**Dichelostemma congestum**

Ookow

Liliaceae

**Exposure**  Full sun

**Water**  No summer water

**Form**  Bulb

**Height**  2 feet

**Flower color**  Medium purple

**Bloom time**  Spring

Ookow is a robust bulb bearing light purple flowers in dense racemes atop 2 foot stems and having wide deep green leaves streaked purple. Best grown in a natural meadow setting or container where it will receive good drainage and no summer water. The common name is native American.

**Habitat**  Open woodland, grassland