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GREETINGS

From the Blossom Farm

Our catalog goes again this year to a greatly increased number of gardening folk. Many of these people were former customers of the Salem Bulb Company, whose stock of tulips we took over last fall. We hope you will like our catalog and will try our bulbs. We think they are good bulbs and make every effort to supply stock that will please our customers. That the bulbs are making good is indicated by the large number of customers who re-order each year and whose friends order after seeing our bulbs bloom.

In case anyone might care to know about us, this bulb business is managed by Pat and Lola Conley (Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Conley) who grow bulbs because they would rather do that than anything else. The bulbs are grown on the Blossom Farm located on the McKenzie River, 13 miles east of Eugene. It is splendid river bottom loam containing enough clay to make hard clean skinned bulbs of the best quality.

We try to make our prices as reasonable as possible and still supply first quality things. Very low priced bulbs are often cheap junk, especially in mixtures.

For Those Unfamiliar with Bulb Varieties

Many people prefer to have us pick out the different varieties for them. We are always glad to do that but give as much information as possible regarding your preferences in color, size, etc., and the use to which they are to be put.

If you do not find some special varieties that you want just let us know. Our connections are such that we can usually supply any variety that might be wanted. This applies particularly to the newer daffodils.

GUARANTEE

We guarantee our bulbs to be of first size and true to name and will replace any found to be otherwise. We send out only clean healthy stock. Our bulbs are inspected at least twice a year and all the state and federal regulations have been complied with. We cannot, of course, guarantee every bulb to grow. Too many things can happen after they are put into the ground for that.

TERMS

Cash with order please. That is less expense and trouble to both of us than sending C. O. D. On all orders of \$2.00 or more we pay the transportation charges to anywhere in the United States. Six bulbs at the dozen rate. Less than six at the single rate which is one-tenth of the dozen rate. No single item less than 15c. Fifty or more at the hundred rate. Special quotations on lots of 250 or more.

TULIPS

For spectacular effect few if any flowers equal the Tulips. Their wonderful range of colors embraces almost every hue with the exception of the true blues and that is approached by some of the newer Darwins. Thousands of visitors come to the farm to see the show at tulip time—four acres of beautiful color. You will be welcome and will find it the best time to select the varieties you prefer.

Tulips should be planted in September or October for best results. We find earlier planting gives better results than late, although in this climate tulips can be planted as late as December. While a great part of the size of the blooms is determined by the bulbs planted it is nevertheless essential that the bulbs be provided with a liberal supply of plant food. Bonemeal is always recommended but we prefer a balanced plant food such as Vigoro. Cover the bulbs about four inches and if the winter is severe mulch with straw or dry leaves after the ground has frozen. Lift the bulbs every year when the leaves are turning yellow. Dry carefully. Do not expose the bulbs to the sun or wind. Clear off all old skins, roots, etc., and reset again in the fall.

A number of our customers have reported good success in keeping moles and mice away by mixing some flake naphthalene in the ground near the bulbs. We do not guarantee it but it is worth trying if you are troubled with these rodents.

DARWIN TULIPS

These strong, long stemmed, Tulips are highly recommended for garden decoration and for cut flowers. Groups of them planted in the herbaceous border and among shrubbery are very effective. They bloom two or three weeks after the Early Tulips, at the same time as the Breeder and Cottage Tulips, and are usually planted with the latter types. The Cottage Tulips are especially needed to supply the shades of yellow and the Breeder Tulips for the bronze, brown and unusual blended colors.

By choosing from the varieties marked (E) "early," (M) "mid-season," and (L) "late" the blooming season can be greatly extended. This classification should be watched when wanting varieties to bloom at the same time although there is a great deal of over-lapping among the divisions.

SHADES OF RED

	Doz.	100
Allard Pierson: (E) A fine long-shaped flower of rich.crimson maroon. One of the best forcers..\$1.00	\$	
Bartigon: (M) Fiery crimson shading to scarlet at the margin. Splendid for forcing. (24-in.)....	.60	4.00
City of Haarlem: (M) Large flower of rich cardinal-red. The steel-blue base with white halo gives a striking appearance. One of the finest red Darwins. (31-in.). Special low price.....	1.00	7.00
Farncombe Sanders: (M) Vivid rose-scarlet with white base. Large flower of perfect shape. Splendid against evergreens or in the border. (28-in.)	.50	3.50
Feu Brillant: (M) Bright scarlet. Large flower on a good stem. (28-in.).....	.80	
Harry Veitch: Rich blood-red with lighter margin and blue base. Large blooms that last well. (24-in.).....	.70	5.00

Jacob Maris: Maroon-red with scarlet edge. An extra fine large flower on a strong stem.....	1.00	7.00
King George V.: (M) Brilliant cherry-rose. Splendid large flower of unusual substance on a strong stem. One of the finest tulips. (28-in.)	1.20	
King Harold: (M) Deep purple-red with white base. Excellent garden variety, standing the weather well. (24-in.).....	.70	5.00
Pride of Haarlem: (E) Bright rosy-carmine with blue base. Sweet scented. Enormous flower on a tall stem. Good for forcing or out doors. One of the most popular tulips. (31-in.).....	.50	3.50
Prince of the Netherlands: (L) Glowing cerise-scarlet shaded rose with a light blue base. Extra large beautiful flower of a brilliant color. (32-in.)	.70	
Prof. Rauwenhof: (M) Bright cherry-red, inside glowing scarlet. Large flower on a good stem. (28-in.)	.60	4.00
Victoire d'Oliviera: Carmine red. One of the best for forcing	.75	5.50
William Pitt: (M) Dark velvety crimson with purplish shade on outer petals. Excellent forcer and very showy in the garden. (24-in.).....	.70	5.00

SHADES OF PINK AND ROSE

Afterglow: (L) Soft apricot-orange shaded salmon at the edges. A beautiful large flower of unusual coloring. (30-in.).....	.80	6.00
Centenaire: (E) Rich violet-rose with large blue center. Immense flower of perfect form and substance. (32-in.).....	.70	5.00
Cherry Blossom: (E) Soft rose sport of Pride of Haarlem. A beautiful tulip with all the merits of its parent. (30-in.).....	1.20	8.00
Clara Butt: (M) Clear pink flushed salmon-rose. A medium sized flower of exquisite form and color. Probably the most popular tulip grown. (23-in.)	.50	3.00
Flamingo: (M) Delicate flesh tinted rose with a satin sheen. Medium size flower. (25-in.).....	.60	4.00
Le Notre: (E) Beautiful clear pink with large blue base. Early out of doors and one of the earliest forcers. (27-in.).....	.70	5.00
Madame Krelage: (M) Bright lilac rose margined pale silvery rose. (28-in.).....	.60	4.00
Massachusetts: (M) Vivid pink with pale rose edge. Large flower of splendid form. (28-in.)	.70	5.00
Princess Elizabeth: Clear rose pink deepening in color with age. Fine for the border or forcing. (28-in.)	.70	5.00
Psyche: Soft silvery-rose with pale blue base. A beautiful delicate shade. (26-in.).....	.70	5.00
Sylvia: Brilliant salmon-pink. Very tall, large and strong	1.00	

SHADES OF VIOLET AND PURPLE

Faust: (M) Dark satiny purple-maroon. Enormous oval flower of good form and substance. One of the finest dark varieties.....	1.00	7.00
Greuze: (L) Dark violet blue. Medium sized flower of good substance. (27-in.).....	.50	3.00
Jubilee: (L) Bright blue-purple. A large oval flower of great beauty. (31-in.).....	1.20	
La Tulipe Noire (The Black Tulip): (L) Very dark maroon-black. Fine large flowers of velvety texture. (26-in.).....	.70	5.00

SHADES OF LAVENDER AND LILAC

Blue Aimable: (L) Clear lavender, shaded steel blue, with a white base. A large tulip of distinct shape. (26-in.).....	.80	
Dream: (E) Soft heliotrope or lilac shades. Inside deeper with blue base. (28-in.).....	.60	4.00
Duchess of Hohenburg: (M) Pale lilac shaded with rosy heliotrope, white center. A large flower of perfect form on a stiff stem. (29-in.) Each 25c.....	2.50	
Melicette: (L) Pure soft lavender, inside deeper. A charming flower with reflexing petals. Beautiful combined with soft yellow varieties.....	.80	
Remembrance: (L) Pale slaty lilac and violet flushed brown at the base. (25-in.).....	.60	4.00
Rev. Ewbank: (M) Heliotrope-lilac with lighter margin. A beautiful medium sized flower.....	.60	4.00
William Copeland: (E) The earliest Darwin for forcing, not so good out side. Beautiful lavender when forced; rosy-lilac out doors. (25-in.)	.70	5.00

WHITE AND BLUSH

White Queen (La Candeur): (M) On opening is tinged pale rose but becomes almost pure white when in full bloom. Black anthers. Medium sized flower. (28-in.).....	.50	3.50
Zwanenburg The pure white Darwin. A well formed flower of great beauty. Each 25c.		
MIXED DARWINS: A splendid mixture made up from the above named varieties in a complete color range. Not to be confused with cheap run-of-field mixtures usually offered. Per 1000, \$25.00.....	.50	3.00

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DARWIN TULIP COLLECTION

Eight fine Darwin Tulips in a wide range of colors. If you are not acquainted with the different varieties this would be a good collection to start with:

Clara Butt, salmon-pink; Dream, lavender; Flamingo, pink; Farncombe Sanders, rose-scarlet; Greuze, violet; La Tulipe Noire; Pride of Haarlem, rosy-carmine; White Queen.

6 bulbs each (48 bulbs). Regular price \$2.20.....	\$2.00
One dozen each (96 bulbs). Regular price \$4.40....	4.00
25 bulbs each (200 bulbs). Regular price \$9.20....	7.50

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STANDARD TULIP COLLECTION

Ten of our most popular sorts in a collection that gives a wide range of colors and types at a minimum price. These are first size bulbs and all labeled separately. They would be splendid for the border or for cutting. Pride of Haarlem (Darwin) rose-carmine; Dream (Darwin) heliotrope; Clara Butt (Darwin) salmon pink; La Tulipe Noire (Darwin) maroon-black; White Queen (Darwin); Greuze (Darwin) violet; Inglescombe Yellow (Cottage); La Mervielle (Cottage) orange-scarlet; Picotee (Cottage) white edged pink; and Bronze Queen (Breeder).

10 bulbs each (100 bulbs), Regular price \$ 4.50....	\$ 4.00
25 bulbs each (250 bulbs), Regular price 11.20....	9.00
100 bulbs each (1000 bulbs), Regular price 35.50....	30.00

COTTAGE TULIPS

It is in this group that some of the clear bright colors are found which are lacking in the Darwin and Breeder groups. Particularly are the pure yellows very fine. Some of the red and orange varieties are intensely vivid, making the most striking sort of bedding material. Other sorts, John Ruskin for example, have delicate combinations of several shades. Many varieties have long pointed flowers with slender stems that make very graceful cut-flowers. However others, like Mrs. Moon and the new hybrid tulip Dido, have stems as tall and stiff as a Darwin tulip. Quite a number have a delicious fragrance. We find the Cottage Tulips very popular with visitors viewing our plantings at blossom time.

SHADES OF ORANGE, SCARLET AND RED

	Doz.	100
Gesneriana Spathulata: Rich crimson-scarlet with a steel blue base. A long pointed flower that opens up like a brilliant poppy. (24-in.)....	\$.60	\$4.00
Grenadier: Large flower of dazzling orange-red. One of the most brilliant of all tulips. Very effective for bedding. (21-in.).....	.80	6.00
La Merveille: Orange-scarlet flushed rose. Beautiful long pointed buds. Delightfully fragrant. (20-in.).....	.50	3.50
Orange King. Large globular flower of orange with rose shadings. Sweet scented. (20-in.)....	.50	3.50

SHADES OF YELLOW

Avis Kennicott Rich chrome-yellow with black base and anthers. A large long flower on a strong stem. A very attractive variety. (26-in.)	1.00	7.00
Bouton d'Or: Deep golden yellow cup-shaped flower of medium size. Good substance. (20-in.)	.50	3.00
Ellen Willmott: Soft primrose-yellow. Long pointed flower with reflexing petals. Delicately fragrant. (20-in.).....	.70	5.00
Inglescombe Yellow: Glossy canary yellow. Fine cup-shaped flower of excellent lasting qualities. Often called "The Yellow Darwin." (21-in.)	.50	3.00
Moonlight: Soft primrose yellow. Large oval blossoms with outer petals reflexing at the tip. The best light yellow tulip. (24-in.).....	.70	5.00
Mrs. Moon: Rich golden yellow. One of the finest late tulips. The blooms are large with pointed petals and are carried on tall strong stems. (25-in.).....	.70	5.00

SHADES OF PINK AND COMBINATIONS OF OTHER COLORS

Dido: Rich orange-rose with shadings of salmon and orange yellow. One of the loveliest tulips ever introduced. The flowers are very large and well formed. (30-in.). Each 25c	2.50	
Fairy Queen: Unusual combination of rose-lilac with amber-yellow margin. Large oblong blossom. (20-in.).....	.70	
Inglescombe Pink: Soft rose pink shaded with amber, becoming clear pink. (25-in.).....	.60	4.00
John Ruskin: Salmon-rose with beautiful shadings, edged pale yellow. A beautiful tulip of delicate colorings and fine form. (18-in.).....	.70	5.00

Picotee (Maiden's Blush): Pure white margined rose, the color suffusing the whole flower with age. A lovely flower with recurving petals that is always very popular. (22-in.)	.50	3.00
The Fawn : Rosy-fawn color changing to soft rose. A graceful tulip of unusual color. (20-in.)	.50	3.00
MIXED COTTAGE TULIPS : A splendid assortment made up from the above varieties in a wide range of colors. These bulbs would be fine for bedding. Per 1000 \$25.00	.50	3.00

COLLECTION OF 6 CHOICE COTTAGE TULIPS

These are excellent sorts that have been very popular in our plantings. The collection consists of Inglescombe Yellow; Gesneriana Spathulata, crimson-scarlet; The Fawn, rosy-fawn; Picotee, white-pink; Orange King, orange-rose, and La Merveille, orange-scarlet:

One dozen each (72 bulbs) value \$3.10	\$2.75
25 bulbs each (150 bulbs) value \$6.45	5.25

LILY-FLOWERED TULIPS

A new class of beautiful and very decorative tulips. The long pointed petals are gracefully recurved giving the flower the shape of a lily.

	Doz.	100
Retroflexa : Beautiful soft yellow with decidedly recurved petals. An unusual tulip of exquisite form. Early. (16-in.)	.60	4.00
Sirene : A lovely tulip more reflexed than any other. The color is a beautiful shade of deep pink shaded yellow. A really "lily-flowered" tulip. (28-in.)	.80	6.00

PARROT TULIPS

Admiral de Constantinople : Brilliant red with orange markings. Doz. 70c; 100 for \$5.00.
Cramoisi Brilliant : Rich crimson with purplish black markings. Doz. 70c; 100 for \$5.00.

Fantasy: One of the most outstanding tulips of recent years. A sport of Clara Butt and one of the few parrot tulips that have a strong stem. Beautiful soft pink with featherings and encrustations of emerald green. Special low price.

35c each

Three for \$1.00

Lutea Major : Pure yellow with green and a few red markings. Doz. 70c; 100 for \$5.00.
Mixed Parrots : A good mixture made up of the above sorts and several others. Doz. 60c; 100 for \$4.00.

MIXED LATE FLOWERING TALL-STEMMED TULIPS

A mixture made up of Cottage, Darwin and Breeder named varieties in all the colors of the rainbow. All first quality bulbs. Our price is very low for the quality of bulbs. \$2.75 per 100; 200 for \$5.00. If by mail add 25c per 100 to help pay postage. One thousand bulbs for \$22.50, f.o.b. Eugene.

SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

The old standby for colorful beds in the early spring. For intense clear color nothing equals some of these "Dutchy" flowers. Others have more delicate tones and the longer stemmed ones make nice cut flowers. These are the best tulips for forcing. (For directions see page 20.)

Doz. 100

Chrysolora: Clear golden yellow. Large flower, sweet scented. Splendid bedding variety. (11-in.)	\$.70	\$
Coleur Cardinal: Velvety crimson-color with yellow center shaded plum on the outside. Very popular. (10-in.)	.80	6.00
Flamingo: Rich deep rose with distinct white stripe through center of each petal. (13-in.)	.70	
Fred. Moore: Bright terra-cotta shaded buff orange. A very handsome tulip, sweet scented. (16-in.)	.75	5.00
General de Wet: A most beautiful and showy new variety. Large flowers of deep orange with yellow center. Sweet scented. (15-in.)....	1.00	7.50
Keizerskroon: Large scarlet flower edged bright yellow. A very popular tulip for bedding. 16-in.)	90.	6.50
Mon Tresor: Deep clear yellow of good form. One of the best for forcing or bedding. (13-in.)	.90	6.50
Prince of Austria: Rich scarlet suffused orange, with yellow base. Large sweet scented flower on tall stem. (15-in.).....	.70	
Proserpine: Rich carmine-rose of silky texture. Good forcer. (11-in.).....	.80	
Vermillion Brilliant: Rich dazzling scarlet. One of the most brilliantly colored tulips in existence. Excellent forcer.....	.70	5.00
White Hawk: Beautiful pure white of heavy texture. Lasts well. (13-in.).....	.60	4.00

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BREEDER TULIPS

The Breeder Tulips are unsurpassed in depth and richness of coloring. The colors include unusual dark shades of velvety purple, maroon, violet, blue-black, and brown as well as lighter shades of gold, bronze, lilac, etc. Usually two or more colors are beautifully blended in each flower. In recent years there has come an appreciation of their wonderful colorings and they have become the most sought after of all tulips. They bloom at the same time as the Darwins and sometimes surpass them in size.

Doz. 100

Bacchus: Deep blue-violet with grape-like bloom on the outer petals. Large long blossom of fine lasting quality. (30-in.).....	\$1.50	\$
Bronze Queen: Soft buff tinged gold with a suggestion of rose, yellow base. A tall distinct tulip that blends well with some of the darker Breeders.....	.60	4.00
Cardinal Manning: Wine red flushed rosy bronze shading to lighter bronze at the edges. Large egg-shaped flower. (34-in.).....	.70	5.00
Don Pedro: Coffee-brown, interior dark reddish mahogany. Beautiful large fragrant flower. (28-in.)	1.00	7.00
Jaune d'Oeuf: Deep lemon-chrome with pale purple shading to outer petals. The flowers are large and well formed. 28-in.).....	.70	5.00

La Singuliere: Opens silvery white flushed pansy purple, the color suffusing the whole flower as it ages. Remarkably stiff stem. (30-in.)....	1.00	7.00
Louis XIV: Dark bluish violet flushed bronze with a golden bronze margin. A large flower of indescribable beauty. (32-40-in.).....	1.00	7.00
Lucifer: A very large flower of intense colorings. Dark orange with rosy bloom, inside scarlet orange. (28-in.).....	1.50	
Panorama: Reddish mahogany with olive green base. A very large goblet-shaped blossom of splendid color and substance. (27-in.).....	.70	5.00
Prince Albert: Glowing mahogany brown shaded dull bronze, base green. (30-in.).....	1.00	
Prince of Orange (Orange Beauty): Brilliant orange with purplish flushes on the outer petals. A well-formed flower of great substance. (26-in.)	1.00	7.00
Roi de Siam: Dark violet-purple, lighter toward the edges, white base. (28-in.).....	.80	6.00
Saint James: Dark rosy-lilac edged golden bronze. A strikingly beautiful large flower on a strong stem. (30-in.).....	.80	6.00
Salomon: Beautiful silvery-lilac with a white base. (30-in.).....	1.00	
Velvet King: Dark royal purple with small white base. Fine large cup-shaped flower often with an extra number of petals. Very robust growth. Fine above yellow pansies. (31-in.)....	1.00	7.00
Yellow Perfection: Light bronze-yellow, edged golden yellow, interior bronze-brown with a yellow base. (30-in.).....	.80	
MIXED BREEDER TULIPS: Selected bulbs of choice named varieties. An unusually good mixture. \$35 per 1000.	.70	4.50

COLLECTION OF BREEDER TULIPS

Six excellent sorts in beautiful colors. Bronze Queen; Cardinal Manning, wine-red; Jaune de'Oeuf, yellow and lilac; Panorama, mahogany-red; Prince of Orange; Velvet King, maroon-purple.

6 bulbs each (36 bulbs) value \$2.35.....	\$2.10
One dozen each (72 bulbs) value \$4.70.....	4.20
25 bulbs each (150 bulbs) value \$9.80.....	8.25

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DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS

The Double Earlies come at about the same time as the Singles but last longer. The large peony-like blossoms are extremely effective for bedding. They should have a good fertile soil in order to get fully double perfect blooms.

	Doz.	100
Electra: Beautiful violet-rose. Fine color. Highly recommended.....	\$1.00	\$7.50
Mr. Van der Hoeft: Full large flower of clear golden yellow	.80	6.00
Peach Blossom: Bright rose pink flushed white. A large double tulip excellent for both bedding and forcing.....	.80	6.00
Vuurbaak: Brilliant orange scarlet flowers. Very effective for bedding as the flowers are large and last a long time.....	.80	6.00

COLLECTION OF DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS

One dozen each of the above four beautiful tulips for.....	\$3.00
25 bulbs each (125 bulbs) for.....	6.00

TULIP SPECIES

The wild tulip species are quite distinct from the garden tulips and are coming into much favor for rock gardens and borders. The ones we list are the more easily grown and consequently moderate in price. They should be planted deep and not be dug often.

	Doz.	100
Clusiana (Candlestick or Lady Tulip): A charming little flower of white with a crimson flame on each petal. (8-12-in.).....	\$1.00	\$7.50
Eichleri : Immense crimson-scarlet flowers with a glistening black center bordered gold. Easily grown. (12-in.).....	1.30	10.00
Greigii : Brilliant orange-scarlet with maroon-black blotch. Very striking large flower. Needs warm and dry soil. (9-12-in.).....	2.00	
Kaufmanniana (Water lily tulip): Very early. Large flowers of creamy white with carmine-red shadings on outside. Golden center. One of the most trustworthy of species. (5-7-in.)....	1.50	
Sylvestris : Handsome yellow flowers that reflex at the tip. Sweet scented.....	1.20	

EXHIBITION COLLECTION OF SUPERB TULIPS

We have built up sufficient stocks of a number of the choicest tulips that we can make this special offer. Every variety would be a credit to any garden:

City of Haarlem (Cardinal-red Darwin), King Geo. V (Cherry-rose Darwin), Sylvia (Salmon-pink Darwin), Cherry Blossom (Rose Darwin), Faust (Purple-maroon Darwin), Jubilee (Blue-purple Darwin), Avis Kennicott (Yellow Cottage), Dido (Blended pink Cottage), Sirene (Pink Lily-flowering), and Panorama (Mahogany Breeder).

1 doz. each (120 bulbs), Regular price \$11.60 for \$10.00

Half collection for \$5.00.

CROCUSES

AUTUMN FLOWERING TYPES

The lovely delicately tinted blossoms come in September and October with no foliage, it appearing in the spring at the usual time.

Sativus (The Saffron Crocus): Large flowers of purplish lilac with showy orange stigmata.

Speciosus: Bright violet-blue with yellow throat and orange-red anthers. One of the best for naturalizing or in rock gardens.

Zonatus: Delicately colored flowers of rose-lilac. Center yellow with orange zone.

Price of any of the above three crocuses, separate or mixed. 60c dozen; \$4.50 per 100.

WINTER AND EARLY SPRING FLOWERING SPECIES

Imperati (Winter flowering): Inner petals violet. Exterior of outer petals fawn, very beautiful and delicately fragrant. \$1.00 per dozen.

Sieberi (Winter flowering): Soft lavender-blue flowers with golden base and orange stigmata. \$1.00 per dozen.

Tommasinianus (Spring flowering): A charming continuous bloomer and one of the best to naturalize in grass. Pale sapphire-lavender, orange stigmata. 60c per dozen; \$4.50 per 100.

GARDEN CROCUSES

The named varieties are much larger than the crocus species and better adapted to beds and borders where they will have some care. They do especially well in a rich sandy loam.

King of the Whites Large pure white flowers with orange stigmata. Free flowering. 40c per dozen; \$3.00 per 100.

Mammoth Yellow Large flowering golden yellow. 50c per dozen; \$4.00 per 100.

Pallas White ground with lilac stripes. From a distance the color effect is a soft lavender-blue. 40c per dozen; \$3.00 per 100.

Purpurea Grandiflora: Dark purple. Extra large substantial flowers. 50c per dozen; \$4.00 per 100.

Mixed Crocuses Smaller flowering than the above in a large number of varieties. Especially recommended for naturalizing in the grass. 30c per dozen; \$2.00 per 100.

HYACINTHS

Each year we have a greater demand for our good healthy acclimatized hyacinths. This year we have increased our stocks and reduced the prices. There are two sorts in this list to which we wish to draw your especial attention: *Rose Merveille* and *Johan*. These two varieties have long spikes with uncommonly large bells rather farther apart than most sorts. They are the best varieties for cutting and would be uncommonly beautiful planted together.

When planted out of doors hyacinths should be covered four inches from the top of the bulb and spaced at least six inches apart. If the soil is heavy insure drainage by placing a handful of sand under each bulb. Hyacinths require richer soil than most bulbs and if yours is lean add some thoroughly rotted manure or a good plant food like Vigoro. For forcing see directions on page 20.

Bismarck: Dark lavender-blue. Large compact spike. One of the earliest.

City of Haarlem: Large truss of golden yellow.

Gertrude: Rosy pink, large compact truss.

Grand Maitre: Deep lavender blue, shaded dark blue. Well filled truss.

Johan: Tall spike of large light blue bells.

La Victoire: Deep carmine-rose. Very early. Splendid for forcing.

L'Innocence: Large pure white bells. The best all-around white hyacinth.

Nimrod: Soft rose pink. Early out of doors and the earliest forcer.

Queen of the Blues: Light silvery blue. Very beautiful.

Queen of the Pinks: Bright rosy pink. Later than Gertrude.

Rose Merveille: Similar to Johan but a beautiful soft pink shade.

Mixed Hyacinths: A general mixture or you can specify kinds wanted:

Large size bulbs of any of the above \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100.

Medium size bulbs, suitable for forcing or bedding, \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.00 per 100.

Ten each of five sorts (50 bulbs): Large size \$5.50. Medium size \$3.75.

Ten each of ten sorts (100 bulbs): Large size \$11.00; Medium size \$7.50.

NARCISSI--- DAFFODILS

None of the bulbs bring to us the same feeling of pleasure that the narcissi do. While they are not as showy as the tulips and hyacinths, their beauty is more satisfying and lasting. Each year we add to our collection some of the outstanding newer sorts. Watching for them to bloom in our own gardens is the most thrilling experience of the whole gardening year. We hope that you, too, may learn of this pleasure. If the prices seem high remember that these newer sorts are outstanding in quality and that it is a permanent investment in garden enjoyment for the bulbs increase in number each year. For naturalizing the standard sorts are more suitable. Our Mixed Narcissi for Naturalizing are a fine value for this purpose.

The growing of daffodils is indeed simple but the observance of a few simple rules will greatly increase the quality. Plant early and feed the bulbs with bone meal or preferably a balanced plant food like Vigoro. Do not use fresh manure near the bulbs. Cover the top of the bulbs about 4 inches and in cold climates mulch well after the ground has frozen. It is not necessary to reset the bulbs oftener than every third or fourth year. When this is done the bulbs should be lifted after the tops have turned yellow and planted again in the early fall.

NARCISSI-DAFFODILS-JONQUILS-WHICH?

Botanically they are all members of the genus *Narcissus* but the more usual good usage in this country applies the name *narcissus* to the medium and short cupped types. Daffodils are the large flowers with long trumpets. Jonquils or Jonquilla are a special group of narcissi with very sweet-scented pure yellow flowers in a small cluster and bright green rush-like foliage. In our list we have followed the classification of the Royal Horticultural Society.

LARGE TRUMPET DAFFODILS

Division 1. The trumpet or crown as long as or longer than the perianth segments (petals).

CLASS A—ALL YELLOW

	Doz. 100	
Cleopatra: Broad overlapping lemon yellow perianth. Long trumpet of deeper yellow. Late...	\$3.50	\$25.00
Duchanel: A magnificent show flower of great size. Color a brilliant clear self yellow. Each \$2.50.		
Emperor: Perianth primrose, trumpet yellow. Large flower. One of best for naturalizing....	1.50	10.00
Golden Spur: Perianth and trumpet rich golden yellow. The earliest yellow daffodil. Best forcer.	1.00	7.50
King Alfred: One of the finest daffodils and at the same time one of the most vigorous growers. Very tall strong stems that hold erect the large rich golden yellow flowers in the worst weather. Early and a good forcer.		
First size round bulbs.....	2.00	12.00
Large double nose bulbs.....	2.50	15.00
Olympia: Very large flower with a beautifully frilled trumpet of clear yellow with a lighter yellow perianth.....	3.50	25.00

- Tresserve:** This huge flower with its rich yellow trumpet deeply frilled is a fine variety for forcing or outdoor planting. It is a good show variety too. 3.00 20.00
- Warwick:** One of the finest King Alfred seedlings of a deeper yellow self color. Very early. Each \$3.00.

CLASS B—ALL WHITE DAFFODILS

- Madame de Graaff:** Perianth white, trumpet pale primrose fading to white. Late 1.50 10.00
- W. P. Milner:** A charming free flowering variety, pale sulfur color. Fine for rock gardens. Each 30c. 3.00

CLASS C—BI-COLOR DAFFODILS

- Beppy:** A large bicolor with pure white perianth and very large flaring trumpet. This variety attracted a lot of attention at our farm this year. Each 40c. 4.00
- Glory of Sassenheim:** Broad creamy white perianth and bright canary-yellow trumpet. Very free flowering. 1.50 10.00
- Princes:** Deep yellow trumpet with pale twisting perianth. An old but graceful variety that is one of the most dependable for naturalizing.75 5.00
- Spring Glory:** Perianth pure white, large golden yellow trumpet. Very large flower of beautiful form. 1.50 10.00
- Van Waveren's Giant:** One of the largest of all the trumpet daffodils. Creamy perianth, large bright yellow trumpet. 3.50 25.00
- Victoria:** Bold erect flower, creamy white perianth with broad yellow trumpet. Fine forcer and excellent for naturalizing. 1.00 7.50

INCOMPARABILIS NARCISSI

Division 2. Cup or crown not less than one-third but less than equal to the length of the segments. The perianths are white or yellow and the cups yellow, yellow shaded with red or all red. It is in this group and the Barrii that the new red cups are found which have been creating such a sensation in the daffodil world.

Doz. 100

- Bernardino:** Large broad creamy perianth with fluted cup of soft yellow edged apricot. One of the most beautiful of the medium priced narcissi. Free flowering and a good grower. \$2.00 \$15.00
- Croesus:** Creamy yellow overlapping perianth. Widely expanded cup of clear orange. Excellent form and substance. Each \$1.25.
- Homespun:** Perfectly shaped flower of primrose yellow. A very effective flower in the garden. 1.25 8.75
- Lucifer:** Large handsome white perianth, cup intense glowing orange-red. Fine for mass planting. One of the earliest of the medium cups.75 5.00
- Sir Watkin:** Perianth sulfur, cup yellow tinted orange. A large, tall, graceful flower. Invaluable in the garden or for cutting. 1.00 7.50
- Whitewell:** Fine large flower of splendid substance that lasts well. White perianth, cup yellow edged orange. 2.00
- Will Scarlet:** Fiery orange-scarlet cup, very broad and nicely frilled. The perianth creamy-white. An unusual flower of distinct form. 2.00 15.00

BARRII NARCISSI

Division 3. Cup or crown less than one-third the length of the perianth segments. The colors are the same as the Incomparabilis division. Many of them have cups of intense red. They are free flowering, hardy, and increase rapidly.

	Doz. 100	
Conspicuous: Yellow cup edged scarlet. Broad yellow perianth. Very vigorous and free flowering. Sweet scented One of our most popular cut flowers.....	\$.75	\$ 5.00
Diana Kasner: The overlapping perianth of purest white has wonderful substance. Yellow cup edged orange. A magnificent free flowering novelty of rare beauty. Each \$2.50.		
Early Surprise: A handsome early flower with white perianth. Frilled yellow cup with orange edge.....	2.00	
Firebrand: Small cup of intense fiery red. Star shaped perianth of creamy white. A bright small flower especially fine for naturalizing in partial shade.....	1.25	8.75
Firetail: This is one of the most important of the modern narcissi. Very attractive flower with broad overlapping perianth of creamy white and frilled cup edged orange-red. Each \$2.50.		
Masterpiece: Creamy white star-shaped perianth. Flat nicely frilled orange cup having the form of a large poeticus cup.....	1.75	12.50
Nanny Nunn: Creamy white perianth of wonderful substance. Glowing cup of orange scarlet that lasts well. One of the choicest things in this whole catalog. Each 35c; 3 for \$1.00.....	3.50	
Red Chief: The broad perianth is of purest white, the cup intense orange red. A striking flower of great merit.....	1.50	10.00

LEEDSII NARCISSI

Division 4. Perianth white, cup white, cream, or pale citron, sometimes tinged with pink or apricot. In size of cup this division corresponds to the Barrii and Incomparabilis groups.

	Doz. 100	
Deleware: Pure white overlapping perianth. Large cup of pale yellow. An exhibition flower of the finest sort. Each \$2.50.		
Lord Kitchener: Flower of great size with broad, flat, pure white perianth of firm substance. Cup very large of a delicate pale primrose.	\$2.00	\$15.00
Mrs. Langtry: White perianth, cup edged lemon-yellow when opening, but soon becomes pure white. Rapid multiplier and free flowering. One of the best for naturalizing.....	.60	4.00
Queen of the North: Very broad white perianth with lemon cup prettily fluted. Superbly lovely flower.	1.50	10.00
Silver Star: Pure white star-shaped perianth. Large light yellow cup. An exquisite flower of fine form and substance. Each 60c.		
St. Olaf: Wide imbricated perianth; frilled broad cup, cream edged sulfur.....	1.25	8.75
White Lady: Pure white cup and perianth. Large flower on a tall stem. Nice for cutting.	1.00	7.50

TRIANDRUS HYBRIDS

Division 5. All varieties obviously containing *Narcissus triandrus* blood. These are hardy vigorous free-flowering varieties. The graceful flowers have more or less drooping habit.

Agnes Harvey: Pure white star-shaped perianth, white cup sometimes flushed apricot. One to three flowers on a stem. Each 20c; dozen \$2.00.

Thalia: Beautiful large flowers of purest white. Three or four flowers on a stem. Very distinct. Each 75c.

POETICUS NARCISSI

Division 9. The true Poet's *Narcissus*. Pure waxy white perianth, flattened eye or cup of yellow or yellow and red.

Doz. 100

Glory of Lisse: Large snow-like perianth. Cup yellow edged red. An improved *Poeticus Ornatus*. 1.00 7.50

Horace: Broad pure white perianth of good substance. Flat cup of deep red. A beautiful cut flower. 1.50 10.00

Ornatus: Perianth pure white, cup edged yellow with margin of scarlet. Very early. Fine for naturalizing.75 5.00

Recurvus (Pheasant's Eye): Pure white perianth, cup deep orange-red. The old fashioned Poet's *Narcissus*. Fine for naturalizing. Very late.50 3.00

TAZETTA OR POLYANTHUS NARCISSI

Division 8. Tender bunch flowering narcissi used so extensively for forcing in water and fibre. We do not grow these but obtain them from one of the best sources in the country.

Chinese Sacred Lily: Large clusters of white flowers with yellow cups. Each bulb produces several spikes of the fragrant flowers. Very easily grown in bowls of pebbles, or fibre, and water. Each 10c; Doz. \$1.00.

Paper White Narcissus: The most popular bulb for forcing in water. Large clusters of pure white, fragrant flowers. Medium size, Doz. 50c; 100 \$3.50. Large size Doz. 75c; 100 \$5.00.

Soleil d' Or: "The Yellow Paperwhite." Golden yellow flowers with darker cup. Larger and more vigorous grower than the regular paperwhite. Two for 25c; Dozen \$1.20.

White Pearl: Large substantial flowers of pure white with waxy cup. Two for 25c; Dozen. \$1.20.

POETAZ NARCISSI

Division 9. Hardy bunch-flowering hybrids of *Poeticus Ornatus* and *Polyanthus Narcissi* such as *Soleil d' Or*. Tall vigorous growers, bearing heads of large well-formed fragrant flowers. Excellent garden flowers and very early forcers.

Doz. 100

Elvira: Three or four large flowers with white petals and yellow cup, edged orange. The flowers are held erect on a strong tall stem with good foliage making it a very effective variety for garden decoration. \$1.00 \$ 7.00

Helios: Creamy yellow perianth with darker yellow cup. Five to seven flowers on a stiff stem. 1.20 8.00

Orange Cup: Yellow perianth; orange-red cup, nicely frilled. 1.50 10.00

JONQUILLA AND JONQUIL HYBRIDS

- Division 7. All varieties of narcissus jonquilla parentage.
- Campernelle Rugulosus** (The Single Jonquil): Two to four beautiful golden yellow flowers on a stem. Very delightful fragrance. Foliage erect and rush-like. Beautiful cut flower and good for naturalizing. Doz. 75c; 100 \$5.00.
- Golden Sceptre**: A beautiful jonquil hybrid with rich golden yellow flowers. Very tall and large. Free flowering and sweetly scented. Each 20c; Doz. \$2.00.
- Tullus Hostilius**: Two to three golden yellow flowers on a tall stem. Free flowering. Each 50c.

DOUBLE NARCISSI

Division 10. Full double flowers of white, cream, and yellow in a variety of attractive forms.

	Doz.	100
Albo Pleno Odorato : (Double white Poeticus). Snowy-white sweet scented, Gardenia-like flowers much prized for cutting. Likes deep cool soil, not too dry. The latest narcissus.....	\$1.00	\$
Incomparabilis Plenus : (Golden Phoenix). Yellow and orange rose-double. Vigorous and free blooming. The large blossoms are on long stems.	.80	6.00
Sulphur Phoenix (Codlins and Cream): Beautiful sulfur-white flower, on a long stem. A large informal type of flower.....	1.00	7.50
The Pearl : Opens soft yellow, fades to creamy white. Perfectly shaped flower on a strong stem. One of the gems of the garden.....	1.50	10.00

MIXED NARCISSI

A splendid mixture for cut flowers or for naturalizing made up of Daffodils, Poet's Narcissi, the various kinds of medium cups and doubles. We are very careful that our plantings are kept absolutely true to name. This often means that very fine sorts have to be put in the mixture. However a large part of each order is made up from the named sorts so that we will be sure that it will be a good representative mixture.

20 bulbs for \$1.00; 100 bulbs for \$4.00, postpaid;
1000 bulbs \$30.00 f.o.b. Eugene.

STANDARD NARCISSUS COLLECTION

This is a representative collection of ten standard varieties that have stood the test of many gardening years. It includes that best all-around golden daffodil, **King Alfred**. The other nine varieties are **Golden Spur**, earliest daffodil; **Victoria**, bi-color daffodil; **Sir Watkin**, large *Incomparabilis*; **Barrii Conspicuus**, yellow medium cup; **Mrs. Langtry**, white; **Single Jonquils**; **Poeticus Ornatus**, early Poet's *Narcissus*; **Elvira**, hardy bunch flowering; **Sulfur Phoenix**, double.

10 each of the 10 varieties, Regular \$8.20, for \$7.00

5 each of the 10 varieties, Regular 4.10, for 3.75

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SPECIAL NARCISSUS COLLECTION

This would be a good collection to acquaint one with the different groups of narcissi. One each of the ten main divisions. It is made up of very fine varieties in the medium price range—varieties that are surpassed only by the new very high priced things. **Tresserve**, yellow daffodil; **Madame de Graaff**, white daffodil; **Spring Glory**, bi-color daffodil; **Bernardino**, *Incomparabilis*; **Red Chief**, *Barrii*; **Lord Kitchener**, giant *Leedsii*; **Golden Sceptre**, jonquilla hybrid; **Horace**, *Poeticus*; **Orange Cup**, *Poetaz*; **The Pearl**, double.

10 each of the 10 varieties, Regular \$15.00, for \$12.50

5 each of the 10 varieties, Regular 7.50, for 6.50

BEARDED IRISES

These are the so-called German Irises—one of the most permanent and worthwhile plants in the garden. This collection has been made up by very careful selection from the hundreds of varieties available. The color range is very wide from white through pinks and lavenders to the dark maroons and purples.

The two main requirements for Bearded Iris growing are sunshine and good drainage. They are not exacting as to soil but lime should be added if it is acid. The plants are best not disturbed for three years when they should be divided and reset about August. Weeds and other plants should not be allowed to crowd the iris plants as they need good aeration particularly in damp weather. The prices quoted are for good strong divisions.

"S" refers to the standards or upright petals. "F" to the falls or lower petals.

Ambassadeur: S. bronzy violet, F. dark velvety maroon. Strong grower. Late. One of the most popular irises in the world.....	35c; 3 for \$1.00
Anna Farr: White feathered blue.....	25c; 3 for 50c
Aphrodite: Very beautiful tall violet-pink of good form and substance. Fragrant.....	\$1.00
Asia: One of the finest irises in cultivation. S. silvery lavender. F. rosy lavender.....	75c
Ballerine: Splendid light blue toned iris with deeper falls. Very large fragrant flowers.....	35c; 3 for 70c
Bruno: A Dominion seedling of the Ambassadeur coloring. S. bronze, F. deep purple of unusual size and quality.....	\$2.00
B. Y. Morrison: Popular bicolor of pale lavender violet and raisin purple.....	25c; 3 for 50c
Cardinal: S. lavender overlaid rose. F. rich velvety prune purple. One of the finest Dominion seedlings.....	\$2.50
Chalice: Rather low growing deep yellow. 25c; 3 for 50c	
Crusader: Striking flower of clear blue. Early, tall and free flowering.....	25c; 3 for 50c
Dream: Very lovely crinkled rose-pink, self color. Vigorous and free flowering.....	25c; 3 for 50c
Gold Imperial: Brilliant chrome yellow throughout except for conspicuous orange beard.....	50c; 3 for \$1.00
Magnifica: Huge flowers on a vigorous plant that come very early. S. light violet blue, F. red violet. 35c; 3 for \$1.00	
Madame Durand: A wonderful combination of buff gold mixed with mauve and lilac. Large flower on well branched stems.....	\$1.00
Mildred Presby: S. white flushed rosy lavender. F. dark velvety pansy violet with narrow edge of white.....	50c
Mile. Schwartz: Lovely pale mauve flowers of large size on tall branching stems. One of the most beautiful light toned irises.....	50c
Morning Splendor: Deep rich red-violet. The large well formed flowers of heavy substance give a beautiful red effect in the garden.....	50c
Mother of Pearl: Large flowers of iridescent shades and lustrous texture.....	25c; 3 for 50c
Mrs. Marion Cran: A brilliant light rose iris on a tall stem. Perfect shape.....	\$1.00
Princess Beatrice: One of the finest of all irises. Lustrous lavender of satiny texture and good substance.....	25c; 3 for 50c
Prospero: Very large blended violet bicolor. Vigorous tall growing variety.....	25c; 3 for 50c
Pumilla: The very early low growing type. Blue-purple flowers six inches high.....	25c; 3 for 50c
Seminole: The effect of this flower is redder than almost any other. A fairly low growing vigorous sort splendid for landscape effect.....	25c; 3 for 50c

- Shekinah:** Clear light yellow deeper toward center. One of the best yellow irises.....25c; 3 for 50c
- Souvenir de Mme. Gaudichau:** Deep rich blue of unusual substance lasting a long time in the garden. 35c; 3 for 70c
- Titan:** A large Dominion seedling of fine substance of a deep violet purple color.....\$1.00
- True Charm:** Tall growing white with etched blue edge. One of the most beautiful plicatas.....50c; 3 for \$1.25
- Zua:** An early white iris of remarkable crinkled texture. Low growing.....20c; 3 for 40c
- Zwannenburg:** A most unusual flower of greenish brown and buff with maroon flakes. Large well formed flower on a short stem.....25c; 3 for 50c

SIBERIAN IRISES

Very ornamental plants with tall slender stems and long grass-like foliage. They succeed best in sunny positions in moist rich soil—fine for planting by the water side. These are two of the best varieties

- Emperor:** Large flower of rich deep violet blue. 4-ft.35c; 3 for \$1.00
- Perry's Blue:** Large well formed flowers of a beautiful shade of sky blue.....35c; 3 for \$1.00

BULBOUS IRISES

The Spanish and Dutch Irises are excellent for planting in the garden, and make splendid cut flowers—lasting a long time. The Dutch are the earlier and the more robust and vigorous growers. They are immediately followed by the Spanish which are graceful flowers on tall slender stems. The newer Dutch Irises are much superior to the older sorts in substance, size and purity of tone and are of greater refinement. Many of them have colorings of orchid-like beauty.

Iris bulbs should be planted early. Cover the bulbs about four inches deep and in the colder sections of the country give them a liberal mulch.

DUTCH IRISES

	Doz.	100
Adrian Bacher: Uniform purple-lilac. Good substance	\$1.00	\$
Albert Cuyp: White with yellow blotch.....	.60	4.00
Anton Mauve: Pearl blue self color.....	.75	4.50
Celestial (Filifolia): Deep sky blue. Similar to Emperor.....	.75	4.50
D. Haring: Very large flower. Good substance. Standards white tinted lilac. Falls pure white	1.00	
Frans Hals: Creamy white and pale blue.....	1.00	6.00
Hart Nibbrig: Beautiful clear blue. Fine.....	1.00	6.00
Hobbema: White shaded light blue. Yellow blotch	.80	5.00
Imperator (Filifolia): Free flowering dark blue. Later than the true Dutch Irises.....	.80	5.00
Leonardo da Vinci: Standards creamy white, falls canary yellow, orange stripe. Large.....	1.00	
Poggenbeek: Fine dark blue. Early. One of the finest blue irises.....	1.00	
Rembrandt: Deep blue with large orange blotch	1.00	

Theresa Van Duyll-Schwartz: Standards pale corn-flower blue. Falls white with narrow orange stripe. Beautiful flower.....	1.00	
Th. Wyck: Beautiful uniform cornflower-blue. Narrow orange stripe.....	1.00	
Wedgewood: (Tingitana Hybrid) Wonderful large flower. Falls blue, standards lighter blue. Earlier than the Dutch Irises.....	2.50	
White Excelsior: Pure white flower of good form and substance.....	1.00	
Yellow Queen: Golden yellow. The best medium priced yellow.	1.00	7.50
Mixed Dutch Irises: A good assortment giving a wide color range.....	.75	4.00

SPANISH IRISES

	Doz.	100
Cajanus: Fine canary yellow with orange blotch.	\$1.00	\$6.00
Flora: Light blue. Tall.....	1.00	6.00
Queen Wilhelmina: Beautiful flower of pure white with small yellow blotch.....	1.00	6.00
Mixed Spanish Irises: Made up of the above and other good sorts.....	.75	4.00

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IRISES, by F. F. Rockwell. A handy guide which will bring you success with irises and show new uses and effects possible in your garden. Describes the dwarf, early, German, Japanese, Siberian, Water, Crested, Spanish, English, Dutch and other types; tells the best soils; what fertilizers to use; how to plant; and what care is necessary. Tells how to propagate stock for your own use. 54 illustrations, 80 pages. \$1.00 postpaid.

GARDEN POOLS: Large and Small by L. W. Ramsey and C. H. Lawrence. A new book which explains with photographs, drawings and text the designing, construction and planting of pools. A beautiful book with jacket and frontpiece in four colors. 27 fine halftones and 13 instructive line drawings. 122 pages. Green rippled silk binding. A splendid gift book. Price \$2.50.

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HINTS ON FORCING BULBS

The most important thing in forcing bulbs is to see that a good root system is established before an attempt is made to bring them into bloom. This one thing is the cause of most of the failures to get good blooms from bulbs. The procedure for most of the bulbs—Tulips, Hyacinths, Daffodils, Crocuses is the same. Pot up the bulbs in a fairly rich soil making sure that provision is made for good drainage. The bulbs need be only barely covered. If dry, water thoroughly. Cover the pots with enough soil, sand or ashes to keep them from freezing or place in a cool dark cellar. Let them remain until well rooted. This will require at least eight to ten weeks for hyacinths and the earliest Single Early Tulips and longer for most of the other things. When well rooted bring into moderate heat but keep out the light, then when the growth has made a good start expose to the full light.

All of the Hyacinths are easily forced. In the Tulips the Single Earlies are earliest, followed by the Double Earlies. Many of the Darwin Tulips do splendidly for March blooming but they should not be kept too warm. Golden Spur is the earliest Daffodil followed by King Alfred.

HARDY LILIES

These beautiful lilies are all of our own raising. They have two large advantages over the imported bulbs: the bulbs are available for planting much earlier in the fall and the home-grown bulbs arrive in a much better condition, for lily bulbs are of a much more perishable nature than other bulbs.

The varieties listed below are all easily grown. For the best results give them a good deep rich soil with shade over their roots—the Madonna lily makes its own shade. They need plenty of moisture with good drainage. A liberal mulch of manure is beneficial.

Auratum Platyphyllum: The most vigorous and healthy type of the wonderful Gold-banded lilies. Enormous white flowers with a golden yellow band through the center of each petal. Large bulbs (9-11 in.) 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen.

Canadense (Meadow Lily): Pretty nodding bell-shaped flowers of bright yellow dotted black. June-July. 2-ft. tall. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

Candidum (Madonna Lily): Pure white fragrant flowers in June and July. One of the most dependable lilies. Do not cover with more than three inches of soil. Must be planted early as it makes leaf growth in the fall. Extra large bulbs. 30c each; \$3.00 per dozen. Second blooming size \$1.50 per dozen.

Regale: One of the finest lilies and easily grown. The center of the trumpet shaped flower is yellow shading to white at the edges. The outside of the petals has shadings of wine and brown. Clumps of them in the perennial border are very attractive. Plant about nine inches deep and feed well. Extra large bulbs 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen. Large bulbs 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen. Medium bulbs 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Speciosum Rubrum Magnificum: The most vigorous and deeply colored type of this lily. Large recurved flowers of rich ruby red and white with crimson spots. Plant 10 inches deep. Large bulbs (9-11 in.) 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen. Medium size bulbs (8-9 in.) 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

Superbum (American Turk's Cap Lily): A beautiful native variety with bright orange-scarlet flowers spotted purplish brown. Height 3 to 6 feet. 30c each; \$3.00 per doz.

Testaceum (Nankeen): A rare lily of a most attractive Nankeen yellow or dull apricot tone with orange anthers. Should be planted early in the fall about four inches deep. In growth and habit it resembles *L. Candidum*. Large bulbs \$1.50 each. Medium bulbs (should bloom first year) 75c each; \$7.50 per dozen.

Tenuifolium (Coral Lily): A brilliant little lily for the rock garden. Many medium sized flowers of coral red on slender stems. 1 to 2 ft. May-June. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

Tigrium: The old-fashioned tiger lily. Easy to grow and well worth while. It likes deep planting with a manure mulch. Many orange-red blossoms on a tall stem. Large bulbs 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen. Medium size bulbs \$1.50 per dozen.

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GARDEN CINDERELLAS, by Helen M. Fox. Expert information on growing lilies by a gardener whose knowledge is proven by her own success. Tells the name of every lily in cultivation, its native home, season of blooming, propagation methods, and every other detail needed for success. Beautifully illustrated in color and half-tone. 50 illustrations. 269 pages. \$5.00 postpaid.

ANEMONES

The Anemones flower with us all through the winter months except during heavy freezing weather. Plant in the autumn covering with only two inches of soil. In cold climates spring planting is probably safer.

St. Brigid: A select Irish strain. The flowers come in a wide range of attractive shades: red, salmon, pink, lavender, blue, purple, etc. The petals are narrow and very numerous. \$1.00 per dozen.

De Caen: The single poppy type. The range of colors is about the same as in the St. Brigid in large poppy-like flowers on good stiff stems. 75c per doz.; \$4.00 per 100.

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MUSCARI

Heavenly Blue: This is the finest sort for mass planting, increasing rapidly and flourishing with very little care. The bulbs stay in bloom over a long period. Either full sun or shade. 40c per dozen; \$2.00 per 100.

Plumosus (The Feather Hyacinth): The pyramidal spikes are made up of petals so narrow that they look like feathers, giving the flower a most unusual appearance. Violet-blue. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

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SCILLAS

Scillas are among the finest bulbs for naturalizing. They do well in sun or shade and are not bothered by insects or rodents. They should be left undisturbed for several years as they form nice clumps that remain in bloom a long while.

Campanulata Alba Maxima: Pure white. Resembles Lily of the Valley blossoms. 15-in. high. 40c per doz.; \$2.50 per 100.

Campanulata Blue: The tall flower spikes carry many bells of beautiful clear blue. 50c per doz; \$3.50 per 100.

Campanulata Rosea: Like the above except that the flowers are a soft rose. 75c per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.

Siberica: Most beautiful bright blue flower of the early spring. Each bulb makes several spikes 3 or 4 inches long of clear bright blue flowers. Plant three inches deep. 50c per doz.; \$3.00 per 100.

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HORTUS, by L. H. Bailey and Ethel Zoe Bailey. A concise Dictionary of Gardening, General Horticulture and Cultivated Plants in North America. This new work by Dr. Bailey, who is recognized everywhere as the leading American authority, is the most important gardening book of recent years. It gives cultural methods, hardiness of plants, special types of horticulture, uses of plants, soil requirements, transplanting and propagation methods, common and botanical names, spelling, definitions of terms, native habitat of plants, present range of cultivation, identification of plants, and practically every other question about plants. 5,290 alphabetical entries; 652 pages. Durable fabrikoid binding. Price \$10.00 post paid.

THE BOOK OF BULBS, by F. F. Rockwell. Will help you grow bulbs successfully for spring, summer, fall, and winter flowering, inside and outside your home. The information in this book tells, and its pictures show how to grow 70 different bulbous plants including tulips, daffodils, hyacinths, lilies, gladiolus, dahlias, peonies, irises, begonias, cannas, bloodroots, and dozens of others. Recommended as the most complete and newest guide to bulb growing. 187 illustrations, 264 pages. New Edition. Former price \$3.00, now \$2.00.

Bulbs and Books for the Rock Garden

Bulbs are particularly fine for the rock garden, affording a wealth of lovely bloom in the early spring before the perennial plants have come into flower. Many of these small bulbs grow much better if they are not disturbed for several years. Then they increase by division or by self-seeding and make splendid clumps.

Besides the bulbs in the collection below there are many others in the catalog that are perfectly at home in the rock garden. The Crocuses with their fall, winter and spring flowering types; the Tulip species; and some of the Narcissi—the variety is wide. Of the Narcissi, Triandrus Albus and Agnes Harvey and the small Daffodil, W. P. Milner, are especially good. Will Scarlet (Inc.) and Early Surprise (Barrii) have short stems and would be suitable for larger rock gardens.

Eranthus Hyemalis (Winter Aconite): With us this is usually the first flower of the season. The flowers are like golden buttercups, above a collar of green leaves, on a stem about 4 inches high. They will grow under trees and soon form nice colonies from self-sown seed. Plant two inches deep. 40c per doz; \$2.50 per 100.

Chionodoxa Sardensis (Glory of the Snow): The earliest chionodoxa and the first real blue flower of another season. The flowers are of rich blue self color in a slender spray on three-inch stems. They do well in full sun or half shade. Plant the bulbs three inches deep. 50c per doz.; \$2.50 per 100.

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