A SIMPLE, practical development of a rectangular space equivalent to the usual back yard. The open lawn with shrubbery border, the perennial border, a cutting garden, which might be used for vegetables, and a shaded pergola are the features, with a tool house which might also be a garage or tea house. For the information of visitors who may wish to reproduce some of the ideas, a plan of the garden and complete list of materials used are given on succeeding pages.

The perennial border, where something is in flower from early spring until killing frosts arrive. The little house, in the private garden, might be a garage, tool house or tea house.

VAUGHAN'S SEED STORE
Nursery and Greenhouse, Western Springs, Ill.
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Vaughan's Seed Store Was Founded in 1876

Since its foundation this firm has specialized in flower seeds, flowering bulbs, and plants, for amateur gardeners, florists, and professional gardeners; lawn seeds of the best quality for parks, golf clubs, and home lawns; and vegetable seeds of the finest strains for market and home gardens.

Both catalogs are sent free on request.

Headquarters of Vaughan's Seed Store is in the 7-story building at 601 W. Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, III., which contains 60,000 square feet entirely occupied by this house.

Retail stores are operated at 10 W. Randolph street, Chicago, Ill., in our own 4-story building; 601 W. Jackson Blvd., Chicago, 47 Barclay street, New York City and in Ann Arbor, Mich.

Nurseries for the production of plants, shrubs, trees and evergreens occupy 200 acres near Western Springs, Ill.

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King Egg Plant.

View of Vaughan's Nursery Grounds, Western Springs, Ill.

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TRITOMA Royal Standard, Improved Red Hot Poker Plant, golden base, scarlet top. 3 for $1.00.


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View of Vaughan’s Seed Store’s Home Garden, demonstrating a simple design and planting suitable for the usual rectangular back yard. The area covered is approximately 85 feet square.