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# BULBS FOR FALL PLANTING

*The H. & O. Quality*

HYACINTHS—TULIPS—NARCISSUS  
HARDY PERENNIALS, PEONIES, PHLOX AND IRIS



BICOLOR EMPRESS

GOLDEN SPUR

HOLM & OLSON, INC.

ST. PAUL, MINN.

## THE PARK NURSERIES

Our Nurseries are located on one of the main avenues of the city, with easy access to all who live in St. Paul or Minneapolis, either driving or motoring, located on Lexington Boulevard and St. Clair Street, seven blocks south of Summit Avenue on Lexington Boulevard.

Those desiring to reach the nurseries by street car, take Grand Avenue line, get off at Lexington and walk six blocks south; or take Randolph-Hope car, get off at Lexington and walk north to Nurseries.

We extend to all our customers an invitation to visit Park Nurseries, see the different sizes and varieties of stock we grow, make your selection and have trees or shrubs marked. This should be done in the summer or fall months when they are in foliage, and at the proper season for planting they can be shipped or planted as you may desire. Many nurseries do not practice inviting their customers to select their stock, hence the necessity of buying the unseen.

### BEAUTIFYING YOUR GROUNDS

Our interest is yours—we design your grounds, tell you what is best suited and how it should be located for best results, and shall be pleased at any time to consult with you as to your needs.

### LANDSCAPE DEVELOPMENT

Our booklet on this subject treats on every phase of landscape art. It has been pronounced by the press as the most complete treatise issued in recent years on this subject. Its illustrations show what can be done, and its texts under the different headings are instructive and of most modern ideas.

### H & O QUALITY

We pride ourselves on the quality of our stock and the manner in which it is grown, so that each tree or shrub will be a specimen. Our method of growing is not to overcrowd, but to give each sufficient room to develop a root system as well as a well-proportioned top. To produce a good tree or shrub, it must be constantly watched from the time it is transplanted in the nursery row until it is permanently located in decorating some lawn or park.

### IMPORTANT THINGS TO REMEMBER

**When Best to Order.** Order at once, so that the bulbs may be on hand to plant at the proper time.

**When We Ship.** Most fall bulbs are ready for shipment September 15; all orders are filled promptly.

**Prices.** Our prices are made on the best Holm & Olson quality of bulbs, and should not be confounded with cheap stock often sold through seed catalogues.

**Cash With Order.** Cash should always accompany orders. We cannot go to the expense of looking up responsibility of customers, or open accounts, unless arranged for in advance.

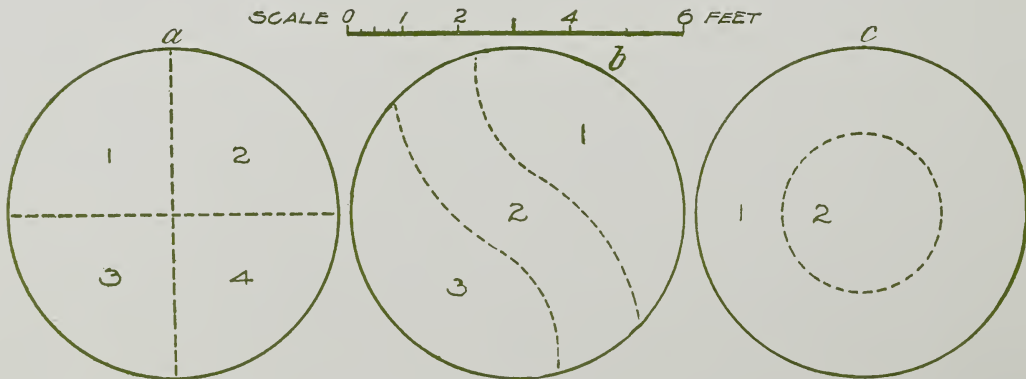
**How Bulbs Should Be Sent.** Unless when orders are large, they should be sent by mail or express, and we assure safe arrival. We prepay express and freight charges on bulb orders amounting to \$5—except collections.

**Be Careful.** Always use care in seeing that your order is carefully written, and name and address given in full. No matter how often you are writing us, this care should be used.

### COLLECTIONS FOR TULIP BEDS

The arrangement of the following beds will give very striking results. The beds are 6 feet in diameter and require 156 bulbs, planted 5 inches apart each way. These combinations can be changed, if desired.

Bed A	Bed B	Bed C
1. 39 Artus 2. 39 La Reine 3. 38 Chrysolora 4. 39 Cottage Maid	1. 54 Chrysolora 2. 48 Artus 3. 54 La Reine	1. 80 Chrysolora 2. 76 Artus
} \$2.25	} \$2.25	} \$2.25
These collections must be sent by express or freight, charges not prepaid.		





LA GRANDESSE

**QUALITY HYACINTHS**

**Culture Outdoors.** Any good garden soil that is well prepared by spading to a depth of 15 to 18 inches is suitable for Hyacinths. When the beds are used in the summer for geraniums or bedding plants, an application of well-rotted cow manure should be used and mixed

with the soil. Plant the bulbs 6 inches deep, and they should be planted very uniformly that they may come into bloom at the same time. A good method is to remove about 4 inches of the soil, level the bed carefully and plant the bulbs 6 inches apart each way, pressing the earth firmly and evenly over the bulbs.

**Culture in Glasses.** Special glasses are manufactured for the culture of Hyacinths, the bulb fitting in the top. These glasses should be filled with fresh water, also some gravel, and, if at hand, some charcoal.

**Culture in Pots.** Hyacinths are grown successfully by planting in pots. Use good, rich soil, with plenty of manure. Place some pieces of broken pots in the bottom for drainage, and use 4- or 5-inch pots. Firm the bulb well in the soil, allowing the top of it to stand just a little above the soil. If flowers are wanted for Christmas the bulbs should be planted in September.

GIGANTEA

QUEEN OF THE BLUES

**Extra Large Dutch Hyacinths**

	Each	Dozen	100
<b>Baron Van Thuyii.</b> Pure white.....	\$0.15	\$1.50	\$10.00
<b>Bloksberg.</b> Porcelain dble...	.20	2.00	15.00
<b>Cardinal Wiseman.</b> Fine dark pink.....	.20	2.00	15.00
<b>Chestnut Flower.</b> Light pink, extra.....	.20	2.00	15.00
<b>Czar Peter.</b> Porcelain, extra	.20	2.00	15.00
<b>Gertrude.</b> Fine red, dwarf	.20	2.00	15.00
<b>General de Wet</b> .....	.20	2.00	15.00
<b>Gigantea.</b> Light rose, large truss.....	.20	2.00	15.00
<b>Grand Lilas.</b> Porcelain, extra	.20	2.00	15.00
<b>Grand Maitre.</b> Dk. porcelain	.20	2.00	15.00
<b>GrandeBlanche.</b> Pure white	.15	1.50	12.00

	Each	Dozen	100
<b>King of the Blues.</b> Dark blue, extra.....	.20	2.00	15.00
<b>Lady Derby.</b> Rose, extra	.20	2.00	15.00
<b>La Grandesse.</b> Pure white	.20	2.00	15.00
<b>La Tour d'Auvergne.</b> Pure white, early.....	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>L'Innocence.</b> Pure white	.20	2.00	15.00
<b>Lord Balfour.</b> Purplish violet	.20	2.00	15.00
<b>Moreno.</b> Waxy pink, early	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>Madame Vanderhoop.</b> Pure white, extra.....	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>Potgieter.</b> Porcelain.....	.20	2.00	15.00
<b>Queen of the Blues.</b> Lt. blue	.20	2.00	15.00
<b>Robert Steiger.</b> Deep red	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>Roi des Belges.</b> Bright Selt.	.15	1.50	10.00

Add 20 cents per dozen for postage if to be sent by mail.

**First-Size Dutch Hyacinths,** 10 cents each, 70 cents per dozen, \$7.50 per 100. Add 10 cents per dozen for postage if to be sent by mail.

**Second-Size Dutch Hyacinths,** 6 cents each, 65 cents per dozen, \$5.00 per 100. Add 8 cents per dozen for postage. Orders amounting to \$5.00 (except in collections, or per 1,000) delivered free to any express office in the Northwest.

**Mixed Hyacinths**

	Each	Dozen	100
Extra large bulbs, mixed . . .	\$0.12	\$1.20	\$8.00
First-size bulbs, mixed . . . . .	.08	.75	6.00
Second-size bulbs, mixed . . . . .	.05	.50	4.00

**French Roman Hyacinths**

**White.** Largest size. Splendid for indoor blooming and easily grown. 6 cents each, 60 cents per dozen, \$4.50 per 100.



ROSE LUISANTE LA REINE

### SELECTED TULIPS

If but one display of early spring flowers can be afforded, choose the Tulip, for, after the long, dreary months of winter, what can furnish more cheer of color than a good selection of this—the handsomest of all spring-bulbs.

The season of the Tulip has been extended greatly in recent years. It is now possible to

IPERATOR RUBRORUM  
Double

THOS. MOORE

have them in bloom from the time the last snow disappears up to the middle of June.

The list of varieties in recent years have multiplied very rapidly and are most confusing to the average customer; hence, we have very carefully condensed our list so as not to confuse, and to give you the best, and also the advantage of recent improvements.

In order to still further assist the customer, we are giving the height of the flowers in figures, so the planting can be correctly arranged; also, the time of blooming, so you can have the beds harmonize, using varieties of the same height and that flower at the same time, allowing you to choose your color scheme.

**Culture.** The beds for Tulips should be treated the same as for hyacinths, except that the bulbs should be set close together, 5 inches instead of 6 inches, and covered by 4 inches.

**Culture in Pots.** Tulips are one of the most satisfactory bulbs to force. Place a half-dozen bulbs in a 6-inch pot and they will begin blooming between Christmas and Easter. They are treated otherwise, the same as the hyacinth.

### Single Tulips

Number given after each variety indicates height it grows, E. Early; L. Late.

	Dozen	100	1,000		Dozen	100	1,000
Artus. 9-E. Bright Scarlet	\$0.25	\$1.50	\$14.00	Lady Borcel. 9-E. Pure white	\$1.00	\$6.00	.....
Belle Alliance. 9-E. Scarlet	.40	3.00	25.00	La Reine. 8-E.			
Bizard Verdict. 7-E.				Rosy pink and white..	.25	1.50	\$12.00
Orange-brown .....	.25	1.50	14.00	Montresor. 8-E.			
Brutus. 6-E. R., tinted-orge.	.35	2.50	20.00	Earliest pure yellow...	.35	2.50	20.00
Cardinal's Hat. 8-E. D. red	.30	2.00	16.00	Ophir d'Or. 9-E. Pure yell.	.30	2.00	16.00
Chrysolora. 9-E. Gold. yell.	.25	1.50	12.00	Pink Beauty. 9-E. rose-pink	.60	4.00	.....
Cottage Maid. 8-E.				Pottebakker. 9-E. White	.50	3.50	30.00
Pink, suffused white...	.25	1.75	15.00	Princess Marianne. 9-E.			
Couleur Cardinal. 9-E.				Rose-white .....	.35	2.50	20.00
Cardinal-red .....	.40	3.00	25.00	Prince of Austria. 9-E.			
Couleur Ponceau. 7-E.				Brownish-orange .....	.40	3.00	25.00
Cherry-red .....	.30	2.00	16.00	Rosamundt Huystickman.			
Cramoie Brilliant. 8-E.				9-L. Rose and white..	.30	2.00	16.00
Bright scarlet .....	.30	2.00	16.00	Rose Grisdelin. 6-E.			
Crimson King. 9-E. Scarlet	.30	2.00	16.00	Delicate pink and white	.25	1.50	12.00
Duchesse de Parma. 8-E.				Rose Luisante. 8-E. Beau-			
Orange-red, yell. border.	.30	2.00	16.00	tiful dark rose and white	.40	3.00	25.00
Dusart. 8-E. Dark scarlet	.50	3.50	30.00	Standard Royal, silver.			
Flamingo. 9-E. Lge, d. pink	.60	4.00	.....	7-E. White and crimson	.50	3.50	30.00
Gold Finch. 8-E. Yellow	.25	1.50	14.00	Thomas Moore. 10-E. Orge.	.35	2.50	20.00
Joost Von Vondel. 10-E.				Vermilion Brilliant. 9-E.			
Cherry-red, feath. white	.35	2.50	20.00	Brightest scarlet .....	.50	3.50	30.00
Joost Von Vondel. 10-E.				Von Gooyen. 9-E. Rose	.35	2.50	20.00
Largest white .....	.60	4.00	30.00	White Hawk. 9-E.			
Keizerskroon. 9-E.				Large white .....	.40	3.00	25.00
Red, golden border...	.35	2.50	20.00	White Swan. 8-E. White	.35	2.50	20.00
King of the Yell. 8-E. Yell	.35	2.50	20.00	Wouwerman. 8-E. D. purple	1.50	12.00	.....

### Extra Fine Mixed Single Tulips

In separate colors.....\$0.25 \$1.50 \$12.00 Mixed. All colors.....\$0.25 \$1.25 \$10.00  
Add 5 cents per dozen for postage if to be sent by mail.

## DOUBLE TULIPS

	Dozen	100		Dozen	100
<b>Alba Maxima.</b> 8-E. White. . . . .	\$0.30	\$2.00	<b>Rex Rubrorum.</b> 8-E. Bright		
<b>Couronne d'Or.</b> 8-E. Fine scarlet .35	2.50		scarlet. Fine for bedding . . . . .	\$0.40	\$3.00
<b>Count of Leicester.</b> 8-E. Or. and yel..30	2.50		<b>Rubra Maxima.</b> 8-E. Deep red.. .35	2.50	
<b>Duke of York.</b> 8-E. Red and white. .40	3.00		<b>Salvator Rosa.</b> 7-E. Dk. pk. and white .35	2.50	
<b>Imper'r, Rubrorum.</b> 8-E. Fine sclt. .35	2.50		<b>Titian.</b> 8-E. Brown and yellow. . . .40	3.00	
<b>La Candeur.</b> 8-E. White. For bedding .30	2.00		<b>Tournesol.</b> 9-L. Red, bord. yellow. .40	3.00	
<b>Lady Palmerston.</b> 8-E. Rose . . . .35	2.50		<b>Vuurbaak.</b> 8-E. Scarlet, best forcing .50	3.50	
<b>Le Matador.</b> 9-E. Deep scarlet. . .40	3.00		<b>Fine Mixes Double Tulips.</b> . . . . .25	2.00	
<b>Murillo.</b> 6-E. Finest light pink . . .25	2.00				

## OLD DUTCH TULIPS

<b>Byblooms with white ground.</b> Best for naturalizing. . . . .	\$0.30	\$2.50
<b>Bizards with yellow ground.</b> Best for naturalizing. . . . .	.30	2.50

## DARWIN TULIPS

A new species of late-flowering Tulips, which will become more popular as they become known. They bear their flowers on long, strong stems, and contain some of the most beautiful and odd shades.

	Dozen	100		Dozen	100
<b>Clara Butt.</b> 12-L. Delicate sal.-rose \$1.00	\$6.00		<b>Mr. Farncombe Sanders.</b> Dk. crims. \$1.00	\$6.00	
<b>Early Dawn.</b> 12-L. Rosy sh'd blush .75	5.00		<b>Pride of Haarlem.</b> 16-L. Cherry-red,		
<b>Europe.</b> 16-L. Fiery scar., white base 1.00	6.00		very large . . . . .	1.00	6.00
<b>Gretchen.</b> 12-L. Bright rose, extra .75	5.00		<b>Rev. Ewbank,</b> 12-L. Heliotrope . . . .75	5.00	
<b>Josephine.</b> 16-L. Dark red, very fine .75	5.00		<b>The Sultan.</b> 14-L. Glossy mar'n-blk. .50	3.50	
<b>La Candeur.</b> 14-L. Almost white . . 1.00	6.00		<b>White Queen.</b> 14-L. White, slightly		
<b>Madame Krelage.</b> 12-L. Soft rosy			tinted rose . . . . .	.75	5.00
pink, extra . . . . .	1.00	6.00	<b>Assorted Darwin Tulips.</b> . . . . .	.40	3.00

## SELECTED PARROT TULIPS

This family of Tulips is noted for their immense showy flowers with beautifully fringed or cut petals and varied colors, and so named because of its oddity. The flowers come in May, have long stems and are fine for cutting. In four different shades. 30 cents per dozen, \$2.00 per 100, \$18.00 per 1,000.

## LATE FLOWERING TULIPS

	Dozen	100		Dozen	100
<b>Bouton d'Or.</b> 12-L. Deep golden. \$0.30	\$2.50		<b>La Candeur.</b> 14-L. Pure white . . \$0.50	\$3.50	
<b>Caledonia.</b> 10-L. Brt. orange-scar. .40	3.00		<b>La Merville.</b> 14-L. Scar. and orange .30	2.50	
<b>Gesneriana Lutea.</b> 10-L. Beaut. yel. .35	2.50		<b>Mrs. Moon.</b> 14-L. Large yellow, fine .60	5.00	
<b>Gesneriana Spathulata.</b> 16-L. Crim. .35	2.50		<b>Picotee.</b> 12-L. Pure white. . . . .30	2.50	
<b>Golden Crown.</b> 10-L. Golden			<b>Pluto.</b> 14-L. Rosy-violet. . . . .40	2.00	
yellow, edge red. . . . .	.25	2.00	<b>Scarlet Mammoth.</b> 12-L. Bright		
<b>Isabella.</b> 12-L. Carm. rose, sh. white .30	2.50		scarlet, largest tulip grown . . . . .60	5.00	

Add 5 cents per dozen for postage if to be sent by mail.

## SELECTED LILIES

No herbaceous border, shrubbery border or garden is complete without a liberal showing of these charming flowers. For beauty of color and magnificence of form the Lily stands above most other flowers.

	Each	Dozen
<b>Auratum.</b> (Gold banded) . . . . .	\$0.20	\$2.00
<b>Speciosum Album.</b> . . . . .	.15	1.50
<b>Speciosum Rubrum.</b> . . . . .	.20	2.00
<b>Tigrinum Fl. Pl.</b> . . . . .	.15	1.50

Selected bulbs of largest size. Delivery of the above cannot be made until end of November.

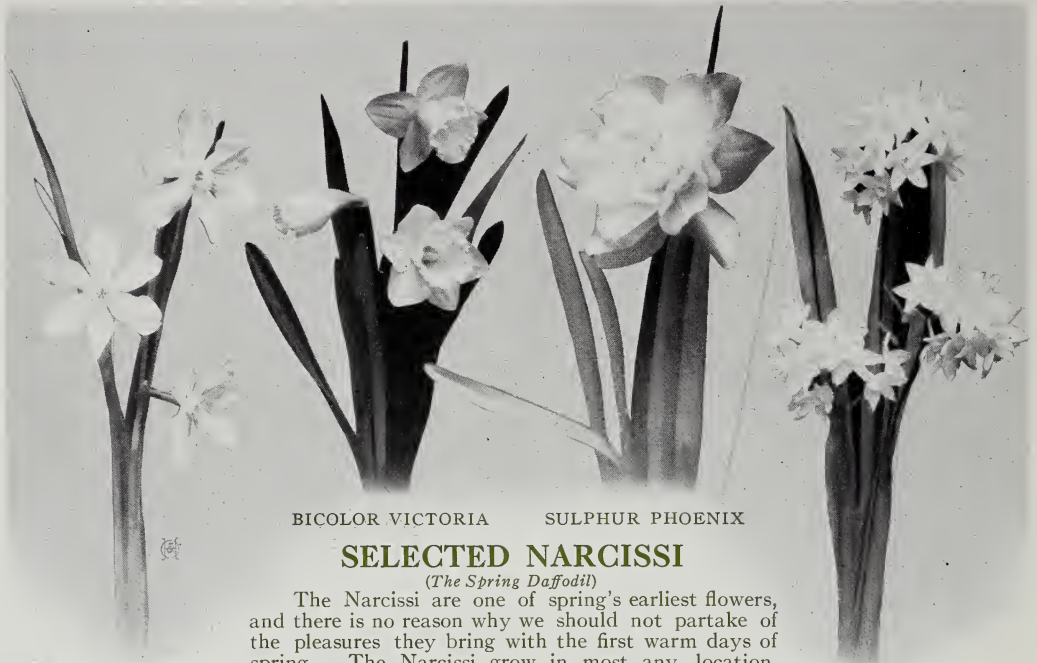
**Candidum** (Madonna Lily.)  
Ready the latter part of  
August . . . . . \$0.15 \$1.50 . . . . .

### Easter Lilies

	Each	Dozen	100
<b>Harrisii</b> (Bermuda) . . . . .	\$.20	\$2.00	. . . . .
<b>Longiflorum Multiflorum</b> . . . . .	.15	1.50	. . . . .
<b>Longiflorum Giganteum</b> . . . . .	.20	2.00	. . . . .
<b>Longiflorum Formosum</b> (Early) .20	.20	2.00	. . . . .
<b>Lily-of-the-Valley</b> . . . . .	.15	1.50	\$10.00



AURATUM LILY



BICOLOR VICTORIA      SULPHUR PHOENIX

**SELECTED NARCISSI**

(The Spring Daffodil)

The Narcissi are one of spring's earliest flowers, and there is no reason why we should not partake of the pleasures they bring with the first warm days of spring. The Narcissi grow in most any location, doing well in sunny or shady places, and it matters not

if wet or dry. They continue to bloom year after year, increasing in size and effectiveness. They are valuable to place in the border of perennials, or shrubbery, where they can be left undisturbed, and for naturalizing in the grass. For forcing, treat the same as tulips, planting them in pots. The flowers assume many forms, and present charming combinations of white, gold, orange, sulphur and pure yellow.

**Double Varieties**

	Each	Dozen	100		Each	Dozen	100
<b>Albus plenus odorata.</b>				<b>Sulphur Phoenix.</b>			
Double, pure white.				white (butter and eggs)	\$0.08	\$0.75	\$5.00
For outdoors only.....	\$0.03	\$0.30	\$2.00	<b>Von Sion.</b>			
<b>Orange Phoenix.</b>				Large golden			
Yellow and orange.....	.05	.50	3.00	yellow. Extra size ....	.06	.60	4.00
				First size .....	.04	.40	3.00

**Single Varieties**

	Each	Dozen	100		Each	Dozen	100
<b>Barii Conspicuus.</b>				<b>Sir Watkin.</b>			
Yellow, large, orange cup.....	\$0.03	\$0.30	\$2.00	Yellow cup.			
<b>Empress</b> (Trumpet).				Extra size .....	\$0.07	\$0.75	\$5.00
Pure white. Extra size.	.07	.75	5.00	First size .....	.05	.50	3.00
First size .....	.05	.50	3.00	<b>Poeticus</b> (Pheasant's Eye).			
<b>Emperor</b> (Trumpet).				Pure white, orange ....	.03	.25	1.50
Yellowish. Extra size.	.07	.75	5.00	<b>Poeticus Orantus.</b>			
First size .....	.05	.50	3.00	White and orange center	.05	.50	3.00
<b>Bicolor Victoria</b> (Trumpet).				<b>Princes</b> (Trumpet). Sulphur			
White with yellow trumpet	.06	.60	4.00	white and yellow .....	.05	.50	3.00
<b>Golden Spur</b> (Trumpet).				<b>Von Sion.</b>			
Deep yellow trumpet.				Pure yellow ...	.04	.40	2.50
Extra size.....	.07	.75	5.00	<b>Paper White Grandiflora.</b>			
First size.....	.05	.50	3.00	Selected. Extra large			
				bulbs .....	.05	.50	3.00

**NARCISSI** (Daffodil)

A species of Narcissi with fragrant bright yellow flowers, which are periodical in great abundance. Suitable for house and garden culture, requires the same treatment as Narcissi. All varieties are perfectly hardy.

	Each	Dozen	100
<b>Compennelle Major.</b>			
Double, pure yellow.			
Extra fine.....	\$0.10	\$1.00	\$7.50
<b>Compennelle Rugulosus.</b>			
Yellow .....	.03	.30	2.00
<b>Jonquil.</b> Single yellow ...	.03	.25	1.50
<b>Jonquil.</b> Double yellow ...	.05	.50	4.00

Add 10 cents per dozen for postage.

**CHINESE SACRED LILY**

**Water Fairy Flowers.** Flowers single; white with yellow center; freely produced; are successfully grown in water. Plant in shallow dish, using about one inch of gravel in the bottom, on this set the bulbs and fill with water. Cannot be used for outdoor planting.

	Each	Dozen
<b>Grand Monarque.</b> White (New)	\$.005	\$1.50
<b>Grand Soleil d'Or.</b>		
Yellow (New).....	.15	1.50
<b>Sacred Lily.</b>		
White. Extra size bulbs.....	.15	1.50
First size bulbs .....	.12	1.00

Add 15 cents per dozen for postage.





DOUBLE VON-ZION

### SELECTED CROCUS

Can be planted in the grass or as a border for beds of perennials or around the edge of beds of other bulbs. When planted in sheltered locations they flower in March. They can be planted anywhere in the lawn,

and after blooming the tops can be cut with a lawn-mower without injuring the bulbs.

Our selection is the best; the extra large well-selected bulbs will produce large flowers of all shades of white, yellow and blue.

<b>Purpurea Grandiflora.</b>	Dozen	100	1,000
Blue. Extra large . . .	\$0.25	\$2.00	\$16.00
<b>Madame Mana.</b> Striped .	.25	2.00	16.00
<b>Queen of the Whites.</b> White .	.25	2.00	16.00
Large Yellow . . . . .	.15	.75	5.00

POETICUS  
(Pheasant's Eye)

	Dozen	100	1,000
<b>Mixed Blue</b> . . . . .	\$0.15	\$0.75	\$5.00
<b>Mixed Striped</b> . . . . .	.15	.75	5.00
<b>Mixed White</b> . . . . .	.15	.75	5.00

### SCILLA SIBIRICA

Early spring-flowering bulb; dwarf habit, from 6 to 8 inches in height, with drooping, bell-shaped blossoms of light blue. Very suitable for growing in pots. Bright, brilliant blue, 25 cents per dozen, postage paid. \$1.50 per 100; \$10.00 per 1,000.

### GIANT SNOWDROPS

The earliest of spring flowers, universally admired for their snow-white, drooping blossoms. The bulbs succeed well in any soil, and should be planted where they are to remain, as they bloom best when not disturbed.

**Elwesi.** 15 cents doz., post paid; \$1.00 per 100.  
**Nivallis.** Double. 15 cents per dozen, postage paid; \$1.00 per 100.

### ANOMONES (Poppy-flowered)

If planted in the fall they will bloom in early spring, producing brilliantly colored flowers. Should be grown in wet or moist places.

	Dozen	100
<b>Single.</b> Mixed colors . . . . .	\$0.40	\$3.00
<b>Double.</b> Mixed colors . . . . .	.40	3.00
<b>Double and Single.</b> Mixed . . . . .	.35	2.50

### RANUNCULUS (Double Buttercup)

Among the smaller flowering spring plants these are, without doubt, the richest in coloring and most profuse blooming. Bulbs are tender and should be well mulched. 15 cents per dozen, \$1.00 per 100. Add 10 cents per dozen for postage.

### CROWN IMPERIALS

**Red, Yellow and Orange.** 20 cents each, \$2.00 per dozen.

### OXALIS

These lovely flowers are among the most popular, and can be used in many ways. A few placed in pots or baskets will start off at once and soon be in flower, remaining so throughout the winter.

**Cernua Lutea** (Buttercup). Yellow. 30 cents per dozen, \$2.50 per 100.

### CHIONODOXA (Glory of the Snow)

A lovely flower producing spikes of beautiful azure-blue color, with pure white center. Forms a striking contrast. 30 cents per doz., \$2.00 per 100.

### FRITILLARIAS

The habit of growth is lily-like, and as a pot plant the effect is beautiful in the extreme; in fact, it is as beautiful as any lily. It is also hardy in the open ground, but does best indoors in pots or boxes. Requires the same treatment as Easter Lilies. 40 cents per doz., post paid; \$3.00 per 100.

### TRILLIUM GRANDIFLORUM

(Star of Bethlehem)

A hardy perennial of the lily family. Succeeds well in partially shaded locations; bloom increases in beauty each year. 10 cents each, \$1.00 per dozen. Add 10 cents per dozen for postage.

### FREESIAS

The beauty of the flowers and freedom of their bloom, their exquisite perfume, lasting qualities and the ease with which they can be forced, make this bulb of great importance.

	Dozen	100
<b>California-grown</b> . . . . .	\$0.15	\$1.00
<b>French-grown</b> . . . . .	.25	1.75
<b>Purity.</b> Almost pure white . . . . .	.35	2.50



## PEONIES

**C**ONSIDER these features. The Peony is as hardy as an oak, absolutely free from disease of any description, entirely free from insects and pests of any sort. No dusting or spraying or picking of worms and no roots to take up each fall. Today, with its hundreds of improved varieties, the Peony rivals the rose in brilliant colorings, sweet fragrance and perfection of flower. The flowers are larger than those of any other perennial, and are borne on strong, stiff stems.

Our list comprises the cream of the newer and best old varieties.

**When to Plant.** Plant Peonies in September or October if you wish them to bloom the following June. The plants should be set with their eyes two or three inches below the surface of the ground. Place the clumps about three feet apart.

	Each	Dozen		Each	Dozen
<b>WHITE</b>			<b>Lady Leonora Bramwell.</b>	\$0.50	\$5.00
<b>Alba sulphurea</b> . . . . .	\$0.50	\$5.00	Clumps . . . . .	\$1.00 to 1.50	
<b>Couronne d'Or</b> . . . . .	.75	7.50	<b>Livingstone</b> . . . . .	.75	7.50
Clumps . . . . .	\$1.50 to 2.00		<b>Madame Boulangier</b> . . . . .	.75	7.50
<b>Duchesse de Nemours</b> . . . . .	.75	7.50	Clumps . . . . .	1.50 to 2.00	
Clumps . . . . .	1.50 to 2.00		<b>Mme. Camille Bancel</b> . . . . .	1.00	10.00
<b>Festiva Maxima</b> . . . . .	.75	7.50	Clumps . . . . .	2.00 to 3.00	
Clumps . . . . .	1.50 to 3.00		<b>Pulcherrima</b> . . . . .	.50	5.00
<b>Jeanne d'Arc</b> . . . . .	.50	5.00			
Clumps . . . . .	1.00 to 2.00		<b>RED</b>		
<b>Golden Harvest</b> . . . . .	.50	5.00	<b>Auguste Villaume</b> . . . . .	\$0.75	\$7.50
<b>La Tulipe</b> . . . . .	0.75	7.50	Clumps . . . . .	\$1.50 to 2.00	
Clumps . . . . .	1.50 to 2.00		<b>Delache</b> . . . . .	.50	5.00
<b>Madame Calot</b> . . . . .	.75	7.50	<b>Edouard Andre</b> . . . . .	.75	7.50
Clumps . . . . .	1.50 to 2.00		Clumps . . . . .	1.50 to 2.00	
<b>Madame Crousse</b> . . . . .	.75	7.50	<b>Felix Crousse</b> . . . . .	.75	7.50
Clumps . . . . .	1.50 to 2.00		Clumps . . . . .	1.50 to 2.00	
<b>Mme. de Verneville</b> . . . . .	1.00	10.00	<b>Louis Von Houtte</b> . . . . .	.50	5.00
Clumps . . . . .	2.00 to 3.00		<b>Madame Bucquet</b> . . . . .	.50	5.00
<b>Marie Lemoine</b> . . . . .	.75	7.50	Clumps . . . . .	1.00 to 1.50	
<b>Mons. Dupont</b> . . . . .	.75	7.50	<b>Mons. Krelage</b> . . . . .	.75	7.50
Clumps . . . . .	1.50 to 2.00		Clumps . . . . .	1.50 to 2.00	
<b>Queen Victoria</b> . . . . .	.50	5.00	<b>Officinalis rubra</b> . . . . .	.50	5.00
			Clumps . . . . .	1.00 to 1.50	
<b>PINK</b>			<b>Richardson's Rubra su-</b>		
<b>Alexandriana</b> . . . . .	\$0.75	\$ 7.50	<b>perba</b> . . . . .	.75	7.50
<b>Albert Crousse</b> . . . . .	1.50	15.00	Clumps . . . . .	1.50 to 2.00	
Clumps . . . . .	\$3.00 to 4.00		<b>Tenuifolia</b> . . . . .	.50	5.00
<b>Delicatissima</b> . . . . .	.75	7.50	Clumps . . . . .	1.50 to 2.00	
Clumps . . . . .	1.50 to 2.00				
<b>Edulis superba</b> . . . . .	.50	5.00	<b>Unnamed Peonies</b>		
Clumps . . . . .	1.00 to 1.50		Each, 25 cents, 35 cents and 50 cents.		
			<b>TREE PEONY (Japan)</b>		
			Each, \$1.50; dozen, \$15.00.		

## PHLOX

**T**HE most satisfactory and useful of all herbaceous plants. Ample space should be set apart for them in every garden, and, with judicious selections, the season can be extended from June until ice forms. They succeed in almost any soil, or in any position. The plants remain in good condition for many years without attention, but respond rapidly to cultivation and care.

	Each	Dozen		Each	Dozen
<b>Beranger.</b> White and rosy pink ..	\$0.15	\$1.50	<b>F. G. Von Lassburg.</b> Purest white	\$0.20	\$2.00
Strong .....	.25	2.50	Strong .....	.25	2.50
<b>Bridesmaid.</b> White, with crimson			<b>Henri Murger.</b> Pure white .....	.15	1.50
eye .....	.15	1.50	Strong .....	.25	2.50
Strong .....	.25	2.50	<b>Jeanne d'Arc.</b> Pure white, late ..	.15	1.50
<b>Caran d'Ache.</b> Geranium-red, white			Strong .....	.25	2.50
eye .....	.15	1.50	<b>La Vogue.</b> Silvery rose .....	.15	1.50
Strong .....	.25	2.50	Strong .....	.25	2.50
<b>Champs Elysees.</b> Purple-crimson ..	.15	1.50	<b>Miss Lingard.</b> White, dwarf, earliest	.20	2.00
Strong .....	.25	2.50	Strong .....	.25	2.50
<b>Coquelicot.</b> Orange-scarlet, crimson			<b>Mme. Paul Dutrie.</b> Lilac-rose ...	.15	1.50
eye .....	.15	1.50	Strong .....	.25	2.50
Strong .....	.25	2.50	<b>Mrs. Arthur Baker.</b> Fine salmon	.15	1.50
<b>Eclairer.</b> Rosy magenta .....	.15	1.50	Strong .....	.25	2.50
Strong .....	.25	2.50	<b>Mrs. Jenkins.</b> White .....	.15	1.50
<b>Elizabeth Campbell,</b> Salmon-pink,			Strong .....	.25	2.50
red eye .....	.30	3.00	<b>Madame Bezanson.</b> Deep crimson	.15	1.50
Strong .....	.50	5.00	Strong .....	.25	2.50
<b>Eugene Danzanvilliers.</b> Lilac,			<b>Pantheon.</b> Salmon-rose .....	.15	1.50
shading to white .....	.15	1.50	Strong .....	.25	2.50
Strong .....	.25	2.50	<b>R. P. Struthers.</b> Carmine, claret eye	.15	1.50
<b>Frau Antoine Buchner.</b> White ..	.30	3.00	Strong .....	.25	2.50
Strong .....	.50	5.00	<b>Tapis Blanc.</b> Pure white, dwarf ...	.15	1.50
<b>General von Heutz.</b> Salmon-red,			Strong .....	.25	2.50
white center .....	.15	1.50	<b>Richard Wallace.</b> Cherry-red, violet		
Strong .....	.25	2.50	center .....	.15	2.50
<b>G. A. Strohleim.</b> Orange-scarlet, red			Strong .....	.25	2.50
eye .....	.15	1.50	<b>Von Hochberg.</b> Crimson .....	.15	1.50
Strong .....	.25	1.50	Strong .....	.25	2.50
<b>Hermine.</b> Pure white .....	.15	1.50	<b>Wolfgang Von Goethe.</b> Clear pink,		
Strong .....	.25	2.50	white eye .....	.15	1.50
			Strong .....	.25	2.50

## IRIS

**O**RCHIDS of the hardy garden—so beautiful, graceful, rare, exquisite, delicate and varied are the forms, textures and coloring of the Hybrid Iris. Best of all, they are sweetly fragrant. No garden is complete without a good selection of these lovely flowers. So many places are found where they can be used, and they are always attractive and welcome, blooming in early summer, before most of the shrubs. A good border flower for planting along paths, for grouping in beds along foundations or lawn walks, near rustic work or in Japanese gardens.

	Each	Dozen
<b>Aurea.</b> Pure chrome-yellow .....	\$0.15	\$1.50
<b>Bridesmaid.</b> White, shaded silvery lilac .....	.15	1.50
<b>Darius.</b> Lemon-yellow, falls lilac, margined white .....	.15	1.50
<b>Edith.</b> Plumbago-blue, falls purple .....	.15	1.50

	Each	Dozen
<b>Fairy.</b> Ivory, changing to pure white ..	\$0.25	\$2.50
<b>Florentina.</b> White and lavender ..	.15	1.50
<b>Her Majesty.</b> Lilac-pink and reddish		
lilac .....	.35	3.50
<b>Julius Caesar.</b> Amber and deep purple ..	.15	1.50
<b>Madame Chereau.</b> White frilled with violet .....	.25	2.50
<b>Pallida Dalmatica.</b> Lavender and blue .....	.35	3.50
<b>Penelope.</b> White, speckled violet ..	.15	1.50
<b>Sappho.</b> Violet-blue and velvety purple .....	.35	3.50
<b>Speciosa.</b> Lavender-purple and reddish purple .....	.25	2.50
<b>Unnamed, Assorted</b> .....	.15	1.50
<b>Japanese</b> ( <i>Iris Kaempferi</i> ) .....	.35	3.50
<b>Siberian.</b> Rich blue .....	.15	1.50
<b>Snow Queen</b> ( <i>Iris Sibirica</i> ). White	.25	2.50





## HARDY PERENNIALS

WE OFTEN refer to the planting of perennial gardens as the "old-fashioned gardens" of our grandmothers. This is not quite true, although our grandmothers used such well-known hardy plants as Dianthus, Columbines, Phlox, Campanulas, Sweet Williams, Delphiniums and Hollyhocks. But the perennials we have now are much superior, both in size and color. Many choice hybrids of Delphiniums, Phlox and others have been introduced, and our methods of planting are more attractive and inviting, with a greater care to blending colors and how best to please the eye.

	Each	Dozen		Each	Dozen
<b>Achillea Ptarmica, "The Pearl"</b> (White Milfoil).....	\$0.15	\$1.50	<b>Campanula calycanthera. Blue</b>	\$0.15	\$1.50
Strong.....	.25	2.50	Strong.....	.25	2.50
<b>Aquilegia, California Hybrids</b> ....	.15	1.50	<b>Chrysanthemum maximum</b>		
Strong.....	.25	2.50	(Moonpenny).....	.15	1.50
<b>Aquilegia nivea grandiflora</b> .....	.15	1.50	Strong.....	.25	2.50
Strong.....	.25	2.50	<b>Chrysanthemum hybridum</b>		
<b>Aquilegia coerulea</b> (Rocky Mountain Columbine).....	.15	1.50	(Shasta Daisy).....	.15	1.50
Strong.....	.25	2.50	Strong.....	.25	2.50
<b>Arabis alpina</b> (Rock Cress).....	.15	1.50	<b>Chrysanthemum hybridum</b>		
Strong.....	.25	2.50	(Alaska Daisy).....	.25	2.50
<b>Aster, Hardy</b> .....	.15	1.50	Strong.....	.35	3.50
Strong.....	.25	2.50	<b>Coreopsis grandiflora</b> .....	.15	1.50
<b>Aster sub-coeruleus</b> .....	.15	1.50	Strong.....	.25	2.50
Strong.....	.25	2.50	<b>Coreopsis lanceolata</b> .....	.15	1.50
<b>Aster Novae Angliae</b> .....	.15	1.50	Strong.....	.25	2.50
Strong.....	.25	2.50	<b>Centaurea odorata</b> .....	.15	1.50
<b>Bellis perennis fl. pl., Longfellow</b>	.15	1.50	Strong.....	.25	2.50
Strong.....	.25	2.50	<b>Centaurea montana</b> .....	.15	1.50
<b>Bellis perennis, The Bride</b> .....	.15	1.50	Strong.....	.25	2.50
Strong.....	.25	2.50	<b>Delphinium Chinense</b> (Larkspur)	.15	1.50
<b>Callirhoe pedata nana compacta</b>	.15	1.50	Strong.....	.25	2.50
Strong.....	.25	2.50	<b>Delphinium formosum</b> (Larkspur)	.15	1.50
<b>Campanula Medium alba fl. pl.</b>	.15	1.50	Strong.....	.25	2.50
Strong.....	.25	2.50	<b>Delphinium Hendersoni</b> (Larkspur)	.15	1.50
<b>Campanula Medium fl. pl. Double</b>	.15	1.50	Strong.....	.25	2.50
Blue.....	.15	1.50	<b>Delphinium, Kelway's Hybrids</b>		
Strong.....	.25	2.50	(Larkspur).....	.15	1.50
<b>Campanula Medium calycanthera rosea</b>	.15	1.50	Strong.....	.25	2.50
Strong.....	.25	2.50	<b>Dielytra spectabilis</b> (Bleeding Heart)	.25	2.50
<b>Campanula Medium calycanthera rosea. Double</b>	.15	1.50	Strong.....	.35	3.50
Strong.....	.25	2.50			

	Each	Dozen
<b>Digitalis gloxiniaeflora</b> (Foxglove)	\$0.15	\$1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Digitalis maculata superba</b>	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Dianthus deltoides rosea</b> (Hardy Pink)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Dianthus deltoides alba</b> (Hardy Pink)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Dianthus latifolius</b> (Hybrid Sweet William)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Dianthus barbatus</b> (Sweet William) In colors	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Erigeron Coulteri</b> (Fleabane)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Funkia coerulea</b> (Plantain Lily)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Funkia subcordata grandiflora</b> (White Day Lily)	.25	2.50
Strong	.35	3.50
<b>Funkia undulata variegata</b> (Variegated Day Lily)	.25	2.50
Strong	.35	3.50
<b>Gaillardia grandiflora</b> (Blanket Flower)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Gypsophila acutifolia</b> (Baby's Breath)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Gypsophila paniculata compacta</b>	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Hemerocallis flava</b> (Lemon Day Lily)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Heliopsis Pitcheriana</b> (Orange Sunflower)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Heuchera sanguinea</b> (Alum Root)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Hibiscus, Crimson Eye</b> (Mallow)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Hibiscus Moscheutos</b> (Swamp Rose Mallow)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Hollyhock</b> (Althaea). Separate color or assorted	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50

	Each	Dozen
<b>Inula macrocephala</b>	\$0.15	\$1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Lily-of-the-Valley</b> (Convallaria)	.15	1.50
Strong clumps	.25	2.50
<b>Linum perenne</b> (Flax)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Lychnis Chalcedonica</b> (London Pride)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Myosotis, Forget-me-not.</b> Assorted	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Papaver orientale</b> (Oriental Poppy)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Papaver nudicaule</b> (Iceland Poppy)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Physostegia Virginica</b> (False Dragonhead)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Platycodon alba</b> (Japanese Bellflower)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Platycodon Mariesi.</b> Blue	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Pyrethrum roseum</b> (Feverfew)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Pyrethrum uliginosum</b>	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Rudbeckia</b> (Golden Glow)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Sedum Acre</b> (Golden Moss)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Statice Altaica</b> (See Lavender)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Stokesia cyanea</b> (Cornflower Aster)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Tunica saxifraga</b>	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Veronica spicata</b> (Speedwell)	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Viola, English Mixed</b>	.15	1.50
Strong	.25	2.50
<b>Yucca filamentosa</b> (Adam's Needle)	.25	2.50
Strong	.50	5.00

## LAWN SEED

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