

## **Historic, Archive Document**

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



53.77

LIBRARY  
RECEIVED  
★ MAY 17 1932 ★  
U. S. Department of Agriculture

# Green Gate Garden

Iris  
of  
1932



## PRICES

Prices as given are for standard size roots correctly labelled and true to name. We begin shipping last of May or first of June and ship continuously through the year until the immediate approach of the blooming season again. Spanish Iris bulbs we ship about October 1st and Beardless varieties together with Hemerocallis, Snow-Drop and Hardy Asters in late Fall, Winter or early Spring.

Prices effective after blooming season 1932.  
Orders accepted at these prices only so long as stock lasts

## TERMS

No order accepted for less than \$1.00. All inquiries welcomed. We will be glad to give any possible help in making up an order, or in arranging combinations and design for an Iris planting.

## SHIPMENTS

Shipments on all orders of \$5.00 or over will go prepaid except where special prices are made on individual quantity orders.

On all orders under \$5.00 please add 5 per cent for postage.

## DISCOUNTS

On large orders we allow liberal discounts. Let us supply your Iris needs.

**G**REEN GATE GARDEN  
105 Jennings St.,  
BENNETTSVILLE, S. C.

BENNETTSVILLE is located on the LAFAYETTE HIGHWAY from Raleigh to Savannah via Fayetteville. It is also on State Highway 9, ten miles southeast from its junction with U. S. Highway 1, between Rockingham, N. C. and Cheraw, S. C. There is direct road from Hamlet, but please inquire in Hamlet for shortest route to Bennettsville, or for paved road which is about seven miles further.

## FOREWORD

Let us be thankful for gardens! They add to our joy in happiness and are a consolation in sorrow. Like a little child they return so richly in sweetness and beauty what we give to them in thought and attention. They are never finished and therefore never grow stale and profitless. They progress and change as does the child. As he shows each year new development of mind and body, so does the garden grow with maturing of seed and plant and the addition of new varieties of foliage and flower.

There are some lovely new things in almost every section of our price list this year. You will find among the Tall Bearded Iris some beauties from France: Depute Nomblot, a Dykes Medal winner of 1930 and truly a king among iris; Ministre Ferdinand David, a very dark heavy rich flower and a prize winner; Henri Riviere, an enticing combination of lemon and canary yellow and lilac-mauve; Helios, an enormous flower of pure lemon yellow, also a prize winner. From England comes Rhadi, a medal iris, with white standards and bronze falls, both shaded blue and most unique in coloring; also Wm. R. Dykes, the far famed yellow. Black Wings, Desert Gold, and Hermitage - described by the judges who gave it Honorable Mention as "an old rose blend with the bloom of ripening grapes upon its falls" - are here from Tennessee and have all proved vigorous growers; Oregon Giant and San Luis Rey should be excellent in blossom. Chromylla, a fine new yellow from Colorado; Red Dominion from Ohio; Capt. Courageous from Missouri; Wambliska, a marvellous white from Nebraska; Mt. Royal from Canada: these are among our 1932 offerings.

Among the Beardless Iris we have this year two entirely new shades of rose and red and the crested White Tectorum is also new in the garden. Fimbriata and Chrysographes, natives of central China; Pavonia, the Peacock Iris from Africa; Verna, native of Virginia: all are experimental plantings which may prove quite satisfactory in the shaded portion of the garden.

There is no doubt that for exhibition purposes some new Intermediates were needed and we are eagerly awaiting the Spring to judge our latest additions of these. We have needed height in the yellows, also blues and blue-purples, and perhaps most of all, pinks, which have been entirely lacking. Cyrus, Ultra, and the new purples appear exceptionally vigorous and thrifty. The Fall Bloomers met all expectations and the winter blooming Iris-Stylosa Speciosa - was a joy through the whole month of January. The four Stylosa varieties with Queen Elizabeth, which you will find listed on page 9 should give us bloom from October to April.

So beautiful were our Japanese Iris last June that we invested in others and now have the pleasure of presenting twenty-three distinctive and beautiful varieties. We are also exceedingly proud of our new Hemerocallis and Hardy Asters, but the standard varieties of these will be useful and dependable favorites for a long time to come.

--Gabrielle Drake McColl



Ballerine blooming Spring 1931 in a Carolina garden  
Eleven year old lassie standing behind the flowers.

## TALL BEARDED IRIS

Relative time of blooming is indicated by E for early, M for mid-season and L for late; comparative height is indicated by t for tall, m for medium and l for low. Numerals are, first the Exhibiton, second the Garden rating, as given in the last Symposium of American Iris Society. Varieties marked with \* may be had three for the price of two.

		Each
83-87	Alcazar- M t pink violet S. rich purple F. handsome	.18*
89-88	Aliquippa- pale massicot yellow, deep luminous center	.75
	Allure- E t canary yellow flushed pink, very beautiful	3.50
82-81	Amador- E t soft pink overlaid bluish sheen	.35
92-91	Ambassadeur- L t smoky red violet S. purple maroon F.	.18*
	Andrew Jackson- E t large rich red violet, dominating	3.00
	Anna Marie Cayeux- E t lovely shades of pigeon's throat	12.50
86-85	Ann Page- M t well poised large lovely true blue self	.35*
85-87	Apache- E m distinct coppery red and brown, showy	.50
81-88	Aphrodite- M t pure violet pink, lovely white flush	.75*
	Argentina- E t large white with vivid orange beard	.50
84-83	Argynnis- L t yellow S. dark violet carmine F. striking	.25
	Ariel- E l soft shade clear bright hare-bell blue	.25
92-88	Asia- L t pale silvery lavender S. light violet F. lovely	.40
	Baldwin- M t huge dark blue with electric blue sheen	3.00
90-89	Ballerine- E t light violet blue, frilled, very lovely	.35
	Black Wings- E t rich and dark, black in some lights	20.00
	Blue Banner- L t a really blue iris, lighter S. darker F.	5.00
	Blue Velvet- L t richest shade deep blue, marvellous	25.00
	Bonita- M t clear buttercup yellow, rich orange beard	1.00
91-90	Bruno- L t fawn tinted rose S. velvety red purple F.	1.00
	Buto- L t gorgeous huge deep purple self	1.25
	Cameliard- E t amber yellow overlaid wine purple	3.50
96-91	Candlelight- pale pink lavender, wonderful glow	1.50
	Capt. Courageous- M t round shaped rose buff blend	7.50
92-90	Cardinal- L t velvety prune purple and rose Dmirion	2.00
89-82	Cassandra- rose violet S. crimson overlaid black F.	.50
	Cassandre- L t rose violet S. deep purple garnet F.	6.50
	Chromylla- M t fine new large yellow, well shaped	20.00
	Cinnabar- M t effect is of dark rich red velvet	2.00
85-85	Citronella- L t bold lemon yellow S. ruddy brown F.	.50
	Claude Aureau- M t greenish golden yellow S. wine red F.	50.00
89-83	Conquistador- M t large violet shaded mauve flower	.50
	Coppersmith- M t coppery red, large, of heavy substance	2.00
	Coronation- M t deep rich golden yellow self, large	2.00
85-85	Crusader- M t almost true blue, large flowers	.25
81-82	Damozel- L t ruffled white, bordered and misted mauve	.35
	Dauntless- M t red tinted brown, very fine indeed	15.00
	Dejah- E t very tall lavender blue of garden value	.18
80-80	Delicatissima- M t really a lovely pink	.25
	Depute Nomblot- M t red and crimson dusted gold	35.00
	Desert Gold- E t very large flower with domed standards	18.50

93-91	Dolly Madison, M t mauve S. lilac F. golden throat	\$1.00
88-82	Dominion, L t blue violet S. velvet indigo purple F.	2.00
	Don Quixote, E t deep lavender and hyssop, violet blend	.50
84-84	Dream, M t almost perfect pink, desirable in every way	.20*
84 84	Duke of Bedford, L t violet S. deep black purple F.	.75
	Duchess Sarah, M t outstanding brilliant blue bicolor	2.00
	Edith Cavell, E t vigorous tall nice white	1.00
78-81	Edouard Michel, M t imposing wine red frilled iris	.25
82-81	E. H. Jenkins, E t electric blue, pale yellow beard	.25*
88-87	Elaine, M t yellow and violet blend with silken sheen	1.00
86-87	El Capitan, M t violet blue S. deeper violet blue F.	1.25
	Elizabeth Egelberg, M t lustrous blend of pink & mauve	10.00
	Elsinore, M t primrose yellow, suffused purple	4.00
77-76	Empire, L m warm deep yellow, good garden value	.25
	Evening Glow, M t opalescent silvery lavender blue	1.00
83-86	Esplendido, M t huge red-purple bicolor, vigorous	.25*
85-87	Evadne, M t beautiful glowing rosy red self	.50
	Evolution, M t indescribably lovely bronze & rose	17.50
	Farandole, M t French gray suffused rosy lilac, exquisite	6.50
80-80	Flammenschwert, Flaming Sword, M m yellow S. red F.	.35
	Floreal, M t combination yellow, dark brown and violet	1.00
	Folkwang, M t light rose pink S. claret red F. lustrous	.40
89-85	Frieda Mohr, M t large pink bicolor, highly esteemed	1.25
88-87	Gabriel, M t bright steel blue S. bright violet blue F.	1.00
82-85	George Yeld, M t apricot buff shaded rose S. crimson F.	.50
90-88	George Trilobet, M t velvety blackish red purple	.50
91-90	Germaine Perthuis, M t pleasing shade violet purple, huge	1.50
84-78	Gloriae, M t large bright blue self, metallic sheen	1.25
87-87	Glowing Embers, M t warm violet tan S, dark red F	.75
86-87	Gold Imperial, L t chrome yellow, rich in mass	.50
91-87	Grace Sturtevant, L t glistening dark red brown effect	8.00
	Grand Monarch, L t kingly red with brilliant beard	10.00
83-81	Halo, E t two shades lavender blue, large lovely flower	.20
79-82	Harmony, M m marvelous shade very deep blue-purple,	.25
77-77	Harpalion, E t gigantic flowers of pale & deep lav. blue	.50
	Helios, M t enormous flowers of pure lemon yellow	25.00
	Henri Riviere, L t yellow S, mauve F wide border yellow	10.00
	Hermitage, M t old rose blend, sheen of ripe grapes	18.50
	Hernani, M t near approach to real red, velvety F.	17.50
87-87	Hidalgo, very large lavender self, broadly shaped	.75
	Highlight, M t soft clear yellow, smooth waxy finish	2.00
90-80	Hippolyta, clear lavender of exquisite finish	.40
83-84	Imperator, M t violet shaded fawn, brilliant red effect	.30
	Indian Chief, E t wonderful red iris perfectly poised	7.50
80-80	Iris King, M m lemon yellow S. maroon F. brilliant	.20
82-83	Jacqueline Guillot, L t lustrous large pure lavender blue	.35
	Jason, highly recommended yellow from England	15.00
83-81	Jean Chevreau, M t cream dotted violet, beautiful	.25



85-84	Jubilee- M t peach color S, dotted brown creamy F	\$ .50
	Kansas- L t ruffled lavender pink, very pretty	1.00
85-83	King Karl- M t deeply frilled Plicata, a darker Jubilee	.75
84-85	King Tut- L t brilliant red brown effect, conspicuous	2.50
83-87	Labor- M t dark violet heliotrope self, coppery glw	.75
80-83	Lady Byng- L t exquisite pinky lav., pale yellow beard	.25
	Le Correge- M t bronze and wine red, bold orange beard	2.00
88-88	Lent A. Williamson- M t broad violet S, pansy violet F	.20
88-78	Leonata- E t pale blue S, bluish violet F, one of finest	.50
86-82	Leverrier- E t Chinese pansy violet, mcst brilliant	.35
83-78	Lord of June- M t large light and deep lavender blue	.35
84-85	Lord Lambourne- E t rose fawn and madder crimson	.40
	Los Angeles- M t large white, marked and edged blue	4.00
	Loudoun- M t clear amber S, white flushed amber F	.60
85-81	Louis Bel- M t a violet so dark it seems black	1.50
	Magenta- large splendid bright amethyst, unique	7.50
87-85	Magnifica- E t violet blue and reddish crimson, large	.50
83-87	Majestic- L t velvety blue-purple Dominion, fine	.35
81-81	Marjorie Tinley- M t lav. blue, overlaid yel. S dark mauve F	.50
82-81	Maori Princess- L m empire yellow S burnt lake F	.75
85-90	Mary Barnett- E t fine light blue Pallida, golden beard	.50
	Mary Elizabeth- L t brilliant rosy red, very beautiful	16.00
	Mary Geddes- M t stunning new shade of salmon pink	20.00
84-85	Mary Gibson- M t adorable blend old rose and brnze	.55
85-86	Mauna Loa- M t upstanding bicolor, strong reddish cast	2.00
84-83	Menetrier- M t bright yellow S, bronzy yellow maroon F	.25
83-83	Mestor- M t blue-purple S, violet purple overlaid black F	.50*
90-87	Micheline Charraire- L t white, golden reticulations	1.25
	Midgard- M t ruffled yellow deeply flushed rose pink	1.25
89-87	Mildred Pressby- L t clear white S, pansy violet F	.35
	Ministre Ferdinand David- new glowing very dark iris	30.00
74-74	Mithras- M m yellow S, brownly red F, showy	.20*
88-84	Mlle Schwartz- M t pale soft mauve requires drainage	.25*
84-83	Mme. Cheri- E t blended yellow violet pink, exquisite	.25
90-87	Moa- M t enormous violet flowers glowing in sunlight	1.50
	Mons Arnal- M t shades of mauve, violet, rose, brwn	1.00
	Mons Oliver Perthuis- L t rich velvety purple, late	.35*
85-84	Moonlight E t French gray shaded blue, very lovely	.75
91-91	Morning Splendor- M t rich glowing ruby-crimson effect	.50
80-83	Mrs. H. F. Bowles- L t silky gold brown S, brick red F	.50*
79-79	Mrs. Marion Cran- M t glorious shade of pink	.75
	Mrs. Valerie West- M t lav. bronze S, crimson-brown F	10.00
	Mt. Royal- M t blue S, rich dark blue pur. F; orange beard	2.50
78-81	Nancy Orne- darker Mme. Cheri, pretty together	.20*
	Nathalis- M t lovely soft pink color, good in mass	.25
	Nebraska- L t bright apricot yellow S, striped brown F	1.50
	Nene- M t gigantic iris flower, rich dark coloring	10.00
	Nusku- M t lovely old rose and yellow blend	6.00

82-83	Opera, M m livid purple S. velvety purple bronzy F.	.20
83-87	Ophelia, M t subtle blend orange, cream, mauve, bronze	2.00
	Oregon Giant, M t red purple S. black purple F.	20.00
76-77	Oriflamme, E t very large lav. blue S. purple F.	.20
	Orion, M t a greatly improved Alcazar, very showy	1.50
60-88	Ortrud, E m early blend with exquisite red flush	3.00
	Padusoy, M t deep lilac rose self, flaring Falls	1.75
	Pavanne, L t Bordeaux red S, deep garnet red F	2.00
	Persia, M t rich coloring of Persian rug, gorgeous	12.50
90-90	Petruchio, M t violet S, dahlia carmine F, gold throat	2.50
	Pink Satin, M t considered finest pink in existence	25.00
89-90	Pioneer, E t one of the best red purple selfs	.50
	Pluie d' Or, L t its name Golden Rain describes it	17.50
83-82	Primavera, E m long blooming pale yellow self	.35*
73-81	Prince Lohengrin, E t mauve pink self, finer Lohengrin	.25
90-90	Princess Beatrice, E t Pallida of wonderful form	.25*
81-80	Princess Osra, L t clear white, dotted & veined purple	.50
81-23	Prospero, L t purple violet bicolor, yellow center	.20*
95-95	Purissima, M t finest of pure whites, beautiful	3.50
	Purple Haze, M t French gray flushed soft purple	1.00
80-81	Rameldo, M t petunia violet flushed coppery brown	.25
	Rameses, L t light russet S. pink F. apricot beard	8.00
81-82	Rajput, E t light violet shading to heliotrope	.25
	Realm, M t intense light blue self, one of loveliest	2.00
	Red Dominion, M t clear lustrous red Dominion	25.00
	Red Wing, M t brilliant red in mass, very fine	5.00
83-82	Reverie, L t colonial buff tinted pink S. deep pink F.	.50*
	Rhadi, L t creamy white S. bronze shaded blue F.	17.50
	Rhea, M t blend of mauve & gold, darker finer Isoline	1.00
83-86	Rheingauferle, beautiful orchid pink, fine form	.75
76-79	Rheintraube, L t two shades of blue, really pretty	.25
87-89	Romola, M t pale lilac tinged ivory S. vel. red violet F.	2.00
82-83	Rose Madder, M t bright rose madder S. velvety F. sweet	.50
90-88	San Francisco, M t large white-edged lavender, fine Plicata	5.00
85-84	San Gabriel, E t lustrous lavender flushed rosy mauve	.60
	San Luis Rey, L t larger finer Opera on taller stalk	2.50
91-89	Santa Barbara, E t pure lavender blue, horizontal falls	.50*
83-83	Seminole, M t effect is brilliant velvety crimson	.25*
	Sensation, L t wonderful cornflower blue	4.50
87-86	Sequoiah, L t reddish buff S. pansy purple F.	2.50
86-84	Simone Vaissiere, L t lavender blue S. flaring violet blue F.	.35*
85-84	Sir Galahad, M t bright mauve S. pansy violet F	.35
92-90	Sir Michael, M t lav. blue S. red purple F. brilliant beard	10.00
	Skitchwaug, M t more brilliant richer Isoline, gold beard	1.50
86-85	Solferino, M t lilac red Pallida of Aphrodite parentage	2.00
	Sonata, M t more vigorous, deeper Mme. Durrand	2.50
92-90	Souv. de Loetitia Michaud, M t lobelia blue S. and F.	1.25

91-88	Souv. de Mme. Gaudichau, M t dark rich blue purple	.50
	Summer Cloud, M t soft blue-white S. sky-blue F.	10.00
85-86	Susan Bliss, M t frilled pink, one of loveliest pinks	.35*
89-84	Swazii, L t bluish violet S. velvety blackish violet F.	2.00
85-87	Sweet Lavender, M t frilled rose lavender, exquisite	.20*
82-81	Taj Mahal, M t an exquisite white with opaline tints	.£0*
83-88	Tenebrae, E t fine Dominion, violet and black purple	.50*
	Tom Tit, L 1 low growing, deep violet, precious	.25
85-85	Tropic Seas, E t Dauphin deep violet S. mulberry purp. F.	.50*
88-84	True Charm, L t white etched blue lavender, very dainty	.35
85-85	True Delight, L t pure white edged deep rose, lovely	.75
79-82	Valery Mayet, M t glowing effective shades of brown red	.20*
85-86	Valencia, M t orange buff color, distinct and charming	.40
88-89	Vesper Gold, M t golden yellow of fine substance	1.00
	Waconda, M t deep fuchsia red and violet carmine	6.00
	Wambliska, M t very tall stunning new white, huge	20.00
87-87	Wedgewood, E t true blue self, gloriously beautiful	.75
89-81	William Mohr, E m pale lilac veined Manganese violet	2.50
	W. R. Dykes, E t most famous yellow, very beautiful	40.00
85-85	Yellow Moon, L t soft uniform yellow, satiny texture	.25*
	Yellow Tom Tit, L 1 delightful late low border iris	2.00*
87-82	Yolande, E t wonderful dark blue, very large flower	.35
	Yves Lassailly, E t white flushed blue, giant flower	8.00
78-81	Zada, M t absolutely pure white, golden beard	.35
	Zaharoon, M t unique blend amber, rose cinnamon pink	25.00

#### INTERMEDIATE BEARDED IRIS

While the majority of these are not so long stemmed nor so large flowered as the Tall Bearded varieties they are invaluable for combining with tulips and late daffodils in the April garden.

To the best of older sorts we have added carefully selected new varieties from the Sass Brothers, expert hybridizers of Intermediate Irises. Please note the Fall-blooming kinds.

Price: Varieties marked with asterisk are three for the price of two.

Alice Horsefall, Sass, red purple self, bold orange beard	\$5.00
Amas-Species, blue and violet, large and handsome	.15*
Bluet, clear lovely blue, excellent for front of border	.20*
Crimson King, rich claret purple, showy and tall	.20*
Cyrus, Sass, perhaps finest bright yellow Intermediate	3.00
Gerda, large yellow bloom of good value in the garden	.15*
Ingeborg, nice very early white, pretty with pink tulips	.15*
Kochii, dark wine purple, rich in massed planting	.20*
Nymph, Sass, empire yellow with rich golden beard	1.00
Purple King, larger taller better purple Flag	.20*
Queen Flavia, large clear primrose yellow, floriferous	.15*
Ragusa - Sass - very fine pansy and blackish purple	\$3.00

## INTERMEDIATE BEARDED IRIS Continued

Sherwin Wright-pure golden yellow, profuse bloomer, late	.20
Soledad- very early soft yellow pretty flower	.25
Ultra - Sass - deep blue-purple, blooms again in Fall	1.00
Yellow Hammer-bright amber yellow, sweetly scented	.25
Zua- white tinted lilac, creped and crinkled texture	.15
Zwannenburg- curiously blended cream buff and olive	.18
I-15-27 - Sass - royal purple self, large flower	1.00
I-11-27 - Sass - of Dolly Madison coloring but pinker	.50
Autumn King - Sass - Fall bloomer, blue-purple bi-color	.50
Autumn Queen - Sass - Fall bloomer, white, of fine shape	.50
Golden Harvest - Sass - olive & citron yellow, orange beard	5.00

## SPECIAL VALUES IN IRIS COLLECTIONS

We have made these collections of varieties which rate \$0 and above in garden value. Collection 1 comprises the paler shades of blue, pink, lavender, yellow and cream. Collection 2 is of deeper shades of same colors, while Collection 3 are all dark shades of rose, blue-purple, violet-purple, deep yellow and bronze. An Iris garden made of any one, two or three collections would have variety, value and charm. Each collection - 100 roots, ten of each kind, labelled, \$10.00 postpaid. Any two Collections \$17.50 postpaid; three Collections \$25.00 postpaid.

## BETTER TIMES COLLECTION 1.

Pallida, Dal. tall silver blue	Aurora, delicate light pink
Corrida, lovely azure blue	Shekinah, pale lemon yellow
Queen Caterina, pale lav. violet	B. Y. Morrisson, pale lav. & purple
Phyllis Bliss, pinky lavender	Mme. Chobaut, cream dot'd brown
Cecile Minturn, soft orchid pink	Isoline, rosy mauve S, deeper F.

## BETTER TIMES COLLECTION 2.

Baronet, tall electric blue	Troost, very deep pink
Neptune, bright deep blue	Chalice, bright nice yellow
Juniata, clear violet blue	Cavalier, clear blue and purple
Cluny, wisteria & blue violet	Rhein-Nixe, white S., violet F.
Georgia, deep orchid pink	Afterglow, sunset coloring

## BETTER TIMES COLLECTION 3.

Parc de Neuilly, dark violet blue	Amber, rich yellow self
Perladonna, distinct China blue	Archeveque, velvety royal purple
Mary Orth, large dark blue	Sindjkha, lavender shaded bronze
Roseway, tall rosy red	Prosper Laugier, bronze & purple
Rosalba, deep rosy red	Medrano, copperish red violet

## DWARF BEARDED IRIS

Very early, flowering with the Daffodils, and lovely for border or rock garden. They multiply rapidly. 20 cts. each, 6 of 1 kind \$1  
 Atroviolacea: deep purple and very satisfactory  
 Aurea Maculata: deep yellow brown markings, earliest of all  
 Balceng: subtle gray, blue and green blend  
 Lutescens Statelkæ: small creamy white, graceful stem  
 Cyanea: very early blackish violet

## BEARDLESS IRIS

This group includes Siberian and Orientalis varieties as well as hybrids of these and other species. They do well in moist situations where the beardless kinds would not thrive; are most decorative in foliage and flower and exceptionally graceful and beautiful as cut flowers. They should be transplanted when dormant in late Fall, Winter, or early Spring, and the roots should not dry out while moving. Plant three inches deep in soil enriched with well rotted compost.

	Each	Doz.
Blue King: medium height, rich blue-purple	\$ .15	\$1.00
Butterfly: beautiful airy light blue flowers, tall	.25	2.00
Emperor: large deep violet-blue, quite tall and fine	.15	1.50
Ensata: gray blue flowers, requires less moisture	.25	2.50
George Wallace: earliest of Siberians, rich blue-purple	.15	1.50
Melpomene: deep blue, fine for pool edging	.15	1.50
Mrs. A. W. Tait: hybrid Spuria, porcelain blue flowers	.50	
Ochroleuca: handsome tall white species	1.00	
Perry's Blue: wonderful shade of sky blue	.25	2.50
Snow Queen: snowy white petals, golden blotch	.25	2.00
Sunnybrook: delightful shade light blue	.25	2.00
Dorothea K. Williamson: large velvety purple, unique	.50	
Lord Wolsey: Monspur of rich deep blue, very lovely	.50	
Shelford Giant: tall Spuria, creamy yellow orange throat	2.00	
Martha Washington: Hexagona Seeding, velvety red	\$15.00	
Sara Cheek: clear salmony pink four inch flowers	\$15.00	
PSEUDACORUS: brilliant yellow water Iris, 3 ft. fine for banks of streams, or marshes and pools	.25	2.50
TECTORUM: Roof Iris of Japan, grey blue flowers, spotted, with fringed white crest, fine border Iris	.25	2.50
Album: rare white form of Tectorum, very lovely	.50	
SUSIANA: early blooming, queer, almost black flower, called the Mourning Iris. A few roots at	5.00	
WINTER BLOOMING IRIS: Fall shipment		
Stylosa- litac blue with grassy evergreen foliage	.25	2.50
Stylosa Alba- a white form of above	.25	2.50
Stylosa Marginata- bluer hue and broader foliage	.25	2.50
Stylosa Speciosa- violet form, narrower foliage	.75	
Queen Elizabeth- dwarf form, violet and white	1.00	

## JAPANESE IRIS - Kaempferi

The single and double types of Japanese Iris are equally beautiful and are to be had in many rare and subtle shades. They follow the Bearded Iris blooming in late May and early June. Plant in rich deep soil, in full sunshine, and give plenty of water while making bud and bloom. We list only hardy and distinctive varieties. Price 50 cts. each, \$5.00 per doz. unless otherwise noted.

Amethyst: Sgl. large wavy petals of exquisite lavender  
 Azure: Dbl. immense wavy mauve blue with yellow blotch  
 Betty F. Holmes: Dbl. new pure white, very fine \$1.50 each  
 Choseidon: Dbl. ruby crimson, white halo around yellow blotch  
 Dominator: Sgl. rich indigo blue, narrow white lines, light center  
 Frances E. Cleveland: Semi Dbl. crepy blue lavender shaded mauve  
 Indo: Sgl. dark rich blue slightly veined, bright yellow blotch  
 John Lewis Childs: Sgl. white lightly veined blue, center mauve  
 Kamata: Sgl. sky blue with white veins, very distinct .75 each  
 Koko No Iro: Dbl. royal purple with yellow center and lines  
 Kumo No Obi: Dbl. sky blue - name means Sash like Clouds  
 Kuro Komo: Dbl. purple overlaid dark blue with yellow blotches  
 Mahogany: Dbl. late blooming purple-mahogany-red, pretty crest  
 Marjorie Parry: Dbl. delicate light mauve, tufted center  
 Mongol Khan: Sgl. very large deep rosy red  
 Nomyi No Taki: Dbl. white beautifully shaded, splashed rose pink  
 Pres. Harding: Dbl. very late massive light blue shaded darker .75 e.  
 Pyramid: Dbl. violet purple, white vein center of petals  
 Red Riding Hood: Sgl. flat lovely amaranth rose suffused white  
 Rose H. Scheepers: Dbl. mauve grey with overlay of blue  
 Schenley: Dbl. rosy red overlaid blue in center, yellow blotch  
 Shadow: Sgl. reddish purple self, large and striking  
 T. S. Ware: Dbl. reddish violet, center and veins white

## SPANISH IRIS

Planted among the Bearded sorts these dainty Iris give a lightness and buoyancy to the garden. They are bulbous and should be put out in early Fall and fertilized with Bone Meal. \$1.25 dozen.

Cajanus; canary yellow with orange blotch  
 King of the Blues; fine deep rich blue  
 King of the Whites; exceptionally good white variety  
 Louise; pale blue and white  
 Reconnaissance; rich bronze variety

FROM AN OLD GARDEN, Small cluster flowered narcissus, deep gold in color, heavy delightful fragrance; first up in Fall and last of narcissus to flower. 75 cts. per doz. \$5.25 per 100 postpaid.

### VERY SPECIAL VALUES IN IRIS BARGAINS

These are standard varieties, vigorous and free-flowering, suitable for long borders and masses and for cut flower garden. E for early, M for mid-season, L for late, S for standards, F for falls. Prices: 5 of one variety 35 cts, 10 of one variety 55 cts. 100 of one variety or ten varieties labelled, \$5.00 postpaid. 100 in twenty varieties, 5 of each variety, labelled \$5.50 postpaid. 100 MIXED Iris, unlabelled, \$3.25 postpaid.

---

#### BLUES

L Celeste, heavenly blue	M Violaeca-grand, violet blue
E Drake, delicate blue	E Viking, deep violet blue
L Glory of Hillegom, light blue	E Mandraliscae, dark violet blue
E Tineae, silver blue	E Mrs. Walter Brewster, lav. blue
E Albert Victor, deep blue	L Blue Jay very dark blue
M James Boyd, light, deep blue	M Milleress, very light blue

---

#### PINKS AND PURPLES

M Wyomissing, lightest pink	M Rose Unique, deep rose
E Lohengrin, Cattleya rose	E Caprice, grape juice color
M Queen of May, near true pink	M Pauline, bright pansy violet
M Queen Alexandra, fawn, lilac	M Tamerlane, lav. and blue purple
M Her Majesty, deep pink	M Monsignor, pale violet, purple
E Dejah, tall pretty mauve	L Nine Wells, violet, rich purple

---

#### YELLOWWS, VARIEGATAS, BLENDS

E Flavescens, lovely pale yellow	M Lorely, yellow S, purple F
M Dawn, light sulphur yellow	M Nibelungen, buff S, red pur. F
E Prin. Vic. Louise, yel. S, plum F	M Fro, yellow S, red-brown F
M Darius, yellow S, lilac F	M Dalmarius, lav., lilac blend
E Maÿ Carriere, blue & yel. blend	M Quaker Lady, lav., rose, gold

---

#### WHITES AND PLICATAS

E The Bride, pure white	M Dalila, white S, deep pink F
E Charmant, white, pale blue	E Ma Mie, white pencilled blue
L Innocensa, pure white	E Mme. Chereau, white edged blue
L Mrs. Darwin, white marked lil.	M Pocahontas, white bordered lil.
L La Neige, waxy white	L Mary Garden, yellow, maroon

WHITE & PURPLE FLAGS, mixed or separate, 100 for \$4.75 postpaid

---

**SNOWDROPS:** These are the snowdrops our grandmothers knew and grew, with stems 12 to 16 inches tall. Multiply rapidly and will thrive and bloom anywhere. Bulbs \$1.00 dozen, 100 for \$6.50 prepaid.

## HEMEROCALLIS, Yellow Day Lily

No garden is complete without several varieties of this hardy Lily. They do well in sun or shade. Dumorterii, Dr. Regel, Flava, and Middendorffii give a brilliant note with the Bearded Iris; Luteola, and Florham are nice with the Japanese Aurantiaca is gorgeous with purple Siberians, while the later bloomers are all excellent summer flowers. Three Calypso together make a striking group.

	Each	Doz.
Aurantiaca- Great Orange Day Lily, dark glowing orange with striking black anthers. April and May 2 ft.	.35	\$2.50
Calypso- large pale yellow trumpet; a clump in bloom is like a group of lighted candles. June 3 ft.	.25	2.50
Dr. Regel- deep orange flowers, large and very wide open; very early and fragrant. April 18 in.	.25	2.50
Dumorterii- orange yellow blossom with reverse of petals brown, effective and early. April 18 in.	.25	2.50
Farr's Citrina Hybrids- summer blooming, very tall with lemon yellow trumpets. July, Aug. 4 ft.	.15	1.50
Flava, Lemon Lily- tall sweetly scented, pale yellow, early and indispensable. April, May 3 ft.	.25	2.50
Florham- very tall golden yellow lily with heavy winter foliage and much bloom. May, June 3 ft.	.25	2.50
Fulva- Brown Day Lily, the vigorous tawny orange lily found in old gardens. June 3 ft.	.15	1.00
Kwanso- handsome double flower of bronzy rich orange color. Very tall and showy. July 3 ft.	.25	2.50
Luteola- Golden Day Lily, excellent variety, orange yellow trumpets, good winter foilage. June 30 in.	.25	2.50
Middendorffii- taller than Dr. Regel, a bit later, same rich orange flowers. May 30 in.	.25	2.50
Minor- Dwarf Day Lily, fluted wavy flowers of yellow color. June July 15 to 18 in.	.25	2.50
Ochroleuca- citron yellow blooms, crimped edges and sweet lemon odor. June, July 3 ft.	.50	5.00
<b>New Hybrid Hemerocallis:</b>		<b>Each</b>
Bay State- Betscher, glistening pure yellow very large flowers on robust stems; long season of bloom.		\$1.50
Cinnabar- Stout, brownish red with cadmium yellow throat, half of petals sprinkled with brown.		4.00
Lemona- Betscher, delicate pale lemon yellow resembles a Jap iris in size and form; very tall.		1.50
Mikado- Stout, unusual rich orange flower with dark almost purple red blotch in middle of petals.		4.00
Royal- Japanese Hybrid, flower of very fine texture and form, color pure canary yellow.		3.00



## HARDY ASTERS - Michaelmas Daisies

No plant blooms more profusely than the Hardy Aster making a rollicking band of color in the front of the border during late summer and early fall. We have selected several of the newer sorts which are particularly lovely for cutting, while those listed by color only will prove satisfactory for massing in the garden.

	Each	Doz.
Barr's Pink, large pure bright single flower - 5 ft.	\$.25	\$2.50
Blue Gem, large double rich true blue flower 3 ft.	.25	2.50
Hybridus Luteus, sprays small golden flowers - 30 in.	.50	5.00
Maid of Athens, very fine rose pink variety - 42 in.	.25	2.50
Mrs. George Monroe, large semi-double white - 4 ft.	.35	3.50
Queen Elizabeth, large snow white sprays - 3 ft.	.35	3.50
Queen Mary, brilliant blue conical trusses - 3 ft.	.25	2.50
Skyland's Queen, attractive light blue shade - 30 in.	.50	5.00
Set of one each of above eight varieties	<del>\$2.50</del> 2.50	

Rose, blue, pink, purple and white, including such varieties as Climax, White Climax, Lil. Fardell, S. T. Wright, Lutetia, \$1.00 for fifteen



Iris Isoline - See page 8.

## HOW TO PLANT AND CARE FOR BEARDED IRIS

There is no plant more easily grown than the Bearded Iris. The veriest amateur gardener should succeed with these. There are a few rules, however, which will make for greater success in size of clumps and for finer blooms.

The first essential for Bearded Iris is good drainage. In a level garden this can be secured by raising the bed or border a few inches above the surrounding paths. This can be done in excellent fashion by digging out the bed and placing a layer of rubble, gravel or cinders, then putting the good top soil back, working into this a liberal quantity of bone meal, and lime also if the soil seems acid and sour.

Plant your bearded iris in the sunniest spot possible though you will have fair success with only some direct sun each day. If you have considerable shade and a moist situation use the Siberians and other Beardless varieties, or Hemerocallis. The old time white and purple Flags and a few of the more vigorous Tall Bearded Iris do reasonably well in much shaded well drained situations.

Bearded Iris planted too deep will not bloom. Let the top of the rhizome show the least bit above ground and the small roots go deep to anchor the plant until it has taken hold. In a very dry season water occasionally until established. In the very hot months in this latitude it is advisable to shade newly set rhizomes with brush or dried grass thrown loosely over the cut fan, and left for two or three weeks. Dead stalks of Ragged Robin are ideal for this purpose. Cultivate sufficiently in shallow fashion to keep down weeds; dead leaves and litter should be raked away. In early Spring go over each clump carefully and with a quick jerk pull off all dead foliage, and burn it. The old foliage is the home of the Iris borer.

Second and third year clumps are much more effective than first year plantings. Divide when the rhizomes become so crowded that they pile one upon the other in the center of the clump. It is possible also to thin the clump leaving the outer rhizomes and replanting elsewhere the crowded center roots. It is best to discard the small inferior rhizomes transplanting only the fine healthy looking roots. The best time to divide and transplant the Bearded Iris is after the blooming season, which with us, is June and July, though these Iris can be safely planted at any time.

The worst enemy of the Iris is root rot but if the above directions as to good drainage, sunshine, and dividing and cultivation are followed, there should be no trouble from this disease.

MEMORANDA:





