



WHITBOURNE
CELEBRATION
ODDS ON

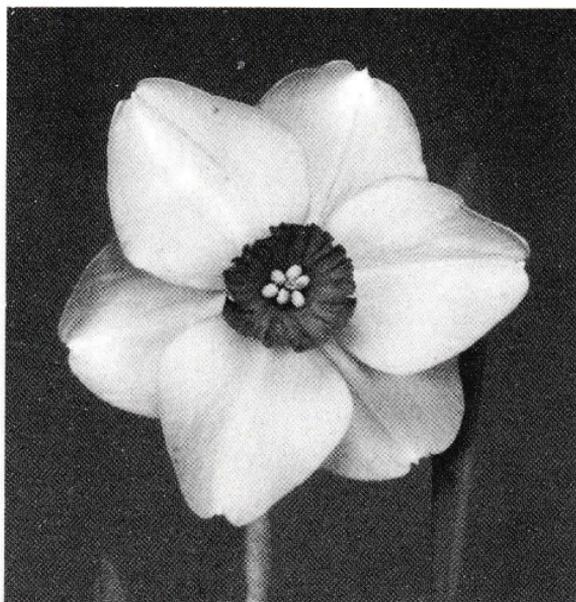
} see page 1

YOUR 1976 GOLD MEDAL DAFFODILS

Michael Jefferson-Brown
WHITBOURNE, WORCESTER
ENGLAND
KNIGHTWICK 270

Catalogue 15p

ALTRUIST — See page 17



1976 Novelties

2B JOY 2-3 JLR Seedling x Debutante

Modelled as smooth and as sure as the finest marble or alabaster. Largish, but very refined, smooth flat extended petals at right angles to a longist slender crown neatly flanged at the mouth. Its colouring is white and fresh primrose. The whole suggests the variety My Love in a more glorious reincarnation, larger, even more polished and with somewhat longer crown. Tall and imperial. Strong.

£15 each; 3 for £40



PROPHET - see opposite

4 MERRYMAKER MJB

One of the gay new double. Large not too heavy flower in shining gold and flaming orange. Cheerful colouring and excellent quality. Strong stemmed and very free flowering.

50p each; £4.50 for 10; £40 a 100

2B NEWSTAR JLR Rose Caprice x seedling

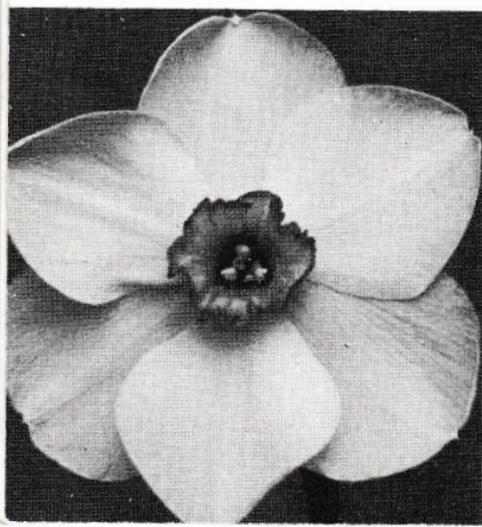
We have a series of fine pinks hovering in the wings awaiting introduction, both of our own breeding and of other breeders. They have in common quality that a few years ago would have been but a dream; they also have most pleasing colours. Newstar is happily one of the strongest growing and quickest to increase. An immaculate perianth is arranged from six broad rounded petals polished smooth and flat, shining white behind a broad bowl crown of rich glowing pink.

£20 each; 3 for £50

4 WESTWARD 5 JLR

A late double in frosty white and bright rich gold, a clean sparkling flower. "But Westward, look, the land is bright" the flower certainly is bright. It is also well formed and full. A remarkable late show and garden flower of excellent all round character. One of the few double of this colour.

£6 each; 3 for £15



FRONT COVER COLLECTION

WHITBOURNE
CELEBRATION
ODDS ON

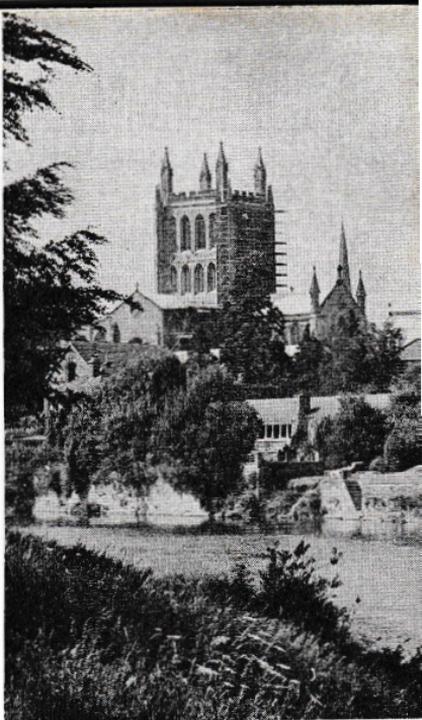
1 of each for £3
3 of each for £8
10 of each for £22
25 of each for £45

WHITBOURNE - see opposite

1975 Novelties

A "CELEBRATION"

The Hereford diocese is celebrating the 13th centenary of its foundation in 1976. In the diocese we are planning to mark the occasion with a festival lasting from Spring till Autumn. All sorts of activities will play a part so that everyone can enjoy themselves whilst giving thanks for the past and continuing work of the Church. As a small part of the festival we have named one of our new daffodils 'Celebration.'



4 CELEBRATION 2-3

Is a cheerful brand new double flower of gold and scarlet, a flag-waving carnival-spirited flower that should brighten up any garden. It is a strong bulb with good stems and large durable blooms of attractively arranged intermingled petals of rich gold and brilliant orange scarlet. A single bulb will double itself each year and soon form a large clump.

£1 each; 3 for **£2.50**; 10 for **£7**; 100 for **£60** *ill. front cover*

The '1300 Festival' is not a money raising effort but we aim to recover expenses. 50% of the value of your order for Celebration will go to help the festival.

7B GREEN GINGER 5-6 Gray

Another world-beating dwarf bred by Alec Gray. With Tete a Tete this kind forms a pair of book ends for the daffodil family. Green Ginger is a very late and durable jonquil that has the jonquil's magic ability to increase at a fanatically prodigious rate. The foliage is healthy and erect. The flower stems from 7-9" with one, two, or three flowers. Each bloom is a lovely circle of primrose centred by a neat cup of green and yellow. The green shading makes this a most delightfully cool little flower. Scented. Exceptionally robust and prolific.

£2 each; 3 for **£4**; **£10** for 10

4 ODDS ON 3-4 MJB

Odds On is one of the new race of doubles, strong and reliable, and this one is a particularly pleasing white and orange red confection of good form and habit. Its clean shining flowers are bodily posed on strong stems and last well. Fine for show or garden. Strong carnation perfume. *ill. front cover.*

£1.50 each; **£12** for 10

1A PROPHET 2 Barr Lunar Sea x Maidens Blush

Prophet, or should it be 'Barr's Triumph', is a new departure in daffodil breeding, a most refined kind to help blaze this new trail. A fine silken perianth of flat overlapping petals in pale lemon foil, a narrow trumpet which has some of this same pale lemon but is suffused throughout its length with a delightful glow of pink. The delicate colouring with the fine-spun quality makes this a most captivating beauty. Quite unique. **£25** each

3B WHITBOURNE MJB 4-5

We have waited a long time to find a flower to name after our home village. The temptation was to chose a large extrovert flower, but instead we have elected a most perfect medium sized dandy exquisite in tailoring and colour. The clean lines of the pure white perianth are allied to a firm texture that allows no suspicion of a crease. Wide ace-of-spaces petals lie flat and precise around a small cup of green and gold finished with a painted rim of orange red. Whitbourne is a most pleasant parish; Whitbourne the flower is a very worthy namesake. Good stock. *ill. opposite and front cover.*

£1 each; 3 for **£2.50**; 10 for **£7**

1976 FANCIERS INVESTMENT COLLECTION			
Ambergate	£1.50	Lemon Cloud	£1
Celebration	£1	Feeling Lucky	£5
Uncle Remus	£6	Tynemouth	£2.50
1 bulb of each £11 (value £17)			
3 bulbs of each £25			

1976 CHELSEA COLLECTIONS			
"A"		"B"	
10 Pastorage	£6.50	10 Charter	£6.00
10 Galway	£2.00	10 Stromboli	£3.50
10 Craigyarwarren	£2.00	10 Tudor Minstrel	£2.50
10 Mrs O. Ronalds	£3.00	10 Rothbury	£4.50
10 Kildrum	£3.00	10 Acropolis	£4.50
Value £16.50 offered for £12 5 of each £7		Value £21 offered for £14 5 of each £7.50	

NATURALISING AND GARDEN DISPLAY COLLECTIONS			
"One"		"Two"	
Galway		Celebration	
Ice Follies		Ambergate	
Kilworth		Charter	
White Lion		Artillery	
"One"			
40 bulbs	10 each	£5	value £6.25
100 "	25 "	£10	" £15.65
200 "	50 "	£16	" £26.50
500 "	125 "	£40	" £65.25
1000 "	250 "	£75	" £130.50
"Two"			
40 bulbs	10 each	£25	value £38.50
100 "	25 "	£50	" £77
200 "	50 "	£78	" £121

MIXED DAFFODILS

For those who just enjoy daffodils and are not worried about knowing their 'Christian' names we can supply a glorious multicoloured mixture from our extensive stocks of named and seedling daffodils.

* Please - we do need orders for these early as it is a particularly popular item.

10 full-sized flowering bulbs	£2.00	50 bulbs for	£5.00
100 full-sized flowering bulbs	£8.00	500 bulbs for	£35.00
		1000 bulbs for	£65.00

Key to symbols following variety names in catalogue

- 1 Numbers after name indicate flowering period. 1 is earliest, 6 is latest.
- 2 Letters indicate raiser.

GLW	Guy L. Wilson	JLR	J. Lionel Richardson
WJD	W. J. Dunlop	MJB	Michael Jefferson-Brown
M	Grant E. Mitsch	B	Brodie of Brodie
WOB	W. O. Backhouse	CRW	C. R. Wootton
- 3 PC = Preliminary Commendation
 AM = Award of Merit
 FCC = First Class Certificate
- 4 Parentage is given when known, seed parent first.
- 5 ☉ = particularly well scented kind.
- 6 * = ADS recommended miniature

BUSINESS TERMS	
1	Packing and carriage charged at cost.
2	Accounts due net within 1 month of invoice date. 2% per month charged on overdue accounts.
3	No orders cancelled except by mutual agreement.

YELLOW TRUMPETS 1A

BAYARD 2-3 JLR

Stamped with the hallmark of 1st class quality. Exactly modelled smooth golden trumpet, wide round petals, very flat. 1st class show or garden. **50p each; £4.50 for 10**

BY JOVE 2-3 MJB

Balance, quality and deep glowing gold make a top class show flower. In garden it stands tall strong and boldly posed. Velvet, wide petals and beautifully finished trumpet. **£2 each**

FORT KNOX 2-3 MJB Arctic Gold x Burnished Gold

24 carat gold daffodil. Uniform deep gold bordering on orange. Rich texture and formidable substance in blooms of most refined design. Flawless perianth of perfect polished petals, narrow trumpet finished with machined flange neatly serrated. The finest yellow trumpet. **£30 each**

LEMON CLOUD 2-3 MJB Spellbinder x Moonstruck

Clouds of lemon emanate from an explosively vigorous free flowering bulb. Wide triangular long pointed petals at right angles to a long trumpet narrowly tailored but slightly expanded at the mouth. Not for the highest exhibition work but a delicious cool character flower in the garden, often a prodigious 6" across. **£1 each; £8 for 10**

LIMELIGHT 203 WJD

Bewitching luminous tones of lemon. Wide petals, nobly flanged and notched trumpet. Always in demand. **50p each; £4.50 for 10**

1A PENBERTH 2-3 Favel

Mid yellow excellently proportioned all-rounder that it is suggested could be successor to Kingscourt. Polished. **45p each; £4 for 10**

WINDJAMMER 2-3 WJD

One of the most effective of all daffodils here. The stock has been a shining mass of sulphur lemon, each large bloom displaying petals as wide as a windjammer's sails and trumpet nobly flanged and proportioned. So generous that there always seems to be 2 flowers where other kinds would be content with 1. A favourite of mine. **£1 each; £8.00 for 10**

	ea.	10		ea.	10
Maraval	50p	£4.50	Trumpeter	35p	£3
Moonshot	£1.50	£12.00	Up Front	£1.50	
Spanish Gold	50p	£4.50			

RED TRUMPETS 1A

THUNDERBOLT 3 MJB Uncle Remus x seedling

We consider this the best all round red trumpet yet seen. It is clearly of trumpet proportions and is painted in well contrasted colours. Blooms are smooth and of pleasing form, the somewhat pointed petals being held flat in a plane at right angles to the rather slender trumpet neatly finished with a sensible flange and serration. The colours are a primrose gold in the perianth, and a solid deep orange through the whole length of the trumpet. Good plant, smallish but healthy bulb. **£80 each**

UNCLE REMUS 2-3 WOB

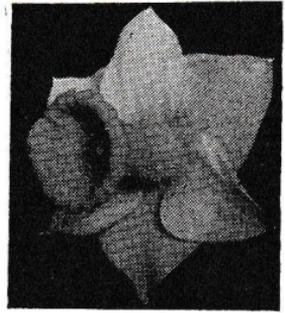
This red trumpet is giving seedlings of very rich colour. It is itself a good sized flower with primrose perianth of petals held at right angles to the full size trumpet-shaped trumpet of uniform glowing deep orange. The plant grows strongly and increases well. It may well be that the main future advances in red trumpets will stem from this variety. **£6**

BICOLOR TRUMPETS 1B

BALLYGARVEY 3-4 WJD Effective x Sincerity

Brilliantly contrasted show flower and excellent decorative garden one. Wide pure white petals make a foil at right angles to deep gold trumpets finished with a rolled brim.

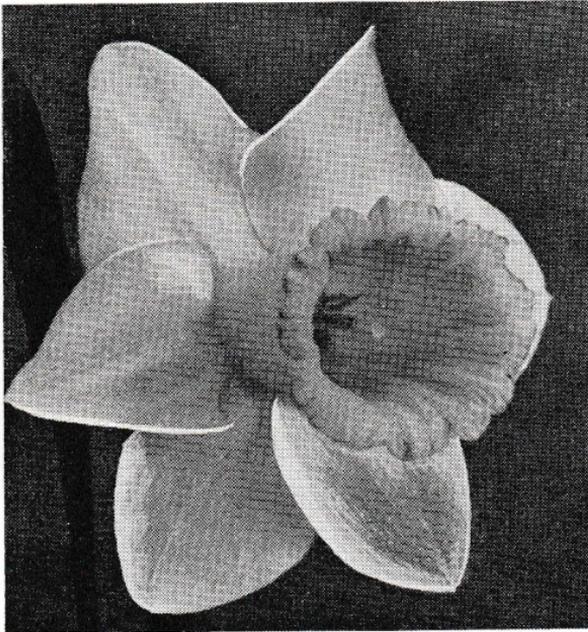
40p each; £3.50 for 10



DESCANSO 2-3 Evans Polindra x Frolic

An impeccable show flower of chaste form and refined texture and substance. Large blooms on tall stems, triangular wide shining white petals and a chaste trumpet gently flanged and painted a good lemon-butter yellow. Good pose. Scarce.

£3.50 each



TRADITION 3 MJB AM 1965

Proud, large, Award of Merit flower. Broad white polished petals at right angles to full rich golden yellow trumpet beautifully balanced and flanged. Strong free flowering and increasing plant.

£1.50 each
£12.00 for 10

Frolic
Sumptuous

ea 10
75p £6
£3.50

New Issue

ea 10
50p £4

PINK TRUMPETS 1B

LISDILLON 3 Radcliff

Exciting Tasmanian of superb quality with a neat rather pointed perianth held neatly and flat away from the rosy pink trumpet which is opened gently at the mouth.

£1.00 each; £8.00 for 10

PATRICIA REYNOLDS 3 Father Bede. Le Voleur x Purcelle

One of the rare pink trumpets and very smooth and well balanced. Flat petals of good substance. Narrow shell pink trumpet in excellent proportion. Good bulb.

£2 each; £18 for 10

RIMA 3-4 M Kenmare x Dawnglo

Smooth pure white petals of fine-spun quality held perfectly flat Gently flared trumpet of deep lilac toned pink. A very strongly contrasted flower. In our collection its colour has shone out more strongly than other pinks. It grows and increases quickly. Is proving a useful breeding kind as well as a first-rate garden and show flower.

£2.50 each; £20.00 for 10

WHITE TRUMPETS 1C

BIRTHRIGHT 2-3 GLW Courage x Empress of Ireland

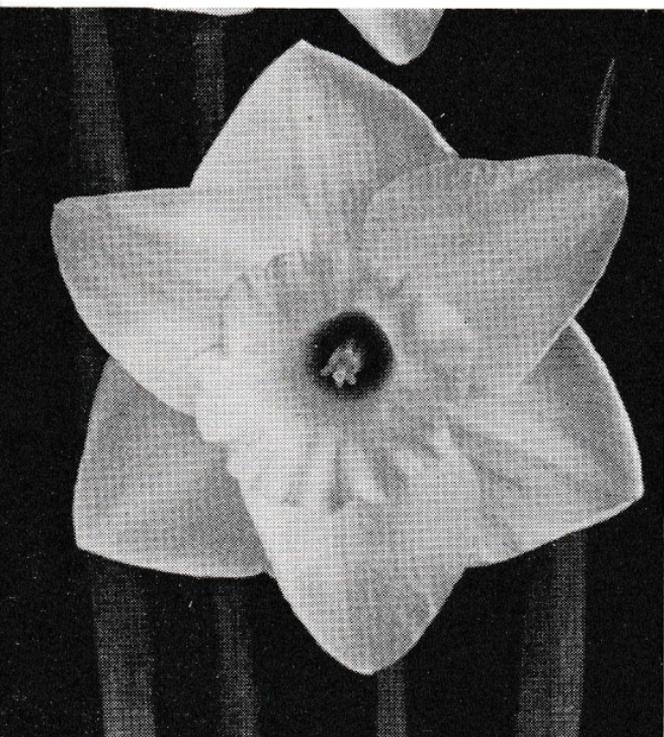
Glorious giant of wonderful refinement, having an immaculate perianth of very broad flat petals that are almost square and give the flower a masculine square rigged appearance. The crystalline texture of the petals grace the whole flower, the perianth that lies so exactly flat and the trumpet which is not too wide at the base but is on the grand scale with a bold pleasing flange. Shining snow white. **£5 each**

ITS TRUE 2-3 MJB Seedling x Empress of Ireland P.C. 1968

Huge white flower with a perianth of tremendously wide flat petals and a trumpet most beautifully proportioned not being too wide in its length but having a very good flange. Makes an immediate impact when seen. Grows strongly, increases well. Reliable. **£15.00 each**

MOUNT HOOD 3 FCC Wisley 1955

Very good garden daffodil in white and milk white. Strongly growing plant that gives many fine quality large flowers each year. Can be used successfully between shrubs and naturalised. **£1 for 10; £8,a 100**



PANACHE 2-3 GLW (Courage x Broughshane) x Empress of Ireland FCC 1967

Panache is a white, white trumpet. It is a large flower of faultless show form, carriage, and quality. It is clearly the best 1C yet seen and is bound to hold its place for years to come. The greatest advance yet in quality, reliability, and character. Excellent bulb and plant.

£12 each

QUEENSCOURT 2-3 GLW Courage x Empress of Ireland

Large and built on rather similar lines to Empress of Ireland, but whiter and even smoother. Immense white petals somewhat rounded and held strictly at right angles to the narrow trumpet that is opened with a generously and perfectly designed flange to give the final touch of class and exact balance to this noble flower. **£5.50 each**

	ea	10		ea	10
Chivalry	50p	£4.50	Cushie Butterfield	75p	£6.50
Riber	50p	£4.50			

REVERSE BICOLOUR TRUMPETS 1D

CHILOQUIN 3-4 M

Opening later than its fellows of this class, it proves itself the smoothest and most perfectly designed. Slightly reflexed perianth very broad and of satin fine finish. Equally smooth trumpet comes close to pure white a few days after opening. A fine acquisition. **£10 each**

ENTRANCEMENT 1-2 M King of the North x Content

Entrancement has large flowers of soft greenish lemon, though the slightly frilled trumpet becomes white as it develops. Deeper than Lunar Sea, different in shape and ten days earlier. A grand garden plant as can be seen by the illustration. **75p each; £6.50 for 10**

HONEYBIRD 2-3 M King of the North x Content AM 1967

Excellent form, texture and pose. Very smooth, flat perianth in rich luminous lemon behind a very neat trumpet that becomes white. Reverse develops quicker than most. 1st quality plant. Show winner. **£1.50 each; £12.50 for 10**

LUNAR SEA 2-3 M King of the North x Content

Opens a sulphur lemon flower, but trumpet soon fades to near snow white. Most white of reverses. Good form, plant of excellent habit. Tall strong. Uniquely beautiful garden flower. **£1 each; £8 for 10**

NAMPA 2-3 M King of the North x Content

Distinctive deep coloured reversed bicolour, a powerful flower in the garden, being a very striking contrast with the rich luminous lemon perianth having a white halo at the base of the white trumpet when fully developed. Large and good in pots. Capable of winning at shows. **60p each; £5.50 for 10**

RICH REWARD 3 M Lunar Sea x Bethany

Outstanding on at least two counts, the vivid intensity of its luminous lemon gold and the exceptional substance that enables the flower to outlast many of its neighbours. Petals are pointed and overlap well to form a stiff perianth behind a neatly flanged narrow trumpet that comes close to pure white. Scarce. **£12.50 each**

SPELLBINDER 1-2 GLW King of the North x Content

Alice-in-Wonderland flower. Broad petals and noble flanged trumpet. The whole opens an entrancing cool greeny sulphur lemon, but after a few days the magic begins to work and the inside of the trumpet passes to almost pure white, whilst, like the grin of the Cheshire Cat, a sparkle of lemon is left around the serrated brim. **30p each; £2.50 for 10; £17.50 a 100**

REVERSE BICOLOUR COLLECTION

These lovely flowers are some of our top favourites and feature heavily in orders received. This season we have decided to offer a special collection of Large Cup and Trumpet Reverse bicolours. These kinds are offered.

Entrancement
Honeybird
Lunar Sea
Nampa

} Trumpets

Charter
Gleeful
Pastorale
Limeade

} Large Cups

1 bulb of each for **£5.50** (listed at **£6.85**)
3 bulbs of each for **£14.50** (listed at **£20.55**)

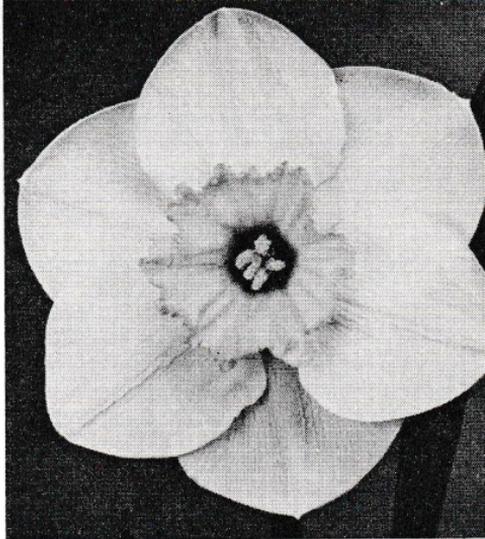
ALL YELLOW LARGE CUPS 2A

BREAKTHROUGH 3-4 MJB

Homage seedling

Large circular large flowers held on tall strong stems well clear of any foliage. Boldly posed flowers have very wide rounded thick petals of bright clear lemon around a flattened saucer crown of deep rich lemon centred green. The almost unique colouring of the perianth must make it a flower on its own. Consistent here but maybe the perianth colour may bleach in much warmer parts of the world.

£10.00 each



CAMELOT 3-4 JLR Kingscourt x Ceylon

Clearly outstanding. The crown is not a lot shorter than the petals but the character of the blooms is obviously large-cupped rather than pseudo-trumpet. Very wide, very flat perianth unusually rounded for a 2A. Texture is fine spun, substance is thick, colour is uniform deep clear yellow. Strong in stem and all parts. Unusual and valuable for show, wonderful in garden.

£2 each

EUPHONY 3-4 M. Leonaine open pollinated

Seed parent a pink, pollen parent probably Daydream or Fawnglo. Entire flower very soft creamy lemon, difficult to describe but a delight to see. In form it has few equals. Geometrically perfect perianth in one strict plane at right angles to exactly proportioned goblet but finished with restrained frill. A triumph.

£10 each

GALWAY 2 JLR F.C.C.

"The World's Best Traditional Daffodil"

Recognised as one of the all-time greats. Would be better classified as a trumpet as it often measures these proportions and it really looks like the perfect orthodox golden trumpet daffodil. Outstanding for show and garden. Huge bulbs, erect blue green foliage, strong stems, large rich golden blooms very broad in the petals and boldly modelled in the trumpet crowns. Must be in every collection worthy of the name.

25p ea; £2 for 10; £17 a 100;
£150 a 1000

Jean and Galway



GOLDEN AURA 4 JLR Halo open

I quote Mrs. Richardson: "The wonderfully smooth shovel shaped perianth segments are very wide and much overlapping, of perfect form and lovely texture, the medium sized crown is bell shaped, slightly expanded and neatly serrated at the edge forming perfect pose and balance. A show flower of highest quality, deep golden yellow throughout, outstanding in its class." Very strong.

£5 each

LINKSFIELD 3 Cobb

Distinct from other 2As. Pale sulphur lemon flowers with rounded petals and neat, shallow crowns. Good sized flower, sturdy, prolific. Altogether a most pleasing daffodil.

£3 each; 3 for £8

	ea	10		ea	10
Butterscotch	£2		Lemnos	75p	£6
Fawnglo	45p	£4			

YELLOW & ORANGE LARGE CUPS 2A

BANDLEADER 2-3 MJB Narvik x Spelter

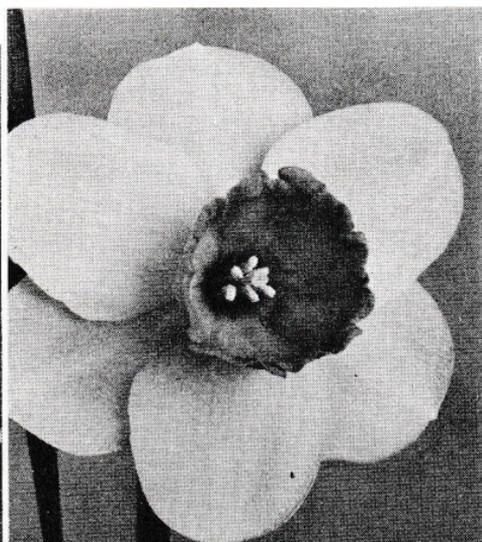
Vivid smooth flower in deep gold and dark red. Neat thick flat petals, goblet cup. 40p each; £3.50 for 10; £30 for 100

CRAIGYWARREN 3-4

A magnificent flower of largest size, splendid quality and wonderful thick waxy texture. Broad smooth, flat, overlapping, deep yellow perianth and beautifully proportioned crimson-red crown. A first-class Show flower. Vigorous plant and good doer. 25p each; £2.00 for 10; £18.00 a 100

FEELING LUCKY 2-4 JLR Patagonia x Firecracker

Extraordinary flower and plant. Unfurls deep golden perianth around a wide orange crown. The orange turns richer, deeper, more glowing fierce scarlet each day. The scalloping of the expanded crown makes Feeling Lucky most distinct and pleasing, the scalloping is done boldly and gracefully in the very best taste. £4 each; £35 for 10



FALSTAFF 203 JLR Ceylon x 2A FCC 1968

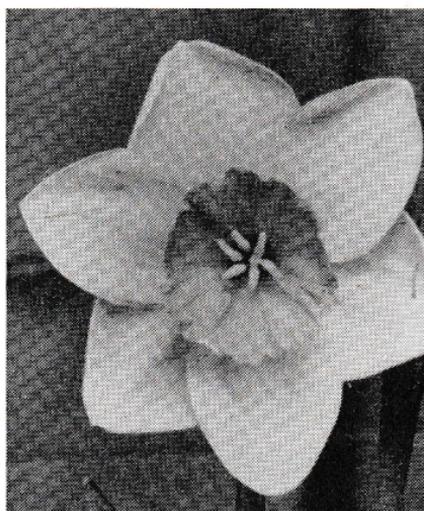
Top of its class. A highly coloured exuberant character this Falstaff, but in dress and habit vastly more correct than its namesake. The deep golden perianth metallis in its strength, rigid machined form, and highly polished finish. The large crown a deep sunproof scarlet. *///*.

£4.50 each

RED RANGER 3-4 JLR AM 1951 Carbineer x Bahram

Magnificent show quality flower of large size. Very smooth rounded petals form a fine rich yellow perianth, whilst the bowl shaped crown is a flaming intense scarlet. Probably the strongest plant of this section. *///*.

30p each; £2.50 for 10; £22.00 a 100



ROTHBURY 2-3 G. Harrison Seedling x Ceylon

One of the most splendid of flowers, large, bright, cheerful and long lasting. It is a character of sterling value in the garden and a well finished flower. The rich gold of the wide perianth glows and sparkles behind the large neat crown of vivid scarlet. A flower of Matlock size but showing the influence of Ceylon's quality. Strong constitution.

50p each; £4.50 for 10; £40 a 100

	ea	10		ea	10
Flaming Meteor	75p	£6.50	Matlock	35p	£3
Golden Treasure	75p	£7	Sacajawea	35p	£3

ALL RED DAFFODILS 2A

Well perhaps not all red, but fast approaching that state

AMBERGATE 3-4 Milne (Hades x Killingrew) x Cornish Fire

"A SUCCESS STORY"

The success of a new daffodil may be judged by the prizes it wins at shows or by the number of bulbs ordered by gardeners and by this measure Ambergate is one of the century's greatest successes. We have never handled any variety that has enjoyed such an immediate and sustained response since we introduced Ambergate in 1971. Ambergate is the result of several generations of breeding. It is the strongest coloured flower yet generally available. The wide crown is a rich scarlet, the petals are a glowing tangerine. A pyromaniac in the border, a flower that will set the garden alight and make a seasoned fire-eater think twice. Fortunately it is a strong growing bulb. Since 1971 has consistently headed our list of top sellers. *ill. back cover.*

£1.50 ea; 3 for £4; 10 for £11; 50 for £45; 100 for £80

GYPSY 3-4 JLR

Brilliantly distinct. The tanned ruddy complexion of a gypsy is seen in the orange suffusion that makes the old gold petals almost tangerine, whilst the crown is a rich orange red. More tailored in dress than the usual gypsy, for the broad petals are satin smooth and the crown neatly bowl shaped. A pyromaniac that will set border and garden alight. A very fine thing. Tall wiry plant with good bulbs. £2.50 each

TRENDSETTER 2-3 Lea Nanking x Ambergate

Red flushed flowers like this and Gypsy are still rare. This one has the almost legendary Ambergate as one parent. A tall plant with attractive large flowers with golden round petals heavily suffused with pinky orange and a neat crown of deep orange scarlet. Breeders are certain to want this line in the breeding work. £1.50 each; £12.00 for 10

Hello!

1975 was another Gold Medal year. We won a gold medal every time we exhibited at the Daffodil Competition, the Daffodil Show, the Harrogate North of England Show, the RHS early May Show, culminating in a Gold at Chelsea where we had our best Chelsea exhibit yet.

The number of new seedlings we now have coming on has forced us into more extensive reorganisation of our collection than usual. We have parted with many old friends to allow us to concentrate on the cream of modern daffodils. The whole of our collection is now housed in a fresh plot that gives great promise of producing most excellent bulbs, so all is set for a great 1976 season.

It is a great pleasure to grow daffodils and to make one's living this way is certainly more agreeable than many others. We would like to thank our many faithful customers for their continued support. We shall endeavour to try and give the greatest satisfaction with every order big and small. It would help us if you could order early. Thank you.

Happy gardening in 1976.

Michael & Jean

PINK LARGE CUPS 2B

CLOCHMERLE 3-4 GLW

Flower of ample size well posed on a strong stem, the broad petals forming a wide milk white perianth to show off the large crown with its flange. The crown opens buffy but soon becomes rich pink throughout. Strong.

£2.00 each; £18.00 for 10

DANCING PARTNER 3 MJB Rose of Tralee x Passionale

A polished flower with oval pointed petals held flat away from a trumpet crown of pink untouched by any orange. Free flowering nice plant with obvious Rose of Tralee blood. Quick to increase.

£1 each; £8.50 for 10

FAMILLE ROSE 2-3 Johnstone

Large bowl crown of pure rose pink and a wide perianth that stands very true to its plane at right angles to the stigma. The white and pink blooms surprise us coming at least two weeks before any other pinks except Sateen.

£3.50 each

GAY MOOD 3-4 M Green Island x ((White Sentinel x Mrs. Backhouse) x Wild Rose)

Sister to Leonaine. Larger and having a smooth flat overlapping white perianth and a solid pink cup with much frilled margin. Darker around rim. 1st class.

£2.00 each

KING TUT 4-5 JLR

One of the finest at the end of season, pure white silken perianth at right angles to bowl crown neatly flanged and painted a most pleasing shade of pink, a salmon flushed pink. Sturdy and floriferous. Much admired here.

£4 each; £10 for 3; £30 for 10

KNIGHTWICK 3-4 JLR

Rosewall x Rose Caprice

In the forefront of the newer fine quality pinks. Rigidly firm petals smooth as polished marble, at right angles to a largish crown of delicious rich rose pink. Much admired here. Good plant and bulb.

£1.50 each; £12.00 for 10



L'AMOUR 3-4 JLR Salmon Trout x Rose Caprice

Who can find fault with L'Amour? The daughter a compliment to the high born qualities of her parents. Delicious colour, beautiful texture, copybook design. Broad satiny petals of firm substance, flat behind the bold crown—exquisitely flanged. White behind a crown of rich pure rose pink opening buffy but soon becoming nothing but clear smiling pink. Strong bulb and plant.

£3 each; £25 for 10

MONDAINE 3 GLW

Broad white petals of triangular design held from the crown with perhaps the slightest suspicion of a reflexion. The bold crowns are a shining pink with a distinct undertone of lilac. Mondaine is a fine plant that comes of a long line of pink breeding.

£1.50 each; £12 for 10

MRS. OSCAR RONALDS 3 Ronalds

Really one of the outstanding and most pleasing of pinks. Bids fair to be the best introduction yet from the Antipodes. A snow-white perianth of broad rounded petals all held flat perfectly at right angles from the neat clipped crown of delightful rich rose and lavender pink. Strong neat plant.
35p ea; £3 for 10; £28 a 100

MY LADY 3-4 JLR Infatuation x Debutante

Vividly pink, probably the darkest we grow. Clean pure white perianth of round petals behind the bold crown of striking dark pink, a most wonderful contrast. Good plant.
£12 each

ROMAN TILE 3-4 Johnstone

Unusual and pleasing. Blue white snowy perianth of rounded petals. Wide quite deep bowl of shining rich primrose ribboned with rich deep pink. Unlike any other variety we know. High gloss finish.
£3.00 each

ROMANCE 4-5 JLR Rose Caprice x Infatuation AM 1966

I quote the raiser: "One of the most attractive and outstanding flowers in its class. A large flower measuring 4½" across with wonderful round overlapping milk white perianth segments of beautiful quality and lovely texture. The charming well proportioned cup is deep rose pink with a trace of green at the base, and a deeply goffered brim to the cup. £5 each

SATEEN 1-2 H. Barr Spellbinder x Maidens Blush

The unusual cross, made with the idea of producing a lemon and pink flower, has in Sateen given a beautiful bold early white and pink. It is a very good show shape, a large flower on tall strong stems. The fine white perianth is held at right-angles to a crown that is virtually a trumpet. This trumpet crown is painted pink, a most pleasing shade. The value of the flower is greatly enhanced by being so very early, easily the first of the pinks, and by being a fine laster. To breeders its value is obvious.
£2.00 each

SELTAN 3-4 GLW Pink O'Dawn x Irish Rose

Seltan is a sturdy plant giving a multitude of flowers with wide white perianths and crowns of pleasing pink. The trumpet crown is finished with a neat flange. Pink O'Dawn is one of the cornerstones of pink breeding in the Antipodes. Irish Rose has proved an important breeder here. Seltan should surely be another really important breeder as well as garden plant for many years.
25p each; £2 for 10; £18 a 100

YES PLEASE 3 Board Rose of Tralee x Interim

Glorious deep pink. Very white petals are inclined to lean backwards like a large cyclamineus hybrid. Beautifully finished crowns of rich deep rose with no orange or mauve. Very free flowering and lasting. Most eye catching plant.
£3.00 each; £27.00 for 10

	ea	10		ea	10
Allurement	£1	£8	Interlude	40p	£3.50
Carita	£5	£45	Just So	£8	
Caro Nome	£1	£8	Leaping Salmon	75p	£7
Compton			Melody Lane	£1	£8
Mackenzie	60p	£5	My My	£2.50	£22
Flamingo	£2		Radiation	75p	£7
Foray	£1	£8	Rose Ribbon	£1	
Holiday Fashion	£4		Swiss Miss	45p	£3.50

WHITE & YELLOW LARGE CUPS 2B

ABALONE 3-4 M Polindra x Green Island

Large size, good form, long strong stems, and vigorous growth characterise this fine flower. Excellent for both garden and show. Most generous perianth smooth, thick and flat, 3" across and looking much larger. Bowl shaped crown opens pale lemon but soon develops apricot, creamy buff, and pinkish mother-o-pearl shading. £1.00 each; £9.00 for 10

AMBER LIGHT 3-4 JLR Alpine Eagle x Salmon Trout

Silken giant of purist form. Wide flat shovel shaped petals and flanged and rolled trumpet crown. The white perianth foils the unusual warm buffy peachy yellow. Strong stems and fine pose make it a commanding flower in the garden or on the show bench. £2.00 each

CORBRIDGE 3 G. Harrison

Powerful, aristocratic newcomer to the white and yellow large cups. Welcome for immaculate quality, a very even crop of long lasting flowers but most welcome for its distinct character. Petals are smooth, wide thick and cleanly cut. The bowl crown is mid yellow, richer at the rim. The flower is most boldly posed and with the ample perianth just very slightly reflexed Corbridge looks distinguished and distinct. Strong. Tall, rigid stem. 1st class in show or garden. £1.50 each; £12.00 for 10

FAVOURITE 3 Board Castlecoole x Irish Rose

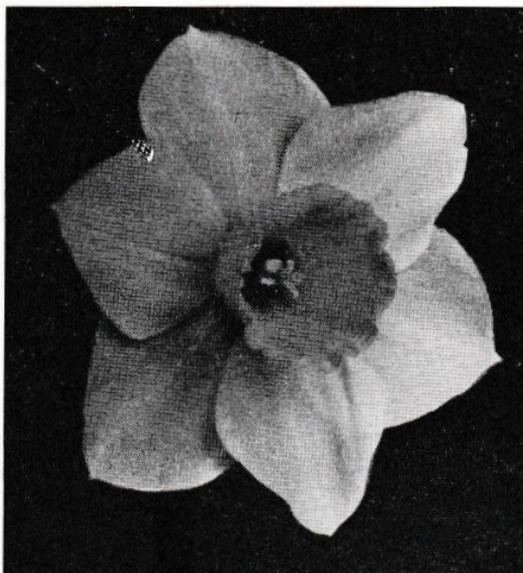
From two good parents this large flower has very broad and smooth rather triangular petals of glistening white and a large bowl of creamy yellow. Tall and strong; altogether a most pleasing daffodil.

40p each; £3.50 for 10

FESTIVITY 3-4 M

Magnificent show flower and plant. Giant flower of utmost refinement. Wide-spread flat perianth snow white to the base of the strong clear yellow crown. Somewhat like Tudor Minstrel but with a less flared crown. Probably the best flower of its type.

£1.00 each;
£8.00 for 10



FLYING SAUCER 2-3 M

Novel beauty with broad triangular petals pointing from behind the widely spun saucer of chrome enriched with apricot and orange around the brim. Excellent plant, always in demand. 75p each; £6.50 for 10

ICE FOLLIES 2-3 K & M

Officially registered as 2C. Immensely and deservedly popular, prolifically increasing bulb prodigal with flowers. Tall with ample white stars centred by a broadly flared and fluted crown of lemon primrose which fades eventually to become milk white. This is officially registered as a 2C, but belongs here as it is primarily a garden and cut flower plant and is coloured most of its life.

20p each; £1.50 for 10; £10.00 a 100;
£85.00 a 1000

★ Ice Follies
for
phenomenal
garden value

SEE ALSO BACK COVER

JOHN OF SALISBURY 3 MJB

Stands well with good sized flowers of very firm lasting substance and fine spun texture. Petals are held at right angles from crown or perhaps even very slightly reflexed. Crown longish and with a goblet finish, and subtly coloured buff. **50p each; £4.50 for 10**

MADRIGAL 4 M Chinese White x Green Island

King size petals form a broad white circle around the wide circle of the wide flat crown much pleated puckered and frilled and painted with a golden apricot margin. Strong. **£1.00 each**

NEW SONG 4 M Green Island x Bithynia

Spectacular, beautiful, and a little unorthodox. Such broad petals that the outer three overlap a quarter of an inch. A wide circle of white surrounds the very wide crown which is very shallow and a lovely creamy lemon with tones of buff and apricot at times. A green eye. **£2.00 each**

OLD SATIN 3-4 M Green Island x Chinese White

Looks like a small cup but calipers prove otherwise. Consistent in conjuring perfect blooms, rounded in form. Reminiscent of Aircastle but of different shape; it has the same exquisite texture and after opening clean white it becomes pale lemon later, even on occasion deeper than the pale lemon cup though this does have a deeper rim. In its time it may play the part of a 2B, 2A and 2D whilst looking small cupped enough to be a 3B, 3A, 3D. **£3.00 each**

ORATORIO 2-3 M Polindra x Green Island

Prodigiously strong. Rigid stems bearing large moons in stately dignity. Very rounded, much overlapping pure white perianth sets off the bold crown of pale lemon shaded deeper around the gently frilled margin. A kind that will be sold by the ton in the future! **50p each; £4.50 for 10**

PRETENDER 3 M (John Evelyn x Fortune) x Green Island

Extremely rounded very widely overlapping perianth of such calibre that the edges of the petals tend to incurve slightly. Nearly flat crowns of pale lemon shade to cream and have a grey cast at the throat. Crown frilled and fluted, making it spectacular. **£1.50 each; £13.00 for 10**

RELIANCE 3 MJB

Wide white petals make a broad background for a flanged bowl of primrose, stronger at the brim than the centre. Vigorous and very reliable. **£1.50 each; £12 for 10**

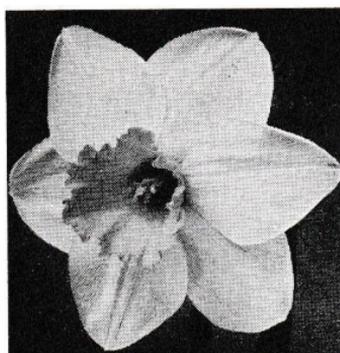
TUDOR MINSTREL 3 JLR

FCC 1956

Over 5" across. Shining white, dutifully arranged, broad petals of impeccable quality and substance. Large cup frilled at mouth, shining golden almost orange yellow. Tall strong plant. Show flower. **30p each; £2.50 for 10; £22.00 a 100**



TUDOR MINSTREL for
outstanding
show and garden value



	ea	10
Bounty	50p	£4.50
Glamorous	£3.50	

	ea	10
Jubilation	75p	£6.50

WHITE & ORANGE LARGE CUPS 2B

ANTHEA 3-4 JLR Kilworth x Arbar

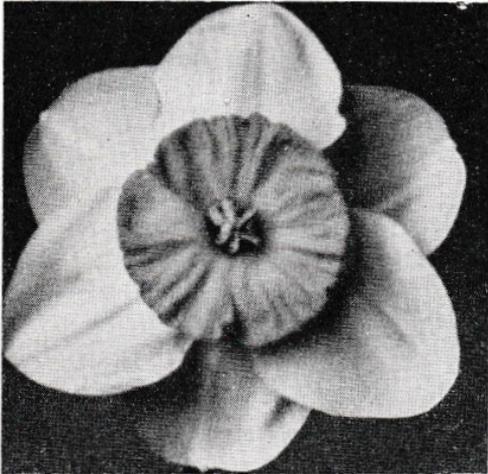
Bold and attractive beauty with smooth broad snowy petals and flared crowns nearly two inches across and painted a rich orange red that gives way to a golden eye. One of our most consistent performers.

£1.00 each; £8.50 for 10

DYNAMITE 3 MJB

Wonderful in porcelain polish of wide white petals and broad shallow crown of scarlet. Exceptionally smooth, large, boldly posed, durable. Strong plant, huge flower.

75p each; £7 for 10



LANDMARK 2-3 Brogden

We have grown Landmark for a number of years and offer it now as a somewhat different character to the present set of red and whites. It has a good smooth white perianth and a flat crown almost disc-like and smooth. The crown is in good proportion and a rich solid orange scarlet. A rapidly increasing plant.

£1.00 each; £9.00 for 10

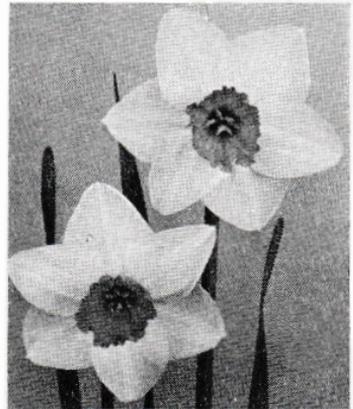
KILWORTH 4-5 JLR White Sentinel x Hades FCC 1952

One of the all-time greats! Magnificent in the border or naturalised and a cornerstone of breeding. Outstanding in vigour. Many large flowers. Broad white perianths behind bowls of intense dark solid crimson scarlet with a touch of dark green in the centre. Strong, reliable, prolific.

25p each; £2.00 for 10; £15.00 a 100; £120.00 a 1,000



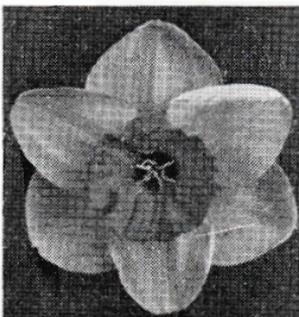
KILWORTH for formidable garden value



RUBY TAIL 3-4 JLR

One of the most exciting beds of flowers here last season. Crowds of large flowers in vivid colours lasting for weeks. The petals are noticeably broad, somewhat pointed, and form a dazzling backcloth for the wide crown of polished flaming red, a scintillating scarlet that looks well outside or in. A good bulb.

50p each; £5.00 for 10



STROMBOLI 3-4 JLR Kilworth x Arbar

A striking flower from this exciting cross. Large and well formed. Broad smooth petals make a white foil for the crater crown of volcanic deep red. The solid red of the widely expanded crown and the good perianth make this a fine example of the new race of red and whites. Sunproof. *ill.*

40p each; £3.50 for 10; £30.00 a 100

	ea	10		ea	10
Artists Model	£1	£8	Rossini	£3	£28
Prometheus	£3	£28	Victory	75p	£7

WHITE LARGE CUPS 2C

BLUE BIRD 3 MJB

We have grown this seedling for some years and use it as the standard for whiteness. It is the whitest crowned flower we have, the vivid white crown being dazzling blue-white like snow with the sun shining on it from a clear blue sky. The perianth is of wide oval petals. A group in the garden is going to look wonderful, and one bulb soon grows to a group as it increases fast. **£1.50 each; £12 for 10**

GOOD MEASURE 3 MJB

This excellent 2C is neat in growth and neat in its flower. Firm stems carry bold uniformly snow white blooms of super quality. Good Measure earns its name by the width of the broadly overlapping petals ironed to parade-ground smartness. Chaste crown sparkles. Good bulb. **£4.00 each**

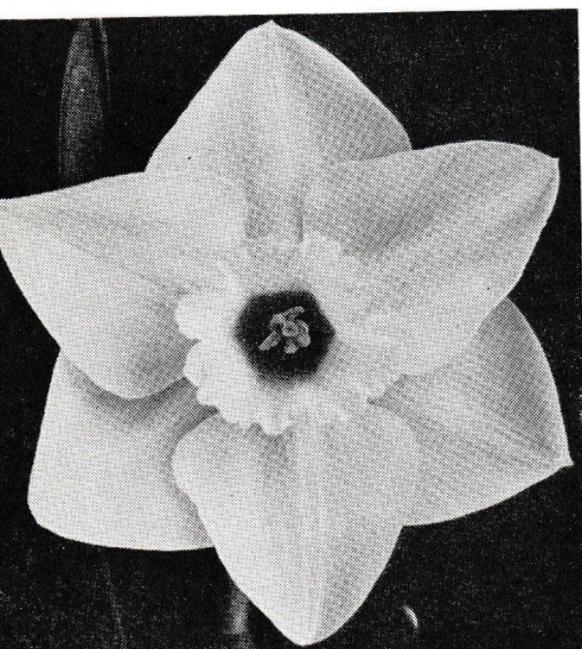
HOMAGE 4-5 GLW (Nelly x Chinese White) x (Tryst x Foggy Dew)

Wonderful worldbeater! Exemplifies the qualities Mr. Wilson strove to combine in his whites. Strong plant with large flowers or circular build, smooth and thick textured like Easter Moon. Snow white flowers made even frostier by dark sage green in the base that retains all its colour and sparkle till the flower finally passes away. Wonderful breeder. Homage named as tribute to Mr. Wilson. ///. **£1 each; £8 for 10; £70 a 100.**



WORCESTER 2 MJB

Crystalline sparkle in perianth and crown of this large fine quality flower. A hint of lemon in the gently frilled crown enhances its beauty early on, this fades in the sun to leave the whole frosty white. A most vigorous well-posed large cup flower that opens early, lasts well and is quite superb as a plant and generous increaser. **£1.00 eac; £8.00 for 10; £70 for 100**



WINFRITH 2-3

Blanchard
Best Flower RHS
Daff. Competition
1966

Icy white flower with well formed wide petals and neatly fluted crown of vivid white with dark base. First rate quality. Of modest demeanour whilst in bud but a beauty capable of winning high awards. Good stock.

**£1.50 each;
£12.00 for 10**

	ea	10		ea	10
Glenmanus	45p	£4	Pinafore	£5	

REVERSE BICOLOUR LARGE CUPS 2D

AMBERGLOW 3 M Lunar Sea x Daydream

Exciting novelty. Distinct, prolific, highest quality. Excellent overlapping perianth of bright lemon gold as luminous as trumpet crown that quickly loses some of its gold but takes on a most delightful amber buff. In the past few seasons one of our finest quality flowers. **£7.50 each**

BETHANY 3 M Binkie x (King of the North x Content)

Americans rate this best 2D. Beautiful flower of precise form. Ironed overlapping perianth is a soft luminous clear deep sulphur lemon. The crown, just short of trumpet length, opens same shade but rapidly becomes white, particularly inside, though it saves enough lemon to touch round the frill. Large 1st class show flower, opening before Daydream.

£2.00 each; £18.00 for 10

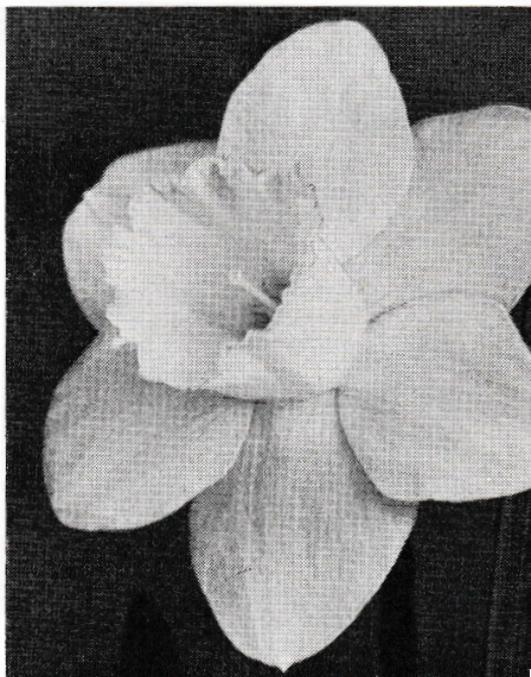
BINKIE 3 GLW

Fine large cup flower that opens lemon, the crown fading later to nearly pure white. Good plant. **25p each; £2.25 for 10; £17.50 a 100**

CHARTER 2-3 M Binkie x (King of the North x Content) AM 1964

Stands like a regimental sergeant major; grows with the abandoned vigour of a pop singer in full cry; lasts with the fortunate persistence of the British aristocracy. Delicate and bewitching in colouring. Parchment firm petals stand broad and flat away from the longish crown. Flowers open in shining lemon, the crown being darker, but this is quickly changed for whilst the petals retain their colour, the crown fades after a day or two to white. Tall and strong. Much the earliest of all 2Ds but also the longest lasting. Distinct from any other in this class and first class for show or in the garden.

75p each; £6 for 10; £50 a 100; £480 a 1,000



GLEEFUL 4 M Binkie x Content

Broad flat perianth of clear sulphur lemon deeper than Binkie. Flaring much ruffled crown opens lemon but quickly bleaches to white. Very distinct with its heavily ruffled white crown. **£1 each; £8 for 10; £70 a 100**

LIMEADE 2-3 M Binkie x (King of the North x Content)

Proven over several years to be quite outstanding as a flower of the utmost refinement and a very floriferous long lasting garden one. Glowing rich lemon in the broad pointed flat perianth and slender trumpet crown. The crown develops good reverse colouring as the flower develops. Highly recommended. **£2.00 each; £18 for 10**

PASTORALE 2-3 M Binkie x (King of the North x Content)

Distinct graceful show flower. Widely overlapping broad slightly reflexed pale lemon perianth. The crown is pale lemon suffused buff apricot slowly fading to white with a narrow rim of lemon. Nearly a trumpet, one of the most graceful newly opened or with fully developed reverse. Robust and prolific. **75p each; £6.50 for 10**

	ea	10		ea	10
Daydream	£1	£8	Halolight	£2	£17
Elf	50p	£4			

(See Reverse Bicolor collection, p.6)

YELLOW PETALLED SMALL CUPS 3A

ALTRUIST 3-4 Board Kindled x Alport

One of the most distinct and beautiful of modern show flowers. Small dark red cup surrounded by an impeccable perianth of pinky orange rouged petals all very evenly coloured and glistening smooth as the most highly polished marble. In colour and texture most lovely. *Ill. front cover.*

£5 each; £45 for 10

GREEN HOWARD 3-4 Johnstone Elspeth x Latty

Unusual medium sized flower of good form. Opening with smooth petals of pale greeny lime which eventually gives way to creamy ivory, the neat cup remaining a constant lemon.

75p each; £7.00 for 10

IRISH COFFEE 3-4 M Green Island x Chinese White

Unusual character. Thick wide perianths opening ivory soon become yellow as dark or darker than Binkie. The cup also undergoes change, it opens yellow with an orange rim but fades, in some seasons or areas becoming nearly white with a gold rim so making it a 3D. Certainly might lead breeders to a series of small cupped reverses.

£5 each

OAKWOOD 5-6 Bisdee

Almost summer flower. Medium sized round rich yellow bloom of uniform thick smooth quality. Quite alone as late yellow and so most valuable rearguard.

£7 each

Beige Beauty £3.50 each

PINK SMALL CUPS

AUDUBON 3 M (Interim x Mabel Taylor) x Caro Nome

Vivid quality flower. Intensely snow white perianth makes a wonderful background for the flared cup of citron primrose widely banded with rich dark coral rose pink. Real small cupped pink of show quality! I have found myself when in the fields returning many times to admire this lively aristocratic.

£6 each

GOSSAMER 3 M Rubra x Foggy Dew

Slightly reflexed perianth with neat crown of pale lemon ribboned pink. Very pretty cut flower of crystalline quality. Best kept out of strong sun which will fade rim.

£2.50 each

BOOKS BY MICHAEL JEFFERSON-BROWN

SMALL GARDEN DESIGN 1969 Gifford

In this book the difficulties and opportunities in designing a small garden are examined and suggestions made to get the most out of every square yard. "This is a book which will be read and enjoyed by both novices and those with a greater measure of garden lore. It is essentially a 'readable' book, with flashes of humour which help enliven the pages" — "Gardeners' Chronicle".

£2.00 post paid.

DAFFODILS, TULIPS AND OTHER HARDY BULBS 1966 Gifford

Michael Jefferson-Brown explains in this practical and comprehensive book how every gardener can obtain the best possible results from daffodils, tulips, crocuses and the many other delightful hardy bulbs. 160 pages.

£2.00 post paid

MODERN LILIES 1965 Faber and Faber

Reviews the exciting new hybrids as well as the species. Cultivation and propagation very fully dealt with. 130 pages.

£2.50 post paid

THE WINTER GARDEN 1957 Faber and Faber

"Surveys the flowers available with discrimination as well as suitable enthusiasm . . . can be confidently recommended to all gardens,"—RHS Journal.

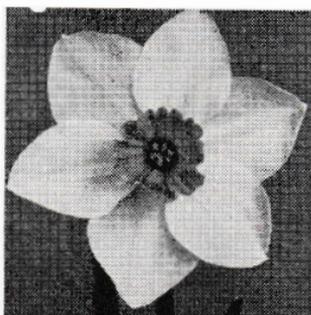
"Exceptionally well written."—Guardian.

156 pages.

£2.00 post paid

see also page 24

WHITE PETALLED SMALL CUPS 3B



ARTILLERY 3-4 JLR

Kilworth x Arbar

Brilliant new giant 3B. Blooms close to five inches across with shining white petals 2" long and 1 3/4" wide. Red cup contrasts vividly with polished perianth. Tall, strong increaser.

40p each; £3.50 for 10; £32.00 a 100

BULLSEYE 4 Board

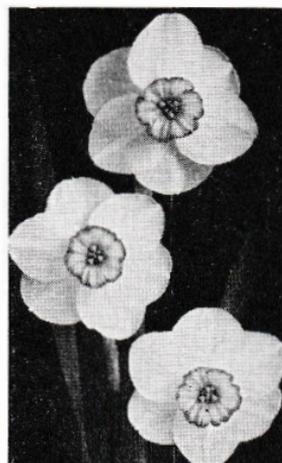
Large with wide flat pure white petals somewhat pointed around a nearly flat cup of crimson scarlet centred gold. Very tall, very vigorous, and a rapid increaser.

75p each; £6.50 for 10

CANADEL 4-5 D. Lloyd AM 1967 Crete x Corofin

Jewel-like round flower with crystalline frosty white petals and a nearly flat cup of yellow edged orange red. Wiry, strong stem. Excellent Award Merit show flower. *iii*.

£1.50 each; £4 for 3; £10 for 10



EMINENT 3-4 M Green Island x Bithynia AM 1968

One of the finest quality flowers we have imported from Mr. Mitsch. Large tall rounded flower with beautiful broad smooth pure white perianth slightly reflexing and composed of cleancut polished petals. Neat bowl of pale lemon shading to deeper lemon in the deeply frilled margin and with green tones in the base. Exquisite quality. Long strong stems.

£1.00 each; £8.00 for 10

HAMOON 3 Blanchard. Chinese White x Green Island

Giant size flower. Most striking with immense circular perianth of outside wide petals and a bold crown strongly painted glowing gold around the brim shaded to a paler centre. First class quality. Strong.

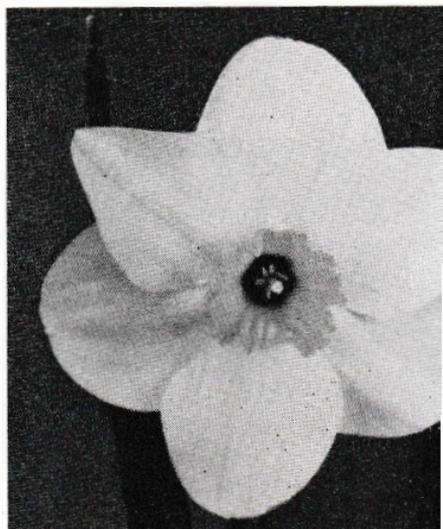
£5 each

INVITATION

3 MJB Easter
Moon x Homage

White and yellow small cupped kind with substance enough to make two flowers out of every one. Thick white petals lie flat at right angles to the neat cup and quite without any suggestion of creases. Rich lemon cup centred green. Show flower.

£5 each



KILDRUM 5-6 WJD Sunstar x Isola

A sparkling jewel. The flat cup is a flashing deep ruby set in a wide snow-field of frosty white petals. The flowers are of a good size, their clean cut shape being most attractive with broadly triangular petals. One of the stronger growing kinds that gives heavy crops of bloom. Excellent cut flower. A fine late variety that we often feature at the Chelsea show at the end of May.
35p each; **£3** for 10; **£28** a 100

KIMMERIDGE 2-3 Blanchard Portrush x Pretty Polly

Outstanding 3B in crystalline texture, its very even quality crop and earliest for a Div. 3 flower. Large round flowers of creaseless sparkling petals laid in one plane and precisely clean cut. Neat cup is pale yellow centred green and cleanly ribboned rich orange. The orange needs protection for show. A long neck but this is as strong as any stem and holds the flower in very good show pose the whole life of the flower. Earliest 3B. Very strong plant.
£1.00 each; **£8.00** for 10

RIDING MILL 3 Harrison

No fashion designer could improve on this flower. Immaculate in glistening white silk the clean cut circular petals are ironed flat in an ample circle around a neat bowl cup ribboned in smiling amber gold and shaded lemon-ade down to white. A fine show flower and a good garden plant, throwing plenty of bloom that lasts very well.
£1.00 each; **£8.00** for 10

ROB ROY 4 JLR Kilworth x Signal Light

Distinguished by the depth of the dark cherry red cup, distinction lent greater point by the neat goblet form of cup and the contrast of the generous background of smooth white petals. Large. Tall.
£1.00 each; **£8.00** for 10

SILKEN SAILS 4 M Green Island x Chinese White

Clearly one of the most beautiful of this class. Great size and smoothness characterise wonderful flower with widely overlapping perianth and nearly flat cup. Pure white broad rather pointed petals of exquisite, texture, cup opening creamy white with lemon rim fades to near white.
£5.00 each

TRANQUIL MORN 4 M Green Island x Chinese White

Lovely flower with broadly overlapping, somewhat reflexing, perianth and and a rather small nearly flat cup with a pearl grey cast near its centre. Grows very well increasing freely.
£2.00 each; **£17.00** for 10

TRIDENT 3 (formerly Bella Vista)

Very large tall flower with stems like lamp-posts. Petals thick and smooth as polished ivory but a sparkling snow white, a wide shallow primrose cup strikingly banded deep red. Impressive. **25p** each; **£2.25** for 10; **£20** a 100

TYNEMOUTH 4 G. Harrison

Carved out of marble. Thick and firm snow-white round petals at right angles to neat, rich citron yellow cup. Free blooming. A choice flower, excellent plant, and most valuable acquisition.
£2.50 each; 3 for **£6**

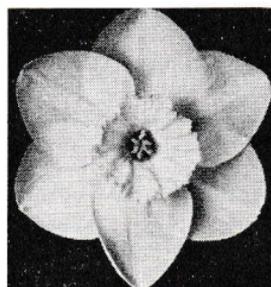
WHITE SMALL CUPS

3C

COOL CRYSTAL 5 Chinese

White x ?

Same size as large Chinese White but with somewhat reflexing graceful perianth and of much stronger improved texture. Cup or small bowl is fluted and lightly frilled. Green eye. Well posed.
£5.00 each



CRYSTAL RIVER 4-5 M Green Island x Chinese White

Delightful addition to an uncrowded class. Shining white circle of high gloss finish behind a virtually flat expanded cup that opening cream soon becomes pure white and is always distinct with its much puckered margin. Tall, boldly posed.
£4 each

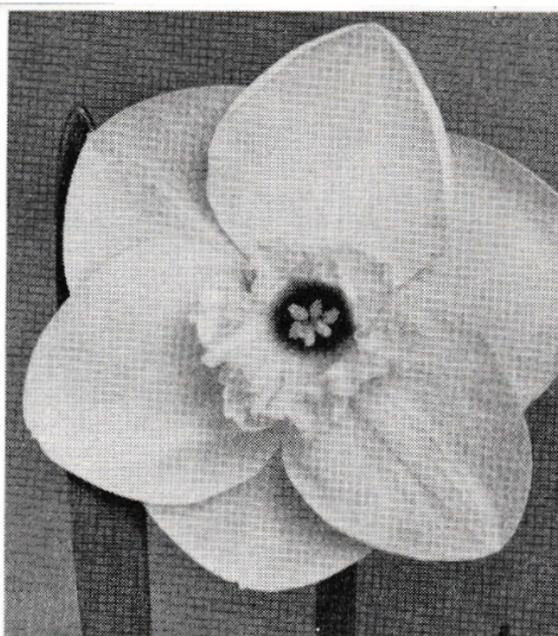
LOVEABLE 4-5 Green Island x Chinese White

Demands attention and admiration. Circular sparkling perianth surrounds a small cup that stands distinctly at right angles and has the keen cut look of an implement for stamping out small circle of pastry. A precision flower.
£3.50 each

SACRAMENTO 3-4
 J. de Navarro
 Green Island x
 Chinese White
 AM 1964

The best 3C seen in Britain. Circle of flat glistening snow around a small frilled milk white cup with deep green centre. Firm textured, ultra refined finish, a commanding presence. Excellent pose, neck and stem. A sure winner in competition.

£5.00 each



VERONA 4 JLR Green Island x Chinese White FCCs
 1961, 1971

A paragon of virtues and one of the most consistent of performers. 4" across with snowy very broad perianth and a large flat crown delightfully crinkled and neatly serrated. Crown opens pale cream, but soon all is pristine white. Faultless.

£3.00 each; £27.00 for 10

WINGS OF SONG 4 M Chinese White x (Rubra x Sylvia O'Neill)

Triangular formed perianth, the outer three segments forming one triangle and the inner ones another. If anything the polished perianth reflexes slightly from the shallow cup. All snow white except a touch of green in centre. Graceful and strong. One of our favourites.

£4 each

DOUBLES 4

ACCLAMATION 3-4 JLR Gay Time x Arbar AM 1968

This magnificent double won a unanimous Award of Merit as a show flower on its first showing. Some leading growers said Acclamation was the best red and white double yet seen.

Acclamation opens and stays vividly snow white, contrasting with the dark inner segments that show up more than in most other doubles. The pose of the flower is bold and attractive. A winning show flower and a fine garden kind of the future. Strong stems, short necks. Flowers large, rounded, long lasting and all of show quality.

£8.00 each

ACROPOLIS 4-5 JLR

The well known show flower much honoured with prizes. Now plentiful enough to enjoy as a garden flower. Recognised as one of the most reliable and beautiful of the new doubles. Tall good stems. Well formed round blooms of sparkling snow white petals amongst which nestle others of crimson scarlet.

45p each; £4 for 10; £30 a 100

GOLLY 3-4 JLR PC 1967

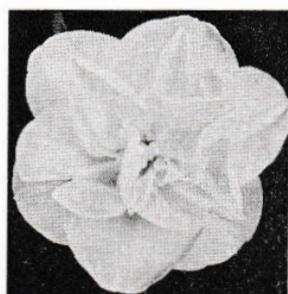
Huge, huge flower of finest spun quality. Tall strong stems hold up immense blooms sparkling in snowy white with segments of gold flushed salmon. Very fine.

£1.50 each; £12 for 10

HEARTS DESIRE 3 JLR
 Gay Time x Salmon Trout

King-size giant circular double in pure white and bright lemon. Very broad smooth outer petals, very neatly arranged inner ones. Distinct in colour and character. Plant bursting with energy to deliver tall strong flowers of finespun quality. Heavy artillery for the show-minded.

£3.00 each; £27.00 for 10



HOPE 3 JLR Falaise x Rose Caprice AM 1971

Superlative double. Very circular flower of white and shining yellow. The high quality of each bloom exemplified in satiny texture and very neatly arranged segments. The white of the background perianth circle and the inner white segments pure as snow, the purest shade of any double, a wonderful foil for the yellow. Excellent poise, strong stem, robust plant. **£25 each**

LIONHEART 3 JLR Falaise x Imogen

Crusading giant holding high great head of brilliant white and glowing strong amber petals. Well formed rounded full double with excellent stem and all round good habit. Unique in this colour. **£10 each**

ONWARD 3-4 JLR Falaise x Border Chief

Glorious gold and orange scarlet. Large strong double, most attractively and neatly formed. Very high quality. Best yellow and red double we grow. Excellent for show and a coming garden daffodil. Strong. **£5.00 each**

PUBLICITY OFFICER 3-4 JLR

Tall strong plant with neat quality flowers in gold and dark orange. The blooms of good size but not over double and so certainly not prone to weather damage. **£3 each**

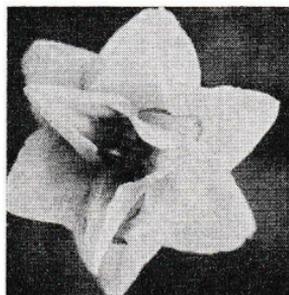
TRIBUTE 3-4 JLR

Top flight double. Large perfectly formed round flowers of rich gold, some of the neatly interlaced inner segments being a richer shade, a tangerine gold. Excellent plant that must have a very long future for show and garden use. **£8 each**

WHITE LION 3 de G. Mary Copeland x John Evelyn AM Wisley 1958

Finely formed exhibition and garden double. Best low priced one for show work. Grand white perianth background with inner segments of white and buffy soft yellow. Excellent bulb, neat growth, very strong stems.

**15p each; £1.25 for 10; £10.00 a 100;
£80.00 a 1,000**



	ea	10		ea	10
Gay Time	50p	£4.50	Pink Cloud	£1.50	£12
Pink Chiffon	£1.50	£12			

TRIANDRUS 5A

WHISPER 3 MJB Orange Glory x Dawn

Whisper has a trumpet type and N. cyclamineus for maternal grandparents and N. triandrus and N. poeticus as the paternal set. From its mixed parentage came a graceful maidenly quiet-toned beauty, a flower with delicate smooth texture in the pointed narrow petals at right angles to a slender trumpet of pale creamy primrose. The fine spun quality of the flower demands its recognition as a triandrus, though some might argue that the longish trumpet declares as strong an allegiance to the cyclamineus family. Good plant about 12" high. Fertile. **£1.00 each; £9.00 for 10**

TRIANDRUS 5B

ARISH MELL 3-4 Blanchard FCC 1963

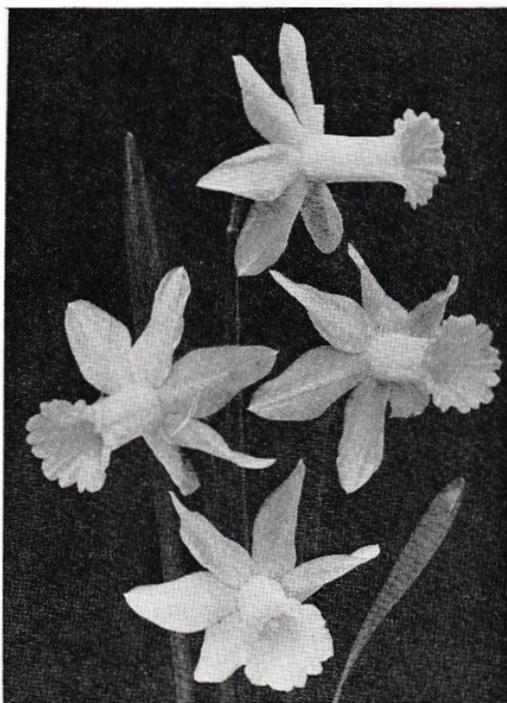
This is, of course, the best of the triandrus section, a queen that makes the rest take second place. No other triandrus has an RHS FCC as a show flower. It is one of the whitest of daffodils, its texture so fine spun as to set a target for silk manufacturers. Two or three flowers held in graceful and excited silence like a piece of fine sculpture, petals pointed and as smooth and as clean cut as the polished cups. Robust tall plant. Unbeatable in competition. **£2.50 each; £22.00 for 10**

TUESDAY'S CHILD 4 Blanchard A.M. 1969

"Tuesday's child is full of grace."

Sister to Arish Mell but a different colour and form. Outstanding kind. Perianth gently reflexed, wide creamy wings that carry aloft the crown of bright sulphur primrose. Crown wider than Arish Mell's. Exquisite texture, firmest substance. Robust. In great demand. **£4.00 each**

CYCLAMINEUS 6A Larger cupped



**Bartley for
phenomenal garden
value**

BARTLEY 1 J. C. Will

Like Peeping Tom but an improved character! It is healthier in growth the flowers are very slightly richer in colour and the substance is stronger. Very early and once in bloom almost a permanent fixture, it is so persistent. *ill.*

35p each; **£3** for 10; **£25** a 100; **£200** a 1000

EARLY ENTRY 2-3 Blanchard White Sentinel x cyclamineous

I am very fond of the cyclamineus hybrids. This is distinct kind. It has something of the Jenny lightness of build, with long pointed petals held slightly reflexed to the long slender trumpet, neatly flanged. The petals are white, the trumpet is a pale primrose often flushed with buff or pink. Flowers cut and brought inside can colour up to a definite pink. A good little plant. **£1** each; **£9** for 10

TETE A TETE 1-2-3 Gray FCC 1962 Cyclataz selfed

One of the finest if not the finest of all dwarf hybrids. Very, very early but tremendously long lasting. Dark green foliage, stems 4-6" with one or two very smooth shining flowers. Oval petals at right angles or slightly reflexed from neat longish crowns of rich orange. Most rapid increaser and tremendously prolific bloomer. Thoroughly recommended. *ill. opposite.*

£1.50 for 10; **£6.50** for 50; **£11** a 100; **£25** for 250

WILLET 2 Mitylene x cyclamineus

Opens before Charity May, similar soft yellow, perhaps a little smaller and with a longer crown and the perianth not quite so reflexed. Finely balanced and perhaps the smoothest of all this section. **£3** each



TETE A TETE *see opposite.*



CYCLAMINEUS 6B

FCC 1969

KITTEN 2-3 Coleman Alight x Charity May

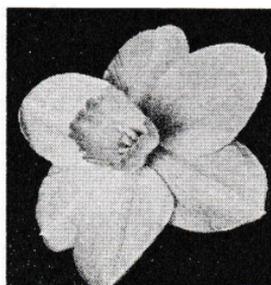
Attractive charmer. Petals a bright yellow and cups a shining tangerine red. The cyclamineus blood is seen in the recurving of the petals. Neat grower, quicker increaser. *ill.*

£1.00 each;
£8.00 for 10

JONQUILS 7A

PET FINCH 1½-3 MJB Harrier x jonquilla

Dainty, distinct little dandy. Groomed as neatly as any of the many finches that happily live with us here at Whitbourne. Rounded oval petals silky smooth held flat from neat cups of rich tangerine. Usually one gold and orange flower to a wiry stem, but a thicket of flowering stems. By far the earliest of jonquils to open, endowed with rich perfume which it keeps all its long life. More a population explosion than a bulb! Good plant. **80p each; £7.00 for 10**



JONQUILS 7B

PIPET 3 Binkie x jonquilla

Reversed bicolor. Show winner. Uniform soft lemon on opening, but cups and the base of the petals become pure white. Petals long and pointed, crowns neatly fluted. Petals gently reflexed. 2 or 3 flowers to main stems. Excellent plant. **£4.50 each**

PUEBLO 3-4 Binkie x jonquilla

White jonquil and an exceptional plant, it increases quicker than an over-draft. One, two, or three nice flowers to a stem and a veritable forest of stems on a 2 year down bulbs. Fine garden kind. **80p each; £7 for 10**

SNOW BUNTING 3 PDW

Has consistently proved to have been one of the most free blooming of jonquils with lots of ivory smooth flowers milk-white in the petals and palest primrose in the neat goblet cup. Sprightly, good wiry stems. Heavily scented. **30p each; £2.50 for 10; £22 for 100**

POETICUS

OTTERBURN 5 Harrison Actaea x Cantabile prob.

Otterburn is a very strong, fast increasing poet of very attractive character. Large flower for a poet, very good smooth quality in rounded snowy petals and a large primrose eye rimmed brightly in red. An excellent show flower. **50p each; £4.50 for 10; £40 a 100**

SONNET 4-5 MJB Cantabile seedling

Charming pure poet with frosty white perianth and quite wide eye of citron rimmed red wiry stem, good plant. **£2 each; £17 for 10**

BOOKS BY MICHAEL JEFFERSON-BROWN

see also page 17

THE SPRING GARDEN 1973 Gifford

This book sets out to suggest plants and ideas that will make Spring a season of delight in the garden. The smaller modern garden gives greater emphasis to a plant's individual character and the discriminating gardener can choose plants that have more good points than bad. New plants are assessed but old timers are not forgotten. **£2.40 post paid**

ENJOYING YOUR GARDEN 1970 Gifford

Poor varieties of plant need just as much care and attention as good ones, and rarely is the best extracted from the finest plants. Here is a book to suggest how you may choose your plants and how to make the most of them. But gardening is not all planting, sweating and swearing, neither is it all brilliant technicolour floral display. The importance of varied types of foliage, bark, and the architectural forms of herbs, shrubs and trees is examined and the most rewarding emphasised. **£2.00 post paid**

DAFFODILS AND NARCISSI 1969 Faber and Faber

Replaces "The Daffodil" and brings up to date the material of that book. Covers the modern introductions and reviews the work of the present day breeders. Approx. 230 pages. **£4.50 post paid**

INDEX

Abalone	12	Gleeful	16	Panache	5
Acclamation	20	Glenmanus	15	Pastorale	16
Acropolis	20	Golden Aura	7	Patricia Reynolds	4
Allurement	11	Golden Treasure	8	Penberth	3
Altruist	17	Golly	20	Pet Finch	23
Ambergate	9	Good Measure	15	Pinafore	15
Amberglow	16	Gossamer	17	Pink Chiffon	21
Amber Light	12	Green Howard	17	Pink Cloud	21
Anthea	14	Gypsy	9	Pipet	24
Arish Mell	21			Pretender	13
Artillery	18			Prometheus	14
Artists Model	14			Publicity Officer	21
Audubon	17	Halolight	16	Pueblo	24
		Hamoon	18		
		Hearts Desire	20		
		Holiday Fashion	11	Queenscourt	5
		Homage	15		
Ballygarvey	4	Honeybird	6		
Bandleader	8	Hope	21		
Bartley	22				
Bayard	3			Radiation	11
Beige Beauty	17			Red Ranger	8
Bethany	16	Ice Follies	12	Reliance	13
Binkle	16	Interlude	11	Riber	5
Birtright	5	Invitation	18	Rich Reward	6
Blue Bird	15	Irish Coffee	17	Riding Mill	19
Bounty	13	Its True	5	Rima	4
Breakthrough	7			Rob Roy	19
Bullseye	18			Romance	11
Butterscotch	7			Roman Tile	11
By Jove	3	John of Salisbury	13	Rose Ribbon	11
		Jubilation	13	Rossini	14
		Just So	11	Rothbury	8
				Ruby Tail	14
Camelot	7				
Canadel	18	Kildrum	19	Sacajawea	8
Carita	11	Kilworth	14	Sacramento	20
Caro Nome	11	Kimmeridge	19	Sateen	11
Charter	16	Kint Tut	10	Seltan	11
Chiloquin	6	Kitten	23	Silkin Sails	19
Chivalry	5	Knightwick	10	Snow Bunting	24
Clochemerle	10			Sonnet	24
Compton Mackenzie	11	L'Amour	10	Spanish Gold	3
Cool Crystal	19	Landmark	14	Spellbinder	6
Corbridge	12	Leaping Salmon	11	Stromboli	14
Craigyarren	8	Lemnos	7	Sumptuous	4
Crystal River	19	Lemon Cloud	3	Swiss Miss	11
Cushie Butterfield	5	Limeade	16		
		Limelight	3	Tete a Tete	22
Dancing Partner	10	Linksfield	7	Thunderbolt	3
Daydream	16	Lionheart	21	Tradition	4
Descanso	4	Lisdillon	4	Tranquil Morn	19
Dynamite	14	Loveable	19	Trendsetter	9
		Lunar Sea	6	Tribute	21
				Trident	19
Early Entry	22			Trumpeter	3
Elf	16	Madrigal	13	Tudor Minstrel	13
Eminent	18	Maraval	3	Tuesday's Child	21
Entrancement	6	Matlock	8	Tynemouth	19
Euphony	7	Melody Lane	11		
		Mixed Daffodils	2		
Falstaff	8	Mondaine	10	Uncle Remus	3
Famille Rose	10	Moonshot	3	Up Front	3
Favourite	12	Mount Hood	5		
Fawnglo	7	Mrs. Oscar Ronalds	11		
Feeling Lucky	8	My Lady	11	Verona	20
Festivity	12	My My	11	Victory	14
Flaming Meteor	8				
Flamingo	11				
Flying Saucer	12	Nampa	6	Whisper	21
Foray	11	New Issue	4	White Lion	21
Fort Knox	3	New Song	13	Willet	22
Frolic	4			Windjammer	3
				Winfrith	15
		Oakwood	17	Wings of Song	20
Galway	7	Old Satin	13	Worcester	15
Gay Mood	10	Onward	21		
Gay Time	21	Oratorio	13		
Glamorous	13	Otterburn	24	Yes Please	11



AMBERGATE see page 9

£1.50 each; 3 for £4; 10 for £11; 50 for £45; 100 for £80

Garden Display and Naturalising Collections

"ONE"	"TWO"
GALWAY see p. 7 golden trumpet	CELEBRATION see p. 1 and front cover double yellow and orange
ICE FOLLIES see p. 12 white and cream	AMBERGATE see above and p. 9 tangerine petals red crown
KILWORTH see p. 14 white and red	CHARTER see p. 16 lemon, pale crown
WHITE LION see p. 21 white and buff	ARTILLERY see p. 18 white and red

40 bulbs	10 each	£5	(value £6.25)
100 "	25 "	£10	£15.65
200 "	50 "	£16	£40.00
500 "	125 "	£40	£65.25
1000 "	250 "	£75	£130.50

40 bulbs	10 each	£25	(value £38.50)
100 "	25 "	£50	£77
200 "	50 "	£77	£121

Michael Jefferson-Brown, Whitbourne, Worcester, England