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PEONIES
DAHLIAS
GLADIOLI
CANNAS

NINE FIRSTS AND TWO SECOND PRIZES OUT OF ELEVEN CLASSES OF DAHLIAS SHOWN THIS YEAR

Terms.—Cash with order.
PEONIES

Plant peonies in the Fall and never in the Spring, if good results are wanted. The roots you buy in the Spring were dug the preceding Autumn and carried in cold storage all winter.

The list herewith includes the twelve best Peonies as rated by the American Peony Society. The ratings given before the name are those of the above-named society, 10 being perfect. All the varieties listed are the best to be obtained no matter how reasonable the price may be. Good, strong 3 to 5-eyed roots.

Each

8.5 Adolphe Rousseau. Purple garnet. Early .......... $1.50
8.1 Asa Gray. Pale lilac. Midseason .............. 1.50
8.7 Avalanche. Creamy white flecked crimson. Mid-
season ........................................ 1.00
9.0 Baroness Schroeder. Flesh white. Midseason.. 1.50
7.1 Delachèi. Violet crimson. Late midseason ....... .75
7.6 Delicatissima. Pale lilac rose. Midseason ...... .50
8.1 Duchess de Nemours. Pure white. Early ....... .75
7.6 Edulis Superba. Dark pink. Early ............ .50
9.2 Elizabeth Barrett Browning. Pink to white. Late. 7.50
8.7 Elwood Pleas. Delicate pink. Midseason ....... 7.50
8.4 Felix Crousse. Bright red. Midseason ......... 7.50
9.3 Festiva Maxima. White with crimson markings,
Early ........................................... .50
9.1 Frances Willard. Creamy white. Late midseason. 5.00
8.2 Grover Cleveland. Deep glowing crimson. Late. 2.00
8.9 Jubilee. Large delicate pink. Midseason ....... 6.00
8.8 Karl Rosenfeld. Dark crimson. Midseason ....... 2.00
9.8 Kelway's Glorious. Rose on creamy white. Late.30.00
9.1 Lady Alexandra Duff. Light rose ............... 5.00
9.2 La Fee. Mauve rose. Early ..................... 15.00
9.9 Le Cygne. Milk white ................................ 15.00
9.0 Longfellow. Very brilliant red ................... 6.00
8.1 Madam Calot. Hydrangea pink. Early ........... 1.00
7.9 Madam de Verneville. Pure white. Early ....... .75
9.4 Madam Jules Dessert. White buff. Late mid-
season ........................................... 6.00
9.2 Philippe Rivoire. Very dark crimson. Early .... 22.00
6.8 Queen Victoria. Milk white. Midseason ........ .50
8.8 Richard Carvel. Bright crimson. Very early ... 5.00
9.0 Rosa Bonheur. Light rose. Midseason ......... 5.00
9.7 Solange. Lilac white. Late ...................... 6.00
9.8 Therese. Violet rose. Midseason. One of the
finest ........................................... 5.00
9.4 Tourangelle. Flesh pink. Midseason to late .. 5.00
8.3 Venus. Hydrangea pink. Midseason ........... 1.50
9.3 Walter Faxon. Bright rose. Midseason ......... 7.00

DAHLIA TUBERS FOR 1926

Abbreviations.—Dec., Decorative; H. C., Hybrid Cactus;
C., Cactus; P., Peony; S., Show, and Pom., Pompon.
Ten per cent discount allowed on all orders accompa-
nied by cash received before February first.

The figures placed before the names are the averaged
ratings compiled by Prof. J. B. S. Norton from ratings
submitted by the foremost authorities and growers in the
United States.

One dozen at ten times the price of one. Three of a
kind at a dozen rate.

Each

90 Ambassador. H. C. Soft yellow buff ............. $3.50
American Beauty, Dec. American beauty rose ... .50
84 Amun Ra. Dec. Burnt orange with golden amber. 2.00
Argyle, Dec. Rich apricot with carmine .......... 1.00
84 Attraction, H. C. Lilac rose. Good keeper ...... .75
Augusta Nonin, Dec. Fiery red on good stems .... .35
Aurora B., Dec. Royal purple and white ........ 1.00
89 Ballet Girl, C. Orange and white .............. 1.00
Baltimore, Dec. Yellow. Fine keeper when cut ... .50
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<td>Ben Wilson, Dec. Red with gold tips</td>
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<td>Bianca, H. C. Rose lilac on good stems</td>
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<td>Black Jack, Dec. Maroon, One of the darkest</td>
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<td>California Beauty, C. Pure copper. Good keeper.</td>
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<td>California Superba, Dec. Light pink</td>
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<td>Champagne, Dec. Dull golden champagne. Large.</td>
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<td>Countess of Lonsdale, C. Salmon and pink</td>
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<td>Crimson Queen, Pom. Deep crimson shaded purple</td>
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<td>Cuban Giant, S. Large flower of dark red</td>
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<td>Daddy Butler, H. C. American beauty rose. Best keeper.</td>
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<td>Deadlock, Dec. One of the best whites. Cf. of Merit.</td>
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<td>Delice, Dec. Brightest pink in existence.</td>
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<td>Dorothy Robbins, Dec. Autumn shades. Fine cut flower.</td>
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<td>Dr. Tevis, Dec. Salmon rose and old gold. A winner.</td>
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<td>Dream, Dec. Amber rose on long stems</td>
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<td>Earle Williams, Dec. Crimson and white...</td>
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<td>Ebenezer, Dec. Bright velvety maroon. Large. Cf. of Merit.</td>
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<td>El Grenada, H. C. Orange and yellow. Wonderful</td>
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<td>El Dorado, Dec. Deep bloom of vivid gold</td>
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<td>Eliza Clarke Bull, Dec. Best new white.</td>
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<td>Empire, C. Raspberry red. Good keeper.</td>
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<td>Esther Hunt, H. C. Oriental orange. Fine cut.</td>
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<td>George Walters, H. C. Immense salmon pink to yellow.</td>
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<td>Gladys Sherwood, H. C. White. One of the largest.</td>
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<td>Golden West, Dec. Yellow on good stems. Good cut</td>
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<td>Halvella, Dec. Rose pink. Very fine</td>
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<td>Helen Durnbaugh, H. C. Soft white to glowing pink.</td>
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<td>Insulinde, Dec. Large orange buff. Many awards.</td>
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<td>Islam Patrol, Dec. Scarlet and yellow. Many prizes.</td>
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<td>Jane Selby, Dec. Delicate mauve pink. Good cut</td>
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<td>J. M. Goodrich, Dec. Salmon pink, tipped yellow</td>
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<td>Judge Marean, Dec. Salmon pink, red, yellow and gold.</td>
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86 J. W. Davies, Dec. Deep velvety cerise. Fine cut. $2.00
85 Kalif, H. C. Large pure scarlet. Splendid, all purposes. .75
87 King Albert, Dec. Peo. Purple. Very fine. .75
89 Kitty Du lap, Dec. American beauty rose. Good stems. 2.50
87 Kiwanis, H. C. Pale green yellow. Ctf. Merit, A.D.S. 1.50
82 La Favorite, H. C. Brilliant orange. Good cut. .75
91 Little May, Pom. Bright lemon yellow. Attractive Logan's White, Dec. Large snow-white blooms. 2.00
80 Lolita Velasco, H. C. A fine white cactus. Good keeper. 3.00
Mabel B. Taft, Dec. Yellow and apricot. Fine cut. .75
Mabel Thatcher, Dec. Pale yellow. 5.00
90 MacGregor, H. C. Nopal red to carmine. Wonderful. 4.00
80 Madonna, Dec. Wavy petals of glistening white. .50
Marcella Gill, Dec. Clear soft pink. Fine cut flower. .75
83 Marguerite Bouchon, C. Clear pink shading to white. .50
90 Mariposa, Dec. Bright, yet delicate pink. Good stems. .50
83 Mary C. Burns, Dec. Old gold with reverse red. Good stem. 1.00
86 Maude Adams, S. White shaded lavender. Always in bloom. .50
83 Mephistopheles, Dec. Vivid scarlet on strong stems. 2.50
90 Merritt, Dec. Yellow. Ctf. Merit, A. D. S. 4.00
85 Mr. Crowley, Dec. Salmon pink on cream. Fine. 2.00
83 Mr. H. C. Dresselinuys, Dec. Pink. A fine commercial cut. .75
86 Mrs. Carl Salbach, Dec. Mallow pink. Many prizes. .75
81 Mrs. Edna Spencer, H. C. Lavender pink. Fine cut flower. .75
84 Mrs. E. F. T. Smith, H. C. Creamy white on good stems. 1.00
91 Mrs. L. D. V. Warner, Dec. Rosy mauve. One of best. 2.00
86 Mrs. Jessie Seal, Dec. Orange Old gold. Many shades. 1.00
86 Mrs. J. H. Dick, Dec. Citron yellow to salmon pink. .75
87 Mrs. John T. Sheepers, Dec. Yellow and pink. .3.50
Mrs. Leo Niessen, H. C. Yellow to red. Good cut. .75
88 Mrs. Richard Lohman, H. C. Golden yellow. Many prizes. 1.50
Mrs. R. R. Strange, Dec. Burnished copper with gold. 1.00
80 Mrs. War nag, H. C. Paint brush. Award of Merit, Holland. .75
85 Mrs. W. E. Estes, H. C. Snowy white with silvery sheen. 1.00
86 Myra Valentine, Dec. Golden bronze. Two silver cups. 5.00
82 Norton, Dec. Flesh pink to old rose. 1.00
85 Patapsco, H. C. Silvery mauve rose. Free bloomer. 1.50
86 Patrick O'Mara, Dec. Peo. Rose with golden cut flowers. 1.25
87 Paul Michael, Dec. Deep orange buff shading to old rose. 1.50
84 Perle de Lyon, H. C. A pure white with fringed petals. .35
Pink Perfection, P. Beautiful shade of salmon pink. .75
### GLADIOLI

The following list of GLADIOLI comprise the majority of good varieties that are medium priced and many of the better new ones.

The figures given before the names are the ratings given by the American Gladiolus Society, 100 being perfect.

Three of a kind at a dozen rate, 25 at the rate of 100.

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87.0 Albania, White. Best white...
86.8 Alice Tiplady. Bright orange...
80.3 America. Fine florist’s pink...
87.9 Anna Eberius. Dark velvety...

80.3 America. Fine florist’s pink...
87.9 Anna Eberius. Dark velvety purple...
80.3 America. Fine florist’s pink...

Each | Dozen | Hundred
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78.9 Baron J. Hulot. Dark violet blue $0.10 | 1.00 | 6.00
82.2 Byron L. Smith. Lavender pink on white | .20 | 2.00 | 12.00
86.2 Carmen Sylva. White | .20 | 2.00 | 12.00
87.1 Crimson Glow. Brilliant crimson | .20 | 2.00 | 12.00
Duchesse of Yorke. Best violet blue | .30 | 3.00 | 18.00
88.4 E. J. Shaylor. Ruffled rose pink | .15 | 1.50 | 9.00
Electric. Blue streaked | .20 | 2.00 | 12.00
84.4 Elora. White flushed pink | .20 | 2.00 | 12.00
88.2 Evelyn Kirkland. Rich rosy pink | .10 | 1.00 | 6.00
85.1 Flora. Clear canary yellow | .12 | 1.20 | 7.00
80.1 Glory of Kennermerland. Variegated | .08 | .80 | 5.00
90.1 Golden Measure. Finest yellow | .20 | 2.00 | 12.00
81.7 Halley. Early salmon pink | .08 | .80 | 5.00
86.7 Herada. Deep lilac mauve | .12 | 1.20 | 7.00
Kunderdi Glory. Creamy white. Ruffled | .10 | 1.00 | 6.00
85.5 Le Marshal Foch. Very fine pink | .12 | 1.20 | 7.00
Lena Gratz. Fine florist’s white | .10 | 1.00 | 6.00
80.2 Lily White. White | .10 | 1.00 | 6.00
85.1 Louise. Clear pure lavender | .20 | 2.00 | 12.00
Los Angeles. Salmon pink. The cut and come again variety. New | 1.00 | 10.00 | 
87.1 Mary Pickford. Delicate creamy white | .15 | 1.50 | 9.00
78.0 Mr. Mark. Harding blue | .15 | 1.50 | 9.00
89.1 Mrs. Dr. Norton. Creamy white and pink | .12 | 1.20 | 7.00
83.3 Mrs. Francis King. Vermillion scarlet | .10 | 1.20 | 6.00
87.6 Mrs. Frank R. Pendleton. Rose and crimson | .08 | .80 | 5.00
83.3 Myrtle. Wonderful ruffled pink | .10 | 1.00 | 6.00
80.5 Niagara. Cream and canary yellow | .10 | 1.00 | 6.00
82.3 Orange Glory. Kunderd’s ruffled orange | .15 | 1.50 | 9.00
80.9 Panama. Early rosy pink | .08 | .80 | 5.00
84.8 Peace. Best late white | .08 | .80 | 5.00
86.9 Pink Wonder. Fine rose pink | .20 | 2.00 | 12.00
82.9 Prince of Wales. Delightful salmon shade | .08 | .80 | 5.00
90.3 Purple Glory. Ruffled reddish purple | .40 | 4.00 | 
Rev. Ewbank. Fine blue | .15 | 1.50 | 9.00
84.8 Rose Ash. Ashes of roses. Fine | .35 | 3.50 | 
84.7 1910 Rose. Pure rose pink | .10 | 1.00 | 6.00
81.9 Schwaben. Yellow with crimson | .08 | .80 | 5.00
87.1 Souvenir. Canary yellow prim | .15 | 1.50 | 9.00
82.3 White Glory. Kunderd’s ruffled white | .20 | 2.00 | 12.00
78.4 Wilbrink. Early pale vivid pink | .08 | .80 | 5.00
Yellow Treasure. Rich yellow prim | .25 | 2.50 | 15.00
Florists’ Mixture of good quality | 
CANNAS

Five of the best cannas grown:

King Humbert. 4-ft. Scarlet flowers with bronze foliage $0.25 $2.50
Mrs. Alfred Conard. 4-ft. Best pink with green foliage .25 2.50
Mrs. Pierre Dupont. 4-ft. Wonderful new vivid pink 5.00 
The President. Flaming scarlet with green foliage .25 2.50
Yellow King Humbert. 4-ft. Yellow and red with green foliage .25 2.50