

Shallots – Replanting.

2025 saw a good crop of shallots for pickling, below being one of two lots:



I notice there is an opinion online not to replant these as “nothing will come of them”.

So, in late August 2025 I planted a little that was of no use to pickle in a small old pot that had already grown something else.

It grew well despite being abused, not watered much, in depleted soil:



Nearly a year later, July 2026 tipped it out:



Three very nice bulbs big enough to cook with, the photo doesn't do them justice.

Now you know, any little ones plant them in August/September/October to overwinter and harvest following July.

If they're good quality, use the whole cluster, saves paying a fiver or more for the same.