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Of Peaches that have been tested by actual bearing, previous to and during the year 1855, by JOSHUA LINDLEY, New Garden, Guilford Co., N. C.

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DESCRIPTION OF PEACHES—1855.

56. *Cerro Gordo, C.*—This new peach is one of the very finest. The tree grows very thrifty, and has globose glands and small flowers. The fruit is large, round, of a pale yellowish white color, with some blotches of pale dull red next the sun. The flesh is rich, juicy, sweet, fine flavored and most excellent. The tree is a good bearer, and the fruit ripens the first part of August.

57. *Admirable C.*—This tree is a thrifty grower, with globose glands and small flowers. The fruit is large, of a pale yellowish white color, with some touches of red next the sun, flesh rich, fine flavored and excellent, and it is a good bearer, and the fruit ripens the first half of August.

58. *Old Mixon, F.*—This tree is of thrifty growth, with globose glands and small flowers. The fruit is

large, nearly round, of a greenish white color, with some touches of red on the sun side—flesh, rich, juicy, fine flavored and excellent. The tree is a good bearer; and the fruit ripens early in August.

59. *Old Mixon, C.*—This tree grows thrifty, has globose glands and small flowers. The fruit is large, slightly lengthened, of a white color, with some red next the sun; flesh rich, juicy, very fine flavored and excellent, and the tree is a great bearer, and ripens its fruit the first part of August.

60. *Large White.*—This tree also grows thrifty, has globose glands and small flowers. The fruit is large, somewhat lengthened, color pale yellowish white, with a marbled red cheek. The flesh is rich, juicy and excellent, and the fruit ripens the middle part of August, and bears well.

61. *Anna Ruffin.*—This tree grows rapid, has uniform glands and small flowers. The fruit is large, white, rich, juicy and excellent, ripens its fruit the first half of August, and is a good bearer.

62. *Mary's Choice.*—This tree grows thrifty, has uniform glands and small flowers. The fruit is large, of a yellow color, with a red cheek. The flesh is rich, juicy and excellent; the tree is a good bearer, and the fruit ripens the middle part of August.

63. *Spanish, C.*—This tree grows thrifty, has globose glands and small flowers. The fruit is large, nearly round, of a pale yellowish white color, with a red cheek next the sun; its flesh is rich, very juicy, fine flavored and excellent. The tree is a full bearer, and the fruit ripens the first half of August.

64. *Old Spanish, C.*—This tree is a thrifty grower, has globose glands and small flowers. The fruit is

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