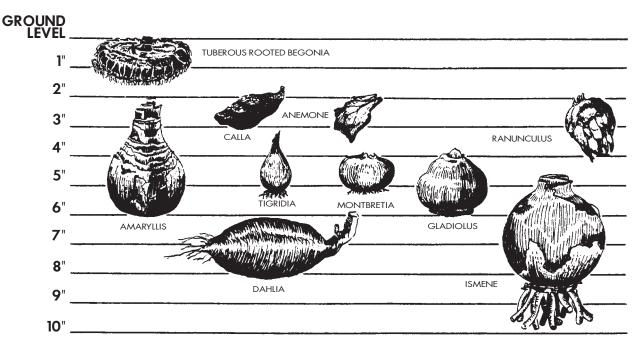
SPICE BUES



TO PREPARE GARDEN SOIL:

Make soil in garden, rich and light by mixing in sharp sand, compost (bark soil or rotten manure) and bonemeal. **SOAK BULBS WELL AFTER PLANTING.** After bulbs are well up, work in fertilizer 6-8-6 to ensure good growth.

When well rooted and sprouted, transplant to a 4'' pot or 3 pendulous tubers to a 10" hanging basket

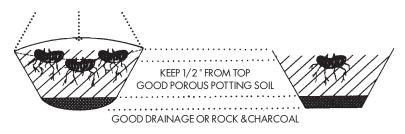
Fertilize (Knapp's Plant Starter) and water from the bottom, only in the early morning, when required. When transplanting to the garden, plant level with top of soil and 12" apart. **SOAK WELL AFTER PLANTING.**

TUBEROUS BEGONIAS

DAMPENED PEAT MOSS

OR MICA PEAT

10" HANGING BASKET



Pendulous Tubers are used for hanging baskets.

Start bulbs in a tray of dampened peat moss or mica peat at a temperature of 65° - 70° F. Water **CAREFULLY.** Avoid decay by drying centre of tuber with a blotter or cloth.

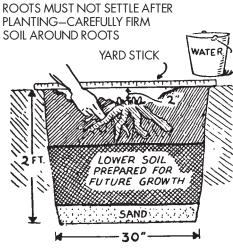
PEONY

Prepare soil according to instructions. It is important to make a large hole as the peony develops a large root. **CAREFUL** that the eyes of tubers are no deeper than 2", deeper planting may

prevent blooming. Keep manures from coming in direct contact with the roots. Support stocks with a peony ring.

TO CONTROL BOTRYTIS,

which browns buds and spots leaves, cut out and burn all infected parts. SPRAY COPPER FUNGICIDE



SOAK LOWER SOIL WITH WATER-ALLOW TO SETTLE WELL BEFORE PLANTING

SPRAY before new buds open. Help prevent Botrytis by spraying captan as soon as leaves appear.

DAHLIA

Prepare garden soil according to instructions. When pre-paring

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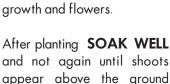
NEW OLD STEM

GROWTH OLD STEM

TUBER NECK

SOIL CULTIVATED 8" DEEP

BENEATH TUBER WITH SAND,
HUMUS AND GOOD SOIL—
KEEP MANURE OR HUMUS FROM
DIRECT CONTACT WITH TUBER



the soil, add ¹/₄ cup Bonemeal per tuber to ensure better

appear above the ground unless there is a long, hot dry spell.

Dis-bud your dahlia when each stock has formed 3 sets of leaves. This produces a bushy and profusely flowered plant.

MULCH with bark mulch around the plants to help keep soil evenly moist, and to reduce weeds.

Keep the flowers picked regularly and do not water plants overhead.

GLADIOLUS

