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PRICE LIST OF

GRIFFING'S GARDEN AND FIELD

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

SEED IN PAPERS BY MAIL POSTPAID—We pay postage on all packets, ounces and one-fourth pounds. *For half pounds add 5 cents; one pound 10 cents; for one pint add 10 cents; for one quart add 15 cents for postage.*

SPECIAL EXPRESS RATES—We have obtained from the Southern Express Co. a special express rate on seeds shipped from us to our customers. The special rate is equivalent to a reduction of about one-third from the regular rates, and on shipments of less than 30 pounds we can in most cases ship by express cheaper than by freight.

GUARANTEE—While we exercise every precaution to have seed pure and fresh, and hold ourselves liable under this guarantee to refund original price in case of default, but no more, we do not guarantee perfect stands or good crops, as this depends upon the elements and natural causes over which we have no control.

TERMS—Cash with order. Goods can be sent c. o. d. when order is accompanied by 25 per cent. of the amount.

RELIABLE SEED.

The seed offered in this list are all carefully grown, and varieties and strains selected that we have, in our own experience, found to succeed best in the lower South. Those purchasing seed from us may feel assured of getting only the best quality. Careful tests are made from each variety and only seed used that are known to be pure and fresh.

That better results can be obtained from planting such seed can easily be appreciated by all careful thinking farmers and gardeners.

DISCOUNTS TO RETAIL BUYERS.

Orders by packets, ounces, one-fourth pounds, pints and quarts subject to following discounts: For 50 cents remitted seed to amount of 60 cents may be selected; for \$1.00 remitted, seed to amount of \$1.25 may be selected; for \$2.00 remitted, seed to amount of \$2.50 may be selected; for \$3.00 remitted, seed to amount of \$3.75 may be selected; for \$4.00 remitted, seed to amount of \$5.00 may be selected; for \$5.00 remitted, seeds to amount of \$6.25 may be selected.

TRUCKERS AND MARKET GARDENERS

Wanting seed in quantity should correspond with us. We are in a position to give as low prices as those of any reputable seed house. Our stock is all fresh and tested for germination. We take pride in knowing our seed to be true to name and the varieties we carry in quantity are those especially suited for the southern truckers. Write, stating quantity of each article desired and we will quote bottom prices by return mail

BEANS AND PEAS BY THE BUSHEL AT VERY CLOSE PRICES.

THE GRIFFING BROS. CO.,

PROPRIETORS

Test Grounds and Nurseries at
MACCLENNY, FLA.
GRIFFING, FLA.
MIAMI, FLA.

The Excelsior Seed Farms
and Pomona Nurseries.

VEGETABLE SEED BY WEIGHT.

SEED SOLD BY WEIGHT are post-paid by packets, ounces and one-fourth pounds. If ordered by mail, add 5 cents for half-pounds and 10 cents for pounds.

Asparagus.

	Pkt.	Oz.	1lb.	Lb.
✓ PALMETTO. Of southern origin, very desirable	.5	.10	.20	.50

Beets.

✓ EXTRA EARLY ECLIPSE. Round rooted, bright red	.5	.5	.15	.40
✓ EGYPTIAN EXTRA EARLY. Dark blood red, somewhat flat	.5	.5	.15	.40
✓ IMPERIAL BLOOD RED TURNIP. An excellent sort	.5	.5	.15	.40
✓ LONG BLOOD RED. Desirable variety for late use	.5	.5	.15	.40
✓ IMPERIAL SUGAR. Skin cream color, flesh white	.5	.5	.15	.40
✓ MAMMOTH LONG RED MANGLE-WURZEL	.5	.5	.10	.30

Cabbage.

✓ SELECT EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD	.5	.20	.75	2.50
✓ LARGE JERSEY, OR CHARLESTON WAKEFIELD.	.5	.25	.75	2.50
✓ EARLY SUMMER. Large, solid heads of best quality	.5	.15	.55	2.00
✓ IMPERIAL FLAT DUTCH. An early strain, large, firm head	.5	.15	.40	1.50
✓ ALL SEASONS. Grows to large size, quickly and surely	.5	.15	.55	2.00
✓ GRIFFING'S SUCCESSION. An excellent medium early sort,	.5	.20	.60	2.00
✓ LARGE LATE FLAT DUTCH. Very popular sort	.5	.15	.40	1.50
✓ LARGE LATE DRUMHEAD. Standard late cabbage	.5	.15	.40	1.50

Cauliflower.

✓ GRIFFING'S LARGE EARLY SNOWBALL. Sure header	.20	2.00	7.50	
✓ EXTRA EARLY PARIS. Heads of medium size, good	.10	.85	3.50	
✓ IMPERIAL. A new and desirable introduction	.20	2.00	6.00	

Celery.

✓ WHITE PLUME. Very early, needs very little blanching	.5	.20	.50	1.50
✓ GOLDEN SELF BLANCHING. A valuable variety, stocky,	.10	.35	.90	3.25
✓ GIANT PASCAL. Large, solid stocks, rich nutty flavor	.5	.20	.50	1.50

Cucumbers.

✓ LANDRETH'S FIRST. Excellent long variety, very early	.5	.20	.50	1.25
✓ IMPROVED WHITE SPINE. Handsome, early	.5	.10	.20	.45
✓ EARLY FRAME OR SHORT GREEN. Good for pickles	.5	.10	.20	.45
✓ LONG GREEN TURKISH. Long, slim, good	.5	.10	.20	.45

Egg Plant.

✓ GRIFFING'S IMPROVED THORNLESS. Deep purple,	.10	.35	1.00	3.00
✓ NEW YORK. A standard variety, large purple	.10	.35	1.00	2.75

Lettuce.

✓ IMPROVED HANSON. Very large and solid, withstands sun	.5	.15	.30	1.00
✓ DENVER MARKET. Large, solid heads	.5	.15	.30	1.00
✓ BIG BOSTON. Large, fine solid heads	.5	.15	.40	1.25
✓ SALAMANDER. Stands heat and drouth	.5	.15	.40	1.25
✓ SLOW SEEDER. Large heads, lasts a long time	.5	.20	.45	1.50

Musk Melons.

✓ ROCKY FORD. Pure stock	.5	.10	.15	.60
✓ SOUTHERN BEAUTY. Well suited to our southern climate	.5	.10	.15	.50
✓ ACME. A favorite, medium sized, green fleshed	.5	.10	.15	.50
✓ NETTED GEM. Very early, small and well flavored	.5	.15	.25	.65
✓ EMERALD GEM. Small, extra early, dark green	.5	.10	.15	.60
✓ EARLY HACKENSACK. Large round, good quality	.5	.10	.15	.60

Watermelons.

✓ FLORIDA FAVORITE. Earliest and best for nearby markets	.5	.10	.15	.50
✓ RATTLESNAKE. Oblong, dark and striped, bright red flesh	.5	.10	.15	.50
✓ BLUE GEM. Earlier and more prolific than Kolb Gem	.5	.10	.15	.50
✓ KOLB GEM. Well known standard variety	.5	.10	.15	.40
✓ DUKE JONES. Extra large, prolific and of the finest flavor	.5	.10	.15	.50

	Pkt.	Oz.	1lb.	Lb.
JORDON GRAY MONARCH. Very large, crimson flesh, late	.5	.10	.15	.50
SWEETHEART. Large, bright skin, fine quality	.5	.10	.20	.60
GIRARDEAU'S TRIUMPH. Genuine stock, select seed	.5	.10	.25	.75
SEMINOLE. Best quality known, excellent for home and near markets	.5	.10	.20	.60

Okra or Gumbo.

VELVET POD. Dwarf growing pods, long and slim	.5	.5	.15	.40
GRIFFING'S LONG GREEN POD. Best green podded sort	.5	.5	.15	.40

Onions.

We offer only the genuine Teneriffe grown Bermuda onion seed. This stock is acknowledged by all to be the best and most reliable seed on the market.

WHITE BERMUDA. Outer skin light straw color, interior pearly white	.10	.20	.75	2.75
RED BERMUDA. Same as White Bermuda except in color	.10	.20	.75	2.75
GRIFFING'S BERMUDA WHITE WAX. Large, flat waxy white onion, mild flavor, palatable, superior to red or white Bermuda	.10	.25	.90	3.25

Peppers.

LARGE SWEET SPANISH. Large, red, good for pickles	.5	.20	.60	2.00
RUBY KING. Beautiful bright red fruit	.5	.20	.60	2.00
LONG CAYENNE. Bright red, slender pods, very hot	.5	.20	.60	1.75

Radishes.

FRENCH BREAKFAST. Pink and white, early	.5	.10	.20	.50
EARLY SCARLET ERFURT. Small top, quick growth	.5	.10	.20	.50
WHITE BOX. White, short leaved, good for forcing	.5	.10	.20	.50
GRIFFING'S EARLY LONG SCARLET. Quick maturing	.5	.15	.25	.60
GOLDEN GLOBE. Excellent summer radish	.5	.10	.20	.50
WONDERFUL HALF LONG. Rapid growth	.5	.15	.25	.60
WHITE VIENNA. Best white sort	.5	.10	.20	.50

Squash.

EXTRA EARLY WHITE BUSH. A good early shipper	.5	.10	.20	.50
EARLY GOLDEN BUSH. Fine for summer	.5	.10	.20	.50
GOLDEN SUMMER CROCKNECK. Best quality	.5	.10	.20	.50
BOSTON MARROW. Favorite winter variety	.5	.10	.20	.60
HUBBARD. An old favorite	.5	.10	.20	.60

Tomatoes.

ACME. Medium size, smooth, purplish pink	.5	.15	.40	1.50
BEAUTY. Large, smooth, dark purplish red	.5	.15	.40	1.50
STONE. Very large, smooth, bright scarlet	.5	.15	.40	1.50
PERFECTION. Early, regular and productive	.5	.15	.40	1.60
MONEY MAKER. Quick to ripen, fruits in clusters	.5	.20	.60	2.00
DWARF CHAMPION. Stiff, stocky growth, short stems,	.5	.20	.60	2.00
BURPEE'S MATCHLESS. Large, smooth and handsome, bright red, very solid, favorite with Fla. East Coast planters	.5	.20	.60	2.25

Turnips.

EARLY WHITE FLAT DUTCH STRAP LEAVED	.5	.5	.15	.45
PURPLE TOP STRAP LEAVED. Quick grower	.5	.5	.15	.45
POMERANIAN WHITE GLOBE. Good for table	.5	.5	.15	.45
GRIFFING'S GOLDEN BALL. Very handsome, keeps well,	.5	.5	.15	.45
AMBER GLOBE. Good and sweet	.5	.5	.15	.45
SEVEN TOP. Used exclusively for greens	.5	.5	.15	.45

Ruta Baga.

BLOOMSDALE SWEDE. Purple crowned, golden skinned,	.5	.5	.15	.45
GRIFFING'S SELECT FAMILY. Fine for family use	.5	.5	.15	.45

MISCELLANEOUS VEGETABLE SEED.

	Pkt.	Oz.	1lb.	Lb.
COLLARDS—IMP. WHITE GEORGIA, OR CABBAGING	.5	.10	.25	.80
CARROTS—NEW HALF LONG and LONG ORANGE	.5	.10	.20	
KALE or BROCCOLI—DWARF EX. CURLED GERMAN	.5	.15	.40	
MUSTARD—GIANT SOUTHERN CURLED LEAVED	.5	.10	.20	.50

	Pkt.	Oz.	Lb.	LE.
✓ PARSLEY—EXTRA MOSS CURLED	.5	.10	.20	
✓ PARSNIPS—HOLLOW CROWNED SUGAR. A favorite..	.5	.10	.20	
✓ PUMPKINS—YELLOW CUSHAW	.5	.5	.15	.50
✓ SALSIFY OR VEGETABLE OYSTER—				
✓ IMPROVED SANDWICH ISLAND	.5	.10	.25	
SPINACH—				
✓ VICTORIA. Crisp leaves, compact growth	.5	.5	.10	.25
✓ BLOOMSDALE OR CURLED LEAVED SAVOY.	.5	.5	.10	.25
SUNFLOWER—LARGE RUSSIAN			.5	.10

VEGETABLE SEED BY MEASURE.

SEED SOLD BY MEASURE are post-paid only in packets. Beans and Peas, if ordered by mail, 10 cents per pint and 15 cents per quart extra. Corn, 5 cents per pint and 10 per quart extra.

Beans.

	Pkt.	Pt.	Qt.	Peck
✓ EXTRA EARLY RED VALENTINE. Early, Round Pod	.5	.10	.15	\$1.00
NEW EXTRA EARLY REFUGEE. Has all the superior qualities of the Refugee or 1,000 to 1, and fully 2 weeks earlier	.5	.10	.15	1.00
✓ EARLY MOHAWK. Long, flat and straight Pods	.5	.10	.15	1.00
✓ BEST OF ALL. Round, green fleshy pods	.5	.10	.15	1.00
✓ REFUGEE OR 1000 TO 1. Medium to late, round pod	.5	.10	.15	1.00
✓ NEW STRINGLESS GREEN POD. Very productive, good	.10	.15	.25	1.25
GIANT GREEN POD STRINGLESS VALENTINE. New,	.10	.15	.25	1.25
✓ IMPERIAL GOLDEN WAX. Very early, flat golden pods	.10	.15	.25	1.25
✓ WARDWELL'S KIDNEY WAX. Early, long, flat	.10	.15	.25	1.40
✓ DWARF GERMAN BLACK WAX. Early, round, yellow pods	.10	.15	.25	1.25
✓ BURPEE'S BUSH LIMA. Bush form, the large, flat pale lima	.10	.15	.25	1.75
✓ HENDERSON'S BUSH LIMA, OR SEIVA. Small form of Lima Bean, very productive, valuable for home gardens	.10	.15	.25	1.75
✓ SOUTHERN PROLIFIC. Quick to mature, pods in clusters, a tender tender variety of pole beans	.10	.15	.25	1.50
✓ FAT HORSE OR CREASBACK. Well known Georgia round pod pole bean	.10	.15	.25	1.40
✓ KENTUCKY WONDER. Green pod, running variety	.10	.15	.25	1.40
✓ LARGE WHITE LIMA. Pole beans	.10	.15	.25	

Peas.

ALASKA. Very early blue pea, good market variety, productive	.5	.10	.20	1.00
✓ MCLEAN'S LITTLE GEM. Early, straight pod, medium dwarf	.5	.15	.25	1.25
✓ AMERICAN WONDER. Early and productive, fine quality	.5	.15	.25	1.50
✓ IMPERIAL DWARF. Smooth, late	.5	.10	.20	1.00
✓ FIRST AND BEST. Good, extra early sort	.5	.10	.20	1.00
✓ CHAMPION OF ENGLAND. Well known standard variety	.5	.10	.20	.90
✓ BLACK EYED MARROWFAT. Good late sort	.5	.10	.15	.75
✓ MCNEAL. Only known in Florida. Very heavy bearer and lasts several weeks, dwarf variety	.10	.30	.50	

Corn, Sweet or Sugar.

✓ WHITE COREY. Dwarf growing, may be planted closely	.5	.10	.15	.75
✓ LATE MAMMOTH. Large, late variety	.5	.10	.15	.75
✓ EXTRA EARLY CONCORD. An excellent early variety,	.5	.10	.15	.75
✓ STOWELL'S EVERGREEN. An old standard variety	.5	.10	.15	.75

Potatoes.

EARLY ROSE, BLISS TRIUMPH, BURBANK, CHILI REDS. Price on application

FIELD SEED.

We grow on our plantation in Baker County large quantities of such field seed as can be successfully raised in Florida, and carry others in stock, but as the prices of most all field seed fluctuate we prefer to quote special prices on this class of goods.

Write for prices on FLORIDA FLINT and POOR LAND field corn, JUNE CORN, KAFFIR CORN, PEARL and GERMAN MILLET, SORGHUM, SOJA BEANS, VEL-VET BEANS, SPANISH and FLORIDA PEANUTS, BEGGAR WEED, COW PEAS, UPLAND RICE, CHUFAS, JAPANESE BUCKWHEAT, SEED OATS and RYE.

We can save you money on all this line of seed.