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SPRING CATALOGUE

For 1860.

A DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE OF A CHOICE COLLECTION OF

DAHLIAS,

VERBENAS, PETUNIAS, PHLOXES,

Carnation and Picotee Pinks,

CRYSANTHEMUMS, BEDDING GERANIUMS,

AND SUNDRY OTHER PLANTS.

CULTIVATED AND FOR SALE BY

BENJAMIN K. BLISS,

Seedsman and Florist,

Pynchon Bank Building, - - - No. 210 Main Street,

SPRINGFIELD, MASS.
TO OUR PATRONS.

We would respectfully invite the attention of all lovers of flowers to the following list of Plants, containing, in addition to all the leading varieties of former years, many that are new and rare, now offered for the first time in this country.

The list of NEW DAHLIAS, will be found to contain all of the most desirable Prize Varieties sent out by the English and Continental Florists, last season.

Among the NEW VERBENAS, will be found many that are particularly attractive, combining fine habits with durable colors, such as can be confidently recommended for bedding purposes, or pot culture.

We shall continue to give special attention to our collection of ENGLISH CARNATION, PICOTEES, AND FLORISTS’ PINKS, which are already favorably known in various parts of the country. Most of the varieties offered, have been grown by us for the past four or five years, have become thoroughly acclimated, and do not suffer from our searching sun, like varieties of recent importation.

Of TREE, OR PERPETUAL CARNATIONS, we offer a splendid assortment, having received many valuable additions, during the past season, of great beauty.

Of the celebrated NEW DOUBLE PETUNIAS, we have a fine collection, to which we would invite particular attention.

The PHLOXES sent out by us last year having given general satisfaction wherever introduced, we have been induced to import all the leading varieties of the past season, among which the celebrated "TRIOMPHE DE TWICKEL," (acknowledged by many of the European Florists as one of the best in cultivation,) deserves especial notice.

Our list of NEW FUCHSIAS will be found to contain a fine collection of the new double varieties, (which are attracting much attention among the lovers of this graceful plant,) together with all the prominent varieties of the last season. Particular attention is also invited to our list of SCARLET OR BEDDING CERANUMS AND CHRYSANTHEMUMS, both of the LARGE FLOWERED and POMPONE varieties, which have been largely increased during the past season, from the finest collections in Europe.

We never substitute other varieties for those ordered unless requested to do so, but as the stock of many varieties will probably be exhausted before the season is past, purchasers will please state whether they wish others substituted in case the varieties which they select should be disposed of.

Purchasers who are unacquainted with the varieties of plants, by leaving the selection with us and stating the sum they wish to expend, can rely upon receiving a good assortment.

A FEW REMARKS TO PURCHASERS.

As the season for selling plants continues only for a few months in the year, there is of course a great pressure of business just at the planting season. Except in cases of extreme urgency, all orders will be executed in strict rotation as received. We would therefore feel greatly obliged if our customers will kindly forward their orders as soon as possible after the receipt of this Catalogue. This would greatly facilitate operations, and ensure greater attention.

We use every possible precaution to prevent any error being committed in the execution and transmission of orders. Should any deficiency occur, either by press of business or accident, we earnestly desire our customers to inform us of the fact. Such irregularities rarely occur, but it is almost impossible to escape a few, in the hurry and haste of a busy seed season. We crave indulgence should there be a brief delay, and at the same time will do our utmost to prevent it.

In giving orders for plants, please state explicitly by what conveyance they are to be forwarded, and also the names of the parties to whose care they wish them consigned at the various places of transshipment. When no particular route is designated, we forward according to the best of our judgment, but in no case do we assume any responsibility after the packages leave our hands, unless for our own mistakes, which are always cheerfully rectified.

Orders from unknown correspondents, to insure attention, must invariably be accompanied by the cash or a satisfactory reference. Remittances of small sums can be made in current bank bills or postage stamps; large amounts by draft on New York, Boston, or Philadelphia. N. B. Correspondents will please be particular and give their names in full, distinctly written, with Post Office address, County and State. Letters are often received from distant States with no other address than the town, and in some instances even the signature is omitted, which of course cannot be answered.

All letters should be addressed to H. K. Bliss, SPRINGFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS; there being several towns and cities in different States by the name of Springfield, it is very important to name the State. Letters have been frequently miscarried by not being properly directed.
DAHLIAS.

CLASS I.

New varieties of 1859 now offered for the first time in this country. The descriptions are copied from the Catalogues of their respective growers. Young plants in pots will be ready for delivery about the 10th of May, but as the stock of many varieties is quite limited, orders should be sent early.

ENGLISH VARIETIES.

Price $1 00 each; $10 00 per dozen.

1 Comedy (Fellowes), yellow striped with bright red, an open but constant showy flower.
2 Chairman (Turner), novel yellow buff, several shades lighter than Cherub, a full sized flower, in form the most perfect Dahlia raised, and very constant.
   Received First Class Certificates at National, Bath and Brighton.
3 Dandy (Keynes), bluish ground, heavily striped with maroon, very novel.
4 Disraeli (Noel), orange scarlet, very bright and pleasing, of good form. Received a prize at Bristol, and two First Class Certificates.
5 Emperor (Fellowes), crimson, constant, and of fine habit; a full sized and deep flower, of excellent form; was considered the most perfect flower in a stand of 50 varieties that obtained the first prize at the Crystal Palace.
6 Golden Drop (Keynes), deep yellow, a very large flower of good form.
7 John Dory (Holmes), yellow, large and very handsome, fine flower for exhibition, as well as effective for the garden. Received Certificate at National.
8 King (Randalls), a novel shade of fawn color, having the appearance of being shaded from the under side of the petals, being purple.
9 Loveliness (Alexander), pure white, green edged and tipped with rich purple, a broad and well formed petal, flower of fine form and new in character.
10 Lord Eversley (Green), reddish salmon, having a large number of well arranged petals, full size, high center, and constant. Received First Class Certificates at Brighton and Reading.
11 Mrs. Charles Kean (Edmonds), yellow tipped with white, a constant flower.
12 Mentor (Briggs), rich shaded claret, of the style of Incomparable, but very constant; very fine outline. Received Certificate at National.
13 Mr. Charles Waters (Edmonds), salmon, very full, double and good center, fine form.
14 Orb of Day (Church), pure yellow, never changing or browning with exposure to the sun, fine petal and form, the best of its class; this is also by far the best yellow Dahlia for bedding purposes, being so bright and pure in color, and of a very free blooming dwarf habit. Height only from 1 1/2 to 2 feet. Received First Class Certificate at National and Brighton.
15 Peerless (Turner), pure yellow, very large and constant.
16 Pioneer (Turner), red or bright crimson, a stout, well formed flower, constant, of fine form for exhibition.
17 Philomel (Fellowes), pale yellow, tinged with purple, excellent outline.
18 Rosebud (Alexander), novel and pleasing rose, a full sized and constant show flower, of fine form and great depth. Received Certificates at National in 1857 and 1858 First Class, and at Brighton.
19 Rosa Bonheur (Fellowes), pale silvery lilac, with white at the base of the petal, a large, globular well formed flower, of a new color.
20 The Flirt (Holmes), a very constant and beautifully striped flower, of fine form, rose striped with purple, one of the best striped Dahlia extant, and may always be depended on. Received First Class Certificate at National and Brighton.
CONTINENTAL VARIETIES.

21 Ali BABA (Dalín), deep scarlet red, large flowers.
22 Barronne de Wangen, delicate lilac, bordered with rose; very free bloomer.
23 Chedeville de Saint Projet (Laloy), delicate rosy purple, fine.
24 Cleantis (Basseville), flesh color, striped with rosy violet.
25 Comptesse de Marennes (Voisenon), light rose, tipped with carmine, very free bloomer.
26 Coquette de Pireflette (Chardine), salmon, bordered with rose.
27 Ebene (Voisenon), velvety maroon, reflexed with fire red; very free bloomer.
28 Echo (Devoitine), rose, color, very fine.
29 General Montlivault (Bertini), salmon, glazed with rose.
30 Madame Basseville (Lottin), white, pointed with deep lilac; very free bloomer.
31 Mademoiselle Dardenne (Belet), primrose yellow, delicately tipped and glazed with white, changing to a rose as the season advances.
32 Monsieur Domage (Chardine), violet purple.
33 Pericles (Leblane), orange red, large flowered.
34 Phobus (Poincet), bright yellow, fine.
35 President Payen (Couvreaux), dark purple.
36 Rachel (Roinet), rosy carmine, tipped with garnet red, base of petals, light rose.
37 Striata Perfecta (Laloy), yellow ground, with red rays; very fine.

CLASS II.

BEST VARIETIES OF 1856.

Price, 50 CENTS EACH; $5 00 PER DOZEN.

38 Albert Lepere (Lepere), rosy white, striated and veined with rose.
39 Commander Gonsalvo (Belet), velvety garnet, changing with crimson; large flowered.
40 Constellation, carnation, rosy ground streaked with violet.
41 Everard de Saint Jean (Lottin), ruby, extra fine.
42 Goldfinder (Turner), deep gold yellow; a large, useful show flower.
43 Henri Saison (Marin-saison), pansy, violet-tipped, and spotted with silvery white.
44 Isadore Poincett (Poincet), salmon-colored amaranth; delicate rose on extremity of petals; large flower.
45 Le Prophete (Basseville), amaranth, tipped and tinged with rose.
46 L'Original (Laloy), red and orange; singular; very large flower.
47 Louise Forment (Chauviere), rosy white.
48 Luigi Rognini (Bauduin), bright crimson; brilliant.
49 Lord Fielding (Grant), nearly black; small, well arranged petals; high center, compact, and good general form; not large, but very constant.
50 Madame Chardine (Chardine) jouquill yellow, broadly edged with bright rogy crimson.
51 Madame de St. Laurent (Voisenon), cherry red, tipped with white.
52 Mademoiselle Valerie de St. Projet (Laloy), delicate rose, edged with lilac.
53 Mont Vesuve, brilliant scarlet; fine.
54 Monsieur Adrien Cramail (Couvreaux), chrome yellow; flowers large and plentiful.
55 Marc Antony (Salter), deep yellow, finely striped and marked with bright red; a smooth, broad, well shaped petal.
56 Marion (Fellows), blushed, tipped with rose; full size; very fine form, with compact, close, high center; a great favorite; excellent habit.
57 Miss Pressley (Turner), white, heavily edged or picoteed with dark purple; a constant, new and pleasing variety, both for the garden and exhibition; fine.
58 Miss Watts (Turner), white, full size, fine form, and constant.
59 Mrs. Church (Church), deep yellow, tipped with lake; a full sized flower of fine form and constancy; blooms may always be depended upon; new in character, and very fine.
60 Nina Vanotti (Voisenon), lilac; reverse of petals, wine-colored violet.
61 Oliver Twist (Fellows), the best purple and white striped lavey; very superior form; full size, and may always be depended upon.
62 Obata (Voisenon), pure white; extra fine.
63 Papilio (Perry), pale buff, striped and spotted with vermillion.
64 Princess Eugenie (Roine), pure white, spotted and streaked with delicate rose and deep garnet.
65 Sir Henry Havelock (Fellows), bright orange scarlet; full of well arranged petals; excellent habit.
66 Standard Bearer (Alexander), dark puce, a new color; deep, closely flowered; good outline.
67 Topaz, jonquil yellow, free bloomer.
68 Triomphe de Pecq (Miquet), dark crimson; large, full flower; fine form, extra fine.
69 Village Bride (Green), pale yellow, striped with bright red; a full sized flower; very full center; constant and large.
70 Village Gem (Green), clear white ground, edged and tipped with rich rosy crimson; a very attractive flower; a general favorite.

CLASS III.

BEST VARIETIES OF 1857 AND PREVIOUS YEARS.

15 to 25 cts. each; $2.50 per dozen

71 Admiration (Green), white and scarlet; very attractive.
72 Alba Perfecta (Levared), pure white.
73 Alliance (Perry), a dark striped variety, lilac ground, striped and spotted with purple.
74 Aglaia (Dreek), lilac, pointed with white.
75 Antinous (Voisenon), deep purple violet, large flower.
76 Amphion (Cailloux), orange laced with crimson.
77 Aureole (Poulet), fine form.
78 Admiral Dundas (Lawton), salmon, buff, fine form.
79 Agincourt (Fellows), rosy purple, fine petal.
80 Agnes, pure white.
81 Astree (Beauvais), lemon yellow, edged with rosy amaranth.
82 Ariel (Turner), pure white.
83 Argus (Lottin), orange, large flower.
84 Aurore (Elliot), delicate rose, glazed with white.
85 Antagonist (Brigg), pure white.
86 Admiral Stopford, very dark maroon.
87 Abbe Von Renhyge, scarlet, sometimes tipped with white.
88 Annie, lilac, fine.
89 Bloomsbury, scarlet.
90 Blumaur (Degen), pale yellow, pointed with rosy amaranth.
91 Bessie (Turner), bright deep yellow, fine form.
92 Beaute de St. Marceau (Briolay), scarlet dotted and laced with white.
93 Baron Alderson (Perry), bright orange tipped with white, fine.
94 Butterfly (Scatter), yellow striped and spotted with red.
95 Beauty of Hereford (Union), maroon.
96 Charles Perry (Keynes), rose, suffused with red, striped with maroon; large, and of good form.
97 Colonel Windham (Turner), deep rose, with a small bronze tip; good shape, and constant.
98 Cardinal (Skyner), bright scarlet, good form.
99 Cleopatra (Sälter), orange yellow, striped with crimson scarlet.
100 Chance (Keynes), deep yellow, large and good shaped.
101 Cherub (Holmes), bright orange, novel shade, fine form.
102 Calypso (Voisenon), rosy blush, tending to white in center.
103 Circe (Voisenon), rose, tinted with carmine.
104 Couquette de Marly (Levesque), light saffron, bordered with rosy crimson.
105 Conqueror (Keynes), reddish blush, flaked and pencilled with maroon; fine flower.
106 Cameleon (Levesque), orange yellow, striped with scarlet and tipped with white.
107 Carloman, orange scarlet, large flower.
108 Comte J. de Salvi Valmarana (Bauduin), delicate lilac, glazed with white.
109 Corsair (Turner), deep red.
110 Christophe Schmidt (Degen), orange, fine form.
111 Caprice (Ellive), pale yellow, lightly edged with rosy crimson.
112 Cossack (Fellows), bright carmine, with rose center.
Cardinal de Malines (Fichelle), brilliant.
Coquette de Beaune (Powlet), pure white, delicately tipped with lilac.
Col. Espivant, orange maukin.
Consuelo (Duval), cherry, lightly shaded with yellow.
Comte de Chambord (Lecco), silvery lilac, large flower.
Cleopatra, bright yellow, large flower.
Comet (Keynes), dull red, mottled.
Claudia, violet purple, tipped with white.
Delta (Turner), yellow, of fine substance and form.
Duchess of Beaufort (Bush), blush white, tipped with deep purple.
Duc de Malakoff (Roinet), deep scarlet, large flower.
Doctor Boisduval (Chardin), brilliant scarlet.
Dairy Maid (Salter), creamy white, tipped with rose.
Duchess of Wellington (Turner), soft pale cream color, very fine.
Deutsche Wurz (Sieckmann), rosy purple, large, good form.
Zauberraschen (Sieckmann), white, with reddish lilac stripes.
Lilliput, rose color, fine.
Didon (Miquet), yellow, tipped with white.
Duchesse de Brabant (Hauquin), purple, pointed with white.
Duke of Rohan (Caillioux), bright vermilion.
Delice (Devoitine), purple, shaded with white.
Diadem (Fellows), dark maroon.
Duke of Wellington (Drummond), orange.
Eszide (Devoitine), velvety carmine purple, tipped with white, light center.
Ehring von Mulhenfels (Deegan), pale rose, edged with crimson.
Etienne de Nord, deep scarlet, tipped with white.
Eduard Mielze (Miquet), yellow, bordered with red.
Fairy Queen (Fellows), pale lilac, with pure white at the bottom of the petals, fine form.
Fanny Dodd (Dodds), clear white.
Faune (Lottin), deep yellow, striped with crimson.
Florence Nightingale (Dodds'), buff, tipped with white.
Florentine (Ambrose), rose, pointed with yellow.
Freund Kircher (Sieckmann), rosy salmon, light yellow ground, crimson and maroon stripes.
Fanny Keynes, buff, tipped with crimson.
Florence Dombey, buff, tipped with white.
Grass au Hildesheim (Sieckmann), vivid scarlet.
Grass au Manz (Sieckmann).
General von Baumgarten, purplish carmine.
General Bosquet (Belet), saffron yellow, pointed with rosy amaranth.
Gen'l Cecile (Roinet), straw color, bronze tips.
Grand Sultan (Turner), very dark maroon.
Godfrey de Bouillon (Caillioux), orange scarlet, large flower.
Grand Duke (Turner), bluish lilac, fine form.
Graf von Stolberg (Deegan), white.
Grant Thurburn, rosy lilac.
Harbinger (Fellows), rich scarlet.
Helene Gagnon (Courselle), pure white, bordered with carmine.
Herbstnelke (Mardner), white, slightly tipped with lilac.
Hortogin von Brabant (Fichelle), white, bordered with lavender.
John Keynes, salmon rose, large flower.
Kaiserin von Oesterreich (Deegen), rosy lilac, tipped with white.
Kleiner Liebesgott, blue white, tipped with purple.
King of Yellows (Cellior), pale yellow, full size.
Lady Popham (Sainsbury), blush white, slightly tipped with lavender, fine form.
Lady Paxton (Dod), dull red, with drab stripes very singular in color, fine form.
Lady Scott Douglass (Dod), rosy purple striped with deep maroon, good form and constant.
Le Pirate (Mea), deep Maroon.
Lord Palmersdon (Holmes), deep crimson scarlet, a large fine shaped flower.
Liliputanbor (Sieckmann), dark maroon, fine.
Lady Cooper, beautiful light rose.
La Tour d'Auvergne, rich orange scarlet, large flower.
DAHLIAS, VERBENAS, PETUNIAS, &C.

Leader, lilac, tipped with maroon.
Lingot d'Or, golden yellow, sometimes striped.
Lady St. Maur, white, tipped with violet purple.
Lord Bath (Wheeler), crimson, fine form.
L'Imperatrice (Roinet), rosy salmon.
Lady Greeneville (Bragg), red, tipped with white.
Magician (Fauvet), dark purple, tipped with white.
Midnight (Fellowes), black, shaded with purple, fine.
Mont Blanc (Fellowes), pure white.
Mrs. Edwards (Summers), delicate rosy lilac.
Mrs. Turner (Church), fawn color, with yellow at the base of the petals, fine form.
Madam Albert Gaudry (Chardine), saffron yellow, veined with carmine.
Mathilde Bourdin (Fourquoy), white, tinged with rose, striped with amaranth and rose.
Mademoiselle Maria Dumas (Baron), rose, blush center, very large flower.
Madam Rhone Leon (Voisenon), rose carmine, tinged with amber and tipped with white.
Mercure (Dunjus), orange.
Mons. Chaix (Souchet), deep orange.
Mons. Lebel (Souchet), velvety maroon, striped with lilac.
Madame Lorreilleux (Duflot), sulphur, bordered with carmine.
Madame Desire (Roinet), straw color, tipped with white.
Madame Ernest Labbe (Chardine), rosy mallow.
Madame Flessis-Arnould (Beauvais), flesh color.
Malakoff (Mielies), vivid scarlet, large flower.
Marchal Saint Arnaud (Roinet), deep yellow, edged with pink.
Mary (Ambroise), pure white.
Monsieur Erisme (Laloy), deep lilac.
Monsieur Pigay (Laloy), bright yellow.
Monsieur Nasturium (Miquet), orange buff.
Mons. Lebel (Souchet), canary yellow, striped and pointed with carmine.
Miss Burdett Coutts (Turner), fawn color, constant and of fine habit.
Marchioness of Exeter, delicate peach.
Marchioness of Ormonde, white rosy purple.
Miss Vyse, white, tipped and veined with purple.
Marie Christine (Laloy), light rose, edged with lilac.
Madame Alfred Perignon (Basseville), rosy salmon, shaded with white.
Marshall Oudinot (Miquet), blush rose, tipped with amaranth.
Madame Rossin (L'huiloudoux), light saffron, striped with red and tipped.
Mons. Souchet de Fontaimbleau (Voisenon), golden yellow.
Madame Chereau, delicate rose.
Miss Frampton (Rawlings), red tipped with white.
Ninon (Laloy), white, slightly tipped with rosy violet.
Napoleon, scarlet crimson, fine form.
Napoleon III. (Seickmann), orange scarlet.
Oriental, cherry red, tinged with amaranth, large flower.
Ophir (Lottin), pale yellow, pointed with white; large flower.
Omer Pacha (Miquet), bright red.
Pancrace (Marotte), canary yellow, striped and pointed with scarlet.
Pandora (Fausett), shaded claret, with brown tip, large and fine.
Paul L'Abbe (Chardine), reddish purple.
Pindare (Poinset), deep velvety scarlet, large flower.
Plassance (Poinset), velvety purple.
Premices (Poinset), yellow, tinged with white.
Prince Imperial (Roinet), rosy lilac, bordered with carmine.
Prince de Sebastopol (Roinet), yellow shaded.
Protee (Poinset), light rose, bordered with deep carmine.
Polyphemus (Keynes), orange and red striped, showy.
Parpalloid (Mielies), orange yellow carnation, striped.
Pradier (Beauvais), garnet red, pointed with white.
Pietro Polati (Baudain), scarlet, shaded with salmon and tipped with white.
Perle de Beaune (Fauvet), delicate lilac.
Pre-Eminent (Fauvet), rich deep purple; fine form; extra.
Prince of Wales (Dodd), bright yellow.
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DWARF, OR BEDDING DAHLIAS.

The following varieties are admirably adapted for decorative purposes in the flower garden, either for masses, ribboning, or single specimens and mixed borders.

268 Alba floribunda nana (Dodd’s), pure white; dwarf, erect habit. Two and a half feet. ................................................. 50

269 Beauty de Massifs, bright scarlet; excellent habit and very free flowering. Two and a half feet. ................................................. 50

270 Captain Ingram, dark crimson; very free flowering; fine form; very desirable. 25

271 Empress of Whites (Heale), pure white; of excellent habit. Two and a half feet. ................................................. 50

272 Golden Ball (Perry), requires no stakes, the plant being wider than it is high. Color, deep yellow; grows but two feet high ........................... 50

273 Prince Frederick William (Turner), crimson; small flowers, but very free flowering. 50

274 Profusion, yellow, slightly tipped with white; very free bloomer, NEW ...... 1 00

275 Ranunculiflora, fine scarlet; flowers small, but very plentiful; should be pegged down in rich soil ................................................. 25

276 Sir James Watts (Turner), rich, deep scarlet; of excellent shape; fine for exhibition ................................................. 50

THE ABOVE SET OF NINE VARIETIES, FOR $3.75.

DIRECTIONS.—The Dahlia delights in a good rich loamy soil, at least eighteen inches deep; let it be well dug, and highly manured with well decomposed cow manure. They may be planted out from the first to the tenth of June. During a season of drought, water them thoroughly twice or three times a week with manure water. Thin out superfluous branches, and see that they are well secured to strong stakes. Take up the roots in the fall, after the frost has killed the tops, and after drying a few days, place them in their winter quarters. They are best preserved in winter, potted in dry sand, and placed safe from damp, fire heat, and frost.
### FUCHSIAS.

#### NEW VARIETIES.

**VARIETIES WITH DOUBLE COROLLA.**

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<td>Auguste Gevaert</td>
<td>(Coene), recommended as being one of the finest double varieties in cultivation</td>
<td>$0.75</td>
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<td>Cheiranthiflora, <em>flora pleno</em> (Dubus), tube and sepals rose, corolla dark red, very large</td>
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<td>Coronata, <em>flora pleno</em> (Dubus), sepals brick red, corolla deep indigo blue, extra double</td>
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<td>Dianthiflora, <em>flora pleno</em> (Demoueux), double, large corolla, almost black, and opening fine</td>
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<td>Sir Colin Campbell</td>
<td>the most beautiful double Fuchsia, flower very large, tube and sepals dark scarlet, corolla very prominent, large full and regular, of a beautiful purple color</td>
<td>75</td>
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<td>Violaflora, <em>flora pleno</em> (Lucome), deep reddish purple sepals, dark blue corolla</td>
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The collection of six double varieties, $3.00.

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<td>(Demoueux), tube and sepals white, corolla cerise amaranth</td>
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<td>Countess</td>
<td>(Rollinson), tube and sepals white, light violet corolla</td>
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<td>Crown Jewel</td>
<td>(Banks), the darkest black-violet corolla yet offered, finely contrasted with rich crimson sepals, combined with a good habit of growth</td>
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<td>Duc de Malakoff</td>
<td>(Devoitine), a French variety, no description received</td>
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<td>Flower of France</td>
<td>white sepals, with rich violet-blue corolla, good bloomer, free habit, a striking flower</td>
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<td>Fascination</td>
<td>(Smith), tube and sepals crimson, large, pure white corolla</td>
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<td>Isa Craig</td>
<td>(Banks), a fine, large-flowered variety, with long crimson sepals, and similarly formed corolla, of distinct habit and ornamental outline</td>
<td>50</td>
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<td>La Crinoline</td>
<td>(Banks), a large, blue corolla of wonderful expansion, with crimson sepals, beautiful and effective</td>
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<td>Leoline</td>
<td>(Banks), a dwarf, free flowering variety, with bright crimson sepals, charmingly contrasted with a rich violet-blue corolla</td>
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<td>Madame Mielez</td>
<td>(Dubus), pale blush, corolla bluish lilac</td>
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<td>Scipio</td>
<td>(Smith), coral-red sepals, violet purple corolla, great improvement on all the globosa varieties</td>
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<td>Pericles</td>
<td>(Smith), broad crimson-scarlet sepals, well reflexed, corolla violet purple</td>
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<td>Tricolor</td>
<td>(Dubus), scarlet tube, sepals white, violet corolla</td>
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<td>Wiltshire Lass</td>
<td>(Wheeler), tube and sepals waxy white, rich, dark puce corolla</td>
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The above fourteen varieties for $6.50. The entire collection of twenty varieties, $8.50.

#### GENERAL COLLECTION.

Price 25 cents each; $2.00 per dozen.

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<td>double violet, rose corolla, sepals rose, green tipped</td>
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<td>British Sailor</td>
<td>(Banks), rich scarlet, dark violet corolla; graceful habit</td>
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<td>Climax</td>
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<td>Dominiana</td>
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<td>Duchess of Lancaster</td>
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<td>Etoile du Nord</td>
<td>bright deep scarlet sepals and tube, corolla black violet, with short stout sepals, well reflexed</td>
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<td>fine white, scarlet corolla, extra fine</td>
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<td>Estella</td>
<td>(Rollinson), sepals and tube white, rose corolla; shaded with violet</td>
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<td>Florence Nightingale</td>
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<td>an old favorite</td>
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Glory de Neisse, white, with rose corolla striped with white.

Gen. Williams, tube stout, sepals well reflexed, of a bright scarlet, the corolla violet purple.

Guiding Star (Banks), white, blush-tinted tube, sepals broad, white, gracefully recurved, corolla cup-shaped, of a rich violet purple.

Governor General (Smith), brilliant coral-red tube, with broad, reflexed sepals, violet corolla of the finest form; a profuse bloomer.

Globosa plenissima, a new French variety highly recommended.

Incomparable.

Joan of Arc.

Kitty Tyrrel (Banks), bright scarlet sepals, with oval, oblong, violet corolla.

Little Treasure.

Massaniello (Banks), bright crimson sepals, violet-tinted corolla, extra fine.

Omer Pasha, tube short and stout, sepals well reflexed, rich violet purple corolla.

Prince Frederick William of Prussia (Banks), tube and sepals bright carmine red; well reflexed, corolla bell-shaped, opening blue, and changing to a purple plum color; a noble flower.

Prince Albert, violet corolla, finely reflex'd.

Prince of Wales.

Princess Alice (Knight), white tube and sepals, red corolla, fine form.

Queen of the Sea (Banks), very rich scarlet reflexed petals, deep violet corolla, fine.

Rose of Castile (Banks), blush white, corolla large, bell-shaped; a fine, effective variety.

Roï des Blanes (Dubus), white tube, and sepals reflexed, red corolla, fine form.

Speciosa, fine winter flowering.

Serratofia, fine winter flowering.

Star of the Night, (Banks), scarlet sepals and tube, corolla violet, the base of each petal occasionally striped.

Souvenir de Chiswick, tube and sepals rosy crimson, with beautiful violet corolla of very fine quality.

Volcano di Aqua, rich glossy rosy crimson, with beautiful violet corolla of very fine quality.

Wonderful, scarlet tube and sepals, corolla violet blue, a very large and showy flower.

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English, Carnation, Picotee and other Pinks.

Our Collection of this lovely tribe of plants embraces Twenty Varieties Carnations, among which are the finest sorts of crimson, pink, purple and scarlet Bizarres, purple, rose and scarlet Flakes, Twenty Varieties of Picotees, red, purple and scarlet edged, and Twenty Varieties of Florists' or Paisley Pinks, beautifully laced and margined with purple and crimson.

The plants are strong and well established, and can be sent with safety to all parts of the country.

Carnations and Picotees, all prize varieties, 50 cts. each, $4.50 per dozen. Fine seedlings of our own raising, 25 cts. each; $2.00 per dozen.

S. B. signifies Scarlet Bizarres; C. B. Crimson Bizarres; P. & P. B. Pink and Purple Bizarres; P. F. Purple Flake; S. F. Scarlet Flake; R. F. Rose Flake.

Acea (Puxley), S. F.

Admiral Curzon (Eason), S. B.

Benedict (May), R. F.

Beauty of Woodhouse (Mausley), P. F.

Crabler Pet (Wallis), S. F.

Corlannus (May), S. B.

Falconbridge (May), P. & P. B.

General Simpson (Puxley), C. B.

Howard (Puxley), S. B.

King of Carnations, (Puxley), C. B.

King of Scarlets (Puxley), S. B.

Lady Goderich (Gill), C. B.

Lord Milton (Ely), C. B.

Monarch (Puxley), C. B.

Mr. Ainsworth (Holland), S. B.

Oliver Goldsmith (Turner), S. B.

Premier (Puxley), C. B.

Squire Trow (Jackson), P. F.

Squire Meynell (Brobwin), P. F.

Valentine (May), S. F.

PICOTEES.


Amazon (May), P. E.

Amy Robsart (Dodwell), P. E.

Ariel (Turner), R. & S. E.

Countess (Fellows), P. E.

Duke of Rutland (Holyoke), P. E.

Duke of Newcastle (May), R. & S. E.
### Dahlias, Verbenas, Petunias, &c.

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#### Florists', or Paisley Pinks.

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#### Winter-Flowering Tree Carnations.

The great improvement in this tribe has added an invaluable feature to the section of winter-blooming plants for the Drawing-room, Conservatory, or Greenhouse. The delicately rich and grateful odor, in connection with the brilliant color and good outline of the flowers now offered, will secure for them a prominent place in the florists' department, and, ere long, be regarded as an indispensable requisite in the portable drawing-room flower vase.

The flowering period of these plants may be prolonged beyond the winter by retarding the terminal, or upper growth, but to ensure a fine early autumn or winter bloom, the upper growth should be shortened or pruned back (where requisite), in the spring or early summer months, and carried forward in a cool, airy greenhouse, or cool east or south pit throughout the summer, to mature the requisite vigor of growth for bloom. During the warm summer months, the plants should not be placed in any position where a free ventilation or air cannot be afforded by day and night; and when the requisite growth is obtained, they may be exposed in the open air until autumn, with the usual daily attention given to plants in pots.

#### New Varieties.

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| Amazon | Yellow, with deep border of lilac.
| Black Prince | No description received.
| Ernestine | Yellow, margined and flaked with lilac and rose.
| Excelsior | No description received.
| Eugenie | Buff yellow, with lilac and scarlet flakes.
| Figaro | Yellow ground with lilac and scarlet flakes.
| Prince of Orange | Orange yellow, striped with scarlet.
| Illuminator | Deep slate and vivid scarlet flakes upon a yellow ground, petals fringed.
| Picturata | White flaked with scarlet and crimson.
| Videnda | Pale yellow, margined with slate and rose color.
| Princess Hortense | Crimson, close, large and fine.
| Standard | Orange ground, margined with lilac.

#### General Collection.

Large Plants, 50 cents each — $4.50 per dozen; now ready. Small Plants, 25 cents each — $2.25 per dozen; will be ready for delivery about the first of May.

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<td>Angelina</td>
<td>Globe de Feu, Gloire de Paris, Grenadier, Grand Conquerant, Henrietta, Incomparable, Josephine,</td>
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<td>Belle Zora</td>
<td>La Furette, Leonora, Mont St. Bernard, Perry's Seedling, Snowflake, Thistle, Washington,</td>
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<td>Boule de Neige</td>
<td>Cloquet, Bunker Hill, Coquette, Corrine, Clove Carnations, (very fragrant),</td>
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PHLOX.

This very valuable genus of Hardy Perennial Herbaceous Plants may now be regarded as the most ornamental section for decoration in the Flower Garden and Shrubbery, throughout the Summer and Autumn; being alike adapted for the generality of situations and soils, when occasionally enriched with leaf mould, and replanted by sort division, or cuttings each alternate year. Our collection has been selected from those of Fontaine, Lierval, and others, and comprises the most beautiful in color, and perfect in form,—their large branching panicles of bloom, varying from uniform snow white, and white with rich crimson centers, passing through all the intermediate shades of rose, and rosy carmine to the richest rose and violet crimson.

NEW VARIETIES OF 1859.

Price 50 cents each; $4.50 per dozen.

Triomphe de Twickel, carmine, regularly bordered and striped with pure white, form perfect, a most abundant bloomer, very hardy and vigorous, one of the most showy varieties in cultivation.

LIERVAL’S VARIETIES.

Alexandrine Bellet de Varennes, delicate rose, fine eye.
Madame de Chambray, beautiful rose.
Madame Lierval, velvety carmine, small eye, flowering in large clusters.
Monseur Durdan, purplish lilac, bright carmine eye.

Madame Marseau, white ground, center slightly marked with purple.
Neptune, clear salmon, very desirable.

FONTAINE’S VARIETIES.

Madame Amazill Pothier, very large, flowers of a fine, delicate rose, currant colored eye, flowers arranged in large pyramidal panicles.
Madame Henriet, vigorous, branching, flowering in large corymbs, velvety rose, carmine eye.

VARIETIES OF 1858.

Price 30 cents each; $3.00 per dozen.

Augustine Lierval, white, pink center, panicle very large.
Empereur de Russie, violet shaded, purple center.
Louis Germain, pink, very rich purple center, very dwarf.
Louis Guerard, deep amaranth, large, magnificent.

Souvenir de Madame Poivre, rosy violet, purple center.

FONTAINE’S VARIETIES.

Juliette Roussel, white, with purple center; superb.
L’Enfant Fidèle, rosy violet center, spotted with scarlet.
La Volupte, glazed pink, lilac center.
Mlle Aurélie Duriez, white, violet center.
Maria Bubertier, white, very large, purple center.
Madame Sour, white, purple center, very dwarf.
M. Forest, large, bright amaranth, very striking.
Mademoiselle Maria, very large white, violet center, superb.
Madame Andry, corolla white, very large, lightly tinged with rose, violet center.

GENERAL COLLECTION.

20 Cents Each—$2.00 per Dozen.

Addisoni, white, with distinct violet eye, fine form.
Beauty of Milrig, white, dwarf, close habit.
Comte de Chambord, large, clear white, fine.
Col. Dundas, pale lilac purple, very large and showy.
Countess of Home, white, with dark crimson center, extra fine.
**PETUNIAS.**

This desirable bedding plant has been so much improved by English and Continental Florists within the last two or three years, that it is now considered as indispensable to the flower garden, and is eagerly sought for by amateurs and florists. During the last year many new Double varieties have been added to our list, forming a distinct and unique collection. Great improvements have also been made in the single flower class, both in self and parti-colors, and many of the new striped, variegated, and mottled varieties are exceedingly beautiful, and deserve a place in every collection.

The following are a few of the novelties of the past season, of our own importation, with their descriptive characters given by their respective growers.

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<td>Neat purplish rose, good full habit of growth and bloom.</td>
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<td><em>Augusta Caucalis</em></td>
<td>Rosy white, with violet stripes.</td>
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<td><em>Bostonia</em></td>
<td>An American Seedling raised by Trautman; rich purplish crimson, very double, one of the best.</td>
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<td><em>General Havelock</em></td>
<td>Double, light, rosy purple, well filled with a bold outer guard petal.</td>
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<td><em>Hesperus</em></td>
<td>Fine purplish lavender rose, distinct shade, full, compact flower.</td>
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<td><em>Imperialis purpurea plenissima</em></td>
<td>Brilliant carmine.</td>
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Price 25 cents each, except when noted. The collection of 15 varieties $3.50.

**GENERAL COLLECTION.**

20 CENTS EACH; $2.00 PER DOZEN.

- *Antigone*, pure white, very double, fine form.
- *Atrato*, large rosy lilac, very double and sweet.
- *Louis Van Houtte*, rich carmine rose, with white throat, fine form.
- *Madame Louis Thibaut*, well formed, white tinged with rose.
- *Maid of Kilclare*, pure white, good form, very free bloomer.
- *Murillo*, crimson lilac, good shape.
- *Madame Josephine de Grieges*, rosy violet, shaded with white, very beautiful.
- *Madame Fitzner*, rosy violet, dark center, very large.
- *Rose Marie*, fine rosy carmine striped with white, extra.
- *Reveill*, fine white with rosy blush.
- *White Perfection*, pure white.
- *Alba suprema*, pure white, a fine bedding variety.
- *Criterion*, pale rose, center shaded lilac.
- *Étoile des Jardines*, bright rose, full.
TRITOMA (KNIPHOFIA) UVARI.

These are splendid, late flowering, half hardy, sub-evergreen, herbaceous plants, forming large, robust, stemless leaf-crowns, from the centers of which their tall flower-spires, from three to five feet in height, are produced in the late summer and autumn months, with large, terminal, densely-flowered racemes of rich, pendant, orange-red, tinted flower-tubes, each raceme from one to two feet in length. They are admirably adapted for forming large, effective groups and beds, in which the numerous terminal, flower-colored blossoms form a stately distant, or mediate effect.

The intrinsic value of the plant can scarcely be overrated, in consequence of its adaptation to thrive in our ordinary garden soils. For the attainment of its highest vigor, however, it prefers a rich mixture of open loam, peat, and leaf mould, on a bed or border of two to three feet in depth. Another of its valuable features is its suitability for culture in large pots or vases. It may be so grown with success if planted in rich, firm-bodied soil, and duly supplied with copious waterings. As the plants advance in vigor, they should, during mature growth, be placed in feeders, from which a copious supply can be occasionally administered.

Tritoma uvaria Glaucescens, the earliest flowering variety, in flower from the middle of August to the middle of September, $1.00

Tritoma uvaria Serotina, similar in some respects to the above, but of more robust, spreading growth, in flower during the month of September, 1 00

ACHIMENES.

Aurora, violet crimson ground, with carmine dots on golden center .................. 50
Ambrose Verschaffelti, fine, white, with dark starry center, very showy ............ 30
Bradoni, ........................................................................... 25
Coccinea, fine scarlet ................................................................... 20
Carl Wolforth, large, purple crimson, fine .................................................. 40
Dr. Hopf, white, with rosy lilac eye ............................................................. 30
Eechaultii (Tydea), rich carmine, with dark spots, and lines fine ..................... 50
Estelle, tyrian purple, light center, goodform ............................................... 40
Edmund Bossiere, variegated, very showy .................................................... 30
Grandiflora, lilac .............................................................................. 20
Ghiesbrechti, bright orange scarlet, tube shaped flowers; distinct ................. 25
Gem, brilliant carmine, extra fine .................................................................. 50
Hirsuta ......................................................................................... 20
Knightii ....................................................................................... 25
Longiflora Alba, white, with slight marking in center .................................... 20
Longiflora Major, the largest and finest blue variety ..................................... 25
DAHLIAS, VERBENAS, PETUNIAS, &C.

- **Liebmanii**, purple .................................................. 20
- **Margaretta**, large, snow white, beautiful .......................... 50
- **Patens**, purple ........................................................ 20
- **Parsnii**, large, fine form, distinct orange center .................. 30
- **Picta**, scarlet and yellow, fine foliage ............................. 25
- **Sir Treherne Thomas**, large, bright red crimson .................. 50

The entire collection $5.50; by mail, $6.00.

In addition to the above, we have many fine mixed varieties, without names, at 15 cents each; $1.50 per dozen.

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**CHRYSANTHEMUMS.**

**NEW VARIETIES OF 1859.**

**LARGE FLOWEDED VARIETIES.**

50 CENTS EACH; $4.50 PER DOZEN.

- **Alphonse Boisduval**, copper color, large flower.
- **Augustine de Larguillaire**.
- **Calypso**.
- **De Candolle**.
- **Dorn d'Eliza Vardon**, purplish lilac.
- **Grand Ourse**.
- **Gloire de Mont Rouge**, yellow and red.
- **Madame Victor Verdie**, rose and white.
- **Lamartine**.
- **Margeurite de Murray**.
- **Pindare**.
- **Rossini**.
- **Semiramis**.
- **Van Dyck**.

**POMPONE VARIETIES.**

- **Maria Jacquin**, white, tipped with rose.
- **Mademoiselle Louise La croix**, delicate rose and white.
- **Madame Melanie Guedenay**, lilac white.
- **Madame Curciere**, delicate lilac.
- **Madame Pauline Deschamps**, carmine and white.
- **Monsieur Pepin**, mahogany red.
- **Monsieur Valere Lefebvre**, yellowish lilac, fine.
- **Monsieur Eugene La croix**, lilac carmine.
- **Ines**, pure white, quilled center.
- **Josephine Latouche**, pure white, very fine.
- **Niobe**, blush lilac, very double.
- **White Perfection**, creamy white, reflexed with lilac.

**GENERAL COLLECTION.**

25 CENTS EACH; $2.00 PER DOZEN.

**LARGE FLOWEDED VARIETIES.**

- **Algerie**, creamy white and salmon.
- **Alfred Salter**, rosy lilac, very large and full, extra.
- **Annie Salter**, bright golden yellow, fine form.
- **Cocquette**, white tipped rose.
- **Delight**, new, yellow, extra fine.
- **Eliza Pels**, blush white, wide petal, extra.
- **Eugenie**, lilac, fine form.
- **Euryale**, red and orange.
- **Favorite**, white and sulphur.
- **Phantase**, rose mottled with salmon.
- **Persone**, golden yellow.
- **Queen of England**, large white, extra.
- **Stellata Globo**, claret, edged with white, incurved petal.

**POMPONE VARIETIES.**

- **Adele Frisette**, blush rose, very double, fimbriated, fine.
- **Aigle D'Or**, pale yellow, extra.
- **Anais**, orange brown.
- **Andromeda**, purple, early flowering.
- **Atropos**, bright crimson, dwarf and free.
- **Bijou de L'Horticulture**, fine creamy white, early.
- **Comte Achille Vigier**, buff, orange and red, very dwarf.
- **Duranet**, lilac, very double, extra.
- **Etincelle**, rosy lilac, edged with yellow, novel and distinct.
- **Hendersonii**, yellow, very early, one of the most profuse bloomers.
- **La Fiancee**, pure white, extra fine.
La Neige, pure white.
Madame Lemaire, blush white.
Madame Fould, creamy white, fine form.
Orion, canary yellow.
Sesostria, fine white.
Sainte Flore, white, tinged with rose.
Sacramento, splendid orange yellow, early, free, fine.
Sainte Mary, cinnamon red, orange center.

Also, the following old and well known sorts,

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VERBENAS.

Our assortment of this favorite plant has been greatly improved by the addition of several fine varieties, raised by Breeze and other celebrated English growers, which we can recommend with confidence. Strong Plants ready for delivery April 1st.

The descriptions are from the Catalogues of their respective growers.

NEW VARIETIES. SET NO. 1.

| Beauty of Denton, (Breeze), rose, with a yellow eye, fine form, free habit, very gay and effective | Bishop's Purple (Breeze), violet shaded purple, well contrasted with a white eye, a fine habit, free truss, excellent color and style for bedding, extra fine | Domvilliana (Breeze), color of Standard Bearer (rich blush purple), admirably contrasted with the largest white Auricula-like eye yet offered, large truss and pip, bold and effective, extra fine | Eastern Beauty (Edmonds), rich, deep, salmon rose, lemon eye, fine | Lilian Mary (Breeze), bright cerise scarlet, with yellow eye, free bloomer, medium sized truss, gay and effective | Miss Breeze (Breeze), fine violet purple or crimson, with yellow eye | Rachel (Chauviere), beautiful, clear violet, fine | Sunshine, ruby, shading off to rose, white eye, good flower and free truss | Souvenir (Edmonds), rosy lila, lemon eye, large truss |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| $0 25                                                         | 50                                                                                             | 50                                                                                             | 25                                                                                             | 25                                                                                             | 25                                                                                             | 25                                                                                             | 25                                                                                             | 25                                                                                             |

The above collection of nine varieties, carefully packed for sending by express, $3.00

The following varieties of our own raising are selected from a large number of seedlings, as possessing qualifications entitling them to a prominent position among the many varieties of this universal favorite.

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<th>Hope Leslie, cherry scarlet, large lemon eye, good truss, fine for bedding, fragrant</th>
<th>Magawisca, bright rose, yellow eye, large truss, good habit, very desirable</th>
<th>Massaisot, bright, deep carmine, large lemon eye, profuse bloomer, excellent</th>
<th>Oneco, light purple self, large pip, full truss, good habit</th>
<th>Rock Rimmon, purple, white eye, fine truss and pip</th>
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The entire collection of fourteen varieties, $4.00

SET NO. 2.

The following varieties, received from England this Spring, will be ready for delivery early in May.

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<th>Anna Laurie (Breeze), bright rose, opening carmine in the bud, with white center</th>
<th>Duke of Norfolk, a beautiful variety, color, shaded scarlet, with fine violet purple center, and white eye, of good form, free habit, and large truss</th>
<th>Etoile du Nord (Breeze), bright crimson scarlet, with large yellow eye, truss medium size, habit compact</th>
<th>Gloire de Mon Plaisir (Bourchialat), rich crimson, shaded, white eye</th>
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Dahlias, Verbenas, Petunias, &c.

Maonetti coccinea, a very neat and distinct species, of slender procumbent habit, with narrowly divided leaves, and numerous smaller trusses, of elegant-ly striped red and white flowers; its compact and plant habit of growth fits it for a small bed for marginal effect, or for baskets, .................. 50

Mrs. Leslie (Breeze), bright rose, with large white eye, large truss, and free bloomer, ................................................................. 25

Rosalinda, deep rose, with yellow eye, a fine continental variety, .................. 50

Stradella (Breeze), dark lilac, with lemon colored eye, very large truss and flower, 50

Surpasso Apollon, rich deep violet plum color, fine truss, .................. 25

The above collection of ten varieties, $3.50.

The entire collection of twenty-four varieties will be sent out after the 10th of May for $6.50.

In addition to the above we offer the following varieties of last year at 15 cents each, $1.50 per dozen:

Beauty of Castle (Breeze), rich violet rose or amaranth, with white eye, good truss, very brilliant and effective, extra fine.

Bedding Purple (Edmonds), purple, a first rate variety for bedding purposes, being of the finest flowering habit.

Bacchus (Sankey), rich maroon, white eye, a good bedding variety.

Cynthia (Breeze), rich ruby crimson, with white eye, very large flower.

Cherub (Breeze), scarlet vermilion, yellow eye, free habit and fine.

Caractacus (Weatherill), rosy purple, purple lake eye, good truss.

Etonian (Edmonds), dark purple, white eye, large fine truss.

Earl of Shaftesbury (Edmonds), purple rose, large white eye, very fine.

Honorable Miss Neville (Young), fine purple,

Imperatrice Elizabeth, alba, a new white flowering variety of this unusual favorite

Jean Bard, a continental variety, rich, glossy crimson, white center, large.

Lady Seymour (Edmonds), rosy lilac, large lemon eye.

Lady Havelock (Edmonds), a beautiful pleasing rose, lemon eye.

Leviathan (Edmonds), purple, large clear white eye, smooth, extra fine.

Lady Bird (Breeze), large rosy lilac or lavender, with white eye, a new color, essential as a neutral tint.

Madame Chauve, a fine light variety.

Norfolk Rival (Breeze), amaranth rose, an immensely large truss and pip, strikingly contrasted, with a large white eye, habit free, a wonderful flower, bold and effective.

Prince Frederick William (Edmonds), bright ruby crimson, large yellow eye, fine.

Penthe (Chauvire), poppy red, shaded with crimson, maroon center, fine.

Prima Donna (Smith), rosy pink, of very fine form, extra large and fine for bedding.

Topsy (Breeze), rich maroon crimson, white eye, striking and distinct, a color most wanted.

*Variegated Defiance (Banks), a distinct leaved plant, richly blotched and striped with golden yellow, very fine.

*We received last season, from England, two plants under this name, one of which proved to be incorrect. If the parties who received the wrong variety will notify us of the fact, we will send a plant of the genuine variety, with any one of the new varieties of this season, they may select.

General Collection.

Our Selection, $1.00 to $1.25 per dozen; Purchaser’s Selection $1.50 per dozen.

Attraction (Edmonds), rosy lilac, large lemon eye.

Annie (Rand), pure white, extra fine for pot culture in the house.

Brilliant de Vaise (Rongier), fine crimson scarlet, light eye, pips and truss large and vigorous.

Beauty Supreme, satin rose.

Celestial (Edmonds), pale rose, very large pips and truss.

Chas. Dickens (Edmonds), rosy lilac, dark center, large distinct lemon eye, extra fine for the vase.

Cerula (Hovey), light blue, light eye.

Dread (Edmonds), rosy purple, small eye, very fine formed truss, and a fine free grower.

Defiance (Robinson), intense scarlet, first class in every respect.

Dr. McLean (Edmonds), rosy purple, large white eye.

Evening Star (Edmonds), bright carmine with a beautiful and distinct lemon eye, extra fine bedder.

Emperor (Banks), bright crimson, violet center, large truss and extra fine.
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Gen. Simpson (Edmonds), light rose red, tinted with carmine, truss very large, one of the best Verbenas out.

Geant des Batailles (Chauviere), deep crimson, dark center, color brilliant, very large and extra fine for bedding.

Gen. Walker (Snow), dark crimson, light eye, pips and truss large and of good substance.

Hiawatha (Hovey), dark purplish crimson, or maroon, vigorous.

Hero (Barnes), rosy scarlet, very large.

Imperatrice Elizabeth, fine lacinated foliage, flowers small and distinctly striped.

Isabella (Barker), delicate blush, large lavender blue center.

Julia Paquin (Chauviere), blush white, pink eye, very good.

King of Roses (Weatherell), mottled rose, fine formed truss.

King of Sardinia (Edmonds), deep crimson, with dark velvety center, and extra fine for the vase, should be in every collection.

Lady F. Fitzroy (Breeze), damson purple white eye.

Lady Palmerston (Edmonds), delicate pale blue, large white eye.

Lord Raglan (Banks), bright cherry scarlet, large lemon eye, color very bright, one of the very best.

Lord Macauley (Edmonds), light crimson, lemon eye.

Mrs. Cyrus W. Field, light rosy crimson.

Mrs. J. M. McKay, bright rosy crimson, light eye, truss very large and habit vigorous, one of the very best yet out, extra.

Miss Preston, pure white, very good.

Mad. Nodet (Chauviere), beautiful rosy salmon, very distinct dark claret eye, fine.

Mrs. Holford (Banks), pure white, the largest white in cultivation.

Mederic (Rougier), bright crimson red, dark center, flower of superior form, habit very fine.

Mad. Abdt, deep purple maroon, fine formed truss, extra fine for either vase culture or bedding.

Mrs. H. Williams (Banks), one of the very best pure whites, its habit and foliage vigorous.

Mrs. Woodruff (Woodruff & Sons, Eng.), intense scarlet, very large truss, extra fine.

Phoebeus, ruby crimson, color bright, habit good.

Prince of Wales (Bragg), mottled rosy, lilac and purple.

Prince of Wales (Edmonds), bright ruby crimson, large lemon eye.

Pearson’s Stripe, lively peach, striped with crimson and white.

Purpurea Odoratissima (Barker), dark purple, quite fragrant.

Queen of Summer, blush rose.

Rubens, cherry scarlet, a fine bedder.

Rosy Gem (Edmonds), brilliant deep rose, with bright lemon eye, extra fine for bedding.

Striped Eclipse, blush pink, striped with rose.

Sir. J. Paxton (Edmonds), light rosy crimson, with large lemon eye.

St. Margaret (Barker), rosy scarlet, violet center, a fine profuse bloomer.

Sarah (Garrard), finely striped, lavender and white.

Sunlight (Hovey), bright cherry scarlet, flower large and fine.

Tranby (Martin), light rosy lilac, large white eye.

Talula (Davidson), pure white, pips large.

Viscountess Emlyn (Banks), purest white, bright rosy crimson eye, very neat and pretty.

Vesta (Dufuy), white, striped with lavender, pink eye.


HOLLYHOCKS.

In consequence of the rapidly increasing demand for this gorgeous flower, we shall offer but a few varieties this Spring, wishing to preserve our stock for propagation, that we may be able to meet the demand another year. We have now upwards of ONE HUNDRED VARIETIES in cultivation, including all the leading novelties sent out the past year from England, which we should be happy to exhibit, when in flower, to any of our friends who may favor us with a call during the months of July or August. We have a surplus of a few dozen plants, which we can furnish at $4.50 to $8.00, per dozen, but must reserve the privilege of making the selection, which we are confident will be satisfactory to the purchaser.

Choice seed in mixed packets, saved from the above varieties, 25 cents per packet.
Scarlet or Horseshoe Geraniums.

NEW VARIETIES.

For bedding out, or flowering in pots, vases or rustic baskets; are of dwarf habit, and a mass of bloom from May to October; many have fine, variegated foliage in addition to their brilliant bloom. Few plants are more desirable.

Attraction, bright scarlet, good shape, very large truss, dwarf habit, and a most profuse bloomer. .................. $0.35
Baron Hugel or Princess Royal, very dwarf, with dark horse shoe foliage, scarlet flower, ........................................... 35
Bijou, a variegated variety, with most beautiful foliage, a fine, strong growing kind, scarlet flower. It makes a handsome bed without bloom, and will become a favorite. .............................. 50
Culford Beauty, bright scarlet blossoms, in large clusters, fine form and substance, leaves distinguished by a broad belt of rich sulphur tint; a fine pot plant, ........................................... 75
Eclipse, good habit, fine form, producing large trusses of bright scarlet flowers, with clear, white eye, ........................................... 35
Gen. Pelissier, a fine variety, large trusses of orange scarlet flowers, with variegated foliage; ........................................... 35
Julia, beautifully variegated foliage, with a large bold truss of deep scarlet, ........ 75
Lady of Loretto, bright cherry, clear white eye, good form distinctly marked leaves, white flower stems, dwarf, compact, ........................................... 50
Perfection, bright scarlet, with broad white margin leaves, ........................................... 50
Scarlet Globe, fine shaped flower, exceedingly bright, with a large clean white eye, a very free flowering kind, large truss, of fine dwarf habit, .............................. 50
Silver Queen, fine variegated foliage, with pink flowers, ........................................... 30

15 TO 25 CENTS EACH; $1.50 TO $2.50 PER DOZEN.

Alma, fine scarlet flower, white foliage, dwarf habit, (fine).

Boule de Neige, light, extra fine.

Beaute du Parterre, cerise, extra fine.

Beauty of Combe Bank, scarlet, fine.

Bauman's Scarlet Defiance.

Chepstead Beauty, fine habit, light scarlet.

Charles Domage, salmon orange.

Cottage Maid.

Duchess of Kent, dark scarlet, white eye.

Eclipse, bright scarlet, white eye.

Flower of the Day, variegated, fine.

Frogmore Scarlet.

Golden Chain, variegated, extra fine.

General Cottingham.

Kingsbury Pet, salmon, (fine).

King of Nepaul, bright scarlet.

King of Scarlets.

Lady Cottingham, light scarlet.

**Lady Downes, rosy carmine, good shape, large truss.
Lady Turner, white.
Magnum Bonum.
Mrs. Lawton, cerise salmon.
Masterpiece, fine and distinct.
Marshal Pelissier.
Mrs. Munn.
Princess Alice, rosy pink.
Queen of England.
Richmond Gem.
Readii.
Shotesham Pet, cerise scarlet.
Spitfire, brilliant scarlet.
Scarlet Defiance.
Tom Thumb's Master.
Tom Thumb, dwarf, scarlet.
Triomph de Monte Rouge, pale salmon pink.

BEGONIA REX.

One of the most beautiful of this interesting tribe of ornamental foliage plants, for greenhouse culture, 50 cents.

FERNS.

A fine assortment, principally seedlings, from the collection of a celebrated Continental grower; 25 to 75 cents each, our selection.
HELiotrope.

NEW VARIETIES.

50 CENTS EACH; THE SET OF SEVEN $3.00.

Cleopatra.  

**GENERAL COLLECTION.**

Price 15 to 20 CENTS EACH; $1.25 TO $2.00 PER DOZEN.

Anna Turrel, rosy purple, vigorous habit.  
*Albicans*, very light, fine truss.  
*Beauty of the Boudoir*, dark, fine.  
*Corymbosum*, a fine, fragrant, pot variety.  
*Étoile de Venus*, lilac, white center.  
*Florae*, rosy violet, yellowish center, fine.  
*Grandiflora*, a first rate for bedding variety.  
*Louis Napoleon*, first rate for bedding, very fragrant.  
*Lucien Tardif*, very fragrant, splendid for winter flowering in pots.  
*La Petite Negresse*, very dark and dwarf, the best of its class.  
*Reptans*, very fragrant, first rate every way.  
*Voltairianum*, very dark, fine.  
*Voltairianum nanum*, similar to the foregoing, but of dwarfer habit.

LANTANAS.

A very showy plant either for pot culture or the open border, also it will bloom all summer; of the easiest culture.

NEW VARIETIES.

50 CENTS EACH; $2.50 FOR THE SET.

*Anna pecheur*. | *Fulgens*. | *Grandiflora alba nana*.  

**GENERAL COLLECTION.**

25 CENTS EACH; $2.00 PER DOZEN.

*Alba grandiflora*, large, fine.  
*Americana*.  
*Americana alba*.  
*Boule de Neige*, white, with orange center.  
*Camara*.  
*Eringii*.  
*Flavicoma*.  
*Falloni*, crimson and orange.  
*L'Abbe Trouve*, yellow edged, carmine.  
*Lutea Rosea*, fine yellow, shading off to a white, excellent habit.  
*Picta Superba*.  
*Rhodoniana*, light orange center, shading off to a delicate peach.  
*Speciosa*, orange and scarlet.  
*Souvenir d'Alexandre*.  

CRASSULA (KALOSAN THE).

Very showy plants, of the easiest culture for pots or the open border. 50 cents each, $2.50 for the set.

*Angelina*. | *Coccinea*. | *Phenix*.  
NEW JAPAN PINKS.

DIANTHUS HEDDEWIGII.

This brilliantly-flowered variety is of a neat dwarf compact habit, from 9 to 12 inches in height, with numerous large even-margined blossoms nearly 3 inches in diameter, of the richest conceivable colors, varying in violet, rose, and carmine crimson, with maroon shades, in self and parti-colored varieties, the latter being finely marked with marbled white stains. This highly ornamental flowered plant is admirably adapted for pot culture in Greenhouse and Conservatory decoration during the early summer months, and by spring sowing in pit-frames, &c.; for open ground planting, it makes a grand effect, as groups or beds in flower garden arrangements, from June until October.

Strong Plants 25 cents each; $2.50 per dozen.

DIANTHUS HEDDEWIGII GIGANTEUS.

This variety, received from Mr. Heddewig by the above name, is expected to be selected from the largest flowered varieties of its extremely beautiful prototype (D. Heddewigii), and will produce all the similarly brilliant colors and shades as characterized in the last named reputed species, and will constitute one of the most magnificent groups of flowers yet introduced, and altogether unequalled by their colossal proportions and regal beauty, in the section of which it forms so distinguished a feature, and now offered as a valuable addition to all flower gardens.

Strong Plants 25 cents each; $2.50 per dozen.

TREE PEONIES.

The following varieties have been received from the collection of a celebrated French Florist, and can be highly recommended. Price $1.50 each.

Athlete.
Blanche de Noisette.
Cobianchi.
Comtesse Mariane del Maine.
Rossini.
Triomphe de Vandermeli.

We have also a small stock of some twelve other varieties, at prices varying from $1.00 to $3.00 each.

Giant Asparagus Roots.

Two years old, very vigorous................. $1.00 per 100; $7.50 per 1000.
One year old,.............................. 50 cents per 100; $3.75 per 1000.

Collection of Plants for the Flower Garden.

For the convenience of those who are unacquainted with plants, but are desirous of having a fine display of flowers during the summer months, we have prepared the following collections, embracing the most showy and distinct varieties, and those of easy culture, which will not fail to give satisfaction to the purchaser. The selection of varieties in all cases to be left with us. Price $10.00, including packing, which will be done in a most thorough manner, to ensure a safe delivery.

12 Fine Double Dahlias.
24 Verbenas, including several novelties.
3 Heliotrope, distinct varieties.
3 Lantana, distinct varieties.
3 Double Feverfew.
6 Petunias, including two novelties.
2 Glove Pinks.
2 each, Carnation, Picotee and Florist's Pinks.
2 Pot Roses.
2 Hardy Roses.
2 Climbing Roses.
3 Antirrhinum or Snapdragon.
3 Phloxes.
Hardy Herbaceous Flowering Plants.

HERBACEOUS PLANTS are considered by many as the most desirable of all border flowers; they are not only perfectly hardy, but are of the easiest culture, increasing rapidly and giving a succession of blossoms during the whole season, when once a good collection is obtained, they continue from year to year with but little care. Our stock is not large, but comprises many of the most desirable varieties in cultivation.

Prices, $2.00 to $6.00 per dozen; our selection.

Chinese Potatooe, or Yam.
(Dioscorea Batatas, or D. Japonica).

This excellent vegetable tuber is so far generally appreciated as to be found worthy of a place in every collection of culinary roots, and where its simple conditions of growth are understood and complied with, it invariably yields a corresponding produce to the tubers planted, even in seasons which are adverse and unfavorable to the potatoe. Thoroughly trench the ground (previously enriched by other crops), fully three feet in depth, and at the distance of three to four feet, throw out parallel trenches as for celery, leaving intervening ridges or narrow beds (which should front east and west, to admit of the highest possible temperature), eighteen inches to a foot above the ground level, and about the same in width at the top, upon each ridge plant a twin-row of tubers, each two to three inches in depth, and six to nine inches apart. In this situation the upper leaf-growth will make little progress until near August, when the more rapid growth of the very elegant slender stems will indicate the rigorous enlargement of the root-growth during August and September. Should the soil have been in proper mellow and porous condition, the tubers will each have attained from twelve, or eighteen ounces in weight. The stronger the sets or tubers when planted, the heavier will be the produce. Tubers of four to eight ounces when planted are calculated in rich deep soil to erode from one pound to two and a half pounds in weight.

The roots are matured by October, and are very easily dug out, by the workmen removing the soil and digging forward as in celery crops. The tubers or yams should be harvested thoroughly dry. The crown and narrow top part of the tubers are cut into proportionate length for planting, the remainder of each for culinary purposes. The style of growth in this plant is very graceful, and pretty, in its glossy bright green heart-shaped leaves, and the numerous small axillary spikes of diminutive green blossoms emit a very grateful odor.

Sets or Tubers for planting, 75 cents to $2.00 per dozen, according to size.

Miscellaneous, Herbaceous and Bedding Plants,
SUMMER-FLOWERING BULBS, &C.

The following selection, flowering all the season, comprises the most appropriate and useful plants for planting in borders for summer flowering, or in masses on lawns, according to the prevailing method of flower gardening. They are grown in small pots, and can be sent to any distance in safety. May or June are the most suitable months for bedding out plants.

Adlumia Cirrhosa (Mountain fringe), a perennial climber, of graceful habit, and a free bloomer, grows from 15 to 20 feet in a season,.................................................... 50

Aloysia citriodora, or Lemon Scented Verbena, very fragrant.................. 25....................... $2 00

Ageratum Mexicanum, light blue, very beautiful,................................. 15....................... 1 50

—new white,........................................... 25....................... 2 00

Aquilegia, many fine varieties,.................................................. 25....................... 2 00

Antirrhinum,.................................................. 25....................... 2 00

Calceolarias Shrubby, many varieties, very free bloomers,......................... 25....................... 2 00

Cuphea Platycentra, with scarlet Fuchsia-like flowers.......................... 15....................... 1 50

Daisies, double, red, white, and variegated.................................... 15....................... 1 50

Double Jacobea, very showy,.................................................. 25....................... 2 00

Delphinium Elatum,.................................................. 15....................... 1 50

—Hybridum, very showy,.................................................. 25

—Pulchrum, a dwarf variety, flower similar to Hendersonii but of lighter blue,.................................................. 25

—Breckii, double blue, fine,.................................................. 25....................... 2 00

—Magnificum, large, rich blue,.................................................. 25....................... 2 00
Deutzia

Dianthus, of sorts, 25 to 50

Dielytra Spectabilis, (see description in Seed Catalogue, page 46). 25 to 2 00

Deutzia Gracilis, a neat, compact, dwarf hardy shrub, with delicate, white, snow-drop like flowers, blooms early, very appropriate for the cemetery,

Feverfew, double white, 25 to 2 00

Forsythia Viridissima, a very early flowering shrub from China, handsome foliage, 25

Geraniums, Rose, Nutmeg, and Apple-scented, for bedding, 15 to 25 1 50 to 2 00

Geraniums, Scarlet, a large assortment. [See list, page 19], 15 to 50 1 50 to 4 50

— Hybrid, with white, salmon, and rose colored flowers, 25 to 50 2 00 to 4 00

— variegated foliage, very showy, 25 to 50 2 00 to 4 00

Gladiolus, a splendid collection of nearly 100 varieties, [see Seed Catalogue, page 68].

Gynernium Argenteum (Pampas Grass). [See description in Seed Catalogue, page 44].

Heliotrope, [see list, page 20]., 15 to 50 1 50 to 4 00

Lillies, Japan, [See Seed Catalogue, page 38.

Labelia Cardinalis, splendid scarlet

Labelia, several new and brilliant varieties

Lantanas, many varieties, [see page 20]., 25 to 50

Lychnis flore pleno, with large double pink flowers

Mimulus, several new varieties

Nierembergia gracilis, very beautiful

Pinks, Carnation, the finest English prize flowers 25 to 50 4 50

— fine seedlings of our own raising from German seed

— Perpetual or Tree, flowering all summer, 25 to 50 4 50

Pinks, Picotee, the finest English prize varieties

— fine seedlings from German seed

Pinks, Florist's, very fine imported varieties

(Pour stock of the above is without exception the finest in this country.

Pentstemon gentianoides, 25 to 2 00

— Argutus

— Multiflora

— Delicaturn

Petunias, a splendid assortment, some entirely new in color,

Phloxes, a large assortment

Pansies, very beautiful, raised from the best English seed

Roses, dwarf for beds in large variety of colors

Spirea Callosa, a beautiful plant for the border, with deep rose colored flowers,

Stocks (Gilliflowers), a great variety

Salvia Splendens Gordonii, a new and splendid variety, or dwarf compact habit, with dense spikes of flowers, of the most vivid scarlet

— Patens, splendid blue

— Porphyrantha, new

— Coccinea, Splendens, Fulgens, Amabilis

Tropaeolum, several fine bedding, and other varieties

True Double Catchfly, (Silene rosea plena), a valuable hardy herbaceous perennial, producing in May and June, a mass of bright rosy Carmine flowers in spikes, very double; it is not inferior to a fine double Stockgilli,

Tuberoses, Double Italian, pure white, very fragrant

Verbenas, 150 finest varieties

Wegelia Rosea, a very desirable, hardy shrub, with masses of rose colored flowers in May

Wegelia Amabilis, similar to the above, with flowers of a deeper color.
Collection of Flower Seeds by Mail, Postage Free.

It is now six years since we commenced putting up select assortments of Flower Seeds for sending by mail, that those who reside at a distance might enjoy equal facilities for procuring a fine display of Flowers at a moderate cost, with those who are nearer market. These Collections are now favorably known in every part of the United States and Canadas, and we shall continue to give special attention to this branch, to render them complete and satisfactory in every respect. They will be found to embrace many novelties, and only such sorts as are well worthy of cultivation. They are equally adapted for the requirements of those who have large as well as others who have only small gardens. The uninitiated may therefore order them without fear of disappointment, and the experienced cultivator will find them equally applicable. Full directions for culture will accompany each package, which will be sent, post paid, to any address in the Union, under 200 miles, at the following prices—

**ASSORTMENT NO. 1.**—Contains twenty choice varieties of Annuals. ............................. $1.00
No. 2.—Contains twenty choice varieties of Biennials and Perennials. ..................... 1.00
No. 3.—Contains ten extra fine varieties of Annuals and Perennials, embracing many of the new and choicest in cultivation. 1.00
No. 4.—Contains five very choice varieties selected from Prize Flowers of English Pundes, German, Carnation and Picotee Pinks, Verbenas, Truffaut's French Asters, Double Hollyhocks. ............................. 1.00

Any one remitting $3.00 will receive the four assortments, postage free.

The following additional assortments will also be sent at the prices annexed, free of postage.

**ASSORTMENT NO. 5.**—Contains fifteen very select varieties of Greenhouse Seeds. ............................. $3.00
No. 6.—Contains one hundred varieties of Annuals, Biennials and Perennials, including many new and choice varieties. ............................. 5.00
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