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Springtime in our Bulb Gardens at Niles

Roeding's

FALL PLANTING GUIDE

1946

**CALIFORNIA NURSERY
COMPANY**

Roeding's Quality GIANT TRUMPET DAFFODILS

Favorites in the bulb garden are these large-flowered gold and yellow Trumpet Daffodils. Add spring elegance to your garden and select for long-season bloom. Numerals (1) to (5) indicate relative blooming period.

AEROLITE (1) FB1. Pale gold; large, graceful trumpet; wide petaled, flat perianth. Earlier than King Alfred. Each 30c; 12 for \$3.00; 100 for \$20.00.

ALASKA (3) FB1A. Giant flower of deep gold with an unusually large trumpet handsomely frilled. Each 35c; 12 for \$3.50; 100 for \$25.00.

CARLTON (2) FB2. Fine clear yellow of great size; flat overlapping perianth and large, expanded crown frilled at the brim. Each 35c; 12 for \$3.50; 100 for \$25.00.

DIOTIMA (1) FB4. Finest of the new super-giant yellow Trumpets (perianth 5 to 6 inches across). The huge deep primrose-yellow flowers are carried gracefully on long, strong stems. Each 60c; 12 for \$6.00; 100 for \$50.00.

HAVELOCK (3) FB4A. A beautifully proportioned solid bright yellow. A reasonably priced novelty. Each 35c; 12 for \$3.50; 100 for \$25.00.

HELIOS (1) FB7. Very early; entire flower golden orange; increases rapidly and blooms freely. Each 20c; 12 for \$2.00; 100 for \$15.00.

KING ALFRED (2) FB8. Uniform golden yellow. Each 20c; 12 for \$2.00; 100 for \$15.00.

LUCINIUS (5) FB9. Self colored yellow of fine form; late and long lasting; excellent for cutting. Each 20c; 12 for \$2.00; 100 for \$15.00.

STATENDAM (2) FB9A. Extremely large and well proportioned. Magnificent deep gold petals and large, wide-flaring trumpet. Each 50c; 12 for \$5.00; 100 for \$40.00.

TRESSERVE (2) FB10. Larger, later and lighter than King Alfred. Each 30c; 12 for \$3.00; 100 for \$20.00.



FORTUNE FB18A

Color Contrast DAFFODILS for GARDEN INTEREST

Irresistible to bulb gardeners are these pale-petaled Daffodils with bright hued, frilled cups of rich yellow, sometimes flame margined. Numerals indicate relative blooming period.

CROESUS (3) FB18. Canary perianth; broad, flat, orange cup; flowers held high above foliage. Each 20c; 12 for \$2.00; 100 for \$15.00.

FORTUNE (1) FB18A. The almost perfect gold and orange Daffodil heretofore beyond the reach of all except collectors. Increased stocks now permit a popular price. Each 60c; 12 for \$6.00.

JOHN EVELYN (3) FB20. Flat white perianth; flat cup unfading yellow, heavily fluted and shirred. Each 35c; 12 for \$3.50; 100 for \$25.00.

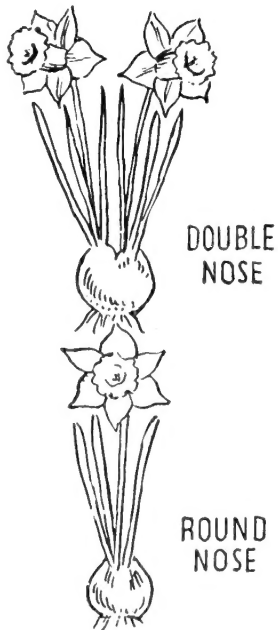
KILLIGREW (3) FB20A. A flower of perfect exhibition form, with bright yellow petals and a brilliant orange-red cup. Each 35c; 12 for \$3.50; 100 for \$25.00.

ORANGE GLOW (4) FB20B. One of the most popular at our bulb show. The flaring trumpet has an orange glow, contrasting beautifully with the yellow petals. Each 35c; 12 for \$3.50; 100 for \$25.00.

WHITLEY GEM FB23A. Very early. Deep golden yellow petals contrast strikingly with the bright orange fluted crown. Praised by all who see it. Each 60c; 12 for \$6.00.



E9 LOVENEST



DOUBLE NOSE

ROUND NOSE

CREAM of the CROP

Since 1932 when we first introduced "Roeding's QUALITY" spring flowering bulbs, each year has seen a deserved increase in their popularity.

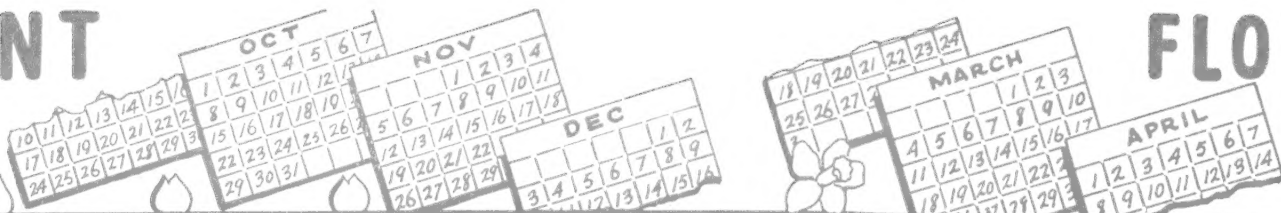
"Roeding's Quality" bulbs assure certainty of success, quick results, a long blooming season, and endless opportunity for spectacular color effects. Our 1946 bulb stock again represents the CREAM of the crop.

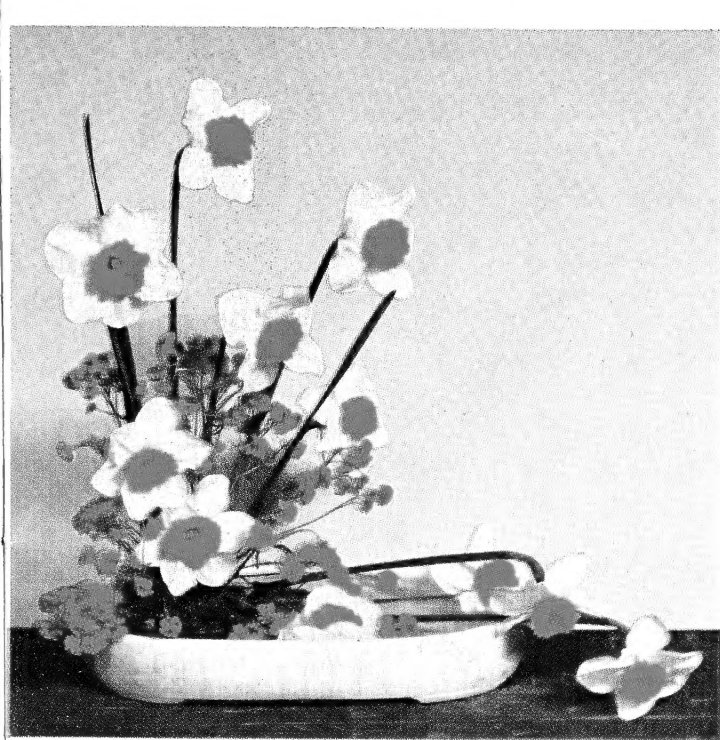
Save money by buying the best: Roeding's quality Daffodils and Narcissi are all first grade DOUBLE-NOSE bulbs, producing TWO flowers per bulb at only a fraction higher than bulbs producing only one flower.

PLANTING AND BLOOMING CALENDAR Daffodils and Narcissi

PLANT

FLOWERS





FB20 JOHN EVELYN

'49er COLLECTION

Four choice golden yellow
Daffodils selected for a month-
long blooming sequence. Each
bulb produces two or more
choice flowers the first season.

Helios
Aerolite
Alaska
Lucinius

3 each, 12 bulbs, for \$2.75
(7c tax)

6 each, 24 bulbs, for \$4.75
(12c tax)

Postpaid



FB2 CARLTON

Enjoy Cool Garden Effects . . . PLANT WHITE-PETALLED DAFFODILS

This stately group of large trumpet Daffodils includes two "pink Daffodil" novelties.

BEERSHEBA (3) FB25. Entire flower white in all stages. The most sought after of all white Daffodils and very scarce. Each \$1.00.

DAISY SCHAFFER (3) FB25B. A beautiful new and rare variety with white petals and a primrose trumpet turning to pale yellow. Each 50c; 12 for \$5.00.

GERTIE MILLAR (3) FB26. Giant flower; white perianth; large frilled cup pale primrose, translucent texture. Each 60c; 12 for \$6.00.

HERA (4) FB27. Pure white perianth; small cup, white frilled lemon, fading to white. Increases rapidly. Each 20c; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.50.

LA VESTALE (2) FB14. Perianth ivory; trumpet yellow fading to cream; excellent for light shade. Each 60c; 12 for \$6.00.

LOVENEST (2) FB15. Splendid "pink Daffodil" novelty. Pure white perianth; saffron-yellow trumpet changes to apricot-pink. Each 75c; 12 for \$7.50.

MRS. E. H. KRELAGE (2) FB16. Perianth white; trumpet opens yellow, fades to ivory. Each 30c; 12 for \$3.00; 100 for \$20.00.

MRS. R. O. BACKHOUSE (3) FB13. Snow-white perianth; trumpet opens apricot, changing to clear pink. Best pink Daffodil. Each \$1.00; 12 for \$10.00.

NETTE O' MELVENY (3) FB28. Very tall and graceful; perianth snow-white; small, clear yellow cup. Each 20c; 12 for \$2.00; 100 for \$15.00.

SILVER STAR (2) FB29. Broad, creamy white perianth; primrose trumpet changing to creamy white. Early, large flowers make a perfect foil for the giant trumpet Daffodils. Each 30c; 12 for \$3.00; 100 for \$20.00.

SPRING GLORY (3) FB17A. A dependable favorite, with pure yellow trumpet and creamy white petals. Each 35c; 12 for \$3.50; 100 for \$25.00.

TUNIS (2) FB29A. A beautiful novelty now available at a popular price. Broad white petals are waved; large, bold ivory trumpet flanged and serrated. Brim flushed coppery gold. Each 50c; 12 for \$5.00.



E106 SILVER STAR



FB18
CROESUS

Fiery-Cupped NARCISSI TO LIGHT UP YOUR GARDEN

These sprightly, colorful Narcissi lend a cheerful note to the bulb garden unexcelled by any other class. Splendid for cut flowers, too!

ACTAEA (3) FB30. Good foliage, strong stems and large flower; snow-white petals; bright orange eye with red rim. Each 20c; 12 for \$2.00; 100 for \$15.00.

ANNA CROFT (3) FB30A. Tall, strong stems hold erect delightful flowers. Petals pale yellow and cup deep yellow, shading to orange, crinkled and frilled. Each 30c; 12 for \$3.00; 100 for \$20.00.

DIANA KASNER (5) FB32. Last to bloom; ivory perianth; fluted yellow cup with orange-red frill. Each 20c; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.50.

FIRETAIL (4) FB34. One of the best. Long stems, white perianth, bright sea let cup. Fragrant. Each 25c; 12 for \$2.50; 100 for \$17.50.

MRS. BARCLAY (4) FB34. Perianth pale primrose; cup primrose-yellow with dainty orange picotee. Exceedingly showy. Each 25c; 12 for \$2.50; 100 for \$17.50.

SNOW KING (4) FB37. White overlapping petals; cup yellow with red rim. Each 20c; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.50.

Plant These NARCISSI FOR GARDEN FRAGRANCE



FB44A
GOLDEN SCEPTRE

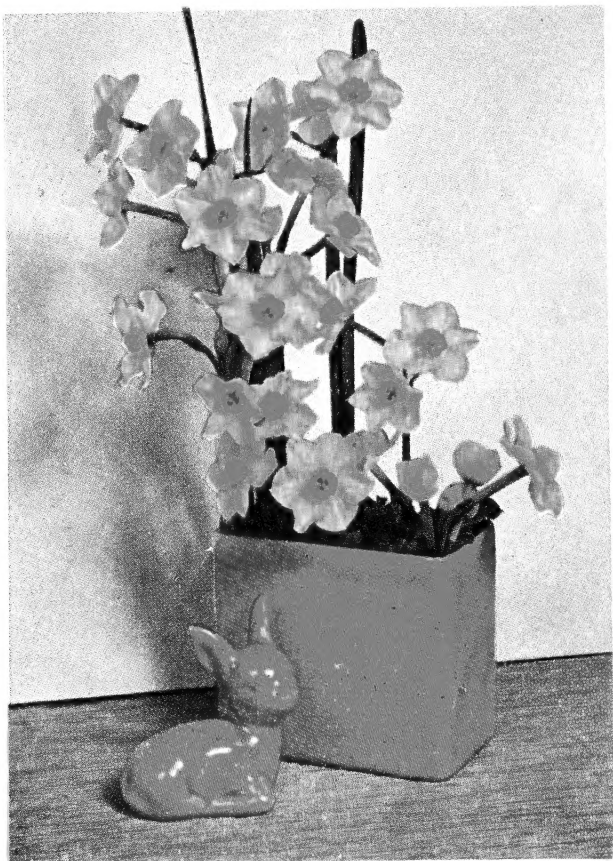


Fragrant Collection

The nine varieties listed right and above will provide garden fragrance from December to Mid-March.

- 2 each, all nine varieties, 18 bulbs, for \$3.25. (8c tax.)
- 3 each, all nine varieties, 27 bulbs, for \$4.75. (12c tax.)
- 4 each, all nine varieties, 36 bulbs, for \$6.50. (16c tax.)

FB46A ORANGE CUP



- GOLDEN SCEPTRE (2) FB44A.** Deep golden yellow with flaring trumpet; very free flowering and vigorous. Each 20c; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.50.
- KLONDYKE (2) FB45.** Pale primrose perianth, golden cups; flowers in clusters; nicely fragrant. Each 20c; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.50.
- LAURENS KOSTER (2) FB46.** Large clusters; perianth white; cup yellow; fine for mass planting. Each 20c; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.50.
- ORANGE CUP (3) FB46A.** Brilliant and fragrant. Yellow perianth, cup bright yellow with red margin. Flowers in clusters. Each 20c; 12 for \$2.00; 100 for \$15.00.
- ORANGE QUEEN (2) FB47.** Intense golden orange; cup fluted; very fragrant. Each 20c; 12 for \$2.00; 100 for \$15.00.
- TREVITHIAN (3) FB47A.** New Jonquil Hybrid producing two or more sweetly scented flowers on each strong stem. Broad petals overlap, neat shallow crown. Pure lemon-yellow throughout. Each 35c; 12 for \$3.50; 100 for \$25.00.

Winter Blooming POLYANTHUS

- CHINESE SACRED LILY (1) FB48.** Perianth white, cup golden yellow; flowers in large clusters; very fragrant. Each 20c; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.50.
- PAPER WHITE (1) FB49.** Small, scented all-white flowers borne in clusters. Excellent for growing in water for indoor decoration. Each 20c; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.50.
- SOLEIL D'OR (1) FB50.** Form similar to Chinese Sacred Lily; perianth golden yellow; cup orange. Each 20c; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.50.



FB46
LAURENS
KOSTER

Success With DAFFODILS

Daffodils are very easy to grow, requiring no summer care and, as they are not eaten by gophers and have few diseases; they are an excellent garden investment.

Plant Daffodils deeply. Most varieties thrive when put four to six inches under ground.

Dig the soil eighteen inches deep before planting if possible. This allows for ample development of the roots.

Irrigate the soil thoroughly as soon as the bulbs are planted so as to start root growth at once. Natural rainfall is normally sufficient to keep Daffodils growing up to blooming season. They should never be allowed to become dry, however.

After blooms have withered, cut off dead flowers, cultivate the soil and stir in bone meal, Gaviota, or any good commercial fertilizer. Irrigate often enough to keep the foliage green and growing for four to six weeks longer. Do not cut foliage until it turns yellow.

Daffodil bulbs do not need to be divided oftener than once in three to five years. They may be safely left in the ground all summer and covered over with shallow-rooted summer-flowering annuals.

Our Narcissus bulbs are of the largest size and are all "Double-nose;" that is, each bulb will produce two or more flower stalks.

QUANTITY RATES - ALL BULBS

Six bulbs (of one variety) at the 12 rate, unless otherwise noted; 50 bulbs (not less than 25 of a variety) take the 100 rate; 500 to 1000 bulbs take a discount of 5% from the 100 rate; 1000 or more take a discount of 10% from the 100 rate. Prices subject to change without notice.

SHIPPING CHARGES: There is no charge for packing. We will prepay shipping charges on all bulbs to points in the U.S.A. We are unable to accept orders amounting to less than \$2.50.

SUBSTITUTIONS will be made only when the supply of a variety is exhausted. Bulbs substituted will be of equal or higher value than those ordered. PLEASE ORDER EARLY.

CASH DISCOUNT: 10% discount on all cash orders of \$10.00 or more taken with you from the yard at which you place your order.

PLEASE refer to our Order Blank for instructions before ordering.

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE ORDERING

MINIMUM ORDER: No shipping orders can be accepted for less than \$2.50.

PACKING CHARGE: On all orders for balled and burlapped (BB) citrus and ornamentals and plants in containers (1 g.c. or 5 g.c.) please ADD 10% to the cost of these items to partially defray the cost of packing. NO packing charges for Bulbs, Roses, Fruit Trees, Grapevines, Berry Plants and Vegetable Plants shipped during the dormant season.

PLEASE ORDER EARLY: Items ordered will be shipped in the proper planting season. Bulbs: beginning September. Roses: beginning Mid-December. Fruit Trees, Grapevines and Berry Plants: beginning January. Deciduous Shrubs and Trees: beginning January. Citrus & Sub-tropical Trees: beginning early March unless requested earlier. Evergreen Shrubs and Trees: Anytime. (Shipping dates are subject to weather conditions).

FOLD ON THIS LINE

PLEASE BE SURE YOUR NAME AND FULL ADDRESS are printed plainly in the upper, left hand corner of the order blank. If you are shipping to another party, or to a different destination than your own address, please give complete information in the upper, right hand corner of the order blank.

WE PAY the postage on all shipments of Bulbs and bare root Roses sent to points in the United States. WE DO NOT PAY the postage, express or freight charges on Ornamental plants, Fruit Trees, Grapevines, Berry and Vegetable plants shipped to any point, nor on Roses and Bulbs shipped out of the United States.

TRUCK DELIVERY. Orders amounting to \$10.00 or more will be delivered to points within our regular delivery areas without charge if deliveries are made at our convenience. A delivery charge of \$1.00 will be made on all deliveries where value of merchandise is less than \$10.00.

This envelope will safely hold your check or money order. Please do not send currency or coins. Fold on the lines indicated.

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METHODS OF SHIPPING

In general, the best method of shipping the several types of nursery stock are as follows:

PARCEL POST: All orders for Bulbs, Bush and Climbing Roses, Berry and Vegetable Plants, Grapevines and orders for three or less Fruit Trees (which may include some or all of the preceding items) will be sent by parcel post.

EXPRESS: All orders for Fruit Trees (exceeding three trees) and Ornamental Plants weighing less than 50 pounds. Please do not ask us to send unpruned fruit trees, deciduous ornamentals exceeding 3-4 feet, ornamentals balled and burlapped or container-grown plants by parcel post even though delivery by mail is your only "door-to-door" service. Give us the name of your nearest express, freight or

truck-line delivery depot and we will see that you are notified when your shipment reaches destination.

FREIGHT, MOTOR TRANSPORT OR TRUCK-LINE: All orders exceeding 50 pounds in weight (including heavy ornamentals, standard roses and citrus trees), we will route the quickest most economical way. If you have truck-line service to your door but do not live in a locality served by P. M. T., please give us the name of your delivering carrier. P. M. T., California Motor Express and Valley Express pick up shipments at our loading dock daily during the shipping season.

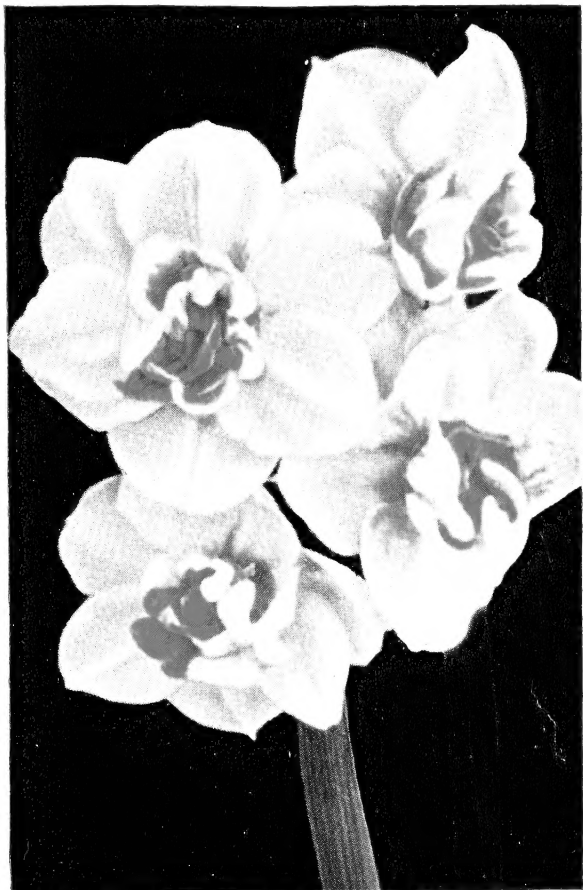
NOTE: We try to anticipate reasonable delays when packing, but please advise us promptly if your shipment arrives damaged or dry.

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DOUBLE DAFFODILS

Cherished for their novel forms, double Daffodils add interest to the bulb garden.

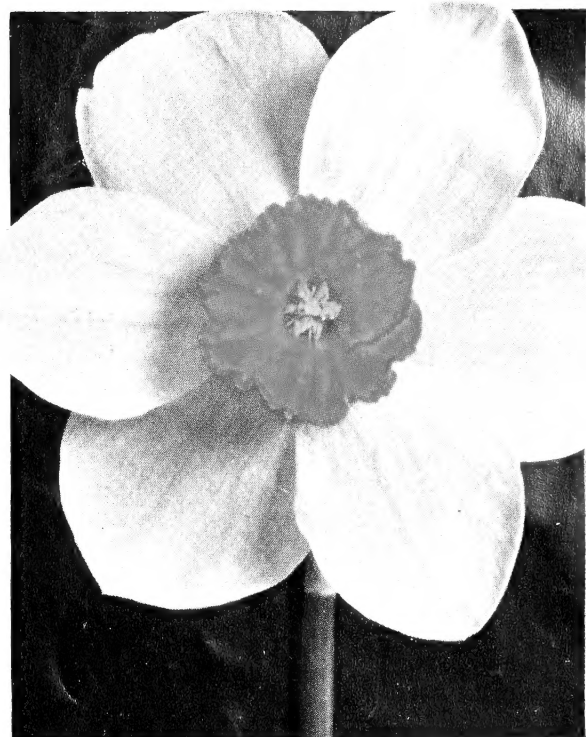
CHEERFULNESS (5) FB52. Clustered flowers very double; white flecked with lemon. Each 20c; 12 for \$2.00; 100 for \$15.00.



FB52 CHEERFULNESS

MARY COPELAND (2) FB53. Most striking double; white petals interspersed with lemon and brilliant orange. Each 50c; 12 for \$5.00; 100 for \$40.00.

TWINK (1) FB54. Petals alternate primrose and orange. Early; increases rapidly. Each 35c; 12 for \$3.50; 100 for \$25.00.



FB34 MRS. BARCLAY

GARDEN COMBINATION

One of the big thrills in bulb gardening comes from working out effective combinations of spring flowering trees and shrubs, bulbs, annuals and perennials. A garden calendar of blooming dates is essential, and easily kept. We suggest as a starter that you make several trips to our gardens at Niles during the spring flowering season (March and April) and take notes. We attempt to keep our garden well labeled so that you can ask our salesmen for the exact variety and its planting season.



Meet Them All

Last spring we had the pleasure of reviewing our pre-war Outdoor Bulb Show with its attendant week-end festivities. Months in advance of our show, display beds were renovated and replanted with fresh new bulbs. The resulting spring display gave us all an "old times are here again" feeling and our garden friends and visitors were generous with their praise.

We are planning a more interesting show for spring 1947, with many more new varieties from domestic and Holland growers. We hope that you plan to help us celebrate spring in the good old-fashioned way: "a trip to Niles to see the flowers." The usual dates will apply: Mid-March through Mid-April.



FB54 TWINK

Miniature NARCISSI

Ideal for rock gardens and tight little sunny garden nooks.

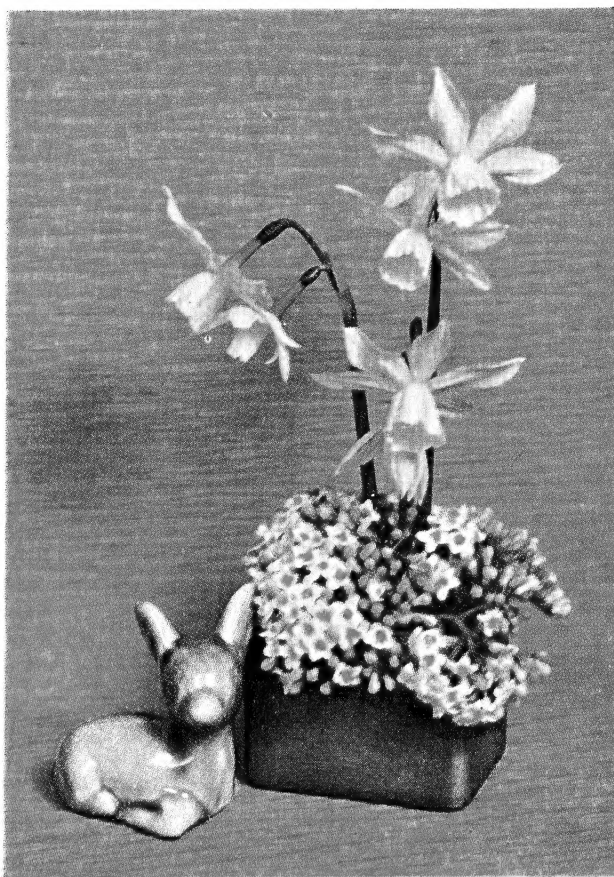
BULBOCODIUM CONSPICUUS. FB39. Dainty little yellow "hoop-petticoat" Daffodil. Golden yellow flowers on wiry 6- to 8-inch stems. Each 15c; 12 for \$1.50; 100 for \$10.00.

FEBRUARY GOLD (1) FB40. Early Cyclamineus hybrid. Long orange trumpets, reflexed yellow perianth. Each 35c; 12 for \$3.50; 100 for \$25.00.

JONQUILLA SIMPLEX FB41. Numerous small rich yellow flowers borne in fragrant clusters over a long season. Each 20c; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.50.

MOONSHINE (4) FB42. Lovely Triandrus hybrid. Creamy white flowers droop gracefully, two or three to a stem. Each 30c; 12 for \$3.00; 100 for \$20.00.

THALIA (4) FB43. Dainty Triandrus hybrid with snow-white flowers in clusters of two or three flowers. Each 50c; 12 for \$5.00.

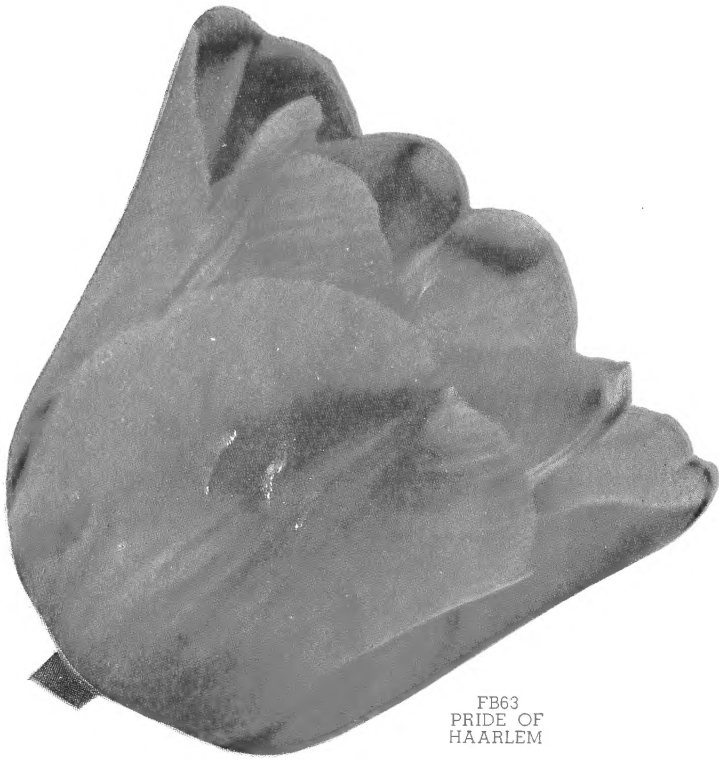


FB43 THALIA

Roeding's Quality TULIPS

NORTHWEST AND HOLLAND GROWN

A great new field has been reopened to Tulip lovers with the revival of Holland bulb importations. Here we have assembled the choicest of the domestic and Holland varieties, in a wide type and color range, something we have not been able to do for five years. The quality of our domestic Tulips has reached "tops" in the last few years, and as always, you can expect the very best from Holland. Prices of standard favorite varieties are more reasonable, too.



FB63
PRIDE OF
HAARLEM

DARWIN TULIPS

Prices: 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.50, except varieties marked with (*), 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.00; 100 for \$15.00.

AFTERGLOW. FB56. The name aptly describes the color of this variety. Soft apricot-orange, tinged with pink and orange-reds.

ALLARD PIERSON. FB57. Blooms earlier than other Darwins. Cardinal-red flowers on long stems.

BLUE AIMABLE. FB57A. Bright violet-purple shaded steel-blue, with blue base.

CITY OF HAARLEM. FB59. Immense, pure scarlet with steel-blue center and white ring.

CLARA BUTT. FB60. The best known and most popular of the late-flowering Tulips. A lovely clear pink that intensifies with age.

***DUKE OF WELLINGTON. FB61.** A delightful pure white flower of great beauty and substance, white anthers and pure white base, is carried on a stiff stem.

FARNCOMBE SANDERS. FB62A. Fiery rose-scarlet, perfectly formed.

NELL GWYN. FB62B. A delightful salmon-pink on long, graceful stems.

NIPHOTOS. FB62C. Bright lemon-yellow, gradually fading to white.

PRIDE OF HAARLEM. FB63. Bright rose suffused with purple. An exceptionally large flower of superb form.

PRIDE OF ZWANENBURG. FB63A. Very large salmon-rose blooms on tall stems.

PRINCESS ELIZABETH. FB64. Charming clear pink flower deepening to rosy-pink as the bloom matures.

***SCOTCH LASSIE. FB65.** Purest deep lavender with darker shade inside with dark blue base.

THE BISHOP. FB65A. Pure violet; fine form and sturdy stems.

WILLIAM PITT. FB67. Glowing scarlet tinted orange.

ZWANENBURG. FB68A. Pure white of large size and excellent form.

SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

Prices: Same as Darwins.

GENERAL DE WET. FBE1. Bold deep orange flowers, sweetly scented.

KEIZERSKROON. FBE2. Deep scarlet edged bright yellow.

TRIUMPH TULIPS

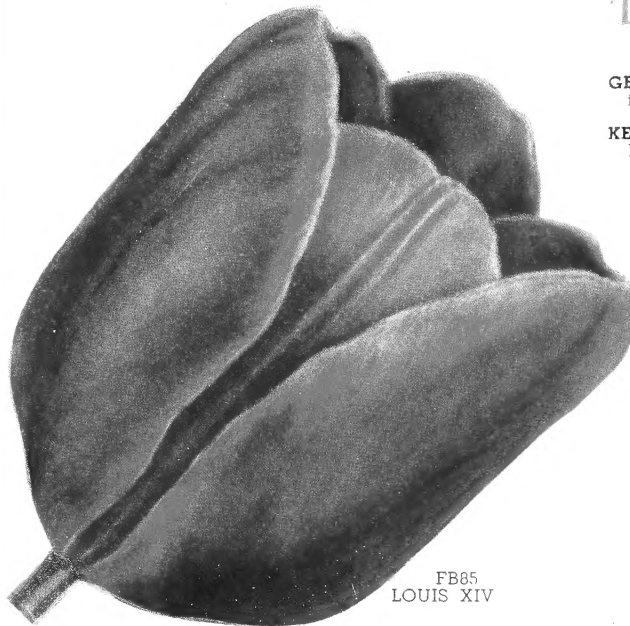
Prices: Same as Darwin.

All of these have **double** Peony-like flowers.

BLUE FLAG. FBE3. Very handsome light violet-blue.

MOUNT TACOMA. FBE4. Largest of all, with numerous pure white petals and a yellow base.

UNCLE TOM. FBE5. Dark glossy red; many-petaled large flowers.



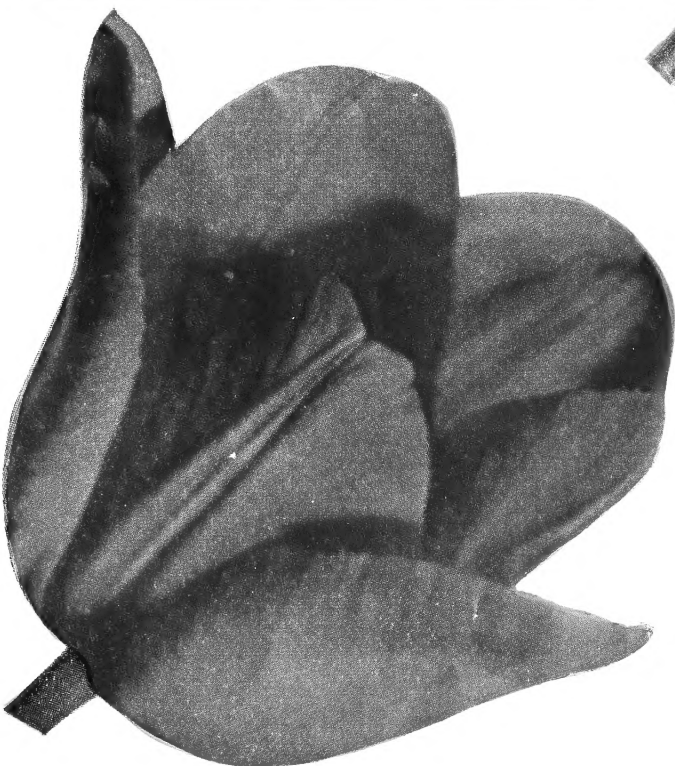
FB65
LOUIS XIV

Success With Tulips

From **October to December** is the best time for planting Tulips, although planting may be done up to the early part of January. If planting is done late in the winter, it is best to plant where the Tulips will receive partial shade, as too much sun may cause the late planted Tulips to open too soon, which will result in short-stemmed flowers of inferior size.

Plant Tulip bulbs 6 inches deep in sandy soil and 5 inches deep in heavy soil; that is, the top of the bulbs should be covered with that depth of soil. Place a handful of sand under each bulb and water thoroughly after planting. Tulips do best when the soil is cool and moist. Do not mix any fresh manure or chemical fertilizer in the soil where it will come in contact with the bulbs. If the soil is of poor quality, dig in some well-rotted cow manure several weeks in advance of planting.

The quality of the flowers your Tulips produce will depend more on the size and vigor of the bulbs you plant than on any other one thing. When you consider the time and labor that you put into growing your Tulips it is wisest to plant only the best grade of bulbs.



Left:
FB65
SCOTCH LASSIE



82ND YEAR



Right:
FB60
CLARA BUTT

UNIQUE PARROTS

Prices: Fantasy same as Darwin. Others: (*) 6 for \$1.50; 12 for \$2.75; 100 for \$20.00.

***BLUE PARROT. FB69A.** Bright purplish-blue fimbriated petals.

FANTASY. FB69. Soft carmine with pale green markings on reverse of petals. Fantastically cut and frilled.

***RED CHAMPION. FB69B.** Deep red, nicely formed fimbriated petals.

SUNSHINE. FB69C. Pure buttery yellow; a splendid novelty. 6 for \$3.00; 12 for \$5.00.

LILY FLOWERED

Prices: Same as Darwin.

ALASKA. FBE6. Reflexed petals soft yellow. Charming.

BEVERLY. FBE7. Brilliant orange-flame; pointed petals; very effective.

PICOTEE. FBE8. Opens white with pink edge. Pink suffuses through aging flower.

SIRENE. FBE9. A very fine reflexing flower of brilliant satin-rose.

COTTAGE TULIPS

For Color Range

Prices: 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.50.

ADVANCE. FB70A. Opens bright rose, deepens to fiery scarlet. Long lasting.

ALBINO. FB70B. Pure white and early, blooms with Darwin Allard Pierson.

CARRARA. FB71A. Pure white with gray base and yellow anthers.

DIDO. FB71. Carmine-pink edged salmon-pink and amber.

GOLDEN HARVEST. FB72A. Finest lemon-yellow at our Spring show. Excellent size and form.

GRENADIER. FB72B. Dazzling scarlet-orange; effective.

KRIEMHILDE. FB75. Ivory-white, with long incurving petals. Base deeper in tone, cream anthers.

MARJORIE BOWEN. FB76A. Large light salmon passing to deep pink.

MONGOLIA. FB76B. Large globular flower is deep yellow tinged lilac and brown.

MRS. MOON. FB77. Deep lemon-yellow, pointed petals. Beautiful for borders.

PRINCESS OF HOLLAND. FB77A. Bright red flowers borne on long, airy stems.

ROSABELLA. FB78. Excellent light salmon-pink with very pale pink margin. Does not fade.

BREEDER TULIPS

For Dignity

Prices: 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.50.

BACCHUS. FB81. A large, long flower on a graceful stem. The richest violet-blue variety.

BRONZE QUEEN. FB82. One of the most popular Breeders. Color is purplish fawn with interior of buff-yellow.

CHERBOURG. FB82A. Large cadmium-yellow flower feathered gold and streaked purple-brown.

DILLENBURG. FB82B. Orange flowers are flushed lilac. A favorite.

DON PEDRO. FB83A. Coffee-brown over yellow; interior reddish-mahogany.

INDIAN CHIEF. FB84. Purplish margin blending into rich brown-mahogany. Yellow base. One of the largest and handsomest Tulips ever produced.

LOUIS XIV. FB85. Large goblet-shaped flowers of bluish-violet with tawny margin. A wonderful Tulip of striking beauty.

PRINCE OF ORANGE. FB87. Terra cotta edged orange-yellow. Large flowers.

SONATE. FB87A. Tomato-red with an orange margin; inside of petals flushed orange.

Tulip Collection

Six each of the five Tulips pictured on these two pages, 30 bulbs, for \$3.75. (9c tax.)

One dozen each, 60 bulbs, for \$7.25. (18c tax.)
Postpaid

BOTANICAL TULIPS

Wild species useful for pot culture and rock gardens.

Prices: Same as Darwin.

CLUSIANA. FB10. The popular Lady Tulip. Dainty flowers are cherry-red, contrasting with white reverse, giving a candystick effect. Plant in light soil.

EICHLERI. FBE11. Early; large, crimson-scarlet flowers with glistening black center.

KAUFMANNIANA. FBE12. Early flowers with large creamy white petals; reverse carmine-red and yellow center.

HYACINTHS

Prices: Each 35c; 12 for \$3.50; 100 for \$25.00.

CITY OF HAARLEM. FBE15. Large trusses are pure yellow.

DUKE OF WESTMINSTER. FBE16. Deep purplish-blue; large bells.

KING OF THE BLUES. FBE17. Dark blue with compact trusses.

LADY DERBY. FBE18. Large spikes bright rose-pink.

L'INNOCENCE. FBE20. Deep rose-pink.

QUEEN OF THE BLUES. FBE21. Pale azure-blue; large spikes.

QUEEN OF THE PINKS. FBE22. Beautiful rosy pink; long spikes.

Order by
Mail With
Confidence

FB72A
GOLDEN
HARVEST

CROCUS

These are "Species" Crocus.

Price: 12 for 75c; 100 for \$5.00.

SIEBERI. FBE23. Delicate blue with gold throat.

SUSIANUS. FBE24. Appropriately called "cloth of gold," striped brown.

TOMMASINIANUS. FBE25. Light lavender-blue.



HYACINTHS

DUTCH IRIS *for Cut Flowers*

Dutch Iris are popular because of their beauty, ease of culture, early flowering, and long-lasting qualities when cut. Early varieties flower the last of February and the late varieties in April. Plantings may be made from October to January to prolong the blooming season. This type of Iris is invaluable for inter-planting with Tulips. Plant bulbs 4 to 6 inches apart and 2 to 3 inches deep. They may be left in the ground or lifted each year when ripe.

Prices: 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.50.

WEDGEWOOD. FB89. Tall, strong stems produce large, medium blue flowers. Just the right blue to combine with Daffodils. Earliest of all.

BLUE HORIZON. FB90. Light blue standards; falls soft sky-blue with narrow orange stripe.

JACOB DE WIT. FB93. One of the best dark blues.

WHITE EXCELSIOR. FB94A. Finest white; yellow stripe on falls.

YELLOW QUEEN. FB94. Uniform brilliant golden yellow. One of the best cut flowers.

BABY GLADIOLUS

These beautiful miniature Gladioli bloom much earlier than their larger cousins, beginning in early June.

Prices: Each 15c; 12 for \$1.50; 100 for \$10.00.

BLUSHING BRIDE. FB110. White with crimson blotch.

CARDINAL RED. FB111. Bright red.

PEACH BLOSSOM. FB112. Beautiful bright pink.

PINK PERFECTION. FB113. Dark pink and rose.

SPITFIRE. FB114. Scarlet with cream markings.

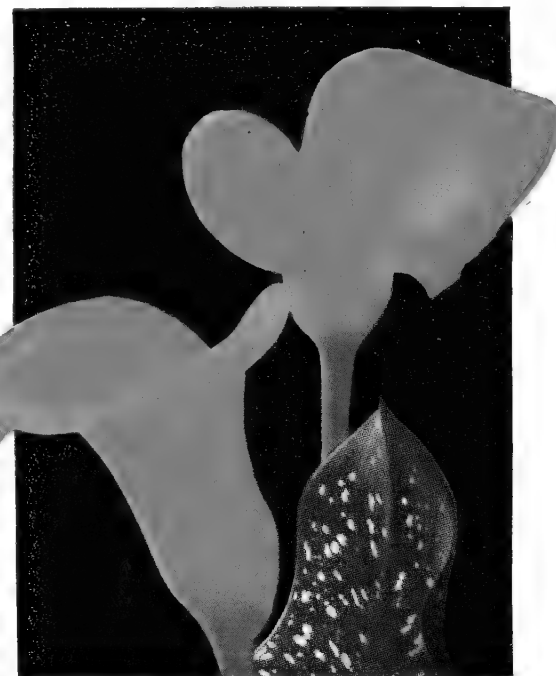
CALLAS

ELLIOTTIANA (Yellow Calla). FB107. Beautiful golden yellow flowers and attractive foliage. Plant November-December. Each 30c; 12 for \$3.00.

PINK CALLA. FB108. Rose-pink flowers change to cerise. Excellent novelty. Plant October-November. Each 50c; 12 for \$5.00.

BABY CALLA. FB109. A miniature of the common white Calla. Flowers on 12- to 18-inch stems. Plant September-October. Each 50c; 12 for \$5.00.

FB107 YELLOW CALLA



FB89 WEDGEWOOD

LEUCOCORYNE

GLORY OF THE SUN. FB132. Discovered high in the Chilean Andes, this gorgeous South American is a real find for California gardens. Lavender-blue flowers with white centers have a delicious fragrance and bloom on 10- to 12-inch stems in April. No waiting for flowers from our specially cured bulbs—they bloom the first spring. Plant high and dry because they do not like wet feet. Each 20c; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.50.



FB132 LEUCOCORYNE

Hardy LILIES

Plant in sun or partial shade in well drained soil. Tilt bulbs slightly when planting so that water does not drain into scales.

CENTIFOLIUM HYBRID. FB103A. Very tall stems over six feet, produce wide-flaring, white and cream flowers; some with green throats, some with brown, and some pure white. Plant October-November. Each 50c; 12 for \$5.00.

FORMOSANUM. FB103. Selected strain producing large pure white flowers in June. Plant in November. Each 30c; 12 for \$3.00.

PARDALINUM GIGANTEUM (Sunset Lily). FB104. Glowing sunset-red flowers on stems 6 to 8 feet tall appear in July. October planting. Each 40c; 12 for \$4.00.

REGAL LILY. FB105. Pearly white flowers with yellow throat on sturdy 4- to 6-foot stems. Blooms in August; plant in October. Each 30c; 12 for \$3.00.

SHUKSAN. FB105A. A beautiful new hybrid. Stems five feet long bear quantities of rich orange flowers, attractively spotted. Each 40c; 12 for \$4.00.

WATSONIAS

Watsonias grow to a height of from three to five feet and produce very long, graceful spikes of delicately colored flowers, ideal for cutting. Plant the same as Gladioli, except that in all but the heaviest of soils the bulbs may be left in the ground for several years. Watsonias bloom from April to June. Plant them in October and November. We offer the large-flowering new hybrids in a good range of colors.

Prices: Each 15c; 12 for \$1.50; 100 for \$10.00.

BULLARD'S WHITE. FB95. Beautiful large white on tall stems.

DAZZLER. FB96. Brilliant orange.

EUNICE. FB97. You will enjoy the flesh colored, salmon-tinted flowers.

VICTORY. FB98. Coral-pink with scarlet shading and a white throat.

MIXED. FB99. Blended assortment of good colors, including white.

BEARDED IRIS
See Back Cover

BUY Roeding's Quality BULBS

Don't be confused by offers of "blooming size" bulbs at "bargain prices." It takes two dozen small bulbs planted six inches apart to approach the effect of only a dozen top-size bulbs planted

one foot apart. LARGE bulbs cannot be crowded. Plant Roeding's Quality Ranunculus at least 1 foot apart and in exceptionally good soil 15 to 18 inches apart.

Here Again to Stay .

When the war cut off shipments of Holland bulbs, it eliminated our only source for a complete assortment of Muscari and Scillas. Now we are able to offer the same color range that appeared in our 1939 Fall Bulb catalog. These little jewels are easy to grow and increase rapidly in sun or light shade.

GRAPE HYACINTHS

Prices: 12 for 75c; 100 for \$5.00.

MUSCARI CONICUM. FB119A. Flowers resemble tiny Hyacinths. Beautiful deep blue in color. Exceptionally good for borders.

M. AZUREUM. FB119B. Small, sky-blue flowers on short stems. Ideal for rock gardens.

M. BOTRYOIDES ALBA. FB119C. Small white flowers on short stems. Good for rock gardens.

WOOD HYACINTHS

Prices: 12 for 85c; 100 for \$6.00.

SCILLA CAMPANULATA, EXCELSIOR. FB100A. This is the beautiful blue Scilla so much admired in our gardens. Color is porcelain-blue.

S. CAMPANULATA, LA GRANDESSE. FB100B. Pure white flowers on sturdy stems.

S. CAMPANULATA, ROSE QUEEN. FB100C. The finest pink-flowered variety.

WANDFLOWER

SPARAXIS HYBRIDS. FB135. Colorful South African natives with wide color range. 12 for 75c; 100 for \$5.00.

TRITONIA

Flowers larger and later than Freesias; blooming after Tulips.

Prices: 12 for 75c; 100 for \$5.00.

PINK PRINCESS. FB128. Beautiful clear pink.

PRINCE OF ORANGE. FB129. Dark orange.

MIXED HYBRIDS. FB131. Pink, orange, salmon.

BABOON FLOWER

Prices: 12 for 75c; 100 for \$5.00.

BABIANA, AZURE-BLUE. FB133. Freesia-like flowers, bloom in April.

BABIANA, MIXED HYBRIDS. FB134. Colors from rich red and purple to deep blue.



FREESIAS

“Cultural Instructions, BULBS”

GENERAL: Dig deeply, adding peat or compost. Manure, if used, should be thoroughly rotted and placed well below bulbs or added as mulch after planting. Do not cut foliage until bulbs are completely ripened.

DAFFODILS AND NARCISSI. See page 2.

TULIPS. See page 6.

DUTCH IRIS: Plant October-December. Leave 5 or 6 blades of foliage when cutting blooms. Bulbs may be divided each year or left in soil.

RANUNCULUS AND ANEMONES: Soak bulbs for one hour before planting. Plant from October to December in well-drained soil. Keep moderately moist while new growth is starting. Plant with sharp prongs down; concave surface is the top.

FREESIAS, TRITONIAS, BABIANAS, SPARAXIS, AND BABY GLADIOLI: Plant as early as bulbs can be obtained, in light, well-drained soil in full sun. Keep soil moderately moist. Bulbs may be left in soil or dug each year after foliage ripens.

MUSCARI, SCILLAS AND CROCUS: Plant 2 to 3 inches deep in full sun or light shade. October-November. Divide every three years for best results.

Fragrant FREESIAS

NEW HYBRIDS. Striking characteristics of this new strain are the immense size of flowers and the unusual vigor of the plants.

All Colors: 12 for 75c; 100 for \$5.00.

BRIGHT RED. FB120.

PURE WHITE. FB121.

BLUE. FB122.

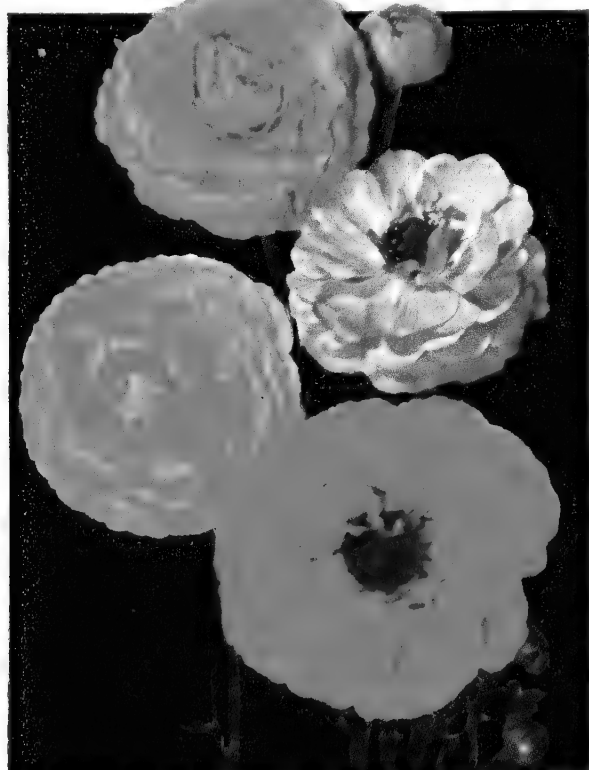
LAVENDER. FB123.

ROSE-PINK. FB124.

YELLOW. FB125.

MIXED. FB126.

PURITY. FB127. An improved strain of this splendid white. 12 for 50c; 100 for \$3.50.



RANUNCULUS

RANUNCULUS

Gorgeous blooms in separate or mixed colors from March first through April.

All Varieties: 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.50.

GIANT GOLDEN YELLOW. FB117. Brilliant blend of shades.

GIANT ORANGE SHADES. FB118. A new selection of blended colors.

GIANT PINK SHADES. FB118A. Light pink and rose shades.

GIANT RED SHADES. FB118B. Red and very dark rose.

GIANT WHITE. FB118C. About 75% pure white, some cream.

RANUNCULUS MIXED. FB116. Blend of all of the above colors in top-size bulbs.

ANEMONES

MONARCH DE CAEN. FB136. Single mixed colors. Bloom February to April. 12 for 85c; 100 for \$6.00.

All Below: 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.50.

ST. BRIGID. FB137. Double and semi-double mixed colors.

BLUE POPPY. FB138. Strain of blue singles with large flowers.

HIS EXCELLENCY. FB139. Large flowers of vivid red on long stems.

THE BRIDE. FB140. Large single white flowers with light tinted centers.



FB137 ANEMONE, ST. BRIGID



FT3 ETTER'S GOLD APPLES

Plant Roeding's Quality FRUIT TREES

Order Now
for
January
Shipment

Fruit trees and Grape vines listed in this section will be ready for shipment beginning in early January. We respectfully request our customers to place fall orders,

along with selections of Roses, so that they may be filled while our stock is complete. Orders are filled and shipped in the order in which they are received.

PRICES FOR FRUIT TREES

Caliper	Approx.	1-9 trees	10-49 trees	50-299 trees
1 1/16" and up	6 to 8 ft.	\$1.50	\$1.35	\$0.95
1/2" to 1 1/16"	4 to 6 ft.	1.25	1.15	.90
3/8" to 1/2"	3 to 4 ft.	1.00	.90	.85
1/4" to 3/8"	2 to 3 ft.	.90	.85	.80

Attention! Commercial Growers: When ordering 1 to 49 trees, specified rates apply. When ordering 50 or more trees, specified rates apply providing not less than 10 trees of a variety are ordered. If less than 10 trees of a variety are ordered, when ordering 50 or more, the 10 to 49 rate applies. Write for prices on 300 or more.

Prices Listed Above are for all fruit trees except: Almonds on peach root, Plums and

Prunes on peach, Nectarines, Freestone and Cling Peaches, which are 10c lower in quantities of 50 or more trees. Cherries are 5c higher.

June Buds: We have June Buds of important commercial varieties growing on Lovell peach, Shalil nematode-resistant stock, apricot and almond roots. Write for information, stating varieties and quantities desired.

CASH DISCOUNT

10% DISCOUNT ON ALL CASH ORDERS OF \$10.00 OR MORE TAKEN WITH YOU FROM THE YARD AT WHICH YOU PLACE YOUR ORDER.

OUR BIG 1947 ORCHARD AND GARDEN BOOK (56 PAGES) READY DECEMBER 1ST. LISTS CITRUS AND SUB-TROPICAL FRUITS, NUT TREES, BERRY AND VEGETABLE PLANTS, REQUIRING MORE SPACE THAN AVAILABLE IN THIS BOOK.

APPLES

GRAVENSTEIN. FT8. Most popular summer variety for market and home orchard. Streaked crimson.

RED DELICIOUS. FT10. A deep red sport of Delicious, out-ranking its parent in size, attractive coloring, and delicious flavor. Commands premium prices in all markets because it satisfies an increased demand for all-red Apples.

RED JUNE. FT11. Splendid early summer Apple for market and home orchard. Medium size, good flavor.

RED McINTOSH. FT12. An improved strain of a famous American Apple. Flesh crisp and juicy, skin solid red, good size.

WHITE ASTRACHAN. FT14. Early summer, greenish white variety prized in interior valleys.

WHITE WINTER PEARMAIN. FT15. Large, fall ripening shipping Apple. Trees vigorous, productive.

WINTER BANANA. FT16. Large, attractive fruits pale yellow with handsome red blush. Quick bearer.

YELLOW BELLEFLOWER. FT17. Popular cooking Apple, very aromatic. Bears best when planted with other sorts.

YELLOW DELICIOUS. FT18. Golden cooking sport of the Delicious Apple. Combines all of the desirable features of its parent with handsome color and wide range of adaptability.

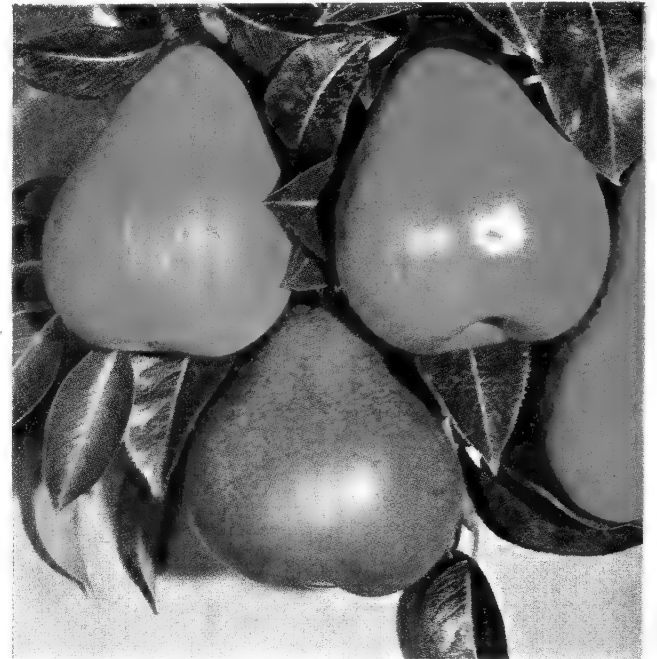
YELLOW NEWTOWN PIPPIN. FT19. Best known winter Apple, adapted to wide range of climates. Good eating, cooking.

CRABAPPLES

RED SIBERIAN. FT20. Small, bright red fruit makes excellent cider, jellies, preserves. Showy, prolific.

TRANSCENDENT. FT21. Large yellow Crabapple; crisp, juicy flesh.

YELLOW SIBERIAN. FT22. Large clusters of handsome yellow fruits. Makes excellent preserves, jams, jellies.



FT54 BEURRE HARDY

FT56 DOYENNE DU COMICE

FT59 WINTER NELIS

New ALBERT ETTER APPLES

Prices for Etter Varieties:

5 to 8 ft. grade, \$2.00 each 4 to 5 ft. grade, \$1.75 each

3 to 4 ft. grade, \$1.50 each

10 trees assorted—deduct 15c per tree.

50 trees or more assorted—deduct 40c per tree.

ALASKA. FT1. (Plant Patent Applied For.) Crispy cool, has splendid production and handsome size and shape. October fruits are "banks of snow" against dark green foliage.

CRIMSON GOLD. FT2. (Plant Patent Applied For.) A fine crisp Apple of medium size with bright red skin and white flesh. When sliced and cooked flesh turns golden yellow resembling sliced cling Peaches.

ETTER'S GOLD. FT3. (Plant Patent No. 659.) Large, plentiful, golden fruits begin to mature in October; crisp and delightful to eat even when overripe; sprightly, mild sub-acid flavor and firm flesh persist through cooking.

HUMBOLDT. FT4. (Plant Patent No. 658.) Fruits maturing in late fall have creamy flesh, tinted pink, showing through transparent skin.

JONWIN. FT5. (Plant Patent Applied For.) Hybrid of Jonathan and Baldwin, this delicious red Apple combines the best features of both. Jonwin develops large size fruits of Baldwin and ripens in August-September with Jonathan.

PINK PEARL. FT6. (Plant Patent Applied For.) Remarkably transparent skin glows with the color of pink flesh beneath. A startling "bouquet" is discovered with the first bite into this medium to large sized Apple ripening in September.

WICKSON. FT7. (Plant Patent Applied For.) Masses of brilliant red fruits almost conceal the foliage in fall. The flavor is enticing and sugary sweet. Not only a fine small Apple for fresh eating, Wickson is delicious spiced, unsurpassed for jam and jelly.

QUINCES

APPLE OR ORANGE. FT112. Medium-sized, Apple-shaped.

PINEAPPLE. FT113. Large; flavor suggests Pineapple.

SMYRNA. FT114. Oblong fruits, handsome, perfumed.

Delicious PEARS

BARTLETT. FT52. National favorite used for shipping, drying, canning. First good commercial and home orchard variety to ripen.

BEURRE D'ANJOU. FT53. Crimson blushed, tasty fruits are excellent keepers. Bears heavy crops.

BEURRE HARDY. FT54. Best known fall shipping variety. Follows Bartlett. Handsome fruits borne on productive trees. Available on Quince root for shallow soils or for top-working other sorts.

DANA'S HOVEY. FT55. Popular small-fruited home orchard variety sometimes called "Winter Seckel."

DOYENNE DU COMICE. FT56. Important fall commercial and home orchard Pear. Beautiful, delicious.

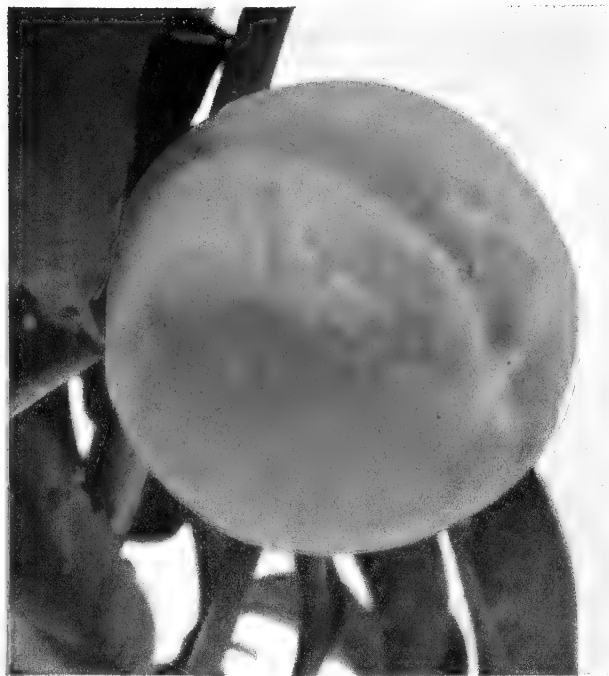
OLD HOME. FT57. (Blight-Resistant Pear.) Used as an intermediate stock for blight resistance.

SECKEL. FT58. Small-fruited home orchard Pear. Delicious flesh melting, juicy, buttery.

WINTER NELIS. FT59. Late ripening, medium sized fruits are tasty, excellent keepers.



FT69 FISHER PEACHES



FT76 NECTAR PEACH

Freestone PEACHES

ALEXANDER. FT60. Very early white-fleshed Peach.

BABCOCK. FT61. Particularly desirable for Southern California. Flesh white, juicy, sweet. Skin handsomely colored.

CURRY SEEDLING. FT63. Medium late yellow freestone.

EARLY ELBERTA. FT64. Has all the fine characteristics of its parent plus the advantages of ripening a month earlier.

ELBERTA. FT66. National favorite mid-season yellow freestone. Used for fresh eating, canning, and drying; large, tasty.

FAY ELBERTA. FT67. Similar to parent. Ripens a few days later. Tastier.

FIDLER. FT68. New late yellow freestone, ripening in late September to early October.

FISHER. FT69. (Plant Patent No. 233.) Ripens a full six weeks ahead of Elberta, a remarkable advantage for a yellow-fleshed Peach of high quality. Add 20c royalty.

FOSTER. FT70. Well-known early yellow-fleshed freestone almost identical to but superior to Early Crawford.

HALE'S EARLY. FT71. Good early, large white-fleshed Peach.

J. H. HALE. FT72. Excellent home orchard and shipping Peach ripening just after Elberta. Large size, attractive, delicious.

LOVELL. FT73. Famous three-way Peach; for shipping, drying, and canning.

MILLER'S LATE. FT74. Latest commercial and home orchard Peach.

MUIR. FT75. The favorite Peach for drying in California. Yellow flesh.

NECTAR. FT76. (Plant Patent No. 86.) The finest early white-fleshed freestone we have ever seen. It has size, beautiful coloring, a distinctive flavor with a delightful suggestion of nectarine tang. Add 20c royalty.

RIO OSO GEM. FT77. (Plant Patent No. 84.) Ripening just after J. H. Hale, it exceeds that excellent variety in quality, flavor, and appearance. Add 10c royalty.

SALWAY. FT78. Late yellow-fleshed Peach. Good size and quality.

STRAWBERRY FREESTONE. FT79. Early white-fleshed, sweet, juicy.

YELLOW ST. JOHN. FT80. A good early yellow freestone.

CLING PEACHES

(All of the following cling Peaches are yellow-fleshed.)

FORTUNA. FT82. Recent early-season introduction.

GOMES (Stuart). FT84. Late productive cling ripening in Phillips season.

HALFORD No. 2. FT85. Favorite with growers and canners. Productive, uniformly large.

PALORO. FT87. Prominent in all cling sections.

PEAK. FT88. Similar to Paloro, few days later.

SELLER'S ORANGE. FT89. Large home orchard sort.

SIMS. FT89A. Large, popular in mild climates.

SULLIVAN CLING. FT91. (Plant Patent No. 186.) This excellent new cling Peach was introduced by us as a more desirable variety than Phillips. A consistent heavy producer of top-quality fruit. Add 5c royalty.

WHITE FLESHED CLING PEACHES

HEATH CLING. FT86. Popular Peach for home canning.

STRAWBERRY CLING. FT90. Beautiful color; tasty.

NECTARINES

GARDEN STATE. FT46. (Plant Patent No. 92.) This excellent new variety was introduced by the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station. Attractive, productive, and a yellow-fleshed freestone, it is a fine addition to California varieties. Add 10c royalty.

GOLD MINE. FT47. Delicious home orchard variety. Good producer; early.

GOWER. FT48. Standard shipping variety. Early.

QUETTA. FT49. Large clingstone shipper.

STANWICK. FT50. California leading variety. Good shipper, fine for drying and canning.

VICTORIA. FT51. Late home orchard sort.

(All our Nectarine varieties, except Garden State, are white-fleshed. All are freestones except Quetta.)

TABLE GRAPES

35c each; 10 for \$2.50.

BLACK HAMBURG. TG1. Excellent eating Grape adapted to many climates. Berries sweet and crisp. Midseason.

BLACK MALVOISE. TG2. Good variety for both table and wine. Midseason.

BLACK MONUKKA. TG3. Seedless. Strong grower for arbors. Midseason.

CORNICHON. TG5. Handsome black Grape. Large, loose clusters. Late.

EMPEROR. TG6. Late red. Good storage Grape. Prized for holiday tables.

FLAME TOKAY. TG7. Crisp red Grape; mid-season. Round juicy berries.

MALAGA. TG8. Leading white midseason shipper. Large, juicy berries.

MARAVILLE DE MALAGA (Red Malaga). TG9. Excellent red Grape, ripen before Tokay. Splendid for arbors.

MUSCAT. TG10. California's leading table Grape. Used for raisins and wines; mid-season. Strong canes, easily trimmed.

RIBIER. TG12. Extra large, handsome black variety useful for arbors. Midseason.

RISH-BABA. TG13. Long, oval white Grape. Vigorous, fine for arbors. Midseason. This is the "Ladyfinger."

ROSE OF PERU. TG14. Vigorous, appealing black. Exceptionally good for Bay regions.

THOMPSON SEEDLESS. TG15. California's best known table and raisin Grape. White; early. Luscious long clusters.

ZANTE CURRANT. TG16. Small, black seedless. Dried for grape "currants."

Prices for Grapes Below:
50c each; 10 for \$4.50.

BLACK MUSCAT. TG4. Richest flavor of all Grapes and popular with everyone. A rare variety; supply limited.

PEARL OF CSABA. TG11. The first Grape to ripen. Very early, sweet and juicy in warm sections.

AMERICAN GRAPES

50c each; 10 for \$3.50.

CATAWBA. AG1. The leading, coppery red American variety. Large clusters of flavorful berries.

CONCORD. AG2. The nationally known "slip-skin" Grape. Round, firm, black berries on medium sized clusters. Vigorous grower, excellent arbor Grape.

ISABELLA. AG3. Popular large black variety.

NIAGARA. AG4. Best white "slip-skin."

PIERCE (California Concord). AG5. Very large, blue-black berries; good sized clusters.

WINE GRAPES

35c each; 10 for \$2.50.

ALICANTE BOUSCHET. WG1. Noted for its fine, red juice.

CARIGNANE. WG2. Excellent producing black wine Grape. Well filled clusters of tough-skinned, juicy berries.

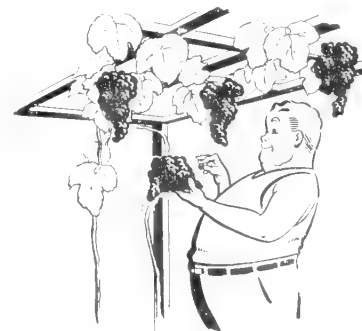
GOLDEN CHASSELAS. WG3. Prominent white wine Grape. Heavy bearer; well adapted to most districts.

GRENAche. WG4. Standard black wine Grape.

MISSION. WG5. The black wine Grape of the Padres.

PINOT BLANC. WG5A. Becoming very popular as a white wine Grape.

ZINFANDEL. WG6. Leading black wine Grape in California.





FT23 BLENHEIM APRICOTS

APRICOTS *for Table and Canning*

BLENHEIM. FT23. California's leading variety. Large, attractive fruits are well formed, delicious. Trees steady producers of high quality drying, canning and fresh fruit.

MOORPARK. FT24. Extra large fruits of high quality and delicious flavor are favorites on the fresh market. Fancy dried product commands premium prices. Trees should receive frequent summer irrigation for maximum bearing.

NEWCASTLE EARLY. FT25. Medium sized fruits are ripe before other varieties. Valuable in early shipping districts.

ROUTIER'S PEACH. FT26. Home orchard favorite of interior valleys. Fruits large, handsome, flesh is sweet, juicy

ROYAL. FT27. Similar to Blenheim, but our strain of Winter's Royal ripens three or four days before Blenheim. Prized for shipping, drying and canning; good producer in interior valleys.

TILTON. FT28. Fruits large and highly colored. Last variety to ripen.

CHERRIES

BING. FT36. California's finest black shipping Cherry and most popular home orchard variety. Large, heart-shaped fruits are borne on sturdy, productive trees.

BLACK TARTARIAN. FT37. Most popular early variety. Medium-sized black fruits have excellent flavor.

ROYAL ANNE (Napoleon Bigarreau). FT39. Popular California canning and shipping variety. Large, light amber fruits, borne on large, productive trees.

ENGLISH MORELLO. FT40. Standard late, red-juiced sour Cherry. Excellent for canning and pies.

California PRUNES

BURTON. FT106. Extra large Prune for fancy drying, eating fresh and home canning. Plant with French Improved.

COATES 1418. FT107. The Prune of many names: XX French, Cox, Date, Saratoga. High yielding variety; fruits run to higher grades than French.

FRENCH IMPROVED. FT108. Leading variety in all districts. Medium to large fruits are borne on sturdy, prolific trees.

IMPERIAL EPINEUSE. FT109. One of the largest Prunes; excellent quality. Shy bearer unless planted with other sorts.

STANDARD. FT110. A large, dark purple fruit which is used for both fresh shipment and drying. The flesh is fine grained, juicy and sweet.

SUGAR. FT111. Earliest Prune to ripen. Fruit is large in size and very sweet. Popular in the interior valleys as well as in the coastal districts.

FIGS

BROWN TURKEY. FT41. Produces large, elongated fruits, rich purplish-brown in color. Flesh is strawberry-red, fine grained, sweet and juicy. Adaptable to any section where the Fig may be grown.

DURO BLACK. FT42. A large Fig which does well in coastal sections. It produces two distinct crops; a popular variety for home orchard and local markets.

KADOTA. FT43. The leading canning and preserving Fig of California. Fruit is medium size, light green in color. Pulp is very sweet, of good quality, practically seedless. Trees bear when very young.

MISSION. FT44. Introduced by the Mission Fathers, it is the oldest and best all-purpose Fig. Tree is large, spreading and produces two distinct crops. Fruit is medium to large, dark purple to black in color.

WHITE ADRIATIC. FT45. The leading drying Fig of the San Joaquin Valley. Fruit is medium to large, white; pulp is reddish and good quality.

POMEGRANATE

WONDERFUL. FT116. Large fruits are borne in late fall on ornamental tree-like shrub. 3-4 ft., \$1.25.

DRAKE'S SEEDLING. FT29. Productive, medium soft-shelled Almond, valuable as a pollinizer. Important commercial variety.

IXL. FT30. A beautiful, large Almond, most attractive in appearance. Soft-shelled; sweet kernels.

NE PLUS ULTRA. FT32. Elongated, soft-shelled Almonds are borne on productive trees. Pollinizer for Nonpareil.

BAVAY'S GREEN GAGE. FT93. A large, round greenish-yellow Plum; flesh sweet and of fine flavor. Very popular in the home orchard and used for canning.

BEAUTY. FT94. The earliest important commercial variety. Fruit is medium to large, heart-shaped; color is a beautiful crimson. Flesh is firm enough for shipping and of good flavor.

CLIMAX. FT96. One of the finest of all eating Plums and much in demand for the home orchard. The fruit is large, heart-shaped and cherry-red in color. The flesh is sweet, juicy, and rich. The trees bear heavily at an early age.

DAMSON. FT97. A tart Plum popular for the home orchard for its culinary value. The fruit is small, dark purple in color with a heavy bloom. Makes an excellent jam.

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HACHIYA. FT115. Leading commercial variety and finest quality. Beautiful conical fruits borne on attractive trees. 3-4 ft., \$3.00; 4-6 ft., \$4.00.

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NONPAREIL. FT33. The standard soft-shelled Almond in all districts. Sturdy trees are consistent producers of high quality Almonds. Produces best with Ne Plus Ultra and Texas Prolific.

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Delicious PLUMS

PRESIDENT. FT100. The latest shipping variety, popular and profitable in most sections. The fruit is large, roundish, dark blue in color. The flesh is yellow and of fine texture. It is an excellent shipper.

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TRAGEDY. FT103. Large, dark blue, oval fruit makes Tragedy a favorite in most markets. The flesh is firm, sweet, and juicy. A popular Plum in many districts.

WICKSON. FT104. Well deserves its popularity as one of the important shipping Plums. The fruit is fine, large size, heart-shaped and straw-yellow in color, turning to a beautiful cherry-red as it ripens. The flesh is firm, juicy, luscious. It is a good keeper.




FT101 SANTA ROSA PLUMS

NEW ROSES for 1947

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3 NEW "ALL-AMERICA" ROSES

 To be introduced as an "ALL-AMERICA" Rose, a new variety must have exceptional merit. It must receive the approval of competent judges observing the candidate over a two-year period in 14 test gardens strategically located throughout the United States. Only those Roses receiving the highest scores are selected for final awards, and to win the coveted title "ALL-AMERICA" means that a Rose must qualify in all types of climatic conditions and stand head and shoulders above its competitors in form, color, foliage and all of the other attributes required by exacting rosarians for a near-perfect Rose. The three varieties listed on this page have won the distinction "ALL-AMERICA" for 1945, 1946 and 1947.

MIRANDY. R47. (Plant Patent No. 632.)

The red Rose All-America winner for 1945. Large, ovoid buds are deep dark red with black shading, open to rich Chrysanthemum-red blooms. The fragrance is full-bodied and delicious. Foliage excellent in warm sections, requires attention near the coast. \$2.00 each.

PEACE. R52. (Mme. A. Meilland.) (Plant Patent No. 591.)

The only Rose to win the 1946 All-America Rose Selections Award. One marvel of this Rose is the range of colors through which it passes, from opening yellow buds, with edges picoteed cerise, to glorious five-inch blooms of alabaster-white. Each petal is edged with pink that seems to deepen as the large individual petals gradually open, a few at a time, around a high-pointed center heart of tawny yellow. The vigorous plant is as superior as the bloom, with clean, holly-like, glossy foliage. Flowers borne singly on strong, straight stems are unusually long lasting. We recommend this Rose for all sections without reservation. \$2.50 each.

RUBAIYAT. R56A. The unchallenged All-

America winner for 1947. A brilliant red Rose with a most graceful, long, shapely bud, a promise of untold pleasures, and a satisfying wealth of old rose fragrance. The scintillating rose-red to crimson color in the heart of the half open bloom is accentuated by the reverse of the petals which are several shades lighter. The extra large flowers are borne in a great profusion on long, upright stems. The plant is tall and very vigorous, disdainful of minor ills and is clothed down to the ground with luxuriant dark green foliage.

Bud—Long, pointed, attractive.

Flower—Opens slowly into a very large bloom, rose-red to crimson.

Fragrance—Delicious old rose.

Habit—Tall, very free blooming.

Price—\$2.00 each.

"ALL-AMERICA" Collection

The Roses in this collection have all won the "All-America" award in recent years. Descriptions and pictures will be found on the two pages following.

GRAND DUCHESS CHARLOTTE. Tomato-red.

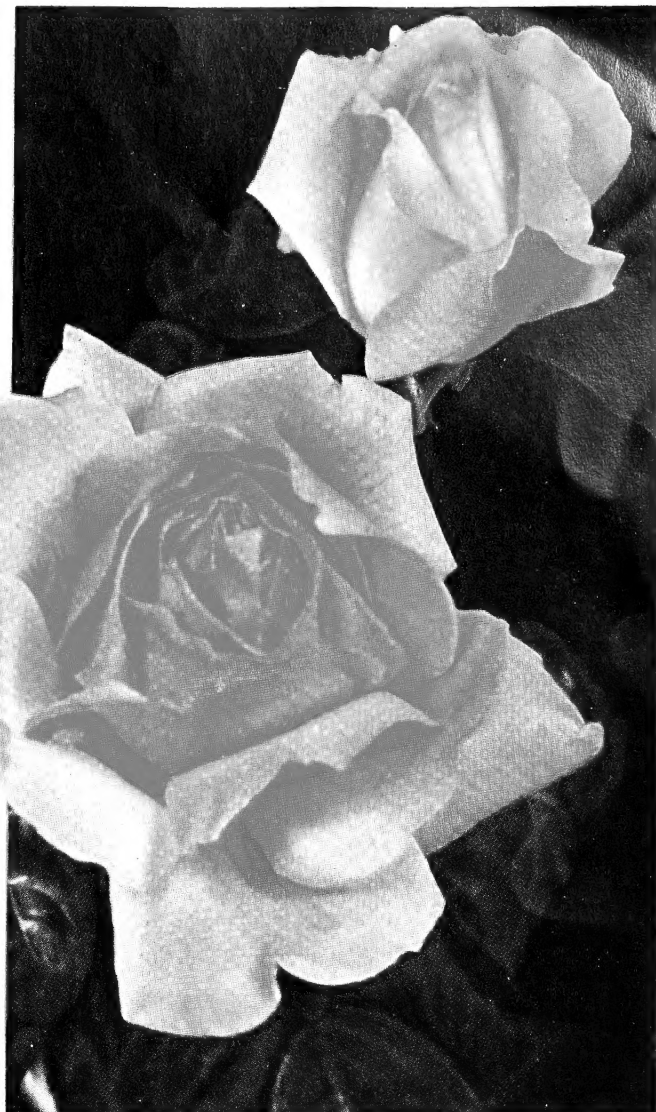
FRED EDMUNDS. Apricot.

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R52 PEACE, \$2.50



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R47 MIRANDY, \$2.00

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The list here presented is representative of the finest Rose varieties—the aristocratic names of roseland whose owners have faced the test of time and popular favor in California gardens to come through with flying colors. We can recommend them for a wide variety of uses.

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R20A FANTASIA, \$1.50



R35 KATHERINE T. MARSHALL, \$2.00

- BEST REGARDS. R2A.** (Plant Patent No. 652.) Tyrian rose with copper overseen. Vigorous grower and prolific bloomer. Large buds and open flowers. \$1.50 each.
- BRIGHT WINGS. R3.** (Prop. Rights Reserved.) Buds of rosy burnt-orange open to display blooms of soft coral-pink with centers of deep golden anthers. \$1.50 each.
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- CECILE BRUNNER. R6.** Baby Rose, small, pointed, pink buds. \$1.25 each.
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- CRIMSON KING. R11.** (Patent Pending.) Beautifully modeled blooms with Damask fragrance. The velvety crimson petals retain their color, even in intense heat. \$1.50 each.
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- ECLIPSE. R17.** (Plant Patent No. 172.) Clear yellow, profuse, slender buds for cutting. \$1.25 each.
- E. G. HILL. R18.** Fully double dark red. \$1.25 each.
- ETOILE DE HOLLANDE. R19.** Brilliant red, strong growing; quite resistant to mildew; fragrant. \$1.25 each.
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- GOLDEN HARVEST. R24.** (Patent Pending.) One of the finest new yellow Roses. Clear yellow bloom on strong plants with abundant foliage. \$1.50 each.

- GOOD NEWS. R26.** (Plant Patent 426.) Buds of deep coppery-pink open slowly to great 60-petaled blooms with a glowing coppery center, toning to shell-pink on the outer petals; rich and alluring fragrance. \$1.50 each.
- GRAND DUCHESS CHARLOTTE. R27.** (Patent Pending.) Bud very long pointed, chestnut color; flower exceptionally large, double, full, unusually lasting, bright tomato-red, shaded geranium-red on long, strong stem. Large, glossy foliage; vigorous, bushy. \$1.50 each.
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- HINRICH GAEDE. R29.** Big, shapely, rust-red buds borne singly on very long strong stems. Open blooms double rosy copper with brilliant orange tones, dark veining on outer petals. \$1.25 each.
- HORACE McFARLAND. R31.** (Patent Pending.) A magnificent Rose with long-shaped, light coral-red buds that open to luscious full-petaled flowers of salmon-buff. Fruity fragrance. \$2.00 each.
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- ISOBEL. R34.** Buds orange-scarlet; single coppery pink blooms. \$1.25 each.
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- MME. HENRI GUILLOT. R43.** (Plant Patent No. 337.) Shapely buds of orange-red and rose opening to camellia-like, 20-petaled blooms of rich raspberry-pink with a gold suffusion. Not only a leader in beauty but also an exceptionally strong growing Rose with large, glossy leaves that are unusually resistant to mildew. \$1.50 each.
- MME. MARIE CURIE. R44.** (Patent Applied For.) Clear yellow blooms are beautifully formed and sweetly fragrant. Abundant foliage on strong stems. Color of flowers deepens in fall. \$1.50 each.

R27 GRAND DUCHESS CHARLOTTE, \$1.50



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MARK SULLIVAN. R45. (Plant Patent No. 599.) Glowing blooms 4 to 4½ inches across. The base color is golden yellow, heavenly veined and shaded with deep rose-pink and cerise. Glossy foliage. \$1.25 each.

MARY MARGARET McBRIDE. R46. (Plant Patent No. 537.) Slender pointed deep coral-pink buds opening slowly to blooms of clear coral-pink suffused with shimmering gold at base of petals. A vigorous hardy plant with long, strong stems. \$1.50 each.

MRS. P. S. DUPONT. R48. Golden yellow buds of medium size but elegant form opening to rich yellow blooms. \$1.25 each.

MRS. SAM McGREDDY. R49. Buds of reddish copper and orange; open blooms coppery-pink; foliage bronze. Exceptionally good for cutting. \$1.25 each.

PEACH BLOW. R53. Blooms of peach-pink with gold base. Petals veined with rose-pink. Flowers long lasting on bush and when cut. Glossy foliage. \$1.50 each.

PICTURE. R54. All that the name implies. Perfect form in bud and bloom, rich pink color. A beauty for cutting. \$1.25 each.

PINOCCHIO. R54A. (Plant Patent No. 484.) The most popular little Floribunda introduced in recent years. Salmon buds flushed gold at the base open to soft pink blooms shaded deeper at edges. \$1.25 each.

PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER. R55. Tall growing; inner petals apricot, outer rose-red. \$1.25 each.

RED RIPPLES. R56. (Patent Pending.) Floribunda. Intense, vivid red color and beautifully formed long-lasting blooms make this Rose "tops" among the red Floribundas. \$1.25 each.

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SHANGRI-LA. R59. (Pat. Pend.) Long, pointed, pink buds open to a combination of colors. Blush, salmon and rose delicately blended in the abundant flowers. A strong grower. \$1.50 each.

SHOT SILK. R60. Pink, veined and suffused with yellow. Very healthy foliage. Thrives in light shade. \$1.25 each.

SHOW GIRL. R60A. (Plant Patent No. 646.) Very long, lovely buds are deep phlox-pink, almost carmine in spring; slightly lighter shade of rose-pink when open. Vigorous, upright grower; good foliage. \$2.00 each.

SNOWBIRD. R61. Our favorite white Rose. Buds small but exquisitely formed; open blooms very full double; blooms profusely; nice fragrance. \$1.25 each.

SONATA. R62. (Pat. Appl. For.) One of the finest real pink Roses grown. Good in all stages and brilliant in flower and foliage. \$1.50 each.

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TALISMAN. R63. One of the best and most popular Roses. Splashed gold, pink and carmine. \$1.25 each.

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THE DOCTOR. R65. Buds of perfect form and dark glowing pink color. Open flowers medium pink and double. Small but ample foliage on a bush of medium size. \$1.25 each.

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BELLE OF PORTUGAL. RC1. Rampant grower; big light pink blooms in early April. \$1.25 each.

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CL. DAINY BESS. RC5. Two-tone pink, single flowers of delicate charm borne on exceptionally vigorous climber. \$1.25 each.

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CL. TALISMAN. RC18. Vigorous climber; flowers same as bush form. \$1.25 each.

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Eclipse. RT5

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Iris Collection

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One each of the four varieties pictured and Arctic (white) \$4.25 (11c tax), postpaid

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July, August and September are the preferred planting months but Bearded Iris can be successfully transplanted from June until January. Plants are shipped dry and should be planted soon after arrival. If your soil is heavy and retains moisture, use a liberal supply of gypsum. Set the rhizomes just beneath soil level about 12 to 18 inches apart. Water at two-week intervals until the plants are established. Keep other plant growth out of your Iris bed for best results.

ARCTIC. FB150. Recent introduction highly praised for its form and color. Ruffled, closed standards and broad falls are white enamel with a bright yellow stripe through the center of the flower. \$2.00 each.

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