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PEORIA, ILLINOIS

Seeds, Plants, Bulbs, Nursery Stock,
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No reputable seedsman now warrants seeds in any respect but it must be apparent to every thinking person that no reputable seedsman can afford to send out poor or worthless seed. It would be a sure way of destroying his business. We wish to append the following customary and standard notice: While we exercise great care to have all seeds pure and reliable, we do not give any warranty, express or implied, and we will not be responsible in any way for the crop. If the purchaser does not accept the goods on these terms and conditions, they must be returned at once, and the money that has been paid for same will be refunded.

Prices are subject to change without notice.

Prices on grass seeds, onion sets and larger quantities of seeds will be sent on request.

And regular parcel post charges if ordering by mail.

VEGETABLE SEEDS

All Packets 10c, except where otherwise specified

ASPARAGUS	Oz.	4 Oz.
Washington -----	\$.25	\$.75
Palmetto -----	.15	.35
BEANS—DWARF GREENPOD	½ lb.	lb.
Bountiful -----	.25	.45
Burpees Stringless Greenpod---	.25	.45
Early Red Valentine-----	.25	.40
Extra Early Refugee-----	.25	.40
Long Yellow Six-Weeks-----	.25	.40
Navy -----	.15	.25
Refugee or 1000 to 1-----	.25	.45
Red Kidney-----	.20	.30
Giant Stringless -----	.25	.45
Tennessee Green Pod-----	.25	.45
BEANS—DWARF WAXPOD		
Davis White Kidney-----	.25	.45
Golden Wax, Old Style-----	.25	.45
Improved Golden Wax-----	.25	.45
Round Pod Kidney Wax-----	.30	.55
Sure Crop -----	.25	.45
Pencil Pod Black Wax-----	.25	.45
Hodson Wax -----	.25	.45
Prolific Black Wax-----	.25	.40
Refugee Wax -----	.25	.45
BEANS—POLE VARIETY		
Kentucky Wonder Wax-----	.25	.45
Tennessee Wonder Green Pod--	.30	.50
Kentucky Wonder or Old Home-		
stead Green pod-----	.25	.40
Scarlet Runner Green Pod-----	.25	.45
Horticultural Green Pod -----	.25	.45
Cut Short or Corn Hill Greenpod	.25	.40
BEANS—BUSH LIMA		
Burpees Bush Lima-----	.30	.50
Dreers Bush Lima-----	.30	.50
Fordhook Bush Lima-----	.30	.50
Hendersons Bush Lima-----	.20	.35
BEANS—POLE LIMA		
King of the Garden-----	.25	.45

BEETS	Oz.	4 Oz.
Extra Early Egyptian -----	.15	.35
Detroit Dark Red -----	.15	.30
Eclipse -----	.15	.30
Swiss Chard -----	.15	.35
Crosby's Early Egyptian -----	.15	.30
BEETS—STOCK		
Golden Tankard -----	.10	.20
Long Red, Mammoth Prize -----	.10	.20
BRUSSELS SPROUTS		
Dalkeith -----	.30	1.00
CABBAGE	Oz.	2 Oz.
All Seasons -----	.25	.45
All Seasons, Disease Resistent --	1.00	1.95
Copenhagen Market -----	.40	.70
Early Jersey Wakefield -----	.30	.55
Early Flat Dutch -----	.25	.45
Late Flat Dutch -----	.25	.45
Danish Ballhead -----	.30	.55
Mammoth Red Rock -----	.40	.75
	$\frac{1}{2}$ Oz.	Oz.
Pe Tsai, Chinese or Celery Cab. --	.30	.50
CARROTS	Oz.	4 Oz.
Early Scarlet Horn -----	.15	.45
Chantenay -----	.15	.40
Danvers Half Long -----	.15	.40
Ox Heart -----	.15	.40
Improved Long Orange -----	.15	.40
CAULIFLOWER	Packet	$\frac{1}{4}$ Oz.
Henderson's Early Snowball -----	.25	.75
Danish Giant or Dry Weather --	.25	.75
CELERY	$\frac{1}{2}$ Oz.	Oz.
Golden Self Blanching -----	.35	.60
Giant Pascal -----	.20	.35
White Plume -----	.15	.30
CELERIAC		
Large Smooth Prague -----	.25	.40
CHICORY	Oz.	2 Oz.
Whitloof (French Endive) -----	.25	.45
COLLARDS		
True Georgia -----	.15	.25
CORN	$\frac{1}{2}$ lb.	lb.
Early Evergreen -----	.25	.40
Bantam Evergreen -----	.20	.40
Kendals Giant -----	.20	.35
Golden Bantam -----	.20	.40
Howling Mob -----	.20	.35
Stowells Evergreen -----	.25	.40
Mammoth Early White Cory --	.20	.35
Black Mexican -----	.20	.35
Country Gentleman -----	.20	.40
CORN FOR POPPING—SEED		
Japanese Hulless -----	.25	.40
Queen's Golden -----	.25	.40
White Rice -----	.20	.35
CRESS	Oz.	2 Oz.
Extra Curled -----	.15	.25
True Water -----	.40	.75
CUCUMBERS	Oz.	2 Oz. 4 Oz.
Davis Perfect -----	\$.25	\$.40 \$.60
Improved Long Green -----	.25	.40 .60
White Spine -----	.20	.35 .50
Chicago Pickling -----	.15	.25 .40
Rice's Early Fortune -----	.20	.30 .50

CUCUMBERS—Continued		Oz.	2 Oz.	4 Oz.
Japanese Climbing	-----	.25	.40	.60
The Vaughan	-----	.40	.75	1.25
White Wonder	-----	.20	.35	.50
EGG PLANT				
New York Improved Purple		.50	.90	
Black Beauty	-----	.60	1.00	
ENDIVE				
Broad Leaved	-----	.20	.35	.60
White Curled	Green Curled		Moss Curled	
HERBS				
Sweet Marjoram	-----		Packets 10c	
Saffron Thyme	Lavender Caroway		Wormwood	
Sweet Basil	Sage Dill Borage		Summer Savory	
KALE		Oz.	2 Oz.	4 Oz.
Dwarfed Curled	-----	\$.15	\$.25	\$.40
Tall Curled Scotch	-----	.15	.25	.40
KOHL RABI				
White Vienna	-----	.25		.80
Large Green	-----	.10		.30
Purple Vienna	-----	.25		.80
LEEK		Oz.	2 Oz.	
Broad Flag, London	-----	\$.25	\$.45	
Musselberg	-----	.25	.45	
LETTUCE HEAD		Oz.	2 Oz.	4 Oz.
Big Boston	-----	\$.20	\$.35	\$.60
Hanson	-----	.20	.35	.60
Iceberg	-----	.25	.40	.70
California Cream Butter		.15	.25	.45
Crisp as Ice	-----	.20	.35	.60
May King	-----	.20	.35	.60
Romaine or Cos	-----	.20	.30	.50
LETTUCE LEAF				
Early Curled Simpson	----	.20	.30	.50
Grand Rapids	-----	.20	.35	.60
Black Seeded Simpson	----	.20	.30	.50
Prizehead Brown Leafed	----	.20	.35	.60
MUSK MELON				
Rice's Orange Flesh	-----	.25	.40	.75
Burrels Gem	-----	.15	.25	.40
Fordhook	-----	.15	.25	.40
Hoodoo or Hearts of Gold		.20	.30	.50
Osage Extra Early	-----	.25	.40	.65
Pollock 10-25	-----	.20	.30	.50
Rocky Ford	-----	.15	.25	.35
Early Knight	-----	.20	.30	.50
Banana	-----	.20	.30	.50
Hackensack	-----	.15	.25	.35
Tip Top	-----	.20	.35	.65
MUSTARD				
White London, South. Curl.		.15		.25
OKRA				
White Velvet	-----	.15	.25	.35
Long Green	-----	.15	.25	.35
ONIONS		Oz.	4 Oz.	
Prizetaker	-----	.30	.75	
Southport Red Globe	-----	.35	.85	
Southport Yellow Globe	-----	.30	.75	
Yellow Globe Danvers	-----	.30	.70	
Red Weatherfield	-----	.25	.60	
White Pickling	-----	.30	.75	
Southport White Globe	-----	.40	1.25	
PARSLEY				
Moss Curled	-----	.15	.40	
Hamburg Rooted, Plain	-----	.15	.40	
PARSNIPS		Oz.	4 Oz.	
Hollow Crown	-----	\$.15	\$.30	

PEAS		½ lb.	lb.	
American Wonder, 12 inch-----		.25	.40	
Blue Bantam, 18 inch-----		.30	.50	
Laxatonian -----		.30	.50	
Little Gem, 18 inch-----		.25	.40	
Suttons Excelsior, 18 inch-----		.25	.45	
Alaska, 24 inch -----		.20	.35	
Ameer, 24 inch -----		.25	.40	
Gradus, 30 inch -----		.25	.45	
Hundredfold, 18 inch -----		.30	.50	
Champion of England, 60 inch--		.25	.40	
Blackeyed Marrowfat, 30 inch--		.20	.35	
Edible Pod Dw. Gray Sugar,16 in.		.25	.40	
Edible Pod Tall Gray Sugar, 30 in.		.25	.40	
Mammoth Poded, 48-60 inch----		.25	.45	
PEPPERS		½ Oz	Oz.	
Vaughan's Magnum Dulce-----		.40	.75	
Bull Nose -----		.30	.50	
Chinese Giant -----		.40	.75	
Harris' Earliest-----		.40	.75	
Mountain Sweet -----		.30	.50	
Pimento -----		.30	.50	
Ruby King -----		.30	.50	
Red Chili -----		.30	.50	
World Beater -----		.30	.50	
PUMPKINS		Oz.	2 Oz.	4 Oz.
Japanese Pie -----	\$.15	\$.25	\$.45	
Conn. Field or Big Tom--	.15	.25	.35	
Golden Cushaw -----	.15	.25	.45	
Striped Cushaw -----	.15	.25	.45	
Sweet or Sugar -----	.15	.25	.45	
RADISHES				
Early Scarlet Turnip ----	.15	.25	.40	
Black Spanish Winter		Rose China Winter		
Long Scarlet Short Top		Sparkler White Tip		
French Breakfast		White Strassburg		
Crimson Giant		White Icicle		
Early Scarlet Turnip, White Tip		Rice's Saxa		
California Mammoth White Winter		Chartier		
RHUBARB		Oz.	2 Oz.	
Linnaeus Giant -----	\$.15	\$.25		
SALSIFY				
Mammoth Sandwich Island----	.30		.50	
SPINACH		Oz.	4 Oz.	
Bloomsdale -----	.15		.20	
Long Standing -----	.15		.25	
New Zealand -----	.15		.35	
King of Denmark-----	.15		.25	
SQUASH				
Delicious -----	.20		.50	
Golden Summer Crookneck-----	.20		.45	
Improved Hubbard -----	.20		.45	
Mammoth White Bush-----	.20		.40	
Warted Hubbard -----	.20		.45	
Giant Summer Crookneck-----	.20		.45	
Fordhook or Sweet Potato-----	.20		.40	
Early White Bush Scallop----	.15		.40	
Early Yellow Bush Scallop----	.15		.40	
Vegetable Marrow Bush-----	.20		.50	
Table Queen or Des Moines----	.25		.65	
TOMATO		½ Oz.	Oz.	
Bonny Best, Earliana-----	\$.25	\$.40		
New Stone, John Baer-----	.20		.40	
Dwarf Stone -----	.25		.45	
Grand Pacific -----	1.25		2.00	
Ponderosa, Golden Ponderosa--	.30		.50	
Wayahead -----	.40		.75	
Red Head -----	.40		.75	
Livingston's Globe -----	.30		.55	

TURNIPS		Oz.	4 Oz.
Purple Top White Globe	-----	\$.15	\$.30
Purple Top Milan	-----	.15	.35
Purple Top Strap Leaf	-----	.15	.25
White Flat Dutch	-----	.15	.25
White Egg	-----	.15	.25
RUTABAGA			
Improved Purple Top	-----	.15	.30
WATER MELON			
Halbert Honey	-----	.20	.40
Sweet Heart	-----	.15	.35
Kleckley's Sweet	-----	.20	.40
Tom Watson	-----	.15	.35
Coles Early	-----	.15	.35
Irish Gray	-----	.15	.35

FLOWER SEEDS

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Alyssum, Maritimum

Little Gem or Carpet of Snow

Amaranthus, Love-lies-bleeding

Joseph's Coat

Anemone (Perennial)

Antirrhinum, Snap Dragon, Mixed

Giant Mixed Queen Victoria Firefly

Golden King Kermesina Splendens Rose

Aquilegia (Perennial) Columbine

Double Mixed, Single Mixed

Asters, Giant Branching, Mixed

Red Lavendar Pink White

Peony Flowered, Mixed Asternum, Mixed

Queen of the Market, Mixed Comet, Mixed

Bellis Perennis—Daisy

Blue Lace

Browalia

Callendula

Calliopsis

Campanula—Canterbury Bells

Candy Tuft

Canna

Cardinal Climber

Carnation—Mixed

Caster Bean—Zanzibariensis

Celosia Christata—Coxcomb

Childsii—Wool Flower

Centaurea—Imperiales Sweet Sultan

Candidisima Cyanus

Chrysanthemum

Clarkia, Mixed

Cobea Scandens

Coreopsis

Cosmos, Early Large Flowering

Double Early

Cypress Vine

Dianthus Pinks, Mixed

Digitalis—Foxglove

Escholtzia—California Poppy

Four O'clock—Red, Rose and Yellow

Gaillardia—Blanket Flower

Geranium

Gomphrena, Mixed

Gourds, Mixed

Gypsophila

Helichrysum

Hibiscus

Heliotrope

Hollyhock

Hyacinth Bean

Ice Plant

Kochia—Fire Bush

Lathyrus—Hardy Sweet Peas

Marigold
 African Double Mixed French Double Mixed
Mignonette
Mimosa—Sensitive Plant
Miosotis—Forget-Me-Nots
Moon Flower—White
Morning Glory—Japanese Fringed
Nasturium, Dwarf
 Mixed Tall
Nemophilon—Blue
Nicotiana
Pansy—Masterpieces 25c
 Separate Colors Vaughans Giant Mixture
Petunia—Good Mixed
 Carmen Sylva, Blue 15c
 General Dodd, Blood Red Snowball 15c
 Double Mixed 25c Striped 15c
 Royal Purple 25c Rosy Morn 15c
Phlox—Perennial Drummondi 25c
Portulaca
 Single Mixed Double Mixed
Pyrethrum Roseum
Ricinus
Salpiglossis
Salvia
Scabiosa—Mourning Bride
Stock Mixed
Snow on the Mountain
Statice
Sunflower—Mammoth Russian
Sweet Peas
 Spencer, mixed and separate colors Eckford
Sweet William
Thunbergia
Verbena—Mixed and separate colors
Vinca—Periwinkle
Wild Cucumber
Wild Flower Mixture Zinnia
 Double Mixed Colossal Mixed
 Red Riding Hood Colossal Crimson
 Colossal Burnt Orange Colossal Rose Queen
 Dahlia Flowered Mixed -----15c
 Dahlia Exquisite -----15c
 All Types Mixed -----15c
 Pumila Salmon -----15c
SUMMER BULBS—Prices on request
 Tube Roses Cinnamon Vine Caladium
 Gladioli Cannas Dahlias
NURSERY STOCK—On order only
 Roses Perennials Shrubs Fruit Trees
 Shade Trees Small Fruits Hedge Plants
SPRAYERS AND INSECTICIDES
GRASS SEED
 Blue Grass White Clover Red Top Rye Grass
 Timothy Mixed Lawn Seed (Chicago Parks)
 Shady Place Lawn Seed (Columbian Shady Nook)
FERTILIZERS
 Sheep Manure Vigoro Sacco Fertilo
GARDEN AND FARM TOOLS
FLOWER POTS **PLANT TUBS**
HANGING BASKETS **MOSS**
GOLD FISH **GLOBES** **AQUARIUMS**
BIRDS **CAGES** **STANDS**
BABY CHICKS **POULTRY FEED**
POULTRY REMEDIES **CHICK FOUNTAINS**
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DEAR GARDEN LOVER:

IT IS FINE to have you come to see us again this spring. We wish we could have seen your gardens last year. The Next best thing is to have you **TELL US OF YOUR RESULTS.**

We have heard a lot about the **BIG, SWEET TENDER PEAS** and that **WONDERFUL SWEET CORN** right off the stalk, and into your kettle—**AND BEANS**—how they did grow and bear, especially the **FORDHOOD LIMAS** and the **STRING-LESS GREEN PODS.**

Again you will find the **VAUGHAN FLOWER SEEDS** at our store. They grow, we know, we watch them sprout in our tester. **THEY PRODUCE** true to name and type. Such **COLORS**, such **SIZES**, such **FRAGRANCE.**

We are almost sure to have **YOUR KIND**, but if not we can usually find it. We want you to **REMEMBER US** as the Folk who want to help you make the **BEST GARDEN IN CENTRAL ILLINOIS.**

THE RUE SEED CO., Inc.

E. A. Johnson, President

Mrs. Flora C. Rue, Vice-President

Mrs Mary F. Johnson, Sec.-Treas.

THINGS TO KNOW

I. TIME TO SOW.

1. **As early as ground can be worked.**
Peas, Early Beats, Radishes, Spinach, Turnips, Cabbage.
2. **When Peach and Pear trees bloom.**
Later Beats, Carrots, Kohl-Rabi, Lettuce, Wrinkled Peas, Parsnips, Salsify, Swiss Chard, also hot bed plants may be set out.
3. **When Apple trees bloom.**
Beans, Sweet Corn, Cucumber, Okra, Melons, Pumpkins and Squash.
4. **After all danger of frost is past.**
Tomato, Pepper, and Egg plants.

II. FOR CONTINUOUS CROPS SOW EVERY FIVE OR TEN DAYS.

III. INOCULATING PEAS, BEANS AND SWEET PEAS INCREASES YIELD.

IV. SPRAY AT PROPER TIMES AND WITH PROPER INSECTICIDES.

V. SHADY PLACE PLANTS

Bellis Daisy, Canterbury Bells, Columbine, Corcopsis, Foxglove, Sensitive Plant, Forget-me-not, and Pansy.

VI. QUICK GROWING VINES.

Wild Cucumber, Cardinal Climber, Balloon Vine, Morning Glory, Hyacinth Bean and Canary Bird Vine.

VII. GROW FROM SEED FOR NEW VARIETIES Cannas, Dahlias, and Geraniums.

VIII. FALL SOWING.

Alyssum, Antirrhinum, Calendula, Calliopsis, Candytuft, Centaurea, Escholtzia, Cyanus, Nemophila, Pippy, Stock.

PARCEL POST: If Your whole order weighs less than one half pound we pay; if more than one half pound send 7c and 1c for each additional pound.