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Edward F. Dibble Seed Co.,

THE LARGEST GROWERS OF STRICTLY FARM SEEDS
IN THE WORLD.

HONEOYE FALLS, N. Y.

TRIAL GROUNDS ON THE EDWARD F. DIBBLE
SEED CO. FARMS

⇒ 1895 ⇐

Greeting :

We take pleasure in announcing to our friends and patrons that the business formerly conducted by Edward F. Dibble and that of Frank P. Jobes were consolidated last summer, according to the laws of the State of New York, under the corporate name of the EDWARD F. DIBBLE SEED CO. Mr. Jobes is an expert on certain lines of the Seed Trade, and we consider that the firm was never so strong as at the present time. We wish to thank all former patrons for the liberal purchases they have made of our Mr. Dibble, and guarantee that in the future their interests will be looked after far better than they have been in the past. We devote our entire time to the growing and general supervision of the Seeds we offer, and believe there is not another firm in existence that exercises more care in the selection of the Seed planted or that gives the crop better culture. In 1894 the United States as a whole, had the smallest crop of Potatoes on record, less than 50 bushels per acre. In sharp contrast to this, our Potatoes, nearly 200 acres, gave an average yield of over 150 bushels per acre, and 40 acres over 200 bushels per acre. Buy seed of us and you get PURE stock, Northern grown, and full of vitality.

We have several new Potatoes to offer the public this year. First of all the wonderful new early Potato, Peerless Junior, and our heavy yielding late potato, Money Maker. Among other most desirable new Potatoes we present the Clay Rose, Irish Daisy, Lightning Express, Great Divide, Everett's Heavy Weight, Maggie Murphy, World's Fair, White Prize and Orphan. These, with our standard kinds, furnish all that is desirable in the Potato line. We know, because we made a test on our Trial Grounds last season at an expense of over \$1,000 for the benefit of our customers.

We are located sixteen miles from Rochester, on the Lehigh Valley and New York Central Railroads. Freight rates are cheap to all points north, south, east and west.

From a small beginning we have grown to be without question the largest growers and sellers of strictly Farm Seeds in America. Our Farm Seeds were sold last year in twenty-eight States, Canada, Europe and Australia, and the proof that they were good is found in the fact that this year to date we have already sold over 15,000 bushels of Seed stock for March delivery to old customers. If you have never bought of us before, give us a trial order and we will guarantee you satisfaction. We aim to sell "pure Seeds, true to name and Seeds that grow." You cannot afford to plant Potatoes that were only half grown, or that blighted, or are inferior in any way, as the results will surely be disastrous, when at a slightly greater expense you can purchase choice Seed of us from crops that yielded from 150 to 400 bushels per acre.

We also ask your careful attention to the Corn and Oat pages, guaranteeing that they who buy Corn or Oats of us this year will make one of the best investments of their lives.

Please read this Catalogue very carefully. We know the stock we offer is right, we are positive the prices are right, and there is no reason why we should not have a trial order from you.

ORDER NO. 2707 W. BELLEVILLE AVE.

Date, 1895.

EDWARD F. DIBBLE SEED CO., Rome, N. Y.

Gentlemen: Enclosed find \$....., for which please send
me the following articles by $\left(\begin{smallmatrix} \text{Mail,} \\ \text{Express,} \\ \text{Freight.} \end{smallmatrix} \right)$

Name,

[illegible]

R. R. Station,

County, _____ State, _____

Quantity.

ARTICLES WANTED.

PRICE.

Amount brought forward.

TERMS.

In ordering state whether to ship by freight or express, and be sure to give both post office and railroad station, also county and state. In every instance cash must accompany order unless otherwise agreed. Send money by Bank Draft, Express order or Post Office Money Order. New barrels and bags free. All goods delivered f. o. b. cars, when our responsibility ceases.

\$150 IN GOLD GIVEN AWAY AS PRIZES.

Conditions are as follows: competitors for these prizes must purchase the seed of us, season of 1895, and all statements as to yield must be delivered to us at Honeoye Falls, N. Y., by November 1st, attested by three witnesses. The 1st day of November the prizes will be awarded, and the gold will be forwarded to the successful competitors, and in the next issue of the *Rural New Yorker* the names of the successful competitors will be announced.

\$15.00 in gold for the largest yield from one peck of Peerless, Jr., Potatoes. \$10.00 for the second best yield. \$10.00 for the largest yield from 1 pound of Peerless, Jr., Potatoes. \$5.00 for the second best yield.

\$20.00 in gold for the largest yield from 1 peck of Money Makers, season of 1895, and \$20.00 in gold to the person who grows the largest yield from 1 bushel of Money Makers in 1895.

\$20.00 in gold for the largest yield from 1 bushel of Early Golden Prolific Oats, purchased from us season of 1895. \$20.00 in gold for the largest yield from 10 bushels of Early Golden Prolific Oats, purchased from us season of 1895.

\$10.00 in gold for the largest yield from 1 peck of Mammoth 8-rowed Early Flint Corn, and \$10.00 in gold for the largest yield from 1 bushel, and \$10.00 in gold for the longest and handsomest $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen ears, delivered to us by November 1st, 1895.

10 Packets of Pure, Fresh Garden Seeds, our own selection, sufficient for a farmer's garden, Free to all New Customers ordering \$1.00 worth of our Farm Seeds.

A Peck of Money Makers Free with all purchases of our Farm Seed to the value of \$25.00 or more.

OUR SEED POTATOES.

Our Seed Potatoes are far above those that are offered this season by any other firm. Grown as they are upon soil especially fitted by the Creator for potatoes, from carefully selected seed, heavily fertilized and thoroughly tilled, it is no wonder that they stand out distinct above those of ordinary farmers. We catalogue this year over 200 varieties, some of them, perhaps, of small value, but we include them in our list, as there are many farmers and small gardeners who like to get up a large and attractive show for their County or State Fair. The varieties that we list in quantity run under 50 in number. There are several firms that catalogue more than these, but there is no sense whatsoever in cataloguing old varieties that have become valueless on account of loss of vitality and non-yielding qualities. Our potatoes are packed in *new barrels*, the peck and bushel orders in boxes, carefully selected and put up in the best possible shape. *We tell the truth about our potatoes*, and we tell what soil if any certain varieties are especially adapted for. We cannot afford to have our customers disappointed in anything they buy of us. We are glad to receive a peck order, a barrel order or a CAR-LOAD order, and the same careful attention is given to car-load lots as to the smallest shipment. If you are in want of more than 5 barrels of any variety for your own planting, write us for special wholesale prices. We are convinced that we can sell potatoes CHEAPER this year, and of better quality than any other firm, and request that you will give us an order so we can prove this assertion.

207 VARIETIES OF POTATOES.

On our trial grounds of $4\frac{1}{2}$ acres, last summer, we had growing probably the largest number of varieties of potatoes ever grown by any one firm in the world. We would like to have potatoes from this collection grown in every State in the Union, and we know people buying potatoes from us can win the first prizes at every Fair at which they exhibit. To scatter this collection broadcast, we make the following low prices for the different varieties: 1 lb. each, any 10 varieties, \$2.50, by mail or express prepaid; 1 lb. each, any 25 varieties, by express or freight, \$5.00; 1 lb. each of any 50 varieties, by express or freight, \$7.50; 1 lb. each of any 100 varieties, or 1 lb. each of the entire 207 varieties, 10c. per pound, by express or freight. Special prices given on larger quantities. Order by number.

1 Irish Daisy.	70 Early Mayflower.	139 Alleghany King.
2 Henderson's Late Puritan.	71 Red Star.	140 Lightning Express.
3 Ohio Junior.	72 Chicago Market.	141 Brooks' No. 2.
4 Vick's Early Market.	73 Early Oxford.	142 Cayuga Chief.
5 Early Mohawk.	74 Pullman Seedling.	143 No Name.
6 Lake Erie.	75 Early California.	144 White Hebron.
7 Carter's Early Sunrise.	76 Bliss Triumph.	145 Pride of the East.
8 Early Hebron.	77 Early Maine.	146 Calico.
9 King of the Roses.	78 Early Sunlit Star.	147 Vick's Late White.
10 State Peacon.	79 Queen Victoria.	148 Blush Rose.
11 McCormick Seedling.	80 Pane's Rose.	149 Alexander's Prolific.
12 Chapin's Seedling.	81 Telephone.	150 Ohio Red.
13 Republican.	82 Summit.	151 Stray Beauty.
14 Rochester Favorite.	83 Pride of the West.	152 Peerless.
15 Early Washington.	84 Durand Seedling.	153 Monroe Prize.
16 Reeves Rose.	85 White Elephant.	154 Champion.
17 Vick's Early White.	86 Pittsford Prize.	155 Vick's American Wonder.
18 California Peach Blow.	87 Jersey Peach Blow.	156 Pride.
19 Early Albino.	88 Snow Flake.	157 Bell Rose.
20 Dictator.	89 Maine Pearl.	158 Empire State.
21 Wilson Rose.	90 New York State.	159 Maggie Murphy.
22 Thorburns Early.	91 Snow Queen.	160 Badger State.
23 Rever Rose.	92 Puritan.	161 Rural New Yorker No. 2.
24 Early White Wax.	93 Vick's Baker.	162 James Vick.
25 Tiral Rose.	94 White Superior.	163 California Giant.
26 Nameless.	95 Rhode Island Peach Blow.	164 Matchless.
27 Webster Rose.	96 Henderson's Best.	165 Wall's Maggie Murphy.
28 White Mayflower.	97 Flowers Extra.	166 Pat Murphy.
29 German Rose.	98 King's Excelsior.	167 Watson's Seedling.
30 Wilson Rose.	99 Suffolk Beauty.	168 Cream City.
31 Charles Downing.	100 Genesee County.	169 Prolific Alexander.
32 Wood's Early.	101 American Giant.	170 State of Maine.
33 Everett Rose.	102 Irish Greys.	171 Home Chili.
34 Manchester Rose.	103 Fuller Seedling.	172 White May Queen.
35 Purple Troup.	104 White Bermuda.	173 County Cork.
36 Jersey White.	105 Burpee's Superior.	174 Northern Spy.
37 Burpee's Extra Early.	106 Vick's Armstrong.	175 Caroma Beauty.
38 Early Beauburn.	107 Narragansett Red.	176 Thunderbolt.
39 Arizona.	108 Cuba Orange.	177 Pride of America.
40 Vick's Perfection.	109 Monroe Beauty.	178 Spanish Beauty.
41 Jarrard's Harbinger.	110 Tuscarora.	179 Wheeler's Seedling.
42 Niggertoe.	111 Sarnia Red.	180 Potentate.
43 Rundle Rose.	112 Jumbo Charlie.	181 Burbank Seedling.
44 Garlic.	113 Lee's Favorite.	182 Governor Foraker.
45 Monroe Pride.	114 New Seedling.	183 Excelsior.
46 Sherman.	115 Ford's Late White.	184 Marshall White.
47 White Imperial.	116 Yosemite.	185 Baldrige Seedling.
48 Paris Rose.	117 Dewdrop.	186 Morgan.
49 Morning Star.	118 Mill's Prize.	187 Roseman Seedling.
50 Charter Oak.	119 Layman Seedling.	188 Blight Proof.
51 Allbright's Seedling.	120 Pride of New Jersey.	189 Carman's Favorite.
52 Polaris.	121 Gregory's No. 1.	190 Seneca Beauty.
53 Crane's June Eating.	122 White Peach Blow.	191 Green Mountain.
54 Chapman's Early.	123 Garfield.	192 Overturn No. 9.
55 Irish Cups.	124 Elephant.	193 California Best.
56 Sackett's Early.	125 Strong's Pride.	194 Vick's Long Late White.
57 Vick's Early Advance.	126 Sherman's White.	195 Great Eastern.
58 Enos Seedling.	127 Prolific.	196 Siberian White.
59 Brownell's Best.	128 Clark's No. 27.	197 Garnet Chili.
60 Early Puritan.	129 Moore's Dakota.	198 Snowflake Jr.
61 Home Comfort.	130 Tuscorora Red.	199 The Coming Potato.
62 Early Peacon.	131 Ontario Red.	200 Collins' Pride.
63 Queen of the Valley.	132 American Wonder.	201 New Champion.
64 Vick's Early White.	133 Nonesuch.	202 Purple Blush.
65 Randall's Beauty.	134 Rural Blush.	203 Baraboo White.
66 Harvest Queen.	135 Stoor's Seedling.	204 George B. McClellan.
67 Early Essex.	136 Putnam's Favorite.	205 Pinkeye Rusticate.
68 Valley Queen.	137 Late Experiment.	206 Troy Seedling.
69 Early Mohawk Valley.	138 White Whipple.	207 Governor Rusk.

EARLY ❖ POTATOES.

PEERLESS JUNIOR.

THE wonder of the Potato family, and a potato that is destined to create as great a furore as did the Early Rose. We own the entire stock, and will not sell more than one peck to any one person. See that **YOU** get a peck.

PEERLESS JUNIOR.

The PEERLESS JUNIOR is a hybrid of the Peerless and Snowflake, yields like the old Peerless when at its best, with the eating qualities of the renowned Snowflake. Form, round to oblong, russet white skin, and large size. The vines grow rank and stocky, in fact, the strongest, heaviest stalk we ever saw, and blight proof. In this most unfavorable season, we raised **114 bushels** of fine large tubers, weighing from one-half to three pounds each, from every barrel planted, with common field culture. As we usually plant three barrels per acre, you can readily see what this yield means. On our Trial Grounds, out of 205 varieties, there was but one Potato that ripened as early as the Peerless Jr., namely, the Early Ohio.

The PEERLESS JUNIOR is the only early Potato that 'grows *all large tubers*—absolutely no small ones. We shall sell only a limited amount, as we would like to keep enough to plant 25 acres ourselves next season, such faith have we in this greatest of all early Potatoes. We know this to be the best early Potato ever offered, and advise our friends to get in on the ground floor now.

PRICE: 1 lb., postpaid, 50c; 3 lbs., \$1.00; 1 peck, by express or freight, \$2.00.

Freeman.

The FREEMAN has made a good record again this year, as we have a number of acres that have run nearly 200 bushels per acre, and one field of Freemans yielded over 225 bushels per acre. It is very early, round to oblong in shape, brownish russet color, and, without question, the finest eating Potato on the list. Especially adapted to rich, moist land, or soil that is heavily manured or fertilized.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 60c, postpaid. Peck, 75c; bush., \$2; bbl., \$4.50.

EARLY WHITE PRIZE.

A new sort, pure white in color, very handsome, oblong tubers, and a heavy yielder. Ripens with the Polaris and Freeman, and seems to be especially adapted to sandy or dry upland soils. We advise our customers having sandy farms, to include at least a barrel of WHITE PRIZE with their order.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lb., 50c, postpaid. Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.50.

EARLY SIX WEEKS.

Probably the earliest of all Potatoes. Similar to the Early Ohio in many respects, and called earlier. Experiments have proven to us that EARLY SIX WEEKS can be grown plenty large enough for eating purposes in 6 or 7 weeks. The Early Six Weeks is a fair yielder, a fine eating Potato, and is very desirable for the home garden.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 60c, postpaid. Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.50.

Polaris.

Next to the Freeman, it is the very best early white Potato, and on soils that are not especially adapted for the Freeman it is perhaps superior. We consider the POLARIS one of the best all-around early Potatoes, either for home use or for the market. Good size, long, oval shape, white in color, and when cooked, as fine as flour. It has yielded at the rate of 600 bushels per acre. After growing this Potato several years, among other kinds, we conscientiously recommend it to our friends.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 50c, postpaid. Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.25.

EARLY OHIO.

A very reliable old early Potato, known for years as the earliest of all varieties and the largest yielder of the extra early sorts, especially suitable for the home garden or early market crop. We have a large stock of this well known variety.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 50c, postpaid. Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.50.

EARLY PURITAN.

Introduced by Peter Henderson Sons, of New York, and called by them the best early Potato. Very similar to the Polaris in every respect. We like it very much.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 50c, postpaid. Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.25.

OHIO JUNIOR.

Very similar to the Early Ohio, of which it is a seedling. If anything, a little earlier.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 50c, postpaid. Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.50.

THE NEW QUEEN.

The New Queen. Introduced by our friend Jerrard of Maine, is a new Potato of the Hebron type, and is in fact a seedling from the old Early Hebron. It is an elegant Potato and heavy yielder. It is of superb quality, good size, a rank grower, and take it all in all, we consider it a most desirable early variety. In this dry season they yielded well with us, and gave a good crop of nice large tubers.

PRICE : 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 50c, postpaid. Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.25.

WORLD'S FAIR.

A new variety of the Freeman type, a little later, and, from our experience, not as good a yielder, but we have heard excellent reports from it in other States.

PRICE : 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 60c, postpaid. Peck, 75c; bush., \$2; bbl., \$4.50.

EARLY SUNRISE.

In our opinion one of the very best Early Rose varieties, as it is a seedling of the old Early Rose. The tubers are long and handsome, very productive and fine quality.

PRICE : 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 50c, postpaid. Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.25.

CROWN JEWEL.

Introduced by Johnson & Stokes, of Philadelphia, the seedsmen who make a specialty of market garden trade, claiming that it is a seedling of the Early Ohio, and it partakes of all the pure qualities of its excellent parent without being a poor yielder. Its skin is white, sometimes flesh tinted, and very smooth, eyes shallow, flesh pure white and floury, vines are vigorous and resist drouth. A good, first-class early Potato.

PRICE : 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 50c, postpaid. Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.25.

Pedigree Stock of EARLY HEBRONS.

A standard variety. very fine quality and good yielders. Our stock of Hebrons are as choice as any in America to-day.

PRICE : 1 lb., 25c; 8 lbs., 50c, postpaid. Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.25.

The Early Harvest.

A beautiful new Potato, which we consider a very desirable variety, extremely early, good yielder, superb quality, and has a fine appearance, making it a valuable sort for first early market. The tubers are good size, nearly white, and the only objection is that the eyes are oftentimes quite deep. The shape is oval flattened, and sometimes long oval, quality A No. 1.

PRICE : 1 lb., 60c.; 3 lbs., \$1.00, postpaid by mail. Peck, 75c.; bush., \$2.00; bbl., \$4.50.

EARLY MAINE.

A seedling of the Early Rose, but the skin is whiter and is several days earlier. They are not only more smooth, more productive and of better quality than the Rose, but in our opinion, far superior in every way.

PRICE : 1 lb., 25c.; 3 lbs., 50c., postpaid. Peck, 50c.; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.25.

CARMAN No. 1.

Perhaps no new early Potato has had so much advertising as the Carman No. 1. This is a new potato resembling the Rural New Yorker No. 2 in shape, but is exceedingly early. We have a limited stock of this remarkable new potato to offer this season, and would advise all those who feel as though they could afford it, to try it. Elbert S. Carman, the Editor in Chief of the *Rural New Yorker*, who is the father of this variety, claims for it that it is, in his opinion, the most desirable potato he has ever seen.

PRICE : 1 lb., 60c.; 3 lbs., \$1.00, postpaid by mail. Express, } 1 peck, \$3.00 ;
½ bush., \$5.00; bush., \$8.00; bbl., \$20.00.

The Early Norther.

Another superb early Potato, originated in Maine, that should have a good sale. Very similar to its parent, the Early Rose, though from all reports at hand it out-yields that grand old sort two to one. The originator claims that it yields larger crops than the Rose did in the "palmy days of its youth."

PRICES : Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.50.

GENUINE

Old Early Rose.

The grand Potato of the '70's. The Early Rose that we offer is grown from seed brought direct from Prince Ed-

OLD EARLY ROSE.

ward's Island, and is, without question, the purest and most genuine stock offered by any growers in this country. It has made some extremely good yields this year, and seems to have recovered a new lease of life.

PRICE : 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 60c, by mail.
Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.25.

Burpee's Extra Early.

Claimed by W. Atlee Burpee, who is considered good authority in the seed trade, to be the earliest and best of all extra early Potatoes. He claims it to be one week earlier than the Early

BURPEE'S EXTRA EARLY.

Rose and nearly twice as productive. The Potatoes are good size, very smooth, skin creamy white, shaded with pink. The flesh is pure white, and of the very best table qualities. It is a sure cropper, and immensely productive.

PRICE : 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 60c, postpaid. Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.50.

Summit.

This is another Potato of the Rose sort, but not quite as early as the Early Rose, perhaps a week later. The potatoes usually grow to be long, smooth and handsome, and good quality, claimed to be rot proof.

PRICE : 1 lb., 50c; 3 lbs., \$1, postpaid by mail. Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3 50.

SECOND EARLY, OR INTERMEDIATES.

Victor Rose.

A year ago we predicted that the Victor Rose would take the lead, wherever it was planted, of the second early varieties. This has proven to be the case. Last year we sent the Victor Rose into New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Long Island, Virginia, and a number of other States, and wherever planted, either on light, sandy soil or heavy ground, whether the season was wet or dry, it has made a good record. It is a seedling of the Reeves Rose, which dates back to the Early Rose. It is a week or ten days later than the early varieties, but one of the best yielding Potatoes we have. Handsome pink in color, skin perfectly smooth, free from all disease, eyes are prominent, shape is oblong to long, ends are nearly square, and in fact it is the best shaped Potato we have ever seen.

It has outyielded the Reeves Rose, Early Rose, Houlton and Everett, in every case where it has been grown side by side. We recommend the Victor Rose as the *best second early Potato* ever brought to your attention. Our stock this year is a large one of handsome, large sized, well shaped tubers, that yielded in common field culture over 200 bushels of sorted stock per acre.

PRICE : 1 lb., 25c ; 3 lbs., 60c, postpaid. Peck, 50c ; bush., \$1.50 ; bbl., \$3.50.

Lightning Express. —

Introduced last year by the largest Seed Company of the Northwest, and claimed by them as the **BEST EARLY POTATO THEY HAVE EVER SEEN**. It is a wonderful Potato—wonderful in yield, wonderful in size, wonderful in earliness and wonderful in keeping qualities. This Potato withstood the drouth of last season extremely well, and cropped enormously, tubers so large in one case that **30 of them made a bushel**, at the same time they were fine grain and of delicious quality. The skin is pale pink to white, shape is oblong and slightly flattened; the vines grow wonderfully strong, and show a remarkably vigorous growth. The **LIGHTNING EXPRESS** is a strong grower in every respect, and a heavy yielder. We have a good stock of them this season, and candidly advise all of our friends to test them.

PRICE: 1 lb., 50c; 3 lbs., \$1.00, by mail, postpaid. Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.75.

Brownell's Winner.

A most desirable second early variety of the Rose type, color is a dark rich red; form is slightly flattened, with good square ends. Very fine eating quality, and one of the best yielding second early sorts we have ever seen.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 60c, postpaid. Peck 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.25.

Rochester Rose.

Originated right here in the Genesee country of Western New York. The Potatoes are handsome, skin is slightly darker color than the Early Rose, though they resemble that well known sort. They are not quite as early as the Early Rose, with larger tops and the tubers of larger size.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 60c, postpaid.

Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.50.

Prize Taker.

A very valuable Potato of the Rose type, coming to us from the Northwest. Not quite as early as the varieties just mentioned. It is an extremely heavy yielder, excellent flavor, skin is flesh color, tubers oblong, of fine size; yielded last year 742 bushels per acre, the best keeper of any variety ever introduced.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 60c, postpaid.

Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.25.

Governor Rusk.

Ripens about with the Prize Taker, rose color, large size, shape roundish oblong to long, a very healthy, vigorous variety, cooking mealy and white. For general cropping the Governor Rusk is a very desirable red Potato.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 60c, postpaid.

Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$2.50.

Reeves Rose.

Belongs to the same class as Everett and Houlton, resembles them in shape and is grown very extensively by the Jersey and Long Island truckers. Our stock is strictly pure.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 60c, postpaid.

Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.25.

Houlton Rose.

Similar in form and shape to the Everett, tubers not quite as long, heavy yielder on rich land, originated in Maine and is a vigorous grower.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 60c, postpaid.

Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.25.

Rural Blush.

A round, red Potato, eyes deep, strong, very healthy and vigorous, too well known to need description.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 60c. Peck,

50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$2.50.

Everett Rose.

A second early Rose variety. Shape long to oblong, bright pink in color and a good yielder.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 60c, postpaid.

Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.25.

LATE VARIETIES.

Money Makers.

A Potato we have all been waiting for. In the Potato world growers have been waiting for several years for a new, long, white Potato that would take the place of the firmly established Burbank, White Star and Monroe Seedling in the hearts of the American public. We confidently assert that we have that new Potato under the name of **MONEY MAKER**. The **MONEY MAKER** is a long, handsome, well-shaped white Potato. The eyes are nearly even with the surface, tubers are occasionally flattened, it is not uncommon to have the tubers 8 inches and upwards in length, and a finer grained Potato we have never seen. The eating quality is perfect, and without question, the Money Maker is the finest baking Potato ever put in the sanctified precincts of an oven. Added to its already described valuable qualities are these facts: it grows the heaviest, rankest foliage that ever covered a big hill of Potatoes; on our Trial Grounds, this year, out of 205 varieties, the plat given over to Money Makers was a beautiful sea of green all through the season; absolutely and unequivocally blight and drouth proof, not showing the slightest effects of the dry weather. It may be claimed the **HEAVIEST, RANKEST GROWING POTATO OF OUR TIME**. In yield, in this most unfavorable season, it produced 137 bushels of choice stock from every barrel planted, or at the rate of over 400 bushels per acre. Those who have seen our bin of Money Makers, and we assure you many connoisseurs have visited our Potato cellars, pronounce it the **HANDSOMEST LONG WHITE POTATO EXTANT**, and a variety that will draw attention in any market in the wide world. We advise you to invest in a barrel of Money Makers at least, and start yourself **NOW** on the high road to fortune. We stake our reputation as Potato growers, that the Money Maker will be a greater success than has been any other Potato introduced in the past decade.

PRICE: 1 lb., postpaid, 75c.; 1 peck by express or freight, \$1.50; 1 bushel, \$3; 1 bbl., \$7. We will not sell more than 5 barrels to any one person, and on a 5 barrel lot the price will be \$6 per barrel. We will give \$20 in gold to the person who grows the largest yield from 1 peck, season of 1895, and \$20 in gold to the person who grows the largest yield from 1 bushel in 1895.

WONDERFUL CLAY ROSE.

THIS IS THE POTATO.

In the Money Maker we offer you the acme of perfection in the late Potato line, and in the CLAY ROSE we offer you a marvel in the Rose family. The Clay Rose was brought out by us last season, and it has become an established favorite in scores of farmers' families, who have never known what it was to raise a large crop of Potatoes before. This remarkable variety was called to our attention several years ago by a farmer who was growing it on stiff, white clay soil, where one would naturally think it would be impossible to grow Potatoes at all, yet under ordinary cultivation this grand variety yielded over 400 bushels per acre, and in one instance **over 700 bushels from 15 bushels planted.** Such a record on heavy land was never made by any other kind. The tubers cook dry and mealy, and there is no other Potato of the Rose family that is of better quality, in our opinion, than is the Clay Rose. Its form is round to oblong, skin is delicious pink, free from all disease whatsoever. Its hill growth is very compact and frequently containing 8 to 20 Potatoes, all of which, or nearly all, large size. The vines are strong, dark green, and RANK GROWERS. They have never blighted with us and may be considered

THIS IS THE WAY THEY GROW.

BLIGHT PROOF. These Potatoes are the best variety for strong, heavy soil, whether it be clay or dark, rich loam. The Clay Rose will revolutionize the operations of those farmers who have been compelled by the character of their soils to make as staple crops, wheat, other grains and hay. With wheat bringing the low price that it does at the present time, wheat culture in the Eastern States is far from profitable, and right here our wonderful Clay Rose steps in and gives these farmers a variety that they can grow and obtain equally as large crops as can their more favored brothers on sandy soils. *We believe the Clay Rose planted on rich, heavy land will give as large yields as can be obtained from any other variety planted on the best natural potato lands in the country.* This stock is so desirable in color and form that it will sell in the market for Early Rose. Heavy land farmers, now is your time to get out of the rut of grain growing and start Potato farming, which will surely prove profitable. Our experience has proven that the Clay Rose **is the only variety for you to plant.**

PRICE: 1 lb., 50c; 3 lbs., \$1.00, post-paid. Peck, 75c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$4.00; 5 bbls., \$3.00 per bbl.

IRISH DAISY.

IRISH DAISIES AS GROWN BY THE EDWARD F. DIBBLE
SEED CO.

Last year we sold the stock of Irish Daisy to Wm. Henry Maule, reserving several hundred bushels for our own planting the past season. This is truly a great Potato. It has a skin that is pure white, the tubers are round to oblong in shape, perhaps not as good form as some other varieties, but still they will sell upon the market for Burbank or White Star. They ripen with the Rural New Yorker No. 2 and Potatoes of that class, but are enormous yielders. We have had these Potatoes yield with us in field culture at the rate of over 400 bushels per acre, and on our test grounds they ran on a quarter of an acre over 4 lbs. per hill of merchantable tubers from one eye planted, while we had one hill that gave 15 lbs. 9 oz. of tubers, and 5 HILLS THAT PRODUCED OVER 1 BUSHEL. The Irish Daisy is especially adapted to extremely strong, rich, well cultivated and well fertilized soil. The reason for this is that this variety sets a large number of tubers and it is essential to have plenty of fertility at hand to have them attain large size. We Predict for this variety a heavy sale, and believe it will prove as popular as did the Freeman, which was introduced as well by our friend Maule. We wish to state right here that there will be a great many Potatoes sold this year for Irish Daisy that are not Irish Daisy at all, as there is another Potato, a good yielder, but so extremely late that it never gets ripe, that *some unscrupulous seedsmen* are foisting upon the innocent public under the name of Irish Daisy, that is an entirely different and practically valueless Potato and only resembles it in appearance. We know that if you buy Irish Daisy of Wm. Henry Maule or of us you get genuine stock. It will prove a good general purpose Potato, as it has averaged 40 barrels from one planted right straight through this season.

PRICE : 1 lb., 50c; 3 lbs., \$1, postpaid. Peck, 75c; bush., \$2; bbl., \$4; 5 bbls., \$3 50 per bbl.

ORPHANS.

A long white Potato, brought to our attention a year ago by a friend of ours, who is a good, careful Potato grower. He claims it is a seedling of the Monroe Seedling, which traces its parentage back to the Star. We have given it a trial this year on our farms and it has given good results. It is handsome in shape, and fine quality, and a heavy yielder.

PRICE: 1 lb., 50c; 3 lbs., \$1.00. Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$4; 10 bbl. lots, \$3.50 per bbl.

Great Divide.

Introduced by Burpee last year. A new oblong to long white Potato, eyes plentiful and found near the surface, giving it a very handsome appearance, the skin is very white and firm, grows compactly in the hill, good size, and claimed by him to be the heaviest yielder with which he is acquainted, and perfectly free from disease. We have but a small amount of this Potato, and therefore cannot offer it in large quantities this year.

PRICE: 1 lb., 50c; 3 lbs., \$1.00, postpaid. Peck, \$2.00.

Rural New Yorker No. 2.

This is the sixth season that we have grown this most reliable Potato, and year by year our good opinion has been steadily growing of this variety, and we can agree with Mr. Elbert S.

Carman, of the *Rural New Yorker*, who claims it is *the most reliable general crop variety in existence*. It withstood the drouth well, and makes good crops wherever we have had it planted, it is a standby, and every farmer who reads this catalogue and who has never grown the Rural New Yorker should start this year. It has good form, large size, few eyes, flesh white, and excellent quality. Our seed is strictly pure and most carefully selected, and we consider the stock we have to offer far more desirable in every respect than it was when we began growing it six years ago.

PRICE: 1 lb., 30c; 3 lbs., 50c. Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.25; bbl., \$3; 5 bbl. lots, \$2.50 per bbl.

MAGGIE MURPHY.

A new Potato that is a decided acquisition to the Potato family. The shape is flattened oblong, with smooth eyes, resembling the Rural New Yorker in many respects with the exception of color. It is a bright red, and the season is late. We unhesitatingly recommend this as the best *late red variety for general field culture*, taking the place of the Dakota Red and Rural Blush, giving equally as good a yield, with far handsomer and more salable tubers.

PRICE: 1 lb., 50c; 3 lbs., \$1.00. Peck, 60c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$4.00; 10 bbls., \$30.00.

American Wonder.

A comparatively new Potato. The skin is pure white, very fine grain, and an excellent cooker, similar to the White Star in appearance and far more productive. We have had several crops this season that have run from 200 to 300 bushels per acre. Our stock is grown direct from seed purchased of the introducers' original stock. It is well worthy of a trial.

PRICE: 1 lb., 30c; 3 lbs., 50c, postpaid. Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.25; bbl., \$3.

Troy Seedling.

The heaviest yielding, extremely late Potato with which we are acquainted, thin skin, pure white, round to oblong in shape, vines are rank, rich dark green, absolutely blight proof. It has proven *enormously productive*, and it would seem as though it was the Potato for farmers who wish to grow the largest possible quantity of Potatoes from a given amount of land regardless of the quality.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 60c, postpaid.

Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.00.

Henderson's Late Puritan.

Which, as its name indicates, came from the great firm of Peter Henderson Sons, of New York, and claimed by them to be the best long late variety. We have grown it for several years and like it very much. Good shape, yellowish white in color, large size and fine grain.

PRICE: 1 lb., 30c; 3 lbs., 50c, postpaid.

Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.25; bbl., \$3.00.

Vick's Champion.

A large new late white Potato, wonderfully strong grower, extremely large, nearly round, eyes full and nearly even with the surface. Is as productive as the late Peerless, and resembles it in many respects.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 50c, postpaid.

Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.00.

Monroe Seedling.

A seedling of the White Star and similar to it in shape, but quality is finer, and by far a heavier yielder. Our stock of Monroe Seedlings that we have to offer are strictly gilt edge, fine, handsome, large size, smooth and bright.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 50c. Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.00.

Everett's Heavy Weight

Claimed by Everett to be the heaviest yielding, extremely late Potato introduced, desirable only for the general market, as its eating qualities are not first-class.

PRICE: 1 lb., 50c; 3 lbs., \$1.00, postpaid. Peck, 75c; bush., \$2.00; bbl., \$4.00.

Clark's Nonesuch.

A good late Potato, tubers nearly the same shape as Victor Rose, white, good quality, and a fine table Potato. *Should be planted on sand only*, as it has a tendency to grow scabby on other soils.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 50c, postpaid

Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.00.

White Star.

Standard long white Potato, heavy yielder, and desirable for general market purposes.

PRICE: 1 lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 50c, postpaid.

Peck, 50c; bush., \$1.50; bbl., \$3.00.

CORN.

Dibble's Mammoth Eight-Rowed Early Flint Corn, which was offered to farmers last season for the first time, has proven all that we guaranteed it to be. Among the very desirable qualities of this wonderful Corn can be mentioned its enormous size, the ears being the longest of any variety of Corn that is grown, either Flint or Dent. Our stock of seed is from ears that are 10 inches and upwards in length. Our growers select our seed ears at time of harvesting, and they are given the most careful attention from that time until we pack them in bags ready for shipment. The Corn has been grown by father and son for years, until it is beyond a shadow of a doubt the purest, handsomest, heaviest yielding variety we have in this broad country of ours. It grows to good height. Each stalk bears from two to four ears under good cultivation. This year our fields of 40 acres are giving an average yield of from 140 to 160 bushels of ears per acre, shelling out from 60 to 80 bushels of first class A No. 1 shelled corn per acre. The great desideratum in a corn for northern farmers is that it should ripen early. The mammoth Flint which we offer becomes fully matured within 100 days from date of planting in any latitude. We supposed that we had an abundance of this Corn for our last season's trade, but found, to our disappointment, that our stock was short, as we returned any quantity of money after we were sold out. Our prices are extremely low, and as you all know this has been an unfavorable Corn year, it behooves every Corn grower to get the best seed attainable, so that he may be insured a good crop next season.

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PRICE: 1 peck, 50c; $\frac{1}{2}$ bush., \$1.00; 1 bush., \$1.50; 10 bush., to one address, \$1.25 per bush. New sacks free in every case.

We will give \$10 in gold for the largest yield from one peck, purchased of us, grown season of 1895, \$10 in gold for the largest yield from one bushel, and \$5 in gold for the longest and handsomest shaped half dozen ears delivered to us before November 1st, 1895. Cash for all of our prizes will be immediately forthcoming and paid to the winners November 1st, and the prize winners will be announced in the issue of the *Rural New Yorker* as soon as possible thereafter.

OATS.

Early Golden Prolific.

This variety, of which we are the introducers, is an addition to the Oat family that will be welcomed by every farmer.

The Early Golden Prolific has demonstrated to our satisfaction the past year that it is not only the heaviest yielding Oat in America, but also one of the very best quality. The straw is short and stocky, growing very strong, stands up like a wall and never lodges. The grain grows, as a rule, three in each chaff, two large ones and one smaller one between the two. They weigh from 36 to 40 pounds per bushel, the hull is very thin, most desirable for feeding purposes. Its name will bear dissection. EARLINESS, a most desirable feature in an Oat, is found in this Oat of ours. OUR CROP, SOWN THE LATTER PART OF APRIL, was ready for harvesting and some of them WERE CUT IN JULY. Its color is GOLDEN, that pure golden amber tint so rarely seen and never found in any other Oat. PROLIFIC indicates its yielding quality, and when you read the following you cannot help but say the Oat is rightly named.

The Department of Agriculture reports that this has been the poorest Oat year in the past decade, yet our Early Golden Prolific Oats yielded, with ORDINARY CULTURE, 114 bushels and 6 pounds PER MEASURED ACRE, while the common Oats sown by farmers on the four farms adjoining that of farm on the west, 32 bushels per acre; farm on the north, 30 bushels per acre; farm on the east, 35 bushels per acre; farm on the south, 28 bushels per acre. Read the affidavit below of two disinterested parties:

We, the undersigned, do hereby state that we drew and helped thrash from one acre of land, in the season of 1894, eighty-seven (87) baskets of *Early Golden Prolific Oats*, that weighed out one hundred fourteen (114) bushels and 6 lbs. These Oats had but ordinary culture, and only one hundred seventy-five (175) pounds of fertilizer was sown on this acre and no manure.

JOSEPH A. DURKFE.
JOSEPH M. SIMMONS.

Sworn and subscribed to before me, this 13th day of December 1894.

A. M. HOLDEN,
Notary Public.
Monroe County,
N. Y.

SHEAF, EARLY GOLDEN PROLIFIC OATS, 6 TO THE BUSHEL

THE GREAT WHITE MAINE OAT.

We guarantee that the Early Golden Prolific Oat will prove to be the most productive, popular, and best selling Oat ever introduced, and know that every farmer who buys 10 bushels this year will be able to sell every bushel that he grows next season to his neighbors at \$1.00 a bushel at least.

PRICE: 1 bush., \$1.50; 2 bush., \$2.50; 10 bush., \$10.00, new bags free.

We believe that 125 and possibly 150 bushels of these Oats can be raised per acre, and we offer \$40.00 IN GOLD as prizes to prove that it can be done. \$20.00 for the largest yield from 1 bushel, and \$20.00 for the largest yield from 10 bushels.

The Great White Maine.

When we introduced this variety several years ago we little realized what a hold it would take on the American public. This is the fourth year which we have sold it, and never yet have we had enough Oats to fill all orders. Two years ago we returned, after we were sold out, over \$500 in cash, and last year, after selling several thousand bushels, we returned or refused orders for \$1,000 worth more. This year has treated the Oat crop as it has many other farm products, and the Oats in nearly every State in the Union were never such a poor crop as in 1894. We flatter ourselves that we have probably the finest crop of Oats that will be offered for the season's planting of 1895. The Great White Maine Oat is a branching Oat, short, stiff straw, and two Oats grow in each chaff, which accounts for its great producing power. We have raised on our own farm from one field of 13 acres, with no manure and ordinary cultivation, 91½ BUSHEL PER ACRE. We have also raised on a 4-acre field, without manure or fertilizer, 406 bushels of re-cleaned Oats, or 101½ BUSHEL PER ACRE. We advise all intending to purchase to place their order early.

PRICE: 1 bush., 90c; 5 to 10 bush., 75c per bush.; 10 bush., 70c per bush.; 50 bush. or over to one address, 65c per bush., new sacks free.

Mammoth Cluster.

A new bronze Oat that has proven to be a good yielder. Its color, while not white, is not black, but a happy blending of the colors in a beautiful bronze, with most of the berries tipped with white. The heads are large, and the Oats grow compactly upon them in clusters. Last season a grower reported to us a yield of 105 bushels from one measured acre.

PRICE: 1 bush., \$1.00;
5 to 10 bush., 90c per bush.;
10 bush. or more, 80c; new
bags free.

White Russian.

A branching Oat and good yielder, stiff straw, introduced from Russia by the Department of Agriculture a number of years ago, and has proven quite satisfactory in many sections.

PRICE: Bush., 90c; 5 to
10 bush., 75c. per bush.;
10 bush., 70c per bush.; 50
bush., 65c per bush.; new
bags free.

PROBEISTER.

A standard white Oat that has been raised throughout the United States for a score of years past.

PRICE: Bush., 90c; 5 to 10 bush., 75c per bush.; 10 bush., 70c per bush.; 50 bush., 65c per bush., new bags free.

EARLY SWEDE.

A heavy yielding side Oat. The hull is quite thick and the berry is shoe peg shape. They have yielded enormously on rich land, but are very liable to lodge, as the head grows on one side.

PRICE: Bush., 90c; 5 to 10 bush., 75c per bush.; 10 bush., 70c per bush.; 50 bush., 65c per bush., new bags free.

WHITE GERMAN.

This Oat is the standard White Oat of Germany. It is a branching Oat, kernel is pure white, and grain weighs from 32 to 36 pounds.

PRICE: Bush., 90c; 5 to 10 bush., 75c; 10 bush., 70c; 50 bush., 65c, new bags free.

BARLEY.

Western New York grows the largest crops of Barley of any section in America. Located as we are, just south of Lake Ontario, the land is especially adapted to Barley and grows enormous yields. On one farm, owned by Mr. Dibble, we had a yield of $53\frac{1}{2}$ bushels per acre clean Barley from one 35-acre field. We offer you a strictly pure strain of extra choice heavy weight *Pure Canada Six-Rowed*, which is the best yielder, the most reliable, and the most desirable Barley in every respect to grow.

PRICE: Bush., \$1.25; 10 bush. lots or upwards, \$1.00, sacks free.

WHEAT.

The Genesee Valley country is the greatest wheat country of the world. It is in this section that more new wheats originate than in any other wheat belt, therefore the Genesee Valley country may be termed the El Dorado for wheat culture. Our yields of wheat during the past few years have been large, from 40 to 65 bushels per acre, and we have all of the good first-class varieties, without any of the chaff. We recommend as the best wheat grown, our GOLD COIN, which we put out for the first time last season. Next to that Red Clawson, Fulcaster, Jones' Winter Fife Democrat, White Clawson, Lancaster Red and Fultz, in the order named. Last season our sales ran, for seed purposes alone, over 4,000 bushels, and we should be pleased to send to any one interested in Wheat or Rye growing our special Wheat Catalogue, which will be issued in July.

BUCKWHEAT.

The celebrated "SILVERSKIN" and the new "JAPANESE." Excellent in quality, perfectly pure and heavy weight.

Prices and samples on application.

BEANS.

Day's Improved Leafless Medium

Is offered by us for the first time this year. We have obtained the entire stock from the originator. Mr. Wm. H. Day, who is one of the most successful Bean culturists in the United States. Mr. Day has been experimenting for years with different kinds of Beans, and this Bean represents four years' constant work, and to-day we may safely say that he has brought this Bean to a point of

absolute perfection. The Beans are a beautiful pearly white in color, and run very uniform in size. The pods are long, well filled, containing from 5 to 7 Beans each, each stalk containing from 100 to 200 pods. We had *one stalk* last season planted in a field and given ordinary culture that produced *972 Beans* that weighed *12 ounces*; such a record was never made by any other Bean that we have in cultivation. As to the vine growth, we can say that the vine stands up well, grows abundant foliage, and just previous to the time of ripening *all the leaves fall off*, so that each and every pod is exposed to the action of the sun's rays and ripens evenly. Another great feature of this most desirable of the Bean family is that it is extremely early in ripening, maturing in its entirety in from 70 to 80 days from date of planting. Day's Improved Leafless Medium Bean does not need to be

planted thickly. A half bushel is sufficient to plant an acre. We believe that 50 to 60 bushels of Beans can be grown per acre by planting Day's Improved Leafless Medium, and we will place our reputation on the statement that it is absolutely and unequivocally the heaviest yielding Bean ever offered the public. While we control the entire crop of this variety and know that we could get far larger prices for it by selling them outright to some of the large seedsmen, we have thought it best to distribute them among our friends, believing that the fact that we have brought out such a phenomenal success will pay us in years to come.

PRICES : Large packet, 25c. by mail postpaid ; peck, \$1.50 ; $\frac{1}{2}$ bush., \$2.50 ; bush., \$4.00 ; 5 bush lots, \$3.50 per bush., new bags free. Special prices on larger lots on application.

The cultivation of Beans has been extended in our locality until to-day two or three counties in Western New York grow more Beans than all the rest of the United States. Bean growing has been much more profitable than wheat, and they can be grown at the same cost per acre. On soil that will produce 20 bushels of Wheat, 30 to 40 bushels at least of this wonderful Bean can be grown, and while Wheat is worth but 50c per bushel, this Bean will sell next season all the way from \$2.00 to \$3.00 per bushel; you can readily see that it would be very wise indeed to include at least enough of Day's Improved Leafless Medium Beans in your order for one acre. The Beans are carefully cleaned and hand picked, put up in new bags, and guaranteed strictly pure. Whoever buys these Beans this year will be able to sell their entire crop for seed to their neighbors the next season.

We can furnish all the common varieties of Field Beans. Prices and samples upon application.

THE TRUCK PATCH.

Every farmer should grow a patch of Mangel Wurzels, Carrots, Turnips or Onions, and we make a specialty of furnishing high class Seeds only. You may buy cheaper Seeds than ours, but you cannot buy any that are better, and we question if as good. We exercise the greatest care to have these Seeds that we offer strictly pure and of the best possible quality.

Mangel Wurzels.

They are worth having for stock feeding. You can afford to grow them when we sell you 5 pounds of Mammoth Long Red, the best variety, at the low price of 25c. per pound.

Danvers Yellow Globe Onion.

All pure American home-grown Seed, at the low price of \$1.50 per pound.

Carrots.

While speaking of roots, did you ever try Carrots for your milch cows and sheep? The best authorities advise Carrots, and all dairyman and sheep feeders should use them as regular as grain. We sell 3 lbs. of Danvers Orange Carrot, enough to grow 500 bushels, for \$1.75.

Turnips.

A catch crop that helps out in the long winter months in feeding stock, costs but a little to produce, and a valuable crop is the result. We offer you the Improved American Purple Top, very hardy and productive, and the best variety of Turnip for table or stock, at the low price of 40c. per pound; 5 pound lots, \$1.50.

THE POULTRY YARD.

Single Combed Brown Leghorns.

The Single Combed Brown Leghorns are one of the best of the Mediterranean breeds; they are a good table fowl, and mature very early; they are one of the best layers we have; in fact, in the large henneries throughout this section the Brown Leghorn has the reputation of being a reliable layer for all seasons of the year, and a non-setter. We consider them a most desirable fowl. Our stock is from prize winners and the eggs that we offer this season are from pens that have made a record wherever shown. PRICE: Eggs for hatching, \$2 for 15, or \$3 for 30.

Single Combed White Leghorns.

Very similar to the Brown Leghorns in all characteristics, except that they are pure white in color. A great many people consider them as superior to the Brown Leghorns, and they have an established reputation among many poultry fanciers. Any one that purchases eggs for hatching from our pens of thoroughbred pedigree stock will not make any mistake, as we candidly believe that our White Leghorns are as fine a strain as any on the continent. PRICE: Eggs for hatching, \$2 for 15, \$3 for 30.

Buff Cochins.

One of the largest and healthiest breeds we have. Maturing early, they are an excellent breed for the early market. The hens are good setters and the *best* of mothers. Our eggs are from stock that have won first prizes at the New York Poultry Show. PRICE: Eggs for hatching, \$2 for 15, \$3 for 30.

Black Minorca.

The Black Minorca grow to good size and are one of, if not the most, prolific layers. The eggs are very large, pure white, weighing from 2 to 3 ounces each, the most desirable fowl, in our opinion, for the village resident or small farmer, who does not wish to keep over a score or two of fowls, as they can always rely upon having plenty of fresh, handsome eggs for the table and home use. PRICE: Eggs for hatching, \$2 for 15, \$3 for 30.

Barred Plymouth Rocks.

The Barred Plymouth Rock is perhaps the most popular and widely known variety of fowls bred in America. In almost every barn-yard flock of fowls you will find specimens which their owner vows to be the pure and genuine Plymouth Rock. They are justly styled the "Farmer's Fowl." We believe we have as fine a strain of Barred Plymouth Rocks as can be found in the country. They develop early, making good market chickens at three months of age, are yellow-legged, hardy and easily reared. They commence laying very early, and feather early, meat yellow and juicy; good mothers. PRICE: Eggs for hatching, \$2 for 15 or \$3 for 30.

Pekin Ducks.

We have a fine strain of these famous White Ducks, which are justly considered the *cream* of the Duck family. PRICE: Eggs for hatching, \$2 for 13, \$3 for 26.

Our eggs are all boxed in the celebrated Costello boxes, which insures absolute safe arrival of the Eggs in good condition for hatching, unless the purchaser requests that the Eggs be shipped in baskets, packed in cut clover, but we prefer to use the Costello boxes, although it is far more expensive, but by using them we can practically guarantee safe arrival of our Eggs. Orders for Eggs will be filled in regular rotation, as booked. All Eggs sent out by us are guaranteed fresh and perfectly pure. Patrons are notified in advance of shipment, and we will consider it a favor if they will inform us of the arrival and of the result of hatch.

Our terms are strictly cash with order. Trusting that you will favor us with an order for our high bred poultry, and guaranteeing you that the prices are right, and that there is no finer bred stock than ours in the country of the breeds we offer, we remain,

YOURS IN THE WELFARE OF THE POULTRY YARD.

THE EDWARD F. DIBBLE SEED CO.'S FERTILIZER.

We probably use a larger amount of high grade Fertilizer for the growing of our Seed crops than any other firm in the country. We have been experimenting for a number of years as to what are the best Fertilizers for raising Potatoes and Grain in their greatest perfection, and we now have our Fertilizer made to order. We have had 200 tons manufactured according to our own formula, for our own use this year, and to those of our customers who wish a strictly high grade animal matter Fertilizer, we offer them the same brands as we use, either in single ton lots or car-loads. Granges or Farmer Clubs, or a number of individuals in a neighborhood, will be wise if they club together and buy our goods in car-load lots. Special prices furnished on application.

The brands are as follows:

EDWARD F. DIBBLE SEED CO.'S GRAIN SPECIAL NO. 1.

Ammonia from Blood and Nitrate of Soda,	-	-	-	-	-	1	to	2%
Phosphoric Acid, Sol. and Rev., from Bone Black and Animal Matter,	-	-	-	-	-	9	to	10%
Phosphoric Acid, Insol.,	-	-	-	-	-	1½	to	2½%
Phosphoric Acid, Total,	-	-	-	-	-	10½	to	12½%
Potash, actual, from high grade Sulphate,	-	-	-	-	-	4	to	5%
Equal to Sulphate of Potash,	-	-	-	-	-	7.40	to	9 25%

EDWARD F. DIBBLE SEED CO.'S GRAIN SPECIAL NO. 2.

Ammonia from Blood and Nitrate of Soda,	-	-	-	-	-	1	to	2%
Phosphoric Acid, Sol. and Rev., from Bone Black and Animal Matter,	-	-	-	-	-	7	to	8%
Phosphoric Acid, Insol.,	-	-	-	-	-	1	to	2%
Phosphoric Acid, Total,	-	-	-	-	-	8	to	10%
Potash, actual, from high grade Sulphate,	-	-	-	-	-	5	to	6%
Equal to Sulphate of Potash,	-	-	-	-	-	9.25	to	11.10%

EDWARD F. DIBBLE SEED CO.'S SPECIAL POTATO MANURE.

Ammonia, from Blood and Nitrate of Soda,	-	-	-	-	-	3	to	4%
Phosphoric Acid, Sol. and Rev., from Bone Black and Animal Matter,	-	-	-	-	-	7	to	8%
Phosphoric Acid, Insol.,	-	-	-	-	-	1	to	2%
Phosphoric Acid, Total,	-	-	-	-	-	8	to	10%
Potash, Actual, from high grade Sulphate,	-	-	-	-	-	7	to	8%
Equal to Sulphate of Potash,	-	-	-	-	-	12.90	to	14.30%

Pease Sorting Machine.

The only perfect Sorting Machine ever invented, cheap, durable, and every Machine guaranteed; capacity, 1,000 bushels per day; sorts in two or three sizes, and any size the operator desires; weight, 160 lbs. *Price, \$20.*

TESTIMONIALS.

GENTLEMEN:—I take pleasure in saying that I am highly pleased with the Potato Assorter which you sent me on trial. I am satisfied that the advantages gained by using it this one season have been more than the price paid for it.

Very truly yours,
IRA W. GREENE,
East Avon, Liv.
Co., N. Y.

GENTLEMEN:—We have used your "Apple and Potato Sorter" for sorting potatoes. We think it a first-class machine for the business, doing good work and very rapidly.

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