

Southport Yellow Globe (7) is of large size, perfectly globe shaped, skin yellow, flesh white and of good quality; a good keeper. It matures about a week later than Globe Danvers; a very profitable onion to grow.

Prizetaker (9). The best of the large mild onions; usually used for transplanting; skin light yellow straw color, flesh white and very mild; not a good keeper.

Australian Brown (4). A round flat onion, matures early; skin dark brown, flesh white and very firm; a good keeper. Onions of this variety have been known to keep a year.

Golden Globe (6). A globe shaped onion with light straw colored skin, flesh white and mild; probably the earliest maturing globe shaped onion.

Early Flat Red (2) of flattened form, not so thick through as the Wethersfield; matures early and will often form bulbs on a cold soil where other varieties fail; a good keeper, used largely for growing sets.

Red Wethersfield (3). Grows to a large size, rather flat in shape, skin deep purplish red; flesh purplish white, moderate grain, flavor rather stronger than the yellow onion; a good keeper.

Southport Red Globe (8). A handsome onion of perfect globe shape, grows to a large size; skin deep red, flesh fine grained, mild and tender; a good keeper and deserving of general cultivation.

Southport White Globe. Resembles the Southport Red Globe in shape; both skin and flesh are pure white, fine grained; mild flavor, good keeper. This variety commands the highest market price, but requires more careful handling than the red or yellow varieties.

Barletta, used very largely for pickling, is a round white onion of handsome appearance.

THE EXTENT OF THE ONION INDUSTRY IN ONTARIO.

Below will be found acreage and yield of onions of 18 counties of this Province, as accurate as is possible to obtain by correspondence. There were shipped from Scotland station 94 cars of onions, from Leamington, 68 cars, from Brantford, 14 cars. These shipments cover the 1908 crop and are from the beginning of the shipping season to February 1st, 1909.