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ELMWOOD TERRACE

Gladiolus Offerings for 1929

Margaret Breard Hawks
BENNINGTON, VERMONT

There Are No Better Bulbs Than Elmwood Terrace Offers--At Prices Much Lower Than This Champion Stock Deserves

L'IMMACULEE (French—midseason) An old reliable pure white extra tall and slender. Eight to ten blooms out at once. Beautiful shaped flower. Perfect placement. For floral work and artistic effect it is a gem. 10c each.

LONGFELLOW (Dec.—now—early) This is the exquisite La France pink glad that has so completely stormed the hearts of the gladiolus world, so that growers cannot meet the demand for it, but are sold out sometimes even before their catalogues are issued. Extra tall willowy stems with bloom perfectly placed is a sight to stir the admiration of all. An aristocrat in every detail. 30c each.

LOS ANGELES (Hondyshel) The famous "cut-and-come-again" glad. Not all bulbs will throw up additional stems from the stump after the first bloom is cut but many will especially if well grown and fertilized and not cut too low the first time. The color is a beautiful shrimp pink. Tall grower—many out at once—a beauty. 10c each.

LOUISE (Wright—late midseason) A very fine extra large rosy lavender with wide open flowers with dark wine pencilling on lower petals. Very rich coloring and a strong grower and multiplier. 10c each.

LOYALTY (Austin—new—midseason) One of the finest yellows in existence and one of the deepest pure self colors. Extra fine substance and heavily ruffled. Well placed on tall stems and many open at once. Undoubtedly will be among the foremost when better known. Everyone who has seen it predicts a great future for this lovely variety. Rapid propagator. \$2.00 each.

LOVELINESS This is another old variety so fine and so beautiful it deserves a place on the best lists. A rich creamy color with faint undertone of apricot which enlivens and enhances the beauty. Large flowers. Fine tall stem. 10c each.

LUCIUS (Fischer—new—midseason) A most beautiful brilliant golden orange color. One of the top notches in this unusual color. A most appealing brilliant flower. 50c each.

MAD. MONNET-SULLY (French—early) Exquisite large round cream white blooms with red blotches on lower petals. One of the finest French varieties. A true aristocrat. 30c each.

MAD. NORENA (Dec.—new—early) Very light flesh pink almost white splashed with deeper pink at the edges. Throat very rich clear barium yellow, the two colors blending harmoniously. Wide open flowers of good substance and beautifully ruffled edges. Many open and perfectly arranged. One of the finest of recent introductions. A strong grower and good multiplier. \$2.00 each.

MAD. VAN KONYENBURG (Pfitzer—new midseason to late) One of the finest of the sensational new blues on the shade of the old Baden. Most distinct porcelain blue slightly feathered darker in the throat. It is a strong grower and one of the finest among all once. Perfect form and good multiplier. Great prize winner. \$1.75 each.

MAGIC (K.—66-90) Tall fine lavender blue with large rich dark violet purple throat blotches. Blooms not large but many open and perfect placement. Fine in floral decorations. 10c each.

MARIETTA (Metzner—early midseason) Tall salmon with deeper blotches. Very large flowers. Color clear and attractive. Popular in the exhibition class calling for pink with blotches. 20c each.

MARIE KUNDERO (K.—66-96) Purest white with an almost invisible line of soft pink in the throat. Beautifully ruffled and perfectly shaped bloom. Many open at once correctly placed. Stems graceful and slender. A most ideal and lovely creation. 15c each.

MARMORA (Errey—new) Perhaps the finest smoky glad in existence. Imagine a long spike adorned with six to ten huge flowers of a beautiful smoky lavender with deeper blotches in the throat, all open at once. Attracted crowds at the A. G. S. show at Toledo and brought forth exclamations of admiration. A well grown spike of this exquisite variety will be hard to compete with on the show table. \$2.50 each.

MARNIA (Kemp—91 days) A beautiful live shade of grandiflue orange feathered apricot rose in the throat. Blooms over four inches across and several open at once. Strong grower and good multiplier. Prize winner. 20c each.

MAR. FOCH (K.—85-94) Color flesh salmon pink shaded deeper in the throat and edges of petals. Almost a self color. Texture extra heavy and blooms ruffled. Rated the highest in its color class and winner of hundreds of prizes. Five or six open at once. Perfect placement on quite tall stems. One of the very best. 15c each.

MARY FENNELL (K.—78-90) Deep rosy lilac with creamy primrose throat. Fine large bloom. Several open and perfect habit. 8c each.

MARY FREY (Gelsner Bros.—extra early) The first and only glad to date to win the \$500.00 Trail Round Challenge Trophy of the American Gladiolus Society and winner since of many highest awards. Color beautiful lavender pink with ruby blotch on lower petals. Resembles a cattleya orchid in its beautiful coloring. Flowers of large size perfectly placed on a long straight stem. Six to nine open at once, and of a very lasting quality. Vigorous grower and very prolific. \$5.00 each.

MARY JANE (K.—81 days—new) A beautiful silvery pink with light lavender sheen. Delicate clear throat and many large perfectly placed flowers open at once. Winner of many highest honors on the show table. A most exquisite variety. \$2.00 each.

MARY S. BURKE (Diener—late) Canary yellow overlaid apricot. A long stem with many blooms open at once. Lovely rich sunset yellow. 15c each.

MARY PICKFORD (K.—69-94) An extraordinary flower of delicate creamy white with soft sulphur throat. Stem and calyx also white. Many blooms out at once. Habit perfect. Heavy multiplier. One of the best known of the Kunder varieties. 8c each.

MASTERPIECE (K.—80-89) A magnificently ruffled American Beauty rose color. Very rich and fine. Giant plant and flower. 20c each.

MAURICE FULD (Gage—early) Enormous delicate rose pink with deeper throat markings. This too is a great winner of prizes. Many blooms open at once. Perfect placement. Tall growth. All the show requirements, and very outstanding. 40c each.

MINUET (Coleman—late midseason) The standard bearer in its class and the one by which all other lavenders are judged. A wonderful clear self-colored lavender. Magnificent spike. Many large flowers open at once. A challenge to all comers on the show table. Three years ago sold for \$100.00 each. \$1.50 each.

MISS DES MOINES (Decorah—new) This is the champion seedling of the mid west glad show which won the Slason hundred dollar prize which was later relinquished in order to honor Des Moines by naming this sensational variety for that city. The color is clear lavender, deeper at the edges of petals and fading to almost white in the center. The soft delicate colors blending harmoniously. Eight blooms usually open at once and regularly placed. Stalks tall and always erect. \$25.00 each.

MISS MADISON (Boynton—late midseason) A clear light pink with as fine a sheen as a pink pearl. Large flowers, medium long, graceful stem. Makes a beautiful house decoration on account of its delicacy of tone. 15c each.

MONA LISA (K.—midseason) A pale silvery flesh heavy texture and ruffled. Exquisite finish and perfect habit. 10c each.

MONTEZUMA (Decorah—late midseason) Very dark rich crimson carmine faded black. Maroon throat mottled yellow. Large flowers very fine and showy. One of the best dark varieties. 10c each.

MOTTLED BEAUTY (K.—late) A most unusual flower of large size and extremely heavily ruffled. Color a cream white with enormous throat blotches of odd oriental colorings which are somewhat variable. Like a large speciosum lily. 25c each.

MORNINC GLORY (P. Vos—early midseason) The improved Schwaben. Same clear soft yellow with small scarlet red throat blotch but the spike is graceful and the flowers well spaced, not crowded as in the parent. Prize winner. 15c each.

MR. MARK (Holland—midseason) A good dependable iris bud. Beautiful color and fine sturdy grower and good propagator. Sometimes blooms first season from bulblets. 10c each.

MR. W. H. PHIPPS (Delber—late) The fame of this variety is sung throughout the gladiolus world and in the symposium it was given the highest rating of any variety. A wonderful shade of light salmon pink, flecked with darker shade. Tall straight stems carrying twenty or more enormous blooms open at once. It is a constant astonishment to visitors at the shows. A glorious variety. 25c each.

MRS. ARTHUR MEEKER (K.—83-90) Exceptionally fine deep rich American Beauty rose color. A very beautiful flower of perfect habit. 20c each.

MRS. DR. NORTON (K.—77-96) Finest cream and pink blending together to form one of the loveliest creations ever given to flower lovers. Extra long slender stems arching gracefully beneath their wealth of lovely bloom. Wonderful for floral decorations. 10c each.

MRS. F. C. HORNBERGER (Hornberger—late—new) As pure snow white as Europa, but a much larger flower, stronger grower, and a fine multiplier. Awarded championship cup at Boston for best variety in the show, also first prize for pure white. First prize at Hartford for best spike in the show. A masterpiece among whites. \$1.00 each.

MRS. FRANK PENDLETON (K.—70-97) Bright rose pink flushed on pure white ground. A giant blotch of richest carmine red on lower petals. No finer variety in existence. Everywhere awarded highest honors. 6c each.

MRS. F. C. PETERS (Fischer—late) An extra fine variety of rose lilac, with large crimson blotches bordered white on lower petals, resembling an orchid in colorings. Flowers of large size and many open at once. Perfect habit, strong grower. Classed among the very best. 15c each.

MRS. C. W. MOULTON (K.—73-93) A giant violet red or dark cerise. Many open. Well placed. An occasional bloom comes double. Prize winner. 10c each.

MRS. H. E. BOTHIN (Diener—late) Light geranium pink, heavily ruffled, flower scarlet center. Strong well built spikes. Heavy propagator. A lovely color combination and a fine cut flower. 10c each.

MRS. K. PRESTGARD (Dec.—midseason to late—new) Pure snow white with a hint of markings. Seven or eight immaculate lily-like flowers open at once on tall graceful stems. Has splendid texture and lasting qualities. 25c each.

MRS. LEON DOUGLASS (Diener—midseason) Ground color begonia rose striped with flame and brilliant scarlet. Pale yellow in the lip with specks of ruby. This easily grows six feet tall with thorough cultivation and the flowers are immense. Should be staked. 20c each.

MRS. THOS. RATTRAY (Errey—Australia—new) Imagine fifteen to twenty large flowers of a beautiful rose pink in bloom at one time on a very large spike and you have some idea of this celebrated exhibition variety. \$3.00 each.

MRS. P. W. SISSON (Coleman—new—midseason to late) Wonderful cameo pink with beautiful silvery sheen over the heavy textured large blooms. Won the \$100.00 prize for finest seedling at A. G. S. show New York. A strong grower and good propagator. One of the real glads that will grace any collection. 60c each.

MRS. JOHN R. WALSH (Diener—midseason) Heavily ruffled flesh pink with dark ruby throat. Flowers very large and a good number open at once. 20c each.

MRS. WATT (Crawford—midseason) A American Beauty color with stem and foliage of a bluish green which harmonizes with the glowing color of the bloom. 6c each.

MRS. W. E. FRYER (K.—late) A very showy semi-ruffled orange scarlet. A fine bedder as it stands up well and is very durable and lasting. 8c each.

MURIEL (Holland—early) Not new, but one of the loveliest of the light blues. Flowers larger and growth stronger than most varieties of its color. Has small dark blotch in the throat. 16c each.

MYRTLE (K.—extra early) This is as sweet and fresh and intriguing as a young debutante. Delicate rose pink melting to a throat of creamy white. Many open on a slender straight spike. A bouquet of sky blue with baby's breath or achillea, or the lovely esky blue Belladonna delphinium and you won't want

to leave the room it is in. 10c each.

NANCY HANKS (Salsbach—early new) A really charming variety of soft yellow and apricot tones. Large flowers. Many open and perfectly placed. Splendid grower and exquisite under artificial light. 30c each.

NATALIE (K.—84 days) Deep salmon orange shading deeper on lower petals with neat short white line extending from throat marking. A beautiful brilliant flower. Very tall and showy. 15c each.

NE PLUS ULTRA (K.—new) Elegantly ruffled flower of most beautiful deep rich cream color with lovely throat marking of fine red and finely penciled base. Fine for every purpose and a very beautiful variety. \$3.00 each.

NORA (Holland—midseason) Very good light blue with small dark throat blotch. A very popular inexpensive variety in this color. 8c each.

NORMA TALMADGE (Dec.—new—midseason) One of the extra good new yellows. Clear sulphur almost self color. Blooms large and many open at once forming a beautiful erect spike. Nearly all buds showing color at one time. Do try it with your blues, lavenders, purples and other dark tones including the oriental colors and you'll have a feast for the eyes. 50c each.

OPADESCENT (Bill—early midseason—rates 97) Tall spikes of large blooms of pale rose lavender. A pure self color with soft throat lines of larker shade. Blooms well placed and of good substance. A good cut flower. Durable and showy. 15c each.

ORCHID LADY (Spencer—new—late midseason) Gigantic blooms of an iridescent delicate orchid shade. First glimpse of it suggested an enormous soap bubble reflecting these tones. It was awarded the silver medal A. C. S. show New York for the finest new seedling in the show. \$1.50 each.

PARAMOUNT (K.—78-95) An exquisite blending of peaches and cream similar to Mrs. Dr. Norton. An exquisite variety. 25c each.

PAULINE KUNDERO (K.—85 days) A pure rose pink of most fresh, delightful tone with throat of finest cream harmoniously blended. Has habit of growth and form of flower of the famous Mrs. Dr. Norton and is one of the most choice of recent years creations. A masterpiece. \$5.00 each.

PEACH ROSE (K.—early) An extra choice and distinct deep rose pink of remarkable color and appearance. Throat marked with beautiful darker rose colored blotch. A beautiful variety and winner of many high awards. 15c each.

PEARL OF CALIFORNIA (Kingsley—new—midseason) Enormous blossoms of clear soft La France pink blending to a rosy white throat. The tall graceful spike bears from twenty-six to thirty-two buds with eight to twelve open at once. The size, color and form of the flower are all that could be desired. Introduced at \$100.00 per bulb. \$2.00 each.

PERSIA This variety is very similar to Arabia and is claimed to be identical—see description of that variety. 30c each.

PFEITZERS TRIUMPH (Pfitzer—new—late midseason) A gigantic amaryllis like flower of bright flame scarlet with a cherry blotch in the throat. Excellent habit and form. Spectacular and undoubtedly one of the largest and finest glads ever introduced. Introduced at \$100.00 each. \$1.50 each.

PINK CLOUD (K.—76-93) A large distinct showy, ruffled variety. Color soft rose pink with a very beautiful deeper rose throat. Seven to nine blooms open at once. A great prize winner. 30c each.

PINK LILY (K.—76-92) A magnificently ruffled rose pink. Good healthy grower. Fine cut flower. 15c each.

PINK PERFECTION (Hopman—midseason) A most exquisite, melting shade of true La France pink. Its soft pure self coloring, graceful willowy stems often bending under the weight of bloom, makes it greatly admired and a general favorite. 10c each.

PINK WONDER (Kemp—midseason) This is a flower of enormous size of a shade between America and Panama with yellow shading at base of petals overlaid with rose feathering. Won great acclaim when introduced and has since won a great many prizes. 10c each.

POLLYANNA (Dec.—early—midseason) A daintily ruffled yellow, clear rich golden tone, almost self. Many open at once and always perfectly placed. 10c each.

PRINCE OF INDIA (Early midseason) A most unique blending of dull smoky tones, brownish old reds clouded dark grey, edges of petals bordered very light. One of nature's works of art. Very scarce. 40c each.

PRINCE OF WALES (Holland—extra early) Fine pure golden salmon about the purest, clearest variety in this color. 8c each.

PRIDE OF WANAKER (Chriswell—midseason) Elegant very rich lavender rose. Large blooms on an extra tall graceful spike. Very showy and much admired. 30c each.

PRISCILLA (Dec.—new—midseason to late) Light congo pink with splinel red blotch. Very unusual color combination. Many wide open perfectly placed frilled flowers open at once. Entirely different in appearance from all others. 50c each.

PROPHETESS An old variety but so pretty and always in demand by visitors who see it in bloom. Tall bluish white with large dark red throat blotches. Reliable in every way. 6c each.

PURPLE CHALLENGE (K.—new) Tall stately plant, flowers very large. Distinct and showy. Deep red purple. Surpasses many other fine ones in the same color class. Extra. A rapid multiplier. \$3.00 each.

PURPLE GLORY (K.—75-95) The giant of the Kunderil Glory race. Deepest velvety maroon red with almost black blotches like burned into the petals. Heavy textured. Beautifully shaped and very ruffled. Consistent prize winner. 15c each.

PURPLE QUEEN (K.—73-96) A deep violet purple beauty. Throat darker, medium ruffled. Very choice and a winner of many awards. 60c each.

PYTHIA (K.—midseason) A gigantic rose red with darker shading in throat. Many massive blooms open at once on tall stem. Extremely showy. 15c each.

RED COPPER (K.—78-90) Large flowers, deep salmon rose, heavily faded blue. Lower petals red, white and yellow, lined and penciled blue. All tones softly blended into a harmonious whole. 15c each.

RED EMPEROR (Europe—midseason) A princely flower. Immense pure deep scarlet flowers well placed on a giant stem. 10c each.

RED GLORY (Ellis—Piper—new) This magnificent variety is a sport of Purple Glory with all its glorious richness and aristocratic points. The color a crimson red with deeper shadings is like crushed velvet. Not nearly so dark or purplish as Purple Glory. \$2.00 each.

REMEMBRANCE (K.—midseason) Geranium pink with pomegranate purple blotch. Well ruffled and many open at once making a showy appearance in garden or as a cut flower. 10c each.

REV. EWBANK (Holland—early) A beautiful light porcelain blue giving effect of almost solid color. Stems very slender and sometimes crook in hot weather. Fine for artistic arrangements with creams, yellows, flesh pinks or the dark purples. 15c each.

RICHARD DIENER (Diener—late) Ceranium pink with slight sprinkling of ruby on creamy yellow center. Large flaring blossoms rivaling an orchid in beauty. Many open at once on straight spike of medium height. Delicate and elegant. A heavy multiplier. 15c each.

RITA BECK (Fischer—new—late) Giant clear shell pink with scarlet lines on lower petals. Six to eight blooms open at once on straight graceful stems. Has good substance and is a wonderful exhibition flower. \$2.00 each.

ROBERT J. KUNDERO (K.—73-92) Very large brilliant deep vermilion or orange scarlet. Most wonderful showy self color on a medium stem. Fine garden variety or as a cut flower. 20c each.

ROMANCE (K.—71-95) Many blended colors of orange, salmon rose, red and yellow go to make up this soft oriental toned bloom. Petals edged with wine blue. 10c each.

ROSE 1910 (K.—very early) Pure rose pink of bright shade. Narrow white central lines on lower petals. Many open at once. Fine cut flower. 6c each.

ROSALIND (K.—70-92) Dark aniline red, deeper throat. Exquisitely ruffled, well placed blooms on a graceful stem. Its depth of tone suggests rich velvet. Beautiful. 20c each.

ROSE GLORY (K.—76-94) A large beautifully ruffled pure rose pink, deeper in the throat. Fine. 10c each.

ROSE MULBERRY (Austin—new) Coral pink flushed accretum violet, only suggests a description of the unique coloring of this beautiful variety. Blooms over four inches in diameter and gracefully, though sometimes irregularly placed, gives artistic charm to its arrangement as a cut flower. \$1.00 each.

RUBY (Kirchhoff—midseason) Clear ruby red with dark velvety throat, on extra long willowy stems. Attracts attention at once for its unusual beauty. 20c each.

RUFFLED AMERICA (K.—midseason) A beautifully ruffled form of the old favorite America which is a clear flesh pink. Many blooms open at once and habit of growth fine. 15c each.

RUFFLED COLD (Goodrich—extra early) A fine new ruffled variety with rose pink feather in throat. Six or more correctly placed blooms open on slender stiff stem. A beautiful variety. Fine propagator. 20c each.

RUFFLED SPLENDOR (K.—new) Medium tall vigorous plant. Very large bloom, perfectly placed, and several open at once. Upper petals and ends of lower petals rich, pure, deep salmon rose. Throat blotches extremely showy covering entire breadth of the broad lower petals, pencilled with fine veins of red with dark red central bar. The blotches are more showy than Pendleton. \$3.00 each.

SCARLANO (K.—early midseason) Light, bright orange red fine spike and flower, finely ruffled and a brilliant striking variety. 8c each.

SCARLET PRINCEPS (K.—71-90) Six or more massive princely like blooms open at a time. Throat a little deep. Blooms well placed. Considered among the really great glads. 8c each.

SCARLET WONDER (Croft. Cowee—midseason) Enormous blooms of pure rich scarlet. Strong plant and rapid multiplier. 10c each.

SCHWABEN (Pfitzer—midseason) Pure pale sulphur yellow with tiny dark spots on lower petals. Very strong yellow. 5c each.

SIDNEY PLUMMER (Salsbach—midseason 95) Beautiful soft yellow suffused pink. Rich amber lip, amaranth purple tongue. An exquisite color combination. Large well placed bloom, slightly ruffled. 15c each.

SIR KARL (Decorsh—early—now) Color beautiful clear geranium pink with cream blotch in the throat. A very large brilliant glad on tall stems. Good multiplier and strong grower. Rated in the class of super glads. 50c each.

SMILES (K.—82 days) Large flower of the glory type heavily ruffled. Large round blooms of white overlaid flae rose pink on outer edges. Splendid. 15c each.

SNOW GLORY (K.—80-95) Purest white, heavy texture like wax, and beautifully ruffled. Slight clear iris blue lines in throat almost invisible. Several blooms open at once on tall stems. Winner of many awards. 40c each.

SOVEREIGN (Vaughan—midseason) A seedling of Aaron Hulot but the blooms are larger and the blue somewhat clearer. Several blooms open at once. Stems extra tall and graceful. A beautiful variety in the dark blue class. 30c each.

SULPHUR FRILLS (K.—73-94) Many medium sized flowers of pure soft yellow, beautifully ruffled, open at a time on tall slender stems. Very high class. 25c each.

SULPHUR GLOW (K.—73-90) A lovely sulphur yellow intensely ruffled. Many well expanded blooms open at once. 15c each.

SUNNYMEDE (Fischer—midseason) Rare shade of bright clear orange yellow with small bright red blotch. Not an extra large bloom but compelling on account of its color, and fine for floral use. 20c each.

SWEET BRIER Pure pale silvery pink. A very delicate refined flower. Especially attractive. All good habits. 20c each.

SWEET LAVENDER (Coleman—extra early) A lovely shade of pure lavender with yellow throat on which are placed dark blotches of velvety texture. A strong grower. Heavy multiplier. 10c each.

SWEET ROSE (K.—73-95) Very massive flowers of deep rose pink with extra large beautiful red throat. Plant very tall and vigorous and of perfect habit. A surpassingly fine variety in the rose pink class. Winner of many honors. 40c each.

TARO (K.—75 days) Considered one of Kundero's finest varieties. Large deep American Beauty shade, perfectly placed on a extra tall graceful stem. 15c each.

THISTLE (K.—78-92) Large rose red flower of very open perfect form. Large pansy-like throat markings. Tall stately plant. Fine. 15c each.

TITAN (Errey—new—late) Very large wide open flowers of medium pink with large dark throat blotches. An unusual variety. 50c each.

TITANIC (Dec.—late midseason) A large very wide throat lilac purple flower with white line through the center of the lower petals. Distinct rare color, which to all appearance is a dark solid purple red. 15c each.

THE ORCHID (Sprague—new—late midseason) A glad of the most unique form and placement on stem. Has the general appearance both in form and color of an orchid. Highly prized in every collectors choice varieties. \$1.00 each.

TRUDEL GROTZ (Pfitzer—new—early) A gigantic bloom of rose pink, with deep blotch. Heavy texture, strong grower. Extra fine. 35c each.

TWILIGHT (K.—76-91) Beautifully ruffled large flower of fine creamy buff flushed pink with exquisite throat of yellow and pink. 15c each.

TWIN FIRES (Fischer—early) Pure pink shading to light yellow throat. On the two lower petals rest brilliant diamond shaped spots of fiery red. A charming unusual flower of good size and perfect placement. 35c each.

TYCO ZANG (Austin—midseason) Beautiful bloom of clear salmon pink of enormous size. Many open at once of a fine strong stem. Makes a marvelous display. 20c each.

TYRIAN BEAUTY (K.—85-93) A large flower near "American Beauty" rose color. Excellent in all its habits and qualities. Awarded high honors. 15c each.

ULYSSES (K.—80-91) Large round smoky blue flowers on a rose background shading deeper in the throat. Very attractive odd oriental coloring. Good form and habits make this a dependable and desirable variety. 15c each.

VEILED BRILLIANCE (Austin—new) Bright pink blooms with creamy throat tinted grayish blue, having the appearance of being thinly veiled. Double row of well placed flowers five to six inches in diameter, with as many as ten open at a time. Increases well. Greatly admired by the glad fans. \$1.50 each.

VEILCHENBLAU (Pfitzer—late midseason) Very beautiful purplish blue with light center. Tall thin stems and several open at once. Demand greater than supply ever since its introduction. \$1.00 each.

VIOLET BEAUTY (K.—midseason) Large cerise violet with red throat blotches. A strong grower and multiplier. All good habits and very popular. 10c each.

VIOLET CLORY (K.—70-91) Rich deep self violet, deeper throat. Medium ruffled and heavy texture. A rich color and full flowers. 15c each.

VIRGINIA HALE (K.—83-92) Soft creamy salmon rose, deeper toward border of all petals. Perfect placement. Lovely arrangement and beautiful finish. A true Patrician. 20c each.

WAR (Gross—late) An old variety so well known and admired that if I do not list it, I have numerous inquiries for it, and its price, so I keep it where its devotees can know where to get it. Deep pure blood red. Tall plant. Large flower. 10c each.

WHITE GIANT (Holland—midseason) The pure snow white so lily like in form, visitors get the impression we are growing lilies in the gladiolus field, and they always leave orders for this variety. 15c each.

WHITE GLORY (K.—76-94) A gorgeous pure white of the Glory type with beautiful iris blue throat. As refined as a delicate iris. 15c each.

WHITE WONDER (Kemp—early) Beautiful large white without any throat markings. Wide open and often measuring up to nearly six inches. Tall stems carry many flowers open at once. In hot weather sometimes finishes flesh but never streaks. 10c each.

WILBRINK A sport of Hulley with all the good points of that favorite old variety. The color alone is changed and become a delicate creamy pink. A fine florist variety. 6c each.

WM. C. BADGER (Metzner—midseason—late) Strong grower of enormous salmon pink with deeper throat. Most of the flowers in bloom at once make an extra show. 20c each.

WM. KENT (Diener—late) Rich creamy pink with golden throat. Beautiful in its delicacy of coloring and one of the most perfectly ruffled varieties. 50c each.

YOU'ELL'S FAVORITE (K.—94-92) Large flower and plant. Rosy lavender-pink ruffled. Conspicuous and a great favorite. 10c each.

YELLOW WONDER (K.—70-94) Tall vigorous plant and a rapid multiplier. Flowers large and seven to eight open. Almost buttercup yellow slightly deeper in the throat without markings. Extra fine yellow and distinct. Destined for great popularity when better known. \$1.00 each.

Splendid Opportunities in the Lovely Primulini

AFLAME (Homberger—new) Enormous bloom of Safrano pink, finely veined all over with scarlet red. In the forefront of the finest primulinus Grandiflorus. \$3.00 each.

ALBION (K.—midseason) Salmon-rose pink deeper throat, almost self color. Beautiful medium size blooms on medium tall wiry stems. A long season, durable, continuous bloomer. Wonderful for garden or landscape planting and makes up beautifully in floral work. 6c each.

ALICE TIPLADY (K.—68-92) The most popular prize ever sent out. Large bloom of brilliant orange saffron. 6c each.

ALMA GLUCK (Gage—midseason) Large bright peach red. A most unusual shade especially in the primes. A very choice, much admired variety. 15c each.

ALTAIR (K.—62-90) Extra tall of finest salmon saffron. An exquisite color. Thin wiry stems. 6c each.

ANNIE LAURIE (Brown—new) Exquisite soft pink on straight willowy stems. Large flowers with beautifully waved petals. A darling. 40c each.

ARGO (K.—early) Bright clear pink with white throat. The so-called Primulinus Myrtle. Very tall and flowers large. 7c each.

BOBOLINK (K.—extra early) Orange lined yellow. Irregular placement on thin stems which are not always straight. Makes a fascinating basket of bloom alone, or in conjunction with other flowers such as delphinium. 10c each.

BUDDY WORDEN (Austin—new early) Color similar to the deeper tints of Aaron Ward rose. A delicate orange lined pink with yellow shadings. Fine for design or floral work. 35c each.

BUTTER BOY (K.—61-92) An extra tall strong plant and giant bulb. Large clear buttercup yellow flowers, nicely placed. A beauty. 10c each.

CAPELLA (K.—midseason) Large bloom. Tall stems. Color bright fiery orange red. Very brilliant and attractive. 8c each.

ETHELYN (Fischer—midseason) A very extra high class variety. Pure golden orange large flowers. Long graceful stems. 20c each.

GLORIANA (Belscher—early) One of the loveliest creations in the gladiolus world. An exquisitely glorious color. Golden salmon, clear golden throat. Tall slender stem and each one a bouquet in itself

with the large number of blooms out at once. Fine propagator. By all means try this one. 60c each.

GOLDEN BUTTERFLY (K.—midseason) Pure bright yellow of wide spreading form, butterfly in shape and in graceful pose on the stem. Very suggestive of these airy creatures. 15c each.

COLD ELSIE (Fischer—early) Very deep pure yellow, very extra yellow self. Wide open blooms on their wiry stems. Very durable, and a long season bloomer. 20c each.

COLDEN FRILLS (K.—66-95) A large open flower of deep daffodil yellow with slight pink lines on lower petals. Intensely ruffled and very choice. 75c each.

GOLDEN GLEAM (K.—70-88) Large wide open flower of a tone lighter than Alice Tiplady with more orange. Fine variety. 10c each.

GOLDEN SWALLOW (Austin—midseason) A most artistic flower in its wide-spread pointed wings suggesting a swallow in flight. A solid clear self yellow. Especially fine in floral arrangement. 15c each.

GOLDEN TINGE (K.—68-92) Very dainty orange salmon flowered deeper towards ends of petals. Lower petals deep yellow with beautiful golden throat lines. Prize winner. 10c each.

JEWEL (Zoeastrator—early midseason) Lovely shade of pink with deep golden throat. Blooms wide open on slender stems. One of the loveliest. 8c each.

LINTON (K.—early midseason) Tall salmon rose deepening toward edges of petals. Lower petals golden veined rose. Deeply ruffled. 5c each.

MAIDEN'S BLUSH (Holland—extra early) Purest blush pink. Tall slender stems with many dainty blossoms open at once. A bunch of these exquisitely dainty blooms look like a bridesmaid's bouquet. 8c each.

MID SUMMER DREAM (K.—72-91) A large beautiful geranium red self color. Showy and fine. 15c each.

MING TOY (K.—70-92) Very large flower of finest form. Light salmon orange with deep buff yellow throat. Tall plant and many open. Winner of many awards and high honors. 10c each.

MRS. CALVIN COOLIDGE (K.—new) A magnificent new extra large primulinus of deep flesh or salmon rose pink. Lower petals soft creamy yellow tint bordered same shade of pink as upper petals. All

petals bordered with a slight white line which is like a finishing touch of perfection to an exquisite bloom. \$5.00 each.

ORANGE QUEEN (Holland—early midseason) An extra fine pure orange on very tall graceful stems. Lovely pure color and large flowers. 20c each.

PATRICIA CARTER (K.—73-96) Tall fine spike with five or six perfectly placed flowers open at once. Color most beautiful tone of softest light shrimp pink without markings. Has been one of the greatest prize winners ever since its introduction three years ago. As a corsage—table decoration—arm, or shower bouquet, vase or large arrangement, it is perfection itself. \$2.50 each.

ROSE MIST (Fischer—early) This variety is in a class by itself. Soft old rose laid over light buff. The undertone showing through. Fine buff line outlines the outer edge of every petal. Flowers large on unusually long stems which reach high above the foliage. This is one you will rave over. 35c each.

SALMON BEAUTY (K.—early) Large deep salmon with yellow throat penciled. Very tall stems and many well placed blooms out at once. A great favorite. 6c each.

SHEILA (Coleman—early) Very large bright salmon orange. Very showy and strong grower. 10c each.

SHELL PINK (K.—73-94) Tall, large flowered rose pink with beautiful slightly mottled white throat. Very choice. Winner of many awards. 10c each.

SOUVENIR (Graveney—extra early) Pure solid deep yellow. Tall stem several blooms open at once. This is the yellow color always used as a standard of purity and intensity in other yellows. 10c each.

TIFFANY (Brown—early rates 95 exhibition—97 commercial) Pure white slightly ruffled flowers, well placed on strong spike that stands erect with five or six blooms open at once. Great multiplier. A consistent prize winner in all the big shows. 15c each.

TOPAZ (K.—extra early) Salmon pink. Many large blooms open at once on fine tall stems. Blooms with Halley. 6c each.

WHITE BUTTERFLY (K.—66-90) A first class all white with cream white throat. Beautiful form and gracefully posed on slender stems. Has won many prizes. 15c each.

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CORYPHEE (Pfizer—new) Very large light pink blooms with white throat. Several open at once. This magnificent variety won sweepstakes at one of the large shows last season. \$10.00 each.

CRINKLES (K—92-92) Deep peach blossom pink intensely ruffled. Tall slender stems carry many of these exquisite blooms open at once all in perfect placement. A choice variety for the connoisseur. 20c each.

CRIMSON GLOW (Betscher—early midseason) A beautiful solid glowing crimson—large blooms—tall stems—sturdy grower—heavy multiplier. Not a single flaw nor bad habit. Cheap in price but holds its own with the best on the show table. 10c each.

DEFIANCE (K—late midseason) Tall massive bluish white with slight throat markings and frilled petals. Might be described as a glorified Peace. 10c each.

DIANA (Zeestraten—95 days) A large pure solid blood red without markings. Fine habit of growth and good multiplier. Very highly regarded by the best growers. 15c each.

DIENER'S AM. BEAUTY (Diener—midseason) Brilliant American Beauty rose with creamy throat. The flowers nearly all bloom at once, or buds at least show color. Not very tall, but good habit and strong grower and multiplier. Makes a big show as one stem is a bouquet in itself. 15c each.

DOROTHY VERNON (Dec. new—midseason) Clear marguerite yellow with baryta yellow throat. Stately spike strong grower and very prolific. A beauty and one of the finest in the light yellow class. 50c each.

DORRITT (K—74 days) A large delicate lavender pink with rose-red flares on lower petals and often quite splashed with rose-red on all petals. A very showy and popular variety. 10c each.

DREAM (K—88-90) Large massive ruffled bloom of deep salmon red with very showy darker throat blotches. Color unusual and rich. 15c each.

DR. ELKINS (K—77-96) A true sport from Mrs. Frank Pendleton with white petals and large lilac blue blotches instead of the pink petals and dark red blotches. Very much admired. 20c each.

DR. F. E. BENNETT (Diener—midseason) Enormous fiery red on a tall straight stem. Has been called the "House of a Fire" red. Very dazzling and none better in its color. 30c each.

DR. MAYO (Dec.—new) Pale amaranth pink barium yellow throat. Large wide open flowers with clear attractive color. This is another lavender that has won the heart of many glad fans. 50c each.

DR. MOODY (Mrs. Kinyou—new early) A fine lavender with as many as twenty florets open along the tall graceful stems. Fine grower and propagator and a great exhibition variety having won many high honors and a large number of first prizes. \$5.00 each.

DR. NELSON SHOOK (K—73-95) A giant in plant and flower. Color deep tyrian rose. This has a long record of honors and prizes at the largest shows. Conspicuous for its elegance and richness of color and good habits. Beautifully ruffled. 60c each.

DR. VAN FLEET (K—early) Attractive blooms of a rich deep rose pink with creamy yellow throat, well spaced along an extra tall wiry stem. Lovely for a basket or tall vase, with creamy yellows. 10c each.

DUCHESS OF YORK (Dames—midseason) This stands high on the list of darker blues. Tall grower. Several large flowers of finest form, well placed on stem, are open at once. A beautiful rich contrast for the creams, yellows a certain harmonizing shades of pink. 15c each.

ECSTASY (K—new) A dark rich cherry red of the gloriole type resembling the variety Emblem but darker and carrying its blotches on all six petals. Has the snap dragon form. A rich showy flower for the garden. Each \$1.00.

ELDORA (Kemp—66) A beautiful bleeding of Capucine buff shading to grenadine pink flaked jasper red makes this variety a most pleasing color harmony and one difficult to describe. The flowers are four inches across and four or five open at once on long straight stems. 30c each.

ELF (Diener—late) A creamy white which bleaches pure white with a lemon yellow lip. Tall straight stem with six to eight blooms open at once. Wonderful for florists work or decorative purposes especially in tall baskets or vases. 10c each.

ELORA (Burbank—very early) Large flesh white with gold on lip of lower petals and three or four short pin lines of red on the gold. Strong grower and great multiplier. Few larger. 10c each.

E. J. SHAYLOR (K—71-95) Tall strong plant and very large, well ruffled blooms of beautiful pure deep rose pink. Winner of many awards and prizes. No faults of any kind. 8c each.

ELKHART (K—early midseason) Bright lavender rose of most unique shade. Pure self color. Several blooms open at once correctly placed on a graceful stem. Much admired. 20c each.

EMBLEM (K—oew) This is a most extraordinary variety as wonderfully marked as a magnificent gloriole. In color a rich cherry red with a very remarkable throat coloring which runs over all six petals. On the lower three it covers first a large dark, velvety, ruby red blotch wonderfully bordered by two distinct additional color zones. First a very dark deep red about one-fourth inch wide then a very soft yellow beautifully stippled red. Marvelous show flower. \$2.50 each.

EMILE AUBURN (Lemoine—midseason) Coppery bronze overlaid smokey blue. The lower petals carry large cherry red blotches. The total combination of colors gives the loveliest oriental effect like a fine old rug. The blooms are large sometimes measuring six inches across and many open at once on a stem strong enough to hold them erect. Strong grower and heavy multiplier. 50c each.

EUGENE LEFEBRE (Lemoine—midseason) Bright pink with very attractive dark blotches on lower petals. Large spike with many open at once. One of the finest French varieties and very showy. 15c each.

EUROPA (Pfizer—late midseason) Pure snow white. Has long been the standard by which all whites were judged. Not a strong grower and requires good cultivation and sufficient fertilizer and water to bring perfection. Exquisite when well grown. 15c each.

EV. KIRTLAND (Austin—midseason) Very tall slender spike, blooms exquisite melting pink deepening toward edge. Brilliant scarlet blotches on lower petals. One of the best at any price. 10c each.

EXQUISITE (K—midseason) American Beauty rose color. Strong plant with many large ruffled flowers out at once. Extra. 15c each.

FERN KYLE (K—early midseason—96) A large ruffled flower of creamy white color. Vigorous grower. Usually takes the first prize in exhibitions calling for this color. Very elegant and refined. A good multiplier. 20c each.

FIRE RIBBON (K—88-90) Tall with nearly all blooms open at once making a long fiery band of glowing red. Exceedingly showy. 15c each.

FLORA (Holland—midseason) Very strong grower and fine large clear yellow blooms, self color and five or six open at once. A general favorite in this color. 10c each.

FLORENCE (Vilmorin—midseason) Beautiful clear lilac purple with large clean white throat blotches. A captivating variety very "Freuchy" in its style. Stock very scarce. 50c each.

FONTAINE (Coleman—midseason) An exquisite blending of pink and cream beautifully ruffled. A gem of perfection and finish in every detail. 20c each.

GAIEITY (K—75-92) Bright salmon pink flaked deep salmon red. Very conspicuous white blotches on lower petals. Very tall grower and many blooms out at once. 15c each.

GERTRUDE ERREY (Errey—Australia—new) Enormous blooms of medium pink shading to a throat nearly white which is marked with a crimson feather. The whole flower is lighted with a salmon glow which makes it fairly glisten. Six to ten of these giant blooms perfectly placed on a tall straight stem. Not surprising the number of prizes it wins on the show table. 25c each.

GETTYSBURG (Dec.—oew) Rich velvety carmine, throat darker. Large round well placed flowers on tall slender stems. So showy they attract attention wherever they are seen. 30c each.

GIANT MYRTLE (K—early—midseason) This lovely creation has the coloring of that dainty exquisite variety Myrtle, but is much larger and more showy and also a taller grower. Makes a fine exhibition variety. 30c each.

GIANT NYMPH (Coleman—early midseason) A giant in plant and flower. Color light salmon rose. Many open at once. A wonderful spike, and one of the very best pinks. 10c each.

GOLD (Decorah—early) An extra fine deep rich self yellow with many blooms open at once correctly placed on graceful stems. A very fine vase flower and just the color to use with the blues and purples to light them up. 10c each.

GOLDEN DREAM (Groff—new) A sensational new yellow of the same deep yellow color of the Prim. Souvenir, but with the strength and habit of Golden Measure with the rich heavy texture of the latter. Five or six blooms open at once. This variety stands at the top among the prize winning yellows and carries off many of the highest honors. 75c each.

GERALDINE FARRAR (Diener—midseason) Pale lavender violet with small deep violet spot on lip. Unlike many blue varieties the growth is strong and vigorous. Was first offered at \$100.00 per bulb. Flowers very large—stem tall. Conspicuous among the best light blues. 50c each.

GOLD EAGLE (Austin—new—early) This is another top notcher in the new yellows. Extremely early. Tall slender spikes always straight. Flowers medium size slightly ruffled. Vigorous grower. Good propagator. Many buds bloom the first season. 60c each.

GOLDEN GLORY (K—75-92) This is a well ruffled yellow of clear light tone with large dark throat blotches. Growth tall and strong. 15c each.

GOLDEN MEASURE (Kelway—midseason) This is the giant yellow. It has attained six feet in our gardens and the large blooms are very heavy textured and inclined to wave—almost ruffled. The color is rich solid self and six or more blooms open at once. A most imposing plant. 15c each.

GOLD STAR (K—new) Medium tall perfect plant with large perfectly placed deep yellow flowers. Lower petals of still deeper yellow, like a very richly colored daffodil. Many flowers open at a time. A grand yellow and equally fine for florists use or landscape planting. \$1.50 each.

GOLIATH This fine very dark purplish wine colored gladiolus holds its popularity among the new high priced kinds. Strong grower—early—many open at once. All good habits. Lovely with the delicate varieties. 10c each.

GRACE KIMBALL (Dec.—early—midseason) Pale Hortense violet, with rich dark velvety blotches of hyacinth violet. A very lovely blue combination and several blooms open at once on the tall stem render a very exquisite picture. Strong clean grower, with fine clean bulbs. \$1.00 each.

GRETCHEN ZANG (Austin—late) Soft salmon pink deepening to salmon on lower petals. A beautiful cut flower variety. A splendid late market kind. 8c each.

HALLEY This is an old variety. Tried and true, and not found wanting in any of the necessary dependable qualities. Extra early—usually the very first. Color bright salmon rose—many open—graceful. Everything good and nothing had can be said of it. 5c each.

HAZEL DAWN (Dec.—late) An unusual strawberry pink color, throat lighter and dotted carmine. Extraordinary long spike with a large number of florets. Winner of many first prizes. A very strong grower. 25c each.

H. C. GOEHL (Fischer—early) A fine early white with conspicuous large dark red velvety blotches on the lower petals. The habit is perfect. Flower well placed on tall slender stems and many open at once. A great prize winner in the class calling for blotched white. 20c each.

HEAVENLY BLUE (Pfizer—oew) A sensational light blue, delicate self color lavender blue. Said to be the clearest softest and nearest blue of any glad on the market. The flowers are large and well placed on a tall stem. Sometimes as many as ten

open at once. A grand exhibition variety. \$7.50 each.

HELGA (K—early) A bright salmon rose on extra long stems which though straight are very slender and can be arranged for tall or drooping effects to great advantage. A most decorative variety. 15c each.

HELEN HOWARD (Austin—new) General color buff flushed coral with dainty dashes of peach red and throat of purest number. The blooms are wide open form and petals are daintily frilled. The spike is tall with its well placed blooms, many of which are open at once. Very artistic and attractive. \$1.00 each.

HERADA (Austin—midseason) A large glistening mauve self color. The very best of its shade at a medium price. Excellent for florists work and does not burn nor flick in hot weather. 8c each.

HENRY FORD (Diener—midseason) Very dark rosinule purple shading deeper near the center. Color similar to Anna Eberius but larger and clearer. A tremendous propagator. Introduced at \$200.00 per bulb. 15c each.

INDIAN MAID (K—82-90) Tall plant well clothed with flowers of beautiful peach-blossom pink with lovely deeper throat. Choice. 10c each.

IWA (Betscher—new late midseason) A fine rose pink with large dark throat blotches. Large blooms—fine spike. Conspicuous but not coarse. An extra showy variety. 35c each.

J. A. CARBONE (Diener—midseason) Orange salmon very iridescent, shaded darker toward edge of petals, yellow center. Fine long, well built spikes. One of the finest and largest in this color. Introduced at \$30.00 per bulb. 15c each.

JACOB VAN BEIJEREN (Van Deursen—late midseason) Most distinct violet self color with slightly darker blotch. It is a soft cattleya rose on slender straight stems with blooms correctly placed. 15c each.

JACK LONDON (Diener—late) Tall bright salmon bloom. Many open at once on slender stem. Has mingled color tones which add to its brilliancy. Fine under artificial light. 10c each.

JANE ADDAMS (Dec.—midseason) This new lavender has already caused a stir among glad fans. It is a tall grower and the flowers are enormous, said to attain more than seven inches in diameter. The blooms in our garden attained show size from very young bulbs only $\frac{3}{4}$ to 1 inch in diameter and were a wonder in color and substance. This variety is undoubtedly destined to a future of great popularity when better known. A strong grower. Great multiplier and the largest bloom in its color class. \$1.00 each.

JAP LADY (Dec.—midseason) This is one of the most unique in coloring of the whole gladiolus world. Its color is described as a Bishop purple, velvety blackish purple blotch in the throat. Being a seedling of the weak growing Badenia it requires a little attention to grow it to perfection. Only young bulbs about 1-1 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches should be used. Sand should be placed under and around the bulbs used. Perfect drainage assured and no animal fertilizers at all. The bulbs have a queer bluish rather rough appearance. 25c each.

JEAN DU TAILLES (France—midseason) Extra large salmon pink blooms with fine velvety large maroon blotches on lower petals. Always calls forth great admiration from visitors to our gardens and our stock is usually sold to them before listing in our catalogue. 15c each.

JENNY LIND (Dec.—early) The so-called Sweet-heart of the gladiolus world. Soft apricot pink, pale yellow throat. Stems tall, graceful and many blooms open at once. To grow Jenny is to love and admire her. 10c each.

JOE COLEMAN (K—midseason) Large, vigorous growing rich red, many fine ruffled blooms open at once on tall stem. 8c each.

JOHN T. PIRIE (K—83-92) A most unique and beautiful combination of soft oriental colors. A blending of mahogany brown with remarkable deeper throat blotch bordered yellow with a bright spot of oriental red on the lower petal. Fascinating. 20c each.

JUNIATA (Kemp—early) An exquisite delicate pink with white throat. Tall graceful stem with wide open blooms $\frac{1}{2}$ inches across as daintily poised as butterflies. Has won very high awards besides the silver medal. \$1.50 each.

JOERG'S WHITE (Joerg—early midseason) Awarded first prize three years in succession by New York Hort. Soc. and winner also of the A. G. S. trophy. Unquestionably one of the largest flowered gladioli ever produced and easily a top notcher among white exhibition varieties. Perfect arrangement of blooms, seven open at once, and each one six inches or more across. A wonder. 60c each.

KIRCHHOFF'S VIOLET (Kirchhoff—early) A lovely shade of clear medium blue with darker throat blotch. Tall straight stem and several flowers open at once in perfect placement. This variety won first prize against several of the highest priced ones in the Boston show. Is in greater demand than supply, consequently price is increasing. 50c each.

KUNDERD GLORY (K—77-93) The forerunner of all the ruffled race. Beautiful creamy apricot with fine red markings on lower petals. 8c each.

LA COURONNE (Lemoine—early) Creamy yellow with large deep red velvety blotches. A long flower spike with several blooms open at once. Fine in floral arrangements on account of its extreme grace. 15c each.

LE MAR. FOCH (Heemskerck—extra early) Very delicate pink almost flesh with enormous wide open flowers. Very popular everywhere. 6c each.

LILAC WONDER (Gullemaos—very early) Very soft wonderful rose violet with slightly darker blotch. It is a soft cattleya rose on slender erect stems with flowers perfectly placed. Awarded first class certificate in Holland. 30c each.

LILY OF GOLD (K. new) Five or six large wide open flowers of diamond form open at once on a sturdy straight spike. Color a rich canary yellow a little deeper on lower petals. Form of flower unusual. Upper petals widely open with central one extremely large and upright. Placement perfect. Good multiplier, but as yet very scarce. Some pronounce it the greatest of all gladioli. \$50.00 each.

Expert Selections Improved by Perfected Cultural Methods

The letter K following the name of a variety means that Kunderd is the originator of that variety and "Dec." means originated by Decorah Gardens.

The first number in parenthesis indicates the normal number of days after planting required for that variety to bloom.

The second number in parenthesis means that this variety has had expert ratings given it and the number is that percentage of 100 perfection.

A. E. KUNERD (K. 84-96) Namesake of the originator of the "Ruffled Gladiolus." Color richest salmon rose, lighter toward the center of throat with beautiful markings on three lower petals. It is a strongly ruffled variety, tall and stately and a rapid multiplier. \$1.50 each.

ADRIATIC (K-midseason) Deep wine blue with undertones of oriental shades giving a most fascinating color combination. Visitors always admire this one. 10c each.

AGORATION (K-midseason) Very large, grand Saffron or Lincoln red, deeper in throat. A large beautiful, ruffled self color. 20c each.

ALBANIA (Kemp—85 days) A very attractive glistening white. Petals broad, well rounded and crimped on edges. Flowers well spaced on graceful stem and five or six open at once making it a fine variety for cut flower purposes. Keeps well when cut and is a fast multiplier. 10c each.

ALTON (K 74-90) A wonderful ruffled variety of finest orange color. Wonderful under artificial light and a fine exhibition variety in this unusual color. 15c each.

AMERICAN INOIAN (K. midseason to late) Round flower, fine velvety red, deeper in throat and strongly ruffled—good size on tall stem. 10c each.

ANNA EBERIUS (Diener-midseason) Dark velvety purple, throat deeper shade. Large flowers on tall fine stalks. Greatly admired and much in demand. 10c each.

ANTHONY B. KUNDERO (K. 83-92) Tall, large intensely ruffled flower of delicate deep cream color, overspread finest blush pink—entire lower petals beautiful primrose flushed pink at edges. Grand. 15c each.

ARABIA (Hinkle 75-94) Very tall graceful stem clothed with bloom of the darkest red overlaid with sheen and flecks of velvety black giving the appearance of velvet to the flower. Buds are black and many show color at once. The darkest of all. 30c each.

ARISTOCRAT (Bill-rated 95) Large massive spikes of most delicate coloring. A pale saffron pink flaked deep orange with cream throat and a very distinct violet feather. Slightly ruffled and several extra large blooms open at once. 50c each.

ARIZONA (K-late) Fine tall spike with large rose pink blossoms. Dark red line on lower petals. Very showy. 15c each.

ASHTABULA (Munsell-late) A delicate self color pink of a shade between America and Panama. Several open at once and well placed on a graceful stem. 15c each.

ATHERTON (K—late midseason) Deep salmon rose, clearly bordered blue. Several open at once and a good keeper. Beautiful. 15c each.

BARON HULOT (Holland—midseason) The true variety is a fine dark velvety blue on tall straight stems. Lovely in combination with delicate pinks, creams and yellows. 10c each.

BEN BOLT (Dec—early) Eosine pink, beautifully flaked scarlet with lighter throat. Many blooms open at once make a fine show. One of the earliest to bloom this season and of such compelling beauty we could not supply the demand for the blooms and took many orders for bulbs. 20c each.

BERTREX (Austin—midseason) This is not new but so good and dependable we keep it on our list. A tall vigorous white of durable texture, fine sheen and many open at once. One of the best shippers. 8c each.

BETTY JOY (Bill—midseason-rated 97) Soft creamy white flushed La France pink—strong grower, long flower spikes with six to ten perfect flowers open at once. Beautiful texture and finish. A flower of real distinction—an aristocrat. 60c each.

BERTY SNOW (Mair—new) A magnificent lavender from Scotland. Extra fine growth—beautiful texture and perfect arrangement all contribute toward its being one of the outstanding show varieties. \$2.00 each.

BLACK JOE (Dec—midseason) A very dark rich glowing crimson—neat compact habit and durable in house or garden. A fine self-colored variety very useful in contrast to lighter colors. Extremely popular. 10c each.

BLACK PANSY (K—77-91) Rich dark red with beautiful pansy-like almost black throat. Stems unusually slender and graceful. Unusual and much admired. 10c each.

BLUE ISLE (K—69-90) Blooms medium size, light violet blue with deeper throat. Several open at once on tall graceful stem. Lovely with creams and yellows. 15c each.

BLUE JAY (Gross—midseason) The best known light blue gladiolus. Suggestive of the bird for which it is named—very tall stems and very good grower and multiplier. A popular variety—we never have enough to go around. 15c each.

BOBBY (K—80-92) An immense beautiful deep rose with extra large lovely bluish red throat blotches. Elegant. Namesake for Mr. Kunderd's little grandson. 35c each.

BREAK O'WAY (Bill—extra early) Enormous blooms on very tall stems of a beautiful cream ground flush-

ed La France pink shading deeper at edges. There is a row of Martins yellow on lower petals with delicate central lines of Brazil red. The fame of this beauty has been sung from coast to coast. 20c each.

BYRON L. SMITH (K—76-94) Silvery lavender pink on white ground. General effect delicate heliotrope self color. Exceedingly fine as a cut flower and its lovely color does not fade in the sun. Many blooms out at once and perfectly placed on the graceful stem. 10c each.

CAPT. BOYNTON (Boynton—early midseason) Large white blooms suffused lavender with large deep lavender throat blotches—very refined and lovely—good habit. 15c each.

CARMEN SYLVA (Dec.—early) One of the finest pure snow whites. A few delicate lilac lines in throat. Many blooms out at once. Tall, graceful and resists heat well. A wonderful variety for floral purposes and a good propagator. 10c each.

CATHERINE COLEMAN (Coleman—midseason) This variety is in the exclusive aristocratic class. A great exhibition variety and usually carries off the honors in its color class. Very large flowers of clear salmon rose with slight purplish pencillings on lower lip. Very tall stem and straight. A whole show in itself. A gorgeous beauty. 35c each.

CHALLENGER (K—88-92) Very large vigorous plant with giant, dark, rich, velvety-red blooms. An extra fine variety in solid self red. 10c each.

CHARLEMAGNE (French—late midseason) Giant flower of brilliant sunrise red with lighter throat which is covered with fine specks of a darker bluish color. One of the largest. 15c each.

CHATEAU THIERRY (P. Vos—midseason) This is probably the best known and finest of Mr. Vos creations. Bright scarlet red with carmine blotch on creamy ground on lower petals. Enormous wide-open flowers five to six inches. Strong grower and multiplier. 10c each.

COL. CHAS. LINDBERGH (K. new) A tall stately plant, many large widely open flowers of a beautiful hood butterfly form, perfectly placed on the spike. Upper petals refined rose with fine lavender tint on a white ground. Lower petals covered two-thirds with soft pastel creamy yellow very finely and beautifully stippled, while central bars of fine cream color extend beyond the blotches. Ends of lower petals same color rose as upper petals. One of the most high class beautiful glads ever produced and honored with a great, well beloved name. \$3.00 each.

CORUNNA (K midseason) A large wide spreading flower of bright salmon rose with enormous almost black blotches on the lower petals. Very striking. 15c each.

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CHARLEMAGNE (French—late midseason) Giant flower of brilliant sunrise red with lighter throat which is covered with fine specks of a darker bluish color. One of the largest. 15c each.

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COL. CHAS. LINDBERGH (K. new) A tall stately plant, many large widely open flowers of a beautiful hood butterfly form, perfectly placed on the spike. Upper petals refined rose with fine lavender tint on a white ground. Lower petals covered two-thirds with soft pastel creamy yellow very finely and beautifully stippled, while central bars of fine cream color extend beyond the blotches. Ends of lower petals same color rose as upper petals. One of the most high class beautiful glads ever produced and honored with a great, well beloved name. \$3.00 each.

CORUNNA (K midseason) A large wide spreading flower of bright salmon rose with enormous almost black blotches on the lower petals. Very striking. 15c each.

SPECIAL OPPORTUNITIES

A beautiful collection of Primulinus Hybrids in a wide range of colors and types will be sent for 60c per dozen, 25 for \$1.00, 100 for \$3.50.

Butterfly Mixture. Primulinus Hybrids of the rarer, more recent introductions in superb mixture at \$1.00 per dozen, 25 for \$1.75, 100 for \$6.00.

Elmwood Terrace Mixture

Special mixture, all named varieties but not labeled, two dozen bulbs worth \$2.50 to \$5.00 or more, only \$1.50 postpaid.

Special large mixture as above but with 100 bulbs worth \$10 to \$15 or more, only \$5 postpaid.

De Luxe Mixture

De Luxe mixture made up from filing trays with at least 30 different varieties including many ruffled ones, worth from 15c to 25c, only \$10 per 100 postpaid.

TERMS:

Twelve bulbs of a kind will be sold for the price of ten, except those varieties of the highest prices ranging at \$2.00 or more each.

Half size bulbs $\frac{3}{4}$ to 1 inch in diameter will be sent at half price, two must be ordered, except where price of large bulb equals 50c or more.

100 bulbs at seven times dozen rate—50 at 100 rate.

Bulbs at single and dozen price sent postpaid.

Bulbs per hundred sent express collect.

1 package of bulblets for single price of large bulbs. Number of bulblets varying from 5 to 100 according to price and scarcity of variety.

Bulblets hand picked and generous count.

Bulbs in larger quantities in all sizes and bulblets will be priced by request. Send in a list of your entire requirements for us to quote you a price.