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# Special and Import Prices on Hyacinths, Tulips, Narcissi, Lilies, Rhododendrons, Hardy Shrubs, Hardy Plants, Roses, Etc.

## HYACINTHS, TULIPS, CROCUS, ETC.

The prices quoted in this list on all Dutch Bulbs, Bermuda Lilies, Roman Hyacinths are for advance orders which must reach me not later than the 25th of June. To make these very low prices, which are in many instances lower than American wholesale prices, I must have my orders in advance, as I cannot take any risk of having stock remaining unsold on my hands. The bulbs will be delivered at the proper season, and need not be paid for until delivery. Orders of \$25 and upwards will be packed in separate cases in Europe and shipped direct to Eastern customers by my agent in New York City, thus saving all extra charges for re-packing and transportation.

## TERMS OF PAYMENT.

My terms of payment are invariably cash on delivery, which does not mean that I ship C. O. D., as I will not do so under any circumstances, I deliver the goods and mail bills at the same time, and expect payment within a few days. People unknown to me will please send references with their order. Those who wish to send cash in advance with their orders will be allowed a discount of 5 per cent. from the prices quoted in this list.

## EARLY ORDERS

The earlier orders are given me the better I can have them filled. Some of my customers are now giving me orders to be delivered next spring. I sail for Europe on the 2d of July, and will personally select the stock for all import orders received by June 25th.

## CLUB ORDERS.

No smaller quantities will be supplied than those quoted in this list, but it is suggested where these quantities are too large that two or three friends or neighbors could combine their orders to advantage and save transportation charges.

## SPECIAL IMPORT ORDERS

Special orders will be taken to import from Europe anything desired in trees, shrubs or plants. For this service I charge a commission of 25 per cent., but as I buy everything from the growers at lowest wholesale prices, customers can depend on getting the stock for less money than it can be obtained in any other way. My knowledge of nursery stock and my experience in importing will save my customers from any mistakes in bringing over stock not suited to our climate or stock that can be bought to better advantage on this side.

## PLEASE NOTICE

The date of delivery and the limit of time for receiving orders for the different classes of stock. Many orders were sent to me this spring too late to be filled.

## REFERENCES.

Many of the leading amateurs and public parks find it to their advantage to have me buy all their stock for them. When desired, I will send list of these as references for my reliability and quality of stock delivered.

## GRIFFIN'S UNEQUALLED TUBEROUS BEGONIAS.

About 25,000 of these were sold by me at retail this season, and the salable stock was exhausted early in the spring. Flower lovers who live in the vicinity or visit New York city should make a point of visiting the grounds of the Oasis Nursery Company (Westbury L. I., N. Y.), who will grow about fifteen acres (300,000) of these remarkable Begonias for me this summer. These fields of Begonias will be one of the greatest floral sights ever seen in the world. In addition to the fields, two large green houses will be filled with exhibition plants.

## A Valuable Service for Buyers of Trees, Plants and Shrubs.

My business is twofold. I do landscape gardening and buy nursery stock of all kinds for amateurs. I buy only from reliable nurseries at lowest wholesale prices, and charge my customers a small commission for the service, thus insuring them the best quality of stock and the lowest prices (25 to 50 per cent. below the retail prices of nurserymen and plantmen). Every nurseryman is interested in selling his own stock, and especially interested in selling anything he is overstocked with. As I have no stock of any kind, my interest is to secure the best quality of stock and varieties for my customers. Many nurserymen grow a few specialties well—better than any of their competitors. My familiarity with the stock of all the leading nurseries of the world, and my special representation of many, enable me to secure the best of everything for my customers.

Send me a list of your horticultural wants (trees, plants, shrubs, lawn grass seed, garden supplies, pots and vases, garden statuary and fountains) for estimate.

## LANDSCAPE GARDENING.

The majority of American suburban grounds are laid out and planted without the aid of professional advice. The result is almost always unsatisfactory, although often the expenditure would have secured most beautiful results if directed by skilled advice. I do landscape gardening—do it for people of exacting taste, to whom I refer. I make the plans, with estimates, purchase the stock necessary and superintend the work. I do any one or all of these things, satisfactorily as to results, moderately as to cost. For small grounds I can make satisfactory plans if furnished with a plan drawn to scale. For large grounds, and where extensive improvements are desired, a personal visit would be necessary, and can be arranged for on reasonable terms.

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## LILIUM HARRISII. TRUE BERMUDA EASTER LILIES.

(Ready about July 15.)

This Lily is now so well known that it needs no description. It is undoubtedly one of the most popular flowers ever used for forcing. The bulbs I supply are of the highest quality, and are perfectly true and not mixed with *Lilium Longiflorum*.

Prices for orders booked before June 25th.

	Per Doz.	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
Bulbs 5 to 7 inches in circumference.....	\$0 75	\$ 4 50	\$ 40 00
“ 7 to 9 “ “ .....	1 50	7 50	65 00
“ 9 to 11 “ “ .....	2 25	14 00	125 00

## ROMAN HYACINTHS.

Prices for orders before June 25th.

	Per 100.	Per 1,000
White Romans, 4 to 4¾ inches .....	\$2 50	\$22 50
“ “ 5 to 5¼ “ .....	3 00	27 00
“ “ 5¼ to 5¾ “ .....	3 50	31 00
“ “ 5½ to 6¼ “ .....	4 00	37 00
Pink “ 4¾ to 5¼ “ .....	2 50	22 00
Blue “ 4¾ to 5¼ “ .....	2 75	24 00

## LILIUM CANDIDUM.

(Ready in August. Must be ordered by June 25th.)

	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
First size bulbs, for out-door planting.....	\$3 50	\$28 00
Extra size bulbs, for forcing.....	4 00	33 00
Selected size bulbs, very heavy bulbs.....	4 50	38 00

To succeed with this beautiful old-fashioned garden lily out-doors the bulbs must be planted not later than September 10th.

## LILY OF THE VALLEY.

(Ready in November.)

Prices for orders booked by June 25th. First quality selected Berlin

	Per 100.....	Per 1,000.....
Pips.....	\$ 1 75	12 50
Per 1,000.....	28 00	50 00
Per 2,500.....	50 00	
Per 5,000.....		

These pips are excellent for establishing plantations out-doors, as well as for forcing.

## FREESIA REFRACTA ALBA.

This charming flower is one of the most satisfactory bulbs that can be forced. It is certain to flower either in the conservatory or house.

	Per Doz.	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
Extra large bulbs .....	\$0 25	\$1 60	\$11 00

# HYACINTHS.

All prices on Hyacinths are for orders booked by June 25th. Orders for Dutch Bulbs amounting to \$25.00 and upwards will be packed in separate cases in Holland and shipped direct to Eastern customers from New York City by my agent there.

### SINGLE MIXED HYACINTHS.

	Each.	Per Doz.	Per 100.
Single dark red.....	\$0 07	\$0 50	\$ 3 00
“ Pink .....	07	50	3 00
“ White.....	08	60	3 75
“ Pure White.....	08	60	4 00
“ Dark Blue and Purple.....	07	50	2 80
“ Light Blue.....	07	50	3 00
“ Violet.....	10	80	5 00
“ Yellow.....	08	60	3 50
“ all Colors.....	07	50	3 00

### DOUBLE MIXED HYACINTHS.

Double Dark Red.....	07	60	3 25
“ Pink .....	07	60	3 25
“ Blush White.....	07	60	3 50
“ Pure White.....	10	75	4 25
“ Blue and Purple.....	07	50	2 80
“ Light Blue.....	07	50	2 80
“ Yellow.....	10	1 00	6 00
“ all Colors.....	07	50	3 00

### SECOND SIZED NAMED HYACINTHS.

	Per Doz.	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
Single Second size Named Sorts .....	\$ 75	\$5 00	\$45 00
Double “ “ “ “ .....	75	5 00	45 00

These second sized named Hyacinths will be found fine for forcing, and are highly recommended for those who desire extra good bulbs for bedding.

They embrace the leading named sorts of this list; are larger bulbs than those sold as mixed, and strictly true to name and color, thus giving exact shades wanted.

### EXHIBITION HYACINTHS.

This class comprises monster bulbs, the finest grown, and will be sent with each name, color and shade, separate and marked.

It is a well-known fact to importers of bulbs that few of the VERY FINEST HYACINTHS of Holland find their way to this country, as they are chiefly marketed in Germany and England, at very high prices, for the use of wealthy amateurs.

These Hyacinths are commended to those who wish the very finest quality for exhibition or the decoration of the conservatory. They embrace the most magnificent colors, and choicest varieties of show Hyacinths, both single and double. Price, 20 cents each. \$2.00 per dozen. \$15.00 per 100.

### HYACINTHS IN COLLECTIONS FOR EXHIBITION.

100 Hyacinths in 100 choicest named sorts, single and double.....	\$16 00
100 Hyacinths in 50 choicest named sorts, single and double.....	13 00
100 Hyacinths in 25 choicest named sorts, single and double.....	11 50

# SINGLE NAMED HYACINTHS.

No less quantities will be supplied than those quoted, but 100 Hyacinths will be furnished in ten varieties at the hundred price if desired.

## SINGLE DARK RED.

	Each.	Per Doz.	Per 100.
Amy, bright carmine, fine spikes.....	\$0 10	\$0 75	\$5 25
L'Ami du Coeur, dark red, fine.....	10	75	5 25
Robert Steiger, deep crimson.....	10	75	4 50
Fiance Royal, bright rose, large truss.....	15	1 25	8 00
Cosmos, dark rose, large spike.....	15	1 25	8 00
Scarlet Light, very bright scarlet, splendid.....	25	2 50	17 00

## SINGLE ROSE.

Gigantea, blush, splendid truss.....	12	85	6 00
Maria Theresa, rosy tinted.....	12	1 00	6 75
Norma, satiny pink.....	15	1 25	8 00
Sultan's Favorite.....	15	1 25	7 00
Fabiola, large and extra fine.....	15	1 25	8 00
Madam Hodson, pink carmine.....	12	85	6 00

## SINGLE DARK BLUE.

Argus, blue, white eye, extra.....	10	75	5 00
Baron von Thuyll, large truss.....	10	75	4 50
Bleu Mourant, distinct color, extra.....	10	75	4 50
Charles Dickens, porcelain blue, large.....	10	75	4 50
Mimosa, bluish purple, splendid.....	10	85	5 50
Ring of the Blues, splendid.....	15	1 50	10 50

# DOUBLE HYACINTHS.

Double Hyacinths are inferior to the singles in every respect.

## DOUBLE DARK RED.

	Each.	Per Doz.	Per 100.
Bouquet Tendre, large truss.....	\$0 10	\$0 85	\$6 00
Noble par Merite, splendid truss.....	10	85	6 00
Regina Victoria, dark rose.....	10	85	6 00
Princess Royal, fine dark center.....	12	1 10	7 50

## DOUBLE ROSE.

Acteur, pink tinged carmine.....	10	85	5 50
Bouquet Royal, rosy salmon.....	15	1 25	9 00
Grootvoorst, fine rose, good truss.....	10	85	6 00
Czar Nicholas, blush rose.....	10	85	6 00

## DOUBLE DARK BLUE.

Crown Prince of Sweden, extra fine truss...	10	75	5 50
Garrick, lilac blue, splendid.....	10	85	6 00
Lord Wellington, striped lilac.....	10	75	5 00
Prince of Saxe Weimar, half double.....	10	75	5 00

## SINGLE LIGHT BLUE

	Each.	Per Doz.	Per 100.
Czar Peter, porcelain lilac, grand spike.....	\$ 15	\$1 25	\$8 50
La Peyrouse, clear blue.....	10	85	5 50
Grand Lilas, azure blue, perfect spike.....	15	1 25	9 00
Leonidas, splendid large truss.....	12	1 00	7 00
Lord Palmerston.....	10	85	6 00
Grand Maitre.....	15	1 25	9 00

## SINGLE WHITE.

Alba Superbissima, extra pure white ..	10	1 00	6 50
Baron von Thuyll, early pure white.....	10	85	6 00
La Grandesse, purest white, extra fine.....	15	1 25	9 00
Mad. von der Hoop, pure white, splendid....	12	1 10	7 25
Grandeur a Merveille, rosy blush.....	10	1 00	6 50
Voltaire, blush white.....	10	85	6 00

## SINGLE YELLOW.

Alida Jacoba, bright yellow.....	15	1 25	9 00
Fleur d'Or, pale yellow.....	10	75	5 25
Herman, orange yellow.....	10	75	5 25
La Pluie d'Or, pale yellow.....	10	85	5 50
King of Holland, orange yellow.....	15	1 50	10 00

## DOUBLE LIGHT BLUE.

	Each.	Per Doz.	Per 100.
A la Mode, dark center.....	\$0 10	\$0 85	\$6 00
Bloksburg, extra fine truss.....	10	85	6 00
Rembrandt, splendid.....	10	85	6 00
Mignon de Drijhaut, half double.....	12	1 00	6 50

## DOUBLE WHITE.

Bouquet Royal, pure white.....	15	1 25	9 00
Anna Maria, purple center.....	15	1 10	7 50
La tour d'Auvergne, pure white, large truss,	15	1 25	9 00
La Virginite, rosy center.....	10	75	5 50

## DOUBLE YELLOW.

Goethe, splendid, pale yellow.....	15	1 10	7 50
Ophir d'Or, reddish purple center.....	15	1 10	7 50
William III, extra fine apricot.....	15	1 25	9 00

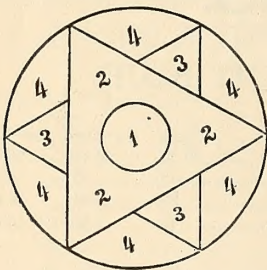
I can supply any variety of Hyacinth not named in this list at the lowest price.

# SPECIAL COLLECTIONS OF HYACINTHS FOR BEDS.



Bed of Hyacinths planted as shown in plan No. 2.

The following plans will all make beautiful attractive beds at a very low cost, for a very fine quality of Hyacinths. I will make special estimates and prepare elaborate designs for those of my customers who desire me to do so. These beds can be planted with the cheap unnamed Hyacinths in separate colors if desired. Prices quoted are orders booked by June 25th.

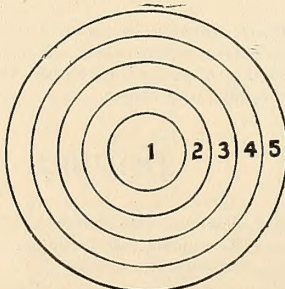


Plan No. 1.

**Plan No. 2. Collection B. 92**  
Choice Named Hyacinths  
for \$6.00.

- No. 1—8 bulbs, red—Robert Steiger
- No. 2—12 bulbs, yellow—Herman.
- No. 3—18 bulbs, blue—Bleu Mourant.
- No. 4—24 bulbs, white—Baroness Von Thuyll.
- No. 5—30 bulbs, rose—Norma.

Bed 5 feet across, requiring 92 Hyacinths planted 6 inches apart.

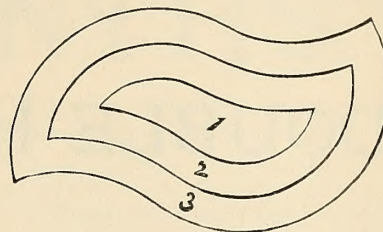


Plan No. 2.

**Plan No. 1. Collection A. 94**  
Named Hyacinths for  
\$6.00.

- No. 1—6 bulbs red—Robert Steiger.
- No. 2—30 bulbs, white—Voltaire.
- No. 3—18 bulbs, blue—Charles Dickens.
- No. 4—40 bulbs, rose—Norma.

Bed five feet across, requiring 94 Hyacinths planted 6 inches apart.



Plan No. 3.

**Plan No. 3. Collection C. 75**  
Choice Named Hyacinths for \$4.25.

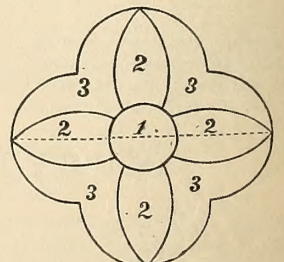
- No. 1—21 bulbs, red—Robert Steiger.
- No. 2—24 bulbs, white—Voltaire.
- No. 3—30 bulbs, blue—Charles Dickens.

Bed 6 feet long, by 3 feet across, requiring 75 bulbs planted six inches apart.

**Plan No. 4. Collection D. 120**  
Choice Named Hyacinths  
for \$6.50.

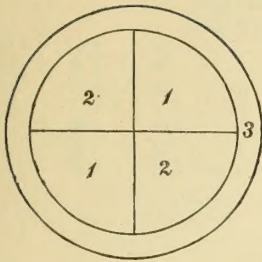
- No. 1—10 bulbs, blue—Uncle Tom.
- No. 2—50 bulbs, white—Baroness Von Thuyll.
- No. 3—60 bulbs, red—Robert Steiger.

Bed 6 feet across, requiring 120 Hyacinths planted 6 inches apart.



Plan No. 4.

SPECIAL COLLECTION OF HYACINTHS.—CONTINUED.



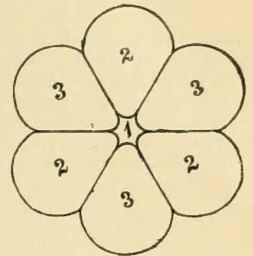
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Plan No. 5. Collection E. 92  
Choice Named Hyacinths  
for \$5.50.

- No. 1—30 bulbs, blue—Charles Dickens.
  - No. 2—30 bulbs, white—Voltaire.
  - No. 3—32 bulbs, red—Amy.
- Bed 5 feet across, requiring 92 Hyacinths planted 6 inches apart.

Plan No. 6. Collection F. 78  
Choice Named Hyacinths  
for \$4.00.

- No. 1—6 bulbs, white—Baroness Von Thuyll.
  - No. 2—36 bulbs, blue—Marie.
  - No. 3—36 bulbs, rose—Gigantea.
- Bed 5 feet across, requiring 78 Hyacinths planted 6 inches apart.



Plan No. 6.

# TULIPS.

Prices quoted are for orders booked by June 25th.

## TULIPS IN MIXTURE.

	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
Fine Mixed Single, quality equal to that generally sold.....	\$1 10	\$ 9 50
Extra Fine Mixed Single, extra selected.....	1 50	12 50
Fine Mixed Double, quality equal to that generally sold.....	1 15	10 00
Extra Fine Mixed Double, extra selected.....	1 50	12 50

Prices quoted are for orders booked by June 25th.  
Special price quoted for 10,000.

## SINGLE NAMED EARLY TULIPS.

The letters A, B and C indicate the proportional earliness of the varieties if planted out-doors. A and B may be used together for bedding purposes, but those marked C are later. The numbers preceding the names show the height of growth in inches. Those marked F after the name are best for forcing in the house or greenhouse.

	Per Doz.	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
B-7. Artus, brilliant red—F.....	\$0 25	\$1 25	\$10 00
B-7. Belle Alliance, scarlet—F.....	35	1 85	16 00
B-7. Bizart Pronkert, yellow and brown.....	40	1 50	13 00
B-7. Bizart Verdict, orange yellow and scarlet—F.....	25	1 25	10 00
B-5. Brutus, orange crimson.....	45	2 00	17 00
A-8. Canary Bird, fine clear yellow—F.....	40	2 75	25 00
B-9. Chrysalora, large golden yellow—F.....	40	2 75	25 00
C-9. Couleur Cardinal, cardinal red.....	35	1 75	16 00
B-8. Couleur Ponceau, white ground, with rosy crimson border.....	30	1 50	13 00
B-6. Cottage Maid, white, edged with rose, extra fine—F.....	60	3 50	32 00
B-7. Crimson King, fine red—F.....	25	1 25	10 00
B-9. Duchess de Parma, brownish red, yellow stripe—F.....	35	1 60	14 00
A-6. Duc von Thol, red and yellow.....	35	1 50	13 00
A-7. " " scarlet—F.....	25	1 25	10 00
A-6. " " yellow.....	50	3 00	27 00
A-6. " " white.....	60	3 50	30 00
B-8. Jagt von Delft, fine white—F.....	35	1 75	16 00
B-8. Joost von Vondel, large cherry red and white—F.....	40	2 25	20 00
B-9. Keiser Kroon, red and gold, large and fine—F.....	50	3 00	25 00
B-6. La Reine, rosy white—F.....	35	1 75	15 00
A-8. Pottebaker pure white—F.....	50	3 25	30 00
A-8. " yellow—F.....	40	2 50	23 00
B-8. President Lincoln, (Queen of Violets).....	35	1 75	15 00
B-7. Yellow Prince, golden yellow, sweet-scented—F.....	40	2 75	24 00
A-8. Proserpine, silky carmine rose, perfect form, (queen of tulips)—F.....	60	3 50	30 00
A-8. Rembrandt, scarlet—fine.....	40	2 25	20 00
B-5. Rose Grisdelin, beautiful white and rose—F.....	40	2 50	22 00

	Per Doz.	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
B-8. Rosa Mundi, rose and white—F.....	\$ 40	\$2 25	\$20 00
A-7. Rosa Luisante superb, large pink, extra fine.....	60	3 75	35 00
B-8. Standard Silver, crimson and white.....	35	1 75	15 00
B-9. Thomas Moore, buff shaded orange.....	50	2 60	24 00
B-6. Van der Neer, beautiful violet.....	30	1 50	13 00
B-8. Vermillion Brilliant, dazzling scarlet, very striking—F.....	50	3 00	28 00
B-7. Wapen Van Leiden, rose and white.....	35	1 60	15 00
B-5. Wouwerman, splendid dark violet.....	25	1 25	10 00
B-9. Princess Marianne, extra white, very large.....	40	2 50	22 00

## DOUBLE TULIPS.

These are all very desirable for bedding purposes. White, red and yellow sorts of about the same height planted in lines of three or four rows of each color form, with their large rose-like flowers, beds of surpassing grandeur. Their flowers being double, are quite persistent, and being also later in blooming they serve to prolong the season of gorgeous beauty in the spring flower garden. Those sorts marked (\*) are the earlier kinds which are not only valuable bedders, but succeed admirably if forced in pots. Those not so marked are not recommended for pot culture. A's flower together, B's follow, etc.; while those marked L are very late sorts.

	Per Doz.	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
B-6. Blanc Borde, purple, white edged.....	25	1 25	10 50
A-12. Couronne Imperiale, violet, crimson white.....	75	4 00	35 00
A-9. *Couronne des Roses, rich rosy pink, splendid.....	75	4 00	35 00
A-6. *Duc von Thol, red and yellow.....	25	1 25	10 00
A-6. *Duc von Thol, scarlet, splendid.....	25	1 25	10 00
B-8. *Duke of York purple, yellow edge.....	30	1 50	13 00
A-7. *Gloria Solis, Deep scarlet edge with bright yellow.....	30	1 50	13 00
A-8. *Imperator Rubrorum, brilliant scarlet.....	60	3 25	30 00
B-6. *La Candeur, pure white.....	30	1 35	11 00
L-9. *Mariage de ma Fille, white striped with carmine.....	75	4 00	35 00
B-6. *Murillo, light pink, very early.....	60	3 25	30 00
L-8. Peony, dark red.....	40	1 75	15 00
L-8. Peony, gold.....	40	1 75	15 00
A-8. *Purple Crown, purple, matron.....	35	1 50	12 00
B-7. Rex Rubrorum, bright scarlet.....	40	2 00	18 00
A-9. *Rosina, light rose.....	35	2 00	18 00
A-7. *Salvator Rose, white and deep rose.....	75	4 00	35 00
A-7. *Tournesoll, red and yellow.....	35	2 25	20 00
A-7. *Tournesoll, pure yellow.....	60	3 50	30 00
L-6. Yellow Rose, pure yellow.....	30	1 50	12 00
L-15. Blue Flag, violet blue, distinct.....	30	1 50	13 00
A-9. Helianthus, gold and scarlet, superb.....	35	1 75	15 00

MISCELLANEOUS TULIPS.

	Per Doz.	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
Parrot Tulips, mixed.....	\$0 25	\$1 25	\$10 00
<b>Gesneriana (Hortensis).</b> —The tallest, largest flowered and showiest of all Tulips for bedding out in masses, it deserves to be largely grown. Height, two to three feet. Flowers of enormous size, on strong, graceful stems, and the most durable of all Tu-			

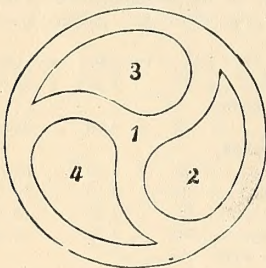
	Per Doz.	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
lips, as it holds its beautiful color and keeps perfect several weeks, flowering in May. Color, rich crimson scarlet, with glittering blue-black centre .....	30	1 50	13 00
Bizarres, choicest mixed varieties .....	30	1 50	12 00
Rose Bybloemens, choicest mixed varieties .....	40	1 75	15 00
Greigi, odd and beautiful.....	4 00	.....	.....
Oculis Solis, novel beautiful variety.....	1 00	6 00	.....
Florentine, sweet scented, yellow.....	60	4 50	.....
Variogated Leaved, assorted single or double 1 25	8 00	.....	.....

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS OF TULIPS FOR BEDS.



Bed of Tulips planted as shown in plan No. 7.

The following plans will all make beautiful and attractive beds at a very low cost for a very fine quality of named Tulips. I will make special estimates and prepare elaborate designs for those of my customers who desire me to do so. Prices quoted are for orders booked by June 25th.

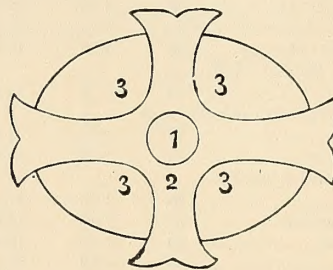


Plan No. 7.

**Plan No. 7. Collection G. 280 Choice Named Tulips for \$5.50.**

- No. 1—130 bulbs, white—Queen Victoria.
- No. 2—50 bulbs, yellow—Chrysalora.
- No. 3—50 bulbs, scarlet—Artus.
- No. 4—50 bulbs, Rose—Rosa Mundi.

Bed 6 feet across, requiring 280 Tulips planted 4 inches apart.



Plan No. 9.

**Plan No. 9. Collection I. 270 Choice Named Tulips for \$6.50.**

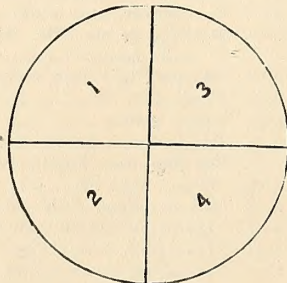
- No. 1—20 bulbs, yellow—Canary Bird.
- No. 2—150 bulbs, scarlet—Vermillion Brilliant.
- No. 3—100 bulbs, white—Queen Victoria.

Bed 6½ feet long, by 5 feet across, requiring 270 Tulips planted 4 inches apart.

**Plan No. 8. Collection H. 200 Choice Named Tulips for \$4.25.**

- No. 1—50 bulbs, scarlet—Belle Alliance.
- No. 2—50 bulbs, yellow—Yellow Prince.
- No. 3—50 bulbs, white—Queen Victoria.
- No. 4—50 bulbs, rose—Rosa Mundi.

Bed 5 feet across, requiring 200 Tulips planted 4 inches apart.

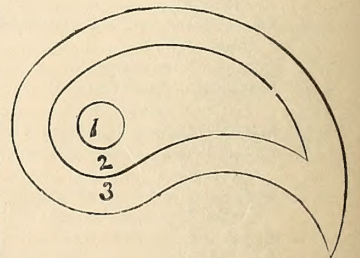


Plan No. 8.

**Plan No. 10. Collection J. 150 Choice Named Tulips for \$2.50.**

- No. 1—10 bulbs, crimson and yellow—Keizerkroon.
- No. 2—60 bulbs, white and crimson—Silver Standard.
- No. 3—80 bulbs, yellow and red—Bizard Verdikt.

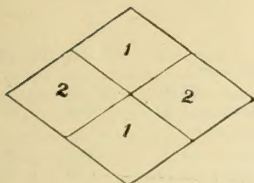
Bed 5 feet long, by 3 feet across at the widest part, requiring 150 Tulips planted 4 inches apart.



Plan No. 10.



## SPECIAL COLLECTIONS OF TULIPS.—CONTINUED.



Plan No. 11.

**Plan No. 11. Collection K. 144**  
**Choice Named Double**  
**Tulips for \$2.50.**

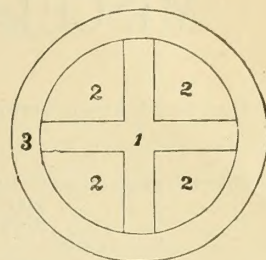
- No. 1—72 bulbs, double white—*La Candeur*.
- No. 2—72 bulbs, double scarlet—*Rex Rubrorum*.

Bed 5 feet long, by 4 feet across, requiring 144 Tulips planted 5 inches apart.

**Plan No. 12. Collection L. 280**  
**Choice Named Tulips**  
**for \$6.00.**

- No. 1—55 bulbs, white—*Pottebaker White*.
- No. 2—125 bulbs, scarlet—*Artus*.
- No. 3—100 bulbs, yellow—*Chrysalora*.

Bed 6 feet across, requiring 280 Tulips planted 4 inches apart.



Plan No. 12.

Prices quoted are for orders booked by June 25th.

## NARCISSUS OR DAFFODILS.

### DOUBLE NARCISSUS.

	Per Doz.	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
<b>Albo Pleno Odorata</b> (Double Poeticus), pure white, resembling a Gardenia, sweet scented, fine for out-doors or for forcing...\$0 25		\$1 50	\$10 00
<b>Incomparable Fl. Pl.</b> (Butter and Eggs), full double flowers of rich yellow..... 25	25	1 25	10 00
<b>Orange Phoenix</b> (Eggs and Bacon), double white and orange, beautiful..... 50	50	3 00	25 00
<b>Von Sion</b> (double yellow Daffodil), fine for out-doors and one of the best forcing sorts..... 50	50	2 50	20 00

### SINGLE NARCISSUS.

The true *Poet's Daffodils*. Delicately perfumed and charming in form and color. Fine for planting among shrubbery or in the grass.

<b>Poeticus</b> (Pheasant's Eye), the well-known <i>Poet's Narcissus</i> ..... 20	1 00	8 00
<b>Poeticus Ornatus</b> , improved Poeticus, can be forced earlier..... 40	2 00	18 00
<b>Biflorus</b> , pure white, with yellow cup..... 25	1 25	10 00

### TRUMPET NARCISSUS.

<b>Trumpet Major</b> (single Daffodil), fine for out-doors and greatly prized for forcing... 40	2 50	20 00
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The Crocus is the first flower to bloom in the spring, and it is no unusual sight to see the ground covered with snow and the Crocus in bloom at the same time. They are entirely hardy, do not deteriorate and may be left undisturbed for years. It is a good plan to plant Tulip and Hyacinth beds full of them, as they bloom and are out of the way before the other bulb flower.

A desirable effect is produced by setting Crocuses here and there over the lawn. It is only necessary to lift the turf and insert the bulbs two or three inches deep. They will care for themselves, blooming very early amid the grass and dying down to the bulb in ample time to be entirely out of the way of the lawn mower. Once planted they will remain uninjured in the ground and bloom for years. One of my customers planted 5,000 in his lawn last fall, and the effect when they were in bloom this spring was charming beyond description. All the more so that not one of his neighbor's places showed a sign of spring. The named varieties are very superior to the mixed ones, and at the low prices I offer them should be planted by all.

### SELECT NAMED CROCUS.

Prices quoted are for orders booked by June 25th.

	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
<b>Albion</b> , striped blue and white.....\$0 60		\$5 00

	Per Doz.	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
<b>Obvallaris</b> (Tenby Daffodil).....\$ 50	\$3 00	\$25 00	
<b>Bulbocodium</b> (Hoop Petticoat)..... 35	2 00	18 00	
<b>Princess</b> , large fine flowers..... 40	2 50	20 00	
<b>Empress</b> , pure white perianth, with yellow trumpet, superb, extra large..... 4 00	27 00	.....	
<b>Bi-color Horsfieldi</b> (the King of Daffodils), very large flowers of pure white, with rich yellow trumpet, strikingly beautiful, fine for out-doors or for forcing..... 3 00	18 00	.....	
<b>Emperor</b> , the largest Daffodil in cultivation, golden yellow, superb..... 5 50	40 00	.....	
<b>Henry Irving</b> , a superb variety..... 1 50	10 00	.....	
<b>Maximus</b> (Hale's Beaten Gold)..... 1 50	10 00	.....	
<b>Golden Spur</b> , large golden trumpet, very early..... 1 50	10 00	.....	
<b>Ard Righ or Irish King</b> , very early..... 1 50	10 00	.....	

### POLYANTHUS NARCISSUS.

(Not Hardy.)

<b>Paper White</b> , fine for forcing, can be had in bloom early in December, (bulbs ready in August)..... 30	1 50	12 00
<b>Chinese Sacred</b> ..... 1 50	10 00	.....
<b>Grand Monarche</b> , finest of the Polyanthus, 75	4 00	35 00
<b>Grand Soliel d'Or</b> , golden yellow orange cup.. 50	2 50	25 00

## CROCUS.

	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
<b>Baron von Brunow</b> , dark blue.....\$ 60		\$5 00
<b>Caroline Chisholm</b> , pure white..... 60	5 00	.....
<b>Grootvorst</b> , white..... 60	5 00	.....
<b>Ida Pfeiffer</b> , striped..... 55	4 50	.....
<b>La Majesteuse</b> , striped..... 55	4 50	.....
<b>Mont Blanc</b> , white, best..... 55	4 50	.....
<b>Non Plus Ultra</b> , blue, white border..... 60	5 00	.....
<b>Prince Albert</b> , blue..... 55	4 50	.....
<b>Queen Victoria</b> , white..... 60	5 00	.....
<b>Sir Walter Scott</b> , striped..... 60	4 50	.....
<b>Cloth of Gold</b> , first size..... 50	4 00	.....
<b>Cloth of Silver</b> , first size..... 55	4 50	.....
<b>Sir John Franklin</b> , large, dark purple..... 60	5 00	.....
<b>Lord Fielding</b> , striped..... 55	4 50	.....

### MIXED CROCUS.

<b>Mixed White</b> ..... 40	3 00	.....
" <b>Blue</b> ..... 40	3 00	.....
" <b>Striped</b> ..... 40	3 00	.....
" <b>Yellow</b> , second size..... 50	4 00	.....
" <b>all Colors</b> ..... 30	2 50	.....
<b>Large Yellow</b> , extra large bulbs, first size..... 60	5 00	.....

# MISCELLANEOUS BULBS AND PLANTS.

Prices for orders received before June 25th, for fall delivery.

	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
<b>Anemone Coronaria</b> , double large scarlet.....	\$1 50	\$12 00
“ “ “ blue .....	1 50	12 00
“ “ “ mixed .....	1 50	12 00
“ “ “ single “ .....	1 50	12 00
“ “ “ white .....	1 50	12 00
“ “ “ scarlet .....	1 50	12 00
“ <b>Fulgens</b> , “ “ .....	2 50	18 00
<b>Ranunculus, French</b> , 100 in 50 varieties .....	2 50	.....
“ “ “ fine mixture .....	1 50	.....
“ <b>Persian</b> , 100 in 50 varieties. ....	2 50	.....
“ “ “ fine mixture .....	1 50	.....
“ <b>Turban</b> , deep scarlet.....	2 00	.....
“ “ “ Grootvorst, bright crimson.....	1 00	.....
“ “ “ Hecules, pure white.....	1 00	.....
“ “ “ Grandiflora, crimson and yellow..	1 25	.....
	Per Doz.	Per 100.
<b>Lilium Brownii</b> , fine bulbs.....	\$9 00	\$65 00
	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
<b>Gladiolus Colvilli Alba</b> , “The Bride” (true), very popular in England for forcing .....	1 50	12 00
<b>Crown Imperials</b> , fine mixed..... per doz.	1 25	6 00

	Per Doz.	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
<b>Spirea Astilboides</b> , large, pure white, new, a superb variety.....	\$2 50	\$16 00	.....
<b>Spirea Japonica</b> , strong clumps for forcing	1 00	5 00	\$40 00
“ “ <b>Compacta Multiflora</b> , new, very fine .....	2 00	10 00	80 00
<b>Chionodoxa Lucillæ</b> (Glory of the Snow)...	25	1 50	12 00
“ <b>Sardensis</b> .....	25	1 50	12 00
<b>Galanthus Elwesii</b> , new “Giant Snowdrop”	35	1 75	12 00
“ <b>Nivalis</b> , single Snowdrop.....	20	1 00	7 50
“ “ double “ .....	40	2 00	15 00
<b>Ixias</b> , 100 bulbs in 50 varieties.....	.....	3 50	.....
“ “ very fine mixture.....	20	1 00	8 00
<b>Leucorum Vernum</b> , “Snowflake”.....	50	2 50	20 00
<b>Muscari Boitryoides Alba</b> , white “Grape Hyacinth”.....	20	1 50	10 00
<b>Muscari Boitryoides Coeruleus</b> , blue “Grape Hyacinth”.....	20	75	5 00
<b>Scilla Siberica</b> , finest sky blue.....	20	75	5 00

Scilla Siberica is one of the loveliest spring flowers. It has a color almost as deep as the sky itself. It is quite hardy and flowers out-doors at the same time as the Snowdrop, in front of which it has a charming effect.

If planted in pots and kept indoors it may be had in bloom as early as Christmas. Its magnificent bright blue color makes it suitable for any decoration whatever.

## AZALEA INDICA.

(For Greenhouse Culture.)

Strong plants averaging 12 inches high, with bushy crowns 10 to 12 inches in diameter, \$7.00 per dozen, \$45.00 per 100; 12 to 50 inches high, 12 to 15 inches in diameter, \$10.50 per dozen, \$75.00 per 100

*These prices hold good until October 1st.*

Large specimen plants from \$1.00 to \$6.00 each.

Delivery will be made early in October, as soon as importations are received.

- Alba Illustrata**, pure white, striped rose, large.
- Apollo**, white, carmine spots; large and flat; fine.
- Apollon**, white striped with rose, extra fine form.
- Bernhard Andreas Alba**, white, double.
- Ceres**, white, blotched with rose, fine bloomer.
- Comtesse de Beaufort**, bright vermillion rose, upper segment densely spotted with crimson.
- Comtesse de Flandre**, bright rose, large flower, good form.
- Deutsche Perle**, semi-double and well formed, of the purest white, and one of the best for forcing.
- Dr. Moore**, deep rose shaded violet, semi-double.
- Duc de Nassau**, rosy purple, large flower, of good form and substance.
- Empress of India**, white, salmon-rose and carmine intermingled.

**Flag of Truce**, white, large and double.

**Iveryana**, white striped with rose, large.

**Konig von Weisse**, of the purest white, good shape.

**Le Flambeau** very dark claret.

**Madame Camille Van Langenhoven**, white striped with crimson.

**Madame Paul de Schryver**, deep purplish crimson.

**Madame Van der Cruyssen**, rose, with deep spot.

**Madlle. Louise de Kerchove**, reddish pink, tipped with white, semi-double.

**Punctulata**, creamy white, red flakes.

**Reine des Roses**, rose, large flower, very effective.

**Roi d'Hollande**, deep scarlet, fine form.

**Rosa Bonheur**, pure white, flowers large and of fine form.

**Sigismund Rucker**, rosy lilac bordered with white, very distinct and fine.

**Simon Mardner**, double, intense rose.

### NOVELTY.

(Azalea Vervaeaanum.)

This Azalea is the finest and most effective yet sent out. Its flowers are of immense size, very double, of a vivid rose color, set off by a pure white border, fine plants; \$1.25 each, \$12.00 per dozen. Larger plants, \$2.00 to \$4.00 each.

## CHOICE NAMED PÆONIES.

(Fall Delivery.)

Prices good until September 1st, 10 per cent. discount if ordered before June 25th.

I have secured a collection of fifty fine named varieties of double named Paeonies in Europe at an unusually low price, and give my customers the benefit of it. Per dozen, \$3.50; per 100 \$22.00.

# JAPANESE IRIS.

Prices good until stock is exhausted. Fall or spring delivery. If planted in the fall will bloom well the following spring.

I was the first in this country to advocate the beauty and usefulness of hardy herbaceous plants, and observe with pleasure their greatly increasing popularity. In this class of plants, the Japanese Iris, easily take a first rank, and there is no garden so fine in which they would not be worthy of a prominent position. They are often called the "Orchid Fleur de Lis," and in their coloring and marking perhaps more nearly approach Orchids in appearance than any other flower. Be this as it may, they are flowers of unique and splendid beauty, perfect hardiness and easy culture, I always use them in my work and strongly recommend them to my customers. I have made arrangements by which I can

supply my customers the choicest named varieties from Japan, in about seventy sorts at the extremely low price of \$3.50 per dozen, \$25.00 per hundred. The varieties are the best, and equal to those offered by plantmen at from 50 cents to \$1.50 each. They will grow and bloom in almost any soil and position, except a very shady one, but if the soil is made deep and very rich, and the bed kept flooded with water for a month before and during their blooming season, which is the latter part of June and early part of July, they will repay the extra trouble, and will make a grand floral display in June that would be difficult to surpass. They should be planted about one foot apart, and every second or third fall the plants should be taken up, divided and replanted.

## LOW PRICES FOR HARDY HYDRANGEAS.

Prices good until stock is exhausted. Fall or spring delivery.

No more popular plant or shrub has ever been sent out than *Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora*, and I take great pleasure in offering my customers a large stock of splendid vigorous plants at such extremely low prices, that it will enable them to plant this effective shrub in quantity.

People who have only seen this *Hydrangea* grown singly as specimens have no conception of how beautiful and effective they are when planted in masses. They are planted in this way in Newport, R. I., which is famous for its fine gardens, and almost as famous for its *Hydrangeas*. These *Hydrangeas* can be planted in connection with other shrubby or in isolated beds, in the same manner as *Cannas*, *Caladiums* or other strong growing bedding plants. They are perfectly hardy, and once planted they are a permanent addition to the lawn or garden. When grown in beds or groups they should be planted about fifteen inches apart in very rich soil, and in early spring

before they commence to grow cut back almost to the ground. Treated in this manner they will produce enormous panicles of flowers, and the bed will be a solid mass of bloom. They bloom profusely the same season planted. Try them. You will find them more than satisfactory.

	Per 25.	Per 50.	Per 100.
<i>Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora</i> , 12 to 18 in.....	\$3 00	\$5 00	\$ 8 00
<i>Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora</i> , 2 to 3 feet .....	3 50	6 00	10 00
<i>Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora</i> , 3 to 4 ft., extra large and bushy. ....	4 25	7 50	13 00

No smaller quantities than those quoted will be furnished. It is suggested that when smaller quantities are wanted that two or three club together in ordering.

All of the above will bloom the first year, and are superior to the stock commonly retailed at 25 cents to \$1.00 each, and sometimes at even higher prices.

## SPECIAL OFFER OF GLADIOLI.

Prices good until withdrawn. Delivery at any time from November until June 15th.

For cutting, for the decorations of the house, or for any purpose for which cut flowers are used during the summer and fall months, no flower can be grown as satisfactorily as the *Gladioli*. The spikes of flowers are large, showy and very beautiful, and last a week in water after cutting. By planting at intervals from the 1st of April until the 15th of June they can be had in blossom from June 25th until frost. For cutting purposes they can be grown in the vegetable garden or any convenient place, and as they can be planted very closely, a large quantity can be grown in a very small space. They are of the easiest culture, failure being practically impossible, and it can be safely estimated that the bulbs will increase at least fifty per cent. every season. The bulbs can be wintered in any room or cellar that is free from frost. The bulbs offered below are strictly first-class, and are from the largest and best *Gladioli* grower in the world. The bright colored *Gladioli* are extremely effective if planted in masses in the margins of shrubbery. At these extremely low prices, which are really wholesale, they can be used in quantity. No smaller quantities will be supplied than those quoted, but one hundred will be furnished in four sorts and one thousand in ten sorts if desired. All first sized bulbs. Second sized bulbs can be furnished at still lower prices.

	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
Seedling <i>Gladioli</i> , superb quality, all colors.....	\$2 00	\$16 00
Mixed <i>Gladioli</i> , best quality, all colors .....	1 75	14 00
Red and Scarlet <i>Gladioli</i> , splendid for massing in shrubberies and borders.....	1 00	7 00
Light Colored <i>Gladioli</i> , all light colors .....	2 00	18 00
White and Light <i>Gladioli</i> , a choice mixture made from all named <i>Gladioli</i> , equal to what is generally sold for four times the price .....	3 50	30 00

	Per Doz.	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
White and Light <i>Gladioli</i> , finest quality, made up from the choicest named varieties.....	\$1 50	\$6 00	\$55 00
Pink <i>Gladioli</i> , best quality.....	2 00	16 00	
Yellow <i>Gladioli</i> .....	4 00	30 00	
Buff and Salmon, very showy and rare grade.....	1 25	9 00	
Striped and Varigated.....		3 00	25 00
Lilac Shades of <i>Gladioli</i> .....	1 25	5 00	

Collections of Named *Gladioli* of any extent will be furnished at prices lower than can be obtained elsewhere.

# THE BEST HARDY PLANTS.

Prices good until further notice. Varieties marked (\*) are pot grown and can be delivered throughout the year, and can be planted advantageously in the summer or early fall. Other varieties are grown in the open ground, and can be delivered in fall or spring. If hardy plants are planted in summer or early fall, they will bloom well the following season. The following list is the very best of the Hardy Perennials, and does not contain one weedy or trashy variety. Hardy plants not in this list will be supplied at equally low prices.

	Per Doz.	Per 100
* <i>Aquilegia Japonica Rosea</i> .....	\$1 50	\$10 00
" <i>Alba</i> .....	1 50	10 00

This charming white wind flower is without exception one of the most beautiful things in cultivation. It is a perfectly hardy, and in a strong rich soil will grow four to five feet high. It is a mass of beautiful white bloom, from late summer until heavy frosts. Light frosts do not injure the flowers at all. Every garden should contain a group of it, and on large places it should be planted by the hundred.

	Per Doz.	Per 100.
* <i>Aquilegia Coerulea</i> , (Rocky Mountain Calumbine).....	\$1 50	\$10 00
" <i>Glandulosa</i> .....	2 00	14 00
" <i>Canadensis</i> (native).....	1 50	10 00
" <i>Skinnerii</i> .....	1 50	10 00
" <i>Vulgaris</i> , single or double.....	1 25	8 00
" <i>Chrysantha</i> .....	2 00	13 00
" <i>Californica</i> .....	1 75	12 00
<i>Achillea Ptarmica</i> , Fl. Pl.....	1 25	8 00
<i>Anthericum Liliastrum</i> .....	1 50	10 00
* <i>Aster Noval Angliae</i> , the best of the 'Hardy Asters,'.....	1 50	10 00
<i>Arundo Donax</i> , splendid for making tropical like groups. Will grow 18 feet high in rich soil.....	4 00	25 00
<i>Arundo Donax</i> , variegata.....	5 00	30 00
* <i>Campanula Turbinata</i> .....	1 75	12 00
" <i>Barbata Alba</i> .....	1 50	10 00
" <i>Grandiflora Mariesii</i> .....	3 00	20 00
" <i>Garganica</i> .....	1 75	12 00
* <i>Coreopsis Lanceolata</i> .....	1 50	10 00
* <i>Delphinium</i> , <i>Formosum</i> .....	1 75	12 00
"    tall English varieties.....	2 00	12 00
<i>Dianthus Barbatus</i> , "Sweet William".....	1 75	12 00
" <i>Fimbriata Alba</i> , "White Fringe Pink".....	1 50	10 00
"    " <i>Rosea</i> .....	1 50	10 00
<i>Dicentra Spectabilis</i> , "Bleeding Heart".....	1 50	10 00
* <i>Digitalis Purpurea</i> , "Foxgloves".....	1 50	10 00
<i>Dictamnus Fraxinella</i> .....	5 00	35 00
"    " <i>Alba</i> .....	5 00	35 00
<i>Doronicum Plantagineum Excelsum</i> , a splendid spring flowering plant.....	2 50	18 00
<i>Eulalia Japonica Variegata</i> .....	2 00	12 00
"    " <i>Zebrina</i> .....	2 00	12 00
"    " <i>Gracillima</i> , new and very graceful.....	2 25	15 00
The Eulalias are splendid for making beds and groups for tropical effect.		
<i>Funkia Subcordata</i> , "White Day Lily".....	1 75	12 00
"    " <i>Sieboldii</i> , splendid foliage.....	3 00	20 00
"    " <i>Variegata</i> .....	1 50	10 00
* <i>Gaillardia</i> , hardy varieties.....	1 50	10 00

	Per Doz.	Per 100.
<i>Helianthus Multiflorus Plenus</i> , double hardy sunflower.....	1 50	10 00
<i>Helianthus Multiflorus</i> , great hardy sunflower.....	1 75	12 00
"    " <i>Doranicoides</i> .....	1 50	10 00
"    " <i>Loetiflorus</i> , the best.....	3 00	18 00
"    " <i>Rigidum</i> .....	1 50	10 00
<i>Hemerocallis Flava</i> , (Lemon Day Lily).....	1 75	12 00
"    " <i>Fulva</i> , Orange Day Lily.....	1 50	10 00
"    "    " <i>Flore Pleno</i> , double.....	1 75	12 00
<i>Hyacinthus Candicans</i> .....	1 00	7 00
<i>Helleborus Niger</i> , "Christmas Rose".....	4 50	30 00
<i>Hollyhocks</i> , best double.....	1 25	8 00
"    "    old fashioned single, very picturesque and more striking in effect than the doubles.....	1 25	8 00
* <i>Heuchera Sanguinea</i> , very choice.....	4 50	32 00
<i>Lobelia Cardinalis</i> (native).....	1 50	10 00
<i>Liatris Pycnostachya</i> .....	1 75	12 00
"    " <i>Spicata</i> .....	1 50	10 00
* <i>Lysimachia Nummularia Aurea</i> , Golden Moneywort, fine for carpeting.....	1 25	7 00
<i>Myosotis Palustris Semperflorens</i> , "Water Forget-Me-Not," splendid for naturalizing on edges of ponds and streams.....	1 50	10 00
* <i>Pyrethrum Uliginosum</i> , a splendid fall flowering plant.....	1 75	12 00
* <i>Pyrethrum</i> , double varieties.....	2 50	18 00
"    "    single.....	1 50	10 00
* <i>Phlox</i> , best perennial named varieties, small pot plants.....	1 25	8 00
"    "    "    clumps from open ground.....	2 00	12 00
* <i>Phlox Procumbens</i> .....	1 00	6 00
"    " <i>Subulata</i> .....	1 25	6 00
"    "    " <i>Alba</i> .....	1 25	7 00
<i>Plumbago Larpendtae</i> .....	1 75	12 00
* <i>Papaver Orientale</i> , great Oriental Poppy, splendid.....	1 75	12 00
"    " <i>Alpium Alpium</i> , White Alpine Poppy.....	1 75	12 00
* <i>Papaver Bracteata</i> .....	1 75	12 00
"    " <i>Nedicule</i> , "Iceland Poppy".....	1 75	12 00
"    "    " <i>Alba</i> .....	1 75	12 00
"    "    "    " <i>Miniatum</i> .....	1 75	12 00
<i>Rudbeckia Hirta</i> (native).....	1 75	12 00
"    " <i>Newmanii</i> .....	1 75	12 00
* <i>Sedum Spectabile</i> .....	1 75	12 00
"    " <i>Acre</i> .....	1 00	6 00
<i>Spiraea Palmata</i> .....	1 75	13 00
"    " <i>Astilboides</i> , splendid.....	10 00	.....
"    "    " <i>Aruncus</i> .....	1 75	13 00
"    "    "    " <i>Filapendula</i> , Fl. Pl.....	1 75	12 00
<i>Trillium Grandiflorum</i> .....	1 50	10 00
<i>Tritoma Uvaria Grandiflora</i> , needs protection.....	1 50	10 00
* <i>Viola Cornuta</i> .....	1 50	10 00
* <i>Wahlenbergia Grandiflora</i> .....	1 75	12 00
"    "    " <i>Alba</i> .....	1 75	12 00
<i>Yucca Filamentosa</i> , fine, strong plants.....	3 50	20 00
<i>Cypripedium Spectabile</i> . The most beautiful hardy Orchid, and one of the most lovely flowers in the world. Does well in a shady moist location outdoors and forces well in the greenhouse for Easter.....	3 00	20 00

# HARDY CLIMBING PLANTS.

	Each.	Per Doz.	Per 100.
<i>Akebia Quinata</i> .....	\$0 25	\$2 50	
<i>Ampelopsis Veitchii</i> .....	20	1 75	12 00
"    " <i>Royalii</i> .....	25	2 50	.....
"    "    " <i>Variegata</i> .....	25	2 50	15 00
<i>Aristolochia Sypho</i> , Dutchman's Pipe.....	40	4 00	.....
<i>Clematis Coccinea</i> .....	25	2 00	16 00
"    "    " <i>Vitalba</i> .....	25	2 00	16 00

	Each.	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
<i>Clematis Crispa</i> .....	\$ 25	\$2 00	\$16 00
<i>Honeysuckles Japonica</i> (evergreen) <i>Halliana</i> Coral, <i>Brachypoda</i> , <i>Aurea Reticulata</i> , (golden) and monthly, two years, fine.....	20	2 00	12 00
<i>Wisteria Sinensis</i> , purple.....	30	3 00	17 00
"    "    "    "    " <i>Alba</i> , white.....	50	5 00	30 00

# HARDY SHRUBS.

Prices good until changed, fall or spring delivery, all strictly first class American grown stock.

	Each.	Per Doz.	Per 100.
<b>Almonds</b> —Dwarf double flowering, pink and white, 2 to 3 feet.....	25	2 50	15 00
<b>Althaea</b> —Buist's variegated, 2 to 3 feet.....	25	2 50	15 00
<b>Althaea</b> —Buist's variegated, 3 to 4 feet, extra fine, transplanted.....	30	3 00	17 00
<b>Althaea</b> —Buist's variegated, 18 to 24 inches, 1 year, fine.....	20	2 00	12 00
The above are exceptionally fine for hedging purposes, as well as for producing marked contrasts in groups of mixed shrubbery.			
<b>Althaea</b> —Double, fine distinct named varieties, 2 to 3 feet.....	30	3 00	17 00
<b>Althaea</b> —Single Dwarf White, pure snow-white, fine, 2 to 3 feet.....	20	2 00	12 00
<b>Amelanchier</b> —Canadensis var. Rotundifolia, showy white flowers and sweet, berry-like fruit, 4-inch pots.....	25	2 50	.....
<b>Aralia</b> —Japonica, 8 to 10 feet.....	30	3 00	.....
<b>Berberry</b> —Common, 24 to 36 inches.....	20	2 00	12 00
—Purple, 12 to 18 inches.....	20	2 00	12 00
—Thunbergi, 18 to 24 inches.....	20	2 00	12 00
<b>Calycanthus</b> —Floridus, 2 to 3 feet.....	25	2 25	14 00
<b>Caragana</b> —Grandiflora, 18 to 24 inches.....	25	2 50	12 00
—Siberica, 12 to 18 inches.....	20	2 00	.....
<b>Ceanothus</b> —Americanus, 18 to 24 inches.....	25	2 25	.....
<b>Cephaanthus</b> —Occidentalis, 18 to 24 inches...	20	2 00	.....
<b>Cercis</b> —Japonica (Japanese Red Bud), 12 to 15 inches.....	50	5 00	.....
<b>Clethra</b> —Alnifolia, 24 to 30 inches.....	20	2 00	12 00
—Acuminata, a rare native shrub or small tree, with long drooping white fragrant racemes, 12 to 18 inches.....	70	7 00	.....
<b>Colutea</b> —Arborescens, 4 to 5 feet.....	25	2 25	.....
<b>Cornus</b> —Alba, Mas and Siberica, 2 to 3 feet...	20	2 00	12 00
<b>Corylus</b> —Purpureus (Purple Hazel), 12 to 18 inches.....	25	2 25	14 00
<b>Corchorus</b> —(Kerria Japonica), 2 to 3 feet.....	20	2 00	12 00
<b>Cydonia</b> —Japonica (Japan Quince), 12 to 15 inches, transplanted.....	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Cydonia</b> —Japonica (Japan Quince), strong, 18 to 30 inches.....	20	2 00	12 00
<b>Cydonia</b> —Japonica (Japan Quince), 3 to 4 feet, extra fine.....	25	2 25	14 00
<b>Cydonia</b> —Japonica (Japan Quince), white flowering, 18 to 24 inches.....	25	2 25	.....
<b>Deutzia</b> —Candidissima, Crenata Variegata, Crenata Fl. Pl., Fortunii, and Pride of Rochester, 3 to 4 feet.....	20	2 00	12 00
<b>Deutzia</b> —Gracilis, 18 to 24 inches, transplanted, nice clumps.....	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Deutzia</b> —Gracilis, 12 to 18 inches, good clumps.....	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Desmodium</b> —Penduliflorum, an exceedingly graceful shrub-like plant.....	30	2 75	.....
<b>Dimorphanthus</b> —Mandchuricus, a very ornamental shrub, with long multifid leaves, imparting a decidedly subtropical aspect to a group, 3 to 4 feet.....	30	2 75	.....
<b>Euonymus</b> —Linearis, a dwarf form with narrow linear leaves, 24 inches.....	30	2 75	.....
<b>Euonymus</b> —Monstrous, very peculiar corky bark, and specially attractive in fruit, 12 to 18 in.....	30	2 75	.....
<b>Exochorda</b> —Grandiflora, a rare Chinese shrub with pure white flowers, 3 to 4 feet, a fine stock.....	20	2 00	12 00
<b>Exochorda</b> —Grandiflora, slender, 2 years, 18 to 30 inches.....	15	1 50	10 00

	Each.	Per Doz.	Per 100.
<b>Forsythia</b> —Fortunii, Suspensa and Viridissima, 2 to 3 feet.....	20	2 00	12 00
<b>Gordonia</b> —Lasianthus, a member of the Camellia family, with large showy white flowers, 4 in. pots.....	1 25	13 00	.....
<b>Honeysuckles</b> —(Upright), 18 to 24 inches.....	20	2 00	12 00
<b>Hypericum</b> —Prolificum, 3 feet.....	20	2 00	12 00
<b>Ites</b> —Virginica, 3 to 4 feet.....	20	2 00	12 00
<b>Lilac</b> —Common purple, 2 to 3 feet.....	20	2 00	12 00
—white, 12 to 18 inches.....	15	1 50	10 00
—“ “ “ 18 to 24 “.....	20	2 00	12 00
—Persian, small flowers, 2 to 3 feet.....	20	2 00	12 00
—white flowering, 2 to 3 feet.....	25	2 25	14 00
—Rouge de Marly, the variety used by Parisian florists use for forcing, 2 to 3 feet.....	20	2 00	12 00
<b>Lilac</b> —Rouge de Marly, 18 to 24 inches.....	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Lilac</b> —Weeping, new, grafted on straight single stems, a decidedly pendulous and graceful form. The flowers resemble the ordinary Persian Lilac.....	85	8 00	.....
<b>Lilac</b> —New varieties, assorted, strong 2 years old budded plants, 3 to 4 feet, embracing such valuable varieties as Verschaffelti, Josikea, Dr. Lindley, Bertha Dammann, Ville de Troyes, Cœrulea Superba, President Massart, Virginal, Mme. Moser, Goliath, Mathieu de Dombasle, Valleteana, Langius, Ambrose Verschaffelt, Beranger, Gloire de la Rochelle, Nigricans, Lavanensis, Prof. Stockart, etc.....	30	3 00	18 00
<b>Lilac</b> —New varieties, assorted, strong 1 year old budded plants, single stems, mainly of the above, with other beautiful novelties..	25	2 50	15 00
<b>Maples</b> —Japanese dwarf, 12 to 15 inches, American grown.....	2 00	20 00	150 00
<b>Philadelphus</b> —Coronarius, 3 to 4 feet.....	20	2 00	12 00
—Dianthæflora Plena, double flowering, 12 to 18 inches.....	30	3 00	18 00
<b>Philadelphus</b> —Sanguinea, red branched, 2 to 3 feet.....	25	2 25	.....
<b>Privet</b> —California, 4 to 5 feet, unusually fine..	15	1 50	8 00
—California, 18 to 24 in., 1 yr, branched	10	1 00	6 00
—Varia't'd-leaved, an elegant new form, standing the sun well and always very distinct, 18 to 24 inches.....	25	2 50	.....
<b>Privet</b> —Variegated-leaved, 9 to 12 inches.....	20	2 00	.....
The California Privet is unsurpassed for hedging, being hardy, free from disease, bears shearing well, grows rapidly, and is very attractive.			
<b>Ribes</b> —Aureum—(Missouri Currant), 3 to 4 ft..	20	2 00	12 00
<b>Spiræa</b> —Billardi, Callosa, Reevesi, Reevesi Fl. Pl., Salicifolia and Thunbergi, 3 to 4 or 5 feet.....	20	2 00	12 00
<b>Spiræa</b> —Callosa Superba, Trilobata, 2 to 4 ft..	25	2 25	.....
—Ariæfolia, a very handsome new Spiræa, 18 to 24 inches.....	25	2 25	.....
<b>Spiræa</b> —Crispifolia, a curious little dwarf plant, attaining only a few inches in height, producing rose-colored flowers, 5 years, 9 to 12 inches, bushy.....	30	3 00	.....
<b>Spiræa</b> —Opulifolia aurea, 2 to 3 feet.....	25	2 50	.....
—Tomentosa, a showy native species, with pink panicles of flowers, 2 to 3 feet...	25	2 50	.....
<b>Spiræa</b> —Bumaldi, a new and beautiful dwarf variety, in flower all summer.....	25	2 50	15 00
<b>Spiræa</b> —Van Houttei, a dwarf and very graceful dwarf variety.....	25	2 50	15 00

# HARDY SHRUBS.—Continued.

	Each.	Per Doz.	Per 100.
<b>Snowberry</b> —White Fruited, 2 to 3 feet.....	20	2 00	12 00
“ —Red Fruited, 2 to 3 feet.....	20	2 00	12 00
<b>Sambucus</b> —Aurea (golden-leaved elder).....	25	2 25	14 00
“ —Variegata (Striped-leaved Elder) finely marked, 3 feet.....	20	2 00	12 00
<b>Stuartia</b> —Pentagyna, a lovely rare native shrub, with large cream-colored flowers, 12 to 18 inches.....	1 25	13 00	.....
<b>Tamarix</b> —Gallica, 4 to 5 feet.....	20	2 00	12 00
“ —Tetrandra, 4 to 5 feet, very attrac- tive species.....	25	2 50	14 00
<b>Viburnum</b> —Lantana, 3 to 4 feet.....	20	2 00	12 00
“ —Sterilis (Snowball), 18 to 24 in.....	30	3 00	.....
“ —Opulus (Cranberry tree), 12 to 18 inches.....	20	2 00	.....

	Each.	Per Doz.	Per 100.
<b>Weigela</b> —Abel Carriere, a beautiful shrub, with very deep purplish rose-colored flowers, 2 to 3 feet.....	25	2 25	.....
<b>Weigela</b> —Candida, 3 to 4 feet.....	20	2 00	12 00
I am now prepared to supply this charming pure white Weigela in large lots. Decided- ly the most desirable of its color.			
<b>Weigela</b> —Mme. Couturier, Amabilis Albo, Van Houttii, Rosea (a heavy stock of fine plants), Groenewegeni, Purpurata, and Rubra.....	20	2 00	12 00
<b>Weigela</b> —Rosea Nana Var. (Variegated-leaved), 2 to 4 feet.....	20	2 00	12 00
<b>Weigela</b> —Multiflora Floribunda (Fuchsia- flowering Weigela), deep blood-red flowers	25	2 50	.....
<b>Xanthoxeras</b> —Sorbifolia, new and beautiful..	30	3 00	.....

## HEDGE PLANTS.

	Per 100.	Per 1,000
<b>Osage Orange</b> —1 year.....	\$1 00	\$6 00
<b>Osage Orange</b> —3 years.....	1 25	8 00
Shrubbery—See pages 11 and 12.		
Privet—See page 11.		
	Per Doz.	Per 100.
<b>Retinispora</b> —Plumosa, 1½ to 2 feet, twice transplanted, sheared.....	\$3 00	\$18 00
<b>Retinispora</b> —Plumosa, 2 to 2½ feet, twice transplanted, sheared.....	3 50	21 00
<b>Retinispora</b> —Plumosa, 2½ to 3 feet, twice transplanted, sheared.....	4 00	24 00
<b>Retinispora</b> —Plumosa, 3 to 3½ feet, twice transplanted, sheared.....	4 50	27 00
<b>Retinispora</b> —Plumosa, Aurea, 9 to 12 inches, once trans- planted.....	2 50	13 00

	Per 100.	Per 1,000
<b>Retinispora</b> —Plumosa, Aurea, 18 inches (sheared, com- pact and handsome), twice transplanted.....	3 50	22 50
<b>Retinispora</b> —Plumosa, Aurea, 20 inches (sheared, com- pact and handsome), twice transplanted.....	4 00	27 00
<b>Retinispora</b> —Plumosa, Aurea, 2 feet (sheared, compact and handsome), twice transplanted.....	5 00	37 50
<b>Retinispora</b> —Plumosa, Aurea, 2½ feet (sheared, compact and handsome), twice transplanted.....	9 00	45 00

I can supply all plants suitable for hedging purposes at lowest prices, which I will quote on application. For an ornamental hedge there is nothing so beautiful as Retinispora Plumosa Aurea, and for a quick and inexpensive hedge nothing so satisfactory as California Privet. This is the hedge used so extensively at Newport R. I.

## ROSES.

Can be supplied from November until April.

These prices are intended for a regular assortment of varieties, subject to my approval. Should special kinds be wanted in quantity, I will quote rates on application. After a long experience with Roses I have concluded that the imported budded Roses are practically worthless for general planting, and have decided to handle nothing but American-grown Roses on their own roots.

### CLASS 1.—DORMANT PLANTS, GROWN IN THE OPEN GROUND.

	Per Doz.	Per 100.
<b>Hybrid Perpetual</b> —Sec. A—One year strong on their own roots—Alfred Colomb, Anna de Diesbach, Anna Alexieff, Blanche Lafite, Boule de Neige, Beauty of Waltham, Baronne Prevost, Baron de Bonstetten, Chas. Margottin, Coquette des Alpes, Countess of Oxford, Climbing Victor Verdier, Coquette des Blanches, Dupuy Jamin, Francois Levet, Francois Michelon, Fisher Holmes, Gen. Jacqueminot, Gloire de Margottin, Gloire Lyonnaise, Gen. Washington, Geant des Batailles, John Hopper, La Reine, Mme. Charles Wood, Magna Charta, Pæonia, Paul Ney- ron, Pride of Waltham, Prince Camille de Rohan, Souvenir de la Reine d'Angleterre, Ulrich Brunner fils, Victor Verdier.....	\$3 00	\$18 00
Sec. B—Scarcer varieties, one year strong, on their own roots—Duchess of Albany (Paul, 1888), a beauti- ful novelty in the way of La France, but larger and deeper in color, Gloire de Margottin, Mme. Gabriel Luzet, Queen of Queens, White Baroness.....	3 50	.....
Sec. C—Two years, on their own roots—Largely of		

<b>Anna Alexieff, Baron de Bonstetten, Baron Prevost, Baronne de Maynard, Blanche Lafite, Climbing J. Margottin, Coquette des Alpes, Coquette des Blanches, Elisa Boelle, Geant des Batailles, General Jacqueminot, Jules Margottin, La Reine, Mme. Charles Wood, Maurice Bernardin, Magna Charta, Pride of Waltham, Paul Neyron, Prince Camille de Rohan, Victor Verdier, etc., etc.....</b>	3 50	22 00
Sec. D—Scarcer varieties, two years, on their own roots—Mme. Gabriel Luzet, Gloire de Margottin and Gloire Lyonnaise.....	4 00	.....
<b>Centifolia</b> —Two years old—Mme. Plantier, the best hardy pure white Rose in cultivation, for all pur- poses.....	3 50	22 00
<b>Climbing</b> —Sec. A—Two years and one year strong— Anna Maria, Baltimore Belle, Eva Corinne, Eugene Jardin, Greville or Seven Sisters, Linnæen Hill Beauty and Prairie Queen.....	2 50	15 00
Sec. B—Gem of the Prairies (true).....	3 00	.....
<b>Austrian</b> —Persian Yellow, strong plants.....	3 00	18 00
<b>Sweet Briar</b> —Two years, splendid plants.....	2 50	.....
<b>Standard or Tree Roses</b> —Grafted on the "Dog Roses," 3 to 4 feet high, assorted varieties, all colors..	12 00	.....

### CLASS 2.—GROWN IN POTS.

(All on their own Roots.)

<b>Everblooming</b> —Standard varieties, in 4 and 4½-inch pots—Bon Silene, Bon Silene White, Comtesse de Labarthe, Catherine Mermet, Chromatella, La Prin- cess Vera, La France, Perle des Jardin and all standard varieties.....	\$3 50	\$18 00
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# Import Prices for Rhododendrons and Hardy Azaleas.

## RHODODENDRONS.

- Best Named Varieties (entirely hardy). 18 inches high, good, bushy plants, well set, with bloom buds, \$5 00 per dozen,.....\$37 50 per 100
- Best Named Varieties (entirely hardy). 2 to 2½ feet, good, bushy plants, well set, with bloom buds, \$7 00 per dozen, 50 00 per 100
- Best Named Varieties (entirely hardy). Selected plants, 3 feet high, well set, with bloom buds.....\$10 50 per doz., 75 00 per 100
- Best Named Varieties (entirely hardy). Extra selected plants, 3 ft. high, well set, bloom buds,.....\$15 00 per doz., \$100 per 100
- Best Named Varieties (entirely hardy). Extra selected specimens, well set, with bloom buds, 3 to 6 feet high,.....\$2 00 to \$10 00 each  
(These plants can not be bought in this country for three times the price).
- Best Named Varieties. Standards, well set, with bloom buds, 4 to 6 feet high,.....\$2 50, 4 00, 5 00, 6 00, 7 00, 8 00, 9 00 and 10 00 each, according to size and form.
- Seedling Hybrids, grown expressly for the American trade. Perfectly hardy and very beautiful colors. Nice bushy plants and all well set with bloom buds, 18 inches high,.....\$4 00 per doz., 25 00 per 100
- Seedling Hybrids, same as above, but finer plants, 1½ to 2 feet high,.....\$4 50 per doz., 30 00 per 100
- Seedling Hybrids, same as above, extra strong plants, 2 feet high and upwards,.....\$6 00 per doz., 40 00 per 100

## HARDY AZALEAS.

- Ghent Azaleas, good plants of the finest known kinds, well budded, equal to those sold here at \$1 50 each,..... 4 00 per doz., \$25 00 per 100.
- Ghent Azaleas, same as above but larger,.....\$5 00 per doz., 35 00 per 100
- Ghent Azaleas same as above, but extra fine and large plants, 2½ feet high .....\$7 00 per doz., 50 00 per 100
- Azalea Mollis, good plants of the finest named varieties, well set with bloom buds.....\$4 00 per doz., 25 00 per 100
- Azalea Mollis, same as above but larger plants \$5 00 per doz., 35 00 per 100
- Azalea Mollis, same as above, but larger specimen, such as retail here at \$3 00 each .....\$7 00 per doz., 50 00 per 100

## EVERGREEN SHRUBS.

	Per Doz.	Per 100.
Kalmia Latifolia, nice plants, well set with bloom buds.....	\$4 00	\$25 00
Andromeda Florabunda nice plants.....	4 00	25 00
Andromeda Japonica, the finest of all the Andromedas, nice plants.....	7 00	50 00

The above are net wholesale prices in England, to which must be added my commission, freight and charges. This stock is admitted free of duty. I attend to making all entries, re-packing and shipping, and I guarantee that my customers will receive the stock in perfect condition at the proper time for planting, and that it will not cost over one-half what the same stock can be bought for in this country. Orders should reach me not later than January 1st, 1893. Orders that reach me by June 25th I will personally select the stock for in England this summer. It cost my customers, including my commission, 52 per cent. in addition to prices quoted above to deliver this stock in New York this spring, and 64 per cent. in Pittsburgh. Orders of \$25.00 and upwards are packed in separate cases and shipped direct to Eastern customers from New York city, on their arrival from England, by my agent, thus saving my customers all extra charges for re-packing and freight. See testimonials on next page for customers for whom I imported this spring.

# Import Prices for Lilies Pæonies and Other Plants Grown in Japan.

Late fall or early spring delivery.

	Per Doz.	Per 100.	Per 1,000.
Lilium Auratum, 6 to 7 inches in circumference.....	\$0 75	\$4 00	\$30 00
Lilium Auratum, 7 to 9 inches in circumference.....	85	5 00	40 00
Lilium Auratum, 9 to 11 inches in circumference.....	1 00	6 00	50 00
Lilium Auratum, 11 to 13 inches in circumference, monster bulbs.....	1 20	7 00	65 00
Lilium Speciosum Rubrum 6 to 8 inches in circumference.....	1 00	6 00	50 00

Lilium Speciosum Rubrum, 8 to 9 inches in circumference.....	1 20	7 00	60 00
Lilium Speciosum Rubrum, monster bulbs.....	1 50	8 00	75 00
Lilium Speciosum Album, 6 to 8 inches in circumference.....	1 25	7 50	65 00
Lilium Speciosum Album, 8 to 9 inches in circumference.....	1 50	8 50	75 00
Lilium Speciosum Album, 9 to 11 inches in circumference.....	1 75	9 50	85 00

Rare varieties of Lilies will be imported from Japan, including the splendid new sorts of Auratum, but at customers risk only, to be paid for whether they arrive in good order or not.

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## IMPORT PRICES FOR JAPANESE STOCK.—CONTINUED.

### JAPANESE PÆONIES.

	Each.	Per Doz.	Per 100
Tree Pæonies, in superb novelties, from pure white to the deep purplish black <b>Kuro!</b> in 50 varieties.....	\$ 85	\$9 00	\$65 00
Herbaceous Pæonies, double, 50 new varieties from the south of Japan, splendid.....	60	6 00	40 00
Herbaceous Pæonies, new Japanese, single			

varieties. These single varieties are extremely novel and wonderfully beautiful. They run through every shade of white, pink and red, with immense petals and yellow corolla of stamens in center similar to a Lotus. They are extremely choice and I commend them without reserve..... 70 7 00 55 00  
The Japanese gardeners undoubtedly lead the world in Pæonies, Chrysanthemums, Iris and Lilies.

*The above are net wholesale prices for Japanese bulbs and plants delivered in San Francisco, to which must be added my commission and freight from San Francisco, and which make them cost from one-third to one-half of what the same stock will cost here. These prices will hold good until the stock which I control is exhausted. Orders will be DELIVERED IN LATE FALL OR EARLY SPRING, AS CUSTOMERS MAY DESIRE.*

## Some Letters from Customers.

Pittsburgh, May 13, 1892.

Mr. J. W. Elliott—

Dear Sir: In response to your note of the 11th inst., I take pleasure in saying that the Rhododendrons and Azaleas imported for me by you this spring are entirely satisfactory. They are of splendid sizes, of better quality than one can obtain from American nurseries, and cost me at least one-third less.

Yours truly,  
JOHNS McCLEAVE.

Flushing, N. Y., May 14, 1892.

Mr. J. Wilkinson Elliott—

Dear Sir: The Rhododendrons and Hardy Azaleas imported for me this spring are most satisfactory. The plants are strong, healthy and full of bloom buds, and seem to me remarkably cheap, judging by prices in our neighborhood.

Yours truly,  
W. B. LAWRENCE.

Pittsburgh, May 16, 1892.

Mr. J. Wilkinson Elliott—

Dear Sir: The Rhododendrons and Hardy Azaleas which you imported for me this spring were all strong, vigorous, healthy plants, and covered with bloom buds. The Azaleas commenced blooming about ten days ago, and are now in perfection. The Rhododendrons are just commencing, one or two of the dark colored ones being in full bloom, but the others not yet opened. The flowers are perfect, and the colors as handsome as any that I have ever seen in this country.

Yours truly,  
GEO. W. GUTHRIE.

New York, May 15, 1892.

Mr. J. W. Elliott—

Dear Sir: The Rhododendrons and Hardy Azaleas imported for my country place at Mamaroneck by you this spring are in every respect the finest I have ever bought, although I have paid double and treble the price. The plants are of the choicest varieties, perfectly vigorous, and healthy and full of bloom buds. The packing was per-

fection, not even a leaf was broken, and the plants could not have been fresher had they been grown within a mile of my grounds.

Yours truly  
JOHN R. HEGEMAN.

Pittsburgh, May 14, 1892.

Mr. J. W. Elliott—

Dear Sir: That I could get a large stock of Rhododendrons, comprising more than 76 named varieties, and of Azaleas numbering 117 varieties of Mollis and Ghent and their remarkable Hybrids from the best nursery in England for the, to me, ridiculously low prices at which you catalogued them, seemed doubtful until I unpacked the stock this spring. The Rhododendrons were very much larger and more vigorous plants than obtainable in this country, loaded with bloom buds, and are certainly worth twice their cost. The Azaleas are more wonderful. They cost but one-third the retail prices of the best stock in this country and are twice as large, and as they now unfold their marvelous beauty under the generous rains and favorable temperature of the spring, I begin to understand the bargain made.

I am sure if every plant lover in the country could see my collection it would be duplicated a thousand times.

The Auratum Lilies imported from Japan for me were enormous, and at less than 12 cents apiece were finer than bulbs which cost me five dollars per dozen.

I am very grateful to you for an inexpensive garden that is admired and coveted by all who see it. I find I am a gainer in every way to have you buy all my trees, shrubs, plants and bulbs for me.

Very cordially yours,  
JOHN MARRON.

Burlington, Vt., May 9, 1892.

Mr. J. W. Elliott—

Dear Sir: The Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora received were magnificent, the finest stock I have ever seen, and the price is the lowest. Sorry I did not order a much larger quantity.

Yours truly,  
A. W. MCINTOSH,  
Gardener for A. A. BUELL, Esq.





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