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# Bulb Book Fall 1921



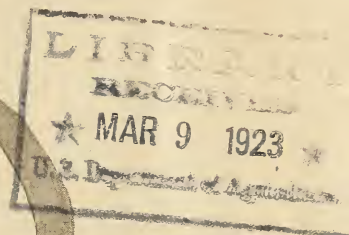
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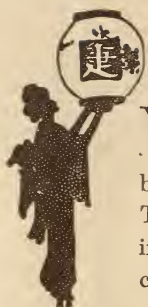
Louis XIV.



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# GARDENS

**Y**OUR gardens are at this writing in their full Summer glory, and it is difficult to realize that a few short months hence they will lie bleak and shorn of beauty waiting for the Springtime's Resurrection, after cold and icy Winter. That period of rest is the time to plant the bulbs, which will clothe the bare beds in new and colorful beauty—with the glow and fragrance of Daffodils and Hyacinths, the flaunting charm of Tulips, the dazzling tints of crocus.

In the following pages you will find listed all the varieties which are best for Garden and House culture—the choicest NOVELTIES Europe sends us—and many suggestions of various bulbs and varieties well worth trying. Prices are considerably less this year and your garden NEEDS “need not be a luxury but a source of solace, comfort and joy.” In just one little sentence we express our belief, “JOY IN EVERY BULB.” MAY YOU FIND IT is our earnest hope.

## Please Read Carefully to Avoid Errors

### FREE DELIVERY

We deliver all bulbs and seeds listed in this book PREPAID to your home, from first to sixth Zone. 7th and 8th ZONE must add 10% to amount of order to secure FREE DELIVERY.

This makes an appreciable difference in cost of bulbs. PLEASE NOTE this when comparing OUR prices with others. We do not prepay on Roots, Plants, Bamboo, Glasses, Insecticides, Fertilizer.

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# BULB NOVELTIES AND SELECTIONS FOR 1921

## GEMS OF BREEDER TULIPS

### Three Royal Velvet Gems

**Louis XIV.** 30 in. A Giant tulip of exceptional magnificence and stately bearing. Deep rich violet with golden bronze margin. Gobel-shaped flowers, base starred yellow. Each, 50c.; doz., \$4.50.

**Velvet King.** Vikings for strong stemmed robust growth and immense showy, conspicuous flowers. These are of cup-shaped form, glossy royal purple, creamy white base. Each, 25c.; doz., \$2.50.

**Turenne.** 26 in. Rich Madder violet with a glow of bronze on the outer petals, broadly margined amber gold. Very large, early and effective. Each, 15c.; doz., \$1.50; the set of 3 bulbs for 75c.

### Three Sapphire Gems

**Le Mogol.** 26 in. An exquisite amethyst tint flushed white, deepening to mauve inside, base white with blue halo. Each, 12c.; doz., \$1.25.

**Opal.** Enchanting flowers of pearly opalescent blue with a soft suffusion of white. "A delicate pearly tint with a wonderful feeling of blue thru it." Each, 40c.; doz., \$4.50.

**Gris-de-Lin.** A unique tulip of pale rosy lilac with delicate pencillings of a deeper tone with a cool pure white base—a most rare shading. Each, 20c.; doz., \$2.25. The set of 3 bulbs for 60c.

### Three Amber Gems

**Superba.** 27 in. Glistening chestnut brown, passing into narrow golden edge with yellow and green base, large, graceful flowers on tall stems. Each, 20c.; doz., \$1.75.

**Copernicus.** 27 in. A splendid large flower on sturdy stem, globular form; dark coppery bronze, flushed old-rose, interior warm brown, yellow base. Strikingly beautiful. Each, 35c.; doz., \$3.50.

**Plutarchus.** 26 in. A lovely tulip of great beauty. Bronze suffused and flamed lilac, interior shaded terra-cotta toward the olive green base. Each, 25c.; doz., \$2.50; the set of 3 bulbs for 70c. These amber toned tulips are exquisite planted among Forget-me-nots, White Pansies or Arabis.

**Special Offer.** 1 bulb, each of the 9 beautiful Novelties, \$2.00; 3 bulbs each, 27 bulbs in all, \$5.75.

## THE NEW LILY FLOWERED TULIP

### Le Lys de Hollande

Introduced in our 1920 Fall Bulb Book. As the name indicates, these tulips have the grace of Lilies in their broad reflexed petals, wide open chalice, on tall, stout stems.

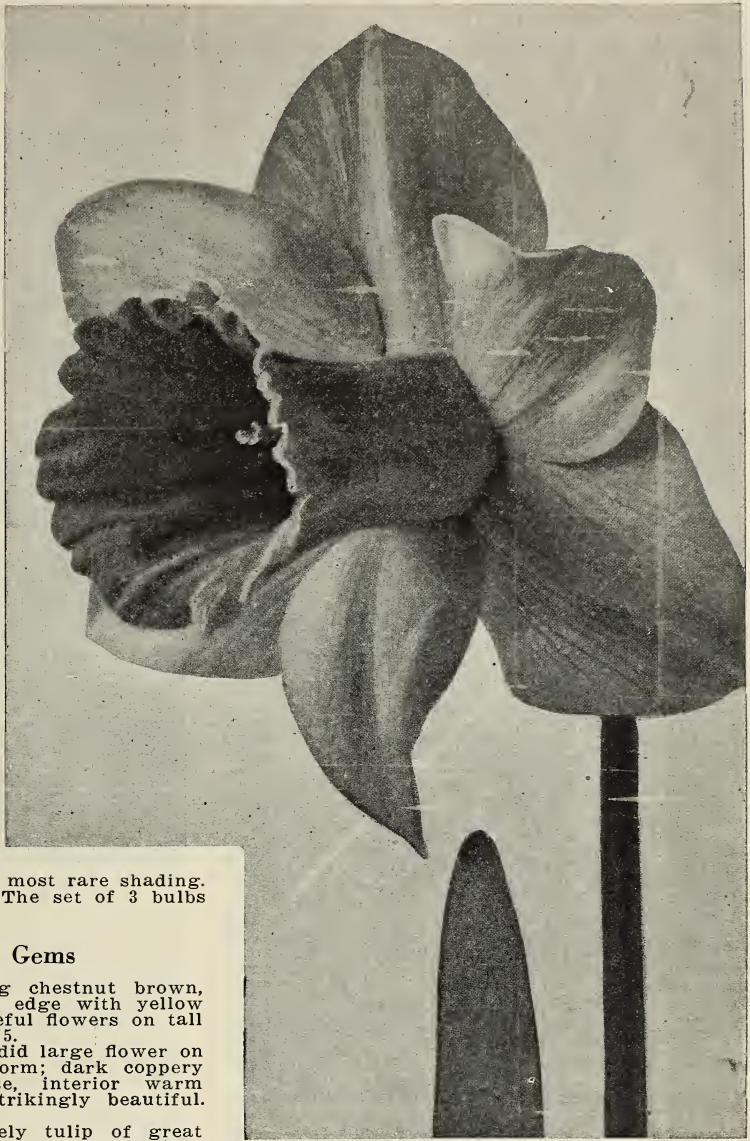
**Adonis.** Vivid rose red.

**Artemis.** Bright carmine rose with silver white base.

**Sirene.** Brilliant satiny rose pink.

**Tulipa Pluriflores.** A new race of bunch flowering tulips as yet very scarce (many flowers on one stem), flowers open creamy white flushing to rose with age. Rarely beautiful outdoors. Each, 60c.

**Special Offer.** The set of 4 bulbs for \$2.00.



Olympia

## Daffodil Selections

**Olympia.** Perianth primrose yellow, trumpet deeply frilled at the brim. A gigantic bold flower that at once attracts attention. It is magnificent for pot culture and splendid for the garden. Each, 25c.; doz., \$2.75.

**Mammoth Bulbs.** Each, 35c.; doz. \$3.50.

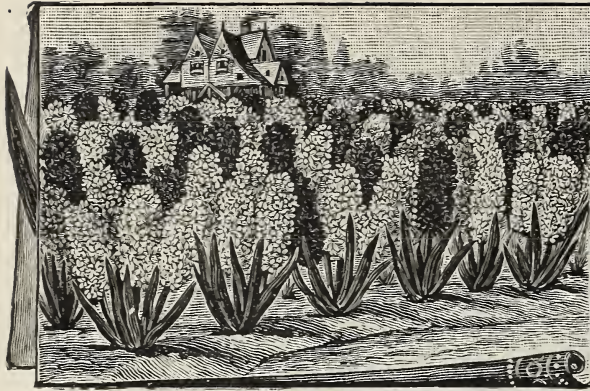
**Ariadne (Leedsii).** Its chaste beauty delights the eye. Perianth white, cup ivory white, very large saucer-shaped and exquisitely frilled at the brim. Fine for the garden or growing indoors. Each, 15c.; doz., \$1.75.

**Red Star (Incomparabilis.)** A Beauty. Perianth creamy white, straight cup stained brilliant vermilion scarlet. Each, 15c.; doz., \$1.75.

**Firebrand.** A true "Dolly-cup Daffodil" Perianth, a creamy white shaded soft yellow at base, cup intense fiery red. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.00;

**Special.** The set of 4 Daffodils, 60c.  
3 bulbs, each variety, 12 bulbs, \$1.75.

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**BEAUTIFUL HYACINTHS**

**Single Hyacinths Extra First Size Selected Bulbs**

We list only the most desirable varieties specially selected for their free flowering qualities, producing strong spikes, vigorous in growth with strong, sturdy stems.

**Outdoor Culture**

Any good garden soil will grow Holland bulbs, although they prefer a light porous and well drained location. If the soil is heavy or clayey a little sand is beneficial.

Dig the soil 12 to 15 inches deep, raking it afterwards to an even surface. Plant the bulbs 6 to 7 inches apart very evenly covering them fully 4 inches deep from top of bulb. Press in the soil gently around the bulbs but not heavily as too heavy a pressure causes the bulb to lift, after taking root. A handful of clean sand placed around each bulb secures good drainage, and keeps insects from attacking the bulb. After heavy frosts set in, NOT BEFORE, cover the bulbs with leaves, evergreen branches, or coarse stable litter. Best planting time is during latter part of October up to middle of November unless the season should be unusual and early frosts set in.

NEVER use fresh or half-rotten manure, as this will burn the bulbs and failure will be sure. Bone meal is excellent with a light and sandy soil.

**Rose and Red Shades**

- Gigantea.** An old favorite. Large soft pink bells.
- Marconi.** Bright satiny rose. Very effective in groups.
- Garibaldi.** Strong stout spikes of brilliant red. Very Early.
- Lady Derby.** Broad full spikes of clear rose pink bells. Unexcelled for bedding.
- La Victoire.** Brilliant rosy red.
- Ornement Rose.** Pale pink waxy bells; splendid.

**Blue Shades**

- Grand Maitre.** Very strong stems with deep rich lavender blue bells.
- Queen of the Blues.** Clear azure blue. Splendid bedder.
- King of the Blues.** Rich dark blue, compact truss.
- Mauve Queen.** A lovely shade of violet.
- Schotel.** One of the best. Immense trusses of clear sky blue.

**Pure White and Blush**

- La Grandesse.** Pure white waxy bells of great substance.
- Arentine Arendsen.** Spikes of perfect shape with snowy wide-open bells.
- General Vetter.** Long graceful spikes blushing ivory.

**Yellow**

- City of Haarlem.** Finest pure golden yellow.
- Primrose Perfection.** Creamy primrose bells. Price any variety, each, 20c.; doz., \$2.00; 100, \$16.00.



Single Hyacinth in Bloom

**Selected Garden Hyacinths**

Same named sorts as in above list. An excellent grade for outdoor planting in beds and borders. Not less than 3 bulbs of any one kind should be ordered. 3 bulbs, 35c.; doz., \$1.35; 100, \$9.00.

**Fancy Unnamed Hyacinths to Color**

Not Mixed but True to Color; excellent for bedding designs, borders and general garden effects.

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| <b>Rose Pink</b>                        | <b>Light Blue</b> | <b>Yellow</b> |
| <b>Pure White</b>                       | <b>Crimson</b>    |               |
| 3 bulbs, 25c.; doz., 90c.; 100, \$7.00. |                   |               |

**LADY HYACINTHS**

Our "Lady Hyacinths" those gems of bulbs called Lady Hyacinths years ago in England. These very pretty Spring blossoms are within the reach of all flower lovers.

Excellent for outdoor planting in formal beds or groups. For Winter blooming indoors in pans or bowls they are always of the easiest culture, quick blooming, fragrant and effective. They are best grown in deep bowls or pans—the deep BULB PANS are excellent, allowing for full root growth which is the essential for perfect flowers. (Never use new pans or pots).

- Arentine Arendse.** White.
- Electra.** Silvery blue.
- Rosy Gem.** Rose pink.
- Gigantea.** Blush pink.
- L' Esperance.** Light violet.
- Yellow Hammer.** Yellow or Mixed. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.

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EARLY SINGLE TULIPS

The most inexpensive of tulips and the earliest to bloom. Of easiest culture and excellent for formal beds and garden borders affording a gorgeous display before the time for planting Summer flowers. They should not be planted too early. November and even early December if the ground is open. Plant 4 inches deep and 4-5 inches apart. Cover over with litter AFTER the first frosts.

Try the effective combination of "Queen of the Pinks" and "Primrose Queen," "Le Reve" and "White Swan." Try planting Forget-me-nots with "Van Der Neer," "Pink Beauty" or "Marechal Neil."

\***Belle Alliance.** Large flower. Brilliant scarlet. Fragrant. Each, 8c.; doz., 80c.; 100, \$6.00.

\***Cardinal Rampollo.** 11 in. Clear yellow-edged orange scarlet. Showy. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.

\***Crimson King.** 12 in. Dazzling crimson scarlet with yellow base. A superb sweet-scented bedding tulip. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.00.

\***Diana.** 14 in. Beautiful glistening white with yellow base. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$7.00.

\***Enchantress.** 11 in. Salmon-red, broad ivory border with inside fiery salmon red. Most unique and showy. Each, 12c.; doz., \$1.25; 100, \$9.00.

\***Flamingo.** 13 in. A BEAUTY with crinkled carmine rose petals with a white stripe through each. Splendid. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.00; 100, \$8.00.

\***Gold Finch.** 12 in. Pure rich yellow. Retains its color to the last; sweet scented. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.50.

\***Le Reve.** Large globular flowers, old rose, flushed buff. Most attractive for outdoor planting. Each, 12c.; doz., \$1.35; 100, \$9.00.

\***La Reine Maximus.** White flushed shell pink. Splendid for forcing and bedding. Each, 8c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$6.50.

\***Pink Beauty.** 12 in. Strong, erect stems, carrying enormous flowers of glowing, vivid pink. Center of petals flushed white. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$7.50.

\***Lady Boreel.** 16 in. Snowy white flowers of perfect shape. Splendid, either for beds or forcing. Each, 7c.; doz., 80c.; 100, \$6.00.

\***Marechal Neil.** 15 in. A large, long, strong stemmed fragrant flower, glittering coppery red with yellow heart. Very attractive outdoors and unexcelled for pots. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.50.

\***Primrose Queen.** 12 in. Soft primrose yellow, lovely in bowls. Each, 6c.; doz., 65c.; 100, \$5.00.

\***Queen of the Pinks.** 14 in. Long, pointed flowers on strong stems, deep pink flushed white. Each, 8c.; doz., 80c.; 100, \$6.00.

\***Queen of the Violets.** 12 in. Large violet flowers; blend beautifully with Primrose Queen. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.25.

(The 3 Queens for 20c.)

\***Prosperity.** "La Reine des Reines." Lovely silvery pink. For early forcing. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.

\***Van Der Neer.** 12 in. Brilliant violet purple flowers. Superb for bedding. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.00; 100, \$8.50.

\***White Swan.** 15 in. Very early—long, graceful stems; pure white egg-shaped. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.75.

**Our Imperial Blend Single Early Tulips.** Made up by ourselves of finest named sorts, including all colors. Not a CHEAP but a satisfactory selection 3 bulbs, 15c.; doz., 50c.; 100, \$3.75.

Double Early Tulips

The value of these lies in their lasting quality and showy display of color. We recommend them especially for growing in bowls and pans. We list only the most satisfactory sorts.

\***Boule de Neige.** 10 in. Large full flowers, glistening white, resembling a Peony. Each, 7c.; doz, 75c.; 100, \$5.50.

\***Couronne D'Or.** 11 in. Rich, golden yellow flowers shaded copper. Excellent for bedding and Winter forcing. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.00.

\***Rose D'Amour.** 12 in. Soft salmon rose; especially beautiful. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$6.00.

\***El Torcador.** 12 in. Bright orange scarlet margined yellow. Early. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.00, 100, \$8.00.

\***Murillo.** 11 in. A great favorite. Delicate rose pink. Each, 6c.; doz., 65c.; 100, \$4.75.

\***Tea Rose.** 11 in. Like its namesake soft primrose tinged rosy apricot. Fragrant as a Rose. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.00; 100, \$7.00.

\***Van der Hoeft.** 12 in. An exquisite flower of rich golden yellow, and a gem for growing in pots. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.00; 100, \$8.00.

**Special Offer.** 2 each of the 7 named varieties, 50c.; 5 each of the 7 named varieties, 35 bulbs, \$2.50.

**Our Imperial Blend.** Doz., 60c.; 100, \$4.50.

Two Splendid Double Late Tulips

(Blooming in May with Cottage Tulips)

**Bleu Celeste (Blue Flag).** Immense violet blue flowers as big as peonys. Most attractive in the herbaceous border, and forms a picture of artistic beauty when combined with Yellow Rose. Each, 10c.; doz., 80c.; 100, \$7.50.

**Yellow Rose.** Late blooming. Showy golden yellow. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.50.

**Special.** 3 each of the 2 varieties, 45c.

OLD DUTCH BREEDER TULIPS

In Beautiful Art Shades

\***Apricot.** Ruddy apricot-edged bronze buff; olive base; full flowers. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.10.

\***Butterfly.** A clear lovely lilac tinted like a Butterfly. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.10.

\***Bronze Queen.** Soft buff, tinged bolden bronze. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.00; 100, \$8.00.

\***Godet Parfait.** 30 in. Rich deep Pansy violet, white base. Each, 15c.; doz., \$1.50.

\***Medea.** 32 in. Glorious large salmon, carmine tinted flower. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$7.00.

\***Madame Lethierry.** 26 in. A variety of great beauty; dark crushed strawberry flushed salmon. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.00; 100, \$8.00.

\***Goliath.** Deep rich Mulberry purple flowers, flushed rosy bronze, edges tipped orange. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.

\***Jaune D' Oeuf.** 28 in. Stately tulips of rich chrome yellow with a soft suffusion of pale mauve, base and anthers pale green. Very striking. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.

\***Hamlet.** 26 in. Unique shade bronze brown, flushed rosy purple through the center of petals. Large flowered and most striking with pale late tulips. Each, 12c.; doz., \$1.35; 100, \$10.00.

\***Yellow Perfection.** Bright bronze yellow-edged deep gold. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.00; 100, \$8.00.

**Our Imperial Blend Breeder Tulips.** 3 bulbs, 18c.; doz., 65c.; 100, \$5.00.

Rembrandt Tulips

These comprise a strain of variegated Darwin tulips having all their characteristics. They are growing yearly in favor and seem to renew the popularity they enjoyed in bygone days when as "BAGUETTES" they adorned the Parks and gardens of Northern France. Their quaintness and brilliant colors are most fascinating.

\***Apollo.** Rosy lilac and white striped dark carmine.

\***Caracenia.** Fiery scarlet and white.

\***Marie.** Pink feathered dark pink.

\***La Coquette.** White flushed lilac, black striped.

\***Marco Spado.** White-flamed scarlet.

\***Semele.** Large flower, quaintly beautiful; white feathered old rose, the base starred bluish green.

\***Red Prince.** Rose with red flames. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.00.

Special offer, 3, each variety, 21 bulbs, \$2.00.

Parrot or Dragon Tulips

Petals curiously fringed or lacinated on the edges.

\***Admiral de Constantinople.** Red tipped orange.

\***Lutea Major.** Bright yellow.

\***Markraff von Baden.** Yellow, scarlet and green.

\***Monstre Cramoise.** Deep crimson, black center.

\***Perfecta.** Yellow, striped red.

**Prices of named sorts.** Doz., 70c.; 100, \$5.00.

**Mixed sorts.** Doz., 60c.; 100, \$4.75.

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GENERAL LIST

Rose and Carmine Shades

- \***Baronne de la Tonnaye.** 30 in. Bright rose margined blush. Sturdy and very popular. Each, 8c.; doz., 80c.; 100, \$5.50.
- \***Clara Butt.** 28 in. Distinct clear salmon pink. An exquisite shade. A great favorite. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.25.
- Edmee or "Beauty."** 25 in. Vivid cherry rose edged soft old rose, large flowers. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.25.
- \***Loveliness.** 22 in. A warm soft carmine rose. Splendid forcer. Each, 8c.; doz., 80c.; 100, \$6.25.
- Nauticus.** 30 in. Glowing cherry rose, violet base shaded bronze. Very striking. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.25.
- Pride of Haarlem.** 30 in. Brilliant deep rose with a scarlet sheen, blue base and blue anthers. Of stately habit and glorious color, sweet-scented. Unsurpassed for borders, etc. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.
- \***Psyche.** 26 in. An enchanting silvery pink tulip. Each, 8c.; doz., 80c.; 100, \$6.25.

Blush and White Shades

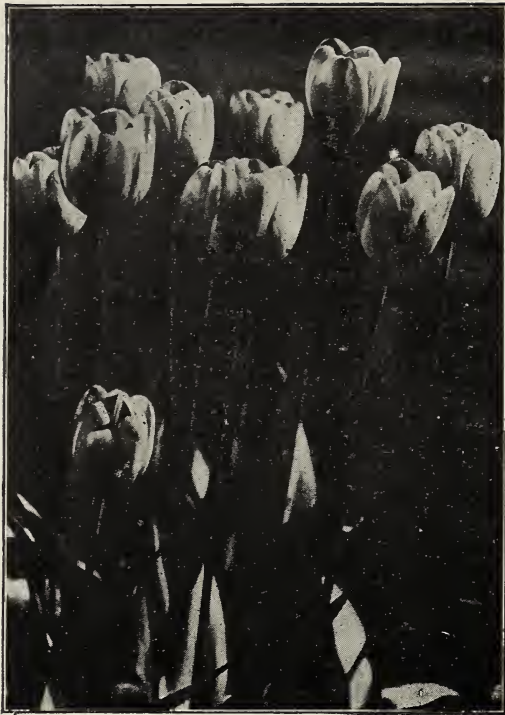
- Margaret.** 26 in. Lovely globular flower, delicate blush pink. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.25.
- \***La Candeur (White Queen).** White flushed pale rose with effective black anthers. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.50.
- Painted Lady.** 27 in. Creamy white on tall, dark stems. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.
- Suzon, 25 in.** Stately erect flowers. Buff rose shading to blush at the margin, white base delicately marked blue. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.

Lilac, Mauve and Violet Shades

- Dream.** 26 in. Enormous flowers silvery heliotrope, inside a deeper shade. Each, 8c.; doz., 80c.; 100, \$6.25.
- Euterpe.** 28 in. Brilliant clear lilac—exquisite when planted with bronze Breeder tulips. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.50.
- \***Phillipe de Commines.** 25 in. Velvety purple maroon, flowers immense. Each 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.
- \***Rev. H. Ewbank.** 24 in. Silvery heliotrope and deep mauve—one of the best shades. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.25.
- Remembrance.** 25 in. Very distinct. Silvery slaty lilac flushed brown at base. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.
- Purple Perfection.** 25 in. Glowing lustrous purple with a bluish sheen. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.00; 100, \$7.50.
- \***Wm. Copeland.** 26 in. (Sweet Lavender). Especially for house culture, as it is so easily grown. Bright lavender. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.
- Inglescombe Yellow.** Known as the Yellow Darwin. Glossy canary yellow. Fine in combinations of color. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.

Scarlet and Dark Shades

- \***Farnscombe Saunders.** 25 in. Fiery rose scarlet, white base. Large broad petalled flowers. One of the Very Best. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$7.00.
- Glow.** 25 in. Dazzling vermilion, scarlet blue base, edged white. Each 8c.; doz., 80c.; 100, \$6.50.
- Prof. Rauwenhoff.** 28 in. Giants of brilliant rosy scarlet with a vivid blue base. SUPERB. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.00; 100, \$7.50.
- \***Salmon King.** 24 in. Glowing salmon red shaded rose; white base. A most effective tulip and splendid to force. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.25.
- La Tulipe Noir (The black tulip).** 26 in. Deep maroon black with a velvety sheen. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.25.
- The Sultan.** F-18 in. Glossy blackish maroon. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.00; 100, \$8.00.
- Our Imperial Blend** is unsurpassed in richness of color and beautiful varieties. A SUPERIOR GRADE. Doz., 65c.; 100, \$4.50.



The Glorious Darwin Tulips

Excelling in variety and brilliancy of tints and shades and colors, perfect form of flowers, and in tall stout stems. They come into bloom after early tulips are gone, being at their best the second half of May and well into June. They are slow in developing and therefore last much longer. The gigantic flower cups rise far above the broad foliage, borne on sturdy stems 2 to 3 feet high. The flowers are self-colored with bases of charming contrasting colors. They look superb planted as regiments in massive beds, but most artistic in harmonious colors as groups in hardy borders, or planted in ribbons. They can be left undisturbed for years.

Varieties that may be successfully forced are marked with an asterisk.

COLLECTION "DE LUXE"

"Enchanting the eye and enchaining the heart."

- \***Bleu Aimable.** 25 in. Bright violet shaded steel blue—blue base, very distinct. Each, 12c.; doz., \$1.35.
- \***Crepuscule.** 29 in. Soft rosy lilac flushed silvery white, blue base. Each, 12c.; doz., \$1.35.
- Duke of Portland.** 26 in. Brilliant cerise scarlet. Bold imposing flower. Each, 15c.; doz., \$1.75.
- Carmen.** 30 in. Enormous flowers, rich rose shaded salmon rose with a wonderful greenish blue base. Black anthers. One of the loveliest. Each, 15c.; doz., \$1.75.
- \***Eugene de la Croix.** 26 in. Shimmering satiny black—indeed a rare flower. Each 10c., doz., \$1.10.
- Faust.** 30 in. Rich deep purple with a glistening sheen. Each, 12c.; doz., \$1.35.
- \***Flamingo.** 28 in. Lovely pointed flowers of an exquisite shade shell pink. Unsurpassed for border planting. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.00.
- \***Hypolite.** 26 in. Exquisite flower of azure blue. Each, 12c.; doz., \$1.35.
- Paul Boudry.** 26 in. Unique shade blue bronze or bronze with a blue sheen; hard to describe. Each, 12c.; doz., \$1.35.
- Yolande.** 29 in. Tall stems bearing wonderfully beautiful pink tulips with buff-colored base—the inside brilliant rose. Each, 25c.; doz., \$2.75.
- \***Ronald Gunn.** 26 in. A clear bluish violet, the petals edged light lavender as they expand—the blue a shade found in no other Darwin. Each, 12c.; doz., \$1.35.
- The Set of 10 Choice Bulbs for \$1.25.**  
"Each one a Dream of Beauty."

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OLD ENGLISH COTTAGE TULIPS

(May Flowering)

Bloom the same time as the Darwins. They are of stately growth, not quite as tall as Darwins or Breeders. May be left undisturbed during Summer.

Plant 6 inches deep and 6 inches apart.

Collection De Luxe

- Daybreak.** Violet, broad light yellow border, pale green base, charming. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.10.
  - Glare of the Garden** (Maculata Globosa Grandiflora). Immense flowers, dazzling scarlet, black center, edged yellow. Most showy. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.
  - Le Reve.** Salmon rose, suffused buff. Exquisite globular flowers. Each, 12c.; doz., \$1.35.
  - Moonlight.** Superb long ovel-shaped flowers of a soft but glowing sulphur yellow. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.
  - John Ruskin.** A rarely beautiful, opalescent blending of apricot, rose and mauve margined soft yellow—graceful and large. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.10.
  - Gesneriana Ixiodies.** Enchanting ovel flower of soft primrose yellow with a BLACK base. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.10.
  - Retroflexa Superba.** A vase-shaped bloom of soft amber tone, the petals gracefully recurved and sweetly scented. A group of a dozen or more of these tulips with their lily-like chalice form a picture to remember. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.10; 100, \$8.50.
  - Distinction.** 20 in. Large light violet flowers, lightly feathered, white and purple. A striking variety. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.00.
- The set of 8 choice bulbs for 75c.

GENERAL LIST

- Bouton d'Or (Golden Beauty).** Deep golden yellow cup-shaped flowers. Black anthers. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.50.
- Elegans Alba (White Crown).** Cream white with a clear carmine edge. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.00; 100, \$7.50.
- Elegans Lutea Maxima (Golden Spire).** Canary yellow flushed orange red. Large pointed flowers. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.00; 100, \$6.50.
- Ellen Wilmott.** One of the most beautiful. Creamy yellow, deliciously fragrant. Each, 8c.; doz., 80c.; 100, \$6.50.
- Fairy Queen.** Has goblet-shaped flowers of a rosy heliotrope, margined amber yellow. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.50.
- Gesneriana Spathulata.** Flowers of enormous size on long graceful stems. Rich crimson scarlet with glittering blue black center. A grand tulip for beds and borders. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$6.00.
- Gesneriana Lutea.** Perfect golden yellow flowers on strong stems. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.25.
- Inglescombe Pink (Salmon Queen.)** An enchanting salmon rose shade with large cup-shaped flowers. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.50.
- Inglescombe Scarlet.** Dazzling vermilion red with black base. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.50.
- Isabella (Blushing Bride).** Opens creamy white suffused rose turning with age to deep rose. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.50.
- La Merveille.** A long-waisted flower of a delightful shade of orange cherry, sweet scented. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.50.
- Picotee (Maiden's Blush).** White margined rose, flushes with age, graceful reflexed petals. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$4.75.
- The Fawn.** Large egg-shaped flowers of exquisite beauty, rosy fawn-colored flames on a soft flesh ground. UNIQUE. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$6.00.
- Our Imperial Blend.** Including sweet-scented sorts and all varieties. Doz., 50c.; 100, \$4.50.

Bybloemen Tulips

Showing white ground color over which the "Roses" are marked with crimson, rose, pink or scarlet and the "Violets" with blue, lilac, purple, etc.

- Rose Bybloemen Tulips.** Choice mixed varieties. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.
- Violet Bybloemen Tulips.** Choice mixed varieties. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.



Rembrandt Tulips

BOTANICAL TULIPS

Odd and Rare—Early Flowering

These rare tulips are mostly natives of Central Asia Minor. They are especially beautiful in "Rock gardens" and Spring borders, and for the lover and collector of all the tulip species indispensable.

- Florentina Odorata.** 16 in. The sweet scented "Wild English Tulip." The soft yellow flowers have long narrow petals and the sweetest perfume. Absolutely hardy; can be left undisturbed for years. Each, 7c.; doz., 65c.; 100, \$5.00.
- Kaufmannia.** Rarely beautiful. Large flowers of palest primrose with great flames of carmine on the exterior of the petals and around the yellow base. It is called "Water Lily Tulip," as the flowers open flat and are carried on stems usually less than a foot in height. Blooms as early as April outdoors and is lovely for growing indoors. Each, 12c.; 3 for 35c.; doz., \$1.25; 100, \$8.50.

The "Little Lady Tulip"

**Clusiana.** 8 in. Outer petals bright cherry red, inside creamy white with violet base. Thrives best in light soil in a warm sheltered corner. It is delightful for pots. Each, 12c.; doz., \$1.25.

**The Rare "Viridiflora,"** known as The Green Tulip. Pale Green edged creamy yellow, blooms immense and very odd. Each, 12c.; doz., 85c.

The set of 4 Botanical tulips, 40c.

Lawn Grass Seed

AUTUMN is a GOOD time to tend to your lawn and get it ready for the Winter and Spring. The main point is to secure GOOD RELIABLE seed.

**Velvet Sod.** For making new lawns we recommend 5 bushels to the acre; 1 pound of seed will sow 250 square feet. For renovating use one-half this quantity. Lb., 55c.; 5 lbs., \$2.50; 10 lbs., \$4.75; 20 lbs., \$8.50; 100 lbs., \$40.00.

**Mixture for Shady Lawns and Under Trees** This mixture will thrive in any shaded position. Lb., 60c.; 10 lbs., \$4.75; 20 lbs., \$9.00; 100 lbs., \$42.50.

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## Narcissi and Daffodils

"SPRING IS AT THE DOOR,"  
 She bears a golden store,  
 Her lap with yellow DAFFODILS runneth o'er,  
 Her voice the sleeping flowers obey,  
 Dreaming they hear her singing  
 And quickly upward springing.  
 They set their fragrant censers swinging.

What would a garden be without the charm of these exquisite fragrant blossoms? A wealth of silver and gold amongst the fresh and vivid green of early Spring. They are so easy to grow rewarding little care with such richness of floral beauty—the cost is small, the results great. Most of the bulbs can be left for years in the soil where planted, thriving and multiplying. Its ease of culture makes the Daffodil the Spring flower for every garden. They can be planted in groups or singly—if in groups in the grass or lawn, plant 3 to 5 feet apart. Succeed best in a well drained rich soil, partially shaded from hot sunshine. Cover the bulbs one and a half times their own depth. Plant 3-6 inches apart according to size. In light sandy soil plant deeper than in heavy soil. NEVER use fresh manure near any bulbs. Use BONE MEAL as fertilizer.

**NATURALIZING.**—If grown for this purpose loosen and lift the turf back with a spade, enrich the soil with bone meal or other fertilizer, and after setting the bulbs, cover them firmly with the sod. Plant the bulbs when the ground is moist after a light rain.

The POETICUS and POETAZ types are especially fine in the grass.

### Large Trumpet Daffodils

(Best varieties for house and window garden are prefixed with a \*.)

\***Emperor.** 20 in. Immense flower of remarkable substance—clear golden yellow. Each, 8c.; doz., 90c.; 100, \$7.50. Selected Mammoth. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.10; 100, \$8.00.

**Glory of Leyden.** Perianth pale yellow, broad and spreading, very long trumpet of golden yellow; enormous flower of great vigor and substance. Large Selected Bulbs. Each, 12c.; doz., \$1.35; 100, \$8.00.

\***Golden Spur.** 18 in. One of the earliest daffodils, rich golden yellow. Unsurpassed for pots, gardens or forcing. Mammoth. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.10; 100, \$8.50.

Selected Size: Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$5.75.

\***Obvallaris** (The Tenby Daffodil). Very early, erect form, deep yellow. Splendid for both the garden and house. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.00.

\***Empress.** Creamy white perianth, rich yellow trumpet. Very showy. Selected Bulbs; Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.50.

Mammoth: Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.10; 100, \$8.25.

**Santa Maria.** A remarkably distinct and charming EARLY flower, deep orange yellow, perianth elegantly twisted. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.25.

\***Mme. Plump.** White perianth with twisted petals, long golden trumpet. The BEST Bicolor daffodil for permanent borders. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.10; 100, \$7.50.

\***Madame de Graaff.** An exquisite flower. Pure white with soft primrose trumpet passing into milk white exquisitely rolled back at the brim. Each, 12c.; doz., \$1.25; 100, \$9.00.

\***Vanilla.** A lovely flower growing on long stems having a bold yellow trumpet with creamy white cup. Especially desirable for its exquisite distinct VANILLA perfume. Each, 12c.; doz., \$1.35; 100, \$10.00.

**Victoria.** A bold and effective variety grown either indoors or out. Creamy perianth, trumpet rich yellow, delicately perfumed. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.10; 100, \$7.75.

\***Wm. Goldring.** 15 in. White perianth drooping over the long white trumpet, hence its name of **Swan's Neck**, Daffodil. Very lovely. Each, 8c.; doz., \$1.00; 100, \$7.00.

\***W. P. Milner.** 12 in. Creamy white perianth and trumpet, small flower, narrow foliage. An exquisite and charming daffodil, free flowering both for pots and outdoors. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$7.00.

### Incomparabilis Daffodils

(Large Chalice Cupped Daffodils)

This class comprises all sorts. They all have long stems, are very hardy, of easiest culture, very free flowering with large flowers often 4 inches across. Unexcelled for pot culture.

\***Autocrat.** 20 in. An exquisitely shaped flower. Perianth pale yellow with deep yellow crown. One of the best for pots. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.00.

**Beauty.** 23 in. Sulphur yellow perianth, deeper toned cup, margined orange scarlet. Very free flowering. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.10; 100, \$7.50.

**Gloria Mundi.** A gorgeous flower. Clear yellow perianth, broad, wide, expanded; frilled and fluted brilliant orange red cup. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.

\***Lucifer.** 20 in. Large pure white perianth, cup intense glowing orange red. Very strong. A glowing flower of lasting quality. Each, 7c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$7.00.

**Sir Watkin.** 21 in. The Giant Welsh Daffodil. Wide sulphur perianth, large golden crown. The flowers are held rigid on the long stems, winds and storms cannot injure them. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.10; 100, \$7.50.

\***C. J. Backhouse.** Starry soft yellow perianth. Long, rich orange scarlet cup. One of the most beautiful. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.

\***Stella Superba.** Large, graceful, white flower, yellow crown. Grand for naturalizing or for pot culture. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.50.

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Leedsi Daffodils

("Silver Winged Daffodils")

Also called "Eucharis flowered." All these have white perianths with cream or pale citron crowns. Most beautiful of all for cutting.

- \***The Gem.** A beautifully formed flower. White cup with glistening white perianth. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.00.
- \***Mrs. Langtry.** A remarkably free flowering variety—broad white perianth, large white cup—one of the best for naturalizing. Each, 6c.; doz., 65c.; 100, \$4.50.
- \***M. Magdalene de Graaf.** 18 in. Broad white perianth, expanded orange rose cup. Very attractive. With delightful drooping foliage. Each, 7c.; doz., 70c.; 100, \$6.00.
- \***White Lady.** An enchanting Lily-like flower—broad white perianth with pale citron cup, prettily crinkled. Very chaste and free flowering, both for outdoor planting or in the house, and superb for cutting, as it lasts a long time. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.75. Selected Mammoth Bulbs: Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.10; 100, \$7.50.

Barrii Daffodils or "Star Narcissi"

All long-stemmed, fragrant flowers. Fine for cutting and exquisite grown in bowls and pots.

- Albatross.** Large, lovely white perianth, pale citron cup, prettily frilled with a brilliant scarlet edge. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.
- \***Conspicuous.** Unexcelled both for the garden and the house. Broad yellow perianth, short cup-edged vivid scarlet. Splendid for naturalizing. Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.50.
- \***Seagull.** Charming spreading white perianth, cup canary edged apricot. A delight in pots. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.

The True Jonquil

These have grassy leaves, bear two or more flowers on long slender stems delightfully fragrant. They are ideal for growing in pans or bowls in the house. Splendid for outdoors. Once tried you will never be without them.

- Jonquilla.** Single sweet scented—rich yellow. Doz., 40c.; 100, \$3.50; 1,000, \$38.00.
- Campernelle Odorus.** Very early, floriferous and fragrant. Doz., 50c.; 100, \$4.00.
- \***Odorus Regulosus.** Giant flowered, long stems, bearing 3-4 fragrant flowers. Fine for naturalizing and pots. Doz., 60c.; 100, \$4.50.
- J. Flor-pleno.** Double fragrant yellow. Doz., 50c.; 100, \$3.75.

THE POET'S NARCISSI

Narcissus Poeticus

These "Poets Narcissi" all have snowy white perianths with wide flattened yellow cups or crowns margined scarlet. Borne on long stems, all are deliciously fragrant and prized for cutting. They grow with almost no care at all and multiply rapidly.

- Poeticus** (Pheasant's Eye). One of the best for naturalizing in woodlands and wild gardens. Pure white with orange cup. (Will not thrive in wet soil.) Doz., 50c.; 100, \$4.25; 1,000, \$36.00.
- Poeticus Ornatus.** 15 in. Forces earlier and blooms earlier outdoors. Flowers larger and is especially adapted for pot culture. Pure white with saffron cup, edged scarlet. Each, 7c.; doz., 70c.; 100, \$4.75.
- Almira** (King Edward VII). Broad glistening white perianth, cup light yellow margined deep red. Very early flower. Lovely for bowls, etc. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.10; 100, \$7.50.

POETAZ NARCISSI

Vigorous growers with stout stems bearing clusters of 5-8 enormous flowers with a fragrance as delicate as jasmine. Beautiful alike for outdoors or pot culture.

- Alsace.** One of the earliest. Pure white, yellow cup. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.
- Elvira.** 24 in. Very long stemmed and free flowering. 2-3 stems to a bulb. Pure white, citron cup. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$7.00.
- Ideal.** A Queen of Poetaz. IMMENSE trusses of flowers. Brilliant orange cup. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.00; 100, \$8.50.
- Irene.** Silky primrose perianth with fluted orange cup. 7-9 flowers on a stem. A Beauty. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.00; 100, \$8.50.
- Klondyke.** Bearing great trusses of bright golden blooms. Each, 12c.; doz., \$1.35; 100, \$8.50.

Double Daffodils

The double varieties are adapted both for outdoors and in pots or bowls.

- Gardenia-flowered Narcissi.** Double silvery white closely resembling a GARDENIA and wonderfully fragrant. Like partial shade and thrive best in a heavy moist soil. Each, 6c.; doz., 60c.; 100, \$4.00.
- Orange Phoenix** (Eggs and Bacon). Beautiful double, white flowers, with orange nectary. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.
- Silver Phoenix** (Coddins and Cream). Large, creamy white flowers, sulphur nectary. Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$7.50.
- Van Sions.** "The TRUE double yellow daffodils." The most popular sort. Extra Double Nose: Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.35; 100, \$9.00. Selected Bulbs: Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$7.50.

CROCUS

Without sunshine the crocus is without a home.

SIZE and QUALITY MUST be of the BEST.

So easy to enjoy these delightful Spring blossoms. Once planted they can be left undisturbed for years, and afford a recurrent delight. They are entirely hardy, blooming before the snow has vanished. The cost is small, well worth the pleasure we derive.

Violet and Blue Shades

- Hero.** Deep glistening purple. Extra large.
- Maximilian.** Pure porcelain blue, distinct from all others.
- The Pearl.** Violet with a white edge.
- Apollo.** Deep lavender shaded purple.

White

- King of the Whites.** Large snowy white. Very floriferous.
- Kathleen Parlow.** Very beautiful, large cup-shaped flowers, pure white with brilliant orange anthers.
- Mont Blanc.** An old favorite. Doz., 50c.; 100, \$3.00.

Striped

- La Majesteuse.** White striped lilac.
- Mikado.** Pale greyish lilac, striped white and violet following.

Yellow

(for outdoor planting)

- Louis D'Or.** Golden Yellow.
- Giant Yellow.** Doz., 50c.; 100, \$3.50. Price any except where noted: Doz., 35c.; 100, \$2.75.
- Crocus Biflorus** (Scotch crocus). White with pale lilac stripes. Doz., 50c.; 100, \$3.50.

Two Extra Early Crocus

Here are two varieties which bloom often weeks earlier than the others. They bloom profusely, are endearingly graceful and pretty, and last a long time.

- Cloth of Gold** (Susianus). Golden veined brown.
- Cloth of Silver.** White feathered lilac. Doz., 35c.; 100, \$2.75.
- Our Imperial Blend.** All colors and shades of the very choicest. Doz., 30c.; 100, \$1.75; 1,000, \$12.00.

Bulbs for Naturalizing

Order these early.

EXTRA SPECIAL OFFER

- Mixture of finest TRUMPET sorts. Per 1,000, \$50.00; doz., 85c.; 100, \$6.50.
- Mixture of Poeticus, Leedsi, Barrii and Incomparabil. Per 1,000, \$40.00; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.50.
- Mixture of all sorts, single and double Daffodil and Narcissi. Per 1,000, \$35.00; doz., 60c.; 100, \$5.50.

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# Hardy Bulbs and Roots for Fall Planting

## Amaryllis Hallii

The only TRUE HARDY amaryllis in existence; produces in early Spring; attractive green foliage which grows until mid-Summer, when it ripens off and disappears, and those not familiar with this beautiful flower would think it had died off, when lo, after a short time the flower stalks spring up as if by magic 2 to 3 feet high, crowned with umbels of from 8 to 12 large magnificent lily-like flowers. The tints of a glorious evening sky at sundown are reflected in them. The tenderest rose suffused with Azure blue. No lover of flowers can miss this exquisite flower.

The enormous demand for this enchanting flower has reduced stock and price has doubled.  
Each, 40c.; 3, \$1.10.  
**Extra Strong Bulbs.** Each, 50c.; 3, \$1.25.

## Camassia Esculenta

(Wild Western Hyacinth)

As beautiful as the finest Scillas, but bearing much larger bells. Flower spikes are 15-20 inches high, the foliage deep green and spear-like. Thrives in any good soil, in sun or shade and can be left undisturbed for years, multiplying rapidly. Flowers in June. A good top dressing of well-rotted manure applied in Fall will produce extra fine rich flowers the Spring following.

**Blue or Purple Esculenta.** 3, 15c.; doz., 50c.; 100, \$3.00.  
**Leichtlini.** Cream White. 3, 30c.; doz., \$1.10; 100, \$7.50.

## Japan Iris (Iris Kaempferi)

Natives of Japan, these glorious Irises were first imported to the U. S. by H. H. Berger & Co., in 1877.

### Six Novelties

- Iris Coerulea (Flying Dragon).** Enormous flower, broad large petals of exquisite silky azure blue. Each, 60c.; 3, \$1.75; doz., \$6.50.
- Oyodo.** Shimmering rosy lavender with blue halo and yellow blotches at base of petals. Each, 60c.; 3, \$1.75; doz., \$6.50.
- Hana-Aoi (Hollyhock).** Silvery white-feathered lilac, radiating gracefully into the white. Each, 40c.; 3, \$1.10; doz., \$4.00.
- Shippo.** Great wavy petals of rich tyian blue; conspicuous yellow blotches tipped blue; veined and feathered purple. Six petals. Each, 40c.; 3, \$1.10; doz., \$4.00.
- Ho-ojo (Fried Beauty).** Large and striking with beautifully frilled and ruffled petals. Color, deep pinkish plum, white pencillings and yellow blotches. Each, 60c.; 3, \$1.75; doz., \$6.50.
- Geisho-ui.** Rich crimson, primrose blotches surrounded by a white halo radiating out into the crimson petals. Each, 40c.; 3, \$1.10; doz., \$4.00.  
1 each of the 6 NOVELTIES, \$2.75.  
3 each of the 6 NOVELTIES, \$8.00.

### General List

- Yomo-no-umi.** Double creamy white.
- Subijin (Pretty One).** Light blue with a darker sheen.
- Waka-hotei (Seagull).** Wavy double silky white petals, veined and flaked reddish lilac.
- Kuro-komo.** Clear violet with dark purple halo and shadings. Double.
- Kasugano.** Exquisite delicate blue lilac.
- Yoshimo.** Double red lilac pencilled white, primrose halo. Lovely.
- Hatsushimo (First Frost).** Single pure white with rose pink center.
- Meiran.** Light lavender rose, rarest and brightest color in Japan. Single.
- Zama-no-mori.** Single. Immense white flowers shaded light blue towards center.
- Kumo-no-obi (Smiling God).** Dark lavender purple shaded blue, radiating into strong white lines.
- Extra Strong Rhizomes.** Each, 35c.; 3, \$1.00; dozen of any one sort, \$3.50.
- Iris Seedlings.** Most beautiful sorts will be found among them. 5, 75c.; doz. \$1.50.

## Flag Iris or Fleur-de-llys

In their gowns of crinkled silk,  
Golden banded, ranked in order.  
Brilliant as the sunset fire is,  
Dark as storm clouds, white as milk,  
Blue as Heaven, in our garden  
Stand troops of IRIS.

The IDEAL time for planting Iris is during August and September. They soon establish themselves and grow into sturdy plants which will give masses of bloom next Spring and Summer. The Iris is a sun lover, growing and flowering most luxuriously in full exposure to the sun. The Floretinas thrive in partial shade. Good drainage is essential.

(S. is used to signify standards or the erect petals; F. the drooping petals.)

## New Selections

- Caprice.** Enormous blooms of rich violet blue. Each, 30c.; doz., \$2.50.
- Innocenza.** Exquisitely beautiful. Ivory white with rich golden crest. Each, 30c.; doz., \$2.50.
- Isoline.** Bold distinct flowers. Silvery lilac with rosy mauve falls an iridescent blending of tints. Orange beard. Each, 35c.; doz., \$3.50.
- Khedive.** Soft satiny lavender, F., white veined bronze tipped Auricula purple. Each, 50c.; doz., \$5.00.
- Iris King.** Clear buff yellow with broad satiny crimson falls, edged gold. Each, 50c.; doz., \$5.50.
- Lohengrin.** Foliage and flowers of gigantic size. Fluted standards—all of a soft uniform shade of Cattleya rose. Each, 40c.; doz., \$3.50.
- Lorely.** Lustrous amber yellow standards with Retunia purple falls. Each, 30c.; doz., \$2.50.
- Ma Mie.** A stately plant 4½ feet high. Pure white with beautifully fringed and shaded bluish violet edges. Each, 35c.; doz., \$3.50.
- Princess Victoria Louise.** S. Primrose yellow; F. rich plum color edged ivory white. Each, 35c.; doz., \$3.00.
- Tamerlane.** S. clear blue; F. deep rich Pansy violet; orange beard. Most striking. Each, 40c.; doz., \$4.50.

**Special Offer.** One each of the above 10 plants, \$3.00. Exceptional value.

## Standard Sorts

- Aurea.** Rich chrome yellow.
- Beauty.** S. white; F. bordered and veined pale plum color.
- Bronze Beauty.** S. sulphury bronze; F. purplish red, orange beard.
- Cythere.** S. azure blue; F. deep blue; large and very early.
- Flavescens.** The large primrose iris. Sweetly scented.
- Gracchus.** Most effective. S. primrose; F. crimson netted white.
- Jeanette.** Coppery rose standards, velvety reddish falls. Tall and lovely.
- Honorabilis.** S. intense yellow; F. a beautiful bronze.
- Pearl.** S. pale lavender; F. deep mauve.
- Sappho.** S. white frilled lilac; F. white veined lilac. LOVELY.  
Each, 20c.; 3, 50c.; doz., \$1.50.

## Pallida Section

- These are especially strong and tall, growing 2 to 3 feet high, have masses of enormous flowers.
- Pallida Dalmatica.** A queen amongst Irises. A clear, beautiful lavender. Each, 25c.; doz., \$2.50.
- Pallida Albert Victor.** Light amethyst, violet self. Large, fragrant. Each, 30c.
- Pallida Speciosa.** The great purple flag. Enormous deep mauve flowers, borne on strong stems, the falls like violet. Each, 35c.; doz., \$3.50.
- P. Her Majesty.** New and very beautiful blending of tints. S. lovely rose pink; F. bright crimson. Each, 35c.; doz., \$3.00.
- P. Queen of May.** Soft clear pink to rose lilac. Most stately and lovely. Each, 20c.; doz., \$2.25.

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### SPANISH IRIS

Of brilliant colors, blooming profusely, the Spanish Iris is at its best during June—perfectly hardy and increases rapidly. Plant in clumps in loose sandy soil about 2 in. apart and 3 in. deep.

#### CHOICEST SORTS

- Belle Chinoise.** Deep rich yellow.
- Blanche Superbe.** Pure white, very large.
- Chrysolora.** Pale sulphur.
- King of Blues.** Fine brilliant blue.
- La Tendresse.** White and yellow.
- Louise.** Porcelain blue.
- Solfatare.** Lilac and yellow.  
3, 30c.; doz., \$1.00; 100, \$7.00.

### Giant Dutch or Holland Iris

(Ready in October.)

These magnificent flowers are best described as a giant strain of the early flowering Spanish Iris. The flowers are of enormous size and great substance. The foliage is very beautiful, broad glaucous green. The range of color is wide and of dazzling effect.

- Anton Mauve.** Very large. Flower of a uniform soft and clear blue.
- David Teniers.** Standards pale lavender, falls citron yellow; very tall.
- Hobemma.** Standards white, inside faintly tinged blue, falls large pale citron yellow.
- Rembrandt.** A magnificent rich blue with large orange blotch.
- Van der Neer.** Standards soft blue, falls pale sulphur, orange blotch.  
Each, 12c.; doz., \$1.35.

### Sweet Orris (Iris Florentina)

One of the most delicate perfumes known is that of Orris.

- Florentina White.** Great handsome white blossoms delicately perfumed. Most beautiful and blooms abundantly.
- Florentina Blue.** Lustrous blue. Very large and very sweet. Each, 25c.; 3, 60c.; doz., \$2.00.

### Mertensia Virginica (American Blue Bell)

This lovely plant is absolutely hardy, once planted needs NO CARE and thrives anywhere, in sun or in shade, in wet or dry soil, under evergreens, etc. Wherever seen it fills the eye and soul with love for its beauty. When the snow has barely left the ground the stout fleshy stems shoot up a foot or more, bearing in great drooping panicles large bell-shaped flowers at first of the most intense blue changing gradually to soft mauve pink—these two colors showing at the same time. The bloom lasts 3 to 4 weeks. Plant any time till late Fall. The roots we send should be placed horizontally in the ground 4 inches deep and about 8 inches apart.

- Fine Flowering Roots.** 3, 40c.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$10.50 postpaid.
- Extra Strong Roots.** 3, 75c.; doz., \$2.50; 100, \$20.00 postpaid.

### Herbaceous Peonies

- Albert Crousse.** Large convex bloom. Very full flesh pink center, shaded clear pink. Erect of splendid habit. Each, \$2.00.
  - Avalanche.** Large blooms of perfect form. Milk white-cream center with ruby red marks on few petals. Superb. Each, \$2.50.
  - Couronne d'Or.** Immense flat flowers, rose type. Very full imbricated snowy white with yellowish reflex, light carmine edges on a few petals. Blooms late; is unexcelled for cutting. Each, \$1.50.
  - Duchess de Nemours.** Very fine. Cup-shaped bloom, the most nearly pure white. Each, \$1.50.
  - Edulis Superba.** The earliest to bloom. Known as Decoration Day Peonia. Clear, bright pink. Each, \$1.50.
  - Eugene Verdier.** Deep rose flaked crimson with pale pink center. Highly fragrant. Each, \$2.75.
  - Felix Crousse.** The ideal self-colored red peony; large, globular and compact. Bright red. Each, \$1.50.
  - Festiva Maxima.** Enormous full double bloom. One of the finest white varieties. Each, \$1.25.
  - L'Indispensable.** Pale lilac shading to violet rose towards center. Each, \$1.25.
  - Monsieur Jules Elie.** One of the largest, handsomest sorts. A peerless pure pink, shimmering with a silvery sheen. Each, \$2.50.
  - Queen Victoria.** Choicest white. Grand keeper. Buds soft blush. Each, \$1.50.
  - Triomphe du Nord.** A huge pyramid of even violaceous pink. Each, \$1.75.
- The set of 12 lovely Peonias, \$20.00 (delivery not included).

### Trillium Grandiflorum

(Wood Lily Wake Robin)

Clumps of these interspersed amongst shrubbery forms a lovely spot. Large green leaves which remain beautiful for a long time after the flower. Pure white or purple bloom. Bloom profusely in earliest Spring. Love partial shade, thrive superbly north side of house where groups of ferns flourish.

- 3, 40c.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$10.00 postpaid.

### Iris Pumila

Early dwarf varieties 8-12 inches of quick and easy growth; foliage almost evergreen with masses of gay colored flowers blooming with the tulips.

- Azure.** Bright blue.
- The Bride.** Snow white.
- Golden Fleece.** Yellow.
- Purpurea.** Purple.  
Each, 15c.; doz., \$1.75.

### Pasque Flower

"Resurrection Flower"

Winter's snow still covers the ground; Crocus and snowdrops sleep, but the purple buds of the Pasque flower are pushing up their stems and buds covered with silvery, silken hair like little cloaks to protect them from cold. To Spring's first warm sunshine they open their wide chalice, seven-petaled, delicate lilac to deep royal purple, the center filled with golden stamens faintly fragrant. Five to twelve flowers to the clump. Few sights are more charming than these EARLIEST of all Spring blossoms. They thrive best in the open and full sunshine. Each, 15c.; doz., \$1.75.

- SELECTED ROOTS. Each, 20c.; doz., \$2.00.

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## Considering the Lilies



**Lilium Rubellum Half Expanded**



**Lilium Washingtonianum  
The Queen Lily of the Sierras**

These incomparably gracious beautiful plants, whose tall upright beauty is unlike any other flower that graces our gardens. Nothing else equals them as the ever-increasing demand proves. Our List contains the choice of all that is rare and fine, imported from Europe and

Asia as well as the charming sorts, natives of our own glorious home soil.

The Lily bulbs we offer are all **HARDY**, easy of cultivation, and can with few exceptions be left undisturbed for years, increasing with every season.

### Three Rare Rose and Pink Lilies

**Lil. Krameri.** Height 20 in. Early June. A more graceful or charming Lily is rarely met. In habit it resembles a smaller growing Lil Auratum. The color varies from shell-pink to a lovely rose-pink, so rare in Lilies; golden anthers. Fragrant short trumpets. Thrives in a well-drained, rather dry soil, composed of gritty loam and leafmold. Partial shade suits it best, among low growing shrubs. Plant 5-6 inches deep. (Exquisite for Pots.) Each, 60c.; 3, \$1.75; doz., \$6.75.

**Lil. Rubellum.** 2 feet. Flowers very early the end of May. The medium widely-expanded trumpets are of a beautiful rosy pink with a silvery sheen, sweet scented. Thrives among the roots of low growing shrubs and in light sandy compost of leafmold and loam. Each, 60c.; 3, \$1.75; doz., \$6.75.

**L. Washingtonianum.** A gorgeous lily, 4 to 5 feet high. Above the stout stems appear the widely expanded trumpets. Opening pure white they change to bluish rosy red and, before fading, into a deep wine color. The perfume is simply entrancing. It is one of the finest and noblest lilies known. Plant 6 inches deep in soil composed of gritty loam, peat and leafmold. Loves shade and moisture at the roots, blooming best among tall shrubs or trees.

**Special.** Each, 75c.; 3, \$2.00; doz., \$7.50.  
One each of the 3 rosy Lilies, \$1.80

**Lilium Martagon Album.** 4-5 ft. June. (White Turk's Cap Lily.) A Lily so exquisite it is hard to describe. On the tall, slender but strong stems the numerous waxy white flowers with reflexed petals sway and glisten, the golden tipped anthers shimmer,

the whole forming a pyramid of delightful beauty. A Lily so rare and sweet, so fragrant, it should grace every Lily lover's collection. Each, \$1.50; 3, \$4.25.

### Three Rarest Species of Auratum

We offer again:

**A. Platyphyllum or Macranthum.** Leaves are long and broad, stems attain a height of 6-8 ft. Flowers white, heavily spotted with golden yellow and a golden band through each petal. A royal flower. Hardy and of easiest cultivation.

**A. Pictum.** The petals of this sort are very large, overlapping each other. The ground is white, dotted richly with bright crimson spots; a band of red with golden halo through center of each petal. Never falls.

**Auratum Rubrum Vittatum.** This is the gem of all Auratum sorts. Imagine an immense flower with heavy large petals of clear white, through the center which passes a blood red band and with petals spotted, flushed, and dotted with brilliant crimson. It is superb.

Each, \$1.00; 3, any one variety, \$2.75; doz., \$10.00. One each of these truly magnificent RARE Lilies, \$2.75.

### Lilies Can Be Planted Late in the Fall

Cover the beds in which you plan to set your lily bulbs this Fall with a layer of manure four to six inches thick as soon as possible. This covering will keep the ground in perfect condition for planting no matter how early Winter sets in and how long you have to wait for bulbs. Many lilies must be imported and for this reason it is usually rather late in the fall before delivery of some sorts can be made. The bulbs will not be injured if set into beds thus protected even though the weather is very cold.

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**Lilium Candidum (Madonna Lily)**

The Lily of France.  
 "In the splendor of the Dawn  
 Down my garden path I hasten,  
 To where await me  
 Standing tall and stately  
 Madonna faced and fragrant,  
 My Lilies, my Lilies of France—"

One of the loveliest lilies growing. Height 4-5 feet with 15 to 20 snowy white flowers on the stem with golden stamens. Fragrant old fashioned and well known 'tis true, but unsurpassed in its chaste beauty. Easiest of culture. Can be left for years in same position. It thrives in either sun or shade, preferring the former. The bulbs must be planted EARLY as they make their leaf growth in the Fall.

Our **Candidum** are grown in the NORTH OF FRANCE and we pride ourselves on their superior quality. Selected Bulbs: Each, 30c.; doz., \$3.00; 100, \$25.00. Mammoth: Each, 45c.; 3, \$1.25; doz., \$4.00; 100, \$30.00.

**Pure White and White Ground Lilies**

**Lilium Album.** 3 ft. The White Speciosum from Japan. Blooms August and September. Very sturdy. Reflexed petals of glistening crystal white, feathered green with green anthers. An ideally beautiful lily. Fragrant.

**Note**—Our bulbs this season are Mammoth Bulbs. Each, 65c.; 3, \$1.80; doz. \$7.00.

**Lil Longiflorum Giganteum.** 3 ft. July-August. The only HARDY pure white long Trumpet lily, bearing on dark colored stout stems, the deliciously scented snowy flowers, with golden anthers. Mammoth Bulbs. Each, 65c.; 3, \$1.80; doz., \$6.50.

**LILIUM REGALE (MYRIOPHYLLUM)**

**Hardy, Beautiful, Fragrant**

Height, 3-4 feet. July. A new and glorious lily from China, most vigorous, with sturdy stems. The short trumpet-shaped flowers are pearly white, almost translucent, the heart suffused yellow, outside petals lightly shaded amber. Each, \$1.00; 3, \$2.80; doz., \$10.50.

**Lil Brownii.** (The species). 3 ft. July. Long trumpet-shaped flowers, the inside creamy white, shaded reddish brown. Is of easiest cultivation, requires good soil, GOOD DRAINAGE, and a warm situation. Winter protection same as for tulips. Can be left for a long time in same spot. Multiply rapidly. Each, \$1.00; 3, \$2.50; doz., \$10.00.

**Lil. Speciosum Roseum.** Height 3 feet. August. Petals recurved, ground color white flushed, deep rose, all rugged, with rubies and garnets and sparkling with crystal points. Green anthers. Selected bulbs. Each, 50c.; 3, \$1.40; doz., \$5.50.

**Speciosum Melpomene.** Height, 3-4 feet. Same type as L. Roseum, the flowers are more massive, the stems stouter, the petals flushed ruby carmine, margined white. True to its name, "Magnificent." Each, 60c.; 3, \$1.75; doz., \$6.00.

**Lil. Anatum.** (Japan's Golden Queen Lily.) Height 4-5 feet. August. Flowers are enormous, 6-12 inches across, pearly white, spotted reddish brown with a golden band down the center of each petal. Thrives best in partial shade among shrubs, etc. Selected: Each, 50c.; 3, \$1.40; doz., \$5.50. Monsters: Each, 75c.; 3, \$2.00; doz., \$7.50.

**YELLOW AND YELLOW GROUND LILIES**

**Excelsum** (L. Testaceum.) 3-5 feet. June-July. In grace, form, color and fragrance this noble Lily has no equal. The flowers are short trumpets with beautifully reflexed petals, the color is a rich-toned buff, verging on light apricot, with deep golden anthers. Most free blooming and will succeed in almost any soil. Each, \$1.00; 3 bulbs, \$2.75; doz., \$10.50.



**Lilium Speciosum Album**

**Lil Szovitzianum.** 3-4 ft. One of the finest Lilies and easiest to grow. The stout tall stems clothed in jade-green leaves often bear on one stem as many as 30 flowers in a pyramid cluster. The color so rare in Lilies, a clear waxy citron yellow, lightly spotted with black dots. It attains its best growth the second season. Each, \$1.00; 3, \$2.00; doz., \$10.00.

**Lil. Hansonii.** 3-4 ft. June. Bright green foliage, in whorls on stout stems, rich waxy yellow flowers, black spotted. Thrives in sun or shade as luxuriantly as the common tiger lily. One of the earliest lilies to flower and so healthy and permanent, once established it lasts for years. Selected Bulbs. Each, 75c.; 3, \$2.00; doz., \$7.75.

**Lil. Parryii.** 3-4 ft. July. Of most beautiful form and color, the large trumpet flowers bright citron yellow, deliciously fragrant. Plant in warm, well drained situation 10 inches deep. Strong Bulbs. Each, 75c.; 3, \$2.00; doz., \$7.50.

**Orange Red and Scarlet Lilies**

**Lil. Henryii.** Height 4-6 ft. August. One of the most vigorous lilies in existence. Thrives in ordinary soil, prefers a mixture of peat. Can be left undisturbed for years, without special care, sending up taller flower stalks each season, bearing magnificent flower clusters of 20 to 30 flowers, deep orange yellow lightly spotted with brown. Plant 6 inches deep. Each, 75c.; 3, \$2.00; doz., \$7.75.

**Canadense.** (Canadian Bell-flower Lily). One of our most beautiful native lilies, flowers bright yellow, with black spots. Each, 20c.; doz., \$2.10.

**Canadense Rubrum.** Crimson, spotted with black; 2 to 3 ft.; flowers June and July. Each, 25c.; doz., \$2.10.

**Carolinianum.** Showy Lily with slender stems, bearing reflecting orange-red flowers, heavily spotted maroon with white throat. Very hardy and fragrant; will thrive in well drained situation. July-August, 3 feet. Each, 50c.; doz., \$4.50.

**L. Batemanii.** 3-4 ft. August. Exceptionally fine. Succeeding anywhere. Color a glowing apricot, upright chalice, dark anthers. Continuous in bloom for a long time. Each, 35c.; 3, 90c.; doz., \$3.50.

**Davuricum.** 3 ft. June-July. Large erect open bell-shaped flowers, deep red, dark spotted, amber heart. Very sturdy and floriferous. Each, 25c.; 3, 70c.; doz., \$2.75.

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**"Joy in Every Bulb"**

H. H. BERGER & CO.

- E. Leonard Joerg.** Rich apricot, dark spotted. Each, 25c.; doz., \$3.00.
- Elegans Fine Mixed.** Bloom in June. Are of easy culture, grow anywhere in well-drained soil and are a very desirable, cheap sort. 3, 70c.; doz., \$2.00.
- Croceum.** A favorite Lily. Bright orange with small crimson spots. Upright-flowering. Very hardy, thriving in any soil, in a sunny garden border or among shrubs in half-shade. June and July. Each, 45c.; doz., \$4.75.

**"King of the Sierras"**

- L. Humboldtii.** 5 to 7 feet high. A magnificent lily with a wealth of large orange colored flowers with bright purple spots, reflexed petals borne on very stout stems and lasting a long time. They grow with greatest ease and flower with marvelous profusion; 30 to 40 flowers having been found on one stem. Are as hardy as rocks, and can remain undisturbed for years. Plant 10 inches deep. Each, 75c.; 3., \$2.00; doz., \$7.50.
- L. Pardalinum** (Panther Lily). 4-6 feet. July. Hardy robust grower of easiest culture. Flowers are borne in abundance, bright orange flushed scarlet, recurved petals. Grows best in well-drained garden loam, partial shade and moisture. Each, 35c.; 3, \$1.00; doz., \$3.75.
- Tigrinum.** 4-5 ft. July-August. The old well-known Tiger lily, large pyramids of flowers, orange red with black spots. Extra large bulbs. Each, 30c.; 3, 85c.; doz., \$3.25.
- L. Superbbum.** 4-6 ft. (Turk's Cap Lily.) Erect stout stems crowned with clusters of orange red flowers spotted crimson. A truly regal lily when in bloom and a sheet of flame when seen in the shrubbery or border. Each, 25c.; 3, 70c.; doz., \$2.60.
- L. Tenuifolium.** 20-24 in. June. The lovely Coral Lily of Siberia, the earliest to grace our gardens with its brilliant coral red flowers. Produced in masses of 20 to 30 on slender stems which are beautifully clothed with grass-like foliage. Loves cool, partly shaded location. Extra Size. Each, 25c.; 3, 70c.; doz., \$2.60.
- L. Umbellatum** (Davuricum). 2 to 2½ feet high. One of the best hardy garden lilies. Needs hardly any care, multiplies rapidly and can be left undisturbed for years. It forms groups of brilliant tinted flowers, the colors ranging through all buff, yellow, red, crimson and maroon shades. Do not miss this lily which is so cheap and so easy to cultivate. Each, 25c.; 3, 70c.; doz., \$2.75.

**Callas**

- Godfrey Everblooming Calla.** Most desirable for long and continuous bloom. Quantities of snowy white slightly fragrant flowers. Each, 30c.; doz., \$3.00.
- White Calla** (R. Aethiopica.) The Lily-of-the-Nile is too well-known to require any description. In Winter it is one of our best window plants. Mammoth Roots: 35c.; 3, 85c.; doz., \$3.50. Extra Size Roots: 25c.; doz., \$3.00.



**Lil. Harrisii Grown in Our Prepared Mossfiber**

**LILIES FOR GROWING IN THE HOUSE**

**Lil Harrisii (Bermuda Lily)**

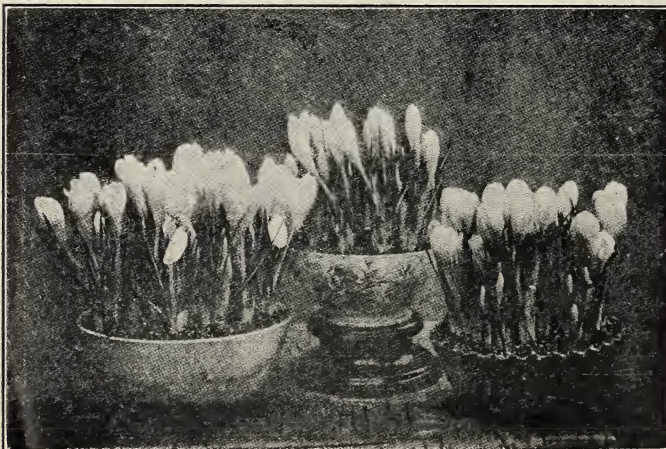
Full directions sent. This magnificent lily can be had in flower for Xmas by proper treatment. As soon as bulbs are received in August, pot them. Use a pot just large enough to hold the bulb. Extra strong Bulbs. Each, 75c.; 3, \$2.15; doz., \$7.75.

**Lil Longiflorum Giganteum.** For EASTER BLOOM, see description and price page. Each, 50c.; 3, \$1.40; doz., \$5.50.

**C. Elliottiana.** Rich velvety golden yellow flowers with glossy green leaves, covered with pelucid spots. Its great size of bloom and brilliant color make this plant a beautiful sight. Extra Strong Bulb: Each, 50c.; 3, \$1.35.

**Crocus**

Long before they open their smiling faces to the Spring sunshine you can enjoy these jewel-like blossoms in your window garden; they are one of the easiest to raise. Do best planted closely together 5-6 in a 5-inch bowl or pan in our Fiber, or rich soil a full ½-inch deep. Keep always cool, 55-65 degrees is right; heat will surely blight the buds. They can also be grown to perfection in saucers, in water and sand or pebbles. Use only LARGEST bulbs. No others give satisfaction. (For description and price see page 7.

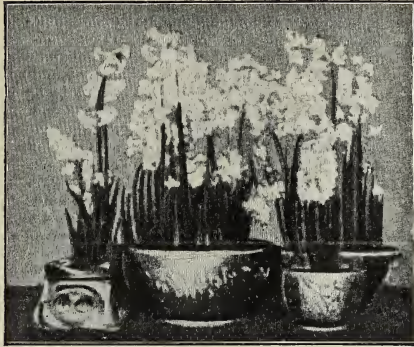


**Crocus Growing in Bowls**

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Growing All Winter Flowering Bulbs in our Prepared Mossfiber



Hyacinths Blooming in Mossfiber



Lily of Valley



Tulips Growing in Mossfiber

Early Bulbs for Early Flowers  
"Joy in Every Bulb"

This method, although used for a number of years in many European countries has only been introduced into U. S. for the past four years. Since then it has grown to enormous proportions as flower lovers were quick to find the vast superiority of this method over the old one of using earthen pots and soil.

The great advantages of the growing bulbs in fiber are:

1. Cleanliness and odorlessness of material.
2. Positive prevention of damaging furniture, table covers, etc.
3. Astonishing success in the growing of the bulbs.

4. Positive, quicker growth and splendid development. There are a variety of fibers to be had now, and while we do not lay claim that we have the very best, we take pride in declaring that we prepare our fiber from a formula all our own, using a species of moss which contains many of the fertilizing principles needed for the perfect growth of bulbous plants. We have ourselves thoroughly tested every kind of bulb, and ascertained whether they do well in the **mossfiber**. We can therefore state with truth that the **mossfiber** we offer will satisfy every expectation to the full. Try our **mossfiber** and be convinced.

5. Ornamental bowls, vases, jardinières can be used at once to plant the bulbs and have them come into flower instead of having to use unsightly earthen pots which are necessary for any bulbs grown with soil. Bulbs grown in **mossfiber** or other fiber need no drainage hole, the material keeping indefinitely sweet.

With every order for **mossfiber** we send full printed directions "How to use it and handle it."

Our price is per lb. of the prepared **mossfiber**, postpaid, 35c.; 3 lbs., 90c. postpaid; 5 lbs. and over 20c. per lb. **Not Prepaid**

**JONQUILLAS**

All the Jonquillas are a delight with their fragrance and rush-like foliage.

**Queen Anne's Jonquil.** Double clear golden-yellow flowers on tall graceful stems, exquisite in pots; one of the prettiest things we offer this season. Doz., 60c.; 100, \$4.50. Other sorts, see page 7.

**W. P. Milner.** 10 in. The daintiest, prettiest daffodil grown. The pure white flowers of cowslip fragrance are thrown well up above the foliage. Nothing is more lovely than these winsome early flowering Gems in bowls and pots bringing brightness to the darkest day. 3, 25c.; doz., 90c.

**Daffodilly and Narcissii**

The EARLIEST and easiest grown flower of any for window culture. It is almost impossible to have any failure. They grow luxuriantly in our mossfiber.

Also in soil or pebbles and water. Those best adapted for house culture are marked with an asterisk.

**POLYANTHUS NARCISSII**

"Nosegay Daffodilly"

**Paper White Narcissii.** (See picture.) One of the most loved and satisfactory flowers for the house. Can be had in bloom for your Thanksgiving table and right through the Winter by following our directions of successive plantings. Stout stems 16 to 18 inch high bear heavy clusters of crystal white, starry, delightfully fragrant flowers. The veriest amateur succeeds with them. Children love to plant them and watch their budding and blooming. Paper White Narcissii flower in 8 weeks from time of planting. Selected Bulbs: Each, 7c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$6.00. Mammoth Bulbs: Each, 8c.; doz., \$1.00; 100, \$7.50.

**Soleil d'Or (Golden Sun).** Wherever blooming, golden sunshine floods the darkest corner. Heavy clusters of golden flowers with orange cup delight the eye. Each, 14c.; 3, 40c.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$10.50.

**Double Romans (Double Sacred Lily).** May be grown in the same manner as the Chinese lily. Pearly white shaded amber. Fragrant and lasting. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.10; 100, \$8.00.

A dozen bulbs started at intervals will give a succession of flowers throughout the Winter.

**Grand Monarque.** Polyanthus or cluster flowered Narcissii. Immense blooms, ivory white with lemon cups. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.10; 100, \$8.50.

**Mont Cenis.** One of the most floriferous cluster flowered varieties. 2-3 spikes of bloom from every bulb. Deliciously fragrant large flowers of purest white with golden cups—15-18 flowers to a stem held well above the foliage. Unexcelled for house culture. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.10; 100, \$9.00.

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**WHITE PEARL**

This variety is one of the finest, surpassing in richness of bloom, size of flowers and clusters the paper-white. Exquisitely chaste, crystal-white petals surrounding the creamy-white cup; perfume deliciously spicy, yet delicate. Each, 10c.; 3, 30c.; doz., \$1.10; 100, \$8.00.

**Chinese Sacred Lily**

The "Shui Sin Far," or Water Fairy Flower, Joss Flower or Flower of the Gods, etc., as it is called by the celestials, is a variety of Narcissus, bearing in profusion chaste flowers of silvery white, with golden yellow cups. They are of exquisite beauty and entrancing perfume.

The bulbs are brought into flower in an incredibly short time 4 to 6 weeks after planting. You can really see them grow day by day. Each bulb sends up from 5-10 spikes of luxuriant growth. Lovely grown in shallow bowls with pebbles and water. Each, 30c.; 3, 85c.; doz., \$3.00.

**Jumbo Bulbs.** Each, 35c.; doz., \$3.75.

**Amaryllis**

(One of the most beautiful flowers for house culture.) We offer the choicest sorts.

**Royal Amaryllis Vittata.** Colors of exotic gorgeousness, the huge petals of richest tropical coloring. The bulbs we send out are very large, bloom surprisingly quickly and call forth admiration wherever seen. Each, \$1.00; 3, \$2.75; doz., \$10.50 (with full directions).

**Johnsonii** (Bermuda Spice Lily). Earliest of all. Enormous, brilliant crimson with white stripe through each petal. Each, 50c.; 3, \$1.40; doz., \$5.00.

**Bella Donna.** Flowers are exquisitely beautiful, the most delicate rose borne in rich clusters on long stems. They appear before the foliage, which follows immediately after. Deliciously fragrant. Each, 40c.; 3, \$1.15; doz., \$4.50.

**A. Formosissima** (Jacobean Lily). A very showy flower of deepest scarlet. Can be grown in pebbles and water like a hyacinth or in Fiber. Each, 25c.; 3, 65c.; doz., \$3.00.

One each of the 4 Amaryllis, \$2.00.

**Great Ismene or White Amaryllis**

Makes an admirable pot plant for the house. The clusters of fragrant white flowers are as superb as the most beautiful lilies. Treatment same as for Amaryllis. Each, 25c.; 3, 60c.; doz., \$2.50.

**How to Succeed with Glass Culture**

**Glass Culture.** Colored glasses are best. Fill glasses with water, until the base of each bulb rests on the water, and set away in the dark as directed above for pot culture. As fast as the water in the glasses evaporates replenish, and if the water becomes impure, change it, cleansing the roots well. A small piece of charcoal in the glass will keep the water pure for a long time. When there is a good growth of roots, bring the glass to the light and keep in a cool room near a window, but not in a close, warm room or near a fireplace. Keep the glasses sufficiently filled with water.

The Culture of all Hyacinths and Narcissus for the house is the SAME. GOOD bulbs to start with. Larger bulbs give more flowers. Plant as soon as received for early flowers, as early as possible, and continue to plant about every two weeks if you wish a succession of flowers throughout the Winter. After planting, place the pots in a cool (cool means 50-60 degrees), almost dark, AIRY PLACE, not a stuffy closet. Do not allow the bulbs to dry out but keep moderately moist. As soon as the bulbs form roots, which varies from 4-6 weeks, the flower shoots, begin to grow. When these are 2 to 3 inches tall, bring to the light. A temperature of 60-65 degrees is at all times sufficient. Give fresh air weather permitting and weak solution fertilizer (Oyama Plant Food is to be recommended), after buds are formed is most beneficial.



**Lilies of the Valley**

We again do not claim to have either created or invented this while we do claim that we first introduced the method of growing in 18 to 20 days from the time they are planted in our specially prepared mossfiber.

Have you ever grown our Magic Lily of Valley pips?

If not, give them a trial—your pleasure will be great, the little trouble taken will seem so slight, you will just wish to repeat it.

As the pips are grown in our prepared mossfiber without any drainage, you can use any bowl, jardiniere or receptacle not metal and without a bottom hole. The flowers will be perfect inside of 18 to 20 days. And such flowers! Strong sturdy stems 10 to 15 inches high, with 12 to 14 large bells to each stem, and such perfume. The whole room is filled with it—so delicate, so entrancing.

We furnish a specially selected kind of valley pip and with every order sent we send printed full concise directions how to treat the pips so that failures are excluded where the least care is taken. Together with the pips we send our specially prepared mossfiber to grow them in.

**THESE UNIQUE FLOWERS WILL WIN YOUR HEART.**

We can furnish them in time to flower for Christmas and Easter on SPECIALLY booked orders.

10	Magic Valley Pips, with Fiber to grow....	\$1.35
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Postpaid.

Keep on hand a supply of Bird Sand and pebbles for your window garden; it is so neat and convenient.

Bird Sand, per lb., 10c.  
Pebbles, per lb., 10c.; 5 lbs., 35c.

We do not prepay on these items.

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Soleil d'Or Golden Sun Narcissus

**Tulips**

The only tulips which will force for Xmas and New Years are the lovely DUC VAN THOL TULIPS.

**Single Duc Van Thol Tulips**

**Crimson.**  
**Yellow.**  
**Scarlet.**

**Rose.** Each, 8c.; doz., 85c.

For later forcing we recommend any of the sorts we list marked with \* on pages 3 and 4.

**Ornithogalum Arabicum (Star of Bethlehem)**

Native of Arabia. Bulbs large and solid, resembling very much a Roman Hyacinth bulb. Foliage long, narrow, and deep green. Flower spikes 18 to 24 inches long, very graceful, bearing immense clusters of large milkwhite flowers each with a velvety black center. The flowers keep many weeks before fading, and exhale a delicate and exquisite perfume. This flower ranks as one of the very best winter bloomers. Plant single in 5-inch pots or several in larger receptacles. Monster Bulbs bearing masses of flowers. Each, 25c.; 3, 65c.; doz., \$2.50.

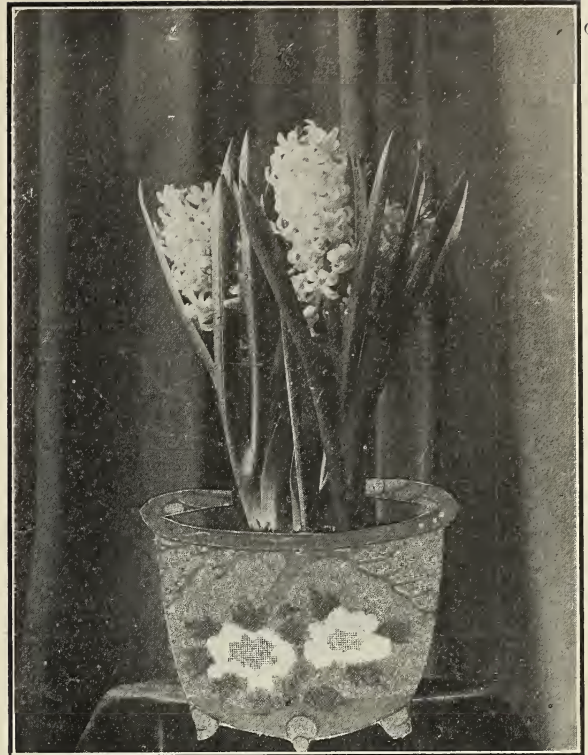
**Cooperia Pedunculata.** (Evening Star.) Try a few of these lovely Texas beauties in your window garden; the starry flowers are pure white, primrose scented; grow fine in our Moss, or in sandy loam or leafmould. Plant 4-5 bulbs in a 6-in bowl, close together. The effect is charming. Each, 15c.; 3, 40c.; doz., \$1.50.

**Iris Hispanica (Spanish iris)**

One of the most attractive flowers for the house. 6-8 bulbs in a 6-inch bowl planted in our Prepared Fiber or in good garden soil will give a wealth of bloom. See description and prices on page 9.

**Iris Tingitana (novelty)**

Earliest of all Iris to flower. Planted in September, it can be had in bloom for the holidays. Brilliant blue violet petals with spear-like foliage, faintly perfumed. Each, 20c.; doz., \$2.00 postpaid.



**Our Lady Hyacinths "Cynthellas"**

These charming flowers are gems for the window garden. 5-6 can be set closely together in a 5-6-inch bowl, choosing them preferably all of one color. Culture the same as for the larger sorts. For price see page 2.

**Hyacinths**

What flower graces with greater beauty your rooms and your windows? What flower exhales sweeter perfume than the Hyacinth? They require so little trouble to grow to perfection and come into radiant bloom in our mossfiber. Also grow and bloom magnificently in glasses. The method of culture is a matter of choice.

Single hyacinths are best for Pot and Glass Culture. We recommend especially our "DE LUXE COLLECTION." (See back cover page.) For full list, see page 2.

**Two Delightful Woodland Blossoms**

Ready October-November.

**Arisaema Japonica.** A DRY bulb to look at, but oh, what a source of delight to watch it grow until the perfect bloom smiles at you. Resembles in shape a calla—the color is in some a translucent green with white stripes, in others a deep velvety purple, with white lines. Charming planted 2-3 in a bowl. Good-sized bulbs only—small ones do not flower first season. Each, 25c.; 3, 70c.; doz., \$2.50.

**Cypripedium Acaule**

Ready October-November.

This charming Orchid can be grown in our Mossfiber, and its flowers are equal to the costliest Orchid. It is a native of this latitude, and can be transplanted outdoors after blossoming through Winter. The shape is same as costly Cypripedium from the tropics, a perfect Lady Slipper. The color is bright rose pink, in some specimens shaded to blush or showing purple dots. The bloom appears between a pair of large downy leaves. Heavy pips. Each, 50c.; 3, \$1.35.

*Note Our Free Delivery When Comparing Prices*



**Ixias (from the veldts of Africa)**

Rivalling rare orchids, these radiantly colored flowers must not fail to grace your home. The culture is most simple, just the same as for Freesias. When buds appear feed with a good plant food. The colors of the Ixias are simply indescribable; pink, rose, crimson, orange, yellow, every rainbow hue. 3, 30c.; doz., \$1.00.

**Oxalis "Shower of Gold"**

An unrivaled Winter-flowering pot-plant of the easiest culture, succeeding with everybody. One of the finest flowering plants for pot culture, it is such a strong, luxuriant grower that five or six bulbs will be sufficient for a 6- or 8-inch pot. Place in a dark, cool position for several days to root thoroughly, and remove to a sunny situation in the window or conservatory in a temperature of about 60 degrees. The great profusion of bloom produced in uninterrupted abundance for weeks will astonish and delight you.

(The bulbs we send out are grown for us and are extra size.)

**Bermuda Buttercup.** Bright buttercup yellow. Bloom constantly for weeks, with the greatest profusion. 3, 15c.; doz., 50c.; 100, \$3.00.

**Grand Duchesse.** White, lavender, rose pink. A free flowering variety of great beauty. Flowers from November till June. Price for any color: 3, 15c.; doz., 40c.; 100, \$2.50.

**Boveii.** Clear ruby red. A rarer sort. 3, 18c.; doz., 60c.; 100, \$4.00.

**EARLY BLOOMING GIANT PANSIES**

**"Heartsease"**

A new race of Pansies flowering six weeks earlier than the other varieties for Winter blooming and early Spring bedding.

- Celestial Queen.** Azure blue..... .25
  - Helios.** Pure yellow..... .25
  - March Beauty.** Dark velvety blue..... .25
  - Snowstorm.** Silvery white, dark eye..... .25
- The 4 pkts., 75c.; trial pkt., 15c.

**Royal Jumbo Pansies**

**Royal Blend.** Prepared from the finest varieties grown. Of richest shades and cannot be surpassed either for quality or germination. Pkt., 25c.; ¼ oz., \$3.00.

**Mme. Perrett.** A beautiful strain rich in red and wine shades. Pkt., 20c.



**Freesias**

Freesias, the sweetest flower of the day, having the fragrance of newly made honey, the foliage bright green, the flowers appearing in a row on tall wiry stems.

**Giant Purity.** Silvery white, borne in profusion on wiry stems Each, 8c.; 3, 20c.; doz., 60c.; 100, \$4.00.

**Mammoth.** 3, 25c.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.00.

**Rainbow Freesias**

Glistening in the tints of Precious stones, these jewels of flowers shine like topaz, amethyst or ruby.

**Viola.** Translucent mauve like the sweet Wood Violet; large wide open flowers; tall sturdy growers.

**General Pershing.** A warm rosy lilac with yellow lip, suffused and flushed bronze; very floriferous.

**Sunset.** The loveliest PINK shading from light to dark.

**Purest Yellow.**

Any of the above colors. Each, 15c.; doz., \$1.25. The set of 4 bulbs, 50c.

**Rainbow. Imperial Blend.** In a wide range of the loveliest tints. 3, 25c., doz., \$1.00.



**Oxalis "Shower of Gold"**

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## CHOICE SEEDS FOR FALL SOWING For the Garden Window and Conservatory

Sow now all the precious old-fashioned flowers that are so full of sentiment and home association. A world of pleasure may be obtained at small expense and really very little care.

### Window Garden

"All easy to grow."

PKT.

Bellis. Ranunculus, flowered Daisies, white or rose.....	\$0.10
Alyssum. "Little Prince." White and fragrant.....	.10
Myosotis. "Star of Love." True Forget-me-Not.....	.15
"Baby" Nasturtiums. Golden rose, Ruby or Snowbird. Each.....	.05
Japanese Morning Glories. Radiant flowers in rainbow hues.....	.10
(For these and climbing Nasturtium use shallow wide bulb pans and see them blossom all Winter.)	
Primula Malacoides. Baby primrose; blooming in 3 months.....	.15
Grevilla Robusta. A very rapid-growing foliage plant, fern-like feathery fronds; for table decoration.....	.15
Cyperus Alternifolius. Grows from seed in less than 3 months; resembles a miniature palm and is lovely for greenhouse or table decoration. Trial pkt., 15c.....	.25
Tom Thumb. Spicy fragrant Wallflowers. 1 Pkt. each of the 8 selections, \$1.00....	.15

## CONSERVATORIES

Usambara Violet. A charming plant, flowering when 6 months old and blooming throughout the Winter. From the center of the dark green leaves springs up a bouquet of flowers, violet-like in shape and color. Easily grown from seed. Trial pkt., 15c; ½ pkt., 30c.....	.50
Browallia Roezlii. Lovely for pots, with large pale blue flowers and white.....	.25
Gentiana Russelliana. One of the loveliest pot plants; long blooming, rich deep lilac flowers with black center and yellow stamens. Height, 18 inches.....	.25
Schizanthus Papilio. Very floriferous.....	.25
Cineraria Stellata. Delicate star-like blooms. Trial pkt., 25c.....	.50
Mignonette Pumila. Fragrant dwarf variety.....	.15
Brompton Stocks. The "old-fashioned" fragrant Gillie flowers; bloom in about 12 weeks from seed: AURORA. Golden buff, Beauty of Nice, pink-white or crimson. Each.....	.20
Cyclamen Papilio. Trial, 25c. Each.....	.50
Gloxinia. Choicest blend.....	.25

## A Garden of Perennials

Achillea. The Pearl, 3 ft. white.....	.10
Alyssum Saxatile. Yellow.....	.10
Anchusa Italica Dropmore. Violet.....	.20
Campanula. Single or double White, Blue Rose or Mixed.....	.15
Delphinium. Hardy larkspur.....	.10
Digitalis. (Foxglove mixed).....	.15
Lobelia Cardinalis. For cool, shady spot. Scarlet.....	.15
Liatris. "Blazing Star." A living butterfly magnet.....	.15
Oenothera. "Evening Primrose".....	.10
Iceland Poppy. White, yellow and orange, mixed.....	.10
Oriental Poppies. Gorgeous scarlet shades.....	.15
Rare Poppies "Pearls of the Orient". Radiant fluted silken petals in Fresh, Rose, Lilac and Mauve shades. Trial, 15c; ½ pkt., 30c.....	.50
Pyrethrum. The "Persian Daisy," Rose Tints.....	.10
Pyrethrum "Cactus "Flowered." Petals quilled and twisted. Trial pkt., 15c; ½ pkt., 30c.....	.50
Scutellaria Coerulea. New Perennial from Siberia. Long racemes of Heavily blue. Very floriferous. Trial, 25c.....	.50
Valeriana. "Garden heliotrope".....	.10
Viola Cornuta. "Tufted Pansies".....	.10

## Hyacinth Glasses

Tall Shape. In various colors. Each 40c; doz., \$4.00.
Tye Shape. In various colors. Each 45c; doz., \$4.50.

# OYAMA PLANT FOOD

A WONDERFUL JAPANESE DISCOVERY



## MAKES PLANTS THRIVE

By using OYAMA on house plants it will keep them in bloom all winter and as green and luxuriant as if grown outdoors in the summer. IT WILL MAKE YOUR FLOWER AND VEGETABLE GARDEN WONDERFULLY PRODUCTIVE and the envy of your neighbors.

It makes no difference how healthy or delicate your plants may be, OYAMA WILL BRING OUT NEW FLOWERS AND FOLIAGE and cause a marvelous transformation.

Contains no bone, fish scraps or manure.

## FOOD FOR PLANTS-FLOWERS-VEGETABLES CLEAN-ODORLESS-SAFE TO USE

OYAMA is fine for all kinds of plants, ferns, shrubs, roses, bulbs, lawns, berries, fruits and flowers. Gives seedlings a wonderful start and PRODUCES EARLY VEGETABLES.

OYAMA contains 17% nitrogen. It keeps the soil rich but odorless. Highly concentrated, easily applied and economical to use. NEVER FAILS TO PRODUCE WONDERFUL RESULTS.

Full directions with every package.

	PRICE
House Plant Size, makes 6 gallons.....	\$ .30
Garden Size, " 32 ".....	1.10

## SWEET PEAS

### Winter-Flowering Spencers

For Winter flowering indoors. The flowers are large and beautiful waved or frilled. When planted out of doors they commence blooming a month or more earlier than the later flowering varieties planted at the same time.

	PKT.
Heather Bell. Mauve.....	\$0.15
Melody. Rose pink on white ground.....	.15
Morning Star. Deep orange scarlet, rich orange pink wings.....	.15
Song Bird. An excellent pale pink.....	.15
Early Snow Flake. White.....	.15
Yarrowa. Bright rose pink with a clear creamy base.....	.15
Early Flowering Spencers Mixed. A choice mixture of the foregoing varieties.....	.15

## Japanese Bamboo Plant Stakes

### Green Invisible

2 ft. long, pencil thick for house plants. Doz., 35c; 100, \$1.50.
3 ft. long, pencil thick. Doz., 50c; 100, \$2.00.

## Neponset Paper Pots

Made of water-proof paper, light, clean and unbreakable.

	Doz.	100	1,000
2½ in.....	\$0.18	\$0.80	\$6.25
3 in.....	.20	1.00	8.25
4 in.....	.28	1.55	13.95
5 in.....	.35	2.35	21.75
6 in.....	.45	3.10	28.20
Raffia White. Long and broad. Lb., 40c; 5 lbs., \$1.75.			

## Pot or Garden Labels

	WOODEN		PAINTED	
	PLAIN			
	100	500	1,000	1,000
4-inch.....	\$0.35	\$1.00	\$1.70	\$0.50
4½-inch.....	.45	1.20	2.00	.55
5-inch.....	.50	1.35	2.40	.75
6-inch.....	.60	2.00	3.20	.80
8-inch.....	1.80	5.50	9.50	2.50
				7.50
				14.00

## Insecticides

Alphine. Destroys Aphis, thrip, etc. Excellent cleanser for house plants. Pint, 75c; quart, \$1.25.

Sulpho Tobacco Soap. Quickly exterminates all insect life on plants and flowers. 3-oz. pkt., 20c; 8-oz. pkt., 35c.

Bone Meal for General Use. 5 lbs., 50c; 10 lbs., 90c; 25 lbs., \$1.75.

# COLLECTIONS DE LUXE FOR WINDOW GARDENS

"JOY IN EVERY BULB"



These little tots grew these Roman Hyacinths from our bulbs.



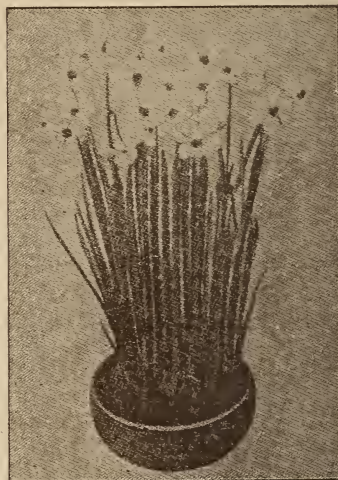
Roman Hyacinths Growing in Mossfiber.

## French Roman Hyacinths

We are happy to tell our customers that these lovely bulbs are once more available. They are one of the QUICK-EST FLOWERING sorts, being in bloom 8-10 weeks from time of planting. If you desire flowers for Thanksgiving, plant them in early September. A succession of flowers can be kept by successive plantings. Each strong bulb produces 3-5 graceful stems on which the sweet scented bells are loosely arranged.

**White.** Each, 15c.; doz., \$1.50;  
100, \$9.50.  
**Mammoth.** Each, 20c.; doz.,  
\$2.00.  
**Light Blue.** Each, 15c.; doz.,  
\$1.50.  
**Tender Rose.** Each, 15c.; doz.,  
\$1.50.

Roman hyacinths can be grown splendidly in the Fiber or in pebbles and water like paper white narcissii.



Narcissii Growing in Mossfiber.

## Dutch Hyacinths

Can be grown in pots, bowls, in OUR MOSS-FIBER, or in glasses filled with water, which is a most fascinating process, as the development of the roots can be observed almost from day to day.

### Special Window Garden Collection Hyacinths

- Purity.** Enormous truss of purest waxy white.
- Enchantress.** Lovely clear porcelain blue, tinted lilac.
- Queen of the Pinks.** A beautiful rosy pink.
- Orangeboven.** The loveliest rosy apricot bells as light and graceful as the Roman Hyacinths.
- Gen. De Wet.** Broad spikes pale pink bells.
- King of the Violets.** Exquisite violet bells.
- Myosotis.** Large bells of Forget-Me-Not blue.
- La Victoire.** Brilliant rosy-red bells.
- Lamp of Gold.** Clear, satiny yellow.
- Menelik.** Glossy blue black.

Any one bulb on this list, 30c. SET of 10 choice bulbs, \$2.75. 20 bulbs (2 of each variety), \$5.00.

## Daffodil Collection for House Culture

- 5 **The Gem.**
- 5 **Queen Bess.**
- 2 **Poeticus Almira.**
- 5 **Tenby Daffodil.**
- 5 **Barri Conspicua.**
- 1 **Dollycup Daffy "Firebrand."**
- 24 **Choicest Bulbs for \$1.50.** Prepaid to your home. Half the Collection (12 Bulbs), 80c.

## Collection for Culture in Water and Pebbles

Especially valuable as a "Children's Collection," who love to watch the quick growing and daily transforming from bud to flower.

- 5 **Narcissus Paper White.**
- 1 **Narcissus Soleil d'Or.**
- 3 **Double Romans (Sacred Lilies).**
- 3 **Poetaz Narcissi.**
- 6 **Lovely Crocus.**
- 2 **White Pearl.**

Price, \$1.10, PREPAID to your Home.