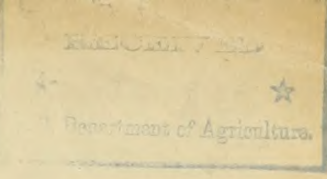


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Autumn, 1893.

# Trade Price List

OF

# BULBS

SOLD BY

## August Rölker & Sons,

136 & 138 W. 24th Street,

P. O. Station E,

New York.

Established 1835.

# Read our Terms.

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**To Approved Accounts: Net Thirty Days** from date of shipment, payable in **New York funds**; accounts not settled by the end of the month in which they fall due are subject to our sight draft without further notice, but with 25 cents added for exchange on New York.

Accounts over **One Hundred Dollars** may be settled by sixty days' note.

**Unknown Correspondents** must furnish satisfactory references, or enclose remittance on New York with order. As bulbs are perishable, we do not like to make C. O. D. shipments.

**Ten per cent. Discount** on all orders above One Dollar accompanied by cash, except on goods quoted as net. **The same discount** applies to approved accounts paid within ten days from date of invoice. **Remittances** are applied first to over-due accounts, before being entitled to the cash discount.

**Orders are filled in rotation** as they come in, and as long as our stocks last; when we are asked to buy in the market we charge a reasonable advance. Delivery from early in September forward; sorts marked † cannot be delivered until later in the Fall.

**We ship sound Bulbs in prime average quality** of each season's growth, judging from outward appearance. After leaving New York they travel at purchasers' risk. Claims, if any, must be made within 5 days after receipt of goods, as all can be seen within this time which we are expected to be able to see.

**We do not assume any responsibility for the results in forcing and flowering of Bulbs or Seeds**, as that is beyond our control. Should it, however, happen that, by some mistake of ours or of the shippers abroad, a wrong variety be delivered by us instead of the one ordered, and this be proved at the time of flowering, we shall then indemnify the purchaser to the extent of any difference in price existing between the respective bulbs in their *dry state only*, and as quoted in this catalogue; but under no circumstances do we agree to be charged with difference in the market value of the cut flowers when grown.

**All orders given, either verbally or in writing, are understood as accepting all our above-stated terms.**

Address all correspondence to P. O. Station E.

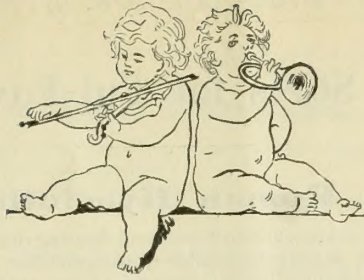
Respectfully,

**August Rölker & Sons,**

**136 & 138 W. 24th Street.**

NEW YORK, August, 1893.

STATION E.



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# August Rölker & Sons'

List of

## Selected Bulbs

From the Most Reliable Growers of Europe and America.

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*We furnish 6 bulbs of one variety at dozen rates ; 25 at 100 ; 250 at 1,000 rates.*

**No Charge for Packing and Shipping**, but postage will be charged on bulbs sent by mail, and we do not assume the risk of their safe arrival; to express is the safer way.

**Send Plain Shipping Directions**, as goods travel at purchaser's risk after leaving our store.

**Remit** by P. O. money order or check on New York. No goods sent C. O. D. without a proportionate deposit.

**In Ordering** named varieties state whether to substitute similar kinds when sold out. Parties not well acquainted with the different sorts will obtain better results by leaving the selection of their wants to us.

This list cancels all previous quotations. Prices are quoted for present stocks, and are subject to change without notice.

NEW YORK, August, 1893.

**August Rölker & Sons,**

**P. O. Station E, New York.**

**Warehouses, 136 and 138 W. 24th Street,**

**Between 6th and 7th Avenues.**

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**Our Motto is "QUALITY" or "The Best is the Cheapest."**

# The Leading Sorts for Cut-Flower Growing.

## Roman Hyacinths.—Now Ready.

Can be brought into flower from Thanksgiving forward. Three or four grown in 6 inch pots, or six in an 8 inch seed pan, will show very ornamental when in flower, and will prove ready sellers to the stores for home decorations. Grown in flats of fifty, they are easily handled, stand without injury shifting to any suitable place in the greenhouse, thus being economical in room. Good bulbs will often produce two and more suitable flower spikes; and should prove a paying investment to the grower. Small bulbs are apt to disappoint, wherefore, we offer only the large sized ones.



**A—White-skin Romans**—Single early, flowering pure white; the earliest kind.

	Per 1000	Per 100	per doz.
In selected size.....	\$24 00	\$2 50	\$0 40
If bought by the original case of 2000.....	23 00		
In extra selected size.....	27 00	3 00	45

**B—Red-skin Romans**—The later kinds, force from February to Easter.

	Per 100	Per doz.
Single, blush white, stock limited.....	\$2 50	\$0 40
Double, rosy white.....	2 25	35
Single blue.....	2 25	35

## Lily of the Valley.

**Best German Forcing Pips**—November delivery.



Since years this little bulb has been our specialty, and the large quantities we handle have enabled us to not only obtain the best terms but also to command the best quality. From the many endorsements we hold and from the repeated orders of large consumers all over this country we can say: **No Valley Pips average better than ours, and if properly treated Rötker's Valleys are bound to give satisfaction.** The size of pips differs with each season, but we warrant to deliver prime average quality of the season's growth. Our pips come packed in boxes of 2,500.

If bought by the original box our price is.....	Per 1000	\$8 00
In less quantities we sell.....	100 at \$1 50....	9 00
Larger quantities we shall be glad to estimate on.		

**Please Note.**—For earliest forcing it will pay to select only medium-sized and well-rooted even-running pips of pinkish not greenish hue, and to leave the others for later forcing, when they will respond well, whilst early they would prove a loss. **Pot-growing** of pips is

largely practiced in Germany and can be done to pay equally well in this country. 25 pips in a 6 inch pot will find ready buyers when in flower, and even inferior flowers will here help to heighten the general effect and not prove second class sellers. Avoid too much bottom heat in forcing which burns the roots and stops the growth. A gradual increase from 75° to 95° is advised, and plenty of water of tepid temperature. Sudden changes of bottom heat check the growth, therefore, when grown in flats, extra attention is required when shifting to increased temperature.

## Totus Albus or Paper White Narcissus.—Now Ready.

Can be forced to flower about two to three weeks earlier than the early Roman Hyacinth. Its pure white flowers of fine clove scent are much admired and nearly always find a ready market. This variety belongs to the Polyanthus tribe. Good bulbs produce one sometimes two flower spikes. We offer:

	Per 1000	Per 100
The Old or Common Paper White.....	\$7 50	\$1 00
The Improved or Grandiflora kind.....	10 00	1 25

The latter excels by its larger flowers and flower-heads, but the former is a little earlier in forcing. Five bulbs to an 8 inch seed pan will make quite a show when in flower.

## Double Roman Narcissus.—Now Ready.

Are not as beautiful as the Paper Whites but a little earlier in flowering. Their flowers resemble the Chinese Narcissus (so-called Sacred Lilies) in general appearance.

The 1000 at \$10 00; the 100 at \$1 25.

## Double Von Sion.

The well-known golden yellow Narcissus, known in England as **Double Daffodills**, has proved the most popular of all the forcing Narcissi. For cut flowers they are best grown in flats, but grown three in a six inch pot or six in an eight inch pan they are very effective when in flower, and have always proved a good seller to the stores for home decorations, especially during Lent time, as foreboders of Spring. Many small so-called flowering bulbs are offered at low prices; they are unreliable in forcing and are best used for the latest flowering in the frame or out-doors. Good sized bulbs will force readily and produce repeatedly two flowers and more to the bulb. We offer in three sizes, as follows:

Ordinary so-called flowering size.....	\$16 00 per 1000;	\$1 80 per 100
Prime forcing size.....	19 50 “	2 00 “
Extra selected.....	23 50 “	2 40 “

## Double Incomparable Narcissus.

Also called Butter and Eggs, is a competitor of the foregoing in forcing, being nearly two weeks earlier; but in color it is not of as bright a yellow; its greater cheapness recommends it. We offer:

The 1000 at \$10 00; the 100 at \$1 25

It shows well when grown in pans; so does

## Single Bicolor Princeps Narcissus.

Of very refined appearance with its bright golden yellow trumpet, the surrounding petals nearly white, bearing mostly two flowers to the bulb, on stems of good height; forces readily for March. This bulb is certainly deserving of larger cultivation. True the Horsfieldi is grander, but by far more expensive and comes later. We offer fine bulbs,

The 1000 at \$18 00; the 100 at \$2 00

## Poeticus Ornatus Narcissus.

An earlier variety of the old Pheasants Eye without the disagreeable heavy fragrance of the latter. The price is now so cheap that it is bound to enter the line of popular forcing Narcissi, though it will hardly flower before latter part of March. We can offer a limited stock,

The 1000 at \$10 00; the 100 at \$1 25

## Freesia Refracta Alba Odorata.—Now Ready.

Also called the African Lily of the Valley. The graceful sprays set with six to eight fine white fragrant flowers show equally well when used as cut flower, as when grown in pots or pans, forming a luxuriant lasting bouquet. Grown cold they remain more dwarf and compact. A well-grown pan of Freesias will find ready buyers among the public, and can be produced at very moderate cost. Even very small bulbs of Freesias will produce fair flowers, but the larger bulbs are likely to produce more flowers in succession. Our selections are very liberally assorted as to size of bulb. We offer:

Good prime selected.....	\$7 50 per 1000;	\$1 00 per 100
Extra fine selected.....	10 00 “	1 25 “
Leichtlinii, the yellowish variety.....	10 00 “	1 25 “

## Gladiolus Colvillii Alba, “The Bride.”—Fall Delivery.

For Spring flowering this bulb is largely employed in Europe; its pure white graceful spikes come out-doors fully four weeks ahead of the gandavensis kinds, and are a valuable contribution to the cut flower market when other white flowers are scarce. They are hardy but in severe climates need Winter covering. For forcing in pots it has thus far not been appreciated in our country, though this is done abroad on a very large scale and successfully, the bulbs, of Crocus size, often producing three to five spikes from 12 to 18 inches long. The treatment is that of Hyacinths. A special purchase enables us to offer a limited quantity very low so that a trial will involve only a small cash outlay. We offer:

The 1000 at \$5 00; the 100 at 75 cents.

## Lilium Candidum—The old St. Joseph's Lily. Now Ready.

Less reputed now than formerly, this Lily is still worthy of attention as a good flower for funeral work. The over cultivation by the French has reduced the size of the flowers to appear more like large Azaleas than Lilies, but the spikes when cut are a graceful ornament for vases, and the flowers have not that heavy headache scent of the *Harrisii*, objected to by many. For out-door growing and early Summer flowering our smallest size will answer. For forcing we recommend the larger sizes. We offer:

Smallest, for bedding out.....	\$22 50 per 1000 ;	\$2 50 per 100
Good first size, for forcing.....	25 00 “	2 80 “
Extra selection.....	30 00 “	3 50 “

## Other Lilies, Hyacinths, Tulips, Etc.

See later chapters under respective headings.

## For Growing into Plants

As Easter and Home Decorations.

We call special attention to

### Spiraea Japonica—In Clumps. Fall Delivery.

The graceful sprays of this plant, covered with fine white feathery blossoms, are very useful as cut-flowers, for Basket and Bouquet work, but as a **Spring Plant** this ranks among the most important for Easter sales. Besides it is hardy and does credit to any garden. We offer fine clumps:

In original boxes of 100, at.....	\$5 50 the box.
In boxes of 50 only, at.....	3 30 “
By the thousand, at.....	50 00 the 1000.

### Spiraea Compacta Multiflora.—Fall Delivery.

Is a decided improvement on the old Japonica, but the stock is as yet very limited abroad, and we can offer it only by the

100 clumps, at.....	\$11 50
The dozen, at.....	1 50

### Lilium Harrisii—The Bermuda Easter Lily. Now Ready.

Much earlier than the old Longiflorum variety; can be flowered for Christmas and earlier. The smallest bulbs are preferred for the earlier cut-flower growing, producing less flowers, but longer flower stems. The larger bulbs are preferred for pot-plant growing. We offer in three sizes, stock from the most reliable growers only:

	Per 1000	Per 100
A—5 to 7 in. circumference of bulbs.....	\$27 00	\$3 00
B—7 to 9 in. “ “ .....	55 00	6 00
C—9 to 11 in. “ “ .....		12 00

Keep the fly off the growing buds in all stages, else you will loose or spoil them.

### Rhododendron Plants.—Fall Delivery.

These are getting annually more popular for the Easter trade. We import the little bushes from Belgium, covered with 8 to 12 and more sets of buds. They force easily into flower for the coming Spring, and with their bright colors of pink, crimson, scarlet, blush and white, make a very rich show. To secure a nice stock for timely fall delivery importation orders should be given at once, as we do not carry stock of these in this country. The cost of nice plants in boxes of assorted colors, holding 25 to 50 plants, is 40 cts., 50 cts., 75 cts., and \$1.00 each plant, according to size.



## Azalea Indica Plants.—Fall Delivery.

No better plant exists for Spring and Easter sale. Its lovely delicate colored and beautifully shaped flowers have made it the favorite of the public. Thousands of plants are imported annually, of which we supply a fair share. With proper treatment failure is hardly possible, and the return on the investment averages a good profit. The main part of our sales are made in the spring for fall delivery, but for those who delayed ordering in time, and still wish to supply themselves from our much prized stock, we have secured a limited quantity of finely grown little plants which we offer by the original box of fifty plants, in the following very desirable assortment:

- 5 Deutsche Perle, double, purest white.
- 5 Rafael, double, white.
- 5 Vervæneanum, largest flowering, double, pink and white.
- 5 Empress of India, double, pink, white bordered.
- 5 Sigismund Rucker, similar.
- 5 Emperor of Brazil, double, rosy, bordered white.
- 5 Simon Mardner, double, pink, large flowering.
- 5 Dr. Moore, double, bright deep pink.
- 10 Mad. Van der Cruysen, double, bright crimson.

In all fifty plants, these we can offer in two grades:

First—About 10 to 12 in. diam. of Crown, for.....	\$20 00
Second— “ 12 to 14 in. “ “ “ “ .....	30 00

Early ordering is advised to secure this stock.

## Other Bulbous Plants.

See the following chapters.



To those who wish to procure earthen pans for growing bulbous stuff as previously mentioned, we can recommend our special make, manufactured to fit our extra deep metal Jardiniere or Fern Dish, of embossed metal, in nickel, copper-bronze and silver-plated finish, quoted below.

Each Metal Jardiniere should help to sell many a flowering pan of bulbs, as it serves to hide the plain looks of the earthen pan, which latter is again interchangeable in rotation as the different pans may come into flower, by means of a metal clasp furnished with each Jardiniere. This combination should prove a very pleasing and acceptable decoration for every home. We can furnish the

Metal Jardiniere—	—Diam. of Pans—	
including clasp and one earthen pan,	7 in.	8 in.
in nickel or copper-bronze finish .....	for \$1 50	\$1 75 each.
in silver-plated finish:.....	“ 1 85	2 15 “
<b>Special Earthen Pans—Round,</b>	7 in.	8 in.
to fit these Jardinieres .....	at per 100, \$9 00	\$13 50
	“ doz., 1 20	1 80

## Dutch Hyacinths.

This most beautiful Winter or early Spring flowering Bulb is very easy to grow if properly attended. 5 inch pots are best chosen for single bulbs, and rich soil mixed with a little sand; five to six in an 8 inch pan will make a good show, but then it is best to take all of one kind, or only such varieties as will flower together. Out doors any good garden soil will answer. Plant 4 to 6 inches deep, and 8 to 10 inches apart. Sunny exposure is preferred, and slight protection during the winter months.

For best results we recommend our Superfine Mixtures and the named sorts but for those who desire a smaller outlay, we keep the cheaper mixtures, which will give satisfaction in proportion to their cost. We offer:

### In Mixtures.

**A—Bedding Mixture.** Suitable only for bedding out. The regular Dutch mixture as put up abroad from red, white, and blue colors, mixed.

	Per 1000	Per 100
Single flowering, mixed.....	\$19 50	\$2 00
Double flowering, mixed.....	19 50	2 00
Single and Double, mixed.....	19 50	2 00



**B—Fair Mixture, for Bedding or Forcing.** Single or Double, in separate colors of

	Per 1000	Per 100
Red, White, and Blue. } In even proportion of each color.....	\$23 00	\$2 50

**C—Choice Mixture, for Forcing or Bedding,** as put up abroad especially for our trade:

	Single.		Double.	
	Per 100	Per doz.	Per 100	Per doz.
Red, all shades, mixed.....	\$3 00	\$0 45	\$3 00	\$0 45
White, “ “.....	3 40	50	3 50	50
Blue, “ “.....	2 80	45	2 80	45
Yellow, “ “.....	3 00	45	5 00	75
Red, White, and Blue, Mixed.....	3 00	45	3 00	45
Red, White, and Blue, separate, in our assortment, about even.	3 25	50	3 25	50
The same, separate, and about 2/3 single, 1/3 double flowering, in our assortment, the full 1000 for.....	\$27 50			
“ 500 “.....	14 50			
“ 300 “.....	9 00			

**D—Superfine Mixture, for Forcing or Bedding,** as put up by us from named sorts quoted hereafter.

Red, all shades, mixed.....	4 25	65	4 25	65
White, “ “.....	4 75	75	4 75	75
Blue, “ “.....	4 00	60	4 00	60
Yellow, “ “.....	5 00	75		
Red, White, and Blue, Mixed.....	4 25	60	4 25	60
Red, White, and Blue, separate, in our assortment, about even.	4 75	80	4 75	80
The same, separate, and about 2/3 single, 1/3 double flowering, in our assortment, the full 1000 for.....	\$40 00			
“ 500 “.....	21 00			
“ 300 “.....	13 00			

### E—Exhibition Hyacinths in Collections.

For all who wish to compete at Spring shows, or to have an extra fine flowering strain of Hyacinths, we offer the following collections:

- No. 1—One dozen bulbs, in 12 distinct named sorts of red, white, blue and yellow, one quarter double flowering..... the collection \$1 50
- No. 2—Two dozen bulbs, in 12 distinct named sorts, as before..... 2 50
- No. 3—Four dozen bulbs, in 24 distinct named sorts, of red, white, blue and yellow, single and double flowering..... 4 00

**F—Fine Named Sorts.**

The Single ones are generally more effective in flowering than the Double ones. All Hyacinths usually do better in pots than on glasses; for the latter purpose choose the heaviest bulbs and remove all offsets.

**Flowering Single Red and Rose.**

	Per 100	Per doz.
Elise, dark, good	\$6 00	\$0 85
Baron Thuyl, light pink, very fine	8 00	1 10
Gertrude, rose, compact truss	6 50	90
Gigantea, light rose, good	6 00	85
Homerus, pink, very early	7 00	1 00
Mad. Hodson, bright pink, good	6 00	85
Norma, satiny rose, large bells, early	7 00	1 00
Lord McCauly, bright pink, fine	7 00	1 00
Lord Wellington, light red, early	7 00	1 00
Reine des Jacinthes, bright red, very fine	6 00	85

**Double Red and Rose.**

Bouquet Royal, rosy, very fine	6 00	85
Bouquet Tendre, red, early	6 00	85
Czar Nicholas, pale rose	6 00	85
Prins von Oranje, bright rose, early	7 00	1 00
Regina Victoria, deep rose	6 00	85

**Single White and Pure White.**

Baroness Thuyl, pure	7 00	1 00
Grand Vedette, pure, early	6 00	85
Grandeur a Merveille, blush	6 00	85
La Grandesse, pure	9 00	1 20
La Belle Blanchisseuse, pure	6 00	85
La Vestale, pure	6 00	85
La Franchise, blush	6 00	85
Madame Van der Hoop, pure	6 00	85
Queen Victoria, pure, good	6 00	85
Voltaire, blush	6 00	85

**Double White and Pure White.**

Anna Maria, blush	6 00	85
Flevo, pure, late	6 00	85
La Tour d'Auvergne, pure, earliest	8 00	1 10
La Verginite, blush	6 00	85
Prins of Waterloo, pure white	8 00	1 10

**Single Light and Dark Blue.**

Baron von Thuyl, deep blue	6 00	85
Blondin, porcelain, fine	6 00	85
Chas. Dickens, fine blue, early	6 00	85
Czar Peter, porcelain, pale	8 00	1 10
Grand Maitre, light blue	7 00	1 00
La Peyrouse, porcelain	6 00	85
King of the Blues, fine	8 00	1 10
Marie, dark blue, fine truss, early	6 00	85
Pelissier, pale blue, good	7 00	1 00
Regulus, pale blue, large bells, good	6 00	85

**Flowering Double Light and Dark Blue.**

	Per 100	Per doz.
Blocksbergen, light blue.....	\$6 00	\$0 85
Chas. Dickens, blue, early.....	6 00	85
Garrick, blue, early.....	7 00	1 00
Mignon von Drijfhout, deep blue.....	6 00	85
Rembrandt, porcelain blue.....	6 00	85

**Single Yellow.**

Fleur d'Or.....	6 00	85
La Pluie d'Or, light.....	6 00	85
L'or d'Australie, fine yellow... ..	8 00	1 10
Hermann, salmon, large truss.....	6 00	85

**Double Yellow.**

Bouquet d'Orange, semi-double.....	10 00	1 35
Wilhelm III.....	8 00	1 10

We shall substitute with similar variety whenever a variety is sold out, unless specially instructed otherwise.

In our selection of Varieties we offer:

				the lot
100	Named Hyacinths, in 10 of above varieties, our choice, at.....			\$6 00
200	“ “ 10 “ “ .....			11 50
300	“ “ 20 “ “ .....			17 00
500	“ “ 25 “ “ .....			27 50
1000	“ “ 40 “ “ .....			50 00

**Tulips.**

With their bright colors are indispensable in bedding where a show of early Spring flowers is desired, and for pot-culture indoors nearly all the leading varieties may be recommended. Their treatment is similar to that of Hyacinths. As a cut flower they are mostly grown in flats and come very handy in the general assortment of Winter flowers. The most suitable varieties for this purpose are printed in heavy type, but **do not try to force Tulips unless they be thoroughly rooted.** The greatest effect is shown where ten or twelve of a solid color are grown in an 8 inch pan, thus they make a beautiful show for window or room decoration. Such pans can be produced at moderate cost and will prove ready sellers during the dreary winter days. If properly handled a succession of flowers can be had from middle of January forward until Easter and later. The earliest varieties are marked with a \*



SINGLE TULIP.



DOUBLE TULIP.

Only a few of the double ones are fit for forcing; these are marked.

**Single Flowering Early Varieties.**

	Per 1000	Per 100	Per doz
Artus, scarlet.....	\$9 00	\$1 00	\$0 20
Bizard Verdict, brown and yellow.....		1 25	20
Brutus, dark red, fine gold border.....		1 50	25
Canary, yellow.....		2 80	40
Cardinal's Hat, deep red.....		1 25	20
*Chrysolora, yellow.....		2 65	35
Crimson King, scarlet.....		1 00	20
*Duc Van Thol, scarlet.....	6 00	80	15

**Single Flowering Early Varieties—Continued.**

	Per 1000	Per 100	Per doz
<b>Duchesse de Parma</b> , red yellow border.....	\$13 50	\$1 50	\$0 25
<b>Eleonore</b> , claret color, tall.....		1 50	25
<b>Grandmaster of Malta</b> , fine white, carmine striped.....		2 50	35
<b>Gold Prince</b> , yellow.....		2 80	40
<b>Jagt von Delft</b> , white.....		2 00	30
<b>Joost von Vondel</b> , carmine and white.....		2 25	35
* <b>Keizerskroon</b> , red and yellow border.....		2 25	35
<b>La Reine</b> , white.....	12 50	1 40	25
<b>Lac von Rhijn</b> , lilac and white border.....		1 25	20
<b>Leonardo de Vinci</b> , bright orange scarlet.....		3 00	40
* <b>L’Immaculee</b> , pure white.....		2 25	35
<b>Louis d’Or</b> , bright yellow, striped red.....	20 00	2 25	35
<b>Pax Alba</b> , pure white.....		2 25	35
* <b>Pottebackker</b> , pure white.....		3 25	50
“ yellow.....		2 50	35
“ scarlet.....		2 00	30
* <b>Proserpine</b> , dark rose, extra early.....		3 50	50
<b>Rosamundi H.</b> , rose.....	18 00	2 00	30
* <b>Rose Gris de lin</b> , fine rose.....		2 75	40
<b>Silver Standard</b> , white, striped carmine.....		1 75	25
<b>Thomas Moore</b> , bright orange, tall.....		2 00	30
<b>Van Gooyen</b> , rose, tall.....		2 25	35
<b>Van der Neer</b> , purple.....		1 50	25
* <b>Vermilion brilliant</b> , bright scarlet.....		3 50	50
<b>Wapen van Leyden</b> , white, rose tipped.....		2 00	30
* <b>Waterloo</b> , scarlet.....	15 00	1 60	25
<b>White Hawk</b> , pure white, a grand bedder.....		3 50	50
<b>Wouverman</b> , a fine claret purple.....		1 00	20

**Single Early Dwarf Duc Van Thol.**

These are the earliest of all Tulips, but more dwarf, therefore best adapted for pot growing only, will flower for Christmas and New Year.

	Per 100	Per doz.
<b>Duc van Thol</b> , common, red and yellow.....	\$1 00	\$0 20
“ “ maximus, scarlet gold border, very early.....	3 00	45
“ “ rose.....	2 40	35
“ “ scarlet, the latest.....	per 1000, \$6 00.. 80	15
“ “ white, the earliest.....	3 50	50
“ “ yellow.....	3 00	45

**Single Mixed Tulips for Bedding.**

	Per 1000	Per 100	Per doz
<b>Early Extra Fine Mixture</b> , of many sorts.....	\$12 50	\$1 50	\$0 25
<b>Early Choice Mixture</b> .....	8 50	1 00	20
<b>Cheap Mixture</b> .....	6 00	75	
<b>In Separate Colors—Single early white bedding Tulips</b> ...		1 40	20
“ red.....		1 00	25
“ yellow.....		2 25	35
The three colors about evenly assorted.....	15 00		

**Single Late Tulips.**

<b>Late Parrots</b> , in mixture.....	1 00	20
“ <b>Bizzards</b> , carmine and violet on yellow ground.....	1 00	20
“ <b>Bybloems</b> , “ white.....	1 50	25
“ <b>Breeders</b> , brilliant self-colors.....	1 50	25
“ <b>Gesneriana</b> , scarlet, blue eye.....	1 00	20
“ <b>Darwin Tulips</b> , a new strain of very brilliant self-colors.....	3 00	45



BIZZARD.

**Double Flowering Varieties.**

Very effective in beds and borders, but mostly later than the single named sorts. Those fit for pot forcing are marked \*

	Per 100	Per doz.
Belle Alliance, white and violet, late.....	\$1 50	\$0 25
Blue Flag, purplish blue, late.....	1 50	25
*Duc van Thol, red and yellow.....	1 00	20
Duke of York, red and white.....	1 50	25
*Gloria Solis, red and yellow.....	1 25	20
Helianthus, yellow and red.....	1 75	25
La Candeur, pure white, much liked for bedding..... per 1000. \$9.00..	1 00	20
Lady Grandison, scarlet.....	1 50	25
MadameBonaparte, brownish, late.....	1 25	20
*Murillo, rosy, early.....	3 50	50
Pourpre blanc borde, purplish and white.....	1 25	20
Purple Crown, purple scarlet.....	1 50	25
Rhinoceros, rosy violet and white.....	2 25	35
Rex Rubrorum, scarlet, much used for bedding.....	1 75	25
Titian, brown and yellow.....	1 75	25
*Tournesol, common, red and yellow, forces well.....	1 75	25
Yellow Rose, tall, pure yellow, late.....	1 25	25

**Double Mixed Tulips for Bedding.**

Early Extra Fine Mixture of many sorts..... per 1000, \$12.50..	1 50	25
Early Choice Mixture..... “ 8.50..	1 00	20
Cheapest Mixture..... “ 6.00..	75	

**Crocus.**

One of the earliest Spring flowers, peeping with its bright golden and purple hues often through the white covering of a March snow. The flowers do not last long, but there is quite a succession of bloom, extending the flowering time materially. Plant in the fall about 3 inches deep, 2 inches apart in solid beds or borders, or scatter in the lawn. Being quite hardy they may remain undisturbed for years. Their cost is but trifling; we offer:



	Per 1000	Per 100
Mixed Colors.....	\$2 40	\$0 30
White Mixture.....	2 50	30
Blue “.....	2 50	30
Purple “.....	2 50	30
Striped “.....	2 50	30
Golden Yellow.....	3 00	35

**Named Varieties.**

The following sorts produce fine large flowers of distinct bright hues.

	Per 100	Per doz.		Per 100	Per doz.
Baron Brunow, blue.....	\$0 50	\$0 10	Walter Scott, striped.....	\$0 50	\$0 10
Non Plus Ultra, blue.....	50	10	Mont Blanc, white.....	50	10
Lilaceus, blue.....	50	10	Mound of Snow, white.....	50	10
Lord Palmerston, purple.....	50	10	Reine des Blanches, white.....	50	10
Pride of Albion, purple.....	50	10	Cloth of Gold.....	40	10
Purpurea grandiflora, purple.....	50	10	Cloth of Silver.....	40	10
Albion, striped.....	50	10	Mammoth Yellow, top roots.....	90	15
Lord Fielding, striped.....	50	10			

Our Superfine Mixture from these sorts, showing fine large bulbs, at \$4.50 per 1000; 50 cts. per 100.

## Narcissus.

These are all hardy, only the Polyanthus varieties needing a protection during winter time in our climate, they do very well though, when grown in pots or pans. The other Narcissus kinds will all answer for pot growing as well as out-door planting, the best and most popular kinds have been quoted already in the first chapter of this list. We repeat the full line hereafter.

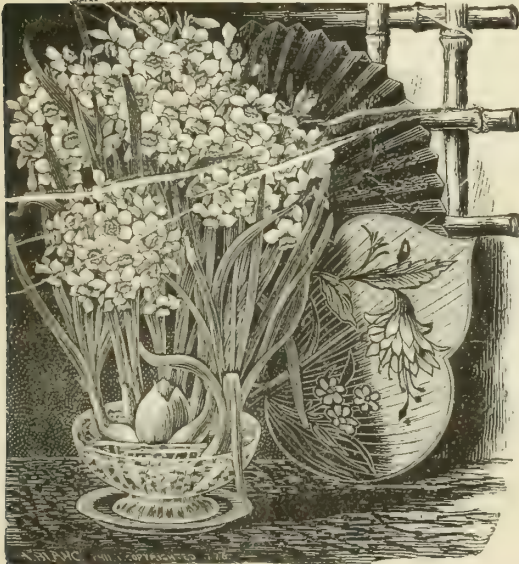


POLYANTHUS NARCISSUS.

### Polyanthus Varieties.

	Per 100	Per doz.
In Mixture for bedding or forcing.....	\$1 50	\$0 25
Gloriosa, white orange cup.....	2 50	40
Grand Monarque, white lemon cup.....	3 00	45
Grand Primo, white yellow cup.....	3 00	45
Grand Soleil d'or, golden yellow.....	2 50	40
Jaune Supreme, pure yellow.....	2 50	40
Paper White, the common kind.....per 1000; \$ 7 50	1 00	20
“ Grandiflora..... “	10 00	1 25
Romanus, or Double Roman..... “	10 00	1 25

### Chinese Sacred Lily.—We can supply now. See cut.



In fine American grown stock at...per 1000; \$55 00	6 00	1 00
Imported from China, due later, come in baskets of thirty, at \$2.10 the basket.		

### Single Flowering Narcissus.

	Per 100	Per doz.
In fine mixture.....	\$1 25	\$0 25
Biflora, white, twin flowered... 1 00		20
Bicolor Horsfieldi, rich golden yellow trumpet, white petals, very fine and desirable.....		2 00
Bicolor Empress, later than the foregoing but larger, yet otherwise very similar.....		2 80
Bicolor Princeps, fine yellow trumpet and palest yellow petals, nearly white, very fine forces easily, per 1000; \$18 00	2 00	30
Incomparabilis Stella, short yellow trumpet, petals nearly white, pretty, forces easily, good in pots or pans.....	1 40	25
Poeticus (Pheasant's eye,) pure white with crimson eye, late.....per 1000; \$4 80	60	15
Poeticus Ornatus, similar but smaller, and much earlier, will answer for late forcing.....per 1000; \$10 00	1 25	25
Trumpet Major, the true golden yellow trumpet Narcissus, answers well for forcing in pots or pans.....	1 80	30

### Double Flowering Narcissus.

In fine mixture.....	2 00	30
Albo Pleno Odorato, the double white Pheasants eye, beautiful but late, per 1000; \$10 00	1 25	25
Incomparable fl. pl., (Butter and Eggs,) a fine double yellow Narcissus, early, forces well; can be used to good advantage in bedding out with early Tulips, and is much cheaper than yellow Tulips.....per 1000; \$10 00	1 25	25
Orange Phoenix, (Eggs and Bacon) large white flower, orange centre	3 00	50
Von Sion or Double Daffodil, fine golden yellow, flowers early, effective in bedding		
Flowering size.....per 1000; \$16 00	1 80	30
Prime forcing..... “	19 50	2 00
Extra selected..... “	23 50	2 40





Miscellaneous Bulbs—Continued.



ANEMONES.

	per 100	per doz.
Anemones, single, mixed.....	\$0 75	\$0 15
"    scarlet.....	75	15
"    blue.....	1 00	20
"    fulgens, scarlet, forces.....	1 20	25
double, mixed.....	1 20	20
†Bessera Elegans, fine for borders.....	4 50	70
†Begonia, tuberous rooted, single, choicest mixed	6 00	1 00
Calla Ethiopica, 1st size, fine roots, now ready..	10 00	1 40
"    2d size.....	7 00	1 00
Chionodoxa Lucilla, Glory of the Snow, light blue, larger than Scilla Sibirica.....	1 20	25
Crown Imperials, mixed.....	5 00	75
Cyclamen Persicum Splendens, small home- grown plants, according to size per dozen.		2 00 to 4 00
†Dielytra Spectabilis (Bleeding Heart), good forcing clumps.....	6 00	90
Eranthus Hyemalis (Winter Aconite), yellow, very early.....	85	15
FREESIA REFRACTA ODORATA, white, fragrant.....	1 00	20
"    "    extra selected.....	1 25	25
Freesia Leichtlinii, the yellowish variety.....	1 25	25
Galanthus Nivalis, single Snowdrops.....	per 1000, \$9 00..	1 00
"    "    double ".....	1 80	30
"    "    Elwesii, very large, white, with green tips.....	1 80	30
†Gloxinia, hybr., choice mixed, start bulbs in a warm place.....	7 00	1 00
†Hyacinthus Candicans, pure white.....	2 00	30
"    "    muscari botr. alba, white Grape Hyacinths.....	1 20	25
"    "    "    cœrulea, blue ".....	80	15
"    "    "    plumosus, Feather Hyacinth.....	1 20	20
Iris Anglica, mixed, very showy.....	1 00	15
Hispanica, mixed.....	60	10
†German, mixed, rich colors.....	3 00	45
†Kaempferi, large flowering, special mixture.....	7 00	1 00
Persica, fragrant, white with blotches.....	2 50	40
Ixias, mixed, best English.....	60	10
Leucojum vernum (Snowflake), white, fragrant, early.....	1 50	25
"    "    æstivum, "    "    later.....	2 00	30
†LILY OF THE VALLEY, November delivery.		
Best German grown forcing pips.....	per 1000, \$9 00..	1 50
"    "    By the original box of 2,500 ".....	8 00..	
†Montbretia, Crocosmiaeflora, orange spotted.....	2 50	35
"    "    Potsii, crimson, hardy.....	2 00	30
ORNITHOGALUM ARABICUM (Star of Bethle- hem), ready forcer if planted September to November in peat, dung and sand, treated like Hyacinths, but plunged in cold frame until bulbs show two inches; flowers pure white with dark centre.....	1 50	25
Oxalis, in fine mixture.....	60	10
"    Bowii, fine crimson.....	3 50	40
"    Lutea, bright yellow.....	1 50	30
"    Multiflora alba, white.....	1 50	30
Pœonia Sinensis, double flowering, mixed.....	20 00	3 00
Ranunculus, double Persian, mixture.....	50	10
"    "    Turkish, ".....	60	10
"    "    French, ".....	50	10



RANUNCULUS.

Miscellaneous Bulbs—Continued.



**Scilla Sibirica or Amoena, (Blue Squill)**..... per 100 \$0 60 per doz. \$0 10

After the Crocus are done the blue Squills will appear, throwing their graceful trusses about 6 inches above the ground and remaining in bloom for quite a while. It is the truest blue amongst all the bulbs, and the effect if massed in beds is most pleasing. The little bulb is quite hardy and need not be taken up at all. It will get along in any garden soil. Plant in the fall about 2 in. or 3 in. deep. Grown indoors in pots or pans they show very ornamental when in flower. Solid pots or pans of Snowdrops or of Grape Hyacinths (*Muscari botroides alba* and *Coerulea*) show to equal advantage.

<b>Scilla Campanulata</b> , white, pink and blue, mixed.....	1 20	25
<b>Snowdrops</b> , single, hardy.....	per 1000, \$9 00..	1 00
“ double “.....	1 80	20
“ <b>Elwesii Giant</b> .....	1 80	30
† <b>SPIRÆA Japonica</b> , good forcing clumps.....	in boxes of 50 clumps, \$3 30..	1 80
“ <b>Compacta Multiflora</b> , new.....	5 50	30
<b>Sparaxis</b> , finest mixed, good cut flower.....	11 50	1 00
<b>Triteleya uniflora</b> , bluish white, fragrant, forces well under cool treatment.....	1 00	15
	75	10

**Gladiolus.**—November Delivery.

**Florists' Forcing Varieties.**

<b>Brenchleyensis</b> , bright vermilion, scarlet.....	per 100 \$1 00	per doz. \$0 20
<b>Ceres</b> , bluish white, spotted rose.....	2 25	35
<b>Eugene Scribe</b> , carmine and white.....	3 25	45
<b>Isaac Buchanan</b> , yellow.....	3 25	45
<b>John Bull</b> , white, purplish throat.....	2 25	35
<b>La Candeur</b> , white.....	6 00	80
<b>Madame Moneret</b> , delicate rose.....	2 25	35
<b>Martha Washington</b> , light yellow, tinged rose.....	3 50	50
<b>Colvilli alba</b> , “The Bride.”.....	per 1000, \$5 00	75

For late forcing and Spring flowering



GLADIOLUS.

**In Mixtures.**

Put up for us with the greatest care by our special grower; we can recommend them as sure to give satisfaction.

<b>Mixture of many colors</b> .....	per 1000 \$10 00	per 100 \$1 25
“ lighter colors only.....	16 00	2 00
“ red and scarlet shades.....	10 00	1 25
“ pink and striped shades.....	16 00	2 00
“ yellow shades.....	25 00	3 00
“ white and light shades.....	20 00	2 50
“ white and light, special for florists.....	35 00	3 75
<b>Lemoinii Seedlings</b> , fine mixture.....	25 00	3 00
<b>American Hybrid Seedlings</b> , the cream of all mixtures, containing many new sorts and all possible shades and tints, real grand.....	15 00	2 00

**Tuberoses.**—November Delivery.

<b>Double</b> , the old tall kind.....	per 1000, \$8 50;	per 100, \$1 25;	per doz., \$0 25
<b>Pearl</b> , double, the dwarfer kind.....	“ 8 50;	“ 1 25;	“ 25

**Other Spring Planting Bulbs.**

Will be quoted in our Seed Catalogue of next January. Also

**Clematis, Roses, Rhododendrons, Etc.**

Correspondence for importation orders, next Spring delivery, solicited now.

**Labels**—Pot. Wooden painted; we keep no other.

	For pots, 4-4½ in.	5 in.	6 in.	8 in.	12 in.
Per 1000.....	\$0 70	\$0 80	\$1 20	\$2 75	\$3 75
Per 100.....	10	15	15	35	45

**Indelible Pencils.** Clark's guaranteed. (Dampen label before writing).....35 cents each

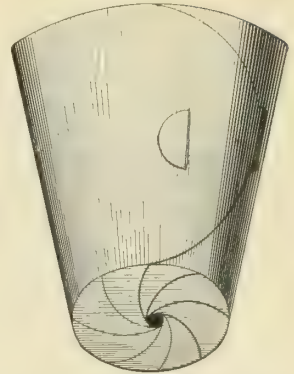


We hold the General Depot for  
**Neponset Paper Flower Pots,**

MANUFACTURED SOLELY BY

**F. W. BIRD & SON,**

From their Celebrated  
**Neponset Water-proof Fabrics.**



These Pots have proved quite successful for growing Hyacinths, Tulips and Narcissus indoors. They retain moisture better than the earthen pots and are a safeguard against any neglect in watering. Plunged in damp cocoanut fibre during the rooting period, they come out clean and strong when the bulbs have to be brought to light. They are pleasant to handle, do not break, and can be shipped for little money by Express or Mail, as their weight is but trifling. **Every Dealer in Dry Bulbs** should have these for sale. Every household should keep a little assortment on hand, ready for a moment's use. They nest closely and come

In original Crates of 500, weighing.	4 in. abt. 40 lbs.	5 in. abt. 50 lbs.	6 in. abt. 75 lbs.
Cost of Original Crate Net Spot Cash..	\$2 50	\$4 15	\$6 70 the crate.
Single 100's sold for.....	60	90	1 50
Trial dozens sent my mail on receipt of.	22	40	60

50 cents Cartage added if ordered shipped by freight.

**Cocoanut Fibre Refuse.**

This article is used extensively by every private conservatory and the majority of florists in England, where its merits are fully understood. It combines warmth and cleanliness with deodorizing properties, holds moisture in heat and heat in cold weather. On the greenhouse bench it is invaluable for potting, plunging and forcing. Outdoors it is the best material for mulching between bedding plants, strawberries, bulbs, and the like. It excels by its cleanliness.

Price per Bushel..... \$1 00

**Sheep Manure**, an excellent fertilizer for bulbs and plants. Comes dry and pulverized in sacks, ready to be mixed with the soil. Not so strong a disagreeable scent as other manures are apt to have.

Price of Pulverized, per 100 lb. sack.....\$3 50  
 per 5 lbs. bag..... 50

**Bonemeal** for enriching the soil, per barrel of 200 lb..... 6 00  
 per bag of 10 lb..... 60

All Fertilizers sold for Net Spot Cash only.

**Hyacinth Glasses.**—We pack carefully but assume no risk of breakage. Either high or low (Tye) shape, assorted in three colors, \$1.25 per dozen. Packing and cartage charged, if ordered alone.

**Natural Willow Pots and Pans** to be filled with soil and Swamp Moss, for growing assorted bulbous stuff.

This is done in Europe with good effect. The brownish natural willow being tough, stands the roughest handling and produces a rustic appearance in fine contrast to the rich effect of the flowering bulbs. They can be used with effect to set on the table, in the window, on the veranda, on the lawn, or wherever a decorative charm is wanted.

We shall have these in different sizes, but as the invoice has not yet arrived, we must refer to special correspondence for quotations.

We expect these Natural Willow Pots and Pans to become quite a feature for our country, as they will be equally well adapted for the growing of Spring and Summer-flowering and Foliage Plants, Ferns and the like.

**Our Bulb Guide**, with directions how to grow successfully bulbs under glass or outdoors, furnished gratis to our patrons. Duplicate copies can be procured for 10 cts. each.

**C. L. Allen's** latest work on **Bulbs and Tuberous Rooted Plants**, for sale by us. Mailed postage paid on receipt of \$2.00.

## Flower Seeds for Autumn Sowing.

	per oz.	per trade packet
<b>Alyssum compactum</b> , dwarf, white (Benthami).....	\$0 25	\$0 05
<i>maritimum</i> , sweet, white.....	15	5
<i>saxatile compactum</i> , golden yellow.....	25	5
<b>Antirrhinum majus</b> , tall, best mixed (Snapdragon).....	25	5
<i>nanum</i> , dwarf fine mixed.....	25	5
Tom Thumb, very dwarf, finest mixed.....	50	5
<b>Aquilegia bicolor</b> , fl. pl. (Double Columbine).....	60	5
<i>crysantha</i> , golden yellow.....	75	5
<i>vulgaria</i> , fl. pl., double mixed.....	25	5
	per 1/2 oz.	
<b>Bellis perennis</b> , fl. pl. { Red.....	\$0 30	10
{ Mixed (Double Daisy).....	30	10
{ White.....	30	10
Longfellow. Deep rose.....	1 00	25
Maxima, pure white.....		30
red and rose.....		40
<b>Calceolaria hybrida grandiflora</b> . Best Covent Garden mixture.....		50
<i>rugosa</i> . Shrubby variety for bedding.....		50
<b>Candytuft</b> . White Rocket ( <i>Iberis coronaria</i> ).....	10	5
Empress. White Rocket variety.....	30	5
<b>Centaurea candidissima</b> .....per 1000 seeds, \$0 40		25
<i>Gymnocarpa</i> , delicately cut white foliage.....	40	5
<b>Cineraria hybr. grandiflora</b> , best Covent Garden Mixture.....		50
"  "  very finest dwarf German mixed.....		50
"  "  largest flowering French mixed.....		50
"  "  fl. pl., double finest mixed English.....		50
		per 50 seed pkt.
<b>Cyclamen giganteum grandiflorum</b> , White (Best English).....		\$1 00
"  "  "  Dark Red ".....		75
"  "  "  Light Red ".....		75
"  "  "  Mixed ".....		75
<i>grandiflorum</i> . Williams' finest mixed, per 1/2 oz., \$2.50 ; per trade pkt. 50c.		
	per 1000 seed	per 100 seed pkt.
<b>Cyclamen grandiflorum splendens</b> . From the best German improved strains.		
White with dark eye.....	\$8 00	\$1 00
Rose ".....	8 00	1 00
Dark red.....	8 00	1 00
Pure white.....	12 00	1 50
Assorted.....	9 00	
Mixed.....	8 00	1 00
	per oz.	per trade packet
<b>Delphinium Ajacis</b> , fl. pl. { <i>Ranunculus</i> -flowered, mixed.....	\$0 20	\$0 05
{ Dwarf Hyacinth-flowered, mixed.....	20	5
{ Tall, ".....	20	5
<b>Consolidum</b> , fl. pl. Stock-flowered, mixed.....	20	5
<b>Imperialis</b> . Double, finest mixed.....	30	5
<b>Formosum</b> . Deep blue.....	40	5
<i>coelestinum</i> . Sky blue.....	1 00	10
<b>Nudicaule</b> . Scarlet, dwarf.....		15
<i>aurantiacum</i> . Orange, dwarf.....		20
<b>Cashmerianum</b> . Fine dark blue, dwarf.....		15
<b>Dianthus Barbatu</b> s. Mixed (Sweet William).....	15	5
" <i>Auricula</i> -flowered.....	25	5
"  Dunnetti, deep crimson.....	30	5
"  fl. pl., double mixed.....	75	5



**Fine Pansies for Bedding.**

	per oz.		per trade packet
Finest Mixed, all colors.....	\$0 80	500 seed in packet	\$0 10
White, with dark eye.....	1 00	“ “	10
Yellow, with dark eye.....	1 00	“ “	10
Light Blue.....	1 00	“ “	10
Dark Blue.....	1 00	“ “	10
Dark Purple, atropurpurea.....	1 00	“ “	10
Pure White, no eye.....	1 00	“ “	10
Pure Yellow, no eye.....	1 00	“ “	10

**Selected Prize Pansies.**

French Giant, superb mixed.....	per 1/8 oz.,	1 00	250 seed “	25
Improved Trimardeau, finest mixed....	per oz., \$5.00 ; per 1000 seed,	60	“ “	20
golden yellow, with eye.....	“	75	“ “	25
atropurpurea, purple violet....	“	75	“ “	25
pure white, dark violet eye....	“	75	“ “	25
marbled on yellow ground....	“	75	“ “	25
marbled on white ground....	“	75	“ “	25
violet blue.....	“	75	“ “	25
Improved Cassier, three and five spotted, finest mixed....	per 1/8 oz.,	\$1 00	250 seed in packet.	\$0 25
Improved Bugnot's. Superb blotched and striped.....	“	1 25	“ “	25
Rolker's Improved German Giant.				
Large spotted, finest mixed.....	per 1000 seed,	1 50	“ “	40
Rolker's Improved Victoria				
Bright red, medium large flower....	“	2 00	“ “	50
English Exhibition Prize. Saved from the finest show and fancy named varieties, in choicest mixture....	per 1/8 oz.,	2 50	“ “	50

**Chinese Primrose.****Primula Sinensis Fimbriata.**

Chiswick Red, best English strain.....	per 1000 seed,	\$9 00 ;	per 50 seed packet,	\$0 50
Queen of Whites.....	“	9 00	“ “	50
Vesuvius, bright red.....	“	9 00	“ “	50
St Gatien, bright rosy red.....	“	9 00	“ “	50
Princess of Wales, pure white.....	“	9 00	“ “	50
Best English Mixed.....	“	9 00	“ “	50
Rolker's Deep Red, large flowering.....			per 1000 seed,	\$2 25
“ Carmine, “.....			per 100 seed packet,	\$0 30
“ Rosea, “.....			2 00	30
“ White, “.....			2 00	30
“ Cœrulea, blue.....			3 00	40
“ Stratiflora, striped.....			2 00	30
“ Mixed, large flowering.....			2 00	30
Fern-Leaved White, large flowering.....			2 00	30
“ Red, “.....			2 00	30
“ Rosea, “.....			2 00	30
“ Mixed, “.....			2 00	30
Double, large flowering, mixed, French strain.....			per 50 seed packet,	\$0 50
“ “ white, “.....			“ “	50

**Primula Sinensis Fimbriata Pallanzæa.**

Curled Italian, red leaved varieties, mixed.....	per trade packet,	\$0 50
“ green leaved varieties, mixed.....	“ “	50
The above Italian Curled Leaf Primulas are a new variety.		

**Flower Seeds—Continued.**

	per 1000 seed	per trade packet
Primrose Hybrid Polyanthus. Best English Exhibition strain.....		\$0 25
Primula Acaulis, yellow English Primrose .....	\$0 25	10
Auricula, very finest mixed.....	75	20
Elatior, splendid mixed (Polyanthus).....	75	20
“ duplex, choicest double mixed.....	1 00	25
obconica.....	per 1-32 oz., \$0 80..	50
Japonica, mixed.....	per 1/8 oz., 50..	25
Salvia splendens, bright red.....	per oz., 1 50..	20
Smilax.....	per oz., 50..	10

**Stocks—**

	per 1/2 oz.	
Ten Week, Large-Flowering Double Dwarf:		
Double Blood Red Erfurt.....	\$0 50	25
Pure White Erfurt.....	50	25
Dark Blue Erfurt.....	50	25
Bright Rose Erfurt.....	50	25
Canary Yellow Erfurt.....	50	25
Mixed.....	50	25
Collection of above five colors, separate, five packets, \$1.00.		
Wallflower-leaved Pure White.....	50	25
“ Fine Mixed.....	50	25
Dwarf Pyramidal, Pure White.....	1 00	25
“ Finest Mixed.....	1 00	25
Intermediate—Double White, large flowering.....	1 00	25
“ Scarlet “.....	1 00	25
“ Mixed “.....	1 00	25
Brompton—Double Pure White, large flowering.....	1 00	25
“ Bright Scarlet, “.....	1 00	25
“ Finest Mixed, “.....	1 00	25
Perpetual—Emperor, Double Pure White, large flowering.....	1 00	25
“ “ Finest Mixed.....	1 00	25
Dresden, Pure White, very early.....	1 00	25
“ Finest Mixed.....	1 00	25
	per oz.	
Verbena—Hybrida, Choicest Mixed.....	\$1 00	15
“ Superb Scarlet.....	1 50	15
“ Italian Striped.....	1 25	15
“ Fine blue.....	1 25	15
“ Auricula-flowered.....	1 25	15
“ Pure White, (candidissima).....	1 00	15
“ Grandiflora (Mammoth), finest mixed.....	per 1/8 oz., \$0 40..	2 50
“ Compacta, mixed.....	“ 40..	2 25
Vinca—Rosea, (Periwinkle), for pots and beds.....	75	10
Alba, white.....	75	10
Alba rosea, white, rosy eye.....	75	10
Wallflower—Single Early Dresden, dark brown, dwarf.....	45	5
“ “ fine, mixed, dwarf.....	35	5
Extra Double Tall Bronze, very fine pot plant.....	2 50	25
“ Dwarf Bronze, “ “.....	4 00	25



## Grass Seeds.

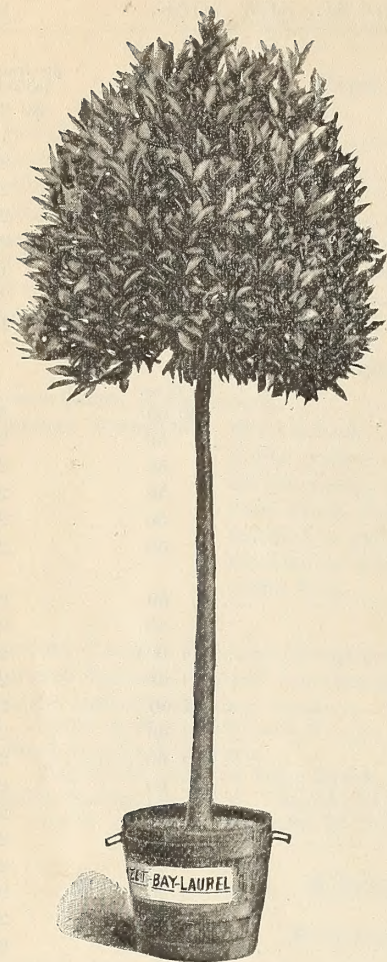
We furnish in good reliable quality at market prices:

**Blue Grass,**  
**Red-Top Grass,**  
**Rye Grass,**  
**Timothy.**

Permanent Pasture. Our special mixture, furnished at  
 \$16 00 per 100 lbs.

Lawn Grass Seed. Our Central Park mixture, furnished at  
 \$3 00 per bushel ; \$16 00 per 100 lbs.

☞ Net Spot Cash. Bags and cartage charged extra.



### PLANTS OF

## Laurus Nobilis or Sweet Bay Laurel

### IMPORTED TO ORDER.

Hardy in not too severe climates. This excellent ornamental tree, used in Europe wherever decorations are made, will prove, when fairly known, a welcome addition to our list of foliage plants. Its abundant glossy foliage, trained into crowns or pyramidal shapes, withstands 28 degrees Fahrenheit, and a great deal more knocking about in the decoration of stages, halls, hotels, verandas, winter gardens, etc., than Palms and other tender plants. We sell them, tub included.

#### a)—Crowns.

	per pair. Net. cash.
42-45 inch height of stem, 24 inch diam. of crown.....	\$20 00
42-45 " " " 27-32 " " .....	30 00
42-45 " " " 35-39 " " .....	40 00

#### b)—Pyramids.

About 5 feet high .....	35 00
About 6 to 6½ feet high.....	45 00

### IMPROVED TREE TUBS.

Made of white cedar and bound with extra heavy iron hoops. Painted green.



No.	Outside Diameter.	Length of Stave.		Each.
1.....	25 inches.....	22 inches.....	Net cash, \$6 00	
2.....	23 " .....	20 " .....	" .....	5 00
3.....	21 " .....	18 " .....	" .....	4 25
4.....	18 " .....	16 " .....	" .....	3 50
5.....	16 " .....	14 " .....	" .....	3 00
6.....	14 " .....	12 " .....	" .....	2 50
7.....	13 " .....	11 " .....	" .....	2 25
8.....	12 " .....	10 " .....	" .....	2 00

### MUSHROOM SPAWN.

Furnished at market prices.



**PLEASE NOTE.**—We have added to the leading sorts of Bulbs short directions how to treat them to obtain success, believing that to many who retail Bulbs this will prove an agreeable help. For more detailed directions we refer again to our **Bulb Guide**, mailed free to our patrons; duplicate copies of which can be had for 10 cents. This Guide gives also useful information on the treatment of Roses, Azaleas, Primula, and other seeds, etc.

## Hardy Perennial Plants

Are growing daily into more importance to the landscape florist as well as to the grower of decorative stuff. We have concluded arrangements with the well reputed firm of

**Goos & Koenemann, Nieder-Walluf, Germany,**

to represent them in this country as agents for the taking of orders and for the delivery of their products. Their new Trade Price List will soon be ready and mailed to applicants. Among many other items of interest, we call attention to their fine line of

**Anemones, Asters, Coreopsis, Delphinium,  
Gaillardia, Heuchera, Iris, Poppies, Phlox,  
Primula, Spirea, Cactus Dahlia, Clematis, etc.**


Of all Insecticides thus far introduced, we claim the highest merit for

### Hughes' Soluble Fir Tree Oil,

now largely used and recommended by many as the best and surest of all.

We are the General Wholesale Depot for the United States and Canada. Prices are:

One Gallon tins, - - - -	\$3.25 each.
One Quart tins, - - - -	1.00 "

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A new German substitute for covering cold frames, etc., in place of glass, is very strong and durable, and sufficiently translucent for all plant life, besides a good protection against light frosts. Not affected by the changes of the elements; does **not** shrink like parchment paper. Endorsed by German and Dutch growers and nurserymen. Comes in rolls, 36 inches wide and about 110 yards long.

Price per Original Roll, \$9.00.—F. O. B. Cars N. Y.

**DIRECTIONS.**—Stretch and nail on to the sash bars, then saturate thoroughly with linseed oil. Varnish when dry, and your unbreakable sash is ready.

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