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## New Narcissus Poetaz Hybrids



NEW POETAZ NARCISSUS, ELVIRA

$N$. Poeticus Omatus $\times N$. 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



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 $\$ 5.50$
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## 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.

## Visit Rawson's Dahlia Farm During September and October

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

## VISITORS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME, ESPECIALLY SUNDAYS

## 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:


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 com plete 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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| AND GARDEN |}

For complete cultural directions apply for RAWSON'S BULB GUIDE (mailed free)

## Rawson’s Mixed Bedding Hyacinths

## LARGE UNNAMED HYACINTHS IN SEPARATE COLORS <br> 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 . . $\$ 060$ | \$ 400 | \$35 00 |
| Red and Scarlet . 60 | 400 | 3500 |
| Pure White ....... 60 | 400 | 3500 |
| Blush-White ...... 60 | 400 | 3300 |
| Dark Blue. . . . . . . . 60 | $\pm 00$ | 3500 |
| Light Blue . . . . . . . . 60 | 400 | 3500 |
| Yellow ............ 60 | 400 | 3500 |
| All Colors Mixed. . 50 | 350 | 3200 |
| DOUBLE |  |  |
| Doz. | 100 | 1.000 |
| Rose and Pink. . $\$ 070$ | \$450 | \$40 00 |
| Red and Scarlet . . 70 | 450 | 4000 |
| Pure White ....... 70 | 450 | 4000 |
| Blush-White ...... 70 | 450 | 4000 |
| Dark Blue......... 70 | 450 | 4000 |
| Light Blue . . . . . . . 70 | 450 | 4000 |
| Yellow ........... 70 | 450 | 4000 |
| All Colors Mixed.. 60 | 400 | 3500 |

## Rawson's Special Named Bedding Hyacinths EXTRA LARGE BULBS FOR BEDDINC 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, $\$ 5.25 ; 1,000, \$ 40$
We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate.


RAWSON'S FIRST PRIZE EXHIBITION HYACINTHS

## TWO NEW TULIPS OF WONDERFUL BEAUTY

Tulipa Forsteriana. An early-flowering specie of unusually large dimensions and most brilliant coloring. orange-scarlet imaginable. Each petal has a shiny purplish spot on base. Exira-large flowering bulbs, 25 cts. each, $\$ 2.50$ per doz.
New Darwin Tulip, "Urania." Of 600 varieties of Darwin Tulips which we tried at Marblebead last shape, similar to Forsteriana, of a bright orange-scarlet, but a dcep golden base; showy to the extreme; on a slender, tall, gracefully waving stem. A novelty of the best acquisition. $\mathbf{2 5} \mathbf{c t s}$. each, $\mathbf{\$ 2} \mathbf{2} 50$ 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 reselected and the best in the market.

## SINGLE DELICATE PINK AND ROSE

Delicatissima. New. Fine rose, extra large hells. 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 ets.; 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

## 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, distinet shade; very fine. Ea., 20c.; doz., $22 ; 100, \$ 15$.
Rosine. New. Dark salmon; large bells; dwarfgrowing, 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 Schillex. Deep salmon-pink, striped with crimson. Masnificent flower. Each, 20 cts.; doz., $\$ 1.75 ; 100, \$ 12$.

## SINGLE RED AND CRIMSON

Capt. Mayne Reid. Extra deep red. Each, 20 etts.; doz., $\$ 2 ; 100, \$ 15$.
Countess of Roseberry. Brilliant red, beantiful shade. Each, $15 \mathrm{cts} . ;$ 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. Euch, 25 cts.; doz., $\$ 2.50$; $100, \$ 18$.
King of the Reds. New. Brilliant carmine, white eye, splendid. Each, 60 ets. ; 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, $1 \overline{5}$ 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. of great substance ................ $\$ 080$ \$8 00
Blanchard. Snowy white; very early: large .........................
British Queen. New. Pure white. Exhibition variety
La Franchise. Waxy white; large.

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Lamense bells and spikes, immense bells and spikes. A prize-winner among Hyaciuths..
L'Innocence. Pure white; handsome lower.........................
Mme. Vanderhoop. Waxy white; large bells. Attractive flower ...
Mr. Plimsoll. Ivory-white; fine bells; very showy .................


SINGLE HYACINTH, MR. PLIMSOLL

## SINGLE PURE WHITE, continued

 ElacMont Blanc. Snowy white; com-
pact truss......................... $\$ 025$ \$2 50 \$18 00
Paix de l'Europe. Pure white;
long truss........................... $15150 \quad 1100$
Pearl Queen. New. Pure white; extra large bells. Latest introduction for the exhibition table.. $100 \quad 1000$
Queen of the Netherlands. Silvery white; of good substance. $25 \quad 250$

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## SINGLE BLUSH-WHITE

Anna Paulowna. Blush-white;
Each Doz
100
compact spike...................... $\$ 0$ 20 $\$ 200 \$ 1500$
Grandeur a Merveille. Blushwhite; large spikes. One of the best................................. 15150 . 1100
Grande Blanche. Blush-white; loose and graceful flower........ Voltaire. Creamy blush-white; large spikes........................
Seraphine. Blush-white; large spike............................. $20 \quad 200 \quad 1500$

hracinths growing ln the open ground

## Rawson's Exhibition Hyacinths continued

## SINGLE LIGHT BLUE. LAVENDER AND MAUVE

Captain Boynton. Porcelain
blue; large bells and trusses.... \$0 20 \$2 00 \$1400
Charles Dickens. Light blue; large truss; excellent spike.... $15 \quad 1 \quad 50 \quad 1200$
Grand Lilas. Silvery lilac: fine spike.................................. $15 \quad 150 \quad 1200$
Grand Maitre. Sky-blue, shaded violet...............................
La Peyrouse. Clear porcelainblue. A showy flower............
Leonidas. Bright blue; very early; large truss......................
Pieneman. Dark porcelain-blue; large bells, immense truss.......
Potgieter. Light blue; fine bells.
$15 \quad 150 \quad 1100$

Queen of the Blues. Beautiful azure-blue; !arge bells, handsome truss
Regulus. Light blue; large bells and spikes
Schotel. Fine porcelain-blue; im mense spike............................

SINGLE DARK BLUE, VIOLET AND PURPLE, con
General Havelock. Rich wlit Eich Doz. 104 terımg purptish buck............... $\$ 020 \quad \$ 200 \quad \$ 1500$
King of the Blues. Drep purplish blue; fine clase spike. One of the best. ............................
Lord Hartington. Purplish
mutve............................... 20 2 001500

Lord Balfour. Violet; extrafne. $25 \quad 2501800$
Marie. Darkest blue; fine spike. $15 \quad 150 \quad 1100$
Masterpiece. Deep riolet; rery tiue......................................
President Lincoln. Purplish Hatuve; extru-fiue spike.........
The Sultan. Very dark blue fine stade............................ 151501000
Totula. Deep blue; the largest bulb of all Hyacinths, producing a tremendous Hower. ..............
Turquoise. New : Fine: most distinct blue: largest bell in ex isteuce................................. 30 300 22 10

## SINGLE YELLOW

City of Haarlem. New. Brizlit Eith Doz. 100 gokien yellow; the best of all yellow $\dot{H}$ yaciaths...................
Ida. Pure primrose sellow; large spibe; early.......................... golden yellow ; large: handsome spike; late............................
MacMahon. Pure sellow; large bells......................................
Tamerlan. Fine orange. rich
$\qquad$
Yellow Hammer. Golden yellow; broud spike; shuwy................
Marchioness of Lorne. New. Salmon-orange: extremely large Hower and spike...................... $30 \quad 300$ 22 00

## Rawson's

## Early Roman Hyacinths

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

Pure White. Large bulhs, $\$ 010 \quad \$ 060 \quad \$ 400 \quad \$ 3200$
Pure White. Mammoth
bulbs........................ $10 \quad 75 \quad 500 \quad 4200$
Pure White. Jumbo bulbs. $\begin{array}{lllllll}10 & 90 & 7 & 50 & 60 & 00\end{array}$
Light Pink.................. $05 \quad 50 \quad 350 \quad 3000$
Light Blue .................. $05 \quad 50 \quad 350 \quad 3000$
Yellow . A good shade, ex-
tra-large bulbs............. $10 \quad 100 \quad 8 \quad 00 \quad 7000$
White Italian, or Par-
isian
These are about tro weeks later than the Roman Hracinths and the blossoms somewhat larger. Very fragrant and decorative.
We furnish 7 -inch pans, well started, ready December 1, for 50 cts . each

## FEATHERED HYACINTHS

Pretty, hardy spring flowers, which grow luxuriantly in any soil.
Muscari plumosus. Sever al Doz. 100 1,000
Muscari plumosus. Several
shades .................................... $\$ 0$ 25 $\$ 125 \$ 900$
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.
Alba. White......................... $\$ 025$
Caerulea. Blue......................... $15 \quad 60 \quad 400$
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## New Rembrandt Tulips

An entirely new class, a break from the finest Dar wins, which originated only a few years ago and is now absolutely fixed. Heirht, shape and size of blooms is identical with the Darwin, but the colorings are new and distinct. This class is absolutely bardy 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., $\$ 2 ; 100, \$ 1 \overline{5}$.
Butterfly. Violet-rose, shading to white, feathered pure white and deep purple; very attractive. Each, 15 ets.; doz., $\$ 1.50 ; 100, \$ 10$.
Caracalla. Bright scarlet, with markings of pure white; very flne. Each, $15 \mathrm{cts}$. ; doz., $\$ 1.50 ; 100$, $\$ 10$.
Crimson Beauty. Deep crimson, marked white; showy and large. Each, $15 \mathrm{cts} . ;$ doz., $\$ 1.50 ; 100, \$ 10$.
Eros. Pure white, with violet flakes; most handsome. Each, 20 cts.; doz., $\$ 2 ; 100, \$ 1 \overline{0}$.
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 ets.; 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 ets.; 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 mailed free to any post office in the United States; two sets, $\$ 4.50$; three sets, $\$ 6.50$.

## Narcissi for the Wild Garden ${ }^{\Delta}$ field of thoom for sis weeks may be pro. duced 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 otaer flower excels the Tulip in beauty of form, brilliancy of color, effective bedding and gorgeous show. Tbey are equally desirable for bedding as well as for pot culture indoors. For outdoor bedding the most brilliant


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## 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 bulhs 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 gool bulbs. Doz.. 20 cts.; 100, \$1.25: $1,000, \$ 10$.

Rawson's Fine Mixture<br>Doz., 15 cts. : 100. \$1: 1.000. \$8.



## TULIPA TUBERGENIANA

Is one of the finest Tulips yet introduced, imposing as regards size and color and exquisite in the slape 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 ereet 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., $\$ 3 ; 100, \$ 20$.

## NAMED SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

## New, Rare and Choice Tulips

The varieties listed below are the cream of recent introductions and are quite an inprorement 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 vellow 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.\%\%; 100, \$12.

## Named Single Early Tulips of Recent Introduction, continued

Queen of the Pinks. Shaded white, bordered bright pink. Euch, 10 ets.; doz., 75 cts. ; 100, $\$ \overline{5}$.
Rose Queen. Deep pink, shaded white. Height, 12 inches. Euch, 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., 75 c .; 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 ets.; doz., 50 cts. ; 100, $\$ 3 ; 1,000, \$ 2$.
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 distinet shade. Eacb, 5 cts.; duz., 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., $35 \bar{c}$ 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 ets.; doz., 30 cts.; 100, $\$ 1.50 ; 1,000, \$ 12$.
Cerise Grisdelin. Cherry-red, bordered white. Each, 10c.; doz., 60 cts.; 100,


Chrysolora. Pure golden yellow. Each, 5c.; doz., 25c.; 100, \$1.50; $1,000, \$ 12$.
Cottage Maid, Beautiful rose, shaded with white; a very at

tolip, rose luisante (See page 10) tractive variety. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 35 cts.; 100, $\$ 2 ; 1,000, \$ 16$.
Couleur Cardinal. Brilliant crimson-searlet; 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 ets.; 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. Eacb, 5 cts.; doz., 45 cts.; 100, \$2.50; 1.000, \$22.
Golden Prince. Yellow. Each, 5 cts.; doz., 30 cts.; 100, $\$ 1.75^{\circ}$; 1.000. \$15̄.

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 searlet Tulip in cultivation. Each, 10 ets.; 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, $\$ 3 ; 1,000, \$ 25$.

## Standard Single Early Tulips，con．

Joost van Vondel，Striped．Each Doz． 100 1．000
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Joost van Vondel，White．
Very scarce．Thu largest pure
White．A prize－taker．．．．．．．．．．． 10 河 $400 \quad 3500$
Keizerkroon．Crimson－scarlet， edged bright yellow．．．．．．．．．．．． $05 \quad 40 \quad 250 \quad 2000$
King of the Yellows．Deep golden yellow；tine for forcing． $\begin{array}{llllll}55 & 30 & 1 & 75 & 1.5 & 00\end{array}$
Koh－i－noor．Very dark crimson． $10 \quad 100 \quad 650$
La Reine．Rosy white．．．．．．．．． $05 \quad 25 \quad 1501200$
Lac van Rhijn．Violet and white ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． 05 30 I 汤 1500
L＇Immaculee．Pure white．．．． $05 \begin{gathered}2 \\ 20 \\ 1\end{gathered} 100 \quad 900$
Maes．Nem．Dazzling scarlet．． $10100 \quad 5$ C0
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forcing rariety．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． $0 \overline{5}$ to 2001800
Moucheron．Deep scarlet．．．．． 10 75 $500 \quad 4200$
Nelly．Pure white，very large．． $\begin{array}{lllll}0.5 & 30 & 2 & 00 & 15 \\ 00\end{array}$
Ophird＇Or．Deep golden yellow． $05 \quad 30 \quad 200 \quad 1500$
Pottebakker Scarlet．Bright

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Pottebakker White．Pure white ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． $05 \quad 352001800$
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Pottebakker Yellow Striped． Yellow striped red．．．．．．．．．．．．． $05 \quad 40 \quad 2501800$
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single early tulip，joost van vondel，white

single early telip，quees of the netherlands
Each Doz． $100 \quad 1,000$
Prince of Austria．Orange－
red，smeet－scented：used ex－
tensively in Public Garden．$\$ 005 \$ 050 \$ 300 \$ 2500$
Proserpine．Deep rosy pink．
One of the most magnificent
Tulips ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． 10 75 \＆ 00 3000
Queen of the Netherlands．
Rare．Soft rose，flushed white． $\begin{array}{llllll}10 & 1 & 00 & 700\end{array}$
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Rose Grisdelin．Delicate rose flushed white．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． $05 \quad 30 \quad 200 \quad 1800$
Rose Luisante．Glowing deep rose．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． 10 00 \＆ 00 35 00
Royal Standard．Silvery white，striped crimson．．．．．．．． $05 \begin{array}{lllll}50 & 3 & 00 & 25 & 00\end{array}$
Royal Standard Gold．Crim－ son striped and feathered guld． 10 75 500
Stanley．Purplish rosy carmine； rery distinct ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． 10 60 \＆ 00 20 00
Thomas Moore．Terra－cotta， shaded golden．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． 05 40 $250 \quad 2000$
Van der Neer．Rirh riolet； $10 \quad 70$ \＆ $25 \quad 3800$
handsome large tlower．．．．．．．． $10 \quad 1$

White Hawk．Pure white：ro－ bust habit；large flower．．．．．．． $05 \quad 50 \quad 300 \quad 2800$
Wouverman．Claret－purple ．．． $05 \quad 5 \quad 55$
Yellow Prince．Resembling Marechal Niel rose in color and fragrance． $\begin{array}{llllll}05 & 30 & 1 & 75 & 15 & 00\end{array}$
OUR SPECIALTY，＂DAHLIAS．＂

## 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 beanty. Unequaled for quality ard 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

| Red Shades | Doz. <br> .$\$ 025$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & \$ 150 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 1.000 \\ \$ 120 \end{gathered}$ |
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| White Shad | 25 | 150 | 1200 |
| Yellow Shades. | 25 | 150 | 12 |
| Pink Shad | 25 | 15 | 12 |

## NAMED VARIETIES




DOUBLE EARLY TULIP

| eony Red. | Ooz. | $\begin{gathered} 100 \\ { }^{10} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 1.000 \\ \$ 1800 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Paeony striped red....................... | 40 | 200 | 2000 |
| Parmesiano. Beautiful rose | 75 | 500 | 4000 |
| Purple Crown. Dark purple | 30 | 200 | 1800 |
| Reine des Roses. Delicate pink. | 75 | 450 |  |
| Rex Rubrorum. Scarlet; fine rich flower. $\qquad$ | 45 | 300 | 2400 |
| Rosalie (Double Proserpine). Rosy pink; extra. | 50 | 300 | 2700 |
| Rose Blanche. The best double pure white | 25 | 150 | 1200 |
| Salvator rosea. White, flamed deep rose | 60 | 400 | 3000 |
| Tournesol, Scarlet. Red, edged yellow | 45 | 300 | 2700 |
| Tournesol, Yellow. Yellow shaded orange | 60 | 400 |  |
| William III. New. Orange-scarlet. | 50 | 400 | 360 |

## 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, $\mathbf{3 0}$ cts.; doz., $\$ \mathbf{3} ; \mathbf{1 0 0} \mathbf{\$ 2 0}$.

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 Hotticultural Society have been muen admired. These lovely late-flowering Tulips are very effective for all kinds of decorative work, and their value as cut-Howers cannot be overestimated. They are all perfectly hardy; raised in themost 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 Trulip 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 giren this group conciderable attention in recent yeurs and we can fully recommend the varieties listed below as the best of their kind. Comparison will show that our list is the most comprebensise offered in the Cuited States.

## MIXTURES OF TYPES

Breeders. A mixture of self colors, such as Doz. $100 \quad 1.140$ scarlet, crimson, violet, etc., with white base-\$0 30 \$1 50 \$12 00
Bizarres. Flowers of yellow grounds, striped with crimson, purple or white
$20 \quad 100 \quad 900$

Bybloemen Roses. Magnificent flowers, the
ideal form, white ground, striped in all shades of pink
Bybloemen Violet. Same as above in all shades of violet...................................
Splendid Miztures of all colors and
classes.
$25 \quad 150 \quad 1000$

## NAMED SINGLE TULIPS

Aximensis. Tall Tulips of didieriform, Each Doz. 100
1,000
cone-shaped, deep red flowers, flusbed
with gray externally, and colored yel-
low and black at the base. Remarkable
for the length of time they last in goot
condition.
Bandmaster. Golden yellow, en blazoned rich orange, tipped and feathered rosy crimson, with dark center. Height $2 t$ in.
Beauty of America. Graceful, globular Tulip, the petals half reflexing, colored pale chrome, shading to white near the margins.
$\$ 0 \quad 10 \quad \$ 0 \quad 65 \quad \$ 4 \quad 00$
outon d’Or (Ida). Tall, stately, cupshaped flowers of a bright golden yellow; lasts a long time in good condition. A grand Tulip for massing for long-distance effect
$10 \quad 100$
$05 \quad 50 \quad 3 \quad 00 \quad \$ 20 \quad 00$

Bridesmaid. Rose, striped pinkish white, sweet-scented; very popular; excellent in grass and for large beds. Height 18 in.
Bronze Queen. Rich bronze, feathered with gold; a large, well-shaped flower. Height 18 in.
$\begin{array}{lllll}05 & 30 & 1 & 20 & 10\end{array} 00$

| 05 | 30 | 1 | 50 | 12 | 00 |
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Caledonia. Bold Tulip about a foot high, colored a rich orange-scarlet, shading to vermilion, center greenish with yellow blotches.

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| 35 | 3 | 50 | 25 | 00 |  |  |
| 10 | 1 | 00 | 7 | 50 |  |  |
| 10 |  | 75 | 4 | 00 |  |  |
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| 15 | 1 | 25 | 8 | 00 |  |  |
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| 05 |  | 50 | 3 | 00 |  |  |
| 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
$25 \quad 250$
We furnish 6 bulbs at the dozen rate; 25 at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate

## 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.; $100, \$ 4.50$.
Gesnerianamajor. Large; crimson scarlet. with glittering blue-black center. Excellent for massive bedding. Height 20 in . Each, 5 cts ; doz. 3 3 cts.; $100, \$ 2 ; 1,000, \$ 1$ 万..
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. Ench, 5 cts.; doz., 35 cts.; 100, \$2; 1,000, $\$ 18$.
Golden Crown. Large golden yellow flowers, edged bright searlet and becoming suffused with searlet 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., $35 \mathrm{cts} ; ~ 100, \$ 2 ; 1,000, \$ 15$.

Inglescombe Yellow. New. Very tall and striking Tulip. Deep cupshaped; pale canaryyellow, on stems ${ }^{2}$ feethigh. Each, $\mathbf{0} 0 \mathrm{c}$.; 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., $\$+$.
Isabella. (Blushing Bride.)Deep
 1sabella tulip oblet-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 ets. ; 100, $\$ 4 ; 1,000, \$ 30$.
John Ruskin. A lovely blend of Indian yellow and pink rainbow coloring matter, in the extreme center sellow. 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; pitchershaped, 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 ; $100, \$ 1 ; 1,000, \$ 35$.
La Reve. Immense goblet-shaped flowers of a rosy buff tone, with yellow base; very handsome and long lasting. Each, 10 cts. $;$ doz., $\$ 1 ; 100, \$ \overline{7}$.
McKinleg. 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, $\$ 2 ; 1,000, \$ 15$.

Named Single Tulips, continued
Salmon Queen. Sulmon-red Each Doz. 100 Hower of grest substatuco. copntar green .................................. 80
Silver Queen. Sugar loaf shaped; ereamy white at first, afterwards feathered and blotelsed with pink, distinct; Height 14 ín... $1,000, \$ 20 \ldots 05$ 50
Summer Beauty. Massive petaled flowers of deep goblet form; pure white, Haked gray, crimson and blue; very effective; a strong grower of much substance.......... 10

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Surprise (Irish Beanty). Hoorly pink, shaded tulip, with a dark velvety green base; late, vigorous and excellent Height, 18 in...........
nt
The Fawn. Strong-growing plant fawn with apricot external shading; of a large size and boldly erect habit. A capital Tulip of refined asthetic coloring. Height, 20 in... $20 \quad 200 \quad 1500$
Trafalgar. Rich yellow, feathered crimson; round, globular shape: a
fine old cottage Tulip. Height, 20 in. $10 \quad 100 \quad 600$
White Swan. Pure white, egg-
shaped flowers; excellent for cut-



PARROT TCLIPS

## 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. <br> Admiral of Constantinople. Doz. 100 1,000

Glossy scarlet, shuded and tipped
orange .................................. $\$ 0$ 35 $\$ 150$ \$12 00
Cafe Brun. Reddish brown on a
yellow ground; slightly striped
crimson aud green.......................35 1501200
Feu Brilliant (Cramoisie Brilliant).
Dazzling crimson...................... 35 150 1200
Lutea Major. Yellow, striped crim-
son and green......................... 35 150 1200
Markgraaf. Golden inside, feath-
ered brilliant scarlet. Purple and
green on the outside............... $35 \quad 150 \quad 1200$
Perfecta. Yellow, scarlet, green... $35 \quad 1 \quad 50 \quad 1200$
Finest Mixed. A combination of all sorts.................................. 25 150

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 th 3 feet in beight 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, rell 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

kawson's exquisite darwin tulips
a blush 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 giguntic 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, $1_{\overline{1}}$ ets.; doz., $\$ 1.25$; 100, $\$ 9$.
Claude Gillot (Glow). Glowing vermilionred; of immense size, with very broad rounded petals and violet base. Each, 10c.; doz., 90 cts.; $100, \$ 6$.
Dream. Soft delicate lilac; large Hower. 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 beliotrope, 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, hlue 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, $\$ 6$.

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

## Rawson's Exquisite Darwin Tulips, continued

La Candeur. Sturdy and reffective creamy-white Darwin. Faintly spangied rose-pink externally. Euch, 10 ets. ; 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 thoish. Each, 35 cts.; doz., \$3.50; 100, \$25.
Landelle. Bright rose, shapely Tulip, with a pretty marginal tint of pink to each petal; showy sud refined. Eath, 10 ets.; dloz., $\$ 1 ; 100$, sti.
Lantern. Pretty Tulip of esthetic coloring; a silvery lilac, shaded white; Hower excellent in form and of considerable substance. Each, 10 c. ; doz., $85 \mathrm{c} . ; 100$, \$5.
Loveliness. Flowers eleganty sbaped, colored rosy pink with spotless white base; choice and popular. Height, 24 in . Each, 10 cets. ; doz., 85 cts. ${ }^{\text {F }} 100,85$.
Mad. Krelage. A grand and chastely colored Toulip; 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. Euch, 10 ets.; doz. 75 cts.; $100, \$ 5$.
Mrs. Cleveland. Lovely feshpink Tulip of refined shape and coloring, good at all points. Recommended for its delicate coloring. Ea.,


CORNUTA TULIP

Madame Barrois. Delicate pink; the best and largest Darwin in this collection. Each, 20 cts.: doz.. 82 : 100, $\$ 15$.
Minister Tak. Brilliant scarlet: 3 fect long. Each, 15 ets : doz., $\$ 1.50 ; 100$, $\$ 10$.
Mrs. Potter Palmer, Brilliant rich purple. Each, 5 cts.; duz.. 50 cts.: 100 , $\$ 4$.
Nautica. Deep glowing rose; immense flowers of excellent substance. Each, 10 cts, doz.. $850 \cdot 0$ 100. sis.
Nora Ware. A most beautiful heliotrope; rave and choice. Euch. 10 cts. : duz.. ©1: 100.80.
Painted Lady. French gray cup, flashed heljotrope when tirst open. Each, 10 ctis. ; duz., 85 cis.; $100, \$ 5$.
Prevost Exilles. Pale matuve coloring, nargined sil-ver-gray, base blue. Each, 10 cts.; duz.. $\$ 1: 100, \$ 7$.
Pride of Haarlem. 'Tull Tulip, colored red; richerexternally, and with scarlet llu-ling near the midrib,

Psyche. Lovely pale piak Tulip of bandsome form; Cambrilge-blue base, Each, 20 cets ; doz.. कै.2.
Romano. Soft cherry red; a distinct and pretty color. Each, 10 ets. ; doz., 75 cts ; 100, $\$ 4$.
Salmon King (Europe). A brilliant scarlet, flamed darker externally, base white. A grand bednling Tulip. Each, 10 cts. ; doz., 75 cts. ; $100, \$ 5$.
The Sultan. Color a deep black-maroon. Each, 5 cts.: doz., 50 ets. : 100, $\$ 3$.
Torch. The grandest deep scarlet Darwin, nothing more show y in the Howery kinglom; enormous flower. Each, 10 cts.; doz., $\$ 1 ; 100, \$ \overline{\text { i }}$.

## 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 leares; yellow, striped scarlet: flowers late in May. Each, 5 ets.: doz., 50 ets.; $100, \$ 2.50$.
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 A pril. Doz., 30c.; 100. ※ٌ.
Fosteriana. A grandly-flowered Bokhara species, wilh 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, $20 \mathrm{cts}$. : doz., $\$ 2.25 ; 100, \$ 16$.
Oculus Solis (the Sun's Ere). Dazzling red, black center, small bat graceful flower. Each. 5 cts.: doz., 40 cts. : 100. $\$ 2$
Retroflexa. Gracefully recurred light yellow petals, giving it the appearance of a lily. A very handsome Tulin. Each. 5 ets.: doz., 40 cts ; $100, \$ 2$.
Viridiflora (the Green Tulip). Flowers green, edafed yellow; immense size, odd and bandsome. Each, $10 \mathrm{cts}$. : doz. 75 cts : $100, \$ 4$.
Lownej. Pretty crocus-bloomed species from Celicia. Flowers 6 inches high, star-shaped, of a soft and delicate rose, with yellow base and nlive-green extermal coloring. Each. 15 cts : doz.. $\$ 1.80: 100, \$ 12$.
Montana. Interesting dwarf species; Howers scarlet, With black and yellow blotch. Each, 15 ets.: doz., $\$ 1.80 ; 100, \$ 12$.

## CROCUSES

"The Heralds of Spring "
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MIXTURES OF CROCUSES


## RAWSON'S GIANT NAMED CROCUS <br> WHITE <br> Doz. <br> $100 \quad 1,000$ <br> Caroline Chisholm. Pure white. . $\$ 0 \quad 15 \quad \$ 100$ $\begin{array}{lllll}\$ 7 & 00\end{array}$ <br> Mammoth. Large, pure white ... $15 \quad 100 \quad 7 \quad 00$ <br> Mont Blanc. Snowy white....... $15 \begin{array}{lllll}15 & 1 & 00 & 7 & 00\end{array}$ <br> Queen of Netherlands. New. <br> Pure white; beautiful large round- <br> shaped flower. The best of all <br> white Crocuses......................... $15 \quad 100$



TYPES OF RAWSON'S GIANT CROCUS


FALL-FLOWERING CROCUS 'COLCHICUM)

## STRIPED

Albion. Dark violet, striped Doz. $100 \quad 1,000$ with white.................. $\$ 0$ 15 $\$ 100$ \$70
Cloth of Silver. Silvery white, striped lilac........ $15 \quad 100 \quad 700$
Madame Mina. White, striped and shaded lilac... $15 \quad 100 \quad 700$
Sir Walter Scott. Large white, striped with lilac... $15 \quad 100 \quad 700$

## BLUE

| Baron Brunow. Dark blue. | 15 | 100 | 700 |
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| King of the Blues. New. Large purple blue.......... | 15 | 100 | 700 |
| Purpurea grandiflora. <br> Very large purple.......... | 15 | 100 | 700 |
| Marquis of Lorne. New. Clear blue; very rare...... | 15 | 100 | 700 |

## YELLOW

Golden Yellow, Mammoth
Bulbs. Extra large bulbs
which produce several blooms..........................
Golden Yellow, Jumbo Bulbs .......................
Cloth of Gold. Golden yellow, striped maroon....... $15 \quad 75 \quad 600$
$20 \quad 125 \quad 8 \quad 50$
$\begin{array}{llll}30 & 1 & 50 & 12\end{array} 00$

## Fall- and Winter-Blooming Crocuses

Are you not astonished to learn that there are hardy Crocuses which will bloum uuthuors in the North between November and March with no protection whatever? Must of them are from the Holy Land, aud all should be planted as early as possible ia the autumn. The dates giren below are the earliest they bave been knowa w 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 aud 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 hooming at the end of winter. The time of bloon 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 hbom 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, lidat blossoms appear from september io Norember. Doz., $\$ 1 ; 100, \$ 7.50 ; 1,000, \$ 60$.
Autumnale album. A white variety of above, Duz., 60 cts.: 100, \$4; 1,000, \$35.
Autumnale plenum. Double rose. Doz., 75 cts.; $100, \$ 4$.
Autumnale, Mixed. Doz.. $50 \mathrm{c} . ; 100 . \$ 3 ; 1,000, \$ 25$.
Agrippinum. Large lilace fowers which are checkered with dark purple; attractive. Doz., \$1.25̄; 100, \$7.ju.
Decaisnei. From Egypt; producing in profusion delicate pink Howers during November and December. Doz., $\$ 1$; 100, \$7.50.
Libanoticum. Pale rose, shaded white, with golden authers. December. Doz., 90 cts.; 100, $\$ 6$.
Montanum. Rose to blush-white; 3 inches bigh; Hower's in Febouary. From 'lurkey. Doz., 40 ets.; $100, \$ 2 ; 1,000, \$ 1 \overline{5}$.
Parkinsoni. Peculiar checkered markings on violet purple Howers. Petals reflexed. Hlowers in October. Doz., 40 ets. ; 100, \$2; 1,000, \$15.
Speciosum. Large rosy purple Howers appear in September. Each, 20 ets.: doz.. $\$ 2 ; 100, \$ 15$.

crocuses blouming in the snow

## Species of Crocus Autumnale

For the winter anden these are invaluable. Robinoon says "Crocuses Hower at a time when erery flower is of value, and we do not doubt that ere long species recently introduced will add largely to our means of farden decoration during the dull months."
Asturicus atropurpureus. New, Beautiful purple Howers appeariag in December. Doz., \$1.25; 100. \$8.
Cancellatus. From Asia Minor. Flowers with white and soft pink and lilac petals, anthers yellow. Ap. pears in January. Eacb, 20 cts.; doz., \$2: 1,000, \$15.
Caspius. Pure white, from the coast of the Cuspian Sta: 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 Decem. ber. Doz., 50 ets.; 100, $\$ 3$.
Hermoneus. Very hardy. From top of Mt. Hermon, $\mathbf{9 , 0 0 0}$ feet above sea level. Most beautiful lilac: extra large, very rare. Each, 20 cts.; doz., \$2: 100. \$15.
Hiemalis. Flowers white, the outer lilac banded. throat orange-colored. Flowers appearing from December to April. Doz., $30 \mathrm{cts} . ; 100, \$ 2$.
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 Transylrania. Bears in September and October bright purnle flowers before the leaves. Doz., $\$ 1 ; 100, \$ 7.50 ; 1,000, \$ 70$.
Medius. A beautiful purple flower from the Maritine Alps; flowers in October. Stigma bright scarlet and much brauched. Each, 20 ets. ; do\%., $\$ 2 ; 100, \$ 15$.
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., $40 \mathrm{cts} ; 100$, $\$ 250 ; 1,000, \$ 20$.
Vitellinus. Orange-vellow flowers, appearing from December to February, Doz., 60 cts.; 100, \$4: $1,000, \$ 30$.

RAWSON'S BULBS NEVER FAIL TO GROW

## SINGLE NARCISSI

Popularly called "Jonquils" or "Daffodils"
The demand for this charming spring Hower has been increasint 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

Albicans (Spanish Daffodils). Sul- Doz. $100 \quad 1,000$
phur-white trumpet.................. \$
Ard Righ (Irish King). Large deep yellow; early
$\$ 0 \quad 50 \quad \$ 3 \quad 00 \quad \$ 2400$

Emperor. Enormous flowers of a deep golden trumpet and primrose peranth; excellent for forcing...
Empress (Bicolor). Pure white perianth and rich yellow trumpet; yiant-flowered; extra fine..........
Golden Spur. Enormous deep yellow trumpet; early and fine.......
Horsfieldi (King of Daffodils). Large golden yellow trumpet; pure white perianth; a grand variety; forces early.
Grandee Maximus. Clear yellow trumpet, white perianth; dwarf; late
Mark Twain. New. Early, trumpet deep yellow, recurved; perianth deep jellow, elegantly twisted; flowers very freely and considered great.
Henry Irving. A very early variety with deep golden trumpet. White perianth, broad and overlapping; handsome.
Johnstoni (Queen of Spain). Soft delicate yellow trumpet............
Nanus. A pretty dwarf little flower of clear yellow
Obvallaris (Tenby Daffodil). Bright yellow of erect growth; trumpet and perianth very large; excellent for forcing.
Princeps. Yellow trumpet, with sulphur perianth; quite early and extensively forced
Pseado (the Lent Lily). Trumpet yellow, perianth sulphur-white; pretty and graceful for forcing...
Rugllobus. Large pale yellow trumpet, perianth primrose; often measures 3 inches across. Very fine for forcing.
Spurius. The most popular of the forcing -ariety. Perianth and trumpet clear yellow; very striking......................................
Trumpet Major (the old-fashioned Jonquils). Perianth and trumpet golden yellow; very extensively used for bedding or forcing.
$75 \quad 500 \quad 4500$
$40 \quad 275 \quad 2200$
$50 \quad 300 \quad 2500$
$50 \quad 2 \quad 50 \quad 20 \quad 00$
$40 \quad 2 \quad 00 \quad 18 \quad 00$
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| Cyclamineus (the Yellow Cycla- Doz. 100 1,000, |  |  |  |
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| men-flowered Daffodils). Very <br> charming; dwarf ....................\$1 $25 \$ 800$ |  |  |  |
| Glory of Leyden. New. Immense trumpet and periauth deep yellow. 17 |  | 12 |  |
| Mme. DeGraaf. New. The largest and finest white Narcissus. The trumpet opens pale primrose, but the whole Hower becomes white... <br> Each, 40 cts... |  |  |  |
| 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 | 300 | \$25 00 |
| Triandrus albus (Angel's Tears). A most interesting and beautiful small Narcissus, with pearly white flowers | 60 | 350 |  |
| Moschatus. Silver trumpet, pure white perianth |  |  |  |

## HOOP PETTICOAT NARCISSUS

A curious-shaped flower of vers graceful babit.
Bulbocodium (Tellow Hoop Petticoat). Dwarf rariety, Doz. 100
with golden yellow Howers, a number of which are pro-
duced by each bulb. Pretty when furced six to eight bulbs
in a pan. at the same time most

charming fortedyen of luedsand is
perfecty hardy.................... 00 6n st on

## Bulbocodiam monophylus

(White Hoop Petticuat). Same
us above in white.................. 500

## MEDIUM TRUMPET NARCISSI

Barri conspicuus. A flower Doz. 1001.000 of exquisite luatuty, unexcelled for cutting: large. broad spreading perianth: broad, short cup couspicuously edged bright orange scarlet. Lasts long in water after beinцcut................ $\$ 0 \quad 20$ \$1 $25 \$ 900$ Incomparable (Star Daffodil). Sulphur-yellow, with orange cup; early........... 20 1 $00 \quad 600$

MEDIUM TRUMPET NARCISSI. continued
Incomparable Cynosure. Yellow- Doz. 100 1,000 ish perianth, deep orange-stained cup; extra........................... $\$ 020$ \$1 00 \$7 00
Incomparable Figaro. Cup orange yellow, perianth yellow.............
Incomparable Sir Watkin Welsh Daffodils). A grand flower; primrose perianth, often 5 inches ucross: cup rich golden yellow, elegantly fringed
$\begin{array}{llll}20 & 1 & 00 & 750\end{array}$

Incomparable Stella. White perianth, yellow cup..
Leedsi. Pure white fragronts fine for bedding ...........................
Leedsi amabilis. Sulphur-white, with primrose cup...................
Leedsi, Duchesse de Brabant. Perianth white, yellow cup; very pretty and graceful.

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BARRI CONSPICUUS NAROISSI

MEDIUM TRUMPET NARCISSI, continued
Leedsi, Mrs. Langtry. Broad Doz. 1001.000 white petals, white crown edged yellow; very conspicuous; most free-blooming and recommended for bedding.................................. $\$ 020$ \$1 00 \$7 50
Nelsoni. Pure white petals, yellow cup
$\begin{array}{lllll}50 & 3 & 00 & 25 & 00\end{array}$

## NARCISSUS POETICUS

Poeticus. The true Poet or Peas-Doz. 100 1,000 ant's Eye Narcissus. Pure white, with red crown; very fragrant. Ex cellent for eutting; most popular. . $\$ 0$ 10 $\$ 0 \quad 75 \quad \$ 6 \quad 50$
Poeticus Ornatus. Somewhat larger than above. Broad white perianth with red crown; very early: most valuable for forcing...
Poeticus Poetarum. Large, bold fowers; perianth pure white with entire crown crimson. Very striking King Edward VII. New. The very largest form of Poet's, an exquisite flower of elegance.. Each, 15 cts...
Biflorus (Peerless Daffodil). Pure white, with yellow cup, bearing two flowers on every stem
. ...............
Burbidgei. Pure white; yellow cup edged scarlet
Parmenia. New. One of the largest of Poet's Narcissi; perfection in shape and size. British borticultural papers devoted columns to this novelty ........Each, $20 \mathrm{cts..}$.


PAPER-WHITE NARCISSI, GROWN IN WATER AND PEBBLES
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## 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 shonld endear them to every fower 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 wator, 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 righi up to March 1.
Large bulbs. Doz., 40 cts . ; 100, $\$ 2 ; 1,000, \$ 15$. Mammoth bulbs. Doz. $45 \mathrm{c} . ; 100, \$ 3 ; 1,000 . \$ 20$. Pebbles for above. Qt., 10 cts ; 4 qts., 35 cts .

Doz. $100 \quad 1,000$
Bathurst. A large cluster of
deep yellow flowers.......... \$0 $60 \$ 450 \$ 3500$
Bazelman major. White flowers of enormous size, with yellow cup. Fragrant and massive; extra..Each, 30c.. 1006005800
Double Roman. White, with
deep yellow cup; large truss. Excellent for forcing....... $\begin{array}{lllll}25 & 1 & 50 & 11 & 00\end{array}$


## Polyanthus Narcissus, continued

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Grand Monarque. White, with primrose-yellow cup.. $\quad 60 \quad 300 \quad 2500$
Grand Premo. White; bright yellow cup.................. $60 \quad 300 \quad 2500$
Grand Soleil d'Or. Yelluw, with deep orange cap..... $60 \quad 300 \quad 2500$
Jaune Supreme. Yellow, orange cup....... $\begin{array}{lllllll}65 & 3 & 50 & 30 & 00\end{array}$
La Plus Belle Jaune. New. Purest yellow:
extra tiue.............................................. 65 is $50 \quad 3000$
Mont Cenis. White, yellow cup: large and
handsงmゃ........................................... 6 . 3 . 50 30 00
Newton. Pure yellow, with deep
orange cup; large................ 6ī. 4 50 40 00
Queen of the Yellows. New, Inmense chusters: extra fine.... ] 10 7 70
Mixture of Finest Varieties... 35 并 $00 \quad 1500$

## Narcissus Jonquilla, or Jonquils

A most delicate and graceful little flower. which shines in the richest yellow shades, and is thled will the sweetest perfume. Several Howers are borne on long. slewder stems. Doz. 100 1,004
Single Sweet-scented. Yellow;

Double Sweet-scented. Yellow .. $50 \quad 300 \quad 2500$
Campanelli. Yellow; very early... $20 \quad 100 \quad 700$
Rugulosus. Rich yellow. The largest Junquil ................................... 2515012 120
Tenuior (Silver Jonquils). Sulphur. white and yellow. Flowers on loug, sleuder stems; very graceful. Doz., 40 cts ; $100, \$ 2$.

## CAMPERNEL

 PLENA:SWEET-SUENIED JONQUILS
Novelty, 1907.) Grows 2 feet in height. Flowers very freely and produces from four to five flowers ou each stem; color bright yellow, changing to deep 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 parriaily filled with pebbles and water. We offer sound, Mammoth Bulbs, each, $10 \mathrm{cts} . ;$ doz., \$1; 100, \$6.

We have been fortunate in securing some Jumbo Bulbs of the Chtnese Lilies, which we offer at: Each, $15 \mathrm{cts} . ;$ 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 abead of the Dutch-grown and is free in blooming. Doz., 40 cts.; 100, $\$ 2 ; 1,000, \$ 15$.

## New Irish Narcissi

## 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 .

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

## New Irish Narcissi, continued

HELEN FALCONER (White Ajax). Perianth Erch long, deep sulphur and pendulous, toning off sil. very white. Distiuct and fine ....... doz., \$2.50.. $\$ 0$
Ivanhoe. A concolor bloom of rich lemon-yellow, not unlike John Nelson, but belter and more lasting; scrong grower.
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 distinet and lovely $\qquad$
Milkmaid. Small white Ajax. A seedling of Colleen Bawn and Moschatus. A great beauty, partaking of the formation of the Colleen, and very hardy
Polly Eccles (Bicolor). Segments pale primrose, trumpets a richer tone; beautifully serrated and folded back; small, but one of the most perfect blooms. $\qquad$
Spread Eagle. Rich, uniform glistening yellow, after the furm of Iris princeps, with its twisted segments; deep green, very strong foliage. This is a strong yellow Ajax Daffodil. ...... doz., \$1..

## 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 $\$ 200$


Lady mecalmont Narelssus


RAWSON'S NARCISSUS BERNICE
Lady Gregory. 26 inches. Large white Each Doz. and noble bloom of this class; most vigorour; much finer than the Duchess of Westminster . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $\$$
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 ....
Leander. 18 inches. Perianth pure white, reflexed and grooved, cup pale citron, toning off white; stiff erect habit; very distinct. Rare
Robe. 20 inches. Pale yellow, dying off white. The segments overlap like Bicolor Grandee. Cup rich yellow; broad and fimbriated massive foliage; rich perfume.

## Leedsi Seedlings with Orange Cup

To produce these orange-colored Leedsi the European hybridizers hare 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. $\qquad$
Nectarine. Flowers $31 / 2$ inches across, ivorywhite; the cup $3 / 4-\mathrm{in}$. in depth and of the color of a tangerine orange; the reddish color is derived from a cross with Poclamen. This was the first Leedsi with orange cup.. 125

## 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 bad not been decided upon at the time this catalogue was issued.
Bernice. somments creamy white and pointed; fup funnel-shaped and deep blood-red to the


DOUBLE NARCISSI, SULPHUR PHENIX
base; narrow grassy foliage. Very early and for Each nooks on rockwork or for pots delightful. Height

Orestes. Neat, erect, ornate bloom; perianth creamy yellow, cup deep orange-scarlet; dwarf, and most excellent for pots or rockwork; perfection. Height 9 in.

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## DOUBLE NARCISSI <br> (DAFFODILS)

Some of the most popular varieties of Daffodils will be found in this class, and no collection is complete without them.
Alba plena odorata (Double Poet
Narcissus). Large, double pure
white flowers of delicious fra.
grance
Doz. $100 \quad 1,000$

Incomparabilis plenus (Butter and
Eggs). Flowers large, yellow, with
orange center. Fine for forcing and
bedding.
. 25
Orange Phoenix (Eggs and Bacon)
White flowers, with orange segments
in the center. A most effective ra-
riety for either forcing or bedding. . $25 \quad 150 \quad 1250$
Sulphur Phoenix (Codlins and
(Cream). Large pure white Howers.
The largest and finest of the double
VON SION (the "Old-fashioned Double Daffodils"). Flowers deep golden yellow; very decorative; excellent for cutting. and most extensively used by florists for cutHowers. Perfectly hardy and the right thing for the garden.
Single-nosed Bulbs. Extralarge
Double-nosed Bulbs. Mammoth
size....................................... $60 \quad 350 \quad 3000$

## MIXTURES OF NARCISSI



## 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 ont 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. 'l'he 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 Each Doz. 100
Apricot. Deep bronze, with shad-
ings of old-gold, of medium height.
Auber. Purple-maroon, immense.
Carl Becker. Deep salmon, shad-
ing to soft pink on edges
Chestnut. Deep chestnut-brown..
Copernicus. Rich purple
Creuze. Deep violet; gigantic....
Edouard Andre. Deep heliotrope, shaded purple towards rib
Eugene Delacroix. Deep maroon, open flower, purple base..........
Faust. Deep purple-black; truly a monster flower in size.
General Kohler. Glowing scarlet, hright aud hrilliant: attractive...
Isis. An intense scarlet ..........
Lonna. Bright crimson; rich
Melicette. True wistaria color: a magnificent flower of large dimensious

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| 15 | 1 | 50 | 8 | 00 |
| 10 | 1 | 00 | 6 | 00 |
| 10 | 1 | 00 | 6 | 00 |
| 05 |  | 50 | 3 | 50 |
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| 20 | 2 | 00 | 15 | 00 |

Mattia. Deep rose, midrib a sbade Each Doz. 100
lighter; very showy.................\$0 10 \$1 00 \$6 00
Michael Foster. Rosy scarlet, shading liwhter toward edges..... $10 \begin{array}{llllll}10 & 1 & 00 & 6 & 00\end{array}$
Night. Blackish maroon, oue of the darkest; very distinct and desirable...................................
Paris. Deep crimson with a deep blue base; distinct shape of open
flower, immense size................ massive flower of pleasing shade..
Reine Wilhelmina. Soft blush pink; very beautiful form.
$10 \quad 100 \quad 600$

Suzon. Immense flower of a broad shape, distinct soft salmon-pink: the most showy pink
Vermont. Deep violet-rose, grand and majestic flower ................
Violet Queen. Deep lilac; extra large ....................................... and rich .................................
$20 \quad 200 \quad 1500$

## General List of Bulbs

## AGAPANTHUS UMBELLATUS

Handsome summer and autumn-flowering plants, throwing up large umbels of twenty to thirty blossoms. They sbould be grown in pots or tubs, in soil similar to that sugeested for hyacinths. They are particularly suitable for piazza or terrace decoration and may also be forced in the greenhouse. Each Doz.
 Umbellatus, White. $15 \quad 150$
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. $100 \quad$ 1,000 Aureum (Moly). Hardy border plant, with bright yellow flowers. $\$ 0$ 15 150 Neapolitanum. Large heads of pure white thowers; extensively forced by florists...................
Ostrowskianum. A beautiful variety, with large trusses of purplish red flowers. Very hardy and early.
$15 \quad 100 \quad 700$
$25 \quad 125$

## AMARYLLIS <br> Ready in November

Belladonna major (Belladonna Lily). Each Doz. White, tipped rose; large and handsome. . $\$ 0 \quad 15 \quad \$ 150$
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.
$25 \quad 250$
Formosissima (Jacobæan Lily). Dark crimson, open flower, lower petals recurved.
$10 \quad 100$
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
$100 \quad 1000$


AMARYLLTS HIPPEASTRUM


Vittata. A variety of Hippeastrum, most Each Doz. intensely colored; very large...............\$0 75 \$750
Defiance. Rich carmine, striped and suffused with white $75 \quad 750$
Equestre. A bybrid of Hippeastrum. Scarlet, with broad white stripe, extending from the root to half way up the segments.
$75 \quad 7 \quad 50$
Johnsoni (Bardadoes Spice Lily). Another hybrid. Enormous bright crimson Howers with white stripe through the center of each segment
$60 \quad 600$
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.
$30 \quad 300$

## 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, $\$ 3.50$.


GHANT FRENCH ANEMUNE

## ANEMONE

Blanda (Blue Winter Windfiower). Doz. $100 \quad$ 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................... $\$ 0 \quad 50 \quad \$ 200 \$ 1500$
Single Caen (the Giant French, or Poppy-flowered Anemone). Finest
mixed........................................
Single Coronaria. Finest mixed.... 15 15 100 600
Single Blue. Bright color............. $20 \begin{array}{llllll}20 & 1 & 00 & 750\end{array}$
Single Scarlet. Very showy........ $20 \begin{array}{lllll}20 & 1 & 00 & 7 & 50\end{array}$
Single White (The Bride). Pure
snows white............................... 20 1 $00 \quad 750$
Single Apennina. Flowers large; sky-blue ..................................... 30 1 50 1200
Single Fulgens (Scarlet Windflower). Flowers dazzling scarlet, free flowering; one of the best for torcing...... 50
$50 \quad 300$
Fulgens, "The Sutton." An improved variety, and one of the choicest. Its color is even more intense and the flower larger........... 90 $90 \quad 600$
St. Brigid (Irish Anemone). Semidouble. A handsome type in shades of scallet, blue and purple.......... 50
Double Superfine Mixed. Great variety.......................................... 251501000
Double Lord Nelson. Violet....... $30 \quad 2001800$
Double Rosette. Charming pink.... $30 \quad 200 \quad 1600$
Double King of Scarlets. Brilliant
scarlet .......................................... $50 \quad 350 \quad 3000$
Double Ceres. White, shaded rose.. $40 \quad 250 \quad 2200$

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 distinet 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 vorder plant of extreme earliness. Blossoms resembling Crocus. 4 inches high; color rosy purple. Plant bulbs 3 inches deep. Each, 5 ets. ; 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.



CALLAA LILY, PEARL of stiftcart (See opposite page;

## RAWSON'S BULBS FOR FALL 1909

## CALLA LILIES, continuod

Little Gem. A miniature of the preceding; Each Doz. grows 12 inches high and has Howers one-half the size of the regular; very graceful.
$\$ 0 \quad 10 \quad \$ 100$
Pearl of Stuttgart. A comparatively new variety of gracetul habit, dwarf, compact foliage. 18 inches high and large massive flowers standing well above it. Excellent for pot-plant
$25 \quad 250$
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.
$50 \quad 500$
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.................................
Rehmanni (The Pink Calla). Very distinct, with rose-colored blooms; quite new. 1
Mrs. Roosevelt. New. Sulphur-yellow Howers, dark green spotted foliage; very free bloomer $\qquad$ ,... fory
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.
$15 \quad 150$
Callas mailed free at single prices only

## CAMASSIA ESCULENTA

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

## RAWSON'S GIANT CYCLAMEN

Really the most satisfactory of all winter-blooming bulbous pot-plants. In bloom all winter. Eatch Doz,
Album. Purest white .......................... $\$ 0$ 20 w2 00
Roseum. Soft pink........................... $20 \quad 200$
Rubrum. Dark crimson...................... $20 \quad 200$
Finest Mixed
15150

## ERANTHIS HYEMALIS <br> (Winter Aconite)

The earliest spring flower, often appearing through snow. Wlowers golden yellow, 6 inches high. Do\%., 20 ets. ; $100, \$ 1.25 ; 1,000, \$ 8$.

## ERYTHRONIUM DENS CANIS (Dog's-tooth Violet)

Interesting bardy plant, especially well suited for shady situations. Flowers early. Doz. 100
Alba. White................................... $\$ 0$ 20 $\$ 100$
Purpurea. Purple................................ 20 1 00
Rosea. Pink.......................................... 20.100
Violacea. Violet ............................... 20 . 100
Mixed Colors.................................... 20 . 100
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 lilyshaped flowers appear in clusters of three to five on a stout stem 18 inches high, throwing off a most delightful fragrance. Each, 60 ets.

## 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 pxtensirely naturalized in grass plots.

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\text { Doz. } 100 \quad 1,000
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Luciliae. Bright sky-blue... \$0 25 \$1 25 \$10 00 Sardensis. Rich deep blue. . $25 \quad 150 \quad 1200$ Gigantea. Like C. Lucilio, but larger flowers of a softer color
$\begin{array}{llll}25 & 1 & 75 & 15\end{array} 0 \%$
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.
Crown upon Crown....... Each Doz. 100 .. $\$ 0 \quad 20 \$ 200 \$ 1500$ den Striped Foliage... $20 \quad 2$ C0 Orange Brilliant............ $20 \quad 200 \quad 1500$ Single Red....................... $10 \quad 100 \quad 750$ Single Yellow......................... $20 \quad 200 \quad 1500$ Superfine Mixed............. $\begin{array}{lllllll}10 & 1 & 00 & 6 & 50\end{array}$

These can be shipped by express onl

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


## Rawson's <br> Freesias

neverfail to bloons if planted aceording to directions as giren in $\cdot$ Rrasson's Bulb ciude." We bave becn tirst to introduce the newer culurs and improsements 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 Tubergení. Deep rose. Ench. 60 ctm. : 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 | 1.001 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Extra taarge Bitlbs | \$0 05 | \$0 50 | *2. 50 | \$20 00 |
| Mammoth Btlbs | 10 | 60 | + 00 | 3000 |
| Jumbo Bulbs | 10 | 100 | 600 | 5000 |

The Azore Freesia. A very fine Freesia,
larger than the common Odorata, but not so large as "Purity;" flowers pure white...
Freesla refracta alba odorata. The regular white Freesia. Extra-large bulbs. $30 \quad 2001500$
Mammoth bulbs................................. 40 2 502000
Freesia Leichtlinii major. Beautiful rellow, with orange throat. Our bulbs are mammoth in size and true................... 40 2 502000

## 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.
IInz. 100





The Sultan. Brown, violet and white................................................................................................. 60.400



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

## RAWSON'S BULBS FOR FALL 1909

## Gladiolus Cardinalis, or Nanus (Т빠우우앙)

## 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-lowers 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 sbarp 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., $30 \mathrm{cts} ; \mathbf{1 0 0}, \$ 1.50 ; 1,000, \$ 12$.
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 hlorches. 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, blot hed rose. Doz., 40 cts.; $100, \$ 2 ; 1,000, \$ 15$.
Ne Plus Ultra. This Giladiolus received an "A ward of Merit" from the Royal Horticultural Society, London. England. Grows 3 feet high and has maunificent spikes of reddish salmon flowers, with white tourneshaped blotches on the lip petals. Forces splendidly, and likely to prove the standard Gladiolus for this purpose. Every bud opens in water. Doz., 60 ets.; 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 ets.; 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., 75 c ; $100, \$ 5$; $1,000, \$ 40$.
Rosy Gem. Rosy pink. Doz., 40 ets.; 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 ets.; 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 rettex so fully as most others. Quite pretty and novel. Doz., 75 ets.; $100, \$ 5 ; 1,000$, \$45.

## GLADIOLUS COLVILLI

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


## CLORIOSA

## (The African Climbing Lily)

A lily-like plant frowing on slender stems, and usually trained to a trellis; only adaptable for greenhouse use. Very showy, easy of culture and most desirable.
Leopoldi. Yery new. Bripht yellow Erch Doz, $\$ 100$ \$10 Planti. Oramge-yellow: splendid.... $100 \quad 1000$ Rothschildiana. One of the showiest phats. Flowers are bright searlet with yellow center. This variety was awitred a silver Medal from the Massachusetts Horticultural society at Boston, spring of 1909 . We furmish extratarge bulbs ............... 250
Superba. Fellow, changing to orange-scarlet; very showy and bright. We furnish true stock...... 1001000

## NOVELTY 1909

Rawson's Pink
Beauty Freesia
Each, 30 cents; dozen, \$3; 100, \$20

("HRINTMAS 1KOSE, BLOOMHN゙; 1N THE SNOW


FRITILLARIA MELEAGRIS (see page 28)

## HELLEBORUS NIGER

(Christmas Rose)

## NEW ENGLAND-CROWN STOCK

We offer herewith New England-grown roots of this valuable plant, which we are certain will stanl the severe winters and dower 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 19091910). Each, \$1; doz., $\$ 10$.

## HEPATICA

## (Anemone Hepatica)

A beautiful early hardy flower. In sheltered spots on porous soil the folinge will remain through the winter. The Hepatica is a derp rooter bence 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 Marcb, are very beautiful.
$\qquad$
Alba. Pure white.................. $\$ 150 \quad \$ 1000$
Coerulea. Rich blue................ $75 \quad 500$
Rubra. Brilliant deep red........ $125 \quad 800$

## IRIS GERMANICA

## (German Iris)

The best season for planting this Itis is during September and October. All the varieties we uffer below are grown on onf own grounds and can be shipped immediately. One of the best known hardy plants; flower in spring and Ho best on good well-drained soil. Colors are of the Lratest 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 tilac.
Asiatica. Rich blue standards and violet-purple falls.
Bergiana. Large yellow standards with deep blue falls.
Bouquet Royal. A very beatiful 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 strikiug variety.
Macrantha. One of the largest hlue varieties. Blue and violet standards and falls.
Madame Chereau. Standards white with sky-blue feathered edges. Falls white and slightly frilled blue. Maorí 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.
Sroctabilis. 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 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 fieldgrown clumps grown in our own nursery and offer same in assortment of colcrs, gathered from a collection of 50 varietics, at 15c. each, $\$ 1.50$ per doz., $\$ 10$ per 100

## IRIS SIBIRICA

## (Siberian Iris)

The most delicate and elegant of all the small-flowered lris; grassy foliage with tall stems; highly Horiferous; 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 ets.; 100, s ${ }^{3}$; $1.000, \$ 27$.
Atropurpurea. Very large; velvety purple. Doz., 50 c.; 100, $\$ 3 ; 1,000, \$ 27$.

## ENGLISH IRIS (Inis Anglica)

This is a beautiful Hower, and the many farden variaties 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 Pyreuem home, where its distribution is limited, to Bristol traders, the bee 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 broud und dis. play 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 intu rogue, and with the above variety a flowering season is tilled whick otherwise would be bare. Our collection comprises:

Doz. $\quad 100$
Cuba. Deep blue
$\$ 065 \$ 400$ Gertrude, Olive-red $65+00$ La Moderne. White, spotted rose............. Mont Blanc. Pure white.
$\begin{array}{lll}65 & 4 & 00 \\ 65 & 4 & 00\end{array}$ Perle Royale. Light blue; extra.......... 65400 Rosa Bonheur. White, spotted violet.... 65 \& 00 Superior Mixture .............................. $35 \quad 200$

## SPANISH IRIS (Iris Hispanica)

A very beautiful Hower, and an old inhabitant of Eng. lish gardens. This Iris is absolutely hardy in this severe New England climate and does particuiarly well in light friable soil between shrubs and perennials. The Howers 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.


## VARIOUS IRISES

Caucasica. A fine early-flowering bulbous Each Doz. Iris, with large yellow flowers and fine foliage; makes a fine pot plant. . $100, \$ 18 . . \$ 02 \overline{5} \$ 250$
Forsteriana. A large bulbous Iris; canaryyellow flowers, the lower parts being shaded violet
$50 \quad 500$
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 Hower 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 ou lighter grounds
$35 \quad 350$
Histrioides. Bright blue, large flowers; finer and earlier than the preceding. A graud Iris
$5 \quad 150$
Orchioides (Tuberous-rooted). Dark orange-yellow, with black spots on fall; very effective; four to six flowers on a spike; maguificent when well established. Very scarce, and one of the finest Irises in cultivation
Pavonia (Peacock Iris). Beautiful blue Howers, with dark blue spot; likes a warm position; grows well in pots
$100, \$ 1.25 ; 1,000, \$ 9 .$.
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 )
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
Susiana (the Mourning Iris). One of the most singular of all Howers; from $1 \frac{1}{2}$ to $21 / 2$ feet high; the flowers very large and densely spotted and striped with dark purple on a gray ground. It should be

Susiana, continned
Wach Doz grown in sunny nooks in the rock-garden or on sheltered banks and borders, bul always in light, warm soil.
Tauri. This Iris is one of the best of the bulbous group, both as regards hatdibood and richness of coloring. It beams ageneral 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; goldea yellow on the crest. It is dwarf, scarcely exceeding 5 inches in height, the Howers being fully 4 inches across

## 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. Erch, 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, searlet, crimson, orange and green. Highly recommended.

Doz.
100
Crateroides major. Bright scarlet; extra. $\$ 060 \$ 400$
Emperor of China. New. Golden yellow;
purple eye........................................ 30200
William the Conqueror. New. Large
white; purple eye.................................
$30 \quad 200$
Rosea plena (Wonder). Soft rose........ $\quad 30 \quad 2 \quad 00$
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 risited Bermuda and convinced ourselves of the superiority of our stock. Each Doz. 100

| stock | Each | Doz. | 100 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Fine bulbs | \$0 15 | \$150 | \$10 00 |
| Extra-large bulbs | 25 | 250 | 1800 |
| Mammoth bulbs. | 50 | 500 | 4000 |
| Monstrous bulbs | 100 | 1000 |  |
| Ready in |  |  |  |

## 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.

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 $\$ 250 \quad \$ 1800$ Mammoth bulbs ............................ 50 5 00 4000

## Roady 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 balbs are grown by a private grower in France and are beautitul specimens.

Our bulbs are of enormous size and should not be compared with those of inferior quality offered elsewhere. Each, 15 ets.; doz., $\$ 1.50 ; 100, \$ 10$. Original baskets of 200 bulbs at $\$ 18$.

## Hardy Lilies <br> OUR BPECIALTY

According to Dr. Wallace, the greatest authority on hardy Lilies, the best and most zesult-produejns time for planting or transplanting Lilies is immediately after the time of blooming. To give our custonners the benefit of this experionce we have gone to great expense by fatablishing a large Lily held at Rawson's Dahlia Fiam. Marbluead. Mass., where we are growing the undermmotioned variaties in ideal locations. We are thus prepared to deliver any and all of the varierties offered just at the proper time. A great opportunity for those wholive 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.
'I'o plant Lilies properly please consult Rawson's Bulb Guide.

## Rawson's Lilium Candidum THE BEST HARDY WHITE CARDEN 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 stratin which has no equal anywhere in America. The bulbs, like the Howers, 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. Eacb, 15 cts .; doz., \$1.50; 100, \$10.


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Auratum (Golden-banded Lily of Japan). This variety grows on a strong stem, 4 to $\overline{\mathrm{j}}$ feet bigh, from six to twelve immense blooms which measure nearly a foot when expanded. The flowers are white, with a broad yellow stripe through the senter of each petal and freely spotted crimson. Their fragrauce is delicious.

|  | Each | Doz. | 100 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| First-Size Bulbs | \$0 15 | \$1 50 | \$1000 |
| Extra-Large Bulbs | 25 | - 50 | 1500 |
| Mammoth Bulbs | 40 | $\pm 00$ | 2500 |

## Auratum rubrum vittatum.

Very large flowers, often 1 foot across; pure ivory-white, with broad crimson stripe through center of each petal.................
Batemanni. A Japanese Lily producing bright apricot-shaded flowers. 3 to 4 feet. July and August
Brownii. Flowers Fers large trumpet-shaped, pure white inside, brownish outside. Stamens chocolate-color. 3 feet. July and August
$50 \quad 500 \quad 40 \quad 00$
Canadense Natire 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 umusian to find this rariety growing 8 feet high, with twenty or thirty blossoms if grown among shrubbery.......
$75 \quad 750$
$35 \quad 350$


LILIUM TIGRINUM SPLENDENS

## HARDY LILIES, continued

Candidum (Ascension Lilỵl. One Eath Ioz. 100 of the earliest Lilies. Flowers are large, pure white, and extremely sweet. 3 to 4 ft . June.. $\$ 0 \quad 15 \quad \$ 150 \quad \$ 1000$
Excelsum (Isabellinum). Flowers recurved and of delicate buff color. Very fragrant. July....... 1
Croceum. A splendid Lily of erect type, bearing from three to eight enormous tlowers of a deep orangescarlet. Flowers in June. $\qquad$
Elegans, Leonard Joerg. Bright orange-scarlet, with brown spots at base of petals. Flowers in July.
Elegans robusta. An immense fower of the true type; three to five flowers in a cluster. Flowers in July.
$25 \quad 250$
Elegans. One of the earliest flowering Lilies. Grows 18 inches high and bears from three to five cupshaped flowers erect on a stout stem. Color bright orange. Flowers beginning of July. $\qquad$
Martagon. A graceful Lily, with flowers of the Turk's cap type of a rettish hrown. Height, 3 feet; six to tell flowers. June.
..... ....
Tigrinum. The common Tiger Lily. So well known that it does not require description n...........

Tenuifolium (The Baby Lily). A graceful flower of a bright scarlet Turk's cap form. Foliage fernlike, stems slender; 12 to 15 in . high. Flowers in July.
Wallacei. Orange-scarlet, spotted with maroon; 3 feet. September.

Speciosum album (White Jupau- Erch Do\% ese Lity). 'This class of specio-
sum is uncloubtedly the hardiest and most popular Lily for the botder 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.

Lakge Bulbs....................
Mamatoth Bulbs ...............
Jumbo Bulbs .......................
Speciosum roseum (Pink Japan
Lily). White shaded and spotted durk rose.


| 15 | 1 | 50 | 10 | 00 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 25 | 2 | 50 | 18 | 00 |
| 40 | 4 | 00 | 30 | 00 |

Speciosum rubrum (Red Japan
Lily). White suffused and spot-
ted crimson.
Large Bulbs.....................
Mamмотн Bulbs.................
Jumbo Bulbs

| 15 | 1 | 50 | 10 | 00 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 25 | 2 | 50 | 18 | 00 |
| 40 | 4 | 00 | 30 | 00 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| 20 | 2 | 00 | 15 | 00 |

deep 'rimson, heavily spotted...
Speciosum magnificum. New. Most intensely colored of all Speciosum varieties. A larie clump of these Lilits will make a wonderful effect................
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 shrubhery.
Tigrinum fl. pl. Double-flowering variety of Tigrinum splendens..
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.


Lilium candidum

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

## MONSTR()US BULBS OF Japanese Lilies

Our growers in Japan were astonisbed last season to tind 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., $\$ \overline{5}$.
Berlin. A beautiful bell of glistening white. Extra-strong clumps. each, 25 cts.; doz., $\$ 2.50$.

Dellvery after October 15

## FOR FORCING Newly Imported Pips Only

Rawson's "Perfection" Lily-of-the-Valley. Uudoubtedly 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.; $100, \$ 3 ; 1,000, \$ 25$.

## Dellvery after November 15

## ORNITHOGALUM UMBELLATUM <br> (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.
Bermuda Buttercup. The best of all Doz. 100
Ormuda Buttercup. The best of all
Oxalis. Flowers clear yellow and very

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\text { large } \text { lowiei. Large rosy crimson flowers: hand- }
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Bowiei. Large rosy crimson flowers; hand-
some leaves..................................
Grandiflora rosea. Large pink flowers..
Grandiflora, White. Large white flow-
ers............................................ 30 200
Grandiflora, Lavender. Large lavender
$\qquad$
Finest Mixed Varieties
$30 \quad 200$
Finest Mixed Varieties................... $25 \quad 150$

hily-of-the-valley

## NERINE

A splendid plant for the house or conservatury 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-fire, and arranged so compactly that ther form a globular shaped mass. Many of these varieties are offered now for the first time.
Amabilis. Rose, striped red ....................... $\$ 100$
Corusca major. Scarlet; very large flowers.... 150
Elegans. Scarlet....................................... 100
Excellens. Crimson; splendid...................... 150
Flexuosa. Crimson, tinged orange................. 125
Flexuosa alba. New; pure white................ 200
Frothergilli major. Splendid vermilion......... 150
Humilis splendens. Mauve; very showy....... 100
Novelty. Very large flowers of a bright rose.... 200
Manselli. Fine heads of flowers of a rich pink;
quite late in flowering................................ 250
Plantí. Deep crimson-scarlet: extra................ 150
Roseus. Verr beautiful rose......................... 100
Sarniensis (The Guernsey Lily). Bright glitter-
ing 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

## 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 opnortunity to complete their co ections.

## New and Rare Peonies

Under this heading we list twenty-four of the choicest of the newer and rarer sorts of Pconia 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

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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., 60e.; 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, $85 \mathrm{cts} . ;$ doz., 89.
Duke of Wellington. Very large, well-formed sul-phur-white flowers. Each, 50 cts.; doz., $\$ \overline{5}$.
Edouard Andre. Immense globular bloom of a deep crimson-red, with metalic 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, sul-phur-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 beantiful 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., $\$ 6$.

NEW AND RARE PEONIES, continued
Madame Florel. Beautiful large bloom of fine shape. Glossy ash-colored pink with darker center. Each, 50 cts. : doz.. 85
Mons. Jules Elie. Immense fulk globular flowers of the finest pink shade deepening at base of petals, rellexed silvery pink. Each, \$1: doz., $\$ 10$.
Mons. Krelage. Very broad, bright currant-red pet als, with amaranth center. Each, 60 cts.; doz.. $\$ 6$.
Officinalis rosea superba. Clear, bright pink. Of superb size and form. Each, 75 cts.; doz., $\$ 7.50$.
Reinedes Francais. Flesh-pink, with white center shaded yellow. One of the freest-flowering of this collection. Each, 50 cts.; doz., 45 .
Rose d'Amour. Beautiful lavge flower of a soft fleshy pink. 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 varjeties 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. Anemonaeflora rubra. A rich dark carmine-red. Due de Cazes. A dark rose, with center petals lighter.
Duchess d'Orleans. Pale rosy lake, with distinct salmon center. A very beautiful sort.

cdulis 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 Ma. thilde. 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 beantiful 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, 26 c .; doz., \$2.50. Double. in shades of white, each, 25 c .; doz., \$2.60. Double. in shades of pink, each, 25 c .: doz., $\$ 2.50$
Officinalis rubra. The old-fashioned deep red Peony. Very double and fragrant. Each, e5c.; doz., \&2.50.
Tenuifolia fl. pl. Hundsome divided foliage. Flowers large, full, double, deep blood-red. A dwarf, compact bloomer. Each, 30 ets. ; doz., $\$ 3$.
Tenuifolia Single Red. Similar to preceding, except in flowers, which are single and very attractive. Each, $30 \mathrm{cts} . ;$ doz., 83.

## RANUNCULUS

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

Doz. 1001,000
Giant Double French, Mixed. A
great assortment of colors..........\$0 10 \$0 60 $\quad \$ 400$
Double Persian, Mixed. A small-
flowered variety in various colors.. $10 \quad 60 \quad 400$
Double Turban, Mixed. Enor-
mous flowers, resembling miniuture peonies in shape, and in great variety of colors..........................
Double Turban, Citron-Yellow.
Double Turban, Crimson.........
Double Turban, Bright Scarlet.
Double Turban, White.............
$15 \quad 75 \quad 600$
$\begin{array}{llll}20 & 1 & 25 & 10\end{array} 00$
$\begin{array}{llll}25 & 1 & 50 & 12\end{array} 00$
$\begin{array}{llll}20 & 1 & 00 & 7 \\ 50\end{array}$

| 40 | 2 | 50 | 20 |
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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 heareuly blue and exceedingly attractive; flowers remain in good condition for two weeks. Doz., 20c.; 100, \$1: $1,000, \$ 8$.

## SAUROMATUM GUTTATUM <br> ("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, fla', 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 he mail, add $\overline{0}$ cts. postage for each bulb. Delivery after November 15.

## SCILLA

A very popular spring flower commonly called "squills." Appear in pins, white and blue, the latter color being more generally cultivated.
Sibirica. The old-fashionel blue squill. Usually grown in with crocus and snowdrops, bearing beauti-
ful bright blue flowers 5 in , bigh. . $\$ 020 \$ 125 \$ 1000$ Sibirica alba. Sume as above in pure
white. Flowering in March and April dark blue clusters of flowers......... $20 \quad 100$
Campanulata alba. Pure white; height 12 inches........................... 301501200
Campanulata coerulea. Brigbt
blue; height 12 inches.................. 20 1 1008 co Campanulata rosea. Delicate rose;
height 12 inches............................ $30 \quad 1501200$
Italica. Fiowers in April, colors rang-
ing all through blues to pink........ $45 \quad 250 \quad 2400$
Nutans alba. White; long spikes.... $35200 \quad 1500$
Nutans coerulea. Bright blue; very
long spikes................................. 201251000
Nutans rosea. Pink; long spikes... $35 \quad 2001500$
Taurica. Distinct and pretty spikes of
cambridge-blue bellflowers............ $45 \quad 280 \quad 2400$

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


## 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.
Single-flowering ................ Doz. 100 1,000
Double-flowering .... 0 15 $\$ 100$
Elwes Giant-flowering.............. 15 15 $00 \quad 750$
Cilicus. New. From Cilicia. Very early-flowering.
ome and large-flower
Fosteri. Handsome and large-flowered Snowdrop with boldly erect leaves and snowy Howers with green center. 30
$200 \quad 1500$
Erithrae. Earlier flowering than the
Elwesii. From the island of Erithrae. 60
:3 $50 \quad 30 \quad 00$

## SNOWFLAKE

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

Doz. 100
Spring (Leucojum Carpaticum). White.
This variety is a great improvement over L. vernum, which is offered by other dealers as Spring Snowfiake . $\$ 0$ $25 \quad \$ 150$ Summer (L. astivum). White. Flowers in summer $30 \quad 175$

## 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 $20 \quad \$ 2 \quad 00 \quad \$ 1500$ Queen Alexandria. Quite new. Delicate pink................................. pink; very new........................ $35 \quad 350 \quad 2500$ $50 \quad 500 \quad 35 \quad 00$

## 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., $\$ 1$.

## MONTBRETIAS

## Dolivery 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 Certifeate, Shrewsbury, England; First Class Certificate, Edinbursh 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 $31 / 2$ feet high and the spikes are freely branched; each flower measures $31 / 4$ to $31 / 2$ 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.
$\begin{array}{cccc}\text { Doz. } & 100 & 1,000 \\ \$ 0 & 25 & \$ 150 & \$ 1200\end{array}$
Aurea. Golden yellow........... $\$ 0 \begin{array}{llllll}50 & 25 & \$ 1 & 50 & \$ 12 & 00\end{array}$
$\begin{array}{lllllll}\text { Crocosmaeflora. Orange-scarlet. } & 20 & 1 & 00 & 650 \\ \text { Elegans Bright yellow, outside } & & & & 50\end{array}$
shaded vermilion ......................25 $150 \quad 1000$
Etoile de Feu. Rich scarlet, yellow
center ................................ 30 200 1500
Germania. New hybrid. A most
beautiful new variety, Bright
orange-scarlet flowers of extremely
large size.............................. $100 \quad 700$
Pottsi. Bright yellow, flushed with
red.......................................... 20 1 25 750
Rayon d'Or (Golden Sheaf). Deep
yellow; very large..................... 20
1 $25 \quad 8 \quad 50$
$\begin{array}{rl}\text { yellow; very large...................................... } 20 & 1 \\ \text { Mixture of Seedlings ......... } & 10\end{array}$


SNOWDROPS GROWING IN THE GRASS


Narcissi Naturalized LN grass

## The Best Bulbs for Wild Gardening

The prettiest, cheapest and most permanent may 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 iljuring the bulbs. In favorable circumstances they will multiply so rapidly that you can dig them every four or fire years and use the increase for new plantings, so that you may bave flowers literally by myriads at less expense than in any other style of gardening. Erery lawn in city, suburbs or country should contain thousands of crocuses, snowdrops and other flowers that bloom in Jarch 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 became 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 adrice 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.

* Demauding 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.................................. $\$ 1500$
Galanthus nivalis ..... 350
Ewwesii ..... 750
Chionodoxa Luciliae ..... 1000
Scilla bifolia ..... 1200
Sibirica ..... 1000
Grape Hyacinths ..... 400

## FOR THE WOODS

(Preferring partial shade) Per 1,000
Eranthis hyemalis ..... $\$ 800$
Erythronium Dens-Canis ..... 900
Camassia esculenta ..... 900
Lily -of-the-Valley ..... 2500
Scilla campanulata ..... 800
nutans
00
Ornithogalum umbellatum ..... 500

## FOR ORCHARDS AND MEADOWS <br> (Will last indefinitely. Prefer sun)

Per 1.000
Narcissus poeticus ..... 8650
Leedsii ..... 600
Horsfieldii ..... 1200
VERY LARGE FLOWERS
Fritillaria imperialis ..... Per 100
" Meleagris ..... 175
*Tulipa, Darwin ..... 250
Hemerocallis flava ..... 1000
Lilium Canadense ..... 900

* " superbum ..... 1000
FOR BOGS AND STREAM-SIDES
+Iris Kaempferi
Per 100
*Lilium superbuma ..... 000
Canadensis ..... 900


## 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 growtb, 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 begiuning.
Ready for dellvery from September 15 to January
Per pan
Roman Hyacinths, White. In 7 -in. pan, well filled
$\$ 060$
Freesia. In 7 -in, pan, well filled................... 60 Oxalis, Buttercup. In 6 -in. banging pots, well filled.................................... per pot, 60 cts...

Ready for delivery from January I to April I



HYAOINTHS FORCED IN POTS


NARCISSI FORCED IN POTS

Purple ..................................... 75
Tulips, Single, White . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 60
Yellow .................................. 60
Scarlet............................... 60
Pink...................................... 60
Red and Yellow ................. 60
Pink and White .................. 60
Crimson............................ 60
Jonquils, Campernelle. In 7-in. pan, well filled, 50
Narcissus, Golden Spur. In 7-in. pan, well filled.
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 flowerloving 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, Sundrys 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, igro, 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 bave 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 laudscape 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 Seprember, with the exception of late-flowering varieties, such as hardy asters, Japanese anemones, bardy 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


PLANTING OF HARDY PERENNIALS and in good condition, and, if not noti fied within 10 days from receipt of goods, we shall consider them as received in satisfactory condition and unt 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.

## 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 plauts. 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 Sancer). Blue, White and Rose.

## Digitalis (Foxglove)

$\begin{array}{ll}\text { Gloxinaeflora alba } & \text { Gloxinaeflora purpurea } \\ \text { Gloxinaeflora rosea } & \text { Monstrosa }\end{array}$

## 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 |
| " | Yellcw | " | Yellow |

## Sweet William

Dark Red Pure White Assorted Colors

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

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## NOVELTIES AND SPECIALTIES

Arabis alpina fl.pl. A very hand some 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 distinct ness 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, enor mous clear-blue flowers in form identical with Moerheimi but twice as large; height 3 feet, continuous bloomer. $\$ \mathrm{I}$ each, \$to 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 azureblue. 35 cts . each, $\$ 3.50$ per doz.
Campanula glomerata acaulis.
A new dwarf-growing Campanula, with handsome clusters of dark blue fowers. Of great value for rockwork 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 I 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. 5oc. ea., $\$ 5$ per doz. Iris pallida Dalmatica. ${ }^{\text {A new species of }}$ ing larger and producing enorm us flowers of a deli cate 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 beautifui 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, $\mathbf{\$ 2 . 5 0}$ 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. Now. A new hardy

 in shape the Easter Lily blooms in July. The flower petals have a slight tinge of green, which makes them more attractive. \$1 each, \$1o per doz.Lilium Henryi. New. Flowers dark reddish yellow, marbled with a few irregular brown spots; very hardy; often 6 feet. \$1 each, \$1o 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, \$1o per doz.

## GLADOLI ARE OUR SPECIALTY



## 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 tolate 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 $\mathbf{1 2}$ for $\$ 1.50$

ACHILLEA, "The Pearl." Flowers pure white, double, fine for cutting. June to September. $2^{3 / 2}$ 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. $2^{1 / 2}$ 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 Foxglove. June and July. 2 to 3 feet.
GAILLARDIA grandiflora. One of the most bril:ant. 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.
STOKESIACYANEA. 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 peremials. (We offer pot-grown extra-strong plants.) Price of the following, 25 cts. each, $\mathbf{\$ 2 . 5 0}$ 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, $\mathbf{\$ 2}$ per doz. Set of $\mathbf{1 6}$ varieties for $\mathbf{\$ 2 . 5 0}$
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.


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 Trevellyan. 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. 15 C . 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 $3^{3 / 2}$ 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 $31 / 2$ feet high. 20 cts . each, $\$ 2$ per doz. Persicifolia grandifiora 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 caly $x$ 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 $2 \frac{1}{2}$ 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 Manve, Slngle Rose, Single White, Double As: sorted. I5 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.


Hawson'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) <br> 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 $3^{1 / 2}$ inches across, in many exquisite shades of blue. 25 c . 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. I5c. 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., $\$ 2$ per ioo.
Formosum coelestinum. Similar to Formosum but light sky-blue in color. Very beautiful. zo cts, each, $\$ 2$ per doz.
Speciosum. A verybright 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 offier 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.


## 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 | , 000 |  | Doz. | 100 | 1,000 |
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| 12 inches | So 05 | \$0 40 | \$300 | 36 inches | . $\$ 015$ | So 75 | \$7,00 |
| 18 inches | 10 | 50 | 350 | 42 inches | 15 | 90 | 80 |
| $2+$ inches | 10 | 60 | 5 oo | 48 inches | 15 | 100 | 900 |

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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 sle nder flower-stalks rise to about a foot in height and bear fragrant, cupshaped 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, $\$ \mathrm{r} .50$ per doz., $\$ 10$ per 100.

## ORIENTALE (Oriental Poppy)

Orientale. 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 magnificient 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. 60 c . 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. socts.
G. A. Strohlein. Brilliant orange-carmine. One of the handsomest varieties. 75 cts .

Gruppenkonigin. A most beautiful fleshy rose. A continuous bloomer with immense heads of flowers. \$i. 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.
Eclaireur. 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 blush 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 Chrysamthemums, the flowers average $4 / 2$ to 5 inches across on stems 2 to 3 feet long, with $3^{8}$ to 42 wide petals, and a very small disk, and with proper disbudding are produced perpetually, though more abundantly at the usual blooming season.
Califormia. 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 one of the parents of the whole Shasta Daisy familythe 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. $21 / 4$ feet. 15c. each, $\$ 1.50$ per doz., \$so per 100.
Millefolium rubrum. Bright red flowers in flat corymbs from June to September. Foliage fernlike. is inches. 15 cts. each, \$i. 50 per doz.
ACONITUM Napellus. Dark blue flowers booded in dense heads from July to September. 3 feet. 20 cts. each, $\$ 2$ per doz.
Napellus album. Pure white hooded flowers. $20 c$. each, $\$ 2$ per doz.
Napellus bicolor. Flowers biue and white. 20 cts. each, $\$ 2$ per doz.
AGROSTEMMA coronaria. An excellant plant for borders and of very easy cultivation. Flowers are bright crimson, blooming during June, July and August. 2 feet. 15 cts. each, $\$ 8.50$ per doz.
hybrida Walkeri. Bright pink flowers; quite large. June to September. It/2 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. I5 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.
ANEMONE Japonica. See page 44
ANTHEMIS Kelwayi. Bright yellow flowers; daisylike. 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 Cœrulea. I5 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., \$r. 50 per doz.
alpina f1. 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. I ft. 15 C . ea. 51.50 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 borme erect to a height of 2 to $2 \frac{1}{2}$ feet. 25 c. 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.
CERASTIOM tomentosum. One of the best lowgrowing perennials. Silvery foliage and white flowers in June and July. 4 in . zo 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. Cne 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 bloon from July to frost. 2 feet. 15 cts . each, \$1.50 per doz.
mazimum. Flowers large; petals pure white, center yellow, and often overlapping. Continuous in bloom all summer and is perfectly hardy. I5 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 . I5 cts. each, $\$ 1.50$ per doz., $\$ 10$ per 100.
DELPHINIUM. See page 4 t.
DIANTHUS plumarius, Named Varieties. See page 44.
plumarius, Assorted. Hardy Carnation, in colors of red, white and pink. June and July. I foot. 15c. each, $\$$ i. 50 per doz., $\$$ Io per ioo.
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 $4 \%$.
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 beaufirst 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 I 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. 20 c . 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. I5 cts. each, \$I. 50 per doz.
FOXGLOVE. See Digitalis, page 46.
FUNKIA undulatamedia 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 Howers borne in heats. 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 dirk maroon center. 3 feet. June to frost. 15 cts. each, $\$ \mathrm{~s} .50$ per doz., Sio per 100.
GLAUCIUM lateum (Horned Poppy). Bright yellow flowers over glacous 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 quantily in open panicles during summer months. Valuable for cutting. 3 feet. 20 cts , each, $\$ 2$ per doz., $\$ 10$ perion
paniculata f1. 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 Compositre. 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 perennial: 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 $2^{1 / 2}$ feet high, producing a great number of large, yellow flowers from June 10 autumn. 20 cts . each, $\$ 2$ per doz.
HELIANTHUS multiflorus fl. pl. (Double Sunflower). Large, double, yellow flowers during sum. mer and fall. 4 to 5 feet. 20 cts . each, $\$ 2$ per doz.
rigidus. A beautifulorange-yellow variety blooming from July to September. 20 cts each, $\$ 2$ per doz.
HELIOPSIS Pitcheriana. Deep orange-yellow fowers 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. 35 c . each, $\$ 3.50$ perdoz.


Funkia undulata media variegata


Gaillardia grandiflora
Hemerocallis flava (Day Lily). Bright yellow fowers during May and June. 2 ft . 15 C . each, Sr. 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 Suptember. 6 to 7 feet. 20 cts . each, $\$ 2$ per doz.
militaris. Large, light pink flowers, crimson center. July to September. 5 to 6 feet. 2oc, 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. 20 c . each, \$2 per doz.
HIERACIUM aurantiacum (Hawkweed). Orangered flowers borne in flatheads. Very showy. I foot. July and August. 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.
HOLLYHOCK. See page 46 .
HYPERICUM Moserianum (Gold Flower). Large showy yellow fowers 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, $\mathrm{S}_{2}$ per doz.
LIATRIS pyenostachya. Handsome long spikes of rosy purple flowers-heads borne during August and September. 4 to 5 feet. 20 , 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, \$r. 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 peashaped 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. I to $I \frac{1}{2}$ 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 frec-flowering 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-menot). Bright blue flowers with yellow center, produced from May to September. Thrive well in shady places i 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. 2oc, each, \$2 per doz.
PENTSTEMON Digitalis. Purple-white foxgloveshaped 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 polyphallus

## 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, lavenderblue 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 rosecolored flowers in early spring. 6 inches. 15 cts . each, $\S 1.50$ 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 cloz.
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 Whahlenbergia,
POLEMONIUM coeruleum grandifiorum. Handsome border plant, with terminal spikes of skyblue 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, $\$$ I. 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, $\$ \mathrm{r} .25$ 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 Septem. ber. 20 cts. each, $\$ 2$ per doz.
SCABIOSA Caucasica. Pale lilac flowers about 3 inches across, and are borne continuously throughout the summer. 2 feet. 20 cts . each, $\$ 2$ per doz.
Caucasica 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. 20 C . each. $\$ 2$ per doz.
Lydium. A pretty dwarf-growing variety with rosepink flowers in August and September. 20 cts. each, $\$ 2$ per doz.
SHASTA DAISY. See Chryisanthemum Leucanthemum
Named Varieties. See page 45.
STACHYS Ianata. Purple flowers in whorls above woolly white foliage. I foot. July and August. 15 cts. each, $\$ 1.50$ per doz.

Stenanthium robustum. A recent introdoubtedly 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. Io cts. each, \$1 per doz.


Rudbeckis, Galden Glow
Sweet William, nigricans. Dark red. 15 cts . each, \$i. 50 per doz.
alba. Pure white. 15 cts . each, $\$ \mathrm{r} .50$ per doz.
Pink Beauty. A beautiful shade of pink. Of rather dwarf habit and very free-flowering. 15 cts . each, \$i.5o per doz.
THALICTRUM glancum. 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 fowers in May and June and conlinuing at times till frost. 20 cts. each, $\$ 2$ per do\%.
Orange Globe. Enormous globular orange flowers appearing early and continuing till frost. Finc 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. I5 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. I5 cts. each, $\$ \mathbf{I} .50$ per doz.
longifolia. Pretty blue flowers in spikes during August. is cts. each, $\$ 1.50$ per doz.
Iongifolia, 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. Jargely used for covering graves. 25 cts . per clump, $\$ 2.50$ per doz.
WAHLENBERGIA grandifiora. Pretty blue bellshaped flowers blooming from July to September. Sometimes classed as a campanula. Will thrive in any good garden soil. $2^{1 / 2}$ feet. $20 c$. 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, bayonetshaped 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, $\$ \mathrm{I} .50$ 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 $\left(^{(*)}\right.$ 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 laven-der-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 \$i each.


Ina Clematis

## CLEMATIS, continued

Paniculata. Best of all the late summer or fallblooming 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 Septemher the enormous quantity of briglot rosy carmine flowers produce the most brilliant effect imaginable, completely liding the foliage. It is one of the strongest growers and first-class in every respect. Strong z-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 $C$. paniculala. Strong 2 -year-old plants, 75 cts . each, $\$ 7.50$ per doz.
Jackmani alba. The largest fowering 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. Folinge 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 shows: \$r each, \$1o per doz.
Chinese White. Similar to above form, excepting color of flowers, which are pure white. \$I each, $\$$ so per doz.
Multijuga. A Japan variety with dark purple racemes, which attain a length of from 2 to 3 feet. A fine grower

## 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, $\$ 250$ 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. \$I each.
BIGNONIA radicans (Trumpet Flower). Hand some 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 io 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 Wistaris

## 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 rosecolored 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: $\mathbf{5 0} \mathbf{c t s}$. each, $\mathbf{\$ 5}$ 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 orangepink, red, white and yellow. \$1 each, \$1o 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 Spiræaprunifolia.

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

## 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, horne 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 vigorousgrowing shrub, flowering early with panicles of pure white flowers borne on stout branches. 50 cts . crenata. 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. 5octs.

## HARDY ORNAMENTAL SHRUBS, continued

EXOCHORDA grandiflora (Pearl Bush), Flowers in May. Pure white, large, star-like and in clusters. About 9 feet ligigls. 50 cts.
FORSYTHIA Fortanei (Golden Bell). One of our best early-flowering slirubs. Before any tree or slirub shows a leaf they burst into glorious masses of golden yellow drooping tlowers. 50 cts .
suspensa (Weeping Golden Bell). Long, graceful branches drooping to the ground and covered to the tips with handsome yellow trumpet-shaped hlowers in April. 8 to so feet. 50 cts.
GOLDEN ELDER. One of the finest golden-leaved shrubs, and is largely used for enlivening shrubberies. Flowers and fruit very ormamental. 50 cts .
HYDRANGEA paniculata grandiflora. The wellknown 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 H ydrangea 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 (Tiburmum 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. St, extra-strong plants.
Kalmia latifolia (Mountain Laurel). We have beautiful shrub. Extra-strong plants, $\$ 1.50$ each, $\$ 15$ per doz.
KERRIA Japonica. One of the most satisfactory yellow-flowering shrubs we lave. Blooms all summer and in winter its bright green branches form a marked contrast with other shrubs. Height about 4 feet. 50 cts .
Japonica f1. 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 sofree-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 paye 57 . Single specimen plants, 50 cts . each, $\$ 5$ per cloz.
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 to feet. 75 cts .


Spiræa Van Houttei

## RHODODENDRONS

Imported Hardy Hybrids. A superb asthe 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.
I8-inch plants................. \$1 50 \$1700 \$12500 24 -inch plants................ 250 25 00 150 00 30-inch plants................ 350350025000
Maximum, Native Variety
Each Doz.
$\$ 200 \quad \$ 2000$
2 to 3 feet, bushy........................ \$2 00 \$20 00

5 to 6 feet, bushy............................................... 500 500
Catawbiense, Native Variety. True Ameripact bushy form; fine for massing or for bordering Maximum.

Each Doz.
24 to 30 inches, busliy .................. $\$ 200$ \$20 00 30 to 36 inches, bushy .................... 2502500 36 to 48 inches, bushy .................... $3.50 \quad 3500$ 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 Cotinus). A shrubby tree with mist-like clusters of seed-pods in midsummer enveloping the tree. 75 cts .
SPIRAEA Anthony Waterer. Flowers scarletcrimson, 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 recurve 1 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 Snowberry). 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 Snowba11; 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. \$r.

## 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 Ioo; 2 to 3 feet high, $\$$ i. 50 per doz., $\$$ ro per ioó; 3 to 4 feet high, $\$ 2$ per doz., $\$ 5$ per Ioo.

BERBERIS Thunbergi. One of the best lowgrowing 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 Ioo.

## 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, MeIntosh 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, \$1o 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, Seckell and Sheldon. Extrastrong, \$I each, \$io 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 productise.

## 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 exellent; 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. \$I.
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 Nंew England. Glossy dark crimson, of enormous size; midseason. 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 enormons 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 regetables 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 prolitic bearer and extra early. Beans very tender and of the "Flageolet" Havor. 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 Havor known. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 4 ozs., 25 cts.; 1b., 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.; $1 / 20 z ., 60 \mathrm{c}$.; oz., $\$ 1 ; 4$ ozs., $\$ 3$; lb., $\$ 10$.
Rawson's White Spine. A very superior strain for forcing and outdoor planting, that up 10 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., $10 \mathrm{cts}$. ; oz., 50 cts.; 4 ozs., $\$ 1.50 ; \mathrm{lb} ., \$ 5$.
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.; où., 25 cts.; 4 ozs., 75 cts.; lb., $\$ 2.50$.

## LETTUCE

Rawson's Hothouse. The largest and best plainleaf 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 ets.; oz., 50 cts.; 4 ozs., $\$ 1.50 ; 1 \mathrm{lb}$., $\$ 5$.

## 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. Lueaves 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 joung 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 whenevir the plants are ready. Doz., $25 \mathrm{cts} . ; 100$, $\$ 1.50 ; 1,000, \$ 12$.

## 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 fart, 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 $11 / 2$ pounds), each, 25 cts ; doz., $\$ 2.50 ; 25,84 ; 100, \$ 15$, 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., $\$ 1.2 \overline{0}$.

## 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.; $1 / 2$ oz., 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 <br> THESE CAN BE SHIPPED BY EXPRESS OR FREICHT ONLY

Our prices are net $f .0$. b. cars Boston. The prices of fertilizers fluctuate frequently, and we reserve
the right to change same without notice


#### Abstract

"Wizard Brand " Pure Pulverized Sheep Manure We are sole distributers 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 ; $5 \mathrm{lbs},. 25 \mathrm{cts}, ; 10 \mathrm{lbs} ., 40 \mathrm{cts} . ; 25 \mathrm{lbs} ., 75 \mathrm{cts} . ; 50 \mathrm{lbs} .$, $\$ 1.25 ; 100 \mathrm{lbs} ., \$ 2$; ton (in $100-\mathrm{lb}$. bags), $\$ 35$; full large barrel, \$4.


## Rawson's Lawn and Garden Dressing

A combination chemical fertilizer which is unequaled 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 ne might use it.


## 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 conrenient sizes as follows:


## 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 bave 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. $25 \mathrm{lbs} ., 50$ cts.; $50 \mathrm{lbs} ., 75$ cts.; 100 lbs. $\$ 1.25 ; 200 \mathrm{lbs}$. (in 2100 lb . bags), $\$ 2 ;$ ton $(2,000 \mathrm{lbs}$.$) ,$ in $100-\mathrm{lb}$. bags, $\$ 16$.

In carload lots of from 15 to 25 tons, at $\$ 11.50$ per ton in bulk or $\$ 13.50$ per ton in $100-\mathrm{lb}$, bags, delirered at any freight station in Massachusetts, Vermont, New Hampshire, Rhorle 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. $5 \mathrm{lbs}, 25 \mathrm{cts} .: 10 \mathrm{lbs} ., 40 \mathrm{cts}$. $25 \mathrm{lbs} ., 75$ ets. ; $50 \mathrm{lbs.} \$$,1 ; $100 \mathrm{lbs.} \$$,3.80 ; 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 prerenting bugs from destroying cucumber, melon and squash vines. 5 lbs., 20 cts.; 25 ibs., $50 \mathrm{cts} . ; 100 \mathrm{lbs} ., \$ 1$; bbl. of $350 \mathrm{lbs},. \$ 2$.
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