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NEW INTRODUCTIONS 1996

APPLE HONEY (Postles) 1W-Y Mid-Season

A bi-colour trumpet that has been outstandingly successful at R.H.S. Shows, winning both Best Div 1 and reserve Best Bloom as a seedling. The funnel shaped corona is of clear div 1 proportions, has a half roll at the mouth, and is pure un-fading lemon yellow. The very broad perianth opens hooded but easily dresses back to present a perfect show flower of magnificent proportions.

Seedling No 1-38A-82

Breeding Panache x Lea 3-45-76

Price each £35.00

BUTTERMERE LAKE (Postles) 2W-Y Mid-Season

Introduced by popular demand, as pre-release bulbs have given outstanding results in winning exhibits. The large double triangle shaped perianth, of heavy substance, is matched by the proportions of the rather long butter yellow corona that does not fade, which is cylindrical for half its length, then flaring at the mouth. A very robust grower with broad leaves and stem, which is a little short with me from open beds, much improved when grown in a pot.

Seedling No 1-137-79

Breeding 1-17-74 x Irish Mist

Price each £15.00

CROWDALE (Postles) 4Y-0 Mid-Season

This successful show flower has the best form that I have seen on a yellow double daffodil, with several rows of perfectly formed perianth petals of medium yellow, and then a very neat full centre of mixed yellow and bright orange petaloids, that are in the main undamaged. This lovely double is so consistent with almost every flower of show quality. Tall stems with the flower held perfectly.

Seedling No 4-16-82.

Breeding Loch Lundie x Flying Colours

Price each £35.00

HANBURY (Postles) 2W-W Mid-Season

This sparkling white flower is of almost trumpet proportions, and has a perianth of outstanding quality, being very smooth and rounded in shape. The corona, just short of div 1 length, is straight sided, flaring at the mouth has a touch of green at the base. Good healthy plant with long stems that hold the flower perfectly.

Seedling No 1-43-80

Breeding Ben Avon x Panache

Price each £20.00

KINGHAM (Postles) 1Y-Y Mid-Season

A fine yellow trumpet that has been very successful on the show bench. The large deep yellow perianth forms a complete double triangle, made up of smooth broad petals. The trumpet gently expands from the base, has a half roll at the mouth, with neat serrations. The whole flower is of deepest yellow which upon maturity, the corona deepens to almost orange. Very strong grower, fine in pots.

Seedling No 1-17-76.

Breeding Golden Vale x Camelot

Price each £25.00

NEON LIGHT (Postles) 2W-Y00 Mid-Season

The luminous fiery orange coloured corona seemed to be most appropriate for the chosen name. Set against the brilliant white perianth is most eye catching. The perianth segments are very broad and smooth, while the corona is bowl shaped and in perfect proportions. Neon Lights will certainly make its mark in this rather neglected sub-division.

Seedling No 1-41-84

Breeding Rubh Mor x Loch Brora

Price each £25.00

NEW DAWN (Lea) 2Y-P Late-Season

A quality flower with fine contrast between the pastel pink corona and the soft yellow perianth. The perianth segments are smooth, and broadly ovate, forming a rounded flower. While the corona is cylindrical with neat serrations at the mouth. Very healthy plant with tall stems and makes excellent bulbs.

Seedling No L 1-49-80

Breeding L 1-18-76 x L 1-13-75

Price each £15.00

SAMSARA (Postles) 3Y-YRR Mid-Season

With both parents still being grown and exhibited at their peak it is difficult to introduce something better. But here it is!, already winning Best div 3 at the R.H.S. as a seedling. Perianth quality is exemplary, being broad, smooth, and of mid-yellow colour. The very small cup shaped corona is solid red with yellow at the base within. This striking flower is so very consistent!

Seedling No 2-43-82

Breeding Achduart x Stanway

Price each £35.00

NEW INTRODUCTIONS 1995**ABERFOYLE** (Lea) 2Y-O Early-Season

A consistent, very early flower with most blooms being of exhibition quality, as one would expect from its breeding. The rounded perianth of deep yellow, very broad and well overlapping, incurves slightly at the margins, and is very smooth. The funnel shaped corona, orange at the base, then deepening to almost red is partially sunproof, and could be useful for breeding. A multi purpose daffodil, for exhibition, the garden border, and for cut flowers.

Seedling No. 1-8-78

Breeding: Loch Loyal x Loch Lundle

Price each £5.00

CASTLE HOWARD (Postles) 1W-W Mid-Season

Outstanding success on the show bench during the 1994 season bodes well for this immaculate large white trumpet. Best div.1, Best Bloom and Best Seedling at the Daffodil Society Show, were the top honours. The large smooth snow white perianth and the graceful shaped tubular trumpet makes this flower the most exciting prospect for many years. The plant is very healthy with a good long stem and neck giving perfect poise. Very, very consistent.

Seedling No. 1-23a-82

Breeding Lea Seedling x Ben Avon

Price each £35.00

EASTERN PROMISE (Postles) 2W-P Mid-Season

This very special flower is large and has a brilliant white perianth of impeccable quality, that reflexes slightly on the mature flower. The corona opens with a broad band of reddish pink. As the flower develops the whole corona is engulfed by this same intense pink, creating a most spectacular sight. A very successful show flower, winning Best Seedling at the Daffodil Society Show on its first outing. Flowers are produced on a very strong plant, which makes fine bulbs. Excellent when grown in pots.

Seedling No. 2-8-76

Breeding Lea Seedling x Dailmanach

Price each £25.00

GRASMERE (Lea) 1Y-Y Early-Season

This deep yellow trumpet could be a most important addition to the cut flower trade as well as being a fine exhibition cultivar. The tall, very strong stems carry the large, smooth perfectly formed flowers well above broad blue/green foliage. The trumpet is funnel shaped, flaring and frilled at the mouth. The whole flower is full of substance and promise, for all daffodil lovers. The poet William Wordsworth lived at "Grasmere" for many years, need I say more about this golden trumpet daffodil.

Seedling No. 1-5-80

Breeding Seedling x Glen Clova

Price each £7.50

HAMPTON COURT (Postles) 2Y-O Mid-Season

This beautiful daffodil has two most interesting attributes, firstly it has a most distinct form to the perianth and secondly the ability to breed red trumpets! The very broadly ovate perianth segments are of the deepest gold, flat and smooth, forming a rounded flower of exceptional quality. The 3/4" length corona has neat serration and is solid orange-red to the base. Using this flower to continue the quest for red trumpets, it has been most successful, as the outstanding colour is past on to its progeny.

Seedling No. 1-94-80

Breeding Seedling x Torridon

Price each £20.00

HONEYBOURNE (Postles) 2W-Y Mid-Season

To colour code this flower as W-Y is not at all accurate, but I am unable to do otherwise. The quite unusual colour of its corona has caused much comment and interest, being called buff by some, pale amber by others, and even "brown" by one good friend. This almost straight sided corona is backed by a superb perianth, snow white, large and very round. In all a marvellous flower. The plant is strong and healthy making fine bulbs.

Seedling No. 4-35-77

Breeding Cristobal x Pennine Way

Price each £20.00

MAGIC MOMENTS (Postles) 3Y-YYO Mid-Season

A jewel like flower in both form and colour. The medium sized butter yellow round perianth is quite flawless. The bowl shaped cup has a most distinct bright orange rim and is clearly non-predominant. Another flower that has had a most successful show record. As a seedling, winning at the R.H.S. and Daffodil Society Shows against first class opposition. Stems are tall and strong with good poise. This cultivar is excellent for pot culture.

Seedling No. 3-22-79

Breeding Achduart x Ferndown

Price each £15.00

GENERAL LIST**ACHDUART** (Lea) 3Y-R Mid-Season

A large and beautifully formed red and yellow, a most consistent flower with a lovely smooth perianth of soft gold, nicely balanced by a neatly expanded red cup. Quite the best Div.3 red-yellow yet raised. Was given Award of Merit, R.H.S. as a show flower the first time it was shown in the Winning Engleheart Cup Group. A strong and vigorous plant with a good stem and neck. A sister seedling of Torridon.

Breeding (Spry x Carbineer) x Vulcan

Price each £5.00

ARELEY KINGS (Lea) 2W-GWW Mid-Season

To stand any chance in this popular division a new introduction has to be very special, and this one is! Exhibited in the late John Lea's last winning Engleheart Cup 1984. This dazzling white flower has a dark green base, and is of remarkable consistency and form. The outer petals are very broad and rounded at the tips, the inner being spade shape. The whole flower is in perfect balance, carried on tall strong stems, with great poise.

Seedling No. 1-32-76

Breeding Misty Glen x Croila

Price each £2.50

BADANLOCH (Lea) 3W-YYO Late-Season

A very large striking flower of great promise carried on a tall, strong stem and neck to match. The beautifully white perianth is made up of broad smooth, bluntly pointed inner petals, whilst the outer petals are rounded giving a nearly circular flower, the expanding cup has small neat serrations at the mouth, nicely balancing the large perianth. It is pale greeny yellow at the base shading to lemon for 2/3 of its length, ending in a bright orange rim that is well defined. A tall strong plant that holds the flower correctly.

Breeding Dalhauine x Seedling

Price each £2.50

BALLINDALLOCH (Lea) 2Y-Y Early-Season

An elegant Div.2 flower. The perianth is of deep rich gold, formed by broad bluntly pointed inner petals, the outer petals are rounded. The rather narrow gently expanding elegant cup is a shade darker in colour and is nicely serrated at the mouth. A good strong plant with a tall stem that is consistent in quality.

Seedling No. 3-5-72

Breeding Arctic Gold x (Seedling x Capitol Hill)

Price each £3.00

BELBROUGHTON (Postles) 2W-WWP Late-Season

There is no pretence with the colour classification of this flower, with its bright pink rim that is unquestionably non-predominant. The very white perianth is smooth, well overlapping and of good substance inherited from its seed parent. A beautiful flower that is sure to make its mark on the show bench, and in the garden border the effect is startling. On tall strong stems with a well poised bloom.

Seedling No. 2-48-76

Breeding Rainbow x Dailmanach

Price each £2.50

BEN ALIGIN (Lea) 1W-W Mid-Season

This flower has quite a remarkable smooth large perianth, which is well overlapping and of beautiful shape and form. The trumpet, which has a half roll to the mouth, opens pale yellow with pinkish tones and soon fades to a lovely milky white. A prolific seed bearer, that will be valuable for breeding. This long lasting flower is a sister seedling to Silver Convention.

Seedling No. 2-36-71

Breeding (Passionale x Rose Royale) x (Seedling x Rose Royale)

Price each £1.50

BEN HEE (Lea) 2W-W Mid-Season

A sister seedling to Inverpolly. This is a beautiful medium sized flower. Both perianth and cup are very white. The perianth is perfectly formed and very smooth. A most consistent flower and good strong plant.

Breeding Easter Moon x Omeath

Price each £1.00

BEN LOYAL (Lea) 2W-R Mid-Season

A very large flower on a strong stem. The perianth petals are broad overlapping forming a nearly round flower. Bred from two un-named seedlings that I have used particularly for white perianths. The resulting perianth is glistening white and forms a majestic background for the well balanced orange-red cup.

Breeding Un-Named Seedlings.

Price each £2.50

BIRCHWOOD (Postles) 3W-GWW Late-Season

A very graceful flower almost completely round with broad overlapping segments, slightly incurving at the margins. The very small white bowl shaped cup has a dark green base and is fluted at the mouth. This very white flower has been shown in successful Engleheart Cup exhibits, and is very consistent in form and free flowering.

Seedling No. 3-103-80

Breeding Monksilver x Snowcrest

Price each £10.00

BRIERGLASS (Lea) 2W-W Mid-Season

A flower as polished as the finest crystal glass. A medium sized flower that can only be described as a white Golden Aura. First prize R.H.S. London 1985. Major prize winner at R.H.S. and Daffodil Society Show 1986.

Seedling No. 2-21-75

Breeding Croila x Ashmore

Price each £5.00

BROADWAY VILLAGE (Postles) 2Y-YRR Early-Season

This very colourful flower has been named after one of the prettiest villages in England. The mid-yellow perianth petals are smooth, flat, very broad and of excellent substance. The rather flat cup is bright red with a yellow base that gives the whole flower a very fiery effect. An excellent plant that is tall, strong and early flowering.

Seedling No. 7-42-75

Breeding Stourbridge x Torridon

Price each £1.50

BURNTOLLET (Lea) 1W-W Mid-Season

It is a beautifully smooth textured pure white flower of largest size which consistently produces good show specimens. The petals tend to hood slightly but they are easily pressed back to remain perfectly flat at right angles to the long and nicely flanged trumpet. Best Bloom Daffodil Society Show 1984 and 1993.

Breeding Glenshesk x Empress of Ireland

Price each £3.50

CAIRNTOUL (Lea) 3W-ORR Late Mid-Season

A very striking flower. The brilliant white perianth is formed from smooth flat petals that are carried at right angles. It makes a great contrast to the bright red flat cup. An exceptionally tall flower with a strong stem and good neck. Very consistent in show quality as its record shows.

Seedling No. 2-27-67

Breeding Merlin x Rockall

Price each £1.50

CAITHNESS (Postles) 2Y-Y Mid-Season

The most perfectly formed daffodil that I have raised. The flower is self gold throughout and of outstanding form and quality. The major perianth petals are so broad that they overlap themselves at the back, and are smooth and flawless. The 3/4 length cup is straight sided, fluted and serrated at the mouth in perfect proportion. This medium sized flower is well poised on tall strong stems.

Seedling No. 4-64-80

Breeding Golden Jewel x Golden Aura

Price each £10.00

CALLANDER (Lea) 2W-GWW Late-Season

A fine flower and plant for exhibition or garden, which came from Misty Glen open pollinated. In many respects it is similar to the parent, except that the flowering period is even later, and with me is the last of the all whites to bloom.

Seedling No. L1-43-78

Breeding Misty Glen open pollinated

Price each £5.00

CAROLE LOMBARD (Postles) 3W-YYO Late-Season

Named by special request to honour the memory of the beautiful film star. This flower has already won Best Bloom R.H.S. on several occasions. The large well formed perianth is of exemplary quality, and the small goblet shaped cup has a fluted, slightly serrated band of luminous orange at the mouth. This very attractive cultivar is late flowering.

Seedling No. 2-64-79

Breeding *Purbeck x Estrella*.

Price each £10.00

CHARLBURY (Lea) 2W-Y Mid-Season

A very large flower of great substance, forming two complete triangles. The bright yellow corona is just short of trumpet measurement, and has a delightful half roll at the mouth, giving the flower a very distinct appearance. Tall stem, good neck with perfect poise. A very fine show flower that sets new standards in this division.

Seedling No. L5-20-77

Breeding *L1-29-71 x Owston Wood*

Price each £12.50

CHATEAU IMPNEY (Postles) 2Y-O Early-Season

The most consistent flower that I have with almost every one reaching show perfection. The dark yellow perianth is flat, smooth and classical in shape. The half length cup of solid dark orange which expands to a neatly serrated mouth. This early cultivar is tall with a good neck and poise. Frequently exhibited in winning groups, and has the advantage of being sun-proof.

Seedling No. 1-71-80

Breeding *2-25-69 x Lea Seedling*

Price each £7.50

CHELSEA GIRL (Postles) 2W-P Mid-Season

Large, slightly reflexed, pointed perianth petals give this flower a very distinctive appearance. It is very white, smooth and of impeccable quality. The rather straight sided corona is a delightful shade of pink, with deeper lilac tones inside. In all, something very different from existing cultivars. Very free flowering, with lovely poise and quite early for a "pink".

Seedling No. 1-49-76

Breeding *Rose Royale x Dailmanach*

Price each £5.00

CHELTENHAM (Lea) 2Y-YOO Early-Season

For sheer consistency and perfection of form, this cultivar will take some beating. The mid-yellow perianth is broad and well overlapping, and of heavy substance. The nicely balanced bright orange cup is slightly expanding with neat serrations. Free flowering on good stems that hold the flower naturally at right angles.

Seedling No. L7-3-78

Breeding *1-24-71 x 1-9-71*

Price each £2.50

CHINA DOLL (Postles) 2W-WWP Late-Season

This is the first pink rimmed flower that I have raised from Dailmanach. It has a sparkling white perianth that is broad, overlapping, and is full of substance. The large cup expands gently to a distinct pink rim. A truly beautiful flower.

Seedling No. 2-34-74

Breeding *Lea Seedling x Dailmanach*

Only a few bulbs available

Price each £7.50

CLAVERLEY (Postles) 2W-P Late-Season

This flower came from Dailmanach open-pollinated and is similar to the parent. The large flower has all the good points of its parent with the extra quality of a very strong straight stem, often lacking in the parent. The very broad smooth perianth forms two perfect triangles, slightly incurving at the margins. The large bowl shaped cup flares at the mouth and is neatly serrated. Of identical colour to Dailmanach, I believe Claverley to be a much improved plant than the parent, while retaining the same flower quality.

Seedling No. 1-124-80

Breeding *Dailmanach Open-Pollinated*

Price each £10.00

COLLEY GATE (Lea) 3W-YR Mid-Season

This quite distinct Div.3 flower is a sister seedling to Cairntoul. It has a beautiful white, slightly pointed perianth which is very smooth and well overlapping. The very neat cup is evenly divided between yellow and bright orange-red, with a nicely frilled edge. A very successful show flower being exhibited under No. 1-27-67 winning many first prizes. A good plant with a tall stem and strong neck that holds the flower perfectly.

Breeding *Merlin x Rockall*

Price each £2.50

CORBIERE (Lea) 1Y-YOO Mid-Season

This being the first of my selections from John Lea's red trumpet breeding programme. The large round perianth is similar in shape and size to Gold Convention. The dark yellow, straight sided and slightly flared trumpet turns a nice shade of orange as the flower develops. A superb show flower, with a tall stem, and good neck that holds the flower perfectly, which is sun-proof. Produces large healthy bulbs of good increase. Will be invaluable for breeding.

Seedling No. Lea 1-13-77

Breeding *Gold Convention x Glenfarclas*

Price each £7.50

CRAIG STIEL (Lea) 2Y-R Mid-Season

Orange flushes through the deep yellow perianth makes this flower look very special. The form and texture of this flower is superb and is inherited from the pollen parent. The half length, straight sided cup is of deepest red. A medium sized flower of real quality, on tall strong stems with good necks.

Seedling No. 1-52-73

Breeding *Bunclody x Torridon*

Price each £1.00

CREAG DUBH (Lea) 20-R Early Mid-Season

This very unusual flower caused great interest when first shown in London. The perianth is coppery orange red, being only a little paler than the orange cup. A medium to large size flower, on a tall strong stem. This new colour break is going to be very important for breeding self orange and red flowers.

Seedling No. 2-26-69

Breeding *(Chungking x Spry) x (Home Fires x Vulcan)*

Price each £5.00

CROILA (Lea) 2W-GW Late Mid-Season

A lovely all white Div.2 flower of nearly perfect symmetry and form. The perianth petals are broad and bluntly pointed, smooth and flat. The short cup is straight sided except at the mouth where it expands to form a nice even half roll. A very consistent flower with a good stem and neck that holds the flower perfectly.

Seedling No. 1-25-68

Breeding *Pitchroy x Seedling*

Price each £2.50

CULTURED PEARL (Postles) 2W-W Late-Season

The name describes the flower perfectly, as it consistently produces such flawless flowers. The perianth is of medium size, smooth and flat, while the rather creamy cup soon changes to give a beautiful self-white flower of great quality. Very late flowering. Perfect cultivar for pot culture, with its tall strong stems.

Seedling No. 1-30-76

Breeding Pitchroy x Misty Glen

Price each £2.50

DAILMANACH (Lea) 2W-P Late Mid-Season

A superb pink of great quality and breeding. The glistening white perianth is perfectly smooth and flat, being formed by very broad petals, rounded at the tip and of great substance. The three quarter length cup is clear bright pink to the base, but a deeper pink at the mouth where it expands sharply into a lovely half roll and is neatly serrated. A strong plant and very consistent. Has now proved itself a superb parent for pinks.

Breeding Inverpolly x Seedling

Price each £5.00

DELNASHAUGH (Lea) 4W-P Late-Season

A very exciting pink double which was first seen under number 3-39-68 at the A.D.S. Convention Philadelphia, where it created great interest. The broad flat perianth petals are of good substance and rounded at the tip. The double inner segments are clear deep pink and evenly spaced, with the whiter petaloids making a beautifully balanced flower. Which in spite of its size and weight is carried perfectly by the strong stem and neck. The flowers last an unusually long time and keep their clean pink colour to the end. A very useful flower for breeding that increases well.

Breeding Kinbrace x Romance

Price each £3.50

DESERT STORM (Postles) 2Y-R Early-Season

An early flower of outstanding colour and form as one would expect from its well proven parents. The perianth is deep yellow, smooth and very overlapping. While the straight sided half length cup of deepest orange/red has slight serrations at the mouth. I have exhibited this flower with great success both here and in the U.S.A. This very healthy plant of rapid increase has a tall stem, and a good neck that holds the flower perfect for the show bench.

Seedling No. 1-77-79

Breeding Torridon x Loch Hope

Price each £7.50

DUNLEY HALL (Lea) 3W-Y Late Season A.M.R.H.S.

Named at the special request of Mrs Betty Lea after seeing my bloom win Best in Show at the R.H.S. London 1986 and 1988. This flower was quite outstanding with a large round perianth of superior form, and brilliant white. The small citron yellow cup, with a green eye, is neatly serrated. This unique flower is very beautiful and most worthy of its distinguished name.

Seedling No. 4-37-76

Breeding Loch Assynt x 68/15A

Price each £7.50

ELMBRIDGE (Lea) 1W-Y Mid-Season

The first to be introduced from a series of bi-coloured trumpets raised by the late John Lea, in fact the first of his from this division. Elmbridge is a very vigorous plant, with broad blue-green foliage and strong stems. The large flower has a perianth of outstanding quality, with little staining from the deep yellow un-fading trumpet, that is in perfect proportion. I fully expect this cultivar to add another colour combination to John Lea's outstanding winners.

Seedling No. L1-20-77

Breeding I-29-71 x Owston Wood

Price each £7.50

EVESHAM (Lea) 3W-GYY Mid-Season

I believe this to be the most outstanding new cultivar of 1990. Best Seedling, Best Division 3 and Best Bloom at the 1990 Daffodil Society Show, also Best Division 3 at the R.H.S. Show, and the remaining bed of flowers a joy to behold that created quite an impression with visitors. Although exhibited under number 1-38-76 I now know Evesham to be a sister seedling to Dunley Hall. A similar flower to Dunley except for the slightly paler coloured cup, it has taller stems and is somewhat earlier flowering. This new cultivar will be difficult to beat in any competition.

Breeding Loch Assynt x 68/15A

Price each £7.50

FILOLI (Lea) 1Y-P Late-Season

This is a most unusual and outstanding flower. Although it has the appearance of a large cup, it actually measures div. 1. The primrose yellow perianth is of great substance and quality. Each segment being very broad and smooth. The soft pink trumpet is bell shaped with a wide flange at the mouth. This very distinct yellow/pink won its class at the R.H.S. and has been outstanding on my trade exhibits, causing much comment.

Seedling No. 2-23-80

Breeding Navarro Seedling x Pol Voulin

Price each £20.00

FLYING COLOURS (Postles) 4Y-Y Mid-Season

An all yellow double that has both size and quality. The large perianth is well overlapping, and of good substance. The very full petaloid area is solid and well formed. This very large and heavy flower is held by a short neck on a strong stem at right angles. Most flowers contain a stigma as an added bonus.

Seedling No. 3-57-76

Breeding Strines x Tahiti

Price each £3.00

GLEN ALLADALE (Lea) 3W-WYO Late-Season

Another very stylish flower with an almost flat, disc shaped corona, with a perfect bright orange/red rim. The sparkling white perianth is very smooth and almost round in form. Wonderful show quality flower with perfect poise.

Seedling No. 4-28-78

Breeding (Rockall x Merlin) x (Loch Assynt x Achmasheen)

Price each £5.00

GLEN CASSLEY (Lea) 3W-W Late-Season

This is a beautiful pure white medium sized flower with great elegance and is one of the whitest flowers raised. The very broad petals well rounded at the tip, form a nearly circular perianth. The rather flat cup that is neatly serrated, opens with pale citron yellow rim that soon fade to pure white. A fine show flower with a good stem and neck. First shown under No. 2-28-72

Breeding Achmasheen x Loch Assynt

Price each £1.50

GLEN CLOVA (Lea) 2Y-ORR Early-Season

A flower of almost trumpet proportions. The broad slightly reflexing petals form a nearly circular perianth of rich deep gold. The trumpet, orange at the base, turns to a striking red at the mouth. The flower in our part of the world is sun-proof and should be useful for breeding red trumpets.

Breeding (Vulcan x Capitol Hill) x Arctic Gold

Price each £3.50

GLENDARROCH (Lea) 3W-YOO Mid-Season

The present colour coding is inadequate when trying to describe the cup colour of this beautiful flower, which is of lovely soft tangerine. Glistening white rounded petals of superb form act as a backcloth to this exciting new introduction. Quite distinctly coloured from anything that I have yet seen, and produces perfect show blooms of amazing consistency. A very good strong grower of rapid increase.

Seedling No. 1-26-74

Breeding Loch Assynt x Purbeck

Price each £5.00

GLENFARCLAS (Lea) 1Y-O Mid-Season

The deep golden perianth petals are of great substance, the outer ones are broad and rounded at the tip. The inner petals slightly narrower and bluntly pointed, sometimes with a graceful twist. The trumpet is orange/red solid to the base, gradually expanding to the mouth, with a slight roll and serrated edge. This like many trumpets is a border line div. 1 flower, but on balance there have been most flowers in div. 1. It is a strong plant and readily sets seed, and is also a valuable parent for breeding red trumpets.

Breeding Seedling x *Vulcan*

Price each £3.00

GOLD CONVENTION (Lea) 2Y-Y Mid-Season

This wonderful flower has a nearly round flat perianth formed from immensely broad smooth petals, well rounded at the tip. The trumpet is rather narrow, slightly expanding to a neatly serrated mouth and is of rich maximus gold. The whole forming a very beautiful and elegant flower on a tall stem with a good neck. A vigorous and very consistent show flower.

Seedling No. 1-32-68

Breeding Un-named Seedlings

Price each £7.50

HALGARRY (Lea) 3W-YR Late-Season

A beautiful smooth round flower formed by very broad perianth petals of glistening white. The small non-predominant cup has a bright red serrated rim. A long lasting flower of consistent show quality with a good tall stem and neck.

Seedling No. 1-25-76

Breeding 68/15a x *Colley Gate*

Price each £1.50

HANLEY SWAN (Lea) 1W-W Early-Season

A fine flower of ample proportions, with proven exhibition potential, having already won Best Division 1 at the 1990 Daffodil Society Show. Again a very white flower with a well overlapping perianth, that remains graceful in spite of its size. The trumpet is of the same whiteness and gently expands to a neatly serrated mouth. Tall and strong with flowers held at a perfect angle.

Seedling No. L1-11-76

Breeding *Panache* x 1-11-71

Price each £7.50

HARTLEBURY (Lea) 3W-R Late-Season

A really magnificent white and red Div. 3 flower, that has a large brilliant white perianth, well overlapping, smooth and rounded at the tips. The flower is complimented by a deep red small cup which is neatly serrated at the edge. A beautiful flower in the best Lea traditions that should have a great future. Tall stems with good necks, large bulbs of good increase.

Seedling No. 1-24-76

Breeding 68/15A x 2-4-69

Price each £2.50

HESLINGTON (Postles) 3W-GYR Late-Season

This is a very attractive flower by any standard. The smooth well overlapping perianth has delicately pointed tips giving a very pleasing appearance to the flower. The small neat cup has a serrated edge of bright red. A superbly non-predominant which is very consistent in form.

Seedling No. 1-8-74

Breeding *Accolade* x *Aircastle*

Price each £2.50

JOCELYN THAYER (Postles) 3W-YYO Mid-Season

This is an almost round flower of brilliant white, smooth and with great show potential. I have exhibited this cultivar in Engleheart Cup Groups with favourable comment. The short cup has a very distinct serrated bright orange/red rim. First class stem and neck.

Seedling No. 2-58-76

Breeding *Avenger* x *Ben Loyal*

Price each £5.00

KILLEARNAN (Navarro/Lea) 9W-GYR Late Mid-Season

A very beautiful new poeticus raised by the late John Lea. The round, sparkling white perianth is contrasted by a lovely cup, which is deep moss green at the base, shading to yellow and ends in a deep red pleated edge. Very sweetly scented. A good plant with a strong constitution and very consistent.

Seedling No. 5-80-74

Breeding *Greenfinch* x *Andrew Marvel*

Price each £5.00

KNIGHTSBRIDGE (Lea) 1Y-O Early-Season

An impeccably formed trumpet flower of deep gold that came from John Lea's red trumpet breeding programme. The very smooth perianth segments form a complete double triangle. The gently expanding trumpet is a darker shade of yellow than the perianth, deepening to a nice orange shade as the flower ages. The whole flower is perfectly proportioned and will be invaluable for breeding and exhibition.

Seedling No. 1-7-78

Breeding *Ballindalloch* x *Glen Clova*

Price each £15.00

LIVERPOOL FESTIVAL (Lea) 2Y-O Late-Season

This is a very fine, quite large flower and surprisingly late for this division. The flat, very smooth perianth of golden yellow is well overlapping. The bright orange cup is practically sun-proof. I purchased this stock under No. 2-25-69 and has proved a most consistent flower. Strong stems that hold the flower very well. Good bulbs that increase rapidly.

Breeding *Vulcan* x (*Tanera* x *Shieldaig*)

Price each £3.50

LOCH ACHRAY (Lea) 2Y-ORR Early-Season

This flower has the potential of being the finest Lea raised yellow-red yet seen, having the smoothness of Loch Carron combined with the colour and vigour of Loch Loyal. The deep yellow perianth is large, smooth and well overlapping, while the medium length cup of deep fiery red has a neatly serrated expanding rim. Early flowering with a very robust constitution. The perfectly held flower is tailor made for top show standards.

Seedling No. L4-3-78

Breeding *Loch Loyal* x *Loch Carron*

Price each £7.50

LOCH ALSH (Lea) 3W-YYO Late-Season

One of the largest roundest flowers I have seen. The sparkling white perianth is very smooth and round, that can easily measure 4 1/2" 115mm in dia. The small yellow cup has a narrow band of orange similar to its seed parent. A superb show flower, as one would expect from its pedigree, being a sister seedling to Dunley Hall.

Seedling No. Lea 2-37-76

Breeding 68/15A x *Loch Assynt*

Price each £5.00

LOCH ASSYNT (Lea) 3W-GWO Mid-Season

A very attractive "rim" with a large very smooth perianth of glistening white. The well proportioned cup is neatly frilled and has an orange rim fading to pale yellow at the base. It is proving a very valuable parent for some beautiful rims.

Breeding Seedling 1-1-55 x Syracuse

Price each £2.50

LOCH CARRON (Lea) 2Y-R Early Mid-Season

A beautifully smooth flower that consistently produces show quality flowers. The perfectly smooth and flat perianth is deep rich gold bordering on orange. Broad rounded petals make a perfect background for the neat rather small straight sided cup, that is fiery red to the base. Good stem and neck holds the flower very well.

Breeding (Capitol Hill x Vulcan) x (Capitol Hill x Vulcan)

Price each £1.50

LOCH COIRE (Lea) 3W-R Late Mid-Season

The sparkling white smooth perianth is formed by very broad outer petals that are rounded at the tip, the inner petals being bluntly pointed. The small neat cup, slightly expanding with small serrations is coloured bright cherry red solid to the base without staining. A good tall stem and neck holds the flower well. A grand plant of rapid increase.

Seedling No. 2-20-74

Breeding (Loch Assynt x Merlin) x Purbeck

Price each £2.50

LOCH FADA (Lea) 2Y-R Late-Season

A very late red and yellow which flowers at the end of the season. Most useful for late shows. The rich yellow petals are very broad and flat in good contrast to the short straight cup which is flaming red to the base.

Breeding Tanera x 8-29-55

Price each £2.50

LOCH HOPE (Lea) 2Y-R Early-Season

One of the finest red and yellow Div. 2 flowers. An early flower being one of the first to open. The perfectly formed perianth is of the richest gold and the beautifully formed cup is of intense red right to the base. A very consistent flower and a winner in any class.

Breeding Seedling x Vulcan

Price each £1.00

LOCH KATRINE (Lea) 2Y-ORR Early Mid-Season

The quality and style of Torridon is clearly evident in this flower, that has a rich dark gold perianth of superb quality, being very flat, smooth and of lovely shape. The three quarter length almost straight sided cup has proved to be sun-proof with me. Very consistent in form and will give perfect show flowers to rival the very best in this division. Brilliant colour contrast, good plant of rapid increase.

Seedling No. 2-27-74

Breeding 62/10A x Torridon

Price each £3.50

LOCH LEVEN (Lea) 2O-ORR Mid-Season

A flower of outstanding colour and form that has excelled both here and in the U.S.A. The smooth, very broadly ovate perianth is of a rich orange, while the cup shaped corona shades from orange to an even deeper colour towards the mouth. A tall plant that is extremely consistent and prolific. The increase in the bulb quantity is quite extraordinary.

Seedling No. L1-11-78

Breeding Creag Dubh x L1-26-73

Price each £5.00

LOCH LUNDIE (Lea) 2Y-R Early Mid-Season

A very consistent flower. The petals are broad and overlapping, rounded at the tip and the edges slightly incurved to form a beautifully smooth perianth of rich soft butter yellow. The corona, slightly expanding with a neatly serrated mouth is bright red to the base. A very striking contrast of colours. The flower is carried naturally with great poise by a good strong stem and neck.

Breeding Un-named Seedlings

Price each £2.50

LOCH MABERRY (Lea) 2Y-R Mid-Season

A beautifully smooth flat perianth of apricot yellow the petals being broad flat and rounded at the tip. The short straight cup is slightly expanded and is solid red to the base. The mouth of the cup is neatly serrated.

A strong plant with a very good stem and neck. Consistent in quality and form, it increases well.

Seedling No. 2-11-74

Breeding Torridon x 2-38-66

Price each £3.00

LOCH MORE (Lea) 2Y-R Early-Season

The lovely perianth is bright yellow and like its pollen parent it is perfectly smooth and of great substance. The broad inner petals are rounded at the tip. The flat outer petals are slightly incurving on the edges. The bright red cup is neatly serrated and coloured solid to the base. A beautiful medium size flower. A good strong plant.

Seedling No. 1-3-73

Breeding (Seedling x Falstaff) x Torridon

Price each £3.50

LOCH RIMSDALE (Lea) 2Y-R Mid-Season

This is an outstanding flower that continues the tradition of John Lea's fabulous yellow-reds. The deep yellow perianth petals are almost round in shape, very flat and smooth, inherited from the pollen parent.

The cup is beautifully proportioned and of deep orange red. A first class show flower.

Seedling No. 1-38-73

Breeding 1-18-66 x Torridon

Price each £5.00

LOCH ROAG (Lea) 3W-R. Mid-Season.

The pure white perianth is broad and bluntly pointed forming a splendid contrast to the deep red cup, coloured solid to the base without staining the petals. The cup rapidly expands into neat serrations. A good upstanding plant with a strong stem and neck. A long lasting flower and one of the earliest in this division. Shown under Seedling No. 15-5-71.

Breeding Unknown.

Price each £3.50

LOCH TROOL (Lea) 3W-YRR Late-Season

A very attractive flower with a beautifully smooth perianth formed from very broad pure white petals, the inner ones being bluntly pointed and the outer petals rounded. The small neat cup is gently expanded with light serrations. A very consistent flower with good stem and neck. Good plant that increases well.

Seedling 1-21-74

Breeding Cairntoul x Purbeck

Price each £2.50

MALIBU (Postles) 4Y-R Early-Season

Colour and form will ensure the success of Malibu, which has several rows of bright yellow perianth segments, the outer row being slightly reflex, very smooth and well overlapping. The dark red corona segments are evenly spaced, and very well formed, creating the near perfect double flower. Tall with strong stems and perfect poise.

Seedling No. 3-9-80

Breeding Torridon x Tahiti

Price each £10.00

MELDRUM (Lea) 1Y-Y Early-Season

A large and beautifully formed trumpet of rich dark gold. The trumpet being darker than the perianth is nearly orange. The perianth which is formed by broadly overlapping spade shaped petals, smooth and at right angles to the trumpet which to begin with is gently expanding, then rapidly expands at the mouth to a neatly serrated edge. The whole flower is well proportioned on a tall strong stem with a good neck that holds the flower in perfect position. This is the darkest golden yellow yet seen. Outstanding in the garden border.

Seedling No. 3-5-67

Breeding Arctic Gold x Seedling

Price each £1.00

MIDNIGHT (Postles) 3Y-R Mid-Season

Superb show flower that I have used in many winning exhibits. The large flower is of darkest yellow, suffused orange and similar in style to Achduart, being flat and smooth. The cup is of intense red, bowl shaped with a neatly serrated edge. A tall robust plant that has lovely poise with a strong neck. Very free flowering.

Seedling No. 3-35-76

Breeding Sabine Hay x Achduart

Price each £10.00

MOON SHADOW (Postles) 3W-GYY Mid-Season

As a seedling Moon Shadow has been one of my most successful and consistent show flowers, in winning Engleheart Cup Groups, Bourne Cup and several first prize wins including Best Seedling Harrogate 1992 and Best Bloom 1993. A very large flower of impeccable show form that opens pale cream, then soon whitens without any loss of colour from the cup, which is a flat disc of bright citron yellow, evenly lobed and serrated. Tall stem, perfect poise, full of substance and completely sun-proof.

Seedling No. 3-78-69

Breeding Golden Eye x L2-4-69

Price each £10.00

POL CROCAN (Lea) 2W-P Mid-Season

A "pink" in the best Lea tradition, having Dailmanach in the breeding on one side and Inverpolly on the other. The rounded, very white perianth is large and well overlapping. The half length deep pink cup has a frosted appearance. A very fine show flower.

Breeding 2-19-69 x 29-73

Price each £7.50

POL DORNIE (Lea) 2W-P Late-Season

This is one of the deepest pink flowers available and makes a vivid contrast to the pure white perianth, formed from very broad rounded petals. The inside petals being bluntly pointed. The pink half trumpet is only gently expanded. The mouth is very slightly serrated with a little roll. The whole is well carried by a strong stem and neck.

Breeding Kildavin x Nav Seedling

Price each £5.00

POL VOULIN (Lea) 2W-P Late-Season

A large flower with a beautifully formed perianth some 4 1/2" dia. The pure white petals are of great substance. The large flat perianth makes a perfect foil for the bright clear china pink cup. The sides are straight and gradually expanding to end neat serrations. A good strong tall stem and neck. A very vigorous plant that increases well.

Seedling No. 2-14-74

Breeding Pol Dornie x Dailmanach

Only a few available

Price each £7.50

REFERENCE POINT (Lea) 2YW-Y Mid-Season

A most beautiful and distinct coloured flower that combines not only a new colour combination but also superb form. The mid yellow perianth of exquisite shape, has a white halo at the base of the petals, and then as if almost as a complement, it finishes with a paler tip to each petal. The three quarter length cup is of the same delightful yellow and is almost straight sided with a delicate serrated edge. Very consistent in form. The unusual parentage makes it a fascinating prospect for breeding.

Seedling No. 1-18-76

Breeding Daydream x Creag Dubh

Price each £2.50

ROYAL MARINE (Lea) 2W-YOO Mid-Season

With this exciting Lea introduction, I am convinced you will have a certain winner. The flower is large, full of substance, colour and vitality. The ovate perianth segments are well overlapping and very smooth. The cup is yellow at the base then changes to the brightest orange-red for two thirds of its length, and as a bonus is reasonably sun-proof. Good bulbs, strong growth with good neck all adds to make a first class cultivar.

Seedling No. 1-20-75

Breeding 1-27-67 x Ibberton

Price each £5.00

RUBH MOR (Lea) 2W-ORR Early-Season

A very large flower of perfect proportions on a strong stiff stem. The round perianth formed from broad overlapping petals is very white and a lovely foil for the large bright orange-red cup. A long lasting flower that needs time to develop.

Breeding Borrobol x Seedling

Price each £2.50

SATIN DOLL (Postles) 2W-GYP Late-Season

For many years Rainbow has been an outstanding show flower, and the combination with Dailmanach has not only given a beautiful 'pink rim' but a flower with the size and quality of Dailmanach. Very broad ovate petals, slightly incurving at the margins are smooth and very white, while the funnel shaped cup is green at the base, shading to pale yellow with a clearly defined pink band, deeper coloured and much more elegant than the parent. A very strong grower with perfect poise and makes large healthy bulbs.

Seedling No. 1-51-77

Breeding Rainbow x Dailmanach

Price each £17.50

SILKWOOD (Postles) 3W-GWW Late-Season

This very large flower of brilliant white, has an outstanding quality perianth, very broad and overlapping. The bowl shaped cup neatly serrated at the mouth. Cream upon opening and whitens as the flower grows. Very tall stems with lovely poise, extremely consistent, winning many first prizes on the show bench.

Seedling No. 2-52-79

Breeding Cool Crystal x L2-4-69

Price each £10.00

SILVER CONVENTION (Lea) 1W-W Mid-Season

A fine large white trumpet. The smooth slightly reflexing perianth petals which are very broad and overlapping. The inner petals are slightly pointed and the outer ones rounded, the milky white trumpet is gently expanding being flared and serrated at the mouth. A strong plant with a good stem and neck.

Breeding (Passionale x Rose Royale) x (Seedling x Rose Royale)

Price each £3.50

SPECIAL ENVOY (Lea) 2Y-Y Early-Season

Gold Convention is proving to be an outstanding parent, and this fine offspring proves the point. I selected Special Envoy from a batch of seedlings previously ear-marked by John Lea for further consideration. Clearly exhibiting good points from both parents, this deep yellow flower is very smooth and of super form. The almost trumpet length cup is of the same deep yellow, and expands gently to a nicely serrated flange at the mouth. With tall stems the flower is carried perfectly. Like its parents the bulbs are large and of rapid increase.

Seedling No. 8-21-78

Breeding Gold Convention x Meldrum

Price each £7.50

STANWAY (Postles) 3Y-R Late-Season

This flower has proved to be one of the most consistent that I grow. The deep yellow perianth is very smooth and of 'ace of spades' shape. The dark red short cup is just within the required dimensions, and should be a valuable addition to this scarce section. Rather a late bloom for a yellow petalled flower having lovely poise on strong stems that holds the flower naturally at right angles.

Seedling No. 2-37-74

Breeding Achduart Seedling x Pipe Major

Price each £3.50

STRATHMORE (Lea) 1-YY Early-Season

A large flower that is deep rich gold throughout, the perianth petals of great substance are smooth and very broad, the inner ones are bluntly pointed and the outer petals rounded. The trumpet is very slightly expanding towards the mouth ending in an attractive half roll which is neatly serrated. A very strong plant with a good stem and neck, is of consistent show quality.

Breeding Artic Gold x Otewa

Price each £5.00

SWEET GEORGIA (Lea) 2W-GPP Late-Season

A flower in the best Lea tradition being used in one of his winning Engleheart Cup Groups. The stock has taken me a number of years to build up sufficiently to offer it. The perianth is very round and brilliant white, full of substance. The cup is an intense deep pink, green at the base gradually expanding to a very slightly serrated quarter roll. Superb flower for the show bench.

Seedling No. L1-13-75

Breeding Dailmanach x L1-40-67

Price each £15.00

TORRIDON (Lea) 2Y-R Early-Season

This is a brilliant flower, quite the richest red and yellow raised by John Lea. The perianth is so smooth that it might have been ironed. A very consistent and long lasting flower on a tall stiff stem. Practically sun-proof. It is now proving to be a most valuable parent.

Breeding Seedling x Vulcan

Price each £5.00

WARMINGTON (Lea) 3W-W Late-Season A.M.R.H.S.

As a seedling this flower did not fail to impress the most seasoned exhibitor. Every flower in the daffodil beds were also quite outstanding. New standards of smoothness are set by the beautifully shaped perianth of brilliant white. The small cup is nicely serrated and of the same pure white, with a deep green base. The flower is held at a perfect right angle for exhibition. I am confident that the future is assured for this lovely new cultivar.

Seedling No. Lea 4-52-77

Breeding Unknown

Price each £7.50

WATERSHIP DOWN (Postles) 2W-W Early-Season

This flower has impressed me every season since its first selection, even in this most competitive division. It is large, very white, and the form is exemplary. An early flowering cultivar on a very healthy plant. Good stem and strong neck. Quite simply a cut and show bloom.

Seedling No. 1-50-76

Breeding Burntollet x Canisp

Price each £3.50

WHITE CONVENTION (Lea) 1W-GWW Mid-Season

A very beautiful flower that has very broad petals, rounded at the tips making a nearly circular perianth, similar to Gold Convention. The whole flower, perfectly proportioned is self white throughout except for the lovely green eye. This seedling was the last to be named and registered by the late John Lea, and will prove to be one of his best.

Seedling No. 4-58-73

Breeding Pitchroy x Panache

Price each £5.00

WYCHAVON (Lea) 2W-YRR Mid-Season

The brilliant white almost round perianth is the perfect background for the deep red fluted and slightly serrated cup, that has proved almost completely sun-proof with me. The tall stem has an unusually short neck for this type of flower, which is very consistent and of exceptional show quality.

Seedling No. 1-46-76

Breeding Ohio x Rockall Seedling

Price each £5.00

YORK MINSTER (Lea) 1Y-YOO Mid-Season

Another milestone in John Lea's quest for red trumpets. Already gaining several wins on the show bench, and with enthusiastic reports from the U.S.A. York Minster is an exciting prospect. The large dark yellow perianth which is of superior form and substance, is very smooth. The trumpet which is a nice shade of deep orange is funnel shaped, and flares at the mouth. The stems are tall and the neck short. In all, a first class flower for show or garden.

Seedling No. 1-14-76

Breeding Glenfarclas x Seedling

Price each £10.00

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