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Schultz's
HIGH CLASS BULBS

Hyacinths, Tulips, Crocus, Narcissus, Peonies
Etc., Etc., Etc.

FOR AUTUMN PLANTING

SCHULTZ'S SEED STORE
SEEDS, BULBS, AND POULTRY SUPPLIES

304 Tenth Street N.W. Washington, D. C.
**TULIPS (Finest Varieties for Forcing and Bedding)**

The use of tulips for bedding for early spring-flowering is increasing from year to year, for nothing that can be planted gives such satisfactory returns for the outlay. The use of named varieties is constantly on the increase, as they are much more effective when planted in solid blocks, in separate colors, than when planted indiscriminately. We offer a large variety of the finest sorts for forcing, and at prices which will permit the use of named varieties, as a great many of the kinds offered cost only a little more than mixed sorts, for which reason, and the fact that they are much more effective when planted especially when planted in quantity. All the varieties offered are desirable for bedding. The descriptions indicate those best adapted and most valuable for forcing for winter culture.

**SINGLE EARLY TULIPS, NAMED**

**Albion.** (White Hawk.) A large snow-white flower; one of the finest tulips in cultivation; excellent for bedding or forcing; for bedding or forcing... 20c. 1.25

**Artus.** Scarlet, line shaped flower; fine for bedding. 20c. 1.25

**Belle Alliance.** Scarlet, sweet scented; fine for forcing and bedding. 30c. 2.00

**Chrysolora.** Golden yellow; extra fine for bedding; large flowers. 20c. 1.25

**Cottage Maid.** White, bordered pink, very dainty; for bedding and forcing. 20c. 1.25

**Duchesse de Parme.** Orange or terra cotta, with yellow edge; a good forcing and bedding variety. 25c. 1.25

**Gold Finch.** Golden yellow, sweet scented; this variety especially is a grand bedding sort. 25c. 1.50

**Joost van Vondel.** Glossy cherry red and white; very large flower. 25c. 1.75

**Keizerkroon.** Bright red, with golden yellow edge; large flower; fine for forcing and bedding. 25c. 1.50

**L’Immaculee.** Early, pure white; for outside culture. 20c. 1.25

**La Reine.** Pure white; extra fine for forcing; sometimes it turns into a delicate pink. This variety is known all over the world as the best white tulip for forcing and bedding. 20c. 1.25

**Pink Beauty.** White, slightly feathered white. Height, 13 inches. A flower of unsurpassed size and beauty. It has no equal yet as a bedding, but will not stand early forcing. The price remains high yet, but it is fully worth the money. 60c. 4.50

**Proserpine.** Fine glossy carmine pink, large tulip; forces easily; also highly recommended for outdoor... 35c. 2.75

**Rose Griselin.** Beautiful pink; one of the finest pink tulips in cultivation; known everywhere; highly used for forcing and bedding. 20c. 1.50

**Keizerkroon Single Tulips**

**Thomas Morus.** Apricot orange, distinct shaped flower. The finest for forcing. 25c. 1.50

**Yellow Prince.** Fine yellow, sweet scented. The most popular yellow tulip for forcing. Not fit for outside culture. 25c. 1.50

**DOUBLE TULIPS, NAMED**

**Murilo.** Extra fine pink; the flowers are large and full double; this variety is the best double pink for forcing. 20c. 1.25

**Ruba Maxima.** Deep red; fine for forcing and outdoor; large flower. 20c. 1.25

**Tournesol.** Bright red, with yellow edge, sweet scented, large flower and forces easily. 35c. 2.75

**DARWIN TULIPS**

The Most Exquisite Race of the Single Late-Flowering Tulips. Excel in Brilliance of Colors, Perfect Form of Flowers, Versatility, Value and Care of Tulips. These late-flowering tulips are very desirable on account of their late season of blooming and their showy flowers. They bloom after the early-flowering tulips are gone, and the flowers are exceedingly showy. They are borne on long stems—growing nearly three feet in height—and continue in flower from about the middle to the end of May, depending on the season and locality. In some localities they are in bloom as late as Decoration Day. As they bloom after year, they should be planted where they will not be disturbed. They are particularly fine for planting in herbageous borders and on the borders of shrubbery. They are also fine for cutting. This class of tulips is coming into great favor and they should be planted more largely than they have been.

**Grand Mixture of Darwin Tulips**

**CROCUS (Mammoth Bulbs)**

Per dozen, 15c.; per 100, 90c.; per 1,000, $8.00.

These are extra large selected bulbs, averaging 1 1/2 inches and up in diameter. Varieties offered are also of the finest quality. They are very desirable for forcing, and these large bulbs are much finer for bedding than smaller bulbs, as they throw an unusually large number of flowers.

**Mammoth Yellow.** Deep Golden yellow.

**Sir Walter Scott.** Violet, striped white.

**Mont Blanc.** Snowy white.

**King of the Blues.** Dark purple; very largest size.
CULTURE OF HYACINTHS

Hyacinths indoors do not require the deep planting indicated in this diagram, there being no danger from frost to guard against. Cultural directions for bulbs in the house are given in the pages following in connection with the various varieties.

Hyacinths in Pots.—Bulbs intended for blooming during the winter can be planted from September until November. The earlier the better—in pots, pans, or boxes, and left in the open air, covered with a few inches of ashes or soil, until the ground begins to freeze, and then placed in a cool greenhouse, cellar, or room, at a temperature of 40 degrees. They will need, occasionally, moderate watering after they are brought inside; or the pots, pans, or boxes may be placed outside after freezing in a cool, dark cellar, watering well. The whole success of pot culture depends upon getting the roots well established in the pots at a low temperature of, say, 40 to 50 degrees, before you begin to force the tops at 60 degrees or over. After this the bloom is easily developed by giving light and water, and one can have a supply of flowers from Christmas until after Easter by regulating the time of bringing them to the light.

Hyacinths in Glasses.—The single varieties are, with a few exceptions, best adapted to this mode of culture; they produce finer flower spikes than the double. Fill the glass with clear, soft water, so as nearly to touch the base of the bulb, putting a small piece of charcoal in each glass to keep the water pure and afford some nourishment. The filled glasses should be placed in a dry, cool, dark place, and kept there until the roots almost touch the bottom of the glass, when they may be exposed gradually to the light. If the water in the glasses becomes foul or diminished, replace it with fresh water at the same temperature as the atmosphere in which the bulbs are growing; otherwise it need not be changed. When well started, the bulbs should have plenty of light and air, without draughts, in order that the best development and brilliancy of color may be attained.

EXTRA SELECTED NAMED HYACINTHS

First Size Hyacinths for Pots and Glasses

| Each, 10c. | per dozen, $1.00; per hundred, $7.00. |

- **La Grandesse.** Extra fine snow white, large spike, and fine formed bells; a grand flower. This is an exhibition variety which has no equal.
- **L'Innocence.** Pure white, large flower, and fine shaped; very early and excellent forcer.
- **Madame van der Hoop.** Pure white, extra large bells; forces easily and is very fine for outdoor.
- **Mr. Plimsoll.** Blush white, large flower and bells.
- **Grand Lisai.** Fine porcelain blue, extra large flower, and bells; forces very easily; is one of the finest light-blue Hyacinths.
- **Grand Maitre.** Deep porcelain blue; large truss; extra fine.
- **King of the Blues.** Deep glossy blue, large, compact flower; the finest dark blue in cultivation.
- **Queen of the Blues.** Light blue, with silvery appearance, splendid flower; an exhibition variety.
- **Yellow Hammer.** Golden yellow, broad flower, easy forcer; one of the best yellow Hyacinths.

SUPERFINE DUTCH HYACINTHS

(For Open Air Culture, Separate Colors)

These bulbs are unexcelled for use where an effective display is wanted in the open air, and of such superior quality as to be entirely satisfactory. They comprise the finest shades of color and must not be confounded with the cheap bulbs sometimes offered for outdoor planting. Not recommended for forcing.

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MINIATURE HYACINTHS OR DUTCH ROMANS

Each, 4c.; per dozen, 35c.; per hundred, $2.50.

These Miniature Hyacinths are valuable not only for cutting, but also for growing in pans. They can even be used for bedding where a cheap hyacinth is desired, producing surprisingly large spikes of bloom, considering the size of the bulbs. We offer only the finest named sorts, which bloom evenly and at one time—those that have been found most satisfactory for forcing and those that produce the largest spikes of bloom and of the most desirable colors. Bloom freely the latter part of January or in February and March.

**Gertrude.** Bright pink.
**L'Innocence.** Pure white.
**Gigantia.** Blush pink.
**Grand Maitre.** Dark porcelain blue.

HYACINTH GLASSES—Asorted Colors, Each, 20c.; Dozen, $2.00
NARCISSUS OR DAFFODILS

There are several quite distinct classes of Narcissus; the old yellow Daffodil, or Trumpet Narcissus, the white flowered Pheasant’s Eye or Double Narcissus, and the Polyanthus Narcissus. The first named consists of the hardiest and most desirable plants of the garden, and give more satisfaction with less care than almost any other plant. When once established, they do not need to be reset for several years, and will thrive in almost any soil. They are not only desirable for the garden, but equally so for the house. One to four bulbs set in a five-inch pot will bloom even in the smoky atmosphere of the city, where their beautiful color and delicate fragrance are doubly welcome.

LARGE SINGLE TRUMPETS

Emperor. A magnificent flower; perianth deep primrose; trumpet rich golden yellow. Should be largely grown in beds or borders. It is one of the finest Daffodils in cultivation and much prized for cutting. Price, each, 3c.; per dozen, 30c.; per 100, $2.25.

Bicolor Empress. Perianth snow white; trumpet rich yellow; serrated and flanged at the edges; large in outline and of rare beauty for cutting. Price, each, 5c.; per dozen, 50c.; per 100, $2.00.

Van Sion. (Double.) The famous old Dutch Daffodil; flowers golden yellow. Large and of fine form. This variety is used in enormous quantities for forcing; also excellent for bedding in conjunction with Hyacinths, flowering at the same time. Extra selected Double-nosed Bulbs. Each bulb will produce at least two flowers and frequently three or more. Price, each, 3c.; per dozen, 50c.; per 100, $2.00.

Bicolor. Flowers pure white; the desire of their beauty and delicious odor; one of the latest blooming varieties of the Narcissus or Polyanthus. It forces admirably and flowers freely in dense clusters and will come in bloom as early as December. Very popular. Does splendid grown in water like the Chinese Sacred Lily. Price, each, 3c.; per dozen, 50c.; per 100, $1.50.

Grand Monarque. Broad white perianth citron cup; fine large trusses. Three bulbs in an eight-inch pot will make a splendid display. Price, each, 3c.; per dozen, 25c.

DOUBLE-FLOWERED

Alba Plena Odorata. (Double Poet’s Narcissus or Daffodil.) Double pure white, very sweet scented. This beautiful variety cannot be forced. It succeeds best planted on rather heavy soil, in partial shade, and where it will not suffer from lack of moisture. Price, each, 2c.; per dozen, 20c.; per 100, $1.00.

MISCELLANEOUS Sorts

Poeticus. (Pheasant’s Eye or Poet’s Narcissus.) Pure white, with red crown; very fragrant; excellent for forcing. For naturalizing in woodland and wild gardens this is one of the very best sorts; it is perfectly hardy and will thrive in almost any situation where not exposed to high winds. Price, each, 2c.; per dozen, 25c.; per 100, $2.00.


Jonquils. Single, sweet scented; rich, yellow, free flowering, and very fragrant. Price, per dozen, 15c.; per 100, $1.00.

CHIONODOXA (Glory of the Snow)

Luciliae. One of the most charming of spring-flowering bulbs, producing spikes of lovely azure-blue flowers, with pure white centers; it is easily cultivated and perfectly hardy. Doz., 25c.; 100, $1.25.

SPANISH IRIS

Fine for late forcing; can be had in flower early in April; also good for outdoor culture, flowering in the open ground in June, requiring only a slight covering in winter. Claimed by many to be eternally hardy. They are so beautiful they should be extensively planted.

Extra fine Mixed Varieties. All colors Doz., 15c.; 100, 50c.

For the most part they are grown in water in fancy bowls, with just enough pebbles around them to keep them from toppling over. The white and yellow flowers are borne in clusters and are highly

CHINESE SACRED LILY

The Peony, of all the list of bulbs or tuberous-rooted plants, is perhaps the oldest and best-known inhabitant of the flower garden. Peonies will do well in almost any garden soil, but the better enriched soil and the more liberal space allowed for each plant the more vigorous the growth. Fall is the best time to procure and transplant the roots, although this may be done in the spring. The plant is extremely hardy and will survive the coldest winters with little or no protection. The abundant dark green foliage is exceptionally clean and attractive. The gorgeous display of blooms in the month of June is simply unequaled, the flowers being perfectly double, many being very fragrant and of immense size.

BERLOZ. Large full flowers, globular, bright currant red, each, 25c.; dozen, $2.50.

Duchesse de Nemours. The best pure white, beautiful flower, rich bloomer, each, 25c.; dozen, $2.50.

Felix Crousse. Mauve, flowers of a brilliant red color, each, 35c.; dozen, $3.50.

Festiva Maxima. Pure white, with a few scarlet spots in the center; very large flower, each, 25c.; dozen, $2.50.

L’Eclatante. Carmine, very beautiful, each, 25c.; dozen, $2.00.

Golden Spur. A magnificent single trumpet Narcissus, with enormous flowers of deep golden yellow; very early. Price, each, 5c.; per dozen, 30c.; per 100, $2.00.

Bicolor Victoria. Bold, erect, clear yellow trumpet of large size, and beautifully frilled at the mouth; perianth creamy white, broad, and of good substance. Awarded a first-class certificate of merit by the Massachusetts Horticultural Society. Price, each, 5c.; per dozen, 30c.; per 100, $2.25.

FREESIAS. Refracta Alba Odorata. Pure white, delightfully fragrant, one pot of a dozen being sufficient to perfume a whole house. Price, per dozen, 15c.; per 100, 90c.

SNOW DROPS. Elwesii Giant. An exceedingly large and beautiful variety; flowers snow white, with emerald green tube. Price, per dozen, 10c.; per 100, 75c.

OXYALIS. Finest Mixed. Containing a large number of varieties. Extremely free flowering and attractive for house culture. Price, per dozen, 15c.; per 100, 60c.

SILK HOLLAND. This is one of the prettiest of early spring-blooming bulbs, of dwarf habit, with sprays of exquisite rich blue flowers, valuable for edging, and a dozen bulbs in a 5-inch pot make a perfect effect when grown indoors. Price, per dozen, 15c.; per 100, 85c.

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Madame Geisler. Silver pink, each, 25c.; dozen, $2.50.

Marie Deroux. Perfectly cup-shaped flower, fresh pink shaded flesh; late; extra fine, each, 25c.; dozen, $3.00.

Marie Lemoine. Pure white, very fine, perfect form, very late. Price, each, 25c.; per dozen, $2.50.

Mons. Charles Leveque. A beautifully shaped variety of a soft rose color going over to salmon, pink in the interior of the flower; one of the loveliest Peonies ever offered. Price, each, 25c.; per dozen, $2.50.