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150 WEST 23rd STREET, NEW YORK CITY HE LILY includes some most remarkable species, amongst which are some of the oldest denizens of our gardens. There are few who have not admired the gorgeous beauties of one or other of the many varieties of Lilies that are here enumerated, or who have not been charmed by the stately purity of L. Candidum and its sweet odor, or the magnificence of L. Auratum.

There are a number of beautiful Lilies introduced in recent years that are more or less unknown to the average gardener, and we, in common with our policy of keeping up with the times, have included several in the pages of this booklet; there are others though not new, are seldom found in Horticultural Catalogs; before doing so, we have satisfied ourselves that all are hardy, and will (with ordinary protection) survive the severe winters that are prevalent throughout the east and middlewest.

There is no genus of plants better fitted for any garden than the Lily; they can safely be called the noblest of garden flowers; their conspicuous blooms, striking colors and stately forms appeal to the eye.

Our prices are based, in all cases, on extra large bulbs that will bloom freely the first year.

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Preparation of ground for Lilies

LILY ground should be prepared with a good drainage of stones and rocks, on top of which should be placed at least two feet of fibrous loam with a fair proportion of sand and a much larger proportion of leaf mold. Artificial fertilizers should never be used for LILIES as they do not take kindly to them, and even well rotted stable manure should only be used as a mulching and a protection in Winter.

How to plant Lily bulbs

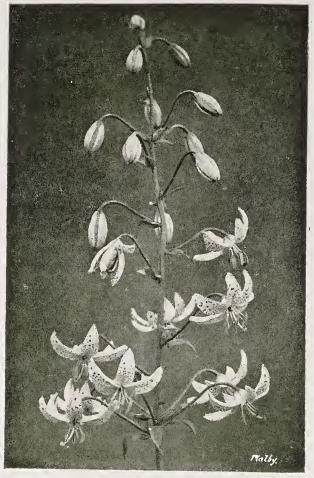
Most varieties of Lilies make stem roots and it is because of this that the roots should be protected from the hot sun or drying winds, by deep planting and particularly the stem-rooting varieties such as Auratum, Brownii, Concolor, Coridion, Hansonii, Henryii, Krameri, Leichtlinii, Maximowiczii, Regale, Rubellum, Speciosum, Tenuifolium, Tigrinum, etc. These, in time, would naturally rise nearer the surface which would necessitate replanting every three or four years.

The proper depth for planting all Lilies should be about three times the depth of the bulb.

Lilies should not be planted alone and thrive best in a herbaceous border where there is a protective ground cover. A background of shrubs is often desirable to break the force of strong winds.

To obtain best results all Lilies should be planted in Fall, although most varieties, if planted in early Spring, will establish themselves during the first season and will produce a fair amount of blooms somewhat later than their usual blooming periods.

In planting some of the loose-scaled bulbs, such as Colchicum, Humboldtii, Kelloggii, Testaceum and Washingtonianum, it is sometimes advisable to plant the bulbs on their sides to prevent moisture from secreting in the scales and thereby causing decay. Another method is to place a double thickness of waxed tissue paper on top of the bulb, if planted upright, which would answer the same purpose until the bulbs establish themselves. The latter method is also recommended in planting Brownii Odorum, although the scales of this beautiful Lily appear to be quite firm.



NEW BACKHOUSE HYBRID "SUTTON COURT" (see page 5)

Classification of Lilies

As a guide to planting Lilies, we have placed them under three headings—A, B, and C. One of these letters will appear in brackets after the name of each variety. The explanation of this is as follows:

- A—Lilies that will do well under ordinary conditions, and which prefer a sunny location with the usual ground protection.
- B—Lilies that prefer a woodland situation, where there is a fair amount of sunlight and where there is a ground covering of low shrubs.
- C—Lilies that require a moist situation in leafyloam, where the bulbs may rest in a dry situation although the roots are penetrating the moisture. These grow naturally on banks of small streams, on the borders of ponds, or on raised hummocks in bogs.

Be sure and pay close attention to these letters when ordering Lilies.

The New Race of

BACKHOUSE HYBRIDS

The late Mrs. Backhouse of England was successful in raising many beautiful seedling Lilies from crosses made between L. Martagon and L. Hansonii. It was a great pleasure, last Summer, to see these Lilies luxuriating at Sutton Court, the home of the raiser, together with many other beautiful hybrids as yet in their infancy.

- BROCADE (A). A most effective garden Lily, vigorous and very free-flowering. Each inflorescence carries a multitude of orange-yellow flowers, overlaid with rosy-pink on the outside, and the interior marbled pink with chocolate spots on a yellow ground. Height 6 ft. June-July. \$5.00 each.
- GOLDEN ORB (A). Flowers are three inches across, of a light clear straw color with green center, conspicuously spotted with small crimson dots; outside ribbed deep golden-brown. Height 3 to 4 ft. June-July. \$10.00 each.
- MRS. R. O. BACKHOUSE (A). A tall and stately Lily bearing fifteen to thirty flowers of an orange-yellow tone, lightly spotted purple. Very distinct in character. Height 5 ft. June-July. \$3.00 each.
- SCEPTRE (A). One of the most vigorous and free-flowering of the new varieties. The flowers, which are star-shaped, are pinky-buff, and are freely covered with small dark spots. Height 6 ft. June-July. \$5.00 each.
- SUTTON COURT (A). Somewhat similar to the foregoing variety, but stronger in growth and growing even taller. The flowers are more reflexed and heavily spotted with purple, whilst the exterior of petal is distinctly shaded with pink, the exterior surface being of a light yellow. Height 6 to 7 ft. June-July. (Illustrated on page 4.) \$4.00 each.

(Letters following names denote habit; see page 4)



LILIUM AURATUM The golden-banded Lily of Japan

General List of

HARDY LILIES

(Letters following names denote habit; see page 4)

AURATUM (A). (The Golden-banded Lily of Japan.) A most charming and popular Lily of easy culture. Will do well in any garden where drainage is good and where it is not subjected to cold winds. The flowers are pure white with a broad gold band in the center of each petal, highly spotted dark maroon on the white ground. Strong, sweet maroon on the white ground. Strong, sweet scented. July-Aug. 3 to 5 ft. Ex. large bulbs, 55c ea; \$5.50 doz.; \$40.00

Mammoth bulbs, 70c ea.; \$7.00 doz.; \$50.00 100.

Monster bulbs, \$1.30 ea.; \$12.00 doz.; \$90.00 100.

Pictum (A) This variety differs from the above by being freely spotted with crimson and by having the golden band terminate at the tips with crimson.

Ex. large bulbs, 90c ea; \$9.00 doz.; \$70.00 100.

Platyphyllum (A). The largest of all Auratum Lilies with petals much broader and spotted yellow. Handsome and vigorous.

Ex. large bulbs, 75c ea.; \$7.50 doz.; \$55.00 100.

L. AURATUM VARS.—Continued

Rubro Vittatum (A). This attractive Lily differs from Auratum by having a broad, bright crimson band down the center of each petal. Ex. large bulbs, \$1.00 ea.; \$10.00 doz.; \$75.00 100.

Wittei (A). A pure white variety of Auratum, having no spots and with a broad yellow band down the center of each petal.

Ex. large bulbs, \$1.00 ea.; \$10.00 doz.; \$75.00 100

BATEMANNI (A). Strong stems with five to ten flowers of a reddish-orange color. July-Aug. 3 to 4 ft. 40c ca.; \$4.00 doz.; \$30.00 100.

BOLANDERI (B). One of the rarest of Lilies with bell-shaped, deep crimson flowers, dotted purple. Requires a well drained situation. July-August. 2 to 3 ft. Large bulbs, 90c ea.; \$9.00 doz.; \$65.00 100.

BROCADE. (See Backhouse Hybrids, page 5.)

BROWNII Odorum (A). A favorite in old gardens and deserving of general culture. Strong, vigorous habit and leafy stalk bearing large flowers which are white inside and deep, rich vinous purple outside. June-July. 3 to 4 ft. Large bulbs, \$1.00 each.; \$10.00 doz.; \$75.00 100.



LILIUM BROWNII ODORUM



L. CANDIDUM (Madonna Lily)

CANADENSE (A). Bell shaped, drooping flowers, varying from yellow to red, spotted inside. Excellent for naturalizing June-July. 3 ft.

20c ea.; \$2.00 doz.; \$14.00 100.

Flavum (A). A selected, golden-yellow form of the above. Heavily spotted. 30c ea; \$3.00 doz.; \$20.00 100.

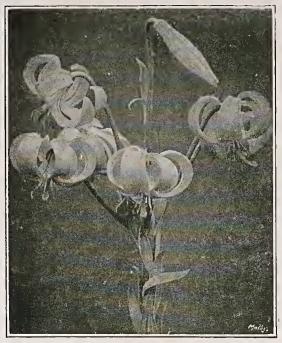
Rubrum (A). A selected red form of above and heavily spotted.
30c ea; \$3.00 doz.; \$20.00 100.

CANDIDUM (A). (Ascension or Madonna Lily.) This is the old-fashioned garden Lily. The snow-white flowers, borne on tall, leafy stems, make this Lily most effective. June-July. 3 to 4 ft. Jumbo bulbs from Northern France. 60c ea.; \$6.00 doz.; \$40.00 100.

Large bulbs, 35c ea.; \$3.50 doz.; \$25.00 100.

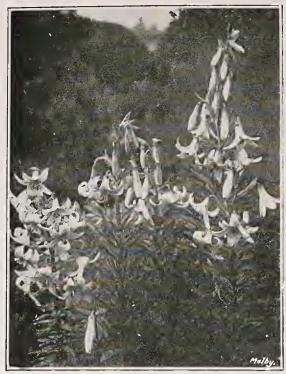
CANDIDUM Speciosum (A) A very rare and distinct form, seldom met with in cultivation, flowering later than the type. The stems are black, grows 5 to 6 ft. and produces 20 to 30 flowers on a stem. July. \$1.00 ea.; \$10.00 per doz.

CAROLINIANUM (A). A showy Lily with slender stems, bearing reflexed, orange-red flowers, spotted maroon. Requires a well-drained situation. July-Aug. 2 to 3 ft. 60c ea.; \$6.00 doz.; \$40.00 100.



LILIUM CHALCEDONICUM

- CENTIFOLIUM (A). A wonderful variety producing 10 to 15 long, tubular, white flowers, streaked externally with brown and flushed internally with yellow. July. 8 ft. (Will distribute in 1928.)
- CHALCEDONICUM (A). (Scarlet Turk's Cap Lily.) Nothing is more lovely in July than a clump of this Lily in flower with its slender but strong stems bearing from five to eight flowers of an intense scarlet hue. Very scarce. 3 to 4 ft. July. Large bulbs, \$2.50 ea.; \$25.00 doz.
- COLCHICUM (Monadelphum Scovitzianum)
 (A). A beautiful lemon-yellow Lily, produced in pyramidal clusters of drooping, wax-like flowers. June. 4 to 5 ft. \$1.75 ea.; \$18.00 doz-
- columbianum (B). An interesting Lily requiring a sheltered position and thriving best in a sandy, leafy loam. Flowers bright, golden-yellow, spotted maroon. July. 2½ ft. Large bulbs, 70c ea.; \$7.00 doz.; \$50.00 100.
- CONCOLOR (A). One of the best dwarf Lilies, with erect, star-shaped flowers of deep scarlet with a few dark spots towards base of petals; will frequently produce three or more stems from one bulb. Suitable for rock gardens. July. 18 in. 60c ea.; \$6.00 doz.; \$45.00 100.



L. COLCHICUM (Scovitzianum)

- CORIDION (A). Similar to Concolor in habit and growth, with flowers of bright yellow with dark spots. 60e ea.; \$6.00 doz.; \$45.00 100.
- CROCEUM (The Orange Lily) (A). A stately Lily which forms fine elumps in cottage gardens. Flowers a strong orange color. June. 2½ ft. 50e ca:; \$5.00 doz.; \$36.00 100.
- DAVURICUM (A). This beautiful Lily from Siberia resembles somewhat our native Lily Philadelphieum. It is of easy eulture and grows in umbels of three to five upright scarlet flowers. June-July. 2 to 3 ft. 25e ea.; \$2.50 doz.; \$16.00 100.
- ELEGANS (Thunbergianum) (A). Very hardy, dwarf Lilies, thriving in any garden and producing large, ereet flowers of various shades of yellow, orange and red. All the following varieties grow from 1½ to 2 ft. and bloom during June and July.
 - Alice Wilson (A). A clear, lemon-yellow form of above. Very attractive. 60e ea.; \$6.00 doz.; \$45.00 100.
 - Atrosanguineum (A). A very dark form of Elegans. Inside of petals a deep, velvety erimson and outside showing a golden lustre. 50e ea.; \$5.00 doz.; \$35.00 100.
 - Bicolor (A). Orange, edged scarlet with few spots. 35c ea.; \$3.50 doz; \$25.00 100.

ELEGANS VARS.—Continued

Leonard Joerg (A). A very fine shade of rieh apricot. Dark spots. 30e ea.; \$3.00 doz.; \$22.00 100.

Quilp (A). Vermilion with few black spots, overspread with a bright luster.
30e ea; \$3.00 doz.; \$22.00 100.
Elegans Mixed. A good mixture of above vari-

eties.

20c ea.; \$2.00 doz.; \$14.00 100.

FARRERI (Duchartrei) (A). This variety was discovered in Yunnan, China, by the late Mr. Reginald Farrer, and has been referred to as the "Marble Martagon Lily." It is a slender and graceful Lily, bearing numerous, recovered white flowers eligibly spotted purrecurved, white flowers, slightly spotted purple on exterior. Height 3 to 4 ft. June-July.

\$3.50 ea.; \$35.00 doz. GIGANTEUM HIMALAICUM (B). The largest and tallest of all the Lilies, with its broad foliage and tall, stately flower spikes, it is indeed handsome. In time the flower spikes often reach a height of 10 to 12 ft., bearing numerous long, tubular flowers of pure white, tinged with purple inside. This wonderful Lily should not be planted deeply as the top of the bulb should show above ground. would necessarily require a heavy mulching during Winter. Do not expect flowers until the second year after planting. The best location is in a clearing of woodland. July. Extra large bulbs \$3.50 each; a few mammoth bulbs \$5.00 each.



LILIUM DAVURICUM



The beautiful and rare LILIUM FARRERI

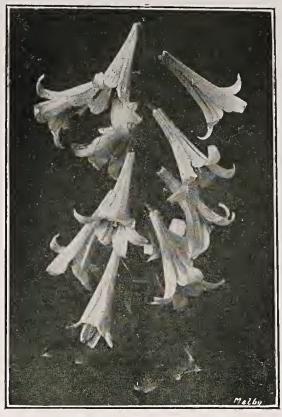
GOLDEN ORB. See Backhouse Hybrids, page 5.

GRAYI (B). A native Lily with deep red flowers. One of the finest for planting in shady places. Small, rich red flowers, spotted maroon. July. 3 to 4 ft. 35c ea.; \$3.50 doz.; \$35.00 100.

HANSONII (A). A handsome Lily of easy cultivation. The blossoms are 2 inches across, with reflexed petals of bright orange, spotted brown. June. 4 to 5 ft. 80c ea.; \$8.00 doz.; \$60.00 100.

HENRYI (A). A splendid Lily from the mountains of China and destined to be the Lily among Lilies. The flowers are orange-yellow, banded with green and are produced in large panicles, the individual flower sometimes measuring 6 inches in dameter. Aug.-Sept. 5 to 6 ft. Extra selected bulbs. 75c ea.; \$8.50 doz.; \$60.00 100. Mammoth bulbs, \$1.00 ea.; \$10.00 doz.;

\$75.00 100.



L. GIGANTEUM HIMALAICUM

HUMBOLDTI (B). A grand Lily from California, thriving well in a moist, well drained, peat soil, and where they are protected from drying winds. If properly established they will improve after the first year. The blooms are borne on stout stems, in clusters. Color: orange-red, spotted maroon. June-July. 5 ft. Extra large bulbs, 80c ea.; \$8.00 doz.; \$60.00 100.

Magnificum (B). A grand species, differing from the preceding in having darker foliage and each spot of the flowers being surrounded by a circle of crimson. Has splendid growing and flowering qualities. June-July. 5 ft. Extra large bulbs, 90c ea.; \$9.00 doz.; \$65.00 100.

Bloomerianum (B). Like the preceding in color and flowering qualities, but with smaller stem. June-July. 3 to 4 ft. Extra large bulbs, 60c ea.; \$6.00 doz.; \$45.00 100.

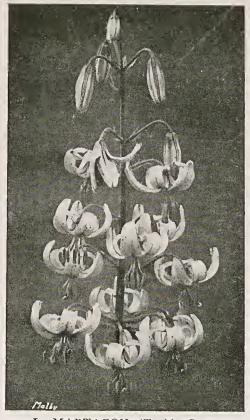
KELLOGGII (B). Another Lily that prefers good drainage in moist peat with a mixture of sand. Slender stems bearing several drooping, reflexed flowers of a pinkish-purple shade. Very fragrant. July. 3 ft. Large bulbs, 80c ea.; \$8.00 doz.; \$60.00 100.



LILIUM MARTAGON ALBUM

- KRAMERI (A). A most beautiful and delicate pink Lily. Although not easy of culture, it is well worth a trial, and if planted deeply in sandy peat, with some protection, it will well repay the exceptional care taken. June-July. 3 to 4 ft. 60c ea; \$6.00 doz.; \$40.00 100.
- with much the same habit as L. Tigrinum or Tiger Lily, but the color is mostly pale yellow with dull, red spots. Prefers a sandy loam. An excellent variety. July-Aug. 4 ft. 75c ea.; \$7.50 doz.; \$60.00 100.
- LOWII (Bakerianum) (B). A very rare Burmese Lily which had been lost to cultivation for many years. It has pendulous, bell-shaped white flowers, with ribs of delicate green, the throat being thickly spotted with red; requires good protection. Height 3 ft. June-July.

 \$3.00 ea.; \$30.00 doz.
- MARHAN (A). A hybrid after the habit of Martagon and with the thick petals of Hansonii. A unique color of a clear orange with red-brown spots and streaks. June-July. 4 to 5 ft. \$1.50 ea.; \$15.00 doz.
 - H. J. Elwes (A). A large form of Marhan with orange colored flowers, tinged purple-brown; outside flesh color. \$2.50 each.
 - Miss E. Willmott (A). A robust form of Marhan; orange flowers, tinged carmine, with purple spots. \$2.50 each.



L. MARTAGON (Turk's Cap)

MARITIMUM (C). A very rare Lily requiring a moist or bog situation but with perfect drainage. The flowers are numerous and bell-shaped, of the deepest crimson, and only lightly dotted. Extra large bulbs, 70e ea.; \$7.00 doz.; \$50.00

100.

MARTAGON (A) (Turk's Cap Lily). A handsome Lily, bearing elusters of purple, waxlike flowers. Thrives best in partial shade. June. 5 ft.

50e ea.; \$5.00 doz.; \$40.00 100-

Album (A) (White Turk's Cap Lily). A most beautiful variety of above, bearing numerous elusters of waxy-white flowers. Extra large bulbs, \$1.50 ea.; \$15.00 doz.

Dalmaticum (A). One of the most handsome and notable Lilies in cultivation, even stronger growing than the type, bearing fine spikes with numerous dark, recurving, bell-shaped flowers, varying in color from wine-red to deep, glossy purple. Height 5 to 6 ft. June-July.

\$2.00 ea.; \$20.00 doz.

Dalmaticum Catanae (A). A still deeper variety of Dalmaticum, with beautiful flowers almost purple-black or crimson-black. A unique Lily. Height 4 to 5 ft. \$2.00 ea.; \$20.00 doz.

Sutton Court. See Backhouse Hybrids, page 5.

MAXIMOWICZII (Red Leichtlinii) (A). A pretty Lily on the habit of Leichtlinii, bearing six to eight flowers of an orange-red color with dark spots. Height 4 ft. Sept.

75c ea; \$7.50 doz.; \$60.00 100.

MONADELPHUM. See Colchicum.

MRS. R. O. BACKHOUSE. See Backhouse Hybrids, page 5.

MYRIOPHYLLUM. See Regale.

- NEPALENSE (B). A rare Burmese Lily with large, funnel-shaped, golden-yellow flowers, tinged with deep purple in the inside, and often marked with scattered dots. Requires good protection in winter. Height 3 ft. Aug. \$3.00 ea.; \$30.00 doz.
- PARDALINUM (Leopard Lily) (C). This is one of the best Lilies of the garden. It thrives well in any soil, but prefers a well-drained, moist situation. The strong stems are very leafy and produce numerous flowers. The petals are recurved, bright red, shading to orange with many rich, brown spots. Hardy and robust. July. 4 to 5 ft. 35c ea.; \$3.00 doz.; \$20.00 100.
- PARRYI (B). This is one of the most beautiful of Lilies. The numerous flowers are trumpet-shaped of a lemon-yellow color, slightly dotted brown at inner base. Prefers a partially shaded position. July. 3 to 5 ft.

Large bulbs, 90c ea.; \$9.00 doz.; \$70.00 100. Giant bulbs, \$1.75 each.

PARVUM (C). A charming little Lily with many small, bell-shaped flowers. The color is red-dish-orange, shading to orange at the center, with crimson tips at points of petals. Prefers a moist, well-drained situation. July. 3 to 4 ft.

Large bulbs, 70c ea.; \$7.00 doz.; \$50.00 100.

Luteum (C). A taller variety of above but with clear. yellow flowers.

Large bulbs, 70c ea.; \$7.00 doz.; \$50.00 100.

PHILADELPHICUM (A). A handsome native Lily with yellow cup-shaped flowers, spotted maroon and shaded orange at ends of petals. Good for naturalizing. July. 3 ft.

Large bulbs, 30c ea.; \$3.00 doz.; \$20.00 100.



L. PHILIPPINENSE FORMOSANUM

PHILIPPINENSE Formosanum (A). A distinct Lily of refined and graceful appearance with long, grassy foliage. The stems are wiry and slender, producing large, trumpet-shaped flowers with a slight external coloring of reddish-brown. Very fragrant. 4 ft. July. \$2.00 ea.; \$20.00 doz.

POMPONICUM (A). A brilliant red Turk's Cap Lily. Much like Chalcedonicum, but with the heads of flowers rather more loosely arranged. June. 3 to 4 ft. 75e ea.; \$7.50 doz.; \$60.00 100.

PYRENAICUM (A) (Yellow Turk's Cap Lily). A Lily of easy cultivation, with many small yellow flowers, dotted brown. Reflexed petals. June. 3 ft. 60c ea.; \$6.00 doz.; \$45.00 100.

REGALE (Myriophyllum) (A). This new variety, from Western China, is certainly one of the most beautiful Lilies ever introduced. The large, trumpet shaped, delicately scented flowers are ivory-white, shaded pink and tinged yellow at base of petals. July. 3 to 4 ft.

Extra large flowering bulbs \$1.00 ea.; \$10.00 doz.; \$80.00 100.

Good flowering bulbs 75e ea.; \$7.50 doz.; \$60.00 100.



L. REGALE (Myriophyllum)

ROEZLII Crimson (C). A rare Lily from California with long, slender stems. The color is blood red, dotted maroon. Prefers a moist, well-drained situation. June-July. 3 ft. Large bulbs, 75e ca.; \$7.50 doz.; \$55.00 100.

RUBESCENS (B). A distinct variety with excellently fragrant flowers of a tubular shape. White, dotted purple and shading to deep purple as flower develops. Must have good drainage. June-July. 3 to 5 ft.

Large bulbs, 75e ea.; \$7.50 doz.; \$55.00 100.

RUBELLUM (C). A handsome little Lily with rose-colored flowers, sometimes shading to pale pink. Yellow anthers. Requires good drainage. June. 2 ft. 60c ea.; \$6.00 doz.; \$45.00 100.

SARGENTIAE (Brownii Leucanthum) (A). This magnificent introduction from China is in the front rank of hardy Lilies. The flowers are funnel-shaped. The color is milk-white internally with a golden-yellow throat, and externally a deep, reddish-brown. Very floriferous and delightfully fragrant. 4 to 5 ft. July.

Large flowering bulbs, \$2.50 ea.; \$25.00 doz.

SCEPTRE. See Backhouse Hybrids, page 5. SCOVITZIANUM. See Colchicum.



LILIUM SPECIOSUM RUBRUM (The red-spotted, lance-leaved Lily)

(The lance-leaved Lily.) SPECIOSUM (A). This beautiful Lily is deservedly one of the greatest favorites. The flowers are of daring, as well as of beautiful form. The petals are well rolled back as well as being handsomely spotted. The different varieties of this species are perfectly hardy and appear to thrive well in any garden. The most popular varieties of Speciosum are S. Album, S. Rubrum Magnificum and S. Rubrum Melpomene. Aug.-Sept. 3 to 4 ft.

A pure white variety of the above. Album (A). Ex. large bulbs, 55c ea.; \$5.50 doz.; \$40.00 100.

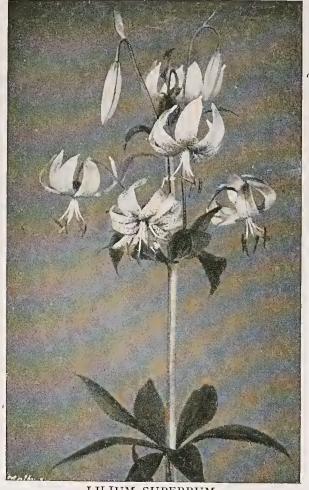
Rubrum Magnificum (A). A very fine type of above and by far the most popular. color is rich carmine on white ground, with crimson spots.

Ex. large bulbs, 45c ea.; \$4.50 doz.; \$35.00 100.

Mammoth bulbs, 60c ea; \$6.00 doz.; \$45.00

Monster bulbs, \$1.00 ea.; \$11.00 doz.; \$80.00 100.

Rubrum Melpomene (A). A darker form of above with same habits of growth. (Same price.)



LILIUM SUPERBUM

SUPERBUM (B). One of the most satisfactory of all Lilies. When well established will rise to a height of 8 ft. The strong stem will carry thirty or more handsome flowers, varying in color from rosy-orange to crimsonorange and are frequently spotted. Aug. 5 to 6 ft.

Ex. large bulbs, 25c ea.; \$2.50 doz.; \$18.00 100.

SUTTON COURT. See Backhouse Hybrids, page 5.

TENUIFOLIUM (A). A small, slender growing Lily, not more than 18 inches high, with bright searlet flowers and recurved petals. One of the prettiest little Lilies in cultivation. Early June. 12 to 18 inches.

40c ea.; \$4.00 doz.; \$30.00 100.

Golden Gleam (A). A beautiful type of above with flowers of a delightful, apricot shade. A free and vigorous grower.

75c ea.; \$7.50 doz.; \$55.00 100.



(The Nankeen Lily)

TESTACEUM (A). (Excelsum or Nankeen Lily.)
This is one of the finest of all Lilies, but
unfortunately, owing to its scarcity, it cannot
be generally grown. The color is difficult to
describe, being a shading of dull apricot with
orange-yellow anthers. A most graceful Lily
and a good companion to L. Candidum.
June-July. 5 ft. Extra large flowering bulbs.

\$2.50 ea.; \$25.00 doz.

TIGRINUM Splendens (A). (The Tiger Lily.)
A large form of the old garden favorite of old-fashioned gardens. The color is orangered, spotted purple on reflexed petals. Strong and hardy and the latest to bloom of all the Lilies. Aug.-Sept. 4 to 5 ft.

Ex. large bulbs, 30c ea.; \$3.00 doz.; \$20.00 100.



LILIUM TIGRINUM SPLENDENS
(The Improved Tiger Lily)

TIGRINUM Flore Pleno (A). (Double Tiger Lily.) The only Lily that is really perfectly double, having the same color and characteristics of the former.

Ex. large bulbs, 35c ea.; \$3.50 doz.; \$25.00 100.

UMBELLATUM (A). An early flowering group of hybrids of L. Davuricum with large umbellate heads of flowers. One of the earliest Lilies. June. 2 ft. Mixed colors.

30c ea.; \$3.00 doz.; \$20.00 100.

WALLACEI (A). A handsome Lily of a beautiful shade of the warmest apricot with rosy shading. Aug. 1½ to 2 ft.

50c ea.; \$5.00 doz.; \$40.00 100.



LILIUM WILLMOTTIAE

WASHINGTONIANUM (B). A beautiful Lily from California, with large reflexed flowers, varying in color from light to a rich wine color, slightly spotted deeper. This variety requires a moist but well-drained situation-June-July. 3 to 5 ft. Extra large bulbs, 75c ea.; \$8.00 doz.; \$60.00

100.

WILLMOTTIAE (A). One of the finest garden Lilies, although little known. Lovely in its graceful habit, slender foliage and heads of vivid orange-red flowers and kindly in its vigorous and thrifty constitution. July-Aug. 3 to 4 ft. \$1.00 ea.; \$10.00 doz.; \$75.00 100.

We take pleasure in recommending the following hand book to Lily lovers

"LILIES"

by H. S. ADAMS

No one who attempts to plant and grow Lilies extensively can get along very well without this book.

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