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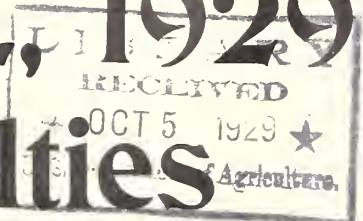
# S. S. SKIDELSKY & CO.

9-15 PARK PLACE, NEW YORK CITY

EASTER 1930, is APRIL 20th

FALL, 1929

## S. S. S. Bulb Specialties



are the best obtainable. If we doubt their quality on arrival, they are not accepted. Flowers are seldom better than their roots, and buildings seldom better than their foundations. S. S. S. & Co. have been selling better flower foundations for thirty-two years.

### S. S. S. LILIES

If you do not buy price only—they are the cheapest—more flowers per bulb and less bulbs to throw away.

We appreciate an opportunity to quote quantity prices on anything in our line.

Read these excerpts from a few of our many repeaters:

The case of Erabu we bought from you last year produced the best Lilies we have ever seen. One plant bore forty-two flowers, the largest we have ever heard of, and over half the case averaged more than ten flowers. We did not lose one bulb in the case. Lest you forget, these were only 7-9s.  
ROWDEN & MITCHELL, Wallingford, Conn.

I might add that the Harrisi bulbs are as fine as any I have ever grown. Thanking you for service.  
ROBERT M. ROGERS, Wilmington, Del.

Our Harrisi Lilies during February and March turned out fine. Averaged five to ten blooms per bulb.  
CHAS. M. MOSS, Spartansburg, S. C.

I have handled thousands of bulbs, but I never saw better than yours. If I had not loaded up before I saw yours, I assure you I would have sent you a fine order.  
JOS. H. SWAUGER, Fossilville, Pa.

### SINENSIS

A fine flower from clean stock. A Formosum type that grows and blooms evenly.

### NOBILI

and all other varieties with prices on request.

### ERABU

(F. O. B. New York or Chicago)

Far superior to its parent, Formosum, which it has almost entirely replaced.

6-8 (400 per case).....	} Write for prices
7-9 (300 per case).....	
8-10 (225 per case).....	
9-10 (200 per case).....	

### GIGANTEUM

(On arrival, F.O.B., N. Y., Chicago or Atlanta)

6-8 (400 per case).....	} Write for prices
7-9 (100 per case).....	
7-9 (300 per case).....	

### LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY

Germany's finest. Better quality for the same money. Cheaper because it's better.
250.....\$11.00      500.....\$19.00      1000.....\$36.00

### FREESIAS

Purity—and its real purity, 5/8-3/4 in.....	\$17.00 per 1000
5000.....	16.50 per 1000
10,000.....	16.00 per 1000
3/4 in. up.....	25.00 per 1000
5,000.....	24.00 per 1000
10,000.....	23.00 per 1000



A FIELD OF LILIES

## HARDY LILIES

### CANDIDUM

NORTHERN GROWN

22-24 ctm. (300 per case).....	100	1000
24-26 ctm. (250 per case).....	\$15.00	\$135.00
26 ctm. up (200 per case).....	17.00	160.00
	20.00	190.00

### SEEDLINGS REGALE (Myriophyllum)

1/4-3/8 in. diameter.....	100	1000
3/8-1/2 in. diameter.....	\$1.00	\$ 7.50
1/2-3/4 in. diameter.....	2.00	15.00
	3.00	25.00

<b>BULBS</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>1000</b>	<b>BULBS</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>1000</b>
2-3 in. circumference..	\$10.00	\$75.00	6-7 in. circumference..	\$25.00	\$200.00
3-4 in. circumference..	12.50	100.00	7-8 in. circumference..	35.00	300.00
4-5 in. circumference..	15.00	125.00	8-9 in. circumference..	50.00	400.00
5-6 in. circumference..	18.00	150.00	9-10 in. circumference..	60.00	500.00

### ALBUM AURATUM RUBRUM MAGNIFICUM MELPOMENE

8-9, 200 per case.....	} Prices will be ready shortly
9-11, 125 per case.....	

Delivery on arrival, F.O.B. New York or Chicago

### CALLAS

Godfrey, 1 1/4 in. and up.....	100	1000
1 1/2 in. and up.....	\$14.00	\$130.00
Aethiopica, 1 1/2-1 3/4 in.....	17.50	160.00
1 3/4-2 in.....	12.00	110.00
2 in. up.....	16.00	150.00
2 in. up.....	20.00	190.00
Elliottiana, 2-2 1/2 in.....	15.00	140.00
2 1/2-3 in.....	20.00	185.00

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## IRIS

Imperator Filifolia. Blue.	100	1000
David Haring. White.	6.00	50.00
Yellow Queen.	6.00	50.00
E. B. Garnier. Dark blue.	6.00	50.00
Rembrandt. Deep blue.	6.00	50.00
King of the Blues.	5.00	40.00
Belle Chinois. Pure yellow.	5.00	40.00
British Queen. Pure white.	5.00	40.00

## WHITE ROMAN HYACINTHS

12-15 ctm.	100	1000
13-15 ctm.	\$13.00	\$120.00
	14.00	130.00

## PAPERWHITE NARCISSUS 1000

12-14 ctm. (1250 per case)	\$37.50
13 ctm. up.	42.50
14 ctm. up.	47.50
Soleil d'Or, 14 ctm. up.	95.00

## TRITONIA CROCATA, ANEMONES (Write for prices)

## CANNAS

Headquarters for any variety in any quantity.

**GLOXINIAS, TUBEROSES, TUBEROUS  
BEGONIAS, FANCY LEAVED and  
CALADIUM ESCULENTUM**  
On arrival. Prices in due season.

## DARWIN TULIPS

(Best Quality Bulbs Only)

F. O. B. New York.	Prices per 1000	
Bartigon. Crimson.	up	\$35.00
Clara Butt. Salmon pink.	up	27.00
Farncombe Sanders. Scarlet.	up	31.00
Mme. Krelage. Lilac pink.	up	30.00
Wm. Pitt. Dark crimson.	up	37.00
Princess Elizabeth. Pink.	up	33.00
Wm. Copland. Lilac rose.	up	35.00
Pride of Haarlem. Carmine.	up	30.00
Inglescombe Yellow. Yellow Darwin.	up	30.00
Prof. Rauw-hoff. Cherry pink.	up	32.00
Rev. Ewbank. Lilac.	up	32.00

## GLADIOLUS

November and later delivery for forcing and Spring Planting

— Price per 1000 —			
	1-in.	1 1/4-in.	1 1/2-in.
	up	up	up
*Alice Tiplady (Primulinus).	\$15.00	\$19.00	\$22.50
Large, vigorous saffron.			
*America. Lavender pink.	12.00	16.00	20.00
Baron J. Hulot. Violet purple.	30.00	35.00	40.00
*Chicago White.	14.00	17.00	22.00
Evelyn Kirtland. Rose pink.	24.00	28.00	32.00
*Golden Measure. Extra large flowers on a tall spike; the best golden yellow.	35.00	45.00	52.50
*Halley. Early salmon pink.	12.00	17.00	20.00
*Herada. Pure glistening mauve.	19.00	23.00	28.00
L'Immaculee. Pure white, extra fine.	22.00	28.00	35.00
*Le Marechal Foch. Early delicate pink.	12.00	17.00	20.00
Louise. Very popular lavender.	25.00	30.00	35.00
Loveliness. Large, rich cream.	30.00	37.50	45.00

## GLADIOLUS

—Continued

	— Prices per 1000 —		
	1-in.	1 1/4-in.	1 1/2-in.
	up	up	up
*LUCETTE. Best white obtainable. Faint pink tint.	\$16.00	\$20.00	\$25.00
*Maidens Blush (Primulinus). Delicate salmon.	10.00	15.00	20.00
*Mrs. Dr. Norton. Large, flesh pink.	25.00	30.00	35.00
*Mrs. Francis King. Light scarlet.	12.00	18.00	22.50
*Mrs. Frank Pendleton. Dark rose pink, carmine blotch.	15.00	19.00	24.00
Odin. Salmon, dark blotches; early.	23.00	28.00	32.00
*OPALESCENT. Wonderful spikes, huge pale rose lavender. Sure bloomer and good shipper.	32.00	40.00	
Panama. Large, fine pink.	15.00	20.00	25.00
Peace. Late white, large.	12.00	17.00	22.00
*Pink Perfection. Large, shiny bright pink.	32.50	40.00	50.00
*Prince of Wales. Salmon orange pink.	17.00	22.00	26.00
*1910 Rose. Early rose pink.	14.00	18.00	21.00
*Schwaben. Canary yellow.	17.00	21.00	27.00
*E. J. Shaylor. Slightly ruffled, beautiful deep rose lavender.	19.00	21.00	28.00
*Souvenir (Primulinus). Early, fine deep yellow.	23.00	28.00	35.00
*Early Sunrise. Light red, yellow spot.	30.00	35.00	45.00
*Virginia (Scarlet Princeps). Clear scarlet.	25.00	30.00	35.00
War. Late deep red.	28.00	32.00	35.00
*Wilbrinck. Lavender pink.	12.00	17.00	22.00
Yellow Hammer.	27.00	32.00	37.50
Exhibition Mixed. Choice.	10.00	13.00	16.00
Primulinus Mixed.	12.00	15.00	18.00

(Varieties marked \* especially recommended for forcing). We will be pleased to quote on any varieties not listed, or quantity of any variety

# FORCING STOCK For Easter and Spring

If you want the best, here is your guide. We're glad to quote specially on any varieties not listed.

## ROSES

Two Year Field Grown XXX Forcing (Packing extra at cost)

### CLIMBERS

Climbing American Beauty	Crimson Rambler	Dorothy Perkins
Excelsa	Flower of Fairfield	Hiawatha
Mary Wallace	Paul's Scarlet	Tausendschoen
White Dorothy Perkins	Papa Gauchalt	
Eugene Jacquet	All above \$35.00 per 100	Silver Moon
	Roserie	
	Above at \$40.00 per 100	
	Marie Gauchalt, \$50.00 per 100	

### HYBRID TEAS

Grass an Teplitz	Chas. K. Douglas	Columbia
Mme. Butterfly	Killarney (pink)	Killarney (white)
Mrs. W. C. Miller	Mme. Caroline Testout	Mme. Edward Herriot
Red Radiance	Premier	Pink Radiance
	Willowmere	
Briarcliff	Above at \$40.00 per 100	Los Angeles
Edel	Wm. F. Dreer	
	Above \$45.00 per 100	
	Wm. Kordes, \$50.00 per 100	

### HYBRID PERPETUALS

Capt. Hayward	Frau Karl Druschki	Gen. Jacqueminot
Geo. Arends	Magna Charta	Ulrich Brunner
	Paul Neyron	
	Above 35.00 per 100	
	Mme. Al. Barbier, \$50.00 per 100	

### BABIES

Baby Tausendschoen	Crimson Baby Rambler	Chatillon
Erna Teschendorff	Greta Kluis	Girlie
Ideal	Miss Edith Cavell	Orleans
Red Orleans	Triomphe de Orleans	Verdun
	Above \$35.00 per 100	
Eblouissant	Ellen Poulsen	Lady Reading
Le Marne	Orange King	Princess Juliana
	Above \$40.00 per 100	



BED OF GLADIOLUS

## HYDRANGEAS, For Fall Delivery

Field Grown	TROPHEE	4 -in. pots, 1-2 shoots.....	\$30.00 per 100
	GOLIATH	4 1/2-in. pots, 3-4 shoots.....	45.00 per 100
	GERTRUDE GLAHN	5 -in. pots, 5-6 shoots.....	55.00 per 100
	HELGE	6 -in. pots, 7-9 shoots.....	65.00 per 100
	LORELEI	7 -in. pots, 9-12 shoots.....	80.00 per 100
Odin and Freya, 20 per cent higher.			
Pot Grown	TROPHEE	4-in. pots, 1-2 shoots.....	\$30.00 per 100
	LORELEI	5-in. pots, 3-4 shoots.....	55.00 per 100
	HELGE	5-in. pots, 5-6 shoots.....	80.00 per 100
	PARSIFAL	6-in. pots, 7-9 shoots.....	100.00 per 100
	RHEINGOLD	7-in. pots, 9-12 shoots.....	110.00 per 100
GOLIATH			
Odin and Freya, 20 per cent higher.			

## SPIRAEAS

	100	1000
Deutschland. Fine new white.	\$42.50	\$400.00
Gloria. Deep salmon pink.	35.00	325.00
America, Peach Blossom, Gladstone, Queen Alexandria, Arendsi (pink).	27.50	250.00

## DIELYTRA

	100	1000
Spectabilis (Bleedingheart)	\$35.00	\$325.00

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# S. S. SKIDELSKY & COMPANY

# OWN ROOT ROSES FOR SPRING PLANTING

Key to abbreviations: T—Tea; Poly.—Polyantha; H. Poly.—Hybrid Polyantha; HP.—Hybrid Perpetual; HT.—Hybrid Tea; C.—China; HCL.—Hardy Climber.

	2 1/4 in.	4 in.
Baby Rambler (Poly.). Red.....	\$8.50	\$20.00
Clothilde Soupert (HPoly.). Pink.....	6.50	20.00
Columbia (HT.). Pink.....	10.50	30.00
Crusader (HT.). Crimson.....	10.00	25.00
Dr. Van Fleet (HCL). Flesh.....	7.00	20.00
Double White Killarney (HT.). White.....	10.00	20.00
Ellen Poulsen (Pol.). Pink.....	8.00	20.00
Erna Teschendorff (Pol.). Red.....	8.00	20.00
Eugene Jacquet (HCL). Cherry red.....	7.00	20.00
Francis Scott Key (HT.). Red.....	8.50	20.00
Frau Karl Druschki (HP.). White.....	10.50	25.00
Gen. Jacqueminot (HP.). Red.....	8.00	20.00
Gruss an Teplitz (HT.). Red.....	7.00	20.00
Hermosa (C.). Pink.....	7.50	20.00
Ideal (Poly.). Crimson.....	8.00	20.00
Jonkheer J. L. Mock (HT.). Pink.....	7.50	20.00
Kaiserin Augusta Victoria (HT.). White.....	8.00	20.00
Killarney (HT.). Pink.....	8.50	20.00
Lady Hillingdon (T.). Yellow.....	8.00	20.00
Magna Charta (HP.). Rose.....	8.50	20.00

250 or more 2 1/4 in., 50c. less per 100. Prices on any not listed above and quantity prices on all varieties on application.

	2 1/4 in.	4 in.
Maman Cochet (T.). Pink.....	\$7.00	\$20.00
Mme. Butterfly (HT.). Bright pink.....	10.50	25.00
Mme. Caroline Testout (HT.). Satiny pink.....	8.50	20.00
Mme. Edward Herriot.....	15.00	20.00
Mrs. Aaron Ward (HT.). Yellow.....	9.50	25.00
Ophelia (HT.). Flesh pink.....	9.50	25.00
Orleans (Poly.). Red, white eye.....	7.50	20.00
Paul Neyron (HP.). Deep rose.....	8.50	20.00
Paul's Scarlet Climber (HCL). Vivid scarlet.....	7.50	20.00
Premier (HT.). Pink.....	13.50	20.00
Radiance (HT.). Pink.....	7.50	20.00
Red Radiance (HT.). Red.....	7.50	20.00
Roserie (HCL). Deep pink Tausendschoen.....	6.50	20.00
Sunburst (HT.). Deep coppery yellow.....	8.50	25.00
Tausendschoen (HCL). Pink.....	6.50	20.00
Ulrich Brunner (HP.). Red.....	10.00	20.00
White Maman Cochet (T.). White.....	7.00	20.00

# Roses For Greenhouse Planting

OWN ROOT AND GRAFTED

Now is the time to place your order to insure getting what you want when you want it. We will be glad to book orders now and quote before shipping. How many and what varieties do you expect to plant next Spring?

## Hardy Field Grown Roses For Spring Sales

Fall and later delivery. All strictly No. 1 grade, splendid field grown plants. In addition to our heavy No. 1 grade, we can supply somewhat lighter plants at 10c. less per plant than we ask for the heavier grade. A complete descriptive list can be had for the asking.

# PLANT STOCK

## CARNATIONS, Rooted Cuttings

New varieties for December and later delivery.

\$15.00 per 100, \$125.00 per 1000

DEL RAY (Ed. Winkler, Boston)

Ward color, production, size and bloom, shipping, keeping and blooming qualities all about the same as Matchless. Color deepens to that of Boston Ward toward Spring. If Mrs. C. W. Ward is not proving satisfactory try *Del Ray*. If it is, try *Del Ray* anyhow.

SPICY WHITE (Baur-Steinkamp)

Purity of color and freedom of bloom of Harvester, plus a strong stem, more vigorous growth and a larger flower.

SALMON SPECTRUM (Baur-Steinkamp)

A Spectrum with the color of Laddie. Roots as easily as Spectrum and produces as large a flower, with the same extraordinary keeping quality and freedom of bloom.

POTENTATE (Baur-Steinkamp)

Purple. A splendid producer of good size. Has stem, calyx and all the other good qualities of a high-grade commercial Carnation. It gives a richness to vari-colored arrangements. Beautiful in combination with yellows, flesh pinks and other light colored flowers.

## ASPARAGUS 100 1000

Plumosus, seedlings.....	\$1.25	\$10.50
Sprengeri, seedlings.....	1.25	8.00
Plumosus and sprengeri, 2 1/4 in.....	5.00	45.00
Plumosus and sprengeri, 3 in.....	10.00	.....

## ASPIDISTRAS

(Green). Out of 5-in. pots, averaging 10 leaves; Sc. per leaf (F.O.B. New Orleans).

## BEGONIA

Melior, Cincinnati. May and later.....	\$30.00	\$285.00
Red Chatelaine Supreme.....	15.00	.....
Chatelaine Supreme.....	6.50	60.00
Gustav Knaake.....	7.00	65.00
Rex Begonias.....	12.00	.....

## CALCEOLARIA

Grandiflora Hybrids. Choice strain.....	\$12.00	.....
Stewarti. Chrome yellow.....	.....	.....
Lymani. Cinnamon red.....	30.00	\$275.00
Medfordi. Maroon red.....	.....	.....
Pink Beauty.....	.....	.....

All 2 1/4 in. unless otherwise noted

## CALENDULA 100 1000

Ball's Supreme.....	\$5.00	\$15.00
Ball's Improved Orange or Gold.....	5.00	45.00
Sensation.....	5.00	45.00

## CHERRIES

Cleveland Red. Red; exceptionally fine selected strain.....	\$7.00	\$60.00
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## CINERARIA

Grandiflora Hybrids, or Multiflora nana (Potsdam).....	\$6.50	\$60.00
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## CYCLAMEN

Finest plants from finest German strain seed. Assorted colors.		
Seedlings, 3-5 leaves.....	\$6.00	\$55.00
Seedlings, 5-8 leaves.....	8.00	75.00
2 1/4 in.....	12.00	.....
3 in.....	\$15.00 and 18.00	.....
4 in.....	35.00	\$25.00

Prices on larger sizes on request.

## DAISIES (Marguerites)

Hartje & Elder. Early or late variety.....	\$5.00	\$45.00
Strong divisions of above.....	3.50	30.00
Boston Yellow and Nicholson's Giant White.....	7.00	65.00

## ERLANGEA

Tomentosa.....	\$6.00	\$50.00
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## FERNS

Assorted Table Ferns, 2 1/4 in.....	\$6.00	\$50.00
Boston, Dwarf Boston, Roosevelt, Teddy Jr., Scotti, Verona, Whitmani.....	7.50	65.00

## GERBERA

Jamesoni Hybrids; strong 2 yr. plants. Delivery until late Fall if booked now.....	\$40.00	\$350.00
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## IVY

German or English. R. C.....	\$2.00	\$17.50
2 1/4 in.....	5.00	45.00

## PACHYSANDRA

R. C.....	\$27.50	.....
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## PANDANUS

Veitchi (from the South). Strong suckers, 8-12 in.....	\$9.00	\$85.00
12-15 in.....	13.00	120.00
15-18 in.....	16.00	150.00

## PELARGONIUMS

Edith North. A new worth-while Pelargonium. Holds fine flower trusses of rose-pink, shaded deeper in upper petals. Blotched dark brown. Produces 15 to 20 branches, each having 4 to 5 flower heads, holding 6 to 9 flowers each, measuring individually about two inches. Its heavy leathery foliage is almost immune to white fly. Unsurpassed for Easter, Mothers Day and Memorial Day. When in good shape closely resembles an Azalea. Immediate and later delivery of 2 1/4 in. 25 plants, \$7.50.....	100	1000
Springtime and Pride of Quedlinburg.....	18.00	.....
Easter Greeting, Swabian Maid, Wurtembergia, Gardner's Joy and all other popular varieties:	.....	.....
2-in.....	\$10.00	\$90.00
3-in.....	15.00	140.00

and all other popular varieties:

## PERENNIALS — PEONIES — DAHLIAS GERMAN IRIS

Send for complete descriptive list.

## POINSETTIAS

Christmas Red.....	\$8.00	\$75.00
Oakleaf.....	12.00	110.00
Hollywood.....	14.00	135.00
St. Louis.....	13.00	120.00

## PRIMULA

Obconica. Finest strain.....	\$6.50	\$60.00
Lelandi.....	12.00	.....

## SNAPDRAGONS

Babikow's Bronze. Winner of many prizes in recent years. Will bloom about 2 1/2 months from 2 1/4-in. plants and continues flowering up to June. Warm weather does not affect the color in any way. It is an extremely robust grower, and flower spikes 18 in. long with all blooms in good condition are quite common.....		
Afterglow. Bronze.....	\$15.00	.....
Thomson's Prolific.....	10.00	\$90.00
Cheviot Maid, Ceylon Court (yellow), Chapman's Pink, Jennie Schneider, Judd's Pink, Penn-Orange, Helen, Sunburst, White Rock.....	8.00	75.00
7.00	65.00	.....
Geneva Pink, Orlando, Golden Pink Queen, Philadelphia Pink, Giant Yellow, Nelrose, Keystone.....	6.00	50.00
SMILAX.....	\$6.00	\$55.00

## VINCA

Variegated.....	\$6.00	\$50.00
R. C. and rooted layers.....	2.00	15.00
Field clumps.....	6.00	55.00

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