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Tomato Seeds

1900
Crop

W. H. BARRETT,
ADRIAN, MICH.

"None Better, Few as Good."

TOMATO SEEDS

1900 CROP,

Acme,
Beauty,
Stone,
Perfection,
Paragon,
Favorite,
Royal Red,
Trophy,

Pure Stock,

Systematic Methods,

Extreme Care,

Personal Attention.

W. H. BARRETT, Adrian, Mich.

Whether I can be useful to you or not depends not alone on the quality and prices of the seeds I grow, but much more on your confidence in my methods and integrity.

My methods are herein briefly described. I hope they merit your approval.

For the Livingston varieties of Tomatoes, Livingston's own stock is used, and for other sorts the best stock obtainable.

Each variety grown is grouped in a locality by itself, with no other kinds in that vicinity. The crop is grown from seeds and plants furnished by me.

The ripe Tomatoes of each variety are hauled to a central and convenient point for that variety, where they are carefully inspected, and all the

The Stock

Growing

Seeding

seeding, curing, cleaning and bagging done by my own experienced men, who have nothing to do with any sort other than their own. The tools and machines used are all separate and distinct for each sort, and not changed from one kind to another during the season. So far it can be seen that a mixture or impurity is almost impossible.

Whenever I have deviated in the least from these methods of growing and saving, the results have been disappointing.

The first year one variety was grown, others have been added from time to time but the system remains the same.

I am prepared to grow some of these from my own strain of stock which

Boston
Marrow
Squash

has been selected by me personally for fourteen years, and is as fine as any in existence. The fruits are of good size, deep orange color, mottled with cream, the flesh fine grained and thick.

By growing a large quantity and few sorts, and with the saving by systematic management, and the use of improved machinery, I am able to grow Tomato and Squash seeds of the choicest quality and at a moderate price.

With the grower of a small "patch" of Tomatoes, who washes the seed in a muddy stream, or alongside a wind pump, the tendency is to pick the ground clean—the small, green and frosted. We *leave these* because we find the quality very poor,

Price

**Another
Fact**

the seeds producing late vines and very inferior fruit.

If I have not already grown for you, give me at least a trial order, and you will be convinced of the superior quality of my seeds.

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Let me quote on your needs.

W. H. BARRETT,

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