

Historic, archived document

Do not assume content reflects current scientific knowledge, policies, or practices.



LIMESTONE

DAHLIA

GARDENS

SEASON OF 1935

F. W. GALLOWAY and H. P. PURNELL
OWNERS
MAYSVILLE, KENTUCKY

OHIO VALLEY DAHLIAS



A Chat About Green Plants



Your success in growing dahlias from green plants depends greatly upon the quality of the plants you buy. A rapidly grown plant will naturally be soft and if subjected to severe hardships may perish, or suffer so severely that it may take a great while to overcome the shock. If the roots have been allowed to become overcrowded in the pot the stems become hardened and recovery is very doubtful.

To insure sturdy, vigorous plants it is first of all necessary that cuttings be properly made from strong, clean stock. The plants should be grown slowly to encourage short, thick stalks and a strong root system. Precautions should always be taken to avoid infections, over crowding of roots in pots and to see that growth is continuous and steady.

Plants produced in this manner by us have proved highly successful in the gardens of our customers. Their success with them is assurance to us that our plants are second to none. To insure correctness in quality we personally do all propagating and growing of our plants and select and prepare them for shipment to you.

We suggest removing all soil from the roots of plants before planting out. Regardless of the reliability of the grower from whom purchased or the vigor of the plant upon arrival, the roots are sometimes twisted. If grown in pots the roots must find room to expand and naturally follow the walls of the pot, thus becoming entwined. Straightening the roots before planting will insure better growth and a nice, straight clump of roots at digging time. All soil may be removed without damage to roots by soaking the root ball in water until soft enough to wash away. The roots may then be straightened without difficulty.

While realizing fully that your failure with our plants would impair your valued patronage, we are so confident of their superiority that we recommend them unreservedly. They will produce as satisfactorily as roots and make your money go twice as far.

If we can help you with your dahlia troubles, our experience is at your command.

Greetings



We are grateful to again have the opportunity to express our gratitude to our friends, old and new, for the generous support accorded us in the past. Kind letters of appreciation coming from many quarters spur us on to the greatest care in listing our offerings, to the end that no dahlia of inferior quality and habits may be passed on to our customers.

Our climate is such as to thoroughly try the vitality of dahlias, and we have elected to list only those which have proven to be vigorous varieties, well able to thrive under adverse climatic conditions, as well as when conditions are more favorable.

In this section of the Ohio Valley the season of 1934 was ideal for dahlias. True our plants suffered from the drought until early July, but this was a blessing in disguise. All had to work to live. Strong root systems were established and when the rains came, how they did perform! The late season was ideal for maturing roots and as a result the quality of our stock surpasses that of previous years.

Some varieties are very limited. Accordingly, we suggest ordering early.

We wish all lovers of this marvelous flower a pleasant season.

Cordially,

F. W. GALLOWAY

H. P. PURNELL



Are you a member of the "OHIO VALLEY DAHLIA ASSOCIATION?" If not, you are missing a great deal. Membership fee, including subscription to the "MIDWEST DAHLIA NEWS," is \$2.00 per year. This publication bulges with good things about dahlias.

Mail dues to G. A. Richardson, Secretary, 1105 Elm Street, Cincinnati, O.

Guarantee

All root and plant stock shipped to the customer is guaranteed to be true to name, from healthy and vigorous parent stock, and to grow if given reasonable care on arrival and after planting.

It is our policy to consider no sale complete until the customer is satisfied.

Remittances

Remittances may be made in the most convenient way if sent with the order. If you wish you may send 25% with your order and remit balance at the time delivery is desired. We pay shipping costs on orders amounting to \$2.00 or more.

Delivery

When practical, we prefer shipping by express. Please be sure to state how and when delivery is desired. Roots delivered not later than May 15th, plants June 15th.

Symbols

(IC) -----Incurved cactus
(Str-C)-----Straight cactus
(SC) -----Semi-cactus
(FD) -----Formal Decorative
(ID) -----Informal Decorative

General List of Varieties



	Roots	Plants
ACHIEVEMENT—ID, Gold with bronze shadings -----	\$ 1.00	\$.50
AIKO—SC, Carmine red with silver reverse -----	\$ 1.00	.50
ALTAMONT—ID, Large rose pink on long stems -----	.35	
AMBASSADOR—Str C, An old aristocrat. Yellow and pink, beautifully blended. Plants only. -----		.35
AMELIA EARHART—SC, The outstanding 1933 introduction. Color, apricot buff. Large size and splendid formation. Plants only. -----		1.50
ARCTURUS—ID, A 1934 introduction of unusual formation and color. A bright scarlet and gold combination. -----	6.00	3.00
BETTY COLTER—ID, One of the best behaved dahlias we have ever grown. Large, light salmon red. -----	1.00	.50
BETTE DAVIS—SC, A mighty contender for highest honors among the 1935 introductions. Color, Orchid lavender. Plants only. -----		5.00
BUCKEYE BRIDE—ID, Fine cut flower variety. Medium size geranium pink blooms on splendid stems. Plants only. -----		.50
BUCKEYE FLAME—ID, Flame colored. A vigorous grower. -----	.35	
BUCKEYE KING—FD, On the Honor Roll again this year. Large, golden blooms of good substance. -----	6.00	3.00
CAMEO—ID, A dahlia of rare beauty and high merit. Color, a beautiful shade of pink. -----	1.50	.75
CHAUTAUQUA SALUTE—ID, The perfect white. Really nice. -----	.75	.40
CITY OF TRENTON—ID, Glowing tangerine. -----	.35	
COLONIAL DAME—SC, A dahlia of exquisite beauty. Large but dainty. Lavender. You will like it. -----	2.00	1.00
CREOLE—ID, Deep velvety red. Viewed from a distance it is nearly black ----	.50	.35
CROYDON—ID, A nearly faultless white. Does not burn and keeps well after cutting. Plants only. -----		.75
DR. JOHN CARMAN—FD, Gigantic blooms on medium bushes. Color, Tyrian Rose with silver reverse. -----	.50	.35
DWIGHT W. MORROW—ID, Immense cardinal red of rare beauty. -----	1.00	.50

	Roots	Plants
EAGLE ROCK FANTASY—ID, A temperamental beauty. A wonderful dahlia when conditions are favorable. We have our good and bad seasons with it. Blooms are of enormous proportions. Color, lavender. Plants only. -----		.75
EDITH EASTBURN SIMONS—SC, Soft lavender pink and white. -----	2.00	1.00
EDNA FERBER—SC, Coral. An old aristocrat. Plants only. -----		.35
ELEANOR M. RADDELL—ID, Possesses splendid habits and nice color. Rose center shading to pink. -----	1.50	.75
ELISSA LANDI—FD, A very popular 1934 introduction. Color, Jasper pink and buff. Plants only. -----		2.50
ELKRIDGE—SC, Pure white. Splendid growth and habits. Plants only. -----		.35
FIREMAN—ID, See "The Fireman." -----		
FLORENCE LOUISE—SC, Citron yellow blooms of large size. Plants only. -----		.50
FORT MONMOUTH—ID, Velvety maroon, A giant. -----	.50	.35
FRAU O. BRACHT—Str. C, One of the nicest dahlias of foreign origin. Color, straw yellow. Plants only. -----		.50
FRAU IDA MANSFIELD—C, Clear deep yellow. Very fine. Plants only. -----		1.00
GOLDEN ECLIPSE—FD, Golden yellow. Splendid exhibition and cut flower variety. -----	5.00	2.50
GOOD NIGHT—ID, Ox-blood. Appropriately named. A dahlia of great popularity. Plants only. -----		.50
GOV. FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT—ID, Bright red. Prolific bloomer. -----	.35	
GRACE CURLING—ID, A dahlia that has poise and elegance. Color, lilac. -----	1.00	.50
GRANDEE—ID, Another very popular 1934 introduction. Red, shaded orange. Plants only. -----		2.50
HILLCREST FLUFFY RUFFLES—ID, Soft apricot. Very sturdy plants and blooms of great proportions. -----	3.00	1.50
HILLCREST JERRY—ID, Lavender. A giant. A good variety for breeding purposes. -----	1.00	
HILLCREST MANDARIN—ID, The aristocrat of the Hillcrest family. Red and gold. Plants only. -----		1.50
HILLCREST ROYALIST—ID, Color is near purple. The plant is a sturdy grower. A fine dahlia. -----	2.00	1.00
HILLCREST SWISS ROSE—ID, Color, swiss rose. Very nice. -----	2.00	1.00
HONOR BRIGHT—ID, Another popular 1934 introduction which found a place on the Honor Roll again. Color is peach red. It is a real beauty. Plants only. -----		3.00

	Roots	Plants
IMPERIAL PINK—ID, True pink with primrose shadings. -----	1.00	.50
INDIANA MOON—ID, If you like large blooms and robust plants don't miss this one. Color, flesh ochre and pink. -----	1.00	.50
JANE COWL—ID, Bronze buff. No better dahlia has ever been introduced. -----	.25	
JEAN TRIMBEE—SC, A giant purple of great beauty. Plants only. -----		.50
JEROME KERN—ID, Gold and pink blended. Blooms of great size and unusual formation. Plants only. -----		1.25
JERSEYS BEACON—FD, Chinese scarlet. -----	.35	
JERSEYS BEAUTY—FD, True pink. The best cut flower variety. -----	.50	.35
JIM MOORE—ID, Primrose yellow shading to gold. -----	.50	.35
JOSEPHINE G.—ID, No dahlia more satisfactory. Color, a beautiful blend of pink and gold. Prolific bloomer. -----	.50	.35
KARL BONAWITZ—SC, Brilliant carmine, Really pretty. Plants only. -----		.50
KATHLEEN NORRIS—ID, Rose pink. Has the habit of producing just about the largest and prettiest bloom in the garden. -----	.50	.50
KAY FRANCIS—SC, This dahlia won in its class in most of the 1934 shows. It is destined to be a very popular variety. The color is clear golden yellow. Plants only. -----		5.00
KEMPS VIOLET WONDER—ID, Naphtalene violet. Very satisfactory. -----	.50	.35
KEMPS WHITE WONDER—ID, See "White Wonder." -----		
KENTUCKY—FD, Pink with excellent stems. Fine cut flower variety. -----		.35
LA FIESTA—ID, Yellow pencilled red. Blooms of great proportions. -----	2.00	1.00
LA REINA—ID, Bronze gold. Very fine. Plants only. -----		2.00
LINCOLN G. DICKEY—ID, Primrose yellow suffused rose. -----	.50	
LONG HILL—ID, Golden bronze. Sturdy growing plants. -----	1.50	.75
LORD OF AUTUMN—ID, The wonder dahlia. A rich golden yellow of extraordinary proportions and formation. Plants are vigorous growers with great insect-resisting powers. This is the dahlia that took firsts in most all the 1934 shows in the largest and best bloom class. Plants only. -----		5.00
LOUISE BATES—SC, Mallow pink with darker center. Very large blooms on good stems. Another 1934 introduction of wide popularity. -----	6.00	3.00

	Roots	Plants
MABEL GOODACRE—ID, A large profuse blooming lavender on sturdy bushes.---	.50	.35
MAN O'WAR—ID, A real exhibition flower of fine habits. Color, carmine shading to oxblood at center. Plants only. ----		2.50
MARGARET WOODROW WILSON—ID, Opalescent pink. Very large -----	.25	
MARMION—ID, Golden yellow suffused bronze. A giant. -----	.25	
MARSHALL'S PINK—FD, True pink with rose center. No better or prettier cut flower variety. -----	.50	.35
META SCAMMELL—ID, Amaranth pink. --	.35	
MISS ANNIE LISLE—ID, Soft lavender. Its petal formation is unusual. The bloom somewhat resembles a Giant Crego Aster. -----	.75	.40
MISS BELGIUM—Str C, The only dahlia of foreign origin to be honored with a place on Mr. Derrill W. Hart's 1934 Honor Roll. Color, coral. Plants only. -----		1.50
MONMOUTH CHAMPION—FD, Vigorous grower. Color, flame. -----	.35	
MONMOUTH GENERAL—ID, Bright henna. A vigorous growing giant. -----	1.50	.75
MONMOUTH RADIANCE—ID, Coral pink with yellow center. Plants only. -----		2.50
MRS. A. B. SEAL—FD, A gorgeous old rose. Very large. Plants only. -----		.35
MRS. I. D. ver WARNER—FD, Old but very fine. Orchid. -----	.25	
MURPHYS MASTERPIECE — ID, Very dark red. A dahlia with few equals. This is really fine. -----	3.50	1.50
MYRA HOWARD—ID, Pure gold with rose sheen. A dahlia of great size and marvelous beauty. Plants only. ---		.75
OLIVE WRIGHT—ID, Orange. A profuse blooming and robust growing dahlia. Blooms slightly pendant. -----	.35	
ORIENTAL GLORY—ID, Deep orange. A very fine 1934 introduction. Vigorous growing plants. -----	5.00	2.50
ORINDA—FD, Very large deep mauve blooms. Bushes are very tall. -----	.50	.35
PALO ALTO—SC, One of the prettiest dahlias on the market. Blooms are very large and of artistic formation. Plants only. -----		2.00
PAPPILLION—ID, Old rose and gold. Old but very nice. -----	.25	
PASTEL GLOW—ID, We consider this --- one of the nicest in our gardens. Color, pastel pink. Blooms have great diameter and depth. -----	2.00	1.00
PAUL PFITZER—Str C, Another fine foreign origination. Color, yellow and pink. Plants only. -----		1.25
PENN CHARTER—ID, Golden yellow tipped apricot. -----	.35	

	Roots	Plants
ROCKLEY MOON—FD, Very large clear yellow on exceptionally strong stems. An outstanding 1935 introduction. Plants only. -----		5.00
RUBY TAYLOR—ID, Purplish red. Very fine. -----	2.50	1.25
RUDY VALLEE—SC, Grenadine orange red. A mighty satisfactory dahlia. ----	1.25	.50
SATAN—SC, Horn like petals colored a flaming red. Makes good everywhere.	2.00	1.00
SHAHRAZADE—ID, A very large pink of nice formation. -----	.75	.40
SONNY BOY—ID, A monster old rose. very fine. -----	5.00	2.50
STRONGHEART—ID, Large, pure golden excel'ent stems. Plants only. -----		1.00
A rare beauty. Plants only. -----		.35
SULTAN OF HILLCREST—FD, This is one of our favorites. It has many superb qualities and the blooms are gorgeous. Color, Strontian yellow. Plants only. -----		3.75
THE FIREMAN—ID, Red with light reverse. The petals twist to give a two tone effect. A popular 1934 introduction. -----	5.00	2.50
THOMAS A. EDISON—FD, Royal purple. Very fine. -----	.50	.35
TREASURE ISLAND—FD, Golden apricot. A rare beauty. Plants only. -----		.35
WASHINGTON GIANT—ID, Lavender with orchid tints and blended with silver —Blooms 12 x 7 inches. A magnificent flower. Plants only. -----		2.00
WATCHUNG SUNSET — ID, Iridescent pink. Cut flower variety. -----	.50	.35
W. H. T.—FD, Old rose. Nice cut flower variety. -----	.50	.35
WM. H. WAITE—ID, Delicate lavender. -----	.50	.35
WHITE WONDER—ID, A superb white of great size. Plants are vigorous growers with splendid foliage. A wonderful root maker. Having a large surplus of this dahlia we have aimed to price roots at a figure that every garden can afford. -----	1.00	.75
WONDER PINK — ID, Lavender pink. Giant blooms. -----	.35	
YELLOW WONDER—ID, A very large golden yellow on robust plants. This is good. -----	.75	.40
BISHOP OF LLANDAFF, Fiery red. Plants only. -----		.50
CARLA, Buff. Plants only. -----		.50
FAIRY OF FLAME, Single, Bright red. ---	.50	.35
JEAN, Rose buff. Plants only. -----		.35
LITTLE JEWEL, Pink. Plants only. -----		.35

	Roots	Plants
MRS. PERRY O'NEILL, Orange buff. ----	.50	.35
MT. WHITNEY SUNSET, Amber yellow. Plants only. -----		.35
RED HEAD, Orange scarlet. -----	.50	.35
HEDGE DAHLIA, FRED SPRINGER, Fiery red blooms on symmetrical bushes with artistic foliage. Height, 2 ft. -----	.50	.35
BALL DAHLIAS		
JEAN KERR, White. Plants only. -----		.35
MARY HELEN, Yellow. Plants only. -----		.35
PINK BALL, Pink. Plants only. -----		.35
WALDHEIM GLORY, Yellow. Plants only.		.35
POMPON DAHLIAS		
ATOM, Fiery scarlet. -----	.50	.35
BOB WHITE, White. Plants only. -----		.35
DEE DEE, Lavender. -----	.50	.35
JACK, Purple garnet. Plants only. -----		.35
LITTLE EDITH, Burnt orange. -----	.50	.35
MIKE, Orange. Plants only. -----		.35
YELLOW GEM, Yellow. Plants only. -----		.35



JOIN THE
AMERICAN DAHLIA SOCIETY

Dues \$2.00 per year. Includes subscription
to the A. D. S. Bulletin, the dahlia
growers guide.

Remit dues to American Dahlia Society,
251 Court Street, West Haven, Conn.
