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Annual Catalog

of

Garden, Flower & Field

SEEDS

Bulbs, Plants, Tools, etc.

William D. Burt

SEEDSMAN

Dalton, N. Y.
Greeting:

To My Kind Friends and Patrons

Having purchased the Seed business of Burt Bros, I hope to retain all of their old customers and I take great pleasure in presenting you with my first annual catalog. I embrace this opportunity in thanking all old customers for their liberal patronage and hope through honest dealings to gain a continuance of the same.

You, no doubt each year receive a number of large, showy, elaborate seed catalogs with lithograph covers and numerous colored plates. Your first impulse, no doubt, will be to cast this little catalog aside and order from that showy catalog, but wait, I ask you to consider. Who pays for that showy catalog? Certain you do, if you order seeds from it. Because other seedsmen issue large showy catalogs is no proof that their seeds are superior to those you might order from this little catalog, giving short, true descriptions, omitting all trashy cuts and overdrawn description.

I want every one to understand I do not handle cheap seeds. My prices are very low, but my seeds are the best to be obtained. To strangers who may receive this catalog, I ask a careful examination and comparison with others with the assurance that a trial order shall receive my most careful attention.

I am no doubt the youngest man, in age, in the seed trade and I ask you to give me a share of your valuable trade. It shall be my aim to supply you with only the best at all times. I want every one who receives this catalog to give me at least a trial order (If it amounts to only 10c.) I want you to try my seeds. Write me at all times upon any subject, as you would a friend. I am always pleased to hear from my many customers.

Thanking you for your future business and wishing you a prosperous New Year, I am

Sincerely Yours at Command,

WILLIAM D. BURT,
Successor to Burt Bro’s.

Suggestions to Buyers.

How to Order—Always write your name very plain and keep a copy of your order. Use order blanks when you have them.

Remitting Money—Cash should always accompany the order. Send all money by P. O. Money Order, Express Money Order or Registered Letter. Never send money loose in your letter.

Stamps—Please do not send stamps for amounts over 25c. If you are obliged to send stamps, send 1¢ stamps.

Shipping—If goods are to go by freight or express, be sure to send plain shipping directions.

Postage—I pay postage on all seeds ordered by package, ounce, pound or quart or on bulbs, etc. No order will be accepted less than 10 cents. Seeds ordered by bushel or 100 pound lots are send by freight or express, purchaser to pay charges.

Guarantee—I guarantee my seeds the best, so far as that I hold myself ready to refill the order anew gratis to the same amount, should they prove defective in any way.

Address—Send all orders to and make all orders payable to

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Dalton, N. Y.
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Choice List of Standard Vegetable Seeds.

Asparagus.

(1 oz. Seed for 600 plants.)

Palmetto—Of Southern origin, but equal-
ly adapted for North or South. Pound,
75c; ½ lb., 40c; oz., 10c; ½ oz., 5c; pkt, 1c.

Conover’s Colossal—Large and of rapid
growth. Pound 35c; ½ lb., 15c; oz. 5c,
pkt. 1c.

Columbian Mammoth White—A new
variety producing white stalks of large
size and finest quality. Pound 75c, ½
lb. 25c, oz. 10c, ½ oz. 5c, pkt. 1c.

Beets.

Long Smooth Blood Red—Tops large
with good sized long roots, tapering
and growing even with the surface;
color, dark red.

Swiss Chard—Silver or Sea Kale beet.
Grown for its leaves only. The middle
of the leaf is cooked and served as as-
paragus. The other portions of the leaf
are used as spinach.

Price of beet seed: Pound 40c, ½ lb. 18c,
oz. 5c, pkt. 2c.

Mangel Wurzel Beets.

For Stock or Cattle Feeding.

Mammoth Long Red—This is truly, as
its name implies, a mammoth, a single
root often weighing 20 to 30 pounds;
ernormously productive, yielding 30 to
40 tons of roots per acre. They grow
well above ground and are easily har-
vested. Pound 35c, ½ lb. 1½c, oz. 5c,
pkt. 1c.

Golden Tankard—This is a distinct va-
riety and particularly valuable on ac-
count of its richness in saccharine mat-
ter. Deep yellow flesh and skin.
Pound 35c, ½ lb. 15c, oz. 5c, pkt. 1c.

Champion Yellow, or Orange Globe—
The best round Mangel. Keeps better
than Long Red for winter use. It is
also more desirable for growing in shal-
low soils. Pound 35c, ½ lb. 15c, oz. 5c,
pkt. 1c.

Vilmorn’s Improved White Sugar—
An improvement on the old white sugar.
Very rich. Pound 45c, oz. 5c, pkt. 1c.

Borecole, or Kale.

Germain, Blatter; French, Chon Vert
Frisé; Spanish, Col.

(One ounce will produce 3,000 plants.)

To grow this valuable winter vegetable
successfully, plant out in June, follow-
ing the directions recommended for cul-
vilating cabbage.

Dwarf Green Curled Scotch—One of
the best; very hardy and improved by
a moderate frost. Per pkt. 1c.
Beans.

One quart will plant 200 hills.

**Dwarf Wax Pod or Butter Beans.**

**Wardwell’s Kidney Wax**—This variety has flat pods, of a delicate waxy color, stringless and brittle. The beans are of large, kidney shape, white with dark markings about the eye. Qt. 40 cts. pt 20c, pkt. 5 cts.

**Currie’s Rust Proof Black Wax.**

Pods long, flat and straight, of a golden color; quality not surpassed and for productiveness unequaled. Qt. 40 cts. pt 15 cts., pkt 5 cts.

**Black Wax**—Round wax pods; early, stringless, excellent. Qt 40 cts, pt 15c. pkt 5 cts.

**Earliest Valentine Wax**—This is an early bean with round Wax pods, which are meaty and with so little string that they may be called stringless. Quart 40 cts. pt 20 cts pkt. 5 cts.

**Davis Kidney Wax**—The pods are long straight of clear waxy white color, and often growing to seven or eight inches in length. Qt. 40 cts, pt 20 cts, pkt 5 cts

POLE BEANS

**Lazy Wife**—The pods grow long, entirely stringless and of a rich, buttery flavor, beans white. Vines cling to poles readily. Qt 50c pt 20c pkt 5 cts.

**LIMA BEANS**

**Burpee’s Bush Lima**—An immense yealder, with large pods well filled with large beans, which are are uniform in size and of fine flavor. Qt 40c pt 20 cts pkt 5 cts.

**Henderson’s Bush Lima**—Enormously productive and bears until frost, beans small pure white, fine quality. Qt 50c. pt 25 cts. pkt. 5 cts.

**King of the Garden Lima**—A vigorous grower requiring but two vines to each pole, pods measure from five to eight inches long and contain from five to seven beans of fine quality. Qt 50c, pt 25 cts., pkt 5 cts.

Cabbage.

One ounce of seed produces 3,000 plants.

**Early Jersy Wakefield**—The standard early variety; conical in shape, medium sized heads, very solid, few out side leaves. Pkt. 2c, oz. 25c, lb. $2.

**Early York**—A fine early sort, heads are solid and of good size. It endures the heat well, and seldom fails to head. Pkt. 2c, oz. 15c, lb. $1.10.

**Winningstadt**—Somewhat resembling the Sugar Loaf, but larger and more solid, one of the best for general use. Pkt. 1c, oz. 15c, lb. $1.75.

**Early Express**—A few days ahead of the Wakefield. It has few outside leaves a solid head. Pkt. 1c, oz. 15c, lb. $1.25

**Danish Ball Head**—This splendid shipping Cabbage is also sold under the name of Solid Emperor. My strain of this cabbage is unequaled—the best to be had, imported direct from Denmark. It is one of the few imported kinds that will produce solid heads that will keep through the winter. My Danish Ball Head Seed can be depended upon as the best. Pkt. 2c, oz. 25c, lb. $2.50.

**Flat Dutch**—A popular and highly esteemed late variety; its keeping qualities are unsurpassed. For market use this variety is more used than any other variety. Pkt. 2c, oz. 15c, lb. $2.

**Lupton**—One of the best for main crop it has the best qualities. Pkt. 2c, oz 20c.

**Drumhead**—One of the best heading and keeping varieties. Pkt. 2c, oz. 15 cts.
Cabbage continued

Sure Head - This sort produces large, round, flattened heads, which are of uniform size, very hard and of fine texture. Pkt. 2c, oz. 15c, lb $2.00

Red Rock - The head is large, round, & very solid and of a dark red color. Pkt. 1 ct. oz 20 cts.

Cauliflower.

1 oz seed will produce 4,000 plants.

Early Paris or Nonpareil - This is a well known variety, producing early good sized, pure white heads, which are tender and delicious. Pkt 3c; oz. 50 cts.

Vitcher's Autumn Giant - A distinct and valuable late variety, producing large heads, pure white, firm and com. pct. a desirable variety for general culture. Pkt 3 cts. oz. 46 cts.

Late Algiers - This variety is one of the best late sorts grown. It is a sure header and endures freezing that would injure other sorts. Pkt. 3 cts. oz. 40 cts.

Snow Ball - One of the very best varieties grown for early culture. Dwarf compact growth, with large heads of snowy whiteness and delicious flavor. This is a sure header, very early, but valuable for a late crop. Pkt. 10 cts. oz. $3.00

BRUSSELS SPROUTS.

Also known as the thousand headed cabbage from its forming numbers of miniature cabbage heads, each about the size of a walnut on strong erect stems three ft. high. Pkt. 1 ct.

COLLARDS

This is a variety of Cabbage largely used in the South. It forms a large, loose, open head or mass of leaves. Pkt. 1 ct.

Get my prices on your field seed before you buy. I can save you money on Clover and Timothy Seed.

CARROT.

One ounce will sow 100 ft. of drill. Three to four lbs. per acre.

Price of all carrots Pkt. 1c, oz. 8 cts. lb. 60 cts.

Oxheart or Guerande - While not retaining the length of many of the other varieties, it will compare favorably in bulk of crop, as on good land it will produce Carrots four to six in diameter. A fine table carrot.

Early Scarlet Short Horn - This is a favorite variety for early planting, but not large, the tops are small, roots topshaped, stump rooted, color deep orange flesh fine grained.

Danvers Half Long Orange - A first variety; The roots are smooth, medium length, tapering to a blunt point, flesh sweet, crisp and tender.

Long Orange - The old standard and popular variety, the roots are large size orange color. They will produce large crops, fine feeding.

Mastodon - This is the heaviest cropping Carrots grown, yealding more tons to the acre than any other sort. The flesh is white, solid, crisp and very tender. The best for stock.

White Belgian - A very productive field variety Grows about one third out of the ground, and is easily gathered; and grown largely for stock.

You can not beat my Seed or prices. Please give me a trial order.
Celery.
(1 oz. seed will produce 5,000 plants.)
Golden Self-Blanching—A self-blanching variety of the "White Plume" order, but far superior for either market gardeners' or private use. It is of a rich golden-yellow color, crisp, tender and of fine flavor. Per pkt. 2c; oz. 25c.
New Pink Plume—A strong, healthy, compact grower with no tendency to rust; very solid, crisp, extra early, and a long keeper, remaining, when trenches, in perfect condition away into the spring. Pkt., 2c; oz., 15c.
Giant Pascal—This splendid variety is a sport from the well known "Golden self-blanching," carefully selected. It partakes of the fine nutty flavor of that variety without being stringy. The stalks are thick, solid and crisp, golden-yellow heart. Pkt., 2c; oz., 10c.
White Plume—A valuable early and exceedingly ornamental variety, requires very little labor in blanching, one of the best for early use. Pkt., 2c; oz., 15c.
Perfection Hartwell—It is of medium height, the stalks being long and thick, while its compact structure makes it easily worked. Blanches well up in the leaves and its crisp tenderness, distinct and delicious flavor are unequalled. Pkt., 2c; oz., 15c.

Corn Salad.
A favorite salad plant in Europe. Sown in August, and protected with a few leaves during the winter. It can be gathered very early in spring. Sown in April, it is soon fit for use. The leaves are sometimes boiled and served as spinach. Pkt., 1c.

Chickory.
The leaves are used as salads, either in their natural state or blanched with oil and vinegar. The leaves are used to mix with or a substitute for coffee.
Large Rooted Magdeburg. Pkt., 1c.

Cucumbers.
All Cucumbers are 2c per pkt., 5c per oz.
1 oz. of Seed will plant 50 hills.
Improved Long Green—A well known standard variety, about 12 inches in length, of most excellent quality, and when young makes the best of pickles. Vines vigorous and very productive.
Improved Early White Spine—Standard variety, very popular in all sections of the country. One of the best sorts for the table, fresh tender and crisp, fruit uniform in size, straight and dark green with few spines.
Cool and Crisp—White, very early and exceedingly prolific. Tender and crisp and of fine flavor.
Chicago or Wethersfield Pickling—Fruit medium length, pointed at each end, with large and prominent spines; color a deep green.
Green Prolific, or Boston Pickling—A distinct variety; popular for pickling and good for table use; quite productive. Fruit small, uniform in size.
Early Frame or Short Green—Fruit straight, handsome, smaller at each end, bright green, tender and crisp and makes fine pickles.
Early Green Cluster—A short pale green variety; rather prickly; containing few seeds, a very productive sort.
Early Russian—Thick and oval in shape and produced in pairs. Solil, with few seed.
Japanese Climbing—When well established they begin to climb, and may be grown on fences, poles and trellises. The fruits are ten to twelve inches in length, of a fine green color.
Endive.
1 ounce will plant 200 ft. of drill. A highly esteemed winter salad. For first
crop sow about the middle of May and
for succession in June. Thin to two in.
apart.

Floss Curled-- More finely curled, heav
er and more dense plant than green
curled. Pkt. 1 ct., oz. 15 cts.

Green Curled-- The hardest variety grown; beautifully curled, tender and
crisp. Pkt. 1 ct., oz. 15 cts.

Kohl-Rabi
This vegetable, the popularity of which is rapidly increasing, combines the virtue
of the cabbage and turnip.

Early White Vienna-- The earliest and
best table or market variety. Pkt. 1 ct.

Early Purple Vienna-- Similar to the
above, except in color, which is of pur
ple color. Pkt. 1 ct., oz. 20 cts.

Leek.
One ounce will sow 200 feet of drill.
Sow as early in spring as practicable, in
drills one in., deep and one foot apart, thin
to about 3 in. apart.

American Flag-- The most desirable
for market or family use. Pkt. 1 ct.

Musselurge-- A very large variety of
superior quality. Pkt. 1 ct. oz. 15 cts.

Rhubarb.
Western Market-- Finest variety, is very
productive, large size, very early. The
finest variety in existence. Pkt. 1e.

Salsify.

Mammoth Sandwich Island-- Of extra
large size, in every way preferable to
the other varieties, being larger, and
a strong grower. Invaluable to market
gardners. Pkt. 2 cts., oz. 10 cts.

Please compare my prices with
those of other reliable Seedsmen and see
what money I can save you.

Corn.
1 qt will plant 200 hills.

Early Sorts
Earliest of All-- This is in fact the first
of all; very excellent, tender & sweet
Similar in appearance to the Cory, but
is superior in quality. Pkt., 5c.; pt., 20
cs. qt., 35 cts.

Extra Early Cory-- This variety is of
great value for its extreme earliness. It
is ten days earlier than any other sort
Large ears, fine quality. Pkt., 5 cts. pt
20. qt., 35. cts.

Early Minnesota-- One of the earliest
varieties grown; dwarf, ears small, but
of fine quality. Pkt., 5 cts. pt., 20 cts.,
q. 35 cts.

Crosby's Early-- One of the standard
eyear sorts, ears of medium size, fine

Late Sorts

Country Gentleman-- The sweetest and
most tender of all sweet corn. The ears
are short, the cobs are small, and the
kernels pearly white. Pkt. 5 cts. pt.,
20 cts. q., 35 cts.

Improved Hickox-- Of medium earliness
valuable for family or market garden.
Pkt. 5c., pt. 20c., q. 35 cts.

Stowell's Evergreen-- The most pop
ular variety grown; late, ears large,
very sweet, and retain their juicy tend
erness longer than any other sort. Pkt.
5 cts., pt. 15 cts., qt. 30 cts.

White Rice Pop Corn-- One of the best
Popcorn grown. A sure popper. Pkt 5c.

Egg Plant.
1 ounce will produce 1000 plants.

Early Long Purple-- A very early hardy
and productive variety of good quality
Pkt. 2 cts., oz. 30 cts.

Black Pekin-- A highly esteemed variety
producing very handsome jet-black
fruit. Pkt. 1 cts., oz. 30 cts.

New York Improved Purple-- A fine
variety for all purposes, large size, and
fine flavor. Pkt. 2 cts., oz. 30 cts.
**Muskemelon**

(1 oz will plant 75 hills.)

**Rockyford**—This has become one of the most popular of small or basket melons. The fruit is oval, slightly ribbed, densely covered with coarse netting. Flesh thick, green, very sweet and highly flavored. Pkt. 1 ct. oz. 10 cts.

**Paul Rose**—This new salmon-fleshed melon surpasses anything yet introduced. The color is of a beautiful netted gray underlaid by dark-green rind, the flavor is delicious, a splendid shipper and keeper. Pkt. 1 ct. oz. 10 cts.

**Grand Rapids**—An extra early, yellow-fleshed sort. It is a most profitable sort to the market gardeners on account of size and its extreme earliness. It is ready for market before any other sort. Extra fine. Pkt. 1 ct. oz. 10 cts.

**Miller’s Cream**—Most delicious. The flesh is a rich salmon in color, very thick, sweet and rich, rind very thin and finely netted. Pkt. 1 c oz. 10 c.

**Emerald Gem**—Fruit of medium size, skin smooth, of a deep emerald green color. The flesh is of a diffused salmon and ripens thoroughly to the extremely thin green edge. Pkt. 1 ct. oz. 10 cts.

**Golden Netted Gem**—Thick-meated flesh light green in color and uniform in shape, luscious flavor. The melon weighs from two to five lbs. Very prolific, extra early, fine for market. Pkt. 1 ct., oz. 10 cts.

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**Lettuce**

(1 ounce will sow 200 ft of drill)

**Denver Market**—An early variety of Head Lettuce, either for forcing or open ground. Of very light green color slow to run to seed, leaves marked and blistered, crisp and tender and of excellent flavor. Pkt. 2 cts. oz. 10 cts.

**Grand Rapids**—Large beautiful leaves, very crisp and tender. One of the best for general culture. Pkt. 2c, oz. 10 cts.

**Black Seeded Simpson**—The most popular of all the non-heading varieties, the leaves are large and loose, outer leaves a light yellowish green inner leaves almost white. Pkt 2c. oz 10 cts.

**New York Market**—Standard variety, large solid heads often three to four pounds in weight, color dark green crisp and tender. Pkt. 20 c oz. 10 cts.

**Tennis Ball or Boston Market**—One of the earliest and best heading sorts. Pkt. 2 cts; oz. 10 cts.

**Improved Hanson**—This is a standard summer Lettuce. The heads grow large very solid, cuter leaves are a bright green, inner ones are blanched white, tender and crisp. Pkt. 2c. oz. 10 cts.

**Prize Head**—Forms a large loose head, stained with red, outer leaves curled, crisp and tender. Pkt 2c; oz. 10 cts.

**Silver Ball**—Has light green leaves, which are thick and of good size. Most excellent quality. Pkt 2c. oz 10 c.

**Golden Curled**—A golden-headed sort producing a half head of rare excellence, leaves fluted on the edges, very showy and a fine sort. Pkt. 2c oz 10 c.

**The Deacon**—When properly grown this is the handsomest, finest, largest, tenderest and most delicious Lettuce grown Pkt. 2 cts oz. 10 cts.

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**Mustard**

Culture the same as for Cress.

**Giant**—Fine for salads, leaves large, flavor sweet and pungent. Pkt. 1 ct.
Onions

(1 oz. will plant 100 ft. of drill.)

**Australian Brown**—This new onion is of neat round shape, medium size, with skin of a deep amber brown, distinct from other onions, extremely hard and firm, of fine flavor and a good keeper. Pkt. 2 cts.

**White Globe**—A large globe shaped onion, firm fine grained, of mild flavor keeps well, it is one of the handsomest onions grown, of beautiful shape, clear white skin and good shipper. Pkt. 2 cts oz. 20 cts. lb. $2.25.

**Prize Taker**—This is a large beautiful onion that is seen offered for sale at fruit stores in large cities. They are of a rich straw color and of enormous size, averaging 12 to 14 in. in circumference. Pkt. 2 cts., oz. 15 cts. lb. $2.25.

**Large Red Globe**—Similar to the Large Red in color and flavor, but quite distinct in form, being nearly globular in shape, it is a heavy cropper, and is much prized by many as a market variety. Pkt. 2 cts., oz. 15 cts. lb. $2.25.

**Large Red Wethersfield**—The standard sort, best for main crop, large size, of a purplish color, round or oval shaped, fine grained, pleasant flavored and very productive. Pkt. 2 cts., oz. 10 cts. lb. $1.25.

**Large Yellow Globe**—A standard variety of large size, globular in form, skin yellowish brown, flesh white, mild and well flavored, very productive one of the most popular kinds in cultivation. Pkt. 2 cts., oz. 10 cts., lb. $1.30.

**Silver Skin**—A mild flavored variety grown extensively for pickling. Pkt. 2 cts oz. 20 cts. lb. $2.25.

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**Orka.**

**White Velvet**—Pods round, smooth, much larger than other sorts, productive fine variety. Pkt. 1 ct.

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Watermelon.

(1 oz. will plant 50 hills.)

**Price of all Watermelons.**

Pkt. 1 ct oz. 5 cts lb. 60 cts.

**Cole’s E-aly**—Very hardy, a sure cropper, and extremely delicate in texture of flesh, which is of a dark red color, the rind is thin. Medium size, nearly round in shape, rind green, striped with lighter shades.

**Jone’s Jumbo**—The shape is round, color green, with faint lightish stripes deep red meat, surpassing all other varieties in flavor and size.

**Fordhook Early**—One of the largest of the extra early varieties, and claimed to be the earliest of all. Shape nearly round, color a medium shade of green flesh bright red, and of a deliciously sweet flavor. The rind is sufficiently hard to make it a good shipper.

**Dixie**—A melon of excellent quality, extremely sweet, juicy and tender. Very early, hardy and productive.

**Phinney’ Early**—Melons of medium size and oblong shape, marked with two shades of green. The rind is thin, the flesh is red and tender, a heavy and sure cropper. Very early.

**Kolb’s Gem**—The shape is oblong to nearly round, color and markings as indicated. The melons weigh from 30 to 50 lbs each. The rind is thin‘ tough flesh a bright red, and fine quality, a fine shipping melon.

**Peerlees**—A watermelon which I recommend for garden culture. Size medium, color mottled green. Flesh rich, scarlet and sweet. Vine very productive and a good shipper.

**Citron for paserving**—Handsome round fruit of small size, highly esteemed as a table preserve.

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*When sending your order enclose the names of your friends so that I can send them my Catalogue. I will send you extras for your trouble.*
Peas.

1 quart will plant 1-5 feet of drill.

Extra Early Varieties

Gradus--An extra early Pea, the Gradus, being a sugar Pea is far superior to all smooth varieties. The pods contain from eight to twelve peas, of delicious flavor, large size, excellent cropping qualities.

Pkt. 5 cts., pt. 25 cts. qt. 50 cts.

Alaska--The earliest blue pea, of good flavor, and bearing pods of a dark green color, vines two and half feet high.

Pkt. 5 cts., pt. 20 cts., qt. 45 cts.

Bliss’ American Wonder--One of the best of the early peas, bearing large well filled pods, from six to nine peas in a pod, vines twelve in height, robust.

Pkt. 5 cts., pt. 15 cts., qt. 45 cts.

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Mammoth Potiron, or King of the Mammoths—It grows to an enormous size, three feet or more in diameter and one to two hundred pounds or more in weight. It has a salmon colored skin; flesh bright yellow, fine grained and of good quality.

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Dwarf Chrysanthemum. Very desirable on account of its large and perfect flowers, great beauty and late blooming. Best mixed. Pkt. 3 cts.

Queen of the Market. Of graceful, spreading habit, it flowers before any other variety. Flowers large and of a great variety of colors. Pkt 2 cts.

Truffant's Paeony Flowered. This variety represents the greatest perfection of the Aster family, which for form of flowers, variety of colors and habit of growth is universally admitted to surpass all others. Mixed Pkt. 2 cts.

Fine Mixed. This embraces a great many varieties and colors. Pkt. 2 cts.

Special. 1 Pkt. each of the above eight varieties for only 12 cts.
Cacalia
Also called Flora's Paint Brush; pretty tassel-like flower in profusion, borne on long slender stems. Half-hardy annuals. Fine mixed, Per pkt. 1 ct.

Callicopsis
One of the most showy, free-flowering of hardy annuals; its graceful and showy flowers, embasning nearly every shade of yellow, orange and rich brown, verzing to crimson, and borne on slender stems. Fine mixed - All colors Pkt. 1 ct.

Canterbury Bell
The campanulas are a large genus of showy plants, mostly perennials. They claim a situation in most gardens. Easy of culture and certain to flower; all succeed well in any garden. Mixed colors - Pkt. 1 ct.

Candytuft
Among the most useful of perfectly hardy annuals. Will grow in any soil, requires no care and produce neat clusters of flowers early. Ned Giant Flowering - The size of the individual florets as well as the whole head of bloom is double the size of the old varieties. Several new and exquisite shades and colors are included; They form bushy little plants only 4 to 6 inches high. Pkts. 1 ct. Empress - A beautiful, pure white variety of branching habit, producing large trusses of flowers. Pkt. 1 ct. Fine mixed - Including many colors. Pkt. 1 ct.

Canna
The Cannas are a stately species of plants, highly ornamental, producing a very rich and ornemental effect. Crozy’s New Dwarf Mixed Pkt. 2 ct.

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The coxcombs are tender annuals, they require good soil, will retain rich color and large size by repeated shiftings; cut off side flowers and leave only one head to a plant. Best mixed Pkt. 1 ct.

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A handsome plant, with striking and brilliant flowers in endless variety; blooming until late in autumn, when it is in full glory; producing double and single flowers of various shades; very attractive for bouquets and vases. Annual Finest Mixed - Pkt 1 ct.

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A handsome, showy climber of easy culture, and suitable for covering arbors, windows, trellises, old stumps, etc. Hardy annual; 10 ft. high. Best mixed - All colors Pkt. 1 ct. Imperial Japanese - Large flowers of exquisite new colors which are rich and velvety. Best mixed Pkt. 2 cts.

Cosmos
A magnificent race of plants growing about 3 ft. high, graceful flowers similar to single dahlias. Sow early. All colors mixed - Pkt 2 cts.

Cypress Vine
A beautiful rapid climber with delicate dark foliage and an abundance of bright star-shaped scarlet blossoms. Pkt. 1 ct.

Moonflower
It bears lovely white flowers, five to six inches in diameter, with a fine pointed star in the center. The flowers open at dusk, or earlier on cloudy days. Pkt. 3 cts.

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<td>The Stock is one of the most popular, beautiful and important of our garden favorate; and valuable for bedding, massing, edging, or pot culture. It is unsurpassed for brilliancy and diversity of color. Mixed colors. Pkt. 3 cts.</td>
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<td>The Smilax is the most useful and one of the most graceful climbers which adorn the greenhouse or conservatory. Pkt. 2 cts.</td>
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*I ask you to give me at least a small trial order and I will try my best to please you.*
**BEST MIXED**—This contains the best colors, largest flowers, and is the most perfect mixture to be had. It contains all the best introductions and I claim there are no better colors offered. Pkt. 1 ct. oz. 5 cts. lb. 40 cts.

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Sweet Peas are among the most beautiful of all our hardy annuals. The plants are suited with all soils. Seeds should be sown 4 in. deep in a stiff soil; and as early in the spring as possible. The varieties offered embrace all of the best kinds. My Seed is the best.

**All Sweet Peas are 1 ct. per. pkt., 5 cts. per. oz.**

I offer the following varieties:

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- Dark Maroon Butterfly
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- White Emily Eckford
- Bluish mauve Apple Blossom
- Pink Grace May
- White Cardinal
- Bright Red
- Cupids Dwarf

**Emily Henderson**

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**All colors**

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The China or Japan Pinks are deservedly very popular, as few flowers can equal them in beauty and profusion of bloom. They bloom continually all summer and fall, until overtaken by frost. They live over winter and bloom the second season.

**Single and Double Mixed**—Pkt. 1 ct.

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The Hollyhock now ranks with the Aster Dahlia etc; being exceedingly rich and varied in color and as double as a rose. Plants easily grown from seed.

**Double & Single mixed**—Pkt. 1 ct.

**Mammoth Fringed Allegheny**—Flowers single and double, transparent, fringed, Chrysanthemum shaped, seldom less than 5 inches and often 7 inches across very finest mixed. Pkt. 3 cts.

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Rapid growing ornamental climbers with odd shaped and often highly colored fruit.

**Best mixed**—Combining the largest mixture of the most curious, interesting and useful of the entire Gourd family. Pkt. 1c.

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Large, strong growing plants, flowers white, sometimes tinted with blue. Roots can be preserved in the cellar like Dahlias. Three feet in height. Pkt. 1 ct.

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A very valuable class of dwarf growing plants, delicate drooping habit and profusion of charming little blue and white flowers. Pkt. 1 ct.
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Wherever a rich display of bloom is desired, the Marigold is almost indispensable. The African varieties are tall, growing usually two feet or more, while the French are more dwarf. Hardy annuals, in bloom until frosts comes.

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African, Double Mixed—Very early; profuse bloomers of compact habit. Pkt. 1c.

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Pink.

Marguerite Carnations—These perpetual flowering Carnations produce a large proportion of double flowers from seed. They bloom in about four months from the time of sowing. The flowers are of magnificent colors, ranging through many shades of pink, red, white and variegated. Mixed colors. Per pkt 3c.

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Also known as "Ragged Sailor," "Corn Flower" and "Blue Bottle." It is a great beauty, the national flower of Germany and a great favorite in the old country. Beautifully fringed and serrated. Hardy annual 2 to 3 feet high. Pkt. 1c.

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New Giant Red Flowered—This wonderful Mignonette grows 12 to 16 inches in height, in pyramidal form; its enormous flower spikes are of the largest size, the individual blossoms of an intense red color. Pkt. 2c.

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Grand Mixture—Pkt. 1c.

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Grand Mixed—This mixture is specially prepared for the most critical Pansy lover and florist, who require the greatest variety of colors, as well as flowers of the largest size. Pkt. 2c.

Phlox.

Drummondii—
Superb plants, prized for the profusion of their richly colored flowers of many hues, their long duration in bloom and the grand effect they produce in clumps or masses. Hardy annual.

Fine Mixed. Per pkt. 2c.
Flowering Bulbs

Some of the most beautiful and fragrant of all the flowers grown belong to this class and when potted in the house, they come into bloom just at the time when flower are most wanted. My winter and spring bulbs are ready Sept. 15, summer bulbs are ready Jan. 10, and I always have a good supply send your order at any time and bulbs will be sent in their season. All bulbs are large size and sound.

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<td>Hyacinths - Either double or single mixed, 7c. each 75c. doz.</td>
<td>Very handsome tropical looking plants are unrivaled for fine effect on the lawn. Plant in deep rich soil, give plenty of water in dry weather.</td>
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<td>Mixed varieties - Dwarf, large flowered.</td>
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<td>Crocus - Mixed colors. Doz. 10c.</td>
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<td>Dahlia</td>
<td>I cannot to highly recommend my mixed gladioli. They embrace a magnificent variety of beautiful colors. I trust that many of my friends will avail themselves of these low prices, to plant largely. Set the bulbs from six to nine inches apart and four inches deep. Plant in Abr.</td>
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<td>Oxalis</td>
<td>Extra fine mixed - Embracing a magnificent variety of colors, very choice; 3 for 10 cts., doz. 35 cts., 50 for $1.25</td>
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<td>Summer flowering. Valuable for edging walks, flower beds, etc. Bulbs planted 3 in. apart form rounded rows of delicate foliage, about 1 ft. high, which produces flowers in endless succession.</td>
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<td>May, one in. deep. Take up bulbs in fall and store in dry cellar.</td>
<td>German Iris</td>
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<td>All colors mixed 10 cts. doz 60 cts 100</td>
<td>These bloom in May and June. Plant about 18 in. apart, hight 2 feet; mixed colors; each 10 cts.; 3 for 25 cts.</td>
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<td>One of the most beautiful and striking of the Ormental Foliage. Plants for planting out on the lawn. When of full grown size it stands about 5 ft high, with immense leaves, often measuring 4 ft. in length by 2½ in breadth. Plant out in May in rich soil and give an abundance of water in dry weather.</td>
<td>For immediate effect these are much to be perferred to the single pips. My clumps are large and heavy and blossoms may be expected the first season.</td>
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| The Tuberose is a large, beautiful, pure white, wax like, sweet scented double flower. Plant out in May 12 in. apart. | Dwarf pearl - Large double flowers, each 7 cts. 3 for 15 cts., doz. 40 cts.
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Dwarf Essex. Grown especially for stock & for green manure, stock fatten very quickly upon this plant. Prepare the ground as for turnips, and sow about three pounds to the acre. One acre of Rape will pasture 30 sheep for two mo. Every farmer should try this forage plant. Lb postpaid 20 cts. 10 lbs. at purchasers expense $1.00

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Another very valuable grass for dry lands it endures extreams in temperature and resists drouth where Alfalfa fails. It grows on any soil, it is equally good for cutting green, pasturing or cutting for hay, and is equal to timothy for stock, and makes a fine pasture. Use 25 lbs to the acre. Lb postpaid 35 cts 25 lbs $3.75

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Corn

8 qts. for 1 acre in hills. 3 bu for 1 acre broadcast.

Red Cob Ensilage— A southern type of large white corn with a deep red cob. Adapted to all sections, and one of the best ensilage corn grown. Price per pk. 40 cts. Bu $1.00

Southern Sweet Corn— There is nothing better for green feed. It has the great merit of being so sweet that cattle will eat every part of the and stalks. Per. bu. $1.50, pk. 50 cts

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Golden— Medium early, the yield in hay or seed is greater than in any other grass, it grows from four to six feet high, the spikes very numerous, seeds golden yellow. Bu $1.25 pk. 35 cts.

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New Japanese— The kernel of this new buckwheat is twice the size of the common kind; the straw is stouter and heavier; it branches more and does not need planting thickly. I consider it the best. Bu $1.25 pk. 40 cts.
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A highly valuable fodder and fertilizer crop. Cow Peas can be grown as a second crop after wheat in the north. The pods may be harvested for the grain and the plants plowed under to fertilize the soil.

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My choice mixture makes a choice lawn. I offer only the best possible mixture for permanent lawns, resting the severe drouths better than any other. For best results sow in the spring. 1 lb. will sow 800 square ft. of ground. Postpaid per lb. 35 cts., 3 lbs. for $1.00

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Sweet Peas
This mixture contains an equal mixture of over 50 kinds.
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1/2 oz. pkt. 10 cts., oz. 15 cts., 1/2 lb. 50 cts.