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BECKERT'S SEED STORE
101 & 103 FEDERAL STREET
NORTH SIDE, PITTSBURGH, PA.

Prompt and Efficient Service by Mail and Express

IT IS more convenient for many of our customers to order their seeds and bulbs by mail than to call at our store. For those customers, this catalogue is specially written and mailed, free, to all who have favored us with their orders during the past year and to any others who are interested in gardening and ask for it.

Whether you call at our store for your seeds and garden supplies or order them by mail, we can assure you of the same prompt and courteous attention and the same helpful interest in your garden success. We make it our business to fill every mail order, large or small, the day it is received: throughout the year we have maintained a strictly twenty-four hour service. "Quick mails make near neighbors of us all."

It is our desire to serve you well. We have tried to make this catalogue a thoroughly reliable guide to garden success. The varieties which we handle are carefully selected and accurately described. If you are in need of further information, do not hesitate to write us; the knowledge we have gained in forty-five years of seed-growing is at your command. If you are in doubt as to what varieties to use, you can leave it to us to select those best adapted for your purposes.

Please help us to fill and ship your orders accurately and with all possible dispatch by noting carefully the following instructions.

Send Us Your Order as Early as Possible.

Use the Enclosed Order Sheet, listing your requirements consecutively in the order in which they appear in the catalogue. Always keep a copy.

Write Your Name and Address Distinctly on every order you send us. Give your Name, Post Office, County and State, also Street or Box Number.

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Give Complete Shipping Instructions on every order. If you are not sure which method of shipment will be best or cheapest you can safely leave that to us. Seeds, bulbs, and plants are now en-

titled to special express rates, which are considerably lower than on general merchandise. Consequently, we advise shipment by parcel post or express in all cases where quick delivery is desired and the order is not too bulky. See table of Parcel Post Rates below.

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Quick, economical service from our door to yours via U. S. mail

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We deliver postpaid at catalogue prices all seeds in packets, ounces and quarter-pounds.

	First pound or fraction	Each additional pound or fraction	Limit of weight
Local rate. Pittsburgh and R. F. D. Routes Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5	\$0 05	\$0 01	70 lbs.
1st zone. Within 50 miles of Pittsburgh	05	01	70 lbs.
2d zone. Over 50 and under 150 miles from Pittsburgh	05	01	70 lbs.
3d zone. Over 150 " " 300 " " "	06	02	50 lbs.
4th zone. Over 300 " " 600 " " "	07	04	50 lbs.
5th zone. Over 600 " " 1,000 " " "	08	06	50 lbs.
6th zone. Over 1,000 " " 1,400 " " "	09	08	50 lbs.
7th zone. Over 1,400 " " 1,800 " " "	11	10	50 lbs.
8th zone. Over 1,800 miles from Pittsburgh	12	12	50 lbs.

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NATURE in her unceasing activity provides something to enjoy every month in the year; even winter has its solemn beauties for her true votaries. To most of us, however, the keenest pleasure comes at the sight of the first bright flowers of spring. Who does not thrill when he glimpses the first little Crocus, daring to open its cup of color above the still slumbering sod? Who can stand unmoved beside a bed of gorgeous Tulips, or escape the fairy spell of dainty Daffodils? Surely they are just as much a necessity to our happiness and well-being as food and shelter. The world would be a sorry place, indeed, without the flowers.

Beckert's Bulbs for Fall Planting

Autumn is the season of harvest; it is also the season of preparation for the spring to come. If we are to enjoy the first rare flowers of spring, we must prepare the ground for them and plant the bulbs before winter puts an icy seal upon the earth.

In this booklet we offer our friends the best that expert growers in distant lands have produced, in bulbs for fall planting and winter forcing. Years of experience have gone into the selection of varieties which can be relied upon to give the greatest pleasure and satisfaction under varying conditions.

Moreover, we feel that these years of study and tests enable us to offer something more than just seeds and bulbs—a real garden service to our customers.

It has been a doubly pleasant task to prepare our Fall Catalogue this year for the reason that we are able to pass on to our customers a very considerable reduction in the cost of growing the bulbs—a reduction which brings bulb prices back to normal pre-war levels.

We trust you will find our offerings more attractive than ever before. With the assurance that your orders, whether large or small, will be appreciated, and handled with every care our sincere interest in your garden success can suggest, we remain,

At your service,

Beckert's Seed Store

September 1, 1921.

Bed of Single Tulips

Pot of Single Hyacinths

HYACINTHS

EXTRA-SELECTED, FIRST-SIZE BULBS
OF THE FINEST

Single Named Varieties

These Are Equal to the Bulbs Some Houses Offer as "Exhibition" or "Mother Bulbs"

First-Size Hyacinth Bulbs are suitable for both indoor and outdoor culture, being used almost exclusively for growing in pots and pans, as they force easily and bear large, well-developed trusses. They produce the largest flowers outdoors also but, on account of their long stems and heavy spikes, should not be planted in windy or exposed situations. (See page 5 for ordinary bedding Hyacinths.)

We are no longer listing the double varieties as they have little to recommend them but their novelty and seldom give satisfactory results. The single-flowering varieties force more readily and make far larger and finer trusses.

Culture in Pots, Bowls, or Boxes

Use porous soil thoroughly mixed with well-rotted manure and some sand, and provide for drainage. A single bulb will require a 5-inch pot. Allow same proportionate space when planting a number of bulbs in larger pots or window-boxes. Remove any sprouts there may be at the base of the bulbs. Plant the bulbs so that the top appears just above the surface of the soil, water thoroughly, and place in a cool, dark but airy situation until the roots are well established, then bring to the light.

If to be sent by parcel post, add postage at your zone rate—one dozen bulbs weigh 3 pounds. See inside front cover for postal rates

Red and Deep Rose

CARDINAL MANNING. Bright red; splendid large trusses with bells of great size. A very early forcer and one of the finest for pot culture.

ETNA. Clear dark rose; beautiful trusses with large bells, carried on strong stems. One of the best for pots and one of the last to bloom.

GERTRUDE. Deep rose-pink; compact spikes on good stems. A very popular forcing variety, also used for bedding.

LA VICTOIRE. Shiny carmine-rose, with large, well-filled spikes. A splendid bedding variety.

MARCONI. Bright deep rose; short, broad trusses, borne on stiff stems. A good forcer but particularly fine outdoors.

VICTOR EMANUEL. Pink overlaid with crimson; fine, large trusses. An early forcer and a splendid bedder.

Light Rose and Pink

CARDINAL WISEMAN. Light carmine-rose, with large, compact spikes. One of the best varieties in its class for pots.

GENERAL DE WET. Lively light pink with a lighter center; large trusses with good-sized bells. Fine for forcing or bedding.

HOFGARTNER KUHNERT. Bright rose-pink; spikes unusually large, and well formed. The best for early forcing.

KOHINOOR. A lovely pink with long, handsome spikes. Bells inclined to come semi-double. A fine bedding variety.

LADY DERBY. Beautiful, clear rose-pink, with large, compact trusses. Early and fine for both forcing and bedding.

PRINCE OF NETHERLANDS. A distinct and beautiful shade of rose-pink; large spikes. Very early and one of the best for pots.

QUEEN OF THE PINKS. A very lovely pink; trusses broad and large, with good-sized bells and strong stems. The best late forcing variety and good for all purposes.

QUEEN WILHELMINA. A distinct and pleasing rose-pink; large spikes of splendid form. Early and good for both bedding and forcing.

Pure White

ARENTE ARENSEN. One of the finest whites; long spikes with large, snowy white bells. Early, fine for forcing and a good bedder.

BRITISH QUEEN. A pure white of splendid form and a vigorous grower.

CORREGGIO. Pure white with long, well-filled trusses of large, substantial bells. The finest white for potting.

HEIN ROOZEN. Long and rather loose but substantial spikes, with large snow-white bells. One of the best early forcers and a good bedder.

LA GRANDESSE. Pure white with fine, compact spikes. The best late forcing variety and fine for bedding as well.

L'INNOCENCE. This is the most satisfactory all-round pure-white. Compact spikes with large bells. Does well indoors and out.

QUEEN OF THE WHITES. A pure white sport of Queen of the Blues. Large trusses on strong stems. Early and a splendid forcer.

WHITE LADY. Immense, compact spikes of large, pure white bells. A good bedder.

Blush-White

GENERAL VETTER. White, shaded blush, changing to pure white when in full bloom. Strong grower with large, well-filled spikes.

MADAME VAN DER HOOP. White, with faint blush; compact trusses and large bells. Good for pots and an attractive bedder.

QUEEN EMMA. An improved Madame Van der Hoop with immense, well-filled trusses on strong, stiff stems. Fine for forcing.

Blue and Dark Blue

ADMIRAL COUBERT. A clear violet-blue, with large trusses. Early and good for indoors and out.

BISMARCK. Sky-blue, shading to violet in the center of the petals. The earliest blue forcing variety; unsurpassed for pots.

DR. LIEBER. Lavender-blue, shaded violet, the general effect being deep blue. Bears large, compact spikes and is fine for early forcing as well as bedding.

First-Size Hyacinth Bulbs—any of the above—10 cts. each, \$1.05 per dozen, \$7.75 per 100 (postage extra)

Finest Single Named Hyacinths, continued

BLUE AND DARK BLUE, continued

GRAND MAITRE. Deep blue with long, compact spikes of large bells, on strong stems. One of the most popular blues; fine for pots as well as bedding.

KING OF THE BLUES. Dark violet-blue; splendid, large trusses. One of the best-known blue Hyacinths. Good for late forcing and bedding.

MARIE. Very dark blue, almost purple; well-formed trusses. A splendid bedder and good for forcing.

Light Blue and Lilac

ELECTRA. Light, silvery blue with immense, well-filled spikes. Early and one of the finest light blue Hyacinths for forcing.

ENCHANTRESS. Clear porcelain-blue; beautiful long spikes on strong stems. An excellent pot Hyacinth and the best light blue bedding variety.

GRAND LILAS. Deep lilac, with large spikes. A splendid variety for both bedding and forcing.

GENERAL VAN DER HEYDEN. Bright lavender; long, well-filled trusses on strong stems. Very early and fine for forcing.

LORD DERBY. Pale porcelain blue; compact spikes with medium-sized bells. One of the best for outdoor bedding.

LIGHT BLUE AND LILAC, continued

MYOSOTIS. Beautiful forget-me-not blue; of only medium size, but well-formed and a good bedder.

PERLE BRILLANT. Light blue, tinged lavender; splendid spikes with large, substantial bells. A fine pot Hyacinth and good for bedding.

QUEEN OF THE BLUES. Clear, light porcelain-blue; a strong-growing variety with large, well-formed trusses. One of the best of its color, particularly for bedding.

Yellow and Orange

BUFF BEAUTY. Deep yellow, shaded rose; the general effect being orange-buff. Fine, long trusses. Good both indoors and out.

CITY OF HAARLEM. The finest of the yellows. Well-formed trusses of orange-yellow bells. An excellent variety for forcing and bedding.

DAYLIGHT. Pretty primrose-yellow with a rosy suffusion; long, loose spikes. A splendid bedding variety.

YELLOW HAMMER. The best-known and most popular yellow for forcing. Fine, compact trusses with medium-sized bells. Opens creamy yellow, the color deepening as the flower ages.

First-Size Hyacinth Bulbs—any of the above—10 cts. each, \$1.05 per doz., \$7.75 per 100 (postage extra)

Beckert's Special Collections of Pot Hyacinths

Composed of Selected First-Size Bulbs of the twelve varieties illustrated in color on the front cover

Yellow Hammer, Marie, L'Innocence, Grand Maitre, Victor Emanuel, Queen of the Pinks, King of the Blues, La Victoire, Gertrude, Lady Derby, Perle Brillant, and Cardinal Wiseman.

ALL VARIETIES PARTICULARLY SUITED FOR POT CULTURE

Collection HA—12 bulbs (1 of each variety)	\$1 10
Collection HB—36 bulbs (3 of each variety)	3 00
Collection HC—72 bulbs (6 of each variety)	5 60
Collection HD—144 bulbs (12 of each variety)	11 00

Giant Exhibition Hyacinths

These are varieties selected for their large-sized spikes, elegance of form, and beauty and richness of color. The bulbs are of mammoth size—the cream of the crop—and naturally command advanced prices. We offer this grade only in limited quantities and request early orders for them. Exhibition Hyacinth bulbs are unsurpassed for growing in pots but are not suitable for outdoor work; they are too large to grow in Hyacinth glasses but may be flowered in any large vase, if this is preferred to pot culture. (Some of these varieties are offered under First-Size Named Hyacinths, where a fuller description of them will be found.)

If to be sent by parcel post, add postage at your zone rate. One dozen bulbs weigh 4 pounds

Exhibition Hyacinth, La Grandesse

Single Red, Rose, and Pink Shades

	Each	Doz.
ETNA. Clear, deep rose.....	\$0 15	\$1 40
GENERAL DE WET. Light pink.....	15	1 40
HOFGARTNER KUHNERT. Bright rose-pink.....	15	1 40
LADY DERBY. Light rose-pink.....	15	1 40
LA VICTOIRE. Shining carmine.....	15	1 40
MARCONI. Deep rose.....	15	1 40
PRINCE OF NETHERLANDS. Deep rosy pink.....	15	1 40
QUEEN OF THE PINKS. Clear, soft pink.....	15	1 40
QUEEN WILHELMINA. Vivid pink.....	15	1 40

Single Blush and White Shades

ARENTE ARENDSSEN. Pure white; early.....	15	1 40
CORREGGIO. Snowy white.....	15	1 40
GENERAL VETTER. Blush-white.....	15	1 40
HEIN ROOZEN. Snow-white; early.....	15	1 40
LA GRANDESSE. Purest white; late.....	15	1 40
MADAME KRUGER. Pure white.....	15	1 40
QUEEN EMMA. White, shaded blush.....	15	1 40
QUEEN OF THE WHITES. Pure white; early.....	15	1 40
WHITE LADY. White, immaculate.....	15	1 40

Single Light and Dark Blue Shades

ADMIRAL COUBERT. Clear violet-blue.....	15	1 40
BISMARCK. Sky-blue, shaded violet.....	15	1 40
ELECTRA. Light silvery blue.....	15	1 40
ENCHANTRESS. Delicate porcelain.....	15	1 40
GENERAL VAN DER HEYDEN. Bright lavender.....	15	1 40
GOUNOD. Dark lavender-blue.....	15	1 40
GRAND MAITRE. Deep blue.....	15	1 40

Single Yellow Shades

CITY OF HAARLEM. Orange-yellow.....	15	1 40
YELLOW HAMMER. Creamy yellow.....	15	1 40

Hyacinths in Glasses

Hyacinths should not be started in water before the end of October. The bulbs require a certain period of rest and, if started too early, they will not develop a satisfactory root-growth and, consequently, will produce an imperfect flower.

With proper attention, the Hyacinth will produce as fine a flower in water as in soil. For this purpose, use only the most perfect bulbs and, before placing them in the glasses, free the base of the bulb from dust, remnants of old decayed roots that may still adhere, and any other impurities. This will prevent contaminating the water. After thoroughly cleaning the interior of the glasses, fill them with pure, clear, soft water. Rainwater cannot be recommended. The entire base of the bulb must be in contact with the surface of the water and remain so until the roots develop. Replenish the water as it evaporates or renew if it becomes offensive. Place them in a cool and dark location, letting them remain there until the roots nearly reach the bottom of the glasses. Should any of the roots after starting show decay, lift the bulb out of the glass and remove such roots. When bringing them to the light, place them where they are cool, as the flower will develop better and last longer.

Varieties Specially Adapted for Water Culture

These are the highest grade of First-Size Hyacinths of such varieties as have been proven by test to be the best adapted for growing in glasses. The bulbs are not so large as Exhibition Hyacinths, but are so selected for size and shape that they will fit well in the cup of the Hyacinth glass. For full descriptions, see list of the First-Size Named Hyacinths.

If to be sent by parcel post, add postage. One dozen bulbs weigh 3 pounds

	Each	Doz.		Each	Doz.
BISMARCK. Sky blue. Very early.....	\$0 15	\$1 40	LADY DERBY. Beautiful, light rose-pink. Early..	\$0 15	\$1 40
CITY OF HAARLEM. Golden yellow. Medium early..	15	1 40	LA VICTOIRE. Brilliant red, changing to pink.		
CORREGGIO. Pure white. Medium early.....	15	1 40	Medium late.....	15	1 40
GENERAL VETTER. Blush-white. Medium early..	15	1 40	L'INNOCENCE. Pure white. Very early.....	15	1 40
KING OF THE BLUES. Rich, dark blue. Medium late.....	15	1 40	QUEEN OF THE PINKS. Lovely pink. Medium		
			late.....	15	1 40

HYACINTH GLASSES of the best quality, in tall and low styles, in blue, green and amber. See page 25

Hyacinths for the Garden

CULTURE.—The soil must have good drainage and be dug to a depth of 12 inches. The beds should slope from the center outward for surface drainage. Well-rotted manure, dug in, will suffice for the wants of the bulbs and also for the usual bedding plants to follow in such beds the next spring. Plant the bulbs 6 to 9 inches apart and to a depth, from the crown of the bulb, of about 5 inches in heavy soil and 7 inches in light soil. Protect the beds with 3 to 4 inches of leaves or light litter, gradually removing this in the spring. It is still better to cover with several inches of well-rotted and light manure, allowing this to remain on the beds in the spring, as this mulch keeps the beds moist and cool, and the blooming period is thereby considerably lengthened. The bulbs can be planted any time from the first of October until the ground freezes. They may even be planted later if precaution is taken, before too heavy frosts or snow, to cover the spots where the bulbs are to be planted with either litter or coarse manure. However, early planting is preferable, as the root-growth has time to develop, enabling the plants better to withstand the winter, and also contributing to the production of larger and more perfect flower-spikes.

Named Single Bedding Hyacinths, Extra Quality

We strongly recommend the use of Named Bedding Hyacinths for outdoor planting in preference to Unnamed Hyacinths under color. The latter are made up of many varieties in mixture, which are not uniform in height, color, or time of blooming. When Named Bedding Hyacinths are planted, uniformity in color, height of plant, and time of blooming are insured and at a cost not much in excess of Unnamed Bedding Hyacinths.

If to be sent by parcel post, add postage at your zone rate. One dozen bulbs weigh 2 pounds; 100 bulbs, 15 pounds

RED SHADES

GENERAL DE WET. Light pink, white center; large spike.
GERTRUDE. Rose-pink; compact spike; strong stem.
KING OF THE BELGIANS. Bright, glistening red; tall; erect.
LA VICTOIRE. Shining carmine; fine, upright spike.

BLUE SHADES

GRAND MAITRE. Deep lavender-blue; immense, loose spike.
KING OF THE BLUES. Rich dark blue; large, perfect spike.
PERLE BRILLANTE. Light blue; large, erect.
QUEEN OF THE BLUES. Clear porcelain-blue; beautiful trusses.

YELLOW SHADES

KING OF THE YELLOWS. Rich deep yellow; tall, erect spike.
YELLOW HAMMER. Creamy yellow; compact truss.
 Any of the above at 7 cts. each, 70 cts. per doz., \$5.00 per 100, \$45.00 per 1,000

Unnamed Single Bedding Varieties, Extra Quality

If to be sent by parcel post, add postage at your zone rate. One dozen bulbs weigh 2 pounds; 100 bulbs, 15 pounds.

Red Shades
 Rose and Pink Shades
 Blush-White
 Pure White

Light Blue Shades
 Dark Blue Shades
 Yellow Shades
 All Colors, Mixed

Any of the above at 5 cts. each, 50 cts. per doz., \$3.75 per 100, \$34.00 per 1,000

Miniature or Dutch Roman Hyacinths

These are the 3-year-old bulbs of the Dutch Hyacinths, easily forced and largely grown for winter flowering. Can be forced in pots, pans, or grown in bowls and vases in Holland Fiber. They bloom later than the true French Roman Hyacinths but produce larger spikes. Five to six bulbs can be potted in a 6-inch pot. Treatment same as for Dutch Hyacinths.

GERTRUDE. Light pink.
GRAND MAITRE. Lavender-blue.
KING OF THE BLUES. Dark blue.
LA GRANDESSE. Snow-white.
LA VICTOIRE. Carmine-rose.
L'INNOCENCE. Pure white.
MORENO. Earliest rose.
SCHOTEL. Light blue.

Above varieties, 5c. each, 45c. per doz., \$3.25 per 100

WHITE SHADES

BLANCHE A MERVEILLE. Pure white; large, broad spike.
GENERAL VETTER. Blush-white; large, pyramidal spike.
L'INNOCENCE. Pure white; large bells; fine spike.
MIMI. Waxy white; large, heavy truss.
MR. PLIMSOLL. Blush-white; large bells; broad spike.

Miniature, or Dutch Roman Hyacinths

TULIPS

For gorgeous display as an early spring flower, the Tulips are, without question, supreme. They are so entirely hardy and easily cared for, and they flower so freely in city or country, in sun or shade, that their popularity never wanes but increases year by year. By proper selection of varieties, their flowers may be enjoyed from early April to June and they come in almost every conceivable hue, surpassing all other flowers in range and brilliancy of color. Those who know Tulips in their infinite beauty and variety do not wonder at the wild enthusiasm and speculation which raged in Holland during the first part of the seventeenth century, when single bulbs of new varieties sold for more than their weight in gold. For centuries before the "Mania" in Holland, the Tulip had been cultivated and greatly prized by the Turks, who had even at that time developed many improved varieties from the native wild forms of Persia and Asia Minor.

Although its popularity today is more widespread than ever, the Tulip, fortunately, is no longer a flower for only the wealthy. Bulbs of all but the most recent novelties are low in price and well within the range of the most modest pocketbook. The Tulip is, indeed, a flower that every lover of the beautiful may enjoy.

There are several classes or types of Tulips, differing in height and season of bloom, range of color, and other characteristics. All are easy to grow and hardy outdoors, while most of them are also easily forced in pots or pans in the house. The Single Early Tulips are the first to bloom in the spring. In outdoor beds, the bulbs should be planted 5 to 6 inches apart and covered with 3 or 4 inches of soil. For house culture, plant four to six bulbs in a 6-inch pot and a proportionate number in the larger bulb-pans. Treat them in the same manner as Hyacinths and remember that a good growth of roots is essential before the plants are brought into the light.

In the following lists of Tulips we have indicated by figures after the names of varieties the average height in inches to which they grow. Varieties most suitable for forcing are indicated by a star (*).

The order of flowering is indicated by the letters A, B, C, and D. The difference in time of flowering is not great, so that those under the A class can be planted with those of the B class, and the B class with the C class, and so on.

POSTAGE ON ALL TULIPS. If wanted by parcel post, add postage at your zone rate. One dozen bulbs weigh 1 pound; 100 bulbs, 8 pounds. See inside front cover.

Choice Single Early Tulips

INCLUDING THE BEST OF THE RECENT INTRODUCTIONS

	10-M. Each	Doz.	100	1,000
* ALBION (White Hawk). Large, globular; pure white, crinkled petals; fine for forcing and outdoors.....	\$0 06	\$0 55	\$4 00	\$36 00
* BELLE ALLIANCE (Waterloo). 9-B. Large; sweet-scented; scarlet. Excellent for forcing and bedding.....	06	55	4 00	36 00
CHRYSOLORA . 11-B. Golden yellow. Fine bedder. Flower keeps its color well until the petals drop....	06	55	4 00	36 00
COULEUR CARDINAL . 12-D. Outside bronze-scarlet, inside glittering crimson; large, fine flowers. Fine for bedding and late forcing..	06	60	4 55	41 00
COTTAGE MAID (La Precieuse). 7-C. Bright pink. Splendid bedder.	06	55	4 25	38 50
* CRAMOISI BRILLANT . 10-C. Brilliant scarlet. A splendid bedder and sure forcer. Very handsome...	04	40	2 85	26 00

	10-C. Each	Doz.	100	1,000
DUCHESSE DE PARMA . Orange-red, margined deep yellow. A splendid bedder with tall, strong stem.....	\$0 06	\$0 55	\$4 00	\$36 00
FLAMINGO . 12-C. White, flaked bright carmine-rose. A sport from White Hawk, having its artistic shape with its more or less crinkled petals.....	10	95	7 00	63 50
* GOLDEN QUEEN . 12-B. One of the best yellows; large, well-shaped golden yellow flower on strong stem. Early forcer.....	05	45	3 40	31 00
* GOLDFINCH . 10-B. The true Yellow Prince. Golden yellow; sweet scented. Forces easily and early; lasts long when cut; retains color..	04	40	3 15	28 50
JOOST VAN VONDEL, RED . 11-B. Deep cherry-red, feathered white..	04	35	2 60	23 50
* JOOST VAN VONDEL, WHITE (Lady Boreel). 12-B. The largest and most intense of the white early Tulips. Splendid forcer and bedder.	06	55	4 25	38 50
* KEIZERKROON (Grand Duc). 14-B. Carmine-scarlet, with broad yellow border. This old variety, which forces well, remains a great favorite for bedding; should be planted by itself.....	04	40	2 85	26 00
* KING OF THE YELLOWS . 10-B. Deep golden yellow; one of the earliest yellows; flowers egg-shaped and fine for cutting. Fine for forcing as well as bedding.....	04	35	2 60	23 50
* LA REINE (Queen Victoria). 11-B. White, slightly shaded rose. Splendid both for forcing and bedding..	04	35	2 60	23 50
* MON TRESOR . 11-B. Pure golden yellow; extra-fine, large flower. One of the best and easiest forcers.	06	55	4 25	38 50
OPHIR D'OR . 12-B. Pure yellow. Undoubtedly the best yellow bedder.....	05	50	3 70	33 50
PINK BEAUTY . 12-C. Rosy pink, slightly feathered white; flowers of unsurpassed size and beauty....	06	06	4 55	41 00
* PROSERPINE . 13-B. Fine, glowing carmine-pink; large flowers. Forces easily and early; fine bedder.	10	95	7 00	63 50
QUEEN OF THE NETHERLANDS . 14-B. Very delicate blush-pink. An excellent bedder.....	06	55	4 00	36 00

Single Early Tulips

Choice Single Early Tulips, continued

	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
*ROSE LUISANTE. 10-C. Dark silky rose; the finest rose variety. Both a forcer and bedder.....	\$0 07	\$0 65	\$4 80	\$44 50
*SIR THOMAS LIPTON. 13-A. Brilliant crimson, cup-shaped flowers of large size. Fine for forcing and bedding.....	06	55	4 25	38 50
*THOMAS MOORE. 14-C. Apricot-orange; distinct, fine-shaped flower. Good forcer and bedder.....	05	35	2 60	23 50
*VERMILION BRILLIANT. 10-B. Bright vermilion; best of its class. Forces very readily; fine bedder; large.....	06	55	4 25	38 50

BECKERT'S SUPERB SINGLE MIXED.	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
This is our own special mixture which we recommend where the best results are desired in beds of mixed colors. This mixture is made up of the above-named sorts and in equal proportion of each variety.....	\$0 05	\$0 50	\$3 70	\$33 50

FINE MIXED.	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
This mixture is as we import it from our grower in Holland, special care being taken to have it made up of all possible varieties and colors. This mixture must not be compared with cheap mixtures offered by some houses..	04	30	2 05	18 50

Double Early Tulips

The double varieties cannot be forced so early or readily as the singles. One of the earliest, Salvator Rosa, may be had by the middle of January, while varieties preceded by a star (*) may be flowered from January to March. The flowers are large and brilliant and are effective in beds or groups. If grown in pots, do not attempt flowering before they are well rooted.

	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
*BOULE DE NEIGE (Purity). 10-M. Pure white, large, peony-like flower; is a splendid forcer and bedder.....	\$0 05	\$0 45	\$3 40	\$31 00
*COCHINEAL. 9-M. Brilliant scarlet; very large, semi-double flower; good forcer.....	06	60	4 55	41 00
*COURONNE D'OR. 11-M. Golden yellow, flushed orange; a magnificent flower of great beauty and size; strong stems, holding flower upright; fine forcer.....	05	45	3 40	31 00
GOLDEN KING. 11-M. One of the most charming novelties. Wherever exhibited it has attracted general attention. Soft, very pleasing shade of canary-yellow, shaded golden yellow.....	09	90	6 70	61 00
*IMPERATOR RUBRORUM. 11-M. Glowing scarlet; large and very double.....	06	60	4 55	41 00
LA CANDEUR. 10-L. Pure white; popular bedder; holds flower a long time.....	05	50	3 70	33 50
*LUCRETIA. 10-M. Deep pink; one of the grandest large pink Tulips..	05	40	2 85	26 00
*MURILLO. 10-M. Beautiful light pink; very popular forcing variety.	05	35	2 60	23 50
QUEEN EMMA. 12-L. Enormous very double rosy red flowers.....	06	60	4 55	41 00
*RUBRA MAXIMA. 11-M. Dazzling scarlet; splendid bedding variety.....	05	45	3 40	31 00
*SAFRANO (Tea Rose). 12-M. Of a pleasing safrano-yellow color, like the old tea rose.....	06	60	4 55	41 00
*SALVATOR ROSA. 12-M. Dark pink; fine for forcing and outdoor.	06	55	4 25	38 50
SCHOONOORD. 12-M. A pure white sort of Murillo, with all of its good qualities.....	05	45	3 40	31 00
*TOURNESOL, RED - AND - YELLOW. 10-M. Rich scarlet, edged yellow.....	07	70	5 10	46 00
*TOURNESOL, YELLOW. 10-M. Bright yellow, shading to orange..	06	55	4 00	36 00
VUURBACH. 12-M. Bright scarlet; splendid bedder; large well-shaped flowers on strong stems.....	06	60	4 55	41 00

Double Early Tulips

BECKERT'S SUPERB DOUBLE MIXTURE.	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
This is our own special mixture which we recommend where the best results are desired in beds of mixed colors. This mixture is made up of the above-named sorts and in equal proportion of each variety.....	\$0 06	\$0 55	\$4 00	\$36 00

FINE DOUBLE MIXED.	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
As imported from our grower in Holland, special care being taken to have the mixture made up of all possible varieties and colors. Do not compare with cheap mixtures.	04	35	2 30	21 00

If to be sent by parcel post, add postage at your zone rate. One dozen bulbs weigh 1 lb., 100 bulbs, 8 lbs. Six bulbs at dozen rate, 50 bulbs at 100 rate, 500 bulbs at 1,000 rate.

If your lawn has become "ragged" during the summer, scratch up the bare spots and sow Beckert's Evergreen Lawn Grass Mixture thickly. See inside of back cover for prices, etc.

Late Single-Flowering Tulips

KNOWN AS COTTAGE OR MAY-FLOWERING TULIPS

The Cottage Tulips come into bloom in early May, after the Early Single varieties have passed. They are hardy and robust, with long, slender, but very stiff stems. The flowers are mostly long and oval, many of them with the petals gracefully reflexed. The Cottage Tulips as a class are rich in the more delicate and artistic shades of yellow, orange, and fawn with salmon, old-rose and amber. They are the best of all Tulips for cutting and, although they develop best when planted outdoors, they may be grown in pots and brought into bloom to succeed the earlier kinds of Tulips.

	Each	Doz.	100
BOUTON D'OR (Ida; Golden Beauty). 17-B. Fine, dark golden yellow; very showy bedder; excellent for cutting.....	\$0 06	\$0 55	\$4 00
DORIS . 21-C. Charming globular flower on tall stem; center of petal purplish rose, edges blush, shading to soft orange-rose.	06	55	4 25
ELEGANS ALBA (White Crown). 20-B. Creamy white with a narrow margin of carmine-rose	06	60	4 55
ELEGANS, CRIMSON . 14-B. Brilliant crimson; petals elegantly recurved; one of the few late Tulips that can be forced.	06	55	4 00
ELLEN WILLMOTT . 20-E. Primrose-yellow; flower long and narrow; slightly reflexing petals; tall stems; very attractive..	06	60	4 55
FAIRY QUEEN . 20-C. Rosy heliotrope, broadly margined yellow; flowers of enormous size and last a long time.....	05	45	3 40
FLAVA . 24-E. Large and shapely flowers of an attractive shade of canary-yellow, carried well above beautiful silvery green foliage. Late to bloom and an excellent variety to plant with the early Darwins where a yellow is desired.....	20	1 85	13 90
FULGENS, SCARLET . 24-B. Dark scarlet; long, recurving petals on very tall stems.....	06	55	4 25
GESNERIANA AURANTIACA MACULATA (Orange Globe). 22-D. Bright orange-red, flushed golden yellow; an enormous flower.	06	55	4 25
GESNERIANA LUTEA . 24-D. Golden yellow; most effective bedder of all yellow Cottage Tulips.....	06	55	4 00
GESNERIANA SPATHULATA . 24-C. Flaming scarlet, with blue base; enormous flower of dazzling brilliancy; popular bedder.....	06	55	4 00
GLARE OF THE GARDEN . 18-D. A giant amongst the late Tulips; flowers rich scarlet, edged yellow	06	55	4 25

Picotee Tulip

	Each	Doz.	100
GOLDEN CROWN . 18-C. Yellow, bordered and feathered orange.....	\$0 06	\$0 55	\$4 00
INGLESCOMBE PINK (Salmon Queen). 24-C. Soft rose with a salmon flush; globular form	05	45	3 40
INGLESCOMBE SCARLET . 20-D. Brilliant scarlet, with black base; large flower.....	06	55	4 00
INGLESCOMBE YELLOW . 18-D. Glossy canary-yellow; the large globular flower has the cup-shape of the Darwin type.....	05	40	2 85
ISABELLA (Blushing Bride; Shandon Bells). 15-C. Creamy white, shaded carmine-rose and changing to dark pink.....	06	55	4 00
LA MERVEILLE . 18-D. Orange-cherry; flushed rose, with yellow base; very large and delicately scented.....	06	55	4 00
MOONLIGHT . 22-A. Long, oval-shaped, soft yellow flower, on strong stem.....	07	70	5 10
MRS. MOON . 28-D. Large yellow flower; sweet-scented.....	07	70	5 10
PARISIAN WHITE (La Candeur). 15-B. White, changing to soft rose.....	06	55	4 00
PICOTEE (Maiden's Blush). 20-C. White, margined rose-pink....	06	55	4 00
RETROFLEXA . 17-A. Yellow; elegant, recurved petals; very handsome.....	06	60	4 55
ROYAL WHITE . 12-A. Pure white, with primrose on the center of the petals. Largest late white.....	06	60	4 55
STRIPED BEAUTY (Summer Beauty). 20-C. Rose, flaked crimson and white, large.....	07	70	5 10
THE FAWN . 21-D. Large, oval flower; light grayish rose, changing to soft rose on cream	06	55	4 00
VITELLINA . 22-C. Light sulphur-yellow, becoming almost white..	06	55	4 00
YORK AND LANCASTER . 18-C. Creamy white, shaded carmine-rose; very large flowers.....	06	60	4 55
BECKERT'S SUPERB MIXTURE OF COTTAGE TULIPS . This is our own special mixture, made up in well-balanced proportion of the above-named sorts	\$45.00	per 1,000..	06 55 4 00
FINE MIXTURE . As imported from our growers in Holland. Very fine	\$35.00	per 1,000..	05 35 2 30

Gesneriana Tulip

Mammoth Breeder Tulips

The Breeder Tulips have been favorites in Holland for centuries, but it is only within recent years that they have become known and appreciated in America, and now they bid fair to rival even the Darwin Tulips in popularity.

Their majestic size and remarkable colors place them distinctly in a class by themselves. Every lover of the more somber shades cannot fail to revel in the rich and artistic blendings of purple and old gold, bronze and terra-cotta, brown and violet, and buff and maroon found among the Breeders. They are late to bloom but surpass in size and vigor the Darwins, although lacking the color brilliancy of the latter. The flowers are, many of them, sweet-scented and all splendid for cutting as they retain for a long time their form and color.

Some of the Breeders are excellent for forcing and all are unsurpassed for outdoor bedding. The varieties which we offer are among the finest of the type—all reliable bloomers of giant size and vigorous growth.

	Doz.	100	1,000
BACCHUS (Rasonia). 28-B. Deep violet-blue—a rare color in Tulips. The large, beautifully formed flowers have a white blotch at the base of the petals inside. 35 cts. each..	\$3 65	\$27 60	
BRONZE QUEEN (Biscuit; Clio). 24-C. Soft buff, shaded bronze; inside golden bronze with yellow base. Large, sturdy flowers; particularly fine out-of-doors and a good forcer.....	75	5 60	\$51 00
CARDINAL MANNING (Goliath; King's Court). 28-D. A giant among Tulips. The flowers are dull wine-red, flushed rosy bronze, changing to rosy violet, shaded bronze.....	55	4 15	37 50
CHESTNUT (La Nuit). 24-B. Deep chestnut-brown, shading to deep mahogany inside, with black base. Very distinct and makes a fine contrast with yellow.....	70	5 10	46 00
DOM PEDRO . 24-C. Coffee-brown with a narrow edge of golden brown; inside rich mahogany with olive base. Flowers large and fragrant.....	20 cts. each..	1 65	12 50
FAIRY (Panorama; The Monument). 20-D. Deep orange-red, shaded mahogany; beautifully shaped. One of the best Breeders for forcing.....	20 cts. each..	1 85	13 85
GODET PARFAIT . 30-C. Violet-purple with a white base. Tall and vigorous, with very large flowers of striking appearance. One of the best....	15 cts. each..	1 05	7 95
			72 00
LA SINGULIERE (Lord Curzon). 24-B. Silvery white, flushed at the margin with dark maroon-crimson, which gradually suffuses the entire petal as the flower ages..	70	5 35	48 50
LOUIS XIV. 28-C. Without a doubt the finest of all Tulips. This variety has made a sensation wherever it has been exhibited. Enormous, globular flowers; dark purple, flushed bronze, with a broad margin of golden brown.....	35 cts. each..	3 30	24 75
LUCIFER . 28-D. Rich rosy orange, edged orange-scarlet. A brilliant flower of majestic form, on a tall stem.....	20 cts. each..	1 65	12 50
MARIE LOUISE . 23-B. Old-rose, margined with orange-salmon, and with a purplish flush. Altogether beautiful, although of only medium size.....	80	5 90	53 50
MEDEA . 27-C. Crushed strawberry with salmon suffusion. Large and stately.....	50	3 85	35 00
PRINCE OF ORANGE . 25-C. Large, showy flowers; terra-cotta, edged orange with yellow base and black center. Always satisfactory.....	65	4 95	45 00
VELVET KING . 25-C. Glossy purplish maroon with yellow base. Extra-large flowers, very effective for the border or in shrubbery.....	20 cts. each..	1 65	12 65
YELLOW PERFECTION (Old Gold; Empress of China). 24-B. Light bronze-yellow, edged with gold; inside bronze. A large and noteworthy flower.....	80	6 15	56 00
BECKERT'S SUPERB MIXTURE OF BREEDER TULIPS . Composed of the finest named varieties of this unusual class.....	80	6 05	55 00
GOOD MIXTURE OF BREEDERS	45	3 30	30 00

Breeder Tulip, Bronze Queen

Bybloems and Bizarres

This is an old race of Tulips, supposed to have been derived from the self-colored, old Dutch Breeders. The large flowers, which open at about the same time as the late Darwins, are carried on tall stems and are beautifully formed.

The *Bybloems* are striped and feathered with rose and violet shades on white ground. The *Bizarres* are feathered brown on yellow ground.

	Doz.	100	1,000
ROSE BYBLOEMS . White marked with crimson, pink, and scarlet.....	\$0 55	\$4 00	\$36 00
VIOLET BYBLOEMS . White striped with blue, violet, lilac, and purple shades.....	55	4 00	36 00
BIZARRES . Yellow feathered with brown, in many fascinating variations.....	55	4 00	36 00

If your lawn has become "ragged" during the summer, scratch up the bare spots and sow Beckert's Evergreen Lawn Grass Mixture thickly. Next spring the results will surprise and delight you. Wonderfully good results may be had by sowing Beckert's Evergreen Lawn Grass Seed in September, either for "patching" or a new lawn. See inside of back cover for prices, etc.

GIANT DARWIN TULIPS

Without question, the Darwins are today more popular among lovers of Tulips than any other class.

They are noted for their clear, bright colors, their tall, sturdy growth, and their large, beautifully formed, cup-shaped flowers. Although brilliant, their colors are not harsh and, consequently, the different varieties harmonize well when planted together or with other flowers.

In season they follow two to three weeks after the Early Tulips, and their blooming period overlaps that of the Late or Cottage Tulips. The colors range from the palest lilac through slate-blue, purple and maroon to almost black, and from blush-white through rose-pink and scarlet to crimson; but there are no yellows among the Darwins, and for this color we have to go to the Cottage Tulips.

Some varieties of Darwin Tulips are suitable for forcing, but it is for outdoor beds and borders that they are best adapted, and there they reign supreme. If you have room for only one bed of Tulips, by all means plant Darwins.

OUR SPECIAL OFFER OF FIVE OF THE FINEST DARWIN TULIPS

THE VARIETIES ILLUSTRATED IN COLOR ABOVE

Collection "D A." 5 bulbs, 1 of each variety, for \$0.35
Collection "D B." 30 bulbs, 6 of each variety, for \$1.50

Collection "D C." 60 bulbs, 12 of each variety, for \$2.85
Collection "D D." 125 bulbs, 25 of each variety, for \$5.75

FOR COMPLETE LIST OF DARWIN TULIPS, SEE OPPOSITE PAGE

Giant Darwin Tulips

	Doz.	100	1,000
ANTON ROOZEN. 24-A. Vivid rose-pink, with white base; large cup-shaped flowers....	\$0 75	\$5 60	\$51 00
ARIADNE. 28-C. Enormous cup-shaped flower of a brilliant rosy scarlet with blue base....	70	5 30	48 00
BARONNE DE LA TONNAYE. 26-D. Vivid pink, margined blush; an old favorite.....	45	3 30	31 00
BARTIGON. 22-B. Fiery crimson, with a pure white base. Very showy.....	75	5 60	51 00
CENTENAIRE. 32-C. Rich violet-rose with blue base. A magnificent flower for the border and good for forcing..... 15 cts. each..	1 40	10 50	95 00
CLARA BUTT. 20-D. Delicate salmon-pink; perfect shape and lovely color. Very popular.	50	3 80	34 50
DREAM. 27-B. Beautiful uniform lilac....	60	4 65	42 00
EDMEE (Beauty). 28-D. Vivid cherry-rose, edged soft old-rose; large flowers.....	70	5 10	46 00
ERGUSTE. 26-B. Deep heliotrope, flushed silvery white, darker inside. Early.....	70	5 10	46 00
ETHEL ROOSEVELT. 15-D. Lovely sweet-scented, rose-colored flower, with blue base..	95	7 00	63 50
EUROPE (Salmon King). 22-B. Glowing salmon-scarlet, shaded rose.....	65	4 95	45 00
EUTERPE. 26-B. Silvery mauve-lilac, lighter at the edges; large flowers on strong stems. Considered the best lavender.....	75	5 60	51 00
FARNCOMBE SANDERS. 25-C. Fiery rosy scarlet; inside vivid cerise-scarlet, with white center marked blue; fine large flowers.....	65	4 80	43 50
FAUST. 30-D. Deep purple-maroon; large and brilliant.....	1 10	8 40	76 00
FEU BRILLIANT. 28-C. Vermilion, blue-and-white base. Very fine bedder.....	75	5 60	51 00
FLAMINGO. 26-D. Delicate shell-pink. Very lovely and attractive.....	75	5 60	51 00
GLOW (Claude Gillot). 23-A. Dazzling vermilion-scarlet, white base with blue markings.	60	4 55	41 00
GRETCHEN (Marguerite). 24-C. Silvery pale rose, flushed white; inside soft pink with white center, marked blue.....	55	4 00	36 00
HARRY VEITCH. 24-A. Brilliant blood-red; on long stems.....	55	4 25	38 50
ISIS. 26-C. Glowing vermilion with blue base. One of the showiest bedders.....	55	4 25	38 50
KING GEORGE V. 25-B. Bright cerise, shaded rose; inside orange-scarlet with blue base. Perhaps the most intense coloring found in the Darwins..... 35 cts. each..	3 25	24 75	225 00
KING HAROLD. 24-D. Deep ox-blood-red, with blush-white base; very large flowers....	60	4 40	40 00
LA TRISTESSE. 25-C. Slaty purple inside; dull blue outside, shading to white at edges.	55	4 25	38 50
LA TULIPE NOIRE (The Black Tulip). 24-C. Comes nearest of all to black flower.	65	4 80	43 50
L'INGENUE. 27-C. Very delicate rosy pink with a broad border of rosy white.....	70	5 10	46 00
MADAME KRELAGE. 28-A. Soft lilac-rose, with a broad margin of blush-pink; flowers very large, on tall stems.....	65	4 80	43 50
MARCONI. 24-C. Dull violet with a distinct white base; immense flower.....	60	4 55	41 00
MASSACHUSETTS. 25-C. Pink, with white center; splendid form and color.....	60	4 65	42 00
NAUTICAS. 25-B. Dark cerise-rose, center dark violet, shaded bronze; large.....	55	4 00	36 00
OUIDA. 28-C. Bright crimson-scarlet; unusually tall stem and large flower.....	55	4 15	37 50
PHILIPPE DE COMMINES. 30-D. Velvety dark purple; large flower on a stiff stem....	70	5 35	48 50
PRIDE OF HAARLEM. 26-B. Bright rose, suffused with purple; enormous flower.....	55	4 25	38 50
PRINCESS ELIZABETH (Julia Vinot). 26-D. A long rosebud-shaped flower of the deepest pink on a stiff stem.....	90	6 70	61 00

Darwin Tulip, Clara Butt

	Doz.	100	1,000
PRINCESS JULIANA. 28-D. Most brilliant of the Darwins. Dazzling salmon-scarlet....	\$0 60	\$4 55	\$41 00
PSYCHE. 32-C. Rich rose; inside shaded silvery rose, with blue base; strong stems...	55	4 00	36 00
REVEREND EWBANK. 20-A. Vivid heliotrope-lilac; magnificent flower.....	55	4 25	38 50
RONALD GUNN. 25-B. Velvety violet, edged lavender, with white base, a distinct coloration, the general effect being almost true blue..... 12 cts. each..	1 10	8 25	75 00
SIERAAD VAN FLORA. 24-A. Large, bright rosy red. Early forcer.....	75	5 60	51 00
SOPHROSUNE. 28-B. Very soft rosy lilac, bordered silvery white.....	75	5 60	51 00
VALENTINE. 22-A. Heliotrope, shaded violet. Flowers beautifully shaped and carried on long stems..... 12 cts. each..	1 10	8 25	75 00
WILLIAM COPLAND (Sweet Lavender). 25-A. Lilac-rose; earliest of all Darwins....	70	5 10	46 00
WILLIAM PITT. 26-B. Very dark scarlet with purple shade on the outer petals.....	90	6 95	63 00
ZULU. 27-C. Velvety purple-black; large egg-shaped flower of very distinct form....	80	6 05	55 00
BECKERT'S SUPERB MIXTURE OF DARWINS. This is our own special mixture which we recommend where the best results are desired in beds of mixed colors.....	75	5 50	50 00
FINE MIXTURE OF DARWINS. As imported. Not to be compared with ordinary mixtures.....	35	2 30	21 00

Rembrandt Tulip, Victor Hugo

Rembrandt Tulips

These are late Tulips, similar to the popular Darwins in season, height and habit of growth, but distinguished by their unusual colors and markings. The ground colors are mostly delicate shades of rose and lavender, striped and splashed in an odd but attractive fashion with darker shades. A bed of Rembrandt Tulips reminds one in color and design of a rich, Oriental carpet.

	Each	Doz.	100
HEBE. Lilac and white, flamed dark brown.....	\$0 06	\$0 55	\$4 15
LA COQUETTE. Violet and white; striped black ..	07	70	5 10
MARCO SPADO. White, flamed carmine-red.....	08	75	5 60
QUASIMODO. White, feathered crimson	07	70	5 10
RED PRINCE. Flamed scarlet on rose ground	07	70	5 10
SEMELE. Vivid rose stripes on white ground.....	07	70	5 10
SIRENE. Lilac, flamed brown and white.....	06	60	4 55
VESTA. Pale violet, striped maroon and white.....	06	60	4 55
VICTOR HUGO. Carmine, flamed white.....	08	75	5 60
SUPERB MIXTURE OF REMBRANDTS	07	70	5 10
GOOD MIXTURE	\$36.00 per 1,000	06	55 4 00

Parrot or Dragon Tulips

Gorgeous, late-flowering Tulips with curiously twisted and slashed petals. The color combinations are remarkably effective; a bed of these Tulips is most interesting and decorative.

	Each	Doz.	100
ADMIRAL CONSTANTINOPLE. Showy scarlet and orange.....	\$0 05	\$0 50	\$3 60
CRAMOISI BRILLANT. Rich carmine; with black markings; large flowers.....	05	50	3 60
LUTEA MAJOR. Yellow, with green and crimson stripes.....	05	50	3 60
PERFECTA. Golden yellow, blotched rich, deep scarlet; exceedingly brilliant.....	05	50	3 60
FINEST MIXED PARROTS	\$28.50 per 1,000	04	40 3 15

Double May-Flowering Tulips

These are full double forms of the Late or Cottage Tulips, equally satisfactory for bedding and cutting, and possessing the same artistic form and colors.

	Each	Doz.	100
BLUE FLAG (Blue Celeste). Large flowers of a soft violet-blue color.....	\$0 09	\$0 90	\$6 70
MARRIAGE DE MA FILLE. Carmine, feathered white.....	08	75	5 60

	Each	Doz.	100
YELLOW ROSE. Pure buttercup-yellow....	\$0 06	\$0 60	\$4 55
FINE MIXED	\$31.00 per 1,000	05	45 3 40

(See page 6 for mailing weight of Tulip Bulbs)

BECKERT'S

Dutch Garden Collection

of the Spring-Flowering Bulbs best suited for planting outdoors in the ordinary garden location, is wonderful value for

\$10.00

It is made up of first-quality bulbs of the finest named varieties which would cost at least \$13.00 if purchased separately, but we offer it at this reduced figure to encourage those whose knowledge of Dutch Bulbs is limited and who wish to leave to us the selection of varieties that are sure to give satisfaction.

Beckert's Dutch Garden Collection is made up as follows:

- 50 Early Single Tulips, our choice of varieties.
- 25 Early Double Tulips, our choice of varieties.
- 50 Darwin Tulips, our choice of varieties.
- 12 Rembrandt or Breeder Tulips, our selection.
- 36 Giant Trumpet Daffodils, two or three varieties, our choice.
- 12 Star or Crown Daffodils, our selection.
- 12 Poet's Narcissus.
- 12 Jonquils.
- 50 Crocus, Assorted Colors.
- 36 Selected Named Bedding Hyacinths, Blue, White and Rose-pink.
- 295 Bulbs, all of the finest varieties, for \$10.00.

Mailing weight of the collection, 30 pounds

BECKERT'S

Winter Sunshine Collection

of selected Bulbs for growing in pots or bowls in the house will supply a succession of fragrant flowers from December to April. It sells for

\$10.00

Purchased separately, these bulbs would cost about \$14.00. All of them are first-class named varieties which our experience has shown to be particularly adapted for indoor forcing.

Beckert's Winter Sunshine Collection is made up as follows:

- 6 Hyacinths for growing in Water, assorted colors.
- 6 Exhibition Hyacinths for Pots, assorted colors.
- 6 Dutch Roman Hyacinths, assorted colors.
- 12 Early Single Tulips, our selection.
- 6 Early Double Tulips, our selection.
- 6 Darwin Tulips, our selection.
- 12 Giant Trumpet Daffodils, our selection.
- 6 Double Daffodils, our selection.
- 24 Paper-White Narcissus Bulbs.
- 6 Soleil d'Or Narcissus Bulbs.
- 6 Chinese Sacred Lily Bulbs.
- 1 Bowl for Narcissus and Chinese Lilies.
- 2 Hyacinth Glasses.
- 1 Qt. of White Pebbles for Narcissus Bowls.

Mailing weight of the collection, 20 pounds

Giant-Flowering CROCUS

MAMMOTH BULBS

The Crocus is one of the earliest spring flowers. They produce fine effects, if planted promiscuously throughout the lawn or in shrubbery, especially if combined with any of the other early-flowering bulbs. Plant Crocus bulbs 2 inches deep, and at the same time you plant other varieties outdoors. Six or more bulbs may be planted in a pot or pan, placed in a cool situation, and when leaves appear they may be taken indoors. These Mammoth Bulbs may also be flowered in bowls in water with pebbles or may be grown in moss in balls, baskets, etc.

If Mammoth Bulbs are to be sent by parcel post, add postage at your zone rate. 100 bulbs weigh 4 pounds

WHITE

	Doz.	100	1,000
KING OF THE WHITES. Extra-large and fine.	\$0 20	\$1 40	\$12 50
KATHLEEN PARLOW. Purest white; large orange anthers; fine substance.....	20	1 45	13 00
MT. BLANC. Large pure white.....	20	1 15	10 50

BLUE

MAXIMILIAN (Dorothea). A splendid sky-blue; one of the finest.....	20	1 40	12 50
PRESIDENT LINCOLN. Deep purplish blue.....	20	1 40	12 50
PURPUREA GRANDIFLORA. Large; rich, deep purple.....	20	1 35	12 00

YELLOW

GOLDEN YELLOW. First-Size Bulbs.....	20	1 45	13 00
Mammoth Bulbs.....	30	2 25	20 50

STRIPED

L A MAJESTUEUSE. White, striped violet.
Doz. 20 cts., \$1.15
per 100, \$10.50
per 1,000.

Crocus from Our Mammoth Bulbs

PALLAS. White ground, fine lilac stripes; orange anthers; extra-large flower.....	Doz.	100	1,000
	\$0 20	\$1 45	\$13 00
SIR WALTER SCOTT. White, striped purple.....	20	1 15	10 50

Mixed Crocus Bulbs

White, Blue, Striped, and Yellow Varieties, 12 cts. per doz., 60 cts. per 100, \$5.50 per 1,000. One dozen will be sent by parcel post at catalogue prices, but for larger quantities add postage at your zone rate. 100 bulbs weigh 2 pounds; 1,000 bulbs weigh 13 pounds.

Autumn-Flowering Crocus

They are entirely hardy and worthy of extended use. Plant the bulbs as early as possible and not too deep. They may also be grown in pots.

If to be sent by parcel post, add postage at your zone rate. 100 bulbs weigh 5 pounds

	Each	Doz.	100
SATIVUS (Saffron Crocus). Purplish blue.....	\$0 04	\$0 20	\$1 60
SPECIOSUS. Blue.....	04	25	2 00
ZONATUS. Lavender.....	04	20	1 60

FREESIA

Very popular and widely cultivated early-flowering fall bulbs. They force readily and can easily be flowered by Christmas. Plant six to ten bulbs, according to size, in a 6-inch bulb-pot, covering 1 inch. Allow them to root in a cool place for about three weeks, then bring to the light. The flowers are very fragrant, gracefully branched, and last a long time.

Free by mail at catalogue price per dozen. For Monster and Mammoth bulbs, add postage at your zone rates—100 bulbs weigh one pound; First-Size bulbs, 100 bulbs weigh one-half pound.

	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
PURITY. Pure white. The largest-flowering and finest variety.				
Jumbo Bulbs. (The largest grown).....	\$0 06	\$0 55	\$3 85	\$35 00
Mammoth Bulbs. $\frac{5}{8}$ - to $\frac{3}{4}$ -in. diam.....	05	40	2 65	24 00
Select First-Size. $\frac{1}{2}$ - to $\frac{5}{8}$ -in. diam.....	04	30	1 95	17 50

GENERAL PERSHING. A new variety which made quite a sensation in the Chicago Flower Market last season. A strong grower, producing a number of long, graceful laterals with large, open flowers of a particularly pleasing color. Rosy lavender with yellow throat and lip.....

08	75	5 50	50 00
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Freesia, Purity

HARDY LILIES

We especially recommend deep planting, say, from 6 to 8 inches deep; varieties like *Speciosums* require at least 8 inches, with an ample amount of sand beneath the bulb to insure proper drainage. Cover the beds with leaves or litter during winter. Lilies thrive well in borders, formal gardens, or shrubbery, and usually flower at a time when the shrubbery has ceased blooming. The following varieties have proved to be sorts that may be planted in the fall or, with the exception of *Lilium candidum*, in the spring with excellent results. We often receive orders for *Lilium candidum* for spring delivery. They arrive from France in September, and must be planted by November 1.

Most Lily bulbs, being of late maturity, do not arrive in our country until October and November, which is conceded to be the best time to plant. Where the ground is liable to freeze before late Lilies arrive, it should be mulched with leaves or manure.

Lilies marked with a star (*) will not be ready until the latter part of October or November

If Lily bulbs are to be sent by parcel post, add postage at your zone rate. Bulbs 11x13 and 12x14 inches weigh 8 ounces; 9x10 and 9x11 inches, 6 ounces; 7x9 inches, 4 ounces; all other varieties, 2 ounces.

LILIUM CANDIDUM (Madonna Lily)

Choice Northern-Grown. Arrive in August or September

The favorite Lily of the old-fashioned garden, produces strong, stiff stems, studded with pure, glistening white flowers, that enliven the perennial flower-garden and contrast beautifully with the green shrubbery of June, frequently growing 4½ feet high.

Plant some bulbs during September and October and enjoy a big crop of flowers next June; or pot up, store in coldframe, and force for early winter in the greenhouse or conservatory. Our bulbs of this splendid Lily are grown in northern France, and are of the true thick-petaled variety, which is much superior in habit and flowering qualities to that of the cheap, loose, southern-grown bulbs.

	Each	Doz.	100
Mammoth Bulbs.....	\$0 30	\$2 50	\$20 00
First-size Bulbs.....	25	2 00	15 00

Lilium candidum

Lilium auratum

***AURATUM** (Gold-banded Lily). Ivory-white, with central band of yellow and numerous purple spots.

	Each	Doz.	100
9- x 11-in. circumference.	\$0 40	\$4 00	\$30 00
11- x 13-in., Mammoth Bulbs.....	50	5 00	40 00

***AURATUM PICTUM.**

Grand pure white, spotted crimson, without the yellow band.

9- x 10-in. circumference. . .	85	8 50
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***AURATUM PLATYPHYLLUM (macranthum).** A giant Lily. Similar in color to Auratum, but much larger and with fewer spots.

	Each	Doz.	100
9- x 10-in. circumference. . .	\$0 65	\$6 50	\$50 00

***SPECIOSUM ALBUM.** Pure white, with green band in the center of each petal, exquisitely dainty and beautiful; very fragrant.

	Each	Doz.	100
9- x 11-in. circumference. . .	\$0 40	\$4 00	\$30 00
11- x 13-in., Mammoth Bulbs.....	50	5 00	40 00

***SPECIOSUM MAGNIFICUM.** Flowers larger than any of the other *Speciosums*. Rose, heavily spotted with rich crimson.

	Each	Doz.	100
9- x 11-in. circumference. . .	\$0 40	\$4 00	\$30 00
11- x 13-in., Mammoth Bulbs.....	50	5 00	40 00

Lilium Regale, the Regal Lily

petals, gives them a soft, pearly pink gleam. Entirely hardy, easily forced, and is perfect as a pot plant. The most beautiful of all the Lilies.

HARDY LILIES, continued

	Each	Doz.	100
*SPECIOSUM MELPOMENE. Large, rich carmine flowers, heavily spotted blood-red. 9 x 11-in. circumference.	\$0 40	\$4 00	\$30 00
SPECIOSUM RUBRUM or ROSEUM. White, shaded with deep rose, and spotted red. A magnificent, free-blooming Lily.			
9- x 11-in. circumference.	40	4 00	30 00
11- x 13-in., Mammoth Bulbs.	50	5 00	40 00
*BATEMANNIÆ. Blooms in August and September; very handsome, glowing apricot-red flower.	25	2 50	
*CANADENSE. Lovely, nodding, bell-shaped flowers, yellow, spotted black.	20	2 00	15 00
*DAVURICUM. Attains a height of 2 to 3 feet. Umbels of three to five upright scarlet flowers.	15	1 35	10 00
HANSONII. Flowers bright golden yellow, spotted purple, borne in clusters.	60	6 00	
*HENRYI. Large panicles of orange-yellow flowers, banded with green; robust and long-lived.	60	6 00	
KRAMERI. Pure blush-pink, fragrant and beautiful trumpet-shaped flowers; 3 feet; blooms in August.	25	2 50	
*PARDALINUM (Leopard Lily). Scarlet, shading to yellow, spotted purple.	30	2 75	
*SUPERBUM. An elegant native variety. Brilliant orange-red, with claret-colored spots, six to twenty flowers on a stem.	20	2 00	15 00
*TIGRINUM FL.-PL. Double orange flowers, spotted black. Mammoth Bulbs.	20	2 00	15 00
*TIGRINUM SPLENDENS. Rich scarlet with dark spots. Mammoth Bulbs.	20	2 00	15 00
REGALE (The Regal Lily). Introduced from China. Plant very vigorous. Stems attain a height of 2½ to 4 feet, bearing from three to nine or more large trumpet-shaped white flowers, flushed with yellow internally, and externally shaded with deep brown-pink, which, shining through the			

1 00 10 00

LILY BULBS FOR INDOOR GROWING

JAPANESE LILIES

For Greenhouse Forcing

We offer two varieties of Japanese Lilies which are largely grown for January to Easter flowering: *L. longiflorum formosum*, which usually arrives in this country late in August, and *L. longiflorum giganteum*, which usually arrives in October or November.

	Each	Doz.	100
LONGIFLORUM FORMOSUM. Black stems; blooms early. Often used instead of the Bermuda as an Easter Lily. Ready in September.			
7- x 9-in. circumference.	\$0 45	\$4 50	\$35 00
9- x 10-in. circumference.	70	7 00	55 00
10- x 12-in. circumference.	90	9 00	70 00
LONGIFLORUM GIGANTEUM. Stems black; later than the preceding; flowers of more substance. Ready in September.			
7- x 9-in. circumference.	35	3 50	25 00
8- x 9-in. circumference.	45	4 50	35 00
9- x 10-in. circumference.	55	5 50	45 00
HARRISII (Bermuda Easter Lily). Ready in August. Large, pure white, trumpet-shaped flowers.			
7- x 9-in. circumference.	45	4 50	35 00
9- x 11-in. circumference.	90	9 00	75 00

Lilium longiflorum

Godfrey Everblooming Calla Lily

AMARYLLIS READY IN OCTOBER

Showy pot plants blooming in late winter and early spring. The bulbs should be planted as soon as possible after arrival—one bulb to a 6-inch pot—in good soil and kept in moderate temperature and light, with little water until the flower-scapes begin to show. Then bring the pots into a warmer location and water freely. A little plant food or liquid manure applied at this time will stimulate growth and enhance the size and color of the flowers. The foliage does not appear until after the blooming period has passed.

Allow 6 ounces per bulb when adding postage

BECKERT'S SUPERB HYBRIDS. A wonderfully brilliant strain produced by crossing various forms of the *Hippeastrum* type. Vigorous and free-blooming, with immense, lily-like flowers, ranging in color from orange to deep crimson and from white to rose, many striped and variegated. Strong bulbs, \$1.00 each, \$2.75 for three bulbs, \$10.00 per doz.

BELLADONNA MAJOR (The Belladonna Lily). An old favorite; large rose-red flowers; often as many as a dozen blooms on a single stalk. Very fragrant. Strong bulbs, 30 cts. each, \$3.00 per doz.

OXALIS

Valuable for winter flowering; elegant for pots and baskets. Six to ten bulbs may be planted in a pot.

All prices postpaid

	Each	Doz.	100
BERMUDA BUTTERCUP. Very good for winter flowering, being free and continuous; pure bright yellow flowers.....	\$0 03	\$0 30	\$2 00
BOWIEI. Brilliant carmine-rose.....	05	35	2 50
GRAND DUCHESS. Dwarf; of great beauty. Flowers large and thrown well above foliage. Lavender, Pink, White, and Yellow. Each.....	03	30	2 00
MIXED VARIETIES		25	1 75

How did your lawn stand the hot weather this summer? Now is a good time to scratch up the bare spots and re-seed it. See inside of back cover for prices and information on lawn seed.

CALLA

One of the most satisfactory and easily grown flowers for pot culture and forcing. The bulbs should be planted in rich soil, with the crown or top protruding just above the surface. They require an abundance of moisture, particularly during their flowering season, but after they have bloomed they should be allowed to dry off and remain dormant for several months. They thrive best in a warm temperature and moist atmosphere, with plenty of light.

If to be sent by parcel post, add postage at your zone rate. One mammoth bulb weighs 4 ounces; one dozen, 3 pounds. First-size bulbs and other Callas weigh 3 ounces each, 2 pounds per dozen. Each Doz. 100

ÆTHIOPICA (Lily-of-the Nile).

The old favorite large-flowering Calla Lily. Mammoth

Bulbs. 5- to 6-in. cir.

1st size Bulbs. 4- to 5-in. cir. ... 36 \$3 60 \$24 00

2d size Bulbs. 3- to 4-in. cir. ... 17 1 70 12 00

ELLIOTTIANA (The Golden Calla).

A beautiful variety from South Africa, with a broad, trumpet-like tube of a very rich pure yellow; leaves spotted white.....

25 2 50 19 50

CODEFROYANA (The Godfrey Everblooming Calla).

A stronger grower and more constant bloomer than *Æthiopica*. The plants are dwarf and compact with dark green foliage and pure white flowers.

1st size Bulbs. 3-in. cir. and up. 26 2 60 20 00

2d size Bulbs. 2½- to 3-in. cir. . 18 1 80 14 00

LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY

For forcing, plant about twelve pips in a 6-inch pot, keeping the crowns above the soil; place in a temperature of about 80 degrees, covering the pots with moss; keep them moist continually. They should flower in three to four weeks from time of planting. Ready in November.

Mailing weight, bundle of 25 pips, 20 ounces

PERFECTION BRAND, Extra-Select, Early-Forcing, Strong Pips. Market variable; write for prices.

COLD-STORAGE PIPS. Write for prices.

LARGE, STRONG CLUMPS. (Mailing weight, 2 pounds per clump.) For planting outdoors. Perfectly hardy; produce a profusion of flowers in spring. Partial shade is necessary. 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

Oxalis, Bermuda Buttercup

IRIS (Fleur-de-Lis)

During May, the Irises rule supreme in the hardy border where they thrive in soil too poor to grow potatoes. They are of the greatest hardiness and easiest culture and should be freely planted. The Irises are the "Flags" of the old-fashioned gardens. They are most effective when used as edging for shrubbery or garden border. The clumps increase in size from year to year producing larger and lovelier flowers each succeeding season.

Mailing weight, 4 ounces each root

Tall Bearded Iris

These are the easiest to grow and most generally satisfactory of all Irises, comprising the best of the *Iris germanica* sorts and many other forms and hybrids. They come in all sorts of attractive colors, and, by planting a proper selection of varieties, may be had in bloom from early May to mid-June. All are perfectly hardy and robust in growth. The best time to plant them out is during late September or October.

AUREA. The most satisfactory pure yellow. Both standards and falls rich chrome-yellow. Large flowers, 2 feet.....	Each	Doz.	100
	\$0 25	\$2 25	\$16 00
DARIUS. Unique in color and very beautiful. Standards bright yellow; falls deep lilac with white margins; beard orange. 2 feet.....	15	1 45	10 00
HER MAJESTY. Standards rose-pink; falls bright crimson. Rare and altogether desirable. 2½ feet....	30	2 75	
INGEBORD. Very large, pure white flowers. One of the first to bloom. 1½ feet.....	25	2 25	16 00
IRIS KING. A striking novelty with large flowers. Standards clear lemon-yellow; falls satiny brown with a broad border of golden yellow. 3 feet.....	50	5 00	
LOHENGRIN. The fine, large flowers are a uniform, soft lavender-rose like the Cattleya orchid. 2½ feet.	25	2 25	16 00
LORELEY. Standards sulphur-yellow; falls deep blue, bordered creamy yellow. One of the finest of the new hybrids. 2 feet.....	25	2 25	16 00
MME. CHEREAU. Exceedingly attractive. Both standards and falls are pure white with a broad, frilled margin of clear, dark blue. 2½ feet.....	15	1 00	6 75
PALLIDA DALMATICA. Undoubtedly the most desirable Iris for massing or cutting. Clear lavender, the falls being slightly deeper in color than the standards. A strong grower; large, substantial flowers. 3½ feet.....	20	1 75	12 00
PERFECTION. Standards light blue; falls violet-black; orange beard. A very striking color combination. 2½ feet.....	15	1 15	8 00
RHEIN NIXE. Standards pure white; falls violet, with white edge. Distinct and lovely. 2½ feet.....	40	3 65	
WALHALLA. Standards lavender; falls wine-red. Vigorous and an early bloomer. 1½ feet.....	15	1 45	10 00
MIXED TALL BEARDED IRIS. Containing a large number of fine varieties.....	08	60	4 00
COLLECTION ITB. One good strong root of each of the above named Tall Bearded Irises for \$2.25.			

Japanese Iris

Tall, graceful Irises with large, stately flowers of the most interesting and attractive colors. They require a comparatively rich and moist soil and seem to be most at home along the swampy margins of ponds or streams. If planted in early fall, they will bloom the following June.

GOLD BOUND. Double. A fine, pure white, with a gold band through the center of each petal.	
MT. HOOD. Double. Light blue, shaded darker, with a bright orange center.	
PYRAMID. Double. Violet-purple with white veinings in the center of the petals.	
ROBERT CRAIG. Double. Very beautiful, French-gray flowers, veined violet.	
TEMPLETON. Double and often triple. Light violet, deep pink and white. Finest form.	
VICTOR. Double. White with a violet-purple center and violet veins.	

Any of the above, 25 cts. each, \$2.25 per doz., \$16.00 per 100

JAPANESE IRIS SEEDLINGS. These bulbs will produce a great variety of single and double flowers in many colors, some of them as fine as the named varieties we offer above. 10 cts. each, 95 cts. per doz., \$6.50 per 100.

Peony, Festiva Maxima

PEONIES READY IN OCTOBER

Those who are fond of Peonies will be delighted with these modern marvels which the skill of the hybridizer has given us. Plant them in good, deep, rich soil so that the crown of the plant is about 2 inches below surface.

Mailing weight, 16 ozs. each root Each Doz.

AVALANCHE. Immense; snowy white, with a few delicate markings of carmine on the center petals. Blooms in midseason.....	\$1 00	\$10 00
COURONNE D'OR. Large, ball-shaped flowers; pure white with golden yellow stamens; free blooming and very fragrant. Late.....	75	7 50
DORCHESTER. Delicate salmon-pink; fine, sturdy plants, blooming very late; fragrant...	75	7 50
DUCHESSE DE NEMOURS. An early bloomer; opens sulphur-white, changing to pure white.	40	4 00
EDULIS SUPERBA. Bright, clear pink. The famous "Decoration Day Peony," blooming very early and profusely.....	45	4 50
FELIX CROUSSE. Uniform, rich ruby-red; large, globular flowers; blooms in late mid-season.....	90	9 00
FESTIVA MAXIMA. The most popular white Peony. Immense flowers of purest white with clear carmine spots. Early.....	45	4 50
LIVINGSTONE. Lilac-rose with a silvery sheen; large, full blooms; one of the finest late Peonies.....	1 00	10 00
MME. DE VERNEVILLE. Very large and full white flowers with a dainty blush suffusion. An early and remarkably profuse bloomer....	50	5 00
MONS. JULES ELIE. The King of Peonies. Mammoth, double flowers 8 to 9 inches across, in midseason; glossy lilac-pink, shading to deep rose at the center, with a silvery sheen...	1 50	15 00
RUBRA SUPERBA. Magnificent, rich, deep crimson; very large and double. Late.....	1 50	15 00
UMBELLATA ROSEA. A strong grower and free bloomer, with large informal flowers, shading from deep rose on the outer petals to amber-white in the center. Very early.....	65	6 50

Giant Trumpet Daffodils, Glory of Leiden

Bicolor Trumpet Daffodils

The perianth white or light-colored, with yellow trumpet.

	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
EMPRESS. Very large and beautiful white perianth; rich yellow trumpet. First-Size Bulbs...	\$0 06	\$0 55	\$4 25	\$38 50
Mammoth Double-Crown Bulbs...	08	85	6 55	59 50
MADAME PLEMP. Pure white perianth; trumpet golden yellow. First-Size Bulbs...	07	75	5 75	52 00
GIANT PRINCEPS. Sulphur perianth and yellow trumpet; long and showy; early and forces finely. First-Size Bulbs...	04	40	3 00	27 00
Mammoth Double-Crown Bulbs...	06	55	4 10	37 00
MRS. WALTER T. WARE. Very free flowering and early; beautiful golden yellow trumpet, well expanded and frilled at the base. First-Size Bulbs...	07	70	5 20	47 00
VICTORIA. Large, erect flowers; creamy white perianth and rich yellow trumpet; forces easily. The earliest of the Bicolors. First-Size Bulbs...	06	55	4 25	38 50
Mammoth Double-Crown Bulbs...	10	1 00	7 40	67 00

Giant Trumpet Daffodils

Narcissus Pseudo-Narcissus

These are among the most charming of our spring flowers, defying, in their earliness, the rough winds of April to grace our lawns and borders. Plant them in masses or have a few pans in your window-garden, but, by all means, *grow some*.

Daffodils may be treated as advised for hyacinths; they are not particular as to soil and will thrive for a number of years in ordinary soil. They are, with few exceptions, suitable for naturalizing and, while preferring partial shade, will thrive in full sun exposure. They are very desirable for pot culture, three to five bulbs in a 5- or 6-inch pot producing an attractive group. By planting one or more varieties in succession, such a display may be enjoyed throughout the first three months of the year.

If wanted by parcel post, add postage at your zone rate. First-Size Bulbs weigh 2 pounds per dozen; Mammoth Double-Crown Bulbs, 3 pounds per dozen. See inside front cover for zone rates.

Yellow Trumpet Daffodils

Varieties with yellow or primrose trumpets and petals of the same colors.

	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
EMPEROR. Large, rich yellow trumpet; primrose perianth; fine for cutting. First-Size Bulbs...	\$0 06	\$0 55	\$4 25	\$38 50
Mammoth Double-Crown Bulbs...	09	90	6 80	62 00
GLORY OF LEIDEN. Trumpet yellow; perianth soft yellow; of largest size and always satisfactory. First-Size Bulbs...	07	70	5 20	47 00
Mammoth Double-Crown Bulbs...	09	90	6 80	62 00
GOLDEN SPUR. Native of the Netherlands. Large-lobed trumpets, rich, deep self-yellow; perianth large and spreading, early. Extra-fine bulbs. First-Size Bulbs...	06	55	4 25	38 50
Mammoth Double-Crown Bulbs...	09	90	6 80	62 00
GOLDEN SPUR. French-grown; early. Market Price.				

	Each	Doz.	100
KING ALFRED. Uniform golden yellow; this variety stands unrivaled in size and beauty. Its round, fleshy petals, its immense, elegantly recurved and beautifully fluted trumpet, and its sturdy growth proclaim it the King of Daffodils. First-Size Bulbs...	\$0 12	\$1 25	\$9 60
Mammoth Double-Crown Bulbs...	18	1 85	14 00

OLYMPIA. A splendid variety. Trumpet yellow with perianth of slightly paler shade. First-Size Bulbs...	15	1 50	11 25
Mammoth Double-Crown Bulbs...	22	2 20	16 75

VAN WAVEREN'S GIANT. Of immense size—the largest of all Daffodils. Perianth primrose; bright yellow trumpet. First-Size Bulbs...	18	1 85	14 00
Mammoth Double-Crown Bulbs...	24	2 40	19 25

White Trumpet Daffodils

Silvery white and pale cream-colored varieties.

	Each	Doz.	100
ALBICANS. Long primrose trumpet passing to white, recurved at brim; white perianth; free bloomer; strong grower. First-Size Bulbs...	\$0 07	\$0 70	\$5 20
MADAME DE GRAAFF. Perianth white; trumpet pale primrose, passing off white. First-Size Bulbs...	07	65	4 90
MRS. THOMPSON. Pure white, with elegant fluted trumpet; free-flowering, on long stems, and early. First-Size Bulbs...	08	85	6 25
WM. GOLDRING (Swan's Neck Daffodil). Snow-white perianth, drooping over the long primrose trumpet. First-Size Bulbs...	07	75	5 75

Giant
Trumpet
Daffodils

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EMPEROR

EMPRESS

Poet's Narcissus (*Narcissus poeticus*)

These Narcissi have pure white perianths and dainty, little cups edged with bright colors. They are extremely hardy and the best of all Narcissi for naturalizing.

	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
ALMIRA (King Edward VII). A superior form of Each Ornatus; forces early and easily; fine for the garden.....	\$0 07	\$0 70	\$5 10	\$46 00
GLORY OF LISSE. An improved form of Poeticus ornatus; extra-large flower; late forcer.....	07	75	5 75	52 00
ORNATUS. Native of France. Early; pure white cup, margined scarlet; forces very easily. First-size Bulbs.....	04	25	1 90	17 00
Double-Crown Bulbs.....	05	45	3 30	30 00
POETICUS (Pheasant's Eye). Pure white perianth, cup edged saffron.....	04	35	2 45	22 00

Jonquils (*Narcissus odorus* and *Narcissus Jonquilla*)

Deliciously sweet, bright yellow-flowered varieties. Very easily grown and should be planted in quantity for cutting.

	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
CAMPERNELLE RUGULOSUS. Large, rich yellow flowers, borne very freely, and fine for cutting.....	\$0 04	\$0 40	\$3 00	\$27 00
CAMPERNELLE RUGULOSUS PLENUS. A double- flowering form.....	04	40	3 00	27 00
JONQUILS, DOUBLE-FLOWERED	04	35	2 70	24 50
JONQUILS, SINGLE-FLOWERED	04	35	2 45	22 00

POETICUS
NARCISSUS
NATURALIZED

The Short-Trumpet or Crown Daffodils

Narcissus Leedsii

Narcissus Incomparabilis

These are known as the Chalice-Cup Daffodils and, like all the Short-Trumpet varieties, they possess a certain elegance and airy grace which is not to be found in the Giant-Trumpet class. Most of them naturalize readily and some are excellent for forcing.

ARGENT. Creamy white petals, with yellow center. An elegant star-shaped, semi-double flower; early and free-flowering.....	Each	Doz.	100
	\$0 07	\$0 75	\$5 75
AUTOCRAT. Broad perianth primrose-yellow; cup golden yellow. Very free-flowering and one of the best for forcing.....	06	60	4 65
BEAUTY. Large, sulphur-yellow perianth, barred yellow; cup large, margined orange-scarlet; showy and fine; elegant for cutting.....	07	75	5 75
HOMESPUN. Bright yellow perianth and crown, with broad, over-lapping petals. A flower of good substance and perfect form...	14	1 40	10 50
LUCIFER. Large, sulphur-white, loosely formed perianth; cup chrome-yellow, edged bright orange-red.....	06	60	4 65
RED STAR. Perianth pale primrose; loosely spreading cup, stained brilliant red.....	09	95	7 10
SIR WATKIN (Giant Welsh Chalice Flower). Largest of the Incomparabilis varieties; fine for forcing; cup yellow; perianth primrose.			
First-Size Bulbs.....	06	55	4 25
Double-Crown Bulbs.....	08	80	6 15
STELLA SUPERBA. Grand, clear white, spreading petals; yellow cup; excellent for cutting.....	06	60	4 65
WILL SCARLETT. An outstanding variety, with creamy white perianth and a dazzling orange-scarlet cup, widely expanded and beautifully frilled. Will Scarlett should be in every collection.....	16	1 65	12 65

If your lawn has become "ragged" during the summer, scratch up the bare spots and sow Beckert's Evergreen Lawn Grass Mixture thickly. See inside of back cover for prices, etc.

Narcissus Barrii

Varieties of the Star Narcissus class. Very useful for pots, cutting, or borders. This class is one of the best for naturalizing in front of shrubbery and will increase from year to year, making in time a very effective colony. Three to five bulbs may be planted in a 5-inch pot.

ALBATROSS. Perianth creamy white; cup scarlet. A strong grower and altogether desirable.....	Each	Doz.	100
	\$0 07	\$0 75	\$5 75
CONSPICUUS. Large, spreading yellow perianth; fine scarlet cup; strong grower, fine blooming and durable cut-flower variety....	05	45	3 50
DOROTHY WEMYSS. Large, white perianth; canary-yellow cup, edged orange-scarlet. A fine variety for cutting.....	08	85	*6 25
FIREBRAND. Creamy white perianth; intense fiery red cup; very distinct.....	08	85	6 25
RED BEACON. A very brilliant flower with ivory-white perianth and orange-scarlet cup, beautifully frilled and fluted.....	35	3 65	27 75
SEAGULL. Broad, pure white perianth; pale lemon-yellow cup. Dainty but of good substance; it is excellent for all purposes.....	07	75	5 75

Narcissus Leedsii

Eucharis-Flowered or Fragrant Star Narcissi, all having white perianths.

	Each	Doz.	100
EVANGELINE. Broad, pure white perianth; large, lemon-yellow cup. Of exquisite form and unusual substance; it is a favorite for cutting.....	\$0 12	\$1 25	\$9 60
KATHERINE SPURRELL. Broad, sulphury white perianth; canary-yellow cup; a very beautiful flower.....	07	70	5 30
MRS. LANGTRY. White perianth and white cup; largely used for forcing; free bloomer..	04	40	3 00
QUEEN OF THE NORTH. Large, glistening, snowy white perianth; cup primrose-yellow with a narrow edge of creamy white. A conspicuous and beautiful Daffodil.....	28	2 90	22 00
WHITE LADY. Broad white perianth; dainty cup, shaded soft lemon. Beautifully crinkled. A very pretty flower.....	06	60	4 65

Sir Watkin Narcissus

Double-Flowered Daffodils

If to be sent by parcel post, add postage at your zone rate. One dozen bulbs of Orange Phoenix, Sulphur Phoenix, and Double-Crown Von Sion weigh 3 pounds; 100 bulbs weigh 22 pounds; one dozen Mammoth Von Sion bulbs weigh 4 pounds.

	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
ORANGE PHOENIX, or EGGS AND BACON. Sulphur-yellow, crimson center.....	\$0 07	\$0 70	\$5 10	\$46 00
SULPHUR PHOENIX, or CODLINS AND CREAM. Double white, sulphur center.....	07	70	5 10	46 00
THE DOUBLE VON SION, or GOLDEN YELLOW DAFFODIL. Fine for the garden and is forced in great quantities for cut-flowers.				
First-Size Bulbs.....	06	55	4 00	36 00
Double-Crown Bulbs.....	08	80	6 15	56 00
Mammoth Bulbs.....	11	1 10	8 35	76 00

Paper-White Grandiflora Narcissi

Nosegay Daffodils (*Narcissus polyanthus*)

This class is particularly adapted to winter- and early spring-flowering. They are not hardy unless well protected. Like the Chinese Narcissi they may be grown in bowls of water and pebbles or in baskets of sphagnum moss.

If to be sent by parcel post, add postage at your zone rate. One dozen bulbs weigh 2 pounds

	Each	Doz.	100
GLORIOSA. Pure white with orange cup....	\$0 07	\$0 70	\$5 10
GRAND SOLEIL D'OR. Early and showy golden perianth; brilliant orange cup.....	07	70	5 10
French Bulbs. Extra-Early.....	12	1 20	9 00

PAPER-WHITE GRANDIFLORA

Used in enormous quantities for early cut-flowers. Large heads of fragrant flowers. Readily grown in water or moss; very durable. Crop short; order early.

	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
First-Size Bulbs (13 cm. and up)....	\$0 06	\$0 65	\$3 75	\$35 00
Extra-Large Bulbs (14 cm. and up)....	07	75	4 50	40 00
Monster Bulbs (15 cm. and up)....	09	90	5 50	50 00

Chinese Sacred Narcissi

If to be sent by parcel post, add postage at your zone rate. One dozen bulbs weigh 4 pounds

Flowers in clusters very similar to those of the Paper-White Narcissi, but the cups within the petals are yellow. Planted in pots or bowls, in soil or in water with pebbles, they bloom in from four to six weeks. Plant bulbs at intervals of a week up to Christmas. Each 20 cts., doz. \$2.00.

Double Narcissus, Von Sion

Poetaz Hybrid Daffodils

An altogether new race of Narcissi, crosses between Polyanthus and Poeticus ornatus, flowering in clusters; perfectly hardy.

	Each	Doz.	100
ALSACE. Pure white; eye yellow, edged slightly reddish.....	\$0 06	\$0 60	\$4 55
ELVIRA. Pure white, with yellow cup; most popular.....	06	55	4 00
KLONDYKE. Yellow, with golden yellow eye.....	09	90	6 70

Narcissus Poetaz, Elvira

Tall Giant Antirrhinum

Flower Seeds for the Greenhouse

Antirrhinum (Snapdragon) HHP

Now grown as extensively under glass as in the garden. Snapdragons bloom to perfection indoors and require no more care than Geraniums. With only ordinary treatment and temperature, they will flower in from four to six months from the time the seed is sown. The Tall Giant varieties are widely grown for cut-flowers, while the Semi-Dwarf sorts are preferred for pot culture.

TALL LARGE-FLOWERING VARIETIES. These grow to a height of 2 to 2½ feet, with strong stems and well-filled spikes of large flowers. Much superior to the old tall varieties.

Giant Shell-Pink. Clear, silvery pink.

Giant Nelrose. Coral-pink with white throat.

Giant Rose. Rich rose-pink.

Giant Scarlet. Deep, vivid scarlet.

Giant Garnet. Dark, velvety crimson.

Giant White. Pure white.

Giant Yellow. Rich, golden yellow.

Giant Striped. Odd but attractive colors.

Each of the above, pkt. 10 cts., ¼oz. 45 cts., oz. \$1.60

Giant Mixed. Including all of the most desirable shades. Pkt. 10 cts., ¼oz. 40 cts., oz. \$1.50.

BECKERT'S IMPROVED GIANT STRAINS. These varieties, besides producing immense flower spikes, are remarkable for their vigorous, free-blooming habit. Unsurpassed for cutting, they are the finest Antirrhinums in existence today.

Giant Oakledge Favorite. Beautiful salmon-pink.

Giant Oakledge Queen. Deep pink with white throat and tube.

Either of the above, pkt. 50 cts.

(On account of the rigid selection practised, we are able to grow only a very small quantity of seed annually.)

LARGE-FLOWERING SEMI-DWARF VARIETIES. Sturdy, compact plants, about 1½ feet high; profuse bloomers with large flowers.

Daphne. Blush-pink with white tube.

Rose Queen. Entire flower rich rose.

Defiance. Bright orange-scarlet.

Firebrand. Deep glowing red.

Cottage Maid. Coral-pink with yellow lip and white throat.

Mont Blanc. Snowy white.

Golden Queen. Yellow; free-flowering.

Each of the above, pkt. 10 cts., ¼oz. 45 cts., oz. \$1.60

Finest Mixed. A blend of many colors. Pkt. 10 cts., ¼oz. 40 cts., oz. \$1.50.

Asparagus TP

Graceful plants extensively grown for their dainty, emerald-green foliage, which is used in floral designs and bouquets.

Plumosus nanus. The florist's "asparagus fern." Beautiful sprays of fernlike foliage. Pkt. 25 cts., 100 seeds \$1.00

Sprengeri. The best variety for pots or baskets and fine for cutting. Pkt. 15 cts., 100 seeds 50 cts.

Begonia TP

The Begonias are ever popular and not at all difficult to grow in greenhouse or conservatory. The Semperflorens and Erfordia varieties are profuse bloomers and come in many forms and colors. The Gracilis varieties bloom later but make particularly fine pot-plants on account of their bushy growth.

Erfordia. A popular variety with handsome, dark foliage and rosy carmine flowers. Pkt. 35 cts.

Erfordia grandiflora superba. Splendid plants covered with delicate pink flowers. Glossy green foliage. Pkt. 25 cts.

Semperflorens Gromanii. A greatly improved Vernon, with bronze-green foliage and bright red flowers. Always comes true from seed. Pkt. 50 cts.

Semperflorens Vernon. An old favorite for both pots and bedding. Branching habit; dark green foliage, shaded bronzy red; carmine-scarlet flowers. Pkt. 15 cts.

Semperflorens Dwarf Vernon. Forms small, round, compact plants which are literally covered with brilliant red flowers; foliage deep brownish red. Pkt. 25 cts.

Gracilis luminosa. Fiery, dark scarlet flowers; satiny brown foliage; fine for winter flowering. Pkt. 30 cts.

Gracilis Prima Donna. Handsome plants covered with bright rose-pink flowers; shining green foliage. Pkt. 50 cts.

Clarkia HA

A showy and easily grown annual, which makes very pretty pot-plants and is fine for cutting. The varieties we offer are of an improved strain with large, double flowers.

Brilliant. Rich crimson. **Scarlet Queen.** Orange-scarlet. **White Prince.** Pure white.

Each of the above, pkt. 10 cts., ¼oz. 35 cts.

Finest Mixed. Many colors. Pkt. 10 cts., ¼oz. 25 cts.

Calendula (Pot Marigold) HA

Very showy, quick-growing plants of the simplest requirements; easily forced and steadily increasing in popularity as a winter cut-flower.

Lemon Queen. Bright sulphur-yellow flowers, always fully double. Our strain is particularly fine for forcing. Pkt. 10 cts., oz. 40 cts.

Meteor. Primrose-yellow, striped with orange; large, double flowers. Pkt. 5 cts., oz. 25 cts.

Orange King, Beckert's Improved Forcing Strain. A strong grower, producing wonderfully double flowers of deep orange-red color. The finest variety for cutting. Pkt. 15 cts., ¼oz. 50 cts.

Prince of Orange. Large, double yellow flowers, attractively striped with orange-brown, with dark center. Pkt. 5 cts., oz. 25 cts.

Pure Gold. Semi-dwarf; a fine pot plant; flowers golden yellow. Pkt. 10 cts., oz. 35 cts.

Fine Double Mixed. Pkt. 5 cts., oz. 25 cts.

Campanula (Bellflower)

MEDIUM (Canterbury Bells). HB. Large bell-shaped flowers in many shades. They make excellent pot-plants and graceful cut-flowers. (A certain proportion of the seedlings will always vary from color.)

Single Blue

Single Mauve

Single Lavender

Single Rose

Single White

Single Striped

Each of the above, pkt. 10 cts., ¼oz. 35 cts.

Single Mixed. Producing bell-shaped flowers of many colors. Pkt. 5 cts., ¼oz. 30 cts.

Double Mixed. Produces a goodly percentage of true double-flowering plants. Pkt. 10 cts., ¼oz. 50 cts.

CALYCANTHEMA (Cup-and-Saucer). HB. Fine subjects for pot plants; delightful in form and colors.

Blue

Mauve

Lavender

Rose

White

Each, pkt. 10 cts., ¼oz. 60 cts.

Fine Mixed. Pkt. 10 cts., ¼oz. 40 cts.

Please refer to our General Spring Catalogue for a complete list of the flower and vegetable seeds which we can supply

FLOWER SEEDS FOR THE GREENHOUSE, continued

Chrysanthemum

Frutescens grandiflora (Florist's Marguerite; Paris Daisy). GP. White flowers with yellow eye; very lasting and attractive; of easiest culture. Pkt. 10 cts., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 25 cts.

Cineraria TP

Very distinct and ornamental house plants, bearing magnificent heads of velvety flowers, in white, all shades of blue from very pale to dark blue, pink, carmine, and crimson, with bicolors of crimson and white and blue and white.

Hybrida grandiflora. A prize strain; large-flowering and unsurpassed for richness of color. $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet tall. Pkt. 75 cts.

Hybrida grandiflora, Semi-Dwarf. Plants about 1 foot tall; compact in growth and bearing large, superbly colored flowers in profusion. Pkt. 75 cts.

Hybrida grandiflora, Matador. A marvelous, new French variety, bearing large, bright scarlet flowers. Pkt. 75 cts.

Hybrida stellata (Star Cineraria). Star-shaped flowers with narrow petals, in many pleasing colors. Highly decorative. 2 feet high. Pkt. 50 cts.

Maritima, Diamond HP. Grown for its highly ornamental, silvery white foliage. For both pots and bedding. 1 foot. Pkt. 10 cts., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 25 cts.

Giant Cyclamen TP

A very popular pot-plant for winter and spring flowering, blooming in eight to ten months from sowing. Cyclamen is one of the most graceful and dainty cut-flowers. Our strains are the finest in existence.

Giant White with Red Eye. Very large and fine.

Giant Rose. Clear rose-pink; distinct.

Giant Mauve. Delicate mauve, carmine eye.

Mrs. Buckston. Large salmon-colored flowers, beautifully frilled. Pkt. \$1.00.

Phoenix. Cherry-red; superb.

Princess May. Enormous flowers; rose with purple base.

Salmon King. Clear salmon-pink.

St. George. The "Silver Leaved Cyclamen"; pale salmon flowers and beautifully marbled foliage. Pkt. \$1.00.

Sunset. Fine; light salmon-pink.

Victoria. Glorious red flowers of largest size, on unusually strong stems. Pkt. \$1.00.

Vulcan. The deepest red, almost crimson; very free-flowering.

White Swan. Enormous; pure white.

Each of the above (except where otherwise noted), pkt. (25 seeds) 75 cts., 50 seeds \$1.35, 100 seeds \$2.50

Bush Hill Pioneer. A rare type with curiously feathered or crested flowers; exceedingly attractive. Pkt. \$1.00.

Superb Mixed. Including the best of the giant-flowered sorts. Pkt. (25 seeds) 60 cts., 50 seeds \$1.10, 100 seeds \$2.00.

Grevillea

Robusta (Silk Oak). TP. A very handsome pot-plant of upright growth, with graceful, fernlike foliage. Young plants, from 2 to 5 feet high, are much prized as table and window decorations, and are equally useful in protected nooks outdoors. Cultural requirements same as for geraniums. Pkt. 10 cts., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 35 cts.

Impatiens TP

Charming plants for the house or conservatory, requiring no special treatment, growing quickly and blooming continuously.

Holstii Hybrids. A remarkable strain, of great vigor, splendid for pot-culture. Compact plants about 1 foot high and 1 foot in diameter, with glossy green foliage and a profusion of bright flowers. Rose, Carmine, Vermilion, White with Red Center, Lilac, Dark Violet and Crimson, in fine mixture. Pkt. 25 cts.

Sultani. A strong grower, $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 feet tall, bearing continuously brilliant, rosy scarlet blossoms, which contrast in striking manner with the bright green foliage. A rare and beautiful house-plant. Pkt. 35 cts.

Mignonette HA

A general favorite, now extensively grown in greenhouses from seed sown early in the fall. Mignonette prefers a medium light, loamy soil, with only moderate temperature and watering. As it does not transplant well, the seed should be sown in the pots or benches where it is wanted to bloom. The varieties we offer are all of the improved type with large, erect, compact spikes, delightfully fragrant.

Defiance. Long trusses of grayish white florets; one of the best for cutting. Pkt. 10 cts., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 30 cts.

Giant Crimson. Large, uniform spikes of deep red flowers; a splendid forcer. Pot-grown seed. Pkt. 25 cts., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 65 cts.

Giant Machet. An extra-select, giant-flowering strain of the popular Machet variety. Florets gray. Pkt. 15 cts., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 50 cts.

Golden Machet. Massive trusses of golden yellow blossoms. Pkt. 15 cts., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 50 cts.

Giant Mixed. A fine blend. Pkt. 10 cts., $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 30 cts.

Cineraria hybrida grandiflora

Schizanthus (Butterfly Flower) HHA

A plant of rare beauty and elegance; ideal for pots or cutting. Buds will open in water and the sprays last for a week. Plants from September-sown seed bloom in February or March. Make succession plantings, using ordinary soil and giving same treatment as for Cineraria.

Monarch. The finest large-flowering strain in existence, with a wide range of marvelous colors—from almost pure white through delicate shades of pink to bright rose and crimson, exquisite mauve and lavender tints, and many beautifully blotched and penciled with darker shades, including bronze and chocolate. Pkt. 50 cts.

Wisetonensis, Excelsior. Mammoth flowers with attractive markings on a white, rose, or buff ground-color. Fine for greenhouse culture. Pkt. 35 cts.

Hybrida grandiflora. Dainty flowers in a good variety of colors; easy to grow. Pkt. 15 cts.

Giant Winter-Flowering Stocks HHA

The Giant Winter-flowering or Nice Stocks are splendid subjects for greenhouse or pot-culture, producing their large, fragrant blossoms even more abundantly indoors than in the garden. They grow vigorously and rapidly, flowering in three to four months from fall-sown seed. Our strain is carefully selected and 60 to 75 per cent of the plants will bear double flowers.

Abundance. Brilliant carmine-rose.

Almond Blossom. White, shaded carmine.

Beauty of Nice. Shell-pink, extra large.

Queen Alexandra. Clear, rosy lilac.

Summer Night. Deep violet-blue.

Each of the above, pkt. 15 cts., $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 75 cts.

Winter-Flowering SWEET PEAS

The development of the new Early-Flowering Spencer type has brought the Sweet Pea into greater prominence than ever before as a cut-flower for fall and winter forcing.

Blooming indoors in from four to six months from the time the seed is sown, they are easy to grow and produce an abundance of beautifully waved flowers on long, graceful stems. They can now be had in all of the charming colors for which

the Sweet Pea is noted.

Sweet Peas do best in moderate temperature, in a sunny greenhouse where they have plenty of head-room. For winter blooming the seed may be sown any time from the middle of July to the middle of November.

Beckert's Winter-Flowering Spencers

Carefully selected from the many fine varieties in this class introduced within the last few years. The flowers are large and gracefully waved, generally produced in threes and fours on long, stiff stems.

Apricot Orchid. Clear apricot. Entirely distinct and Pkt. Oz.

a most charming color, particularly effective in bunches. The flowers, although not quite as large as some of the other varieties in this class, are well-formed and carried on good stems. . . . \$0 20 \$0 85

Bluebird. A fine mid-blue, similar to the summer-flowering variety Wedgwood, but more of a true blue. The finest variety of its class for early forcing. . . . 20 95

Fire King. One of the most noteworthy of the recent introductions. Immense flowers, dazzling crimson-scarlet in color; the most brilliant of all Sweet Peas. . . 1/2 oz. 70c. . . 25 1 25

Heatherbell. A rich mauve, of large size and exquisite form; vigorous and free-flowering. . . . 15 75

Lavender King. True, deep lavender throughout; a strong grower, producing its large blossoms in threes and fours on long, stiff stems. A good early forcer. . . . 20 85

Lavender-Pink. A unique color; light pink, suffused lavender. Good for late forcing. . . . 15 50

Melody. Soft rose-pink on white ground, flowers large and attractively waved. A favorite with florists. . . . 15 75

Morning Star. Standards bright orange, wings soft orange-pink; free blooming and early. Most attractive. . . . 15 75

Mrs. A. A. Skach. Clear, bright shell-pink. Exquisite in form and color and very popular. . . 1/2 oz. 65 cts. . . 25 1 10

Mrs. Spanolin. A black-seeded bluish-white which we recommend to those who have difficulty in growing the white-seeded varieties. The large flowers are white, faintly tinged with bluish-pink at the base of the petals. . . . 20 95

President Wilson. Deep rose with a purplish suffusion. An odd but attractive variety. . . . 15 50

Red Orchid. Bright crimson, of large size; sturdy and free blooming. . . . 15 60

Rose Queen. The most popular Spencer for cut-flowers. A glorious shade of rose-pink; flowers large, well placed on long stems, and exquisitely waved. . . 1/2 oz. 85 cts. . . 25 1 50

Songbird. Light pink with a buff suffusion, an exceedingly delicate and attractive color. . . . 15 70

Spring Maid. Rich rose-pink on cream; of largest size, beautifully frilled. A strong grower and early bloomer, in great demand. . . . 15 75

Venus. A most attractive bicolor with white standard and bluish-pink wings. . . . 15 50

White Orchid. Immense pure white, of magnificent form and substance. White-seeded and, consequently, requires special attention in starting but will well repay the careful grower. . . . 1/2 oz. 70 cts. . . 25 1 25

Yarrowa. The popular Australian variety. Extra-large flowers of the finest Spencer form on splendid stems; rich rose as the buds open, changing as the flowers develop to creamy rose-pink with an attractive buff suffusion on the standard. . . . 15 75

Beckert's Fine Mixed Early-Flowering Spencer Sweet Peas. A special blend of true Winter-Flowering Sweet Peas, the light shades predominating. . . . 15 50

Winter-Flowering Grandiflora Varieties

These are forcing varieties of the old-fashioned, small-flowered type of Sweet Peas. They are profuse bloomers and the flowers, although not as large as the Spencer type, are remarkably fragrant.

Christmas Meteor. A good scarlet.

Christmas Pink. The earliest pink.

Earliest White. Pure white; extra early.

Extra Early Blanche Ferry. Pink and white.

Florence Denzer. Pure white; large.

Le Marquis. Large, dark blue.

Mrs. C. H. Totty. Rich lavender.

Mrs. Wm. Sim. Salmon-pink; very pretty.

All of the above Grandiflora varieties at the uniform price of 10 cts. per pkt., 25 cts. per oz.

Spencer Sweet Peas

Beckert's Fine Mixed Early-Flowering Spencer Sweet Peas. the light shades predominating.

BULB-BOWLS AND FERN-DISHES

Beautiful pottery in which to grow bulbs and ferns and display cut-flowers enhances the attractiveness of the flowers, and is, at all times, most effective for home decoration. We carry bulb-bowls, window-boxes, fern-dishes, "frogs" for holding cut-flowers, and flower-pots in many different styles and sizes, some in plain colors and some beautifully decorated and embossed, all of practical design and substantial make. Only a few of the most popular styles are illustrated and priced below; a complete assortment will be on display in **Beckert's Seed Store** during the fall and winter months and our customers are cordially invited to come in and inspect them. Incidentally, these flower-bowls and fern-dishes make most attractive and welcome gifts for Christmas and other occasions.

Donatello Ware

Handsome designs in bas-relief; rich green and terra-cotta shades on cream.

Bulb-Bowl. For Narcissi, etc. 6-inch	Each \$1 50
7-inch	1 80
Fern-Dish. (Illustrated above.) 5-inch	1 10
6-inch	1 60

Persian Lily-Bowl. In blue and brown. For growing bulbs in water and pebbles or fiber. No. 9, 8-inch. \$2 20

Landsun Bulb Bowl. Finished in blended colors. Very handsome and serviceable. 8-inch. \$2 50

Please Note that we have found it unsafe to ship pottery and glassware by parcel post, and will, consequently, ship orders only by express, or, if in large quantities, by freight. We take particular pains in packing pottery for express shipment.

Green Fern-Dish. Perco Ware. An attractive and practical style. No. 602. Each \$0 55

Fancy Fern-Dish. Moss-Aztec Ware. In coppery brown and moss-green. No. 405. \$0 75

Dogwood Bulb-Bowl. A new and appropriate design, showing white dogwood blossoms on a green background.
No. 70, 5-inch. \$1 40
No. 70, 6-inch. 1 90

For prices on Standard Flower and Bulb Pots, Fern-Dish Linings, Wood Fiber Vases, etc., see page 28.

Hyacinth Glasses

Expressly designed for growing Hyacinth bulbs in water. (See page 4.) Tinted in various colors.

	Each	3 for
High Style	\$0 40	\$1 15
Low Style	40	1 15

Prepared Fiber

The best medium in which to grow all kinds of bulbs in pots. Prepared by us from ingredients rich in plant food.
4 qts. 40 cts., peck 65 cts., half-bus. \$1.15, bus. \$2.

Small White Pebbles

For growing Paper-White and Chinese Sacred Narcissus bulbs and Dutch Roman Hyacinths in bowls of water. 2 lbs. 10 cts., 5 lbs. 20 cts., 10 lbs. 35 cts.

MUSHROOM SPAWN

If wanted by mail, add postage at your zone rate—
a brick weighs 1½ pounds

Pure-Culture Spawn

This spawn will produce Mushrooms of a specific variety. We have the White, Cream-white, Brown and Light Brown. Each brick weighs from 1¼ to 1½ pounds and will spawn 8 feet square of beds. Positively the most vigorous and best Spawn on the market. Per brick, 35 cts; 5 bricks, \$1.50; 10 bricks, \$2.75; 25 bricks, \$6.50; 50 bricks, \$12.

INSECTICIDES AND FUNGICIDES

Fluids and poisons are not mailable. See schedule of Parcel Post rates on second cover page. All prices on Insecticides and Fungicides subject to change without notice.

Aphine. Destroys aphids, thrip, red spider, etc., in greenhouse and outdoors. ¼ pt. 25c., ½ pt. 40 cts., pt. 65 cts., qt. \$1.00, gal. \$3.00.

Bug Death. A fungicide, insecticide, and plant-food combined. Apply with duster or powder gun. Lb. 25 cts., 3 lbs. 50 cts., 5 lbs. 75 cts., 12½-lb. pkg. \$1.50.

Fungine. Destroys mildew, rust and other fungi. ½ pt. 40 cts., pt. 65 cts., qt. \$1.00, gal. \$3.00.

Grape Dust. For mildew, mold, and rust. 5 lbs. 90 cts., 10 lbs. \$1.75, 25 lbs. \$4.00.

Hellebore. Best grade, powdered. For currant worms, etc. Lb. 70 cts.

Insect Powder, Persian. Non-poisonous. For use in garden and house. Lb. 80 cts.

Kerosene Emulsion, Liquid. For scale, plant-lice, and aphids. Qt. 70 cts., gal. \$1.75, 5 gals. \$7.00.

Lemon Oil. Destroys mealy bug, brown and white scale, thrip, etc. ½ pt. 40 cts., pt. 60 cts., qt. 95 cts., ½ gal. \$1.75, gal. \$3.25.

Lime-Sulphur Solution, Liquid. Can be used as an Insecticide or Fungicide. It is a clear, cherry-colored combination of lime and sulphur in liquid form. Put up in tin packages and oak barrels. Qt. 40 cts., gal. 90 cts., 5 gals. \$3, 10 gals. \$5.50.

Nico-Fume Liquid. For spraying and vaporizing. ¼ lb. (about ¼ pt.) 65 cts., lb. (about 1 pt.) \$2, 4 lbs. (about ½ gal.) \$7.50, 8 lbs. (about 1 gal.) \$14.50.

Nico-Fume. For fumigating. Strips of paper strongly saturated with nicotine. Can, 24 sheets (14 oz.) \$1.25, 144 sheets (2¾ lbs.) \$5.00, 288 sheets \$9.50.

Rat Corn. 25 cts., 50 cts., and \$1.00 cans.

Rose Bug Exterminator, Readeana. Qt. \$1.25, gal. \$4.00.

Scalecide. The oldest and best-known miscible oil on the market, and stands alone as a dormant spray. No other spray contains the same class of expensive materials. Other dormant sprays may do some one thing as well as Scalecide but no other spray, either oil or lime-sulphur, will do all that Scalecide will, while Scalecide does all that any other dormant spray or combination will, and some things never done before by any spray. Qt. 65 cts., gal. \$1.60 5 gals., \$6.80, 50-gal. bbl. \$55.00.

Slug Shot. Destroys potato bugs and other chewing insects. Use with powder gun or bellows. Lb. 20 cts., 5 lbs. 60 cts., 10 lbs. \$1.10, 25 lbs. \$2.50.

Soap, Getz-There. Gal. \$1.50, 5 gals. \$7.00.

Soap, Sulpho-Tobacco. Kills all insect life. 3-oz. pkg. 15 cts., 8-oz. pkg. 35 cts., lb. 60 cts.

Soap, Whale-Oil, or Fish-Oil. Destroys insects on plants, trees, etc. Lb. 25 cts., 5-lb. can \$1.00.

Sulphur. For mildew on plants, etc. Lb. 15 cts., 5 lbs. 50 cts., 25 lbs. \$1.50, 100 lbs. \$5.00.

Tobacco Dust, Fine. Lb. 15c., 5 lbs. 50c., 25 lbs. \$1.85, 100 lbs. \$7.00.

Tobacco Dust, Coarse. Lb. 15 cts., 5 lbs. 50 cts., 25 lbs. \$1.85, 100 lbs. \$7.00.

Tree Tangle-Foot. Protects trees from canker worms, cutworms, etc. Lb. 55 cts., 5 lbs. \$2.25, 10 lbs. \$4.50, 20 lbs. \$8.50.

Vermine. Will destroy white grub, eel, wire worms, etc. ¼ pt. 25 cts., ½ pt. 40 cts., pt. 65 cts., qt. \$1, gal. \$3.

Weed Exterminator, Herbicide. Will kill grass and weeds of any kind. Qt. 65 cts., 2 qts. \$1.00, gal. \$2.00, 2 gals. \$3.25, 5 gals. \$8.00, 10 gals. \$15.00, 50 gals. \$49.50.

X-L-ALL. Kills mealy bugs, red spider, and all insect pests. Pt. \$1.25, qt. \$2.00, ½ gal. \$3.50, gal. \$6.50.

FERTILIZERS

All prices on Fertilizers are subject to change without notice.

Fertilizers are sold for cash only

Acid Phosphate. 100 lbs. \$1.90, 1,000 lbs. \$17.50, 2,000 lbs. \$32.50.

Ashes, Unleached Hardwood. Acts as a stimulant and supplies natural plant food, permanently enriching the soil. Apply in the fall or early in spring, so that the rains may carry the elements down to the roots of the grasses, producing a rapid and rich green growth. Apply 1,500 to 2,000 pounds to the acre. Not sold in less quantity than a barrel. 200 lbs. \$3.75, 1,000 lbs. \$18.00, 2,000 lbs. \$35.00.

Bon Arbor. Contains more soluble plant food than any other fertilizer, and its merits have been widely tested and proved by expert gardeners. 8 ozs. 30 cts., lb. can 50 cts., 5-lb. can \$2.00.

Bone Meal Flour, Pure Raw. Ground as fine as dust; acts quickly and is fine for florists' use. 100 lbs. \$3.35, 1,000 lbs. \$31.50, 2,000 lbs. \$58.50.

Bone Meal, Pure Raw No. 1. Highest grade. Contains nothing but pure, raw animal bone. Vastly superior to steamed bone. Ammonia, 4½ to 5 per cent; phosphoric acid, 20 to 22 per cent; equal to bone phosphate, 46 to 50 per cent. 5 lbs. 25c., 10 lbs. 40c., 50 lbs. \$1.75, 100 lbs. \$3.25, 1,000 lbs. \$30.00, 2,000 lbs. \$56.00.

Bone and Meat, Pure. 100 lbs. \$2.50, 1,000 lbs. \$23.25, 2,000 lbs. \$43.00.

Chrysanthemum Manure, Thompson's Special. This vine, vegetable, and plant manure is adapted for mixing with the soil when potting chrysanthemums and other plants. It is meant to be used as an additional stimulant during the growing season. A heaped dessertspoonful is sufficient for a plant in a 10-inch pot. Sprinkle on surface of soil, then water with tepid water. Apply three times during the growing season. In bags, 7 lbs. \$1.50, 14 lbs. \$2.50, 28 lbs. \$4.50, 56 lbs. \$8.25.

Bowker's Plant Food. For house plants. Pkg. 20 cts., 3 pkgs. 55 cts.

Clay's Fertilizer. The most widely used complete fertilizer imported from England. 7 lbs. \$1.50, 14 lbs. \$2.75, 28 lbs. \$5.00, 56 lbs. \$9.00, 112 lbs. \$16.00.

Cocoa Fiber. Stimulates a strong, fibrous, growth. 10 lbs. 35 cts., 25 lbs. 75 cts., 50 lbs. \$1.25, 100 lbs. \$2.25.

Horn Shavings. A fertilizer specially adapted for roses, chrysanthemums, etc. Fine grade, lb. 20 cts., 5 lbs. 75 cts., 10 lbs. \$1.25.

Humus, Alphano. A great soil improver and renovator. 100 lbs. \$2.00, 500 lbs. \$9.50, 2,000 lbs. \$32.00.

Keystone Fertilizer. This famous brand is made from bone and tankage, treated with acid. The proportion of ammonia, soluble and insoluble phosphoric acid is so arranged that it is both quick and lasting. It is especially adapted for drilling in with wheat, rye, oats, and buckwheat, and will put soil in good condition for grass. It contains no free acid, thus insuring the fertilizer's drilling perfectly. 100 lbs. \$2.60, 1,000 lbs. \$24.00, 2,000 lbs. \$44.00.

Leaf Mold. For mixing with potting soil. 10 lbs. 75 cts., 25 lbs. \$1.50, 50 lbs. \$2.75, 100 lbs. \$5.00.

Moss, Live Sphagnum. For orchids. Sack \$5.00.

Nitrate of Soda. Lb. 15 cts., 10 lbs. \$1.25, 100 lbs. \$8.00.

Peat, Fibrous. For orchids. Sack of 3 bus. \$2.75.

Peat, Jersey. For mixing with potting soil. Sack of 2 bus. \$2.75.

Sheep Manure, Pulverized. 5 lbs. 25 cts., 10 lbs. 40 cts., 50 lbs. \$1.35, 100 lbs. \$2.35, 1,000 lbs. \$22.00, 2,000 lbs. \$40.00.

Shredded Cattle Manure. 100 lbs. \$2.50, 1,000 lbs. \$20.00, 2,000 lbs. \$37.50.

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Fruit-Picker. Capacity 12 small or 6 large apples.
No broken limbs. \$1.75 each.

Glass Cutter

Glass Cutter, No. 1, Turret Head, Tested.
(4 ozs.) 30 cts. each.

Glazetite. A permanent compound for glazing and
repair work on greenhouses and sash. Gal. \$1.85.

Glazing Points, Peerless. Nos. 1, 2, and 2½,
90 cts. per 1,000
(1 lb.).

Grafting Wax,
Trowbridge's.

¼ lb. 15 cts., ½
lb. 25 cts., lb. 45
cts.

Glazing Points

Immortelles. Red, Pink, Blue,
White, Yellow and Purple. Each,
bunch 90 cts., doz. \$9.00.

Lamp, Vaporizing. For vaporizing

Nicotide, etc. Each, 75 cts.

Mastica. An improved putty. Gal. \$2.85.

Mastica Machine. For applying Mastica.
(2 lbs.) each, \$3.00.

Moss, Green Log. 8 lb. bag, \$1.75, 12 lb.
bag, \$2.40.

Sphagnum, Dried. Bale, \$1.50.

Silkalene. For stringing smilax, etc. Lb.

\$3.00, spool 45 cts.

Sprayers, Vaporizing. Tin. Quart size.....\$0 85

Compressed Air. Tin; extra heavy..... 1 15

Compressed Air. Brass; extra heavy..... 2 00

Mastica
Machine

Compressed Air Sprayer

Auto Sprayer No. 1, Knapsack Style. Eight
to ten strokes of plunger rod in air-cham-
ber will compress enough air to discharge
the entire contents of 3 gallons, and make

a continuous spray for nine minutes. Every
Auto Sprayer No. 1 is tested to carry 60
pounds' pressure and should be operated in
even strokes and not in jerks. An excellent
all-round Sprayer. Weight, 18 pounds,
packed.

**Auto-Spray No. 1-A, Brass Tank, with
Stop-Cock.....\$11 50**

**Auto-Spray No. 1-B, Brass Tank, with
Auto-Pop No. 1..... 12 00**

**Auto-Spray No. 1-C, Galvanized Tank,
with Stop-Cock..... 7 50**

**Auto-Spray No. 1-D, Galvanized Tank,
with Auto-Pop No. 1..... 8 00**

Brass 2-ft. Extension, per length..... 70

Galvanized 2-foot Extension, per length 50

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**Solid Brass Strainer for
Auto-Spray No. 1, \$1.50
each.**

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1. Plain or valvular.
(1 lb.) \$1.50 each.

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Rubber Plant
Sprayer

We carry many other sizes and styles of
Sprayers besides the above, also a full line of
Sprayer parts and accessories. For the complete
list see pages 77 and 78 of our General Spring
Catalogue.

Stakes, Bamboo. Green-dyed.

	Doz.	100
2 ft.	\$0 15	\$0 85
2½ ft.	20	1 15
3 ft.	20	1 30
4 ft.	25	1 65

Wooden. Round, tapering; painted green.

	Doz.	100
1½ ft.	40	2 25
2 ft.	65	4 25
2½ ft.	85	6 25
3 ft.	1 10	8 25
3½ ft.	1 40	10 00
4 ft.	1 65	11 25
5 ft.	2 00	15 00

Heavy Dahlia or Rose, Wooden.

	Each	Doz.	100
3 ft.	\$0 15	\$1 80	\$13 00
3½ ft.	20	2 10	14 85
4 ft.	20	2 30	17 00
5 ft.	25	3 00	22 00
6 ft.	35	3 75	27 00

Rose, Galvanized.

	Doz.	100	1,000
2 ft.	\$0 15	\$1 00	\$8 00
2½ ft.	20	1 15	9 75
3 ft.	20	1 30	11 50
3½ ft.	25	1 60	13 50
4 ft.	30	1 75	15 00
5 ft.	35	2 00	18 50

Hyacinth. Painted green. 12-in., 30 cts. per 100 (2 lbs.), \$2.50
per 1,000; 18-in., 35 cts. per 100 (2 lbs.), \$3.00 per 1,000.

No. 5981

Thermometers, Tested, Greenhouse,

	Each
No. 5400. 8-in. Copper Case. Heavy weight..	\$1 85
No. 5400. 8-in. Japanned Case. Heavy weight. 1	65
No. 5430. 10-in. Copper Case. Light weight..	1 50
No. 5420. 10-in. Japanned Case. Light weight. 1	25
No. 5420. 12-in. Japanned Case. Light weight. 1	50
No. 5452. 8-in. Self-registering copper case....	6 15
No. 5452. 8-in. Self-registering Japanned case. 5	75
No. 5981. Hotbed.....	2 35

Tinfoil. For wrapping. Lb. 15 cts.

Tree Pruners, Extension. With 8-ft. pole, \$3.75,
10-ft. pole, \$4.00; 12-ft. pole, \$4.25; 14-ft. pole,
\$4.50; 16-ft. pole, \$4.75.

TREE SCRAPER

Tree-Scraper. Three-edged. (1 lb.) 45 cts. each.

Twine, Yazoo. For stringing smilax. Lb. \$2.25,
ball (2 ozs.) 30 cts.

Green. Lb. (8 balls) \$1.50; ball (3 ozs.) 20 cts.

Wheelbarrows, Garden, No.

2. Body 28 inches long, 20 in-
ches wide in front, 24 inches
wide at back, 2¼-inch tire,
\$7.50 each.

No. 5400

No. 3. Body 26 inches long, 19 in-
ches wide in front, 22 inches wide
at back, 2¼-inch tire, \$7.25 each.

Watering-Cans. Heavy, galvanized iron, with one
coarse and one fine spray.

4-qt. \$3.75, 6-qt. \$4.25,
8-qt. \$4.50, 10-qt. \$4.75.
12-qt. \$5.25. Extra
sprays, 50 cts. each.

Low. For greenhouses.
4-qt. \$2.75 each.

**Light weight, galvan-
ized.** 4-qt. 85 cts., 6-qt.,
\$1.15, 8-qt., \$1.35.

MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES, continued

Flower Pots and Saucers

When shipped direct to the purchaser from factory in quantities of 100 to 500 of a size, we allow 10 per cent discount from these prices.

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Standard Flower Pots.

Inside diameter	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
1 3/4-inch.		\$0 15	\$1 20	\$10 65
2-inch.		15	1 20	10 65
2 1/4-inch.		20	1 35	12 70
2 1/2-inch.		25	1 60	14 50
3-inch.		30	2 10	17 85
3 1/2-inch.		35	2 60	23 50
4-inch.	\$0 05	45	3 25	29 00
4 1/2-inch.	06	60	4 45	39 15
5-inch.	07	80	5 90	52 20
6-inch.	11	1 20	8 85	77 95
7-inch.	18	1 95	14 65	
8-inch.	25	2 85	20 65	
9-inch.	40	4 00	30 75	
10-inch.	55	5 10	38 65	
11-inch.	80	7 25	54 30	
12-inch.	1 10	9 95		
13 1/2-inch.	1 60	16 15		
15-inch.	2 20	23 45		
16-inch.	3 00			
18-inch.	4 45			

Azalea and Bulb Pots.

4-inch x 3-inch.	04	45	3 30	30 00
5-inch x 4-inch.	07	80	5 90	52 00
6-inch x 4 1/2-inch.	11	1 15	8 75	
7-inch x 5-inch.	18	1 95	14 55	
8-inch x 5 1/2-inch.	26	2 80	21 00	
9-inch x 6-inch.	40	4 30	30 00	
10-inch x 6 1/2-inch.	55	5 35	40 55	
11-inch x 7 1/2-inch.	80	7 40	59 50	
12-inch x 8-inch.	1 10	9 85		
13-inch x 8 1/2-inch.	1 60	16 00		
15-inch x 8 1/2-inch.	2 20	23 10		

Low Pans for Ferns and Seedlings.

	Each	Doz.	100
5-inch.	\$0 10	\$0 80	\$5 80
6-inch.	15	1 15	8 70
7-inch.	20	1 95	14 35
8-inch.	25	2 80	20 80
9-inch.	40	4 25	31 65
10-inch.	50	5 15	40 00
11-inch.	70	7 50	59 00
12-inch.	95	10 30	80 85

Fern Dish Linings. 5-inch.

5-inch.	10	1 10	8 00
6-inch.	15	1 30	9 50
7-inch.	20	1 75	12 70
8-inch.	25	2 60	19 00
Orchid Pots. 5-inch.	30	3 15	23 50
6-inch.	40	4 20	31 35
7-inch.	50	5 30	39 25
8-inch.	60	6 35	47 00
9-inch.	80	8 50	63 00
10-inch.	1 15	12 30	91 00

FLOWER POTS AND SAUCERS, continued

Round Seed Pans.

	Each	Doz.	100
9-inch.	\$0 45	\$4 95	\$35 00
12-inch.	75	8 15	58 00

Flower-Pot Saucers.

For 4-inch pots.	03	30	2 40
For 5-inch pots.	04	45	3 20
For 6-inch pots.	06	65	4 80
For 7-inch pots.	08	85	6 35
For 8-inch pots.	11	1 15	8 70
For 9-inch pots.	15	1 60	12 00
For 10-inch pots.	18	1 95	14 40
For 11-inch pots.	22	2 35	17 50
For 12-inch pots.	27	2 90	21 65
For 13 1/2-inch pots.	45	4 80	33 75
For 15-inch pots.	60	5 70	44 75

Paper Flower Pots, Neponset Waterproof.

2 1/4-inch.	10	60	4 85
2 1/2-inch.	10	65	5 60
3-inch.	15	85	7 65
3 1/2-inch.	20	1 20	10 50
4-inch.	25	1 50	12 75
5-inch.	35	2 35	19 90
6-inch.	45	3 00	26 65

Wood Fiber Ware

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Wood Fiber Vases.

No.	Inside diam.	Inside depth	Each	Doz.
No. 0.	8-inch.	13-inch.	\$2 00	\$22 35
No. 1.	5 1/2-inch.	10-inch.	1 70	19 00
No. 2.	4 1/2-inch.	9-inch.	1 60	17 90
No. 3.	4-inch.	6-inch.	1 35	15 30
No. 4.	3-inch.	4 1/2-inch.	1 15	12 80
No. 00.	9-inch.	22-inch.	5 95	67 00
No. 11.	5 1/2-inch.	18-inch.	2 30	25 50
No. 22.	4 1/2-inch.	15-inch.	2 15	24 30
No. 33.	4-inch.	12-inch.	1 85	21 10
No. 44.	3-inch.	9-inch.	1 50	16 60

Wood Fiber Saucers.

	Each	Doz.	Each	Doz.
5-inch.	\$0 40	\$4 45	\$0 70	\$7 65
6-inch.	45	4 80	90	10 65
7-inch.	50	5 30	1 60	18 10
8-inch.	55	5 85	1 90	21 30
9-inch.	60	6 35	2 35	26 60
10-inch.	65	6 90		

Wood Fiber Roller Stands. With hardwood rollers and ball-bearing casters.

	Each	Doz.
12-inch diam. for 10-inch pot.	\$1 15	\$12 80
14-inch diam. for 12-inch pot.	1 45	16 00
18-inch diam. for 16-inch pot.	2 55	28 75
20-inch diam. for 18-inch pot.	2 85	32 00
22-inch diam. for 20-inch pot.	3 15	35 00

HIGHEST-GRADE GRASS AND CLOVER SEEDS

We handle only one grade or brand of seeds—the very best of the crop obtainable

Kentucky Blue Grass (*Poa pratensis*). The well-known, standard pasture grass, thriving everywhere except on sour soils. Our seed is extra fancy, free from chaff. Sow (if alone) 40 pounds to the acre. **Market Price.** Lb. 55 cts., 10 lbs. \$5.00, 100 lbs. \$45.00.

Meadow Fescue (*Festuca pratensis*). One of the most nutritious and durable pasture grasses. Lb. 50 cts., 10 lbs. \$4.75, 100 lbs. \$47.50.

Red Fescue, Chewings (*Festuca rubra*). New Zealand grown. An excellent turf grass, thriving on even the sandiest soils and in dry situations. Lb. 65 cts., 10 lbs. \$6.25, 100 lbs. \$60.00.

Red Top, Fancy (*Agrostis vulgaris*). A valuable all-around grass for hay, pasture, and lawn. One of the few grasses that thrive on damp, sour lands. Lb. 35 cts., 10 lbs. \$3.00, 100 lbs. \$25.00.

English Rye Grass (*Lolium perenne*). A quick-growing pasture grass for all but very dry localities. Sow (if alone) 50 to 60 pounds to the acre. Lb. 20 cts., 10 lbs. \$1.80, 100 lbs. \$15.00.

English Rye Grass, Pacey's Strain. Shorter-stemmed and said to be more hardy than the ordinary English Rye. Lb. 25 cts., 10 lbs. \$2.00, 100 lbs. \$17.00.

Italian Rye Grass (*Lolium italicum*). A quick-growing annual grass, useful in pasture mixtures to assist the other grasses during the first year. Lb. 20 cts., 10 lbs. \$1.80, 100 lbs. \$15.00.

Timothy (*Pbleum pratense*). The great hay grass. Often sown with Red Clover at the rate of 8 to 10 pounds of Timothy and 3 to 4 pounds of clover per acre. Bushel weighs 45 lbs. **Market Price.**

Red Medium Clover (*Trifolium pratense*). The most widely used of the clovers. It makes two good crops of hay a year and, at the same time, enriches the soil with nitrogen. Sow (if alone) at the rate of 10 to 15 pounds to the acre. **Market Price.**

Smooth Red Clover (*Trifolium pratense perenne*). Also known as Pea Vine Clover. Grows larger and is claimed to be hardier than the Red Medium. **Market Price.**

Alsike or Swedish Clover (*Trifolium hybridum*). For hay or pasture. Hardy and thrives on damp land. Sow 10 to 15 pounds per acre. **Market Price.**

Alfalfa, or Lucerne (*Medicago sativa*). The most valuable hay and forage crop, and unequalled as a soil enricher. Will last for years on well-drained land. Broadcast at the rate of 25 to 35 pounds per acre. Highest grade, northwestern grown. **Market Price.**

White Dutch Clover (*Trifolium repens*). The best variety for lawns. It forms a low, dense turf and smothers out weeds. Sow 8 pounds to the acre alone, or 4 pounds when used with other grasses. Lb. 75 cts., 10 lbs. \$7.00.

Your Lawn—Some Practical Advice

The two best times to start a lawn or pasture are early spring and early autumn—the seasons of abundant moisture, warm days, and cool nights. Spring sowings should be made as soon as the ground can be prepared to receive the seed, while fall sowings should be made during September.

Good Soil and Proper Drainage are absolutely necessary to produce a fine lawn. For best results, there should be no less than a foot of good surface soil—preferably a heavy loam. Where it is necessary to grade the surface, all subsoil should be removed and replaced with good earth. Unless the soil is sufficiently rich, apply a liberal quantity of well-rotted manure and dig or plow it in, to thoroughly incorporate it with the soil. A heavy application of manure is particularly advisable on light or sandy soils where, otherwise, the grass is liable to burn out in hot, dry weather.

Prepare the Seed-Bed Thoroughly. Rake or harrow the surface fine and even. After sowing the seed, rake again lightly and firm the soil with a lawn roller. Do not attempt to dig, rake, or roll a lawn when the ground is wet. **On Banks and Terraces,** where the seed is liable to be washed off by rains before it has sprouted, a quick catch can be secured by mixing the seed with moist earth about one week before sowing; then, at the expiration of that time, when the seed (with the earth) is sown, much of it is ready to sprout.

The First Cutting should not be made until the young grass is 3 to 4 inches high and even then it should not be cut too short as close cropping is injurious to a new lawn. Mow the lawn, thereafter, at intervals of about ten days and rake off the clippings. Grass sown during September will, under favorable conditions, grow sufficiently to necessitate one cutting before frost, in which case the clippings should be left on the lawn to serve as a mulch.

Frequent Rollings are beneficial after a lawn is once well established, especially in early spring after the winter frosts have drawn up the roots of the grass.

Sow Good Seed. There are many grades of lawn seed sold. Needless to say, it pays to use nothing but the best obtainable. No one kind of grass will make a good lawn. The changeable moods of our climate, the widely varying conditions of soil and moisture-supply require a combination of many different grasses adapted to many different conditions. The subject of lawns has been a long and thorough study with us. **Beckert's Lawn Grass Mixtures** are carefully composed of the finest domestic and imported turf grasses, free from chaff and weed seeds, and strong in vitality. You can depend on them to produce lasting lawns of the finest texture and most attractive appearance.

Beckert's Evergreen Lawn Seed

We offer in our Evergreen Mixture a well-balanced blend of the finest and most enduring grasses we know—the result of years of study and trial. It is our masterpiece. Tested and proved, we can recommend it with the highest confidence for permanent and satisfactory results under even the most trying conditions. Its ingredients are the highest grade of re-cleaned seeds only. This lawn seed is sold by the bushel (24 pounds). Use one quart to 300 square feet, or 1 bushel to the acre. **Qt. 35 cts., 2 qts. 65 cts., 3 qts. 90 cts., 4 qts. \$1.15, peck (6 lbs.) \$2.00, half-bushel (12 lbs.) \$3.00, bushel (24 lbs.) \$7.50.** (Parcel post prepaid in the United States within a radius of 125 miles from Pittsburgh.)

Shady-Nook Lawn Mixture

A mixture of grasses particularly adapted for sowing in shady places where the ordinary lawn grasses do not thrive. It will produce a bright, green lawn under trees and in the shade of buildings and everywhere where bare, unsightly spots so often appear. **Qt. 40 cts., 2 qts. 75 cts., 3 qts. \$1.00, 4 qts. \$1.25, peck (5 lbs.) \$2.25, half-bushel (10 lbs.) \$4.00, bushel (20 lbs.) \$8.00.**

Putting-Green Mixture

The finest, hardy, low-growing grasses are contained in this mixture, which will produce a close and lasting putting-green turf. **Lb. 60 cts., 5 lbs. \$2.75, 25 lbs. \$12.00, 100 lbs. \$45.00, postage extra.**

Fair-Green Mixture

The best selection of grasses for an even, tough, permanent turf. Gives general satisfaction but, where a lot of seeding is to be done, we prefer to supply a special formula, according to the particular requirements of the soil. **Lb. 40c., 5 lbs. \$1.75, 25 lbs. \$7.75, 100 lbs. \$30.00, postage extra.**

Anyweight Lawn-Roller

Built with hollow steel drum with the feature of a rounded edge, a construction which overcomes any marking or turf-cutting. Entrance for the water or sand for weighting is provided by a $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch opening of threaded bronze. This bronze opening eliminates the bad feature of rusting of the threads which is so common in some other makes. We have added to our list No. 1420, a Roller which is found to be popular with the owners of small city lawns.

No. 1420. 14 $\frac{1}{4}$ -in. diam., 20-in. width; each 46 lbs. weight empty, 148 lbs. weight filled with water.	\$15 50
No. 1824. 18 $\frac{1}{4}$ -in. diam., 23 $\frac{1}{4}$ -in. width; each 76 lbs. weight empty, 274 lbs. weight filled with water.	18 75
No. 2424. 23 $\frac{1}{4}$ -in. diam., 23 $\frac{1}{4}$ -in. width; each 94 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. weight empty, 318 lbs. weight filled with water.	23 00

The Pennsylvania Lawn-Sweeper

This Lawn-Sweeper will do the work of three men and will do it thoroughly.

24-inch rake.....	\$35 00
36-inch rake.....	48 50

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Complete, \$35.00

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