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## TO ALL OUR CUSTOMERS AND FRIENDS

We again have pleasure in presenting to you our catalogue, listing all kinds of spring flowering bulbs. We added some varieties to our list, and we trust that you will find many interesting varieties in there. If anything you wish to have is not listed, please let us know, and we will supply it at the best market price.

Our sincere thanks to all customers who have favored us with their orders for the past season.

If you are planning to add more bulbs to your garden, we hope you will favor us with your esteemed orders, at an early date, so that prompt delivery can be made. We will be delighted in helping you to beautify your home and garden by supplying you with bulbs of the choicest and finest quality, which are bound to produce an abundance of flowers and bring joy and beauty in your garden and home next spring.

Every bulb will be carefully selected for you and is backed up by our guarantee to be topsize, sound and true to name and description.

Permit us to ask you to share this catalogue with your friends, or we shall be very pleased to send them a copy if you will let us have their names and addresses.

Sincerely yours, THE HOLLAND BULB GARDENS, Inc.
Limmen, Holland, June 1948.

## TERMS AND INSTRUCTIONS

PRICES are quoted prepaid to destination in U.S.A.
PAYMENTS: All orders under $\$ 10.00$ are cash with order. Orders for $\$ 10.00$ or more, if desired, can be accepted at $25 \%$ with order and balance C. O. D.

GUARANTEE: WE DO GUARANTEE ALL FLOWER BULBS to be true to name and of extra high quality only.
TIME OF SHIPPING: All bulbs will be shipped from Holland the middle of August onwards, so, if you want your bulbs early, kindly send in your orders as soon as possible.
SUBSTITUTION: Only in the event of a variety being sold out. We shall take the liberty to send you the next best substitute and inform you about this, too. Unless instructed by you to the contrary.
FORCING: Varieties marked (*) are suitable for indoor forcing. Do not force too quickly Give them time.
GROUP ORDERS: From a group, we have many customers in offices, schools, factories and garden communities who combine their orders in one. The individual orders are packed and labeled separately at no additional charge. COMPLAINTS: Shortages, damages or defects should be reported immediately upon unpacking the goods.

> APPLY FOR SPECIAL PRICES ON LARGE QUANTITIES

## SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

Single Early Tulips are all dwarf growing, 12 to 14 inches, and are very suitable for formal beds, many varieties also for indoor forcing during the winter.

|  | Per Dozen | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Per } \\ & 100 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| *1. COULEUR CARDINAL, crimson slightly dewed | \$ 1.10 | \$ 8.00 |
| *2. GENERAL DeWET, finest orange . . . . . . . . . . . | + 1.10 | + 8.00 |
| *3. IBIS, deep rose, very good forcer | 1.10 | 8.00 |
| 4. KEIZERSKROON, red, edged yellow | 1.10 | 8.00 |
| 5. ORANGE MARVEL, bright orange red | 1.30 | 10.00 |
| *6. PRINCE CARNEVAL, red flamed yellow | 1.20 | 9.00 |
| *7. PRINCE OF AUSTRIA, orange red | 1.10 | 8.00 |
| *8. OLYMPIADE, deep golden yellow | 1.10 | 8.00 |
| \%9. SUNBURST, yellow, carmin flaked. | 1.10 | 8.00 |
| \%10. WHITE HAWK, large globular shape, pure whi | 1.10 | 8.00 8.00 |
| \%11. YELLOW PRINCE, bright yellow, sweet scented | 1.10 | 8.00 |

## DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS

Very attractive for bedding, with good lasting qualities, ALL ARE RECOMMENDABLE FOR INDOOR GROWING.


## FLOWERS BRING JOY

FLOWERS bring joy. And in what way can the investment of so small a sum bring more lasting pleasure than in their purchase? Flower lovers well agree that of all blooms none give more pleasure for the slight trouble and expense involved in growing them than Spring flower bulbs - Tulips, Hyacinths, Daffodils, Crocuses and the like - for which Holland has so long been famous.


## BEST QUALITY BULBS

AND DELIVERED FREE IN U.S. A.

We have been supplying Home Gardens for over 50 years.

# 30 of the Finest and Most Asked For 

GIANT DARWIN TULIPS$\begin{array}{cc}\text { Per } & \text { Per } \\ \text { Dozen } & 100\end{array}$
*20. ALL BRIGHT, deep blood red shade, extra for bedding. . \$ . 90 ..... $\$ 6.50$
21. ANTON MAUVE, one of the finest mauve tulips with silvery grey edge ..... 1.10 ..... 8.00
*22. BARTIGON, carmine red, white base ..... 6.50
*23. CAMPFIRE, fine dark red sport of Bartigon ..... 7.00
*24. CHARLES NEEDHAM, vermilion red, very striking, new ..... 8.00
25. CITY OF HAARLEM, large flower of deep scarlet, with blue base, extra variety ..... 6.50
26. CLARA BUTT, delicate pink, flushed salmon, extra for outdoor ..... 6.50
*27. DEMETER, deep violet blue, good forcing kind ..... 8.00
28. DRESDEN CHINA, pale rose with lighter edge ..... 8.00
29. GLACIER, extra large ivory white, extra ..... 8.00
30. GLORIA SWANSON, one of the largest crimson scarlet ..... 6.50
31. GOLDEN AGE, deep buttercup yellow, flushed orange.. ..... 6.50
32. INSURPASSABLE, light violet ..... 8.00
33. LA TULIPE NOIRE, the black tulip ..... 7.00
34. Mr. FARNCOMBE SANDERS, Cochineal-red, fine bedder ..... 7.00
35. Mr. van ZIJL, new rosy pink variety, white margin, very strong for the garden ..... 8.00
36. NIPHETOS, uniform soft lemon yellow, very large flower ..... 7.00
38. PRIDE OF HAA RLEM, cerise red, extra for bedding, and
*37. PHILIP SNOWDON, carmine rose sport of Bartigon... . 90 ..... 6.50
for late forcing6.50
39. PRIDE OF ZWANENBURG, vivid salmon pink, large solid flowers ..... 7.00
*40. PRINCESS ELIZABETH, lovely soft rose, large flower for bedding, and late forcing ..... 7.00
*41. PRUNUS, salmon pink sport of Bartigon, good forcer. ..... 6.50
42. QUEEN OF THE NIGHT, rich blackish maroon, use them for color contrasts in your tulip borders ..... 8.00
*43. ROSE COPLAND, lovely rose lilac, extra good forcing kind ..... 7.00
*44. THE BISHOP, bright violet blue, for late forcing, and a real beauty in the garden ..... 7.50
*45. UTOPIA, cardinal red, good early forcer ..... 7.00
*46. WM. COPLAND, sweet lavender, very good for early forcer ..... 7.00
*47. WM. PITT, brilliant scarlet, very early forcer ..... 7.00
48. YELLOW GIANT, a fine golden yellow variety for the garden ..... 7.00
49. ZWANENBURG, pure white darwin on strong stem, extra for bedding ..... 1.00 ..... 7.00
All TOPSIZE BULBS and large GIANT FLOWERINGFROM OUR HOLLAND NURSERIES DIRECT TO YOUTHE VERY BEST FOR YOUR DOLLAR


Plant Our Fine Bulbs for a Wonderful Spring Garden and Plenty of Cut Flowers



## THE MAY FLOWERING or COTTAGE TULIPS

## With a range of color and large flowers

These flower at the same time as the Darwins and may be used for the same planting (sometimes they are a trifle later, depending on the locality).

| Per | Per |
| :---: | :---: |
| Dozen | 100 |

50. ADVANCE, one of the most beautiful of the newer tulips,
blazing orange scarlet, extra large flower ............\$1.10
$\$ 8.00$
51. ADONIS, lily flowering-rosy red, reflexed petals ........ $1.00 \quad \$ \quad 7.00$
52. ALASKA, lily flowering-pure yellow, sweet scented.... $1.00 \quad 7.00$
53. ARGO, golden yellow, flushed red, very interesting variety $1.00 \quad 7.00$
*54. CARRARA, cup shaped large white flower, for medium
forcing and fine for bedding ....................... 1.00 . 7.50
54. FULGENS, lily flowering-blood red, tall stem ......... $1.00 \quad 7.50$
*56. GOLDEN HARVEST, extra golden yellow for forcing and for the garden ......................................
55. G. W. LEAK, brilliant red, white base, plant them near evergreens
1.00
7.00

| 58. MARJORIE BOWEN, shade of buff and salmon passing | 1.10 |
| ---: | :--- |
| to deep pink, extra garden variety | 1.10 |

59. Mrs. MOON charming canary yellow .................... 1.00 . 7.00
60. Mrs. John SCHEEPERS, giant oval shaped yellow .... 1.10 8.00
$\begin{array}{llll}\text { 61. OSSI OSWALDA. novelty hybrid, color white suffused } \\ \text { cherry rose, medium forcing, extra for the garden... } & 1.10 & 8.50\end{array}$

61. QUEEN OF THE NORTH, a fine pink and white bedder $1.00 \quad 7.00$
62. WALLSTREET, canary vellow . ............................ 1.00 7.00
63. WHITE CITY, pure white with cream anthers ........ 1.10 8.50
64. WHITE DUCHESS, Illy flowering-pure white on tall strong stem
$1.10 \quad 8.50$
65. YELLOW EMPEROR, deep yellow, large egg shaped
flower ......................................................... 1.00 7.50

## THE ROBUST BREEDER TULIPS

## All late flowering and very strong growth

In the Garden, Breeders will make a fine contrast with the Darwin and Cottage Tulips, they bloom later, and are of great value where "art" colors are desired.
68. ALICE KEITH, orange red, edged bronze ..... 1.10 ..... 8.00
69. BACCHUS, dark plum color ..... 1.10 ..... 8.00
70. BRONZE QUEEN, the fine bronze tulip ..... 8.00
71. CARDINAL MANNING, rosy violet, flushed dull bronze ..... 1.10 ..... 8.50
72. DILLENBURG, glowing salmon orange, like Talisman rose 1.00 ..... 7.50
73. DOM PEDRO, morocco red, dark bronze center......... 1.10 ..... 8.00
74. INDIAN CHIEF, coppery red, extra fine shaped and strong ..... 1.00 ..... 7.50
75. LOUIS XIV, rich purple flushed bronze, a real beauty. ..... 1.10 ..... 8.00
76. ORANGE BEAUTY, deep orange red ..... 1.00 ..... 7.50
77. PANORAMA, rich, chesnut red, a real garden beauty ..... 7.50
78. VELVET KING, violet purple, recommended ..... 8.00 ..... 1.10
79. YELLOW PERFECTION, yellow and coppery bronze ..... 8.00

## TRIUMPH TULIPS

The new race of tulips, they are a crossing between Single Early varieties and Darwin Tulips, very excellent for flower borders-strong stemmed, while they flower 10 to 14 days earlier than the Darwin and Cottage Tulips.

ALL EXTRA FOR EARLY FORCING


## MENDEL TULIPS

Also a new tulip family obtained from crossings between the old Duc van Toll Tulips and the Darwins. They all force very well, and should also be used for flowering before the Later Tulips in the garden.
90. FRITNOF NANSEN, carmine red, medium early ......\$ . 90 ..... \$ 7.00
91. JOHN GAY, orange ..... 9.50
92. KRELAGE'S TRIUMPH, deep red, good keeper, extra early forcer ..... 80 ..... 6.00
93. HER GRACE, favorite large white tulip with rosy edge for early forcing, recommended ..... 6.75
94. Van der EERDEN, lively red, extra for early forcing ..... 6.75
95. WEBER, a very dainty white with slight rosy touch ..... 6.75
96. WHITE SAIL, early white ..... 6.50

## A WINTER LONG DELIGHT INDOORS

FLOWERS from bulbs bring joy not only for a long season in the Spring from March until June - but add their good cheer to dispel the dreariness of long Winter days. A few pots blooming on the window sill or in the Winter window garden, will change the whole atmosphere of the room and for this purpose they may be had in long succession, from Christmas to Easter. Here again their cultivation is of the simplest. All that is necessary is to place the bulbs in pots. The bulbs are placed with the tops just level with the soil surface, about half an inch below the rim of the pot. Allow them to make roots in some cool, dark place, water pots in cellar weekly, and then bring them into living room or sun porch to bloom, but not before the bud is three inches long. Bulb pans (shallow flower pots) with half an inch of broken pots, pebbles or crushed shell on the bottom for drainage, are used for planting. Hyacinths and many Daffodils may be grown directly in pebbles and water, in moist peat moss or bulb fibre (obtained from Seedsmen). Peat moss and bulb fibre should be thoroughly moistened before use. Allow them to make roots in a cool, dark place, under no circumstances place them into the living room before the bud is three inches long. The longer the pots remain in a cool place the better and when placed into the room or greenhouse, a moderate temperature is to be preferred. Avoid dry room temperature.

## PARROT TULIPS


#### Abstract

With Strong Stems and Perfect Flowers of Great Substance A fine collection of the newest Parrot Tulips, which you will find of great interest.




## PARCELS OF MISCETLANEOUS BULBS

Parcel 8-INTRODUCTORY PARCEL (for garden) ...............
This parcel contains 10 Darwin Tulips, 5 Mendel Tulips, 5 Early This parcel contains 10 Darwin Tulips, 5 Mendel Tulips, 5 Early all separately parcelled and labelled. Total 60 bulbs, a wonder parcel.
*Parcel 9-INDOOR FORCING PARCEL
This parcel contains 10 Single Early Tulips, 2 varieties; io Double Early Tulips, 2 varieties; 4 Hyacinths, top size mixed colours; 6 Hyacinths for pans, mixed colours; 5 Daffodils, yellow; 5 Narcissus; 5 Crocus, mixed colours, all separately parcelled and labelled. Total 45 bulbs, to enjoy during the long, dark, winter months.
Parcel 10-GARDEN TULIP PARCEL ...................................
This parcel contains 10 each of Darwins, Breeders, Cottage, This parcel contains 10 each of Darwins, Breeders, Cottage,
Mendel, Triumph and Early Tulips, all mixed colours, separately parcelled and labelled. Total 60 bulbs, giving a long tulip-season in your garden.

[^0]A SPECIAL OFFER
To Make More and More Friends All Over America
PARCEL LOTS of Topsize and Quality Dutch Bulbs
Grown for You by Us in Holland
No. 1-50 GIANT DARWIN TULIPS, all colors mixed ..... \$ 3.50
No. 2-100 GIANT DARWIN TULIPS, all colors mixed ..... 6.50
No. 3-100 GIANT DARWIN TULIPS, in 10 named varieties, all colors ..... 7.00
No. 4-100 BREEDER TULIPS \& COTTAGE TULIPS in 10 named varieties - these are Mayflowering, and bring you the unusual colors and types ..... 7.25
No. 5-100 TRIUMPH and MENDEL TULIPS in 10 named varieties, with strong stems - bloom about a week earlier than the Darwins, very interesting colors ..... 6.50
No. 6-250 TULIP BULBS in 25 named varieties - all separately parcelled - Do not miss it - it's a wonderful collection, know your tulips and enjoy real Springtime beauty in your own garden. A very much appreciated gift to your friends, too. We assure you of the very best bulbs ..... 17.00
No. 7-"Special Parcel," THE HOLLAND BULB GARDENS' get- acquainted collection, you will be so proud to show them to your garden friends.
100 GIANT DARWIN TULIPS in 10 named varieties.
50 Daffodils, well mixed and topsize bulbs.
12 Hyacinths for bedding, in 4 each of white, pink and blue.
25 Muscari, the blue grape hyacinth. All these fine quality bulbs for ..... 14.00
ALL PARCEL LOTS CONSIST OF QUALITY BULBS
PARCEL LOTS OF DAFFODILS AND NARCISSUS
No. 12-50 NARCISSUS and DAFFODILS, in 5 named sorts, first quality bulbs, suitable for indoor or outdoor, each separately parcelled and labelled ..... \$ 4.75
No. 13-100 NARCISSUS ano DAFFODILS, in 10 named sorts, first quality bulbs, suitable for indoor or outdoor, each separately parcelled and labelled ..... 9.00
No. 14-50 DAFFODILS, all trumpet varieties, 5 named sorts, separ- ately parcelled and labelled, first quality bulbs ..... 5.00
No. 15-50 NARCISSUS, various types, all short-cupped varieties, 5 sorts, separately parcelled and labelled, first quality ..... 4.00
No. 16-100 NARCISSUS and DAFFODILS, mixed, for naturalizing in woods, etc., all flowering size ..... 6.00
No. 17-500 NARCISSUS and DAFFODILS, mixed for naturalizing . ..... 25.00

## HYACINTHS

Hyacinths are not only very good for forcing purposes, but are also unexcelled for the garden. With their bright and cheerful colors nothing adds more to the beauty of the spring garden than Hyacinths in beds or borders.

|  | Each | Per <br> Dozen |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Exhibition size, all colors | . ${ }^{\text {. }} 25$ | \$ 2.75 |
| First size, all colors | . 20 | 2.20 |
| Bedding size, all colors | . 18 | 2.00 |

## RED and PINK varieties

108. GERTRUDE, rosy pink, compact flower, good for forcing.
109. JAN BOS, rich scarlet, early.
110. LADY DERBY, fine pink, large bells.
111. MARCONI, deep rosy pink, recommendable for all purposes.
112. PINK PEARL, rosy pink, large spike, very early.
113. QUEEN OF THE PINKS, bright rose, good bedder.

## WHITE

114. L'Innocence, pure white, early forcing, and the best for the garden.

## LIGHT and DARK BLUE varieties

115. BISMACK, skyblue large truss, one of the best, early.
116. Dr. LIEBER, deep blue.
117. DUUCHESS OF WESTMINSTER, deep blue with white centered bells.
118. GRAND MAITRE, deep porcelain blue.
119. KING OF THE BLUES, the darkest best blue, for late forcing.
120. MYOSOTIS, light blue, long spike, large and good forcer.
121. PERLE BRILLIANTE, lavender blue, large spike, extra for forcing, and bedding.
122. QUEEN OF THE BLUES, fine light blue silvery shade, for bedding.

## YELLOW

123. CITY OF HAA RLEM, medium size.

Parcel No. 18-12 Hyacinths in pink, white and blue .................. \$ 2.50
Parcel No. 19-25 Hyacinths in assorted colors, separately packed .. 4.75


We guarantee all orders to arrive in A-1 condition. Remember all Bulbs are delivered prepaid all over U.S. A. No import formalities.


## HYACINTHS ON GLASSES

You will more than enjoy them.

## I.. IMPORTED HYACINTH GLASSES

Very Beautiful Designed - Sold With Bulb Order Only 75c each - 6 Glasses for $\$ 4.00$
A Fine and Lasting Gift of Beauty
Avoid dry, hot rooms at 70 degrees and over in forcing Hyacinths.

## GROWING HYACINTHS ON GLASSES!

Growing Hyacinths on glasses should be more widely propagated, as few plants, if any, can give so much pleasure and satisfaction in the home during the dark winter months than Hyacinths on glasses.

It is a real joy, having its new attraction every time again, to watch the gay colored Hyacinths develop in the home and when once succeeded in growing fine flowers, one will wish to have Hyacinths in his home every winter.

To obtain good results is not difficult at all, a child can do it, if the following hints are observed:

1. Take good sound bulbs, preferably 1 st or 2 nd size.
2. The best time to put Hvacinths on glasses is from the end of September on.
3. Clean glasses thoroughly and fill with pure water, a little piece of charcoal may be added to keep the water pure.
4. Place bulbs on the glasses, taking care that the bottom of the bulbs nearly but not quite touches the water.
5. Then place glasses in a cool, dark but airy space in a temperature of about 50-55 F. degrees where the rootgrowth soon commences. Watch the glasses regularly and keep water on the necessary level, replacing it by fresh water if it should become foul.
6. One of the most important points for success is that the bulbs are not brought to the light too soon, therefore do not place bulbs into the light before the flowerbud has just grown completely out of the bulb. This can easily be ascertained by carefully handling the nose through your thumb and finger. If the flowerbud, which is inside the nose, is out, you will feel a little hollow between the bud and the bulb.
7. Then bring the glasses gradually - not at once - to the full light of the window, 60-70 F. degrees being the best suitable temperature to further develop the flowers. Take care that the evaporated water is regularly replenished so as nearly to touch the bottom of the bulb again. Use for this purpose water having the same temperature as the room. Avoid dry room temperature.


TRUMPET DAFFODILS
These are the best known of the Narcissi or Daffodils. They are distinguished in having the cup at least as long as the saucer is wide. They are represented by all yellow, all white and two-color types.

We have been supplying Home Gardens for over 50 years.

## NARCISSUS AND DAFFODILS

All our Narcissus are supplied in top-size double nose bulbs. Top-size bulbs produce from 2 to 5 flowers.

Who will describe the beauty of Narcissi and Daffodils for early Spring bloom in gardens, for naturalizing in woodland borders and for forcing for Winter bloom. They hold a unique place amongst the Dutch bulbs. Shiploads of the bulbs are used annually by American growers for the florists' trade. There are several distinct classes of Narcissi, the characteristics of which are explained in the heading of each group.

## TRUMPET DAFFODILS

## YELLOW TRUMPET

| Per | Per |
| :---: | :---: |
| Dozen | 100 |

124. GOLDEN HARVEST, one of the very best large golden yellow. Fine flower of perfect form ................... $\$ 1.50$$\$ 12.00$
125. KING ALFRED, the most popular of the Daffodils ..... 10.00
126. MAGNIFICENCE, deep golden yellow, medium sized flower .......................................................... 1.50 ..... 12.00
127. REMBRANDT, enormous size yellow trumpet ..... 1.35 ..... 10.00
WHITE TRUMPET
128. BEERSHEBA, the best white Daffodil ..... 1.75 ..... 14.00
129. MRS. E. H. KRELAGE, creamy white changing to white ..... 1.50 ..... 12.00
BICOLOR TRUMPET
130. SPRING GLORY, creamy white perianth with yellow trumpet .....  ..... 10.00
131. KING OF THE BICOLORS, extra large size, very strong ..... 1.50 ..... 12.00
132. LOTTA SVARD, immense bicolor ..... 15.00REAL QUALITY DOUBLE NOSE BULBS


## INCOMPARABILIS NARCISSUS

The cup (chalice or crown) of the Incomparabilis Narcissus is larger than that of the Barrii Narcissus. It measures from one-third to nearly equal the length of the perianth segments. Like the Barrii they are much favored for cat flowers, for borders and for forcing.

|  |  | Per Dozen | Per 100 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 133. | CLAMOR, perianth white, cup yellow orange red | \$ 1.40 | \$10.00 |
|  | HELIOS, yellow, cup flushed orange | 1.40 | 10.00 |
| 135. | JOHN EVELYN, pure white cup frilled apricot | 1.40 | 10.00 |
| 136. | ORANGE GLOW, yellow, large pale orange cup | 1.40 | 10.00 |
| 137. | MARION CRAN, deep yellow, cup pale orange | 1.40 | 10.00 |
| 138. | SCARLET ELEGANCE, deep yellow, cup deep or | ed 1.40 | 10.00 |

## BARRII NARCISSUS

The cup (chalice or crown) of the Barrii is relatively very short. It is less than one-third the length of the perianth segments. The bright contrasting colors of the cup make them very attractive.

Per Dozen Per 100
139. FIRETAIL, ivory white, cup blood red ................. $\$ 1.40$ \$ 9.50
140. LADY MOORE, creamy white perianth; large golden yel-
low cup, de $\in$ ply edged orange scarlet. Good for forcing.
Early
1.40
9.00

## LEEDSII NARCISSUS

The factor determining the classification of the Leedsii is color mainly. The Leedsii comprise all the cup-shaped forms that have their cups white, cream or pale primrose, and their perianths white.

Per Dozen Per 100
141. QUEEN OF THE NORTH, white with primrose cup.. $\$ 1.20 \quad \$ 9.00$ POETAZ NARCISSUS
The Poetaz Narcissi are a bunch-flowered class that yearly grows in favor. They have been produced by crossing Poeticus Ornatus and various Polyanthus forms.

## Per Dozen Per 100

142. ST. AGNES, perianth pure white; cup orange red, 2 to 3
flowers on a stem. Medium early ....................... $\$ 1.00$ \$ 8.00
143. CHEERFULNESS, double white …........................... 1.00 7.50
144. LAURENS KOSTER. the well-known forcing variety, white, cup deep yellow .................................. 1.00
6.75
145. GERANIUM, pure white, orange red cup ................. $1.00 \quad 7.00$
146. EARLY PERFECTION, citron yellow cup ............... 1.00 7.00

## POETICUS NARCISSUS

This group is known as the Poet's Narcissus or Daffodil.


## DOUBLE DAFFODILS

In this group are placed all double forms, no matter what their individual classification may be. Some are Trumpets, some Incomparabilis, etc. Per Dozen Per 100
148. MARY COPELAND, creamy white, inner petals lemon
yellow and orange .......................................
149. INGLESCOMBE, uniform pale yellow, fine double daf- 1.60
$\$ 15.00$

151. TWINK, semidouble, primrose with inner petals light
orange ...................................................... 1.20
9.00
152. VON SION, double, yellow trumpet and petals.............................. $1.20 \quad 9.00$


LARGE FLOWERING CROCUS

Plant for lasting Spring delight in your lawn and around shrubbery.
100 LARGE BULBS, MIXED, FOR $\$ 2.50$

Prepaid in U.S.A.

## CROCUS

The prettiest and most popular early Spring flowers. Crocus can be planted in any place and they do not need any special care. Once planted they come back year after year with an increasing richness of flowers.

## ALL LARGE SIZE

BLUE and PURPLE

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Per <br>
Dozen

 

Per <br>
153. PURPEREA GRANDIFLORA, purple, the largest in
\end{tabular}

## Various bulbs

All Hardy Bulbs - Recommended for Rockgardens and Borders

|  |  | Per Dozen | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Per } \\ & 100 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 161 | CHIONODOXA, lively blue flowers . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $\$$ | \$ . 35 | \$ 2.00 |
| 162. | ERANTHIS, or Winter Aconites, pretty yellow flowers | . 35 | 2.00 |
| 163. | ERYTHRONIUM, dog's tooth, yellow tily-like flowers. | . 75 | 5.00 |
| 164. | FRITELLARIA Meleagris, bell shaped, checkered shades of purple, white and yellow flowers | . 45 | 3.00 |
| 165. | GRAPE HYACINTHS, or Muscari, see under Muscaris next page. |  |  |
| 166. | SCILLA CAMPANULATA, giant English bluebells, they are wonderful for naturalizing: |  |  |
| 167. | In pink, white and blue shades . . . . . . . . | . 50 | 3.50 3.00 |
| 168. | SCILLA SIBIRICA, Spring Beauty, rich flowering and producing beautiful deep blue flowers, extra ........ | . 45 | 3.00 |
| 169. | SNOWDROPS, Galanthus, the first to bloom, lovely little white flowers | . 50 | 4.00 |

DUTCH IRIS-Bulbous
170. WEDGEWOOD, porcelain blue ..... 5.50
171. WHITE EXCELSIOR, large pure white ..... 4.75
172. IMPERATOR, dark blue, with deep yellow blotch ..... 4.50
173. YELLOW QUEEN, pure yellow ..... 4.00
174. SUPERFINE MIXED, all colors ..... 5.00

## ALL TOPSIZE BULBS

If there is anything you do not find in this catalogue, please write us for your particular requirements and wishes; we are very glad to be of any assistance to you in regard to flower bulbs and garden problems.


MUSCARI BLUE GRAPE HYACINTHS

## MUSCARI

The Blue Grape Hyacinths. Plant them in combination with Tulips and Daffodils for the most surprising effects in color schemes.

|  | Per <br> Dozen | Per <br> 100 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 175. ARMENIACUM (Early Giant), deep blue, many spikes; |  |  |

## PLANTFOODS

## Our Own Product - Superbloom

Not a plantfood, but a tonic to help your houseplants keep green and vigorous. This tonic has been on the market for years, and since we found it to help houseplants, we wanted to bring this to the attention of our many interested customers. It is very easy and economical to use; dissolve $1 / 4$ teaspoon of Superbloom in a quart of water, and use once a week.
CARTON, enough for about a year
Specially recommended for cacti, and to help your African Violets produce lots of flowers; use it for your ferns, flowering plants, etc.

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Order early. Import only.

## VARIOUS BULBS (Continued)

| 178. Best Quality |
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| Narcissus PAPERWHITES Grandiflora |
| Per Dozen | Per 100


|  | Per <br> Dozen | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Per } \\ & 100 \end{aligned}$ |
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| 179. | \$ . 60 | 4. |
| Plant in sheltered places in rich soil 2 inches deep and 5 apart, as soon as danger of frost is over. They require a sunny position, and do not tolerate a heavy clay soil. |  |  |
| 180. RANUNCULUS, mixed colors, plant same as the Anemones | . 60 | 4.50 |
| 181. AMARYLLIS-Hybrids from Holland ${ }_{\text {Mixed colors, large bulbs }}$ |  |  |
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| Cover only thicker part of bulb, leaving two-thirds above the soil. |  |  |
|  | Each | Dozen |
| ALLA LILIES, pure | 50 | 5.0 |
| Yellow | . 50 | 5.0 |
| . CANNAS, fine mixture of white, rose-yellow, and vivid <br> scarlet <br> They may be started indoors and grown in pots until planting out in May fơr all summer blooming. | . 30 | 3.00 |
|  | Dozen | Per 100 |
| 184. TIGRIDIAS, the well known Tiger flowers, mixed colors | 1.00 | 7.50 |
| 185. MONTBRETIA, mixed colors in orange and yellow. <br> LILIES (for late shipment) |  |  |
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| 186. HENRYI, beautiful orange, blooms in August-September |  |  |
| 187. PHILIPPINENSE, long white trumpet flowers, blooms in August ................................ | . 50 |  |
| 188. REGALE, large white trumpet, outside carmine, one of the most popular lilies and easy to grow. |  |  |
| 189. SPECIOCUM RUBRUM; white tinted pink spotted red. | . 75 | 7.00 |
| 190. SPECIOCUM ALBUM, white, outside of petals carmine | 75 | . 00 |
| 191. TENUIFOLIUM, The Coral Lily, dwarf growing, coral red | . 30 | 3.00 |
| 192. TIGRINUM simplex, the single Tiger lily, orange red.. | . 30 | 3.00 |
| 193. TIGRINUM Flore pleno, the double Tiger | 30 | 3.0 |
| 194. UMBELLATUM, orange red | . 30 | 3.00 |
| For early shipment (September delivery) |  |  |
| 195. LILIUM CANDIDUM, Madonna Lily | . 50 | . |
| Parcel No. 35-12 Lily Bulbs, topsize and hardy bulbs in 4 named varieties |  |  |
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(See under Various Bulbs)


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Use them freely for corners in your garden and for naturalizing.
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Each196. ALBATRE (8.7), M, lovely white with crimson flecks ..... \$ . 60
197. ALICE HARDING (9.4), creamy white, very large perfect flowers ..... 85
198. BARONESS SCHOEDER (9.), M, flesh-white, free bloomer ..... 70
199. COURONNE D'OR (8.1), L, semi-rose, large bloom ..... 60
200. DUCHESS DE NEMOURS (8.1), E, crown type, medium size ..... 60
201. FESTIVA MAXIMA (9.3), E, rose-type, large bloom, white ..... 70
202. L'INDISPENSABLE (7.3), L, white and lilac, violet-rose center. ..... 60
203. MARIE LEMOINE (8.5), L, rose-type, large compact flower ..... 60
PINK NAMED SORTS
204. EDULIS SUPERBA (7.6), E, bright mauve pink .....  60
205. EUGENE VERDIER (8.6), L, light rose, later almost white ..... 70
206. GERMAINE BIGOT (8.5), M, flesh color, bright, free flowering. ..... 60
207. JEANNE D'ARC (7.9), soft pink, early midseason ..... 60
208. LADY ALEX. DUFF (9.1), pale rose, immense, fragrant ..... 75
209. LA FRANCE (9.2), rose-white, crimson splashed ..... 1.10
210. MAD. CALOT (8.1), E, rose-type, hydrangea pink ..... 70
211. MAD. EMILE LEMOINE (8.9), M, soft pinkish white, large. ..... 70
212. MONS. JULES ELIE (9.2), E, immense glossy pink, fragrant. ..... 70
213. REINE HORTENSE (8.7), M, hydrangea-pink, center dark flecks ..... 75
214. SARAH BERNHARDT (9.0), L, extra fine rose, one of best ..... 75
215. SOUVENIR DE LOUIS BIGOT (9.1), bright rose, large extra ..... 85
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216. ADOLPHE ROUSSEAU (8.5), E, deep purple-red, large ..... 70
217. BUNKER HILL (7.3), L, light crimson, very large ..... 60
218. CLAIRE DUBOIS (8.7), L, large full flowers, beautiful reddish-pink ..... 70
219. FELIX CROUSSE (8.4), M, best all-round bright red ..... 70
220. INSPECTEUR LAVERGNE (8.7), E, bright crimson, extra well filled ..... 70
221. KARL ROSENFIELD (8.8), M, brilliant dark crimson ..... 75
222. MONS. KRELAGE (7.7), L, bright currant red, centre amaranth ..... 60
223. MONS. MARTIN CAHUZAC (8.8), L, dark purple-garnet ..... 75
224. RAOUL DESSERT (9.), L, large mauve and carmine ..... 1.10
225. RUBRA TRIUMPHANS (6.6), E, rich glowing crimson .....  60
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310. GERRIE HOEK, medium size beautiful rose Dahlia, extra for garden and cut flowers ..... 75
311. GOLDEN LEADER, gold and salmon in center, highly recommended ..... 1.25
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315. JERSEY'S BEAUTY, pure rose, rich flowering, fine for cut. ..... 50
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318. KATHLEEN NORRIS, rose with lighter center ..... 50
319. LEIDEN'S MEDAL, bright orange with white edges, medium size flowers, rich flowering for the garden ..... 75
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321. MICKEY ROONEY, scarlet red with bronze edges, rich flowering for cut ..... 50
322. Mr. H. C. DRESSELHUYS, a very fine rose for all purposes ..... 60
323. NAGEL'S GIANT, salmon with gold ..... 50
324. ORANGE TRIUMPH, pure orange, fine for cut flowers. .....  50
325. PASADENA, American Dahlia, large flowers of lilac rose ..... 75
326. PINK GIANT, bright cerise rose, heavy stems ..... 60
327. PRINSES BEAUTRIX, soft orange with white points ..... 90
328. RED GUARD, dark orange red, highly recommended ..... 1.50
329. SNOWSTORM, evenly formed pure white flowers .....  60
330. SUNRAYS, apricot, American variety, large flowering ..... 60
331. The WORLD, dark magenta ..... 50
332. THOMAS EDISON, large purple flowers ..... 50
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Each
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334. ABBOT, dark magenta red, medium large cactus type
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335. ALLEGRESSE, sulphur yellow, straight strong stems, highly recommended cactus variety
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1.00
338. BOERHAVEN, bordeaux wine color, semi-cactus
60
339. COMTESSE, soft rose, fine for cut
60
340. DUINDIGT, clear yellow-red, excellent for cut
1.50
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341. ELSJE, bright golden yellow, early, fine for borders
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342. FRAU O. BRAHCT, soft yellow. fine cut variety
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344. ILLUSIE, salmon rose, semi-cactus, strong stems ..... 1.50
345. MADAME ELIZABETH SAWYER, purple rose, for cut. ..... 1.00
346. MADEMOISELLE ANDRE BOSSEREZ, fine berry, red, very strong stems ..... 90
347. MOTHER BALLEGO, warm pure red, tall strong stems. ..... 90
348. MOSQUITO, a very fine red cactus ..... 60
349. ORANGE IMPERATOR, deep orange red, recommended for cut. ..... 75
350. PAUL PFITZER. salmon rose ..... 60
351. SAINTE THERESE, rose with creamy heart, for cut ..... 60
352. SCARLET LEADER, poppy red, for cut and the garden ..... 60
353. STATELY, rich apricot, excellent variety ..... 1.50
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359. Dr. de BOER copper red, good for cut ..... 50
360. GIRAFFE, buttercup yellow with brown marks .....  50
361. GOLDINA, salmon rose, for cut .....  50
362. JUBILANT, Jilac rose cactus, strong stems, very straight ..... 1.00
363. PASSEPARTOUT, fiery geranium red, rich flowering ..... 60
364. SABINE, semi-cactus, copper red, early for border or cut. ..... 75
365. SCARLET PIMPERNEL, bright scarlet, extra for cut flowers ..... 50
366. SWIFT, light purple, fine for cut ..... 50
367. PEACE pure white dahlia for the garden ..... 50
368. BOTANICAL varieties, very low growing interesting Dahlias, named ..... 80
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369. BEB, light Nanking yellow orange ..... 75
370. GREBBEBERG, dark red .....  50
371. HOLLANDIA, brick red, early .....  50
372. KOH-I-NOOR, golden yellow ..... 50
373. Miss MARY CHURCHILL, red with yellow center ..... 1.25
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379. PICK-UP, yellow and red ..... 1.50
380. SUNSET, bright orange, rich small flowering pompon ..... 50
381. ZIERPUPPE, salmon orange ..... 50
DOUBLE FLOWERING MIGNON DAHLIAS
382. BRANTWOOD BEDDER, scarlet .....  50
383. JULES BUYSSENS, orange yellow, dark foliage .....  50
384. PARK BEAUTY, pure orange .....  50
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386. BLIKVANGER, cochineal red, very new and striking kind ..... 1.00
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388. BUTTERFLY, dark yellow, extra for borders ..... 50
389. Coltness GEM, bright scarlet ..... 50
390. HEMERIK, orange, very beautiful ..... 50
391. HENRIETTE, salmon orange, with red in center ..... 60
392. XMAS STAR. like the Poinsettia ..... 50
393. KING OF THE BLACKS, dark red, the best dark Mignon ..... 75
394. MARREJAN, creamy white, very low growing. ..... 75
395. MIEKE, small rose flower, very pretty ..... 75
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|  |  | Per Dozen | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Per } \\ & 100 \end{aligned}$ |
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| 500. | ABU HASSAN, deep pansy blue | \$1.00 | \$ 7.50 |
| 501. | ACCA LAURENTIA, bright orange with yellow mark | . 70 | 5.00 |
| 502. | ALASKA, pure white | 1.00 | 7.50 |
| 503. | AMIDIONETTE, bright rose | . 60 | 4.00 |
| 504. | ARISTOS, violet blue .... | 1.00 | 7.50 |
| 505. | BOULOGNE, bordeaux or wine red | 1.00 | 7.50 |
| 506. | BRETAGNE, light rose | 1.20 | 8.50 |
| 507. | CAVELLERO, bright scarlet | 1.00 | 7.50 |
| 508. | CERVANTES, rose red | 1.00 | 7.50 |
| 509. | DEANNE DURBIN, salmon rose | 1.20 | 8.50 |
| 510. | Dr. DENTZ, salmon rose | . 65 | 4.50 |
| 511. | Dr. VERHAGE, orange red with white edged red mark | . 65 | 4.50 |
| 512. | EARLY LOVE, creamy white with red mark. | 1.00 | 7.50 |
| 513. | EARLY SUNRISE, brick red with white spot | . 65 | 4.50 |
| 514. | EPISODE, reddish old rose | 1.00 | 7.50 |
| 515. | GOLD DUST buttercup yellow | . 65 | 4.50 |
| 516. | GRAND PRIX, brick red with yellow spot | . 90 | 7.00 |
| 517. | GRENADIER, apricot rose . . . . . . . . | . 70 | 5.00 |
| 518. | HOKUS POKUS buttercup yellow | . 70 | 5.00 |
| 519. | HOPMAN'S GLORY, sunflower yellow | . 65 | 4.50 |
| 520. | JOHAN STRAUS, cochineal red | 1.40 | 10.00 |
| 521. | J. S. BACH, orange salmon red | . 65 | 4.50 |
| 522. | KOKARDE, orange | . 70 | 5.00 |
| 523. | LAVENDER DREAM, beautiful rose violet | . 80 | 6.00 |
| 524. | ILL DE FRANCE, salmon rose, yellow and red marked | . 65 | 4.50 |
| 525. | LEADING LADY, creamy white Picardy. | 1.00 | 7.50 |
| 526. | LEEUWENHORST. pure rose ..... | . 70 | 5.00 |
| 527. | LEOPOLD STAKOFSKY, rosy white with violet red mark | 1.00 | 8.00 |
| 528. | LUDOVIKA, geranium red with white mark . . . . . . . . | 1.00 | 7.75 |
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| 530. | MANSOER. bloodred velvet | 1.00 | 7.50 |
| 531. | MASKARADE, vellow with dark red marks | . 70 | 5.00 |
| 532. | MODERN TIMES, carmine purple | 1.00 | 7.50 |
| 533. | MORNING KISS. white with rosy dew | . 65 | 4.50 |
| 534. | Mrs MARK'S MEMORY, reddish violet | . 65 | 4.50 |
| 535. | NORMANDIE, lobster red with carmine mark | 1.00 | 8.00 |
| 536. | NEW EUROPE, very fine flower of geranium red | . 65 | 4.50 |
| 537. | OBERBAYERN. blne with white mark | 1.00 | 8.00 |
| 538. | ORANGE PERFECTION, bright orange, scarlet spot. | . 65 | 4.50 |
| 539. | ORCHID LILAC, lilac creamy white marked | . 70 | 5.00 |
| 540. | PAUL RUBENS, reddish violet | . 80 | 6.00 |
| 541. | PAX. white feathered purple | . 80 | 6.00 |
| 542. | PELEGRINA, dark violet blue | . 80 | 6.00 |
| 543. | PICARDY. salmon rose | . 65 | 4.50 |
| 544. | POLAR ICE, pure white | . 65 | 4.50 |
| 545. | RED CROSS, scarlet Picardy | . 90 | 7.00 |
| 546. | ROSA VAN LIMA. bright rose | . 65 | 4.50 |
| 547. | SALMAN'S GLORY, creamy white with yellow and carmine marks | . 90 | 7.00 |
| 548. | SALMON JOY. beautiful orange | . 70 | 5.00 |
| 549. | SALMON PIERSON, salmon | . 90 | 7.00 |

## DUTCH GLADIOLUS (Continued)

|  |  | Per Dozen | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Per } \\ & 100 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 550. | SHEIK, purple violet, red mark | \$1.00 | \$ 7.50 |
| 551. | SILENTIUM, white with rose red mark | . 65 | 4.50 |
| 552. | SMILES, light red with white mark | 1.40 | 10.00 |
| 553. | SILHOUETTE, lilac striped bright red | . 70 | 5.00 |
| 554. | St. AGNES, magenta .... | . 65 | 4.75 |
| 555. | SWEET SEVENTEEN, pure light rose-ruffled | . 90 | 7.00 |
| 556. | TOPSCORE, vermilion red | . 65 | 4.75 |
| 557. | VINCENT VAN GOGH, salmon red | . 70 | 5.00 |
| 558. | WIENER BLUT, vermilion red | . 70 | 5.00 |

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Begonias do well in partly shaded spots, in light soil, well enriched with leafmould, with certain amount of moisture. After flowering - until frost lift bulbs, and store in dry and cool frost-free place until next Spring.

LARGE TUBERS ONLY

|  |  | Per Dozen | Per $50$ |
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| 559. | GIANT DOUBLE CAMELLIA FLOWERING | \$2.50 | \$ 8.00 |
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Grow indoors warm and moist, shield from direct sunlight. Do not water overhead. On completion of blooming, watering should be discontinued and bulbs allowed to rest, to be started again next season.

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## HOW TO PLANT

HOLLAND BULB GARDENS' BULBS


## PLANTING OUT OF DOORS

THE cultivation of these bulbs is simplicity itself. Provided only that one starts with sound, firm bulbs - obtained from a thoroughly reliable source failure is almost impossible. When planting out of doors the soil is prepared as for other flowers, by being well dug and fertilized. Even in unfertilized soil the bulbs will usually give good flowers and for the best results it pays to be generous in the matter of fertilizing, using bonemeal. Each year some additional plant food can be given right after planting and again just after flowering. The purpose of the latter application is to develop good strong bulbs for next season's bloom. Good drainage is essential - particularly for Tulips. The depth to plant is about five inches. Planting is best done in September, October - and in some parts very well possible during early November. As all of the so-called Dutch bulbs are perfectly hardy, protectioning against frost is not essential, but many gardeners provide for a Winter covering after the ground freezes hard to prevent premature growth in the Spring and thus lessen the chance of injury from late frost.

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