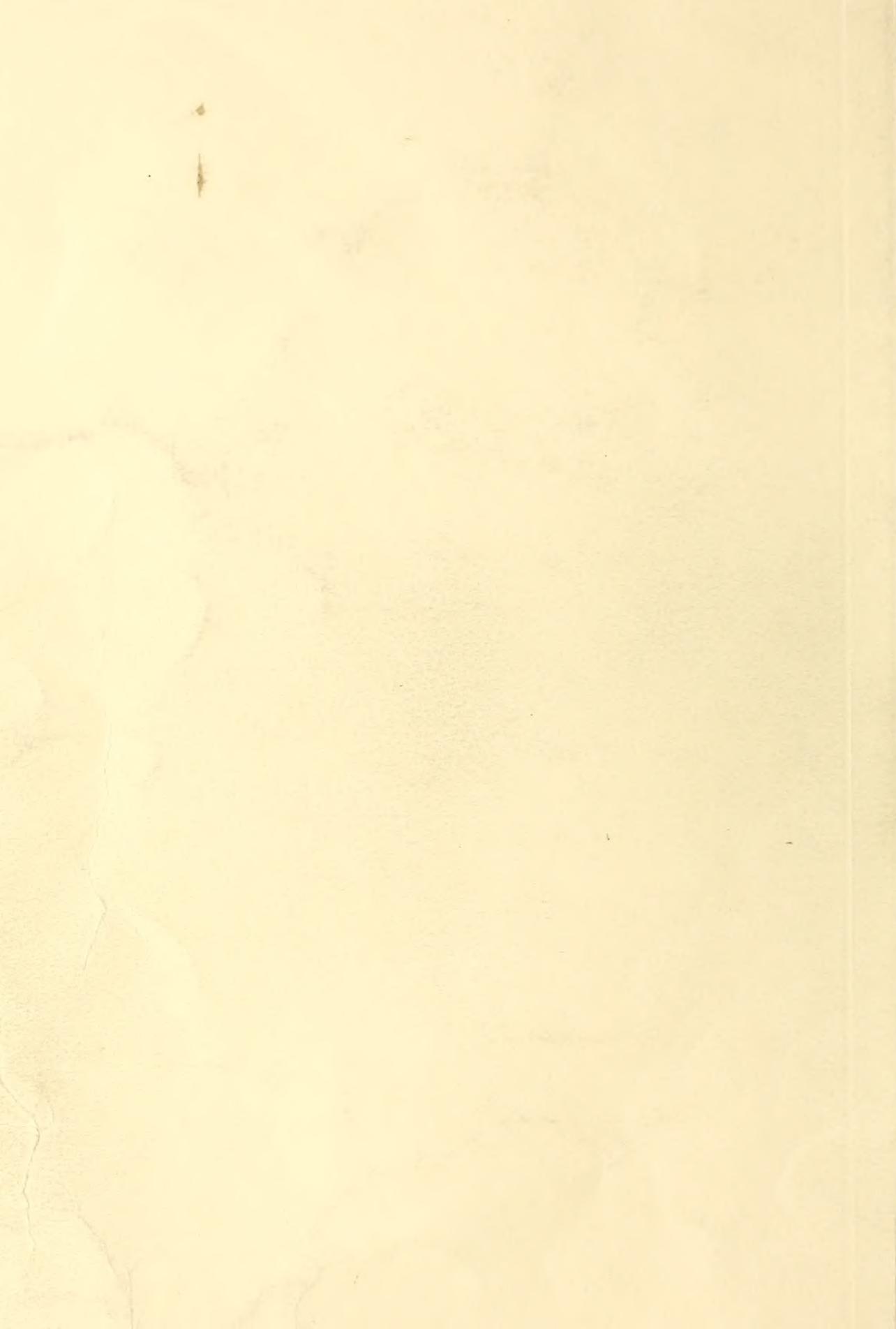


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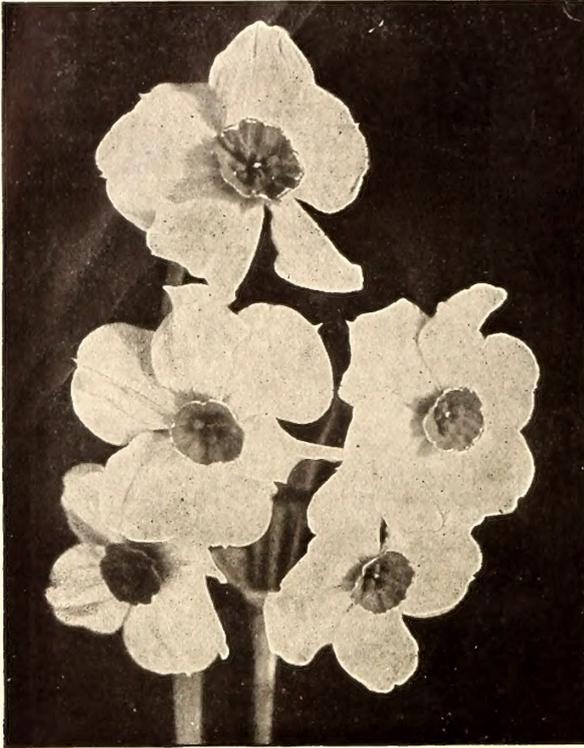
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RAWSON'S
PINK BEAUTY

W. W. RAWSON & CO.
5 UNION STREET, BOSTON, MASS.

New Narcissus Poetaz Hybrids



NEW POETAZ NARCISSUS, ELVIRA

N. Poeticus Ornatus × *N. Polyanthus Varieties*

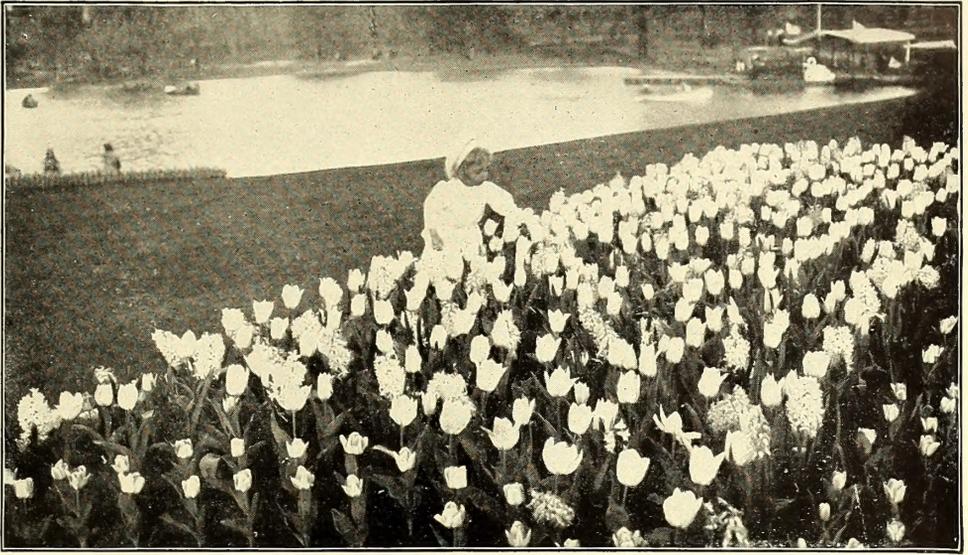
By crossing these two classes, *Narcissus Poeticus Ornatus* being the seed parent, our growers have succeeded in obtaining a perfectly hardy strain of bunch-flowered Narcissus. The individual flowers have all more or less the Poeticus shape and size. Besides being hardy, this class has the merit that they have not inherited the strong, disagreeable scent of the Tazetta Narcissus. They are equally valuable for bedding and forcing. A bed of these Narcissus is simply covered by a dense mass of flowers. They force extremely easy. This is an entirely new strain and has no similarity with varieties of Narcissus known heretofore. This class was awarded the "Award of Merit" of the Royal Horticultural Society in London, April 19, 1904.

We have grown all the varieties listed below this last season and exhibited them during a recent flower show at the "Horticultural Hall," Boston, where we received "Honorable Mention" for same. They were absolutely hardy without the slightest protection, and we cannot too highly recommend them.

LIST OF VARIETIES

	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
Alsace. Petals pure white, with yellow eye; when bursting into flower the eye is slightly edged reddish. Broad large flower of true Poet form; one of the earliest. Has three flowers on a stem	\$0 10	\$0 60	\$3 50	\$28 00
Elvira. Pure white, with yellow eye; large flower of a remarkably good substance. Long-stemmed and a good keeper; four flowers on a stem Highly recommended		05	50	2 50
Ideal. Perianth white, with dark orange eye; large truss bearing six to seven flowers; beautiful striking color	10	85	5 50	45 00
Irene. Perianth silky sulphur-yellow, changing to light yellow. Orange eye, large broad truss bearing eight to nine flowers; most pleasing color.	10	60	3 50	30 00
Jaune a Merveille. Yellow perianth, with deep golden yellow eye. Broad flower; the largest yellow variety, seven to eight flowers on a stem; extra	1 00	10 00		
Klondyke. Perianth yellow, with deep golden yellow eye; one of the deepest yellow. Trusses bear six to seven flowers	10	1 00	7 00	65 00
Lucia. Golden perianth, with golden yellow eye; tall; seven to eight flowers on a stem; especially fine	10	85	5 50	45 00
Profusion. White perianth, with yellow eye; very free-flowering; six flowers in a truss; dwarf, most beautiful	05	50	2 50	20 00
Sunset. Sulphur-yellow perianth, with orange eye; Large flowers; six flowers on a stem	60	6 00		
Triumph. Pure white perianth, with deep yellow eye. The largest flowers of this section, resembling Bazelman Major of the Polyanthus varieties. Four flowers on a stem. Sterling novelty	15	1 50	10 00	90 00

Special offer of one bulb each of the entire set of above ten varieties, each bulb named, at \$1.50 per set, four sets for \$5.50



Rawson's Bulb Guide

Contains the most up-to-date and reliable methods for growing bulbs, either for the house or outdoors. It will also present the purpose and uses of the many bulbs listed herein. Splendid new ideas and suggestions are given and in general will be a constant necessity to the amateur bulb-grower. For this reason we shall omit from this Catalogue all cultural directions and unnecessary descriptions.

RAWSON'S BULB GUIDE will be mailed free to any one who applies for it; also will be included with every order for bulbs if so requested on the Order Sheet.

Rawson's Bulb Handbook for 1909

No expense, time or study has been saved to make this Catalogue perfect, and a careful perusal by our friends must bring forth the statement that we present this year to the American public the most interesting Bulb Catalogue ever published. It is interesting for two reasons: First, it offers an abundance of **Choice Novelties**, and second, it contains a most complete list of species of bulbs so attractive to the student of botany; but not only to him, for some of our prettiest flowers are raised from the species. For the supply of a great many of the species offered herein we had to look to the Holy Land, Turkey and Siberia, where some have been collected, others cultivated.

QUALITY IS OUR CLAIM. We take great pains to examine every bulb before it is shipped, to insure soundness, size and perfection; we furthermore engage bulbs from only the most reliable sources in Europe: we pack them carefully and are positive that the quality of our bulbs is above reproach. Hundreds of testimonials have been received by us this last spring, and we should like to add yours to the collection. One single trial will accomplish this.

BUREAU OF EMPLOYMENT. Any lady, gentleman or estate requiring the services of a superintendent, head gardener, assistant or coachman would render us a great service by permitting us to recommend them reliable parties who seek positions. We constantly receive applications from reliable, well-experienced men who desire to make a change in their employment.

INFORMATION BUREAU. We cheerfully supply, to the best of our ability, any information desired on the subject of Gardening and Farming, and solicit correspondence. Prompt reply assured. No charge for such service.

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For the most glorious dahlia show ever presented in one spot in the world. Not less than 2,300 distinct varieties in ever so many thousand specimens are here grown

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Our Cover Illustrations

The subject we present on the front cover is one with which every gardener is acquainted. The wonderful improvement produced in both size, substance and purity of color in "Rawson's Purity Freesia" when compared with the older type, has been superseded with the introduction of entirely new colors (hitherto unknown) and we offer this year for the first time in America these splendid Novelties:

	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
Freesia, "Rawson's Pink Beauty." Soft lavender-pink	\$0 30	\$3 00	\$20 00	
" Chapmanni. Beautiful orange	1 60			
" Tubergeni. Deep rose; large flower	60	6 00		
" Amethyst. Delicate lavender	60	6 00		
" "Rawson's Purity." Purest white, of immense size.				
Extra Large	05	50	2 50	\$20 00
Mammoth	10	60	4 00	30 00
Jumbo	10	1 00	6 00	50 00

Delivered free to any post office in the United States

For our back cover we reproduced the subject illustrated last year because we believe that "Rawson's Nature Garden Mixture" Narcissi has given universal satisfaction.

This mixture is made up of four distinct sorts blooming at different periods, so that but one kind is in flower at one time, extending the entire period to over six weeks and producing each time a complete harmonious effect. The ideal material for the Wild Garden, old-fashioned borders, woodland and grass plots. In order to popularize this splendid mixture, we offer

100 bulbs, \$1; 1,000 bulbs, \$7.50; 10,000 bulbs, \$50. At these prices we deliver free to any express office in the United States

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We deliver free of charge, either by express or mail, within a radius of 50 miles from Boston, any order entirely composed of bulbs amounting to \$3 or over.

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We mail free of charge all bulbs listed in this Catalogue at the single or dozen rates, except with a few heavy species specified in this Catalogue, for which postage must be added to the order according to the rate given.

Plants can be sent by express only, as we furnish but a large specimen of any variety. Postal rules confine us to a certain size of package which would compel us to pick plants of inferior quality, which would produce poor results.

No charge for packing, cartage or delivery of goods to any railroad station, steamer or express office in Boston.

Name and address should be carefully written on every order. Special mention should be made if express offices and post offices are located apart, and we should appreciate mention of your preference of transportation.

Please use attached order sheet; extra blanks gladly furnished upon application.

We do not offer premiums, but enclose with every order a liberal collection of bulbs for trial; we then select such varieties as are not duplicated in the order.

PRICES.—We don't pretend our prices to be the cheapest, but we send out every article contained in this list in a reliable quality and as true to name as human possibility can suggest.

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September, 1909.

HYACINTHS FOR HOUSE AND GARDEN

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Rawson's Mixed Bedding Hyacinths

LARGE UNNAMED HYACINTHS IN SEPARATE COLORS

FOR FORCING AND BEDDING

Our mixed Hyacinths are of the largest size and should not be compared with cheap mixtures offered elsewhere. The variety of colors we offer is so extensive that beautiful effects may be produced with them. Great care has been given to the selection of varieties used for each mixture so as to produce their flowers all at one time and at the same height.

SINGLE

	Doz.	100	1,000
Rose and Pink ..	\$0 60	\$4 00	\$35 00
Red and Scarlet ..	60	4 00	35 00
Pure White	60	4 00	35 00
Blush-White	60	4 00	35 00
Dark Blue	60	4 00	35 00
Light Blue	60	4 00	35 00
Yellow	60	4 00	35 00
All Colors Mixed ..	50	3 50	32 00

DOUBLE

	Doz.	100	1,000
Rose and Pink ..	\$0 70	\$4 50	\$40 00
Red and Scarlet ..	70	4 50	40 00
Pure White	70	4 50	40 00
Blush-White	70	4 50	40 00
Dark Blue	70	4 50	40 00
Light Blue	70	4 50	40 00
Yellow	70	4 50	40 00
All Colors Mixed ..	60	4 00	35 00

Rawson's Special Named Bedding Hyacinths

EXTRA LARGE BULBS FOR BEDDING AND FORCING

To produce fine color effects in gardens, parks and estates, it is essential for the flowers to be of distinct and decided shades and exact uniform height, also to flower all at the same time. To meet this want we offer the following splendid sorts. They may also be used for forcing, grouped in bulb pans.

PINK or RED

- Sarah Bernhardt.** Salmon-rose.
- Gigantea.** Soft pink.
- Gertrude.** Bright rose.
- Rosy Gem.** Deep rose.
- Robert Steiger.** Deep crimson.

WHITE

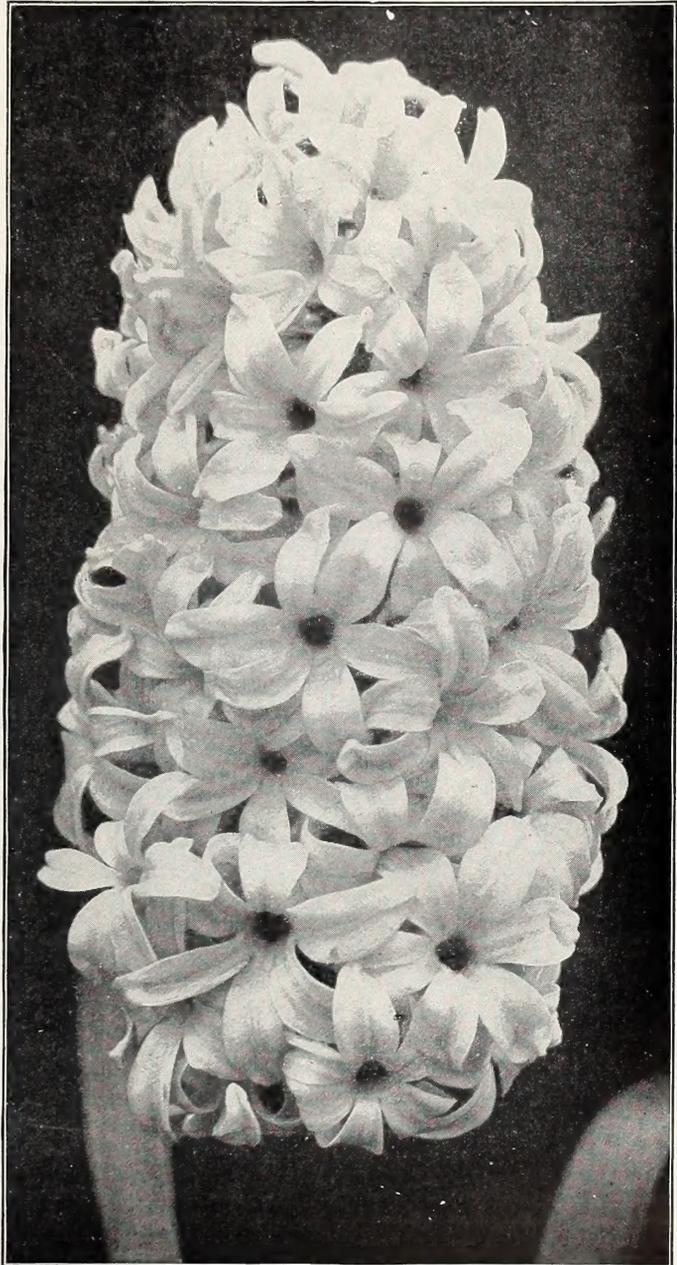
- Mr. Plimsoll.** Ivory-white.
- La Grandesse.** Pure white.
- L'Innocence.** Pure white.
- Grandeur a Merveille.** Waxy white.

VIOLET or PURPLE

- La Peyrouse.** Porcelain-blue.
- Grand Maitre.** Violet.
- King of the Blues.** Deep rich blue.

YELLOW

- Ida.** Rich yellow.
- Doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.25; 1,000, \$40



RAWSON'S FIRST PRIZE EXHIBITION HYACINTHS

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate.

TWO NEW TULIPS OF WONDERFUL BEAUTY

Tulipa Forsteriana. An early-flowering specie of unusually large dimensions and most brilliant coloring. Flowers, when fully expanded, measure 10 inches across and are of the most brilliant orange-scarlet imaginable. Each petal has a shiny purplish spot on base. **Extra-large flowering bulbs, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.**

New Darwin Tulip, "Urania." Of 600 varieties of Darwin Tulips which we tried at Marblehead last season this was the most superb. The gigantic flower is oblong in shape, similar to Forsteriana, of a bright orange-scarlet, but a deep golden base; showy to the extreme; on a slender, tall, gracefully waving stem. A novelty of the best acquisition. **25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.**

Rawson's "First-Prize" Exhibition Hyacinths

COLOSSAL BULBS

These should produce Specimen Flowers. But few of these bulbs are usually collected and therefore the quantity is limited

SINGLE RED AND PINK SHADES

Fabiola. Pink, distinctly striped crimson.

Gertrude. Handsome rose-pink; excellent flower.

SINGLE RED AND PINK SHADES, continued

Moreno. Exquisite blush-pink; enormous spike.

Sarah Bernhardt. Distinct salmon-rose; compact truss.

Dr. Coindet. Brilliant carmine; large bells.

Roi des Belges. Deep crimson-scarlet; compact spike.

SINGLE LIGHT AND DARK BLUE

Johan. New. Pale gray-blue; large bells, splendid spike.

Grand Lilas. Light porcelain-blue.

King of the Blues. Rich dark blue; superb spike, with immense bells.

Queen of the Blues. Beautiful azure-blue; handsome truss.

Prince of Wales. New. Violet-blue, white eye; very striking.

Grand Maitre. Dark porcelain-blue; large truss.

Schotel. Fine porcelain; immense spike.

SINGLE PURE AND BLUSH-WHITE

Baroness van Thuyll. Pure white, fine broad truss.

Grandeur a Merveille. Blush-white, large spike.

Mme. Vanderhoop. Waxy white, large bells.

La Grandesse. Purest white, splendid bells; grand spike.

L'Innocence. Pure white; extra large truss.

Mr. Plimsoll. Ivory-white, fine bells; showy.

Each, 25 cts.; doz., \$2.50; 100, \$15

Rawson's Selected

Exhibition Hyacinths

We have carefully weeded out all undesirable varieties, and list below but the choicest. Those marked (new) are novelties. Our bulbs are re-selected and the best in the market.

SINGLE DELICATE PINK AND ROSE

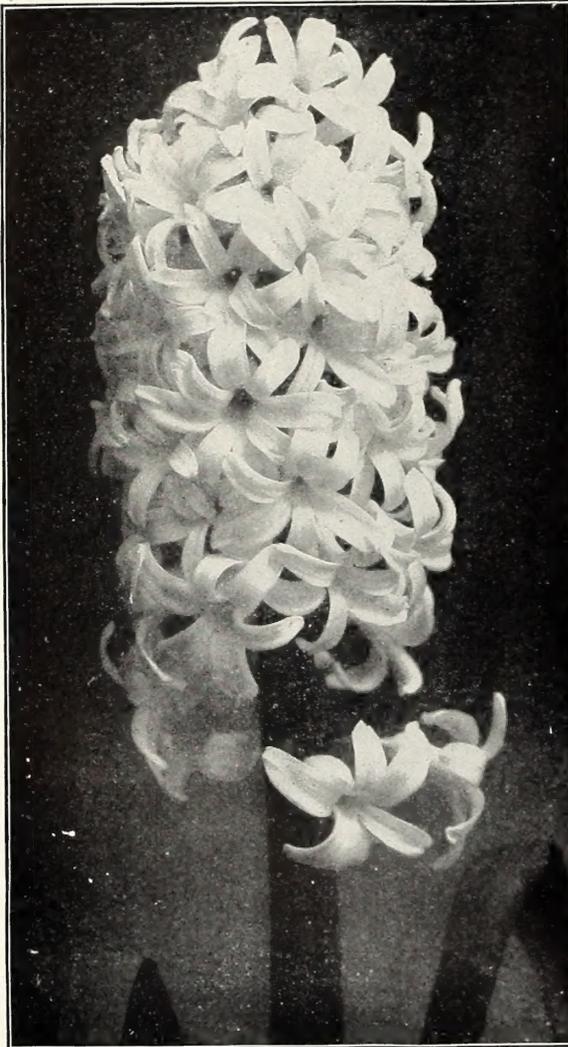
Delicatissima. New. Fine rose, extra large bells. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.75; 100, \$12.

Fabiola. Pink, distinctly striped crimson. Each, 15 cts.; doz. \$1.50; 100, \$10.

Gertrude. Beautiful bright pink. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$11.

Gigantea. Light rose, large spike. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$11.

Grand Vainqueur. Bright rose; immense spike. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.25; 100, \$10.



SINGLE WHITE HYACINTH GRANDEUR A MERVEILLE

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate

Rawson's Exhibition Hyacinths

continued

- Jacques.** New. Beautiful pink, extra large spike. Each, 25 cts.; doz., \$2.50; 100, \$18.
- Moreno.** Beautiful blush-pink; large truss. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$1.75; 100, \$12.
- Princess Charlotte.** New. Flesh-color, most delicate, large flower. Each, 25 cts.; doz., \$2.50; 100, \$18.
- Princess Helene.** New. Light rose, tinged white, fine and large truss, splendid. Each, 25 cts.; doz., \$2.50; 100, \$18.
- Queen Marie Sophie.** Bright rose, distinct shade; very fine. Ea., 20c.; doz., \$2; 100, \$15.
- Rosine.** New. Dark salmon; large bells; dwarf-growing, strong stem. Extra-fine. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$2; 100, \$15.
- Sarah Bernhardt.** Delicate rose, compact spike. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$11.
- Von Schiller.** Deep salmon-pink, striped with crimson. Magnificent flower. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$1.75; 100, \$12.

SINGLE RED AND CRIMSON

- Capt. Mayne Reid.** Extra deep red. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$2; 100, \$15.
- Countess of Roseberry.** Brilliant red, beautiful shade. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$11.
- Garibaldi.** Glowing crimson, very early. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.75; 100, \$12.
- Josephine.** Brilliant scarlet, changing to orange, fine spike. Each, 25 cts.; doz., \$2.50; 100, \$18.
- King of the Reds.** New. Brilliant carmine, white eye, splendid. Each, 60 cts.; doz., \$6.
- Lord Macaulay.** Bright rosy carmine. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$10.
- Passe Incomparable.** New. Deep red, a rich and attractive shade. Each, 40 cts.; doz., \$4.
- Robert Steiger.** Deep crimson, large truss. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$11.
- Stanley.** New. Finest glowing red, splendid truss. Each, 25 cts.; doz., \$2.50; 100, \$18.

SINGLE PURE WHITE

- Alba Superbissima.** Snow-white; fine truss. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$12.
- Albertine.** Pure white; early. One of the best for forcing. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$2; 100, \$15.
- Avalanche.** New. Pure white; Each Doz. 100
of great substance\$0 80 \$8 00
- Blanchard.** Snowy white; very early; large 15 1 50 \$11 00
- British Queen.** New. Pure white. Exhibition variety 25 2 50 18 00
- La Franchise.** Waxy white; large. 15 1 50 11 00
- La Grandesse.** Pure white; immense bells and spikes. A prize-winner among Hyacinths.. 25 2 50 18 00
- L'Innocence.** Pure white; handsome flower..... 20 2 00 14 00
- Mme. Vanderhoop.** Waxy white; large bells. Attractive flower ... 20 2 00 14 00
- Mr. Plimsoll.** Ivory-white; fine bells; very showy 20 2 00 15 00



SINGLE HYACINTH, MR. PLIMSOLL

SINGLE PURE WHITE, continued

	Each	Doz.	100
Mont Blanc. Snowy white; compact truss.....	\$0 25	\$2 50	\$18 00
Paix de l'Europe. Pure white; long truss.....	15	1 50	11 00
Pearl Queen. New. Pure white; extra large bells. Latest introduction for the exhibition table..	1 00	10 00	
Queen of the Netherlands. Silvery white; of good substance.	25	2 50	18 00

SINGLE BLUSH-WHITE

	Each	Doz.	100
Anna Paulowna. Blush-white; compact spike.....	\$0 20	\$2 00	\$15 00
Grandeur a Merveille. Blush-white; large spikes. One of the best.....	15	1 50	11 00
Grande Blanche. Blush-white; loose and graceful flower.....	15	1 50	10 00
Voltaire. Creamy blush-white; large spikes.....	15	1 50	11 00
Seraphine. Blush-white; large spike.....	20	2 00	15 00

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HYACINTHS GROWING IN THE OPEN GROUND

Rawson's Exhibition Hyacinths
continued

SINGLE LIGHT BLUE, LAVENDER AND MAUVE

	Each	Doz.	100
Captain Boynton. Porcelain-blue; large bells and trusses.....	\$0 20	\$2 00	\$14 00
Charles Dickens. Light blue; large truss; excellent spike.....	15	1 50	12 00
Grand Lilas. Silvery lilac; fine spike.....	15	1 50	12 00
Grand Maitre. Sky-blue, shaded violet.....	15	1 50	11 00
La Peyrouse. Clear porcelain-blue. A showy flower.....	15	1 50	11 00
Leonidas. Bright blue; very early; large truss.....	15	1 50	11 00
Pieneman. Dark porcelain-blue; large bells, immense truss.....	15	1 50	11 00
Potgieter. Light blue; fine bells.	20	2 00	15 00
Queen of the Blues. Beautiful azure-blue; large bells, handsome truss.....	20	2 00	15 00
Regulus. Light blue; large bells and spikes.....	15	1 50	9 00
Schotel. Fine porcelain-blue; immense spike.....	15	1 50	11 00

SINGLE DARK BLUE, VIOLET AND PURPLE

	Each	Doz.	100
Arnold Prince. New. Very dark purple.....	\$0 25	\$2 50	\$18 00
Baron van Thuyll. Fine deep blue; large compact truss; early.	15	1 50	11 00
Distinction. New. Deep maroon, clear shade; very effective.....	35	3 50	28 00

SINGLE DARK BLUE, VIOLET AND PURPLE. con.

	Each	Doz.	100
General Havelock. Rich glit-tering purplish black.....	\$0 20	\$2 00	\$15 00
King of the Blues. Deep purplish blue; fine close spike. One of the best.....	15	1 50	11 00
Lord Hartington. Purplish mauve.....	20	2 00	15 00
Lord Balfour. Violet; extra fine.	25	2 50	18 00
Marie. Darkest blue; fine spike.	15	1 50	11 00
Masterpiece. Deep violet; very fine.....	25	2 50	18 00
President Lincoln. Purplish mauve; extra-fine spike.....	20	2 00	15 00
The Sultan. Very dark blue; fine shade.....	15	1 50	10 00
Totula. Deep blue; the largest bulb of all Hyacinths, producing a tremendous flower.....	25	2 50	18 00
Turquoise. New; Fine; most distinct blue; largest bell in existence.....	30	3 00	22 00

SINGLE YELLOW

	Each	Doz.	100
City of Haarlem. New. Bright golden yellow; the best of all yellow Hyacinths.....	\$0 75	\$7 50	
Ida. Pure primrose yellow; large spike; early.....	15	1 50	\$11 00
King of the Yellows. Deep golden yellow; large; handsome spike; late.....	20	2 00	14 00
MacMahon. Pure yellow; large bells.....	15	1 50	10 00
Tamerlan. Fine orange, rich shade.....	20	2 00	15 00
Yellow Hammer. Golden yellow; broad spike; showy.....	25	2 50	18 00
Marchioness of Lorne. New. Salmon-orange; extremely large flower and spike.....	30	3 00	22 00

Rawson's
Early Roman Hyacinths

This beautiful and valuable variety, if planted early in September and gently forced, will bloom in November, or their flowering may be retarded until Christmas by keeping them in a cool place. By successive plantings they may be had in bloom until March. The flowers, which are smaller than the ordinary Hyacinths, are produced in great profusion, each bulb throwing up three or four spikes of delicate scent.

	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
Pure White. Large bulbs.....	\$0 10	\$0 60	\$4 00	\$32 00
Pure White. Mammoth bulbs.....	10	75	5 00	42 00
Pure White. Jumbo bulbs.....	10	90	7 50	60 00
Light Pink	05	50	3 50	30 00
Light Blue	05	50	3 50	30 00
Yellow. A good shade, extra-large bulbs.....	10	1 00	8 00	70 00
White Italian, or Parisian	10	60	4 00	35 00

These are about two weeks later than the Roman Hyacinths and the blossoms somewhat larger. Very fragrant and decorative.

We furnish 7-inch pans, well started, ready December 1, for 50 cts. each

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate

FEATHERED HYACINTHS

Pretty, hardy spring flowers, which grow luxuriantly in any soil.

	Doz.	100	1,000
Muscari plumosus. Several shades	\$0 25	\$1 25	\$9 00

Mailed free at dozen rates

GRAPE HYACINTHS

(*Muscari Botryoides*)

A splendid flower for the grass, hardy border, in clumps between shrubberies and open bedding. They are so inexpensive that they may be grown in masses, when they produce the best effect.

	Doz.	100	1,000
Alba. White.....	\$0 25	\$1 25	\$9 00
Caerulea. Blue.....	15	60	4 00

Mailed free at dozen rates

New Rembrandt Tulips

An entirely new class, a break from the finest Darwins, which originated only a few years ago and is now absolutely fixed. Height, shape and size of blooms is identical with the Darwin, but the colorings are new and distinct. This class is absolutely hardy in New England and should be planted where they can remain permanently.

We are the first to offer these splendid novelties to the American public and have full confidence in their ultimate popularity.

From one hundred varieties we have selected the following as best.

Aladin. Light lilac-rose, suffused pink, flaked white and crimson. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$10.

Anne Mary. Soft lavender, with an occasional splash of purple and white spot at base. Each, 20 cts., doz., \$2; 100, \$15.

Butterfly. Violet-rose, shading to white, feathered pure white and deep purple; very attractive. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$10.

Caracalla. Bright scarlet, with markings of pure white; very fine. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$10.

Crimson Beauty. Deep crimson, marked white; showy and large. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$10.

Eros. Pure white, with violet flakes; most handsome. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$2; 100, \$15.

Esopus. Deep rose, with white and scarlet markings. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$10.

Hebe. Violet, with distinct markings of white and purple, the tip of each petal has a spot of white, so when the flower is closed it presents a perfect circle of white on top; extra fine. Each, 20 cts., doz., \$2; 100, \$15.

Le Printemps. Violet-rose, striped crimson and slightly white; very large. Each 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$10.

Marco Spado. Deep crimson, with pure white stripes on base and tip of petals; extra large. Each, 20 cts.; doz. \$2; 100, \$15.

Ninon. Lavender-rose, marked bright crimson; very delicate and showy, Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$2; 100, \$15.



ROMAN HYACINTHS

Procles. Deep violet, marked purple and white; distinct and large. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$2; 100, \$15.

Red Prince. Deep salmon, beautifully marked white on base and crimson on tip; very distinct. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$2; 100, \$15.

Rosy Gem. Salmon-pink, marked white and slightly crimson; very distinct and showy. Each 20 cts.; doz., \$2; 100, \$15.

Semele. Soft lavender-pink, marked rosy purple; extra large; very showy. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$2; 100, \$15.

Titania. Pure white, flaked and ribbed violet-crimson; very distinct and beautiful; extra. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$2; 100, \$15.

Vesta. Soft violet, marked deep crimson; one of the largest. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$10.

Victor Hugo. Deep scarlet, with broad white margins; extra large. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$2; 100, \$15.

Special Offer. One bulb each of the foregoing eighteen varieties at \$2.50 per set, mailed free to any post office in the United States; two sets, \$4.50; three sets, \$6.50.

Narcissi for the Wild Garden

A field of bloom for six weeks may be produced with a thousand bulbs of

RAWSON'S "NATURE GARDEN" MIXTURE

of Daffodils, Jonquils and Narcissus

This mixture is made up of four distinct sorts blooming at different periods, so that but one kind is in flower at one time, extending the entire period to over six weeks and producing each time a complete harmonious effect. The ideal material for the Wild Garden, old-fashioned borders, woodland and grass plots. In order to popularize this splendid mixture, we offer

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SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

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No other flower excels the Tulip in beauty of form, brilliancy of color, effective bedding and gorgeous show. They are equally desirable for bedding as well as for pot culture indoors. For outdoor bedding the most brilliant effect can be produced by massing colors which contrast well. Our list of named varieties is the most complete in this country, especial care being taken to offer but the choicest sorts. All our bulbs have been picked and should prove of superior size and quality.



Rawson's Arlington Prize Mixture

We pride ourselves in offering the choicest mixture of Tulips in this country. Over 250 of the choicest sorts of Tulips are used to produce this blending. We give great study to the selecting of varieties that will flower at the same time and grow of even height, in order to produce the most brilliant mass effect. We use but the largest bulbs for this mixture, which is undoubtedly unsurpassed.

In order to avoid disappointments and to guarantee an equal proportion of colors with every order, no matter how small, we shall blend this mixture at the time of filling the order, and for the order only.

Doz., 40 cts.; 100, \$2.50; 1,000, \$20

Rawson's Special Mixture

A superior mixture of good bulbs. Doz., 20 cts.; 100, \$1.25; 1,000, \$10.

Rawson's Fine Mixture

Doz., 15 cts.; 100, \$1; 1,000, \$8.

Mixtures of Separate Shades

	Doz.	100	1,000
Red Shades.....	\$0 25	\$1 50	\$12 00
White Shades.....	25	1 50	12 00
Yellow Shades.....	25	1 50	12 00
Pink Shades.....	25	1 50	12 00

TULIPA TUBERGENIANA

Is one of the finest Tulips yet introduced,—imposing as regards size and color and exquisite in the shape of its immense flowers. Discovered in 1901 by Mr. Van Tubergen in the high mountains of Central Bokhara, it was brought to England and has proven there one of the most hardy species of Tulips. Truly a giant in size of bulb, foliage and flowers. The erect flower-stem is stout, very tall and markedly pubescent. The leaves are of great size and intensely glaucous, while the colossal flowers are pyramid-shaped; their color is an intense scarlet with an orange tinge and a bold black blotch in the base. Each, 30 cts.; doz., \$3; 100, \$20.

SINGLE EARLY TULIPS KEIZERKROON AND VERMILION
BRILLIANT

Each, 30 cts.; doz., \$3; 100, \$20.

NAMED SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

New, Rare and Choice Tulips

The varieties listed below are the cream of recent introductions and are quite an improvement on the Standard varieties either for coloring, size or perfection.

Dainty Maid. Pleasing delicate pink; a grand flower and a valuable novelty. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 65 cts.; 100, \$4; 1,000, \$35.

Epaminondas. Deep rosy pink; long flower. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 60 cts.; 100, \$3.50; 1,000, \$25.

Flamingo. Shape like White Hawk; color white, flaked rosy red. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$2; 100, \$15.

Golden Lion of Hillegom. Golden, changing to fiery orange-scarlet; most distinct. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$2; 100, \$15.

Golden Queen. The largest pure yellow flower among Tulips. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.25; 100, \$8.

La Remarquable. Dark purple; height, 10 inches. Each, 10 cts.; doz., \$1; 100, \$6.

L'Unique. White, with yellow base; very rare. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$1.75; 100, \$12.

PINK BEAUTY. Certainly a lovely Tulip. Deep glowing rose, with bold snowy white flush in outer petals, center white and yellow. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$1.75; 100, \$12.

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate

Named Single Early Tulips of Recent Introduction, continued

- Queen of the Pinks.** Shaded white, bordered bright pink. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 75 cts.; 100, \$5.
Rose Queen. Deep pink, shaded white. Height, 12 inches. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 50 cts.; 100, \$3.50.
Sarah Bernhardt. Large flowers; soft rose, with orange and chamois tinge; very striking. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 75c.; 100, \$5.
SCARLET QUEEN. (New Seedling). Color bright orange-scarlet; large and very substantial flower, which is very lasting. Each, 40 cts.; doz., \$4.
Snowflake. Snow-white; excellent shape. Height, 10 inches. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 50 cts.; 100, \$3; 1,000, \$22.
The Kaiser. Brilliant scarlet. Height, 10 inches. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 60 cts.; 100, \$3.50.

Standard Single Early Tulips

- Alba regalis.** Pure white; excellent for bedding. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 30 cts.; 100, \$1.50; 1,000, \$12.
Artus. Bright scarlet. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 35 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$15.
Bacchus. Dark purplish red; a distinct shade. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 40 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$15.
Belle Alliance. Brilliant deep scarlet. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 50 cts.; 100, \$3; 1,000, \$25.
Brutus. Orange-crimson; beautiful. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 35 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$15.
Canary Bird. Distinct clear yellow. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 30 cts.; 100, \$1.75; 1,000, \$14.
Cardinal's Hat. Dark red. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 30 cts.; 100, \$1.50; 1,000, \$12.
Cerise Grisdelin. Cherry-red, bordered white. Each, 10c.; doz., 60 cts.; 100, \$3; 1,000, \$25.



SINGLE EARLY TULIP, PINK BEAUTY



TULIP, ROSE LUISANTE (See page 10)

- Chrysolora.** Pure golden yellow. Each, 5c.; doz., 25c.; 100, \$1.50; 1,000, \$12.
Cottage Maid, Beautiful rose, shaded with white; a very attractive variety. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 35 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$16.
Couleur Cardinal. Brilliant crimson-scarlet; extra. Each, 10 cts., doz., 60 cts.; 100, \$3.50; 1,000, \$30.
Cour de France. Dark red, striped golden yellow. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 60 cts.; 100, \$3.50; 1,000, \$30.
Crimson King. Bright crimson-scarlet. Each, 5c.; doz., 40 cts.; 100, \$2.50; 1,000, \$20.
Duchesse de Parma. Bright orange-scarlet, bordered yellow. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 30 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$16.
Dusart. Brilliant deep scarlet; very fine. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 60 cts.; 100, \$3; 1,000, \$28.
Fabiola. Violet, striped rose. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 50 cts.; 100, \$3; 1,000, \$27.
Frans Hals. White, large; extra fine. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 45 cts.; 100, \$2.50; 1,000, \$22.
Golden Prince. Yellow. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 30 cts.; 100, \$1.75; 1,000, \$15.
Gold Finch. Pure yellow; of delicious sweet fragrance. Each, 5c.; doz., 35 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$16.
Gov. Guild. New. Deep scarlet; enormous flower. The largest scarlet Tulip in cultivation. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 75 cts.; 100, \$5; 1,000, \$45.
Grace Darling. Dark nasturtium-red; very large. Fine-shaped flowers; most showy. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.75; 100, \$12.
John Bright. New. Rosy pink, slightly shaded white. Each, 5 cts.; doz. 50 cts.; 100, \$3; 1,000, \$25.

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Standard Single Early Tulips, con.

	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
Joost van Vondel, Striped. Deep cherry-red, striped white; immense flower.....	\$0 05	\$0 45	\$2 25	\$22 00
Joost van Vondel, White. Very scarce. The largest pure white. A prize-taker.....	10	75	4 00	35 00
Keizerkroon. Crimson-scarlet, edged bright yellow.....	05	40	2 50	20 00
King of the Yellows. Deep golden yellow; fine for forcing.	05	30	1 75	15 00
Koh-i-noor. Very dark crimson.	10	1 00	6 50	
La Reine. Rosy white.....	05	25	1 50	12 00
Lac van Rhijn. Violet and white.....	05	30	1 75	15 00
L'Immaculee. Pure white....	05	20	1 00	9 00
Maes. New. Dazzling scarlet..	10	1 00	5 00	
Mon Tresor. Large yellow early forcing variety.....	05	40	2 00	18 00
Moucheron. Deep scarlet....	10	75	5 00	42 00
Nelly. Pure white, very large..	05	30	2 00	15 00
Ophir d'Or. Deep golden yellow.	05	30	2 00	15 00
Pottebakker Scarlet. Bright scarlet.....	05	50	3 00	25 00
Pottebakker White. Pure white.....	05	35	2 00	18 00
Pottebakker Yellow. Pure yellow.....	05	30	1 75	15 00
Pottebakker Yellow Striped. Yellow striped red.....	05	40	2 50	18 00
President Lincoln. Light violet.....	10	60	3 50	30 00



SINGLE EARLY TULIP, QUEEN OF THE NETHERLANDS



SINGLE EARLY TULIP, JOOST VAN VONDEL, WHITE

	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
Prince of Austria. Orange-red, sweet-scented; used extensively in Public Garden..	\$0 05	\$0 50	\$3 00	\$25 00
Proserpine. Deep rosy pink. One of the most magnificent Tulips.....	10	75	4 00	30 00
Queen of the Netherlands. Rare. Soft rose, flushed white.	10	1 00	7 00	
Rosa Mundi Huikman. Rose and white.....	05	30	1 75	15 00
Rose Grisdelin. Delicate rose flushed white.....	05	30	2 00	18 00
Rose Luisante. Glowing deep rose.....	10	60	4 00	35 00
Royal Standard. Silvery white, striped crimson.....	05	50	3 00	25 00
Royal Standard Gold. Crimson striped and feathered gold.	10	75	5 00	45 00
Stanley. Purplish rosy carmine; very distinct.....	10	60	4 00	30 00
Thomas Moore. Terra-cotta, shaded golden.....	05	40	2 50	20 00
Van der Neer. Rich violet; handsome large flower.....	10	70	4 25	38 00
Vermilion-Brilliant. Dazzling vermilion.....	10	80	5 00	45 00
White Hawk. Pure white; robust habit; large flower.....	05	50	3 00	28 00
Wouverman. Claret-purple... ..	05	55	3 50	30 00
Yellow Prince. Resembling Marechal Niel rose in color and fragrance.....	05	30	1 75	15 00

OUR SPECIALTY, "DAHLIAS."

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate

DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS

A very showy and decorative class. They flower a week or ten days later than the Single varieties and have excellent lasting qualities.

Rawson's Arlington Prize Mixture

Unsurpassed for beauty. Unequaled for quality and size. Doz., 35 cts.; 100, \$2.50; 1,000, \$20.

Rawson's Special Mixture

A mixture of splendid varieties. Doz., 25 cts.; 100, \$1.25; 1,000, \$10.

MIXTURES OF SEPARATE SHADES

	Doz.	100	1,000
Red Shades.....	\$0 25	\$1 50	\$12 00
White Shades.....	25	1 50	12 00
Yellow Shades.....	25	1 50	12 00
Pink Shades.....	25	1 50	12 00

NAMED VARIETIES

	Doz.	100	1,000
Alba Maxima. Pure white.....	\$0 30	\$2 00	\$18 00
Crown of Roses. Splendid deep rose	50	3 00	
Crown of Gold. Pure yellow	50	3 00	28 00
Duc van Thol. Red and yellow..	20	1 25	9 00
Gloria Solis. Red, bordered with gold	45	2 75	20 00
Gladstone. Dark rose; fine	75	5 00	
Helianthus. Yellow and scarlet..	40	2 50	24 00
Imperator Rubrorum. Rich glowing scarlet	75	5 00	45 00
La Candeur. Pure white.....	40	2 50	20 00
Lady Grandison. Bright scarlet.	40	2 00	18 00
Le Blason. White, tinged rose ..	30	2 00	18 00
Le Matador. Dazzling scarlet; extra	75	5 00	
Lord Beaconsfield. Deep rose; immense flower	1 00	6 00	
Lord Palmerston. Fine rose....	50	3 00	20 00
Murillo. Superb blush-white, shaded rose.....	60	3 00	28 00



DOUBLE EARLY TULIP

	Doz.	100	1,000
Paeony Red. Deep red.....	\$0 30	\$2 00	\$18 00
Paeony Gold. Golden yellow striped red.....	40	2 00	20 00
Parmesiano. Beautiful rose	75	5 00	40 00
Purple Crown. Dark purple	30	2 00	18 00
Reine des Roses. Delicate pink.	75	4 50	
Rex Rubrorum. Scarlet; fine rich flower.....	45	3 00	24 00
Rosalie (Double Proserpine). Rosy pink; extra.....	50	3 00	27 00
Rose Blanche. The best double pure white	25	1 50	12 00
Salvator rosea. White, flamed deep rose	60	4 00	30 00
Tournesol, Scarlet. Red, edged yellow	45	3 00	27 00
Tournesol, Yellow. Yellow, shaded orange	60	4 00	30 00
William III. New. Orange-scarlet.	50	4 00	36 00

RAWSON'S PINK BEAUTY FREESIA

is a distinct species and has in addition to its valuable quality, namely, charming color, a most satisfactory habit in that the flower stems freely branch, often producing 10 distinct flower spikes, each averaging from 12 to 18 inches in length, so one can cut a veritable bouquet from a single plant. Delicate and pleasing fragrance and will attract every flower lover. **Each, 30 cts.; doz., \$3; 100, \$20.**

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate

LATE-FLOWERING SINGLE TULIPS

Also Called May-Flowering and Cottage Tulips

Our exhibits of these Tulips shown before the Massachusetts Horticultural Society have been much admired. These lovely late-flowering Tulips are very effective for all kinds of decorative work, and their value as cut-flowers cannot be overestimated. They are all perfectly hardy; raised in the most northern parts of Great Britain and Ireland and are eminently fitted for border cultivation for bedding, forcing and every purpose to which the early-flowering Tulip is put. They often grow from 2 to 3 feet high, and flower usually about Memorial Day, lasting fully two weeks in bloom. We have given this group considerable attention in recent years and we can fully recommend the varieties listed below as the best of their kind. Comparison will show that our list is the most comprehensive offered in the United States.



LATE BIZARRES TULIP

MIXTURES OF TYPES

Breeders. A mixture of self colors, such as scarlet, crimson, violet, etc., with white base.	Doz.	100	1,000
	\$0 30	\$1 50	\$12 00
Bizarres. Flowers of yellow grounds, striped with crimson, purple or white.	20	1 00	9 00
Bybloemen Roses. Magnificent flowers, the ideal form, white ground, striped in all shades of pink.	25	1 50	14 00
Bybloemen Violet. Same as above in all shades of violet.	25	1 50	14 00
Splendid Mixtures of all colors and classes.	25	1 50	10 00

NAMED SINGLE TULIPS

Aximensis. Tall Tulips of didieriform, cone-shaped, deep red flowers, flushed with gray externally, and colored yellow and black at the base. Remarkable for the length of time they last in good condition.	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
	\$0 10	\$0 65	\$4 00	
Bandmaster. Golden yellow, emblazoned rich orange, tipped and feathered rosy crimson, with dark center. Height 24 in.		10	1 00	
Beauty of America. Graceful, globular Tulip, the petals half reflexing, colored pale chrome, shading to white near the margins.	05	50	3 00	\$20 00
Bouton d'Or (Ida). Tall, stately, cup-shaped flowers of a bright golden yellow; lasts a long time in good condition. A grand Tulip for massing for long-distance effect.	05	30	1 20	10 00
Bridesmaid. Rose, striped pinkish white, sweet-scented; very popular; excellent in grass and for large beds. Height 18 in.	05	30	1 50	12 00
Bronze Queen. Rich bronze, feathered with gold; a large, well-shaped flower. Height 18 in.	10	75	4 00	
Caledonia. Bold Tulip about a foot high, colored a rich orange-scarlet, shading to vermilion, center greenish with yellow blotches.	10	60	3 50	32 00
Columbus (Gala Beauty). Rich velvety crimson, striped with gold; shape that of Mrs. Moon; deliciously perfumed, and excellent in every way. Height 16 in.	35	3 50	25 00	
Cottager. New. Petals rounded, recurving, colored rose with carmine shading; quite a distinct Tulip of dainty coloring. Height 18 in.	10	1 00	7 50	
Elegans. Grand border Tulip; petals rich carmine, elegantly reflexed, base yellow. The finest of the early flowering set for cutting; a free grower.	10	75	4 00	
Emerald Gem. Cup-shaped, rich coral striped red, with a sea-green base; a strong, thick-petaled bloom. Very durable in hottest sun and perfumed of Sweet Pea; excellent. Height 18 in.	15	1 25	8 00	
Eyebright. Erect cup-shaped bloom, rich feathered scarlet and gold, the outer petals of a creamy tinge; very dazzling and richly perfumed; stands the weather well and fine for cutting. Height 18 in.	05	50	3 00	
Fairy Queen. Tall, graceful Tulip, with goblet-shaped flowers, the petals of which are colored a rosy heliotrope, margined with buff; a very distinct Tulip of æsthetic coloring. Height 20 in.	10	1 00	5 00	
Flame. A glorious Tulip of exceptional vigor, and a capital addition to the May flowering race. The flower is deeply cup-shaped, colored a flame-scarlet, really a blend of orange and scarlet, and the depth of color and substance of petal render this Tulip one of the best of the richly tinted group.	25	2 50		

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Named Single Tulips, continued

- General Roberts.** New. Color a shining dark crimson; flowers elongated and graceful; petals often 4 inches long. Height 18 in. Each, 10 cts.; doz. 75 cts.; 100, \$4.50.
- Gesneriana major.** Large; crimson scarlet, with glittering blue-black center. Excellent for massive bedding. Height 20 in. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 35 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$15.
- Gesneriana yellow.** An immense globe-shaped rich yellow Tulip of unusually fine outline, and to our mind, among the best of its color; well perfumed. Height 20 in. Each, 10 cts.; doz., \$1; 100, \$6.
- Gesneriana alba.** Pure white. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 35 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$18.
- Golden Crown.** Large golden yellow flowers, edged bright scarlet and becoming suffused with scarlet with age. An old Tulip, but still indispensable for bedding and for cutting. Doz., 25 cts.; 100, \$1; 1,000, \$7.50.
- Gold Cup.** Large bright yellow, crimson flaked, edged carmine. A choice, rich colored variety. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 75 cts.; 100, \$5.
- Golden Eagle.** A very early flower, colored golden yellow, of goblet shape; a good bedder and a grand Tulip for cutting. Very free. Doz., 35 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$15.

Inglescombe Yellow. New. Very tall and striking Tulip. Deep cup-shaped; pale canary-yellow, on stems 2 feet high. Each, 50c.; doz., \$5.

Innovation. Very large-growing plant; massive petaled tapering flowers, 6 inches long and nearly a foot across, creamy white flecked carmine on the tips and slightly marked elsewhere. Should be well grown. A grand Tulip. Each, 40c.; doz., \$4.

Isabella. (Blushing Bride.) Deep

goblet-shaped flowers on stems a foot high, colored creamy white and pink, changing to cherry-red with age. A very choice and popular variety; forces well and a capital bedding Tulip. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 50 cts.; 100, \$2.50; 1,000, \$20.

Jaune d'Oeuf. A large egg-shaped flower of golden yellow tint, spangled and flushed rose externally; very distinct and fine. Height 16 in. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 75 cts.; 100, \$4; 1,000, \$30.

John Ruskin. A lovely blend of Indian yellow and pink rainbow coloring matter, in the extreme center yellow. Height 18 in. Each, 60 cts.; doz., \$6.

La Circasienne. Large round flower, flaked cherry-crimson on a white ground. Old-fashioned and beautiful. Height 18 in. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$10.

La Merveille. Rich coral color, with a yellow center; pitcher-shaped, sweet-scented and very beautiful. Quite to the lady's fancy. Height 24 in. Each, 5c.; doz., 40c.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$15.

La Nigrette. Ball-shaped flowers of a maroon-black. Height 18 in. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 75 cts.; 100, \$4; 1,000, \$35.

La Reve. Immense goblet-shaped flowers of a rosy buff tone, with yellow base; very handsome and long lasting. Each, 10 cts.; doz., \$1; 100, \$7.

McKinley. Giant globe-shaped flower of glistening white. Each 10 cts.; doz., 60 cts.; 100, \$3.50.

Mrs. Moon. Giant late Tulip; flowers rich yellow, of elegant form, tapering and reflexing. One of the finest Tulips in cultivation. Height 2 ft. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$10.

Parisian White. Goblet-shaped flowers, petals white, with bluish tint, edged pink with age. Capital bedder. Height 18 in. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 50 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$20.

Picotee. Elegantly recurving pure white flowers, changing in a few days to a pink edge, gradually becoming suffused with rose; very effective in borders or beds. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 35 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$15.

ISABELLA TULIP



SALMON QUEEN TULIP (See page 14)

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate

Named Single Tulips, continued

	Each	Doz.	100
Salmon Queen. Salmon-red flower of great substance, center green	\$0 15	\$1 25	\$8 00
Silver Queen. Sugar loaf shaped; creamy white at first, afterwards feathered and blotched with pink, distinct; Height 14 in..	1,000, \$20.. 05	50	2 50
Summer Beauty. Massive petaled flowers of deep goblet form; pure white, flaked gray, crimson and blue; very effective; a strong grower of much substance.....	10	75	4 00
Surprise (Irish Beauty). Hoody pink, shaded tulip, with a dark velvety green base; late, vigorous and excellent Height, 18 in.....	05	50	3 00
The Fawn. Strong-growing plant with goblet-shaped flowers, colored fawn with apricot external shading; of a large size and boldly erect habit. A capital Tulip of refined æsthetic coloring. Height, 20 in...	20	2 00	15 00
Trafalgar. Rich yellow, feathered crimson; round, globular shape; a fine old cottage Tulip. Height, 20 in.	10	1 00	6 00
White Swan. Pure white, egg-shaped flowers; excellent for cutting or bedding.....per 1,000, \$18..	05	35	2 00



PARROT TULIPS

PARROT TULIPS

A most interesting class which produces flowers of fantastic shape and colorings. Each petal is curiously cut and fringed, and shines in the colors of a parrot, hence its name. They are very pretty and should be grown more extensively.

	Doz.	100	1,000
Admiral of Constantinople. Glossy scarlet, shaded and tipped orange	\$0 35	\$1 50	\$12 00
Cafe Brun. Reddish brown on a yellow ground; slightly striped crimson and green.....	35	1 50	12 00
Feu Brilliant (Cramoisie Brilliant). Dazzling crimson.....	35	1 50	12 00
Lutea Major. Yellow, striped crimson and green.....	35	1 50	12 00
Markgraaf. Golden inside, feathered brilliant scarlet. Purple and green on the outside.....	35	1 50	12 00
Perfecta. Yellow, scarlet, green...	35	1 50	12 00
Finest Mixed. A combination of all sorts.....	25	1 50	10 00



DARWIN TULIP, NAUTICA (See page 16)

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate

Rawson's Exquisite Darwin Tulips

This class is without doubt the **Queen of Tulips**. It comprises a grand selection of the older Breeder Tulips and the coming race for effective garden display. They range from 2 to 3 feet in height and their flowers are massive, weather-resisting and very persistent. They are well adapted for every garden use, particularly for the planting of grass vistas, the approaches to woodland and in shrub beds; their constitution is so strong that grasses cannot choke them and they will thrive for several years without further attention. They force readily and we can recommend them for that purpose; indeed, there is no finer group of Tulips for conservatory decoration at their season than these Darwins. They embrace nearly all shades of white, lilac, rose, red and crimson, whilst a few new and very interesting types are colored mauve, heliotrope, maroon and black-purple. Their centers are always clear and well defined, and in many cases a ring of white, gold or blue divides the basal from the petal coloring.

Rawson's Exquisite Mixture of all Colors
 Doz., 40 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$15

List of Varieties

Antony Roozen. A beautiful early-flowering variety, colored deep rose shading to



RAWSON'S EXQUISITE DARWIN TULIPS

SALMON KING



a bluish margin. Flowers cup-shaped and very effective massed. Each, 10 cts.; doz., \$1; 100, \$6.

Arizona. Very sturdy grower, with massive clasping leaves; very stout stems and gigantic flowers, colored dark red, the base deepening to a reddish blue. Each, 10 cts.; doz., \$1; 100, \$7.

Clara Butt. Globular flower, salmon-colored, with basal coloring of rose and external flushing of pink; a choice refined Tulip of esthetic shade. Height, 18 in. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.25; 100, \$9.

Claude Gillot (Glow). Glowing vermilion-red; of immense size, with very broad rounded petals and violet base. Each, 10c.; doz., 90 cts.; 100, \$6.

Dream. Soft delicate lilac; large flower. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 70 cts.; 100, \$4.

Edmee Beauty. Vivid rosy pink; lovely. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.25; 100, \$9.

Erguste. Very shapely blooms, colored dark lilac or pale heliotrope, with petals of a lustrous sheen; choice and refined. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 70 cts.; 100, \$4.

Farncombe Sandars. Massive dark crimson flowers, which are effective when massed. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.25; 100, \$9.

Flambeau. Brilliant scarlet, blue center; very rich and showy. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 85 cts.; 100, \$5.

Gretchen. Beautiful globular flower, outside blush-rose, inside soft blush-rose; very charming. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 75 cts.; 100, \$4.

Gryphus. Violet-black; quite distinct and showy. Each, 10 cts.; doz., \$1; 100, \$6.

Kate Greenaway. White, tinted slightly lavender. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 75 cts.; 100, \$4.

King Harold. Glowing ruby crimson; enormous massive flowers on very tall stems; center rich black; new and stately variety; one of the very finest forms in existence. Each, 10 cts.; doz., \$1; 100, \$6.

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Rawson's Exquisite Darwin Tulips, continued

La Candeur. Sturdy and effective creamy-white Darwin. Faintly spangled rose-pink externally. Each, 10 cts.; doz., \$1; 100, \$6.

La Tulipe Noire. The darkest Tulip known; shape a perfect cup, of intense black maroon; surface lustrous and remarkable for good finish. Each, 35 cts.; doz., \$3.50; 100, \$25.

Landelle. Bright rose, shapely Tulip, with a pretty marginal tint of pink to each petal; showy and refined. Each, 10 cts.; doz., \$1; 100, \$6.

Lantern. Pretty Tulip of esthetic coloring; a silvery lilac, shaded white; flower excellent in form and of considerable substance. Each, 10c.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$5.

Loveliness. Flowers elegantly shaped, colored rosy pink with spotless white base; choice and popular. Height, 24 in. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 85 cts.; 100, \$5.

Mad. Krelage. A grand and chastely colored Tulip; soft rosy pink, with paler margins; very tall and shapely; thrives well and increases fast. A capital border Tulip with the vigor of Bouton d'Or. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 75 cts.; 100, \$5.

Mrs. Cleveland. Lovely flesh-pink Tulip of refined shape and coloring, good at all points. Recommended for its delicate coloring. Ea., 25 cts.; doz., \$2.50; 100, \$18.

Madame Barrois. Delicate pink; the best and largest Darwin in this collection. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$2; 100, \$15.

Minister Tak. Brilliant scarlet; 3 feet long. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$10.

Mrs. Potter Palmer. Brilliant rich purple. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 50 cts.; 100, \$4.

Nautica. Deep glowing rose; immense flowers of excellent substance. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 85c.; 100, \$5.

Nora Ware. A most beautiful heliotrope; rare and choice. Each, 10 cts.; doz., \$1; 100, \$6.

Painted Lady. French gray cup, flushed heliotrope when first open. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 85 cts.; 100, \$5.

Prevost Exilles. Pale mauve coloring, margined silver-gray, base blue. Each, 10 cts.; doz., \$1; 100, \$7.

Pride of Haarlem. Tall Tulip, colored red; richer externally, and with scarlet flushing near the midrib, center brilliant blue. Each, 10 cts.; doz., \$1; 100, \$6.

Psyche. Lovely pale pink Tulip of handsome form; Cambridge-blue base. Each, 20 cts; doz., \$2.

Romano. Soft cherry-red; a distinct and pretty color. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 75 cts.; 100, \$4.

Salmon King (Europe). A brilliant scarlet, flamed darker externally, base white. A grand bedding Tulip. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 75 cts.; 100, \$5.

The Sultan. Color a deep black-maroon. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 50 cts.; 100, \$3.

Torch. The grandest deep scarlet Darwin, nothing more showy in the flowery kingdom; enormous flower. Each, 10 cts.; doz., \$1; 100, \$7.

Rare and Choice Tulips

These species are remarkable for their great range of coloring, diversity of shape and markings. Their colors are very vivid; their flowers vary considerably in size, shape and coloring.

Cornuta (Chinese Horned Tulip). Petals curiously twisted like spiral leaves; yellow, striped scarlet; flowers late in May. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 50 cts.; 100, \$2.50.

Florentina odorata (Sylvestris). A charming Tulip that one could freely naturalize on the margins of woodland and in waste places. Its flowers are yellow, borne on graceful stems, and they have the rich fragrance of violets; flowers in April. Doz., 30c.; 100, \$2.

Fosteriana. A grandly-flowered Bokhara species, with tapering orange-vermilion flowers of exceptional size and brilliance. Each, 25 cts.; doz. \$2.50.

Greigi. A grand Turkestan Tulip. Its petals are elegantly marbled and flecked with chocolate, the flowers dazzling orange-scarlet; often 8 inches across and of a goblet shape when closed. Flowers in early May. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.75; 100, \$12.

Kaufmanniana. A glorious species, and the first of all Tulips to flower; flowers large, cone-shaped, colored a soft shade of creamy white, flushed with deep orange in the center and colored externally with red. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$2.25; 100, \$16.

Oculus Solis (the Sun's Eye). Dazzling red, black center, small but graceful flower. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 40 cts.; 100, \$2.

Retroflexa. Gracefully recurved light yellow petals, giving it the appearance of a lily. A very handsome Tulip. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 40 cts.; 100, \$2.

Viridiflora (the Green Tulip). Flowers green, edged yellow; immense size, odd and handsome. Each, 10 cts.; doz., 75 cts.; 100, \$4.

Lownei. Pretty crocus-bloomed species from Celicia. Flowers 6 inches high, star-shaped, of a soft and delicate rose, with yellow base and olive-green external coloring. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.80; 100, \$12.

Montana. Interesting dwarf species; flowers scarlet, with black and yellow blotch. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.80; 100, \$12.



CORNUTA TULIP

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate

CROCUSES

"The Heralds of Spring"

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MIXTURES OF CROCUSES

	Doz.	100	1,000
Large-flowered White	\$0 10	\$0 50	\$4 00
Large-flowered Blue and Purple	10	50	4 00
Large-flowered, Striped and Variegated	10	50	4 00
Large-flowered Golden Yellow	10	50	4 00
Rawson's Mixture of all Colors	10	50	4 00
Rawson's Giant Mixture	15	1 00	7 00

RAWSON'S GIANT NAMED CROCUS

WHITE	Doz.	100	1,000
Caroline Chisholm. Pure white	\$0 15	\$1 00	\$7 00
Mammoth. Large, pure white ...	15	1 00	7 00
Mont Blanc. Snowy white	15	1 00	7 00
Queen of Netherlands. New. Pure white; beautiful largeround-shaped flower. The best of all white Crocuses	15	1 00	7 00



FALL-FLOWERING CROCUS (COLCHICUM)



TYPES OF RAWSON'S GIANT CROCUS

STRIPED

Albion. Dark violet, striped with white	Doz. \$0 15	100 \$1 00	1,000 \$7 00
Cloth of Silver. Silvery white, striped lilac	15	1 00	7 00
Madame Mina. White, striped and shaded lilac ...	15	1 00	7 00
Sir Walter Scott. Large white, striped with lilac ...	15	1 00	7 00

BLUE

Baron Brunow. Dark blue	15	1 00	7 00
King of the Blues. New. Large purple blue	15	1 00	7 00
Purpurea grandiflora. Very large purple	15	1 00	7 00
Marquis of Lorne. New. Clear blue; very rare	15	1 00	7 00

YELLOW

Golden Yellow, Mammoth Bulbs. Extra large bulbs which produce several blooms	20	1 25	8 50
Golden Yellow, Jumbo Bulbs	30	1 50	12 00
Cloth of Gold. Golden yellow, striped maroon	15	75	6 00

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Fall- and Winter-Blooming Crocuses

Are you not astonished to learn that there are hardy Crocuses which will bloom outdoors in the North between November and March with no protection whatever? Most of them are from the Holy Land, and all should be planted as early as possible in the autumn. The dates given below are the earliest they have been known to flower, but even if they do not bloom until March they are well worth while, for they will usually be seen in bloom amid the snow, as accompanying illustration will show. The bulbs should be extensively planted and the risk of losing them can be greatly lessened by planting them in the sunniest and most sheltered nooks.

We heartily recommend their use by the thousands on southern estates, especially winter homes in the Carolinas and Georgia, where they will glorify the otherwise barren month of January. We believe also, that they will succeed even in Canada, though blooming at the end of winter. The time of bloom depends chiefly upon the openness of the winter. Winter flowers are certainly exciting, because of the uncertainty about the time of blooms, and what can be more interesting than to find flowers outdoors in bloom in your own home grounds right in the middle of winter! Several of these varieties are offered here now for the first time.

Species of Colchicums

- Autumnale major** (commonly called Meadow Saffron). The rosy, lilac blossoms appear from September to November. Doz., \$1; 100, \$7.50; 1,000, \$60.
- Autumnale album.** A white variety of above. Doz., 60 cts.; 100, \$4; 1,000, \$35.
- Autumnale plenum.** Double rose. Doz., 75 cts.; 100, \$4.
- Autumnale, Mixed.** Doz., 50c.; 100, \$3; 1,000, \$25.
- Agrippinum.** Large lilac flowers which are checkered with dark purple; attractive. Doz., \$1.25; 100, \$7.50.
- Decaisnei.** From Egypt; producing in profusion delicate pink flowers during November and December. Doz., \$1; 100, \$7.50.
- Libanoticum.** Pale rose, shaded white, with golden anthers. December. Doz., 90 cts.; 100, \$6.
- Montanum.** Rose to bluish-white; 3 inches high; flowers in February. From Turkey. Doz., 40 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$15.
- Parkinsoni.** Peculiar checkered markings on violet-purple flowers. Petals reflexed. Flowers in October. Doz., 40 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$15.
- Speciosum.** Large rosy purple flowers appear in September. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$2; 100, \$15.



CROCUSES BLOOMING IN THE SNOW

Species of Crocus Autumnale

- For the winter garden these are invaluable. Robinson says "Crocuses flower at a time when every flower is of value, and we do not doubt that ere long species recently introduced will add largely to our means of garden decoration during the dull months."
- Asturicus atropurpureus.** New. Beautiful purple flowers appearing in December. Doz., \$1.25; 100, \$8.
- Cancellatus.** From Asia Minor. Flowers with white and soft pink and lilac petals, anthers yellow. Appears in January. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$2; 1,000, \$15.
- Caspicus.** Pure white, from the coast of the Caspian Sea; extra-fine variety. Flowers in December. Each, 50 cts.; doz., \$5.
- Cilicicus.** Flowers with white base and soft pink petals, inside lilac. Appears from October to December. Doz., 50 cts.; 100, \$3.
- Hermoneus.** Very hardy. From top of Mt. Hermon, 9,000 feet above sea level. Most beautiful lilac; extra large, very rare. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$2; 100, \$15.
- Himalis.** Flowers white, the outer lilac banded, throat orange-colored. Flowers appearing from December to April. Doz., 30 cts.; 100, \$2.
- Imperati.** Often seen in January but will continue up to March. Color lilac, the outer surface of the outer segment is coated with rich buff, suffused with purple feathering. Doz., 50 cts.; 100, \$2.75; 1,000, \$25.
- Iridiflorus.** The Banat and Transylvania. Bears in September and October bright purple flowers before the leaves. Doz., \$1; 100, \$7.50; 1,000, \$70.
- Medius.** A beautiful purple flower from the Maritime Alps; flowers in October. Stigma bright scarlet and much branched. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$2; 100, \$15.
- Sativus.** Beautiful light blue, long narrow flowers in clusters of three. Flowers in October and November. Doz., 30 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$15.
- Speciosus.** Flowering at the end of September and early in October. The peculiar segments are rich bluish purple, suffused with darker purple veins. Doz., 30 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$15.
- Speciosus Artichisoni.** Character as above; extra large flowers of bright purple color. New. Doz., 60 cts.; 100, \$4; 1,000, \$30.
- Zonatus.** From the mountains of Cilicia. Bright vinous lilac flowers, golden at the base, about the middle of September. Doz., 40 cts.; 100, \$2.50; 1,000, \$20.
- Vitellinus.** Orange-yellow flowers, appearing from December to February. Doz., 60 cts.; 100, \$4; 1,000, \$30.

RAWSON'S BULBS NEVER
FAIL TO GROW

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SINGLE NARCISSI

Popularly called "Jonquils" or "Daffodils"

The demand for this charming spring flower has been increasing so steadily that the European growers have devoted a greater space to them and they are cultivated so largely now that we are able to offer some of the finest varieties at a very moderate price. Our bulbs are all hand-picked, thus insuring the purchaser of a larger flower.

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LARGE TRUMPET NARCISSI

	Doz.	100	1,000
Albicans (Spanish Daffodils). Sulphur-white trumpet.....	\$0 50	\$3 00	\$24 00
Ard Righ (Irish King). Large deep yellow; early.....	75	5 00	45 00
Emperor . Enormous flowers of a deep golden trumpet and primrose perianth; excellent for forcing....	40	2 75	22 00
Empress (Bicolor). Pure white perianth and rich yellow trumpet; giant-flowered; extra fine.....	50	3 00	25 00
Golden Spur . Enormous deep yellow trumpet; early and fine.....	50	2 50	20 00
Horsfieldi (King of Daffodils). Large golden yellow trumpet; pure white perianth; a grand variety; forces early.....	40	2 00	18 00
Grande Maximus . Clear yellow trumpet, white perianth; dwarf; late.....	30	1 50	12 00
Mark Twain . New. Early, trumpet deep yellow, recurved; perianth deep yellow, elegantly twisted; flowers very freely and considered great.....	1 25	8 00	
Henry Irving . A very early variety with deep golden trumpet. White perianth, broad and overlapping; handsome.....	40	2 50	18 00
Johnstoni (Queen of Spain). Soft delicate yellow trumpet.....	1 00	7 50	70 00
Nanus . A pretty dwarf little flower of clear yellow.....	25	1 25	9 00
Obvallaris (Tenby Daffodil). Bright yellow of erect growth; trumpet and perianth very large; excellent for forcing.....	35	2 00	18 00
Princeps . Yellow trumpet, with sulphur perianth; quite early and extensively forced.....	20	1 00	7 50
Pseudo (the Lent Lily). Trumpet yellow, perianth sulphur-white; pretty and graceful for forcing....	30	1 50	12 00
Rugilobus . Large pale yellow trumpet, perianth primrose; often measures 3 inches across. Very fine for forcing.....	40	2 25	18 00
Spurius . The most popular of the forcing variety. Perianth and trumpet clear yellow; very striking.....	25	1 50	12 00
Trumpet Major (the old-fashioned Jonquils). Perianth and trumpet golden yellow; very extensively used for bedding or forcing.....	25	1 50	12 00



GLORY OF LEYDEN NARCISSUS

	Doz.	100	1,000,
Cyclamineus (the Yellow Cyclamen-flowered Daffodils). Very charming; dwarf.....	\$1 25	\$8 00	
Glory of Leyden . New. Immense trumpet and perianth deep yellow.	1 75	12 00	
Mme. DeGraaf . New. The largest and finest white Narcissus. The trumpet opens pale primrose, but the whole flower becomes white... Each, 40 cts....	4 00		
Victoria . New. Large clear yellow trumpet, beautifully frilled at mouth; perianth creamy white, broad and of good substance. Received a first-class Certificate of Merit by the Massachusetts Horticultural Society.....	50	3 00	\$25 00
Triandrus albus (Angel's Tears). A most interesting and beautiful small Narcissus, with pearly white flowers.....	60	3 50	30 00
Moschatus . Silver trumpet, pure white perianth.....	50	3 50	30 00

OUR NEW GARDEN MANUAL FOR 1910 WILL BE OUT JANUARY 1. WRITE FOR IT.

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HOOP PETTICOAT NARCISSUS

A curious-shaped flower of very graceful habit.

Bulbocodium (Yellow Hoop Petticoat). Dwarf variety, Doz. 100 with golden yellow flowers, a number of which are produced by each bulb. Pretty when forced six to eight bulbs in a pan, at the same time most charming for edges of beds and is perfectly hardy.....\$0 60 \$4 00

Bulbocodium monophyllum (White Hoop Petticoat). Same as above in white..... 75 5 00

MEDIUM TRUMPET NARCISSI

Barri conspicuus. A flower Doz. 100 1,000 of exquisite beauty, unexcelled for cutting; large, broad spreading perianth; broad, short cup conspicuously edged bright orange scarlet. Lasts long in water after being cut.....\$0 20 \$1 25 \$9 00

Incomparable (Star Daffodil). Sulphur-yellow, with orange cup; early..... 20 1 00 6 00



VICTORIA NARCISSUS (See page 19)

MEDIUM TRUMPET NARCISSI, continued

Incomparable Cynosure. Yellowish perianth, deep orange-stained cup; extra.....Doz. 100 1,000 \$0 20 \$1 00 \$7 00

Incomparable Figaro. Cup orange yellow, perianth yellow..... 20 1 00 7 50

Incomparable Sir Watkin (Welsh Daffodils). A grand flower; primrose perianth, often 5 inches across; cup rich golden yellow, elegantly fringed 40 2 50 20 00

Incomparable Stella. White perianth, yellow cup 20 1 00 7 50

Leedsii. Pure white; fragrant; fine for bedding 20 1 00 7 00

Leedsii amabilis. Sulphur-white, with primrose cup..... 25 1 50 14 00

Leedsii, Duchesse de Brabant. Perianth white, yellow cup; very pretty and graceful..... 20 1 50 10 00



BARRI CONSPICUUS NARCISSI

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MEDIUM TRUMPET NARCISSI, continued

Leedsi, Mrs. Langtry. Broad white petals, white crown edged yellow; very conspicuous; most free-blooming and recommended for bedding.....	Doz.	100	1,000
Nelsoni. Pure white petals, yellow cup	50	3 00	25 00

NARCISSUS POETICUS

Poeticus. The true Poet or Peasant's Eye Narcissus. Pure white, with red crown; very fragrant. Excellent for cutting; most popular..	\$0 15	\$0 75	\$6 50
Poeticus Ornatus. Somewhat larger than above. Broad white perianth with red crown; very early; most valuable for forcing...	20	1 00	7 50
Poeticus Poetarum. Large, bold flowers; perianth pure white with entire crown crimson. Very striking	30	1 50	12 00
King Edward VII. New. The very largest form of Poet's, an exquisite flower of elegance.. Each, 15 cts...	75	5 00	
Biflorus (Peerless Daffodil). Pure white, with yellow cup, bearing two flowers on every stem.....	20	1 00	8 00
Burbidgei. Pure white; yellow cup edged scarlet.....	20	1 00	7 00
Parmenia. New. One of the largest of Poet's Narcissi; perfection in shape and size. British horticultural papers devoted columns to this novelty	Each, 20 cts...	2 25	



NARCISSUS POETICUS

Polyanthus Narcissi

The Fragrant Bunch-flowered Narcissus

In our New England climate this class is not hardy and can be used for house culture only. Their easy culture should endear them to every flower lover. In southern states these bulbs are perfectly hardy and we highly recommend them to be planted by the thousands, as they will beautify the gardens in a month, where without them the grounds would be barren.

THE LARGE-FLOWERED PAPER-WHITE NARCISSUS. If grown in pots, eight weeks will produce the flowers. We especially recommend to grow this bulb in pebbles and water, after the fashion of Chinese Sacred Lilies, as they are far superior to the latter. Flowers appear in three weeks in greater numbers and more perfected. Failures are not known. Twelve bulbs should be planted in an ordinary sized dish. It is advisable to start the bulbs in a dark place for four to six days. Grow cool and give plenty of water. In order to grow successions of bloom during the entire winter, we have provided to supply these bulbs right up to March 1.

Large bulbs. Doz., 40 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$15.
Mammoth bulbs. Doz. 45c.; 100, \$3; 1,000, \$20.
Pebbles for above. Qt., 10 cts.; 4 qts., 35 cts.
Doz. 100 1,000

Bathurst. A large cluster of deep yellow flowers.....\$0 60 \$4 50 \$35 00

Bazelman major. White flowers of enormous size, with yellow cup. Fragrant and massive; extra.. Each, 30c.. 1 00 6 00 58 00

Double Roman. White, with deep yellow cup; large truss. Excellent for forcing..... 25 1 50 11 00



PAPER-WHITE NARCISSI, GROWN IN WATER AND PEBBLES

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate



SWEET-SCENTED JONQUILS

orange in the center; flowers do not droop. Quantity limited. Each, 30 cts.; doz., \$3

Chinese Sacred Narcissus

(CHINESE NEW YEAR LILY) Ready in October

They are somewhat similar to the Polyanthus Narcissus and are usually grown in bowls partially filled with pebbles and water. We offer sound, **Mammoth Bulbs, each, 10 cts.; doz., \$1; 100, \$6.**

We have been fortunate in securing some **Jumbo Bulbs** of the Chinese Lilies, which we offer at: Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$12.

French-Grown Trumpet Major Narcissus

The ideal Jonquil for forcing, it will come into bloom fully two to three weeks ahead of the Dutch-grown and is free in blooming. Doz., 40 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$15.

New Irish Narcissus

AJAX AND TRUMPET NARCISSI

LADY BEATRICE POLE CAREW (White Ajax). The purest white trumpet existing, and especially named by desire. The flowers first appear as if sulphur, but after two or three days nothing equals it for whiteness, remarkably so under glass; foliage of metallic green hue, the plant very healthy and of rapid increase. Each, 50 cts.

NEW IRISH NARCISSUS, LORNA DOONE

Polyanthus Narcissus, continued

	Doz.	100	1,000
Gloriosa. White, with deep orange cup	\$0 60	\$3 00	\$25 00
Grand Monarque. White, with primrose-yellow cup ..	60	3 00	25 00
Grand Premo. White; bright yellow cup.....	60	3 00	25 00
Grand Soleil d'Or. Yellow, with deep orange cup.....	60	3 00	25 00
Jaune Supreme. Yellow, orange cup.....	65	3 50	30 00
La Plus Belle Jaune. New. Purest yellow; extra fine	65	3 50	30 00
Mont Cenis. White, yellow cup; large and handsome.....	65	3 50	30 00
Newton. Pure yellow, with deep orange cup; large.....	65	4 50	40 00
Queen of the Yellows. New. Immense clusters; extra fine....	1 00	7 50	
Mixture of Finest Varieties ...	35	2 00	15 00

Narcissus Jonquilla, or Jonquils

A most delicate and graceful little flower, which shines in the richest yellow shades, and is filled with the sweetest perfume. Several flowers are borne on long, slender stems.

	Doz.	100	1,000
Single Sweet-scented. Yellow; free-blooming	\$0 15	\$0 85	\$6 00
Double Sweet-scented. Yellow ..	50	3 00	25 00
Campanelli. Yellow; very early... 20	1 00	7 00	
Rugulosus. Rich yellow. The largest Jonquil	25	1 50	12 00

Tenuior (Silver Jonquils). Sulphur, white and yellow. Flowers on long, slender stems; very graceful. Doz., 40 cts.; 100, \$2.

CAMPERNELLE ODORUS FLORA PLENA.

(Novelty, 1907.) Grows 2 feet in height. Flowers very freely and produces from four to five flowers on each stem; color bright yellow, changing to deep



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New Irish Narcissi, continued

- HELEN FALCONER** (White Ajax). Perianth Each long, deep sulphur and pendulous, toning off silvery white. Distinct and finedoz., \$2.50..\$0 25
- Ivanhoe.** A concolor bloom of rich lemon-yellow, not unlike John Nelson, but better and more lasting; strong grower..... 75
- Lorna Doone.** Here we have the most distinct yellow Ajax in commerce. Segments and trumpets rich canary-yellow, fluted or cylindrical, stiff, bold erect habit and most lasting. It is distinct and lovely 1 00
- Milkmaid.** Small white Ajax. A seedling of Colleen Bawn and Moschatus. A great beauty, partaking of the formation of the Colleen, and very hardy..... 1 00
- Polly Eccles** (Bicolor). Segments pale primrose, trumpets a richer tone; beautifully serrated and folded back; small, but one of the most perfect blooms..... 1 00
- Spread Eagle.** Rich, uniform glistening yellow, after the form of *Iris princeps*, with its twisted segments; deep green, very strong foliage. This is a strong yellow Ajax Daffodil..... doz., \$1.. 10

**New Tall Giant Leedsi
Seedlings Narcissi**

Very fine introductions; vigorous giant growers and producing a lasting display, and so very early. We recommend these highly.

- Constance Pierpoint.** 22 inches. Pure Each Doz. white, star-shaped segments, rich yellow cup, well expanded; very early and of rapid increase..... \$0 20 \$2 00



LADY MCCALMONT NARCISSUS



RAWSON'S NARCISSUS BERNICE

- Lady Gregory.** 26 inches. Large white Each Doz. and noble bloom of this class; most vigorous; much finer than the Duchess of Westminster.....\$0 20 \$2 00
- Lady McCalmont.** 26 inches. Perianth large, pure white, over 4 inches across, beautifully twisted and grooved; broad white crimped cup, edged with citron; very vigorous, most lasting; increases rapidly and forms huge bulbs. Rare 1 25
- Leander.** 18 inches. Perianth pure white, reflexed and grooved, cup pale citron, toning off white; stiff erect habit; very distinct. Rare 50 5 00
- Robe.** 20 inches. Pale yellow, dying off white. The segments overlap like Bicolor Grandee. Cup rich yellow; broad and fimbriated massive foliage; rich perfume. 20 2 00

Leedsi Seedlings with Orange Cup

To produce these orange-colored Leedsis the European hybridizers have been working for a century, and at last their efforts seemed to be crowned with success. We are glad that we are first to offer these novelties to the American public.

- Loadstone.** Segments pure white, overlapping Each with a deep red and most brilliant cup from the base; exquisite.....\$2 50
- Nectarine.** Flowers 3½ inches across, ivory-white; the cup ¾-in. in depth and of the color of a tangerine orange; the reddish color is derived from a cross with Poelamen. This was the first Leedsis with orange cup..... 1 25

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**New Red Cupped Seedling
Narcissi**

The following are absolutely original and mark the approach of an entirely new class of Daffodils, the name of which had not been decided upon at the time this catalogue was issued.

Bernice. Segments creamy white and pointed; cup funnel-shaped and deep blood-red to the

base; narrow grassy foliage. Very early and for Each
nooks on rockwork or for pots delightful. Height
8 in. \$0 50
Orestes. Neat, erect, ornate bloom; perianth
creamy yellow, cup deep orange-scarlet; dwarf,
and most excellent for pots or rockwork; perfec-
tion. Height 9 in. 75



DOUBLE NARCISSI, SULPHUR PHENIX

DOUBLE NARCISSI

(DAFFODILS)

Some of the most popular varieties of Daffodils will be found in this class, and no collection is complete without them.

	Doz.	100	1,000
Alba plena odorata (Double Poet Narcissus). Large, double pure white flowers of delicious fragrance	\$0 20	\$1 00	\$7 00
Incomparabilis plenus (Butter and Eggs). Flowers large, yellow, with orange center. Fine for forcing and bedding.....	25	1 50	12 00
Orange Phoenix (Eggs and Bacon). White flowers, with orange segments in the center. A most effective variety for either forcing or bedding..	25	1 50	12 50
Sulphur Phoenix (Codlins and Cream). Large pure white flowers. The largest and finest of the double varieties	50	2 50	20 00
VON SION (the "Old-fashioned Double Daffodils"). Flowers deep golden yellow; very decorative; excellent for cutting, and most extensively used by florists for cut-flowers. Perfectly hardy and the right thing for the garden.			
Single-nosed Bulbs. Extra large size	40	2 50	20 00
Double-nosed Bulbs. Mammoth size.....	60	3 50	30 00

MIXTURES OF NARCISSI

Large Trumpet Varieties. Doz. 100 1,000			
Finest mixed	\$0 25	\$1 25	\$10 00
Medium Trumpet Varieties.			
Finest mixed	20	1 00	7 50
Double Varieties. Finest mixed.	30	1 50	12 00

NEW GIANT DARWIN TULIPS

Visitors from far and near voted our Darwin Tulip display at Marblehead last season the grandest ever seen in America, and from the many hundred novelties tried out we were greatly impressed with the enormous improvement made during recent years, particularly in color and size. Many of the plants were from 40 to 45 inches high and had flowers of gigantic dimensions. The ones we selected to offer below were the cream of the newer creations, and will surprise every connoisseur of Tulips. Darwin Tulips to be planted properly should go in shrubbery or perennial borders, massed in clumps from twelve to twenty-five in each of one solid color, and they will not only remain there permanently but will steadily increase.

Adele Sandrock. Beautiful soft rose	Each \$0 10	Doz. \$1 00	100 \$6 00
Apricot. Deep bronze, with shadings of old-gold, of medium height.	15	1 25	7 50
Auber. Purple-maroon, immense.	10	75	5 00
Carl Becker. Deep salmon, shading to soft pink on edges.....	10	1 00	6 00
Chestnut. Deep chestnut-brown..	10	1 00	6 00
Copernicus. Rich purple	05	50	3 50
Creuze. Deep violet; gigantic....	10	1 00	6 00
Edouard Andre. Deep heliotrope, shaded purple towards rib	10	1 00	6 00
Eugene Delacroix. Deep maroon, open flower, purple base	10	1 00	6 00
Faust. Deep purple-black; truly a monster flower in size.....	15	1 50	8 00
General Kohler. Glowing scarlet, bright and brilliant; attractive...	10	1 00	6 00
Isis. An intense scarlet	10	1 00	6 00
Lonna. Bright crimson; rich	05	50	3 50
Melicette. True wistaria color; a magnificent flower of large dimensions	20	2 00	15 00
Mattia. Deep rose, midrib a shade lighter; very showy.....	\$0 10	Doz. \$1 00	100 \$6 00
Michael Foster. Rosy scarlet, shading lighter toward edges.....	10	1 00	6 00
Night. Blackish maroon, one of the darkest; very distinct and desirable.....	10	1 00	6 00
Paris. Deep crimson with a deep blue base; distinct shape of open flower, immense size.....	10	1 00	6 00
Pres. Perrier. True cherry color; massive flower of pleasing shade..	10	1 00	6 00
Reine Wilhelmina. Soft blush pink; very beautiful form.....	10	1 00	6 00
Suzon. Immense flower of a broad shape, distinct soft salmon-pink; the most showy pink	20	2 00	15 00
Vermont. Deep violet-rose, grand and majestic flower	10	1 00	6 00
Violet Queen. Deep lilac; extra large	20	2 00	15 00
Zanzibar. Deep maroon, glossy and rich	10	1 00	6 00

General List of Bulbs

AGAPANTHUS UMBELLATUS

Handsome summer- and autumn-flowering plants, throwing up large umbels of twenty to thirty blossoms. They should be grown in pots or tubs, in soil similar to that suggested for hyacinths. They are particularly suitable for piazza or terrace decoration and may also be forced in the greenhouse.

	Each	Doz.
Umbellatus, Blue	\$0 15	\$1 50
Umbellatus, White	15	1 50

By express only

ALLIUM

Belonging to the onion family, their flowers are produced in ball-shaped umbels, and, being borne on long stems, they are most valuable for cutting. With a little protection they are perfectly hardy.

	Doz.	100	1,000
Aureum (Moly). Hardy border plant, with bright yellow flowers..	\$0 15	\$0 75	\$5 00
Neapolitanum . Large heads of pure white flowers; extensively forced by florists.....	15	1 00	7 00
Ostrowskianum . A beautiful variety, with large trusses of purplish red flowers. Very hardy and early.....	25	1 25	

AMARYLLIS

Ready in November

	Each	Doz.
Belladonna major (Belladonna Lily). White, tipped rose; large and handsome..	\$0 15	\$1 50
Belladonna rosea perfecta . New. An exquisite clear pink variety of great substance. This variety was exhibited last spring at Horticultural Hall, Boston, where it created quite a sensation.....	25	2 50
Formosissima (Jacobæan Lily). Dark crimson, open flower, lower petals recurved.....	10	1 00
Hippeastrum . Newest hybrids. These hybrids are raised from seeds of the most famous strains in the world and should not be compared with the old-fashioned species.....	1 00	10 00



AMARYLLIS HIPPEASTRUM



ALLIUM NEAPOLITANUM

Vittata . A variety of Hippeastrum, most intensely colored; very large.....	Each	Doz.
	\$0 75	\$7 50
Defiance . Rich carmine, striped and suffused with white.....	75	7 50
Equestre . A hybrid of Hippeastrum. Scarlet, with broad white stripe, extending from the root to half way up the segments.....	75	7 50
Johnsoni (Bardadoes Spice Lily). Another hybrid. Enormous bright crimson flowers with white stripe through the center of each segment.....	60	6 00
Vallotta purpurea (Scarborough Lily). Vivid scarlet. Popularly grown in pots, and placed on steps and piazzas, where they flower during the latter part of August.....	30	3 00

NOVELTY

Iris Hispanica Filifolia

A most beautiful dwarf Spanish Iris, blooming fully two weeks ahead of any other variety. Color, a delicate light blue.

Doz., 50 cts.; 100, \$3.50.

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate



GIANT FRENCH ANEMONE

ANEMONE

- Blanda** (Blue Winter Windflower). Doz. 100 1,000
 A lovely plant from the hills of Greece, of a fine blue and blooming in winter and early spring. It should be grown in every rock-garden, planted on banks that catch the early sun, whilst it may be naturalized in grassy places in warm soil. It is distinguished by round and bulb-like roots.....\$0 50 \$2 00 \$15 00
- Single Caen** (the Giant French, or Poppy-flowered Anemone). Finest mixed..... 20 1 00 7 00
- Single Coronaria.** Finest mixed.... 15 1 00 6 00
- Single Blue.** Bright color..... 20 1 00 7 50
- Single Scarlet.** Very showy..... 20 1 00 7 50
- Single White** (The Bride). Pure snowy white..... 20 1 00 7 50
- Single Apennina.** Flowers large; sky-blue 30 1 50 12 00
- Single Fulgens** (Scarlet Windflower). Flowers dazzling scarlet, free flowering; one of the best for forcing..... 50 3 00
- Fulgens, "The Sutton."** An improved variety, and one of the choicest. Its color is even more intense and the flower larger..... 90 6 00
- St. Brigid** (Irish Anemone). Semi-double. A handsome type in shades of scarlet, blue and purple..... 50 3 00 24 00
- Double Superfine Mixed.** Great variety..... 25 1 50 10 00
- Double Lord Nelson.** Violet..... 30 2 00 18 00
- Double Rosette.** Charming pink.... 30 2 00 16 00
- Double King of Scarlets.** Brilliant scarlet 50 3 50 30 00
- Double Ceres.** White, shaded rose.. 40 2 50 22 00

Millions of blooms will greet your eye if you will visit RAWSON'S DAHLIA FARM, Marblehead, Mass., during August and September.

Rawson's Pink Beauty

Freesia

is a distinct specie and has in addition to its valuable quality, namely, charming color, a most satisfactory habit in that the flower stems freely branch, often producing 10 distinct flower spikes, each averaging from 12 to 18 inches in length, so one can cut a veritable bouquet from a single plant. Delicate and pleasing fragrance and will attract every flower lover. **Each, 30 cts.; doz., \$3; 100, \$20.**

BULBOCODIUM VERNUM

(Meadow Saffron)

Hardy border plant of extreme earliness. Blossoms resembling Crocus. 4 inches high; color rosy purple. Plant bulbs 3 inches deep. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 50 cts.; 100, \$3.

CALLA LILIES

Nothing is of easier cultivation than the popular Calla. They require good rich loam, a large pot and plenty of lukewarm water. If kept in growing condition they will flower winter and summer. Our list contains all the showy varieties.

White Calla (<i>Richardia Ethiopica</i>).	Each	Doz.
FIRST SIZE.....	\$0 15	\$1 40
EXTRA SELECTED.....	25	2 50
JUMBO BULBS	35	3 50



CALLA LILY, PEARL OF STUTTGART (See opposite page)

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate

CALLA LILIES, continued

Little Gem. A miniature of the preceding; Each grows 12 inches high and has flowers one-half the size of the regular; very graceful.....	Doz.	
	\$0 10	\$1 00
Pearl of Stuttgart. A comparatively new variety of graceful habit, dwarf, compact foliage, 18 inches high and large massive flowers standing well above it. Excellent for pot-plant.....	25	2 50
Elliottiana (The Golden Calla). A new variety with rich golden yellow flower and white spotted foliage. Flowers in early spring and summer. Bulbs ready in November.....	50	5 00
Alba maculata (The Spotted-leaf Calla). This variety is perfectly hardy in this climate and is an excellent acquisition for the border or in clumps near ponds. Beautiful as pot-plant. Flowers white. Foliage spotted white.....	10	75
Rehmanni (The Pink Calla). Very distinct, with rose-colored blooms; quite new.....	1 00	
Mrs. Roosevelt. New. Sulphur-yellow flowers, dark green spotted foliage; very free bloomer.....	75	
Arum Sanctum (Black Calla). Derives its name from the color of the flower, which is purplish black; very decorative as a foliage plant. Flowers have a strong fragrance.....	15	1 50

Callas mailed free at single prices only

CAMASSIA ESCULENTA

An attractive hardy spring flower, resembling *Scilla campanulata*. Dark blue flowers. Doz., 20 cts.; 100, \$1.

CHIONODOXA

(Glory of the Snow)

Indeed the handsomest of our dwarf blue spring flowers. They very much resemble the *Scilla Sibirica*, but are somewhat larger. They should be extensively naturalized in grass plots.

	Doz.	100	1,000
Luciliae. Bright sky-blue...	\$0 25	\$1 25	\$10 00
Sardensis. Rich deep blue...	25	1 50	12 00
Gigantea. Like <i>C. Luciliae</i> , but larger flowers of a softer color.....	25	1 75	15 00

Mailed free at dozen and hundred rate

A RARE FLOWER

Iris Oneocyclus Atropurpurea

An Asiatic species which is perfectly hardy in this climate. The flowers are perfect in form, open absolute black in bud and turn to deep maroon when perfected; fragrant. Each, 50c.

CROWN IMPERIALS

A stately, hardy border plant of majestic appearance. The flowers are produced in whorls of bells. The bulb should be planted in October, 9 inches deep and placed on its side with a handful of sand underneath it.

	Each	Doz.	100
Crown upon Crown	\$0 20	\$2 00	\$15 00
Golden Striped Foliage ...	20	2 00	
Orange Brilliant	20	2 00	15 00
Single Red	10	1 00	7 50
Single Yellow	20	2 00	15 00
Superfine Mixed	10	1 00	6 50

These can be shipped by express onl'

RAWSON'S GIANT CYCLAMEN

Really the most satisfactory of all winter-blooming bulbous pot-plants. In bloom all winter.

	Each	Doz.
Album. Purest white.....	\$0 20	\$2 00
Roseum. Soft pink.....	20	2 00
Rubrum. Dark crimson.....	20	2 00
Finest Mixed	15	1 50

ERANTHIS HYEMALIS

(Winter Aconite)

The earliest spring flower, often appearing through snow. Flowers golden yellow, 6 inches high. Doz., 20 cts.; 100, \$1.25; 1,000, \$8.

ERYTHRONIUM DENS CANIS

(Dog's-tooth Violet)

Interesting hardy plant, especially well suited for shady situations. Flowers early.

	Doz.	100
Alba. White.....	\$0 20	\$1 00
Purpurea. Purple.....	20	1 00
Rosea. Pink.....	20	1 00
Violacea. Violet.....	20	1 00
Mixed Colors	20	1 00

Mailed free at dozen and hundred rate

EUCHARIS AMAZONICA

(The Amazon Lily)

A gorgeous plant for the house or conservatory. Foliage resembles amaryllis. Giant white drooping lily-shaped flowers appear in clusters of three to five on a stout stem 18 inches high, throwing off a most delightful fragrance. Each, 60 cts.



CHIONODOXA

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate



Rawson's Freesias

never fail to bloom if planted according to directions as given in "Rawson's Bulb Guide." We have been first to introduce the newer colors and improvements and offer again this year some splendid novelties.

NOVELTIES FOR 1909

Freesia, "Rawson's Pink Beauty." Soft lavender-pink. Each, 30 cts.; doz., \$3; 100, \$20.

Freesia Chapmanni. Orange-yellow. Each, \$1; doz., \$10.

Freesia Tubergeni. Deep rose. Each, 60 cts.; doz., \$6.

Freesia Tubergeni, Amethyst. Soft, delicate lavender. Each, 60 cts.; doz., \$6.

Freesia, "Rawson's Purity"

This is, without doubt, the largest, finest and purest white Freesia in existence. Stems grow from 20 to 30 inches high and produce from six to a dozen enormous flowers of snowy white.

	Each	Doz.	100	1,000
EXTRA-LARGE BULBS.....	\$0 05	\$0 50	\$2 50	\$20 00
MAMMOTH BULBS.....	10	60	4 00	30 00
JUMBO BULBS.....	10	1 00	6 00	50 00

The Azore Freesia. A very fine Freesia, larger than the common *Odorata*, but not so large as "Purity;" flowers pure white... 35 2 50 20 00

Freesia refracta alba odorata. The regular white Freesia. Extra-large bulbs. Mammoth bulbs..... 40 2 50 20 00

Freesia Leichtlinii major. Beautiful yellow, with orange throat. Our bulbs are mammoth in size and true..... 40 2 50 20 00

Fritillaria Meleagris

An excellent flower for naturalizing; abounds in moist, shady places and requires rich soil.

NEW VARIETIES FOR 1909

These are all very much improved, being taller and larger.

	Doz.	100
Alba. Pure white.....	\$0 50	\$3 00
Calypso. Red-violet.....	60	4 00
Emperor. Grey, violet-spotted; the largest flower.....	60	4 00
Nothos. Pale rose.....	60	4 00
Pomona. Pale grey-purple.....	60	4 00
The Sultan. Brown, violet and white.....	60	4 00
Common White	25	1 50
Common Purple	25	1 50
Common Mixed	20	1 00

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate

Gladiolus Cardinalis, or Nanus (THE ORCHID) GLADIOLI

Ready in November

THE HARDY GLADIOLUS FOR THE GARDEN. PLANTED OUT IN FALL WILL FLOWER THE FOLLOWING JULY
A specialty of exceptional value both for forcing and outdoor culture. Extremely early-flowering
Flowers outdoors in June and July

These beautiful early-flowering varieties are invaluable for pot culture and for border planting. They force readily, and they may be had in flower from the end of April till the end of July. They may be forced like ixias, but they require more pot room, and they are invaluable for their yield of cut-flowers from the open in June and July. They last long in water, and every flower opens to the extremity of the spike. Their rich colors and vivid markings on the lip petals rival those of orchids, and we recommend this group not only for their beauty, but because they are very easy to grow. A light soil and a slight protection with litter during very sharp frost will prove all they require, and the spikes will be longer and the flowers larger if the plants are mulched in dry weather.

- Ackermanni.** Salmon-orange, with white blotches edged scarlet. Doz., 30 cts.; 100, \$1.50; 1,000, \$12.
- Ardens (Fire King).** Fiery scarlet, pink flakes. Doz., \$2.50; 100, \$18.
- Blushing Bride.** Pure white, with deep crimson flakes; most effective. Doz., 30 cts.; 100, \$1.50; 1,000, \$12.
- General Scott.** Delicate rose, red blotches. Considered one of the best pink varieties. Doz., 75 cts.; 100, \$5.
- Lucretia.** Large white, flushed rosy flesh, yellow blotch, edged red. Doz., 50 cts.; 100, \$3.50; 1,000, \$30.
- L'Unique.** Rich coral-red, with carmine tips, flaked white and edged crimson; a very rich form. Doz., 75 cts.; 100, \$4.
- Modesty.** Very light violet, blotched rose. Doz., 40 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$15.
- Ne Plus Ultra.** This Gladiolus received an "Award of Merit" from the Royal Horticultural Society, London, England. Grows 3 feet high and has magnificent spikes of reddish salmon flowers, with white tongue-shaped blotches on the lip petals. Forces splendidly, and likely to prove the standard Gladiolus for this purpose. Every bud opens in water. Doz., 60 cts.; 100, \$4.
- Orange Queen.** Clear orange-scarlet, blotched white. Doz., 40 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$15.
- Peach Blossom.** Rosy blush; extra. The most delicate-colored Gladiolus. Doz., 50 cts.; 100, \$2.50; 1,000, \$22.
- Pink Perfection.** Deep rose. Doz., 25 cts.; 100, \$1.50; 1,000, \$10.
- Prince of Orange.** Dark orange-pink, flaked white and margined carmine. A grand Gladiolus. Doz., 90 cts.; 100, \$6; 1,000, \$50.
- Queen of Holland.** Pure white, flaked light sulphur, bordered red. Doz., 50 cts.; 100, \$3; 1,000, \$25.
- Queen Wilhelmina.** Blush-white, with conspicuous blotches of cream, with scarlet margins. Doz., 75c; 100, \$5; 1,000, \$40.
- Rosy Gem.** Rosy pink. Doz., 40 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$18.
- Salmon Queen.** Beautiful salmon-pink. Doz., 50 cts.; 100, \$3; 1,000, \$25.
- Sappho.** Delicate lavender, with faint creamy blotches edged violet. Doz., 30 cts.; 100, \$1.80; 1,000, \$15.
- Sans Pareille.** Light lilac, small blotch on lower petal. Doz., 40 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$15.
- Tristis.** A slender-growing grassy species 2 to 3 feet high, producing lovely sweet-scented yellow flowers, the petals of which do not reflex so fully as most others. Quite pretty and novel. Doz., 75 cts.; 100, \$5; 1,000, \$45.



GLADIOLUS COLVILLI

- Alba.** A small-flowered type used for forcing in green-houses, producing compact spikes of pure white flowers. Doz., 25 cts.; 100, \$1.50; 1,000, \$11
- Rosea.** Delicate pink. Doz., 25c.; 100, \$1.50; 1,000, \$11.

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate

GLORIOSA

(The African Climbing Lily)

A lily-like plant growing on slender stems, and usually trained to a trellis; only adaptable for greenhouse use. Very showy, easy of culture and most desirable.

	Each	Doz.
Leopoldi. Very new. Bright yellow..	\$1 00	\$10 00
Plantl. Orange-yellow; splendid....	1 00	10 00
Rothschildiana. One of the showiest plants. Flowers are bright scarlet with yellow center. This variety was awarded a Silver Medal from the Massachusetts Horticultural Society at Boston, spring of 1909. We furnish extra large bulbs	2 50	
Superba. Yellow, changing to orange-scarlet; very showy and bright. We furnish true stock.....	1 00	10 00



CHRISTMAS ROSE, BLOOMING IN THE SNOW

NOVELTY 1909

Rawson's Pink

Beauty Freesia

Each, 30 cents; dozen, \$3; 100, \$20

HELLEBORUS NIGER

(Christmas Rose)

NEW ENGLAND-CROWN STOCK

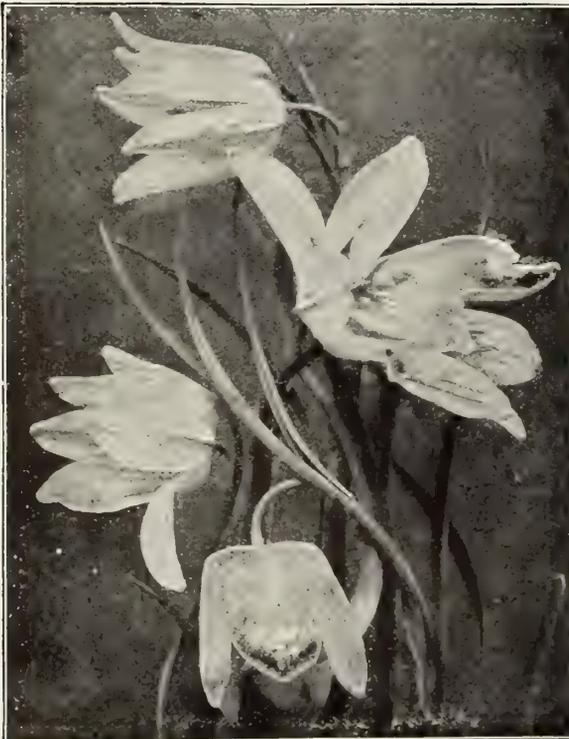
We offer herewith New England-grown roots of this valuable plant, which we are certain will stand the severe winters and flower from December till March, often right in the snow, as the accompanying illustration shows. Foliage remains waxy green all winter and the white and often blush-pink flowers will last for weeks after being cut. **The ideal plant for the winter-garden.** Divided roots (ready to flower, winter 1909-1910). Each, \$1; doz., \$10.

HEPATICA

(Anemone Hepatica)

A beautiful early hardy flower. In sheltered spots on porous soil the foliage will remain through the winter. The Hepatica is a deep rooter, hence it thrives so well upon made banks. Where let alone and not often pulled to pieces, it makes strong tufts. Clumps of the rich colored reds, whites and blues, when a mass of bloom in March, are very beautiful.

	Doz.	100
Alba. Pure white.....	\$1 50	\$10 00
Coerulea. Rich blue.....	75	5 00
Rubra. Brilliant deep red	1 25	8 00



FRITILLARIA MELEAGRIS (see page 28)

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate

IRIS GERMANICA

(German Iris)

The best season for planting this Iris is during September and October. All the varieties we offer below are grown on our own grounds and can be shipped immediately. One of the best known hardy plants; flower in spring and do best on good well-drained soil. Colors are of the greatest range of color in blue, white, yellow and brown. The following varieties are among the best in cultivation.

Price of each variety, each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$10. Complete set of 18 varieties, \$2. By express only

Agnes. A very handsome variety, being white frilled and shaded lilac.

Asiatica. Rich blue standards and violet-purple falls.

Bergiana. Large yellow standards with deep blue falls.

Bouquet Royal. A very beautiful sort of a delicate creamy white.

Canary Bird. Yellow standards with bronze falls, striped white.

Darius. Handsome lilac falls striped white and orange standard

Gloire de Hillegom. A beautiful porcelain-blue and the best of its color.

Gracchus. A very fine crimson reticulated white. A distinct variety.

Honorable. One of the most popular varieties, being a bright yellow, veined maroon.

Innocenza. The finest pure white German Iris. Flowers very large and of fine texture.

Lord Melville. Standards pale violet and deep bluish violet falls. A most striking variety.

Macrantha. One of the largest blue varieties. Blue and violet standards and falls.

Madame Chereau. Standards white with sky-blue feathered edges. Falls white and slightly frilled blue.

Maori King. Rich golden yellow standards. Falls velvety crimson margined with gold. A beautiful sort.

Mrs. Horace Darwin. A beautiful white, slightly reticulated violet at base.

Penelope. Handsome white, with reddish violet falls.

Queen of May. A distinct shade of rosy lilac. Very handsome.

Sweetabilis. A rich, deep velvety blue.

For large estates or parks we make a special offer of \$50 per 1,000, either in assortment or separate colors. Not less than 1,000 furnished at the above price.



IRIS GERMANICA



IRIS KAEMPFERI

IRIS KAEMPFERI

(Japan Iris)

The flowers are enormous in size, measuring from 10 to 12 inches in diameter and are of the finest texture. To produce the best results these should be planted in moist, rich situations. They come into flower about the middle of June and last four or five weeks.

We have an immense stock of field-grown clumps grown in our own nursery and offer same in assortment of colors, gathered from a collection of 50 varieties, at 15c. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100

IRIS SIBIRICA

(Siberian Iris)

The most delicate and elegant of all the small-flowered Iris; grassy foliage with tall stems; highly floriferous; one of the best for cutting. Flowers various shades of blue, white markings. Succeeds well in moist situations.

Alba. The white form, veined purple and brown. Doz., 75 cts.; 100, \$4.50; 1,000, \$40.

Coerulea. Light blue and white; tall, showy plant. Doz., 50 cts.; 100, \$3; 1,000, \$27.

Atropurpurea. Very large; velvety purple. Doz., 50c.; 100, \$3; 1,000, \$27.

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate

ENGLISH IRIS (*Iris Anglica*)

This is a beautiful flower, and the many garden varieties are among the finest things we have in early summer. The English Iris got its popular name in a rather curious way, being sent from its Pyrenean home, where its distribution is limited, to Bristol traders, thence to Holland. The Dutch, supposing it to be a native of English shores, called it the English Iris. The flowers are quite distinct in aspect from those of the Spanish Iris and appear a fortnight or so later. They are broad and display a delightful diversity of color from deepest purple to pure white. They are easily cultivated and well worthy of a place in every garden. Iris gardens are coming into vogue, and with the above variety a flowering season is filled which otherwise would be bare. Our collection comprises:

	Doz.	100
Cuba. Deep blue.....	\$0 65	\$4 00
Gertrude. Olive-red ..	65	4 00
La Moderne. White, spotted rose.....	65	4 00
Mont Blanc. Pure white.....	65	4 00
Perle Royale. Light blue; extra.....	65	4 00
Rosa Bonheur. White, spotted violet.....	65	4 00
Superior Mixture	35	2 00

SPANISH IRIS (*Iris Hispanica*)

A very beautiful flower, and an old inhabitant of English gardens. This Iris is absolutely hardy in this severe New England climate and does particularly well in light friable soil between shrubs and perennials. The flowers are produced in early June, and the display of the bright colors makes a most gorgeous effect. The proper thing to do is to mass about fifty bulbs of a single variety in a clump and allow it to remain in the ground undisturbed until the grassy stalks show the impoverished soil and degenerated roots. We have carefully selected the varieties offered herein and know they will give perfect satisfaction.



IRIS HISPANICA

SPANISH IRIS continued

	100	1,000
British Queen. Pure white.....	\$1 00	\$6 00
Chrysolora. Bright yellow.....	75	5 00
Cornflower. Bright blue; extra large.....	1 25	9 00
Darling. Bright blue.....	75	5 00
Gold Cup. Darkest bronze; largest variety.....	2 00	15 00
Helena. Pale blue, shaded lilac...	75	5 00
King of the Yellows. New; magnificent golden yellow; strong growers.....	1 50	12 00
Leonidas. Dark violet-blue.....	75	5 00
Thunderbolt. Velvety dark bronze.	1 25	9 00
Vesuvius. Dark orange; unique color.....	1 00	6 00
Superfine Mixture.	50	3 00



IRIS PALLIDA DALMATICA

A giant German Iris of vigorous growth, producing flower stems 3 to 4 and often 5 feet high which are lined with five to ten enormous fleur-de-lis of a most attractive delicate sky-blue shade. It is a rare variety and excellent for naturalizing. The splendid effect of massing them in large clumps or long rows in the natural garden can be admired to perfection in the interesting estate of Mr. Chas. W. Parker, of Marblehead Neck, Mass. Each, 25c.; doz., \$2.50; 100, \$20.

IRIS PUMILA (Dwarf Iris)

Excellent plants for rockeries, edges of Iris beds or the hardy border, forming pretty tufts of dwarf flowers. For bordering, plant in a double row 4 inches apart; they soon make a dwarf and very effective edging. All flower in early spring.

	Doz.	100	1,000
Purpurea. Purple.....	\$0 35	\$2 00	\$15 00
Alba. Pure white.....	45	2 50	20 00
Coerulea. Pale blue.....	50	3 00	27 00
Lutea. Robust; yellow.....	85	5 00	45 00
Finest Mixed	35	2 00	15 00

IRIS PERSICA PURPUREA SINDJARENSIS (See page 33)

VARIOUS IRISES

Caucasica. A fine early-flowering bulbous Iris, with large yellow flowers and fine foliage; makes a fine pot plant. Each Doz. 100, \$18. \$0 25 \$2 50

Forsteriana. A large bulbous Iris; canary-yellow flowers, the lower parts being shaded violet 50 5 00

Heldreichi. One of the most distinct and beautiful Irises introduced for many years. Was awarded a first-class certificate from the Royal Horticultural Society, London. In shape and habit it resembles Persica; the flower is, however, much larger. The standards are of a fine light sky-blue and the falls rich deep blue, almost black, with a few scattered spots above on lighter grounds. 35 3 50

Histrioides. Bright blue, large flowers; finer and earlier than the preceding. A grand Iris 15 1 50

Orchioides (Tuberous-rooted). Dark orange-yellow, with black spots on fall; very effective; four to six flowers on a spike; magnificent when well established. Very scarce, and one of the finest Irises in cultivation 40 4 00

Pavonia (Peacock Iris). Beautiful blue flowers, with dark blue spot; likes a warm position; grows well in pots. 100, \$1.25; 1,000, \$9. 25

Persica purpurea Sindjarensis. A grand novelty, resembling Orchioides, with three to six large pearly blue flowers borne tier above tier from the leaf bases. (See illustration, page 32) 1 50

Rosenbachiana. The most beautiful of all the early forms. Vigorous, producing two to five white flowers, tinged with pale lilac, falls rich brown with golden blotch; very beautiful and striking; very scarce 2 00

Susiana (the Mourning Iris). One of the most singular of all flowers; from 1½ to 2½ feet high; the flowers very large and densely spotted and striped with dark purple on a gray ground. It should be

Susiana, continued Each Doz. grown in sunny nooks in the rock-garden or on sheltered banks and borders, but always in light, warm soil. \$0 20 \$2 00

Tauri. This Iris is one of the best of the bulbous group, both as regards hardihood and richness of coloring. It bears a general resemblance to *I. Heldreichi*, but is of a bright violet-purple color throughout; purple-black on the falls, with a few large blotches and spots of white; golden yellow on the crest. It is dwarf, scarcely exceeding 5 inches in height, the flowers being fully 4 inches across. 40 4 00

OTHER ASIATIC IRISES

We carry a complete stock of all the choicest varieties and give here the names of some of the best, which we would be glad to furnish. Prices and descriptions given on application. **Atrofusca, Bismarckiana, Danfordiae, Bornmulleri, Eggeri, Galatica, Hauranensis, Haynei, Mariae, Maricoides, Nigricans, Saari, Sofarano, Vartani coerulea.**

ISMENE CALATHINE

(Sea Daffodil)

A splendid house plant for the winter or an outdoor plant for the bog garden. The plant resembles an amaryllis and produces large lily-like blooms of a milky white. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$10.

IXIA

Pretty winter-blooming bulbs for house culture. Plant twelve bulbs in an 8-inch pan, cover 1 inch with soil and treat the same as hyacinths. They appear in most brilliant colors, such as yellow, pink, scarlet, crimson, orange and green. Highly recommended.

Crateroides major. Bright scarlet; extra. Doz. 100 \$0 60 \$4 00

Emperor of China. New. Golden yellow; purple eye 30 2 00

William the Conqueror. New. Large white; purple eye. 30 2 00

Rosea plena (Wonder). Soft rose. 30 2 00

Finest Mixed 15 60

LILIES FOR FORCING

Most Lilies are heavy bulbs, therefore, if wanted by mail, postage should be added to the amount at the rate of 5 cents for each bulb. We prefer to ship by express

LILIUM HARRISII (THE EASTER LILY)

Our stock of this Lily is renowned among the florists. We have visited Bermuda and convinced ourselves of the superiority of our stock.

	Each	Doz.	100
Fine bulbs	\$0 15	\$1 50	\$10 00
Extra-large bulbs	25	2 50	18 00
Mammoth bulbs	50	5 00	40 00
Monstrous bulbs	1 00	10 00	

Ready in August

LILIUM LONGIFLORUM FORMOSA

JAPAN GROWN (Pure Stock)

This type seems to become more popular with the florists and appears freer from disease. We received high praise from our customers last season for the superior quality of our stock.

	Each	Doz.	100
Fine bulbs	\$0 15	\$1 50	\$10 00
Extra-large bulbs	25	2 50	18 00
Mammoth bulbs	50	5 00	40 00

Ready in September

LILIUM LONGIFLORUM GIGANTEUM

(True Stock)

The dark stem variety which produces gigantic flowers of the greatest purity.

	Each	Doz.	100
Extra-large bulbs	\$0 25	\$2 50	\$18 00
Mammoth bulbs	50	5 00	40 00

Ready in October

RAWSON'S LILIUM CANDIDUM

(ASCENSION, or MADONNA LILY)

These are the famous bulbs from northern France, and, although they can be successfully forced, they are far better for the open garden. Our bulbs are grown by a private grower in France and are beautiful specimens. Our bulbs are of enormous size and should not be compared with those of inferior quality offered elsewhere. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$10. Original baskets of 200 bulbs at \$18.

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate

Hardy Lilies

OUR SPECIALTY

According to Dr. Wallace, the greatest authority on hardy Lilies, the best and most result-producing time for planting or transplanting Lilies is immediately after the time of blooming. To give our customers the benefit of this experience we have gone to great expense by establishing a large Lily field at Rawson's Dahlia Farm, Marblehead, Mass., where we are growing the undermentioned varieties in ideal locations. We are thus prepared to deliver any and all of the varieties offered just at the proper time. A great opportunity for those who live at distant summer resorts to plant while they are there. Most of the Lilies can be lifted before September 15 and some even as early as July 15.

Lilium Candidum should and must be planted in September if success is desired.

To plant Lilies properly please consult Rawson's Bulb Guide.

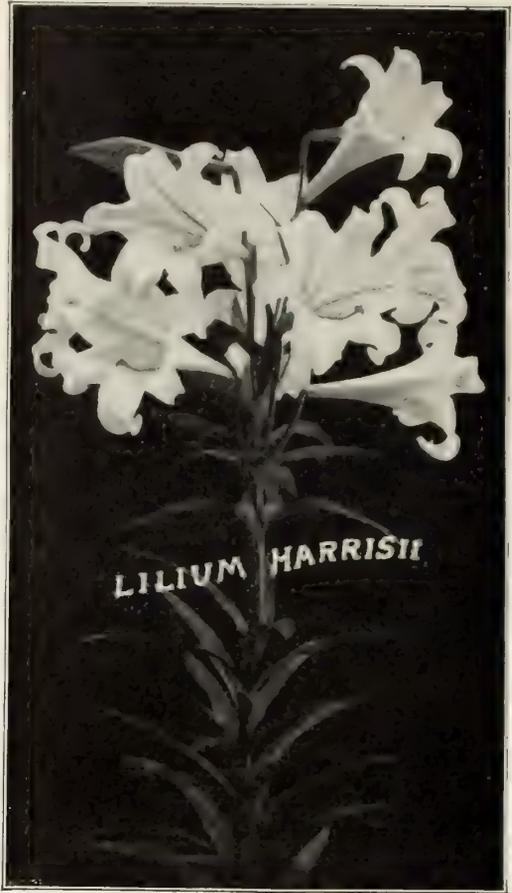
Rawson's *Lilium Candidum*

THE BEST HARDY WHITE GARDEN LILY

No one can fully appreciate the beauty and purity of this splendid Lily, unless the flowers shown are raised from "Rawson's Bulbs," for we offer a strain which has no equal anywhere in America. The bulbs, like the flowers, are superb and are grown by a private grower in France, whose entire output is at our disposal. These Lilies are free from disease and with age increase in size and number. When they are used as a combination with Delphiniums the effect is superb. Each, 15 cts.; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$10.



LILIAM AURATUM



Auratum (Golden-banded Lily of Japan). This variety grows on a strong stem, 4 to 5 feet high, from six to twelve immense blooms which measure nearly a foot when expanded. The flowers are white, with a broad yellow stripe through the center of each petal and freely spotted crimson. Their fragrance is delicious.

	Each	Doz.	100
FIRST-SIZE BULBS.....	\$0 15	\$1 50	\$10 00
EXTRA-LARGE BULBS.....	25	2 50	15 00
MAMMOTH BULBS.....	40	4 00	25 00

Auratum rubrum vittatum.

Very large flowers, often 1 foot across; pure ivory-white, with broad crimson stripe through center of each petal..... 75 7 50

Batemanni. A Japanese Lily producing bright apricot-shaded flowers. 3 to 4 feet. July and August..... 35 3 50

Brownii. Flowers very large, trumpet-shaped, pure white inside, brownish outside. Stamens chocolate-color. 3 feet. July and August..... 50 5 00 40 00

Canadense (Native Canadian Bell Lily). Flowers bright yellow, with small black spots. A most graceful Lily and excellent for naturalizing in shrubs and woods. It is nothing unusual to find this variety growing 8 feet high, with twenty or thirty blossoms if grown among shrubbery..... 15 1 25 9 00

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate



LILIAM TIGRINUM SPLENDENS

HARDY LILIES, continued

Candidum (Ascension Lily). One of the earliest Lilies. Flowers are large, pure white, and extremely sweet. 3 to 4 ft. June..	Each	Doz.	100
	\$0 15	\$1 50	\$10 00
Excelsum (Isabellinum). Flowers recurved and of delicate buff color. Very fragrant. July.....	1 00	10 00	
Croceum . A splendid Lily of erect type, bearing from three to eight enormous flowers of a deep orange-scarlet. Flowers in June.....	25	2 50	
Elegans, Leonard Joerg . Bright orange-scarlet, with brown spots at base of petals. Flowers in July.....	25	2 50	
Elegans robusta . An immense flower of the true type; three to five flowers in a cluster. Flowers in July.....	25	2 50	
Elegans . One of the earliest flowering Lilies. Grows 18 inches high and bears from three to five cup-shaped flowers erect on a stout stem. Color bright orange. Flowers beginning of July.....	15	1 50	
Martagon . A graceful Lily, with flowers of the Turk's cap type of a reddish brown. Height, 3 feet; six to ten flowers. June.....	30	3 00	
Tigrinum . The common Tiger Lily. So well known that it does not require description.....	10	1 00	
Tenuifolium (The Baby Lily). A graceful flower of a bright scarlet Turk's cap form. Foliage fern-like, stems slender; 12 to 15 in. high. Flowers in July.....	25	2 50	
Wallacei . Orange-scarlet, spotted with maroon; 3 feet. September.	15	1 50	

Speciosum album (White Japanese Lily). This class of Speciosum is undoubtedly the hardiest and most popular Lily for the border or garden. They grow from 3 to 4 feet high and continue to bloom from August till frost. The above variety is pure white; fragrant.	Each	Doz.	100
LARGE BULBS.....	\$0 20	\$2 00	\$16 00
MAMMOTH BULBS.....	35	3 50	26 00
JUMBO BULBS.....	50	5 50	45 00
Speciosum roseum (Pink Japan Lily). White shaded and spotted dark rose.			
LARGE BULBS.....	15	1 50	10 00
MAMMOTH BULBS.....	25	2 50	18 00
JUMBO BULBS.....	40	4 00	30 00
Speciosum rubrum (Red Japan Lily). White suffused and spotted crimson.			
LARGE BULBS.....	15	1 50	10 00
MAMMOTH BULBS.....	25	2 50	18 00
JUMBO BULBS.....	40	4 00	30 00
Speciosum Melpomene . Large; deep crimson, heavily spotted ...	20	2 00	15 00
Speciosum magnificum . New. Most intensely colored of all Speciosum varieties. A large clump of these Lilies will make a wonderful effect.....	30	3 00	20 00
Superbum (Our Native Turk's Cap Lily). Rich orange-red petals tipped red and dark spotted. 4 to 6 feet high. Blooms July and August. A capital variety for the shrubbery.....	5	1 50	10 00
Tigrinum fl. pl. Double-flowering variety of <i>Tigrinum splendens</i> ..	10	1 00	6 00
Umbellatum . A Lily that resembles Elegans variety. Flowers are borne in larger clusters and range in all shades from orange to deep scarlet. 2 feet. June.....	15	1 25	8 00



LILIAM CANDIDUM

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MONSTROUS BULBS OF Japanese Lilies

Our growers in Japan were astonished last season to find among their bulbs a number of specimens measuring from 15 to 20 inches in circumference, bulbs which should produce wonderful specimens of plants bearing an unlimited number of blooms. We were fortunate to secure these bulbs and can furnish the same in the following varieties:

Lilium auratum, speciosum album, speciosum roseum, speciosum rubrum, speciosum Melpomene. \$1 each, 10 per doz.

LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY CLUMPS

FOR OUTDOOR CULTURE

These are grown from imported pips, and are extra-large, only the best quality of pips being used.

Fortin. A novelty of recent introduction. A giant in size, both as to flower, stem and foliage. Strong clumps, each, 50 cts.; doz., \$5.

Berlin. A beautiful bell of glistening white. Extra-strong clumps, each, 25 cts.; doz., \$2.50.

Delivery after October 15

FOR FORCING

Newly Imported Pips Only

Rawson's "Perfection" Lily-of-the-Valley. Undoubtedly the finest quality ever offered to the American public. We are willing to stake our reputation on this flower alone and ask every grower of Valleys to give us a trial. Doz., 60 cts.; 100, \$3; 1,000, \$25.

Delivery after November 15

ORNITHOGALUM UMBEL- LATUM

(Star of Bethlehem)

A hardy bulbous plant bearing umbels of white flowers, the back of petals being light green; excellent for naturalizing. Doz., 75 cts.; 100, \$5.

OXALIS

Lovely little plants for hanging pots and baskets. If planted early, will produce flowers in December and remain so for the entire winter. Plant six bulbs in a 5-inch pot. Set bulbs an inch deep and keep in the sun. Doz. 100

Bermuda Buttercup. The best of all Oxalis. Flowers clear yellow and very large.....	\$0 30	\$2 00
Bowiei. Large rosy crimson flowers; handsome leaves.....	30	2 00
Grandiflora rosea. Large pink flowers..	30	2 00
Grandiflora, White. Large white flowers.....	30	2 00
Grandiflora, Lavender. Large lavender flowers.....	30	2 00
Finest Mixed Varieties.	25	1 50



LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY

NERINE

A splendid plant for the house or conservatory for the early winter flowering from October to February. During the summer the bulbs remain dormant; foliage resembles that of the amaryllis, while the flowers come in clusters on the top of a stout stem often to the number of twelve to twenty-five, and arranged so compactly that they form a globular shaped mass. Many of these varieties are offered now for the first time. Each

Amabilis. Rose, striped red	\$1 00
Corusca major. Scarlet; very large flowers....	1 50
Elegans. Scarlet.....	1 00
Excellens. Crimson; splendid.....	1 50
Flexuosa. Crimson, tinged orange.....	1 25
Flexuosa alba. New; pure white	2 00
Frothergilli major. Splendid vermilion.....	1 50
Humilis splendens. Mauve; very showy.....	1 00
Novelty. Very large flowers of a bright rose....	2 00
Manselli. Fine heads of flowers of a rich pink; quite late in flowering.....	2 50
Planti. Deep crimson-scarlet; extra.....	1 50
Roseus. Very beautiful rose	1 00
Sarniensis (The Guernsey Lily). Bright glittering scarlet.....	30

Rawson's Dahlia Farm, 5 Green Street, Marblehead, Mass.

Is the mecca of all the flower lovers in the world. Come and meet your friends
Visitors always welcome, including Sunday

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate

The World's Collection of
**SUPERB RARE
 AND NEW PEONIES**

are offered by us now for the first time

For several years we have collected and grown the choicest introductions of America and the Continent; we have continuously discarded duplicates and undesirable varieties, and possess today a collection par excellence which can be equaled nowhere in the world. Our list contains not less than 400 varieties, most of them so limited as yet in quantity that they cannot be obtained in the open market, except from us direct. Every variety we offer bears the distinction of having received at least one certificate of merit from the following Horticultural Societies: Massachusetts Horticultural Society, Boston, Mass.; Royal Horticultural Society, London, England; Société d'Horticulture Nationale, Paris, France. Among others will be found almost the complete list of the renowned "Richardson's Seedlings," some varieties of which have never before been offered to the public.

Above all we wish to make the statement that every variety furnished in this list is **absolutely true to name and strong of size**, so results may be had the first season. **A special Catalogue describing fully every one of these new varieties is now ready and may be had free upon application.** To lovers of Peonies this is a great opportunity to complete their collections.

New and Rare Peonies

Under this heading we list twenty-four of the choicest of the newer and rarer sorts of *Peonia Sinensis*, embracing some of the most beautiful shades of this lovely flower.

Set of 24 varieties for \$12

Agnes Mary Kelway. A most delicate sort, with rosy pink outer petals and yellowish center. One of the earliest to flower. Each, 50 cts.; doz., \$5.



JAPANESE PEONY



MAD. DE VERNEVILLE PEONY

- Aug. Lemonier.** Beautiful dark crimson. Flower of superb form and very double. Each, 50c.; doz., \$5.
- Boule de Neige.** Magnificent large cup-shaped bloom. White, lightly suffused with sulphur-yellow. Each, 50 cts.; doz., \$5.
- Charlemagne.** Very pale salmon-rose. A very delicate and pleasing shade. Each, \$1; doz., \$10.
- Claire Dubois.** Large globular flower, very full. A beautiful pink, with glossy reflex. Ea., 60c.; doz., \$6.
- Couronne d'Or.** Large imbricated bloom, white reflexed yellow, center petals bordered carmine. A distinct and striking variety. Each, 60 cts.; doz., \$6.
- Duchesse de Nemours.** A superb ivory-white variety of the finest quality. Each, 85 cts.; doz., \$9.
- Duke of Wellington.** Very large, well-formed sulphur-white flowers. Each, 50 cts.; doz., \$5.
- Edouard Andre.** Immense globular bloom of a deep crimson-red, with metallic reflex. Very brilliant golden yellow stamens forming a striking contrast. Each, 60 cts.; doz., \$6.
- Festiva maxima.** One of the grandest varieties in existence. A beautiful pure white, sometimes tipped carmine. Flower enormous in size, very full and double. Each, 75 cts.; doz., \$7.50.
- Jeanne d'Arc.** Very beautiful soft pink flower, sulphur-white and lively rose; center spotted carmine. One of the handsomest. Each, 75 cts.; doz., \$7.50.
- La Rosiere.** Pure white, tinged with silvery yellow. Flowers beautifully formed and growing in clusters. Each, 85 cts.; doz., \$9.
- Madame Crousse.** A magnificent pure white; very large blooms. Buds especially fine. Ea., 60c.; doz., \$6.
- Marie Lemoine.** A beautiful sulphur-white lightly shaded chamois. Enormous flowers of the finest form. Each, 60 cts.; doz., \$6.
- Mad. de Verneville.** A very chaste, creamy white variety. The finest of its shade. Ea., 75c.; doz., \$8.50.
- Madame Emile Gaile.** Very large cup-shaped imbricated flower of soft lilac, with center shaded soft flesh-color and cream. Each, 60 cts.; doz., \$6.

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate

NEW AND RARE PEONIES, continued

- Madame Florel.** Beautiful large bloom of fine shape. Glossy ash-colored pink with darker center. Each, 50 cts.; doz., \$5.
- Mons. Jules Elie.** Immense full globular flowers of the finest pink shade deepening at base of petals, reflexed silvery pink. Each, \$1; doz., \$10.
- Mons. Krelage.** Very broad, bright currant-red petals, with amaranth center. Each, 60 cts.; doz., \$6.
- Officinalis rosea superba.** Clear, bright pink. Of superb size and form. Each, 75 cts.; doz., \$7.50.
- Reine des Francals.** Flesh-pink, with white center shaded yellow. One of the freest-flowering of this collection. Each, 50 cts.; doz., \$5.
- Rose d'Amour.** Beautiful large flower of a soft fleshy sink. Each, 50 cts.; doz., \$5.
- Souv. de l'Exposition Universelle.** Enormous flowers of a bright cherry-red. Each, 60 cts.; doz., \$6.
- Zoe Calot.** Considered by many to be the finest rose-colored Peony in existence. Flowers perfect in form, size and coloring, which is of a most pleasing shade of rose. Each, \$1; doz., \$10.

Twelve Standard Peonia Sinensis

The following named varieties are all standard and well-tried sorts that have proved to be very satisfactory for the amateur gardener.

Price of any of the following: Each, 35 cts.; doz., \$3.50. Set of 15 varieties, \$4.50

- Alexandrina.** A handsome bright rose. Fine flower.
- Anemoneiflora rubra.** A rich dark carmine-red.
- Duc de Cazes.** A dark rose, with center petals lighter.
- Duchess d'Orleans.** Pale rosy lake, with distinct salmon center. A very beautiful sort.

SAUROMATUM GUTTATUM



- Edulis superba.** An extra-fine bright rose variety. One of the best and very sweet-scented.
- Festiva alba.** Very fine pure white.
- Fideline.** Very dark purplish crimson.
- L'Elegante.** A brilliant rose-color, with well-formed globular flowers.
- Louis Van Houtte.** A deep, dark red, one of the choicest of its color. Large and finely formed.
- Magnifica.** A beautiful white slightly tinted flesh-color.
- Princess Mathilde.** A fresh rose-colored self. Excellent formed flower: one of the most attractive of this collection.
- Prolifera tricolor.** Handsome soft flesh-colored flower.
- Pulcherrima.** A very delicate shade of soft, rosy white, with tinge of salmon in center.
- Rosea elegans.** A beautiful combination of soft rose and salmon yellow.
- Victoria.** A rosy white, with yellowish center. Quite free-flowering.

Peonies in Colors

- Double, in shades of red, each, 25c.; doz., \$2.50. Double, in shades of white, each, 25c.; doz., \$2.50. Double, in shades of pink, each, 25c.; doz., \$2.50**
- Officinalis rubra.** The old-fashioned deep red Peony. Very double and fragrant. Each, 25c.; doz., \$2.50.
- Tenuifolia fl. pl.** Handsome divided foliage. Flowers large, full, double, deep blood-red. A dwarf, compact bloomer. Each, 30 cts.; doz., \$3.
- Tenuifolia Single Red.** Similar to preceding, except in flowers, which are single and very attractive. Each, 30 cts.; doz., \$3.

RANUNCULUS

An exquisite dwarf spring flower, which can easily be grown in pots or coldframes.

	Doz.	100	1,000
Giant Double French, Mixed. A great assortment of colors.....	\$0 10	\$0 60	\$4 00
Double Persian, Mixed. A small-flowered variety in various colors..	10	60	4 00
Double Turban, Mixed. Enormous flowers, resembling miniature peonies in shape, and in great variety of colors.....	15	75	6 00
Double Turban, Citron-Yellow..	20	1 25	10 00
Double Turban, Crimson.....	25	1 50	12 00
Double Turban, Bright Scarlet..	20	1 00	7 50
Double Turban, White.....	40	2 50	20 00
Double Turban, Yellow.....	30	1 80	15 00

PUSHKINNIA LIBANOTICA

An ideal plant for naturalizing in the border, woodland, grass or flower beds. In appearance it resembles Scilla, but far more showy on account of the multitude of blossoms on a single spike. The color is a heavenly blue and exceedingly attractive; flowers remain in good condition for two weeks. Doz., 20c.; 100, \$1; 1,000, \$8.

SAUROMATUM GUTTATUM

("Monarch of the East")

Produces out of the dry bulb, without water or soil, a beautiful colored flower-spathe, 16 inches long. The only treatment required is to simply place the large, flat, round bulb on a table or shelf in a warm room or greenhouse. The flowers, which are spotted dark red on yellowish orange-red ground, are entirely different from any other as to coloring and shape. Very large bulbs, each, 25 cts.; doz., \$2.50. If wanted by mail, add 5 cts. postage for each bulb. **Delivery after November 15.**

SCILLA

A very popular spring flower commonly called "squills." Appear in pink, white and blue, the latter color being more generally cultivated.

	Doz.	100	1,000
Sibirica. The old-fashioned blue squill. Usually grown in with crocus and snowdrops, bearing beautiful bright blue flowers 5 in. high..	\$0 20	\$1 25	\$10 00
Sibirica alba. Same as above in pure white	35	2 00	15 00
Bifolia. Flowering in March and April; dark blue clusters of flowers.....	20	1 00	8 00
Campanulata alba. Pure white; height 12 inches.....	30	1 50	12 00
Campanulata coerulea. Bright blue; height 12 inches.....	20	1 00	8 00
Campanulata rosea. Delicate rose; height 12 inches.....	30	1 50	12 00
Italica. Flowers in April, colors ranging all through blues to pink.....	45	2 50	24 00
Nutans alba. White; long spikes....	35	2 00	15 00
Nutans coerulea. Bright blue; very long spikes.....	20	1 25	10 00
Nutans rosea. Pink; long spikes....	35	2 00	15 00
Taurica. Distinct and pretty spikes of cambridge-blue bellflowers.....	45	2 50	24 00

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate



MONTBRETIA

MONTBRETIAS

Delivery early October

These beautiful, hardy, bulbous plants are an excellent acquisition for the perennial border.

PROMOTHEUS. (Novelty 1908). Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society, London; First Class Certificate, Shrewsbury, England; First Class Certificate, Edinburgh International Exhibition. This must be regarded as the finest Montbretia yet raised, for not only has it large and brilliant flowers, but it grows with remarkable vigor and flowers with a freedom that is sure to make it popular. The plants grow 3¼ feet high and the spikes are freely branched; each flower measures 3¼ to 3½ inches across and is of a rich orange color, flushed and stained with crimson in the center. \$1.50 each. This new variety may be seen in bloom at the Rawson's Dahlia Farm during the proper season.

	Doz.	100	1,000
Aurea. Golden yellow.....	\$0 25	\$1 50	\$12 00
Crocsmæflora. Orange-scarlet..	20	1 00	6 50
Elegans. Bright yellow, outside shaded vermilion	25	1 50	10 00
Etoile de Feu. Rich scarlet, yellow center	30	2 00	15 00
Germania. New hybrid. A most beautiful new variety. Bright orange-scarlet flowers of extremely large size.....	1 00	7 00	
Pottsi. Bright yellow, flushed with red	20	1 25	7 50
Rayon d'Or (Golden Sheaf). Deep yellow; very large	20	1 25	8 50
Mixture of Seedlings	20	1 00	6 50

SNOWDROPS (Galanthus)

A favorite plant usually found in lawns, open borders or naturalized. Will grow in almost any soil or situation. Flowers white, tipped green.

	Doz.	100	1,000
Single-flowering	\$0 15	\$1 00	\$7 50
Double-flowering	30	2 00	15 00
Elwes Giant-flowering	15	1 00	7 50
Cilicus. New. From Cilicia. Very early-flowering	60	4 00	30 00
Fosteri. Handsome and large-flowered Snowdrop with boldly erect leaves and snowy flowers with green center.	30	2 00	15 00
Erithrae. Earlier flowering than the Elwesii. From the island of Erithrae.	60	3 50	30 00

SNOWFLAKE

This hardy plant appears in spring like monster snowdrops, on stems a foot high, which have the fragrance of a violet.

	Doz.	100
Spring (<i>Leucojum Carpaticum</i>). White. This variety is a great improvement over <i>L. vernum</i> , which is offered by other dealers as Spring Snowflake	\$0 25	\$1 50
Summer (<i>L. æstivum</i>). White. Flowers in summer.....	30	1 75

SPIREA JAPONICA

A splendid flower for winter forcing in pots, also especially recommended for hardy borders outdoors.

	Each	Doz.	100
Mrs. Gladstone. The best white Spirea. Enormous panicles of feathery appearance	\$0 20	\$2 00	\$15 00
Queen Alexandria. Quite new. Delicate pink.....	35	3 50	25 00
Peach-Blossom. A very dainty pink; very new.....	50	5 00	35 00

TROPAEOLUM

A beautiful pot climber of extremely easy cultivation, the flowers appear toward spring, are tiny, cigarette-shaped and beautifully colored.

Jarratti. Scarlet, yellow and black. Each, 10c.; doz., \$1.



SNOWDROPS GROWING IN THE GRASS

We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate



NARCISSI NATURALIZED IN GRASS

The Best Bulbs for Wild Gardening

The prettiest, cheapest and most permanent way of growing flowers in great quantities is to naturalize them in the grass. Many daffodils, once planted in orchard or meadow, require no further care, and the hay crop can be harvested without injuring the bulbs. In favorable circumstances they will multiply so rapidly that you can dig them every four or five years and use the increase for new plantings, so that you may have flowers literally by myriads at less expense than in any other style of gardening. Every lawn in city, suburbs or country should contain thousands of crocuses, snowdrops and other flowers that bloom in March or before the last snows. In the spring of 1907 these blossoms were caught by the continental snowstorm of April 10, and were, in some cases, covered 10 inches, but they emerged smiling and unharmed. Even if the bulbs last only two or three years, the effect is so charming and the bulbs so cheap that it has become the custom to buy fresh lots every year. Estate owners can quickly redeem and glorify uninteresting woodlots of second-growth timber by planting with a free hand, trilliums, adder's tongues, bloodroot and the hardiest wild flowers of other countries. Wild gardening is the most important development in floriculture of recent years, and we are in hearty sympathy with it. We shall be glad to make personal visits after June 1, anywhere in New England where our advice may be desired in connection with wild-garden problems. As the most refined taste does not permit double flowers or flowers greatly modified by man in this style of gardening, we do not recommend garden tulips, Von Sion daffodils, etc., for this purpose.

*Demanding partial shade, others thrive either in sun or partial shade. †Perennial, not bulbous.

FOR SCATTERING IN THE LAWN

(Thriving in sun or partial shade)		Per 1,000
Crocus.	Fall blooming	\$15 00
"	Spring blooming	3 50
Galanthus nivalis		7 50
"	Elwesii	7 50
Chionodoxa Luciliae		10 00
"	Sardensis	12 00
Scilla bifolia		8 00
"	Sibirica	10 00
Grape Hyacinths		4 00

FOR THE WOODS

(Preferring partial shade)		Per 1,000
Eranthis hyemalis		\$8 00
Erythronium Dens-Canis		9 00
Camassia esculenta		9 00
* Lily-of-the-Valley		25 00
Scilla campanulata		8 00
"	nutans	10 00
Ornithogalum umbellatum		40 00
Allium Moly		5 00

FOR ORCHARDS AND MEADOWS

(Will last indefinitely. Prefer sun)		Per 1,000
Narcissus poeticus		\$6 50
"	Leedsii	6 00
"	Horsfieldii	20 00
"	Trumpet Major	12 00

VERY LARGE FLOWERS

		Per 100
Fritillaria imperialis		\$6 50
"	Meleagris	1 75
* Tulipa, Darwin		2 50
Hemerocallis flava		10 00
* Lilium Canadense		9 00
* " "	superbum	10 00

FOR BOGS AND STREAM-SIDES

		Per 100
† Iris Kaempferi		\$15 00
* Lilium superbum		10 00
* " "	Canadensis	9 00

We furnish 6 bulbs at the Dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate

Started Bulbs in Pans and Pots

To accommodate our numerous friends, who requested us in former years to start bulbs for them, and encouraged by the increasing demand for these, we have made special arrangements to have the following list of bulbs potted properly and stored in coldframes until wanted by our customers. When we ship these bulbs they will show but the least sign of growth, and all that is required afterwards is to water them regularly and place in a sunny window. Failure is impossible. Nothing is more interesting than to watch the development of a plant from its first beginning.

Ready for delivery from September 15 to January 1

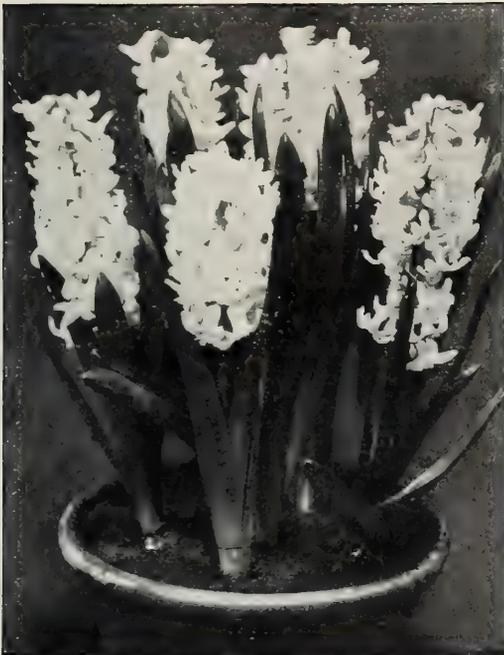
	Per pan	
Roman Hyacinths, White. In 7-in. pan, well filled	\$0	60
Freesia. In 7-in. pan, well filled		60
Oxalis, Buttercup. In 6-in. hanging pots, well filled	per pot,	60 cts...

Ready for delivery from January 1 to April 1

	A 7-in. pan well filled	
Dutch Hyacinths, Pink	\$0	75
“ “ Red		75
“ “ White		75



NARCISSI FORCED IN POTS



HYACINTHS FORCED IN POTS

	Per pan	
Dutch Hyacinths, Lavender	\$0	75
“ “ Purple		75
Tulips, Single, White		60
“ “ Yellow		60
“ “ Scarlet		60
“ “ Pink		60
“ “ Red and Yellow		60
“ “ Pink and White		60
“ “ Crimson		60
Jonquils, Campenelle. In 7-in. pan, well filled,		50
Narcissus, Golden Spur. In 7-in. pan, well filled		50
Narcissus, Emperor. In 7-in. pan, well filled ..		50
Double Daffodils, Von Sion. In 7-in. pan, well filled		50

At Rawson's Dahlia Farm, Marblehead, Mass.

we will show in the spring of 1910 a stupendous display of bulbous flowers for the enlightenment of the flower-loving public. Every variety will be plainly marked so that every visitor can make notes and retain them for another year.

RAWSON'S DAHLIA FARM

is intended to be the outdoor display and salesroom of an up-to-date seed firm. Visitors are always welcome, Sundays included. Come and see the latest introductions of the Old and New World.

SUTTON'S SEEDS. We take pleasure in announcing that we have made arrangements with Messrs. SUTTON AND SONS, READING, ENGLAND, to distribute their WORLD-RENOWNED seeds to their American friends who so desire.

SUTTON'S CATALOGUE will be loaned upon application. All orders for spring, 1910, delivery, should be in our possession by February 1, 1910, to insure early delivery. We shall be glad to give further information upon this subject.

Rawson's Select Hardy Perennials

For Fall Planting

No class of plants enjoys greater popularity at the present time than the Hardy Perennials. They have made rapid strides into public favor the past few years, until now they may be considered to have a prominent and a permanent place in our American gardens. They have for many years been greatly in demand in European countries and everywhere have given the best satisfaction. According to the modern idea of landscape gardening, the ideal garden is not one whose beds are laid out on geometric lines, but rather one where there is a closer resemblance to nature; and this can best be effected by the use of perennials giving a great range of color, and at the same time a continuity of bloom throughout the season.

Most of the plants listed below can be shipped in September, with the exception of late-flowering varieties, such as hardy asters, Japanese anemones, hardy chrysanthemums, etc., which are not ready until October. We can ship these, however, before that time, if so desired. In such cases we shall have to cut the growth back before shipping. A great many varieties of bulbs are suitable for the perennial border or garden, and it may require a shifting of the plants on hand to make room for the newer ones. For such instances, we wish to volunteer the information that it is perfectly proper to transplant perennials at any time of the year, provided it is a rainy or cloudy day.

All perennials on following pages to be sent by express only, purchaser paying transit. Positively no plants or roots sent by mail.

We will guarantee all plants or roots sent by express to arrive safely and in good condition, and, if not notified within 10 days from receipt of goods, we shall consider them as received in satisfactory condition and our responsibility ceases.

On account of the severity of the past few winters, we positively refuse to replace plants in the spring which were purchased this fall and failed to winter over.



PLANTING OF HARDY PERENNIALS

POT-GROWN SEEDLINGS OF PERENNIALS AND BIENNIALS

The following plants are from seed sown in June, and established in small pots ready for setting out this fall. They will make strong, flowering plants for next season's blooming, and if started early and if protected properly will succeed in withstanding the winter oftentimes as well as the field-grown plants. Delivery in September.

Price of the following, \$1 per doz., \$6 per 100. 50 at 100 rate

Campanula

Media (Canterbury Bells). **Single Blue, Single Mauve, Single Lavender, Single Rose, Single White.**

Calycanthema (Cup and Saucer). **Blue, White and Rose.**

Digitalis (Foxglove)

Gloxinaeflora alba **Gloxinaeflora purpurea**
Gloxinaeflora rosea **Monstrosa**

Hollyhocks

Price of Hollyhocks, \$1 per doz., \$6 per 100

Double	Bright Rose	Single	Bright Rose
"	Flesh-Color	"	Flesh-Color
"	Deep Maroon	"	Deep Maroon
"	Pure White	"	Pure White
"	Red	"	Red
"	Yellow	"	Yellow

Mammoth Alleghany

Sweet William

Dark Red **Pure White** **Assorted Colors**

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NOVELTIES AND SPECIALTIES

Arabis alpina fl. pl. A very handsome double white perennial unsurpassed for border work. Flowers early in spring. Grows to a height of 6 inches. 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

New Hardy Aster, Beauty of Col-wall. The first and only double Michaelmas Daisy in cultivation; remarkable for its distinctness and beauty. This variety grows 3 to 4 feet high, very erect and branches freely. The flowers are quite double and of a clear lavender-blue. \$2 each.

Campanula Humosa. Semi-double, enormous clear-blue flowers in form identical with Moerheimi but twice as large; height 3 feet, continuous bloomer. \$1 each, \$10 per doz.

Campanula persicifolia, "Die Fee." Among thousands of plants of *Campanula persicifolia* this variety was early discovered to be entirely different from the regular type. The plants grow 4 feet high and bear stalks which are covered for fully 3 feet with enormous flowers of a most delicate azure-blue. 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

Campanula glomerata acaulis. A new dwarf-growing Campanula, with handsome clusters of dark blue flowers. Of great value for rock-work and borders. 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz.

Campanula glomerata Dahurica. A superb variety of Campanula, valued for the rich, deep purplish blue flowers. Grows to a height of about 1 foot and is in flower from June to September. Promises to become one of the most popular of the Campanulas. 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz.

Gypsophila paniculata fl. pl. Undoubtedly this is a grand novelty. In growth it is quite similar to the single variety, but in flower it can not be compared. The small white flowers, being perfectly double, give the plant a different aspect and make it more valuable for cutting or as a show plant than the single variety. 75 cts. each, \$7.50 per doz.

Incarvillea Delavayi grandiflora. A greatly improved form of Delavayi with larger flowers. One of the showiest of recent introductions of perennials. Perfectly hardy. 50c. ea., \$5 per doz.

Iris pallida Dalmatica. A new species of German Iris, growing larger and producing enormous flowers of a delicate blue shade on robust stalks. It is a very rare variety and unsurpassed for naturalizing. Mr. C. A. Parker, who has a large row of them on his beautiful estate at Marblehead, Mass., considers them the handsomest Iris grown. 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz. Mailed free at single price.

Three New German Iris

25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

Jeanne d'Arc. Immense flower with superbly divided petals. Standards clear delicate light blue, falls pure white bordered lilac.

Monsignor. Giant blooms of distinct violet-blue standards, with white tongue on a clear blue fall and a purple stripe. Most attractive in coloring.

Prosper Langier. A grand flower of an old-rose shade. Falls are extra-large and of a velvety purple.

Lilium Alexandrae. New. A new hardy white Lily, resembling in shape the Easter Lily; grows 3 feet high and blooms in July. The flower petals have a slight tinge of green, which makes them more attractive. \$1 each, \$10 per doz.

Lilium Henryi. New. Flowers dark reddish yellow, marbled with a few irregular brown spots; very hardy; often 6 feet. \$1 each, \$10 per doz.

Lupinus Moerheimi. The pink perennial Lupin. A grand novelty. Perennial Lupins are indeed valuable for the border as they are one of the few which succeed well in very shady situations. A splendid addition on account of its pleasing color, a soft delicate pink. \$1 each, \$10 per doz.

GLADOLI ARE OUR SPECIALTY



Campanula persicifolia, "Die Fee"

Rawson's Collection of Twelve Select Perennials

The twelve hardy perennials following are those we have selected as being the most satisfactory for the amateur gardener. The collection embraces nearly every color and ensures a continuity of bloom from spring to late fall. To place this choice collection within easy reach of all our customers, we make the following special offer.

Any of the following: 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100. Complete set of 12 for \$1.50

- ACHILLEA, "The Pearl."** Flowers pure white, double, fine for cutting. June to September. 2½ feet.
- AQUILEGIA chrysantha.** Flowers are pure golden yellow, with extra long spurs. Quite fragrant. Blooms from May to August. 3 feet.
- COREOPSIS lanceolata.** Flowers golden yellow, often 3 inches in diameter. Very profuse bloomer, lasting from June to frost. Very hardy. 2½ feet.
- DELPHINIUM formosum.** Flowers are deep blue, with a white eye and borne on long spikes. Blooms most of the summer. About 4 feet.
- DIGITALIS gloxiniaeflora.** Beautiful form of Fox-glove. June and July. 2 to 3 feet.
- GAILLARDIA grandiflora.** One of the most brilliant. Center of flower is a dark maroon. June to frost. 3 feet.
- HELENIUM Bigelowii.** Flowers borne in heads of bright yellow, with center almost black. In bloom throughout the summer.
- JAPAN IRIS.** Enormous flowers of finest texture, varying in color from pure white to deepest purple. Blooms from middle of June to middle of July.
- PHLOX PANTHEON.** A very beautiful hardy Phlox. Color a deep salmon-rose. At its best in September.
- SHASTA DAISY.** Very large, daisy-like flowers with three or more rows of purest white petals. Borne on stems nearly 2 feet in length.
- STOKESIA CYANEA.** Very large deep blue flowers from August to October.
- DORONICUM PLANTAGINEUM EXCELSUM.** Orange-yellow flowers from May till July.

HARDY JAPANESE ANEMONE

(See Back Cover)

The varieties of *Anemone Japonica* are among the most beautiful of our hardy perennials. They come into flower about the first of August and continue to bloom till frost. They are at their best in September, and at that time they are the most attractive plants in the garden. They are quite hardy and will stand our New England winters fully as well as any other perennials. (We offer pot-grown extra-strong plants.)

Price of the following, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz., \$18 per 100

- Alba.** Flowers pure white, with prominent yellow stamens. Blooms freely from last of August till November. Flowers produced on long stems.
- Beaute Parfaite.** Pure double white flowers and the best of its color.
- Elegantissima.** Large semi-double rose flowers borne on long stems. Very handsome.
- Prinz Heinrich.** A recent variety of dwarf, compact habit, with very large, semi-double dark red flowers. By far the finest of the red-flowering Anemones.
- Queen Charlotte.** A very beautiful semi-double variety, light pink in color. One of the handsomest of the hardy Anemones.
- Whirlwind.** A semi-double form of *A. alba*. Of the same habit of growth, but more free-flowering. Will last much longer than the single sorts.

HARDY ASTERS (Michaelmas Daisies)

20 cts. each, \$2 per doz. Set of 16 varieties for \$2.50

- Combe Fishacre.** A very pale lavender variety with large flowers. Profuse bloomer and very early. 2 ft.
- Esma.** Late-flowering; pure white; dense head; large flower.



Hardy Asters

- Grace.** Large bluish lavender. Quite late. 3 feet.
- Isabel.** A handsome late variety of medium size. Pale blue. 3 feet.
- John Wood.** A very early white, shaded pink; medium size. 3 feet.
- Lady Trevelyan.** Large pure white flowers; quite early. 3 to 4 feet.
- Laevis.** Blue; large flowers; early.
- Longifolia formosissima.** Dense head of rosy purple flowers of medium size. 3 feet.
- Madonna.** The best late pure white.
- Novae-Angliae (New England Aster).** Violet-purple, large flowers, blooming late. 4 feet.
- Novae-Angliae roseus.** Rosy crimson. Late; flowers large. 3 to 4 feet.
- Novelty.** Deep pink; medium-sized; late. 3 feet.
- Pulcherrima.** A handsome violet-blue with very large flowers, blooming profusely. Late. 2 feet.
- Robert Parker.** Large, light blue; late-flowering. 4 ft.
- Sawyer.** Large flowers; pink; late-blooming.
- T. S. Ware.** Very dense head of most delicate flowers, blooming late. 3 to 4 feet.

CAMPANULAS

- Carpatica.** A dwarf compact-growing variety with blue bell-shaped flowers, borne erect to a height of 9 inches, from June to Sept. 15c. each, \$1.50 per doz.
- Carpatica alba.** Similar to preceding except in color, which is a pure white. Fine for borders. 15 cts. ea., \$1.50 per doz.
- Grandiflora.** See *Wahlenbergia*.
- Persicifolia gigantea plena, "Moerheimi."** A superb variety of recent introduction and a great improvement in every respect. The flowers are all very double, pure white and measure 3 to 3½ inches across. Undoubtedly one of the finest of the Campanulas. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- Persicifolia grandiflora coerulea.** Large, purple bell-shaped flowers during June and July, and borne on a spike 3 to 3½ feet high. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- Persicifolia grandiflora alba.** A pure white form of above. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

CAMPANULA CALYCANTHEMA

(Cup and Saucer)

A very popular form of Canterbury Bells, having calyx colored like the corolla. The formation of calyx and corolla is quite distinct and appropriately described by its common name, Cup and Saucer. We offer the following separate colors: **Blue, White** and **Rose**. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

CAMPANULA MEDIA (Canterbury Bells)

Old-fashioned hardy biennials that rank among the most popular of our garden plants, growing to a height of 2½ to 3 feet. Flowers large, bell-shaped, produced in June and July. They will thrive in any good garden soil and prefer a sunny location. The single form are more in demand, but the double sorts are very handsome, one to four perfect bells formed one within the other. **Single Blue, Single Lavender, Single Mauve, Single Rose, Single White, Double Assorted**. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.

CHRYSANTHEMUM, HARDY POMPON

20c. each, \$2 per doz., \$12 per 100. Set of 16 varieties, \$2.50

Anne Arundel. S. A fine orange tipped scarlet. Of fine form.

Cerise Queen. L. Beautiful cerise-pink. One of the most delicate.

Dawn. S. A delicate daybreak-pink.

Edna. S. Beautiful glowing violet-red.

Ermine. S. Bright orange-scarlet. Very brilliant.

Ethel. L. Exquisite violet-red. Long sprays.

Globe d'Or. L. Dwarf habit. Clear yellow.

Golden Pheasant. S. Deep orange-yellow.

Goldfinch. S. Golden yellow, shaded crimson. Very striking.



Rawson's Hardy Carnation

James Boon. S. The best pure white button variety.

Leo. S. Pure golden yellow. Flowers very small and double.

Lyndhurst. L. A fine scarlet-maroon.

Prince of Wales. L. Large pure white flowers. Fine for cutting.

Rhoda. S. Pink, shaded white.

Ruby Queen. L. Handsome dark ruby-red. Very desirable.

Surprise. L. Clear lilac shade. Quite distinct.

DIANTHUS PLUMARIUS

HARDY CARNATION

Few of the perennials give greater satisfaction than the hardy Carnations, producing, as they do, the great quantity of handsome clove-scented Carnations from June to September.

20 cts. each, \$2 per doz. Set of three varieties, 50 cts.

Her Majesty. Very fragrant flowers, large, double and pure white. Blooms very freely on long stems and unexcelled for cutting.

Fire King. A superb red-flowering Carnation, of the finest form and fragrance.

Rose Queen. Beautiful pink, quite double and producing quantities of flowers most of the summer.

DELPHINIUM (Larkspur)

NAMED HYBRIDS

The following twelve varieties of named Delphiniums are among the finest in cultivation. All have beautiful spikes ranging from 12 inches to 2 feet in length and are most valuable for the herbaceous garden.

Price of the following, except where noted, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz. Set of 12 varieties complete for \$3

Albert Edward. A handsome, deep plum-color, with black eye. 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

Belladonna. Beautiful clear blue, with white eye.

Bleu Celeste. An extra-fine sort, being sky-blue, shaded rose; very large spikes.

Dragon-fly. A handsome semi-double purplish blue. 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

Falka. A beautiful combination of blue and deep rose, with brownish center.

Geneva. A beautiful pale blue, with white eye.

Gloire de St. Maude. A very deep blue, with distinct bronze center.

Imbricata. A finely formed spike, with very deep blue flowers.

Mrs. Rooper. A very soft mauve, with primrose eye.

Order of Merit. A fine pale blue, with bronze center. 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

Triomphe de Pontoise. Handsome pale blue, with distinct black eye, forming a most beautiful contrast. 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

Verdi. A heavenly blue, with rosy center.

VARIOUS DELPHINIUMS

Burbank's Hybrids. Producing gigantic spikes with flowers measuring from 3 to 3½ inches across, in many exquisite shades of blue. 25c. ea., \$2.50 per doz.

Chinense album. A pure white Larkspur bearing flowers in open heads. Grows about 3 feet high and is in bloom most of the summer. 15c. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Chinense azureum. A delicate clear blue form of above. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Elatum (Bee Larkspur). Dark blue flowers on extra long spikes. One of the best for the garden. 5 to 6 feet high. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

Formosum. The most popular and considered by many the best of the Larkspurs. Flowers are a deep blue, having a white eye, and are produced on long spikes. Quite hardy, and of very easy culture. Blooms most of summer. Height about 4 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz., \$12 per 100.

Formosum coelestinum. Similar to Formosum but light sky-blue in color. Very beautiful. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

Speciosum. A very bright blue variety growing 3 feet high. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

DIGITALIS (Foxglove)

Old-fashioned hardy biennial plants with broad foliage and showy flowers borne on spikes. June and July.
 Price of any of the following, 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz., \$12 per 100

- Gloxiniaeflora alba.** Beautiful gloxinia-shaped flowers; pure white.
- Gloxiniaeflora purpurea.** Purple.
- Gloxiniaeflora rosea.** Handsome pink.
- Purpurea.** Purple flowers, throat spotted.
- Monstrosa.** Handsome various-colored flowers in spikes surmounted with one large terminal flower.

HOLLYHOCKS

Perfectly hardy and grow to a height of 6 or 8 feet. The plants, when in full bloom, are ornaments to any garden. Their tall stocks, covered with large, brilliant flowers, stand out prominently and always attract the greatest attention.

RAWSON'S PRIZE DOUBLE. For the past few years we have sold enormous quantities of our Prize Double Hollyhocks. This strain we select ourselves and, without doubt, is the equal of any other in range of color, perfection of form and percentage of double flowers. We offer them in the following colors: Flesh-color, Pure White, Red, Bright Rose, Deep Maroon, Sulphur-yellow. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz., \$12 per 100. Set of 6 varieties for \$1.

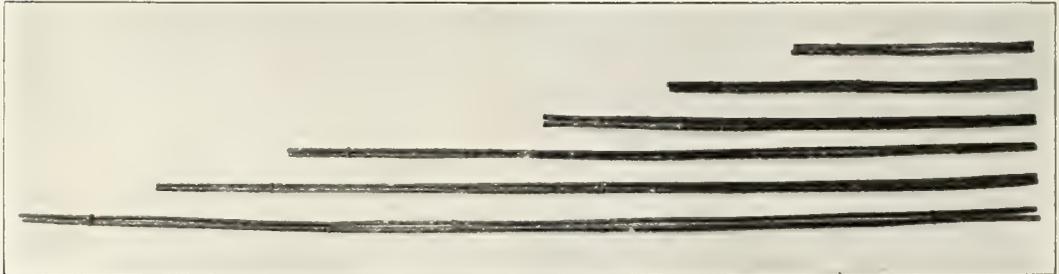
Mammoth Allegheny Hollyhock. A grand flower seldom less than 4 inches in diameter and of very transparent texture. So delicate, in fact, that it looks like crushed silk. As hardy as the old-fashioned Hollyhocks. Strong plants, 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.



Delphinium

SINGLE HOLLYHOCKS

In order to meet the increasing demand for Single Hollyhocks in separate colors, we have this year grown a fine stock of the above and offer them in the following colors: **Bright Rose, Flesh-Color, Maroon, Red, Sulphur-Yellow, White.** 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.



SOMETHING NEW

THE IDEAL PLANT STAKE

FOR THE GARDEN OR HOUSE PLANTS

Green Painted Japanese Bamboo. Durable, attractive, strong, and extremely inexpensive. Just the thing for Hyacinths, Freesias, Lilies, etc.

SIZES AND PRICES

	Doz.	100	1,000		Doz.	100	1,000
12 inches	\$0 05	\$0 40	\$3 00	36 inches	\$0 15	\$0 75	\$7 00
18 inches	10	50	3 50	42 inches	15	90	8 00
24 inches	10	60	5 00	48 inches	15	1 00	9 00

Express paid to any part of New England on orders for above amounting to \$1 or over



Oriental Poppy

PAPAVER (Hardy Poppy)

NUDICAULE (Iceland Poppy)

A beautiful race and among the most desirable of our herbaceous plants. The plant forms tufts of fern-like foliage, from among which the slender flower-stalks rise to about a foot in height and bear fragrant, cup-shaped flowers. The profusion of blooms is astonishing, often a hundred flower-stems appearing on a single plant, and they are produced from the beginning of June till October. They will thrive on any good garden soil, doing especially well in a sunny location. We offer them in the following colors: **Scarlet, White, Yellow.** 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.

ORIENTALE (Oriental Poppy)

Oriente. The common variety of Oriental Poppy. The flowers are a bright scarlet with a black blotch at the base of each petal, and when in bloom in the spring they make a very brilliant display. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Rawson's Superb Dahlias are now in full bloom at Rawson's Dahlia Farm, Marblehead, Mass.

HARDY PHLOX

This magnificent family of Hardy Perennials may be well termed the most widely known and deservedly popular of all the various plants we have in our gardens. There is no perennial more worthy of culture, more satisfactory in every situation, or more suited for individual planting or grouping for mass effect. They are at their best in the late fall, producing grand heads of flowers of the most varied and brilliant colors. We offer 18 of the finest varieties as follows:

TWELVE NEW PHLOXES

The following twelve varieties are the cream of the latest introductions. They are all large-flowering sorts and embrace nearly all the colors that Phlox can claim.

Price for set of 12 complete, \$6

- Etoile de Nancy.** Beautiful rose with white border; clear carmine eye. 40 cts.
- Edmond Rostand.** One of the handsomest lilacs. Very large flowers. 60 cts.
- Dr. Charcot.** A rich clear violet. Very distinct. 60c.
- Fantome.** Deep violet. One of the best. 50 cts.
- Flora Hornung.** White, fiery carmine eye. 60 cts.
- Fort de France.** A beautiful clear salmon. At its best in September. 50 cts.
- G. A. Strohein.** Brilliant orange-carmine. One of the handsomest varieties. 75 cts.

- Gruppenkonigin.** A most beautiful fleshy rose. A continuous bloomer with immense heads of flowers. \$1.
- Henry Regnault.** A brilliant fiery, rose carmine. A distinct and striking variety. 40 cts.
- Jocelyn.** A unique shade of fiery orange. Very fine. 40 cts.
- Mounet Sully.** Brilliant orange-carmine. 40 cts.
- Sindbad.** Clear mauve with carmine eye. 40 cts.

STANDARD PHLOXES

20 cts. each, \$2 per doz., \$12 per 100. Complete set of 18 varieties, \$3

- Boule de Feu.** A bright vivid scarlet.
- Coquelicot.** Fine pure scarlet with deep carmine eye. One of the most striking.
- Eclairer.** A deep carmine-rose with lighter center. Very early and continuous bloomer.
- Etna.** A very deep red.
- Graffin von Lassburg.** One of the finest pure white Phloxes in existence. Enormous heads made up out of very large individual flowers of the purest white.
- Iris.** Very large flowers, perfectly formed, bluish violet with large blue center.
- Jeanne d'Arc.** A superb late-flowering pure white.



Pyrethrums (see page 48)

- Le Feu de Monde.** A deep rich scarlet; very fine
- Leonardo da Vinci.** A pure white, with large rosy red eye.
- Le Pole Nord.** White, with crimson eye. One of the best tall late-blooming varieties.
- Le Soleil.** A beautiful soft rose, shaded pink. Continuous bloomer during July, August and September.
- Mad. Meuret.** Flame-color, changing to rich salmon. One of the best.
- Mad. Pape Carpentier.** Immense white flowers of beautiful form.
- Pantheon.** Deep salmon-rose. A very beautiful variety.
- Richard Wallace.** Tall-growing variety; flowers white with violet-red center.
- Saison's Lierval.** Large white flowers with deep rose eye. Very vigorous grower.
- Terre Neuve.** A very bright red, striped white.
- Wolfgang von Goethe.** A beautiful deep rose, with white eye.



Achillea, "The Pearl"

PYRETHRUM

These are among the most charming of our hardy perennials, and are of the easiest culture. Flowers are aster-like in form and of the most beautiful coloring, giving a continuity of bloom throughout the summer.

50 cts. each, \$5 per doz. Set of 6 varieties for \$2.50

DOUBLE NAMED PYRETHRUM

Alfred Kelway. Broad, massive crimson flowers.

Empress. A beautiful bluish pink.

Figaro. A fine rich carmine; very showy.

Mont Blanc. Beautiful pure white; large and full.

Mons. Barroll. Handsome rosy red.

Rupert. A very bright rose. Free-flowering.

SINGLE NAMED PYRETHRUM

AEgeon. Handsome carmine, with white ring.

Africana. Deep rich carmine.

Beatrice Kelway. A very handsome cherry-rose.

Gazelle. Purple-crimson,

Paquet. Rosy purple.

Princess Victoria. Brilliant carmine.

SHASTA DAISIES

THREE NEW GIANT VARIETIES

Extra-strong field-grown plants, 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.
Set of 3 varieties complete, for \$1, postpaid

Alaska. The whole plant, roots, stems, leaves, buds and flowers are gigantic, but compact and graceful in every respect. The marvelous combination of size, grace, glistening whiteness, abundance and general effectiveness of the flowers which are borne on long, clean, strong stems, will place it at once far ahead of all others of its class.

Under the ordinary field cultivation given *Chrysanthemums*, the flowers average 4½ to 5 inches across on stems 2 to 3 feet long, with 38 to 42 wide petals, and a very small disk, and with proper disbudding are produced perpetually, though more abundantly at the usual blooming season.

California. Another giant in growth and in most respects similar to Alaska, but the buds and half-opened flowers are of a most pleasing clear, pale lemon-yellow, with two rows of petals. When a day or two old these gradually change to pure white. The combination is exceedingly pleasing. The flowers average 4 to 5 inches across, and with ordinary care and culture are produced perpetually. The common varieties of *Chrysanthemum maximum* are as weeds when compared with these.

Westralia. This is distinguished by its branching habit, which is a strong character in one of the parents of the whole Shasta Daisy family—the Japanese Field Daisy. Well-grown plants are 3 to 4 feet high and nearly as much through; buds and newly opened flowers are of a pleasing cream-color, semi-double, 3 to 4 inches across and are produced on fairly long stems in bewildering profusion.

General List of Selected Perennials

ACANTHUS mollis (Bear's Breech). Deeply cut shiny foliage, flowers white. July to September. 3 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

ACHILLEA, "The Pearl." Small double white flowers in open heads, blooming profusely all summer. 2½ feet. 15c. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.

Millefolium rubrum. Bright red flowers in flat corymbs from June to September. Foliage fern-like. 18 inches. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

ACONITUM Napellus. Dark blue flowers hooded in dense heads from July to September. 3 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

Napellus album. Pure white hooded flowers. 20c. each, \$2 per doz.

Napellus bicolor. Flowers blue and white. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

AGROSTEMMA coronaria. An excellent plant for borders and of very easy cultivation. Flowers are bright crimson, blooming during June, July and August. 2 feet. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

hybrida Walkeri. Bright pink flowers; quite large. June to September. 1½ feet. 20c. each, \$2 per doz.

ALYSSUM saxatile compactum (Gold Dust). Large heads of golden yellow flowers in May and June. Silvery foliage. Fine for rockeries. 6 inches. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

ANCHUSA Barrelieri. Deep blue flowers; fine for cutting. Blooms all summer. 2 feet. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

ANEMONE Japonica. See page 44

ANTHEMIS Kelwayi. Bright yellow flowers; daisy-like. July to Sept. 2 feet. 15c. each, \$1.50 per doz.

AQUILEGIA chrysantha. Flowers are a pure golden yellow with long spurs. Very fragrant and one of the best of the Columbines. June to September. 3 feet. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.

chrysantha alba. A white-flowering form of above.

coerulea. Large violet-blue and white flowers with long spurs. 2 to 3 feet. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

coerulea alba. A pure white form of *Coerulea*. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Rawson's Long-spurred. A selected strain of immense flowers in all the brilliant shades. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

ARABIS alpina. Charming white flowers in spring. Dwarf, free-flowering. 6 in. 15c. ea., \$1.50 per doz.

alpina fl. pl. A very beautiful double-flowering form of preceding. Pure white. 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

ARMERIA maritima (Cushion Pink). Deep crimson flowers on stiff stems during the summer, above evergreen tufts of foliage. 1 ft. 15c. ea., \$1.50 per doz.



SELECTED PERENNIALS, continued

- ARTEMISIA Dracunculus** (Tarragon Root). Pointed glossy foliage, used largely for seasoning. 2 to 3 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- ASPHODELUS luteus**. A very handsome perennial with dense spikes of yellow flowers. June and July. 3 to 4 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- ASCLEPIAS tuberosa** (Butterfly Weed). One of the showiest perennials. Flowers are a bright orange and are borne in terminal flat clusters. Will succeed best on dry soil. June to September. 2 ft. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- ASTER, Named Varieties**. See page 44.
- BOCCONIA cordata** (Plumed Poppy). Enormous panicles of buff or creamy white flowers borne above large, heart-shaped leaves. July to September. 6 to 8 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- BOLTONIA latisquama**. Very showy pink flowers, fine for cutting. Blooms very profusely during August and September. 4 to 5 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- CAMPANULAS**. See page 44.
- CANDYTUFT, Perennial**. See Iberis.
- CANTERBURY BELLS**. See page 45.
- CARNATIONS, Hardy**. See Dianthus, page 45.
- CARYOPTERIS Mastacanthus** (Blue Spirea). One of the best fall-blooming plants. Sometimes classed as a shrub, but dies down to the roots in this climate. Flowers a rich blue and borne erect to a height of 2 to 2½ feet. 25c. each, \$2.50 per doz.
- CENTAUREA macrocephalus**. Deep yellow, thistle-like flowers often 4 inches across. Foliage somewhat serrate and quite ornamental. July and August. 3 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- montana**. Large bluish purple flowers in July, August and September. 2 feet. 20c. each, \$2 per doz.
- CERASTIUM tomentosum**. One of the best low-growing perennials. Silvery foliage and white flowers in June and July. 4 in. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- CHELONE barbatus Torreyi** (Pentstemon). A stately brilliant flowering plant, with long, loose panicles of bright scarlet flowers. July. 4 to 5 feet. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

- Chelone Lyoni**. Beautiful heads of deep red flowers in September. One of our showiest red perennials. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- CHRYSANTHEMUM Leucanthemum** (Shasta Daisy). Very large, daisy-like flowers, often measuring 4 inches across. Three or more rows of petals of the purest paper white and borne on single, stiff stems. In bloom from July to frost. 2 feet. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.
- maximum**. Flowers large; petals pure white, center yellow, and often overlapping. Continuous in bloom all summer and is perfectly hardy. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.
- Pompon**. See page 45.
- uliginosum**. See Pyrethrum, page 52.
- CLEMATIS Davidiana**. Beautiful pale blue flowers, very fragrant. Flowers from June to August. 3 ft. 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.
- COREOPSIS delphinifolia**. Handsome yellow flowers during summer. Considered by many to be the best Coreopsis we have. 20c. ea., \$2 per doz.
- lanceolata**. A superb variety for cutting. Flowers are golden yellow and fully 3 inches in diameter. Wonderfully profuse bloomer. June to frost, 2 ft. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.
- DELPHINIUM**. See page 41.
- DIANTHUS plumarius, Named Varieties**. See page 44.
- plumarius, Assorted**. Hardy Carnation, in colors of red, white and pink. June and July. 1 foot. 15c. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.
- DICENTRA spectabilis** (Bleeding Heart). Blooms in spring and has long, graceful racemes of rosy red flowers, with protruding white inner petals. 3 feet. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.
- DICTAMNUS Fraxinella** (Gas Plant). Fragrant foliage and showy terminal racemes of light red flowers. June and July. 3 ft. 20c. each, \$2 per doz.
- Fraxinella alba**. A pure white form of the above. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- DIGITALIS**. See page 46.
- DORONICUM plantagineum excelsum**. Very large orange-yellow flowers with darker center, borne during May, June and July. 2 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- ECHINACEA purpurea** (Cone Flower). Large flowers with drooping pink-colored magenta rays and purplish crimson rounded center. June to September. 4 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- ECHINOPS Ritro** (Globe Thistle). Large globular heads of blue, thistle-like flowers borne during July and August. 3 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- EDELWEISS**. See Leontopodium.
- Eremurus robustus**. A very large and beautiful perennial flowering first of June. The strong stems attain a height of 7 or 8 feet, bearing large soft rose flowers in dense spikes. \$2.50 each.
- Eremurus Himalaicus**. A very effective plant, producing fine white flower about 1 inch in diameter. \$2 each.
- ERIGERON speciosus**. Handsome light blue, finely cut petals with yellow center. In bloom from June to October. 2 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- EULALIA Japonica gracillima**. A very slender and graceful grass, beautifully striped. 4 feet. 20c. each, \$2 per doz.
- Japonica Zebrina**. A handsome Japanese grass, bright green with yellow bars at intervals across the foliage. 3 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- EUPATORIUM purpureum**. Very large showy panicles of purple flowers. Will thrive in any kind of soil. 6 to 8 feet. August and September. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.
- FOXGLOVE**. See Digitalis, page 46.
- FUNKIA undulata media variegata**. Green leaves margined and edged white. Fine for borders and edgings. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

SELECTED PERENNIALS, continued

Funkia subcordata grandiflora. Large white flowers borne in heads. Foliage green, pointed; sweet-scented. 18 inches. August and September. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

GAILLARDIA grandiflora. One of the showiest of perennials. Ray flowers ranging from red to yellow around a dark maroon center. 3 feet. June to frost. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.

GLAUCIUM luteum (Horned Poppy). Bright yellow flowers over glaucous foliage, very ornamental. 4 feet. July and August. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

GYPSOPHILA paniculata (Baby's Breath). Minute white flowers borne in enormous quantity in open panicles during summer months. Valuable for cutting. 3 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz., \$10 per 100.

paniculata fl. pl. See Novelties, page 43.

HELENIUM Bigelowii. Handsome yellow flowers with brown center, borne during summer. Ray flowers serrated and overlapping in several rows. One of the finest of the yellow-flowering Compositae. 2 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

autumnale superbum. Large, yellow flowers, with drooping rays borne in immense panicles. One of the showiest of the tall-growing perennials. 6 to 7 feet. July to Sept. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

Hoopesii. Bright orange-yellow flowers from June to September. Very showy. 5 to 6 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

pumilum magnificum. Grows 2½ feet high, producing a great number of large, yellow flowers from June to autumn. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

HELIANTHUS multiflorus fl. pl. (Double Sunflower). Large, double, yellow flowers during summer and fall. 4 to 5 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

rigidus. A beautiful orange-yellow variety blooming from July to September. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

HELIOPSIS Pitcheriana. Deep orange-yellow flowers from early to late summer on long, stiff stems. Fine for cutting. 3 ft. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

HEMEROCALLIS aurantiaca major. A recent variety of Day Lily. Large, trumpet-shaped flowers; fragrant; deep orange shade. Often measure 5 in. across. Aug. to Oct. 35c. each, \$3.50 per doz.



Funkia undulata media variegata



Gaillardia grandiflora

Hemeroallis flava (Day Lily). Bright yellow flowers during May and June. 2 ft. 15c. each, \$1.50 per doz.

HEUCHERA sanguinea. Small, scarlet flowers in large, graceful panicles. One of the best of the scarlet perennials. 18 inches. June to October. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

Brizoides. A most charming variety with handsome foliage and red flowers. Remains in flower from spring to September. Superb for cutting. 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

HIBISCUS, Crimson Eye. Large showy white flowers, with a crimson-purple eye. August and September. 6 to 7 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

militaris. Large, light pink flowers, crimson center. July to September. 5 to 6 feet. 20c. each, \$2 per doz.

Moscheutos albus (Swamp Mallow). Beautiful large white flowers in August and September. 3 to 4 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

Moscheutos roseus. A pink form of above and one of the handsomest large-flowering perennials. 20c. each, \$2 per doz.

HIERACIUM aurantiacum (Hawkweed). Orange-red flowers borne in flat heads. Very showy. 1 foot. July and August. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

HOLLYHOCK. See page 46.

HYPERICUM Moserianum (Gold Flower). Large showy yellow flowers from June to frost. 18 inches. 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

IBERIS sempervirens (Candytuft). Pure white flowers in flat heads, borne during April and May; foliage evergreen. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

INCARVILLEA Delavayi. Very large rose-colored flowers lasting a long time. Rich green foliage. June to August. 2 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

Delavayi grandiflora. See Novelties, page 44.

IRIS, in variety. See pages 36.

LATHYRUS latifolius (Perennial Pea). Handsome red, white and pink pea-like flowers during summer. Fine for cutting. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

LEONTOPODIUM alpinum (Edelweiss). Very small flowers, hidden by star-like clusters of white, woolly leaves, giving the whole plant an appearance not unlike snow. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

LIATRIS pycnostachya. Handsome long spikes of rosy purple flowers-heads borne during August and September. 4 to 5 feet. 20c. each, \$2 per doz.



Incarvillea Delavayi

SELECTED PERENNIALS. continued

- Liatris spicata.** Purple flower-heads on long, stiff spikes. June to August. 2 to 4 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- LILIUM, Hardy Varieties.** See pages 34 and 35.
- LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY.** See *Convallaria*.
- LINUM perenne.** Pale blue flowers, with pretty evergreen foliage. June to November. 18 inches. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.
- LOBELIA cardinalis.** Long dense spikes of handsome rich cardinal-red flowers. Strong plants often produce 10 to 18 of these spikes. Bloom in August and September. 3 to 4 feet. 20c. each, \$2 per doz.
- LUPINUS polyphyllus** (Lupin). Deep blue pea-shaped flowers on long spikes. June to September. 2 to 3 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- polyphyllus albus.** A pure white form of the above. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- LYCHNIS Chalcedonica** (London Pride). Brilliant scarlet flowers in close heads. June to September. 3 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- Flos-cuculi** (Cuckoo Flower). Very deep red flowers in clusters. Bloom all summer. 2 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- Haageana.** Showy orange-scarlet and pink flowers in large heads. June to September. 18 inches. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- viscaria splendens fl. pl.** Bright rose flowers in spikes. 1 to 1½ feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

- Lychnis semperflorens.** Clusters of double deep rose colored flowers. Very pretty. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- LYTHRUM roseum superbum.** A very free-flowing plant of robust habit, producing long, showy spikes of rosy red flowers during the summer months. 3 to 4 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- MALVA moschata** (Musk Mallow). Handsome pink flowers. June to August. 2 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- moschata alba.** A white form of the above. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- MONARDA didyma.** Bright scarlet, extremely showy flowers in terminal heads. July to September. 2 to 3 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- MYOSOTIS palustris semperflorens** (Forget-me-not). Bright blue flowers with yellow center, produced from May to September. Thrive well in shady places. 1 foot. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100.
- alpestris Victoria.** The common Forget-me-not. Deep blue. 5 cts. each, 50 cts. per doz., \$3 per 100.
- OENOTHERA Youngii.** Bright lemon-yellow flowers on pendulous branches; shiny glaucous foliage. June to September. 2 ft. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- Fraseri.** Rich golden yellow flowers. 12 to 18 inches. June to September. 20c. each, \$2 per doz.
- PENTSTEMON Digitalis.** Purple-white foxglove-shaped flowers, in spikes. July and August. 2 to 3 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- See, also, *Chelone*.
- PEONY.** See pages 37 and 38.
- PHLOX, Hardy, in variety.** See page 47.



Lupinus polyphyllus

SELECTED PERENNIALS, continued

Phlox Caroliniana, var. **ovata**. A splendid dwarf Phlox, with large purplish red flowers. Handsome foliage. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz., \$12 per 100.

divaricata. Early-flowering, fragrant, lavender-blue flowers. May and June. 6 to 9 inches. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

subulata. Creeping plants with evergreen moss-like foliage, completely hidden under a blanket of rose-colored flowers in early spring. 6 inches. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

subulata alba. A white form of the above. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

PHYSOSTEGIA Virginiana. A very ornamental perennial, bearing showy pink flowers on spikes during August and September. 3 to 4 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

Virginiana alba. A pure white form of the above. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

speciosa. Beautiful pink-flowering hardy perennial. Flowers borne on spikes during July. 2 feet. 20c. each, \$2 per doz.

PLATYCODON. See *Wahlenbergia*.

POLEMONIUM coeruleum grandiflorum. Handsome border plant, with terminal spikes of sky-blue flowers. June and July. 2 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

Richardsoni. Very large deep blue flowers in panicles. July to September. 2 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

POLYGONUM cuspidatum. A very strong-growing perennial producing clouds of creamy white flowers; one of the most effective for massing. 5 ft. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

POPPY, Perennial. See page 47.

PYRETHRUM hybridum, Named Varieties. See page 147.

uliginosum. One of our finest fall-flowering perennials. Very robust-growing plants, single white flowers in large open panicles. August to October. 5 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

RANUNCULUS acris fl. pl. (Buttercup). Double golden yellow flowers. May to September. 2 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

RHUBARB, Victoria. The best garden variety of Rhubarb. Often used for ornamental purposes. Large panicles of creamy white flowers thrown well above the foliage during July. 15 cts. per root, \$1.50 per doz.

RUDBECKIA, Golden Glow. Flowers beautiful golden yellow and very double. Marvelous continuity of bloom from June till late fall. 6 to 8 feet. 15 cts. each, \$1.25 per doz., \$8 per 100.

Newmanni. Orange-yellow flowers in large heads, with purplish brown disk. July to frost. 2 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

SALVIA azurea grandiflora. Sky-blue flowers in great profusion. 3 to 4 feet. August and September. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

SCABIOSA Caucasia. Pale lilac flowers about 3 inches across, and are borne continuously throughout the summer. 2 feet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

Caucasia alba. A white-flowering form of preceding. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

SEDUM spectabile. Handsome rose-colored flowers in immense heads, during late fall. One of the best fall perennials. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

SEDUM hybridum. Handsome summer-flowering perennial with broad heads of yellow flowers. 20c. each, \$2 per doz.

Lydiun. A pretty dwarf-growing variety with rose-pink flowers in August and September. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

SHASTA DAISY. See *Chrysanthemum Leucanthemum*

Named Varieties. See page 45.

STACHYS lanata. Purple flowers in whorls above woolly white foliage. 1 foot. July and August. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Stenanthium robustum. A recent introduction and undoubtedly will be used by thousands when known. The pure white flowers are borne on graceful compound panicles, often 2 to 3 feet long, and a clump of these plants makes a show equaled by few plants of any description. About 3 to 5 feet. 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

STOKESIA Cyanea (Stokes' Aster). Very large, deep blue flowers, produced profusely from August to October. Requires a well-drained soil to succeed well. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

SUNFLOWER. See *Helianthus*.

SWEET WILLIAM, Assorted Colors. One of the finest and best known of our old garden plants. Flowers of the most brilliant colors and borne in heads quite profusely. 10 cts. each, \$1 per doz.



Rudbeckia, Golden Glow

Sweet William, nigricans. Dark red. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

alba. Pure white. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

Pink Beauty. A beautiful shade of pink. Of rather dwarf habit and very free-flowering. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

THALICTRUM glaucum. Handsome perennials with showy yellowish white flowers in panicles, and glaucous foliage. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

THERMOPSIS Caroliniana. Bright yellow flowers in close terminal racemes. Fine for massing or grouping. 4 to 5 feet. June and July. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.

TRITOMA hybrida, May Queen. A recent early variety, being a deep salmon-red, fading to nearly white. The best of the extra-early Tritomas. 25c. each, \$2.50 per doz.



Stenanthium robustum

SELECTED PERENNIALS, continued

- Tritoma Pfitzeri.** A superb variety, very free-blooming. Color a rich brilliant orange. Of medium height, and will bloom from summer till fall. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- Uvaria grandiflora** (Common Red-Hot-Poker). Orange-red spike thrown well above the foliage. 4 to 5 feet. August and September. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.

- TROLLIUS Europaeus** (Globe Flower). Bright double yellow flowers in May and June and continuing at times till frost. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- Orange Globe.** Enormous globular orange flowers appearing early and continuing till frost. Fine for cutting. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- TUNICA Saxifraga.** A superb border perennial of dwarf, tufted habit. Bright pink flowers all summer 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- VALERIANA alba.** A white-flowering form of Garden Heliotrope. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- coccinea.** Bright scarlet. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- officinalis.** The old-fashioned garden Heliotrope, with pinkish or lavender flowers, with heliotrope fragrance. June and July. 4 ft. 20c. ea., \$2 per doz.
- VERONICA candida.** Grayish white foliage, with spikes of blue flowers during July and August. 2 feet. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.
- spicata.** Long spikes of delicate blue flowers during June, July and August. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.
- spicata alba.** A white form of the preceding, though not quite so tall. One of the most graceful of perennials. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.
- longifolia.** Pretty blue flowers in spikes during August. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.
- longifolia, var. subsessilis.** Intense, lustrous blue flowers from July till fall. Flowers in showy spikes. One of the handsomest blue-flowering perennials. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- VINCA minor, Myrtle.** Largely used for covering graves. 25 cts. per clump, \$2.50 per doz.
- WAHLENBERGIA grandiflora.** Pretty blue bell-shaped flowers blooming from July to September. Sometimes classed as a campanula. Will thrive in any good garden soil. 2½ feet. 20c. each, \$2 per doz.
- grandiflora alba.** A pure white form of preceding. 20 cts. each, \$2 per doz.
- YUCCA filamentosa.** Fragrant cup-shaped creamy white flowers in spikes 5 to 6 feet long and surmounting clumps of stiff, evergreen, bayonet-shaped foliage. One of our showiest and most stately perennials. Thrives best on light, sandy soil. 3 to 4 feet. June and July. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.; large clumps, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

Hardy Climbing Vines

Below we list a number of the most desirable climbers which are hardy in this climate. They include the choicest of the flowering varieties and the best of the foliage vines. The roots are ready for delivery in early spring, as soon as frost is out of the ground, say April 15, or in late fall, at the prices set after each variety. All those varieties marked with an asterisk (*) we can furnish in pots during June and July, and charge an advance on the price of 25 cents each.

CLEMATIS

We include under this head only the showiest of the varieties of Clematis. They are all rapid-growing, very hardy and among the most satisfactory climbing vines for ornamental purposes.

NOVELTY 1909

Clematis Ina. This Clematis was awarded a first-class certificate of merit by unanimous vote of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society. It originated in the nursery of E. F. Dwyer & Sons, Lynn, Mass. The flowers are 2 inches in diameter, nicely poised on long stiff branching stems and having from 25 to 50 sweet-scented beautiful flowers on each stem. Two stems are produced at each joint and the joints are from 4 to 5 inches apart. The blossoms are white, shaded to a delicate lavender-blue on the edges and on the tips of the petals and are produced in marvelous profusion. In its season of bloom from the first to the last of August, it is the glory of the garden, there being no other plant of any description that can rival its dainty beauty. Extra-strong plants \$1 each.



Ina Clematis

CLEMATIS, continued

- ***Paniculata.** Best of all the late summer or fall-blooming varieties. Very desirable for covering walls or fences. Its profusion of star-like white flowers, with their delicate hyacinth fragrance, make it particularly adapted for planting near a veranda. Small plants, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.; large plants, 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz.; extra size, \$1 each.
- M. Koster.** A superb Clematis of recent introduction. One of the most profuse-blooming vines we have. When at its best in September the enormous quantity of bright rosy carmine flowers produce the most brilliant effect imaginable, completely hiding the foliage. It is one of the strongest growers and first-class in every respect. Strong 2-year-old plants, 75 cts. each, \$7.50 per doz.
- ***Jackmani.** Generally considered the best Clematis of its color. Flowers are very large and borne in large numbers. Color a deep violet-purple of velvety softness, distinctly veined white, contrasting superbly when grown with the *C. paniculata*. Strong 2-year-old plants, 75 cts. each, \$7.50 per doz.
- Jackmani alba.** The largest flowering white variety, similar in form to the preceding variety. Very fine. Strong 2-year-old plants, 75 cts. each, \$7.50 per doz.

AMPELOPSIS VEITCHII

The well-known Boston Ivy, noted for its excellence for covering walls and buildings. Foliage in autumn of various brilliant colors. Leaves a bright green and very thickly borne. 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

HONEYSUCKLES

A very popular old-fashioned climbing vine, with a profusion of very sweetly scented flowers of red, white and yellow. A very hardy vine and one of the most popular for a porch or piazza.

Belgian (the Dutch Monthly Honeysuckle). In bloom all summer. Flowers are borne in large clusters and are red and yellow. Very fragrant. 35 cts. each.

***Halliana** (Hall's Evergreen). Probably more generally grown than any other variety. Foliage is a deep green and almost evergreen through the winter. Flowers are very fragrant, yellow and white, and bloom profusely throughout the summer. 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

Golden Variegated. Leaves beautifully variegated green and gold. Blooms through June and July. Flowers quite fragrant. One of the most satisfactory variegated-leaved vines. 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

Sempervirens (Scarlet Trumpet Honeysuckle). One of the freest-flowering varieties, bearing throughout the summer clusters of scarlet tubular flowers. An exceedingly effective vine for a piazza. 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

WISTARIAS

A handsome group of flowering vines having the flowers borne in pendulous grape-like clusters in either blue or white. Vine is quite hardy and quite a rapid grower.

Chinese Blue. The most popular Wistaria. Flowers in May and August. Pale blue in color and very showy. \$1 each, \$10 per doz.

Chinese White. Similar to above form, excepting color of flowers, which are pure white. \$1 each, \$10 per doz.

Multijuga. A Japan variety with dark purple racemes, which attain a length of from 2 to 3 feet. A fine grower and very hardy. \$1 each, \$10 per doz.

OTHER HARDY CLIMBERS

AKEBIA quinata. A very rapid grower; clover-like leaves, and dark fragrant flowers. 50 cts. each.

***AMPELOPSIS quinquefolia** (the common Woodbine). A native vine of very vigorous growth. Fine for wall covering. 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

***ACTINIDIA arguta.** A strong-growing climber from Japan, and of the most exceptional value where a quick-growing, clean-foliaged plant is desired. It will rapidly cover a piazza. Foliage glossy green and flowers white, with a purple center. 75c. each.

***ARISTOLOCHIA Sipho** (Dutchman's Pipe). A vine with immense heart-shaped leaves; very dense and when well established, of most rapid growth. Its brown flowers are shaped like a pipe and are very interesting. \$1 each.

***BIGNONIA radicans** (Trumpet Flower). Handsome scarlet. 35 cts. each.

BITTER SWEET (*Celastrus scandens*; Roxbury Wax Works). A native climber or twining plant, with large glossy leaves, yellow flowers and clusters of orange capsuled fruits. 35 cts. each

***KUDZU VINE.** An extremely fast-growing vine, with immense leaves and bearing small racemes of rosy purple, pea-shaped flowers toward the close of August. 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz.

MATRIMONY VINE. This is generally regarded as a climber, as its long, vigorous shoots push upward 8 to 10 feet and then recurve gracefully to the ground, strung along their entire length late in summer with transparent brilliant crimson berries. Good in poor soil. 25 cts. each.



Chinese Wistaria

Hardy Ornamental Shrubs

We list on this page a collection of the choicest and most desirable of the Ornamental Shrubs either for mass or single effect. We grow a large quantity of these at our grounds in Arlington and can furnish first-class stock in every respect. In the varieties listed below we give the height of growth and time of blooming after each one, together with the price, whether strong plants or extra-selected.



Hydrangea paniculata grandiflora

HARDY ORNAMENTAL SHRUBS, continued

ALMOND, Double Pink. The very double rose-colored flowers are borne in great profusion, fairly covering the branches. Blooms in May. 4 feet high. 50 cts. each.

Double White. Similar to preceding, except that the flowers are pure white. 50 cts. each.

ALTHEA (Rose of Sharon). Valuable on account of their blooming in late summer.

Price for the following varieties: 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz.

Double White. Nearly pure white. Extra fine.

Double Red. Bright rosy red.

Variegata. Foliage handsomely variegated. Flowers double, deep purple.

AZALEA mollis (Chinese Azalea). A handsome dwarf species of especial beauty for massing and very hardy. Flowers bloom in early spring and are unsurpassed for brilliancy of coloring. We offer here both red and yellow. Fine bushy plants with 20 to 30 buds. \$1.25 each, \$14 per doz.

Pontica (Ghent Azalea). Unequaled for variety of color and the grandest of the early spring flowering plants. Beautiful effects produced by massing these in beds. Large-flowering plants in orange-pink, red, white and yellow. \$1 each, \$10 per doz.

BERBERIS (Barberry). Excellent for hedging. Blooms in the summer and the flowers are succeeded by bright-colored fruit lasting till early winter. Specimen plants of the following. 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz.

vulgaris purpurea. A choice variety with purple foliage and fine for massing.

Thunbergii. Foliage drooping and turning in fall to orange and crimson. Berries very numerous and bright red. See, also, Hedge Plants, page 57.

BRIDAL WREATH. See *Spiraea prunifolia*.

CALYCANTHUS floridus. Blooms all summer. Flowers are chocolate-colored. Height 4 feet. 50c.

CHIONANTHUS Virginicus. See White Fringe.

CLETHRA alnifolia (Sweet Pepper Bush). Very fragrant pure white flowers produced freely all summer in handsome spikes. Very pretty foliage and a very satisfactory shrub. 50 cts.

CORNUS alba (Silky Cornel). Valuable for the deep red bark. Flowers white in June and July. 5 to 8 ft. Handsome light blue berries in fall. 50c.

CYDONIA Japonica. See Japan Quince.

DAPHNE Cneorum. A hardy evergreen plant, forming with the closely set glossy narrow leaves a most beautiful carpet effect. Blooms from May till late summer. Flowers are bright pink, borne in clusters and very fragrant. 75 cts. each, \$7.50 per doz.

DESMODIUM penduliflorum (Sweet Pea Shrub). A most magnificent shrub, being covered from first of September till frost with red pea blossoms in enormous quantities. In fact, so many flowers are on the branches that they give to the plant a drooping effect which greatly enhances its beauty. Grows to a height of about 4 feet. 50 cts.

DEUTZIA Lemoinei. A very desirable vigorous-growing shrub, flowering early with panicles of pure white flowers borne on stout branches. 50 cts.

oreната. White flowers, very double and borne in close spikes. 50 cts.

gracilis. A low-growing variety about 3 feet. Flowers pure white, blooming in May and June. 50 cts.

ELAEAGNUS longipes (Japanese Oleaster). Growing 6 to 8 feet high. Flowers bright yellow. Stems, leaves and fruit are covered with a golden scale. Blooms in July. 50 cts.

EUONYMUS Europaeus (the European Burning Bush). Large shrubs, quite hardy and valuable for their dark crimson fruits in fall. 50 cts.

HARDY ORNAMENTAL SHRUBS, continued

EXOCHORDA grandiflora (Pearl Bush). Flowers in May. Pure white, large, star-like and in clusters. About 9 feet high. 50 cts.

FORSYTHIA Fortunei (Golden Bell). One of our best early-flowering shrubs. Before any tree or shrub shows a leaf they burst into glorious masses of golden yellow drooping flowers. 50 cts.

suspensa (Weeping Golden Bell). Long, graceful branches drooping to the ground and covered to the tips with handsome yellow trumpet-shaped flowers in April. 8 to 10 feet. 50 cts.

GOLDEN ELDER. One of the finest golden-leaved shrubs, and is largely used for enlivening shrubberies. Flowers and fruit very ornamental. 50 cts.

HYDRANGEA paniculata grandiflora. The well-known Hardy Hydrangea. Flowers are borne in dense panicles, pure white when opening, but later of a purplish rose-color. Excellent for massing or single specimens on lawns. Extra selected, 3- to 5-year-old plants, 50 cts.

HYDRANGEA, Tree. A very desirable form of Hydrangea, the branches starting out 3 feet from the ground. Excellent for center plants for Hydrangea bed. \$1.

HONEYSUCKLE, BUSH (*Lonicera fragrantissima*). Valued for the exceeding fragrance of the small cream-colored flowers. It is almost an evergreen shrub. 50 cts.

HYPERICUM aureum. One of the finest of the dwarf shrubs both in flower and in foliage. The plant, when covered with the numerous rich yellow flowers from midsummer to fall, presents a most beautiful aspect. 50 cts.

JAPAN QUINCE. In early spring this fine old shrub is completely covered with dazzling scarlet flowers. Grown largely for hedging, when it produces a most brilliant display. Quite hardy and forms fine single specimen plants. 50 cts.



Japan Snowball



Kerria Japonica

JAPAN SNOWBALL (*Viburnum plicatum*). A large, hardy, quick-growing shrub, valuable for groups or single specimens. Flowers are immense and very double. Of the purest white and very showy. \$1, extra-strong plants.

Kalmia latifolia (Mountain Laurel). We have some elegant plants of this beautiful shrub. Extra-strong plants, \$1.50 each, \$15 per doz.

KERRIA Japonica. One of the most satisfactory yellow-flowering shrubs we have. Blooms all summer and in winter its bright green branches form a marked contrast with other shrubs. Height about 4 feet. 50 cts.

Japonica fl. pl. Large double flowers, bright yellow in color. 50 cts.

Japonica variegata. Same habit as the above, with handsomely variegated leaves, making one of the best variegated plants for shrubberies and borders. 50 cts.

LILAC, Purple. One of the oldest shrubs, but still ranks among the choicest. Too well known to need description. 50 cts.

White. A white-flowering form of the above, and just as hardy, though perhaps not so free-flowering. 50 cts.

Persica. Branches slender; more drooping than other Lilacs. Flowers light purple. 5 feet. May and June. 50 cts.

Persica alba. A white-flowering form of the above. 50 cts.

Rubra de Marley. Purplish red variety, very free-flowering and often used for forcing. 50 cts.

LONICERA fragrantissima. See Honeysuckle, Bush.

MAGNOLIA Soulangeana. Similar to Conspicua, the flowers being white and purple and borne a little later. \$2.

PHILADELPHUS. See Syringa.

PRIVET, California. The variety so popular for hedge plants, for description of which see page 57. Single specimen plants, 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz.

PRUNUS Pissardi (Purple-leaved Plum). A valuable lawn shrub on account of its unique purple foliage which keeps its color throughout the season. Recommended by many to be better than the Purple Beech where purple foliage is desired. Grows to a height of 8 to 10 feet. 75 cts.



Spiraea Van Houttei

RHODODENDRONS

Imported Hardy Hybrids. A superb assortment of the choicest imported varieties, with fine range of color. The plants we offer have made splendid growth the past season and cannot be excelled.

	Each	Doz.	100
18-inch plants.....	\$1 50	\$17 00	\$125 00
24-inch plants.....	2 50	25 00	150 00
30-inch plants.....	3 50	35 00	250 00

Maximum, Native Variety

	Each	Doz.
2 to 3 feet, bushy.....	\$2 00	\$20 00
3 to 4 feet, bushy.....	2 50	25 00
4 to 5 feet, bushy.....	4 00	40 00
5 to 6 feet, bushy.....	5 00	50 00

Catawbiense, Native Variety. True American type. Extra-fine plants. Compact bushy form; fine for massing or for bordering Maximum.

	Each	Doz.
24 to 30 inches, bushy.....	\$2 00	\$20 00
30 to 36 inches, bushy.....	2 50	25 00
36 to 48 inches, bushy.....	3 50	35 00

Special prices on the above in larger quantities

RIBES aurea (Flowering Currant). This is our beautiful yellow-flowered native species, prized for its wealth of bright flowers in early spring and their delightful spicy odor. 50 cts.

SMOKE TREE (*Rhus Colinus*). A shrubby tree with mist-like clusters of seed-pods in midsummer enveloping the tree. 75 cts.

SPIRAEA Anthony Waterer. Flowers scarlet-crimson, blooming profusely from June to October. Strong plants, 50 cts.

prunifolia (Bridal Wreath). One of the best and earliest-blooming shrubs. Flowers double, white and very abundant along the stems. May. 6 to 7 feet. 50 cts.

Thunbergii. Flowers are pure white and borne along the branches in early spring. 4 feet. 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz.

Spiraea Van Houttei. The finest white Spirea. Flowers borne very heavily on branches in June. Foliage green, turning to brilliant shades in the fall. About 4 feet high. 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz.

SYRINGA coronarius. A hardy robust shrub, with clusters of large fragrant milk-white flowers borne in midsummer. A very popular variety and widely used for landscape work. 50 cts.

grandiflora. The large-flowering variety. A large shrub with recurved branches laden with large, showy flowers, slightly fragrant. 50 cts.

foliis aureis (Golden Syringa). One of the finest golden-leaved shrubs. A dense growth, contrasting finely with green foliage shrubs. July. 6 to 8 feet. 50 cts.

SYMPHORICARPUS racemosa (The Snow-berry). Named on account of its large milk-white berries. Valuable for massing on account of its showy fruits which cling quite late. The bushes are quite hardy; flowers inconspicuous. 50 cts.

VIBURNUM plicatum. See Japan Snowball.

Opulus (High Bush Cranberry). Flowers are white and are borne during June. 7 to 8 feet. 50 cts.

tomentosum. A single form of Japanese Snowball; one of the most valuable shrubs. Has a very dark foliage, and bears massive cymes of white flowers late in summer. 50 cts.

WEIGELA candida. One of the best. Flowers pure white, borne in profusion at intervals throughout the summer and autumn. 5 to 6 feet. 50 cts.

rosea. A pink variety, flowering in May and June. Excellent for lawns. 50 cts.

rosea variegata. One of the best variegated shrubs. Pink flowers. 50 cts.

Crimson. Deep crimson flowers, borne profusely 75 cts.

WHITE FRINGE TREE. A large shrub or small tree, with large heavy leaves almost hidden in spring by a thick mist of fragrant white drooping flowers. One of the choicest shrubs for a lawn ornament. \$1.

Hedge Plants

We do not give a long list of Hedge Plants, but catalogue a few of the most desirable kinds.

CALIFORNIA PRIVET. Unsurpassed for hedges. The foliage is a handsome shade of deep green and almost evergreen. Especially desirable for a seashore location, as it will stand an immense amount of wind. 18 to 24 inches high, \$1 per doz., \$6 per 100; 2 to 3 feet high, \$1.50 per doz., \$10 per 100; 3 to 4 feet high, \$2 per doz., \$15 per 100.

BERBERIS Thunbergi. One of the best low-growing hedge-plants, attaining a height of about 3 feet. Leaves small and oval, dark shiny green. Flowers yellow, succeeded by persistent scarlet fruit. Strong, 2-year-old plants, \$2 per doz., \$12 per 100. Extra-strong, 3-year-old plants, \$3 per doz., \$18 per 100.

Dwarf Fruit Trees

We offer the genuine American-grown dwarf fruit tree grafted on Paradise stock. These are highly recommended particularly for small gardens, as they can easily be taken care of and do not produce too much shade.

DWARF APPLES—Baldwin, Bismarck, Dutchess, King, Red Astrachan, Wealthy. \$1 each, \$12 per doz.

DWARF PEARS—Dutchess, Lawrence, Seckel, Sheldon, Vermont Beauty. \$1 each, \$10 per doz.

Fruit Trees

APPLES—Baldwin, Fameuse or Snow, Gravenstein, McIntosh Red, Nero, Red Astrachan, Rhode Island Greening, Russet, Tolman Sweet and Williams' Favorite. Extra size. 75c. each, \$7.50 per doz.

CRAB APPLE—Hyslop and Transcendent. 5 to 7 ft., 75 cts. each, \$7.50 per doz.

CHERRIES—Black Tartarian, Early Richmond, Windsor and Gov. Wood. Extra-strong, \$1 each, \$10 per doz.

PEACHES—Champion, Crawford's Early, Crawford's Late, Elberta, Oldmixon and Stump the World. 4 to 5 ft., 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz.

PEARS—Anjou, Bartlett, Lawrence, Clapp's, Dana's Hovey, Seckel and Sheldon. Extra-strong, \$1 each, \$10 per doz.

PLUMS—Abundance, Bradshaw, Burbank and Lombard. 5 to 7 ft., 75 cts. each, \$7.50 per doz.

QUINCES—Champion and Orange. 75 cts. each, \$7.50 per doz.

Small Fruits

BLACKBERRIES

Strong, selected bushes, \$1 per doz., \$5 per 100; not less than 50 at 100 rate

Early Harvest. The earliest Blackberry we have. Fruit not very large but of excellent quality.

Erie. One of the finest all-round Blackberries. Very productive, hardy and of the highest quality.

Kittatinny. Large, of excellent quality.

Snyder. Medium, sweet and melting to the core.

Wilson Early. An extra-early variety that has proved to be worthy of general culture. Very productive.

CURRANTS

\$2 per doz., \$10 per 100, except where noted

Black Naples. Large; esteemed for jellies.

Cherry. The most popular red currant for market.

Fay's Prolific. More prolific than Cherry, and with longer clusters.

Victoria. Large; bright red; productive and late.

White Grape. Very large; mild and excellent; the best table variety. \$1.50 per doz., \$6 per 100.

GOOSEBERRIES

Industry. Large, oval, dark red, hairy; rich and agreeable; remarkably vigorous and productive; the best foreign Gooseberry. 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

Downing. Whitish green; juicy and good; vigorous and prolific. 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

RASPBERRIES

\$1 per doz., \$5 per 100; not less than 50 at 100 rate

Columbian. Very large, conical, dark purplish red berries, rich and luscious. Perfectly hardy.

Cuthbert. Medium to large, sweet. One of the best.

Golden Queen. Yellow, large, and of fine quality.

Kansas. Berries large, jet-black, firm and handsome.

Loudon. Medium to large red berries.

Marlboro. The best early red Raspberry.

HARDY GRAPES

Three-year-old

Strong, selected plants, 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz., except where noted

BLACK

Concord. The first and best. Very large bunch, bearing good-sized berries, covered with bloom; always reliable and very productive. Bears in September.

Moore's Early. Resembles the Concord but ripens nearly two weeks earlier. Very productive.

Worden. Very productive, a little earlier than the Concord. Ripens in August.

RED

Brighton. Thin-skinned berries with tender flesh and hardly any pulp. Very hardy. Early September.

Catawba. Very prolific. Long branches. September.

Delaware. One of the sweetest Grapes. Berries very small, in compact bunches. A very productive variety.

WHITE

Green Mountain. Greenish white berries, thin skin and very tender and sweet. The best early white Grape. Late August. \$1.

Niagara. Handsome bunches of berries of the finest flavor. Productive.

Pocklington. A seedling of the Concord and considered its equal in quality, with large, compact bunch, large berries covered with white bloom; flesh sweet.

Pot-Grown Strawberry Plants

Delivery about August 15.

Marshall. The most popular berry in New England.

Abington. Recently introduced. Fruit large, bright red, good flavor; midseason.

Clyde. Large, light scarlet; very productive; early.

Belmont. One of the best late berries. Keeps well.

Glen Mary. Bright red berries; large, firm.

Klondike. Good grower; medium size; bright red.

Minute Man. (P.) Very productive; large, solid.

Oaks Early. Very early, medium size deep red.

Senator Dunlap. Fruit large, rich and dark red to the center; very fine flavor; second-early.

Climax. Immensely productive; plant vigorous and fruit delicious; second-early. Rather new.

Brandywine. Large heart-shaped berry; bright red.

Excelsior. The earliest; glossy dark red.

Golden Gate. Strong grower; rich crimson fruit.

Mark Hanna. (P.) Very prolific; berries of enormous size; bright color, and good quality; midseason.

New Home. Large, bright red fruit of firm substance.

Pride of Cumberland. Strong grower; free from rust; medium early. Immense cropper.

Texas. Large crimson berries.

Commonwealth. Latest of all Strawberries. Large conical; deep crimson; very sweet.

Gandy. Exceedingly popular. Late; grows well on black swamp land; large size; good keeping qualities.

New York. Large, conical, dark red; medium late.

Sample. (P.) Firm, delicious, medium, scarlet.

Prices for above varieties, 50 cts. per doz., \$3 per 100
\$12.50 per 500, \$25 per 1,000

NEW AUTUMN-BEARING STRAWBERRIES

Pan-American. A very strong, healthy plant, and most persistent bloomer from May till November. It is better to nip off the first stems as they appear, so that the plant will grow stronger and bear a larger crop after the others are gone. Very soon after the first stems are nipped off more will appear, and they will continue to appear all summer and fall. The fruit is of good size and nice quality. With a little protection on cold nights, they will bear until almost Thanksgiving. 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

The Autumn. A strong, healthy, vigorous plant, which makes a lot of runners. The parent plant produces an enormous crop of medium-sized, handsome fruit, perfect in shape and very dark colored in August, September and October. As this is a pistillate variety, it should have some Pan-Americans grown with it to fertilize its blossoms. \$2 per doz., \$10 per 100, by express.

Vegetables for Hothouse Forcing

Our strains of hothouse vegetables are world-renowned, every seed saved for stock is selected by Mr. H. W. Rawson personally, and we dare claim that no superior strains are offered anywhere in the world.

BEANS

Triumph of the Frames. Only suitable for forcing, and is ideal for this purpose. Of very dwarf habit; a prolific bearer and extra early. Beans very tender and of the "Flageolet" flavor. Of French origin, and our seeds come direct from the introducer. Pkt., 25 cts.; pt., 50 cts.; qt., 75 cts.

BEETS

Crosby's Improved Egyptian (Arlington-grown). The stock that we offer is Mr. Rawson's personal selection and grown at our seed farm under Mr. Rawson's supervision. Therefore, we have no hesitancy in claiming it as the finest and truest strain of Crosby Egyptian to be had. This variety is probably sown more than any other for an early Beet, as it reaches the desired size in much shorter time. The Beets are of good size, rather flat than round and flesh dark. Also used largely for forcing in hotbeds. Pkt., 10c.; oz., 15 cts.; 4 ozs., 35 cts.; lb., \$1.25.

CARROT

French Forcing. An extremely early forcing variety; root globular, small reddish orange in color and of the sweetest flavor known. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 4 ozs., 25 cts.; lb., 90 cts.

CUCUMBER

Rawson's Hothouse. The finest strain of Cucumber for forcing and outdoor planting in existence. It is an improvement on Rawson's White Spine, the fruit being two inches longer and darker green in color. We have attained this result by years of selection, and feel confident that this strain cannot be equaled in this country. The great number of complimentary letters we have received warrant us in making the above claim, and we can not recommend it too highly. Pkt., 25 cts.; ½oz., 60c.; oz., \$1; 4 ozs., \$3; lb., \$10.

Rawson's White Spine. A very superior strain for forcing and outdoor planting, that up to the time of our sending out Rawson's Hothouse was considered the best to be had. Fruit very even in size and regular in form; color dark green, with white or light spines running from blossom end. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 50 cts.; 4 ozs., \$1.50; lb., \$5.

Arlington White Spine. An extra selected strain of White Spine, selected with a view to obtain evenness of size, form and color of forcing in frames. This strain we consider by far the finest for growing in hotbeds. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; 4 ozs., 75 cts.; lb., \$2.50.

LETTUCE

Rawson's Hothouse. The largest and best plain-leaf variety for forcing. A very choice selected strain of our own selection, adapted for hothouses and hotbeds only. Heads enormous in size, sure to head and not liable to rot in the heart. This variety is probably grown more than any other by the market-gardeners of Boston and vicinity, who are famous for the superior quality of their Lettuce. Pkt., 15 cts.; oz., 50 cts.; 4 ozs., \$1.50; lb., \$5.

LETTUCE, continued

Rawson's Crumpled Leaf Hothouse. A superior variety introduced by us a few years ago and is unsurpassed for forcing when a large, quick-growing head is desired. Leaves are dark green, slightly ruffled or crumpled and very crisp and tender. Heads very large, sure to head and perfectly free from decay in the heart. Should be grown cool to get the best results and planted 8 inches apart in the bed. Unequaled for shipping and will easily pack three dozen to a long box. Pkt., 25 cts.; oz., 60 cts.; 4 ozs., \$2; lb., \$7.

LETTUCE PLANTS

At various times during the winter season we can furnish young hothouse-grown plants of the above varieties of Lettuce, just in proper condition for final transplanting. Orders may be sent at any time and will be filled whenever the plants are ready. Doz., 25 cts.; 100, \$1.50; 1,000, \$12.

MUSHROOM SPAWN

One brick sufficient for about one square yard

Pure Culture Spawn. Made in the United States by improved method, and is much more reliable, more prolific and earlier than the English Spawn. In fact, it has attained such remarkable success that it is rapidly taking the place of English Spawn amongst the larger growers. We issue a circular giving complete cultural directions with every order for Spawn. Bricks (weighing about 1½ pounds), each, 25 cts.; doz., \$2.50; 25, \$4; 100, \$15, or \$10 per 100 lbs., purchaser paying transit. If by mail, add 10 cts. per brick for postage.

RADISH

Rawson's Scarlet Conical. This variety is one of our finest specialties, and for forcing we are sure it cannot be equaled. For the brilliant scarlet color, short top and uniform shape and size of the Radishes it is unexcelled. In flavor it is all that can be desired, being very tender and crisp. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; 4 ozs., 40 cts.; lb., \$1.25.

TOMATO (FORCING)

Stirling Castle. A very superior variety for either forcing or outdoor culture. Very heavy cropper, of medium size, smooth and round. Color a clear red. Remarkable for its freedom of set and delicious flavor. Our strain of this is the finest to be had. Pkt., 25 cts.; oz., \$2.50.

Best of All. Considered by many to be the equal of any other variety in the quality of fruit and productiveness. Deep scarlet; a strong grower and producing the very solid Tomatoes in bunches. Pkt., 10c.; ½oz., 25 cts.; oz., 40 cts.; 4 ozs., \$1.50.

Comet. A recent variety, matchless in form and color. Beautiful, smooth, round fruit in great abundance. Color a rich scarlet-red. Sets very freely in bunches. Equally good for outdoor culture as for forcing. Pkt., 25 cts.; oz., \$2.

Lorillard. An old forcing variety of great merit, and still used extensively. Unrivaled for color, form and solidity. Very free producer. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 30c.; 4 ozs., \$1.

Rawson's High-Grade Fertilizers

WE DO NOT DELIVER ANY FERTILIZERS
THESE CAN BE SHIPPED BY EXPRESS OR FREIGHT ONLY

Our prices are net f. o. b. cars Boston. The prices of fertilizers fluctuate frequently, and we reserve the right to change same without notice

"Wizard Brand" Pure Pulverized Sheep Manure

We are sole distributors for Boston and vicinity of the above brand of sheep manure, which is absolutely the only pure brand in the market today which is carefully selected, shredded, kiln-dried, screened, passed over strong magnets, pulverized and packed in bags or barrels. Pure sheep manure is the best and strongest in fertilizing and enriching elements of all nature's fertilizers, containing, as it does, nitrogen, phosphoric acid, ammonia and potash in liberal proportions. It is three times stronger than cow manure. The name "Wizard" stands for absolutely the best in quality, purity and uniformity. Sheep manure is excellent for lawns, railroad stations, golf greens, general garden, flower beds, house plants, trees, hothouses, public parks, fruits and all farm products. Lb., 10 cts.; 5 lbs., 25 cts.; 10 lbs., 40 cts.; 25 lbs., 75 cts.; 50 lbs., \$1.25; 100 lbs., \$2; ton (in 100-lb. bags), \$35; full large barrel, \$4.

Rawson's Lawn and Garden Dressing

A combination chemical fertilizer which is unequalled for either lawn or garden; it is dry and powdery and can easily be applied by any one. This is not only a stimulant to vegetation, but transfers to the plant a lasting healthy appearance. We put up this fertilizer in convenient sizes, so that every one might use it.

5 lbs., sufficient for 500 square feet.....	\$0 30
10 " " " 1,000 " " "	50
25 " " " 2,500 " " "	1 00
50 " " " 5,000 " " "	1 75
100 " " " 1/4 of an acre	3 00
Ton (2,000 lbs.) in 100-lb. bags.....	50 00

Rawson's Special Lawn Dressing

This preparation is gotten up especially for enriching lawns, and contains only such elements as are beneficial for grasses. For the benefit of our customers who have but a small lawn or a front or back yard, we offer this excellent fertilizer in convenient sizes as follows:

5 lbs., sufficient for 500 square feet.....	\$0 30
10 " " " 1,000 " " "	50
25 " " " 2,500 " " "	75
50 " " " 5,000 " " "	1 25
100 " " " 1/4 of an acre.....	2 00
Ton (2,000 lbs.).....	35 00

Pure Canada Unleached Hardwood Ashes

Ashes contain potash and lime, which are not only essential to the plant, but also sweeten the soil and

dissolve other plant-food ingredients. Potash and lime are nature's plant-food. These things have been extracted from the soil by the trees, and now we return them in the shape of ashes. Pure wood ashes is one of the best fertilizers for top-dressing lawns, grass lands and seeding down, also for fruit of all kinds, especially strawberries, peaches and apples. When used on lawns it imparts a rich dark shade of green, destroying insects and bad weeds, particularly moss, which is so common on lawns. 25 lbs., 50 cts.; 50 lbs., 75 cts.; 100 lbs. \$1.25; 200 lbs. (in 2 100-lb. bags), \$2; ton (2,000 lbs.), in 100-lb. bags, \$16.

In carload lots of from 15 to 25 tons, at \$11.50 per ton in bulk or \$13.50 per ton in 100-lb. bags, delivered at any freight station in Massachusetts, Vermont, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Connecticut and to any station in Maine, except points of the Maine Central Railroad.

Fine Ground Bone. Our bone is made of the best quality of bone and finely pulverized. It is absolutely pure and contains every ingredient, without extraction. It is excellent for lawns, trees, shrubs, roses, flower-beds and general gardens, particularly good for perennial borders. 5 lbs., 25 cts.; 10 lbs., 40 cts.; 25 lbs., 75 cts.; 50 lbs., \$1; 100 lbs., \$1.80; ton (2,000 lbs.), \$30.

Tobacco Stems Fertilizer. Tobacco stems are worth about four times as much as an equal weight of stable manure. They can be spread and plowed under like ordinary manure, or worked into compost heap. They make a good mulch to put around fruit trees and are good around such crops as melons and squashes. Per bale of about 100 lbs., \$2.

Land Plaster. Excellent for composting, fertilizing, also used for preventing bugs from destroying cucumber, melon and squash vines. 5 lbs., 20 cts.; 25 lbs., 50 cts.; 100 lbs., \$1; bbl. of 350 lbs., \$2.

Nitro-Culture Lime. This article supplies a great want in gardening today. We depend almost entirely on it, to enable us to raise certain flowers and vegetables. Without it their cultures are failures. Most prominent of these are cucumbers, squashes, asters and sweet peas. Its main qualities are that it sweetens and purifies the soil. It should be applied early in spring and also late in fall. It will help in great measure to destroy the obnoxious cutworm. Liberal quantity should be applied, as it is not injurious no matter how much you put into the ground, only beneficial. 100-lb. bag, \$1; ton, \$18.

All other fertilizers not listed here we can furnish, and we solicit correspondence.

VARIOUS MATERIAL FOR POTTING

Sterilized Potting Soil. This soil has been put to 270° of heat, which absolutely destroys all insects or fungous growth in the soil and is fertilized sufficiently for growing all kinds of plants. This soil is from our greenhouses in Arlington and the same as we use in growing of all our plants. 1/2pk., 20 cts.; pk., 30 cts.; bus., \$1; bbl., \$2.

Rotted Fibrous Peat. This has become thoroughly rotted, and is invaluable for potting plants. 1/2pk., 20 cts.; pk., 30 cts.; bus., \$1; bbl., \$2.

Leaf-Mold. Is very essential for growing plants. 1/2pk., 20 cts.; pk., 30 cts.; bus., \$1; bbl., \$2.

Orchid Peat, or Fern Root. Bbl., \$2.75; bus., \$1.50.

Sphagnum Moss. We can furnish at almost any time of year, freshly gathered or dry. Bus., 75 cts.; bag., \$1.50.

Charcoal. Lb., 10 cts.; 100 lbs., \$5.

Silver Sand. For mixing with soil for bulbs. Qt., 10 cts.; pk., 50 cts.; bus. \$1.50.

PEBBLES. For growing Chinese Lilies or Paper-White Narcissus. Qt., 15 cts.; pk., \$1; bus., \$3.50.

SULPHO-TOBACCO SOAP. Should be used freely on all house plants during the winter. By spraying plants thoroughly once a week, it will not only act as a preventive of insects, but also a good fertilizer. Per 3-oz. package, sufficient to make one gallon liquid, 10 cts.; 8-oz. package, sufficient to make three gallons liquid, 20 cts. If wanted by mail, add 5 cents for the 3-oz. and 10 cents for the 8-oz. package.

BEFORE AND AFTER

CLIMAX LAWN SAND
DESTROYS WEEDS

Weedy Lawns Transformed into a Beautiful
Sward by a Single Application of

CLIMAX LAWN
SAND

This remarkable preparation, when applied to weedy lawns, will adhere to the rough, hairy leaves of dandelions, plantains, etc., and, by absorbing therefrom all the sap, destroy them beyond recovery. Moreover, Climax Lawn Sand goes to the roots of smooth-bladed finer grasses and acts as a valuable fertilizer. The most weedy and impoverished lawn will show a remarkable improvement after a single application. A booklet giving in detail all the merits of this wonderful weed eradicator, explicit directions for use and testimonials from every part of this country, will be gladly mailed free to any applicant.

To popularize this helpful remedy we offer for the first time as a special inducement, a trial sample package sufficient to cover 25 square feet for 25 cents. This includes free delivery anywhere in the United States. The wrapper of this package will be redeemed to the full value of 25 cents with any order of the regular-sized packages of Climax Lawn Sand.

When to Apply. March, April, May, July, August, September and October are the best months, selecting a bright sunny day, with a prospect of 24 to 48 hours settled weather.

When Climax Lawn Sand is applied, no other manure is required

QUANTITY REQUIRED

3½ lbs. will dress.....	150 sq. ft.
7 lbs. will dress.....	250 sq. ft.
14 lbs. will dress.....	500 sq. ft.
28 lbs. will dress.....	1,000 sq. ft.
56 lbs. will dress.....	2,000 sq. ft.
112 lbs. will dress.....	4,000 sq. ft.

PRICES

3½ lbs. Tin can.....	\$0 60
7 lbs. Tin can.....	1 00
14 lbs. Tin can.....	1 75
28 lbs. Wooden keg.....	3 09
56 lbs. Wooden keg.....	5 09
112 lbs. Wooden keg.....	8 09

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RAWSON'S "IDEAL" LAWN GRASS

For Fall Sowing

For over ten years we have carried on experiments on our extensive trial grounds at Newton, N. H., with every imaginable variety of grass seed, both from Europe and this country, to ascertain and establish a perfect mixture of grasses which would produce an ideal lawn in New England. We have given particular attention to grasses which grow successfully in northern severe climates; at the same time we have aimed to improve the appearance of the lawn. We have now succeeded and are confident in stating that we offer here the most **"Ideal" Mixture of Lawn Grass that is offered in New England for New England.** It is an established fact that plants which thrive in New England will grow luxuriantly everywhere, and for that reason we claim that

RAWSON'S "IDEAL" LAWN GRASS

is unrivaled for **hardiness, productiveness, purity** and **luxuriance in growth.** The grasses used in this mixture are highly cleaned, free from all chaff and are absolutely fresh, insuring the purchaser quick results.

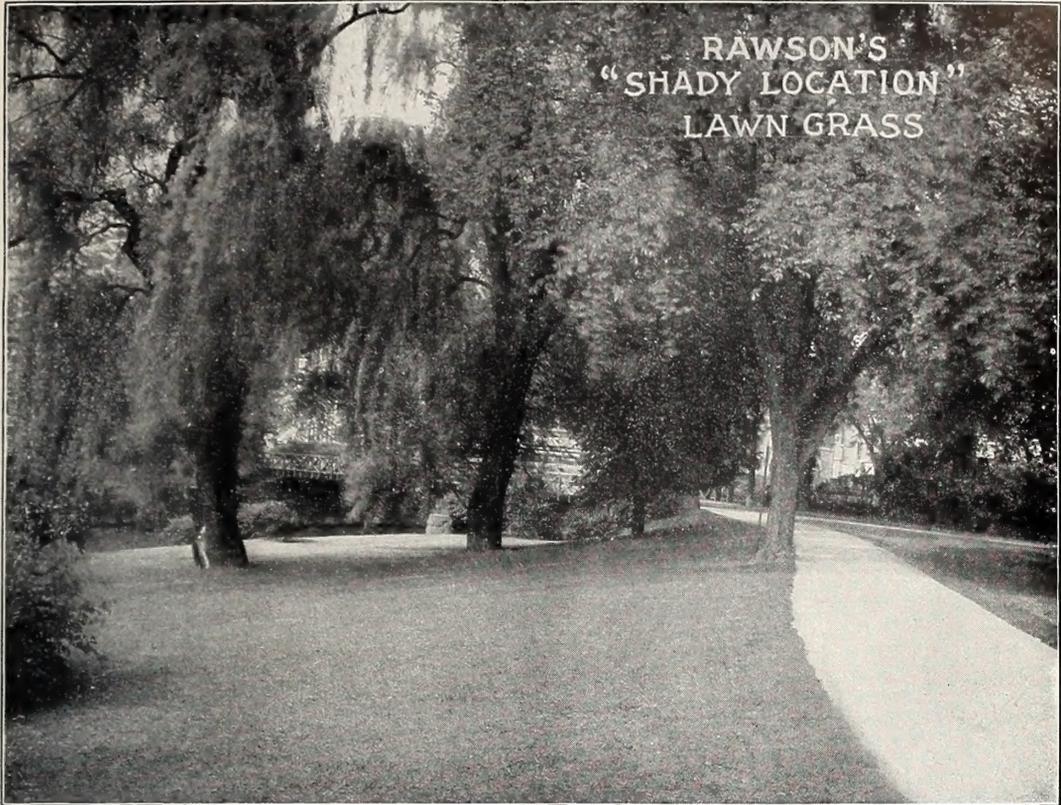
Please note that **RAWSON'S "IDEAL" LAWN GRASS** weighs 20 pounds per bushel; this in itself is a guarantee of its purity.

THE MAKING OF A LAWN is a pamphlet by our Mr. Rawson, which gives to the minutest detail all possible information on the preparation and formation of a lawn, also on the care of an established one and the renovation of an old one. Every package of Lawn Grass, no matter how small, contains one of these pamphlets. In order to introduce our Lawn Grass widely, we are willing to **deliver free** to any post-office or express office in the United States, **any quantity up to four quarts,** at the price given below.

PRICES: Pt. 15 cts., qt. 25 cts., 2 qts. 45 cts., 4 qts. 85 cts., pk. \$1.50, bus. of 20 lbs. \$5

QUANTITY REQUIRED FOR A NEW LAWN

One quart is sufficient to sow a plot 300 square feet or 15x20 feet; one peck 2,000 square feet or 50x40 feet; five bushels, an acre. For renovating, use half the quantity.



**RAWSON'S
"SHADY LOCATION"
LAWN GRASS**

Rawson's Arlington Lawn Grass

has stood the test of our customers for the past twenty years and must be considered a "quality mixture." When we first introduced this mixture, quality grasses were in imperative need and we selected for this mixture a limited number of the purest and heaviest grasses, which would produce a rich velvety sward in the shortest possible time. It can easily be seen that this mixture is quite different from the preceding one, as it weighs 32 pounds per bushel. We highly recommend this mixture for a quick-producing lawn and one that will retain its beauty for a long time. 1 qt. (will sow 600 sq. ft.) 30 cts.; 2 qts. (will sow 1,300 sq. ft.) 55 cts.; 4 qts. (will sow 2,700 sq. ft.) \$1; 8 qts. (will sow 5,400 sq. ft.) \$2; 1 bus. (2 bus. will sow an acre) \$7.50.

Rawson's Special Mixtures of Grasses for Special Places

We have in our employ a man who has devoted his lifetime to the planting and perfecting of lawns, terraces, golf links, bowling greens, lawn-tennis grounds, etc., and under whose personal supervision our different mixtures of grasses as offered below are prepared. For this reason we claim our mixtures should give perfect satisfaction.

Rawson's Special "Shady Location" Lawn Grass

Every lawn has some shady spots where the regular grasses will not be permanent. Under above heading we offer a mixture which is unsurpassed. Qt. 35 cts., free by mail; 2 qts. 65 cts., free by mail; 4 qts. \$1.25, free by mail; 8 qts. \$2, bus. \$7. This mixture weighs 20 pounds per bushel.

Rawson's Special Putting Green Mixture

Suitable both for Putting Greens and Bowling Greens. Pk. \$1.75, bus. \$6. This mixture weighs 25 pounds per bushel.

Rawson's Special Mixture for Lawn Tennis, Croquet, or Polo Grounds

A perfect mixture for such purposes. Pk. \$2, bus. \$7. Weight per bushel 20 pounds.

Rawson's "Terrace Turf" Lawn Grass

This mixture consists of the best close-growing, deep-rooted varieties, which will not be washed away during heavy rains, at the same time produce a rich velvety sward. Qt. 35 cts., free by mail; 2 qts. 65 cts., free by mail; 4 qts. \$1.25, free by mail; 8 qts. \$2, bus. \$7. Weight, 20 pounds per bushel.

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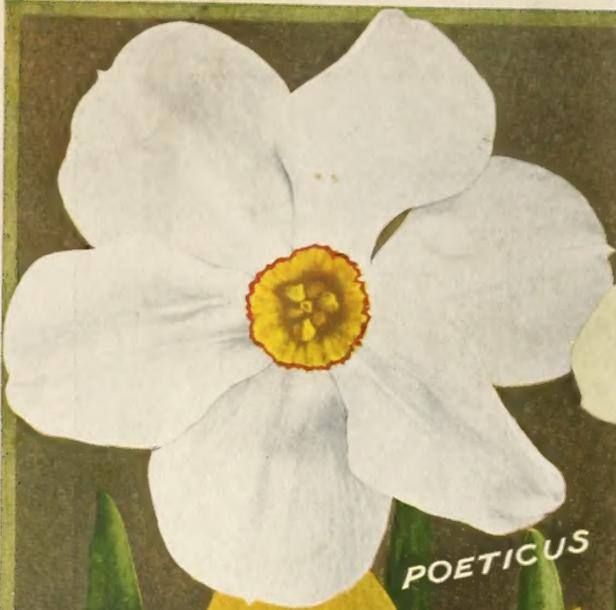
NEW SEEDLING CROCUSES

Crocuses are such brilliant and beautiful flowers that one need not occupy space with their praises. Their use in grass is necessary if we are to enjoy our gardens to the full. While the popular varieties, whose names will be found on another page, will retain their place in the garden, they will be largely supplemented by these new seedlings listed below. They are distinct for their colorings, for some of the shades offered here have never been known among Crocuses before. They are all giants in size. One of our customers wrote us last spring: "The new Seedling Crocuses purchased of you last fall are just now in bloom and are admired by everybody. One of our neighbors wanted to know how we came to have such splendid early Tulips, showing the size of bloom, and, furthermore, each bulb produces from four to six flowers."

LIST OF CROCUSES

	Doz.	100	1,000
Beauty. Outside pale lilac, inside blue	\$0 25	\$1 50	\$12 00
Black Knight. Purple, with blackish gloss, darkest of all; extra large	20	1 00	8 00
Columbia. Purple, with reddish gloss; elongated flowers	20	1 00	8 00
Daybreak. Most beautiful light lilac; a dainty shade and very attractive	20	1 00	8 00
Distinction. Soft pink; a distinct rare color in Crocuses	25	1 50	12 00
Dorothea. Very light porcelain-blue; a very fine self-color; unique	20	1 25	10 00
Fantasy. Outside striped blue on light ground, inside blue; immense flower	20	1 00	8 00
Hero. Dark shining purple, extra large; the largest of all purple Crocuses	20	1 00	8 00
Irene. Inside blue, outside pale lilac striped blue, with dark blue base; extra large	20	1 00	8 00
Matador. Dark purple, with reddish gloss; giant in size	20	1 00	8 00
May. Pure white, lovely round-shaped flower; extra fine	20	1 00	8 00
Purple Beauty. Deep purple, large broad flower; one of the best purple	20	1 00	8 00
Raphael. Very distinct light lilac, tipped white; extra fine	20	1 25	10 00
White Giant. Purest white, large elongated flowers. The largest of all white Crocuses	20	1 00	8 00

Special offer of twelve bulbs each, of the entire set of fourteen varieties, each dozen named, \$2.50



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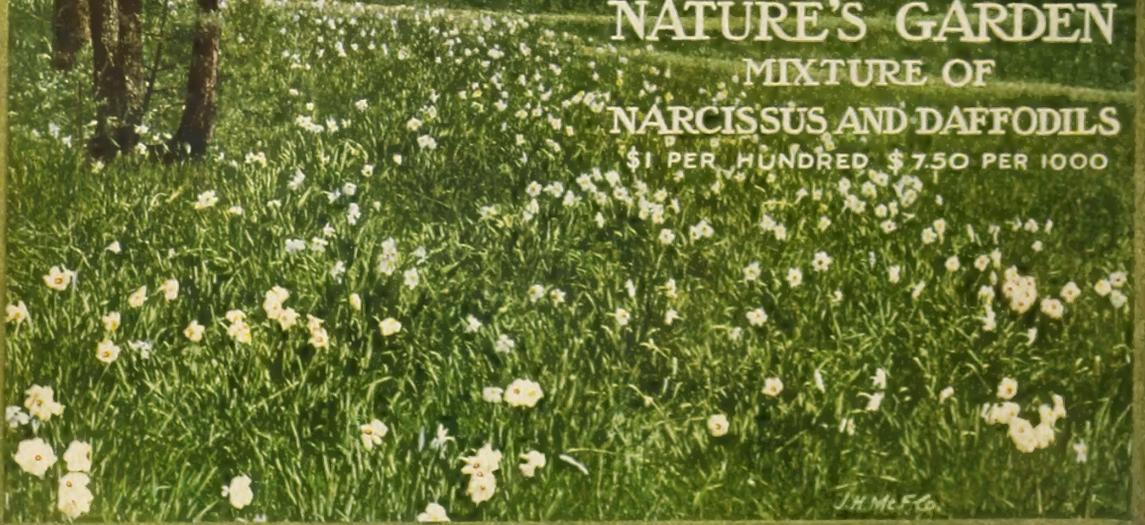
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