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# ELLMORE'S GLADIOLUS GARDENS

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DAHLIAS

EASTON, ILLINOIS

**TERMS**—Remittance with order or a deposit of 25% and the balance C. O. D.

**REMITTANCES** should be made by Postal or Express Money Orders. Extra bulbs will be included to offset the extra charge. Currency enclosed with your order is sent at the sender's own risk.

**POSTAGE** is prepaid on all orders.

**STOCK** is true to name, of fine quality, free from disease and injurious insects, young and full of pep.

**SUBSTITUTION**—We will not substitute one variety for another without your sanction. But in case we are sold out of the size ordered we will send an equal value in larger or smaller bulbs of the same variety. All stock is offered subject to prior sale.

**EXTRAS** included in every Gladiolus order according to the size of the order.

**SHIPMENT** will be made at once on all Gladiolus orders. Dahlias will be shipped around May 1st. Printed directions on the care and culture of Gladiolus and Dahlias will be included with every order.

**LOCATION**—Our gardens are located on Paved Highway No. 43. We are the first house north of the Easton High School. Visitors are always welcome.

**THANK YOU** for your orders in the past and any sized order you may give us this Spring will certainly be appreciated. We want to thank especially, those friends, both old and new, who came to our exhibit at the Illinois State Fair and told us of their success with our bulbs. We wish you all more success in 1933.

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**TRITOMA (Pfitzerii) or Red Hot Poker Plant**—Showy cone-shaped flower-heads of orange flame color. Will bloom the first summer if set out in early May. Divisions 15c. Clumps 25c.

## LARGE FLOWERING CANNAS

**HOLLYWOOD**—Salmon blooms, green foliage. 4-ft. plants. Each 10c.

**HUNGARIA**—Rose pink, green leaves. 3½-ft. tall. Each 10c.

**MRS. HERBERT HOOVER**—Watermelon pink. 3-ft. tall. Each 40c.

**ROSEMOND COLES**—Bright red flowers edged and backed with yellow. Green foliage. 4-ft. tall. Each 20c.

**STATUE OF LIBERTY**—Orange scarlet flowers. Bronze foliage. Very tall, often 6-ft. or more. Each 10c.

**THE PRESIDENT**—Scarlet flowers. Green leaves. 4-ft. tall. Each 10c.

**WYOMING**—Orange flowers. Bronze foliage. 4 to 5-ft. tall. Each 10c.

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The following Dahlias and others we will have growing in our gardens during the summer of 1933. We shall be glad to have anyone come to see them during the blooming season. September is usually the ideal Dahlia blooming month.

ACHIEVEMENT	DWIGHT W. MORROW	JEWEL OF INDIA
AMERICAN LEGION	EAGLE ROCK GEM	KENTUCKY RED
CHEMAR'S MASTERPIECE	FAN WOOD	LINCOLN G. DICKEY
DAD	FLORAL PARK	ORIENTALE
DANCING SULTAN	JANET SOUTHWICK	ROBT. E. LEE
DR. JOHN CARMEN	JERSEY'S MAMMOTH	SHARAZAD

# ...DAHLIAS...

We are proud to offer the following Dahlias. We believe our collection to be one of the finest grown in the Central States. It contains the best of the old and new varieties. We need beautiful flowers to brighten our hearts and gardens more this year than any year, and a planting of Dahlias brings to the flower lover many times over the amount invested, in happiness.

Abbreviations: Dec., Decorative, large flowering double Dahlia. F. D., Formal Decorative is a large flowering double Dahlia whose petals grow in the same regular formal pattern in each flower, like Jersey Beauty. I. D., Informal Decorative is a large flowering double Dahlia whose long petals show a slight tendency to twist or curl, presenting a shaggy appearance, like Jane Cowl. C., Cactus Dahlia is a Dahlia whose petals are curved under to form a long tube. S., Show Dahlia is over 2 inches in diameter and depth, forming almost a perfect ball.

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## 25c VARIETIES

- AMUN RA**—Dec. Large flowers of orange and gold, deepening to reddish brown in the centre. Average plant 5-ft. high. **Each 25c.**
- AVALON**—F. D. Pure light yellow blooms. Good stems. **Each 25c.**
- BONNIE BRAE**—Dec. Two-toned combination of peach pink and cream. Very free flowering. **Each 25c.**
- BASHFUL GIANT**—Dec. Excellent large flowers of apricot and gold on tall plants. **Each 25c.**
- DR. TEVIS**—Dec. Salmon rose and old gold. Long stems. Tall plants. **Each 25c.**
- ELEANOR MARTIN**—I. D. Two-toned, beautiful mulberry and gold. Large flowers on medium plants. **Each 25c.**
- ELLINOR VANDEVEER**—F. D. Rich, glowing, satiny lavender pink, perfectly formed, on extra long stiff stems on tall plants. **Each 25c.**
- JERSEY BEACON**—F. D. Chinese scarlet with paler reverses. One of the best. Plants of medium height with extra large flowers. **Each 25c.**
- JERSEY BEAUTY**—F. D. A true pink of perfect formation and clear color, borne on long stiff stems. The finest cut flower variety. Very tall plants. **Each 25c.**
- JUDGE MAREAN**—Dec. A blending of salmon pink, red, orange and yellow. Large flowers. **Each 25c.**
- MARGARET WOODROW WILSON**—I. D. Creamy white with lavender shades on reverse side of petals. Free bloomer on low growing plants. Extra large flowers often 11 or more inches in diameter. **Each 25c.**
- MRS. I. D. VER WARNER**—F. D. Deep shade of lavender. Tall plants loaded with blooms of good size. Excellent cut flower. **Each 25c.**
- POLAR SNOW**—Dec. Very large, pure white, full and deep flowers. Good exhibition flower. Long stems. **Each 25c.**
- PRIDE OF CALIFORNIA**—Dec. Strong crimson red, self colored flower. Long stems, tall plants. Six to eight-inch flowers. **Each 25c.**
- SAGAMORE**—F. D. Amber gold. A fine cut flower. Perfectly formed on medium height plants. **Each 25c.**
- SALBACH'S WHITE**—Dec. An ivory white California variety. Large blooms of wonderful substance and profuse bloomer on splendid stems. **Each 25c.**
- SHUDOW'S LAVENDER**—F. D. Light lavender shading to a creamy white center. Tall plants. **Each 25c.**

One tuber of any 12 different varieties of the 25c varieties listed above for \$2.50.

## 40c VARIETIES

- CHANG**—F. D. Socalled because of its color of burnished copper and gold. Flowers sometimes having a reddish copper tone. Gorgeous blooms with good depth and unusual formation. **Each 40c.**
- CIGARETTE**—Cactus. Indian skin red with each petal tipped white. Long stems. Tall plants. **Each 40c.**
- ELITE GLORY**—Dec. Brilliant American Beauty red with tough dark green foliage that seems to be insect resistant. **Each 40c.**
- FORT MONMOUTH**—Semi-Cactus. Immense sized flowers of rich crimson maroon. Wonderful coloring. Long stems on tall plant. **Each 40c.**
- HARRY MAYER**—Dec. A fine two-toned lavender. Large flowers on medium plants. **Each 40c.**

**JANE COWL**—I. D. An enormous deep informal decorative with petals twisted and curled and fluffy. Color is a glistening bronzy buff and old gold blending deeper toward the full center. Plants are very tall and strong with many flowers borne on long stiff stems well above the profuse dark foliage. The best buy of the entire list. **Each 40c.**

**MARMION**—I. D. Pure golden yellow, lightly bronzed. Free bloomer with 10-inch flowers. **Each 40c.**

**MRS. AUSTIN HOUGH**—Dec. Clear lavender. An improved Mrs. I. de Ver Warner, similar in color but larger in size. Flowers formed like Jane Cowl. **Each 40c.** One tuber of each of the above 8 varieties all for **\$2.50.**

#### NEWER VARIETIES

**CHEERIO**—Dec. An extremely tall pure yellow. Good sized flowers on long stems. **Each 60c.**

**EDNA FERBER**—Semi-Cactus. An immense dahlia of coral shading to old gold at the base of the petals. A gorgeous color, attractive flower carried well on long stems. **Each 60c.**

**ELIZA CLARKE BULL**—F. D. A pure white of good size, perfectly formed on medium height bushes. **Each 60c.**

**KEMP'S VIOLET WONDER**—I. D. A glorious royal purple. The outstanding dahlia in this color. Flowers of perfect form of massive size and attractive color. **Each 75c.**

**THE WORLD**—Dec. Rich deep rosy magneta with silver shadings on the edges of the petals. Strong thrifty grower. Free bloomer. **Each 75c.**

**TREASURE ISLAND**—F. D. Bright apricot and gold, slight rose suffusion. One of the largest Decoratives and one of the most admired flowers in our garden. Formation very perfect. Immense flowers. **Each 75c.**

**GOOD NIGHT**—I. D. Oxblood red shaded maroon. Large flowers that instantly attract attention. An Honor Roll Dahlia. **Each \$1.00.**

**GRAF ZEPPELIN**—F. D. Pure white Honor Roll Dahlia of tall growth and good keeping qualities. Faces out and never down. **Each \$1.00**

**JOSEPHINE G.**—Semi-Cactus. Bright rose pink and gold tipped yellow plant 4½ ft. Blooms seven to eight inches. 1931 introduction. **Each \$1.00.**

**KATHLEEN NORRIS**—I. D. A bloom of gigantic proportions, said to be the greatest pink Dahlia on the market today. Color a true rose pink. Another Honor Roll Dahlia. **Each \$1.00.**

**KING MIDAS**—I. D. An immense flower of pure golden yellow, of perfect form on long stiff stems. **Each \$1.00.**

**MARDI GRAS**—F. D. Light royal purple. Bush tall and rugged. One of the new Dahlias which is bound to be a winner. **Each \$1.00.**

**MARY ELLEN**—F. D. Bright lilac rose or mauve. Bush five to six feet. Flowers eight to eleven inches. Good cut flower. **Each \$1.00.**

**MRS. ALFRED B. SEAL**—I. D. One of the finest Dahlias introduced. Flowers of great depth and diameter and substance. An unusual color of softest, richest shades of pure old rose. **Each \$1.00.**

**MONMOUTH CHAMPION**—I. D. Brilliant orange flame colored. Has size and keeping qualities that make it a prize-winner anywhere. **Each \$1.00.**

**PENN CHARTER**—F. D. Golden yellow tinted apricot. Lighter in color than Jane Cowl. Extra large flowers. **Each \$1.00.**

**THOMAS A. EDISON**—F. D.....Royal purple. ...Plant five feet. ...Flowers eight to ten inches. As great a flower as the man it was named for. 1930 Honor Roll Dahlia. Heavy dark foliage insect resistant. Tip end of each petal is notched. **Each \$1.00.**

**YELLOW BEAUTY**—F. D. A fine new yellow. It is to the yellow class what Jersey Beauty is to the pink class. One of the best cut flowers offered in years. **Each \$1.00.**

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**ANDREA ERICKSON**—I. D. This new Dahlia resembles Fort Monmouth except in color which is a pure white. With disbudding the large fluffy flowers can be grown to 12 inches or more in diameter. 1931 introduction. **Each \$1.25.**

**HELEN IVINS**—F. D. Beautiful orchid-lavender of immense size and fine growth. **Each \$1.50.**

**PRINCE OF PERSIA**—I. D. Brightest cardinal red. Plants six feet. Blooms eight to eleven inches. A 1931 introduction. Deep flowers facing outward on cane-like stems. **Each \$4.00.**

# GLADIOLUS

Large bulbs are 1½ inches and over. Medium bulbs are ¾ inch and over.  
One bulb at one-tenth of the dozen rate; four bulbs at one-third of the dozen rate.

VARIETY	Large Per Doz.	Medium Per Doz.
AFLAME—Giant red Primulinus .....	\$ .75	\$ .50
ALBANIA—A good white. ....	.40	.30
BETTY NUTHALL—Light coral pink, tall spike .....	.60	.35
CAPT. BOYNTON—Light lavender, blotched darker .....	.50	.30
CATHERINE COLEMAN—Soft salmon pink .....	.50	.30
CHARLES DICKENS—Tall royal purple .....	.60	—
CRINKLES—Ruffled dark pink .....	.60	.40
DR. F. E. BENNETT—Best exhibition red .....	.50	.35
DR. MOODY—Large lavender .....	.60	.40
DR. NELSON SHOOK—Bright deep rose .....	.60	.40
EMILE AUBRUN—Slate colored, cherry blotch .....	.50	—
FAY LANPHIER—Coral and cerise blended .....	.60	.40
GIANT NYMPH—Large light salmon pink .....	.40	—
GOLD EAGLE—Ruffled early yellow .....	.40	.25
GOLDEN DREAM—Tall, rich yellow .....	.50	.30
LONGFELLOW—Tall, light pink .....	.50	—
MARMORA—Large smoky, blotched throat .....	.60	.40
MINUET—Best exhibition lavender .....	.70	.40
MRS. CALVIN COOLIDGE—Soft pink, yellow throat .....	.60	.40
MRS. F. C. HORNBERGER—Large pure white .....	.60	—
MRS. F. C. PETERS—Good commercial lavender .....	.50	—
MRS. LEON DOUGLAS—One of the largest pinks .....	.50	—
MRS. P. W. Sisson—Cameo pink .....	.50	—
ORANGE QUEEN—Tall orange yellow .....	.40	—
NIMROD—Chocolate red .....	.60	—
PAUL PFITZER—One of the best purples .....	.60	.40
PFITZER'S TRIUMPH—Wonderful large red .....	.60	.40
PHAENOMEN—Soft pink and yellow .....	.50	—
PRIDE OF WANAKEH—Brilliant rose red .....	.40	.25
PURPLE GLORY—Large, deep velvety maroon .....	.50	.30
RITA BECK—Extra nice, large light pink .....	.60	.40
RED GLORY—Ruffled, dark red .....	.75	—
ROSE MULBERRY—Smoky rose .....	.60	.40
ROYAL LAVENDER—Extra good, deep lavender .....	.75	.40
SWEET ROSE—Deep rose pink .....	.60	.40
VEILCHENBLAU—Finest blue .....	.75	—
W. H. PHIPPS—Greatest exhibition pink .....	.60	—
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MIXED—Large bulbs of above varieties .....		Per 100 \$2.00

## BULBS IN QUANTITY

No. 1 bulbs measure 1½ inches or over; No. 2, 1¼ inches and over; No. 3, 1 inch and over; No. 4, ¾ inch and over.

Priced per 100—No less	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4
AFLAME .....	\$ 3.50	\$ 2.75	\$ .....	\$ .....
BETTY NUTHALL .....	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00
CAPT. BOYNTON .....	2.00	.....	.....	.....
CATHERINE COLEMAN .....	2.00	1.60	.....	.....
DR. F. E. BENNETT .....	2.00	1.60	1.20	.....
DR. NELSON SHOOK .....	2.00	.....	.....	.....
GIANT NYMPH .....	1.75	.....	.....	.....
GOLD EAGLE .....	1.75	1.35	1.00	.80
GOLDEN DREAMS .....	1.75	1.35	1.00	.....
MRS. L. DOUGLAS .....	2.00	1.60	1.20	.....
ORANGE QUEEN .....	1.75	.....	.....	.....
PRIDE OF WANAKEH .....	1.75	1.35	1.00	.80
PURPLE GLORY .....	1.75	.....	.....	.....
W. H. PHIPPS .....	2.50	.....	.....	.....