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A Highway of Perennials leading to Hampton Court Palace, London. By planting this Fall, a similar effect can be produced by next Summer

## A HINT TO THE WISE-GARDENER

 HE garden year is almost over; where yesterday there was a proud riot of Midsummer beauty, today there is the first faint whisper of coming Winter in the belated group of Autumn flowers. The garden speaks to us of the past rather than the present, and of the future rather than the past. For already we are planning the blooms of tomorrow instead of setting ourselves to mournful memories of faded blossoms. Now while the spirit of the garden is stili hoiding us in its enchanted thrall is the time to make use of that enthusiasm; when our imaginations are working rapid fire with visionary beauties, when the faithful earth lies warm and ready to receive its green-leaved children, and when the plants themselves are settling down for the long Winter sleep. Now is the time to reach for the learned writings and mark well their sound advice on Fall planting. And now is the time to take to heart the words of the wise men, and busy ourselves with preparations for next year's garden.

Fall planting has been slow in its appeal to the general garden lover, because it seemed foolish to begin planting when all the earth was preparing for a period of rest. Spring seemed ever so much more the seasonable time, when there was a stir in the growing world, and a stir in the human heart that urged him forth among green things. Then when young men's thoughts were turning to love, his were turning to the garden. He sat down with bulky catalogues, and in a great rush sent off for some plants to set in the earth. Impatiently he awaited their coming; hastily he set them in their appointed places and watched them slowly recover.

Disappointedly he saw the days pass with never a bloom or scanty ones. Such is often the story with Spring planting. It is merely a question of education before Fall planting will be accepted as the reasonable, the most beneficial, and the most satisfactory in its results for the majority of plants.

Anyone interested in the structure of plants must realize what a severe shock and set-back it is for the system of the plant to be dug up by the roots from the earth, shipped for a distance without necessary moisture, and then transplanted in a new situation. After recovery from this experience, the plant must immediately stretch forth its roots in search of food, and begin the tremendous task of re-adjustment. It seems like heaping insult on injury to ask the poor plant to perform still another office for us, yet do we not expect it to grow apace and blossom forth in full glory the very same season? That is what Spring planting demands of the plant; an immediate recovery and establishment, followed by rapid growth and profuse bloom. But if the planting is done in the Fall of the year, there is a much better chance for the plant. It is not retarded just at the time when its growth is quickening, but it is dug up when the work for the year is drawing to a close and the plant system is preparing to make itself comfortable for the Winter. If the plant is transferred at this season, it can make this adjustment in the new surroundings before cold weather sets in, and thus be prepared with the first days of Spring to put all its energy into new growth. respect. It does indeed gain the planter an entire season, as the bloom the Summer after planting thus will be abundant.

Spring planting also has the disadvantage of favoring later-blooming plants, for it is then too late for the early flowering varieties. To renounce all the joys of the first Spring beauties is a great blow to any well-ordered garden. Think of missing all the tribe of bulbs -the sunny Crocus, the stately Tulip the jolly Hyacinth-because we have not used a little foresight and planned for their coming the previous Autumn. So it is with the early-blooming perennialsthe Moss Pinks like a sea of color; the deep blue shyness of the Violets; the dewy freshness of the yellow Primulas: the exquisite bells of the Lily of the Valleythat whole host of little strangers that too often are omitted from the garden borders. Can you forego the golden bells of the Forsythias, the blossoms of the Dogwood, and the other Spring-flowering Shrubs this coming season? Now is the time to get busy and plan for their reception. Before the nippy days of JackFrost comearound in earnest your future garden should be well on its way toward being planted out.

# FALL <br> SPECIAL OFFER OF PALISADES POPULAR PERENNIALS 

## The Kind Our Grandmothers Grew



AS it ever brought to your notice how inexpensive it is to acquire a permanent flower garden that will last for generations?

After dreary Winter is past how fondly we look forward to seeing old associates of Spring and Summer time, who call annually without the ceremony of digging or planting?
There are few things that call to mind more vividly pleasant recollections of our early life than the sight or odor of a simple flower, loved perhaps by some relative or friend; and what would be a more suitable remembrance than to plant such a one so that it may be called his or hers for time to come?

We give on the fourth and fifth pages of this circular a list of one hundred kinds with botanical and familiar names, with some of which you may have a fellow feeling, and if planted even in the least conspicuous corner or border this Fall they will make it the most interesting part of the garden next Spring and Summer.

> WILHELM MiLLER says in the Garden Magazine: "But now that the treasures of the Far East are lavished upon us, we have hardy plants suitable for practically every purpose the most exacting gardener can conceive. And wherever we have any special object to accomplish, we ought to try nine times to find a hardy plant that will do the work before falling back on a tender one. And this for two reasons: First, hardy plants harmonize better with our climate and environment than tropical plants; second, as a rule, they are cheaper to maintain. And, in the long run, those effects which grow naturally out of the soil, and out of true economy, will be recognized as the most artistic."

## TO ENCOURAGE FALL PLANTING WE ARE MAKING THIS SPECIAL OFFER

You may select from one single plant to one thousand in any assortment (or we will make a selection for you) at the prices named below, and we deliver without further expense to your express or post-office (our option) strong flowering plants of varieties named on pages 4 and 5 of this circular. When a preference for specific varieties of the Perennials named is given we will try to comply.

PRICES at which we will deliver, express and postage paid, strong flowering plants of the varieties named on pages 4 and 5 of this circular, purchaser's selection, in any assortment.

| A single plant of any |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| variety named for | $-15 c$ | Any | $\mathbf{2 5}$ plants for | - | $\$ 2.25$ | Any | 250 plants for |$\$ 15.00$

When ordering refer to this Special Offer as $X X X$, which is void After November 30th
Copy of our descriptive catalogue of PALISADES POPULAR PERENNIALS sent on regeipt of 10 cents, for postage


Achillea (Milfoil)
Aconitum (Monkshood)
Egopodium (Bishop's Weed)
dgrostemma (Rose Campion)
Alyssum (1ladwort)
Anchusa (Sea Bugloss)
Anemone (Jap. Wind Flower)
Anthemis (Chamomile)
Anthemis (Chamomile)
Aquilegia (Columbine)
Arabis (Rock Cress)
rmeria (Sea Pink)
rtemisia (Southernwood or Old Man)
Asclepias (Butterfly Flower)
Asters (Michaelmas Daisy)
Aster (Alpine Daisy)
Baptisia (False Indigo)
Bocconia (Plume Poppy)
Boltonia (False Chanromile)


## PALISADES POPULAR PERENNIALS

OR OLD-FASHIONED FLOWERS IN ONE HUNDRED VARIETIES
FOR PRICES SEE PAGE 3 OF THIS CIRCULAR
The illustrations on this page are intended to show what charming permanent efferts can be produced by Fall planting

Callirrhoe (Poppy Mallow)
Campanula (Canterbury Bells) Centaurea (Hardy Corn Flower) Chrysanthemum (Giant Shasta Daisies) Chrysanthemum (Hardy Japan) Cimicifuga (Snakeroot)
Coreopsis (Tick Seed)
Costmary (Bible Leaf Plant)
Delphinium (Larkspur)
Dianthus (Hardy Carnation)
Digitalis (Fox Glove) Euphorbia (Flowering Spurge) Funkia (Day-Lily) Gaillardia (Aurora Flower) Geranium (Hardy Geranium) Geum (Red Buttercup)
Gypsophila (Baby's Breath) Grasses (Ribbon Grass)
Helianthus (Hardy Sun Flowers) elenium (Sneezewort) Hemerocallis (Yellow Day-Lily) Heuchera (Alum Root) Iibiscus (Mallow)
ollyhock, Double and Single beris (Candytuft)
ris (Japan-dese)
Lathyrus (Everlasting Sweet Peas) liatris (Gay Feather)


Lilium (Hardy Native Lilies) Linum (Blue Flax) Lobelia (Cardinal Flower)
Lupinus (Lupins)
Lychnis (Ragged Robin) Lychnis (Ragged Robin) Lychnis Chalc. (Maltese Cross) Lysimachia (Crieeping Jenny)
Lythrum (Loosestrife) Lythrum (Loosestrife) Monarda (Horse Mint or Bee Balm) Myosotis (Forget-Me-Not) Nepeta (Variegated Ground Ivy) Enothera (Evening Primrose)
Pæonies, Early Flowering Papaver, (Poppy, Oriental and Alpine)
Paparlater Pardanthus (Blackberry Lily) Pentstemon (Beard Tongue)
Physostegia (Dragon Head) Physostegia (Dragon Head)
Physalis (Chinese Lantern Plant) Phlox Decussata (Hardy Garden Phlox) Phlox Subulata (Moss Pink)
Platycodon (Jap. Bell Flower) Platycodon (Jap. Bell Flower) Polemonium (Jacob's Ladder) Polygonatum (Solomon's Seal) Primula (English Primrose)
Primula (English Cowslip) Primula (English Cowslip)
Pyrethrum (Persian Daisy) Pyrethrum (Persian Daisy)
Rudbeckia (Black-eyed Susan) Salvia azurea (Rocky Mt. Sage) Santolina (Lavender Cotton) Scabiosa (Blue Bonnet)




A fine Rockery in a cool and shad Sempervivum (House Leek)
Solidago (Goldenred) Solidago (Goldcnrod) Spiræa (Mcadow Sweet)
Stokesia (Stokes Aster) Sweet William (Dianthus) Thalictrum (Meadow Rue) Thymus (Creeping Thyme)
Tradescantia (Spiderwort) Tricyrtis (Toad Lily) Trillium (Wood Lily or Wake Robin) Tritoma (Red Hot Poker)
Valeriana (Garden Heliotrope) Veronica (Speedwell)
Vinca (Creeping Myrtle)
Viola cornuta (Johnny Jump-ups or
Hardy Pansies) Hardy Pansies)
Yucca filamentosa (Adam's Needle)



Weigela rosea variegata or Diervilla


Althæa, Hibiscus or Rose of Sharon

## SPECIAL OFFER OF SHRUBS FOR THE LAWN

Following is a list of twelve shrubs which are especially well adapted to planting on the home grounds around the house and which will prove a delight from early Spring until late Fall.
FORSYTHIA (Golden Bell). Showing masses of yellow flowers very early. CYDONIA (Japanese Quince or Fire Bush). Blooming in May and best planted in Summer.
SYRINGA (Lilac). An old favorite in which several new forms are now offered.
DIERVILLA (Weigela). Three colors, flowering in June in almost any soil, and pretty the season through.
SPIRÆA Van Houttei (Bridal Wreath). A wonderful shrub which looks in June almost as though weighted down with snow.
bUDDLEIA (Butterfly Bush, or Summer Lilac). A new shrub from China, which deserves a place in every garden, for its heliotrope-colored flowers are produced from July until the coming of frost. Very fragrant.
HYDRANGEA paniculata. Flowering in August and best grown as a lawn specimen, although it can be trimmed to suit any position.
ALTHAEA, or Hibiscus (Rose of Sharon). A September-flowering shrub which has flowers resembling Hollyhocks. Double and Single.
VIBURNUM (Snowball or High Bush Cranberry). Flowering in June, but with ornamental scarlet berries, which last well into the Winter.
SYMPHORICARPOS (Snowberry). Most valued for its large, white berries, which hang on the branches until long after snow flies.
PHILADELPHUS (Mock Orange, or Syringa). A well-known, hardy shrub. White, fragrant flowers. Blooms in June. Makes a large shrub.
DEUTZIA crenata. Double white flowers tinged with rose. Blooms the middle of June.
Prices at which we will furnish large-sized, well-branched shrubs for:immediate effect of any of the above varieties: Each variety plainly labeled.

Plants, 2 to 3 ft . high, 15 c. each, $\$ 1.25$ per doz., $\$ 12.00$ per 100, or a collection, one plant of each of the 12 varieties for $\$ 1.60$, or half a collection ( 6 plants) for $\$ 1.00$.

Extra strong plants, 3 to 4 ft . high, 25 c . each, $\$ 2.50$ per doz., $\$ 20.00$ per 100 , or a collection consisting of 12 plants, one of each of this size, for $\$ 2.75$, or half a collection ( 6 plants) for $\$ 1.50$.

These prices include boxing and packing, but not transportation charges. No less number than six of one variety sold at dozen rates or twenty-five at hundred rates. No restrictions as to number of collections ordered.


Viburnum opulus, Snowball Bush


Planting of Hydrangea Paniculata

# general collection of bulbs 

## FOR FALL AND WINTER PLANTING



## NARCISSI AND DAFFODILS

There is nothing more suitable for planting promiscuously in the hardy border than Narcissi and Daffodils, and if the bulbs are planted 8 inches below the surface, the foliage may be cut off after flowering, without injury to the plant; they will bloom each Spring if left undisturbed. The varieties we offer are the best for this purpose and are all hardy.

## LARGE TRUMPET NARCISSI

The most popular and showiest type, grown indoors or out.
Albicans. Creamy white, with primrose Doz. 1001000
trumpet. . ................................ . $\$ 0.50$ \$2.50 $\$ 20.00$
Emperor. Rich yellow flowers; trumpet
immense. 1st size.......................... . $50 \quad 2.25 \quad 20.00$
Empress. Perianth white, trumpet rich yellow; large.
Giant Princeps. Early; perianth sulphur; rich yellow trumpet.
Golden Spur. Large, rich yellow flowers; robust habit
Horsfieldii. White and yellow
Trumpet major. Large; yellow
Trumpet Sorts, Mixed.
Victoria. White and yellow
Von Sion, Single. Yellow.

## SMALL TRUMPET, OR STAR NARCISSI

This group is sometimes known also as the Medium Trumpets, and embraces some of the most graceful forms, especially adapted to outdoor planting.
Barrii conspicuus. Ycllow, crown edged Doz. 1001000 orange red.. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $\$ 0.25 \$ 1.25 \$ 10.00$ Leedsii, Mrs. Langtry. White, with prinrose crown; free flowering. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $25 \quad 1.2510 .00$ Sir Watkin. Yellow, with golden crown ... $\quad .50 \quad 2.25 \quad 20.00$ Stella. White, with yellow crown............

## THE POET'S NARCISSI (Narcissi poeticus)

This is the old-fashioned, favorite type, used both for foreing indoors and in the hardy border. Doz. $100 \quad 1000$ Poeticus. White, orange cup edged red.... $\$ 0.15 \quad \$ 1.00 \quad \$ 7.50$ | $\begin{array}{l}\text { Poeticus } \\ \text { Poeticus ornatus. The large-flowering } \\ \text { Poeticus. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . } \\ \text {. }\end{array}$ |
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## JONQUILS, OR RUSH-LEAF NARCISSI

Small-flowering forms of a lovely yellow, and excellent for naturalizing because of their small cost and frec-flowering habit. $\begin{array}{llll}\text { Single Sweet-scented. Rich, buttery yel- Doz. } 100 & 1000\end{array}$ low; very fragrant. ......................... $\$ 0.15 \$ 1.00 \quad \$ 7.50$ Campernelle. Large; used for forcing. .... $\quad .15 \quad 1.00 \quad 7.50$ $\begin{array}{llllr}\text { Campernelle rugulosus. Large; yellow ... } & .15 & 1.00 & 8.00 \\ \text { Double Sweet-scented. } & \text { Colden ycllow .. } & .30 & 2.00 & 15.00\end{array}$

## POLYANTHUS, OR BUNCH-FLOWERED NARCISSI

If planted outdoors, needs Winter protection.

| per-White grandiflor | Large-flowering . . . . Doz. 1000, \$15.00 . . $\$ 0.40$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & \$ 2.00 \end{aligned}$ |
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| Mixed Polyanth | . 30 | 1.75 |
| Chinese Sacred Lily (Nar and yellow clusters; high | orientalis). White nted. . . . . . . . . . . . 1.25 | 9.00 |

# DOUBLE DAFFODILS 

Perfectly hardy and much in
demand as cut flowers.

| Doz. | 100 | 1000 |
| ---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\$ 0.15$ | $\$ 1.00$ | $\$ 9.00$ |
|  |  |  |
| .30 | 2.00 | 15.00 |
| .30 | 2.00 | 15.00 |

Alba plena odorata. Double white; ex-
quisitely scented................................ $\$ 0.15$
$\$ 1.00$ Incomparabilis (Butter and Eggs). Double; yellow, orange nectary . . . . . . . . . . . . .
$30 \quad 2.00-15.00$

Von Sion. Golden yellow 1st size Doz. $100 \quad 1000$
Von Sion. Golden yellow. 1 st size....... $\$ 0.40 \$ 2.25 \$ 20.00$
Sulphur, or Silver Phœnix. Creamy white, with pale sulphur center . .Each, 6c $\quad 30 \quad 2.00 \quad 15.00$ Double varieties. A choice mixture of best sorts.

## DUTCH HYACINTHS

So many have already discovered the charm of this glorious Spring flower that we feel any other introduction on our part entirely unnecessary. These Hyacinths may be used outdoors in great masses for their wonderful color-effects and delicate odor; or they may be forced indoors in pots or in water and make a very lovely decorative house plant for early Spring.

FINEST NAMED DUTCH HYACINTNS ${ }^{\text {Alr First }}$
The Single-flowered varieties are generally more effective than the Double ones, and they are also better for glasses.
FIRST-SIZE BULBS of the Standard Named Sorts, in White, Pink, Red, Blue and Yellow shades: 10 cts. each, $\$ 1.00$ per doz., $\$ 8.00$ per 100
SECOND-SIZE BULBS: 8 cts . each, 85 cts . per doz., $\$ 6.50$ per 100.
MIXTURE OF DUTCH HYACINTHS For Bedding Single or Double Flowers in separate colors of

White, Blush, Light Pink, Dark Pink, Each Doz. 100 Light Blue, Dark Blue, Red and Yellow $\$ 0.07$ \$0.60 $\quad \$ 3.50$ All Colors Mixed..... . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 06 . 50 3.00

## LILIUM, or LILY BULBS

There is no garden complete without the stately and delicate Lilies, and there is no need for any garden to be without them because they are both inexpensive and easy of culture. They are especially desirable in the perennial border, among shrubbery, or in masses where strong effects are striven for. They are perfectly hardy, vigorous and free growing.

## NATIVE AND OTHER HARDY LILIES

Candidum (Annunciation, or Madonna Lily). A beautiful white Lily that, because of its hardiness, is most excellent as a bulb to plant in the hardy border among your perennials. Nothing so satisfactory or beautiful is to be found Each Doz. 100 among the Lilics. Extra large bulbs.... $\$ 0.15 \$ 1.50 \$ 10.00$
Canadense. Yellow, spotted black........ 10 . $1.00 \quad 8.00$
Elegans. Fine mixed colors. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 10 1.00 8.00
Pardalinum (Leopard Lily). Scarlet and yellow, spotted with rich brown
Philadelphicum. Yellow
$\begin{array}{lll}.15 & 1.50 & 10.00\end{array}$
$\begin{array}{lll}10 & 1.00 & 8.00\end{array}$
$\begin{array}{lll}.10 & 1.00 & 8.00\end{array}$
enuifolium (Coral Lily of Siberia). Coral red.. igrinum
scarlet. Tiger Lily). . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . igrinum splendens. Bright orange scarlet
Tigrinum f. pl. Double, bright orange red, spotted black
Umbellatum. Finest sorts. Mixed colors Wallacei. Bright apricot color

## DUTCH ROMANS OR MIMIATURE HYACINTHS

Miniatures of the Dutch Hyacinths. For outdoor bedding. Colors separate, or all colors mixed. Each Doz. 100 White, Blue, Red, Pink. In named sorts. . $\$ 0.05 \$ 0.50 \quad \$ 3.00$

## EARLY FRENCH OR ROMAN HYACINTHS

Not hardy enough for outdoor planting, but charming for house decoration.
White, ................ . Each Doz. 100
Blue, Light Rose, Dark Rose $\}$ selected bulbs $\$ 0.10$ \$1.00 $\quad \$ 6.50$

## TULIPS

## Single Early-Flowering Named Tulips

Selected Bulbs, Standard Sorts, 25 cts. per doz., $\$ 1.50$ per
$100, \$ 12.00$ per 1000 . Doz. $100 \quad 1000$ Superfine Single Mixed................... $\$ 0.20 \$ 1.25 \$ 10.00$

## double Early-Flowering Nayed Tulips

Selected Bulbs, Standard Sorts, 30 cts. per doz., $\$ 2.00$ per 100, $\$ 15.00$ per 1000. Doz. 1001000 Superfine Double Mixed................... . $\$ 0.20$ \$1.25 $\$ 10.00$

## DARWIN'S CHOICE NAMED SORTS

35 cts. per doz., $\$ 2.50$ per $100, \$ 22.50$ per 1000
Baronne de la Tonnaye. Vivid pink.
Bartigon. Fiery red, pure white base.
Calliope. Soft rose, margined pink.
Clara Butt. Delicate salmon pink.
Corott. Deep purplish blue, mauvish lilac inside.
Fanny. Flesh color, white center, marked blue.
Gretchen. Delicate flesh color, interior soft pink.
Gustav Dore. Fine rose pink, edged silvery rose.
Hesperia. Beautiful scarlet.
King Harold. Dark maroon scarlet; large.
La Candeur. Lovely soft white, slightly tinged blush. Landelle. Bright, rosy pink, changing to pale pink at edge. Lanterne. Silvery white, soft lilac interior.
Massachusetts. Clear rose.
May Queen. Soft lilac rose, pale blue and white center. Painted Lady. Creamy white.
Pride of Haarlem. Brilliant rosy, with blue base.
Scylla. Fiery red.
Doz. $100 \quad 1000$
Darwins. All colors, mixed................ . $\$ 0.25 \$ 1.75 \$ 15.00$

## LATE, OR MAY-FLOWERING TULIPS

This type of Tulip has become deservedly popular in recent years, and is grown in large quantities for naturalizing and bedding in public parks and private grounds. They bloom in May and early June. As they have long stems, and the large, showy flowers last several days when cut and placed in water, they make a very desirable cut-flower for commercial or private use. For early Summer-flowering effects in the hardy border there is nothing better than a mass-planting of the late Tulips.


