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# Unusual Glads 1928

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We Grow The Best— Discard The Rest G. W. THACKER

LeRoy, Michigan

# Success

Well, laughed often and loved much; who has gained the respect of intelligent men and the love of little children; who has filled his niche and accomplished his task; who has left the world better than he found it, whether by an improved poppy, a perfect poem, or a rescued soul; who has never lacked appreciation of earth's beauty, or failed to express it; who has always looked for the best in others and given the best he had; whose life was an inspiration; whose memory a benediction.

-Bessie A. Stanley.

This page is most respectfully dedicated to those but for whose faith and confidence it would have been impossible,—

Rev. and Mrs. W. Thurston Gibbs.

# Once More We Greet You-

NOTHING ever impresses us more as to the rapidity of time's flight than the succession of the seasons of the "glad" year. It seems only yesterday that we put out our 1927 "Unusual Glads." Since that time we have experienced a splendid round of seasons and are now again offering our "wares" to you.

This little chat before we enter into the task of persuading you that our bulbs are the best in the world—is always a pleasure. We can tell you of our aims, our hopes and our ambitions here. For we all do build our "Castles in Spain," and who does not enjoy telling of them? If you enjoy reading it half as much as we enjoy writing, then we shall all be satisfied.

The plan we followed last season of dividing our varieties into groups—based on price—seemed to meet the approval of many, so we are again following it this season—a little different groupings, to be sure, but on the same plan.

There is considerable discussion regarding the advisability of listing those varieties named for persons, with last names first,—as we find them in the telephone directory. The champions of this plan claiming that it is a great assistance in finding varieties if they are listed as we usually see them. We believe however, that unless a cross index is used that this is rather confusing. Besides, a variety which the originator named "Mrs. Leon Douglass" is not "Douglass, Mrs. Leon" and we do not like to list it thus. Perhaps some day we shall be persuaded that this method is preferable, but until that time, we shall remain as at present—old fashioned though it may be.

One of the greatest problems which a glad grower has to contend with, is that of prices. It is a problem similar to the weather—"Much has been said about it, but little ever done." We have a code which we try to follow regarding prices, and it is one which has been tested as long as time—"Treat the other fellow as you would have him treat you." We do not believe in selling a number six or even larger bulb, for less than the price a bulblet was sold for the year before. We believe that such tactics which are being carried out all too frequently, cannot help anyone. On the other hand, we do not believe it right to hold the price of a new variety at introductory price for several years—except in rare instances when a variety propagates slowly or is started at a price lower than the quality warrants.

We are building our reputation of quality of stock and fair dealing. If it doesn't satisfy you, just let us know, for we guarantee satisfaction. We strive to keep up to date in the new varieties that are introduced, and make our catalog worth reading. If you enjoy it, tell others. If you do not—then don't hesitate to tell us where we have fallen down.

### The Better Commercial Varieties

We have discontinued a number of the older varieties, in favor of newer, and almost as cheaply priced sorts, which are better. In this list, we give the varieties which we think are fine values as cut flowers. Each is a fine thing, and we know you will not be disappointed in them. If you grow for a crowded market, or have a retail trade, or for roadside sale, grow some of these more attractive kinds. When your neighbor shows Halley and America, display some fine Jennie Lind, Giant Nymph, Carmen Sylva, etc. It will put your glads on the map as nothing else will do.

Size of Bulbs Bulblets  $1\frac{1}{2}''$  up  $1\frac{1}{4}''-1\frac{1}{2}''$   $1''-1\frac{1}{4}''$   $\frac{3}{4}''-1''$   $\frac{1}{2}''-\frac{3}{4}''$   $\frac{1}{4}''-\frac{1}{2}''$  Per

A. B. KUNDERD. (Kundered) Fine ruffled cream—splendid spike and an allaround florists' variety.

Per 10 \$ .60 \$ .50 \$ .40 \$ .30 ........

Per 100 ....... 4.50 3.50 2.50 2.00 1.00 1000 \$2.00



"With the kiss of the sun for pardon.

The song of the birds for mirth: One is nearer God's heart in a garden.

Than anywhere else on earth."

G. W. THACKER

In the 1927 Garden Size of Bulbs Bulblets 1½" up 1¼"-1½" 1"-1¼" ¾"-1" ½"-¾" ¼"-½" ALBANIA. (Kemp). A very good commercial white variety. Not so tall a spike as Carmen Sylva, but better grower. A fine propagator. Bulblets make better growth than Carmen Sylva, often blooming. Splendid placement. Per 10 .75.60 .50 .40 .30 .25 Per 100 2.00 3.00 2.501000 5.00 4.00BENGAL TIGER. (Pratt). Rich red with black stripes throughout the petals. A barbaric beauty which is becoming famous. A great variety for roadside sale. Very strong, and splendid spike. Rather late. Per 10 Per 100 .50 .40 .60 .75.30 5.00 4.50 3.50 2.50 2.00 1000 1.50 BYRON L. SMITH. (Kunderd). An exquisite combination of clear lavender with canary yellow throat. A florists' flower supreme. Perfect placement. Medium spike. One of the finest glads grown. Per 10 .60 .50 .30 .25.75.40Per 100 1000 1.25 5.00 4.00 3.00 2.00 1.50 CARMEN SYLVA. (Prestgard). Many consider this the best of the commercial Withstands dry hot weather as well as any glad we know. purer color than Albania. Splendid cut flower. Per 10 .50 .40 .30 ----Per 100 1.75 1.25 1000 1.25

## My Garden

"See, this, my garden, Large and fair?" Thus to his friend, The Philosopher. "Tis not too long," His friend replied, With truth exact, 'Nor yet too wide, If somewhat cramped on every side.' Quick the reply— 'But see how high! It reaches up To God's blue sky." -John Oxenham.



### BETTY LUCILE AND CARMEN SYLVA

Size of Bulbs $1\frac{1}{2}$ " up $1\frac{1}{4}$ "- $1\frac{1}{2}$ " $1$ "- $1\frac{1}{4}$ " $\frac{3}{4}$ "- $1$ " $\frac{1}{2}$ "- $\frac{3}{4}$ " $\frac{1}{4}$ "- $\frac{1}{2}$ "	Bulblets Per
CRIMSON GLOW. (Betscher). The most popular red. Very large graceful spike. A great glad.	and a tall
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ELF. (Diener). White with yellow throat. A fine strong grower, a did florists' flower. Every bulb will make a tall spike. Late in when glads are worth money, we appreciate our planting of bulbs of this variety. Extremely vigorous and prolific	nd a splen-
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ELIZABETH TABOR. (Hinkle). One of the very earliest glads. slender spike, colored somewhat like Pendleton, but more regraceful. A splendid forcing glad, and for early flowers outside very widely planted.	
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EVELYN KIRTLAND. (Austin). A glorious pink. When a new va good as Kirtland, it is a mighty fine glad. Very tall, large flore tiful shell pink with large crimson blotch. Supreme in the cut fl Per 10 .60 .50 .40 .30 .25 .20 Per 100	ets of beau- lower class.
Per 100 3.00 2.50 2.00 1.50 10	000   1.00

6.00

GLENDALE. (W. B. Davis). Near American Beauty red. Velvety flower, and a color that appeals to nearly everyone. A big seller. .40 .25 .... .60 .50.30Per 100 4.00 3.00 2.00 1.50 1000 1.50 ----

Per 10

Per 100

Per 100

GOLDEN MEASURE. (Kelway). The strongest moderate priced yellow. heavy spike, with many large florets open at a time. Almost too heavy for florists' work, but supreme in the garden.

Per 10 .75 .60 .50 .40 Per 100 6.00 5.00 4.00 3.50 1000 2.00 ....

HELGA. (Kunderd). An unusual shade of pink. Extremely early, tall, and a fine cut flower. Great propagator. .50 Per 10 .40.30.25Per 100 2.00 2.50 1000 1.00

JENNIE LIND. (Hoeg). "The Darling of the Gladiolus World." Pure soft pink blended to a throat of the most refined creamy yellow. If you have grown Jennie Lind before, and discarded it because of the short spike, we urge you to give it another trial, for the strain which we are selling is very vigorous and has fine long spikes with a large number of florets open. One of the very finest for florists.

Per 10 Per 100 1.00 .75.60.50.40 .30 8.00 6.005.00 4.00 3.00 2.501000 3.00

JEWEL. (Zeestraten). Pure light salmon with large yellow blotch. Very tall wirey stems. A prim, but not deeply hooded. A fine cut flower.

.20 Per 10 60 .50.40 .30 .25Per 100 4.00 5.00 3.00 2.50 2.00 1.25 1000 1.25

MADISON COOPER. (Kunderd). A good purplish red. Unusual shade. Strong

Per 10 .60 .50.40 .30 .25 .20 2.50 Per 100 4.003.00 2.00 1.50 1000 1.50 ----

MING TOY. (Kunderd). Beautiful buff prim. One of the best prims on the market, and a fine thing for cut flowers. The unusual shade is not yet found in the large flowering glads.

.30 Per 10 .60.50 .40.25 .20 Per 100 5.00 4.50 3.50 1.75 2.00 1.00 1000 1.00

MRS. DR. NORTON. (Kunderd). The best loved gladiolus in existence. Purest pink, and white shading to a yellow throat. Tall graceful spikes, with many large open florets. A truly wonderful variety. Per 10 .25 .40 .30 .20

3.00

MRS. M. S. BURKE. (Diener). Light yellow tinted with pink. Small flowers on tall straight spikes. A glorious variety when massed.

Per 10 .40 .30 .25.20 .... Per 100 3.00 2.00 1.75 1.50 1000 1.00 .... ----

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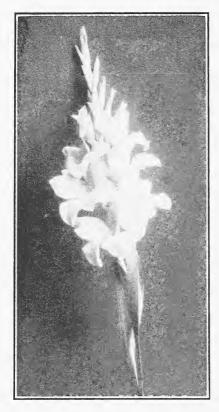
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Size of Bulbs 1½" up 1¼"-1½" 1"-1¼" ¾"-1" ½"-¾" ¼"-½"
                                                                           Bulblets
MRS. F. C. PETERS. (Fischer). Rich rose lavender with blotch. Tall and very
       strong. Many blooms open at once, and perfectly placed. One of the best
       glads in existence.
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MARSHALL FOCH. (Kunderd). Salmon with a deeper throat. Very large, round
       heavy textured flowers. Another truly great glad.
       Per 10
                                       .75
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                                                                        100
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1910 ROSE. (Kunderd). Splendid early rose pink, with white lines in lower
       petals. One of the finest commercial varieties, and in big demand for
       forcing. Extremely early.
       Per 10
                      .40
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       Per 100
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ORANGE PRINCE. (Vos). A fine orange prim which should be better known.
       Beat Orange Queen at East Lansing show this season in color class. Ex-
       tremely hooded. More of a pink orange, than yellow, like most in this
      color. A great basket flower.
      Per 10
                     1.00
                               .75
                     8.00
      Per 100
                              6.00
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ORANGE QUEEN. (Pfitzer). A beautiful orange prim. The most popular in its
       class. Fine.
      Per 10
                     1.50
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       Per 100
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PURPLE GLORY. (Kunderd). Deep maroon, with almost black blotched. Very
       large heavy textured flowers. Extremely strong grower and one of the
       best all around glads grown.
      Per 10
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PINK WONDER. (Kemp). Very large light pink. Fine show bloom.
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       Per 10
                       .60
      Per 100
                              4.00
                                      3.00
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QUINTON. (Kemp). Extremely early coral pink shading deeper to edges of petals. Something like Wilbrink, but much better color. A great com-
       mercial variety, as it is a great propagator in addition to other qualities.
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      Per 10
Per 100
                     1.25
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ROSE ASH. (Diener). An unusual color, being pure ashes of roses. A tall strong
       grower with good sized flowers, not always well placed, but a very decora-
      tive variety.
      Per 10
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      Per 100
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SCARLANO. (Kunderd). Brilliant ruffled orange scarlet. Dark throat.
                                                                                The
      best commercial scarlet. Early.
      Per 10
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      Per 100
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SHIELA'S SISTER. (Coleman). Very early salmon, colored somewhat like
      Prince of Wales. Larger, earlier, and better color than Shiela. Frequently is first of all to bloom. Great propagator.
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       Per 10
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      Per 100
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SOUVENIR. (Gravereau). This is a good Holland variety, and is the best bright yellow prim. Color is clear, livid and intense. Beautiful.  Per 10
Per 100 2.00 1.50 1000 1.00
SUNSET GLOW. (Gibbs). Description on another page.  THOS. T. KENT. (Diener). Light pink with red blotch. Large late, and many open.
Per 10 .50 .40 .25 Per 100 2.00 1.50 1.25 1.00 1000 1.00
SYDNEY PLUMMER. (Salbach). Light amber yellow. Blooms from small bulbs, and is very prolific. A splendid commercial yellow.
Per 1050 .40 .30 .25 Per 100 3.00 2.25 1.75 1000 2.50
TIFFANY. (Brown). A fine commercial white, with cream throat. Has some prim blood, and is extremely prolific. Early.
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TYRIAN BEAUTY. (Kunderd). One which we could not do without. Magnificent Tyrian rose. Peels in bad weather, but glorious when it is good. Very tall and strong. Late.
Per 10
Those Glorious Varieties—
which are not yet in the commercial class. Many were introduced only a few years ago at high—yes, very high, prices. In many respects, this is the most interesting class of them all, especially for those who have learned of the beauty of the flower, and do not care to spend a fortune in new varieties.
Size of Bulbs Bulblets $1\frac{1}{2}$ " up $1\frac{1}{4}$ "- $1\frac{1}{2}$ " $1$ "- $1\frac{1}{4}$ " $\frac{3}{4}$ "- $1$ " $\frac{1}{2}$ "- $\frac{3}{4}$ " $\frac{1}{4}$ "- $\frac{1}{2}$ " Per
ADA DE POY. (Salbach). A glorious prim, one of the very finest. Pure apricot with bronze shadings. Many florets open on tall graceful spikes. Splendid grower. In big demand.
Per 1       .50       .40       .30       .25        10       .40         Per 10        2.00       1.50       1.00       100       3.50
ALAN V. BUNCE. (Bill). One of the best orange prims. Large hooded flowers, with deep orange stripes on lower petals. Tall strong grower. Fine.  Per 1 1.00 .85 .75 .60 10 .75
AMORET. (Kemp). Nearly shrimp pink—a fine color. Early and very fine.
Strong and prolific.       Highly rated.         Per 10         5.00       4.00       3.00       100       6.00         Per 1       1.00       .85       .75       .60       .50       .40       10       .75
ANNIE LAURIE. (Stevens). One of the sweetest glads ever produced. A delightful shade of light pink, dainty medium sized flower, on tall graceful stems. Has prim blood. A splendid propagator and a variety to be grown
by the million.  Per 1

Size of Bulbs $1\frac{1}{2}$ " up $1\frac{1}{4}$ "- $1\frac{1}{2}$ " 1"- $1\frac{1}{4}$ " $\frac{3}{4}$ "- $1$ " $\frac{1}{2}$ "- $\frac{3}{4}$ " $\frac{1}{4}$ "- $\frac{1}{2}$ "	Bulblets
ANTONIA ANTONETTE. (Kunderd). A fine salmon pink. Tall an of Kunderd's best recent introductions.  Per 1 1.00 .80 .65	
ARBUTUS. (Coleman). Delicate arbutus pink. A fine spike and fl all around florists' variety.	lower, and an
$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	100 1.00
BLASCO IBANEZ. (Diener). A fine purple glad. Some consider Moderate grower but very good color and good arrangement.  Per 1	t it the best.
Per 10 3.00 2.00 1.75	
BOBBY. (Kunderd). Fine deep rose pink with dark blotch. Very st and a heavy propagator.	
Per 1 1.00 .85 .75 .60 .50 .40	10 .60
BON ECHO. (Bonsteel). One of the best cream colored glads grow large, with excellent substance. Fine propagator and fairly e Per 1 .60 .50 .40 .30 .25	
Per 10 3.50 2.50 2.00 1.75	100 4.00
BREAK O' DAY. (Bill). Fine early pink. Excellent commercial value         Per 1       .50       .40       .30       .25            Per 10       4.50       3.50       2.50       2.00       1.50       1.00	10 $.25$
BETTY JOY. (Bill). A good light pink. Several open. Per 1 1.00 .8575	10 .75
BUDDY WORDEN. (Austin). A most dainty prim—a color similar Ward rose. It is delicate orange, tinted pink, with yellow shader tall nor large, but always attracts attention. Splendid flo Per 1 .50	dings. Neith-
CAROLINE ESBERG. (Diener). Very bright red. Medium flower Not a strong grower.	
Per 125 .20 Per 10 2.00 1.50	$ \begin{array}{ccc} 10 & .25 \\ 100 & 1.25 \end{array} $
CATHERINE COLEMAN. (Coleman). A variety for which too much not be spoken. A glorious salmon with small dark mark in the varieties fade into insignificance when a well grown Catheries shown.	hroat. Other
Per 1 .50 .40 .30 .25	$\begin{array}{ccc} 10 & .35 \\ 100 & 3.00 \\ 1000 & 25.00 \end{array}$
CHALIF. (Coleman). A tall early flower, of delicate rose with large A worth while variety which should be more widely grown.  Per 1 .50 .40 .35 .25 .20	e rich blotch.
CLEOPATRA. (Bill). Deep bronzy yellow. Heavy substance.	Strong and
massive.       Very fine.         Per 1	10 .75 100 6.50



### Gladiolus

Gladiolus! Wondrous color sprays,

Gorgeous as the clouds in sunset's rays;

Endowed with charming form and dainty grace.

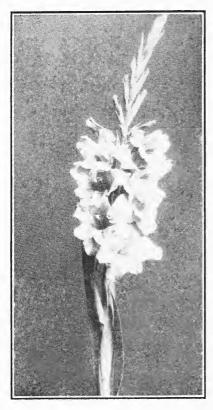
Spires of beauty towering into space;

guarding Floreate clusters; swords of green-

Crown you Nature's wonder, and proclaim you Queen.

—Stanley Thorpe.

CATHER	RINE COLE	EMAN						
	1½" up		Size of B			1/4 '' - 1/2		ulblets
DEL ORO. (Bur Per 1 Per 10	.75	.60	.50	.40	.30	.25	10	.50
DEL ROSA. (Bo Strong an Per 1 Per 10	d prolific. .75	.60	.50	.40		.25	10	.50
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DR. F. E. BENN florets ope Per 10	en.							



### HENRY FORD

2.00

Per 10

### Bulbs

I held them in my hand, small balls of wonder.

Purple and ivory and brown.

I broke the soft, dark earth to fold them under.

And pressed the yielding soil to hold them down.

I know that in their hearts the rainbow lingers.

Waiting until it hears a song it knows.

Oh, strange—to hold a rainbow in my fingers!

It lies there waiting for the melting snows.

The little brown song sparrow that comes daring,

To pour his heart out on an empty bow,

Will linger in my garden to be sharing

The seven colors that are sleeping now.

—Louise Driscool.

100

.75

2.00

	Siz	e of Bul	bs			Bulblets
$1 \frac{1}{2}^{\prime\prime}$ up	$1\frac{1}{4}$ "- $1\frac{1}{2}$ "	$1^{\prime\prime}$ -1 $\frac{1}{4}^{\prime\prime}$	¾"-1"	1/2 '' - 3/4 "	1/4''-1/2''	Per

1.00

HENRY FORD. (Diener). One of the finest purple colors yet on the market. A splendid grower and fine propagator. Placement is generally opposite, although from large bulbs, it sometimes comes very true. Per 10 1.50 1.25 1.00 .75.65.50100 Per 100 10.00 8.00 6.00 5.00 4.001000 2.00

HERMES. (Kunderd). Deep pink. Heavily ruffled and texture like leather. A good one. Per 1 .251.25

1.50

1.75

JOHN T. PIRIE. (Kunderd). Mahogany brown, blotched with cream in throat. One of the best novelties. Should be in every garden.

Per 1 .35 .20 10 .25 Per 10 1.00 100 1.00

IWA. (Betscher). A very strong grower. Pink, with dark blotch. Colored similar to A. E. Kunderd, but not as large, and not ruffled. Several open. A good glad, which does not bloom from small bulbs. Per 1 .40 .35 .30 .25 ........ 100 1.00 Per 10 2.00 1.50 1.00 1000 8.00

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J. A. CARBONE. but spike i						nd a fine	e large f	lower,
Per 10 Per 100	1.50	$\frac{1.25}{10.00}$	$\frac{1.00}{8.00}$	7.00	5.00	4.00	$\begin{array}{c} 100 \\ 1000 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} .25 \\ 2.00 \end{array}$
JOSEPH_FIELD	. (Diener	). A fin	e exhibi	ition gla	ad—large	lavend	er pink.	Good
spike. Per 1 Per 10	$\frac{.50}{3.50}$	$\begin{array}{c} .40 \\ 3.ar{0}0 \end{array}$	$\frac{.30}{2.00}$	$\frac{.25}{1.00}$	75	50	$\begin{array}{c} 10 \\ 100 \end{array}$	$\frac{.25}{1.00}$
KATHERINE H	ESS. (Di							
bloom from bloom. W	n any size ithstands	e bulbs if several d	season legrees	is long of frost	enough.	Our fa	vorite for	or late
Per 10					.50		100	.25
Per 100			6.00	5.00			1000	2.00
KIVA. (Burbank	i). Pleasin	ng yellow	pink, v	ery goo	d. Stro			
Per 1 Per 10				$\frac{.50}{4.00}$	$\frac{.40}{3.00}$	$\begin{array}{c} 30 \\ 2.50 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 10 \\ 100 \end{array}$	$\frac{.50}{4.00}$
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LA VERNE. (H pink cast. ing, and its —equal to	To a gre s extreme	at extent height a	t, has th nd spler	ne qualit	ties of L	os Ange	les, in f	lower-
Per 1				.25			10	.50
Per 10	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.25	100	4.00
LONDON SMOK the finest	E. (Diene smokey v	er). Verg arieties.	y beauti Every	ful smo	key pink	. We t	hink it	one of
Per 10		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		.75	.60	.50	100	.30
Per 100			•		5.00	4.00	1000	2.00
LONGFELLOW. blooms. Conference of the per-	ne of the	greatest	t comme	ercial va	arieties o	open L f all tin	a France ne on a	e pink ccount
Per 1	.50			.35	.30	.25	10	.50
LOS ANGELES. stripes on and remain	lower peta	als. A gr	reat gro	wer, ser	nding up	oft pink a multi	, with o	orange spikes,
Per 10	2.25	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25	1.00	100	.50
Per 100	20.00	18.00	15.00	12.00	10.00	8.00	1000	4.00
LOUVAIN. (Gro								eeper.
Good size, Per 1		grower,						.35
Per 10	4.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.25	1.00	100	
MARIE KUNDE class. Ver						n fact,	the best	in its
Per 10			.65	.55	.45	.35	100	.35
Per 100			6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	1000	3.00
MARIETTA. (M			all salm	on, with	a large	burnt	orange l	olotch.
Splendid co Per 10	olor harmo 1.25	ony. 1.10	1.00	.85	.75	.60	100	.30
Per 100	10.00	9.00	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00	1000	2.50

 $1\frac{1}{2}" \text{ up } 1\frac{1}{4}"-1\frac{1}{2}" \quad 1"-1\frac{1}{4}" \quad \frac{3}{4}"-1" \quad \frac{1}{2}"-\frac{3}{4}" \quad \frac{1}{4}"-\frac{1}{2}" \quad \text{Per}$ 

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MAR	NIA. (Kemp	). Pure o	range,	a live sp	arkling	color.	The larg	e open f	lorets
	on a tall sp				on. Ou			ige.	
	Per 1			.30	.25			10	.40
	Per 10		3.50	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.25	100	3.00
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	stance. Ver	.50	.40	e. .30	.25			10	.40
	Per 10	4.50	3.50	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.25	100	3.00
	1 01 10	1.00	0.00	2.00	2.00	1.00	1.20	100	0.00
MISS	MADISON.	(Boynto	n). Cle	ar silve	rv nink	withou	ıt mark	ings S	Strong
111101	grower, and	late. M	oderate	substan	ce. but a	a fine co	mmercia	al variet	v.
	Per 10			2.00	1.50	1.00	.75	100	.75
	Per 100			-		8.00	6.00	1000	6.00
MR.	W. H. PHIPI	PS. (Dien	er). St	ill the g	randest	variety	on the r	narket.	Huge
	salmon pink	with as	many as	s twenty	florets	open at	a time.	Florious.	Late.
	Per 1	.50	.40	.35	.25				
	Per 10	4.50	3.50	3.00	2.25	1.50	1.00	100	.75
	Per 100	35.00	30.00				8.00	1000	6.00
MRS	. J. K. ARMS	BY. (Die	ner). Sr	olendid r	ink. Tal	l and m	anv oper	. Quite	early.
MILLED	Per 1	1.25		.85			.40	100	.25
	Per 100		8.00	7.00	6.00		2.50	1000	1.50
	101 100	10.00	0.00	*****	0.00	1.00	2.00	1000	1.00
MPS	LEON DO	ICI ASS	(Diono	n) Cim	ntia nle	ant and	bloom o	f fine s	alman
MILLS	pink stripe	d other c	olore	1). Giga	v fine	anu anu olad an	w ano b	hich eve	rvone
	raves over.	u other e	orors	A mign	y inc	grau am	u one w	men eve	LIYONC
	Per 10	1.25	1.00	.85	.65	.40	.25	100	.25
	Per 100	10.00	8.00	6.50	4.50	3.00	2.00	1000	2.00
	101 100	10.00	0.00	0.00	2.00	3.00			
MRS	. J. C. GROS	SMAN	(Croser	an) A	fine ne	im Fen	ocially o	rood for	land-
MIKS	scaping. D	on calmo	n scarle	t of fin	a form	mi. Esp	ecially §	300u 101	Tanu-
	Per 10	1.50	1.25	1.00	.75	.50	.35	100	.25
	1 01 10	1.00	1.20	1.00	.10	.00	.00	100	0
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MIKS	. RICHARD Generally c	LUHKMA	lv but	ener).	Jream a	ina pink	, dencat	ery bea	utiiui.
	Per 10	1.00	.85	very 11ne .75	variety .60	neverti.	.30	100	.25
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	161 100				5.00	5.50	4.00	1000	2.00
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MKS	. NEWALL mon. Fine						ea neavi	ıy ruiile	ea sai-
	Per 10	1.00	.85	.75	.60	.50	.30	100	.30
	Per 100					3.50	2.00	1000	2.50
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	TILL VIVO V	unculos IIa	LYC DCCI	Losteu	DIG DV	PIGC TOT	UILLUU \	Curp' III	NULUS

the same thing as Mrs. Douglass, then you had not true to name bulbs. The two varieties have been tested side by side for three years, in bulbs from different sources, and we have found that without question, Mrs. Wood is lighter in color than Douglass. The form is similar, but we like the color of Wood better.

Per 10 1.25 1.10 .90 .75 .60 .50 1000 2.50

MRS. ROBT. CUNNINGHAM. (Diener). Immense lavender pink with many blooms open at a time. Very tall and a glorious show.

Per 1 .75 .60 .50 .45 .40 .35 10 .50

	1 1/2	½″up 1	S ½"-1½	ize of B	Sulbs 4'' 34"-1'	′ ½′′-¾	" ½"-½	E" Per	Bulblets
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RICHARD DIENER. Glo beautiful glads in ex		kes of	rich yel	low salm	ion. One	e of the	e most
Per 10 1.50 Per 100 13.00	$\frac{1.25}{11.00}$		$\frac{.85}{7.50}$			$\begin{array}{c} 100 \\ 1000 \end{array}$	$\frac{.30}{2.50}$
ROBERT J. KUNDERD. One of the finest va	rieties.	Highly:		nge scarl	et. Many	y floret:	s open.
Per 1 .35 Per 10	$\frac{.30}{2.50}$	.25 2.00	1.50	1.25		$\begin{array}{c} 10 \\ 100 \end{array}$	$\frac{.25}{2.00}$
ROSALIND. (Kunderd). very fine.					. Medi		
Per 1 .50	.40	.35	.25			100	3.50
ROSEMARY. (Bales). To strippled with layer	der rose.	A goo	d novelt		ound col		
Per 1 .25 Per 10 2.00	$\frac{.20}{1.50}$	1.00		.65	.50	10 100	2.00
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Per 100		25.00	20.00	16.00	13.00	1000	30.00
SARABAND. (Salbach). splendid spike and the Per 1 1.00	flower.		rple—fi .50		d strong	g grow	er and
SHELL PINK. (Kunderd flowered prim and street Per 10	splendid c	olor.	.75	ading to	white t	nroat.	2.50
SALBACH'S PRIM. (Sall and late. Good.	bach). Ta	all peac	h red w	ith lighte	er throa	t. Wid	e open
	1.75	1.50	1.25	1.00	.75	100	1.50
SHARONROSE. (Coleman pink with large dar	n). Very k blotch i	large, in throa	round, w t. One	vide open of the be	flowers	s, of be	autiful
Per 1 .50 Per 10 4.50		$35 \\ 3.00$		2.00	1.50	$\begin{array}{c} 10 \\ 100 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} .40 \\ 2.25 \end{array}$
SOPHIE FISCHER. (Fisconfirm of the finest. A va	cher). Ta	ll pure	pink wi	th slight tter know	mark in	throat	. One
Per 1 .50	.40 3.50	.35	.30	.25		$\begin{array}{c} 10 \\ 100 \end{array}$	$\frac{.40}{2.00}$
SOVEREIGN. (Vaughn). height, on Baron Ho					ement in	growt	h and
Per 10 Per 100		2.50	2.00 14.00	1.50 10.00	$\frac{1.25}{8.00}$	$\begin{array}{c} 100 \\ 1000 \end{array}$	$\frac{2.00}{12.00}$
SUNNYMEDE. (Fischer) very fine, and one v	. Light	orange	with re	d blotche	es. Med	ium siz	e, but
Per 1 .40 Per 10 3.50	.35 3.00	.30 2.50	.25 2.00	.20 1.50	1.25	$\begin{array}{c} 100 \\ 1000 \end{array}$	$1.50 \\ 12.00$

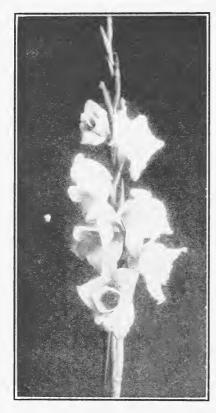
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SUNNY SONNY. (Houdyshel). Extremely tall wide open prim, of a bronzy pink which is very attractive. Fine cut flower and very early.  Per 1 1.00 .85 .75 .65 .60 .50 10 1.00
SUNKIST. (Metzner). A good red orange on tall spike.         Per 1         .50       .40       .35       10       1.00
SULPHUR FRILLS. (Kunderd). Dainty creamy yellow variety. Not large but
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SUPERBA. (Coleman). Glorious early carmine scarlet. One of the best early glads. Prolific.
Per 10       2.50       2.25       2.00       1.50       1.25       1.00       100       1.00         Per 100        18.00       13.00       10.00       8.00       1000       9.00
THE ARISTOCRAT. (Bill). Salmon saffron with purple lines on lower petals. New and unusual shade.
Per 1 1.00 .85 .75 10 .75
THOMAS EDISON. (Diener). Begonia rose with large crimson blotches. Striking. Per $10$ $2.50$ $2.00$ $1.50$ $1.00$ $100$ $2.00$
TYCHO ZANG. (Austin). Splendid late salmon pink. Very large florets on good
spike. A great cut flower variety.         Per 1       .50       .40       .35       .30       .25       .20         Per 10       4.00       3.00       2.50       2.25       2.00       1.50       100       1.25         Per 100         22.00       20.00       18.00       13.00       1000       10.00
VICTORIA FREDERICKS. (Diener). One of the finest early pinks. Many open,
and very strong. Per 1 .75 .60 .50 .40 .35 .30 100 2.50
VIRGINIA HALE. (Kunderd). Softest creamy pink and yellow. A most delicate and beautiful shade, which everyone admires.
Per 10 1.00 .85 .75 .60 .50 .40 1000 3.00
WILLIAM BADGER. (Metzner). A splendid new tall pink, which has been rather scarce. Many open florets. Splendid.  Per 1 .25 .20
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WILLIAM KENT. (Diener). Rich creamy shell pink, with golden center. Considered to be the finest ruffled variety on the market, by some. Many open florets of large size. Gloriously beautiful. Late and a poor propagator
gator. Per 1 .75 .60 .50 .40 .35 .30 10 .40

### Unusual Glads—Supreme!!

Here we list the world's most choice varieties—those gleaned from the lists all over the world. And best of all, so far as possible, we are offering planting stock and bulblets, whenever we can spare them.

Note the greatly decreased prices on these novelties; surely now you may add some of the better ones that you have been longing for. But if the prices seem higher than other growers, bear in mind that we are holding them thus to protect those who bought from us last season. And if you buy from us this year, you will be thus protected another year as far as we can influence the prices.

Thus we offer to you, what we think is one of the most complete lists of rare varieties to be found anywhere.



GLORIANA (Grown from a Number Six Bulb)

There is a lesson in each flower, A story in each stream and bower:

On every herb o'er which we tread

Are written words which rightly read,

Will lead us from earth's fragrant sod,

To hope, and holiness, and God.

### American Varieties First!

American varieues rust.		
Size of Bulbs $1\frac{1}{2}$ " up $1\frac{1}{4}$ "- $1\frac{1}{2}$ " 1"- $1\frac{1}{4}$ " $\frac{3}{4}$ "- $1$ " $\frac{1}{2}$ "- $\frac{3}{4}$ " $\frac{1}{4}$ "- $\frac{1}{2}$ "		blets
A. E. KUNDERD. (Kunderd). Glorious ruffled salmon with blotch. finest of all glads. Very tall and strong. Splendid.  Per 1 5.00 4.50 4.00 3.50 3.00 2.50		f the 4.50
ALMA RUBENS. (Diener). A good pink of unusual shade. Placed stem.	around	l the
Per 1 2.00 1.75 1.50 1.00	10	1.25
BALBOA. (Briggs). Apricot pink with yellow throat. Several open. ticularly so under artificial light.  Per 1		par- 2.50
BLEEDING HEART. (Fischer). Very tall white, blushed pink, with blotch. Large florets, well placed. Well named.  Per 1 2.00 1.75 1.50 1.00 .75 .60		
CARDINAL PRINCE. (Kunderd). Not as new as others, but still the nal. A glorious show and a pure color. Fine propagator.		
Per 1 1.00 .85 .75 .60 .50 .40		$\frac{4.00}{80.00}$
CREATORE. (Bill). Very large light red. One of the best new varied Per 1	10	5.00

Size of Bulbs Bulblets 1½" up 1¼"-1½" 1"-1¼" ¾"-1" ½"-¾" ¼"-½" Per
DR. MOODY. (Kinyon). Beautiful clear lavender without throat markings. Slightly streaked darker, at edges. In many respects, the finest lavender of all. Very strong, quite early, and a splendid propagator. (Growers, ask for prices on small stock).  Per 1 10.00
GERALDINE FARRAR. (Diener). A clear light lavender blue. Has won a num-
ber of awards for the finest blue. Does not propagate as rapidly as some.
Per 1 1.75 1.50 1.25 1.00 .75 .60 10 1.25
Per 10 10.00 8.00 7.00 5.50 100 10.00
GLORIANA. (Betscher). "The Gladiolus DeLuxe." Tall spike with large flowers of finest golden salmon, with a pure yellow throat. No other markings—no streaks of featherings. The finest, and most beautiful color I have ever seen in a glad. Blooms do not open widely, but resemble exquisite roses. Blooms from any size bulbs.  Per 1 1.00 .80 .65 .55 .45 .35 10 .50  Per 10 9.00 7.00 6.00 5.00 4.00 3.00 100 3.00  Per 100 80.00 60.00 50.00 35.00 25.00 20.00 1000 20.00
GOLD EAGLE. (Austin). The finest early yellow and frequently is so early that it beats Halley. Tall slender spike of pure deep yellow. A great commercial variety.
Per 1 3.00 2.50 2.25 1.75 1.50 1.00 10 3.00
Per 10 24.00 20.00 16.00 15.00 12.00 8.00 100 25.00

GOLDEN DREAM rugged gro								
it—late yel exhibition v	low. Ext							
Per 1 Per 10	3.50	3.00	$\frac{2.50}{20.00}$	$\frac{2.00}{18.00}$	$1.50 \\ 13.00$	$1.25 \\ 11.00$	$\begin{array}{c} 10 \\ 100 \end{array}$	$\frac{3.00}{20.00}$

GOLDEN FRILLS	. (Kund	lerd). V	ery dee	o yellow	with a	flame co	olored f	eather
in throat wh	nich does	not deta	ract fron	n its bea	uty. Ve	ry strong	g growe	r, fine
propagator	and early	y. Extr	emely w	ell ruffle	ed and a	lthough `	a prim,	is not
hooded. Fi	ne					Ü	. /	
Per 1	3.00	2.50	2.25	1.75	1.50	1.25	10	1.25
Per 10				15.00	13.00	11.00	100	10.00

HARBINGER. (Sanford). Splendid orange prim—good sized and medium height. We like it very much.

Per 1 2.50 2.00 1.50 1.25 1.00 .75 10 2.00

HELEN PHIPPS. (Phipps). A strong growing pink somewhat similar to W. H. Phipps. Earlier, more dependable. Not as large as W. H. Phipps, deeper color and better substance. Per 1 5.00 4.50 4.00 3.00 2.50 2.00 10 4.50Per 10 45.00 40.00 35.00 25.00 20.00 18.00 100 40.00

HELEN WILLS. (Salbach). One of the best whites. Pure color shaded to a creamy yellow throat. Tall slender and graceful with many florets open. A fine variety.

Per 1 5.00 4.50 4.00 3.50 3.00 2.50 10 4.00

JUNIATA. (Kemp). Beautiful delicate pink with white throat of splendid purity.

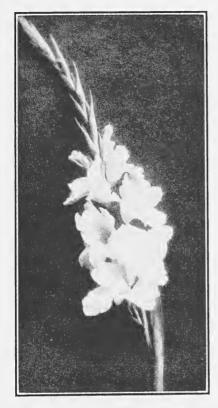
Tall slender spike and good sized flowers. Fine grower and propagator, and splendid all around commercial glad.

Per 1 ........ 2.50 2.25 ........ 10 2.50

- 1½" up 1¼"-1½" 1"-1¼" ¾"-1" ½"-¾" ¼"-½" KING TUT. (Davis). Ground color, begonia rose. Various shades suffused. Large florets, with many open. Somewhat resembles Richard Diener. .... 25.0020.00 .... LADY ALICE. (Barber). Splendid orange—a pinkish shade of orange. Very tall, and good large flowers. The best in just this shade. Not as reliable as some, but the color is so fine, that it is well worth while. 2.00 1.751.50 10 2.00 Per 1 MARY JANE. (Kunderd). Very good spike of delicate lavender pink. Slightly like Dorrit but far better. Strong and healthy grower. We like it very much. 3.50 3.00 2.502.00 MRS. CALVIN COOLIDGE. (Kunderd). A new prim which bids fair to become one of the most popular on the market. Pure soft pink with creamy yellow throat. Such a soft and pure color that it instantly attracts. A splendid thing. Per 1 15.00MRS. C. R. HINKLE. (Davis). Deep maroon. One of the good "black" varieties which we tried the past season. Fine propagator.  $2.50^{\circ}$ 2.251.25 Per 1 MRS. F. C. HORNBERGER. (Hornberger). Last season we called this our finest white and it was fine this year too. A grand pure colored bloom on tall strong spike. "As strong as Peace and as white as Europa." Splendid. 2.252.00 Per 1 2.501.751.50MRS. L. E. MILLER. (Miller). Glorious coloring of rich salmon to a pure yellow throat. Tall spike—medium to large flowers. Great substance, and spikes remain in bloom longer than any other variety I know. Orders booked for delivery November 1928, at the following prices: Per 1 100.00 10.00 ----MRS. M. J. KILLION. (Fischer). Huge lily shaped flower of finest creamy white, flushed pink at edges. Great sparkling substance for so large a variety. Per 1 2.00 1.75 1.25 1.00 1.75 1.501.10 10 MRS. P. W. SISSON. (Coleman). A truly glorious flower, yet, for all its splendour, is the most delicate thing imaginable. The form is exquisite—as the illustration will show. The color a pure soft cameo pink of remarkable purity. Extremely strong grower and very prolific. Give this variety plenty of water at blooming time, and you will be well rewarded. Per 1 3.50 3.00 2.50 2.00 1.75 1.50 10 1.75Per 10 25.00 22.00 13.00 100 30.00 18.00 15.00 15.00MINUET. (Coleman). Rich sparkling lavender of purest color to be found. The finest pure lavender. Heavy substance, large florets and many open at a time. A truly great glad. Per 1 4.00 3.50 2.50 3.00 2.00 1.75 1.50 10
  - ORCHID LADY. (Spencer). Huge glistening lavender florets of very tall spikes.

    The size, color, earliness of this variety will make it very popular. Good substance for so large a bloom. A sensation whenever shown.

    Per 1 8.00 7.00 6.00 ........ 10 7.00



"Every bird that sings,

And every flower that stirs the elastic sod.

And every breath the fragrant summer brings.

To the pure spirit, is the word of God."

---Coleridge.

MRS. P. W. SISSON

Size of Bulbs 1½"up 1¼"-1½" 1"-1½" ¾"-1" ½"-¾" ¼"-½" Per PATRICIA CARTER. (Kunderd). Delicate shrimp pink primulinus. Strong grower and an exquisite thing. Per 1 10.00 9.00 7.00 .... 10 6.00 PEARL OF CALIFORNIA. (Kingsley). A great new pink glad. The color is extremely refined and pure and this, coupled with the size and height, makes it a sensational introduction. One of the finest new glads. 3.00 Per 1 5.00 4.00 3.50 2.50 3.50 PRIDE OF PORTLAND. (Ellis). Bright begonia rose. Many florets open on tall straight spike. Fine. A prize winner wherever shown. Per 1 10.00 QUEEN OF THE NIGHT. (Diener)—STANFORD (Metzner). We have found these two varieties to be identical. Pure dark cardinal splashed almost black. Wide open glistening flowers. Will be in demand for years. Not prolific. Per 1 1.75 1.50 1.25 1.00 .85 .75RED TORNADO. (Ellis). A great red variety. To appreciate the rich glorious coloring, this variety should be planted late in the season, so that in cool weather, it will open its splendid flowers. Withstands rains better than

almost any other variety. The throat is particularly fine color. Per 1 20.00 17.00 13.50 10.00 7.50 5.00

Size of Bulbs Bulblets $1\frac{1}{2}$ " up $1\frac{1}{4}$ "- $1\frac{1}{2}$ " $1$ "- $1\frac{1}{4}$ " $3$ "- $1$ " $1$ "- $3$ " Per
RITA BECK. (Fischer). A new La France pink which is creating a sensation wherever shown. Very large heavy textured flowers of beautiful clear color. Six to eight open at a time. Splendid. Per 1 3.00 2.75 2.25 2.00 1.75 1.50 10 2.50
ROZAN. (Britsch). "The Aristocrat of Gladiolus." A huge light rose pink.  Makes great exhibition spikes, and will become very popular. Strong grower and early.  Per 1 12.00 10.00 8.00 7.00 6.00 5.00 1 1.00
ROSE O' CALIFORNIA. (Houdyshel). Beautiful deep rose pink, larger and taller than 1910 Rose. Somewhat later. Will make a fine commercial variety. Splendid.  Per 1 2.50 2.25 2.00 1.75 1.50 1.25 1 .50
RUFFLED GOLD. (Goodrich). A fine new yellow which appears to be destined for popularity. A splendid propagator. Don't miss it.  Per 1
ROSE MULBERRY. (Austin). Colored similar to Rose Ash, but better and much improved form. Good grower and makes long spikes.  Per 1 1.50 1.25 1.20
RUTH TAYLOR. (Diener). Very large white. Pure and clear. Strong grower and very late. Slow propagator. Per 1 2.00 1.75 1.50 10 2.50
RIPPLING WATERS. (Ellis). One of the best exhibition glads we have ever grown. Large wide open cream blooms, slightly suffused pink. Well placed on tall spike in double row. Created much comment wherever exhibited. Per 1 10.00 1 1.00
SANTA BARBARA. (Briggs). A fine ruffled pink. Tall grower and strong. Unusual form. Per 1
STAR OF THE SEA. (Ellis). Peach red with deeper throat. Very fine and unusual color. Growth and spike very good. Attracts lots of attention. Per 1 7.50 1 1 1
SWORD OF MAHOMET. (Ellis). An exceptionally fine smoky variety. Tall spikes with good large florets. Early. Per 1 4.00 1 .25
SYLVIA WEST. (Rugowski). Said to be the finest white in existence. Has been exhibited with many open florets, of fine color. Listed last season at \$500.00 per bulb.  Per 1
THE ORCHID. (Sprague). Very fine new variety of ur sual form. Long narrow petals are lacinated, and the entire flower resembles an orchid. Florists are enthusiastic over the possibilities. Fine propagator.  Per 1 2.50 2.00
THOMAS EDISON. (Kunderd). Several large heavily ruffled flowers open at a time, of the finest dark red. Exceptionally beautiful form and splendid substance. Fine grower.  Per 1 25.00 1 3.00

Size of Bulbs Bulblets 1½" up 1¼"-1½" 1"-1¼" ¾"-1" ½"-¾" ¼"-½" Per
VEILED BRILLIANCE. (Austin). Pink with creamy throat, lightly tinted with blue throughout. Well named. Very large flowers, and many open in a double row on the spikes. Great show flower.
Per 1 $3.00$ $2.75$ $2.00$ $1.50$ $1.25$ $1.00$ $10$ $4.50$
WHITE ORCHID. (Bill). Very large creamy florets of orchid like form. It well merits its name, and bids fair to become very popular. Fine propagator. Per 1 4.00 3.50 3.00 1 .50
YELLOW WONDER. (Kunderd). Fine light early yellow. Excellent propagator         Per 1       3.00       2.50       2.00       1.50       1.25       1.00       10       2.00       10         Per 10        10.00       8.00       6.50       100       10.00       10
Then to Europe—
We shall now introduce a few of the newer European varieties. We know you will like them as they are all fine. The Pfitzer productions are among the very best produced anywhere.
ALBATROSS. (Pfitzer). A glorious white of exquisite purity. Tall strong grower—large. The very finest white we have ever grown.  Per 1 1
CAROLUS CLUSIUS. (Velthuys). One of the few new pink varieties which are actually outstanding. Splendid spike of beautiful pink and a very good propagator. A great glad.  Per 10 5.00
CHARLES DICKENS. (Pfitzer). A beautiful shade of light purple, tall spike and large blooms. Early, and we like it.  Per 1 1.00 10 1.00
CORYPHEE. (Ffitzer). A remarkable variety with a great future. Very tall, large flowers of purest pink. We were too late to get bulbs last season, so have not seen it, but reports are surely enthusiastic over its beauty.  Per 1 1.50
EMILE AUBURN. (Lemoine). Huge spike and flower, and live smoky bronze with a large cherry blotch in center. Strong grower. One of the world's
best glads. Per 1 1.00 .90 .80 .70 .65 .50 10 .75
GERTRUDE PFITZER. (Pfitzer). A fine new lavender blue that is making a hit. One of the several fine blues which Mr. Pfitzer has given us. More like the color of Badenia than any other. Splendid propagator and blooms from bulblets.
Per 1 .75
HEAVENLY BLUE. (Pfitzer). We think the color of this blue to be the best of all. It is light to be sure, but no other can compare with it for delicacy of coloring or clarity. A fine tall and graceful spike, with a number of blooms open. Good grower, but not as good a propagator as Konynenburg.
Per 1 15.00 12.00 10.00 $8.00$ 7.00 $6.00$ 1 $1.50$ 10 $13.50$
KRELAGE'S FAVORITE. (Krelage). A fine red prim. The best moderately priced variety of this color. A prize winner.  Per 1 .50 .45 .40 .35 .30 .25 10 1.00

Size of Bulbs Bulblets
1½" up 1¼"-1½" 1"-1¼" ¾"-1" ½"-¾" ¼"-½" Per
LA GAETE. (Velthuys). A great cut flower variety—light pink with cherry blotch. Good propagator.
Per
MRS. VAN KONYNENBURG. (Pfitzer). Perhaps the best commercial blue— a strong grower and vigorous multiplier. Tall spike and large florets. One of the most popular glads on the market.
Per 1 5.00 4.50 4.00 3.00 2.50 2.00 10 3.50 Per 10 25.00 22.00 18.00 30.00
PAUL PFITZER. (Pfitzer). Clear live reddish purple—the best variety in this color. Tall straight spike with large flower. Splendid propagator. Per 1 1.00 .90 .80 .70 .60 .50 10 1.00 8.00
OTHELLO. (Pfitzer). Fine deep violet with excellent spike. Strong grower, and
the color is very attractive. Per 1 2.00 1.75 1.50 10 1.50
PFITZER'S TRIUMPH. (Pfitzer). The most talked about glad since W. H. Phipps was placed on the market. It is a truly spectacular variety with huge florets of bright orange salmon well placed on a good spike. A matchless exhibition flower even from number six bulbs. Glorious. You will not be disappointed in this one.
Per 1 5.00 4.00 3.00 10 2.50 100 20.00
PHAENOMEN. (Pfitzer). A color harmony in pink and soft yellow. Medium sized flowers on medium spikes, but the color is exquisite. Good propagator
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Size of Bulbs Bulblets 1½"up 1¼"-1½" 1"-1¼" ¾"-1" ½"-¾" ½" Per
VAN DER NEER. (Velthuys). A splendid bright purple, about the color of Jacob van Beyren, but much better grower and earlier. Tall and fine color. Per 100 3.00
VEILCHENBLAU. (Pfitzer). The leading blue gladiolus. A mighty fine dark blue glad. Extremely popular.  Per 1 2.00 1.75 1.50 1.25 1.10 1.00 10 1.00
YELLOW WONDER. (Pfitzer). Fine light yellow. Somewhat similar in color to the Kunderd Yellow Wonder. Strong grower.  Per 1 3.50 3.00
YVONNE. (Velthuys). A new white variety which deserves all the good things said about it. Slightly similar to Vesta Tilly, but far superior to that variety. Good height, splendid growth, and extremely early. Substance is of the best, and it sparkles in the sun. Fine propagator.  Per
Far Off Australia and New Zealand
From Continental Europe we shall skip far across the seas in the opposite direction, and give a list of the better Australian and New Zealand varieties. The Erry Bros. are the leading hybridizers in Australia and have given us some splendid things. Varieties from New Zealand are generally unusual in color and are large with many open florets. They are all well liked. Doney is the leading originator there.
AVERILL. (Errey). A very beautiful salmon bloom with large creamy blotch.  Early. One of the finest of all glads, making a splendid exhibition spike.  Per 1 1.25
CLOTH OF GOLD. (Unknown). A good light yellow with deeper center. Not as strong as most varieties, but a good germinator.  Per 1 1.00 .75 .60 10 1.75
ENSIGN. (Errey). Bright red with pure white blotches. Very striking variety. Similar to Victor.  Per 1 2.00 1.75 1.50 10 1.25
ELEGANCE. (Errey). Lavender pink at edges shading to a creamy center.  One of the most delicately beautiful of all.  Per 1 4.00 3.50 3.25 3.00 2.50 2.25 10 5.00
GERTRUDE ERREY. (Errey). The best known of the Australian varieties.  Light shell pink shading to white at throat. Deeper marking on lower petals. Should make fine commercial variety.  Per 1 1.00 .75 .65 .50 .40 .30 10 .50  Per 10 5.00 4.50 3.50 2.50 100 4.00
HERODIAN. (Errey). Rose pink heavily flaked deeper shade. Good exhibition spike, but small flowers.  Per 1 1.00 .85 .75 10 1.00
HINEMOA. (Doney). One of the world's greatest glads. A huge deep rose pink bloom, heavily flaked with maroon, with great cream blotches on lower petals. Strong rugged grower with fine tall spikes. A sensation where-ever exhibited.  Per 1 5.00 4.00 10 5.00
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IREMEL. (Errey). A good bright crimson with cream blotch on lower petals.  Good spikes closely set with large flowers.  Per 1 1.25 1.00 .85 .75 .65 .50 10 .75
JEAN TENNEY. (Nichols). Light silvery lavender rose—lighter to center.  Good color and spike, medium bloom.  Per 1 1.50 1.25 1.00 10 1.00
KING PEARL. (Errey). Tall strong grower with beautiful white, shading to cream center. A fine glad although not large.  Per 1 1.75 1.50 1.25 1.00 .85 .75 10 1.50
Per 1       1.75       1.50       1.25       1.00       .85       .75       10       1.50         LEOLIN. (Errey). Delicate pink. Per 1       Good spikes. Medium flowers. Per 1       1.25       1.00
MARMORA. (Errey). One of the finest glads in existence. A very tall spike with eight to twelve large flowers open at a time. Color a beautiful smoky lavender with deeper blotches in throat. We think it the finest of the Errey productions.
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MRS. T. RATTRAY. (Rattray). One of the most famous varieties from the far side of the world. A celebrated exhibition variety of fine rose pink. Very long spikes of perfect form. Slow propagator. Strong grower. Twelve to fifteen open.
Per 1 7.50 10 7.00
NGARURORO. (Unknown). Rich cerise—an unusual color on long spike. Fine flower, but a very crooked spike under Michigan conditions. Per 1 2.00 1.75 1.50 1.25 1.10 1.00 10 2.00
NIMROD. (Errey). A fine dark variety—in a class with our American "Queen of the Night." Not quite so fine a color, but earlier and more dependable. Second prize at Lansing this season in color class.  Per 1 1.00 .85 .75 10 .75
RENOWN. (Errey). One of the very best. Good sized flowers, perfectly placed on tall spike with eight open at a time. Color is a pure cream shading to yellow throat—very clear and beautiful.
Per 1 3.50 3.00 2.50 2.00 1.75 1.50 10 3.00
TITAN. (Errey). Very large salmon flowers, with dark blotch. Strong grower. Per 1
TUTANAKAI. (Doney). We must deviate from our usual custom, and let our New Zealand friends describe the color of this variety: "An ochre tint with orange sheen, flecked brown ochre." Very highly rated in that country and we share their admiration. Good grower with many open florets on tall heavy spike. Greatly admired in our gardens.  Per 1 10.00 8.00 7.50 6.50 5.50 5.00 10 6.00
VICTOR. (Errey). A glorious scarlet with pure white blotches. The best blotched scarlet we have ever seen. Gloriously brilliant.  Per 1 2.00 1.75 1.50 1.25 1.00 .90 10 1.50
WAIRANGI. (Doney). Tall purple with cream throat. A good purple.  Per 1 1.50 1.25 1.00 .90 .75 .60 10 .75

### Scotland!

From the far southwest, we return to Europe again, and list this group of Scotch varieties. All are Mair productions, and fine varieties they are. Long spikes with many open florets characterize them. Try a few!
ALICE KENNEDY. (M). Light scarlet, flaked darker. Bulblets—Per 10\$1.50
APRICOT. (M). Salmon apricot, beautiful color but not a strong grower.  Bulblets—Per 10
BERTY SNOW. (M). Soft lavender lighter throat. The most beautiful lavender we ever grew. Very large flowers, and many open at a time.  Bulblets—Per 10
CARRICK. (M). Very good smoky. Fine spikes. Bulblets—Per 10
CHARM. (M). Pale rose shaded to white. Exquisite. Bulblets—Per 10
DAVID ANDRIE. (M). Carmine red, shaded to a white throat.  Bulblets—Per 10
DUCHESS OF YORK. (M). Do not confuse this with the Holland variety of the same name. Another beautiful smoky variety. Large flowers with white center.  Bulblets—Per 10
ELEGANCE. (M). (Do not confuse with Errey's Elegance). Cream, with small red blotch.  Bulblets—Per 10
GLORIOSA. (M). (Do not confuse with Betscher's Gloriosa). Very similar to King George, except a little lighter. Very long spike with many open. Fine. Bulblets—Per 10
JAMES DUNLOP. (M). Soft red, white throat. Bulblets—Per 10
JEANNE SMITH. (M). Scarlet with dark blotch. Long spikes. Bulblets—Per 10
JULIA. (M). Rose pink, very early. Bulblets—Per 10
KING GEORGE. (M). One of the most glorious reds we have ever seen. Pure crimson with striking red blotch in throat. Very tall and stately with many florets perfectly and symetrically arranged opened at once. A truly wonderful variety.  Bulblets—Per 10
LILLIE. (M). Medium flower. White with lilac banks.  Bulblets—Per 10
LOVELY. (M). Rose with white blotches.  Bulblets—Per 10
MARVEL. (M). Pink with golden yellow center. A most unusual and beautiful color combination.
Bulblets—Per 10
Bulblets—Per 10 2.50 SNOWWREATH. (M). A good white. Bulblets—Per 10 1.25
SPARKLER. (M). Colored similar to American Beauty but a tall graceful spike. Very good.
Bulblets—Per 10
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### JOE COLEMAN

has won with his originations, three medals at A. G. S. exhibitions; also the \$100.00 Sisson prize for the finest seedling at New York City in 1924. His originations have been given highest praise from growers all over the world. Minuet, Mrs. Sisson, Catherine Coleman, Giant Nymph, and the several others, all stand at the head of their color classes.

We were very fortunate in being able to secure the stock of ALL his unnamed seedlings this fall. There are quite a number which are segregated, in various quantities—about a hundred different kinds, including a great variety of colors. Of particular interest is the large number of fine new yellows which are included. These will be introduced in the years to come, as the quantity and quality warrants. A considerable number more are yet in the mixture. Joe tells us that there are quite as fine varieties among these seedlings as the best of his introductions. So watch for them with interest.

There are three varieties which are in good enough supply to list this season. While we have not seen the flower, we are willing to guarantee the quality, from the description sent with them, and from the great reputation of the originator. These are as follows:

- QUEEN ESTHER. (Coleman). "A big light yellow; heavy foliage; tall grower and fine large flower." Dr. Miller of Minnesota says "It is a massive canary yellow—self color. Shade is between Obelisque and Golden Dream. The blossom was large and it proved a good keeper. It belongs in a class with Gold Eagle and Golden Dream and ought to satisfy any connoiseur." The stock is very limited, in this one—more so than the other two, and we are going to release only ten bulbs this season. These will be all number one in size. No bulblets for sale. Each, \$25.00. Not more than one to a customer.
- OSCEOLA. (Coleman). "The variety marked 'red with black throat' is liked by all who have seen it—medium size flower, many open at one time, with a distinct intense black throat; petals deep crimson." Owing to the rich color we decided to honor it with the name of our county, the county having been named for an Indian Chief who lived in these parts. We have a better stock of this one, and can offer twenty-five bulbs of it. Each \$2.00. One bulb and five bulblets (for testing germination) \$2.50. No bulblets sold separately, and not more than two collections to a customer.
- KING MIDAS. (Coleman). "While this yellow is not a large flower, it has a lot of good qualities as to substance, placement and color." We are led to believe that it is a deep yellow. The stock is rather limited. Each, \$1.50. Two, (limit to a customer), \$2.50. No bulblets can be offered.

We have tried to make the prices as reasonable as is consistent with the quantity of stock, and the quality of the introductions. Should you not be satisfied with them after growing for a season, we have the confidence in the varieties that we will offer your money back next fall.

Special Offer. The quantity limit of each of the new Coleman originations, Queen Esther, Osceola, and King Midas, for \$30.00. Not more than one collection to a customer. One bulb each of Osceola and King Midas, \$3.00.

### Our Introductions of Past Years

Size of Bulbs Bulblets  $1\,\%''$  up  $1\,\%''-1\,\%''$   $1''-1\,\%''$  3''-1'' 1''-1'' 1''-1'' Per

SUNSET GLOW. (Gibbs). "A beautiful name for a glorious glad." Dr. Bales, whom every one in the glad game knows, said "Why don't you advertise the fact that Sunset Glow is early? It was the first variety to bloom in my garden this season—and the color can't be beat." So here we are. The beautiful scarlet flowers on the extremely tall spikes come before any other—and are doubly welcome. Other growers have reported the same thing. The pure yellow throat adds much to the attractiveness, and whereever a bright color is desired in decorations, there are very few finer varieties. If you haven't yet grown it—better try it. And get your order in early, for stock is rather limited and it is truly, "A Golden Sunset in the Heart of a Beautiful Glad."

.75 .50 .40 100 .25 Per 10 1.00 .85 .65 1000 2.00 5.00 4.50 4.00 3.00 2.00 Per 100 6.00

MRS. W. THURSTON GIBBS. (Gibbs). A very good new variety introduced last season. Dr. Steinhauer says of it. "Pale amaranth pink, with two lively purple blotches in throat. Splendid texture, and six to seven large florets open at a time. This long lasting beauty is bound to make friends." With us, it compared with Mrs. Peters as a florists' flower. The placement and spike is similar. It is not as strong a grower as Peters, but is a better germinator. Fine spike for cutting. An improved Vesta Lilly.

Per 1	.50	.40	.35	 	 10	.50
Per 10	4.00	3.50	3.00	 	 100	3.50

GLADSOME. (Suttle). A pure soft creamy yellow primulinus grandiflora. Four to five beautiful florets open at a time. The lower petals are pure deep yellow. Not a trace of any other color in the entire flower. Surely, "Gladsome is some glad!" One of the most popular varieties in our exhibit at East Lansing. Created much favorable comment at the Northwestern Glad show at Portland, Oregon, last summer. One of the earliest varieties on the market and a very heavy propagator.

Per 1	.50	.40	.30	.25			10	.60
Per 10	4.00	3.50	2.50	2.00	1.75	1.50	100	4.00

Note—Owing to the splendid stock of these varieties and the fine commercial character of the bloom—it was deemed advisable to make reduction in price as listed. Those who bought these last season will receive cash refund.

BROOKLYN. (Fischer's No. 274). If you bought this variety the past season under number, you will find this the same thing. An improved Independence. The flower and spike is similar. It is a medium flower, not many open at a time, but on a good tall spike. Strong grower. Small bulbs do not flower. Makes lots of good sized bulblets which germinate well. But the color makes it worth growing in spite of its faults. It is such a clear sparkling pink with throat blotches of richest carmine, which makes a combination of color which is unbeatable. Gloriously rich. Large bulbs, 40c each. Small (three fourth inch) 25c. Bulblets, dozen 25c. 100, \$1.50.

## Special Bulblet Offers

For those who desire a bulblet or two of some of the newer varieties for trial, we are offering the following list. In most varieties, we can offer bulbs in various sizes, but quantities are too small to quote.

Please do not ask for bulblets in quantities other than listed herein. The stock is too limited to offer more, and we cannot afford to break the lots.

Varieties are offered just as we went over them, and are not arranged by introducers or alphabetically.

WIAWASSEE. (Kunderd). Good rose pink
RUTH FIELD. (Kunderd). Lavender with cream throat
BLUE JACKET. (Metzner). A "blue"
HOOSIER PEARL. (Kunderd). Exquisite pink and yellow prim
J. D. OLIVER. (Kunderd). Very large lavender
SPIRIT OF '76. (Kunderd). Orange—red lines
PASADENA. (Diener). A good bright red
CLIO. (Kunderd). Lavender rose on white ground
COPPER BRONZE. (Kunderd). Unique color. The name describes it2 for 35c
POMPEIN BEAUTY. (Kunderd). Fine deep rose
HALCYON. (Bill). A good lavender pink
ORANGE DELIGHT. (Kunderd). Lacinated orange
VIOLET PRINCE. (Kunderd). Violet red
LAVENDER BEAUTY. (Kunderd). Lacinated lavender
INDIAN CHIEF. (Kunderd). Dark red
WM. BOOTH. (Kunderd). Good rose purple
ZONA. (Kunderd). An exquisite prim. Pink and yellow
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CARA MIA. (Miller). La France pink
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REAH. (Salbach). Good mallow purple with deeper blotches	for 2	25c
LLEWELLYN. (Salbach). Heavily ruffled pink	for 2	25c
PRIMROSE PRINCESS. (Salbach). Fine new light yellow	for 8	50c
ROYAL BENGAL. (Salbach). Splendid oddity	for 5	50c
PURPLE PERFECTION. (Krelage). A good purple4	for 2	25c
QUEEN MARY. (Salbach). Peach red and orange	for 7	75c
PACKARD. (Burbank). Very good lavender	for a	50c
ANTIOCH. (Metzner). Good salmon, flaked deeper	for 2	25c
PHINI. (Diener). Pink, something like America	for 2	25c
TEHAMA. (Diener). Lighter than Baron Hulot	for 2	25c
ENCHANTRESS. (Kunderd). Beautiful salmon pink	for a	50c
FORTUNA. (Holland). Good light yellow	for a	50c
ENERGY. (Holland). Splendid early red	for 2	25c
MATTIE BELL. (Rooney). Apricot and yellow. Early5	for 2	25c
WHITE BEAUTY. (Holland). Very good commercial white	for 2	25c
EUGENE LEFEBRE. (Lemoine). Large blotched novelty4	for 2	25c
PASTELLA. (Kunderd). Beautiful coloring	for 2	25c
HELIOTROPE. (Lemoine). Better than Baron Hulot	for 2	25c
ATLANTA. (Carpenter). Large pink, early	for 2	25c
ELLA DAY. (Carpenter). Large La France pink	for 1	.00
FRIEND O' MINE. (Carpenter). Geranium pink	for 2	25c
NORMANDY. (Carpenter). Very early orange	for 2	25c
LINDA DAY. (Carpenter). A large yellow prim	for 2	25c
LOTTIE BELLE. (Carpenter). Very early pink	for 2	25c
RADIANT. (Salbach). Fine tall prim	for 2	25c
SONNENBURG. (Bill). Heavy spikes, a fine pink	for 2	25c
BATTLE CREEK. (Kunderd). Good purple blotched darker3	for 2	25c
ROBINHOOD. (Bill). Unusual pink	for 2	25c
DR. CHRIST MARTZ. (Kunderd). Glorious ruffled red	for 2	25c
SIRENE. (Carpenter). Begonia rose with white petals	for 2	25c
FLAMBEAU. (Miller). Brilliant salmon vermillion	for a	50c
PAULINE KUNDERD. (Kunderd). Exquisite pink and cream1	for 2	.50
EXCELLENCE. (Kunderd). Splendid early red	for 2	25c
WHITE PREMIER. (Bill). Fine white	for a	50c
FULD'S FAVORITE. (Kunderd). Light lavender	for 6	30c
SAN FRANCISCO. (Kunderd). Queer shade of red	for 2	25c
JAP. (Kunderd). Self colored yellow prim; fine	for 5	50c
GOLDEN SNAPDRAGON. (Kunderd). New type. Odd1		
BLANCHE BOLLINGER. (Kunderd). Old rose. Good	for 2	25c
MEXICO. (Diener). Non fading red		
CANANDAIGUA RED. (Bill). A popular red2		
BARBARA LE MAR. (Diener). Geranium pink	for 8	50c
MR. CHRISTIAN DE GUIGNE. (Diener). Light red1	for 2	25c
THAIS VALDEMAR. (Diener). Good flower, fine color	for 2	25c

CRIMSON RUFFLES. (Bonsteel). Glorious ruffled crimson	2 for 25c
OLIVE GOODRICH. (Goodrich). Exquisite pink and white	2 for 25c
MURREL LITER. (Goodrich). Fine exhibition pink	2 for 25c
GOLDEN ELSIE. (Wetzel). Deepest yellow of all	3 for 50c
CATALINA. (Briggs). Apricot pink to yellow throat	2 for 50c
MABEL IRVING. (Briggs). Clear pink	2 for 50c
MERCED. (Briggs). Orange saffron	2 for 50c
MISSION BELLS. (Briggs). Orange pink	2 for 50c

### Michigan Growers and Amateurs

should become members of the Michigan Gladiolus Society. The quarterly bulletin, the first number of which will be issued January 1, is worth far more than the cost of the membership. It will contain many fine cultural articles by those who know, articles on varieties, staging exhibits, foreign importations, etc. By all means join now. And you people who live outside Michigan are also invited, and we feel sure that you will enjoy and profit by our Bulletins.



The American Gladiolus Society is doing a great work for this flower, also, and is one of the greatest, and most rapid growing floral organizations in existence. The Official Bulletin is issued monthly, and contains numerous instructive articles.

### Special!

Dues to the Michigan Gladiolus Society are only \$1.50 per year. To the American Gladiolus Society, are \$2.00 per year. To any person who will send us a New membership to either of these societies, we offer your choice of three selected bulblets, Gold Eagle or a blooming size bulb of Gloriana.

### How We Liked Them

Having tried out a great many—not to say most—of the new varieties produced here and abroad the past season, we are glad for this opportunity to mention some of the outstanding ones—comparing them with others in the same color.

Pink is the most popular color in the gladiolus—at least it is the most widely grown—the most useful and my own personal favorite. It is difficult to say just which was the finest. A number of older varieties were so fine that I think none of the new ones—glorious though they may be, were better. Mrs. Sisson, A. E. Kunderd, Rita Beck, Catherine Coleman, Juniata, and numerous others were gloriously beautiful. Gloriana still stands as the best and most beautifully colored of all.

But the new ones were in many cases, superb. A new creation, Mrs. Leo E. Miller which is not yet on the market, was very fine. Betty Lucile, another seedling which is not seen yet commercially, was also extremely good. Mrs. Calvin Coolidge was admired by all who saw it. Krimhilde and Rozan were similar and are fine. Oszlin, Amoret and I think Catalina, were very similar. They are all partly primulinus, and are all splendid. Goodrich's Lorena and Murrel Liter are outstanding. Star of the Sea was unusual in color and Pride of Portland a bright begonia rose of moderate substance was very fine. Angel's Dream, also from Oregon was very dainty color. These were all outstanding. Mrs. R. Rattray was superb in her very long spike. Elegance was again splendid. Mrs. Galbraith from Scotland was a splendid exhibition spike, and Charm was extremely dainty. Trudal Grotz stood out as a fine bloom. Rose O' California was fine again this season. Pearl of California is a glorious spike, and one of the very best. Helen Phipps was a fine thing being an improvement in a number of respects, on W. H.

Phipps which was as glorious as usual. Emma was a fine blotched flower from Europe. Carolus Clusius was the most outstanding variety of Velthuys. It will make a great commercial flower. Sorry Coryphee didn't bloom. Annie Laurie are splendid commercial varieties and are always greatly admired. Phaenomen is a dainty color too. Bleeding Heart of Fischers was outstanding in height. Diener's Nixe is the best thing he has put out in a long time. It is a fine pink. Veiled Brilliance is glorious. While slightly smoky, it's fine.

Many were the fine lavenders which we viewed during the year. In the quest for a blue glad, every originator is getting some good lavenders. Consequently the improve-ment in this color, is rapid. It is hard to beat Minuet. Dr. Moody is stronger and a better propagator and earlier, and while the color is about the same, Dr. Moody has flaked lines of a little lighter shade at the edges of the petals. Both are surely splendid. Among the early lavenders, Orchid Lady was easily the outstanding variety. Its extreme height, coupled with the great size, will make it a leading variety, in spite of the moderate substance. The Decorah gardens have given us several fine lavenders. We were sorry not to have Miss Des Moines—also Mary Frey and Junice.
Mayo was the largest and tallest, but Regalis and Jane Adams were The color was somewhat similar. All have beautiful throats. However, Berty Snow, from Scotland is better than any of these. It is a huge flower, fine substance, on a splendid spike, and has more open florets than our American lavenders. It does not compete with Minuet because the color is lighter—very similar to Dr. Mayo. From



PINK WONDER

first year bulbs, it was superb, and it's early too. Mrs. Robt. Cunningham is a huge spike and fine flower.

Among the blues, we had a number of beauties. I still think Heavenly Blue is the finest color—it is so pure and refined. While the growth and reproduction is not up to Konynenburg, yet for a pure color—a show bloom—it is surely fine. Mrs. Pfitzer is much like Badenia in color, but is a good strong grower and blooms from bulblets. I think it is larger than Badenia. It is fine. Mrs. Konynenburg is the best commercial blue on the market from our experience. It is a splendid grower, and a fine propagator. Othello is a deeper color, and is fine too. Geraldine Farrar still is much admired. Grace Kimball is fine—a stronger grower than most blues. A new variety from Australia,—Daintiness is somewhat like Mr. Mark in coloring, but much larger, more intense and a stronger grower. It attracted a lot of attention the past season.

I still think Paul Pfitzer is the best purple on the market. Its glorious color coupled with splendid growth and reproduction puts it in a class where it will be a fine commercial variety. Aida is almost as dark as Baron Hulot but much larger bloom and twice as beautiful. Sovereign still attracts much attention on account of the splendid color. It is a great propagator. Charles Dickens is lighter, and is splendid. Tehama does not attract a great deal of attention, although the color is quite near a blue. Purple Queen is splendid—among the best ruffled purples. Purpuria is a good early purple.

The finest pure yellow we had was Golden Dream. Gold Eagle, much earlier, more slender spike, and more graceful, will be a greater commercial variety, but Golden Dream is a great tall deep exhibition variety of the pure rich color of Souvenir. It is rather late, but certainly is well worth waiting for. K's Yellow Wonder, the Holland variety of the same name, and Fortuna are all more or less

similar in color, varying only in intensity. They are all good. I think Fortuna the best of the three. Cloth of Gold and Golden Ensign, both from Canada are somewhat similar. Both are light. Cloth of Gold from Australia has not bloom-Golden Frills is almost the best color out—it surely is pure and the cerise feather rather adds than detracts from the beauty. Wetzel's Golden Elsie is a glorious deep yellow prim, deeper even than Souvenir.

The good whites were quite plentiful. Albatross from Europe was the finest we ever grew. It is tall and pure and large. Helen Wills is a very graceful variety, and has many florets open. It is more of a cream white. Le Cygne a prim grandiflora opens six to eight perfectly placed blooms at once. It is exquisite and a fine commercial flower. Olive Goodrich is a beautiful thing with a pink edge. Mrs. Hornberger and Mrs. Prestgard were again fine, as was Purest of All. Ruffolace is one of the most dainty flowers I have ever seen. The frilled and lacinated edges give it a refinement that few varieties possess. Tiffany is a fine commercial white variety.

It is difficult to tell just which color class Helen Howard belongs in but the general impression when one views the flower that it is orange salmon. It is glorious beyond compare, and one of the finest things put out the past season. Little Buddy Worden is a most dainty prim of light orange. The best deep live color is Marnia which was glorious. Normany was the first to bloom and is very good color, although the throat mars the beauty. Sunnymede is fine but is smaller. The orange prims, Alan V, Bunch, Ethelyn, and Orange Queen are all very good. They are in big demand. Queen Mary and Nancy Hanks of Salbach's carry a recollection of an orange shade. They are a little similar. I believe the newer variety is larger and stronger.



The new reds which are outstanding, are not so plentiful as some colors, yet those that are good are quite numerous. Kunderd's Thomas Edison is fine—as the price would indicate. The color, substance, and placement all is outstanding. His Excellence is earlier and is a fine bright color. Scarlet Bedder is the finest scarlet prim we ever grew-or saw. It is glorious in form, size and color. Victor and Ensign were fine blotched scarlets. They surely attract a lot of attention. The finest self colored scarlet is Fischer's Capt. Miles Standish. It is wonderful but the growth does not seem to be all that could be desired. Cardinal Prince is still the best in its color. Red Tornado showed the richest coloring I had ever seen in a glad, when the bulblets bloomed late this fall when it was rainy. The throat blotch was glorious beyond compare. Of course Pfitzer's Triumph is always fine, but it isn't really a red. Crimson Ruffles from Canada was about as fine an early red as we had. One young man who saw them all called this the most beautiful in the garden. The new "black" varieties were fine. Persia

ROSE ASH garden. The new "black" varieties were fine. Persia and Arabia are identical with us, and are fine. While not as large as Stanford—or Queen of the Night they are more dependable. Nimrod is the earliest of the dark varieties, and is a fine thing although not quite as dark as the others.

We had a number of fine new smoky varieties. Marmora was the finest of them all. It surely is a glorious thing, and was admired by everyone. Duchess of York from Scotland was one of the very finest. Mr. Diener has given us a number of beautiful smoky ones, witness London Smoke, Carmlita, Mrs. Cotheran, and others. These are all fine. Lavender Bride is a great improvement on Rose Ash. John T. Pirie, although not new, still is greatly admired. These odd colored varieties are all very unusual, and are coming more and more into a big demand.

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While our stocks in some varieties are large, yet others are very limited, and it will be to our mutual advantage to send your order early.

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I saw a glad some time ago—
A glad I'm sure you'd like to know.
It was tinted with colors so wond'rous bright,
Tints that we see in the skys at night
When the sun leaves a lingering golden glow,
And the clouds the brightness of crimson, show.

In its throat were gleams of purest gold; No lovlier sight could we behold. It's petals gleamed with a scarlet hue, As gleamed the clouds in heaven's blue, This glad I'm sure you'd like to know Is surely that glorious SUNSET GLOW.

-Zimmerman.