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POSTPAID. All seeds sent postpaid and safe arrival guaranteed; all orders received to the amount of $1.50 and upwards, will be forwarded by Registered Mail to purchaser's address.

QUANTITY OF SEED IN A PACKET. Customers will please note my NEW DEPARTURE in stating the number of seeds in a packet, a rule not practiced by any other seed house; which will enable those wishing to plant borders and beds of a certain length or size to calculate the number of packages required—FULL COUNT GUARANTEED. NO LESS QUANTITY THAN A PACKAGE CAN BE SOLD. This innovation of stating the number of seeds in a packet, I introduced last season; and from the number of commending letters received from patrons, it appears to fill a long-felt want.

SPECIAL PREMIUM. On all orders amounting to 25 cents or upwards (no matter what is ordered), I will add a liberal quantity of TRIAL PACKETS of new and valuable varieties FREE of charge, having made special arrangements with celebrated growers in Europe the past season for this purpose, and you can depend upon getting something beautiful and of value.

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**The Secret of Success**

**Best Seeds**

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**Pattern after Success.**

In so far as knowledge of the seed business and money can bring about that end, my system of selling Flower Seeds exclusively is the MODEL. I was the pioneer Seeds-Woman of America first to reduce prices and maintain them the first to inaugurate the system of stating the number of seeds in each packet, and last but not least prompt service, the world produces. That I have safely and solidly achieved the undisputed standard of excellence in the short space of seven years argues well for the future.

**A Rare Lot of Pansies.**

Annual Exhibition at Miss C. H. Lippincott's, a Minneapolis Cuts took place on Wednesday, April 17th, 1895.

The third annual prize show of Miss C. H. Lippincott's was held in the inclosure of the United States Botanic Garden, and was shown in the large glass house of the Horticultural Society.

The principal feature of the show was the vast number of varieties exhibited, which, it is said, far exceed in number and beauty any previous exhibition in the United States.

The flowers were arranged in a long, narrow, four-columned display case, the fronts of which were decorated with a variety of vases and vases of flowers, and the sides of which were covered with a variety of flower banks and vases.

The exhibition was spread over a space of about 100 feet in length and 50 feet in breadth, and was divided into four sections, each containing a number of varieties of flowers.

The first section contained a number of varieties of pansies, each variety being exhibited in a separate case, and the cases being arranged in a long, narrow, four-columned display case.

The second section contained a number of varieties of day lilies, each variety being exhibited in a separate case, and the cases being arranged in a long, narrow, four-columned display case.

The third section contained a number of varieties of sweet peas, each variety being exhibited in a separate case, and the cases being arranged in a long, narrow, four-columned display case.

The fourth section contained a number of varieties of stock, each variety being exhibited in a separate case, and the cases being arranged in a long, narrow, four-columned display case.

The flowers were arranged according to their height, the tallest varieties being exhibited in the center of the show, and the shortest varieties being exhibited at the edges.

The exhibition was a great success, and was seen by a large number of visitors, who were much pleased with the arrangement and beauty of the flowers.

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**ABUTILON, (FLOWERING MAPLE.)**

A very popular perennial shrub with bell-shaped, drooping flowers; well adapted to house culture, easily raised from seed, and if sown before April, under glass, plants will bloom the first season. For winter flowering, plant in September. Finest mixed. Pkt., 20 seeds, 5 cents.

**CRAB'S-EYE VINE, (ABRUS PRECATORIUS.)**

A most beautiful climber, either for pot culture or the open ground in summer; bears clusters of bright yellow flowers, followed by bunches of pods, which, when dry, burst open, disclosing brilliant red seeds with black eyes, used for making beads and other ornaments, for which purpose they are exceedingly pretty. Pkt., 10 seeds, 6 cents.

**ACROCLINIUM, (EVERLASTING.)**

One of the most beautiful and valuable of the everlasting flowers, called by some "Pink Daisies," very effective in borders during the blooming season, and possesses the additional advantage of being available for winter decoration, for which purpose it is now extensively grown. The densely double flowers are faultless both in shape and color; the flowers are somewhat larger than the single, and, from the seed I offer, about 75 per cent, will be double. On first unfolding the flowers show a charming rosy hue, fading into a delicate pink at a later stage. The usefulness of a double form of so popular and useful an everlasting as the Acroclinium undoubtedly is, needs no comment. Pkt., 50 seeds, 3 cents.

**THE FIRST ORIGINAL SEEDSWOMAN,** and the recognized authority on Flower Seeds, though the Imitator and Trailer is abroad in the land.

**THE LARGEST EXCLUSIVELY FLOWER SEED house in the world. I do not deal in Plants, Bulbs, or Vegetable Seeds, of any description.**
THE BLUE DAISY, (Agathaea Cælestis.)

The flowers are the very counterpart of the Paris Daisy, which is sky blue with a yellow disc. It makes a very pretty object for summer decoration in the flower garden, of easy growth and the plant may be had in flower all the year 'round. It is allied to Cineraria, and requires about the same treatment. A fine winter bloomer. Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cents.

AMARANTHUS, Gibosus.
A very handsome annual, ornamental foliage plant with long, drooping panicles of purplish-red flowers, frequently 2½ feet in length. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.

AMARANTHUS, Splendens, Rainbow Plant.
In the fall the leaves turn to the most brilliant colors. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.

AGERATUM, IMPERIAL DARK BLUE.
A plant that blossoms constantly all summer in the garden and makes a pleasing contrast of color with more brilliant varieties. I offer seed of the new Imperial Dark Blue as best and most showy. Pkt., 200 seeds, 3 cents.

ACACIA, Farnesiana.
One of the most beautiful plants in cultivation, having delicate, fern-like foliage and charming yellow, tassel-like flowers of the most delicious fragrance. It is one of the most easily cultivated of greenhouse plants, and sufficiently hardy to withstand the winter in a temperature very little higher than freezing point. Seeds should be sown in sandy peat, about ¼ inch deep, in a temperature of 55 deg. to 60 deg. suits them well. Pot off when large enough to handle, and place in a cool, close pit or house until quite established. Pkt., 10 seeds, 4 cents.
Alyssum, Little Gem.

ALYSSUM, LITTLE GEM.

The plants are very dwarf, each spreads so as to completely cover a circular space twelve to twenty inches in diameter. They soon become one mass of white, remaining in full bloom from spring to fall—being densely studded with the beautiful miniature spikes of deliciously fragrant flowers. Pkt., 200 seeds, 4 cents.

ALYSSUM, SWEET.

Its pure white fragrant flowers are produced from early spring till killed by frost; very useful in all kinds of bouquets. NOTE.—For a Cemetery Plant, nothing is more suitable than Sweet Alyssum—requiring but little care and attention, and a continuous bloomer throughout the summer. Pkt., 200 seeds, 3 cents.

Aquilegia, or Columbine.

AQUILEGIA, OR COLUMBINE.

Very handsome, ornamental, hardy perennial plants, of easy cultivation and bearing in profusion large flowers of novel shape and in a great variety of color, and when once established will furnish a magnificent display of flowers, each spring and summer, for many years. Double Mixed, Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.

AMBROSIA.

A hardy annual with long spiral stems, bearing an abundance of small, round, greenish-yellow buds and blossoms which are exceedingly fragrant. It is as desirable as the Rose Geranium as a plant with fragrant foliage, and for making up into bouquets and other floral work. Its long, beautiful, fragrant spirals of lovely green are unsurpassed. It is one of the easiest plants to grow, and seed may be sown early in open ground. Pkt., 250 seeds, 4 cts.
ANCHUSA CAPENSIS.

A hardy annual of more than ordinary beauty. It grows about two feet high, branching freely and bearing a profusion of the most lovely flowers, similar in all respects to the Forget-me-not, though the blooms are much larger and of finer color. It is always taken for a beautiful, large-flowering Forget-me-not, and for bouquets and cut flowers it is indeed superior to it. Its color is a deep, clear, brilliant blue with a pure white eye; one of the rarest and most lovely shades of that color. It blooms early and continues all summer. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.

Mrs. S. E. Harbin, Fair Play, S. C., March 2, 1896, writes:—I have used your seeds for two years with better success than any others.

ANTIRRHINUM, Tom Thumb, (Snapdragon.)

If those members of the flower-loving fraternity who have failed with houseplants would try the cultivation of some of our hardy out-door flowers as potplants, such as Antirrhinum, they would have little reason to complain of non-success. Many of the so-called annuals will keep up a succession of bloom for one, two and even three seasons with proper care to keep them from ripening seed, and under this treatment will bloom much more profusely, and produce much finer blossoms than if grown in the open air in the usual way. Being hardy, they can better endure occasional neglect and the dry atmosphere of the house than can more tender plants, and are not so liable to be injured by insects. Tom Thumb is the best of all the Antirrhinums, very dwarf, growing only 8 inches high, thickly studded with beautiful spikes of gay colored flowers, orange, scarlet, rose-white, maroon, striped, etc. Pkt., 250 seeds, 3 cts.
Arabis Alpina,  

ARABIS ALPINA.  

The pure white flowers grow so uniform and thickly that it gives the effect of a sheet of snow. Plants perfectly hardy. The earliest, prettiest spring flower. The spreading tufts are densely clothed with neat, lively green leaves and covered with pure white flowers of the most lovely effect, conspicuous in great distance, especially in large masses on rockeries or broad edgings for park-roads, having the advantage of braving the greatest drought during summer, and always looking neat. Pkt., 150 seeds, 4 cents.

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. Over twenty colors; mixed. Pkt., 75 seeds, 5 cents.

VICTORIA—snow white. Pkt., 30 seeds, 5 cents.
VICTORIA—bright pink. Pkt., 40 seeds, 4 cents.
VICTORIA—dark crimson. Pkt., 40 seeds, 4 cents.
VICTORIA—blue shades. Pkt., 40 seeds, 4 cents.

ASTERS, FINEST MIXED.

Of all the best varieties, such as Victoria, Perfection, Comet, Harlequin, New Queen, etc. Pkt., 100 seeds, 6 cents.
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, 18 inches to 2 feet; nearly thirty distinct colors mixed. Pkt., 50 seeds, 4 cts.

PERFECTION—snow white. Pkt., 30 seeds, 6 cts.

PERFECTION—pink ball. Pkt., 40 seeds, 5 cts.

PERFECTION—crimson ball. Pkt., 40 seeds, 5 cts.

PERFECTION—blue shades. Pkt., 40 seeds, 4 cts.

ASTERS, Good Mixed.

Many bright colors. Pkt., 50 seeds, 3 cents.

NEW YELLOW ASTER.

The form of the double flower is a perfect ball; the quills are close together and of the brightest sulphur yellow, not a mere indication of the color, as in all former productions. The border petals are broad and of a lighter tint, seeming to enclose the flower like an old-fashioned bouquet paper. The flowers are borne upon long, erect stems, excellent for cutting. As shown in the illustration, the plants, twelve to fifteen inches high, are of compact, bushy growth, and most abundant bloomers. Pkt., 40 seeds, 6 cts.

Mrs. C. Matthews, Sheldon, Ills., Oct. 7th, 1896, writes—Allow me to say a word of praise toward the Imperial Japanese Morning Glory. I had a great amount of the largest and most beautiful "Glories" ever seen in this part of the country. The colorings and markings were grand.

Mrs. E. C. Hemphill, Abbeyville, S. C., Dec. 30th, 1895, writes—My success with the seeds I bought of you, especially mixed Geraniums, were all I could desire. I have thirty nice, large plants.
NEW COMET ASTER.

The plants of this new variety are perfectly true in character, growing 12 to 15 inches high, forming fine, regular pyramids and covered with large double flowers, as shown in the illustration. The flowers measure from 3½ to 4½ inches in diameter, resembling in shape and artistically curved and twisted petals, the finest Chinese Chrysanthemums. Mixed colors. Pkt., 40 seeds, 5 cents. New White Comet Aster, Pkt., 30 seeds, 6 cents.

NEW QUEEN ASTER.

Very dwarf, bushy plants, growing from 10 to 12 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. Finest mixed. Pkt., 40 seeds, 5 cents.

NEW WHITE BRANCHING ASTER.

The magnificent, large, double white flowers, quite four inches in diameter are borne upon long stems, making them excellent for cutting. It is quite different in several respects from any Asters known, and it is only necessary that the character of the plant should be known to make it a favorite with amateurs and florists. Pkt., 40 seeds, 5c.

HARLEQUIN ASTER.

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 continues 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., 40 seeds, 5 cents.
ASTER, Fire King.
The Most Brilliant Aster Ever Introduced,

And the nearest approach to scarlet yet obtained, 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., 40 seeds, 5 cents.

ASTER, 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., 40 seeds, 5 cents.

BEAN, SCARLET RUNNER.
A Favorite Old-Fashioned Climber.

One of the very few beans that is both ornamental and useful. It grows rapidly to a height of ten or twelve feet, and is covered from July until heavy frost with clusters of beautiful scarlet flowers. Pkt., 4 cts.

Mrs. E. J. Newton, Morristown, N. J., April, 1896, writes:—I want to express my satisfaction in Miss Lippincott’s departure from the ordinary way, in giving the number of seeds in a packet. We are enabled in this way to know how much seed to buy to occupy our ground.

Miss Ora L. Lake, Knoxville, Iowa, April 9th, 1896, writes:—I have planted your seeds for three years and have always found them as represented, true to name and producing healthy and vigorous plants.
**BIRD OF PARADISE, (POINCIANA GILLESI.)**

The color of the flower is a golden yellow, measuring two and a half inches across, with shape as shown in illustration, and are produced in very large trusses. The most beautiful part of the flower is the large pistils, which are spread out in fan-like form, and are of bright crimson color. The foliage is also highly decorative, reminding one of a very delicate Acacia. If the seed is started early, it will produce blooms in great profusion the first year.

Pkt., 6 seeds, 10 cents.

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**DEFIANCE BALSAM, (LADY SLIPPER.)**

The most perfect in form and largest double flowered Balsam yet developed, and by careful growth and selection has attained a standard that will be found hard to improve. **The Mixture**, which I offer, is composed in nearly equal proportions of 8 colors: Rose, Rose White Spotted, Pink, Scarlet, White Tinted Violet, White Spotted, Scarlet White Spotted and Purple; each having been grown separately.

Pkt., 25 seeds, 4 cents.

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**BALSAM—Good Mixed.** A splendid strain, good colors and large double flowers; not equal to "Defiance," but gives good satisfaction. Pkt., 25 seeds, 3 cents.
BACHELOR'S BUTTON, DOUBLE.

It has been so perfected that fully 80 per cent. of the flowers are double and semi-double; are also increased in size and present many bright colors and distinct markings which have hitherto been unknown in this old-fashioned favorite flower. Pkt., 30 seeds, 3 cts.

BACHELOR'S BUTTON, SINGLE.

Mixed, including dark and light blue, purple, pink, rose, white, etc. Pkt., 40 seeds, 3 cents.

BRYONIA, LACINIOSA.

A beautiful climbing annual of rapid growth and easy culture, with handsome cut-leaved foliage bearing attractive green fruits, which change in color as the season advances, to bright scarlet striped with white. Pkt., 10 seeds, 3 cents.

BALSAM APPLE.

A beautiful climbing plant with apple-shaped fruits, which, if preserved in alcohol, make a most useful liniment. Pkt., 10 seeds, 3 cts.

BEGONIA VERNON.

One of the most satisfactory pot plants for the house; and a popular bedding plant for the garden or lawn. It blooms with the greatest profusion throughout the summer. Flowers a brilliant orange carmine with bright yellow centers, and the foliage waxy and glossy. It is easily raised from seed, and comes absolutely true. Valuable for bedding and general culture. Pkt., 50 seeds, 4 cents.

BEGONIA.—Tuberous rooted, single mixed. Seed saved from finest colors. Pkt., 50 seeds, 8 cents.

BEGONIA.—Tuberous rooted, double mixed, from the finest and best colors. Pkt., 40 seeds, 10 cents.
CALENDULA, Double Yellow.

Flowers extra large and very double, and they are slightly imbricated, while those of the center are incurved like the petals of a Peony. Color, bright golden yellow or orange. From seed sown in the open ground it comes into flower early, and blooms profusely all summer until late in October, and are of the easiest possible culture. Pkt., 75 seeds, 3 cents.

CALENDULA, Double White.

Similar to the yellow except in color, which is pure white, and flowers smaller. It is equally as free blooming, and the fine double flowers are very showy. Pkt., 50 seeds, 3 cents.

Miss Jessie Wilder, Hornings Mills, Ontario, Canada, April 13th, 1896, writes:—The seeds we received from you last year were good; your Petunias were grand.

CAMPANULA, Canterbury Bells.

Well known popular perennials, producing bell-shaped flowers of many different colors very freely throughout the summer. Single Mixed, Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.

CAMPANULA, Double Mixed.

Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cents.

NOTE.—The seed saved from double flowers will always produce some single flowers, no matter how careful the selection.
CROZY'S NEW DWARF CANNAS.

One of the most popular of bedding plants, while even single specimens are most attractive in the garden. They will bloom the first year from seed, if you soak them in boiling water over night; sow singly in small pots as soon as convenient, and grow as rapidly as possible. The roots can be kept in the cellar over winter and each clump will give six to eight good roots for planting out the following spring. Pkt., 8 seeds, 4 cts.

Canna—Old type, good mixed. Pkt., 10 seeds, 3 cents.

CANARY-BIRD FLOWER.

*(Tropœolum Canariensis.)*

One of our most beautiful annual climbers, with bright-green foliage, delicately cut and very ornamental. The flowers are bright golden-yellow, bearing a fanciful resemblance to birds with expanded wings. Succeeds best in a cool, slightly shaded situation, also does well as a pot or basket plant for the window or conservatory. Pkt., 12 seeds, 4 cents.

Mrs. E. M. Ketcham, Marcellus, Mich., April 15, 1896, writes:—I have grown your seeds for the past two years and was well pleased with them; had the loveliest Primroses, just as nice as others had that paid 25 cents a packet for their seed.
THE GIANT SPIDER PLANT

CLEOME PUNGENS.
The Giant Spider Plant.

A robust plant, growing vigorously four to five feet high, unaffected by wind or weather, and flowering profusely and continuously for months. In fact, it is a perpetual bloomer; the spikes continuing to increase in size as the plant grows, until they reach upward of two feet in length. The flowers are very showy, bright rose color; grows freely from seed sown in the open ground, thrives luxuriantly, and blooms all summer, no matter how unfavorable the season may be. It is also one of the best honey producing plants, and should be planted liberally by all bee-keepers. Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cents.

CANDYTUFT, Snow Queen.

A valuable and distinct species of great beauty. It is an annual variety and grows very rapidly, quickly coming into bloom, remaining in full flower for about three months. It bears but little foliage, and the mass of white produced makes it useful for borders. Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cents.

CANDYTUFT—mixed all colors. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.

CALCEOLARIA, Hybrida.

A favorite and universally admired plant, remarkable for their large, beautifully spotted blossoms, which are very showy, and from which an almost countless number of hybrids have been raised. They are perennial, are grown in pots in the conservatory, greenhouses and gardens. Mixed colors. Pkt., 100 seeds, 8 cents.

Nellie M. Lee, Niantic, Conn., Oct. 24, 1896, writes—Last spring I ordered quite a variety of seed from you, it being my first attempt to raise flowers from seeds, and never before have I derived so much pleasure as from this method of flower culture. I think for an amateur I had fairly good success with most of the seeds, some of them far exceeded my expectations. From the 50 Cineraria seeds I raised 48 plants. Only 14 of the Marguerite Carnations germinated, but they have grown to be immense plants and to-day I counted 250 buds on them, one plant alone having 65 buds.
CALLIOPSIS, NEW-Double.
A handsome double variety, flowers a rich golden yellow color, with wine-maroon spots. Pkt., 200 seeds, 4 cents.

CALLIOPSIS, OR Coreopsis Single.
Very handsome and showy plants of the easiest culture; require no care and thrive in any garden. Produce flowers in nearly every shade of yellow, orange, crimson, red, brown. It is one of those flowers which will grow in any situation and always be greatly admired. Mixed colors. Pkt., 200 seeds, 3 cents.

Lydia A. Reed, Appleton, City, Mo., March 7th, 1896, writes—I have had seeds from you for two or three years, and must say I am more than pleased. The seeds are good and true to name. All did well and were the admiration of all. Had 15 large beds of flowers and many bouquets went to cheer the sick and also to those that came to visit us.

Carnation, Marguerite.

MARGUERITE CARNATIONS.
This new class of fragrant Marguerite Carnations will bloom in about four months after sowing the seed. The flowers are of brilliant colors, ranging through many beautiful shades of reds, pinks, white, variegated, etc., exquisitely sweet and fully 80 per cent. perfectly double. The plants succeed alike in the open garden or in pots. Seeds sown early in the year will give an abundance of flowers in July. Sown in May and kept pinched back, you will have fine flowers late in the fall until checked by hard frosts. Sown in the autumn, the flowers will be in full bloom early in the spring. Thus, by planting at different seasons, flowers can be had all the year around. Pkt., 50 seeds, 4 cts.

It’s a Simple Thing

My success in the seed business is a simple thing— I started right— It isn’t so very wonderful that I have built up the largest exclusively Flower Seed business in the world—Everybody can’t do it— the wrecks of imitators the past few years prove it.
CARNATIONS, (PERENNIAL VARIETIES.)

Indispensable plants for both pot culture in the greenhouse, window garden and open ground culture in summer; of innumerable colors and delicious perfume. The plants may be set in the open ground during the summer, where they will flower as profusely as when grown in pots in the house. Half hardy perennials.

DOUBLE MIXED, producing many double flowers of all shades and colors. Pkt., 50 seeds, 6 cts.

EXTRA FINE DOUBLE MIXED, seeds saved from the finest and choicest German, French, Italian and English stocks. Pkt., 50 seeds, 8 cents.

GRENADIN SCARLET, very early, habit dwarf and compact, brilliant double scarlet flowers. Pkt., 40 seeds, 8 cents.

GRENADIN WHITE, Double Early flowering, white. Pkt., 30 seeds, 8 cents.

CHRYSANTHEMUM, (Or French Marguerites.)

Annual varieties much grown for cut flowers. The plants grow 12 to 18 inches high and produce on long stems beautiful large flowers of many bright colors. They flower all summer in the garden, and make elegant pot plants for winter flowering. Pkt., 50 seeds, 3 cts.

CHRYSANTHEMUM, (Inodorum Plenissimum.)

Although a perennial, it flowers abundantly the first year from seed, each plant producing hundreds of beautiful, perfectly double, snow-white flowers; unsurpassed for bouquets. It remains in bloom all summer, and is in all respects one of the handsomest and most valuable of flowers. Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cents.

CHRYSANTHEMUM, (Fancy Perennial.)

From the best Incurved, Pompone, Japanese, Chinese and Ane-mone—flowered varieties. Seeds sown in the hot-bed in February or March, or even April, will give plants that will bloom in August or September, and cannot fail, with proper care, to give magnificent flowers in a wonderful variety of colors and forms. Pkt., 50 seeds, 12 cents.
Centrosema Grandiflora.

**CENTROSEMA GRANDIFLORA.**

A hardy perennial vine which will bloom in June or July from seed sown in April, and bears in the greatest profusion inverted pea-shaped flowers, from 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 inches in diameter, ranging in color from a rosy violet to a reddish purple, with a broad feathered white marking through the center, while the large buds and back of the flowers are pure white, making it appear as if one plant bore many different colored flowers at one time. **Pkt., 15 seeds, 4 cts.**

Mrs. Jas. Leach, Running Water, S. Dak., January 30th, 1896, writes:—My plants raised from seed purchased of you last spring are fine, namely: Geranium and Abutilon.

Cineraria, Hybrida.

**CINERARIA, HYBRIDA.**

One of the most popular of all green-house plants, and what a splendid display they make when well grown. I know of no plant so easily grown as the Cineraria. The secret of growing well is to grow fast, never allowing them to receive a check, either from being pot bound, dryness of root, or attack of insects; the cooler they are kept the better. In colors they range from crimson, magenta, violet, purple and variegated. Large flowering mixed. **Pkt., 50 seeds, 8 cents.**

**CLIANTHUS DAMPIERI, (GLORY PEA.)**

One of the most gorgeous plants in cultivation, with clusters of pea-shaped bright scarlet flowers, each flower marked with intense black spots in the center. **Plant grows about three feet high. Pkt., 12 seeds, 8 cents.**
NEW CENTAUREA MARGUERITE.

The most Fragrant and Longest Keeping Cut Flower.

One of the most valuable introductions of late years. The flowers are the size of a medium Carnation, freely produced on long stems, which renders them valuable for cutting; color pure white, pale sulphur yellow and lavender. The flowers are sweet scented, and their lasting quality after being cut is remarkable. The plants grow about 18 inches high and are of the easiest culture; from spring sown seed they commence to flower in July, and continue until late in the autumn. This novelty is entirely distinct from all other Centaureas, and undoubtedly the most beautiful variety known. Pkt., 30 seeds, 4 cents.

Coccinea Indica.

COCCINEA INDICA.

A remarkably pretty climber. Ivy-like foliage, bright and luxuriant, never troubled with insects, and admirably adapted for trellises, arbors, etc. The small flowers are soon followed by numerous fruits two inches long, which turn to brilliant scarlet, spotted with white rendering the vine very pretty. Pkt., 15 seeds, 4c.

COBÆA SCANDENS.

Although it does grandly outside, it is also a splendid house climber, and will do well running over windows in the house, and will reward the grower with an abundance of beautiful, large, bell-shaped flowers, green at first, but rapidly changing to a beautiful deep violet blue. A well established plant will run 30 to 40 feet in a season. Pkt., 10 seeds, 4 cents.
COSMOS, HYBRIDUS.

Seed sown in April or May and transplanted to open ground will produce plants five or six feet high by September, and from then till November will be covered with hundreds of blossoms three inches across, resembling single Dahlias. All colors mixed. Pkt., 50 seeds, 4 cents.

COSMOS, WHITE PEARL.

Large, pure white flowers, very valuable for florists. Pkt., 30 seeds, 4 cents.

COSMOS, PURE PINK.

Beautiful, large flowers of a clear, delicate pink color. Pkt., 30 seeds, 4 cents.

COSMOS, PURE YELLOW.

This new variety is a clear, bright yellow. A beautiful contrast to the white and pink. The flowers are freely produced, but not quite so large as the others. Pkt., 20 seeds, 6 cents.

CYCLAMEN, PERSICUM.

Well known bulbous-rooted plants, universal favorites as pot plants for winter and spring blooming, producing handsome red and white flowers, with beautiful variegated foliage, in different shades of green. The seed should be sown in the Spring, and by Autumn will produce a bulb which will blossom the following Spring. Mixed. Pkt., 20 seeds, 5 cents.

CYCLAMEN GIGANTEUM.

Flowers of extraordinary size, and of great substance. The leaves are proportionately large and beautifully marked. Pkt., 20 seeds, 8 cents.

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. Pkt., 25 seeds, 3 cts.
COLEUS.

One of the best known and most universally admired ornamental foliage plants, in an endless variety of colors and shadings, indispensable for ribbon and carpet bedding, or as single specimens. Coleus seed germinates easily, and success is as sure as with an ordinary annual. Pkt., 100 seeds, 5 cents.

COCKSCOMB, Queen of Dwarfs.
This is the best dwarf-growing Cockscorn; the plants only grow about eight inches high, are firmly set in the crown with well-balanced, large heads, 10 to 12 inches across. They grow very uniformly and present an unusually solid effect in color, which is a rich ruby-red, of extreme brilliancy. Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cents.

COCKSCOMB—Mixed. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.

DELPHINIUM, or Larkspur.

Well known annuals of great beauty and remarkable for the richness of their colors, and for large gardens is invaluable. Mixed. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.

DELPHINIUM, Formosum.
A hardy perennial variety, flowers bright blue with a white center. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.

DOLICHOS, Hyacinth Bean.
This beautiful annual climber should have a place in every flower garden. It is of very rapid growth. Pkt., 20 seeds, 3 cents.
DAHLIA, DOUBLE.

Everyone knows and admires the Double Dahlia, but comparatively few are aware that it can be grown so easily from seed and flowers so beautifully the first season, that the purchase of bulbs is a needless expense. Choice mixed. Pkt., 30 seeds, 4 cents.

DAHLIA, NEW STRIPED SINGLE.

The extra large single flowers, quite four inches in diameter, comprise a wonderful variety of colors, beautifully striped, flaked, mottled and dotted in a grotesque and charming manner. Pkt., 25 seeds, 3c.

DATURA CORNUCOPIA, "HORN OF PLENTY."

Discovered in South America in 1892 by a collector of Orchids. The plant is of robust habit, with thick, dark brown-purple, shining stems. The branches are numerous, spreading 3 or 4 feet; thick, large, dark green colored leaves. The flowers are trumpet-shaped, measuring 8 to 10 inches in length and 5 to 7 inches across the mouth, and form three distinct flowers growing each within the other, the mouth of corolla is a most delicate white, beautifully marbled with royal purple. A single plant gives from 200 to 300 fragrant blooms during the season, followed by a large thorny seed-vessel, which adds to its beauty; is of the easiest culture; plant at the end of May in a warm, rich soil; can be cultivated as an isolated specimen, in masses, for centers of beds, or to fill barren places, and produces a striking effect. Pkt., 10 seeds, 4 cents.

DATURA, OR TRUMPET FLOWER.—Mixed.

Large branching plants, producing handsome double and single trumpet-shaped blossoms, white, blue, yellow and lilac, of exquisite fragrance. The blossoms open during the night, remaining open one day and then perish. They bloom freely from seed sown in the open ground the first season, and the roots can be taken up and kept over winter. Pkt., 20 seeds, 3 cents.
Snowball Daisy.

**DOUBLE DAISY, Bellis Perennis.**

Daisies are easily grown from spring sown seed and come into flower in a very short time. The flowers are white, pink, red and variegated. *Not all will come double from seed.* Finest mixed. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cents.**

**NEW SNOWBALL DAISY.**

A beautiful white flowered variety having very long stems with large double flowers; about 80% percent of which are extremely double. **Pkt., 50 seeds, 5 cents.**

Dianthus, Plumarius. (Pheasant's-Eye Pink.)

**DIANTHUS, PLUMARIUS. (Pheasant's-Eye Pink.)**

Dianthus, Plumarius, is the old-fashioned Grass Pink. It is perfectly hardy, blooms very profusely in early summer, and is admirable on account of its delicacy, showiness and fragrance. Its use either as a cemetery or garden flower is always satisfactory, and those who include it in their seed order this spring will never have cause for regret; it should be one of the indispensables. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.**

**DOUBLE QUILLED DAISIES.**

These pretty plants are seldom seen in our gardens in as great abundance as they deserve to be, which is owing, no doubt, to their being very impatient of our hot summers. They should therefore be grown in a shady and rather cool border. "Double Quilled" is a new strain, the flowers of which are composed of petals as round as a knitting needle; very pretty and curious. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 6 cents.**
DIANTHUS, OR CHINESE PINKS, Best Mixed.

One of the most useful and desirable plants, and for beauty and variety of colors and markings cannot be surpassed, ranging from pure white to the most delicate pink and glowing deep crimson. A bed of these in the flower garden will make a grand display at small cost. The mixture I offer includes, besides the standard sorts, all the new and brightest colors in spotted, striped and handsomely fringed varieties of late introduction, both single and double. I guarantee it will give satisfaction with any other strain offered. Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cents.

DIANTHUS, OR CHINESE PINKS, Good Mixed.

Many distinct and beautiful marked varieties. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.

DIANTHUS, Dwarf Fireball.

The most brilliant annual pink in cultivation; the plants are constantly covered with blood-red, perfectly double latchiinated flowers until checked by severe frost. Pkt., 75 seeds, 4 cents.

DIANTHUS, Dwarf Snowball.

The beautiful dwarf variety belongs to the Heddewigii class of Dianthus. The plants are very compact dwarf growth and are covered with lovely, spotless, snow-white flowers, very full and double. From its dwarf growth it is very attractive for edgings, while the flowers are also very useful for cutting for bouquets. Pkt., 75 seeds, 4 cents.

NEW LARGE-FLOWERED DWARF DOUBLE HYBRID PINKS.

The plants grow only nine to ten inches high, with extra large double flowers, frequently measuring three inches across—of perfect form and brilliant colors, ranging from pure white to deep crimson, while many are beautifully variegated and fantastically marked. Blooming freely the first season. Pkt., 100 seeds, 6 cents.

Miss Esta Boswell, Haw River, N. C., March 3d, 1896, writes:—I used your seed last year, which I am glad to say, gave general satisfaction.
Hardy annual, growing about one foot high, bearing a profusion of rich yellow flowers about two inches in diameter, making a blaze of color in the sunshine and fully as valuable as the common poppy for garden ornamentation, and as easily grown. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 3c.**

**EUPHORBIA HETEROPHYLLA, (Mexican Fire Plant.)**

The plants grow two or three feet high, with a branching, brush-like form, with smooth, glossy, fiddle-shaped leaves, which are at first entirely green, but about midsummer, at the end of each branch appear greenish-white flowers, enveloped in beautiful orange-scarlet bracts, and the surrounding leaves are either blotched with vivid carmine or are carmine with green tips. It is an annual plant, but should be started early so it will have sufficient time to develop its brilliant colors. **Pkt., 40 seeds, 4 cents.**

**EUCHARIDUHM, (Breweri.)**

A pretty and showy dwarf summer flowering annual; flowers of a purplish rose shading to white in the center. Flowers very profusely and is of easy culture. A distinct and truly elegant plant. **Pkt., 50 seeds, 4 cents.**

**ERIGERON AURANTIACA** **(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. They are of very easy culture in common garden soil and form excellent subjects for mixed borders. In a moist, well-drained situation, will flower the first season if started early in the house. **Pkt., 100 seeds, 6 cents.**

Mrs. Emma L. Donovan, Peru, Neb., March 12th, 1896, writes:—My seeds did so well last year, that I ordered of you. My Fannies were beautiful and so large.
FEVERFEW DOUBLE.
(Matricaria Eximia.)
A fine, old-fashioned bedding plant; also suitable for pot culture. It grows about 18 inches high, with numerous branching flower-stems, and are literally covered with very double, pure white flowers an inch in diameter. The great profusion of fine flowers with long, slender stems, makes it valuable to grow for cut-flowers and as desirable as a good Aster. Blooms until frost.
Pkt., 200 seeds, 3 cents.

FRAGRARIA INDICA.
Chinese Strawberry.
Hardy perennial, herbaceous creeper, from India, with yellow blossoms, and bright red fruit, like small strawberries. Elegant for rock work or hanging baskets.
Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cts.

REMEMBER
That the prices quoted in this Catalogue represents one-half more value than you ever received for the same money.

FUCHSIA, DOUBLE AND SINGLE MIXED.
Fuchsias are as easily grown from seed as cuttings, and from seed many new varieties are obtained. They will flower freely the first year in the open ground, while the plants can be taken in the house in the winter, where they will flower still more freely. The seed I offer has been saved from the very finest double and single varieties.
Pkt., 14 seeds, 8 cents.
CAPE FUCHSIA—Phygelius Capensis.

Plants barely a few inches high bear from 10 to 20 bold, long spikes, completely crowded with showy scarlet, drooping flowers, persistently produced from May until late autumn, when they can be brought in for winter blooming. It is also a good bedding plant, grown singly or in masses. The seed should be sown in a slight hotbed early in spring, and the seedlings afterwards transplanted to a warm, sunny position. Pkt., 14 seeds, 3 cents.

Forget-me-not, "Victoria."

FORGET-ME-NOT, "VICTORIA."

Of stout and bushy habit of growth, bearing umbels of large, bright, azure-blue flowers, with central double blooms, and when fully grown is quite globular in shape and perfectly covered with flowers. This beautiful Forget-me-not is the best for carpet bedding, edgings and masses, and for growing in pots. Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cents.

GAILLARDIA, New Double.

Its large, gay-colored double flowers are produced most abundantly, without intermission, from July until frost, and are valuable for cutting. The colors embrace sulphur, golden-yellow, orange, amaranth and claret. Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cts.

GAILLARDIA, Single.

Valuable annuals; single mixed. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.

GOMPHRENA, (Globe Amaranth.)

A desirable everlasting, valued for its handsome globular flower heads. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.
**GERANIUM.**

The most popular plant grown, either for pot culture in winter, or for bedding out in summer. No flowering plants are more grown, and certainly none are more suitable for large beds, where a mass of bloom is desired, or for single specimens in pots for the house. But few are aware that they can be grown easily from seed, and flower the first season if sown early, 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 seed offered has been saved from 25 of the finest varieties grown. There can be no finer mixed Geranium, and it cannot fail to bring forth some splendid new varieties.

**GERANIUM.**—Good Mixed. **Pkt., 30 seeds, 4 cents.**

**GERANIUM.**—Apple scented. Leaves delightfully fragrant, highly prized for bouquets. **Pkt., 30 seeds, 8 cents.**

Miss Bertha M. Adams, Shot Creek, Ohio, March 27th, 1896, writes:—Seeds purchased from you last year produced beautiful flowers and have enabled me to send you a larger order this season.

**GODETIA.**

Beautiful, hardy annuals, remarkable for the delicacy of their very fine large blossoms; flowers deep rose pink, rosy carmine, snow-white, with bright carmine rose spots, carmine crimson, lilac with purple and white. **Pkt., 200 seeds, 3 cents.**

**GOURDS.**

ORNAMENTAL.

Tender, annual climbers, with curiously shaped fruit in various colors, many of which are peculiarly marked. The foliage is quite ornamental, and many of the fruits being hard-shelled, can be kept for years. Seed should be started in pots in the house and planted out as soon as danger from frost is past. **Pkt., 20 seeds, 3 cents.**

**GLOXINIA.**

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, blush, lavender, indigo-blue, marbled and spotted. They will bloom in four to five months from time seed is sown. **Pkt., 50 seeds, 8 cents.**

**Gilia.**

A hardy annual, very delicate in leaf and flower, grows in almost any situation in beds or in rockery; mixed. **Pkt., 200 seeds, 3 cts.**

Mrs. May J. Whitham, Aledo, Ohio, April 8th, 1896, writes:—I used your flower seeds last season and was pleased with the results, particularly with the Sweet Peas. They were a success.
HEUCHERA SANGUINEA.

Truly a floral gem and one of the most valuable additions to the list of hardy flowering plants that has appeared in a long time. The foliage, which is evergreen, is beautifully cut and marbled and is very abundant. The flowers are borne in large, open, clean-stemmed panicles, and are of the most clear, bright, cheerful and charming scarlet imaginable. Although the flowers are small, yet they are so numerous in each panicle, and the panicles are thrown up in such profusion as to produce a most brilliant effect. Blooming as it does for a period of several weeks, and as each plant frequently sends up a dozen or more stems of its lovely flowers at a time, some idea of its beauty and value can be formed. Pkt., 40 seeds, 6 cents.

HUMULUS JAPONICUS.

One of the most rapid climbers grown, seed can be sown in the open ground in spring and it will attain enormous dimensions very quickly. The foliage is luxuriant and it is one of the best plants for covering verandas and trellises. Heat, drought and insects do not trouble it. Pkt., 20 seeds, 4 cents.

HELICHRYSUM.

A very popular everlasting, large, full double flowers of various colors, from bright yellow to scarlet, shaded and tipped. Handsome bouquets may be formed of them for winter, if blossoms are gathered when on the point of expanding. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.

ICE PLANT, MESEMBRYANTHEMUM.

A handsome and curious plant, for hanging baskets, rock work and vases. The leaves and stems appear as though covered with icy crystals and look like rock candy. The whole plant is peculiarly brilliant in the sunshine. Pkt, 200 seeds, 3 cents.

IMPATIENS SULTANI.

This most distinct and beautiful plant is almost a perpetual bloomer. The flowers are of a brilliant rosy scarlet color, and are produced so freely that a full grown specimen appears to be a ball of flowers, and continues in full beauty several months. Pkt., 20 seeds, 4c.
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, 4 cents.

HOLLYHOCK, PRIZE DOUBLE.

The perfect doubleness of the 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., 50 seeds, 4 cents.

Mrs. U. W. Hocker, Millville, Del., March 30th, 1896, writes:—I have used your seeds for three years and am well pleased with them.

Mary E. Lutz, 327 N. Railroad St., Tamaqua, Pa., March 4th, 1896, writes:—This is the third year I have ordered your seeds and am well pleased with them, all being good; your Sweet Peas last year were ahead of them all.
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., 100 seeds, 3 cents.

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. Mixed colors. Pkt., 300 seeds, 3 cents.

LYCHNIS.

A first-class border plant growing from 2 to 3 feet in height, bearing close symmetrical heads of brilliant scarlet flowers of good size and substance. If sown early in open ground will bloom first season. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.

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. Mixed. Pkt., 25 seeds, 4 cents.

MAURANDIA.

A beautiful, rapid, graceful climber, for greenhouse, parlor, basket, or out-door purposes, with rich purple, white and rose, fox-glove shaped blossoms. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.
NEW FRENCH DWARF SINGLE
MARIGOLD, LEGION OF HONOR.

The prettiest of marigolds. Dwarf, compact, and of pyramidal growth, about fifteen inches high, with dark-green, fern-like leaves, furnishing a striking background for the bright, golden, star-like flowers distributed over the surface. The blooms are of medium size, rich golden-yellow, with the center of each petal broadly marked with velvety crimson-brown, and with clustering stamens in bright shades of orange-yellow. Blooms abundantly from July until cut down by frost. So easily raised from seed that I strongly recommend it to everyone. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.

MARIGOLD, THE ELDORADO.

The large, bushy plants are each a ball of brilliant colors, many single plants having seventy-five flowers in bloom at one time. The flowers are from three to four inches in diameter, imbricated, and perfectly double. They embrace four shades of color—the lightest primrose, lemon, golden yellow, and deep orange Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.

MARIGOLD, FRENCH MIXED.

A class of showy and extremely effective plants, with fine double flowers of rich and beautiful colors; very well adapted for large beds and bordering. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3c.

MARVEL OF PERU, (MIRABILIS.)

A handsome plant both in foliage and flower combined, their colors are vivid and of great variety; the flowers open in the afternoon and are sometimes called the “Four O’Clock.” It is one of the most brilliant and showy plants that can be grown with little or no trouble. Pkt., 20 seeds, 3 cents.

MINA LOBATA.

Half hardy Mexican climbing annual. The buds are at first of vivid red, but turn to orange yellow immediately before they open, and when fully expanded the flowers are of a creamy-white shade. Pkt., 12 seeds, 4 cents.

MOLUCCA BALM, (SHELL FLOWER.)

Grows from 2 to 3 feet high, sending up a strong central stem, which is so completely surrounded by flowers as to leave scarcely any room for leaves. The flower is very curious. When cut or broken it emits a strong fragrance of balm. Pkt., 25 seeds, 3 cents.
IMPERIAL JAPANESE MORNING GLORIES.

(See cover page of catalogue for illustration in colors.)

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 greater 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. Some flowers are of deep, rich, velvety tones, others more daintily tinted and shaded than an artist's brush could portray. The solid colors range through reds, from soft rose to crimson, bronze and garnet-maroon; from daintiest light blue to ultramarine, indigo and blackish purple; from snow-white to cream and silver-gray. Some are striped, starred and spotted; others have magnificent edges and throats. The vines are of strong and robust growth, attaining a height of from 30 to 50 feet. The foliage is most luxuriant, distinct and varied—some vines have rich vivid green leaves, others have silvery leaves, some with yellow leaves and many produce leaves mottled and checkered like rich mosaics of light and dark green, white and gray. Pkt., Single and Double Mixed, 20 seeds, 6 cents.

MORNING GLORY, CONVOLVULUS MAJOR.

All colors mixed. Pkt., 50 seeds, 3 cts.; oz., 8 cts.

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. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.

NIGELLA, LOVE-IN-A-MIST.

Hardy annual, known as "Devil-in-Bush," and "Lady-in-Green," because the blossoms are partially concealed by the abundance of finely cut foliage. The plant and flower are both handsome, and require but little care. Pkt., 50 seeds, 3 cents.

NOLANA.

Beautiful trailing plants, almost equal to the Portulaca for growing in masses, and unsurpassed for baskets, pots, vases or rock work. The flower is similar in shape to a Morning Glory. Pkt., 25 seeds, 3c.
DWARF NASTURTIUMS, Aurora.

The ground color is a chrome-yellow, the upper petals being of a somewhat lighter tint, while the two lower petals are spotted and veined with purplish-carmine. Pkt., 20 seeds, 4 cents.

DWARF NASTURTIUMS, Empress of India.

The leaves are of a dark purplish-blue color, making a suitable back ground for the brilliant crimson-scarlet flowers. Pkt., 20 seeds, 4 cents.

DWARF NASTURTIUMS, Lady Bird.

The ground color of the flowers is rich golden-yellow, each petal barred with a broad vein of bright ruby-crimson. Pkt., 20 seeds, 4 cents.

DWARF NASTURTIUMS, Spotted King.

Rich orange spotted with maroon. Pkt., 20 seeds, 4 cents.

NEW CLIMBING NASTURTIUMS, Madame Gunther's Hybrids.

A new section obtained by artifical hybridizing, and distinguished by dark-colored foliage and flowers of a richness and variety of coloring not to be found in any of the different classes of Nasturtiums heretofore grown. Colors in these new hybrids include various shades of rose, salmon, bright red, pale yellow, etc., either self-colored or spotted, mottled, striped and margined. Pkt., 20 seeds, 5 cts.; oz., 18 cts.

TALL NASTURTIUMS, Finest Mixed.

I also offer a special mixture of the Tall, or climbing Nasturtiums, made up on the same basis as the Dwarf Variety finest mixed, from the best named and brightest colors only. Pkt., 25 seeds, 4 cts.; oz., 12 cts.

TALL NASTURTIUMS, Good Mixed.

Free bloomers and many bright colors. Pkt., 20 seeds, 3 cts.; oz., 8 cts.

ORNAMENTAL GRASSES.

All the annual varieties mixed, many of them being really handsome in growth, and all of them desirable for winter bouquets, if cut while green and dried in the shade. Large Pkt., 4 cents.

ŒNOTHERA, (Evening Primrose.)

Saucer-shaped flowers of various colors and enormous size, often as large as a Moonflower; very striking and fragrant. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.

OXALIS.

It is not generally known that these annual varieties of Oxalis are fully equal for edgings to the variety grown from bulbs. Mixed colors. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.
Specimen Royal Show Pansy.  Actual Size, 27/8 inches.

ROYAL SHOW PANSIES

Is a mixture especially prepared by myself from separate strains and colors of all the largest flowering and finest varieties that can be secured in Europe and is unsurpassed in beauty, colorings and markings.  Pkt., 50 seeds, 6c.;  Pkt., 100 seeds, 10c.

I PAID $200.00 in cash to the successful competitors on Royal Show Pansy, as offered in my 1896 Catalogue.  A complete list of the awards was mailed to the competitors in October last.  See page one for the prize winners.

Fannie M. Fenn, Port Byron, N. Y., Feb. 5th, 1896, writes:—I used some of your seed last season and was very much pleased with them, my Primroses were a decided success, and are in full bloom at present writing.

GIANT YELLOW PRINCE PANSY.

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, 8 cents.

Mrs. Sarah J. Fish, East Alstead, N. H., Oct. 9th, 1896, writes:—The seed which I bought from you last spring gave good satisfaction.  I had about 20 colors of Phlox Drummondii, and such beautiful colors, there were some which I never saw before; my bed of Ten Weeks Stocks was a rare sight when in its prime.  I have 6 Tuberous Begonias from my one packet of seed and the same number of Primroses from another packet.  Thanks for little book on "Floral Culture."  I prize it highly and keep it tied by a long string to the "What-not" over my writing table, so as to have it always ready for reference.
FIRE KING PANSY.

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 cents.

SNOW QUEEN PANSY.

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 cents.

METEOR PANSY.

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

PEACOCK PANSY.

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 black, named "Peacock" because the blending colors resemble the feathers of a peacock. Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cents.

NEW IMPERIAL GERMAN PANSY.

This mixture embraces seed of over fifty colors and markings, and is guaranteed to equal any strain offered as Imperial German. Pkt., 100 seeds, 5 cents.

NEW GIANT PANSY.

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

PANSY.

GOOD MIXED. Fine for bedding, many rich colors. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.
Sweet Scented PANSIES.

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—white, lemon, orange, claret, crimson, maroon, lavender, purple, silver gray, rose, black, blue, tinted, striped, blotched, etc.

The plants are easy of culture, of hardy, vigorous growth, forming deep rooting, compact tufted clumps. Planted in masses or lines, they form perfect mats covered with myriads of flowers. They are not all equally fragrant, though the majority are as highly scented as the sweetest Violet, and the other high merits of this new strain, aside from their perfume, destined them to wide popularity. Mixed colors. Pkt., 100 seeds, 6 cts.

BLACK PRINCE PANSY.

A distinct pansy of sterling merit. The flowers are considerably larger in size than King of the Blacks, and of much greater substance. 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, 6 cts.

GIANT PARIS PANSY.

Thousands of these Pansies are sold daily in the Paris markets. The flowers of this strain are as large as the Trimardeau and far superior in color and in substance of petals; the blotches are more conspicuous. Have a stout and stiff flower stem. Pkt., 100 seeds, 6 cts.
PETUNIA, HYBRIDA, Finest Mixed.
A splendid mixture, embracing all colors, including striped and blotched varieties. They are excellent for bedding or massing, remaining in bloom the entire summer. Pkt., 100 seeds, 5 cents.

PETUNIA, HYBRIDA, Good Mixed.
Many colors and a good bedding variety. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3 cents.

NEW STAR PETUNIA.
An exquisite variety either for the garden or pot culture, each flower having distinct white, star-like stripes, on rich purplish-red ground. The flowers, about 2½ inches across, almost hide the plant from view for months. Pkt., 100 seeds, 4 cents.

PETUNIA, Double.
Finest varieties carefully fecundated with best double flowers, and will produce from 25 to 40 per cent of double flowering plants. Some double, fringed in all shades of colors existing in Petunias and the blossoms that come single will be of the grandiflora type. Pkt., 40 seeds, 10 cents.

PETUNIA, Lady of the Lake.
Some magnificent double, pure white, beautifully fringed, can be obtained from this strain. Very valuable for taking cuttings from, for greenhouse decoration or bedding. Produces about 20 to 30 per cent of double flowers. Pkt., 30 seeds, 14 cts.

NOTE.—A double Petunia rarely seeds, and, consequently, the pollen has to be taken from a double flower and be applied to the stigma of a single flower, having previously removed the latter's own pollen, the single-flowering plants producing the seed. In this way the blood of the two parent plants is blended in the progeny, and, in consequence, the seeds gathered are bound to produce some single as well as double flowering plants. The weaker seedlings usually prove to be the doubles.

PETUNIA GRANDIFLORA, LARGE FLOWERING.
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 and crimson. Few flowers equal the Petunia for brilliant display, being of the easiest culture and very profuse bloomers from June until frost. Pkt., 100 seeds, 8 cents.

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