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FRED. P. BURR & CO.,
MIDDLETOWN, CONN.

Flower and Field Seeds, Bulbs, Etc.

Please observe that prices herein quoted include postage on all Seeds by the packet, ounce and pound, except Grass Seeds, Onion Sets, Corn, Peas, and Beans, which require 15 cents per quart, 8 cents per pint extra, if sent by mail. Sweet Corn requires 10 cents per quart, and 6 cents per pint.

Twenty cents each must be added to every order, for one up to two bushels of seed, to pay for bag, and ten cents for peck and half-bushel bags.

N. B.—Not less than quarter pound or quarter bushel will be sold at the pound and bushel rates. All Seeds less than one-fourth pound, at ounce price; less than four quarts, at quart price.

To Dealers and Market Gardeners.—We can meet the prices of any reliable dealers for the same quantity of seeds. Whether you have bought or not, we cordially invite you to visit our store and inspect the largest assortment of seeds ever shown in this county. Our facilities for supplying all large trade are complete. Compare our prices, but don't stop there; try our seeds; they will prove their worth. Send for anything you need in the seed line, as we keep many varieties, which, owing to their small sales, we do not list in this Catalogue. Middletown reaches all points promptly by boat or rail.

CHANGES.—Owing to the great fluctuations of the market as the season advances, we cannot be bound by these prices for any length of time, although it is our custom to make as slight variations as possible.

REMIT either by money order, registered letter, or bank draft. Small amounts, not exceeding one dollar, may be sent in stamps or postal notes. *Letters can now be registered for eight cents.*

NOTICE.—While we take the greatest care to have all seeds pure and reliable, we do not give any warranty, and will not be responsible for the crop in any respect. *If not accepted on these terms, the seeds must be returned at once, and money paid will be refunded.*

The Best Seeds, the Cheapest.

List of Vegetable Novelties.

Peep o' Day Pea.

This is our finest strain of Extra Early Peas, and since put on the market we have never yet seen it equalled for *earliness, evenness of ripening and large yield*—qualities essential for a market gardener's first crop pea. We sell more of the PEEP O' DAY PEAS than of any other three varieties, and have never grown stock enough to fill our orders, although we have largely increased our planting each year. We grow our stock in Canada, and thus gain all the benefit of Northern growth. The extra cost of the duty is worth paying. The PEEP O' DAY PEA grows to a uniform height of $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet, and excels in yield, as it does in earliness, any early pea we ever tried. Unlike other early June peas, its *Pods are large and completely filled with good size peas of fine flavor*. We ask market gardeners to test these peas, by planting a trial lot. We sell many bushels every year to new customers who have bought but a single quart the previous season for trial, and have proved

by the test that the PEEP O' DAY PEAS are better than the old sorts they have been growing before. The PEEP O' DAY PEA is also very popular for the kitchen garden. Quart, 20 cents; peck, \$1.00; half-bushel, \$2.00; bushel, \$3.50.

New Pea, Sharpe's Queen.

This new variety, of English origin, is a green, wrinkled, main crop sort, growing about $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet high. The pods are very large, slightly curved, produced mostly in pairs, and all over the vine from bottom to top. The peas are large, oval, deep green, of delicious flavor when cooked, and packed close in the pods. The vines are very sturdy, and of a branching habit, so this variety can be sown more thinly than most sorts. Per quart, 20 cents; peck, \$1.00; bushel, \$4.00.

Telephone Pea.

PEAS.

TELEPHONE (CARTER'S.)

This grand pea grows about four feet high. An enormous cropper, with very stout vines, pods often containing seven mammoth peas of the finest flavor. One of the finest late peas ever introduced. Quart, 20 cents; peck, \$1.10; bushel, \$4.00.

HEROINE.

One of the new introductions that is conspicuous for size, quality and yield. It is medium early; in height about three feet; pods very large, with eight or nine large peas of a distinctly rich and marrow-like flavor. Quart, 20 cents; peck, \$1.10; bushel, \$4.00.

NOTT'S EXCELSIOR.

A dwarf, wrinkled pea, growing one foot high. It is so hardy that it can be planted earlier than any other wrinkled sort. It will outyield its parent, the American Wonder, both in number of pods and the number of peas in a pod, and is more sugary than any pea except American Wonder. Nott's Excelsior is the earliest of all wrinkled peas, and being so dwarf, the rows can be planted very closely and a large yield obtained from a small plot of ground. This makes it especially desirable for small city gardens. Quart, 25 cents; peck, \$1.10; bushel, \$4.00.

DWARF CHAMPION.

First-class, very healthy and vigorous. This is a favorite with the market gardeners of Long Island, where it is sown often in the summer as a second crop, being less liable at this season to mildew than other sorts. Pods and peas large, quality very sweet and rich, height $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet, season medium. Quart, 20 cents; peck, \$1.10; bushel, \$4.00.

IMPROVED STRATAGEM.

This is the most reliable strain of Stratagem Pea to be found. The seed from which our stock was grown was obtained at a high price of a grower who has carefully selected and improved the strain. Quart, 20 cents; peck, \$1.00; bushel, \$4.00.

HORSFORD'S MARKET GARDEN.

This grand medium-early wrinkled pea is, without doubt, the most productive variety. It grows two feet high, and is wonderfully regular and even in its habit of growth. The pods are medium size, but there is an immense number of them and they are literally jammed full of peas. There is no better second-early variety. Quart, 20 cents; peck, \$1.00; bushel, \$3.50.

SHROPSHIRE HERO.

A grand second-early wrinkled pea, producing long, handsome, well-filled pods in great abundance; $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet. This pea is getting very popular as its surpassing merits become known. Quart, 20 cents; peck, \$1.10; bushel, \$4.00.

BEANS.

BURPEE'S BUSH LIMA.

True Large Lima Beans, growing on erect bushes, twenty inches high, each bush being covered with large pods, filled with *very large beans*, of the same size and flavor as the large pole Lima; *wholly unlike the small bush Lima*. Our stock is genuine. Packet, 10 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 25 cents; peck, \$1.50; bushel, \$5.75.

Burpee's Bush Lima Bean.

WAX LIMA—Dwarf.

An entirely new Bean of great merit. The pods are a clear lemon color, very broad and flat. It is very handsome and a great yielder. Tender, juicy, and of delicious flavor. Growing dwarf and bushy, it requires thin planting; not over two seeds to a hill. We do not hesitate to recommend it as a very valuable acquisition. Packet, 10 cents; pint, 20 cents; quart, 30 cents.

LOW'S CHAMPION BUSH.

The handsomest of all green podded beans, the richest in flavor, and *entirely stringless*. Very hardy and productive. Quart, 20 cents; peck, \$1.00.

VALENTINE WAX BUSH—New.

The earliest and most productive of all wax beans. Pods are round and remain crisp and fresh a long time. This new bean is sure to become a favorite. Packet, 10 cents; pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents; peck, \$1.25.

KING OF THE GARDEN LIMA.

The genuine K. O. G. is the largest, earliest and most productive pole Lima bean. The *green* beans are of unusual size. The immense pods grow in clusters, and often contain *five* or six beans. It outyields any other Lima. Pint, 20 cents; quart, 30 cents; peck, \$1.50; bushel, \$5.50.

SCARLET FLAGEOLET WAX.

An excellent golden-podded dwarf bean. The pods are large and borne profusely; are stringless, tender and of fine flavor. Pint, 15 cents; quart, 25 cents; peck, \$1.20.

DENVER MARKET LETTUCE.

The Denver Market Lettuce is very fine and handsome. The heads are large and solid; the leaves a light green and beautifully crinkled. While a very early variety, it keeps crisp a long time, and is slow to run to seed. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents.

TOMHANNOCK LETTUCE.

Entirely distinct from all other varieties and of superlative fine quality. It forms a beautiful plant 10 to 12 inches high, grows very quickly, is ready to cut early, remains for weeks without getting bitter or running to seed. With bright ruby-tinted leaves, that are always crisp. Ounce, 15 cents.

BANANA MUSK MELON.

There are others, but in our opinion, this is the best. Exceedingly rich and sweet, with an exquisite flavor and fragrance. The skin is smooth, flesh deep orange, and seed cavity small. It

will keep longer than other musk melons after being picked. Of large size and very prolific. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; pound, 60 cents.

Burr's Early Round Red Radish.

EARLY ROUND RED RADISH.

This is the earliest Radish to be found. One of our customers who grew it under glass all winter, cleared his benches of a crop and replanted every three weeks. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; quarter, 25 cents; pound, 60 cents.

ROUND DUTCH SPINACH.

This is a very compact and thick-leaved Spinach, and for the kitchen garden as well as for market, will give complete satisfaction. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; pound, 30 cents.

Round Dutch Spinach.

THE FAXON SQUASH.

The ripe squashes vary in color, some being pale yellow, while others are green, mottled and faintly striped with a lighter green. The flesh is a deep orange, cavity very small and seeds few. When cooked there is practically no shell, the shell being only about as thick as paper. It is sweet and very dry, matures early and can be used as a summer squash. It is a good keeper, having been kept in perfect condition until April. Very early, enormously productive, of medium size, and the best quality. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; pound, 60 cents.

HUBBARD SQUASH.

The standard Winter Squash; grown more extensively than any other late variety; color dark green; shell extremely hard; flesh dry, fine grained, and sweet; an excellent keeper, will keep three months later than the Marrows. Genuine Connecticut Hubbard Squash. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; pound, 60 cents.

Hubbard Squash.

GIANT SUMMER CROOK-NECK SQUASH.

This squash is double the size of the common Summer Crook neck, equally early, and in flavor superior. It is superseding the old variety wherever once tried, being altogether more desirable for both private and market gardens. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents, quarter, 20 cents; pound, 60 cents.

Burr's Improved Swede Turnip.

GIANT PASCAL CELERY.

The stalks of this superb celery are about one foot tall; remarkably wide, thick and solid; crisp, brittle and absolutely stringless; blanches easily, requiring only a few days' earthing up, and keeps the longest of any celery. We were among the first to introduce this grand celery in the United States. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 25 cents; quarter pound, 60 cents.

BURR'S IMPROVED SWEDE TURNIP.

This is a most perfect strain of yellow Rutabaga Turnip. It has a small neck, flesh is bright yellow, very hard, sweet and fine grained. When once tried no other will be grown. We could fill this book with testimonials of customers who have grown Burr's Improved Swede Turnip the last few years. Ounce, 10 cents; quarter, 20 cents; pound, 60 cents.

ONIONS.

Use BURR'S Onion Seed! It never fails to suit the most critical growers. We have many customers who have bought their Onion Seed of us for the last nineteen years.

We do not compete with the California Onion Seed, grown by the Chinese from culls, and offered for less than the cost of growing seed in old Connecticut.

Cheap Onion Seed is dear at any price. Our Seed is Connecticut grown, plump, heavy and of strong vitality, and we recommend it as thoroughly reliable in every respect. Old customers need no assurance as to the quality of our Onion Seed. To new customers we say:

"GIVE OUR SEED A TRIAL."

SWEET CORN.

Evergreen Sweet Corn.

Our Sweet Corn is entirely of New England growth. We shell it ourselves from selected ears, cured by Nature only, and handle no cheap Western corn, which lacks sweetness, and no kiln dried stock of more than doubtful germination.

FIELD CORN.

White Cap Dent.

This famous new variety possesses the earliness of the Pride of the North, combined with ears of very large size. Our grower says he will guarantee this Corn to mature in ninety to ninety-five days after planting, and to grow a larger crop on poor soil than any other corn in the world. The handsome grains are of the true Dent type—sweet and nutritious. Grows 6 to 7 feet in height; abundant foliage; large, fine ear, eight to ten inches long, well filled to the tip, sixteen to eighteen rowed; ears two inches in diameter, with small cob; grains large, deep; outer end of the grain white, dented, balance of grain amber-yellow. Grains flat and set squarely together, filling the entire surface of the ear, and packed solid to the tip.

New White Egg Plant.

THE PEARL.

This cut from a photo showing plant with 13 Eggs, the same being one of three crops, indicates how prolific this variety is. In all edible qualities it is infinitely superior to any other variety, being more tender and delicate.

Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 40 cents.

BASSANO BEET.

The Early Bassano Beet used to be the favorite years ago, but newer varieties have crowded it out to a great extent. Nevertheless, the Bassano is the finest flavored and sweetest of all the beets, and its pale flesh color, ringed with pink, makes it very attractive when sliced. Our sales of Bassano Beet Seed have greatly increased the last two years. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; quarter, 20 cents; pound, 50 cents.

COOL AND CRISP CUCUMBER.

This cucumber is an early variety and remains long in bearing, making it a great yielder. The color is a very dark green. If left on the vines it grows to a good size, and is crisp and fine for slicing. It is a very valuable variety and gave our customers great satisfaction

last year. It was the only variety that did not blight with us the last wet season, and we picked *cool and crisp* in great abundance every day till frost, and during eight weeks of this time there was not a cucumber offered in this market. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; quarter, 25 cents; pound, 50 cents.

ASPARAGUS.

The **Columbian Mammoth White Asparagus** is remarkable for its beautiful bleached white color, for its tenderness, flavor and succulence. It is of the largest size, and most prolific. Unequaled for the kitchen garden, and brings the highest price in the market. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; quarter pound, 30 cents; pound, 70 cents.

NEW PARSNIP—BURR'S MAMMOTH.

This is an improved strain, developed from the Hollow Crown. It averages twice as large, grows more uniform and smooth, is sweeter and handsomer. We have been testing it for three years and believe Burr's Mammoth to be the finest Parsnip in the world. Stock of seed limited and none to offer in large lots. Ounce, 10 cents; quarter pound, 25 cents; pound, 80 cents.

Parsnip.

NEW TOMATO—CRIMSON CUSHION.

Crimson Cushion.

This beautiful new Tomato is of bright red color, grows thick and solid, is very prolific and of the finest flavor. It ripens very evenly, with no green spots around the stem. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents.

TOMATO—ATLANTIC PRIZE.

The Atlantic Prize or Early Ruby, is the *very earliest tomato*. The fruit is smooth, very solid, of the finest quality and unusually free from core and seeds. The bright, clear red tomatoes are borne low on the stem in large clusters. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents.

**MUSKMELON—
EMERALD GEM.**

The Emerald Gem Muskmelon is very early, of medium size and nearly round. The flesh is deep orange, sweet and melting; skin dark green. It is the most popular melon in this market, and sells when other melons do not. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; pound, 60 cents.

Muskmelon—Emerald Gem.

Seeds for Children.

Remember the "children's corner" when you are laying out your garden. Give the little men and women a corner of the garden and flower bed, for their own. Nothing will do more to cultivate habits of observation, and at the same time give pleasure and reward, with lessons in care and patience. A knowledge of "how plants grow" is part of a liberal education. Even the failures that may happen on the first little plot will teach valuable lessons.

There is no good reason, however, why children who are not really "little tots," should not have well-kept and productive flower gardens. And they are wise parents who interest their children in the work of nature. The care of a little garden may be made a distinct educational force in a boy's or in a girl's life, and you will find that even the harum-scarum is not altogether dead to the beauty and subtle influence of the flowers. We select the following easily-grown vegetables and flowers for our young friends. The seeds are the very choicest; the packets are full "men's size," and plain directions for growing printed on each. Parents, give this your attention. These seed collections are for the children and at children's prices.

Mattabesett Children's Half-Dollar Seed Collections.

Seventeen Full-Size Packets.

VEGETABLES.

Beans, Wax,
Beet,
Carrot,
Cucumber,
Lettuce,
Melon, Musk,
Melon, Water,
Onion,
Parsley.

Parsnip,
Radish,
Pop Corn,
Spinach,
Squash, Summer,
Squash, Winter,
Tomato,
Turnip,

FLOWERS.

Ageratum,
Alyssum,
Bachelor's Button,
Balsam,
Candytuft,
Clarkia,
Gourds,
Marigold,
Mignonette.

Nasturtium.
Pansy,
Pinks,
Phlox,
Poppy,
Sweet Peas,
Verbena,
Zinnia,

FLOWER SEEDS.

"How were the earth of glory shorn
Were it of flowers bereft."—*Emma C. Embury.*

We call special attention to our Flower Seeds. There is no department of our business that has more painstaking care. We obtain the seeds direct from the leading growers in the world; from Germany, France, England and California. For the last nineteen years we have cultivated nearly every variety of flowers on our list, carefully noting every detail of growth and blossom, and have made selections of such strains as proved the best. We assure customers that our Flower Seeds this year are unsurpassed. Orders for single packets filled as promptly as large orders. We have made a collection of the most popular and finest Flower Seeds, for a complete flower garden, which we offer at \$1.00; less than half regular price. This assortment we call our **Midsummer Dream Collection**. It will prove a delight to the most exacting lover of flowers. This collection is offered at a low price, to introduce our choicest Flower Seeds to new customers who want the best.

RICINUS. Zanzibarensis.

The Zanzibar Ricinus is the grandest, most imposing ornament that can be grown from seeds the first season. We grew it last year, in common garden soil, with leaves 30 inches across, of copper color, light and dark green, and with red, green and white stalks. A very rapid grower. Must not be planted till ground is warm. For screening unsightly objects, for backgrounds and for masses on the lawn, or for clusters in large beds, nothing can compare with the Zanzibar Ricinus. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 20 cents.

DIANTHUS— PINK.

Our Kaleidoscope mixture is an extra selection of hardy, double flowering Pinks, of the finest form and most varied colors.

Packet, 10 cents.

DOUBLE DAISY— BELLIS.

Old favorites, greatly improved, that are easily grown from seed, and come quickly into bloom. They live through the winter with very little protection. Packet, 10 cents.

Double Daisy.

HOLLYHOCK. Double.

Everyone who has this old favorite desires a full assortment of colors. Our mixed seed contains twelve colors. Packet, 10 cents.

PHLOX.

The Starred and Fringed Phlox is very striking and unique. The colors are exceedingly rich and velvety, and of great variety. The serrate edges add a charming bizarre finish.

Packet, 10 cents.

ANTIRRHINUM. Snap Dragon.

The large flowering Antirrhinum is very showy; from July till frost, being covered with richly colored blossoms. Our Kaleidoscope Mixture includes the new striped sorts. Packet, 10 cents.

GAILLARDIA.

Very large heads of thirty or forty flowers, set close on the stem. A persistent bloomer, very rich and beautiful. The flowers are fine for cutting. Double, packet, 10 cents. Single, "Blanket Flower," large, packet, 5 cents.

CANARY-BIRD FLOWER.

A graceful, rapid-growing climber; almost covered with pretty, bright yellow blossoms, that have the appearance of tiny canary birds alighting on the vines. Packet, 5 cents.

CAMPANULA.

Canterbury Bells.

Charming, bell-shaped flowers; rose, blue, white and striped, and is one of the old garden favorites, that is now more popular than ever before. It is admired by all, and should be in every garden. Single mixed, like cut. Packet, 5 cents.

Double, mixed, one flower set close within the other, per packet, 5 cents.

Cup and Saucer, very large and striking, packet, 10 cents.

HELICHRYSUM.

Giant, Double.

This "everlasting flower" is a free and beautiful bloomer, and the flowers, if picked and dried before fully open, make bright and charming winter bouquets. Mixed, packet, 10 cents.

Mignonette.

MIGNONETTE, MACHET.

The Machet Mignonette is one of the very best varieties both for garden and pot culture. Its large, reddish spikes of flowers are very fragrant and freely produced, and its season of bloom is much longer than other varieties. Our seed is the true Machet, American grown. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 30 cents.

DWARF NASTURTIUM.

Midsummer Dream Assortment.

For eighteen years, next to sweet peas, they have been the favorite flowers with our customers. We have imported from Europe and bought from the large growers in the United States, and our Midsummer Dream collection we believe to be the finest now offered. Our mixture comprises such charming colors, such large and beautiful flowers, that makes the most varied and beautiful collection ever sent out. Packet, 10 cents; ounce, 20 cents.

COSMOS.

New Early Flowering.

Immense flowers, double the size of the common Cosmos, and comes into bloom a month earlier. This mixture contains an immense snowy white, a beautiful large pink, the new Crimson Velvet, and the new yellow. Per packet, 10 cents.

Cosmos.

VERBENA.

New Mammoth.

Splendid large flowers, very stocky plants, and great bloomers; beautiful, bright shades of pink, white and red. None of the flowers from which this seed came measured less than the size of a twenty-five cent piece. Packet, 10 cents.

Verbena.

PANSY.

Kaleidoscope.

We have made a specialty of Pansies for over twenty years and know the choice strains, having at this time over three thousand plants of different strains growing under glass for testing. Our Kaleidoscope Pansy Seed is our own mixture of equal parts of the following choicest and most expensive varieties in the world: Bug-not's Large Spotted, Giant; Cassier's Blotched, Giant; Odier Extra Five Spotted; Peacock; Giant Fancy Striped; Giant Yellow, White, Blue, Golden Margined and Marbled. There is no better collection put up, no matter what the price. Packet, 15 cents; two packets, 25 cents.

Pansy.

ASTER.

Our Kaleidoscope Asters are a choice mixture of extra many colors, of Truffaut's Imperial Peonia Flowered, Victoria and Chrysanthemum Flowered. These represent the highest perfection in Asters.

Packet, 10 cents.

CARNATION—Marguerite.

A beautiful, double, free-blooming Carnation, with a great variety of colors. It blossoms three months after the seed is sown. They can be taken up in the fall and potted, and make fine winter blooming house plants. Packet, 10 cents.

ABUTILON.

The Flowering Maple or Bell Flower grows rapidly from seed and blooms the first season. Our seed is from a very choice collection grown in California, and contains a rich variety of color. Packet, 15 cents.

DAHLIA.

If the value of Dahlias for summer blooming, and the ease with which they are grown from seed, was better known, they would be in every flower garden this season. Seeds sown in the spring will produce flowering

plants in July. Single, plain colors; packet, 5 cents.

Single, mixed, including fancy striped and blotched; packet, 10 cents.

Double; packet, 10 cents.

BALSAM.

Double.

We offer the finest strain of extra double Camelia Flowered Balsam. Its flowers are well formed, of immense size, and bright colors. All colors, including striped and spotted. Packet, 10 cents.

MIMULUS.

For vase and pot plants as well as for bedding the Mimulus is a gem. Its colors are very rich, and the flowers are spotted and splashed with contrasting colors, in a most fanciful manner.

Maximus, largest flowering; packet, 25 cents. Many sorts, mixed; packet, 10 cents.

POPPY.

Double Carnation Flowered.

Our Kaleidoscope mixture of double-fringed Poppies comprises every known color, from pure white to deepest purple and black. We do not know of any seeds for the money that will make as beautiful a showing.

Packet, 5 cents.

PORTULACCA—Double.

This variety is very floriferous, and the colors as varied as the single variety, while the blossoms are full double and look like small roses. About 65 per cent. of the seed will produce double flowers. Packet, 10 cents.

JAPANESE MORNING GLORIES—IMPERIAL.

The gigantic flowers of these grand Morning Glories are of surpassing loveliness. No words can describe the rare and beautiful shades and tints, and the great varieties of markings. The leaves are large and varied,—green, mottled, yellow and silver. The Japanese Morning Glory needs a sunny place, rich soil, and plenty of water in dry weather, and will grow 30 feet high. Few new flowers have ever attained such popularity the first season. "We watched every day when they began to blossom, to see what new beauties would appear, and were perfectly wild over them." This is what a lady told us last summer. Packet, 10 cents; 3 packets, 25 cents; ounce, 30 cents.

BRAZILIAN MORNING GLORY—IPOMŒA SETOSA.

A rapid grower, and will quickly shade a piazza or arbor. The immense lobed leaves are over eight inches across. The large stems are thickly covered with brownish red hairs. The delicate pink flowers are borne in clusters and succeeded by curious seed pods. Packet, 10 cents.

PETUNIA.

Giant, Single.

The new Petunias, Giants of California, bear immense flowers, four to five inches across. The diversity of colors is without limit; many are oddly veined, mottled and marked; some have fringed and ruffled edges and some deep throats of contrasting colors. Our seed is grown in California. Packet, 15 cents; 2 packets, 25 cents.

Centaurea, *Cyanus*, (Bluet, Corn Flower, Ragged Sailor). The *Centaurea* used to be grown in every flower garden and is again being extensively used, being greatly improved in size, doubleness and variety. Packet, 5 cents.

Forget-me-not, *Palustris Semperflorens*, (*Myosotis*). The flowers of this variety are a deep, rich blue and very large. It is ever-blooming; if grown in a partly shaded situation is in bloom from early Spring till Fall. Packet, 10 cents.

Nasturtium, *Lobbianum*. Lobb's Climbing *Nasturtiums* are smaller in leaf and blossom than the common variety, but the blossoms are very rich and velvety, and borne in much greater profusion. Packet, mixed, 5 cents.

FLOWER SEED COLLECTIONS.

After the Rain Collection.

1 *Ageratum*; 1 *Sweet Alyssum*; 1 *Canary Bird Vine*; 1 *Candytuft*; 1 *Clarkia*; 1 *China Pink*, double; 1 *Escholtzia*; 1 *Marigold*; 1 *Mignonette*; 1 *Morning Glory*; 1 *Nasturtium*; 1 *Nigella*; 1 *Poppy*; 1 *Scabious*; 1 *Zinnia*.

The above 15 packages for 50 cents.

Humming Bird Collection.

1 *Antirrhinum*, extra; 1 *Aster Kaleidoscope*; 1 *Balsam*, extra; 1 *Carnation*, *Marguerite*; 1 *Cosmos*, New Mammoth; 1 *Dahlia*, fancy; 1 *Dianthus Imperial*; 1 *Larkspur*, double; 1 *Pansy*, Mattabessett; 1 *Phlox*, largest flowered; 1 *Ricinus*, Giant of Zanibar; 1 *Scarlet Sage*; 1 *Scabious*, improved; 1 *Stock*, large 10 weeks; 1 *Verbena Mammoth*.

The above 15 papers for \$1.00.

SCABIOSA.**Mourning Bride.**

An old garden favorite, greatly improved in size and colors. The "Sweet Scabious" is one of the popular flowers. Our seed is from flowers of rare size and doubleness. Mixed, packet, 5 cents.

COCCINEA INDICA.

A rapid growing climber, with ivy-like foliage. Its flowers are succeeded by long, bright scarlet fruit, spotted with

white, that remain a long time on the vines. Packet, 10 cents.

LARKSPUR—Hyacinth Flowered.

In this Hyacinth Flowered Larkspur, we have a close copy of the Hyacinth in size, form and coloring, blooming quickly from the seed. Packet, mixed colors, 10 cents.

Moon Flower, (Ipomoea Leari), "The Blue Dawn Flower." The flowers are an exquisite sky blue and very large, measuring over five inches across and borne in clusters. The vines are wonderful growers and will cover a great space in a season. Packet, 10 cents.

Cyclamen, Giant. Beautiful Winter blooming plants for the window. The leaves are very ornamental and variously marked, and the flowers of the giant variety are large and striking. We imported our seed direct from the European grower. Packet, 25 cents.

Cyclamen, Persian. While the flowers of the "Persian Violet" are not over half the size of the Giant Cyclamen, they are considered much prettier by many for this very reason. This Cyclamen produces three times as many flowers as the Giant variety. Packet, 15 cents.

Stocks, large flowering, double ten weeks. We import this choice strain of stocks, direct from the German grower. Our many German customers, who are admirers and skillful growers of flowers, have been delighted with this strain. It is much more double and has a larger variety of colors than the old gilliflowers. Packet, 10 cents.

Gourds, small fruited ornamental varieties. A complete assortment of cunning little gourds. Children take delight in raising gourds and keeping them for winter. Packet, 5 cents.

Dolichos, Egyptian or Hyacinth Bean. A rapid growing vine, about twelve feet, flowering freely in clusters. The blossoms are succeeded by ornamental seed pods. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents.

ARTICHOKE.

	Quart.	Peck.
Jerusalem, Tuberous Rooted, bulbs or tubers, - - - - -	\$0.20	\$1.00

ASPARAGUS.

	Packet.	Ounce.	Pound.
Columbian White Mammoth, - - -	\$0.05	\$0.10	\$0.70
Conover's Colossal, standard, - - -	.05	.10	.40
Palmetto, pale gray, large, - - -	.05	.10	.40
Conover's Colossal, two year old roots, per hundred, 75c.; thousand, \$5.00.			
Palmetto, two year old roots, per hundred, 75c.; thousand, \$5.00.			

DWARF BEANS—Wax Pod.

If wanted by mail, add ten cents for pint and fifteen cents for quart, to price on beans.

	Pint.	Quart.	Peck.	Bushel.
Black Wax, or Butter, rich and tender, - - -	\$0.15	\$0.20	\$0.80	\$3.00
Crystal Wax, white pods, crisp and tender, - - -	.15	.20	1.00	4.00
Currie's Rust Proof, early, fine, - - -	.15	.20	.90	3.20
Early Golden Eye, fine, rust proof, prolific, - - -	.15	.20	.80	3.00
Early Golden Wax, stringless, round pods, - - -	.15	.20	.90	3.00
Early White, ivory pod, handsome and tender, - - -	.15	.25	1.15	4.00
Flageolet Wax, long yellow pods, - - -	.15	.25	1.20	4.00
Golden Wax, improved, most popular variety, - - -	.15	.20	.80	3.00
Pink Eye Wax, - - -	.15	.25	1.10	4.00
Valentine Wax, new, (see page 4), - - -	.15	.25	1.25	4.00
Wardell's New Kidney Wax, long, broad pods, - - -	.15	.20	.80	3.00
Wax Lima Bush, new, (see page 4), - - -	.20	.30	1.50	5.00
Yosemite Mammoth, tender and very large pods, - - -	.20	.30	1.50	6.00

DWARF, SNAP OR BUSH BEANS—Green Pod.

	Pint.	Quart.	Peck.	Bushel.
Burpee's Bush Lima, true, large beans, - - -	\$0.20	\$0.25	\$1.50	\$5.75
Early China, or Red Eye, an old favorite, - - -	.10	.20	.75	2.75
Extra Early Red Valentine, improved round pod, - - -	.10	.20	.75	2.75
Early Yellow Six Weeks, long flat pod, - - -	.10	.20	.75	2.75
Early Yellow Eye, prolific and handsome, - - -	.10	.20	.90	3.25
Goddard, or Boston Favorite, red podded, - - -	.10	.20	.90	3.00
Henderson's Bush Lima, small, very early, - - -	.15	.20	1.15	4.25
Horticultural, "Quail Head," "Cranberry," etc., - - -	.10	.20	.90	3.00
Low's Champion, new, fine, stringless, - - -	.10	.20	1.00	3.00
Red Kidney, or Chilian, old sort, - - -	.10	.20	1.00	3.00
White Marrow, large field, - - -	.10	.20	.75	2.50
White Pea, small field, - - -	.10	.15	.65	2.00

"Ours is the seed-time,
 God alone beholds the end of what is sown,
 Beyond our vision dark and dim
 The harvest time is hid with him."—Whittier.

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BEANS—Pole.

	Pint.	Quart.	Peck.
Case Knife, long, flat, - -	.15	.25	\$1.25
Dreer's, or Potato Lima, - -	.20	.30	1.50
Extra Early Jersey Lima, - -	.20	.25	1.50
Early Golden Cluster Wax, - -	.20	.25	1.50
Extra Large Lima, fancy, - -	.20	.25	1.50
Ford's Mammoth Lima, - -	.20	.30	1.75
Horticultural, or Cranberry, - -	.15	.25	1.00
King of the Garden Lima, - -	.15	.30	1.50
Old Homestead or Ky. Wonder, - -	.15	.25	1.50
Scarlet Runner, red blossoms, - -	.20	.30	1.50
Willow Leaf Lima, - - -	.20	.30	1.50

BRUSSELS SPROUTS.

	Packet.	Ounce.
Best French, half dwarf, - - -	\$0.05	\$0.15
Carter's Perfection, tall, - - -	.05	.15

BROCCOLI.

	Packet.	Ounce.
Early White Cape, - - - -	\$0.10	\$0.25
Early Purple Cape, - - - -	.10	.25

BORECOLE, OR KALE.

	Packet, 5 cents.	Ounce.	Quarter.
Green Curled Scotch, - - -		\$0.10	\$0.20
German Greens, brown, - - -		.10	.25

PARTICULAR CUSTOMERS.

Our customers are particular and want good seeds. Most of them came to us, knowing they could get *good seeds*, and not because we sold cheaper than others. Particular customers stick to a firm and build up a business; while buyers of cheap seed can never be satisfied.

BEET.

	Ounce.	Quar.	lb.
Bastian's Half Long, second early, - -	\$0.10	.20	.50
Columbia, fine new sort, deep red, early, -	.10	.25	.65
Crosby's Extra Egyptian, dark red, - -	.10	.20	.60
Dewing's Improved, Early Blood Turnip, -	.10	.15	.45
Early Bassano, fine, sweet sort, ringed, -	.10	.20	.50
Edmand's Early Blood Turnip, - - -	.10	.20	.50
Extra Early Eclipse, best early, - - -	.10	.20	.50
Extra Early Egyptian, dark red, - - -	.10	.20	.45
Long Smooth Blood, late, old sort, - - -	.10	.15	.40
Swiss Chard, grown for leaves only, - - -	.10	.15	.45
Yellow Turnip Beet, sweet and handsome, -	.10	.15	.45

BEET—MANGEL WURZEL.

	Quarter.	Pound.
Golden Tankard, deep yellow, sugary, - -	\$0.15	.35
Improved Mammoth, long red, - - -	.15	.35
Large Red Globe, early, smooth and symmetrical, - - - - -	.15	.35
Lane's White Sugar, improved, very nutritious and sugary, - - - - -	.15	.35
Norbition Giant, long red, largest cropper, of enormous size, - - - - -	.15	.30
Yellow Globe, handsome, good keeper, - -	.15	.35

Norbition Giant Mangel.

Fred. P. Burr & Co.'s Beet and Mangel Seed are American grown, and in every respect superior to the usual imported seed. In lots of five pounds or over, by express, deduct 10 cents per pound from prices quoted above, or send for special prices.

Autumn King.

CABBAGE.

Packet, 5 cents.

Our cabbage seed is Connecticut and Long Island grown, from heads carefully selected for trueness and type. Our sales to market gardeners have increased largely every year, and we have many letters which we have not room to print, telling as to its worth. We make very low prices this year. For 5 pounds and upwards we will quote special prices on application:

	Ounce.	Quarter.	Pound.
All Seasons or Vandegaw, large, medium early, - - - - -	\$0.15	\$0.40	\$1.50
Autumn King, enormous heads, long keeper, - - - - -	.20	.60	2.00
Burr's Large Flat Dutch, fine late sort, extra strain, - - - - -	.15	.35	1.25
Charlerton, or Improved Large Wakefield, superb, - - - - -	.20	.50	1.75
Danish Ball Head, or Solid Emperor, hard heads, late, - - - - -	.30	.75	2.50
Early Flat Dutch, sure header, large, solid, short stem, - - - - -	.15	.40	1.50
Burr's Early Jersey Wakefield, fine strain, extra early, selected, - - - - -	.20	.40	1.75
Early Summer, second early, large heads, - - - - -	.20	.50	1.75
Early Winningstadt, true, popular second early sort, - - - - -	.15	.35	1.25
Early York, very early, small, heart shaped, - - - - -	.10	.30	1.00
Fottler's Early Brunswick, short stem, finest strain, - - - - -	.20	.50	1.75
Large Late Drumhead, extra hard, reliable header, - - - - -	.15	.40	1.50
Mammoth Rock Red, largest and finest red, late, - - - - -	.20	.60	1.90
Perfection Drumhead Savoy, fine flavored, most delicious, - - - - -	.15	.50	1.75
Red Dutch, of slow growth, very hardy, for pickling, - - - - -	.20	.40	1.50
Stonemason Drumhead, flat, solid heads, short stem, - - - - -	.15	.40	1.50
Succession, handsome, good size, mid-season sort, - - - - -	.20	.50	1.75

CAULIFLOWER.

Packet, 25 cents.

	¼ Ounce.	Ounce.
Early Snowball, true, - - - - -	\$0.60	\$2.25
Extra Early Erfurt - - - - -	.50	1.50

CELERIAC.

	Packet.	Ounce.
Large Smooth Prague, - - - - -	\$0.05	.10

CRESS.

	Packet.	Ounce.
Curled Pepper Grass, - - - - -	\$0.05	.10

CORN SALAD.

	Packet.	Ounce.
Large Leaved Feticus, - - - - -	\$0.05	.10

CHICORY.

	Packet.	Ounce.
Large Rooted, or Coffee, - - - - -	\$0.05	.10

Oxheart, or Guerande Carrot.

CARROT.

Packet, 5 cents.

	Ounce.	Pound.
Chantenay, half long, - -	\$0.10	\$0.55
Danvers, half long, stump, -	.10	.60
Early French Forcing Horn, -	.10	.75
Guerande, or Oxheart, fine, -	.10	.60
Large White Belgian, - -	.10	.45
Long Orange, improved, -	.10	.50

SWEET CORN.

*If to go by mail, add 10c.
per qt., or 6c. per pint,
for postage.*

We handle no Western seed, which lacks sweetness, nor kiln dried corn of doubtful germinating quality. Our Sweet Corn is New England grown, cured by nature only, and for earliness, sweetness and purity, cannot be excelled. The Early Cory is the *earliest* corn, and one of the sweetest. Thorough tests have proved this.

EARLY CORY—The Earliest Sweet Corn.

	Quart.	Peck.	Bushel.
BURR'S EVERGREEN, EXTRA, OUR OWN PEDIGREE STOCK, - -	\$0.20	\$0.70	\$2.25
Early Crosby, or Sugar, white and sweet, a favorite, - - -	.15	.70	2.25
Early Cory, true strain, earliest variety, extra, - - -	.15	.70	2.25
Black Mexican Sugar, very sweet, - - - - -	.15	.70	2.25
Early Minnesota, very early, medium size, fair quality, - - -	.15	.70	2.25
Moore's Early Concord, ears large, white and sweet, - - -	.15	.70	2.25
Ne Plus Ultra, Shoe Peg, or Country Gentleman, - - -	.20	.70	2.25
Perry's Hybrid, twelve-rowed, white and tender, - - -	.15	.70	2.25
Squantum, mid-season, very sweet, a favorite, good size, - - -	.20	.70	2.25

FIELD AND ENSILAGE CORN. SEE "FIELD SEEDS."

The works of a person that builds, begin immediately to decay; while those of him who plants, begin directly to improve.—*William Shenstone, 1764.*

Peep o' Day Peas are the Earliest.

Celery.

Packet, 5 cents.

Celery.

Ounce.

Boston Market, true, -	-\$0.15
Gold Heart Dwarf, waxy, -	-.15
Gold Heart Giant, -	-.20
Golden Self-Blanching, new, -	-.20
Kalamazoo, broad-rib, -	-.20
New Giant Pascal, extra, -	-.20
London Red, solid, -	-.20
New Rose, handsome, -	-.20
Pink Plume, new, fine, -	-.20
White Plume, genuine, -	-.20
Celeriac, turnip-rooted, -	-.20
Celery Seed for flavoring, 15 cents per quarter pound.	

We do not compete with the Seed offered at low prices.

Collard, Georgia, ounce, - - .10

CUCUMBER.

Boston Pickling.

Improved White Spine.

	Ounce.	Quar.	Pound.
Boston Pickling, or early green prolific, - - -	-\$0.10	-\$0.20	-\$0.50
Cool and Crisp, fine, early, prolific, new, - - -	-.10	.20	.60
Early Cluster, short, seedy variety for pickling, - - -	-.10	.20	.50
Early Frame, or Short Green, early, fine quality, small, - - -	-.10	.20	.60
Early Russian, earliest, of best quality, small, - - -	-.10	.20	.50
Giant Pera, very large, smooth and solid, - - -	-.10	.35	1.25
Improved White Spine, handsome and of the best quality, - - -	-.10	.20	.60
Improved Long Green, firm and crisp, most popular sort, - - -	-.10	.20	.60
Japanese, or Climbing Cucumber, packets, 10 cents.			
Nichols' Medium Green, of medium and uniform size, - - -	-.10	.20	.50
New Everbearing, a continuous bearer, prolific, - - -	-.10	.20	.55
Westerfield's Chicago Pickling, prolific bearer of best quality, - - -	-.10	.20	.50
Serpent or Snake, packets, 10 cents, - - -	-.15	.40	1.25

Small Orders and Large, Faithfully Filled.

Egg Plant.

DANDELION.

	Packet.	Ounce.
Large Leaved, - - -	\$0.10	\$0.45

EGG PLANT.

Black Pekin, small, -	.10	.20
N. Y. Purple, improved, -	.10	.30
N. Y. Spineless, -	.10	.35
The Pearl, new white, -	.10	.40

ENDIVE.

Moss Curled, ornamental, -	.05	.15
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Kohl Rabi.

KALE, OR BORECOLE.

	Packet.	Ounce.
Green Curled Scotch, tall, - - -	\$0.05	\$0.10
Dwarf German Greens, - - -	.05	.10

KOHL RABI.

Early White Vienna, - - -	.05	.20
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LEEK.

Broad American, or Flag, large leaves, - - -	.05	.10
Large Scotch, Champion or Carentan, - - -	.05	.15

Early Curled Simpson.

Tennis Ball (Burr's earliest forcing).

LETTUCE.

Packet, 5 cents.

	Ounce.	Pound.
Big Boston, large solid head, later than Boston Market, - - -	\$0.10	\$1.00
Boston Market, white seed, compact heads, very early, - - -	.15	1.00
Bronze Head, thick leaves, hardy, - - -	.25	2.25
Denver Market, crinkled, crisp, large, beautiful heads, fine, - - -	.10	1.00
Early Curled Silesia, an old variety, for cutting, loose leaves, - - -	.10	1.00
Early Curled Simpson, black seed, light colored leaves, - - -	.10	1.00
Early Curled Simpson, white seed, large loose heads, favorite, - - -	.10	1.00
Hanson Head, true, most popular, large, solid head, brittle, - - -	.10	1.00
Oak Leaved, salad variety, leaves fringed, strong flavor, - - -	.10	1.00
Satisfaction, or Salamander, Summer cabbage, - - -	.10	1.00
Tennis Ball, black seeded, small heads, very early, - - -	.10	1.00
Tennis Ball, Burr's earliest, best forcing variety, extra, - - -	.15	1.25
Tomhannock, red-tinted leaf, beautiful, crisp and fine, - - -	.15	1.20
Cos Lettuce, Paris White, large, long leaves, - - -	.10	1.00

Quality First, Then Price.

Osage Musk Melon.

MELON, MUSK.

Packet, 5 cents.

	Ounce.	Quar.	Pound.
Banana, very sweet, - -	\$0.10	\$0.20	\$0.60
Delmonico, delicious, - -	.10	.20	.50
Emerald Gem, fine, sweet, -	.10	.20	.60
Extra Early Hackensack, -	.10	.20	.60
Miller's Cream, or Osage, -	.10	.20	.50
Montreal Nutmeg, large, -	.10	.20	.60
Skillman's Fine Netted, -	.10	.20	.60
Green Citron, for preserving, -	.10	.20	.60

MELON, WATER.

Packet, 5 cents.

DIXIE WATERMELON.

Splendid new sort; delicious in flavor; surpassing the famous Kolb Gem as a shipper and without a peer in fine quality and productiveness.

	Ounce.	Quar.	Pound.
Cuban Queen, - -	\$0.10	\$0.20	\$0.60
Dixie, New, - -	.10	.20	.40
Hungarian Honey, -	.10	.25	.65
Kolb's Gem, very sweet, -	.10	.20	.40
Mountain Sprout, -	.10	.20	.50
Mountain Sweet, -	.10	.20	.50
Pinney's Early, -	.10	.20	.45
Sweet Heart, -	.10	.20	.60
Citron, for preserving, -	.10	.20	.60

MUSTARD.

	Ounce.	Quar.	Pound.
White English, - -	\$0.05	\$0.10	\$0.25

OKRA, OR GUMBO.

	Packet.	Ounce.	Pound.
White Velvet, - -	\$0.05	\$0.10	\$0.60

NASTURTIUM.

	Packet.	Ounce.	Pound.
Tall Pickling (for flowering varieties, see "Flower Seeds"), - -	\$0.05	\$0.10	\$0.90

POTATO ONION SETS.

The Potato, or Multiplier Onion should be raised in every home garden. It is very early, being fully grown by June, mild flavored and sweet, pearl white when first gathered, of large size, and keeps the longest without sprouting of any Onion; highly esteemed. Quart, 25 cents; peck, \$1.25; bushel, \$4.50.

Potato Onion.

	Quart.	Peck.
Egyptian, Top, or Perennial Onion Sets, - - - - -	\$0.25	\$1.25
Yellow Onion Sets, - - - - -	.25	1.25

Special prices quoted for quantity. We have handled the entire crop of one grower for eight years, and can meet any competition. Prices variable and subject to market changes.

ONION.

Our seed is Connecticut grown, from *carefully selected* onions. The crop depends largely upon the quality of the seed stock. *These prices subject to change without notice.* Deduct 10 cents per pound on five pound lots and over by express, or write for special prices. We cannot compete in price with the California Onion Seed, grown by Chinese as a side crop from culls. Such trash will produce soft, ill-shaped, "necky" onions that will not keep. Try our Onion Seed this year.

Red Wethersfield.

	Ounce.	Pound.
Extra Early Red, flat, small, - - -	\$0.10	\$0.80
Prizetaker, new mammoth, - - -	.15	1.25
Round Yellow Danvers, early, - - -	.10	.85
Silver Skin, or White Portugal, - - -	.15	1.50
Southport Red Globe, late, - - -	.10	.85
Southport White Globe, late, - - -	.15	1.50
Southport Yellow Globe, large, - - -	.10	.75
Yellow Globe Danvers, true, - - -	.10	.70
Wethersfield, large red, late, fine, - - -	.10	.70

PARSNIP.

Packet, 5 cents.

	Ounce.	Quar.	Pound.
Guernsey, or Hollow Crown, favorite sort, - - -	\$0.10	\$0.20	\$0.45
Long White, or Sugar, very sweet, - - -	.10	.20	.40
Burr's Mammoth, largest, very fine, - - -	.10	.25	.65

Moss Curled Parsley.

PARSLEY.

Packet, 5 cents.

	Ounce.	Quar.
Double Curled, common, - - -	\$0.10	\$0.25
Emerald Gem, dark green, - - -	.10	.25
Moss Curled, selected, fine, - - -	.10	.25

Parsnip,
Burr's Mammoth.

PEPPER.

Packet, 5 cents.

	Ounce.	Quar.
Sweet Mountain, - - -	\$0.20	\$0.75
Long Red Cayenne, - - -	.25	.75
Ruby King, large, mild, - - -	.25	.70
Large Bull Nose, or Bell, - - -	.20	.70

PUMPKIN.

	Ounce.	Pound.
Connecticut Golden Field, - - -	\$0.10	\$0.35
Small Golden Sugar, sweet, - - -	.10	.60
Crookneck, or Jonathan, - - -	.10	.60

Bred right, are right; Our Seed Potatoes.

PEAS.

If wanted by mail, add 15c. per quart for postage.

SMOOTH SORTS.

	Feet High.	Quart.	Peck.	Bushel.
T Alaska, earliest green, true,	2½	\$0.15	\$0.80	\$3.00
E Ex. Early Daniel O'Rourke,	3	.15	.80	3.00
L First and Best, -	3	.15	.80	3.00
Laxton's Earliest of All, -	2½	.15	.80	3.00
E Marrowfat, black-eyed, -	6	.15	.65	2.00
Marrowfat, white, large, -	6	.15	.75	2.25
P Maud S., extra early, -	3	.20	.90	3.00
Peep 'o Day, earliest pea,	2½	.20	1.00	3.50
Rural New Yorker, -	2½	.20	.80	3.00

WRINKLED SORTS.

	Feet High.	Quart.	Peck.	Bushel.
O Abundance, Bliss', true, -	2½	\$0.15	\$0.80	\$3.00
Advancer, -	2½	.15	.80	3.00
American Wonder, true, -	1	.20	1.10	4.00
N Champion of England, -	5	.15	.80	2.75
Dwarf Champion, fine, -	3	.20	1.10	4.00
E Eclipse, new, earliest wrinkled,		.45	2.50	9.50
Ex. Early Premium Gem, -	1½	.20	1.00	3.50
Everbearing Bliss', true, -	2	.20	1.00	3.00
Heroine, large, new, -	3	.20	1.10	4.00
Horsford's Market Garden,	2	.20	1.00	3.50
P Little Gem, - - -	1¾	.20	1.00	3.50
Long Island Mammoth, -	5	.25	1.10	4.00
Melting Sugar, edible pods,	4	.25	1.25	4.00
E Nott's Excelsior, dwarf, -	1	.25	1.10	4.00
Pride of the Market, -	2	.25	1.25	4.50
Sharpe's Queen, - -	3	.20	1.00	4.00
A Shropshire Hero, large, -	3	.20	1.10	4.00
Stratagem, finest stock, -	2½	.20	1.00	4.00
Tall Sugar, edible pods, -	5	.25	1.35	5.00
Telegraph, mammoth, fine, -	4	.25	1.25	4.50
Telephone, large, fine, -	5	.20	1.10	4.00
Yorkshire Hero, popular, -	2½	.15	.80	3.00

FIELD PEAS.

	Quart.	Peck.	Bushel.
Blue Canada, selected, - - - - -	\$0.10	\$0.50	\$1.50
White Canada, selected, choice, - - - - -	.10	.50	1.50
White Canada, common, - - - - -	.10	.50	1.25

Prices of field peas vary, and we will send price by mail at any time.

SMALL ORDERS—If you only want a single packet, do not hesitate to send for it. We take as much pains to fill small orders as large ones.

POTATOES.

Green Mountain.

Early Rose.

White Star.

It is impracticable, this season, to give prices on Seed Potatoes in February, when our Catalogue is mailed, that will hold good on all the varieties in March, April and May, when many of our old customers are just ready to buy. Send list of the sorts and number of bushels wanted, and we will quote lowest prices at any time. We have booked so many orders for Seed Potatoes through the Fall and Winter that some of the most popular varieties will be sold out early. Also for this reason we prefer to quote prices only when wanted, as it will prevent unnecessary correspondence, and possible delay and disappointment to our customers in some instances. We have been headquarters for Seed Potatoes in this County for nineteen years. The following is a list of varieties we handle mostly :

Early Rose, Early Maine, Early Norther, Beauty of Hebron, White Star, Burbank, New Queen, Dakota Red, Green Mountain and Rural New Yorker, No. 2.

New Varieties.—Where are the many new varieties of Potatoes that we have seen introduced during our business career? Most of them have met the veterans on the field and been conquered,—even their names have been forgotten. Therefore, we do not advise customers to pay a fancy price for new sorts, except in a small way for testing.

If you want an ornamental plant for the veranda, porch or hall this Summer, that will surpass any palm this side of the Tropics, plant a single seed of the Giant Ricinus of Zanzibar in a large pot or tub. Plant in August, and take into the house before frost, and you will have this grandest foliage plant for Winter.

Five varieties, with brown, red, bronze, green and white ribs and leaves to correspond; two seeds of each in packet for 10 cents. (See page 11.)

RADISH.

Packet, 5 cents.

	Ounce.	Quar.	Pound.
Black Spanish Winter, long, - - -	\$0.10	\$0.20	\$0.45
Chartier, long, pink and white, crisp, - -	.10	.20	.50
Early Carmine, olive shaped, - - -	.10	.25	.70
Extra Early Round Red, forcing, - - -	.10	.20	.60
Early Scarlet Turnip, white tipped, fine, -	.10	.20	.50
French Breakfast, mild and crisp, early, -	.10	.20	.45
Lady Finger, slender white, handsome, -	.10	.20	.50
Long Red, old sort, short top, smarty, -	.10	.20	.50
Olive-Shaped Scarlet, quick grower, mild, -	.10	.20	.45
Rose China, Winter, crisp and piquant, -	.10	.20	.55
Scarlet Globe, handsome, early, - - -	.10	.20	.50
White Strasburg, fine Summer sort, - -	.10	.20	.50
White Chartier, long white, sweet, - - -	.10	.20	.50

Extra Early Round Red.
The earliest forcing Radish.

SALSIFY.

Mammoth Sandwich Island.

SALSIFY.

	Ounce.	Quar.
Mammoth Sandwich Island, -	\$0.10	\$0.40
White French, long, - - -	.10	.30

RHUBARB.

Packet, 5 cents.

	Ounce.	Quar.
Victoria, largest cropper, -	\$0.15	\$0.35

SPINACH.

Packet, 5 cents.

	Quar.	Pound.
Long Standing, evergreen, -	\$0.15	\$0.30
Round Leaf, or Summer, -	.15	.30
Dutch Round Leaf, thick, -	.15	.35
Bloomsdale, Savoy leaf, -	.15	.30
Prickly Seeded, or Winter, -	.15	.30
Viroflay, thick leaf, - - -	.15	.30

Special price for 5 lbs. and over.

SWEET HERBS.

Packet, 5 cents.

	Ounce.		Ounce.		Ounce.
Anise, - - -	\$0.15	Fennel, - - -	\$0.10	Sage, broad-leaf, -	\$0.25
Caraway, - - -	.10	Horehound, - - -	.30	Summer Savory, -	.25
Coriander, - - -	.10	Lavender, - - -	.20	Thyme, - - -	.30
Dill, - - -	.10	Marjoram, sweet, -	.25	Wormwood, - - -	.30

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Bush Scallop.

SQUASH.

Summer.

Packet, 5 cents.

Early Summer Crookneck.

	Ounce.	Quar.	Pound.
Early Bush Scallop, yellow, - - - - -	\$0.10	\$0.20	\$0.50
Early Bush Scallop, white, - - - - -	.10	.20	.50
Golden Summer Crookneck, fine strain, very warty, - - - - -	.10	20	.45
New Giant Summer Crookneck, delicious flavor, large, - - - - -	.10	.20	.55

New Prolific Marrow.

SQUASH—Winter.

Packet, 5 cents.

	Ounce.	Pound.
Boston Marrow, bright orange, - - - - -	\$0.10	\$0.50
Butman, dry and sweet, - - - - -	.10	.60
Cocoanut, small, but solid, - - - - -	.10	.75
Essex Hybrid, heavy cropper, - - - - -	.10	.50
Faxon, one of the best, - - - - -	.10	.55
Fordhook, new, delicious, - - - - -	.10	.60
Hubbard, true old sort, - - - - -	.10	.65
Mammoth Chili, largest squash, - - - - -	.10	1.00
New Prolific Marrow, early, - - - - -	.10	.50
Pike's Peak, or Sibley, - - - - -	.10	.50
Winter Crookneck, - - - - -	.10	.50

SUNFLOWER.

Packet, 5 cents.

Mammoth Russian, largest cropper, quart, 10 cents ; bushel, price by mail.

For flowering varieties, see " Flower Seeds."

TOBACCO.

	Packet.	½ Ounce.	Ounce.
Connecticut Seed Leaf, - - - - -	\$0.10	\$0.15	\$0.25
Fine Havana, acclimated, - - - - -	.10	.30	.50

Our Cabbage Seed is Connecticut and Long Island grown, from selected heads of perfect shape and type. It is immeasurably superior to the cheap trash grown from stumps and refuse.

Do not buy cheap imported cabbage seed. Try the Mattabessett Cabbage Seed and you will always use it. Avoid cheap imported seed ; it is unreliable. Note our low prices this season !

SKILLFUL MARKET GARDENERS acknowledge the

TOMATO.

Packet, 5 cents.

Ounce.

Atlantic Prize.

Atlantic Prize, or Early Ruby,	-	\$0.20
Acme, purplish red,	-	.20
Beauty, dark red, early,	-	.20
Crimson Cushion, new,	-	.25
Dwarf Champion, early, fine,	-	.20
Essex Hybrid, early purple,	-	.20
Favorite, Livingston's, popular,	-	.20
Fordhook First, smooth, early,	-	.25
Golden Queen, large, yellow,	-	.20
Ignotum, solid, productive,	-	.25
New Peach, small, fine flavored,	-	.25
New Stone, bright scarlet, solid,	-	.20
Perfection, bright red, solid,	-	.20
Trophy, old favorite, true,	-	.20
Yellow Plum, small,	-	.25

TURNIP.

Our seed is native grown, from selected roots. Cheap, imported seed is of weak, irregular growth, and produces spurious roots. Avoid Cheap Imported Turnip Seed.

	Quar.	Pound.
Cow Horn, long white,	-\$0.15	\$0.50
Early White Dutch, strap leaf, flat,	.20	.50
Golden Ball, or Orange Jelly, fine grained,	.20	.45
Purple Top, strap leaf, flat, early,	.20	.40
Sweet Yellow Globe, most popular,	.15	.45
White Egg, true stock, mild, good keeper,	.20	.50
Yellow Aberdeen, good keeper, sweet,	.20	.45
Yellow Stone, one of the best,	.20	.45

White Egg.

TURNIP—RUTA BAGA OR SWEDE.

	Quar.	Pound.
Breadstone, or Budlong,	-\$0.20	\$0.65
Burr's Improved Purple Top, yellow,	.20	.60
Sweet German, white, long keeper,	.20	.50
White French, hard and sweet,	.20	.50
White Rock, good shape, smooth,	.20	.50

Burr's Improved.

Market Gardeners.—Send list of the Seeds you require to us to be priced. We deal most liberally with all such trade, and it will pay you to correspond with us before buying. It will cost you but a penny for a postal card, to get prices or information from us at any time, and you will get a prompt reply and right prices.

FRED. P. BURR & CO.,

MIDDLETOWN, CONN.

Our Bulbs are Choice. Prices Low.

MATTABESSETT LAWN SEED.

To make a nice lawn, the ground must first be made as fine as possible, some good fertilizer applied, then thoroughly rolled, and a selection of fine grass seed sown of varieties that will make a close mat of turf and remain green from early Spring till Winter. *Frequently cutting* with a lawn mower, with an occasional rolling down and an application of fertilizer, will insure a beautiful lawn if our

Mattabesett Lawn Seed is used as directed. *Always rake off after mowing.* Our Mattabesett Seed is from grasses that a careful experience of nineteen years has shown to be the best adapted to this locality. It contains no coarse, rank-growing grasses. A fine lawn cannot be made from hay seed. For a lawn, never use any timothy, orchard grass, red clover, meadow fescue, or other coarse grasses. Do not have the soil too rich, or the grass will grow rank and coarse, and besides need very frequent cutting. Many of the nicest lawns about the fine places in "beautiful old Middletown" were established from the Mattabesett Lawn Seed. One quart will sow about 300 square feet. For renovating old lawns use half the quantity

Quart. Peck. Bushel.

Mattabesett Lawn Seed, per quart (by mail), 25 cents, - - \$0.20 \$1.25 \$4.00

White Dutch Clover for lawns, per quarter, 15 cents; pound, 40 cents.

Permanent Lawn Grass Mixture, used by the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

A cheaper but very suitable sort for large grounds, per peck, \$1.00; bushel, \$3.25.

Best Grass Hook, 35c.

Steel Grass Hook, or Sickle.—An extra quality Sickle, having tested steel blade and hardwood handle. The Sickle that will hold its edge; each, 35 cents.

Grass Shears.—Especially adapted to trimming the borders of lawns, and cutting grass around trees where the lawn mower cannot reach. Very handy about the flower garden or small fruit orchard. Has solid cast steel cutting blades five inches long, with spring, all ready for use. Each, 45 cents.

Our Flower Seeds are Superior.

Field Seeds.

Besides our large assortment of garden and flower seeds, we have a choice stock of Field Seeds of the staple varieties. We would be pleased to have you compare our prices before placing your orders this season.

Prices on these seeds fluctuate, so it is impracticable for us to quote figures that will hold good through the season. We will quote prices promptly by mail.

NORTHERN SEED CORN.

	Bushel.
King of the Earlies, - - -	\$1.50
Early Canada, eight rowed, - -	1.50
Pride of the North, Improved, -	1.50
Longfellow, long yellow flint, -	1.50
New England Flint, yellow, - -	1.50
Extra Early Huron, dent, - - -	1.50
Early Leaming, yellow dent, - -	1.25
Sanford White Flint, large, - -	1.50
White Cap, early dent, - - -	1.50

Per peck, each variety, 50 cents.

	Pound.
Broom Corn, evergreen, - - -	\$0.20
Pop Corn, white rice, - - -	.20
Pop Corn, Queen's Golden, - -	.20
Sorghum Cane, early amber, - -	.15

Sunflower, Mammoth Russian, Connecticut grown. Quart, 10 cents; three quarts, 25 cents.

ENSILAGE, or FODDER CORN.

	Bushel.
St. Charles Ensilage, white, - -	\$0.80
Red Cob Ensilage, white, - - -	1.00
Horse Tooth, Southern, large, -	.85
Large Sweet Corn, evergreen, - -	1.50
Large Leaming, yellow, - - -	1.00
Field Peas, White Canada, best, -	1.50
Field Peas, White Canada, fair, -	1.25
Field Peas, Blue Canada, - - -	1.50
Seed Barley, very choice, - - -	1.00
Buckwheat, Japanese, - - -	1.00

ENSILAGE CORN.

Red Cob Ensilage.—A long kernel, pure white corn, with red cob. The stalks are very tender, sweet and juicy, with more foliage than other varieties. This valuable fodder corn should be grown by every dairy farmer. It will produce over thirty tons per acre. Per bushel, \$1.00.

Southern White, or Horsetooth.—This variety is more extensively used than any other. It is a luxuriant grower, attaining a height of fifteen to eighteen feet. Per bushel, 85 cents.

Large Sweet Evergreen.—This makes very sweet and nutritious fodder. Cattle relish it highly and will eat every particle of stalk and leaf. Per bushel, \$1.50.

PRICES OF FIELD SEEDS SUBJECT TO CHANGE—HIGHER OR LOWER WITH THE MARKET.

We Urge customers to inform us promptly on the arrival of their orders if not in good condition and exactly as ordered; also to report, after growth, the result, more especially if anything proves otherwise than was expected. We wish to make friends of our customers, and mail orders receive the same attention that customers do over our counters.

MATTABESSETT BIRD SEED.

The choicest quality Bird Seed, re-cleaned and put up by our own help. This seed is stored in our clean, airy warehouse, where nothing but seed and grain is kept. Much of the sickness among birds is caused by eating seed that is kept in musty storehouses or near volatile oils, drugs or chemicals. If your bird does not thrive, at once change the seed. The Mattabesett Bird Seed is put up in one pound boxes, at 10 cents each; three for 25 cents. We quote price in bulk to dealers and bird fanciers who buy in quantities on **Canary, Rape, Hemp, Millet, Sunflower, Small Round Peas, Etc.**

Grass Seed.

Alsike, Alfalfa, Crimson Clover, Red Clover, White Clover, Hungarian, Kentucky Blue, Millet, Orchard, Red Top, Timothy, Fancy Cleaned Red Top and Lawn Grass; market price. We carry full stocks of the above; also can supply any of the fancy imported varieties at short

notice. Send for samples of the sorts of grass seeds, stating number of bushels you want, and we will mail samples promptly, with lowest cash prices. We guarantee our grass seeds to be identical with samples sent. It don't pay to buy your grass seeds hap-hazard, without examining. We do not do it; neither should you. Prices of grass seed vary so much that it is impracticable to quote prices in January that will hold after the spring trade opens.

Timothy.

CRIMSON CLOVER.

(*Trifolium Incarnatum.*)

Red Clover.

Crimson Clover is an annual, usually sown in the Summer or Fall for an early Spring crop, either for pasture, forage, or green manure. It is also sown in the Spring, either alone or with oats or barley, at the rate of twelve pounds per acre. Crimson Clover catches readily and flourishes on light soil where Red Clover will not thrive.

Our seed is extra bright, clean and heavy. Per pound, 10 cents, or twelve pounds (enough for an acre), put up in cotton bag—no charge for bags—for \$1.00. This price is subject to change without notice. Write and we will quote price at any time, and send sample of seed.

White Dutch Clover.

White Dutch Clover is valuable for permanent pastures, and much used for bee pastures, also for lawns. Quarter pound, 15 cents; pound, 40 cents, by mail. Special prices for larger quantities.

SUMMER FLOWERING BULBS.

The Mattabessett Flower Seeds are all new crop, imported directly from the European growers. They are not cheap, common seeds, but many—grown under glass, from specimen plants, and carefully fructified by hand—cost much more than their weight in gold. That they are the finest flower seeds produced in the world is a modest statement of their great value. Each packet is put up by ourselves, from our bulk stock, in handsome packets, with full cultural directions for the variety therein, which purchasers should follow carefully. Special prices to florists and others who buy seeds by weight. Correspondence promptly attended to.

LIBERAL PREMIUMS.

Of all seeds in packets, the purchaser may select *twenty-five cents' worth extra, for each one dollar sent us*. Thus, anyone sending us \$1.00, can select seeds in packets amounting to \$1.25; for \$2.00, to the value of \$2.50, and so on. This discount applies *only to seeds in packets*. Postage stamps accepted the same as cash.

General Cultural Directions.—**SOWING THE SEED.**—Most failures in flower culture come from improper treatment of the seeds and young plants. We urge every purchaser of our seed to carefully study the cultural directions printed on each package. In sowing fine flower seeds, the common mistake is to cover them too deeply. The great point is to sow them in freshly worked soil, not wet enough to be sticky, but fine, moist and mellow. After sowing the seed, pat the soil down firm; nothing more will be required. All choice seeds and bulbs, to do their best, must have proper cultivation.

FERTILIZER FOR FLOWERING PLANTS.—Fine Bone Flour—a valuable fertilizer for both potted and bedded plants. Can be easily applied at any time and will quickly show its excellence. Price, per sack of 25 lbs., \$1.00; per 100 lbs., \$3.00.

Transplant Delicate Plants at Night.

SWEET PEA.

Truly "the people's flower," it stands to day—with many rivals, it is true—but without a peer. We have given much thought to the selection of varieties, and feel safe to say that few can be substituted that will add to the desirability of our selection. Our stock is new crop, raised by experienced growers in California. The cheap stuff, grown by Chinese as a side crop, and offered at retail at a less price than it costs careful growers to produce their seed, is trash, pure and simple. California grown Sweet Peas are the largest and finest in the world, and in germinating qualities far superior to imported seed. About a dozen varieties of Sweet Peas are all that are distinct enough for general use. Many sorts differ only in name, while others are so near alike that the best one of the type will answer for all. Packet, 5 cents.

	Ounce.	Quar.	Pound.
Adonis, rose and carmine, bright, small, - - - - -	\$0.10	\$0.20	\$0.50
Alba Magnifica, pure white, - - - - -	.10	.20	.50
Apple Blossom, bright pink and rose, veined, very large, - -	.10	.20	.50
Blanche Ferry, most popular pink and white, early, - - -	.10	.20	.50
Blushing Beauty, lovely soft pink, very fine, new, - - -	.10	.20	.50
Boreatton, rich dark claret, large, finest dark variety, - -	.10	.20	.50
Butterfly, white, laced with lavender, blue edge, fine, - - -	.10	.20	.50
Cardinal or Carmine Invincible, intense fiery crimson, - -	.10	.20	.50
Countess of Radnor, soft lavender and mauve, lovely, - -	.10	.20	.50
Delight, Eckfords, white, crested crimson, - - - - -	.10	.20	.50
Duchess of Edinburg, scarlet flushed crimson, white edge, - -	.10	.20	.50
Duke of Clarence, bright claret, very large, superb, - - -	.10	.20	.50
Emily Eckford, reddish mauve and light blue, very large, - -	.10	.20	.50
Emily Henderson, snow white, large and early, - - - -	.10	.20	.50
Imperial Blue, blue shaded mauve, - - - - -	.10	.20	.50
Indigo King, indigo and maroon, - - - - -	.10	.20	.50
Isa Eckford, cream white, tinted rosy pink, delicate, - - -	.10	.20	.50
Lemon Queen, delicate pink, tinted lemon, large, - - -	.10	.20	.50
Lottie Eckford, white flushed lavender and blue, - - - -	.10	.20	.50
Miss Hunt, carmine salmon and soft pink, charming, - - -	.10	.20	.50

SWEET PEAS—Continued.

	Ounce.	Quar.	Pound.
Mrs. Eckford, shaded primrose yellow, beautiful, - - -	\$0.10	\$0.20	\$0.50
Mrs. Gladstone, very delicate soft pink, large, - - -	.10	.20	.50
Mrs. Sankey, white, large, bold flower, fine, - - -	.10	.20	.50
Orange Prince, orange salmon and bright pink, beautiful, - -	.10	.20	.50
Primrose, pale primrose yellow, very beautiful, - - -	.10	.20	.50
Princess Beatrice, rosy pink, great favorite, - - -	.10	.20	.50
Princess Louise, rosy pink and lilac blue, - - -	.10	.20	.50
Princess of Wales, white, shaded and stained mauve, - -	.10	.20	.50
Purple Prince, purple and maroon, shaded bronze, - - -	.10	.20	.50
Purple, Striped White, - - -	.10	.20	.50
Queen of the Isles, striped crimson, showy, - - -	.10	.20	.50
Red and White Striped, pretty and popular, - - -	.10	.20	.50
Senator, brown and chocolate, shaded on white, - - -	.10	.20	.50
Splendor, rich crimson and rose, superb, - - -	.10	.20	.50
White, large pure white, black seed, - - -	.10	.20	.50

Humming Bird Sweet Peas. This is our best mixture, and contains equal parts of the preceding thirty-five named varieties. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; quarter, 20 cents; pound, 50 cents.

Mixed Sweet Peas, good colors, old varieties. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; quarter, 15 cents; pound, 35 cents.

General List of Flower Seeds.

"With hues on hues expression cannot paint,
The breath of Nature and her endless bloom."—*Thomson.*

We ask a trial order this season, to test the uncommon value of our seeds. They will satisfy the most exacting, and prove a delight to all who love beautiful flowers. We take great pains to have our mixed seeds contain the greatest assortment of colors in each variety. All who grow flowers appreciate it when they get a choice strain of their favorite varieties, and for this reason Burr's Flower Seeds have become very popular and sales have largely increased each season. Try something new this year. Hasn't your garden had somewhat of a "sameness" every season? Keep your old favorites, but try the new. Improvement is the order of the day in flowers.

The letter after variety denotes: D, double.—S, single.—M, mixed.

	Packet.		Packet.
<i>Abutilon</i> , Flowering Maple, <i>m.</i> , -	\$0.15	<i>Antirrhinum</i> , Snap Dragon, <i>m.</i> , -	\$0.05
<i>Achillea</i> , white, <i>d.</i> , - - -	.10	<i>Antirrhinum</i> , extra fine, <i>m.</i> , - -	.10
<i>Acroclinium</i> , Everlastings, <i>m.</i> , - -	.05	<i>Antirrhinum</i> , striped, dwarf, <i>m.</i> , - -	.10
<i>Adonis</i> , Pheasant's Eye, <i>m.</i> , - -	.05	<i>Aquilegia</i> , Columbine, <i>m.</i> , - - -	.05
<i>Ageratum</i> , blue, dwarf, - - -	.05	<i>Armeria</i> , sea pink, dwarf, - - -	.10
<i>Ageratum</i> , white, dwarf, - - -	.05	<i>Aster</i> , China, <i>m.</i> , - - -	.05
<i>Agrostemma</i> , Rose Campion, - -	.05	<i>Aster</i> , Kaleidoscope, finest, <i>m.</i> , - -	.10
<i>Alyssum</i> , sweet, white, - - -	.05	<i>Aster</i> , Chrysanthemum, large, - -	.10
<i>Alyssum</i> , dwarf, Tom Thumb, - -	.05	<i>Aster</i> , Comet, <i>m.</i> , - - -	.10
<i>Amaranthus</i> , red and green foliage, -	.05	<i>Aster</i> , Globe Flowered, quilled, - -	.05
<i>Amaranthus</i> , tri-colored foliage, - -	.05	<i>Aster</i> , New Japanese, curled, - -	.10

	Packet.		Packet.
Aster, Pæony flowered, - -	\$0.10	Daisy, Bellis, double, large, - -	.10
Aster, Victoria, large and satiny, - -	.10	Dahlia, solid color, s., m., - -	.10
Aster, new white branching, - -	.10	Dahlia, fancy striped, extra, s., - -	.10
Bachelor's Button, large, double, - -	.05	Dahlia, extra many colors, d., - -	.10
Balsam, Camelia flowered, d., - -	.10	Dahlia, Cactus, fine, d., - -	.10
Balsam, large flowered, d., - -	.10	Daisy, giant, d., - -	.10
Balsam, striped, superb, d., - -	.10	Datura, trumpet flower, - -	.05
Balsam, all colors, m. d., - -	.05	Delphinium, Larkspur, - -	.10
Begonia Vernon, very fine, - -	.10	Dianthus, Pink, double China, m., - -	.05
Bellis, Double Daisy, giant, - -	.10	Dianthus, Diadem, marbled, d., - -	.10
Brachycomb, Swan River Daisy, - -	.05	Dianthus, fine large, double Japan m., - -	.05
Cacalia, Tassel Flower, - -	.05	Dianthus, large single fringed, m., - -	.05
Calendula, Pot Marigold, d., - -	.05	Dianthus, Imperial, double fringed, - -	.05
Calendula, Meteor, striped, d., - -	.05	Digitalis, Foxglove, m., - -	.10
Calendula, Pongei, white, d., - -	.05	Digitalis, Gloxinia flowered, fine, - -	.10
Calliopsis, "Bright Eyes," m., - -	.05	Dolichos, Hyacinth Bean, vine, m., - -	.05
Campanula, Canterbury Bell, s., - -	.05	Escholtzia, California Poppy, d., - -	.05
Campanula, Cup and Saucer, - -	.10	Escholtzia, Mandarin, large, - -	.10
Campanula, mixed colors, d., - -	.05	Euphorbia, Snow-on-the-Mount, m., - -	.05
Canary Bird Vine, vine 15 feet, - -	.05	Everlasting Flowers, double, m., - -	.05
Candytuft, all colors, m., - -	.05	Feverfew, Matricaria, white, - -	.05
Candytuft, Tom Thumb, white, - -	.10	Forget-me-not, Myosotis, blue, - -	.10
Canna, fine sorts, m., - -	.05	Forget-me-not, ever blooming, - -	.10
Canterbury Bells, (See Campanula), - -	.05	Four o'Clocks, Marvel of Peru, - -	.05
Carnation, Marguerite, m., - -	.10	Gaillardia, extra, many colors, d., - -	.05
Castor Oil Plant, Ricinus, m., - -	.05	Gaillardia, grandiflora, large, s., - -	.05
Castor Oil, Zanzibar, giant, - -	.10	Geranium, choice mixed, s., - -	.10
Catchfly, Silene, - -	.05	Gilia, many sorts, mixed, s., - -	.05
Centaurea, Bachelor's Button, - -	.05	Gladiolus, Gandavensis, m., - -	.10
Celosia, Cockscomb, m., - -	.05	Gladiolus, Lemoinei, French, - -	.10
Centranthus, many sorts, m., - -	.05	Globe Amaranth, many colors, m., - -	.05
Chrysanthemum, painted daisies, s., - -	.05	Godetia, satin flower, m., - -	.05
Chrysanthemum, d. m., - -	.05	Gourds, small ornamental varieties, - -	.05
Clarkia, single, 1 foot, m., - -	.05	Grasses, ornamental for bouquet, - -	.10
Clarkia, d. m., - -	.05	Helianthus, Sunflower, d., - -	.05
Cobæa Scandens, blue, vine, - -	.10	Helianthus, Miniature, s., - -	.05
Coccinea Indica, vine, 10 feet, - -	.10	Heliotrope, fine sorts, m., - -	.10
Cockscomb, Celosia, m., - -	.05	Helichrysum, giant, everlasting, - -	.10
Coleus, fancy mixed, fine, - -	.15	Hollyhock, fine, mixed, double, - -	.10
Columbine, Aquilegia, - -	.05	Iberis, Candytuft, m., - -	.05
Convolvulus (Morning Glory), - -	.05	Ipomœa Leari, intense blue, large, - -	.10
Convolvulus, dwarf, m., - -	.05	Ipomœa Setosa, Brazil M. G., - -	.10
Cosmos, new mammoth, white, - -	.10	Jacoba, Elegans, d. m., - -	.05
Cosmos, new mammoth, pink, - -	.10	Kaulfussia, fine, mixed sorts, - -	.05
Cosmos, mammoth, yellow, - -	.10	Larkspur, Hyacinth Flowered, - -	.10
Cosmos, large early flowering, - -	.10	Lantana, Hybrids, fine, - -	.10
Crepis, Hawk's Beard, - -	.05	Larkspur, Emperor, d. m., - -	.05
Cyclamen, Persian, m., - -	.15	Larkspur, tall, double, fine, - -	.05
Cyclamen, giant, fine, - -	.25	Larkspur, red, white and blue, fine, d., - -	.10
Cypress Vine, 20 feet, - -	.05	Lavender, blue, fragrant, - -	.05

	Packet.		Packet.
Linum, Flowering Flax, scarlet, - - -	.05	Phlox, large flowering, extra, - - -	.10
Lobelia, trailing sort, blue, - - -	.05	Phlox, star, fringed, <i>m.</i> , - - -	.10
Lupinus, annual sorts, <i>m.</i> , - - -	.05	Phlox, new yellow, - - -	.10
Marigold, African, large sulphur, - - -	.05	Phlox, hardy perennial, - - -	.05
Marigold, French, dwarf, <i>d.</i> , - - -	.05	Polemonium, Jacob's Ladder, - - -	.05
Marigold, quilled, large, extra, - - -	.10	Poppy, fringed, double, choice, - - -	.05
Marigold, large double, <i>m.</i> , - - -	.05	Poppy, Iceland, fragrant, - - -	.10
Martynia, fragrans, crimson flowers, - - -	.05	Poppy, Peony flowered, <i>d.</i> , - - -	.05
Martynia, proboscidea, - - -	.05	Poppy, white, fringed, <i>d.</i> , - - -	.10
Marvel of Peru, Tom Thumb, - - -	.05	Poppy, white and scarlet, fringed, - - -	.10
Matricaria, Feverfew, white, <i>d.</i> , - - -	.10	Poppy, Shirly, single, fine, - - -	.10
Maurandia, climber, <i>m.</i> , - - -	.05	Poppy, Mikado, fringed, - - -	.10
Mignonette, sweet, large, - - -	.05	Poppy, single, <i>m.</i> , - - -	.05
Mignonette, Machet, large red, - - -	.05	Portulaca, double, extra, choice, - - -	.10
Mignonette, Aurea, golden, - - -	.05	Portulaca, single, <i>m.</i> , - - -	.05
Mignonette, spiral, white, - - -	.05	Primrose, Auricula, rich, - - -	.10
Mimulus, mammoth, extra, - - -	.25	Pyrethrum, yellow foliage, - - -	.05
Mimulus, fine, <i>m.</i> , - - -	.10	Pyrethrum, large hybrids, - - -	.10
Mormodica, Balsam Apple, - - -	.05	Rhodanthe, maculata, <i>m.</i> , - - -	.05
Moon Flower, Leari, sky-blue, - - -	.10	Ricinus (See Castor Oil Plant), - - -	.05
Morning Glory, dwarf, <i>m.</i> , - - -	.05	Ricinus, Zanzibar, giant, grand, - - -	.10
Morning Glory, tall, <i>m.</i> , - - -	.05	Salpiglossis, Tube Tongue, giant, - - -	.10
Morning Glory, Brazilian, - - -	.10	Salvia, Coccinea, white, - - -	.10
Morning Glory, Japanese, - - -	.10	Salvia, Splendens, scarlet, - - -	.10
Myosotis, Forget me-not, blue, - - -	.10	Scabious (Morning Bride), - - -	.05
Nasturtium, Lobbianum, tall, - - -	.05	Scabious, white, dwarf, <i>d.</i> , - - -	.10
Nasturtium, Empress of India, - - -	.05	Scabious, extra, improved, <i>d.</i> , - - -	.10
Nasturtium, Midsummer Dream, dwarf, - - -	.10	Schizanthus, fringed, <i>m.</i> , - - -	.05
Nasturtium, tall, many colors, - - -	.05	Snap Dragon (See Antirrhinum), - - -	.10
Nemophila, many sorts, <i>m.</i> , - - -	.05	Stevia, Eupatoria, white, - - -	.10
Nicotiana Affinis, white, - - -	.10	Stocks, 10 weeks, largest, - - -	.10
Nierembergia Gracilis, - - -	.05	Stocks, Dwarf Pyramidal, - - -	.10
Nigella (Devil in a Bush), <i>d.</i> , - - -	.05	Stocks, German, 10 weeks, - - -	.10
Oenothera (Evening Primrose), - - -	.05	Streptocarpus new, hybrids, extra, - - -	.25
Pansy, Kaleidoscope, mixed, extra, - - -	.15	Sunflower, Giant Russian, - - -	.05
Pansy, Cassier's Giant, blotched, - - -	.10	Sunflower, globe, very double, - - -	.05
Pansy, Bugnot's Stained, giant, - - -	.15	Sunflower, miniature, single, - - -	.05
Pansy, pure white, Candissima, - - -	.10	Sweet Alyssum (See Alyssum), - - -	.05
Pansy, Giant Trimardeau, <i>m.</i> , - - -	.10	Sweet Pea (See Pages 35-36), - - -	.05
Pansy, Giant Striped, fancy, - - -	.10	Sweet William, <i>s. m.</i> , - - -	.05
Pansy, Giant Yellow, - - -	.10	Sweet William, large, double, extra, - - -	.10
Pansy, Odier, five spotted, - - -	.15	Sweet William, <i>d. m.</i> , - - -	.05
Pansy, King of the Blacks, - - -	.10	Thunbergia, vine 8 feet, - - -	.05
Pansy, Imperial German, rich, - - -	.10	Venidium Calendulaceum, - - -	.05
Pelargonium, choice, <i>m.</i> , - - -	.25	Verbena, mixed, good, common, - - -	.05
Perilla Nankenses, - - -	.05	Verbena, mammoth extra, - - -	.10
Petunia, California, giant, - - -	.15	Wallflower, dwarf rocket, <i>d.</i> , - - -	.10
Petunia, striped and blotched, - - -	.10	Zinnia, curled and crested, - - -	.10
Petunia, common, single, - - -	.05	Zinnia, elegans, Tom Thumb, <i>d.</i> , - - -	.05
Phlox, Drummond's, <i>m.</i> , - - -	.05	Zinnia, large double, <i>m.</i> , - - -	.05

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Every packet of Flower Seeds in this collection is the very choicest, and will embellish any garden in the land. There is not a common or cheap strain in the lot. The experienced, who appreciate and value the beautiful in flowers, will be delighted with this selection. We have made the price on our Midsummer Dream Collection less than half regular rates, in order to introduce the finest selections of our Mattabesett Flower Seeds to those who have not yet tried them, and we cannot accept orders for half the collection at the same rate. Midsummer Dream Assortment complete, by mail, \$1.00. With each collection we have included this season one Steel Finger Spade, free. State whether ladies' size is wanted, or larger.

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Gloxinia.

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Gladiolus.

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Grafting Wax, first quality, in bars. One-half pound, 15 cents; 1 pound, 25 cents; postpaid, 40 cents.

Tar Twine, for tying mats, fodder, etc. 10 cents per pound; \$8.00 per 100 pounds.

Some seedsmen offer seeds at 2 and 3 cents a packet, but that is not any saving. You only get that amount of seed. We sell nearly all kinds at 5 cents a packet, and give the worth of seed in a packet every time.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We give undivided personal attention to our business, and treat every customer so he will come again if possible,—hence our motto—Stick to Burr's!

We take every precaution to avoid errors, yet sometimes make them. But often there is really no error where one is apparent. If anything seems wrong, write us fully before passing judgment. We shall always be glad to correct or explain any real or apparent mistake.

Pratt's Food for Horses and Cattle, per 12 lb. bag, 75 cents.

Pratt's Poultry Food, per box, 25 cents and 60 cents.

Rust's Haven Climax Condition Powder, 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1.00.

Rust's Egg Producer, 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1.00.

Rust's Haven Roupe Pills, 25 cents, by mail.

Sheridan's Condition Powders, 25 cents and \$1.00.

"Poultry Keeping," with valuable points, mailed free on request.

For I have all through Winter seen a thorn appearing poisonous and obdurate, which then the rose upon the sprig hath borne.—*Dante*.

Spratt's Patent "Meat Fibrine"
Dog Cakes (with Beet Root.) These celebrated biscuits are used by all the Royal kennels, the "Kennel Club," and "Birmingham National" Dog Shows. Whole cakes, packed in layers, in cases of 100 pounds; prices on application.

Whale Oil Soap—Excellent as a wash for trees, shrubs and plants affected by insects, and for smearing around tree trunks to prevent worms from crawling up into the foliage; also used for driving fleas from dogs, etc. Per pound, 15 cents; by mail, per pound, 30 cents.

Paris Green is indispensable for use on every garden or farm in destroying worms, caterpillars, bugs and slugs. To use dry—thoroughly mix one pound Pure Paris Green with 100 pounds fine plaster or flour. To use in water—mix one pound green to 200 or 300 gallons of water. Per pound, 25 cents. For large lots, apply for special quotations.

Hellebore—Less Poisonous than Paris Green, and much used on currants, rose bushes, etc.; can be used dry, mixed with flour or plaster, and dusted on the foliage when it is wet; also sprinkled on with water. Mix one ounce Hellebore with about three gallons water. Price, 25 cents per pound; by mail, 40 cents.

BORDEAUX MIXTURE.

Scientifically prepared, and ready for immediate use, by simply adding water. One difficulty in preparing Fungicides by non-scientific users, is their inability to mix them properly. The Lion Brand Bordeaux Mixture is put up in patent screw-top tins. Quart size, 40 cents; gallon size, \$1.00.

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