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Price list
Bolles Bonanza Banana Plantation

Growers and Shippers of
Bananas and Banana Plants
OLDSMAR, FLORIDA

To Our Customers:

We have built up our business to its present large size by growing improved banana plants, strong, healthy, vigorous, propagated in a scientific manner especially designed for big fruit-bearing success. Our superior quality plants produce wonderful results. Repeated orders from our old customers prove this.

The favorite varieties of bananas to grow commercially are the Improved Cavendish, the Hart (sometimes called Hart's Choice), Ladyfinger, and Orinoco (sometimes called Water Plantain and Horse banana). They are good fruit-bearers suited to Florida. Many people plant all of these kinds, as we do.

OUR IMPROVED CAVENDISH will produce bunches weighing as high as 50 to 140 pounds, with large fingers which will color to a rich banana color. They have a delicious flavor and are good shippers.

Our prices are for select stock, to produce fruit in from eight to twelve months when handled as directed in the circular, "Commercial Banana Growing." We will back our Improved Cavendish against any other money-making banana in the world, bar none.

IMPROVED CAVENDISH, two for \$1.80 postpaid in Florida. More than two go by express, with express charges collect. 10 for \$7.50. 20 for \$14.50. 50 for \$34. 100 for \$67. Special large size, 100 for \$75.

HART, LADYFINGER, ORINOCO, two for \$1, postpaid in Florida. More than two go by express, with express charges collect. 10 for \$4.50. 20 for \$8.50. 50 for \$20. 100 for \$37. Special large size, 100 for \$46.

TERMS: Cash with order. Always send money by check or postoffice money order. Express charges collect. These prices are for orders sent immediately. We will receive and book orders at these prices for future delivery if one-fourth cash accompanies the order, balance to be paid when delivery is wanted. Prices are likely to go higher soon on account of the increasing demand for our high-class plants. For each parcel post order to be shipped outside Florida, please add fifty cents to the above postpaid prices.

We offer a limited number of Musa Ensete (Giant Abyssinian banana) seeds. \$1 per dozen postpaid. They are difficult to propagate. The other varieties of bananas do not grow from seeds.

NOW IS A VERY GOOD TIME TO SET OUT BANANA PLANTS. Bananas can make more money per acre, with less trouble from bugs, diseases or birds, and less work, than any other fruits. We are getting ready to plant a large additional acreage of bananas near the suburbs of Tampa. You can see what we think of the business. Your order will receive our immediate attention with freshly-dug vigorous plants properly packed.

Yours very truly,

BOLLES BONANZA BANANA PLANTATION,

Oldsmar, Fla.

Oldsmar is 15 miles west of Tampa.

Turn south at West End of the Memorial Highway (asphalt road).