

a farmer or gardener to buy seeds that he does not know (beyond doubt) to be reliable? Every intelligent man and woman will answer "No."

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your money on questionable seed when you can have the best sent to you from our reliable stock? Read what a progressive farmer of Middlesex says concerning good seeds :

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"C. A. Zavitz, " Ontario Agricultural College."

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