

# VICK'S FLORAL GUIDE.

Among the fruit and flower novelties which 1896 brings us, we notice that the enterprising and reliable firm of James Vick's Sons, Rochester, N. Y., are calling attention to three, which seem to have won great favor wherever known. They are the Double Sweet Pea, the only one in the world true to name, "Bride of Niagara," the "Early Leader Tomato," the earliest of all the tomato family and sure to become a great favorite, and the already famous blackberry, the "Rathbun."

From the praise and compliments given so abundantly to the "Bride of Niagara," this sweet pea must be more than charming and from the encomiums lavished on both the new tomato and this new blackberry, it is pretty certain no garden desiring to have the first and best of everything, can be without these new comers.

By the way, readers, are any of you so far behind the times as not to know "Vick's Floral Guide?" If any of you have never seen it, send 10 cents to this firm at Rochester, N. Y., and get a copy. You can deduct this from the first order for seeds and the pleasure and information their Guide will give you will certainly induce you to keep up the acquaintance.

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On January 14, 28, February 11 and March 10, 1896, the Northwestern Line will sell Home Seekers' Excursion Tickets to a large number of points of Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, Indian Territory, Oklahoma, Texas, and Arizona. For tickets and full information apply to agents C. & N. W. Ry.

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McHenry, Ill., 1894.

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West McHenry, Jan. 1, 1896.

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