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Since our establishment in 1832, it has been our constant aim to put out only seeds of the highest quality, always believing that in seeds, at least, "the best is none too good." With our various growing stations scattered throughout America, our stock seed farms, trial grounds and corps of expert field men, and our well-equipped cleaning and drying establishments, our facilities for producing high quality seeds are not excelled by any seed growing establishment in America.

We do not pretend to compete in price with unreliable or careless growers or dealers, as poor seeds are dear at any price, but we are equipped to produce strictly high grade seeds at a moderate cost. We handle nothing we do not believe to be the best and intend that our prices shall be as low as is consistent with this quality. We always want to feel that the seeds which we send out are our best advertisement.

The prices in this list are those prevailing on date of issue and are subject to change without notice. We are, however, always pleased to make firm prices or special quotations on large quantities at any time.

Our prices are for delivery f. o. b. cars at Cambridge, N. Y., except in case of peas, beans and corn, which are usually f. o. b. our chief growing station at Detroit, Michigan. Barrels, boxes and bags are charged extra at value and are not returnable.

To those of our customers who use sufficient quantities and can anticipate their requirements, we are glad to quote low contract prices on stocks to be grown the coming season, provided we have their orders prior to making our plantings.

TERMS: At the prices herein named our terms are net cash on June 1st, 1927, without regard to date of purchase, or a discount of 1% per month will be allowed if paid before that date. Bills purchased on contract growing orders or on special quotations made on large quantities are always acceptance due net 60 days from date of invoice, or subject to a discount of 1½% for cash in 10 days. Cash or satisfactory reference must accompany orders from unknown correspondents.

We give no warranty, express or implied as to description, quality, productiveness or any other matter connected with the goods we send out, and we will not be in any way responsible for the crop. If the purchaser does not accept the goods on these terms, they are at once to be returned.

JEROME B. RICE SEED CO.

In telegraphing, please use our CODE on third page of cover. Our telegraph cipher words should be used in TELEGRAMS ONLY—not in orders by mail.

"Quality Will be Remembered Long After Price is Forgotten"

Partial View of the Home Plant and Office at Cambridge, N. Y.

Cambridge, N. Y., January 1st, 1927.

TO OUR CUSTOMERS:

Generally speaking, the season of 1926 was not a profitable one for the American Seed Trade. An exceptionally late, cold spring was in part responsible for this, many private gardeners becoming discouraged in their efforts to start the home garden and the market grower abandoning the attempt to produce many "first crop" products, all of which made for lessening sales and a considerable carry-over.

Perhaps the one great and most important reason for the business showing so little profit may be attributed to an ever-increasing overhead of which many of us, from producer to retail dealer, have not taken due recognition. Also due to the reluctance, from fear of competition, to ask a fair and reasonable profit for our merchandise. With most articles which the public purchases today costing three times, or more, than but a few years back, some seed dealers still add to their cost price the same margin they did ten years or longer ago and then appear surprised when their year's efforts result in no profit and often times in a distinct loss.

It would be well for many of us to frame that good, true saying, "Consider that day lost when low descending sun sees goods sold at cost and business done for fun," and hang it in a conspicuous place in the office to remind us to handle a better grade of seeds, giving more thought to quality and less to price, and then to add a margin sufficient to compensate us for carrying a twelve month overhead to accommodate a four month's business. If the seed merchant stocks the highest grade product he can obtain he need fear little trouble from low-priced competition, for the intelligent gardening public is less concerned these days with saving a dime or a quarter on a pound of seed than it is in procuring a dependable, high quality seed stock.

Unfortunately the same cold, late spring which curtailed the retail seed trade placed a handicap on the seed grower, many important crops going into the ground a full month late. This, coupled with a cool summer and a very wet, cold harvest time, has resulted in decreased yields and several near crop failures. This is especially true of such crops as peas, beans, sweet corn, radish, pepper and tomato.

With fair stocks in our warehouses we solicit your business, thank you for your past patronage, and wish you all a Most Prosperous New Year.

Respectfully yours,

JEROME B. RICE SEED CO.

Rice's Specialties for 1927

Rice's Saxa Radish

The Earliest Known Variety

One of the Best for Greenhouse Forcing or Outdoor Culture

THE Saxa is an exceedingly handsome round, or ball-shaped radish, with an intense bright scarlet color quite all its own and should be listed in every seed catalog.

Saxa is of very rapid growth, coming in several days earlier than Scarlet Globe, with a very short top and small tap root. While the radish matures quickly, it is one of the slowest to shoot to seed. Very tender, crisp and mild in flavor.

Rice's Saxa differs radically from European types under this name, being of a *bright scarlet color* rather than dull red.

A colored plate of the Saxa, suitable for framing, supplied on request.

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Rice's Specialties for 1927

Rice's Improved Pink Meat Cantaloupe

*One of the very Best Shipping Melons and very Popular with
the Consuming Public*

IN MANY sections today the cantaloupe lover views with suspicion any Rocky Ford type of melon, caused by indifferent growers and shippers sending this type of melon to market long before ripe.

The "Pink Meat" being of so distinct a type has appealed to the buying public and has found a quick sale on Eastern markets.

Rice's Improved Pink Meat is quite in a class by itself for uniformity in size, deep orange flesh and fine spicy flavor. The melons are of medium size, packing twelve to the flat, oval in form, with a hard, dark green rind overlaid with a heavy gray netting and but lightly ribbed. The vine is hardy and exceedingly productive.

Many carloads of Pink Meats were shipped from Rocky Ford the past season. The fruit carried well and brought a ready sale at good prices.

We have some surplus of this seed to offer and are now quoting contract prices against our 1927 seed crops.

Visitors to Rocky Ford, Colorado, are always welcome to visit our crops, trial grounds and breeding plots at that point.

Rice's Specialties for 1927

GOLDEN SUNSHINE

Sweet Corn

An Earlier Golden Bantam

WE are indebted to Dr. Yeager of the North Dakota Experiment Station for the introduction of the Sunshine corn, a cross between Golden Bantam and that exceptionally early white corn, Portland Early Market.

The Sunshine fills a long felt want for a Golden Bantam type which will come on the market earlier than that variety, to compete with the first early white corns.

SUNSHINE IS READY FOR MARKET A WEEK TO TEN DAYS BEFORE GOLDEN BANTAM

In fact, will be off the market before that variety is ready. The plant growth is more dwarf and the ears closer to the ground. The ears are the same size as Bantam but 12-rowed instead of 8, of equally good color and with a high quality grain.

Sunshine will be a Money Maker for the Enterprising Gardener

Now booking orders for crop of 1927.

1926 Crop sold out.

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Rice's Specialties for 1927

RICE'S CORELESS CARROT

Rice's Coreless Carrot

THE most handsome and appetizing appearing carrot we are acquainted with, and of the highest quality. The roots average 6 in. in length by $1\frac{1}{2}$ in. in diameter, nearly cylindrical in form, exceptionally smooth and of a distinct, deep orange color. The flesh is crisp and sweet, and quite lacking in woodiness or core; tops are very small.

We predict a wonderful trade on this carrot when it has been tried in critical markets.

Present seed supply limited.

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RICE'S LONGFELLOW CUCUMBER

To supply an ever increasing demand for a cucumber which when grown out of doors would have the slender, dark-green appearance of a hothouse product, we present the "Longfellow." This variety, unlike most other sorts, succeeds equally well in the garden or the greenhouse.

The Longfellow is a White Spine type with an admixture of Emerald blood, from which it gets its intense, dark-green appearance. The vines are exceptionally healthy and productive and fairly early. The fruits will average 12 to 14 in. in length by $2\frac{1}{2}$ in. in diameter and are very symmetrical. The color is all that could be desired and this variety will retain its dark-green color when shipped to distant markets. An ideal type for the private garden or as a "straight pack" variety for shipment, boxed, to high grade markets.

Seed supply for 1927 limited. Now booking contracts against 1927 seed crop.

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ARTICHOKE

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Green Globe French	Artic	\$4 00
Plant of medium growth with deep green leaves; buds or flower heads green, nearly round or slightly elongated; scales rather narrow and spiny, moderately thick at the base.		

ASPARAGUS

Barr's Mammoth	Aspect	45
Stalks are very large, nearly an inch in diameter, retaining their thickness nearly to the top; have close round heads and few scales.		
Columbian Mammoth White	Aspen	50
A sport from Conover's Colossal. This splendid, large stalked variety produces white shoots above the surface and requires little if any blanching. Does not always come true from seed, but the green sports can readily be discarded.		
Conover's Colossal	Asperity	40
One of the largest and most popular green varieties; stalks are bright green, often tinged purple at the top; very tender and of fine quality.		
Giant Argenteuil	Asperse	50
The popular variety in the Paris markets; early, exceedingly large and very productive.		
Palmetto	Aspersion	40
An early maturing and prolific variety with thick, dark green shoots, distinctly pointed at the tip. A popular canning variety.		
Washington	Asphodel	1 75
A rust-resistant type, introduced by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, which we believe will soon be grown to the exclusion of other sorts. A heavy yielding variety with long, thick, heavy stalks, closely folded at the tips; color rich, dark green.		
Washington, Mary	Asphyxia	2 50
The highest type of the rust-resistant asparagus. It is earlier, larger and longer than the original Washington and quite as resistant. Tips are very tight and do not "sprangle out" or "blow" prematurely.		

ASPARAGUS ROOTS

Strong Two-year Roots

For Early Spring Shipment—500 at 1,000 Rates.

	Per 100	Per 1000
Columbian Mammoth White	Aspic	Write for Prices
Conover's Colossal	Aspirant	" " "
Palmetto	Aspire	" " "

Full Measure

One of the best of the Stringless Green Pod Beans

BEANS

Dwarf Wax and Green Pod Beans weigh about 60 lbs. per measured bushel; Pole and Lima sorts weigh from 55 to 60 lbs. per bushel.

All beans are put up 120 lbs. to the bag

DWARF BUTTER OR WAX PODDED VARIETIES

	Tel. Cipher	Per 100 lbs.
Black Wax, Pencil Pod	Beacut	\$16 00
The best of the dwarf, black-seeded wax varieties. Early and very productive. Pods large, 6½ to 7 inches long, round, straight and creasebacked; strictly stringless, free from fiber, fleshy and brittle; of highest quality; color very clear yellow. Plant growth exceptionally strong and vigorous.		
Black Wax, Prolific	Beach	16 00
Early; pods round, about five inches long, fleshy, brittle and stringless, deep yellow in color and attractive; a standard sort.		
Currie's Rust Proof Wax	Bead	16 00
Very early and productive, pods large, 5½ to 6 inches long, flat and straight; color bright yellow and attractive in market. Has more or less fiber and string. Seed black. Grown largely by market gardeners because of its earliness and hardness.		
Davis' White Kidney Wax	Beadle	18 00
An early, productive and attractive wax variety. Pods large and flat, 6½ to 7 inches long, very uniform and extremely straight, stringy and fibrous and fair quality. Color clear bright yellow. Seed white and kidney shaped. A market gardener's sort.		
Golden Eye Wax	Beagel	17 00
Almost rust proof, very hardy, early and prolific. Pods large, yellow, 5 to 6 inches long, flat and almost straight, and with considerable fiber and string. Beans are white with a yellow eye. Very showy; follows Old Style Golden Wax in season.		
Golden Wax (Old Style)	Beak	18 00
Probably the most popular of the wax varieties and one of the best. Very early and quite productive; pods 4 to 4½ inches long, very stout, straight or slightly curved and oval in form; flesh brittle, stringless and of good quality; color bright yellow; seed white, much mottled brown.		
Golden Wax, Improved Rust Proof (Grenell's)	Beaker	18 00
Closely resembles Golden Wax, differing only in having a shorter, stouter and more straight, flat pod. Plant a trifle shorter and apparently not so productive as in the Old Style. The brown mottled seed is darker in color than Golden Wax.		
Hodson Wax	Beamy	17 00
Extremely vigorous, very hardy and productive, though rather late. Noted for its very large, flat, gently curved, attractive wax pods which are 6 to 6½ inches long; rather fibrous and stringy. Holds up well as a shipping sort to distant markets.		
Kidney Wax (Burpee's New)	Bear	22 00
Resembling Wardwell's Kidney Wax, but pod is longer and thicker, though not so broad; fairly productive and of high quality; stringless, fiberless, very fleshy and brittle. Pods about 6 inches long and of an attractive, clear yellow color; mid-season. An excellent variety for canning.		
Refugee Wax (Stringless)	Beardless	15 00
A popular canner's variety. Mid-season, very hardy, vigorous and productive. Pods 4½ to 5 inches long, slender, regularly curved, round, well filled, with no depressions; fleshy, fine grained and excellent quality. Color pale yellow.		
Round Pod Kidney Wax (Brittle Wax)	Bearer	Failure
An excellent early, round podded, stringless variety of highest quality. Pods 5 to 6 inches long and of a light yellow wax-like color. Seed white with brownish-black eye.		

BEANS — Dwarf Wax Podded Varieties — Continued

	Tel. Ciper	Per 100 lbs.
Sure Crop Wax	Bearing	Failure
A selection from Currie's Rust Proof Wax, having black seed and differing from that sort in that it is stringless, more hardy, rust-resistant and a little later. Pods flat, and average an inch longer and somewhat thicker than Currie's and with a stronger plant growth. Very desirable.		
Unrivalled Wax	Bearipoy	Sold out
An immensely productive, first early, showy sort. Pods 5 to 5½ inches long, rather narrow, either perfectly straight or slightly curved, somewhat flattened but fleshy. The pods show their clear yellow color at an early stage and while having a trace of string are quite fiberless. Plant large, vigorous and nearly disease resistant; seed distinctly small, flat, kidney-shaped, ochre-brown in color.		
Wardwell's Kidney Wax	Beastly	Failure
A very popular, early, gardener's variety. Pods large, 5½ to 6 inches long, moderately stout, straight and flat, fleshy, brittle, fine grained and nearly stringless. Of good quality and very attractive.		
Webber Wax (Cracker Jack Wax)	Bearish	\$18 00
A high quality, flat podded, stringless variety of the season of Wardwell's Kidney Wax. Pods 6 to 6½ inches long, quite broad and uniformly curved, fleshy, stringless and brittle, with little fiber. Plant more vigorous and productive than Wardwell's. Color of pod is a decided bright yellow. Seed yellow, kidney shaped.		

DWARF GREEN PODDED VARIETIES

Black Valentine (Roi des Noirs)	Beatify	\$15 00
Beautiful large pods about 6 inches long, slender, nearly round and almost straight; stringy, fibrous, though fine grained, dark green in color. Seed black. An early, productive, profitable gardener's variety. Plant more vigorous and productive than Red Valentine and pods darker green.		
Boston Small Pea (The Navy Bean of Commerce)	Beating	12 00
Bountiful	Beau	17 00
Best of the flat-podded stringless varieties. Pods 6½ to 7 inches long, thick, flat and slightly curved, stringless, slightly fibrous, attractive and of fine quality; color light green. Very early, vigorous, hardy and productive.		
Broad Windsor	Beauish	18 00
The English "Broad Bean"; largest and best of its class.		
Burpee's Stringless Green Pod	Beauty	17 00
Early, hardy, vigorous and productive. Pods large, 5 inches long, thick, round and creasebacked, dark green in color; strictly stringless, tender and brittle; of good quality.		
French's Horticultural	Bechance	Failure
One of the most attractive of the Horticultural family. Vine very erect, straight and compact, with a tendency to throw out short runners. Pods prolific, 7 to 8 inches long, broad, stringy and fibrous, and distinctly marked with a very vivid crimson.		
Full Measure	Because	17 00
A fine stringless, early, medium green, high quality bean. Pods straight, 6 inches long, very fleshy, round, creasebacked and showing depressions around the beans. In season slightly later than Burpee's Stringless. Seed bean much resembles Red Valentine.		
Giant Stringless Green Pod	Beck	20 00
Somewhat similar to Burpee's Stringless, but pod is a little longer, straighter and more slender, more depressed between beans and slightly lighter in color; early, hardy and of highest quality. A desirable canners' variety.		

Our bean crops are grown in the West, mostly under irrigation, and in districts where disease is practically unknown.

BEANS — Dwarf Green Podded Varieties — Continued

	Tol. Ctpher	Per 100 lbs.
Horticultural Dwarf	Becloud	\$17 00
An old standard snap and shell sort. Pods about 5 inches long, almost stringless, greenish-yellow splashed with carmine.		
Hopkins' Improved Red Valentine	Bedash	16 00
An improved strain of Red Valentine. Pods somewhat longer and more round; seeds darker in color.		
Improved Early Red Valentine	Bedaub	16 00
A very hardy, early and productive standard sort. Pods $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches long, round and creasebacked, medium green, slightly stringy and of good quality.		
Large White Kidney	Bedding	13 00
A most excellent white, kidney-shaped field bean.		
Large White Marrow	Bedeck	13 00
Large, oval-shaped white beans, grown as a field crop for baking.		
Longfellow (Empereur de Russe)	Bedew	14 00
A very excellent variety of French origin. Moderately early and productive. Pods dark green, $5\frac{1}{2}$ to $6\frac{1}{2}$ inches long, very slender, straight and round; very slightly stringy, tender, fine grained, attractive, and of good quality. Makes an excellent canning sort.		
Long Yellow Six Weeks	Bedim	17 00
An old standard sort, very vigorous, hardy, productive and early. Pods 5 to 6 inches long, flat, light green in color, with more or less string and of medium quality.		
Low's Champion Bush	Bedizen	Failure
A very old variety of the Horticultural type, sometimes known as Red Cranberry. Pods deep green, about 5 inches long, very flat, extremely straight, stringless, tender and of fine quality. Beans deep red. Extensively used as a canning variety in the eastern states.		
Masterpiece (Sutton's)	Bedkin	20 00
An English variety used quite extensively in this country as a forcing sort on private estates, and is not recommended for garden culture. When grown under glass the plants are of robust constitution, unusually prolific, early and hardy; pods very dark green, about 7 inches long, straight, thick, handsome and tender when very young, developing considerable string as they mature.		
Red Kidney	Bedrench	12 00
Quite like White Kidney, except the beans are deep red in color.		
Refugee, Extra Early	Bedrid	14 00
A very hardy, early and productive type of Refugee. Pods 4 to 5 inches long, uniform, round and slightly creasebacked, slightly stringy, brittle and fine grained; quality good; color light green.		
Refugee Stringless (Rogers)	Bedrist	17 00
A desirable stringless selection from Refugee or 1000 to 1, resembling that variety in form of pod, season of maturity and habit of growth, though not as hardy or quite as productive. Very popular with canners.		
Refugee, or Thousand-to-One	Bedrop	16 00
A very productive, hardy, vigorous late sort, much in favor with the canning trade. Pods 5 to $5\frac{1}{2}$ inches long, somewhat slender, round and slightly curved; almost stringless; fine-grained and good quality; color light green.		
Ruby Horticultural Dwarf	Bedwarf	17 00
An improved type of Dwarf Horticultural. Very hardy, early and productive. Pods about 5 inches long, straight, round and stringless; color greenish-yellow splashed with bright carmine.		
Tennessee Green Pod (Brown Bunch)	Beeter	18 00
A popular sort in the South where it is sometimes known as Dwarf Kentucky Wonder. One of the very earliest green-podded beans. Plant vigorous, hardy and productive. Pods 6 to 7 inches long, broad, very flat, irregular in shape, dark green in color, nearly stringless and of exceptionally fine flavor. Beans chocolate-brown.		

POLE, OR RUNNING BEANS

	Tel. CIPHER	Per 100 lbs.
Burger's Green Pod, or White Kentucky Wonder	Befriend	\$17 00
A very early, white seeded variety of German origin. Pods 6 to 7 inches long, round and nearly straight; very tender, fleshy and stringless; of high quality; color medium green.		
Golden Cluster Wax	Beget	18 00
An excellent pole wax-podded sort; early, vigorous, hardy and productive. Pods $6\frac{1}{2}$ to 7 inches long, extremely straight, broad and flat; very fleshy, stringy though fine grained, attractive and good quality; color light waxy-yellow. Beans white, oval-shaped.		
Horticultural Pole, or Cranberry (October Bean)	Begird	16 00
An old, well known, standard sort. Mid-season in maturity, hardy and productive. Pods 5 to 6 inches long, straight, flat, stringless and of good quality; color dark green, splashed with bright red.		
Kentucky Wonder, or Old Homestead	Begone	14 00
The most popular, green-podded climbing, or corn-hill bean; early and productive. Pods 8 to 9 inches long, very slender, decidedly curved, slightly stringy, tender and good quality.		
Kentucky Wonder Wax	Begoot	18 00
One of the earliest of the pole wax sorts. Pods 8 to 9 inches long, thick, decidedly creasebacked, very fleshy, brittle but stringy, attractive and fair quality; color light yellow.		
King Horticultural (Worcester or Hampden Pole)	Begrime	17 00
Both beans and pods are larger than in other types of Pole Horticultural; mid-season, vigorous and productive. Pods 6 to 7 inches long, flat and stringless; very showy; color light green, splashed with bright carmine.		
Lazy Wife	Begrudge	17 00
A late, productive, standard sort. Pods 5 to 6 inches long, broad, straight and flat, stringless, very fleshy, brittle, fine grained, attractive and excellent quality. Color medium green; dry beans round and white.		
Red Speckled Cut-short, or Corn-Hill	Beguile	16 00
A well known, hardy, late and productive sort. Pods $3\frac{1}{2}$ to 4 inches long, stout, straight and flat, stringy, fine grained and fair quality; color light green.		
Scarlet Runner	Behalf	18 00
On the order of the Limas; grown mostly in America for its ornamental, bright scarlet flowers. Seed reddish-brown, mottled black.		
Striped Creaseback, or Scotia	Behead	17 00
A very hardy and productive cornfield bean. Pods $6\frac{1}{2}$ to 7 inches long, round, straight and creasebacked; slightly stringy, very fleshy, fine grained, attractive and good quality; pods light green.		
Tennessee Wonder	Beheel	16 00
Somewhat similar in habit to Kentucky Wonder but with immensely larger, straighter, smoother and more creasebacked pods. Pods green, tinged purple; slightly stringy; not productive. More suitable as a shell rather than snap bean.		
White Creaseback	Behest	16 00
Very hardy, very early and moderately productive. Pods 5 to 6 inches long, uniform, round and slender; slightly stringy, very fleshy, brittle and fine grained; fair quality; color light green. Beans small, oblong and white in color.		
White Dutch Case Knife	Behind	17 00
Green snap pods, 7 to 8 inches in length, very straight and flat, stringy, brittle and of fair quality; mid-season; best as a shell bean. Beans very flat and ivory-white.		
White Dutch Runner	Beholder	17 00
Same general habit as Scarlet Runner; pods slightly larger; flowers and beans white.		

We are very extensive growers of Seed Beans and our stocks are of the highest quality. Ask for our contract growing prices.

LIMA BEANS

DWARF OR BUSH VARIETIES

	Tel. Cipher	Per 100 lbs.
Burpee's Bush	Beef	\$20 00
Plant large, spreading; hardy, mid-season and productive. Pods 4 to 4½ inches long, containing 3 to 4 beans which are as large as in the pole sorts, flat and white.		
Burpee's Improved Bush	Beehive	20 00
Both beans and pods larger than the old type; average one more bean to the pod; beans larger and thicker than in the old form.		
Dreer's Bush	Beetle	22 00
A thick seeded, or potato type of Dwarf Lima; equally productive with Burpee's but a week later; of high quality.		
Fordhook Bush	Beeves	22 00
A most excellent variety and exceedingly popular with market gardeners. Pods about 5 inches long, containing 4 to 5 large, oval-shaped, very thick white beans of the so-called Potato Lima type.		
Henderson's Bush	Befall	15 00
A vigorous, hardy, very early and small type of Bush Lima; much in favor with canners. Pods small, about 3 inches long, containing three to four small, flat, white beans of good quality.		
New Wonder Bush	Befit	20 00
Similar to Burpee's Bush in season and productiveness. The plant, however, is more dwarf; bean broader, thinner and more flat.		
Wood's Prolific	Before	16 00
Quite similar in character and habit of growth to Henderson's Bush, though the beans are somewhat larger and thicker.		

POLE VARIETIES

Carpinteria	Behoof	\$20 00
A very fine, vigorous, strong growing Lima. Very productive, and the beans, usually four to the pod, are larger and somewhat thicker than ordinary Limas. Seed retains its distinctively green tinge.		
Dreer's Improved (Challenger)	Being Sold out	
Plants very vigorous, very hardy, late and productive. Pods about 3½ inches long, containing 4 to 5 very thick, medium sized, light green beans of excellent quality. Also known as Potato Lima.		
Early Leviathan	Belate	20 00
A very early, large podded variety; the earliest of the Large Lima class. Pods 5 to 6 inches long, containing 5 to 6 large, flat, white beans.		
Giant Podded	Belboy	23 00
The largest podded Lima in cultivation; extremely vigorous in growth, with dark green foliage and pods; mid-season. Pods measure about 7 inches long by 1½ inches broad and are borne in clusters of six to eight; beans extra large and of excellent quality. Undoubtedly the best of all the large-podded varieties.		
King of the Garden	Belch	19 00
An improved strain of Large White Lima; pods about an inch longer proportionately wider and uniformly four seeded.		
Large White	Belfry	19 00
The standard Pole Lima. Vigorous, mid-season, productive. Pods 4 to 5 inches long, very flat, 3 to 4 seeded.		
Large White (Extra Size)	Belial	20 00
A selected stock of Large White Lima; beans very large.		
Seibert's Early	Belief	19 00
Earlier and more productive than Large White Lima; beans rather thicker and of highest quality.		
Small or Sieva	Belle	19 00
Beans small and white on the order of Henderson's Bush Lima. Plant of large growth, very early, vigorous and productive.		

BEET

TABLE VARIETIES

Detroit Dark Red

Detroit Dark Red	Bendable	50
One of the very best sorts for home or market garden and for canning purposes. Roots uniformly smooth, of medium size, and globe shaped; skin dark red, flesh solid vermillion red. Our special stock of this variety shows no white zones. Tops are small, upright, dark green, shaded red.		
Dewing's Early Blood Turnip	Beneath	45
Medium early, top-shaped; roots dark red, flesh carmine, zoned a lighter shade; good quality.		
Early Blood Turnip, Improved	Benefice	40
The old standard table beet; roots nearly round or slightly flattened, bright red, zoned and of good quality. Not so early as Detroit, and with a larger, coarser top.		
Early Wonder	Benefider	50
A selection from Crosby's Egyptian though not so early as our strain of that variety. Roots very uniform, nearly globe-shaped, with small top and tap root; skin dark red, flesh deep blood red, with little zoning. Popular with market gardeners for early or late planting.		
Eclipse	Benefit	45
An early variety with small tops and medium sized, round, bright red roots; flesh bright red, zoned pinkish-white.		
Edmand's Blood Turnip	Benight	40
A second early sort, with short tops; roots nearly round, dark red; flesh purplish red with little zoning; a good keeper.		

Our American Grown stocks of Beet Seed have won a National Reputation for Purity, Trueness to Type, Form and Color, and are supplied to the Best Seed Dealers in this Country.

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Bassano, Early Flat		
..... Belted		\$0 45
An early, turnip-shaped variety; color light red or pink, white zoned.		
Boston Crosby ... Bemker		50
An exceptionally good selection from Crosby's Egyptian, being more "globy"; with a smaller top and tap root. Roots are remarkably uniform, very dark red, flesh deep purplish red with little tendency to zoning. One of the most popular and handsome of the early beets.		
Crimson Globe ... Bemock		45
A late or main crop variety, medium in size, globe shaped; flesh deep purple, slightly zoned; foliage small, dark bronze.		
Crosby's Egyptian		
..... Benchner		50
Where a first early market is desired our strain of this variety is unequalled. Roots a flattened globe shape; skin very dark red, flesh a trifle lighter in color and lightly zoned; tops small.		

BEET — Table Varieties — Continued

Boston Crosby

An improved Early Wonder and a most profitable first early beet for the market gardener. Note the small tap roots.

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Electric	Benignly	\$0 50
Extra early, round, dark red roots; flesh crimson and slightly zoned; tops very small.		
Extra Early Egyptian	Benignant	45
One of the very earliest, with small top; roots distinctly flat and moderately thick, very dark red; flesh dark purplish red, zoned a lighter shade.		
Fireball	Benigroy	55
An early maturing, deep red, globe-shaped variety, with small tops.		
Half Long Blood	Benison	50
Excellent second early sort and good keeper. Roots deep red, half long and smooth; distinctly zoned.		
Lentz's Blood Turnip	Benumb	50
A very early, round, dark-red, much zoned sort; fine for hothouse forcing, having a very small top.		
Long Smooth Blood	Benzoim	40
A standard, long, late variety; roots 14 inches long, smooth, rather slender; flesh deep purplish red; good quality and excellent keeper.		
Swiss Chard, Silver or Sea Kale	Bequeath	45
Its yellowish-green, large leaves are used as greens and the middle leaf-rib served like asparagus.		
Swiss Chard, Lucullus	Bequest	45
An improved type of Chard. Of more upright growth than the Silver variety; leaves yellowish-green, much crumpled and curled, mid-rib and veins white; stalks thick, broad and flat, and as large as rhubarb.		

One cannot build up a successful seed trade with cheap seeds —your gardening friends know quality and buy their supplies where they get it.

BEET—Continued

MANGEL WURZEL AND SUGAR BEETS

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Giant Half Sugar Rose (Feeding Sugar)	Bereft	\$0 25
A most valuable large yielding variety for feeding; oval shaped; skin rose colored, flesh white.		
Giant Sludstrup	Bergamot	28
A long, reddish-yellow, ovoid root, growing more than half above ground; easily harvested, and by actual test far excels any other variety in weight and feeding value.		
Giant Yellow Intermediate	Beryl	25
A fairly long reddish-yellow, oval-shaped root, growing half above ground and quite identical with Sludstrup.		
Golden Tankard	Beseem	25
Roots large, nearly cylindrical in shape, narrowing abruptly at both ends; skin deep orange-yellow; flesh zoned yellow and white; sweet and productive.		
Ideal (Eckendorf)	Beset	28
Light yellow. Grows well above ground and is as large at bottom as at top.		
Long Red Mammoth Prize (Norbiton Giant)	Besom	20
Attains enormous size, producing thirty to fifty tons to the acre. Roots nearly cylindrical in shape, light red, growing well above ground; flesh white and rose-colored.		
Sugar, Klein Wanzleben	Bestick	30
Largest yielding and one of the best for sugar making.		
Sugar, Lane's Imperial (White French)	Bestow	30
A white fleshed, handsome and very productive strain; skin below ground rose-colored, top gray or bronze; for stock feeding.		
Sugar, Vilmorin's Improved	Bestride	30
An improvement on the White French Sugar; used extensively for making beet sugar.		

BROCCOLI

Much resembles Cauliflower; cultivation the same.

Purple Cape	Brocade	\$4 00
Very similar to White Cape, excepting in color, heads being of a brownish purple.		
White Cape	Brocket	3 75
Heads compact, good size and of a creamy white color; one of the most certain to head.		

BRUSSELS SPROUTS

Species of Cabbage; cultivation the same.

Carter's Perfection	Brushy	\$1 25
Stems grow about 2 feet in height and are thickly set with sprouts 1½ to 2 inches in diameter.		
Dalkeith	Brusing	1 25
Plant stems about 20 inches high and well covered with 2-inch sprouts; hardy and fairly early.		
Dwarf Improved	Brusman	1 25
Stem 20 inches high; sprouts about 2 inches in diameter and well rounded; moderately early.		
Half Dwarf Paris Market	Brustle	1 25
Stem 2 feet in height; sprouts closely set, 1½ inches in diameter, very firm and well rounded; hardy and productive.		

One of the chief reasons people SEND AWAY for their seeds is because
many local dealers BUY SEEDS BY PRICE.

CABBAGE

CHOICEST STOCKS

We are now producing in America, under our personal supervision and from our own stock seeds, all the standard varieties of Cabbage seed, and are prepared to accept growing contracts for large or small quantities.

New Golden Acre
The Earliest of the Round Headed Varieties

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
All Head Early (The Faultless)Caballer		\$1 75
As early as most of the early summer cabbages; the deep, flat heads are remarkably solid and uniform in color as well as in shape and size; makes a fine winter cabbage if sown late. Splendid sort for kraut making.		
All SeasonsCabal		1 75
Heads large, round and very deep; can be planted for early or late crop; a splendid keeper; in season a late second early, coming in with Early Flat Dutch; a favorite with kraut manufacturers.		
Autumn King, or World BeaterCabalist		1 75
Probably the largest of the cabbage family; heads very large and flat; leaves of upright growth, frilled or scalloped unlike other varieties; late in maturing and requires strong soil to head well.		
Charleston Large WakefieldCabin		1 75
About one week later than Early Jersey Wakefield, but the conical heads are fully one-half larger.		
Chinese Cabbage (Pe Tsai)Cabinet		1 50
Sometimes called Celery Cabbage; resembles Cos Lettuce as much as cabbage, though with a decided cabbage flavor.		
Chinese Cabbage (Wong Bok)Cabinore		1 75
The heads of this variety are shorter and broader than Pe Tsai, and leaves fold tighter, making a more compact plant.		
Copenhagen MarketCable		2 75
Very fine, nearly as early as Jersey Wakefield; stem short, heads large, round and solid, with few outer leaves of an upright growth. Our stock of this popular variety is <i>very early</i> , uniform and dependable.		

CABBAGE — Continued

Selected Early Jersey Wakefield

We have an exceptionally superior, early strain of this cabbage and will gladly supply trial ground samples on request.

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Danish Ball HeadCaboose		\$1 75
One of the very best winter sorts and one of the most hardy; heads round and very solid. Our selected stock of this cabbage is unexcelled.		
Danish Round HeadCacao		2 00
Similar to Danish Ball Head, but with shorter stem, slightly larger and about two weeks earlier. Very hard and heavy.		
Early Flat DutchCackle		1 50
Earlier and heads somewhat smaller than Late Flat Dutch; a good short stemmed second early.		
Early SummerCadence		1 50
Heads medium in size, round, somewhat flattened, compact and solid; outer leaves spreading and light glaucous green. Ten days later than Jersey Wakefield and one of the best large, second early sorts.		
Early Jersey Wakefield, Rice's SelectedCadet		2 00
The most widely known and popular extra early variety; heads a broad cone shaped and very solid. Our stock is very dwarf, compact and <i>extremely</i> early.		
Early Winnigstadt, Rice's TrueCage		1 60
Medium early, short stemmed; heads solid, fine grained, cone shaped and pointed, the leaves having a peculiar and distinct twist at point of head; very productive and excellent quality.		
Extra Early ExpressCaitiff		1 50
About ten days earlier than Early Wakefield; heads small, heart-shaped and very solid; having but few outer leaves plants can be set very close.		
Fottler's Improved BrunswickCake		1 25
A medium early short-stemmed Drumhead of large size, maturing with All Seasons; one of the best varieties.		

CABBAGE — Continued

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Glory of EnkhuizenCalash		\$2 50
Excellent medium early, short stemmed, foreign variety; heads large, round and very solid, with few outer leaves. One of the most uniform and desirable varieties, suitable alike for garden or field culture.		
Golden Acre (New)Calcar		8 00
An extra early selection of the Copenhagen type, and the earliest of the round headed cabbages, maturing with Jersey Wakefield. Plant small, dwarf and compact, with few outer leaves; heads of medium size, round as a ball, hard, solid and very uniform.		
Green GlazedCalamus		3 00
A distinct, glassy, dark green, large though rather loose heading sort well adapted to the South, as it withstands summer heat well.		
HollanderCalcine		1 75
Heads medium sized, round and very solid; one of the hardiest varieties.		
HouserCalculus		Failure
An extra large, round, hard heading, late sort.		
Large Late Drumhead, Rice's PremiumCaldron		1 25
Heads large, flat and solid, and a good keeper.		
Late Flat Dutch, Rice's PremiumCalefy		1 25
A justly popular and esteemed variety; extensively cultivated for market and family use. Heads large, round, flattened and very firm; has a medium stem and is very hardy.		
Louisville DrumheadCalendar		1 50
Withstands summer heat splendidly; second early, heads large and solid.		
Red DutchCalenture		1 75
Somewhat earlier than Red Rock; head rather small, round, solid and dark red; stem medium long; much used for pickling.		
Red RockCaliber		1 75
The largest and surest heading red cabbage; more deeply colored at the heart than Red Dutch; medium to long stem.		
Savoy, Perfection DrumheadCallus		1 75
The best winter keeper of the Savoy; heads late, round, compact and solid; leaves numerous, deep green and coarsely crimped.		
Stein's Early Flat DutchCallow		2 00
An early and excellent type of Early Flat Dutch, with a medium stem; heads round, flat and solid.		
St. Louis MarketCalm		2 00
A very fine large, late, short-stemmed variety.		
Stone Mason Drumhead (Warren's)Calmly		1 50
Produces large, firm, broad, flat heads, fine grained and sweet; one of the best late, main crop sorts.		
SuccessionCalico		2 25
One of the best of cabbages; heads very large and somewhat flat; ten days later than Early Summer.		
Surehead (Rice's)Caliph		1 50
All head and always sure to head. This is an exceptionally fine late cabbage of the Flat Dutch type, but with the outer leaves of more upright growth. Heads are large, round and flattened, very hard and fine-grained; splendid keeper.		

It is unfortunate that in the seed trade it is considered unethical to publish the many recommendations as to certain stocks one receives from his fellow seedsmen. If this were possible we could devote several pages to unsolicited testimonials as to the superiority of our strain of Early Jersey Wakefield Cabbage from Agricultural Colleges, Experiment Stations and seed houses great and small. However, we maintain we have the earliest and best stock of this cabbage we have ever seen and to prove our assertion are always glad to mail trial ground samples on application.

CAULIFLOWER

Henderson's Early Snowball

	Tel. Cipher	Per Ounce	Per Pound
Dry Weather (Danish Giant)	Caucus	\$2 00	\$20 00
One of the very best varieties; especially adapted for growing in dry locations.			
Early Dwarf Erfurt	Caudal	1 00	10 00
An excellent sort, producing good sized creamy white heads; one of the best for general cultivation.			
Extra Early Paris Forcing	Caught	75	6 00
A popular early white, sure heading variety; heads form quickly and of medium size; leaves narrow and almost straight and upright; stem rather long.			
Early Favorite	Causable	1 00	10 00
One of the best early, large growing kinds; forms a large head which is solid, crisp and under unfavorable conditions will form heads more frequently than any other variety.			
Extra Selected Early Dwarf Erfurt	Causative	1 75	18 00
The finest strain of the Erfurt Cauliflower; almost as early as the Snowball, producing very solid, pure white heads of the very finest quality; seldom fails to form a good sized head.			
Half Early Paris or Nonpareil	Causer	75	6 00
Similar to Paris Forcing, but larger and later, with a shorter, stouter stem.			
Henderson's Early Snowball	Causeway	1 75	18 00
Undoubtedly the finest and most popular early variety. Heads very early, of medium size, firm, compact, solid and very white; plant compact in growth with few short, upright leaves.			
Veitch's Autumn Giant	Cauter	60	4 50
A large, vigorous, late variety; heads large, firm, very white and well protected by large, dark green foliage; stem rather long.			

If the PRICE is all you seek in buying seeds, don't complain if
PRICE IS ALL YOU GET.

CARROT

Our Carrot Seed is produced from choice, selected roots, showing a minimum of core

Half Long Stump Rooted Nantes

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Chantenay Half Long (The Model)	Caracole	\$0 60
Excellent medium early half-long stump rooted variety; roots about 6 inches long, very thick, smooth and of a deep orange-red color.		
Danvers Half Long	Caravan	55
The best known second early, half-long sort; roots 6 to 8 inches long, tapering to a blunt point; flesh deep orange, tender and good quality.		
Early Scarlet Horn	Caravel	60
Very early, with small top; roots about 3 inches long, rather blunt rooted; color orange-red.		
French Forcing Horn (Golden Ball)	Carbine	65
The earliest variety; tops very small; roots almost round, about 2½ inches long; orange-red in color.		
Half Long Stump Rooted Nantes	Carboy	75
Roots 6 to 8 inches long, nearly cylindrical, blunt ended, smooth and of bright orange color. Flesh red, sweet and mild; almost coreless.		
Hutchinson	Carbum	Sold out
Largely grown in the New England states. Roots 10 to 12 inches in length, nearly cylindrical in form and ending in an abrupt stump root. Color a deep orange. Immensely productive.		
Improved Long Orange	Carcass	50
An excellent intermediate season, standard sort; roots 12 inches long, about 3 inches broad at the crown, tapering regularly to a point; deep orange color.		
Improved Short White	Carder	45
Roots half-long, 7 to 9 inches in length and very smooth, heavy at the shoulder, tapering regularly to a point; color creamy white, light green above ground; enormously productive. Fine for stock feeding.		
Large White Belgian	Cardiac	45
Grown exclusively for stock feeding. Roots about 16 inches long and very thick, white under ground and green above; grows about one-third above ground.		
Large Yellow Belgian	Cardinal	45
Quite similar to White Belgian except in color. Roots 20 inches long, broad and pointed; light orange below the surface, green above.		
Long Red St. Valery	Careen	55
Intermediate in form between Danvers and Long Orange; roots 10 to 12 inches long, smooth and pointed; color bright red; small top.		
Oxheart, or Guerande	Careful	55
Mature roots 4½ to 5 inches long, very stout and thick, ending in an abrupt, small tap root; small top and easily harvested; color light bright orange.		
Rice's Coreless	Carette	1 50
The most strikingly handsome early carrot we are acquainted with. Roots are deep orange in color, exceptionally smooth, cylindrical in form, 6 inches in length by 1½ in. in diameter. Free from woody heart or core, and of the highest quality.		
Rubicon	Careless	65
Early, almost cylindrical in shape, half long and stump rooted; color deep orange; finest quality.		

CELERY

Dwarf Golden Self Blanching

A superior, dependable strain for critical trade

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Boston Market	Celandine	\$1 25
Popular in the markets of Boston; of strong growth, crisp and tender; forms a cluster of heads instead of a single one.		
Columbia	Celanger	3 00
A desirable early maturing variety, following in season Golden Self Blanching, which it resembles in many respects. The stalks are of medium height, very thick, round and crisp, blanching to a light golden yellow.		
Dwarf Golden Self-Blanching	Celature	3 50
Our strain of this variety is unexcelled and absolutely reliable; this sort is without doubt the finest early celery in cultivation. Plants compact and stocky, with yellowish-green foliage; stalks perfectly solid, of a fine, nutty flavor, attains a good size; blanches a handsome golden yellow color.		
Dwarf Golden Self Blanching (Proven Stock)	Celatest	6 00
Easy Blanching (Sanford Superb)	Celebray	3 00
A new variety, resembling Golden Self Blanching, but the leaves are green and the stalks blanch white instead of yellow. It is also more hardy and less liable to blight. Stalks are somewhat taller, but have the same form and heavy heart of the Self Blanching, and while maturing about two weeks after that variety, has the advantage in being an excellent winter keeper as well as an early celery. One of the easiest to blanch and of best quality.		

CELERY — Continued

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Emperor, or Fordhook	Celebram	\$3 00
A valuable selection from Columbia. Plant quite dwarf and stocky, with large, full, light yellow heart. Stalks broad, thick and crisp. Follows Self Blanching in season and is a superior sort for fall and winter use. Very tender and too brittle for shipment to distant markets.		
Giant Pascal	Celecon	1 75
A compact, vigorous, productive variety and one of the best for winter use; leaves upright, short and dark green; stalks short, thick and very broad; blanches a beautiful yellowish-white.		
Golden Plume, or Wonderful	Celecur	15 00
Resembles Golden Self Blanching in appearance, crispness and fine nutty flavor, though somewhat earlier, larger and of ranker growth. Blanches quickly with a full heart and rich, golden-yellow color. Apparently more disease resistant than other yellow celeries. A very desirable sort.		
Improved White Plume	Celeder	1 75
A very early, handsome variety; leaves light, bright green; easily blanched a beautiful silvery-white color. A popular sort for first early market.		
Pink Plume	Celiac	2 75
Quite identical with White Plume, but with stalks richly suffused with pink.		
Winter Queen	Cellered	1 50
Of medium height, broad, light green stalks; very solid and crisp; blanches well.		

CELERIAC

(Turnip-Rooted Celery)

Large Smooth Prague	Celting	\$1 50
One of the largest; smooth and almost spherical.		

CHERVIL

Curled	Cherub	\$1 00
A variety with crisp, curled leaves; used for flavoring soups and salads.		

CHICORY

Large Rooted (Magdeburg)	Chicane	\$1 00
The dried roots are roasted and used as a substitute for coffee.		
Witloof (French Endive)	Chicken	1 25
The plants form long, parsnip-shaped roots; the roots are forced in frames or greenhouse and the new growth of lettuce-like leaves is cut and served as a salad.		

COLLARDS

True Georgia	Collar	\$0 60
Plant 2 to 3 feet high, forming a cluster of tender, undulated leaves at the top of its rather long stem; used as "greens" in the South and West.		

CORN SALAD

Large Green Cabbaging	Corned	\$0 60
A quite distinct sort, with short, rounded, smooth, almost erect, very green leaves, forming a compact rosette.		
Large Seeded Dutch	Coruscate	60
A vigorous variety; leaves large, round, grayish-green and veined.		

Our strains of celery are unsurpassed for uniformity and true-ness to type and will please the most critical celery growers. We especially recommend our stock of Golden Self Blanching as a fine, uniform dwarf type.

CORN

For the past few years we have devoted a great deal of time and money to the improvement of our stocks of Sweet Corn. Not only have we given care to the selection and improvement of our types, but we have been most careful in testing our stock seed, ear by ear, for root rot and other troublesome diseases, and then, by ear to row plantings, have been able to check the results obtained, eliminate disease if found and improve our types as well. We doubt if many seed growers are going to the extent practiced at Grass Lake in the betterment of their seed stocks of Sweet Corn.

The average weight of a measured bushel of shelled Sweet Corn is about 45 lbs.

All Sweet Corn is put up 100 lbs. to the bag

Golden Bantam

Our strain of this variety is quite in a class by itself for earliness, high sugar content and exceptional quality.

SWEET OR SUGAR VARIETIES — Extra Early Sorts

	Tel. Cipher	Per 100 lbs.
Adams' Extra Early	Coral	\$ 8 00
Not a sugar corn, but largely grown for early use; hardy, standing early planting and the thick, hard husks preventing entrance of the corn worm. Ears 7 to 8 inches long, 12-rowed. Our strain is superior in earliness, size of ear and dwarf habit to any other stock ever in our trials.		
Alpha	Corcel	15 00
A very early, dwarf growing white grained variety, slightly earlier than Cory. Ears 6 to 7 in. long, 8 rowed; of fair quality.		
Cory, Red Cob	Cord	13 00
An old, very early, eight-rowed variety, with fair-sized ears, red grain and cob; about a week later than Mammoth White Cory.		
Cory, Mammoth Early White	Cordage	13 00
One of the very earliest and best of all extra early sweet corn. Ears 10 to 12 rowed, 7 to 8 inches long, fairly sweet, tender and white. Stalks about 4 feet high, usually producing two large handsome ears on each stalk.		
Dreer's Aristocrat	Cordelier	13 00
Following Mammoth Cory in season. A most desirable corn, with exceedingly large ears for an early dwarf sort. Ears 8 inches long, 8 to 10 rowed, with exceptionally broad grain. The best of the pink or red cob varieties; very productive.		
Early Mayflower	Cordig	13 00
A selection from Mammoth White Cory, and a popular variety in the eastern states.		
Extra Early Dighton (Earliest of All)	Cordify	13 00
An extra early selection from Red Cob Cory, and the earliest sweet corn in our trials. Stalks not quite 4 ft. high; ears, usually two to stalk, 6 to 7 in. long, 8 to 10 rowed; grain white, and broad as in Cory; cob pink.		
Early Market (60 Day Make Good)	Cordifun	Sold out
A first early corn with decided merit for the market gardener, being the first large-eared white sweet corn in the market. Plant growth about 3½ feet, ears close to the ground. Ears 6 to 7 in. long, blocky in form, 12 to 14 rowed, with exceptionally white grain.		

Our Seed Corn is Pedigree Stock and Northern Grown.

CORN — Extra Early Varieties — Continued

Whipple's Early

A new early deep grained corn of much merit

	Tel. Cipher	Per 100 lbs.
Golden Bantam	Cordial	\$15 00
Early, golden yellow in color and of highest quality. Ears 6 to 7 inches long, 8-rowed. Our stock has been most carefully selected and is superior to much that is offered. In season following Aristocrat.		
Golden Sunshine	Cordity	Sold out
The earliest of the Golden Bantam Type, maturing a week to ten days earlier than that variety. More dwarf in habit than Bantam, with ears 6½ in. long. Containing 12 rows of broad, yellow, sweet grains. Especially desirable for its extreme earliness.		
Whipple's Early	Cordman	14 00
A very early variety with the deep grain of the Evergreen type. About 5 days earlier than Early Crosby. Stalks 5 to 6 ft. high, of vigorous growth; ears produced 1½ ft. from the ground, often two to the stalk, are 8 in. long, rather "blocky" in form, 16 to 18 and often 20 rowed, filled to the end with rather narrow, deep, wedge-shaped grains of pearly whiteness and high sugar content.		
Whipple's Early Yellow	Cordnow	15 00
A remarkable new yellow sweet corn of much merit. While the stalks grow 6 feet or more in height and the 14-rowed ears are 7 to 8 inches in length, this variety matures three days earlier than Golden Bantam. The kernels are broad, deep and of excellent quality.		

SECOND EARLY VARIETIES

Crosby	Cordon	\$14 00
An old, popular variety; ears 7 inches long, 12-rowed; the grains are short and square, very white, sweet and tender; a favorite sort with cannerys. Our stock of this variety is very true to type.		
Golden Buttercup	Cordpen	15 00
Popular in the Eastern States. In season with Golden Giant and similar in many respects.		
Golden Cream (Golden Country Gentleman)	Corduroy	Sold out
A very fine corn on the order of Golden Bantam but a week to ten days later. Ears about same size as the Bantam, but the grain is smaller, deep and zigzagged and of a rich golden color; of excellent quality.		
Golden Giant	Cordwain	15 00
A cross between Golden Bantam and Howling Mob and is one of the few new yellow corns to retain the high quality of its golden parent. In season between Golden Bantam and Bantam Evergreen, of medium growth, with ears 8 inches long, 16 to 18 rowed.		
Howling Mob	Core	13 00
One of the finest second early, large eared sorts; very productive, white, and of excellent quality. Ears 9 to 10 inches long, 16-rowed.		
Kendel's Giant	Corinth	13 00
A large-eared, second early sort; on the order of Howling Mob, but while a trifle earlier, will not average so large an ear; ears 8 to 9 inches long, 12-rowed.		
Minnesota	Corking	14 00
Very popular, standard early sort. Ears about 8 inches long, 8-rowed; kernels very broad, sweet and tender.		

CORN — Continued

MEDIUM EARLY VARIETIES

	Tel. Cipher	Per 100 lbs.
Adams' Early	Cornel	\$ 7 00
Not a sugar corn; similar to Adams' Extra Early, but two weeks later; ears about 8 inches long, 12 to 14 rowed and of fair quality.		
Bantam Evergreen	Corneous	14 00
A cross between Golden Bantam and Stowell's Evergreen and a most excellent sort of fine quality. Ears 8 inches long, 12 to 14 rowed; matures with Howling Mob; grain rather broad and deep, and of a rich golden-yellow color.		
Black Mexican	Corner	13 00
One of the sweetest and best; ears 8 inches long and 8-rowed; grains bluish-black when ripe.		
Champion	Cornered	14 00
About two weeks later than Mammoth Cory; ears large, 14 to 16 rowed and well filled with rather large, broad grains of fair quality.		
Mammoth Early	Cornice	14 00
An early selection of Late Mammoth; ears 8 to 9 inches long, 14-rowed; grain broad, deep, tender and sugary.		
Perry's Hybrid	Coron	14 00
A little later than Minnesota; productive, usually two ears to the stalk; ears 8 inches long, 12-rowed and sweet, with often a pink or red cob.		
Potter's Excelsior (Squantum)	Coronal	14 00
Fine, large ears and deep grain; one of the sweetest varieties.		
Rice's Early Evergreen	Coronary	14 00
A valuable sort, maturing a few days earlier than Stowell's. Ears nearly as large, about 8 inches long, 14 to 16 rowed; grains somewhat narrower than Stowell's; very productive and of high quality.		

MAIN CROP AND LATE VARIETIES

Rice's Narrow Grained Evergreen

Country Gentleman (Shoe Peg)	Corporate	\$ 15 00
An especially fine quality corn. Ears 7 to 8 inches long, cob small, white and densely covered with long, slender, white grains, without row formation. Season with Stowell's Evergreen.		
Long Island Beauty	Corporel	15 00
A popular main crop variety with immense large white ears often a foot in length, 16 to 18 rowed. Very sweet and sugary.		
Mammoth Sugar (Late Mammoth)	Correctly	15 00
The largest eared variety of sweet corn; about a week earlier than Stowell's Evergreen. Ears often 12 inches long and 16 to 18 rowed, sweet, tender and delicious.		
Narrow Grained Evergreen	Corrector	15 00
A splendid, high quality Evergreen. Slightly earlier than Stowell's; ears 8 to 9 inches long, with a small cob containing 18 to 20 rows of very deep, narrow, white grains. One of the best canning sorts.		

CORN — Late Varieties — Continued

	Tel. Cipher	Per 100 lbs.
Stowell's Evergreen	Corrival	\$14 00
The standard and best known sweet corn. Ears 8 to 9 inches long, 16 to 18 rowed, with a very deep, sweet, grain. Our strain of this variety is noted for its uniform, deep grain, small cob and high quality.		
Trucker's Favorite	Corrode	8 50
A late variety of the Adams' type; ears very large, handsome, 14 to 16 rowed.		
White Evergreen	Corroding	14 00
A type of Stowell's Evergreen of the same season, but with rather a larger, broader ear, and a broader, whiter grain. Ears 8 to 9 inches long, 16-rowed.		
Zig Zag Evergreen	Corrosion	Failure
A selection from Stowell's, having ears densely covered with narrower, deep, sweet, white grain, without rows. Size of ear and season same as Stowell's. A fine high quality sort.		

FIELD CORN

Blount's Prolific	Corrosive	} Write for prices
Early Yellow Canada	Corrugate	
Golden Dent	Corrupt	
Longfellow	Corruptly	
Snowflake	Corsair	

FODDER CORN

Early Mastodon	Corrow	} Write for prices
Eureka	Corse	
Evergreen Sweet Fodder	Corselet	
Purely a sweet corn, and the best of all corns for fodder.		
Leaming	Corset	
Pride of the North	Cortege	
Red Cob Ensilage	Cortes	
Sanford White Flint	Corthier	
The best flint corn for fodder; grows to a very large size.		
Southern White Sheeptoath	Cortical	

POP CORN

Black Beauty	Cortmun	\$12 00
Japanese Hulless	Cortijar	12 00
Queen's Golden	Cortipan	10 00
White Rice	Cortivent	10 00

CRESS

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Extra Curled (Peppergrass)	Cresset	\$0 35
A small, curled plant, having a fine pungent flavor and used as a salad.		
True Water Cress	Crested	3 00
For growing along banks of ponds and streams; wholly unlike Extra Curled; leaves are quite large and thick.		

RICE'S EARLY FORTUNE CUCUMBER DOES WELL IN AUSTRALIA

Thomas H. Wood, Queensland, Australia, writes us August 17, 1925: "The growers in this country are delighted with your Early Fortune Cucumber."

CUCUMBER

We are very extensive growers of cucumber seed, and producing our stocks in the North, under our own supervision, believe them to be superior to those generally offered.

The figures following descriptions represent the average length and diameter of the fruit grown as a field crop; if produced under gardening conditions fruit will average larger.

Write us for Special Prices on Large Quantities or Growing Contract.

Rice's Early Fortune

The Standard Shipping Cucumber

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Boston Pickling, or Green Prolific		
..... Cubature		\$0 60
Fruit short, smooth, symmetrical and bright green; very productive, making a good pickle; a little shorter and thicker than most pickling sorts. $6\frac{1}{4}$ x $2\frac{1}{2}$ in.		
Cool and Crisp	Cubeb	70
A White Spine type; early, pointed at both ends, rather thicker in the middle; of fair quality; not a pickling variety. 8 x 3 in.		
Chicago Pickling (Westerfield)	Cubic	60
A most excellent pickling sort; very uniform, productive and good color. Our strain is much superior to stocks generally sold under this name. 6 x $2\frac{1}{4}$ in.		
Davis' Perfect	Cuckold	65
An extra long, dark green type of White Spine; retains its color and good qualities long after being pickled; fruit is exceptionally long, smooth, and tapering at both ends; flesh crisp, solid, with few seeds; mid-season. 11 x $2\frac{1}{2}$ in.		
Davis' Perfect	Cuckow	90
Extra Selected Stock, put up in 1 lb. cloth sealed bags.		
Earliest of All	Cucked	65
An extra early, prolific, desirable White Spine much in favor in the south for early shipment to northern markets. Fruit very full and uniform, tapering slightly but abruptly at both ends; color a good deep green. While a week to ten days earlier than Early Fortune, it is not so handsome a cucumber and will not hold its color as well. It is desirable, however, for its extreme earliness. 7 x $2\frac{1}{2}$ in.		
Early Cluster	Cuckoo	60
Very early; fruit short, chunky, small and borne in clusters in the center of the plant; light green in color; prolific. 5 x $2\frac{1}{4}$ in.		
Early Fortune	Cuddle	60
The finest type of White Spine yet produced. Early, very productive and disease-resistant; fruits nine inches long, slightly tapering; flesh white, very firm and crisp, with very few seeds; color rich, dark green, which does not fade when shipped a long distance. 9 x $2\frac{1}{2}$ in.		
Early Fortune (Extra Selected Stock)	Cudex	75
Put up in 1 lb. cloth sealed bags.		
Early Frame, or Short Green	Cudgel	60
Vigorous and productive; medium in size and earliness; good for pickling and slicing; fruit light green and is inclined to be three-cornered rather than round. $6\frac{1}{2}$ x $2\frac{1}{4}$ in.		
Extra Early Russian	Cuirass	80
The earliest variety; hardy and productive; fruit very small.		

CUCUMBER — Continued

Typical Specimens of our Stock of Snow's Pickle Cucumber

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Everbearing	Cullender	\$0 75
A productive, main crop variety, quite similar in appearance to Early Frame, though fruit is not so thick; a fair pickler. $5\frac{1}{4} \times 2$ in.		
Fordhook Famous	Culler	75
Largest of the White Spine family; fruit long, thick and tapering at both ends, crisp and solid; a fine slicing sort; color light green. $14 \times 3\frac{1}{2}$ in.		
Japanese Climbing	Culprable	1 00
A distinct climbing sort for covering fences or trellises; fruit ten inches long, thick, crisp and fine quality; color dark green.		
Jersey Pickling	Culprit	65
A very productive variety; fruit long, tapering at both ends and bottle-necked; pickles long and very slender. 6×2 in.		
Klondike	Cultivate	60
A medium early, very good strain of White Spine; fruits attractive, full, uniform, rather thick, short and blocky, tapering abruptly at both ends; color very dark green, which it holds well; only fairly productive. $7 \times 2\frac{3}{4}$ inches.		
Longfellow (New) See Specialty Page 5.	Cultivan	1 50
Long Green, Improved	Culture	1 00
A standard late, well-known table sort; 12 to 14 inches long, slender, more or less warted, tapering towards the stem end; color dark green, flesh white and firm. We have a superior stock of this variety. $12 \times 2\frac{1}{2}$ in.		
Nichols' Medium Green	Cumber	70
Of the Black Spine variety; quite similar in size and type to Early Frame, though the fruit is not so thick; very productive. $6\frac{1}{2} \times 2\frac{1}{2}$ in.		
Snow's Perfected Pickle	Cumbrous	60
The most symmetrical, best formed and productive pickling sort; early, small, square ended and deep green. Our select strain of this variety is much superior to stocks generally sold under this name. $5\frac{1}{2} \times 2\frac{1}{2}$ in.		
West India Gherkin	Cumulate	80
Grown exclusively for pickles; fruit very small, oval and covered with spines; color light green. $2 \times 1\frac{1}{4}$ in.		
White Spine, Extra Long (Evergreen)	Cuneate	75
An extra long type of White Spine; fruits cylindrical, dark green in color; mid-season. $10 \times 2\frac{3}{4}$ in.		
White Spine, Henderson's Perfected	Cunning	60
A very fine strain of White Spine, showing evidences of its Emerald parentage in occasionally throwing a smooth green type. Fruits very rich dark green, symmetrical, thick and nearly square ended; plant healthy, vigorous and productive. Popular in the South as a shipping variety; 8×3 in.		
White Spine, Improved Early (Arlington)	Cupel	60
One of the very earliest and best known of the White Spines; a short square-ended, rather three-cornered type; very productive; fine for slicing or pickles; medium green color. $7 \times 2\frac{1}{4}$ in.		
White Wonder	Cupping	1 00
Fruit, produced in clusters, is symmetrical, short, blocky and rounded at both ends; color ivory-white from time of forming until maturity; moderately productive. $6 \times 2\frac{1}{4}$ in.		

DANDELION

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Improved Thick Leaf	Dandling	\$4 50
One of the best, forming a regular tuft of rather upright growth; blanches readily.		
Common	Dandy	2 50
This is the well known Dandelion; early, vigorous and hardy.		

EGG PLANT

Black Beauty	Egotism	\$4 00
Earlier and nearly as large as New York Purple; fruit very dark purple, which color it holds for a long time.		
Early Dwarf Purple	Egrail	4 50
The earliest Egg Plant; fruit small and ovoid-shaped, 3 to 4 inches long by 2 inches in diameter; deep dull purple in color.		
Early Long Purple	Egram	3 75
One of the earliest and most productive sorts; fruits club-shaped, 6 to 8 inches long; rich purple; fine quality.		
Florida High Bush	Egress	4 00
Of strong, upright growth, holding its fruit well above ground; fruit similar in form and size to New York Purple, though not so dark in color.		
New York Improved Purple (Spineless)	Egret	4 00
The favorite market variety. Plant large, spreading and spineless, producing four to six large oval fruits of dark purple color.		

ENDIVE

Green Curled Endive

Broad Leaved Batavian (Escarolle)	Endear	\$0 75
One of the best varieties for salads; leaves of upright growth, broad, more or less twisted and waved, bright deep green, with a nearly white midrib. Inner leaves form a fair head which blanches a creamy white.		
Green Curled Winter	Ending	75
The most hardy and vigorous sort; leaves bright, deep green with the outer midribs usually showing a trace of rose; readily blanches a creamy white.		
Moss Curled	Endless	75
Grows more compact than Green Curled and the medium green leaves are finer cut; leaf stems often tinged purple; blanches creamy white.		
White Curled	Endorse	75
The divided leaves are of a very light yellowish-green color which blanches almost white.		

GOURDS

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Dipper	Gouge	\$1 50
Grows in the form of a dipper and thus is useful as well as ornamental.		
Dish Cloth	Gouging	2 00
The peculiar interior is used as a sponge or dishcloth.		
Fancy Varieties Mixed	Gourmet	1 50
A collection of the fancy and ornamental gourds.		
Japanese Nest Egg	Goupel	1 50
Fruit small and creamy white, much resembling a hen's egg.		
Sugar Trough	Gout	1 50
Grow to hold from 5 to 10 gallons and make useful household containers.

Dwarf Curled Scotch Kale

KALE OR BORECOLE

Dwarf Purple, or Brown Curled	Kaleido	\$0 90
Similar to Dwarf Curled Scotch, excepting in color of foliage, which is a rich purple; very hardy.		
Dwarf Curled Scotch	Kallet	65
A handsome, very finely curled, dwarf spreading variety; foliage long and of an attractive bright green; very hardy.		
Dwarf Curled Siberian (German Greens)	Kalmia	50
A most vigorous and spreading variety; leaves are large and rather plain in the center, but cut and frilled at the edges; color is a bluish-green.		
Tall Curled Scotch	Kaloon	65
Plants of this variety grow two to three feet in height, bearing long, plume-like, light green leaves which are much cut and deeply curled at the edges; very hardy.		

KOHL RABI

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Early White Vienna	Koker	\$1 75
Extremely early, with distinctly small tops; bulbs medium size, very light green or nearly white and of best quality.		
Early Purple Vienna	Kokomo	1 75
Early and with small top; bulbs medium size and purple in color; flesh white.		
Large Green, or White	Kolling	1 50
Quite hardy and most productive; grown mostly for stock feeding; bulbs often weigh eight to ten pounds and are of a greenish-white color.

LEEK

Broad American Flag	Leech	\$1 50
The favorite gardener's variety; strong growing, broad leaved and productive.		
Large Carentan Winter	Leer	1 50
The largest and most hardy variety; leaves same length as American Flag but much thicker and darker green.		
London Flag	Leeward	1 25
The oldest and best known variety; hardy and productive.		
Musselburg	Leeway	1 25
A hardy sort; leaves fan-shaped and dark green.		

LETTUCE

VERY CHOICE STOCKS

The letters B. S. indicate Black Seed and W. S., White Seed.

All Heart (Summer Header) (B. S.)	Legabur	\$0 80
A fine strain of Salamander and one of the most adaptable heading varieties we are acquainted with, heading as well in mid-summer as in spring or fall. Forms a medium size, solid, cabbage butter head; leaves light green, straight on edges but excessively crumpled; quality fine.		
Big Boston (Selected Stock) (W. S.)	Legalize	75
Very popular for outside culture as well as cold frame forcing. Head large and compact; leaves broad, almost smooth, but wavy at the edge; color light green, slightly tinged reddish-brown; heart greenish-white, tinged yellow; of fair quality.		
Boston Curled (B. S.)	Legation	75
A crisp, loose-heading variety not unlike Grand Rapids. Medium in size, deep green and very curly; probably the most curled or fringed variety; moderately early and of fair quality.		
Boston Market (W. S.)	Legatee	75
Small to medium in size and an early heading sort; leaves broad, blistered and crumpled; color medium green, more or less tinged brown; quality good. Identical with White Seeded Tennisball.		
Brown Dutch (B. S.)	Legator	80
A late heading, medium-sized variety; leaves broad, very thick and smooth, with plain edges; color dark-green, overlaid bronze red; head firm and buttery-yellow inside; quality good.		

LETTUCE — Continued

Rice's Selected Grand Rapids

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
California Cream Butter (B. S.)	Legbail	\$0 75
Plant compact, heads large, globular and very firm; leaves broad, blistered and crumpled and very thick; color dark, glossy green, lightly tinged and spotted brown; the heads blanch a beautiful golden yellow; quality the best.		
Crisp as Ice (Hartford Bronze Head) (B. S.)	Legend	80
A slightly elongated, medium sized, compact heading variety; leaves very broad, somewhat blistered and crumpled and very thick and stiff; outer leaves variegated dark brown and green, the brown predominating; quality excellent.		
Deacon Cabbage (W. S.)	Legerline	75
Heads globular, somewhat flattened and blanch well; leaves broad and flat, sometimes slightly blistered and unusually thick; color light, grayish-green, never spotted; quality excellent.		
Denver Market (W. S.)	Legible	75
A decidedly crisp, oval heading sort; leaves short, excessively blistered, crumpled and frilled on the edges; color very light green, never spotted; quality fair.		
Golden Queen (W. S.)	Legion	1 50
An early, small heading variety; heads compact, somewhat pointed and well blanching; leaves broad, slightly blistered and crumpled; color light yellowish-green, with no brownish tinge; quality very fine.		
Grand Rapids (Selected Stock) (B. S.)	Legislate	85
The favorite loose-leaved forcing lettuce, and does well in the North for early planting outside. Leaves short, spatulate in shape, excessively blistered and crumpled, and the border heavily fringed; color very light green, with no trace of brown. A most handsome and attractive lettuce of fair quality. Our stock of Grand Rapids is unsurpassed.		

IF your local gardeners are forcing lettuce give them a sample for trial of our Selected Grand Rapids and we believe it will result in business for you. It hasn't failed yet.

LETTUCE — Continued

Big Boston

A very choice, select stock

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Hanson, Improved (Nonpareil) (W. S.)Legume		\$0 75
One of the most reliable, sure-heading sorts; heads globular, large and late; leaves large and very broad, fairly blistered and crumpled, borders finely frilled; color clear light green; quality good. A fine variety for midsummer planting outside, as it withstands the hot season better than most sorts and is a slow seeder.		
Henderson's New York Cabbage (Wonderful)(W. S.)Leisure		1 50
A very large, late, globular heading variety; leaves broad of thick texture, fairly blistered and crumpled, and the borders frilled; color clear dark green; quality good. Known in California and the west as "Los Angeles," and shipped to eastern markets under the misleading name of "Iceberg."		
Hubbard's Market Cabbage (White Summer) (W. S.)Lemma		75
An excellent heading variety for forcing or open ground; heads globular, very firm and well blanched; leaves broad, fairly blistered and crumpled, thick and stiff; color medium green; quality the best.		
Iceberg (W. S.)Lemon		1 25
A large, late, crisp cabbage-heading variety; heads very firm, hard and well blanched; leaves unusually broad and quite blistered and crumpled, borders finely frilled; color medium green with faint brown tracing on the border; quality good. Too brittle to be a good shipping variety.		
Mammoth Black Seeded Butter (B. S.)Lenitive		80
Heads fairly firm, large and oval shaped; leaves broad, fairly crumpled and blistered; color medium green; quality excellent.		
May King (W. S.)Lenity		80
A handsome, small, extremely early, compact heading variety; leaves light yellowish-green, tinged reddish brown at the edges, while the heart blanches a rich golden yellow; quality fine.		
Mignonette (B. S.)Lenroot		85
A small early, crisp and curled cabbage heading variety; plant very compact, forming a hard, globular, well blanched head; leaves broad, excessively blistered, crumpled and twisted; color medium dark brown with a dark greenish tinge; quality good. Recommended as one of the very earliest heading varieties.		
Prize Head Early (W. S.)Leonine		80
A crisp and tender loose-leaved, non-heading sort, and one of the most popular; leaves much crumpled and excessively frilled at the borders; color light brown on a medium green base; quality good.		

LETTUCE — Continued

Early Prizehead

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Salamander (B. S.)Leopard		\$0 75
One of the most popular American varieties; heads of medium size, very solid, compact and globular in form; leaves straight on the edges, but crumpled; color medium green; quality fine. Salamander succeeds under most trying weather conditions where most varieties fail; quite identical with Black Seeded Tennisball.		
Silesia, Early Curled (W. S.)Leper		75
Early, medium large, crisp and loose heading; leaves rather short and broad, much crumpled and well frilled on the borders; color very light green. Quite identical with Early Curled Simpson.		
Simpson, Black Seeded (B. S.)Lesion		75
One of the best and most popular large, early, loose-heading varieties, succeeding everywhere, and always reliable. Leaves very broad, much blistered and crumpled, and excessively frilled on the borders; color light yellowish-green; quality fine.		
Simpson, Early Curled (W. S.)Lesser		75
A leading early, loose-heading variety of fairly large size; leaves broad, crumpled and well frilled at the edges; color light green; quality good.		
Tennisball, Black Seeded (B. S.)Lesson		80
A very reliable, adaptable, sure heading sort; heads globular, firm and well blanched; leaves broad and crumpled; color medium green, never spotted brown; quality the best. Quite identical with Salamander.		
Tennisball, White Seeded (W. S.)Lethal		80
Entirely distinct from the black seeded variety; an excellent forcing sort, but does not succeed so well for growing outdoors; heads of medium size, very compact, globular and well blanched; leaves broad, blistered and crumpled; color dull green, often showing brownish blotches; quality good.		
Unrivalled, Green Leaved Big Boston (W. S.)Levant		1 00
Quite similar to Big Boston in form and habit of growth, differing in being of a slightly lighter shade of green and without the brownish tinge at the borders.		
Wayahead (W. S.)Levee		80
A very early, medium small, handsome, compact, sure-heading variety; the outer leaves are medium light green, crumpled and blistered; the inner head blanches a rich buttery-yellow; of superior quality.		
White Paris Cos (Romaine) (W. S.)Level		85
A medium large, strictly self-closing lettuce, making a well-blanched, firm, loaf-shaped head; leaves oval in form, flat and smooth; color medium dark green; quality excellent. Also known as Trianon Cos.		

MUSK MELON

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We are extensive producers of both Musk and Water Melon seed, growing the stock seed under expert supervision on our Michigan Farms and breeding plots in Colorado. No better, more true to type stocks are obtainable. A trial order will convince.

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Bender's Surprise

The most adaptable Melon, succeeding everywhere

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Baltimore, or Acme	Meadow	\$0 70
A fine, medium early, oblong, green-fleshed variety of good size; skin medium green, closely netted and noticeably ribbed; has a peculiar and distinct "neck" at the stem end.		
Banana Cantaloupe	Meager	75
Shaped somewhat as name indicates; grows about 2½ feet long; flesh deep salmon color and of only fair quality.		
Bender's Surprise (The Bender Melon)	Meanor	80
A very popular variety in the east, particularly around Albany, N. Y. A selection from Surprise and a close kin to Irondequoit, differing from that variety in being slightly earlier, more oblong, more full and rounded at the ends and not quite as well netted; skin light greenish-yellow when ripe. A very delicious, large, salmon-fleshed melon with superior shipping and keeping qualities.		
Burrell's Gem (Ordway Pink Meat)	Meander	65
An excellent small melon of the Netted Gem type; somewhat later than that variety and a fourth larger; fruit oblong, distinctly but not deeply ribbed and well netted; flesh deep salmon, of fine quality.		
Cassaba, Golden Beauty	Meanham	75
A variety extensively grown for shipment in California and the South. Fruits nearly globular, pointing slightly at stem end; 6 to 8 inches in diameter; skin wrinkled, bright yellow with golden tint; flesh white, thick, juicy and sweet.		
Defender	Meanness	75
Quite identical with Burrell's Gem; medium size, oval shaped, ribbed and well netted; flesh deep salmon and of fine flavor.		
Eden Gem (Gold-lined Rocky Ford)	Meantime	60
A round type of Rocky Ford; entirely covered with fine netting and without ribs; flesh green, tinted yellow at center; quality excellent.		

MUSK MELON — Continued

Lake Champlain		Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Emerald Gem	Measles		\$0 75
A splendid early variety, coming in just ahead of Rocky Ford; fruits deep emerald green in color, globular or slightly flattened, irregularly and distinctly ribbed and lightly netted; flesh very thick, sweet and of a deep, rich salmon color, having an exceedingly small seed cavity. One of the best melons for the home garden and local market, but not a shipper.			
Extra Early Knight (Sweet Air)	Measly		75
An extremely early medium sized melon of the Acme type. Fruit oblong, showing the neck tendency of its parent; skin deep green, turning to golden at maturity, well covered with a close gray netting and distinctly ribbed; flesh fairly thick and very sweet; color medium green blending to light pink near the center. The earliest high quality melon for the far north and a good shipper.			
Extra Early Osage	Measure		75
A week to ten days earlier than the old type Osage, and nearly as large; flesh very thick, salmon colored and of high quality. Form, color and general appearance similar to Osage. One of the very best melons we grow.			
Fordhook	Medal		75
A medium sized melon; round, much flattened at the ends, decidedly ribbed and fairly netted; skin deep emerald green; flesh thick orange-yellow in color and of excellent quality.			
Hacksack (Turk's Cap)	Meddle		70
Fruit large, round, flattened at the ends, deeply and irregularly ribbed, coarsely and heavily netted; flesh green, thick and of fine quality.			
Hacksack, Extra Early Improved	Medial		75
An early selection from the old Hacksack, maturing from a week to ten days earlier; somewhat smaller and not so deeply ribbed, but otherwise similar to the old type.			
Hale's Best	Mediamer		1 00
A remarkably early shipping melon from the Imperial Valley, Cal. Melons are oval in shape, about 8 in. long by 4½ in. in diameter, with heavy netting and fairly distinct ribbing. Flesh exceptionally thick and deep salmon in color. A most promising variety.			
Honey Dew (Antibes)	Mediasure		1 00
A new, distinct melon of the Cassaba type. Fruit large ovoid in form, about 10 inches long and 8 inches in diameter; surface smooth and hard without ribbing or netting, creamy white in color, turning to a lemon tint when fully ripe; flesh light emerald green, very thick, ripening to the rind, very tender and melting, with an extreme sweetness found in no other melon. Matures with Osage and is an excellent shipping and keeping sort.			

MUSK MELON — Continued

Hearts of Gold		Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Hearts of Gold (Improved Hoodoo)	Mediate		\$1 00
A splendid small, mid-season variety developed from the Hoodoo, being larger and more uniform; fruit round, with tendency to heart-shape, lightly ribbed and covered with a fine gray netting; flesh very thick, deep salmon color, and of high quality; a good shipping melon.			
Irondequoit	Mediator		80
A netted type of Tip Top, and a most excellent main crop sort. Fruit large, gray-green in color, round, flattened at the ends, distinctly ribbed and well netted; flesh very thick, deep salmon color, and of the highest quality; a fine market melon.			
Jenny Lind	Medical		70
An extra early, small, green-fleshed melon; fruit round and flattened at the ends, but showing a decided "button"; deeply ribbed and heavily netted.			
Lake Champlain	Medicure		75
An exceedingly early, salmon-fleshed melon of medium size and fine quality. Evidently a cross between Fordhook and Emerald Gem as it has a tendency to produce melons resembling both types.			
Long Yellow Cantaloupe	Medium		75
Large, long, oval and deeply ribbed; flesh light salmon, very thick and sweet.			
Milwaukee Market	Medjoy		75
A variety very popular in Chicago, and Milwaukee markets. Of Surprise parentage and close kin to Bender's Surprise, although later. Fruits of medium size, nearly round, lightly ribbed and fairly netted; skin light green; flesh thick, salmon colored and very sweet.			
Montreal Green Nutmeg (Montreal Market)	Medlar		85
Excellent; very large, often weighing 18 to 20 pounds; fruit round, flattened at both ends, medium green, deeply ribbed and well netted; flesh remarkably thick and of superior quality.			
Osage, or Miller's Cream	Medulla		75
A rather large, main crop, oval melon of very superior quality; fruit dark green, slightly ribbed and well covered with a shallow, gray netting; flesh rich orange-salmon, exceedingly thick, with a small seed cavity.			
Paul Rose (Petoskey)	Meed		70
An oblong melon of the Osage type, but smaller. The fruits are deep green slightly ribbed and fairly netted; flesh very thick, deep salmon color and of highest quality; seed cavity small, triangular shaped.			

MUSK MELON — Continued

Rice's New Orange Flesh

The most handsome and profitable shipping melon

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Perfecto, Salmon Tint (New) (Edwards' Perfecto) Meeport		\$0 90
A very superior type of the Rocky Ford melon, having a deeply tinted salmon flesh, an exceedingly small seed cell, a firm, hard gray netting and excellent shipping qualities.		
Pollock's No. 25 Meekman		65
Best described as a salmon tinted Rocky Ford, being identical in every way except color of flesh, which is a light salmon in color at the center, shading into a light green midway to the rind.		
Pollock's No. 10-25 Meekmow		65
A selection from No. 25, having deeper salmon tint, more uniform in size and better netted. Popular as a shipping melon at Rocky Ford.		
Pollock's No. 10-25 (Extra Selected Stock) Meekner	1 25	
Put up in 1 lb. cloth sealed bags.		
Rice's Improved Pink Meat (New) Medico	1 25	
A medium size, oval shipping melon, with a hard dark green rind, lightly ribbed and heavily netted. Flesh deep orange pink, ripening to the rind, and of excellent, spicy flavor. Carries well to distant markets. Ripens midseason and is very prolific.		
Rice's Orange Flesh (New) Meettown	1 00	
Undoubtedly the "last word" in the Rocky Ford type of shipping melons and has brought the highest price in every market shipped to. Its appealing deep orange flesh is its distinctive characteristic. It is the most solid, with the smallest seed cell of any type and will weigh more to the crate. Fruit very uniform in size, nearly round and densely covered with a hard gray netting. Recommended for its hardness, prolificness, deep flesh and excellent eating and shipping qualities.		
Rice's Orange Flesh (Extra Selected Stock) Meetower	1 25	
Put up in 1 lb. cloth sealed bags.		
Rocky Ford Meekness	60	
We have an especially fine, improved strain of this popular melon as now grown at Rocky Ford. The fruit is small, almost round, smooth, showing no ribs, and densely covered with a heavy, hard gray netting; flesh thick and deep green, showing a faint lining of pink or gold at the center; of the highest quality. An excellent shipping sort.		
Tip Top Mellow	85	
In shape varies from round to slightly oblong; rather large in size and somewhat late in maturing. Skin pale green, distinctly ribbed and lightly netted; flesh rich deep salmon, sweet and spicy.		

The latch-string is always out at our growing station, Rocky Ford, Colo.

WATER MELON

Produced from Choice Stock Seed Grown on our Michigan Farms.

Long Light Icing

The very sweetest Water Melon

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Alabama Sweet (Bradford).....	Melody	\$0 45
Moderately early, oblong in form, of large size; skin medium green, irregularly striped a dark green; flesh bright scarlet, tender and sweet; seed white. Has a very tough rind and makes a fine shipping sort.		
Citron, Colorado Preserving.....	Memento	45
An improvement on the old Preserving Citron; seeds green, fruit round to oblong; very productive.		
Citron, Red Seeded.....	Memoir	45
The old, well known, red-seeded preserving melon.		
Cole's Early.....	Memorial	45
One of the earliest and best of the early sorts; hardy, medium size, nearly round; rind dark green, striped a lighter shade; flesh deep pink and excellent in quality; seeds black.		
Duke Jones (Jones' Jumbo).....	Menace	45
One of the largest and most productive melons; fruit round, skin dark green; flesh bright red and of fine quality; a good shipper.		
Excel.....	Menable	50
Largest of the shipping melons; midseason; fruit long, dark green in color with an irregular faint striping and covered with a fine veining of a darker shade; flesh red and crisp; rind hard and tough; seeds gray-brown, but variable as to color.		
Florida Favorite.....	Mend	40
Oblong in shape and grows to a fair size; rind light green with irregular stripes of a dark green; ten days earlier than Kolb's Gem; quality excellent; seeds white.		
Fordhook Early.....	Menial	50
An extra early variety of fine quality and fair size; form round to oblong; skin dark green mottled with a darker shade; flesh bright red; seeds white.		
Georgia Rattlesnake (Striped Gypsy).....	Mental	45
Large and oblong; rind very tough and in color a distinctive pale, light green, much mottled and striped very dark green; seeds white; an attractive and fine shipping melon.		
Halbert Honey.....	Mention	50
Shape oblong, well filled to the ends, skin very dark green, showing a faint longitudinal tracing, or indentation in the rind; medium early and fairly large; flesh crimson and very sweet. Kleckley's Sweets is quite similar though more pear-shaped; seeds white.		

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WATER MELON — Continued

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Harris' Earliest	Mephitis	\$0 45
A medium-sized, extra early melon, quite identical with Cole's Early.		
Hungarian Honey	Mercer	75
A superb early variety, uniformly globe-shaped, color dark green, mottled and veined with a darker shade; flesh brilliant red, ripening clear to the rind and of the highest quality; seeds brown and very small.		
Irish Gray	Mercemee	50
A large, long, main crop variety with a distinctive, gray-green skin; shell very tough and hard, making a fine shipper; flesh very firm, crisp and sweet; seeds brown.		
Kleckley's Sweets, or Monte Cristo	Mercy	45
Medium to large in size, medium early and exceedingly sweet; oblong in form, slightly tapering towards the stem end; rind very dark green; flesh very bright, rich red and ripens nearly to the rind; too tender for a shipping melon; seeds white to light brown.		
Kolb's Gem	Merciless	45
Of large size and a good shipper; nearly round in form, rind dark green striped with lighter shades; fair quality; black seeded.		
Long Light Icing (Gray Monarch)	Mercury	50
Grows long and to a large size; medium early and productive; rind light pale-green, with a light mottled tracing of a slightly darker shade; flesh brilliant crimson and of exceptional quality; seeds white.		
Mountain Sweet	Merely	40
An old variety; moderately early, medium to large in size, slightly oblong in form and very dark green; good quality; seeds brown.		
Peerless, or Ice Cream	Merger	40
Very early, of medium size and one of the best for growing in the North; a short oblong in form; rind thin, light green, mottled and finely veined with a darker shade; flesh bright scarlet and very sweet; seeds white.		
Phinney's Early	Meridian	40
Ripens with Peerless; medium in size and oblong in form; color very distinct, the rind being mottled with various shades of green so as to present an almost scaly appearance; quality good; seeds light brown.		
Round Dark Icing	Mermaid	50
Medium to large in size, moderately early and good in quality; fruit round and dark green; flesh bright red; seeds white.		
Round Light Icing	Merman	50
Moderately early, of fair size and nearly round; rind very light green, indistinctly veined and dotted with a slightly darker shade; flesh bright red; seeds white.		
Sweetheart	Merrily	40
A medium early variety growing to a very large size; a heavy, round to oblong form with a rather thick, tough rind and a good shipper; color very light green, slightly veined a trifle darker shade; flesh bright red and of fair quality; seeds black.		
Thurmond Gray	Meriner	50
An excellent oblong shipping melon, maturing with Tom Watson; very uniform and productive with a hard, gray-green shell and rich crimson flesh of fine quality; quite disease resistant.		
Tom Watson	Merry	45
Probably the best shipping melon, and one of the best main crop sorts; grows to a very large size. Fruit large and long in shape, colored a medium green with a light tracing of a darker shade, not unlike Peerless in its coloring; flesh rich red and of good quality; seeds brown. We have a very fine selection of this melon, grown on our own farms, which is superior to most that is offered.		
Tom Watson, (Extra Selected Stock)	Merton	65
In one pound sealed cloth bags.		

Dealing in dependable seeds is the foundation to a successful seed business and success has never been attained along any other lines.

MUSTARD

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Black, or Brown	Mustache	\$0 35
Considered more pungent than White London; leaves oblong, broad and cut; seed reddish-brown.		
Fordhook Fancy	Mustang	50
A handsome, vigorous growing, mild variety, standing a long time before going to seed; leaves dark green, beautifully curled and fringed; fine for salads and garnishings; seed reddish-brown.		
New Chinese	Muster	50
A very vigorous sort; leaves light green, much crumpled, about twice the size of White London, and of sweetly pungent flavor; seed reddish brown.		
Southern Giant Curled	Mustop	40
Plant vigorous and hardy, of upright, spreading growth; leaves large, light green-tinged yellow, much crumpled and frilled at the edges. The popular market variety in the South; seed small, dark reddish-brown.		
White London	Musty	30
Plant of rapid, upright growth, soon going to seed; leaves rather small and smooth, deeply cut or divided; color deep green; seed large, light yellow.		

OKRA OR GUMBO

Extra Early Dwarf	Oaken	\$0 30
One of the earliest and most dwarf varieties; pods short, deep green, slightly corrugated; quality good; very productive.		
Perkins' Mammoth (Long Green)	Obeah	30
Very early and productive. Plant 3 feet high; pods deep green, very long, slender and slightly corrugated; a desirable market variety.		
White Velvet	Obey	30
Plants 3½ feet high. Pods white, long, smooth and tender; early and productive.		

ONION

We make a Specialty of Superior Onion Seed

Write us for prices in large quantities or on growing contract.

Ailsa Craig	Onager	\$2 00
An exhibition variety of large size, specimens having been grown to weigh over 3 pounds each; bulbs oval-shaped with pale straw-colored skin; exceptionally mild.		
Australian Brown	Oneness	1 50
Noted for its keeping qualities and peculiar brown color; early, semi-globe shaped and productive.		
Bermuda Crystal Wax	Onerary	Failure
A pure white, flat onion, largely grown in Texas for the early Northern market.		
Bermuda Red	Onerous	Failure
Flat, pale red, very early and productive; grown largely in Bermuda and the Southern States.		
Bermuda White	Onset	2 50
White in color, but otherwise similar to Red Bermuda.		
Ebenezer, or Japanese	Onsing	1 60
A popular variety for producing "sets". The small onions have a heavy, yellowish-brown skin and show a less tendency to produce scullions and are better keepers than other yellow varieties.		

ONION — Continued

Selected Southport Yellow Globe
A Typical specimen of this excellent onion

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Extra Early Red Flat	Ontology	\$1 50
Very early, mild flavored and of medium size; bulbs same shape and color as Red Wethersfield, but matures two weeks earlier.		
Large Red Wethersfield	Onward	1 50
One of the oldest and best known types of onion. A fine, large, rather flat sort of a deep purplish-red color; noted for its productiveness and keeping qualities; used largely in the production of onion sets.		
Ohio Yellow Globe	Onway	1 50
A variety quite popular in Ohio and some of the eastern onion-growing districts. With the exception that it is distinctly flat bottomed, it resembles Southport Yellow Globe in every respect; Michigan Yellow Globe is practically the same.		
Prizetaker	Onyx	1 50
One of the largest onions grown and the mildest; is productive and a sure cropper; bulbs are globe-shaped and of a light straw color. Our seed is American grown and very superior.		
Rice's White Pickling	Opacous	2 00
A desirable small white pickling onion and the best of its class; the bulbs run very uniform in size, small and of a distinct bright, pearly-white color; mild in flavor and makes a good bunching onion.		
Southport Large Red Globe	Opaline	1 40
The finest type and most popular of the red onions. The bulbs are distinctly globe-shaped, with a small neck, and are excellent keepers; color a deep purplish red. We have an unequalled strain of this variety and sell annually thousands of pounds in the large commercial onion growing districts.		
Southport Large Red Globe, Selected	Opaque	1 50
A special selection, grown only from ideal bulbs, for a very critical trade.		

ONION — Continued

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Southport White GlobeOpening		\$2 50
Of the true Southport Globe form with a thin, delicate skin of purest paper whiteness; flesh is very crisp, fine-grained, snowy-white in color and exceedingly mild; usually commands the highest price in market.		
Southport White Globe, SelectedOpenly	2 75	
This seed is produced for a special fancy trade from the most perfect bulbs.		
Southport Yellow GlobeOpera	1 40	
The most largely grown yellow market onion and the most profitable. The bulbs are a true deep globe, having a small neck and a heavy, thick skin which makes it an excellent storage sort; the color is a deep yellow or golden-brown, quite distinct from most stocks of this variety. The flesh is white, crisp and mild in flavor.		
Southport Yellow Globe, SelectedOperate	1 50	
Seed is grown only from the most perfect bulbs for an especially critical trade.		
White PearlOperatic	1 75	
A small, white, pickling sort, remarkable for rapidity of growth; flesh mild and pleasant flavored.		
White Portugal, or SilverskinOperation	1 85	
A large, flat, white onion of mild and pleasant flavor; hard and fine-grained. The Portugal is more extensively grown for sets than any other white variety, and is also largely used as a pickler and for bunching.		
Yellow Danvers, RoundOperative	1 35	
More flat in form than Globe Danvers, but in other respects quite similar; produces a good market onion and is an exceptional keeper; used mostly to produce onion sets.		
Yellow Globe DanversOperator	1 40	
While not so "globy" as the Southport type and hence not so popular in the more critical markets, it is a very dependable onion to grow; it is almost devoid of "stiff-necks," or scullions, is always a heavy yielder, has an excellent color, and because of its small neck cures well and makes splendid storage stock.		
Yellow Globe Danvers, our Finest StrainOperose	1 50	
This, our special strain, is all grown from carefully selected, hand-sorted bulbs and is immeasurably superior to most stock offered under this name.		
Yellow StrasburgOphidian	1 25	
The most popular variety for growing yellow onion sets. The sets from this seed are uniformly round, plump and a bright yellow color; full-grown onions are bright yellow, bulbs somewhat flattened; flesh white and mild.		

IMPORTED ONIONS

Mammoth Silver KingOppress	\$1 75
One of the very largest of the foreign onions; the bulbs are flat, of a pure silvery-white color both in skin and flesh, and are remarkably mild.	
White BarlettaOppressor	1 75
One of the earliest, handsomest and smallest of the white pickling onions; makes a good bunching sort.	
White QueenOptative	1 75
A rapid growing small, flat, early white onion; grown extensively for sets, pickling and bunching.	

ONION SETS

These quotations are for early Spring delivery.

Potato Onions, or Irish MultipliersOptical	\$0 14
Red Onion SetsOptition	0 13
White Onion SetsOptimist	0 14
Yellow Onion SetsOption	0 13
Ebenezer, or Japanese Onion SetsOptional	0 14

PARSLEY

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Champion Moss Curled	Parable	\$0 40
A compact growing sort; leaves are a uniform dark green color, very finely cut and so closely curled as to resemble bunches of moss; one of the most useful and decorative sorts.		
Fine Double Curled	Parade	40
A standard dwarf variety with deeply cut and finely crimped leaves.		
Fern Leaved	Paradise	45
A dwarf, compact, ornamental, fern-leaved variety; leaves not curled.		
Large Rooted Hamburg	Paradox	40
The edible roots of this variety resemble a small, thick parsnip in shape and color, and are extensively used for flavoring soups and stews; leaves plain.		
Plain	Paragoge	40
The leaves are flat, deeply cut, but not curled and very dark green in color.		

PARSNIP

Hollow Crowned Parsnip

Early Round	Parsimony	Sold out
An early small variety, with short top-shaped roots, about 5 inches in diameter by 4 inches in depth.		
Guernsey	Parsing	\$0 35
Our stock of this variety is not quite so long as Hollow Crowned, but of greater diameter; clean skinned, with a fine, grooved neck.		
Hollow Crowned (Large Sugar)	Parslow	35
Better known and more generally grown than any other sort; roots smooth, usually 15 inches long by 3 inches in diameter at the top; tender and sugary.		
Sutton's Student	Parsonage	35
A very fine English strain with long, smooth roots of highest quality.		

Some seeds are like "Topsy"—"No father, no mother—just grewed."

RICE'S PEDIGREE STOCKS OF GARDEN PEAS

Vine of Hundredfold Peas

We are the largest American producers of Seed Peas and the high quality of our stocks is not surpassed by any grower in Europe or America.

The average weight of Peas per measured bushel is 56 lbs. for wrinkled varieties and 60 lbs. for smooth sorts.

Wrinkled Peas are marked *

Wrinkled Peas are put up 112 lbs., and smooth peas 120 lbs., net weight, per bag, unless otherwise ordered.

Our shipping point for Peas and Beans, Detroit, Mich., is central and makes a low freight rate to all points.

Ask for special prices on Peas in car lots; also for future contract orders.

EARLY AND EXTRA EARLY DWARF VARIETIES.

	Tel. Cipher	Per 100 lbs.
*Bliss' American Wonder	Peace	\$14 00
Standard, well known extra early dwarf sort. Height 1 ft.		
*Blue Bantam	Peacer	Sold out
A splendid large-podded dwarf variety of the Laxtonian class. Height 15 in. Vine and foliage stout and healthy, medium dark green; pointed pods deep green, 4 in. long, broad and straight, containing 6 to 8 deep green peas of excellent quality.		
Early Bird	Peaceful	Failure
An exceptionally early, hardy, productive, handsome pea. Height 20 inches. Vine and foliage moderately heavy, medium green; pods deep green, 4 inches long, semi-broad, pointed and well filled with 8 to 9 very large, dark green peas. As early or earlier than Thos. Laxton, more hardy and productive; seed blue, semi-wrinkled; quality fair.		
*Extra Early Premium Gem	Peaceable	13 00
An improved and more dwarf strain of McLean's Little Gem. Height 1½ feet. Foliage dark green; pods light green 3 in. long, round, square ended and well filled with 6 to 8 light green peas of good quality; very productive.		

PEAS — Continued

Laxton's Progress*The "last word" in the Laxtonian type of peas*

	Tel. Cipher	Per 100 lbs.
*Hundredfold	Peacock	Sold out
Decidedly the best of the Laxtonian types; vine 16 in. high, sturdy, dark green and productive; pods dark green, 4 in. long, fairly broad and pointed containing 8 large, dark green peas; excellent quality.		
*Laxtonian	Peahen	\$20 00
A large podded, dwarf variety on the order of Gradus, though more dwarf and a little earlier. Height 1½ feet; pods and vine deep green; pods 3¾ in. long, straight and pointed, containing 6 to 8 large, dark green peas.		
*Laxton's Progress	Peajack	Failure
The earliest large podded dwarf sweet pea. Height 18 inches. In season four days earlier than Laxtonian. Pods 4 inches long, broad and pointed, deep green in color, containing 8 large, dark green peas of high quality.		
Laxton's Superb	Peajaw	Failure
A hardy, semi-wrinkled, blue-seeded extra early variety, growing 18 to 20 inches in height with deep green 4 inch semi-broad, pointed pods; of fair quality. Desirable as a gardener's first crop pea, standing very early planting.		
*Little Marvel	Peak	Failure
An extra fine dwarf sweet pea. Pods somewhat larger than Nott's Excelsior and same season. A fine variety for either private or market garden. Height 14 in. Foliage and pods very dark green; pods 3 in. long, nearly round and square ended, containing 7 very dark green peas of high quality; very productive.		
*McLean's Little Gem	Pearl	13 00
Similar to Premium Gem but of a somewhat taller growth.		
*Nott's Excelsior	Peasant	14 00
A standard, extra early dwarf pea. Height 1 foot. Foliage medium green, stout and heavy; pods light green, 3 in. long, round, straight and blunt ended, containing 6 light green peas of high quality; productive.		
*Peter Pan	Pebble	Sold out
One of the very finest of the large podded, dwarf peas, on the order of Laxtonian, though somewhat earlier. Height 15 in. Vine and foliage stout, heavy and deep green; pods deep green, 4 in. long, very broad, straight and pointed, containing 6 to 8 very large, deep green peas of superb quality.		

If it is worth growing, Rice has it.

PEAS — Continued

World's Record

	Tel. Cipher	Per 100 lbs.
* Pioneer	Pecan	Sold out
An improved type of Laxtonian. Quite similar to Peter Pan, though the pods are not quite so broad and uniform. Height 16 in. Foliage, pods and peas deep green; pods $3\frac{1}{4}$ in. long, pointed and well filled.		
* Rice's Early Dwarf	Peccable	Failure
Best described as a dark podded Sutton's Excelsior. An excellent, extra early, dwarf variety of highest quality. Height 14 in. Foliage dark green, stout and healthy. Pods $3\frac{1}{2}$ in. long, dark green, straight, round and square ended, containing 6 to 8 large, very dark green peas; exceedingly productive.		
* Sutton's Excelsior	Pectinal	Failure
An improvement on Nott's Excelsior, with larger pods and greater productivity. Height 16 inches. Vine and foliage stout, medium green in color; pods light green, $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches long, straight, round and square ended, containing 7 to 8 large, bright green peas of very fine quality.		

EARLY AND EXTRA EARLY VARIETIES NOT DWARF

Acquisition	Peculate	Sold out
The best of the smooth, blue seeded, Ameer or Claudit type, and is certainly an acquisition for the market gardener as it will stand planting as early as Alaska. Height $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet. Foliage and vine strong and sturdy and deep green in color; pods deep green, 4 in. long, broad, saddle-backed, slightly curved and pointed, containing 7 to 8 large, medium green peas. A very showy variety, maturing practically with Gradus but a great deal more productive.		

PEAS—Continued

Sutton's Ideal

An improvement on Thos. Laxton, being earlier and more productive.

	Tel. Cipher	Per 100 lbs.
Alaska	Peculiar	\$12 00
Very early, smooth, blue pea. Popular with canners and market gardeners for a first early sort. Height 2½ feet. Foliage and pods light green; pods 2½ in. long, round, straight and square ended, containing 6 light green peas. Very uniform in maturity.		
Ameer (Large Podded Alaska)	Pecuniary	13 00
Early, large, smooth, blue pea; large, broad, dark green pods. Hardy, standing early planting and popular with market gardeners. Height 3 ft.		
Bountiful	Pedagog	13 00
One of the best of the blue, smooth seeded peas; much on the order of Ameer. Height 3 feet. Vine and foliage moderately heavy, medium dark green; pods deep green, 3¼ in. long, almost round, pointed and containing 7 to 8 large green peas. Matures with Gradus, but more productive.		
Claudit	Pedal	13 00
Extra large pods, well filled; seed smooth, blue, similar to Ameer, but pods not quite so broad. Height 3 feet.		
First and Best	Peddle	12 00
A standard extra early, prolific, smooth, white pea. Height 2½ feet.		
*Gradus, or Prosperity	Pedestal	14 00
A standard, early large podded variety, very popular with market gardeners. Height 2½ feet. Vine and foliage moderately heavy and medium green; pods medium green, 3¼ in. long, semi-round, straight, slightly curved at the tip, and pointed, containing 6 to 8 large, very sweet, medium green peas; moderately productive and of high quality.		

PEAS — Continued

The Marchioness

	Tel. Cipher	Per 100 lbs.
Mammoth Podded Extra Early	Pedilow	\$14 00
On the order of Rice's Extra Early, but pods one-fourth larger. Matures practically with Extra Early and Alaska and is much more productive; seed large, smooth and white. Vine and foliage robust, heavy and medium green. Height 3 feet. Pods light green, 4 in. long, round, broad, saddle-backed and square ended, containing 7 extra large light green peas. A very productive and extra fine sort, bound to take first place as a leading market gardener's first early pea.		
*Marchioness	Pediment	15 00
On the order of Gradus, but earlier. Might well be termed an improved early Gradus. Vine and foliage moderately heavy and medium green in color; pods a shade darker, 3½ in. long, semi-round, straight and pointed, containing 7 medium dark green peas.		
Pilot, Improved	Peerage	14 00
A popular market gardener's large podded, extra early, smooth pea, much more productive than the old type Pilot, with larger pods. Seed large, light to dark green in color. Follows closely after Rice's Extra Early in season. Height 2½ feet. Foliage medium green, pods a shade darker, peas dark green. Pods 3¼ in. long, rather broad and pointed and containing 6 to 7 peas; productive.		
Prolific Early Market	Peerless	14 00
A smooth, white seeded extra early, about five days later than Pedigree Extra Early, with a pod one-third larger and vine about five inches taller.		
Rice's Pedigree Extra Early	Peevish	12 00
Our finest, earliest, selected strain of Extra Early peas. Height 2 feet. Foliage medium green, pods and peas light green. Pods round, square ended, 2½ in. in length and containing 6 peas; productive.		
*Surprise, or Eclipse	Pelisse	Sold out
One of the earliest of the wrinkled sweet peas, maturing with Alaska. Height 2 feet. Foliage and pods light green. Pods 2½ in. long, round and square ended, containing 6 medium green peas. Very productive and uniform in maturity. Popular canners' sort.		
*Sutton's Ideal	Pellet	14 00
An English variety, said to be an improvement on Thomas Laxton. Height 2½ ft. Vine and foliage moderately heavy, medium green; pods medium green, 3½ in. long, broad, thick and "stubby" appearing, square ended; pods contain 7 medium green peas of best quality; fairly productive and in season, slightly earlier than Thos. Laxton.		
*Thomas Laxton	Pellicle	14 00
A very popular gardener's variety. Height 2½ feet; vine and foliage moderately stout, medium green; pods medium green 3½ in. long, straight, nearly round and square ended, containing 7 medium dark green peas of superior quality. Compared with Gradus, is a little earlier, more productive, but with a smaller, less broad pod.		

Better buy Better Seeds than to WISH you had.

PEAS — Continued

	Tel. Cipher	Per 100 lbs.
*World's Record	Pellmell	\$15 00
An improved type of Gradus, being slightly earlier, more dwarf, true to type and productive. Height 2 feet. Vines moderately stout, medium green; pods medium green, 4 in. long, fairly broad, pointed and well filled with 7 to 9 very large, dark green peas of exceptional quality.		

SECOND EARLY AND MAIN CROP VARIETIES

*Admiral	Pellucid	\$12 00
An enormous cropper and a leading canners' variety. Height 3½ feet. Vine and foliage slender as compared with Telephone and medium green in color; pods light green, 3 in. long, round, slightly curved and blunt ended and closely packed with 8 to 9 small peas of light-green color, changing to yellowish-white when ripe; quality good. Very productive; slightly earlier than Horsford's Market Garden.		
*Admiral, Green Seeded	Pelmat	12 00
Similar to Admiral in general characteristics, but is a decided improvement over that variety in that the peas retain their clear green color even when matured for seed. Both pods and vine are a deeper green than Admiral and vine retains its color until pods are nearly ripe. A canner's favorite.		
*Admiral Dewey	Peltry	14 00
A desirable variety of the Duke of Albany type and quite identical with it.		
*Advancer, Improved	Pelvis	12 00
A well known, popular, second early variety, much in favor with the canning trade. A week to ten days earlier than Horsford's Market Garden. Height 2¼ feet. Vine and foliage moderately heavy and dark green; pods light green, 3 in. long, straight, round and blunt ended and closely filled with 6 light green peas of good quality; very productive.		
*Alderman	Pemmican	14 00
Of the Telephone type but with darker pods and peas. Height 4 feet. Vine strong and stout, medium green; pods 4¾ in. long, very broad, dark green, pointed, straight, though slightly curved at the point, containing 9 large, medium green peas of finest quality.		
*Bliss' Abundance	Penalty	12 00
A very productive, second early sort; popular with the canning trade. Height 2½ feet. Vine moderately stout, deep green; pods in pairs, 3 in. long, straight, round, square ended, medium green, containing 8 medium green peas. Season with Admiral.		
*Bliss' Everbearing	Penance	13 00
An old standard late, main crop variety. Height 3 feet. Vine and foliage sturdy and strong, dark green; pods usually in pairs, medium green, 3 in. long, straight and pointed, containing 4 to 5 light green peas of good quality; matures following Telephone.		
Canada Field	Pence	6 00
Seed small, white; for field culture only. Height 4 feet. Vine moderately stout and medium green; pods light green, 2¼ in. long, square ended; 6 small, light green peas in pod; matures with Telephone.		
*Canners' Perfection	Pencmen	12 00
Undoubtedly the most productive variety and a favorite with the canning trade where a large, ungraded pea is desired. Height 2¾ feet. Vine and foliage moderately stout, deep green in color; pods borne in pairs, 3 in. long, straight, round and square ended, medium green, containing 8 medium green peas. In season with Admiral.		
*Champion of England	Penchant	13 00
One of the richest, best flavored late peas; well known and popular. Height 4 feet. Vine stout, deep green; pods, often in pairs, medium green, 3½ in. long, straight, nearly round and blunt ended, containing 8 light green peas; productive. Season following Telephone.		
*Duke of Albany	Pendency	14 00
A fine strain of the dark podded Telephone type. Height 3½ feet. Vine strong and vigorous, medium green; pods dark green, 4¾ in. long, broad, pointed; straight though slightly curving at the tip, containing 9 medium green peas. Very productive and a trifle earlier than other Telephone types.		

PEAS — Continued

A section of our extensive pea trials

	Tel. Cipher	Per 100 lbs.
*Dwarf Champion, Rice's Improved	Pending	\$14 00
A fine main crop pea, maturing slightly later than Dwarf Defiance. Height 2½ feet. Foliage stout, medium dark green; pods medium dark green, 4 in. long, straight, broad and square ended, containing 7 to 8 large, medium dark green peas of fine quality; moderately productive.		
*Dwarf Defiance (Potlatch)	Pendulous	14 00
A splendid large-podded variety of the Stratagem type. Height 2 feet. Vines strong and heavy with dark green foliage and pods. Pods 5 in. long, very broad, slightly curved and pointed and containing 8 to 10 very large medium light green peas of high quality. A superb, productive main crop sort.		
*Dwarf Telephone, Rice's Improved	Pendulum	Failure
An improvement on Carter's Daisy, having larger and darker green pods. Height 2½ feet, vine and foliage dark green and exceptionally stout; pods dark green, 4½ in. long, straight and pointed; containing 8 to 9 dark green peas of the best quality.		
*Horsford's Market Garden	Penguin	12 00
A very productive main crop sort, much used by canners. Height 3 feet. Vines and foliage stout, strong and dark green; pods medium green, 3 in. long, almost round, and blunt ended and always well filled with 6 to 7 light green peas of good quality. The pods are always borne in pairs and produced near top of the vine. Season following Admiral.		
*Incomparable (Sutton's)	Penhold	Failure
One of the finest, most productive, high quality, main crop peas we are acquainted with. Height 3 feet. Vine and foliage very sturdy, heavy and dark green; pods dark green, exceptionally large, 5 in. long, very broad, straight and square ended, containing 9 very large, medium green peas of delicious flavor. Matures with Telephone.		
Marrowfat, Black-Eyed	Penman	Sold out
Hand picked stock. Height 5 feet. Vine and foliage stout, deep green; pods light green, 3½ in. long, nearly round and blunt ended, containing 7 light green peas; quite productive. Season following Telephone.		
Marrowfat, Large White	Pennant	12 00
Hand picked stock. Height 5 feet. Almost identical in habit with Black-Eyed Marrowfat, though possibly a little later in season.		
*Perfection (Sutton's)	Pennon	14 00
One of the most excellent, immensely productive, main crop peas and one of the most showy. Height 2½ ft. Vine very sturdy and strong, deep green in color; pods 4½ in. long, quite broad, straight, pointed and medium light green, containing 8 to 9 very large, sweet, bright green peas. Matures just before Telephone.		

PEAS — Continued

	Tel. Cipher	Per 100 lbs.
*Prince Edward	Penniless	\$14 00
One of the best of the large, dark podded Telephone types, and one of the most productive. Height 4 feet. Vine and foliage stout and heavy, medium green; pods dark green, $4\frac{3}{4}$ in. long, broad and pointed, containing 8 to 9 very large medium green peas.		
*Prince of Wales	Penny	13 00
Heavy cropper; peas very large, of fine quality. Popular with canners wanting a large, productive pea. Height 3 feet. Vine and foliage moderately stout, heavy and dark green; pods medium green, $3\frac{1}{2}$ in. long, straight and square ended, containing 6 large, light green peas. Season about with Admiral.		
*Prizewinner	Penoble	Sold out
A fine main crop pea on the order of Stratagem though somewhat earlier and more productive. Height $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet. Foliage very heavy and sturdy, dark green. Pods dark green, $4\frac{1}{2}$ in. long, very broad, straight and pointed, containing 9 large, medium dark green peas of excellent quality.		
*Quite Content	Penore	14 00
A type of the well known Alderman. Height $4\frac{1}{2}$ feet. Vine and foliage heavy, of a deep green color; pods numerous, deep green, about 5 inches long, broad, pointed and containing 9 to 10 large, medium green peas of the best quality.		
*Rice's No. 13	Pension	12 00
One of the finest, most productive, sweet wrinkled canning varieties. Will produce more small size wrinkled peas than any other sort we are acquainted with. Height $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet. Vine and foliage deep green; pods medium light green, $3\frac{1}{2}$ in. long, curved and pointed, containing 9 to 10 light green peas; ripens very uniformly. Season trifle later than Horsford's Market Garden.		
*Stratagem, Improved	Pensive	14 00
A well known old favorite sort. Height 2 feet. Vine stout and dark green; pods $4\frac{1}{2}$ in. long, slightly curved, pointed and dark green, containing 8 to 9 medium green peas.		
*Sugar, Dwarf Gray Seeded (Edible Pods)	Pentagraf	14 00
Height 3 feet. Purple blossoms. Quite like Tall Gray, but earlier and of shorter growth.		
*Sugar, Tall Gray Seeded (Edible Pods)	Pentecost	14 00
Height 4 feet. Blossoms purple. Vine medium heavy, medium green; pods light green, $2\frac{1}{2}$ in. long, $\frac{1}{2}$ in. broad, square ended, containing 7 light green peas; quite late.		
Sugar, Dwarf White (Edible Pods)	Penult	14 00
Height 2 feet. Vine fairly heavy light green; pods light green, $2\frac{3}{4}$ in. long, pointed, and narrow as compared with Mammoth Melting Sugar; 6 light green peas to pod; quite early.		
Sugar, Mammoth Melting (Tall White) (Edible Pods) ..	Pentagon	18 00
Large, broad pods, very brittle and entirely stringless. Height $3\frac{1}{2}$ feet. Vine stout, medium green; pods light green, $3\frac{1}{2}$ in. long, 1 in. broad, pointed, containing 7 light green peas. Seed smooth and white. Season of Telephone.		
*Telephone	Peonage	14 00
A standard, high quality, large podded pea. Height 4 feet. Vine and foliage strong and heavy, medium green. Pods $4\frac{1}{2}$ in. long, medium green, straight, broad and pointed, containing 8 large, light green peas; main crop, productive.		
*Yorkshire Hero	Peony	13 00
An old standard. Height $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet. Vine sturdy, deep green in color; pods, usually in pairs, 3 in. long, straight, almost square, blunt ended, light green, containing 6 to 7 large, light green peas.		

Don't stick to the old, antiquated varieties of peas; surprise your customers with some of the newer and better sorts. Our list embraces the newest and highest types in pea culture.

PEPPER

The Oshkosh Pepper

One of the most handsome, sweetest large peppers ever grown.

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Chinese Giant	Peparding	Sold out
One of the very largest of the mild red varieties. Plant of short, stocky growth, with light green foliage; fruits pendent, thick, blocky and square ended, 4 to 5 inches in diameter and of equal length; color brilliant glossy scarlet.		
Crimson Giant (Ohio Crimson)	Pepgog	\$4 50
A very excellent, productive large variety; grows as large as Chinese Giant, but doubly as productive with better formed, more oblong, pendent fruits which are 3-lobed, 5 inches long and 3½ inches in diameter; very mild, thick flesh; color brilliant crimson; mid-season.		
Early Dwarf Red Squash	Pepland	3 25
A medium sized flat, or tomato-shaped, variety with pendent fruit more or less ribbed, about 2 inches in diameter and one inch in depth; flesh thick and mild; color bright red.		
Early Giant (Harris)	Peplady	Sold out
The earliest and most prolific of the large peppers and a real acquisition. It matures its fruit but slightly later than Harris' Earliest, is of dwarf, compact growth, bearing as many as 12 pendent fruit on a single plant; scarlet fruit measuring 5 in. in length by 3½ in. in diameter, 3-lobed; mild and sweet.		
Harris' Earliest	Peplake	Sold out
The earliest pepper we are acquainted with, being earlier than Neapolitan. Plant very uniform in growth, dwarf and compact, seldom over 18 inches in height, and extremely productive. Fruits pendent, mild and sweet, similar to Bull Nose in form, three lobed, 3½ inches in height by 2½ inches in diameter. The best pepper for the home garden.		
Large Bell, or Bull Nose	Peplar	3 00
A standard early variety and popular as a pickling sort; the pendent scarlet fruits are two inches in diameter, three inches long and blunt ended; usually mild and sweet.		
Long Red Cayenne	Peplet	3 00
Pendent fruits about five inches long and three-fourths inches in diameter at the base, often curved and twisted; bright red; hot and pungent.		
Long Red Narrow Cayenne	Peplight	3 00
Similar to the old type Cayenne but with shorter, narrower, pendent fruit.		

PEPPER — Continued

Long Thick Red Pepper

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Long Thick RedPeplow		Sold out
A hot pepper on the order of Cayenne, though much thicker with a thicker flesh. Early and very prolific. Pods pendent, red and pungent. Popular in many markets.		
Mammoth Golden QueenPepman		\$3 00
One of the largest of the sweet, yellow peppers; resembles Ruby King in size, form and mild flavor, but is a bright, golden-yellow color.		
NeapolitanPepnot		3 00
A very early and productive large variety and one of the sweetest and most mild. Fruit of upright growth, four inches long and two inches thick, bright red.		
OshkoshPepost		Sold out
A very distinct, desirable, large variety. While the fruit is bright canary yellow at maturity, during growth it is an intense, deep glossy green, making an attractive sort to market as "green peppers". Fruits distinctively formed, being smooth, without lobes, 4½ in. in length by 3½ in. in diameter, broad at the base and tapering to an abrupt, blunt point; plant compact, of semi-dwarf habit, very productive and about season of Ruby King; mild and exceptionally sweet.		
PimentoPeppered		3 00
A very thick fleshed, heart-shaped, smooth, mild, crimson variety, much used for salads; fruit pendent; 3½ in. long by 2½ in., greatest diameter; rather late in season.		
Red CherryPeppery		3 00
Fruits erect, small, round or cherry-shaped, rich scarlet and very hot; late.		
Red ChiliPeppoad		3 00
Of low growth, forming a spreading plant about 18 inches high; fruit usually erect, about one and a half inches long, cone shaped, bright red and very hot; exceedingly prolific; used for pepper sauce.		
Red ClusterPepsing		3 50
The plants are immensely productive of small, slender, pointed, upright coral-red peppers which are exceedingly hot; 2 in. long by ½ in. diameter.		
Ruby KingPepson		3 00
One of the most profitable and satisfactory varieties for the home or market garden; plants are early, productive and of dwarf, compact, upright growth; fruits pendent, often 4 to 6 inches long by 3 to 4 inches thick, tapering, and of a bright ruby-red color; flesh is thick, sweet and mild.		
Sweet Golden DawnPeptime		3 00
A handsome sweet, mild, yellow variety; smaller than Golden Queen; fruit pendent, one and a half inches long and about the same in diameter.		
Sweet Mountain, or MammothPeptonate		3 00
Similar to Bull Nose, but more elongated; pendent fruits often grow six inches long by four inches in diameter; bright red, mild and sweet.		
Sweet UprightPepwing		3 50
A very early, productive, sweet and mild pepper; fruits 3-lobed, produced upright, about 4 in. long by 3½ in. across; color bright glossy green, turning to brilliant scarlet when ripe; flesh scarlet and quite thick.		
WorldbeaterPepward		3 50
One of the very best of the large peppers, being a cross between Chinese Giant and Ruby King, having the longer form and earliness of the latter with the size of the former. Fruits 4 lobed, 5 in. long by 3½ in. in diameter; flesh very thick and mild; exceedingly productive and a good shipper.		

PUMPKIN

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Connecticut Field	Publican	\$0 40
Generally used for planting in corn for stock feeding, and also for making pies; fruit rather oblong, flattened at the ends, often 15 inches in diameter; smooth, hard, reddish-orange distinctly ribbed skin with rich, orange-yellow flesh.		
Cushaw, Golden	Publicly	70
Similar to White Cushaw, except in color of shell, which is golden yellow.		
Cushaw, Striped	Puisant	75
Of the crookneck type with mottled green and white stripes; fruit will weigh from 10 to 15 pounds; flesh yellow, very solid and fine grained.		
Cushaw, White (Jonathan)	Publicist	70
A popular crooknecked variety with a hard, creamy-white shell; fruits two feet in length, with long, solid, meaty necks; fine quality.		
Golden Oblong	Publish	60
Oblong in shape and very uniform; usually 15 to 20 inches long and 8 to 10 inches in diameter; skin rich golden orange, flesh light golden yellow; an excellent keeper and of fine quality.		
Japanese Pie	Puceron	75
Shaped somewhat like the Cushaws and grows to a large size; skin deep green with dark stripes; flesh deep yellow and of high quality; seeds sculptured like Chinese letters.		
King of the Mammoths (Potiron)	Pucker	80
The giant among pumpkins; specimens have been grown to weigh 250 pounds and reaching two feet or more in diameter; fruit round and flattened, slightly ribbed; skin salmon-orange, flesh bright yellow and very thick.		
Large Cheese, or Kentucky Field	Pudding	35
Large, round, flattened fruits, much ribbed and creamy-buff in color; flesh yellow, very deep and of fine quality; one of the best canning sorts.		
Mammoth Tours	Puddle	75
A very large, oblong variety, weighing upwards of 150 pounds; skin smooth, of a gray-green color, slightly mottled a deeper shade; grown mainly for stock feeding and exhibition purposes.		
Quaker Pie	Puffing	70
A small to medium-sized variety, rather pear-shaped; color creamy-white inside and out; of good quality.		
Sweet or Sugar (New England Pie)	Pullet	50
Fruits small, round, flattened at the ends, and slightly ribbed; skin and flesh deep orange-yellow; flesh very thick and of high quality.		
Tennessee Sweet Potato	Pulmonic	70
Of medium size and nearly bell shaped, with neck slightly crooked; skin creamy white, sometimes slightly striped green; flesh creamy white, deep, fine grained and excellent quality.		
Winter Luxury	Pulpit	55
Round, medium in size with a golden-yellow skin closely netted like a netted musk melon; of fine quality and an exceptionally good keeper.

Threshing Radish Seed on our Michigan Farms

SUPERIOR STOCKS OF RADISH

A LEADING SPECIALTY

Our Radish stock seeds are all produced on our own Michigan farms from carefully sorted, selected and transplanted roots, and are not surpassed for earliness and purity by any stocks ever grown in Europe or America. We can especially recommend our forcing varieties to the most critical trade.

Write for Special Prices on Large Quantities or Growing Contract Orders

Vick's Scarlet Globe Radish

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Crimson Giant	Rabbit	\$0 45
Extremely large, but never pithy. One of the best for out-door culture. Top is a little too large for a forcing sort; intermediate in season.		
Early Scarlet Turnip	Raccoon	45
A well-known variety; very quick grower.		
Early Scarlet Turnip, White Tipped (Rosy Gem)	Raciness	50
Round, deep scarlet, shading to a white tip on the bottom; very early; used extensively both as a forcing and out-door sort. We have a very superior strain of this radish.		
Golden Globe (Golden Summer Turnip)	Radial	60
Root round rather than turnip-shaped, crisp and tender, of a fine yellow color, with few leaves; popular in the South as it withstands summer heat.		

A parrot can say "Just as good as Rice's"—but he doesn't know what he's talking about.

*A Field View of
Transplanted Saxa Radish
Just Coming Into Bloom*

THIS view shows a large field of Saxa radish for stock seed purpose. One can form some idea of the expense and care exercised to get the type correct and *keep it there* when we say that every root in this large acreage was selected from a crop in a distant field and, after certification, brought here and *set out with a trowel by hand*. If there was an imperfect root in that field, we did not know it.

RADISH — Continued

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Large White Summer Turnip	Radiant	\$0 45
Round; large size; skin and flesh pure white, crisp and fine. An excellent summer sort.		
Non Plus Ultra, or Fireball (Scarlet Button)	Radiator	55
Round rather than turnip-shaped, of medium size with a small top; bright scarlet; very early, and one of the best forcing varieties, following Saxa in three to four days.		
Philadelphia White Box (White Ball)	Radically	45
One of the best of the white varieties either for forcing or out-door culture; more round than turnip-shaped; intermediate in size; always crisp, fine-grained and tender.		
Rice's Saxa	Radius	75
The earliest of the forcing radishes, and one of the slowest to shoot to seed. Round, bright scarlet and with the smallest possible top. We have an excellent stock of this radish and can highly recommend it.		
Small White Turnip	Ragged	45
A desirable, small, quick growing, waxy-white, turnip-shaped variety, with small top; a week earlier than White Box.		
Sparkler White Tip	Raging	50
Quite similar to Scarlet Turnip White Tipped as to size and time of maturity. The root, however, is more round or ball shaped, and the white extends further up on the radish, and on this account is more popular in many markets.		

GLOBE AND OLIVE-SHAPED VARIETIES

Early Deep Scarlet Olive-Shaped	Railing	\$0 60
Of attractive olive shape; color, deep scarlet.		
Early White Olive-Shaped	Raiment	60
Handsome small white variety, with a small top; of rapid growth.		
French Breakfast	Rainbow	50
Of oblong form, small and quick growing; color bright rose-scarlet, with small, white tip; good outdoors or under glass.		
Golden Yellow Olive-Shaped	Raise	60
For forcing or out-door culture; olive shape, skin bright golden yellow; flesh white.		
Vick's Scarlet Globe	Rajah	55
We have an exceptionally fine stock of this superb variety. It is one of the very earliest of the forcing radishes and does equally well outside; roots are of fair size, globe-shaped and with a very small top; always crisp and tender; color a bright scarlet.		

LONG VARIETIES

Chartier, or Shepherd	Rakish	\$0 45
A very handsome sort; roots 7 to 8 inches long and rather thick, deep scarlet at the top, shading off to pure white at the tip; somewhat later in maturing than other long scarlet sorts.		
Cincinnati Market (The Glass)	Rally	45
An improved strain of Long Scarlet, being slightly larger and with a very small top; roots 6 to 7 inches long, scarlet colored; flesh white, almost transparent, brittle and crisp.		
Half Long Deep Scarlet	Ramble	45
Roots are half long, somewhat tapering at the point, and of a deep, rich red color; of quick growth and seldom pithy.		
Icicle	Rambling	45
The leading long white radish and one of the earliest; roots are somewhat shorter, broader at the top and more square shouldered than Lady Finger, also matures a little earlier; about 6 inches long and white throughout.		

TRY RICE'S SAXA for the earliest radish of record. A splendid forcing variety with a very small top, and does well outside for very early planting.

RADISH — Continued

Tel.
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Pound

Icicle Radish

Long Brightest Scarlet
(Long Cardinal) Ramify \$0 45

One of the best colored, most handsome as well as the earliest of the long scarlet radishes; crisp and tender until full grown; roots not quite so long as Long Scarlet, and of a bright, vivid scarlet color, tipped white; a good forcing sort with a small top.

Long Scarlet Short Top
..... Rammer 45

Roots are smooth, tender and uniform in shape, about six inches long and of a bright carmine-red color; tops short and small; an old standard sort.

Long White Lady Finger
(White Vienna) Ramous 45

An early maturing, long white summer radish; roots white, slender and smooth, are 6 to 7 inches long, tapering slightly at the top. This variety grows more above ground than Icicle and consequently is more or less tinged with green at the top of the root.

Pearl Forcing Rampant 45

A splendid long, pearly-white variety of rapid growth; the roots remain fit for use a full two weeks before going to seed; quite similar to Icicle.

White Giant Stuttgart
..... Ramrod 50

The roots are large, top-shaped and frequently four inches in diameter and of equal length; of a clear white color; a fine summer or fall radish.

White Strasburg Ranchero 45

Roots are about five inches long, thick at the shoulder and abruptly tapering; skin and flesh pure white, and remain firm and brittle longer than most varieties.

FALL OR WINTER VARIETIES

California Mammoth White Winter Rancor \$0 50

A good fall and winter variety. Roots about 8 inches long, thick, smooth cylindrical in form; skin and flesh white, tender and crisp.

Half Long Black Spanish Random 50

Intermediate in shape between Long and Round Black Spanish; roots grayish-black, 4 to 5 inches long and half that in diameter.

Long Black Spanish Ranger 45

One of the latest and hardiest varieties for winter use; roots 8 to 9 inches long, 2 to 3 inches in diameter and nearly black in color.

Long White Spanish Rankle 45

Quite like Long Black Spanish except in color and being less pungent.

Round Black Spanish Ransack 45

Roots are round, inclined to top-shape, and 3 to 4 inches in diameter; skin almost black, flesh white, crisp and pungent.

Rose China Winter (Scarlet China) Ransom 45

One of the very best winter sorts; roots are cylindrical, or largest near the bottom, stump rooted or blunt at both ends; skin smooth and bright, deep rose color; flesh white, crisp and pungent; the roots grow 4 to 5 inches long and 2 inches thick.

White Chinese, or Celestial Ranter 50

Roots 6 to 8 inches long, thick, cylindrical and smooth, with a beautiful white skin and flesh: the whitest and least pungent of the winter radishes.

RAPE

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Dwarf Essex.....	Rapids	\$0 08
For sowing. There is no plant that will give so large a yield of forage at so small a cost as this.		

RHUBARB, OR PIE PLANT

Myatt's Linneus Giant.....	Rhenish	\$1 25
Early and very fine; leaves and stalks of immense size.		

SALSIFY, OR VEGETABLE OYSTER

Mammoth Sandwich Island.....	Salsing	\$1 75
An improvement on the ordinary type, producing larger, thicker, tapering, almost white roots, which are less liable to branch; leaves larger and flowers rose colored.		

SORREL

Large Leaved French.....	Sorrow	\$1 00
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New Spinach Princess Juliana

The Juliana is said to be the most thoroughbred type of long-standing spinach ever introduced. It is wonderfully uniform in type and most attractive in appearance, the illustration above hardly doing it justice. In form it is a dense, compact rosette with very short petioles, the leaves are large and rounded, thick in texture, very much blistered and crumpled and of an intense, very dark green color; will hold up well in shipping to distant markets. It is noted for its freedom from male plants and its slowness to go to seed.

In some of the southern spinach markets the past season, because of its attractive appearance, the Juliana found a ready sale when other varieties were a drug on the market.

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SPINACH

Victoria

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Bloomsdale Savoy Leaved (Norfolk Savoy).....	Spicery	\$0 14
Very early and hardy, and one of the best for market and canning. Plant of upright growth with a tendency to go quickly to seed in hot weather. Petiole (stem) 3 inches long, leaves of medium size, the lower ones rounded while the upper leaves become pointed, more or less crumpled and blistered; color glossy deep green.		
Early Giant Thick Leaved	Spicular	14
A strong, upright growing medium early sort quite identical with Thick Leaved Round.		
King of Denmark (Antvorskov).....	Spifler	20
A fine long-season Spinach, remaining longer than most varieties before bolting to seed. Plant vigorous and spreading; leaves large, rounded, crumpled and blistered; deep green in color.		
Large Viroflay	Spigot	14
For either spring or fall sowing. Plant of upright growth; leaves are very large, broad, thick and arrow-shaped with a 4 in. petiole, much crumpled and dark green in color. Desirable for canning because of its clean, upright leaves.		
Long Season	Spiking	14
In general appearance quite similar to Triumph. Plant makes a flat rosette with very dark green, crumpled, broad and pointed leaves. One of the very best long-standing varieties.		
Long Standing Thick Leaved	Spiklet	14
A late maturing, very long standing variety; plant makes a very large flat rosette, with broad arrow-shaped, nearly smooth, deep green leaves.		
New Zealand (Tetragonia Expansa).....	Spinal	45
Entirely distinct from the true Spinach; plant tall and spreading with numerous side shoots; leaves medium green, rather small and pointed; grows well in hot weather and under adverse conditions.		
Prickly Winter	Spindle	14
A long standing, late maturing sort; plant very large, vigorous and hardy; leaves round, thick, medium sized and dark green.		
Princess Juliana (See description page 59).....	Spinny	22
Thick Leaved Round	Spinous	14
Resembles Viroflay in many respects. Leaves very large and arrow-shaped with 5 in. petiole and showing a double lobe at base of leaf.		
Triumph	Spinster	14
A very long standing variety. Plant makes a flat rosette; leaves compact, short, broad and pointed, much wrinkled and with a short petiole.		
Victoria	Spinacle	16
Makes a dense, flat rosette with very short petioles. Leaves very large, thick and much wrinkled blunt or rounded and dark green in color. Stands hot weather well and is, exceedingly slow to shoot to seed.		

SQUASH

Giant Summer Crookneck
Special Improved Deep Orange Strain

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Bay State	Squabble	\$0 80
Round or turban-shaped, with a distinct "button" at the blossom end, and having a hard, gray-green shell; excellent for fall and winter.		
Crookneck, Giant Summer (Bush)	Squaw	70
The largest and one of the earliest summer varieties; fruits often 2 to 2½ feet long, very warty and deep orange in color.		
Crookneck, Golden Summer (Bush)	Squeamish	70
A standard, early and productive summer sort; fruits about a foot long, moderately warted and of a bright yellow color.		
Delicious	Squall	75
A fall and winter sort of medium size; top-shaped in form and dark green, some specimens showing light-green markings running toward the blossom end; flesh orange, very dry and delicious.		
Essex Hybrid (Hard-shelled Turban)	Squared	80
Turban-shaped, terra cotta red in color; flesh a trifle darker than Hubbard; good keeper and fine quality.		
Fordhook (Vining)	Squatter	75
A small, oblong variety, excellent for summer or winter; fruits 8 to 10 inches long, slightly ridged; skin smooth, thin and yellow; flesh very thick, straw colored, extremely dry and sweet.		
Hubbard, Blue	Squeson	80
A new type of Hubbard squash and said to excel all in the superior quality of its flesh. Form and habit of growth similar to the original Hubbard, but differing in having an extremely hard, blue-gray shell.		
Hubbard, Golden	Squealer	80
Quite like the old Hubbard in form and habit, though not so large, but decidedly earlier; the shell is moderately warted, hard, strong and of a rich orange-red color, with occasional creamy stripes running toward the blossom end, and deep-green on the "button"; flesh deep orange, dry and of best quality; an excellent keeper.		
Hubbard, Improved	Squeeze	70
The standard winter squash; fruits large, heavy and moderately warted; shell dark bronze-green, showing more or less light-green markings toward blossom end; flesh bright orange-yellow, fine grained, thick and dry.		
Hubbard, Warted	Squirsole	75
Somewhat larger in size than the well-known Hubbard, and of equal quality, but is more heavily warted and the shell is very dark-green, almost black, in color. Our stock of this variety is exceptionally true.		
Mammoth Chili	Squint	75
Grown for exhibition and stock feeding; specimens have been grown to weigh upwards of 150 pounds; fruits oblong, skin quite smooth but with broad, open netting and rich orange-yellow color.		

SQUASH — Continued

New Blue Hubbard Squash

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Marrow, Boston	Squadron	\$0 50
In form and size similar to Hubbard; shell bright orange, flesh yellow and firm; the best for canning or pies.		
Marrow, Dunlap's Prolific	Squalor	80
The earliest of the Marrow squashes and of fair size; color orange-red; very prolific, a good keeper and of highest quality.		
Marrow, Vegetable (Bush)	Squirave	75
An English variety for summer and fall use; grows about 9 inches long and a perfect oblong in form; shell pale yellow, flesh white.		
Marrow, Italian Vegetable (Cocozella)	Squimal	80
A summer variety of bush habit; fruits oblong 12 to 16 inches in length and 5 inches in diameter; color dark green, marbled with yellow and dark green stripes, carrying 5 furrowed ribs the length of the fruit.		
Scallop, Early White Bush (Cymling)	Squamous	60
Very early summer squash; fruit flattened and scalloped, about 8 inches in diameter, comparatively smooth on the surface and creamy-white in color; also known as Patty Pan.		
Scallop, Mammoth White Bush	Squire	65
Very similar to Early White Bush, though much larger, 10 to 12 inches in diameter, and of a clear, waxy-white color.		
Scallop, Early Yellow Bush	Squander	70
Quite identical with White Bush except in color, which is deep orange.		
Scallop, Mammoth Yellow Bush (Golden Custard)	Squeak	75
A mammoth strain of Yellow Bush Scallop.		
Warren	Squirting	80
An improved type of Essex Hybrid, growing somewhat larger and of a deeper orange-red color.		
Wood's Prolific	Squisog	75
Small, early, on the order of White Bush Scallop, though smaller and not scalloped; very thick through; color creamy white, splashed and striped light green.		

TOBACCO

Connecticut Seed Leaf	Toband	\$2 25
A popular sort used for cigar wrappers and home use.		
Fine Havana	Tobing	2 50
Finest strain of imported seed.		

TOMATO

Our Tomato seeds are grown from our own choice stock seeds developed on our own farms by careful selection and are superior to stocks as generally sold.

Rice's Special Earliana

Quite in a class by itself as a smooth, globe-shaped, extra early tomato.

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Acme Early	Toddle	\$2 50
A well known, hardy, early and productive sort; fruits of fair size, round and smooth; color purplish-pink.		
Beauty	Toilet	2 50
A productive main crop variety; fruits large and exceptionally smooth, solid and of excellent quality; color purplish-pink.		
Bonny Best	Toilsome	2 75
About a week earlier than Chalk's Jewel; fruit somewhat smaller, very smooth, solid and uniform, and produced in clusters in center of the plant; ripens uniformly and is very productive; color bright red.		
Buckeye State (Duke of York)	Tokay	3 50
Fruits are exceptionally large, nearly globe-shaped and rather late in maturing; always smooth and solid; purplish-pink in color.		
Canadian	Toleman	7 50
Introduced by the Ontario (Canada) Agricultural College being a cross between Bonny Best and Earliana. Plant growth resembles Earliana. While the smooth scarlet fruit is larger it is less "globby", but exceedingly solid, having few seeds. Exceptionally early, productive and very hardy.		
Chalk's Jewel	Tolerant	2 75
An exceptionally fine early variety, about ten days later than Earliana; fruit uniformly smooth, round and solid; color crimson; a good canning sort for the North.		
Crimson Cushion (Beefsteak or Enormous)	Tolerable	3 75
The largest of the bright red tomatoes; really a Red Ponderosa.

Cold Frames on our Farm for Growing Tomato Plants for Seed Production

TOMATO — Continued

The Canadian

A recent introduction by the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, Canada. Where extreme earliness and hardiness are desired, coupled with size, solidity and productivity, the Canadian has no peer.

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Dwarf Champion	Tongs	Sold out
Of a distinctly dwarf, compact, upright growth; fruits smooth, solid and medium size; color pink; quite early.		
Dwarf Stone	Tongue	Failure
The best of the dwarf tomatoes; fruits large, smooth, round, very solid and of a deep scarlet color.		
Earliana (Spark's)	Tonic	\$2 75
The earliest and best of the very early tomatoes; very productive for an early sort; fruit of fair size, round, very smooth and solid, and produced in clusters in center of the plant; color bright scarlet. Our many years of selection on this stock have made it unequalled today.		
Earliana (Selected Strain)	Tonspec	8 00
Seed saved from crown-set fruit from selected, extra early plants.		
Early Detroit	Tonnage	4 75
A very fine, early, large-fruited, purple variety; a little larger than Beauty, and somewhat earlier; fruits nearly globe-shaped, smooth and solid.		
Globe (Livingston's)	Tonsure	5 00
A vigorous, productive, medium early tomato, much in favor with Southern truckers; fruit globe-shaped, smooth and solid; color purplish-pink.		
Golden Queen	Tontine	3 00
Ripens early, is large, smooth and solid; color golden yellow.		
Greater Baltimore	Toothard	2 25
A main crop, productive, red fruited variety of the Matchless type; quite popular with the canners.		
Gulf State Market	Toothcan	4 75
A globe shaped selection from Early Detroit, retaining the earliness of that variety, but larger, deeper and more productive. Fruits very solid and free from cracking; color deep purplish-pink. A shipping variety in the South.		
John Baer	Toothedge	2 75
An early, productive, red tomato on the order of Chalk's Jewel. We have a splendid, uniform stock of this variety.		
June Pink	Toothpick	Sold out
In habit of growth, productiveness and size of fruit identical with Earliana, differing only in having purple fruit; the best extra early purple variety.		
Matchless	Topaz	2 25
A very dependable, large, smooth, second early sort; makes a good canning variety; color cardinal red.		
Pear Shaped Yellow	Topmast	3 50
Fruits small and pear-shaped, rich, clear yellow in color; used for preserves.		

TOMATO — Continued

New Marglobe
The best of the disease-resistant tomatoes

THREE NEW DISEASE RESISTANT TOMATOES

*Introduced by the U. S. Department of Agriculture under the supervision of
Dr. F. J. Pritchard*

These varieties are the result of cross breeding, using as a parent the resistant Marvel variety. All three are highly resistant to Fusarium Wilt and somewhat resistant to early blight, Septoria leaf-spot and leaf mould, while their fruits are resistant to nail-head rust and "puffiness" so prevalent in the trucking districts of the South. All are distinguished by their vigorous, healthy growth and darker green foliage. Listed in the order of their earliness.

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Marvana	Toothorn	Sold out
A cross with Earliana and resembling that variety in earliness, habit of growth and color of fruit.		
Marglobe	Tooting	\$15 00
A Livingston's Globe cross, and the most desirable of the three. Unlike the Globe, this variety has red fruit. It is second-early in maturity and the plants are medium large and erect, its foliage shading the fruit and preventing sun scald. Fruits are large, smooth and globular, meaty and almost coreless. A very productive variety well adapted for truck growing, shipping and as a canning sort.		
Marvelosa	Tootman	Sold out
A Ponderosa cross with pink fruits and following Marglobe in season. A large, meaty, smooth-fruited variety which will become popular with Southern truck growers.		

Perfection	Topograp	\$2 25
A standard early red variety; as now grown is very similar to Chalk's Jewel.		
Ponderosa	Topping	Sold out
An exceptionally large, purple-fruited tomato, and for home use one of the best; fruit very solid, with few seeds. We have much improved this stock, removing the roughness and tendency to split which it formerly possessed.		

TOMATO — Continued

New Red Head

One of the very best second early varieties

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Red Cherry	Toppled	\$3 50
Fruits small, about the size of a large cherry, smooth and round; for preserves.		
Red Head (New)	Toptown	4 00
An exceptionally fine, large, bright red variety, as early as Chalk's Jewel and nearly as large as Stone and as productive; fruits nearly globe-shaped, very solid; vine of medium growth; an excellent canning variety.		
Red Rock	Torch	2 25
A very fine selection of the Matchless type; medium early, round, smooth and bright red; makes a good canning variety.		
Royal Purple	Torment	2 50
An improved type of Beauty and more productive; fruits exceedingly smooth and uniformly large in size, round, and with little core; color deep pink, tinged purple; a mid-season sort.		
Stone	Tornado	2 25
The standard and general favorite with truckers and canners; always dependable, very vigorous and productive; fruits round, large, solid, smooth and deep red in color. Our selected stock of Stone is much above the average.		
Strawberry (Winter Cherry or Husk)	Torpedo	3 50
The small yellow fruits are produced in a husk; excellent for preserves.		
Trucker's Favorite	Torrent	2 25
A popular purple-fruited sort on the order of Beauty and of the same general habit of growth; the fruit is, however, more flat.		
Wayahead	Torrid	4 00
A very early, smooth, solid, red variety with potato-leaved foliage; fruit about the size of Earliana and will ripen with it if not a few days earlier.		
Yellow Cherry	Torsion	3 50
For preserves; similar to Red Cherry except in color.		
Yellow Plum	Tortoise	3 25
A small yellow-fruited variety much resembling a plum in size and form; for preserving.		

TURNIP

We are large producers of American grown Turnip Seed and will be glad to quote Special Prices for quantity orders for either prompt shipment or future contract

Purple Top White Globe

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Amber Globe	Turban	\$0 30
One of the best yellow-fleshed sorts; roots globular and of large size; skin clear yellow except the top, which is tinged green.		
Early Snowball	Turbid	35
Very early, of medium size, round as a ball and pure white skin and flesh.		
Early White Flat Dutch	Turbinate	28
A very early flat, white turnip of medium size and fine quality.		
Extra Early Purple Top Milan	Turbine	55
Extremely early and of splendid quality; bulbs of medium size, flat and white, with a bright purple top; strap leaved		
Extra Early White Milan	Turbot	60
Similar to Purple Top Milan except that the roots are a solid clear white.		
Large White Globe Strap Leaved	Turbulent	28
A perfect globe in shape; skin and flesh pure white, firm and sweet.		
Large White Norfolk	Tureen	28
A very large white variety grown for stock feeding; roots globe-shaped and slightly flattened.		
Long White Cow Horn	Turfed	30
Roots are often 12 to 15 inches long and 3 inches in diameter, round, carrot-like in form and slightly crooked; clear white in color except a shade of green at the top; quality good.		
Pomeranian White Globe	Turgid	28
One of the largest and most productive; roots often grow to weigh 10 to 12 pounds, are globe-shaped, slightly flattened; skin smooth and white; for stock feeding.		
Purple Top Strap Leaved	Turkey	25
The most widely cultivated and best known variety; a very early, productive sort; roots are flat, medium sized, purple or dark red above ground, white below; flesh white, tender and fine grained.		
Purple Top White Globe	Turkoids	28
Almost a perfect globe in form; flesh and skin white, colored purple, or red, above ground; very fine grained and sweet; a superior variety.		
Rice's Improved Golden Ball (Orange Jelly)	Turmeric	30
The best of the yellow-fleshed turnips; the tops are small, roots medium size, round, smooth and deep yellow; flesh firm, crisp and of most excellent quality.		

TURNIP — Continued

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Seven Top	Turmoil	\$0 30
Grown exclusively for the tops, which are used for greens.		
White Egg	Turnation	30
An early, oval or egg-shaped variety; roots of medium size, smooth and clear white; of the very best quality.		
White Top Strap Leaved	Turncoat	28
Resembles Purple Top Strap Leaved in all but color, being pure white.		
Yellow Aberdeen (Purple Top)	Turner	30
A late, medium sized, long keeping variety; roots round, yellow with a purple top; flesh tender and sweet.		
Yellow Globe (Stone)	Turning	30
A round, smooth, light yellow variety of medium size and good quality.		

RUTA BAGA, OR SWEDE

Improved American Purple Top

Budlong White Rock (Breadstone)	Turnland	\$0 30
An American variety; very early, round and white.		
Canadian Gem, or Universal (Century)	Turnmore	30
Roots nearly round, golden-yellow flesh with purple top; very small top and neck; quality about the average. Noted for its exceptional hardness and vigor.		
Golden Neckless	Turnstile	30
Roots attain a large size; are almost globular, being slightly oblong; flesh yellow, solid and of finest quality; neck very small.		
Improved American Purple Top (Long Island)	Turpilate	30
A hardy, productive variety with a small neck; roots are large, oblong or globular in form, with a very small tap root; color bright yellow with a purple top; flesh very solid, tender and sweet.		
Skirving's Purple Top	Turtise	30
Roots very large, round, slightly oval; flesh yellow with a purple top.		
White Sweet, or Russian	Turtman	30
Roots very large, nearly globe-shaped, with a small neck; color white with a green shade at the neck; flesh white, firm and sweet.		

HERBS

POT, SWEET AND MEDICINAL

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Anise. Used for flavoring.....	Herald	\$0 75
Balm. Very fragrant leaves.....	Heraldic	2 50
Basil, Sweet. Leaves useful for flavoring.....	Heroic	1 25
Borage. Leaves used for flavoring.....	Heraldry	1 00
Caraway. Seeds used for flavoring.....	Herbage	50
Catnip. Leaves used for seasoning.....	Herbal	5 00
Coriander. Seeds used for flavoring.....	Herbarium	50
Dill. Used for flavoring pickles.....	Hercules	40
Fennel, Florence	Herding	1 00
A bulb-like vegetable formed above ground at base of leaf-stalk.		
Fennel, Sweet. Seeds aromatic.....	Heroine	75
Horehound. Very useful for curing coughs.....	Herdman	1 75
Lavender. Leaves very fragrant.....	Hereat	2 00
Marjoram, Sweet. Used as a seasoning.....	Heroism	1 35
Rosemary. Leaves very fragrant.....	Heresy	4 50
Rue. A medicinal plant.....	Heretic	2 50
Saffron. Flowers used for coloring; leaves for flavoring..	Heritable	1 75
Sage. A highly aromatic herb; most useful of all.....	Heritage	2 00
Savory, Summer. Leaves for flavoring soups.....	Hermetic	1 00
Savory, Winter. Leaves for seasoning.....	Hermit	3 00
Thyme. Used as a seasoning.....	Heron	3 00
Wormwood. Has medicinal qualities; splendid for poultry..	Herring	1 75

SUNFLOWER

Mammoth Russian	Sunflower	\$0 08
The standard large growing variety; seeds white, striped black.		

CATALOGUE OF CUTS AND ENGRAVINGS

NEW AND REVISED EDITION

We have a large collection of these, useful for catalogue illustrating and advertising purposes. Our Catalogue of Engravings will be supplied on request.

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We are prepared to supply, at a nominal cost, a well illustrated Retail Seed Catalogue of 32 pages with a well printed cover. This catalogue gives cultural directions and descriptions of the various vegetables and flowers found in the Wholesale Catalogue. We print the dealer's name on the front page of the cover, omitting our firm name throughout the catalogue. Ask for copy and prices per 1000.

SWEET PEAS

NOT ALL OF THE VARIETIES, BUT THE BEST OF THEM

The Sweet Peas noted below are of our own growing in the Lompoc Valley, California under capable supervision. It is our aim to grow these stocks to the highest point of perfection.

GRANDIFLORA VARIETIES

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Blanche Ferry	Swab	\$0 75
Scarlet standard, wings white; medium size; very fragrant.		
Dorothy Eckford	Swaddle	75
Pure white; large hooded form; fine.		
King Edward VII	Swage	80
Large, carmine-scarlet variety.		
Lady Grisel Hamilton	Swagger	75
Lavender; flowers large and hooded.		
Lord Nelson	Swain	75
Dark navy blue; large hooded flowers.		
Prima Donna	Swallow	75
Pure pink; above medium size; hooded flowers.		

LARGE FLOWERING SPENCER VARIETIES

Asta Ohn	Swamp	\$1 75
Large waved flowers; lavender, suffused with pink.		
Barbara	Swan	1 75
A brilliant rich orange-salmon.		
Clara Curtis	Sward	1 50
Very large, waved, light primrose variety.		
Constance Hinton	Swarm	1 75
A black-seeded white; flowers of the largest size, sometimes showing a tinge of pink.		
Constance Oliver	Swarthy	1 75
Standards peach-blossom pink, wings bright rose; flowers very large, much waved.		
Countess Spencer	Swash	1 60
The original introduction of the Spencer type; large, bright clear pink on long stems.		
Dainty Spencer	Swathe	1 50
Large, well waved, white with pink edge; very free flowering.		
Elfrida Pearson	Swear	1 50
Flowers large, waved, light blush pink, beautifully edged and shaded.		
Fiery Cross	Sweated	1 75
The most brilliant red Spencer; standards orange-scarlet, wings cherry-orange; a sun proof color.		
Florence Nightingale	Swedish	1 50
A very large, fine, pure lavender.		
George Herbert	Sweep	1 75
Very large, waved; carmine-rose, suffused with magenta.		
Hercules	Sweeter	1 75
Very large bright rose-pink flowers.		

LARGE FLOWERING SPENCER SWEET PEAS — Continued

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Isobel Malcolm	Swell	\$1 50
A black seeded cream; flowers beautifully waved.		
King Edward Spencer	Sweltry	1 75
Very fine large, waved flowers; crimson scarlet.		
King White	Swept	1 75
The finest white seeded pure white.		
Lillian	Swerve	1 50
An attractive soft salmon-pink.		
Margaret Atlee	Swift	1 50
The best rich pink; a giant in size and a strong grower.		
Margaret Madison	Swim	1 75
Flowers large, waved; opens delicate azure-blue, developing to clear light lavender.		
Mrs. Cuthbertson	Swindle	1 50
Very pretty bicolor; standards rosy-pink, wings white, shaded rose.		
Nubian	Swindler	1 75
Deep maroon; flowers large and waved.		
Royal Purple	Swinish	1 50
Beautiful rich, deep purple; best of its class.		
Thomas Stevenson	Swiss	1 75
Rich orange-scarlet; very large, waved flowers.		
Warrior	Switch	1 75
Best deep maroon; flowers large and well waved.		
Wedgwood	Swivel	1 75
Brilliant silvery or wedgwood blue, on long stems.		
White Spencer	Swollen	1 50
Very large, pure white, fragrant flowers on long stems.		

SWEET PEA MIXTURES

Eckford's Mixed (Grandiflora)	Swoon	\$0 55
Spencer Mixed	Swop	1 00
Rice's Best Spencer Mixed (Very Fine)	Sword	1 25

NASTURTIIUM

For size of flowers and variety of color our Nasturtium mixtures are unsurpassed.

Dwarf Mixed	Nastium	\$0 60
Tall Mixed	Nastord	55

MORNING GLORY

Tall Mixed	Morning	\$0 45
An excellent collection with a great variety of colors.		
Imperial Japanese (Mixed Colors)	Morned	1 00
Flowers much larger and of more delicate coloring than in other sorts.		

RICINUS, OR CASTOR OIL BEAN

Common (Green Foliage)	Castigate	\$0 60
Zanzibariensis (Mixed)	Casting	1 00
A gigantic, ornamental foliage variety in collection.		

PANSY

Fine French Mixed	Pansy	\$12 00
A superb, large-flowering mixture.		

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FOR LAWN PURPOSES

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IN BULK OR ONE POUND CARTONS

Rice's mixture of Lawn Grass Seed is unsurpassed either for lawns, parks or grass plats. It forms a thick, compact growth of short-growing varieties, following one another in succession, and can be highly recommended.

PUT UP IN ATTRACTIVE CARTONS (see illustration) containing one pound of Lawn Grass and packed 24 cartons to the case. To retail at 50c. lb. **Our price \$8.50 per case.** No charge for containers.

	Tel. Cipher	Per Pound
Kentucky Blue Grass.....	Graser	\$0 25
Valuable for lawns as well as pastures.		
Orchard Grass.....	Grasing	20
(Choice quality.) Will endure considerable shade.		
Fancy Red Top.....	Graslet	30
Unhulled Red Top.....	Grasman	15
Rice's Best Mixed Lawn Grass (in bulk).....	Grasrod	30
Rice's Best Mixed Lawn Grass (in One Pound Cartons)...	Graspack	38
(Per case of 24 lbs., \$8.50)		
White Clover.....	Grassock	50
For lawns; choice stock.		

SEED BAGS

	Per M
Size C. 1 ounce $2\frac{7}{8} \times 5\frac{1}{4}$ inches.....	\$1 75
" D. 2 " $3\frac{1}{8} \times 5\frac{1}{2}$ ".....	2 00
" F. $\frac{1}{2}$ pint 4 x 6 ".....	3 00
No. 1. 1 " 5 x 8 ".....	3 50
" 2. 1 quart, $6\frac{1}{4} \times 10$ ".....	4 25
" 4. 3 pints, $6\frac{1}{2} \times 12$ ".....	5 50
" 5. 2 quarts, $8\frac{1}{2} \times 12$ ".....	6 50
" 6. 3 " 9 x $14\frac{1}{2}$ ".....	9 00
" 7. 4 " $10\frac{1}{2} \times 14\frac{1}{2}$ ".....	12 00
" 8. 6 " 11 x $16\frac{1}{2}$ ".....	15 00
" 9. 8 " $11\frac{1}{2} \times 20$ ".....	18 00

Heavier paper is used in the larger than the smaller bags; weight of paper corresponds to quantity the bag is made to contain.

All these bags are printed with our business card unless purchaser expressly states he wishes them without it.

No charge is made for printing our card.

For printing purchaser's name and address a charge of 50c. will be made for any number up to 1 M.; for a greater number 50c. per M. will be charged.

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TELEGRAPHIC CIPHER OR CABLE CODE FOR WEIGHTS

The telegraphic cipher word for quantities must always precede the cipher word for seeds. In telegraphing us use first the word indicating how shipment is to be made: by **Mail, Express or Freight**, then give your quantity code word, followed by the cipher for seed wanted, thus:

"**Mail Abduct Squeeze Abate Caballer**," would mean mail at once five pounds Improved Hubbard Squash and two pounds All Head Early Cabbage. "**Express Able Puffing freight Active Peak**," would mean to express at once ten pounds Quaker Pie Pumpkin and ship by freight 250 pounds Little Marvel Peas. Where the same quantity is wanted of several items use the word ditto, thus: "**Express Abide Raging ditto Radius Raccoon Rambling**," which we would understand meant to express you at once eight pounds each of these Radishes: Sparkler White Tip, Rice's Saxa, Early Scarlet Turnip and Icicle.

Our customers will find this a very inexpensive way of wiring their orders, but we must caution them that care be taken in writing out the messages, as we cannot hold ourselves responsible for errors arising from incomplete messages or incorrect translation.

IMPORTANT.—This telegraphic cipher must be used **ONLY** on orders by telegraph or cable, and never in written orders sent by mail.

TELEGRAPHIC CODE WORD FOR WEIGHTS

Pounds	Code Word	Pounds	Code Word	Pounds	Code Word
1/4.....	Abacus	70.....	Accord	800.....	Adjust
1/2.....	Abaft	75.....	Accost	825.....	Adjutant
3/4.....	Abandon	80.....	Accrue	850.....	Adjutor
1.....	Abash	85.....	Accurse	875.....	Admire
2.....	Abate	90.....	Acetic	900.....	Admit
3.....	Abbe	95.....	Adoles	925.....	Adoles
4.....	Abbess	100.....	Acorn	950.....	Adore
5.....	Abduct	112.....	Acopea	975.....	Adrift
6.....	Abet	120.....	Acobean	1000.....	Adroit
7.....	Abhor	125.....	Acquit	1500.....	Adult
8.....	Abide	150.....	Acre	2000.....	Advent
9.....	Abject	175.....	Acrid	2500.....	Adverb
10.....	Able	200.....	Acrobat	3000.....	Adverse
11.....	Abode	225.....	Action	3500.....	Advice
12.....	Abound	250.....	Active	4000.....	Aerate
13.....	About	275.....	Actor	4500.....	Aerial
14.....	Above	300.....	Actual	5000.....	Aerify
15.....	Abrade	325.....	Acute	5500.....	Aeronaut
16.....	Abreast	350.....	Adage	6000.....	Affable
17.....	Abridge	375.....	Adagio	6500.....	Affair
18.....	Abrupt	400.....	Adamant	7000.....	Affect
19.....	Abscess	425.....	Adapt	7500.....	Affiant
20.....	Abscote	450.....	Adder	8000.....	Affirm
21.....	Abscond	475.....	Addict	8500.....	Affix
22.....	Absent	500.....	Addle	9000.....	Afflux
23.....	Absolve	525.....	Adduce	9500.....	Afford
24.....	Absorb	550.....	Adequate	10000.....	Affray
25.....	Abstain	575.....	Adhere	15000.....	Affront
30.....	Abstract	600.....	Adhesion	20000.....	Affuse
35.....	Abstruse	625.....	Adieu	25000.....	Afield
40.....	Absurd	650.....	Adipose	30000.....	Afloat
45.....	Abuse	675.....	Adjacent	35000.....	Afoot
50.....	Acacia	700.....	Adjoin	40000.....	Afraid
55.....	Accede	725.....	Adjourn	45000.....	Afresh
60.....	Accent	750.....	Adjudge	50000.....	Agate
65.....	Access	775.....	Adjure		

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