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## WHULESALE PRICE LISI FOR FLORISTS SEEDSMEN AND NURSERYMEN FALL EDITION 1936 AMERICAN BULB COMPANY CHICAGO Importers OF Growers

AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN NOVELTIES

A·B·C "SUPREME" QUALITY BULBS ARE PLANTED BY CRITICAL GROWERS FROM COAST TO COAST



AMERICAN BULB CO., CHICAGO and NEW YORK

# DARWIN TULIPS "The Cream of the Crop"



A Field of Darwin Tulips in Holland

100

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100	1,000
Bartigon. Fiery red\$3.25	\$27.50
Clara Butt. Salmon-rose	27.50
Farncombe Sanders. Scarlet 3.25	27.50
Pride of Haarlem. Old rose 3.25	27.50
Princess Elizabeth. Soft lilac-rose 3.25	27.50
Wm. Copland. Sweet lavender 3.25	27.50
Wm. Pitt. Bright glowing scarlet 3.25	27.50
Afterglow. Deep rosy orange 3.50	30.00
Allard Pierson. Rich crimson-maroon;	
early 3.30	28.00
Baronne de la Tonnaye. Rose shaded	
blush 3.25	27.50
Bleu Aimable. Bluish heliotrope 3.30	28.00
City of Haarlem. Vermilion-scarlet 4.00	35.00
Dream. Beautiful lilac 3.30	28.00
<b>Faust.</b> Purple	30.00
Herodiade. Rosy lilac 3.30	28.00

## SINGLE LATE TULIPS

	100	1,000
Albino. Creamy white, strong thick stem;		
the finest white under glass	54.20	\$37.00
Argo. Large yellow, spotted red	3.80	33.00
Bouton d'Or. Bright yellow; tall grower	3.30	28.00
Dido. Orange-rose, margined bright		
orange-yellow; large flower	3.30	28.00
Fairy Queen. Rosy heliotrope	3.30	28.00
Gesneriana Lutea. Fine golden yellow.	3.40	29.00
Gesneriana Spathulata. True rich crimson-		
scarlet	3.50	30.00
Inglescombe Yellow. Glossy canary-yel-		
low	3.25	27.50
John Ruskin. Apricot-rose, mauve shad-		
ing	3.30	28.00
Maiden's Blush (Picotee). White, mar-		
gined carmine-rose	3.40	29.00
Moonlight. Large, pale yellow	3.40	29.00
Mrs. Moon. Very deep yellow	3.60	31.00
Sirene. Rich cerise-pink	3.50	30.00
The Fawn. Rosy fawn color	3.40	29.00
Single Late Mixed	3.20	27.00

## **DARWIN TULIPS** (Special Offer)

We can also supply the following varieties in second size bulbs, 11 ctm.

100	1,000
Bartigon\$3.00	\$25.00
Clara Butt 3.00	25.00
Farncombe Sanders 3.00	25.00
La Tulipe Noire 3.00	25.00
Mme. Krelage 3.00	25.00
Pride of Haarlem 3.00	25.00
Princess Elizabeth 3.00	25.00
Wm. Copland 3.00	25.00
Wm. Pitt 3.00	25.00
Inglescombe Yellow 3.00	25.00

100	1,000
King Harold. Crimson-maroon\$3.30	\$28.00
La Tulipe Noire. Fine black 3.50	
Le Notre. Rose shaded blush 3.30	28.00
Mme. Krelage. Rose-pink 3.25	27.50
Mrs. Potter Palmer. Glowing purple 3.30	28.00
Philippe de Comines. Velvety purplish	
maroon 3.30	28.00
Prof. Rauwenhof. Bright cherry-red 3.25	27.50
Rev. H. Ewbank. Heliotrope-lilac 3.25	27.50
Roi d'Islande. Deep violet-rose 3.25	27.50
Victoire d'Oliveira. Brown-red 3.30	28.00
White Queen. White, passing off pink 3.30	28.00
Yellow Giant. Largest bloom, tall bright	
yellow, blackish base 4.50	40.00
Zulu. Dark purplish black 3.50	30.00
Zwanenburg. Pure white, well formed	
flower of large size on tall stems 4.20	37.00
Darwin Mixed 3.10	26.00

## **BREEDER TULIPS**

100	1,000
Bronze Queen. Buff, tinged apricot\$3.30	\$28.00
Cardinal Manning. A curious blend of	
mauve and rose 3.50	30.00
Don Pedro. Dull brown 4.00	35.00
Jaune d'Oeuf. Rose-lilac broadly edged	
yellow 3.50	30.00
Louis XIV. Purple flushed golden bronze 3.80	33.00
Lucifer. Reddish orange 4.30	38.00
Panorama. Terra cotta and bronze 3.50	30.00
Yellow Perfection. Bronze-yellow 3.50	30.00
Breeders Mixed 3.30	28.00

## PARROT TULIPS

100	1,000
Fantasy. A lovely soft rose with green streaks, inside salmon-rose	\$50.00 30.00
Sundew. Red. Very fine; curved on the	
edges	28.00





Early Flowering Tulips Provide Desirable Cut Flowers and Pot Plants.

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## SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

	100
Belle Alliance. Early scarlet	\$3.30
*Brilliant Star. Vermilion-scarlet; early forcer	3.30
Chrysolora. Pure yellow	3.50
*Couleur Cardinal. Velvety crimson-scarlet forcer	3.30
Cramoisi Brilliant. Deep crimson-scarlet	3.30
*De Wet. Beautiful golden orange and red	3.70
*Flamingo. Brilliant rosy carmine	3.30
*Fred Moore. Deep orange	3.30
*Ibis. Deep brilliant pink	3.30
Keizerskroon. Scarlet-red with broad yellow margin.	3.80
*King of the Yellows. Pure deep yellow	3.30
*La Reine. White shaded rose	3.30
La Reine Maximus. White bordered rose	3.30
*Mon Tresor. Fine pure yellow	3.80
*Prince of Austria. Fine orange-red	3.30
*Proserpine. Rich satiny carmine-rose	3.30
*Prosperity. Rose-pink	3.30
*Rising Sun. Deep golden yellow	3.30
Rose Gris-de-lin. Delicate rose	
*Rose Le Reine. Deep carmine-rose	
*Rose Luisante. Fine deep brilliant rose	
*Thomas Moore. Terra cotta	
*Vermilion Brilliant. Dazzling vermilion-scarlet	
White Hawk. Pure white; early	
*Yellow Prince. Yellow; sweet scented	
Single Early Mixed	3.30
(*) Recommended for forcing.	

## DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS

100	1,000
Boule de Neige. Large, pure white\$3.90	\$34.00
*Couronne d'Or. Yellow, shaded orange	32.00
Electra. Rosy violet-red 3.41	29.00
Imperator Rubrorum. Scarlet	30.00
*Mr. Van der Hoef. Pure yellow 3.40	29.00
*Murillo. White shaded rose 3.40	29.00
*Peach Blossom. Soft rosy pink 3.40	29.00
Rubra Maxima. Deep vermillion-crimson 3.40	29.00
Schoonoord. Pure white 3.70	32.00
Tearose. Pale yellow 3.40	29.00
*Toreador. Bright scarlet 3.50	0 30.00
Tournesol R. & Y. Red, yellow bordered 3.80	0 33.00
*Vuurbaak. Fiery orange-scarlet 3.4	0 29.00
Double Early Mixed 3.30	0 28.00
(*) Recommended for forcing.	

## TRIUMPH TULIPS

Can generally be forced into bloom in from three to four weeks. Should be brought into greenhouses about four weeks before the flowering date. Forcing temperature, 65°-70° F.

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100	1,000
Kansas. Pure white\$4.40	\$39.00
Telescopium. Violet, tinted rose-red; inside wine-red 4.40	39.00

## **BOTANICAL TULIPS**

Clusiana. White, cherry-red outside. Must be forced	100 1,000
cool. Needs plenty of spacing. Start forcing about	
February 10th to bloom March 10th. Extremely	
dainty\$3	\$.50 \$30.00

Chicago AMERICAN BULB CO. New York

## Dependable Stocks at Prices in Keeping With the Market

Our prices are quoted f. o. b. New York or Chicago. Ocean freight and duty paid. You know just what bulbs will cost at either of above named shipping points. No ambiguous charges being added. "We can and will supply you to advantage."

## **Choicest Holland Grown HYACINTHS**

First size	e—18-19 ctn	n		\$	8.75
	size-17-18				
Forcing	size—16-17	ctm	• • • • • • •	•••	6.75
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\$82.50	В
72.50	L
62.50	

100

	100	1,000
Bedding size—15-16 ctm Large miniature—13-15 ctm		\$52.50 38.00

We can supply above in the various varieties listed below:

### SINGLE RED AND ROSE

Gertrude. Rosy pink; good forcer. Gigantea. Blush pink; good forcer. Lady Derby. Bright rose-pink; very early.

La Victoire. Deep carmine-rose. Marconi. Bright rose.

Queen of the Pinks. Rosy pink; late forcer.

### SINGLE WHITE

La Grandesse. Pure white; medium forcer.

L'Innocence. Pure white; early forcer.

SINGLE BLUE **Bismarck.** Sky-blue; early forcer. Grand Maitre. Deep lavender-blue.

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King of the Blues. Dark blue; late forcer.

Queen of the Blues. Pale azure-blue.

### SINGLE YELLOW

Yellow Hammer. Pure yellow; early and late forcer.

City of Haarlem. Bright golden yellow; large spike.

## SPECIAL PREPARED DUTCH **HYACINTHS**

For Early Forcing

100	1,000
17-18 ctm\$8.50	\$80.00
15-16 ctm 6.50	60.00
13-15 ctm 4.70	42.00
In the following varieties: L'Innocence. Pure w	vhite. Lady
Derby, Bright rose-pink Bismarck, Sky-blue,	

## IMPORTED FRENCH ROMAN HYACINTHS

For Early Forcing

			100	1,000
White.	11-12	ctm	\$5.00	\$45.00
White.	12-13	ctm	5.50	50.00
White.	13-14	ctm	6.50	60.00
White.	14-15	ctm	8.00	70.00
White.	15 ctn	n. up	9.50	90.00

## CALLA AETHIOPICA

(White Calla)

Cured in the growing field and fully dried before shipment, thus insuring bulbs that are in prime condition.

		100	1,000
1 1/4 "-1 1/2 "	diameter	5 5.00	\$ 45.00
1 1/2 "-1 3/4 "	diameter	10.00	90.00
1 3⁄4″-2″	diameter	14.00	135.00
2" -21/2"	diameter	19.50	180.00

## CALLA GODFREY

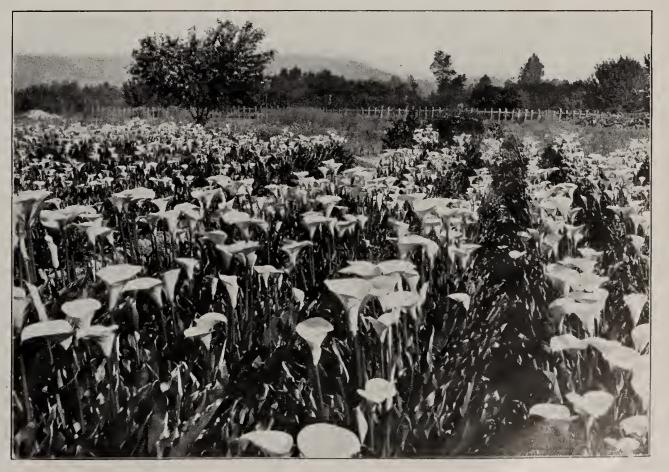
Sold up for 1936 season

## CALLA ELLIOTTIANA

### (Yellow Calla)

Provides a most desirable pot plant and as well of much value as a cut flower.

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1 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "-2" diameter\$ 7.00	\$ 65.00
2" -21/2" diameter 11.00	100.00
2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> "-3" diameter <b>16.00</b>	150.00
3" and up diameter 19.50	185.00



A Field of Callas Grown for American Bulb Co., Showing Healthy Condition of Bulbs



## NARCISSUS OR DAFFODILS



Texas Grown for Early Flowering

with red eye\$4.00 Campernelle (Jonquils) 4.00	
Horace. Poeticus. Pure white	1,000

## For Naturalizing

100 1.000

1	1,000
A choice mixture of numerous	
hardy varieties in first size	
blooming bulbs. Excellent	
for garden work or miscella-	
neus cut flowers\$3.	00 \$25.00

### Northwest-Grown Bulbs American Bulb Company's Superior Grade and Quality

Samples of bulbs received from Oregon and Washington recently are evidence that our growers have a good crop of fine, healthy, large size bulbs, and the bulbs show every assurance of giving good forcing results.

King Alfred Narcissi in Bloom in Greenhouse of W. A. Rowe, Kirkwood, Mo., December 15.

100	1,000	100	1,000
<b>Emperor.</b> Primrose perianth; deep yellow trumpet. D. N., No. 1, 17 ctm. and up <b>\$5.25</b>	\$46.50	King Alfred. Golden yellow; very large frilled flowers— D. N., M. B., extra No. 1, 22 ctm. and up	\$78.00 69.00
Spring Glory. Early. White petals, long chrome-yellow trumpet. D. N., No. 1, 17 ctm. and up 5.50	50.00	D. N., Selected No. 2, 15 ctm. and up 6.10 Golden Spur. Golden yellow; early; fine forcer. D. N.,	56.00
Tresserve. Large yellow trumpet; yellow perianth. D. N., No. 1, 18 ctm. and up	55.00	No. 1, 16 ctm. and up	41.50
Van Waveren's Giant. Large bicolor; very popular. D. N., No. 1, 18 ctm. and up	97.00	D. N., No. 1, 16 ctm. and up 5.50 Sir Watkins. Incomparable sulphur petals, deep yel- low cup. D. N., No. 1, 18 ctm. and up 4.70	50.00 42.00
Martha (Bicolor) 5.50	50.00	Glory of Sassenheim. Enlarged Victoria Bicolor. D. N., No. 1, 17 ctm. and up 5.50	50.00
Minister Talma. Large golden yellow, yellow trumpet. D. N., No. 1, 16 ctm. and up	55.00	<ul> <li>Von Sion. (Double). Golden yellow. D. N., No. 1, 16 ctm. and up</li></ul>	48.50
Poeticus (Pheasant's Eye)—           D. N., M. B., extra No. 1	30.00 25.00	yellow cup— D. N., No. 1, 16 ctm. and up	40.00 33.50



Above illustration shows, in part, over one hundred acres in Oregon devoted to the production of King Alfred Narcissus for The American Bulb Co., Chicago and New York.

NOTE:—We guarantee that no flowers are cut for commercial or private use—full strength of stem and foliage being allowed to go into the bulb for reproduction.

SPECIAL NOTE:—The personal inspection of our representative during the periods of blooming, grading and shipping insures our clients a "quality bulb" that has no superior. Chicago AMERICAN BULB CO. NewYork

## PAPER WHITE NARCISSUS

### CULTURAL INSTRUCTIONS—for home planting

**1st Operation.** Place bulbs in an upright position. Use beach-stones, shells, or any other material in your possession to hold bulbs upright.

**2nd.** Fill bowl with water up to two-thirds of the bulb. Place bowl in a dark place in the house until root-action starts and foliage appears. Then remove bowl to a light place and allow bulbs to bloom.

**3rd.** When bulbs are in bloom try to maintain as cool a temperature as possible, to prolong the life of the flowers. Provide for successive blooms by planting new bulbs every ten days throughout the winter season.

**4th.** If you are located in a southern climate, after bulbs have bloomed you can remove them to your garden and plant in the soil in a permanent place.

## PEARL CHIPS

### White or Colored

Used for bulb bowls, aquariums, plants, Japanese Gardens, etc. Brightly polished.

	F. O. B.	F. O. B.
WHITE—	New York	Chicago
100 lbs	\$5.00	\$3.00
25 lbs	1.35	.90
Less than 25 lbsPer	lb. <b>.06</b>	.04 1/2
COLORED—		
100 lbs	\$6.00	\$3.50
25 lbs	1.65	1.00
Less than 25 lbsPer	lb. <b>.07</b>	.05

## PEARL CHIP BOXES

Hold about 1 lb. of chips—printed in bright colors—a cellophane window—very attractive. Any quantity ......Each 1½c



Narcissus, Paper White Grandiflora, Growing in Pebbles and Water

## TEXAS GROWN Paper White and Grand Soliel D'Or (So-Called) "Yellow Paper White" BULBS For Early Greenhouse Forcing and Retail Sale

Successfully Cultured in Water, Using Bowls or Any Container Obtaining Depth of 3" or More

The demand for Texas Paper Whites and Soliel d'Or will, we are quite certain, be greater than anticipated supply For Your Own Interest ORDER EARLY!

### PAPER WHITE TRUE GRANDIFLORA

100	1,000
12 ctms. (1,250 to case)\$1.50	\$10.00
13 ctms. (1,250 to case) 2.10	16.00
14 ctms. (1,000 to case) 2.50	20.00
15 ctms. ( 900 to case) 2.90	24.00
16 ctms. ( 800 to case) 3.50	30.00
GRAND SOLIEL D'OR (YELLOW)	
100	1,000
14 ctms. (1,000 to case)	\$30.00
15 ctms. (900 to case) 4.00	35.00

Don't overlook the worth-while profit that can be obtained in the merchandising of Narcissus Paper White Grandiflora and Soliel d'Or in dry form to the public for growing in water and pebbles or sand. (See above.) A. B. C. Texas-grown bulbs avoid any "come-back" from your customers because of poor production results.

## (Excerpt from the FLORISTS' REVIEW)

## **Texas Paper White Bulbs**

Texas-grown Paper White Narcissus bulbs furnished by American Bulb Co., Chicago, produced one to three flowers on a bulb of 14 to 15 centimeters. Grown by William C. Schaefer Floral Co., Cincinnati, O. The bulbs were planted in late December. This bench had been cut four times.

"Why worry about the narcissus embargo when home-produced bulbs will give these wonderful results at prices below foreign importations?"



## Chicago AMERICAN BULB CO. NewYork



Freesias, A. B. C. Imp. "Parity Superflora"

### FREESIAS

de de la dade						
	1/2"	-5/8"	5/8"-3/4"		3⁄4" and up	
		1,000				
Purity. Superflora Whites						
Golden Daffodil. Exceptional yel-	,	\$ 0.00	<b>\$1.00</b>	φ 0.00	\$2.00	\$10.00
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low, firm texture, strong stems						
and of exceptional keeping						
quality	.75	4.00	1.00	6.00	1.50	8.00
Golden Treasure. Similar to						
"Golden Daffodil;" showing						
slight trace of Lavender on out-						
side of flower	.75	4.00	1.00	6.00	1.50	8.00
White Chief. Large white		9.00	2.00	12.00		17.00
Apotheose. Bright Carmine pink,	1.00	0.00	4.00	12.00	2.00	17.00
white throat, large flowers, tall						
	1 50	9.00	2.00	12.00	2 50	17.00
rigid stems, extra fine					2.50	17.00
Blanche Blue. Popular blue variety		15.00				
Blue Bird. New dark blue		15.00	2.25			
Carol. Burnt orange	3.25	27.50	3.75	32.00	4.00	35.00
Elders Giant White. Large white,						
late flowering	2.00	15.00	2.75	22.50	4.00	35.00
Mrs. Marc Peters. Deep rose;						
yellow throat. Fine forcing						
variety	2.00	15.00	2.25	17.50	3.00	25.00
Red Riding Hood. New red			3.75			35.00
Ruth Chatterton. Tyrian rose		27.50	3.75	32.00	4.00	35.00
Sunset. New orange; colored	0.20	27.00	0.70	04.00	1.00	55.00
	1 50	9.00	1.75	12.00	2.25	17.00
Wistoria Deep violat blue						
Wisteria. Deep violet blue	1.50	8.00	1.85	12.00	2.25	16.00
IRIS	(Du	tch)				

100	1,000
Imperator. Brilliant blue, extra early	
6-7 ctm\$2.00	\$12.00
7-8 ctm 2.50	20.00
8-9 ctm 3.25	27.00
Yellow Queen. Excellent variety of uniform yellow-	
6-7 ctm 2.70	22.00
7-8 ctm 3.50	30.00
Wedgewood. Even Wedgewood blue, large flowers-	
8-9 ctm 4.00	35.00
9-10 ctm 5.50	50.00
10 ctm. and up 6.50	60.00
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Monarch De Caen. 1 year, No. 1	0 \$18.00
Giant St. Brigid. 1 year, No. 1	) 25.00
His Excellency. 1 year, No. 1	0 25.00
CHIONODOXA 100	) 1,000
Luciliae (Glory-of-the-Snow). Blue with pure white center	0 \$15.00
CROCUS 100	) 1,000
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Baron von Brunow. Deep purple\$2.00	\$15.00
King of the Blues. Purple 2.00	15.00
Mammoth Yellow 2.00	15.00
Pallas. White ground; fine light lilac stripes 2.00	15.00
Sir Walter Scott. White, striped pale lilac 2.00	15.00
Mont Blanc. Pure white 2.00	15.00
Blue and Purple Shades 1.80	13.00
Striped Shades 1.80	13.00
White Shades 1.80	13.00
Yellow Shades 1.80	13.00

## LEUCOCORYNE IXIOIDES ODORATA

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Glory of the Sun. Flowers sweet-scented and will keep for 2 weeks or more. Beautiful lavender-blue, throat white shaded........\$10.00

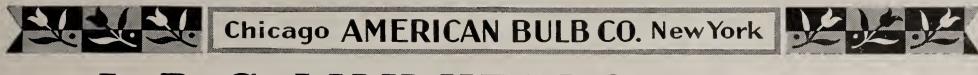
MU	SCARI	100	1,000
Heavenly Blue (Grape Hyacinth).	Light blue	\$2.00	\$15.00

### IRIS (Dutch)—Continued

	100	1,000
Poggenbeek. Brilliant blue, early—		
6-7 ctm	\$2.00	\$15.00
7-8 ctm	2.70	22.00
8-9 ctm	3.50	30.00
White Excelsior. Extra large, white—		
6-7 ctm	2.50	20.00
7-8 ctm	3.00	25.00
8-9 ctm	4.00	35.00
David Bles. Blue and pearl		
6-7 ctm	3.50	30.00
7-8 ctm	5.00	45.00
8-9 ctm	6.00	55.00
The First. Marine blue—		
6-7 ctm	4.00	35.00
7-8 ctm	5.00	45.00
8-9 ctm	6.00	55.00

## IRIS (Spanish)

Cajanus. Canary-yellow-	
5-6 ctm\$2.50	\$18.00
6-7 ctm <b>3.50</b>	30.00
King of Blues. Deep purplish blue-	
5-6 ctm 2.00	14.00
6-7 ctm 3.00	25.00
King of Whites. Pure white	
5-6 ctm 2.00	14.00
6-7 ctm <b>3.00</b>	25.00
King of Yellows. Fine golden yellow—	
5-6 ctm 2.00	14.00
6-7 ctm 3.00	25.00
RANUNCULUS 100	1,000
Tecolote Giant Mixed. 1 year, No. 1 bulbs\$2.30	\$18.00
SCILLA 100	1,000
Sibirica. Blue. Large bulb\$2.50	\$20.00
SNOWDROPS 100	1,000
Snowdrops, Single\$2.50	\$20.00
Snowdrops, Double	28.00
	20.00



# A. B. C. LILY HEADQUARTERS



HOUSE OF LILIES PRODUCED FROM A. B. C. BULBS

The fact that we have consistently supplied from year to year and for many seasons past, numerous of the largest Lily growers in this country and Canada, is indicative, we believe, that A. B. C. "Supreme" Quality Lily Bulbs have obtained an enviable reputation amongst the trade.

Our extensive purchases of this line enable us to control the output of one of the oldest and most reliable shippers in Japan, which assures us the 'cream of the crop''. Our customers have assurance, when placing orders with us, of receiving first quality, healthy stock, uniform strain and grading.

### LILIUM HARRISII

"Blue Ribbon" Brand—Bermuda Grown—Delivery August-September The high quality of Bermuda Lily bulbs now obtainable induces numerous of our customers to plant this type for early flowering.

			100	Case
6"- 7".	335	to	case\$ 8.00	\$24.00
7"- 9".	200	to	case	24.00
9"-11".	100	to	case	24.00
			CORE	24.00

### LILIUM CANDIDUM "Madonna Lily" Imported French Grown

Note!-Lilium Candidum is nowadays primarily planted outdoors, bulbs being set soon after their arrival from France. (Cover them not more than 2 inches.) In days gone by, Lilium Candidum was largely cultured under glass, although this plan is still followed to some extent. However, they must be grown cool, never more than 55° at night. Lilium Candidum and Delphinium Belladonna bloom at the same period outdoors and provide a most "happy combination".

100	1,000
20-22 ctm	\$ 70.00
22-24 ctm 9.00	85.00
24-26 ctm 12.00	110.00
26-28 ctm 14.00	1 <b>30.0</b> 0
28-30 ctm 16.00	150.00
30 ctm. and up (scarce) 19.00	

## New Crop LILIUM GIGANTEUM

### Southern and Northern Grown-Delivery September-October

Bouliotte dite iteri		7				
6 to 8-inch, 400 bulbs in	case. 8 to	10-inch, 225 bulbs in ca	se.			
7 to 9-inch, 300 bulbs in	case. 9 to	10-inch, 200 bulbs in ca	se.			
8 to 9-inch, 250 bulbs in	case. 10 to	11-inch, 150 bulbs in ca	se.			
(Prices on application. Special quotations in lots of 25, 50 and 100 cases,						
and carload lots.)						

We know the locality where all our Lilies are grown and our long and extensive experience in handling same enables us to eliminate strains and types that do not give satisfactory results.

The new 1936 crop will be available in due course, and as prices have not been established on some kinds at the time of going to press, we will appreciate receiving a list of your Lily requirements for the coming season, and we will be glad to quote our most favorable figures.

### TRUE LILIUM ERABU New Crop A. B. C. Select Strain

Our shipper in Japan has perfected Erabu of even size and free from disease through selection of planting stock and planting on new soil. This is a strain of Erabu that has brought us compliments from all our customers. Cable received this week from Japan reports that the crop is harvested, is being cured, and will soon be ready for transport to America.

rain.				
00 to 25 to	case	Write	for	Prices
	00 to 25 to	00 to case	00 to case	00 to case

## LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY PIPS

### **Re-selected Exhibition German Pips**

A. B. C. "Supreme" Quality Lily-of-the-Valley is, we believe, too well known to require any commendation on our part.

100......**\$4.50** 250......**\$11.00** 500......**\$21.00** 1,000......**\$40.00** Valley Pips from cold storage. For immediate delivery.

Besides its cut flower worth, Lily-of-the-Valley has an important sales value in the merchandising of Pips to the public for planting in various receptacles. Can be bloomed inside of four weeks' time in moss, sand or soil. A few started Pips, 12 or so in a fancy bowl, displayed in your store will, no doubt, create interest amongst your customers, especially so when you demonstrate their ease of culture and the short period required to bring them into bloom.

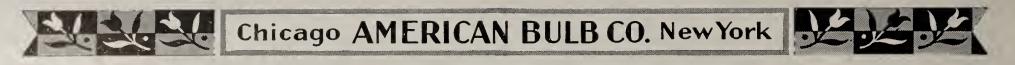
## LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY CLUMPS

### For Outdoor Culture.

A Permanent Investment for Your "Garden Planter" Customers.

Dozen.....\$3.00

LILIES CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE. YEAR AFTER YEAR A.B.C. LILIES ARE FOUND DEPENDABLE.



# A. B. C. LILY HEADQUARTERS

Lilies work so wonderfully well into a great variety of basket designs that it will pay you to have a good planting of several varieties, we believe. Please write for prices on those varieties not quoted.



### LILIUM RUBRUM (Magnificum)

8"- 9"	) to ) to	case case	9"-11"	to	case

### LILIUM SPECIOSUM ALBUM

				8"-10"		
0 -	9	10	case	9 -10	10	case

### LILIUM TIGRINUM SPLENDENS (Single)

170 t		

### LILIUM AURATUM PLATYPHYLLUM

				9″-10″120		
				10"-11"	to	case
<i>"-</i> ]	0"150	to	case			

## LILIUM AURATUM (Gold Banded)

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7"- 9"	to case	9"-10"	 to case	
8"- 9"170				
8"-10"150	to case	11"-13"	 to case	

### LILIUM HENRYI

				9"-10"		
8	9	200 to	case	10"-11"120	to	case

### "The Aristocrat of Lilies"

Standing Wreath composed of Orchids and Lilium Rubrum (Mag-nificum). "Oriental Orchids." There is no Lily that lends itself so gracefully to floral work of all kinds. Has a particular charm all of its own. Easily grown. Photograph by courtesy of J. H. Small and Sons, Washington, D. C., and New York, N. Y.

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LILIUM REGALE (Tr	ue Northern Grown)
5"-6"	9"-10"

9"-10"	······ Prices ······ on ····· Application
10"-11"	on
11"-12"	) Application

## Various Lilies

Japanese, American

and English **Novelties** 

Batemanniae. Salmon-red. Canadense. Yellow. Davuricum. Rich orange, flushed red and spotted black. Elegans. Red. Elegans. Dark velvety red. Elegans. Cherry-red. Elegans. Orange. Elegans Ogon. Golden yellow. Elegans, Mixed. Hansoni. Bright orangeyellow. Krameri. Pink-flowered. Rubellum. Rose-pink with yellow anthers. Superbum. Orange-crimson. Tenuifolium. Red. Tigrinum fl. pl. Double. Umbellatum Erectum. Red flushed orange.

## LILIUM TENUIFOLIUM

8"- 9"....

7' 8'

This most desirable narrow-leaved slender lily grows about 18 inches high, producing pendulous flowers somewhat resembling miniature Lilium Rubrum, and are brilliant scarlet, flowering outdoors in June. They should be planted about 4 inches deep and 3 inches apart.

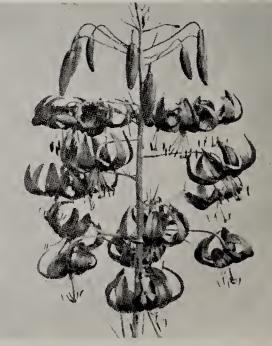
For under-glass culture they can be planted in a Darwin tulip bulb pan, set 4 inches deep, since they are a stem rooting type. They come into bloom in approximately 14 weeks. Also, owing to their slender stems and fine, narrow foliage, Lilium Tenuifolium can be planted between carnations right in the benches.

Bulbs of Lilium Tenuifolium are now obtainable at a low price, and we believe that florists will find them profitable, especially growers who operate in conjunction a retail store, as they are exceptional for basket work, etc.

PRICES Strong blooming bulbs: 100...\$10.00; 1,000...\$90.00 Write for special price on quantity

LILIES GROWN AS POT PLANTS Numerous growers have found Liliums Auratum, Magnificum, Tenuifolium and Tigrinum to prove profitable when grown as pot plants . . . especially "Magnificum".

LILIUM RUBRUM (Magnificum) now successfully cultured under glass approximately nine months of the year. An indispensable Lily for the florist.



Lilium Tenuifolium

All prices in this list quoted F. O. B. Chicago or New York, unless otherwise specified. ALL PRICES SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE!



### The value of Amaryllis depends on the quality of the strain. We buy our bulbs from several sources of known reputation, and mix these strains ourselves, thus making certain that you get the best obtainable. Every bulb we ship is of flowering size and many produce more than one flowering stem.

100	1,000
2-2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> inches\$12.00	\$110.00
2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> -3 inches <b>16.00</b>	150.00
3-3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> inches <b>22.00</b>	200.00
3½ inches and up 35.00	300.00

Amaryllis find a ready sale to the public in dry bulb form. Their extreme ease of culture commends them to every flower lover, coming into flower within a short period of being potted. Likewise, they are admirable for florists' show window decoration and pot plant sales.

## **TUBEROUS ROOTED BEGONIAS**

### "True Belgian Strain"

### Ready in January. For Pot Plants and Bedding

**Tuberous Rooted, Single.** Large blooming bulbs. Scarlet-pink, rose, crimson, yellow, orange, salmon, white.

**Tuberous Rooted, Double.** Large blooming bulbs. Crimson, scarlet, yellow, salmon, white, pink.

	100	1,000
1-1½ inches\$	5.50	\$ 50.00
1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> -2 inches	8.00	75.00
2 inches and up l	1.00	100.00



Amaryllis, Giant American Hybrid



Double Flowered Tuberous Rooted Begonia

## FANCY LEAVED CALADIUMS

"True Brazilian Type"

Ready in January

There are no finer colored foliage plants for summer use; splendid for the conservatory and equally good for porch boxes outdoors in shaded places. The stock offered is grown for us by the leading specialist in this line and represents only the choicest highly colored varieties.

	100	1,000
Separate Named	Varieties\$13.50	\$125.00
Named Varieties.	Mixed	100.00

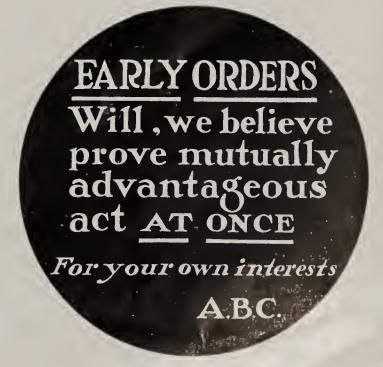
## **GLOXINIAS**

Ready in January

Exceptional for pot plants. Large blooming bulbs. Separate colors.

1	-1½ inch	es		 	 	 	 		 	 	 	 		 	. Per	100	\$10.00
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Florists on the West Coast recently found a profitable outlet for Double Tuberous Begonia blooms by utilizing them for corsages and table decoration (the stems being wired.) This new fashion is now sweeping the country, the flowers commanding a price on a par with that of Orchids and Gardenias.





# Early or Winter Flowering SWEET PEAS

## "Up-to-the-Minute" Florists' Varieties

True-to-name, thoroughly rogued and hand-picked new crop seed. If you are in the market for quantity, please ask us for special prices. All of the following priced at:

### White

White Harmony, Very good.Snowstorm Imp.White-seeded.NOTE:Hope (Blackseeded) is much the best white.<br/>See opposite below.

### Pink

Lavender

Blue

ing.

blue,

large rose.

Zvolanek's Rose.

rose.

Laddie. Improved bright, extra

Jeanne Mamitsch. Long-stemmed

Mrs. Calvin Coolidge. Salmon-pink.

Louise Gude. Bright rose.

Pink Cherokee. Cream-pink.

Pink Profusion. Rose-pink.

Superior Pink. Deep rose.

Michigan. Large lavender.

Mrs. Hoover. Best blue.

Sunray. Light cerise.

Grenadier, Poppy-scarlet.

Miss Spokane. Dark red.

Vulcan. Orange-scarlet.

Bright Light. Preferred.

Eldorado. Light orange.

Mrs. Kerr. Salmon.

Flamingo. Orange-salmon.

Maroon Prince. Dark maroon.

Vogue. Lavender with blue shad

Indigo Blue. Dark shade of clear

Springsong. Rich salmon-pink.

Annie Lanrie. Rose pink.
Attraction. Rich salmon-rose.
Ball Rose. Rich deep rose.
Ball Rose Queen. Long-stemmed rose-pink.
Columbia. Pink and white. Bi-color.
Chevalier. Dark rose.
Fascination. Cream pink.
Giant Rose. Large.

Heather Bell. Rosy lavender. Harmony. Lavender: slightly shaded rose.

Blue Bird. (Mrs. Hoover preferred.) Ball Blue. Bright mid-blue.

Scarlet and Cerise

Aurora. Orange-scarlet striped. Bright Light. Orange-scarlet. Glitters. Fiery cerise. Gorgeous. Cerise. Pride. Deep cerise. Long-stemmed. Red Bird. Crimson-red. Snsanna. Carmine-red.

Orange and Salmon

Apollo. Salmon-cerise, longstemmed. Burpee's Orange.

Miscellaneous Varieties

American Beauty. Crimson-rose. Amethyst. Rich, bright purple.	Harlequin. Chocolate bicolor. Mauve Beanty. Rosy mauve.
Cattleya. A delightful shade of rosy-lilac.	Meadow Lark, Cream.
All of the above are priced at: ½ oz	4 oz\$1.00 Lb\$3.40
Early-Flowering Mixed. A. B. C. Sp	ecial.

## Newer Varieties of Early Sweet Peas EARLY BOON

A glorious deep salmon-pink on light cream ground—the flowers are bold and beautifully frilled—the stems are very long, usually carrying four fine blossoms.

<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> oz....., **25c** l oz...... **45c** <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb...... **\$1.75** Lb...... **\$6.00** 

### EARLY CHIME

Light salmon-pink on cream ground—long stemmed—a prime favorite in the Chicago market—highly recommended.

<sup>1</sup>/2 oz......**25c** l oz......**45c** <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lb......**\$1.75** Lb......**\$6.00** 

FOR A COMPLETE LIST OF FLORISTS' FLOWER SEEDS, PLEASE REFER TO OUR GENERAL CATALOGUE . . . A COPY WILL BE MAILED FREE



New Sweet Pea "Zvolanek's Josie"

## Newer Varieties of Early Sweet Peas

Following are some new and comparatively recent introductions that obtain high value

### "ZVOLANEK'S JOSIE"

The most important Early Flowering Sweet Pea introduction in the past decade. This variety is without doubt the largest and longest stemmed pink Sweet Pea in existence. There is not even one of the summer flowering which can show larger and longer stems. It blooms freely in winter.

l oz <b>50c</b> 4 oz <b>\$1.75</b>	Lb.			\$6.50
1/	5 OZ.	1 oz.	¼ Ib.	1.Б.
Ball Orange. Clear deep orange\$		\$0,30	\$1.00	\$3.40
Ball Rose. Improved	.25	.40	1.40	4.75
Eileen. Rich Begonia-rose	.20	.30	1.00	3.40
Eleanor. Light blne, late-blooming	.20	.30	1.00	3.40
Forty-miner, Bright orange	.20	.30	1.00	3.40
Fragrance. Clear lavender	.20	.30	1.00	3.40
<b>Hope.</b> A mammoth flowering black seeded pure white which in our opinion is the best early				
flowering pure white	.20	.35	1.30	4.50
Lavanda. Clear lavender	.20	.30	1.00	3.40
Majestic Rose. Bright deep rose	.20	.30	1.00	3.40
Mother Machree. A golden rose suffused coral, a new shade and very free-flowering. The flowers are large and perfectly formed on long stems.				
Strong grower	.40	.75	2.25	8,00
Mrs. Holscher. Excellent rose pink	.20	.30	1.00	3.40
Monterey. Clear geranium-pink. Flushed salmon	.20	.30	1.00	3.40
Prosperity. Soft rose with light cream shading	.20	.30	1,00	3.40
Shirley Temple. New pink of great value	.30	.50	1.75	6.50

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### CALENDULAS — A. B. C. Improved Sensation

Considered by many to be the best Calendula for cut flower purposes. Flowers 4 oz.....\$5.00

### THE BALL CALENDULAS

New Crop Seed Supplied to Us by Geo. J. Ball, Inc., in His Original Sealed Packages Ball's Masterpiece. Clear rich orange with an attractively contrasting dark brown center.

## MARIGOLD — Winter Flowering

LIEB'S WINTER MARIGOLD-Sensational Cut Flower Novelty

Fritz Bahr, the noted Horticulturist and retail florist grower, under date of Janu-

ary 26, 1935, stated as follows: viz., "I consider Lieb's Winter Flowering Marigold as a quite remarkable addition. 1 can't say too much for it and right now at its best is real moneymaker for the retail grower."

### AUSTRALIAN TREE

## PANSY-A. B. C. "De Luxe" Fancy Colored, Large Flowered Mixture

Will satisfy your critical trade both as to size and variation of color-g. Truly the "last word" in Pansy mixtures and is our exclusive ing. T strain.

If you are looking for "the unusual in Pansies" and your trade will pay the price for product, here it is. We have searched the world over to find a better mixture. However, thus far we have been unable to improve on "A. B. C. De Luxe."

This exceptional mixture is highly recommended for cut flowers, like-wise for spring plant sales. Numerous growers have told us that "De Luxe" Pansy plants in flower virtually sell themselves and command a premium over stock produced from other so-called "fancy" mixtures. Yon will, we are quite sure, make no mistake in confining your pansy cultures to A. B. C. "De Luxe" Mixed. Tr. Pkt......\$1.00 ½ oz......\$1.50 ¼ oz. ....\$2.75 Oz......\$10.00

### Florists' Stocks – A. B. C. "Special Florists Strains" "THE WORLD'S BEST DOUBLE"

### Improved Bismarck Stocks

	Tr. Pkt.	1/4 oz.	Oz.
Golden Ball. Clear ivory yellow	\$0.35	\$1.00	\$3.00
*White. Early clear white	35	1.00	3.00
Apple Blossom, Blush		1.00	3.0
*Lilac. Lilac-lavender		1.00	-3.00
Blood Red. Fiery red		1.00	3,00
Antique Copper. Copper red	35	1.00	3.00
Elk's Pride. Rich deep purple	35	1.00	3.00
Buttereup. New giant yellow. A ri			
deep tone		1.00	3.23

### **Branching Stocks** (Giants of California)

Santa Maria. A giant double pure white stock of excep-tional merit. Giant flowers on a long flowering truss with the splendid branching habit of the Bismarck. The long stems of the Santa Maria make it a very de-sirable cut flower for the florist. 78 per ccnt double. The best double pure white Stock on the market. Tr. Pkt.......25c <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> oz......\$1.00 Oz......\$3.50

### **Beauty of Nice Stocks** Early, Large Flowering, Winter

Particularly desirable because of their long stems and branching habit.

branching habit.
\*Mont Blanc. Extra early white.
Monte Carlo. Rich canary-yellow.
\*Aurora. Cream, tinted pink.
Belle de Naples. Rich old rosc.
Bcauty of Nice. Flesh-pink.
\*Cote d'Azure. Light blue.
Summer Night Deep blue Summer Night. Deep bluc. Carmine Rose (Abundance). Sou, de Monaco. Crimson, late. American Beauty. Deep rosc-pink. \*Queen Alexandra. Rosy-lilac, fine. A Alexandrum —each of above: -\* \_\_\_\_\_\_.25c <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> oz.......65c Oz........\$2.25 

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Our grower received five "Awards of Merit" and eight "Highly Commended" for his strains of Stocks at the "Trial of Stocks" conducted by The Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain, at Wisely, England, All our California grown Stocks bloom at least two weeks earlier then foreign grown than foreign grown.

### Ball Non-Branching or Column Stocks

These produce one enormous spike with large flowers about  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet high and can be planted close together in

the bench. **Note:** Our strain of this important florists' Stock is true to type and quality unsurpassed. <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Tr. Tr.

### Improved Bismarck Stocks

#### (Early Giant Imperial)

An especially meritorious class. These Stocks are giant, growing from 24 to 30 inches tall, of branching habit, producing innumerable large spikes 12 to 16 inches long, coming into bloom in about twelve weeks after seedlings are planted. A high percentage of doubles can be depended upon from this strain.

Tr. Pkt. 1/4 oz. Oz. .35 1.00 3.00 market color

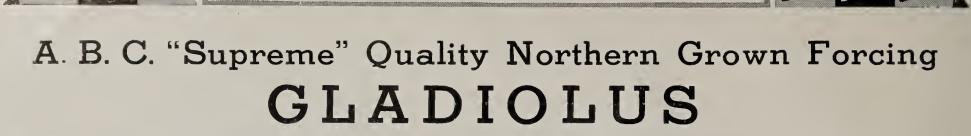
\*Indicates most popular colors and shades.



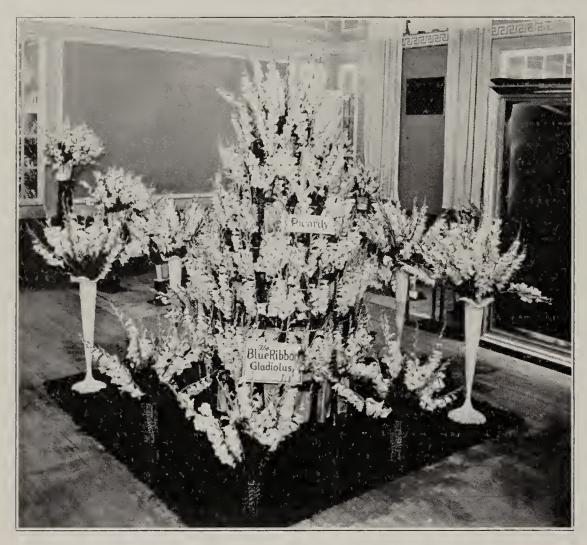


Stocks, Ball Non-

Branching or Column



Chicago AMERICAN BULB CO. New York



### Important to the Forcer

Please bear in mind the fact that Gladiolus bulbs which we supply for forcing under glass are especially cultured and scientifically treated for that purpose. Under reasonably normal conditions growers should obtain worth-while results from such stock.

In addition to that Queen of forcing Gladiolus,

## "PICARDY"

we are in position to supply all of the better varieties for under glass culture and at advantageous prices. As predicted by us last year, Picardy has proved to be the most outstanding cut flower Gladiolus introduced in the past decade and this very worth-while variety has created no end of unusually favorable comment from the trade and public as well.

## PICARDY (Greenhouse Grown)

realized in the Chicago market the past season from \$2.40 to \$3.50 per dozen, with all offerings promptly absorbed.

"Picardy"—Winner of Blue Ribbon at National Gladiolus Show, 1935

### "PLANT PICARDY FOR PROFIT"

## SPIRAEA (Astilbe Clumps)

The old-time favorite pot plant for Easter and Mother's Day blooming. Pink and white varieties in best named sorts.

**Note!** It is important that roots be frozen before potting. Grow 90 days for Easter flowering; grow 75 days for Mother's Day flowering.

Prices on application

## POLYANTHA, OR "BABY ROSES"

XXX Forcing Grade

Red and pink varieties.

Prices on application

## CLIMBING ROSES

XXX Forcing Grade

Dorothy Perkins. Shell-pink.

Eugene Jacquet. Large clusters of bright red double flowers. Paul's Scarlet Climber.

Marie Gouchalt. Brilliant light red and salmon-pink, etc.

Prices on application



Forcing Spiraea (Astilbe)

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DISCLAIMER: The American Bulb Co. gives no warranty, express or implied, as to description, quality, productiveness or any other matter of any seeds (bulbs or plants) it sells and will not be responsible for the crop.
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# STAPLE ITEMS FOR THE GROWER

#### CANE STAKES — Japanese

We import these in carload lots and usually are in position to supply same the year around. Hot water treated before being dyed, which prevents fungus and premature decay.

Green Dyed. 11/2 ft., 2,000 to a bale.

Bale, \$3.50; 100, 40c; 1,000, \$2.25. Green Dyed. 2 ft., 2,000 to a bale.

Bale, \$4.50; 100, 60c; 1,000, \$2.75. Green Dyed. 21/2 ft., 2,000 to a bale.

- Bale, \$5.50; 100, 70c; 1,000, \$3.25. Green Dyed. 3 ft., 2,000 to a bale.
- Bale, \$6.50; 100, 85c; 1,000, \$3.65. Green Dyed. 31/2 ft., 2,000 to a bale.
- Bale, \$7.50; 100, \$1.00; 1,000, \$4.75. Green Dyed. 4 ft., 2,000 to a bale.
- Bale, \$9.00; 100, \$1.10; 1,000, \$5.65. Natural. 5 ft., 2,000 to a bale.
- Bale, \$13.00; 100, \$1.20; 1,000, \$7.00. Natural. 6 ft., 2,000 to a bale.

Bale, \$16.00; 100, \$1.30; 1,000, \$8.50.

#### WIRE STAKE FASTENERS, "EVERLASTING"

Per box of 1,000, \$3.75

"SCOLLAY" SPRINKLER

Each ......Case 10,000

#### BLACK ARROW DUST No. 5000

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#### BLACK LEAF "40"

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## BONE AND BLOOD TANKAGE

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## F. O. B. Chicago

POT LABELS

- 4-inch, packed 1,000 to carton. Per 1,000, plain, \$1.50; painted, \$1.85. 5-inch, packed 1,000 to carton.
- Per 1,000, plain, \$1.80; painted, \$2.20.
- 6-inch, packed 1,000 to carton. Per 1,000, plain, \$2.00; painted, \$2.50.
- 8-inch, packed 250 to carton. Per 1,000, plain, \$3.00; painted, \$4.50.

10-inch, packed 250 to carton.

- Per 1,000, plain, \$4.00; painted, \$5.50. 12-inch, packed 250 to carton.
- Per 1,000, plain, \$5.00; painted, \$7.00.
- TREE LABELS. 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-inch, copper wire. Per 1,000, plain, \$1.65; painted, \$2.15.

#### WIRED PICKS

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10 lbs. or more	30
225-lb. bale	27
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10 lbs. or more	60
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### **GLAZING POINTS**

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#### GRANULATED PEAT MOSS (Imported)

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Each	bushels)	to 22	equivalent	(Bales
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**RED ARROW SPRAY** 

l oz. ....\$0.35 Doz....\$2.60

Quart ..... 3.70

Gallon ..... 9.50

ROTECIDE Red Spider-Mealy Bug

Quart .....\$3.00

Gallon ..... 8.00

SLUG SHOT LIQUID

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(Analysis 5-8-7%)

manure, using 8-inch potful to

500 lbs. .... 12.95 1000 lbs. ..... 25.00 TON ..... 48.90 F. O. B. Chicago Heights, 111.

WIZARD CATTLE MANURE (Analysis 2-IT-I) 100 lbs. ....\$ 2.30 500 lbs. .... 8.50 1000 lbs. .... 16.00 TON ..... 30.00

barrel of water.

100 lbs

Can be applied as a liquid

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can		\$0.45	\$0.75
cans		2.40	3.75
cans	• • •	4.20	7.00
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		Nicotine	Activator	
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500	lbs.								9.25
1000	lbs.								18.25
TON									34.25

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50	lbs.		\$ 3.60	100
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(Analysis 2-11-2)															
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1000	lbs.														16.00
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