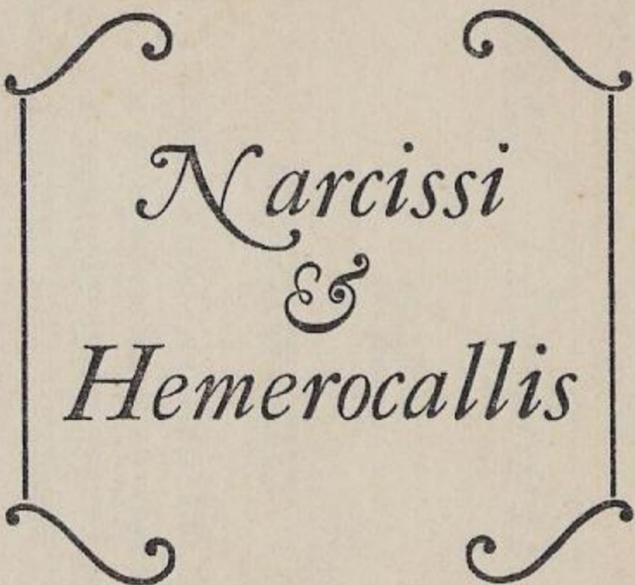




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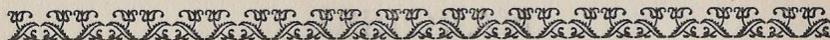
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## *Special Daffodil List*



### FOREWORD

The list of daffodils which we offer has been selected with the greatest care. In our judgment it comprises the best varieties in this country at a reasonable price considered with respect to quality, profusion of bloom, good constitution and garden effect. Additions are made only as other varieties in exhaustive tests have met our high standard. We wish to emphasize the fact that in addition to the varieties listed we have smaller stocks of practically every fine novelty in commerce today, and many importations which represent the finest and latest achievements of the English, Irish and Dutch hybridizers. They cover a wide range of beauty and interest and show the sometimes striking, sometimes subtle variations of this fascinating flower. We shall be pleased to give quotations on any variety desired.

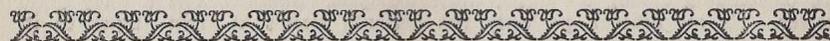
We send out only finest quality, double-nosed bulbs. They are state inspected, thus insuring freedom from disease and infestation.

Bulbs and all other stock are guaranteed true to name, and will be replaced if error should occur.

Customers are requested to report the condition of bulbs immediately upon arrival.

Five plants are sold at the rate for ten, fifty plants at the rate for one hundred. If less than five are desired add ten per cent to the rate for ten.

We carry no accounts and request our customers to send remittance with their orders.



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**ALDIE LOUDOUN COUNTY VIRGINIA**

# NARCISSI

## Yellow Trumpets

	10	100
• Aerolite .....	\$1.20	\$10.00
• Alasnam .....	3.50	32.50
• Apotheosis .....	5.00	.....
• Dawson City .....	2.50	22.50
• Emperor .....	1.00	8.00
• John Farquhar .....	2.00	.....
• King Alfred .....	1.25	10.00
• Lord Wellington .....	4.00	38.00
• Matamax .....	1.50	12.50
• Royalist, \$2.50 each.....	.....	.....
• Warwick .....	1.50	12.50
• Whistler .....	3.00	27.50
• Youth, \$2.50 each.....	4.50	.....

No one who has not seen these magnificent flowers can have any conception of their sumptuous beauty. ALASNAM, early, tall, vigorous, with huge flowers of warm self yellow, follows—sometimes precedes—KING ALFRED. WARWICK is also early, very lasting, of a rich, glowing gold. AEROLITE blooms early but remains in good condition when most midseason varieties are nearly over. It is a large, well-proportioned flower of rare finish. WHISTLER, APOTHEOSIS, and YOUTH (our addition to this year's list of trumpets) are all marvels of size and purity of color. DAWSON CITY is a flower of good substance with a smooth, neat appearance. ROYALIST is faultless in form. It is one of the late ones, and its texture is indescribably fine. LORD WELLINGTON, also late, is a noble flower of great height and richness in color. Again we recommend it without reserve. MATAMAX, deep gold, is the last one to bloom.

## White Trumpets

	10	100
• Beersheba, \$2.00 each.....	.....	.....
• La Vestale .....	\$2.50	\$22.50
• Lovenest, \$1.25 each.....	.....	.....
• Mrs. E. H. Krelage.....	2.00	18.00
• Mrs. Robert Sydenham.....	2.50	.....
• Moschatus of Haworth, \$0.40 each.....	.....	.....
• W. P. Milner.....	2.00	18.00

LA VESTALE and MRS. E. H. KRELAGE, with their height and fine substance, are outstanding among the large, white trumpets. BEERSHEBA is a truly great flower. Its magnificent, perfectly flat perianth stands at right angles to its beautiful formed trumpet. It is early, vigorous, a free bloomer. LOVENEST is one of the few "pink" daffodils. The soft ivory of its trumpet deepens to apricot pink. It is a large flower of fine quality, early, and very lasting.

MRS. ROBERT SYDENHAM, a charming little flower, is suitable for the rock garden, as is W. P. MILNER, an exquisite and early daffodil. MOSCHATUS OF HAWORTH, a species from Spain, is white and dainty, and grows about six inches high.

## Bicolor Trumpets

	10	100
• Aeolus .....	\$3.00	\$28.00
• Glory of Sassenheim.....	1.00	8.00
• Moira O'Neil, \$1.00 each.....	.....	.....
• Rockery Beauty .....	1.50	12.50
• Silvanite .....	2.00	18.00

Not every bicolor is happy in our American conditions and we admit into our small list only those that we can present without reservation. AEOLUS, an enormous but finely proportioned flower, is early. GLORY OF SASSENHEIM has never lost its deserved popularity. The latest variety to bloom is SILVANITE, a striking new variety with broad overlapping perianth of creamy white, and a canary yellow trumpet, strong, but graceful in habit. MOIRA O'NEIL is a splendid novelty of English origination. It is early, tall, free-flowering, with clear yellow trumpet and very white perianth. ROCKERY BEAUTY is a delicious little flower. Its miniature proportions are perfect, and its tiny, yellow cup and snow white perianth have real charm and distinction. Especially recommended.

## Incomparabilis

	10	100
• Alceste .....	\$2.00	\$18.00
• Bernardino .....	1.00	8.00
• Croesus .....	1.50	12.50
• Donatello .....	1.00	8.00
• Francisca Drake, \$1.00 each.....	8.00	.....
• Golden Frilled .....	1.25	10.00
• Golden Pedestal, \$0.50 each.....	.....	.....
• John Evelyn .....	2.50	22.50
• Lucinius .....	1.50	13.50
• Milford-Haven, \$0.75 each.....	6.00	.....
• Pilgrimage, \$0.75 each.....	.....	.....
• Red Cross .....	4.00	.....
• Invincible, \$0.80 each.....	.....	.....

BERNARDINO and CROESUS hold their own against all newcomers. LUCINIUS, tall and strong, yellow gold, has wonderful lasting qualities. The wide, shallow, yellow cup of ALCESTE is in vivid contrast with its dazzling white, overlapping perianth. FRANCISCA DRAKE's flowers stand well above the foliage. The perianth is pure white and reflexed, with pale gold at the base of the segments. The widely frilled and fluted yellow cup deepens to flaming orange-red. MILFORD-HAVEN is of the same general character as FRANCISCA DRAKE but with a better perianth and much later. Both varieties are unusually strong growing. JOHN EVELYN is very large and yet of exquisite quality. The overlapping perianth is pure white, and the shallow, canary yellow cup is fluted to its base.

GOLDEN FRILLED is a beautiful and useful flower. It is early, vigorous and lasting, and a rich yellow in color. DONATELLO's immense flower is showy and striking. RED CROSS during its long season of bloom dominates the border. The great height of its strong stems easily carry the immense flowers with its well-proportioned perianth and glowing orange-red cup. PILGRIMAGE is a giant Incomparabilis of a rich, self yellow, of great substance, waxy texture and superb quality. GOLDEN PEDESTAL (this year's addition to our list of Incomparabilis) is a recent introduction from England. The unusually broad perianth and nicely frilled cup of this fine flower are of the same clear yellow. It is a strong grower.

Barrii

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	10	100
• Alcida .....	\$1.75	\$16.00
• Anna Croft .....	2.00	18.00
• Bath's Flame .....	1.25	11.00
• Bonfire .....	1.00	9.00
• Brightling .....	2.50	22.50
• Diana Kasner .....	1.00	8.00
• Firetail .....	3.00	27.00
• Lady Diana Manners.....	2.75	25.00
• Masterpiece .....	1.00	8.00
• Pride of Virginia.....	4.50	.....
• Queen of Hearts.....	2.50	22.50
• Red Shadow, \$1.00 each.....	.....	.....
• Shackleton .....	3.50	32.50

MASTERPIECE, an exquisite flower with individuality, and QUEEN OF HEARTS are small. QUEEN OF HEARTS is early, a gay flower with its white perianth in contrast with its bright red cup.

ANNA CROFT's huge flower, borne on tall stems, has a soft yellow perianth and an unusually large trumpet for a Barrii of dark yellow shading to red. BATH'S FLAME is a brilliant and showy variety, with its flowing, yellow perianth, and cup deeply edged with bright red. BONFIRE is a great beauty. The perianth segments are long and ivory-colored and the cup is orange-scarlet. BRIGHTLING is a gorgeous flower. The tremendous stem carries a great, facing bloom with primrose perianth and large, frilled, orange-red crown. DIANA KASNER, mid-season to late, is a giant of substance and beautiful quality. FIRETAIL with its broad, white perianth surrounding a frilled cup of brilliant scarlet is one of the very best of its type, both for show and for the border. LADY DIANA MANNERS has finish and refinement. The perianth is white and the cup is deeply rimmed with dark red. An outstanding variety is RED SHADOW. It has a bold appearance and is a strong grower. The perianth is creamy yellow and the cup is dark yellow with scarlet rim. ALCIDA, very free bloomer, PRIDE OF VIRGINIA, brilliant and beautiful, and SHACKLETON, large and graceful, are all three dazzling flowers growing very tall. They close the great succession of these giant Barrii.

Leedsii

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	10	100
• Crystal Queen .....	\$1.00	\$8.00
• Ettrick, \$1.00 each.....	.....	.....
• Fairy Circle, \$0.60 each.....	.....	.....
• Her Grace .....	2.00	18.00
• Louis Capet .....	1.25	10.00
• Mitylene, \$1.25 each.....	.....	.....
• Mrs. Nette O'Melveny.....	1.25	10.00
• Mrs. Percy Neale.....	2.00	18.00
• Mystic, \$0.40 each.....	4.00	.....
• Phyllida .....	2.00	17.00
• Tenedos, \$1.00 each.....	.....	.....
• White Nile, \$0.75 each.....	6.00	.....
• White Sentinel .....	5.00	.....

In the Leedsii we reach a class in which perhaps the greatest advance has been made by hybridizers. The refinement and purity of color of these flowers give them great charm. MRS. NETTE O'MELVENY, a short-cupped Leedsii, is a glorified QUEEN OF THE NORTH—tall, vigorous, grand in quality and endurance.

In the giant Leedsii, of which we offer noble examples, CRYSTAL QUEEN, overlapping, with its height, its fine substance, its carriage and large size, is perhaps from the gardener's point of view the most useful in general commerce. MRS. PERCY NEALE is an outstanding daffodil. It has a broad, symmetrical, snow white perianth, and short, widely opened trumpet with imbricated rim. It is very tall, midseason to late, and has almost unequaled endurance both in the border and as a cut flower. PHYLLIDA is enchanting. The delicate green at the base of its frilled, rather deep, pale primrose cup gives it a delicious coolness and freshness. LOUIS CAPET is a perfect flower—in proportion, quality, texture, and above all, charm. After thorough trial we can find no fault in it. Very late comes HER GRACE with its broad, overlapping perianth, and finely modeled, ivory crown.

We offer seven new English introductions—all of great beauty and fine quality. WHITE NILE is very early, very tall—an aristocratic and lovely flower on which the eye rests with perfect satisfaction. MITYLENE carries on its tall, strong stem a large flower of finest form. The shallow saucer of its pale lemon cup is in perfect proportion to its broad, white perianth. TENEDOS is an immense flower of thick and smooth texture. When first open the trumpet is cream, but the whole flower soon passes to dazzling white. WHITE SENTINEL has a pure white, overlapping perianth of great substance, and a smooth, saucer-shaped, primrose cup. It is late, free flowering, vigorous, and increases rapidly. ETTRICK is also late. It is almost a trumpet and blooms when nearly all the white trumpets are over. It is a distinguished flower. MYSTIC and FAIRY CIRCLE are the essence of finish and refinement. The flat, white crown of MYSTIC shades to soft apple-green in the center and is edged with a narrow rim of pinkish orange. FAIRY CIRCLE is an exquisite, little flower. It has a perfectly flat, much overlapping, white perianth, and broad, also perfectly flat eye which is white with a clearly defined pink rim. It is the daintiest of all the Leedsii.

Triandrus Hybrids

	10	100
• Agnes Harvey .....	\$1.75	\$15.00
• Pearly Queen .....	2.00	18.00
• Queen of Spain.....	2.00	18.00
• Stoke, \$2.00 each.....	.....	.....
• Thalia .....	2.00	18.00
• Undine .....	4.00	38.00

UNDINE, AGNES HARVEY and THALIA bloom in succession. UNDINE, the first to bloom, is a delightful little flower, suitable for the rock garden. The snowy white flowers, two to a stem, have narrow cups which gives this variety the appearance of a white QUEEN OF SPAIN. QUEEN OF SPAIN is a natural hybrid of Triandrus Albus. Both trumpet and gracefully reflexing perianth are delicate, canary yellow. It is charming in the rock garden. PEARLY QUEEN is quite distinct. It has two to three flowers to a stem, white perianth and short, straight, clear yellow trumpet—a strong grower and free-flowering.

STOKE is a new Triandrus hybrid originated by the famous English hybridizer, the late Mr. P. D. Williams. The flower, usually two to a stem, opens a uniform, soft primrose. The perianth gradually changes to creamy white, and the trumpet deepens in color. It has endurance beyond any other daffodil known to us, keeping its perfect, crisp freshness through every vicissitude of weather and for an incredible length of time. Its carriage, foliage, and constitution are all good.

### Jonquilla

	10	100
Chrysolite, \$0.75 each.....	.....	.....
Golden Sceptre .....	\$1.00	\$8.00
Jonquilla Simplex .....	1.00	8.00
Lady Hillingdon, \$0.75 each.....	.....	.....
Numa Pompilius, \$1.00 each.....	.....	.....
Orange Queen .....	1.00	8.00
Tullus Hostilius .....	1.25	10.00
White Wedgewood, \$0.75 each.....	.....	.....

The Jonquils with their rush like foliage, entire hardness and delicious fragrance, form a fascinating group. JONQUILLA SIMPLEX is the smallest and daintiest. ORANGE QUEEN is probably the darkest of all daffodils. There is quite a jump from these two small varieties to GOLDEN SCEPTRE, tall, pure golden yellow, and a profuse bloomer. Later and even handsomer is TULLUS HOSTILIUS—an exquisite shade of yellow with usually three flowers to a stem. It is tall, vigorous, and very free of bloom. WHITE WEDGEWOOD is an entirely different type. A tall stem carries exquisite, rather small flowers with creamy white perianth, and small, straight trumpet of pale primrose.

LADY HILLINGDON's lovely flower of clear, butter yellow is borne gracefully on a long stem above attractive foliage—a most distinguished flower. It is a good propagator as is CHRYSOLITE, a new Jonquil trumpet of large size which generally has one flower of pure gold to a stem. NUMA POMPILIUS is a flower of very rich coloring—an intense buttercup gold. It is very vigorous and increases rapidly. We recommend it highly.

### Poetaz

	10	100
Aspasia .....	\$0.80	\$6.50
Glorious, \$1.00 each.....	.....	.....
Helios .....	.80	6.50
Laurens Koster .....	.80	6.50
Medusa .....	1.25	10.00
Orange Cup .....	1.00	8.00
Scarlet Gem .....	2.50	22.00

The above varieties of Poetaz have been selected from many others as being the most useful and effective for cutting and for the border. ASPASIA, a good white with yellow eye, is early and vigorous. LAURENS KOSTER follows, also white but with an orange eye. It is vigorous and a most reliable variety. ORANGE CUP, pale yellow fading to creamy white with conspicuous orange crown, is early, profuse and dependable—a showy and useful flower. HELIOS is also early and free blooming, with pale yellow perianth and yellow cup. SCARLET GEM is a fine thing. The perianth is pure gold with solid, deep red eye. The tall stems carry from four to six florets. MEDUSA, midseason to late, is strikingly beautiful. It has great height and its stem usually carries two lovely florets with smooth, white perianth and scarlet cup which does not fade. GLORIOUS is unquestionably the finest Poetaz. It is very early, and its tall stems carry two or three beautiful florets almost as large as a Poeticus—white perianth and brilliant orange-scarlet cup.

### Poeticus

	10	100
Edwina .....	\$2.00	\$15.00
Laureate .....	1.00	8.00
Juliet .....	.75	6.00
Ornatus .....	.75	6.00
Recurvus .....	.75	6.00
Snow King .....	2.50	22.50

ORNATUS is a very early Poeticus, usually a month in advance of RECURVUS. The pure white of RECURVUS (Pheasant Eye) has never been surpassed and its strong sweet scent makes it very popular. These two varieties are most suitable for naturalizing and have not been displaced by the numerous and fine hybrids derived from them. Of the later, JULIET and LAUREATE are exquisite examples. EDWINA is a very large-flowered Poeticus of medium height. It is early for a Poeticus. The broad, over-lapping petals of its white perianth, its charmingly colored eye, its fine form and substance make it the greatest acquisition. SNOW KING is one of the most beautiful of all Poeticus varieties. The broad perianth is glistening white and the cup has a wide, red edge. It has fine carriage, good quality, and wonderful texture.

### Double

	10	100
Albus Plenus Odoratus.....	\$1.00	\$8.00
Cheerfulness .....	1.25	10.00
Daphne, \$1.00 each .....	.....	.....
Holland's Glory .....	2.50	22.50
Jonquilla fl. pl.....	1.50	12.50
Primrose Phoenix .....	1.25	10.00
Snowsprite .....	1.50	12.50
The Pearl .....	1.00	8.00
Twink .....	2.50	22.50

Each stem of CHEERFULNESS carries from four to five florets like miniature gardenias. There is a suggestion of gold at the base of the petals which gives a delicious warmth to this lovely flower. PRIMROSE PHOENIX is full double of soft yellow. THE PEARL is a small, delicately colored double of great charm and personality. TWINK, a novelty already famous, has petals alternating white and soft primrose with a center of brilliant orange. It is tall, free flowering and very decorative. HOLLAND'S GLORY carries on long, stout stems its magnificent flower, like a fine double rose of an exquisite shade of yellow. JONQUILLA FL. PL. (Queen Anne's daffodil of old Virginia gardens) is very small, very double and deliciously scented.

DAPHNE, SNOWSPRITE, and ALBUS PLENUS, the double Poeticus, are all white doubles, all three exquisite. DAPHNE is a fairy flower, almost like a small, white carnation. SNOWSPRITE, also pure white, is not so double as DAPHNE, and is taller and later. Almost the last daffodil to bloom is ALBUS P. O. This double looks like a large gardenia and is almost as sweetly scented. It is a beautiful climax to the daffodil season.

*Special for Naturalizing*

	10	100
* Biflorus .....	\$0.75	\$5.00
Early Virginia .....	.75	5.00

These two daffodils have been naturalized in Virginia for over two centuries. EARLY VIRGINIA is a graceful medium-sized trumpet. It is very free-flowering when established and blooms ordinarily from two to three weeks before any other trumpet. BIFLORUS, one of the last daffodils to bloom, is a handsome Poeticus with two florets to the stem and is deliciously fragrant.

We also make an extraordinary offer at \$10.00 per bushel, \$2.75 per peck, of the following varieties: SIR WATKINS, EMPEROR, WHITE LADY, QUEEN OF THE NORTH, FRANK MILES, EVANGELINE, RECURVUS, and LAURENS KOSTER. They will consist of rounds, small double-nosed and large slabs, all of which should bloom the next season after planting. Early orders for these are advised.



"Lonely the wind walked yesterday  
Across an empty world and gray,  
Drifting the stars throughout the night,  
Lo! This morning they alight,  
Gay daffodils for our delight."

—E. H.



*Imported Varieties of Daffodils*

This list presents the choicest productions of the great English hybridizers. Of many varieties there are only one or two to go. None will be dug except on order, which must be in hand not later than July 15th. A full description of any variety will be furnished if requested.

<i>Yellow Trumpets</i>	EACH	<i>Incomparabilis with white perianth</i>	EACH
Bulwark ' .....	\$1.50	Bodilly ' .....	\$4.00
Godolphin ' .....	2.50	Clava ' .....	2.25
Hebron ' .....	2.00	Coverack Perfections .....	15.00
Honey Boy ' .....	1.50	Folly ' .....	2.00
Kandahar ' .....	3.50	Nissa ' .....	.75
Mustapha ' .....	1.50	Suvia ' .....	2.00
Sulphur Prince ' .....	3.00		
<i>White Trumpets</i>		<i>Barrii with yellow perianth</i>	
Corinth ' .....	\$5.00	Tredore ' .....	\$2.00
Eskimo ' .....	.75	Treskerby ' .....	3.00
Kantara ' .....	1.00	Varna ' .....	4.00
Moray ' .....	3.00	<i>Barrii with white perianth</i>	
Rob Berkeley ' .....	2.00	Carminowe ' .....	\$1.00
Trappist ' .....	.50	Galata ' .....	2.50
White Conqueror ' .....	2.00	Peggy ' .....	2.00
		Hades ' .....	5.00
<i>Bicolor Trumpets</i>		The Admiral ' .....	1.50
Carmel ' .....	\$1.00	Sunstar ' .....	1.50
Jersey Cream ' .....	1.00	<i>Giant Leedsii</i>	
Glenravel ' .....	10.00	Cicely ' .....	\$0.50
Rosary ' .....	2.00	Hymettus ' .....	1.00
Rosemorran Giant ' .....	1.50	Hexagon ' .....	2.00
Tapin ' .....	1.50	Marmora ' .....	1.00
		Naxos ' .....	8.00
<i>Incomparabilis with yellow perianth</i>		Riva ' .....	2.00
Amir ' .....	\$2.00	Still Waters ' .....	3.00
Bokhara ' .....	2.00	Suda ' .....	2.00
Butter Bowl ' .....	2.50	Tunis ' .....	2.00
Carlton ' .....	2.00	<i>Small-crowned Leedsii</i>	
Cornish Fire ' .....	12.00	Nelly ' .....	\$3.00
Damson ' .....	2.50	Samaria ' .....	2.50
Flava ' .....	3.50	Silver Plane ' .....	.75
Fortune ' .....	10.00	<i>Triandrus Hybrids</i>	
St. Ives ' .....	.75	Venetia ' .....	\$2.50
Killigrew ' .....	3.00	<i>Jonquilla Hybrids</i>	
Invergordon ' .....	5.00	Lanarth ' .....	\$5.00
Jubilant ' .....	2.00	Golden Goblet ' .....	1.50
Havelock ' .....	2.50	Polnesk ' .....	1.50
Morea ' .....	5.00	Trevithian ' .....	1.25
Osiris ' .....	.50		

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