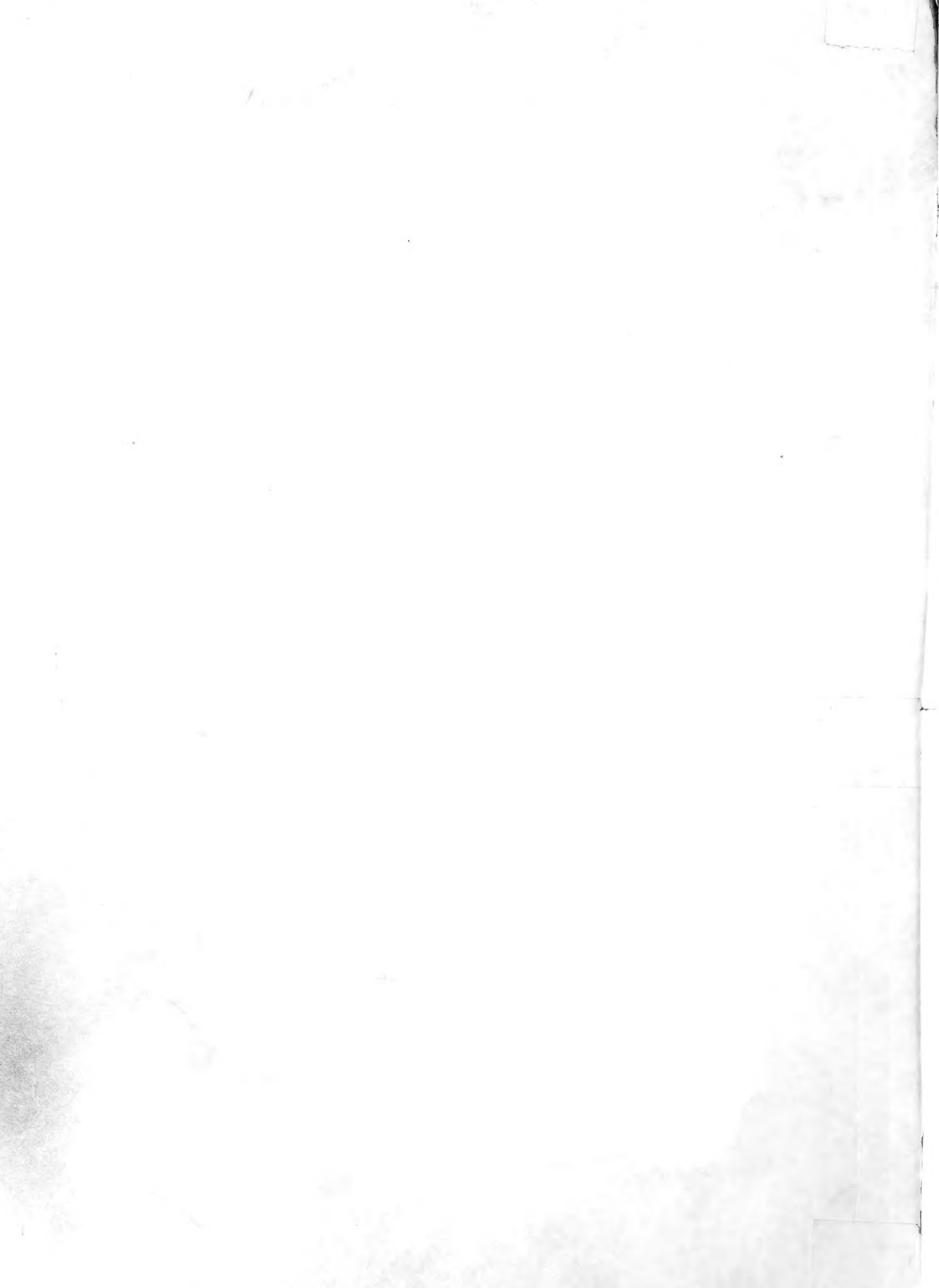


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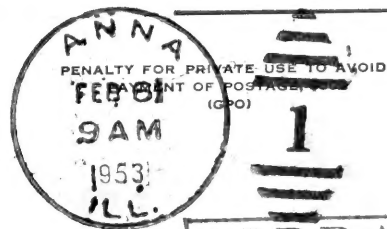
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SPECIAL

50 Dunlap Plants
50 Mammoth Gem Plants
(Everbearing)

All for only **\$2.65** Prepaid

SENATOR DUNLAP

SENATOR DUNLAP—Fruit is of good size and a beautiful bright red color, glossy and very firm. It is a splendid shipper and of excellent quality. It stands up well in dry weather and makes a good fruiting bed under adverse weather conditions.

50 plants \$1.00; 100 plants \$1.60; 250 plants \$3.25; 500 plants \$5.00 parcel post prepaid. 1000 plants \$9.00 express not prepaid.

BLAKEMORE (The Ideal Early Shipping Berry)

BLAKEMORE—We offer a special strain of Blakemore, free from yellows. A healthy plant that yields big crops of berries. Will stand two or three days without over-ripening. Foliage is healthy and stands up well during drought. Fruit is firm, of good color and unexcelled as a long-distance shipping berry. Ranks high in productiveness. To get all that you are entitled to from Blakemore, do not allow them to mat too thickly in the rows during the growing season.

50 plants \$1.00; 100 plants \$1.60; 250 plants \$3.25, 500 plants \$5.00, parcel post prepaid. 1000 plants \$9.00 express not prepaid.

PREMIER

PREMIER—This is by far the most popular extra early strawberry. It is our first variety to ripen and is so extremely productive that it continues producing berries for many days. The berries are very large, firm, good quality, rich red color. Because the blooms are very frost-resistant, it is a sure and heavy bearer. Self-pollenizing.

50 plants \$1.40; 100 plants \$2.20; 250 plants \$4.60; 500 plants \$7.00, parcel post prepaid. 1000 plants \$12.00 express not prepaid.

NEW ROBINSON

NEW ROBINSON—It is a terrific plant maker. The fruit is solid-meated and bright, glistening red—the sweetest, richest flavored and the largest we have ever had. Many customers have reported berries five to six inches in circumference—18 to a quart. Robinson is a sensation as a commercial berry and certainly the best for home canning and freezing. Fruits about one week later than Dunlap.

50 plants \$1.75; 100 plants \$2.75; 250 plants \$5.75; 500 plants \$8.75, parcel post prepaid. 1,000 plants \$13.75 express not prepaid.

FAIRFAX

FAIRFAX—Experienced strawberry growers who have tested Fairfax have placed it at the very top of the list for quality. It is extra early, having the same bearing season as Premier, but is a much heavier bearer. The early blooms do not show serious frost damage, and the fruiting season extends over a long period. Flavor rich and sweet, bright red in color. Holds up well as a market variety and stands long-distance shipping.

50 plants \$1.75; 100 plants \$2.75; 250 plants \$5.75; 500 plants \$8.75, parcel post prepaid. 1,000 plants \$13.75 express not prepaid.

DORSETT

DORSETT (Early)—Its bright red color and rich, delicious flavor always bring top market prices. Ripening early with Premiers and Blakemore, this variety rapidly came to the top in flavor, and is now well known and widely planted in all strawberry sections of the United States. In this latitude it does exceptionally well.

50 plants \$1.75; 100 plants \$2.75; 250 plants \$5.75; 500 plants \$8.75, parcel post prepaid. 1,000 plants \$13.75 express not prepaid.

BELLMAR

BELLMAR—Early fruit of a combination Premier-Missionary type, colored darker than Premier and somewhat lighter than Missionary.

50 plants \$1.75; 100 plants \$2.75; 250 plants \$5.75; 500 plants \$8.75, parcel post prepaid. 1,000 plants \$13.75 express not prepaid.

CATSKILL

CATSKILL (Midseason)—An ideal midseason berry. Because of its size, flavor, heavy yield, vigorous growth and its adaptability to a wide range of soils and climates. Catskill berries are huge in size, deliciously flavored. Bright glowing red in color. Each berry matures to uniform size and shape. Colors evenly firm in flesh and skin. They withstand long shipping. We recommend Catskill for those who wish to grow large fancy berries.

50 plants \$1.75; 100 plants \$2.75; 250 plants \$5.75; 500 plants \$8.75, parcel post prepaid. 1,000 plants \$13.75 express not prepaid.

AROMA

AROMA—An old standby that we have been growing for over thirty years. The demand for Aroma plants is tremendous, there is never enough to supply the demand. In matters of productiveness, quality, flavor and market value, the Aroma is so much superior to the other old standard late varieties that we urge old customers to plant heavily and increase their profits by prolonging their berry season.

50 plants \$1.25; 100 plants \$2.00; 250 plants \$4.00; 500 plants \$6.00, parcel post prepaid. 1,000 plants \$10.00 express not prepaid.

KLONMORE

KLONMORE—This is a variety that was recently developed from a cross between the Klondyke and the Blakemore. It has the good qualities of each of its parent plants. It's a very good plant maker and produces an abundance of high flavored berries like the Klondyke with the excellent shipping quality of the Blakemore. Especially well adapted to the midwest and southern states.

50 plants \$1.25; 100 plants \$2.00; 250 plants \$4.00; 500 plants \$6.00, parcel post prepaid. 1,000 plants \$10.00 express not prepaid.

KLONDYKE (Improved)

KLONDYKE (Improved)—This is the standard berry for the southern and middle states and does fairly well in the northern states. Productive, brilliantly colored and so firm that on the northern market it classes as a re-shipper; that is a berry firm enough to re-ship to the smaller tributary markets and therefore commands top-notch prices.

50 plants \$1.25; 100 plants \$2.00; 250 plants \$4.00; 500 plants \$6.00, parcel post prepaid. 1,000 plants \$10.00 express not prepaid.

TENNESSEE BEAUTY

TENNESSEE BEAUTY—A new variety from Tennessee. A scientific cross, Premier X Missionary, same parentage as Blakemore. Tennessee Beauty makes a vigorous growth with plenty of new plants that are very productive. Berries are medium to large in size, a bright shiny attractive red color and quite firm. Good quality. Tennessee Beauty have a very high percentage of No. 1 berries as compared with Blakemore. Also rated very high as a berry for freezing.

50 plants \$1.25; 100 plants \$2.00; 250 plants \$4.00; 500 plants \$6.00, parcel post prepaid. 1,000 plants \$10.00 express not prepaid.

NECTAR KING

NECTAR KING—Here is the best spring bearing variety of strawberry plants that we have ever known. Will grow in most any soil and climatic conditions and produce an abundance of new plants which are loaded with large sweet berries each season. Everyone should have some of these in their garden.

50 plants \$2.00; 100 plants \$3.00; 250 plants \$6.25; 500 plants \$9.50, parcel post prepaid. 1,000 plants \$16.00 express not prepaid.

MISSIONARY

MISSIONARY (Perfect)—A good early variety. At least 95 per cent of the strawberries grown in the state of Florida are Missionary. A strong grower and productive. The berries are well colored and firm.

50 plants \$1.25; 100 plants \$2.00; 250 plants \$4.00; 500 plants \$6.00, parcel post prepaid. 1,000 plants \$10.00 express not prepaid.

INTRODUCING VERMILION

VERMILION—A new variety of strawberries resistant to all common strawberry diseases. Released in the Spring of 1950 by Dr. A. S. Colby, University of Illinois Agriculture Experiment Station. Especially good variety where red stele root rot is a problem. The Vermilion is a spring bearing variety, producing large round berries that are as good a shipper as the Premier.

25 plants \$1.75; 50 plants \$3.00; 100 plants \$5.00; 250 plants \$9.50; 500 plants \$18.00 parcel post prepaid.

NEW RED RICH EVERBEARING

ENJOY bigger, redder, sweeter berries. Plant RED RICH, Patent No. 993, Hybridizers used 15,000 seedling plants to produce this remarkable berry. Big, solid, firm. Ripens clear red right through center. Abundance of natural sugar. Good for freezing—does not mush when thawed. Carries fruit on tall stems, up off the ground. Yields so heavily, fewer plants needed. Red Rich starts bearing in the spring, keeps on giving you heavy yields right through to frost.

12 plants \$2.95; 25 plants \$5.00; 50 plants \$8.50; 100 plants \$15.00; 250 plants \$32.50; 500 plants \$55.00.

GEM EVERBEARING

GEM EVERBEARING—The berry that really produces two crops each year. Pick all this summer and fall, then you will harvest another fine crop next spring. Unlike most everbearers, this variety is an excellent plant maker. The plants are very healthy and vigorous, producing an abundance of runners, which bear fruit the first season. The berries are large, bright red, firm, roundish in shape, rather tart but of good flavor and quality. Good for dessert or culinary uses. Very attractive in appearance and sell well on the fresh fruit markets.

50 plants \$1.80; 100 plants \$2.80; 250 plants \$5.60; 500 plants \$10.00, parcel post prepaid. 1,000 plants \$16.00 express not prepaid.

MASTODON EVERBEARING

MASTODON EVERBEARING—Any soil of high fertility will produce bumper crops of this outstanding everbearing variety. Mastodon is rightly named, because it exceeds them all in size and in number of berries during the fruiting season, which extends from spring until late autumn. Delicious berries for home use.

50 plants \$3.00; 100 plants \$5.00; 250 plants \$10.00; 500 plants \$16.75, parcel post prepaid. 1,000 plants \$24.75 express not prepaid.

STREAMLINER

EVERBEARING STREAMLINER—The newest sensation in strawberry plants is the everbearing Streamliner. This is the heaviest-bearing strawberry plant produced in the past 25 years. Commercial growers with an extra fancy market specialize in this variety because the small extra cost of the plant is repaid several times over the first year. A few cents extra a plant invested in this variety come back in size, color, and salability of the very first crop. This berry has taken the country by storm. The Streamliner commences to bear about 50 days after planting, and keeps on bearing the second year as well as the first, which most everbearing varieties will not do. It is unusually sweet, and sometimes produces berries as large as crabapples. It is extremely hardy, and does well under all weather conditions. Makes many plants. Produces fine-keeping and best-shipping-quality fruit of all. Large size, healthy foliage and excellent flavor. If you want the very highest profits, the Streamliner is the plant to buy.

50 plants \$3.25; 100 plants \$5.75; 250 plants \$11.00; 500 plants \$17.85, parcel post prepaid. 1,000 plants \$27.50 express not prepaid.

MINNESOTA EVERBEARING

MINNESOTA 1166 (Evermore Everbearing)—This new everbearing strawberry is proving more satisfactory every year. The berries are large and of excellent flavor. Northern strawberry growers report it a big Money Maker. It brings premium prices because of the unusual quality of the fruit. You can't go wrong in planting Minnesota 1166. You can be sorry if you don't reserve your plants early.

50 plants \$2.50; 100 plants \$4.00; 250 plants \$8.00; 500 plants \$13.75, parcel post prepaid. 1,000 plants \$21.75 express not prepaid.

If you want to order 5000 or more plants, please write for special quotations.

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Brunswick, Maine
Feb. 11, 1950

Last April 28th, 1949, you shipped my son, Winfield Smith Jr. 250 strawberry plants (Sugar Queen). In spite of an exceptionally dry spring and summer they passed all other varieties grown on the farm. Can you send us your catalogue for 1950.

Route One.

Roanoke Rapids, N. C.

Dear Gentlemen:

I am just writing to tell you not to forget me way out here in Roanoke Rapids, N. C. I think that a Nursery should be praised for such good work. The 50 Sugar Queen plants that I got from you are very good and healthy plants because not one of them have died, and too I would like to order some more strawberry plants from you some day.

Yours truly customer.

June 9, 1950, Palmer Mass.

Dear Sir:

Just a card to let you know I received my strawberry plants and catalogue. I am slow writing, but I wanted to tell you how pleased I am with them. Every one lived and are doing fine. I bought 200 plants last year and only about 25 lived and I paid more than I did for yours. Many thanks.

Sincerely,

May 21, 1950

Dear Sir:

If I were displeased with the order I received from you I would let you know. But this is a letter to tell you how pleased I was with them. Received everything and in nice condition, packed very nice too. Will give you another order in the fall. Thank you.

Sincerely,

St. Petersburg, Fla.

Anna Strawberry Nursery
Gentlemen:

May 19, 1950
Wausau, Wis.

I have received your strawberry plants and want to thank you for the plants. I have set them out and have a very few that aren't growing. I thought I would drop you a few lines to tell you I am pleased with them for such low price. If you have catalogues of other berry bushes as rasp., etc., I would like one.

Sincerely yours.

Dear Sir:

June 30, 1950

I would like for you to know that the week before the 30th of May we set out strawberry plants we ordered from you and the week before the 30th of June, just one month later, we picked a box of ripe ones from the plants. We are very much pleased.

Davidsville, Pa.

Dear Sir:

I received the strawberry plants and am very pleased over them. Everyone has started new leaves. So happy I ordered them.

Yours Truly,
Kingsport, Texas.

Sept. 1, 1950. Canton, Ohio

Dear Sir:

I have received your strawberries this spring which I am well pleased with them and I would like to have more of them for this fall planting. Thank you.

Route 3.

GUARANTEE

We guarantee all of our nursery stock to be just as represented in our catalogue; fully up to grade, of good quality, free from injurious insects and diseases, true to name; also to reach the customer in good growing condition. Furthermore, we will at our option either replace free of charge, or refund purchase price on any stock that arrives in bad condition; providing claim is made within 10 days after arrival. After 10 days it is mutually agreed that stock is satisfactory. If stock is unsatisfactory on arrival, be sure and get a signed statement from your express agent or postmaster showing extent of damage, and send this along with your claim. Do not return plants unless so instructed by us. Continued growth depends upon soil, climatic conditions, planting and care—conditions we cannot control—hence it is not guaranteed. It is mutually agreed that in any event we will not be liable for more than the purchase price of the stock. It is understood and agreed between the customer and ourselves that the purchaser's order and our acknowledgment of its receipt shall constitute a mutual acceptance of the above terms and conditions.

Should you find it necessary to write us relative to your order at any time, be sure and return the shipping tags on your shipment. We will be unable to make any adjustments unless shipping tags are returned to us.