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DULL MUSS

THE STORY CAN

BULB GROWIN

In recent years the in house decoration l portant feature that any receiving attention from A very novel method v introduced with great the bulbs are cultivated kind being entirely abovell known that all kin little packets, each one flowers and leaves; and of bloom and foliage or necessary, so that there. about the latest manne same time, to obtain a are a number of points tial to observe, the negle ing to failure, as the wr

First of all, one can upon the importance of If you are dealing with ways pays to buy the h



Opening the holes in the

his list. The extra mone sorts means more and la quality bulbs which any bargain rates" are dear should be avoided, especia an idea like the present ought to throw plenty of remember that the earlier ed, the sooner will they this is important if the cul through without more he an ordinary dwelling-roon

Almost any kinds of the bulbs are suited to the pu lighter and more graceful attractive effects. Thus Hyacinths are certainly to the ordinary lot which spikes would make for a so pearance. Crocuses, Scilla look particularly charming of the Valley. Perhaps the Narcissus are least useful exceedingly long stems w produce. The difficulty may a measure, as will be pointed ing paragraph.

It is, of course, a waste of pensive sponges for this pu careful selection ought to ence of rather large holes i recommendation, and a fair cle is important. The more pears to resemble a rough I better. Size, of course, varie kind of bulbs which it is desi quite out of the question, for tempt to grow Hyacinth

Having secured the spon

we may now proceed with has been mentioned that it i have a sponge with plenty rather doubtful whether it cure one in which these are sufficiently numerous; for the It is a simple matter to cu viden ones in the places whe able to pop a bulb. In imagir picture which way the spong it is suspended, as it is na putting bulbs in right underne this, the bulbs should be wel the sponge, so as to provide a the flowers and foliage app convenient to place the bulbs and it will be found that the ing" of the substance is que keep them in position! As soo are in place, the supports for of the sponge must be provide be fixed in the manner illustr tograph, and the material m better still, copper wire, wh rot nor rust. After this has sponges, with, of course, the I should be soaked in bowls of are thoroughly saturated. T

submerged for any length of It is now necessary to see rooting of the bulbs before the a light situation. To this end cupboard should be called int which the sponges may be susp shelves. The cupboard should where it will be quite frost fre connection with a room whi heated, so much the better. leave our bulbs for at least two

not be carried on longer th necessary, as it is not good for