

## 41964 to 41990—Continued.

41972. "*Devon*. Fruit large, round, keeping a bright red when ripe; remarkably vigorous and very fertile. On trial here, but highly commended by the raiser, Mr. Pyne, of Topsham, who introduced it in 1904."

41973. "*Norwich Wonder*. Fruit large, round, ripening earlier than other sorts; very fertile and vigorous."

41974. "*Profusion*. Berries immense, dark red, round, of delicious flavour; vigorous and prolific. A variety raised near Maidstone and introduced by us. Can be highly recommended."

41975. "*Golden Drop*. Fruit deep golden, round, pleasantly flavoured; canes strong. A continental variety of which the original name has been lost; we name it as above provisionally."

41976. "*Guinea*. Fruits conical, deep yellow, very rich and sweet; canes of moderate growth. This variety is a *Yellow Superlative*, and the variety sent out under that name is practically identical."

## 41977 to 41987. FRAGARIA spp. Rosaceæ. Strawberry.

41977. "*Merveille de France*. Autumn fruiting; fruit enormous; growth free but compact; very rich flavour in June."

41978. "*St. Antoine de Padoue*. Autumn fruiting; berries globular, ripening well, of bright red colour; habit more vigorous than others; the summer fruits are also abundant."

41979. "*St. Fiacre*. This is a grand autumnal bearer. The berries are as large as *Royal Sovereign*, freely produced, bright colour, and rich flavour. The finest yet produced."

41980. "*Countess*. Fruits handsome, wedge shaped, dark crimson; moderate cropper, but in point of flavour quite first rate. F. C. C. R. H. S."

41981. "*Filbert Pine*. Robust grower; dull orange red, brisk in flavour; succeeds in light soils; enormous cropper."

41982. "*Fillbasket*. Bright red, good flavour; enormous bearer; very good for main crops; flowers late and is thus useful in positions liable to frosts; makes few runners."

41983. "*Givon's Late Prolific*. Dark dull crimson, firm, roundish oval, often three sided, of rich brisk flavour. The very finest of all the late sorts; a heavy successional bearer; fruits extra large and handsome, with good constitution; flowering late, with abundant foliage. A Herts customer reports a splendid crop—seven fruits to the pound."

41984. "*Hibberd's George V*. Our trial plants, although placed in a bad position, gave us wonderful berries on July 8, 1913, after the ordinary crops were passed—quite 14 days later than *Sir Joseph Paxton*. The fruits were large, some cockscomb shaped, very bright shining scarlet in colour; flesh carmine, very firm, and the flavour was equal to the best. We confidently recommend this new variety to all growers and have raised a large stock in order to offer cheaply."

41985. "*Laaton's Latest*. A very fine variety; shining deep crimson, fine flavour; moderate growth; enormous in size, yet firm, approaching 2 ounces."