

**MICHAEL**

**JEFFERSON-BROWN**

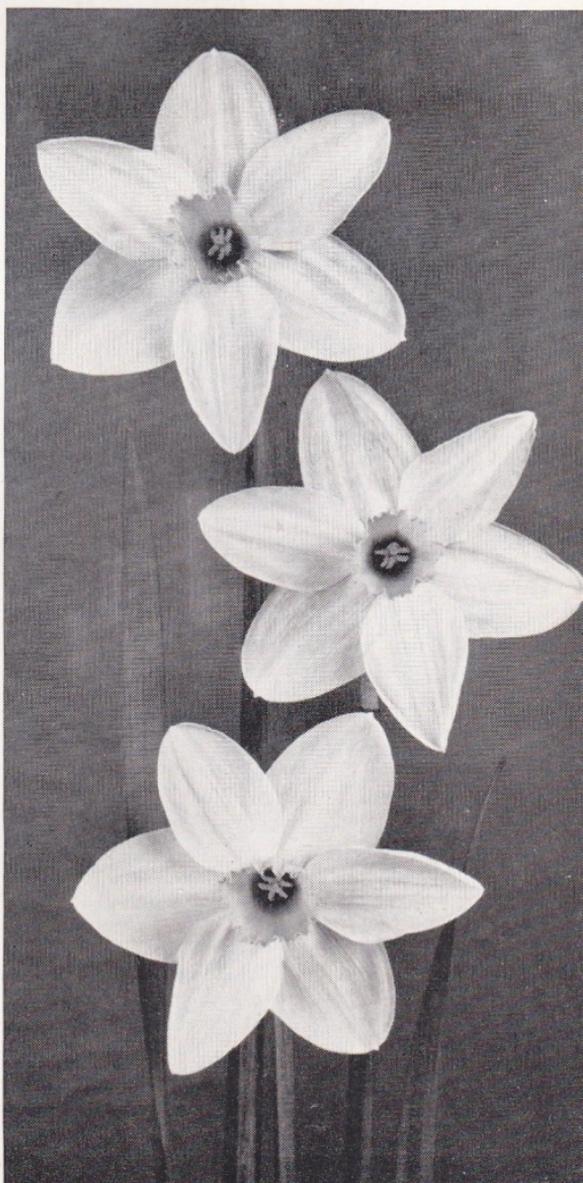
**WHITBOURNE  
WORCESTER  
ENGLAND**

(Knightwick 270)

This is **DEVILRY**  
see  
1962 novelties



# DAFFODILS '62



## Highlights of 1961

What a season 1961 was. The flowers seemed to go mad in the early part of the season rushing into bloom very early and not bothering much on the order of their coming. Armada no sooner seemed to have opened before we were marvelling at the crowded beds of gold and orange produced by Matlock. The American daffodils were full of interest. The lovely cool colouring of the 1D *Lunar Sea* won our hearts, Jean chose it as the loveliest flower of the year. *Bethany* was incredibly perfect in the 2D class and was much admired in London. The lemon 1D Entrancement won first of its class at the Early Daffodil Competition. Another American, *Rima*, was exquisite, lovely in clear pink colour and fine spun quality. It is the sole pink trumpet in commerce in Britain.

*Purity* crowded its bed with beautiful blossom. We have included a photograph of this neat 2C in this catalogue. One of our crosses this year was *Purity* x *White Prince*, over 500 seeds are safely tucked up now of this cross. Later the bright pink of *China Pink* made one of the brightest and most attractive spots in the gardens.

Green Hills opened at the end of the season in time for me to take a bunch of its round white flowers with their lemon and green cups into hospital where Jean had given birth to Helen, our first child.

## Excitements in 1962

I am sure that this is going to be an exciting year. We are introducing some lovely flowers. They are all quality daffodils and they represent nine different sections.

*Chivalry*, the new white trumpet, ends a period of quiet on the white trumpet front. It joins the battle and can hold its own with the best. Mr. Richardson spoke of it as the best white trumpet that he had raised. Coming from *Broughshane* x *Brussels* and *Brussels* coming from *Ledbury* x *Broughshane*, *Chivalry* has two doses of *Broughshane's* very good influence. *Broughshane's* importance is probably far more in its breeding influence than as a flower itself.

*Victory* which we introduce this year and which is illustrated is one of Mr. Richardson's seedlings. It is a magnificent 2B, splendid in colour, quality, and size. It came from *Kilworth* x *Arbar* which has produced so many fine flowers. *Victory* has large bowl crown. *Stromboli* from the same cross has a wide flared crown of scarlet and is a most effective flower. Artillery with the same breeding measures 3B proportions and joins the thin ranks of the new large 3Bs.

Mr. Richardson's death robbed us of our most successful and painstaking breeder, as well as of a daffodil man who was always ready with help and advice. The very high standards he set himself in all spheres of daffodil growing and breeding have been and are a constant inspiration and challenge to all interested in daffodils.

*Homage* is a 1962 flower that was named by Mr. F. E. Board as a tribute to Mr. Guy L. Wilson. *Homage* is a flower that seems to have all the qualities that Mr. Wilson strove to combine in his whites. He has been a man with a vision, the perfect white daffodil. *Homage* must come very close to the vision.

## The American Daffodil Society Convention

The enterprising American Daffodil Society has many ways of fostering interest in daffodils and spreading ideas and daffodil news. The annual convention held in different centres each year must do a lot to further the daffodil cause.

Mrs. Donald Linton, chairman of the 1962 convention, very kindly invited me to attend the convention and to speak. This is an honour that I am keenly looking forward to as it will be a very great pleasure to meet A.D.S. members including some who have written such interesting and kind letters to Jean and me. It will be exciting to hear and learn what is happening to the daffodils in America.

## 1962 Catalogue

This year we are sending out this abbreviated catalogue. Our full catalogue will be published next spring. We are doing some extensive re-organising of our stocks this year, as we now have larger numbers of our own seedlings and stocks bought from leading breeders awaiting introduction. If you would like descriptions of a variety listed but not described you will find it in the 1961 catalogue, or you could drop me a line for a description or details.

Jean and I hope you have a most enjoyable 1962 season.

# 1962 INTRODUCTIONS

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## 2B

### ANTHEA 3-4. J. L. R. Kilworth × Arbar.

This bold attractive beauty has flowers 4-4½ in. across with smooth broad snowy petals and farled crowns 1¾ in. across and painted a rich orange that gives way to a golden eye. It suggests to me a most wonderfully improved Fermoy. Named after a friend who has often helped us at shows.

£5/5/0, \$14.70 each.

## 3B

### ARTILLERY 3-4. J. L. R. Kilworth × Arbar.

A brilliant example of the new race of giant 3Bs. Blooms measured 4¾ in. across last year with shining white petals 2 in. long and 1¾ in. wide. The red cup contrasts vividly with the polished perianth, a few paler flecks sometimes touch the edge of the cup. Artillery is a tall vigorous plant, the forerunner of many more good 3Bs we hope.

£7/10/-, \$21 each.

## 2A

### CHEVALIER 2-3. J. L. R. Galway selfed.

*Galway* is a magnificent daffodil and many think it is still supreme in the yellow 2A class. *Chevalier* like *Galway* is magnificent as a plant with strong blue green foliage, a guardsman's upright carriage, and such uniformly well turned out flowers are paraded each spring that any inspection will fail to find one to fault. *Chevalier* is a 2A by measurement with a trumpet appearance and is stronger coloured than its parent. Very fine in texture, substance, pose and durability.

£5/5/- \$14.70 each.

## 1C

### CHIVALRY 2-3. J.L. R. Broughshane × Brussels.

One of the many fine flowers raised by Mr. Richardson. Large, circular and very white, the flowers are more refined than either of its parents. The plant, of good healthy habit, covers itself with blossom carried on strong stems and is comparable with the very best exhibition varieties.

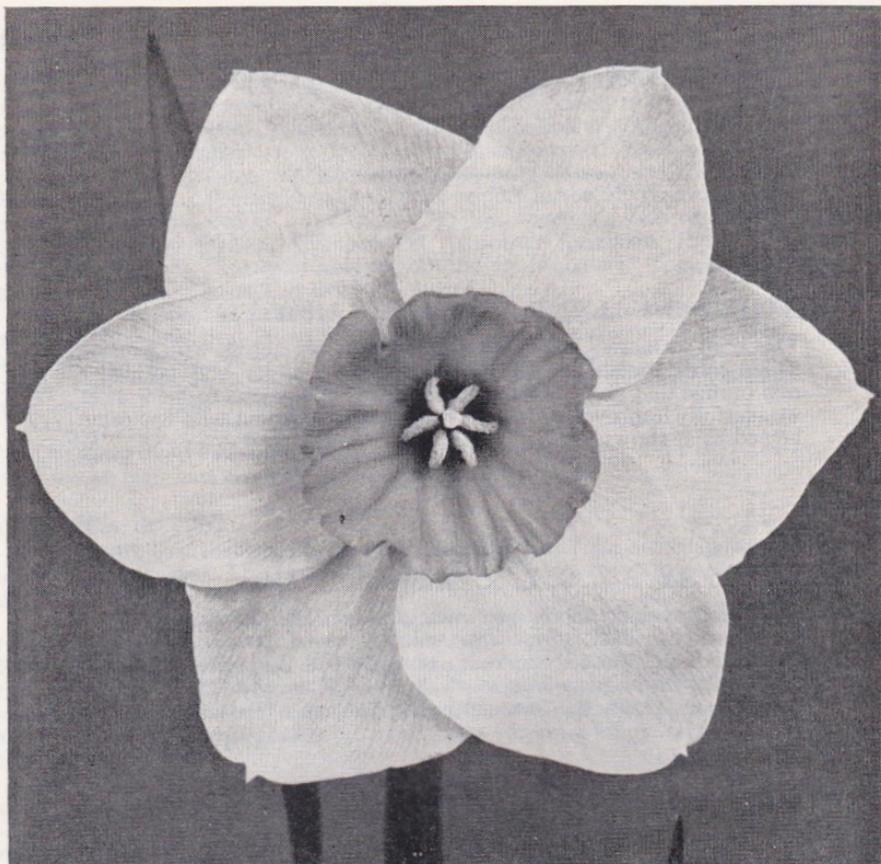
£10, \$28 each.

## 2A

### DEVILRY 3 J. L. R. Sun Chariot × Narvik.

Attractive and unusual. The form of the flower is that of a star the petals being long and oval shaped. There is a slight ribbiness in the petals but if noticed it merely emphasises the star form. The petals are held at exact right angles to the neat goblets of rich orange red. It is a most charming cut flower. See front cover

£2/10/-, each; £5/10/-, \$15.40 for 3.



2B

**VICTORY. 3-4. J. L. R. Kilworth × Arbar.**

Wonderful flower,  $4\frac{1}{2}$ - $4\frac{3}{4}$  in. across, wonderful in quality as in colour. The perianths are composed of very broad very smooth pure white petals, the perfect immaculate foil for large crowns of solid deep red. This is one of the most important flowers that we grow, imposing on the show bench and quite wonderful in the garden. One of the outstanding features is the length of time the flowers last in fine condition, the flowers open well but continue to improve till the last. Orders taken for *Victory* will be dealt with in strict rotation as the demand will be great and the supply is limited. See illustration above.

£15, \$42 each.

1A

**DILIGENCE. 3. G. L. W. Crocus × Golden Hind.**

A first class show flower. *Golden Hind*, a leader in its day, was a thick textured velvet flower of rich colour. Mated with that famous breeder *Crocus* it has given a flower of rich yellow exhibition form and quality and a plant of robust healthy growth.

£5/5/-, \$14.70 each.

2C

**HOMAGE. 4-5. G. L. W. (Nelly × Chinese White) × (Tryst × Foggy Dew).**

Wonderful! This exemplifies all the qualities that I believe Mr. Wilson has striven to combine in his whites. It is a strong growing plant with large flowers somewhat of the *Green Island* build but much smoother and thick textured like *Easter Moon*. The white of the flowers is made even frostier by the dark sage green in the base that retains all its colour and sparkle until the flower finally passes away. Its four grandparents are all noted breeders. *Homage* was named as a tribute to Mr. Wilson. It is a worthy flower for such an honour. £10, \$28 each.

2B

**SELTAN. 3-4. G. L. W. Pink O'Dawn × Irish Rose.**

Pinks are always news. *Seltan* is a sturdy plant giving a lot of long lasting flowers with large wide white perianths and crowns of pleasing pink. The trumpet crown is a little longer than *Passionale's* and is finished off with a nice flange. *Pink O'Dawn* is one of the cornerstones of the breeding of pinks in the Antipodes. *Irish Rose* has proved the most important pink breeder in Britain in recent years. Many of the most exciting seedlings under number have *Irish Rose* as one parent. *Seltan* should surely be a really important breeder as well as a garden and show quality plant for many years yet. We have very fine bulbs of *Seltan*.  
£3/10/-, \$9.80 each; £7/10/-, \$21 for 3.

5B

**TINCLETON. 3-4. Blanchard.**

It must be some while since a white triandrus was introduced in Britain. Tinctleton is worth waiting for, as it makes the previous triandrus hybrids look almost coarse. It is a strong plant that carries three silky white flowers on each stem. The petals are smooth and the cups rather goblet shaped, the flowers being beautifully posed on tall stems. A certain winner in its class.

£1/1/-, \$3 each; £2/10/-, \$7 for 3.

2A

**WARRIOR. 3 J. L. R. Prince Regent × Ceylon.**

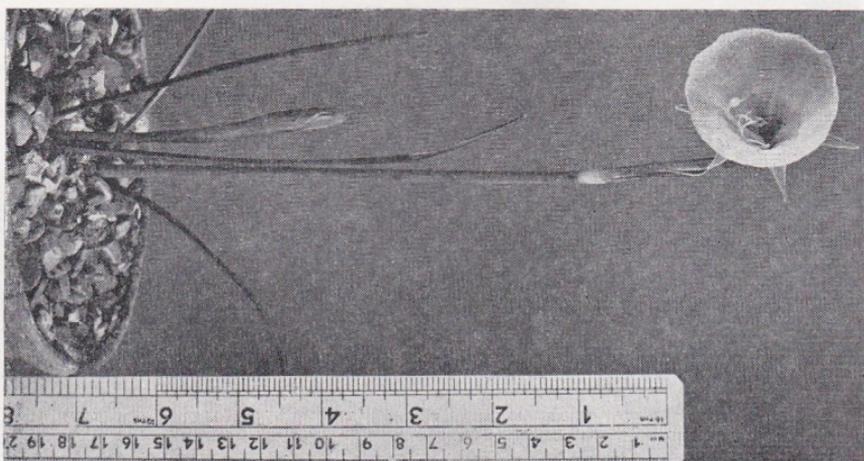
A bold flower of gold and rich orange red in a rather unusual form, the petals are rounded almost like *Green Island's*, the rounded form of the perianth is echoed by the large wide bowl shape of the crown. A flower of bright contrast and a plant of robust constitution and free flowering habit.

£3, \$8.40 each; £7/10/-, \$21 for 3.

**bulbocodium serotinus. (The Giant Hoop-Petticoat).**

This recently discovered plant is now offered for the first time. It changes our thinking about this fascinating group of plants for it is much larger than any other of the other forms. Its flowers are usually a very rich deep yellow, the texture is smooth and the substance of the flower thick. It is a smart plant with sturdy stems and broad upright foliage. Its height can be seen from the photograph but this plant is certainly not one of the largest, some grow to nine, ten or eleven inches. We have a good stock of this exciting plant but there will be a rush for it, please order early.

7/6, \$1 each; 3 for £1, \$2.80; £3, \$8.40 doz.



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Whitbourne, Worcester,  
England. (Knightwick 270)

2C

## ARCTIC DORIC. 2. G.L.W. Parentage as Purity.

Some are born white, some become white, some have the adjective 'white' thrust upon them. *Arctic Doric* is born white. It opens very early. Frosty white petals sparkle but the crown is perhaps even whiter, almost with a hint of blue in its purity. The form of the perianth is groomed by nature flat firm and wide, the crown is rather slender and is scarcely opened at the mouth. Its chaste icy flowers are generously produced from plants both strong and tidy. We hope to use this extensively in breeding new ice white flowers.

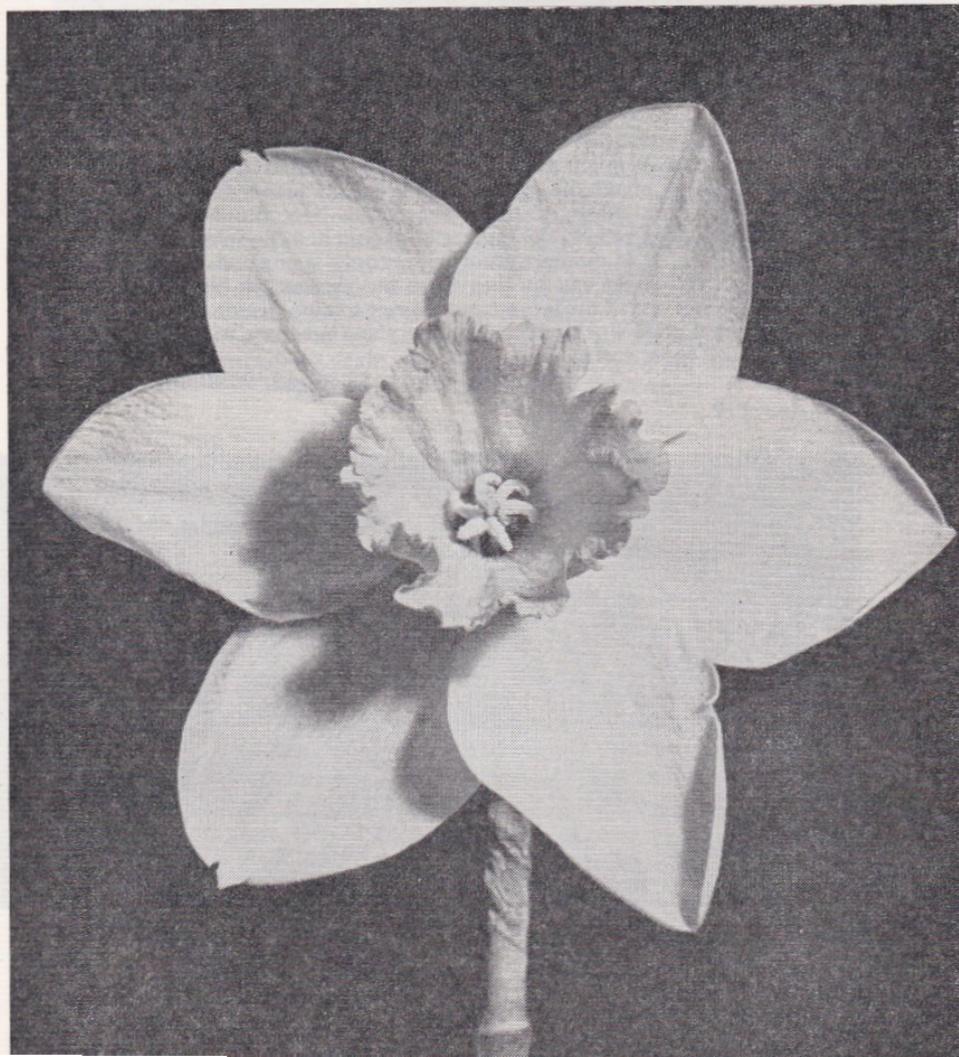
£3/15/-, \$10.50 each; 3 for £9, \$25.

2A

## MATLOCK. 2-3. D. Milne.

An excellent golden and red daffodil for the garden. Flowers often 5" across stand like flags in the garden flaunting their blazing colour in the petals and the crown which is a cauldron of crimson scarlet orange. Large, tall, longlasting and free flowering. We hope to take big seed harvests from this plant. Illustrated below.

6/6, \$1 each; 3 for 17/6, \$2.45; £3/5/-, \$9.10 doz.



## 1961 INTRODUCTIONS—*continued*

2B

### CHINA PINK. 3-4. G.L.W. Duniard × Irish Rose.

Immediately attractive. Its bright rich pink crowns and white perianths shine in the garden. The plants are exceptionally free with their medium sized blooms, and, as these are well formed, the combination of quantity and quality is an especially happy one. The very neat habit with upright foliage is going to help make it a favourite garden daffodil. It makes a charming cut flower.

£2/2/-, \$5.90 each.

3B

### GREEN HILLS. 4-5. G.L.W. Moyness × Portrush.

Flowers, like moons, float above the dark upright leaves, and are held proudly to this plant by strong stems. Each snow white polished circle is formed of petals thick and smooth in texture like lovely Easter Moon's. These shining petals are lit up by a shallow cup painted around the brim a lemon or pale golden shade. In the centre is the rich dark green, that is the crowning glory of a most distinguished and bewitching daffodil. There are other green centred daffodils but none so perfect, of such excellent habit of growth and pose, and of *Green Hill's* size. Mr. Guy Wilson writes of it, "a very fine and beautiful thing. Great strong stems up to 24 inches tall, and splendid flowers with perianths of great substance and satin smooth texture fully 4" across." We are lucky to have such an exquisite flower to distribute.

£7/10/-, \$21 each.

2B

### STROMBOLI. 3-4. J.L.R. Kilworth × Arbar.

This is another of Mr. Richardson's exciting new red and whites from a most fruitful cross. We bought the stock of *Stromboli*, and it planted out well. The bulbs look good. The flowers are large and are well formed. The broad smooth petals make a beautiful snow white foil to the crater-crown of volcanic deep red. The solid red of the widely expanded crown and the white of the perianths make this a most striking example of the latest developments in large red and whites. Strong plant.

£4, \$11.20 each; 3 for £9, \$25.

2C

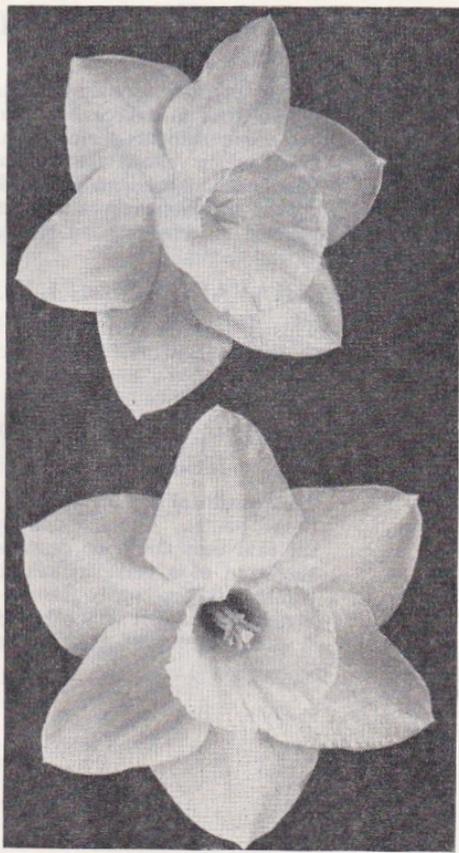
### PURITY. 3. G.L.W. A.M. 1960.

An Award of Merit flower, a most perfect show one. Buds open and reveal glistening snow flowers, and as they open so they remain, without the suggestion of cream. Wide somewhat pointed petals, like a perfectly disciplined team, form a perianth pressed and starched at right angles to the fine-spun crown. *Purity* is a lucky name for it. The crown is shorter than *Arctic Doric's* but has much of the same chaste shape and is snow white. The mouth of the crown is only widened a very little. It has good white breeding.

33/69 × Snowline.

The plant grows well and stems stand tall and strong, those of the vaseful gaining its A.M. were 22"-25"

75/-, \$10.50 each; 3 for £9, \$25



## TRUMPET NARCISSI

Division 1A. Perianth coloured; corona coloured, not paler than perianth. Former Yellow Trumpets.

### ARCTIC GOLD. 2-3. J.L.R. F.C.C. 1960. Goldcourt × Kingscourt.

I have this for breeding, but its rare metal, beaten into smooth widely overlapping petals and carefully designed trumpet, ensures its future as a garden plant. Gold, refined from its parents, is of an even deeper colour than *Goldcourt* whilst its trumpet is flanged and serrated at the mouth. Tall good plant. 17/6, \$2.45 each; 3 for 48/-, \$6.70.

### BANBRIDGE. 3-4. J.L.R.

*Banbridge* grows on one, for it opens old gold and you recognise quality in the smooth overlapping perianth held at right angles to the trumpet, but looking again a few days later it appears a larger and stronger flower, the smoothness is still there and the colour looks richer than ever. Excellent performance.

15/-, \$2.10 each; 150/-, \$21 doz.

### BURNISHED GOLD. 4-5. J.L.R. (Royalist × Crocus) × Goldcourt.

Late, but worth waiting for, as it is a quality flower of very deep colour. Strong petals are pressed smooth in fashionable correctness; the trumpet is long, betokening its breeding, but is lightly rolled and serrated.

35/-, \$4.90 each.

### KERRY PIPER. 3. J.L.R. (Royalist × Crocus) × Kingscourt.

Dancing flowers of singing golden colour, very handsome and very well-groomed blooms of medium size. Highly bred plant of excellent garden character, and probably a useful breeding plant. A real bargain

3 bulbs £1/1/-, \$3.

### KINGSCOURT. 3-4. J.L.R. F.C.C. 1947. Royalist × Crocus.

The one that has set the standard for the past two decades, each large bloom from an impeccable mould forming really wide smooth perianths and noble trumpets perfectly balanced with bell flanged brims. Uniform shining deep yellow. Best 1A in RHS Year Book ballot for many years. Heads last American Daffodil Soc. symposium ballot for exhibition yellow trumpets. A strong stemmed vigorous plant of which I am pleased to have a good stock. 5/-, 70 cents each; 55/-, \$7.70 doz.

### MARAVAL. 2-3. G.L.W. King of the North × Content.

This is another of the bewitching soft cool sulphur lemons, a large decorative flower of graceful form. Most attractive outside, wonderful in pots.

21/-, \$3 each; 200/-, \$29 doz.

### SLIEVEBOY. 3-4. G.L.W. Royalist × Golddigger. Best flower 1958 show.

This beautiful dressed velvety giant has a well balanced perianth of broad petals. The inner ones have so faintly discernable a *Royalist* lilt that they could be described as 'flat' without deception, but that suspicion of a wave makes it all the more pleasing a flower. The trumpet is generously flanged and very evenly notched. The colour is a soft yellow, a very pleasing change from the modern orange golds. A good grower of grand stature.

38/-, \$5.40 each; £20/-, \$56 doz.

	each	doz.
Ark Royal ... ..	17/6, \$2.45;	
Bayard ... ..	50/-, \$7	
Braemar ... ..		30/-, \$ 4.20.
Castlewellan ... ..	50/-, \$7	
Cromarty ... ..	2/6, \$0.35,	27/-, \$ 3.75.
Donore ... ..	12/6, \$1.75.	
Early Sensation ... ..	7/6.	
Fortwilliam ... ..	£6, \$16.80.	
Golden Cockerel ... ..	17/6, \$2.45,	170/-, \$24.
Golden Dollar ... ..	20/-, \$2.80,	200/-, \$28.
Golden Rapture ... ..	90/-, \$12.60.	
Goldsborough ... ..	7/-, \$1,	75/-, \$10.
Kings Ransom ... ..	£5, \$14.	
Letterkenny ... ..	15/-, \$2.10,	150/-, \$21.
Malone ... ..	35/-, \$4.90.	
Milanion ... ..	4/6, \$0.60,	48/-, \$ 6.70.
Moonstruck ... ..	10/-, \$1.40,	110/-, \$12.60.
Principal ... ..	2/-,	21/-.
Royal Oak ... ..	50/-, \$7.	
Scotch Gold ... ..	7/6, \$1	78/-, \$11.
Spanish Gold ... ..	25/-, \$3.50.	
Sun Dance ... ..	2/6, \$0.35;	27/6, \$ 3.80.
Ulster Prince ... ..	6/-, \$0.90;	65/-, \$ 9.40.
Wexford ... ..	7/-, \$1.;	75/-, \$10.80.

Division 1B. Perianth white;  
corona coloured.

**BALLYGARVEY. 3-4. W.J.D. Effective × Sincerity.**

Brilliantly contrasted. Wide pure white petals make a foil at right angles to the deep golden trumpet which is finished with a roll at the brim. Bright show flower and most decorative garden one which increases and grows with gay abandon. 10/-, \$1.40 each ; 110/-, \$14 doz.

**NEWCASTLE. 3. W.J.D. A.M. 1957. Niphetos × Kanchenjunga.**

Exceptional in size, close to 5 in. across and in the quality of its waxen and smooth texture and its regal form. Rather triangular petals spread themselves wide and away from the trumpet of deep gold, a colour that is fast. The trumpet is opened gently at the mouth. Scarce. £10, \$28 each.

**TROUSSEAU 2-3. P.D.W. F.C.C.**

Magnificent bicolor in size, quality, form, substance and texture. The very broad milk white perianth is laid flat away from the noble trumpet which opening soft yellow becomes a most lovely rich buffy rose cream. It takes a little while to attain its buffy colour, but it is one of the most long lived of all daffodils. Tall and strong. 2/6, 35 cents each; 27/-, \$3.80 doz.

	each	doz.
Cape Horn ... ..	40/-, \$5.60.	
Downpatrick ... ..	£7, \$19.80.	
Foresight ... ..	2/3,	28/-
Hillsborough ... ..	21/-, \$3.	
Tudor Minstrel ... ..	40/-, \$5.60.	
Preamble ... ..	5/-, \$0.70;	55/-, \$7.70.

Division IC. Perianth white;  
corona white.

**Broughshane. 3. G.L.W. A.M. 1943. A.M. Wisley 1956.**  
**Trostan × Kanchenjunga.**

A Colossus. Immense petals, the outer ones up to 2½ in. wide, make a perianth close to 6 in. across. A noble trumpet is grandly flanged, reflexed and frilled. Tall strong grower. Has been successfully used in breeding.  
3/-, 45 cents each; 33/-, \$ 4.60 doz.

**CANTATRICE. 3. G.L.W. F.C.C. 1939 A.M. Wisley 1956.**

Fit for the Gods. One of the most refined flowers yet seen, like Old Chelsea porcelain. Rather pointed petals held beautifully at right angles to the longish slender trumpet, the whole flower being as smooth as the smoothest satin, faultless, without a suspicion of creases or unevenness. Regular prize winner. Has held first place as an exhibition white trumpet in RHS ballot from 1946 to 1958 inclusive. Tops American D.S. ballot for show self white ICS. I believe this to be one of those rare plants that can be unreservedly recommended. Wonderful under glass.  
5/-, 70 cents each; 55/-, \$7.70 doz.

**EMPRESS OF IRELAND. 2. G.L.W. Guardian × Kanchenjunga.**

Mr Wilson describes his giant as "undoubtedly the most magnificent large white trumpet daffodil introduced up to date. A truly majestic flower up to 5 inches in diameter, and of such faultless form, balance and proportion that it entirely satisfies the eye, smooth flat perianth built of magnificent ace of spades shaped segments of immense breadth, with beautifully balanced trumpet which has the rather rare attribute in a very large flower, of not being too wide at the base, and at the same time ideally flanged and frilled at the mouth." Early flowers on strong 16-18" stems. *Empress of Ireland* will have a long career winning prizes and is going to feature in the breeding of many fine new flowers.  
170/-, \$23.50 each.

**VIGIL. 3. G.L.W. A.M. 1956.**

*Vigil* is one of the flowers in this world perfect enough for the next. There is something unearthly in the way this icy white flower shines in the sunlight. It is real enough for it is large and of parchment strong texture, its sharp pointed petals at right angles to the graceful beautifully flanged trumpet. It is a flower of such exquisite texture, of such finish that being human, one looks for the snags but there are none. Its flowers last exceptionally well, they are carried with assurance above upright foliage of such a blue green colour that the whiteness of the flowers seems even more radiant. It is a winning show flower for very many years and a garden plant that will be almost impossible to better.  
40/-, \$5.60 each; £21, \$58.80 doz.

**WHITE PRINCE. G.L.W. (Quart) × Tenedos) × Guardian.**

I first saw this 9 years ago when I was very impressed by it. It seemed to me then to be the living epitome of the qualities a white trumpet should own. It is large as a lily with great broad spreading flat pointed petals and a longish trumpet perfectly flanged. Pressed to make a choice, I would always pick the narrower trumpeted type of whites myself rather than wider trumpeted often creamy tinged, ones, but of course each kind has its points and champions. Mr Harry Tuggle and several other U.S.A. correspondents write very highly of *White Prince*. Sometimes 2nd year down bulbs give flowers that have one or two curious warts on the trumpet. Tall, strong £7, \$19.60 each.

**WHITE PROSPECT. 4. J.L.R. A.M. 1958. Cameronian × Broughshane.**

On Olympian lines, this rounded flower can measure 5 in. across. The trumpet though rather narrow is very widely opened at the mouth and is boldly cut. The texture and substance help the flowers to shine like beacons. Probably Mr. Richardson's best white trumpet.  
30/-, \$4.20 each.

	each	doz.
Andes ... ..	21/-, \$3.	
Devon Loch ... ..	45/-, \$6.20.	
Glenbush ... ..	12/6, \$1.75;	136/-, \$19.25.
Glenshesk ... ..	25/-, \$3.50;	
Himalaya ... ..	40/-, \$5.50.	
Hindustan ... ..	25/-, \$3.50.	
Kanchenjunga ... ..	3/-, \$0.45;	33/-, \$4.50.
Longford ... ..	120/-, \$16.80,	
Mandate ... ..	12/6, \$1.75.	
Mount Hood ... ..	(85/- a 100)	12/-.
Petsamo ... ..	5/-, \$0.70;	55/-, \$7.70.
Rashee ... ..	55/-, \$7.70.	
Stormont ... ..	80/-, \$11.20.	

Division 1D

Any other colour combination.

Spellbinder ... ..	6/- each;	65/-, doz.
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**LARGE-CUPPED NARCISSI**

Division 2A. Perianth coloured, corona coloured not paler than the perianth.

**Air Marshal. 4. J.L.R. A.M. 1957. Carbineer × Malta.**

A parade ground stance and ceremonial colours of shimmering deep gold and bright scarlet make this a fine daffodil, the widespread form of the broad petalled perianth helps and so does the rather straight shape of the cup with its frill. The cup colour is a little paler at the base. 20/-, \$2.80 each.

**CEYLON. 2-3. J.L.R. F.C.C. 1948.**

One of the very best yellow reds yet seen. The wide smooth pointed petals generously overlap and are of such a deep shade that the raiser describes it as 'deep intense aureolin gold that has an almost metallic sheen'. The goffered goblet does not open a very deep colour but after a day or two it becomes a dark intense cadmium orange red. It is sunproof, tall, robust, free of flower and rapid increaser. RHS and ADS ballot best show 2A. Yellow red.

4/-, 55 cents each; 44/-, \$6.15 doz.

**GALWAY. 3. J.L.R. F.C.C. 1948. prob. Royalist × Crocus.**

One of the few that can be thoroughly recommended on all counts as a show or garden flower. Tall stately blooms of singing golden colour, broad in the petal, splendid in proportion and stature, the crown approaching trumpet proportions. We have a good stock of it. RHS and ADS give this top place for self yellow 2A.

4/-, 55 cents each; 44/-, \$6.15 doz.

**HOME FIRES. 2. G.L.W. A.M. 1956.**

Fiery name fiery colour. Tall as a guardsman. Spreading pointed petals as bright yellow flames complementing the cup's burning scarlet that goes right back to the ovary. In a bunch will make a fire-eater think twice. Has been shown in many winning groups, and is a promising market flower with requisite stem, neck, colour and lasting power.

10/-, \$1.40 each; 100/-, \$14.00 doz.

**MEXICO. 2-3. J.L.R. Alight × Rustom Pasha.**

This is a tall strong plant with broad petalled rather pointed bright yellow perianth and a goblet of bright orange red.

2/-, 30 cents each; 18/-, \$2.50 doz.

**MONEYMORE. 2. W.J.D.**

This new rare daffodil is one of the top flight present day varieties. Its colour is amazingly intense, deep deep gold in the wide perianth and dark crimson red in the medium length crown. A wonderful flower, magnificent in colour and glorious in quality. £15., \$42.0 each

**RUSTOM PASHA. 2-3.**

Splendid flower with oval yellow petals and a goblet crown that opens a rather dull orange but quickly becomes bright and gets more brilliant each day. 11/-, \$1.55 doz.; 80/-, \$11.20 a 100.

**ST. KEVERNE. 2. M.P.W. F.C.C. 1951.**

Unusually fine all-yellow flower with a perianth of shovel pointed petals ironed flat. The long cup is neatly opened and deckled at the mouth and is almost trumpet length. It is a slightly deeper shade. Tremendous substance. Every flower is of exhibition standard.

14/-, \$1.95 each; £7, \$19.50 doz.

**VULCAN. 2. J.L.R. Carbineer × Ceylon.**

The God of Fire should appreciate these blazing colours. The thick round perianth is deep golden yellow, the large cup just slightly flared and nicely serrated is a very deep orange red. Mr. Richardson writes, 'I consider this flower to have the best colour in both perianth and cup of any red and yellow that I have raised'. Tall, strong.

110/-, \$15.40 each.

**YELLOW MOON. 3-4. Jubilant × St. Egwin.**

A lovely luminous primrose yellow flower with broad petals and a nicely proportioned crown. Thick smooth texture. In bloom when most yellows have faded away. Much admired at the Harrogate show, 1961.

3/6, 50 cents each; 38/-, \$5.20 doz.

	each	doz.
Armada ... ..	5/-, \$ 0.70;	55/-, \$7.70.
Bahram ... ..		16/-.
Balalaika ... ..	32/6, \$3.55;	
Ballintoy ... ..	5/6, \$0.70;	60/-, \$8.40.
Ceylon ... ..	4/-, \$0.55;	44/-, \$6.15.
Court Martial ... ..	17/6, \$2.45;	
Craigywarren ... ..	4/-, \$0.55;	44/-, \$6.15.
Elmwood ... ..	70/-, \$9.80.	
Forthright ... ..	7/6, \$1.	80/-, \$11.20.
Foxhunter ... ..	17/6, \$2.45.	
Hollyberry ... ..	30/-, \$4.20.	
Jaguar ... ..	17/6, \$2.45.	
Kilmorack ... ..	7/6, \$1.;	82/6, \$11.00.
Kindled ... ..	15/-, \$2.	
Lamington ... ..	17/6, \$2.45;	
Madeira ... ..	70/-, \$9.80.	
Majorca ... ..	27/6, \$3.85.	
Masai King ... ..	45/-, \$6.30.	
Masked Light ... ..	17/6, \$2.45.	
Narvik ... ..		18/-.
Ormeau ... ..	10/-, \$1.40;	110/-, \$15.40.
Red Ranger ... ..	10/-, \$1.40;	110/-, \$15.40.
Revelry ... ..	2/6, \$0.35;	27/-, \$3.80.
St. Keverne ... ..	14/-, \$2.	
Vulcan ... ..	110/-, \$15.40.	

Division 2B. Perianth white;  
corona coloured.

**FAREWELL. 2-3. P.D.W. F.C.C. for show and garden.**

A rare flower, to have won highest award for show and garden. A fine overlapping perianth of shining whiteness and composed of broad shovel shaped petals. The cup opens citron yellow and fades to near white with age. Strong in growth, durability and fine bulb.

21/-, \$3 each; 230/-, \$33 doz.

**GREEN ISLAND. 4. J.L.R. A.M. 1946. Gracious × Seraglio.**

An important variety, a sensation when it first appeared, as much on account of its great substance and waxy texture as on its large size and truly immense petals, they overlap to make an almost geometrical circle. The shallow bowl-shaped cup is greenish white at the base, but white on the side till that gives way to a band of clear cool greenish lemon at the margin. A short necked, tall stemmed vigorous plant. ADS ballots top large cupped white and yellow for show.

10/6, \$1.40 each; 3 for 27/6, \$3.80.

**INTERIM. 4. G.L.W. Dava × Cushlake.**

Charming and distinct decorative flower, clear white slightly reflexing perianth, petals slightly incurved at edges; goblet cup of pale clear greeny citron, banded strong salmon pink at edge. A group of flowers looks very impressive with the tall stems, the attractive pose of the flowers, and the plants obvious strength. A most important parent of good pinks.

3/6, 50 cents each; 27/-, \$3.50 doz.

**LUNAR RAINBOW. 3-4. G.L.W. (Clava × Evening) × Moylena.**

A flower of independent habit, opulent white petals enhancing the unusual beauty of the flower by reflexing slightly from the open basin shaped crown. The soft primrose of the newly revealed crown develops beautiful tints of pale cool primrose, faint pink, and grey-like shades suggesting mother-of-pearl; delicate colouring, that does not fade. Strong plant with good stems.

9/6, \$1.30 each; 100/-, \$14 doz.

**MOYLENA. 3-4. G.L.W. Mitylene × Evening.**

Taller than its sisters *Lisbreen* and *Wild Rose* and with a deeper more coppery pink in its cup. White petals and beautiful grown under glass.

5/-, 70 cents each; 55/-, \$7.70 doz.

**MOTHER CATHERINE GRULLEMANS.**

This is a bold large flower with wide pure white petals and a shallow bowl of unusual pastel colours, apricot shades and cream at the rim. It is a most effective garden flower, growing strongly and giving lots of fine flowers.

3/6, 50 cents each: 37/6, \$5.25 doz.

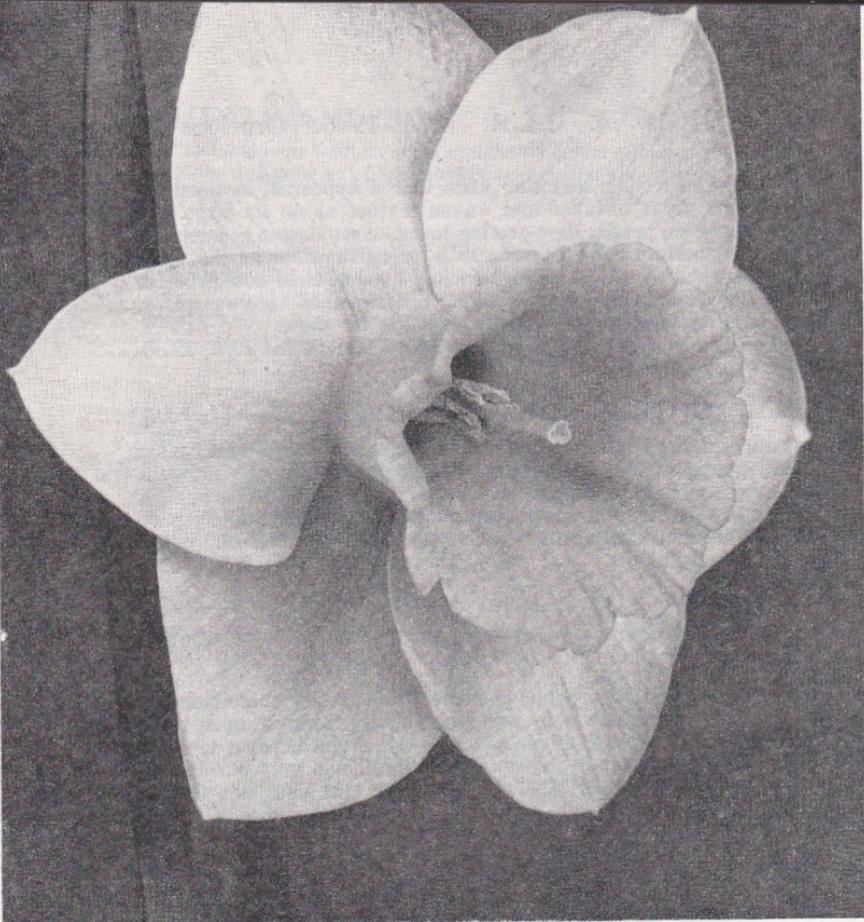
**PASSIONALE. 3. G. L. Wilson.**

It is an honour to introduce such a fine flower. The recorded cross was *Rose of Tralee* × *Irish Rose*. It is just possible that it was from *Rose of Tralee* selfed. Whatever the parentage, there is not the slightest doubt of the quality of this pink or its future.

The flower has an immaculate perianth of long flat petals overlapping to half their length and held so as to make a perfect L junction with the long cup of delightful pink. The cup is as smooth in quality as the polished perianth and is finished with a very lightly opened mouth gently frilled and cut.

*Passionale's* winning points are these. It is earlier than most pinks. It grows strongly. It holds its colour well. Above all the pink is probably the purest pink shade yet seen in a daffodil, and this is linked to a flower of the highest show quality.

Orders for *Passionale* will be entered so that the number of bulbs available for dispatch after lifting will be sent in the same sequence Winner of MDS pink class and centrepiece of winning Walter Ware challenge cup 1959. The stock looked an incredible sight last spring covered with a mass of immaculate flowers. £7/10/-, \$21 each.



**PASSIONALE** *see page 13*

**PINK SMILES. 3-4. W.J.D. White Sentinel × Trousseau**

A lovely decorative flower of rich amber pink and pure white. 'Decorative' as a daffodil adjective usually means that the flower is not of show form; this flower has broad spreading petals and a crown that is almost trumpet length. An attractive garden or cut flower.

10/6, \$1.50 each; 100/-, \$14.00 doz.

**TUDOR MINSTREL. 3. J.L.R. F.C.C. 1956.**

Over 5 in. across, an opulent perianth of shining white, dutifully-arranged, broad petals of impeccable quality and substance. Nothing but the best used in this flower. The large cup frilled at the mouth shines golden, almost orange yellow. Tall strong, excellent show flower. It grows well, so well that we have a nice stock of it now.

15/-, \$2.10 each; 155/-, \$21.70 doz.

				each	doz.
Aldergrove	...	...	...	45/-, \$ 6.30	
Arbar	...	...	...	25/-, \$ 3.50	
Avenger	...	...	...	200/-, \$28	
Belisana	...	...	...		25/-
Brunswick	...	...	...	2/-,	21/-
Castlecoole	...	...	...	15/-, \$ 2.10	

	each	doz.
Chiffon ... ..	30/-, \$4.20,	
Commodore ... ..	12/6, \$1.75.	
Coverack Perfection ... ..	3/-;	30/-.
Deodora ... ..	55/-, \$7.70.	
Duke of Windsor ... ..		16/-,
Dunmurry ... ..	90/-, \$12.60.	
Fintona ... ..	140/-, \$19.60.	
Greenore ... ..	3/6, \$0.50;	38/-, \$ 5.30.
Guardian ... ..	2/6, \$0.35;	25/-, \$ 3.50.
Irish Charm ... ..	7/6, \$1.	80/-, \$11.20.
Kilworth ... ..	1/9, \$0.25;	18/-, \$ 2.50.
Liberty Light ... ..	45/-, \$6.30.	
Moylena ... ..	5/-, \$0.70;	55/-, \$ 7.70.
My Love ... ..	17/6, \$2.45.	
Nantucket ... ..	65/-, \$9.10.	
Northern Light ... ..	125/-, \$17.50.	
Pink Isle ... ..	10/-, \$1.40;	110/-, \$15.40.
Pirate King ... ..	75/-, \$10.50.	
Rose Caprice ... ..	70/-, \$ 9.80.	
Rose of Tralee ... ..	2/6, \$ 0.35;	25/-, \$ 3.50.
Roseanna ... ..	3/-;	33/-.
Saintfield ... ..	15/-, \$ 3.50.	
Salmon Trout ... ..	65/-, \$9.	
Signal Light ... ..	18/-, \$ 2.50.	
Tullyglass ... ..	20/-, \$ 2.80;	200/-, \$28.
Wild Rose ... ..	5/-;	55/-.
Woodgreen ... ..	37/6, \$ 5.25.	
Woodlea ... ..	50/-, \$7.	

Division 2C.

Perianth white; corona white

**Ave. 3. G.L.W. Truth × Slemish.**

Shining white, designed in faultless symmetry, the broad petals held at right angles to the well balanced crown.

9/6, \$1.35 each; 100/-, \$14 doz.

**EARLY MIST. 2. J.L.R. Glendalough × Ardclinis.**

Looks like a white trumpet of refinement, but beaten by the calipers. The long crown is flanged and rolled at the mouth, the perianth is lovely alike in texture, substance and form. The whole is a pure white.

70/-, \$9.80 each.

**GLENDERMOTT. 3-4. G.L.W. Truth × Broughshane.**

Cannot be overpraised. A miracle in the form of a daffodil, ice white with green in base of the beautiful formed trumpet crown that just fails to measure IC length. The terrific perianth is a triumph of size, quality and substance. Tall strong stems, blue leaves. An important breeding variety.

160/-, \$24.40 each.

**KIBO. 3. G.L.W. Gracious × Broughshane.**

Like no other kind, an immense spreading white perianth and a medium length crown with a terrific flange which is most strikingly serrated. Stems like walking sticks.

5/-, 70 cents each; 50/-, \$7 doz.

**WEDDING BELL. 2. W.J.D. Gracious × Zero.**

Here comes the flower, large smooth and pure. To say this flower has *Cantatrice* quality is no flattery, the broad perianth is as smooth as glass like the lovely crown with its bell flange. Pure ringing white. One bulb soon becomes a clump and produces many first quality blooms.

15/-, \$2.10 each; 150/-, \$21 doz.

	each	doz.
Ardbane ... ..	60/-, \$8.40.	
Castle of Mey ... ..	70/-, \$9.80.	
Cotterton ... ..	7/-, \$1;	70/-, \$10.
Dunfane ... ..	3/6;	35/-.
Easter Moon ... ..	75/-, \$10.50.	
Greenland ... ..	5/-, \$0.70;	45/-, \$6.30.
Kilrea ... ..	7/6, \$1.;	80/-, \$11.20.
Knowehead ... ..	100/-, \$14.	
Parkmore ... ..	3/-;	32/6.
Snow Dream ... ..	10/-, \$1.40;	110/-, \$15.40.
Templepatrick ... ..	£8, \$22.40.	
Whitehead ... ..	90/-, \$12.60.	

#### Division 2D

Any other colour combination.

### LEMON DORIC. 3. G.L.W. Binkie × Spellbinder.

This is another of the delightful cool flowers that are so lovely in the garden for cutting. Not that this flower will not win at a show, the only time it has been in competition so far it beat all the *Binkies*. It is a little smoother and has a longer crown which is only opened slightly at the mouth. Its colours are similar, opening lemon it fades inside the corona to off white. It is a strong plant with stems several inches longer than *Binkie's*. A bunch of *Lemon Doric* in a Silver vase is an exquisite picture.

21/-, \$3 each. 3 for 57/-, \$8; 180/-, \$25.20 doz.

Binkie ... .. 2/6, 35 cents each; 27/6, \$3.80 doz.

### SMALL-CUPPED NARCISSI

#### Division 3A

Perianth coloured, corona coloured not paler than perianth.

	each	doz.
Apricot Distinction ... ..	3/6, 50 cents;	35/-, \$5.
Chunking ... ..	2/3, 30 cents;	24/-, \$3.35.
Doubtful ... ..	20/-, \$2.80.	
Jezabel ... ..	25/-, \$3.50.	

#### Division 3B

Perianth white, corona coloured.

### GLENWHERRY. 4-5. W.J.D. Isola × Sinstar.

Brilliant as a jewel. Nestling in the snow white perianth is a wide cup of startling solid crimson red. It earns the highest marks for size, form and colour. 5/-, 70 cents each; 55/-, \$7.70 doz.

### MATAPAN. 3. J.L.R. A.M. 1957. Coronach × Forfar.

Round perianths reflect the frozen lands of Antarctica, flat crowns of glowing crimson. Exceptionally fine show flower.

6/-, 85 cents each; 65/-, \$9.30 doz.

	each	doz.
Ballycastle ... ..	7/6, \$1.	80/-, \$11.20.
Bella Vista ... ..	10/6, \$1.40;	
Blarney ... ..	3/-, \$0.40;	30/-, \$4.00.
Enniskillen ... ..	7/6, \$1.;	80/-, \$11.20.
Galilee ... ..	9/-, \$1.25.	
Greencastle ... ..	10/-, \$1.40;	110/-, \$15.40.
Greenmount ... ..	90/-, \$12.60.	
Lough Erne ... ..	7/6, \$1.	80/-, \$11.20.
Mahmoud ... ..	2/6, \$0.35;	27/-, \$3.80.
Masaka ... ..	5/-, \$0.70;	55/-, \$7.70.
Misty Moon ... ..	2/-, \$0.25;	21/-, \$3.
Nearula ... ..	6/-, \$0.85.	
Pride of Erin ... ..	8/6, \$1.20;	90/-, \$12.60.
Ramoan ... ..	12/6, \$1.70.	

Division 3C

Perianth white and corona white.

	each	doz.
Chinese White ... ..	6/6, \$ 0.90;	72/-, \$ 9.80.
Cushendall ... ..	4/-, \$ 0.55;	44/-, \$6.
Dallas ... ..	15/-, \$2.	
Frigid ... ..	3/-, \$ 0.40;	33/-, \$ 4.60.
Kincorth ... ..	90/-, \$12.60.	
Millisle ... ..	25/-, \$ 3.50.	
Shagreen ... ..	4/-, \$ 0.55;	44/-, \$6.
Silver Salver ... ..		15/-, \$2.

**DOUBLE FLOWERS.**

Division 4

**GOLDEN CASTLE** Warnaar.

A very well formed doubled trumpet of deep almost dark golden yellow. 5/-, 70 cents each; 55/-, \$7.70 doz.

**GOLDEN DUCAT. 2.** Speelman & Son. F.C.C. 1952  
Sport of King Alfred

A splendid double yellow of really tremendous size, the larger segments being canary yellow and the intermingled smaller ones aureolin yellow. 5/-, 70 cents each; 55/-, \$7.70 doz.

Double Event ... ..	17/6, \$ 2.45.	
Gay Time ... ..	8/6, \$ 1.20.	
Golden Castle ... ..	5/-, \$ 0.70;	55/-, \$ 7.70.
Hollandia ... ..		28/-.
Rose of May ... ..	2/6, \$ 0.35;	28/-, \$ 3.75.
Snowball ... ..		21/-.
Swansdown ... ..	10/-, \$ 1.40;	110/-, \$15.40.

**TRIANDRUS NARCISSI**

Division 5A

Cup not less than  $\frac{2}{3}$  length of petal.

**RIPPLING WATERS. 3.** Barr. F.C.C Wisley 1947.

One of the best triandrus usually carrying three flowers of white with just the slightest suggestion of cream. Excellent in garden or pots. 18 in. 3/6, 50 cents each; 35/-, \$4.90 doz.

**TRESKEWES. 3.**

One of the rare long crowned lemon triandrus kinds, with long narrow petals. Good grower. 5/-, 70 cents each; 50/-, \$7 doz.

Division 5B

Corona less than  $\frac{2}{3}$  length of petal.

**THOUGHTFUL. A.** Gray.

This is a most delightful large triandrus, wide and smooth in the petals and with a frilled bowl shaped cup. A beautiful soft yellow. 7/6, \$1 each; 3 for 20/-, \$2.80.

**CYCLAMINEUS NARCISSI**

Division 6A

Corona not less than  $\frac{2}{3}$  of petal length.

**BARTLEY. J. C. Williams. F.C.C.**

Long trumpeted bright yellow. Pointed petals. Very fine garden flower, exceptionally lasting, 18 in. A triploid. 3/6, 50 cents each; 30/-, \$4.20 doz.

**CHARITY MAY. 2.** C. F. Coleman.

A.M. 1948. F.C.C. Wisley 1955. Mitylene  $\times$  cyc.

Top ADS ballot for show cyclamineus. Has a pleasing gracefulness together with lovely quality and soft clear yellow colour. Overlapping petals are strikingly reflexed, the cup is waisted and is frilled and gently expanded at the mouth. Long lasting in the garden, it is also charming in pots. Increases freely. Will eventually supersede *February Gold*. 12 in. - 15 in. 3/-, 45 cents each; 33/-, \$4.60 doz.

### ROGER 2-3 A. Gray Beryl × Nor-Nor

This is an unusual bold and attractive flower, much larger than Beryl with a wide cup of pale orange and broad creamy yellow petals. The colours are sunproof. A strong good plant, durable flowers.  
7/-, \$1 each; 75/-, \$10.50 doz.

### SNIPE. 2.A.M.W. A.M. 1953. W.P. Milner × cyc.

For growing in pots, pans or bowls. A small flower with a chaste narrow trumpet and long pointed petals swept gently backwards, the whole flower opening pale creamy primrose and fading to cream. Very scarce. A treasure for the cool greenhouse or Alpine house though it is of course perfectly hardy.

9/6, \$1.37 each; 100/-, \$14 doz.

	each	doz.
Beryl ... .. (90/-, a 100)		12/-
Dove Wings ... ..	4/6, \$ 0.60;	46/-, \$ 6.40.
February Gold ... ..		11/-
Jack Snipe ... ..	7/6, \$1;	72/-, \$10.
Jumblee ... ..	10/-, \$ 1.40.	
Jenny ... ..	12/6, \$ 1.75.	
Quince ... ..	10/-, \$ 1.40.	
Roger ... ..	7/-, \$1;	75/-, \$10.50.
Tete a Tete ... ..	7/-, \$1;	75/-, \$10.50.
Woodcock ... ..	7/-, \$1;	75/-, \$10.50.

### JONQUIL NARCISSI

#### Division 7A

Corona not less than  $\frac{3}{8}$  petal length.

#### SHAH. 3. Barr.

A wonderful golden jonquil with flowers the size of *Fortune*. Handsome, much better than the older *Mountjoy* and *Hathor*. A large bulb and strong plant.  
14/-, \$2 each; 3 for 38/-, \$5.30 doz.

#### PENPOL. 1-2. P.D.W.

An unusual jonquil in that it blooms so very early with good self yellow blooms.  
6/-, 85 cents each; 60/-, \$8.50 doz.

#### WATERPERRY. 3. Trenoweth

Really a charmer and unlike any other. It showers a profusion of small graceful flowers on slender stems for all to admire the pointed ivory white petals and the cups are pale buff at the base but shade off to a pastel shade of salmon apricot around the margin. It is exquisite cut, a lovely pot plant, and attractive outside.

4/-, 55 cents each; 40/-, \$5.50 doz.

SWEETNESS ... .. 2/-, \$0.30 cents each; 21/-, \$3. doz.

#### Division 7B

Corona less than  $\frac{3}{8}$  petal length.

#### Bobbysoxer. 4-5. A. Gray. 2A × N. rupicola.

A perfect round flower like a miniature 3A, golden yellow petals with a wide cup of bright deep orange. Relatively large flowers. 7-8 ins. Increases rapidly.  
3 for 8/-, \$1.10; 25/-, \$3.50 doz.

#### NANCEGOLLAN. M.P.W.

A nice sized very attractive white jonquil with a neatly clipped cup and a full perianth of ample overlapping petals.  
25/-, \$3.50 each.

#### PARCPAT. M.P.W.

This is one of the new red and yellow jonquil hybrids. It makes a brilliant splash of colour, the smooth flowers making most attractive decoration in a vase.  
18/6, \$3 each.

#### POLNESK. 3 P.D.W.

Beautiful quality is the characteristic of this lovely jonquil, a pleasant soft primrose shade.  
6/-, 85 cents each; 60/-, \$8.50 doz.

**PRISK. M.P.W.**

This is a large jonquil of impressive smoothness and bright yellow. It has been a winner of the jonquil hybrid class at the R.H.S.

15/-, \$2 each.

**7B Skylon. 3. Wood**

Unusual and lovely. Two neat round flowers on a stem. Bright yellow but the rim of the small cup is red. Like a neat *Tazetta*. 14".

3 for 7/6, \$1; 24/-, \$3.35 doz.

**SNOW BUNTING. P.D.W.**

A lovely name for a flower without a suggestion of a feather out of place. Pure white flowers perch usually two on a stem looking most smooth and attractive. Unable to woo us with song, they delight with a very sweet scent. Cream Cup.

18/6, \$2 each.

**SUGAR BUSH. A. Gray jonquilla × (John Evelyn × Red Cross)**

Robust twelve inch high plant with large flowers, ivory white in the petals and orange yellow in the cup. An unusual and jolly jonquil.

7/-, \$1 each; 55/-, \$9.10 doz.

	each	doz.
Baby Moon...	3/6;	33/-.
Demure ...	10/6, \$1.50.	
La Belle ...		10/6.
Nirvana ...	3/-, \$0.40;	33/-, \$4.40.
odorus rugulosus		7/6, \$1.
Orange Queen ...		7/6, \$1.
Sundial ...	7/6, \$1.	
Tittle-Tattle ...	3/6, \$0.50;	35/-, \$4.90.

**POETICUS NARCISSI**

Division 9

**SEA GREEN. 5-6. Engleheart. A.M. 1930.**

A lovely poet, a perfect level circle of snow and a large eye of pale green widely banded with bright red.

7/-, \$1. each.

**SPECIES, WILD FORMS AND HYBRIDS**

Division 10

**TRUMPET KINDS**

**asturiensis (minimus)**

Earliest and smallest yellow trumpet 2 in. to 3 in.

6/6, 90 cents doz.; 48/-, \$7.70 100.

**cyclamineus**

Delightful little yellow species with long narrow trumpet looking down, petals sharply reflexed upwards. Charming in light grass or open woodland. Very early. Nice in pots.

7/-, \$1 doz.; 50/-, \$7 100.

**moschatus**

The hardy white trumpet with swan neck pose. Lovely and prolific.

3 for 7/6, \$1; 21/-, \$3 doz.

**N. obvallaris. Tenby Daffodil.**

Sturdy, smart folded flowers. Neatly flanged and serrated trumpets. petals at right angles to trumpets. 9 in. to 10 in. Very good in grass. Pots of it are always admired early in the New Year.

6/6, doz.; 35/-, 100; £15 1000.

**pseudonarcissus (Lent Lily)**

English daffodil. Pale bicolor, cream petals, primrose trumpet. For naturalising only. 6" 25 for 7/6; 25/- 100; £10/10/- 1,000.

**p. gayi (princeps)**

This is like a larger *pseudonarcissus*, with whitish petals and clear yellow trumpet. A most effective daffodil in grass. 12".

6/6 doz.; 35/- 100; £15 1000

**pumilus plenus (Rip Van Winkle)**

Curious little daffodil doubled to look a bit like a dandelion. Good grower. 6".

3 for 7/6 \$1; 21/-, \$3 doz.

**Trumpet hybrids**

**Little Beauty. Gerritsen.**

Well constructed bicolor. 4".

2/6, 35 cents each.

**W. P. MILNER. Back. 1890.**

An old free flowering dwarf. White petals and pale cream lemon trumpet. Pleasant demure pose. Reliable. Useful in grass. In pots the flowers come pure white. 9 in.

10/6 doz.; 75/- 100

**Large Cupped**

**Goldsithney. A. Gray.**

Attractive butter yellow 2A only 8 in. high. Extremely floriferous.

3 bulbs 3/6; 12/- doz.

**Lady Bee. 3. Barr.**

10 inch. high little plant with sturdy stemmed flowers white in the petal and bright pink in the long cup

3 for 10/6, \$1.40; 38/-, \$5 doz.

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**N. bulbocodium group**

**b. obesus.**

Late, large rich shining yellow flowers. Short stems, prostrate leaves. 3 in.

6/-, 85 cents doz.; 45/-, \$6.30 100.

**b. tenuifolius.**

An early form with primrose flowers and narrow leaves.

6/-, 85 cents doz.

**b. vulgaris nivalis.**

The tiniest of Hoop-Petticoats. An inch or so of stem. Tiny dark yellow narrow flowers. Easy in well drained soil.

7/6, \$1 doz.; 50/-, \$7. 100.

**cantabricus ssp monophyllus.**

Rare North African white flower with wide coronas. Lovely and easy to grow and flower in Alpine house or cool greenhouse. Will often grow outside but blooming in winter the flowers are easily damaged. We do not grow any outside here.

3 for 7/6, \$1; 30/-, \$4.20 doz.

**cantabricus ssp cantabricus var foliosus (formerly b. monophyllus foliosus).**

Winter flower. Thin rush like leaves, milk white blooms. Rather stronger plant than N. c. monophyllus.

6/-, 80 cents doz.

**cantabricus var. petunioides F.C.C. 1960.**

Extremely rare and lovely thing. Absolutely unique flower for the corona has been spun out into a flat circle of sparkling white. Orders for the bulbs will be booked and dealt with in strict rotation. The number to spare this season is strictly limited. The demand is likely to be heavy and continuous so that it is fortunate that the bulb grows well.

£1/1/-, \$2.95 each.

**bulbocodium vulgaris genuinus × Jessamy.**

We raised this fascinating series of seedlings a few years ago. They bloom with us from September to April, grow very very vigorously, and give lots of flowers. Colours vary from near white to deep primrose with pleasant lemony shades predominating. Some crowns are very wide, like *romieuxu's*, some are closer to the seed parent's.

3 for 7/6, \$1.05; 28/-, \$3.90 doz.

## bulbocodium hybrids.

### SENNOCKE. F. R. Waley. triandrus × bulbocodium

A fascinating and charming little hybrid. *Sennocke* is a smart little flower intermediate between its parents in appearance, pointed petals and a bold neatly clipped chalice crown. Pale primrose. Scarce.

A few at 25/-, \$3.50 each.  
Raised by Mr. D. Blanchard by crossing b. *romieuxii* and *cantabricus foliosus*. All are white winter flowers and very vigorous.

### JESSAMY.

The last of the quartet to bloom. Opens cream but usually fades to milk white soon, a smart little flower with wide shallow crown. Its rate of increase is absurdly prodigious and matches its freedom of flower.

3/-, 40 cents each; 30/-, \$4.20 doz.

### TAFFETA.

Freely increasing bulb with large flowers that become sparkling white.

3/6, 50 cents each; 35/-, \$4.90 doz.

### TARLATAN.

The tallest, rather pure white bowl-shaped crowns. Exquisite. Rather slower of increase. Scarce.

5/6, 80 cents each; 58/-, \$8.10 doz.

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## N. triandrus

### t. albus. Angel Tears

Two or three creamy hanging bells with reflexed petals. Few leaves. Free seeder. Lovely naturalised. 3 in.

4/6, 60 cents doz.; 32/6, \$4.55 100.

### t. concolor.

Bright yellow form. Very smooth and attractive. Taller than *t. albus*, earlier, refined.

7/6, \$1 doz.; 50/-, \$7. 100

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## N. jonquilla group

### atlanticus.

Very rare N. African with solitary flowers with cups like *rupicola* but creamy white. Taller than either *rupicola* and *watierii*. Broad leaves.

### calcicola.

A rare and most pleasing smart plant with upright quite broad leaves and stems carrying 1, 2 or 3 flowers of bright yellow usually a dark shade. The petals are either at right angles to the smart cup or may be slightly reflexed.

2/6, 35 cents each; 20/-, \$2.80 doz.

### fernandesii.

This new species offered for the first time, was discovered in 1943 in Portugal. It stands 2 in. to 3 in, high with usually two flowers golden yellow and sweet scented. The neat little cups are half as long as the rounded petals. The plant differs from *juncifolius* in having obsoletely veined leaves longer than the scape, in the length of the corona, and the form of the spathe. An early flower.

3 for 7/6, \$1; 24/-, \$3.30 doz.

### jonquilla.

One of the world's most entrancing perfumes. Several narrow petalled short-cupped golden stars. Late. Rock garden, pots and bowls. Useful for breeding. Imported bulbs. 10 in.

5/- doz.; 35/- 100.

### juncifolius.

Enchanting very small variable daffodil. Usually with several tiny yellow flowers on a 3 in. stem. Perfect cup sometimes quite wide. Scented.

5/6, 75 cents doz.; 40/-, \$5.60 100.

### marvierii

A very rare dwarf from N. Africa. Similar to *rupicola* but larger in all parts. Bright yellow smooth perianth and neat cup. 1, 2 or 3 flowers on a stem. Very scarce.

14/-, \$2 each; 3 for 38/-, \$5.35.

### rupicola

3 in. high with one flower on each stem. In best form a perfect circle of mid yellow. Always pleasing, very smooth, neat habit, lovely in rock garden or in pots.

3 for 3/-, 45 cents; 10/-, \$1.40 doz.

### scaberulus

Several very small flowers on a rather tall stem. Like a taller *juncifolius* or *calcicola*. Rare.

3 for 2/6, 35 cents; 7/6, \$1 doz.

### watierii.

Sparkling pure white, one of the gems of the genus. Large flowers flat cups and widespread smooth petals. A much sought after N. African for garden or under glass. 6 in.

12/-, \$1.60 doz.

