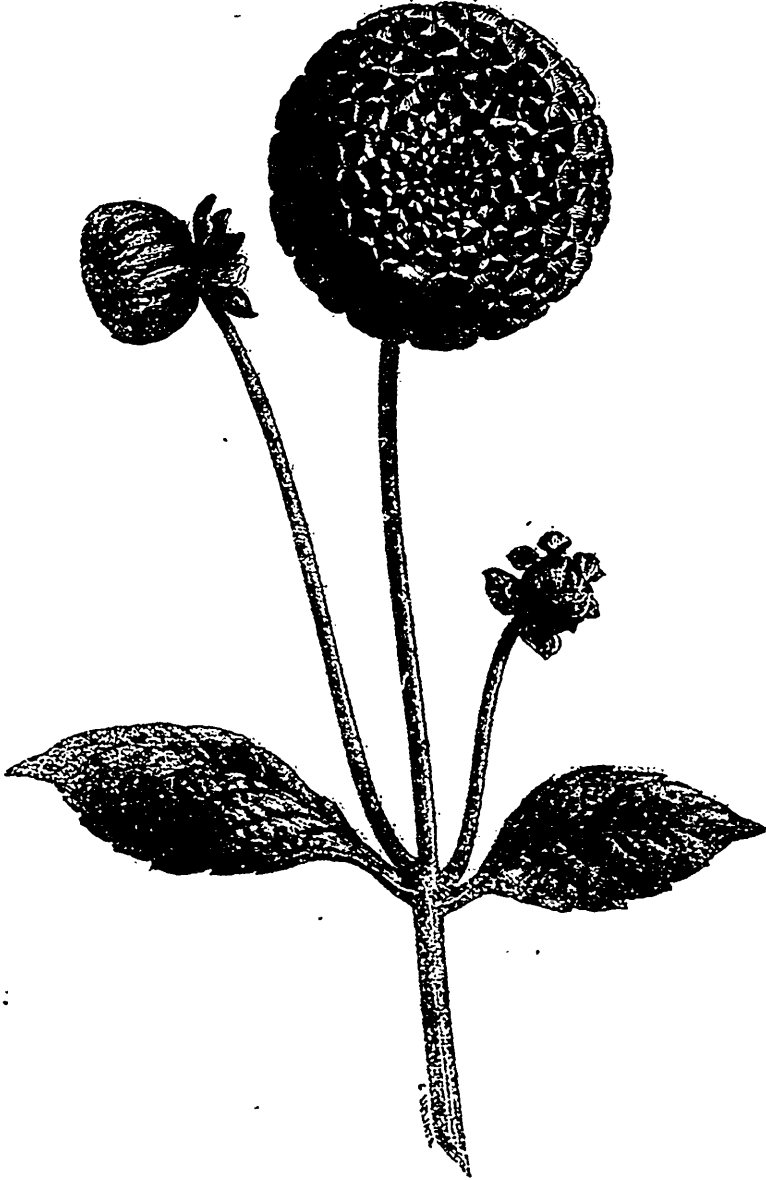


**DAHLIA LILLIPUT.**

The dahlia is a superb flower, and so easy of cultivation that the wonder is it is not more extensively grown. With the exception of its re-

ing new varieties, can buy a package of seed at from 10 to 20 cents. By sowing early, blossoms may sometimes be got the first year. Our engraving represents a new and dwarf variety, which is deservedly becoming a favourite among

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quiring to be taken up and housed in the cellar during winter, it gives as little trouble as the commonest flower that blooms in our gardens. The bulbs can be had at a low rate from any florist, and those who wish to experiment in rais-

lovers of flowers. It seldom attains a height of more than two feet, is of very compact habit, and produces a most striking and beautiful effect whether in beds or borders. We advise our readers to try it.