Historic, archived document

Do not assume content reflects current scientific knowledge, policies, or practices.

PATRICIAN DAHLIAS

AND

GLADIOLUS

1924

INVITATION

"AURASE-CAS-CAGGE"

Our new home, a place of rare beauty, and Indian Tradition, with its fine trees and clear placid lake containing four small islands, surely a splendid setting for the glorious Dahlia. Located right on the Merrick Road on the Westerly rim of the beautiful town of Babylon.

We cordially invite our customers and friends and all lovers of flowers to visit these extensive Show Gardens of 15 acres of Dahlias, where you may see thousands and thousands of beautiful blooms; a riot of color, a sight to behold.

Blooming season August until frost.

You may reach us by motor via the Merrick Road direct to the Gardens, or if you come by R. R. call 477 R, Babylon, and our car will meet you.

ELIZABETH M. UNDERHILL
Manager, Retail Dept.

BABYLON DAHLIA GARDENS

BABYLON, L. I., N. Y.

OFFICE
and
SHOW GARDENS
(15 acres)
MERRICK ROAD

On the "Sunrise Trail"

FARM
(20 acres)
DEERPARK AVE.
and
BELMONT LANE

THE LORD GOD PLANTED A GARDEN

BY DOROTHY FRANCES GURNEY

"The Lord God planted a Garden
In the first white days of the world,
And he set there an angel warden
In a garment of light unfurled.

So near to the peace of Heaven
That the Hawk might nest with the Wren,

For there in the cool of the even
God walked with the first of men.

The kiss of the sun for pardon,
The song of the birds for mirth---
One is nearer God's heart in a garden
Than any where else on earth."

DAHLIA SEED

Specially collected from the best blooms, \$1, \$2 and \$3 per 100.

NOTE

If there is any variety you are interested in and not listed in this catalogue, we may have it as we grow many others in limited quantity, and some are sold too heavily at the Gardens to list.

REGARDING GREEN PLANTS

We send out strong plants from 2½ inch pots grown right. Hardened off so that during shipping time we have them ready to go to you in perfect condition. Each year they are in greater demand, and we have many repeat orders. Do not hesitate to order them. We guarantee them to arrive in good condition. Full cultural instructions with each order.

GUARANTEE

We guarantee all bulbs listed are true to name and also their arrival in good growing condition. We will cheerfully replace any that should prove otherwise. Kindly notify us at once. We do not substitute unless requested, but would suggest a second or third choice in case one you order is sold out.

ORDER EARLY

As orders are received, stock will be reserved and shipped at the proper time.

TERMS

Cash with order or in advance of shipment. Remittance may be made by money order or check. All prices quoted in this catalogue are for divisions of field grown roots unless otherwise stated. We prepay postage in first, second or third zones.

WE SEND FULL CULTURAL DIRECTIONS WITH EACH ORDER.

Dahlias of New and Recent Introduction
"THE BEST BY TEST"

MRS. FREDERICK T. STREET (NEW HYBRID CACTUS)

"NEW INTRODUCTIONS"

"Our Own"

These beautiful creations are now offered to Dahlia lovers who want something out of the ordinary. They are of absolutely distinct colorings; of splendid habits and have been admired by all visitors to our Gardens.

Bill Wincott. Decorative. Giant flower of creamy white shading, soft yellow toward center. Absolutely upright. A rare beauty.

Tubers, \$7.50. Plants, 5.00

Chatelaine Peo. A vast improvement over the old and very popular Chatenay. Clearer colors and better habit of growth. Salmon flushed pink. A beauty for decorations. Fine stems and a good keeper 1.00

Elizabeth Slocombe. Decorative. Large flower of crimson purple on very erect stems. Fine form and vigorous grower. One of the best.

Tubers, \$3.50. Plants, 2.00

Gypsyanna. Decorative. A perfectly formed flower of large size on fine upright stems. Shadings of soft buff yellow suffused red.

Tubers, \$5.00. Plants, 3.50

Lady Babbie. Hybrid Cactus. Soft toning lavender shades of rare beauty. Fine long stems and very free flowering.....Tubers, \$7.50. Plants, 5.00

Merrick. Decorative Hybrid. A glorious shade of light maroon tipped and reverse of petals mahogany shading purple; a combination that has instantly appealed to all who have seen it. Fine stems and a good keeper. Very large and a free bloomer. (This creation scored 92 A. D. S. Southern Trial Grounds.).....Tubers, \$7.50. Plants, 5.00

Mrs. Frederick T. Street. Hybrid Cactus. Purple crimson tipped white, on long upright stems. A gem for cutting and exceedingly attractive.

Tubers, \$5.00. Plants, 3.00

CACTUS AND HYBRIDS

Hybrids are noted by Hyb.

The Hybrid Cactus Dahlias are becoming most popular. Many of our large Dahlias are of this type. They have broader and more massive petals than the true cactus.

Ambassador. (Broomhall) Cactus. This is surely the best cactus so far, and in a class by itself. An enormous full flower on absolutely erect stem, the flower seeming to look right at you. Color soft yellow-buff, edged salmon pink. Judged the best and most artistic dahlia. Insulinde running second.....Tubers, \$10.00. Plants, 6.00

Ballet Girl. English Cactus. Variegated. Orange with white edge, sometimes clear orange, and other variations. Very large.

Tubers, \$2.00. Plants, 1.00

California Beauty. Cactus. A new shade in cactus. Deep copper buff on perfect stems. Very attractive.....Tubers, \$3.50. Plants, 2.50

Colossal Peace. Hybrid Cactus. A massive flower of the Kalif form and size, often measuring 8 in. across; later as the season advances it becomes a lovely peony. Color creamy white at center, shading to an exquisite pink. Blooms early; excellent stems 1.50

Gladys Sherwood. Hybrid Cactus. An immense pure white blossom deep and full; held very erect on splendid stems. A most popular white.

Tubers, \$2.00. Plants, 1.00

La Favorita. Hybrid Cactus. A prize winner. A beautiful deep orange shade, each bloom carried on a strong stem, perfect form showing a full center even late in the season..... 1.50

Lolita Velasco. American Cactus. Ivory white. very large, on perfect stems.

Tubers, \$5.00. Plants, 3.00

Mariposa. H. C. (Boston.) A delightful shade of orchid-pink which is intensified by a deeper center. A faint violet suffusion adds to the effect. Long, stiff stems.....Tubers, \$5.00. Plants, 3.00

Mrs. Aaron Ward. Cactus. An exquisite cactus of soft yellow delicately tinted amber pink. Perfect form and splendid upright stems. Semi-dwarf .50

Mrs. Edna Spencer. Hybrid Cactus. A flower of a delicate and exquisite shade of orchid pink. Very beautiful and of good formation and stems. Received certificate of merit..... 1.00

Mrs. Ethel T. Smith. Hybrid Cactus. Creamy white shading to lemon tint in the center. A giant flower 10½ in. without disbudding and a very profuse bloomer on long strong stems held well above the foliageTubers, 2.00

Mrs. Harry Fee. American Cactus. A bright cheerful pink with straight stems. The blooms appear in sprays unless severely disbudded..... 1.00

Mrs. J. H. Howard. Cactus. A lovely rose pink with a suggestion of white. Large and full to center. One of the very best..... 1.00

Mrs. Richard Lohrmann. Hybrid Cactus. A pure golden yellow. Attracting a great deal of praise on account of its glorious color. Fine grower.... 1.50

Mrs. W. E. Estes. Hybrid Cactus. An incomparable white novelty of marvelous beauty and size. Long stiff stems. Free flowering..... 1.50

Proxie. Hybrid Cactus. A large velvety red hybrid cactus. Splendid habit. Free bloomer; long stiff stems 2.00

Red Cross. Hybrid Cactus. A large hybrid of scarlet and gold. Fine stems. Won several highest awards. Attracts attention wherever exhibited. 1.50

Ruth Gleadell. Hybrid Cactus. A fine hybrid of sunburst shades; soft yellow shading to pink on the outer petals. Good stem, large size; excellent formation; fine bloomer..... .50

Sunkiss. Hybrid Cactus. One of the best hybrids we have seen. Perfect in type. An exceptional free bloomer on fine stems and with a little dis-budding a very large flower. Fine yellow in center and bordered light fawn buff.
Tubers, \$2.50. Plants, 1.00

The Eagle. Hybrid Cactus. A large sulphur yellow, a very free bloomer on long stems. Florets slightly reflex 1.00

Violetta. Hybrid Cactus. Large flowers of petunia violet, borne very freely on upright stems. A splendid acquisition.....Tubers, \$7.50. Plants, 5.00

AMUN RA
(DECORATIVE)

DECORATIVE

*Large double flowers, full to the center, with broad, flat, somewhat loosely arranged
flora rays with broad points or rounded tips.*

Alec Waldie. Decorative. Creamy ground overlaid delicate pink. Large and full.

Tubers, \$4.00. Plants, 2.00

Amun Ra. (The Sun God.) Winning first prize for the fourth consecutive year on the Pacific Coast. This giant copper orange gold tinted creation of Mrs. Jessie Seal stands out as a new form of Decorative of very superior merit and should be in every garden.....Tubers, \$5.00. Plants, 3.00

Azalea. Decorative. An immense flower of soft creamy yellow, outer petals tinged pink. Fine strong stems. Popular..... 1.00

Baba Bott. Decorative Hybrid. A delicate pink of fine form. A mass of bloom all season. A real good garden Dahlia.....Tubers, \$2.00. Plants, 1.00

Ben Wilson. Decorative. Color rich velvety red, each petal having just a tip of yellow; the amount of yellow varying according to conditions. Plants are good growers and bloom profusely.

Tubers, \$2.00. Plants, 1.00

Bonnie Brae. Decorative. Cream shading to soft pink. Fine form and large..... 1.50

Boston White. Decorative. A new decorative almost an exact duplicate of Marean's famous \$50.00 Polar Snow; only it has a much better stem. A big deep free flowering white.....Plants only, 3.00

California Superba. Decorative. Orchid pink flower of great size and rare beauty. Stiff stem and free bloomer.....Tubers, \$5.00. Plants, 3.00

Cambria. English Decorative. Rich pink toning to white center; massive full flower with broad petals; long rigid stems, free flowering. One of the best.....Tubers, \$3.00. Plants, 2.00

Carmenita. Decorative. A most graceful and beautiful Decorative. The yellow blossom is regularly striped red. The plant is a dwarf grower, but forms a fine compact bush which is a mass of flowers all season..... 1.50

Carolyn Wintjen. Decorative. Beautiful shade of salmon-pink with rose shadings. Good for cutting or the garden..... 1.00

Catherine Wilcox. (Marean) Decorative. A very refined flower. White tipped cerise, strong grower and free bloomer..... 2.50

Challenge. Decorative. A very distinctive flower of fine habit. Base of petals yellow, heavily marked outward toward the tips, deep garnet crimson. Fine for cutting..... 1.00

Charm. (Marean) Decorative. Very pleasing shade of burnt orange. Fine strong stems. Good bloomer 2.50

Clara Finger. Decorative. Giant Decorative of a beautiful butter yellow edged pinkish buff. Strong grower and is very free blooming. Late in season blooms come Peony Decorative. It is one of the best and most admired. Wonderful for exhibitions. Received Certificate A. D. S. of Merit, 1921..... 3.50

Dream. Decorative. Is well worthy of its name. A most conspicuous salmon shade with amber-like glow. A flower of supreme beauty and perfect form. Long, strong stems. Very free bloomer... .50

Dakota. (Marean) Decorative. Large flowers held aloft on strong stems. Color is shades of flame. Fine for exhibition or the garden..... 2.00

Dorothy Robbins. Decorative. Large flowers of a real autumn shade. Buff, carrot red center. Clean grower. Certificate A. D. S. 1921..... 2.00

Dr. Tevis. Decorative. Fine flower of immense size borne on splendid long stem. Coloring is unique, being darker than Geo. Walters; a blending of yellow, apricot, rose and rich red. Free bloomer. A prize winner. A novelty and star of first magnitude, flowers 9 to 11 in. in diameter, erect on long vigorous stem. Color a beautiful shade of salmon rose, suffused old gold shading to apricot. Always a prize winner..... 1.00

Earle Williams. Decorative. Named after the movie star. A giant flowering dahlia of a brilliant crimson and white, evenly distributed. Plants are very free blooming. One of the finest and most attractive Dahlias ever introduced..... 2.50

Everitt Wright. Giant Decorative of a color hard to describe. In report of the A. D. S. trials it is described as follows: Light ochraceous salmon, mottled with spectrum red; stocky, clean growing variety; immense flowers on long stems. Certificate of Merit 1920..... 2.00

Florence Finger. Decorative. Immense deep flower of lavender pink on straight stems. Certificate A. D. S..... 2.00

Frau G. Schiff. Decorative. A beautiful blending of apricot, orange and yellow with reverse of petals coral red. Early and continuous bloomer. Plants are of good habit. Very popular..... 1.50

Glory of New Haven. Decorative. A delicate shade of orchid pink of huge size, borne on long, stiff stems 1.50

Insulinde. Decorative. A giant bronzy orange with a salmon tint. Beautiful autumn shade. Flowers always upright on long stems.
Tubers, \$2.00. Plants, 1.00

- Jane Selby.** Decorative. A winner of many prizes. A beautiful flower of a delicate mauve pink of great substance and fine formation. Stem wonderfully long and stiff. Flowers grow well above the foliage 1.00
- John Lewis Childs.** Decorative. Beautiful dahlia of yellow; suffused, splashed with brilliant scarlet and generally tipped white. Large flower. Stiff stem and prolific bloomer..... 2.00
- Jersey's Beauty.** Decorative (Waite). Scored 91 A. D. S. trials. Sensational new real pink, of majestic size, and exceptionally good habits.
Plants only, 10.00
- Jersey's King.** Decorative (Waite). Carmine. A very large flower and a splendid grower. Certificate A. D. S. 1922.....Tubers, \$5.00. Plants, 3.00
- Jersey's Pride.** Hybrid Decorative (Waite). An enormous yellow amber and pink. Flower on very long stems. A lovely combination. Certificate A. D. S. Both East and West.
Tubers, \$5.00. Plants, 3.00
- Jersey's Queen.** Decorative (Waite). Coral pink. Fine form, long stems. Certificate A. D. S. 1922.
Tubers, \$5.00. Plants, 3.00
- J. P. Quimby.** Decorative. Perfect form. Pure white. Large 2.00
- Judge Marean.** Decorative. Very large flower of perfect type. Sort of a riot of colors, composing salmon pink, red, iridescent orange-yellow and pure gold. Good bloomer, strong stems. This season has again demonstrated that this is one of our foremost Dahlias.....Tubers, \$3.50. Plants, 2.00
- Judge Alton Parker.** (Marean.) A very deep and perfectly formed flower of dark fawn color. Good grower and free bloomer...Tubers, \$5.00. Plants, 3.00
- Kitty Dunlap.** Decorative. Delightful shade of American Beauty, petals broad with slight roll. Long stems almost leafless. Good keeper.
Tubers, \$4.00. Plants, 2.50
- Lady Betty.** Decorative. This beautiful dahlia was so named in honor of Judge Marean's wife. It is a large finely formed flower produced on strong, stiff stems and of a most attractive color, Creamy white overlaid rose pink. Prolific bloomer.
Tubers, \$3.50. Plants, 2.00
- Marcella.** Decorative. A favorite with florists. The color is a delightful soft, shell pink, bright and attractive. Blooms perfect and set upright and show to the best advantage. Fine stems. A lovely flower for table decorations..... .50
- Mabel Thatcher.** Decorative (Marean). Large loose petaled flower of chamois color, fine habit.
Tubers, \$5.00. Plants, 3.00
- Meadowvale.** Decorative. Ochre tipped white. Very attractive.....Tubers, \$3.50. Plants, 2.00
- Merry Widow.** Decorative. The base color is yellow suffused the pleasing shade of a dull red. Really a fine combination. Sturdy stems.
Tubers, \$5.00. Plants, 3.00
- Mrs. Carl Salbach.** Decorative. Beautiful lavender pink color. Immense blooms on especially long, stiff stems. Carried away first honors in Dahlia Society of California trial gardens and received an American Dahlia certificate at the trial ground at Storrs, Conn. Everyone should possess this gorgeous flower. We exhibited a large basket of this variety on long stems which was very much admired 1.50
- Mrs. I. de Ver Warner.** Decorative. Without a doubt this is one of the finest Dahlias ever produced. Its impressive size, fine deep orchid color and robust growth makes it one of the stand-out Dahlias.....Tubers, \$5.00. Plants, 3.00
- Mrs. Geo. W. Elkins.** Hybrid Dahlia. This new Dahlia is of exceptional merit. Apricot-pink with gold suffusion. Grand for exhibition or garden. Very large.....Tubers, \$3.50. Plants, 2.00
- Mrs. John T. Scheepers.** Decorative. Center clear canary yellow gradually changing to a delicate shade of pink suffusion on the outer petals. Very large flower, standing well out of the foliage on strong stems.....Tubers, \$5.00. Plants, 3.00
- Mrs. Louise Finger.** Decorative. A Giant Decorative of a pure white color, shading to a faint yellow in center of flower. Ideal long stems..... 2.00
- Osam Shudow.** Decorative. A giant, large petaled flower of fine formation. Old rose, slight shading of lilac. Splendid upright stems..... 2.00
- Patrick O'Mara.** Decorative. The color is an unusually soft and pleasing shade of orange-buff slightly tinged Neyron rose. Good keeping qualities 1.00
- Paul Michael.** (California Gold). Decorative. An enormous perfectly formed decorative of pure glistening gold; flowers carried aloft on long stems. Very free flowering. With scarcely any disbudding can be grown from 9 to 10 inches across.
Tubers, \$3.50. Plants, 2.00
- Pride of the Garden.** Decorative. Fawn tipped white. Early in season. Mostly solid color. Fine grower and bloomer 3.50
- Princess Pat.** Decorative. A magnificent decorative variety of old rose. Flowers very perfectly formed growing well above the foliage on long stiff stems. Won 1st prize for the best 25 blooms at San Francisco in 1921..... 2.00
- President Lincoln.** Decorative. A deep lavender almost blue. Fine form and habit..... 1.00
- Pride of California.** Decorative. Color crimson red, darker full centers. Huge flowers on long strong stems. One of the very best..... 1.00

Queen of the Roses. Decorative. One of the most beautiful shades of pink, a color liked by all florists and much in demand by women. One of the newest Holland creations. Splendid exhibition and garden Dahlia. Fine for table decoration..... 2.00

Quimby's Geisha. Decorative. Large deep full flowers of the Geisha colors. Fine straight upright grower. Free and most dependable. Fine for exhibition table. Received A. D. S. Certificate of Merit 1921..... 2.00

Radin Kartini. Decorative. Salmon shaded with lilac and mauve. Large flower, strong stems. Very free bloomer. Valuable acquisition..... 1.00

Rookwood. Decorative. Bright cerise rose. Immense flowers on perfect stems. Very free.
Tubers, \$5.00. Plants 2.50

Rosa Nel. (Broomhall). One of the very finest Decorative. So perfect in form and of a bright clear cerise color. Held upright on long stems.
Tubers, \$3.00. Plants 2.00

Sampson. Decorative. A striking combination of yellow and red. Plants of perfect habit. Giant flowers. 2.00

Shelikoff. Decorative. Deep garnet. Flower is of great substance both large and deep. Very strong long stems. Highest award A. D. S. 1920. Very fine 1.00

Shudow's Lavender. Decorative. This very large bloom is a silvery lavender slightly shading to white. Stem long and carries the blooms well above the foliage. Plants very tall and robust.
Tubers, \$5.00. Plants 3.00

Snowdrift. This giant white decorative deserves its name; a very full deep built flower with broad flat petals. Very fine..... 2.00

Sulphurea. Decorative. Resembles a large yellow Mum. It might also be classified as a hybrid cactus. One of the first to bloom and flowers constantly throughout the season. Color is a clear sulphur yellow. Very good stems..... 1.00

Sylvia Dickey. Decorative. Large flowers on long stiff stems. Color, phlox pink. Dwarf grower and very free flowering of the habit of Jean Kerr. One of the best pink Dahlias for commercial use, for cutting. Always in bloom from early to late in season 2.00

Theodore Vail. Decorative. A color admired by many. Old gold shading apricot. Fine long stems. Flowers borne well above the foliage..... 1.00

The Emperor. (Marean). Decorative. This fine Dahlia with its enormous size and beautiful color purple (maroon) has caused quite a stir among collectors of the best and is highly recommended. A Jewel.....Tubers, \$5.00. Plants 3.00

The Grizzly. Decorative. A great dark velvety maroon beauty. One of the best and most prolific. Stems 3 to 4 feet long. Extra large flowers. A rare prize winning novelty..... 2.00

The Millionaire. Decorative. Most delicate lavender with a faint pink cast overshadowing. Immense flower, often measuring 10 to 12 inches across, of unusual depth. Holds its own with the very best 1.50

Venus. Decorative. Large creamy white with lavender suffusion. Good strong stems. Fine grower and produces. Very freely..... 2.50

Winfield Slocombe. Decorative. Full, deep decorative of fine autumn shades golden buff shading to darker center. Fine stems.
Tubers, \$3.50. Plants 2.00

Wizard of Oz. Decorative. A mammoth flower of soft salmon pink shading rose. Very free bloomer.....Tubers \$10.00. Plants 5.00

Yellow Chrysanthemum. Decorative. An enormous clear light butter yellow of wonderful form.
Tubers, \$5.00. Plants, 3.00

Ysleta. (Broomhall) Decorative. Of unique color, resembling the Herriot rose in color with its salmon, orange and copper tints. Good bloomer. Upright stems.....Tubers, \$2.00. Plants, 1.00

PEONY OR ART DAHLIAS

One to three rows of long flat or twisted and pointed petals, showing artistic, open yellow centers.

Black Beauty. Peony. A very fine blackish maroon Dahlia. Large flowers on good strong stems. Free bloomer75

Cardinal Mercier. Peony (Stillman). A monstrous open peony of deep salmon pink shaded yellow; a very artistic flower. There is a lustre to this fine Dahlia that makes it most attractive.
Tubers, \$3.50. Plants, 2.00

Charity Slocombe. Peony. The best and largest white peony Dahlias we know of..... 2.00

Edith Wooster. Peony Decorative. A unique and alluring blend of tea-rose, red and yellow. Good grower and free bloomer, very popular..... 2.00

Golden Rose. An attractive shade of yellow suffused rose, each petal having a distinct picatee edge of rose. Good long stems, fine bloomer..... .50

Howitzer. A large fancy Peony of brilliant coloring, yellow and red. Sometimes one or the other predominates. Tall grower, good stem and free flowering 1.50

King Albert. A giant dark violet purple, one of the best purples. Tall plants and long strong stems	.75	Pearl Ruggles. Peony. Carmine-rose suffused pink and white shadings. A great favorite.....	2.00
Lady Alla. Color is bright scarlet. Long, strong stems, carrying flower well above foliage. Large flower and good keeper.....	.50	Peg o' My Heart. Peony. Most lovely creation; color refined and beautiful; old rose with a slight shading of golden yellow. Fine stems and large flowers.....	Tubers, \$3.50. Plants, 2.00
Mrs. Jack Green. Peony. A beautiful shade of rich scarlet. Large flower and full, fine, straight stems	1.00	Perfect Beauty. Peony Decorative. Red and white well distributed. A very attractive flower.	
Mrs. John Bray. Peony. A most distinctive fancy Peony of a white background, speckled striped and splashed with maroon, forming a contrast to its yellow collar. Exceptional habit, flowering early and long. Straight stems.....	1.00		Tubers, \$2.00. Plants, 1.00
Pacific Glow. Peony. An immense flower of soft pink	1.50	Sweetheart's Bouquet. Peony. Large and very free flowering. Straight stems. Soft pink shades.	
			Tubers, \$2.00. Plants, 1.00
		The Billionaire. This is a monster Peony of a beautiful shade of golden orange with pendant stem. Holds its own with the very best.....	1.00
		The U. S. A. Peony Decorative. This new creation from Stillman's is a Dahlia of exceptionally fine formation. Color deep orange buff.....	2.50

U. S. A.

SHOW AND HYBRIDS

The show are the closely quilled ball shaped varieties, full to the center, showing regular arrangement of florets. The Hybrid Show are very large

Clara Seaton. Hybrid Show. The color of this lovely hybrid show is a rich golden bronze with beautifully quilled petals. One of the finest Dahlias of this type..... .50

David Warfield. Show. Beautiful deep cherry red Dahlia of extra good habit producing mammoth flowers upon stiff, wiry stems, well above the foliage; decided acquisition..... .50

Golden Opportunity. Hybrid Show. Rich buttercup yellow shaded burnt orange. Good habits, a sport from Clara Seaton, one of the best hybrid shows50

Ivanhoe. Show. An enormous, perfectly formed flower. Beautiful snowy white, exquisitely edged with pinkish lavender..... .50

King of Shows. Show. A mammoth flower of deep butter yellow. Perfectly quilled..... .75

Mrs. J. Bowman. Show. Color is an exquisite shade of a deep golden yellow. Stems long and exceptionally stiff, carrying the beautiful blooms free of foliage. Fine bloomer..... .50

Mrs. J. P. Smith. Show. Biggest perfect ball show flower. Color a rich red with cherry flush, great bloomer. Long, strong stems..... .50

SUNKISS
(HYBRID CACTUS)

Older Creations That Have Stood the Test of Time

CACTUS DAHLIAS

Atlanta. Cactus. A lovely creamy white cactus of good form and depth on upright stems. Strong grower. Medium height.....	.50	Madonna. Hybrid Cactus. Flowers though bold and large, are not coarse. Semi-curved and twisted petals. A distinct and charming flower of ivory white with full center. Good stems.....	.50
Attraction. Hybrid Cactus. Large flower of delicate orchid pink. Sturdy and upright growth, long stems. First class certificate at Haarlem and Amsterdam	1.00	Marguerite Bouchon. Cactus. A lovely brilliant rose pink with a white center. Perfect form. Wonderful for basket or vase work.....	.75
Bianca. Hybrid Cactus. Rose pink of a true hybrid type, very free flowering. Long stems.....	1.00	Marjorie Castleton. Cactus. A lovely soft pink, with a suggestion of white towards center. Large and perfect form	.35
Conquest. Cactus. Deep, rich crimson. Large, graceful flower, good grower and free flowering. Upright stems	1.00	Mrs. C. H. Breck. Hybrid Cactus. Color straw yellow overlaid with shades of rose pink. Good stems. Fine cut flower.....	.50
Countess of Lonsdale. Hybrid Cactus. Old rose red, slightly shading salmon, flowers freely and blooms finely formed. Desirable for cutting.....	.35	Mrs. F. Grimstead. Cactus. Deep rich crimson, shading purple; petals incurved. Flowers of large exhibition size. Very pointed petals.....	.50
Crystal. Cactus. Incurved cactus, white in the center, changing to deep silvery pink. Profuse flowering	.50	Mrs. H. J. Jones. Cactus. Bright scarlet tipped white, free flowering. Pretty novelty.....	.50
Diana. Hybrid Cactus. Rich crimson with violet reflex. Very large and striking flower. Upright..	1.00	Mrs. Warnaar. Cactus. A Holland variety. A gigantic white flower, suffused delicate pink; petals irregular and incurved. Long, stiff stems. Good habit	1.50
Dorothy Durnbaugh. Cactus. Very large. Salmon pink. Splendid stems.....	1.50	Nibelungenhort. Hybrid Cactus. One of the old favorites. A beautiful shade of old rose with a suggestion of salmon-pink shading apricot. Good stems	.75
Etenard de Lyon. Hybrid Cactus. Distinct in shape. Petals broad, curled and waved, large flower. Color rich purplish violet.....	.75	Patriot. English Cactus. This is a beautiful English cactus with long, narrow, incurved petals. Color a crimson red. A beauty for the garden. Fine type	1.00
F. W. Fellows. Cactus. Is always a prize winner. Beautiful orange terra cotta. Blossoms huge and composed of long narrow straight petals. Fine long strong stems.....	1.00	Pierrot. Cactus. A very striking English cactus of amber, petals tipped with white. Flowers very large	1.00
Gen. Rosalie Jones. Hybrid Cactus. Beautiful hybrid cactus of pure yellow; upright stems. Very free bloomer. Fine habit.....	1.00	Rhenisher Froshinn. Cactus. Very fine flower. White at base, quickly changing to carmine rose. Upright stems. Very popular.....	.75
George Walters. Hybrid. Very large and free bloomer. Deep rose salmon suffused gold toward the center. Very popular.....	1.00	Samaritan. Hybrid Cactus. The best white cactus we know of, as free bloomer as Countess of Lonsdale. Medium size blooms on long stems. Great for bouquets	.50
Golden Eagle. Cactus. Entirely distinct English type. Large flower of pleasing golden buff. Tall.	.50	Sonnengold. Hybrid Cactus. Golden orange. Beautiful Autumn Dahlia, harmonizes beautifully with autumn leaves. A very fine Dahlia.....	.50
Golden Wave. Cactus. Soft golden yellow. Good stems. Flower full, with incurved petals.....	.50	Valient II. Cactus. A fine large cactus of brilliant crimson. Good stem. Form perfectly incurved	1.00
Golden West. Hybrid Cactus. It is one of the best and much in demand. Beautiful orange buff; large and free flowering	.50	Wodan. Hybrid Cactus. Large flowers of a delicate salmon rose color, shading to old gold in center. Free. Fine stems.....	.50
Honesty. Cactus. Pink with white center; excellent garden variety. Long stiff stems, very free..	.50	Yellow King. Hybrid Cactus. It is a wonder! Many people confuse it with a chrysanthemum. Pure yellow shading to lighter, almost white, at tips of petals. Stems long and rigid. Prolific bloomer. Showy	.50
J. B. Riding. Cactus. A blending of yellow shading to orange and tipped with apricot. Large flower, free flowering	.50		
Kalif. Hybrid Cactus. Beautiful scarlet red of majestic size; prolific bloomer borne on long, strong stems, making it an excellent garden or cut flower type. First variety to win highest award of National German Dahlia Society.....	1.00		
Lady Helen. Hybrid Cactus. A striking variety. A deep carmine, rose pink with suffusions of white, growing erect on long stems. Very free.			
Tubers, \$3.00. Plants,	2.00		

PEONY DAHLIAS

Aurore. Peony. Flowers are very large, produced on long stiff stems, well above the foliage. Color a very deep orange, salmon. Splendid for cutting. An Autumn tint	1.00	Mrs. Geo. Gordon. Peony. Giant creamy-white. Good seller. Fine bloomer.....	.50
Avalanche. Peony. Pure white, the best white in its class. Early in the season comes in hybrid cactus form	.75	Mme. Coissard. Peony. Duplex. Very beautiful shade of deep cerise shading to white in center. Whole flower more or less spread with white. Petals broad and flat. Large flowers.....	.75
Fraulein Budde. Peony. A pleasing soft mauve-violet with a lovely golden-yellow center. This is a very attractive Dahlia.....	.50	Mme. Bystein. Peony. Lovely shade of lilac-blue. Large and fine. Free bloomer on good stems....	.50
Geisha. Peony. A brilliant scarlet, and gold with a lovely ring of golden yellow at center. Petals twisted and curled. Very free bloomer.....	1.00	Mrs. Chas. Seybold. Peony. White marked more or less with rose. Odd and pretty, free bloomer..	.25
Hampton Court. Peony. Soft, deep pink, yellow center, extra large flower, and very free blooming.	.50	Meyerbeer. Peony. A beautiful large velvety royal purple. Fine grower; strong stems.....	.75
Laura Barnes. Peony. Immense beautiful orange blooms. A very free bloomer. Very popular....	.50	Oregon Beauty. Peony. A gorgeous brilliant flower. An intense oriental red, with golden sheen. Produces large flowers on long stems, in the greatest profusion. Fine for your garden.....	.35
		R. L. Borden. Peony. Exceptionally large flower, yellow and bronze. One of the best low priced dahlias	.50

AMBASSADOR
(CACTUS)

DECORATIVE

Arthur Lefavour. Decorative. Sulphur yellow; striped and speckled red. Good stems. Medium height.	.50	Hortulanus Fiet. Decorative. One of Holland's best creations, in fact it has become a standard. An immense flower of salmon pink suffused gold. A rare beauty.	1.00
Ayesha. Decorative. Large flower. Soft sulphur yellow. Good form and stems. Exceptionally free.	.50	Jonkeer Boreel. Decorative. A large flower of beautiful buff. Fine formation. Flowers borne well above the foliage on long stiff stems. A beauty for Fall decorations.	1.00
Bessie Boston. Decorative. Splendid stems and lasting qualities when cut. Deep scarlet with clefted petals, resembles a double sunflower.....	.50	King of the Autumn. Decorative. One of the finest of Hornesveld's. Coloring buff yellow with terra cotta suffused through it. Sturdy long stems. Sometimes comes Peony but beautiful in either form. Selected stock.	.75
Berch Von Heemstede. Decorative. Fine yellow with reverse of petals shading to rose. Free flowering. Fine foliage and stems.....	.50	Lucero. Decorative. Bronzy buff with deeper tinted center. Very long stems, exceptionally free flowering. A prize winner wherever shown.	.50
Bloomhoven. Decorative. Beautiful shade of lavender, produces large flowers on long stems.....	.50	Le Grand Manitou. Decorative. White, overlaid blotched and striped reddish purple. Very large.	.50
D. M. Moore. Decorative. Large perfectly formed flowers of a deep velvety maroon, almost black. Nearly everyone buys this one for their collection.	.50	Mrs. C. J. Mills. Decorative. A very fine dark velvety maroon. Much in demand. Fine form and free flowering.	.50
Edna Story. Decorative. White shading delicate pink. Graceful flower and splendid for cutting...	.50	Paul Bonyon. Decorative. Fine form, fringed petals, good strong stems. Color in gold and apricot.	.50
Eveque. Decorative. An elegant bright purplish violet flower. Always held erect on long, strong stems. Most effective.	1.00	Princess Mary. Decorative. Vivid live pink, margined blush. One of the showiest in pink. Carries a mass of flowers on strong upright stems...	.75
Exmouth Glory. Decorative. A gracefully formed Dahlia of lovely coloring; bright yellow and orange shadings, deeply tipped white.....	.50	Purity. Decorative. A lovely white Decorative Dahlia. Free bloomer, fine form.	.50
Great Britain. Decorative. Exquisite soft lavender with a darker center. Flowers large and borne on good stems. One of the best.	.75	Sebastapol. Decorative. Rich bright orange of good substance; flowers borne on long, stiff stems. Free flowering.	.50
Hamburg. Decorative. A new novelty of rare orange shade. Of splendid habit; flowering freely on long stems.	.50	Terra Cotta. Decorative. Large full flower with graceful wavy petals and full to the center. Always a mass of flowers borne on upright long stems. Color is true to its name.	.75
Harvard. Decorative. Bright, clear, deep crimson. Good stems.	1.00		

SHOW AND HYBRIDS

A. D. Livoni. Show. Beautiful shell pink. Perfectly round, ball shaped flowers; each petal being tightly quilled and arranged in exact regularity...	.25	Frank Smith. Show. Dark maroon, tipped pinkish white. An old favorite.....	.35
Delighted. Show. One of the finest and largest show Dalhias in existence. Immense double flowers 6 to 8 inches across and snow white. The center of many of the blooms is elongated in such a way that it suggests the Roosevelt smile..	.50	General Miles. Hybrid Show. Immense flowers of light violet striped and splashed purplish magenta, one of the very best of this type.....	.75
Dreer's White. Show. Large, regular. Perfect pure white flower. Plants very strong and bushy; fine for hedge work.....	.50	Gold Medal. Show. Perfect yellow flower, striped and speckled red. Fine grower and prolific bloomer	.50
Dreer's Yellow. Show. Color rich sulphur yellow; flowers borne on long stiff stems, forms a perfect ball	.50	Mrs. Roosevelt. Show. A beautiful flower of immense size; fine color and form; excellent stems. Delicate silvery rose.....	.50
		Rose. Show. Color an exceptionally deep rose shade. Flowers carried well on long stems. Very popular	.50

Storm King. Show. The most reliable white Dahlia to date. Free flowering..... .25

Vivian. Hybrid Show. Large and beautiful colorings. Center of blossom dark magenta. Inside of petal being much lighter cerise..... .25

W. W. Rawson. Hybrid Show. Color pure white overlaid with amethyst-blue, giving it an appearance of delicate lavender. Flowers often measure 7 to 9 inches. Petals toward center are quilled toward the outer part broad and flat..... .50

POMPOMS

Flowers very small and of the show type on good stems for cutting; they are splendid for bouquets and table decorations. Very free flowering. They are all priced at \$.25 each or \$2.50 a dozen our selection.

Alewine. Pompom. Delicate white tinted lilas... .25

Amber Queen. Pompom. Rich, clear amber shaded apricot..... .25

Ariel. Pompom. Buff tinted orange..... .25

Belle of Springfield. Pompom. Pretty shade of light red. Perfect form and very small..... .25

Bobby. Pompom. Plum color. Very pretty..... .25

Catherine. Pompom. Bright yellow..... .25

Darksome. Pompom. Deep wine-crimson. Fine form, with long, graceful stems..... .25

Darkest of All. Pompom. Best dark pompom, nearly black..... .25

Fashion. Pompom. Orange. Much in demand due to its brilliant coloring..... .25

Girlye. Pompom. Pinkish mauve. Excellent... .25

Gloria. Pompom. This little beauty is a wine-crimson, blotched pinkish-white. Very free..... .25

Graus aus Wein. Pompom. Crushed strawberry. .25

Klein-domitea. Pompom. Clear delicate buff color shading lighter around outside edge..... .25

Lillian. Pompom. Combination of salmon, pink and lavender, the lavender predominating..... .25

Madeline. Pompom. Pale primrose edged with rose purple. Free flowering..... .25

Pure Love. Pompom. Beautiful shade of violet25

Snowdrift. Pompom. One of the daintiest snow white pompoms. Compact in form..... .25

Sunbeam. Pompom. Crimson scarlet. Very fine.

Thorbe. Pompom. Fine yellow, lavender tips, attractive25

Winifred. Pompom. White, tipped lavender, small25

GLADIOLUS

Jumbo Bulbs, 1½ inches and up

We have grown them for years for the cut flower trade and on account of their growing popularity we have added some of the best to this catalogue. They are of the easiest culture and if planted at intervals of two weeks beginning the latter part of April a succession of bloom will be had from July until frost.

Plant 4 inches deep and 6 inches apart. Cultivate and water freely until the buds are well developed and then mulch the ground with litter of grass, old manure, or cornstalks. Protect the stalks from heavy winds by tying to small stakes. Full instructions for growing, storage, etc., with each order.

No order accepted for less than \$1.00.

America. Delicate lavender pink flowers of large size, borne on long spike and well placed; splendid habit.....Each 10c Doz., .50

Anna Eberius (Diener). Dark velvety purple; throat deeper shade; flowers 6 inches in diameter, spikes; fine, long, well-set spike..Each .25 Doz., 2.50

Byron L. Smith (Kundred). Orchid lavender pink. Blooms are large, wide open and exceptionally well placed. Very fine.....Each .50 Doz., 5.00

Capt. Boynton. The King of the lavenders, beautiful shade. Tall, vigorous grower on splendid spike. New and a prize winner..Each, \$1.00 Doz., 10.00

Conspicuous. Light grayish blue. Dark blotch with yellow center. Striking....Each .15 Doz., 1.50

Crimson Glow. (Betcher). Very large, wide open glowing crimson flowers of fine form, well placed on splendid spikes. Vigorous....Each .30 Doz., 3.00

Desdemone. Immense flowers of ashy-rose color striped violet, large dark red blotch edged with ivory-whiteEach .30 Doz., 3.00

E. J. Shaylor. Tall very strong spike. Pure deep rose pink. Very fine.....Each .25 Doz., 2.50

Evelyn Kirtland. Rose pink darker at edges, fading to shell pink throat, brilliant glistening flower on long strong spike.....Each .15 Doz., 1.25

Gladiolus in mixture, our selection \$3, \$5, \$10 & \$12 per 100

TOP ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT—MRS. CARL SALSBACK, THE GRIZZLY
MIDDLE ROW—SEEDLING No. 200, GEISHA, LA FAVORITA
BOTTOM ROW—JANE SELBY, CALIFORNIA GOLD, SULPHUREA

Golden Rod. (New) Golden yellow, medium spike and flower. A graceful and lovely creation.
Each .25 Doz., 2.50

Gretchen Zang. Soft melting shade of pink, blending into scarlet on lower petals. Spike tall and graceful.Each .10 Doz., 1.00

Halley. A very early variety. Large salmon red.Each .10 Doz., .50

Herada. Very large bloom of clear sparkling mauve. A strikingly attractive flower.
Each .15 Doz., 1.25

Jack London. (Diener). Light salmon with brilliant orange stripes; golden yellow throat with ruby striped center; flowers 5 inches in diameter, spikes 5 to 6 feet high.....Each .25 Doz., 2.50

Le Marshal Foch. (P. Van Deursen). A glorified America. A shade lighter in color, larger flower and blooms two weeks earlier. New.
Each .15 Doz., 1.50

Louise. (Wright). New. Well opened orchid like flowers of attractive bluish lavender, with wine colored blotch in throat; tall and stately.
Each .25 Doz., 2.50

Mary Fennel. Light lavender, lower petals primrose yellow pencilled lavender. Tall slender graceful spike.....Each .15 Doz., 1.00

Mary Pickford. Delicate creamy white, sulphur throat. Very fine flower and spike.
Each .20 Doz., 2.00

Muriel. (Velthuys). New. Light blue with darker throat markings, medium height. Good.
Each .20 Doz., 2.00

Miss Maud Fay. (Diener). Clear cattleya pink, a light stripe through the center of each petal; flowers very open, averaging 6 inches in diameter; fine for table display.....Each .50 Doz., 5.00

Mrs. Dr. Norton. (Kundred). New. Delicate pink shading to rose pink at tips of rather pointed petals. Lower petals blotched sulphur yellow, reverse rose. An alluring flower with its soft blending of wonderful tints.....Each .15 Doz., 1.50

Mrs. Francis King. Coppery red. Large flower on tall spike. A very vigorous grower.
Each .10 Doz., .50

Mrs. Frank Pendleton. Delicate salmon pink with carmine red throat. A very showy variety.
Each .15 Doz., 1.00

Mrs. H. E. Bothin. (Diener). Flesh-salmon pink, flame scarlet center, strong 4 to 5 foot spikes; a first class show variety. One of the loveliest color combinations in Gladiola. A glorified Mrs. Frank Pendleton.Each .50 Doz. 5.00

Mr. Mark. (Velthuys). New. A light blue with darker throat, medium height....Each .15 Doz., 1.00

Mrs. Wm. Kent. (Diener). Light fawn to light ashes of roses; old rose in throat; an exquisite blending of color. Flowers 6 inches in diameter. Spike 4 to 5 feet high.....Each .25 Doz., 2.50

Panama. Larger than America and deeper pink. Very beautiful. Vigorous.....Each .10 Doz., 1.00

Peace. Large white with pale violet feathering on interior petals, graceful and chaste.
Each .10 Doz., .75

Pride of Goshen. Large salmon-pink flowers of ruffled type. Very vigorous grower.
Each .10 Doz., 1.00

Prince of Wales. Delicate salmon pink. Large flowers. A sport of Halley and as early.
Each .10 Doz., 1.00

Red Emperor. The finest deep scarlet, enormous flowers on very tall spike.....Each .25 Doz., 2.50

Rose Ash. A smoky rose best described as ashes of Roses. A very tall vigorous grower. An entirely new color. Very fine....Each .50 Doz., 5.00

Schwaben. Canary yellow shading to sulphur yellow throat, brilliant brownish carmine. A very vigorous and healthy grower....Each .10 Doz., .75

Sheila. (Coleman). New. Wonderful rich salmon, large and graceful flowers. Fine.
Each .50 Doz., 5.00

Thos. T. Kent. (Diener). Rose-pink with ruby running through center of each petal; very vigorous in growth, this is one of the largest varieties; flowers 6 inches in diameter, spikes 6 feet high.
Each .25 Doz., 2.50

White Giant. The finest and largest pure white spike, erect and stiff and many flowers open at once.Each .20 Doz., 2.00

Willbrink. (New). Lovely flesh pink with creamy blotch on lower petals. Very beautiful. Early as Halley.Each .10 Doz., 1.00

PRIMULINUS HYBRIDS

*This type is among the earliest to bloom. The upper petals droop, forming a hood.
The colors run primrose yellow to rose. Extremely graceful and fine for decoration.*

Alice Tiplady. (Kundred). Large, coppery bronze and orange flowers. Very popular and a great winner.Each .15 Doz., 1.00

Maiden's Blush. (Grullemeus). New. Large, wide open graceful flowers of delicate shades of pink.
Each .15 Doz., 1.25

Nina. Large cream color edging into rose, light yellow throat.....Each .15 Doz., 1.50

Orange Brilliant. Beautiful large clear orange color.Each .15 Doz., 1.25

Rose Lusante. Large, wide open flowers of delicate rose tints on tall graceful spikes.
Each .15 Doz., 1.50

GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY COLLECTIONS

All labelled and guaranteed true to name.

ALL POSTPAID

Order Collections by Name or Letter.

PATRICIAN COLLECTION

Amun Ra, D.....	\$5.00
California Gold (Paul Michael), D....	3.50
Clara Finger, D.....	3.50
Dakota, D.	2.00
Earle Williams, D.....	2.50
Judge Marean, D.....	3.50
Lady Betty, D.....	3.50
Mrs. I. de Ver Warner, D.....	5.00
U. S. A., P.....	2.50

\$30.00 for \$20.00

SUBURBAN COLLECTION

Carmen Sylvia, D.....	\$1.00
Challenge, D.	1.00
Dream, D.	.50
Jane Selby, D.....	1.00
King of the Autumn, D.....	.75
John Lewis Childs, D.....	2.00
Latona, D.	.50
King Albert, P.....	.75
Sulpherea, P.	1.00
Pride of California, D..	1.00
Diana, H. C.....	1.00
Et. de Lyon, H. C.....	.75
Pierrot, C.	1.00

\$12.25 for \$9.00

BLUE RIBBON COLLECTION

B. Von Heemstede, D.....	\$.50
Doazon, D.	.50

Mrs. T. B. Ackerson, D.....	.50
Marcella, D.	.50
Pres. Lincoln, D.....	1.00
Princess Mary, D.....	.75
Pride of California, D.....	1.00
Laura Barnes, P.....	.50
Mrs. Geo. Gordon, P.....	.50
Oregon Beauty, P.....	.35
Golden Eagle, C.....	.50
J. H. Jackson, C.....	.35
Ruth Gleadell, H. C.....	.50
Sonnengold, H. C.....	.50
Clara Seaton, S.....	.50
Grand Duchess Marie, S.....	.50
Rose, S.	.35
Vivian, S.	.25

\$9.55 for \$7.00

NOVICE COLLECTION

Ayesha, D.	\$.50
D. M. Moore, D.....	.50
Dream, D.	.50
Lucero, D.	.50
Mt. Hood, D.....	.50
Hampton Court, P.....	.50
Lady Alla, P.....	.50
Atlanta, C.	.50
Golden Gate, H. C.....	.50
Wodan, H. C.....	.50
Clara Seaton, S.....	.50
Vivian, S.	.25

\$5.75 for \$4.00

SPECIAL GIFT AND MONEY SAVING COLLECTIONS

POSTPAID

All labelled and guaranteed true to name.

COLLECTION "A"

Decorative Dahlias, Catalogue Value	\$10.00 for \$5.00
-------------------------------------	--------------------

COLLECTION "B"

Decorative Dahlias, Catalogue Value	\$5.00 for \$2.50
-------------------------------------	-------------------

COLLECTION "C"

Decorative Dahlias, Catalogue Value	\$3.00 for \$1.50
-------------------------------------	-------------------

COLLECTION "D"

Peony Dahlias, Catalogue Value	\$10.00 for \$5.00
--------------------------------	--------------------

COLLECTION "E"

Peony Dahlias, Catalogue Value	\$5.00 for \$2.50
--------------------------------	-------------------

COLLECTION "F"

Peony Dahlias, Catalogue Value	\$3.00 for \$1.50
--------------------------------	-------------------

COLLECTION "G"

Cactus Dahlias, Catalogue Value	\$10.00 for \$5.00
---------------------------------	--------------------

COLLECTION "H"

Cactus Dahlias, Catalogue Value	\$5.00 for \$2.50
---------------------------------	-------------------

COLLECTION "I"

Cactus Dahlias, Catalogue Value	\$3.00 for \$1.50
---------------------------------	-------------------

COLLECTION "J"

Mixed, all types included, Value	\$10.00 for \$5.00
----------------------------------	--------------------

COLLECTION "K"

Mixed, all types included, Value	\$5.00 for \$2.50
----------------------------------	-------------------

COLLECTION "L"

Mixed, all types included, Value	\$3.00 for \$1.50
----------------------------------	-------------------

INTRODUCTION COLLECTION—POSTPAID

12 Mixed, all colors and types, all different, no labels.	Value \$5.00 for \$2.00
---	-------------------------

A MOTOR TRIP TO THESE SHOW GARDENS
"PERHAPS THE MOST BEAUTIFUL IN AMERICA"
WILL BE WELL WORTH WHILE