Historic, Archive Document

Do not assume content reflects current scientific knowledge, policies, or practices.

62.73

RECEIVED
★ JAN 12 1931 ★

CLARK'S

Hardy Perennial Plants

(Pages 1 to 11)

Lilies

(Page 6)

Gladiolus

(Pages 12 to 15)

Irises

(Pages 15 to 20)

Oriental Poppies

(Page 9)

Tulips

(Pages 21 and 22)

1930 - 1931

Most folks like to see the fellow with
whom they deal and this is my only
excuse for printing this picture

CHAS. F. CLARK

205 South Seventeenth Street

CAMP HILL, PA.

OLD FASHIONED NAMES

and the Botanical Names of Flowers are
given below

Old Fashioned Name	Botanical Name
(Aster)	Erigeron
(Baby's Breath)	Gypsophila
(Beard Tongue)	Pentstemon
(Blanket Flower)	Gillardia
(Bell Flower)	Campanula
(Bleeding Heart)	Dicentra
(Blue Bells)	Mertensia
(Canterbury Bells)	Campanula
(Columbine)	Aquilegia
(Coral Bells)	Heuchera
(Corn Flower)	Centaurea
(Corn Flower Aster)	Stokesia
(Day Lily)	Hemerocallis
(Globe Flower)	Trollius
(Greek Mallow)	Sidalcea
(False Chamomile)	Boltonia
(Flax)	Linum
(Flame Flower)	Tritoma
(Forget-me-not)	Myosotis
(Fox Glove)	Digitalis
(Hardy Ageratum)	Eupatorium
(Hardy Pinks)	Dianthus
(Kansas Gay Feather)	Liatris
(Knapweed)	Centaurea
(Larkspur)	Delphinium
(Lily of the Valley)	Convallaria
(Mist Flower)	Eupatorium
(Monks Hood)	Aconitum
(Painted Daisies)	Pyrethrum
(Papaver)	Oriental Poppies
(Pin-Cushion Flower)	Scabiosa
(Pinks)	Dianthus
(Purple Cone Flower)	Rudbeckia
(Red Hot Poker)	Tritoma
(Sage Brush)	Artemisia
(Sea Pink)	Armeria
(Sea Thrift)	Armeria
(Snake Root)	Cimicifugia
(Stokes Aster)	Stokesia
(Stone Crop)	Sedum
(Sweet Lavender)	Lavendula Vera
(Sweet Rocket)	Hesperis
(Sweet William)	Dianthus
(Tick Seed)	Coreopsis
(Wind Flower)	Anemone Japonica
(Yarrow)	Achillea

CLARK'S HARDY PERENNIAL PLANTS AND NOVELTIES

For Fall and Spring Planting

WHAT? Twenty-five cents for a little plant like that?" asked the good woman in an indignant tone of voice. "Yes, m'am," I replied: "I worked all last summer to grow that little plant."

To explain, I'm an amateur gardener, one who grows and propagates things, to put joy and color in your garden and give you health and happiness.

It requires a lot of time and effort to produce these things of beauty. I must have something for my effort, so I can buy the new things for you that you in turn may enjoy them in your garden.

PERENNIALS

By the term **Perennial** is meant such plants as may be allowed to remain permanently in the open ground, whose foliage dies down to or near the ground each autumn and spring forth again with renewed vigor the following spring.

BIENNIALS

The term **Biennial** belongs to such plants for instance as the **DIGITALIS** (Fox Glove), which produce roots and leaves the first year from seed and flowers the second year. All plants listed herein are Perennials with few exceptions and these exceptions are specified as Biennials.

During the past year many new and rare varieties of plants have been added to my garden. I have also imported from England seeds of **Delphinium**, **Aquilegia**, **Violas**, **Pansies**, etc., in an effort to add strains that are not common in this country.

FALL VS. SPRING PLANTING

Fall planting is advantageous from a point of economy as small plants can be used which will become firmly established over the late fall and winter and be ready for an abundant display of their glorious blooms the following spring and summer. All late fall planted plants should be protected with a light covering of straw, leaves or brush, after the ground becomes well frozen in order that alternate freezing and thawing will not cause them to heave out of the ground. Be sure not to mulch until the ground is frozen to a depth of three or four inches.

For immediate effect plants can be moved in the spring, even many that are in bloom, providing a ball of earth is taken up with each plant. This requires much additional time in taking up the plants as well as wrapping each one separately, so as to retain the earth on the roots, besides the plants are older and larger, so naturally they cost more. Such plants are usually selected by the patron as to type of flower, color, size, etc., which also requires much more time than if plants were purchased without regard to their color, etc. I simply mention this so that patrons may understand why individual selected plants, especially while in bloom, cost more than plants purchased "as is."

PLANTING AND CARE

Very little care is needed with perennials, but they will readily respond to light cultivation and should be kept free of weeds. A fairly good soil should be selected to begin with and enriched from time to time.

Plants with tap roots, such as Lupine, Oriental Poppies or gross feeders, such as Peonies, Delphinium, etc., will do much better if a deep hole or trench is prepared, say to a depth of two and one-half to three feet and the bottom of the hole filled with manure, sod or even old rubbish. I would rather have one Poppy or one Peony planted properly than a half dozen planted or just stuck in the ground and left to grow, and such a plant "well planted" will give you nearly as many, if not as many blooms as several planted in the ordinary way and the blooms will be far superior.

QUALITY PLANTS

It is my aim to furnish quality plants at fair prices. My main reimbursement and the thing that impels me to go on, is the thought and satisfaction I get of pleasing others.

My plants are all field grown, mostly two and three years old and are not small pot grown plants, as is ordinarily furnished by many nurseries, so do not compare my prices with the cheaper, smaller plants listed by some firms.

I do my best to furnish strong healthy plants. If you are not satisfied, please tell me so that I may have an opportunity to make satisfactory adjustment.

All plants are guaranteed strong and healthy at time of delivery. Should they prove otherwise, they will be replaced. No further guarantee can be given.

This list of Hardy Plants contains a great many of the old reliable varieties of perennials as well as many of the newer novelties. I have, insofar as possible, given the height of the plants, color and blooming periods, so that by a close study and careful selection, one can have a continuous bloom of flowers from the Iris and Pyrethrums in May to the Anemone and Scabiosa in the late fall.

HARDY HERBACEOUS PERENNIAL PLANTS

For Fall and Spring Planting

ARTEMISIA—Silver King

ACHILLEA Millefolium Roseum (Yarrow). Finely cut rich green leaves, pink flowers in compact heads. Good for cutting. 2 ft. June-Sept. Small plants 10c. Large 25c.

*—**Perrys White**. Pure white flowers over one inch across, broad overlapping petals.. Nothing better for cutting. 2-foot. June to September. Plants 25c and 35c.

ACONITUM Fischeri (Monkshood). One of the choicest of aconitums, producing strong spikes of large blue flowers. 2 to 3 ft. Sept.-Oct.

*—**Sparks Variety**. A tall variety, with branching spikes of blue flowers. Has a long flowering period. 5 to 6 ft. July-Aug. Both varieties good for cutting. Plants 15c, 25c, and 35c.

ANEMONE (Windflower) **Japonica Alba**. Pure white. Alice, white; Hupeheusis, pale mauve; Queen Charlotte, semi-double pink; Rosace, new large milky white. 1 to 2 ft. Sept.-Oct. Plants 25c. and 35c.

AQUILEGIA (Columbine). Mrs. Scott Elliotts strain of long spurred varieties. Many new and beautiful shades. One of the finest and showiest of border plants, also good for cut flowers. 2 to 3 ft. May-June.

*—**Caerulea** (Rocky Mountain Columbine). Large blue and white flowers. Long spurred. 1½ ft. Plants 10c, 25c, 35c and 50c. according to size and type.

ARMERIA (Cephalotes) **Rubra**. A strong-growing variety with crimson red flowers. 12 inches. June-July. Plants 30c. and 50c.

ARTEMISIA lactiflora. An almost black-green foliage with pinicles of sweetly scented, creamy white flowers. Excellent for cutting. 3 to 4 ft. Aug.-Sept. Small plants 15c, large 25c. and 35c.

*—**Silver King**. Very scarce. A very beautiful silvery leaved perennial plant. Grows 3 to 4 ft. high and proportionately as wide, making a beautiful uniform silvery plant. Small established divisions 25c, large plant 50c (See cut).

BOLTONIA asteroides. Pure white, aster-like flowers, in great profusion. 6 to 7 ft. Aug.-Oct.

*—**Latisquama.** Similar to above, with pinkish lavender flowers. 4 to 5 ft. Aug.-Sept. Plants 10c, 15c, and 25c.

CAMPANULA (Bell Flower) **persicifolia.** These combine a large range of habit and color and are perfectly hardy. One of the best border plants. 2 to 3 ft. July-Aug. Plants 15c. and 25c.

CAMPANULA (Canterbury Bells). This is a biennial. Cup and saucer variety. Mixed colors. July-Aug. Plants 10c. and 25c.

CARNATIONS. (Hardy Border Carnations). Each plant will produce from 10 to 15 flower stems, bearing 6 to 8 flowers on each stem. The stems are 1½-feet long, like green house varieties. Mixed colors in shades of red, pink, white and yellow. Each, 40c.

CENTAUREA Montana (Perennial Corn Flower). Large, very showy, rich blue flowers. 2 ft. June-Sept. Plants 10c. 25c.

CIMICIFUGA (Snakeroot)

*—**Racemosa.** Tall hardy and ornamental; suited for the back of borders or for partially shaded places; white racemes of flowers. 4 to 5 feet. June, July. 35c each.

*—**Simplex.** Most valuable by reason of its extreme late flowering, beginning in September and attaining full perfection about the middle of October, a time when flowers are scarce. Its flowering stems are from 2½ to 3 feet high, terminated with a dense spike of white flowers, which, when cut, last in perfection a long time. \$1.00 each.

CONVALLARIA Majalis (Lilly of the Valley). Pure white flowers. 8 to 10 inches. May-June. Single crowns 10c each. \$1.00 per doz. Strong clumps 50c each.

COREOPSIS lanceolata grandiflora. Golden yellow flowers from June to Oct. 2 ft. Small plants 10c. Large, 25c and 35c.

DAISIES (E and J). This variety is always in bloom for Memorial Day and the cut flowers will last for 10 days or two weeks. A profuse bloomer. 2 ft. May-June. Plants 10c, 25c, and 35c.

*—**Burbank Giant.** This is a late blooming variety with large flowers. 12 to 18 inches. Plants 10c, 15c, and 25c.

*—**U. S. Giant.** This is taller and larger than the Burbank, being an improvement over that variety. 2 ft. Aug.-Sept. Plants 15c and 25c.

DELPHINIUM HYBRIDS

DELPHINIUM Wrexham, Hollyhock, Burns and Glory strains. These remarkable new Hybrids originated by Mr. Watkin Samuels, Wrexham, England, now furnish us with something new and much to be desired. The spikes are tall, with large single and double flowers of all shades of blue, lavender, mauve, cream and white. The range and type of flowers are unlimited. 4 to 6 ft. Two to three blooming periods per year depending upon soil, moisture and attention. Small plants 10c and 15c. Field grown clumps ranging in price from 25c to \$2.00, according to size, type and variety.

DIANTHUS (Hardy Pinks). Everblooming Sweet William. Brilliant fiery crimson flowers. 12 inches. Blooming all summer. Plants 10c and 25c.

*—**Annie Laurie**. A large flower of orchid color with wine-red ring in center. Very free flowering. Being sweet scented and perfectly hardy makes this variety a great addition.

*—**Grenadin**. Bright scarlet, on stems 1½ ft. long. Plants 35c each.

*—**Hedwegii**. A new variety of remarkably large single flowers of many and varied colors. 12 inches. Plants 35c each.

*—**Speciosus**. A free flowering lavender-pink variety. Flowers finely cut with lacy effect. wonderfully sweet scented. The hotter and dryer the spot, the more they are at home. Each, 35c.

DICENTRA spectabilis (Bleeding Heart). This old fashioned flower very nearly became extinct, but is coming back into its own again. One of the finest of border plants with heart-shaped drooping racemes of rose-crimson flowers. 1½ ft. April-June. Plants 25c, 35c and 50c each.

*—**Formosa**. A dwarf growing species, with finely cut ornamental foliage, growing about 15 inches high and producing its showy pink flowers from April to October. Plants 25c and 35c.

DIGITALIS ambigua. Large showy flowers of pale yellow, veined brown. 3 ft.

*—**Lanata**. A distinct species, producing huge spikes. 2 to 3 ft. high of odd looking flowers, the corolla being gray, the lip creamy-white. The above varieties are absolutely hardy perennials. Plants 15c, 25c and 35c.

*—**Giant Shirley** (Lutzi Hybrids). This is a new variety of distinct salmon shades. 6 to 7 ft. The flower heads are over 3 ft. long, covered with large bell shaped blossoms, attractively dotted. June-July. This is a biennial. Plants 10c, 15c and 25c.

ERIGERON, elatior antwerpia. Very large flowers of pale lilac color. Excellent for cutting. 2 to 3 ft. June-July. Plants 25c and 35c.

EUPATORIUM coelestinum (Mist Flower). A good hardy plant with light blue flowers, similar to Ageratum. 2 ft. Aug.-Oct. Plants 10c and 25c.

GAURA LINDHEIMER. Extremely useful perennial, producing long graceful sprays of white flowers. Good for cutting. July-Sept. 2 ft. Plants 25c and 35c.

GEUM. (Mrs. Bradshaw). Double scarlet crimson flowers blooming from early summer 'till late autumn. Prized for cutting. 18 inches.

*—**Lady Stratheden**. Fine rich golden yellow flowers. 18 inches. Like Mrs. Bradshaw, except color. Plants 25c and 35c.

GILLARDIA aristata (Blanket Flower). Yellow and orange-red. The brilliancy of these flowers is unsurpassed. Is a valuable cut flower. May-November. 1½ to 2 ft.

*—**Portola**. New. This variety is one of the most valuable perennial plants introduced of late. Brilliant coppery scarlet. Plants 10c, 25c and 35c.

GYPSOPHILA Paniculata (Baby's Breath). Masses of minute pure white flowers for cutting, especially in combination with other flowers. 2 to 3 ft. June-July. Good for cutting.

*—**Repens Rosea**. Prostrate growing variety with clouds of soft rose color red flowers. Plants 15c, 25c and 50c.

HEMEROCALLIS kwanso. (Yellow Day Lily). This is a large double flowered variety of the day lily with rich golden bronze flowers. Blooms over a long period and is very striking. Divisions, 25c. Strong 2-year plants, 50c.

*—**Flava** (Lemon Lily). Sweet scented, clear full yellow; 2½ feet. Flowers in June. Strong 2-year plants, 50c.

HESPERIS Matronalis (Sweet Rocket). Sweet scented white and pink flowers. 2 ft. May-June. Plants 10c and 15c.

HEUCHERA (Coral Bells).

*—**Perry's White**. Pure white flowers which go well with the red and pink varieties, flowering from June to September.

*—**Sanguinea**. 12 to 18 inches. June to September. Flowers bright crimson; very free-flowering. Nice for cutting. Excellent for rock garden.

*—**Rosamundi**. The most desirable of the coral-pink sorts. Strong grower and produces an abundance of fine coral pink blossoms on tall strong stems which last over two months. Plants 25c and 40c.

IRIS—(See list of Iris elsewhere in this catalogue).

LAVANDULA vera (Sweet Lavender). Fragrant blue flowers. 18 inches. July-August. Plants 25c and 35c.

LIATRIS pycnostachya (Kansas Gay Feather). One of the choicest and boldest species. Flowers purple in dense spikes, which bloom a long time. Succeeds anywhere. July-Sept. 4 to 5 ft. Small plants 25c. Larger plants at prices according to size.

LILIES

LILIES auratum. (Gold banded lily of Japan) Large white fragrant flowers with yellow band and spotted crimson. July-Sept. 35c. each, \$3.50 doz.

*—**Candidum** (Madonna Lily). Pure glistening white flowers on strong stiff stems. 35c. each, \$3.50 doz.

*—**Hansonii**. Reddish orange, eight to twelve in a cluster, petals thick and lasting. 75c each.

*—**Regale**. Deliciously fragrant flowers with pure white petals passing to bright canary-yellow at the center. 50c and 75c each. \$5.00 and \$7.50 per doz., according to size. 3 to 5 ft. July.

LILIES—Continued

- *—**Speciosum rubrum.** Fragrant deep red flowers with green stripe at base, antlers red. 2 to 5 ft. Aug.-Sept. 35c each, \$3.50 doz.

LINUM perenne (Flax). A lovely plant with blue flowers for the border or rockery. Blooms all summer. May-Aug. 1½ ft. Plants 25c and 35c.

LUPINUS (Lupine). The Lupines are well known garden plants, very showy and beautiful with spikes of pea-shaped flowers in various colors. They do well in semi-shade. 2½ to 3 ft. June-Aug. Mixed plants, small 15c. Medium, 25c. Large, 50c. Plants selected as to colors and varieties. 15c to 75c each.

LYCHNIS. One of the most brilliant of border plants. Colors ranging in scarlet and brilliant orange-scarlet shades mostly. 1 to 2 ft. June-July. Plants 10c, 15c and 25c.

MERTENSIA virginica (Blue Bells). An early spring flowering plant, growing about 12 to 18 inches high, with drooping pinicles of handsome light blue flowers. One of the most interesting of our native spring flowers. May-June. Plants 25c and 35c.

MULLEN PINK. (A biennial). Bright vermillion red flowers blooming over a long period. Foliage of beautiful silvery-mullen like color, making a beautiful contrast of color. Splendid for cut flowers.

- *—**Alba.** This is same as above except flowers are of pure white. 2 to 2½ ft. July-Sept. Plants 15c to 35c.

MYOSOTIS (Forget-me-not). Nearly everyone is familiar with the Forget-me-not which makes such beautiful pictures in the garden in early Spring. They are alike charming in the border, rock garden, or by the waterside. They all like shade and a fair amount of moisture; use them freely as a ground cover for your Tulip or other bulb beds.

- *—**Palustris semperflorens.** Large, rich blue flowers with yellow eye; a charming plant for damp places and a more profuse bloomer than the alpestris. 15c and 25c each.

PANSIES ullswater. This is Suttons new blue pansy. A solid blue with blue-black center. Very unusual. Each 25c.

- *—**Perfection.** Suttons strain of improved pansies. Each 15c. \$1.25 doz.

PENTSTEMON (Beard Tongue). Most useful and showy perennials. Some varieties are not hardy. Those below are perfectly so. June and July. 3 feet.

- *—**Barbatus, Pink Beauty.** Spike is 30 inches, not as "stringy" as Torreyi, and flowers plentiful on the spike. Color is bright, clean shell-pink. Perfectly hardy in any soil or climate, and is a beautiful cut flower; one of the outstanding new plants, makes a delightful companion with gypsophila. Plants 35c and 50c.

PEONIES

PEONIES Festiva maxima. The most popular and best early white for show and cutting. 50c each.

- *—**Felix Crousse** (Mid-season). Color, clear brilliant red. One of the "Four Veterans" that has stood the test of time. 50c each.
- *—**Jubilee.** A wonderful white Peony of largest size, often measuring 8 to 9 inches in diameter. Flat, very full, rose type with long lacy petals. \$2.00 each.
- *—**Martha Bullock.** One of the few Peonies in which we find fine quality and texture, together with large size. Often measures 9 to 12 inches and is of cupped rose type. Color is silvery shell-pink at edges, shading to deep rose-pink in center. \$5.00 each.
- *—**Mons Jules Elie.** Largest and most striking of the pink Peonies. Color is clear, pale lilac-rose with a silvery sheen. Pleasingly fragrant. Early. 75c each.
- *—**Therese.** One of the three greatest Peonies. Color is a uniform, light violet-rose, shading to lilac-white at the center. Therese, with its wealth of immense flowers so imposing and yet so delicate in texture and coloring is a sight to behold. Delicately fragrant. \$3.00 each.
- *—**Walter Faxon.** Color a soft coral-pink and stands out as the one real pink when on exhibition. Midseason, globular in form, with a cupped center. Medium sized flower. \$2.50 each.
- *—**Unknown and mixed varieties.** Pink, red and white. 35c each.

PAPAYER (See Oriental Poppies).

HARDY PHLOX

PHLOX decussata—

- *—**Beacon.** Brilliant cherry-red, 36 inches high with large flower heads on stiff stems. One of the best, both in color and variety. Divisions, 25c. Strong 2-year plants, 40c.
- *—**B. Comte.** Rich crimson amaranth. Each 35c.
- *—**Carmine Beauty.** Rich carmine. Each 25c.
- *—**Feuerbrand.** Bright red with deeper center. Large trusses, strong robust habit. Each 40c.
- *—**Frau Richard Gross.** Pure white with blood-red eye. Each 35c.
- *—**Geo. A. Strohlein.** Large heads of flowers of great size. Brilliant orange-scarlet with deeper eye. Each 25c.
- *—**Miss Lingard.** White, faint lilac eye. The very earliest. Each 25c.
- *—**Rosenberg.** Rich violet, with blood red eye. Very showy. A grand variety. Each 40c.
- *—**Salmon Beauty.** A lovely salmon colored variety of good size. Each 25c.
- *—**Wanadis.** Light violet-splashed white with purple eye. Each 30c.
- *—**Unnamed varieties in all colors.** Each 20c.
(Above prices are for one year well established plants. Small divisions at one-half above prices).

PHYSALIS FRANCHETTI. (Chinese Lantern Plant). Blooming in early summer, the fruit assumes its orange color in autumn. 2 ft. April-May. Plants 10c and 20c each.

PLUMBAGO larpentae (Blue Leadwort). One of the finest dwarf, spreading plants for the rockery and for the border with deep blue flowers. 6 to 12 inches. Aug.-Sept. Plants 15c and 25c.

ORIENTAL POPPIES

POPPIES, ORIENTAL (Papaver). The perennial poppies rank among the most popular flowers in cultivation. Their large gorgeous flowers are a sight to behold in the early spring.

- *—**Brightness.** Bright orange-scarlet flowers. Base is free of markings. 35c and 50c.
- *—**Cerese Queen.** A beautiful cerese color. 75c and \$1.00.
- *—**Edna Perry.** Very pale or light pink. 35c and 50c.
- *—**Enfield Beauty.** Beautiful salmon with rich dark maroon base. Late flowering. 50c. and 75c.
- *—**Esther A. Clark.** My own origination and named in honor of Mrs. Clark. A mammoth salmon-pink with dark maroon base. Specimen blooms 9 to 11 inches. \$1.50 each.
- *—**Jeanie Mawson.** A beautiful salmon-rose. Profuse bloomer with large well shaped flowers. 50c and 75c each.
- *—**Lulu A. Neeley.** Classed as the Worlds best oriental poppy. It is the most perfect red yet found in an oriental poppy. Stems are tall and perfect and the flowers immense. It is red, not a brick red nor a scarlet. One year roots 75c. Strong two year roots \$1.25 each.
- *—**Mrs. Perry.** Beautiful orange-apricot. 50c and 75c each.
- *—**Olympia.** Is of strong, vigorous habit, of compact growth, not exceeding 2½ feet in height, and produces its flowers more profusely than any other variety. These flowers, when fully developed are about 4 inches in diameter; when first opening full double, but show a slight center with a bunch of stamens as they mature. In color it is a brilliant rich flame scarlet overlaid with glistening golden salmon. September delivery. 50c each.
- *—**Oriflamme.** Orange-scarlet-red flowers of immense size with larger black blotches at base. 35c and 50c each.
- *—**Perrys White.** Purest satiny white, boldly marked with dark maroon blotch inside. 50c and 75c each.
- *—**Princess Victoria Louise.** Soft Salmon-rose shading to bluish rose. 50c and 75c each.
- *—**Wurtembergia.** A still larger dark red variety than Lula A. Neeley. Without a doubt this will always be a favorite because of its size, dignity and color. Roots 75c and \$1.25.
- *—**Mrs. Frederick C. Moore.** A beautiful bright salmon-pink. Always attracts attention in my gardens. 75c and \$1.00.

POPPIES—Continued

Two prices are given on all Poppy roots. The lower price being for one year roots, and the higher price for strong two year roots. Small potted plants can be furnished in early spring, of some varieties. All root orders taken for August and September delivery.

PYRETHRUM. (Painted Daisies, or spring-flowering Chrysanthemums). The Pyrethrum are becoming extremely popular and the Hybrid varieties run into the hundreds. They are valuable as cut flowers, always out for Memorial Day, in this locality. They come in all colors, white, pink, rose and bright red and in single, double and crested forms. 2½ ft. May-June. Small plants 15c, larger, 25c, 35c and 50c.

RUDBECKIA Purpurea. (Purple Cone Flower). Fine purple-red petals; cone shaped center. 3 to 4 ft. July-Oct. Plants 15c to 25c.

*—**Newmanii.** Dark orange yellow flowers. Dark brown cone. Fine for cutting. 2 ft. June-Oct. Plants 15c and 25c.

SCABIOSA Caucasica. (Pin-Cushion Flower). Handsome hardy plant with beautiful, soft lilac flowers. 2 ft. June-August.

*—**Caucasica alba** (White Bonnet). The white form of the preceding.

*—**Japonica.** A variety from Japan with clear blue flowers. 1 to 1½ inches in diameter. They, with the Violas were the last flowers to bloom in my garden in the fall. They even withstood heavy frosts. 2 to 3 ft. June-October. Plants 25c and 35c.

*—**Pennsylvanica** (*Cephalaria tatarica*). Large golden yellow flowers, similar to the true Scabiosa in form. 5 feet.

SEDUM obtusatum. (For rock garden). Golden yellow flowers with emerald-green foliage, shaded bronze. 3 inches. Each, 25c.

*—**Siebold.** Round, succulent, glaucous foliage, bright pink flowers. August-September. 9 inches. Each, 25c.

*—**Spectabile.** Tall growing variety. 18 inches. Broad light green foliage and immense heads of handsome showy rose colored flowers. Indispensable as a late fall blooming plant. Each, 25c.

SIDALCEA Rose Queen. Beautiful rose-pink flowers on long pinaced stems; very distinct. 2 to 3 ft. July-August. Plants 15c to 35c.

STOKESIA Laevis Cyanea. (Cornflower Aster, or Stokes Aster). A handsome plant with aster-like flowers. 3 to 4 inches across. Color, a fine sky-blue.

*—**Laevis Alba.** Same as above except flowers are snow-white. 2 ft. July-October. Plants 10c, 15c and 25c.

TRITOMA (Red Hot Poker, Flame Flower, Torch Lily).

*—**Quartiniana.** A strong growing variety, blooming late in May with flower cones 10 to 12 inches long, orange-red at first, but yellow on bottom half as bloom matures. Perfectly hardy and does not need protection. 25c and 50c each.

TRITOMA—Continued

- *—**Pfitzeri.** Everblooming. Freest flowering of all. Orange-scarlet shading to salmon-rose at the edge. Invaluable for cutting. This variety should be well protected with leaves in winter. Each, 30c and 50c.

TROLLIUS (Globe Flower). **Orange Princess.** A very beautiful flower of extra deep orange color. Will thrive in either half shady or sunny positions. Also fine for moist places and edges of water gardens. They are perfectly hardy if given protection in winter with a covering of leaves. 2 ft. May-June. Plants 25c and 50c each.

- *—**Lemon Queen.** Free flowering strong growing plant. Flowers pale yellow, produced in abundance on stems about 2 feet high. Does best in slightly moist places.

VERONICA Incana. Silvery gray foliage and spikes of violet-blue flowers. 1 ft. July-August.

- *—**Longieolia Subsessilis.** Blue. This is one of the most beautiful herbaceous plants; very attractive; continues to bloom until late fall. August-September. 2 ft. 15c and 25c each.

- *—**Orchidia.** Very handsome variety from the Balkans. Grows four to five feet in height and produces a profusion of clear blue flowers. Very choice. Each, 50c.

- *—**Spicata Alba.** White. 2 ft.

- *—**Spicata Rosea.** Bright Rose. 2 ft.

- *—**Spuria (Amethystina).** Amethyst-blue flowers. 2 ft. May-June. These last three varieties are especially fine for rock gardens. 20c and 35c each.

VIOLA Bedding Varieties (Tufted Pansies) (Biennials).

- *—**Admiration.** Soft purple, dark blotched. Plants 15c and 25c.

- *—**Suttons Giant Yellow.** Deep Golden Yellow.

- *—**Suttons Gem.** Rose and pink-mauve shades.

- *—**Suttons Black Knight.** Glossy black flowers. Any of the above—15c each, \$1.50 per doz.

- *—**Suttons Apricot.** Beautiful rich apricot shade, tinged orange toward the center. Very unusual. Plants 25c each.

VIOLA (Tufted Pansies) (Perennials).

- *—**Jersey Gem.** One of the prettiest Violas. Absolutely hardy. Fine violet color, large and fragrant. Will grow in any good garden soil in sunny position. Stems 6 to 8 inches long with foliage. The more you pick, the more they bloom. They bloom from May to November. Plants 15c, 25c and 35c.

- *—**Jersey Jewel.** (New Hybrid) This is larger than Jersey Gem, color true Pansy-Violet. In the mass, in full sunshine the color is most telling. The flowers are massive. This variety is new and necessarily scarce. Plants 25c and 35c.

- *—**White Jersey Gem.** Identical with its parent, except in color which is white, a most valuable addition. Plants 15c, 25c and 35c.

GLADIOLUS

In presenting the following selection of Gladiolus we have endeavored to list only the more worthwhile varieties in the older and well established Gladiolus, at the same time offering a few of the choice and newer varieties.

TERMS

No word, or pen picture can begin to describe these beautiful flowers. So why try! Therefore we give you only the main color in brief description.

All orders of \$1.00 or over are shipped prepaid to any point in the United States.

10 per cent additional bulbs, customer's selection, allowed on all orders amounting to \$5.00 or more.

PRICES are per single bulb, large size, of 1½ inches or larger. MEDIUM sized bulbs measuring from 1 inch to 1¾ inches at 20% below the large bulb price. SMALL bulbs measuring ¾ inch to 1 inch at 40% below the large bulb price.

Twelve bulbs of same variety at eight times the price of one. Six bulbs at ½ the price of twelve.

*Varieties prefixed by a star can be furnished in hundred lots.

Worthwhile extras included in every shipment. Many varieties are in great demand and we advise placing orders early to avoid disappointment.

*ALICE TIPLADY. Beautiful Orange-Saffron color. Each, 8c.

ANTIOCH. Cerise flaked. Very showy. Each, 20c.

ANNA EBERIUS. Velvety purple. A very showy Glad. Each, 8c.

BARON HULOT. Deep indigo blue. Each, 10c.

BENGAL TIGER. Mottled red on brilliant Indian colors. Each, 10c.

BREAK O'DAY. Very early. An extra fine pink. Each, 15c.

BUTTERFLY. Ruffled. Pale salmon. Each, 15c.

BYRON L. SMITH. Lavender pink on white base. Each, 10c.

CAPTAIN BOYNTON. Tall. Lavender with purplish red blotch. Each, 20c.

CHATEAU THIERRY. Orange cerise, yellow bordered, red blotch. Each, 10c.

COWIES SCARLET WONDER. Large glowing red. Fine. Each, 15c.

DESDEMONE. Ashy rose violet with red blotches. Each, 20c.

*DOROTHY McKIBBIN. Ruffled. Early. Beautiful apple blossom pink flaked and tinted. Each, 10c.

DR. F. C. BENNETT. Vivid orange scarlet. A strong fine showy variety. Very large. Each, 25c.

DR. NELSON SHOOK. A real sensation. Deep tyrian rose with many open at a time. Large flowers with large strong foliage. Each, 50c.

ED. SPRINGER. Strong, fine plant, showy flowers of light lavender rose-pink. A very choice prize winner. Each, 75c.

*E. J. Shaylor. Ruffled. Beautiful deep rose-pink. Each, 8c.

- EUGENE LEFEBRE.** A wonderful large French variety. Deep pink with throat dotted purplish, amaranth and cream. Always wins first prize when shown in basket. Each 25c. (see picture inside cover)
- EMILE AUBRUN.** Coppery bronze blotched cherry. Strong plant, tall spike and extra large blooms. Each \$1.00.
- EVELYN KIRTLAND.** Very tall with large flowers. Rose pink with scarlet blotch. Each, 10c.
- ELIZABETH TABOR.** Early pink, white blotch. Each, 10c.
- FLORENCE ELVERA.** Tall and large. Light pink scarlet blotch. Each, 15c.
- GERALDINE FARRAR.** Pale lavender violet. Best blue in existence. Each, 75c.
- GLORY OF KENNEMERLAND.** True rose with purple blotch on creamy ground. Very large flower. Each, 10c.
- GOLDEN FRILLS.** Ruffled. Beautiful deep yellow. Rare. Each, \$1.00.
- GOLDEN MEASURE.** Deep yellow. Very tall rugged grower. Each, 15c.
- GOLDEN SWALLOW.** Ruffled and frilled. Golden yellow. Beautiful. Each, 15c.
- *HALLEY.** Early. Light geranium pink. Each, 7c.
- HENRY C. GOEHL.** White with large crimson blotch. Showy. Each, 20c.
- HERADA.** A beautiful mauve. Each, 8c.
- J. A. CARBONE.** Orange salmon, very iridescent, darker toward outer petals. Yellow center. One of the largest and finest productions. Each, 20c.
- JEANE du TAILLES.** Large salmon blotched with maroon. Each, 25c.
- JOERGS WHITE.** Largest and best white ever introduced. Flowers 5 to 6 inches across. A great exhibition flower. Each, 50c.
- LACINATUS.** Lacinated petals of beautiful rose-pink. Delicate with slender spike. Very artistic. Each, 50c.
- LE MARECHAL FOCH.** Large pale pink. Each, 10c.
- LILAC WONDER.** Very large and tall. Lilac lavender. Each, 25c.
- L'IMMACULEE.** Purest waxy white. Each, 10c.
- LOS ANGELES.** Shrimp pink. This is called the cut and come again Glad, for when the main spike is cut, side laterals will spring out again and bloom. Each, 15c.
- MARY FENNEL.** Deep lilac lavender. Each, 10c.
- MACKS CARDINAL.** Large cardinal red. Each, 25c.
- MEMORY OF WM. PFITZER.** Large pure white. Each, 30c.
- MINISTRE PINCHON.** Bright carmine red, penciled and stained. Each, 20c.
- MINUET.** Most beautiful lavender. Great prize winner. Each, \$1.25.
- MISS T. ROSE.** Creamy yellowish pink, in color very much like a tea rose. Graceful spike; an exquisite variety. Each, 20c.

- MR. W. H. PHIPPS.** Iridescent La France pink overlaid with light rose salmon, lighter toward the center. Lower petals very faintly striped and speckled with ruby. Flowers enormous. A masterpiece in Gladiolus. Each, 35c.
- MRS. F. C. PETERS.** Fine tall lavender rose with crimson blotch. Each 10c.
- *MRS. H. E. BOTHIN.** Salmon pink with scarlet center. Waved petals. Each, 10c.
- MRS. J. C. GROSSMAN.** Deep salmon prim. A grand flower. Each, 10c.
- MRS. LEON DOUGLAS.** Salmon pink. One of the latest varieties with very large flowers. Exquisite. Each, 15c.
- MRS. P. W. Sisson.** A ruffled seedling of wondrous beauty. A beautiful pink. Awarded first prize at New York. Each, \$1.00.
- Mrs. Van Konynenburg.** Largest of the blues. Surpasses all others. Soft lavender blue. Flowers large, 5 and 6 inches across. Each \$3.00.
- MURIEL.** True lilac with violet blotch. Each, 10c.
- *MYRA.** The XXXX prim. A most beautiful flower and is in great demand by florists. Deep salmon on yellow ground. Each, 7c.
- NOKOMIS.** Indian colors of wonderful beauty. Each, 25c.
- PAUL PFITZER.** Tall, glowing violet purple. Large blooms. This is an extra choice variety. Each, 75c.
- PFITZER'S TRIUMPH.** Extraordinary large blooms of the most pleasing salmon orange with small velvet red blotch. Surely a masterpiece. Each, \$3.00.
- *PINK WONDER.** Large light pink. Flowers are 5½ inches across. Each 10c.
- PRIDE OF WANAKA.** Rich lavender rose with darker rose in throat. A most striking color and a wonderful Glad. Each, 35c.
- PRIMUNELLA.** Ruffled. Orange-saffron. Butterfly type. Each 15c.
- PRINCE OF WALES.** Early. Beautiful strawberry pink. Each, 10c.
- PURPLE GLORY.** Large Ruffled. One of the greatest varieties ever introduced by Kunderd. Purplish red. Each, 15c.
- RED EMPEROR.** Bright nopal red. Each, 10c.
- RICHARD DIENER.** Pure geranium pink. Each, 15c.
- ROMANCE.** Large orange-salmon rose. Red and yellow throat. Each, 20c.
- *ROSE ASH.** Color, ashes of roses. A novelty. Each, 8c.
- *SOUVENIR.** A true golden yellow prim. A real golden beauty. Each, 7c.
- SWEET-HEART.** Light cream, golden shading. Tall and grand. A prim. Very large flower. Each, 20c.
- *SWEET LAVENDER.** Lavender and pink with ruby red blotch. A very fine variety. Each, 10c.
- THE ORCHID.** Ruffled and lacinated. A cattaleye orchid color. Very distinct. Nothing else like it. Each, \$2.00.
- TREASURE.** A real treasure of pure golden yellow. Each, 10c.

TRIUMPHATOR. Very large orange red. Each 50c.
VEILCHENBLAU. Violet blue. The always scarce Glad. First class certificate. Each, \$1.00.
WM. G. BADGER. Glorious flowers 6 inches in diameter. Extra fine tall pink. Each, 25c.
WONDER MIXTURE. A Kunderd mixture. Dozen, 75c; Hundred, \$5.00.
ZILLERTAL. Carmine pink, bordered yellow and blotched carmine. Each, 20c.
MIXTURE. This includes many named varieties that have become mixed in handling. 25 for \$1.00, one hundred for \$3.00.
COLLECTION A. One bulb each of 25 of the above varieties, not labeled, neatly packed, all colors, valued up to at least \$2.50, for \$1.50.
COLLECTION B. Same as above except medium sized bulbs one inch and over, all blooming size, for \$1.00.

TIGRIDIA

TIGRIDIA. Sometimes called Mexican Shell Flower; one of the most showy of summer flowering bulbous plants; blooms from mid-summer until frost, grows about two feet high and produces large, wide-open triangular blossoms often four to six inches across. The colors and markings are very brilliant and peculiarly odd and attractive, being golden yellow, spotted and blotched with bright red. Clumps of them, planted in the border, are most gorgeous. The culture is the same as for gladioli. Each .25; \$2.25 per doz.

IRIS:—FAIRY

The most fragrant of all the Irises. This exquisitely perfumed Iris with its dainty white color so delicately bordered and suffused blue, is truly a Fairy.

IRISES

A List of Rare and Choice Iris

What word picture could describe these beautiful flowers? There is no combination of words that can describe them, or at least many of them. They are all beautiful, and many beyond words of description, therefore I am giving only the briefest of description together with their ratings. A rating of ten is perfection, seven is good while eight and nine are the very best types.

Select the colors you desire and if they are listed here they are good. You won't be disappointed in your selection. I feel quite sure of that.

Plantings can be made during the Spring, Summer or Fall and they will grow almost anywhere, in corners, among rocks, along the fence, or building and in places that are so dry that weeds will scarcely grow. They of course respond to light cultivation and form a most delightful group of flowers, being about the first of the Perennials to bloom in the Spring and their colors range in all the shades of the rainbow, blooming in May and June.

They are well named Fleur-de-Lis, for they are as colorful as the rainbow, serving to reflect the sky and the sunshine. Their beauty out-rivals that of the Orchids in their delicacy of structure and wide range of colors.

Three of one variety at the price of two.

EXPLANATION:—S., is the Standards and F., represents the Falls.

- 8.6 AFTERGLOW. S., Grayish Lavender. F., Yellow at Center. Each, 25c.
- 8.9 ALCAZAR. S., Light Mauve. F., Brilliant Purple. Each, 25c.
- 7.8 AMAS. S., Blue. F., Violet. Each, 25c.
- 9.4 AMBASSADEUR. S., Purplish Bronze. F., Dark Velvety Maroon. Price, 50c.
- 8.4 ANNA FARR. S., White, bordered Blue. F., White, pale blue markings. Each, 25c.
- 7.7 ANNE LESLIE. S., Rose tinted. F., Rich Carmine, Orange Beard. Each 35c.
- 9.3 ASIA. S., Pale Lavender. F., Lt. Violet Purple, Bluish at the edges. Each, \$1.50.
- ARLINGTON. S., Deep Lavender. F., Red. Each, \$1.00.
- 8.3 ARCHEVEQUE. S., Rich Violet Purple. F., Deep Velvety Violet. Each, 25c.
- 7.8 ARNOLS. S., Rosy Bronze. F., Rich Velvety Purple. Each, 25c.
- 7.4 AUREA. S., a pure rich yellow. F., Slightly Lighter. Each, 35c.
- 9.4 BALLERINE. S., Light Violet-Blue. F., Deeper. Large. Each, 50c.
- 7.1 BLUE JAY. S., Bright clear Blue. F., Intense Dark Blue. Each, 25c.
- 8.5 B. Y. MORRISON. S., Pale Lavender Violet. F., Velvety dark Violet. Each, 50c.
- 7.5 CAPRICE. S., Reddish Purple. F., Deeper, Self Colored. Each, 20c.
- CATALOSA. Each, \$1.00.
- CECIL MINTRUN. Uniform shade of Cattleya Rose. Free bloomer. Each, 35c.
- 6.9 CHESTER HUNT. S., Celestial Blue. F., Dark Marine Blue. Each, 20c.
- 8.6 CLUNY. S., Soft Lilac Blue. F., Darker. Free flowering. Each 25c.
- 8.7 CRUSADER. S., Light Blue. F., Deep Violet Blue. Each, 40c.
- 8. DALILA. S., Palest Flesh White. F., Rich Red Purple. Each, 25c.
- 6.7 DARIUS. S., Yellow. F., Lilac, tinted lighter. Each, 15c.
- 7.8 DAWN. S., Sulphur Yellow, Bronze veined at throat. Each, 25c.
- 7.4 DR. BERNICE. S., Canary Bronze. F., Velvety Crimson. Each, 25c.
- 7.8 ELDORADO. S., Yellowish Bronze. F., Bright Violet Purple. Each 25c.
- 8. FAIRY. S., White, delicately bordered soft Blue. Very tall. Each, 20c.
- FARRS OLD ROSE SEEDLING. Old Rose self color. Each, 35c.

- GAJUS.** S., Clear pale Yellow. F., Maroon heavily veined. Each, 15c.
- GOLD IMPERIAL.** Chrome Yellow throughout. Each, \$1.00.
- 7.1 **GOLIATH.** S., Violet. F., Purple. Each, 50c.
- GYPSIE QUEEN.** S., Light Bronze. F., Purplish red. Each, 15c.
- HARRIET PRESBY.** S., Bright Violet. F., Petunia Violet. Each, \$1.00.
- 8.8 **HERMOINE.** S., Bright blue purple. F., Rich reddish purple with orange beard. Very fine. Each, 75c.
- 7.3 **HER MAJESTY.** S., Rose Pink. F., Bright Crimson, shaded darker. Each 15c.
- 7.9 **IRIS KING.** S., Clear Lemon Yellow. F., Rich Maroon, bordered Yellow. Each, 15c.
- 8.6 **ISOLINE.** S., Silvery Rose, flushed bronze. F., Mauve with gold tint. Each, 25c.
- JAPANESE.** S., Lavender White, Flecked. F., Deep Violet, edged pale Lavender. Each, 35c.
- JACQUELINE QUILLOT.** Pure Lavender Blue self. White Beard. Each, \$1.50.
- 7.8 **JEANNE D'ARC.** White Frilled Lilac. Beautiful. Each, 25c.
- KALOS.** S., Lavender. F., Light Pink. Each, \$1.50.
- 7.8 **KOCHII.** Claret and Purple. (Wild in Italy). Each, 10c.
- 8.3 **LA NEIGE.** Glistening Cream White. Price 35c.
- 9.0 **LENT A. WILLIAMSON.** S., Lavender Violet. F., Violet Pansy Purple. Each, 35c.
- 9.1 **LEVERRIER.** S., Grayish Lavender. F., Bright Violet Purple. Each, 75c.
- 8.2 **LOHENGREN.** Uniform Lilac Rose. Very Beautiful. Each, 20c.
- 9.1 **LORD OF JUNE.** S., Lavender Blue. F., Rich Violet Blue. Fragrant. Each, 50c.
- 7.4 **MADAME CHEREAU.** S., White Edged Blue. F., Frilled Blue. Each, 15c.
- 7.8 **MME. DE SEVIGNE.** Fine tall large Plicata with Violet Purple Markings. Each, 50c.
- 9.1 **MAGNIFICA.** S., Light Violet Blue. F., Dark Reddish Violet. A very fine large variety. One of the best. Each, 50c.
- 8.1 **MA MIE.** S., White edged Violet. F., White edged Lavender. Each, 25c.
- 7.8 **MARY GARDEN.** S., Pale Yellow flushed Lavender. F., Creamy White Veined Maroon. Each, 20c.
- 7.4 **MASSASOIT.** A very distinct shade of Metallic Venetian Blue. Each, 25c.
- MIRANDA.** Uniform rich deep Violet Purple. Each, 35c.
- 8.4 **MONSIGNOR.** S., Pale Violet. F., Overlaid Dusky Violet. Each, 25c.
- MOTHER OF PEARL.** A Mother of Pearl color. Very large and one of the finest Irises in existence. Each, 25c.
- 8.2 **MORWELL.** S., Large Pallida Type of Pale Blue Purple. Each, 50c.
- 8.2 **MOUNT PENN.** S., Lavender-Rose. F., Crimson Lilac. Each, 50c.

- 7.8 MRS. COWLEY. S., Coppery Buff. F., Velvety Rosy Purple. Each, 35c.
- 6.8 MRS. NEUBRONNER. S., Very deep Golden Yellow. F., Same. Each, 10c.
- 7.4 NAUSHON. S., Mauve and Pansy Color. Each, 50c.
- 7.6 NUEE D'ORAGE. S., Grayish Slaty Blue shaded Bronze. F., Purplish. Each, 20c.
- 8.7 OPERA. S., Reddish Lilac. F., Purple Violet, dark and Velvety. Each, 35c.
- 7.8 ORIFLAMME. S., Light Blue. F., Rich Violet Purple. Large. Each, 25c.
- 8.8 PALLIDA DALMATICA. S., Clear Deep Lavender, self color. Each, 20c.
- 7.5 PAULINE. S., Unusually large rich Pansy Purple. Fragrant. Each, 25c.
- 7.1 PAXITONY. S., Pale Parma Violet suffused Yellow. F., Darker. Each, 25c.
- 9.5 PRINCESS BEATRICE. Self, between light and Lavender Violet. Each, 35c.
- 7.2 PRINCESS VICTORIA LOUISE. S., Sulphur Yellow. F., Rich Plum. Each, 15c.
- PROSPERO. S., Pale Lavender flushed with Yellow. F., Deep Ruby Purple, shading lighter. Each, 50c.
- 9.1 QUEEN CATHERINA. A large Pale Lavender. Self color. Vigorous. Each, 25c.
- 8.4 QUAKER LADY. S., Cupped, Smoky Lavender with yellow shadings. F., Drooping ageratun Blue and Old Gold. Each, 20c.
- 7.4 QUEEN OF THE MAY. Soft Rose Lilac, self color. Each, 10c.
- 7.8 RED CLOUD. S. Rosy Lavender-Bronze F. Velvety Maroon-Crimson. Each, 25c.
- 8.4 RHEIN NIXE. S., White. F., Violet Blue, White edge. Each, 20c.
- 8.6 ROMANY. S., Dusky Yellow. F., Bright Reddish Brown. Each, \$1.00.
- 7.3 ROSALINDE. Pink-Mauve and Pink-Lilac. Each, 25c.
- 8.3 SEMINOLE. S., Dark Violet Rose. F., Rich Velvety Crimson. Each, 35c.
- 8.5 SWEET LAVENDER. S., Pale Lavender. F., Rose Lavender. Stately and Distinct. Each, 50c.
- SUSAN BLISS. Uniform shade Deep Rose-Pink. Each, \$1.50.
- SYPHAX. S., Violet. F., Crimson. Each 50c.
- 9.3 SOUV. de MAD. GAUDICHAU. Brilliant Velvety Black Purple. Very beautiful, outstanding, strong grower. Each, 35c.
- 7.4 TAMERLANE. S., Violet Blue. F., Deeper. Each, 25c.
- 8.1 TROJANA. Pale Blue self color. Each, 25c.
- VICTORINE. S., White, striped Violet. F., Deep Violet. Each, 25c.

- 8.3 **WHITE KNIGHT.** Purest White. A self color. Each, 20c.
- 7.3 **WINDHAM.** S., Soft Lavender-Pink. F., Veined heavily, darker. Each, 20c.
- WESTERN DREAM.** S., Dark Blue Lavender. F., Darker, Orange Beard, Lighter Tip. Lord of June type. Each, \$1.00.
- WILD ROSE.** Daintily Colored Pink of Unusual Charm. Each, \$2.00.
-

IRIS

Our Own Introductions

For several years we have tried our hand at cross polinizing some of the finer types of Iris and among the several hundreds of seedlings we have selected a few outstanding ones that we believe have real merit. Our judgment is based on the unanimous opinion of those who have visited our gardens. Many people have stood around these varieties in awe and have literally begged of us to sell them a rhizome, and now that we have accumulated a small stock we will offer for sale a few for the first time.

ALICE-MAE CLARK. Standards, are light pallida lavender-blue, Falls, a rich velvety purple. Flowers very large. Extra tall. A gorgeous flower. Each, \$2.00.

EDWARD CLARK. Standards, light violet. Falls, dark reddish-purple flushed lighter at edges. A tall robust grower. \$1.00 each.

FLORENCE ELVERA CLARK. Standards, lemon-yellow fading to cream at top. Falls, dark rich mahogany, or dark maroon. Medium height. A striking combination of color. \$1.50 each.

LOUIS CLARK. Standards, yellow, fading at top. Falls, white and yellow, heavily veined maroon. \$1.00 each.

RICHARD N. CLARK. Standards, a dark lavender-blue. Falls, dark rich velvety-purple. Large flowers and a tall grower. \$1.50 each.

LOTTIE GOTTSCHALK. Standards, a creamy white. Falls, white, striped amaranth, paling at edges. \$1.00 each.

MRS. P. B. SMITH. Standards, striped violet-purple. Falls, white with violet-purple spots at edges. White beard. 50c each.

IRIS

IRIS KAEMPFERI (Japanese Iris). A field of Japanese Iris in bloom is a gorgeous sight. Seeing them for the first time, one cannot withhold an exclamation of surprise and having once seen can never forget their striking beauty. Double and single varieties. White, Blue, Petunnia-violet, Lavender blue and other colors. Divisions, 25c. Strong 2-year established plants, 35c.

IRIS

IRIS SIBERICA (Siberian Iris).

*—**Snow Queen.** New. Exquisite snowy white flowers.

*—**Perrys Blue.** Very large clear blue flowers.

*—**Superba.** Large violet blue flowers. Each, 20c. Three for 50c.

TULIPS

What a glorious sight, these old Dutch Tulips, silent, brilliant Sentinels of early Spring, and at a time when few other flowers have dared open their faces to the world.

Several hundred Tulip lovers visit my gardens during the blooming season. I have added several new varieties this season.

COTTAGE TULIPS

GRENADIER. Huge orange-scarlet flowers of fine form and heavy substance. This is a particularly showy variety which dazzles the eye when seen in bright sunlight. It makes its best display if planted together with some rich yellow variety for accentuating its bright color. 6 for 45c; 12 for 80c.

INGLESCOMBE PINK, 20". Soft rose pink. Dozen, 50c

INGLESCOMBE, YELLOW, 19". Beautiful bright yellow. Dozen, 45c.

JOHN RUSKIN, 16". Long oval flower of apricot orange shaded with rose and lilac, with a soft yellow margin. Very striking. Dozen, 50c.

MRS. MOON, 25". Beyond doubt the finest yellow tulip in existence. Outer petals reflexed. Slightly perfumed. Dozen, 70c.

PICOTEE, 22". White with broad margin of deep rose, shaped like a lily. A remarkable flower. Dozen, 60c.

ORANGE KING, 19". Glistening fiery orange. Always attracts and draws great admiration. Remarkably sweet scented. Dozen, 55c.

SCARLET EMPEROR, 20". Brilliant glowing scarlet. Dozen, 60c.

SIRENE, 22". Lily flowering. Rich cerise-pink with pale pink at margins of segments, with white base. Dozen, 70c.

BREEDER TULIPS

BACCHUS, 33". Large, dark violet-blue. Darker bloom on outside of petals. Inside, violet-blue, white base. Dozen, \$1.25.

GOLDEN BRONZE, 25". Old gold flushed with heliotrope on outside of petals. Inside rich mahogany-brown with contrasting yellow base. A rare beauty. Dozen, 65c.

LUCIFER, 30". Dark orange with rosy bloom. Interior scarlet-orange with more or less circular yellow base. Ringed with pale olive. Dozen, \$1.25.

LOUIS XIV, 32". Very large, goblet shaped, magnificent flower. Dark, dull, bluish-violet with tawny margin. Base starred yellow. A tulip of wonderfully striking beauty. Dozen, 80c.

VELVET KING, 25". Dark glossy purple-maroon flowers with small white, shapely defined base. Dozen, 90c.

DARWIN TULIPS

- BARON de la TONNAYE**, 28". Bright rose paling at edges. Dozen, 45c.
- CITY OF HAARLEM**, 30". Extremely large bloom. Brilliant carmine color, with a steel blue base and a white halo. Dozen, \$1.00.
- FRANCOMBE SANDERS**, 27". Bright scarlet. clear white base. Dozen, 45c.
- GIANT**, 29". A superb glowing reddish-purple Darwin with a white base. Dozen, 65c.
- LA TULIPE NOIRE**, 26". The black tulip. Rich velvety blackish maroon. Dozen, 50c.
- LOUIS de la VALLIERE**, 24". Scarce. Clear tone of cherry pink. A variety of conspicuous beauty. Dozen, \$1.25.
- MADAME KRELAGE**, 34". Tender pink with lilac tones. Very beautiful and one of the most reliable. Dozen, 50c.
- PRIDE OF HAARLEM**, 30". Sweet-scented and without rival in its vivid cherry-red coloring. One of the largest sellers. Dozen, 50c.
- PRINCE OF ORANGE**, 18". Bright orange-scarlet. Very beautiful. Dozen, 70c.
- WM. COPELAND**, 20". A beautiful rosy-lilac color. Dozen, 45c.
-

PARROT TULIPS

- MARKGRAAF VON BADEN**, 18". Yellow, striped with scarlet and green. Truly an odd yet a wonderfully beautiful tulip. Dozen, 70c.
-

REMBRANDT TULIPS

- BOUGAINVILLE**, 18". White stripes on rich amaranth ground. Dozen, 70c.
- CARACALLA**, 18". Rich fiery scarlet stripes on white ground. Dozen, 70c.
- RED PRINCE**. Fiery scarlet upon soft rose ground. Dozen, 70c.
- SEMELE**. A white background heavily striped and feathered with subdued old rose. A very effective variety of a quaint old-fashioned appearance. 6 for 50c; 12 for 95c.
-

GIANT FLOWERING CROCUS

- JULIA CULP**. Dark blue.
- KING OF BLUES**. Purple.
- QUEEN VICTORIA**. Pure White.
- SIR WALTER SCOTT**. White, striped pale lilac.
- YELLOW GIANT**. Bright yellow.
Per dozen, 35c. \$2.50 per 100.

GLADIOLUS:—EUGENE LEFEBRE

(See description on page 13)

If you have not enjoyed having this exquisitely beautiful Glad in your garden, you have missed a real treat.

A Basket of
Gladiolus, Dahlias and Auratum Lilies

Cut flowers in season, for bouquets, baskets or decoration.
Let us send a box of flowers to mother, sweetheart, or
some sick friend.

ALICE-MAE CLARK
Our own little Fairy

GOOD THINGS TO REMEMBER

Plants feed from the air as well as the soil.

We can improve only the nourishment in the soil.

Proper and frequent cultivation is of more importance than having a rich soil.

Cultivate shallow, but often. Let the air enter the soil.

Bone meal is a good fertilizer.

Keep fertilizers several inches away from plants.

Fertilizers are taken up by the roots some distance from the plants and not by the plants themselves.

Frequent cultivation produces more flowers, larger blooms, longer blooming period and stronger, healthier plants.

Do not allow the soil to become baked.

Many plants will bloom the second time, if not allowed to go to seed and are kept well cultivated and watered.

Do not sprinkle your garden. Instead give it a good soaking by laying the hose on the ground until the earth becomes well soaked to a depth of a foot or two.

Plants like plenty of air and sunshine. Don't crowd them.

Four factors are responsible for winter killing of Perennials, and the extreme cold is not the main one.

Water standing over the crowns or around the roots will kill them.

Drying winds help to kill plants that carry their foliage all winter.

Plants set too late in the fall to become established. And the alternate freezing and thawing which leaves the plants out of the soil is the fourth.

If a plant dies down DO NOT plant another of the same kind in its place. Instead fill the vacant space with some other variety.

Don't put off until tomorrow, what you can do today.

So order those plants and bulbs now while you are thinking about it.

The early bird gets the largest and best worm.

Oh! yes! And buy your plants from Clark.

FROM

CHAS. F. CLARK

205 S. SEVENTEENTH STREET
CAMP HILL, PA.

RETURN POSTAGE GUARANTEED

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,

M. R. N.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

BUREAU OF PLANT INDUSTRY
Horticultural Crops and Diseases

8—3591