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# New, Rare and Good Old IRISES 

Retail Price List

Summer 1932 - Spring 1933


TREHOLME GARDENS<br>Earl Wooddell Sheets, Owner<br>1831 Lamont St., N. W. - Washington, D. C.

## SEEDLINGS UNDER OBSERVATION AT TREHOLME

Tall Bearded Iris

| Acclamation | Gay Dawn | Pawnee |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Aigret | Golden Chimes | Persian Glow |
| Alaska | Gold Mine | Picardy |
| Alma Mater | Good Night | Pontiac |
| Animation |  | Potomac |
| Annapolis | Hacienda |  |
| Antique | Halloween | Radiation |
| Artizan |  | Rainbow Fragments |
| Aztec Glory | Indian Prince Inlay | Rapidan <br> Remembrance |
| Bamboo Tan | Innovation | Renown |
| Best Blue | Inspiration | Rhapsody |
| Blue Isle |  | Rio Rita |
| Blue Torch | Jonquil | Rising Sun |
| Bright Light | Jonquil | Royal Scot |
| Buddha Blue | Kanawha | San Juan Shahazad |
| Cambria | Lantern Glow | Shasta Gold |
| Champagne | Lexington | Shenandoah |
| Charm | Lightning | Siam Gold |
| Cherry Lane | Luverne | Silver Moon |
| Climax |  | Silvertone |
| Color Guard | Mardi Gras | Southern Romance |
| Color Marvel | Marionette | Spring Glory |
| Crimson Monarch | Maryland Moon | Summer Glow |
| Crystal Lake | Matchmaker | Summertime |
| Cup of Gold | May Day <br> Melody Moon | Sunburst |
| Daylight | Meadow Gold | Sunny South |
| Devotion | Miami Tan | Sun Prairie |
| Dignity | Mosaic King | Sweetbrier |
| Dixie Moon | Moon Maiden | Sylvan Gold |
| Drama | Mount Vernon My Maryland | Takoma |
| Ebony |  | Tál-we-we |
| ${ }^{\text {Elrose }}$ Eskimo Knight | New Gold | Treholme |
| Evening | Old Pirate | Vagabond King |
| Falling Water | Oriental Beauty | Vesper Moon |
| Fealty |  | War Paint |
| Fidelity | Pagoda Red | White House |
| Fortune Teller <br> Full Moon | Panama Patio Delight | Yellow Wonder <br> Yosemite |
|  | Dwarf Iris |  |
| Aglow | Golden Joy |  |
| Armistice <br> Atom |  | Powderpuff |
|  | Hermosillio |  |
| Betty Joy |  |  |
| Blue Ridge | Jahebe | Smoke <br> Southern Gem |
| Cuba | Lady Helen | Sunclad |
| Futurity | Landscape Queen | Sundance |
|  | Ledelia | Tiny Treasure |
| Girl Scout | Little Jewell | Wedding March |

## Quantity Prices

You are urged to compare the prices in this list with the prices of any other grower in this or any other country. Instead of developing extensive or elaborate display gardens, an effort has been made to provide better plants for less money than can be secured anywhere else in the world. This has been made possible because of a carefully planned system of growing the plants. The purchaser receives the benefit, as the result of this ecenomy is reflected in the unusual prices quoted. Especially is this true when 5 or more plants of a variety, or when $8,15,25,50$ or more different varieties can be used. Garden Clubs or other groups as well as individuals are urged to take advantage of the saving as indicated in the following price schedules. See list of Special Bargains also, pages 6, 14, 15 and 16.

It has been my policy to offer plants at the lowest price possible, commensurate with quality, rather than offer collections in which there might be varieties not desired or even varieties of questionable value, simply because a surplus might be available. I will be glad to help make up collections if desired, provided the following schedules are not sufficient.

The quantity price of any variety is ascertained by reference to the retail price and then from the table obtaining the price in lots of 5 and 25 or more. As an example of the saving, if 25 plants of one variety priced at $\$ 6.00$ each were purchased, the price would be $\$ 4.50$ each, or a saving of $\$ 37.50$; if 5 plants of one variety priced at $\$ 20.00$ each were purchased, the price would be $\$ 18.00$ each or a saving of $\$ 10.00$. Thus a saving of $\$ 47.50$ would be made on the purchase of 30 plants, and so on for the varieties at different prices throughout the list.

## Quantity Price Schedule

When 5 or 25 of One Variety are Purchased
$\begin{array}{c|c|c}\hline \begin{array}{c}\text { Each } \\
\text { Price } \\
\text { Retail }\end{array} & \begin{array}{c}\text { Column 1 }\end{array} & \begin{array}{c}\text { Column 2 }\end{array} \\$\cline { 2 - 3 } Price each in <br>
lots of 5\end{array}\(\left.) \begin{array}{c}lots of 25 or more <br>

Price each in\end{array}\right]\)| .20 | $\$ .15$ | .12 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| .25 | .20 | .16 |
| .35 | .30 | .25 |
| .50 | .45 | .35 |
| .75 | .65 | .55 |
| 1.00 | .90 | .75 |
| 1.50 | 1.35 | 1.10 |
| 2.00 | 1.80 | 1.50 |
| 2.50 | 2.25 | 1.90 |
| 3.00 | 2.70 | 2.25 |
| 4.00 | 3.60 | 3.00 |
| 5.00 | 4.50 | 3.75 |
| 6.00 | 5.40 | 4.50 |
| 7.50 | 6.75 | 5.60 |
| 10.00 | 9.00 | 7.50 |
| 15.00 | 13.50 | 11.25 |
| 20.00 | 18.00 | 15.00 |
| 25.00 | 22.50 | 18.75 |

# Quantity Price Schedule 

## When One Each of As Many As 8 to 50 or More Different Varieties Are Purchased

Since it is contrary to my wishes to sell you a "pig in a poke," which is virtually what many collections are, not knowing what varieties you already have or those you do not want, and yet, desiring to give you the greatest rossible satisfaction and at the same time enable you to make a real saving, the following price schedule is offered. For example, when 50 different varieties, all priced at $\$ .50$ each, are purchased, the price is .45 each, as shown in column 1 , or a saving of $\$ 5.00$; when 25 different varieties, all priced at $\$ 3.00$ each are purchased, the price is $\$ 2.70$ each, as shown in column 2, or a saving of $\$ 7.50$; if 15 different varieties all priced at $\$ 20.00$ each are purchased, the price is $\$ 18.00$ each, as shown in Column 3, a saving of $\$ 30.00$; or if 8 different rarieties all priced at $\$ 10.00$ each are purchased, the price is $\$ 9.50$, as shown in Column 4, a saving of $\$ 4.00$; or a total saving on the 98 plants of $\$ 46.00$.

|  | COLUMN 1 | COLUMN 2 | COLUMN 3 | COLUMN 4 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Retail <br> Price <br> Each | Price Each When 50 or More Different Variieties, Al of the Same Price Are Purchased | Price Each When 25 or More Different Varieties, All of the Same Price Are Purchased | Price Each When 15 or More Different Varietief, All of the Same Price Are Purchased | Price Each When 8 or More Different Varieties, All of the Same Price Are Purchased |
| . 20 | . 15 | . 18 | -------- | ---- |
| . 25 | . 20 | . 22 | -------- | -------- |
| . 35 | . 30 | . 32 | -------- | -------- |
| . 50 | . 45 | . 47 | -------- | ------- |
| . 75 | . 65 | . 68 | -------- | ------- |
| 1.00 | . 90 | . 93 |  | -------- |
| 1.50 | -------- | 1.35 | 1.40 | -------- |
| 2.00 | -------- | 1.80 | 1.90 | -------- |
| 3.00 | ----------- | 2.70 | 2.85 |  |
| 4.00 | -------- | -------- | 3.60 | 3.75 |
| 5.00 | --.----- | -------- | 4.50 | 4.75 |
| 6.00 | ------- | -------- | 5.40 | 5.65 |
| 7.50 | -------- | -------- | 6.75 | 7.00 |
| 10.00 |  | -------- | 9.00 | 9.50 |
| 15.00 |  | ------- | 13.50 | 14.00 |
| 20.00 |  |  | 18.00 | 18.75 |

## Order Early

All plants are offered subject to being in stock and not sold upon receipt of order. I have a good stock of most varieties but of a few the supply is limited. Prices are net for one plant and terms are cash, unless otherwise arranged. Orders will be filled in the order received. Retail orders take precedence over wholesale. Write names plainly and give shipping directions carefully. Keep a copy of your order. Shipments will be made during July, August and September, unless otherwise requested. Since the prices are so low, do not ask me to fill an order for less than $\$ 2.00$ if it is to be delivered, unless 25 cents is added for postage. All orders will be carefully packed without extra charge. Retail orders amounting to $\$ 2.00$ or more will be delivered free, either by express or parcel post anywhere in the United States. Foreign delivery at cost.

## Cash Discounts

Cash discounts allowed on retail orders received and paid for before July 1 st, amounting to less than $\$ 50.00$, 2 per cent; $\$ 50.00$ or over, 5 per cent; $\$ 100.00$ or over, 10 per cent. Other benefits of equal value you will receive from placing your order at once are:

Extra Quality-from first selection of plants.
Better Service-by avoiding rush period.
No disappointments-due to sold out varieties.
Save money-by taking advantage of discounts.
Special prices will be quoted on 500 or more of one variety, and large orders made up of a small number of many varieties. Wholesale price list will be sent to dealers only.

## Guarantee

Roots sent out will be average size or larger for the variety represented. They are grown under my personal supervision. I personally fill all orders. Original plants of practically all varieties have been received direct from the originator, insuring true stock. The greatest possible care is then exercised to keep all varieties accurately labeled and true to name. Certificate of nursery inspection will accompany each shipment. All plants are guaranteed to reach you in good condition. If not entirely satisfactory upon receipt, I will cheerfully refund the purchase price, provided plants are returned at once. If for any other reason they are not satisfactory, please advise at once and you can depend upon me to adjust same. Remember the deal is not closed until all reliable customers are satisfied. Planting instructions accompany each shipment.

## What Others Say

Irises were shipped to practically all States last year and several foreign countries. I received many generous expressions of the quality of plants supplied and prompt service rendered--big healthy, vigorous plants, carefully packed to arrive in good condition, and at prices almost unequalled.

An Oregon grower wrote upon receipt of shipment, "We here in the Northwest boast of big husky rhizomes, but you have us beaten. Never saw finer plants and in such perfect condition."

A grower in Michigan said "I want to tell you what I think of the kind of plants you sent me. They were wonderful. I appreciate your generous treatment."

From Missouri, "In my twenty years buying irises, I have never received better plants, especially of the new varieties."

A New England iris specialist wrote me, "You are doing a wonderful thing for the iris trade to send out such fine plants at such remarkable prices."

What an iris grower in Kentucky wrote, "I am more than pleased with my order. The plants arrived in perfect condition. The plants purchased last year gave me excellent results."

A grower in California wrote, "I am glad to inform you that my order of iris arrived in first-class condition yesterday afternoon. (October 11th). And they also are the best appearing ones I have ever received. They should all come along fine and bloom next spring. Would you inform me if I placed orders for iris this coming season from the people who see my gardens, will you furnish me more at the prices quoted this year?"

It has been a genuine pleasure to have such expressions of approval or to know if for any reason an order has not been entirely satisfactory.

## An "Iris Lovers' Guide"

For full descriptions of varieties, care and planting instructions or other information refer to my new Catalogue or Iris Lovers' Guide, as it has been referred to by many, "New, Rare and Good Old Irises." About 1,000 varieties have been accurately described and rated. Among other things will be the name of originator and date of introduction, principal awards, average height of bloom stalk, season of bloom from very early to very late, both garden and exhibition rating, how to select, plant and care for irises, and other information not otherwise readily available.

I have received many favorable comments on this endeavor. One grower stated in his catalogue: "In view of my own disappointment in getting out the list that I had hoped to, I take pleasure in recommending to you an Iris list which is the most complete and valuable for descriptions of any I have ever seen. It is issued by Earl Wooddell Sheets . . . It sells for 25 cents but is worth a dollar to anyone who is really interested in iris, for the information it contains."

Another grower wrote: "You have done more to help the commercial iris game than any other similar effort in a dozen years." And another "The 25 cents I paid for your 'Iris Lovers' Guide' was the best iris investment I have ever made," and so on by the dozen.

The Bulletin of the American Iris Society, No. 30, January, 1929, states:
"For the real collector . . . the new Catalogue of the Treholme Gardens offer the most comprehensive lists I have run across, of recent years. Mr. Sheets with more space at his disposal gives good reasons for even the poorly rated. For the student his descriptions are markedly thorough and helpful. His private ratings on exhibition and garden value average no higher than those in the symposium and though my experience with some varieties varies from his reports that is only to be expected in a different clime or garden. He gives height accurately and is the first in this country at least to record seasons from very early to very late. This is in itself a real contribution even though it records the facts in only one possibly small district. The premiums offered to customers who become members of the society are only approached (by one other). Whatever the actual returns to the society may be we owe much to their generous expression of interest."

An official of the American Iris Society wrote: "I find your "Iris Lover's Guide" indispensable in the show room and in the selection of varieties for exhibitions as well as for all other purposes throughout the year."

Another said: "I appreciate your exhibition and garden rating information. Your appraisal of the new ones especially is invaluable. It has saved and made me many dollars."

The 1932 edition contains more than 250 new varieties and omits nearly as many that I consider have been superseded or are no longer needed. If you are a customer of mine and have purchased iris during the past year, you have already received a copy or I will gladly send you one upon request, to others the price is 25 cents. Do not send coin. Send P. O. Money Order or Stamps to avoid possible loss. A copy will be sent free with all orders. If a copy is purchased at 25 cents and an order amounting to $\$ 2.50$ is placed later, any 50 cent iris may be selected free.

I have added Japanese, Dutch and Spanish iris this year and have given tentative ratings. Peonies have been added also, with exhibition, garden, and commercial ratings given for the first time.

Treholme Gardens are located within sight of the National Capital near College Park, Md. Visitors are always welcome, but by appointment only.

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## RETAIL PRICE LIST

For complete description, exhibition and garden rating, average height, season of bloom, etc., of all varieties, together with other information not readily available, see my 1932 Iris Lovers' G'uide and Descriptive Catalogue, "New, Rare and Good Old Irises." It is free to those who purchased iris the past year. To others it is 25 cents. If you purchase iris this year to the amount of $\$ 2.50$, you will receive a copy free. Or if you purchase a copy now and buy iris later this year, you will receeive a credit of any 50 cent iris selected from this list. For quantity prices see pages $5,6,14$ and 15 ; wholesale price list available to dealers only.

# TALL AND INTERMEDIATE BEARDED IRIS 

## (May and June Flowering)


#### Abstract

This group may be said to be the most satisfactory and easily grown group of plants now in cultivation. They are unexcelled for brilliancy of color, very hardy and free flowering and excellent for cutting. In the effort to have bloom in the garden throughout the year, Mayflowering Irises should not be overlooked. During late seasons this group provides the only memorial Day flower to be found in quantity. They are most useful and dependable, being of medium height and early to bloom. They are especially useful as borders for tulip beds. The intermediate varieties are from 18 to 28 inches in height being taller than the Dwarfs, bloom ten days later and a week or more before the Tall Bearded varieties. They are, therefore, intermediate in size as well as in height and, for the most part, in season of bloom. The Tall Bearded varieties begin blooming in late May and bloom for six weeks most seasons. They vary in height from 30 inches up to 50 inches or more.


| Name of Variety | Each | Name of Variety | Each |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Aareshort | \$ 1.00 | Athanael | 2.00 |
| Abenda | . 35 | Aurelle | . 75 |
| Acacia Rose | . 75 | Aurifero | 1.00 |
| Acheron | . 35 | Autumn Glow | . 50 |
| Aksarben | . 35 | Autumn King | . 50 |
| Alabaster | . 50 | Autumn Queen | . 50 |
| Alcazar | . 20 | Avalon ------------- | . 50 |
| Aliquippa | . 75 | Avatar | 1.00 |
| Allies | 1.00 | Azrael | . 35 |
| Allure | 3.00 | Azulado | . 35 |
| Alta California | 25.00 | Azyiade | 2.00 |
| Alvarado | . 35 | Balboa | . 35 |
| Ambassadeur | . 25 | Baldwin | 1.50 |
| Amber | . 35 | Ballerine | . 35 |
| Amber Wave | 15.00 | Bandollero | . 35 |
| Ambrosia | 3.00 | Beau Sabreur | 3.00 |
| Amerind | 1.00 | Belisaire | . 75 |
| Amneres | 2.00 | Benbow | . 20 |
| Andante | 5.00 | Benrimo | . 35 |
| Andree Autissier | . 75 | Bertrand | . 35 |
| Andrew Jackson | 3.00 | Bezant | 7.50 |
| Anne Marie Cayeux | 7.50 | Blackamoor | 20.00 |
| Ann Page | . 35 | Blue Aphrodite | 7.50 |
| Antares | . 75 | Blue Banner | 3.00 |
| Apache | . 35 | Bluet | . 20 |
| Aphrodite | . 35 | Blue Hill | 5.00 |
| Aquamarine | . 75 | Blue Torch | 20.00 |
| Arcturus | . 50 | Blue Velvet | 15.00 |
| Argos | 2.50 | Bonita | 1.00 |
| Argynnis | . 20 | Bonnieblue | 1.00 |
| Ariadine | . 35 | Bourem | 1.00 |
| Ariel | . 50 | Brenthis | . 35 |
| Arlette | . 35 | Brilliant | . 35 |
| Arlington | . 35 | Bruno | 1.00 |
| Arnal | . 50 | Buto | 1.00 |
| Arsace | . 25 | B. Y. Morrison | . 25 |
| Arzani | 1.00 | Cameliard | 2.50 |
| Asa | 1.00 | Cameo | . 50 |
| Asia | . 35 | Candlelight | 1.00 |
| Asphodel | 2.00 | Canopus | . 25 |


| Name of Variety | Each | Name of Variety | Each |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cantata | 3.00 | Detaille | 1.00 |
| Canyon Mists | 1.00 | Deucalion | . 25 |
| Carcanet -- | . 35 | Dimity | . 20 |
| Cardinal | 1.50 | Dione | 2.50 |
| Cassandra Perry | . 35 | Distinction | 2.00 |
| Cassandre Cayeux | 5.00 | Dogrose | 5.00 |
| Cassiopee Vilmorin | 1.00 | Dolly Madison | 2.00 |
| Cattleya | . 35 | Dominion --- | 1.50 |
| Cavalier | . 20 | Don Juan Cayeux | 10.00 |
| Cavatine | 15.00 | Don Quixote | . 50 |
| Cecile Minturn | . 20 | Dorothy Dietz | 4.00 |
| Celeste | . 20 |  | 10.00 |
| Centurian | 1.00 | Doxa | 2.50 |
| Chalcedony | . 50 | Dr. Chas. H. Mayo | . 75 |
| Chalice | . 25 | Dream | . 25 |
| Charis | 2.50 | Dreamlight | . 35 |
| Chartier | 1.00 | Druid | 2.50 |
| Chatelet | . 50 | Dryade | 1.50 |
| Chasseur | . 25 | Duchess Sarah | 2.00 |
| Chester J. | . 25 | Duke of Bedford | . 50 |
| Chestnut | . 50 | Duke of York | . 25 |
| Chief | . 50 | Dulcinea | . 35 |
| Chromylla | 20.00 | Duquesne | 2.00 |
| Churchmouse | 1.00 | Dusk | . 50 |
| Cinnabar | 2.00 | E. A. Bowles | 2.00 |
| Citronella | . 35 | Eclaireur | . 35 |
| Clara Noyes | 10.00 | Eden Phillpotts | 1.00 |
| Claridad | . 35 | Edgewood | 2.00 |
| Classic | 20.00 | Edouard Michel | . 20 |
| Claude Aureau | 20.00 | Eglamour | . 25 |
| Claude Monet | 1.00 | E. H. Jenkins | . 25 |
| Clement Desormes | . 50 | Elaine | . 50 |
| Clio | . 20 | Elberon | . 25 |
| Columbine | 15.00 | El Capitan | 1.00 |
| Conchita | . 50 | Elizabeth Egelberg | 3.00 |
| Conchobar | 1.00 | Elizabeth Huntington | 2.50 |
| Conquistador | . 50 | Elsa -------------------- | 1.00 |
| Cooley Surprise | 4.00 | Elsinore | 2.00 |
| Coppersmith | 1.50 | Ember | . 75 |
| Cornault | . 50 | Empire | . 20 |
| Corona | 7.50 | Empress of India | . 50 |
| Coronado | . 35 | Enchantment | 5.00 |
| Coronation | 2.00 | Endymion | 2.00 |
| Corrida | . 20 | Ensorceleur | 2.00 |
| Cretan | . 50 | Esplendido | . 35 |
| Crimson Glow | . 50 | Esterel | 4.00 |
| Crimson King | . 20 | Estrallon | . 75 |
| Crucible | 4.00 | Etoile du Matin | 2.00 |
| Crusader | . 25 | Etta | . 20 |
| Cydalise | 15.00 | Euphemia | 1.50 |
| Cygnet | . 35 | Euphony | 1.00 |
| Damozel | . 35 | Evadne | . 35 |
| Daphne | . 25 | Evening Glow | 2.50 |
| Darius | . 20 | Eventide | . 50 |
| Dauntless | 7.50 | Evolution | 15.00 |
| Day Dream | 4.00 | Fairy | . 20 |
| Debussy | 3.00 | Farandole | 4.00 |
| Debutante | 1.00 | Fascination | 6.00 |
| Deese | 1.00 | Feronia | . 25 |
| Dejah | . 25 | Fidelio | 1.00 |
| Delicatissima | . 35 | Firefall | 1.00 |
| Delight | 1.00 | Firmament | . 20 |
| Depute Nomblot -------------------1. | 25.00 | Fismes | . 50 |
| Desert Gold --- | 15.00 | Flambeau | 2.00 |

Name of VarietyEach
Flammenschwert ..... 35Florentina20
Flutter-By ..... 35
Folkwang ..... 50
Fra Angelico1.00
Each
75Francheville4.00 Hussard
Frieda Mohr1.50 Hyacinthus50
Fritjof.20 Hydromel50
5Frivolite10.00 Hyperion
Fro 20 Ideal ..... 85
Fromentin 2.00 Imperator ..... 25
Fulgore 15.00 Impressario ..... 75
Gabriel 2.00 Inca ..... 25
Gamalia 2.00 Indian Chief ..... 7.50
Garden White 50 Iris King ..... 20
Gargantue 2.00 Ishtar ..... 1.00
Garnet75 Isis20
Gaulois ..... 20
2.00 Isoline
Gaviota ..... 75
.25 Istria
Gay Hussar ..... 35
Jacinto
General McPherson ..... 35
Geo. J. Tribolet .35 Jacquesiana ..... 20
George Yeld 25 Jane Williamson ..... 1.00
Georgia 25 Jason ..... 20.00
Germaine Perthuis .75 J. C. Weld ..... 35
Giant King
3.00 Jean Chevreau .....  35
Gladys Roberts 25 Jeanne D'Arc ..... 20
Glamour 75 Joya ..... 35
Gleam
Gleam 2.50 Joycette 2.50 Joycette ..... 20.00 ..... 20.00
Gloaming 7.50 Jubilee ..... 35
Gloriae 1.00 Julia Marlowe ..... 35
Glowing Embers 50 Juniata ..... 20
Gluck Cayeux 4.00 Kalif ..... 1.50
Gnome
Gobelin Red. 25 Kalos25
Gold Crest
7.50 Kansas ..... 2.00
20 Kashmir White ..... 35Golden Glory
1.00 Katherine McFarland ..... 3.00
Golden Harvest 4.00 Kathryn Fryer ..... 20
Golde Promis
Golden Promise .35 Kedron ..... 2.00
Gold Imperial 35 Kestrel ..... 75
Grace Sturtevant 6.00 King Juba ..... 15.00
Grandiosa 6.00 King Karl ..... 75
Grand Monarch 7.50 King Midas ..... 10.00
Grapta . 20 King Tut ..... 2.00
Graziella 15.00 Klamath ..... 15.00
Greuze 3.00 Knysna ..... 20
Grisette 1.50 Kochii .....  20
Gwendolyn 2.50 Kurdastan ..... 50
Halo 25 La Bohemienne ..... 1.00
Harmony .25 Labor ..... 1.00
Harpalion .25 Lady Byng ..... 20
Harriet Presby 25 Lady Charles Allom ..... 35
Hassan 10.00 Lady Lillian ..... 50
Helen Campbell 6.00 Lady Mary Hudson ..... 15.00
Helios Cayeux10.00 Lady Sackville2.00
Henri Riviere 6.00 L'Aiglon ..... 1.00
Her Majesty ..... 20
Lamia ..... 2.00
Hermodus ..... 20
Hermione ..... 50 ..... 2.00
Hernani10.00 Le Grande Ferre
50
Herodiate 2.00 Lent A. Williamson ..... 20
25 Leonato Hesperis ..... 35
Hidalgo .50 Leota .....  20
High Light 1.00 Leverrier ..... 35
Name of Variety Each Name of Variety Each
Lindbergh ..... 2.00
Lionel Millet ..... 25
Lodestar ..... 2.50
Montour ..... 2.00
Lohengrin .....  20
Lona .....  50
Montpelier ..... 1.50
1.00
Loraine Morgan
35
35
Lord Lambourne
Lord Lambourne
35
35
Lord of June
Lord of June .....
3.00 .....
3.00
Los Angeles
Los Angeles
75
75
Loudoun
Loudoun ..... 75
Louis David ..... 3.00
Luciane ..... 2.50
Lulworth ..... 25
Lustre ..... 35
Magenta
Magenta ..... 3.00 ..... 3.00
Magnifica .....  35
Magnificent .....  50
Majestic ..... 35
MaMie ..... 20
Manon ..... 1.00
Maori Princess50
M. A. Porter ..... 15.00
Margery ..... 75
Marjorie Tinley35
Marquisette ..... 3.00
Marsh Marigold ..... 25
Mary Barnett ..... 75
Mary Gibson ..... 35 ..... 35
Mary Williamson ..... 35
Massasoit ..... 20
Massena .....  35
Mauna Loa ..... 2.50
Moonbeam ..... 4.00
Moonlight ..... 35
Moon Magic ..... 10.00
Mopsa ..... 75
Morning Glory ..... 15.00
Morning Splendor ..... 35
Mother of Pearl ..... 25
Mount Royal ..... 2.50
Mrs. A. S. Hoyt ..... 75
Mrs. Cuthbertson ..... 35
Mrs. Edward Harding ..... 2.50
Mrs. Hetty Matson ..... 20
Mrs. H. F. Bowles ..... 25
Mrs. Marion Cran ..... 1.00
Mrs. Perry ..... 75
Mrs. Robert Emmet ..... 3.00
Mrs. Valerie West ..... 6.00
Mrs. Wicht ..... 1.00
Murillo Vilmorin ..... 1.00
My Lady ..... 35
My Maryland ..... 20.00
Mystic ..... 25 ..... 25
Nancy Orne ..... 25
Naomi ..... 75
Nebraska ..... 1.00
Nemorlia ..... 5.00
Nene ..... 7.50
Maxime Cornu ..... 35 ..... 1.00
M. Brun
M. Brun
May Sadler ..... 75
Newtonia ..... 15.00
Nimbus ..... 25
Nocturne ..... 5.00
Norma ..... 4.00
No-we-ta ..... 20.00
Numa Rumestan ..... 6.00
Medrano ..... 35
Melchior ..... 7.50 ..... 7.50
Nusku ..... 3.00Nymph1.00
20.00 Meldoric ..... 35
35
Melrose
75
75
Menetrier
Menetrier .....  50Odenvoge
2.50.35 Okoboji
Mentor.20 Old Gold
Merlin5.00
75Messaline3.00 Old Ivory
Mestor .....  50.25 Olive Murrell
Micheline Charraire 1.00 Oliver Perthuis ..... 1.00
1.00 Olwen ..... 6.0025
Midwest MidwestMignardMildred PresbyMiranda
25 Olympus ..... 35
1.00 Omaha ..... 2.50
.25 Onyx .....  50
25 Opaline ..... 3.00
Mirasol
7.50 Opera ..... 25
Mlle. Schwartz 25 Ophelia ..... 1.00
Mme. Abel Chatenay 35 Ophir Gold ..... 25
Mme. Cecile Bouscant 1.50 Oread ..... 75
Mme. Cheri .25 Oregon Beauty
15.00
Mme. Chobaut 20 Oregon Giant ..... 10.00
Mme. Denis . 50 Oriflamme ..... 20
Mme. Durrand 1.00 Orient Pearl ..... 15.00
Mme. Henri Cayeux 75 Orion ..... 2.00
Mme. Laredo 1.00 Osprey ..... 6.00
Mme. Serouge 15.00 Padusoy ..... 1.00
Moa
1.00 Palemon ..... 20
Monterey 6.00 Parc de Neuilly ..... 25
Name of Variety Each Name of Variety
Pavane ..... 2.00
Peaches ..... 10.00
Peau Rouge ..... 35
Peerless2.50
Rose Unique ..... 25
Roseway ..... 25
Rozanna ..... 75
15.00
RubeoPegase2.00 Rubyd
20
20Pendrapon2.00
Perladonna ..... 25
Ruby Perry ..... 25
Persia ..... 15.00 ..... 4.00
Petrucchio 3.00 San Diego ..... 6.00
Phosphor 10.00 San Francisco ..... 3.00
Phryne 2.00 San Gabriel ..... 50
Pink Satin 20.00 San Luis Ray ..... 2.50
Pioneer .35 Santa Barbara75
Pioneer Mother 4.00 Sapphid ..... 25
Pluie d'Or 7.50 Seminole ..... 20
Plumed Knight 25 Senlac ..... 20.00
Pongee 6.00 Sensation ..... 3.00
Prairie Gold 75 Sequoiah ..... 2.00
Primavera 50 Serenade ..... 3.00
Primrose .50 Shasta ..... 2.00
Prince Charming 35 Shekinah ..... 20
Princess Beatrice 35 Sherwin Wright ..... 20
Princess Osra ..... 35
Shiawassee ..... 3.00
Prophete ..... 20.00
20 Silverado ..... 2.00
Prosper Laugier
Prospero 25 Silver Mist ..... 3525
Proteus 1.00 Silver Queen ..... 75
Puget7.50 Silver Ribbon
25PurissimaPurple Glory3.00 Simone Vassiere35
3.00 Simplicity ..... 35
Purple Haze.75 Sindjkha20
Quaker Lady 20 Sir Galahad ..... 50
Queen Caterina 20 Sirius ..... 2.00
Quevera 5.00 Sir Michael5.00
00
Ragusa 2.50 Skitchwaug10.00
Rajput25 Snowdrift
2.00
Rameldo 35 Snow White
20
Rameses 7.50 Soledad
1.00
1.00
Ramona
Ramona 25 Solferino 25 Solferino
1.00
1.00
Rayo De Sol
Rayo De Sol 7.50 Sonata 7.50 Sonata ..... 3.00 ..... 1.00
Sonoma
Red Dominion ..... 1.00
Redwing 4.00 Sorcerer ..... 2.00
Regan25 Souv. de Loetitia Michaud1.00
Rene Cayeux 75 Souv. de Mme. Gaudichau ..... 25
Reverie ..... 75
Steepway ..... 20
Rhadi 10.00 Stipples ..... 1.00
1.00 Storm
Rhea1.00
Rheinfels 1.00 Sudan ..... 20
Rheingauperle ..... 35
Suffren
Rhein Nixe ..... 7.50
20 Summer Cloud
Rheintraube ..... 2.50
.25 Sunbeam
Rialgar ..... 10.00
Ri-Kochi ..... 25
1.00 Susan Bliss
Robert W. Wallace ..... 35
1.00 Suzanne Autissier
Romance Murrell ..... 1.50
3.00 Swazi
Romola ..... 25 ..... 1.00
Romulus ..... 35
Rosa Bonheur 2nd 1.00 Talisman ..... 15.00Rosado. 50 Talwar6.00
Rosalba20 Tenebrae35
Rose Madder .35 Thais ..... 1.50
Rose Marie6.00 Theseus 50
Rose of Cuba 5.00 Tharsten ..... 75

| Name of Variety | Each | Name of Variety | Each |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tintillion | . 25 | Volumnia | 50 |
| Titan | . 35 | Waconda | 7.50 |
| Titus | 1.00 | Wambliska | 20.00 |
| Tommy Tucker | 6.00 | Watteau | . 75 |
| Tom Tit | . 35 | W. C. Terry | . 50 |
| Topazin | 1.00 | Wedgewood | . 35 |
| Tropic Seas | . 35 | Western Dream | . 25 |
| Trostringer | . 75 | Western Skies | 3.00 |
| Troyon | 1.00 | White and Gold | 2.00 |
| True Charm | . 35 | White Knight | . 25 |
| True Delight | . 75 | White Nymph | . 50 |
| Tuscany Gold | 5.00 | White Queen | . 25 |
| 27 Avri | . 35 | Woodland | 2.00 |
| Tyrian | 1.00 | W. R. Dykes | 20.00 |
| Uncle Remus | 3.00 | Yellow Hammer | . 25 |
| Valencia | . 50 | Yellow Moon --- | . 35 |
| Valery Mayet | . 20 | Yoeman | . 50 |
| Valkyrie | . 50 | Yolande | . 50 |
| Van Cleve | 2.00 | Yves Lassailly | 5.00 |
| Van Dyck | 2.50 | Yvonne Pelletier | . 25 |
| Veloute <br> Venetia | . 75 | Zada ------------- | . 35 |
| Vert Galant | 25.00 | Zaharoon | 20.00 |
| Vesper Gold | . 75 | Zouave | . 25 |
| Viking | . 25 | Zilia | . 25 |
| Vincentio | . 50 | Zua | . 25 |
| Viola | . 20 | Zulu | 1.50 |

## MAKE YOUR OWN COLLECTIONS

It is recommended that you make your own collections. By doing so you will avoid the disappointment of getting varieties you already have or do not want. The quantity prices on pages 5, 6 and 15 should enable individuals, Garden Clubs or other groups to make a substantial saving and at the same time obtain the varieties desired. While the prices quoted are already unusually low considering the quality of plants offered a further saving of onethird the retail price may be made as indicated below, if 3 each of 50 different varieties can be used:

Select 50 different varieties your choice, priced at 20 cents each and I will send you 3 of each or 150 plants for $\$ 20.00$, a saving of $\$ 10.00$.

Select 50 different varieties your choice, priced at 25 cents each and I will send you 3 of each or 150 plants for $\$ 25.00$, a saving of $\$ 12.50$.

Select 50 different varieties your choice, priced at 35 cents each and I will send you 3 of each or 150 plants for $\$ 35.00$, a saving of $\$ 17.50$.

Select 50 different varieties your choice, priced at 50 cents each and I will send you 3 of each or 150 plants for $\$ 50.00$, a saving of $\$ 25.00$.

Select 50 different varieties your choice, priced at 75 cents each and I will send you 3 of each or 150 plants for $\$ 75.00$, a saving of $\$ 37.50$.

Select 50 different varieties your choice, priced at $\$ 1.00$ each and I will send you 3 of each or 150 plants for $\$ 100.00$, a saving of $\$ 50.00$.

If you are unable to make up the collections desired at a price that is attractive, submit a list of the varieties you want and the number of each and I will be glad to quote you a special price on the collection.

## BARGAIN LIST


#### Abstract

The following varieties of Tall Bearded irises will be sold, if order is received and paid for before July 1st, five of one variety for 50 cents; 25 of one variety for $\$ 2.00$; the wholesale rate to dealers, for 15 cent retail varieties, will apply while they last.

The list includes many beautiful and attractive varieties in almost any desired color. I have a number of personal favorites in the list. In the absence of the newer and better varieties they would still be very desirable. After years of the most thorough trial and observation, however, I feel that further propagation is not justified. While they are no longer recommended, they are offered at very low prices to those who desire them.


Name of Variety
Afterglow
Albert Victor
Amas
Ambigu
Angelo
Anna Farr
Anne Bullen
Anne Leslie
Antonio
Apricot
Arac
Aragon
Archeveque
Argentina
Armand Clavaud
Askabad
Athene
Atlas
Aurea
Aurora
Austin
Azure
Azure Glow
Balaruc
Banbo
Barrelane
Barton Harrington
Bealdor
Beau Ideal
Belcolor
Belladonna
Bianca
Black Prince
Blue Bird
Blue Boy
Blue Jay
Blue Lagoon
Bolingbroke
Boyer
Brandywine
Camelot
Caporal
Caprice
Carthusian
Catalina
Catalosa
Caterina
Cengialti
Chlorinda
Cinderella
Cluny
Col. Candelot

Name of Varietr
Colias
Cordelia
Cordon Bleu
Cretonne
Cypriana
Cypriana Superba
Daisy Hill
Dalila
Dawn
Delegrange
Demi-Deuil
Diabolo
Diadem
Diouyza
Dolores
Dolphin
Donna Marie
Donna Nook
Dora Longdon
Dorinde
Drake
Dusky Maid
Eckesachs
E. C. Shaw

Edith Cavel
Eldorado
Emir
Empress
Faith
Fedora
Fenella
Franciana
Franklyn Beynon
Fryer's Glory
Fuerstin Lonyay
Gajus
Genghis Khan
Germaine LeClerc
Gertrude
Gloire DeHillegom
Golden Fleece
Grevin
Gules
Halfdan
Harriet
Heutefeuille
Hector
Helene Koehler
Hiawatha

Name of Variety
Homer
Hortense Leroy
Hubert
Igouf
Ivanhoe
James Boyd
J. B. Dumas

Jennett Dean
J. J. Dean

Jordan
Juliet
Junonia
Jussieu
Karen
Khamsin
Kharput
King George
Lady Foster
Lancelot
La Nuit
Lavengro
Leda
Lent A. Williamson
Leone Trenance
Lepinoux
Lewis Trowbridge
Loreley
Lycaena
Mady Carriere
Major
Mandalay
Maori King
Margaret Moor
Marginata
Maria
Marian Mohr
Mariposa
Mary Garden
Mary Orth
M. Aymard

Meimung
Megas
M. Hubert

Milky Way
Mistress Ford
Mithras
Mme. Blanche Pion
Mme. Chabal
Mme. Chereau

Name of Variety
Mme. DeSevigne
Mme. Janiaud
Mme. Vernoux
Moliere
Monsignor
Montezuma
Mount Penn
Mrs. Alan Gray
Mrs. Charles Pearson
Mrs. E. T. Vieussuex
Mrs. Fryer
Mrs. Kingscote
Mrs. Tinley
Muzeris
Myth
Navajo
Neptune
Nibelungen
Nine Wells
Nuce D'Orage
Oberon
Odin
Odoratissima
Oporto
Orchid
Orizaba
Our King
Parisiana
Paulina
Pauline
Paxatawny
Perfection
Perry's Favourite
Petit Vitry
Petrel
Pfauenauge
Pink Goliath

Name of Variety
Pink Progression
Pocahontas
Polaris
Pont-a-Mousson
Porcelain
Porsenna
Powhatan
Princess Royal
Princess Toto
Prinzess Viktoria Luise
Priscilla
Prof. Seeliger
Prosperity
Purple King
Queen Alexandra
Queen Eleanor
Queen Flavia
Queen of May
Raffet
Rangoon
Red Cloud
Red Riding Hood
Renee de Laborde
Rodney
Romany
Romeo
Rosalind
Rotorua
Ruby Queen
Rugajo
Safrano
Salonique
Saracen
Sarpedon
Savignian
Schwanhilde
Shalimar

Name of Variety
Shelford Chieftain
Sherbert
Shrewsbury
Solana
Splendour
Stanley
Stanley H. White
Suzon
Swatara
Syphax

Tamar
Thelma Perry
Thunder-cloud
Trianon
Troades
Trojana
Troost
Tunisie
Turco

Vanessa
Viel Or
Violacea Grandiflora
Virginia Moore

Walhalla
W. F. Christman

White Star
Wild Rose
William Marshall
Windham
W. J. Fryer

W yomissing
Yellowstone

Zephyr

## DWARF IRISES

## (April Flowering-Pumila)

The Dwarf varieties are being used in ornamental beds, either of a single coloring or with a harmonious combination of coloring. Their greatest usefulness, however, probably is as low-growing borders for other plants. They are also used in rock gardens for which, on account of their ability to withstand drodghts, they are especially well adapted. They increase rapidly and soon fill their part to good advantage.


| Name of Variety | Each | Name of Variety | Each |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | . 35 | Pearle | 1.00 |
| Glee | . 75 | Petit Daniel | . 75 |
| Gracilis | . 35 | Petite Amie | 1.00 |
| Graminea | . 75 | Phoebus | 1.00 |
| Harris | . 35 | Pixie | 5.00 |
| Honey Boy | 2.50 | Prairie Gem | . 35 |
| Josephine | . 50 | Rose Mist | 2.50 |
| Laddie Boy | 2.00 | Schneekuppe | . 35 |
| Le Pactole | 1.00 | Sfax | 1.00 |
| Lobelia | . 35 | Siam | . 50 |
| Maia | 1.00 | Socrates | . 75 |
| Marocain | . 35 | Speedwell | . 50 |
| Marsouin | 1.00 | Standard | . 50 |
| Max | 1.00 | Stewart | . 50 |
| Meteor | . 35 | Syra --- | . 35 |
| Mireille | . 75 | Verdun | . 25 |
| Mongol | . 50 | Verdun | . 25 |
| Negus | . 50 | Villereal | . 25 |
| Niobe | . 25 | Ylo | . 75 |
| Orange Queen | . 35 | Zullichau | . 50 |

## SIBERIAN IRISES

Among the most elegant of all Irises and among the easiest to grow are the varieties of this group. They are among the best for cutting or for massing by the waterside. The flowers are various shades of blue and purple, with white or pink markings and pure white. They succeed best in moist locations.

| Name of Variety | Each | Name of Variety | Each |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Blue Wings | 4.00 | Orientalis | . 25 |
| Bob White | 2.00 | Papillion | . 75 |
| Butterfly | . 75 | Periwinkle | 3.00 |
| Dragonfly | 1.00 | Perry's Blue | . 25 |
| Emperor | . 25 | Red Emperor | 2.00 |
| Ensata | . 50 | Red Raider | 2.00 |
| Florrie Ridler | . 35 | Silver Tip | 5.00 |
| George Wallace | $\begin{array}{r}.50 \\ \hline .00\end{array}$ | Skylark | . 35 |
| Kingfisher -- | 2.00 .50 | Snow Queen | . 35 |
| Kingurisher B | 5.00 | Sunnybrook | . 50 |
| Miss Dodo | . 50 | Turquoise Cup | 2.00 |
|  | 1.00 | White Dove | 4.00 |

## MISCELLANEOUS IRISES

## (Species and Varieties)

There are a great many species, sub-species and varieties of Irises. I have grown many of this group for a number of years. I have imported them from England and France a number of times. Some difficulty is encountered in getting some of these new varieties to establish themselves. I give them very similar treatment to the other groups, except where noted. They require somewhat different treatment as to season to dig, divide, reset, and ship, which information is given to those interested. This group contains many of my favorites. Most of these irises are especially adapted for use in rock gardens.
Each Name of Variety Each

| Name of Variety | Each | Name of Variety | Each |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bellorio | . 50 | Foliosa | 75 |

Bellorio .....
Foliosa ..... 75
Carmelo ..... 75
.35 Fulvala Christata .....  3 ..... 75
50
1.00 Hoogiana
1.00 Hoogiana ..... 1.50 ..... 1.50
Dilkash
Dilkash
2.00 Ibpall ..... 75
Dorak
35 Kashmiriana ..... 2.00

- Dorothea K. Williamson ..... 35
3.00 Khamsin
3.00 Khamsin
Foetidissima . 50 Kcrolkowi2.50
Name of Variety Each Name of Variety Each
Lady Lilford ..... 1.00
Lord Wolseley ..... 1.00
Monnieri ..... 75
Mons. Steichen ..... 2.00
Mrs. Tait ..... 50
Nazarin ..... 75
Ochroleuca ..... 1.00
Ochroleuca Canari ..... 2.00
Parsam ..... 1.00
Parvar ..... 1.00
Pseudacorus ..... 35
Psyche ..... 1.50
Sagamore ..... 10.00
Shrevei Blue ..... 50
Shrevei White ..... 1.00
Shushan ..... 75
Sir Trevor Lawrence ..... 2.00
Spuria Aurea ..... 1.00
Stolonifera ..... 2.50
Susiana ..... 2.50
Tectorum ..... 50
Tectorum Alba ..... 3.00
Tertio ..... 2.00
William Mohr ..... 2.00
Watti ..... 5.00
Zwanenburg ..... 25


## Japanese Irises

For a richly colored display in the border or for specimen clumps, Japanese Irises are highly recommended. They bloom after the bearded iris and continue for several weeks. They are excellent for cutting and for garden decoration. The colors are very striking, being white blue, purple, red and combinations of these colors, beautifully harmonized. While they require somewhat different treatment than the bearded varieties, yet they are hardy and most satisfactory. They require a sunny location and a rich soil with plenty of moisture, but where water does not stand. The addition of a little peat moss to clay soils will be very beneficial Since they do best in slightly acid soil, no lime should be used; in locations where there is danger from heaving during freezing weather a light mulch may be applied the first season after planting.

I have been growing a large number of the best named varieties of Japanese iris for many years in my attempts to classify and rate, both for exhibition and landscape purposes, While this work is progressing I have accumulated a surplus of many varieties that I can now offer at unusual prices. They are first class plants in every respect and up to the Treholme Standard and Quality.

Delivery will begin about September 15th, or earlier if desired. The danger from dry weather has usually passed by that date and they can be planted without loss. Japanese Iris are quite hardy. They do not stand dry weather at planting time, however, as well as the bearded varieties. If weather is dry when planted they should be watered frequently until established.

| Name of Variety | Each | Name of Variety | Each |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Airship | 1.00 | Kumo-Isho | 1.00 |
| Amethyst | . 75 | Kuro-Kumo | . 50 |
| Angel's Den | . 50 | Lawrence | 2.00 |
| Asagire | . 50 | Lester Lovett | . 75 |
| Atlanta | 1.50 | Mahogany | 1.00 |
| Ayasi | 50 | Monija | 1.50 |
| Blue Danube | 1.00 | Momiji-No-Taki | 1.00 |
| Bobby Sipe | 1.50 | Mongol Khan | . 75 |
| Celestine | 1.00 | Moonlight Waves | 1.50 |
| Cherry Blossom | 2.00 | Neptune | . 75 |
| Cloud Dress | . 50 | Normandy | 1.50 |
| Cloudy Sky | . 75 | Olympia | 1.00 |
| Doji ----- | . 50 | Otomene | 1.50 |
| Francis E. Cleveland | 1.50 | Paragon | . 75 |
| Gekka-No-Nami | . 75 | Proserpine | . 50 |
| Gold Bound | . 50 | Quakeress | 1.50 |
| Harmony | . 75 | Red Ridinghood | . 50 |
| Hatsuka | . 50 | Selkirk | 1.50 |
| Hollyhock | 1.50 | Shoryui | . 75 |
| Hotari | . 75 | Taimanya | 1.00 |
| J. A. Hayden | . 75 | Totty's True Blue | 1.00 |
| Kamata | . 75 | Van Hoesen ----- | 1.00 |
| Kha Khan | .75 1.50 | Venice --- | 1.00 |
| Koki-No-Iro | 1.50 | Wakamu | . 50 |
| Komachi | . 50 | Wakamura | 75 |
| Kombarin | . 50 | Wister's Favorite | 1.50 |
| Koyka | . 75 | Treholme Collection | 3.00 |

## Dutch and Spanish Irises

For several years I have been growing Dutch and Spanish Iris. The growing of these types has given me great pleasure. They come in pure white and all shades from white, through red, yellow, blue and to deep purple, some being spotted, splashed and mottled most artistically, in a wonderful harmony of colors. They are excellent for cutting. If cut in the bud they will keep for a long time in water. They blend splendidly with other flowers. For best effect they should be planted in clumps of one or two dozen, or better, in rows for ease of cultivation which they should have at frequent intervals. They are well adapted for planting in the hardy border, and for forcing in the green house or in pots.

They are very hardy when given proper treatment. They do not do well in a hot, dry situation. They thrive in cool, moist soil that is well enriched with compost or well rotted manure. Planted in September they will bloom the next spring soon after the narcissus season.

I lift the bulbs when mature, which is usually before the tops begin to die down in late July. As soon as dug, they are spread out in trays in a dry location where the air passes over them freely. I plant them back again in early October, setting 6 inches apart and about 4 to 5 inches deep, depending upon the size; the larger bulbs being planted five inches deep in light, sandy soil. They are planted about four inches deep if the soil is clay loam. The soil is pressed firmly over them. A loose mulch will be helpful if the soil is inclined to heave them out in winter.

I have confidence that these irises will be much more generally grown in a few years. A little patience in learning their habits and requirements of soil and climate will be well rewarded. I have heard some complaints that a few bulbs are lost each year. My losses, however, are no greater than with tulips, gladioli or other bulbs.

The following varieties are among the best that are now in existence. The prices are for the large, first size blooming bulbs. The size of the bulbs vary somewhat according to the variety. Plant a few well chosen varieties under favorable conditions and they will be a source of much enjoyment.

## Dutch Irises

| Name of Variety | Per Dozen | Name of Variety | Per Dozen |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Abraham Storck | \$5.00 | Jan Weenix | 3.00 |
| Adriaen Bocker | 1.50 | J. W. de Wilde | 2.50 |
| Adriaen Bloemaard | 1.50 | Leonardo da Vinci | 1.50 |
| A. L. Koster | 1.25 | P. C. Verbeek | 3.00 |
| Anton Mauve | 1.25 | Poggenbeek | 1.50 |
| Celestial | 1.25 | Rembrandt | 1.00 |
| David Bles | 2.00 | S. de Vlieger | 3.00 |
| David Haring | 1.50 | S. Van Ruysdael | 1.75 |
| David Teniers | 1.00 | The First | 2.50 |
| Dirk Dalens | 7.50 | Theo. de Bock | 1.75 |
| E. B. Garnier | 1.50 | Theo. Wyck | 1.75 |
| Elias Voet | 1.75 | Therese Schwartz | 1.50 |
| Floris Van Schoten | 18.00 | Van der Helst | 1.25 |
| Frans Decker | 7.50 | Van Everdingen | 1.50 |
| Frans Hals | 1.25 | Van Ravenstein | 2.50 |
| Gerrit Van Hees | 18.00 | Wedgewood | 3.00 |
| Golden Bronze | 4.00 | White Excelsior | 1.50 |
| Golden Glory | 1.50 | W. Verschuur | 5.00 |
| Hart Nibbrig | 1.00 2.50 | W. Zuidervelt | 7.50 |
| Heemskerk | 2.50 1.50 | Yellow Queen | 2.00 |
| Huchtenburg | 1.00 | Treholme Collection-Mixed |  |
| Jacob de Wit | 2.00 | Colors | 1.25 |
| Spanish Irises |  |  |  |
| Name of Variety | Per Dozen | Name of Variety | Per Dozen |
| A. Von Humboldt | \$1.00 | King of the Yellows $\qquad$ 1.50 |  |
| Blanche Fleur | 1.25 | Prince Henry | 2.00 |
| Bronze King | 1.50 | Queen Emma --- | 1.50 |
| Cajanus --- | 1.50 | Queen Wilhelmina | 1.00 |
| Flora | 1.25 | Tennessee -- | 1.50 |
| Golden Wonder | 15.00 | Thunderbolt | 2.00 |
| King of the Blues | 1.25 | Treholme Collection-Mixed |  |
| King of the Whites | 1.25 | Colors | 1.25 |

## PEONIES OF SPECIAL MERIT

When you plant a peony you make a permanent investment. It is one of the most satisfactory and easy to grow of all flowers. I have a collection of more than 250 varieties which includes most of the best peonies in the world. I have been collecting them for more than 15 years. During this time I have made a study of varieties in much the same manner as of iris. Tentative exhibition, garden and commercial ratings are given in the 1932 'Iris Lovers' Guide." The following varieties are offered in three to five eye standard divisions at most unusual prices.

Double Peonies

| Name of Variety | Each | Name of Variety | Each |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Adolphe Rousseau | \$1.00 | Henry M. Vories | 6.00 |
| Albert Crousse | . 75 | H. F. Reddick | 1.00 |
| Alice Harding | 20.00 | Inspecteur Lavergne | 7.50 |
| Alsace-Lorraine | . 75 | James Boyd | 1.00 |
| A. M. Slocum | 2.00 | James Kelway | 1.00 |
| A. P. Saunders | 2.50 | Jeannot | 2.50 |
| Argentine | 10.00 | John M. Good | 7.50 |
| Asa Gray | 1.00 | John Richardson | 1.00 |
| Auguste Dessert | 2.00 | Jubilee | 1.00 |
| Aurore | . 75 | Judge Berry | 1.00 |
| Avalanche | . 75 | June Day | 2.50 |
| Ball o'Cotton | 2.00 | Karl Rosenfield | 1.00 |
| Baroness Schroeder | . 75 | Katherine Havemeyer | 4.00 |
| Beauty's Mask | 1.00 | Kelway's Glorious | 4.00 |
| Ben Franklin | 1.00 | Kelway's Queen | 4.00 |
| Brand's Magnificent | 1.00 | La Fee | 3.00 |
| Candeur | 2.00 | La France | 1.50 |
| Charles McKellip | 1.00 | La Lorraine | 2.50 |
| Charles Neidel | 2.00 | La Perle | 1.00 |
| Cherry Hill | 1.00 | La Rosiere | 1.00 |
| Chestine Gowdy | 1.00 | Lady Alexander Duff | 1.00 |
| Claire Dubois | 1.00 | Lafayette | 1.00 |
| Clemenceau | 2.00 | Laura Dessert | 3.00 |
| Cornelia Shaylor | 4.00 | Laura Vories | 6.00 |
| David Harum | 1.50 | Le Cygne | 3.00 |
| Desire | 1.00 | Lillian Gumm | 2.00 |
| Doctor H. Barnsby | 1.50 | Livingstone | . 75 |
| Duchesse de Nemours | . 50 | Longfellow | 1.00 |
| E. B. Browning | 1.50 | Lora Dexheimer | 1.00 |
| E. C. Shaw | 4.00 | Lorch | 2.00 |
| Elisa | 2.50 | Lord Kitchener | 1.00 |
| Ella Christiansen | 20.00 | Loveliness .-.-.- | 1.00 |
| Elwood Pleas | 1.00 | Lucy E. Hollis | 1.00 |
| Enchanteresse | 2.00 | Luella Shaylor | 3.50 |
| Eugene Verdier | 1.00 | Luetta Pfeiffer | 2.00 |
| Eugenie Verdier | 1.00 | Mabel L Franklin | 2.50 |
| Fanny Crosby -- | 2.00 | Mme. Auguste Dessert | 1.00 |
| Felix Crousse | . 75 | Mme. de Verneville - | . 75 |
| Festiva Maxima | . 50 | Mme. Edouard Doriat | 4.00 |
| Florence Macbeth | 6.00 | Mme. Emile Lemoine | 1.00 |
| Francis Shaylor | 1.00 | Mme. Gaudichau ---- | 2.00 |
| Francis Willard | 1.00 | Mme. Jules Dessert | 1.50 |
| Frankie Curtis | 5.00 | Marcelle Dessert | 1.50 |
| Galathee | 1.00 | Marguerite Gerard | . 75 |
| General Gorgas | 2.50 | Marie Crousse --- | 1.00 |
| Georgiana Shaylor | 1.00 | Marie Lemoine | 1.00 |
| Germaine Bigot --- | 1.00 | Marquis C. Lagergren | 1.00 |
| Grace Loomis -- | 4.00 | Martha Bulloch --------- | 2.00 |
| Grace Ott | 6.00 | Mary Brand | 1.00 |
| Grandiflora | 1.00 | Mary W Shaylor | 1.50 |
| H. A. Hagen | 1.50 | Maud L. Richardson | 1.00 |
| Helen Wolaver | 1.00 | Mignon | 1.00 |
|  | 1.50 | Milton Hill | 1.50 |

Name of Variety Each Name of Variety Each
Minnie Shaylor ..... 10.00
Pride of Essex ..... 2.00
Miss Salway ..... 2.00
Primevere ..... 1.50
Mons. Dupont ..... 1.00
Raoul Dessert ..... 2.50
Mons. Jules Elie 1.00 Reine Hortense ..... 1.00
Mons. Martin Cahuzac 1.00 Richard Carvel ..... 1.00
Mr. L. van Leeuwen 2.50 Rosa Bonheur ..... 1.50
Mrs. A. M. Brand 20.00 Rose Shaylor ..... 6.00
Mrs. C. S. Minot 6.00 Rosette ..... 1.00
Mrs. Deane Funk 20.00 R. P. Whitfield ..... 1.00
Mrs. Edward Harding 3.00 Ruth Brand ..... 1.00
Mrs. F. A. Goodrich 20.00 Sarah Bernhardt ..... 1.00
Mrs. Frank Beach 20.00 Silvia Saunders ..... 6.00
Myrtle Gentry 20.00 Solange ..... 2.00
Nina Secor 2.00 Souv. de Louis Bigot ..... 1.50
Nymphaea 1.00 Suzette ..... 1.00
Octavie Demay . 75 Therese ..... 2.00
Officinalis Rubra Plena 1.00 Tourangelle ..... 1.00
Opal 1.00 Umbellata rosea ..... 75
Othello 2.00 Venus
75
75
Paradise ..... 3.00
Victoire de la Marne ..... 1.50
Pasteur
Philippe Rivoire
Philippe Rivoire ..... 5.00
Victory Chateau-Thierry ..... 20.00Phoebe Cary2.00
Walter Faxon ..... 1.50
Welcome Guest ..... 1.00
Phyllis Kelway
1.00 Named varieties, not labeled, in
Pierre Duchartre
Pierre Duchartre ..... 1.00 ..... 1.00
President Coolidge ..... 0.00
President Wilson ..... 6.00
mixed colors for landscape pur- poses ..... 10 for $\$ 2.50$
Single Peonies

| Name of Variety | Each | Name of Variety | Each |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Albiflora | 1.00 | Marguerite Dessert | 1.50 |
| Darkness | 2.00 | Mellin Knight | 2.00 |
| Departing Sun | 2.00 | Mischief | 3.00 |
| Flanders Field | 3.00 | Nellie | 1.50 |
| Helen -------- | 5.00 | Pride of Langport | 2.00 |
| Krinkle White | 3.00 | The Moor ----------- | 2.50 |
| Le Le Jour | 1.00 2.00 | Vera ----- | 2.50 |
| Madeline Gauthier | 2.00 | Whitleyi Major | 1.00 |

Japanese Peonies

| Name of Variety | Each | Name of Variety | Each |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ama-no-sode | 5.00 | Princess Duleep Singh | 2.50 |
| Fuji-no-mine | 2.00 | Rashoomon | 2.50 |
| Fuji-zome-gorono | 3.00 | Some-ganoko | 3.00 |
| Fuyajo -----...... | 2.50 | Tamate-Boku | 7.50 |
| Gold Mine | 2.00 | Tokio | 2.50 |
| Isani-Gidui | 6.00 | Toro-no-maki | 3.00 |
| Kameno-kegoromo | 1.50 | Torpilleur | 2.00 |
| King of England | 2.00 | Yeso | 1.50 |
| Kumagoe --------- | 1.50 | Tree Peonies, red, pink or white, |  |
| Mikado | 2.00 | 3 year old, strong, vigorous |  |
| Ohirama | 2.50 |  | 5.00 |

## TREHOLME SPECIALS

To meet the demand and for the convenience of Trehome customers, I am offering Special Collections of spring and fall flowering bulbs and roots at greatly reduced prices. Only the choicest varieties and most popular colors are included. All are of large or blooming size, that are sure to please the most discriminating buyer.

This is an opportunity for Garden Clubs and other groups to secure popular collections, packed separately to avoid the usual difficulty and inconvenience of making up and distributing orders, and at a saving in price of about onehalf the usual retail values.

| Spring Specials <br> Orders must be received and paid for by May 15th. |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| COLLECTION NO. 1 | COLLECTION NO. 2 |
| 35 Choice Gladiolius Bulbs $\qquad$ $\$ 1.00$ (Regular value $\$ 2.50$ ) Collection will include: Alice Tiplady, Alma Gluck, Bengal Tiger, Crimson Glow, Golden Dream, Jewell, Opalescent and other choice varieties and colors, all large blooming size bulbs. | 10 choice Dahlia Roots $\qquad$ . $\$ 3.50$ (Regular value $\$ 5.00$ ) Collection will include, Jane Cowl, Jersey's Beauty, Mrs. I de Ver Warner, The Emperor and other choice varieties for a gorgeous display of colors. |
| 10 collections or 350 bulbs $\qquad$ 8.00 (To one address) | 10 collections or 100 roots $\$ 30.00$ (To one address) |

## Fall Specials

Orders must be received and paid for by September 1st.

## COLLECTION NO. 3

25 choice Narcissus Bulbs $\qquad$
(Regular value $\$ 3.00$ )
Collection will include, King Alfred, Queen of the North, Emporer and other choice varieties and colors.
10 collections or 250 bulbs $\qquad$ \$17.50
(To one address)

## COLLECTION NO. 4

25 choice Darwin Tulip Bulbs $\mathbf{\$ 1 . 2 5}$
(Regular value $\$ 2.00$ )
Collection will include, Clara Butt, King Harold, Pride of Haarlem, Zulu and other choice varieties and colors.
10 collections or 250 bulbs $\$ 10.00$
(To one address)

## When Sent To One Address:

One of each or all 4 collections for $\$ 7.50$
(Regular value- $\$ 12.50$-Save $\$ 5.00$ )
Ten of each or 40 collections for $\$ 62.50$ (Regular value- $\$ 125.00$-Save $\$ 62.50$ )
Please order by number and be sure to write or print name, post office (express office if more than ten collections are ordered), street number and State, very carefully, to avoid possible delay. No collection will be broken or changed. Full payment must be received by the dates indicated. Delivery will be made beginning on the dates stated, by parcels post or express with all charges prepaid.

## THE AMERICAN IRIS SOCIETY

If you are not now a member of the American Iris Society, you are invited to join at once. As Regional Vice President for the Southeastern Region (comprised of the States of Maryland, Virginia, and West Virginia, and the District of Columbia if you order iris amounting to $\$ 2.00$ or more I will send you, no matter where you reside, my selection of:

Iris worth $\$ 1.00$ with Active Membership $\$ 3.00$
Iris worth $\$ 2.00$ with Special Three-Year Active Membership $\$ 8.50$.
Iris worth $\$ 2.50$ with Sustaining Membership $\$ 10.00$ or more.
Iris worth $\$ 5.00$ with Research Fund Membership $\$ 25.00$ or more.
Iris worth $\$ 10.00$ with Life Membership $\$ 50.00$.
Please make checks payable to the American Iris Society. Send check to me and I will forward it to the Society, and send you the irises.

Send me your check for the iris and your membership by not later than July 1st. If you are already a member, please give this information to a friend. Keep in mind that membership in the society brings you four special bulletins on irises during the year.

Earl Wooddell Sheets, 1831 Lamont Street N. W., Washington, D. C.

## An "Iris Lover's Guide"

The new "Iris Lover's Guide," referred to on page 8 is much more than a descriptive catalogue. It is an indispensable reference volume of 100 pages that puts the new ones where they belong, including nearly 200 discarded varieties. It gives the exhibition and garden ratings, most of which are not otherwise available, for 1,000 of the newest and best as well as the good old varieties from this and other countries. Much of the information given about Tall, Intermediate, Dwarf, Siberian, Dutch, Spanish, Japanese, Miscellaneous Species and varieties is not to be found in any other publication. Other new features include the tentative exhibition, garden and commercial ratings of Dutch, Spanish and Japanese Iris as well as Poenies, which are given for the first time.

If you are a customer of mine and have purchased Iris during the past year you have already or will soon receive a copy, to others the price is 25 cents. It will be sent free with all orders. If a copy is purchased at 25 cents and an order amounting to $\$ 2.50$ is placed later, any 50 cent Iris may be selected free. Garden clubs or other groups may order together and obtain 10 copies for $\$ 2.00$.

# Treholme Iris and Peony Show 

 May 20th to 28that

## WOODWARD \& LOTHROP

The annual private showing of hundreds of the new, rare and good old irises and peonies from Treholme Gardens is a feature for flower lovers in the vicinity of Washington, D. C. This rare treat has been made possible through the cooperation of Woodward \& Lothrop, 10th, 11th, F and G Streets N. W., Washington's leading Department Store.

This will be an opportunity to see many of the new Treholme seedlings for the first time, as well as the newest introductions from this and other countries.

> The National Capital Iris Show, which is held in cooperation with the American Iris Society, will be staged at the Carlton Hotel, 16th and $K$ Streets $N . W .$, May 1rth and $18 t h$.

