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Herbaceous and Bulbous Plants in Summer and Autumn.*

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BARR'S "PURE" GRASS SEEDS

Produce Beautiful Lawns, Tennis and Cricket Grounds, Public Parks, etc.

Renovate Lawns, etc., in September, after the wear and tear of Summer. For renovating 20 to 30 lbs. of Grass Seed are required per acre.

The following Mixtures of Grass Seeds are all thoroughly cleaned, and cannot fail to give the greatest satisfaction. There are neither clover nor coarse grasses in the mixtures.

To ensure a Fine Lawn, free from weeds and coarse grasses, it is most important that the soil to be sown should be quite clean, that is, free from the seeds of objectionable plants, and the grass seeds used should consist solely of the fine-leaved dwarf-growing grasses. In Sowing Grass Seeds always take advantage of rainy or damp weather, and after sowing, give a slight covering of clean finely-riddled soil; this, followed by rolling, when the soil is sufficiently dry, will ensure a successful vegetation. After this, frequent cutting and constant rolling will be necessary to have a fine smooth lawn.

Barr's "Thames Embankment" Grass Seeds for Parks, a special mixture which has been found very successful on the Thames Embankment, and in the formation and renovation of many public and private parks and squares around London and throughout the country. Per lb., 1/3; per 10 lbs., 11/6; per 20 lbs., 21/; per 56 lbs. and upwards, at the rate of 1/ per lb.

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HOW TO DESTROY WEEDS ON LAWNS.

WATSON'S WEED-DESTROYING LAWN-SAND will kill Daisies, Dandelions, Plantains, etc., on Lawns, Cricket Grounds, etc., and is also a good fertilizer for the grass. Fuller particulars will be sent on application. Sample canisters, 1/; 2/6 and 5/6; per ¼ cwt. 9/6; ½ cwt., 18/; 1 cwt., 34/.

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PHYTOBROMA we can confidently recommend to our Customers as a valuable food for all kinds of plants, being rich in those chemical properties essential to the health and productiveness of vegetable life.

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Exhibitors at Flower Shows will find this a valuable **Manure**.

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Famous "Covent Garden" COLLECTIONS OF BULBS

Sent Prepaid and Box and Packing free on receipt of remittance.

(After 1st November we may find it necessary to make slight changes in the Collections.)

(A) BARR'S "Covent Garden" 21/- COLLECTION of BULBS FOR EARLY FORCING,

Contains **350 Bulbs of fine quality**, as follows:—

12 Choice named Hyacinths	Narcissus (Daffodils)	6 Double Tulip Tournesol
12 Early White Roman Hyacinths	3 " Golden Spur	100 Splendid (named) Crocuses
3 " Blush " "	3 " Pallidus præcox	25 Scilla sibirica
3 " Blue " "	3 " Telamonius plenus	50 Elwes Giant Snowdrop
6 Double Roman Narcissus	3 " Bicolor Horsefieldii	12 Chionodoxa Lucilla
6 Paper White "Early Snowflake" Narcissus	3 " Poeticus ornatus	12 " sardensis
3 Polyanthus Narcissus "Grand Soleil d'Or"	12 Single Tulip, Early Scarlet, "Duc Van Thol"	12 Allium neapolitanum
3 " " Grand Monarque	6 " " Cbrysolora	1 White Bermuda Lily
25 Sweet-scented Single Jonquils	6 " " Cottage Maid	2 Iris reticulata, the beautiful Violet-scented Iris
	6 " " Keizerskroon	12 Freesia mixed hybrids

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For Early Forcing,

42/-, 63/-, 84/-, & 105/-,

Containing an equally liberal assortment of suitable Bulbs of fine quality, as in the 21/- Collection.

(B) BARR'S "Covent Garden" 21/- COLLECTION of BULBS FOR THE GREENHOUSE, SITTING-ROOM, &c.

Containing **300 Bulbs of fine quality**.

Arranged for those who prefer a few sorts only of easily cultivated Winter and Spring-flowering Bulbs.

20 Choice Named Hyacinths	6 Narcissus Telamonius plenus	12 Chionodoxa Lucilla
6 Early Whites Roman Hyacinths	6 " Poeticus ornatus	12 " sardensis
3 Polyanthus Narcissus Grand Monarque	6 Single Tulip Chrysolora	25 Elwes Giant Snowdrop
3 " " "Scilly Isles" White	6 " " Dusart	6 Puschkinia libanetica compacta
3 " " Grand Soleil d'Or	6 " " Princess Marianne	6 Sweet-scented Iris persica
25 Sweet-scented Single Jonquils	6 " " Van Vondel	1 White Bermuda Lily
6 Narcissus Golden Spur	6 Double Tulip Tournesol	12 Milla uniflora
6 " bicolor Empress	100 Splendid (Namsd) Crocus	
	12 Scilla sibirica	

BARR'S "Covent Garden" 12/6 COLLECTION OF BULBS

For the Greenhouse, Sitting-Room, &c.,

In this Collection we give about half the quantity of Bulbs as in the 21/- Collection.

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**(C) BARR'S "Covent Garden" 21/- COLLECTION OF BULBS
FOR THE FLOWER GARDEN,**

Containing **700 Bulbs of fine quality**, most suitable for out-door decoration.

30 Hyacinths, Barr's Rainbow Mixture, large-flowered	25 Double Tulips, Barr's Rain- bow mixture	25 Wood Hyacinths, mixed
6 Polyanthue Narcissi	50 Crocus, large yellow	10 Milla uniflora
5 Daffodils, Queen of Spain	50 " " striped	25 Summer Snowflakes
5 " Obvallaris	50 " " blue	12 Fritillaria, mixed
5 " Princeps	50 " " white	2 Crown Imperials, in two vars.
5 " Pallidus præcox	50 Snowdrops	2 Lilium candidum
5 " Incomparabile	12 Scilla sibirica	2 " tigrinum splendens
Queen Bees	20 Chionodoxa Lucillæ	2 " Thunbergianum, mixed
5 " Leedei amabilis	20 " sardensis	25 Barr's Giant Ranunculus, mixed
5 " Poeticus ornatus	24 Winter Aconites	25 Spanish Irisee, mixed
12 Jonquill Daffodil " Rugulosus"	12 Blue Grape Hyacinth	12 English Irises, mixed
25 Single Tulipe, Barr's Rainbow mixture	12 Allium Moly, yellow	50 Anemone, large-flowered, single, mixed
	25 Star of Bethlehem	

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FOR THE FLOWER GARDEN,

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FOR THE FLOWER GARDEN.

42/-, 63/-, 84/-, & 105/-,

Containing an equally liberal assortment of suitable Bulbs of fine quality, as in the 21/- Collection.

(D) BARR'S "Woodland" 21/- COLLECTION OF BULBS

FOR NATURALIZING IN WOODLANDS, ORCHARDS, WILD GARDENS, etc.,

Containing **1,112 suitable bulbs of fine quality.**

200 Daffodil mixed of all kinds	25 Summer Snowflakee	12 Snakeshead Fritillarias
100 Winter Aconites	25 Dogs' Tooth Violete, mixed	6 Crown Imperiale, mixed
100 Star of Bethlehem, white	25 Anemone, Single, mixed	3 Lilium davuricum, mixed
50 Blue Starch Hyacinthe	12 " apennina	3 " pyrenæicum, yellow
200 Crocuses, mixed	12 " fulgens	3 " candidum
100 Wood Hyacinths, mixed	50 Milla uniflora	12 Gladiolus Colvillei
100 Elwee Giant Snowdrops, <i>small bulbs</i>	25 Allium Moly, yellow	12 " " The Bride
	25 Lily of the Valley, crowns	12 " byzantinus

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Containing half the quantity of the Bulbs enumerated in the above 21/- Collection.

BARR'S "Woodland" COLLECTIONS OF BULBS,

42/-, 63/-, 84/-, & 105/-,

Containing an equally liberal assortment of suitable Bulbs of fine quality, as in the 21/- Collection.

A FEW FINE NOVELTIES & SPECIALITIES

IN BULBS AND TUBEROUS-ROOTED PLANTS.

- each—s. d.
- ALBUCA** Nelsoni, a most beautiful Cape bulb, producing in June handsome spikes of almond-scented flowers, pure white with slight brown stripe (under glass *pure white*). For pot-culture or south wall, ht. 3 ft.per doz. 10/6 1 0
- ALLIUM** Schuberti, a very curious and beautiful new species, having star-like flowers of a pretty rose-lilac colour, radiating from the top of the stem. The bulb is large and of a bright golden colour, hardy, if lightly covered during severe weather in winter, per doz. 10/6 1 0
- ANEMONE** fulgens, Leichtlini, very large handsome flowers, fiery scarlet with white centre; plant under a south wall or in any other warm situation..... 2 6
- „ **Giant Single** “Glory of the South,” this is a grand Anemone; the flowers are single and very large with broad rich brilliant scarlet petals and rich blue-black central boss; a flower of great beauty and fine substanceper 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6 ...
- „ **New Double** “Victoria Giant,” a double strain of this grand Anemone, colours most brilliant and varied, and flowers very large.....per doz. 3/6 0 4
- „ „ „ “La Dame Blanche,” beautiful large white flowers, very faintly tinged rose.....per 100, 15/; per doz. 2/3 0 3
- „ „ „ “Snowball,” very beautiful snowy white flowers, resembling in form a white incurved Chrysanthemumper 100, 35/; per doz. 5/ 0 6
- „ „ „ “Vesuvius,” flowers of perfect form and fully double, rich brilliant scarlet, a most striking flowerper 100, 24/; per doz. 3/6 0 4
- „ “St. Brigid,” a very lovely strain of Poppy Anemones. The flowers are very large, mostly semi-double, and of the most brilliant and varied shades of colour. All have a handsome blue-black central boss. Plants graceful in habit, and remarkably free-floweringper 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6 ...
- „ **stellata**, “Jewel,” a beautiful Starry Windflower, with graceful foliage and beautiful dainty flowers, ruby-violet with silvery white centre.....per 100, 5/6; per doz. 10d. ...
- BRODIAEA** californica, the largest-flowered of all the Brodiaeas, bearing handsome heads of very large rose-purple flowers on thick stems; a valuable acquisition to our Spring flowers, ht. 1½ ft.per doz. 7/6 0 8
- „ **Howellii** lilacina, bearing in Spring clusters of elegant tubular flowers, which are of a pale lavender with white mouth, ht. 1 ft.per doz. 10/6 1 0
- „ **Purdyi**, a remarkably handsome new species, having the pretty dwarf habit of *B. grandiflora*, but bearing heads of large waxy flowers of a rich red-purple colour per doz. 7/6 0 8
- CALOCHORTUS**, New Eldorado Strain of Butterfly Tulips, or Mariposa Lilies, a most lovely new strain of these exquisite flowers, of distinct form, and varying through shades of lilac, deep velvety purple, reddish purple to rich red, pink and salmon, and sometimes cream and light yellow. The four latter shades occur more rarely than the others. They grow freely in light sandy soil and well-drained sunny situations. Very charming in the rock garden and as clumps in the flower border. (For Illustration of *Calochorti*, see page 31.) **1st Class Certificate R.H.S.**per 100, 35/; per doz. 5/ 0 6
- „ **clavatus**, a new and remarkable species of great beauty. The very large golden cup-shaped flowers are lined with yellow hairs, each hair being tipped with an icicle-like point; the flower stems run from 2 feet to 3½ feet high while the long bluish-green foliage lies flat on the groundper doz. 18/ 1 8
- „ **Howelli**, a fine rare species growing about 1½ feet high, with drooping cup-shaped straw-coloured flowers, very hardyper doz. 18/ 1 8
- „ **Nuttallii**, a lovely species with large rich cream-coloured flowers, p. doz. 10/6 1 0
- „ „ **cæruleus**, bearing handsome blue flowers, with or without a deep indigo blotch, new and distinctper doz. 15/ 1 6
- ☞ (For other beautiful **CALOCHORTI**, see page 13.)
- CHIONODOXA** gigantea, Luciliae and sardensis, the most lovely of blue early Spring flowers, see page 14.
- „ **Luciliae rosea** (new), flowers of beautiful soft shades of rose and rose-lilac with white centre.....home-grown bulbs 1 6
- „ „ **alba** (new), white flowers of chaste beauty „ „ „ 1 6
- CROCUS**, beautiful and rare species, gems for rockwork and select borders, see page 16, and *Special Crocus List sent on application.*

- DAFFODILS, new and beautiful varieties for 1897, see *Daffodil Catalogue*. each-s. d.
- DAHLIA, Cactus, New Rose, "Mrs. Renshaw," flowers large and brilliant rose shading to orange-scarlet, centre lighted up by a lemon-yellow shade, the most beautiful of all Cactus Dahlias.....pot-grown roots, per doz. 15/ 1 6
- DODECATEON, American Cowslips or Shooting Stars, Beautiful New Varieties, great improvements on the present known species and varieties. Hardy and of easy culture.
- „ James Cooke, delicate rose-lilac with scarlet-maroon eye, bordered yellow and surrounded by a white halo 1 6
- „ Longfellow, delicate blush, with golden eye, encircled with velvety-maroon, and a halo of white margined carmine 2 6
- „ Rosy Gem, delicate pale rose, with yellow eye encircled with brown, and a halo of white bordered carmine 2 6
- „ Snowflake, pure white, with yellow eye encircled with velvety-maroon 2 6
- „ Victor Hugo, white tinged blush, with conspicuous velvety-maroon eye, bordered golden-yellow..... 3 6
- EREMURUS himalaicus, a most lovely plant from the Himalayas, and one of the hardiest of Eremuri. It attains a height of 5 to 8 feet, bearing dense heads nearly 2 feet long, of large snowy white flowers, with golden anthers, from May to June. It requires a well-drained soil with a north or north-west aspect, protected from cutting winds in spring..... roots of flowering size 7 6
- (For other beautiful Eremuri, see page 19.)
- ERYTHRONIUM Howellii, *true*, a rare and beautiful species, flowers pale yellow with orange centre, dying off a pink shade, leaves mottledper doz. 10/6 1 0
- „ Johnsoni, one of the most beautiful of the Dog's Tooth Violets, colour a beautiful bright rose with yellow centre, and golden anthers. Award of Merit R.H.S., 1897 per doz. 10/6 1 0
- FRITILLARIA alpina, a rare little gem, with small plum-coloured bells heavily tipped bright yellow, ht. 4 in. 2 6
- „ latifolia nobilis (new), the most handsome of *Fritillarias*, flowers very large, of a rich deep blood-red colour, beautifully tessellated inside, ht. 6 inches, *flowered at our Nurseries for the first time in England*per doz. 15/ 1 6
- „ Whittallii (new), a beautiful species, flowers beautifully tessellated inside and out with reddish brown on a yellowish ground. 1st Class Certificate R.H.S., May 1896 per doz. 4/6 0 5
- „ Ehrharti, a handsome rare species, outside plum-purple tipped yellow, inside olive-green, ht. 1 ft. 4 6
- GALANTHUS (Snowdrop) caucasicus grandis, a handsome Snowdrop, very tall, with large flowers, petals very long, tube white, blotched green at mouth 1 6
- „ cilicicus, a grand new species much resembling *G. Fosteri*, but flowering earlier. It is a tall grower with long handsome flowers.....per 100, 24/; per doz. 3 0 0 4
- „ Ikariæ, a beautiful new distinct Snowdrop, with broad glossy light green reflexing foliage, flowers snowy white, inner segments heavily tipped bright green per 100, 21/; per doz. 3/ 0 4
- „ robustus, a beautiful Snowdrop, with shapely flowers of great substance per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6 ...
- GLADIOLUS, Childsii and Nanceianus, the largest flowered and grandest of all Gladioli, see page 23.
- „ Gandavensis, the finest hybrids, see page 22.
- IRIS persica Vogeliana, a beautiful new Iris, flowers larger than *I. persica*, having standards silvery grey with dark veins, and falls deep silvery grey with large claret-coloured blotch 1 0
- „ Spanish, "Princess Ida," one of the most lovely of all. It is a tall stately growing variety bearing freely large flowers, standards white, falls broad and of a delicate primrose colour with a brilliant orange blotch; as a cut flower it surpasses many an orchid in its delicate colouring. This grand Iris should be freely used for filling flower beds and grouping in bordersper 1,000, 30/; per 100, 4/6; per doz. 8d. ...
- „ "Thunderbolt," a noble flower with broad Standards of a rich bronze-purple, and Falls chestnut-brown with striking orange blotch, large and handsome, ht. 2 to 2½ ft. per 100, 12/6; per doz. 1/0 0 2

	each—s. d.
LACHENALIAS, Beautiful New Varieties, raised by the Rev. Theodore Marsh, all decided improvements and valuable additions to this lovely family of plants.	
„ Cawston Gem, yellow, tipped pink, robust grower	per doz. 12/ 1 3
„ Garnet, very early, yellow with deep ruby edge.....	„ 12 1 3
„ Rector of Cawston, rich deep yellow, tipped red, dwarf.....	„ 12/ 1 3
LEUCOJUM (Spring Snowflake), a Beautiful New Species from Andalusia. We regret to say that the collected bulbs we sent out last year under this name turned out to be a species of <i>Dipcadi</i> , which makes a similar bulb to a <i>Leucojum</i> . We should be glad if those who purchased any would kindly communicate with us so that we may put the matter right.	
LILIUM <i>Henryi</i> , a most handsome and elegant Lily discovered lately by Dr. Henry in North China; the flowers resemble in form <i>L. speciosum</i> , but are orange-yellow in colour and freely produced on elegant branching heads, a hardy and vigorous grower, ht. 5 to 6 ft.	5 6
„ <i>Harrisii</i> (The Bermuda Easter Lily), a few special monster bulbs per doz., 15/; 1/6, 2/ &	2 6
LILY OF THE VALLEY, Barr's Giant-flowered English Strain, "Alexandra," a very beautiful strain with large handsome bells, specially suited for out-door culture, but may also be slowly forced in pots or boxes after Christmas per 100, 8/6; per doz. 1/3	...
MILLA <i>Bridgesii</i> , a rare species, bearing large umbels of fine handsome rich deep purple-blue flowers, very handsome, ht. 1 ft.	per doz. 7/6 0 8
MONTBRETIAS, amongst the most brilliantly coloured of flowers and greatly valued for cutting, see page 41.	
MUSCARI <i>conicum</i> "Heavenly Blue," this lovely coloured form was sent us some years ago from Trebizond; the blue is of the brightest and richest shade imaginable, large masses producing a wonderful effect in spring; the flowers have a delightful fragrance and are very valuable for cutting as they last long in water; by far the showiest of all the <i>Muscari</i> . Awarded a Certificate of Merit by the Royal Botanic Society, 1897. See page 42, and <i>Illustration</i> , page 32	per 100, 12/6; per doz. 1/9 0 2
„ <i>neglectum carneum</i> , a rare starch <i>Hyacinth</i> , bearing spikes covered with beautiful bell-shape flowers of a pretty rosy flesh shade	per doz. 12/ 1 3
ORNITHOGALUM <i>pyramidale</i> , a flower of chaste beauty, see page 44, and <i>Illustration</i> , page 30	per doz. 7/6 0 9
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RICHARDIA <i>Pentlandii</i> , the Beautiful Large Golden Calla or Arum Lily, a noble plant with handsome plain deep green foliage and large rich golden-yellow flowers Plants in pots, according to size, each 10/6, 15/, 21/, 30/ &	42 0
„ <i>Rehmanni</i> , The Pink Calla, a beautiful variety which under proper manage- ment may be flowered a beautiful rose-pink; when in bud place in the brightest light possible, to bring out the colour	8 6
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„ Parrot Tulip "Crimson Beauty," a flower of gorgeous beauty, rich deep blood-crimson, with blackish markings, splendid for flower borders or hanging baskets per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6	...
TULIPA <i>Flava</i> , a rare and beautiful Tulip, of tall growth, bearing large flowers of a soft lemon-yellow shade	3 6
„ <i>Kaufmanniana</i> , a rare and beautiful Tulip, bearing early in the season large handsome flowers of elegant form, large broad reflexing petals creamy white with carmine red on reverse, centre yellow	3 6

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BARR'S

Selected Bulbs & Roots for Early Forcing.

CULTURE FOR EARLY BULB FORCING.

Pot the bulbs 3 to 6, or more according to size, in a 4 or 5 inch pot, barely covering the Bulbs with soil. This should be done during August, September, and October, the pots being placed out-of-doors on a bed of ashes, and covered over with a few inches of cocoa-nut fibre or ashes. *There let them remain till the bulbs are well rooted*, and have made a little top growth, when a few pots at a time should be removed to a cold frame and be kept partially shaded for a day or two, after which they should be removed to a moderately warm and *moist* temperature, a plentiful supply of water being then given to the roots. A successional supply of flowers can thus be maintained from November to February.

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CHEAP OFFER

OF

HARDY BULBS AND PLANTS

FOR EXTENSIVE PLANTING

IN SHRUBBERIES, FLOWER BORDERS, ON ROCKWORK, Etc., AND TO NATURALIZE IN
WILD GARDENS, WOODLANDS, ALONG CARRIAGE DRIVES, ON BANKS,
IN GRASS, Etc.; ALSO TO PLANT FOR CUT FLOWERS.

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MUSCARIS, ESTABLISHED ON A HEDGE BANK AT OUR LONG
DITTON NURSERIES.

Year by year we see the taste increasing for the so-called "Wild Garden," or the grouping of hardy subjects in a free and unconventional manner, leaving them to colonize and form themselves into pretty natural groups, such as nature exhibits to us in her woods and copses, and wherever she has been left to reign undisturbed. This phase of gardening is one which must have a great attraction for the lover of hardy flowers; by it, bare and ugly places may be made beautiful, and a charm added to the landscape. Few sights are more beautiful in Spring than such hardy flowers as Daffodils, Snowdrops, Chionodoxas, Muscaris, Anemones, &c., established in grass. The experiment has been successfully made at Kew Gardens, to the great delight of visitors, and this Spring large stretches and slopes of grass-land thus planted presented quite a "Riviera" picture. At the earliest dawn of Spring the following flowers will lighten up the landscape:

with their fresh bright colours: *Winter Aconites, Snowdrops, Early Scillas, Chionodoxas, Early Daffodils, &c.*, followed by *later-flowering Daffodils, Crocuses, Muscaris, Anemones, Star of Bethlehem, Cowslips, Saxifraga Campopit, Late Scillas, Cottage Tulips, &c.* All the foregoing may be grown in grass-land where the grass is not cut till the meadows are mown. On *lawns*, which require cutting earlier, such charming little early flowering subjects as *Snowdrops, Chionodoxas, Early Dwarf Daffodils, and Scillas* may be planted. In places where the grass is not required to be cut, a still wider scope for gardening presents itself, as several of our Summer and Autumn-flowering Lilies may be introduced, as also other tall and stately flowers.

N.B.—We have marked thus † those flowers which will thrive in shady places, under trees, on shady banks, &c., or may be planted in the open border. The variously coloured *Wood Hyacinths* (Blue Bells) will establish themselves freely under Pine and Fir trees and in shady nooks, where scarcely any other flower will thrive, and seen thus they present a lovely sight. § Indicates those bulbs, &c., which are essentially wood plants, and should only be grown in shady situations.

	per 1000.	per 100.	per doz.		per 1000.	per 100.	per doz.		
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		
† Anemone, single, mixed	17	6... 2	0... 0	4	§ Anemone palmata, yellow	21	0... 3	0	
† „ double mixed	35	0... 4	0... 0	8	§ „ ranunculoides, yellow	10	6... 1	6	
† „ single "Bride," snow-white	30	0... 3	6... 0	6	† Allium Moly, yellow	30	0... 3	6... 0	
† „ fulgens, dazzling scarlet .	55	0... 6	6... 1	0	† „ neapolitanum, flowers pure white.....	30	0... 3	6... 0	
† „ apennina, pale blue.....	45	0... 5	0... 0	9	Brodiaea grandiflora, blue, ½ ft.	50	0... 5	6... 0	
„ „ alba		5	6... 0	10	† Bulbocodium vernum	8	6... 1	3	
„ japonica, white, rose, or rose-crimson	each	21	0... 4	0	† Camassia esculenta, purple	40	0... 4	6... 0	
§ „ nemorosa, double white	10	6... 1	6	0	† Chionodoxa Lucilla	30	0... 3	6... 0	
					† „ sardensis, deep true blue.....	30	0... 2	6	0

	per 1000 s. d.	per 100 s. d.	per doz. s. d.		per 1000 s. d.	per 100 s. d.	per doz. s. d.
+Colchicum, see Meadow Saffron.				+Lilium martagon, purple	30	0	4 6
Crocus, in mixture	10	6	1 3	+ ,, pyrenaicum, yellow	30	0	4 6
,, golden-yellow	14	6	1 9	+ ,, tigrinum splendens, scar-	15	0	2 3
,, large purple	16	6	1 9	let, tiger-spotted			
,, large striped	16	6	1 9	+ ,, speciosum rubrum, erim-	35	0	5 6
,, large white	16	6	1 9	son and white			
+Crocus speciosus, bright-blue, autumn-flowering	40	0	5 6	§Lily of the Valley, planting crowns	42	0	4 6
+Crocus, other beautiful species for naturalizing on banks and rockwork, see page 17.				+Meadow-Saffron, autumn-flower-			
+Crown Imperials, in mixture	25	0	3 6	ing, mixed	7	6	1 3
§Cyclamen europæum, erimson	21	0	3 6	+ ,, ,, spring-flowering	8	6	1 3
§ ,, ibericum, mixed	30	0	4 6	+Milla uniflora mixed, white and porcelain blue, ½ ft.	21	0	2 6
§ ,, neapolitanum, with varie-	30	0	4 6	Montbretia crocosmæflora, orange-	45	0	5 0
gated foliage				red			
§ ,, repandum	25	0	3 6	,, Pottsi, scarlet	35	0	4 0
+Daffodils, choice mixed, all sorts, to naturalize	30	0	3 6	+Ornithogalum (Star of Bethlehem)			
+ ,, fine mixed, to naturalize	21	0	2 6	,, umbellatum splendens, white	30	0	3 6
+ ,, Peerless, mixed	30	0	3 6	+ ,, nutans, white and green a valuable cut flower	50	0	5 6
+ ,, Poet's Narcissi, mixed, to naturalize	42	0	5 0	§Polygonatum (Solomon's Seal), tall	12	6	1 9
+ ,, Trumpet varieties, mixed, to naturalize	42	0	5 0	,, ,, dwarf	12	6	1 9
§Dog's-Tooth Violets, purple, rose or white	50	0	5 6	Schizostylis coccinea, scarlet	55	0	6 1 0
§ ,, ,, large-flowered, mixed	55	0	6 1 0	+Scilla sibirica, bright blue	21	0	2 6
§ ,, ,, yellow (E. americanum)	10	6	1 6	,, bifolia, deep blue, dwarf	30	0	3 6
+Feathered Hyacinth (Muscari)	35	0	4 0	+Snowdrops, double or single	21	0	2 6
§Fritillaria meleagris, mixed	50	0	5 6	+ ,, Elwes Giant, Single, bulbs to naturalize	15	0	1 9
+Funkia (the Plantain-Lily of Japan), mixed varieties	21	0	3 0	§Snowflakes, Spring-flowering	65	0	7 6
+Gladolus byzantinus, fine	30	0	3 6	+ ,, Summer-flowering	30	0	3 6
+ ,, Colvillei, erimson-purple	30	0	3 6	Solomon's Seal, see Polygonatum.			
+ ,, The Bride, snow-white	30	0	3 6	+Spiræa japonica, white	30	0	4 6
,, Dwarf Early, mixed	30	0	3 6	+ ,, palmata, erimson	30	0	4 6
,, Brencleyensis, scarlet	45	0	5 0	+ ,, ,, elegans, pink	30	0	4 6
+Grape Hyacinths (Muscari), blue, ½ ft.	15	0	1 9	+Starch Hyacinth (Muscari), large- flowered blue-black	8	6	1 3
+ ,, white	30	0	3 6	+ ,, ,, bright blue (M. armenticum)	65	0	7 6
+Hemerocallis (Day-Lilies)	21	0	3 0	Sternbergia lutea (Lily of the Field), yellow	105	0	12 6
Hyacinths, a beautiful mixture	13	6	2 0	Tulips, Single, beautiful mixture	42	0	4 6
+Hyacinthus candicans, snow- white, handsome, 3 to 6 ft.	55	0	6 1 0	,, Double ,, ,,	42	0	4 6
+ ,, amethystinus, very beau- tiful sky-blue flowers, ½ ft.	55	0	6 1 0	+ ,, May-flowering, Cottagers' mixed	65	0	7 6
+Iris, Bulbous English, mixed	50	0	5 6	+ ,, ,, "English Amateur," mixed	105	0	12 6
,, Spantah, mixed	15	0	1 9	+ ,, ,, "Lord Denman," purple and white, variegated	15	0	2 3
+ ,, Tall Flag, mixed	15	0	2 6	,, ,, Darwin, mixed	65	0	7 6
+ ,, germanica, blue	15	0	2 6	+Wood Hyacinths (Scilla), mixed	30	0	3 6
+ ,, florentina, white	35	0	5 6	+ ,, ,, blue	25	0	3 0
+ ,, Dwarf Flag, in mixture	10	6	2 0	+ ,, ,, white	42	0	4 6
Jonquill, single, sweet-scented	21	0	2 6	+ ,, ,, red	42	0	4 6
§Lenten Roses (Helleborus), mixed	40	0	5 6	+Winter Aconites, yellow	15	0	1 9
+Lilium auratum	35	0	5 6	+Zephyranthes candida) Flower of the West Wind), white	65	0	7 6
+ ,, candidum, white	15	0	2 6				
+ ,, davuricum, mixed reds	15	6	2 6				
+ ,, longiflorum, large white	35	0	5 6				

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OF

BULBS, TUBERS, & PLANTS,

FOR ALL SEASONS AND CLIMATES.

ALPHABETICALLY ARRANGED FOR EASY REFERENCE.

In the following pages we give descriptions, as far as space permits, of the various Bulbs, &c., with general notes as to their cultural requirements, &c. The illustrations are mostly reproductions, on a greatly reduced scale, of sketches and photographs taken at our **Long Ditton Bulb Nurseries**. Great care is taken in the selecting of our Bulbs, those from Holland and France being drawn from the **best bulb farms only**. We pay frequent visits to Holland to inspect crops which we intend drawing from. Of high class Daffodils and Tulips, also of many little rare and beautiful bulbous plants, we are ourselves large growers and are in a position therefore to select for our customers an extra fine quality.

Those marked thus * ripen late and will be ready to send out from the middle of October to March. All other bulbs, etc., are ready for despatch early in September. Orders which embrace earlier and later ripening bulbs, etc., will be executed therefore in two parts.

The height of the plants given in feet and inches. In most cases Cultural Notes are added. each—s. d.

***ABOBRA VIRIDIFLORA**, an elegant half-hardy perennial *scarlet-fruited* climber; plant outdoors in Spring and lift the tubers in Autumn, storing them in dry sand in a cool place away from frost.....per doz. 5/6 0 6

***ACHIMENES**, these make charming pot-plants for the greenhouse, and are very decorative with their brilliantly coloured elegant flowers; pot in rich light soil in Spring and start in bottom heat. 12 beautiful varieties, 1 root each, 3/6; 3 roots each, 12 varieties, 8/6

ACONITE—WINTER. See Winter Aconite.

AGAPANTHUS (African Lily), valuable pot-plants for the greenhouse, and when grown in tubs on terrace walks and lawns few plants have a more noble look; very effective planted out by streams, lakes, and ponds. During severe winters they should be covered, or in very cold climates be taken indoors until Spring, water being given only sparingly. This plant is a gross feeder, and likes a rich soil and plenty of moisture while in growth.

umbellatus, handsome umbels of rich blue flowers	per doz. 7/6	0 9
.. maximus, same colour as above, but with larger flowers		1 3
.. albus, handsome umbels of white flowers		1 6
.. Mooreanus, small blue flowers in graceful umbels	per doz. 7/6	0 9

ALBUCA, decorative greenhouse Cape bulbs, which may also be planted out under a south wall. Roots supplied during September and October only.

canaliculata, produces handsome trusses of very fragrant golden flowers, 1½ ft.	2 6	
Nelsoni, a lovely flower. See <i>Novelty List</i> , page 3.	per doz. 10/6	1 0

ALLIUM, a decorative and showy family of hardy spring and summer-flowering bulbs, valuable alike for borders or rockwork and for naturalizing in woods, &c. *A. neapolitanum* is easily forced, and the cut blooms are extensively used for vases and table bouquets.

acuminatum, a beautiful species, with bright rose-coloured flowers in umbels, 1 ft.	per doz. 1/6	0 2
azureum, handsome intense blue flowers, quite hardy, 2 ft.	" 3/6	0 4
cyaneum, pretty deep blue flowers in clusters, ½ ft.	established in tufts, per pot	1 0
karataviense, remarkable for its very large broad glaucous-green handsome foliage, ½ ft. per doz.	10/6	1 6
Moly, bright yellow flowers in umbels, very showy, 1 ft.	per 100, 3/6; per doz. 6d.	...
neapolitanum, an elegant bouquet flower largely grown for the market; it produces numerous heads of graceful white flowers, ht. 15 inches	per 100, 3/6; per doz. 6d.	...
Ostrowskianum (syn. orcophyllum), a charming species from Asia Minor, with large heads of beautiful rose-coloured flowers, 2 ft.	per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6	...
pedemontanum (syn. narcissiflorum), rose-purple, drooping bell-shaped flowers in clusters, beautiful and very distinct, ¾ ft.		1 6
pulchellum, graceful heads of charming bright rosy-purple flowers, in July, ¾ ft.	per doz. 4/6	0 5
.. flavum, small canary-yellow flowers in graceful drooping umbels, very charming, July-flowering, ¾ ft.	per doz. 3/6	0 4
Rosenbachianum, large purple-rose flowers, 2½ ft.	" 7/6	0 8
triquetrum, white, striped green, graceful drooping umbels, pretty, 1 ft.	per 100 5/6; " 10d.	...

* We also grow many other species of **Alliums** not mentioned above.

***ALSTRÖMERIA**, these beautiful "**Peruvian Lilies**" are very easy to cultivate, and produce in Summer abundance of charming cut flowers, which last long in water. Their showy and attractive flowers render them most valuable border plants. Plant 6 inches deep, and by preference close to a wall, protecting the first winter, with leaves or litter. **A. pelegrina** plant on a warm sunny border, and protect every Winter, or grow in frames

ALSTROMERIA—*continued.*

<i>aurantiaca</i> , flowers rich orange, spotted carmine, very showy, 3 ft. (See <i>Illustration</i> , page 32.)	each—s. d.
	per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6 0 2
<i>chilensis hybrida</i> , mixed, beautiful shades of rose, crimson, orange, yellow, buff, and blush, with yellow and crimson markings, valuable as cut flowers	per 100, 12/6; per doz. 1/9 0 2
<i>lutea</i> , bright yellow flowers with carmine spotting, very pretty, 3 ft.....	10/6; ,, 1/6 0 2
<i>pelegrina alba</i> , white, very chaste and beautiful flowers } grow under a South wall {	5/6 0 6
„ <i>rosea</i> , rose-coloured flowers, beautifully spotted } or in frames. {	4/6 0 5
<i>psittacina</i> (The Parrot Flower), bright crimson flowers splashed green and mahogany, 3 ft.	per 100, 15/; ,, 2/3 0 3
<i>pulchra</i> (tricolor), white and yellow flowers, striped and blotched crimson.....	3/6 0 4

***AMARYLLIS, Large-Flowered (HIPPEASTRUM), CHOICE GREENHOUSE VARIETIES.** These magnificent *Amaryllises* are grand plants in the conservatory, and to cut for table bouquets and vases, and with management, may be had in bloom for many months. The unnamed seedlings quoted we specially recommend; they are from the best collection in Europe, and are sure to please, both as regards variety, beauty of colour and size of flowers. *The bulbs we offer are of large flowering size, and will bloom the first season.*

CULTURE.—Immediately after potting, place in a moist warm temperature, and plunge the pot to the rim in a gentle, steady, moist bottom heat; thus treated, a vigorous leaf growth is produced, and a strong stem with a fine umbel of large flowers secured. In the absence of bottom heat they do well in any ordinary greenhouse or sunny sitting-room window. On the South Coast of England and in many parts of Ireland and the West Coast of Scotland, these beautiful *Amaryllises* may be grown outside, under south walls, planted one foot beneath the surface, and protected with litter or leaves during winter.

AMARYLLIS, BARR'S CHOICE UNNAMED HYBRIDS, Flowering Bulbs, purchasers are sure to be satisfied with the flowers, and have a good chance of getting new varieties of exceptional beauty. per dozen, 25s.; each, 2s. 6d.

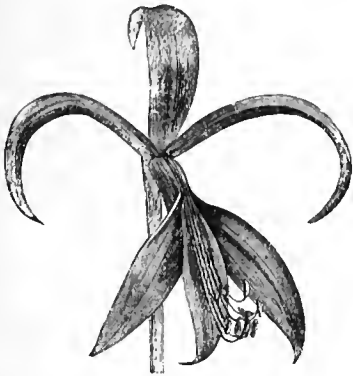
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These we can strongly recommend for their large flowers, of excellent form, and rich colours.

12 extra fine varieties for exhibition	£9 9 0	12 fine varieties	£3 3 0
6 „ „ „	5 0 0	12 good varieties	2 2 0
12 very fine varieties	7 7 0		

AMARYLLIS

Belladonna (The Belladonna Lily), bearing umbels of beautiful large white flowers flushed and tipped soft rose. If planted in light soil, against a south wall or other warm situation, at the depth of one foot, this bulb when established will bloom freely every yearper doz. 7/6 0 9



AMARYLLIS FORMOSISSIMA.

**formosissima* (Jacobeia Lily), beautiful large quaintly shaped dark crimson flowersp. 100, 35/; p. doz. 4/ 0 5
 „ *glauca*, differs only from above in the colour being a striking crimson-scarlet p. 100, 35/; p. doz. 4/ 0 5
 * The *Jacobeia* Lilies may be grown in pots and forced, or be planted in the open in April for summer-flowering.

AMORPHOPHALLUS, curious and ornamental

bulbous plants from the tropics, interesting as pot plants and valuable for sub-tropical bedding. The tubers should be kept dry and away from frost during Winter, and may be planted outdoors March to April, 8 inches deep.

campanulatus, a very curious species, flowers very large, dark red and black, and produced close to the ground 2 0

Rivieri (Umbrella Arum), a very handsome plant, with large palmate palm-like leaves 2 to 3 ft. in diameter, on a white spotted stem; makes a charming pot plant for a room4-year-old bulbs 2 6
 „smaller bulbs 1 6

ANEMONE, or WINDFLOWER (See also *Novelty List*, page 3).

For brilliancy of colour few flowers can compare with the *Anemone*, which in Spring produces its masses of bloom in endless variety of shades, scarlets, crimsons, roses, blushes, lilacs, blues, purples, and white, all of which for cutting are valuable, lasting long in water. For beds, edgings, and masses, in the borders it is matchless, and may be had in bloom, weather permitting, from November to July, according to situation, locality, and time of planting.

CULTURE.—Any good soil, moderately well drained, suits the *Anemone*. Plant in succession *A. coronaria* varieties from October to May, the roots four to six inches apart, at a depth of two to three inches, choosing a dry day, and when the ground is in good working condition. *The plantings for Summer and Autumn-flowering should be in a situation where the ground is moist, and in shade from the sun's rays after 10 or 11 a.m., and well sheltered from cutting east winds.* If grown as pot-plants, put three tubers in a four inch pot, and plunge out of doors for a time.

ANEMONES, FOR BEDS AND MASSES, Barr's Double Poppy. (A. coronaria varietles.)

The flowers of the Double Poppy Anemone resemble a semi-double Hollyhock, and are extremely handsome. When planted from October to December, they flower in succession during the early Spring months, while those planted from January to April flower in succession from April to July. Each amateur should plant Autumn and Spring, and find out which is best for his soil and climate.

		s.	d.			p. 100, p. doz.	
		s.	d.			s.	d.
250	ln 25 splendid new varieties	15	0	50	ln 25 splendid new vars. 3/6	7	6...1 3
100	,, 25 ,,	6	6	Splendid new varieties in mixture		7	6...1 3
Double Anemone, Barr's splendid mixed, all colours.....per 1000, 35/				4 0...0 8			
,,	,, "Bluebeard," rich dark blue, large-flowered					10	6...1 6
,,	,, "Blush Beauty," white, flaked, and shaded delicate rose-pink, beautiful					7	6...1 3
,,	,, "Chapeau de Cardinal," large cerise-scarlet flowers					6	6...1 0
,,	,, "Fire King," large, bright showy scarlet					7	6...1 3
,,	,, "La Dame Blanche" (new), see <i>Novelties</i> , page 3.					15	0...2 3
,,	,, "Rose de Nice," delicate rose, beautiful and distinct					6	6...1 0
,,	,, "Snowball" (new), see <i>Novelties</i> , page 3.					35	0...5 0
,,	,, <i>Vesuvius</i> (new), see <i>Novelties</i> , page 3.					24	0...3 6
Double Chrysanthemum-flowered, splendid mixed, a beautiful and distinct strain of the double Poppy Anemone, remarkable for large Chrysanthemum-shaped handsome flowers .....				... 3 0			

ANEMONES, BARR'S SINGLE POPPY (Coronaria varieties) for Beds and Masses.

These handsome Single Anemones have large beautiful saucer-shaped poppy-like blossoms, and during mild seasons, or in sheltered situations, flower continuously throughout the Winter and Spring. Those planted in early Spring are very gay in May or June.

New large-flowered Victoria Giant (also called <i>Empress</i> or <i>Caen Anemones</i>), a magnificent race of Single Poppy Anemones with immense saucer-shaped flowers and colours of the greatest brilliancy and variety, per 100, 4/6; per doz. 3d.	
,, ,, Victoria Giant Double , see <i>Novelty List</i> , page 3.	
,, ,, White "The Bride," flowers snow-white, large and very beautiful, per 1000, 30/; per 100, 3/6; per doz. 6d.	
,, ,, Intense Brilliant Scarlet , with silvery-white centre, a grand showy variety, per 1000, 21/; per 100, 2/6; 4d. per doz.	
,, ,, Beautiful Rich Blue , per 1000, 30/; per 100, 3/6; per doz. 6d.	
Fine Mixed , all colours, per 1000, 17/6; per 100, 2/; per doz. 4d.	

For St. Brigid's Beautiful Anemones and Barr's Giant Anemone, "Glory of the South," see *Novelty List*, page 3.

ANEMONE STELLATA, The Starry Windflower of the Riviera, or Peacock Anemone.

These Starry-flowered Single Anemones are remarkable for variety of brilliant colours, elegant flowers, and graceful foliage. A light well-drained soil in a warm sheltered situation suits them best; on rockwork they look charming; they also make good pot-plants, six roots in a pot. *Plant September, October, and November.*

		p. 100, p. doz.
		s. d. s. d.
Choice mixture of beautiful shades of rose, brick-red, scarlet, ruby, etc., valuable for cutting	10	6...1 6
" Jewel ," ruby-violet, with silvery-white centre, a most beautiful shade	7	6...1 3
" Scarlet Gem ," brilliant crimson-scarlet flowers with silvery centre, very showy	15	0...2 3

ANEMONE FULGENS, The Beautiful Starry Windflower of the Pyrenees, etc.

Anemone fulgens with its rich *dazzling scarlet* flowers, and light elegant growth, is the most brilliant and graceful of all Winter and Spring-flowering Anemones. It is invaluable for table bouquets or vases, as it lasts a long time in water. If the roots are planted early in Autumn, flowers may be gathered, weather permitting, from Christmas; its hardiness is beyond all question, so that roots may be safely planted any month from August to May. This brilliant flower should be used largely in wild gardens, orchards, woodlands, on half shady banks, &c. *The plantings made April and May should be in a situation where in summer the ground is moist, and the sun's rays do not fall on them after 10 or 11 a.m. If grown as pot plants plunge out of doors for a time.*

		p. 100, p. doz.
		s. d. s. d.
Anemone fulgens , flowers beautiful rich dazzling scarlet (see <i>Illustration</i> , page 30) p. 1000, 55/	8	5... 1 3
,, ,, annulata , rich clear brilliant scarlet, with glittering silvery white ring at base, and rich black central boss, a charming flower	10	6... 1 6
,, ,, grandiflora , a very handsome large-flowered variety of the above	25	0... 3 6
,, ,, græca , a beautiful species from Greece, flowers deep rich glowing crimson-scarlet, with broad petals and black central boss	21	0... 3 0
,, ,, Leichtitini , see <i>Novelty List</i> , page 3.		
,, ,, multipetala , an elegant variety, with a multitude of graceful rich dazzling scarlet petals, and a black central boss	8	6... 1 3
,, ,, "Southern Star," flowers large rich dazzling scarlet, with white base and black central boss, handsome and beautiful	10	6... 1 6

Barr's "Thames Embankment" Grasses, see page 2 of Cover, Sow in September.

ANEMONES, various Beautiful Species.

Anemone apennina, the blue Mountain Windflower, forms a dense cushion of rich blue, and is one of the loveliest of dwarf Spring flowers. Mr. William Robinson in his paper at the Conference on Hardy Flowers described its fine effect when planted in meadows or near to large elm trees. Where Daffodils are naturalized this lovely flower and *A. blanda* should be freely planted, the effect obtained being most charming. *A. blanda* resembles *A. apennina* in flower, but blooms a month earlier. The varieties of *Anemone nemorosa* (The Wood Anemone) literally carpet the ground with their charming flowers. Being shade loving plants they should be planted under trees or in shady nooks on rockwork. *A. nemorosa Robinsoniana* is remarkably beautiful, and *A. nemorosa bracteata* may be called "the Jack in the Green" of Anemones, the white petals resting on green bracts. All the above-named species are exceedingly charming established on rockwork, and are beautiful as pot-plants.

	each—s. d.		each—s. d.
Apennina , beautiful single sky-blue flowers, as large as a half-crown, very hardy and free flowering, a gem for the rock-garden and hardy border, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft., per 100, 45/; per 100, 5s.; per doz. 9d. ...		Nemorosa bracteata fl. pl. , white florets, resting on green bracts, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft., p. doz. 6/6	o 8
„ alba , white, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. ....per 100, 5/6 ...		„ alba fl. pl. , double, pure white, beautiful, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. ...p. 100, 10/6; p. doz. 1/6	o 2
		„ rosea fl. pl. , double pink, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. per doz. 4/6	o 5
Blanda (The Grecian, <i>Blue Windflower</i>), brilliant deep blue $\frac{1}{2}$ ft., per 100, 17/6; per doz. 2/6	o 3	„ Robinsoniana , sky-blue, very beautiful, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft., .....per doz. 6/6	o 8
„ cypriana , flowers from white to pale blue and lilac...per doz. 5/6	o 6	Palmata , yellow, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.	„ 3/ o 4
„ scythnica , white, shaded blue... 1 6		„ alba , pure white, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.	„ 4/6 o 5
„ var. taurica , flowers ranging from light to very deep blue, p. doz. 7/6	o 8	Ranunculoides (<i>The Yellow Wood Anemone</i>), yellow, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6	o 2

For *Anemone japonica* vars., *pulsatilla*, *rivularis*, *sylvestris*, and other beautiful *Anemone* plants, see our *Hardy Plant Catalogue*, free on application.

***ANOMATHECA**

	each—s. d.
cruenta , a charming bulbous plant, with small bright scarlet, crimson-blotched flowers in July and August; very pretty as edgings out of doors, on rockwork, or in pots, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft., plant in Spring .....per 100, 8/6; per doz. 1/3	...
„ grandiflora , flowers very large and handsome, bright scarlet, blotched crimson, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.	2 6

***ANTHOLYZA**

coccinea , a very beautiful bulbous plant, bearing in summer handsome spikes of gorgeous vermilion-scarlet flowers on a reddish brown stem; <i>treatment same as or late Gladioli</i>per doz. 3/6	o 4
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***APIOS**

tuberosa , a rapid growing elegant hardy deciduous climber, for arbours, trellises, etc. ...per doz. 2/6	o 3
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ARUM

curious and interesting border plants, more or less handsome. They should be given choice spots on the border or rockwork. As pot plants they are very ornamental. *Dracunculus* and *Italicum* are quite hardy; the other species require winter protection such as ashes, leaves, litter, or cocoa fibre, and should be grown by preference in light loamy soil on a sunny border.

oornutum (<i>syn. Sauromatum guttatum</i>), red flowers, spotted black, stems curiously marbled, handsome foliage .....per doz. 2/6	o 3
crinitum , flowers reddish brown, and of immense size, stem marbled „ 7/6	o 8
Dioscoridis spectabile , a magnificent species bearing handsome blackish-purple flowers, taller and later to bloom than <i>A. palastinum</i> .....per doz. 10/6	1 0
dracunculus , large purple-red and black-blue flowers, marbled stem, very handsome „ 4/6	o 5
italicum , flowers greenish white, followed by spikes of scarlet berries, leaves spotted „ 1/6	o 2
palastinum (<i>syn. sanctum</i>), The Sacred Black Calla from Lebanon , flowers velvety black inside, olive-coloured outside, sweet-scented, handsome ornamental foliage, spring-flowering (see <i>Illustration</i> , page 30).....per doz. 5/6	o 6

BABIANA

the flowers range in colour from blue to the richest crimson-magenta, and are set off by a dark green hairy foliage. They form a striking contrast both in flower and foliage to the Sparaxis and Tritonia, but have the same fine dwarf compact growth; the three are good companion plants for pots, rockeries, or the front of borders. Culture same as for the Ixia, see page 36.

Extra choice mixture, of many beautiful coloursper 100, 12s. 6d.; per doz. 1/9

***BEGONIA**

Barr's Large-flowered English Bedding varieties in separate colours , scarlet, crimson, rose, salmon, pink, white, orange, and yellow .....each colour, per 100, 35/; per doz. 5/	
Choice mixed large-flowered varieties for bedding..... „ 24/; „ 3/6	
Barr's Handsome Exhibition English Single Begonias for pot-culture , having a stiff erect habit and large round-bellied flowers of fine form and substance, cannot be surpassed. In separate selected colours, per doz., 10/6, 15/, 21/, & 35/	
Barr's Handsome Exhibition English Double Begonias for pot-culture , flowers of grand form equalling camellias in symmetry, and of brilliant colours, best named sorts ...per doz., 15/ & 25/	
Barr's Bedding Double Begonias, mixed , in good variety of colour .....per doz. 7/6	

BELLADONNA AND GUERNSEY LILIES, see *Amaryllis*, page 10, and *Nerine*, page 44.

Barr's Tulips were awarded a Gold Medal, 1896 and 1897.

each—s. d.

***BESSERA**
elegans, a beautiful Mexican bulbous plant with graceful umbels of drooping bell-shaped, bright scarlet flowers; grow in pots for indoors, or plant on rockwork in Spring, 1 ft.per doz. 5/6 o 6

BLOOMERIA
aurea, beautiful umbels of golden-yellow flowers, striped brown, hardy, 1 ft.per doz. 3/6 o 4

BOBARTIA aurantiaca, a beautiful summer-flowering bulb. See *Homertia*.

BOMAREA, magnificent greenhouse plants; they grow best in a compost of equal parts rough sand, turfy loam, and peat. While in growth, manure water should occasionally be given.

salsilla (*syn. oculata*), a beautiful climbing species, purple-spotted, red flowers in clusters, for greenhouse or warm positions outdoorsper doz. 3/6 o 4

***BOUSINGAULTIA**
baselloides, an elegant climber and a valuable plant for hanging baskets, window boxes, rustic tubs, etc., leaves pale green and fleshy, flowers white and hawthorn-scented, hardy on dry rockwork, or in well-drained sunny situations.....per 100, 15/; per doz. 2/ o 3

***BRAVOA**
geminiflora, a handsome hardy plant, long racemes of beautiful orange-scarlet drooping flowers; charming in pots and valuable for the flower border, 1½ ft.per doz. 4/6 o 5

BRODIEA, a very beautiful family of hardy bulbs, well deserving a place in every choice border or for select nooks on rockwork.

coccinea (*Fire-Cracker of California*), handsome crimson flowers, tipped green, 1½ ft... per doz. 3/6 o 4

congesta, lilac, flowers in rosettes, valuable as a cut flower, 2 ft. " 1/ ...

grandiflora, charming bright blue flowers, quite hardy, a most valuable dwarf spring flower for edgings, masses, &c., ½ ft.per 100, 5/6; per doz. 1cd. ...

Hendersoni, handsome umbels of chrome-yellow flowers, striped violet o 9

Howellii, umbels of beautiful large white flowers, striped blue, 1½ ft. o 9

volubilis, a lovely twining species, which if supported will attain a height of 4 or 5 feet, bearing a terminal cluster of pretty rose-coloured flowers; a light covering during winter is advisable p. doz. 6/ o 7

For *Brodieas*—*Californica*, *Howellii* lilacina, and *Purdyi*, new and rare species, see *Novelty List*, page 3.

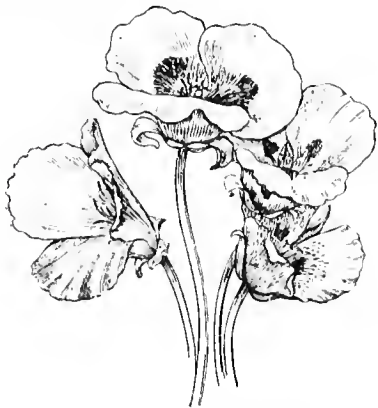
BULBOCODIUM

vernum, early in Spring this fine bulb produces a mass of bright rose-purple flowers close to the ground; valuable for edgings, rockwork, and naturalizing in grass, hardy, ½ ft.per 100, 8/6; per doz. 1/3 ...

***CALADIUM**, perhaps the most beautiful and picturesque of foliage stove plants,
 12 in 12 beautiful named varieties 15/, 24/, & 42/
 6 in 6 " " " 7/6, 12/, & 21/
esculentum, a handsome foliage plant for sub-tropical gardening, or for pots. If the tubers are started in heat in March they will produce nice plants ready for putting out in June; in Autumn, at the approach of cold weather, cut down all the leaves except the centre one to within an inch or two from the crown, and a few days after take the tubers up and store in sand in a dry cool place away from frost until Spring I 6

CALLA, or Arum Lily. See *Richardia*.

CALOCHORTUS, the Butterfly Tulips or *Mariposa Lilies of California*, possessing such delicacy



A GROUP OF CALOCHORTI.

and brilliancy of colour that the most unobservant are struck with their characteristic beauty. They bloom from June to July, and are easily grown in any good light sandy well-drained soil in a sunny situation, such as the foot of a south wall or the sunny part of a rockery. *C. amoenus* and *pulchellus* prefer a little shade and do best in a loose porous soil, made up chiefly of leaf-mould. Plant from September to November, and during Winter a light covering of straw, fern-bracken or similar material might with advantage be used to keep off heavy rains. As pot-plants (several bulbs in a pot) they are charming. We offer only strong cultivated bulbs.

Selection of 1 each of 12 beautiful distinct sorts, 7/6.

amoenus (*Cyclobottra*), resembling in form and habit *C. pulchellus*, but of a charming rose colour, dwarf per doz. 6/6 o 7

Gunnisoni, a fine Colorado species; large pure white flowers with yellowish green centre per doz. 4/6 o 5

Kennedyi, brick-scarlet, with black central blotches, very distinct and beautiful..... I 3

longibarbatius, beautiful rose-lilac, with red-purple inner ring, very distinct per doz. 10/6 I 0

luteus, golden yellow with reddish-brown blotches at base..... " 3/6 o 4

OALOCHORTUS—*continued.*

	each—s. d.
Lyoni , white flushed lilac, with reddish brown centre, very distinct and beautiful	1 0
Plummeræ (<i>new</i>), bearing a branching spike of numerous very large soft lavender flowers, the inside of each petal is covered with golden hairs	per doz. 12/ 1 3
pulchellus (<i>Cyclobotbra</i>), charming pendant flowers resembling little golden-yellow globes, dwarf	per doz. 3/6 0 4
splendens , large pale purple-lilac flowers, inside petals covered with long cobweb-like hairs, very beautiful	per doz. 4/6 0 5
ruber (<i>new</i>), large deep red-purple flowers, with dark spot in centre	" 5/6 0 0
VENUSTUS VARIETIES , flowers all large and of beautiful form.	
citrinus , delicate lemon, with dark crimson blotch, very beautiful ..	" 3/6 0 4
pictus , a very lovely variety, flowers large pure white, with red blotch on a lemon ground. Award of Merit R.H.S.	per doz. 4/6 0 5
purpurascens , beautiful large purplish lilac, and creamy white with purple centre. Award of Merit R.H.S.	per doz. 3/6 0 4
roseus , large rose, inside rosy white, blotched deep rose, early. Award of Merit R.H.S.	per doz. 4/6 0 5
Vesta , a great beauty, one of the best and the freest grower, flowers very large, white to blush-white, with centre beautifully marked maroon-crimson and yellow ..	per doz. 5/6 0 6

NEW ELDORADO STRAIN in mixture, flowers of exquisite grace and beauty, specially recommended, see *Novelty List*, page 3.

For new and rare species—**CLAVATUS**, **HOWELLII** and **NUTTALLII**, see *Novelty List*, page 3.

CAMASSIA, very handsome hardy bulbous plants for flower borders and to naturalize.

Cusickii, a handsome new species, forming a rosette of broad glaucous foliage from which rise tall spikes of large pale blue flowers with yellow anthers, 1½ ft.

esculenta, pretty star-shaped blue flowers, in long graceful racemes, 1½ ft. per 100, 4/6; per doz. 8d. ...

esculenta Leichtlini, large creamy white flowers, 2 ft., rare

Fraseri, a distinct species from California, with pretty delicate pale blue flowers, 1 ft. per doz. 4/6 0 5

***CANNAS**

Crozy's New Large-flowered Dwarf hybrids mixed, their handsome foliage, gorgeously coloured flowers, and fine dwarf habit, render these Cannas of great value for filling beds and grouping in borders; *treatment same as for Dahlias* per doz. 7/6 0 8

Crozy's New Large-flowered Named varieties per doz. 10/6 & 15/

CHINESE SACRED LILY, see page 43.

CHIONODOXA (Glory of the Snow).

Chionodoxa Lucillæ (*The Glory of the Snow*), the most beautiful of all dwarf blue spring-flowers, and unsurpassed for edgings and masses in flower borders and on rockwork; colour *deep Nemophilæ-blue, with clear snow-white centre*. Mr. George Maw, in describing the circumstances under which he found the *Chionodoxa Lucillæ*, says, "At the lower level it was out of flower, but near the summit of the mountain a mass was met with in full splendour, forming one of the most stupendous displays of floral beauty I ever beheld." We were awarded a **First-Class Certificate** for this lovely flower by the R. H. S.

Home-grown Bulbs.....per 1000, 30s.; per 100, 3s. 6d.; per doz. 6d.

 " " **extra selected**, per 1000, 40s.; per 100, 4s. 6d.; per doz. 8d.

 " " **very large, for forcing**. per 100, 5s. 6d.; per doz. 10d.



CROZY'S LARGE-FLOWERED DWARF CANNAS.



CHIONODOXA LUCILLÆ.

CHIONODOXA—continued.



CHIONODOXA SARDENSIS.

rockwork or in front borders produce a lovely effect, while as a pot-plant (several bulbs in a pot) it affords a valuable decoration for the greenhouse and sitting-room. Awarded First-Class Certificate R.H.S.,

Home-grown Bulbs.....	per 1000, 50s.;	per 100, 6s.;	per doz. 1s.
" " extra selected	" 70s.;	" 8s. 6d.;	" 1s. 3d.
" " very large, for forcing.....	" 10s. 6d.;	" 1s. 6d.	

Chionodoxa Tmolusii, a valuable species for succession; it blooms later than *C. Lucillæ*, the blue is more intense and the white centre largerper 100, 7/6; per doz. 1/3
 For Two Beautiful New Chionodoxas, see *Novelty List*, page 3.

The Chionodoxa is now so widely known and appreciated, it is almost unnecessary to say anything in its praise. Mr. William Robinson strongly recommends it for naturalizing, and, we may add, that, so treated, the Chionodoxas will afford a lasting pleasure. The species offered are real gems amongst spring flowers. For a fine immediate effect plant the bulbs close together.

COLCHICUM (Meadow Saffron), the great *Crocus*-like flowers carpet the ground in September and October, with colours ranging from pure white to intense crimson. The foliage appears in Spring, and is almost as varied as the flowers; in some have large massive leaves, others small and frill-like; a grand bulb to naturalize in grass.

autumnale album , large pure white flowers	per 100, 15/;	per doz. 2/3	0 3
" " plenum , pure white, large and very double, <i>very scarce</i>			3 6
" " atro-purpureum , deep purple, striped pale pink, very dwarf	per doz.	3/6	0 4
" " plenum , lilac, large and very double.....	per 100, 15/;	" 2/3	0 3
" " roseum , a charming rosy lilac colour	" 15/;	" 2/3	0 3
" " plenum , large double flowers	" 15/;	" 2/3	0 3
" " striatum plenum , very pretty double striped flowers	" 21/;	" 3/	0 4
Bivonæ , large rosy lilac flowers, a fine species		" 4/6	0 5
byzantinum , very beautiful rose-coloured flowers, perfect in form, and produced in great profusion	per doz.	5/6	0 6
Parkinsoni , petals gracefully reflexed, and beautifully chequered rose-lilac and white, a remarkably striking flower	per 100, 30/;	per doz.	4/6 0 5
Sibthorpi (new), the largest of the <i>Colchicums</i> , flowers handsome rosy purple chequered			3 6
speciosum rubrum , intense dark ruby-crimson, petals of great substance, very large and handsome	per doz.	7/6	0 8
szovitzianum , pretty small rose-coloured flowers, a very pretty species.....	per 100 10/6;	" 1/3	0 2
variegatum (<i>syn. tessellatum and agrippinum</i>), chequered rose-purple and white, a very pretty and showy flower	per 100, 10/5;	per doz.	1/9 0 2
mixed Colchicums , for naturalizing in wild gardens, woodlands, &c.	7/6;	" 1/3	...
<i>Pretty small Winter and Early Spring-flowering species.</i>			
crociflorum , small white flowers, lined purple-violet, February, ht. 3 inches.....			2 6
montanum , a beautiful little species throwing up a profusion of flowers, rose to blush-white, ht. 3 in.		per doz.	10/6 1 0

***COMMELINA**

tuberosa, a fine border plant, blossoms of the richest blue, with continuous succession of flowers during Summer and Autumn; plant in Spring, ½ ftper 100, 12/5; per doz. 2/ 0 3

***CRINUM**, grand warm greenhouse plants, with large umbels of funnel-shaped flowers. *C. Moorei* may be successfully grown and flowered out of doors, planted under the south wall of a stove or warm greenhouse, and protected during winter with a little straw.

augustum , a noble species, bearing immense heads of bloom; flowers inside white to purple; outside, rose-purple, deliciously scented	10/6, 15/ &	21 0
campanulatum (<i>aquaticum</i>), a handsome plant with large rosy-red flowers; should be stood in water whilst growing, 3 ft.		3 6
erubescens , flowers rosy-white, outside purple, 2 ft.	<i>strong bulbs</i>	7 6
finbriatulum , bearing umbels of very large fragrant flowers, striped white and carmine		5 6
Moorei (<i>Makoyanum</i>), fine large blush-rose flowers, handsome variety, 2 ft	3/6 &	5 6

Other species—*Americanum*, each 3/6; *Powellii*, each 3/6.

Pot Daffodils in September to force for Winter Decoration.

Chionodoxa sardensis, introduced by us in 1883. A First-Class Certificate was awarded to our plants, 1885, by the R. H. S., also by the Royal Botanic Society. *The Garden* of 14th March, 1885, refers to it thus:—"Chionodoxa sardensis is a gem among spring bulbs—one of the rare really blue flowers." The deep gentian blue of this flower renders it so striking that for distant effect it cannot be too highly recommended.

Coloured Plate sent for 6d.

Home-grown Bulbs.....	per 1000, 30s.;	per 100, 3s. 6d.;	per doz. 6d.
" " extra selected, per 1000, 40s.;	per 100, 4s. 6d.;	per doz. 8d.	
" " very large, for forcing,	per 100, 5s. 6d.;	per doz. 10d.	

Chionodoxa gigantea (*syn. C. grandiflora*), a very distinct and beautiful species, with flowers twice the size of *C. Lucillæ*, more open, and of a beautiful soft lavender-blue, habit dwarf and robust. This is a most valuable acquisition to our Spring flowers. Established masses on

***CROCOSMA**

each—s. d.

aura, a most valuable decorative bulb, lighting up the garden in September with its graceful racemes of bright orange-coloured flowers, which are greatly prized for cutting, 3 ft. Plant out in light soil April or May. As a pot plant (6 bulbs in a pot) ; it is very charming

per 100, 7/6; per doz. 1/3 ...
 ,, *imperialis* (new), a grand acquisition, flowers twice the size of *Aurea*, and of fiery orange colour, a tall and vigorous grower, exceedingly showyper doz. 15/- 1 6

CROCUSES.

The **Crocus** is one of the earliest flowers of Spring, and occupies a deservedly prominent place in every garden. Planted as an edging in triple lines of one or more colours, the effect is striking. No Spring display surpasses that of broad wavy bands of golden-yellow, striped, purple, or of pure white Crocuses, when they expand their blossoms in February and March. In lawns and pleasure parks, planted in the grass, the Crocuses are extremely effective. For several years past in **Hyde Park, Regent's Park,** and other of the **London Parks,** Crocuses, Snowdrops, Daffodils, etc., have been planted in the grass, to the great delight of visitors. In wild gardens, woodland walks, etc., the Crocus should be associated with the violet, the primrose, and the oxlip.

BARR'S CHEAP SHOWY CROCUSES for Large Plantings.

To encourage extensive planting in shrubberies, woodlands, wild gardens, in grass, on lawns, pleasure parks, etc., these Crocuses are quoted cheaply by the thousand. For a gorgeous effect in early spring nothing can equal the **Golden Yellow Crocus**, large masses of which attract the eye at a great distance.

1000 in 5 varieties	s. d.	250 in 5 varieties	s. d.
500 in 5	15 0	100 in 5	4 0
	7 9		2 0
Splendid Mixed, all colours per 100, 1s. 3d., per 1000, 10s. 6d.			
	per 1000.		per 1000.
	s. d.		s. d.
Barr's Large Purple, one sort only	16 6...1 9	Large Golden-Yellow ..	20 0...2 6
Barr's Large Striped " "	16 6...1 9	Extra Large Golden-Yellow	30 0...3 6
Barr's Large White " "	16 6...1 9	Cloth of Silver, white or lilac, striped	
Golden-Yellow, good flowering bulbs.....	14 6...1 9	rich purple	17 6...2 0

BARR'S CHOICE NAMED LARGE-FLOWERED CROCUSES.

Large Roots for Pot-Culture and Flower Beds, &c.

The following large-flowered named Crocuses are recommended for planting in groups, edgings, select beds, and in designs. To obtain the finest effect the bulbs should be planted half-an-inch apart. When grown in pots, plant thickly, and treat as recommended for the cultivation of the Hyacinth, on page 24. When removed from under the ashes, place in an airy situation, and give water very freely at the roots. A charming effect is obtained by growing Crocuses in shallow saucers of water (the bulbs touching one another), and this may be accomplished in an ordinary sitting-room.

1000 in 10 splendid varieties.....	s. d.	250 in 10 splendid varieties	s. d.
500 in 10	27 6	100 in 10	7 6
	14 6		3 6
Extra choice mixed, from named varieties, all colours .....per 100, 2/6; per 1000, 21/.			

	per 100.		per 100.
	s. d.		s. d.
Barr's Giant Golden-Yellow, these	5 6...0 10	Mrs. Beecher Stowe, fine globular pure	3 6...0 6
produce abundance of flowers	3 6...0 6	white flowers	2 6...0 4
Bleu Celeste, beautiful soft pale azure-blue	2 6...0 4	Mont Blanc, large pure white.....	2 6...0 4
David Rizzio, deep purple	3 6...0 6	Ne Plus Ultra, fine deep purple, tipped	2 6...0 4
Duke of York, a remarkably striking	3 6...0 6	white.....	2 6...0 4
flower, heavily striped white and	3 6...0 6	Pride of Albion, white, striped violet,	2 6...0 4
brilliant purple.....	3 6...0 6	large and fine	3 6...0 6
King of Blues, intense blue-purple, large	5 6...0 10	Purpureus grandiflorus, rich deep	3 6...0 6
Ira Aldridge, soft } Two charming {	5 6...0 10	purple, very large and splendid	3 6...0 6
lilac blotched crim- } smaller-flower- {	5 6...0 10	Queen of Purples, the richest and	3 6...0 6
son purple..... } ed crocuses {	5 6...0 10	darkest purple, splendid large flowers	3 6...0 6
L'Unique, pretty soft } charming in {	5 6...0 10	Queen Victoria, pure white.....	2 6...0 4
rosy - purple, me- } small beds and {	5 6...0 10	Snow Queen, splendid large snow-white	3 6...0 6
dium sized flowers } as edgings. {	5 6...0 10	flowers	3 6...0 6
Madame Mina, white striped lilac	2 6...0 4	Sir Walter Scott, very prettily pencilled	2 6...0 4
Margot, very distinct and beautiful,	4 6...0 8	lilac on a white ground, fine large flower	2 6...0 4
outer petals white, inner petals soft		Striped Beauty, large showy flowers,	3 6...0 6
lavender		heavily striped white and deep lilac ...	3 6...0 6

BARR'S

AUTUMN, WINTER, AND SPRING-FLOWERING SPECIES OF CROCUSES.

Our collection of these Crocuses consists mostly of wild species, many of which were collected by George Maw, Esq., in Greece, Syria, Palestine, etc.; they cannot fail to be acceptable for rockwork and other select places, where they may be seen to advantage.

Visitors invited to see Barr's "Gold Medal" English Tulips flowering in May.

CROCUS—SELECTIONS OF AUTUMN, WINTER, AND SPRING-FLOWERING SPECIES.

3 each 60 beautiful species	50 0	3 each 20 beautiful species	10s. 6d., 15s., & 25 0
1 " 60 " " "	21 0	1 " 20 " " "	4s. 6d., 6s. 6d., & 10 6
3 " 30 " " "	15s., 21s., & 30 0	3 " 12 " " "	6s., 10s. 6d., & 15 0
1 " 30 " " "	6s., 10s. 6d., & 15 0	1 " 12 " " "	2s. 6d., 4s. 6d., & 0 0

A Full Descriptive List of our *Crocus* Species may be had on application.

The few species quoted below are mostly those we can offer cheaply in quantity, and we can strongly recommend them for establishing in masses, on rockwork, etc., where their beauty will delight the eye, from autumn till early spring.

Autumn-flowering. per 100. per doz.

<i>Asturicus atropurpureus</i> , dark purple	15 0	2 3
" <i>pallidus</i> , pale mauve	... 5 6	
<i>Hadriaticus chrysobelonicus</i> , white, with yellow throat, pencilled at base with reddish lines, very pretty	... 5 6	
<i>Iridiflorus</i> , large rich purple, inner segments pale lilac, handsome	... 3 6	
<i>Longiflorus (odorus)</i> , charming soft rose-lilac, very beautiful when naturalized	per 1000, 42s. 5 6	10 0
<i>Pulchellus</i> , lavender-blue	25 0	3 6
<i>Salzmanni</i> , lilac dark-feathered	3 6	0 6
<i>Sativus</i> (Saffron Crocus), purple, 1000, 35s.	4 6	0 8
" <i>Cartwrightianus</i> , lilac, with scarlet-stigma	20 0	2 6
<i>Serotinus</i> , lilac, shaded lavender	20 0	2 6
<i>Speciosus</i> , bright blue, remarkably handsome and showy, one of the hardiest and most beautiful Autumn Crocuses for planting in grass, etc., p. 1000, 42s.	5 6	0 10
<i>Zonatus</i> , rose-lilac, with scarlet zone, most beautiful	10 6	1 6

Winter-flowering.

<i>Chrysanthus</i> , rich orange-yellow	7 6	1 3
" <i>fusco-tinctus</i> , clear yellow, stained brown, beautiful	7 6	1 3
<i>Etruscus</i> , white, lined purple	10 6	1 6
<i>Imperati</i> , violet, fawn, and black, striking and beautiful	5 6	0 10
<i>Nevadensis</i> , pale lilac feathered purple, collected by Mr. Peter Barr, on the Sierra Nevada, 1894	... 7 6	
<i>Sieberi</i> , bright purple	8 6	1 3

Early Spring-flowering.

	per 100. per doz.	s. d. s. d.
<i>Aureus pallidus</i> , pretty primrose colour	15 0	2 3
" <i>sulphureus concolor</i> , beautiful soft sulphur colour, fine for lines and masses	2 6	0 4
" <i>striatus</i> , sulphur, striped crimson-brown, beautiful	3 6	0 6
<i>Biflorus argenteus</i> , snow white feathered black, stigma orange p. 1000, 42s.	5 6	0 10
" <i>minor</i> , inner segments lilac, outer segments striped purple, early, free and pretty	7 6	1 3
" <i>pusillus</i> , white, outer segments feathered, throat orange, a pretty little species for edgings and masses	7 6	1 3
<i>Cloth of Gold (C. austrianus)</i> , golden-yellow, striped brown, very dwarf and showy	per 1000, 14s. 6d. 1 9	0 3
<i>Obesus</i> , purple, shading to dark purple	7 6	1 3
<i>Stellaris</i> , orange, feathered purple-brown, very showy in lines and masses	per 1000, 30s. 3 6	0 6
<i>Tommasinianus</i> , a very beautiful flower, pale sapphire-lavender, a charming continuous bloomer	per 1000, 21s. 2 6	0 4
" <i>atropurpureus</i> , rich bright blue	10 6	1 6
<i>Vernus leucostigma</i> , rich purple with white stigma	10 6	1 6
" <i>obovatus</i> , white striped lilac, a pretty flower	7 6	1 3
<i>Versicolor striatus</i> , purple, striped deep purple, handsome	10 6	1 6

CROWN IMPERIAL

The Crown Imperial (*Fritillaria imperialis*) is a stately hardy border-plant, very effective in Spring. Its tall stem terminates in a cluster of pendant bell-shaped flowers, surrounded by a tuft of fresh green leaves. For forming bold groups in the permanent border or on lawns it is of great value.



A CLUMP OF CROWN IMPERIALS.

<i>Aurora</i> , a very beautiful orange colour,	each—s. d.
3 ft.	per doz. 3/6 0 4
<i>Deep Orange-red</i> , 3 ft.	" 3/6 0 4
<i>Fol-variegatis</i> , an exceedingly ornamental border plant with graceful variegated foliage and orange-red flowers p. doz.	8 6 0 10
<i>Giant Red</i> , a grand variety with very large handsome rich orange-red flowers,	
3 1/2 ft.	per doz. 10/6 1 0
<i>Pure Yellow</i> , 3 ft.	" 5/6 0 6
<i>mixed</i> , various shades, 3 ft.	" 3/6 ...
3 each of the 5 above named sorts,	7/ ...

CUMMINGIA

trimaculata, an exquisite summer-flowering greenhouse bulb, with beautiful blue flowers, spotted black, 3/4 ft. 3 6

CYCLAMEN FOR GREENHOUSE (C. persicum).—Large flowered Varieties.

Plants in pots supplied from September to December.



GREENHOUSE CYCLAMEN PERSICUM.

Cyclamen persicum is an indispensable plant for indoor decoration, and few flowers are more highly prized for button-hole bouquets, ladies' dresses, and finger-glasses. Great improvement has been made during the last few years in the size and form of flower, together with a richness in colouring. The **Cyclamen persicum** may be cultivated in a cool greenhouse, or cold frame, with a little winter protection.

Plants in Pots, set with bud or in bloom, per doz. 15s., 21s., 25s., and 30s.; each, 1s. 6d., 2s., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., and 5s. 6d., according to size. Sseed (for November sowing) **Barr's Prize Strain of Cyclamen persicum**, per pkt. 1/5 & 2/6.

CYCLAMEN. HARDY SPECIES FOR ROCK-WORK OUT-OF-DOORS.

Plants ready to send out at all seasons.

These **Hardy Cyclamen** require perfect drainage, and shelter from the cutting winds of March and April, and the hot rays of the Summer sun; at the bottom of old walls facing north and on rockwork they are very beautiful; or nestling in the grass, near the roots and under the shelter of old trees, the effect is most charming. *C. Europæum* is fragrant, and commences flowering in July. *Ibericum* and *Coum* varieties bloom from December to March; *Repandum* closes the Cyclamen season in April. *Repandum* and *Africanum* should be planted in warm protected situations on rockwork, and covered with leaves or bracken till March.

Cyclamen neapolitanum and **græcum** are perfectly hardy, and have, throughout Autumn and Spring, large and beautifully variegated leaves; they make beautiful Winter beds, intermingled with *Scillas*, *Chionodoxas*, *Leucojums*, *Miniature Daffodils*, *Snowdrops*, *Muscaris*, &c.

Hardy Cyclamen, Autumn, Winter, and Spring-flowering, 12 varieties, 3 roots of each, 21s.

					each—s. d.
Africanum (<i>syn. macrophyllum</i>), enormous silvery marbled leaves. handsome, doz. 10/6	1	0			
Ibericum Atkinsii , white, crimson centre					
per doz. 7/6	0	9			
„ Ilacinum , rosy lilac, crimson centre.....					
per doz. 10/6	1	0			
„ rossum , pretty rose-coloured flowers					
per doz. 5/5	0	6			

					each—s. d.
Ibericum rubrum , deep crimson flowers					
per doz. 5/6	0	6			
„ mixed , seedlings ...					
per doz. 4/6	0	0			
Cilicicum , white, with bright purple centre					
per doz. 7/6	0	9			
Coum , bright crimson p. 100, 35/1					
per doz. 5/6	0	6			
„ album , white.....					
per doz. 10/6	1	0			
„ rossum , bright rose.....					
per doz. 10/5	1	0			
Europæum , crimson sweet-scented from open ground					
p. 100, 21/1; p. doz. 3/6	0	4			
Neapolitanum (<i>syn. hederæfolium</i>), flowers rosy pink, large handsome silver-marbled foliage. This beautiful species should be largely used for winter beds, intermingled with <i>Scillas</i> , <i>Chionodoxas</i> , <i>Leucojums</i> , <i>Narcissus nanus</i> , <i>Snowdrops</i> , <i>Muscaris</i> , &c., its beautiful foliage contrasting charmingly with these pretty little Spring flowers					
<i>Extra Large Bulbs</i> , per doz. 5/6	0	6			
<i>Large Bulbs</i> , „ 4/5	0	5			
<i>Good Flowering Bulbs</i> , „ 3/5	0	4			
„ album , pure white					
per doz. 7/5	0	9			
Græcum (<i>syn. latifolium</i>), beautiful delicate rose-coloured flowers					
per doz. 7/6	0	9			
Repandum (<i>syn. vernum</i>), bright crimson; established masses are very beautiful in Spring.....					
per 100, 25/1; per doz. 3/5	0	4			
„ album , pure white					
per doz. 10/6	1	0			



CYCLAMEN NEAPOLITANUM.

CYCLOBOTHRA, see *Calochortus*.

***CYRTANTHUS**

	each—s. d.	
Macowanii , brilliant orange, very handsome, 1 ft.....		} These are remarkable for their handsome drooping blossoms; <i>sanguineus</i> is one of the most handsome of all Amaryllids. Green-house-culture. Summer-flowering.
Mackeni , sweetly scented pure white flowers in clusters, very beautiful		
sanguineus , blood-red flowers, remarkably handsome and beautiful		

***DAHLIAS**, Pot-grown dry Roots, ready November.

Barr's choicest Double Exhibition named varieties	per doz.	7/6 & 10/6	...
„ „ Single „ „ „	„	7/6 & 10/6	...
Cactus, Double , Barr's choicest named varieties	„	7/6 & 10/6	...
„ „ Juarez , intense scarlet	„	6/-	0 8
„ „ Earl of Pembroke , beautiful velvety ruby-violet	„	18/-	1 9
„ „ Kynerith , scarlet with orange glow	„	12/-	1 3
„ „ Lady Penzance , bright primrose-yellow	„	18/-	1 9
„ „ Major Hoskins , handsome dark vermilion	„	18/-	1 9
„ „ Matchless , dark velvety-maroon shaded black, very large and remarkably handsome	„	18/-	1 9
„ „ Mrs. Bennett , brilliant brick-scarlet	„	18/-	1 9
„ „ Single , a new race with gracefully formed fantastic flowers, named varieties	„	12/-	...
Barr's New Dwarf Bedding Single Dahlias , a valuable race with charming elegant flowers and dwarf compact growth, ht. 12 to 15 inches.....	per doz.	15/-	
<i>For a beautiful New Cactus Dahlia, see Novelty List, page 4.</i>			

***DEUTZIA gracilis**, a very decorative and elegant plant, bearing clusters of pure white flowers in profusion; it may be forced gently for Spring decoration indoors.
Strong Plants for forcing, per doz. 12/ 1 3

DICENTRA (*syn. Dicytra*), **The Lyre Flower, for Forcing or Planting out.** Very graceful pot-plants for conservatory and room decoration, and valuable for cutting. The elegant pendant branches are loaded with heart-shaped flowers, and furnished with the most delicate rich green foliage. In shrubberies or herbaceous borders, few plants in summer are so attractive.

spectabilis , beautiful rosy crimson, heart-shaped flowers.....	clumps, per doz.	5/6	0 6
„ alba , charming white flowers	clumps		1 3

DIETES

Huttoni (Butterfly Flag), a beautiful perennial, hardy in dry warm situations, flowers yellow, spotted crimson, and very fragrant..... 1 3

ERANTHIS Hyemalis, see Winter Aconite.

EREMURUS

Bungei , producing stout flower stems, covered one-third with large yellow flowers, showy.....		7	6
himalaicus , one of the most beautiful plants in cultivation, see <i>Novelty List</i> , page 4.			
robustus , a magnificent tuberous-rooted hardy plant, bearing in summer noble and stately spikes, crowded with large beautiful flesh-coloured flowers delicately scented, ht. 6 to 10 ft., it prefers a rich deep well-drained loam, with south aspect	Three-year old roots	5	6
	Four-year old roots, 7s. 6d.; Five-year old roots	15	0

ERYTHRONIUM (Dog's-Tooth Violets). In spring there is no prettier sight than a mass or edging of Dog's-Tooth Violets, with their prettily variegated foliage and graceful Cyclamen-like flowers, ranging in colour from deep purple to the purest white. Naturalized in grass they present a charming picture. The large handsome American varieties indicated by † are strongly recommended for choice positions in the rock-garden or for pot-culture; these latter prefer a partially shaded and moist situation.

Dens-canis , purple, rose, or white, ½ ft.....	each colour, per 1000, 50s; per 100, 5/6; per doz.	10d	...
„ new large-flowered , purple, ½ ft.	„	9/5; „	1/6
„ new large-flowered , rose, ½ ft.	„	9/6; „	1/6
„ new large-flowered , white ½ ft.	„	9/6; „	1/6
„ mixed large-flowered varieties	per 1000, 55/; „	6/6; „	1/
„ sibiricum , large deep rose-purple, conspicuous yellow eye, handsome, ht. 4 in.			2 6
americanum , flowers bright yellow, slightly dotted brown at base, it grows best in damp shady places, amongst grass and planted 3 inches deep, ½ ft.....	per 100, 10/6; per doz.	10/6	...
†giganteum (erroneously sold as E. grandiflorum), bearing numerous large straw-coloured flowers and handsome mottled foliage, ½ ft.	per doz.	5/6	0 6
†grandiflorum , true, Figured in Bot. Reg. Tab. 1786, golden-yellow flowers, with white anthers, and plain dark green foliage	per doz.	10/6	1 0
† „ album , charming white flowers, foliage plain green.....	„	1c/5	1 0
†Hartwegi , white, shading to yellow towards the centre, deep green foliage, ½ ft.....	„	6/5	0 8

ERYTHRONIUM—*continued.*

	each—s. d.
†Hendersoni, flowers pale lilac, with purple centre, surrounded by narrow yellow ring, very beautiful, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft.	per doz. 6/6 0 8
†Johnsni, one of the most beautiful. See <i>Novelty List</i> , page 4.	,, 10/6 1 0
†Nuttallianum, a rare species, flowers golden-yellow with reddish brown anthers, foliage dark green	2 6
†purpurascens, flowers small, creamy, turning to purple, with orange centre, characteristic long dark green undulated foliage with bronzy tints	per doz. 10/6 1 0
†revolutum (Baker), flowers opening blush or pink, and changing to rosy purple, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. ...	,, 7/6 0 9
† „ albiflorum, charming white flowers, centre orange, usually barred with brown ..	,, 5/5 0 6

EUCCHARIS

amazonica, the snow-white flowers of this handsome stove-plant are deliciously fragrant; much used for bouquets and wreaths, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft. Pots of strong established roots, per pot 5/6 & 7/6 ...

*EUCOMIS

punctata, a fine autumn-flowering hardy border plant, with handsome spotted foliage and long spikes of wax-like white starry flowers spotted rose, very fragrant, 2 ft. per doz. 6/6 0 8

*EURYCLES,

very handsome stove or warm greenhouse bulbous plants, allied to the *Pancratium*, bearing in May large heads of bloom and handsome broad leaves. Keep the bulbs dry during Winter, pot in early Spring in rich light soil, place in bottom heat, and give abundance of water while in growth.

Cunninghami (The Brisbane Lily), handsome heads of pure white flowers, 1 ft. per doz. 12/ 1 3

Sylvestris (syn. australasica and ambolensis), producing large heads of numerous pearly white flowers. per doz. 21/ 2 0

FEATHERED HYACINTH, see Muscari.

FREESIA, Freesias are prized for their delightful fragrance. They are easily grown, and may be forced into bloom by Christmas if required.

Leichtlini major, primrose, with orange blotch, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft.	per 100, 6/6; per doz. 1/ ...
„ „ extra large forcing roots.	,, 8/6; „ 1/3 ...
refracta alba, pure white, 1 ft.	,, 6/6; „ 1/ ...
„ „ extra large forcing roots	,, 8/6; „ 1/3 ...
in mixture.	,, 5/6; „ 10d. ...

FRITILLARIA,

an extremely elegant family of hardy plants, bearing graceful drooping bell-shaped flowers in May. The larger flowered varieties are charming for grouping in borders and for clumps on rockwork; the smaller flowered dwarf kinds for select nooks on the rockery. All make very pretty pot plants (several in a pot) for greenhouse decoration.

The "Snakeshead Fritillarias" (*F. melsagris* vars.) have graceful bell-shaped chequered flowers in May; they are of easy culture, make charming pot-plants, and are very effective in groups on rockwork, flower border, or naturalized in grass; quite hardy.

meleagris, rosy purple shades, beautifully chequered, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.	per 100, 12/6; p. doz. 1/9 0 2
„ pure white, a beautiful variety, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.	,, 12/6; „ 1/9 0 2
„ mixed varieties, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.	,, 5/6; „ 10d. ...
armena, rich yellow, p. 100, 15/; } Charming dwarf species from Asia Minor, bearing elegant small } p. doz. 2/3 0 3	bell-shaped flowers in April. They should be planted in clumps } ,/ 2/3 0 3
„ rubra, plum-coloured. } (6 to 12 bulbs) on rockwork, etc. They also make good pot-plants. }	
aurea (new), very handsome species from Asia Minor, with beautiful large rich golden-yellow flowers in April, charming alike in borders, pots, or on rockwork, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. (a Coloured Plate sent post free for 6d.)	per doz. 4/6 0 6
clitrina, distinct and pretty bells, bright green, shaded citron-yellow, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.	per 100, 21/; „ 3/- 0 4
„ reticulata (new), olive-yellow, striped reddish brown, pretty, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.	,, 3/6 0 4

Guicciardi (new), maroon-purple and green, distinct and pretty, 1 ft. 1 6

imperialis, see Crown Imperial.

kamschatica (The Black Lily), producing elegant pyramidal spikes of handsome black flowers, in May, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft. 1 3

lanceolata, flowers curiously mottled green, brown, and yellow, distinct, 1 ft. 0 9

„ gracilis, dark brown mottled, distinct and pretty, 1 ft. 0 9

latifolia mixed shades, broad foliage and handsome chequered flowers, larger and earlier than the *Melsagris* varieties, 1 ft. per 100 7/6; per doz. 1/3 ...

Moggridgei, large handsome golden-yellow flowers, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. per doz. 8/6 0 10

oranensis, a fine distinct Algerian species, flowers dark maroon and green, 1 ft. 1 3

pallidiflora, very large handsome pale yellow chequered flowers, 1 ft. 1 0

persica (The Persian Lily), from Mount Ararat, with spikes of numerous dusky brown, small bell-shaped flowers, 2 ft. per doz. 6/6 0 8

pluriflora, pretty soft lilac bells, similar graceful habit to *F. recurva*, 1 ft. ,, 7/6 0 8

pontica, large globular bells, yellowish green, flushed rose, inside green with dark spots, 1 ft. 2 6

pudica, deep golden-yellow bell-shaped fragrant flowers, in April, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. per doz. 8/6 0 10

pyrenatica, large elegant plum-coloured bells reflexing at mouth, inside yellow, beautifully reticulated brown, a most handsome plant, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft. per 100, 35/-; per doz. 5/ 0 6

recurva, beautiful orange-scarlet drooping bells, in early May, distinct, 1 ft. ,, 7/6 0 8

Ruthenica, graceful pendant bells of almost black flowers, 1 ft. ,, 10/6 1 0

Walujewi (new), inside blood-red, outside silvery-grey, large and very beautiful, 1 ft. Award of Merit R.H.S., 1897 2 6

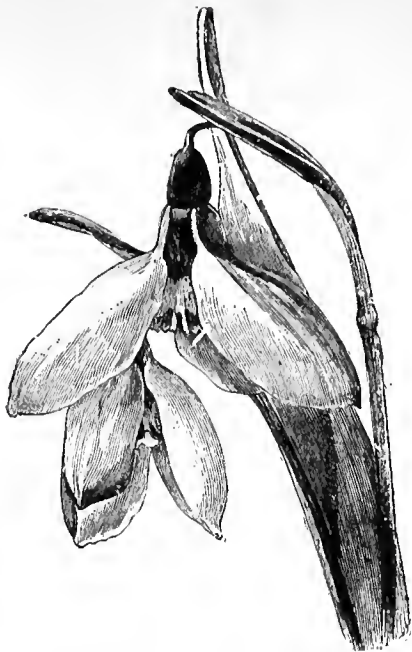
Alpina, Ehrharti, Latifolia nobilis and Whittsillii, see *Novelty List*, page 4.

GALANTHIUS (Snowdrop).

In the early Spring months, there is nothing more beautiful than a sheet of the **snowy graceful blossoms of the Snowdrop**. In planting, the bulbs should almost touch each other. An effect of surpassing beauty may be obtained with Snowdrops associated with *Scillas sibirica*, or *bifolia*, *Chionodoxa Lucilia*, *C. sardensis*, or *C. gigantea*. When practicable such plantings should be permanent, and the surface of the soil top dressed in Summer and sown with annuals, such as *Nemophila*, *Leptosiphon*, etc., or planted with surface rooting bedding plants. The **Snowdrop** and the **Crocus** when planted in alternate circles are very effective, and follow each other so closely that no gap is left in the succession.

In beds of **Tulips** and **Hyacinths**, Snowdrops are very effective between the lines; they flower while these bulbs are just moving the surface, and when the flowers are over there remains an elegant groundwork of green foliage.

The **Snowdrop**, nestling in grass, looks charmingly at home. The turf need not be disturbed, but holes about three inches apart and five inches deep should be made with a dibber, dropping in three inches of fresh soil, then three or more bulbs. *The Giant Single Snowdrop, Galanthus Elwesii*, should be extensively used; its flowers are large and valuable for cutting. In its native habitat it is found growing with the **Chionodoxa**, and the effect of the two together is lovely.



ELWES GIANT SNOWDROP.

	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Single-flowering Snowdrops (<i>Galanthus nivalis</i>) .....p. 1000	21 0...	100 2 6...	p. doz. 0 5
" " " extra fine bulbs	27 6...	3 0...	" " 0 6
Double-flowering Snowdrops	} These will produce a proportion of single flowers as the doubles cannot be had quite pure.	} " 21 0... "	} 2 6... " 0 5
(<i>G. nivalis</i> , fl. pl.)			
" " extra fine bulbs				" 27 6... "	" 3 0... " 0 6

ELWES' GIANT SINGLE SNOWDROP (*Galanthus Elwesii*), a distinct and beautiful species from the mountains near Smyrna, the largest and most handsome of all Snowdrops. It has very large pure white globular segments, with rich emerald-green and white tube.

Extra Strong Selected Bulbs	per 1000	35 0...	per 100	4 0...	per doz.	0 8
Strong Selected Bulbs	"	25 0...	"	3 0...	"	0 6
Smaller Bulbs for Naturalization, mostly flowering size.....	"	15 0...	"	1 9...	"	...
A few Monster Bulbs for Pot Culture	"	"	"	5 6...	per doz.	0 10

caucasicus grandis, very handsome, see *Novelty List*, page 4.

cillicicus, a beautiful new species, see *Novelty List*, page 4.

Elwesii var. *Cassaba*, a strong grower with large bold foliage and fine globular flowersper doz. 2 6

Ikarisæ (new), a most beautiful, distinct Snowdrop, see *Novelty List*, page 4.....per 100, 21/; " 3 0

Imperati, fine large white flowers, tall grower, 7/6; " 1 3

latifolius (*Redoutei*), the *Broad-Leaved Snowdrop*, a fine distinct species, with broad light green foliage.....per 100, 24/-; per doz. 3 6

octobrensis, a rare autumn-flowering species, per doz. 12/; each 1 3

plicatus (*Giant Crimean Single Snowdrop*), large handsome flowers with plicate foliage very distinct, extra large bulbs, per 100, 21/-; per doz. 3 0

robustus, see *Novelty List*, page 4.

For other Beautiful New and Autumn-flowering Snowdrops, see *Novelty List*, page 4.

GALTONIA CANDICANS. See *Hyacinthus Candicans*.

GASTRONEMA. See *Cyrtanthus*.

GEISSORHIZA

Rochensis, a Cape bulb of exquisite beauty, bearing in May or June, intense Tyrian blue flowers with rich crimson blotches in centre, a gem for pot-culture and rockwork, ht. 3/4 ft. ...per doz. 7/6; each 0 8

GLADIOLI, Early-Flowering, for Autumn and Winter-Planting.

Bulbs ready from October.

These beautiful Early-flowering Gladioli are greatly prized as cut flowers from May to July for filling vases, &c., and on this account, as also for the fine effect they produce in the flower garden, they should be largely planted. G. Colvillei, "The Bride," is exceptionally valuable, and is extensively grown in pots to cut during April, May, and June for Covent Garden Market. All these early Gladioli may be grown in pots for indoor decoration.

CULTURE OUT-DOORS.—A sunny situation is preferred. Trench the ground, working in plenty of rotten manure in the underspit; plant the varieties marked with an † from October to December, and the others from November till February, at a depth of six inches. If the summer is dry and the weather hot, a good soaking of water or liquid manure twice a week greatly benefits the growing plants. When planted in Autumn, the beds should be lightly covered with fern, wheat-straw, or marsh reeds, which should be removed in March.

CULTURE FOR CONSERVATORY DECORATION.—Plant three to five bulbs, according to size, in a five or six-inch pot, and plunge in ashes in a cold frame or pit, withholding water till the bulbs have started into growth; or, the pots may be buried in ashes out of doors, and remain undisturbed till ready to remove indoors.

MAY AND JUNE-FLOWERING HARDY GLADIOLI.

		p. 100.	p. doz.
		s. d.	s. d.
† Byzantinus , showy brilliant rosy claret, useful for borders, naturalizing or cutting, ht. 2 ft.		3	6...0 6
† Colvillei , crimson purple, flaked white, very showy, valuable for naturalization, ht. 1½ ft.		3	6...0 6
† " " The Bride ," pure white flowers, most valuable in early Summer for border decoration and cutting. It is also a grand pot-plant indoors, ht. 2 ft.		3	6...0 6
" "			4 6...0 8
			extra large roots

JUNE AND JULY-FLOWERING HARDY GLADIOLI.

6 each of 12 beautiful varieties.....	12/ & 18 0	s. d.	
3 " 12 " " "	6/6 & 9 6	s. d.	
1 " 12 " " "	2/6 & 3 6	s. d.	

EARLY GLADIOLI, SPLENDID MIXED, of many beautiful shades, valuable for beds and borders..... p. 100, 6/6; p. doz. 1 0

		p. doz.—s. d.				p. doz.—s. d.
Amsterdam , large salmon-scarlet, with white blotches, 1½ ft. ....per 100, 12/6		1 9		No Plus Ultra , deep salmon-rose, shaded scarlet, blotched crimson and white, 2½ ft. ....per 100, 8/6		1 3
† Alfred Tennyson , delicate pale salmon-rose, with white flakes, beautiful, 1½ ft.		3 6		Pink Perfection , long graceful spikes of clear satiny pink flowers		3 6
† Blushing Bride , the most beautiful of all, flowers ivory-white, flaked deep crimson. very lovely, early, 1½ ft. ....per 100, 30/		4 6		† Prince Rudolph , dark cherry-scarlet, with crimson blotch, handsome, ht. 1½ ft.		5 6
† Cardinals , bright scarlet and white, 1½ ft. ....per 100, 12/6		1 9		Queen Victoria , bright scarlet, flaked white, showy, ht. 1½ ft. ....per 100, 10/6		1 6
† Fire King , brilliant orange-scarlet, flaked crimson and white, large handsome flowers, 1½ ft.		7 6		Ramosissimus , beautiful salmon-rose, flaked crimson, 2 ft. ....per 100, 10/6		1 6
Formosissimus , brilliant deep scarlet, flaked white, 1½ ft. ....per 100, 10/6		1 6		† Rosy Gem , bright rose-pink, free-flowering, valuable for cutting, ht. 1½ ft. ...p. 100, 12/6		1 9
† Insignis , large rosy scarlet, flaked purple-crimson, beautiful, 2 ft. ...per 100, 14/6		2 0		† Salmon Queen , clear salmon-pink		4 6
				† Sarnian Gem , beautiful salmon, with white and carmine flakes, 1½ ft.		4 6

GLADIOLUS NANUS, DWARF EARLY MIXED, beautiful shades of blush, pink, rose, salmon, orange, scarlet, etc., charming for grouping in beds and borders, ht. 1 ft. per 1000, 30/; per 100, 3s. 6d.; per doz. 0 6

GLADIOLI, Autumn-Flowering (Varieties of Gandavensis).

Fine Selected Bulbs supplied from December to May.

3 each of 30 beautiful vars.	45/ & 63/	1 each of 20 beautiful vars.	9/ & 15/
1 " 30 " " "	17/6 & 24/	3 " 12 " " "	15/, 21/, 30/, 42/
3 " 20 " " "	25/ & 42/	1 " 12 " " "	6/, 9/, 12/, 18/

A descriptive list of named Gladiolus Gandavensis Varieties, free by post on application.

See Barr's Daffodil Catalogue for the finest Collection of Daffodils in the World.



A GROUP OF BARR'S GLADIOLUS GANDAVENSIS.

GLADIOLUS, Lemoine's New Hybrid Butterfly.



FLOWERS OF LEMOINE'S BUTTERFLY AND NANCEIANUS GLADIOLI.

GLADIOLUS CHILDSII, New Giant-flowered.

Max Leichtlin's Hybrids of G. Saundersi and the best varieties of G. Gandavensis. This grand race of Gladioli was produced by Herr Max Leichtlin of Baden-Baden, and differs from *G. nanceianus* in having a more robust habit, growing taller, and the blooms lasting longer.

Splendid Unnamed Seedlings, all flowering bulbs. We can strongly recommend these for filling beds and grouping in borders; the magnificent flowers with their brilliant colours and markings are sure to pleaseper 100, 42/; per doz. 5/6

GLADIOLUS Gandavensis—continued.

	per 100, per doz.		
	s.	d.	s. d.
Brilliant Reds, and Scarlets, of shades in mixture	18	6	2 6
Roses of shades, in mixture	18	6	2 6
Whites of shades, in mixture	18	6	2 6
Yellows of shades, in mixture	30	0	4 6
Flesh and Salmon shades, mixed	21	0	3 0

CHOICEST UNNAMED FRENCH GLADIOLI

IN MIXTURE, these have bold spikes of large handsome flowers in great variety of rich and brilliant colours. Purchasers will be greatly pleased with this grand strain.....21 0...3 0

CHOICE UNNAMED DUTCH GLADIOLI

IN MIXTURE, these embrace many rich and varied colours, and have bold spikes of large handsome flowers12 6...2 0

GLADIOLUS BRECHLEYENSIS.

THE LARGE-FLOWERED VERMILION. SCARLET GLADIOLUS, preceding the *Gladiolus gandavensis* varieties in time of flowering

	p. 100, p. doz.		
	s.	d.	s. d.
1st size Bulbs, p. 100, 60/; 7	6	.....	1 3
" " 2nd " " " 45/; 5	0	.....	0 10
" " Extra Large Bulbs 10	6	.....	1 6

Hybrids of *G. purpureo-auratus* and the best of the *G. gandavensis* varieties.

A handsome race of Gladioli, distinct in form and markings from the varieties of *Gandavensis*; the colours are beautiful, and the large blotches on the lower petals strikingly attractive. They are hardy vigorous growers, and bloom during the interval between the early and late flowering Gladioli. *Descriptive list of named varieties may be had on application.*

3 each of 20 beautiful varieties.....	33/
1 " 20 " "	12/
3 " 12 " "	16/5 & 25/
1 " 12 " "	6/ & 9/
3 " 6 " "	6/ 9/ & 12/
1 " 6 " "	2/6, 3/6, & 4/6

Splendid Unnamed Seedlings, Mixed, all flowering bulbs which are sure to please, from their rich variety of colours and beautiful markings, per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6

GLADIOLUS NANCEIANUS, New Giant-flowered.

Lemoine's Hybrids of G. Saundersi and the best varieties of G. Gandavensis.

Lemoine's Newest Race of Magnificent Gladioli, surpassing all others in the enormous size of their large open flowers, which are freely produced on erect branching spikes. The blooms are elegant in outline and of brilliant colours, with beautiful spottings and markings; they are hardy and remarkably floriferous.

10 Beautiful Named Varieties, 12/

GLADIOLI, Rare and Beautiful Species.

Of the species contained in the undermentioned collection, *Alatus, Galeatus, Gracilis, Hirsutus, Præcox*, and *Ringens* should be planted under a south wall, or in sunny warm spots on rockwork; in pots they are also charming. The other species are hardy. *Psittacinus* and *Saundersi* plant in spring, the others in autumn. These beautiful Gladioli flower April to June, except *Draccephalus, Purpureo-auratus*, and *Saundersi*, which bloom July to August.

- Collection of One each of 20 interesting and beautiful species of Gladioli 10/6
Saundersi, bright salmon-scarlet, lower petals white, spotted scarlet, showy, 2 ft. p. doz. 7/6; each 8d.
tristis, graceful spikes of large greenish white flowers, delightfully fragrant, prized for cutting, 1½ ft.
 per 100, 35/-; per doz. 5/; each 6d.
- ***GLORIOSA** *superba* (the *Gloriosa Lily*), a charming stove climber, with rich orange-red showy flowers; when trained on a globe or along a wire its splendid blossoms are seen to the best advantage each. s. d. 3 6
- GLORY OF THE SNOW.** See *Chionodoxa*, page 14.
- ***GLOXINIA**, Barr's Splendid Exhibition Named Varieties, p. doz. 15/-, 21/- & 30/-; ea. 1/6, 2/- & Barr's Beautiful Seedling Varieties, Mixed per doz. 4/5 3 0
- GRAPE HYACINTH.** See *Muscari*, page 42.
- GUERNSEY LILY.** See *Nerine sarniensis*, page 44.
- H. EMANTHUS**, it would not be possible to overrate the grand effect of these noble plants, whether grown in the greenhouse or stove.
Katharine, a magnificent plant of noble bearing, with large heads of brilliant orange-scarlet flowers, 2ft. 7 6
puniceus, orange-scarlet, 1 ft., each 3/6; *coccineus*, scarlet, 1 ft., each 2/6. *Kalbreyeri*, each 7/6
- HELLEBORUS.**—The White Christmas Rose.
 .. *Niger maximus*, the Great Christmas Rose, a grand species, flowering from October to January, and remarkable for its large dark green leaves, and very large white rose-tinted flowers, which come pure white under glass,
 extra strong clumps, full of bud, for forcing, 2/6 & 3 6
 Each Christmas Rose, a valuable variety to follow *Maximus*, bearing large pure white flowers,
 strong clumps for forcing, per doz. 15/, 24/ & 36/; 1/6, 2/6 & 3 6
- ☞ For other varieties of Christmas Roses and also our beautiful Lenten Roses, see our Hardy Plant Catalogue, free on application.

HIOMERIA

- aurantiaca* (*Bobartia*), bearing a profusion of charming bright salmon-rose flowers in summer; plant on light soils or rockwork, 1 ft. per 100, 7/6; per doz. 1/3 ...
collina, a beautiful Sparaxis-like plant, with a profusion of orange-scarlet flowers, 1 ft., cultural treatment same as for *Ixia* per 100, 7/6; per doz. 1/3 ...

BARR'S CHOICE NAMED HYACINTHS.**FOR CULTURE IN GLASSES, JARDINETS, POTS, AND FOR EXHIBITION.**

CULTURE IN POTS.—The best soil to use is a compost of good fibrous loam with a liberal addition of leaf-soil, sharp sand, and well-decayed cow manure. The whole should be well mixed and left to stand some time before being used.

In potting, leave the top of the bulb just exposed, and let the soil be in a nice friable state and not too moist. The pots should then, at once, be placed out-doors on a bed of ashes, and covered with six inches of the same material, or by preference, cocoa fibre, and left exposed to all weathers. When the bulbs have well-rooted, and about an inch of the top growth has been made, they may be removed indoors to force, first into a subdued light until the blanched foliage has attained its full green colour, and then into the sunniest situation at command. Abundance of air, a moderately moist atmosphere, and plenty of water at the roots is then necessary for early, well developed, flower spikes. A dry or frosty atmosphere or a draughty situation will cause the flower buds to shrivel. Forcing should only be done gently, the temperature not exceeding 70 degrees.

If finely developed trusses and rich colours are preferred to very early flowers, the Hyacinth should not be forced, but be left out-doors longer to develop, and then be removed to a mild temperature like that of a cool greenhouse, a sitting-room window, or frame, always selecting the sunniest and most genial situation.

CULTURE IN GLASSES.—Pure clear water should be used with a picce or two of charcoal in it to keep the water sweet. The base of the bulb should at all times just touch the water. Place the glasses in a cool dark place to encourage root growth. When the glasses are nearly full of roots admit them to the light gradually, and then to the sunniest place at command till the flower spikes are well developed. Avoid a too dry or frosty atmosphere or a draughty situation, as such conditions will often cause the flower buds to shrivel up. Barr's Mixture of Cocoa Fibre and Charcoal is an excellent material for growing Hyacinths in, and is clean and inoffensive for handling (see page 60 for directions).

HYACINTHS—continued.

CULTURE IN JARDINETTS.—For this purpose *Barr's Mixture of Cocoa Fibre and Charcoal* is undoubtedly the best material to use. It should be always kept moist, and when the jardinet is removed to the sitting-room the surface should be covered with fresh green carpet moss. Grown in jardinetts, Hyacinths are charming when associated with early spring-flowering bulbs like *Chionodoxas*, *Scilla sibirica*, *Snowdrops*, *Tulips*, *Crocuses*, *Narcissi*, *Iris reticulata*, etc.

BARR'S NEW "PRIZE-WINNING" EXHIBITION HYACINTHS.

A very careful selection of a few of the finest Hyacinths for Exhibitors.

We have selected these varieties specially out of many hundreds, as being specially suitable for exhibition on account of their grand spikes of fine form, their large bells and beautiful colours. Several of them will be little known to the public, being new varieties and great advances on existing sorts. *We simply give the colours as they are all of highest excellence in form and size.* Most of them have been awarded prizes and certificates of merit.

BARR AND SONS' SELECTIONS FOR EXHIBITORS.

3 each of 12 Magnificent Exhibition Hyacinths...55/
1 " " 12 " " " " " " " " " " " " 21/

	each—s. d.
BLUSH PERFECTION, delicate flesh colour, double	2 0
BLUSH QUEEN, lovely soft blush-rose.....	2 6
CANTAB, beautiful light blue	1 0
CARDINAL WISEMAN, charming light rose- pink	1 3
DISTINCTION, maroon-crimson, shaded black	1 6
ELECTRA, lovely sky-blue	3 0
GALATEA, delicate pale heliotrope	1 3
ISABELLE, fine blush-white, double	2 0
KING COLE, glittering black with violet tinge...	2 0
KING OF ROSES, soft full rose	3 0
LA BELLE, delicate pale rose	3 3
LEVIATHAN, beautiful blush	0 10
LORD BALFOUR, claret-crimson, striped white	1 6
MAGNIFICENT, rich clear light blue, double ...	1 6
MARCHIONESS OF LORNE, beautiful chamois	1 6
MOUNTAIN OF SNOW, snowy white.....	3 0
PEARL QUEEN, pretty French grey, novel colour	2 0
STANLEY, pale sky-blue	1 6
SWEETHEART, pure white	1 6
YELLOW HAMMER, the finest yellow Hyacinth	2 0



ONE BULB EACH OF THE ABOVE 20 GRAND HYACINTHS, 32/.

BARR'S

General Collection of Named Hyacinths.

The varieties of Hyacinths described below, and included in the following selections, we have personally selected during our many visits of inspection to the Bulb Farms of Holland, and experience has proved them the most worthy of cultivation. *Bulbs all of extra fine quality.*

BARR'S POPULAR SELECTIONS OF NAMED HYACINTHS.

100 extra fine Hyacinths in 50 varieties	£3 10 0	3 each 30 fine varieties.....	£2 5 0
50 " " " " in 25 varieties	1 15 0	3 " 20 " "	1 12 6
25 " " " " in 25 varieties	0 18 6	3 " 15 " "	1 4 0
12 " " " " in 12 vars., 7/6 & 0 10 6	1 " 12 " "		0 5 6

Mixed Hyacinths from named varieties for pot-culture, in a good variety of colours,
per 100, 30/; per doz. 4/.

BARR'S CHOICE NAMED HYACINTHS—*continued.*

All the Hyacinths in the following List are single except where otherwise stated. The double varieties are more suitable for pot-culture than for growing in glasses or for forcing.

THE SOFTER AND MORE DELICATE SHADES OF RED, SUCH AS BLUSH-ROSE, ROSE-PINK, Etc.

	each—s. d.		each—s. d.
Cavaignac, salmon, striped deep rose, very large truss	0 9	Lord Percy, beautiful rose-pink, large truss	1 3
Cosmos, rich rosy pink, fine truss	0 5	Moreno, bright pink, large bells	0 9
Dainty Maid, double, fine pale blush-rose, large bells and truss	1 6	Norma, satin-rose, large handsome bells and truss, early	0 5
Duke of Wellington, double, beautiful blush-rose, long handsome truss, large bells	0 6	Pink Perfection, beautiful clear pink, large beautifully formed truss	1 3
Eldine delicate pale rose, shaded white, of beautiful form	0 8	Rosy Bourn, beautiful rich soft rose, large compact truss	1 0
Fabiola, fine rose-pink, striped carmine, large bells and large truss	0 6	Sultan's Favourite, delicate rose, striped pink, handsome truss	0 5
Grootvorst, double, blush-pink, large compact truss	0 5	Triomphe des Roses, delicate pale rose, very large compact truss	1 0
L'Ornement Rose (new), soft flesh-rose, large compact truss	1 0	Victor Emmanuel, bright rose with blush stripe, fine compact truss, very early	0 10

THE RICHER AND DEEPER SHADES OF RED, SUCH AS DEEP-ROSE, CRIMSON, SCARLET, Etc.

Amy, vivid crimson-scarlet, fine truss	0 5	Koh-i-noor, semi-double, bright salmon-pink, large truss, model form	1 0
Countess of Rosebery, dark red, large handsome truss	0 8	Lord Macaulay, carmine, changing to vivid crimson-scarlet, large truss	0 6
Etna, brilliant deep rose, striped white, large broad truss	1 3	Mr. Robert Steiger, rich rose-carmine, large compact truss	0 5
Garibaldi, rich crimson, large splendid truss, early	0 10	Mrs. Beecher Stowe, rich rosy red, large splendid truss	0 6
General Pelissier, intense deep crimson, large truss	0 4	Princess Louise, double, fine deep rose, large compact truss	0 6
Gertrude, rose-carmine, fine compact truss	0 5	Queen of Hyacinths, brilliant carmine-rose, fine spike	0 5
Glow, deep rose, shaded buff, fine large spike, an attractive colour	1 0	Tollens, bright rose-carmine, fine truss	0 9
King of Scarlets (new), rich dark crimson-scarlet, compact truss, intense glowing colour	2 6	Von Schiller, salmon-pink, large truss	0 6
King of the Belgians, brilliant deep crimson-scarlet, fine bold spike	0 8	Vuurbaak, handsome deep glowing crimson-scarlet, fine large compact truss	1 3
King of the Reds, rich brilliant red, large handsome spike	1 9		

THE MORE DELICATE AND SOFTER SHADES OF BLUE, SUCH AS AZURE, PEARL-BLUE, Etc.

Bloksberg, double, beautiful clear azure-blue, large bells, good truss	0 6	Leontidas, rich blue large bells and truss	0 5
Blondin, rich azure-blue, bottom of tube bluish purple, large truss	0 6	Lord Byron, light blue, large bells and truss	0 9
Count Andrassy, bright light blue, large bells, fine compact truss	0 9	Lord Derby, pearl-blue, very large truss	0 9
Couronne de Celle, beautiful azure-blue, large bells, large truss	0 6	Peneman, fine rich light blue, very large bells, and large truss	0 5
Czar Peter, beautiful clear blue, large bells, large handsome perfect truss	0 8	Princess Wilhelmina, rich bright blue, large bells, compact broad truss of fine form	1 0
Forget-me-Not, pretty light blue, fine truss	1 0	Queen of the Blues, beautiful azure-blue, large bells, large handsome truss, a most lovely hyacinth, but should not be forced	0 9
Grand Lilas, silvery lilac, large truss	0 8	Regulus, rich porcelain-blue, fine truss	0 5

THE DARKER AND RICHER SHADES OF BLUE, SUCH AS DARK PORCELAIN, PURPLE, BLUE, VIOLET, BLACK, Etc.

Baron Van Tuyl, purple, large truss	0 5	King of the Blues, rich dark blue, large bells, magnificent compact truss	0 7
Charles Dickens, single, dark porcelain, shaded lilac, large truss	0 5	Marie, purple-blue, immense spike	0 4
Charles Dickens, double, dark porcelain, shaded lilac, fine truss	0 4	Masterpiece, fine violet-black, handsome compact truss of perfect form	1 3
Duke of Connaught, dark blue, large truss	1 0	Prince of Wales, dark blue, white eye, large truss	0 8
General Havelock, rich glittering purple, very large truss	0 8	The Sultan, rich dark violet-purple, large broad handsome truss	1 3
Grand Maître, deep porcelain-blue, very large handsome truss	0 6	William the First, fine blackish-purple, large truss, early	0 5
King of Blacks, blackish violet-purple, large well-formed truss, very handsome	1 0	William III., rich dark purple, large bells, large truss	0 5

CLARET-COLOUR AND CLARET-CRIMSON.

Claret Cup, rich claret with blackish stripe, well-formed truss	1 3	L'Esperance, brilliant bright claret-crimson, compact truss, very attractive	0 9
Distinction, maroon crimson, shaded black, handsome	1 6	Peter Barr, claret, with white eye, fine handsome truss	1 0

HYACINTHS—continued.

PURE WHITE.

	each—s. d.		each—s. d.
Albus Maximus , large full truss	0 8	Madame Van der Hoop , with faint blush tinge, but almost pure white, large bells, large compact truss	0 6
Baroness Van Tuyl , long handsome truss	0 4	Mont Blanc , large bells, fine large truss	0 8
Grand Vainqueur , large bells, fine truss	0 8	Prince of Waterloo , double, compact truss	0 6
La Grandesse , largest and handsomest truss ...	0 8	Snowball , fine truss, beautiful symmetrical bells of great substance	0 10
La Tour d'Auvergne , double, large bells, large handsome truss, early	0 6	Snow King , large bells of great substance, handsome large truss	2 6
L'Innocence , large bells, large truss... ..	0 8		

WHITE SHADED ROSE, BLUSH, WAXY WHITE, Etc.

Anna Maria , double, blush, violet centre, very pretty	0 5	La Franchise , waxy white, very fine bells, good truss	0 5
Grandeur à Merveille , white, shaded rose, immense compact truss	0 5	La Virginité , double, blush-white, very large bells	0 4
Lady of the Lake , semi-double, blush-white, large bells, fine handsome truss	1 3	Voltaire , white, shaded rose, large bells	0 4

YELLOW, CITRON, PRIMROSE, SALMON, Etc.

Bird of Paradise , bright yellow, fine truss	0 10	Primrose Perfection , deep yellow, large bells, long pyramidal truss	1 3
Citronnière , citron-yellow, fine truss	0 6	Queen of Yellows , clear yellow, fine compact truss	1 3
Ida , rich primrose, large truss	0 8	Sonora , rosy salmon, good compact truss	0 6
King of Yellows , rich deep yellow, large handsome truss, late-flowering	1 0	Van Vondel , beautiful soft chrome-yellow, large handsome truss	0 10
Obelsque , pure yellow, large truss	0 10		

For Barr's Prize-winning Exhibition Hyacinths, see page 25.

BARR'S

"EXTRA SELECTED" HYACINTHS FOR BEDDING, IN DISTINCT COLOURS.

The following Hyacinths are of an extra selected quality and far superior to what are commonly sold as "Bedding Hyacinths" at lower prices. The varieties selected are those having large erect well formed spikes of uniform height and rich brilliant colours, and only differ from the named Exhibition Hyacinths in the bulbs being a shade smaller in size. They may also be used for filling flower boxes, rustic baskets and vases, &c. As some varieties open a little earlier than others, we have put them into two sections—(1) Those which commence to flower first and about the same time, and (2) those which come to perfection a little later, blooming about the same time. We trust this arrangement will be of assistance to purchasers in making their selection.

SECTION 1.—Varieties coming first to perfection, and which may be bedded together.

	per 100.	per doz.		per 100.	per doz.
	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.
BARR'S EARLY BLUSH ROSE	25 0	3 6	BARR'S EARLY DARK VIOLET-		
BARR'S EARLY RICH DEEP ROSE 25 0	...	3 6	BLUE	25 0	3 6
BARR'S EARLY PALE AZURE-BLUE 25 0	...	3 6	BARR'S EARLY PURE WHITE	25 0	3 6
BARR'S EARLY BRIGHT BLUE	25 0	3 6	BARR'S EARLY BLUSH	25 0	3 6
12 bulbs of each of the above named 7 varieties, 22/-					
50 " " " " " " " " 7 " £1.					

SECTION 2.—Varieties coming to perfection a little later than those in Section 1, and which may be used for bedding together.

BARR'S BRIGHT ROSE	25 0	3 6	BARR'S RICH DARK VIOLET BLUE 25 0	...	3 6
BARR'S BRILLIANT DEEP ROSE ..	25 0	3 6	BARR'S PURE WHITE	25 0	3 6
BARR'S RICH DEEP CRIMSON ..	25 0	3 6	BARR'S BLUSH WHITE	25 0	3 6
BARR'S PALE AZURE-BLUE	25 0	3 6	BARR'S BLUSH	25 0	3 6
12 bulbs of each of the above named 8 varieties, 24/-					
50 " " " " " " " " 8 " £1 10s.					

ORDINARY-SIZE BEDDING HYACINTHS.

We can supply these in separate colours at 17/6 per 100; per dozen 2/6.

BARR'S BEAUTIFUL "RAINBOW" MIXTURES OF HYACINTHS.

FOR FILLING BEDS AND PLANTING IN BORDERS, Etc.

"BARR'S BEAUTIFUL 'RAINBOW' MIXTURE OF HYACINTHS," this beautiful mixture of Hyacinths is grown specially for us on one of the large Dutch Bulb Farms in Holland, and is unsurpassed for quality. Every Spring brings us numerous letters expressing satisfaction with the grand effect produced by these hyacinths. The colours are evenly blended, including red, scarlet, purple, lavender, porcelain, azure-blue, white, rose, blush, &c., producing a magnificent effect in flower beds and borders. Purchasers cannot fail to be pleased with them

	1st size bulbs p. 100, 17/6; p. doz.	2 6
"BARR'S BEAUTIFUL 'RAINBOW' MIXTURE OF HYACINTHS," for mixed borders, shrubberies, and naturalization.....	2nd size bulbs (of good flowering size), per 100, 13/6; per dozen	2 0

HYACINTHS—*continued.*

BARR'S MINIATURE HYACINTHS for Children's Gardens, etc.

In *children's gardens* and small flower beds, or as front edgings and ribbons, these **Miniature Hyacinths**, alone or intermingled with other dwarf spring-flowering bulbs, make a fine display throughout the Spring months.

They are also valuable for growing in small glasses, fancy pots, old china bowls, crystal dishes, jardinetts, etc., alone or associated with *Scilla sibirica*, *Chionodoxas*, *Crocus*, *Snowdrops*, *Dwarf Tulips*, and *Daffodils*, *Iris reticulata*, etc. Plant in "*Barr's Prepared Mixture of Charcoal and Cocoa Fibre*," or in *Jadoo Fibre* (see page 60), the surface may be covered with fresh green carpet-moss till the plants appear.

Barr's Special Mixture of beautiful coloursper 1000, 85/; per 100, 9/6; per dozen, 1/3

EARLY DWARF ROMAN HYACINTHS.

FOR EARLY FORCING.

These may be forced into bloom by November, or may be brought into bloom for Christmas decoration. The elegant little flower spikes are greatly prized for bouquets while the individual flowers are of great value for buttonholes.

Directions for Culture, see page 6.

per doz.—s. d.

Roman Hyacinth Early Dwarf White, <i>Sweet-Scented.</i>			
Extra Strong Selected Bulbs, per 100,	15/	2	3
Strong Selected Bulbs	10/6	1	6
A Few Very Large Bulbs.....	21/	3	0

Smaller sized bulbs at lower prices we do not stock, but can procure them for customers if required.

Roman Hyacinth, Early Blush. This beautiful variety flowers just after the White Roman Hyacinth	per 100, 12/6	1	9
Roman Hyacinth, Early Blue, flowers from a fortnight to three weeks later than the White Roman Hyacinth.....	per 100, 10/6	1	6
Beautiful Straw-coloured Early Hyacinth, of a charming pale chrome-yellow shade, flowering just after the White Roman Hyacinth, p. 100, 24/		3	6
New Extra Early Hyacinth, "Harbinger," flowering before any of the Roman Hyacinths; its long spikes of pretty purple-blue flowers are very attractive	per 100, 24/	3	6



WHITE ROMAN HYACINTH.

HYACINTHUS CANDICANS, THE GREAT SNOW-WHITE SUMMER-FLOWERING HYACINTH.

Attains a height of 3 to 6 feet, according to soil and situation, and is surmounted with 20 to 50 graceful pendant pure white bell-shaped flowers; a handsome decorative plant for grouping in the flower border or on lawns, also a fine pot-plant for the conservatory.

Large Flowering bulbs, p. 100, 6/6; p. doz. 1/1.
Larger selected bulbs, p. 100, 8/6; p. doz. 1/3.

HYACINTHUS

amethystinus, an elegant Alpine Hyacinth of the most beautiful amethyst blue; charming in pots, and clumps in flower borders, or as edgings; quite hardy, ½ ft.

per 100, 6/6; per doz. 1/4
azureus. See *Muscari azureum*, page 42.

***HYMENOCALLIS** (*syn.* *Pancreatum* or *Ismene*), lovely bulbous plants for greenhouse or out-doors, planted close to a south wall, 9 inches deep; the flowers are of great beauty.

amancaes , the golden-yellow Peruvian	each	
Daffodil , a rare species, 1½ ft.	s. d.	5 6
calathinum , the pearly, sweet-smelling		
White Sea Daffodil , 1½ ft. ....per doz.	5/6	0 6

***IMANTOPHYLLUM**

miniatum , orange-crimson flowers, in clusters, 2 ft.	{ Handsome bulbous plants for stove or warm greenhouse.	4 6
cyrtanthiflorum , orange-coloured flowers, in clusters, 2 ft.		
		3 6



HYACINTHUS CANDICANS.



Parrot Tulip. (See page 52.)
From a drawing made at our Long Ditton Nurseries.



Barr's English Tulips. (See page 54.)
From a drawing made at our Long Ditton Nurseries.



A Bed of Early Single Tulips "Princess Marianne." (See page 49.)
From a photograph taken at our Long Ditton Nurseries.



Montbretia crocosmaeflora. (See page 41.)
 From a drawing made at our Long Ditton Nurseries.



Anemone fulgens.
 (See page 11.)



Arum palæstinum. (See page 12.)



Ornithogalum pyramidale. (See page 44.)
 From a drawing made at our
 Long Ditton Nurseries.



Calceoliti. (See page 13.)

From a photograph taken at our Long Ditton Nurseries.



English Irises. (See page 33.)

From a photograph taken at our Long Ditton Nurseries.



Spanish Irises. (See page 33.)

From a photograph taken at our Long Ditton Nurseries.



Ixias. (See page 36.)

From a photograph taken at our Long Ditton Nurseries.



Alstroemeria aurantiflora. (See page 10.)
From a drawing made at our Long Ditton Nurseries.



Muscari plumosum monstrosum. (See page 42.)
From a drawing made at our Long Ditton Nurseries.



Muscari conicum "Heavenly Blue," naturalized on a bank at our Long Ditton Nurseries.
(See page 42.)

IRISES

Irises are the "Orchids" of the flower garden. Their blossoms are the most rich and varied in colour of hardy plants; their time of flowering ranges from Christmas to August. They should be extensively planted in flower and shrubby borders, and naturalized. As cut flowers Irises are most valuable, competing in richness and variety of colour with the choicest and the most beautiful Orchids. For Beautiful Bearded and Beardless Flag Irises, dwarf and tall growing, also Japanese Flag Irises, see our *Hardy Plant Catalogue*.

BARR'S June-flowering ENGLISH IRIS.
(THE LARGE FLOWERED BULBOUS IRIS OF THE PYRENEES.)

(See *Illustration on page 31.*)

These magnificent Irises thrive best in a well-drained light or medium soil; when the soil is very heavy surround the bulbs with sand and see well to drainage. The earlier the planting, after beginning of September, the greater the success, although the bulbs may be put in as late as December. The varieties contained in our collection we have specially selected as being the finest and most distinct, and they will be found as *strikingly beautiful and varied in colour as the most sumptuous Orchids of the hot-house*. They flower in June, thus succeeding the Bearded Flag Irises.

Our Annual Exhibits of cut flowers of these grand Irises, at the London Summer Shows and at King Street, Covent Garden, attract much attention and elicit great admiration.

Barr and Sons' Selections of Beautiful English Irises.

100 in 20 magnificent varieties	s. d. 12 6	Barr's Choice Mixed lovely varieties, producing a fine effect in beds and borders	s. d.
50 in 20 "	6 6		p. 1000, 50/; p. 100, 5/6; p. doz. 0 10
20 in 20 "	3 0		per doz. 10/6; per doz. 1/6
Named Varieties in Mixture, from the following line named sorts			

S. is used to signify Standards, or the erect petals; F. Falls, or the drooping petals.

Blanche Fleur, S. white, with rosy tinge, F. white	2 6	0 3
Emma, S. soft French grey, faintly flaked blue, F. French grey, shaded white, faintly spotted blue, beautiful	4 6	0 5
Graaf Bentink, S. crimson-magenta, flaked white, F. white, spotted crimson, handsome	3 6	0 4
Grande Celsste, S. light blue, F. bright blue, very large	3 6	0 4
Hypocrates, S. soft mauve, flaked purple, F. mauve, tinged blue and slightly mottled	3 6	0 4
King of the Blues, S. violet and black, F. rich blue, spotted dark violet	2 6	0 3
La Charmante, S. deep lavender-blue, F. white, margined light lavender, beautiful	3 6	0 4
Mountain of Snow, S. and F. white, very large ..	3 6	0 4
Mont Blanc, S. and F. pure white, very handsome	2 6	0 3
Ruby, S. ruby-purple, shaded black, F. velvety crimson-purple, with darker markings	2 6	0 3
Simon, S. pale lavender, feathered purple, F. delicate lavender, slightly spotted violet	2 6	0 3
Vainqueur, S. deep lavender, feathered violet, F. delicate lavender, slightly spotted violet ...	2 6	0 3

BARR'S June-flowering SPANISH IRIS.
(THE ORCHID-LIKE BULBOUS IRIS OF SPAIN.)

(See *Illustration on page 31.*)

The Spanish Irises flower a fortnight before the English, and differ from them considerably, the colours of the flowers being showier and more varied. The curious and charming blendings of shades in the same flower, give them the appearance of many of our rare orchids, with which they can well compete in grace and beauty. For vases and bouquets the cut flowers are greatly prized, as they last long when cut and the buds open well in water. For filling flower beds and massing in borders, these elegant Irises are of the greatest value. They will also bear gentle forcing in pots. The varieties contained in our collection are the *finest and most distinct in cultivation*. The cultural treatment same as for the English Iris.

Our Annual Exhibits of cut blooms of these beautiful Irises form a great feature of attraction.

Barr and Sons' Selections of Beautiful Spanish Irises.

100 in 25 magnificent varieties	6 6	50 in 25 magnificent varieties	3 6
Barr's extra choice mixture, made up specially from a great variety of attractive colours; we can strongly recommend these for filling beds, massing in borders, and where large quantities of cut flowers are required			
Mixed from the following named Varieties			
Thunderbolt, Standards of a broad, rich bronzy purple, Falls chestnut-brown, with large striking orange blotch, large and handsome			

S. is used to signify Standards, or the erect petals; F. Falls, or the drooping petals.

Avalanche, S. china-white, F. snowy-white, with orange blotch, large flower.....	p. 1000, 55/	6 6	0 10
Blue Beauty, S. violet, F. azure-blue, with yellow eye, a beautiful early variety...	45/	5 6	0 10
California, S. full yellow, F. deep golden-yellow, with orange blotch, large flower, ..	55/	6 6	0 10
Cantab, S. rich dark azure, F. Cambridge blue, with orange blotch, beautiful.....		5 6	0 10
Carmen, S. rosy purple, F. yellow, with orange blotch, large and very striking		5 6	0 10
Catherina, S. sapphire-blue, shading to white, F. white and orange.....		10 6	1 6
Golden King, S. deep golden-yellow, F. brilliant glowing deep orange, large and handsome ...		8 6	1 3

SPANISH IRIS—*continued.*

	p 100 p. doz.
Laara , S. violet, F. violet, with orange blotch, early	3. d. s. d. 6
Lemon Queen , S. and F. beautiful soft lemon, early	9 6...1 0
Princess Ida , a lovely variety, for description see <i>Novelty List</i> , page 4	,, 30/ 4 6...0 8
Queen Isabella , S. pale primrose, F. yellow and orange, large and beautiful	7 6...1 3
Snowball , S. pure white, shaded sapphire at base, F. white, with conspicuous golden blotch per 1000, 55/	6 6...1 0
Snow Queen , S. pure white, F. pure white, with orange blotch, beautiful, early... ..	,, 35/ 4 6...0 8
Sunset , S. pale lavender, F. yellow, with orange blotch, large flower	5 6...0 10
The Moor , S. rich chestnut-purple, F. rich golden-brown and orange	9 6...1 6

IRIS, Various Beautiful Bulbous and Tuberos-Rooted Species.

These Iris Species are all hardy and beautiful, flowering one after the other from November to June. The dwarf early species will be more enjoyed if planted on rockwork, where the flowers could be a little protected from heavy rains. *Alata*, *Reticulata* *Histrio* and *Histrioides*, *Vartani*, and *Stylosa vars.*, are charming winter-flowering species, followed in February by *I. Reticulata*, with its lovely violet-lobed blossoms, the sweet-scented *I. Persica*, the beautiful lately introduced species *I. Rosenbachiana*, *Kolpakowskiana*, *Bakeriana*, and *Danfordiæ*. Next in succession come the interesting *Caucasica*, *Orchioides*, the curious Snakeshead Iris *Tuberosa*, and the new species *I. Sindjarensis* and *Assyriaca*. These are followed closely by *Susiana*, *Iberica*, etc., with their large handsome beautifully netted flowers; along with these, *I. Atrofusca*, *Atropurpurea*, *Bismarckiana*, *Gatesii*, *Lorteti*, *Lupina*, and *Helena*, surpass in beauty and interest any written description that can be given of them. The charming dwarf Iris *flavissima*, *Bloudovii*, the pretty Peacock Iris, and the beautiful Iris *cristata* flower in May, and are followed in June by *Iris Juncea*, *Boissieri*, *Lusitanica*, and *Tingitana*.

The Irises marked † belong to the **Oncocyclus** and **Regella** Sections, and require special treatment. The roots should be planted in November (the tops not more than two inches below the surface) in a light rich well drained soil, and covered with three or four inches of wheat straw or, better still, marsh reeds, which should be removed in March. Immediately these Irises have done flowering place over the plants a light, or panes of glass elevated eighteen inches above the ground, so as to admit at the sides a free entry of air, and at the same time to keep off rain till October. The object desired is to thoroughly ripen the roots, and prevent their starting into growth before Spring. The covering in winter is to keep off heavy rains, and discourage a premature growth. If this treatment secures the object required, the roots may remain undisturbed for several years, but if it fails, then try Mr. Ewbank's plan of using flag stones to intercept the rise of moisture which stimulates an autumn growth, or lift the roots immediately they have done flowering, and keep them on a dry shelf or in perfectly dry sand till time of planting. *The great beauty of these Irises, especially when seen in established masses, will fully repay the special treatment they require.*

For an interesting history and description of the various **Oncocyclus** and **Regella** Irises, see Prof. Foster's article in *The Garden*, February 18th, 1893. For the Rev. Henry Ewbank's successful culture of these Irises on raised beds, see *The Garden*, May 13th, 1893, &c. (*A Beautiful Coloured Plate of Oncocyclus Irises*, *Gatesii*, *Lorteti*, and *Lupina*, 6d. *Another Coloured Plate of Irises*, *Atrofusca*, *Bismarckiana*, *Atropurpurea*, and *Helena* (Marie) 6d.)

	each—s. d.
Alata (<i>Scorpion Iris</i>), pale blue of similar shape to <i>I. reticulata</i> , winter-flowering, ½ ft. ...per doz.	3/6 0 4
.. pallida , a most lovely variety, flowers white, shaded pale pearly blue, ½ ft.	,, 15/ 1 6
.. Leichtlini , flowers beautiful large deep blue, ½ ft.	3 6
Assyriaca (new), a beautiful species, with large white flowers, resembling in form <i>I. Sindjarensis</i> per doz. 21/	2 0
† Atrofusca , a handsome Iris, S. large elaret-brown, veined black, F. brown-black, 3 ft.	1 0
† Atropurpurea , beautiful velvety coppery maroon, with black sheen, 1 ft. ....per doz.	5/6 0 6
Bakeriana , a lovely species, similar in form to <i>I. reticulata</i> , S. sky-blue, F. white, blotched and spotted dark violet, sweet scented, flowers before the <i>Iris reticulata</i> varieties (this spring blooming at our Nurseries, out of doors, 1st February), ½ ft. Figured in <i>The Garden</i> , May, 1890	1 6
† Bismarckiana (<i>syn. Sari nazarena</i>), new, flowers large and beautiful, S. sky-blue, veined purple, F. veined reddish brown-purple on a straw-coloured ground, ¾ ft., of easy cultivation, p. doz.	5/5 0 6
Boissieri , S. and F. rich purple, blotch golden-yellow, June-flowering, 9 in.	1 0
Caucasica , primrose-coloured flowers, with silver-margined foliage, ½ ft. ....per doz.	7/6 0 8
Cristata , flowers amethyst-blue, striped orange and gracefully fringed, in May; charming for sunny sheltered banks, rockwork, etc., where it can be moderately dry in winter, ¼ ft. ....per doz.	2/6 0 3
Danfordiæ , a lovely dwarf species, flowers bright golden-yellow, spotted brown, flowering in February, and delighting in dry nooks on rockwork, 3 in. Figured in <i>The Garden</i> , May, 1890 ...	1 6
Fimbriata , beautiful sky-blue flowers in winter. This lovely Iris is exquisitely beautiful in the conservatory, but is only hardy out-doors in sheltered positions	0 9

IRIS, VARIOUS BEAUTIFUL SPECIES—*continued.*

	each—s. d.
† <i>Flavissima Bloudovii</i> , a pretty species with attractive soft yellow flowers in May, 9 to 12 in.	1 6
† <i>Gatesii</i> , a hardy robust species of the <i>Suslana</i> type, but with larger flowers, of a beautiful satiny creamy white, tinged rose, delicately veined and minutely spotted silvery grey, June-flowering, 2½ ft.	
We were awarded for this beautiful Iris a Certificate of Merit by the Royal Botanic Society...	
Grant Duffi , a new species from Palestine, with sulphur-yellow flowers and bluish-green foliage; may be treated like the Tail Flag Irises	per doz. 7/6 0 8
† <i>Helenaë</i> (<i>syn.</i> <i>I. Marlaë</i>), a lovely Iris with large handsome flowers, S. bright lilac, F. purple, veined black and with velvety black blotch, 1st Class Certificate Royal Botanic Society , p. doz. 7/6	0 8
† <i>Iberica</i> , a dwarf species of great beauty, with large handsome flowers, S. satiny white, reticulated dark purple, F. rich brown-purple, with conspicuous black blotch, 6 in. ....per doz. 5/6	0 6
Juncea , S. and F. brilliant golden-yellow, one of the most beautiful and showy of bulbous Irises; to cut for vases invaluable, 15 in. It prefers a rather dry and warm light soil ..per doz. 2/6	0 3
.. <i>pallida</i> (<i>new</i>), S. and F. soft canary-yellow, 15 in.	15/ 1 6
Kolpakowskiana , allied to <i>I. reticulata</i> , F. deep violet-purple, with golden blotch, S. pale lilac, 2 in., flowering in March. Figured in <i>The Garden</i> , 1888	2 6
† <i>Leichtlini</i> , large handsome flowers, bronzy brown, shading to lilac, 1½ ft.	2 6
† <i>Lorteti</i> , a great beauty, resembling <i>I. Gatesi</i> , but with rose-coloured markings, May-flowering, 1 ft.	1 0
† <i>Lupina</i> (The Wolf's Fur Iris), a remarkably striking new species, with curious greenish yellow flowers, veined brownish red, and with a heavy beard, resembling a wolf's fur, ½ ft. ...per doz. 7/6	0 8
Lusitanica (<i>true</i>), S. yellow, F. rich yellow, with orange blotch, handsome, 1½ ft.	7/6 0 8
Orchiloides , this species resembles <i>I. caucasica</i> , but with larger flowers of a bright golden-yellow colour, produced in the axils of the leaves, April-flowering, 1 ft.	4 6
† <i>Paradoxa</i> , S. dark blue-purple, F. dark velvety purple, very handsome	8 6
Pavonia major (<i>Vieusseuxia</i> , or <i>Moræa</i>), the Peacock Iris, flowers pure white, petals blotched clear celestial blue, a beautiful gem for pots or select places, out-of doors, 1 ft. p. 100, 10/6; p. doz. 1/6	0 2
Persica , white suffused pale blue, the petals blotched purple and gold, very fragrant, ½ ft. This Iris delights in a warm, light, dry soil	per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6 0 2
.. <i>Vogellana</i> (<i>new</i>), see <i>Novelty List</i> , page 4.	

Reticulata , very beautiful, brilliant deep violet, blotched golden-yellow, strongly violet-scented, ¾ ft. Figured in <i>The Garden</i> , 1831	
p. 100, 40/-; p. doz. 5/6 & 7/6; 6d. &	0 8
.. var. Histrio , a charming variety from Palestine, flowers bright blue, blotched golden-yellow, earlier than <i>I. reticulata</i> , ½ ft. ....per doz. 6/6	0 7
.. var. Histriloides , flowers beautiful azure, earlier and larger than <i>I. reticulata</i> , ¾ ft. <i>First Class Certificate R.H.S.</i> ....per doz. 6/6	0 7
.. Krelagel , claret-purple, blotched golden-yellow, violet-scented, ¾ ft. p. doz. 4/6	0 5
Rosenbachiana , beautiful sweet-scented flowers generally white and rosy violet, but variable, not unlike <i>I. Persica</i> , but larger, ½ ft. <i>First Class Certificate R.H.S.</i> , 1889	3 6
Sindjarensis , a charming new species from Mesopotamia, like <i>I. caucasica</i> in growth; flowers white and azure-blue, prettily crested, March-flowering, 1 ft.	1 6
Sisyrinchium , an interesting little May-flowering species, with small soft lavender flowers, the falls blotched white, ht. ½ ft. <i>Requires a warm sunny situation</i>	per doz. 2/6 0 3



IRIS RETICULATA.

Stylosa , see <i>Ungicularis</i> (the correct name).	
† Suslana , a remarkably handsome species with immense flowers, bluish, tinted brown and covered with a network of dark lines, May-flowering, ht. 1 ft. ....per 100, 50/-; per doz. 7/6	0 8
Tingitana , a lovely bulbous Iris from Tangiers, thriving in a warm sunny situation, such as the foot of a south wall. The flowers vary in the Standards from dark to light blue. Falls lilac and white with golden blotch, May to June-flowering, ht. 2 ft. ....per 100, 40/-; per doz. 5/6	0 6
<i>(Beautiful Coloured Plate of Iris Tingitana, price 6d.)</i>	
Tuberosa (Snakeshead Iris), flowers rich velvety violet-black and green, ht. ¾ ft. p. 100, 12/6; p. doz. 1/9	0 2
Ungicularis (<i>syn.</i> <i>Stylosa</i>), S. and F. beautiful light blue, winter-flowering, ht. 1 ft. If grown in a warm dry situation will yield abundance of charming flowers	per doz. 5/6 0 6
.. <i>alba</i> , a most lovely Iris, flowers ivory-white, ht. 1 ft.	1 6
.. <i>speciosa</i> , flowers rich deep blue, netted white, ht. 1 ft.	1 6
Vartani , a pretty little species found near Nazareth, flowers azure-blue, in Nov. or Dec., ht. ½ ft.	0 8

For Beautiful Flag Irises, Tall Bearded, Dwarf, and Japanese, etc., see our Plant Catalogue.

Barr's "Popular Collections" of Daffodils for Amateurs, see Daffodil Catalogue.

ISMENE CALATHINUM, see *Hymenocallis*.

IXIA.—The African Corn Lily (see *Illustration*, page 31), a graceful slender growing plant, with long loose spikes of bloom. The colours are rich, varied, and beautiful, the centre always differing in colour from the other parts of the flower, so that the blossoms expanding in the sun's rays present a picture of *gorgeous beauty*.

CULTURE IN POTS.—From October to January plant five or six bulbs in a four or five-inch pot, using a compost of turfy loam, leaf soil, and silver sand. Make the soil firm about the bulbs, then plunge the pots in ashes in a cold pit or frame, and withhold water till the plants appear, and at first give sparingly. When the plants are in growth, the lights should be left off, except during wet or frosty weather. Early in February, or when the plants have made sufficient growth, remove them to the greenhouse, keep close to the glass, and carefully attend to the watering.

CULTURE OUT-DOORS.—Plant from October to January, at a depth of three inches, and the bulbs two inches apart, in a prepared light loamy soil, thoroughly drained, in a sunny situation, protected if possible from cold east and northerly winds. Cover the earlier plantings with 5 or 6 inches of straw litter, heather, fern-bracken, or other light material to protect the early top growth from frosty winds, but remove the covering in March. The later plantings will flower after the earlier ones, therefore select a situation for them where the sun's rays will be somewhat broken, and thus the blooming period will be prolonged. The *gorgeous beauty* of these flowers amply rewards the little extra care they require to ensure success.

BARR'S SELECTIONS OF NAMED IXIAS.

	s. d.		s. d.
6 each of 20 splendid varieties	17 6	3 each of 12 splendid varieties	4/6 & 6 6
3 each of 20 "	9 6	1 each of 12 "	2 6

Barr's "Rainbow" Mixture of *Ixias* in great variety of gorgeous colours, for filling beds and massing in sunny bordersper 1000, 25/; per 100, 3/6; per doz. 6d. ...

The following varieties of *Ixias* are the most distinct and beautiful in cultivation.

	per doz. s. d.		per doz. s. d.
Azurea, azure-blue, violet centre	3 6	Humbert, very large coppery rose, black centre, beautiful and distinct	2 6
Beauty of Norfolk, canary, centre black ...	1 6	La Favorite, primrose, crimson centre	1 6
Bucephalus, rich claret-colour, beautiful...	1 0	Lady Slade, beautiful rose-pink, carmine centre, Longiflora, see <i>Morphixia</i> , page 42.	1 0
Conqueror, yellow, shaded red	1 6	Magnifica, handsome, rich deep yellow, chocolate centre	1 6
Crateroides, rich cerise-scarlet, early, and greatly valued for cutting.....per 100, 4/6	0 8	Magnum bonum, large white, blue centre	1 6
Donnatello (<i>new</i>), large, flowers brick-scarlet, brown centre, a most lovely colour	2 6	Nitens, intense deep magenta, handsome.....	1 6
Elvira, French-grey, violet centre	2 6	Proestans, ruby crimson, beautiful	1 6
Emperor of China, rich yellow, centre black, a grand, handsome variety	3 6	Queen of Roses, beautiful bright rose, large double flowers	3 6
Erubescens major, deep rose-carmine, black centre, beautiful	1 6	Viridiflora, sea-green, black centre, distinct ...	5 6
Excelstor (<i>new</i>), large handsome crimson-scarlet	1 6	Vulcan, orange-red, black centre	1 6
Golden Drop, golden-yellow, dark centre ..	1 0	White Queen, the largest pure white <i>Ixia</i> , with velvety crimson centre	2 6

As beautiful companion plants to the *Ixia*, we recommend the *Morphixia*, *Sparaxis*, *Tritonia*, and *Babiana*. These all require the same treatment as the *Ixia*.

IXIOLIRION, a beautiful and elegant family of hardy bulbous plants, thriving in a good light soil and open dry sunny situation.

Sintensis (<i>new</i>), large heads of lovely rich deep blue, 1½ ft.	2 6
tataricum (Pallas), beautiful deep blue tubular flowers in handsome heads, 1½ ft.....per doz. 5/6	0 6
macranthum, heads of very large handsome bright deep blue flowers, 1½ ft	2 6

JONQUILLS, SWEET-SCENTED.

The Double and Single Jonquills are prized for their graceful sweet-scented flowers in or out of doors. For in-door decoration three to six bulbs should be grown in a 4 or 5-inch pot, and cultivated the same as the Hyacinth in all respects, whether for early flowering or succession. If planted out-doors and treated the same as Daffodils, a long succession of these deliciously-scented flowers for room decoration may be maintained.

	per doz.—s. d.		per doz.—s. d.
Single Jonquill, rich full yellow ...p. 1000, 21s.	0 3	Double Jonquill, flowers of a rich full yellow, small, very elegant and delightfully fragrant	2 9
" " extra large bulbs " 4s.	0 8		p. 100, 18/6

For Campernelle Jonquill and Queen Ann's Double Jonquill, see our *Daffodil Catalogue*, page 21.

LACHENALIA, very beautiful greenhouse plants flowering in early Spring, with curiously spotted leaves and handsome flower spikes. They should be potted *early in Autumn* in a compost of loam, sweet leaf soil, and sand, placed in a greenhouse or frame, and never be allowed to suffer for want of water. See Plate in *The Garden*, 1880.

LACHENALIA—continued.

	each—s.	d.
aurea gigantea (<i>new</i>), very long handsome spikes of yellow flowers	2	6
Camel , flowers deepest golden, with red shading, stem red, a vigorous grower	per doz.	8/ 0 9
fragrans , white sweet smelling flowers, 1 ft.	7/6	0 8
glaucina , spikes of pretty metallic-blue flowers, handsome foliage, very striking, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. Figured Bot. Mag., Vol. 64, Tab. 3552.....	per doz.	7/6 0 8
Nelsoni (1st Class Cert. R.H.S.), large rich deep golden-yellow flowers, most beautiful and very free-flowering, <i>the best yellow Lachenalia</i> , 1 ft.....	per doz.	10/6 1 0
pendula , large brilliant red flowers, tipped green and purple; a grand handsome showy flower, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.	per doz.	5/6 0 6
quadricolor , true, scarlet, yellow and green, with broad crimson tip, an exceedingly beautiful flower, 1 ft.	per doz.	7/6 0 8
tricolor , flowers scarlet, yellow and green, a very free and showy variety, 1 ft. per 100, 21/ ..	3/	0 4

Other varieties—**aurea**, each 9d.; **luteola**, each 6d.; **pallida**, each 9d.

For New Lachenalias of great beauty, see *Novelty List*, page 5.

LEUCOJUM (Snowflake), Spring, Summer, and Autumn-Flowering.

Leucojum vernum the **Spring Snowflake**, is one of our earliest and most beautiful Spring flowers, the blossoms of which, resembling a large Snowdrop, are handsome in outline and elegant in bouquets. *L. aestivum* and *Hernandezii*, the **Summer Snowflakes**, flower in April and May, and are remarkable for their elegant blossoms. *L. autumnale* is a charming white, pink-tipped Fairy-like Snowdrop, blooming in August and September. *L. trichophyllum* resembles *Autumnale* in its graceful flowers, but blooms in Spring, and is best grown in pots in a frame; in Portugal, its native country, it is found growing in pure sand. Mr. William Robinson, in his paper at the Conference on Hardy Flowers, remarked:—"The early-flowering Leucojum is a more precious flower for gathering than the Snowdrop, and the late-flowering Leucojum is graceful and handsome in grass." They all delight in shady situations.

	each—s.	d.
Autumnale (Acis), white and pink flowers in Autumn, graceful in pots and on rockwork, etc., $\frac{1}{2}$ ft.	per 100, 15/; per doz.	2/3 0 3
Trichophyllum , (Acis), pure white, a rare and beautiful spring-flowering species; grow in moist sand.	per doz.	3/6 0 4
Aestivum , a handsome plant, bearing spikes of elegant drooping white flowers, in May, which are greatly prized for cutting, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft.	per 1000, 45/; per 100, 5/; per doz.	9d. ...
" " Smaller Bulbs for naturalization.....	per 1000, 30s.; per 100,	3/6 ...
Hernandezii (<i>syn. pulchellum</i>), elegant drooping white flowers, in May, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft.....	per doz.	2/6 0 3
Vernum carpathicum , a strong-growing variety of the early Spring Snowflake , bearing white flowers in early Spring; valuable for edgings, masses, foot of rockwork, and for naturalising in grass, etc.	per 100, 7/6; per doz.	1/3 ...

BARR'S BEAUTIFUL HARDY LILIES.

FOR PLANTING IN BEDS, BORDERS, and for GREENHOUSE DECORATION.

THE LILY, for variety of colour, chasteness, and beauty of form, is matchless amongst hardy plants. The flowering commences in May, and a continuous unbroken succession of bloom, from species of different countries, is maintained till the frosts of Autumn destroy the last unexpanded flower buds.

CULTURE OUT-OF-DOORS.—In choosing a situation for planting, *perfect drainage*, natural or artificial, should be the first consideration. The borders of Rhododendron and Azalea beds, and such-like positions, are generally suitable for Lily culture, as the necessary compost for the particular species can easily be given, and the shelter from the surrounding branches is beneficial in protecting the plants from cold winds in Spring, and also affording a partial shelter from the sun's rays in Summer. Sheltered spots in mixed herbaceous and shrubby borders will also do. In preparing the ground, loosen the soil to a depth of several feet, and add fresh loam, coarse sand, and *sweet* decomposed leaf soil, or good peat, care being taken that the soils are as free as possible from insect life, and the compost sufficiently friable. Plant the bulbs 4 to 6 inches deep (except where otherwise stated), and they may then remain undisturbed for many years. The bog or swamp-loving Lilies **Superbum**, and the varieties of **Canadense** and **Pardalinum**, require a moist peaty soil and rather shady situation; they are admirably adapted for growing amongst Rhododendrons and Azaleas in moist situations, and for the sides of brooks, ponds, rivulets, etc.

CULTURE IN-DOORS.—**THE LILY** being a free rooter requires plenty of pot-room, therefore use in most cases a 6 or 8-inch pot for one bulb, according to its size, and a compost of fibrous loam and sweet decomposed leaf soil, with plenty of coarse sand or good peat, loam and sand will do. See that the drainage is perfect and the inside of the pot clean, to start with. Pot firmly, barely covering the top of the bulb, and leaving room to add more soil when the surface roots appear. Select a situation out-of-doors, protected from the afternoon sun, and stand the pots on a bed of ashes raised above the general level to avoid stagnant moisture, and made firm to prevent the entrance of worms; then cover with 6 inches of cocoa-nut fibre or old leaf soil to keep off excessive rains. When top growth begins to show above the

BARR'S HARDY LILIES—continued.

covering, remove the pots to a cold frame, pit or greenhouse, and start giving water sparingly, a little clear weak liquid manure given twice a week, when the flower-buds are well advanced will greatly assist in the development of fine blooms. A north wall or hedge is a suitable situation for starting the bulbs. If very early flowers are required the Lily may be started in a gentle heat as soon as potted, but as soon as top growth shows itself the plant must be kept as near the glass as possible to prevent being drawn. **Superbum** and the varieties of **Canadense** and **Pardalinum** prefer for soil a moist sandy peat, but will also thrive in any good fairly moist soil.

To those desiring further information regarding Lilies, we recommend Dr. Wallace's "Notes on Lilies," price 5/.

BARR'S SELECTIONS OF BEAUTIFUL LILIES.

For Greenhouse decoration,	25 in 25	beautiful named vars.....	£1 1s., £1 10s., & £2 2s.
" " "	12 in 12	" " "	12s., 18s., £1 5s., to £2 2s.
For Flower border decoration,	25 in 25	" " "	£1 1s., £1 10s., & £2 2s.
" " "	12 in 12	" " "	7s. 6d., 10s. 6d., 15s., £1 1s., to £2 2s.
For Rhododendron beds,	25 in 25	" " "	£1 10s., £2 2s., to £3 3s.
" " "	12 in 12	" " " .....	...7s. 6d., 10s. 6d., 15s., £1 1s., £2 2s.

***AURATUM** (The White Golden-rayed Crimson-spotted Hill Lily of Japan), this is, indeed, the Queen of Lilies, and should have a place in every garden and greenhouse. It is of simplest culture and perfectly hardy.

We are expecting our first consignment of this beautiful Lily to arrive in November, from Japan, and we are booking orders for delivery immediately on arrival, at the following extremely moderate prices. Those who have beds

of Rhododendrons should plant this grand Lily freely amongst them for a succession of flowers. Growing amongst Peonies, and along the margins of evergreens, clumps of **L. auratum**, 6 to 12 bulbs in a clump planted 3 to 6 inches apart, produce a grand effect. As isolated subjects on large lawns, groups of **Lilium auratum** look very handsome and stately. A situation should be chosen where the plants are sheltered from cutting winds and screened from the mid-day sun.

- Splendid Large Bulbs**, producing an abundance of flowers, 12 for 10/6, 25 for 20/, 50 for 38/, 100 for 70/.
- Good Sized Bulbs**, producing numerous flowers, 12 for 7/6, 25 for 14/, 50 for 26/, 100 for 50/.
- Smaller Bulbs**, but of good flowering size, 12 for 5/6, 25 for 10/-, 50 for 19/, 100 for 36/.
- A few **Special Monster Bulbs**, 1s. 6d. each.



LILIAM AURATUM.

* Auratum var. Alexandræ , a very distinct and beautiful new white Lily from Uke Island, discovered 1893	each s. d.	7 6
* platyphyllum , very large handsome flowers of great substance, with broad white petals, spotted crimson, 7 to 10 ft. Strong bulbs , per doz. 21s.		2 0
Extra strong bulbs ,		3 0
* rubro-vittatum , large pure white flowers, with a broad deep crimson band down the centre of each petal. A Lily of great beauty and the admiration of all who see it		2 6
Extra strong bulbs		3 6
* Auratum Virginalis , beautiful large white flowers, with golden band down each petal, chaste and beautiful, ht. 6 ft.		3 6
Batemanni , a beautiful Lily with rich glowing orange-red flowers, in August and September, ht. 3 ft., per doz. 7s. 6d.		0 8
Brownii , a grand and beautiful Lily, producing, in July, handsome trumpet-shaped flowers nearly 10 inches long, tips of petals reflexing slightly, pure white inside, with brown anthers, outside a chocolate-brown colour, 3 ft.; a splendid Lily for borders or pots, and of easy culture per doz. 10s. 6d.		1 0
"	Extra strong bulbs , 15s.	1 6
Canadense flavum , flowers soft yellow, heavily spotted crimson, 3 ft.....per doz. 10s. 6d.		1 0
" rubrum , flowers red, inside orange spotted black, 3 ft.	" 10s. 6d.	1 0
" mixed , flowers variously spotted, 3 ft.	" 7s. 6d.	0 8

Barr's Bedding Tulips, the best sorts to make a fine display, see page 48.

BARR'S HARDY LILIES— <i>continued.</i>		each—s. d.
Candidum (The Snow-White Madonna Lily or Cottager's White Garden Lily), bulbs supplied from September to December only	.....good English-grown bulbs, per 100, 21s.; per doz. 3s.	...
"	.....A few extra large bulbs, per doz. 4s. 6d.	...
Catesbæi , a beautiful species, bearing in Autumn large erect flowers, orange-scarlet, spotted dark crimson, 1½ ft.	.....	1 6
Chalcedonicum (The Scarlet Turk's Cap Lily of cottage gardens), flowers intense deep scarlet, blooming in July, very showy and effective, 3 ft.	.....per doz. 10s. 6d.	1 0
"	.....Extra large bulbs, per doz. 15s.	1 6
Columbianum , an elegant and graceful fragrant Lily, bearing numerous medium-sized flowers of a brilliant orange-red spotted crimson; resembles a miniature <i>Humboldtii</i> , 3 ft.	.....	1 3
Concolor , a small graceful Chinese Lily, bearing fiery scarlet flowers, 1 ft. 1st Class Certificate R. H. S.	.....	1 0
" coridion , rich golden-yellow flowers, blotched purple; an elegant Lily, 1 ft.	.....	1 0
Croceum (The Cottager's Orange Lily), orange freely spotted black, showy and early	.....per doz. 3s. 6d.	0 4
Davuricum (<i>syn. Umbellatum</i>), a showy section of June-flowering Lilies, very effective, planted in clumps in shrubbery and flower borders, also good pot plants. Sold commonly under the name of <i>Lilium umbellatum</i>.	.....
" erectum , rich cerise-scarlet, shading to yellow, 2½ ft.	.....per doz. 3s. 6d.	0 4
" Incomparable , intense rich crimson, freely spotted, a handsome showy variety, 2 ft.	.....per doz. 4s. 6d.	0 5
" Sappho , scarlet, shading to orange, moderately spotted, 2 ft.	....." 4s. 6d.	0 5
" fine mixed varieties , 2 to 3 ft.	.....per 100, 15s. 6d.; " 2s. 6d.	...
Elegans , see <i>Thunbergianum</i> .		
Giganteum , the most majestic of Lilies, with large handsome heart-shaped leaves, and very long white trumpet-shaped flowers, 6 to 10 ft.	.....Monster bulbs, each 5s. 6d., 7s. 6d., &	10 6
Grayi , a handsome rare Lily from the Alleghany Mountains, in the way of <i>L. canadense</i> , flowers rich deep blood-crimson, with dark maroon spots	.....	1 9
Hansonii (The Japanese Yellow Martagon Lily), large thick wax-like flowers, bright golden-yellow, spotted crimson-maroon; one of the most beautiful and distinct of June-flowering Lilies, 3 ft. Robust and of easy cultivation; 1st Class Certificate	.....2s. 6d. &	3 6
Henryi , a most handsome and elegant Lily discovered lately by Dr. Henry in North China; the flowers resemble in form <i>L. speciosum</i> , but are orange-yellow in colour and freely produced in branching heads, a hardy and vigorous grower, ht. 5 to 6 ft.	.....	6 6
Humboldtii , large handsome flowers, rich golden-yellow, spotted dark crimson, of great substance, with recurved petals, very showy, 5 ft.	.....	2 6
" magnificum , a splendid new variety, bearing large handsome flowers, of deeper colour than <i>L. Humboldtii</i> , while the spotting is heavier and the recurved petals are conspicuously stained at the tip, purplish brown. 1st Class Certificate R.H.S.	.....3s. 6d. &	5 6
Japonicum Colchesteri (<i>syn. Odorum</i> and <i>Japonicum</i>), handsome flowers in July, resembling <i>Lilium Brownei</i> , but the interior of the flower is of a chrome-yellow changing to creamy white, while the outside is a very dark chocolate-brown colour; very fragrant, a very rare Lily, 3 ft. 1st Class Certificate R.H.S.	.....3s. 6d. &	5 6
Kramerii , a chaste and beautiful flower, delicate rose-pink, of elegant outline and graceful habit of growth, July flowering, 2 ft.	.....Flowering bulbs, per doz. 7s. 6d. & 10s. 6d.; 9d. &	1 0
	.....Extra strong bulbs, per doz. 15s.	1 6
Leichtlinii , bearing numerous handsome golden-yellow flowers, spotted crimson-purple, 3 to 4 ft., doz. 21s.	.....	2 0
Longiflorum , a beautiful section of Lilies, with long snow-white trumpet-shaped flowers, in June and July. Greatly prized for pot-culture, and for flower-beds and borders.	.....
" Harrisii (The Bermuda or Easter Lily), a graceful Lily with long handsome snow-white flowers, greatly in demand for early forcing, 3 ft. Bulbs supplied from September to December	.....
	.....Strong bulbs .....per doz. 7/6 & 10/6; each 8d. &	1 0
	.....a few monster bulbs, per doz. 15/; each 1/6, 2/ &	2 6
" robustum , also known as <i>Japonicum giganteum</i> , a strong and robust-growing Japanese variety, bearing large handsome snowy white trumpet-shaped flowers, which are not inclined to split when the bulbs are forced; valuable for succeeding <i>Lilium Harrisii</i> , as it blooms later, 3 ft. Strong bulbs, per 100, 35/; per doz. 5/	.....	0 6
"	.....Extra strong bulbs, " 7/6	0 8
" Takesimæ (Jama-Jura Lily of the Japanese), a handsome variety, with large long trumpet-shaped white flowers, slightly tinged on outside, 2 ft....doz. 4s. 6d.	.....	0 5
Maritimum , a beautiful distinct species, recently introduced, flowers bell-shaped, blood-crimson, spotted maroon, 2½ ft. 1st Class Certificate	.....	2 6
LILIUM LONGIFLORUM ROBUSTUM. Martagon , a tall and stately Lily, bearing in July pyramidal heads of purple reflexed flowers, spotted more or less with black, 4 ft.	.....per doz. 4s. 6d.	0 5
Martagon album , one of the most beautiful of Lilies, bearing in summer handsome heads of pure white reflexed flowers, 4 ft. 1st Class Certificate	.....	2 6
" dalmaticum , a stately Lily with long spikes of rich glossy dark crimson-purple (almost black) reflexed flowers, a most beautiful Lily, 4 ft.	.....	2 6



BARR'S HARDY LILIES— <i>continued</i> .		each—s. d.
<i>Monadelphum szovitzianum</i> (Colchicum), bearing handsome spikes of numerous large flowers of great beauty, clear citron-yellow, spotted black, turban-shaped, 3 ft.	per doz.	21s. 0
<i>Pardalinum</i> , stately, elegant growing shade-loving plants, with large, handsome, showy flowers. The best Lily for naturalizing in grass.		
„ <i>type</i> , bright scarlet, shading to rich yellow, freely spotted purple-brown, flowers large, numerous and very handsome, 5 to 6 ft.	per doz.	5s. 6d. 0
„ <i>Bourgæi</i> , bright crimson, shading to yellow, spotted maroon, with narrow foliage, in regular whorls, flowers abundant, large and beautiful, 6 ft.	per doz.	7s. 6d. 0
„ <i>californicum</i> , flowers intense crimson, shading to orange, and spotted, large and very showy; of more slender growth than the other varieties, 3 to 4 ft.	per doz.	10s. 6d. 1
„ <i>Michauxi</i> , crimson-scarlet, shading to yellow, spotted maroon; later blooming than the other varieties, 4 to 5 ft.	per doz.	5s. 6d. 0
„ <i>mixed varieties</i> for naturalizing in quantity in damp peaty places... p. 100, 32s.; „ 4s. 6d. ....		...
<i>Parvum</i> , showy bright orange, bell-shaped flowers freely produced on stems $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft. high... per doz.	10s. 6d.	1
<i>Parryi</i> , beautiful large rich golden-yellow fragrant flowers of extreme beauty. <i>Awarded First-Class Certificate</i>		3
<i>Philadelphicum</i> , a <i>graceful little Lily</i> with charming flowers, scarlet, shading to orange, elegantly spotted black, 1 ft.	per doz.	10s. 6d. 1
<i>Pomponium</i> , true, a beautiful early-flowering Lily, with very graceful foliage, flowers reflexed and of a rich sealing-wax scarlet colour, ht. 2 to 3 ft.	per doz.	7s. 6d. 0
<i>Pyrenæicum flavum</i> , bearing elegant spikes of numerous yellow flowers, spotted black, <i>July-flowering</i> , 3 ft.	per doz.	4s. 6d. 0
<i>Rubescens</i> , a very beautiful and distinct Lily, flowers pearly white changing to rose and going off purple, spotted crimson, delicately fragrant		3
<i>Speciosum</i> (<i>syn. lancifolium</i>). Beautiful <i>autumn-flowering</i> Lilies with large handsome flowers, with reflexing petals; when cut they last a long time in water.		
„ <i>album Kraetzeri</i> , extremely beautiful large white flowers of great substance, with dark orange anthers, 3 ft.	Strong flowering bulbs, per doz.	10s. 6d. 1
„ „ „	Extra strong bulbs „	15s. 1
„ <i>album verum</i> , a rare and beautiful Lily, earlier than <i>Kraetzeri</i> , flowers snowy white, with yellow anthers, broad light green foliage, 3 ft.	per doz.	18s. 1
„ <i>Melpomene</i> , the richest coloured of this group, large handsome flowers dark crimson, heavily spotted purple, and margined white, 3 ft.	Strong bulbs, per doz.	7s. 6d. & 10s. 6d. & 8d. 1
„ <i>punctatum</i> , white spotted pink, anthers yellow, distinct and beautiful, 3 ft.	per doz.	7s. 6d. 0
„ <i>purpureum</i> , a very fine variety, with abundance of dark purple-rose flowers, heavily spotted deep crimson-purple, a fine strong grower, 3 to 5 ft.	per doz.	7s. 6d. 0
„ <i>rubrum</i> , suffused and heavily spotted crimson, on white ground, 3 ft. p. 100, 35s.; „ 5s. 6d.		0
<i>Sulphureum</i> (<i>syn. Wallichianum superbum</i>). The flowers 9 inches long, of great substance, and deliciously fragrant; on first opening sulphur-coloured, then changing to white, tinged rose; a <i>charming pot Lily</i> , requiring greenhouse culture, 4 to 6 ft.	3s. 6d. &	5
<i>Superbum</i> , flowers orange to crimson, spotted rich brown, and elegantly recurved, stately in growth, <i>late summer-flowering</i> , bog-loving Lily, 4 to 7 ft. (<i>Coloured Plate, Ed.</i>)	per doz.	7s. 6d. 0
<i>Testaceum</i> (<i>syn. excelsum</i>), very beautiful, large handsome flowers of a lovely apricot colour with showy scarlet anthers, delightfully fragrant; a hardy vigorous grower, 4 ft.	per doz.	10s. 6d. 1
<i>Tigrinum</i> (<i>Tiger Lily</i>), a remarkably handsome section, with abundance of large showy brilliantly coloured flowers, lighting up the garden in <i>August</i> and <i>September</i> . All very hardy vigorous growers.		
„ <i>Fortunei</i> , flowers rich orange-scarlet, spotted crimson, stem very woolly, 4 ft. ...	per doz.	5s. 6d. 0
„ „ <i>flore-pleno</i> , double orange-scarlet flowers, lasting long in bloom, 4 ft. „ 3s.		0
„ <i>splendens</i> , very handsome, with large pyramidal heads of bright fiery orange-scarlet flowers, covered with large crimson-black spots, 6 ft.	per 100, 15s.; per doz.	2s. 3d. 0
<i>Thunbergianum</i> (<i>syn. elegans</i>), a very beautiful group of showy Japanese Lilies, <i>June</i> and <i>July-flowering</i> , greatly valued for flower border and pot-culture		
„ „ <i>Alice Wilson</i> ," large lichen-coloured flowers, a rare and beautiful Lily, 2 ft.		3
„ <i>alutaceum</i> , <i>Prince of Orange</i> , flowers rich clear apricot-orange, spotted black, a valuable dwarf showy Lily for filling flower beds and front borders, 1 ft. ...	per 100, 17/6; p. doz. 2/6	0
„ „ „ <i>Sunset</i> ," flowers very large and of a beautiful glowing golden-chamois colour, remarkably handsome and free-flowering	per doz.	15s. 1
„ <i>armeniacum</i> , soft rich glowing orange-red, late-flowering, a grand showy Lily, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft., „ 7s. 6d.		0
„ „ <i>macranthum</i> , a remarkably handsome large-flowered variety of the above „ 15s.		1
„ <i>Beauty</i> , <i>new</i> , large brilliant orange flowers, shaded red, handsome, 2 ft.		1
„ <i>bicolor</i> , large beautiful apricot-orange, flamed scarlet, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft.		0
„ <i>Crimson Beauty</i> , glowing crimson with vermilion tinge, very handsome, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft.		1
„ <i>flore-pleno</i> , large double blood-crimson flowers, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft.		1
„ <i>fulgens atrosanguineum</i> , rich blood-red thinly spotted black, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft.		0
„ <i>G. F. Wilson</i> , a very beautiful variety, and latest of this section to bloom, flowers large and erect, apricot, spotted purple, with central yellow streak, very free-flowering, 2 ft. ...	per doz.	15/ 1
„ <i>Othello</i> , <i>new garden variety</i> , large handsome blood-red flowers tinged orange, a fine handsome showy Lily	per doz.	12s. 1
„ <i>robustum</i> , a very handsome vigorous growing variety, with bold heads of large handsome orange-yellow flowers, freely spotted dark crimson, $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft. <i>Awarded First-Class Certificate by the R. H. S.</i>	per doz.	5s. 6d. 0

BARR'S HARDY LILIES—*continued.*

		each—s.	d.
<i>Thunbergianum sanguineum</i> , crimson, shaded tawny yellow, flowers large and early, 1½ ft. p. doz.	5s.	6d.	0 6
„ <i>Van Houttel</i> , flowers rich blood-crimson, blotched with gold and spotted black, large and remarkably handsome, 1½ ft.	per doz.	4s. 6d.	0 5
„ <i>Wallacet</i> , flowers rich glowing apricot-orange, with black spots, very effective and distinct, late-flowering, 2½ ft. <i>First-Class Certificate R. H. S.</i>	per doz.	5s. 6d.	0 6
„ <i>Willie Barr</i> , fine large flowers of a bright orange-yellow, spotted crimson, 1½ ft. „	4s. 6d.	0 5	
„ <i>fine mixed varietlee</i> , for grouping in beds and borders	per 100, 15s.	2s. 6d.	...

Umbellatum, see *Davuricum*.

Wallichianum superbum, see *Sulphureum*.

Washingtonianum, large handsome flowers, white, shading to lilac, fragrant, ht. 3 ft.; plant 6 inches deep in fibrous loam in partial shadeper doz. 21s. 2 0

***LILY OF THE VALLEY,**

For Forcing, and making Plantations out-of-doors.

The clumps of Lily of the Valley quoted, have been specially prepared, and cannot fail to give abundance of flowers. In potting, the crowns should be a little below the rim of the pot, and covered with moss or cocoa fibre, which should be removed when the crowns show through; *tight potting* is of great importance, and care should be taken, in the *first watering*, that the moisture penetrates to the *centre of the clump*. The *Berlin Crowne* are extensively used for forcing by the growers for Covent Garden Market; of these, 15 to 20 may be planted in a 5-inch pot. For *Lily of the Valley* beds, also for massing in north borders, and to naturalize in woods, copses, &c., the *Dutch Crowns* are the best.

CULTURE.—A moist atmosphere, with a temperature of 80 to 85 degrees, and abundance of water is necessary to success in forcing Lily of the Valley; to encourage simultaneously the development of flower and foliage, place the pots in a shady damp part of the house, or invert a flower-pot over the crowns, till the flower and the foliage have made some progress, when remove to a less shady situation. If they are grown in a dry atmosphere, or get an insufficient supply of water at the roots, the crowns, technically speaking, go "blind."

	each—s.	d.		each—s.	d.
Extra strong selected clumps, for pot-culture	per doz.	12/	1 3	Barr's Giant-flowered English strain	
Barr's Finest Selected Berlin Crowns , for general early forcing	per 1000	60/;		" <i>Alexandra</i> ," see <i>Novelty List</i> , page 5.	
	per 100,	0/6	...	Dutch Crowns , for out-door planting, in beds, etc., and naturalizing in woodlands,	
				per 1000, 42/; per 100, 5/	...

***LYCORIS**

<i>aurea</i> , a greenhouse bulb of great beauty, from China, bearing in October lovely drooping golden flowers, 1 ft.	2 6
<i>radiata</i> (<i>syn. Nerine japonica</i>), a fine greenhouse bulb with rich crimson flowers	1 0

***MALVASTRUM**

Gilliesii (*Modiola*), figured in *The Garden*, 23th January, 1882. This charming hardy rock-plant is profusely covered with crimson-purple flowers all the summerper doz. 5/6 0 6

METHONICA *superba*. See *Glorioea*.

MILLA (*Triteleia*) is a family of varied character; *Uniflora*, which produces masses of beautiful dwarf flowers in Spring, is very effective on rockwork, either alone or mingled with *Anemone apennina*, etc., also as a permanent edging, and in small beds it is very beautiful; it is a first-class bulb to naturalize in grass; *M. laxa* produces in Summer large umbels of lovely purple flowers. *M. biflora* is a gem.

* <i>biflora</i> , pure white, large flowers of great substance, should be grown in pots under glass, or kept dry, and planted out in March in a well-drained and sunny situation.....	per doz.	5/6	0 6
<i>laxa</i> , very handsome, large rich Tyrian purple flowers, hardy, 1 ft	„	3/6	0 4
<i>uniflora</i> , white shaded blue, hardy, ½ ft.	per 100,	2/6;	„ 4d. ...
„ <i>violacea</i> , porcelain-blue, striped violet, hardy, ½ ft.	„	2/6;	„ 4d. ...

MODIOLA *geranoides*. See *Malvastrum Gilliesii*.

***MONTBRETIA.** (See *Illustration*, page 30.)

The *Monbretias* rank amongst our most decorative hardy bulbous plants in summer. They have an elegant growth and produce freely in early August graceful spikes of gorgeously coloured flowers, which are of the greatest value for cutting, lasting long in water and mixing well with all kinds of foliage. They grow freely out-doors in a sandy loam, preferring a sunny situation.

Pottell , graceful branched spikes of medium-sized brilliant vermilion-scarlet flowers, remarkably showy, 2 ft. Figured in <i>The Garden</i>	per 1000, 35/-;	per 100, 4/-;	per doz. 8d.	...
„ <i>euperba</i> , brilliant glowing vermilion, inside a rich golden, 1½ ft. per 100, 16/6; „	2/3	0 3		
crococsmæflora , elegant branched spikes of large handsome showy flowers, brilliant orange-red shaded golden, a grand flower for cutting, 2½ ft.	per 1000, 45/;	per 100, 5/-;	per doz. 9d.	...
„ <i>aurea</i> , large golden yellow flowers, beautiful, 2 ft.	„ 14/6;	„ 2/	0 3	
„ Bouquet Parfait , deep yellow, shaded vermilion, very showy, 2 ft.	„ 3/6	0 4		
„ Drap d'or , rich deep golden, shaded apricot-orange, <i>late</i> , 1½ ft. per 100, 14/6; „	2/-	0 3		
„ Etoile de Feu , one of the most brilliant, a remarkably striking flower, large and of an intense, deep glowing vermilion, shaded orange-scarlet with a golden centre and golden anthers.	per 100, 16/6;	per doz. 2/3	0 3	
„ Pluie d'or , large rich apricot-orange, shaded golden-yellow, tall and handsome, and valuable to bed with <i>crococsmæflora</i> , 2½ ft.	per 100, 18/6;	per doz. 2/9	0 3	

Seeds for Summer and Autumn Sowing, send for Barr's Seed Guide.

MONTBRETIA—*continued.*

			each—s. d.
crocosmæflora , Rayon d'or, large flowers, deep golden shaded apricot-orange with crimson central ring	per 100, 14/6;	per doz. 2/-	0 3
„ Solfaterre , a delicate primrose-yellow colour, rather late, and valuable for succession, 1½ ft.		per doz. 3/	0 4
„ Talisman , rich vermilion, shaded orange, late and valuable for succession, 1½ ft.		„ 4/6	0 5
„ Transcendant , very large flowers, orange, red, golden and vermilion, 1½ ft.	per 100, 16/6;	„ 2/3	0 3

MORPHIXIA (*syn. Ixia longiflora*).

Lovely little plants with the same graceful habit as the *Ixia*, but dwarfer, the flowers being long and tubular; they come into bloom later than the *Ixias*, and continue in flower frequently till August. These little gems should be given choice spots on rockwork or front border.

	per doz.—s. d.		per doz.—s. d.
Paniculata , flowers inside a beautiful buff colour, outside brick-rose	1 6	Paniculata lutea , soft lemon, shaded buff, beautiful	1 6
Paniculata rosea , deep rose and white, very pretty	1 6		

MUSCARI (*Grape, Starch, Musk, and Feathered Hyacinths*).

These lovely Spring Flowers require no special culture or soil. On rockwork they are beautiful, while as edgings and masses in the flower border they are most charming, and continue a long time in bloom. We can strongly recommend them all for naturalization (*See Illustration of M. conicum* "Heavenly Blue," naturalized on a grassy bank, page 32), ht. 4 to 6 inches.

Conicum "Heavenly Blue," one of the most beautiful and valuable of early Spring flowers, which no garden should be without. For full description see <i>Novelty List</i> , page 5, and see also <i>Illustration</i> , page 32.	per doz. each	s. d. s. d.	per 100, 12/6	1 9...0 2
Armeniacum , ultramarine blue, very beautiful, succeeding <i>M. conicum</i> "Heavenly Blue" in time of flowering	per 100, 7/6	1 3...0 2	Botryoides pallidum , pretty spikes of pearl-blue	per 100 8/0 1 3... ..
Azureum , bearing lovely little beads of Cambridge blue, early in February ...p. 100, 2/1	3 0...0 4		„ grandiflorum , beautiful pale azure-blue	per 100, 2/1 3 0...0 4
„ Freynianum , numerous large spikes of turquoise-blue, very beautiful	10 6...1 0		Heldreichii , beautiful spikes of deep blue with white at mouth of bell	8 6...0 10
Botryoides cœruleum (<i>Grape Hyacinth</i>), fine dark blue, very pretty as edgings and for massing on rockwork, or filling small beds	p. 1000, 15/; p. 100, 1/9	0 3... ..	Moschatum major , the Large Musk-Hyacinth, fragrant	5 6...0 6
„ album , beautiful pure white	p. 1000, 30/; p. 100, 3/6	0 6... ..	„ flavum , large spikes of fine yellow fragrant flowers, rare	... ..2 3
„ candidum , white, tinged rose	4 6...0 5		Neglectum majus (<i>Starch Hyacinth</i>), blue-black, large and very early. Remains long in beauty	per 100, 8/0 1 3... ..
			Paradoxum , long handsome spikes of very nearly pure black flowers, very handsome	per 100, 15/ 2 3...0 3
			Plumosum monstrosum (<i>Feathered Hyacinths</i>), purple-lilac (<i>See Illustration</i> , page 32)	per 100, 4/ 0 8... ..

We can also supply the following varieties—*Azureum pygmaeum*, ea. 1/6; *Botryoides leucophæus*, per doz. 5/6; *Szovitzianum*, per doz. 2/3, &c.

MUSK HYACINTH. See *Muscari moschatum*.

NARCISSI, BUNCH-FLOWERED, OR POLYANTHUS NARCISSI.

ALL VERY SWEET-SCENTED.

The *Polyanthus Narcissi* produce large heads of sweet-scented flowers, and are specially adapted for Winter and Spring decoration in pots and jardinetts. The effect is greatly enhanced when three bulbs are grown together in a 6 or 7-inch pot. The culture is the same as that of the *Hyacinth*. For flower beds and mixed borders, the *Polyanthus Narcissi* are great favourites, and produce a beautiful effect. Plant in October or November. (*In very cold districts we recommend a light covering, during severe weather, of fern-bracken or straw-litter, etc.*)

Where flowers are in demand in November, December, and early in January, the *Paper White* "Early Snowflake" and *Double Roman Narcissi* are of great value for forcing with the *Roman Hyacinths* (*see Culture*, page 6).

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(not including *Paper White* and *Double Roman Narcissi*).

100 in 12 splendid varieties	s. d.	25 0
50 in 12 " "		13 6
24 in 12 " "		7 0
12 in 12 " "		3 9

Choice Mixture of *Polyanthus Narcissi* for mixed flower beds and borders, etc.

Fine Mixture

per 100 7/6; per doz. 1/3
per 100 5/6; p. doz. 10d.

NARCISSUS POLYANTHUS—*continued.*



PAPER WHITE NARCISSUS
"EARLY SNOWFLAKE."

POLYANTHUS NARCISSUS—White-Petalled Varieties.

	per doz.	each.	s.	d.
Bazelman major , broad large pure white perianth, large dark yellow cup	10	6..	1	0
Couronne Blanche (new) , perianth white, cup orange-yellow, fine large flower ...	2	6..	0	3
Gloriosus , perianth white, cup glowing orange-yellow, very showy, p. 100, 12/6	2	0..	0	3
Grand Monarque , large broad white perianth, cup primrose-yellow 100, 12/6	2	3..	0	3
Her Majesty , broad pure white perianth, large deep golden cup	4	6..	0	5
Mastro (new) , perianth white, large rich orange cup, inclined to be double, a grand dwarf variety	7	6..	0	8
Mont Cenis , perianth white, large deep golden cup, handsome	3	6..	0	4
Orientalis (Muzart) , perianth large white, cup stained rich deep orange, showy per 100, 8/5	1	6..	0	2
Paper Whites "Early Snowflake," a fine large free-flowering variety of the old Paper White Narcissus, most valuable for early forcing	1	6..	0	2
Queen of the Netherlands , pure white perianth, rich yellow cup	3	6..	0	4
Staten General , perianth creamy-white, cup bright yellow	1	6..	0	2
"Scilly Isles" White , perianth white, cup creamy white, very early and beautiful....	1	0..	0	2
White Perfection , pure white perianth, cup almost white, dwarf and very beautiful.....	3	6..	0	4

POLYANTHUS NARCISSUS—Yellow-Petalled Varieties.

Adonia , perianth deep primrose, cup brilliant deep orange-ellow, large well-formed flowers	4	6..	0	5
Apollo , perianth deep primrose, cup orange-yellow	2	6..	0	3
Bathurst , perianth yellow, cup deep golden, dwarf	2	6..	0	3
Charles Dickens , perianth primrose, cup orange-yellow, large flower, distinct	2	6..	0	3
Grand Soleil d'Or , perianth golden, cup deep brilliant orange, early	1	9..	0	2
Jaune Suprême , perianth buff-primrose, cup orange-yellow	2	0..	0	3
La Comtesse (new) , large perianth, delicate pale primrose, cup yellow, dwarf distinct and beautiful,	3	6..	0	4
Sir Isaac Newton , perianth golden-buff, cup orange-yellow, large	2	6..	0	3

DOUBLE POLYANTHUS NARCISSUS.

Double Roman Narcissus , double white with orange nectary, prized for early forcing, the individual flowers are wired and used in buttonhole bouquets, etc., most valuable for early forcing with the Paper Whites Narcissus	1	3..	0	0
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NARCISSUS INTERMEDIUS—Beautiful Small Tazettas.

Bifrons , perianth yellow, cup orange, very showy in bouquets.....	1	6..	0	3
Sunsst , perianth canary-yellow, cup rich orange-scarlet, remarkably beautiful and distinct.....	10	6..	1	0

THE SACRED, OR GOOD LUCK LILY OF CHINA AND JAPAN.

Called by the Chinese, "Jos Flowr," or "Flower of the Gods," and "Water Fairy Flower."

This is a species of Polyanthus Narcissus annually imported from Northern China, and prized for the abundance of its flowers and marvellously rapid growth. The flowers are white, with yellow cup, and very fragrant; they are mostly single, but a few doubles are sometimes found amongst them. Each bulb usually produces several flower spikes, bearing many flowers, and the Chinese call the best cultivated and largest developed blooms, "Grand Emperor." In China and Japan the bulbs are grown in the living rooms in fancy bowls filled simply with pebbles and water, and the natives compete with one another in growing the finest specimens for their New Year's Festival, successful culture being regarded as an emblem of "Good Luck." The bulb in this country can be grown as successfully as in China, and it is most interesting to watch its rapid growth, which is somewhere about 20 inches in forty days; grow in a sunny window by day and on a table near the fireplace by night, as frost destroys the flower buds. The natural atmosphere of a warm greenhouse suits this flower well, and we can strongly recommend it to FORCE FOR CHRISTMAS DECORATION. Fuller particulars of culture sent with the bulbs. Orders now booked for immediate delivery on arrival, which is usually about the end of September.

Very Large Bulbs , expected to arrive end of September.....	per doz.	7/6; 3 for 2/;	each	0 9
Fins Large Bulbs	per doz.	5/6;	"	0 6
Fancy Decorated Japanese Bowls , same as used by the Chinese for growing the "Good Luck Lily" in.				
For 1 bulb, 1/ & 1/3; for 2 bulbs, 1/6; for 3 bulbs, 2/; for 4 bulbs, 3/; for 6 bulbs, 4/; for 8 bulbs, 5/6; for 10 bulbs, 7/6.				
Small Pebbles for growing the "Good Luck Lily" in, per quart 6d. (one quart required for 3 bulbs).				
Barr's Mixture of Cocoa-Fibre and Charcoal also recommended, see page 60.				

NARCISSUS or DAFFODILS, see *Daffodil Catalogue*.

NEMASTYLIS

Pringlii, very beautiful star-shaped azure-blue flowers two inches across, in June, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. Hardy on rockwork in warm spots, where it is dry in Winter. Plant early in spring each—s. d. 1 3

NERINE

sarilensis (Guernsey Lily). A most brilliantly-coloured and lovely flower of elegant form; colour vivid crimson-scarlet, sparkling in the sun as if bespangled with gold. If grown in pots, encourage a free growth during winter and let the bulbs go to rest in May by withholding water, then start watering them again about the end of August when they should start into growth and bloom in Autumn. In very mild localities this bulb may be established out of doors, planted against a south wall, if the foliage in winter is protected from frost per doz. 8/6 0 9

undulata (crispa), rose-coloured flowers, petals elegantly curled, a little gem for the greenhouse, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft. 1 0

ORNITHOGALUM (Star of Bethlehem), very pretty hardy bulbs, flowering in Spring and early Summer. *arabicum* and *aureum* should either be grown in pots or planted in a warm situation close to a south wall, at a depth of 6 inches. *Pyramidale*, *Nutans* and *Umbellatum* are charming plants for naturalizing in woodlands, meadows, &c.; the two latter will thrive in dense shade where few other plants will grow.

arabicum, white, black centre, handsome fragrant flowers in June, very beautiful in pots in the greenhouse; may be planted on warm sunny south borders, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft. large roots, per doz. 3/6 0 4

aureum, rich apricot-orange, a beautiful little species for pot or frame culture, 1 ft. 7/6 0 8

montanum, a pretty dwarf species, with umbels of starry white flowers, $\frac{1}{4}$ ft. 2/- 0 3

nutans, elegant spikes of silver-grey flowers, outside shaded pale sea-green, beautiful; valuable for cutting and naturalizing in woodlands, etc., 1 ft. per 100, 5/6; per doz. 10d. ...

pyramidale, a very beautiful bulbous plant, but little known; in Spring its large spikes of beautiful snowy white flowers, are very attractive in borders, 2 ft. (see *Illustration*, page 30) per doz. 7/6 0 8

umbellatum splendens, a large handsome form of the *old Star of Bethlehem*, bearing umbels of pure white starry flowers, effective in masses and edgings, valuable to naturalize, p. 100, 3/6; p. doz. 6d. ...

OXALIS cernua var. bermudiana (The Bermuda Buttercup Oxalis), a charming Winter-flowering bulb for indoor decoration, producing a luxuriance of graceful bright yellow flowers for weeks. After potting keep in a dark cool position for a few weeks to root well, and then remove to a sunny window, or greenhouse per 100, 30/; per doz. 4/6 0 5

PANCRATIUM calathinum, a synonym of *Hymenocallis*, see page 28.

illyricum, beautiful white flowers, with long filamentous outer segments. A fine pot plant, or for planting under a south wall at a depth of a foot, 2 ft. fine bulbs, per doz. 10/6 1 0

maritimum (The Sea Daffodil), white flowers, delightfully fragrant, suitable for pot culture, or to plant under a south wall at a depth of a foot, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft. per doz. 5/6 0 6

Other species can also be supplied.

***PHEDRANASSA**

chloracea, yellow, very fragrant, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft. } The *Phedranassas* (Queen Lilies) are } doz. 5/6 0 6

schizantha, vermilion, tipped yellow and green... } handsome pot-plants, but may also be grown } 1 6

ventricosa, scarlet, with protruding anthers, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft. } under a south wall, planted at the depth of a } 2 0

foot. April to June-flowering.

***POLYGONATUM (Solomon's Seal, or David's Harp).**

elatum, the Tall Solomon's Seal, a fine bold plant of graceful habit, having graceful arching stems of pendant white flowers, valuable for naturalizing in woodlands, wild gardens, &c., 2 ft. per 100, 12/6; per doz. 1/9 ...

multiflorum, the Dwarf Solomon's Seal, its graceful habit and elegant white flowers render it a valuable pot-plant for early forcing; it is equally prized for naturalizing in woodlands, &c., 1 ft. per 100, 12/6; per doz. 1/9 ...

also other species, *macrophyllum*, per doz. 10/6; *roseum*, per doz. 7/6; *Thunbergii*, per doz. 3/6; *verticillatum*, per doz. 6/.

POLYANTHUS tuberosa, see *Tuberose*, page 48. **POLYANTHUS Narcissus**, see *Narcissi*.

PUSCHKINIA, a first-class dwarf hardy April-flowering bulb, which should be represented in the permanent flower borders of every garden; it is charming on rockwork, and is also a lovely indoor pot-plant (6 bulbs in a pot). A Coloured Plate of it appeared in *The Garden*, 1878 and 1881.

libanotica compacta, white, deeply shaded and striped blue, 6 in. per 100, 10/6; per doz. 1/6 0 2

RANUNCULUS, Turco-Persian, Turban and Persian

CULTURE.—Plant the *Turban* and *Turco-Persian Ranunculus* from October to March, and the *Persian* varieties from January to April. When the soil works kindly, and the day is dry, draw drills two inches deep, and five or six inches apart; at the bottom of the drill sprinkle a little sand, press the tubers firmly into the soil, *chaves downwards*, and cover them with sand, then with soil, keeping the crown of the tuber two inches under the surface. Cover the early plantings with *long straw, cut heather, or other light material*, which remove in Spring when danger of severe frosts is gone. In April and May, during dry weather, water the beds freely, two or three times a week if necessary and when the flower-buds appear, water daily if required, and continue doing so while the plants are blooming; this will insure fine flowers. *In watering, wet the foliage as little as possible.* If grown as pot-plants put three tubers in a four-inch pot and plunge out of doors for a time.

RANUNCULUS, Barr's Giant Turco-Persian for Bedding.

This new race of *Ranunculus* is remarkable for a vigorous growth and profuse flowering. The blooms are large and very handsome, in great diversity of colour. When massed in flower beds and borders, these grand *Ranunculuses* produce a glorious effect. For cutting they are most valuable, and flowers may be gathered from the same bed several times a week, during the flowering period, without impairing the display.



BARR'S TURCO-PERSIAN
RANUNCULI.

Barr's Large Orange-Scarlet, for massing in flower beds and borders		s. d.
	per 100	3 6
" "	Crimson-Scarlet " " " "	4 6
" "	Crimson-Ross " " " "	6 6
" "	White " " " "	5 6
" "	Yellow " " " "	6 6
" "	Pale Primrose " " " "	6 6
Barr's Choice Mixture of many colours	" " " "	per 1000, 21/; per 100 2 6

Collection 5 roots each of 18 Very Beautiful Named Sorts for select flower borders, etc.	7 6
Collection 3 roots each of 18 Very Beautiful Named Sorts for select flower borders, etc.	5 0

These named sorts we can confidently recommend for their large flowers and brilliant and delicate colours.

RANUNCULUS, Double Turban or Turkish for Bedding.

The flowers of the *Turban Ranunculus* differ from the Persian in being larger, more rose-like, and self-coloured. In beds, ribbons, and masses in the borders, the rich *yellow*, bright *orange*, brilliant *scarlet*, beautiful *rose-carmine*, and pure *white* flowers are very effective in Spring.

50 each 8 splendid varieties	s. d. 15 0	20 each 8 splendid varieties	s. d. 6 6
30 " 8 "	9 6	10 " 8 "	3 6
	p. 100. p. doz.		p. 100. p. doz.
Bright Yellow	2 6...0 4	Spotted, mottled red and yellow	3 6...0 6
Crimson	2 6...0 4	White, beautiful	7 6...1 3
Crimson-black	2 6...0 4	Viridiflora, a remarkably attractive flower, large brilliant orange-scarlet, with bright green centre, much prized for cutting	3 6...0 6
Rich Golden-Yellow, showy	2 6...0 4	Extra fine mixture of many beautiful colours	per 1000, 18/ 2 0... ..
Orange, showy	3 6...0 6		
Rose-carmine, a beautiful colour ...	3 6...0 6		
Scarlet, splendid	2 6...0 4		

RANUNCULUS, Double Persian, for Beds, Borders and Masses.

The Persian *Ranunculi* are very attractive on account of their finely-formed very double flowers, and their rich varied brilliant colours.

Splendid selection of colours in mixture, for beds, ribbons, and masses p. 1000, 15/; per 100, 2/ ...

***RICHARDIA (CALLA)**, a charming family of greenhouse plants. *Africana* (*Æthiopica*) is much prized for its grand large white flowers; *Albo-maculata* for its beautifully spotted foliage; *Hastata* for its fine yellow flowers. *Albo-maculata* and *Hastata* may also be planted out-doors in spring for summer decoration.

<i>africana</i> (<i>syn. æthiopica</i>), <i>The Lily of the Nile</i> , large white trumpet-shaped flowers, established plants in pots, per doz. 18/, 25/, & 30/; 1/9, 2/6 & 3 6	each—s. d. 3 6
" Little Gem , a very beautiful miniature <i>Lily of the Nile</i>	per doz. 7/6 0 9
<i>albo-maculata</i> , flowers white, dark green foliage beautifully spotted white, an extremely effective pot-plant, and valuable for beds and borders	per 100, 12/5; per doz. 2/ 0 3
<i>hastata</i> , fine yellow flowers, with black centre and white-spotted foliage	3 6
<i>Pentlandi</i> , the Large Golden Arum Lily , see <i>Novelty List</i> , page 5.	

Other varieties—*Aurata*, each 3/6; *Elliotiana*, each 2/.

ORIGIDELLA

immaculata, a most beautiful Mexican bulbous plant, very little known, flowers brilliant orange-scarlet in June, very showy, 1½ ft., requires same culture as for *Tigridias*

ROMULEA, graceful dwarf hardy plants, with grassy foliage and satiny flowers. Charming for sunny nooks on rock-work.

<i>Clusii</i> , large-flowered Portuguese species, in various shades	per doz. 3/6 0 4
<i>rosea</i> , var. <i>Leichtlinii</i> (<i>new</i>), beautiful large satiny rose	2 6
<i>speciosa</i> , deep satiny carmine, a little gem, ½ ft.	per 100, 6/6; per doz. 1/3 ...

ROSES for Autumn-planting, see page 59.

SANGUINARIA

canadensis major, the white flowers in Spring borne above the Coltsfoot-like leaves are very charming; plant in moist peaty soil and shady situation; perfectly bardy, ½ ft.per doz. 2/6 o 3 each—s. d.

SCHIZOSTYLIS

coccinea, a valuable bardy Cape bulbous plant, producing in Autumn an abundance of Gladiolus-like spikes, covered with showy rich scarlet flowers, prized for cutting; it delights in a sheltered situation amongst trees and shrubs. Established masses if lifted in Autumn and potted, flower freely under glass during the Winter months, 1½ ft.per 100, 7/6; per doz. 1/3 ...

SCILLAS.—Early-Flowering.

The effect in early Spring can hardly be over-estimated of the intense rich hyacinth-blue of *Scilla sibirica*, and the beautiful ultramarine-blue of *Scilla bifolia*, contrasting with the snow-white of the Snowdrop and the varied hues of the Crocus. As permanent edgings these two early-flowering Scillas are most valuable. Grown in pots or jardinetts, alone, or with other bulbs, they form a pleasing variety amongst indoor plants. In flower beds and masses the blossoms are so abundantly produced as to carpet the ground. *Bifolia* is the first in bloom and is closely followed by *Sibirica*. All suitable for naturalization and permanent flower borders.

- Sibirica*, spikes of intense rich blue flowers, dwarfper 1000, 21/-; per 100, 2/6
- “ “ “ extra strong selected bulbs, p. 1000, 25/-; p. 100, 3/-; p. doz. 6d.
- “ “ “ a few very large bulbs.....per 100, 4/6; per doz. 8d.
- “ var. *taurica*, from the *Taurus Mountains*, flowering two weeks earlier than *Sibirica*, flowers rich light hyacinth blueper 100, 12/6; per doz. 1/9
- “ *alba*, a beautiful pure white variety, very scarceper doz. 6/6; each 8d.
- Bifolia*, of the *Taurus Mountains*, deep blue, very dwarf; a charming early Spring flower, valuable for masses and edgings in borders and on rockwork ...per 1000, 30/-; per 100, 3/6; per doz. 6d.
- “ “ “ Extra large bulbs, per 100, 4/6; “ 8d.
- “ *alba*, pure white, rare and beautiful.....per doz. 5/6; each 6d.
- “ *rosea*, pretty pale rose..... 5/6; “ 6d.
- Taurica alba*, fine spikes of pure white flowers, extra fine “ 7/6; “ 8d.

SCILLAS (WOOD HYACINTHS).—May-Flowering.

the *Wood Hyacinth* is one of the most decorative of May-flowering bulbs. Our native species (*Scilla nutans*) abounds in most parts of the country, and many suppose it to be the “Culver keys” referred to by Izaak Walton. The fine Spanish varieties (*S. campanulata*) have erect flower spikes and larger and handsomer flowers than our native plants, which have arching flower spikes. All the *Wood Hyacinths* are very effective in flower and shrubby borders, and most valuable for wild gardens and woodlands. They also make charming pot-plants, and may be forced into bloom by March. The white varieties are greatly in demand to cut for table bouquets and vases. Mr. William Robinson, in his paper at the Conference on Hardy Flowers, refers to the Spanish *Scillas* (*S. campanulata* vars.) as “giving new aspects of flower life.” *Wood Hyacinths* will thrive under Fir and Pine trees where few other plants will grow.

	p.100	p.doz.		p.100	p.doz.		
	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.		
<i>Campanulata grandiflora</i> , bells very large, clear blue	6	6...1	o	<i>Campanulata rosea grandiflora</i> , a fine large-flowered variety.....	10	6...1	6
“ <i>aperta</i> , blue striped white, very pretty and distinct	10	6...1	6	<i>Nutans rosea</i> , fine rose.....	6	6...1	o
“ <i>alba</i> , pure white, beautiful ...	4	6...0	8	“ “ <i>grandiflora</i> , large fine rose-coloured flowers	15	o...2	3
“ “ <i>compacta</i> , pure white bells, compact truss. very fine.....	7	6...1	3	<i>Patula alba</i> , pure white.....	10	6...1	6
“ <i>Emperor</i> , very large and beautiful, porcelain striped blue... ..	10	6...1	6	“ <i>major</i> , large and handsome dark porcelain bells	7	6...1	3
“ <i>Empress</i> , differs from Emperor in being of a paler colour ...	10	6...1	6	“ <i>rosea</i> , pretty rose	12	6...1	9
“ <i>rosea</i> , fine rose	5	6...0	10	<i>Pyramidalis</i> , a handsome section, bearing large bold heads of flower.			
Choice Mixed Wood Hyacinths , for naturalization in shrubberies, etc.				“ <i>alba</i> , pure white	12	6...1	9
English Blue Bells				“ <i>rosea</i> , delicate rose			3
“ Large Red Scillas				per 1000, 30/	3	6...0	6
“ “ White Scillas , large spikes of white bells, prized for cutting				“	25/	3	o...0
				“	42/	4	6...0
				“	42/	4	6...0

SCILLAS, Various Species.

Peruviana and *Ciliaris* are giant summer-flowering Scillas, and grand border plants. *Autumnalis japonica* has beautiful rose-coloured flowers, and blooms from August. *Italica* is beautiful on rockeries and in flower borders.

	each—s. d.		each—s. d.
<i>Autumnalis</i> , purple-blue .....per 100, 12/6			
“ <i>japonica</i> , beautiful rose-coloured flowers	per doz. 2/-	o	3
<i>Ciliaris</i> , large heads of flowers, dark and light blue to pearly white...per doz. 7/6		o	8
<i>Hyacinthoides</i> , true, large broad foliage, 1 ft. to 1½ ft. in height, large raceme of deep blue flowers, 2 ft. ....per doz. 3/6		o	4
<i>Italica</i> , racemes of pretty pale blue flowers in May, May-scented	per doz. 3/6	o	4
<i>Peruviana</i> , large handsome heads of dark blue flowers	per doz. 4/6	o	5
<i>Verna</i> , pretty lilac-blue, p. 100, 21/; “ 3/6		o	4

TIGRIDIA—*continued.*

each—s. d.

* TIGRIDIA Van Houttei , flowers 2 in. across, chocolate-brown, reticulated yellow, a very curious, distinct and beautiful little species	1 0
violacea, a charming little species, flowers nearly 2 in. across, rosy purple, centre dotted rose-purple on white ground, $\frac{3}{4}$ ft.	1 0

TRITELEIA, see *Milla*.

TRITONIA. In habit and growth resembling the Sparaxis, but the prevailing colours differ, and flowering later it forms a most important succession. The colours range from *buff* to *rose* and the *richest glowing orange*, the flowers always having a beautiful transparency. For pot-culture they are most valuable. *Culture* same as for *Ixias*.

Selection—5 each of 10 splendid varieties, 7/6; 3 each, 4/6; 1 each, 1/9.

Barr's Beautiful Mixture of Coloursper 100, 6/6; per doz. 1/ ...

TROPEOLUM, all beautiful climbers. **Azureum** and **Jarratti** are recommended for the greenhouse to trail over trellises, round pillars, etc. **Polyphyllum** revels on dry sunny slopes. **Tuberosum** requires an open situation and poor soil, and should have branches to scramble over. **Speciosum** is one of the most lovely of hardy climbers, and may in the south of England be successfully grown if planted in a cool, moist situation, away from the sun's rays; it delights in a shady place, and especially near a stream where its roots can reach the water. In hot dry districts we have also grown it successfully, planted close against the north side of evergreen hedges.

azureum , true, a rare bulb, flowers rich violet-blue, with white centre, very lovely	3 6
Jarratti , flowers scarlet, orange, and black, an exceedingly showy species	per doz. 5/6 0 6
polyphyllum , golden-yellow flowers in long trusses, quite hardy .....	.. 4/6 0 5
speciosum , bright vermilion-scarlet flowers in clusters, quite hardy; grow in northern aspect and moist soil	established pots, full of roots, per doz. 7/6 & 10/6; 9d., 1/- & 1 6
* tuberosum , flowers yellow and red, very showy; plant in Spring	fine bulbs, per doz. 4/6 0 5

TUBEROSE. This valuable sweet-scented flower is too well-known to need description. For early flowering pot the bulbs as soon as received, and plunge the pots in a temperature of about 60 degrees. The bulbs for succession keep dry, or pot at once to make root growth; in either case the temperature should not be below 50 degrees or the bulbs will suffer.

* Double American Dwarf , "Excelstor Pearl"; comparatively dwarf, with pure white double flowers; strong forcing roots , ready from January	per 100, 15/; per doz. 2/6 0 3
.. Extra Early African , flowers pure white, very double; strong bulbs , ready from September	per 100, 21/; per doz. 3/. A few very large bulbs, per doz. 4/6 0 5

BARR'S FAMOUS TULIPS. (*See Illustration on Back Cover of Catalogue.*)

AWARDED MANY MEDALS AND PRIZES AT THE LONDON SPRING FLOWER SHOWS.

Tulips are extremely hardy, and of easy culture, flowering freely in either sunny or shady situations, and developing their handsome showy flowers even in a confined town garden. By a judicious selection of Single, Double and May-flowering Tulips, a most brilliant display of colours may be maintained in the garden from early April to end of May. In gardens where the flower beds must be kept gay from the earliest dawn of Spring, plant between the Tulips *Scilla sibirica*, *Chionodoxas*, *Snowdrops* and *Crocuses*; these flower first, and when out of bloom the leaves form a charming green groundwork for the blossoms of the Tulip. Our large breadths of Tulips at the Long Ditton Nurseries in Spring create much comment and elicit the greatest admiration from all who see them (*See Illustration on Back Cover*).

BARR'S EARLY SINGLE TULIPS. Bulbs of Finest Quality Only.

Those alone who have massed the different varieties of **Single Tulips** (*planting the bulbs 4 inches apart*) can form an idea of their great beauty and the rich diversity there is in shade and colour, and the grand effect they produce grouped in flower beds or borders. The **Single Tulip** is extensively grown for indoor decoration (three or five bulbs in a pot), and *cultivated in the same way as the Hyacinth* for early-flowering and succession. The varieties of the little early **Duc Van Thol Tulips** (with exception of the *scarlet edged yellow variety*, which flowers first), bloom together, and are of the same height, which renders them valuable for beds and borders, where a very early Spring display is required, also for early forcing with the Roman Hyacinth, etc.

Hints as to the arrangement of Early Tulips in beds, etc. A difficulty is often experienced by Amateurs in knowing what kind of Tulips to select to bed together, seeing that they are not all the same height, and that some are earlier in flower than others. For the assistance, therefore, of purchasers we have taken special observations at our Nurseries this Spring as to the heights and the order in which the **Early Single and Double Tulips** flower.

The **Heights** we give in inches, and the order of flowering is indicated by (1), (2), (3), (4), or (5) after the name. It will be noticed that the **Double Tulips** generally are a little later-flowering than the **Singles**. The difference in time of flowering between each number is not great so that (1) and (2) may be bedded together, also (2) and (3), and so on. The varieties of **Duc Van Thol** are not numbered, as they flower before any of the others.

EARLY SINGLE TULIPS—continued.

Arrangement of Colours in Bedding.—The following varieties if bedded together produce charming effects:—*Princess Marianne*, *Ophir d'or* and *Wouwerman*; *Pottebakker Scarlet*, *Pottebakker White* and *Chrysolora*; *Prince of Austria*, *President Lincoln* and *Chrysolora*; *Rose Grisdeline* and *Princess Marianne*; *Pottebakker Yellow* and *Thomas Moore*; *Chrysolora* and *Dusart*; *Princess Ida* and *Rosamundi*; *Duchesse de Parma* and *Fabiola*; *Rosamundi* and *Rose Superbe*; *Couleur Cardinal* makes a grand show bedded by itself, but *Snowdrift* goes well with it; *Keizerskroon* makes a fine bed with *Queen Victoria* as an outside border.

Barr's Selections of Early Single Tulips for Out-door or Pot-Culture.

5 each 30 splendid named varieties	s. d. 15 0	10 each of 20 beautiful named varieties	s. d. 19 6
3 each 30 " " "	10 6	5 each of 20 " " "	10 6
3 each 20 " " "	8 6	3 each of 20 " " "	6 6
3 each 10 " " "	3s. 6d. & 4 6	1 each of 20 " " "	3 0

Barr's Beautiful "Rainbow" Mixture of Single Tulips, a special mixture of bright colours in great variety of shades, made up by ourselves, for those who wish for a brilliant effect in their flower beds and borders, per 1000, 42/; per 100, 4/6.

	per 100. p. doz.		per 100. p. doz.
	s. d. s. d.		s. d. s. d.
Artus (2), bright deep scarlet, <i>showy</i> , 9 in.	3 0..0 6	Ophir d'Or (2), rich golden yellow, <i>largest</i> and handsomest yellow Tulip, 12 in.	16 6..2 3
Bacchus (1), rich dark crimson, 10 in.	3 6..0 6	Pottebakker Ysflow (1), selected stock with pure yellow flowers, 14 in.	12 6..1 9
Bride of Haarlem (3), crimson-scarlet, feathered white, handsome, 8 in.	21 0..3 0	" Scarlet (2), large and handsome, valuable for bedding <i>but does not force well</i> , 12½ in.	6 6..1 0
Brutus Red (3), orange-scarlet edged yellow, dwarf, forces well, 8 in.	4 6..0 8	" Pure White (1), large and handsome	8 0..1 3
Canary Bird (1), fine pure yellow, 11 in.	10 6..1 6	President Lincoln (2), large flower, glowing purplish-carmine, very effective bedded with yellow, 10½ in.	5 6..0 10
Cerise Grisdeline (3), purple-cerise, edged white, very beautiful, 10 in.	12 6..1 9	Princess Ida (2), white, shaded delicate creamy-yellow, very beautiful, 11 in.	12 6..1 9
Chrysolora (2), pure yellow, handsome 12 in.	6 6..1 0	Prince of Austria (3), very handsome showy buff-orange flowers, sweet-scented and of <i>beautiful form</i> ; should have a place in every garden, 13 in.	14 6..2 0
Claremont, golden-striped (1), large handsome flower, scarlet and gold, <i>very early</i> , 13 in.	13 6..2 0	Princess Marianne (2), very large broad pure white flower, dying off rose, very brilliant, effective	12 6..1 9
Cottags Maid (2), beautiful rose-pink, 9 in.	10 6..1 6	Proserpinus (1), large carmine rose flowers magnificent, 13 in.	12 6..1 9
Couleur Cardinal (4), crimson-scarlet, a most valuable " <i>bedder</i> " 11 in.	6 6..1 0	Queen Victoria (2), white tinged rose, 12 in.	3 0..0 6
Couleur Ponceau (2), pretty glowing cherry-rose, with white flush outside, 10 in.	3 6..0 6	Rose Grisdeline (3), rose flushed white, 9 in.	10 6..1 6
Duc Van Thol, scarlet, edged yellow, 6 in.	3 0..0 6	Rose Lulsante (3), beautiful rose, large flowers, 9 in.	17 6..2 6
" brilliant scarlet , 9 in.	3 0..0 6	Rose Superbs (3), beautiful rich full bright rose, 9½ in.	12 6..1 9
" bright yellow , 8 in.	10 6..1 6	Rosamundi (3), delicate rose-pink, shaded white; beautiful, 10 in.	6 6..1 0
" blush rose , beautiful, 8 in.	6 6..1 0	Sarah Bernhardt (4), immense flowers, deep carmine-rose, flaked white, 10 in.	21 0..3 0
" Cochineal (new) , a most brilliant rich vermilion, <i>large and very early</i> , 10 in.	15 6..2 3	Scarlet Beauty (2), large bold flower of good substance, fine deep scarlet, 10½ in.	17 6..2 6
" crimson , 9 in.	3 6..0 6	Silver Standard (2), rich crimson, striped and feathered pure white, 10 in.	6 6..1 0
" maximus , scarlet and orange-yellow, large and handsome, 9 in.	8 6..1 3	Thomas Moore (3), terra-cotta colour with golden flush, beautiful, 16 in.	8 6..1 3
" orange , dark orange, 9 in.	8 6..1 3	Van der Neer (2), rich violet, very handsome, large flower, 10 in.	4 6..0 8
" purs whits , 8 in.	10 6..1 6	Van Vondel (2), crimson-scarlet, flushed white, handsome large flower, 12 in.	7 6..1 3
" purple-cerise, edged white , distinct and beautiful, 8 in.	3 6..0 6	Vermillion Brilliant (2), dazzling scarlet, splendid, <i>early</i> , 10 in.	14 6..2 0
Duchesse ds Parma (3), bright scarlet, margined and flushed gold, 11 in.	3 6..0 6	Vesuvius (2), rich dark vermilion scarlet, very handsome, <i>early</i> , 14 in.	8 6..1 3
Dusart (2), large brilliant deep vermilion, a magnificent variety, 13 in.	10 6..1 6	White Swan (3), very fine pure white large globular flowers, 15 in.	7 6..1 3
Fabiola (3), rose-violet, striped and feathered white, fine large flower, 10 in.	7 6..1 3	Wouwerman (2), rich dark charet-purple, fine handsome flowers, 10½ in.	3 6..0 6
Golden Prince , see Yellow Prince .		Yellow Prince (2), rich pure yellow, a splendid variety for bedding, sweet scented, 10½ in.	6 6..1 0
Keizerskroon (1), rich scarlet, deeply edged bright yellow, a tall handsome Tulip, <i>early</i> , 14 in.	4 6..0 8		
La Belle Alliance (2), brilliant crimson-scarlet flowers, 9½ in.	5 6..0 10		
La Laitiers (2), pure white, flushed azure-blue, distinct and beautiful, 11 in.	12 6..1 9		

TULIPS—*continued.*

New, Rare and Very Beautiful Early Single Tulips.

☛ All of great beauty, and we confidently recommend them for in or out-door decoration.

	per doz.	s. d.		per doz.	s. d.
Bride of Haarlem Golden (3), rich scarlet, shot with gold, handsome	4	6	Le Matelas , deep rose, edged white, very beautiful and early	each	6d. 5 6
Koh-i-Noor (3), a <i>grand variety</i> , very dark rich maroon-scarlet, large handsome flower, 11 in.	per 100, 21/-	3 0	Nelly (3), a remarkably large handsome pure white flower, forces well, 9 in.; per 100, 17/6	2	6
Lac Dorée , the flower opens a dark cerise, with broad snow white margin; from this it changes to beautiful gold and scarlet, each 15.	10	6	Roi Pepin , white, striped red, handsome ca.	5d.	4 6
La Riante , beautiful large bright rose	...	6d. 5 6	Snowdrift (new) (3), beautiful pure white, 10 in.	each	5d. 4 6
			Van Vondel , white (2), the finest and handsomest pure white Tulip	each	8d. 7 6

BARR'S DOUBLE TULIPS.

Bulbs of Finest Quality Only.

Double Tulips have massive flowers of brilliant and beautifully diversified colours, and are very effective in beds on lawns, terraces, etc., also as edgings to beds of Roses and Rhododendrons and to shrubberies. Planted in groups of five or more, they are very attractive. *Plant the bulbs four to six inches apart.*

Time of Flowering.—The numbers in brackets after the name indicate the order of flowering, and will assist amateurs in making their selections for bedding, thus:—(1) corresponds in time of flowering with (1) of the **Single Tulips**; (2) corresponds with (2) of the **Single Tulips**, and so on. The heights, as registered at our Nurseries this last Spring, are given in inches. By a judicious selection of Double and Single Tulips, a display of brilliant colours may be maintained in the garden for a long period.

Double Tulips should be planted three bulbs in a pot, and receive the same cultural treatment as the Hyacinth.

Barr's Selections for Out-Doors or Pot-Culture.

	s. d.		s. d.
10 each 12 splendid varieties	12 6	3 each 12 splendid varieties	4 6
5 „ 12 „ „	6 6	1 „ 12 „ „	2 0

Barr's Beautiful "Rainbow" Mixture of Double Tulips. A special mixture of bright colours made up by ourselves, and will be found far superior to the ordinary Dutch mixtures for brilliant effect in beds and borders; they last long in beauty, and form a valuable succession to the Early Single Tulips, per 1000, 42/; per 100, 4/6.

Very Early Dwarf Double Duc Van Thol, red margined yellow. These *very early* dwarf little Tulips are useful for edgings, and broad marginal lines; also for forcing with the **Single Duc Van Thol Tulips**, 6d. per doz.; 3s. 6d. per 100.

„ „ „ **orange-red shaded carmine**, per 100, 4s. 6d.; per doz., 8d.

	per 100, per doz.	s. d. s. d.		per 100, per doz.	s. d. s. d.
Agnes (4), large brilliant glowing scarlet, very dwarf, and a <i>valuable bedder</i> , 8 ins.	9	6...1 6	Orange King (5), yellow tinged red, of fine form, <i>late</i> , 12 ins.	8	6...r 3
Alba maxima (4), beautiful large creamy-white, with yellow centre, 12 ins.	12	6...r 9	Overwinnaar (6), white, striped crimson-violet, very handsome, <i>tall and late</i> , 17 ins.	6	6...1 0
Blue Flag (5), very large flowers, soft mauve-purple, handsome, 21 ins.	7	6...1 3	Pæony Gold-Striped (6), rich dark red striped golden, handsome, <i>dwarf and late</i>	7	6...1 3
Couronne de Cerise (3), dark rich cherry-rose, very beautiful, 12 ins.	8	6...r 3	Rex Rubrum (4), brilliant crimson-scarlet, splendid, 11 ins.	per 1000, 75/	8 6...1 3
Gloria Solis (1), scarlet, deeply edged with bright yellow, showy and <i>early</i> , 12 ins.	per 1000, 28/	3 6...0 6	Rosalie (2), very beautiful glowing salmon-rose, semi-double, 10 ins.	10	6...r 6
Imperator Rubrum (2), rich glowing scarlet, beautiful, 12 ins.	10	6...1 6	Rose Blanche (4), the purest and best double white Tulip, 10 ins.	per 1000, 55/	6 6...1 0
La Candeur (4), pure white, good bedder, 11 ins.	per 1000, 30/	3 6...0 6	Rubra maxima (2), a fine dark crimson-vermilion, large flower, 9 ins.	10	6...1 6
La Citadelle (4), rich deep orange-scarlet, margined gold, very showy, 13 ins.	7	6...1 3	The Moor (3), rich dark maroon, handsome, 13 ins.	7	6...r 3
Leo XIII. (1), very large glowing scarlet, with yellow centre, remarkably showy, <i>early</i> , 11 ins.	18	6...2 9	Tournesol (1), scarlet, broadly edged yellow, very large flower, very beautiful, <i>early</i>	8	6...1 3
Mariage de ma Fille (6), beautiful pure white, striped brilliant cherry-crimson, <i>tall and late</i> , 18 ins.	14	6...2 0	Tournesol Yellow (1), yellow, flushed orange, very large flowers, very fine, <i>early</i> , 12 ins.	17	6...2 6
Murillo (3), delicate rose, flushed white, very beautiful, 11 ins.	10	6...1 6	Yellow Rose (6), very beautiful pure yellow sweet scented flowers, <i>late</i> , 14 in.	4	6...0 8

Plant Hardy Perennials during September and October.

TULIPS—continued.

Beautiful Choice and Rare Double Tulips.

These are all handsome and of great beauty, and we can recommend them for very select flower beds, borders, and pot-culture.

Selections—6 each of 12 of the following choice Double Tulips, 30s.; 3 each 16s.

	per doz.	each.		per doz.	each.		
	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.		
Blanche Rosette (3), white feathered rose-carmine, beautiful 13 in.	2	6...0	3	Lady Palmerston (2), a lovely rose-pink, 11 in.	2	6...0	3
Couronne des Roses (3), beautiful rich brilliant rose	4	6...0	5	Lord Beaconsfield, very beautiful large brilliant deep rose Pæony-like flowers	15	0...1	6
El Torsador (3), large bright scarlet, broadly margined buff-yellow.....	5	6...0	6	Prince of Orange, beautiful apricot-orange, with yellow centre, large handsome flowers .....	...	2	6
Gladstone, fine glowing deep cherry-scarlet	6	6...0	8	Princ of Wales, large handsome flower, rich deep cherry-crimson, 10 in.....	3	6...0	4
Henry Witte (3), large rich orange-scarlet, margined golden-yellow, full double, 11 in.	3	6...0	4	Queen of the Netherlands (4), a very beautiful flower, white, flushed rose, of camellia form, 12 in.....	7	6...0	8
Lac d'Haarlem (2), large rosy violet, full double, 9½ in.	3	6...0	4	Vuurbaak (2), brilliant fiery orange-scarlet, 8½ in.	3	6...0	4
La Grandesse (3), beautiful large rose slightly flushed white, 10 in.	6	6...0	8	William III. (2), very large flowers, glowing fiery scarlet, 12 in.....	3	6...0	4
La Vertu (4), white, deeply feathered rose, 11 in.	4	6...0	5				

BARR'S MAY-FLOWERING SINGLE "COTTAGE" TULIPS.

Showy and Beautiful Forms of Tulipa, Gesneriana and other Species.

The Tulips offered under this heading are quite distinct from any other class, being mostly of a free graceful habit with large flowers elegant in outline and of rich and brilliant colours. They are specially adapted for permanent borders where they should be freely planted in large clumps and masses. They may also be naturalized in grass, wild gardens, &c., where in the early part of May they present a gorgeous appearance. Those who have visited Kew Gardens in Spring will have seen these Tulips planted freely in grass, and also used largely in filling large flower beds on the lawns.

For cutting, these Tulips are greatly prized, as the stems are long and a free graceful effect can be readily obtained by their use.

In most cases we give the heights as registered at our Long Ditton Nurseries this last spring.

In flowering, *Elegans* and *Picotee* open first, followed by *Fulgens*, *Golden Beauty*, *Billetiana*, *Golden Crown*, *Gesneriana*, *Macrosplita*, *Goldflake*, *Buenoventura*, &c., and the gorgeous Parrot Tulips and grand Darwin Tulips.

	per doz.	each.		p. doz.	each.		
	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.		
Acuminata (<i>syn. cornuta</i>), yellow and red streaked, fantastic thread-like petals, 17 ins.	2	0...0	3	<i>Elegans variegata</i> , crimson striped gold, a large, showy, handsome flower, 14 ins.	1	9...0	2
Billetiana, yellow, shaded red, showy, 19 ins.....per 100, 10/6	1	6...0	2	per 100, 12/6	1	9...0	2
„ nana, a pretty dwarf form of the above.....per 100, 21/	3	0...0	4	„ alba, rare and beautiful, large white reflexed petals thinly edged carmine, 21 ins. Received Award of Merit R.H.S., 1895	15	0...1	6
Blushing Bride, brilliant deep cherry-rose, shot with silvery white, large and remarkably showy, 17 ins.	3	6...0	4	Fairy Queen, a unique and beautiful variety, large flowers, rosy heliotrope, broadly margined yellow	12	0...1	3
Bridesmaid, cherry-rose, flaked and suffused white, beautiful, 18 ins. 100, 6/6	1	0...0	...	Firebrand, brilliant scarlet, 23 ins.	3	6...0	4
Buenoventura, scarlet and gold flaked, handsome, a fine dwarf bedder, 12 ins. per 100, 10/6	1	6...0	2	Fulgens, rich showy crimson, tall, 20 ins. per 100, 8/6,	1	3...0	2
Carinata rubra, a curious combination of crimson and green, 12 ins.	1	0...0	...	Gala Beauty, blotched vermilion and golden-yellow, very handsome large showy flower. Awarded 1st Class Certificate R.H.S. ....per 100 12/6	1	9...0	2
Chameleon, pale plum colour, blotched maroon and shading to canary-yellow, striking and beautiful, 21 ins.....	7	6...0	8	Gesneriana spatulata (<i>syn. G. major</i>), large rich crimson-scarlet, with glittering blue-black centre; a superb variety for distant effect massed in beds and borders, tall, 24 ins.	0	9...0	...
Coquette de Bellville, cherry-colour, deeply margined and flaked white	7	6...0	8	per 1,000 45/; p. 100, 5/	0	9...0	...
Dainty Maid, white ground beautifully marked rosy lilac, fine decorative variety	1	6...0	2	„ rosea, deep rose-carmine, dark blue centre	1	0...0	...
Didieri, bright crimson-vermilion, indigo and primrose centre, 20 ins. per 100, 12/6	2	0...0	3	Goldflake, bright orange-scarlet, flaked gold, very showy, 17 ins....per 100 15/	2	3...0	3
„ alba, a pretty creamy white, fragrant, 15 ins.	6	6...0	8	Golden Beauty (<i>syn. Bouton d'Or</i>), the richest and deepest golden-coloured Tulip, 17 ins. Certificate of Merit R.B.S., 1897	1	6...0	2
Elegans, true, large dark crimson flowers, petals elegantly reflexed, 14 ins.....per 100 12/6	1	9...0	2				

SINGLE "COTTAGE" TULIPS—*continued.*

	per doz. each.	s. d. s. d.
Golden Crown (erroneously called Golden Eagle), large yellow flowers, edged crimson, pointed petals, very showy, 16 ins. ....p. 100, 4/5	0 8...	...
Haageri , dark brick-red, black and yellow centre, very attractive, 16 ins....	4 6..0	5
Isabella , a remarkably beautiful and striking flower with long pointed petals, pale primrose broadly margined and flushed brilliant rose ...p. 100, 2/5	3 6...0	4
La Panachés , striped and blotched cherry-erimson on a cream-coloured ground, very showy	4 6...0	5
Macropslla , large handsome glowing crimson-scarlet, centre black and yellow, <i>very fragrant</i> , 19 ins. Certificats of Merit R.B.S., 1897 per 100, 7/6	1 3...0	2
Maculata , brilliant deep erimson, with black and yellow centre p. 100, 1/5	2 3...0	3
" "Brilliant," a remarkably brilliant deep erimson, dwarf, p. 100, 17/6	2 6...0	3

BARR'S BEAUTIFUL MIXTURE OF COTTAGE TULIPS for naturalizing in wild gardens, grass land, etc.per 1000, 6/5; per 100, 7/6; per doz. 1/3.

PARROT, or DRAGON TULIPS, with Laciniated Petals (May-flowering).

These Parrot, or Dragon Tulips, have large, characteristic blossoms with curiously laciniated petals, and richly varied shades of beautiful colours in the same flower. They are very remarkable and exceedingly showy and effective in flower borders, while if grown in hanging baskets the drooping flowers look like orchids. In height they average about 15 inches.

The following are all selected extra strong bulbs, superior to what are usually sold, and may reasonably be expected to bloom, but as there is an unaccountable uncertainty in the flowering of these Parrot Tulips, if used for filling beds plant closer together than in the case of other tulips, say 2 to 3 inches apart. They may also be naturalized with charming effect.

12 bulbs each of the 6 Parrot Tulips described below, 10s. 6d.; 6 each, 5s. 6d.

	per doz. s. d.		per doz. s. d.
Admiral de Constantinople , glossy scarlet shaded and tipped orange, showy p. 100, 10/6	1 6	Fire King , a fine new variety, dark scarlet, striped gold, distinct and handsome.....	4 6
Coffes-Colour , shaded reddish brown on a yellow ground, slightly striped erimson and green per 100, 12/6	1 9	Largs Yellow , pure yellow, slightly striped crimson and green, showy.....per 100, 10/6	1 6
Crimson Beauty , rich deep blood-crimson, with blackish markings, flowers of immense size and very handsome; this variety should be largely used in beds and borders as it flowers very freely, and its brilliant colour is most effective. Csrt. of Merit R.B.S., 1897, per 1000, 7/5; per 100, 8/6	1 3	Perfecta , golden-yellow, heavily blotched rich deep scarlet, a showy and beautiful flower per 100, 10/6	1 6
		Barr's Splendid Mixed , containing a good variety of colours strong bulbs, per 1000, 7/5/-; per 100, 8/6	1 3

BARR'S GRAND DARWIN TULIPS (May-Flowering).

As grown at their Long Ditton Nurseries and exhibited at the London May Flower Shows, where their grand stately flowers elicit the admiration of all.

For flower beds and borders we confidently recommend the following Darwin Tulips for their stately bearing and rich colours. They have been specially selected as being distinct, showy, and beautiful, so that buyers need have no hesitation in choosing the colours they require as they are all good. The cut flowers form an elegant decoration for vases, and last a long time in water.

We have given the heights in inches, as registered at our Nurseries this last Spring.

SELECTIONS MADE FROM THE VARIETIES DESCRIBED BELOW.

5 each of 20 beautiful varieties	35/-	5 each of 12 beautiful varieties.....	15/ & 25/
3 " 20 " "	23/-	3 " 12 " " "	10/6 & 16/6
1 " 20 " " "	8/6	1 " 12 " " "	4/6 & 6/
			p. doz. each
Apricot , deep apricot shaded yellow, large flower, 25 ins.	5 6 ... 0		s. d. s. d.
Aurora , large brilliant glowing carmine-rose, 20 ins.	7 6 . 0		8
Bronze King , large golden bronze, 24 ins.	5 6 ... 0		6

Barr's Special "Exhibition" Collection of Daffodils, see page 6 of Daffodil Catalogue.

DARWIN TULIPS—continued.

	per doz.	each
	s. d.	s. d.
Carminea, glowing carmine-rose, tall and very fine, 23 ins.	2 6	0 3
Coquette, rich soft rose margined blush, very pretty, 23 ins.	5 6	0 6
Cordelia, glowing violet-crimson, very distinct and handsome, 24 ins.	2 6	0 3
Dorothy, pale mauve, shaded white, very pretty, late-flowering, 19 ins. Cert. of Merit R.B.S. 1807	2 6	0 3
Early Dawn, rosy lake, shaded blush, 25 ins. Cert. of Merit R.B.S., 1897	per 100, 12/6	1 9
Ergaste, beautiful satiny heliotrope, 21 ins.	5 6	0 2
Flambeau, brilliant scarlet with blue centre, 24 ins.	per 100, 12/6	1 9
Glow, brilliant glowing vermilion, centre blue margined white, 23 ins. Cert. of Merit R.B.S., 1897.	3 6	0 4
Gipsy Queen, large handsome dark maroon, tall grower, 26 ins.	15 0	1 6
Hecla, very deep crimson-maroon, fine cup-shaped flower, handsome, 25 ins.	3 6	0 4
Joseph Chamberlain, large brilliant cherry-scarlet, 21 ins.	2 6	0 3
Loveliness, lovely bright glowing satiny rose, margined blush, an exquisite colour, 22 ins. Cert. of Merit R.B.S. 1897.	4 6	0 5
May Queen, large and beautiful soft rose, tall grower, 25 ins.	10 6	1 0
Peter Barr, very dark rich maroon, large flower, 22 ins.	7 6	0 8
Phyllis, white, shaded pale rose-lilac, 20 ins.	2 6	0 3
Queen of Brilliants, large deep full rose, shaded scarlet, 26 ins.	10 6	1 0
Queen of Roses, pretty full bright carmine-rose, 23 ins.	per 100, 12/6	1 9
Salmon King, rich deep glowing salmon-rose, shaded scarlet, 20 ins. Cert. of Merit R.B.S., 1807	6 6	0 8
The Shah, rich dark cherry-rose, of perfect form, tall grower, 24 ins.	15 0	1 6
The Sultan, this may almost be called the Black Tulip, flowers of handsome form and a rich glossy maroon black, tall grower. Award of Merit by the R.H.S. May 6th, 1896. 23 ins.	10 6	1 0
Vanguard, the latest flowering of all the yellows, and very distinct, large handsome pointed flowers of a rich clear yellow, very attractive	per 100, 15/	2 3
Violet Queen, large rich ruby-violet, 21 ins.	2 6	0 3
White Queen, when in bud a soft rosy-white, but expanding into a beautiful creamy white, a very charming variety, flower large, 22 ins.	15 0	1 6
Zephyr, pretty soft violet-rose with large white centre, 22 ins.	4 6	0 5

BARR'S BEAUTIFUL MIXTURE OF DARWIN TULIPS, in various brilliant colours, including the two beautiful Cottage Tulips Golden Beauty and Gesneriana spatulata, which we find considerably enhance the effect when mixed amongst the Darwin Tulips. These make a grand show when massed in flower beds or borders, and we can confidently recommend them to all per 100, 7/6; per doz. 1/3.

RARE AND BEAUTIFUL SPECIES OF TULIPS.

Many of the following Tulip Species are rare and little known as yet. They are full of beauty and interest, and will be appreciated by all lovers of hardy bulbous plants. Those species marked † are perfect gems for choice corners in the rock garden, where their lovely flowers will delight the eye of all who see them. Greigii is a grand species with immense gorgeous flowers and large bold spotted foliage. Persica is of great value for edgings and for filling small beds. They are all remarkably distinct from one another in habit and flower.

	per doz.	each
	s. d.	s. d.
Australis, yellow, outside bronze, 16 in.	3 6	0 4
†Batalini, beautiful soft chrome, centre yellow, ht. 8 in.	24 0	2 3
†Biflora, producing many lovely small cream-coloured flowers, early.....	...	1 0
†Clusiana (The Lady Tulip), white, striped red, with violet centre, beautiful, 8 in.....	3 6	0 4
†Eichleri, very large, handsome, brilliant scarlet flowers, early, 10 in. ....	...	2 6
Euanthiæ (new), a most beautiful Grecian tulip, flowers red.....	...	2 6
Flava, see Novelty List, page 5.		
†Greigii, large brilliantly coloured flowers orange-scarlet to golden-yellow, with black-spotted centre, foliage beautifully spotted, handsome, 9 in.	5 6	0 6
†Kaufmanniana, see Novelty List, page 5.		
†Kolpakowskiana, large handsome brilliant vermilion, black centre, 20 in.....	18 0	1 9
†Lanata, true, large beautiful scarlet, 8 in.	24 0	2 3
†Leichtlini, white inside, outside bright coral-red, a very pretty species	24 0	2 3
†Linifolia, beautiful dwarf species with glowing scarlet flowers, 7 in.	18 0	1 9
†Orphanidea, from Greece, bright orange-yellow with black centre	5 6	0 6
Præcox (erroneously called Oculus Solis), crimson with black centre per 100, 15/-	2 3	0 3
„ Dammann, large handsome brilliant scarlet with large pointed black blotches in centre, 17 in.....	7 6	0 8
†Persica, bright yellow, fragrant, dwarf, a gem for edgings, 9 in.....p. 100, 6/6	1 0	...
Platystigma, an interesting species, being evidently a parent of the Parrot Tulips which will sometimes revert back to this species, colour flesh-rose, with narrow pointed petals, 17 in.....	4 6	0 5
†Saxatilis, rose, with bright yellow eye, very beautiful, Award of Merit R.H.S. 11 in.....	7 6	0 8
†Strangulata, soft canary yellow, centre more or less with black markings, outer petals faintly flushed rose, 15 in.....	12 0	1 2
†Suaveolens, large brilliant scarlet, very handsome, foliage covered with down	24 0	2 3
†Undulatifolia, pretty bright red flowers, 6 in.	2 6	0 3
„ Boissieri, scarlet, centre black and yellow, 6 in.	7 6	0 8
†Violacea (new), the earliest of all Tulips, flowers brilliant deep carmine-red, dwarf and beautiful, 6 in. ....	...	2 6
Vitellina, large pale primrose flowers of great beauty, Award of Merit R.H.S., 22 in.....	15 0	1 6

BARR'S

Beautiful "Gold Medal" English Tulips.

MAY-FLOWERING—(See *Illustration on page 29*).

Awarded the Gold Medal of the Royal National Tulip Society at the Temple Show, London, May 19th, 1896, and the Gold Medal at the Royal Botanic Society's Tulip Show and Conference, May 12th, 1897.

These Beautiful English Tulips we can confidently recommend to amateurs for select places in the garden, and for massing in flower-beds and borders. They form a valuable succession to the Early Tulips, while for symmetry of form and beauty of marking they far surpass them.

Our Long Ditton Collection of English Tulips is the largest one in existence and well worth a visit in May, when the flowers may be seen in all their beauty.

To those who wish to know all about the English Tulip, we recommend "The English Tulip," a little pamphlet containing the lectures delivered on this flower at the Great Tulip Conference of the Royal National Tulip Society, held at *Royal Botanic Society's Gardens*, May 12th, 1897, namely "The History and the Properties of the Florist Tulip," by J. W. BENTLEY; "Seed and Seedlings of the Florist Tulip," by the Rev. F. D. HORNER; "The Cultivation of the Florist Tulip," by C. W. NEEDHAM. Price 1/6.

Extract from THE WESTMINSTER GAZETTE, May 11th, 1897.

THE FEAST OF THE TULIP.

THE ROMANCE OF A FASHIONABLE FLOWER.

AFTER an interval of fifty years, a great TULIP SHOW and CONFERENCE is to be held to-morrow and Thursday in the Royal Botanic Gardens, Regent's Park. This is only one sign of a revival of interest in the flower which has as romantic a history as any plant all the world over. Another sign of a mild repetition of the Tulip craze of three centuries ago is the fact that Tulip feasts, dances, and dinners are quite the fashion, and that at last week's Drawing Room, Tulips were among the most popular flowers, both in their natural state, in bouquets, as dress ornaments, and in fanciful designs woven into the magnificent brocades of the Court trains. The proudest of early garden flowers thus pressing once more to the front, it is interesting at the present moment to trace the history and follow the fortunes past and present of the Tulip.

In the seraglio of the Shadow of God, when the world was a few centuries younger, there was one festival in early spring which for dazzling splendour outshone the rest of the Eastern fairylike night scenes. Unnumbered artificial suns, moons, and stars lit up the Sultan's beautiful gardens, and in the mystic light which turned night into day, tens of thousands of Tulips stood proudly up on their tall slim stalks, the goblet of each blossom perfect in form and in colour. Among this dazzling dream the Sultan and his harem, and whoever else was great and mighty at the Court of Constantinople, worshipped at the shrine of the Tulip, and the whole of the East echoed the praise of the *thouliban*, or Turban flower, the corruption of which term has become our name for the flower.

The West at that period knew nothing of the Tulip, though it had been great in the East for more years than men remembered. India, Persia, and the Levant had, in the course of ages, woven around it countless legends of love and life and death; great poets sang its praises; the heathen laid it at the feet of his gods, and the early Christian of the East pointed to it as the "Lily of the field," which afforded to Christ the subject of a divine sermon to which the world has clung, and still is clinging, as to a never-failing help when the burden of life grows heavy.

In the sixteenth century an Ambassador of the Emperor of Germany to the Sublime Porte, going from Adrianople to Constantinople shortly after mid-winter, came upon a wondrous sight. On the roadside, among the weeds and grasses, there rose in glorious beauty clump after clump, bed after bed, of tall goblet-shaped flowers. As the sun shone upon them, they blazed with the colour of fire and sunlight, and the smooth broad petals formed a deep cup classically simple and perfect, closing over a heart of gold.

Before long a few Tulip bulbs reached Germany, and thence to England it was but a short journey. 1577 is the exact date at which the Tulip, now one of our most popular flowers, alike in the parks and gardens of the great and at the door of the poor cottager, was introduced into this country.

Visitors invited to see Barr's "Gold Medal" English Tulips flowering in May.

But while we coolly, and not over-enthusiastically, adopted this Oriental wayside plant, something very different was going on in a neighbouring country. The Tulip had made its Western way to Holland, and to the Dutchman it came as a revelation. Who can fathom the mysterious combination of circumstances resulting in a popular craze? The level-headed, unemotional, keenly practical Dutchman awoke one morning to find that he, and his compatriots with him, had, like one man, become Tulipomaniacs rampant and reckless. Fortunes were paid for a single rare Tulip bulb; crimes were committed for the possession of a *Viceroy* or an *Admiral Leifken*; and the theft or loss of a Tulip bulb was a national misfortune. All classes were infected, and for the three years from 1634 to 1637 Holland was but a large asylumful of Tulipomaniacs.

It was at this time that the worthy London citizen, going over to Holland for trade purposes, was so far infected by the craze that reigned supreme as to send home to the tender care of his housekeeper a precious bulb, worth some hundreds of pounds sterling. On his return from his long and perilous journey to Holland, he asked at once after his bulb. Had it been safely received? Yes, the beldame replied, it had arrived; but she did not think much of the Dutch bulb. The taste was not up to that of English onions. She had cooked and eaten it!

The historic event of the Dutch Tulipomania ended as suddenly as it had begun. The nation's enthusiasm was spent; only the professional bulb-growers remained faithful.

Just now the worship of the Tulip in this country is becoming general. That this should be so among Londoners and in Suburbia is probably due to a wonderful object-lesson which Messrs. Barr and Sons, the firm of bulb-growers whose name is honourably known among florists and flower-lovers all the world over, are giving at present at their LONG DITTON NURSERIES. The surroundings of London, miles further out than pretty Surbiton and Long Ditton, are the happy wheeling ground of armies of cyclists. They, and those who go up and down by the South-Western trains, have marvellous tales to tell.

Among the green fields where the grass is rich and high and starred with golden buttercups, among the hedges bursting into sweet white May-bloom, under the avenues of old elms and planes and oaks, there are spread out under the blue sky great stretches of living Oriental carpets. The designs, the colours, the look of richness and depth, are all there; but did ever master weaver or dyer work in shades so luminously beautiful as these? The sun, which otherwise sucks the colour out of a carpet, flushes these acres of crimson and purple and gold with colour notes, dreamt of as something unattainable in art. And day by day, as Spring unfolds her royal robes, these Tulip gardens grow into still greater beauty, and when 10,000 blossoms, their blooming-time being over, softly drop their petals, 10,000 others have arisen to continue the charm and spell of the scene.

Mr. William Barr, a partner of the firm of Barr and Sons, who is as enthusiastic over his Tulips as are his most enchanted visitors, gave a representative day or two ago a few interesting details about Tulips and Tulip-growing in England.

“Are the Dutch late Tulips exactly like the English?”

“No, they differ a good deal. The Dutch growers have always given their chief attention to the colour of the Tulip. A fine colour is everything with them. Now English Tulip-growers insist on a good base and on perfect form, as well as purity of colour. The base of the petals in most Dutch Tulips is of an undecided or muddy colour. With us, unless the base is of a snowy, dazzling white or a clear yellow, we do not consider the flower good.”

“Is it difficult to grow Tulips?”

“Not at all. The Tulip is so hardy, and requires so little special care, that it is one of the easiest as well as the most beautiful spring flowers to cultivate. Then there are so many early and late varieties that you can have a continual show from February till June. Hailstorms are one of the Tulip's chief enemies, as they are of most flowers. Otherwise it has very little to fear from the climate.

“And here,” Mr. Barr explained, as we stood beside an enormous bed of exquisitely beautiful Tulips, broad-petalled, and the shape of graceful cups, “you have a bed of *Darwin Tulips*, one of the finest sections of Tulips. The name is purely a fancy name. It was given by a private gentleman who raised this variety. He had been working quietly and alone for many years at improving his Tulips, and all at once he came out with this splendid result of his work. They are a late race of Tulips, coming into bloom after the Tulips we see in our parks have shed their petals. In growth they are tall and stately, with flowers of perfect form and great substance, of uniform colours and richest hues. *The Sultan* reminds one of Dumas' ‘*Black Tulip*,’ being of a glossy maroon black.”

But time in a Tulip garden flies. The train, with a bush of golden broom on the bosom of its engine, carries you back to Waterloo. The show is over; the Tulips are gone. But you may see them at the show to-morrow.

Extract from the DAILY NEWS, May 14th, 1897.

TULIP SHOW AT THE ROYAL BOTANIC GARDENS.—Lovers of Tulips had a splendid opportunity on Wednesday and yesterday, when the ROYAL NATIONAL TULIP SOCIETY held their fourth annual southern exhibition, in the gardens of the Royal Botanic Society, Regent's Park. Some very fine collections were shown, and in several of the classes the competition was most keen. . . . A SILVER DAFFODIL FLOWER VASE, presented by MESSRS. BARR AND SONS, for 90 blooms of English florists' Tulips in 30 dissimilar kinds, was secured by Mr. Bentley; while Mr. Needham took the silver medal presented by MESSRS. BARR AND SONS for collection of English florists' Tulips grouped for effect. . . . The great feature of the exhibition, however, was the fine collection of Tulips, running nearly the whole length of the corridor, shown by MESSRS. BARR AND SONS, of Covent Garden. This at once obtained the GOLD MEDAL of the National Tulip Society, and the SILVER MEDAL of the Royal Botanic Society. Here were to be seen some of the finest Tulips grown this season. One section was devoted to ENGLISH TULIPS raised in years past by famous growers, and differing from all Dutch Tulips in having more perfect form and colour. They were certainly flowers that delighted fanciers or specialists. Another section was composed of DARWIN TULIPS, which have never been known to break into "flamed" or "feathered" varieties. In a third section were the PARROT TULIPS, while a fourth included the COTTAGE TULIPS, mostly of the old English garden variety. These and other blooms made up a collection which, for variety and perfection, is seldom seen.

Extract from the COURT JOURNAL, May 15th, 1897.

The Royal National Tulip Society (Southern Section) held its Exhibition and Conference on last Wednesday and Thursday, in the Society's Gardens, Regent's Park. . . . The most attractive collection came from MESSRS. BARR AND SONS, of LONG DITTON, and KING STREET, COVENT GARDEN, who put up a thoroughly representative group of late-flowering Tulips, including many specimens of the eccentric-looking Parrot Tulips, the brilliant self-coloured Darwin Tulips, and the old English Florists' Tulips, beautifully striped, flamed, and feathered in various tints. This exhibit was awarded a GOLD MEDAL, and should have been seen by all lovers of this favourite flower. In the course of the day a paper on the history of the Tulip was read by Mr. Bentley, and another on its cultivation by Mr. Needham. A paper on the hybridisation of Tulips and the raising of seedlings by the Rev. F. D. Horner, was read by the Secretary.

BARR'S ENGLISH MAY-FLOWERING TULIPS.

Bizarres, Byblœmen and Roses.

(RECTIFIED AND BREEDERS).

BARR & SONS' SELECTIONS.

100 in 100 Beautiful Varieties...	£5 5s., £7 7s.
50 in 50 " " " " " " " " " " " "	21/, 42/, 63/, 84/, & 105/.
25 in 25 " " " " " " " " " " " "	10/6, 15/, & 21/.
12 in 12 " " " " " " " " " " " "	3/6, 5/6, 7/6, 12/6, 21/, & 30/.

BARR'S CHOICE MIXTURE OF BEAUTIFUL ENGLISH MAY-FLOWERING TULIPS, in great variety, comprising Bizarres, Byblœmens, and Roses. When massed in quantity in beds and borders these beautiful Tulips present a brilliant picture, resembling a richly coloured Persian carpet, s. d.
per 1000, £5 5s.; per 100, 12/6; per doz. 1 9

BYBLŒMEN RECTIFIED TULIP "LORD DENMAN," a grand variety for bedding and massing, large bold flowers, beautifully marked puce-purple on a clear white ground, very effective, handsome and free-floweringper 100, 15/; per doz. 2 3

Explanation of the terms "Breeder" and "Rectified."

"Rectified" Tulips are those in which the original self colour has changed, or, as it is termed by Tulip Amateurs, broken into a flamed or feathered variegation.

"Breeder" Tulips are those with self colours which have not yet changed, or, as Tulip Amateurs term it, broken into a variegation, but at any time they may become *Rectified*.

"Extra Selected" are specially selected flowers of superior excellence in their markings.

Those varieties offered by the dozen make attractive beds, and are exceedingly effective when grouped and massed in the permanent Hardy Herbaceous Plant border.

Barr's Bedding Tulips, the best sorts to make a fine display, see page 43.

BIZARRES, RECTIFIED OR VARIEGATED.

Colours—orange, scarlet, crimson, and many shades of black and brown on a lemon, deep yellow or golden-yellow ground, with a stainless yellow centre or base.

	each—s. d.		each—s. d.
Accuracy, maroon-brown on gold.....	1 6	Masterpiece, black on yellow	per doz. 3/6 0 4
Ajax, rich chocolate on yellow.....	1 6	" selected fine feathered strain...	1 0
Caliph, black on lemon, very decorative	0 4	Michael Angelo, maroon-black on canary-yellow	3 6
Colbert (Slater), chocolate on bright golden-yellow, dwarf and very showy, per doz. 5/6	0 6	Mr. Pickwick, maroon-brown on pale yellow...	1 6
Criterion, deep maroon on gold.....	0 6	Pilot, deep brick-red on yellow.....per doz. 3/6	0 4
Dr. Colenso, rich orange on bright lemon, dwarf.....	1 0	Richard Yates, scarlet-maroon on gold, very prettily marked flower	0 6
Dr. Hardy (Storer), beautifully marked, dark scarlet on bright orange-yellow, flowers of great substance and perfect form, p.doz. 5/6	0 6	Samuel Barlow (Storer), glowing scarlet-crimson on glittering golden ground, of perfect form, extra fine	10 6
" " " extra selected strain ...	1 0	Sir Joseph Paxton, handsome maroon-black on lemon.....per doz. 3/6	0 4
Dr. Hutcheon, dark chocolate on yellow	1 6	" " " extra fine flamed strain ..	1 0
Duke of Devonshire, chocolate-black on lemon, large showy decorative variety, per doz. 3/6	0 4	" " " beautiful feathered strain	5 6
Excelsior, chocolate on yellow	5/6 0 6	Sir Moses Montefiore, handsome dark brown on gold, extra fine	3 6
George Hayward, rich crimson-maroon on gold, large and handsome, a grand bedder per doz. 3/6	0 4	Sir W. Hardinge, handsome heavy brown beam on bright lemon ground, extra.....	3 6
Goldcup, brown on gold	0 6	Sulphur (Birtwistle), mahogany-brown on yellow, delightfully sweet-scented	per doz. 3/6 0 4
James Wild, black on lemon, handsome	2 6	" " extra fine flamed strain	1 0
John Heap, bright red-brown on yellow	0 4	" " " feathered strain	2 6
Lord Lilford, dark chocolate on yellow, p.doz. 2/6	0 3	Sunbeam, chocolate-brown on gold, dwarf	0 6
Lord Frederick Cavendish, bright mahogany on gold	1 0	Tippoo Tib, very distinct, with broad chocolate-black beam on lemon-yellow ground	2 6
Lord Stanley, mahogany-crimson on yellow, short broad-petalled perfectly formed flower	1 6	William Wilson, crimson-bronze on yellow.....	1 0
Major Chard, red-brown on orange-yellow	1 0		

BIZARRES, BREEDERS OR SELF-COLOURED.

These flowered this Season in various self-shades of red, crimson, scarlet, maroon, chestnut, etc., with a stainless yellow centre or base; they may, however, at any time become *rectified*, breaking into a variegation.

	each—s. d.		each—s. d.
Criterion, crimson-maroon	per doz. 7/6 0 9	Masterpiece, golden-brown	per doz. 5/6 0 6
Dr. Hardy, rich mahogany-brown, a handsome flower, very scarce	10 6	Richard Yates, a very pretty scarlet-maroon per doz. 5/6	0 6
Excelsior, self-brown	per doz. 3/6 0 4	Sam Barlow, very scarce, large rich mahogany-brown	21 0
Goldfinder, bright scarlet, clear rich yellow base, extra fine	21 0	Sir Joseph Paxton, dark chocolate-brown per doz. 7/6	0 9
Helen Fawcett, maroon-brown, fine short-petalled variety	3 6	Storer's No. 1, mahogany-brown, small flower, strongly bee-bread-scented	2 6
James Wild, deep olive-brown, very handsome	1 6	Sulphur (Birtwistle), light olive-brown, an æsthetic shade, very sweetly scented	per doz. 5/6 0 6
John Heap, bright orange-scarlet, edged gold per doz. 4/6	0 6	William Lea, rich glossy maroon-black, very handsome.....	1 6
King, dark maroon-brown, large and handsome	0 6	William Mellor, light brown.....	1 0
Lord Frederick Cavendish, bright mahogany-brown, large and handsome. per doz. 5/6	0 6	William Wilson, golden brown ...per doz. 5/6	0 6
Lord Stanley, rich deep maroon, short petalled flower, of fine form	2 6		

BYBLOEMEN, RECTIFIED OR VARIEGATED.

Colours—black, violet, purple, to pale lilac or lavender on a clear white ground, with a stainless white centre or base.

	each—s. d.		each—s. d.
Adonis, purple and black on white, fine strain	1 6	Glory of Stakehill, rich purple on white, large flower	1 6
Agnes, dark purple on white	0 6	Holmes' King, very faintly marked, pale lilac on white, tall and large-flowered	1 6
Bessie, brilliant purple on white, dwarf p. doz. 4/6	0 6	King of the Universe, fine large flower, black on white	3 6
Bienfait Incomparable, purple black on white	0 6	Lord Danman, puce-purple on white, flowers beautifully marked, a grand variety for massing in beds and borders, 100, 15/; doz. 2/3	0 3
Black Diamond, glittering black on white, tall	2 6		
David Jackson, black on white, colour heavy...	1 0		
Duchess of Sutherland, lilac on white	1 6		
Friar Tuck, purple on white, markings very fine	2 6		
George Hardwicke, violet and glistening black on white	3 6		

TULIPS—BYBLÆMEN, Rectified or Variegated—*continued.*

	each—s. d.		each—s. d.
Mrs. Jackson, black on white, fine short-petalled flower, extra fine.....	2 6	Pick-Me-Out, shining chocolate-crimson on white, with glittering white base.....	0 6
Mrs. Pickerell, deep plum-purple on white.....	0 6	Queen of May, dark crimson on white, doz. 4/6	0 6
Pandora, fine heavy violet beam on white ground, pretty.....	1 6	Salvator Rosa, purple-black on white, extra ..	0 9
Prince Leopold, rosy purple on white	2 6	Talisman, violet-black on white, very showy per doz. 2/6	0 4
Princess Royal, crimson-black on white, late	0 5	" extra finely marked strain	1 6
Proserpine, lightly feathered black on white, of perfect form, extra fine	3 6	Wedding Coat, feathered black on a dazzling white ground, charming	5 6

BYBLÆMEN, BREEDERS OR SELF-COLOURED.

These flowered this Season in various self-shades of purple, lilac, and heliotrope, with a stainless dazzling white centre or base; they may, however, at any time become *rectified*, breaking into a variegation.

	each—s. d.		each—s. d.
Adonis, rich violet-purple, handsome	2 6	Martin's 117, fine soft heliotrope, extra fine ...	1 6
Agnes, rich purple, large and handsome	0 9	Miss Foster, lilac flushed fawn, distinct	2 6
per doz. 7/6	0 9	Miss Hardy, light purple, large flower.....	2 6
Ashmole's 114, light heliotrope, champagne-glass-shaped	1 6	Musc, large purple, of fine form, very handsome	5 6
George Hardwicke, deep heliotrope, fine	2 6	Philip I., lovely heliotrope, of fine form	1 0
Glory of Stakehill, deepred-purple, large flower	2 6	Storer's No. 19, deep purple	1 6
Leach's No. 1, pale lilac, of beautiful form	3 6	Talisman, slaty purple.....	1 0
Leach's No. 2, dark purple	2 6		

ROSES, RECTIFIED OR VARIEGATED.

Colours—delicate pinks and soft roses of shades to the most glowing scarlets and deepest crimsons on a pure white ground, with a stainless dazzling white centre.

	each—s. d.		each—s. d.		
Aglala, rose on white	per doz. 3/6	0 4	Lord Derby, brilliant rose-scarlet on white	per doz. 3/6	0 4
Alice, crimson-rose on white, dwarf	1 6		Mabel, beautiful rose on white ..	3/6	0 4
Anastasia, rich crimson on white, tall	0 6		" extra finely flamed strain	1 6	
Annie McGregor, brilliant rose-scarlet on white	1 0		" a beautiful feathered strain	3 6	
Comte de Vergennes, rosy purple on white ...	0 6		Modesty, beautiful soft rose on white	1 6	
Flora McIvor, brilliant rose-scarlet on white ...	1 6		Mrs. Lee, feathered, rich scarlet-cerise on white	3 6	
Heroine, deep rose on white	per doz. 5/6	0 6	Sylph, rose on white.....	2 6	
Industry, bright scarlet-cerise on white ..	3/6	0 4	Triomphe Royale, deep rose on white p. doz. 5/6	0 6	
Kate Connor, feathered rose on white	0 9				

ROSES, BREEDERS OR SELF-COLOURED.

These flowered this season in beautiful self-shades of rose, crimsons and scarlets, with a stainless dazzling white centre; they may, however, at any time become *rectified*, breaking into a variegation.

	each—s. d.
Annie McGregor, deep rose-scarlet, of fine form and lovely colour	1 6
Hepworth's Rose, beautiful light rose	5 6
Industry, intense scarlet-cerise	per doz. 7/6
Kate Connor, lovely clear soft rose.....	1 0
Lady Constance Grosvenor, a lovely cerise-rose colour, flower of exquisite form	3 6
Lord Derby, brilliant rose-scarlet	per doz. 5/6
Mabel, beautiful soft rose	1 0
Modesty, clear rose.....	2 6
Rose Hill, deep carmine-rose, large dazzling white base.....	5 6



WATSONIA.

OLD DUTCH FLORISTS' TULIPS

Bizarres, Byblœmens, and Roses, all Rectified.

These Dutch Florists' Tulips are wanting in the required points of excellence of form and exquisite markings which give the value to "English Amateur" Tulips, nevertheless they are valuable for general decorative purposes and are sure to please, for the showy effect they produce in beds and borders.

Beautiful Mixture of Dutch Florists', Bizarres, Byblœmens, and Roses

per 1000, 45/; per 100, 5/6; per doz., 10d.

VALLOTA purpurea (The Scarborough Lily), a most valuable Autumn-flowering plant, its handsome trusses of brilliant scarlet flowers being greatly valued for filling vases. We recommend it to be planted out of doors in May, and when in bud potted up for conservatory decoration. Established in pots,p. doz. 15/, 21/ & 30/; each 1/6, 2/6, & 3/6

WATSONIA, very ornamental and showy plants, requiring same cultural treatment as the Gladiolus. each—s. d.
angusta O'Brieni, a lovely plant with snowy white flowers ... } See *Illustration*, { 2 0
rosea, beautiful rose-coloured flowers, 2 ft. } page 53 { ... per doz. 5/6 0 6

WINTER ACONITE, its golden blossoms early in Spring are very beautiful, resting on emerald-green cushions of leaves, and very effective when associated with Snowdrops, Early Scillas, Chionodoxas, Anemone fulgens, Anemone apennina, etc. Under trees and in moist situations, where few other plants will thrive, the **Winter Aconite** luxuriates and densely clothes the ground with its bright green foliage long after the flowers have disappeared. It is a good useful plant to naturalize in grass, etc.

good flowering roots per 1000, 15/; per 100, 1/9.
 extra strong roots per 1000, 21/; per 100, 2/6.

WOOD HYACINTHS, see *Scilla*, page 46.

ZEPHYRANTHES (*syn.* *Amaryllis*). These **Swamp Lilies** are a beautiful family of bulbous plants requiring greenhouse culture, or they may be grown in a sunny well-drained situation against a south wall. Charming pot-plants, several bulbs in a pot. Early summer-flowering, except *Candida*, which produces its charming white flowers in Autumn.

atamasco, large pure white flowers, nearly 3 in. long, $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. 10 6...1 0
candida (The Flower of the West Wind), producing a profusion of white crocus-like flowers in Autumn, valuable for edgings, masses, etc. per 100, 7/6 1 3 ...
carinata, beautiful delicate rose colour, large handsome flowers, 1 ft. 8 6...0 10
Treatia, beautiful white fragrant Lily-like flowers, 1 ft. 12 0...1 3

BARR'S SELECT LIST OF STRAWBERRIES.

We have made a careful selection of the very best and most distinct varieties of Strawberries, and recommend all of them, feeling confident they will give the greatest satisfaction; all other sorts can also be had.

WELL-ROOTED RUNNERS.

Supplied during August and September.

Less quantities than 50 are charged at a little higher rate.

VERY EARLY VARIETIES.

John Ruskin, large rich glossy red, good for first forcing only per 100—s. d. 3 6
 King of Earlies, small black-red fruit of delicious pine-flavour, free bearer, valuable for preserving 3 6

EARLY VARIETIES.

Keen's Seedling, dark crimson globular fruit of rich flavour 4 6
 Royal Sovereign, a grand new variety, bearing very large handsome fruit, conical in shape and of luscious flavour, flesh firm and white, good continuous cropper 4 6
 Vicomtesse Hericart de Thury, a great and continuous cropper of rich flavour, good for preserving 4 6

MAIN CROP VARIETIES.

Bicton White Pine, heavy cropper, bearing large white fruit of fine pine-flavour 3 6
 British Queen, very large, of exquisite flavour, requires good cultivation in heavy soil 5 6
 Dr. Hogg, large and handsome, one of the best flavoured strawberries in cultivation, likes a heavy soil ... 5 6
 Gunton Park, immense handsome dark crimson-scarlet fruit of fine flavour, continuous cropper; this strawberry has a great future 5 6
 President, large and handsome, of richest pine flavour, heavy cropper 5 6
 Sir Charles Napier, large and prolific, of refreshing flavour, a heavy cropper, prefers a light soil 4 6
 Sir Joseph Paxton, handsome solid fruit of delicate flavour, very prolific, a favourite market variety 3 0

LATE VARIETIES.

Frogmore Late Pine, fruit large, of extra fine pine-flavour, a connoisseur's fruit 7 6
 Lord Suffield, large handsome, rich dark crimson fruit, flesh firm and richly flavoured, prolific 5 6

VERY LATE VARIETIES.

Eleanor, a fine free-growing large variety, heavy cropper 4 6
 Waterloo, very large dark fruit of cockscomb shape, valuable for dessert 5 6
 Latest of All, large fruit of cockscomb shape and grand flavour, prefers a heavy soil 5 6

STRAWBERRY PLANTS IN SMALL POTS.

To fruit first season out-doors or for shifting into large pots for forcing per 100, 17/6; per doz, 2/6.

The following favourite Strawberries we specially recommend for forcing—President, Royal Sovereign, Sir Joseph Paxton, and Sir Charles Napier.

ROSES FOR AUTUMN-PLANTING.

Orders for Standard Roses should be given in September in order to secure good plants.

Selected Standards and Half-Standards of finest sorts per doz.—s. d. per 100, £9; per doz., 24/ & 30 0
 Selected Dwarfs of finest sorts " £4 10s.; " 9/ & 12 0
 Selected Climbing of finest sorts " 10/6 & 15 0
 extra strong plants, each 2/6, 3/6 & 5/6
 Tea-Scented, in pots per doz. 15/, 21/ & 30 0
 " " " " large plants for forcing, per doz. 30/ & 42 0
 New Polyantha Rose, "Crimson Rambler," one of the most charming of Climbing Roses for arbours, porches, and to ramble over rooteries in wildernesses, etc., each, 1/6; strong plants on own roots, each 3/6.

FRUIT TREES.

65 Specially selected strong healthy plants, ready November to March. Plants a little smaller can be supplied at a cheaper rate. Early orders solicited.

(Selection left to Messrs. Barr & Sons).	Fine Trained Trees. Standards.	Untrained Trees. Standards.	Fine Trained Trees. Dwarfs.	Untrained Trees. Dwarfs.	Fine Trained Trees. Pyramids.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
Apples .....	...	2 6	3 6	2 6	4 6
Apricots	10 6	4 6	5 6	2 6	...
Cherries	6 6	2 6	3 6	2 0	4 6
Nectarines	10 6	4 6	6 6	2 6	...
Peaches	10 6	4 6	6 6	2 6	...
Pears	6 6	2 6	4 6	2 6	4 6
Plums	6 6	2 6	4 6	2 6	4 6

66 Special Prices given for large quantities of the above.

<p>Currants, best sorts per doz. <i>s. d.</i> 6 0</p> <p>Gooseberries, best sorts " 6 0</p> <p>Mulberries (Strong Standards) each 7 6</p> <p>Nuts, Cob.....per doz. 9/ & 12 0</p>	<p>Nuts, Filbert per doz. <i>s. d.</i> 9/ & 12 0</p> <p>Raspberries, 3/ & 4/6 per doz.; per 100 21/ & 30 0</p> <p>Grape Vines, Strong Planting Canes ...each 4/6 & 6/6</p> <p>" Extra-Strong Fruiting Canes ...ea. 8/6 & 12/9</p>
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67 For other Fruit trees, etc., prices can be had of any special kinds, on application.

A FEW GARDEN REQUISITES.

- Flower Sticks, Wooden, in bundles of 100, 12 inch, 6*d.*; 18 inch, 9*d.*; 24 inch, 1*s.* 3*d.*; 30 inch, 1*s.* 6*d.*; 36 inch, 2*s.*; 42 inch, 2*s.* 6*d.*; 48 inch, 3*s.*
- Hyacinth Glasses, Plain, in various colours, per doz., 5*s.* 6*d.*
- " " in Fancy Designs, per doz., 7*s.* 6*d.* to 2*s.*
- " Wire supports (brass), per doz. 4/6.
- Knives, Saynor's, best quality, pruning, 2*s.*, 2*s.* 6*d.*, 3*s.*, 3*s.* 6*d.*, 4*s.*, and 4*s.* 6*d.* each.
- " " budding, 3*s.*, 3*s.* 6*d.*, and 4*s.* 6*d.* each.
- Labels, Wooden, for pots and borders, painted, superior quality; in bundles of 100, 4 inches, 8*d.*; 5 inches, 10*d.*; 6 inches, 1*s.*; 7 inches, 1*s.* 3*d.*; 8 inches, 1*s.* 6*d.*; 9 inches, 2*s.*; 12 inches, 3*s.* 6*d.*
- " Ditto, for suspending, in bundles of 100, 4 inches, 9*d.*; 6 inches, 1*s.*
- " Metallic (Illustration showing the Nos. referred to on application).
- Per 100, No. 1, 4*s.* No. 2, 3*s.* No. 3, 3*s.* No. 4, 3*s.* No. 5, 3*s.* 6*d.*
- " No. 6, 2*s.* No. 7, 2*s.* No. 13, 1*s.* 9*d.* No. 14, 1*s.* 6*d.* No. 15, 1*s.* 6*d.*
- " Layering Pins, 1*s.*
- Ink to write on metallic labels per bottle, 6*d.* and 1*s.*
- Mats, best Archangel, per doz., 22*s.* 6*d.*; each 2*s.*
- Raphia (Rush Grass), a light tying material, per lb., 1*s.* 3*d.*; per 14 lb., 1*s.*; specimen bundles, 6*d.* and 1*s.*

INSECTICIDES.

- Murray "Electric" Mildew and Insect Destroyer, the most effective and the safest Insecticide, in bottles, 1*s.*, 1*s.* 6*d.*, and 2*s.* 6*d.*
- The Pneumatic Diffuser, highly recommended for Insecticides, in copper, 4*s.* 6*d.*
- Gishurst Compound, an effectual Insect killer, boxes, 1*s.*, 3*s.*, and 10*s.* 6*d.*
- Tobacco Powder, in canisters, 1*s.*, 2*s.* 6*d.*, and 5*s.* each. The "Duplex" Powder Distributor, 2*s.* 6*d.* each.

MANURES and SOILS.

- PHYTOBROMA, Barr's New Plant Food, see page 2 of cover.
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Our Seed Guide is published in January, Hardy Plant Catalogue in February, Daffodil and General Bulb Catalogues in August. We are always pleased to forward any of these Catalogues, free of charge, to friends of our Customers on receipt of a line requesting us to do so.

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Our Nurseries are situated near to Surbiton Station (London and South-Western Railway). Visitors are invited during March and April to see our magnificent Collection of Daffodils in flower (see notice of a visit to our Nurseries on page 3); in April and May, Tulips, etc.; and during Summer and Autumn to see our Collection of Hardy Perennials and Alpines, and many rare and beautiful Bulbous Plants. *Cab fare from Surbiton Station to Pound Farm entrance of Nursery is 1s.; to main entrance, which is within a hundred yards of Pound Farm entrance, 2s. Cabs are always to be had at Surbiton Station.*

Daffodil Prizes for 1898.

See Prize Notice on page 5 of Daffodil Catalogue.

Irish Orders.

We shall esteem it a favour if our Customers, when ordering goods to be sent to Ireland, will kindly state the route by which they prefer them being sent.

Gardeners.

We keep a special Register of Gardeners in want of situations, and shall be pleased to put such in communication with any of our Customers requiring either Head or Under-Gardeners.

Notices to Our Foreign and Colonial Correspondents.

Prepayment necessary.

Owing to the difficulty of collecting accounts abroad, we beg that Customers will kindly enclose with their Orders a remittance, a draft, or an "order to pay," on a London Bank, or Agent; the remittance should be sufficient to cover cost of carriage when the freight is required to be paid in advance.

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India.—Seeds and Bulbs can be despatched to all postal towns in India, by Parcel Post, at the rate of 1 lb. for 1s., and after the first lb. 8d. per lb. up to 11 lbs., or by "Eastern Express," at 6d. per lb. up to 30 lbs., after 30 lbs. cheaper as cargo.

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Photographs taken at Barr's Bulb Fields, Long Ditton, Surrey.



A FIELD OF NARCISSUS BARRII CONSPICUUS AT BARR'S LONG DITTON NURSERIES.
(See *Dijfidil Catalogue*, page 18.)



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To the Account of
Full Postal Address
Railway and nearest Station
Name of Gardener

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Date 1897.

Signed

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Under the columnar headings "QUANTITY," write in Figures how many Bulbs, &c., are required.

BARR'S Famous "Covent Garden" Collections of Bulbs.

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Table with columns for Quantity and various bulb collections like A. Barr's Early Forcing Collection, B. "Greenhouse," etc.

Novelties & Specialities In Bulbs & Tuberous-Rooted Plants

Table listing various bulb species such as Albuca Nelsoni, Allium Schuberthi, Anemone fulgens, etc., with their respective prices.

Novelties and Specialities—contd.

Table listing bulb species like Calochortus Howelli, Chionodoxa Luciliae rosea, Dahlia, etc., with prices.

Novelties and Specialities—contd.

Table listing bulb species like Muscarl neglectum, Ornithogalum pyramidale, Ranunculus asiaticus, etc., with prices.

Selected Bulbs & Plants for Early Forcing.

See List, page 6 of Catalogue.

Special Cheap Offer of Hardy Bulbs and Plants.

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Table listing various bulb species like Anemones, Brodiaea, etc., with prices.

Special Cheap Offer—continued.

Table listing bulb species like Bulbocodium, Camassia, Chionodoxa, etc., with prices.

Special Cheap Offer—continued.

Quantity.	per 1000.		
	s. d.	per 100 s. d.	per doz. s. d.
Hyacinthus			
candicans	55 0..	6 6..I	0
" amethystinus	55 0..	6 6..I	0
Iris, English,			
mixed	50 0..	5 6..0	10
" Spanish, mixed	15 0..	1 9..	0
" Tall Flag, mixed	15 0..2	6	
" germanica	15 0..2	6	
" florentina	35 0..5	6	
" Dwarf Flag in mixture	10 6..2	0	
Jonquil, single	21 0..	2 6..0	3
Lenten Roses,			
mixed	40 0..5	6	
Lilium auratum	36 0..5	6	
" candidum	15 0..2	6	
" davuricum			
mixed reds	15 6..2	6	
" longiflorum	35 0..5	6	
" martagon	30 0..4	6	
" pyrenaicum	30 0..4	6	
" tigrinum splendens	15 0..2	3	
" speciosum rubrum	35 0..5	6	
Lily of the Valley,			
planting crowns	42 0..	4 6..	0
Meadow-Saffron,			
autumn-flowering, mixed	7 6..I	3	
Meadow-Saffron,			
spring-flowering	8 6..I	3	
Milla uniflora,			
mixed	21 0..	2 6..	0
Montbretia cro-			
cosmeflora	45 0..	5 0..0	9
" Pottsii	35 0..	4 0..0	8
Ornithogalum			
umbellatum	30 0..	3 6..0	6
splendens	30 0..	3 6..0	6
Ornithogalum			
nutans	50 0..	5 6..0	10
Polygonatum			
(Solomon's Seal), tall	12 6..I	9	
" dwarf	12 6..I	9	
Schizostylis			
coccinea	55 0..	6 6..I	0
Scilla sibirica	21 0..	2 6..0	4
" bifolia	30 0..	3 6..0	6
Snowdrops,			
double or single	21 0..	2 6..0	4
" Elwes			
Giant, single	15 0..	1 9..0	3
Snowflakes,			
Spring	65 0..	7 6..I	3
" Summer	30 0..	3 6..0	6
Spiraea japonica	30 0..	4 6..0	6
" palmata	30 0..	4 6..0	6
" elegans	30 0..	4 6..0	6
Starch Hyacinth			
dark blue	8 6..I	3	
" bright blue	65 0..	7 6..I	3
Sterubergia			
lutea	105 0..	12 6..I	9
Tulips, Single			
mixed	42 0..	4 6..0	8
" Double, mixed	42 0..	4 6..0	8
" Mayflowering "Cottagers," mixed	65 0..	7 6..I	3
" "English" "Amateur," mixed	105 0..	12 6..I	9
" English, Lord Denman	15 0..2	3	
" Darwin, mixed	65 0..	7 6..I	3
Wood Hyacinths,			
mixed	30 0..	3 6..0	6
" " blue	25 0..	3 0..0	6
" " white	42 0..	4 6..0	8
" " red	42 0..	4 6..0	8
Winter Aconites,			
yellow	15 0..	1 9..	0
Zephyranthes			
candida	65 0..	7 6..I	3

Alphabetical List of Bulbs, Tubers, and Plants.

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Those marked thus * ripen late and will be ready to send out from the middle of October to March. All other bulbs, etc., are ready for despatch from 1st September.

Quantity.	p. doz. each s. d. s. d.		
*Abobra viridiflora	55 6..0	6	
*Achimenes			
" 1 ea. 12 vars.	3/6		
" " 3 " 12 "	8/6		
Aconite—Winter. See Winter Aconite.			
Agapanthus umbellatus	7 6..0	9	
" maximus	1 3		
" albus	1 6		
" Mooreanus	7 6..0	9	
Albuca canaliculata	2 6		
" Nelsoni	10 6..I	0	
Allium acuminatum	1 6..0	2	
" azureum	3 6..0	4	
" cyaneum, p. pot	1 6		
" karataviense	10 6..I	0	
" Moly	p. 100, 3/5	0 6..	
" neapolitanum	p. 100, 3/6	0 6..	
" Ostrowskianum	p. 100, 10/6	1 6..	
" pedemontanum	1 6		
" pulchellum	4 6..0	5	
" flavum	3 6..0	4	
" Rosenbachianum	7 6..0	8	
" triquetrum	per 100, 5/6	0 10..	
*Alstroemeria aurantiaca	p. 100, 10/6	1 6..0	2
* chilensis hybrida	p. 100, 12/6	1 9..0	2
* lutea	10/6	1 6..0	2
* pelegina alba	5 6..0	6	
* rosea	4 6..0	5	
* psittacina	p. 100, 15/	2 3..0	3
* pulchra (tricolor)	3 6..0	4	
* Amaryllis Choice unnamed hybrids	25 0..2	6	
	£ s. d.		
" 12 extra fine vars.	9 9 0		
" 6 "	5 0 0		
" 12 very fine vars.	7 7 0		
" 12 fine vars.	3 3 0		
" 12 "	2 2 0		
	p. doz. each		
Amaryllis Belladonna	7 6..0	9	
* formosissima	p. 100, 35/	4 0..0	5
* glauca	35/	4 0..0	5
Amorphophallus campanulatus	2 0		
" Rivieri, 4-year old bulbs	2 6		
" smaller bulbs	1 6		
Anemones, Double Poppy.			
	s. d.		
250 in 25 varieties	15 0		
100 in 25 "	6 6		
50 in 25 "	3 6		
	p. 100 p. doz. s. d. s. d.		
New vars., mixed	7 6..I	3	
Splendid mixed, p. 1000, 35/	4 0..0	8	
Bluebeard	10 6..I	6	
Blush Beauty	7 6..I	3	
Chapeau de Cardinal	6 6..I	0	
Fire King	7 6..I	3	
La Dame Blanche	15 0..2	3	
Rose de Nice	6 6..I	0	
Snowball	35 0..5	0	
Vesuvius	24 0..3	6	
Chrysanthemum-flowered, mixed	3 0		
Anemones, Single Poppy.			
Large-flowered			
Victoria Giant	4 6..0	8	
White "The Bride"	p. 1000, 30/	3 6..0	6
Intense Brilliant Scarlet, 1000, 21/	2 6..0	4	
Beautiful Rich Blue	p. 1000, 30/	3 6..0	6
Fine mixed, p. 1000, 17/6	2 0..0	4	

Anemones—continued.

Quantity.	p. 100 p. doz. s. d. s. d.		
Anemone Stellata.			
Choice mixture	10 6..I	6	
" Jewel"	7 6..I	3	
" Scarlet Gem"	15 0..2	3	
Anemone Fulgens.			
Fulgens p. 1000, 55/	6 6..I	0	
" extra strong roots	8 6..I	3	
" annulata	10 6..I	6	
" grandiflora	25 0..3	6	
" græca	21 0..3	0	
" multipetala	8 6..I	3	
" "Southern Star"	10 6..I	6	
Anemones, Various.	p. doz. each s. d. s. d.		
Apennina, p. 1000,	10 0..	0 9..	0
" alba, p. 100,	5/6	0 10..	0
Blanda p. 100, 17/6	2 6..0	3	
" cypriana	5 6..0	6	
" scythica	1 6		
" var. taurica	7 6..0	8	
Nemorosa bracteata	fl. pl.	6 6..0	8
" alba fl. pl.	p. 100, 10/6	1 6..0	2
" rosea fl. pl.	4 6..0	5	
" Robinsoniana	6 6..0	8	
Palmata	3 0..0	4	
" alba	4 6..0	5	
Ranunculoides	per 100, 10/6	1 6..0	2
*Anomatheca			
crucata, p. 100, 8/6	1 3..		
" grandiflora	2 6		
*Antholyza coccinea	3 6..0	4	
*Apios tuberosa	2 6..0	3	
Arum cernuum	2 6..0	3	
" crinitum	7 6..0	8	
" dioscorides	10 6..I	0	
" spectabile	10 6..I	0	
" dracunculoides	4 6..0	5	
" italicum	1 6..0	2	
" palestiniense	5 6..0	6	
Babiana, choice mixture , p. 100, 12/6	1 9..		
*Begonias, Bedding, in separate colours,	p. 100, 35/	5 0..	
*Begonias, Bedding, choice mixed	p. 100, 24/	3 6..	
*Begonias, Handsome Exhibition, single, for pot-culture,	p. doz. 10/6, 15/21/ & 35/		
* double, for pot-culture,	p. doz. 15/ & 25/		
* mixed	7 6..		
Belladonna Lily	7 6..0	9	
*Bessera elegans	5 6..0	6	
Bloomeria aurea	3 6..0	4	
Bobartia arantiaca. See Homeria.			
*Bomarea salsilla	3 6..0	4	
*Boussingaultia haseloides , p. 100, 15/	2 0..0	3	
*Eravoia geminiflora	4 0..0	5	
Brodiaea coccinea	3 6..0	4	
" congesta	1 0..		
" grandiflora	p. 100, 5/6	0 10..	
" Hendersoni	1 0..	9	
" Howellii	1 0..	9	
" volubilis	6 0..0	7	
Bulbocodium vcrnum,	per 100, 8/6	1 3..	
*Caladium, 12 in 12 var.	15/24/ & 42/		
" 6 in 6 var., 7/6, 12/ & 21/			
" esculentum	1 1 6		
Calla. See Richardia.			
	p. doz. each s. d. s. d.		
Calochortus			
1 each 12 var., 7/6			
" amœnus	6 6..0	7	
" Gunnisoni	4 6..0	5	
" Kennedyi	1 1 3		
" longibarhatus	10 6..I	0	
" luteus	3 6..0	4	
" Lyoni	1 0		
" Plummeræ	12 0..1	3	
" pulchellus	3 6..0	4	
" splendens	4 6..0	5	
" ruber	5 6..0	6	
" venustus citrinus	3 6..0	4	
" pictus	4 6..0	5	

Calochortus—continued.

Quantity.	p. doz. each s. d. s. d.		
Calochortus venustus pur-			
purascens	3 6..0	4	
" roseus	4 6..0	5	
" Vesta	5 6..0	6	
Camassia Cusickii	1 3		
" esculenta			
" p. 100, 4/6	0 8..		
" Leichtlini	24 0..2	3	
" Fraseri	4 6..0	5	
Cannas, Crozy's new large-flowered,			
dwarf	7 6..0	8	
" Named,			
per doz., 10/6 & 15 0..			
Chinese Sacred Lily. See Narcissus.			
Chthonodoxa luciliae, home-grown bulbs,	per 1000, 30/		
" p. 100, 3/6; p. doz., 1/6			
" extra selected,	p. 1000, 40/; p. 100, 4/6;		
" p. doz., 8/8			
" very large bulbs for forcing,	per 100, 5/6; per doz., 1/0		
sardensis, home-grown bulbs,	per 1000, 30/; p. 100, 3/6		
" p. doz., 1/6			
" home-grown bulbs, extra selected,	p. 1000, 40/; p. 100, 4/6; p. doz., 1/3		
" very large bulbs for forcing,	per 100, 5/6; per doz., 1/0		
gigantea, home-grown bulbs,	p. 1000, 50/; p. 100, 6/; per doz., 1/1		
" extra selected,	p. 1000, 70/; per 100, 8/6; per doz., 1/3		
" very large bulbs for forcing,	per 100, 10/6; per doz., 1/6		
Tmolisii,	per 100, 7/6; per doz., 1/3		
	p. doz. each s. d. s. d.		
Colchicum autumnale			
album, p. 100, 15/	2 3..0	3	
" plenum	3 6		
" atro-purpur.	3 6..0	4	
" plenum	p. 100, 15/	2 3..0	3
" plenum	p. 100, 15/	2 3..0	3
" striatum plen-	um, p. 100, 21/	3 0..0	4
" Bivona	4 6..0	5	
" byzantinum	5 6..0	6	
" Parkinsoni	per 100, 30/	4 6..0	5
" Sihthorpi	3 0		
" speciosum rubrum	7 6..0	8	
" szovitzianum	per 100, 10/6	1 9..0	2
" variegatum	p. 100, 10/6	1 9..0	2
" mixed, p. 100, 7/0	1 3..		
" crociflorum	2 6		
" montanum	10 6..I	0	
*Commelina tuberosa	per 100, 12/5	2 0..0	3
*Crinum augustum	each, 10/5, 15, & 21/		
" campanulatum (aquaticum)	3 6		
" erubescens	7 6		
" fimbriatum</			

HYACINTHS.

Farr's "Prize Winning" Exhibition Hyacinths. Table with columns: Quantity, £ s. d., and various bulb names like Blush Perfection, Blush Queen, Cantab, etc.

Barr's Popular Collections.

Table listing popular collections of hyacinths with columns for quantity and price in £ s. d.

Hyacinths, Choice Named.

Table listing choice named hyacinths such as Cavaignac, Cosmos, Dainty Maid, Duke of Wellington, etc., with prices.

Hyacinths, Choice Named—contd.

Table listing choice named hyacinths including Dark Porcelain, Purple, Black, etc., with prices.

Claret, Mauve and Purple-Violet.

Table listing claret, mauve, and purple-violet hyacinths like Claret Cup, Distinction, etc.

Pure White.

Table listing pure white hyacinths such as Albus maximus, Baroness Van Tuyl, etc.

White shaded Rose, Blush, etc.

Table listing white shaded rose, blush, etc. hyacinths like Anna Maria, Grandeur à Merveille, etc.

Yellow.

Table listing yellow hyacinths such as Bird of Paradise, Citronnière, etc.

See also "Exhibition Hyacinths."

BARR'S EXTRA SELECTED BEDDING HYACINTHS.

Table for Barr's extra selected bedding hyacinths, divided into Section I and Section II.

SECTION II.

Table listing bedding hyacinths with prices and quantities, including Barr's Rainbow Mixture.

Hyacinths.

Table for Early Dwarf Roman, for Early Forcing, listing quantities and prices for various bulb types.

Table listing various hyacinth species like Hyacinthus candicans, Hyacinthus amethystinus, etc.

Iris, English.

Table listing English iris varieties such as 100 in 20 varieties, 50 in 20, etc.

Iris, Spanish.

Table listing Spanish iris varieties like 100 in 25 varieties, 50 in 25, etc.

Iris, Beautiful Bulbous Species.

Table listing beautiful bulbous iris species such as Alata, pallida, Leichtlini, etc.

Irises—continued.

Large table listing various iris species and varieties with columns for quantity and price.

Table with 11 columns: Barr's Selections of Lilies, Barr's Lilies, Muscari, Ranunculus, and various bulb varieties. Each entry includes a name, quantity, and price. The table is organized into sections for different types of bulbs and lilies.

Scillas—continued.

Quantity.	p. 100 p. doz. s. d. s. d.
..... Scilla campanulata	
..... Emperor 10 6...1 6	
..... " " Empress... 10 6...1 6	
..... " " rosea 5 6...0 10	
..... " " " grandiflora... 10 6...1 6	
..... " Nutans rosea ... 6 6...1 0	
..... " " grandifl. 15 0...2 3	
..... " Patula alba ... 10 6...1 6	
..... " " major 7 6...1 3	
..... " " rosea 12 6...1 9	
..... " Pyramidalis alba 12 6...1 9	
..... " " rosea 3 6...0 6	
..... " Choice mixed, p. 1000, 30/ 5 6...0 6	
..... " English Blue Bells, p. 1000, 25/ 3 0...0 6	
..... " English large Red p. 1000, 42/ 4 6...0 8	
..... " " White p. 1000, 42/ 4 6...0 8	
..... Scilla Autumnalis p. doz. each p. 100, 12/6 2 0...0 3	
..... " " japonica, 3 6...0 4	
..... " Ciliaris 7 6...0 8	
..... " hyacinthoides 3 6...0 4	
..... " Italica 3 6...0 4	
..... " Peruviana 4 6...0 5	
..... " Verna 100, 21/ 3 6...0 4	
Snowdrop. See <i>Galanthus</i> .	
Snowflake. See <i>Leucojum</i> .	
Solomon's Seal. See <i>Polygonatum</i> .	
..... Sparaxis 5 each of s. d. 12 varieties 5 6	
..... " 3 ea. of 12 vars. 4 0	
..... " tricolor ... 100, 8/6; doz. 1/3	
..... " mixed colours 1000, 25/; 100, 2/; doz. 1/5	
..... Sparaxis pulcherrima, each. p. doz. 10/6, 1 0	
..... Spiræa Japonica, strong clumps, p. doz. 4/6 0 6	
..... " fol. aureo-reticulatis, clumps, p. doz. 5/6 0 6	
..... " compacta multiflora, clumps, doz. 5/6 0 6	
..... " Palmata, clumps, per doz. 4/6 0 6	
..... " " alba, " 5/6 0 6	
..... " elegans, clumps, " 4/6 0 6	
..... " Astilboides, clumps, per doz. 5/2 0 6	
..... " floribunda, clumps, p. doz. 7/6 0 9	
..... Starch Hyacinth. See <i>Muscari</i> .	
..... Sternbergia lutea, p. 100, 12/6; p. doz. 1/9 0 2	
..... Streptocarpus hybrids doz. 4/6 0 5	
..... Tecophilæa cyanocrocus, p. doz. 24/ 2 3	
..... Tigridia Pavonia, 12 each 6 vars. 8/6	
..... " " " 6 " " 4/5	
..... " " " 100 p. doz. conchiflora ... 10 6...1 6	
..... " " " grandiflora rubra 10 6...1 6	
..... " " alba 10 6...1 6	
..... " " " immaculata 12 6...1 9	
..... " " " lilacca ... 12 6...1 9	
..... " " " rosca 12 6...1 9	
..... " Van Houttei, ea. 1/1 0 0	
..... " violacea ... 1/1 0 0	
..... Tritœcia. See <i>Milla</i> .	
..... Tritonia, 5 each of 10 var. 7/6; 3 each 4/6; 1 each 1/9	
..... " Barr's Mixture, p. 100, 6/6 1 0	
..... Tropæolum azureum ... 3 6	
..... " Jarrattii ... p. doz. 5/6 0 6	
..... " polyphyllum, " 4/6 0 5	
..... " speciosum, in established pots, p. doz. 7/6 & 10/6; each 9d., 1/, & 1 6	
..... " tuberosum, p. doz. 4/6 0 5	
..... Tuberosa Double American " Excelsior Pearl" per 100, 15/ 2 6...0 3	
..... " Double Extra Early African, p. 100, 21/ 3 0...0 0	
..... " " a few very large bulbs 4 6...0 5	

TULIPS.
EARLY SINGLE.

Quantity.	p. 100 p. doz. s. d. s. d.
..... Barr and Sons' Selections. s. d.	
..... 5 each 30 varieties 15 0	
..... 3 " 30 " 10 6	
..... 3 " 20 " 8 6	
..... 3 " 10 " 3/6 & 4 6	
..... 10 " 20 " 19 6	
..... 5 " 20 " 10 6	
..... 3 " 20 " 6 6	
..... 1 " 20 " 3 0	
..... p. 100, p. doz. s. d. s. d.	
..... Barr's Rainbow Mixture, 1000, 42/ 4 6...0 0	
..... Artus 3 0...0 6	
..... Bacchus 3 6...0 6	
..... Bride of Haarlem... 21 0...3 0	
..... Brutus, Red 4 6...0 8	
..... Canary Bird 10 6...1 6	
..... Cerise Grisdeline ... 12 6...1 9	
..... Chrysolora 6 6...1 0	
..... Claremont, golden-striped 13 6...2 0	
..... Cottage Maid 10 6...1 6	
..... Couleur Cardinal... 6 6...1 0	
..... " Ponceau 3 6...0 6	
..... Duc Van Thol, scarlet, edged yellow 3 0...0 6	
..... " scarlet 3 0...0 6	
..... " yellow 10 6...1 6	
..... " blush-rose ... 6 6...1 0	
..... " cochineal ... 15 6...2 3	
..... " crimson 3 6...0 6	
..... " maximus ... 3 6...1 3	
..... " orange 8 6...1 3	
..... " pure white 10 6...1 6	
..... " purple-cerise, edged white 3 6...0 6	
..... Duchesse de Parma 3 6...0 6	
..... Dusart 10 6...1 6	
..... Fabiola 7 6...1 3	
..... Golden Prince 6 6...1 0	
..... Keizerskroon 4 6...0 8	
..... La Belle Alliance ... 5 6...0 10	
..... La Laitière 12 6...1 9	
..... Ophir d'Or 16 6...2 3	
..... Pottebakker, Yellow 12 6...1 9	
..... " Scarlet 6 6...1 0	
..... " White 8 6...1 3	
..... President Lincoln... 5 6...0 10	
..... Princess Ida 12 6...1 9	
..... Prince of Austria ... 14 6...2 0	
..... Princess Marianne 12 6...1 9	
..... Proserpine 12 6...1 9	
..... Queen Victoria 3 0...0 6	
..... Rose Grisdeline 10 6...1 6	
..... Rose Luisante 17 6...2 6	
..... Rose Superbe 12 6...1 9	
..... Rosamundi 6 6...1 0	
..... Sarah Bernhardt ... 21 0...3 0	
..... Scarlet Beauty 17 6...2 6	
..... Silver Standard 6 6...1 0	
..... Thomas Moore 8 6...1 3	
..... Van der Neer 4 6...0 8	
..... Van Vondel 7 6...1 3	
..... Vermilion Brilliant 14 6...2 0	
..... Vesuvius 8 6...1 3	
..... White Swan 7 6...1 3	
..... Wouwerman 3 6...0 6	
..... Yellow Prince 6 6...1 0	
..... Beautiful New Early Single Tulips. p. doz.—s. d.	
..... Bride of Haarlem Golden 4 0	
..... Koh-i-Noor... per 100, 21/ 3 0	
..... Lac Dorée... each 15. 10 6	
..... La Riante 6l. 5 6	
..... Le Matélas 6l. 5 6	
..... Nelly... p. 100, 17/3 ... 2 6	
..... Roi Pepin 5d. 4 6	
..... Snowdrift 5d. 4 6	
..... Van Vondel, white, 8d. 7 6	
..... Double Tulips. s. d.	
..... 10 each 12 varieties 12 6	
..... 5 " 12 " 6 6	
..... 3 " 12 " 4 6	
..... 1 " 12 " 2 0	
..... p. 100, p. doz. s. d. s. d.	
..... Barr's Rainbow Mixture ... p. 1000, 42/ 4 6...0 0	
..... Duc Van Thol, red and yellow 3 6...0 6	
..... " Orange-red 4 6...0 8	
..... Agnes 9 6...1 0	
..... Alba maxima 12 6...1 9	
..... Blue Flag 7 6...1 3	
..... Cour. de Cerise 8 6...1 3	
..... Gloria Solis per 1000, 28/ 3 6...0 6	

Double Tulips—continued.

Quantity.	p. 100, p. doz. s. d. s. d.
..... Imp. Rubrorum..... 10 6...1 6	
..... La Candeur per 1000, 30/ 3 6...0 6	
..... La Citadelle 7 6...1 3	
..... Leo XIII 18 6...2 9	
..... Mariage de ma Fille 14 6...2 0	
..... Murillo 10 6...1 6	
..... Orange King 8 6 1 3	
..... Overwinaar 6 6...1 0	
..... Pæony Gold 7 6...1 3	
..... Rex Rubrorum: per 1000, 75/ 8 6...1 3	
..... Rosalie 10 6...1 6	
..... Rose Blanche per 1000, 55/ 6 6...1 0	
..... Rubra maxima 10 6...1 6	
..... The Moor 7 6...1 3	
..... Tourneol 8 6...1 3	
..... Tournesol Yellow ... 17 6...2 6	
..... Yellow Rose 4 6...0 8	
..... Choice and Rare Double Tulips. 6 each of 12 varieties, 30/	
..... 3 " " " 16/ p. doz. each s. d. s. d.	
..... Blanche Rosette ... 2 6...0 3	
..... Couronne des Roses 4 6...0 5	
..... El Toreador 5 6...0 6	
..... Gladstone 6 6...0 8	
..... Henry Witte 3 6...0 4	
..... Lac d'Haarlem ... 3 6...0 4	
..... La Grandesse 6 6...0 8	
..... La Vertu 4 6...0 5	
..... Lady Palmerston ... 2 6...0 3	
..... Lord Baconsheld... 15 0...1 6	
..... Prince of Orange... .. 2 6	
..... Prince of Wales... 3 6...0 4	
..... Queen of the Netherlands 7 6...0 8	
..... Vuurbak 3 6...0 4	
..... William III. 3 6...0 4	
..... May-flowering Single "Cottage" Tulips. p. doz. each s. d. s. d.	
..... Acuminata 2 0...0 3	
..... Billietiana, p. 100, 10/6 1 6...0 2	
..... " nana, per 100, 21/ 3 0...0 4	
..... Blushing Bride 3 6...0 4	
..... Bridesmaid per 100, 6/6 1 0...0 0	
..... Buenaventura per 100, 10/6 1 6...0 2	
..... Carinata rubra..... 1 0...0 0	
..... Chameleon 7 6...0 8	
..... Coquette de Belleville 7 6...0 8	
..... Dainty Maid per 100, 10/6 1 6...0 2	
..... Didieri... p. 100, 12/6 2 0...0 3	
..... " alba 6 6...0 8	
..... Elegans, p. 100, 12/6 1 9...0 2	
..... " variegata p. 100, 12/6 1 9...0 2	
..... " alba 15 0...1 6	
..... Fairy Queen 12 0...1 3	
..... Firebrand 3 6...0 4	
..... Fulgens... p. 100, 8/5 1 3...0 2	
..... Gala Beauty per 100, 12/6 1 9...0 2	
..... Gesneriana spathu. 1000, 45/; 100, 5/ 0 9...0 0	
..... " rosea, per 100, 6/6 1 0...0 0	
..... Goldflake, p. 100, 15/ 2 3...0 3	
..... Golden Beauty, per 100, 10/6 1 6...0 2	
..... Golden Crown, per 100, 4/6 0 8...0 0	
..... Haageri 4 6...0 5	
..... Isabella... p. 100, 25/ 3 6...0 4	
..... La Panachée 4 6...0 5	
..... Macrosiphia... 100, 7/5 1 3...0 2	
..... Maculata... p. 100, 15/ 2 3...0 3	
..... " Brilliant, p. 100, 17/6 2 6...0 3	
..... Picotee... p. 100, 10/6 1 6...0 2	
..... Retroflexa, p. 100, 10/6 1 6...0 2	
..... Ruby 4 6...0 5	
..... Rose Queen 3 6...0 4	
..... Striped Beauty 3 6...0 4	
..... Sweet Nancy, per 100, 15/ 2 6...0 3	
..... Sylvestris, 100, 6/6 1 0...0 0	
..... Viridiflora 1 6...0 2	
..... " præcox 7 6...0 8	
..... Zomershoon 3 6...0 6	
..... Beautiful mixture of "Cottage" Tulips, p. 1000, 65/; p. 100, 7/6 1 3...0 0	

Parrot, or Dragon Tulips.

Quantity.	Extra strong selected Bulbs. s. d. s. d.
..... 12 each 6 sorts 10/6	
..... 6 " " " 5/6 p. doz. s. d.	
..... Admiral de Constanti-nople p. 100, 10/6 1 6	
..... Coffee-Colour, " 12/6 1 9	
..... Crimson Beauty, p. 1000, 75/; p. 100, 8/6 1 3	
..... Fire King 4 6	
..... Large Yellow, p. 100, 10/6 1 6	
..... Perfecta 10/6 1 6	
..... Barr's Splendid Mixed from named sorts, per 1000, 75/; per 100, 8/6 1 3	
..... BARR'S DARWIN TULIPS. Page 52 of General Bulb Catalogue. s. d.	
..... 5 each of 20 varieties 35 0	
..... 3 each of 20 varieties 23 0	
..... 1 each of 20 varieties 8 6	
..... 5 each of 12 varieties 15/ & 25 0	
..... 3 each of 12 varieties 10/6 & 16 6	
..... 1 each of 12 varieties 4/6 & 6 0 p. doz. each s. d. s. d.	
..... Apricot 5 6...0 6	
..... Aurora 7 6...0 8	
..... Bronze King 5 6...0 6	
..... Carminea 2 6...0 3	
..... Coquette 5 6...0 6	
..... Cordelia 2 6...0 3	
..... Dorothy 2 6...0 3	
..... Early Dawn per 100, 12/5 1 9...0 2	
..... Erguste 5 6...0 6	
..... Flambeau, 100, 12/5 1 9...0 2	
..... Glow 3 6...0 4	
..... Gipsy Queen 15 0...1 6	
..... Hecla 3 6...0 4	
..... Joseph Chamberlain 2 6...0 3	
..... Loveliness 4 6...0 5	
..... May Queen 10 6...1 0	
..... Peter Barr 7 6...0 8	
..... Phyllis 2 6...0 3	
..... Queen of Brilliants 10 6...1 0	
..... Queen of Roses per 100, 12/6 1 9...0 2	
..... Salmon King 6 6...0 8	
..... The Shah 15 0...1 6	
..... The Sultan 10 6...1 0	
..... Vanguard per 100, 15/ 2 3...0 3	
..... Violet Queen 2 6...0 3	
..... White Queen 15 0...1 6	
..... Zephyr 4 6...0 5	
..... Barr's Beautiful Mixture of Darwin Tulips in various colours, per 100, 7/6; per doz. 1/3	
..... Single Species of Tulips. p. doz. each	
..... Australis 3 6...0 4	
..... Batalini 24 0...2 3	
..... Biflora 1 0	
..... Clusiana 3 6...0 4	
..... Eichleri 2 6...0 6	
..... Euanthiæ 2 6...0 6	
..... Flava 3 6...0 6	
..... Geegii 5 6...0 6	
..... Kaufmanniana 3 6...0 6	
..... Kolpakowskiana ... 18 0...1 9	
..... Lanata, true 24 0...2 3	
..... Leichtlini 24 0...2 3	
..... Linifolia 18 0...1 9	
..... Orphanidea 5 6...0 6	
..... Precox (Oculus Solis) p. 100, 15/ 2 3...0 3	
..... " Dammanni 7 6...0 8	
..... Persica, per 100, 6/6 1 0...0 0	
..... Platystigma 4 6...0 5	
..... Saxatilis 7 6...0 8	
..... Strangulata 12 0...1 2	
..... Suaveolens 24 0...2 3	
..... Undulatifolia 2 6...0 3	
..... " Boisseri ... 7 6...0 8	
..... Violacea 2 6...0 6	
..... Vitellina 15 0...1 6	
..... TULIPS. Barr's English May-flowering. Page 54 of General Bulb Catalogue. (Rectified and Breeders.)	
..... 100 in 100 vars. £55 & £77	
..... 50 in 50 " 21/, 42/, 63/, 84/, & 105/	
..... 25 in 25 " 10/6, 15/, & 21/	
..... 12 in 12 " 3/6, 5/6, 7/6, 12/6, 21/, & 30/	

Barr's English May-flowering Tulips—continued. p. doz. s. d. Quantity. Barr's Beautiful Mixture, in great variety per 1000, £5 5; 100, 12/6 1 9

OLD DUTCH FLORISTS' MAY-FLOWERING TULIPS. Bisarres, Byblomen, and Roses, all Rectified. s. d. Beautiful Mixture, per 1000, 45/-; 100, 5/6; doz. 0 10

BARR'S SELECT LIST OF STRAWBERRIES. Less quantities than 50 charged at a little higher rate. p. 100—s. d. John Ruskin 3 6

ROSES. (Page 59 of Bulb Catalogue.)

FRUIT TREES, Etc. (Page 60 of Bulb Catalogue.)

BARR'S "PURE" LAWN GRASSES. Sown in September. (See page 2 of Cover of Bulb Catalogue.)

GARDEN REQUISITES, Page 60 of Bulb Catalogue. Barr's Prepared Charcoal and Cocoa Fibre, 3/6 per bush. ; 1/ per peck.

BARR'S

HIGH CLASS AND DISTINCT HARDY

DAFFODILS,

Embracing Groups I., II., and III.

Quantity. Barr's Popular 21/- Collection, 3 each of 25 beautiful varieties. Barr's Popular 12/6 Collection 3 each of 15 beautiful varieties

Barr's "Woodland" Collections of Daffodils.

Embracing Groups I., II., and III.

To plant in Grass, Orchards, Woodland Walks, Shrubberies, and by Streams and Lakes.

Quantity. Barr's Popular "Woodland" Collection, 20 each of 20 suitable sorts, 21/-

Barr's "Woodland" Mixtures.

Quantity. Choice mixed Daffodils, p. 1000, 30/-; p. 100, 3/6

Polyanthus Narcissi

(The Many-flowered Daffodils). See page 5 of Order Sheet.

NEW DAFFODILS for 1897.

p. doz. each s. d. s. d. Alvarez 3 6 Apricot 3 6 Corrie Plomp 21 0

Group I.—Magni-Coronati.

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Narcissus Corbularia (Bulbocodium, or Hoop Petticoat). Large Sulphur (C. atrina), p. 100, 5/6 0 10

Yellow Trumpet Daffodils.

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Quantity. p. doz. each s. d. s. d. Abscissus, 1000, 45/-; 100, 5/-; 0 10

White-winged Bicolor Trumpet Daffodils.

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Quantity. Bicolor (of Haworth) per 100, 30/- 4 6

Trumpet Daffodils—continued.

Quantity. p. doz. each s. d. s. d. Scoticus, extra large bulbs, per 100, 7/0 1 0

DOUBLE TRUMPET DAFFODILS.

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Quantity. Capax plenus 10 6

Group II.—Medio-Coronati.

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NARCISSUS INCOMPARABILIS.

Quantity. Autocrat, p. 100, 12/6 2 0

Narcissus Incom.—*cont.* p. doz. each
Quantity. s. d. s. d.

..... James Bateman ... 21 0...2 0
..... King of Netherlands
p. 100, 30/ 4 6...0 5
..... Leedsii, p. 100, 6/6 1 0... ..
..... Lorenzo, p. 100, 8/6 1 3... ..
..... Lulworth 5 6
..... Mabel Cowan 21 0...2 0
..... Magog, p. 100, 45/
p. 100, 5/ 0 9... ..
..... Mary Anderson..... 10 6...1 0
..... Poiteau p. 100, 40/ 5 6...0 6
..... Prince of Wales ... 5 6...0 6
..... Prince Teck, p. 100, 24/ 3 6...0 4
..... Princess Mary 10 6...1 0
..... Queen Bess, 100, 15/ 2 3...0 3
..... Queen Sophia 36 0...3 6
..... Semi-Partius 12 0...1 3
..... Sir Watkin, 100, 25/ 3 6...0 4
..... Splendens 5 6...0 6
..... Stella, p. 1000, 25/
p. 100, 3/ 0 6... ..
..... Titan, per 100, 10/6 1 6...0 2

NARCISSUS INCOMPARABILIS.
Double Varieties.

..... Aurantius plenus
(Butter and Eggs), p.
1000, 40/; p. 100, 4/6 0 8... ..
..... Albus plenus aurantius
(Eggs and
Bacon or Orange
Phoenix), 100 9/6 1 6...0 2
..... Albus plenus sulphureus
(Codlins &
Cream, Sulphur
Phoenix) p. 100, 30/ 4 6...0 5

NARCISSUS BARRII.
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..... Conspicuous, *extra*
strong bulbs, per
1000, £9, p. 100, 21/ 3 0...0 4
..... „ *good flowering*
bulbs, p. 1000, £7 10s.
per 100, 17/6 2 6...0 3
..... Crown Prince 55 0...5 0
..... Dorothy E. Wemyss ... 15 0
..... Flora Wilson
p. 100, 80/ 10 6...1 0
..... General Murray,
1000, 60/; 100, 7/ 1 0... ..
..... Golden Gem,
1000, 60/; 100, 7/ 1 0... ..

Narcissus Barrii—*continued.*
Quantity. p. doz. each
s. d. s. d.

..... Golden Mary, per
1000, 35/; 100, 4/ 0 8... ..
..... Maurice Vilmorin
per 100, 37/6 5 0...0 6
..... Miriam Barton,
per 100, 10/6 1 6...0 2
..... Orphee, p. 100, 14/6 2 0...0 3
..... Sensation 21 0...2 0
..... Siddington..... 36 0...3 6

NARCISSUS LEEDSII.
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..... Leedsii, p. 1000, 30/
p. 100, 3/6 0 6... ..
..... Amabilis, p. 1000, 60/
p. 100, 7/ 1 0... ..
..... Beatrice 12 0...1 3
..... Duchess of Brabant
1000, 25/; 100, 3/ 0 6... ..
..... Duchess of West-
minster 25 0...2 6
..... Elegans 10 6...1 0
..... Fanny Mason,
per 100, 6/6 1 0... ..
..... Gem 21 0...2 0
..... Grand Duchesse... 10 6...1 0
..... Hon. Mrs. Barton.. 15 0...1 6
..... Katherine Spurrell.. 36 0...3 6
..... Madge Matthew ... 12 0...1 3
..... M. Magdaline de
Graaff, p. 100, 55/ 7 6...0 8
..... Minnie Hume,
per 100, 17/6 2 6...0 3
..... Mrs. Langtry, per
100, 27/5 3 6...0 4
..... Oddity 5 6
..... Palmerston, 100, 21/ 3 0...0 4
..... Princess of Wales... 15 0...1 6
..... Superbus 3 6...0 4

NARCISSUS MONTANUS.
..... Montanus, *selected* 7 6...0 8

NARCISSUS HUMEI.
..... Hume's Concolor... 7 6...0 8
..... Hume's Giant, 100, 21/ 3 0...0 4

NARCISSUS BACKHOUSEI.
..... Backhousei 21 0...2 0
..... Joseph Lakin 3 6
..... Wolley Dod 10 6...1 0
..... William Wilks,
p. 100, 12/6 1 9...0 2

NARCISSUS MACLEAIL.
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Quantity. p. doz. each
s. d. s. d.

..... Macleail, per 100, 7/6 1 3...0 2

NARCISSUS NELSONI.
..... Nelsoni major
p. 100, 32/ 4 6...0 5
..... Aurantius 5 6
..... Minor, per 100, 21/ 3 0...0 4
..... Mrs. C. J. Backhouse
p. 100, 50/ 7 0...0 8
..... Pulchellus 5 6...0 6
..... Stanley 10 6...1 0
..... William Backhouse,
p. 100, 30/ 4 6...0 5

NARCISSUS BERNARDI.
..... Bernardi 7 6...0 8
..... H. E. Buxton 1 1 6

NARCISSUS TRIDYMUS.
..... A. Rawson..... 5 6
..... S. A. de Graaff..... 5 6...0 6

NARCISSUS TRIANDRUS.
..... Albus (*Angel's Tears*),
per 100, 8/6 1 3... ..
..... „ *larger size bulbs*,
per 100, 10/6 1 6...0 2
..... Calathinus 21 0...2 0
..... Concolor 15 0...1 6
..... Pulchellus 5 6

NARCISSUS ODORUS.
..... Odorus (*Camper-
nelle*), p. 1000, 25/
p. 100, 3/ 0 6... ..
..... Heminialis, p. 100, 24/ 3 6...0 4
..... Rugulosus, 1000, 25/
100, 3/ 0 6... ..

Queen Ann's Double Jonquil.
..... Odorus plenus 7 6...0 8

NARCISSUS JUNCIFOLIUS.
..... Miniature Rush-leaved Daffodil.
..... Juncifolius, 100, 8/6 1 3... ..

Group III.—Parvi-Coronati.
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NARCISSUS BURBIDGEI.
..... Burbidgei, per 1000
25/; per 100, 3/0 0 6... ..
..... Agnes Barr, 100, 10/6 1 6...0 2
..... Baroness Heath,
per 100, 45/ 6 6...0 7

Narcissus Burbidgei—*continued.*
Quantity. p. doz. each
s. d. s. d.

..... Beatrice Heseltine.. 25 0...2 6
..... Constance, 100, 10/6 1 6...0 2
..... Crown Princess ... 24 0...2 6
..... Ellen Barr, 100, 21/ 3 0...0 4
..... Falstaff, p. 100, 15/ 2 0...0 3
..... John Bain, 100, 15/ 2 0...0 3
..... Little Dirk, 100, 25/ 3 6...0 4
..... Mercy Foster, per
100, 7/6 1 3... ..
..... Model 7 6...0 8
..... Mrs. C. Bowley ... 5 6
..... Ossian, per 100, 21/ 3 0...0 4
..... Princess Louise..... 17 6...1 9
..... St. John's Beauty... 3 6
..... The Pet 7 6...0 8
..... Vanessa, per 100, 15/ 2 0...0

NARCISSUS POETICUS.
Early-flowering Varieties.

..... Ornatus, p. 1000, 30/
p. 100, 3/0 0 6... ..
..... „ *extra large bulbs*
p. 100, 4/6 0 8... ..
..... Grandiflorus (true) 15 0...1 6
..... Poetarum, p. 100, 15/ 2 3...0 3
..... „ *extra large bulbs* 3 0...0 4
..... Præcox grandiflorus
p. 100, 50/ 7 0...0 8

May-flowering late Poeticus.

..... Poeticus of *Linnaeus*,
per 100, 10/6 1 6...0 2
..... Poeticus of gardens,
smaller bulbs, per
p. 1000, 25/; 100, 3/ 0 6... ..
..... Poeticus of gardens,
smaller bulbs, per
1000, 15/; p. 100, 1/9 0 4... ..
..... Marvel 3 6...0 4

Double White Poeticus.
..... *Extra fine selected*
stock, per 1000, 35/
per 100, 4/ 0 8... ..
..... Gracilis, p. 100, 12/6 1 9...0 2
..... Tenuior „, 100, 10/6 1 6... ..
..... Biflorus „, 1000,
21/; per 100, 2/6 0 4... ..

NARCISSUS SCHIZANTHES.
..... Orientalis, 100, 10/6 1 6... ..

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