imaginable color, with blossoms three to four inches in diameter. Pansies are the most popular and fashionable of all flowers, and everyone should grow a liberal supply, sowing the seed by March if possible, or before, and we guarantee you will have the finest bed of pansies in your neighborhood. **Pkt., 200 seeds, 15 cts.** Trade Packet of 1000 seeds, 50 cts.

## Pansy, Black Prince.

A distinct pansy of sterling merit. The rich glossy black has a peculiarly soft, velvety appearance, the magnificent large flowers are of fine circular form and carried upright well above the foliage; the plants are of very compact, bushy habit, and flower so profusely that a bed of the Black Prince makes a sight not often equalled. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

## Pansy, Peacock.

A beautiful variety of ultramarine blue in the upper petals of the flower, edged with a thin white line, within which is a space of purplish-crimson, passing into a rich central blotch of deep blue, shading to light blue, named "Peacock" because the blending colors resemble the feathers of a peacock. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

## Pansy, Snow Queen.

Pure satiny white with yellow dot in center of flower, sometimes marked near center with faint blue or purple lines; altogether the least picturesque of any of the different classes of pansies; it is very highly prized by a great many pansy lovers for just that reason. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

## Pansy, Fire King.

This novelty comes almost absolutely true, scarcely a plant bearing flowers at variance from the type, which is very distinct and striking. The three lower petals each have a large blotch of deep brown-red or magenta margined with yellow, while the upper petals are of a bright reddish brown, of a REAL FIERY SHADE, warranting the name **Fire King**. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

## Pansy, Emperor William.

The finest blue variety. The flowers are the TRUE splendid ultra-marine blue color, with well defined purple-violet eye. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

## Pansy, Giant Aurora.

The largest PURE WHITE Pansy without blotches. Edge of petal is fringed. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 8 cts.**

## Pansy, Emperor Frederick

Velvety brown, shaded into a narrow band of deep golden yellow, which borders each petal. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

## Pansy, New Imperial Mixed.

This mixture embraces seeds of over fifty colors and markings, and is GUARANTEED to equal any strain offered as Imperial German. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

## Pansy, Meteor.

Color bright canary yellow; the three lower petals are variously spotted with mahogany-brown to dark purple, narrowly margined with gold or silver. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

## Pansy, Giant White Spotted.

The flowers are very large, pure white, with a violet blotch on the three lower petals, of good form and substance. This is the third season we have been able to offer this fine strain separate. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 6 cts.**

## Pansy, Giant "Freya."

Color rich deep purple-violet with a broad white margin which shows just as distinctly on the back of the petals and this peculiarity gives a bed of these a very unique and rich appearance not obtained by any other sort. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 6 cts.**

## Pansy, New Giant Fancy.

Remarkable for the extra large size of the flowers, which, however, are not so circular in form as the "Imperial German" or "Royal Show." **Pkt., 100 seeds, 6 cts.**

## Pansy, Giant Sweet Scented.

The Perfume of the Violet. The Beauty of the Pansy.

This new class is the result of crossing the pansy (*VIOLA TRICOLOR*) with the Sweet Violet (*VIOLA CORNUTA*); the resulting hybrids, in addition to retaining the delightful Violet perfume, produce the most beautiful Pansy-like blossoms, 2 to 2½ inches across, of great substance and of an endless variety of colors. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

Mrs. H. J. D. COOKE, Hensall, Ontario, Canada, writes:—The Sweet Peas received from you last year were grand, everyone was delighted with the handsome shades.

S. Y. HAINES & CO., 105 Boston Block, Minneapolis.





Mammoth Butterfly Pansy.



Pansy—New Red and Scarlet.



### Pansy, Coquette de Poissy.

A really distinct novelty of rare beauty. Most chaste and charming flowers; rosy lilac, deepest at the center and shading to nearly white on the two upper petals. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 6 cts.**

### Pansy, Mammoth Butterfly.

A very distinct strain; the flowers are very large, of good form and substance and produced freely. In coloring they are varied, seldom two alike in a hundred plants. They are mottled and spotted, streaked and splashed, while the colors are mainly those rich wine-reds, chocolate, velvety red-brown, lavender, violet and purple shades which are only found in a Pansy blossom. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 6 cts.**

### Pansy, New Giant "Masterpiece."

We have secured a limited quantity of this magnificent new Pansy which comes nearer to DOUBLE PANSIES than anything ever introduced under that name. The flowers are of enormous size, often three inches across, the border of every petal being conspicuously crimped and curled in such a fashion that the flowers appear double, and the color variations and combinations are very odd and striking and contains some very lovely tints of color that cannot be found in any other strain of Pansies. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 10 cts.**

### Pansy, New Giant. (President McKinley.)

Flowers are of extremely large size and circular form, measuring from two and one-half to three inches across. The ground-color is a deep, rich, golden-yellow, but each petal is so heavily blotched that the yellow appears only as a wide, well-marked border. The large blotches are so rich and velvety as to appear almost black, but closer examination shows it to be a deep red-brown, shaded with violet markings around the small, golden-yellow eye. The whole face of the flower is delicately marked with dark veinings extending into the broad, yellow margin. The back of the petal is a pure, deep yellow. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 8 cts.**

### Pansy, New Red and Scarlet.

The most brilliant Pansy mixture ever offered, made up from a collection of all the best red and fiery shades which have been produced up to date by the expert Pansy growers of Europe and America. If you want RED PANSIES try this mixture. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

### Pansy, President Carnot.

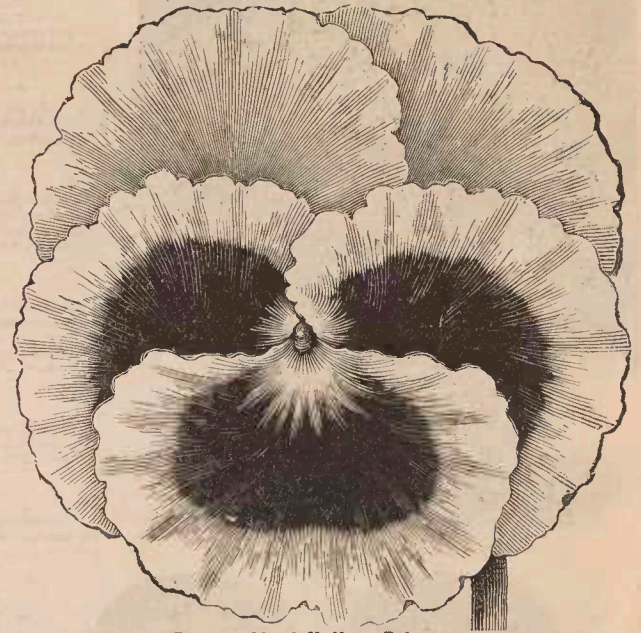
The center of each of the large, rounded petals is heavily blotched with a soft, rich shade of violet-purple. The edges are distinctly outlined with a snowy-white band. In the center of the lower petals the coloring deepens to a velvety brown tint contrasting richly with the yellow of the small, distinct eye. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 8 cts.**

### Pansy, Giant Yellow Prince.

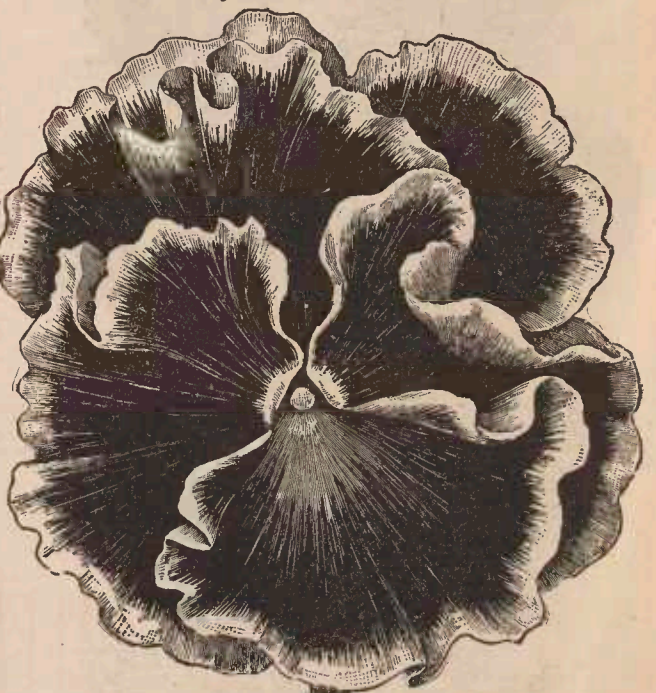
The color is pure golden yellow, shaded canary, sometimes with the three lower petals marked with purplish or red blotches and hair lines. It is impossible to reproduce by means of the printer's art the grand depth of brilliant color presented by this beautiful Pansy, when well grown. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 6 cts.**

### Pansy, The Dewey.

Flowers of the giant class, of fine form and rich velvety texture, and the color of a beautiful, rich deep red, often running to scarlet, with blotches and streaks of deeper purplish maroon and shadings of white or yellow. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 8 cts.**



Pansy—Giant Yellow Prince.



Pansy—Giant "Masterpiece."

MRS. MAY HICKS, Pepin, Wis., writes:—I bought seeds from you last year and must say, was very well pleased with them. My Pansies were very beautiful.

MISS VIOLA McWILLIAMS, East Atlanta, Ga., writes:—I ordered seeds from you last season and they proved exactly as represented, and I am well pleased with them.

DR. C. P. HUBLEY, Harbor Springs, Mich., writes:—The order of seeds purchased from you last season turned out perfectly satisfactory. The Sweet Peas were FINE.

ALICE G. PERHAM, 59 Lebanon Street, Malden, Mass., writes:—Was much pleased with the seeds purchased of you last spring, and found them as represented by you.

MRS. D. S. LISK, 3 De Forest St., Binghamton, N. Y., writes:—Had nice plants from all seed purchased from you last year and feel sure of the same success this time.

MRS. T. S. McKITTRICK, Chandler, S. C., writes:—I ordered seeds from you last year and was very much pleased with them. I always recommend your house to my friends.

MRS. CHAS. HAMAR, Nashville, Oregon, writes:—I sent to you last spring for some flower seeds and they were such a pleasure to us, the Pansies blooming all winter, and at this time, May 3d, the bed is covered with bloom.

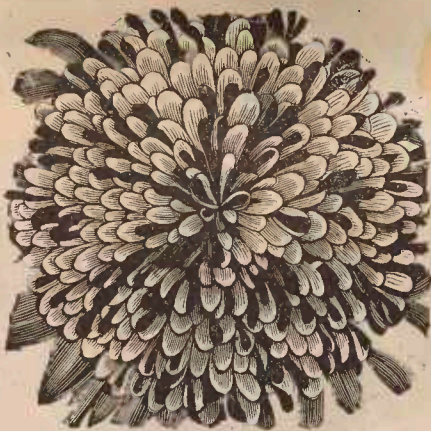
MRS. EMMA RAINY, Brubaker, Ill., writes:—I sent to you last year for seeds and never had better success. The Dahlias were the wonder of the neighborhood as they bloomed the same year they were planted. My little daughter says:—"We will never send to any one but Haines & Co. for flower seeds."

S. Y. HAINES & CO., 105 Boston Block, Minneapolis, Minn.





**CROWN ASTER**



**Aster, Harlequin.**



**Aster, New Japanese.**

**As a Popular Flower** the Aster is taking front rank with Sweet Peas, Pansies and Nasturtiums. We offer the choicest selection of the best European and American varieties of superior quality.



**Aster, Semple's Branching.**

### Asters, Crown.

A very showy variety, the large double flowers having the center pure white, surrounded with petals of distinct bright colors. The strain we offer is much improved, and we have no hesitation in recommending it to our patrons as one of the most satisfactory varieties of Asters. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

### Asters, Dwarf Queen.

Very dwarf, bushy plants, growing from ten to twelve inches high branching freely, making a dense compact bush—excellent for pot culture as well as for bedding. The flowers are of extraordinary size, perfectly double and resemble the finest Victoria Asters in form. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

### Asters, Fire King.

The Most Brilliant Aster Ever Introduced and the nearest approach to scarlet yet obtainable, a color previously unknown in this popular flower, which for an autumn show of flowers few others equal. Habit very compact, not more than twelve inches in height, with large, beautifully incurved flowers, and makes a charming companion to Snowball. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

### Asters, Harlequin.

A striking Aster of great beauty, upright habits and profuse bloomer. This new race produces odd flowers of the most handsome and attractive appearance, and continue in bloom a long time. In the gardens of Paris they are considered the most valuable of all varieties on account of their long duration in bloom and remarkable bright and conspicuous colors. Composed of pure white petals, quaintly interspersed in irregular manner, with deep blue and bright red petals. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

### Asters, Jewel, or Ball Shaped.

A new and beautiful class of Asters obtained from the well known Peony Perfection race, similar but somewhat dwarfer in habit than the latter, and with shorter petals, perfectly round flowers. Twenty inches high. All colors mixed. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 6 cts.**

### Asters, New Chrysanthemum Flowered.

Plants only ten to twelve inches high, producing large double flowers resembling Chrysanthemums, and valuable on account of profuse late flowering. All colors mixed. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

### Asters, New Japanese.

Entirely distinct and novel. Plants of pyramidal growth, about eighteen inches high, bearing on long stems from forty to fifty flowers, averaging five inches across, composed of wavy and twisted needle shaped petals, making the flower free from the stiff and formal appearance usual to Asters. The color is a soft flesh pink and rose, the two colors mixed. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 8 cts.**

### Asters, Semple's Branching.

The plants form strong robust bushes about two feet high, bearing profusely on long, strong stems handsome double Chrysanthemum-like flowers, many being over six inches in diameter. The form of the flowers is beautifully shown in the illustration, and as can be seen have none of the stiffness usual to most Asters, making them particularly desirable as cut flowers. They come into flower from two or three weeks later than most sorts, filling in the gap between the general run of Asters and Chrysanthemums.

- SEMPLER'S WHITE.**—Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.
- SEMPLER'S PINK.**—Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.
- SEMPLER'S PURPLE.**—Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.
- SEMPLER'S LAVENDER.**—Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.
- SEMPLER'S CRIMSON.**—Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.
- SEMPLER'S MIXED.**—All colors. Pkt., 200 seeds, 6 cts.

### Asters, Princess.

A most distinct and handsome new sort, equally valuable for pot culture and cut flowers. It is a sport of the "Mignon," which it resembles in habit and size. It is a most profuse bloomer, a single plant often producing as many as THIRTY FLOWERS, resembling in appearance those of the Lilliput Dahlias. In form they are semi-spherical and composed of quite short and very thickly set, imbricated petals. All colors mixed. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 6 cts.**

### Asters, Snowball.

A MOST DISTINCT AND HANDSOME VARIETY, EQUALLY VALUABLE FOR POT CULTURE AND CUT FLOWERS. It is a most profuse bloomer, a single plant often producing as many as twenty-five to thirty PURE SNOW-WHITE FLOWERS, globular in form and of extraordinary size. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

### Asters, Finest Mixed.

Of all the best, most brilliant and distinct varieties, such as Victoria, Perfection, Comet, Harlequin, New Queen, and a fair proportion of the new sorts of late introduction. For bedding and cut flowers this mixture is unexcelled, and we guarantee it will give satisfaction. **Pkt., 250 seeds, 5 cts.**

MRS. M. L. WILLIAMS, New Rochelle, N. Y., writes:—The Sweet Peas from your seeds were lovely. I have been well pleased with my flowers.

MRS. IDA TOEPFER, Toluca, Ill., writes:—I used your seeds last year and they were perfectly satisfactory. Their germinating power was all that could be desired, and the flowers as represented.

MISS ANNAH C. DANIELS, Tontogany, Ohio, writes:—The flower seeds received from you last spring gave perfect satisfaction. My Pansy bed was the envy and admiration of the whole neighborhood and my Sweet Peas lovely, they bloomed profusely all summer until frost killed them.



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Aster, California Giant, Silver Tipped.



Single Giant China Aster.



DIAMOND  
ASTER

## Aster, New Diamond.

THIS NEW RACE IS OF THE HIGHEST MERIT. The flowers are extremely beautiful and of the greatest perfection, 2 to 2½ inches across, perfectly double, and each petal is distinctly incurved. The flowers are particularly valuable for cutting for bouquets. The plants grow eighteen to twenty inches in height, and the entire plant is a perfect mass of bloom. The colors are rich and varied, ranging from pure white, violet rose, pink, carmine, purple lilac to dark crimson. All colors in best mixture. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 6 cts.**

## Aster, New Victoria.

Magnificent flowers, massive and showy, with regular overlapping petals clear to the center. The flowers measure four inches and over across, and are of rich and varied colors. The plants grow very evenly, pyramidal in form, about eighteen inches high, and carry from twenty-five to forty flowers.

**VICTORIA—Snow White—Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

**VICTORIA—Bright Pink—Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

**VICTORIA—Dark Crimson—Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

**VICTORIA—Blue Shades—Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cts.**

**VICTORIA—Mixed—Pkt., 200 seeds, 5 cts.**

## Aster, Perfection.

One of the most perfect and deservedly one of the most popular of all Asters; very double, large and beautiful flowers, with incurved petals; height, eighteen inches to two feet; nearly thirty distinct colors.

**PERFECTION—Snow White—Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

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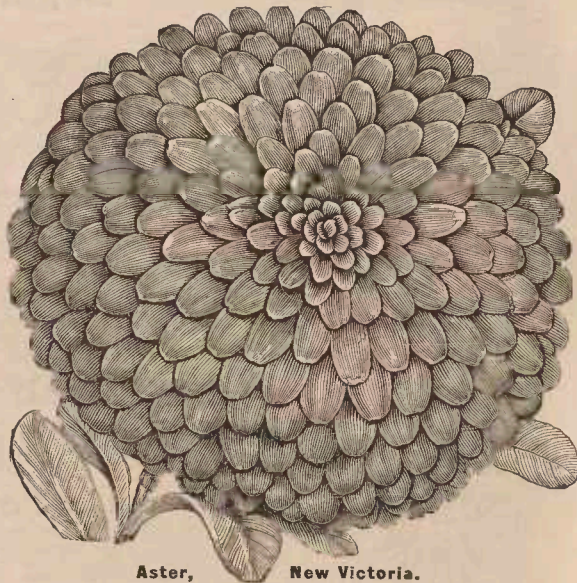
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**Alyssum, Little Gem.**



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### Chinese Lantern Plant. (Physalis Franchetti.)

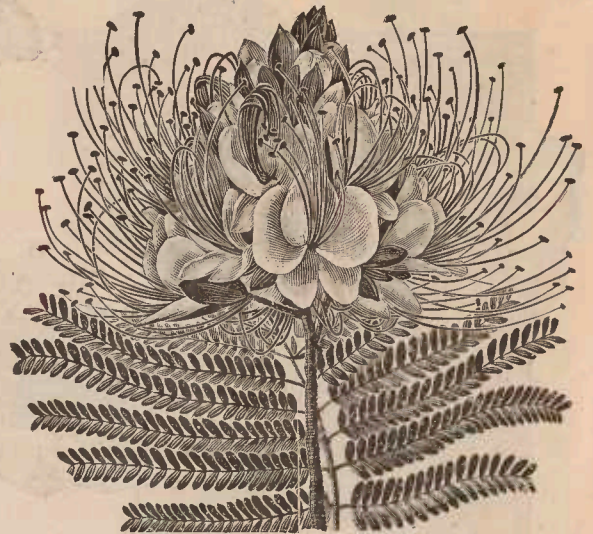
The plant produces numerous large, inflated husks, much the shape of Chinese lanterns, at first a beautiful green color, changing to a yellowish hue and then to brightest scarlet. Treated like a tomato, it grows and fruits freely from seed the first season, yet the plants are perennial and may be wintered in the cellar or grown in pots as a window plant. **Pkt., 30 seeds, 4 cts.**

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Forget-Me-Not.—Victoria.



Dianthus, (Chinese Pinks.)



Didiscus Coeruleus.

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This EARLY FLOWERING strain may now be had IN BLOOM FROM JULY TO NOVEMBER. It is such a strong, vigorous grower, and its fine, fringe-like foliage is such a pretty background for its lovely spreading flowers of white, pink, crimson or rosy purple that it can hardly be spared from any garden. All colors mixed. Pkt., 150 seeds, 6 cts.

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Daisy, (Snowball.)



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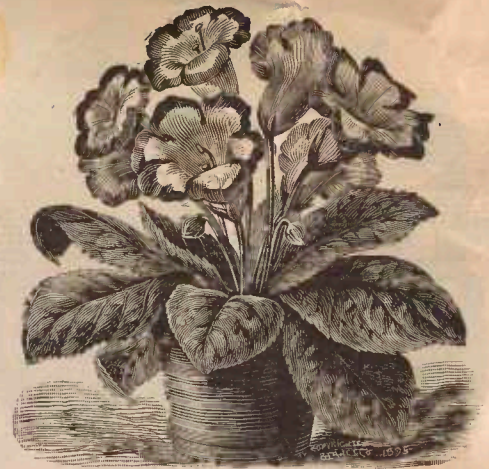




Purple Feather Grass.



Helichrysum.



Gloxinia, Hybrida.

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The Gloxinia is a grand flower and makes a lovely pot plant as easily grown and cared for as many of the common flowers. The handsome bell shaped flowers embrace a great variety of the richest and most beautiful colors, ranging from pure white to dark, blood-red, pink, bluish, lavender, indigo-blue, marbled and spotted. They will bloom in four to five months from time seed is sown. **Pkt., 50 seeds, 6 cts.**

### Geranium, New Japanese and Italian.

The best strain in existence. Grown on special contract, and seed saved from over fifty of the finest double, semi-double and single varieties of the most gorgeous and brilliant colors. They will bloom from seed in four to five months, and will frequently reward the cultivator with charming new varieties; in fact, propagation by seed is the only sure way to obtain new varieties. The most popular plant grown, either for pot culture in winter, or for bedding out in summer. **Pkt., 40 seeds, 14 cts.**

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Seed saved from twenty-five fine varieties, and it cannot fail to bring forth some splendid new sorts. **Pkt., 40 seeds, 6 cts.**

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Leaves delightfully fragrant, highly prized for bouquets. **Pkt., 30 seeds, 6 cts.**

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Large double flowers, valuable for cutting. The colors embrace sulphur, golden-yellow, orange, amaranth and claret. **Pkt., 150 seeds, 4 cts.**

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The perfect doubleness of this magnificent, large flower will please the most critical. All the best colors from deep yellow, red rose, light buff, carmine scarlet, flesh color, creamy white tinted with rose, purple, yellow on dark ground, crimson flaked with salmon, cherry red, cream on violet ground, lilac on brown ground, dark crimson to pure white, also black. If sown early in March or April the plants will bloom the first year. All colors mixed. **Pkt., 60 seeds, 4 cts.**

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Of many rich colors, the grand double flowers of this new strain are remarkable for their extra large size, novel forms and graceful arrangement upon the stems. **Pkt., 50 seeds, 6 cts.**

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### New Hibiscus, Giant Yellow, or Sunset.

The flowers of this magnificent new Hibiscus are from six to nine inches in diameter. Their color is a rich, deep cream, with a velvety, crimson maroon center. The plants grow from three to five feet high and bear from ten to twenty of their gigantic bell-shaped flowers at one time. They commence to bloom when the plants are quite young and continue until late in fall. They are perennials and can be taken up in the autumn and wintered over, while in the South they are quite hardy. They are very easily grown from seed, which should be started in the house to prolong the flowering season. **Pkt., 40 seeds, 6 cts.**

### Purple Feather Grass.

(*Pennisetum Ruppelianum*.)

The leaves are narrow, long, and arch gracefully from the centre of plant to circumference, forming a perfect fountain. From July until frost its attractiveness is enhanced by feathery purple heads which bend over on their long slender stalks. Eventually they expand until the whole plant is veiled with nodding clouds of purple. **Large pkt., 6 cts.**

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Heliotrope.

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Heliotrope is a universal favorite on account of its delightful fragrance and duration of bloom, flowering equally well as bedding plants in summer, or as pot plants in the house during the winter. Seed sown in the spring makes fine plants for bedding out, and are as easily grown as Verbenas. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cts.**

## Heliotrope, New Giant.

Flower-heads of grand size and rare beauty. Colors from pure white through all shades of violet and blue. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 5 cts.**

## Lantana.

Well-known shrubby plants with clusters of verbena-like flowers, and producing their pink, yellow, orange and white heads in great abundance. They have an agreeable aromatic perfume. **Finest Mixed. Pkt., 40 seeds, 4 cts.**

## Lavender. (Old-Fashioned Sweet.)

THE GENUINE (LAVENDULA VERA.) OUR PATRONS WHO HAVE BEEN ENQUIRING ABOUT THE GENUINE OLD-FASHIONED LAVENDER THAT GREW IN OUR GRANDMOTHER'S GARDEN CAN NOW SECURE THE TRUE SEED OF THIS WELL-KNOWN SWEET SCENTED, HARDY PERENNIAL. **Pkt., 200 seeds, 8 cts.**

## Lavender. (Spica.)

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## Linaria. Kenilworth Ivy.

A very pretty and well-known hardy perennial trailing plant, for covering rock work, and very useful for hanging baskets. The flowers are small but pretty, and for a drooping plant nothing can be better as it is easily grown from seed. **Pkt., 150 seeds, 3 cts.**

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Of very dwarf, erect growth, forming dense balls of charming azure blue flowers. **Pkt., 300 seeds, 3 cts.**

## Melothria Punctata. (Minneapolis Vine.)

Recently introduced from Austral Africa where it is also known under the name of (Pilogyne suavis), this very pretty climbing Gourd cannot fail to become very popular, for it unites many good qualities rarely possessed by open air climbers.

The foliage is elegantly cut, of a shiny, dark green color, the flowers are white and sweet scented, followed by small light green fruits, of the shape and size of gooseberries.

Easy of cultivation, vigorous and rapid in growth, it is specially adapted for covering trellises, walls, etc. **Pkt., 30 seeds, 10 cts.**

## Mimulus, Monkey Flower.

Tender-looking plants, with singularly shaped and brilliantly colored flowers, blotched and spotted in every conceivable manner. Excellent for baskets or vases, while they thrive well in the open garden. Fine hybrid mixed. **Pkt., 150 seeds, 3 cts.**

## Morning Glory, Imperial Japanese.

The Surpassing Charm of these Imperial Japanese Morning Glories lies in the Entrancing Beauty and Gigantic Size of the Flowers.

They measure from four to six inches across, and their great substance causes them to remain open much longer than ordinary Morning Glories. The colors of the flowers, shadings and markings are limitless, and are really wonders of nature, of such incomparable beauty that descriptions are inadequate.

The seed we offer is American, grown from selected Japanese stock, and embrace plain singles (which are really the handsomest), semi-doubles, quilled and frilled, crimped and scalloped, and with every hue and color, except yellow, and is superior to any other stock offered, and we GUARANTEE it will give satisfaction. Planted in our own garden late in June they were in full bloom Aug. 20th. **Pkt., Single and Double Mixed, 100 seeds, 4 cts., oz., 15 cts.**

## Petunia, Giant. (Large Flowering, Mixed.)

The largest flowering and richest colored variety in cultivation. Single flowers frequently measure over five inches in diameter, ruffled or fringed on the edges and beautifully veined, with various shades of purple, rose, lavender, yellow, crimson, pink, pure white, etc. One of the chief points of excellence is the deep throat and the diversity of veining in the throat. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 6 cts.**

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They embrace a wide range of colors, including delicate mauve, porcelain-blue, white, garnet and deep velvet shades, and will produce from twenty-five to forty per cent of double flowering plants, and the blossoms that come single will be of the grandiflora type. **Pkt., 50 seeds, 8 cts.**

## Petunia. New Star.

An exquisite variety either for the garden or pot culture, each flower having distinct white, star-like stripes, on rich purplish-red ground. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cts.**

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Mimulus, Monkey Flower.



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Imperial Japanese Morning Glory.



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## Mignonette.

A Well Known Fragrant Favorite, which produces a pleasing contrast to the more showy occupants of the garden. If well thinned out immediately the plants are large enough, they will grow stronger, and produce larger spikes of bloom. ✽

Mignonette, Golden Queen.

## Marigold, The Eldorado.

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## Marigold, French Mixed.

A class of showy and extremely effective plants, with fine double flowers of rich and beautiful colors. Pkt., 150 seeds, 3 cts.

## Mignonette, Giant.

There is no Mignonette which can equal this. Its flowers are larger in every way than those of other sorts, the spikes are very dense, its foliage is distinct, being crinkly, while its odor is strong and most delicious. The plants grow in handsome bush form and the flower spikes are borne on stiff, wiry stems. It is the **Best Mignonette** for all purposes, either in pots or for the garden. It is an **Ever-bloomer**, the flowers lasting until late in the Fall. Pkt., 200 seeds, 6 cts.

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Mignonette.

## Mignonette, Mchet. (True.)

It is of dwarf and vigorous growth, with massive spikes of deliciously scented red flowers. Pkt., 200 seeds, 3 cts.

## Mignonette, Golden Queen.

Very fine variety, with flowers of golden hue and deliciously fragrant. Pkt., 200 seeds, 3 cts.

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Nasturtium, Chameleon.

## A Popular Flower, The Nasturtium

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**Phloxes, "Starred and Fringed."**

In the FRINGED FLOWERS the petals are partly fimbriate and partly three-toothed, all distinctly bordered with white, which, together with the bright eye of the center, contrasts with the magnificent velvety colors, in more than twenty distinct shades. In the STARRED PHLOXES the pointed central teeth of the petals are five or six times as large as the lateral ones, and project beyond them like little spines, giving the flowers a distinctly marked, regular, STAR-LIKE FORM. Pkt., 150 seeds, 4 cts.

**Phlox, Perennial.**

The varieties of the perennial Phlox are among the choicest of our flowers for bedding and border plants. They are hardy and need no protection. Pkt., 50 seeds, 6 cts.

**Poppy, The Shirley.**

It is perfectly hardy and flowers the first season from seed. The flowers are large, exceedingly graceful and elegant; the colors are pure, soft and varied, and range from bluish white rose, delicate pink and carmine, through innumerable tints to bright sparkling crimson. Pkt., 250 seeds, 4 cts.

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One of the most effective and valuable Poppies introduced for years. The plants are about eighteen inches high, grow in very pretty bush form, crowned with flowers of enormous size, perfect form, very double and of the purest snow-white. Pkt., 250 seeds, 4 cts.

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The immense globular flowers are perfectly double, and measure from ten to thirteen inches in circumference, the petals are ELEGANTLY FRINGED and PURE WHITE, except at the tips, where they are DISTINCTLY COLORED WITH ROSY-CREAM. Pkt., 250 seeds, 4 cts.

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As it is in flower at all times of the year, a good specimen showing from ten to thirty large saucer-shaped blossoms about three inches across, superb colors and beautiful form. As a plant for hanging basket or pot it is unexcelled. Each blossom keeps perfect many days before fading, and when it drops others are out to take its place. The plant is a free grower, succeeding in any soil or situation, and commencing to bloom almost as soon as the cuttings are potted. As a window plant it combines great hardiness and ease of culture. In the open ground it grows freely and blooms profusely. Pkt., 30 seeds, 4 cts.

**Primula, Obconica.**

Primula Obconica is as near an everblooming plant as is possible to obtain. It has been known to flower for over twelve months without a break. Pkt., 50 seeds, 4 cts.

**Primula, Forbesi. (The "Baby Primrose.")**

It begins to bloom in three months after sowing and continues to produce flowers for ten months in succession. The flowers are very graceful, not quite half an inch across, and are of a most pleasing rose color with a yellow eye. They are borne on erect stems, ten to twelve inches high, in tiers, and remain fresh for over a week after being cut, new buds opening every day. The plant is a vigorous grower, thriving in the shade or sunshine, even in a cool house. Pkt., 50 seeds, 12 cts.

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Many persons seem to think Primulas are successfully propagated only in a greenhouse, hence we find amateurs often reluctant to attempt their culture. They are unequalled as winter bloomers, easily grown, if the right conditions are observed, and give a succession of flowers throughout the season, and are prized for both the beauty and their delicate fragrance. Single Fringed, Finest Mixed. Pkt., 50 seeds, 8 cts.

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Phlox, Large Flowering.

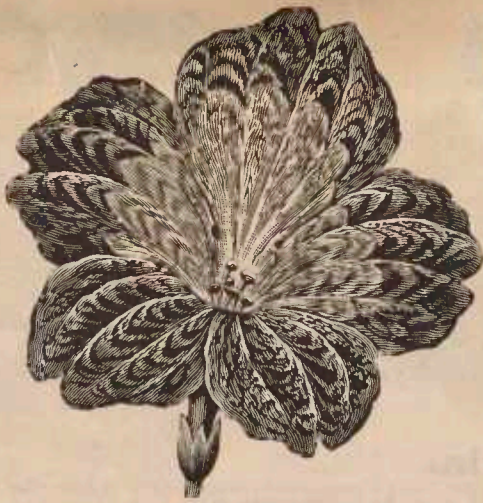


Poppy-White Swan.





**Salvia Splendens. (Scarlet Sage.)**



**Salpiglossis.**



**Sweet William.**



**Scabiosa, Double Black.**



**Ricinus Zanzibariensis.**



**Ricinus, Zanzibarensis.**

From seed sown in the open ground in May the plants are in full foliage early in July, and attain a height of twelve to fourteen feet. The enormous leaves, beautifully lobed, measure two and a half to nearly four feet across. Planted as a solitary plant on the lawn, it makes a perfect pyramid of foliage, thickly set from top to bottom with gigantic leaves. A dozen plants in a large bed make a most picturesque sight, to be admired from a long distance. **Pkt., 8 seeds, 4 cts.**

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Large palm-like leaves of a brilliant, bronzy-red maroon color, with large, red veins. **Pkt., 10 seeds, 4 cts.**

**Rose, Multiflora. (True.)**

or New Fairy Roses.

They bloom in four months after sowing, so that seed sown in February in the house may be had in bloom in June in the open ground, where they continue to bloom throughout the season, giving about an equal proportion of single, semi-double and double flowers borne in clusters, and contain all the tints and colors of cultivated roses. One of the most unique and novel pot flowers now grown. Attracts attention everywhere. The only genuine dwarf variety "Rosa Multiflora." The plants grow about one foot high; very hardy and may be treated as annuals. **Pkt., 25 seeds, 6 cts.**

**Salpiglossis. (Large Flowering.)**

**A Beautiful Annual.** We want to say a few words in favor of a beautiful half-hardy annual that is not very extensively cultivated, but which would be seen oftener if flower growers knew its real beauty. That flower is the Salpiglossis and it can be grown as easily as Phlox or any other annual. Its flowers are large and most beautifully penciled. Sow the seeds in light soil and grow the plants quite close together, and the effect when the plants are in full bloom will be very fine. You will be particularly pleased with the delicate and beautiful pencillings of this flower which will add loveliness to any season.

The graceful flowers, borne on long stems, range in color from the most delicate shades of light blue and straw color to the deepest purple and richest brown and maroon. The quaint funnel-shaped flowers somewhat resemble those of the petunia. **Pkt., 250 seeds, 4 cts.**

**Salvia, Clara Bedman. (Bonfire.)**

The plants form handsome globular bushes about two feet high by two feet in diameter. The spikes grow erect and stand clear above the foliage, completely covering the plant and are of a most brilliant, dazzling scarlet. The finest Salvia ever introduced, and by far the best for bedding and massing on the lawn. **Pkt., 50 seeds, 5 cts.**

**Salvia Splendens. (Scarlet Sage.)**

One of the grandest plants in cultivation, a bed of them surpassing the finest scarlet geraniums in brilliancy and continuous bloom; the flower spikes often measure ten to twelve inches in length, and there are as many as two hundred spikes on a well grown plant. From the time they first begin to flower, the plants are never out of bloom until killed by late frosts. It is easily grown from seed, and the purchase of plants should be abandoned. **Pkt., 50 seeds, 4 cts.**

**Scabiosa, Giant Black.**

A new variety with elegant black-purple flowers. **Pkt., 75 seeds, 4 cts.**

**Scabiosa, Snowball.**

The flowers are pure white and very double. It comes quite true from seed. **Pkt., 75 seeds, 4 cts.**

**Smilax.**

One of the most desirable window vines on account of its charming, glossy green, elegant and graceful foliage, and will grow several feet high the first season. Started in the spring it affords elegant trellis plants for the house in winter; also fine for hanging baskets. **Pkt., 75 seeds, 4 cts.; 1/2 oz., 15 cts.**

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**Stock, White Perpetual. (Princess Alice).**

The individual flowers are uncommonly large, of a fine, rosette-like shape and of the purest possible white. If sown early will produce a great abundance of bloom from June until November. **Pkt., 50 seeds, 4 cts.**

**Verbena, Mammoth.**

Flowers of unusual size, single flowers sometimes being as large as a twenty-five cent piece, while the clusters of bloom are magnificent, and the range of color more vivid than in any other mixture. For garden beds or massing, the Verbena is unrivaled; flowers of the most brilliant color, blooming continually from spring until late in the autumn. Although perennials, they bloom profusely the first season from seed. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

**Blue.** Large blue flowers, each with large white eye; very showy. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

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**Giant Sweet Scented.** The trusses are very large and the flowers of mammoth size. In coloring they are perfectly exquisite, there being very little of the common old blue and purple shades among them. They are also delicately sweet scented. For constant, profuse flowering, brilliancy and beauty of colors, this strain is not equalled. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 8 cts.**

**Lemon.** This elegant, fragrant plant is easily grown from seed and succeeds anywhere. Have a good bed of it in the garden over summer, that you can cut its fragrant foliage and flowers to make up with bouquets. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

**Odorata.** This lovely Verbena is hardy; seed may be sown in the open ground early in the spring. The blossoms, instead of being in clusters, run up into spikes three or four inches long, and is very sweet scented. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

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**The Moss.** This new Verbena produces a mass of fine, moss-like foliage, and as the branches spread out over the ground in all direction a lovely carpet of mossy green is formed, above which are borne the delicate clusters of purple-blue blossoms in the wildest profusion. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 6 cts.**

**Violet. (Viola).**

The Violet should not be wanting in any garden, on account of its fragrance and early appearance. A single flower will perfume a whole room. Succeeds best in a shady, sheltered place, and can be easily increased by dividing the roots. Finest mixed. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.**

**Violet. (Queen Charlotte).**

A splendid new large flowering white variety with flowers double the size of the original species (VIOLA), perfectly hardy, with a compact habit and the blooms produced on long footstalks, which enable the flowers to stand out well above the foliage. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 6 cts.**

**Wallflower. (Single Parisian).**

This new annual will flower throughout the summer and fall from seeds sown the same spring. Everyone should now grow some and enjoy the pleasing fragrance of the cinnamon-colored flowers. **Pkt., 75 seeds, 4 cts.**

**Wallflower. (Double Mixed).**

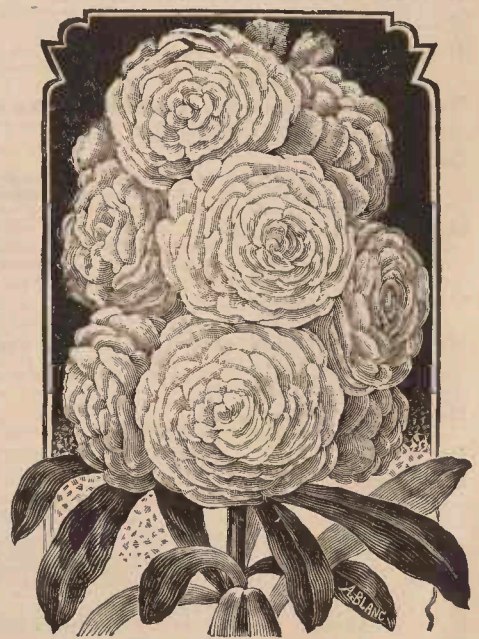
Spikes of deliciously fragrant flowers, combining many shades of colors, chocolate and orange-purple predominating. **Pkt., 75 seeds, 4 cts.**

**New Giant Zinnias.**

A new class of Zinnias, giant in size and perfectly double flowers, of the richest and most varied colors and shapes. The plants grow about three feet high and bloom freely during a long period, making them particularly valuable for large groups. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 5 cts.**



Violet—Viola Odorata.



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Flowers large, brilliant and freely produced.

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Hardy perennial, double mixed. Embracing a great variety of colors and forms.

## Balsam. Good Mixed.

A splendid strain, good colors and large double flowers

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Remarkable for its inflated membranous capsules, and sometimes called Love-in-a-Puff. The flowers are insignificant, but the plant is a rapid and graceful climber.

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Mixed, including dark and light blue, purple, pink, rose, white, etc.

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A mixture of all the best tall growing varieties.

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Mixed, all colors. Splendid for cut flowers, flowering from July to September.

## Calendula. Double mixed.

The well-known POT MARIGOLD.

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Plants bear from ten to twenty bold, long spikes, completely crowded with showy scarlet, drooping flowers. It is a good bedding plant, grown singly or in masses.

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Well known popular perennials, producing bell-shaped flowers of many different colors very freely throughout the summer. Single and double mixed.

## Cypress Vine.

A most beautiful vine with delicate fern-like foliage and beautiful star-shaped rose, scarlet and white flowers. Seed very slow to start growth. All colors mixed.

## Chinese Strawberry. (Fragaria Indica.)

Hardy perennial, herbaceous creeper, from India, with yellow blossoms, and bright red fruit, like small strawberries. Elegant for rock work or hanging baskets.

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Many distinct and beautiful marked varieties, the colors very rich, hardly any two alike.

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They bloom freely from seed sown in the open ground the first season and the roots can be taken up and kept over winter.

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This beautiful annual climber should have a place in every flower garden. It is of very rapid growth. Blooms continuously until killed by frost.

## Edelweiss. From the Mountains of Switzerland.

It is a pretty little flower, and very popular among the Swiss mountaineers, being their emblem of purity, and is much sought after by tourists.

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Of hardy annuals none are more beautiful than these; they are of a dwarf habit of growth, the flowers are of handsome shape, in the most brilliant as well as delicate colors and are produced in marvelous profusion. Of easiest culture; a child can grow them.

## Giant Spider Plant.

A splendid honey plant. A robust grower and a perpetual bloomer. The flowers are very showy, with long slender stamens, single petals measuring an inch across and of bright rose color. Seeds grow freely if sown in open ground.

## Gourds, Ornamental.

Tender, annual climbers, with curiously shaped fruit in various colors.

## Helianthus, Sunflower. (Globosus Fistulosus.)

Flowers immense, from twelve to fifteen inches in diameter, globular and extremely double. For a background to a lawn or to hide unsightly places it is especially adapted. Of easy culture as well as showy.

## Heuchera Sanguinea.

Truly a floral gem and one of the most valuable additions to the list of hardy plants.

## Ice Plant. A handsome and curious plant for hanging baskets, rock work and vases.

## Larkspur.

Well known annuals of great beauty and remarkable for the richness of their colors.

## Lobelia.

A very valuable and beautiful class of mostly dwarf growing plants; their delicate drooping habit, and the profusion of their charming little blue and white flowers, render them exceedingly ornamental for vases or hanging baskets and rockeries, blooming from June to November, while for border cultivation they are equally effective.

## Marvel of Peru. (Four O'Clock.)

One of the most brilliant and showy plants that can be grown with little or no trouble.

## Marigold. Double and single mixed, all colors.



## Mignonette, Sweet. (Reseda Odorata.)

A favorite on account of its fragrance.

## Morning Glories. Fine Mixed.

A great variety of colors of the popular old-fashioned Morning Glory.

## Nasturtiums, Dwarf. Good Mixed.

The same grade as is usually sold at 5 cents per packet, and very fine.

## Nasturtiums, Tall. Good Mixed. Free bloomer and many bright colors.

## Nicotiana Affinis.

When its large pure white flowers are fully expanded in the evening and early morning, it has a most striking effect, and so fragrant that a small bed will perfume the whole surrounding atmosphere. If the plants are taken up in the fall, cut back, and potted, they will bloom freely all winter in the house.

## Orange Daisy.

A beautiful perennial plant somewhat resembling an Aster, but having the ray-florets in several series; flower heads flat, about two inches across, bright orange color on strong, stout stems. Will flower the first season if started early in the house.

## Pansy. Good Mixed. Fine for bedding, many rich colors.

## Petunia, Hybrida. Good Mixed. Many colors and a good bedding variety.

## Penstemon.

Among the popular and hardy plants few surpass Penstemon for their useful and ornamental character. They commence to bloom in June and continue until late in fall. They are very attractive and indispensable for beds, borders and cut flowers.

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## Poppies, Double. Mixed.

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## Salvia Farinacea. Long spikes of beautiful blue flowers.

## Scabiosa. Mixed double, all colors. They are very free bloomers.

## Stocks. Dwarf German. Fine mixed. Beautiful and very fragrant.

## Sunflower. New Double, Chrysanthemum Flowered.

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